



2017 FOOTBALL GAMEDAY

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THE GAME

- ▶ Mercer hosts VMI in their fourth all-time meeting and second in Macon.
- ▶ This is Mercer's third of five home games at Five Star Stadium. Mercer is 1-1 in such games.
- ▶ Saturday's football game at Five Star Stadium is the center of Family Weekend at Mercer University.
- ▶ All three games between Mercer and VMI have been decided by seven points or less.
- ▶ Mercer's three losses to The Citadel since 2014 have been by a combined five points.
- ▶ Avery Ward and Chandler Curtis have combined for 20 catches, 335 receiving yards and three touchdowns against VMI in their careers.
- ▶ Lee Bennett has led Mercer in tackles against VMI each of the last two years (14, 2015; 11, 2016).

THE CAPTAINS

Mercer:

LeMarkus Bailey, Lee Bennett,
Isaiah Buehler, Thomas Marchman

MERCER BEARS

Ranking -- (Coaches) / -- (STATS)
Last Game Sept. 23, 2017 at ETSU
L, 23-26 (OT), at William B. Greene, Jr. Stadium
Head Coach Bobby Lamb

VMI KEYDETS

Ranking -- (Coaches) / -- (STATS)
Last Game Sept. 23, 2017 vs. Chattanooga
L, 7-63, at Foster Stadium
Head Coach Scott Wachenheim

MERCER COACHING STAFF

On the Field

Bobby Lamb Head Coach
Kenny Baker Defensive Line
Carter Barfield Running Backs
Grant Cain Asst. HC / Inside LBs / Special Teams
Mike Kolakowski Defensive Coord. / Outside Linebackers
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MERCER BEARS (1-3, 0-2 SoCon)

Head Coach: Bobby Lamb (Furman, 1987)

Career Record: 95-62 (14th Season), **Record at Mercer:** 28-22 (Fifth Season), **Record vs. VMI:** (3-1)

Sept. 30, 2017 • 4 p.m. • Macon, Ga. • Five Star Stadium Stadium (10,200)



VMI KEYDETS (0-4, 0-1 SoCon)

Head Coach: Scott Wachenheim (Air Force, 1984)

Career Record: 5-21 (3rd Season), **Record at VMI:** 5-21 (3rd Season), **Record vs. Mercer:** (1-1)

TV: ESPN3

Talent: Frank Malloy, *Play-by-Play* ♦ Conrad Nix, *Analyst* ♦ Kristin Banks, *Sideline*

Radio: Mercer Sports Network (Flagship: 96.5 FM "The Bull")

Talent: Rick Cameron, *Play-by-Play* ♦ Roger Jackson, *Analyst* ♦ Kristin Banks, *Sideline*

Live Stats: MercerBears.com/livestats

Twitter: @MercerFootball

Series History: Mercer leads, 2-1

Macon: VMI leads, 1-0

Lexington: Mercer leads, 2-0

Neutral Sites: No meeting

First Meeting: 9/27/2014, MER 27-24, in Lexington, Va.

Last Meeting: 10/1/2016, MER 33-30 (OT) in Lexington, Va.

Streak: Mercer, 1



UP NEXT

MERCER AT THE CITADEL SATURDAY, OCT. 7

Mercer heads to Charleston, South Carolina for a Southern Conference battle with The Citadel, which enters Week 5 with a 3-0 (1-0 SoCon) record. The Bears trail The Citadel, 4-9-1 all-time and have not won in the series since 1931. Kickoff is set for 2 p.m.

2017 SCHEDULE / RESULTS

All times ET

	Aug. 31	JACKSONVILLE Macon, Ga. / Five Star Stadium (10,200) / Bears roll to 41-point win with 27-point first half effort	ESPN3	9,727	W	48-7
	Sept. 9	#10 WOFFORD* Macon, Ga. / Five Star Stadium (10,200) / Wofford rallies with 14 unanswered points over final 8:15 of play	ESPN3	12,727	L	27-28
	Sept. 16	at #15 (FBS) AUBURN Auburn, Ala. / Jordan-Hare Stadium (87,451) / Bears force five turnovers, most committed by Auburn since 2012	SEC ALTERNATE	87,033	L	10-24
	Sept. 23	at ETSU* Johnson City, Tenn. / William B. Greene, Jr. Stadium (7,694) / Mercer totals 406 yards of offense, 10 penalties	ESPN3	8,022	L	23-26 (OT)
	Sept. 30	VMI* Macon, Ga. / Five Star Stadium (10,200) / Mercer leads series, 2-1, after overtime road win last year	ESPN3			4 p.m.
	Oct. 7	at THE CITADEL* Charleston, S.C. / Johnson Hagood Stadium (11,500) / The Citadel leads series, 9-4-1	ESPN3			2 p.m.
	Oct. 14	CHATTANOOGA* Macon, Ga. / Five Star Stadium (10,200) / Chattanooga leads series 19-7-1; Mercer's last win came in 2015	Stadium/ESPN3			3:30 p.m.
	Oct. 21	at FURMAN* Greenville, S.C. / Paladin Stadium (16,000) / Furman leads series, 7-6-2; Mercer victorious in last two meetings	CFDS/ESPN3			1:30 p.m.
	Nov. 4	SAMFORD* Macon, Ga. / Five Star Stadium (10,200) / Bears seek first win in series since 1932; Samford leads series 12-10-1	ESPN3			3 p.m.
	Nov. 11	at WESTERN CAROLINA* Cullowhee, N.C. / E.J. Whitmire Stadium (12,000) / Western Carolina leads series, 2-1; Mercer won 38-24 last year	ESPN3			2 p.m.
	Nov. 18	at ALABAMA Tuscaloosa, Ala. / Bryant-Denny Stadium (101,821) / Alabama leads series, 2-0; First meeting since 1940	TBA			TBA

THIS WEEK IN THE

SOCON

2017 STANDINGS

	SoCon		OVERALL	
	W-L	PCT	W-L	PCT
Wofford	2-0	1.000	3-0	1.000
The Citadel	1-0	1.000	3-0	1.000
Western Carolina	1-0	1.000	3-1	.750
Chattanooga	1-0	1.000	1-3	.250
ETSU	1-1	.500	2-2	.500
Samford	0-1	.000	2-2	.500
Furman	0-1	.000	1-3	.250
VMI	0-1	.000	0-4	.000
Mercer	0-2	.000	1-3	.250

Saturday, Sept. 30

ETSU at Furman	1 p.m.
The Citadel at Samford	3 p.m.
Western Carolina at Chattanooga	6 p.m.
Wofford at Presbyterian	7 p.m.

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Saturday, September 23

Chattanooga 63, VMI 7
 Furman 45, Colgate 14
 Wofford 27, Gardner-Webb 24
 Western Carolina 38, Samford 34

SOCON PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Offensive

Sept. 4	Tyrie Adams, R-So., QB, WCU
Sept. 11	Detrez Newsome, Sr., RB, WCU
Sept. 18	Dominique Allen, Sr., QB, CIT
Sept. 23	Tyrie Adams, R-So., QB, WCU

Defensive

Sept. 4	Malik Rivera, Sr., S, WOF
Sept. 11	Devin Watson, Jr., CB, WOF
Sept. 18	Dylan Weigel, R-Jr., LB, ETSU
Sept. 23	Keion Crossen, Sr., DB, WCU

Special Teams

Sept. 4	Luke Carter, So., P/K, WOF
Sept. 11	Cole Fisher, Jr., K, MER
Sept. 18	Austin Barnard, Sr., P, SAM
Sept. 23	JJ Jerman, Jr., K, ETSU

TEAM QUICK HITS

- Mercer's three-game losing streak is its first since a stretch from Sept. 19-Oct. 10 in 2015.
- Mercer is 3-2 coming off its last five losses.
- Bobby Lamb is five wins away from his 100th career victory as a head coach (95-62).
- Mercer ranks fifth among SoCon teams and 16th in the FCS with an average of 5.0 penalties committed per game.
- Mercer is 20-7 all-time at Five Star Stadium, including a 1-1 record this season.
- The Bears are in their fifth season since reintroducing football in 2013 and the 44th campaign in program history.
- Mercer doubled its SoCon win total in 2016 (4-4) for the third consecutive season.

OFFENSE QUICK HITS

- Mercer is averaging 27.0 points per game, including a 48-point outburst against Jacksonville (Aug. 31)
- The Bears lead the SoCon in red zone offense (94.1 percent) and are 16-for-17 (12 touchdowns, four field goals). The 12 touchdowns are tied for the most by a SoCon team (Western Carolina) in the red zone.
- Mercer's 406 yards of total offense at ETSU is a season-best for the Bears.
- Mercer has scored in 54 straight games dating back to a 52-0 loss to Rollins on October 24, 1941.
- The Bears are 22-3 when scoring 30 points under head coach Bobby Lamb and 44-4 all-time as a program.
- Mercer is 18-6 when eclipsing 400 yards of total offense under head coach Bobby Lamb.

DEFENSE QUICK HITS

- Mercer's eight turnovers gained rank 20th in the FCS and first in the SoCon.
- The Bears rank second in the SoCon and 29th nationally in scoring defense (21.3 points per game).
- Mercer ranks second in the conference and 23rd nationally in red zone defense (71.4 percent).
- Mercer's five forced turnovers at No. 15 Auburn are the most surrendered by the Tigers since Oct. 6, 2012 at Arkansas.
- The Bears have forced a turnover in 29 of the last 35 games, including 13 in a row at one point.
- Mercer has recovered six fumbles through four games, ranking the Bears fourth in the FCS.
- The defense has held opponents under 300 yards of total offense 10 times since 2013, posting a 10-0 record in those contests (held Jacksonville to 241 offensive yards on Aug. 31)
- Mercer recorded 12.0 tackles for loss at ETSU, the second most in a single game in program history.
- Mercer limited foes to under 100 yards rushing 14 times since 2013, owning a 12-2 mark when doing so.

INDIVIDUAL QUICK HITS

- Kaelan Riley ranks fourth in the SoCon with three rushing touchdowns.
- Alex Lakes needs eight rushing yards and two rushing touchdowns to eclipse former quarterback John Russ' (2013-16) program career records of 2,335 yards and 30 rushing touchdowns.
- CJ Leggett's 109 rushing yards at ETSU marked the first time since Nov. 12, 2016 that a Bear has crossed the century mark in rushing yards. He and Lakes are averaging 4.3 and 4.5 yards per carry, respectively.
- Chandler Curtis became the program's career leader in receiving touchdowns (13) with a 39-yard score at ETSU. Teammates Avery Ward (12) and Marquise Irvin (11) are close behind.
- Lee Bennett has led Mercer in tackles against VMI each of the last two years (14, 2015; 11, 2016).
- Kam Lott snagged his second career interception at Auburn, giving him two in the last five games played.
- Irvin and Sam Walker both have two touchdown receptions apiece. Five Bears have caught Kaelan Riley's seven total touchdown passes this season.
- Eric Jackson leads Mercer with 36 total tackles.
- Linebackers LeMarkus Bailey and Kyle Williams lead the team with 4.5 and 4.0 tackles for loss, respectively.
- Defensive end Jalen Penn's two sacks at ETSU were a career-high.

RECORD BREAKDOWN

	2017	Streak	Under Lamb
Overall	1-3	L3	28-22
Home	1-1	L1	20-8
Road	0-2	L4	8-14
Overtime	0-1	L1	2-2
Neutral	0-0	L1	0-0
vs. Ranked	0-2	L5	1-7
SoCon	0-2	L2	7-17
SoCon Home	0-1	L1	4-8
SoCon Road	0-1	L4	3-9

HOW MERCER FARES AGAINST

... the Southern Conference	
Opponent	Record
Chattanooga	7-19-1
The Citadel	4-9-1
East Tennessee State	2-0
Furman	6-7-2
Samford	10-12-1
VMI	2-1
Western Carolina	1-2
Wofford	6-3
TOTAL	37-53-5

CLOSE-FOUGHT AFFAIRS

The three head-to-head meetings between Mercer and VMI have all been decided by seven points or less, including Mercer's 33-30 overtime victory last year.

Mercer has withstood rallies by VMI in both of its wins in Lexington, Virginia.

WELCOME TO THE L.O.C.

Here comes the boom. The Legion of Chaos, otherwise known as the Mercer defense, is off to a strong start through four games this season. Mercer's eight forced turnovers are the most in the SoCon after an impressive five gained at Auburn on Sept. 16. The Bears also rank second in the SoCon in scoring defense (21.3 points per game).

HE DOES HIS OWN STUNTS

Junior linebacker LeMarkus Bailey, who earned the nickname "Stuntman" from his teammates, has been a central force for the L.O.C. this year. Bailey's 4.5 tackles for loss lead Mercer while his 32 total tackles are tied for second on the team. He also owns one interception, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery so far.

RETURN TO THE RED ZONE

One of the biggest positives through four games this season has been the Bears' red zone efficiency on offense. Mercer is 16-for-17 (SoCon-best 94.1 percent) when reaching the red zone, including 12 touchdowns. The first failed trip came at ETSU on a missed field goal. Mercer led the FCS in red zone efficiency in 2015 (.932).

WELCOME BACK, AVERY

Senior wide receiver Avery Ward returned to the field in impressive fashion on Sept. 9 after missing the previous five games dating back to last season due to injury.

Ward hauled in seven catches for 113 yards and a touchdown, marking his fourth career 100-yard game. He followed up the effort with a five-catch, 71-yard effort at ETSU and ranks second on the team behind Marquise Irvin in receiving yards this season (189).

CALHOUN CONNECTION

Quarterback Kaelan Riley and wide receiver Chandler Curtis – both products of Calhoun High School in Calhoun, Ga. – finally connected for a touchdown at ETSU with a 39-yard score in the second quarter.

Curtis became the program's career receiving touchdowns leader (13) with the catch.

NOT FAR BEHIND...

Avery Ward and Marquise Irvin are not far behind Chandler Curtis for the program's career touchdown reception record (13). Ward owns 12 after his score vs. Wofford and Irvin leads Mercer with two touchdown receptions this year and owns 11 for his career. Expect Irvin, Curtis and Ward to maintain a friendly competition throughout the season as they hunt for the program record.

HUMAN HIGHLIGHT REEL

Despite an impressive wide receiver corps at his disposal, Kaelan Riley's favorite target may be redshirt junior tight end Sam Walker.

The 2017 Preseason All-SoCon First Team selection caught two touchdowns among his five receptions for 47 yards in week one and has 11 catches so far this season after a six-catch effort at Auburn. Walker owns seven career touchdown catches, good for the sixth-most by a player in program history.

LAMB CLOSING IN

Mercer head coach Bobby Lamb is in his 14th season as a head coach and is only five wins away from cracking 100 career victories (95-62). Lamb ranks third among active SoCon coaches in career wins, trailing Wofford's Mike Ayers (211) and Samford's Chris Hatcher (135). Lamb is also fourth in SoCon history on the all-time wins list with 84.

Wins Leaders in SoCon Play	Wins
1. Jerry Moore (App State)	215
2. Wallace Wade (Alabama, Duke)	171
3. Mike Ayers (ETSU, Wofford)	153
4. Bobby Lamb (Furman, Mercer)	84
5. D.C. Walker (Wake Forest)	77

SERIES HISTORY

Despite leading the all-time series, 2-1, Mercer is winless at Five Star Stadium against the Keydets. The three-game series has been decided by seven points or less each game.

A 21-point deficit to the Keydets doomed Mercer in its 28-21 loss at home in 2015 despite a comeback that included the final 14 points of the contest.

Series History: Mercer leads, 2-1
Macon: VMI leads, 1-0
Lexington: Mercer leads, 2-0
Neutral Sites: No meeting
First Meeting: 9/27/2014, MER 27-24, in Lexington, Va.
Last Meeting: 10/1/2016, MER 33-30 (OT) in Lexington
Streak: Mercer, 1

Year	Date	W/L/T	Score	Location
2014	9/27	W	27-24	Lexington, Va.
2015	10/24	L	21-28	Macon, Ga.
2016	10/1	W	33-30	Lexington, Va.

THE LAST TIME

SCORE	1	2	3	4	OT	SCORE
Mercer	14	7	0	6	6	33
VMI	0	7	0	14	3	30

October 1, 2016
Lexington, Va.
T: 3:34 / A: 5,266

GAME STATISTICS	MERCER	VMI
FIRST DOWNS	24	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	195	29
PASSING YDS (NET)	249	359
Passes Att-Comp-Int	23-36-0	32-45-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	83-444	84-388
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	4-35	1-4
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-30	5-122
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-223	7-229
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	8-93	8-70
Possession Time	30:22	29:38
Third-Down Conversions	9-of-18	6-of-17
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-of-1	2-of-3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	5-5	5-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	7-45	1-5

STATISTIC LEADERS

PASSING	COMP.	ATT.	YDS	TD	INT
MU John Russ	23	36	249	2	0
VMI Al Cobb	31	43	309	1	0
RUSHING	ATT.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
MU Alex Lakes	21	91	4.3	1	11
VMI Alex Keys	15	29	1.9	3	6
RECEIVING	REC.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
MU Avery Ward	9	102	11.3	1	18
VMI Aaron Sanders	11	136	12.4	0	39
DEFENSIVE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	FF	INT
MU Lee Bennett	11	1.0	1.0	0	0
VMI Ryan Francis	10	1.0	1.0	0	0

DEPTH CHART

WEEK: 5 (VS. VMI)

OFFENSE

LT	78 Thomas Marchman	6-3	300	Sr.
	68 Alex Comer	6-4	247	So.
LG	76 Jake Flath	6-5	291	So.
	77 Trey Iorillo	6-4	311	Fr.
C	71 Dawson Ellis	6-4	311	Fr.
	72 Mitch Mathes	6-2	272	Jr.
RG	65 Caleb Yates	6-3	294	Sr.
	72 Mitch Mathes	6-2	272	Jr.
RT	67 Austin Sanders	6-2	295	R-So.
	68 Alex Comer	6-4	247	So.
TE	88 Chris Ellington	6-4	247	So.
	89 Chase Westfall	6-3	251	R-So.
WR	13 Chandler Curtis	5-11	200	Sr.
	80 Tucker Cannon	6-0	187	R-Fr.
WR	8 Marquise Irvin	6-2	215	Jr.
	86 Kelby Brock	6-1	203	So.
WR	84 Avery Ward	6-2	191	Sr.
	4 Edmond Graham	5-9	168	Fr.
RB	28 Tee Mitchell	5-10	203	Jr.
	7 CJ Leggett	5-9	217	R-Fr.
QB	1 Kaelan Riley	6-3	222	R-Fr.
	10 Robert Riddle	6-2	202	Fr.

DEFENSE

DE	41 Isaiah Buehler	6-3	262	R-Jr.
	91 Austin Wysor	6-5	266	R-Jr.
NG	58 Dorian Kithcart	6-0	285	R-So.
	99 Austin Barrett	6-2	309	Sr.
DE	95 Jalen Penn	6-1	259	Sr.
	96 Destin Guillen	6-5	283	R-So.
OLB	51 Kyle Williams	6-0	236	Sr.
	52 Kyle Trammell	6-0	229	Sr.
ILB	23 Will Coneway	5-11	225	R-So.
	9 Sidney Otiwu	5-11	219	R-Fr.
ILB	2 Lee Bennett	6-0	221	Sr.
	50 Logan Craighead	6-2	222	R-Fr.
OLB	16 LeMarkus Bailey	5-11	201	Sr.
	44 Travonte Easley	6-1	196	R-Jr.
FS	5 Malique Fleming	5-11	190	So.
	32 Brandon Coney	5-10	206	R-Jr.
SS	17 Eric Jackson	5-8	190	R-Jr.
	6 Jamar Hall	6-1	194	Fr.
CB	20 Kam Lott	5-8	190	R-Jr.
	12 Harrison Poole	5-11	202	R-Jr.
CB	3 Stephen Houzah	5-9	166	Jr.
	29 Brandon Gurley	5-9	190	R-Jr.

SPECIAL TEAMS

K	98 Cole Fisher	6-1	190	Jr.
	47 Jagger Lieb	5-8	201	Sr.
P	97 Grant Goupil	6-2	184	Fr.
	49 Devin Orr	6-8	200	R-Fr.
LS	53 Steven Nixon	5-11	220	R-So.
	64 Mason Lawing	5-10	206	R-Fr.
H	14 Tanner Brumby	6-2	201	R-Jr.
KR	13 Chandler Curtis	5-11	200	Sr.
	27 Alex Lakes	5-11	221	R-Sr.
PR	13 Chandler Curtis	5-11	200	Sr.
	8 Marquise Irvin	6-2	215	Jr.

RILEY IN CHARGE

Kaelan Riley has established himself as a quarterback who can beat teams with both his arm and legs through four career games. The redshirt freshman has tossed seven touchdown passes but also found the end zone three times via the run.

The redshirt freshman has completed 62.0 percent of his passes and is averaging just under 200 yards passing (194.0) per game. He through for a career-best 257 yards at ETSU, completing 15-of-22 in the loss.

LAKES REWRITING THE RECORD BOOKS

Alex Lakes, the elder of the Mercer offensive backfield, is nearing a pair of career rushing records entering week five of the season. The redshirt senior needs two rushing touchdowns and eight rushing yards to eclipse career records (2,335 rushing yards; 30 rushing touchdowns) held by former quarterback John Russ (2013-16).

Lakes' 29 rushing touchdowns and 2,327 rushing yards are the most by any Mercer running back. He is the only running back in program history with over 2,000 career rushing yards.

THE NAME IS FISHER, ICE COLD FISHER

There's ice in his veins. Junior kicker Cole Fisher is a proven weapon for the Bears on the opponent's side of the field, having connected on four of six field goal attempts so far this season. While he has not truly been tested yet – his longest made field goal this year is from 34 yards out – Fisher can stretch it out when necessary.

Fisher was named the SoCon Special Teams Player of the Week for Sept. 4-10 after drilling two field goals against Wofford. He has seven career games with multiple made field goals.

YOUNG BEARS

Multiple faces from Mercer's 2017 recruiting class have made early impacts this season across various positions.

- Edmond Graham, WR: 58-yard touchdown reception vs. Jacksonville
- BJ Bohler, DB: Forced fumble vs. Jacksonville
- Jamar Hall, DB: Three tackles at ETSU; Fumble recovery vs. Jacksonville
- Michael Freeman, LB: 1.0 TFL at ETSU; Fumble recovery vs. Jacksonville
- Grant Goupil, P: Averaged 42.6 yards per punt at ETSU
- CJ Leggett, RB: Two rushing touchdowns; 19 carries for 109 yards at ETSU
- Rashad Haynes, RB: 90-yard kickoff return vs. Wofford (second-longest in program history)

MARCHMAN NAMED 2017 GOOD WORKS TEAM

Mercer senior offensive lineman Thomas Marchman was named a candidate for the 2017 Allstate AFCA Good Works Team by the American Football Coaches Association this summer, making him eligible for one of the most prestigious off-the-field honors in college football. A native of Gainesville, Georgia, Marchman has served as a Young Life Leader at Stratford Academy in Macon since his sophomore year.

#COMMUNITY

Beware the Bears Den. When the Bears are active, there is a deafening roar from its #comMUnity. The support has made Five Star Stadium one of the toughest places to play in the FCS. Mercer is an impressive 20-7 at Five Star Stadium since 2013.

Mercer at Five Star Stadium

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Att.
8/31/2013	Reinhardt	W	40-37	12,172
9/14/2013	Warner	W	61-0	10,027
9/21/2013	Berry	W	43-0	6,327
9/28/2013	Drake^	W	31-17	8,150
10/12/2013	Valparaiso^	W	35-21	8,272
10/19/2013	Carnegie Mellon	W	54-21	8,327
11/9/2013	Jacksonville^	W	45-42	9,729
11/23/2013	Stetson^	W	41-14	12,027
8/28/2014	Reinhardt	W	45-42	10,027
9/6/2014	#17 Furman*	L	20-25	12,227
9/20/2014	Ave Maria	W	42-21	10,173
10/11/2014	Austin Peay	W	49-21	8,027
10/18/2014	Western Carolina*	L	21-35	9,277
11/1/2014	The Citadel*	L	26-28	10,271
11/14/2014	Warner	W	56-0	10,000
9/12/2015	Stetson	W	57-14	11,267
10/3/2015	Wofford*	L (OT)	33-34	10,489
10/17/2015	ETSU	W	52-0	9,722
10/24/2015	VMI*	L	21-28	11,872
11/7/2015	#3 Chattanooga*	W	17-14	9,527
11/21/2015	Samford*	L	21-47	11,273
9/1/2016	#15 The Citadel*	L	23-24	12,542
9/17/2016	Tennessee Tech	W	34-27	9,772
10/15/2016	Western Carolina*	W	38-24	12,247
11/5/2016	ETSU*	W	21-13	10,913
11/19/2016	Furman*	W	27-24	10,712
8/31/2017	Jacksonville	W	48-7	9,972
9/9/2017	Wofford*	L	27-28	12,727

#TACKLEDUCHENNE

Mercer's football coaching staff will join the nationwide initiative, Coach To Cure MD, by wearing special arm patches at Saturday's game vs. VMI to raise awareness of Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy.

Coach To Cure MD is led by the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) and is in its 10th year. It has raised more than \$1.5 million to battle the disorder.

Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy is the most common lethal genetic disorder affecting young men in the United States. Fans can help coaches find this cure by texting the word CURE to 50555. Doing so will add a \$10 donation to your next mobile phone bill.

ONE FOR ME, NONE FOR YOU

Mercer's eight turnovers gained lead the SoCon and rank 20th in the FCS. The Bears own a +2 turnover margin.

TEAM RANKINGS

NCAA Category	MER	VMI
Total Offense	78	122
Rushing Offense	70	104
Passing Offense	67	115
Team Passing Efficiency	50	116
Scoring Offense	57	120
Total Defense	55	95
Rushing Defense	71	92
Passing Yards Allowed	56	89
Team Passing Efficiency Defense	100	116
Scoring Defense	29	118
Turnover Margin	35	117
3rd Down Conversion Pct	50	119
4th Down Conversion Pct	75	109
3rd Down Conversion Pct Defense	105	118
4th Down Conversion Pct Defense	27	113
Red Zone Offense	6	104
Red Zone Defense	23	69
Net Punting	43	80
Punt Returns	14	80
Kickoff Returns	48	88
First Downs Offense	37	120
First Downs Defense	77	102
Fewest Penalties Per Game	16	2
Fewest Penalty Yards Per Game	24	3
Time of Possession	93	122

TEAM COMPARISONS

MERCER

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing	Att	Net	Avg	TD	YPG
CJ Leggett	47	203	4.3	2	50.75
T. Mitchell	44	140	3.2	1	35.00

Passing	C-A-I	Pct.	TD	YPG
K. Riley	67-108-4	62.0	7	194.0
T. Brumby	3-3-0	100.0	0	7.0

Receiving	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	YPG
M. Irvin	19	192	10.11	2	48.00
A. Ward	13	189	14.54	1	47.25

Defense	U-A-TT	TFL	INT	FF-FR
L. Bailey	20-12-32	4.5-17	1-7	1-1
L. Bennett	11-21-32	2.0-6	0-0	0-1

VMI

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing	Att	Net	Avg	TD	YPG
D. Palmer	44	200	4.5	1	50.0
Q. Myers	12	40	3.3	1	13.3

Passing	C-A-I	Pct.	TD	YPG
A. Coulling	33-70-4	47.1	0	91.0
Duncan Hodges	9-17-1	52.9	1	30.0

Receiving	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	YPG
D. Palmer	11	114	10.4	0	28.5
R. Martin	6	57	9.5	0	14.2

Defense	U-A-TT	TFL	INT	FF-FR
B. Lipscomb	17-9-26	4.5-22	0-0	1-0
Al. Cratsenberg	18-14-32	1.0-3	1-8	0-0

MILESTONE COUNTDOWN

A look at some of the Bears' current approach toward career milestones and program records during the 2017 season.

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ALEX LAKES

30 Career Rushing TDs

3

Stephen Houzah

Most Forced Fumbles (7)

1

MARQUISE IRVIN

100 Career Receptions

4

ISAIAH BUEHLER

20 Career Tackles For Loss

2

AVERY WARD

100 Career Receptions

0.5

LEE BENNETT

200 Career Total Tackles

9

COLE FISHER

30 CAREER FIELD GOALS

17

CHANDLER CURTIS

100 Career Receptions



BOBBY LAMB

HEAD COACH | FIFTH SEASON AT MERCER

Bobby Lamb enters his fifth season as head coach of Mercer football after guiding the Bears' through their first four seasons of football following a 72-year hiatus.

Named the 19th head football coach in program history in 2011, he led the Bears to immediate success, claiming the third 10-win season of his career and setting the NCAA Division I record for wins by a first-year program with a 10-2 campaign. The 2013 win total also set a school record for victories, surpassing the previous mark of seven wins by Lake Russell's 1931 and 1932 squads. For his efforts, he finished third in the PFL Coach of the Year voting and ranked among the top 11 finalists for FCS National Coach of the Year.

Mercer has doubled its Southern Conference win total in each of the three years it has been a member of the league under the guidance of Lamb as the Bears posted a 4-4 mark (6-5 overall) during the 2016 campaign. The Orange and Black compiled a record of 5-6 on the season and 2-5 in league play in 2015, the program's second season in the SoCon. The Bears season was highlighted by an upset victory over No. 3 Chattanooga by a score of 17-14 at Five Star Stadium. Five of Mercer's six losses came by seven points or less.

Lamb led the Bears into the Southern Conference in 2014, a familiar league for the 27-year veteran of the coaching ranks as he is fifth on the conference's all-time wins list. Despite featuring a roster of primarily underclassmen, Lamb helped Mercer to a 6-6 campaign in its first year in one of the nation's oldest and most prestigious conferences, including the program's first SoCon victory in a 27-24 triumph at VMI.

Boasting one of the SoCon's most dynamic offenses and a defense that ranked among the nation's leaders in forced turnovers in 2014, Lamb's team once again was well represented in both conference and national postseason awards. The Bears had seven players garner all-conference recognition, including first team selections Chandler Curtis and Alex Lakes. The freshmen duo were each named Jerry Rice Award finalists, joining 2013 honorees John Russ and Payton Usher on a list of four Bears who have received the honor in the last two years alone. Curtis' honors did not stop there, as he became the first player in program history to garner FCS All-America honors while also receiving College Football Performance Awards' FCS Returner of the Year recognition.

In 2013, Mercer ranked second in the FCS in rushing, using a balanced attack to pour in 277.9 yards rushing per contest. The Bears had three players gain over 750 yards on the ground, led by freshman John Russ. The dual threat quarterback was named to a Jerry Rice Award finalist and an All-PFL Second Team selection following an impressive year that saw him compile 1,916 yards through the air and 903 yards on the ground to go along with 33 total touchdowns.

Lamb guided the Bears, who were picked to finish 11th in the Pioneer Football League Preseason Coaches' Poll, to a 6-2 record in conference play en route to a third-place finish in the league. For his efforts, he finished third in the PFL Coach of the Year voting and ranked among the top 11 finalists for FCS National Coach of the Year.

The Bears showed immediate success in the classroom as well under Lamb, compiling a team GPA above 3.0 during both semesters in 2013-14. The team featured 46 players on the Pioneer Football League's Academic Honor Roll for

the 2013 fall semester, while Caleb Brown, Rob East and John Russ were named Academic All-PFL.

Lamb's Furman teams posted outstanding academic credentials. In the seven seasons since the NCAA instituted the Academic Progress Rate (APR) monitoring system – which tracks eligibility, retention and graduation – Furman's program produced the highest APR scores among Southern Conference schools. Likewise, Furman football had the SoCon's top results on the NCAA's Graduation Success Rate (GSR) with a score of 97 percent in 2009-10.

During his tenure guiding Furman's program, Lamb had a 67-40 record (.626) as its head coach. He led the Paladins to winning records in eight of his nine seasons and made four trips to the NCAA I-AA (now Football Championship Series) playoffs, reaching the quarterfinals in 2004 and the semifinals in 2005. His 2004 squad won the SoCon championship and Lamb was tabbed as the league's Coach of the Year. He also produced three runner-up, two third-place and two fourth-place SoCon finishes during his tenure. Lamb's Paladins achieved national rankings of No. 5 in 2004 and No. 3 in 2005.

Including his 16 seasons as an assistant coach – where he spent the majority of his time as the passing game coordinator and working with quarterbacks – Lamb's Furman teams compiled a composite record of 193-105-3 (.646) in 25 seasons. When you factor in Lamb's four seasons as a quarterback for the Paladins from 1982 to 1985, when Furman was 39-10-1, his aggregate won-loss record jumps to .667. In 29 seasons on the collegiate gridiron, Lamb has only been involved with three below .500 campaigns.

As a player at Furman, Lamb was a part of three SoCon championship teams and three NCAA I-AA playoff berths. As a senior, he was the SoCon Player of the Year, the NCAA I-AA passing efficiency national leader and led the Paladins to an NCAA I-AA national runner-up finish. He is also a member of Furman's Athletics Hall of Fame.

"I have been very impressed with President Underwood and Athletic Director Jim Cole and the vision and leadership they are providing at Mercer," said Lamb of his decision to come to the Macon institution. "One of the qualities that most attracted me to Mercer was their emphasis on the true student-athlete. I have spent the past 29 years at an institution with very similar expectations.

"Sometimes the term student-athlete is used nonchalantly. People forget that it is student first and athlete second. I have always stressed the importance of academics before athletics as a player, coach, and father. I believe my philosophy for building strong men who will become leaders in their communities, will be a perfect fit with Mercer.

"God has provided this tremendous opportunity for me to assist in the reinstatement of football at Mercer. I look forward to leading Mercer football to the top."

Lamb is a 1982 graduate of Commerce (Ga.) High School and went on to earn his B.A. in health and exercise science from Furman in 1987. He also earned his M.Ed. degree from Furman in health and exercise science in 1992. Lamb, who was born on Christmas Eve in 1962, is married to Allyson Acker. The couple has two children: a daughter, Sallie (24), and a son, Taylor (22), who plays quarterback at Appalachian State University (Boone, N.C.).

BOBBY LAMB BY THE NUMBERS

YEAR	SCHOOL	TITLE	OVERALL	CONF.	FINISH	HIGHLIGHTS
1986	Furman	Student Assistant/Quarterbacks	7-3-2	4-2-1 (SoCon)	3rd	NCAA I-AA Qtrs, t. Georgia Tech 17-17
1987	Furman	Defensive Ends	7-4	4-3 (SoCon)	3rd	
1988	Furman	Defensive Ends	13-2	6-1 (SoCon)	1st	SoCon Champ, NCAA I-AA National Champion
1989	Furman	Quarterbacks	12-2	7-0 (SoCon)	1st	SoCon Champ, NCAA I-AA Semifinalist
1990	Furman	Quarterbacks	9-4	6-1 (SoCon)	1st	SoCon Champ, NCAA I-AA Quarterfinalist
1991	Furman	Quarterbacks	7-4	4-3 (SoCon)	4th	
1992	Furman	Quarterbacks	6-5	4-3 (SoCon)	5th	
1993	Furman	QB's/Receivers, Passing Game Coord.	5-5-1	4-4 (SoCon)	4th	
1994	Furman	QB's/Receivers, Passing Game Coord.	3-8	2-6 (SoCon)	6th	
1995	Furman	QB's/Receivers, Passing Game Coord.	6-5	5-3 (SoCon)	3rd	
1996	Furman	QB's/Receivers, Passing Game Coord.	9-4	6-2 (SoCon)	3rd	NCAA I-AA Quarterfinalist
1997	Furman	QB's/Receivers, Passing Game Coord.	7-4	5-3 (SoCon)	3rd	
1998	Furman	QB's/Receivers, Passing Game Coord.	5-6	3-5 (SoCon)	6th	
1999	Furman	QB's, Passing Game Coord.	9-3	7-1 (SoCon)	1st	SoCon Champ, NCAA I-AA Playoffs, d. UNC 28-3
2000	Furman	QB's, Passing Game Coord.	9-3	6-2 (SoCon)	2nd	NCAA I-AA Playoffs
2001	Furman	QB's, Passing Game Coord.	12-3	7-1 (SoCon)	1st	SoCon Champ, NCAA I-AA National Runner-up
2002	Furman	Head Coach	8-4	6-2 (SoCon)	2nd	NCAA I-AA Playoffs
2003	Furman	Head Coach	6-5	4-4 (SoCon)	4th	
2004	Furman	Head Coach	10-3	6-1 (SoCon)	T1st	SoCon Champ, NCAA I-AA Quarterfinalist
2005	Furman	Head Coach	11-3	5-2 (SoCon)	T2nd	NCAA I-AA Semifinalist
2006	Furman	Head Coach	8-4	6-1 (SoCon)	2nd	NCAA I-AA Playoffs
2007	Furman	Head Coach	6-5	4-3 (SoCon)	T3rd	
2008	Furman	Head Coach	7-5	4-4 (SoCon)	T4th	
2009	Furman	Head Coach	6-5	5-3 (SoCon)	3rd	
2010	Furman	Head Coach	5-6	3-5 (SoCon)	6th	
2013	Mercer	Head Coach	10-2	6-2 (PFL)	3rd	NCAA Record Win Total for Start-Up Program
2014	Mercer	Head Coach	6-6	1-6 (SoCon)	T7th	
2015	Mercer	Head Coach	5-6	2-5 (SoCon)	T6th	Program's first victory over T25 foe (UTC, 17-14)
2016	Mercer	Head Coach	6-5	4-4 (SoCon)	5th	
2017	Mercer	Head Coach	1-3	0-2 (SoCon)		

LAMB VERSUS
ALL OPPONENTS

Opponent	Overall	Pct.	Home	Away
Appalachian State	1-9	.100	1-3	0-6
Ave Maria	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0
Austin Peay	3-0	1.000	1-0	1-1
Auburn	0-2	.000	0-0	0-2
Berry	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0
Campbell	1-0	1.000	0-0	1-0
Carnegie Mellon	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0
Chattanooga	9-3	.750	5-1	4-2
The Citadel	6-6	.500	5-2	1-4
Clemson	0-2	.000	0-0	0-2
Coastal Carolina	1-1	.500	1-0	0-1
Colgate	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0
Davidson	1-0	1.000	0-0	1-0
Delaware	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0
Drake	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0
East Tennessee State	4-1	.750	3-0	1-1
Elon	6-3	.667	4-1	2-2
Furman	2-1	.667	1-1	1-0
Gardner-Webb	3-0	1.000	2-0	1-0
Georgia Southern	4-5	.444	2-3	2-2
Georgia Tech	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
Hofstra	1-1	.500	1-0	0-1
Howard	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0
Jacksonville	2-0	1.000	2-0	0-0
Jacksonville State	3-0	1.000	2-0	1-0
James Madison	0-1	.000	0-1	0-0
Marist	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
Mars Hill	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0
Missouri	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
Montana State	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
Nicholls State	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0
North Carolina	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
Pittsburgh	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
Presbyterian	3-0	1.000	3-0	0-0
Reinhardt	2-0	1.000	2-0	0-0
Richmond	3-0	1.000	1-0	2-0
San Diego	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
Samford	5-3	.625	2-1	3-2
South Carolina	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
Stetson	3-0	1.000	2-0	1-0
Tennessee Tech	1-1	.500	1-0	0-1
Valparaiso	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0
Vanderbilt	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
Villanova	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
Virginia Tech	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1
VMI	3-1	.750	0-1	3-0
Warner	2-0	1.000	2-0	0-0
Western Carolina	9-2	.818	6-0	3-2
West Georgia	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0
Wofford	5-8	.384	2-4	3-4
Totals	95-62	.605	61-1833-43	

BOBBY LAMB Career Snapshot

HEAD COACHING RECORD

School	Record	Yrs	Pc.	Conf.	Record	Yrs.	Pct.
Furman	67-40	9	.626	SoCon	43-25	9	.632
Mercer	28-22	5	.560	PFL	6-2	1	.750
				SoCon	7-17	4	.292

ASSISTANT COACHING RECORD

Furman	126-65-3	16	.657
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HONORS

- 1995 — Furman Athletic Hall-of-Fame
 2005 — Southern Conference Coach of the Year
 2013 — Finalist for Eddie Robinson Award (Top FCS Coach)

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
1	Kaelan Riley	QB	6-3	222	R-Fr.	RS	Calhoun, Ga. / Calhoun HS
2	Lee Bennett	LB	6-0	221	Sr.	3L	Leesburg, Fla. / Leesburg HS
3	Stephen Houzah	DB	5-9	166	Jr.	2L	Augusta, Ga. / Lakeside HS
4	Edmond Graham	WR	5-9	168	Fr.	HS	Buford, Ga. / Mill Creek HS
5	Malique Fleming	DB	5-11	190	So.	1L	Nashville, Tenn. / Hillsboro HS
6	Jamar Hall	DB	6-1	194	Fr.	HS	Dacula, Ga. / Mill Creek HS
7	CJ Leggett	RB	5-9	217	R-Jr.	JC	Suwanee, Ga. / Georgia Tech
8	Marquise Irvin	WR	6-2	215	Jr.	2L	Huntsville, Ala. / Madison County HS
9	Sidney Otiwu	LB	5-11	219	R-Fr.	RS	Buford, Ga. / Mill Creek HS
10	Robert Riddle	QB	6-2	202	Fr.	HS	Lookout Mountain, Tenn. / McCallie School
11	Ahmad Arnold	OLB	6-3	229	R-Fr.	RS	Brentwood, Tenn. / Brentwood HS
12	Harrison Poole	DB	5-11	202	R-Fr.	RS	St. Mary's, Ga. / Camden County HS
13	Chandler Curtis	WR	5-11	200	Sr.	3L	Calhoun, Ga. / Calhoun HS
14	Tanner Brumby	QB	6-2	201	R-Jr.	2L	Jasper, Ga. / Pickens HS
15	Rob Lake	WR	5-11	185	Fr.	HS	Ocala, Fla. / Vanguard HS
16	LeMarkus Bailey	LB	5-11	201	R-Jr.	2L	Marietta, Ga. / Hillgrove HS
17	Eric Jackson	DB	5-8	173	R-So.	1L	Powder Springs, Ga. / Hillgrove HS
18	Harrison Frost	QB	6-1	185	Fr.	HS	Kennesaw, Ga. / Harrison HS
19	Brett Burnett	QB	6-2	200	Fr.	HS	Chapin, S.C. / Airport HS
20	Kam Lott	DB	5-8	190	R-Jr.	1L	Jacksonville, Fla. / First Coast HS
21	Rashad Haynes	RB	5-10	186	Fr.	HS	Memphis, Tenn. / Memphis Central HS
22	Brady Tindall	QB	5-10	195	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Ga. / The Lovett School
23	Will Coneway	LB	5-11	225	R-So.	1L	Sandersville, Ga. / Washington County HS
24	Danijah Gammage	DB	6-2	201	Fr.	HS	Brunswick, Ga. / Brunswick HS
25	James Camon	RB	5-8	183	Fr.	HS	Macon, Ga. / Lowndes HS
26	BJ Bohler	DB	5-7	180	Fr.	HS	Ocoee, Fla. / Ocoee HS
27	Alex Lakes	RB	5-11	221	R-Sr.	3L	Newnan, Ga. / Northgate HS
28	Tee Mitchell	RB	5-11	203	Jr.	2L	Jacksonville, Fla. / Air Force Prep
29	Brandon Gurley	DB	5-9	190	R-Jr.	2L	Huntsville, Ala. / Madison County HS
31	Luke Ward	DB	6-1	194	Fr.	HS	Atmore, Ala. / Northwest HS (Fla.)
32	Brandon Coney	DB	5-10	206	R-Jr.	2L	Dublin, Ga. / Dublin HS
33	Michael Freeman	LB	6-2	219	Fr.	HS	Hogansville, Ga. / Callaway HS
34	Tyran Devezin	RB	5-8	225	Fr.	HS	Woodstock, Ga. / Etowah HS
35	Jonathan Ward	LB	6-0	218	R-So.	1L	Macon, Ga. / Tattnall Square Academy
36	Dylan Calhoun	DB	5-10	188	So.	TS	Dallas, Texas / Utah
37	Darrien Wiggins	DB	5-9	165	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Ga. / Woodward Academy
38	Cameron Fannon	TE	6-1	225	R-So.	SQ	Atlanta, Ga. / Maryville College
39	Davis Markham	DB	5-10	199	Fr.	HS	Duluth, Ga. / Greater Atlanta Christian School
40	Noah Carmon	ILB	6-1	236	Fr.	HS	Ocala, Fla. / Trinity Catholic HS
41	Isaiah Buehler	DL	6-3	262	R-Jr.	2L	Apopka, Fla. / Apopka HS
42	Willie Fuls	RB	5-10	167	Fr.	HS	Mableton, Ga. / Whitefield Academy
43	Jean-Luc Brown	OLB	5-10	213	R-Fr.	RS	Atlanta, Ga. / Pace Academy
44	Travonte Easley	LB	6-1	196	R-Jr.	2L	Nashville, Tenn. / Montgomery Bell Academy
45	Andrew Pettit	DB	6-2	198	R-Fr.	RS	Lawrenceville, Ga. / Mountain View HS
46	Trey Peppers	TE	6-1	241	R-So.	1L	Canton, Ga. / Creekview HS
47	Jagger Lieb	K/P	5-8	201	Sr.	3L	Port Orange, Fla. / Spruce Creek HS
49	Devin Orr	P	6-8	200	R-Fr.	RS	Lilburn, Ga. / Parkview HS
48	Max Slott	LB	6-1	224	Fr.	HS	Cumming, Ga. / South Forsyth HS
50	Logan Craighead	LB	6-2	222	R-Fr.	RS	Roswell, Ga. / Blessed Trinity HS
51	Kyle Williams	LB	6-0	236	Sr.	3L	Lilburn, Ga. / Parkview HS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
52	Kyle Trammell	LB	6-0	229	Sr.	3L	Kennesaw, Ga. / Air Force Prep
53	Steven Nixon	LS	5-11	220	R-So.	1L	Kennesaw, Ga. / Harrison HS
54	Thomas McBride	OL	6-3	294	Fr.	HS	Forsyth, Ga. / First Presbyterian Day HS
55	Naji Abdullah	DL	6-5	243	R-So.	TR	Jacksonville, Fla. / Virginia
56	Andrew Robinson	OL	6-2	326	Fr.	HS	Birmingham, Ala. / Ramsay HS
57	Jack Raines	DL	6-3	258	R-So.	1L	Tifton, Ga. / Tiftarea Academy
58	Dorian Kithcart	DL	6-0	285	R-So.	1L	Durham, N.C. / Norcross HS
59	Bailey Clark	DL	6-2	287	Fr.	HS	Savannah, Ga. / Benedictine Military
60	Conner Krieger	OL	6-1	287	R-Fr.	RS	Bogart, Ga. / North Oconee HS
62	Dawson Hilliard	SPEC	6-1	160	Fr.	HS	Snellville, Ga. / Brookwood HS
63	David May	OL	6-4	307	R-Jr.	TR	Orange Park, Fla. / Valdosta State
64	Mason Lawing	SPEC	5-10	206	R-Fr.	RS	Thomasville, Ga. / Thomas County HS
65	Caleb Yates	OL	6-3	294	Sr.	3L	Murfreesboro, Tenn. / Oakland HS
66	Cliff Snyder	OL	6-3	265	R-Fr.	RS	Cumming, Ga. / Lambert HS
67	Austin Sanders	OL	6-2	295	R-So.	1L	Stone Mountain, Ga. / Mississippi Valley State
68	Alex Comer	OL	6-4	293	R-Fr.	RS	Lebanon, Tenn. / Wilson Central HS
70	Brian Forrestal	DL	6-3	294	R-Fr.	RS	Albany, Ga. / Deerfield Windsor HS
71	Dawson Ellis	OL	6-4	250	R-So.	1L	Senoia, Ga. / East Coweta HS
72	Mitch Mathes	OL	6-2	272	Jr.	2L	LaGrange, Ga. / Troup County HS
73	Tucker Coody	OL	6-0	286	Fr.	HS	Warner Robins, Ga. / Houston County HS
74	Barron King	OL	6-2	215	Fr.	HS	Gainesville, Ga. / Chestatee HS
75	Ty McLemore	OL	6-1	284	R-Fr.	RS	Smyrna, Ga. / Whitefield Academy
76	Jake Flath	OL	6-5	291	So.	1L	Lakeland, Fla. / Lakeland HS
77	Trey Iorillo	OL	6-4	311	Fr.	HS	Kennesaw, Ga. / Harrison HS
78	Thomas Marchman	OL	6-3	300	Sr.	3L	Gainesville, Ga. / North Hall HS
79	Eric Allen	OL	6-5	306	Fr.	HS	Powder Springs, Ga. / Harrison HS
80	Tucker Cannon	WR	6-0	187	R-Fr.	RS	Sandy Springs, Ga. / Wesleyan School
81	Ryan May	WR	5-9	178	R-Fr.	RS	Fayetteville, Ga. / Whitewater HS
82	Camel Grant	WR	6-2	166	R-So.	1L	Lithonia, Ga. / Arabia Mountain HS
84	Avery Ward	WR	6-2	191	Sr.	3L	Alpharetta, Ga. / Chattahoochee HS
85	JD Pirris	WR	6-2	180	Fr.	HS	Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla. / Ponte Vedra HS
86	Kelby Brock	WR	6-1	203	So.	1L	Maryville, Tenn. / Maryville HS
87	Sam Walker	TE	6-3	229	R-Jr.	2L	Cumming, Ga. / South Forsyth HS
88	Chris Ellington	TE	6-4	247	So.	1L	Jacksonville, Fla. / Fletcher HS
89	Chase Westfall	TE	6-3	251	R-So.	1L	Dalton, Ga. / Dalton HS
90	Behr Cooper	DL	6-0	299	R-Fr.	RS	Conyers, Ga. / Salem HS
91	Austin Wysor	DL	6-5	266	R-Jr.	2L	Trussville, Ala. / Trussville HS
92	Chris Rehak	DL	6-1	302	So.	1L	Columbus, Ga. / Pacelli HS
93	Brad Powell	K	5-10	182	R-Fr.	RS	Macon, Ga. / First Presbyterian Day HS
94	Grant Reynolds	K/P	6-0	168	R-Jr.	2L	Eustis, Fla. / Eustis HS
95	Jalen Penn	DL	6-1	259	Sr.	3L	Powder Springs, Ga. / Harrison HS
96	Destin Guillen	DL	6-5	283	R-So.	1L	Greenville, S.C. / Berea HS
97	Grant Goupil	P	6-2	184	Fr.	HS	Lake Mary, Fla. / Lake Mary HS
98	Cole Fisher	K	6-1	190	Jr.	2L	Walnut Grove, Ga. / Archer HS
99	Austin Barrett	DL	6-2	309	Sr.	3L	Milton, Tenn. / Oakland HS

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Bobby Lamb
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 Defensive Coord. / Outside Linebackers: Mike Kolakowski
 Offensive Coordinator / Offensive Line: Casey Vogt
 Defensive Line: Kenny Baker
 Passing Game Coordinator/Quarterbacks: Tre Lamb
 Running Backs: Carter Barfield
 Cornerbacks: Dominique Davenport
 Wide Receivers/Recruiting Coordinator: La'Donte Harris
 Tight Ends: Will Patterson
 Safeties: Josh Reardon
 Strength and Conditioning: Carl Miller
 Coordinator of Football Operations: Dominique Woods
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 Trey Iorillo
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 Dorian Kithcart
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 Bear (like the animal)
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 GUR-lee
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 EYE-oh-rillo
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Jagger Lieb
 Mitch Mathes
 Sidney Otiwu
 Kaelan Riley
 Kyle Trammell
 Austin Wysor
 Mike Kolakowski
 Casey Vogt

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ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
55	Naji Abdullah	DL	6-5	235	R-So.	TR	Jacksonville, Fla. / Virginia
79	Eric Allen	OL	6-5	290	Fr.	HS	Powder Springs, Ga. / Harrison HS
11	Ahmad Arnold	OLB	6-3	218	R-Fr.	RS	Brentwood, Tenn. / Brentwood HS
16	LeMarkus Bailey	LB	5-11	205	R-Jr.	2L	Marietta, Ga. / Hillgrove HS
99	Austin Barrett	DL	6-2	311	Sr.	3L	Milton, Tenn. / Oakland HS
2	Lee Bennett	LB	6-0	223	Sr.	3L	Leesburg, Fla. / Leesburg HS
26	BJ Bohler	DB	5-7	171	Fr.	HS	Ocoee, Fla. / Ocoee HS
86	Kelby Brock	WR	6-1	198	So.	1L	Maryville, Tenn. / Maryville HS
43	Jean-Luc Brown	OLB	5-10	180	R-Fr.	RS	Atlanta, Ga. / Pace Academy
14	Tanner Brumby	QB	6-2	201	R-Jr.	2L	Jasper, Ga. / Pickens HS
41	Isaiah Buehler	DL	6-3	258	R-Jr.	2L	Apopka, Fla. / Apopka HS
19	Brett Burnett	QB	6-2	200	Fr.	HS	Chapin, S.C. / Airport HS
36	Dylan Calhoun	DB	5-10	188	So.	TS	Dallas, Texas / Utah
25	James Camon	RB	5-9	190	Fr.	HS	Macon, Ga. / Lowndes HS
40	Noah Carmon	ILB	6-1	236	Fr.	HS	Ocala, Fla. / Trinity Catholic HS
80	Tucker Cannon	WR	5-11	181	R-Fr.	RS	Sandy Springs, Ga. / Wesleyan School
73	Tucker Coody	OL	6-0	286	Fr.	HS	Warner Robins, Ga. / Houston County HS
59	Bailey Clark	DL	6-2	280	Fr.	HS	Savannah, Ga. / Benedictine Military
68	Alex Comer	OL	6-5	296	R-Fr.	RS	Lebanon, Tenn. / Wilson Central HS
23	Will Coneway	LB	5-11	220	R-So.	1L	Sandersville, Ga. / Washington County HS
32	Brandon Coney	DB	5-10	206	R-Jr.	2L	Dublin, Ga. / Dublin HS
90	Behr Cooper	DL	6-0	283	R-Fr.	RS	Conyers, Ga. / Salem HS
50	Logan Craighead	LB	6-2	213	R-Fr.	RS	Roswell, Ga. / Blessed Trinity HS
13	Chandler Curtis	WR	5-11	202	Sr.	3L	Calhoun, Ga. / Calhoun HS
34	Tyran Devezin	RB	5-9	193	Fr.	HS	Woodstock, Ga. / Etowah HS
44	Travonte Easley	LB	6-1	195	R-Jr.	2L	Nashville, Tenn. / Montgomery Bell Academy
88	Chris Ellington	TE	6-4	243	So.	1L	Jacksonville, Fla. / Fletcher HS
71	Dawson Ellis	OL	6-4	260	R-So.	1L	Senoia, Ga. / East Coweta HS
38	Cameron Fannon	TE	6-1	220	R-So.	SO	Atlanta, Ga. / Maryville College
98	Cole Fisher	K	6-1	192	Jr.	2L	Walnut Grove, Ga. / Archer HS
76	Jake Flath	OL	6-5	278	So.	1L	Lakeland, Fla. / Lakeland HS
5	Malique Fleming	DB	5-11	192	So.	1L	Nashville, Tenn. / Hillsboro HS
70	Brian Forrestal	DL	6-3	304	R-Fr.	RS	Albany, Ga. / Deerfield Windsor HS
33	Michael Freeman	LB	6-2	215	Fr.	HS	Hogansville, Ga. / Callaway HS
18	Harrison Frost	QB	6-1	185	Fr.	HS	Kennesaw, Ga. / Harrison HS
42	Willie Fuls	RB	5-10	167	Fr.	HS	Mableton, Ga. / Whitefield Academy
24	Danijah Gammage	DB	6-2	187	Fr.	HS	Brunswick, Ga. / Brunswick HS
97	Grant Goupil	P	6-1	179	Fr.	HS	Lake Mary, Fla. / Lake Mary HS
4	Edmond Graham	WR	5-9	164	Fr.	HS	Buford, Ga. / Mill Creek HS
82	Camiel Grant	WR	5-9	159	R-So.	1L	Lithonia, Ga. / Arabia Mountain HS
96	Destin Guillen	DL	6-5	294	R-So.	1L	Greenville, S.C. / Berea HS
29	Brandon Gurley	DB	5-8	187	R-Jr.	2L	Huntsville, Ala. / Madison County HS
6	Jamar Hall	DB	6-2	195	Fr.	HS	Dacula, Ga. / Mill Creek HS
21	Rashad Haynes	RB	6-0	185	Fr.	HS	Memphis, Tenn. / Memphis Central HS
62	Dawson Hilliard	SPEC	6-1	160	Fr.	HS	Snellville, Ga. / Brookwood HS
3	Stephen Houzah	DB	5-9	158	Jr.	2L	Augusta, Ga. / Lakeside HS
77	Trey Iorillo	OL	6-4	310	Fr.	HS	Kennesaw, Ga. / Harrison HS
8	Marquise Irvin	WR	6-2	206	Jr.	2L	Huntsville, Ala. / Madison County HS
17	Eric Jackson	DB	5-8	175	R-So.	1L	Powder Springs, Ga. / Hillgrove HS
74	Barron King	OL	6-2	215	Fr.	HS	Gainesville, Ga. / Chestatee HS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
58	Dorian Kithcart	DL	5-11	276	R-So.	1L	Durham, N.C. / Norcross HS
60	Conner Krieger	OL	6-2	271	R-Fr.	RS	Bogart, Ga. / North Oconee HS
15	Rob Lake	WR	5-11	173	Fr.	HS	Ocala, Fla. / Vanguard HS
27	Alex Lakes	RB	5-11	222	R-Sr.	3L	Newnan, Ga. / Northgate HS
64	Mason Lawing	SPEC	5-10	200	R-Fr.	RS	Thomasville, Ga. / Thomas County HS
7	CJ Leggett	RB	5-10	209	R-Jr.	JC	Suwanee, Ga. / Georgia Tech
47	Jagger Lieb	K/P	5-9	194	Sr.	3L	Port Orange, Fla. / Spruce Creek HS
20	Kam Lott	DB	5-8	189	R-Jr.	1L	Jacksonville, Fla. / First Coast HS
78	Thomas Marchman	OL	6-3	284	Sr.	3L	Gainesville, Ga. / North Hall HS
39	Davis Markham	DB	5-10	190	Fr.	HS	Duluth, Ga. / Greater Atlanta Christian School
72	Mitch Mathes	OL	6-2	293	Jr.	2L	LaGrange, Ga. / Troup County HS
63	David May	OL	6-4	297	R-Jr.	TR	Orange Park, Fla. / Valdosta State
81	Ryan May	WR	5-9	169	R-Fr.	RS	Fayetteville, Ga. / Whitewater HS
54	Thomas McBride	OL	6-2	280	Fr.	HS	Forsyth, Ga. / First Presbyterian Day HS
75	Ty McLemore	OL	6-1	270	R-Fr.	RS	Smyrna, Ga. / Whitefield Academy
28	Tee Mitchell	RB	5-10	194	Jr.	2L	Jacksonville, Fla. / Air Force Prep
53	Steven Nixon	LS	5-11	223	R-So.	1L	Kennesaw, Ga. / Harrison HS
49	Devin Orr	P	6-7	225	R-Fr.	RS	Lilburn, Ga. / Parkview HS
9	Sidney Otiwu	LB	5-11	217	R-Fr.	RS	Buford, Ga. / Mill Creek HS
95	Jalen Penn	DL	6-1	263	Sr.	3L	Powder Springs, Ga. / Harrison HS
46	Trey Peppers	TE	6-1	247	R-So.	1L	Canton, Ga. / Creekview HS
45	Andrew Pettit	DB	6-2	193	R-Fr.	RS	Lawrenceville, Ga. / Mountain View HS
85	JD Pirris	WR	6-2	180	Fr.	HS	Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla. / Ponte Vedra HS
12	Harrison Poole	DB	5-11	192	R-Fr.	RS	St. Mary's, Ga. / Camden County HS
93	Brad Powell	K	5-10	180	R-Fr.	RS	Macon, Ga. / First Presbyterian Day HS
57	Jack Raines	DL	6-3	253	R-So.	1L	Tifton, Ga. / Tiftarea Academy
92	Chris Rehak	DL	6-1	302	So.	1L	Columbus, Ga. / Pacelli HS
94	Grant Reynolds	K/P	6-0	156	R-Jr.	2L	Eustis, Fla. / Eustis HS
10	Robert Riddle	QB	6-3	190	Fr.	HS	Lookout Mountain, Tenn. / McCallie School
1	Kaelan Riley	QB	6-3	231	R-Fr.	RS	Calhoun, Ga. / Calhoun HS
56	Andrew Robinson	OL	6-3	295	Fr.	HS	Birmingham, Ala. / Ramsay HS
67	Austin Sanders	OL	6-2	293	R-So.	1L	Stone Mountain, Ga. / Mississippi Valley State
66	Cliff Snyder	OL	6-3	257	R-Fr.	RS	Cumming, Ga. / Lambert HS
48	Max Slott	LB	6-1	224	Fr.	HS	Cumming, Ga. / South Forsyth HS
52	Kyle Trammell	LB	6-0	230	Sr.	3L	Kennesaw, Ga. / Air Force Prep
22	Brady Tindall	QB	5-11	190	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Ga. / The Lovett School
87	Sam Walker	TE	6-4	232	R-Jr.	2L	Cumming, Ga. / South Forsyth HS
84	Avery Ward	WR	6-2	177	Sr.	3L	Alpharetta, Ga. / Chattahoochee HS
35	Jonathan Ward	LB	6-0	211	R-So.	1L	Macon, Ga. / Tattnal Square Academy
31	Luke Ward	DB	6-1	184	Fr.	HS	Atmore, Ala. / Northwest HS (Fla.)
89	Chase Westfall	TE	6-3	242	R-So.	1L	Dalton, Ga. / Dalton HS
37	Darrien Wiggins	DB	5-9	165	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Ga. / Woodward Academy
51	Kyle Williams	LB	6-0	235	Sr.	3L	Lilburn, Ga. / Parkview HS
91	Austin Wysor	DL	6-5	245	R-Jr.	2L	Trussville, Ala. / Trussville HS
65	Caleb Yates	OL	6-3	291	Sr.	3L	Murfreesboro, Tenn. / Oakland HS

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Bobby Lamb
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 Defensive Coord. / Outside Linebackers: Mike Kolakowski
 Offensive Coordinator / Offensive Line: Casey Vogt
 Defensive Line: Kenny Baker
 Passing Game Coordinator/Quarterbacks: Tre Lamb
 Running Backs: Carter Barfield
 Cornerbacks: Dominique Davenport
 Wide Receivers/Recruiting Coordinator: La'Donte Harris
 Tight Ends: Will Patterson
 Safeties: Josh Reardon
 Strength and Conditioning: Carl Miller
 Coordinator of Football Operations: Dominique Woods
 Equipment Manager: Michael Thompson

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 James Camon
 Will Coneway
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 Camiel Grant
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 Stephen Houzah
 Trey Iorillo
 Marquise Irvin
 Dorian Kithcart
 Conner Krieger

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ROSTER BY POSITION

QUARTERBACK (6)			73	Tucker Coody	Fr.	29	Brandon Gurley	R-Jr.
1	Kaelan Riley	R-Fr.	74	Barron King	Fr.	31	Luke Ward	Fr.
10	Robert Riddle	Fr.	75	Ty McLemore	R-Fr.	32	Brandon Coney	R-Jr.
14	Tanner Brumby	R-Jr.	76	Jake Flath	So.	36	Dylan Calhoun	So.
18	Harrison Frost	Fr.	77	Trey Iorillo	Fr.	37	Darrien Wiggins	Fr.
19	Brett Burnett	Fr.	78	Thomas Marchman	Sr.	39	Davis Markham	Fr.
22	Brady Tindall	Fr.	79	Eric Allen	Fr.	45	Andrew Pettit	R-Fr.

RUNNING BACK (7)			DEFENSIVE LINE (12)		SPECIALISTS (9)			
7	CJ Leggett	R-Jr.	41	Isaiah Buehler	R-Jr.	47	Jagger Lieb	Sr.
21	Rashad Haynes	Fr.	55	Naji Abdullah	R-So.	49	Devin Orr	R-Fr.
25	James Camon	Fr.	57	Jack Raines	R-So.	53	Steven Nixon	R-So.
27	Alex Lakes	R-Sr.	58	Dorian Kithcart	R-So.	62	Dawson Hilliard	Fr.
28	Tee Mitchell	R-Jr.	59	Bailey Clark	Fr.	64	Mason Lawing	R-Fr.
34	Tyray Devezin	Fr.	70	Brian Forrestal	R-Fr.	93	Brad Powell	R-Fr.
42	Willie Fuls	Fr.	90	Behr Cooper	R-Fr.	94	Grant Reynolds	R-Jr.

WIDE RECEIVER (10)			92	Chris Rehak	So.	98	Cole Fisher	Jr.
4	Edmond Graham	Fr.	95	Jalen Penn	Sr.			
8	Marquise Irvin	Jr.	96	Destin Guillen	R-So.			
13	Chandler Curtis	Sr.	99	Austin Barrett	Sr.			

LINEBACKERS (14)		2	Lee Bennett	Sr.				
80	Tucker Cannon	R-Fr.	9	Sidney Otiwu	R-Fr.			
81	Ryan May	R-Fr.	11	Ahmad Arnold	R-Fr.			
82	Camiel Grant	R-So.	16	LeMarkus Bailey	R-Jr.			
84	Avery Ward	Sr.	23	Will Coneway	R-So.			
85	JD Pirris	Fr.	33	Michael Freeman	Fr.			
86	Kelby Brock	So.	35	Jonathan Ward	R-So.			
			40	Noah Carmon	Fr.			
			43	Jean Luc Brown	R-Fr.			
			44	Travonte Easley	R-Jr.			
			48	Max Slott	Fr.			
			50	Logan Craighead	R-Fr.			
			51	Kyle Williams	Sr.			
			52	Kyle Trammell	Sr.			

DEFENSIVE BACK (15)		3	Stephen Houzah	Jr.				
54	Thomas McBride	Fr.	5	Malique Fleming	So.			
56	Andrew Robinson	Fr.	6	Jamar Hall	Fr.			
60	Conner Krieger	R-Fr.	12	Harrison Poole	R-Fr.			
63	David May	R-Jr.	17	Eric Jackson	R-So.			
65	Caleb Yates	Sr.	20	Kam Lott	R-Jr.			
66	Cliff Snyder	R-Fr.	24	Danijah Gammage	Fr.			
67	Austin Sanders	R-So.	26	BJ Bohler	Fr.			
68	Alex Comer	R-Fr.						
71	Dawson Ellis	R-So.						
72	Mitch Mathes	Jr.						

ROSTER BY CLASS

FRESHMAN (29)		Behr Cooper	Avery Ward
Edmond Graham	Brad Powell	Jalen Penn	
Jamar Hall		Austin Barrett	

SOPHOMORE (6)		R-SENIOR (1)	
Malique Fleming		Alex Lakes	
Dylan Calhoun			
Brett Burnett			
Rashad Haynes			
Brady Tindall			
Danijah Gammage			
James Camon			
BJ Bohler			
Luke Ward			
Michael Freeman			
Tyray Devezin			
Darrien Wiggins			
Davis Markham			
Noah Carmon			
Willie Fuls			
Max Slott			
Thomas McBride			
Andrew Robinson			
Bailey Clark			
Dawson Hilliard			
Tucker Coody			
Barron King			
Trey Iorillo			
Eric Allen			
JD Pirris			
Grant Goupil			

R-SOPHOMORE (6)			
Eric Jackson			
Will Coneway			
Jonathan Ward			
Cam Fannon			
Trey Peppers			
Steven Nixon			

JUNIOR (5)			
Stephen Houzah			
Marquise Irvin			
Tee Mitchell			
Mitch Mathes			
Cole Fisher			

R-JUNIOR (11)			
CJ Leggett			
Tanner Brumby			
LeMarkus Bailey			
Kam Lott			
Brandon Gurley			
Isaiah Buehler			
Travonte Easley			
David May			
Sam Walker			
Austin Wysor			
Grant Reynolds			

SENIOR (10)			
Lee Bennett			
Chandler Curtis			
Jagger Lieb			
Kyle Williams			
Kyle Trammell			
Caleb Yates			
Thomas Marchman			

GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Date	Opponent	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR	TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
Aug. 31	Jacksonville	Riley	Mitchell	Irvin	Curtis	Cannon	Walker	Marchman	Flath	Krieger	Yates	Sanders
Sept. 9	Wofford*	Riley	Mitchell	Irvin	Curtis	Ward	Walker	Marchman	Flath	Krieger	Yates	Sanders
Sept. 16	at Auburn	Riley	Mitchell	Irvin	Curtis	Ward	Walker	Marchman	Flath	Ellis	Yates	Sanders
Sept. 23	at ETSU*	Riley	Mitchell	Irvin	Curtis	Ward	Walker	Marchman	Flath	Ellis	Yates	Sanders
Sept. 30	VMI*											
Oct. 7	at The Citadel*											
Oct. 14	Chattanooga*											
Oct. 21	at Furman*											
Nov. 4	Samford*											
Nov. 11	at Western Carolina*											
Nov. 18	at Alabama											

Date	Opponent	DE	NG	DE	OLB	OLB	ILB	ILB	FS	SS	CB	CB
Aug. 31	Jacksonville	Buehler	Kithcart	Penn	Williams	Bailey	Bennett	Coneway	Coney	Jackson	Houzah	Lott
Sept. 9	Wofford*	Buehler	Kithcart	Penn	Williams	Bailey	Bennett	Coneway	Coney	Jackson	Houzah	Lott
Sept. 16	at Auburn	Buehler	Kithcart	Penn	Williams	Bailey	Bennett	Ward	Fleming	Jackson	Houzah	Lott
Sept. 23	at ETSU*	Buehler	Kithcart	Penn	Williams	Bailey	Bennett	Otiwu	Coney	Jackson	Poole	Lott
Sept. 30	VMI*											
Oct. 7	at The Citadel*											
Oct. 14	Chattanooga*											
Oct. 21	at Furman*											
Nov. 4	Samford*											
Nov. 11	at Western Carolina*											
Nov. 18	at Alabama											

MERCER VS. THE SOUTHERN CONFERENCE

A game-by-game look at Mercer's history against current members of the Southern Conference.

Date	MER Rank	Opponent	W/L/T	Score	H/A/N	Location	Temp	Att.
10/8/1906		at The Citadel	L	0-10	A	Charleston, S.C.	-	-
11/2/1907		Samford	W	11-6	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/17/1908		at The Citadel	L	0-10	A	Charleston, S.C.	-	-
11/26/1908		Samford	W	45-0	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/23/1909	*	Samford	L	5-6	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/6/1909		Chattanooga	W	10-2	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/5/1910		Chattanooga	L	0-6	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/12/1910	*	vs. The Citadel	W	21-0	N	Savannah, Ga.	-	-
11/24/1910	*	Samford	W	28-0	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/14/1911	*	vs. The Citadel	L	0-5	N	Savannah, Ga.	-	-
11/30/1911	*	Samford	W	29-0	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/12/1912	*	Samford	W	36-0	A	Birmingham, Ala.	-	-
10/25/1913	*	vs. The Citadel	T	7-7	N	Savannah, Ga.	-	-
10/4/1914	*	Chattanooga	L	0-16	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/31/1914	*	Furman	W	39-0	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/9/1915	*	Wofford	W	13-6	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/23/1915	*	at Chattanooga	L	6-20	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/30/1915	*	Samford	W	14-7	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/7/1916	*	at Chattanooga	L	0-49	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/21/1916	*	Samford	L	7-26	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/16/1920	*	Samford	L	13-33	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/23/1920	*	Chattanooga	L	0-20	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
11/5/1921	*	at Furman	L	0-37	A	Greenville, S.C.	-	-
11/19/1921	*	Chattanooga	W	18-0	W	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/11/1922	*	at Chattanooga	L	6-13	L	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/6/1923	*	Furman	W	6-3	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/20/1923	*	Chattanooga	W	18-3	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/11/1924	*	at Furman	W	23-0	A	Greenville, S.C.	-	-
10/18/1924	*	at Chattanooga	W	33-0	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/25/1924	*	Samford	W	14-5	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/8/1924	*	Wofford	W	16-0	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/17/1925	*	at Chattanooga	L	7-12	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/31/1925	*	vs. The Citadel	L	0-31	N	Augusta, Ga.	-	-
11/7/1925	*	Furman	W	17-0	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/2/1926	*	The Citadel	L	7-12	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/23/1926	*	Samford	W	3-0	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/6/1926	*	at Furman	T	13-13	A	Greenville, S.C.	-	-
10/1/1927	*	vs. The Citadel	W	6-0	N	Savannah, Ga.	-	-
10/8/1927	*	Furman	L	13-27	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/22/1927	*	Samford	L	0-14	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-

Date	MER Rank	Opponent	W/L/T	Score	H/A/N	Location	Temp	Att.
10/13/1928	*	Samford	L	7-15	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/17/1928	*	vs. The Citadel	W	7-0	N	Savannah, Ga.	-	-
10/19/1929	*	Samford	W	7-2	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/26/1929	*	Chattanooga	L	0-7	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/16/1929	*	at The Citadel	L	13-21	A	Charleston, S.C.	-	-
10/18/1930	*	at Chattanooga	L	6-8	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
9/26/1931	*	at The Citadel	W	26-0	A	Charleston, S.C.	-	-
10/24/1931	*	at Wofford	W	25-7	A	Spartanburg, S.C.	-	-
11/14/1931	*	at Chattanooga	L	19-27	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/1/1932	*	Samford	W	20-7	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/22/1932	*	Furman	L	0-2	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/11/1932	*	at Chattanooga	W	25-0	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/28/1933	*	at Furman	T	6-6	A	Greenville, S.C.	-	-
11/11/1933	*	at Chattanooga	W	7-0	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/20/1934	*	Furman	L	3-9	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/10/1934	*	at Chattanooga	T	13-13	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/26/1935	*	at Furman	L	0-32	A	Greenville, S.C.	-	-
11/9/1935	*	at Chattanooga	L	7-12	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/16/1936	*	Samford	T	0-0	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
10/24/1936		Furman	L	9-20	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/7/1936	*	at Chattanooga	L	0-6	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/9/1937	*	at Samford	L	0-13	A	Birmingham, Ala.	-	-
11/25/1937	*	at Chattanooga	L	7-19	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
9/24/1938		Wofford	W	14-0	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/24/1938	*	at Chattanooga	L	7-9	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
9/23/1939		at Wofford	W	12-0	A	Spartanburg, S.C.	-	-
11/18/1939	*	vs. Samford	L	3-7	N	Albany, Ga.	-	-
11/30/1939	*	at Chattanooga	L	18-21	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
11/16/1940	*	Samford	L	6-14	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/28/1940	*	at Chattanooga	L	6-20	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-
10/18/1941		Wofford	W	20-14	H	Macon, Ga.	-	-
11/20/1941	*	at Samford	L	6-27	A	Birmingham, Ala.	-	-
11/27/1941	*	at Chattanooga, Tenn.	L	13-40	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	-	-

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Date	Rank	Opponent	W/L/T	Score	H/A/N	Location	Temp	Att.	FD	Att	Yds	TD	A-C-I	Yds	TD	Plays	Yds	FD	Att	Yds	TD	A-C-I	Yds	TD	Plays	Yds	FD	Att	Yds	TD	A-C-I	Yds	TD	Plays	Yds
9/6/2014	*	#17 Furman	L	20-25	H	Macon, Ga.	79	12,227	17	35	151	1	21-11-1	135	2	56	286	22	43	139	1	29-14-1	228	0	72	367									
9/27/2014	*	at VMI	W	27-24	A	Lexington, Va.	76	4,490	25	53	269	3	22-12-1	176	1	75	445	25	25	91	1	44-30-2	322	2	69	413									
10/4/2014	*	at Samford	L	18-21	A	Birmingham, Ala.	63	8,713	11	42	114	1	23-11-2	148	0	65	262	17	34	103	2	40-24-0	262	1	74	365									
10/18/2014	*	Western Carolina	L	21-35	H	Macon, Ga.	79	9,277	20	40	201	1	25-13-1	199	1	65	400	18	46	173	0	19-14-0	233	4	65	406									
10/25/2014	*	at #14 Chattanooga	L	31-38	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	63	10,763	19	39	139	1	26-15-1	301	3	65	440	19	35	183	3	36-24-1	359	2	71	542									
11/1/2014	*	The Citadel	L	26-28	H	Macon, Ga.	50	10,271	21	44	214	2	23-11-1	178	1	67	392	24	68	493	4	2-1-0	14	0	70	507									
11/22/2014	*	at Wofford	L	6-34	A	Spartanburg, S.C.	50	7,051	8	25	66	1	25-11-1	85	0	50	151	23	60	374	5	7-3-2	31	0	67	405									
10/3/2015	*	Wofford	L (OT)	33-34	H	Macon, Ga.	63	10,489	31	48	187	2	41-23-0	277	2	89	464	18	52	391	5	6-4-0	43	0	58	434									
10/10/2015	*	at Western Carolina	L	21-24	A	Cullowhee, N.C.	63	8,479	23	50	199	3	25-14-0	205	0	75	404	18	34	185	2	32-19-0	153	1	66	338									
10/17/2015	*	East Tennessee State	W	52-0	H	Macon, Ga.	73	9,722	29	51	261	4	29-20-0	302	3	80	563	11	33	68	0	30-13-0	160	0	63	228									
10/24/2015	*	VMI	L	21-28	H	Macon, Ga.	81	11,872	14	31	155	2	22-14-0	201	1	53	356	27	44	176	2	40-28-3	391	2	84	567									
10/31/2015	*	at The Citadel	L	19-21	A	Charleston, S.C.	73	10,006	16	36	105	1	25-13-0	130	1	61	235	17	61	367	3	6-3-0	25	0	67	392									
11/7/2015	*	#3 Chattanooga	W	17-14	H	Macon, Ga.	75	9,527	18	38	173	1	19-9-1	162	1	57	335	21	50	220	2	21-15-2	197	0	71	417									
11/14/2015	*	at Furman	W	27-20	A	Greenville, S.C.	61	6,351	15	48	286	1	21-13-1	88	2	69	374	16	26	60	1	34-16-1	225	2	60	285									
11/21/2015	*	Samford	L	21-47	H	Macon, Ga.	56	11,273	22	46	193	1	32-15-1	142	2	78	335	26	30	262	3	44-30-1	392	1	74	654									
9/1/2016	*	#15 The Citadel	L	23-24	H	Macon, Ga.	86	12,542	18	36	220	2	25-15-1	172	0	61	392	17	52	262	3	9-6-0	79	0	61	341									
10/1/2016	*	at VMI	W (OT)	33-30	A	Lexington, Va.	68	5,266	24	47	195	2	36-23-0	249	2	83	444	21	39	29	3	45-32-1	359	1	84	388									
10/8/2016	*	at #3 Chattanooga	L	31-52	A	Chattanooga, Tenn.	69	11,039	17	30	118	3	28-18-2	222	1	58	340	25	46	273	2	32-23-0	258	4	78	531									
10/15/2016	*	Western Carolina	W	38-24	H	Macon, Ga.	75	12,247	28	53	275	2	32-18-0	224	3	85	499	25	32	99	1	40-25-2	384	2	72	483									
10/29/2016	*	at Wofford	L	21-31	A	Spartanburg, S.C.	75	6,190	20	26	48	0	45-30-2	271	3	71	319	19	60	205	3	11-6-0	133	0	71	338									
11/5/2016	*	East Tennessee State	W	21-13	H	Macon, Ga.	73	10,913	17	45	195	0	29-17-0	172	3	74	367	17	34	105	0	38-25-1	267	1	72	372									
11/12/2016	*	at #18 Samford	L	19-24	A	Birmingham, Ala.	67	8,379	28	61	263	1	31-13-0	183	1	92	446	18	15	54	0	44-40-0	411	3	59	465									
11/19/2016	*	Furman	W	27-24	H	Macon, Ga.	63	10,712	22	47	163	1	30-14-2	191	2	77	384	18	25	68	1	34-23-2	251	2	59	319									
9/9/2017	*	#10 Wofford	L	27-28	H	Macon, Ga.	81	12,727	14	33	107	1	14-28-3	167	2	61	274	17	53	274	4	6-11-0	93	0	64	367									
9/23/2017	*	at ETSU	L (OT)	23-26	A	Johnson City, Tenn.	87	8,022	23	37	149	2	15-22-0	257	1	59	406	22	41	103	2	26-33-0	284	1	74	387									

THE LAST TIME...

MERCER INDIVIDUAL

Rushed for 100 yards
109, CJ Leggett at ETSU, 9/23/2017
 Rushed for 200 yards
 202, JeTarii Donald at Davidson, 11/2/2013
 Had a 50-yard run from scrimmage
 50, Kyle Trammell at Austin Peay, 10/22/2016
 Rushed for three touchdowns
 4, Alex Lakes vs. Warner, 11/15/2014
 Rushed for four touchdowns
 4, Alex Lakes vs. Warner, 11/15/2014
 A QB rushed for 100 yards
 185, John Russ at #18 Samford, 11/12/2016
 Passed for 300 yards
 336, John Russ vs. Stetson, 9/12/2015
 Passed for 400 yards
 -
 Had a 70-yard pass from scrimmage
 83, John Russ to Marquise Irvin at #3 Chattanooga, 10/8/2016
 Threw three touchdown passes
3, Kaelan Riley vs. Jacksonville, 8/31/2017
 Caught 10 passes
 -
 Had 100 yards receiving
113, Avery Ward vs. Wofford, 9/9/2017
 Had 200 yards receiving
 -
 Caught three touchdown passes
 -
 Had a 50-yard reception
58, Edmond Graham vs. Jacksonville, 8/31/2017
 Returned a punt for a touchdown
 Chandler Curtis vs. Austin Peay (61 yards), 10/11/2014
 Returned a kickoff for a touchdown
 Chandler Curtis at Austin Peay (45 yards), 10/22/2016
 Returned a blocked punt for a touchdown
 -
 Returned a blocked FG for a touchdown
 -
 Returned an interception for a touchdown
 Sebastian Hicks vs. Jacksonville (69 yards), 11/9/2013
 Returned an opponent's fumble for a touchdown
 Collin Oliver vs. Reinhardt (35 yards), 8/31/2013
 Intercepted multiple passes
 2, Stephen Houzah vs. Stetson, 9/12/2015
 Kicked three field goals
 3, Cole Fisher vs. #15 The Citadel, 9/1/2016
 Kicked four field goals
 -
 Had 15 tackles
 18, Tyler Ward vs. Furman, 9/6/2014
 Had 50-yard field goal
 -
 Had 70-yard punt
 70, Matt Shiel vs. Samford, 11/21/2015

MERCER TEAM

300 yards rushing
 316 at Stetson, 11/23/2013
 400 yards passing
 -
 500 yards total offense
 563 vs. East Tennessee State, 10/17/2015
 50 points
 52 vs. East Tennessee State, 10/17/2015
 Scored a safety
 -
 Posted a shutout
 52-0 vs. East Tennessee State, 10/17/2015
 Held an opponent under 250 yards total
241, vs. Jacksonville, 8/31/2017
 Blocked a punt
 at #3 Chattanooga, 10/8/2016
 Blocked a field goal attempt
 vs. East Tennessee State, 10/17/2015
 Blocked a PAT attempt
 at VMI, 10/1/2016
 Recorded 30 first downs
 -
 Won on last play of game
 at VMI (33-30, OT), 10/1/2016
 Lost on last play of game
 at ETSU (23-26, OT), 9/23/2017

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL

Rushed for 100 yards
128, Kamryn Pettway, Auburn, 9/16/2017
 Rushed for 200 yards
 -
 Had a 50-yard run from scrimmage
57, Lennox McAfee, Wofford, 9/9/2017
 Rushed for three touchdowns
3, Kamryn Pettway, Auburn, 9/16/2017
 Rushed for four touchdowns
 -
 A QB rushed for 100 yards
 117, Evan Jacks, Wofford, 10/3/2015
 Passed for 300 yards
364, Jarrett Stidham, Auburn, 9/16/2017
 Passed for 400 yards
 401, Devlin Hodges, #18 Samford, 11/12/2016
 Had a 70-yard pass from scrimmage
 74, Jared Davis, Tennessee Tech, 9/19/2015
 Threw three touchdown passes
 3, Devlin Hodges, #18 Samford, 11/12/2016
 Caught 10 passes
 15, Karel Hamilton, #18 Samford, 11/12/2016
 Had 100 yards receiving
 183, Emmanuel Obajimi, #18 Samford, 11/12/2016
 108, Karel Hamilton, #18 Samford, 11/12/2016
 Had 200 yards receiving
 218, Aaron Sanders, VMI, 10/24/2015
 Caught three touchdown passes
 3, S. Robinson, Western Carolina, 10/18/2014
 Had a 50-yard reception
 69, Drake Powell, East Tennessee State, 11/5/2016
 Returned a punt for a touchdown
 Kelvin McKnight (77 yards), Samford, 10/24/2015
 Returned a kickoff for a touchdown
 Dontez Byrd (100 yards), Tennessee Tech, 9/17/2016
 Returned a blocked punt for a touchdown
 David Howerton (0 yards), Wofford, 10/29/2016
 Returned a blocked FG for a touchdown
 -
 Returned an interception for a touchdown
 M. Pardue (29 yards), #3 Chattanooga, 10/8/2016
 Returned an opponent's fumble for a touchdown
 Jaleel Lorquet, Western Carolina, 10/18/2014
 Intercepted multiple passes
2, Devin Watson, Wofford, 9/9/2017
 Kicked three field goals
 4, A. Pistelli, Samford, 11/21/2015
 Kicked four field goals
 4, A. Pistelli, Samford, 11/21/2015
 Had 15 tackles
 16, Tra'Dariv Goff, Tennessee Tech, 9/19/2015
 Had 50-yard field goal
 50, Hollingsworth, Furman, 9/6/2014
 Had 70-yard punt
 80, MRyan Belden, San Diego, 10/6/2013

OPPONENT TEAM

300 yards rushing
 364, Georgia Tech, 9/10/2016
 400 yards passing
 411, #18 Samford, 11/12/2016
 500 yards total offense
510, Auburn, 9/16/2017
 50 points
 52, #3 Chattanooga, 10/8/2016
 Scored a safety
 -
 Posted a shutout
 -
 Held Mercer under 250 yards total
246, Auburn, 9/16/2017
 Blocked a punt
 Wofford, 10/29/2016
 Blocked a field goal attempt
 Georgia Tech, 9/10/2016
 Blocked a PAT attempt
 -
 Recorded 30 first downs
 -

SITUATIONALLY SPEAKING

Situation2017
 Playing at home 1-1
 Playing on the road 0-2
 Playing on a neutral field 0-0
 Playing at night 1-0
 Playing during the day 0-3
 Mercer scores on first possession 0-1
 Opponent scores on first possession 0-0
 Mercer scores first 1-1
 Opponent scores first 0-2
 Mercer leads after 1st quarter 1-1
 Opponent leads after 1st quarter 0-2
 Tied after 1st quarter 0-0
 Mercer leads at halftime 1-1
 Opponent leads at halftime 0-2
 Tied at halftime 0-0
 Mercer leads after 3rd quarter 1-2
 Opponent leads after 3rd quarter 0-1
 Tied after 3rd quarter 0-0
 Games goes to overtime 0-1
 Mercer has more total yards 1-1
 Opponent has more total yards 0-2
 Mercer has more rushing yards 1-1
 Opponent has more rushing yards 0-2
 Teams have even rushing yards 0-0
 Mercer has more passing yards 1-1
 Opponent has more passing yards 0-2
 Mercer has more turnovers 0-2
 Opponent has more turnovers 1-1
 Teams have equal turnovers 0-0
 Mercer has more penalties 0-0
 Opponent has more penalties 0-3
 Teams have equal penalties 1-0
 Mercer has more time of possession 1-1
 Opponent has more time of possession 0-2
 Mercer has 100-yard rusher 0-1
 Opponent has 100-yard rusher 0-1
 Mercer scores at least 20 points 1-2
 Opponent scores at least 20 points 0-3
 Mercer throws for 300 yards 0-0
 Opponent throws for 300 yards 0-1
 Playing on natural grass 0-1
 Playing on artificial surface 1-2
 Mercer defense scores 0-0
 Opponent defense scores 0-0
 Mercer returns KO/Punt for TD 0-0
 Opponent returns KO/Punt for TD 0-0

MERCER 48, JACKSONVILLE 7**Aug. 31 at Macon, Ga.**

MACON, Ga. (AP) — Kaelan Riley threw for three touchdowns and ran for two more in his first career game to lead Mercer to a 48-7 win over Jacksonville in a season opener on Thursday night.

The redshirt freshman was 18 of 26 for 206 yards and ran 10 times for 54 yards. Riley replaced John Russ, who started every game in his four years, which coincided with Mercer bringing back football in 2013 after dropping the sport in 1942. It was the Bears' largest season-opening win since beating Georgia Southern 77-0 in 1937.

Riley connected with Sam Walker for 8- and 18-yard scores and scored on a 4-yard run as the Bears led 27-0 at half-time. He added a 58-yard strike to Edmond Graham and a 13-yard scoring run in the third quarter as the lead reached 48-0. LeMarkus Bailey had 10 tackles and an interception for the Mercer defense. Caysaun Wakeley had 15 tackles for Jacksonville, which turned it over three times.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Score	
Jacksonville	0	0	0	7	7	Record: (0-1)
Mercer	14	13	21	0	48	Record: (1-0)

Scoring Summary:

1st	07:42	MER	Alex Lakes 18 yd run (Cole Fisher kick), 2-19 0:50, JU 0 - MER 7
	04:00	MER	Sam Walker 8 yd pass from Kaelan Riley (Cole Fisher kick), 6-39 1:53, JU 0 - MER 14
2nd	12:06	MER	Kaelan Riley 4 yd run (Tanner Brumby rush failed), 10-55 3:21, JU 0 - MER 20
	00:32	MER	Sam Walker 18 yd pass from Kaelan Riley (Cole Fisher kick), 9-72 2:03, JU 0 - MER 27
3rd	07:31	MER	Edmond Graham 58 yd pass from Kaelan Riley (Cole Fisher kick), 4-69 1:29, JU 0 - MER 34
	06:44	MER	Kaelan Riley 13 yd run (Cole Fisher kick), 3-13 0:40, JU 0 - MER 41
	00:04	MER	CJ Leggett 2 yd run (Cole Fisher kick), 11-65 4:30, JU 0 - MER 48
4th	10:06	JU	Michon SOBERS 5 yd pass from Rylan WELLS (J. ARCE-RAMIREZ kick), 11-66 4:54, JU 7 - MER 48

Team Statistics

	JU	MER
FIRST DOWNS	11	25
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	45-146	49-177
PASSING YDS (NET)	95	220
Passes Att-Comp-Int	16-9-1	29-21-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	61-241	78-397
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	3-15
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-60	2-19
Interception Returns-Yards	1-40	1-7
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-24.6	2-29.5
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	1-0
Penalties-Yards	6-60	6-41
Possession Time	28:54	31:06
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 15	8 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 3	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	6-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-8	0-0

RUSHING: Jacksonville-Rylan WELLS 12-64; Jamal ADJAMAH 14-47; Keenan SIMPSON 5-14; Irvin RILEY 3-9; Ryder LITTEN 2-6; Will MONTGOMERY 3-6; Pernell RATTRAY 3-1; Larenz Scroggin 1-1; L. WASHINGTON 2-minus 2. Mercer-Kaelan Riley 10-54; Alex Lakes 7-54; CJ Leggett 12-37; Tyray Devezin 6-15; Tee Mitchell 9-14; Tanner Brumby 5-3.

PASSING: Jacksonville-Rylan WELLS 7-9-1-74; Ryder LITTEN 2-7-0-21. Mercer-Kaelan Riley 18-26-1-206; Tanner Brumby 3-3-0-14.

RECEIVING: Jacksonville-Prince GRAY 5-54; Michon SOBERS 2-17; Keenan SIMPSON 1-15; Mitchell BAILEY 1-9. Mercer-Sam Walker 5-47; Marquise Irvin 5-37; Chandler Curtis 4-43; Edmond Graham 2-65; Kelby Brock 1-15; Tucker Cannon 1-7; Rashad Haynes 1-6; Chris Ellington 1-1; Tee Mitchell 1-minus 1.

INTERCEPTIONS: Jacksonville-Emon SMITH 1-40. Mercer-LeMarkus Bailey 1-7.

FUMBLES: Jacksonville-Prince GRAY 1-1; Irvin RILEY 1-1. Mercer-Tee Mitchell 1-0.

SACKS (UA-A): The Citadel-Russell Hubbs 0-1; Kallik Williams 0-1; Kevin Graham 1-0; Noah Dawkins 0-1; Jonathan King 0-1. Mercer-None.

TACKLES (UA-A): Jacksonville-Caysaun WAKELEY 8-7; Emon SMITH 3-8; Thomas OPORTO 4-4; Mike Williams 2-5; Griffin GARLAND 1-7; Trevor TUFANO 2-4; Vasco SANDERS 2-3; J. JOHNSON 3-0; CJ LEWIS 2-2; Cedrick WILCOX 1-4; Torre PARKER 1-2; Crandall MAINES 0-3; Michael Perera 0-3; Bumby MCGEE 0-3; D. MITCHELL 0-3; Tommy Mack 1-0; H. RODORMER 1-0; Joey BERNARDINI 1-0; Nic DUCH 1-0; Prince GRAY 1-0; Josh JEMISON 0-2; Terrance COLEY 0-1; Akem JN Pierre 0-1. Mercer-LeMarkus Bailey 4-6; Will Coneway 3-5; Lee Bennett 1-7; Logan Craighead 2-4; Brandon Coney 2-4; Kyle Williams 2-3; Isaiah Buehler 1-5; Eric Jackson 0-7; Malique Fleming 1-4; Austin Wysor 2-0; Brandon Gurley 1-2; Michael Freeman 1-2; BJ Bohler 1-2; Sidney Otiwu 0-4; Jamar Hall 1-1; Stephen Houzah 0-3; Dorian Kithcart 0-3; Austin Sanders 1-0; Austin Barrett 1-0; Harrison Poole 0-2; Travonte Easley 0-2; Jalen Penn 0-2; Kam Lott 0-1; Behr Cooper 0-1.

Stadium: Five Star Stadium Attendance: 9727

Kickoff time: 7 p.m. End of Game: 10:10 Total elapsed time: 3:10

Officials: Referee: Jerry Wellmaker; Umpire: Tripp Self; Linesman: Robby Spires; Line judge: Mike Owens; Back judge: Scott Prewitt; Field judge: Gary Wiley; Side judge: Rob Rance; Temperature: 77 Wind: SE 3 mph Weather: Partly Cloudy

#10 WOFFORD 28, MERCER 27**Sept. 9 at Macon, Ga.**

MACON, Ga. (AP) — Mercer fell to No. 10 (Coaches/STATS) Wofford, 28-27, despite taking a 14-point lead into halftime in front of a record crowd of 12,727 at Five Star Stadium on Saturday afternoon.

The Bears (1-1, 0-1 Southern Conference) owned a 27-14 advantage with eight minutes and 15 seconds remaining in the contest, but the nationally ranked Terriers (2-0, 2-0 SoCon) rallied with a pair of late touchdowns that clinched their only lead of the contest en route to the road win.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Score	
Wofford	0	7	7	14	28	Record: (2-0,2-0)
Mercer	14	7	0	6	27	Record: (1-1,0-1)

Scoring Summary:

1st	13:21	MER	Marquise Irvin 7 yd pass from Kaelan Riley (Cole Fisher kick), 3-8 1:39, WOF 0 - MER 7
	06:13	MER	Avery Ward 15 yd pass from Kaelan Riley (Cole Fisher kick), 9-72 3:38, WOF 0 - MER 14
2nd	14:14	WOF	Lennox McAfee 33 yd run (Luke Carter kick), 6-55 3:12, WOF 7 - MER 14
	00:21	MER	Kaelan Riley 1 yd run (Cole Fisher kick), 9-67 3:58, WOF 7 - MER 21
3rd	11:55	WOF	Lennox McAfee 57 yd run (Luke Carter kick), 7-82 2:58, WOF 14 - MER 21
4th	14:19	MER	Cole Fisher 32 yd field goal, 11-84 5:15, WOF 14 - MER 24
	08:15	MER	Cole Fisher 34 yd field goal, 4-9 1:31, WOF 14 - MER 27
	06:18	WOF	Andre Stoddard 10 yd run (Luke Carter kick), 6-76 1:54, WOF 21 - MER 27
	03:34	WOF	Blake Morgan 2 yd run (Luke Carter kick), 5-28 2:23, WOF 28 - MER 27

Team Statistics

	WOF	MER
FIRST DOWNS	17	14
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	53-274	33-107
PASSING YDS (NET)	93	167
Passes Att-Comp-Int	11-6-0	28-14-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	64-367	61-274
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-13	2-58
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-62	5-137
Interception Returns-Yards	3-1	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-43.0	4-41.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	4-50	2-15
Possession Time	33:07	26:53
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 14	5 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-3	5-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-13	2-9

RUSHING: Wofford-Lennox McAfee 9-99; Andre Stoddard 10-53; Chase Nelson 6-48; Blake Morgan 10-40; Brandon Goodson 11-36; Ostin McPherson 1-6; TEAM 1-minus 1; Jamison Chapman 3-minus 1; Joe Newman 2-minus 6. Mercer-Tee Mitchell 11-58; CJ Leggett 5-18; Kaelan Riley 12-14; Alex Lakes 3-14; Chandler Curtis 2-3.

PASSING: Wofford-Brandon Goodson 6-11-0-93. Mercer-Kaelan Riley 14-28-3-167.

RECEIVING: Wofford-Jason Hill 3-20; Blake Morgan 2-68; R.J. Taylor 1-5. Mercer-Avery Ward 7-113; Marquise Irvin 5-21; Tee Mitchell 2-33.

INTERCEPTIONS: Wofford-Devin Watson 2-1; Terrance Morris 1-0. Mercer-None.

FUMBLES: Wofford-Brandon Goodson 1-0; Joe Newman 1-0. Mercer-Avery Ward 1-1; Kaelan Riley 1-0.

SACKS (UA-A): Wofford-Thad Mangum 0-1; Brandon Curtis 0-1; Colton Clemons 1-0. Mercer-Austin Wysor 1-0; Kyle Williams 1-0.

TACKLES (UA-A): Wofford-Mason Alstatt 4-2; George Gbese 4-2; D. Wilson 1-6; Brandon Curtis 3-1; Malik Rivera 2-3; Colton Clemons 2-2; Thad Mangum 1-4; Miles Brown 1-4; Terrance Morris 0-6; Weston Rountree 0-5; Graham Massey 2-0; Devin Watson 1-2; Jireh Wilson 0-4; JoJo Tillery 1-1; Tyler Vaughn 0-3; Luke Carter 1-0; Dominique Lemon 1-0; Ross Hammond 0-1; Garrison Moore 0-1; Brandon Zamary 0-1; Dimitri Redwood 0-1; Daryl Vining 0-1. Mercer-Malique Fleming 3-7; LeMarkus Bailey 4-4; Eric Jackson 2-8; Kyle Williams 2-8; Will Coneway 1-8; Travonte Easley 4-0; Lee Bennett 2-4; Jalen Penn 0-8; Stephen Houzah 3-0; Brandon Coney 1-4; Isaiah Buehler 0-6; Austin Wysor 1-2; Kam Lott 1-2; Jonathan Ward 0-3; Sidney Otiwu 0-1; Jamar Hall 0-1; BJ Bohler 0-1; Destin Guillen 0-1.

Stadium: Five Star Stadium Attendance: 12727

Kickoff time: 4 p.m. End of Game: 7:14 pm Total elapsed time: 3:14

Officials: Referee: Edwin Lee; Umpire: W. Kugelmann; Linesman: Walter Sloan; Line judge: Greg Zimmerman; Back judge: Nathan Umberger; Field judge: Pat Jordan; Side judge: Will Lug; Temperature: 81 Wind: NE 15mph Weather: Clear skies, sunny

#15 AUBURN 24, MERCER 10

Sept. 16 at Auburn, Ala.

AUBURN, Ala. — Mercer forced five turnovers including a program-record four fumbles in an impressive but fell to No. 15 (AP) Auburn, 24-10, in an impressive defensive display at Jordan-Hare Stadium on Saturday afternoon.

The Bears (1-2) proved their worth in front of an Auburn Homecoming crowd of 87,033 as they trailed by only seven points with less than five minutes remaining in the game before Auburn sealed its victory with a late touchdown. The five forced turnovers were the most committed by Auburn since Oct. 6, 2012 at Arkansas.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Score	
Mercer	0	3	0	7	10	Record: (1-2)
Auburn	7	3	7	7	24	Record: (2-1)

Scoring Summary:

1st	01:03	AU	Kamryn Pettway 4 yd run (Daniel Carlson kick), 10-85 3:35, MER 0 - AU 7
2nd	05:09	MER	Cole Fisher 21 yd field goal, 4-23 2:06, MER 3 - AU 7
	00:37	AU	Daniel Carlson 29 yd field goal, 6-44 0:50, MER 3 - AU 10
3rd	08:06	AU	Kamryn Pettway 9 yd run (Daniel Carlson kick), 10-78 2:58, MER 3 - AU 17
4th	13:48	MER	Marquise Irvin 7 yd pass from Kaelan Riley (C. Fisher kick), 12-83 6:07, MER 10 - AU 17
	04:50	AU	Kamryn Pettway 4 yd run (Daniel Carlson kick), 7-41 3:00, MER 10 - AU 24

Team Statistics

	MER	AUB
FIRST DOWNS	12	26
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	35-100	43-146
PASSING YDS (NET)	146	364
Passes Att-Comp-Int	32-20-0	37-32-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	67-246	80-510
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	5-47
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	1-8
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-41.5	2-36.5
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	5-4
Penalties-Yards	2-30	6-65
Possession Time	32:08	27:52
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 18	12 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 3	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	4-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-3	0-0

RUSHING: Mercer-CJ Leggett 11-39; Tee Mitchell 11-30; Kaelan Riley 4-16; Alex Lakes 8-13; Tanner Brumby 1-2. Auburn-Kamryn Pettway 34-128; Jarrett Stidham 7-23; TEAM 2-minus 5.

PASSING: Mercer-Kaelan Riley 20-32-0-146. Auburn-Jarrett Stidham 32-37-1-364.

RECEIVING: Mercer-Marquise Irvin 6-65; Sam Walker 6-33; Tee Mitchell 4-31; Chandler Curtis 2-6; Alex Lakes 1-6; Avery Ward 1-5. Auburn-Ryan Davis 9-68; Eli Stove 4-45; Will Hastings 3-71; Kyle Davis 3-62; N. Craig-Myers 3-40; Kamryn Pettway 3-32; N. Igbinoghene 3-24; Devan Barrett 3-17; Sal Cannella 1-5.

INTERCEPTIONS: Mercer-Kam Lott 1-0. Auburn-None.

FUMBLES: Mercer-None. Auburn-Ryan Davis 2-1; Kamryn Pettway 1-1; Eli Stove 1-1; Kyle Davis 1-1.

SACKS (UA-A): Mercer-Lee Bennett 1-0. Auburn-None.

TACKLES (UA-A): Mercer-LeMarkus Bailey 10-1; Eric Jackson 6-3; Lee Bennett 5-4; Harrison Poole 5-2; Sidney Otiwu 4-3; Kyle Williams 4-0; Destin Guillen 3-2; Brandon Coney 3-2; Travonte Easley 3-1; Stephen Houzah 3-1; Malique Fleming 2-3; Dorian Kithcart 2-2; Jalen Penn 2-0; Logan Craighead 1-2; Kyle Trammell 1-1; Jamar Hall 1-1; Brandon Gurley 1-0; Steven Nixon 1-0; Austin Wysor 1-0; Alex Lakes 1-0; Kam Lott 1-0; Jonathan Ward 0-1; Isaiah Buehler 0-1. Auburn-Jeremiah Dinson 5-1; Tre' Williams 4-2; Deshaun Davis 4-1; D. Williams 4-1; Tray Matthews 4-0; Derrick Brown 3-0; Stephen Roberts 3-0; Javaris Davis 3-0; Daniel Thomas 2-1; Jeff Holland 2-0; M. Atkinson 2-0; Big Kat Bryant 1-1; T.D. Moultry 1-0; Jordyn Peters 1-0; Nick Coe 1-0; Jamel Dean 1-0; D. Russell 1-0; John Broussard 1-0; N. Craig-Myers 1-0; Carlton Davis 1-0; Andrew Williams 0-2; Byron Cowart 0-1; Nick Ruffin 0-1; Traivon Leonard 0-1.

Stadium: Jordan-Hare Attendance: 87033

Kickoff time: 3:01 pm End of Game: 6:14 pm Total elapsed time: 3:13

Officials: Referee: David Smith; Umpire: Johnny Hibbett; Linesman: Jay Vines;

Line judge: Marc Bovos; Back judge: Wayne Gautney; Field judge: Mike Boshers; Side judge: Richard Rooker; Center judge: Kevin Vicknair

Temperature: 85 Wind: 4 mph NE Weather: Cloudy

ETSU 26, MERCER 23 (OT)

Sept. 26 at Johnson City, Tenn.

AUBURN, Ala. — Mercer totaled 406 yards of offense but committed an uncharacteristic 10 penalties and fell to ETSU, 26-23, in overtime at William B. Greene, Jr. Stadium on Saturday afternoon.

The Bears (1-3, 0-2 Southern Conference) owned a 10-point lead heading into the fourth quarter before ETSU (2-2, 1-1 SoCon) rallied to force overtime and seal the conference win on its home turf. Mercer fell to 1-2 in overtime contests in the modern era (2013-present).

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	OT	Score	
Mercer	0	6	14	0	3	23	Record: (1-3, 0-2)
ETSU	7	3	0	10	6	26	Record: (2-2, 1-1)

Scoring Summary:

1st	09:25	ETSU	Austin Herink 3 yd run (JJ Jerman kick), 4-21 2:20, MER 0 - ETSU 7
2nd	10:40	ETSU	JJ Jerman 25 yd field goal, 12-49 5:34, MER 0 - ETSU 10
	07:03	MER	C. Curtis 39 yd pass from K. Riley (Cole Fisher kick failed), 9-85 3:31, MER 6 - ETSU 10
3rd	10:10	MER	CJ Leggett 2 yd run (Cole Fisher kick), 4-74 1:27, MER 13 - ETSU 10
	01:11	MER	Tee Mitchell 2 yd run (Cole Fisher kick), 8-80 2:44, MER 20 - ETSU 10
4th	11:22	ETSU	JJ Jerman 49 yd field goal, 13-54 4:43, MER 20 - ETSU 13
	04:41	ETSU	Blake Rodgers 1 yd run (JJ Jerman kick), 8-80 3:52, MER 20 - ETSU 20
OT	15:00	MER	Cole Fisher 29 yd field goal, 6-13 0:00, MER 23 - ETSU 20
	15:00	ETSU	Jajuan Stinson 25 yd pass from Austin Herink, 1-25 0:00, MER 23 - ETSU 26

Team Statistics

	MER	ETSU
FIRST DOWNS	23	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	37-149	41-103
PASSING YDS (NET)	257	284
Passes Att-Comp-Int	22-15-0	33-26-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	59-406	74-387
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-50
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	1-8
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-33	3-47
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-42.6	4-41.2
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	10-95	11-119
Possession Time	24:03	35:57
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 10	6 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-15	1-9

RUSHING: Mercer-CJ Leggett 19-109; Tee Mitchell 13-38; Kaelan Riley 5-2. ETSU-Austin Herink 12-34; Jajuan Stinson 10-34; D. Monroe 11-19; Blake Rodgers 7-16; Drake Powell 1-0.

PASSING: Mercer-Kaelan Riley 15-22-0-257. ETSU-Austin Herink 26-33-0-284.

RECEIVING: Mercer-Avery Ward 5-71; Chandler Curtis 3-91; Marquise Irvin 3-69; Tee Mitchell 2-9; Chris Ellington 1-11; Edmond Graham 1-6. ETSU-Kobe Kelley 5-40; Jajuan Stinson 4-60; Hunter Wike 3-47; B. Richburg 3-40; Drake Powell 3-31; D. Monroe 2-13; Evan Wick 1-16; A. Spagnoletti 1-12; Vincent Lowe 1-8; Quan Harrison 1-7; Jack Shoulders 1-6; River Boruff 1-4.

INTERCEPTIONS: Mercer-None. ETSU-None.

FUMBLES: Mercer-Tee Mitchell 1-1. ETSU-None.

SACKS (UA-A): Mercer-Jalen Penn 2-0; Logan Craighead 1-0. ETSU-JD Griffin 1-0.

TACKLES (UA-A): TACKLES (UA-A): Mercer-Eric Jackson 7-3; Lee Bennett 3-6; Harrison Poole 5-1; Kam Lott 4-1; Sidney Otiwu 4-1; Jalen Penn 3-3; Jamar Hall 3-0; Travonte Easley 3-0; Kyle Williams 2-2; Destin Guillen 2-2; LeMarkus Bailey 2-1; Malique Fleming 1-3; Isaiah Buehler 2-0; Michael Freeman 2-0; Ahmad Arnold 1-2; Logan Craighead 1-2; Brandon Gurley 1-1; Brandon Coney 1-0; Jack Raines 1-0; Avery Ward 1-0; Dorian Kithcart 0-1; Will Coneway 0-1. ETSU-Kaman Cooper 5-3; River Boruff 4-3; D. Williams 4-1; Austin Gatewood 4-0; Nasir Player 3-0; Tyree Robinson 2-2; Blake Bock-rath 2-2; Paul Hunter 2-1; Trey Quillin 2-0; JD Griffin 2-0; Titus Tucker 2-0; Tremond Ferrell 1-2; Dylan Weigel 1-1; Zack Yancey 1-1; Daren Ardis 1-1; Chris Bouyer 1-0; Alonzo Francois 1-0; Colton Lakes 0-1.

Stadium: Bill Greene Jr. Stdm Attendance: 8022

Kickoff time: 3:35pm End of Game: 6:44pm Total elapsed time: 3:09

Officials: Referee: Bob Johnson; Umpire: Steve Coullias; Linesman: Richie Godfrey; Line judge: Dave Lafontaine; Back judge: Wayne Johnson; Field judge: Pat Jordan; Side judge: Cedric Clark; Temperature: 87* Wind: 2 NNW Weather: Mostly Sunny

TEAM STATISTICS 2017

Category	MERCER	OPP
SCORING	108	85
Points Per Game	27.0	21.2
Points Off Turnovers	24	14
FIRST DOWNS	74	76
Rushing	33	35
Passing	30	36
Penalty	11	5
RUSHING YARDAGE	533	669
Yards gained rushing	623	760
Yards lost rushing	90	91
Rushing Attempts	154	182
Average Per Rush	3.5	3.7
Average Per Game	133.2	167.2
TDs Rushing	7	9
PASSING YARDAGE	790	836
Comp-Att-Int	70-111-4	73-97-2
Average Per Pass	7.1	8.6
Average Per Catch	11.3	11.5
Average Per Game	197.5	209.0
TDs Passing	7	2
TOTAL OFFENSE	1323	1505
Total Plays	265	279
Average Per Play	5.0	5.4
Average Per Game	330.8	376.2
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	9-189	15-177
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	5-73	7-68
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	2-7	4-41
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	21.0	11.8
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	14.6	9.7
INT RETURN AVERAGE	3.5	10.2
FUMBLES-LOST	4-2	9-6
PENALTIES-Yards	20-181	27-294
Average Per Game	45.2	73.5
PUNTS-Yards	19-768	18-662
Average Per Punt	40.4	36.8
Net punt average	36.8	32.7
KICKOFFS-Yards	21-1184	17-994
Average Per Kick	56.4	58.5
Net kick average	44.4	35.6
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	28:32	31:28
3RD-DOWN Conversions	21/54	29/60
3rd-Down Pct	39%	48%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	2/5	2/6
4th-Down Pct	40%	33%
SACKS BY-Yards	6-27	4-30
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	14	11
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	4-6	3-5
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(16-17) 94%	(10-14) 71%
RED-ZONE TDs	(12-17) 71%	(8-14) 57%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(12-13) 92%	(10-10) 100%
ATTENDANCE	22454	95055
Games/Avg Per Game	2/11227	2/47528
Neutral Site Games		0/0

SCORE BY QUARTERS

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Mercer	28	29	35	13	3	108
Opponents	14	13	14	38	6	85

RESULTS

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Attend
Aug. 31	Jacksonville	W	48-7	9727
Sept. 9	Wofford *	L	27-28	12727
Sept. 16	at Auburn	L	10-24	87033
Sept. 26	at ETSU*	L (OT)	23-26	8,022

* indicates Southern Conference game

RUSHING

Player	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
CJ Leggett	4	47	213	10	203	4.3	2	22	50.8
Tee Mitchell	4	44	165	25	140	3.2	1	14	35.0
Kaelan Riley	4	31	118	32	86	2.8	3	13	21.5
Alex Lakes	4	18	85	4	81	4.5	1	27	20.2
Tyray Devezin	3	6	15	0	15	2.5	0	4	5.0
Tanner Brumby	4	6	24	19	5	0.8	0	9	1.2
Chandler Curtis	4	2	3	0	3	1.5	0	2	0.8
Total.....	4	154	623	90	533	3.5	7	27	133.2
Opponents.....	4	182	760	91	669	3.7	9	57	167.2

PASSING

Player	G	Effic	C-A-I	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Kaelan Riley	4	136.37	67-108-4	62.0	776	7	58	194.0
Tanner Brumby	3	139.20	3-3-0	100.0	14	0	7	4.7
Total.....	4	136.45	70-111-4	63.1	790	7	58	197.5
Opponents.....	4	150.33	73-97-2	75.3	836	2	46	209.0

RECEIVING

Player	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Marquise Irvin	4	19	192	10.1	2	40	48.0
Avery Ward	4	13	189	14.5	1	41	47.2
Sam Walker	4	11	80	7.3	2	18	20.0
Chandler Curtis	4	9	140	15.6	1	49	35.0
Tee Mitchell	4	9	72	8.0	0	32	18.0
Edmond Graham	4	3	71	23.7	1	58	17.8
Chris Ellington	4	2	12	6.0	0	11	3.0
Kelby Brock	4	1	15	15.0	0	15	3.8
Tucker Cannon	4	1	7	7.0	0	7	1.8
Rashad Haynes	2	1	6	6.0	0	6	3.0
Alex Lakes	4	1	6	6.0	0	6	1.5
Total.....	4	70	790	11.3	7	58	197.5
Opponents.....	4	73	836	11.5	2	46	209.0

PUNT RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Chandler Curtis	4	69	17.2	0	51
Marquise Irvin	1	4	4.0	0	4
Total.....	5	73	14.6	0	51
Opponents.....	7	68	9.7	0	16

INTERCEPTIONS

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Kam Lott	1	0	0.0	0	0
LeMarkus Bailey	1	7	7.0	0	7
Total.....	2	7	3.5	0	7
Opponents.....	4	41	10.2	0	40

KICK RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Chandler Curtis	3	51	17.0	0	21
Rashad Haynes	3	112	37.3	0	90
Chris Ellington	1	7	7.0	0	7
Tyray Devezin	1	0	0.0	0	0
Alex Lakes	1	19	19.0	0	19
Total.....	9	189	21.0	0	90
Opponents.....	15	177	11.8	0	22

FUMBLE RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Total.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents.....	1	50	50.0	0	50

SCORING

Player	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf	Pts
Cole Fisher	0	4-6	12-13	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Kaelan Riley	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Sam Walker	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
CJ Leggett	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Marquise Irvin	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Chandler Curtis	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Edmond Graham	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Tee Mitchell	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Avery Ward	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Alex Lakes	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Tanner Brumby	0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	0
Total.....	14	4-6	12-13	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	108
Opponents.....	11	3-5	10-10	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	85

TOTAL OFFENSE

Player	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Kaelan Riley	4	139	86	776	862	215.5
CJ Leggett	4	47	203	0	203	50.8
Tee Mitchell	4	44	140	0	140	35.0
Alex Lakes	4	18	81	0	81	20.2
Tanner Brumby	4	9	5	14	19	4.8
Tyray Devezin	3	6	15	0	15	5.0
Chandler Curtis	4	2	3	0	3	0.8
Total.....	4	265	533	790	1323	330.8
Opponents.....	4	279	669	836	1505	376.2

ALL-PURPOSE

Player	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Chandler Curtis	4	3	140	69	51	0	263	65.8
Tee Mitchell	4	140	72	0	0	0	212	53.0
CJ Leggett	4	203	0	0	0	0	203	50.8
Marquise Irvin	4	0	192	4	0	0	196	49.0
Avery Ward	4	0	189	0	0	0	189	47.2
Rashad Haynes	2	0	6	0	112	0	118	59.0
Alex Lakes	4	81	6	0	19	0	106	26.5
Kaelan Riley	4	86	0	0	0	0	86	21.5
Sam Walker	4	0	80	0	0	0	80	20.0
Edmond Graham	4	0	71	0	0	0	71	17.8
Chris Ellington	4	0	12	0	7	0	19	4.8
Kelby Brock	4	0	15	0	0	0	15	3.8
Tyray Devezin	3	15	0	0	0	0	15	5.0
Tucker Cannon	4	0	7	0	0	0	7	1.8
LeMarkus Bailey	4	0	0	0	0	7	7	1.8
Tanner Brumby	4	5	0	0	0	0	5	1.2
Total.....	4	533	790	73	189	7	1592	398.0
Opponents.....	4	669	836	68	177	41	1791	447.8

PUNTING

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
Grant Goupil	19	768	40.4	51	0	3	7	1	0
Total.....	19	768	40.4	51	0	3	7	1	0
Opponents.....	18	662	36.8	54	0	6	3	1	1

KICKOFFS

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
Cole Fisher	21	1184	56.4	3	2			
Total.....	21	1184	56.4	3	2	177	44.4	20
Opponents.....	17	994	58.5	8	0	189	35.6	29

FIELD GOALS

Player	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
Cole Fisher	4-6	66.7	0-0	2-2	2-3	0-0	0-1	34	0

FIELD GOAL SEQUENCE

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

Game	Mercer	Opponents
Jacksonville	52	-
Wofford	(32),(34)	-
at Auburn	(21)	(29), 26
at ETSU	35,(29)	(25),23,(49)

2017 DEFENSIVE LEADERS

No.	Defensive Leaders	GP-GS	|-----Tackles-----|			TFL/Yds	|--Sacks--|		|---Pass Def---|		QBH	|--Fumbles--|		Blkd	
			Solo	Asst	Total		No-Yards	Int-Yds	BrUp	Rcv-Yds		FF	Kick	Saf	
16	LeMarkus Bailey	4	20	12	26.0	4.5-17	.	1-7	.	.	.	1-0	1	.	.
17	Eric Jackson	4	15	21	25.5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	Lee Bennett	4	11	21	21.5	2.0-6	1.0-3	.	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
51	Kyle Williams	4	10	13	16.5	4.0-19	1.0-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5	Malique Fleming	4	7	17	15.5	1.0-1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
12	Harrison Poole	4	10	5	12.5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	Sidney Otiwu	4	8	9	12.5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	Brandon Coney	4	7	10	12.0	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	Travonte Easley	4	10	3	11.5	2.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
95	Jalen Penn	4	5	13	11.5	3.5-12	2.0-11	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
23	Will Coneway	4	4	14	11.0	2.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
41	Isaiah Buehler	4	3	12	9.0	1.5-2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
3	Stephen Houzah	4	6	4	8.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
20	Kam Lott	4	6	4	8.0	1.0-2	.	1-0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
50	Logan Craighead	3	4	8	8.0	1.0-4	1.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96	Destin Guillen	4	5	5	7.5	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
6	Jamar Hall	4	5	3	6.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
58	Dorian Kithcart	4	2	6	5.0	1.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
91	Austin Wysor	4	4	2	5.0	2.0-4	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	Brandon Gurley	4	3	3	4.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	Michael Freeman	4	3	2	4.0	1.0-2	.	.	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
26	BJ Bohler	4	1	3	2.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
11	Ahmad Arnold	3	1	2	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	Jonathan Ward	2	.	4	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	Kyle Trammell	4	1	1	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	Austin Barrett	3	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
53	Steven Nixon	4	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
57	Jack Raines	4	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	Alex Lakes	4	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
84	Avery Ward	4	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
67	Austin Sanders	4	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90	Behr Cooper	3	.	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Total.....		4	157	198	256.0	28-81	6-27	2-7	8	5	6-0	7	1	.	.
Opponents.....		4	141	142	212.0	23.0-62	4-30	4-41	12	11	2-50	2	.	.	.

2017 MERCER GAME-BY-GAME SUMMARIES

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	
Aug 31	JACKSONVILLE	49	177	4	27	21	220	3	58	21-29-1	220	3	58	2	19	0	19	3	15	0	11	397
Sep 09	WOFFORD	33	107	1	14	14	167	2	41	14-28-3	167	2	41	5	137	0	90	2	58	0	51	274
Sep 16	at Auburn	35	100	0	14	20	146	1	29	20-32-0	146	1	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	246
Sep 23	at ETSU	37	149	2	22	15	257	1	49	15-22-0	257	1	49	2	33	0	21	0	0	0	0	406
Mercer		154	533	7	27	70	790	7	58	70-111-4	790	7	58	9	189	0	90	5	73	0	51	1323
		182	669	9	57	73	836	2	46	73-97-2	836	2	46	15	177	0	22	7	68	0	16	1505

Games: 4 • Avg/rush: 3.5 • Avg/catch: 11.3 • Pass effic: 136.45 • KR avg: 21.0 • PR avg: 14.6 • All purpose avg/game: 398.0 • Total offense avg/gm: 330.8

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks		Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off	
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Aug 31	JACKSONVILLE	24	70	59.0	5.0-17	0.0-0	2	2-0	1-7	0	2	1	6-6	0	0	0	14	48
Sep 09	WOFFORD	24	68	58.0	8.0-28	2.0-9	1	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	3-3	0	0	0	0	27
Sep 16	at Auburn	60	30	75.0	3.0-6	1.0-3	4	4-0	1-0	1	1	0	1-1	0	0	0	10	10
Sep 23	at ETSU	49	30	64.0	12.0-30	3.0-15	0	0-0	0-0	2	4	0	2-3	0	0	0	0	23
Mercer		157	198	256.0	28.0-81	6.0-27	7	6-0	2-7	5	8	1	12-13	0	0	0	24	108
		141	142	212.0	23.0-62	4.0-30	2	2-50	4-41	11	12	0	10-10	0	0	0	14	85

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Aug 31	JACKSONVILLE	2	59	29.5	35	0	0	1	0	1	0-1	0	0	8	462	57.8	1	1
Sep 09	WOFFORD	4	164	41.0	48	0	0	0	0	1	2-2	34	0	6	319	53.2	0	0
Sep 16	at Auburn	8	332	41.5	51	0	0	0	1	3	1-1	21	0	3	164	54.7	1	1
Sep 23	at ETSU	5	213	42.6	49	0	0	2	0	2	1-2	29	0	4	239	59.8	1	0
Mercer		19	768	40.4	51	0	0	3	1	7	4-6	34	0	21	1184	56.4	3	2
		18	662	36.8	54	1	0	6	1	3	3-5	49	0	17	994	58.5	8	0

2017 OPPONENT GAME-BY-GAME SUMMARIES

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	
Aug 31	JACKSONVILLE	45	146	0	20	9	95	1	33	9-16-1	95	1	33	6	60	0	14	0	0	0	0	241
Sep 09	WOFFORD	53	274	4	57	6	93	0	46	6-11-0	93	0	46	5	62	0	22	1	13	0	13	367
Sep 16	at Auburn	43	146	3	22	32	364	0	38	32-37-1	364	0	38	1	8	0	8	5	47	0	16	510
Sep 23	at ETSU	41	103	2	14	26	284	1	33	26-33-0	284	1	33	3	47	0	21	1	8	0	8	387
Opponents		182	669	9	57	73	836	2	46	73-97-2	836	2	46	15	177	0	22	7	68	0	16	1505
		154	533	7	27	70	790	7	58	70-111-4	790	7	58	9	189	0	90	5	73	0	51	1323

Games: 4 • Avg/rush: 3.7 • Avg/catch: 11.5 • Pass effic: 150.33 • KR avg: 11.8 • PR avg: 9.7 • All purpose avg/game: 447.8 • Total offense avg/gm: 376.2

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks		Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off	
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Aug 31	JACKSONVILLE	34	62	65.0	6.0-13	1.0-8	0	0-0	1-40	0	3	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	7
Sep 09	WOFFORD	24	50	49.0	4.0-17	2.0-13	1	1-0	3-1	1	3	0	4-4	0	0	0	7	28
Sep 16	at Auburn	45	12	51.0	7.0-14	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	8	4	0	3-3	0	0	0	0	24
Sep 23	at ETSU	38	18	47.0	6.0-18	1.0-9	1	1-50	0-0	2	2	0	2-2	0	0	0	7	26
Opponents		141	142	212.0	23.0-62	4.0-30	2	2-50	4-41	11	12	0	10-10	0	0	0	14	85
		157	198	256.0	28.0-81	6.0-27	7	6-0	2-7	5	8	1	12-13	0	0	0	24	108

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Aug 31	JACKSONVILLE	5	123	24.6	36	1	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	2	83	41.5	0	0
Sep 09	WOFFORD	7	301	43.0	49	0	0	3	0	0	0-0	0	0	5	265	53.0	0	0
Sep 16	at Auburn	2	73	36.5	45	0	0	1	0	1	1-2	29	0	5	325	65.0	5	0
Sep 23	at ETSU	4	165	41.2	54	0	0	2	1	2	2-3	49	0	5	321	64.2	3	0
Opponents		18	662	36.8	54	1	0	6	1	3	3-5	49	0	17	994	58.5	8	0
		19	768	40.4	51	0	0	3	1	7	4-6	34	0	21	1184	56.4	3	2

RUSHING GAME-BY-GAME

RUSHING	No-Yds/TD	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
CJ Leggett RB	47-203/2	12-37/1	5-18/0	11-39/0	19-109/1
Tee Mitchell RB	44-140/1	9-14/0	11-58/0	11-30/0	13-38/1
Kaelan Riley QB	31-86/3	10-54/2	12-14/1	4-16/0	5-2/0
Alex Lakes RB	18-81/1	7-54/1	3-14/0	8-13/0	-
Tyray Devezin RB	6-15/0	6-15/0	-	DNP	-
Tanner Brumby QB	6-5/0	5-3/0	-	1-2/0	-
Chandler Curtis WR	2-3/0	-	2-3/0	-	-

RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

RECEIVING	No-Yds/TD	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
Marquise Irvin WR	19-192/2	5-37/0	5-21/1	6-65/1	3-69/0
Avery Ward WR	13-189/1	-	7-113/1	1-5/0	5-71/0
Chandler Curtis WR	9-140/1	4-43/0	-	2-6/0	3-91/1
Sam Walker TE	11-80/2	5-47/2	-	6-33/0	-
Tee Mitchell RB	9-72/0	1--1/0	2-33/0	4-31/0	2-9/0
Edmond Graham WR	3-71/1	2-65/1	-	-	1-6/0
Kelby Brock WR	1-15/0	1-15/0	-	-	-
Chris Ellington TE	2-12/0	1-1/0	-	-	1-11/0
Tucker Cannon WR	1-7/0	1-7/0	-	-	-
Alex Lakes RB	1-6/0	-	-	1-6/0	-
Rashad Haynes RB	1-6/0	1-6/0	-	DNP	DNP

PASSING GAME-BY-GAME

#1 Kaelan Riley	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic
Jacksonville	26	18	1	69.2	206	3	58	1	8	166.2
Wofford	28	14	3	50.0	167	2	41	2	13	102.2
Auburn	32	20	0	62.5	146	1	29	0	0	111.1
ETSU	22	15	0	68.2	257	1	49	1	9	181.3
TOTALS	108	67	4	62.0	776	7	58	4	30	136.4

#14 Tanner Brumby	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic
Jacksonville	3	3	0	100.0	14	0	7	0	0	139.2
TOTALS	3	3	0	100.0	14	0	7	0	0	139.2

PUNT RETURNS GAME-BY-GAME

PUNT RETURNS	No-Yds	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
Chandler Curtis	4-69	2-11	2-58	-	-
Marquise Irvin	1-4	1-4	-	-	-

KICK RETURNS GAME-BY-GAME

KICK RETURNS	No-Yds	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
Rashad Haynes	3-112	-	3-112	DNP	DNP
Chandler Curtis	3-51	-	1-18	-	2-33
Alex Lakes	1-19	1-19	-	-	-
Chris Ellington	1-7	-	1-7	-	-
Tyray Devezin	1-0	1-0	-	DNP	-

INTERCEPTION RETURNS GAME-BY-GAME

INT. RETURNS	No-Yds	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
LeMarkus Bailey	1-7	1-7	-	-	-
Kam Lott	1-0	-	-	1-0	-

FUMBLE RETURNS GAME-BY-GAME

FUMBLE RETURNS	No-Yds	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
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ALL-PURPOSE YARDS GAME-BY-GAME

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS	TOTAL	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
Chandler Curtis	263	54	79	6	124
Tee Mitchell	212	13	91	61	47
CJ Leggett	203	37	18	39	109
Marquise Irvin	196	41	21	65	69
Avery Ward	189	-	113	5	71
Rashad Haynes	118	6	112	DNP	DNP
Alex Lakes	106	73	14	19	-
Kaelan Riley	86	54	14	16	2
Sam Walker	80	47	-	33	-
Edmond Graham	71	65	-	-	6
Chris Ellington	19	1	7	-	11
Tyray Devezin	15	15	-	DNP	-
Kelby Brock	15	15	-	-	-
Tucker Cannon	7	7	-	-	-
LeMarkus Bailey	7	7	-	-	-
Tanner Brumby	5	3	-	2	-

TOTAL TACKLES GAME-BY-GAME

TOTAL TACKLES	UA-A	TOT	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
LeMarkus Bailey LB	20-12	26.0	4-6	4-4	10-1	2-1
Eric Jackson DB	15-21	25.5	0-7	2-8	6-3	7-3
Lee Bennett LB	11-21	21.5	1-7	2-4	5-4	3-6
Kyle Williams LB	10-13	16.5	2-3	2-8	4-0	2-2
Malique Fleming DB	7-17	15.5	1-4	3-7	2-3	1-3
Harrison Poole DB	10-5	12.5	0-2	-	5-2	5-1
Sidney Otiwu LB	8-9	12.5	0-4	0-1	4-3	4-1
Brandon Coney DB	7-10	12.0	2-4	1-4	3-2	1-0
Jalen Penn DL	5-13	11.5	0-2	0-8	2-0	3-3
Travonte Easley LB	10-3	11.5	0-2	4-0	3-1	3-0
Will Coneway LB	4-14	11.0	3-5	1-8	-	0-1
Isaiah Buehler DL	3-12	9.0	1-5	0-6	0-1	2-0
Logan Craighead LB	4-8	8.0	2-4	DNP	1-2	1-2
Kam Lott DB	6-4	8.0	0-1	1-2	1-0	4-1
Stephen Houzah DB	6-4	8.0	0-3	3-0	3-1	-
Destin Guillen DL	5-5	7.5	-	0-1	3-2	2-2
Jamar Hall DB	5-3	6.5	1-1	0-1	1-1	3-0
Dorian Kithcart DL	2-6	5.0	0-3	-	2-2	0-1
Austin Wysor DL	4-2	5.0	2-0	1-2	1-0	-
Brandon Gurley DB	3-3	4.5	1-2	-	1-0	1-1
Michael Freeman LB	3-2	4.0	1-2	-	-	2-0
BJ Bohler DB	1-3	2.5	1-2	0-1	-	-
Ahmad Arnold LB	1-2	2.0	-	DNP	-	1-2
Jonathan Ward LB	0-4	2.0	DNP	0-3	0-1	DNP
Kyle Trammell LB	1-1	1.5	-	-	1-1	-
Austin Sanders	1-0	1.0	1-0	-	-	-
Steven Nixon LS	1-0	1.0	-	-	1-0	-
Jack Raines DL	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1-0
Alex Lakes	1-0	1.0	-	-	1-0	-
Avery Ward	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1-0
Austin Barrett DL	1-0	1.0	1-0	-	DNP	-
Behr Cooper DL	0-1	0.5	0-1	DNP	-	-

TOTAL TACKLES FOR A LOSS GAME-BY-GAME

TACKLES FOR LOSS	UA-A	TOT	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
LeMarkus Bailey LB	4-1	4.5	1.0-7	1.5-7	1.0-2	1.0-1
Kyle Williams LB	3-2	4.0	1.0-2	2.0-14	-	1.0-3
Jalen Penn DL	3-1	3.5	-	0.5-0	-	3.0-12
Will Coneway LB	1-2	2.0	0.5-1	1.0-2	-	0.5-1
Travonte Easley LB	2-0	2.0	-	2.0-3	-	-
Austin Wysor DL	2-0	2.0	1.0-2	1.0-2	-	-
Lee Bennett LB	1-2	2.0	1.0-3	-	1.0-3	-
Isaiah Buehler DL	1-1	1.5	-	-	0.5-1	1.0-1
Dorian Kithcart DL	0-3	1.5	0.5-2	-	0.5-0	0.5-0
Malique Fleming DB	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1.0-1
Logan Craighead LB	1-0	1.0	-	DNP	-	1.0-4
Destin Guillen DL	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1.0-3
Kam Lott DB	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1.0-2
Michael Freeman LB	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1.0-2

FUMBLES FORCED GAME-BY-GAME

FUMBLES FORCED	Number	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
Stephen Houzah	2	-	1	1	-
LeMarkus Bailey	1	-	-	1	-
Travonte Easley	1	-	-	1	-
BJ Bohler	1	1	-	-	-
Alex Lakes RB	1	-	-	1	-
Will Coneway	1	1	-	-	-

FUMBLES RECOVERED GAME-BY-GAME

FUMBLES RECOVERED	Number	JU	WOF	AUB	ETSU
Jamar Hall	1	1	-	-	-
Steven Nixon	1	-	-	1	-
Jalen Penn	1	-	-	1	-
LeMarkus Bailey	1	-	-	1	-
Michael Freeman	1	1	-	-	-
Lee Bennett	1	-	-	1	-

3RD DOWN CONVERSIONS

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	OT Qtr
Aug 31	Jacksonville	W 48-7	8-14 57.1%	1-2 50.0%	3-5 60.0%	3-4 75.0%	1-3 33.3%	
Sep 09	Wofford	L 27-28	5-12 41.7%	2-3 66.7%	3-5 60.0%	0-2 0.0%	0-2 0.0%	
Sep 16	at Auburn	L 10-24	6-18 33.3%	2-4 50.0%	1-5 20.0%	1-4 25.0%	2-5 40.0%	
Sep 23	at ETSU	L 23-26	2-10 20.0%	1-3 33.3%	1-3 33.3%	0-1 0.0%	0-2 0.0%	0-1 0.0%
	Mercer		21-54 38.9%	6-12 50.0%	8-18 44.4%	4-11 36.4%	3-12 25.0%	0-1 0.0%
	Opponents		29-60 48.3%	7-15 46.7%	4-13 30.8%	8-14 57.1%	10-18 55.6%	0-0 0.0%

4TH DOWN CONVERSIONS

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	OT Qtr
Aug 31	Jacksonville	W 48-7	1-2 50.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	1-1 100.0%	0-1 0.0%	
Sep 09	Wofford	L 27-28	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	
Sep 16	at Auburn	L 10-24	1-3 33.3%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-1 0.0%	1-2 50.0%	
Sep 23	at ETSU	L 23-26	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%
	Mercer		2-5 40.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	1-2 50.0%	1-3 33.3%	0-0 0.0%
	Opponents		2-6 33.3%	0-1 0.0%	0-1 0.0%	0-1 0.0%	2-3 66.7%	0-0 0.0%

TIME OF POSSESSION

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	OT Qtr
Aug 31	Jacksonville	W 48-7	31:06	4:35	9:19	9:58	7:14	
Sep 09	Wofford	L 27-28	26:53	6:56	9:03	6:14	4:40	
Sep 16	at Auburn	L 10-24	32:08	7:30	8:18	10:28	5:52	
Sep 23	at ETSU	L 23-26	24:03	6:26	6:31	5:40	5:26	0:00
	Mercer	Total	114:10	25:27	33:11	32:20	23:12	0:00
		Avg.	28:32	6:21	8:17	8:05	5:48	0:00
	Opponents	Total	125:50	34:33	26:49	27:40	36:48	0:00
		Avg.	31:27	8:38	6:42	6:55	9:12	0:00

MERCER INSIDE THE RED ZONE

Date	Opponent	Score	Times		Total	TDs	Rush	Pass	FGs	---- Failed to score inside RZ ----						
			In RZ	Scored						FGA	Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
Aug 31	Jacksonville	W 48-7	6	6	41	6	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Sep 09	Wofford	L 27-28	5	5	27	3	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 16	at Auburn	L 10-24	2	2	10	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Sep 23	at ETSU	L 23-26	4	3	17	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			17	16	95	12	7	5	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
16 of 17 (94.1%)																

OPPONENTS INSIDE THE RED ZONE

Date	Opponent	Score	Times		Total	TDs	Rush	Pass	FGs	---- Failed to score inside RZ ----						
			In RZ	Scored						FGA	Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
Aug 31	Jacksonville	W 48-7	1	1	7	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Sep 09	Wofford	L 27-28	3	2	14	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 16	at Auburn	L 10-24	6	4	24	3	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
*Sep 23	at ETSU	L 23-26	4	3	17	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			14	10	62	8	7	1	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0
10 of 14 (71.4%)																

SUPERLATIVES

INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	19	CJ Leggett at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Yards Rushing	109	CJ Leggett at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
TD Rushes	2	Kaelan Riley vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Long Rush	27	Alex Lakes vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Pass attempts	32	Kaelan Riley at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Pass completions	20	Kaelan Riley at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Yards Passing	257	Kaelan Riley at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
TD Passes	3	Kaelan Riley vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Long Pass	58	Kaelan Riley vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Receptions	7	Avery Ward vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Yards Receiving	113	Avery Ward vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
TD Receptions	2	Sam Walker vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Long Reception	58	Edmond Graham vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Field Goals	2	Cole Fisher vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Long Field Goal	34	Cole Fisher vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Punts	8	Grant Goupil at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Punting Avg	42.6	Grant Goupil at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Long Punt	51	Grant Goupil at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Punts inside 20	3	Grant Goupil at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Long Punt Return	51	Chandler Curtis vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Long Kickoff Return	90	Rashad Haynes vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Tackles	10.5	LeMarkus Bailey at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Sacks	2.0	Jalen Penn at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Tackles For Loss	3.0	Jalen Penn at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Interceptions	1	LeMarkus Bailey vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
		Kam Lott at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)

TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	49	vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Yards Rushing	177	vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Yards Per Rush	4.0	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
TD Rushes	4	vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Pass attempts	32	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Pass completions	21	vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Yards Passing	257	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Yards Per Pass	11.7	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
TD Passes	3	vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Total Plays	78	vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Total Offense	406	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Yards Per Play	6.9	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Points	48	vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Sacks By	3	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
First Downs	25	vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Penalties	10	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Penalty Yards	95	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Turnovers	4	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Interceptions By	1	vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
		at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Punts	8	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Punting Avg	42.6	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Long Punt	51	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Punts inside 20	3	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Long Punt Return	51	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	34	Kamryn Pettway, at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Yards Rushing	128	Kamryn Pettway, at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
TD Rushes	3	Kamryn Pettway, at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Long Rush	57	Lennox McAfee, vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Pass attempts	37	Jarrett Stidham, at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Pass completions	32	Jarrett Stidham, at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Yards Passing	364	Jarrett Stidham, at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
TD Passes	1	Rylan WELLS, vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
		Austin Herink, at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Long Pass	46	Brandon Goodson, vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Receptions	9	Ryan Davis, at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Yards Receiving	71	Will Hastings, at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
TD Receptions	1	Michon SOBERS, vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
		Jajuan Stinson, at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Long Reception	46	Blake Morgan, vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Field Goals	2	JJ Jerman, at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Long Field Goal	49	JJ Jerman, at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Punts	7	Luke Carter, vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Punting Avg	43.0	Luke Carter, vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Long Punt	54	Marion Watson, at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Punts inside 20	2	Marion Watson, at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Long Punt Return	16	Ryan Davis, at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Long Kickoff Return	22	Ostin McPherson, vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Tackles	11.5	Caysaun WAKELEY, vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
Sacks	1.0	Caysaun WAKELEY, vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
		Colton Clemons, vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
		JD Griffin, at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Tackles For Loss	2.0	Austin Gatewood, at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
		JD Griffin, at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Interceptions	2	Devin Watson, vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)

OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	53	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Yards Rushing	274	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Yards Per Rush	5.2	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
TD Rushes	4	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Pass attempts	37	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Pass completions	32	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Yards Passing	364	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Yards Per Pass	9.8	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
TD Passes	1	vs Jacksonville (Aug 31, 2017)
		at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Total Plays	80	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Total Offense	510	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Yards Per Play	6.4	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Points	28	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Sacks By	2	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
First Downs	26	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Penalties	11	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Penalty Yards	119	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Turnovers	5	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)
Interceptions By	3	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Punts	7	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Punting Avg	43.0	vs Wofford (Sep 09, 2017)
Long Punt	54	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Punts inside 20	2	at ETSU (Sep 23, 2017)
Long Punt Return	16	at Auburn (Sep 16, 2017)