

# DELTA STATE

## STATESMEN FOOTBALL | 2021 OFFICIAL GAME NOTES

2000 NCAA NATIONAL CHAMPIONS | SEVEN GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS | FOUR NCAA REGIONAL TITLES | NINE NCAA PLAYOFF APPEARANCES

**GAME 1** **BETHEL UNIVERSITY**  
September 2, 2021 • 6 p.m.  
Cleveland, Miss. | Parker Field-McCool Stadium

### » GAME DAY INFORMATION

Location	Cleveland, Miss.
Kickoff	6 p.m.
Site	Parker Field-McCool Stadium
Capacity	8,500
Surface	Artificial Turf

### » INSIDE THE SERIES

Meeting	12th
Series Record:	Delta State leads 6-4
In Cleveland, Miss.	Statesmen lead 5-3-1
In McKenzie, Tenn.	1-1
Last Meeting	1947
Location	Cleveland, Miss.
Result	W, 34-6

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Official Twitter Account	@DSUStatesmen
Football Twitter Accounts	@DeltaStateFB @CoachToddCooley
Instagram Account	@DSUAthletics
Facebook Account	Facebook.com/DSUStatesmen
Hashtags	#DSUFamily #WhereChampionsPlay

### » ON THE AIR

Radio	Statesmen Sports Network
Online (iOS   Android)	GoStatesmen.com
Flagship Station	WMJW 107.5 FM   Cleveland, Miss.
Play-by-Play	Cody Clark (2nd season)
Analyst/Producer	Philip Tang (7th season)
Sideline Reporter	Lane Quinton (9th season)

### STATESMEN

0-0  
OVERALL

0-0  
GSC

RV

AFC TOP 25

TODD COOLEY

HEAD COACH

43-32  
OVERALL

8TH  
SEASON



91ST  
SEASON OPENER

BETHEL

AT

DELTA STATE

SEPTEMBER 2, 2021 | 6 PM

PARKER FIELD-McCOOL STADIUM  
CLEVELAND, MISSISSIPPI

### WILDCATS

0-0  
OVERALL

0-0  
SAC

NR

NAIA

MICHAEL JASPER

HEAD COACH

11-12  
OVERALL

3rd  
SEASON



### DELTA STATE TO OPEN 91ST CAMPAIGN VERSUS BETHEL WILDCATS

- ➔ **STATESMEN TO HOST WILDCATS IN SEASON-OPENER:** The 2021 campaign kicks off on Thursday, Sept. 2, as the **Statesmen** (0-0, 0-0 GSC) of **Delta State University** host **Bethel University** (0-0, 0-0 Mid South/NAIA). The kickoff is set for 6 p.m. at Parker Field-McCool Stadium.
- ➔ **INSIDE THE SERIES:** Thursday's match-up is the **12th** meeting between the schools on the gridiron between **Delta State** and **Bethel University**. The two schools last met in 1947 with the Statesmen claiming a 34-6 win in Cleveland, Miss. Delta State owns a 5-3-1 mark in Cleveland, Miss., and are 1-1 in games played in McKenzie, Tenn.
- ➔ **STATESMEN IN SEPTEMBER:** DSU boasts a **150-88-6** record in the month of September, including a **19-10** record under coach Cooley.
- ➔ **DELTA STATE PICKED 3rd IN GSC COACHES POLL:** The Statesmen were picked to finish **third** in the annual **Gulf South Conference Preseason Coaches Poll**. Defending National Champion West Florida was named the 2021 GSC Football Preseason Favorite for the first time in school history, collecting 47 points behind five first-place votes. Nipping at the Argonauts' heels is defending GSC Champion Valdosta State which posted 45 points and nabbed the final three first-place votes. Delta State ranked third in the Coaches' Poll voting with 33 points followed by West Alabama (30) and West Georgia (26) to round out the Top Five. Mississippi College (22), North Greenville (14), and Shorter (seven) complete the GSC Pre-Season Poll.
- ➔ **SIX STATESMEN NAME PRESEASON ALL-GSC:** Six Statesmen (three offensive and three defensive players) were named to the Pre-Season All-GSC Team. Three-time All-GSC center **Innis Claud V** and junior **Nicolas Melsop** anchor an offensive line that will open holes for one of the league's top returning backs in senior **Rico Owens**. The defensive side of the ball is led by All-American defensive back **Junior Faulk** is joined by seniors **Dante Williams** (LB) and **Zane Samuel** (DE).
- ➔ **91ST SEASON OF FOOTBALL:** The **#DSUFamily** is set to embark on its **91st year** on the gridiron, as Delta State welcomes **Bethel University** to Parker Field-McCool Stadium on Thursday, Sept. 2 for the season-opener. Delta State is **476-400-23**. The Statesmen have captured seven Gulf South Conference titles, made nine appearances in the NCAA DII playoffs, earned four Super Region II crowns, and defeated Bloomsburg, 63-34, to claim the 2000 NCAA DII National Championship. DSU is **48-38-4** all-time to open a season.
- ➔ **SEASON-OPENERS UNDER COOLEY:** The Statesmen are **6-1** in season-openers, including a **4-0** mark at home, under head coach Todd Cooley. The lone opening loss came on the road last year at Tarleton State, 44-13, in Stephenville, Texas. DSU has outscored the opposition **156-62** in its three season-opening wins at home.
- ➔ **2021 RANKED OPPONENTS:** The Statesmen will face **two ranked opponents** in 2021, including defending national champion and preseason No. 1 **West Florida**. DSU also squares off against No. 6 **Valdosta State** on Oct. 9 in Valdosta, Ga. Delta State is 11-14 against ranked opponents under head coach Todd Cooley.

### SCHEDULE & RESULTS



BETHEL UNIVERSITY  
9.2 | 6 PM



MCKENDREE  
9.11 | 6 PM  
PIG PICKIN



WEST GEORGIA  
9.18 | 5 PM &  
NOV. 13 | 12 PM



@ JACKSON STATE  
9.25 | 2 PM



@ WEST FLORIDA  
10.2 | 6 PM



@ VALDOSTA STATE  
10.9 | 6 PM



NORTH GREENVILLE  
10.16 | 4 PM  
GSC-TV



WEST ALABAMA  
10.23 | 4 PM  
GSC-TV



SHORTER  
10.30 | 2 PM  
HOMECOMING



MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE  
11.6 | 2 PM  
HERITAGE BELL CLASSIC

### DELTA STATE FAST FACTS

Name of School	Delta State University
City/Zip	Cleveland, MS 38733
Founded	1924
Enrollment	3,832
Nickname	Statesmen
School Colors	Forest Green & White
Affiliation	NCAA Division II
Conference	Gulf South
President	William N. LaForge (Delta State, 1970)
Athletic Director	Ronnie Mayers (Delta State, 1972)

### STADIUM INFORMATION

Home Field	Parker Field at McCool Stadium
Capacity	8,000
Surface	Hellas Artificial Turf
Record at Parker Field-McCool Stadium	153-89-8
NCAA Playoff Record at Parker-McCool	8-3

### HISTORY

First Year of Football	1926
All-Time Record	476-400-23
GSC Championships	Seven/1998, 2000, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2014
NCAA National Championships	One/2000
No. of Years in NCAA Tournament	Nine
NCAA Postseason Record	15-8
All-Time Bowl/Post-Season Record	17-8
Last Post-Season Appearance	2017
Finish	1-1/L, 27-20 vs. West Alabama   NCAA 2nd Round

### TEAM INFORMATION

2019 Final Record	6-4
Gulf South Conference	5-3   Tied for 3rd
Final National Ranking	Not Ranked
Basic Offense	Spread Multiple
Basic Defense	4-3
Starters Returning/Lost	11/11
Offense	6/5
Defense	5/6
Specialty	0/3
Lettermen Returning/Lost	25/27

### ONLINE: GOSTATESMEN.COM

GoStatesmen.com offers complete coverage of Delta State football each week online with a live in-game blog and live stats provided through SideArm Sports. GoStatesmen.com is also optimized for all devices.

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

<b>MONDAY   30</b> • 12 pm   Hey Coach @ Hey Joe's (Cleveland) • 6 pm   Statesman Nation	<b>TUESDAY   31</b> • 3:45 pm   Practice	<b>WEDNESDAY   1</b> • 3:45 pm   Practice	<b>THURSDAY   2</b> • 6 pm   <b>BETHEL</b>	<b>FRIDAY   3</b> • Players off	<b>SATURDAY   4</b> • Players off	<b>SUNDAY   5</b> • 5 pm   STRETCH
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### COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Todd Cooley
Alma Mater/Year	Arkansas Tech/1999
Record at DSU/Years	43-32/8th
Career Collegiate Record	43-32/8th
NCAA Playoff Record	1-2
NCAA Playoff Appearances	2/2014, 2017
Football Office Phone	(662) 846-4300
Best Time To Reach	Mornings (9-11 a.m.)

### ASSISTANT COACHES

Kelvin Green (Clemson, 2009)	Defensive Coordinator   LB
Jonathan Fletcher (Knox, 2011)	Offensive Coordinator   OL
Tyler Hasty (Guilford, 2011)	Assistant Coach   Recruiting Coordinator   QB
Christ West (Valdosta State)	Assisatnt Coach   DL
Geoff Terry (Buffalo, 2001)	Assistant Coach   DB
Marcus Windham (Southwest Baptist, 2014)	Assistnt Coach   RB
Tristan Speer (Highland College, 2018)	Assistant Coach   RB
Mark Hatcher	Graduate Assistant   DB
Ashly Salomonsky	Graduate Assistant   OL
Sam Rayburn	Graduate Assistant   DL
Blake Cradall	Graduate Assistant   LB
Jay Thomason	Life Skills Coach

### ATHLETIC TRAINING

Abby Havard, ATC/LAT	Assistant AD for Sports Medicine
Christian Johnston, ATC	Assistant Director

### EXTERNAL RELATIONS | ATHLETIC COMMUNICATIONS

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**GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE STANDINGS**

SCHOOL	CONF	CPCT.	OVERALL	PCT.	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	STREAK
<b>Delta State</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0.000</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0.000</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>---</b>
Florida Tech	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
Mississippi College	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
North Greenville	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
Shorter	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
Valdosta State	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
West Alabama	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
West Florida	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
West Georgia	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	0-0	---

**SCHEDULE & RESULTS | WEEKLY AWARDS**

**THURSDAY, SEPT. 2**

<b>Bethel University (Tenn.) @ Delta State</b>	<b>6:00 P.M.</b>
Albany State @ Mississippi College	6:00 P.M.
West Georgia @ Carson-Newman	6:00 P.M.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 4**

West Florida @ McNeese State	12:00 P.M.
Brevard College @ Shorter Shorter	1:00 P.M.
Savannah State @ Valdosta State	6:00 P.M.
Limestone @ North Greenville	6:00 P.M.
Morehouse @ West Alabama	6:00 P.M.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 11**

West Alabama @ Tuskegee Tuskegee	1:00 P.M.
Valdosta State @ Virginia Union	4:00 P.M.
North Greenville @ Newberry Newberry	6:00 P.M.
Southwest Baptist @ West Florida	6:00 P.M.
Morehouse @ West Georgia	6:00 P.M.
<b>McKendree University @ Delta State (PP)</b>	<b>6:00 P.M.</b>
Shorter @ Albany State	7:00 P.M.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 16**

North American @ West Alabama	6:00 P.M.
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**SATURDAY, SEPT. 18**

Shorter Shorter @ Clark Atlanta	11:00 A.M.
University of Fort Lauderdale @ Mississippi College	2:00 P.M.
<b>Delta State @ West Georgia</b>	<b>5:00 P.M.</b>
West Florida @ Texas A&M-Commerce	6:00 P.M.
Albany State @ Valdosta State	6:00 P.M.
North Greenville @ The Citadel	6:00 P.M.



**GSC OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

WEEK 1
WEEK 2
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WEEK 11

**GSC DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

WEEK 1
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WEEK 11

**GSC SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK**

WEEK 1
WEEK 2
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WEEK 11

**GSC FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK**

WEEK 1
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WEEK 11

**AMERICAN FOOTBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION PRESEASON TOP 25 POLL | AUG. 26, 2019**

#	SCHOOL (1ST VOTES)	W-L	PTS.	PREV.
<b>1</b>	<b>West Florida (26)</b>	<b>13-2</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>1</b>
2	Minnesota State (2)	14-1	673	2
3	Ferris State	12-1	630	3
4	Northwest Missouri State (1)	12-2	575	7
5	Slippery Rock	13-1	544	6
T-6	Lenoir-Rhyne	13-1	540	4
<b>T-6</b>	<b>Valdosta State</b>	<b>10-1</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>5</b>
8	Texas A&M-Commerce	10-3	520	11
9	Notre Dame (OH)	12-2	501	10
10	Colorado School of Mines	12-1	423	8
11	Ouachita Baptist	11-1	387	14
12	CSU Pueblo	11-2	327	12
13	Central Missouri	11-2	323	13
14	Ulndy	9-2	261	17
15	Shepherd	10-3	256	22
16	Grand Valley State	8-3	231	NR
17	Indiana (PA)	10-2	220	21
18	Bowie State	11-1	210	18
19	Tiffin	9-2	188	23
20	Kutztown	11-2	144	16
21	Lindenwood	9-4	134	25
22	Harding	10-2	120	15
23	Minnesota Duluth	8-3	100	NR
T-24	Carson-Newman	9-3	95	20
T-24	Wingate	10-2	95	16

**OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES:** Fort Hays State 90; Tusculum 52; Angelo State, 49; Augustana (S.D.) 42; Ashland 38; West Chester 38; **Delta State 35**; West Texas A&M 26; MSU Texas 25; Bentley 24; Henderson State 24; Sioux Falls 23; UT Permian Basin 23; Ohio Dominican 20.

**HONORING OUR PAST**



**RETRO LOOK FOR 2019**

Since taking over the program in 2013, head coach **Todd Cooley** has not been afraid of change. However, the one constant each year has been Delta State's green helmets.

This year, Cooley and his staff are paying tribute to the teams of the late 1980s and 1990s by going "old school" with white face masks and the DSU block state logo. Previous designs are below.




**SERIES NOTEBOOK: BETHEL UNIVERSITY**

- ▶ **Delta State** and **Bethel University** collide on the gridiron for the 12th time and for the first time in 74 years. The last meeting took place in 1947 with the Statesmen claiming a 34-6 win at Delta Field in Cleveland, Miss. Delta State holds a 6-4-1 overall lead and a 5-3-1 record at home in the series.
- ▶ **Michael Jasper** is in his third year as head coach of the Wildcats. He is 11-12 in his career with the Cats. Before becoming the head coach Jasper served as the Assistant Head Coach and worked with the defensive line. Before that he held the titles of Offensive Line Coach and Run Game Coordinator, as well as overseeing the strength and conditioning program. Coach Jasper played for the University of Tennessee at Martin in 2005 and was a starter on their 2006 Ohio Valley Conference Championship team. After redshirting at Middle Tennessee State University, Coach Jasper joined the Bethel University Wildcats as an Offensive and Defensive Lineman from 2008-2010 and was the first-ever Wildcat drafted to the NFL in 2011 being selected by the Buffalo Bills. He graduated from Bethel University with a Bachelor's Degree in University Studies. He and his wife Allison along with their daughter Davis Reid reside in McKenzie, Tennessee. Their rescue dog is named Caine.
- ▶ **Bethel** played their 2020 season earlier this year. After winning their first three games the Wildcats dropped four in a row to finish 3-4. The Cats were 3-4 in the Mid-South Conference and 2-2 in road action. **Bethel** is picked to finish fourth in the MSC Blue Grass Division Preseason Poll.
- ▶ **2020 Season:** After a sterling start to the season (2020) earlier this year, the Bethel Wildcats suffered through four straight disappointing losses to end the abbreviated year at 3-4.

**WILDCATS**

<b>0-0</b> OVERALL	<b>0-0</b> MSC
<b>NR</b> NAIA	
<b>MICHAEL JASPER</b> HEAD COACH	
<b>11-12</b> OVERALL	<b>3rd</b> SEASON



**SERIES HISTORY**

- ▶ 12th meeting in series history
- ▶ Overall: Statesmen lead 6-4-1
- ▶ In Cleveland: Statesmen lead 5-3-1
- ▶ In McKenzie, Tenn.: 1-1
- ▶ Last Five Meetings: 3-1-1
- ▶ Last 10 Meetings: 6-3-1



GM	W/L	DATE	DSU	LOCATION	BU
1	L	1928	13	McKenzie, Tenn.	26
2	W	1929	7	Cleveland, Miss.	6
3	W	1930	66	Cleveland, Miss.	0
4	W	1932	6	Cleveland, Miss.	0
5	L	1933	7	Cleveland, Miss.	9
6	L	1934	0	Cleveland, Miss. (HC)	13
7	L	1935	6	Cleveland, Miss. (HC)	13
8	W	1936	61	Cleveland, Miss. (HC)	6
9	T	1946	7	Cleveland, Miss.	7
10	W	1946	19	McKenzie, Tenn.	6
11	W	1947	34	Cleveland, Miss.	6

- ▶ Leading rusher **De'Ontay Tate** returns after running for 530 yards and two touchdowns. With his 530 yards, Tate moved into 4th all-time in the Wildcat record book with 2,352 career rushing yards. Despite fighting injuries throughout the year, **K J Hicks** was named 1st team all-conference. Hicks was the MSC Defensive Freshman of the Year last season. Leading tackler **Jakobe Griffin** is back. The junior 1st team all-conference performer had 6.5 tackles for losses. Junior **Devious Christmon** proved to be a nightmare for opposing quarterbacks last season finishing with four interceptions. Christmon has seven career picks which rank 6th all-time in career interceptions. Senior **Keveon Broadwater** (6-4, 315) and juniors **Bailey Herring** (6-1, 300) and **Brandon Harrison** (6-3, 305) return to anchor the O-line.
- ▶ Three transfers highlight new faces for the Wildcats. An all-conference and senior from Missouri Baptist, **Michael Malone** comes in as a cornerback. Another corner, **Mustafa Majeed** joins the Cats transferring from Clark-Atlanta University. **D J James**, an all-conference Safety from the University of New England comes in for his junior season.

**HOW THEY COMPARE (2019 | BU 2020)**

STATESMEN (0-0, 0-0 GSC)		WILDCATS (0-0, 0-0 MSC)
<b>22.8</b>	PPG	<b>29.1</b>
<b>18.7</b>	1ST DOWNS	<b>20.2</b>
<b>197.5</b>	RUSH YPG	<b>147.2</b>
<b>159.9</b>	PASS YPG	<b>269.9</b>
<b>357.4</b>	TOTAL OFFENSE	<b>417.0</b>
<b>26</b>	PASS TD	<b>16</b>
<b>8</b>	PASS INT	<b>11</b>
<b>16</b>	RUSH TD	<b>16</b>
<b>15-of-19</b>	FG	<b>8-of-12</b>
<b>31:50</b>	T.O.P.	<b>28:11</b>
<b>14 (92)</b>	SACKS ALLOWED	<b>11 (66)</b>
<b>22.7</b>	SCORING DEFENSE	<b>25.3</b>
<b>122.0</b>	RUSH YPG/ALLOWED	<b>227.0</b>
<b>187.2</b>	PASS YPG/ALLOWED	<b>219.5</b>
<b>309.2</b>	TOTAL OFFENSE/ALLOWED	<b>312.9</b>
<b>30 (172)</b>	SACKS BY	<b>19 (127)</b>
<b>14</b>	INTERCEPTIONS BY	<b>5</b>
<b>11-6</b>	FUMBLES FORCED/RECOVERED	<b>9-9</b>

**BY THE NUMBERS: DELTA STATE vs. BETHEL**

 <b>6-4-1</b> SERIES RECORD	<b>5-3-1</b> RECORD @ PARKER-MCCOOL	<b>20.5</b> PPG VS. BU*	<b>-</b> TOTAL OFFENSE VS. BU* <small>*UNDER TODD COOLEY</small>	
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# TODD COOLEY HC



## THE COOLEY FILE

- » Birthdate: September 7, 1975
- » Alma Mater: Arkansas Tech, 1997 (English)
- » Record at Delta State: 42-32 (8th season)
- » Gulf South Conference Record: 25-27 (8th season)
- » NCAA Postseason Record: 1-1 (.500)
- » Hometown: Nashville, Arkansas
- » Family: Wife, Lisa (Gatlin) Cooley



**HC**  
**6-2**  
**8TH**

**@COACHTODDCOOLEY**

## YEAR-BY-YEAR HEAD COACHING RECORD

YEAR	SCHOOL	POS	RECORD	CONF.	NOTES
2013	Delta State	Head Coach	7-3	4-2	GSC COY
2014	Delta State	Head Coach	9-2	6-1	Co-GSC Champs/COY
2015	Delta State	Head Coach	6-5	2-5	
2016	Delta State	Head Coach	4-6	1-7	
2017	Delta State	Head Coach	9-4	5-3	NCAA DII Playoffs
2018	Delta State	Head Coach	2-8	2-6	
<b>2019</b>	<b>Delta State</b>	<b>Head Coach</b>	<b>6-4</b>	<b>5-4</b>	
<b>Totals</b>			<b>43-32</b>	<b>25-27</b>	<b>Eighth Season</b>

## COOLEY VERSUS ALL OPPONENTS

Albany State	1-0
Bowie State	1-0
Central State (Ohio)	1-0
Chowan (N.C.)	1-0
Concordia (Ala.)	2-0
Florida Tech	4-3
Fort Valley State	2-0
Grand Valley State	0-2
Kentucky Wesleyan	2-0
Mississippi College	4-1
Mississippi Valley State	1-0
North Alabama	2-3
North Greenville	1-1
Shorter	7-0
Tarleton State	2-1
Texas A&M-Commerce	1-2
Tusculum	1-0
Valdosta State	2-5
West Alabama	2-6
West Florida	2-2
West Georgia	2-6

## NOTEABLES

- Cooley will be entering his eighth season as head coach of the Delta State University Statesman football program. Cooley became the 19th coach in program history on Friday, Jan. 25, 2012. In his four seasons as head coach of the Statesmen, Cooley is 43-32 overall and 25-27 against the GSC.
- In his previous five seasons, the Nashville, Ark., native, has guided the Statesmen two trips to the NCAA Division II Football Championship Playoffs (2014/2017) and in 2014 Delta State captured its seventh Gulf South Conference title.
- Cooley tied former Steve Campbell for the second fastest coach to accumulate 20 victories, accomplishing the feat in 25 games. Cooley led DSU to a 7-3 mark in 2013 during his first season and followed up that performance with a 9-2 record in 2014 and a share of the GSC title. The Nashville, Arkansas, native started out the season 4-0 to get his 20th win in a 40-0 victory over Albany State at Parker Field-McCool Stadium (Sept. 26, 2015).
- Cooley is a two-time Coach of the Year recipient in the Gulf South Conference following the 2013 and 2014 campaigns. He joins Ron Roberts (2007/2008) as the only two-time recipients of the award in the program's history.

## NUMBERS TO KNOW

**145**

A total of 145 Statesmen have graduated with a degree from Delta State since Cooley took over as head coach.

**43**

Cooley has led the Statesmen to a 43-32 record in his six previous seasons as head coach at Delta State University.

**30+**

The Statesmen are 36-5 all-time when scoring 30 or more points against an opponent under head coach Todd Cooley.

**35-3**

Delta State is 35-3 under head coach Todd Cooley when leading at half-time. The Statesmen are 4-16 when trailing and 0-2 when tied at the half.

**26**

Delta State is 26-2 under head coach Todd Cooley when winning the turnover battle, including a 7-0 mark in 2017.

## PLAYING CAREER

YEAR	SCHOOL	POS
1996-97	Arkansas Tech	QB
1994-95	Henderson State	QB

## COACHING CAREER SNAPSHOT

YEAR	SCHOOL	POS
1998	Arkansas Tech	RB
1999	Arkansas Tech	RB
2000	NE Oklahoma State	QB
2001	Quachita Baptist	QB
2002	Quachita Baptist	QB
2003	Quachita Baptist	QB
2004	Arkansas Tech	OC/QB
2005	Central Arkansas	OC/QB
2006	Central Arkansas	OC/QB
2007	Central Arkansas	OC/QB
2008	Central Arkansas	OC/QB
2009	Northwestern (La.) State	OC/QB
2010	Northwestern (La.) State	OC/QB
2011	Northwestern (La.) State	OC/QB
2012	Northwestern (La.) State	OC/QB
2013	Delta State	HC
2014	Delta State	HC
2015	Delta State	HC
2016	Delta State	HC
2017	Delta State	HC
2018	Delta State	HC
2019	Delta State	HC
2020	Delta State (No Season/COVID)	HC
2021	Delta State	HC



# STATESMEN DEPTH CHART

vs. **BETHEL**

## OFFENSE

<b>QB</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Patrick Shegog</b>	<b>5-11</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>Jr.</b>	<b>Batesville, Miss./South Panola</b>
	18	Cole Kirk	6-1	179	So.	Selmer, Tenn./McNairy Central HS
<b>RB</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Rico Owens, II</b>	<b>5-10</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Greenwood, Miss./Copiah-Lincoln CC</b>
	5	Deion Dampier	5-10	212	Sr.	Pinola, Miss./Copiah-Lincoln CC
<b>LT</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>Damon Moore</b>	<b>6-5</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>So.</b>	<b>Birmingham, Ala./Clay-Chalkville</b>
	60	Ja'Qualen Lumpkin	6-2	305	Fr.	Thomaston, Ga./Upson-Lee Hs
<b>LG</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>Keshawn Jennings</b>	<b>6-1</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>Jr.</b>	<b>Marietta, Ga./South Cobb HS</b>
	50	Kaleb Robinson	6-3	280	Sr.	Lexington, Miss./Copiah Lincoln CC
<b>C</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>Innis Claud, V</b>	<b>6-0</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Albany, Ga./Buford HS</b>
	64	Jakob Welch	6-3	290	Jr.	Winona, Miss./Notheast Miss. CC
<b>RG</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>Tristan Moseley</b>	<b>6-4</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Cleveland, Miss./Copiah-Lincoln CC</b>
	65	Jason Judge	6-5	325	Sr.	Jackson, Miss./Copiah-Lincoln CC
<b>RT</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>Nicolas Melsop</b>	<b>6-7</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>Jr.</b>	<b>Columbus, Ohio/Lake Erie</b>
	76	Jacob Gragg	6-3	300	Jr.	Tuscaloosa, Ala./Northside
<b>XR</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Corintheus Edmonds</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Hampton, Ga./Lovejoy HS</b>
	84	Calvin Lockett	6-2	190	So.	Largo, Fla./Univ. of Iowa
<b>HR</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>Todd Lee Battle</b>	<b>6-0</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>Jr.</b>	<b>Birmingham, Ala./Ramsay HS</b>
	82	Robbie Evans	5-8	190	Jr.	Boynton Bch., Fla./Calvary Christ.
<b>YR</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Dohnte Meyers</b>	<b>5-10</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Duluth, Ga./Presbyterian College</b>
	88	Vincent Wilkerson	6-2	205	Sr.	Milwaukee, Wisc./College of DuPage
<b>ZR</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>Oakley Coleman</b>	<b>6-4</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>So.</b>	<b>Mobile, Ala./McGill-Toolen HS</b>
	80	Jaylen Green	6-0	175	So.	Norcross, Ga./Norcross HS
<b>TE</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Chancie Tidwell</b>	<b>6-1</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>Jr.</b>	<b>Jackson, Miss./Jones JC</b>
	14	Adam Duncan	6-5	231	Jr.	Ft. Worth, Texas/Trinity Valley CC
	19	Katerian LeGrone	6-3	235	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga./Nebraska

## DEFENSE

<b>LE</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>Zane Samuel</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Tuscaloosa, Ala./Paul Bryant</b>
	32	Zarrian Billings	6-1	220	Sr.	Florence, Ala./Florence HS
<b>N</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>Stanley Talley</b>	<b>6-1</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Montgomery, Ala./Carver HS</b>
	51	Tahj Perry	6-0	275	Sr.	College Park, Ga./Creekside HS
<b>DT</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>Tim Williams, Jr.</b>	<b>6-4</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>So.</b>	<b>Greenville, Miss./NW Miss. CC</b>
	57	Derrick Billings	6-3	23-	So.	Snellville, Ga./So. Gwinnett HS
<b>BAN</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Marvin Terry</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Dallas, Texas/Trinity Valley CC</b>
	30	Dominique Killens	6-2	207	Sr.	Jacksonville, Fla./Trinity Christ. Acad.
<b>MLB</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>Dante Williams</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>Jr.</b>	<b>Bossier City, La./Louisiana Tech</b>
	35	Tamos Stevenson	5-11	220	Sr.	Goodman, Miss./Southwest Miss. CC
<b>SLB</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>Manny Barber</b>	<b>6-4</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>Jr.</b>	<b>Chicago, Ill./Jones JC</b>
	38	Adrian Hill	6-0	190	Jr.	Hoover, Ala./Hoover HS
<b>D</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>Jaquan Henderson</b>	<b>6-0</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Grand Prairie, Texas/So. Grand Prairie HS</b>
	13	Bernard Thomas	6-2	213	Jr.	Starkville, Miss./Miss. Gulf Coast CC
<b>LC</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Junior Faulk</b>	<b>6-1</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Jayess, Miss./SW Miss. CC</b>
	23	Sirvares Snow	5-10	170	Sr.	Newton, Miss./Pearl River CC
<b>R</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Sherrod Paige</b>	<b>6-2</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>Jr.</b>	<b>Tampa, Fla./Northern Arizona Univ.</b>
	4	Tim Hall	6-0	185	Jr.	St. Louis, Mo./Missouri Western
<b>FS</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>Ty Woods</b>	<b>5-10</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Birmingham, Ala./Pinson Valley HS</b>
	24	Lamarques Thomas	6-0	180	Sr.	Jackson, Miss./Univ. of Louisville
<b>RC</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>Dayreke Snow</b>	<b>6-1</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Newton, Miss./Pearl River CC</b>
	21	Patrick Lee	5-10	185	R-Fr.	Baton Rouge, La./Broadmore Sr. HS

## SPECIAL TEAMS

<b>K</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>Connor Martelli</b>	<b>6-0</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>Fr.</b>	<b>Castle Rock, Colo./Douglas Co. HS</b>
	39	Parker Burleson	5-11	180	So.	Mathiston, Miss./East Webster HS
<b>P</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>Parker Burleson</b>	<b>5-11</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>So.</b>	<b>Mathiston, Miss./East Webster HS</b>
	40	Connor Martelli	6-0	170	Fr.	Castle Rock, Colo./Douglas Co. HS
<b>LS</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>Jack Dunphy</b>	<b>5-10</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>So.</b>	<b>Benton, La./Benton HS</b>
<b>H</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>Cole Kirk</b>	<b>6-1</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>So.</b>	<b>Selmer, Tenn./McNairy Central HS</b>
	82	Robbie Evans	5-8	190	Fr.	Boynton Beach, Fla./Calvary Christian
<b>KR</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>Kory Gainwell</b>	<b>5-8</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>Fr.</b>	<b>Benton, Miss./Univ. of Memphis</b>
	1	Dohnte Meyers	5-10	175	Sr.	Duluth, Ga./Presbyterian College
<b>PR</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Dohnte Meyers</b>	<b>5-10</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Duluth, Ga./Presbyterian College</b>
	82	Robbie Evans	5-8	190	Fr.	Boynton Beach, Fla./Calvary Christian

# DANTE WILLIAMS 33

6-2 | SR. | BOSSIER CITY, LA.

► Two-year starter at linebacker for the Statesmen after transferring from Louisiana Tech. In 2018, Williams played in all 10 games for the Statesmen, making six starts. He recorded a career-high 50 tackles with 7.0 tackles-for-loss and 1.0 sack. Tied his career-high of eight tackles versus North Greenville and West Alabama while tallying seven stops, including a tackle-for-loss against Shorter.



## DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY NUMERICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CL	HOMETOWN	PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Marvin Terry	LB	6-2	220	Gr.	Dallas, Texas	Trinity Valley CC
1	Dohnte Meyers	WR	5-10	175	Sr.	Duluth, Ga.	Presbyterian College
2	Rico Owens II	RB	5-10	213	Gr.	Greenwood, Miss.	Copiah Lincoln CC
3	Sherrrod Paige	DB	6-2	195	Jr.	Tampa, Fla.	Northern Arizona University
4	Tim Hall	DB	6-0	185	Gr.	St. Louis, Mo.	Missouri Western State
5	Deion Dampier	RB	5-10	212	R-Sr.	Pinola, Miss.	Copiah-Lincoln CC
6	Junior Faulk	DB	6-1	200	Gr.	Jayess, Miss.	Southwest Mississippi CC
7	Patrick Shegog	QB	5-11	185	R-Jr.	Batesville, Miss.	South Panola HS
8	Dayreke Snow	DB	6-1	195	Gr.	Newton, Miss.	Mississippi Gulf Coast CC
9	Todd Lee Battle	WR	6-0	185	Jr.	Birmingham, Ala.	Ramsay HS
10	Jaquan Henderson	DB	6-1	211	Sr.	Covington, Ga.	Georgia Tech
11	Tyler Kennedy	WR	5-10	185	Jr.	Moreno Valley, Calif.	Southern Mississippi
12	Corintheus Edmonds	WR	6-2	195	Sr.	Hampton, Ga.	Lovejoy HS
13	Bernard Thomas	DB	6-2	213	Jr.	Starkville, Miss.	Mississippi Gulf Coast CC
14	Adam Duncan	TE	6-5	231	Jr.	Fort Worth, Texas	Trinity Valley CC
15	Nick Felice	QB	6-4	200	Fr.	Lithia, Fla.	Plant City HS
16	Chancie Tidwell	TE	6-1	230	Jr.	Jackson, Miss.	Jones College
17	John Boyd	DB	6-2	220	Sr.	Atlanta, Ga.	Clemson University
18	Cole Kirk	QB	6-1	179	So.	Selmer, Tenn.	McNairy Central HS
19	Katerian LeGrone	TE	6-3	235	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga.	Nebraska
20	Ty Woods	DB	5-10	175	R-Sr.	Birmingham, Ala.	Pinson Valley HS
21	Patrick Lee Jr.	DB	5-10	185	Rf.	Baton Rouge, La.	Broadmoor Senior HS
22	Kory Gainwell	RB	5-8	180	Fr.	Benton, Miss.	University of Memphis
23	Sirvares Snow	DB	5-10	170	Sr.	Newton, Miss.	Pearl River CC
24	Lamarques Thomas	DB	6-0	180	Sr.	Jackson, Miss.	University of Louisville
25	Joseph Stone III	DB	5-7	175	Gr.	Holly Springs, Miss.	Holly Springs HS
26	Ty Goldsmith	DB	5-10	175	R-Jr.	Hoover, Ala.	Hoover HS
27	Brandon Williams	DB	5-10	190	R-So.	Lafayette, La.	Delhi HS
28	Jamarcus Ellison	RB	5-9	185	R-Sr.	Birmingham, Ala.	Ramsay HS
29	Jaylan Wilson	DB	6-0	190	Sr.	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	Pearl River CC
30	Dominique Killens Jr.	LB	6-2	207	R-Sr.	Jacksonville, Fla.	Trinity Christian Academy
31	BJ Jones	DB	6-2	190	Fr.	Citronelle, Ala.	Citronelle HS
32	Chris Sehring	LB	6-3	215	R-So.	Baton Rouge, La.	St. Michael the Archangel HS
33	Dante Williams	LB	6-2	255	Gr.	Bossier City, La.	Louisiana Tech
34	Emanuel Barber	LB	6-1	250	Gr.	Chicago, Ill.	Jones JC
35	Tamos Stevenson	LB	5-11	220	Sr.	Goodman, Miss.	Southwest Mississippi CC
36	John Valesco	LB	6-2	235	Gr.	Miami, Fla.	East Mississippi CC
37	Zane Samuel	DL	6-3	220	Gr.	Tuscaloosa, Ala.	Paul Bryant HS
38	Adrian Hill	LB	6-0	190	R-Jr.	Hoover, Ala.	Hoover HS
39	Parker Burleson	PK	5-11	180	So.	Mathiston, Miss.	East Webster HS
40	Connor Mantelli	K/P	6-0	170	Fr.	Castle Rock, Colo.	Douglas Country HS
41	Jarred Singleton	RB	5-7	185	Jr.	Farmerville, La.	Union Parish HS
42	Zarrian Billings	DL	6-1	220	Sr.	Florence, Ala.	Florence HS
43	Davontre Henderson	LB	6-0	215	Sr.	Grand Prairie, Texas	South Grand Prairie HS
44	Anthony Echols	LB	6-1	200	R-So.	Benton, La.	Benton HS
45	Drew Swatzell	LB	5-9	200	R-So.	Huntsville, Ala.	Huntsville HS
46	Jack Dunphy	LS	5-10	210	R-So.	Vestavia Hills, Ala.	Ellsworth CC
47	Tim Williams Jr.	DL	6-4	245	R-Sr.	Greenville, Miss.	Northwest Miss. CC
48	T.J. Butler	WR	5-7	180	So.	Chicago, Ill.	Dwight D. Eisenhower HS
49	Stanley Harrison	DL	6-4	230	Gr.	Immokalee, Fla.	Newberry College
50	Kaleb Robinson	OL	6-3	280	Sr.	Lexington, Miss.	Copiah-Lincoln CC
51	Tahj Perry	DL	6-0	275	Sr.	College Park, Ga.	Creekside HS
52	John Tate	LS	5-10	200	Sr.	Kosciusko, Miss.	Hinds CC

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS
34	Emanuel Barber	LB
9	Todd Lee Battle	WR
57	Derrick Billings	DL
42	Zarrian Billings	DL
17	John Boyd	DB
39	Parker Burleson	PK
48	T.J. Butler	WR
78	Innis Claud V	OL
63	Zach Cleveland	OL
81	Oakley Coleman	WR
5	Deion Dampier	RB
14	Adam Duncan	TE
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28	Jamarcus Ellison	RB
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22	Kory Gainwell	RB
26	Ty Goldsmith	DB
76	Jacob Gragg	OL
80	Jaylen Green	WR
4	Tim Hall	DB
49	Stanley Harrison	DL
58	Jaylen Heffner	LB
43	Davontre Henderson	LB
10	Jaquan Henderson	DB
87	Torrey Hendrix	WR
38	Adrian Hill	LB
62	Keshawn Jennings	OL
31	BJ Jones	DB
65	Jason Judge	OL
11	Tyler Kennedy	WR
30	Dominique Killens Jr.	LB
18	Cole Kirk	QB
21	Patrick Lee Jr.	DB
19	Katerian LeGrone	TE
84	Calvin Lockett	WR
60	Ja'Qualan Lumpkin	OL
40	Connor Mantelli	K/P
73	Nicolas Melsop	OL
1	Dohnte Meyers	WR
53	Ervin Mincey	DL
71	Damon Moore	OL
59	Tristan Moseley	OL
2	Rico Owens II	RB
3	Sherrrod Paige	DB
51	Tahj Perry	DL
50	Kaleb Robinson	OL
37	Zane Samuel	DL
66	Gabe Schweitzer	OL
32	Chris Sehring	LB

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58	Jaylen Heffner	LB	6-3	230	So.	Sardis, Miss.	Hinds CC
59	Tristan Moseley	OL	6-4	310	Gr.	Cleveland, Miss.	Copiah-Lincoln CC
60	Ja'Qualan Lumpkin	OL	6-2	305	Fr.	Thomaston, Ga.	Upson-Lee HS
62	Keshawn Jennings	OL	6-1	282	Jr.	Marietta, Ga.	South Cobb HS
63	Zach Cleveland	OL	6-6	270	Fr.	Albany, Ga.	Lee County HS
64	Jakob Welch	OL	6-3	290	Jr.	Winona, Miss.	Northeast Miss. CC
65	Jason Judge	OL	6-5	325	Sr.	Jackson, Miss.	Copiah-Lincoln CC
66	Gabe Schweitzer	OL	6-3	290	So.	Calera, Ala.	Calera HS
68	George Walker	OL	6-3	270	Fr.	Lithia Springs, Ga.	South Cobb HS
71	Damon Moore	OL	6-5	285	Sr.	Birmingham, Ala.	Clay-Chalkville HS
73	Nicolas Melsop	OL	6-7	305	R-Sr.	Columbus, Ohio	Lake Erie College
76	Jacob Gragg	OL	6-3	300	Gr.	Tuscaloosa, Ala.	Northside HS
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54	Demetrius Swilley	DL
56	Stanley Talley	DL
52	John Tate	LS
0	Marvin Terry	LB
13	Bernard Thomas	DB
24	Lamarques Thomas	DB
16	Chancie Tidwell	TE
36	John Valesco	LB
68	George Walker	OL
64	Jakob Welch	OL
88	Vincent Wilkerson	WR
47	Tim Williams Jr.	DL
27	Brandon Williams	DB
33	Dante Williams	LB
29	Jaylan Wilson	DB
83	Tremell Withrow	WR
20	Ty Woods	DB

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## ASSISTANT COACHES & SUPPORT PERSONNEL



**KELVIN GREEN**  
Defensive Coordinator  
Clemson (2009)  
Seventh Year



**JONATHAN FLETCHER**  
Offensive Coordinator/OL  
Knox (2011)  
Seventh Year



**TYLER HASTY**  
Quarterbacks  
Guilford (2011)  
Seventh Year



**GEOFF TERRY**  
Secondary  
Buffalo (2001)  
First Year



**CHRIS WEST**  
Defensive Line  
Valdosta State ()  
First Year



**MARCUS WINDHAM**  
Wide Receivers  
Southwest Baptist (2014)  
First Year



**TRISTIAN SPEER**  
Running Backs  
xxx (xxx)  
First Year



**BLAKE CRANDALL**  
Linbackers  
Southern Mississippi (2017)  
First Year



**MARK HATCHER**  
Defensive Backs  
xxx (xxx)  
First Year



**ASHLY SALOMONSKY**  
Offensive Line  
North Alabama (xxx)  
First Year



**SAM RAYBURN**  
Defensive Line  
Univ. of Mississippi (2019)  
First Year



**JAY THOMASON**  
Life Skills/FCA  
Third Year



**FRED SINGTON**  
Coord. Sports Information  
Troy (1992)  
Thirteenth Year



**CODY CLARK**  
Coord. Athletic Communications  
Delta State (2017)  
Nineteenth Year



**PHILIP TANG**  
Assistant/Communications  
Union (2013)  
Eighth Year



**RYAN ZIMMERMAN**  
Assistant/Communications  
Delta State (2018)  
First Year



**KEENAN DAVIS**  
Assistant Communications  
Delta State (2020)  
First Year



**ABBY HAVARD**  
Asst. AD/Sports Medicine  
Southern Miss. (2010)  
Eighth Year



**ANDREW HAIER**  
Sports Medicine Grant Coord.  
Massachusetts College (2017)  
Fourth Year



**KATHERIN KRATZER**  
Asst. Director/Sports Medicine  
Troy University (2021)  
First Year



**KEVIN RODRIGUEZ**  
Head Strength & Conditioning  
TAMU-Kingsville (2016)  
Third Year



**MITCHELL HULSE**  
Asst. Strength & Conditioning  
XXXe (XX)  
First Year



**SIANNA DeCARLI**  
Asst. Strength & Conditioning  
XXXe (XX)  
First Year



**CHRIS WEATHERLY**  
Asst. Strength & Conditioning  
XXX (xxx)  
First Year/hatchery

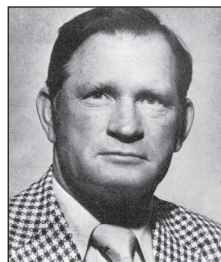


## PARKER FIELD @ MCCOOL STADIUM

- ▶ One of the Gulf South Conference's oldest and most historic venues, Travis E. Parker Field at Horace L. McCool Stadium has served as the home of the Statesmen since it opened in 1970. Delta State has enjoyed tremendous success at Parker-McCool under its last four coaches, posting an impressive 83-31 record.
- ▶ Formerly known as Delta Field and Travis E. Parker Field, the 8,500 seat stadium was completed in time for the 1970 season. In 1984, the field was renamed to honor former Mississippi Institutions of Higher Learning Board of Trustees member, Travis E. Parker, a tireless supporter of Delta State University and Delta area communities.
- ▶ In 2007, DSU honored long-time coach and administrator Horace McCool by naming the stadium in his honor. McCool was 76-48-3 in 14 seasons as head coach of the Statesmen and was instrumental in running the Department of Athletics as Director of Athletics. During his time as AD, McCool helped revive Lady Statesmen basketball, which blossomed into a national power under the legendary Margaret Wade.
- ▶ The current facility replaced the "old" Delta Field, which is located between Sillers Coliseum and the Hugh Ellis Walker Alumni-Foundation House on the Delta State campus. The Statesmen have enjoyed a 247-125-15 mark at home.
- ▶ The two-level press facility includes booths for radio, film, coaches, and working press, as well as to a snack kitchen and restroom. The press box is completely enclosed, with the exception of the second-level film deck, and is climate controlled for year-round comfort and convenience.
- ▶ Parker-McCool has gone through several recent renovations, including the installation of artificial turf in the summer of 2014, a press box revitalization project in May of 2013, and the addition of a new scoreboard/video board in the fall of 2008. Past additions have included the chairback seats in 1993 and the creation of a picnic area in the southwest corner of Parker Field in 2001.
- ▶ In the summer of 2014, Delta State began construction on a new visitor's concession stand and bathroom on the southeast corner of Parker-McCool.
- ▶ In his first season as head coach of the Statesmen, coach Todd Cooley led Delta State to a perfect 4-0 record at Parker-McCool. The Nashville, Arkansas native is the first head coach since Ron Roberts to go undefeated at home in his first season at DSU.
- ▶ Delta State has an 8-2 (.800) record in NCAA Division II postseason play.
- ▶ The Statesmen went 2-0 at Parker-McCool in the 2000 NCAA playoffs en route to the national championship. DSU defeated Valdosta State (49-12) and North Dakota State (34-16) at home with road wins over Catawba (20-14) and Bloomsburg (63-34) in the NCAA title game.
- ▶ Trevar Deed set a DSU postseason record with 16 receptions for 203 yards and four touchdowns in a 55-34 loss to North Alabama in the second round of the 2008 NCAA Division II playoffs at Parker-McCool.
- ▶ In DSU's 45-7 victory over Shaw University in the first round of the 2007 NCAA playoffs, senior linebacker and Harlon Hill finalist Michael Eubanks set a new NCAA DII single-game sack record with five versus the Hawks.

## PARKER FIELD-MCCOOL STADIUM TOP 10 CROWDS

OPPONENT	DATE	ATTENDANCE	RESULT
North Alabama	9-18-04	9,023	W, 28-21
North Alabama	9-22-12	8,943	L, 12-20
Central State	9-27-14	8,765	W, 72-8
KY Wesleyan	9-19-15	8,551	W, 51-18
West Alabama	11-5-11	8,522	W, 36-34
Florida Tech	9-28-13	8,012	W, 52-31
<b>West Alabama</b>	<b>10-7-17</b>	<b>7,856</b>	<b>L, 29-26</b>
Quachita Baptist	10-1-11	7,755	W, 45-14
Mississippi Valley St.	9-8-01	7,635	W, 25-3
Henderson State	9-25-10	7,333	W, 41-37



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## STATESMEN AT PARKER-MCCOOL

➔ Since 2001, DSU has 20 games of 7,000+ at home

YEAR	W	L	T	NOTES
1970	3	1	1	
1971	2	2	0	
1972	4	1	0	
1973	4	2	0	
1974	5	0	0	
1975	2	2	0	
1976	2	2	1	
1977	2	3	0	
1978	3	2	0	
1979	2	3	0	
1980	3	3	0	
1981	1	3	0	
1982	3	3	0	
1983	2	2	0	
1984	3	1	1	
1985	3	2	1	
1986	2	2	1	
1987	3	2	0	
1988	2	2	1	
1989	3	1	0	
1990	2	2	0	
1991	2	3	0	
1992	1	2	1	
1993	2	3	0	
1994	3	1	1	
1995	3	2	0	
1996	3	1	0	
1997	0	5	0	
1998	4	0	0	0-1 NCAA Playoffs
1999	3	1	0	
2000	6	0	0	2-0 NCAA Playoffs
2001	3	3	0	
2002	3	1	0	
2003	4	2	0	
2004	3	1	0	
2005	4	1	0	
2006	5	1	0	
2007	4	0	0	
2008	6	1	0	1-1 NCAA Playoffs
2009	4	0	0	
2010	6	2	0	2-0 NCAA Playoffs
2011	7	0	0	2-0 NCAA Playoffs
2012	1	4	0	
2013	4	0	0	
2014	5	1	0	0-1 NCAA Playoffs
2015	3	4	0	
2016	2	4	0	
2017	4	2	0	
2018	2	3	0	
<b>2019</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Overall</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8-3   NCAA playoffs</b>

## NCAA PLAYOFF GAMES AT PARKER-MCCOOL

YEAR	OPPONENT	RESULT	SCORE
1998	Fort Valley State (1st)	L	14-21
2000	Valdosta State (1st)	W	49-12
2000	North Dakota State (Semis.)	W	34-16
2007	Shaw (1st)	W	45-7
2008	Tusculum (2nd)	W	27-19
2008	North Alabama (Qtrs.)	L	34-55
2010	North Alabama (1st)	W	47-24
2010	Shepherd (Semis.)	W	29-17
2011	North Alabama (2nd)	W	42-14
2011	North Greenville (Qtrs.)	W	28-23
2014	West Georgia (2nd)	L	27-37
<b>Total Games (11)</b>		<b>8-3</b>	

### RECORD VERSUS ALL OPPONENTS

SCHOOL	W	L	T	PF	PA
Abilene Christian University	0	1	0	28	34
Alabama, University of	0	1	0	0	89
Albany State University	2	0	0	68	7
Arkansas College	1	0	0	46	0
*Arkansas-Monticello	28	5	0	1057	441
Gulf South	13	2	0	516	239
Arkansas State	4	4	1	167	131
*Arkansas Tech	12	7	0	530	444
Gulf South	9	6	0	399	325
Austin Peay State	2	2	0	83	79
Belhaven College	1	0	0	55	18
Bethel College	6	4	1	226	86
Bloomburg (PA) University	1	0	0	63	34
Bowie State	1	0	0	45	35
Catawba	1	0	0	24	14
Centenary College	1	0	0	63	0
*Central Arkansas	5	11	1	326	402
Gulf South	2	6	0	156	225
Central State (Ohio)	1	0	0	72	8
Chowan (N.C.)	1	0	0	42	13
Cleveland Independents	1	0	0	6	0
College of the Ozarks	1	0	0	47	0
Concordia-College	2	0	0	150	6
Cumberland University	2	1	0	84	48
East Central Oklahoma	2	0	0	43	19
Eastern Illinois	1	1	0	50	27
Elizabeth City State	3	0	0	71	38
Elon College	0	1	0	21	24
Evansville College	0	1	0	6	19
Florida State	0	1	0	0	32
*Florida Tech	4	3	0	247	213
Gulf South	4	3	0	247	213
Fort Benning (Ga.)	1	0	0	20	3
Fort Valley State	3	2	0	168	79
Freed-Hardeman (Tenn)	0	1	0	0	7
Grand Valley State	0	3	0	64	98
Greenville Independents	0	1	0	0	21
*Harding University	10	1	1	445	257
Gulf South	8	1	0	365	186
*Henderson State	20	4	1	705	402
Gulf South	12	3	1	438	274
Hendrix College	0	3	0	12	30
Hinds Junior College	2	0	0	28	7
Holmes Junior College	2	0	0	51	19
Illinois-Chicago Circle	1	0	0	84	0
Indianapolis	0	1	0	18	33
Jackson State	1	1	0	44	45
*Jacksonville State	8	22	1	537	732
Gulf South	2	18	1	344	588
Kentucky Wesleyan	2	0	0	101	47
Lambuth University	6	6	0	216	154
Liberty Baptist	2	0	0	47	21
Louisiana College	8	8	2	214	212
Louisiana Tech	0	3	0	7	80
Memphis Naval Air Station	1	0	0	75	6
Memphis (e)	4	9	1	98	195
Merchant Marine Academy	1	0	0	19	0
McNeese State	0	1	0	27	52
Middle Tennessee State	1	2	0	31	33
Millsaps College	5	10	0	136	280
Millsaps Freshmen	0	1	0	6	27
Minnesota-Duluth	0	1	0	17	20
*Mississippi College	22	16	2	728	641
Gulf South	16	12	1	542	501
Mississippi College "B"	0	0	1	0	0
Miss. College Freshmen	0	1	0	6	18
Mississippi Delta JC	5	4	1	112	115
Mississippi State	0	1	0	0	39
Mississippi Valley State	4	1	0	155	68

SCHOOL	W	L	T	PF	PA
Murray State	3	3	2	97	123
+ Nicholls State	5	3	1	169	132
Gulf South	4	2	1	144	84
*North Alabama	26	34	1	1211	1376
Gulf South	23	32	1	813	1099
North Carolina Central	1	0	0	24	17
North Dakota	0	1	0	19	28
North Dakota State	1	1	0	47	32
*North Greenville	3	1	0	115	86
Gulf South	2	1	0	54	42
Northeast Louisiana	8	12	0	237	373
Northwest Junior College	10	1	0	405	38
+ Northwestern State	2	14	0	156	397
Gulf South	2	1	0	66	25
Ole Miss Freshmen	0	2	0	2	20
+ Ouachita Baptist	18	4	0	519	319
Gulf South	7	2	0	228	165
Parsons (Iowa) College	0	1	0	18	19
Pittsburg State	1	1	0	67	80
Quantico (Va.) Marines	0	2	0	16	30
Rhodes College	0	1	0	0	32
Rhodes Freshmen	3	0	0	47	0
Ruleville Independents	0	1	0	2	12
Sam Houston State University	0	1	0	31	38
Samford University	4	7	0	173	192
Shaw	1	0	0	45	7
Shepherd University	1	0	0	29	17
*Shorter University	7	1	0	316	141
Gulf South	7	1	0	316	141
Southeast Missouri	23	4	1	645	341
+ Southeastern Louisiana	5	8	0	147	273
Gulf South	3	4	0	74	115
Southeastern Oklahoma State	1	1	0	27	31
Southern Illinois University	1	0	0	24	16
Southern Mississippi	3	10	1	131	340
+ Southern Arkansas	17	7	0	531	323
Gulf South	9	4	0	202	186
Southwest Baptist	1	0	0	20	0
Southwest Missouri State	1	1	0	73	34
Southwest Texas State	0	1	0	10	17
Southwestern Louisiana	1	4	0	68	91
Spring Hill College (Ala.)	1	0	0	12	7
Stephen F. Austin State Univ.	2	5	0	86	178
Tampa, University of	3	4	0	148	172
Tarleton State University	3	1	0	123	131
Tennessee-Martin JC	1	3	0	46	71
+ Tennessee-Martin, Univ. of	22	13	0	728	533
Gulf South	12	8	0	435	337
Texas-Arlington	0	1	0	8	19
Texas A&M-Commerce	3	4	0	186	198
Texas A&M-Kingsville	0	1	0	17	28
Texas State	0	1	0	25	32
+ Troy State (Ala.)	19	21	0	649	720
Gulf South	7	13	0	316	474
Tupelo Military Institute	0	1	0	6	13
Tusculum	2	0	0	51	29
Union (Tenn.) University	1	4	0	43	74
*Valdosta State (Ga.)	20	18	1	1,000	1,233
Gulf South	20	17	1	1,000	1,233
*West Alabama	36	27	3	1,716	1,274
Gulf South	26	19	2	1,215	1,010
West Chester (Pa.) State	0	1	0	28	31
*West Florida	2	2	0	97	144
Gulf South	2	2	0	97	144
*West Georgia	20	14	0	1,045	745
Gulf South	19	13	0	1,015	707
West Virginia Tech	1	0	0	61	0
Western Kentucky	1	4	0	57	135
William Carey (MS) College	0	1	0	7	19

LEGEND: Bold denotes 2018 opponents | \* Denotes current Gulf South members | +Denotes former GSC members

# LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

AS OF SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

STATISTIC	PLAYER/OPPONENT
100 Yards Rushing:	154, Breck Ruddick vs. West Georgia, Nov. 9, 2019
150 Yards Rushing:	154, Breck Ruddick vs. West Georgia, Nov. 9, 2019
200 Yards Rushing:	210, Chris Robinson vs. Florida Tech, Nov. 11, 2017
300 Yards Rushing:	316, Greg Walker vs. West Alabama, Oct. 23, 1996
20 Rushing Attempts:	21, Deion Dampier vs. Florida Tech, Sept. 21, 2019
30 Rushing Attempts:	31, Chris Robinson @ Bowie State, Nov. 18, 2017
40 Rushing Attempts:	42, Greg Walker @ West Alabama, Oct. 23, 1993
Three Rushing Touchdowns:	3, Chris Robinson @ Bowie State, Nov. 18, 2017
Four Rushing Touchdowns:	4, Chris Robinson vs. Florida Tech, Nov. 11, 2017
Five Rushing Touchdowns:	5, Chris Robinson vs. West Florida, Oct. 15, 2016
70-Yard Run:	73, Ric Owens, II @ North Greenville, Sept. 28, 201
80-Yard Run:	81, Trevar Deed @ North Alabama, Oct. 15, 2009
90-Yard Run:	90, Rico Owens, II @ Shorter, Nov. 2, 201
Two Players Rushing For 100 Yards:	144, Chris Robinson @ Bowie State, Nov. 18, 2017
	164, Breck Ruddick @ Bowie State, Nov. 18, 2017
300 Yards Passing:	319, Patrick Shegog vs. Shorter, Oct. 25, 2018
350 Yards Passing:	382, Tyler Sullivan at West Alabama, Oct. 8, 2016
400 Yards Passing:	491, Tyler Cameron vs. West Alabama, Oct. 24, 2015
500 Yards Passing:	502, Tyler Sullivan @ Valdosta State, Sept. 20, 2014
20 Pass Completions:	26, Breck Ruddick @ Shorter, Nov. 2, 201
30 Pass Completions:	30, Breck Ruddick @ North Greenville, Sept. 28, 2019
40 Pass Completions:	40, Breck Ruddick vs. Valdosta State, Oct. 12, 2019
30 Pass Attempts:	33, Patrick Shegog @ Florida Tech, Sept. 15, 2018
40 Pass Attempts:	44, Patrick Shegog vs. North Greenville, Sept. 22, 2018
50 Pass Attempts:	52, Tyler Sullivan vs. Florida Tech, Oct. 3, 2015
60 Pass Attempts:	64, Tyler Sullivan @ Valdosta State, Sept. 20, 2014
70 Pass Attempts:	73, Tyler Sullivan @ West Georgia, Oct. 18, 2014
Four Touchdown Passes:	4, Tyler Sullivan @ West Alabama, Oct. 8, 2016
Five Touchdown Passes:	5, Tyler Sullivan vs. Valdosta State, Nov. 7, 2015
Three Interceptions Thrown:	3, Breck Ruddick @ North Alabama, Oct. 28, 2017
Four Interceptions Thrown:	4 Garrett DeWitt @ West Alabama, Oct. 10, 2009
300 Yards Total Offense:	359 vs. Valdosta State, Oct. 12, 2019
400 Yards Total Offense:	462 vs. Florida Tech, Sept. 21, 201
500 Yards Total Offense:	510 @ Shorter, Nov. 2, 201
600 Yards Total Offense:	614 vs. West Alabama, Oct. 24, 2015
700 Yards Total Offense:	711, @ Lambuth, Nov. 13, 2010
100 Yards Receiving:	102, Tony Daggett vs. Shorter, Oct. 25, 2018
150 Yards Receiving:	175, Chris Robinson at West Alabama, Oct. 8, 2016
200 Yards Receiving:	203, Trevar Deed vs. North Alabama, Nov. 29, 2008
Back-to-Back Games With 100 Yards Receiving:	Chris Robinson 175 @ West Alabama, Oct. 8, 2016
	100 vs. West Florida, Oct. 15, 2016
Three Players with 100 Yards Receiving:	Delta State vs. West Alabama, Oct. 24, 2015
10 Receptions:	12, Casey Osborne @ West Georgia, Oct. 18, 2014

STATISTIC	PLAYER/OPPONENT
70-Yard Reception:	74, Leon Green vs. Shorter, Oct. 25, 2018
80-Yard Reception:	80, Ricky Hunt vs. Concordia, Nov. 8, 2014
90-Yard Reception:	93, James Grubbs vs. West Alabama, Sep 15, 2001
150 All-Purpose Yards:	190, Chris Robinson @ Bowie State, Nov. 18, 2017
200 All-Purpose Yards:	227, Chris Robinson @ North Greenville, Nov. 4, 2017
250 All-Purpose Yards:	373, Trevar Deed vs. West Georgia, Nov. 7, 2009
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350 All-Purpose Yards:	373, Trevar Deed vs. West Georgia, Nov. 7, 2009
100+ Kickoff Return Yards:	112, Ladarion Peterson vs. North Alabama, Oct. 28, 2017
Three Touchdowns Receiving:	3, Casey Osborne @ Fort Valley State, Sept. 6, 2014
Four Touchdowns Receiving:	4, Trevar Deed vs. North Alabama, Nov. 29, 2008
Rushing TD & Receiving TD:	Chris Robinson @ North Greenville, Nov. 4, 2017
Kickoff Return For Touchdown:	Ladarion Peterson at West Alabama, Oct. 8, 2016
Rushing TD, Receiving TD, & Kickoff Return For TD:	Jeremy Ricks vs. West Georgia, Oct. 27, 2007
Punt Return For TD:	Darren Gardenhire, 35 yards vs. Shorter, Oct. 25, 2018
10 Tackles:	0, Roderick Jarrett vs. West Georgia, Nov. 9, 2019
wo Sacks:	2, Marvin Terry vs. West Georgia, Nov. 9, 2019
Three Sacks:	3, Erin Brown vs. Shorter, Sept. 24, 2016
Five Sacks:	5, Ovenson Cledanord vs. Chowan, Sep. 9, 2017
Multiple Interceptions:	2, Ovenson Cledanord vs. Shorter, Oct. 25, 2018
Interception Returned For TD:	Darren Gardenhire, 74 yards vs. Shorter, Oct. 25, 2018
Interception & Fumble Recovery:	Decory McGee vs. Mississippi College, Sept. 29, 2016
Two Forced Fumbles:	4, Ovenson Cledanord vs. Chowan, Sep. 9, 2017
Two Fumble Recoveries:	2, Jamel Dennis & Keijne Thomas @ Shorter Univeristy, Oct. 10, 2015
Fumble Return For TD:	Fumble Return For TD: Marvin Terry (8 yards) vs. West Georgia, Nov. 9, 2019
Blocked FG:	Kevin White @ West Florida, Oct. 14, 2017
Blocked FG for TD:	Kevin White/Johnquavious McBride @ West Florida, Oct. 14, 2017
Fake Punt for TD:	Kelon Wilson (55 yards) vs. North Greenville, Sept. 22, 2018
Blocked Punt:	Earnest Butler & Kevin White @ Bowie State, Nov. 18, 2017
Blocked Punt For TD:	Zane Samuel vs. West Georgia, Sept. 10, 2016
Blocked PAT:	Quantarius Boone @ Tarleton State, Aug. 30, 2018
Safety:	Team Safety vs. vs. Shorter, Oct. 25, 2018
40-Yard FG:	42, Taylor Crabtree vs. North Greenville, Sept. 22, 2018
45-Yard FG:	47, Taylor Crabtree vs. Grand Valley State, Sept. 8, 2018
50-Yard FG:	52, Billy Dorgan @ Central Arkansas, Oct. 28, 2000
Three FGs:	3, Vince Sciorrotta, West Alabama, Oct. 7, 2017
Four FGs:	5, Taylor Crabtree vs. Florida Tech, Sept. 21, 2019
Five FGs:	5, Taylor Crabtree vs. Florida Tech, Sept. 21, 2019
Game-Winning Field Goal:	38 yards, Taylor Crabtree 5, Taylor Crabtree vs. Florida Tech, Sept. 21, 2019
60-Yard Punt:	65 yards, Cody Mills vs. West Florida, Sept. 29, 2018
70-Yard Punt:	76, Cody Mills @ Tarleton State, Aug. 30, 2018

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Delta State Overall Team Statistics (as of Aug 31, 2021)  
All games



Team Statistics	DSU	OPP
SCORING	228	227
Points Per Game	22.8	22.7
Points Off Turnovers	55	40
FIRST DOWNS	187	170
Rushing	100	76
Passing	74	72
Penalty	13	22
RUSHING YARDAGE	1979	1220
Yards gained rushing	2229	1548
Yards lost rushing	250	328
Rushing Attempts	429	346
Average Per Rush	4.6	3.5
Average Per Game	197.9	122.0
TDs Rushing	16	11
PASSING YARDAGE	1595	1872
Comp-Att-Int	199-311-8	141-289-14
Average Per Pass	5.1	6.5
Average Per Catch	8.0	13.3
Average Per Game	159.5	187.2
TDs Passing	7	17
TOTAL OFFENSE	3574	3092
Total Plays	740	635
Average Per Play	4.8	4.9
Average Per Game	357.4	309.2
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	30-674	33-767
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	19-113	15-114
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	14-241	8-84
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	22.5	23.2
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	5.9	7.6
INT RETURN AVERAGE	17.2	10.5
FUMBLES-LOST	19-8	16-6
PENALTIES-Yards	63-574	53-430
Average Per Game	57.4	43.0
PUNTS-Yards	53-2043	58-2169
Average Per Punt	38.5	37.4
Net punt average	36.0	34.4
KICKOFFS-Yards	52-2593	45-2632
Average Per Kick	49.9	58.5
Net kick average	35.1	39.1
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	31:50	28:13
3RD-DOWN Conversions	60/164	38/136
3rd-Down Pct	37%	28%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	13/25	7/18
4th-Down Pct	52%	39%
SACKS BY-Yards	27-168	14-92
MISC YARDS	0	3
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	26	30
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	15-19	6-10
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-1
RED-ZONE SCORES	(30-37) 81%	(20-28) 71%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(16-37) 43%	(14-28) 50%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(25-25) 100%	(27-30) 90%
ATTENDANCE	23285	26556
Games/Avg Per Game	5/4657	5/5311
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Delta State	60	46	81	41	0	228
Opponents	44	73	59	51	0	227



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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Rico Owens II	9	97	646	15	631	6.5	8	90	70.1
Deion Dampier	10	128	558	33	525	4.1	2	40	52.5
Breck Ruddick	9	93	595	100	495	5.3	3	47	55.0
Kelon Wilson	10	40	157	6	151	3.8	2	46	15.1
Patrick Shegog	3	34	189	41	148	4.4	1	40	49.3
Jamarcus Ellison	2	8	23	3	20	2.5	0	6	10.0
Trey Roberson	9	6	20	0	20	3.3	0	6	2.2
Robbie Evans	4	10	18	2	16	1.6	0	5	4.0
Jay Brown	5	2	13	0	13	6.5	0	12	2.6
L.J. Hawkins	10	1	10	0	10	10.0	0	10	1.0
TEAM	8	10	0	50	-50	-5.0	0	0	-6.2
Total	10	429	2229	250	1979	4.6	16	90	197.9
Opponents	10	346	1548	328	1220	3.5	11	70	122.0

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Breck Ruddick	9	108.66	158-237-7	66.7	1155	5	48	128.3
Patrick Shegog	3	106.41	35-65-1	53.8	352	2	33	117.3
Jay Brown	5	167.40	6-8-0	75.0	88	0	48	17.6
TEAM	8	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	10	109.35	199-311-8	64.0	1595	7	48	159.5
Opponents	10	112.92	141-289-14	48.8	1872	17	75	187.2

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
L.J. Hawkins	10	38	329	8.7	1	30	32.9
Tony Daggett	9	23	234	10.2	0	48	26.0
Jalen Browder	8	21	187	8.9	1	33	23.4
Leon Green	9	20	142	7.1	1	15	15.8
Cam Shelton	10	15	111	7.4	1	18	11.1
Deion Dampier	10	14	43	3.1	1	13	4.3
KJ Breland	5	12	122	10.2	1	48	24.4
Rico Owens II	9	12	104	8.7	0	21	11.6
De'Marcus Johnson	10	10	77	7.7	0	22	7.7
Kelon Wilson	10	7	44	6.3	0	16	4.4
Todd Lee Battle	8	6	39	6.5	0	16	4.9
Corintheus Edmonds	5	6	32	5.3	0	13	6.4
Vincent Wilkerson	9	5	30	6.0	1	18	3.3
Ty Harris	10	4	47	11.8	0	24	4.7
Jake McDonald	7	2	30	15.0	0	25	4.3
Jamarcus Ellison	2	2	14	7.0	0	14	7.0
Trey Roberson	9	1	9	9.0	0	9	1.0
Robbie Evans	4	1	1	1.0	0	1	0.2
Total	10	199	1595	8.0	7	48	159.5
Opponents	10	141	1872	13.3	17	75	187.2

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Tim Irvin	13	94	7.2	0	22
Robbie Evans	4	16	4.0	0	9
Joseph Stone III	1	0	0.0	0	0
Vincent Wilkerson	1	3	3.0	0	0
Total	19	113	5.9	0	22
Opponents	15	114	7.6	0	32

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Junior Faulk	9	131	14.6	0	52
Tim Irvin	2	49	24.5	0	28
Jakwon Lipscomb	1	35	35.0	1	35
Tim Hall	1	15	15.0	0	15
Rodrick Jarrett	1	11	11.0	0	11
Total	14	241	17.2	1	52
Opponents	8	84	10.5	1	33

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Trey Roberson	19	449	23.6	0	41
Robbie Evans	8	188	23.5	0	42
Ty Harris	1	24	24.0	0	24
De'Marcus Johnson	1	3	3.0	0	3
Kelon Wilson	1	10	10.0	0	10
Total	30	674	22.5	0	42
Opponents	33	767	23.2	0	78

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Marvin Terry	2	14	7.0	1	8
Kahlil Johnson	0	0	0.0	1	0
Total	2	14	7.0	2	8
Opponents	2	129	64.5	1	97



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Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dpx	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
Taylor Crabtree	-	15-19	25-25	-	-	-	-	-	70
Rico Owens II	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
Deion Dampier	3	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	20
Breck Ruddick	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Kelon Wilson	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Jakwon Lipscomb	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Kahlil Johnson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Marvin Terry	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Vincent Wilkerson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
L.J. Hawkins	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
KJ Breland	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Jalen Browder	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Leon Green	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Patrick Shegog	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Cam Shelton	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	26	15-19	25-25	1-1	-	-	-	-	228
Opponents	30	6-10	27-30	-	-	-	-	1	227

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Breck Ruddick	9	330	495	1155	1650	183.3
Rico Owens II	9	97	631	0	631	70.1
Deion Dampier	10	128	525	0	525	52.5
Patrick Shegog	3	99	148	352	500	166.7
Kelon Wilson	10	40	151	0	151	15.1
Jay Brown	5	10	13	88	101	20.2
Jamarcus Ellison	2	8	20	0	20	10.0
Trey Roberson	9	6	20	0	20	2.2
Robbie Evans	4	10	16	0	16	4.0
L.J. Hawkins	10	1	10	0	10	1.0
TEAM	8	11	-50	0	-50	-6.2
Total	10	740	1979	1595	3574	357.4
Opponents	10	635	1220	1872	3092	309.2

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Taylor Crabtree	15-19	78.9	0-0	8-8	6-9	1-2	0-0	42	2

FG Sequence	Delta State	Opponents
Tusculum University	(24)	42,(36)
Grand Valley State	(42),34,38,42	-
Florida Tech	(28),(24),(33),(31),(38)	-
North Greenville	(29),(24)	50
West Florida	(25)	-
Valdosta State	(37),(22)	(27),35,(35)
West Alabama	-	33
Shorter	(39)	-
West Georgia	35	(33),(32)
Mississippi College	(32),(24)	(26)

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Sam Barge	52	2043	39.3	55	1	18	16	6	1
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	53	2043	38.5	55	1	18	16	6	1
Opponents	58	2169	37.4	59	3	15	14	6	1

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Taylor Crabtree	25	1083	43.3	0	0			
Sam Barge	24	1320	55.0	0	5			
Cayden Reynolds	3	190	63.3	0	0			
Total	52	2593	49.9	0	5	23.2	35.1	29
Opponents	45	2632	58.5	8	3	22.5	39.1	25

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.



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All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Rico Owens II	9	631	104	0	0	0	735	81.7
Deion Dampier	10	525	43	0	0	0	568	56.8
Breck Ruddick	9	495	0	0	0	0	495	55.0
Trey Roberson	9	20	9	0	449	0	478	53.1
L.J. Hawkins	10	10	329	0	0	0	339	33.9
Tony Daggett	9	0	234	0	0	0	234	26.0
Robbie Evans	4	16	1	16	188	0	221	55.2
Kelon Wilson	10	151	44	0	10	0	205	20.5
Jalen Browder	8	0	187	0	0	0	187	23.4
Patrick Shegog	3	148	0	0	0	0	148	49.3
Tim Irvin	10	0	0	94	0	49	143	14.3
Leon Green	9	0	142	0	0	0	142	15.8
Junior Faulk	10	0	0	0	0	131	131	13.1
KJ Breland	5	0	122	0	0	0	122	24.4
Cam Shelton	10	0	111	0	0	0	111	11.1
De'Marcus John	10	0	77	0	3	0	80	8.0
Ty Harris	10	0	47	0	24	0	71	7.1
Todd Lee Battle	8	0	39	0	0	0	39	4.9
Jakwon Lipscom	9	0	0	0	0	35	35	3.9
Jamarcus Elliso	2	20	14	0	0	0	34	17.0
Vincent Wilkerso	9	0	30	3	0	0	33	3.7
Corintheus Edm	5	0	32	0	0	0	32	6.4
Jake McDonald	7	0	30	0	0	0	30	4.3
Tim Hall	10	0	0	0	0	15	15	1.5
Jay Brown	5	13	0	0	0	0	13	2.6
Rodrick Jarrett	10	0	0	0	0	11	11	1.1
TEAM	8	-50	0	0	0	0	-50	-6.2
Total	10	1979	1595	113	674	241	4602	460.2
Opponents	10	1220	1872	114	767	84	4057	405.7



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Delta State Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Aug 31, 2021)  
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##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks		Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot			no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf	
30	Vada King	10	65	19	84	13.5-40	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	
33	Dante Williams	10	36	13	49	6.0-21	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	
1	Tim Irvin	10	35	14	49	1.0-2	.	.	2-49	4	.	.	1	.	.	
15	Marvin Terry	10	38	10	48	13.5-73	6.0-31	.	.	10	.	3-14	3	1	.	
6	Junior Faulk	10	32	5	37	.	.	.	9-131	13	.	1-0	1	.	.	
3	Rodrick Jarrett	10	28	5	33	2.5-4	.	.	1-11	4	.	.	.	.	.	
37	Zane Samuel	10	19	7	26	12.5-63	6.5-41	.	.	1	3	.	1	.	.	
4	Tim Hall	10	20	2	22	2.0-2	.	.	1-15	3	.	.	1	.	.	
92	Kahlil Johnson	10	11	10	21	4.0-37	3.5-33	.	.	1	2	1-0	1	.	.	
49	Eric Sadler	10	18	3	21	11.0-40	6.5-33	.	.	1	5	.	3	.	.	
26	Ty Goldsmith	9	12	8	20	2.0-3	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
13	Chris Pickett	6	14	2	16	2.5-3	1.0-2	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	
20	Ty Woods	9	15	1	16	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
56	Stanley Talley	10	11	5	16	4.0-11	1.0-8	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	
51	Tahj Perry	9	7	7	14	1.0-1	0.5-0	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
32	Ryan Hudkins	8	10	3	13	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	
38	Adrian Hill	8	6	5	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
21	Jakobe Richards	10	9	2	11	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
23	Jakwon Lipscomb	9	9	.	9	2.0-3	.	.	1-35	2	.	.	.	.	.	
8	Dayreke Snow	6	9	.	9	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	
36	John Valesco	8	5	3	8	2.0-6	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
41	Patrick Lee Jr.	5	5	2	7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
47	Tim Williams Jr	7	3	3	6	2.0-6	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	
44	Emanuel Barber	7	5	1	6	1.0-4	1.0-4	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	
39	Joseph Nuttall	7	4	1	5	1.0-15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
25	Joseph Stone III	10	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
31	Robbie Evans	4	3	2	5	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
52	Davontre Henderon	7	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
55	Jaylon Guy	9	5	.	5	2.0-14	2.0-14	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
35	Joseph Minniefield	7	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
80	Todd Lee Battle	8	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
22	Sam Barge	10	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
58	Zarrian Billings	4	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
85	Vincent Wilkerson	9	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	
24	Trey Roberson	9	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
43	Hunter James	10	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
9	Breck Ruddick	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
16	Jalen Browder	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
73	Nicolas Melsop	10	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
86	Taylor Crabtree	10	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
28	Kelon Wilson	10	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
17	Leon Green	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
Total		10	457	141	598	89-356	27-168	14-241	39	36	6-14	11	2	.	.	
Opponents		10	588	255	843	71-229	14-92	8-84	36	18	8-129	10	3	1	.	



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Delta State Team Game-by-Game (as of Aug 31, 2021)  
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TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	
Sep 05	TUSCULUM UNIVERSITY	31	130	1	60	15	165	2	33	15-32-1	165	2	33	2	60	0	42	2	12	0	9	295
Sep 14	at Grand Valley State	51	230	2	40	13	113	0	25	13-24-1	113	0	25	3	68	0	26	3	19	0	10	343
Sep 21	FLORIDA TECH	52	255	1	46	19	207	1	28	19-33-0	207	1	28	3	67	0	27	2	38	0	20	462
Sep 28	at North Greenville	39	224	3	73	25	211	1	23	25-33-1	211	1	23	0	0	0	0	2	-7	0	0	435
Oct 05	at West Florida	39	112	0	25	19	105	0	17	19-28-1	105	0	17	6	121	0	31	3	8	0	8	217
Oct 12	VALDOSTA STATE	33	189	1	47	20	170	0	22	20-40-0	170	0	22	4	104	0	34	0	0	0	0	359
Oct 19	WEST ALABAMA	44	200	1	32	24	129	1	20	24-32-1	129	1	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	329
11-02-201	at Shorter	51	280	2	90	29	230	2	48	29-38-1	230	2	48	2	37	0	22	2	19	0	11	510
Nov 09	WEST GEORGIA	54	254	4	30	9	58	0	14	9-18-1	58	0	14	4	81	0	41	4	21	0	22	312
Nov 16	at Mississippi College	35	105	1	16	26	207	0	48	26-33-1	207	0	48	6	136	0	27	1	3	0	3	312
Delta State		429	1979	16	90	199	1595	7	48	199-311-8	1595	7	48	30	674	0	42	19	113	0	22	3574
		346	1220	11	70	141	1872	17	75	141-289-14	1872	17	75	33	767	0	78	15	114	0	32	3092

Games: 10 • Avg/rush: 4.6 • Avg/catch: 8.0 • Pass effic: 109.35 • KR avg: 22.5 • PR avg: 5.9 • All purpose avg/game: 460.2 • Total offense avg/gm: 357.4

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Sep 05	TUSCULUM UNIVERSIT	50	21	71	7.0-22	3.0-14	0	0-0	2-0	5	6	1	3-3	0	0	0	7	24
Sep 14	at Grand Valley State	23	24	47	6.0-29	2.0-18	0	0-0	3-70	0	3	0	3-3	0	0	0	7	24
Sep 21	FLORIDA TECH	46	7	53	8.0-75	4.0-26	4	1-6	0-0	6	2	0	1-1	1	0	0	3	30
Sep 28	at North Greenville	46	11	57	14.0-51	4.0-15	1	1-0	1-28	6	7	0	4-4	0	0	0	10	34
Oct 05	at West Florida	42	8	50	7.0-17	1.0-8	0	0-0	1-16	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	3
Oct 12	VALDOSTA STATE	59	19	78	7.0-18	2.0-10	2	1-0	1-21	5	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	7	13
Oct 19	WEST ALABAMA	52	17	69	10.0-48	3.0-25	0	0-0	1-15	8	9	0	2-2	0	0	0	7	14
11-02-2	at Shorter	42	8	50	14.0-60	5.0-38	1	1-0	2-39	1	3	1	5-5	0	0	0	7	38
Nov 09	WEST GEORGIA	54	16	70	11.0-28	3.0-14	3	1-8	2-52	5	5	0	5-5	0	0	0	7	35
Nov 16	at Mississippi College	43	10	53	5.0-8	0.0-0	0	1-0	1-0	0	0	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	13
Delta State		457	141	598	89.0-356	29.5-168	11	6-14	14-241	36	39	2	25-25	1	0	0	55	228
		588	255	843	71.0-229	15.5-92	10	8-129	8-84	18	36	3	27-30	0	0	1	40	227

Date	Opponent	Punting								Field Goals			Kickoffs					
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Sep 05	TUSCULUM UNIVERSIT	9	366	40.7	52	0	0	3	1	2	1-1	24	0	5	310	62.0	0	0
Sep 14	at Grand Valley State	3	153	51.0	55	0	0	0	2	1	1-4	42	1	5	255	51.0	0	0
Sep 21	FLORIDA TECH	5	196	39.2	48	0	0	0	0	2	5-5	38	0	8	312	39.0	0	0
Sep 28	at North Greenville	5	159	31.8	52	1	0	2	1	2	2-2	29	0	8	329	41.1	0	0
Oct 05	at West Florida	6	250	41.7	50	0	0	4	1	1	1-1	25	0	2	86	43.0	0	0
Oct 12	VALDOSTA STATE	6	210	35.0	42	0	1	1	0	2	2-2	37	0	4	232	58.0	0	1
Oct 19	WEST ALABAMA	6	210	35.0	45	0	0	2	0	1	0-0	0	0	3	143	47.7	0	1
11-02-2	at Shorter	6	212	35.3	39	0	0	3	0	1	1-1	39	0	7	388	55.4	0	3
Nov 09	WEST GEORGIA	5	199	39.8	53	0	0	2	1	3	0-1	0	1	6	331	55.2	0	0
Nov 16	at Mississippi College	2	88	44.0	46	0	0	1	0	1	2-2	32	0	4	207	51.8	0	0
Delta State		53	2043	38.5	55	1	1	18	6	16	15-19	42	2	52	2593	49.9	0	5
		58	2169	37.4	59	1	3	15	6	14	6-10	36	0	45	2632	58.5	8	3