



MISSOURI STATE

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2016 MSU SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	TV
Sept. 1	Southwestern (Kan.)	W, 57-0	ESPN3
Sept. 10	at Murray State	W, 28-22	OVC-DN
Sept. 24	at Kansas State	L, 0-35	K-State HD.TV
Oct. 1	at (24) Indiana State*	W, 45-24	ESPN3
Oct. 8	(1) North Dakota State*	L, 3-27	ESPN3
Oct. 15	(12) Western Illinois* (HC)	L, 35-38	KOZL-TV
Oct. 22	at UNI*	L, 7-61	ESPN3
Oct. 29	Southern Illinois*	W, 38-35	ESPN3
Nov. 5	at (13) South Dakota State*	L, 24-49	ESPN3
Nov. 12	at Illinois State*	L, 0-37	ESPN3
Nov. 19	(14) Youngstown State*	2:04 p.m.	ESPN3

*Missouri Valley Football Conference game; all times Central
HC - Missouri State Homecoming
Radio broadcasts of all MSU games carried live on KTXR FM 101.3

HEAD TO HEAD

MSU	Category	YSU
23.7	Scoring Offense	21.5
134.8	Rushing Offense	229.4
191.5	Pass Offense	156.3
121.57	Pass Efficiency	115.83
326.3	Total Offense	385.7
166	First Downs	202
32.8	Scoring Defense	16.2
144.4	Rushing Defense	112.6
268.6	Pass Defense	184.1
136.32	Pass Defense Efficiency	118.32
413.0	Total Defense	296.7
-7	Turnover Margin	-4
20.4	Kickoff Returns	17.9
13.0	Punt Returns	16.6
36.6	Net Punting	38.1
27:27	Time of Possession	33:43
55.0	Tackles for Loss	66.0
17-125	Sacks-Yards	37-262
13-93	Sacks Allowed-Yards	19-87

TEAM LEADERS

MSU	YSU
Rushing (ypg)	Rushing (ypg)
Jason Randall .....49.8	Martin Ruiz .....82.5
Calan Crowder .....39.0	Jody Webb .....63.4
Passing (ypg)	Passing (ypg)
Brodie Lambert .....166.0	Hunter Wells .....149.0
Receiving (ypg)	Receiving (ypg)
Malik Earl .....56.0	Darien Townsend .....32.7
Zac Hoover .....43.3	Alvin Bailey .....26.6
Tackles (total)	Tackles (total)
Dylan Cole .....1126	Armand Dellovade .....68
McNiece Egbin .....67	Jameel Smith .....56
Sacks (total)	Sacks (total)
Colby Isbell .....6.5	Avery Moss .....9.5
Two tied with .....2.0	Derek Rivers .....9.0



MISSOURI STATE BEARS (4-6, 2-5 MVFC)

ConferenceMVFC
Head CoachDave Steckel
Alma MaterKutztown (1982)
Career Record5-16 (2nd year)
Record at MSUsame

GAME INFORMATION

DateSaturday, Nov. 19
Kickoff2:04 p.m. (CST)
SiteSpringfield, Mo.
StadiumRobert W. Plaster Stadium
Capacity17,500
SurfaceSporturf Powerhouse 3C 52H
Series HistoryYSU leads 13-5
Last MeetingYSU won 47-7
.....Nov. 7, 2015 in Youngstown
RadioKTXR 101.3 FM
.....Missouri State Radio Network
.....(Art Hains, Corey Riggs)
WatchESPN3
Live StatsMissouriStateBears.com
Twitter@MoStateFootball



(14) YOUNGSTOWN STATE PENGUINS (7-3, 5-2 MVFC)

ConferenceMVFC
Head CoachBo Peline
Alma MaterOhio State (1994)
Career Record79-36 (9th year)
Record at YSU12-9 (2nd year)

FIRST AND TEN

- The **Missouri State Bears** will put the finishing touches on the 2016 season Saturday (Nov. 19) afternoon, when they host the 14th-ranked **Youngstown State Penguins** at Robert W. Plaster Stadium
- Youngstown State holds a 13-5 series edge over the Bears, including a 6-3 mark against the Bears in Springfield; the Penguins have won the last two meetings to reverse a four-game MSU win streak in the series from 2008-11
- The Bears will honor their seven seniors and a pair of graduating fourth-year juniors, on the field prior to Saturday's contest; this year's senior class includes a pair of All-MVFC performers, as well as five student-athletes who have garnered MVFC Academic Honor Roll or All-Academic Team recognition during their respective careers
- Missouri State enters its final game of the season ranked 21st among all FCS programs in home attendance (11,354 per game) and will be aiming for its 22nd-consecutive top-50 national finish in average home attendance
- Preseason All-America linebacker **Dylan Cole** leads all NCAA Division I FCS defenders in total tackles per game (12.5); Cole is coming off a game-high 13-tackle performance at Illinois State, giving the senior 21 double-digit tackle totals in his 45 career games, including 14 in a row in MVFC play
- Cole is second among all active FCS defenders in career tackles (441), which is good for fourth on the Bears' career list, just 11 stops behind John Harvey in the No. 3 position on the chart
- Brodie Lambert's** 16 touchdown passes this fall rank as the fourth-best single-season total in MSU history, trailing only Jay Rodgers (24 in 1999), Kierra Harris (19 in 2014) and Trevor Wooden (17 in 2011); he also ranks 10th on the Bears' career charts for completions (233) and touchdowns (19)
- All 16 of Lambert's TD passes have come during MVFC play, giving him the third-highest total among all Valley signal-callers during league action; he also ranks sixth in the conference for total offense (216.9 ypg.) in Valley action
- Junior return specialist **Deion Holliman** ranks eighth in the nation in combined kick return yardage (775) and, with 2,471 career all-purpose yards to his credit, needs just 22 additional yards to move into the Bears career top 15
- Holliman is the only FCS returner with both a punt and kickoff return for a TD in each of the last two seasons; with his 57-yard punt return for a TD vs. SIU (Oct. 29) — the fourth touchdown return of his career — he moved into a tie with Ken Braden for second on the Bears' career touchdown return list, just one behind all-time leader Cornelius Perry

BEARS SET TO HONOR SENIORS, CONCLUDE 2016 SEASON SATURDAY

The **Missouri State Bears** (4-6, 2-5 MVFC) will close out their 105th season of varsity football Saturday (Nov. 19) when they host the No. 14 **Youngstown State Penguins** (7-3, 5-2 MVFC) in a 2:04 p.m. (CST) Missouri Valley Football Conference game at Robert W. Plaster Stadium. Saturday's game marks the final home contest in the careers of nine MSU seniors, who will be recognized on the field prior to kickoff.

One such senior — linebacker **Dylan Cole** — spearheads a Missouri State defense that ranks 45th nationally against the run (144.4 ypg.). Cole leads the nation in tackles per game (12.5), while the Bears have registered 17 total takeaways to rank fourth in the Valley. Fellow senior co-captain **Riley Shantz** is expected to make his 24th start on the Bears' offensive line Saturday. The Springfield native has helped that unit post the 27th best sacks allowed (1.3 per game) mark in the country this fall.

MSU enters the game in search of its first five-win season since 2013, as well as its first winning campaign at home in six years. MSU is coming off a pair of road setbacks to playoff hopefuls South Dakota State and Illinois State. The Bears will be facing another squad that figures to factor prominently in the FCS postseason discussion, as the Penguins still have a shot at a share of the MVFC title, as well as their first FCS Playoff berth since 2006. Youngstown State posted a 21-14 win over Southern Illinois last weekend to remain unbeaten at home this fall. YSU boasts both the top total defense (296.7 ypg.) and scoring defense (16.2 ppg.) in the conference.

SERIES INFORMATION

MSU vs. ISU	5-13
Home.....	3-6
Road.....	2-7
Neutral.....	0-0
Current Streak.....	Lost 2
Dave Steckel vs. YSU	0-1
Bo Peline vs. MSU	1-0
Last 10 Meetings	5-5
11/13/04.....at Springfield.....	W, 34-28
10/22/05.....at Youngstown.....	L, 7-31
9/30/06.....at Springfield.....	L, 10-37
9/29/07.....at Youngstown.....	L, 21-49
10/11/08.....at Springfield.....	W, 42-28
10/3/09.....at Youngstown.....	W, 17-7
10/2/10.....at Springfield.....	W, 35-25
11/19/11.....at Youngstown.....	W, 38-34
10/4/14.....at Springfield.....	L, 7-14
11/7/15.....at Youngstown.....	L, 7-47



MISSOURI STATE FOOTBALL



GAME 11 | MISSOURI STATE (4-6, 2-5 MVFC) vs. YOUNGSTOWN STATE (7-3, 5-2 MVFC) | Sat., Nov. 19, 2016 | 2:04 p.m. (CST) | Springfield, Mo. | Plaster Stadium (17,500) | Bears Football Radio Network | ESPN3

MISSOURI STATE QUICK FACTS

Founded	1905
Location	Springfield, Mo.
Address	901 S. National Ave.
.....	Springfield, MO 65897
Web Site	MissouriState.edu
Switchboard	(417) 836-5000
President	Clif Smart
Enrollment	26,000
Nickname	Bears
School Colors	Maroon and White
National Affiliation	NCAA Division I (FCS)
Conference	Missouri Valley Football Conference
Director of Athletics	Kyle Moats
Faculty Athletics Representative	James Hutter
Tickets	(417) 836-7678, (888) 476-7849
.....	MissouriStateBears.com/Tickets

Stadium

Home Facility	Robert W. Plaster Stadium
Opened	1941 (renovated 1991, 2014)
Capacity	17,500
Surface	Sporturf Powerhouse 3C 52H
Press Box Phone	(417) 836-5976

Team Information

2015 Overall Record	1-10 (1-4 Home, 0-6 Away)
2015 MVFC Record	0-8 (10th)
Lettermen Returning/Lost	39/16
Offense	22/6
Defense	17/7
Starters Returning/Lost	15/7
Offense	8/3
Defense	7/4

History

First Season	1909
All-Time Record (105 seasons)	462-493-39 (.484)
All-Time at Plaster Field (75 seasons)	210-164-12 (.560)
All-Time NCAA FCS Playoff Record	1-2 (2 app.)
MVFC Championships	1989, 1990
MIAA Championships	1928, 1940, 1948, 1951,
.....	1963, 1966, 1978

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BEARS' MEDIA AVAILABILITY

- Head coach Dave Steckel and select players - Mon. (Nov. 14) at Forsythe Athletics Complex (4 p.m.)
- Pre-practice video - Tue. (Nov. 15) at Plaster Stadium (3:20-3:40 p.m.)
- Contact Athletics Communications staff



SENIOR SENDOFF

Missouri State will close its 2016 season Saturday, marking the final contests in the careers of nine MSU seniors. This year's class features a pair of All-MVFC performers in **Dylan Cole** and **Riley Shantz**, as well as five student-athletes who have garnered MVFC academic honors during their careers. Five seniors will earn their fourth letters with the Bears this fall, including Cole, Shantz, **Phoenix Johnson**, **Zac Hoover** and **LeMarcus Stewart**. Two-year lettermen **Brodie Lambert** and **Terrence Neuhauser** will make their final appearances with the Bears, as will fourth-year juniors **Gus Carter** and **Shelby Harris**, who are slated to complete their undergraduate degrees this academic year.

MOVING ON UP

Two of those MSU seniors will enter the final contests looking to make their moves up MSU single-season and career charts. Senior linebacker **Dylan Cole**, who has started all 45 games of his MSU career, logged his 14th consecutive double-digit tackle total in MVFC play last Saturday at Illinois State and needs 11 more stops to catch John Harvey (452) in the No. 3 position on the Bears' career tackles list. Cole also enters the week 4.5 tackles for loss short of Steve Watson (45.0) in the No. 2 spot on that MSU career list. Cole leads the nation in tackles per game (12.5) and ranks second among all active NCAA Division I FCS defenders — and tops in the MVFC — in career tackles (441).

Additionally, **Brodie Lambert's** 19 TD passes is currently the No. 10 career total in program history, just one shy of the No. 9 mark (Kent Stringer) and two short of Derek Jensen's 21, which rank eighth. Lambert also sits in 10th on the single-season completions list (233), 13 behind Frank Miller in the ninth spot.

A pair of juniors are also making their moves on the MSU career charts. **Malik Earl** enters Saturday's game 16th on the Bears' all-time list for receiving yards (1,158), just 86 yards shy of Dorian Buford (1,244) in the No. 15 spot. Return specialist **Deion Holliman** ranks eighth nationally in combined kick return yardage (775) this fall and enters the final game of the year with 1,777 career kickoff return yards, which is good for second all-time at MSU. His 2,471 all-purpose yards also rate 15th on the Bears' career chart, just 22 yards behind Jason Cannon in the No. 14 position.

SPREADING THE WEALTH

Senior quarterback **Brodie Lambert** continued his MVFC surge with a 224-yard passing day at South Dakota State (Nov. 5). Lambert hooked up with **Zac Hoover** on a 91-yard touchdown pass that represented the third-longest in MSU history, as well as scoring strikes to both **Malik Earl** and **Erik Furmanek**. That effort marked the fourth 200-yard passing game this season for Lambert, as well as the fourth time this season at least three different Bears have caught touchdown passes in the same game.

Against Southern Illinois (Oct. 29), Lambert posted career highs for total offense (390), passing yards (339) and rushing yards (51), while tossing four touchdown passes to lead MSU's 38-35 comeback victory. Lambert, who earned MVFC Offensive Player of the Week honors for the first time in his MSU career as a result, threw for three TDs in the second half, helping the Bears rally from a 14-point deficit.

Lambert's 390 yards of offense represented the sixth-best single-game total in school history, and the most by a Missouri State player since Kierra Harris's 397 yards at Central Arkansas in 2014. The Arlington, Texas, native also registered one of his finest performances as a Bear Oct. 15 vs. No. 12 Western Illinois, finishing the day with a career-best five touchdown passes to match a Missouri State single-game record.

BEARS CAREER TACKLES

No.	Player	Years	Tackles
1.	P.J. Jones	1998-01	500
2.	Corky Martin	1997-00	487
3.	John Harvey	1978-81	452
4.	Dylan Cole	2013-pr.	441
5.	Dennis O'Hagen	1976-80	423

BEARS CAREER TACKLES FOR LOSS

No.	Player	Years	TFLs
1.	Corky Martin	1997-00	57.0
2.	Steve Watson	2001-04	45.0
3.	Dylan Cole	2013-pr.	40.5
4.	P.J. Jones	1998-01	32.0
5.	Nick Canavan	2010-13	28.5

BEARS CAREER PASSING TOUCHDOWNS

No.	Player	Years	TDs
1.	Cody Kirby	2007-10	47
2.	Mitch Ware	1976-79	36
	Jeremy Hoog	1994-97	36
4.	A.J. Porter	2002-05	33
	Kierra Harris	2011-14	33
6.	Greg Arteburn	1982-85	24
	Jay Rodgers	1999	24
8.	Derek Jensen	1995-98	21
9.	Kent Stringer	1973-75	20
10.	Brodie Lambert	2015-pr.	19

BEARS CAREER COMPLETIONS

No.	Player	Years	Comp.
1.	Cody Kirby	2007-10	690
2.	Jeremy Hoog	1994-97	569
3.	Kierra Harris	2011-14	371
4.	Mitch Ware	1976-79	322
5.	Derek Jensen	1995-98	313
6.	Austin Moherman	2000-01	308
7.	A.J. Porter	2002-05	300
8.	DeAndre Smith	1987-90	281
9.	Frank Miller	1971-72	246
10.	Brodie Lambert	2015-pr.	233

BEARS CAREER RECEIVING YARDS

No.	Player	Years	Yards
1.	Jermaine Saffold	2009-11	2,221
2.	Steve Newbold	1977-80	1,990
3.	Chance Thurman	1996-99	1,971
4.	Julian Burton	2010-14	1,942
5.	Jason Cannon	1995-97	1,913
6.	Clay Harbor	2006-09	1,906
7.	Tom Hamilton	1974-77	1,803
8.	Jeff Hewitt	1998-00	1,703
9.	Mark Marcos	2001-02	1,486
10.	Steven Rush	2003-04	1,461
11.	Anthony Pegues	1990-93	1,445
12.	Sean Adams	1998-01	1,404
13.	Cadarius Dotson	2009-12	1,327
14.	Kaya Farris	2002-05	1,255
15.	Dorian Buford	2011-13	1,244
16.	Malik Earl	2014-pr.	1,158
17.	Jeremy Nicholson	2004-07	1,076
18.	Brad St. Louis	1996-99	1,074
19.	Phil Perkins	1992-95	1,024
20.	Ray Ratcliff	1985-88	1,020

BEARS CAREER KICKOFF RETURN YARDAGE

No.	Player	Years	Yards
1.	Tony Gilbert	1986-89	2,446
2.	Deion Holliman	2014-pr.	1,777
3.	Julian Burton	2010-14	1,378
4.	Steven Rush	2003-04	1,120
5.	Lynn May	1979-82	905



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2016 VALLEY FOOTBALL STANDINGS

School.....	Overall.....	PF.....	PA.....	MVFC.....	PF.....	PA.....
North Dakota State.....	9-1.....	282.....	167.....	6-1.....	185.....	85.....
South Dakota State.....	7-3.....	366.....	288.....	6-1.....	238.....	163.....
Youngstown State.....	7-3.....	215.....	162.....	5-2.....	111.....	108.....
UNI.....	5-5.....	296.....	197.....	4-3.....	227.....	123.....
Illinois State.....	6-5.....	288.....	231.....	4-4.....	208.....	187.....
Western Illinois.....	6-4.....	285.....	302.....	3-4.....	185.....	238.....
South Dakota.....	4-6.....	308.....	351.....	3-4.....	191.....	207.....
Missouri State.....	4-6.....	237.....	328.....	2-5.....	152.....	271.....
Indiana State.....	4-7.....	274.....	359.....	2-6.....	178.....	252.....
Southern Illinois.....	3-7.....	296.....	304.....	1-6.....	186.....	227.....

LAST WEEK

Saturday (Nov. 12)

Youngstown State 21, Southern Illinois 14

Illinois State 37, Missouri State 0

UNI 30, Western Illinois 23

South Dakota State 28, South Dakota 21

North Dakota State 41, Indiana State 17

THIS WEEK

Saturday (Nov. 19)

North Dakota State at South Dakota (2 p.m.)

Western Illinois at Southern Illinois (2 p.m.)

Youngstown State at Missouri State (2:04 p.m.)

South Dakota State at UNI (4 p.m.)

MVFC PRESEASON POLL

No.	Team (First-place votes)	W-L	Points	Finish
1.	North Dakota State (37)	13-2	388	t-1st
2.	UNI (2)	9-5	343	t-3rd
3.	South Dakota State	8-4	284	t-3rd
4.	Illinois State	10-3	274	t-1st
4.	Youngstown State	5-6	254	t-6th
6.	Western Illinois	7-6	176	t-3rd
7.	South Dakota	5-6	146	t-6th
8.	Southern Illinois	3-8	124	9th
9.	Indiana State	5-6	115	t-6th
10.	Missouri State	1-10	41	10th

VALLEY OFFICE

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Coaches Conference Calls.....	Sept. 6, Oct. 4, Nov. 1
Schedule.....	Coach
10:00 a.m.....	Mike Sanford, INS
10:06 a.m.....	Bo Pelini, YSU
10:12 a.m.....	Charlie Fisher, WIU
10:18 a.m.....	Brock Spack, ILS
10:24 a.m.....	Nick Hill, SIU
10:30 a.m.....	Dave Steckel, MSU
10:36 a.m.....	John Stiegelmeier, SDSU
10:42 a.m.....	Bob Nielson, USD
10:48 a.m.....	Mark Farley, UNI
10:54 a.m.....	Chris Klieman, NDSU
Media Call-in Number.....	(877) 393-4731



CLOSING TIME

Missouri State's come-from-behind win over Southern Illinois (Oct. 29) was made possible by a dominant second-half performance by its defense, which limited the Salukis to 146 yards of offense after intermission. The Bears' run defense has been particularly effective in the second half all season and was a key factor against the Salukis, holding SIU to 112 rushing yards for the day and just 22 combined yards in the third and fourth quarters. MSU permitted just one offensive touchdown and six first downs after halftime, while forcing five punts to allow the Bears offense time to overcome a 14-point deficit.

For the year, MSU has allowed an average of just 71.9 rushing yards and 12.6 points in the second half, with the Bears offense outscoring the opposition by an 80-48 margin in the fourth quarter alone.

FURMANEK FEELING IT

Junior tight end **Erik Furmanek** has been a force in the Bears' passing game as well over the last month, with 20 of his 24 receptions on the season coming in MSU's last six contests. At SDSU (Nov. 5), he hauled in three catches, including his third touchdown reception of the season, then caught three more passes last weekend at Illinois State.

The Belleville, Ill., native has been MSU's second-leading receiver during league play, averaging just under three grabs and 23.6 yards per outing. For the season, Furmanek's 24 receptions mark the most for a Bears tight end since the 2012 season, when Matt Thayer reeled in 38 passes for 294 yards.

CHUNK THIS

Missouri State's propensity for big plays has been on display throughout the first 10 games this season, with the Bears logging 24 offensive plays of 25 yards or more so far this year. That figure has already surpassed the total of the 2015 Bears, who registered just 15 such 'chunk' gains for their entire 11-game season.

Additionally, MSU has 17 scoring drives of 75 yards or more, as well as 13 different scoring series extending at least nine plays, up from 2015 totals of just seven and 11, respectively.

MSU TOP SEASON HOME ATTENDANCE

No.	Year	Total	Avg	NCAA
1.	1996	65,905	13,181	14th
2.	1997	77,698	12,950	11th
3.	1992	60,639	12,128	29th
4.	1999	72,590	12,098	24th
5.	1991	58,603	11,721	NA
6.	2014	58,324	11,665	18th
7.	2016	45,415	11,354	21st
8.	1995	65,467	10,911	31st
9.	2011	43,217	10,804	31st
10.	2005	53,302	10,660	25th

MSU TOP SINGLE-GAME HOME ATTENDANCE

Attendance	Opponent	Date
18,386	vs. North Dakota	9/13/14
17,835	vs. Chadron State	9/12/15
16,672	vs. Pittsburg State	8/28/97
15,878	vs. Western Illinois	11/2/96
15,647	vs. Missouri Southern	9/9/00
15,634	vs. UNI	11/1/97
15,579	vs. McNeese State	9/14/91
15,547	vs. UNI	10/16/99
15,537	vs. South Dakota	10/18/14
15,122	vs. Southern Illinois	10/23/04
15,097	vs. Truman State	9/14/96
15,097	vs. Truman State	9/14/96
15,038	vs. UNI	9/26/09
15,005	vs. Illinois State	9/25/99
14,911	vs. UNI	10/18/03
14,906	vs. Southern Illinois	10/5/96

BEARS IN THE FCS NATIONAL RANKINGS

Player/Category	Raw	NCAA	MVFC
Dylan Cole			
Total Tackles/Game	12.5	1	1
Solo Tackles/Game	7.8	2	2
Forced Fumbles/Game	0.30	19	3
Zach Drake			
Punting Avg.	39.8	56	8
Malik Earl			
Receiving Yards/Game	56.0	96	7
Deion Holliman			
Kickoff Return TD's	1	4	1
Punt Return TD's	1	5	1
Combined Kick Return Yards	775	8	1
Kickoff Return Avg.	23.1	38	2
All-Purpose Yards/Game	107.9	58	4
Zac Hoover			
Yards/Reception	18.04	30	5
Receiving TD's	5	68	7
Skylar Hulse			
Fumbles Recovered	2	17	1
Colby Isbell			
Sacks/Game	0.65	46	6
Tackles for Loss/Game	1.2	52	3
Brodie Lambert			
Passing TD's	16	34	6
Points Responsible For/Game	10.7	61	7
Completion Pct.	0.566	61	8
Completions/Game	14.33	63	7
Passing Efficiency	123.4	64	8
Passing Yard/Game	166.0	69	7
Passing Yards/Completion	11.58	72	7
Passing Yards	1,494	72	8
Yards/Pass Attempt	6.55	73	8
Total Offense/Game	173.8	81	8

PACKING PLASTER

The Bears enter their final contest of the season ranked 21st nationally in average home attendance. MSU's per-game average of 11,354 is the fifth-highest in the Valley, and currently ranks as the No. 7 overall home average in the history of the program.

The Bears are gunning for their 22nd consecutive top-50 finish nationally in average attendance. With a cumulative home attendance of 45,415 for the year, the Bears need to draw 12,910 to eclipse their top season attendance total in the renovated Robert W. Plaster Stadium (58,324 in 2014).

THANK ME LATER

Redshirt freshman kicker/punter **Zach Drake** continues to ease into his role as the Bears special teams utility man. Drake drilled the deciding 32-yard field goal with just 10 seconds remaining in regulation to lift MSU past Southern Illinois on Oct. 29. In addition to his game-winning kick, the redshirt freshman boomed a personal-best 69-yard punt in the opening quarter, marking the longest punt by a Bear since Chris Sullens' 74-yarder vs. SIU on Nov. 8, 2014.

Drake finished his memorable day with an average of 47.7 yards on his three punts and four touchbacks on seven kickoffs. The Lee's Summit, Mo., product ranks seventh in the MVFC in punting (39.7) during conference play and his career-best punt vs. SIU is the second-longest by a Valley punter this season.



BEARS ON THE AIR

Missouri State Bears Radio Network

Ava	KKOZ (1430 AM / 92.1 FM)
Conway/Little Rock	KASR (92.7 FM)
Jefferson City	KJMO (97.5 FM)
Kansas City	KCWJ (1030 AM)
Poplar Bluff	KLID (1340 AM)
Springfield	*KTXR (101.3 FM)/KWTO (98.7 FM)/KBFL (1060 AM)
St. Louis	KZQZ (1430 AM)
Troy	KYRO (1280 AM)
Online	www.RadioSpringfield.com

*flagship station

Bears Radio Team

Art Hains begins his 37th season as the radio voice of the Bears. He has now called 398 games during his career at MSU, dating back to 1977.

Bears on ESPN3

Fans can keep tabs on the Bears through **The Valley on ESPN3**. As part of the Missouri Valley Conference's media rights agreement with ESPN, each of the Bears' 11 games in 2016 are scheduled to be broadcast, including all eight MVFC games on ESPN3.

Sept. 1	Southwestern College	ESPN3
Sept. 10	at Murray State	OVC DN
Sept. 24	at Kansas State	K-State HD.TV
Oct. 1	at Indiana State	ESPN3
Oct. 8	vs. North Dakota State	ESPN3
Oct. 15	vs. Western Illinois	KOZL-TV
Oct. 22	at UNI	ESPN3
Oct. 29	vs. Southern Illinois	ESPN3
Nov. 5	at South Dakota State	ESPN3
Nov. 12	at Illinois State	ESPN3
Nov. 19	vs. Youngstown State	ESPN3

Bears Coaches Shows

Every Tuesday (beginning Sept. 6), "**Bears Hotline With Dave Steckel**" airs at 7 p.m. on KWTO (98.7 FM) in Springfield. The show is hosted by Art Hains and originates from Houlihan's north location in Springfield.

The "**Bear Up With Stec**" television show airs every Sunday at 9:30 p.m. on KOZL-TV. Hosted by Dan Lucy, the first show will air Sept. 11 following the Bears' second game of the season at Murray State.

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MSU TRAVEL PLANS

at Murray State

Depart Springfield on Friday, Sept. 9 via charter coach to Hardin, Ky. Stay at Kenlake State Resort Park, (270) 474-2211. Return by charter coach after game.



at Kansas State

Depart Springfield on Saturday, Sept. 23 via charter coach to Manhattan, Kan. stay at Four Points by Sheraton, (785) 587-5561. Return by charter coach after game.



at Indiana State

Depart Springfield on Friday, Sept. 30 via charter flight to Terre Haute. Stay at Holiday Inn Effingham, (217) 540-7777. Return via charter flight after game.



at UNI

Depart Springfield on Friday, Oct. 21 via charter flight to Waterloo, Iowa. Stay at Ramada Inn Waterloo, (319) 233-9590. Return via charter flight after game.



at South Dakota State

Depart Springfield on Friday, Nov. 4 via charter flight to Sioux Falls, Iowa. Stay at Holiday Inn Sioux Falls, (605) 339-2000. Return via charter flight after game.



at Illinois State

Depart Springfield on Friday, Nov. 11 via charter coach to Normal, Ill. Stay at Marriott Hotel, (309) 862-9000. Return by charter coach after game.



HAVE A DAY

Several Bears enjoyed career days in addition to **Brodie Lambert's** notable performance vs. Western Illinois (Oct. 15). Not only did **Erik Furmanek** haul in the first scoring reception of his MSU career, but the junior tight end also recorded personal bests of five receptions and 47 yards. **LeMarcus Stewart** entered the game with just three receptions on the season, but matched a single-game high with four catches for a career-high 95 yards, as well as his first receiving touchdown in more than two years. **Deion Holliman** caught two scoring passes in a game for the first time as a Bear, while **Zac Hoover's** team-high six receptions also represented a career best total for the senior. **Jason Randall** also logged a pair of career milestones, with his 63-yard run in the second quarter representing his longest rush as a Bear, while his 91 rushing yards for the day marked a new career high as well.

On the defensive side of the ball, both **McNeece Egbim** (14 tackles) and **Kurran Blamey** (10) completed career-best performances, while **Cameron Price** matched his personal high with six stops to go along with his fourth-quarter interception.

BIG-TIME D

With four victories to date this season, the Bears have received sizable contributions from both sides of the line of scrimmage. In particular, the Missouri State rush defense enters the week ranked among the Valley's stingiest units. The Bears have allowed an average of just 144.4 rushing yards per outing, which is the 45th-best average in the country just one year after MSU yielded an FCS-worst 301.2 rush yards per game. Additionally, the Bears rank among the top 50 defenses in the country in total takeaways with 17 on the season.

A FORCE UP FRONT

Junior defensive end **Colby Isbell** has been a key figure in leading a Bears defense that ranks seventh in the MVFC in total defense (413.0 ypg.) through the first 10 games of the 2016 season. Isbell's average of 0.65 sacks per outing is good for the 46th-best mark in the nation, while his 1.2 TFL's per contest is 52nd among all FCS defenders this fall and third overall in the Valley.

An anchor on the Bears' defensive line since his arrival on campus in 2014, Isbell has started 25 consecutive games for MSU and reached the 100-tackle mark for his career Oct. 22 at UNI.

THE EARL OF TERRE HAUTE

Junior receiver **Malik Earl** turned in a career performance to help the Bears knock off Indiana State (Oct. 1), hauling in a career-best 11 catches for 161 yards and two critical touchdowns. Earl did all of his damage in the first three quarters before the Bears built a double-digit lead early in the fourth period. His final catch — an eight-yard TD reception from **Brodie Lambert** with 1:44 left in the third — put the Bears in front to stay and moved him into a tie with Jason Cannon (Oct. 21, 1995 at Western Illinois) and Clay Harbor (Nov. 14, 2009 at Southern Illinois) for the second-best single-game reception total in program history.

Earl, whose second-quarter 69-yard scoring catch marked a career long, finished just two receptions shy of Jeff Hewitt's (Oct. 7, 2000) school record of 13 catches, while his yardage total ranked 16th on the Bears' all-time single-game list. Additionally, Earl's 21 receiving yards vs. UNI (Oct. 22) moved the Oklahoma City native past the 1,000-yard receiving mark for his MSU career.

BEARS SINGLE-GAME MILESTONES

100-Yard Rushing Games

Calan Crowder (4)
164 vs. Chadron State (9/12/15)
131 at Indiana State (10/1/16)
120 vs. Southern Illinois (11/8/14)
119 vs. North Dakota (9/13/14)

Nick Masoner (1)

132 vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)

100-Yard Receiving Games

Malik Earl (2)
161 at Indiana State (10/1/16)
106 at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)
Zac Hoover (2)
150 vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
113 at South Dakota State (11/5/16)

200-Yard Passing Games

Brodie Lambert (4)
339 vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
290 vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
279 at Indiana State (10/1/16)
224 at South Dakota State (11/5/16)

Breck Ruddick (1)

295 at Murray State (9/10/16)

3+ Touchdown Passes in a Game

Brodie Lambert (4)
5 vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
4 vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
3 at Indiana State (10/1/16)
3 at South Dakota State (11/5/16)
Breck Ruddick (1)
3 at Murray State (9/10/16)

10+ Tackles in a Game

Jared Beshore (2)
14 vs. UNI (10/14/15)
10 at North Dakota State (11/21/15)
Tre Betts (1)
10 vs. South Dakota State (10/31/15)

Kurran Blamey (1)

10 vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Dylan Cole (21)
23 vs. UNI (10/14/15)
21 at South Dakota (10/24/15)
19 vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
18 vs. South Dakota State (10/31/15)
16 vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
15 vs. North Dakota State (10/8/16)
14 at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)
14 at North Dakota State (11/21/15)
14 at Murray State (9/10/16)
14 at UNI (10/22/16)
14 at South Dakota State (11/5/16)
13 at Illinois State (11/12/16)
13 at Indiana State (10/1/16)

12 vs. UNI (11/16/13)

12 vs. South Dakota (10/18/14)
12 at Youngstown State (11/7/15)
11 vs. Chadron State (9/12/15)
11 at Arkansas State (9/19/15)
11 vs. Illinois State (10/17/15)
10 vs. UCA (9/21/13)
10 at South Dakota (10/5/13)

McNeece Egbim (2)

14 vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
12 at Murray State (9/10/16)

100-Yard Kickoff Return Games

Deion Holliman (8)
238 at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)
174 at South Dakota (10/24/15)
150 at Youngstown State (11/7/15)
132 at Arkansas State (9/19/15)
129 vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
125 at UNI (10/22/16)
113 vs. Indiana State (10/3/15)
113 at Illinois State (11/12/16)



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STATS FCS TOP 25 (Nov. 14)

No.	Team	W-L	Points	LW
1.	Sam Houston State	10-0	3873	1
2.	Jacksonville State	9-1	3742	2
3.	Eastern Washington	9-1	3685	3
4.	North Dakota State	9-1	3592	4
5.	Citadel	10-0	3376	5
6.	James Madison	9-1	3313	6
7.	Richmond	8-2	2975	8
8.	South Dakota State	7-3	2581	11
9.	North Carolina A&T	9-1	2518	10
10.	North Dakota	9-2	2432	12
11.	Central Arkansas	9-1	2261	13
12.	Chattanooga	8-2	2150	7
13.	Villanova	7-3	2094	9
14.	Charleston Southern	6-3	2004	14
15.	Youngstown State	7-3	1714	17
16.	Coastal Carolina	8-2	1632	15
17.	Grambling State	7-1	1326	20
18.	Samford	7-3	1209	22
19.	Lehigh	8-2	1049	23
20.	Wofford	7-3	1005	NR
21.	Cal Poly	6-4	646	16
22.	Montana	6-4	476	18
23.	Western Illinois	6-4	411	19
24.	North Carolina Central	8-2	405	NR
25.	Saint Francis	7-3	208	NR

Others receiving votes: New Hampshire (206), UT Martin (183), UNI (154), San Diego (123), Weber State (112), Illinois State (92), Harvard (84), Maine (83), Northern Colorado (41), Penn (37), Princeton (35), Albany (29), Kennesaw State (29), Fordham (24), Liberty (24), Stony Brook (18), Southern (14), Nicholls (12), Northern Arizona (7), Southeastern Louisiana (7), Duquesne (4), Southern Utah (3), Dayton (2).

FCS COACHES POLL (Nov. 14)

No.	Team (First-place votes)	Points	LW	W-L
1.	Sam Houston State (21)	641	1	10-0
2.	Jacksonville State (2)	615	2	9-1
3.	Eastern Washington (1)	595	3	9-1
4.	North Dakota State (1)	575	4	9-1
5.	James Madison (1)	555	5	9-1
6.	The Citadel	520	6	10-0
7.	Richmond	490	8	8-2
8.	North Dakota	440	10	9-2
9.	North Carolina A&T	434	9	9-1
10.	South Dakota State	400	12	7-3
11.	Chattanooga	373	7	8-2
12.	Central Arkansas	369	13	9-1
13.	Charleston Southern	342	14	6-3
14.	Youngstown State	309	15	7-3
15.	Villanova	292	11	7-3
16.	Grambling State	271	16	8-1
17.	Lehigh	235	18	8-2
18.	Samford	213	21	7-3
19.	Wofford	166	NR	7-3
20.	North Carolina Central	118	25	8-2
21.	Montana	84	17	6-4
22.	Kennesaw State	69	NR	8-2
23.	Cal Poly	56	20	6-4
24.	Western Illinois	46	19	6-4
25.	Illinois State	31	NR	6-5

Others receiving votes: San Diego (30), UT Martin (26), Weber State (26), Saint Francis (20), UNI (19), New Hampshire (16), Harvard (12), Liberty (11), Maine (10), Northern Arizona (8), Southeastern Louisiana (8), Princeton (5), Fordham (4), Penn (4), Gardner-Webb (3), Southern (3), Southern Utah (3), Northern Colorado (2), Tennessee State (1).

2016 MSU opponents in bold

ROAD TO SUCCESS

One key to Missouri State's turnaround 2016 season has been its play on the road, with three of the Bears' first four games taking place away from Robert W. Plaster Stadium. MSU, which entered the season on a 10-game road skid, went 2-3 on the road vs. FCS competition this fall.

The Bears' Oct. 1 win at No. 24 Indiana State represented their first victory over a ranked foe since Oct. 19, 2013 (vs. No. 15 South Dakota State) and MSU's first win vs. a Top 25 squad on the road since an Oct. 20, 2012 decision over No. 11 Illinois State in Normal.

DYNAMITE DEION

Junior return specialist **Deion Holliman** added another milestone to his already-impressive list of accomplishments as a Bear Oct. 29 vs. Southern Illinois. The Camden, Ark., product returned a punt 57 yards for a game-tying score in the fourth quarter, making him the lone FCS returner with both punt and kickoff returns for touchdowns in each of the last two seasons.

Holliman, who ranks eighth in the FCS in combined kick return yardage (775) this week, started the new campaign with a bang for the Bears vs. Southwestern College (Sept. 1), lighting the fuse on the game's opening kick with a 91-yard return for a touchdown. Holliman, who finished the night with 173 all-purpose yards, added a nine-yard TD reception on MSU's next possession and later returned Southwestern's second kickoff of the game 38 yards to set up another score.

Over the last decade, there have been just 20 games in which a Bear has logged 100 kickoff return yards, and Holliman has posted eight of those over the Bears' last 19 contests dating back to Sept. 19 of last year at Arkansas State.

CROWDER POWER

Junior tailback **Calan Crowder** left his stamp on the Bears' win over Indiana State, rushing for a season-high 131 yards on just nine carries — three of which went for touchdowns. Crowder's average of 14.6 yards per carry represented the best single-game figure by a Bear since 2010, when Chris Douglas averaged 19.1 yards per tote against Murray State.

Against ISU, Crowder ripped off a career-long 64 yard TD rush in the second quarter, then put the finishing touches on the victory with a pair of fourth-quarter scoring runs to surpass his previous career-best single-game touchdown total and log one of only two three-TD performances by a Valley rusher this fall.

LET'S GET IT STARTED

With its win at Indiana State (Oct. 1), Missouri State ran its record to 14-18 in MVFC openers since joining the league in 1985. This season's MVFC-opening game marked the 10th time in 11 years the Bears have played a ranked opponent in their Valley opener. MSU has faced off against Top 25 foes in 21 of Valley openers, compiling a 6-15 mark in those contests.

TAKE THAT

In Missouri State's Oct. 1 victory at Indiana State, the Bears forced five turnovers in a game for the first time since Sept. 29, 2012, when they picked off three passes and recovered a pair of fumbles at South Dakota State. That effort followed a four-takeaway contest Sept. 10 at Murray State.

Through 10 games, MSU has already recorded 17 takeaways to surpass its 11-game total from last fall. So far, MSU ranks fourth in the MVFC and 48th in the nation in total takeaways, while its 10 interceptions is sixth in the Valley. Last year, the Bears picked off six passes for the season and didn't log their 11th takeaway until their 10th game. Both **Dylan Cole** and **Skyler Hulse** are among the top-rated FCS players in takeaways, with Cole's 0.30 forced fumbles per game ranking 19th in the country and Hulse's two fumble recoveries sitting 17th nationally this week.

GETTING OFFENSIVE

One of the keys to MSU's early-season success has been the emergence of its offense, which has averaged 23.7 points per game through the Bears' first 10 contests. MSU, which tallied just 108 points in 11 games last fall, has already nearly doubled that figure with 237 points, reaching the end zone 31 times after recording just 14 total touchdowns last season. The Bears' offensive line has starred in the resurgence, having allowed just 13 sacks on the season — good for the 27th-lowest figure in the FCS ranks. Additionally, MSU registered 516 yards of total offense in its Oct. 29 win over SIU, which represented the Bears' best single-game total since Sept. 20, 2014 at Central Arkansas (593).

BEARS' SEASON HONORS

Jared Beshore

- CoSIDA Academic All-District VI
- Preseason Honorable Mention All-MVFC
- College Sports Madness Preseason All-MVFC (Second Team)

Dylan Cole

- CoSIDA Academic All-District VI
- MVFC Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 2)
- STATS FCS National Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 3)
- College Sports Madness National Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 2)
- STATS FCS Defensive Player of the Year Watch List
- Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List
- STATS FCS Preseason All-America (First Team)
- Hero Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)
- TonySoftli.com Preseason All-America (Second Team)
- College Sports Madness Preseason All-America (Second Team)
- Preseason First-Team All-MVFC
- College Sports Madness Preseason All-MVFC (First Team)

McNeece Egbim

- STATS FCS Honorable Mention Freshman of the Week (Sept. 12)

Sam Ellifrits

- MVFC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 3)

Deion Holliman

- MVFC Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 4)
- STATS FCS Honorable Mention Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 5)
- Preseason First-Team All-MVFC
- College Sports Madness Preseason All-MVFC (First Team)

Colby Isbell

- College Sports Madness Preseason All-MVFC (Third Team)

Brodie Lambert

- MVFC Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 30)

Riley Shantz

- College Sports Madness Preseason All-MVFC (Second Team)



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BEARS RECORD IN 2016...

September	2-1
October	2-3
November	0-2
Day	2-5
Night	2-1
Wearing white jersey/black pants	1-2
Wearing white jersey/maroon pants	0-2
Wearing maroon jersey/white pants	1-2
Wearing white jersey/white pants	2-0
Winning the toss	4-1
Losing the toss	0-5
Home	2-2
Road	2-4
Neutral	0-0
In Missouri	2-2
In Kentucky	1-0
In Kansas	0-1
In Indiana	1-0
In Iowa	0-1
In South Dakota	0-1
In Illinois	0-1
Conference	2-5
Non-conference	2-1
vs. ranked opponents	1-3
vs. unranked opponents	3-3
Games decided by 10 points or less	2-1
Games decided by 10+ points	2-5
Games decided by 20 points or less	2-1
Games decided by 20+ points	2-5
Scoring 20 points or less	0-4
Scoring 20+ points	4-2
Scoring first	2-1
Opponent scoring first	2-5
Leading after one quarter	2-1
Leading at halftime	2-0
Leading after three quarters	3-0
Trailing after one quarter	1-4
Trailing at halftime	1-6
Trailing after three quarters	1-5
Tied after one quarter	1-1
Tied at halftime	1-0
Tied after three quarters	0-0
Gaining 20+ first downs	4-0
Gaining less than 300 yards total offense	0-4
Gaining 300-400 yards total offense	0-2
Gaining 400-500 yards total offense	3-0
Gaining 500+ yards total offense	1-0
Gaining less than 100 yards rushing	0-3
Gaining 100-200 yards rushing	3-3
Gaining 200-300 yards rushing	0-0
Gaining 300+ yards rushing	1-0
Gaining less than 150 yards passing	1-4
Gaining 150-200 yards passing	0-0
Gaining 200-250 yards passing	0-1
Gaining 250-300 yards passing	2-1
Gaining 300-350 yards passing	1-0
Gaining 350+ yards passing	0-0
Allowing 20+ first downs	3-5
Allowing less than 300 yards total offense	1-1
Allowing 300-400 yards total offense	1-0
Allowing 400-500 yards total offense	2-2
Allowing 500+ yards total offense	0-3
Allowing less than 100 yards rushing	3-0
Allowing 100-200 yards rushing	1-3
Allowing 200-300 yards rushing	0-3
Allowing 300+ yards rushing	0-0
Allowing less than 150 yards passing	1-1
Allowing 150-200 yards passing	0-1
Allowing 200-250 yards passing	0-1
Allowing 250-300 yards passing	0-0
Allowing 300-350 yards passing	2-2
Allowing 350+ yards passing	1-1
Committing 2+ turnovers	2-6
Gaining 2+ takeaways	3-2
Gaining 30:00 or more time of possession	3-0
Gaining less than 30:00 time of possession	1-6

OFF TO THE RACES

Missouri State's 3-1 start to the season represented its 10th since joining the NCAA Division I ranks in 1982 and its second in the last three seasons. Of those previous 10 starts, six have ended in winning seasons for the Bears, including the only two FCS playoff appearances in program history (1989 and 1990). MSU has started five of those seasons with at least four wins in its first five games, ending each above the .500 mark.

The Bears' 28-22 victory at Murray State gave them their first 2-0 start to a season since 2007, when they won their first two games over Missouri S&T and Tennessee-Martin before finishing the season 6-5 under then-second-year head coach Terry Allen.

CLEARING 100K

The Bears have played before a total of 139,019 fans in 2016, including an average of 11,354 spectators in their four home games to date. Last year, MSU drew the seventh-highest combined home and road season attendance figure (162,497) in program history, highlighted by a total of 50,182 fans in its five home dates at Plaster Stadium, good for the No. 27 per-game average (10,036) in the FCS ranks.

MSU has played before more than 100,000 fans in each of the last 27 seasons, ranking among the top 40 FCS schools in average home attendance 19 times during that span, including a school-record 234,314 spectators in 2011.

QUITE AN OPENING

Missouri State's 57-0 opening night win over Southwestern featured a number of milestone performances for the Bears, most notably in that it marked their largest margin of victory since September 1991. MSU's dominant win handed **Dave Steckel** his first shutout as Bears head coach and represented the program's biggest opening-night victory since 1927, when the Maroon and White clobbered Southwest Baptist by a 94-0 score. The win also represented the Bears' first shutout in an opener since 2003 (a 48-0 win over East Central). The Bears also ran their home-opener win streak to three-straight games and improved to 66-35-4 all-time in home openers, including a 25-8-2 record in such games since joining the Division I ranks in 1982.

Offensively, the Bears' 321 rushing yards vs. Southwestern marked their best single-game performance since racking up 366 yards on the ground at Murray State on Sept. 14, 2013.

DEFENSE DELIVERS

Not only did the MSU defense hand its head coach his first shutout to christen the campaign, it also notched the first opening game white-washing of a Bears opponent since the 2003 opener vs. East Central. Led by a career night from junior defensive lineman **Colby Isbell**, the defense limited Southwestern to seven first downs and 116 yards of offense.

Thanks in large part to Isbell's 2.5 sacks and 5.5 tackles for losses, the Bears flustered the 'Builders into converting just 3-of-23 combined third and fourth down attempts. Isbell, who came within just one-half tackle of matching teammate **Dylan Cole** for the MSU single-game record for stops for a loss, did all of his damage in the first half and helped the Bears hold SC to a mere 0.86 yards per carry on the night.

EVERYBODY'S ALL-AMERICAN

Senior linebacker **Dylan Cole** was recognized as one of the nation's elite defenders entering the 2016 season, earning All-America accolades from no fewer than four major voting entities, as well as a spot on STATS' FCS Defensive Player of the Year Watch List. Cole was one of seven Missouri Valley Football Conference standouts to earn first-team STATS FCS Preseason All-America honors, while a total of 99 NCAA Division I FCS players were cited for All-America recognition by STATS.

Last fall, Cole led Bears in total tackles in every game and averaged 15.4 stops per outing during league play en route to picking up first-team All-MVFC recognition. He finished the year as the MVFC leader in tackles per game (13.8), which ranks third among all NCAA Division I FCS defenders. The Rogersville, Mo., product logged nine double-digit tackle totals and averaged 6.6 solo tackles per game, which was tops in the conference and fifth overall in the FCS ranks.

CHART TOPPERS

Returning All-MVFC performers **Dylan Cole** and **Deion Holliman** are coming off milestone 2015 campaigns and entered the new season already in prominent positions on several MSU and MVFC career statistical lists. Cole ranks third in tackles for loss (39.5) and fourth in total tackles (428) after registering the seventh-best single-seasons tackle total (152) last year.

Holliman, meanwhile, will be looking to top his record-setting 2015 season that included a Valley record for kickoff return yards and the top overall combined kick return yardage total in the nation. He broke MSU kick return yardage records for a single-game (238) and season (1,049) last year and ranks second on the Bears' career chart with 1,664 yards.

WHAT'S RETURNING IN 2016

Total Squad Members	63%	57/91
Total Lettermen	71%	39/55
Offense	79%	22/28
Defense	71%	17/24
Specialists	0%	0/3
All-Conference Players	60%	3/5
Rushing Yards	60%	844/1405
Total Carries	67%	278/415
Passing Yards	100%	1160/1160
Pass Attempts	100%	298/298
Pass Completions	100%	155/155
Receiving Yards	84%	973/1160
Receptions	77%	119/155
Total Offense	79%	2038/2565
Scoring	68%	73/108
Offensive Touchdowns	79%	11/14
PATs	38%	5/13
Field Goals	0%	0/3
Punting Yards	0.1%	27/3771
Punt Return Yards	100%	185/185
Punt Returns	100%	12/12
Kickoff Return Yards	99%	1249/1260
Kickoff Returns	99%	66/67
Total Tackles	69%	612/887
Sacks	68%	11.5/17.0
Interceptions	67%	4/6



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RECEIVERS' YARDS AFTER CATCH

Player	Rec.	TD	YAC	Long	Avg.
Nick Masoner	1	0	15	15	15.0
Zac Hoover	24	5	241	91	10.0
Jalen Esters	3	0	26	21	8.7
Phoenix Johnson	4	0	32	11	8.0
Jason Randall	16	2	119	17	7.4
Calan Crowder	5	0	35	15	7.0
LeMarcus Stewart	10	1	56	43	5.6
Malik Earl	37	3	192	25	5.2
Deion Holliman	26	3	118	16	4.5
Adam St. Peter	4	2	18	10	4.5
Erik Furmanek	24	3	106	22	4.4
Aaron Denson	6	0	25	8	4.2
Willis Chambers	3	0	6	4	2.0
Breck Ruddick	1	0	0	0	0.0
Cole Christenson	1	1	0	0	0.0

PENALTY BREAKDOWN

Offense (26-247)	No.	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	Yds.
Chop Block	5	1	1	2	1	74
Holding	6	3	0	1	2	55
False Start	8	4	3	1	0	40
Unsportsmanlike Conduct	1	0	0	1	0	15
Unnecessary Roughness	1	0	0	1	0	15
Intentional Grounding	1	0	1	0	0	13
Pass Interference	1	1	0	0	0	11
Illegal Block	1	1	0	0	0	9
Ineligible Receiver	1	0	1	0	0	5
Delay of Game	1	1	0	0	0	5

Defense (13-152)	No.	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	Yds.
Pass Interference	5	1	2	1	1	75
Unsportsmanlike Conduct	2	0	1	1	0	30
Unnecessary Roughness	2	0	1	1	0	22
Offsides	2	2	0	0	0	10
Illegal Block	1	0	0	1	0	10
Illegal Formation	1	1	0	0	0	5

Sp. Teams (8-100)	No.	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	Yds.
Roughing the Kicker	2	1	1	0	0	30
Unsportsmanlike Conduct	1	1	0	0	0	15
Illegal Use of Hands	1	0	1	0	0	15
Unnecessary Roughness	1	1	0	0	0	15
Illegal Kick	1	0	0	0	1	10
Holding	1	0	0	1	0	10
Offsides	1	0	1	0	0	5

NCAA FCS STATISTICAL RANKINGS

Category	Raw	NCAA	MVFC
3rd Down Conversion Pct.	0.371	62	7
3rd Down Conv. Pct. Def.	0.403	82	7
Fewest Penalties/Game	4.80	14	2
Fewest Penalty Ypg	50.40	34	4
First Downs	166	102	10
First Downs Allowed	196	57	4
Fumbles Lost	8	69	8
Fumbles Recovered	7	56	3
Kickoff Yards/Return	20.44	56	6
Net Punting	36.61	42	5
Sacks Allowed/Game	1.30	27	2
Sacks/Game	1.70	77	8
Passes Had Intercepted	16	114	10
Passes Intercepted	10	51	6
Passing Offense Ypg	191.5	83	7
Passing Defense Ypg	268.6	110	9
Punt Yards/Return	13.00	20	4
Red Zone Defense Pct.	0.867	99	7
Red Zone Offense Pct.	0.741	99	9
Rushing Defense Ypg	144.4	45	5
Rushing Offense Ypg	134.8	84	9
Scoring Defense	32.8	98	9
Scoring Offense	23.7	78	9
Passing Efficiency	121.57	69	9
Passing Eff. Defense	136.32	86	7
Time of Possession	27:27	110	9
Total Offense	326.3	97	10
Total Defense	413.0	83	7
Turnover Margin	-0.70	101	10

VALLEY MAKING ITS MARK

The Missouri Valley Football Conference is off to another strong start in 2016, with six teams receiving votes in the polls and five clubs ranked among the top 25 squads in the nation this week. The league is 3-2 against ranked out-of-conference FCS teams in 2016, marking the 14th time in the league's 32-year history with multiple regular-season top-25 non-conference wins. During the past two-plus seasons, the MVFC has a combined 23-8 record against ranked FCS teams (regular-season and playoff games combined).

In addition to serving as the conference home of five-time defending NCAA Division I FCS national champion North Dakota State, the Missouri Valley Football Conference has enjoyed a string of recent success against FBS opponents. The Valley's 10 members have combined for 15 wins vs. FBS teams over the last seven seasons, including four (North Dakota State at Iowa, Illinois State at Northwestern, UNI at Iowa State and Western Illinois at Northern Illinois) in the first four weeks of 2016 alone. In all, the MVFC has posted 42 victories against FBS opponents since 1985 including at least one such win in each of the last seven seasons.

Last year, the league placed five teams in the FCS playoffs for the second consecutive season. Dating back to 2013, MVFC schools have combined to post a 52-4 home record against non-league opponents, and the Valley has gone 130-30 vs. non-conference FCS opposition over the past six years.

THREE BEARS NAMED PRESEASON ALL-MVFC

Led by first-team selections **Dylan Cole** and **Deion Holliman**, Missouri State placed three players on the Missouri Valley Football Conference Preseason Team. Additionally, **Jared Beshore** picked up honorable mention recognition from the league's coaches, media and sports information directors. Cole was named a first-team linebacker, while Holliman earned the same distinction as a return specialist. Beshore was one of three defensive backs — and 11 players overall — to earn an honorable mention spot on the Valley's distinguished list.

WELCOME TO THE PARTY

Missouri State's cause will receive a boost by an influx of talent in 2016, with 33 newcomers adorning the Bears' roster entering the season. Head coach **Dave Steckel** and his staff welcomed 26 freshmen, as well as seven transfers to campus at the start of fall camp. Additionally, 13 members of the Bears' 2015 recruiting class who sat out as redshirts last fall are expected to contribute this season. MSU reaped immediate dividends from its decorated group of newcomers, with 22 players — including freshman starters **Coleman Clanton**, **Colin Bess**, **Cameron Price** and **McNeece Egbim** — seeing their initial game action as Bears in the first half of the season.

MSU's talented crop of newcomers will be aiming to continue a tradition of excellence displayed by Bear rookies over the last two decades. In the history of the Missouri Valley Football Conference, only Western Illinois (79) and Illinois State (77) have produced more MVFC All-Newcomer selections than the Bears, who have collected 75 such honors since the league first began recognizing an all-rookie team in 1994. On this year's roster, five Bears have been listed on previous MVFC All-Newcomer squads: 2013 - **Dylan Cole** (LB); 2014 - **Cecil Bratton** (DL), **Calan Crowder** (RB), **Sam Elilifirts** (OL) and 2015 - **Jared Beshore** (S).

BEARS IN THE NFL

MSU's history of producing pro football talent dates back to 1945 and extends to the current day, with two recent National Football League Draft selections — **Clay Harbor** to Philadelphia in 2010 and **David Arkin** to Dallas in 2011 — still active on 2016 rosters. The duo has combined for more than a decade of NFL experience, with Harbor entering his seventh pro season (splitting his year between the New England Patriots and Detroit Lions) and Arkin — now in his third year with the Los Angeles Rams — beginning his sixth NFL campaign this fall.

Former Missouri State tight end **Gannon Sinclair** became the most recent Bear to earn a shot at a professional career in the NFL in 2015. Sinclair was signed by the Arizona Cardinals as an undrafted free agent and saw action in each of the clubs' first three preseason games before being signed off waivers by the Chicago Bears in early September of last year.

In addition to Sinclair's signing last spring, six other Bears have earned undrafted free agent contracts over the last four years with **Anthony Grady** (Jets) signing in 2014, **Randy Richards** (Chargers) agreeing to pro terms in 2013, **Jermaine Saffold** (Browns) and **Chris Douglas** (Bills) making pro camps in 2012, and **Kolby Hurt** (Saints) and **Jake Duron** (Jets) inking free agent deals in 2011. Richards recently agreed to terms on a deal with the Calgary Stampeders of the Canadian Football League.

MISSOURI STATE ON THE RISE

With a record Fall 2016 enrollment of 26,000, Missouri State University is the largest school in the Missouri Valley Football Conference (and the Missouri Valley Conference), as well as the second-largest institution in the state of Missouri. The Bears moved to NCAA Division I status for the 1982-83 season and joined the Missouri Valley Football Conference (formerly the Gateway Conference) in 1985 where they have been a member ever since. MSU is a member of the Missouri Valley Conference in 13 other sports -- a league founded in 1907 and the second-oldest Division I conference in the nation.

Missouri State teams have made 55 NCAA Tournament appearances as a Division I institution, including 14 in women's basketball, 11 in volleyball, nine in baseball and six in both men's basketball and so



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CAREER STARTS

Offensive Line	12	13	14	15	16	Total
Riley Shantz (9)	--	--	4	10	9	23
Jordan Turner (20)	--	--	--	10	10	20
Sam Ellifrits (9)	--	--	8	--	9	17
Marquis Prophete (15)	--	--	--	5	10	15
Aaron Clardy	--	--	--	10	1	11
Coleman Clanton (10)	--	--	--	--	10	10
McKinze James	--	--	1	1	1	3

Tight End

Erik Furmanek (12)	--	--	--	5	10	15
Adam St. Peter	--	--	2	0	1	3
Cole Christenson	--	--	--	0	1	1

Wide Receiver

Malik Earl (4)	--	--	9	10	9	28
Zac Hoover (12)	--	2	3	8	10	23
Deion Holliman (4)	--	--	--	1	8	9
Willis Chambers	--	--	--	3	--	3
LeMarcus Stewart	--	1	--	1	1	3

Quarterback

Brodie Lambert (8)	--	--	--	9	8	17
Breck Ruddick	--	--	--	2	2	4

Running Back

Calan Crowder	--	--	7	6	5	18
Jason Randall (2)	--	--	--	0	5	5
Phoenix Johnson	--	--	4	0	--	4

Defensive Line

Cecil Bratton (2)	--	--	11	6	9	26
Colby Isbell (25)	--	--	4	11	10	25
Tony Jones (17)	--	--	--	8	10	18
Brad Pryor	--	--	6	4	--	10
Daryl Coburn (1)	--	--	--	3	3	6
E.J. Sutton	--	--	--	--	5	5
Skyler Hulse	--	--	--	2	2	4
Colin Bess	--	--	--	--	2	2

Linebacker

Dylan Cole (45)	--	12	12	11	10	45
Kurran Blamey	--	--	--	7	3	10
Anthony Upchurch (3)	--	--	--	6	4	10
McNeece Egbim	--	--	--	--	7	7
Alexz Jones (3)	--	--	--	1	3	4
Eric Greely	--	--	--	--	3	3

Defensive Back

Jared Beshore (1)	--	--	--	10	7	17
Darius Daniel (10)	--	--	--	3	9	12
Cameron Price	--	--	--	--	7	7
Darius Joseph	--	--	--	--	7	7
Matt Rush (1)	--	--	1	2	3	6
Tre Betts	--	--	--	5	--	5
Kam Carter (4)	--	--	--	--	4	4

(Consecutive starts in parentheses)

MEDIA PLAYERS OF WEEK

Date.....	Opponent.....	Player
Sept. 1	Southwestern	Colby Isbell
Sept. 10	at Murray State	Breck Ruddick
Sept. 24	at Kansas State.....	Eric Greely
Oct. 1	at Indiana State.....	Malik Earl
Oct. 8	North Dakota State	Dylan Cole
Oct. 15	Western Illinois	Brodie Lambert
Oct. 22	at UNI.....	Jason Randall
Oct. 29	Southern Illinois	Zac Hoover
Nov. 5	at South Dakota State	Dylan Cole
Nov. 12	at Illinois State.....	Dylan Cole
Nov. 19	Youngstown State	

2016 STARTERS BY GAME

OFFENSE	LT	LG	OC	RG	RT	TE	XWR	ZWR	HWR/TE	QB	TB
SC	Clanton	Turner	James	Clardy	Prophete	Furmanek	Earl	Hoover	St. Peter	Ruddick	Crowder
MUR	Clanton	Turner	Shantz	Ellifrits	Prophete	Furmanek	Earl	Hoover	Holliman	Ruddick	Randall
KSU	Clanton	Turner	Shantz	Ellifrits	Prophete	Furmanek	Earl	Hoover	Holliman	Lambert	Crowder
INS	Clanton	Turner	Shantz	Ellifrits	Prophete	Furmanek	Earl	Hoover	Holliman	Lambert	Randall
NDSU	Clanton	Turner	Shantz	Ellifrits	Prophete	Furmanek	Earl	Hoover	Holliman	Lambert	Randall
WIU	Clanton	Turner	Shantz	Ellifrits	Prophete	Furmanek	Stewart	Hoover	Christensen	Lambert	Crowder
UNI	Clanton	Turner	Shantz	Ellifrits	Prophete	Furmanek	Earl	Hoover	Holliman	Lambert	Crowder
SIU	Clanton	Turner	Shantz	Ellifrits	Prophete	Furmanek	Earl	Hoover	Holliman	Lambert	Crowder
SDSU	Clanton	Turner	Shantz	Ellifrits	Prophete	Furmanek	Earl	Hoover	Holliman	Lambert	Randall
ILS	Clanton	Turner	Shantz	Ellifrits	Prophete	Furmanek	Earl	Hoover	Holliman	Lambert	Randall
YSU											

DEFENSE	LE	DT	DT	RE	SLB/Nickel	MLB	WLB	LCB	SS	FS/CB	RCB/DT
SC	Jones	Bess	Bratton	Isbell	Greely	Cole	Egbim	Daniel	Beshore	Price	Joseph
MUR	Jones	Sutton	Bratton	Isbell	Greely	Cole	Egbim	Daniel	Beshore	Price	Joseph
KSU	Jones	Sutton	Bratton	Isbell	Greely	Cole	Egbim	Daniel	Beshore	Price	Rush
INS	Jones	Sutton	Bratton	Isbell	Upchurch	Cole	Egbim	Daniel	Beshore	Price	Joseph
NDSU	Jones	Sutton	Bratton	Isbell	Blamey	Cole	Egbim	Daniel	Beshore	Price	Joseph
WIU	Jones	Sutton	Bratton	Isbell	Blamey	Cole	Egbim	Daniel	Beshore	Price	Joseph
UNI	Jones	Coburn	Bratton	Isbell	Blamey	Cole	Egbim	Daniel	Carter	Price	Bess
SIU	Hulse	Coburn	Isbell	Jones	Upchurch	Jones	Cole	Daniel	Carter	Joseph	Rush
SDSU	Hulse	Bratton	Isbell	Jones	Upchurch	Jones	Cole	Daniel	Carter	Price	Joseph
ILS	Jones	Coburn	Bratton	Isbell	Upchurch	Jones	Cole	Daniel	Beshore	Carter	Rush
YSU											

2016 MSU/OPPONENT OPENING DRIVES

Opponent	MSU First Half	MSU Second Half	Opp. First Half	Opp. Second Half
SC	0 plays/0 yards/0:12/TD	8 plays/87 yards/2:31/TD	6 plays/23 yards/2:10/DOWNS	6 plays/34 yards/2:18/PUNT
MUR	4 plays/55 yards/1:20/TD	16 plays/66 yards/6:32/FG MISS	3 plays/2 yards/1:42/PUNT	1 play/0 yards/0:05/INT
KSU	3 plays/9 yards/2:13/PUNT	NA	11 plays/63 yards/5:58/TD	NA
INS	11 plays/75 yards/4:20/TD	12 plays/43 yards/5:24/DOWNS	1 play/38 yards/0:18/TD	5 plays/21 yards/1:50/PUNT
NDSU	13 plays/30 yards/5:17/FG	9 plays/40 yards/4:43/PUNT	3 plays/-5 yards/1:38/PUNT	12 plays/66 yards/6:44/FUMBLE
WIU	3 plays/1 yard/0:49/PUNT	7 plays/80 yards/2:49/TD	10 plays/66 yards/4:29/TD	5 plays/18 yards/2:18/PUNT
UNI	1 play/0 yards/0:14/INT	3 plays/-2 yards/1:23/PUNT	4 plays/1 yard/1:54/FG	4 plays/12 yards/2:00/PUNT
SIU	3 plays/6 yards/1:50/PUNT	5 plays/75 yards/1:31/TD	4 plays/19 yards/1:43/PUNT	7 plays/35 yards/2:10/PUNT
SDSU	4 plays/-6 yards/2:36/PUNT	3 plays/2 yards/0:59/PUNT	11 plays/72 yards/4:41/TD	9 plays/61 yards/4:47/TD
ILS	3 plays/7 yards/1:19/PUNT	8 plays/24 yards/2:44/INT	11 plays/47 yards/3:45/FG	3 plays/-8 yards/1:26/PUNT
YSU				

THE LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

Category	Last Time By Missouri State	Last Time Against Missouri State
Last shutout victory	vs. Southwestern (57-0), 9/1/16	at Illinois State (37-0), 11/12/16
Last overtime win	at Indiana State (27-24), 11/22/08	at South Dakota State (43-36), 10/29/11
Last 50-point scoring game	vs. Southwestern (57-0), 9/1/16	at UNI (61-7), 10/22/16
Victory margin, 30 pts. or more	vs. Southwestern (57-0), 9/1/16	at Illinois State (37), 11/12/16
500 or more yards, total offense	vs. Southern Illinois (516), 10/29/16	at Illinois State (514), 11/12/16
25 or more first downs	vs. Southern Illinois (26), 10/29/16	at South Dakota State (25), 11/5/16
3 or more TD's, player	Calan Crowder (3) at Indiana State, 10/1/16	Aaron Bailey (4) vs. UNI, 11/14/15
4 or more TD's, player	Cody Kirby (4) at Murray State, 10/9/10	Aaron Bailey (4) vs. UNI, 11/14/15
3 or more TD passes, player	Brodie Lambert (3), at South Dakota State, 11/5/16	Jake Kolbe (3) at Illinois State, 11/12/16
4 or more TD passes, player	Brodie Lambert (4), vs. Southern Illinois, 10/29/16	Easton Stick (4) at North Dakota State, 11/21/15
5 or more TD passes, player	Brodie Lambert (5) vs. Western Illinois, 10/15/16	Carson Wentz (5) vs. North Dakota State, 11/15/14
200 or more yds. rushing, player	Vernon Scott (201) at Murray State, 9/14/13	David Johnson (205) at UNI, 11/22/14
150-199 yds. rushing, player	Calan Crowder (164) vs. Chadron State, 9/12/15	Aaron Bailey (161) vs. UNI, 11/14/15
300 or more yds. passing, player	Brodie Lambert (339), vs. Southern Illinois, 10/29/16	Taryn Christian (324) at South Dakota State, 11/5/16
200 or more yds. rec., player	Jermaine Saffold (207) vs. Illinois State, 10/8/11	Marcus Harris (213) vs. Murray State, 10/9/10
3 or more field goals, player	Marcelo Bonani (3) vs. Southern Illinois, 11/8/14	Sean Slattery (3) at Illinois State, 11/12/16
Last 50+ yard field goal	Zach Drake (50) vs. North Dakota State, 10/8/16	Miles Bergner (53) at South Dakota, 10/24/15
Last conversion kick missed	Zach Drake at Murray State, 9/10/16	Austin Erthum vs. UNI, 10/22/16
Last two-pt. conversion attempt	Jared Beshore run at Murray State, 9/10/16	Stults run failed at Murray State, 9/10/16
Last kickoff returned for TD	Deion Holliman (91) vs. Southwestern, 9/1/16	Tay Willis (92) at Southern Illinois, 11/9/13
Last punt returned for TD	Deion Holliman (57) vs. Southern Illinois, 10/29/16	Tyler Denton (42) vs. Indiana State, 10/3/15
2 or more Interceptions, player	Jeremy Springer (2) vs. Indiana State, 11/1/13	Tre Moore (2) vs. Youngstown State, 10/4/14
Last interception returned for TD	Robert Thomas (23) vs. Southwestern, 9/1/16	Craig James (43) vs. Southern Illinois, 10/29/16
Last fumble returned for TD	Cecil Bratton (0) vs. North Dakota, 9/13/14	Caleb Buter (0) at North Dakota State, 11/21/15
20 or more tackles	Dylan Cole (23) vs. UNI, 11/14/15	Kyle Glazier (25) vs. Western Illinois, 10/23/10



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2016 BIGGEST GAINS

25-Yard Plays

Rushing (6)

Yds. ... Player (Opponent/date)	Result
64..... Calan Crowder at INS, 10/1.....	TD
63..... Jason Randall vs. WIU, 10/15.....	1st Dn
46..... Brodie Lambert vs. SIU, 10/29.....	1st Dn
37..... Nick Masoner vs. SC, 9/1.....	1st Dn
35..... Nick Masoner vs. SC, 9/1.....	1st Dn
29..... Calan Crowder at INS, 10/1.....	TD

Passing (18)

Yds. ... Player (Opponent/date)	Result
91..... Brodie Lambert to Zac Hoover at SDSU, 11/5.....	TD
76..... Brodie Lambert to Zac Hoover vs. SIU, 10/29.....	TD
69..... Brodie Lambert to Malik Earl at INS, 10/1.....	TD
49..... Brodie Lambert to LeMarcus Stewart vs. WIU, 10/15.....	TD
46..... Breck Ruddick to Malik Earl at MUR, 9/10.....	1st Dn
44..... Brodie Lambert to Malik Earl at SDSU, 11/5.....	1st Dn
39..... Breck Ruddick to Zac Hoover at MUR, 9/10.....	TD
38..... Brodie Lambert to Malik Earl at SDSU, 11/5.....	TD
37..... Brodie Lambert to Jalen Esters vs. WIU, 10/15.....	1st Dn
36..... Brodie Lambert to Jason Randall at INS, 10/1.....	1st Dn
36..... Brodie Lambert to Zac Hoover vs. SIU, 10/29.....	TD
32..... Brodie Lambert to Deion Holliman vs. WIU, 10/15.....	TD
30..... Brodie Lambert to Jason Randall at UNI, 10/22.....	TD
27..... Brodie Lambert to LeMarcus Stewart vs. WIU, 10/15.....	1st Dn
25..... Breck Ruddick to Jason Randall at MUR, 9/10.....	TD
25..... Breck Ruddick to Malik Earl at MUR, 9/10.....	1st Dn
25..... Brodie Lambert to Zac Hoover at INS, 10/1.....	1st Dn
25..... Brodie Lambert to Zac Hoover vs. SIU, 10/29.....	1st Dn

Kickoff Returns (9)

Yds. ... Player (Opponent/date)	Result
91..... Deion Holliman vs. SC, 9/1.....	TD
41..... Deion Holliman at MUR, 9/10.....	1st Dn
38..... Deion Holliman at ILS, 11/12.....	1st Dn
38..... Deion Holliman vs. SC, 9/1.....	1st Dn
31..... Deion Holliman at UNI, 10/22.....	1st Dn
31..... Deion Holliman vs. SIU, 10/29.....	1st Dn
29..... Deion Holliman at MUR, 9/10.....	1st Dn
25..... Deion Holliman at INS, 10/1.....	1st Dn
25..... Deion Holliman vs. NDSU, 10/8.....	1st Dn

Punt Returns (1)

Yds. ... Player (Opponent/date)	Result
57..... Deion Holliman vs. SIU, 10/29.....	TD

Interception Returns (1)

Yds. ... Player (Opponent/date)	Result
25..... Cameron Price vs. WIU, 10/15.....	1st Dn

35-Yard Plays

Rushing (4)

Yds. ... Player (Opponent/date)	Result
64..... Calan Crowder at INS, 10/1.....	TD
63..... Jason Randall vs. WIU, 10/15.....	1st Dn
37..... Nick Masoner vs. SC, 9/1.....	1st Dn
35..... Nick Masoner vs. SC, 9/1.....	1st Dn

Passing (11)

91..... Brodie Lambert to Zac Hoover at SDSU, 11/5.....	TD
76..... Brodie Lambert to Zac Hoover vs. SIU, 10/29.....	TD
69..... Brodie Lambert to Malik Earl at INS, 10/1.....	TD
49..... Brodie Lambert to LeMarcus Stewart vs. WIU, 10/15.....	TD
46..... Breck Ruddick to Malik Earl at MUR, 9/10.....	1st Dn
44..... Brodie Lambert to Malik Earl at SDSU, 11/5.....	1st Dn
39..... Breck Ruddick to Zac Hoover at MUR, 9/10.....	TD
38..... Brodie Lambert to Malik Earl at SDSU, 11/5.....	TD
37..... Brodie Lambert to Jalen Esters vs. WIU, 10/15.....	1st Dn
36..... Brodie Lambert to Jason Randall at INS, 10/1.....	1st Dn
36..... Brodie Lambert to Zac Hoover vs. SIU, 10/29.....	TD

Kickoff Returns (4)

Yds. ... Player (Opponent/date)	Result
91..... Deion Holliman vs. SC, 9/1.....	TD
41..... Deion Holliman at MUR, 9/10.....	1st Dn
38..... Deion Holliman at ILS, 11/12.....	1st Dn
38..... Deion Holliman vs. SC, 9/1.....	1st Dn

Punt Returns (1)

Yds. ... Player (Opponent/date)	Result
57..... Deion Holliman vs. SIU, 10/29.....	TD

Interception Returns (0)

Yds. ... Player (Opponent/date)	Result
NA.....	

2016 SCORING PLAYS

vs. Southwestern (9/1)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
Holliman 91 yd. kickoff return.....	1.....14:48.....	0.....	0...0:00
Holliman 9 yd pass from Ruddick.....	1.....9:24.....	10.....	73...3:14
Randall 7 yd run.....	1.....5:00.....	3.....	28...0:46
Drake 19 yd field goal.....	2.....10:39.....	9.....	43...3:14
Randall 1 yd run.....	3.....10:06.....	8.....	87...2:31
Johnson 21 yd run.....	3.....8:24.....	1.....	21...0:09
Team safety.....	3.....7:19.....	0.....	0...0:00
Harris 24 yd field goal.....	3.....2:47.....	10.....	33...4:24
Harker 1 yd run.....	4.....5:54.....	9.....	36...5:35
Thomas 23 yd interception return.....	4.....4:16.....	0.....	0...0:00

at Murray State (9/10)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
Hoover 39 yd pass from Ruddick.....	1.....11:58.....	4.....	55...1:20
Randall 25 yd pass from Ruddick.....	2.....6:35.....	5.....	54...2:15
St. Peter 8 yd pass from Ruddick.....	2.....3:15.....	7.....	75...2:28
Crowder 16 yd run.....	4.....6:25.....	9.....	85...4:10

at Kansas State (9/24)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
NA.....			

at Indiana State (10/1)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
St. Peter 9 yd pass from Lambert.....	1.....10:16.....	11.....	75...4:20
Drake 22 yd field goal.....	1.....2:53.....	12.....	77...5:35
Crowder 64 yd run.....	2.....14:42.....	3.....	75...0:20
Earl 69 yd pass from Lambert.....	2.....13:05.....	1.....	69...0:10
Earl 8 yd pass from Lambert.....	3.....1:44.....	14.....	80...5:57
Crowder 5 yd run.....	4.....12:47.....	4.....	18...2:06
Crowder 29 yd run.....	4.....3:59.....	2.....	38...0:53

vs. North Dakota State (10/8)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
Drake 50 yd field goal.....	1.....9:43.....	13.....	30...5:17

vs. Western Illinois (10/15)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
Furmanek 6 yd pass from Lambert.....	2.....7:41.....	4.....	77...1:28
Holliman 32 yd pass from Lambert.....	3.....9:48.....	7.....	80...2:49
Stewart 49 yd pass from Lambert.....	4.....13:00.....	8.....	75...2:48
Hoover 3 yd pass from Lambert.....	4.....11:43.....	4.....	22...1:12
Holliman 11 yd pass from Lambert.....	4.....4:22.....	9.....	75...3:02

at UNI (10/22)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
Randall 30 yd pass from Lambert.....	2.....2:47.....	10.....	75...5:10

vs. Southern Illinois (10/29)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
Hoover 76 yd pass from Lambert.....	1.....0:12.....	2.....	81...0:45
Furmanek 13 yd pass from Lambert.....	3.....13:29.....	5.....	75...1:31
Christenson 10 yd pass from Lambert.....	3.....3:40.....	12.....	82...5:00
Holliman 57 yd punt return.....	4.....10:46.....	0.....	0...0:00
Hoover 36 yd pass from Lambert.....	4.....3:21.....	7.....	60...2:50
Drake 32 yd field goal.....	4.....0:10.....	9.....	52...1:54

at South Dakota State (11/5)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
Hoover 91 yd pass from Lambert.....	1.....2:39.....	3.....	86...1:26
Earl 38 yd pass from Lambert.....	1.....1:35.....	3.....	38...0:50
Drake 22 yd field goal.....	2.....0:00.....	12.....	68...0:00
Furmanek 8 yd pass from Lambert.....	4.....12:57.....	7.....	81...2:53

at Illinois State (11/12)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
NA.....			

vs. Youngstown State (11/19)	Qtr....Time....	Plys....	Yd...TOP
NA.....			

2016 SCORING DRIVES

Longest Scoring Plays

- 91 -- Hoover pass from Lambert, at SDSU, 11/5
- 91 -- Holliman kickoff return, vs. SC, 9/1
- 76 -- Hoover pass from Lambert, vs. SIU, 10/29
- 69 -- Earl pass from Lambert, at INS, 10/1
- 64 -- Crowder run, at INS, 10/1
- 57 -- Holliman punt return, vs. SIU, 10/29
- 49 -- Stewart pass from Lambert, vs. WIU, 10/15
- 39 -- Hoover pass from Ruddick, at MUR, 9/10
- 38 -- Earl pass from Lambert, at SDSU, 11/5
- 36 -- Hoover pass from Lambert, vs. SIU, 10/29

Longest Scoring Drives - Yards

- 87 -- Randall 1 yd. run, vs. SC, 9/1
- 86 -- Hoover 91 yd. pass from Lambert, at SDSU, 11/5
- 85 -- Crowder 16 yd. run, at MUR, 9/10
- 82 -- Christenson 10 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. SIU, 10/29
- 81 -- Furmanek 8 yd. pass from Lambert, at SDSU, 11/5
- 81 -- Hoover 76 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. SIU, 10/29
- 80 -- Holliman 32 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. WIU, 10/15
- 80 -- Earl 8 yd. pass from Lambert, at INS, 10/1
- 77 -- Furmanek 6 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. WIU, 10/15
- 77 -- Drake 22 yd. field goal, at INS, 10/1
- 75 -- Seven times

Longest Scoring Drives - Plays

- 14 -- Earl 8 yd. pass from Lambert, at INS, 10/1
- 13 -- Drake 50 yd. field goal, vs. NDSU, 10/8
- 12 -- Drake 22 yd. field goal, at SDSU, 11/5
- 12 -- Christenson 10 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. SIU, 10/29
- 12 -- Drake 22 yd. field goal, at INS, 10/1
- 11 -- St. Peter 9 yd. pass from Lambert, at INS, 10/1
- 10 -- Holliman 9 yd. pass from Ruddick, vs. SC, 9/1
- 10 -- Harris 24 yd. field goal, vs. SC, 9/1
- 10 -- Randall 30 yd. pass from Lambert, at UNI, 10/22

Longest Scoring Drives - Time

- 5:57 -- Earl 8 yd. pass from Lambert, at INS, 10/1
- 5:35 -- Drake 22 yd. field goal, at INS, 10/1
- 5:35 -- Harker 1 yd. run, vs. SC, 9/1
- 5:17 -- Drake 50 yd. field goal, vs. NDSU, 10/8
- 5:10 -- Randall 30 yd. pass from Lambert, at UNI, 10/22
- 5:00 -- Christenson 10 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. SIU, 10/29
- 4:24 -- Harris 24 yd. field goal, vs. SC, 9/1
- 4:20 -- St. Peter 9 yd. pass from Lambert, at INS, 10/1
- 4:10 -- Crowder 16 yd. run, at MUR, 9/10

Shortest Scoring Drives - Yards

- 18 -- Crowder 5 yd. run, at INS, 10/1
- 21 -- Johnson 21 yd. run, vs. SC, 9/1
- 22 -- Hoover 3 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. WIU, 10/15
- 28 -- Randall 7 yd. run, vs. SC, 9/1
- 30 -- Drake 50 yd. field goal, vs. NDSU, 10/8
- 33 -- Harris 24 yd. field goal, vs. SC, 9/1
- 36 -- Harker 1 yd. run, vs. SC, 9/1
- 38 -- Crowder 29 yd. run, at INS, 10/1
- 43 -- Drake 19 yd. field goal, vs. SC, 9/1
- 52 -- Drake 32 yd. field goal, vs. SIU, 10/29

Shortest Scoring Drives - Plays

- 1 -- Earl 69 yd. pass from Lambert, at INS, 10/1
- 1 -- Johnson 21 yd. run, vs. SC, 9/1
- 2 -- Hoover 76 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. SIU, 10/29
- 2 -- Crowder 29 yd. run, at INS, 10/1
- 3 -- Earl 38 yd. pass from Lambert, at SDSU, 11/5
- 3 -- Hoover 91 yd. pass from Lambert, at SDSU, 11/5
- 3 -- Crowder 64 yd. run, at INS, 10/1
- 3 -- Randall 7 yd. run, vs. SC, 9/1
- 4 -- Hoover 3 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. WIU, 10/15
- 4 -- Furmanek 6 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. WIU, 10/15
- 4 -- Crowder 5 yd. run, at INS, 10/1
- 4 -- Hoover 39 yd. pass from Ruddick, at MUR, 9/10

Shortest Scoring Drives - Time

- 0:09 -- Johnson 21 yd. run, vs. SC, 9/1
- 0:10 -- Earl 69 yd. pass from Lambert, at INS, 10/1
- 0:20 -- Crowder 64 yd. run, at INS, 10/1
- 0:45 -- Hoover 76 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. SIU, 10/29
- 0:46 -- Randall 7 yd. run, vs. SC, 9/1
- 0:50 -- Earl 38 yd. pass from Lambert, at SDSU, 11/5
- 0:53 -- Crowder 29 yd. run, at INS, 10/1
- 1:12 -- Hoover 3 yd. pass from Lambert, vs. WIU, 10/15
- 1:20 -- Hoover 39 yd. pass from Ruddick, at MUR, 9/10
- 1:26 -- Hoover 91 yd. pass from Lambert, at SDSU, 11/5



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BEARS OVERALL COMBINED STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	W 57-0	8827
9/10/16	at Murray State	W 28-22	5063
9/24/16	at Kansas State	L 0-35	51686
* 10/1/16	at #24 Indiana State	W 45-24	6871
* 10/8/16	#1 NORTH DAKOTA STATE	L 3-27	10462
* 10/15/16	#12 WESTERN ILLINOIS	L 35-38	12639
* 10/22/16	at UNI	L 7-61	12014
* 10/29/16	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	W 38-35	13487
* 11/5/16	at #13 South Dakota State	L 24-49	10826
* 11/12/16	at Illinois State	L 0-37	7144

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Jason Randall	9	117	476	28	448	3.8	2	63	49.8
Calan Crowder	9	73	369	18	351	4.8	4	64	39.0
Nick Masoner	10	25	170	4	166	6.6	0	37	16.6
Phoenix Johnson	8	31	114	16	98	3.2	1	21	12.2
Deion Holliman	10	15	100	11	89	5.9	0	18	8.9
Brodie Lambert	9	56	206	136	70	1.2	0	46	7.8
Breck Ruddick	3	11	58	9	49	4.5	0	15	16.3
Malik Earl	9	3	30	0	30	10.0	0	11	3.3
Gerard Harker	1	5	27	0	27	5.4	1	8	27.0
Michael Briggs	6	8	25	3	22	2.8	0	7	3.7
Zac Hoover	10	4	15	0	15	3.8	0	10	1.5
Brendan Withrow	2	1	13	0	13	13.0	0	13	6.5
LeMrcus Stewart	9	1	12	0	12	12.0	0	12	1.3
Coleman Clanton	10	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
Total	10	362	1616	268	1348	3.7	8	64	134.8
Opponents	10	359	1694	250	1444	4.0	24	54	144.4

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Brodie Lambert	9	123.38	129-228-13	56.6	1494	16	91	166.0
Breck Ruddick	3	155.42	34-52-1	65.4	424	4	46	141.3
Michael Briggs	6	-19.85	1-13-2	7.7	5	0	5	0.8
Zac Hoover	10	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
TEAM	6	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Zach Drake	10	32.80	1-1-0	100.0	-8	0	0	-0.8
Total	10	121.57	165-296-16	55.7	1915	20	91	191.5
Opponents	10	136.32	222-350-10	63.4	2686	15	61	268.6

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Malik Earl	9	37	504	13.6	3	69	56.0
Deion Holliman	10	26	215	8.3	3	32	21.5
Zac Hoover	10	24	433	18.0	5	91	43.3
Erik Furmanek	10	24	221	9.2	3	23	22.1
Jason Randall	9	16	144	9.0	2	36	16.0
LeMrcus Stewart	9	10	177	17.7	1	49	19.7
Aaron Denson	8	6	49	8.2	0	14	6.1
Calan Crowder	9	5	27	5.4	0	10	3.0
Adam St. Peter	10	4	30	7.5	2	9	3.0
Phoenix Johnson	8	4	17	4.2	0	9	2.1
Jalen Esters	10	3	62	20.7	0	37	6.2
Willis Chambers	4	3	12	4.0	0	9	3.0
Nick Masoner	10	1	14	14.0	0	14	1.4
ColeChristensen	9	1	10	10.0	1	10	1.1
Breck Ruddick	3	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total	10	165	1915	11.6	20	91	191.5
Opponents	10	222	2686	12.1	15	61	268.6

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Zach Drake	5-9	55.6	1-1	2-2	1-3	0-2	1-1	50	2
Shelby Harris	1-1	100.0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	24	0

Scoring	td	fg	kick	PAT rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
Zach Drake	-	5-9	27-28	-	-	-	-	-	42
Zac Hoover	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Deion Holliman	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Jason Randall	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Calan Crowder	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Erik Furmanek	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Malik Earl	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Adam St. Peter	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
LeMrcus Stewart	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Gerard Harker	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Robert Thomas	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Phoenix Johnson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
ColeChristensen	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Shelby Harris	-	1-1	2-2	-	-	-	-	-	5

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All games	4-6	2-2	2-4	0-0
Conference	2-5	1-2	1-3	0-0
Non-Conference	2-1	1-0	1-1	0-0

Team Statistics	MSU	OPP
FIRST DOWNS	166	196
Rushing	81	72
Passing	75	114
Penalty	10	10
RUSHING YARDAGE	1348	1444
Rushing Attempts	362	359
Average Per Rush	3.7	4.0
Average Per Game	134.8	144.4
TDs Rushing	8	24
PASSING YARDAGE	1915	2686
Comp-Att-Int	165-296-16	222-350-10
Average Per Pass	6.5	7.7
Average Per Catch	11.6	12.1
Average Per Game	191.5	268.6
TDs Passing	20	15
TOTAL OFFENSE	3263	4130
Average Per Play	5.0	5.8
Average Per Game	326.3	413.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	36-736	28-605
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	9-117	15-99
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	10-114	16-165
FUMBLES-LOST	14-8	14-7
PENALTIES-Yards	48-504	48-419
PUNTS-AVG	57-39.1	48-39.6
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	27:27	29:33
3RD-DOWN Conversions	53/143	62/154
4TH-DOWN Conversions	5/15	10/21

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Anthony Upchurch	2	15	7.5	0	15
Cameron Price	2	25	12.5	0	25
Dylan Cole	2	13	6.5	0	13
Robert Thomas	1	23	23.0	1	23
Matt Rush	1	0	0.0	0	0
McNeece Egbim	1	21	21.0	0	21
Jared Beshore	1	17	17.0	0	17

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Zach Drake	50	1991	39.8	69	1	15	15	9	1
Brendan Withrow	6	235	39.2	47	1	4	2	0	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Deion Holliman	8	81	10.1	1	57
Zac Hoover	1	36	36.0	0	36
Total	9	117	13.0	1	57
Opponents	15	99	6.6	0	43

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Deion Holliman	30	694	23.1	1	91
Adam St. Peter	3	14	4.7	0	7
Ch. Cacciarelli	1	11	11.0	0	11
Phoenix Johnson	1	7	7.0	0	7
LeMrcus Stewart	1	10	10.0	0	10
Total	36	736	20.4	1	91
Opponents	28	605	21.6	0	59

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Deion Holliman	10	89	215	81	694	0	1079	107.9
Jason Randall	9	448	144	0	0	0	592	65.8
Malik Earl	9	30	504	0	0	0	534	59.3
Zac Hoover	10	15	433	36	0	0	484	48.4
Calan Crowder	9	351	27	0	0	0	378	42.0
Erik Furmanek	10	0	221	0	0	0	221	22.1
LeMrcus Stewart	9	12	177	0	10	0	199	22.1
Nick Masoner	10	166	14	0	0	0	180	18.0
Phoenix Johnson	8	98	17	0	7	0	122	15.2
Brodie Lambert	9	70	0	0	0	0	70	7.8
Total	10	1348	1915	117	736	114	4230	423.0
Opponents	10	1444	2686	99	605	165	4999	499.9

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Brodie Lambert	9	284	70	1494	1564	173.8



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BEARS MVFC COMBINED STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
* 10/1/16	at #24 Indiana State	W 45-24	6871	All games	2-5	1-2	1-3	0-0
* 10/8/16	#1 NORTH DAKOTA STATE	L 3-27	10462	Conference	2-5	1-2	1-3	0-0
* 10/15/16	#12 WESTERN ILLINOIS	L 35-38	12639	Non-Conference	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
* 10/22/16	at UNI	L 7-61	12014					
* 10/29/16	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	W 38-35	13487					
* 11/5/16	at #13 South Dakota State	L 24-49	10826					
* 11/12/16	at Illinois State	L 0-37	7144					

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Jason Randall	7	91	367	23	344	3.8	0	63	49.1
Calan Crowder	6	40	227	11	216	5.4	3	64	36.0
Deion Holliman	7	13	88	11	77	5.9	0	18	11.0
Brodie Lambert	7	51	187	127	60	1.2	0	46	8.6
Phoenix Johnson	6	23	69	10	59	2.6	0	17	9.8
Nick Masoner	7	9	32	0	32	3.6	0	7	4.6
Malik Earl	6	2	19	0	19	9.5	0	11	3.2
Zac Hoover	7	3	15	0	15	5.0	0	10	2.1
Michael Briggs	4	5	11	3	8	1.6	0	4	2.0
Coleman Clanton	7	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
Total	7	241	1016	193	823	3.4	3	64	117.6
Opponents	7	271	1328	152	1176	4.3	21	54	168.0

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Brodie Lambert	7	124.78	124-219-13	56.6	1458	16	91	208.3
Michael Briggs	4	-7.25	1-8-1	12.5	5	0	5	1.2
Zac Hoover	7	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
TEAM	3	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Zach Drake	7	32.80	1-1-0	100.0	-8	0	0	-1.1
Total	7	118.70	126-230-14	54.8	1455	16	91	207.9
Opponents	7	145.12	164-255-5	64.3	2140	11	61	305.7

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Malik Earl	6	29	377	13.0	3	69	62.8
Zac Hoover	7	20	364	18.2	4	91	52.0
Erik Furmanek	7	20	165	8.2	3	18	23.6
Deion Holliman	7	18	120	6.7	2	32	17.1
Jason Randall	7	15	119	7.9	1	36	17.0
LeMrcus Stewart	6	9	169	18.8	1	49	28.2
Jalen Esters	7	3	62	20.7	0	37	8.9
Aaron Denson	5	3	31	10.3	0	14	6.2
Calan Crowder	6	3	16	5.3	0	10	2.7
Willis Chambers	2	2	12	6.0	0	9	6.0
Phoenix Johnson	6	2	1	0.5	0	5	0.2
ColeChristensen	7	1	10	10.0	1	10	1.4
Adam St. Peter	7	1	9	9.0	1	9	1.3
Total	7	126	1455	11.5	16	91	207.9
Opponents	7	164	2140	13.0	11	61	305.7

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Zach Drake	4-6	66.7	0-0	2-2	1-2	0-1	1-1	50	1

Scoring	td	fg	kick	PAT	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
Zach Drake	-	4-6	20-20	-	-	-	-	-	-	32
Zac Hoover	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Calan Crowder	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Deion Holliman	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Erik Furmanek	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Malik Earl	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Jason Randall	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
ColeChristensen	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Adam St. Peter	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
LeMrcus Stewart	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	20	4-6	20-20	-	-	-	-	-	-	152
Opponents	35	9-12	34-35	-	-	-	-	-	-	271

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Missouri State	34	31	28	59	0	152
Opponents	65	85	76	45	0	271

Team Statistics	MSU	OPP
FIRST DOWNS	113	155
Rushing	46	58
Passing	58	92
Penalty	9	5
RUSHING YARDAGE	823	1176
Rushing Attempts	241	271
Average Per Rush	3.4	4.3
Average Per Game	117.6	168.0
TDs Rushing	3	21
PASSING YARDAGE	1455	2140
Comp-Att-Int	126-230-14	164-255-5
Average Per Pass	6.3	8.4
Average Per Catch	11.5	13.0
Average Per Game	207.9	305.7
TDs Passing	16	11
TOTAL OFFENSE	2278	3316
Average Per Play	4.8	6.3
Average Per Game	325.4	473.7
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	28-484	17-390
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	3-76	8-26
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	5-55	14-161
FUMBLES-LOST	8-4	12-6
PENALTIES-Yards	29-304	35-300
PUNTS-AVG	43-39.7	31-43.2
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	28:05	31:55
3RD-DOWN Conversions	40/106	50/111
4TH-DOWN Conversions	3/10	8/14

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Jared Beshore	1	17	17.0	0	17
Dylan Cole	1	13	13.0	0	13
Anthony Upchurch	1	0	0.0	0	0
Cameron Price	1	25	25.0	0	25
Matt Rush	1	0	0.0	0	0

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Zach Drake	43	1705	39.7	69	1	15	11	7	0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Deion Holliman	3	76	25.3	1	57
Total	3	76	25.3	1	57
Opponents	8	26	3.2	0	18

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Deion Holliman	22	442	20.1	0	38
Adam St. Peter	3	14	4.7	0	7
Ch. Cacciarelli	1	11	11.0	0	11
LeMrcus Stewart	1	10	10.0	0	10
Phoenix Johnson	1	7	7.0	0	7
Total	28	484	17.3	0	38
Opponents	17	390	22.9	0	59

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Deion Holliman	7	77	120	76	442	0	715	102.1
Jason Randall	7	344	119	0	0	0	463	66.1
Malik Earl	6	19	377	0	0	0	396	66.0
Zac Hoover	7	15	364	0	0	0	379	54.1
Calan Crowder	6	216	16	0	0	0	232	38.7
LeMrcus Stewart	6	0	169	0	10	0	179	29.8
Erik Furmanek	7	0	165	0	0	0	165	23.6
Phoenix Johnson	6	59	1	0	7	0	67	11.2
Jalen Esters	7	0	62	0	0	0	62	8.9
Brodie Lambert	7	60	0	0	0	0	60	8.6
Total	7	823	1455	76	484	55	2893	413.3
Opponents	7	1176	2140	26	390	161	3893	556.1



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SEASON										CAREER								
Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Jason Randall	9	117	476	28	448	3.8	2	63	49.8	20	207	871	44	827	4.0	4	63	41.3
Calan Crowder	9	73	369	18	351	4.8	4	64	39.0	32	306	1478	59	1419	4.6	10	64	44.3
Nick Masoner	10	25	170	4	166	6.6	0	37	16.6	19	25	170	4	166	6.6	0	37	8.7
Phoenix Johnson	8	31	114	16	98	3.2	1	21	12.2	39	259	1042	60	982	3.8	4	24	25.2
Deion Holliman	10	15	100	11	89	5.9	0	18	8.9	33	16	105	13	92	5.8	0	18	2.8
Brodie Lambert	9	56	206	136	70	1.2	0	46	7.8	25	96	273	271	2	0.0	0	46	0.1
Breck Ruddick	3	11	58	9	49	4.5	0	15	16.3	10	52	297	73	224	4.3	1	55	22.4
Malik Earl	9	3	30	0	30	10.0	0	11	3.3	31	5	59	0	59	11.8	0	17	1.9
Gerard Harker	1	5	27	0	27	5.4	1	8	27.0	1	5	27	0	27	5.4	1	8	27.0
Michael Briggs	6	8	25	3	22	2.8	0	7	3.7	6	8	25	3	22	2.8	0	7	3.7
Zac Hoover	10	4	15	0	15	3.8	0	10	1.5	40	5	15	6	9	1.8	0	10	0.2
Brendan Withrow	2	1	13	0	13	13.0	0	13	6.5	2	1	13	0	13	13.0	0	13	6.5
LeMrcus Stewart	9	1	12	0	12	12.0	0	12	1.3	40	1	12	0	12	12.0	0	12	0.3
Coleman Clanton	10	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1	10	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
TEAM	6	11	0	43	-43	-3.9	0	0	-7.2									
Total	10	362	1616	268	1348	3.7	8	64	134.8									
Opponents	10	359	1694	250	1444	4.0	24	54	144.4									
Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g		
Brodie Lambert	9	123.38	129-228-13	56.6	1494	16	91	166.0	25	103.00	233-426-24	54.7	2275	19	91	91.0		
Breck Ruddick	3	155.42	34-52-1	65.4	424	4	46	141.3	10	108.76	86-156-2	55.1	808	6	59	80.8		
Michael Briggs	6	-19.85	1-13-2	7.7	5	0	5	0.8	6	-19.85	1-13-2	7.7	5	0	5	0.8		
Zac Hoover	10	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	40	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0		
TEAM	6	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0										
Zach Drake	10	32.80	1-1-0	100.0	-8	0	0	-0.8	10	32.80	1-1-0	100.0	-8	0	0	-0.8		
Total	10	121.57	165-296-16	55.7	1915	20	91	191.5										
Opponents	10	136.32	222-350-10	63.4	2686	15	61	268.6										
Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g				
Malik Earl	9	37	504	13.6	3	69	56.0	31	87	1158	13.3	6	69	37.4				
Deion Holliman	10	26	215	8.3	3	32	21.5	33	40	337	8.4	4	32	10.2				
Zac Hoover	10	24	433	18.0	5	91	43.3	40	52	768	14.8	8	91	19.2				
Erik Furmanek	10	24	221	9.2	3	23	22.1	33	29	245	8.4	3	23	7.4				
Jason Randall	9	16	144	9.0	2	36	16.0	20	21	176	8.4	2	36	8.8				
LeMrcus Stewart	9	10	177	17.7	1	49	19.7	40	38	447	11.8	3	49	11.2				
Aaron Denson	8	6	49	8.2	0	14	6.1	8	6	49	8.2	0	14	6.1				
Calan Crowder	9	5	27	5.4	0	10	3.0	32	26	100	3.8	0	17	3.1				
Adam St. Peter	10	4	30	7.5	2	9	3.0	33	5	38	7.6	2	9	1.2				
Phoenix Johnson	8	4	17	4.2	0	9	2.1	39	14	78	5.6	0	17	2.0				
Jalen Esters	10	3	62	20.7	0	37	6.2	10	3	62	20.7	0	37	6.2				
Willis Chambers	4	3	12	4.0	0	9	3.0	26	20	174	8.7	1	37	6.7				
Nick Masoner	10	1	14	14.0	0	14	1.4	19	1	14	14.0	0	14	0.7				
ColeChristensen	9	1	10	10.0	1	10	1.1	9	1	10	10.0	1	10	1.1				
Breck Ruddick	3	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	10	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0				
Total	10	165	1915	11.6	20	91	191.5											
Opponents	10	222	2686	12.1	15	61	268.6											



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SEASON							CAREER						
Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g	
Brodie Lambert	9	284	70	1494	1564	173.8	25	522	2	2275	2277	91.1	
Breck Ruddick	3	63	49	424	473	157.7	10	208	224	808	1032	103.2	
Jason Randall	9	117	448	0	448	49.8	20	207	827	0	827	41.3	
Calan Crowder	9	73	351	0	351	39.0	32	306	1419	0	1419	44.3	
Nick Masoner	10	25	166	0	166	16.6	19	25	166	0	166	8.7	
Phoenix Johnson	8	31	98	0	98	12.2	39	259	982	0	982	25.2	
Deion Holliman	10	15	89	0	89	8.9	33	16	92	0	92	2.8	
Malik Earl	9	3	30	0	30	3.3	31	5	59	0	59	1.9	
Gerard Harker	1	5	27	0	27	27.0	1	5	27	0	27	27.0	
Michael Briggs	6	21	22	5	27	4.5	6	21	22	5	27	4.5	
Zac Hoover	10	5	15	0	15	1.5	40	6	9	0	9	0.2	
Brendan Withrow	2	1	13	0	13	6.5	2	1	13	0	13	6.5	
LeMrcus Stewart	9	1	12	0	12	1.3	40	1	12	0	12	0.3	
Coleman Clanton	10	1	1	0	1	0.1	10	1	1	0	1	0.1	
Zach Drake	10	1	0	-8	-8	-0.8	10	1	0	-8	-8	-0.8	
TEAM	6	12	-43	0	-43	-7.2							
Total	10	658	1348	1915	3263	326.3							
Opponents	10	709	1444	2686	4130	413.0							

Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass						kick	rush	rcv	pass			
Zach Drake	-	5-9	27-28	-	-	-	-	-	42	-	5-9	27-28	-	-	-	-	-	42
Deion Holliman	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
Zac Hoover	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
Jason Randall	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36
Calan Crowder	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60
Erik Furmanek	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Malik Earl	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36
Adam St. Peter	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Phoenix Johnson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
LeMrcus Stewart	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
ColeChristensen	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Gerard Harker	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Robert Thomas	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Shelby Harris	-	1-1	2-2	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	1-2	7-7	-	-	-	-	-	10
TEAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2									
Jared Beshore	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	2
Total	31	6-10	29-30	1-1	-	-	-	1	237									
Opponents	42	12-16	40-41	0-1	-	-	-	-	328									

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Deion Holliman	8	81	10.1	1	57	19	265	13.9	2	58
Zac Hoover	1	36	36.0	0	36	1	36	36.0	0	36
Total	9	117	13.0	1	57					
Opponents	15	99	6.6	0	43					

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Deion Holliman	30	694	23.1	1	91	81	1777	21.9	2	100
Adam St. Peter	3	14	4.7	0	7	7	34	4.9	0	8
LeMrcus Stewart	1	10	10.0	0	10	22	416	18.9	0	39
Phoenix Johnson	1	7	7.0	0	7	4	50	12.5	0	21
Ch. Cacciarelli	1	11	11.0	0	11	1	11	11.0	0	11
Total	36	736	20.4	1	91					
Opponents	28	605	21.6	0	59					



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SEASON						CAREER				
Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Dylan Cole	2	13	6.5	0	13	5	25	5.0	0	13
Anthony Upchurch	2	15	7.5	0	15	3	16	5.3	0	15
Cameron Price	2	25	12.5	0	25	2	25	12.5	0	25
Jared Beshore	1	17	17.0	0	17	1	17	17.0	0	17
Matt Rush	1	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
McNeece Egbim	1	21	21.0	0	21	1	21	21.0	0	21
Robert Thomas	1	23	23.0	1	23	1	23	23.0	1	23
Total	10	114	11.4	1	25					
Opponents	16	165	10.3	3	43					

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0					
Opponents	5	55	11.0	0	20					

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Deion Holliman	10	89	215	81	694	0	1079	107.9	33	92	337	265	1777	0	2471	74.9
Jason Randall	9	448	144	0	0	0	592	65.8	20	827	176	0	0	0	1003	50.2
Malik Earl	9	30	504	0	0	0	534	59.3	31	59	1158	0	0	0	1217	39.3
Zac Hoover	10	15	433	36	0	0	484	48.4	40	9	768	36	153	0	966	24.1
Calan Crowder	9	351	27	0	0	0	378	42.0	32	1419	100	0	28	0	1547	48.3
Erik Furmanek	10	0	221	0	0	0	221	22.1	33	0	245	0	2	0	247	7.5
LeMrcus Stewart	9	12	177	0	10	0	199	22.1	40	12	447	2	416	0	877	21.9
Nick Masoner	10	166	14	0	0	0	180	18.0	19	166	14	0	0	0	180	9.5
Phoenix Johnson	8	98	17	0	7	0	122	15.2	39	982	78	0	50	0	1110	28.5
Brodie Lambert	9	70	0	0	0	0	70	7.8	25	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.1
Jalen Esters	10	0	62	0	0	0	62	6.2	10	0	62	0	0	0	62	6.2
Breck Ruddick	3	49	0	0	0	0	49	16.3	10	224	0	0	0	0	224	22.4
Aaron Denson	8	0	49	0	0	0	49	6.1	8	0	49	0	0	0	49	6.1
Adam St. Peter	10	0	30	0	14	0	44	4.4	33	0	38	0	34	0	72	2.2
Gerard Harker	1	27	0	0	0	0	27	27.0	1	27	0	0	0	0	27	27.0
Cameron Price	10	0	0	0	0	25	25	2.5	10	0	0	0	0	25	25	2.5
Robert Thomas	1	0	0	0	0	23	23	23.0	7	0	0	0	0	23	23	3.3
Michael Briggs	6	22	0	0	0	0	22	3.7	6	22	0	0	0	0	22	3.7
McNeece Egbim	10	0	0	0	0	21	21	2.1	10	0	0	0	0	21	21	2.1
Jared Beshore	10	0	0	0	0	17	17	1.7	21	0	0	0	0	17	17	0.8
Anthny Upchurch	10	0	0	0	0	15	15	1.5	20	0	0	0	0	16	16	0.8
Brendan Withrow	2	13	0	0	0	0	13	6.5	2	13	0	0	0	0	13	6.5
Dylan Cole	10	0	0	0	0	13	13	1.3	45	0	0	1	7	25	33	0.7
Willis Chambers	4	0	12	0	0	0	12	3.0	26	0	174	0	0	0	174	6.7
Ch. Cacciarelli	9	0	0	0	11	0	11	1.2	9	0	0	0	11	0	11	1.2
ColeChristensen	9	0	10	0	0	0	10	1.1	9	0	10	0	0	0	10	1.1
Coleman Clanton	10	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.1	10	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.1
TEAM	6	-43	0	0	0	0	-43	-7.2								
Total	10	1348	1915	117	736	114	4230	423.0								
Opponents	10	1444	2686	99	605	165	4999	499.9								

Field Goals	att	good	long	blkd	att	good	long	blkd
Zach Drake	9	5	50	2	9	5	50	2
Shelby Harris	1	1	24	0	2	1	24	0
Total	10	6	50	2				
Opponents	16	12	42	0				

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk
Zach Drake	50	1991	39.8	69	1	50	1991	39.8	69	1
Brendan Withrow	6	235	39.2	47	0	6	235	39.2	47	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0					
Total	57	2226	39.1	69	1					
Opponents	48	1902	39.6	69	0					



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SEASON											CAREER												
Kickoffs		no.	yds	avg	tb	ob						no.	yds	avg	tb	ob							
Zach Drake		42	2460	58.6	11	3						42	2460	58.6	11	3							
Shelby Harris		3	176	58.7	0	0						6	296	49.3	1	0							
Total		45	2636	58.6	11	3																	
Opponents		63	3723	59.1	24	2																	
##	Defensive Leaders	gp	ua	a	total	tfl	sack	int	pbu	fr	ff	blk	gp	ua	a	total	tfl	sack	int	pbu	fr	ff	blk
31	Dylan Cole	10	79	47	126	8.0	.	2	4	.	3	.	45	232	209	441	40.5	5.0	5	16	2	3	.
52	McNeece Egbim	10	33	34	67	1.0	0.5	1	.	.	.	.	10	33	34	67	1.0	0.5	1	.	.	.	.
35	Kurran Blamey	9	21	17	38	2.5	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	32	43	37	80	4.5	1.5	.	.	.	1	2
21	Cameron Price	10	27	11	38	1.0	.	2	5	1	.	.	10	27	11	38	1.0	.	2	5	1	.	.
44	Alexz Jones	10	18	18	36	1.0	.	.	.	1	.	.	32	58	45	103	8.5	1.0	1	.	1	1	.
2	Darius Joseph	9	27	8	35	1.0	.	.	3	.	.	.	9	27	8	35	1.0	.	.	3	.	.	.
30	Jared Beshore	10	21	14	35	1.0	.	1	1	1	1	.	21	64	41	105	2.5	.	1	3	1	1	.
32	Anthony Upchurch	10	19	14	33	1.5	.	2	1	1	.	.	20	40	32	72	3.5	.	3	1	1	.	.
26	Kam Carter	10	19	13	32	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	19	13	32	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
90	Colby Isbell	10	15	17	32	12.0	6.5	.	3	.	1	.	33	43	63	106	24.0	14.0	.	6	2	3	1
24	Darius Daniel	10	20	7	27	2.0	.	.	5	.	.	.	10	20	7	27	2.0	.	.	5	.	.	.
94	Tristan Crowder	10	5	18	23	3.0	2.0	.	.	.	1	.	10	5	18	23	3.0	2.0	.	.	.	1	.
4	Matt Rush	10	18	4	22	1.0	.	1	2	.	.	.	24	49	13	62	4.5	.	1	4	.	1	.
96	Tony Jones	10	5	15	20	3.0	2.0	.	1	.	.	.	23	12	33	45	5.5	3.5	.	1	1	.	.
38	Eric Greely	10	11	8	19	1.0	.	.	2	1	.	.	32	21	21	42	1.0	.	.	2	1	.	.
91	Daryl Coburn	9	7	10	17	6.0	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	26	16	24	40	11.0	2.5	.	.	.	1	.
98	Cecil Bratton	10	6	10	16	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	33	27	56	83	4.5	1.0	.	.	1	.	.
14	JaMar McClendon	10	9	4	13	0.5	.	.	1	.	1	.	10	9	4	13	0.5	.	.	1	.	1	.
22	Austn Henderson	8	9	2	11	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	9	2	11	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	Tre Betts	10	5	6	11	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	29	23	52	1.0	.	2	3	.	.	.
33	Skyler Hulse	9	6	4	10	2.5	1.0	.	.	2	.	.	17	10	12	22	3.0	1.0	.	.	2	.	.
99	E.J. Sutton	8	1	8	9	2.0	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	8	1	8	9	2.0	1.0	.	.	.	.	.
39	Nick Masoner	10	.	7	7	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	19	.	11	11	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
34	Ch. Cacciarelli	9	3	2	5	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	3	2	5	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Colin Bess	8	.	5	5	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	.	5	5	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
36	Zach Drake	10	3	1	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	3	1	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
89	Brock Kliewer	2	2	1	3	2.0	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	5	2	1	3	2.0	1.0	.	.	.	.	.
3	Robert Thomas	1	.	2	2	0.5	.	1	.	.	.	.	7	7	5	12	0.5	.	1	1	.	.	.
18	Erik Furmanek	10	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	33	11	3	14	0.0	.	.	1	.	1	.
77	Jordan Turner	10	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	3	.	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
54	Riley Herrold	3	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
6	Willis Chambers	4	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	26	6	3	9	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	Jason Randall	9	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	20	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
81	Jalen Esters	10	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
5	Deion Holliman	10	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	33	3	.	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	Malik Earl	9	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	31	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
11	Phoenix Johnson	8	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	39	4	2	6	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
59	Easton Flaugh	9	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	17	2	3	5	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
1	LeMarcusStewart	1	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM TEAM		6	.	.	.	0.0											
Total		10	403	308	711	55	17	10	28	7	7	.											
Opponents		10	335	344	679	64	13	16	20	8	6	3											



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TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	52	321	4	37	15	141	1	23	15-17-0	141	1	23	2	129	1	91	4	59	0	36	462
9/10/16	at Murray State	52	174	1	22	21	295	3	46	21-37-1	295	3	46	3	79	0	41	1	-18	0	0	469
9/24/16	at Kansas State	17	30	0	11	3	24	0	9	3-12-1	24	0	9	3	44	0	17	1	0	0	0	54
10/1/16	at Indiana State	44	194	3	64	24	279	3	69	24-36-0	279	3	69	4	76	0	25	1	5	0	5	473
10/8/16	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	26	30	0	12	20	146	0	18	20-35-2	146	0	18	5	72	0	25	0	0	0	0	176
10/15/16	WESTERN ILLINOIS	23	105	0	63	24	290	5	49	24-43-3	290	5	49	2	18	0	11	1	14	0	14	395
10/22/16	at UNI	38	81	0	15	7	108	1	23	7-25-3	108	1	23	7	135	0	31	0	0	0	0	189
10/29/16	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	40	177	0	46	25	339	4	76	25-39-3	339	4	76	3	52	0	31	1	57	1	57	516
11/5/16	at South Dakota State	36	120	0	18	11	216	3	91	11-24-1	216	3	91	2	18	0	12	0	0	0	0	336
11/12/16	at Illinois State	34	116	0	17	15	77	0	16	15-28-2	77	0	16	5	113	0	38	0	0	0	0	193
Missouri State		362	1348	8	64	165	1915	20	91	165-296-16	1915	20	91	36	736	1	91	9	117	1	57	3263
Opponents		359	1444	24	54	222	2686	15	61	222-350-10	2686	15	61	28	605	0	59	15	99	0	43	4130

Games: 10 • Avg/rush: 3.7 • Avg/catch: 11.6 • Pass effic: 121.57 • KR avg: 20.4 • PR avg: 13.0 • All purpose avg/game: 423.0 • Total offense avg/gm: 326.3

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	33	40	73	11.0-48	4.0-30	0	0-0	2-44	0	7	0	7-7	0	0	1	14	57
9/10/16	at Murray State	44	36	80	8.0-42	2.0-18	1	1-0	3-15	3	3	0	2-3	1	0	0	6	28
9/24/16	at Kansas State	32	0	32	1.0-6	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
10/1/16	at Indiana State	36	54	90	7.0-25	3.0-20	3	3-0	2-30	4	4	0	6-6	0	0	0	7	45
10/8/16	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	34	42	76	5.0-22	2.0-16	1	2-0	0-0	2	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	3
10/15/1	WESTERN ILLINOIS	44	41	85	6.0-27	2.0-16	0	1-0	1-25	4	5	0	5-5	0	0	0	14	35
10/22/1	at UNI	55	0	55	3.0-18	1.0-10	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	7
10/29/1	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	39	40	79	4.0-6	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	5-5	0	0	0	0	38
11/5/16	at South Dakota State	44	28	72	5.0-16	1.0-4	0	0-0	1-0	1	0	0	3-3	0	0	0	7	24
11/12/1	at Illinois State	42	27	69	5.0-22	2.0-11	1	0-0	1-0	1	3	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Missouri State		403	308	711	55.0-232	17.0-125	7	7-0	10-114	17	28	0	29-30	1	0	1	48	237
Opponents		335	344	679	64.0-213	13.0-93	6	8-55	16-165	16	20	3	40-41	0	0	0	74	328

		Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	3	110	36.7	45	0	0	3	0	2	2-2	24	0	10	600	60.0	1	0	
9/10/16	at Murray State	6	221	36.8	47	0	1	1	0	3	0-2	0	1	4	201	50.2	1	1	
9/24/16	at Kansas State	5	190	38.0	51	1	0	0	2	1	0-0	0	0	1	63	63.0	0	0	
10/1/16	at Indiana State	4	152	38.0	39	0	0	1	0	2	1-1	22	0	8	446	55.8	0	1	
10/8/16	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	6	253	42.2	59	0	0	2	2	2	1-2	50	1	2	124	62.0	0	0	
10/15/1	WESTERN ILLINOIS	6	234	39.0	57	0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	6	366	61.0	4	0	
10/22/1	at UNI	8	323	40.4	53	0	0	5	2	2	0-1	0	0	2	127	63.5	0	0	
10/29/1	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	3	143	47.7	69	0	1	1	1	1	1-1	32	0	7	400	57.1	4	1	
11/5/16	at South Dakota State	8	301	37.6	50	0	0	3	1	2	1-1	22	0	4	251	62.8	1	0	
11/12/1	at Illinois State	8	299	37.4	41	0	0	3	0	2	0-0	0	0	1	58	58.0	0	0	
Missouri State		57	2226	39.1	69	1	2	19	9	17	6-10	50	2	45	2636	58.6	11	3	
Opponents		48	1902	39.6	69	0	10	7	6	11	12-16	42	0	63	3723	59.1	24	2	



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2016 OPPONENT GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

OPPONENT STATISTICS

		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot		
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	36	31	0	10	13	85	0	19	13	30	2	85	0	19	9	157	0	28	0	0	0	0	116
9/10/16	at Murray State	30	72	0	18	35	356	2	55	35	52	3	356	2	55	1	23	0	23	2	2	0	2	428
9/24/16	at Kansas State	22	165	3	40	10	105	2	20	10	13	0	105	2	20	1	35	0	35	5	71	0	43	270
10/1/16	at Indiana State	25	38	2	9	35	344	1	38	35	52	2	344	1	38	5	143	0	59	1	13	0	13	382
10/8/16	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	45	269	2	53	11	159	1	43	11	20	0	159	1	43	2	43	0	22	1	-4	0	0	428
10/15/16	WESTERN ILLINOIS	46	138	4	14	24	323	1	38	24	42	1	323	1	38	2	50	0	27	1	18	0	18	461
10/22/16	at UNI	38	138	4	24	25	418	2	61	25	33	0	418	2	61	2	37	0	21	0	0	0	0	556
10/29/16	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	33	112	2	13	29	315	2	54	29	39	0	315	2	54	2	22	0	14	1	-1	0	0	427
11/5/16	at South Dakota State	42	213	6	31	23	335	1	51	23	38	1	335	1	51	3	69	0	26	3	0	0	18	548
11/12/16	at Illinois State	42	268	1	54	17	246	3	38	17	31	1	246	3	38	1	26	0	26	1	0	0	0	514
Opponents		359	1444	24	54	222	2686	15	61	222	350	10	2686	15	61	28	605	0	59	15	99	0	43	4130
Missouri State		362	1348	8	64	165	1915	20	91	165	296	16	1915	20	91	36	736	1	91	9	117	1	57	3263

Games: 10 • Avg/rush: 4.0 • Avg/catch: 12.1 • Pass effic: 136.32 • KR avg: 21.6 • PR avg: 6.6 • All purpose avg/game: 499.9 • Total offense avg/gm: 413.0

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	28	53	81	4.0-7	0.0-0	1	2-1	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
9/10/16	at Murray State	41	52	93	7.0-19	1.0-8	1	1-20	1-4	6	1	1	1-1	0	0	0	6	22
9/24/16	at Kansas State	20	6	26	4.0-10	0.0-0	0	1-7	1-0	0	1	1	5-5	0	0	0	0	35
10/1/16	at Indiana State	42	48	90	9.0-29	3.0-19	1	1-7	0-0	1	5	0	3-3	0	0	0	7	24
10/8/16	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	27	40	67	11.0-35	2.0-20	2	2-20	2-8	0	1	1	3-3	0	0	0	14	27
10/15/1	WESTERN ILLINOIS	27	35	62	5.0-17	0.0-0	0	0-0	3-10	1	1	0	5-5	0	0	0	0	38
10/22/1	at UNI	50	0	50	5.0-32	3.0-27	0	0-0	3-90	4	1	0	7-8	0	0	0	16	61
10/29/1	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	37	44	81	4.0-9	0.0-0	0	0-0	3-43	2	1	0	5-5	0	0	0	14	35
11/5/16	at South Dakota State	30	30	60	8.0-37	3.0-16	1	1-0	1-0	1	3	0	7-7	0	0	0	7	49
11/12/1	at Illinois State	33	36	69	7.0-18	1.0-3	0	0-0	2-10	1	6	0	4-4	0	0	0	10	37
Opponents		335	344	679	64.0-213	13.0-93	6	8-55	16-165	16	20	3	40-41	0	0	0	74	328
Missouri State		403	308	711	55.0-232	17.0-125	7	7-0	10-114	17	28	0	29-30	1	0	1	48	237

		Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	9	315	35.0	49	0	0	1	0	2	0-0	0	0	2	114	57.0	0	0	
9/10/16	at Murray State	6	180	30.0	40	0	0	1	0	1	3-3	37	0	5	304	60.8	2	0	
9/24/16	at Kansas State	2	69	34.5	39	0	0	0	0	0	0-1	0	0	5	316	63.2	1	1	
10/1/16	at Indiana State	3	132	44.0	51	0	1	0	1	1	1-1	39	0	5	298	59.6	1	0	
10/8/16	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	4	148	37.0	48	0	0	1	0	2	2-3	38	0	6	300	50.0	1	0	
10/15/1	WESTERN ILLINOIS	5	242	48.4	57	0	2	0	2	2	1-2	33	0	7	405	57.9	5	0	
10/22/1	at UNI	3	141	47.0	53	0	1	1	1	1	2-2	33	0	11	682	62.0	4	0	
10/29/1	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	8	308	38.5	49	0	3	2	0	0	0-0	0	0	6	335	55.8	3	0	
11/5/16	at South Dakota State	5	228	45.6	56	0	3	1	1	1	0-0	0	0	8	470	58.8	4	1	
11/12/1	at Illinois State	3	139	46.3	69	0	0	0	1	1	3-4	42	0	8	499	62.4	3	0	
Opponents		48	1902	39.6	69	0	10	7	6	11	12-16	42	0	63	3723	59.1	24	2	
Missouri State		57	2226	39.1	69	1	2	19	9	17	6-10	50	2	45	2636	58.6	11	3	



				Times	Times	Total		Rush	Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
Date	Opponent	Score		In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	W 57-0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9/10/16	at Murray State	W 28-22		5	4	15	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
9/24/16	at Kansas State	L 0-35		5	5	35	5	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/1/16	at Indiana State	W 45-24		2	2	14	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/8/16	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	L 3-27		4	3	13	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
10/15/16	WESTERN ILLINOIS	L 35-38		8	6	38	5	4	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
10/22/16	at UNI	L 7-61		7	7	41	5	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/29/16	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	W 38-35		3	3	21	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11/5/16	at South Dakota State	L 24-49		6	6	42	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11/12/16	at Illinois State	L 0-37		5	3	13	1	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals				45	39	232	29	22	7	10	2	0	2	2	0	0
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3rd-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	W 57-0	2-8 25.0	0-2 0.0	0-2 0.0	2-3 66.7	0-1 0.0	
9/10/16	at Murray State	W 28-22	8-20 40.0	0-3 0.0	2-4 50.0	5-8 62.5	1-5 20.0	
9/24/16	at Kansas State	L 0-35	3-9 33.3	2-4 50.0	1-5 20.0			
10/1/16	at Indiana State	W 45-24	7-16 43.8	2-4 50.0	1-3 33.3	4-6 66.7	0-3 0.0	
10/8/16	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	L 3-27	6-16 37.5	3-6 50.0	0-3 0.0	2-3 66.7	1-4 25.0	
10/15/16	WESTERN ILLINOIS	L 35-38	6-15 40.0	1-5 20.0	1-3 33.3	1-3 33.3	3-4 75.0	
10/22/16	at UNI	L 7-61	5-16 31.2	2-5 40.0	2-3 66.7	0-4 0.0	1-4 25.0	
10/29/16	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	W 38-35	8-15 53.3	1-3 33.3	1-3 33.3	3-3 100.0	3-6 50.0	
11/5/16	at South Dakota State	L 24-49	5-14 35.7	2-4 50.0	1-3 33.3	1-5 20.0	1-2 50.0	
11/12/16	at Illinois State	L 0-37	3-14 21.4	1-4 25.0	0-3 0.0	1-4 25.0	1-3 33.3	
Missouri State			53-143 37.1	14-40 35.0	9-32 28.1	19-39 48.7	11-32 34.4	0-0 0.0
Opponents			62-154 40.3	11-37 29.7	26-53 49.1	14-28 50.0	11-36 30.6	0-0 0.0

4th-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	W 57-0	1-1 100.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	1-1 100.0	
9/10/16	at Murray State	W 28-22	1-3 33.3	1-2 50.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0	
9/24/16	at Kansas State	L 0-35	0-1 0.0	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0			
10/1/16	at Indiana State	W 45-24	2-3 66.7	1-1 100.0	0-0 0.0	1-2 50.0	0-0 0.0	
10/8/16	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	L 3-27	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	
10/15/16	WESTERN ILLINOIS	L 35-38	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	
10/22/16	at UNI	L 7-61	1-1 100.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	1-1 100.0	0-0 0.0	
10/29/16	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	W 38-35	0-2 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-2 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	
11/5/16	at South Dakota State	L 24-49	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0	
11/12/16	at Illinois State	L 0-37	0-2 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0	
Missouri State			5-15 33.3	2-4 50.0	0-3 0.0	2-6 33.3	1-2 50.0	0-0 0.0
Opponents			10-21 47.6	3-5 60.0	4-8 50.0	0-1 0.0	3-7 42.9	0-0 0.0

Time of Possession

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
9/1/16	SOUTHWESTERN	W 57-0	29:14	7:05	5:14	7:21	9:34	
9/10/16	at Murray State	W 28-22	34:43	6:33	9:21	10:48	8:01	
9/24/16	at Kansas State	L 0-35	14:05	7:22	6:43			
10/1/16	at Indiana State	W 45-24	34:39	10:03	5:40	11:26	7:30	
10/8/16	NORTH DAKOTA STATE	L 3-27	26:55	8:44	4:56	4:43	8:32	
10/15/16	WESTERN ILLINOIS	L 35-38	23:10	5:55	3:42	6:45	6:48	
10/22/16	at UNI	L 7-61	28:14	7:01	8:13	7:42	5:18	
10/29/16	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	W 38-35	31:58	5:56	6:00	10:46	9:16	
11/5/16	at South Dakota State	L 24-49	25:32	5:54	6:14	8:32	4:52	
11/12/16	at Illinois State	L 0-37	26:04	7:39	4:48	6:02	7:35	
Missouri State			Total 274:34	72:12	60:51	74:05	67:26	0:00
			Avg. 27:27	7:13	6:05	7:24	6:44	0:00
Opponents			Total 295:26	77:48	89:09	60:55	67:34	0:00
			Avg. 29:32	7:46	8:54	6:05	6:45	0:00



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RUSHING	No-Yds/TD	SC	MUR	KSU	INS	NDSU	WIU	UNI	SIU	SDSU	ILS	YSU
Jason Randall	117-448/2	9-67/2	17-37/0	-	14-49/0	11-17/0	7-91/0	15-36/0	22-86/0	11-48/0	11-17/0	-
Calan Crowder	73-351/4	11-34/0	19-97/1	3-4/0	9-131/3	5-10/0	8-16/0	11-39/0	4-13/0	-	3-7/0	-
Nick Masoner	25-166/0	13-132/0	2-(-2)/0	1-4/0	1-3/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	6-25/0	-	-	2-4/0	-
Phoenix Johnson	31-98/1	5-45/1	-	3-(-6)/0	5-3/0	0-0/0	2-1/0	-	6-17/0	7-10/0	3-28/0	-
Deion Holliman	15-89/0	0-0/0	1-12/0	1-0/0	0-0/0	2-4/0	0-0/0	1-4/0	-	6-49/0	4-20/0	-
Brodie Lambert	56-70/0	0-0/0	-	5-10/0	8-(-16)/0	6-(-1)/0	5-(-4)/0	3-(-27)/0	7-51/0	12/13/0	10-44/0	-
Breck Ruddick	11-49/0	4-37/0	7-12/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malik Earl	3-30/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-11/0	2-19/0	0-0/0	-	0-0/0	-	-	-	-
Gerard Harker	5-27/1	5-27/1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michael Briggs	8-22/0	1-7/0	-	2-7/0	1-4/0	2-0/0	-	2-4/0	-	-	-	-
Zac Hoover	4-15/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-0/0	2-5/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-10/0	-	-	-
Brendan Withrow	1-13/0	0-0/0	1-13/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LeMarcus Stewart	1-12/0	0-0/0	1-12/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	-	-	-	-
Coleman Clanton	1-1/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-1/0	0-0/0	-	-	-	-
Team	11-(-43)/0	4-(-28)/0	4-(-7)/0	0-0/0	2-(-4)/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-(-4)/0	-
PASSING	Att-Cmp-Int	SC	MUR	KSU	INS	NDSU	WIU	UNI	SIU	SDSU	ILS	YSU
Brodie Lambert	129-228-13	2-2-0	-	3-7-0	24-35-0	20-35-2	24-43-3	6-19-2	25-39-3	10-21-1	15-27-2	-
Yards-TD	1494-16	12-0	-	24-0	279-3	146-0	290-5	103-1	339-4	224-3	77-0	-
Breck Ruddick	52-34-1	15-13-0	37-21-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yards-TD	424-4	129-1	295-3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michael Briggs	1-13-2	-	-	0-5-1	0-1-0	0-0-0	-	1-6-1	-	-	0-1-0	-
Yards-TD	5-0	-	-	0-0	0-0	0-0	-	5-0	-	-	0-0	-
RECEIVING	No-Yds/TD	SC	MUR	KSU	INS	NDSU	WIU	UNI	SIU	SDSU	ILS	YSU
Malik Earl	37-504/3	4-29/0	4-98/0	0-0/0	11-161/2	7-53/0	-	2-21/0	4-42/0	2-82/1	3-18/0	-
Deion Holliman	26-215/3	2-21/1	5-66/0	1-8/0	5-25/0	3-19/0	4-59/2	1-3/0	1-1/0	1-0/0	3-13/0	-
Zac Hoover	24-433/5	1-9/0	2-53/1	1-7/0	3-32/0	0-0/0	6-35/1	1-12/0	5-150/2	3-113/1	2-22/0	-
Erik Furmanek	24-221/3	2-41/0	2-15/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	3-24/0	5-47/1	0-0/0	6-68/1	3-10/1	3-16/0	-
Jason Randall	16-144/2	0-0/0	1-25/1	-	2-41/0	3-12/0	1-2/0	1-35/1	3-17/0	1-4/0	4-8/0	-
LeMarcus Stewart	10-177/1	0-0/0	1-8/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	2-19/0	4-95/1	1-23/0	2-32/0	-	-	-
Aaron Denson	6-49/0	2-20/0	1-2/0	0-0/0	1-8/0	1-9/0	-	1-14/0	-	-	-	-
Calan Crowder	5-27/0	1-8/0	1-3/0	0-0/0	1-3/0	1-10/0	1-3/0	0-0/0	-	-	-	-
Adam St. Peter	4-30/2	1-6/0	2-15/1	0-0/0	1-9/1	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	-	-	-	-
Phoenix Johnson	4-17/0	1-7/0	-	1-9/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	-	2-1/0	-	-	-
Jalen Esters	3-62/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-37/0	0-0/0	1-18/0	1-7/0	-	-
Willis Chambers	3-12/0	-	1-0/0	0-0/0	-	0-0/0	2-12/0	-	-	-	-	-
Nick Masoner	1-14/0	0-0/0	1-14/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	-	-	-	-
Cole Christensen	1-10/1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-10/1	-	-	-
Breck Ruddick	1-0/0	1-0/0	0-0/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL TACKLES	UA-A--TOT	SC	MUR	KSU	INS	NDSU	WIU	UNI	SIU	SDSU	ILS	YSU
Dylan Cole	79-47--126	4-1	9-5	3-0	4-9	8-7	8-8	13-0	11-8	9-5	9-4	-
McNeece Egbim	33-34--67	2-2	5-7	2-0	4-5	2-4	9-5	3-0	2-6	3-0	1-5	-
Cameron Price	27-11--38	0-1	6-0	3-0	5-2	5-4	4-2	3-0	0-1	2-0	0-1	-
Kurran Blamey	21-17--38	2-0	2-2	-	1-4	4-3	5-5	4-0	-	2-2	1-1	-
Alexz Jones	18-18--36	2-3	0-3	1-0	2-2	0-4	2-0	2-0	3-2	0-2	6-2	-
Darius Joseph	27-8--35	2-1	2-0	1-0	3-1	3-2	2-1	2-0	6-3	6-0	-	-
Jared Beshore	21-14--35	2-0	0-2	1-0	4-2	3-1	2-3	1-0	4-4	1-2	3-0	-
Anthony Upchurch	19-14--33	0-1	4-2	1-0	2-3	0-1	2-3	3-0	1-1	4-1	2-2	-
Colby Isbell	15-17--32	6-1	0-2	1-0	2-5	2-2	1-3	1-0	0-1	1-1	0-2	-
Kam Carter	19-13--32	0-1	4-0	1-0	1-2	1-1	1-1	4-0	3-2	3-4	1-2	-
Darius Daniel	20-7--27	0-2	4-1	2-0	1-0	2-2	1-0	5-0	1-0	1-1	3-1	-
Tristan Crowder	5-18--23	0-1	1-1	1-0	1-3	0-2	0-4	-	0-4	2-2	0-1	-
Matt Rush	18-4--22	2-0	0-2	2-0	1-0	-	1-1	3-0	5-0	2-1	2-0	-
Tony Jones	5-15--20	0-6	1-3	-	1-1	-	1-1	1-0	1-1	-	0-3	-
Eric Greely	11-8--19	3-3	0-1	5-0	-	1-0	0-1	-	1-1	1-2	-	-
Daryl Coburn	7-10--17	-	1-2	-	-	0-2	1-2	1-0	0-2	2-0	2-2	-
Cecil Bratton	6-10--16	0-1	0-2	2-0	0-2	0-2	0-1	1-0	0-1	-	3-1	-
JaMario McClendon	9-4--13	-	1-0	-	0-1	-	1-0	2-0	0-3	-	5-0	-
Tre Betts	5-6--11	2-2	-	-	2-2	1-1	-	-	-	0-1	-	-
Austin Henderson	9-2--11	-	-	1-0	2-1	-	1-0	2-0	-	1-1	2-0	-
Skyler Hulse	6-4--10	-	1-0	1-0	-	0-2	-	2-0	-	3-2	-	-
E.J. Sutton	1-8--9	0-2	1-1	-	0-3	0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nick Masoner	0-7--7	0-4	-	-	0-2	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-
Colin Bess	0-5--5	0-2	-	-	0-3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chris Cacciarelli	3-2--5	2-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-
Zach Drake	3-1--4	1-0	-	2-0	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brock Kliewer	2-1--3	2-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Erik Furmanek	2-0--2	-	-	-	-	1-0	1-0	-	-	-	-	-
Riley Herrold	2-0--2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2-0	-	-	-	-
Jordan Turner	2-0--2	-	-	1-0	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-



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MISSOURI STATE FOOTBALL



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2016 BEARS GAME HIGHS

MSU Individual Game Highs

Rushes	22	Jason Randall vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Yards Rushing	132	Nick Masoner vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
TD Rushes	3	Calan Crowder at Indiana State (10/1/16)
Long Rush	64	Calan Crowder at Indiana State (10/1/16)
Pass Attempts	43	Brodie Lambert vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Pass Completions	25	Brodie Lambert vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Yards Passing	339	Brodie Lambert vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
TD Passes	5	Brodie Lambert vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Long Pass	91	Brodie Lambert at South Dakota State (11/5/16)
Receptions	11	Malik Earl at Indiana State (10/1/16)
Yards Receiving	161	Malik Earl at Indiana State (10/1/16)
TD Receptions	2	Malik Earl at Indiana State (10/1/16)
	2	Deion Holliman vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
	2	Zac Hoover vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Long Reception	91	Zac Hoover at South Dakota State (11/5/16)
Field Goal	1	Zach Drake (five times)
	1	Shelby Harris vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Long Field Goal	50	Zach Drake vs. North Dakota State (10/8/16)
Punts	8	Zach Drake (three times)
Punting Avg.	47.7	Zach Drake vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Long Punt	69	Zach Drake vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Punts Inside 20	3	Zach Drake at Murray State (9/10/16)
Long Punt Return	57	Deion Holliman vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Long Kickoff Return	91	Deion Holliman vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Tackles	19	Dylan Cole vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Sacks	2.5	Colby Isbell vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Tackles For Loss	5.5	Colby Isbell vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Interceptions	1	Dylan Cole (two times)
	1	Cameron Price (two times)
	1	Anthony Upchurch (two times)
	1	Jared Beshore at Indiana State (10/1/16)
	1	McNeece Egbim vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
	1	Robert Thomas vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
	1	Matt Rush at Illinois State (11/12/16)

MSU Team Game Highs

Rushes	52	vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
	52	at Murray State (9/10/16)
Yards Rushing	321	vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Yards Per Rush	6.2	vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
TD Rushes	4	vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Pass Attempts	43	vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Pass Completions	25	vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Yards Passing	339	vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Yards Per Pass	8.8	at South Dakota State (11/5/16)
TD Passes	5	vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Total Plays	89	at Murray State (9/10/16)
Total Offense	516	vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Yards Per Play	6.7	vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Points	57	vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Sacks By	4	vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
First Downs	26	vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
	26	vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Penalties	12	at Murray State (9/10/16)
Penalty Yards	130	at Murray State (9/10/16)
Turnovers	4	vs. North Dakota State (10/8/16)
Interceptions By	3	at Murray State (9/10/16)
Punts	8	at UNI (10/22/16)
	8	at South Dakota State (11/5/16)
	8	at Illinois State (11/12/16)
Punting Avg.	47.7	vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Long Punt	69	vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Punts Inside 20	3	at Murray State (9/10/16)
Long Punt Return	57	vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Long Kickoff Return	91	vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)

Opponent Individual Game Highs

Rushes	19	Demetric Johnson, Murray State (9/10/16)
	19	King Frazier, North Dakota State (10/8/16)
Yards Rushing	126	King Frazier, North Dakota State (10/8/16)
TD Rushes	2	Eight times
Long Rush	54	DeMarco Corbin, Illinois State (11/12/16)
Pass attempts	52	KD Humphries, Murray State (9/10/16)
	52	Isaac Harker, Indiana State (10/1/16)
Pass completions	35	KD Humphries, Murray State (9/10/16)
	35	Isaac Harker, Indiana State (10/1/16)
Yards Passing	418	Eli Dunne, UNI (10/22/16)
TD Passes	3	Jake Kolbe, Illinois State (11/12/16)
Long Pass	61	Eli Dunne, UNI (10/22/16)
Receptions	8	Anthony Warrum, Illinois State (11/12/16)
Yards Receiving	142	Lance Lenoir, Western Illinois (10/15/16)
TD Receptions	2	Jordon Gandy, Murray State (9/10/16)
Long Reception	61	Trevor Allen, UNI (10/22/16)
Field Goals	3	Connor Mitchell, Murray State (9/10/16)
	3	Sean Slattery, Illinois State (11/12/16)
Long Field Goal	39	Sean Slattery, Illinois State (11/12/16)
Punts	8	Lane Reazin, Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Punting Avg.	48.4	Nathan Knuffman, Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Long Punt	57	Reece Attard, Illinois State (11/12/16)
Punts inside 20	2	Nathan Knuffman, Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Long Punt Return	43	Byron Pringle, Kansas State (9/24/16)
Long Kickoff Return	59	Lonnell Brown, Indiana State (10/1/16)
Tackles	14	Jameer Thurman, Indiana State (10/1/16)
	14	Quentin Moon, Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Sacks	1.0	13 times
Tackles For Loss	4.0	Jameer Thurman, Indiana State (10/1/16)
Interceptions	1	16 times

Opponent Team Game Highs

Rushes	46	Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Yards Rushing	269	North Dakota State (10/8/16)
Yards Per Rush	7.5	Kansas State (9/24/16)
TD Rushes	6	South Dakota State (11/5/16)
Pass attempts	52	Murray State (9/10/16)
	52	Indiana State (10/1/16)
Pass completions	35	Murray State (9/10/16)
	35	Indiana State (10/1/16)
Yards Passing	418	UNI (10/22/16)
Yards Per Pass	12.7	UNI (10/22/16)
TD Passes	3	Illinois State (11/12/16)
Total Plays	88	Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Total Offense	556	UNI (10/22/16)
Yards Per Play	7.8	UNI (10/22/16)
Points	61	UNI (10/22/16)
Sacks By	3	Indiana State (10/1/16)
	3	UNI (10/22/16)
	3	South Dakota State (11/5/16)
First Downs	26	UNI (10/22/16)
Penalties	10	UNI (10/22/16)
Penalty Yards	95	UNI (10/22/16)
Turnovers	5	Indiana State (10/1/16)
Interceptions By	3	Western Illinois (10/15/16)
	3	UNI (10/22/16)
	3	Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Punts	9	Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Punting Avg.	48.4	Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Long Punt	69	Illinois State (11/12/16)
Punts inside 20	2	Three times
Long Punt Return	43	Kansas State (9/24/16)
Long Kickoff Return	59	Indiana State (10/1/16)



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2016 BEARS GAME RECAPS

Game	Sept. 1, 2016, Robert W. Plaster Stadium, Springfield, Mo.
1	Southwestern College 0 Missouri State 57

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. -- Missouri State christened the 2016 football season in grand fashion, dominating Southwestern College in all phases of the game in a 57-0 victory at Robert W. Plaster Stadium. Led by a career night from Colby Isbell, the Bears defense stifled the Moundbuilders' attack to finish the first shutout of the Dave Steckel era.

Isbell matched a career high with 7.0 tackles, while recording 5.5 tackles for loss and 2.5 sacks in the opening half to help stake Missouri State (1-0) to a commanding lead, before the Bears offense put the game out of reach in the third quarter. Overall, the Bears held SC to 116 yards of total offense in 66 plays (1.76 yards per play), recorded 4.0 sacks and 11.0 total tackles for losses totaling 48 yards to help post MSU's largest margin of victory in nearly a quarter century.

The MSU offense helped spur an early charge that saw the Bears take a 21-0 lead just 10 minutes into the contest and racked up 462 yards of total offense on the night. Sophomore quarterback Breck Ruddick completed 13-of-15 passes for 129 yards and a touchdown while rushing for 37 yards on just four carries.

Sophomore Nick Masoner led a potent MSU ground attack that piled up 321 rushing yards on 52 carries, finishing his night with a game and career-high 132 yards on 13 carries.

The runaway victory before a crowd of 8,827 represented the largest final margin in a Bears' win since Sept. 21, 1991, when MSU routed Prairie View A&M by a 61-0 score at Plaster Stadium.

Deion Holliman, a preseason All-MVFC pick and the nation's leading combined kick returner last fall, turned in a big night as well. The junior recorded 173 all-purpose yards, including 129 on his two kickoff returns, and hauled in the second touchdown reception of his Missouri State career. Holliman sparked the Bears' early outburst by returning the opening kickoff 91 yards for a touchdown and a 7-0 lead, just 12 seconds into the new season. He would add to the MSU advantage on the Bears next possession by reaching high to grab a nine-yard scoring strike from Ruddick, who went 5-of-5 for 42 yards on the 73-yard drive.

MSU took advantage of a short field to add to its lead, as an 18-yard SC punt set up the Bears at the 28-yard line. Three plays later, Jason Randall bulled his way into the end zone for a seven-yard scoring run to stretch the margin to 21-0 with 5:00 to play in the opening quarter.

The Missouri State defense left an early impression on the Moundbuilders (0-1) as well, limiting the visitors to just 10 offensive yards in the opening period. After allowing 23 yards on Southwestern's opening drive, the Bears put the clamps on the opposition, thanks in large part to a series of stops on key third down plays. Isbell came up with third-down sacks on back-to-back possessions, and recorded all 5.5 of his tackles for loss before the break, ultimately coming up just a half tackle short of Dylan Cole's MSU single-game record.

MSU held the Builders to just one first down in the period and did not allow a third or fourth down conversion until late in the second quarter.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Southwestern College (0-1)	0	0	0	0	0
Missouri State (1-0)	21	3	19	14	57

Scoring Summary:

1st	MSU 14:48	Deion Holliman 91 yard kickoff return (Drake kick)
	MSU 9:24	Deion Holliman 9 yard pass from Breck Ruddick (Drake kick)
	MSU 5:00	Jason Randall 7 yard run (Drake kick)
2nd	MSU 10:39	Zach Drake 19 yard field goal
3rd	MSU 10:06	Jason Randall 1 yard run (Drake kick)
	MSU 8:24	Phoenix Johnson 21 yard run (Drake kick)
	MSU 7:19	Team safety
	MSU 2:47	Shelby Harris 24 yard field goal
4th	MSU 5:54	Gerard Harker 1 yard run (Harris kick)
	MSU 4:16	Robert Thomas 23 yard interception return (Harris kick)

Team Statistics	SC	MSU
FIRST DOWNS	7	26
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	36-31	52-321
PASSING YDS (NET)	85	141
Passes Comp-Att-Int	13-30-2	15-17-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	66-116	69-462
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-1	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	4-59
Kickoff Returns-Yards	9-157	2-129
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-44
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-35.0	3-36.7
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	2-20	7-70
Possession Time	30:46	29:14
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 18	2 of 8
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 5	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	6-8
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	4-30

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Missouri State - Nick Masoner 13-132; Jason Randall 9-67; Phoenix Johnson 5-45; Breck Ruddick 4-37; Calan Crowder 11-34; Gerard Harker 5-27; Michael Briggs 1-7. Southwestern - Hunter Sconce 11-30; Jacobi White 4-11; Ethan Yauneay 4-10; Christian Gordon 9-9; Aaron Johnson 2-1; Braden Langston 2-5; Team 1-(-11); Ka'Darius Baker 3-(-14).

PASSING: Missouri State - Breck Ruddick 13-15-1-129; Brodie Lambert 2-2-0-12. Southwestern - Braden Langston 3-12-0-33; Ka'Darius Baker 5-10-0-13; Christian Gordon 5-8-0-39.

RECEIVING: Missouri State - Malik Earl 4-29; Erik Furmanek 2-41; Deion Holliman 2-21; Aaron Denson 2-20; Zac Hoover 1-9; Calan Crowder 1-8; Phoenix Johnson 1-7; Adam St. Peter 1-6; Breck Ruddick 1-0. Southwestern - Donny Ebanks 3-33; Jacob Sigmon 3-27; Tanner Spencer 3-10; Lawrence Smith 2-12; Hale Henry 1-2; Terren Franklin 1-1.

TACKLES: Missouri State - Colby Isbell 7; Eric Greely 6; Tony Jones 6; Dylan Cole 5; Alex Jones 5. Southwestern - Joey Scelza 12; Ka'Darius McQueen 9; Kyle Robinson 9; Dallas Allen 9; Michael Bell 6.

Attendance: 8,827. Kickoff time: 6:04 p.m. End of Game: 9:01 p.m. Total elapsed time: 2:57. Officials - Referee: David Siegle; Umpire: Tony Day; Linesman: Spencer Stelljes; Line judge: Ron Tomczak; Back judge: Marty Abetzian; Field judge: John Smith; Side judge: Jim Wojcikiewicz. Temperature: 79. Wind: NNE 13 mph. Weather: Sunny, fair.

Game	Sept. 10, 2016, Roy Stewart Stadium, Murray, Ky.
2	Missouri State 28 Murray State 22

MURRAY, Ky. -- Missouri State built an 11-point first-half lead behind three Breck Ruddick touchdown passes, then used a stingy second-half defensive effort to hold off Murray State for a 28-22 victory at Roy Stewart Stadium.

Ruddick turned in career highs of 21 completions and 295 total passing yards and connected with three different receivers for touchdowns in the opening half, while MSU's stout defensive effort in the red zone helped stake the Bears to a 21-10 lead. After the Racers used a late KD Humphries TD toss to pull to within two points, the Bears turned the lights out on their first road win in nearly two years with a pair of takeaways, as well as a 16-yard Calan Crowder scoring run.

MSU shut down the Racers rushing attack throughout the night, holding Murray State to 72 yards on 30 carries -- including only 29 yards on 12 carries in the second half -- to offset a 356-yard passing night by Humphries. Senior All-America linebacker Dylan Cole registered a game-high 14 tackles and forced two of the Racers' four turnovers, stripping Humphries in the red zone for a key second-half fumble, then intercepting a pass in the third period.

The victory handed head coach Dave Steckel his first road win as the Bears' sideline boss, and gave MSU its first 2-0 start to a season since 2007.

Ruddick completed 11-of-17 passes for 172 yards in the opening half, while the MSU defense limited the Racers to a pair of field goals in their three trips inside the 20-yard line during an explosive half that saw the two clubs combine for nearly 500 yards of offense.

For the second week in a row, the Bears converted their initial offensive possession into a touchdown to seize an early lead. Ruddick, who both of his pass attempts 2-of-2 for 50 of MSU's 55 yards on the opening drive, found a wide-open Zac Hoover behind the Murray State defense for a 39-yard scoring pass, just 3:02 into the contest.

MSU's defense flexed its collective muscle in the early stages of the game, forcing a pair of punts before the Racers would register a first down midway through the opening quarter.

Humphries, who would complete 10-of-13 passes for 77 yards in the opening period, recovered to engineer the first scoring drive of the season by a Missouri State opponent. The preseason All-America candidate connected with Jordan Gandy on a 31-yard pass play to set up a 31-yard Connor Mitchell field goal that made it a 7-3 game at the 1:50 mark.

The Bears (2-0) responded in the second period, thanks to a defense that forced a pair of turnovers to swing the momentum in their favor for good. Cole tallied 10 tackles in the first half alone, one of which resulted in a Humphries fumble at the Bears' 15 yard-line, which freshman safety Cameron Price fell on at the 20 to extinguish a Racer scoring threat.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Missouri State (2-0)	7	14	0	7	28
Murray State (0-2)	3	10	6	3	22

Scoring Summary:

1st	MSU 11:58	Zac Hoover 39 yard pass from Breck Ruddick (Drake kick)
	MUR 1:50	Connor Mitchell 31 yard field goal
2nd	MSU 6:35	Jason Randall 25 yard pass from Breck Ruddick (kick failed)
	MUR 5:43	Jordan Gandy 55 yard pass from KD Humphries (Mitchell kick)
	MSU 3:15	Adam St. Peter 8 yard pass from Breck Ruddick (Jared Beshore run)
	MUR 0:31	Connor Mitchell 36 yard field goal
3rd	MUR 1:46	Jordan Gandy 1 yard pass from KD Humphries (run failed)
4th	MSU 6:25	Calan Crowder 16 yard run (Drake kick)
	MUR 1:29	Connor Mitchell 37 yard field goal

Team Statistics	MSU	MUR
FIRST DOWNS	23	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	52-174	30-72
PASSING YDS (NET)	295	356
Passes Comp-Att-Int	21-37-1	35-52-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	89-469	82-428
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-20
Punt Returns-Yards	1-(-18)	2-2
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-79	1-23
Interception Returns-Yards	3-15	1-4
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-36.8	6-30.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	12-130	9-75
Possession Time	34:43	25:17
Third-Down Conversions	8 of 20	9 of 21
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 3	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-4	4-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-18	1-8

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Missouri State - Calan Crowder 19-97; Jason Randall 17-37; Brendan Withrow 1-13; Deion Holliman 1-12; Breck Ruddick 7-12; LeMarcus Stewart 1-12; Nick Masoner 2-(-2); Team 4-(-7). Murray State - Demetric Johnson 19-68; Mareio McGraw 1-3; L.J. Gainey 2-3; KD Humphries 8-(-2).

PASSING: Missouri State - Breck Ruddick 21-37-3-295. Murray State - KD Humphries 35-52-2-356.

RECEIVING: Missouri State - Deion Holliman 5-66; Malik Earl 4-98; Zac Hoover 2-53; Erik Furmanek 2-15; Adam St. Peter 2-15; Jason Randall 1-25; Nick Masoner 1-14; LeMarcus Stewart 1-8; Calan Crowder 1-3; Willis Chambers 1-0; Aaron Denson 1-(-2). Murray State - Jordan Gandy 7-104; Demetric Johnson 7-77; Malik Golson 5-21; L.J. Gainey 4-34; Mitch Stults 4-26; Jonathan Moss 3-46; Jess Blackburn 2-24; Jensen Feggins 1-12; Tyre Gray 1-7; Rajai Perkins 1-5.

TACKLES: Missouri State - Dylan Cole 14; McNeece Egbim 12; Cameron Price 6; Anthony Upchurch 6; Darius Daniel 5. Murray State - Zachary Wade 13; Lamont Crittendon 12; Jonathan Jackson 9; Marico Paige 8; Dylan Boone 7.

Attendance: 5,063. Kickoff time: 6:00 p.m. End of Game: 9:25 p.m. Total elapsed time: 3:25. Officials - Referee: Michael Sweatma; Umpire: Steve Lewis; Linesman: Neil Hughes; Line judge: Phillip DeWitt; Back judge: Tom Hahs; Field judge: Pat Pownall; Side judge: Greg Koerner. Temperature: 75. Wind: NNW 10 mph. Weather: Partly cloudy.



MISSOURI STATE FOOTBALL



GAME 11 | MISSOURI STATE (4-6, 2-5 MVFC) vs. YOUNGSTOWN STATE (7-3, 5-2 MVFC) | Sat., Nov. 19, 2016 | 2:04 p.m. (CST) | Springfield, Mo. | Plaster Stadium (17,500) | Bears Football Radio Network | ESPN3

2016 BEARS GAME RECAPS

Game	Sept. 24, 2016, Bill Snyder Family Stadium, Manhattan, Kan.
3	Missouri State 0 Kansas State 35

MANHATTAN, Kan. -- Kansas State emerged from a rain-soaked evening with a 35-0 weather-shortened victory over Missouri State at Bill Snyder Family Stadium in a contest that was delayed twice due to severe weather, before ultimately being called after just one half of play.

Using an efficient offensive attack that netted touchdowns on five of their eight first-half possessions and a defense that stifled the Bears throughout the first 30 minutes, the Wildcats built a 35-0 halftime lead. Quarterback Jesse Ertz turned in a near-perfect opening half, completing 7-of-8 passes for 94 yards and a pair of touchdowns and burning the Bears with a pair of long runs to set up scoring opportunities.

KSU's defense proved more than capable as well, limiting the Bears to 54 yards of offense and forcing either three-and-out punts or turnovers on six of MSU's eight drives in the opening half. MSU's passing game failed to find a rhythm, as the Wildcat defense limited the duo of Brodie Lambert and Michael Briggs to a combined 3-for-12 first-half showing for a total of 24 yards.

In all, the hosts outgained the Bears by a 270-54 margin in total offense, with Ertz totaling a game-high 85 yards on the ground to go along with his standout passing performance.

K-State's offense set the tone early, marching 63 yards in 11 plays on the game's opening drive to take a 7-0 lead. The Wildcats chewed up 38 yards on the ground, including 23 rushing yards on Charles Jones's five carries. The senior capped the 5-minute, 58-second drive with a one-yard scoring run on a 4th and goal option call that handed the home team a seven-point lead.

The Wildcats would need just three plays to extend the lead on their next drive. Ertz broke free for 35-yard run, before Byron Pringle snared a deflected pass in the end zone for a 14-0 KSU lead.

Missouri State kicked its offense into gear on its second drive of the game, converting three first downs and moving the ball to the K-State 30. But Briggs was ruled down just short of the yard-marker on a third-down rush, and a fumble on 4th and short stalled the drive and gave the ball back to the Wildcats.

After the Bears' defense stood its ground to force a three-and-out series by the Wildcats, KSU would use a critical play by its special teams to extend the margin. Pringle was once again the key figure, this time fielding a Zach Drake punt at his own 36 and streaking to the Bears' 21 for a 43-yard return. Ertz, who completed all three of his first-quarter pass attempts for 44 yards, connected for two more key completions early in the second. After hitting Winston Dimel for 10 yards, he found Dominique Heath in the corner of the end zone for a 9-yard strike that made it a 21-0 Wildcat lead with 12:27 left in the half.

Ertz then accounted for the first 81 of KSU's 90 yards on a seven-play drive that ultimately put the Wildcats on top by four touchdowns. The junior hooked up with Pringle for an 11-yard completion and Deante Burton for 20 more before scampering for 40 yards to the MSU 4. Dimel carried it in from a yard out moments later, then tacked on a five-yard scoring run with 4:37 left on the clock after the Wildcat turned in another big special teams play with a punt block at the Bears' 12-yard line.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Missouri State (2-1)	0	0	-	-	0
Kansas State (2-1)	14	21	-	-	35

Scoring Summary:

1st	KSU	9:02	Charles Jones 1 yard run (McCrane kick)
	KSU	5:22	Byron Pringle 19 yard pass from Jesse Ertz (McCrane kick)
2nd	KSU	12:27	Dominique Heath 9 yard pass from Jesse Ertz (McCrane kick)
	KSU	7:01	Winston Dimel 1 yard run (McCrane kick)
	KSU	4:37	Winston Dimel 5 yard run (McCrane kick)

Team Statistics	MSU	KSU
FIRST DOWNS	4	13
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	17-30	22-165
PASSING YDS (NET)	24	105
Passes Comp-Att-Int	3-12-1	10-13-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	29-54	35-270
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-7
Punt Returns-Yards	1-0	5-71
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-44	1-35
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-38.0	2-34.5
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	0-0	2-24
Possession Time	14:05	15:56
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 9	1 of 4
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	5-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	0-0

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Missouri State - Malik Earl 1-11; Brodie Lambert 5-10; Michael Briggs 2-7; Nick Masoner 1-4; Calan Crowder 3-4; Deion Holliman 1-0; Zac Hoover 1-0; Phoenix Johnson 3-(-6). Kansas State - Jesse Ertz 3-85; Charles Jones 5-23; Winston Dimel 7-19; Justin Silmon 3-19; Alex Delton 1-15; Alex Barnes 1-5; Dalvin Warmack 2-(-1).

PASSING: Missouri State - Brodie Lambert 3-7-0-24; Michael Briggs 0-5-0-0. Kansas State - Jesse Ertz 7-8-2-94; Alex Delton 3-5-0-11.

RECEIVING: Missouri State - Phoenix Johnson 1-9; Deion Holliman 1-8; Zac Hoover 1-7. Kansas State - Byron Pringle 2-30; Winston Dimel 2-19; Deante Burton 1-20; Charles Jones 1-16; Dominique Heath 1-9; Corey Sutton 1-6; Dalvin Warmack 1-3; D. Valentine 1-2.

TACKLES: Missouri State - Eric Greely 5; Dylan Cole 3; Cameron Price 3. Kansas State - C. Moore 5; Dante Barnett 4; Tanner Wood 3; Elijah Wood 3.

Attendance: 51,686. Kickoff time: 7:05 p.m. End of Game: 9:45 p.m. Total elapsed time: 2:40. Game delayed a total of 2:05.

Officials - Referee: Brad Van Vark; Umpire: Michael Cooper; Linesman: George Gusman; Line judge: Frank LeBlanc; Back judge: Brian Ernest; Field judge: Jason Ledet; Side judge: Gene Semko; Center judge: Brian Alos.

Temperature: 71. Wind: E 9 mph. Weather: Cloudy.

Game	Oct. 1, 2016, Memorial Stadium, Terre Haute, Ind.
4	Missouri State 45 (24) Indiana State 24

TERRE HAUTE, Ind. -- Using a balanced offensive attack and a second-half shutout by its defense, Missouri State spoiled No. 24 Indiana State's homecoming with a 45-24 victory at Memorial Stadium. Malik Earl hauled in a career-high 11 receptions for 161 yards and two touchdowns, while Dylan Cole sparked a resurgent MSU defense to pave the way to the Bears' first win over a ranked opponent since 2013.

Missouri State's offense rolled up a season-high 473 yards, while the Bears' defense limited ISU's high-powered offense to 116 second-half yards while forcing a trio of crucial turnovers in the fourth quarter to seal the outcome. Cole finished the day with 13 tackles to go along with a key interception and a forced fumble late in the contest.

Brodie Lambert turned in a career performance for the Bears as well, completing 24-of-35 passes for 279 yards and three touchdowns, including the go-ahead eight-yard scoring toss to Earl with 1:44 to play in the third quarter. Earl's 11 receptions on the day matched two former Bears—Jason Cannon and Clay Harbor—for the second-best single-game total in program history.

After the two squads traded offensive blows in a see-saw first half that featured 566 combined yards of total offense, it would be the MSU defense that stole the show in the second stanza. The Bears forced a season-high five turnovers—including four in the second half—and held the ISU rushing attack to 38 net yards on 25 carries.

Lambert's third touchdown pass of the day put the finishing touches on a 14-play drive that chewed up over six minutes—both figures marking season highs for the MSU offense.

Given the lead, Cole and the Bears' defense delivered the knockout blow, as Cole stepped in front of an Isaac Harker pass at the ISU 31 to set up another key MSU score. Calan Crowder, who rushed for a season-best 131 yards, put the game out of reach with a hard-earned five-yard TD run to make it a 38-24 game with 12:47 to play, then stretched the lead to 21 with a 29-yard burst with just under four minutes left.

Colby Isbell delivered in the clutch with a strip sack of Harker to thwart a Sycamore drive at the MSU 23, and Cole punched the ball free from Jaquan Keys' grasp moments after Crowder's third touchdown.

The dominant stretch run for Missouri State (3-1, 1-0 MVFC) followed an inauspicious start that saw the Sycamores put seven points on the board just seconds into the contest. ISU return man Lonnell Brown set the stage for a back-and-forth first quarter by bringing the opening kickoff back 58 yards to the MSU 38. On the first play from scrimmage, Harker found Miles Thompson in the end zone to put ISU on the board just 18 seconds into the game.

Missouri State responded with a methodical 11-play, 75-yard drive of its own that was highlighted by the a big run from Jason Randall and the passing of Lambert. Randall ripped off a 20-yard rush to move the Bears into ISU territory, while Lambert completed all six of his pass attempts for 36 yards, including a nine-yard scoring strike to Adam St. Peter that pulled the Bears even at 7-7 with 10:16 left in the period.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Missouri State (3-1, 1-0)	10	14	7	14	45
Indiana State (3-2, 1-1)	14	10	0	0	24

Scoring Summary:

1st	ISU	14:42	Miles Thompson 38 yard pass from Isaac Harker (Nunez kick)
	MSU	10:16	Adam St. Peter 9 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	MSU	2:53	Zach Drake 22 yard field goal
	ISU	0:02	Roland Genesys 4 yard run (Nunez kick)
2nd	MSU	14:42	Calan Crowder 64 yard run (Drake kick)
	MSU	13:05	Malik Earl 69 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	ISU	8:45	Roland Genesys 3 yard run (Nunez kick)
	ISU	0:16	Jerry Nunez 39 yard field goal
3rd	MSU	1:44	Malik Earl 8 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
4th	MSU	12:47	Calan Crowder 5 yard run (Drake kick)
	MSU	3:59	Calan Crowder 29 yard run (Drake kick)

Team Statistics	MSU	ISU
FIRST DOWNS	23	20
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	44-194	25-38
PASSING YDS (NET)	279	344
Passes Comp-Att-Int	24-36-0	35-52-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	80-473	77-382
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-7
Punt Returns-Yards	1-5	1-13
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-76	5-143
Interception Returns-Yards	2-30	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-38.0	3-44.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-3
Penalties-Yards	4-35	5-30
Possession Time	34:39	25:21
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 16	4 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	1 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-20	3-19

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Missouri State - Calan Crowder 9-131; Jason Randall 14-49; Malik Earl 2-19; Zac Hoover 2-5; Michael Briggs 1-4; Nick Masoner 1-3; Phoenix Johnson 5-3; Team 2-(-4); Brodie Lambert 8-(-16). Indiana State - Roland Genesys 13-54; Dimitri Taylor 6-7; Jaquan Keys 3-4; Isaac Harker 3-(-27).

PASSING: Missouri State - Brodie Lambert 24-35-3-279; Michael Briggs 0-1-0-0. Indiana State - Isaac Harker 35-52-1-344.

RECEIVING: Missouri State - Malik Earl 11-161; Deion Holliman 5-25; Zac Hoover 3-32; Jason Randall 2-41; Adam St. Peter 1-9; Aaron Denson 1-8; Calan Crowder 1-3. Indiana State - Robert Tonyan 6-58; Sam Livingston 6-37; Miles Thompson 5-83; Kelvin Cook 5-34; Clayton Smith 4-48; Dimitri Taylor 3-31; Jaquan Keys 3-31; Lafel Fautanu 1-9; Jacquet McClendon 1-7; Roland Genesys 1-6.

TACKLES: Missouri State - Dylan Cole 13; McNeece Egbim 9; Cameron Price 7; Colby Isbell 7; Jared Beshore 6. Indiana State - Jameer Thurman 14; Tsali Lough 8; Norvel McGlaun 8; Conlan Cassidy 6.

Attendance: 6,871. Kickoff time: 3:04 p.m. End of Game: 6:15 p.m. Total elapsed time: 3:11. Officials - Referee: Jeremy Valentin; Umpire: Steve Flanagan; Linesman: Jeff Johnson; Line judge: Gary Schildmeyer; Back judge: Tony Romano; Field judge: Paul Stout; Side judge: Jim Rogers. Temperature: 59. Wind: SE 3 mph. Weather: Cloudy.



MISSOURI STATE FOOTBALL



GAME 11 | MISSOURI STATE (4-6, 2-5 MVFC) vs. YOUNGSTOWN STATE (7-3, 5-2 MVFC) | Sat., Nov. 19, 2016 | 2:04 p.m. (CST) | Springfield, Mo. | Plaster Stadium (17,500) | Bears Football Radio Network | ESPN3

2016 BEARS GAME RECAPS

Game 5 Oct. 8, 2016, Robert W. Plaster Stadium, Springfield, Mo.
(1) North Dakota State 27
Missouri State 3

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. -- No. 1 North Dakota State used a stifling defensive effort to clamp down on a 27-3 victory over Missouri State at Robert W. Plaster Stadium. The Bison forced four turnovers and limited MSU to just 30 rushing yards, while the NDSU offense rolled up 269 yards on the ground to overcome a strong start by the Bears.

NDSU overcame a sluggish start that saw MSU take a 3-0 lead into the second quarter, thanks in large part to a defense that held the Bison to just one first down and minus-six yards in the opening quarter. Matt Plank totaled 6.0 tackles, including three of NDSU's 11 tackles for losses, and King Frazier rushed for a game-high 126 yards and a pair of touchdowns to lead a Bison offense that outgained the Bears by a 428-176 margin in total offense.

Over the final three periods, the Bison gashed the Bears for 275 rushing yards and controlled the football for just under 27 of the remaining 45 minutes.

After outscoring Indiana State by a 45-17 margin to close out last Saturday's MVFC victory, the Bears picked up right where they left off, using a 13-play drive on their opening possession to earn an early 3-0 lead. Brodie Lambert completed 4-of-6 passes for 33 yards, before Zach Drake nailed a career-best 50-yard field goal to open the scoring.

NDSU seized control of the defensive struggle with a dominant second-quarter performance in which the Bison defense limited the Bears to just 15 yards of total offense. Trailing 3-0 entering the second period, the visitors evened the score with an 11-play drive, which was capped by the first of Cam Pedersen's two first-half field goals. The Bison kicked their high-powered ground attack into gear, accounting for 43 of their 52 first-half rushing yards on the drive.

Next, the NDSU defense registered a momentum-swinging play, as Jalen Allison stepped in front of a Brodie Lambert pass at the MSU 29 to give the ball back to the Bison. Easton Stick teamed up with Darrius Shepherd for the go-ahead 21-yard scoring pass on a 3rd-and-10 call.

On the Bears' ensuing drive, a Jason Randall 11-yard run handed MSU its lone first down of the period, before another critical defensive play halted the possession. A scrambling Lambert was stripped by Nate Tanguay, and Stanley Jones scooped up the fumble for the second Bison takeaway of the quarter.

A pair of long completions from Stick—a 12-yarder to Nate Jensen, and a 19-yarder to Shepherd—set up another Pedersen field goal in the closing minutes of the half to make it a 13-3 game at the break.

Following the Bears' initial scoring drive to open the game, the NDSU defense stepped up its game to force a pair of turnovers and limit MSU to just 28 yards of offense over the remainder of the half.

The Bison dominated the third quarter time of possession battle, eating up 6:44 of clock time on their opening drive and controlling the ball for over 10 minutes in the period. Altogether, NDSU rushed 14 times for 103 yards in the third period, highlighted by Bruce Anderson's 53-yard run late in the quarter.

A pair of fourth-quarter touchdowns by Frazier would eliminate any doubt about the outcome of the game. The third MSU turnover of the day—a Lambert fumble that was returned by Aaron Steidl to the MSU 22—set up a back-breaking scoring run by Frazier on the next play from scrimmage that stretched the NDSU lead to 20-3 with 13:08 to play. With just under five minutes remaining on the clock, the senior running back would strike again, this time from four yards out to cap a 72-yard drive—the longest of the day for either club.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
North Dakota State (5-0, 2-0)	0	13	0	14	27
Missouri State (3-2, 1-1)	3	0	0	0	3

Scoring Summary:

1st	MSU	9:43	Zach Drake 50 yard field goal
2nd	NDSU	8:14	Cam Pedersen 38 yard field goal
	NDSU	5:45	Darrius Shepherd 21 yard pass from Easton Stick (Pedersen kick)
	NDSU	0:27	Cam Pedersen 21 yard field goal
4th	NDSU	13:08	King Frazier 22 yard run (Pedersen kick)
	NDSU	4:51	King Frazier 4 yard run (Pedersen kick)

Team Statistics	NDSU	MSU
FIRST DOWNS	20	11
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	45-268	26-30
PASSING YDS (NET)	159	146
Passes Comp-Att-Int	11-20-0	20-35-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	65-428	61-176
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-20	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-(-4)	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-43	5-72
Interception Returns-Yards	2-8	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-37.0	6-42.2
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	2-2
Penalties-Yards	8-70	6-52
Possession Time	33:05	26:55
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 13	6 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	0-1
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-8	2-16

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Missouri State - Jason Randall 11-17; Calan Crowder 5-10; Deion Holliman 2-4; Michael Briggs 2-0; Brodie Lambert 6-(-1). North Dakota State - King Frazier 19-126; Bruce Anderson 8-90; Lance Dunn 10-44; Ty Brooks 2-13; Dimitri Williams 1-1; Easton Stick 5-(-5).

PASSING: Missouri State - Brodie Lambert 20-35-0-146; North Dakota State - Easton Stick 11-20-1-159.

RECEIVING: Missouri State - Malik Earl 7-53; Erik Furmanek 3-24; Deion Holliman 3-19; Jason Randall 3-12; LeMarcus Stewart 2-19; Calan Crowder 1-10; Aaron Denson 1-9. North Dakota State - RJ Urzen-dowski 4-73; Darrius Shepherd 4-62; Nate Jensen 1-12; Jeff Illies 1-8; Dimitri Williams 1-4.

TACKLES: Missouri State - Dylan Cole 15; Cameron Price 9; Kurran Blamey 7; Darius Joseph 6; McNeece Egbim 6. North Dakota State - Jaylaan Wimbush 7; Matt Plank 6; Robbie Grimsley 6; Nate Tanguay 6.

Attendance: 10,462. Kickoff time: 2:04 p.m. End of Game: 5:04 p.m. Total elapsed time: 3:00.

Officials - Referee: Darren Haas; Umpire: Dan Montgomery; Linesman: Paul Janus; Line judge: Gregory Allen; Back judge: Gary Crull; Field judge: Nate Robinson; Side judge: Dorrin Stewart. Temperature: 70. Wind: ESE 3 mph. Weather: Sunny.

Game 6 Oct. 15, 2016, Robert W. Plaster Stadium, Springfield, Mo.
(12) Western Illinois 38
Missouri State 35

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. -- Devon Moore powered his way into the end zone from a yard out on a fourth-and-goal call with just 43 seconds left in regulation to help No. 12 Western Illinois turn back Missouri State's furious fourth-quarter rally and escape Robert W. Plaster Stadium with a 38-35 victory.

Moore's run completed a 75-yard drive that saw the Leathernecks (5-1, 2-1 MVFC) overcome a late scoring flurry by the Bears, who trailed 31-14 entering the third quarter. Sean McGuire hooked up with Joey Borsellino on a 36-yard completion on a third-and-17 attempt to keep the key drive alive, then carried the ball to the MSU 1 with a five-yard run on third down to set up Moore's decisive rush.

The late rally allowed WIU to overcome a fourth-quarter comeback by the Bears that included 21 unanswered points, including a pair of touchdowns in a span of just 77 seconds early in the period that brought MSU to within 31-28. Brodie Lambert, who matched a Missouri State record with five passing touchdowns in the game, hit LeMarcus Stewart for a 49-yard scoring strike with 13:00 to play, then found Zac Hoover from three yards out after a Leatherneck fumble handed the ball back to the Bears deep in WIU territory.

Missouri State's defense followed suit with a third-down stop at the MSU 47 on the ensuing drive, then thwarted a Leatherneck scoring chance with a Cameron Price interception at the goal line.

Lambert went 4-of-6 on the Bears' go-ahead drive, including a critical 37-yard completion to Jalen Esters that moved the ball to the WIU 17. The MSU signal-caller then found Deion Holliman for the pair's second scoring connection of the day from 11 yards out to give Missouri State a 35-31 advantage for its first lead of the day with 3:02 to play in the game.

WIU countered the Bears key score by moving the ball into MSU territory with a trio of McGuire pass completions. However, a missed connection on first down at the MSU 39, followed by an intentional grounding thanks to pressure by Cecil Bratton and Daryl Coburn set up a third-and-17 situation at the Bears' 46.

But McGuire calmly found Borsellino in a seam in the defense for a big gain to the MSU 10, then picked up five key yards to set up the decisive play of the day. On his only carry of the game, Moore muscled his way into the end zone to hand the Leathernecks the lead for good.

Lambert's last ditch attempt to once again rally the Bears was thwarted by Xavier Rowe, who recorded the Leathernecks' third interception of the day with 26 seconds left on the clock.

Despite the gut-wrenching ending, Lambert recorded a career-best 290 yards on 24-of-43 passing, with his five touchdown tosses matching Jay Rodgers (Oct. 30, 1999) and A.J. Porter (two times in 2003) for the Bears' single-game record. Zac Hoover was the primary recipient, finishing with a career-high six receptions for 35 yards, while Holliman caught a pair of TD's on four receptions for a total of 59 yards.

Gilmore accounted for half of the Leathernecks' four rushing TD's, complementing the work of Moore and the MVFC's leading rusher, Steve McShane. The Bears defense limited McShane to 63 rushing yards—or roughly half of his average (117.4) entering the contest—and held WIU to just 39 second-half rushing yards.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Western Illinois (4-1, 1-1)	10	7	14	7	38
Missouri State (3-2, 1-1)	0	7	7	21	35

Scoring Summary:

1st	WIU	9:42	Steve McShane 3 yard run (Knuffman kick)
	WIU	2:28	Nathan Knuffman 33 yard field goal
2nd	MSU	7:41	Erik Furmanek 6 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	WIU	0:06	Isaiah Lesure 3 yard pass from Sean McGuire (Knuffman kick)
3rd	MSU	9:48	Deion Holliman 32 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	WIU	7:11	Jamie Gilmore 1 yard run (Knuffman kick)
	WIU	0:48	Jamie Gilmore 3 yard run (Knuffman kick)
4th	MSU	13:00	LeMarcus Stewart 49 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	MSU	11:43	Zac Hoover 3 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	MSU	4:22	Deion Holliman 11 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	WIU	0:43	Devon Moore 1 yard run (Knuffman kick)

Team Statistics	WIU	MSU
FIRST DOWNS	23	16
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	46-138	23-105
PASSING YDS (NET)	323	290
Passes Comp-Att-Int	24-42-1	24-43-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	88-461	66-395
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-18	1-14
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-50	2-18
Interception Returns-Yards	3-10	1-25
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-48.4	6-39.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-30	5-55
Possession Time	36:50	23:10
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 17	6 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	6-8	3-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	2-16

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Missouri State - Jason Randall 7-91; Calan Crowder 8-16; Coleman Clanton 1-1; Phoenix Johnson 2-1; Brodie Lambert 5-(-4). Western Illinois - Steve McShane 17-63; Jamie Gilmore 12-42; Sean McGuire 12-31; Lance Lenoir 1-8; Devon Moore 1-1; Team 3-(-7).

PASSING: Missouri State - Brodie Lambert 24-43-5-290. Western Illinois - Sean McGuire 24-41-1-323.

RECEIVING: Missouri State - Zac Hoover 6-35; Erik Furmanek 5-47; LeMarcus Stewart 4-95; Deion Holliman 4-59; Willis Chambers 2-12; Jalen Esters 1-37; Calan Crowder 1-3; Jason Randall 1-2. Western Illinois - Lance Lenoir 7-142; Joey Borsellino 5-66; Jamie Gilmore 4-45; Steve McShane 3-20; Adam Conrady 2-22; Isaiah Lesure 2-20; Tony Harper 1-8.

TACKLES: Missouri State - Dylan Cole 16; McNeece Egbim 14; Kurran Blamey 10. Western Illinois - Quentin Moon 14; Brett Taylor 11; Riggs Baxter 6.

Attendance: 12,639. Kickoff time: 2:05 p.m. End of Game: 5:41 p.m. Total elapsed time: 3:36.

Officials - Referee: Matt Gallagher; Umpire: Deven Harberts; Linesman: Frank Bullock; Line judge: Pat Brown; Back judge: Josh Dasher; Field judge: John Smith; Side judge: Rich Townsend. Temperature: 79. Wind: S 18 mph. Weather: Sunny.



MISSOURI STATE FOOTBALL



GAME 11 | MISSOURI STATE (4-6, 2-5 MVFC) vs. YOUNGSTOWN STATE (7-3, 5-2 MVFC) | Sat., Nov. 19, 2016 | 2:04 p.m. (CST) | Springfield, Mo. | Plaster Stadium (17,500) | Bears Football Radio Network | ESPN3

2016 BEARS GAME RECAPS

Game Oct. 22, 2016, UNI-Dome, Cedar Falls, Iowa

7 Missouri State 7
UNI 61

CEDAR FALLS, Iowa – UNI rode a dominant first-half performance to a 61-7 victory over Missouri State at the UNI-Dome. The Panthers scored on each of their six offensive possessions in the opening half to build a 31-0 lead, thanks in large part to a shutdown defensive effort and a career day from quarterback Eli Dunne.

In his first career start for UNI, Dunne completed 25-of-33 passes for 418 yards – including 308 in the opening half – and a pair of touchdowns. The sophomore completed his first 12 passes, six of which went for gains of 20 yards or more. In all, Dunne hooked up with a total of 10 different receivers on the day to post the first 400-yard passing performance by a UNI quarterback since 2009.

The Panther defense was equally as potent in the early stages, limiting the Bears to 30 yards of total offense in the opening quarter and just 117 for the half. UNI safety A.J. Allen set the tone on the game's first play from scrimmage, picking off a Brodie Lambert pass and returning the interception 25 yards to the MSU 2. The MSU defense held, however, forcing an 18-yard Austin Ernthum field goal that gave the home club a 3-0 lead just over two minutes into the game.

It took UNI less than six minutes to tack on another score, when Michael Malloy jumped over the pile from the one-yard line to cap a six-play, 71-yard touchdown drive. A 47-yard pass from Dunne to Trevor Allen set up the score that put UNI up by double figures midway through the opening quarter.

A 45-yard completion to Daurice Fountain on UNI's third possession set up another touchdown at the 3:03 mark, with Malloy going up and over from one-yard out again to make it a 17-0 affair with 3:03 to play in the first period.

The Panthers didn't let off the gas in the second quarter, covering 79 yards on seven plays on their next series to claim a 24-point lead on an eight-yard rush by Tyvis Smith. Midway through the quarter, Allen and Dunne hooked up on a 61-yard scoring play on a key third-and-six conversion that made it 31-0 with just under eight minutes left in the opening half.

Missouri State got on the board late in the half on a third-and-long completion from Lambert to Jason Randall, after Deion Holliman lateralled to the sophomore tailback after reeling in a short reception at the UNI 30. Randall sprinted down the far sideline to paydirt, which made it a 31-7 contest at the 2:47 mark. The drive included a pair of third-down conversions and a facemask penalty against UNI to extend what would ultimately end up being a 10-play, 75-yard series.

UNI tacked on a 33-yard field goal by Ernthum moments before intermission to make it 34-7 at the midway point. The Panthers out-gained the Bears by a 384-to-117-yard margin, while converting 6-of-8 of their third-down attempts in the opening half.

The Panther defense kept the heat on in the third quarter, turning a pair of interceptions into two more touchdowns as part of a 20-point outburst.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Missouri State (3-4, 1-3)	0	7	0	0	7
UNI (3-4, 2-2)	17	17	20	7	61

Scoring Summary:

1st	UNI	12:52	Austin Ernthum 18 yard field goal
	UNI	7:12	Michael Malloy 1 yard run (Ernthum kick)
	UNI	3:03	Michael Malloy 1 yard run (Ernthum kick)
2nd	UNI	13:07	Tyvis Smith 8 yard run (Ernthum kick)
	UNI	7:57	Trevor Allen 61 yard pass from Eli Dunne (Ernthum kick)
	MSU	2:47	Jason Randall 30 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	UNI	0:15	Austin Ernthum 33 yard field goal
3rd	UNI	9:43	Jalen Rima 17 yard pass from Eli Dunne (Ernthum kick)
	UNI	9:22	Elijah Campbell 42 yard interception return (kick failed)
	UNI	0:08	Duncan Ferch 23 yard interception return (Ernthum kick)
4th	UNI	2:27	J'Veyon Browning 11 yard run (Ernthum kick)

Team Statistics	MSU	UNI
FIRST DOWNS	14	26
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	38-81	38-138
PASSING YDS (NET)	108	418
Passes Comp-Att-Int	7-25-3	25-33-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	63-189	71-556
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	7-135	2-37
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	3-90
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-40.4	3-47.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-46	10-95
Possession Time	28:14	31:46
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 16	10 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	7-7
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-10	3-27

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Missouri State - Calan Crowder 11-39; Jason Randall 15-36; Nick Masoner 6-25; Michael Briggs 2-4; Deion Holliman 1-4; Brodie Lambert 3-(27); UNI - J'Veyon Browning 13-50; Tyvis Smith 12-38; Michael Malloy 9-35; Jalen Rima 1-23; Eli Dunne 3-(8).

PASSING: Missouri State - Brodie Lambert 6-19-1-103; Michael Briggs 1-6-0-5. UNI - Eli Dunne 25-33-2-418.

RECEIVING: Missouri State - Malik Earl 2-21; Jason Randall 1-35; LeMarcus Stewart 1-23; Aaron Denson 1-14; Zac Hoover 1-12; Deion Holliman 1-3. UNI - Tyvis Smith 5-43; Daurice Fountain 4-87; Jalen Rima 4-68; Michael Malloy 3-16; Trevor Allen 2-108; Christian Jegen 2-30; Marcus Weymiller 2-24; J'Veyon Browning 1-19; Jaylin James 1-7; Elias Nissen 1-6.

TACKLES: Missouri State - Dylan Cole 13.; Darius Daniel 5; Kurran Blamey 4; Kam Carter 4. UNI - D'Shawn Dexter 8; Karer Schult 5; Preston Woods 4; Jared Farley 4.

Attendance: 12,014. Kickoff time: 1:07 p.m. End of Game: 4:20 p.m. Total elapsed time: 3:13.

Officials - Referee: Rich Edwards; Umpire: Edward Laco; Linesman: Jeff Johnson; Line judge: Gary Barrett; Back judge: Justin Staehr; Field judge: Steve Gfell; Side judge: Brett Henninger. Temperature: 68. Wind: NA. Weather: Indoors.

Game Oct. 29, 2016, Robert W. Plaster Stadium, Springfield, Mo.

8 Southern Illinois 35
Missouri State 38

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. -- Zach Drake's 32-yard field goal with 10 seconds left in regulation lifted Missouri State to a 38-35 comeback victory over Southern Illinois in a see-saw battle that featured 943 yards of total offense at Robert W. Plaster Stadium.

Drake's game-winner capped a dominant second-half performance for the Bears, who rallied from a 14-point deficit behind the passing of Brodie Lambert and a shutdown effort from its defense. Lambert threw for a career-high 339 yards and four touchdowns, including three in the second half, to help MSU overcome a big day by the SIU passing attack.

The key comeback was fueled by a second-half turnaround by the Bears' defense, which held SIU to 136 yards and one offensive touchdown after intermission. Dylan Cole logged a season-high 19 stops to lead all tacklers, as the MSU defense forced five second-half punts, one of which was returned 57 yards by Deion Holliman for a game-tying touchdown with 10:46 to play.

Zac Hoover also registered a career day for the Bears, reeling in 150 receiving yards and a pair of touchdowns from Lambert. His 36-yard, one-handed catch in the end zone with 3:21 to play negated a 54-yard scoring catch by SIU's Israel Lamprakes, who put the Salukis back on top just 42 seconds after Holliman's equalizing return.

With the game hanging in the balance, the Bears stopped the SIU offense with three-and-out drives on back-to-back possessions late in the game and prevented a Saluki first down over the final 10 minutes of the contest.

After the eighth and final Lane Reazin punt gave the ball back to MSU with 2:04 to play, it would be the Bears ground attack that would set up Drake's deciding kick. Jason Randall carried six times for a total of 29 yards, including a 16-yard burst from the SIU 39 to move the Bears within field goal range.

Randall totaled 74 of his game-high 86 rushing yards in the second half, while Lambert added a career-best 51 yards on seven carries to go along with his 25 pass completions and finish the game with 390 yards of total offense.

The big second-half comeback followed a strong start for the Salukis, who used the 17-of-21 first-half passing performance of quarterback Josh Straughan to build a 21-7 edge.

MSU bounced back with a big third period to draw to within seven points on two separate occasions. The Bears, who out-gained the Salukis by a 210-to-55 margin in the quarter, used a 46-yard run by Lambert and a 13-yard scoring pass to Erik Furmanek to find the end zone on their first offensive possession of the second half.

After SIU benefitted from a deflected 43-yard interception return by Craig James that made it a 28-14 game, Lambert engineered a 12-play, 82-yard scoring drive to keep the Bears in it. Cole Christenson hauled in his first career touchdown catch from 10 yards out, slicing the deficit to seven once again.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Southern Illinois (2-6, 0-5)	7	14	7	7	35
Missouri State (4-4, 2-3)	7	0	14	17	38

Scoring Summary:

1st	SIU	5:50	Jonathan Mixon 1 yard run (Sotiropoulos kick)
	MSU	0:12	Zac Hoover 76 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
2nd	SIU	12:05	Connor Iwema 9 yard pass from Josh Straughan (Sotiropoulos kick)
	SIU	6:40	Jonathan Mixon 1 yard run (Sotiropoulos kick)
3rd	MSU	13:29	Erik Furmanek 13 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	SIU	8:44	Craig James 43 yard interception return (Sotiropoulos kick)
	MSU	3:40	Cole Christensen 10 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
4th	MSU	10:46	Deion Holliman 57 yard punt return (Drake kick)
	SIU	10:04	Israel Lamprakes 54 yard pass from Josh Straughan (Sotiropoulos kick)
	MSU	3:21	Zac Hoover 36 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	MSU	0:10	Zach Drake 32 yard field goal

Team Statistics	SIU	MSU
FIRST DOWNS	20	26
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	33-112	40-177
PASSING YDS (NET)	315	339
Passes Comp-Att-Int	29-39-0	25-39-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	72-427	79-516
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-(-1)	1-57
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-22	3-52
Interception Returns-Yards	3-43	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-38.5	3-47.7
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	2-0
Penalties-Yards	4-40	4-54
Possession Time	28:02	31:58
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 17	8 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	3 of 3	0 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	0-0

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Missouri State - Jason Randall 22-86; Brodie Lambert 7-51; Phoenix Johnson 6-17; Calan Crowder 4-13; Zac Hoover 1-10. Southern Illinois - Cameron Walter 13-56; D.J. Davis 4-19; Josh Straughan 4-17; Jonathan Mixon 9-8; Israel Lamprakes 1-6; Matt DeSomer 2-6.

PASSING: Missouri State - Brodie Lambert 25-39-4-339. Southern Illinois - Josh Straughan 29-39-2-315.

RECEIVING: Missouri State - Erik Furmanek 6-68; Zac Hoover 5-150; Malik Earl 4-42; Jason Randall 3-17; LeMarcus Stewart 2-32; Phoenix Johnson 2-1; Jalen Esters 1-18; Cole Christensen 1-10; Deion Holliman 1-1. Southern Illinois - Cameron Walter 7-50; Connor Iwema 5-19; Israel Lamprakes 3-88; Jacob Varble 3-54; Darrell James 3-31; D.J. Davis 2-10; John Gardner 1-42; Hans Carmien 1-14; Ryan Sousa 1-5; Jonathan Mixon 1-3; Landon Lenoir 1-1; Billy Reed 1-(-2).

TACKLES: Missouri State - Dylan Cole 19; Darius Joseph 9; Jared Beshore 8; McNeece Egbin 8. Southern Illinois - Kyron Watson 11; Jeremy Chinn 10; Cody Corder 9; Markese Jackson 7.

Attendance: 13,487. Kickoff time: 2:04 p.m. End of Game: 5:15 p.m. Total elapsed time: 3:11.

Officials - Referee: Jeremy Valentine; Umpire: Steve Flanagan; Linesman: Matt Griebel; Line judge: Gary Schildmeyer; Back judge: Rick Fahnestock; Field judge: Paul Stout; Side judge: Jim Rogers. Temperature: 79. Wind: SW 22 mph. Weather: Partly Cloudy.



MISSOURI STATE FOOTBALL



GAME 11 | MISSOURI STATE (4-6, 2-5 MVFC) vs. YOUNGSTOWN STATE (7-3, 5-2 MVFC) | Sat., Nov. 19, 2016 | 2:04 p.m. (CST) | Springfield, Mo. | Plaster Stadium (17,500) | Bears Football Radio Network | ESPN3

2016 BEARS GAME RECAPS

Game Nov. 5, 2016, Dykhouse Stadium, Brookings, S.D.

9 Missouri State **24**
(13) South Dakota State **49**

BROOKINGS, S.D. – South Dakota State seized control of a nip-and-tuck contest with a big third-quarter performance to pull away from Missouri State for a 49-24 victory at Dykhouse Stadium. The No. 13 Jackrabbits piled up 21 unanswered points in the third quarter, recording three of their six rushing touchdowns, while holding the Bears offense to just 26 total yards during the period.

After the Bears battled back from a 14-point deficit in the first half, the Jackrabbits turned the tide for good with touchdowns on their first three possessions after the break. The Jacks rushed for 213 yards and a season-high six touchdowns, while the receiving tandem of Dallas Goedert (113 yards) and Jake Wieneke (114 yards) each topped the 100-yard receiving mark and combined to total 227 receiving yards.

Jackrabbits quarterback Taryn Christion, who finished the day with 22-of-37 for 324 passing yards, completed all three of his pass attempts for 36 yards as part of SDSU's 61-yard scoring march on its initial second-half possession. The Jacks would score two more times over the next 3:42 to put the game away.

SDSU capitalized on a failed fake punt attempt by the Bears, punching it home in just two plays on Brady Mengarelli's 19-yard run that pushed the margin to 35-17. Isaac Wallace would cap another two-play scoring drive with his second rushing touchdown of the afternoon at the 5:32 mark.

Missouri State ended its second-half dry spell with a nine-yard Erik Furmanek scoring catch from Brodie Lambert, slicing the Bears' deficit to 18 early in the fourth quarter. Mengarelli would tack on a 10-yard run for SDSU with just under six minutes left on the clock to complete the scoring.

The SDSU defense held the Bears to 336 yards of offense and 11 first downs on the afternoon, including just 114 yards in the second half.

South Dakota State started the game as impressively as it ended the afternoon, racing out to a 14-0 edge just over 10 minutes into the contest. The Jacks took advantage of a costly MSU penalty to help orchestrate a 72-yard scoring march on the game's opening drive. After Colby Isbell and Tristan Crowder teamed up on a third-down sack to force a punt attempt, a roughing the kicker call gave the Jacks new life. Wallace accounted for the next 21 SDSU yards, before Mengarelli broke off a 31-yard run to set the Jacks up with a first-and-goal at the MSU 7. Christion hit Goedert for a four-yard gain, and Mikey Daniel carried it in from three yards out for the early 7-0 SDSU lead.

After using 11 plays on their opening drive, the Jacks would need only two to reach the end zone later in the first quarter. Christion connected with Mengarelli for a 35-yard gain on the initial play of the drive, then found a wide-open Goedert for a 51-yard scoring strike and a 14-point advantage with 4:13 left on the clock.

But the Bears charged back, using a pair of Brodie Lambert touchdown passes within a span of 64 seconds to even the score. Zac Hoover took a swing pass at the MSU 9 and out-raced the SDSU defense to the end zone for a 91-yard scoring play that equaled the third-longest pass completion in school history.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Missouri State (4-5, 2-4)	14	3	0	7	24
South Dakota State (6-3, 5-1)	14	7	21	7	49

Scoring Summary:

1st	SDSU 10:19	Mikey Daniel 3 yard run (Vinatieri kick)
	SDSU 4:13	Dallas Goedert 51 yard pass from Taryn Christion (Vinatieri kick)
	MSU 2:39	Zac Hoover 91 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	MSU 1:35	Malik Earl 38 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
2nd	SDSU 7:49	Isaac Wallace 1 yard run (Vinatieri kick)
	MSU 0:00	Zach Drake 22 yard field goal
3rd	SDSU 9:14	Kyle Paris 4 yard run (Vinatieri kick)
	SDSU 7:50	Brady Mengarelli 19 yard run (Vinatieri kick)
	SDSU 5:32	Isaac Wallace 3 yard run (Vinatieri kick)
4th	MSU 12:57	Erik Furmanek 8 yard pass from Brodie Lambert (Drake kick)
	SDSU 5:52	Brady Mengarelli 10 yard run (Vinatieri kick)

Team Statistics

	MSU	SDSU
FIRST DOWNS	11	25
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	36-120	42-213
PASSING YDS (NET)	216	335
Passes Comp-Att-Int	11-24-1	23-38-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	60-336	80-548
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	3-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-18	3-69
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-37.6	5-45.6
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	4-44	4-35
Possession Time	25:32	34:28
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 14	9 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	6-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-4	3-16

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Missouri State - Deion Holliman 6-49; Jason Randall 11-48; Brodie Lambert 12-13; Phoenix Johnson 7-10. South Dakota State - Brady Mengarelli 10-89; Kyle Paris 7-52; Isaac Wallace 13-38; Taryn Christion 9-25; Mikey Daniel 2-10; Team 1-(-1).

PASSING: Missouri State - Brodie Lambert 10-21-3-224; Zach Drake 1-1-0-(-8); Zac Hoover 0-1-0-0. South Dakota State - Taryn Christion 22-37-1-324; Zach Lujan 1-1-0-11.

RECEIVING: Missouri State - Zac Hoover 3-113; Erik Furmanek 3-10; Malik Earl 2-82; Jalen Esters 1-7; Jason Randall 1-4; Deion Holliman 1-0. South Dakota State - Dallas Goedert 7-113; Jake Wieneke 6-114; Brady Mengarelli 5-68; Isaac Wallace 2-16; Jacob Menage 1-11; Adam Anderson 1-8; Mitch Vejvoda 1-5.

TACKLES: Missouri State - Dylan Cole 14; Kam Carter 7; Darius Joseph 6; Anthony Upchurch 5; Skyler Hulse 5. South Dakota State - Jesse Bobbit 9; Nick Mears 6; Chris Balster 5; Shayne Gottlob 5.

Attendance: 10,826. Kickoff time: 2:04 p.m. End of Game: 5:16 p.m. Total elapsed time: 3:12. Officials - Referee: Darren Haas; Umpire: Dan Montgomery; Linesman: Paul Janus; Line judge: Brett Bergman; Back judge: Gary Crull; Field judge: Nate Robinson; Side judge: Dorran Stewart. Temperature: 69. Wind: SW 5-10 mph. Weather: Sunny.

Game Nov. 12, 2016, Hancock Stadium, Normal, Ill.

10 Missouri State **0**
Illinois State **37**

NORMAL, Ill. -- Illinois State unleashed its big-play offense and a defensive effort that held Missouri State to 193 yards of total offense in a 37-0 victory at Hancock Stadium. The Redbirds rode a balanced attack that racked up 514 yards of offense in wrapping up the regular season with their third-consecutive victory and their first shutout win over the Bears since 1974.

Jake Kolbe passed for three touchdowns and a total of 246 yards, connecting with senior receiver Anthony Warrum eight times for 133 yards to lead the Redbirds' aerial attack, while the duo of Jamal Towns (134 yards) and DeMarco Corbin (102 yards) gashed the Bears for 236 of ISU's 268 rushing yards.

The ISU defense played an instrumental role in extending the Redbirds' late-season surge, clamping down on the MSU passing attack to allow only 77 yards while picking off a pair of Brodie Lambert passes. In all, the Bears totaled just 12 first downs, converting only 3-of-16 combined third and fourth-down tries.

Illinois State used their explosive offensive attack to seize control of the game early in the second quarter. The Redbirds allowed just five offensive first downs by the Bears in the opening half, while the ISU offense registered eight different offensive gains of at least 10 yards in the opening 30 minutes of play. After Sean Slattery's 42-yard field goal accounted for the only points of the opening quarter, the Redbirds found the end zone twice in the first six and a half minutes of the second period, with Kolbe beating the MSU secondary for long scoring tosses to extend the home club's lead to 17-0.

With 11:51 to play in the half, Kolbe found a wide-open Warrum behind the Bears defense for a 38-yard touchdown that capped a 94-yard scoring drive for ISU. On the ensuing drive, the Bears rolled the dice on a fourth-and-one try at their own 37, only to be met by a wall of Redbird defenders for a two-yard loss. On ISU's initial play following the turnover on downs, Kolbe went deep again, this time connecting with Christian Gibbs, who wrestled the ball free from the grasp of MSU safety Kam Carter for a 35-yard scoring play at the 9:35 mark.

For the half, ISU limited the Bears to just 86 yards of total offense and stopped MSU on seven of its eight combined third and fourth-down attempts.

ISU built on its first-half success with a pair of third-quarter touchdowns highlighted by another series of big gains from its offense. On the Redbirds second drive of the period, Towns broke off a 50-yard scoring run that made it a 27-point bulge, before Kolbe connected with Spencer Schnell and Warrum on pass plays of 22 and 34 yards, respectively, to move the ball deep into MSU territory on ISU's next possession. Jake Hendershot hauled in a one-yard TD catch to stretch the margin to 34-0 with 5:22 left on the clock.

Slattery tacked on his third field goal of the day to account for the lone scoring drive of the fourth quarter.

Dylan Cole paced the MSU defense with 13 total stops, marking his 14th consecutive double-digit tackle total in MVFC play.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Missouri State (4-6, 2-5)	0	0	0	0	0
Illinois State (6-5, 4-4)	3	17	14	3	37

Scoring Summary:

1st	ISU 9:56	Sean Slattery 42 yard field goal
2nd	ISU 11:51	Anthony Warrum 38 yard pass from Jake Kolbe (Slattery kick)
	ISU 9:35	Christian Gibbs 35 yard pass from Jake Kolbe (Slattery kick)
	ISU 2:23	Sean Slattery 22 yard field goal
3rd	ISU 9:45	Jamal Towns 50 yard run (Slattery kick)
	ISU 5:22	Jake Hendershot 1 yard pass from Jake Kolbe (Slattery kick)
4th	ISU 8:11	Sean Slattery 20 yard field goal

Team Statistics

	MSU	ISU
FIRST DOWNS	12	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	34-116	42-268
PASSING YDS (NET)	77	246
Passes Comp-Att-Int	15-28-2	17-31-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	193	514
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	1-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-113	1-26
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	2-10
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-37.4	3-46.3
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	3-0
Penalties-Yards	2-18	0-0
Possession Time	26:04	33:56
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 14	9 of 18
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	3-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-11	1-3

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Missouri State - Brodie Lambert 10-44; Phoenix Johnson 3-28; Deion Holliman 4-20; Jason Randall 11-17; Calan Crowder 3-7; Nick Masoner 2-4; Team 1-(-4). Illinois State - Jamal Towns 17-134; DeMarco Corbin 11-102; Muhammad Rogers 6-24; Nick Kielbasa 2-12; Jake Kolbe 6-(-4).

PASSING: Missouri State - Brodie Lambert 15-27-0-77; Michael Briggs 0-1-1-1. Illinois State - Jake Kolbe 17-31-3-246.

RECEIVING: Missouri State - Jason Randall 4-8; Malik Earl 3-18; Erik Furmanek 3-16; Deion Holliman 3-13; Zac Hoover 2-22. Illinois State - Anthony Warrum 8-133; Spencer Schnell 5-69; Christian Gibbs 2-43; Jake Hendershot 1-1; Tylor Petkovich 1-0.

TACKLES: Missouri State - Dylan Cole 13; Alex Jones 8; McNeece Egbin 6; JaMario McClendon 5. Illinois State - Brent Spack 10; Alec Kocour 8; B.J. Bello 8; Alejandro Rivera 6.

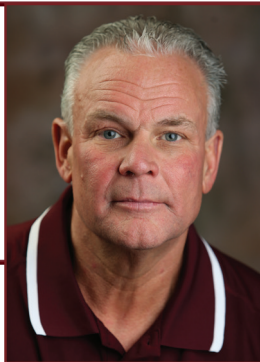
Attendance: 7,144. Kickoff time: 12:04 p.m. End of Game: 3:03 p.m. Total elapsed time: 2:59. Officials - Referee: Matt Gallagher; Umpire: Dan Novak; Linesman: Frank Bullock; Line judge: Patrick Brown; Back judge: Josh Dascher; Field judge: Jim Wojcikiewicz; Side judge: John Smith. Temperature: 51. Wind: SSW 9 mph. Weather: Clear, sunny.



HEAD COACH

Dave Steckel

Second season at MSU



On Dec. 14, 2014, MSU Director of Athletics Kyle Moats and President Clif M. Smart III announced the hire of former University of Missouri associate head coach and defensive coordinator **Dave Steckel** as Missouri State's 20th head football coach.

In his first year at the Bears' helm, Steckel and his talented staff set about the task of overhauling a young Bears squad, heavily emphasizing the fundamental aspects of the game. Capitalizing on a renewed enthusiasm surrounding the MSU program, Steckel laid the groundwork for enhancing relations with area high school coaches, engaging the community and raising the bar with his "Bear Up" mentality. The efforts paid off at the gate, as the Bears drew an average of 10,036 fans per game in 2015 to rank 27th in the FCS.

On the field, the Bears' special teams stood out, with sophomore Deion Holliman leading the nation in combined kick return yardage (1,233). As a team, MSU ranked eighth nationally in punt return average (15.91). Holliman led a contingent of six Bears earning All-MVFC recognition. Junior linebacker Dylan Cole joined Holliman as a first-team all-conference honoree, and both Cole and senior offensive lineman Jake Lasater were tabbed for MVFC All-Academic Team honors.

Steckel brings 34 years of coaching experience into the 2016 season, including 14 seasons at Mizzou, in which he helped transform the Tigers defense into one of the strongest units in the nation. He was the only defensive coach among the five finalists for the 2014 Frank Broyles Award as the nation's top assistant coach. He helped produce a total of 15 all-conference linebacker selections at MU, including a number of players who have forged professional careers in the National Football League.

Under Steckel's tutelage, Missouri's defense was a driving force in the Tigers' back-to-back Southeastern Conference East Division titles in 2013 and 2014. MU led the SEC and ranked 10th nationally in sacks per game in 2014. The Tiger defense finished first or second in every major statistical category in SEC play last fall en route to propelling Mizzou to its fifth conference divisional championship in eight seasons.

MU also ranked 23rd in the country in total defense and 19th in scoring defense in 2014, while the Tigers led the SEC in total defense (300.8 yds/game).

Individually, "Stec" has nine different Mizzou defenders currently playing in the NFL, including five who have garnered All-America recognition since his elevation to defensive coordinator in 2009. Most recently, Shane Ray became the second Tiger in as many years to be named SEC Defensive Player of the Year after breaking the program's single-season record for sacks (14.0) in 2014, after Michael Sam earned the same honor in 2013. Aldon

Smith picked up Big 12 Conference Defensive Newcomer of the Year in 2009 which helped kickstart Mizzou's reputation as "DLine U."

Overall, Steckel helped coach Missouri to 10 bowl appearances during his tenure in Columbia, including five seasons with 10 or more wins. The Tigers compiled a 112-66 (.629) overall record in his 14 seasons, while their five divisional titles since 2007 is tied with Alabama and Florida State for the top total in the NCAA Division I FBS ranks during that stretch.

One of the Tigers' top recruiters, Steckel helped stock Mizzou's roster with numerous standout performers while overseeing the program's recruiting efforts in the fertile prep gridiron grounds of Texas. He was responsible for the successful recruitment of Chase Daniel, Ziggy Hood, Michael Egnew and Denario Alexander. Daniel also finished fourth in the 2007 Heisman Trophy balloting after leading the Tigers to a 12-2 season and Missouri's first No. 1 national ranking in 47 years.

Steckel joined Gary Pinkel's coaching staff at MU in 2001 after spending five seasons as a defensive line and linebackers coach at Rutgers University. With the Scarlet Knights, Steckel coached a pair of All-Big East performers, both of whom went on to play in the NFL. He also served as one of Rutgers' primary recruiters, inking 14 players in his first three seasons at the institution.

Prior to joining head coach Terry Shea's Rutgers staff, Steckel worked with Pinkel at Toledo for four years, highlighted by the Rockets' undefeated 1995 season that included a Mid-American Conference title and a No. 24 final ranking in both the Associated Press and coaches polls. He tutored six All-MAC selections as UT's defensive line coach, including Dan Williams, who was picked 11th overall by Denver in the 1993 NFL Draft.

A Fullerton, Pa., native, Steckel served as assistant head coach and offensive coordinator at Dickinson College from 1986-90, and made a stop at Lehigh before heading to Toledo. He broke into the coaching ranks with stops at Miami (Ohio), Ball State and Minnesota.

Steckel is the younger brother of longtime NFL coach Les Steckel. He served in the United States Marine Corps from 1975-78 and played four seasons as an offensive lineman at Kutztown University, where he graduated with a bachelor's degree in elementary education in 1982. Steckel also earned a master's degree from Miami (Ohio).

Steckel and his wife, Mary Beth, have a daughter, Amanda.

POSITION

Head Coach

PERSONAL

Hometown: Fullerton, Pa.

Family: wife Mary Beth; daughter Amanda

EDUCATION

Kutztown University, 1982

- Bachelor's degree in elementary education

Miami (Ohio), 1984

- Master's degree in physical education

MILITARY SERVICE

United States Marine Corps, 1975-78

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

Kutztown University (OL), 1978-81

HONORS

- 2010 Frank Broyles Award nominee

- 2014 Frank Broyles Award finalist

COACHING EXPERIENCE

1982-83	Miami (Ohio) University Graduate Assistant
1984	Ball State University Assistant Coach, DL
1985	University of Minnesota Graduate Assistant • Independence Bowl
1986-87	Dickinson College Assistant Head Coach/Off. Coordinator
1988-91	Lehigh University Assistant Coach, Special Teams/LB's
1992-95	University of Toledo Assistant Coach, DL • Las Vegas Bowl (1995)
1996-2000	Rutgers University Assistant Coach, DL/LB's
2001-08	University of Missouri Assistant Coach, LB's • Independence Bowl (2003, 2005) • Sun Bowl (2006) • Cotton Bowl (2007) • Alamo Bowl (2008)
2009-14	University of Missouri Assoc. Head Coach/Def. Coordinator, LB's • Texas Bowl (2009) • Insight Bowl (2010) • Independence Bowl (2011) • Cotton Bowl (2013) • Citrus Bowl (2014)
2015-present	Missouri State University Head Coach





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STECKEL-ERA SUPERLATIVES

MSU Game Highs	Individual	Team
Rushes	23 Calan Crowder vs. Chadron State (9/10/16)	56 at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)
	23 Ryan Heaston (two times)	
Yards Rushing	164 Calan Crowder vs. Chadron State (9/10/16)	321 vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Yds Per Rush	-- --	6.2 vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
TD Rushes	3 Calan Crowder at Indiana State (10/1/16)	4 vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Pass attempts	43 Brodie Lambert (two times)	43 vs. Indiana State (10/3/15)
	-- --	43 vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Pass completions	26 Brodie Lambert vs. Indiana State (10/3/15)	26 vs. Indiana State (10/3/15)
Yards Passing	339 Brodie Lambert vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)	339 vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Yds Per Pass	-- --	8.7 vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
TD Passes	5 Brodie Lambert vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)	5 vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Total Plays	-- --	89 at Murray State (9/10/16)
Total Offense	390 Brodie Lambert vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)	516 vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Yards Per Play	-- --	6.7 vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Points	18 Calan Crowder at Indiana State (10/1/16)	57 vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Receptions	11 Malik Earl at Indiana State (10/1/16)	-- --
Yards Receiving	161 Malik Earl at Indiana State (10/1/16)	-- --
TD Receptions	2 Malik Earl at Indiana State (10/1/16)	5 at Indiana State (10/1/16)
	2 Deion Holliman vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)	-- --
	2 Zac Hoover vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)	-- --
Field Goals	2 Marcelo Bonani at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)	2 at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)
Punts	12 Chris Sullens vs. UNI (11/14/15)	12 vs. UNI (11/14/15)
Tackles	23 Dylan Cole vs. UNI (11/14/15)	-- --
Sacks	2.5 Colby Isbell vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)	6 vs. Indiana State (10/3/15)
Interceptions	1 18 times	3 at Murray State (9/10/16)
First Downs	-- --	26 vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
	-- --	26 vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)
Penalties	-- --	12 at Murray State (9/10/16)
Penalty Yards	-- --	130 at Murray State (9/10/16)
Turnovers	-- --	4 at North Dakota State (11/21/15)
	-- --	4 vs. North Dakota State (10/8/16)
Opponent Game Highs	Individual	Team
Rushes	22 Michael Frederick, at South Dakota (10/24/15)	63 vs. UNI (11/14/15)
Yards Rushing	161 Aaron Bailey, vs. UNI (11/14/15)	439 vs. UNI (11/14/15)
Yds Per Rush	-- --	8.6 at North Dakota State (11/21/15)
TD Rushes	4 Aaron Bailey, vs. UNI (11/14/15)	6 at Arkansas State (9/19/15)
	-- --	6 vs. UNI (11/14/15)
	-- --	6 at South Dakota State (11/5/16)
Pass Attempts	52 KD Humphries, at Murray State (9/10/16)	52 at Murray State (9/10/16)
	52 Isaac Harker, at Indiana State (10/1/16)	52 at Indiana State (10/1/16)
Pass Completions	35 KD Humphries, at Murray State (9/10/16)	35 at Murray State (9/10/16)
	35 Isaac Harker, at Indiana State (10/1/16)	35 at Indiana State (10/1/16)
Yards Passing	418 Eli Dunne, at UNI (10/22/16)	418 at UNI (10/22/16)
Yds Per Pass	-- --	12.7 at UNI (10/22/16)
TD Passes	4 Matt Adam, vs. Indiana State (10/1/15)	5 vs. Indiana State (10/3/15)
	4 Easton Stick, at North Dakota State (11/21/15)	5 at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)
Total Plays	-- --	88 vs. Western Illinois (10/15/16)
Total Offense	410 Eli Dunne, at UNI (10/22/16)	673 at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)
Yards Per Play	-- --	9.0 at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)
Points	24 Aaron Bailey, vs. UNI (11/14/15)	73 at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)
Receptions	8 Anthony Warrum, at Illinois State (two times)	-- --
Yards Receiving	194 Anthony Warrum, vs. Illinois State (10/17/15)	-- --
TD Receptions	3 Anthony Warrum, vs. Illinois State (10/17/15)	-- --
Field Goals	4 Miles Bergner, at South Dakota (10/24/15)	4 at South Dakota (10/24/15)
	4 Jay Carlson, vs. South Dakota State (10/31/15)	4 vs. South Dakota State (10/31/15)
Punts	8 Lane Reazin, vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)	9 vs. Southwestern College (9/1/16)
Tackles	16 Ryan Wood, vs. Chadron State (9/12/15)	-- --
Sacks	2.0 Isaac Ales, vs. UNI (11/14/15)	4 at Southern Illinois (10/10/15)
	2.0 Greg Menard, at North Dakota State (11/21/15)	-- --
Interceptions	1 29 times	3 Four times
First Downs	-- --	32 at South Dakota (10/24/15)
Penalties	-- --	11 vs. Indiana State (10/3/15)
Penalty Yards	-- --	92 at Memphis (9/5/15)
Turnovers	-- --	5 at Indiana State (10/1/16)
Longest Plays	Missouri State	Opponents
Rush	64 Calan Crowder, at Indiana State (10/1/16) TD	76 Marshaun Coprich, vs. Illinois State (10/17/15) TD
Pass	91 Brodie Lambert to Zac Hoover, at South Dakota State (11/5/16) TD	75 Tre Roberson to Anthony Warrum, vs. Illinois State (10/17/15) TD
Kickoff Return	100 Deion Holliman, at South Dakota (10/24/15) TD	59 Lonnell Brown, at Indiana State (10/1/16)
Punt Return	58 Deion Holliman, vs. Indiana State (10/3/15) TD	63 Roderick Proctor, at Memphis (9/5/15) TD
Interception Return	44 Tre Betts, at Youngstown State (11/7/15)	44 Khari Lain, at Arkansas State (9/19/15) TD
Punt	69 Zach Drake, vs. Southern Illinois (10/29/16)	70 Reece Attard, vs. Illinois State (10/17/15)



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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown	High School / Previous College
92	Anthony Armour	DL	6-4	257	Fr.	HS	Tulsa, Okla.	Holland Hall High
30	Jared Beshore*	S	6-0	196	So.	1L	Lamar, Mo.	Lamar High
97	Colin Bess^	DL	6-5	260	RFr.	1SQ	Park Hills, Mo.	Central High
7	Tre Betts*	S	5-11	184	So.	1L	Broken Arrow, Okla.	Charles Page High
35	Kurran Blamey**	LB	6-1	213	Jr.	2L	Monett, Mo.	Monett High
98	Cecil Bratton**	DL	6-3	296	Jr.	2L	St. Joseph, Mo.	Central High
13	Michael Briggs^	QB	6-2	217	RFr.	1SQ	Lee's Summit, Mo.	Archbishop O'Hara High
34	Chris Cacciarelli^	DL	6-4	241	Jr.	2SQ	St. Louis, Mo.	Westminster Christian Academy
78	Charles Carter	OL	6-5	284	Fr.	HS	Belton, Mo.	Belton High
63	Gus Carter^	OL	6-4	280	Jr.	3SQ	Republic, Mo.	Republic High
26	Kam Carter^	S	6-1	184	RFr.	1SQ	Arlington, Texas	Arlington High
6	Willis Chambers**	WR	6-4	195	Jr.	2L	Cedar Hill, Texas	First Baptist Academy
75	Cole Christensen*	OL	6-5	285	So.	1L	Wildwood, Mo.	Eureka High
62	Coleman Clanton^	OL	6-5	282	RFr.	1SQ	Olathe, Kan.	Olathe South High
79	Aaron Clardy*	OL	6-5	312	So.	1L	Neosho, Mo.	Neosho High
91	Daryl Coburn**	DL	6-1	305	Jr.	2L	Little Rock, Ark.	Central High
19	Alex Coffin	S	6-0	190	Fr.	HS	Joplin, Mo.	Joplin High
31	Dylan Cole***	LB	6-1	240	Sr.	3L	Rogersville, Mo.	Logan-Rogersville High
82	Chandler Collins^	TE	6-4	232	RFr.	1SQ	Springfield, Mo.	Glendale High
28	Calan Crowder**	TB	6-1	204	Jr.	2L	Bartlesville, Okla.	Bartlesville High
94	Tristan Crowder	DL	6-3	220	Fr.	HS	Bartlesville, Okla.	Bartlesville High
24	Darius Daniel**	CB	6-0	185	Jr.	2L	Marked Tree, Ark.	Marked Tree High
55	A.J. David^	OL	6-7	252	RFr.	1SQ	Moberly, Mo.	Moberly High
80	Aaron Denson	WR	6-0	180	Fr.	HS	Fort Worth, Texas	Richland High
36	Zach Drake^	WR/K	6-2	185	RFr.	1SQ	Lee's Summit, Mo.	Archbishop O'Hara High
17	Malik Earl**	WR	6-3	216	Jr.	2L	Oklahoma City, Okla.	Santa Fe High
52	McNeece Egbim^	LB	6-0	208	RFr.	1SQ	Rowlett, Texas	Rowlett High
66	Sam Ellifrits*	OL	6-6	306	Jr.	1L	Nevada, Mo.	Nevada High
43	Gary Ernest+	LB	6-2	193	RFr.	TR	O'Fallon, Mo.	St. Dominic High / Lindenwood University
81	Jalen Esters+	WR	6-2	215	Jr.	TR	Port Huron, Mich.	Port Huron High / Rochester Community Tech
59	Easton Flaugh*	LB	6-2	233	So.	1L	Branson West, Mo.	Reeds Spring High
18	Erik Furmanek**	TE	6-3	251	Jr.	2L	Belleville, Ill.	Althoff Catholic High
2	Brett Geisz+	QB	5-11	199	RFr.	TR	Eureka, Mo.	Eureka High / Lindenwood University
88	Brandon Gilmore	WR	6-3	208	Fr.	HS	Fenton, Mo.	Rockwood Summit High
38	Eric Greely**	LB	6-1	212	Jr.	2L	Liberty, Mo.	Liberty High
12	Sam Hall	QB	6-1	190	Fr.	HS	West Plains, Mo.	West Plains High
27	Gerard Harker^	TB	5-10	187	RFr.	1SQ	Lee's Summit, Mo.	Archbishop O'Hara High
37	Nick Harper	CB	5-10	160	Fr.	HS	Brentwood, Tenn.	Ravenwood High
83	Shelby Harris^	K	5-11	240	Jr.	3SQ	Nixa, Mo.	Nixa High
22	Austin Henderson	S	6-2	195	Fr.	HS	Springdale, Ark.	Har-Ber High
54	Riley Herrold^	DL	6-2	247	So.	1SQ	Ozark, Mo.	Ozark High / Arkansas State University
5	Deion Holliman**	WR	5-9	188	Jr.	2L	Camden, Ark.	Fairview High
15	Zac Hoover***	WR	6-0	193	Sr.	3L	Grain Valley, Mo.	Grain Valley High
58	Brock Hughes	LB	6-0	210	Fr.	HS	Lee's Summit, Mo.	Archbishop O'Hara High
33	Skyler Hulse*	DL	6-3	245	So.	1L	Oak Grove, Mo.	Oak Grove High
90	Colby Isbell**	DL	6-3	240	Jr.	2L	Rogers, Ark.	Heritage High
56	McKinze James*	OL	6-3	274	Jr.	1L	Camden, Ark.	Fairview High
93	Eric Johnson	DL	6-5	235	Fr.	HS	Plainfield, Ill.	Plainfield South
11	Phoenix Johnson***	TB	5-9	204	Sr.	3L	Webb City, Mo.	Webb City High
44	Alexz Jones**	LB	6-2	233	Jr.	2L	Defiance, Mo.	Francis Howell High
96	Tony Jones*	DL	6-7	258	Jr.	1L	Wynne, Ark.	Wynne High
2	Darius Joseph^	CB	6-0	190	RFr.	1SQ	Oklahoma City, Okla.	Southmoore High
89	Brock Kiewer^	DL	6-4	236	So.	2SQ	Harrisonville, Mo.	Harrisonville High
9	Brodie Lambert*	QB	6-1	211	Sr.	1L	Arlington, Texas	James Martin High
42	Austin Lee	TB	5-7	190	Fr.	HS	Memphis, Tenn.	Christian Brothers High
74	Brian Loomis	OL	6-3	325	Fr.	HS	Manchester, Mo.	Parkway West High
48	Tyler Lovelace	LB	6-2	212	Fr.	HS	Lee's Summit, Mo.	Lee's Summit North High
57	Claudio Martin	DL	6-2	240	Fr.	HS	Overland Park, Kan.	Rockhurst (Mo.) High
39	Nick Masoner*	TB	6-1	204	So.	1L	Excelsior Springs, Mo.	Excelsior Springs High
14	JaMario McClendon +	S	6-3	193	Jr.	TR	Cochran, Ga.	Bleckley County High / Butler (Kan.) Com. College
50	Ty McDuffey^	LB	6-2	209	RFr.	1SQ	Camdenton, Mo.	Camdenton High
41	Darius Montgomery	TE	6-0	230	Fr.	HS	Kansas City, Mo.	Rockhurst High
20	Richard Nelson	TB	6-2	205	Fr.	HS	Las Vegas, Nev.	Chaparral High
72	Terrence Neuhauser*	OL	6-1	317	Sr.	1L	Las Vegas, Nev.	Cheyenne High / Los Angeles Pierce College
8	Rickey Nichols	WR	6-2	175	Fr.	HS	Blue Springs, Mo.	Blue Springs South
70	Casey O'Brien	OL	6-5	285	Fr.	HS	Lemont, Ill.	Lemont High
86	Taiwo Oluwafunmila*	DL	6-4	226	So.	1L	Lagos, Nigeria	Montverde (Fla.) Academy
21	Cameron Price^	S	6-2	208	RFr.	1SQ	Florissant, Mo.	Hazelwood Central High
68	Marquis Prophete*	OL	6-5	286	So.	1L	Florissant, Mo.	McCluer North High
76	Brad Pryor**	OL	6-3	299	Jr.	2L	St. Charles, Mo.	Duchesne High
25	Jason Randall*	TB	5-9	187	So.	1L	Thomasville, Ga.	Leavenworth (Kan.) High
16	Breck Ruddick*	QB	6-4	204	So.	1L	Marion, Ark.	Christian Brothers High
4	Matt Rush*	CB	5-10	179	So.	1L	Springfield, Mo.	Hillcrest High
10	Scotty Schaffner+	TE	6-4	236	So.	TR	Raymore, Mo.	Ray-Pec High / Iowa State University
65	Riley Shantz***	OL	6-4	304	Sr.	3L	Springfield, Mo.	Glendale High
71	Lemond Singleton	OL	6-5	285	Fr.	HS	Romeoville, Ill.	Plainfield East High
45	Greg Sloan	LB	6-2	210	Fr.	HS	Kansas City, Kan.	Schlagle High
40	Isaac Smith	TE	6-7	225	Fr.	HS	Kansas City, Mo.	Lincoln College Prep Academy
87	Adam St. Peter**	TE	6-4	240	Jr.	2L	Joplin, Mo.	Joplin High
1	LeMarcus Stewart***	WR	6-1	211	Sr.	3L	Memphis, Tenn.	Trezevant High
64	Marcus Stewart +	OL	6-3	265	Jr.	TR	Florissant, Mo.	Pattonville High / Northwest Missouri State Univ.
99	E.J. Sutton+	DL	6-3	293	Jr.	TR	Schertz, Texas	Samuel Clemens High / Arkansas State University
77	Jordan Turner*	OL	6-6	314	So.	1L	Willard, Mo.	Willard High
32	Anthony Upchurch*	S	5-10	196	So.	1L	Memphis, Tenn.	White Station High
53	Walter Watson	OL	6-2	280	Fr.	HS	Oklahoma City, Okla.	Del City High
29	Clayton Weber	CB	6-1	180	Fr.	HS	Florissant, Mo.	Parkway North High
23	Jordan Wilkes	LB	6-0	225	Fr.	HS	Florissant, Mo.	Pattonville High
49	Brendan Withrow^	P	6-0	207	RFr.	1SQ	Imperial, Mo.	St. Pius X High



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1	LeMarcus Stewart***	WR	6-1	211	Sr.	3L	Memphis, Tenn.	Trezevant High
2	Darius Joseph [^]	CB	6-0	190	RFr.	1SQ	Oklahoma City, Okla.	Southmoore High
2	Brett Geisz+	QB	5-11	199	RFr.	TR	Eureka, Mo.	Eureka High / Lindenwood University
4	Matt Rush*	CB	5-10	179	So.	1L	Springfield, Mo.	Hillcrest High
5	Deion Holliman**	WR	5-9	188	Jr.	2L	Camden, Ark.	Fairview High
6	Willis Chambers**	WR	6-4	195	Jr.	2L	Cedar Hill, Texas	First Baptist Academy
7	Tre Betts*	S	5-11	184	So.	1L	Broken Arrow, Okla.	Charles Page High
8	Rickey Nichols	WR	6-2	175	Fr.	HS	Blue Springs, Mo.	Blue Springs South
9	Brodie Lambert*	QB	6-1	211	Sr.	1L	Arlington, Texas	James Martin High
10	Scotty Schaffner+	TE	6-4	236	So.	TR	Raymore, Mo.	Ray-Pec High / Iowa State University
11	Phoenix Johnson***	TB	5-9	204	Sr.	3L	Webb City, Mo.	Webb City High
12	Sam Hall	QB	6-1	190	Fr.	HS	West Plains, Mo.	West Plains High
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17	Malik Earl**	WR	6-3	216	Jr.	2L	Oklahoma City, Okla.	Santa Fe High
18	Erik Furmanek**	TE	6-3	251	Jr.	2L	Belleville, Ill.	Althoff Catholic High
19	Alex Coffin	S	6-0	190	Fr.	HS	Joplin, Mo.	Joplin High
20	Richard Nelson	TB	6-2	205	Fr.	HS	Las Vegas, Nev.	Chaparral High
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22	Austin Henderson	S	6-2	195	Fr.	HS	Springdale, Ark.	Har-Ber High
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24	Darius Daniel**	CB	6-0	185	Jr.	2L	Marked Tree, Ark.	Marked Tree High
25	Jason Randall*	TB	5-9	187	So.	1L	Thomasville, Ga.	Leavenworth (Kan.) High
26	Kam Carter [^]	S	6-1	184	RFr.	1SQ	Arlington, Texas	Arlington High
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34	Chris Cacciarelli [^]	DL	6-4	241	Jr.	2SQ	St. Louis, Mo.	Westminster Christian Academy
35	Kurran Blamey**	LB	6-1	213	Jr.	2L	Monett, Mo.	Monett High
36	Zach Drake [^]	WR/K	6-2	185	RFr.	1SQ	Lee's Summit, Mo.	Archbishop O'Hara High
37	Nick Harper	CB	5-10	160	Fr.	HS	Brentwood, Tenn.	Ravenwood High
38	Eric Greely**	LB	6-1	212	Jr.	2L	Liberty, Mo.	Liberty High
39	Nick Masoner*	TB	6-1	204	So.	1L	Excelsior Springs, Mo.	Excelsior Springs High
40	Isaac Smith	TE	6-7	225	Fr.	HS	Kansas City, Mo.	Lincoln College Prep Academy
41	Darius Montgomery	TE	6-0	230	Fr.	HS	Kansas City, Mo.	Rockhurst High
42	Austin Lee	TB	5-7	190	Fr.	HS	Memphis, Tenn.	Christian Brothers High
43	Gary Ernest+	LB	6-2	193	RFr.	TR	O'Fallon, Mo.	St. Dominic High / Lindenwood University
44	Alexz Jones**	LB	6-2	233	Jr.	2L	Defiance, Mo.	Francis Howell High
45	Greg Sloan	LB	6-2	210	Fr.	HS	Kansas City, Kan.	Schlagle High
48	Tyler Lovelace	LB	6-2	212	Fr.	HS	Lee's Summit, Mo.	Lee's Summit North High
49	Brendan Withrow [^]	P	6-0	207	RFr.	1SQ	Imperial, Mo.	St. Pius X High
50	Ty McDuffey [^]	LB	6-2	209	RFr.	1SQ	Camdenton, Mo.	Camdenton High
52	McNeece Egbim [^]	LB	6-0	208	RFr.	1SQ	Rowlett, Texas	Rowlett High
53	Walter Watson	OL	6-2	280	Fr.	HS	Oklahoma City, Okla.	Del City High
54	Riley Herrold [^]	DL	6-2	247	So.	1SQ	Ozark, Mo.	Ozark High / Arkansas State University
55	A.J. David [^]	OL	6-7	252	RFr.	1SQ	Moberly, Mo.	Moberly High
56	McKinze James*	OL	6-3	274	Jr.	1L	Camden, Ark.	Fairview High
57	Claudio Martin	DL	6-2	240	Fr.	HS	Overland Park, Kan.	Rockhurst (Mo.) High
58	Brock Hughes	LB	6-0	210	Fr.	HS	Lee's Summit, Mo.	Archbishop O'Hara High
59	Easton Flaugh*	LB	6-2	233	So.	1L	Branson West, Mo.	Reeds Spring High
62	Coleman Clanton [^]	OL	6-5	282	RFr.	1SQ	Olathe, Kan.	Olathe South High
63	Gus Carter [^]	OL	6-4	280	Jr.	3SQ	Republic, Mo.	Republic High
64	Marcus Stewart +	OL	6-3	265	Jr.	TR	Florissant, Mo.	Pattonville High / Northwest Missouri State Univ.
65	Riley Shantz***	OL	6-4	304	Sr.	3L	Springfield, Mo.	Glendale High
66	Sam Ellifrits*	OL	6-6	306	Jr.	1L	Nevada, Mo.	Nevada High
68	Marquis Prophete*	OL	6-5	286	So.	1L	Florissant, Mo.	McCluer North High
70	Casey O'Brien	OL	6-5	285	Fr.	HS	Lemont, Ill.	Lemont High
71	Lemond Singleton	OL	6-5	285	Fr.	HS	Romeoville, Ill.	Plainfield East High
72	Terrence Neuhauser*	OL	6-1	317	Sr.	1L	Las Vegas, Nev.	Cheyenne High / Los Angeles Pierce College
74	Brian Loomis	OL	6-3	325	Fr.	HS	Manchester, Mo.	Parkway West High
75	Cole Christensen*	OL	6-5	285	So.	1L	Wildwood, Mo.	Eureka High
76	Brad Pryor**	OL	6-3	299	Jr.	2L	St. Charles, Mo.	Duchesne High
77	Jordan Turner*	OL	6-6	314	So.	1L	Willard, Mo.	Willard High
78	Charles Carter	OL	6-5	284	Fr.	HS	Belton, Mo.	Belton High
79	Aaron Clardy*	OL	6-5	312	So.	1L	Neosho, Mo.	Neosho High
80	Aaron Denson	WR	6-0	180	Fr.	HS	Fort Worth, Texas	Richland High
81	Jalen Esters+	WR	6-2	215	Jr.	TR	Port Huron, Mich.	Port Huron High / Rochester Community Tech
82	Chandler Collins [^]	TE	6-4	232	RFr.	1SQ	Springfield, Mo.	Glendale High
83	Shelby Harris [^]	K	5-11	240	Jr.	3SQ	Nixa, Mo.	Nixa High
86	Taiwo Oluwafunmila*	DL	6-4	226	So.	1L	Lagos, Nigeria	Montverde (Fla.) Academy
87	Adam St. Peter**	TE	6-4	240	Jr.	2L	Joplin, Mo.	Joplin High
88	Brandon Gilmore	WR	6-3	208	Fr.	HS	Fenton, Mo.	Rockwood Summit High
89	Brock Kliewer [^]	DL	6-4	236	So.	2SQ	Harrisonville, Mo.	Harrisonville High
90	Colby Isbell**	DL	6-3	240	Jr.	2L	Rogers, Ark.	Heritage High
91	Daryl Coburn**	DL	6-1	305	Jr.	2L	Little Rock, Ark.	Central High
92	Anthony Armour	DL	6-4	257	Fr.	HS	Tulsa, Okla.	Holland Hall High
93	Eric Johnson	DL	6-5	235	Fr.	HS	Plainfield, Ill.	Plainfield South
94	Tristan Crowder	DL	6-3	220	Fr.	HS	Bartlesville, Okla.	Bartlesville High
96	Tony Jones*	DL	6-7	258	Jr.	1L	Wynne, Ark.	Wynne High
97	Colin Bess [^]	DL	6-5	260	RFr.	1SQ	Park Hills, Mo.	Central High
98	Cecil Bratton**	DL	6-3	296	Jr.	2L	St. Joseph, Mo.	Central High
99	E.J. Sutton+	DL	6-3	293	Jr.	TR	Schertz, Texas	Samuel Clemens High / Arkansas State University



MISSOURI STATE FOOTBALL



GAME 11 | MISSOURI STATE (4-6, 2-5 MVFC) vs. YOUNGSTOWN STATE (7-3, 5-2 MVFC) | Sat., Nov. 19, 2016 | 2:04 p.m. (CST) | Springfield, Mo. | Plaster Stadium (17,500) | Bears Football Radio Network | ESPN3

COACHING STAFF

Dave Steckel	Head Coach
Alma Mater	Kutztown, 1982
Career Record	5-16/Second Season
Record at Missouri State	Same
on Gameday	Sideline
Football Office Phone	(417) 836-5343
Mack Brown	Co-Offensive Coordinator
Alma Mater	Baker, 2010
Position	Quarterbacks
at MSU	Second Season
on Gameday	Coaches Box
Sean Coughlin	Co-Offensive Coordinator
Alma Mater	Drake, 2001
Position	Offensive Line
at MSU	11th season
on Gameday	Sideline
Marcus Yokeley	Defensive Coordinator
Alma Mater	Truman State, 2006
Position	Cornerbacks
at MSU	Second Season
on Gameday	Sideline
Peter Badovinac	Assistant Coach
Alma Mater	Michigan State, 2012
Position	Linebackers
at MSU	Second Season
on Gameday	Coaches Box
Kenji Jackson	Assistant Coach
Alma Mater	Missouri, 2011
Position	Safeties
at MSU	Second Season
on Gameday	Coaches Box
Justin Kramer	Assistant Coach
Alma Mater	Southern Illinois, 2005
Position	Tight Ends/Special Teams
at MSU	Second Season
on Gameday	Sideline
Chris Morton	Assistant Coach
Alma Mater	South Dakota, 2007
Position	Defensive Line
at MSU	Second Season
on Gameday	Sideline
Munir Prince	Assistant Coach
Alma Mater	Missouri, 2010
Position	Running Backs
at MSU	Second Season
on Gameday	Sideline
Jason Ray	Assistant Coach
Alma Mater	Missouri, 2007
Position	Wide Receivers
at MSU	First Season
on Gameday	Sideline

SUPPORT STAFF

Assistant Special Teams Coach	Austin Alewel
Strength and Conditioning Coach	Adam Lang
Strength Analyst	Geoff Stanford
Director of Operations	Olivia Brand
Director of Recruiting	Kip Edwards
Quality Control Special Teams/Video Coord	Kyle Blocker
Quality Control Offense	Zack Cooley
Quality Control Defense	Trevor Bosak, Jerone Williams
Football Administrative Assistant	Kelly Barns
Student Video Assistants	Jimi Hill, Brad Jarman, Tre Vanna Wilson
Equipment Manager	Kaleb Daws
Student Equipment Assistants	Lucas Gant, Justin Summers, Dalyn Trippe, Wilson Fulton, David Godsey, Cal Benson, Jeremiah LaBell
Head Team Physician	Landon Hough
Team Physicians	Rick Seagrave, Victor Wilson, Royce Moore, Shawn Freeman, Natalie Allen, Rodney Witt
Director of Athletic Medical and Rehab. Services	Jim Penkalski
Football Athletic Trainer	Steve Sawchak
Football SIDs	Eric Doennig, Rick Kindhart
Director of Strength and Conditioning	Jeremiah Frey
Director, Wynn Academic Achievement Center	Dan Raines
Director, Plaster Stadium	Keith Boaz
GM, Missouri State Sports Properties	Mike Peddicord
Director of Marketing	Megan Hofferth
Director of Sales	Sharry Olson
Director of Ticket Sales	Duane Miller

OFFENSIVE TWO-DEEP

Left Tackle

- 62 Coleman Clanton (6-5, 282, RFr., Olathe, Kan.)
- 75 Cole Christenson (6-5, 285, So., Wildwood, Mo.)

Left Guard

- 77 Jordan Turner (6-6, 314, So., Willard, Mo.)
- 72 Terrence Neuhauser (6-1, 317, Sr., Las Vegas, Nev.)

Center

- 65 Riley Shantz (6-4, 304, Sr., Springfield, Mo.)
- 56 McKinze James (6-3, 274, Jr., Camden, Ark.)

Right Guard

- 66 Sam Ellifrits (6-6, 306, Jr., Nevada, Mo.)
- 79 Aaron Clardy (6-5, 312, So., Neosho, Mo.)

Right Tackle

- 68 Marquis Prophete (6-5, 286, So., Florissant, Mo.)
- 76 Brad Pryor (6-3, 299, Jr., St. Charles, Mo.)

Tight End

- 18 Erik Furmanek (6-3, 251, Jr., Belleville, Ill.)
- 87 Adam St. Peter (6-4, 240, Jr., Joplin, Mo.)

Quarterback

- 9 Brodie Lambert (6-1, 211, Sr., Arlington, Texas)
- 13 Michael Briggs (6-2, 217, RFr., Lee's Summit, Mo.)

Tailback

- 25 Jason Randall (5-9, 187, So., Thomasville, Ga.)
- 28 Calan Crowder (6-1, 204, Jr., Bartlesville, Okla.)

X-Receiver

- 17 Malik Earl (6-3, 216, Jr., Oklahoma City, Okla.)
- 1 LeMarcus Stewart (6-1, 211, Sr., Memphis, Tenn.)

H-Receiver

- 5 Deion Holliman (5-9, 188, Jr., Camden, Ark.)
- 80 Aaron Denson (6-0, 180, Fr., Fort Worth, Texas)

Z-Receiver

- 15 Zac Hoover (6-0, 183, Sr., Grain Valley, Mo.)
- 81 Jalen Esters (6-2, 215, Jr., Port Huron, Mich.)

SPECIAL TEAMS TWO-DEEP

Kicker (PAT-FG)

- 36 Zach Drake (6-2, 185, RFr., Lee's Summit, Mo.)
- 83 Shelby Harris (5-11, 240, Jr., Nixa, Mo.)

Punter

- 36 Zach Drake (6-2, 185, RFr., Lee's Summit, Mo.)
- 83 Shelby Harris (5-11, 240, Jr., Nixa, Mo.)

Holder

- 30 Jared Beshore (6-0, 196, So., Lamar, Mo.)
- 9 Brodie Lambert (6-1, 211, Sr., Arlington, Texas)

Long Snapper

- 82 Chandler Collins (6-4, 232, RFr., Springfield, Mo.)
- 97 Colin Bess (6-5, 260, RFr., Park Hills, Mo.)

Kickoff Return

- 5 Deion Holliman (5-9, 188, Jr., Camden, Ark.)
- 15 Zac Hoover (6-0, 193, Sr., Grain Valley, Mo.)

Punt Return

- 5 Deion Holliman (5-9, 188, Jr., Camden, Ark.)
- 15 Zac Hoover (6-0, 193, Sr., Grain Valley, Mo.)

DEFENSIVE TWO-DEEP

Left End

- 96 Tony Jones (6-7, 258, Jr., Wynne, Ark.)
- 33 Skyler Hulse (6-3, 233, RFr., Oak Grove, Mo.)

Tackle

- 91 Daryl Coburn (6-1, 305, Jr., Little Rock, Ark.)
- 54 Riley Herrold (6-2, 247, So., Ozark, Mo.)

Tackle

- 98 Cecil Bratton (6-3, 296, Jr., St. Joseph, Mo.)
- 97 Colin Bess (6-5, 260, RFr., Park Hills, Mo.)

Right End

- 90 Colby Isbell (6-3, 240, Jr., Rogers, Ark.)
- 94 Tristan Crowder (6-3, 220, Fr., Bartlesville, Okla.)

Will Linebacker

- 31 Dylan Cole (6-1, 240, Sr., Rogersville, Mo.)
- 52 McNeece Egbin (6-0, 208, RFr., Rowlett, Texas)

Mike Linebacker

- 44 Alexz Jones (6-2, 233, Jr., Defiance, Mo.)
- 59 Easton Flaugh (6-2, 233, So., Branson West, Mo.)

Sam Linebacker

- 35 Kurran Blamey (6-1, 213, Jr., Monett, Mo.)
- 38 Eric Greely (6-1, 212, Jr., Liberty, Mo.)

Left Cornerback

- 4 Matt Rush (5-10, 179, So., Springfield, Mo.)
- 7 Tre Betts (5-11, 184, So., Broken Arrow, Okla.)

Right Cornerback

- 24 Darius Daniel (6-0, 185, Jr., Marked Tree, Ark.)
- 14 JaMario McClendon (6-3, 193, Jr., Cochran, Ga.)

Strong Safety

- 30 Jared Beshore (6-0, 196, So., Lamar, Mo.)
- 22 Austin Henderson (6-2, 195, Fr., Springdale, Ark.)

Free Safety

- 26 Kam Carter (6-1, 184, RFr., Arlington, Texas)
- 21 Cameron Price (6-2, 208, RFr., Florissant, Mo.)

