

2016 Temple Football Game Notes

Temple Football | Edberg Olson Hall
1001 W. Diamond Street | Philadelphia, PA 19122

Rich Burg | Asst. AD Football Communications
Rich.Burg@Temple.edu | 215-204-0876 (o) | 215-356-3952 (c)

Conor Semple | Graduate Assistant
Conor.Semple@Temple.edu | 516-236-0070 (c)



Five Things to Look For...

- Head Coach Matt Rhule looks to go 3-0 on the road vs. teams from Tennessee.
- Austin Jones looks to extend his streak of 17 consecutive field goals made which is tied for first in the FBS.
- RB Jahad Thomas looks to have his fourth consecutive game with two rushing touchdowns.
- Temple's DL Praise Martin-Oguike is currently tied for first among active NCAA players in forced fumbles (9) and tied for third among active players in forced fumbles per game (.24).
- Kicker Austin Jones needs three points to reach 4th on Temple's all-time scoring list.

GAMEDAY CENTRAL

Temple Football 465-573-52 (118th season)

2016 3-2, 1-0 American

Head Coach Matt Rhule

Career Record 21-22 (21-22 at Temple)

Date Thursday, October 6, 2016

Kickoff 8:00pm ET (7:00pm CT)

Stadium Liberty Bowl Memorial Stadium (59,308)

Series Results 2-1

Last time W, 31-12 (2015)

Last time at Liberty Bowl Memorial

Stadium W, 41-21 (2013)

Opponent Memphis

2016 3-1, 0-0 AAC

Head Coach Mike Norvell

Career Record 3-1 (3-1 at Memphis)

TV Broadcast ESPN

play-by-play Dave Flemming

analyst Jesse Palmer

reporter Laura Rutledge

Radio 97.5 The Fanatic

TuneIn Radio ... www.tunein.com/templefb

play-by-play Harry Donahue

analyst Paul Palmer

sidelines Harry Mayes

97.5 THE FANATIC

THIS WEEK

Temple takes to the road for its first American Conference road matchup of the season, battling West Division foe Memphis after a short week of rest. The game is scheduled for Thursday, October 6, at 8:00 p.m. ET (7:00 p.m. CT) and will air on ESPN and 97.5 The Fanatic, Temple football's flagship radio station. The Owls (3-2, 1-0 American) enter the matchup following a dominant victory in their conference opener against SMU, defeating the Mustangs by a sound 45-20 mark. Meanwhile, Memphis (3-1, 0-0 American) dropped its first loss of the season Saturday in a tough road test at No. 16 Ole Miss, falling 48-28. Taking into consideration last week's impressive ground performance, Temple has created a deadly one-two punch between the likes of senior RB Jahad Thomas and sophomore RB Ryquell Armstead. Thomas, who notched two scores and 80 yards against SMU, jumped to third all-time on the school's career touchdown list. Armstead, on the other hand, led the Owls with a career-high 159 yards and two touchdowns of his own. Together, the pair head an offense averaging 350.2 yards and 34.2 points per game. On the other side of the ball, the Temple defense has been relentless, posting the nation's No. 20 defense in yards allowed (319.4 ypg). The unit will face a high-powered Memphis team under the direction of first-year head coach Mike Norvell and junior QB Riley Ferguson, who have created the No. 6 scoring offense nationally, generating 45.8 points per game.

LAST WEEK

Serving up a second consecutive victory, Temple surged past American Conference visitor SMU 45-20 on Saturday afternoon at Lincoln Financial Field. For the most part, the Owls' offensive proficiency came from their stable of running backs, as senior Jahad Thomas and sophomore Ryquell Armstead found the endzone two times each, combining for 239 yards on the ground. Senior QB Phillip Walker threw for 124 yards and a single score as well. The defense, however, was the true story of the win, holding a high-octane Mustang offense to just two offensive scores and 288 total yards. Sophomore DB Delvon Randall led the team with a career-best 10 tackles, senior DL Haason Reddick notched two strip sacks, while both senior DB Nate L. Smith and sophomore LB Chapelle Russell contributed seven tackles.

LAST TIME

Last season's late November battle between Temple and visiting Memphis featured a battle, as the Owls were able to pull away with a 17-point fourth quarter to seal the victory. Current Owls with major contributions included then-junior QB Phillip Walker, who compiled 261 passing yards and two touchdowns, and then-freshman RB David Hood, who added a team-high 61 yards on 14 carries for one score.

UP NEXT

Following the Thursday night matchup against Memphis, the Owls will prepare for a second consecutive conference road game, first heading to Orlando to face UCF in their third-straight American Conference test.

2016 TEMPLE OWLS FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date.....	Time	Opponent	TV.....	Result
Friday, September 2	7:00pm	ARMY	CBSSN	L, 13-28
Saturday, September 10	1:00pm	STONY BROOK	ESPN3	W, 38-0
Saturday, September 17	12:00pm	@ Penn State	BTN	L, 27-34
Saturday, September 24	12:00pm	CHARLOTTE	ASN/CSN	W, 48-20
Saturday, October 1	12:00pm	SMU	ESPNNews	W, 45-20
Thursday, October 6	8:00pm	* @ Memphis	ESPN	
Saturday, October 15	7:30pm	* @ UCF	ESPNU	
Friday, October 21	7:00pm	* USF	ESPN	
Saturday, October 29	TBD	* CINCINNATI	TBD	
Friday, November 4	7:00pm	* @ UConn	ESPN2	
Saturday, November 12	TBD	-----BYE-----		
Saturday, November 19	TBD	* @ Tulane	TBD	
Saturday, November 26	TBD	* EAST CAROLINA	TBD	
Saturday, December 3	12:00pm	TBD [CCG]	ABC/ESPN	
TBD	TBD	Bowl Game	TBD	

All times Eastern; * = American Athletic Conference game; CCG = American Athletic Conference Championship
All games broadcast on 97.5 FM The Fanatic

Follow
Temple
Football



OwlSports
.com



Twitter
@Temple_FB



Facebook
Temple-University-
Football



Instagram
Temple_FB

QUICK FACTS

School..... Temple University
Location Philadelphia, Pa.
Founded 1884
Enrollment 39,000
Acting President Richard M. Englert
School Website www.Temple.edu
Nickname Owls
School Colors Cherry (201C) & White
Athletics Website www.OwlSports.com
Director of Athletics Dr. Patrick Kraft
Assoc. AD/Chief of Staff (FB Admin.) Sean Padden
Conference American Athletic
Website www.theAmerican.org

FOOTBALL INFORMATION

Stadium Lincoln Financial Field
Surface Natural grass
Capacity 69,596
First Season of Football 1894
All-Time Record 465-573-52
Head Coach Matt Rhule (Penn State '97)
Career Record 21-22
Temple Record 21-22
2015 Record 10-4 overall
American Conference Record (finish) 7-1 (1st-East)
Offensive Alignment Pro Spread
Defensive Alignment 4-3
Lettermen Returning 37/21
Starters Returning/Lost 12/12

COACHING STAFF

Matt Rhule Head Coach
Ed Foley Asst. Head Coach / TEs / Special Teams
Phil Snow Defensive Coordinator / Safeties
Glenn Thomas Offensive Coordinator / QBs
Francis Brown Assoc. Head Coach / DBs
George DeLeone Run Game Coord. / OL
Frisman Jackson Passing Game Coord. / WRs
Elijah Robinson Defensive Run Game Coord. DL
Mike Siravo Def. Passing Game Coord. LBs
Chris Wiesehan Sr. Offensive Asst. / RBs
Reggie Garrett Graduate Assistant - Defense
Omar Hales Graduate Assistant - Defense
John Loughery Graduate Assistant - Offense
Rob Dvoracek Student Assistant Coach - Defense
Damier Shaw Student Assistant Coach - Offense
Brian Fallon Student Assistant
Nadia Harvin Administrative Specialist

Academics

Emily DeRatt Academic Advisor
Da'Mon Merkerson Academic Advisor
Reid Vanderlinden Academic Advisor

Athletic Trainers

Al Bellamy Director of Athletic Training
Masahiro Takahagi Assistant Athletic Trainer
Zac White GA — Sport Medicine

Compliance

Quinton Smith
..... Asst. AD - Compliance & Student-Athlete Affairs

Communications

Rich Burg Asst. AD - Football Communications
Conor Semple Communications Assistant
Matt Stainthorpe Communications Intern
Madison Dishman Communications Intern
Jim Sullivan Communications Intern

Development/Recruiting

Evan Cooper Director of Player Personnel
Adam DiMichele Director of Player Development
E.J. Barthel Coordinator of On-Campus Recruiting
Vinish Kanthan Football Operations Assistant

Equipment

Greg Valenzisi Head Equipment Manager
Jon Jimenez Assistant Equipment Manager

Operations

Scott Wallace Director of Football Operations
Ryan Kelly Asst. Dir. of Football Operations
Sam Diamond Coord. of Football Staff Scheduling
..... & Special Events/External Camp Liaison
Dave Gerson Football Operations Assistant
Tom Spiteri Football Operations Intern

Strength & Conditioning

Jeremy Scott Head Strength & Conditioning
Brandon Washington Asst. Strength & Conditioning
Kevin Kroboth Asst. Strength & Conditioning
Pat Boyle Asst. Strength & Conditioning

Video

Matt Delgado Video Coordinator
Mike Washington Assistant Video Coordinator

MONDAY, 10/3

Practice TBD

11:00am-1:00pm
AAC Conference Call
12:20-12:30pm
Matt Rhule

TUESDAY, 10/4

Practice TBD

11:30am
Player interviews
12:00 noon
Matt Rhule
Press conference

WEDNESDAY, 10/5

Practice TBD

1:00pm
Team Departs
for Memphis

THURSDAY, 10/6

8:00pm ET
Kickoff vs. Memphis

FRIDAY, 10/7

No Media Availability

SATURDAY, 10/8

No Media Availability

SUNDAY, 10/9

No Media Availability

MID-WEEK

Interview Requests

All interview requests for players, coaches or staff members should be directed to the Athletic Communications staff.

Practice Regulations

Head coach Matt Rhule and select players will be available for brief interviews following daily practices early in the week. Advance notice is required to the Department of Athletic Communications. Photographers and videographers are permitted to shoot the last 15 minutes of practice. Otherwise, all practices are closed to all individuals except Temple football personnel.

Please make interview requests by 24 hours in advance. Player interviews take place on Tuesdays during the season, prior to Coach Rhule's weekly press conference. The Owls practice on Chodoff Field at the Edberg-Olson Hall facility, located at 10th and Diamond Streets.

Weekly Football Release

To access Temple's weekly football release, please log on to www.OwlSports.com. The weekly release will include updated game notes, schedule, depth chart, and game-by-game wrap-ups. Team and individual statistics will be posted to the website as well.

Weekly Media Luncheon

Matt Rhule's weekly media luncheon is held each week at Edberg-Olson Hall on the main campus (10th & Diamond Streets, 2nd floor). Please check the weekly game-notes for luncheon schedule.

GAME DAY

Credentials

All requests for home games must be made through Athletic Communications. Season credentials should be requested in the preseason and game-by-game credentials must be requested at least one week prior to the game. Local media requesting credentials for a road game must have that request into Athletic Communications two weeks prior to the contest (preceding Monday) by submitting in writing on company letterhead by e-mail (rich.burg@temple.edu).

Media Parking

Media parking at Lincoln Financial Field is available on a limited basis. Please contact Rich Burg in Athletic Communications at (215) 204-0876 for availability.

Media Will-Call / Entrance

Media attending games at Lincoln Financial Field must enter on the west side of the stadium (facing 11th St.) across from the Wells Fargo Center. Credentials left at will-call must be picked up at that entrance only.

Press Box Phone (267) 570-4453

Telephone Services

All seat locations and photographer work areas at Lincoln Financial Field have complimentary lines for high-speed Internet access as well as local and 800 telephone service. Wireless Internet access is also available and pool phones will be accessible in the press box for outgoing calls. If you need more services, please contact Athletic Communications.

Statistics

Complete individual and team statistics and play-by-play will be distributed throughout the press box at the conclusion of each quarter.

Locker Room Policy

Temple maintains a closed locker room policy.

Post-Game Interview Procedures

Following games, head coaches and players from both teams are made available to the media. Please take the elevator to the street level and proceed across the lobby (to the right of the Touchdown Club). Follow the signs to the media conference rooms, located on the east side of the stadium. Each team will utilize an interview room adjacent to its respective locker room. Please address player requests to the Temple Athletic Communications staff and the visiting school's sports information representative by the 10-minute mark of the fourth quarter.

Taxi Cabs

For transportation to and from Lincoln Financial Field, it is suggested that you call either Checker Cab Co. at (215) 744-8294 or Olde City Taxi at (215) 338-0838.

On the Airwaves

Temple University will produce a radio broadcast of all football games. This season, the broadcast can be heard on 97.5 The Fanatic. For additional information about The Fanatic and to listen on-line, log on to the station's website at: www.975thefanatic.com

On the Internet

For the latest info on Temple Football, log on to Temple Athletics' web site, www.OwlSports.com. In addition to live stats and audio of all games, fans can watch video of weekly press luncheons, head coach Matt Rhule's post-game press conferences, and the most up-to-date information on the Owls.

Football Communications



Rich Burg
Assistant AD Football
Communications
O: (215) 204-0876
C: (215) 356-3952
rich.burg@temple.edu
**Football Contact /
Credential Requests**



Conor Semple
Graduate Extern
Athletic Communications
C: (516) 236-0070
conor.semple@
temple.edu
**Secondary
Football Contact**

TEMPLE'S TUFF GUYS

Wearing a single-digit jersey is considered to be one of the highest honors an Owl can earn. These are awarded to the student-athletes deemed by their teammates to be the toughest members of the team. Five players have carried over the honor from last season. Avery Williams, Sean Chandler, and Stephaun Marshall have donned their numbers since 2014. Four vacancies were filled at the start of the 2016 season - Ventell Bryant, Jacob Martin, Haason Reddick, and Phillip Walker. Here is a list of Temple's TUFF Guys:



**Ventell
BRYANT**
r-Sophomore



**Avery
WILLIAMS**
r-Senior



**Sean
CHANDLER**
Junior



**Nick
SHARGA**
r-Junior



**Jahad
THOMAS**
Senior



**Stephaun
MARSHALL**
r-Senior



**Haason
REDDICK**
r-Senior



**Phillip
WALKER**
Senior



**Jacob
MARTIN**
Junior

TENNESSEE BLUES

The first two road wins of Matt Rhule's career as a head coach for Temple came in the Smoky Mountain state. The victories also came back-to-back for the program as the Owls defeated Memphis, 41-21, in the last game of the 2013 season, followed by defeating Vanderbilt 37-7 during the first game of the 2014 season. During those two games, Temple outscored its opponents 78-28 and won by an average margin of 25.0 points. Temple's win over Memphis marked the first meeting between these two programs, while the win over Vanderbilt was the first win Temple had over an SEC program in 76 years.

FLYING HIGH VS. THE TOP 25

The last time Temple played Memphis was on November 21, 2015, when the Owls came up victorious 31-12. Temple was ranked No. 21 in the country at the time, making it the second time in the past two years Temple has defeated an opponent ranked in the Top 25 (No. 21 East Carolina, November 1, 2014). This shows how far the Owls have come after just having just two wins against the Top 25 in program history previously. The Owls also had their own fame last year as they were ranked in the Top 25 for six weeks.

KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES

Last year, Temple kicker Austin Jones went 23-28 (.821) on field goals and set a school record for most field goals made in a season. During that same year, Memphis kicker Jake Elliot also went 23-28 (.821) on field goals made. At the end of the season, Elliot went on to be a 2015 USA Today All-America first team selection, American Athletic Conference Special Teams Player of the Year and All-American Athletic Conference first team pick while the only honor Jones received was Eastern Football Writers Special Teams Player of the Week (10/31 vs. No. 9 Notre Dame). So far during the 2016 season, Jones is a perfect 8/8 (1.000) on field goals made while Elliot is 5-6 (.833).

ROCK N' ROLL HITS OF 2015

The last time that Temple faced off against Memphis, the Owls' defense put pressure on current Denver Broncos' QB Paxton Lynch, sacking him twice and combining for 12 total tackles for loss in the 31-12 victory. DB Sean Chandler was second on the team with nine tackles and three TFLs, including a sack. DL Haason Reddick added four tackles, three solos, and a sack. LB Jarred Alwan finished third on the team in tackles with seven including a half sack, while DB Nate L. Smith went for five tackles, four solo, and LB Avery Williams added three tackles and one for a four-yard loss.

MUCH PRAISE FOR PRAISE

With a forced fumble against Penn State, defensive lineman Praise Martin-Oguike now leads all active players in the nation in forced fumbles (9). Below is a list of players with the most forced fumbles in the country.

FF	GP	Pos	Name	School	Cl.
9	36	DL	Praise Martin-Oguike	Temple	Sr
9	30	LB	Marcus Oliver	Indiana	Jr
8	37	LB	Nigel Harris	South Florida	Sr
8	29	DL	Marquis Haynes	Ole Miss	Jr
8	36	DL	Demarcus Walker	Florida St.	Jr

MEMPHIS HITS WALKER'S SWEET SPOT

Over the last three contests between Temple and Memphis, quarterback Phillip Walker has amassed 729 passing yards while completing 52 percent of his passes. He has also accounted for six passing touchdowns during that stretch and 136 rushing yards. The six passing touchdowns Walker has against Memphis are the third most he has had against any opponent in his career (SMU-8, UCF-7).

RHULING THE AIRWAVES

Temple head coach Matt Rhule has become a hot commodity in the Philadelphia market and nationally as a regular guest on some of the biggest and best shows. Here is a schedule of his weekly broadcast commitments this season:

Tuesdays

12:00-12:45pm **TUTV**

Inside the Nest

live press conference with reporters wrap around
Reporter's Roundup with Matt Leon

12:45pm

KYW Radio

Wednesdays

8:30 am

The Fanatic

Anthony Gargano Show

Thursdays

11:00-11:10am

WIP Radio

Ike Reese and Michael Barkann Show

Saturdays

9:45-10:00am **6ABC**

Temple Football Playbook

weekly preview/review and feature segment

TEMPLE (3-2, 1-0)

2016 STATISTICAL COMPARISON

MEMPHIS (3-1, 0-0)

Avg.	NCAA/Conf.	Category	NCAA/Conf.	Avg.
350.2	106/11	Total Offense	33/3	477.0
150.4	87/9	Rushing Offense	72/8	168.5
199.8	93/9	Passing Offense	20/2	308.5
119.79	99/9	Pass Efficiency Offense	21/1	156.22
34.2	51/6	Scoring Offense	6/2	45.8
319.4	20/3	Total Defense	48/5	371.3
162.8	71/8	Rushing Defense	54/5	146.3
156.6	13/1	Passing Defense	63/7	225.0
99.24	10/2	Pass Efficiency Defense	9/1	98.92
20.4	34/3	Scoring Defense	25/2	18.8
+0.80	23/4	Turnover Margin	10/3	+1.25
36.7	88/8	3rd Down Conversion Pct	73/5	38.6
50.0	71/10	4th Down Conversion Pct	25/6	66.7
29.7	21/3	3rd Down Conversion Pct. Defense	7/1	24.1
64.3	93/9	4th Down Conversion Pct. Defense	16/3	33.3
95.5	12/1	Red Zone Offense	95/8	78.9
66.7	12/2	Red Zone Defense	53/8	81.8
39.05	38/3	Net Punting	23/1	40.85
11.45	34/2	Punt Returns	55/6	9.18
3.82	33/4	Punt Return Defense	4/1	0.0
18.11	107/10	Kickoff Returns	52/5	22.50
18.25	29/3	Kickoff Return Defense	2/1	13.75
5.8	72/7	Tackles For Loss	87/9	5.5

INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS

Category	No.	NCAA/AAC
RB Ryquell Armstead		
Rushing Touchdowns	6	19/2
Rush Yards per carry	6.02	32/3
K Austin Jones		
Field goal %	100.0	t-1/t-1
Field Goals/Game	1.60	t-15/t-2
DB Delvon Randall		
Interceptions	2	21/5
DL Haason Reddick		
Tackles For Loss	1.4	36/1
RB Jahad Thomas		
Rushing Touchdowns	6	19/2
QB Phillip Walker		
Passing Yards/Completion	13.86	30/2
Completion %	51.1	91/7
Touchdown Passes	6	70/7
Passing Yards	970	67/7

FIRST MEMPHIS GAME SPARKED CONFERENCE GLORY

Head coach Matt Rhule's first win on the road and in conference play at Temple came at Memphis on November 30, 2013. Over the next two seasons, Rhule has led the Owls to a 19-12 overall record and 12-5 conference record. During that two-year span, the Owls' 12 conference wins is tied for second-most by any team in the American Athletic Conference.

TIGERS AND OWLS FLYING HIGH IN THE NFL

Temple football currently has eight alumni playing in the NFL, highlighted by Brandon McManus, kicker for the Super Bowl Champion Denver Broncos, as well as New York Jets star pass rusher Muhammad Wilkerson. Memphis also has a number of former players in the pro ranks, including running back DeAngelo Williams of the Pittsburgh Steelers, defensive lineman Dontari Poe of the Kansas City Chiefs, and kicker Stephen Gostkowski of the New England Patriots. The two schools combined to have four players selected in this year's draft including Memphis' quarterback Paxton Lynch who was drafted in the first round (Broncos), Temple's Tavon Young who went in the 4th (Ravens), Matt Ioannidis who went in the 5th (Redskins) and a former Chuck Bednarik and Bronco Nagurski trophy winner Tyler Matakevich (Steelers).

MR. OCTOBER HAILS FROM PHILLY

Baseball Hall of Famer Reggie Jackson, a Cheltenham native, was the original Mr. October. Temple football has something in common. From 2014-16, the Owls have gone 6-3 in the month of October. They went 4-1 in the month of October last year with their only loss coming against Notre Dame. Three of Temple's five October games this season will be at home and all will be conference games.

UNDER THE CHERRY HOOD

In a 31-12 victory over the Memphis Tigers in 2015, redshirt freshman David Hood rushed for a game-high 61 yards with his longest run going for 14 yards. He also rushed his first touchdown of his college career in the second quarter to give the Owls a five-point lead (14-9) heading into halftime. Hood added a reception for 16 yards in the passing game as well. Currently, the redshirt sophomore has rushed for a combined 54 yards on 12 carries in four games this season.

STAR TRACK FEATURING CAPTAIN KIRK

After the brilliant success of last season's receiving corps, not many expected this year's youthful unit to reach — much less top — that high level of achievement. Through five games, however, this year's Owls have been stellar, outpacing last season's standouts in both total yards and receiving touchdowns. To the credit of QB Phillip Walker, though, the distribution around the receiving corps has remained notably similar.

2015	Rec-Yds-TDs	2016	Rec-Yds-TDs
Robby Anderson	19-220-4	Keith Kirkwood	17-232-2
Ventell Bryant	13-127-0	Adonis Jennings	9-123-1
John Christopher	8-85-0	Brodrick Yancy	10-122-2
Adonis Jennings	6-78-1	Marshall Ellick	7-87-0
Brandon Shippen	2-32-0	Ventell Bryant	4-67-1
Total	48-542-5	Total	45-631-6

AUSTIN POWERS

In 2015, Temple received so many team and individual awards that most overlook the record breaking season kicker Austin Jones had. Last year, Jones broke the record for most field goals made in a season (23), most points by a kicker (113), and best field goal percentage for anyone with over 20 attempts (82.1 %). The junior is now third all-time in field goals made and fifth all-time in points scored for Temple (226). He is eight for eight on field goal attempts so far this season and now holds the school record for most consecutive field goals made. Jones is tied for second in FBS in consecutive field goals made. The list below is of active consecutive field goals kicks made among FBS kickers.

FGs	Name	School
17	Austin Jones	Temple
17	Tyler Davis	Penn State
15	Luke Strebel	Air Force
12	Cole Netten	Iowa State

ALL THE WRIGHT STUFF

Entering the season, head coach Matt Rhule made a promise to play WR Isaiah Wright. The true freshman has seen action at WR, RB, punt returner, and also at QB in Wildcat formations. He is the team's third leading rusher with 50 yards on 17 carries. Rhule had nothing but great things to say about him after the Stony Brook game. "[Former Temple RB] Joe Jones, Wright kind of reminds me of Joe. The key thing to me is Isaiah Wright is a true freshman. He's learned everything. He hasn't learned everything great. He has a ways to go in the protections and all of that, but he's a good football guy."

CHERISHED POSSESSIONS

For the season, senior quarterback Phillip Walker has led the Owls to 28 scores on 61 drives (45.9%) with 21 touchdowns on those possessions (34.4%). Overall, Temple has had 67 possessions with 29 scores including 21 TDs.

YO ADRIAN

When asked for the biggest surprise of the early season, both head coach Matt Rhule and offensive coordinator Glenn Thomas have repeatedly responded with OL Adrian Sullivan. The redshirt junior, who entered camp in August working with the third unit, has worked his way into the starting lineup and has been solid at right guard.

BIG MAC

Anyone who has followed Temple football for the past few seasons knows that replacing Kyle Friend was going to be a difficult task. Redshirt senior Brendan McGowan, who filled in for Friend while he missed four games due to injury a year ago, has been an anchor in the middle of an improving O-line. A heady veteran who already holds a finance degree, McGowan is a trusted voice making the line calls while the guard spots have been breaking in youthful talent.

DOUBLE DS

Dion Dawkins has been protecting QB Phillip Walker's blindside from the left tackle spot for four seasons now. The senior has had eye popping performances to start the season, helping in the pass game and opening huge holes with pancake blocks to open up running lanes for RBs Jahad Thomas and Ryquell Armstead.

YOUNG FOLKS

Temple's defense has seen a recent youthful look throughout the lineup. Literally, the man in the middle of that change is MLB Jared Folks. Folks, a redshirt sophomore was inserted for senior Jarred Alwan for the Charlotte game and has held down the position. He made 3 tackles in his first start and notched his first career interception against SMU.

GET A GRIP

Temple had a string of 434 straight offensive plays without losing a fumble that was snapped vs. SMU. From a first quarter Robby Anderson fumble in the AAC Championship game at Houston in 2015, through a Jager Gardner fumble in the fourth quarter vs. SMU in week 5, Temple protected the ball well.

BLOCK PARTY

On the strength of an FBS high 5 blocked punts in 2015, Temple has been among the best in blocking kicks during the Matt Rhule era. Thanks to Sharif Finch's block in the season opener against Army, Temple has the 3rd most blocked kicks since 2015. For Finch, that was his fifth career blocked punt which leads the nation among active players.

	Total	2016	2015	2014	2013	Punts	FGs/PATs
BYU	16	1	8	3	4	0-3-1-0	1-5-2-4
Georgia Tech	16	2	3	6	5	0-2-2-3	2-1-4-2
Temple	15	1	7	5	2	1-5-3-2	0-2-2-0
Air Force	14	2	3	3	6	1-0-1-0	1-3-2-6
Alabama	12	1	6	2	3	0-3-0-1	1-3-2-2
USC	11	1	2	2	6	1-0-0-3	0-2-2-3

NO DOUBTING THOMAS

The Owls know they have a special player in RB Jahad Thomas. In his two seasons as a starting RB, Thomas is 10th all-time in rushing yards for the Owls (1,646) and 7th in all-purpose yards (3,232). He was awarded first team all-conference honors last year as he had 1,262 yards on the ground while scoring 17 touchdowns.

Head coach Matt Rhule had some strong words to say about one of his star players, "I think Jahad is just trying to be great. He's just 100 percent all-in. Sometimes seniors are either thinking about their future - their friends, family, everyone is talking the future, the future, the future - and they forget about the present, they forget about their senior year, and it actually hurts, or they're 1,000 percent bought into the team in their senior year and having fun with their teammates. And Jahad appears to be, based upon his actions, to be 1,000 percent bought into having a great senior year with the way he has practiced, everything that he's doing

MARTIN LEADS CONFERENCE IN SAAC

Junior DL Jacob Martin was elected coordinator of alumni relations for the American Athletic Conference Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC). Martin is a two-year letterwinner for the football team, playing in all but one game on the defensive line rotation and on special teams as a sophomore in 2015. During his time with the Owls he has totaled 22 tackles with 1.5 sacks in two seasons. The mission of SAAC is to improve communication for all student-athletes at each member school as well as enhance communication between the institutions. SAAC takes an active role in understanding and providing feedback regarding NCAA and Conference legislations, and promotes student-athlete well-being, academic achievement, personal development and community service.

SNOW PATROL

Phil Snow has proven he is one of the most formidable defensive coordinators in the country. Entering his fourth season with the Owls, the team has steadily improved its defense each season under Snow's guidance, especially last season. In 2014, he led the Owls to a #1 rank in almost every single defensive category in the AAC, fourth nationally in scoring defense, and tied for first nationally in fumble recoveries (19). Snow looks to lead the defense to becoming the best in the conference again for the 2016 season.

OWL SCHOLARS

In an effort to recognize the outstanding academic accomplishments of Temple University's student-athletes, Temple Athletics introduced the Owl Scholars Program in the Fall of 2016. Through team apparel, student-athletes on all of Temple's 19 sports regularly have the opportunity to wear items that represent their athletic lives while on campus or in the classroom; the Owl Scholars Program aims to accomplish the reverse - provide an easily identifiable symbol of academic success for student-athletes to wear on their respective field or court of competition.

The Owl Scholars Patch has been designed to pay homage to the rich history of the Temple Owls, while invoking images of the infamous speech of Temple Uni-

versity's founder Russell Conwell, Acres of Diamonds. The three stars above the regal owl symbolize the three different ways a student-athlete can earn the honor of having the patch included on their uniform/game warm-up:

- completion of a Temple University degree prior to the beginning of the start of the season
- earning a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 prior to the beginning of the start of the season
- earning a 3.0 semester grade point average in the previous semester

42 Football players are wearing the patch this season.



SUPER FREAK

Redshirt senior Haason Reddick is arguably one of the most athletic players in the country. This year he was ranked #6 on FOX Sports' Bruce Feldman's annual "Freak" list. Standing at 6'1 and 235 lbs., Reddick played as a running back and safety in high school. When he got to Temple, Rhule and Snow had the presence of mind to switch him to strong side linebacker and then to defensive end last year, which he excelled at. During his redshirt junior year, he led the team in QB hurries (5), and was 9th in the conference in tackles for losses (12.5). Reddick will be counted on as a key versatile defensive end for Snow's defense during the 2016 season.

GOLDEN/RHULE

In the early 2000's, Temple's football program was in a state of despair. Coach Bobby Wallace (1998-2005) had a 19-71 overall record and was coming off three consecutive seasons with two wins or less (0-11 in 2005). The culture and effectiveness of the program started to change once Al Golden took the reins. After a shaky 1-11 start in his first season, Golden led the team to a 26-23 record in the next four seasons. During that time, the team had its first season above .500 since 1990, and went to its first bowl game since 1979. The wealth of success continued with Steve Addazio, as the Owls got a win in the Gildan, New Mexico Bowl during the 2011 season. From there, the reins were handed over to current head coach Matt Rhule in 2013. After finishing 2-10 in his first season, Rhule has improved the team's win total each year by four games, highlighted by the 2015 season when Temple finished 10-4 and won the AAC East Championship. Other accomplishments include the Owls getting off to their first 7-0 start (2015), having the program's first defensive player of the year (Tyler Matakevich, 2015), and their first win over Penn State in 73 years. After continuing to have great recruiting classes, the Owls have high hopes of success for many years to come.

SHARIF'S BLOCK PARTY

Sharif Finch is now the active leader for punt blocks in the NCAA. Here is a list of the top kick blockers in the nation.

Blocks	GP	Pos	Name	School	Cl.
5	26	DL	Sharif Finch	Temple	Sr
4	12	DL	Chris Odum	Arkansas St	Sr
4	13	OL	Dan Skipper	Arkansas	Sr
4	13	DL	Rob Bain	Illinois	Sr
3	13	DB	Kieron Williams	Nebraska	Jr
3	14	DL	Kemoko Turay	Rutgers	Jr
3	14	DL	B.J. Singleton	Houston	Sr

SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONS

Super Bowl 50 saw the Denver Broncos defeat the Carolina Panthers 24-10 in a low scoring battle. A huge key to the success of the Broncos that day was the kicking of Brandon McManus, who went 3/3 on field goals and tacked on one extra point. He also happens to be a proud Temple grad. Like McManus, Temple has a number of alumni who have experienced success on the NFL's biggest stage. Out of the 21 times that an alum from Temple has played in the Super Bowl, 16 of them happen to be on the winning team. Notable names include former Ravens' RB Bernard Pierce (2011), former Patriots' DL Dan Klecko (2004, 2005) and former Redskins' DB Todd Bowles (1983), who is now a head coach for the New York Jets. Former Owls head coach Bruce Arians was also an offensive coordinator for the Steelers in 2009, helping head coach Mike Tomlin win his first Super Bowl that year.

WILD BOYZ

Third year defensive line coach Elijah Robinson looks to have another loaded group for the 2016 season. The unit will be led by DE Haason Reddick who received all-conference honors last year. Praise Martin-Oguike and Sharif Finch are experienced play-makers, and Jacob Martin and Avery Ellis will add some much needed depth to rush the quarterback. In the past two years, Martin-Oguike recorded the most sacks out of anyone on the team (11.5). Finch has 4.5 TFL along with 5.0 sacks over the past three seasons. Senior Avere Robinson looks to anchor the middle of the defensive line with help from Freddie Booth-Lloyd, Michael Dogbe and Jullian Taylor.

GRADUATES

In a recent poll that surveyed how many graduates each division one school had on its roster, Temple finished tied for third with five other schools having 11 graduates on the team. The list of graduates include TE Romond Deloatch, TE Jake O'Donnell, DB Nate Hairston, OL Adrian Sullivan, LB Avery Williams, DL Avery Ellis, DB Khiry Lucas, LB Stephann Marshall, OL Brendan McGowan, DL Praise Martin-Oguike and TE Colin Thompson. The university is very proud of these individuals for achieving academic success.

NFL IRONMAN

A recent survey was taken among all of the FBS College Football SIDs, about current employees in FBS college football right now with 20+ years of NFL non-playing experience. Tied for first with UCLA head coach Jim Mora was Temple's head athletic trainer Al Bellamy, with 25 years of NFL experience. Bellamy, who is going into his fourth season here at Temple, started off in 1988 as an athletic training assistant with the Washington Redskins and was part of the staff that won Super Bowl XXVI. After his time in Washington, he moved to get a head athletic training position with the Detroit Lions, where he stayed with the team for 12 years.

BOYS TO MEN

After the practice on Friday, August 19th, head coach Matt Rhule made a comment after practice about how pleased he was with grades, on the field success, and the players growing as men. "My number one job is to tell our kids the reason why we're at Temple is to make something great, but the first thing is building great people, great men, and that's who they are in the classroom, that's who they are as football players, and that's who they are as people. Whether that's community service or the way they interact with people. And if you have guys who are interested in school and care about football, then you'll have a great team. Some people don't look at it that way, they believe that it's just their job to win. But at Temple, we believe it's our job to take care of the kids first."

WE'RE MOVIN' ON UP

The Owls saw seven players go to the pros after a very successful 2015 season. Three of those players (CB Tavon Young, DL Matt Ioannidis, and LB Tyler Matakevich) were drafted in rounds 4-7 and are on the action roster for their respective teams. Other free agent pickups in the NFL from the 2015 squad include OLs Kyle Friend and Shahbaz Ahmed, and WRs Robby Anderson and Brandon Shippen. Anderson made the Jets opening day roster.

NO FAULT IN OUR STARZYK

The special team's unit looks to have a big year as they return punter Alex Starzyk. He joined the Owls as a freshman walk-on in 2014 and has held the #1 punter role ever since. During the 2015 season, the junior was fourth in the conference for punting average and 5th in the conference for punts inside the 20. The season helped him rank 6th all-time for Temple in terms of punt average (40.3).

TOTE THE RYQ

To keep star RB Jahad Thomas fresh this season, head coach Matt Rhule plans to have more of a steady rotation which will include help from RB Ryquell Armstead. He and Jager Gardner were the only freshmen to see action for the Owls' offense last year. In Armstead's first start against Tulane in 2015, he scored two touchdowns. He got the 2016 opening day start and was 16-77-1TD rushing. Through five games this season, Armstead has 313 rushing yards with six touchdowns.

collegepressbox.com is the official media website for Division I football. Access and download weekly game notes, quotes, statistics, media guides, headshots, logos and more for each conference and its member schools. Apply for access at www.collegepressbox.com/password.

collegepressbox.com
SINCE 2005 EVERYTHING BUT THE PRE-GAME MEAL

CURRENT STREAKS

.....Consecutive GP/GS	Pos
Stephaun Marshall..... 44/5	WLB
Phillip Walker..... 39/38	QB
Averee Robinson..... 39/6	NT
Artrel Foster..... 31/3	CB
Praise Martin-Oguike..... 31/3	DE
Romond Deloatch..... 31/0	
Austin Jones..... 31/0	
Corey Lerch..... 31/0	
Alex Starzyk..... 31/0	
Avery Ellis..... 29/0	
Nate L. Smith..... 28/1	FS
Brian Carter..... 25/0	
Dion Dawkins..... 24/10	LT
Jarred Alwan..... 23/0	
Avery Williams..... 22/9	SLB
Haason Reddick..... 19/7	DE
Nate Hairston..... 19/5	CB
Delvon Randall..... 19/5	SS
Tom Bradway..... 19/0	
Adonis Jennings..... 19/0	
Nick Sharga..... 19/0	
Leon Johnson..... 16/5	RT
Michael Dogbe..... 9/1	DT
Ryquell Armstead..... 6/0	
Brendan McGowan..... 5/5	C
Adrian Sullivan..... 5/5	RG
Marshall Ellick..... 5/3	WR
Keith Kirkwood..... 5/3	WR
Brodrick Yancy..... 5/2	WR
Jovahn Fair..... 5/1	LG
Freddie Booth-Lloyd..... 5/0	
Cole Boozer..... 5/0	
Sam Franklin..... 5/0	
William Kwenkeu..... 5/0	
Chris Myarick..... 5/0	
Jake Robinson..... 5/0	
Chapelle Russell..... 5/0	
Derrick Thomas..... 5/0	
Greg Webb..... 5/0	
Jared Folks..... 4/2	MLB
Linwood Crump..... 4/0	
Karamo Dioubate..... 4/0	
Jager Gardner..... 4/0	
Randle Jones..... 4/0	
Rob Ritrovato..... 4/0	
Benny Walls..... 4/0	
Jahad Thomas..... 3/3	RB
Colin Thompson..... 3/1	TE
Shaun Bradley..... 3/0	
Jacob Martin..... 3/0	
Jyquis Thomas..... 3/0	
David Hood..... 2/0	
Jaelin Robinson..... 2/0	
Chris Smith..... 2/0	
Isaiah Wright..... 2/0	
Jeremiah Atoki..... 1/0	
Ventell Bryant..... 1/0	
Khiry Lucas..... 1/0	

QUARTERBACKS

The unit is headed once again by Glenn Thomas, who came to the Owls after a successful seven-year run with the Atlanta Falcons. This season, he adds the responsibility of offensive coordinator after the departure of Marcus Satterfield to become head coach at Tennessee Tech.

Thomas is credited with the continued development of senior QB **Phillip Walker**. The unquestioned team leader burst on the scene with 20 touchdowns and over 2,000 passing yards in just seven starts as a true freshman in 2013 before leveling off in 2014. Under Thomas' guidance, he continued to mature into a certified field general. He has already set the Temple career marks for attempts (1,191), completions (667), touchdowns (59), yards (8,342) and wins by a starting quarterback (21).

Last season's #2 quarterback was redshirt-sophomore **Frank Nutile**. After spending his freshman year recovering from a torn ACL, he appeared in four games in limited mop-up duty. He was 3-for-3 for 40 yards and a touchdown in the homecoming win against Tulane.

Logan Marchi spent his freshman year redshirting and is now poised to compete for the backup role. He saw his first action against Stony Brook.

The 2016 recruiting class sees the addition of **Anthony Russo** (Philadelphia/Archbishop Wood).



Walker

RUNNING BACKS

Leading the running backs this season will be Chris Wiesehan, who coached Temple's offensive line for the previous two seasons.

Jahad Thomas, a first-team all-conference player a year ago, returns for his senior season. In 2015, he scored at least one rushing touchdown in the first ten games and finished the year with 19 scores and 1,262 rushing yards. Along the way, he topped the century mark five times, including a career-high 199 yards and three touchdowns on 31 carries against UCF. The former defensive back is the established starter but should get help carrying the load from a talented group of young runners.

Last season, two true freshmen had limited opportunities to run the ball but showed they had what it takes to succeed. **Ryquell Armstead** emerged from the start of camp to earn a role spotting Thomas. He averaged five carries for 20 yards in the first five games, but was hampered by an injury for most of the remainder of the season. He finished with 166 yards and two scores on 43 carries. **Jager Gardner** was given the responsibility of kickoff returner by game seven and eventually earned snaps on offense. Nearly all of his 32 carries for the season were collected in the season's final four games. He set the school record with a 94-yard run from scrimmage at SMU, scoring his lone touchdown of the year on his way to his first career 100-yard game.

After redshirting in 2014, **David Hood** became a trusted part of the offense last year. By midseason, he was inserted into the third down packages and was the leading ball carrier (14-61-1TD) when Temple defeated #21 Memphis.

The 2016 recruiting class sees the addition of **Tyliek Raynor** (Philadelphia, Pa. / Imhotep). **Jonny Forrest** (New Rochelle (N.Y.) High) has been added as a walk-on.

The fullback position is manned by two converted linebackers who each walked on to the squad in 2014. Redshirt junior **Nick Sharga** was the only Temple player to see action on both sides of the ball in 2015. He earned the respect of his peers, being given a single-digit jersey (#4) for his toughness. Redshirt freshman **Rob Ritrovato** was converted to fullback after contributing on special teams as a true freshman in 2014. He suffered an injury in the season opener and was forced to redshirt.

WIDE RECEIVERS

Frisman Jackson will coach the wide receivers for the second straight year. He is the first to hold that position for two consecutive seasons since 2007-09 (Kevin Gilbride Jr.).

Gone from a year ago are three of the top four receivers: Robby Anderson (70-939-7TDs), John Christopher (20-208), and Brandon Shippen (20-288-1). All three

were seniors.

Redshirt sophomore **Ventell Bryant** (39-579-3TDs), an emerging star, returns. Last season, Bryant shattered the freshman record in receptions (22 – Sean Szarka, 2012) and receiving yards (378 – Carlos Johnson, 1998). He has caught at least one pass in every game he has played.

Adonis Jennings transferred to Temple in 2015 after his freshman campaign at Pitt. The Sicklerville, N.J., native and Timber Creek product enjoyed his return home and contributed with 14 catches for 146 yards and two touchdowns.

Two receivers who redshirted last season are expected to make big contributions in 2016. Redshirt sophomore **Brodrick Yancy** was proving to be a tough slot receiver and valiantly fought to return from an injury in game two, but was forced to the sidelines for the remainder of the season. Redshirt junior **Keith Kirkwood**, who transferred from Hawaii in 2014, has shown flashes of brilliance but needs to be more consistent.

Redshirt sophomore **Marshall Ellick** continues to improve. He played in five games a year ago, mostly on special teams and earned the 2016 most improved offensive player in the spring.

The Owls expect redshirt freshman **Cortelle Simpson** to make an impact as a receiver and as a return specialist. Simpson impressed the coaches last season while on the scout team – he was the only player to be named scout team player of the week multiple times.

Redshirt sophomore **Willie Smith**, along with redshirt freshman **Travon Williams**, are former walk-ons who add depth.

The 2016 recruiting class sees the additions of **Fred-die Johnson** [North Fort Myers (Fla.) High], **Randle Jones** [North Miami Beach (Fla.) High], **Brandon Mack** (Wyn-cote, Pa. / Cheltenham), and **Isaiah Wright** (West Hart-ford, Conn. / Kingswood-Oxford). **Justin Bishop** (Somers Point, NJ / Mainland) was added as a walk-on.



Ellick

Kirkwood

OFFENSIVE LINE

The offensive line is under new leadership both on and off the field. George DeLeone, a 46-year coaching veteran, returns for his second tour of duty coaching Temple's offensive line. He was the teams' offensive coordinator in 2006-07 and tutored the offensive line in 2007. On the field, the unit will be without the leadership of center Kyle Friend, who graduated. Friend, a three-time captain, was the cornerstone of the offensive line for the past three seasons.



Dawkins

Fair

McGowan

Sullivan

Johnson

Inheriting the baton will be senior left tackle **Dion Dawkins**. Dawkins has started 28 games over the past four seasons and earned fourth team All-America honors from Phil Steele following the 2015 campaign.

Temple has three other linemen with starting experience from a year ago. Redshirt senior **Brendan McGowan** has started 19 games over the past four seasons. He started four games at center for Friend in 2015 and was the starting guard for most of the 2014 season. **Brian Carter** clocked ten games at right guard last season and continues to improve. The redshirt junior is in just his second full season on the O-line after converting from a defensive tackle in 2013. Redshirt junior **Leon Johnson** started seven games at tackle last year and played in 12 games. Freshman **Matt Hennessy** has made a contribution to the unit and made his first start vs. Charlotte. The big surprise has been the development of RG **Adrian Sullivan**. Sullivan began the summer with the third unit but emerged as the starting right guard.

In the past few seasons under head coach Matt Rhule, Temple has looked to develop offensive linemen in one of two ways – convert from defense to offense or recruit-redshirt-develop. Redshirt-junior **Cole Boozer** has made the transition from tight end to defensive line to offensive line. Redshirt junior **Semaj Reed** and redshirt

sophomores **James McHale**, **Jaelin Robinson** and **Aaron Ruff**, and redshirt freshmen **Jovahn Fair** and **Benson Israel** have all been recruited to play offensive line for Temple. With the graduation of Friend, Shahbaz Ahmed and Eric Lofton, the opportunity is there for them to get on the field.

Two walk-ons continue to develop. **Nick Apostolu** and **Gordon Thomas** were added in 2014. Thomas saw action in three games last season.

The 2016 recruiting class sees the additions of **Darian Bryant** (Philadelphia, Pa. / Chestnut Hill Academy), **Dan Drewes** [Dunmore (Pa.) High], **Brendan Clark** (Father Judge / Philadelphia, Pa.), and **Vincent Picozzi** (Collegeville, Pa. / Lansdale Catholic) have been added as a walk-ons.

TIGHT ENDS & FULLBACKS

Ed Foley begins his fourth season as Temple's tight ends coach and his second as the special teams coordinator.

Redshirt senior **Colin Thompson** is finally fully recovered from foot injuries that hampered him at Florida and brought the Doylestown, Pa., native back home. Entering his third and final season for Temple, Thompson has been a major force in the improved run game and has made contributions in the passing attack.



Thompson

Chris Myarick is a redshirt sophomore and former walk-on. He has seen limited action, mostly on special teams.

Like Thompson, **Jake O'Donnell** is a graduate student from Doylestown who has transferred from a Florida school. O'Donnell has spent the past four years at Miami and joined the Owls in 2016 for his final year of eligibility.

Redshirt senior **Romond Deloatch** continues to improve as a receiver, evident by his performance down the stretch in 2015. While he ended the year with 20 receptions for 155 yards and three scores, 13 of those catches came in the final four games.

The 2015 recruiting class brought in **Patrick Anderson** and **Jake Robinson** who spent the season redshirting. Joining the squad as walk-ons last year was **Domenic Nigrelli**.

The 2016 recruiting class sees the additions of **Steve Petrick** (North Huntingdon, Pa. / Norwin), **Taiyir Wilson** (Schwenksville, Pa. / Perkiomen Valley / Fork Union), and **Kenny Yeboah** (Allentown, Pa. / Parkland Senior).

DEFENSIVE LINE

Once again, Elijah Robinson leads the "Wild Boyz," the nickname for Temple's defensive line. Despite the losses of Matt Ioannidis, Hershey Walton and Nate D. Smith, the defensive line remains deep and talented.

The end position has three players who each spent at least one season as a starter.

Redshirt senior **Haason Reddick** started opposite Smith last season and was the unit's most productive player. He registered career highs in tackles (45), TFLs (12.5) and sacks (5.0) en route to all-conference honors. **Praise Martin-Oguike**,



Martin-Oguike

Reddick

also a redshirt senior, emerged as a playmaker in 2014. In the past two years he has 67 tackles, 19.0 TFLs, and a team-leading 11.5 sacks and eight forced fumbles. Senior **Sharif Finch** has been hampered by knee injuries, but has played through them to contribute 78 tackles, 4.5 TFLs, 5.0 sacks, and 2 interceptions over the past three seasons.

Joining them on the outside are redshirt senior **Avery Ellis** and junior **Jacob Martin**. Both have played in 25 games over the past two seasons and have provided quality snaps on defense while being core special teams players.

The anchor on the inside is expected to be senior **Averee Robinson**. Robinson shared a starting spot with Walton last season and finished with career-highs in tackles and TFLs.



Robinson

Dogbe

Redshirt sophomores **Fredie Booth-Lloyd** and **Michael Dogbe** and redshirt junior **Julian Taylor** provide some experience. Booth-Lloyd combines size and quickness making him difficult to block.

Dogbe had three tackles in the bowl game against Toledo and flashed brilliance at times throughout the season. Taylor was impressive in camp but suffered an injury in the opener last year and missed the remainder of the season.

The Owls redshirted three defensive linemen last season. Two recruits - **DeAndre Kelly**, and **Dana Levine** - and walk-on **Jeromy Reichner**. All spent the year getting bigger and stronger under the eye of the strength and conditioning coaches.

Added to the mix is redshirt sophomore transfer **Hez Trahan**. A Philadelphia native, Trahan redshirted at Pitt in 2014 after a stellar career at Roman Catholic. He sat out in 2015 before enrolling at Temple.

The 2016 recruiting class sees the additions of **Dan Archibong** (Springfield (Pa.) High], **Karamo Dioubate** (Philadelphia / Prep Charter), **Quincy Roche** (Randallstown, Md. / New Town), **Chris Tucker** (Jackson, Tenn. / Trinity Christian Academy), and **Greg Webb** (Sicklerville, N.J. / Timber Creek / Hutchinson (Kan.) CC).

LINEBACKERS

At the linebacker position, Mike Siravo will be responsible for finding a replacement for Temple's all-time leading tackler Tyler Matakevich. The starters all have experience, but the depth is still unproven.



Marshall

Folks

Williams

Redshirt seniors **Stephaun Marshall** (14 starts) and **Avery Williams** (12 starts) shared the WLB duties for the past two seasons. Marshall is coming off a career-high in tackles, interceptions and forced fumbles. Williams had his best season as a tackler and added his first career interception in 2015. **Jared Folks** has made a huge impact on the unit as he made his first start vs. Charlotte and started again vs. SMU.

Seeing time at middle linebacker is senior **Jarred Alwan**. He served as a spot starter as an underclassman but secured the starting MLB role last season. Alwan responded with 74 tackles (second only to Matakevich), including 7.0 TFLs, and a career-high 1.5 sacks. He also ranked among the conference leaders with 4 forced fumbles.

Over the past two seasons, the Owls have recruited a few players who have redshirted while learning their craft and building their strength. **Jeremiah Atoki**, **Daishawn Grimes**, and **Chapelle Russell** (2015 class) are primed to make significant contributions in 2016.

Todd Jones and **Chris Smith** are talented walk-ons who have earned playing time on special teams. **Zach Mesday** walked on in 2014 and has spent the better part of the past two seasons rehabbing an injury. **Kevin DeCaesar** and **Mike DiFrancesco** joined the team as walk-ons in 2015 and continue to develop.

The 2016 recruiting class sees the additions of **Shaun Bradley** (Mt. Holly, N.J. / Rancocas Valley) and **William Kwenkeu** (Waldorf, Md. / St. Charles). **Julian Mahan** (Sicklerville, N.J. / Timber Creek) was added as a walk-on.

CORNERBACKS

Fran Brown will once again tutor the defensive backs. Like the other levels of the defense, Brown is tasked with replacing a player (Tavon Young) headed to the NFL. He is also without all-conference talent Sean Chandler who has been moved to safety.

Redshirt senior **Nate Hairston** and redshirt junior **Artrel Foster** gave the Owls valuable snaps in the secondary last season, whether spotting Young (who nursed an injury) or adding nickel coverage. Hairston was in just his first full season on defense after being converted from wide receiver. Both are among Temple's best special teams performers.



Foster

Hairston

The Owls are expecting big things from **Kareem Ali**. A four-star recruit, Ali redshirted in 2015.

Junior **Cequan Jefferson** is a talented athlete who has contributed on special teams while improving in the secondary.

Redshirt sophomore **Derrek Thomas** is making the

TEMPLE ALL-TIME LEADERS

Atts	Name	Years
1,191	Phillip Walker	2013-16
1,136	Henry Burris	1993-96

Comp	Name	Years
667	Phillip Walker	2013-16
558	Henry Burris	1993-96

Pass Yds	Name	Years
8,342	Phillip Walker	2013-16
7,495	Henry Burris	1993-96

Pass TDs	Name	Years
59	Phillip Walker	2013-16
49	Henry Burris	1993-96

TDs	Name	Years
54	Bernard Pierce	2009-11
43	Paul Palmer	1983-86
25	Jahad Thomas	2013-16
25	Matt Brown	2008-2012
24	Anthony Anderson	1975-78

Yds	Name	Years
4,895	Paul Palmer	1983-86
3,570	Bernard Pierce	2009-11
3,260	Tanardo Sharps	1999-02
2,647	Matt Brown	2009-12
2,610	Anthony Anderson	1975-78
2,383	Todd McNair	1985-88
2,218	Henry Hynoski	1972-74
1,989	Jahad Thomas	2013-16
1,943	Mark Bright	1976-79

Scoring	Name	Years
338	Brandon McManus	2009-12
324	Bernard Pierce	2009-11
264	Paul Palmer	1983-86
228	Bill Wright	1985-88
226	Austin Jones	2014-16
220	Don Bitterlich	1973-75

FGM	Name	Years
60	Brandon McManus	2009-12
46	Bill Wright	1985-88
44	Austin Jones	2014-16

INTs	Name	Years
20	Anthony Young	1981-84
15	Mark McCants	1977-80
13	Kevin Ross	1980-83
13	Bob Salla	1975-77
11	Sam Shaffer	1978-81
11	Bob Mizia	1973-75
10	Terrance Leftwich	1999-02
9	Jaiquawn Jarrett	2007-10
9	Chonn Lacey	1998-01
9	Dominique Harris	2006-09
8	Eddie Parker	1984-87
7	Tyler Matakevich	2012-15
7	Tavon Young	2012-15
7	Todd Bowles	1982-85
7	Robert Kneels	1977-79
7	Dwight Fulton	1971-73
6	Sean Chandler	2014-16
6	Kevin Kroboth	2008-11

2016 Temple Football

conversion from wide receiver.

The 2016 recruiting class sees the additions of **Kimere Brown** [Penns Grove (N.J.) High], **Linwood Crump** (South Amboy, N.J. / Piscataway / Sayerville), and **Kareem Gauden** (Jersey City, N.J. / Lincoln).

SAFETIES

Leading the safeties is defensive coordinator Phil Snow, a 40-year coaching veteran. The position group lost three players to graduation - Alex Wells, Will Hayes and Boye Aromire.

Junior **Sean Chandler** has started virtually every game of his college career. Last season, he led all Owl defensive backs with 65 tackles, 5.5 TFLs, 1.0 sacks, a team-high four interceptions and 10 pass break ups. Chandler returned two interceptions for touchdowns and finished the year as a second team All-American Athletic Conference choice. His playmaking ability has spurred the switch from corner to safety this season.

One returner with starting experience is redshirt senior **Nate L. Smith**. Smith saw action in each of the past two seasons, but was pressed into a starting role in 2015 and did not disappoint. In seven starts, he contributed 54 tackles (fourth on the team) and his first career interception.

Delvon Randall was the only true freshman to earn playing time on defense. He played in all 14 games on defense and special teams.

Redshirt sophomore **Jyquis Thomas** was among the Owls top special teams players last season and will be given an opportunity to play in the secondary in 2016.

Redshirt senior **Khiry Lucas** was hurt during the 2014 season and spent 2015 rehabilitating. He earned his degree but has a year of eligibility remaining.

The 2016 recruiting class sees the additions of **Keyvone Bruton** (Norfolk, Va. / Lake Taylor), **Sam Franklin** (Crystal River, Fla. / Citrus / East Coast Prep), **Isaiah Graham-Moble** (King of Prussia, Pa. / Upper Merion), **Amir Tyler** (Lakewood (N.J.) High), and **Benny Walls** (Cinnaminson, N.J. / St. Joe's Prep).

SPECIAL TEAMS

For the first time since the departure of Broncos Super Bowl 50 winner Brandon McManus, Temple has a kicker worthy of consideration for the Lou Groza Award. Junior **Austin Jones** set the school record last season in field goals made (23) and points by a kicker (113). In fact, he had the same number of field goals and FG percentage as Memphis' Jake Elliott, who was the unanimous all-conference selection.

Jones benefits from a steady combination of long snapper **Corey Lerch** and holder **Tom Bradway**. Lerch has held down that spot since joining the team as a walk-on in 2014. Bradway redshirted in 2014.

A third specialist who earned a spot as a walk-on in 2014 is punter **Alex Starzyk**. The strong-legged junior improved his punting average by four yards from 2014 with a 42.4-yard average in 2015.

Redshirt junior LS **Josh Lang** and redshirt freshman K **Jake Geiger** continue to push the incumbents.

Dan McDonald (Warrington, Pa. / Archbishop Wood) and **Aaron Bomerhi** (Philipsburg, Pa. / Philipsburg-Osceola) were added as walk-ons this spring.



Smith

Randall



Jones

Starzyk



Lerch

Bradway

Matt Rhule's Record when...

	Tot.	'16	'15	'14	'13
Overall.....	21-22	3-2	10-4	6-6	2-10
at Home	12-10	3-1	5-1	3-3	1-5
Road.....	9-11	0-1	5-2	3-3	1-5
Neutral Site	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0
Conference	12-12	0-0	7-1	4-4	1-7
vs. Ranked Teams.....	2-5	0-0	1-2	1-0	0-3
Overtime.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Homecoming.....	4-0	1-0	1-0	1-0	1-0
scoring first.....	17-7	3-1	7-2	5-2	2-2
scoring on first drive	7-1	1-0	3-0	2-1	1-0
opp scores on first drive	2-8	0-0	2-2	0-3	0-3
winning coin toss.....	6-9	0-1	4-0	2-4	0-4
when leading at halftime	17-5	3-1	7-0	5-0	2-4
when tied at halftime.....	2-1	0-0	1-0	1-1	0-0
when trailing at halftime	2-16	0-1	2-4	0-5	0-6
vs. teams over .500 (*)	4-14	0-0	3-4	1-4	0-6
vs. teams at .500 (*)	1-2	0-0	1-0	0-2	0-0
vs. teams under .500 (*).....	13-4	0-0	6-0	5-0	2-4
300+ total offensive yards	18-16	3-1	9-3	4-3	2-9
400+ total offensive yards	6-3	1-0	3-0	1-0	1-3
500+ total offensive yards	3-2	1-0	1-0	0-0	1-2
200+ offensive passing yards.....	11-15	1-1	4-3	4-2	2-9
300+ offensive passing yards.....	3-7	0-0	1-0	0-0	2-7
400+ offensive passing yards.....	2-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-2
100+ offensive rushing yards	16-12	3-0	8-2	3-2	2-8
150+ offensive rushing yards	13-6	3-0	6-0	2-2	2-4
200+ offensive rushing yards	9-2	2-0	5-0	1-0	1-2
offense scores 20+ points	20-12	3-1	10-2	5-1	2-8
offense scores 30+ points	15-2	3-0	6-0	4-0	2-2
offense scores 40+ points	6-1	2-0	2-0	1-0	1-1
takeaways/turnovers are plus.....	13-4	3-1	5-1	4-1	1-1
takeaways/turnovers are even	4-2	0-0	2-1	1-0	1-1
takeaways/turnovers are negative	4-16	0-1	3-2	1-5	0-8
<=300 total defensive yards.....	11-2	1-0	5-0	4-1	1-1
<=400 total defensive yards	15-6	1-1	7-1	5-3	2-1
<=500 total defensive yards.....	18-14	2-2	9-3	5-5	2-4
<=200 defensive passing yards	12-6	2-1	5-1	3-3	2-1
<=300 defensive passing yards	18-13	3-2	7-4	6-5	2-2
<=400 defensive passing yards	19-20	3-2	8-4	6-6	2-8
<=100 defensive rushing yards	12-4	2-0	7-1	2-2	1-1
<=150 defensive rushing yards	15-7	2-1	8-1	4-3	1-2
<=200 defensive rushing yards.....	18-13	2-1	9-2	5-4	1-6
defense allows <=10 points.....	10-0	1-0	4-0	5-0	0-0
defense allows <=20 points.....	15-2	3-0	7-0	4-2	1-0

* - at season's end

ACTIVE OWLS IN THE PROS

[as of October 3, 2016]

Name (Years Lettered)	Team	Pos.
NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE		
Robby Anderson (2011-13, 2015)	New York Jets	WR
Junior Galette (2006-08)	Washington Redskins	DL
Matt Ioannidis (2012-15)	Washington Redskins	DL
Tyler Matakovich (2012-15)	Pittsburgh Steelers	LB
Brandon McManus (2009-12)	Denver Broncos	K/P
Rod Streater (2010-11)	San Francisco 49ers	WR
Tahir Whitehead (2008-11)	Detroit Lions	LB
Muhammad Wilkerson (2008-10)	New York Jets	DL
Tavon Young (2012-15)	Baltimore Ravens	DB
CANADIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE		
Tim Brown (2004, 06)	British Columbia Lions	RB
Henry Burris (1993-96)	Ottawa RedBlacks	QB
Devin Tyler (2006-09)	Winnipeg Blue Bombers	OL
ARENA FOOTBALL LEAGUE		
Derek Dennis (2007-11)	Arizona Rattlers	OL
Colin Madison (2007-10)	San Jose SaberCats	OL
Darius Morris (2006-07, 2009-10)	Arizona Rattlers	OL
Jeremy Schonbrunner (2009-11)	Tampa Bay Storm	OL
Wayne Tribue (2008-11)	Philadelphia Soul	OL

OWLS COACHING IN THE NFL

Bruce Arians, HC (1983-89)	Arizona Cardinals	Head Coach
Keith Armstrong, RB (1983-86)	Atlanta Falcons	Special Teams
Todd Bowles, DB (1982-85)	New York Jets	Head Coach
Al Holcomb, GA (1996)	Carolina Panthers	Linebackers
Amos Jones, ST (1983-88)	Arizona Cardinals	Special Teams
Nick Rapone, LB (1983-88, 1999-2005)	Arizona Cardinals	Linebackers
Kevin Ross, DB (1980-83)	Arizona Cardinals	Secondary

This Week In The NFL

Tahir Whitehead led the Lions with 8 tackles in a Lions loss to the Bears 17-14 ... Brandon McManus went a perfect 2-2 on field goals with a long of 38 to help the Denver Broncos defeat the Tampa Bay Buccaneers 27-7. McManus is now 7-8 (.875) on field goal attempts this season ... WR Robby Anderson recorded two more receptions (12 yards) in a Jets loss to the Seattle Seahawks.



Matt RHULE

Head Coach

Penn State '97



10th Year at Temple (4th as Head Coach)

Youngest FBS Head Coaches (as of September 1, 2016)

Coach	Age (DOB)
Mike Norvell, Memphis	34 (10/11/81)
P.J. Fleck, Western Michigan	35 (11/29/80)
Tyson Summers, Georgia Southern	36 (4/11/80)
Neal Brown, Troy	36 (3/11/80)
Matt Campbell, Iowa State	36 (11/29/79)
Jason Candle, Toledo	36 (11/12/79)
Kliff Kingsbury, Texas Tech	37 (8/9/79)
Nick Rolovich, Hawaii	37 (2/16/79)
Seth Littrell, North Texas	38 (6/24/78)
Scottie Montgomery, East Carolina	38 (5/26/78)
D.J. Durkin, Maryland	38 (1/15/78)
Barry Odom, Missouri	39 (11/26/76)
Bryan Harsin, Boise State	39 (11/1/76)
Willie Taggart, South Florida	40 (8/27/76)
Justin Fuente, Virginia Tech	40 (7/30/76)
Kirby Smart, Georgia	40 (12/23/75)
Kalani Sitake, BYU	40 (10/10/75)
Tom Herman, Houston	41 (6/2/75)
Matt Rhule, Temple	41 (1/31/75)
Scott Frost, UCF	41 (1/4/75)

school history). Despite never surrendered and the fourth quarter in the second half 2014 offseason was to learn how

They did just that, allowing only points in all of 2014. That adjustment, overall improved play of the defense, helped the Owls to a 6-6 record.

On June 25, 2015, Rhule was rewarded with a four-year contract extension that will keep him on the Temple sidelines through the 2021 season. Temple's Director of Athletics Dr. Patrick Kraft announced, "Matt Rhule is one of the best young coaches in college football and we are excited that he will be at the helm of Temple Football through at least 2021. Matt has the program heading in the right direction, especially as we enter a very promising season on the gridiron, and we are confident that he is the right person to take the program to even greater heights."

And take the program to greater heights he did. In 2015, Rhule has led his team to a 10-win regular season and an American Athletic Conference East division trophy. For the first time in 73 years, the Owls beat Penn State, started the season a program-best 7-0, and were ranked in the Top 25 for the first time in 36 seasons. Ten of his players earned all-conference honors and senior linebacker Tyler Matakevich won the Bednarik and Nagurski Awards while also being named a finalist for the Lott IMPACT and Senior CLASS Awards.

That success prompted another commitment from Temple University following the season. Said then-University President Dr. Neil Theobald, "Matt's commitment to our student-athletes on and off the field, as well as the program's substantial improvement each season, has more than justified my confidence in him. He works tirelessly for the betterment of our players, our football program, and our university."

Added Kraft, "Matt is one of the top coaches in college football and has been responsible for making Temple a national program. He is an even better person off the field; a true leader who instills character and values in the men under his charge."

The State College, PA, native and a former player at Penn State has 18 years of collegiate coaching experience, including nine seasons at Temple, and seven bowl game appearances -- three with the Owls -- on his resume.

Rhule joined the Giants in the spring of 2012. He worked closely with Pat Flaherty, who has been the offensive line coach since 2004. They finished the 2012 campaign at 9-7, second in the NFC East, and averaged 355 yards of offense per game. Four New York players, including guard Chris Snee, were selected to the Pro Bowl.

During his previous tenure at Temple, Rhule's role changed several times. In spring 2012, he was promoted to co-offensive coordinator after serving as the assistant offensive coordinator and tight ends coach as well as the recruiting coordinator under Steve Addazio in 2011. Temple's 2012 recruiting class was ranked #1 in the Mid-American Conference and helped lay the foundation for the program's transition to the Big East Conference.

Under Al Golden, Rhule was promoted to offensive coordinator in the spring of 2008. He also coached the TU quarterbacks. He coached the defensive line in 2006 and served as the quarterbacks coach and recruiting coordinator during the 2006 and 2007 seasons. For three consecutive years, Temple's recruiting class was ranked #1 in the MAC [2006, 2007, 2008].

In 2011, the Owls went 9-4 and played in the fourth bowl game in school history, the

On December 17, 2012, Matt Rhule (pronounced RULE) returned to North Broad Street to take the helm as head coach of the Temple Owls. Following six seasons as one of Al Golden's top assistants, he joined the New York Giants as the assistant offensive line coach in 2012. He is now in his fourth year as the 26th Owls head coach and 10th on the Temple campus.

Prior to the start of his first season in charge, he offered that his squad would produce an exciting brand of football and they would improve as the season progressed. Rhule delivered on those promises as the 2013 Owls produced nearly 400 yards per game of offense (the second best total in an 0-6 start to the season, the troops team never trailed at the start of the of the season. The mission in the to finish out games.

23 4th quarter
and the

Gildan New Mexico Bowl, where they crushed Wyoming, 37-15 -- Temple's first postseason victory since the 1979 Garden State Bowl. Rhule mentored two-time first-team All-MAC selection TE Evan Rodriguez. For the second time in Rhule's tenure, the Owls set the Temple single-season rushing yardage record and rushing touchdowns records behind the explosive efforts of All-MAC junior running backs Bernard Pierce and Matt Brown.

In 2010, Rhule helped guide the team to an 8-4 regular-season record, and the Owls recorded back-to-back winning seasons for the first time since 1978-79, including their first win over a BCS team. The Owls recorded the largest margin of victory (42 points against Buffalo) in a MAC game. A school record six offensive players earned All-MAC honors, including repeat first-team honorees OL Colin Madison, OL Darius Morris, and RB Bernard Pierce as well as first-time honoree TE Evan Rodriguez.

In 2009, Rhule's offense helped TU win a single-season record nine consecutive games en route to a 9-4 overall record and first-place tie in the MAC East. Under Rhule's guidance, the Owls set the Temple single-season rushing yardage record. A school record five offensive players were named All-MAC, including three on the team. All-American Bernard Pierce rushed his way into the

Temple record book, re-writing all records for a rookie en route to 2009 MAC Freshman of the Year honors.

In 2008, Rhule took the reins as offensive coordinator, helping the Owls to their most wins in nearly two decades. The Owls outscored their opponents for the season for the first time since 1990. Rhule coached All-MAC honorees C Alex Derenthal and school record holder WR Bruce Francis, while QB Adam DiMichele set the school record for passing touchdowns with six in the 55-52 win over Eastern Michigan. Francis set the school records for career receiving touchdowns (23) and consecutive games with a reception (38).

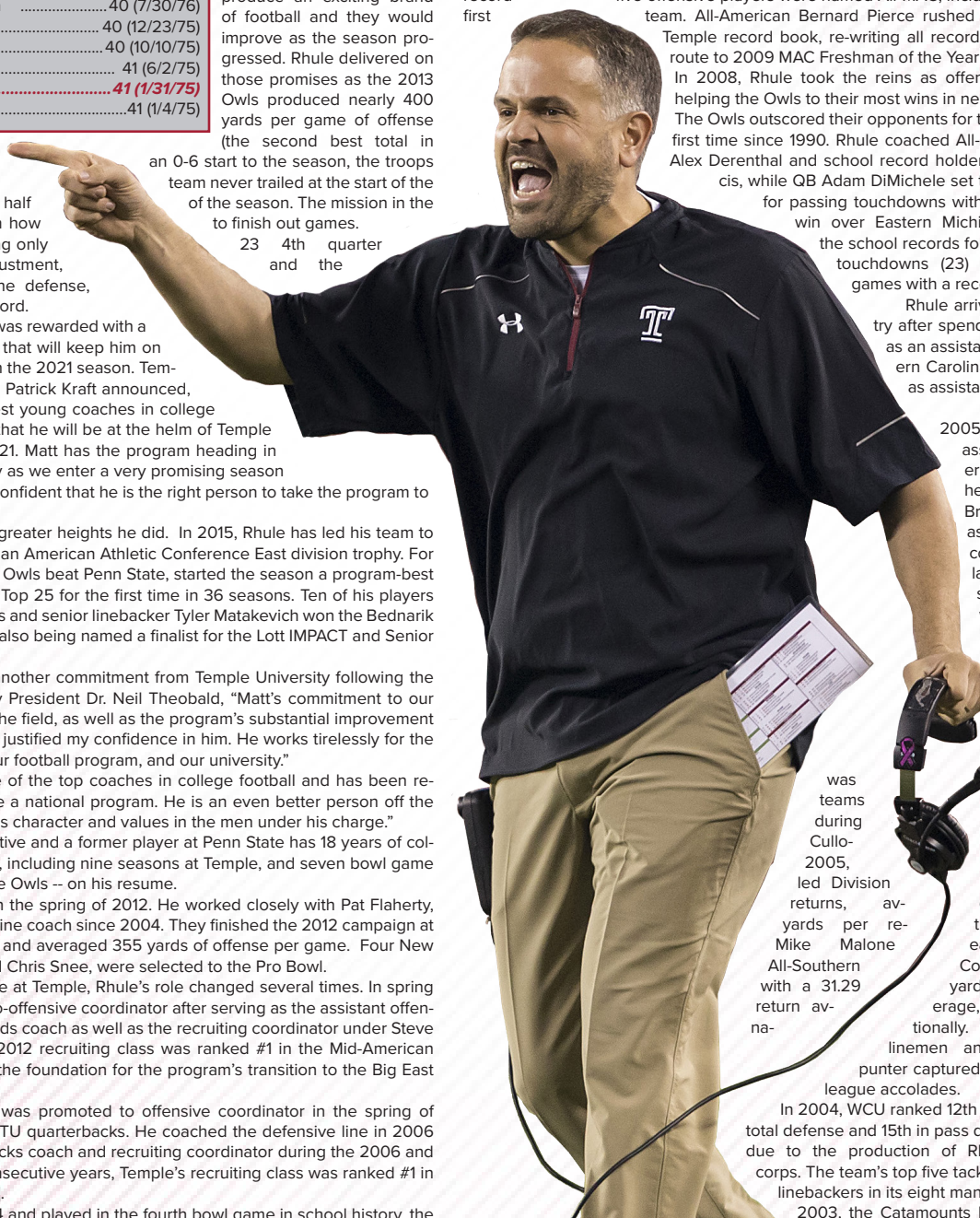
Rhule arrived in Owl Country after spending four seasons as an assistant coach at Western Carolina, including three as assistant head coach.

From 2002 to 2005, Rhule was an assistant at Western Carolina under head coach Kent Briggs, serving as assistant head coach during his last three seasons. In 2005, he was offensive line coach and run game coordinator after directing the linebackers his first three years. Rhule special coordinator his tenure in whee (NC). In the Catamounts I-AA in kickoff eraging 27.44 turn. Sophomore earned first team Conference honors yards per kickoff erage, ranking second tionally. Two offensive linemen and the team's punter captured second team all-league accolades.

In 2004, WCU ranked 12th nationally in total defense and 15th in pass defense, largely due to the production of Rhule's linebacker corps. The team's top five tacklers were linebackers in its eight man front scheme. In 2003, the Catamounts led the SoCon in

Tenure of AAC Head Coaches

Coach	Date Hired
Ken Niumatololo, Navy	12/8/07
Willie Taggart, USF	12/7/12
Tommy Tuberville, Cincinnati	12/8/12
Matt Rhule, Temple	12/17/12
Bob Diaco, UConn	12/12/13
Chad Morris, SMU	12/1/14
Philip Montgomery, Tulsa	12/11/14
Tom Herman, Houston	12/15/14
Scott Frost, UCF	12/1/15
Mike Norvell, Memphis	12/3/15
Willie Fritz, Tulane	12/11/15
Scottie Montgomery, East Carolina	12/13/15



2016 Temple Football

rush defense for the first time in school history.

Rhule arrived at Western Carolina after serving as assistant defensive line coach at UCLA in 2001. He assisted in coaching five Bruins that earned All PAC-10 honors as the team posted a 7-4 record under head coach Bob Toledo.

From 1999 to 2000, Rhule served as an assistant coach at Mid-American Conference member Buffalo, directing the Bulls defensive line in 2000 and working as assistant defensive line coach in 1999. In 2000, the team's sack total increased from 12 to 27 utilizing a 3-4 alignment. Buffalo also earned its first two Division I-A victories that season.

Rhule began his coaching career as a volunteer assistant at Penn State in the spring of 1998 before working at Albright College in Reading, Pa., for the 1998 season. At Albright, he coached the linebackers in a 4-3 scheme and

recruited western and central Pennsylvania.

Rhule played four seasons at linebacker with the Nittany Lions under Joe Paterno. A three-time Penn State Scholar-Athlete, he earned Academic All-Big Ten honors in 1997. He received his undergraduate degree in political science before earning his master's degree in educational psychology from Buffalo in 2003.

Born January 31, 1975, he spent his childhood in New York City before moving to State College, Pa. as a teenager.

He is married to the former Julie Nibert. The couple has a son, Bryant (11), and daughters, Vivienne (3) and Leona (1).

Temple's All-Time Winningest Coaches (by Pct.)

Coach (Years)	Seasons	Games	W	L	T	Pct.
Horace Butterworth (1907)	1	6	4	0	2	.833
Henry J. Miller (1925-32)	8	73	50	15	8	.740
William Nicholai (1914-16)	3	17	9	5	3	.618
Glenn S. "Pop" Warner (1933-38)	6	58	31	18	9	.612
Wayne Hardin (1970-82)	13	135	80	52	3	.604
Dr. Frank W. White (1908)	1	6	3	2	1	.583
H. Shindle Wingert (1901-05)	5	24	13	9	2	.583
Steve Addazio (2011-12)	2	24	13	11	—	.542
George Makris (1960-69)	10	93	45	44	4	.505
William J. Schatz (1909-13)	5	29	13	13	3	.500
Matt Rhule (2013-16)	4	43	21	22	—	.476
Charles M. Williams (1894-98)	5	29	13	15	1	.466
Albert P. Kawal (1949-54)	6	55	24	28	3	.464
Ray Morrison (1940-48)	9	78	31	38	9	.455

Temple Coaching Records

Most Seasons Coached

Wayne Hardin (1970-82)	13
George Makris (1960-69)	10
Ray Morrison (1940-48)	9
Bobby Wallace (1998-2005)	8
Henry J. Miller (1925-32)	8
Bruce Arians (1983-88)	6
Albert P. Kawal (1949-54)	6
Glenn S. "Pop" Warner (1933-38)	6
Al Golden (2006-10)	5
Ron Dickerson (1993-97)	5
Charles M. Williams (1894-98)	5
William J. Schatz (1909-13)	5
H. Shindle Wingert (1901-05)	5

Most Games Coached

Wayne Hardin (1970-82)	135
George Makris (1960-69)	93
Bobby Wallace (1998-2005)	90
Ray Morrison (1940-48)	78
Henry J. Miller (1925-32)	73
Bruce Arians (1983-88)	66
Al Golden (2006-10)	61
Glenn S. "Pop" Warner (1933-38)	58
Ron Dickerson (1993-97)	55
Albert P. Kawal (1949-54)	55
Jerry Berndt (1989-92)	44
Matt Rhule (2013-16)	43

Most Wins

Wayne Hardin (1970-82)	80
Henry J. Miller (1925-32)	50
George Makris (1960-69)	45
Ray Morrison (1940-48)	31
Glenn S. "Pop" Warner (1933-38)	31
Bruce Arians (1983-88)	28
Al Golden (2006-10)	27
Albert P. Kawal (1949-54)	24
Matt Rhule (2013-16)	21

Average Wins Per Season (updated annually)

Steve Addazio (2011-12)	6.50
Henry J. Miller (1925-32)	6.25
Wayne Hardin (1970-82)	6.15
Matt Rhule (2013-15)	6.00
Al Golden (2006-10)	5.40
Glenn S. "Pop" Warner (1933-38)	5.175

Rhule's Record Vs.

	Total
Ranked Teams	2-4
American Opponents	13-13
UCF	1-2
Cincinnati	1-2
UConn	2-1
East Carolina	2-0
Houston	0-3
Louisville	0-1
Memphis	2-1
Navy	0-0
Rutgers	0-1
SMU	2-1
South Florida	0-1
Tulane	2-0
Tulsa	1-0
Big 10	1-2
Penn State	1-2
SEC	1-0
Vanderbilt	1-0
Conference USA	2-0
Charlotte	2-0
MAC	1-1
UMass	1-0
Toledo	0-1
Independents	1-5
Army	1-1
Idaho	0-1
Navy	0-1
Notre Dame	0-2
FCS	1-1
Delaware State	1-0
Fordham	0-1
Stony Brook	1-0

THE MATT RHULE FILE

PERSONAL

Year Coaching	19th
Year Coaching College	18th
Year Coaching at Temple	10th
Year at current position	4th
College	Penn State University '97
B.A. in Political Science	University at Buffalo '03
M.A. in Educational Psychology	
Hometown	State College, Pa.
High School	State College Area
Born	January 31, 1975
Family	Wife – Julie
Children	Bryant (11), Vivienne (3), Leona (1)

PLAYING

Penn State University (1994-97) – Linebacker

COACHING EXPERIENCE

Temple University (2006-11, 2013-present)

2013-present	Head Coach
2011	Assistant Offensive Coordinator / Tight Ends / Recruiting Coordinator
2008-10	Offensive Coordinator / Quarterbacks
2007	Quarterbacks / Recruiting Coordinator
2006	Defensive Line

New York Giants (2012 season)

2012 – Assistant Offensive Line

Western Carolina University (2002-05)

2005 – Assistant Head Coach / Offensive Line / Special Teams / Run Game Coordinator

2003-04 – Assistant Head Coach / Linebackers / Special Teams

2002 – Linebackers / Special Teams

UCLA (2001)

2001 – Assistant Defensive Line

University at Buffalo (1999-00)

2000 – Defensive Line
1999 – Assistant Defensive Line

Albright College (1998)

1998 – Linebackers

NFL PLAYERS COACHED (Round Drafted)

DT Omari Jordan (FA) – Buffalo '01 – Panthers
DT Terrance Knighton (3) – Temple '08 – Jaguars
QB Adam DiMichele (FA) – Temple '09 – Eagles
OT Devin Tyler (FA) – Temple '09 – Ravens
DE Junior Galette (FA) – Temple – Saints
DT Andre Neblett (FA) – Temple '10 – Panthers
DE Brian Sanford (FA) – Temple '10 – Browns
TE Steve Maneri (FA) – Temple '10 – Patriots
RB Bernard Pierce (3rd) – Temple '12 – Ravens
TE Evan Rodriguez (4th) – Temple '12 – Bears
TE Matt Balasavage (FA) – Temple '12 – Ravens
OL Pat Boyle (FA) – Temple '12 – Lions
OL Derek Dennis (FA) – Temple '12 – Dolphins
QB Chester Stewart (FA) – Temple '12 – Ravens
WR Rod Streater (FA) – Temple '12 – Raiders
OL Wayne Tribue (FA) – Temple '12 – Broncos
DB Maurice Jones (FA) – Temple '13 – Bears
OL Martin Wallace (FA) – Temple '13 – Browns
RB Kenneth Harper (FA) – Temple '15 – Giants
DB Tavon Young (4) – Temple '16 – Ravens
DL Matt Ioannidis (5) – Temple '16 – Redskins
LB Tyler Matakevich (7) – Temple '16 – Steelers
OL Shahbaz Ahmed (FA) – Temple '16 – Falcons
WR Robby Anderson (FA) – Temple '16 – Jets
OL Kyle Friend (FA) – Temple '16 – Jets
WR Brandon Shippen (FA) – Temple '16 – Dolphins

OWLS UNDER RHULE

2013-15

Matt Rhule

18-20 Overall



2013 (2-10, 1-7 American Athletic)

A 31	at (14) Notre Dame	L	6-28
S 7 *	Houston	L	13-22
S 14	Fordham	L	29-30
S 28	at Idaho	L	24-26
O 5 *	(7) Louisville	L	7-30
O 11 *	at Cincinnati	L	20-38
O 19	Army [HC]	W	33-14
O 26 *	at SMU	L	49-59
N 2 *	at Rutgers	L	20-23
N 16 *	(15) UCF	L	36-39
N 23 *	UConn	L	21-28
N 30 *	at Memphis	W	41-21

2014 (6-6, 4-4 American Athletic)

A 28	at Vanderbilt	W	37-7
S 6	Navy	L	24-31
S 20	Delaware State	W	59-0
S 27 *	at UConn	W	36-10
O 10 *	Tulsa [HC]	W	35-24
O 17 *	at Houston	L	10-31
O 25 *	at UCF	L	14-34
N 1 *	(21) East Carolina	W	20-10
N 7 *	Memphis	L	13-16
N 15	at Penn State	L	13-30
N 29 *	Cincinnati	L	6-14
D 6 *	at Tulane	W	10-3

2015 (10-4, 7-1 American Athletic)

S 5	Penn State	W	27-10
S 12 *	at Cincinnati	W	34-26
S 19	at UMass (GS)	W	25-23
O 2	at Charlotte	W	37-3
O 10 *	Tulane [HC]	W	49-10
O 17 *	UCF	W	30-16
O 22 *	at East Carolina	W	24-14
O 31	(9) Notre Dame	L	20-24
N 6 *	at SMU	W	60-40
N 14 *	at South Florida	L	23-44
N 21 *	(21) Memphis	W	31-12
N 28 *	UConn	W	27-3

American Athletic Conference Championship

D 5 *	(19) at Houston	L	13-24
-------	-----------------	---	-------

2015 Marmot Boca Raton Bowl

D 22	Toledo	L	17-32
------	--------	---	-------

(GS) - Gillette Stadium, Foxboro, MA

* - Conference games

CFP/AP rankings in ()

HC - Homecoming

YEAR-BY-YEAR STANDINGS

2015	Conf.	Pct.	Overall	Pct.
------	-------	------	---------	------

EAST

1. TEMPLE	7-1	.875	10-2	.833
2. USF	6-2	.750	8-4	.667
3. Cincinnati	4-4	.500	7-5	.583
4. UConn	4-4	.500	6-6	.500
5. East Carolina	3-5	.375	5-7	.417
6. UCF	0-8	.000	0-12	.000

WEST

1. Houston	7-1	.875	11-1	.917
2. Navy	7-1	.875	9-2	.818
3. Memphis	5-3	.625	9-3	.750
4. Tulane	3-5	.375	6-6	.500
5. Tulsa	1-7	.125	2-10	.167
6. SMU	1-7	.125	3-9	.250

2014	Conf.	Pct.	Overall	Pct.
------	-------	------	---------	------

1. Memphis	7-1	.875	10-3	.769
UCF	7-1	.875	9-4	.692
Cincinnati	7-1	.875	9-4	.692
4. East Carolina	5-3	.625	8-5	.615
5. Houston	5-3	.625	8-5	.615
6. TEMPLE	4-4	.500	6-6	.500
7. USF	3-5	.375	4-8	.333
8. Tulane	2-6	.250	3-9	.250
9. Tulsa	2-6	.250	2-10	.167
10. UConn	1-7	.125	2-10	.167
11. SMU	1-7	.125	1-11	.083

2013	Conf.	Pct.	Overall	Pct.
------	-------	------	---------	------

1. UCF	8-0	1.000	12-1	.923
2. Cincinnati	6-2	.750	9-4	.692
3. Houston	5-3	.625	8-5	.615
4. SMU	4-4	.500	5-7	.417
5. UConn	3-5	.375	3-9	.250
6. USF	2-6	.250	2-10	.167
7. Memphis	1-7	.125	3-9	.250
8. TEMPLE	1-7	.125	2-10	.167

Since 2014, Temple Football has...

- Beaten an SEC team (Vanderbilt) for the first time in 76 years (Florida in 1938)
- Posted the largest margin of victory in 40 seasons – a 59-0 shutout over Delaware State
- Beaten a ranked team at home for the first time ever (#21 East Carolina in 2014 and #21 Memphis in 2015) and just the third and fourth times ever beating a ranked team. Last time was 16 years ago.
- Beat Penn State for the first time in 74 years and 40 tries.
- Beat Cincinnati for the first time in 30 years and six tries.
- Won three consecutive games on the road for the first time in 45 years.
- Became bowl eligible in consecutive years for only the third time in program history.
- Started a season 7-0 for the first time ever.
- Became ranked in the Top 25 for the first time since 1979 (36 years).
- Won a game as a ranked team (at East Carolina, at SMU, vs. UConn) for the first time in 74 years
- Had ESPN's College Gameday broadcast a Temple football game for the first time ever...from Philadelphia, no less.
- Played in Temple first-ever ranked vs. ranked football games – against Notre Dame and at Houston.
- Ranked in the Top 25 for four consecutive weeks and for seven weeks total - both for the first time ever.
- Posted 10 wins for only the second time.

TEAM LEADERS

Rushing

Year	Name	Yards	Att.	Avg.	TD
2015	Jahad Thomas	1,262	276	4.6	17
2014	Jahad Thomas	384	80	4.8	0
2013	Kenneth Harper	613	136	4.5	9

Passing

Year	Name	Yards	Att.	Cmp.	Int.	TD
2015	Phillip Walker	2,972	432	245	8	19
2014	Phillip Walker	2,317	381	203	15	13
2013	Phillip Walker	2,084	250	152	8	20

Receiving (Recept.)

Year	Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
2015	Robby Anderson	70	939	13.4	7
2014	Jalen Fitzpatrick	53	730	14.6	6
2013	Robby Anderson	44	791	18.0	9

Punting

Year	Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.
2015	Alex Starzyk	63	2,674	42.4
2014	Alex Starzyk	53	2,689	38.4
2013	Paul Layton	61	2,609	42.8

Punt Returns

Year	Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
2015	Sean Chandler	17	206	12.1	0
2014	Khalif Herbin	7	108	15.4	1
2013	Ryan Alderman	10	58	5.8	0

Kickoff Returns

Year	Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
2015	Jager Gardner	16	359	22.4	0
2014	Jahad Thomas	14	332	23.7	0
2013	Jahad Thomas	24	476	19.8	0

All-Purpose Yardage

Year	Name	Yards	Rush	Rec.	Ret.
2015	Jahad Thomas	1,677	1,262	216	199
2014	Jahad Thomas	1,080	384	364	332
2013	R.Anderson (WR)	1,037	-4	791	250

Offense

Year	Name	Yds.	Plays	TD**
2015	Phillip Walker	3,179	513	21
2014	Phillip Walker	2,641	487	16
2013	Phillip Walker	2,416	340	23

Scoring

Year	Name	Pts	TD	PAT	FG
2015	Jahad Thomas (RB)	114	19	0	0
2014	Austin Jones	69	0	30	13
2013	Kenneth Harper (RB)	66	11	0	0

Tackles

Year	Name, Pos.	Tackles	Solo	Asst.
2015	Tyler Matakevich, LB	138	77	61
2014	Tyler Matakevich, LB	117	88	29
2013	Tyler Matakevich, LB	137	99	38

Sacks

Year	Name	No.
2015	Nate D. Smith	7.0
2014	Praise Martin-Oguike	7.5
2013	Matt Ioannidis	3.0
	Nate D. Smith	3.0

2016 Temple Football

AMERICAN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE STANDINGS

	Conf.	Pct.	PF	PA	Overall	Pct.	PF	PA
East Division								
1. USF.....	1-0	1.000	45	20	4-1	.800	229	132
2. Temple.....	1-0	1.000	45	20	3-2	.600	171	102
3. UCF.....	1-0	1.000	47	29	3-2	.600	176	124
4. ECU.....	0-1	.000	29	47	2-3	.400	146	158
5. Cincinnati.....	0-2	.000	36	85	3-2	.600	129	132
6. UConn.....	0-2	.000	38	70	2-3	.400	99	132
West Division								
1. Houston.....	2-0	1.000	82	30	5-0	1.000	221	56
2. Navy.....	2-0	1.000	49	38	3-1	.750	115	92
3. Memphis.....	0-0	.000	0	0	3-1	.750	183	75
4. Tulsa.....	0-0	.000	0	0	3-1	.750	154	120
5. Tulane.....	0-1	.000	14	21	3-2	.600	155	112
6. SMU.....	0-1	.000	20	45	2-3	.400	99	153

2016 Honors

Ryquell Armstead

AAC Weekly Honor Roll
10/1 vs. SMU

OwlSports.com Player of the Week
10/4 - SMU

Sean Chandler

Chuck Bednarik Award Watch List
Top defensive player

Jim Thorpe Award Watch List
Top defensive back

Branden McGowan

NFF Campbell Trophy Semifinalist

Rimington Award Watch List
Top center

Wuerffel Award Watch List
Academic, athletic & community service

Haason Reddick

AAC Defensive Player of the Week
10/1 vs. SMU

Senior Bowl Watch List

Nate L. Smith

College Football Madness
AAC Defensive Player of the Week
10/1 vs. SMU

Colin Thompson

John Mackey Award Watch List
Top tight end

Jahad Thomas

AAC Weekly Honor Roll
9/24 vs. Charlotte

OwlSports.com Player of the Week
9/26 - Charlotte

Maxwell Award Watch List
Top offensive player

Paul Hornung Award Watch List
Most versatile player

Senior Bowl Watch List

Phillip Walker

Davey O'Brien Award Watch List
Top quarterback

Maxwell Award Watch List
Top offensive player

Johnny Unitas Golden
Arm Award Watch List
Top quarterback

CFPA National Performer
of the Year Watch List
Top offensive player

Offensive Production POTW

Stony Brook - Keith Kirkwood
Charlotte - Brodrick Yancy
SMU - Ryquell Armstead

Offensive Effort POTW

Stony Brook - Dion Dawkins
Charlotte - Leon Johnson
SMU - Nick Sharga

Defensive Production POTW

Stony Brook - Sharif Finch
Charlotte - Stephaun Marshall
SMU - Haason Reddick

Defensive Effort POTW

Stony Brook - William Kwenkeu
Charlotte - Avery Williams
SMU - Michael Dogbe

Sp. Teams Production POTW

Stony Brook - Alex Starzyk
Charlotte - Austin Jones
SMU - Jeremiah Atoki

Sp. Teams Effort POTW

Stony Brook - William Kwenkeu
Charlotte - William Kwenkeu
SMU - David Hood

Offensive Scout POTW

Stony Brook - Willie Smith
Charlotte - Jonny Forrest
SMU - Brandon Mack

Defensive Scout POTW

Stony Brook - Kevin DeCaesar
Charlotte - Deandre Kelly
SMU - Chris Smith

Top 25 Poll

ASSOCIATED PRESS..... USA TODAY

Alabama (53).....	1.....	Alabama (57)
Ohio State (6).....	2.....	Ohio State (3)
Clemson (1).....	3.....	Clemson (2)
Michigan (1).....	4.....	Michigan
Washington.....	5.....	Houston
Houston.....	6.....	Washington
Louisville.....	7.....	Texas A&M
Texas A&M.....	8.....	Louisville
Tennessee.....	9.....	Tennessee
Miami.....	10.....	Miami
Wisconsin.....	11.....	Baylor
Nebraska.....	12.....	Nebraska
Baylor.....	13.....	Wisconsin
Ole Mis.....	14.....	Ole Miss
Stanford.....	15.....	Stanford
Arkansas.....	16.....	North Carolina
North Carolina.....	17.....	Arkansas
Florida.....	18.....	Florida
Boise State.....	19.....	Boise State
Oklahoma.....	20.....	West Virginia
Colorado.....	21.....	Florida State
West Virginia.....	22.....	Oklahoma
Florida St.....	23.....	Colorado
Utah.....	24.....	Utah
Virginia Tech.....	25.....	Western Michigan

2016 LISTS

2015 Starters Lost - Offense: (5)

OL Shahbaz Ahmed (13), WR Robby Anderson (11),
OL Kyle Friend (10), OL Eric Lofton (13), TE Saledeem
Major (8),

2015 Starters Lost - Defense: (7)

DB Will Hayes (8), DL Matt Ioannidis (13), LB Tyler
Matakevich (14), DL Nate D. Smith (7), DL Hershey
Walton (7), DB Alex Wells (13), DB Tavon Young (12).

2015 Lettermen Lost: (21)

OL Shahbaz Ahmed, WR Robby Anderson, DB Boye
Aromire, WR Samuel Benjamin, WR John Christopher,
DL Brandon Chudnoff, LB Michael Felton, OL Kyle
Friend, DB Will Hayes, WR Rob Heyen, DL Matt Io-
annidis, OL Eric Lofton, TE Saledeem Major, LB Tyler
Matakevich, K/P Tyler Mayes, TE Thomas Rumer, WR
Brandon Shippen, LB Nate D. Smith, DL Hershey Wal-
ton, DB Alex Wells, DB Tavon Young.

TEMPLE AT A GLANCE...

Temple is in the 4th largest media market in the coun-
try, with over 2.9 million TV homes according to Nielsen
ratings. The designated market area (DMA) is 7.6 million.

Temple is located in a region of 6.53 million people, and
is only 95 miles from NYC and 120 miles from Washing-
ton DC. In fact, more than 40% of the US population is
within a days drive from Philadelphia.

Temple is the 26th largest public University in the coun-
try with over 38,000 students founded in 1884 and
has 404 academic programs including 5 professional
schools of law, medicine, dentistry, pharmacy and po-
diatry.

Temple is a Research I institution, a Carnegie Classifica-
tion in 2015 as the highest level and ranked by US News
and World Report at 115 (6th) with an overall graduation
rate of 70%, and has a full time retention rate for under-
graduate students at 89%.

Temple is one of 11 institutions in the country with multi-
year APR scores of 970 or greater for all teams includ-
ing a 2015 multi-years APR score of 971.

Temple has over 300,000 alumni around the world in-
cluding over 170,000 alumni that live in the Philadelphia
DMA.

Temple's athletic department has 19 sports and 500 stu-
dent athletes.

Temple has been bowl eligible 5 out of the last 7 years
and finished 10-4 last year, winning the AAC East Divi-
sion and being ranked in the Top 25 for several weeks.

Temple posted the largest attendance gain during the
2015 season, playing in front of an average home crowd
of 44,159, an increase of 20,789 per game. This excite-
ment led ESPN to bring their popular pregame show,
College Game Day, to Philadelphia.

The Temple game played against Notre Dame had a
3.9 national rating and an 18.1 local rating. It was ABC's
highest ranking game ever in the Philadelphia area
which is impactful given Philadelphia is the 4th largest
media market in the country.

Out of the 10 football games televised on ABC/ESPN

locally, Temple had over 14.8 million viewers in the Phil-
adelphia market. (There is not data available for the
remaining two games televised on CBSN).

Temple's athletic facilities are among the finest in the
country. The football team plays its games in the NFL
stadium operated by the Philadelphia Eagles and there
are ongoing discussions to build an on campus football
stadium as well. The basketball area is a state-of-the-
art facility with a capacity crowd of 10,000. Over the last
four years Temple has spent over \$50 million for athlet-
ics multi-purpose facilities with all the athletic facilities
being state-of-the-art.

The University itself has over \$400 million planned for
capital projects over the next five years including a \$170
million state-of-the-art library.

The men's basketball team is led by the AAC Coach of
the Year, Fran Dunphy, and is the reigning AAC regular
season basketball champions. The basketball program
is the 5th winningest program in the history of college
basketball.

2016 Opponent's Schedules

ARMY (3-1)	
S-02 @Temple [CBSSN].....	W, 28-13
S-10 Rice [CBSSN].....	W, 31-14
S-17 @UTEP [ASN].....	W, 66-14
S-24 @Buffalo.....	L, 20-23
BYE.....	
O-08 @Duke.....	3:30pm
O-15 Lafayette [CBSSN].....	12:00pm
O-22 North Texas [CBSSN].....	12:00pm
O-29 @Wake Forest.....	TBD
N-05 Air Force [CBSSN].....	12:00pm
N-12 Notre Dame [NBC].....	3:30pm
N-19 Morgan State [CBSSN].....	12:00pm
BYE.....	
D-10 Navy (Baltimore) [CBS].....	3:00pm

STONY BROOK (2-2)	
S-03 North Dakota.....	W, 13-9
S-10 @Temple.....	L, 0-38
S-17 Richmond.....	W, 42-14
S-24 Sacred Heart.....	L, 10-38
BYE.....	
O-08 @Towson.....	7:00pm
O-15 Rhode Island.....	4:00pm
O-22 @Delaware.....	3:30pm
O-29 @New Hampshire.....	TBD
N-05 William & Mary.....	TBD
N-12 Maine.....	TBD
N-19 @Albany.....	TBD

PENN STATE (3-2)	
S-03 Kent State [BTN].....	W, 33-13
S-10 @Pittsburgh [ABC/ESPN].....	L, 39-42
S-17 Temple [BTN].....	W, 34-27
S-24 @Michigan.....	L, 10-49
O-01 Minnesota.....	W (ot), 29-26
O-08 Maryland.....	12:00pm
BYE.....	
O-22 Ohio State [ABC/ESPN/ESPN2].....	8:00pm
O-29 @Purdue.....	TBD
N-05 Iowa [BTN].....	7:30pm
N-12 @Indiana.....	TBD
N-19 @Rutgers [BTN].....	8:00pm
N-26 Michigan State.....	TBD

CHARLOTTE (1-4)	
S-01 @Louisville.....	L, 14-70
S-10 Elon.....	W, 47-14
S-17 Eastern Michigan.....	L, 19-37
S-24 @Temple.....	L, 20-48
O-01 Old Dominion.....	L, 17-52
O-08 @Florida Atlantic.....	3:30pm
O-15 FIU.....	6:00pm
O-22 @Marshall.....	5:30pm
BYE.....	
N-05 @Southern Miss [ASN].....	3:30pm
N-12 Rice.....	2:00pm
N-19 Middle Tennessee.....	2:00pm
N-26 @UTSA.....	TBD

SMU (2-3)	
S-03 @North Texas [ASN].....	W, 34-21
S-10 @Baylor [FS1].....	L, 13-40
S-17 Liberty.....	W, 29-14
S-24 TCU [ESPN].....	L, 3-33
O-01 @Temple.....	L, 20-45
O-07 @Tulsa [ESPN2/ESPN].....	8:00pm
BYE.....	
O-22 Houston.....	TBD
O-29 @Tulane.....	TBD
N-05 Memphis.....	TBD
N-12 @East Carolina.....	TBD
N-19 USF.....	TBD
N-26 Navy.....	TBD

MEMPHIS (3-1)	
S-03 Southeast Missouri State.....	W, 35-17
BYE.....	
S-17 Kansas [ESPN].....	W, 43-7
S-24 Bowling Green.....	W, 77-3
O-01 @Mississippi.....	L, 28-48
O-06 Temple [ESPN].....	8:00pm
O-14 @Tulane [ESPN].....	8:00pm
O-22 @Navy [CBSSN].....	3:30pm
O-29 Tulsa.....	TBD
N-05 @SMU.....	TBD
N-12 USF.....	TBD
N-18 @Cincinnati [CBSSN].....	8:00pm
N-25 Houston.....	TBD

UCF (3-2)	
S-03 South Carolina State.....	W, 38-0
S-10 @Michigan [ABC].....	L, 14-51
S-17 Maryland [CBSSN].....	L, 24-30
S-24 @Florida International.....	W, 53-14
O-01 @East Carolina.....	W, 47-29
O-07 Tulane [ESPN2/ESPN].....	8:00pm
O-15 Temple [ESPN].....	7:30pm
O-22 @UConn.....	TBD
O-29 @Houston.....	TBD
BYE.....	
N-12 Cincinnati.....	TBD
N-19 Tulsa.....	TBD
N-26 @USF.....	TBD

USF (4-1)	
S-03 Towson.....	W, 56-20
S-10 Northern Illinois [CBSSN].....	W, 48-17
S-17 @Syracuse.....	W, 45-20
S-24 Florida State.....	L, 35-55
O-01 @Cincinnati [ESPN].....	W, 45-20
O-08 East Carolina [ESPN].....	12:00pm
O-15 UConn [CBSSN].....	7:00pm
O-21 @Temple [ESPN].....	7:00pm
O-28 Navy [ESPN2].....	7:00pm
BYE.....	
N-12 @Memphis.....	TBD
N-19 @SMU.....	TBD
N-26 UCF.....	TBD

CINCINNATI (3-2)	
S-01 UT Martin.....	W, 28-7
S-10 @Purdue [BTN].....	W, 38-20
S-15 Houston [ESPN].....	L, 16-40
S-24 Miami (Ohio).....	W, 27-20
O-01 USF [ESPN].....	L, 20-45
O-08 @UConn [CBSSN].....	11:30am
BYE.....	
O-22 East Carolina.....	TBD
O-29 @Temple.....	TBD
N-05 Brigham Young.....	TBD
N-12 @UCF.....	TBD
N-18 Memphis [CBSSN].....	8:00pm
N-25 @Tulsa [ESPN].....	TBD

UCONN (2-3)	
S-01 Maine.....	W, 24-21
S-10 @Navy [CBSSN].....	L, 24-28
S-17 Virginia [SNY].....	W, 13-10
S-24 Syracuse.....	L, 24-31
S-29 @Houston [ESPN].....	L, 14-42
O-08 Cincinnati [CBSSN].....	11:30am
O-15 @USF [CBSSN].....	7:00pm
O-22 UCF.....	TBD
O-29 @East Carolina.....	TBD
N-04 Temple [ESPN2].....	7:00pm
BYE.....	
N-19 @Boston College.....	TBD
N-26 Tulane.....	TBD

TULANE (3-2)	
S-01 @Wake Forest.....	L, 3-7
S-10 Southern.....	W, 66-21
S-17 Navy.....	L, 14-21
S-24 Louisiana.....	W, 41-39
O-01 @Massachusetts (Foxborough).....	W, 31-24
O-07 @UCF [ESPN2/ESPN].....	8:00pm
O-14 Memphis [ESPN].....	8:00pm
O-22 @Tulsa.....	TBD
O-29 SMU.....	TBD
BYE.....	
N-12 @Houston.....	TBD
N-19 Temple.....	TBD
N-26 @UConn.....	TBD

EAST CAROLINA (2-3)	
S-03 Western Carolina.....	W, 52-7
S-10 North Carolina State [ESPN].....	W, 33-30
S-17 @South Carolina [SECN].....	L, 15-20
S-24 @Virginia Tech.....	L, 17-54
O-01 UCF.....	L, 29-47
O-08 @USF [ESPN].....	12:00pm
O-13 Navy [ESPN].....	7:30pm
O-22 @Cincinnati.....	TBD
O-29 UConn.....	TBD
N-05 @Tulsa.....	TBD
N-12 SMU.....	TBD
BYE.....	
N-26 @Temple.....	TBD

American Athletic Conference Communications

15 Park Row West
Providence, RI 02903
Phone: (401) 453-0660
www.TheAmerican.org

Chuck Sullivan (FB Contact)

Asst. Commissioner for Communications
Office: (401) 641-8760
Email: csullivan@theamerican.org

Call-in numbers are available through the American Athletic Conference and Temple communications offices.

First Teleconference: Mon., August 29
Last Teleconference: Mon., November 12

2016 American Athletic Conference Coaches Teleconference Schedule

11:00	Ken Niumatalolo, Navy
11:10	Chad Morris, SMU
11:20	Bob Diaco, UConn
11:30	Scottie Montgomery, East Carolina
11:40	Philip Montgomery, Tulsa
11:50	Tom Herman, Houston
Noon	Tommy Tuberville, Cincinnati
12:10	Willie Taggart, USF
12:20	Matt Rhule, Temple
12:30	Mike Norvell, Memphis
12:40	Scott Frost, UCF
12:50	Willie Fritz, Tulane

Press Box Numbers

UCF.....	(407) 882-0386
Cincinnati.....	(513) 556-1010
UConn.....	(860) 610-4778
East Carolina.....	(252) 328-4697
Houston.....	(713) 743-0550
Memphis.....	(901) 272-0136
Navy.....	(410) 293-8775
SMU.....	(214) 768-7730
South Florida.....	(813) 350-6225
Temple.....	(267) 570-4453
Tulane.....	(504) 314-7490
Tulsa.....	(918) 631-5513

Archived audio from each teleconference will be available on The American website, generally by 2:00pm Eastern each Monday.

Weekly releases & statistics

Media members may access PDF versions of the complete weekly release, including conference and team-by-team statistics, on TheAmerican.org. Regular updates of the weekly release will be distributed via e-mail from the conference office. To be included on the distribution list, send an e-mail request to Chuck Sullivan.

Video Content

The American audio and video content — including game highlights and coaches' press conferences — is available to interested broadcast outlets through the XOS Digital XChange platform. Send an email request to Chuck Sullivan to receive access to the content.

Conference Championship Game

On Saturday, December 3, 2016, the American Athletic Conference will hold its second Conference Championship Game. Kickoff will be at 12:00 noon and will be televised nationally by ABC or ESPN. The game will pit the divisional champions from the East and West divisions.

The divisional champions will be the teams from each division with the highest winning percentage in all conference games — both divisional and non-divisional. In the event of a two-team tie within a division, the head-to-head result between the tied teams will determine the divisional champion. The site of the American Athletic Conference Football Championship will be the home venue of the divisional champion with the best record in conference games.

DEPTH CHART

OFFENSE

LT	66 Dion Dawkins.....	6-5, 320, Sr
	79 Cole Boozer.....	6-5, 275 r-Jr
LG	70 Jovahn Fair.....	6-2, 300, r-Fr
	58 Matt Hennessy.....	6-4, 285, Fr
C	68 Brendan McGowan.....	6-3, 298, r-Sr
	58 Matt Hennessy.....	6-4, 285, Fr
RG	69 Adrian Sullivan.....	6-3, 303, r-Jr
	55 Brian Carter.....	6-1, 304, r-Jr
RT	53 Leon Johnson.....	6-5, 320, r-Jr
	77 Jaelin Robinson.....	6-6, 325, r-So
TE	86 Colin Thompson.....	6-4, 255, r-Sr
	11 Romond Deloatch.....	6-4, 220, r-Sr
WR	10 Marshall Ellick.....	6-2, 191, r-So
	17 Adonis Jennings.....	6-3, 205, Jr
WR	89 Keith Kirkwood.....	6-3, 218, r-Jr
	1 Ventell Bryant.....	6-3, 189, r-So
WR	14 Brodrick Yancy.....	5-10, 195, r-So
	21 Cortelle Simpson.....	5-9, 188, r-Fr
QB	8 Phillip Walker.....	5-11, 205, Sr
	12 Logan Marchi.....	6-0, 192, r-Fr
or	18 Frank Nutile.....	6-4, 219, r-So
RB	5 Jahad Thomas.....	5-10, 188, Sr
	25 Ryquell Armstead.....	5-11, 205, So
	24 David Hood.....	5-9, 190, r-So
	27 Jager Gardner.....	6-2, 214, So
FB	4 Nick Sharga.....	6-2, 240, r-Jr
	45 Rob Ritrovato.....	5-11, 240, r-So

DEFENSE

DE	50 Praise Martin-Oguike.....	6-1, 255, r-Sr
	52 Avery Ellis.....	6-2, 249, r-Sr
DT	99 Freddie Booth-Lloyd.....	6-1, 315, r-So
	98 Michael Dogbe.....	6-3, 280, r-So
NT	43 Avere Robinson.....	6-0, 285, Sr
	72 Karamo Dioubate.....	6-3, 279, Fr
	89 Greg Webb.....	6-1, 312, r-Jr
DE	7 Haason Reddick.....	6-1, 235, r-Sr
	9 Jacob Martin.....	6-2, 240, Jr
SLB	2 Avery Williams.....	5-10, 224, r-Sr
	35 William Kwenkeu.....	6-1, 205, Fr
	19 Jeremiah Atoki.....	6-2, 214, r-Fr
MLB	44 Jared Folks.....	6-1, 239, r-So
	41 Jarred Alwan.....	5-11, 229, Sr
WLB	6 Stephoun Marshall.....	5-11, 206, r-Sr
	22 Chapelle Russell.....	6-1, 230, r-Fr
CB	16 Artrel Foster.....	5-11, 189, r-Jr
	21 Derrick Thomas.....	6-3, 193, r-So
	46 Linwood Crump.....	6-0, 165, Fr
CB	15 Nate Hairston.....	6-0, 193, r-Sr
	33 Cequan Jefferson.....	5-10, 185, Jr
FS	3 Sean Chandler.....	6-0, 190, Jr
	13 Nate L. Smith.....	6-0, 188, r-Sr
	28 Jyquis Thomas.....	6-1, 211, r-So
SS	23 Delvon Randall.....	5-11, 208, So
	32 Benny Walls.....	6-1, 208, Fr

SPECIAL TEAMS

PK	29 Austin Jones.....	5-10, 205, Jr
	97 Aaron Boumerhi.....	6-0, 210, Fr
P	43 Alex Starzyk.....	6-2, 226, Jr
	29 Austin Jones.....	5-10, 205, Jr
KO	29 Austin Jones.....	5-10, 205, Jr
	43 Alex Starzyk.....	6-2, 226, Jr
H	20 Tom Bradway.....	5-8, 185, r-Jr
	12 Logan Marchi.....	6-0, 192, r-Fr
LS	59 Corey Lerch.....	5-10, 205, Jr
	57 Josh Lang.....	6-0, 210, r-Jr
PR	3 Sean Chandler.....	6-0, 190, Jr
	5 Jahad Thomas.....	5-10, 188, Sr
	13 Isaiah Wright.....	6-2, 207, Fr
KOR	81 Randle Jones.....	6-0, 171, Fr
	27 Jager Gardner.....	6-2, 214, So
	5 Jahad Thomas.....	5-10, 188, Sr
	26 Travon Williams.....	5-8, 160, r-Fr
	13 Isaiah Wright.....	6-2, 207, Fr

SIDE LINE



GEORGE DELEONE
Offensive Line



ED FOLEY
TEs / Sp. Teams



FRISMAN JACKSON
Wide Receivers



JOHN LOUGHERY
Grad Asst.



PHIL SNOW
Defensive Coord.



ELIJAH ROBINSON
Defensive Line



FRAN BROWN
Defensive Backs



ROB DVORACEK
Student Asst.



OMAR HALES
Grad. Asst.

PRESS BOX



GLENN THOMAS
Offensive Coord.



CHRIS WIESEHAN
Running Backs



DAMIERE SHAW
Student Asst.



MIKE SIRAVO
Linebackers



REGGIE GARRETT
Grad. Asst.

TEMPLE OWLS ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Elig	Ltr	Hometown / High School / Last School	No	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Elig	Ltr	Hometown / High School / Last School
12	Kareem Ali	DB	5-10	180	r-Fr	-	Pennsauken, NJ / Timber Creek	20	Khiry Lucas	DB	6-1	200	r-Sr	1L	Cleveland, MS / East Side / Hinds CC
41	Jarred Alwan	LB	5-11	229	Sr	3L	Cherry Hill, NJ / Camden Catholic	19	Branden Mack	WR	6-5	195	Fr	-	Wyncote, PA / Cheltenham
83	Patrick Anderson	TE	6-3	265	r-Fr	-	Aliquippa, PA / Aliquippa	45	Julian Mahan	LB	6-1	225	Fr	-	Sicklerville, NJ / Timber Creek
62	Nick Apostolu	OL	6-5	300	r-So	-	Springfield, PA / Springfield	12	Logan Marchi	QB	6-0	192	r-Fr	-	Bristol, CT / St. Paul Catholic
95	Dan Archibong	DL	6-6	255	Fr	-	Springfield, PA / Springfield	6	Stephau Marshall	LB	5-11	206	r-Sr	3L	Montclair, NJ / Montclair
25	Ryquell Armstead	RB	5-11	205	So	1L	Millville, NJ / Millville	9	Jacob Martin	DL	6-2	240	Jr	2L	Aurora, CO / Cherokee Trail
19	Jeremiah Atoki	LB	6-2	214	r-Fr	-	Vineland, NJ / Vineland South	50	Praise Martin-Oguike	DL	6-1	255	r-Sr	2L	Woodbridge, NJ / Woodbridge
38	Chris Bascomb	DB	5-9	170	Fr	-	Franklinville, NJ / Delsea	37	Dan McDonald	K	5-11	185	r-Fr	-	Warrington, PA / Archbishop Wood
28	Justin Bishop	WR	6-2	140	Fr	-	Somers Point, NJ / Mainland Regional	68	Brendan McGowan	OL	6-3	298	r-Sr	3L	Barnesville, PA / Marian Catholic
99	Freddie Booth-Lloyd	DL	6-1	315	r-So	1L	Cocoa, FL / Cocoa	74	James McHale	OL	6-6	300	r-So	-	Dunmore, PA / Dunmore
79	Cole Boozer	OL	6-5	275	r-Jr	-	Hunt Valley, MD / Loyola Blakefield	34	Booker McLean	DB	6-1	180	r-So	-	Montville, NJ / Montville / Valley Forge
97	Aaron Boucher	K	6-0	210	Fr	-	Philipsburg, PA / Philipsburg-Osceola	57	Zach Mesday	LB	6-0	238	r-So	-	Bordentown, NJ / Nottingham / Canterbury
18	Shaun Bradley	LB	6-1	220	Fr	-	Mt. Holly, NJ / Rancocas Valley	85	Chris Myarick	TE	6-4	255	r-So	-	Elkins Park, PA / Cheltenham
20	Tom Bradway	WR	5-8	185	r-Jr	1L	Linwood, NJ / Mainland Regional / Lafayette	92	Domenic Nigrelli	TE	6-2	240	r-Fr	-	Wayne, PA / Valley Forge
24	Kimere Brown	DB	6-0	165	Fr	-	Penns Grove, NJ / Penns Grove	18	Frank Nutille	QB	6-4	219	r-So	-	Wayne, NJ / Don Bosco Prep
30	Keyvone Bruton	DB	5-11	205	Fr	-	Norfolk, VA / Lake Taylor	88	Jake O'Donnell	TE	6-6	255	r-Sr	-	Doylestown, PA / Central Bucks East / Miami
75	Darian Bryant	OL	6-5	311	Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / Chestnut Hill Academy	47	Steve Petrick	TE	6-5	230	Fr	-	North Huntingdon, PA / Norwin
1	Ventell Bryant	WR	6-3	189	r-So	1L	Tampa, FL / Jefferson	76	Vincent Picozzi	OL	6-4	280	Fr	-	Collegeville, PA / Lansdale Catholic
55	Brian Carter	OL	6-1	304	r-Jr	2L	Harrisburg, PA / Harrisburg	23	Delvon Randall	DB	5-11	208	So	1L	Monroeville, PA / Gateway / East Coast
3	Sean Chandler	DB	6-0	190	Jr	2L	Camden, NJ / Camden	34	Tyilek Raynor	RB	5-10	185	Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / Imhotep
65	Brendan Clark	OL	6-4	270	Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / Father Judge	7	Haason Reddick	DL	6-1	235	r-Sr	3L	Camden, NJ / Haddon Heights
73	Lawenzo Clarke	OL	6-3	289	r-So	-	Woodbury, NJ / Woodbury	67	Semaj Reed	OL	6-5	290	r-Jr	1L	Philadelphia, PA / Haverford School
27	Julian Conover	LB	6-3	205	Fr	-	Highland Falls, NY / Don Bosco Prep	59	Jeromy Reichner	DL	6-1	235	r-Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / W. Philadelphia Catholic
46	Linwood Crump	DB	6-0	165	Fr	-	South Amboy, NJ / Piscataway	45	Rob Ritrovato	FB	5-11	240	r-So	-	West Chester, PA / East
38	Anthony Cruz	WR	6-2	175	r-Fr	-	Dingmans Ferry, PA / E. Stroudsburg N/St. Francis	43	Averee Robinson	DL	6-0	285	Sr	3L	Harrisburg, PA / Susquehanna Twp. / Milford
66	Dion Dawkins	OL	6-5	320	Sr	3L	Rahway, NJ / Rahway / Hargrave Military	77	Jaelin Robinson	OL	6-6	325	r-So	-	West Haven, CT / Wilbur Cross
53	Kevin DeCaesar	LB	6-0	210	r-Fr	-	Westville, NJ / West Deptford	82	Jake Robinson	TE	6-2	233	r-Fr	-	Haddonfield, NJ / Haddonfield Memorial
11	Romond Deloatch	TE	6-4	220	r-Sr	3L	Hampton, VA / Phoebus	90	Quincy Roche	DL	6-4	210	Fr	-	Randallstown, MD / New Town
47	Mike DiFrancesco	LB	6-0	225	Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / Neumann-Goretti	78	Aaron Ruff	OL	6-3	300	r-So	-	Philadelphia, PA / Imhotep
72	Karamo Dioubate	DL	6-3	279	Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / Prep Charter	33	Kharee Ruley	RB	5-8	165	r-Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / West Catholic
98	Michael Dogbe	DL	6-3	280	r-So	1L	Morris Plains, NJ / Parsippany Hills	22	Chapelle Russell	LB	6-1	230	r-Fr	-	Lakewood, NJ / Lakewood
72	Dan Drewes	OL	6-1	285	r-Fr	-	Dunmore, PA / Dunmore	15	Anthony Russo	QB	6-4	220	Fr	-	Doylestown, PA / Archbishop Wood
10	Marshall Elick	WR	6-2	191	r-So	-	Richmond, VA / Monacan / Air Force Prep	44	John Ruza	WR	6-0	173	r-So	-	Wallingford, PA / Strath Haven
52	Avery Ellis	DL	6-2	249	r-Sr	3L	Montclair, NJ / Montclair	4	Nick Sharga	FB	6-2	240	r-Jr	1L	Cherryville, PA / Northampton / WW Wesleyan
70	Jovahn Fair	OL	6-2	300	r-Fr	-	Akron, OH / Firestone	21	Cortrelle Simpson	WR	5-9	188	r-Fr	-	Indian Head, MD / Lackey
56	Sharif Finch	DL	6-4	255	Sr	3L	Henrico, VA / Henrico	49	Chris Smith	LB	5-10	225	r-Jr	-	North Plainfield, NJ / North Plainfield
87	David Fofi	WR	6-2	185	Fr	-	Burke, VA / Lake Braddock	13	Nate L. Smith	DB	6-0	188	r-Sr	2L	Philadelphia, PA / Archbishop Wood
44	Jared Folks	LB	6-1	239	r-So	-	Harrisburg, PA / Susquehanna Township	80	Willie Smith III	WR	5-11	175	r-So	-	Jacksonville, FL / Eagles View Acad. / Seton Hill
39	Jonny Forrest	RB	5-10	210	Fr	-	New Rochelle, NY / New Rochelle	43	Alex Starzyk	P	6-2	226	Jr	2L	Pleasant Valley, NY / Arlington / East Coast
16	Artrel Foster	DB	5-11	189	r-Jr	2L	Meadville, PA / Meadville	69	Adrian Sullivan	OL	6-3	303	r-Jr	-	Babylon, NY / Babylon / Worchester Acad.
36	Sam Franklin	DB	6-3	200	Fr	-	Crystal River, FL / Citrus / East Coast Prep	94	Jullian Taylor	DL	6-5	280	r-Jr	-	Glenside, PA / Williamstown (NJ)
61	Vaughn Fulton	OL	6-6	265	Jr	-	Aston, PA / Sun Valley / Valley Forge	25	Ahmad Thomas	DB	5-9	185	Fr	-	Newark, NJ / St. Peter's Prep
27	Jager Gardner	RB	6-2	214	So	1L	Black Mountain, NC / Owen	21	Derrek Thomas	DB	6-3	193	r-So	-	Albany, NY / Bishop Maginn / Milford
31	Kareem Gauden	DB	6-1	200	Fr	-	Jersey City, NJ / Lincoln	63	Gordon Thomas	OL	5-10	303	r-So	-	Philadelphia, PA / Imhotep
37	Isaiah Graham-Mobley	LB	6-2	198	Fr	-	King of Prussia, PA / Upper Marion	5	Jahad Thomas	RB	5-10	188	Sr	2L	Elizabeth, NJ / Elizabeth
48	Daishaun Grimes	LB	6-1	225	r-Fr	-	St. Cloud, FL / Harmony	28	Jyquis Thomas	DB	6-1	211	r-So	1L	Plant City, FL / Plant City
15	Nate Hairston	DB	6-0	193	r-Sr	2L	Frederick, MD / Gov. Thomas Johnson	86	Colin Thompson	TE	6-4	255	r-Sr	2L	Doylestown, PA / Archbishop Wood / Florida
58	Matt Hennessy	OL	6-4	285	Fr	-	Bardonia, NY / Don Bosco Prep	96	Hez Trahan	DL	6-3	255	r-So	-	Philadelphia, PA / Roman Catholic / Pittsburgh
24	David Hood	RB	5-9	190	r-So	1L	Galloway, NJ / Absegami	55	Chris Tucker	DL	6-3	245	Fr	-	Jackson, TN / Trinity Christian Academy
71	Benson Israel	OL	6-1	300	r-Fr	-	Spring Valley, NY / St. Joseph's (NJ)	26	Amir Tyler	DB	6-0	195	Fr	-	Lakewood, NJ / Lakewood
33	Cequan Jefferson	DB	5-10	185	Jr	1L	Richmond, VA / Henrico / Fork Union	8	Phillip Walker	QB	5-11	205	Sr	3L	Elizabeth, NJ / Elizabeth
17	Adonis Jennings	WR	6-3	205	Jr	1L	Sicklerville, NJ / Timber Creek / Pittsburgh	32	Benny Walls	DB	6-1	208	Fr	-	Cinnaminson, NJ / St. Joe's Prep
16	Freddie Johnson	WR	6-1	190	Fr	-	North Ft. Myers, FL / North Ft. Myers	89	Greg Webb	DL	6-1	312	r-Jr	-	Sicklerville, NJ / Timber Creek / Hutchinson (KS) CC
53	Leon Johnson	OL	6-5	320	r-Jr	2L	Plainfield, NJ / Bound Brook	2	Avery Williams	LB	5-10	224	r-Sr	2L	Baltimore, MD / Archbishop Curley
29	Austin Jones	K	5-10	205	Jr	2L	Orlando, FL / Boone	26	Travon Williams	WR	5-8	160	r-Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / New Foundations Charter
81	Randle Jones	WR	6-0	171	Fr	-	Miami Beach, FL / Miami Beach Senior	42	Taiyir Wilson	FB	6-2	245	Fr	-	Schenksville, PA / Perkiomen Valley / Fork Union
40	Todd Jones	LB	6-0	227	r-So	-	Philadelphia, PA / St. Joe's Prep	13	Isaiah Wright	WR	6-2	207	Fr	-	West Hartford, CT / Kingswood-Oxford
93	DeAndre Kelly	DL	6-1	260	r-Fr	-	Hyattsville, MD / DeMatha	16	Tommy Wyatt	QB	6-4	208	Fr	-	Pine Hill, NJ / Overbrook
89	Keith Kirkwood	WR	6-3	218	r-Jr	1L	Neptune, NJ / Neptune / Hawaii	14	Brodrick Yancy	WR	5-10	195	r-So	1L	Bradenton, FL / Manatee
39	Sam Kramer	LB	6-3	205	Fr	-	Landisville, PA / Hempfield	84	Kenny Yeboah	TE	6-5	225	Fr	-	Allentown, PA / Parkland Senior
35	William Kwenkeu	LB	6-1	205	Fr	-	Waldorf, MD / St. Charles								
57	Josh Lang	LS	6-0	210	r-Jr	-	Pt. Pleasant, NJ / Pt. Pleasant Beach / WWU								
59	Corey Lerch	LS	5-10	205	Jr	2L	Rydal, PA / La Salle College								
51	Dana Levine	DL	6-4	225	r-Fr	-	Hallandale Beach, FL / Hallandale								

PRO-NUN-SEE-AY-SHUNS

Coaches

Matt RhuleRule
Mike SiravoSIR-ah-voh
Chris WiesehanWEEZ-uh-han

Players

Dan Archibongarch-EE-bong
Ryquell Armsteadra-KWELL
Kimere Brownkah-meer
Keyvone BrutonKEY-vonn
Romond Deloatchroe-MOND Da-lohtch

Karamo Dioubateka-rah-moe DEE-ooch-bah-tay
Jager GardnerJAG-er
Kareem Gaudengall-den
Cequan JeffersonSAY-kwan
William Kwenkeukwen-koo
Dana LevineDAY-na La-VINE
Logan Marchimar-CHEE
Praise Martin-OguikeOH-gwee-kay
Chris MyarickMY-rick

Frank NutilleNew-tile
Tyilek RaynorTIE-leak
Semaj Reedse-MA-jay
Rob RitrovatoRich-roe-vah-toe
Quincy Rocheroe-SHAY
Jyquis Thomasja-KEESE
Amir TylerAY-meer
Taiyir WilsonTIE-ear
Kenny Yeboahya-BOW-ah

2016 Temple Football

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No	Name	Pos	No	Name	Pos
1	Ventell Bryant.....	WR	44	John Ruza	WR
2	Avery Williams.....	LB	44	Jared Folks	LB
3	Sean Chandler.....	DB	45	Rob Ritrovato.....	FB
4	Nick Sharga	FB	45	Julian Mahan.....	LB
5	Jahad Thomas	RB	46	Linwood Crump	DB
6	S. Marshall.....	LB	47	Steve Petrick	TE
7	Haason Reddick	DL	47	Mike DiFrancesco .	LB
8	Phillip Walker.....	QB	48	Daishawn Grimes...	LB
9	Jacob Martin.....	DL	49	Chris Smith.....	LB
10	Marshall Ellick	WR	50	P. Martin-Oguike	DL
11	R. Deloatch	TE	51	Dana Levine.....	DL
12	Logan Marchi.....	QB	52	Avery Ellis.....	DL
12	Kareem Ali.....	DB	53	Leon Johnson	OL
13	Isaiah Wright.....	WR	53	Kevin DeCaesar....	LB
13	Nate L. Smith.....	DB	55	Brian Carter	OL
14	Brodrick Yancy.....	WR	55	Chris Tucker.....	DL
15	Anthony Russo.....	QB	56	Sharif Finch.....	DL
15	Nate Hairston.....	DB	57	Zach Mesday.....	LB
16	Tommy Wyatt.....	QB	57	Josh Lang.....	LS
16	Freddie Johnson .	WR	58	Matt Hennessy.....	OL
16	Artrel Foster.....	DB	59	Jeromy Reichner	DL
17	Adonis Jennings..	WR	59	Corey Lerch	LS
18	Frank Nutile	QB	61	Vaughn Fulton.....	OL
18	Shaun Bradley.....	LB	62	Nick Apostolu.....	OL
19	Branden Mack.....	WR	63	Gordon Thomas....	OL
19	Jeremiah Atoki.....	LB	65	Brendan Clark.....	OL
20	Tom Bradway.....	WR	66	Dion Dawkins.....	OL
20	Khiry Lucas.....	DB	67	Semaj Reed	OL
21	C. Simpson.....	WR	68	B. McGowan	OL
21	Derrek Thomas.....	DB	69	Adrian Sullivan.....	OL
22	Chapelle Russell...	LB	70	Jovahn Fair	OL
23	Delvon Randall.....	DB	71	Benson Israel	OL
24	David Hood.....	RB	72	Dan Drewes.....	OL
24	Kimere Brown	DB	72	Karamo Dioubate ..	DL
25	Ryquell Armstead.	RB	73	Lawenzo Clarke	OL
25	Ahmad Thomas	DB	74	James McHale	OL
26	Travon Williams....	WR	75	Darian Bryant.....	OL
26	Amir Tyler	DB	76	Vincent Picozzi	OL
27	Jager Gardner.....	RB	77	Jaelin Robinson	OL
27	Julian Conover.....	LB	78	Aaron Ruff.....	OL
28	Justin Bishop.....	WR	79	Cole Boozer.....	OL
28	Jyquis Thomas.....	DB	80	Willie Smith III.....	WR
29	Austin Jones.....	K	81	Randle Jones.....	WR
30	Keyvone Bruton....	DB	82	Jake Robinson	TE
31	Kareem Gaudlen ..	DB	83	Patrick Anderson...	TE
32	Benny Walls.....	DB	84	Kenny Yeboah.....	TE
33	Kharee Ruley.....	RB	85	Chris Myarick.....	TE
33	Cequan Jefferson	DB	86	Colin Thompson	TE
34	Tyliek Raynor.....	RB	87	David Fofi.....	WR
34	Booker McLean	DB	88	Jake O'Donnell.....	TE
35	William Kwenkeu ...	LB	89	Keith Kirkwood....	WR
36	Sam Franklin.....	DB	89	Greg Webb.....	DL
37	I.Graham-Mobley...	LB	90	Quincy Roche.....	DL
37	Dan McDonald	K	92	Domenic Nigrelli...	TE
38	Anthony Cruz	WR	93	DeAndre Kelly	DL
38	Chris Bascomb.....	DB	94	Jullian Taylor.....	DL
39	Jonny Forrest.....	RB	95	Dan Archibong.....	DL
39	Sam Kramer.....	LB	96	Hez Trahan.....	DL
40	Todd Jones	LB	97	Aaron Boumerhi	K
41	Jarred Alwan	LB	98	Michael Dogbe	DL
42	Taiyir Wilson.....	FB	99	F. Booth-Lloyd.....	DL
43	Averee Robinson...	DL			
43	Alex Starzyk.....	P			

ROSTER BY CLASS

RS-Senior (12) Romond Deloatch Avery Ellis Nate Hairston Khiry Lucas Stephaun Marshall P. Martin-Oguike Brendan McGowan Jake O'Donnell Haason Reddick Nate L. Smith Colin Thompson Avery Williams	RS-Soph. (23) Nick Apostolu F. Booth-Lloyd Ventell Bryant Lawenzo Clarke Michael Dogbe Marshall Ellick Jared Folks David Hood James McHale Booker McLean Zach Mesday Chris Myarick Frank Nutile Rob Ritrovato Jaelin Robinson Aaron Ruff John Ruza Willie Smith III Derrek Thomas Gordon Thomas Jyquis Thomas Hex Trahan Brodrick Yancy	Travon Williams Freshmen (37) Dan Archibong Chris Bascomb Justin Bishop Aaron Boumerhi Shaun Bradley Kimere Brown Keyvone Bruton Darian Bryant Brendan Clark Julian Conover Linwood Crump Karamo Dioubate David Fofi Jonny Forrest Sam Franklin Kareem Gaudlen I.Graham-Mobley Matt Hennessy Freddie Johnson Randle Jones Sam Kramer William Kwenkeu Branden Mack Julian Mahan Steve Petrick Vincent Picozzi Tyliek Raynor Quincy Roche Anthony Russo Ahmad Thomas Chris Tucker Amir Tyler Benny Walls Taiyir Wilson Isaiah Wright Tommy Wyatt Kenny Yeboah
Senior (6) Jarred Alwan Dion Dawkins Sharif Finch Averee Robinson Jahad Thomas Phillip Walker	Sophomore (4) Ryquell Armstead Jager Gardner Todd Jones Delvon Randall	
RS-Junior (13) Cole Boozer Tom Bradway Brian Carter Artrel Foster Leon Johnson Keith Kirkwood Josh Lang Semaj Reed Nick Sharga Chris Smith Adrian Sullivan Jullian Taylor Greg Webb	RS-Fresh. (21) Kareem Ali Patrick Anderson Jeremiah Atoki Anthony Cruz Kevin DeCaesar Mike DiFrancesco Dan Drewes Jovahn Fair Daishawn Grimes Benson Israel DeAndre Kelly Dana Levine Logan Marchi Dan McDonald Domenic Nigrelli Jeromy Reichner Jake Robinson Kharee Ruley Chapelle Russell Cortrelle Simpson	
Junior (8) Sean Chandler Vaughn Fulton Cequan Jefferson Adonis Jennings Austin Jones Corey Lerch Jacob Martin Alex Starzyk		

GEOGRAPHICAL ROSTER

Colorado (1) Jacob Martin	Freddie Johnson Austin Jones Randle Jones Dana Levine Willie Smith III Jyquis Thomas Brodrick Yancy	Pennsylvania (46) Patrick Anderson Nick Apostolu Dan Archibong Darian Bryant Aaron Boumerhi Brian Carter Brendan Clark Anthony Cruz Mike DiFrancesco Karamo Dioubate Dan Drewes Jared Folks Artrel Foster Vaughn Fulton I.Graham-Mobley Todd Jones Sam Kramer Corey Lerch Branden Mack Dan McDonald Brendan McGowan James McHale Chris Myarick Domenic Nigrelli Jake O'Donnell Steve Petrick Vincent Picozzi Delvon Randall Tyliek Raynor Semaj Reed Jeromy Reichner Rob Ritrovato Averee Robinson Aaron Ruff Kharee Ruley Anthony Russo John Ruza Nick Sharga Nate L. Smith Jullian Taylor Gordan Thomas Colin Thompson Hez Trahan Travon Williams Taiyir Wilson Kenny Yeboah (Philadelphia)
Mississippi (1) Khiry Lucas	New Jersey (38) Kareem Ali Jarred Alwan Ryquell Armstead Jeremiah Atoki Chris Bascomb Justin Bishop Shaun Bradley Tom Bradway Kimere Brown Sean Chandler Lawenzo Clarke Linwood Crump Dion Dawkins Kevin DeCaesar Michael Dogbe Avery Ellis Kareem Gaudlen David Hood Adonis Jennings Leon Johnson Keith Kirkwood Josh Lang Julian Mahan Stephaun Marshall P. Martin-Oguike Booker McLean Zach Mesday Frank Nutile Haason Reddick Jake Robinson Chapelle Russell Chris Smith Ahmad Thomas Jahad Thomas Amir Tyler Phillip Walker Benny Walls Greg Webb Tommy Wyatt	
North Carolina (1) Jager Gardner	Ohio (1) Jovahn Fair	
Tennessee (1) Chris Tucker	Connecticut (3) Logan Marchi Jaelin Robinson Isaiah Wright	
Virginia (6) Keyvone Bruton Romond Deloatch Marshall Ellick Sharif Finch David Fofi Cequan Jefferson	Maryland (7) Cole Boozer Nate Hairston DeAndre Kelly William Kwenkeu Quincy Roche Cortrelle Simpson Avery Williams	
New York (7) Julian Conover Jonny Forrest Matt Hennessy Benson Israel Alex Starzyk Adrian Sullivan Derrek Thomas	Florida (11) F. Booth-Lloyd Ventell Bryant Sam Franklin Daishawn Grimes	

SCHOOL PRIDE

<i>These players attended the same school before coming to Temple:</i>	Imhotep Tyliek Raynor Aaron Ruff Gordon Thomas	Timber Creek Kareem Ali Adonis Jennings Julian Mahan Greg Webb
HIGH SCHOOLS	Lakewood Chapelle Russell Amir Tyler	West Catholic Jeromy Reichner Kharee Ruley
Archbishop Wood Dan McDonald Anthony Russo Nate L. Smith Colin Thompson	Mainland Justin Bishop Tom Bradway	PREP SCHOOLS
Cheltenham Branden Mack Chris Myarick	Montclair Avery Ellis S. Marshall	East Coast Sam Franklin Delvon Randall Alex Starzyk
Don Bosco Prep Julian Conover Matt Hennessy Frank Nutile	Springfield Nick Apostolu Dan Archibong	Fork Union Cequan Jefferson Taiyir Wilson
Dunmore Dan Drewes James McHale	St. Joe's Prep Todd Jones Benny Walls	Milford Averee Robinson Derrek Thomas
Elizabeth Jahad Thomas Phillip Walker	Susquehanna Twp Jared Folks Averee Robinson	COLLEGE
Henrico Sharif Finch Cequan Jefferson	Pittsburgh Adonis Jennings Hez Trahan	Valley Forge Vaughn Fulton Booker McLean

NAME GAME

Anthony (2) Cruz, Russo	Freddie (2) Booth-Lloyd Johnson	Kharee/Khiry (2) Khiry Lucas Kharee Ruley
Avery/Averee (3) Avery Ellis Avery Williams Averee Robinson	Isaiah (2) Graham-Mobley Wright	Michael (2) DiFrancesco Dogbe
Brendan (2) Clark McGowan	Jacob/Jake (3) Jacob Martin Jake O'Donnell Jake Robinson	Nate (2) Hairston, Smith
Chris (3) Bascomb Myarick Smith, Tucker	Jared/Jarred (2) Jarred Alwan Jared Folks	Nick (2) Apostolu, Sharga
Dan (3) Archibong Drewes McDonald	Julian/Jullian (3) Julian Conover Julian Mahan Jullian Taylor	Sam (2) Franklin, Kramer
David (2) Fofi, Hood	Kareem (2) Ali, Gaudlen	Tom (2) Bradway, Wyatt
		William (2) Kwenkeu Willie Smith

LETTERWINNERS

Three-Time (10) Jarred Alwan Dion Dawkins Romond Deloatch Avery Ellis Sharif Finch Stephaun Marshall Brendan McGowan Haason Reddick Averee Robinson Phillip Walker	Two-Time (14) Brian Carter Sean Chandler Artrel Foster Nate Hairston Leon Johnson Austin Jones Corey Lerch Jacob Martin P. Martin-Oguike Nate L. Smith Alex Starzyk Jahad Thomas Colin Thompson Avery Williams	One-Time (16) Ryquell Armstead F. Booth-Lloyd Tom Bradway Ventell Bryant Michael Dogbe Jager Gardner David Hood Cequan Jefferson Adonis Jennings Keith Kirkwood Khiry Lucas Delvon Randall Semaj Reed Nick Sharga Jyquis Thomas Brodrick Yancy
---	---	---

PARTICIPATION

#	Player	2016 GP-GS	Cons. GP-GS	Career GP-GS	Army	SB	PSU	Char	SMU	Mem	UCF	USF	Cin	UConn	Tin	ECU
12	Ali, Kareem	2-0	0-0	3-0	x	x	-	-	-							
41	Alwan, Jarred	5-3	23-0	41-22	MLB	MLB	MLB	x	x							
83	Anderson, Patrick	1-0	0-0	1-0	-	x	-	-	-							
62	Apostolu, Nick	0-0	0-0	1-0	-	-	-	-	-							
95	Archibong, Dan	2-0	2-0	2-0	-	-	-	x	x							
25	Armstead, Ryquell	5-2	6-0	17-3	RB	RB	x	x	x							
19	Atoki, Jeremiah	4-0	1-0	4-0	x	x	x	-	x							
99	Booth-Lloyd, Freddie	5-2	5-0	17-2	DT	x	x	DT	x							
79	Boozer, Cole	5-0	5-0	18-0	x	x	x	x	x							
18	Bradley, Shaun	3-0	3-0	3-0	-	-	x	x	x							
20	Bradway, Tom	5-0	19-0	19-0	x	x	x	x	x							
1	Bryant, Ventell	2-0	1-0	16-6	x	-	-	-	-							
55	Carter, Brian	5-0	25-0	27-12	x	x	x	x	x							
3	Chandler, Sean	4-4	0-0	30-29	FS	FS	FS	FS	-							
46	Crump, Linwood	4-0	4-0	4-0	-	x	x	x	x							
66	Dawkins, Dion	5-5	24-10	35-31	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT							
53	DeCaesar, Kevin	2-0	0-0	2-0	-	x	-	x	-							
11	DeLoatch, Romond	5-1	31-1	42-10	x	x	x	TE	x							
47	DiFrancesco, Mike	1-0	0-0	1-0	-	x	-	-	-							
72	Dioubate, Karamo	4-0	4-0	4-0	-	x	x	x	x							
98	Dogbe, Michael	4-0	2-0	20-0	x	x	-	x	DT							
72	Drewes, Dan	1-0	0-0	1-0	-	x	-	-	-							
10	Ellick, Marshall	5-3	5-3	10-3	x	x	WR	WR	WR							
52	Ellis, Avery	5-1	29-0	39-2	x	DE	x	x	x							
70	Fair, Jovahn	5-4	5-1	5-4	LG	LG	LG	x	LG							
56	Finch, Sharif	4-0	0-0	38-13	x	x	x	x	-							
44	Folks, Jared	4-2	4-2	4-2	-	x	x	MLB	MLB							
16	Foster, Artrel	5-4	31-3	31-5	CB	x	CB	CB	CB							
36	Franklin, Sam	5-0	5-0	5-0	x	x	x	x	x							
27	Gardner, Jager	4-0	4-0	15-1	-	x	x	x	x							
48	Grimes, Daishaun	1-0	0-0	1-0	-	x	-	-	-							
15	Hairston, Nate	5-5	19-5	34-7	CB	CB	CB	CB	CB							
58	Hennessy, Matt	2-1	0-0	2-1	-	x	-	LG	-							
24	Hood, David	4-0	2-0	15-2	x	x	-	x	x							
71	Israel, Benson	2-0	0-0	2-0	-	x	-	x	-							
33	Jefferson, Cequan	4-0	0-0	20-0	x	x	x	x	-							
17	Jennings, Adonis	5-1	19-0	19-4	x	WR	x	x	x							
16	Johnson, Freddie	2-0	0-0	2-0	-	x	-	x	-							
53	Johnson, Leon	5-5	16-5	23-13	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT							
29	Jones, Austin	5-0	31-0	31-0	x	x	x	x	x							
81	Jones, Randle	4-0	4-0	4-0	-	x	x	x	x							
40	Jones, Todd	2-0	0-0	6-0	-	x	-	x	-							
93	Kelly, Deandre	2-0	0-0	2-0	-	x	-	x	-							
89	Kirkwood, Keith	5-4	5-3	14-6	WR	x	WR	WR	WR							
35	Kwenkeu, William	5-0	5-0	5-0	x	x	x	x	x							
57	Lang, Josh	2-0	0-0	3-0	-	x	-	x	-							
59	Lerch, Corey	5-0	31-0	31-0	x	x	x	x	x							
51	Levine, Dana	1-0	0-0	1-0	-	x	-	-	-							
20	Lucas, Khiry	3-0	1-0	14-0	x	x	-	-	x							
12	Marchi, Logan	2-0	0-0	2-0	-	x	-	x	-							
6	Marshall, Stephaun	5-5	43-5	43-26	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB							
9	Martin, Jacob	4-1	3-0	29-3	DE	-	x	x	x							
50	Martin-Oguike, Praise	5-3	31-3	38-20	x	x	DE	DE	DE							
68	McGowan, Brendan	5-5	5-5	28-22	C	C	C	C	C							
74	McHale, James	2-0	0-0	13-0	-	x	-	x	-							
85	Myarick, Chris	5-2	5-0	9-2	x	TE	TE	x	x							
92	Nigrelli, Domenic	1-0	0-0	1-0	-	x	-	-	-							
18	Nuttle, Frank	2-0	0-0	5-0	-	x	-	x	-							
88	O'Donnell, Jake	4-1	0-0	4-1	x	TE	x	x	-							
23	Randall, Delvon	5-5	19-5	19-5	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS							
7	Reddick, Haason	5-5	19-7	37-23	DE	DE	DE	DE	DE							
67	Reed, Semaj	2-0	0-0	15-1	-	x	-	x	-							
59	Reichner, Jeromy	1-0	0-0	1-0	-	x	-	-	-							
45	Ritrovato, Rob	4-0	4-0	9-0	-	x	x	x	x							
43	Robinson, Avere	5-5	39-6	42-14	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT							
77	Robinson, Jaelin	3-0	2-0	6-0	-	x	-	x	x							
82	Robinson, Jake	5-1	5-0	5-1	TE	x	x	x	x							
78	Ruff, Aaron	2-0	0-0	4-0	-	x	-	x	-							
22	Russell, Chapelle	5-1	5-0	5-1	x	LB	x	x	x							
44	Ruza, John	1-0	0-0	1-0	-	-	-	x	-							
4	Sharga, Nick	5-2	19-0	19-7	FB	FB	x	x	x							
21	Simpson, Cortrelle	3-0	0-0	3-0	x	x	x	-	-							
49	Smith, Chris	2-0	0-0	5-0	-	x	-	x	-							
13	Smith, Nate L.	5-1	28-1	33-8	x	x	x	x	FS							
80	Smith, Willie	1-0	0-0	1-0	-	-	-	x	-							
43	Starzyk, Alex	5-0	31-0	31-0	x	x	x	x	x							
69	Sullivan, Adrian	5-5	5-5	11-5	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG							
94	Taylor, Jullian	3-2	0-0	8-2	x	DT	DT	-	-							
21	Thomas, Derrek	5-0	5-0	11-0	x	x	x	x	x							
63	Thomas, Gordon	2-0	0-0	5-0	-	x	-	x	-							
5	Thomas, Jahad	3-3	3-3	38-17	-	-	RB	RB	RB							
28	Thomas, Jyquis	3-0	3-0	17-0	-	-	x	x	x							
86	Thompson, Collin	4-3	3-1	27-16	TE	-	TE	x	TE							
8	Walker, Phillip	5-5	39-38	40-38	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB							
32	Walls, Benny	4-0	4-0	4-0	-	x	x	x	x							
89	Webb, Greg	5-0	5-0	5-0	x	x	x	x	x							
2	Williams, Avery	5-5	22-9	38-17	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB							
26	Williams, Travon	3-0	0-0	3-0	-	x	x	x	-							
13	Wright, Isaiah	3-0	2-0	3-0	-	x	-	x	x							
14	Yancy, Brodrick	5-2	5-2	20-2	x	x	x	WR	WR							
84	Yeboah, Kenny	1-0	0-0	1-0	-	-	-	x	-							

CAPS - indicates starting position; x - played but did not start; "-" - did not play

TEMPLE OWLS STARTERS

OFFENSE

	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	WR	WR	WR/RB/TE	RB	QB
ARMY	Dawkins	Fair	McGowan	Sullivan	L.Johnson	Thompson	Kirkwood	Jk.Robinson (TE)	Sharga (FB)	Armstead	Walker
STONY BROOK	Dawkins	Fair	McGowan	Sullivan	L.Johnson	Myarick	Jennings	O'Donnell (TE)	Sharga (FB)	Armstead	Walker
@Penn State	Dawkins	Fair	McGowan	Sullivan	L.Johnson	Thompson	Kirkwood	Ellick	Myarick (TE)	Ja.Thomas	Walker
CHARLOTTE	Dawkins	Hennessey	McGowan	Sullivan	L.Johnson	Deloatch	Kirkwood	Ellick	Yancy (WR)	Ja.Thomas	Walker
SMU	Dawkins	Fair	McGowan	Sullivan	L.Johnson	Thompson	Kirkwood	Ellick	Yancy (WR)	Ja.Thomas	Walker
@Memphis											
@UCF											
USF											
CINCINNATI											
@UConn											
@Tulane											
ECU											

DEFENSE

	DE	DT	NT	DE	SLB	MLB	WLB	FS	SS	CB	CB
ARMY	Reddick	Booth-Lloyd	A.Robinson	Martin	A.Williams	Alwan	Marshall	Chandler	Randall	Hairston	Foster
STONY BROOK	Reddick	Taylor	A.Robinson	Ellis	A.Williams	Alwan	Marshall	Chandler	Randall	Hairston	Russell (LB)
@Penn State	Reddick	Taylor	A.Robinson	Martin-Oguike	A.Williams	Alwan	Marshall	Chandler	Randall	Hairston	Foster
CHARLOTTE	Reddick	Booth-Lloyd	A.Robinson	Martin-Oguike	A.Williams	Folks	Marshall	Chandler	Randall	Hairston	Foster
SMU	Reddick	Dogbe	A.Robinson	Martin-Oguike	A.Williams	Folks	Marshall	N.L.Smith	Randall	Hairston	Foster
@Memphis											
@UCF											
USF											
CINCINNATI											
@UConn											
@Tulane											
ECU											

WEEKLY STATISTICAL LEADERS

	Rushing (Att-Yds-TDs)	Passing (C-A-Yds-I-TD)	Receiving (No-Yds-TD)	Tackles (S-A-T)	Sacks	INTs
ARMY	Armstead (16-77-1)	Walker (12-26-168-3-0)	Ellick (4-46-0)	A.Williams (5-7-12)	J.Martin A.Williams (0.5)	-
STONY BROOK	Armstead (14-48-1)	Walker (11-23-124-1-3)	Kirkwood (4-54-2)	Kwenkeu Walls (4-1-5)	Finch Levine (1.0)	Chandler Randall Walls (1)
@Penn State	Ja.Thomas (14-52-2)	Walker (25-34-286-1-0)	Ja.Thomas (6-48-0)	Chandler (4-4-8)	-	Randall (1)
CHARLOTTE	Ja.Thomas (15-68-2)	Walker (15-26-268-0-2)	Yancy (4-70-1)	D.Thomas (6-0-6)	Deloatch (1.0)	-
SMU	Armstead (15-159-2)	Walker (7-18-124-2-1)	Kirkwood (3-41-0)	Randall (6-4-10)	Reddick (2.0)	Folks N.L.Smith (1)

@Memphis
@UCF
USF
CINCINNATI
@UConn
@Tulane
ECU

WEEKLY CAPTAINS & UNIFORMS (HELMETS-JERSEYS-PANTS)

ARMY	2-Williams	7-Reddick	8-Walker	66-Dawkins	C-C-W
STONY BROOK	6-Marshall	15-Hairston	43-Robinson	68-McGowan	W-C-W
@Penn State	11-Deloatch	50-Martin-Oguike	53-Johnson	89-Kirkwood	C-W-C
CHARLOTTE	5-Thomas	16-Foster	52-Ellis	86-Thompson	C-C-W
SMU	13-Smith	41-Alwan	43-Robinson (2)	86-Thompson (2)	W-B-W

@Memphis
@UCF
USF
CINCINNATI
@UConn
@Tulane
ECU

TEAM STATISTICS

2016 Results								
Date	Opponent.....	Score	Overall	Conference	Home	Away	Time	Attendance
Sep 2	ARMY.....	13-28	0-1		0-1		3:09	34,005
Sep 10	STONY BROOK.....	38-0	1-1		1-1		3:00	22,296
Sep 17	at Penn State.....	27-34	1-2			0-1	3:26	100,420
Sep 24	CHARLOTTE.....	48-20	2-2		2-1		3:13	27,786
* Oct 1	SMU.....	45-20	3-2	1-0	3-1		3:22	22,401
* Oct 6	at Memphis.....							
* Oct 15	at UCF.....							
* Oct 21	USF.....							
* Oct 29	CINCINNATI.....							
* Nov 4	at UConn.....							
* Nov 19	at Tulane.....							
* Nov 26	EAST CAROLINA.....							
# Dec 3	AAC Championship Game.....							

* - Conference game; # - American Athletic Conference Championship Game

TEAM STATISTICS.....	TEMPLE.....	OPP
SCORING.....	171	102
Points Per Game.....	34.2	20.4
Points Off Turnovers.....	52	27
FIRST DOWNS.....	86	94
Rushing.....	38	52
Passing.....	41	31
Penalty.....	7	11
RUSHING YARDAGE.....	752	814
Yards gained rushing.....	876	988
Yards lost rushing.....	124	174
Rushing Attempts.....	174	212
Average Per Rush.....	4.3	3.8
Average Per Game.....	150.4	162.8
TDs Rushing.....	14	9
PASSING YARDAGE.....	999	783
Comp-Att-Int.....	72-135-7	67-135-6
Average Per Pass.....	7.4	5.8
Average Per Catch.....	13.9	11.7
Average Per Game.....	199.8	156.6
TDs Passing.....	6	4
TOTAL OFFENSE.....	1751	1597
Total Plays.....	309	347
Average Per Play.....	5.7	4.6
Average Per Game.....	350.2	319.4
KICK RETURNS: #Yards.....	9-163	28-511
PUNT RETURNS: #Yards.....	11-126	11-42
INT RETURNS: #Yards.....	6-75	7-112
KICK RETURN AVERAGE.....	18.1	18.2
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE.....	11.5	3.8
INT RETURN AVERAGE.....	12.5	16.0
FUMBLES-LOST.....	3-1	14-6
PENALTIES-Yards.....	28-229	30-232
Average Per Game.....	45.8	46.4
PUNTS-Yards.....	21-862	28-996
Average Per Punt.....	41.0	35.6
Net punt average.....	39.0	30.4
KICKOFFS-Yards.....	34-2044	20-1262
Average Per Kick.....	60.1	63.1
Net kick average.....	41.4	42.5
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game.....	29:16	30:44
3RD-DOWN Conversions.....	22/60	22/74
3rd-Down Pct.....	37%	30%
4TH-DOWN Conversions.....	4/8	9/14
4th-Down Pct.....	50%	64%
SACKS BY-Yards.....	9-75	11-85
MISC YARDS.....	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED.....	21	14
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS.....	8-8	2-4
ON-SIDE KICKS.....	0-0	0-1
RED-ZONE SCORES.....	(21-22) 95%	(12-18) 67%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS.....	(15-22) 68%	(10-18) 56%
PAT-ATTEMPTS.....	(21-21) 100%	(12-13) 92%
ATTENDANCE.....	106,488	100,420
Games/Avg Per Game.....	4/26622	1/100420
Neutral Site Games.....		0/0

SCORE/QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Tot
Temple	45	69	37	20		171
Opponents	28	21	17	36		102

Playing With the Lead

	Ahead	Behind	Tied
ARMY	15:05	23:18	21:37
STONY BROOK	53:54	0:00	6:06
@Penn State	0:00	48:31	11:29
CHARLOTTE	54:04	0:48	5:08
SMU	52:40	4:58	2:22
@Memphis			
@UCF			
USF			
CINCINNATI			
@UConn			
@Tulane			
ECU			
TOTAL	175:43	77:35	46:42

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	FR	Tot	Avg/G
THOMAS, Jahad	3	200	97	46	15	0	0	358	119.3
ARMSTEAD, Ryquell	5	313	15	0	0	0	0	328	65.6
KIRKWOOD, Keith	5	0	232	0	0	0	0	232	46.4
DELOATCH, Romond	5	0	167	0	0	0	8	175	34.4
JENNINGS, Adonis	5	0	123	0	0	0	0	123	24.6
YANCY, Brodrick	5	0	122	0	0	0	0	122	24.4
WRIGHT, Isaiah	3	90	0	14	0	0	0	104	34.7
HOOD, David	4	54	11	0	31	0	0	96	24.0
ELLICK, Marshall	5	0	87	0	0	0	0	87	17.4
BRYANT, Ventell	2	0	67	0	0	0	0	67	33.5
CHANDLER, Sean	4	0	0	66	0	0	0	66	16.5
WILLIAMS, Travon	4	1	0	0	63	0	0	64	16.0
GARDNER, Jager	4	53	0	0	0	0	0	53	13.2
JONES, Randle	3	0	0	0	42	0	0	42	14.0
SIMPSON, Cortelle	3	39	0	0	0	0	0	39	13.0
RANDALL, Delvon	5	0	0	0	0	36	0	36	7.2
THOMPSON, Colin	4	0	32	0	0	0	0	32	8.0
JOHNSON, Freddie	2	17	14	0	0	0	0	31	15.5
SHARGA, Nick	5	26	2	0	0	0	0	28	5.6
SMITH, Nate L.	5	0	0	0	0	27	0	27	5.4
MARTIN-OGUIKE, Praise	5	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	4.0
YEBOAH, Kenny	1	0	15	0	0	0	0	15	15.0
MYARICK, Chris	5	0	15	0	0	0	0	15	3.0
HAIRSTON, Nate	5	0	0	0	12	0	0	12	2.4
FOLKS, Jared	4	0	0	0	0	12	0	12	3.0
RITROVATO, Rob	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	2.0
DAWKINS, Dion	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0.8
TEAM	2	-2	0	0	0	0	0	-2	-1.0
WALKER, Phillip	5	-51	0	0	0	0	0	-51	-10.2
Total	5	752	999	126	163	75	28	2143	428.0
Opponents	5	814	783	42	511	112	0	2262	452.4

2016 Temple Football

OFFENSIVE STATISTICS

RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Ls	Net	Avg	TD	Lg	Avg/G
ARMSTEAD,Ryquell	5	52	327	14	313	6.0	6	37	62.6
THOMAS,Jahad	3	45	207	7	200	4.4	6	15	66.7
WRIGHT,Isaiah	3	17	98	8	90	5.3	0	14	30.0
HOOD,David	4	12	54	0	54	4.5	0	10	13.5
GARDNER,Jager	4	10	53	0	53	5.3	1	17	13.2
SIMPSON,Cortelle	3	3	40	1	39	13.0	0	36	13.0
SHARGA,Nick	5	6	28	2	26	4.3	0	17	5.2
JOHNSON,Freddie	2	1	17	0	17	17.0	0	17	8.5
RITROVATO,Rob	4	3	8	0	8	2.7	0	6	2.0
DAWKINS,Dion	5	0	4	0	4	0.0	0	0	0.8
WILLIAMS,Travon	4	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.2
TEAM	2	3	0	2	-2	-0.7	0	0	-1.0
WALKER,Phillip	5	21	39	90	-51	-2.4	1	12	-10.2
Total	5	174	876	124	752	4.3	14	37	150.4
Opponents	5	212	988	174	814	3.8	9	66	162.8

PASSING	G	Eff	C-A-I	Pct	Yds	TD	Lg	Avg/G
WALKER,Phillip	5	123.84	70-127-7	55.1	970	6	67	194.0
MARCHI,Logan	2	73.93	2-6-0	33.3	29	0	15	14.5
NUTILE,Frank	2	0.00	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	5	119.79	72-135-7	53.3	999	6	67	199.8
Opponents	5	99.24	67-135-6	49.6	783	4	52	156.6

RECEIVING	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg	Avg/G
KIRKWOOD,Keith	5	17	232	13.6	2	28	46.4
YANCY,Brodrick	5	10	122	12.2	2	40	24.4
JENNINGS,Adonis	5	9	123	13.7	1	51	24.6
THOMAS,Jahad	3	9	97	10.8	0	44	32.3
DELOATCH,Romond	5	7	167	23.9	0	67	33.4
ELLICK,Marshall	5	7	87	12.4	0	19	17.4
BRYANT,Ventell	2	4	67	16.8	1	42	33.5
ARMSTEAD,Ryquell	5	3	15	5.0	0	8	3.0
THOMPSON,Colin	4	1	32	32.0	0	32	8.0
MYARICK,Chris	5	1	15	15.0	0	15	3.0
YEBOAH,Kenny	1	1	15	15.0	0	15	15.0
JOHNSON,Freddie	2	1	14	14.0	0	14	7.0
HOOD,David	4	1	11	11.0	0	11	2.8
SHARGA,Nick	5	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.4
Total	5	72	999	13.9	6	67	199.8
Opponents	5	67	783	11.7	4	52	156.6

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
RANDALL,Delvon	2	36	18.0	0	19
CHANDLER,Sean	1	0	0.0	0	0
FOLKS,Jared	1	12	12.0	0	12
WALLS,Benny	1	0	0.0	0	0
SMITH,Nate L.	1	27	27.0	0	27
Total	6	75	12.5	0	27
Opponents	7	112	16.0	1	35

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
WILLIAMS,Travon	3	63	21.0	0	26
HOOD,David	2	31	15.5	0	22
JONES,Randle	2	42	21.0	0	21
THOMAS,Jahad	1	15	15.0	0	15
HAIRSTON,Nate	1	12	12.0	0	12
Total	9	163	18.1	0	26
Opponents	28	511	18.2	0	35

FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
DELOATCH,Romond	1	8	8.0	1	8
MARTIN-OGUIKE,Praise	1	20	20.0	0	20
Total	2	28	14.0	1	20
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
WALKER,Phillip	5	148	-51	970	919	183.8
ARMSTEAD,Ryquell	5	52	313	0	313	62.6
THOMAS,Jahad	3	45	200	0	200	66.7
WRIGHT,Isaiah	3	17	90	0	90	30.0
HOOD,David	4	12	54	0	54	13.5
GARDNER,Jager	4	10	53	0	53	13.2
SIMPSON,Cortelle	3	3	39	0	39	13.0
MARCHI,Logan	2	6	0	29	29	14.5
SHARGA,Nick	5	6	26	0	26	5.2
JOHNSON,Freddie	2	1	17	0	17	8.5
RITROVATO,Rob	4	3	8	0	8	2.0
DAWKINS,Dion	5	0	4	0	4	0.8
WILLIAMS,Travon	4	1	1	0	1	0.2
TEAM	2	3	-2	0	-2	-1.0
Total	5	309	752	999	1751	350.2
Opponents	5	347	814	783	1597	319.4

SCORING	TD	FGs	Kck	Ru	Rc	Pa	DX	Saf	Pts
JONES,Austin	0	8-8	21-21	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	45
THOMAS,Jahad	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	36
ARMSTEAD,Ryquell	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	36
YANCY,Brodrick	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
KIRKWOOD,Keith	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
JENNINGS,Adonis	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
WALKER,Phillip	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
DELOATCH,Romond	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
BRYANT,Ventell	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
GARDNER,Jager	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Total	21	8-8	21-21	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	171
Opponents	14	2-4	12-13	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	102

FIELD GOALS	M-A	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
JONES,Austin	8-8	100.0	0-0	2-2	4-4	2-2	0-0	45	0

FG SEQUENCE	
Temple:	(41,27)(21)(45,34)(36,31)(30)
Opponents:	(34m,47m)()()40,30)()()

KICKOFFS	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
JONES,Austin	34	2044	60.1	5	0			
Total	34	2044	60.1	5	0	511	41.4	23
Opponents	20	1262	63.1	10	1	163	42.5	22

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
STARZYK,Alex	21	862	41.0	55	0	2	8	3	0
Total	21	862	41.0	55	0	2	8	3	0
Opponents	28	996	35.6	52	1	3	6	1	1

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
CHANDLER,Sean	5	66	13.2	0	48
THOMAS,Jahad	4	46	11.5	0	20
WRIGHT,Isaiah	1	14	14.0	0	14
KIRKWOOD,Keith	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	11	126	11.5	0	48
Opponents	11	42	3.8	0	29

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

	DEFENSIVE LEADERS	GP	Tackles-----			TFL/Yds	Sacks-	----Pass Def-----		QBH	----Fumbles-----		Blkd Kick	Saf
			Solo	Asst	Total			Int-Yds	BrUp		Rcv-Yds	FF		
6	MARSHALL,Stephaun	5	17	11	28	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
23	RANDALL,Delvon	5	16	9	25	.	.	2-36	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
2	WILLIAMS,Avery	5	12	13	25	3.0-11	0.5-4	.	.	.	1-0	1	.	.
3	CHANDLER,Sean	4	13	10	23	1.5-3	.	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.
50	MARTIN-OGUIKE,Praise	5	12	10	22	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	1-20	1	.	.
13	SMITH,Nate L.	5	14	4	18	1.0-1	.	1-27	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	REDDICK,Haason	5	11	6	17	7.0-39	2.5-21	.	2	.	1-0	2	.	.
41	ALWAN,Jarred	5	7	9	16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
22	RUSSELL,Chapelle	5	13	2	15	2.0-12	1.0-11	.	2	.	1-0	1	.	.
21	THOMAS,Derrek	5	11	2	13	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
43	ROBINSON,Averee	5	7	5	12	1.5-2	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
16	FOSTER,Artrel	5	7	4	11	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
44	FOLKS,Jared	4	5	6	11	0.5-0	.	1-12	.	.	.	.	.	.
56	FINCH,Sharif	4	4	7	11	2.0-8	1.0-7	.	.	.	.	2	1	.
99	BOOTH-LLOYD,Freddie	5	7	3	10	2.0-6	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
35	KWENKEU,William	5	6	3	9	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98	DOGBE,Michael	5	4	5	9	1.0-6	1.0-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	TAYLOR,Jullian	3	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	WALLS, Benny	4	6	1	7	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	MARTIN,Jacob	4	4	3	7	0.5-3	0.5-3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
28	THOMAS,Jyquis	3	2	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	ATOKI,Jeremiah	4	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	HAIRSTON,Nate	5	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46	CRUMP,Linwood	4	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
72	DIUBATE,Karamo	4	3	1	4	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
18	BRADLEY,Shaun	3	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	ELLIS,Avery	5	2	2	4	2.0-13	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
49	SMITH,Chris	2	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	LUCAS,Khiry	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
24	HOOD,David	4	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
89	WEBB,Greg	4	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
11	DELOATCH,Romond	5	2	.	2	1.0-11	1.0-11	.	.	.	1-8	.	.	.
36	FRANKLIN,Sam	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	JENNINGS,Adonis	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	JEFFERSON,Cequan	4	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
43	STARZYK,Alex	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
82	ROBINSON,Jake	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
59	REICHNER,Jeromy	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	ARMSTEAD,Ryquell	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
51	LEVINE,Dana	1	1	.	1	1.0-11	1.0-11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	GARDNER,Jager	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
53	JOHNSON,Leon	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
95	ARCHIBONG, Dan	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
48	GRIMES,Daishaun	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	JONES,Austin	5	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
59	LERCH,Corey	5	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		5	227	132	359	29-132	9-75	6-75	12	1	6-28	8	1	.
Opponents		5	187	96	283	30.0-126	11-85	7-112	13	.	1-0	3	.	.

1ST DOWN CONVERSIONS (Rushing-Receiving)

	Army	SB	PSU	Char	SMU	Mem	UCF	USF	Cin	UConn	TIn	ECU	TOTAL
Ja.Thomas			2-2	4-1	3-0								9-3
R.Armstead	2-0	2-0		1-0	6-0								11-0
K.Kirkwood	0-3	0-2	0-1	0-2	0-3								0-11
A.Jennings	0-1	0-2	0-2	0-1									0-6
B.Yancy		0-1	0-1	0-3									0-5
R.Deloatch		0-1	0-1	0-2	0-1								0-5
I.Wright		2-0		1-0	2-0								5-0
M.Ellick	0-3		0-1										0-4
D.Hood	1-0	1-0		1-0									3-0
N.Sharga	2-0	1-0											3-0
V.Bryant	0-2												0-2
F.Johnson				1-1									1-1
V.Bryant					0-1								0-1
D.Dawkins				1-0									1-0
J.Gardner				1-0									1-0
C.Myarick			0-1										0-1
R.Ritrovato		1-0											1-0
C.Simpson		1-0											1-0
C.Thompson	0-1												0-1
P.Walker				1-0									1-0
K.Yeboah				0-1									0-1

2016 Temple Football

GAME BY GAME STATS

Date	Opponent	RUSHING				RECEIVING				PASSING				KICK RET				PUNT RET				tot off		
		No.	Yds	TD	Lg	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Cmp	Att	Int	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds		TD	Lg
S-02	ARMY	28	83	1	16	12	168	0	32	12-26-3	168	0	32	3	43	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
S-10	STONY BROOK	39	177	2	36	11	124	3	26	11-25-1	124	3	26	1	26	0	26	5	81	0	48	0	0	301
S-17	at Penn State	28	38	3	15	25	286	0	67	25-34-1	286	0	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	324
S-24	CHARLOTTE	34	210	4	25	17	297	2	51	17-32-0	297	2	51	3	52	0	20	3	10	0	11	0	0	507
O-01	SMU	45	244	4	37	7	124	1	42	7-18-2	124	1	42	2	42	0	21	3	35	0	20	0	0	368
Totals		174	752	14	37	72	999	6	67	72-135-7	999	6	67	9	163	0	26	11	126	0	48	0	0	1751
Avg/rush: 4.3 Avg/catch: 13.9 Pass effic: 119.79 KR avg: 18.1 PR avg: 11.5 All purpose avg/game: 423.0 Total offense avg/gm: 350.2																								

TEMPLE

Date	Opponent	TACKLES				SACKS No-Yds	FUMBLE		Int-Yds	QBH	Pass Brk	Blkd Kick	Kicks Att-Mad	XPTS		Saf	Pts
		Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds		FF	FR-Yds						Run	Rcv		
S-02	ARMY	43	50	93	4.0-22	1.0-7	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1-1	0	0	0	13
S-10	STONY BROOK	39	16	55	9.0-30	3.0-21	3	1-0	3-19	0	1	0	5-5	0	0	0	38
S-17	at Penn State	37	30	67	5.0-21	0.0-0	1	2-0	1-17	0	1	0	3-3	0	0	0	27
S-24	CHARLOTTE	55	18	73	5.0-17	1.0-11	1	1-20	0-0	0	7	0	6-6	0	0	0	48
O-01	SMU	53	18	71	6.0-42	4.0-36	2	2-8	2-39	1	3	0	6-6	0	0	0	45
Totals		227	132	359	29.0-132	9.0-75	8	6-28	6-75	1	12	1	21-21	0	0	0	171

Date	Opponent	PUNTING										FIELD GOALS			KICKOFFS					
		No	Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	TB	FC	50+	I20	Att-Made	Lg	Blkd	No	Yds	Avg	TB	OB		
S-02	ARMY	2	63	31.5	32	0	0	0	0	1	2-2	41	0	4	257	64.2	2	0	0	
S-10	STONY BROOK	4	190	47.5	54	0	0	1	2	2	1-1	21	0	7	446	63.7	1	0	0	
S-17	at Penn State	6	225	37.5	43	0	0	0	0	1	2-2	45	0	6	295	49.2	1	0	0	
S-24	CHARLOTTE	4	176	44.0	55	0	0	1	1	2	2-2	36	0	9	572	63.6	1	0	0	
O-01	SMU	5	208	41.6	47	0	0	0	0	2	1-1	30	0	8	474	59.2	0	0	0	
Totals		21	862	41.0	55	0	0	2	3	8	8-8	45	0	34	2044	60.1	5	0	0	

OPPONENTS

Date	Opponent	RUSHING				RECEIVING				PASSING				KICK RET				PUNT RET				tot off		
		No.	Yds	TD	Lg	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Cmp	Att	Int	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds		TD	Lg
S-02	ARMY	67	329	4	21	2	15	0	11	2-5-0	15	0	11	2	39	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	344
S-10	STONY BROOK	34	49	0	17	8	84	0	36	8-20-3	84	0	36	6	109	0	23	1	13	0	13	0	0	133
S-17	at Penn State	37	116	3	55	18	287	1	52	18-24-1	287	1	52	4	83	0	35	6	6	0	29	0	0	403
S-24	CHARLOTTE	42	231	2	66	17	198	1	28	17-42-0	198	1	28	8	141	0	25	1	7	0	7	0	0	429
O-01	SMU	32	89	0	17	22	199	2	48	22-44-2	199	2	48	8	139	0	24	3	16	0	13	0	0	288
Opp. totals		212	814	9	66	67	783	4	52	67-135-6	783	4	52	28	511	0	35	11	42	0	29	0	0	1597
Avg/rush: 3.8 Avg/catch: 11.7 Pass effic: 99.24 KR avg: 18.2 PR avg: 3.8 All purpose avg/game: 452.4 Total offense avg/gm: 319.4																								

Date	Opponent	TACKLES				SACKS	FUMBLE		Int-Yds	QBH	Pass Brk	Blkd Kick	Kicks Att-Mad	XPTS		Saf	Pts
		Solo	Asst	Total	TFL-Yds	No-Yds	FF	FR-Yds						Run	Rcv		
S-02	ARMY	31	16	47	6.0-21	4.0-19	0	0-0	3-29	0	2	0	4-4	0	0	0	28
S-10	STONY BROOK	46	10	56	5.0-29	2.0-19	0	0-0	1-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	0
S-17	at Penn State	26	34	60	9.0-32	3.0-19	1	0-0	1-14	0	2	0	4-4	0	0	0	34
S-24	CHARLOTTE	39	24	63	3.0-4	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	6	0	3-2	0	0	0	20
O-01	SMU	45	12	57	7.0-40	2.0-28	1	1-0	2-69	0	2	0	2-2	0	0	0	20
Opponent totals		187	96	283	30.0-126	11.0-85	3	1-0	7-112	0	13	0	13-12	0	0	0	102

Date	Opponent	PUNTING										FIELD GOALS			KICKOFFS					
		No	Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	TB	FC	50+	I20	Att-Made	Lg	Blkd	No	Yds	Avg	TB	OB		
S-02	ARMY	2	42	21.0	35	1	0	1	0	1	2-0	0	0	5	320	64.0	2	0	0	
S-10	STONY BROOK	9	352	39.1	52	0	0	0	1	1	0-0	0	0	1	59	59.0	0	0	0	
S-17	at Penn State	3	105	35.0	41	0	1	1	0	2	2-2	40	0	7	451	64.4	6	1	0	
S-24	CHARLOTTE	7	231	33.0	43	0	0	0	0	2	0-0	0	0	4	244	61.0	1	0	0	
O-01	SMU	7	266	38.0	43	0	0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0	3	188	62.7	1	0	0	
Opponent totals		28	996	35.6	52	1	1	3	1	6	4-2	40	0	20	1262	63.1	10	1	0	

DRIVE PRODUCTION

	TEMPLE											
	<u>Drives</u>	<u>TDs</u>	<u>FGs</u>	<u>MFGs</u>	<u>Downs</u>	<u>Punts</u>	<u>Fumble</u>	<u>INT</u>	<u>Sfty</u>	<u>Clock</u>	<u>%Scores</u>	<u>%TDs</u>
ARMY	9	1	2	0	1	2	0	3	0	0	33.3	11.1
STONY BROOK	15	5	1	0	2	4	0	1	0	2	40.0	33.3
Walker	12	5	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	50.0	41.7
Marchi	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.0	0.0
Nutile	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
@Penn State	13	3	2	0	1	6	0	1	0	0	38.5	23.1
CHARLOTTE	13	6	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	61.5	46.2
Walker	10	6	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	70.0	60.0
Marchi	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100.0	0.0
Nutile	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.0	0.0
SMU	17	6	1	0	0	5	1	2	0	2	41.2	35.3
@Memphis												
@UCF												
USF												
CINCINNATI												
@UConn												
@Tulane												
ECU												
TOTAL	67	21	8	0	4	21	1	7	0	5	43.3	31.3
Walker	61	21	7	0	4	18	1	7	0	3	45.9	34.4
Marchi	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	33.3	0.0
Nutile	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0.0	0.0

OPPONENTS

	<u>Drives</u>	<u>TDs</u>	<u>FGs</u>	<u>MFGs</u>	<u>Downs</u>	<u>Punts</u>	<u>Fumble</u>	<u>INT</u>	<u>Sfty</u>	<u>Clock</u>	<u>%Scores</u>	<u>%TDs</u>
ARMY	10	4	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	40.0	40.0
STONY BROOK	14	0	0	0	1	9	1	3	0	0	0.0	0.0
@Penn State	14	4	2	0	0	3	2	1	0	2	42.9	28.6
CHARLOTTE	13	3	0	0	1	7	1	0	0	1	23.1	23.1
SMU	14	2	0	0	2	7	1	2	0	0	14.3	14.3
@Memphis												
@UCF												
USF												
CINCINNATI												
@UConn												
@Tulane												
ECU												
TOTAL	65	13	2	2	4	28	5	6	0	5	23.1	20.0

RED ZONE STATISTICS

TEMPLE															
<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>TDs</u>	<u>Rush</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>FGs</u>	<u>FGA</u>	<u>Failed to score inside RZ</u>				
			<u>In RZ</u>	<u>Scored</u>			<u>TDs</u>	<u>TDs</u>			<u>Downs</u>	<u>Int</u>	<u>Fumb</u>	<u>Half</u>	<u>Game</u>
S-02	ARMY	L 13-28	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
S-10	STONY BROOK	W 38-0	6	5	31	4	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
S-17	at Penn State	L 27-34	4	4	24	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
S-24	CHARLOTTE	W 48-20	6	6	34	4	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
O-01	SMU	W 45-20	4	4	24	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			22	21	123	15	13	2	6	0	1	0	0	0	0
			21 of 22 (95.5%)												

OPPONENTS															
<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>TDs</u>	<u>Rush</u>	<u>Pass</u>	<u>FGs</u>	<u>FGA</u>	<u>Failed to score inside RZ</u>				
			<u>In RZ</u>	<u>Scored</u>			<u>TDs</u>	<u>TDs</u>			<u>Downs</u>	<u>Int</u>	<u>Fumb</u>	<u>Half</u>	<u>Game</u>
S-02	ARMY	L 13-28	5	4	28	4	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
S-10	STONY BROOK	W 38-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
S-17	at Penn State	L 27-34	6	4	20	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	0
S-24	CHARLOTTE	W 48-20	3	2	13	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
O-01	SMU	W 45-20	3	2	13	2	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals			18	12	74	10	7	3	2	1	3	0	1	1	0
			12 of 18 (66.7%)												

2016 Temple Football

3RD DOWN SITUATIONS

	TEMPLE												
	<u>3rd-n-1</u>	<u>3rd-n-2</u>	<u>3rd-n-3</u>	<u>3rd-n-4</u>	<u>3rd-n-5</u>	<u>3rd-n-6</u>	<u>3rd-n-7</u>	<u>3rd-n-8</u>	<u>3rd-n-9</u>	<u>3rd-n-10</u>	<u>3d-n-10+</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Pct</u>
ARMY	1-1	2-2					0-1			0-2	0-3	3-9	33.3
STONY BROOK	2-2	2-2		0-3	1-1			0-2	0-1	1-1	1-2	7-14	50.0
@Penn State	0-2	1-2					0-1	0-2	1-1	0-1	1-4	3-13	23.1
CHARLOTTE	2-2				0-2	1-2		1-3	0-2	1-1		5-12	41.7
SMU	1-1		1-2	1-3	1-3		0-1			0-2		4-12	
@Memphis													
@UCF													
USF													
CINCINNATI													
@UConn													
@Tulane													
ECU													
TOTAL	6-8	5-6	1-2	1-7	3-7	1-2	0-3	1-7	1-4	2-7	2-9	22-60	
	75.0	83.3	50.0	14.3	42.9	50.0	0.0	14.3	25.0	28.6	22.2	36.7	

	OPPONENTS												
	<u>3rd-n-1</u>	<u>3rd-n-2</u>	<u>3rd-n-3</u>	<u>3rd-n-4</u>	<u>3rd-n-5</u>	<u>3rd-n-6</u>	<u>3rd-n-7</u>	<u>3rd-n-8</u>	<u>3rd-n-9</u>	<u>3rd-n-10</u>	<u>3d-n-10+</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Pct</u>
ARMY	4-4	3-3	0-1	0-1	0-1						0-4	7-14	50.0
STONY BROOK	0-1	0-2	0-1	0-1	0-1			0-2	0-2		0-3	0-13	0.0
@Penn State							0-1	1-1	0-3		1-4	2-9	22.2
CHARLOTTE	2-2	2-2	1-2	0-1	0-2		0-2	2-2	0-3	0-1	1-1	8-18	44.4
SMU	1-2	0-1		1-2	1-1	1-2	0-1	0-3	0-1	0-2	1-5	5-20	
@Memphis													
@UCF													
USF													
CINCINNATI													
@UConn													
@Tulane													
ECU													
TOTAL	7-9	5-8	1-4	1-5	1-5	1-2	0-4	3-8	0-9	0-3	3-17	22-74	
	77.8	62.5	25.0	20.0	20.0	50.0	0.0	37.5	0.0	0.0	17.6	29.7	

DRIVE LENGTH SITUATIONS (Drives-TDs-FGs)

	TEMPLE											
	<u>90-99</u>	<u>80-89</u>	<u>70-79</u>	<u>60-69</u>	<u>50-59</u>	<u>40-49</u>	<u>30-39</u>	<u>20-29</u>	<u>10-19</u>	<u>1-9</u>	<u>Total</u>	
ARMY	1-0-0	3-1-0	4-0-1					1-0-1			9-1-2	
STONY BROOK		1-0-0	2-1-1	1-1-0		5-3-0	3-0-0		2-0-0	1-0-0	15-5-1	
@Penn State	2-0-0	2-0-1	6-1-0	1-0-1						2-2-0	13-3-2	
CHARLOTTE	2-0-0	3-1-1	3-1-1	2-1-0		2-2-0			1-1-0		13-6-2	
SMU	1-0-0		5-1-0	1-0-0	3-0-0	5-3-1	1-1-0			1-1-0	17-6-1	
@Memphis												
@UCF												
USF												
CINCINNATI												
@UConn												
@Tulane												
ECU												
TOTAL	6-0-0	9-2-2	20-4-3	5-2-1	3-0-0	12-8-1	4-1-0	1-0-1	3-1-0	4-3-0	67-21-8	

	OPPONENTS											
	<u>90-99</u>	<u>80-89</u>	<u>70-79</u>	<u>60-69</u>	<u>50-59</u>	<u>40-49</u>	<u>30-39</u>	<u>20-29</u>	<u>10-19</u>	<u>1-9</u>	<u>Total</u>	
ARMY	1-0-0	1-1-0	3-2-0		1-0-0	1-0-0	2-1-0		1-0-0		10-4-0	
STONY BROOK	3-0-0	4-0-0	3-0-0	1-0-0	3-0-0						14-0-0	
@Penn State	1-0-0	1-0-1	4-1-1	2-1-0	2-2-0	3-0-0			1-0-0		14-4-2	
CHARLOTTE	1-0-0	5-1-0	5-2-0	2-0-0							13-3-0	
SMU	2-0-0	4-0-0	5-0-0	2-1-0			1-1-0				14-2-0	
@Memphis												
@UCF												
USF												
CINCINNATI												
@UConn												
@Tulane												
ECU												
TOTAL	8-0-0	15-2-1	20-5-1	7-2-0	6-2-0	4-0-0	3-2-0	0-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	65-13-2	

TAKEAWAYS = POINTS**TEMPLE**

Opponent	Qtr	Time Rem.	Fumble	INT	YdLn	TD	FG	Other	Play
ARMY			0	0		0	0	0	Scores:TA = 0:0 ... TD:TA = 0:0 ... Points = 0
STONY BROOK			1	3		1	1	2	Scores:TA = 2:4 ... TD:TA = 1:4 ... Points = 10
	1st	2:19	1		SB16			0	S.Alston KOR / FF: C.Russell / FR: C.Russell
	2nd	14:10		1	SB21	1			J.Carbone pass / INT: S.Chandler
	3rd	7:26		1	SB21		1		J.Carbone pass / INT: D.Randall
	4th	0:48		1	EZ			0	P.Irwin pass / INT: B.Walls
@Penn State			2	1		2	0	1	Scores:TA = 2:3 ... TD:TA = 2:3 ... Points = 14
	2nd	12:44	1		T7			1	M.Sanders run / FF: P.Martin-Oguike / FR: A.Williams
	3rd	4:05		1	PS9	1			T.McSorley pass / INT: D.Randall
	4th	9:04	1		PS1	1			A.Oruwariye punt return / FR: D.Randall
CHARLOTTE			1	0		1	0	0	Scores:TA = 1:1 ... TD:TA = 1:1 ... Points = 7
	2nd	7:00	1		C13	1			K.Phillips run / FR: P.Martin-Oguike
SMU			2	2		3	0	1	Scores:TA = 3:4 ... TD:TA = 3:4 ... Points = 21
	1st	12:49	1		SMU42	1			C.Burks punt return / FR: H.Reddick
	1st	2:04		1	SMU48	1			B.Hicks pass / INT: N.L.Smith
	2nd	11:10	1		EZ	1			B.Hicks sacked / FF: H.Reddick / FR: R.Deloatch
	2nd	0:28		1	T47			1	B.Hicks ppass / INT: J.Folks
@Memphis									
@UCF									
USF									
CINCINNATI									
@UConn									
@Tulane									
ECU									
TOTAL			5	6		6	1	4	Scores:TA = 8:12 ... TD:TA = 7:12 ... Points = 52

OPPONENTS

Opponent	Qtr	Time Rem.	Fumble	INT	YdLn	TD	FG	Other	Play
ARMY			0	3		1	0	2	Scores:TA = 1:3 ... TD:TA = 1:3 ... Points = 7
	1st	10:05		1	A28			1	P.Walker pass / INT: M.Hyatt
	4th	3:11		1	T26	1			P.Walker pass / INT: K.Brinson
	4th	1:39		1	T44			1	P.Walker pass / INT: M.Reynolds
STONY BROOK			0	1		0	0	1	Scores:TA = 0:1 ... TD:TA = 0:1 ... Points = 0
	2nd	6:48		1	50			1	P.Walker pass / INT: J.Woods
@Penn State			0	1		0	0	1	Scores:TA = 0:1 ... TD:TA = 0:1 ... Points = 0
	4th	0:25		1	T14			0	P.Walker pass / INT: J.Reid
CHARLOTTE			0	0		0	0	0	Scores:TA = 0:0 ... TD:TA = 0:0 ... Points = 0
SMU			1	2		3	0	0	Scores:TA = 3:3 ... TD:TA = 3:3 ... Points = 20
	1st	13:57		1	EZ	1			P.Walker pass / INT: J.Wyatt
	2nd	7:36		1	T33	1			P.Walker pass / INT: H.Richardson
	4th	14:21	1		SMU31	1			J.Gardner run / FF: Z.Minor / FR: K.Mitchell
@Memphis									
@UCF									
USF									
CINCINNATI									
@UConn									
@Tulane									
ECU									
TOTAL			1	7		4	0	4	Scores:TA = 4:8 ... TD:TA = 4:8 ... Points = 27

2016 Temple Football

BIG PLAYS

RUSHING PLAYS OF 10+ YARDS; PASS PLAYS OF 20+ YARDS; RETURNS OF 30+ YARDS

Run	Pass	Ret	TEMPLE	Run	Pass	Ret	ARMY
11			Ryquell Armstead	11			Jordan Asberry
	32		Phillip Walker to Colin Thompson	10			Darnell Woolfolk
10			David Hood	14			Andy Davidson
	20		Phillip Walker to Adonis Jennings	10t			Ahmad Bradshaw
				12			Jordan Asberry
				15			Jordan Asberry
				10			Tyler Campbell
				11			Jordan Asberry
				21			Christian Drake
				12			Tyler Campbell
				19			Andy Davidson
				17			Andy Davidson
Run	Pass	Ret	TEMPLE	Run	Pass	Ret	STONY BROOK
36			Cortelle Simpson	17			Jordan Gowins
	21		Phillip Walker to Romond Deloatch		36		Joe Carbone to Donavin Washington
12			Phillip Walker				
11			Isaiah Wright				
11			Isaiah Wright				
17			Nick Sharga				
		48	Sean Chandler (punt return)				
	26t		Phillip Walker to Keith Kirkwood				
Run	Pass	Ret	TEMPLE	Run	Pass	Ret	PENN STATE
	67		Phillip Walker to Romond Deloatch			35	Brandon Polk (KOR)
15			Jahad Thomas			31	Miles Sanders (KOR)
				12			Andre Robinson
					52t		Trace McSorley to Chris Godwin
				13			Trace McSorley
				19			Miles Sanders
					52		Trace McSorley to Mike Gesicki
					45		Trace McSorley to DaeSean Hamilton
				55t			Saquon Barkley
Run	Pass	Ret	TEMPLE	Run	Pass	Ret	CHARLOTTE
11			Phillip Walker	11			Kalif Phillips
15			Jahad Thomas		28		Kevin Olsen to T.L. Ford II
	57t		Phillip Walker to Adonis Jennings	11			Kalif Phillips
25			Ryquell Armstead	66t			Kalif Phillips
13			Jahad Thomas		28		Kevin Olsen to T.L. Ford II
	40t		Phillip Walker to Brodrick Yancy	14			Matt Johnson
11			Jahad Thomas	10			Austin Duke
	28		Phillip Walker to Keith Kirkwood	26			Ben Lamey
	44		Phillip Walker to Jahad Thomas				
	20		Phillip Walker to Romond Deloatch				
14			Isaiah Wright				
17			Freddie Johnson				
17			Jager Gardner				
Run	Pass	Ret	TEMPLE	Run	Pass	Ret	SMU
12			Jahad Thomas			35t	Jordan Wyatt (INT)
	42t		Phillip Walker to Ventell Bryant	17			Xavier Jones
12			Isaiah Wright			34	Horace Richardson (INT)
	34		Phillip Walker to Romond Deloatch	14			Braeden West
13			Ryquell Armstead	12			Ke'Mon Freeman
31			Ryquell Armstead		48		Ben Hicks to Xavier Castille
15t			Jahad Thomas				
33			Ryquell Armstead				
37t			Ryquell Armstead				
11			Jahad Thomas				
14			Ryquell Armstead				

THE LAST TIME....(TEAM)**TEAM**

Won in Overtime
 Won by Scoring in the Last Two Minutes of Regulation

Tied Game by Scoring in the
 Last Two Minutes of Regulation

Shutout
 Held Opponent without a Touchdown
 Scoreless First Half

Won by 20 or More Points
 Won After Trailing by 20 or More Points
 Held a 28 or More Point Lead
 Held a 21 or More Point Lead

Scored 20 or More Points in a Quarter
 Scored 20 or More Points in a Half

Touchdowns Scored by Offense and Defense
 Touchdowns Scored by Off., Def. and Special Teams
 Safety Scored

Two-Point Conversion
 No Penalties in Game

50 or More Points Scored in a Game
 40 or More Points Scored in a Game
 Touchdown Scored on First Drive

Temple

10/12/13 at Connecticut, 17-14
 9/19/15 at UMass, 25-23 (last score at 0:02)
 32-yard FG by Austin Jones
 10/26/13 at SMU, 59-49
 (tied game at 1:02 with Kenny Harper 2-yard
 run and Nick Visco kick)

9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook, 38-0
9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook, 38-0

10/5/13 loss to #7 Louisville, 30-7

10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20

n/a

10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20 (28)

10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20 (28)

10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20 (21 point 1st Q)

10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20 (35 point 1st half)

10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20 (5 offense, 1 defense)

9/20/14 win vs. Delaware State (5 off, 1 def, 2 st)

9/27/14 at Connecticut (Tyler Matakevich)

12/22/15 vs. Toledo (P.Walker pass to R.Anderson)

n/a

11/6/15 win at SMU, 60-40

10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20

11/6/15 J.Gardner 94 yd. run at SMU, 60-40 (12:02)

Opponent

12/1/08 at Navy, 33-27
 11/7/14 vs. Memphis, 16-13 (last score at 0:00)
 31-yard FG by Jake Elliott

11/16/13 vs. #15/19 UCF, 39-36
 (tied game at 1:06 with 30-yard TD pass
 from Blake Bortles to J.J. Worton)

11/10/07 vs. #25 Penn State, 31-0

11/23/10 at Miami (OH), 23-3

9/10/16 loss by Stony Brook, 38-0

11/14/15 at USF, 44-23

11/23/13 vs. UConn, 28-21 (trailed 21-0 at 11:47 in 3rd Q)

10/5/13 vs. Louisville, 30-7 (30)

12/5/15 at #19 Houston (21)

12/22/15 vs. Toledo, 32-17 (20 point 4th Q)

9/17/16 at Penn State, 34-27 (21 point 1st half)

10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20 (2 offense, 1 defense)

n/a

12/22/15 by Toledo (team)

n/a

n/a

10/26/13 win at SMU, 59-49

11/14/15 at USF, 44-23

12/5/15 J.Webb 1 yd. run at #19 Houston (10:05)

OFFENSE

500 or More Total Net Yards of Offense

400 or More Total Net Yards of Offense

300 or More Net Yards Rushing by Team

200 or More Net Yards Rushing by Team

400 Net Yards Passing by Team

300 Net Yards Passing by Team

No Sacks Allowed

No Turnovers

9/24/16 vs. Charlotte (507)

9/24/16 vs. Charlotte (507)

11/17/12 at Army (534)

10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20 (244)

n/a

9/19/15 at UMass (391)

9/24/16 vs. Charlotte

9/24/16 vs. Charlotte

11/14/15 at USF (556)

9/24/16 vs. Charlotte (429)

9/2/16 vs. Army (329)

9/24/16 vs. Charlotte (231)

9/12/15 at Cincinnati (427)

9/19/15 at UMass (393)

9/17/16 at Penn State

9/2/16 vs. Army

Defense

Held Opponent Under 200 Net Yards of Total Offense

Held Opponent Under 300 Net Yards of Total Offense

Held Opponent Under 50 Yards Rushing

Held Opponent Under 75 Yards Rushing

Held Opponent Under 100 Yards Rushing

Held Opponent Under 100 Net Yards Passing

Held Opponent Under 150 Net Yards Passing

Seven or More Sacks by Team

Six or More Sacks by Team

Five or More Sacks by Team

9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook (133)

10/1/16 vs. SMU (288)

9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook (49)

9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook (49)

10/1/16 vs. SMU (89)

9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook (84)

9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook (84)

9/5/15 vs. Penn State (10)

10/22/15 at East Carolina (6)

10/22/15 at East Carolina (6)

11/1/14 vs. #21 East Carolina (135)

9/2/16 vs. Army (251)

9/17/16 at Penn State (38)

9/17/16 at Penn State (38)

9/17/16 at Penn State (38)

11/1/14 vs. #21 East Carolina (70)

10/17/15 vs. UCF (149)

11/23/10 at Miami (FL) (7)

11/23/10 at Miami (FL) (7)

11/23/13 vs. Connecticut (5)

Special Teams

No Punts

Blocked Punt

Missed Extra Point Attempt

Blocked Field Goal Attempt

Blocked Field Goal returned for a TD

Blocked PAT returned for a score

n/a

9/2/16 Sharif Finch vs. Army

10/2/15 Austin Jones at Charlotte (blocked)

11/15/14 Praise Martin-Oguike at Penn State

n/a

9/19/15 Will Hayes at UMass (blocked by
 P.Martin-Oguike & recovered by S.Marshall)

n/a

11/21/15 Wynton McManis vs. #21 Memphis

12/22/13 Jameson Vest vs. Toledo

n/a

n/a

n/a

Returns

Interception Return for a Touchdown

Fumble Returned for Touchdown

Kickoff Return for a Touchdown

Punt Return for a Touchdown

Blocked Punt, Returned for Touchdown

11/6/15 Sean Chandler (41 yards) at SMU

10/1/16 Romond Deloatch (8 yards) vs. SMU

9/12/15 Jahad Thomas (100 yards) at Cincinnati

9/20/14 Khalif Herbin (84 yards) vs. Delaware State

10/2/15 Sharif Finch at Charlotte
 (rec./ret. by Nate L. Smith 16 yds for TD)

10/1/16 Jordan Wyatt (35 yards) vs. SMU

10/20/12 Khaseem Green (20 yards) vs. Rutgers

11/6/15 Braeden West (80 yards) at SMU

11/6/10 Sam Kirkwood (recovered in EZ) at Kent State

8/28/14 Oren Burks at Vanderbilt
 (recovered in EZ)

2016 Temple Football

THE LAST TIME....(INDIVIDUAL)

OFFENSE

	Temple	Opponent
Individual 300-Yard Rushing Game	11/17/12 Montel Harris (36-351-7TDs) at Army	n/a
Individual 200-Yard Rushing Game	11/17/12 Montel Harris (36-351-7TDs) at Army	11/14/15 Marlon Mack (21-230-2TDs) at USF
Individual 150-Yard Rushing Game	10/1/16 Ryquell Armstead (15-159-2TDs) vs. SMU	11/14/15 Marlon Mack (21-230-2TDs) at USF
Individual 100-Yard Rushing Game	10/1/16 Ryquell Armstead (15-159-2TDs) vs. SMU	9/24/16 Kalif Phillips (16-114-1TD) vs. Charlotte
Two 100-Yard Rushers in the Same Game	n/a	n/a
Consecutive 100-Yard Rushing Games (Same Season)	9/12/15 Jahad Thomas (26-193-1TD) at Cincinnati 9/5/15 Jahad Thomas (29-135-2TDs) vs. Penn State	11/14/15 Marlon Mack (21-230-2TDs) at USF 11/6/15 Matt Davis (17-102-1TD) at SMU 10/31/15 DeShone Kizer (17-143-2TDs) vs. #9 Notre Dame 12/5/15 Greg Ward Jr. (17-148-2TDs) and Brandon Wilson (11-70-0TDs) at #19 Houston
Combined 200-Yard Rushing by Two Players	10/1/16 Ryquell Armstead (15-159-2TDs) and Jahad Thomas (16-80-2TDs) vs. SMU	12/5/15 Zack Langer (30-113-1TD) vs. Tulsa 11/7/14 Brandon Hayes (26-75-0TDs) vs. Memphis
Individual with 30 or More Carries	10/17/15 Jahad Thomas (31-199-3TDs) vs. UCF	10/11/14 Zack Langer (30-113-1TD) vs. Tulsa
Individual with 25 or More Carries	10/17/15 Jahad Thomas (31-199-3TDs) vs. UCF	11/7/14 Brandon Hayes (26-75-0TDs) vs. Memphis
Rushing Play of 60 or More Yards	11/28/15 Jahad Thomas (60t) vs. UConn	9/24/16 Kalif Phillips (66t) vs. Charlotte
Rushing Play of 40 or More Yards	11/28/15 Jahad Thomas (60t) vs. UConn	9/24/16 Kalif Phillips (66t) vs. Charlotte
Individual with Three or More Rushing Touchdowns	10/17/15 Jahad Thomas (31-199-3TDs) vs. UCF	n/a
Individual with Two or More Rushing Touchdowns	10/1/16 Jahad Thomas (16-80-2TDs) & Ryquell Armstead (15-159-2TDs) vs. SMU	9/2/16 Andy Davidson (22-121-2TDs) vs. Army
Individual with 50 or More Pass Attempts	n/a	9/19/15 Blake Frohnapfel (29-55-393-3TDs-1INT) at UMass
Individual with 40 or More Pass Attempts	12/5/15 P.Walker (26-44-287-1TD-1INT) at #19 Houston	10/1/16 Ben Hicks (22-42-299-2-2TD) vs. SMU
Individual with 30 or More Pass Completions	10/9/04 Walt Washington (30-45-314-3TD-0INT) vs. Pitt	10/22/15 Blake Kemp (31-48-272-1INT-1TD) at East Carolina
Individual with 25 or More Pass Completions	9/17/16 P.Walker (25-34-286-0TD-1INT) at Penn State	10/22/15 Blake Kemp (31-48-272-1INT-1TD) at East Carolina
Individual 400-Yard Passing Game	10/5/96 Henry Burris (25-41-495-3 TD-0 INT) at Pitt	9/12/15 Gunner Kiel (30-52-427-2-4INT) at Cincinnati
Individual 300-Yard Passing Game	9/19/15 P.Walker (28-48-391-1-TD-2-INTs) at UMass	9/19/15 Blake Frohnapfel (29-55-393-3TDs-1INT) at UMass
Consecutive 300-Yard Passing Games (Same Season)	2010 Mike Gerardi (21-29-368-2TDs) at Kent State (11/6); (28-48-311-2TDs) vs. Ohio (11/16)	2015 Gunner Kiel (30-52-427-2-4INT) at Cincinnati B.Frohnapfel (29-55-393-3TDs-1INT) at UMass)
Individual with Five or More Touchdown Passes	11/22/08 Adam DiMichele (21-37-370-6 TD-0 INT) vs. EMU	11/3/12 T.Bridgewater (19-28-324-5 TD-0 INT) at Louisville
Individual with Four or More Touchdown Passes	11/6/15 P.Walker (18-25-268-4TDs-0INTs) at SMU	11/16/13 Blake Bortles (27-38-404-4-0INTs) vs. #15/19 UCF
Individual with 10 or More Receptions	12/5/15 Robby Anderson (12-150-1TD) at #19 Houston	10/22/15 Isaiah Jones (10-106-1TD) at East Carolina
Individual 200-Yard Receiving Game	10/28/13 Robby Anderson (9-239-2TDs) at SMU	10/26/13 Keenan Holman (10-209-3TDs) at SMU
Individual 150-Yard Receiving Game	12/5/15 Robby Anderson (12-150-1TD) at #19 Houston	9/19/15 Tajae Sharpe (11-156-0TDs) at UMass
Individual 100-Yard Receiving Game	12/5/15 Robby Anderson (12-150-1TD) at #19 Houston	9/17/16 Chris Godwin (7-117-1TD) at Penn State
Two 100-Yard Receivers in the Same Game	10/11/14 Jalen Fitzpatrick (5-107, 1TD) & Jamie Gilmore (2-100-0TDs) vs. Tulsa	9/19/15 Tajae Sharpe (11-156-0TDs) & Rodney Mills (5-104-2TDs) at UMass
Consecutive 100-Yard Receiving Games (Same Season)	2014 Jalen Fitzpatrick (6-108-1TD) at Connecticut and (5-107-1TD) vs. Tulsa	2015 Tajae Sharpe (11-156-0TDs) at UMass Mekale McKay (2-105-1TD) at Cincinnati
Pass Play of 80 or More Yards	10/26/13 Jalen Fitzpatrick to R.Anderson (83t) at SMU	12/22/15 Phillip Ely to Cody Thompson (80t) vs. Toledo
Pass Play of 60 or More Yards	9/17/16 P.Walker to R.Deloatch (67) at Penn State	12/22/15 Phillip Ely to Cody Thompson (80t) vs. Toledo
Pass Play of 40 or More Yards	10/1/16 P.Walker to Ventell Bryant (42t) vs. SMU	10/1/16 Ben Hicks to Xavier Castille (48) vs. SMU
Individual with Four or More Touchdown Receptions	11/22/08 Bruce Francis (4) vs. Eastern Michigan	9/16/06 Logan Payne (4) at Minnesota
Individual with Three or More Touchdown Receptions	11/30/13 Robby Anderson (7-96-3TDs) at Memphis	11/16/13 J.J. Worton (10-179-3TDs) vs. #15/19 UCF
Led Team in Both Rush. & Rec. Yards in Same Game	10/2/15 Jahad Thomas at Charlotte (20-109-2TDs rush. & 3-48-0TDs rec.)	10/2/15 Kalif Phillips at Charlotte (19-125-0TDs rush. & 2-41-0TDs rec.)
100-Yd. Rusher & 100-Yd. Receiver in the Same Game	10/11/14 Jahad Thomas (14-152-0TDs rush.), Jalen Fitzpatrick (5-107-1TD rec.), Jamie Gilmore (2-100-0TDs rec.) vs. Tulsa	11/14/15 Marlon Mack (21-230-2TDs rush.), Rodney Adams (7-147-1TD rec.) at USF
100-Yd. Rush. & Rec. & 300-Yd. Passer in Same Game	n/a	11/16/13 Storm Johnson (14-122-0TDs rush.), J.J. Worton (10-179-3TDs rec.), Rannell Hall (9-159-0TDs rec.), Blake Bortles (27-38-404-4-0INTs) vs. #15/19 UCF
At Least One Rushing & Receiving TD in Same Game	10/10/15 Jahad Thomas vs. Tulane (14-54-1TD rush. 2-24-1TD rec.)	11/14/15 Marlon Mack at USF (21-230-2TDs rush. 3-42-1TD rec.)
At Least One Rush. TD & One TD Pass in Same Game	11/6/15 P.Walker at SMU (18-25-268-4TDs pass, 7-49-1TD rush)	11/6/15 Quinton Flowers at USF (15-22-230-0-1TD pass., 18-90-1TD rush.)

DEFENSE

Individual with Three or More Interceptions	n/a	n/a
Individual with Two or More Interceptions	9/12/15 Tyler Matakevich (2) at Cincinnati 9/12/15 Alex Wells (2) at Cincinnati	11/23/10 Evan Harris (2) at Miami (FL)
Individual with Four or More Sacks	10/19/02 Dan Klecko (4.0) at Connecticut	n/a
Individual with Three or More Sacks	9/5/15 Tyler Matakevich (3.0) vs. Penn State	9/14/13 DeAndre Slate (3.0) vs. Fordham
Individual with Two or More Sacks	10/1/16 Haason Reddick (2.0) vs. SMU	9/2/16 Alex Aukerman (2.0) vs. Army

SPECIAL TEAMS

Individual with Five or More Field Goals	n/a	9/7/13 Richie Leone (5) vs. Houston
Individual with Four or More Field Goals	9/3/10 Brandon McManus vs. Villanova	11/21/15 Jake Elliott vs. #21 Memphis (4-5)
Individual with Three or More Field Goals	12/22/15 Austin Jones vs. Toledo (3-3)	11/21/15 Jake Elliott vs. #21 Memphis (4-5)
Individual with 60-yard or More Punt	12/22/15 Alex Starzyk (71) vs. Toledo	12/22/15 Nick Ellis (64) vs. Toledo
Individual with 50-yard or More Field Goal	10/6/12 Brandon McManus (50) vs. South Florida	9/12/15 Andrew Gantz (53) at Cincinnati

2016 HIGH & LOWS

Best.....		TEMPLE.....		Worst	
48	vs. Charlotte.....	Points.....	13	vs. Army	
26	vs. Charlotte.....	First Downs.....	13	at Penn State	
507	vs. Charlotte.....	Total Offense.....	251	vs. Army	
244	vs. SMU.....	Net Yards Rushing.....	38	at Penn State	
297	vs. Charlotte.....	Net Yards Passing.....	124	(2x) last vs. SMU	
66	vs. Charlotte.....	Plays.....	54	vs. Army	
45	vs. SMU.....	Rushing Attempts.....	28	(2x) last at Penn State	
34	at Penn State.....	Pass Attempts.....	18	vs. SMU	
25	at Penn State.....	Pass Completions.....	7	vs. SMU	
0	vs. Charlotte.....	Intercepted.....	3	vs. Army	
0	vs. Charlotte.....	Sacked.....	4	vs. Army	
0	(3x) last at Penn State.....	Fumbles.....	1	(2x) last vs. SMU	
0	(4x) last vs. Charlotte.....	Fumbles Lost.....	1	vs. SMU	
0	vs. Charlotte.....	Total Turnovers.....	3	vs. Army	
2	vs. Stony Brook.....	Penalties.....	13	at Penn State	
20	vs. Stony Brook.....	Yards Penalized.....	118	at Penn State	
31:27	at Penn State.....	Time of Possession.....	24:12	vs. Army	
14	vs. Stony Brook.....	Third Down Conversions (att).....	9	vs. Army	
7	vs. Stony Brook.....	Third Down Conversions (conv).....	3	(2x) last at Penn State	
Worst		OPPONENT		Best	
0	Stony Brook.....	Points.....	34	Penn State	
7	Stony Brook.....	First Downs.....	25	(2x) last by Charlotte	
133	Stony Brook.....	Total Offense.....	429	Charlotte	
49	Stony Brook.....	Net Yards Rushing.....	329	Army	
15	Army.....	Net Yards Passing.....	287	Penn State	
54	Stony Brook.....	Plays.....	84	Charlotte	
32	SMU.....	Rushing Attempts.....	67	Army	
5	Army.....	Pass Attempts.....	44	SMU	
2	Army.....	Pass Completions.....	22	SMU	
3	Stony Brook.....	Intercepted.....	0	(2x) last by Charlotte	
4	SMU.....	Sacked.....	0	Penn State	
5	Penn State.....	Fumbles.....	1	Army	
2	(2x) last by SMU.....	Fumbles Lost.....	0	Army	
4	(2x) last by SMU.....	Total Turnovers.....	0	Army	
8	SMU.....	Penalties.....	5	(3x) last by Charlotte	
63	SMU.....	Yards Penalized.....	33	Stony Brook	
28:33	Penn State.....	Time of Possession.....	35:48	Army	
9	Penn State.....	Third Down Conversions (att).....	20	SMU	
0	Army.....	Third Down Conversions (conv).....	8	Charlotte	
Temple.....		INDIVIDUAL		Opponent	
159	Ryquell Armstead vs. SMU.....	Yards Rushing.....	121	Andy Davidson, Army	
16	(2x) last by Jahad Thomas vs. SMU.....	Rushing Attempts.....	22	Andy Davidson, Army	
2	(5x) last by Ja.Thomas & R.Armstead vs. SMU.....	Rushing TDs.....	2	Andy Davidson, Army	
6	Jahad Thomas at Penn State.....	Receptions.....	7	Chris Godwin, Penn State	
70	Brodrick Yancy vs. Charlotte.....	Yards Receiving.....	117	Chris Godwin, Penn State	
2	Keith Kirkwood vs. Stony Brook.....	Receiving TDs.....	1	(4x) last by J.Proche and J.Gaines, SMU	
159	Ryquell Armstead vs. SMU.....	Combined Yards (rush/rec).....	126	Kalif Phillips, Charlotte	
159	Ryquell Armstead vs. SMU.....	All-Purpose Yards (rush/rec/ret).....	141	Chris Montgomery, Charlotte	
286	Phillip Walker at Penn State.....	Yards Passing.....	287	Trace McSorley, Penn State	
34	Phillip Walker at Penn State.....	Pass Attempts.....	42	(2x) last by Ben Hicks, SMU	
25	Phillip Walker at Penn State.....	Pass Completions.....	22	Ben Hicks, SMU	
3	Phillip Walker vs. Stony Brook.....	TD Passes.....	2	Ben Hicks, SMU	
3	Phillip Walker vs. Army.....	Interceptions Thrown.....	2	(2x) last by Ben Hicks, SMU	
37t	Ryquell Armstead vs. SMU.....	Longest Run.....	66t	Kalif Phillips, Charlotte	
67	Phillip Walker to Romond Deloatch at Penn State.....	Longest Pass Completion.....	52t	T.McSorley to C.Godwin, Penn State	
26	Travon Williams vs. Stony Brook.....	Longest Kickoff Return.....	35	Brandon Polk, Penn State	
48	Sean Chandler vs. Stony Brook.....	Longest Punt Return.....	29	John Reid, Penn State	
27	Nate L. Smith vs. SMU.....	Longest Interception Return.....	35t	Jordan Wyatt, SMU	
54	Alex Starzyk vs. Stony Brook.....	Longest Punt.....	52	Marc Nolan, Stony Brook	
45	Austin Jones at Penn State.....	Longest Field Goal.....	40	Tyler Davis, Penn State	
2	(6x) last by Ja.Thomas & R.Armstead vs. SMU.....	Touchdowns Scored.....	2	Andy Davidson, Army	
12	(7x) last by Ja.Thomas & R.Armstead vs. SMU.....	Points Scored.....	12	Andy Davidson, Army	
12	Avery Williams vs. Army.....	Tackles.....	9	Nick Cook, Charlotte	
2.0	Haason Reddick vs. SMU.....	Sacks.....	2.0	Alex Aukerman, Army	
1	(6x) last by J.Folks and N.L.Smith vs. SMU.....	Interceptions.....	1	(7x) last by J.Wyatt & H.Richardson, SMU	

Army 28, Temple 13

September 2, 2016

Lincoln Financial Field, Philadelphia, Pa

ARMY RUNS OVER TEMPLE FOR UPSET VICTORY

PHILADELPHIA - Army utilized its famed triple option running attack to march up and down the field to upset the Temple Owls, 28-13, in the season opener for both teams Friday night in front of 34,005 fans at Lincoln Financial Field. The Black Knights accumulated 329 rushing yards on 67 carries with fullback Andy Davidson leading the way with 121 yards and two TDs.

Temple struggled throughout the game to find any offensive rhythm, with the defense unable to slow down the Army ground game. The Army offense controlled the line-of-scrimmage and dominated the time-of-possession in both halves.

Head coach Matt Rhule reiterated the Owls mistakes following the loss, targeting turnovers, quarterback protection and red zone efficiency.

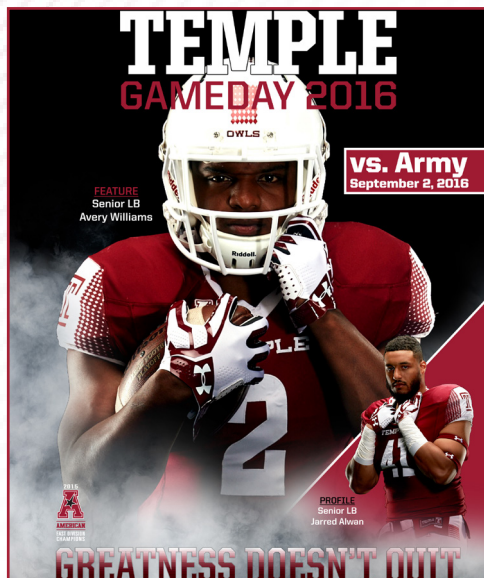
"We looked good early on at times, but when times got hard we couldn't react," Rhule said. "That is not the team that we want to have. I thought defensively, we couldn't stop Army. Offensively, we couldn't capitalize. We got the ball in the red zone three times and could not produce. We had three turnovers, Army had none. We could not protect the quarterback. That's on me. We have three losses in a row and we have to do something, quickly, to get ourselves back on track."

Senior QB Phillip Walker and the offense found no movement through the air or on the ground in the second half, scoring just a field goal. However, the four-year starter was able to break the school record for career passing yards in the contest.

On the day, Walker compiled a solid 168 yards on 12 completions through the air, throwing three costly interceptions with no scores. The senior snapped former QB Henry Burris' record of 7,495 passing yards on Temple's opening drive of the second half, finding Keith Kirkwood on a short checkdown pass in the right sideline for 14 yards. He now has 7,541 passing yards for his Owl career.

Meanwhile, RB Ryquell Armstead shouldered the load for the running back corps, racking up career-high 79 yards on 16 carries with one touchdown. The sophomore's strong performance gives the backfield some much-needed depth, as the Owls' usual starter Jahad Thomas sat out with a hand injury.

The scoring came slowly throughout, with Armstead's only touchdown starting things off early in the second quarter. Army quickly matched the following series behind the efforts of QB Ahmad Bradshaw, who snuck his way into the endzone utilizing the Black Knights' rarely



seen triple option offense.

Despite the Temple offense consistently working its way up and down the field, the Owls struggled finishing drives, owing its slim 10-7 halftime lead to excellent field position granted by a senior DL Sharif Finch blocked punt, the fifth of his career.

The second half seemed to continue a similar story as the Owl defense surrendered an opening 77-yard drive and their lead to the Black Knights, capped by Davidson's surge passed the goal line.

Even with junior PK Austin Jones' field goal closing the gap, Army continued to manhandle the Owl defensive front, methodically con-

verting positive gains for its third touchdown of the game. The Black Knight defense followed suit on the ensuing drive, shutting down Walker for a quick three-and-out.

The Owls had a chance in the final minutes as Army, leading 21-13, missed a field goal with 3:41. Temple took possession on its own 30-yard line, but Walker was picked off two plays later by Kenneth Brinson. The Black Knights then iced the game on a 17-yard TD run by Davidson with 2:28 on the clock. Walker tossed his final interception of the night on the final drive.

Defensively, impressive individual performances by senior linebackers Avery Williams (career-high 12 tackles) and Jarred Alwan (9 tackles), not to mention senior cornerback Sean Chandler (10 tackles), failed to slow the Army triple-option onslaught. For the Black Knights, Davidson and Bradshaw led the way, combining for 185 yards on 38 carries with three touchdowns.

Scoring Summary

		TU-ARMY
2nd		
14:32	R.Armstead 6 run (A.Jones kick), 8-80 3:59	7-0
9:00	A.Bradshaw 10 run (M.Howard kick), 12-75 5:32	7-7
2:51	A.Jones 41 FG, 4-1 0:46	10-7
3rd		
8:18	A.Davidson 3 run (M.Howard kick), 12-77 6:42	10-14
1:29	A.Jones 27 FG, 14-65 6:49	13-14
4th		
9:38	T.Campbell 12 run (M.Howard kick), 14-81 6:45	13-21
2:28	A.Davidson 17 run (M.Howard kick), 2-36 0:43	13-28

Army (1-0)	0	7	7	14	28
Temple (0-1)	0	10	3	0	13

Attendance: 34,005
 Kickoff time: 7:02 pm
 End of Game: 10:11 pm
 Total elapsed time: 3:09
 Officials: Referee: Adam Savoie; Umpire: Paul Myers; Linesman: Dan Harrington; Line judge: Tod Reese; Back judge: Tom Fimmen; Field judge: James Reif; Side judge: Alex Moore; Center judge: Marcus Woods
 Temperature: 79
 Wind: NNE 8mph
 Weather: Cloudy

Team Stats	ARMY	TEM
First Downs	25	16
Rushes Yards (Net)	67-329	28-83
Passing Yards (Net)	15	168
Passes Att-Comp-Int	5-2-0	26-12-3
Total Offense - Plays-Yards	72-344	54-251
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-39	3-43
Interception Returns-Yards	3-29	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	2-21.0	2-31.5
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-34	5-35
Possession Time	35:48	24:12
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 14	3 of 9
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 2	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	4-19	1-7

RUSHING: Army - Davidson 22-121; Asberry 5-53; Bradshaw 16-50; Woolfolk 12-50; Campbell 4-27; Drake 2-24; St. Hilaire 1-6; Carter 2-3; Team 3-(-5). Temple - Armstead 16-77; Hood 5-21; Sharga 2-5; Team 1-(-11); Walker 4-(-19).

PASSING: Army - Bradshaw 1-4-0-11; Carter 1-1-0-4. Temple - Walker 12-26-3-168.

RECEIVING: Army - Poe 1-11; Asberry 1-4. Temple - Ellick 4-46; Kirkwood 3-35; V.Bryant 2-24; Thompson 1-32; Jennings 1-20; Hood 1-11.

INTERCEPTIONS: Army - Hyatt 1-26; Reynolds 1-3; Brinson 1-0. Temple - None.

FUMBLES: Army - Bradshaw 1-0. Temple - None.

SACKS: Army - Aukerman 2.0; Voit 1.0; Brinson 1.0. Temple - J.Martin 0.5; A.Williams 0.5.

TACKLES (UA-A): Army - Timpf 5-3; England 3-2; Hyatt 2-3; Aukerman 4-0; King 3-1; Brinson 3-1; Jackson 2-1; Riley 2-1; Moss 2-1; Ruzga 1-1; Gibson 1-0; Reynolds 1-0; Voit 1-0; Davis 1-0; Macek 0-1; Oyetuga 0-1. Temple - A.Williams 5-7; Chandler 5-5; Alwan 4-5; Marshall 4-5; A.Robinson 4-4; Martin-Oguike 2-5; Foster 3-3; Finch 1-5; Taylor 2-3; Randall 4-0; J.Martin 2-2; Dogbe 0-3; Ellis 2-0; Reddick 1-1; L.Johnson 1-0; Deloatch 1-0; Armstead 1-0; Russell 1-0; Booth-Lloyd 0-1; Webb 0-1.

Temple 38, Stony Brook 0
September 10, 2016
Lincoln Financial Field, Philadelphia, Pa

**TEMPLE GETS BACK TO WINNING WAYS WITH
 38-0 SHUTOUT OVER STONY BROOK**

PHILADELPHIA – Under a blazing mid-September heat with 22,296 fans packing the stands, the Temple Owls secured their initial win of the season over visiting FCS-member Stony Brook, 38-0, Saturday afternoon at Lincoln Financial Field.

Despite the high score-line, the Temple defense proved the most impressive component for the Owls, holding the Seawolves to just 133 yards with no scores. Throughout the first half, Stony Brook only saw the Temple side of the 50-yard line on one possession. That came after a tipped-pass interception at midfield.

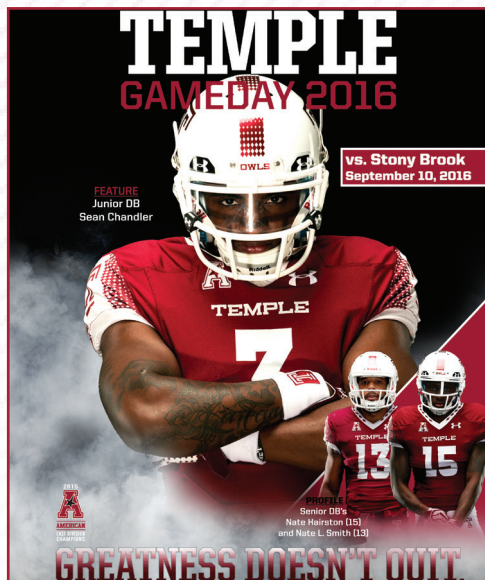
The early dominance by the defense helped the group reassert its identity, a self-proclaimed aggression and hyperactivity. The consistent pressure and blitz-prone front seven made Stony Brook visibly uncomfortable, forcing four turnovers, three sacks and nine tackles-for-loss. On the day, the Seawolves finished a dismal 0-for-13 on third down conversions.

Head coach Matt Rhule discussed his pride regarding how Temple competed during the shutout, noting the “energy” and “juice” the Owls had against the Seawolves despite a full week of grueling practice and, not to forget, last Friday’s loss to Army still fresh in many players’ minds.

“I’m really proud of our team over the last eight days, some real key leadership,” Rhule said. “It was a really, really hard work. We were not a fresh team out there today. We worked this week. I thought you saw, hopefully, a team that played with a lot of energy, a lot of juice, and did enough to win the football game, and to get a shutout on defense is always special.”

Meanwhile, the defensive energy bled its way into the offensive huddle, as senior QB Phillip Walker guided his squad on multiple scoring drives throughout both halves. Walker, who snapped the school record for career passing yards last week against Army, completed a nearly flawless game, throwing 11-of-23 for three scores with the lone interception.

Under Walker’s direction, the offense either reached or began in the redzone five consecutive times after a stalled first possession, scoring touchdowns on four of those occasions. The third quarter proved similar as each of the first two drives saw the scoreboard change in Temple’s favor, including a 26-yard strike to junior WR Keith Kirkwood, all before the senior sat out the final period.



On the receiving end of the senior’s passes were a number of wideouts; none, however, posted a game near Kirkwood, who pulled in a career-high two touchdowns on four receptions for 54 yards. Kirkwood’s standout display was supplemented by a first for sophomore WR Broderick Yancy, who grabbed his initial career score on 15-yard pass in the back of the end zone late in the second quarter.

The Owl offensive engine hit on all cylinders from the get-go, pounding the Stony Brook front all while utilizing a slew of ball carriers for 177 yards on 39 carries for two touchdowns. Sophomore RB Ryquell Armstead saw the most action, generating consistent positive yardage with 48 yards on 14 carries.

A pair of freshmen each made an impact rushing for the Owls, as WR Isaiah Wright made his debut with seven notable touches (42 yards) at tailback while WR Cortelle Simpson notched two end-around sweeps for 40 yards.

The special teams saw a milestone crossed during the victory, as junior PK Austin Jones’ sole field goal midway through the second half jumped him into sixth all-time on Temple’s career scoring list, surpassing Cap Poklemba’s 190 points from the 1999-02 seasons. Further, P Alex Starzyk showcased his coffin corner skills on two of his four punts against Stony Brook, watching the ball downed at the one-yard line on both kicks.

As for Temple head coach Matt Rhule, the shutout of the Seawolves marks the second of his Owl career, the last of which came against fellow FCS-member Delaware State by a 59-0 mark in 2014.

Scoring Summary

		TU-SB
1st		
8:54	R.Armstead 3 run (A.Jones kick), 4-51 1:12	7-0
2:25	P.Walker to K.Kirkwood 5 pass (A.Jones kick), 8-59 4:27	14-0
2nd		
14:16	J.Gardner 4 run (A.Jones kick), 2-21 0:36	21-0
9:09	P.Walker to B.Yancy 15 pass (A.Jones kick), 7-59 3:30	28-0
3rd		
8:26	P.Walker to K.Kirkwood 26 pass (A.Jones kick), 5-40 2:37	35-0
4:41	A.Jones 21 FG, 7-18 2:45	38-0

Stony Brook (1-1)	0	0	0	0	0
Temple (1-1)	14	14	10	0	38

Attendance: 22,296
 Kickoff time: 1:04 pm
 End of Game: 4:04 pm
 Total elapsed time: 3:00
 Officials: Referee: Tracy Jones; Umpire: Nick Pergine; Linesman: Daniel Shelton; Line judge: Colin Gaynor; Back judge: Eric Hermick; Field judge: Jim Smith; Side judge: Matt Waldron; Center judge: Mark Mobra
 Temperature: 93
 Wind: SW 8mph
 Weather: Partly Cloudy

Team Stats	SB	TEM
First Downs	7	14
Rushes-Yards (Net)	34-49	39-177
Passing Yards (Net)	84	124
Passes Att-Comp-Int	20-8-3	25-11-1
Total Offense Plays-Yards	54-133	64-301
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-13	5-81
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-109	1-26
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	3-19
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-39.1	4-47.5
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-33	2-20
Possession Time	29:28	30:32
Third-Down Conversions	0 of 13	7 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 4	0 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	5-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-19	3-21

RUSHING: SB - Gowins 11-36; Bedell 10-18; Irwin 5-16; Liotine 1-0; Carbone 7-(-21). Temple - Armstead 14-48; Wright 7-42; Simpson 2-40; Sharga 1-17; Hood 3-17; Gardner 4-15; Ritrovato 3-8; T.Williams 1-1; Walker 4-(-11).

PASSING: SB - Carbone 8-17-2-84; Irwin 0-3-1-0. Temple - Walker 11-23-1-124; Marchi 0-2-0-0.

RECEIVING: SB - Washington 2-39; Jackson 2-21; Bolden 2-13; Anderson 1-10; Daniels 1-1. Temple - Kirkwood 4-54; Jennings 4-29; Deloatch 2-26; Yancy 1-15.

INTERCEPTIONS: SB - Woods 1-0. Temple - Randall 1-19; Chandler 1-0; Walls 1-0.

FUMBLES: SB - Carbone 2-0; Alston 1-1. Temple - None.

SACKS: SB - Valentin 1.0; McGinty 1.0. Temple - Finch 1.0, Levine 1.0; Reddick 0.5; A.Robinson 0.5.

TACKLES (UA-A): SB - McGinty 6-1; Lawless 6-1; Peart 5-1; Beverette 4-2; Morgan 4-1; Woods 3-1; Carlock 3-0; Valentin 3-0; Heslop 2-0; Reid-Segure 2-0; Cooper 2-0; Hart 1-1; Anuh 1-1; Nolan 1-0; Henderson 1-0; Miller 1-0; Malone 1-0; Haggart 0-1. Temple - Kwenkeu 4-1; Walls 4-1; Marshall 4-0; Martin-Oguike 4-0; Dioubate 3-0; Finch 2-1; Russell 2-1; N.L.Smith 2-1; A.Williams 2-0; A.Robinson 1-1; Chandler 1-1; Alwan 0-2; Folks 0-2; Hairston 1-0; D.Thomas 1-0; Crump 1-0; Jefferson 1-0; Reichner 1-0; J.Robinson 1-0; Booth-Lloyd 1-0; Jennings 1-0; Randall 1-0; Levine 1-0; Reddick 0-1; A.Jones 0-1; Dogbe 0-1; Webb 0-1; Grimes 0-1.

Penn State 34, Temple 27
September 17, 2016
Beaver Stadium, State College, Pa

PENN STATE OUTLASTS TEMPLE FOR 34-27 WIN

STATE COLLEGE – Despite a resilient defensive effort and a late offensive surge, Temple fell short in its first road challenge, suffering a close 34-27 loss at the hands of rival Penn State in front of a crowd of 100,420 at Beaver Stadium on Saturday afternoon.

The Owls, who battled from behind throughout the entire matchup, closed the score to within a single possession on their final drive, but an inopportune turnover snuffed out the possibility for the comeback.

Throughout the first few drives, quick strikes from both quarterbacks signaled a shootout between the Pennsylvania rivals was underway, but a combination of defensive pressure and constant penalties soon slowed down both offenses.

Senior QB Phillip Walker and his unit struggled in the first half, but managed to put together multiple scoring possessions in the second, compiling 286 passing yards on 25-of-34 with a rushing touchdown and interception.

The early Owls' spark came behind the efforts of red-shirt senior WR Romond Deloatch, who grabbed a career-long 67-yard reception on the initial play of the second drive. With the defense reeling, Temple set up RB Jahad Thomas with his first carry and touchdown of the season on an eight-yard sweep a play later.

The rushing score moved Thomas up to fifth all-time on Temple's career touchdown list, a boost for the senior after sitting out the first two games of the year with a hand injury. He finished the day with 14 carries for 52 yards with two touchdowns along with six receptions for 48 yards.

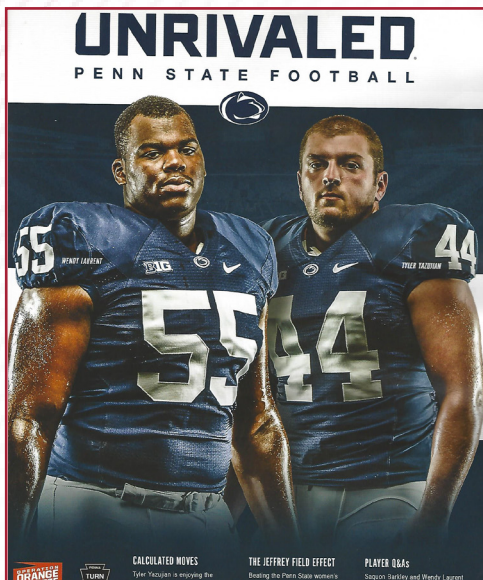
The Penn State offense similarly gave Temple early issues, finding the endzone on two of its first three possessions and jumping out to a quick seven-point lead. Nittany Lion QB Trace McSorley opened the scoring on Penn State's second drive, finding a wide-open WR Chris Godwin on a deep 52-yard bomb down midfield.

Even with a timely turnover deep in Owl territory to start the second quarter, the defense continued to struggle containing McSorley, watching the sophomore expand the Nittany Lion edge to 21-7 with his first rushing touchdown of the year. Redshirt senior Praise Martin-Oguike forced the Penn State fumble inside the Temple red zone.

Two consecutive unproductive Temple drives plagued the defensive stamina late during the first half, as Penn State's offense continued to dominate overall snaps (43-25) and time-of-possession (17:32-12:26). The Owls were held to a trio of three-and-outs versus Penn State's zero in the initial two quarters, constantly forcing the defense to take the field with little to no rest.

With just 38 seconds remaining and the ball spotted on the Owl 20-yard line, though, Walker and the offense suddenly sprang to life. An up-tempo six-play, 52-yard possession allowed junior PK Austin Jones to close the half-time deficit, drilling a 45-yard field goal with relative ease.

Sophomore DB Delvon Randall snared an interception off McSorley inside the Nittany Lion red zone late in the



third quarter, electrifying a period that had only seen a Penn State field goal thus far. The turnover spurred the Owls' offense, which capped the short scoring drive with Walker leaping into the endzone on a fourth-and-goal conversion.

The shift in momentum jumpstarted the exhausted defense, bending under another McSorley air raid, but again allowing only a field goal, giving Penn State a 27-17 advantage early in the fourth quarter. The stalled drive, one of many throughout the game, came due to the efforts of redshirt senior Haason Reddick, who concluded the match with seven total tackles and a career-high three tackles-for-loss.

A stalled drive on the ensuing Temple possession was quickly rectified on special teams, as punter Alex Staryzk's line drive ricocheted off a Nittany Lion blocker, bounced down to the Penn State one-yard line and was promptly recovered by the Owls.

Thomas, once again, came through on a sweep play in the red zone, striding in for a touchdown on a third-and-goal to cut the lead down to a field goal margin midway through the final period.

Penn State star RB Saquon Barkley, who had been relatively contained up until this point, responded in kind just three plays later, outpacing defenders on a 55-yard burst up the middle to restore the 10-point Nittany Lion edge. The Owls pushed back to within a possession courtesy of a second Jones field goal, this time from 34 yards out, sailed through the uprights with just 2:10 remaining.

After a failed onside kick and Penn State three-and-out, Temple managed to take over deep in their own territory. On the second play of the possession, though, Walker took a shot while in his throwing motion, resulting in a game-ending Nittany Lion interception.

Scoring Summary		TU-PSU
1st		
9:35	T.McSorley to C.Godwin 52 pass (T.Davis kick), 2-55 0:42	0-7
8:54	Ja.Thomas 8 run (A.Jones kick), 2-75 0:41	7-7
2:50	A.Robinson 3 run (T.Davis kick), 13-69 5:57	7-14
2nd		
7:15	T.McSorley 2 run (T.Davis kick), 9-53 3:14	7-21
0:04	A.Jones 45 FG, 6-52 0:34	10-21
3rd		
9:03	T.Davis 40 FG, 6-48 3:50	10-24
1:56	P.Walker 1 run (A.Jones kick), 4-9 2:09	17-24
4th		
12:45	T.Davis, Tyler 30 FG, 7-71 4:05	17-27
8:10	Ja.Thomas 2 run (A.Jones kick), 3-11 4:44	24-27
7:20	S.Barkley 55 run (T.Davis kick), 2-75 0:50	24-34
2:10	A.Jones 34 FG, 12-48 5:10	27-34

Temple (1-2)	7	3	7	10	27
Penn State (2-1)	14	7	3	10	34

Attendance: 100,420
 Kickoff time: 12:01 pm
 End of Game: 3:27 pm
 Total elapsed time: 3:26
 Officials: Referee: Mike Roche; Umpire: Paul Myers; Linesman: Adam Loudin; Line judge: Tod Reese; Back judge: Mike Griffith; Field judge: Ben Vasconcells; Side judge: Mark Windham; Center judge: A. Calabrese
 Temperature: 70-74
 Wind: S 8-14mph
 Weather: Mostly Cloudy

Team Stats	TEM	PSU
First Downs	13	21
Rushes-Yards (Net)	28-38	37-116
Passing Yards (Net)	286	287
Passes Att-Comp-Int	34-25-1	24-18-1
Total Offense Plays-Yards	62-324	61-403
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	6-6
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	4-83
Interception Returns-Yards	1-17	1-14
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-37.5	3-35.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	5-2
Penalties-Yards	13-118	7-62
Possession Time	31:27	28:33
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 13	2 of 9
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	4-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	3-19

RUSHING: Temple - Ja.Thomas 14-52; Sharga 3-4; Simpson 1-(-1); Armstead 2-(-4); Walker 8-(-13). Penn State - Barkley 9-68; Sanders 3-27; Robinson 6-24; Allen 6-17; McSorley 9-8; Hamilton 1-(-12); Team 3-(-16).

PASSING: Temple - Walker 25-34-1-286. Penn State - McSorley 18-24-1-287.

RECEIVING: Temple - Ja.Thomas 6-48; Kirkwood 5-57; Yancy 4-31; Ellick 3-41; Jennings 3-23; Deloatch 1-67; Myarick 1-15; Armstead 1-2; Sharga 1-2. Penn State - Godwin 7-117; Thompkins 3-36; Gesicki 2-62; Hamilton 2-50; Barkley 2-7; Polk 1-14; Allen 1-1.

INTERCEPTIONS: Temple - Randall 1-17. Penn State - Reid 1-14.

FUMBLES: Temple - Ja.Thomas 1-0. Penn State - McSorley 2-0; Sanders 1-1; Oruwariye 1-1; Team 1-0.

SACKS: Temple - None. Penn State - Bowen 1.0; Sickels 0.5; Cothren 0.5; Brown 0.5; Windsor 0.5.

TACKLES (UA-A): Temple - Chandler 4-4; Reddick 5-2; Randall 3-4; A.Williams 1-5; Marshall 2-3; Martin-Oguike 3-1; D.Thomas 2-2; Folks 2-2; Taylor 3-0; Alwan 1-2; Hairston 2-0; N.L.Smith L. 1-1; Ellis 0-2; A.Robinson 1-0; Booth-Lloyd 1-0; Gardner 1-0; Starzyk 1-0; Crump 1-0; J.Martin 1-0; Franklin 1-0; Foster 1-0; Lerch 0-1; Jefferson 0-1. Penn State - Golden 3-6; Allen 6-2; B.Smith 4-4; Cothren 2-5; Cooper 1-4; Reid 2-2; Brown 1-3; Sickels 2-1; Bowen 2-1; Givens 1-1; Campbell 1-1; Windsor 0-2; Bates 1-0; Oruwariye 0-1; Buchholz 0-1.

Temple 48, Charlotte 20
September 24, 2016
Lincoln Financial Field, Philadelphia, Pa

**TEMPLE WINS SEVENTH STRAIGHT HOMECOMING
GAME WITH 48-20 VICTORY OVER CHARLOTTE**

PHILADELPHIA — Temple recovered quickly from a slow start in its Homecoming matchup against Charlotte, posting its second victory of the season with a dominant 48-20 decision over the 49ers in front of 27,786 fans Saturday afternoon at Lincoln Financial Field.

A trio of Owl big plays highlighted the first half, as senior offensive stars QB Phillip Walker and RB Jahad Thomas created points both through the air and on the ground, building a comfortable 31-7 halftime lead.

Temple head coach Matt Rhule discussed how his offense was able to rattle the 49er defense with an up-tempo speed and few big plays downfield, finally finding a rhythm early in the second quarter with Walker under center.

"We kind of came out no huddle early and tried to open them up a little bit, just tire them out," Rhule said. "I think we just kind of settled down on offense, got into a rhythm and I think what you're seeing is when we are able to get our quarterback into a rhythm, he's playing pretty well."

After opening the game with a long drive capped by junior Austin Jones' 36-yard field goal, Temple sputtered until the initial play of the second quarter. On a brilliantly faked play-action pass, Walker threw a rope to junior WR Adonis Jennings down the left sideline for a 51-yard score, reclaiming the lead for good.

From that point on the offensive floodgates remained permanently open for the Owls, as the Charlotte defense watched Walker and company become increasingly more effective.

Next up, a fumble recovery by senior DE Praise Martin-Oguike — returned 20 yards by the hulking defensive lineman — was promptly converted into touchdown on a Thomas 13-yard dance into the endzone.

Walker stepped up on the Owls' ensuing drive, dropping a 40-yard dime to WR Brodrick Yancy, who then proceeded to break a tackle and stride in for the second score of his young career. The sophomore wide-out topped his previous career mark for receiving yards, snaring four receptions for a team-best 70 yards.

Another sophomore, this time RB Ryquell Armstead, grabbed the spotlight in Temple's final possession of the half, punching in a touchdown of his own a one-yard dive at the goal line.

As for the defense, a lone scoring drive in the first quarter sullied their near-perfect first half performance. Senior signal-digit linebackers Avery Williams and Stephau Marshall led the way with five tackles each while Martin-Oguike earned the lone turnover.

The third quarter sang the same tune as the 28-point second for Temple offensively, as two consecutive



methodical drives finished with rushing scores to start the period. Both Thomas and Armstead each secured their second endzone appearance, making sharp cuts for one-yard touchdowns.

Leading 45-14 late in the quarter, redshirt freshman reserve QB Logan Marchi replaced Walker as the signal caller for the Owls. The young quarterback proceeded to manufacture a drive deep into 49er territory, setting up Jones' second field goal of the game, this time a 31-yarder.

On the day, Walker finished an impressive 15-of-26 for 268 passing yards and two touchdowns, adding two rushes for 18 yards on the ground. Thomas sup-

plemented the offensive effort in multiple ways, earning a team-best 15 carries for 70 yards and two scores along with three receptions for 49 yards through the air.

The two touchdowns for the senior running back marked the 23rd and 24th of his storied career with the Owls, jumping him to third all-time in program history.

An imposing defensive effort throughout the game was capped on Charlotte's final possession, as the Owls' second-string unit held its ground inside the Temple 10-yard line and forced a turnover-on-downs. Ultimately, the 49ers proficiency on offense — 429 total yards — was never converted into consistent scoring, as the Temple bend-don't-break mantle held firm.

As for Rhule, the fourth-year head coach remains undefeated in Homecoming matchups with the Owls, improving Temple's streak to eight straight.

Scoring Summary			TU-CHA
1st			
9:58	A.Jones 36 FG, 12-58 5:02		3-0
0:42	K.Olsen to W.Kofa 8 pass (S.Muscarello kick), 16-88 6:41		3-7
2nd			
14:52	P.Walker to A.Jennings 51 pass (A.Jones kick), 2-81 0:42		10-7
6:53	Ja.Thomas 13 run (A.Jones kick), 1-13 0:07		17-7
4:26	P.Walker to B.Yancy 40 pass (A.Jones kick), 3-44 1:29		24-7
0:40	R.Armstead 1 run (A.Jones kick), 6-46 2:29		31-7
3rd			
13:34	K.Phillips 66 run (S.Muscarello kick), 4-78 1:26		31-14
8:37	Ja.Thomas 1 run (A.Jones kick), 11-74 4:48		38-14
5:14	R.Armstead 1 run (A.Jones kick), 4-66 2:04		45-14
4th			
12:52	A.Jones 31 FG, 11-71 5:22		48-14
8:35	R.Washington 4 run (S.Muscarello kick failed), 13-79 4:11		48-20

Charlotte (1-3)	7	0	7	6	20
Temple (2-2)	3	28	14	3	48

Attendance: 27,786
Kickoff time: 12:06 pm
End of Game: 3:19 pm
Total elapsed time: 3:13
Officials: Referee: Chas Lamertina; Umpire: Bill Lamkin; Linesman: Jim Casey; Line judge: Lance Thompson; Back judge: Eric Hermick; Field judge: Rick Santilli; Side judge: Mark Windham; Center judge: Joe Clarkson
Temperature: 63
Wind: NE 9mph
Weather: Cloudy

Team Stats	CHA	TEM
First Downs	25	26
Rushes-Yards (Net)	42-231	34-210
Passing Yards (Net)	198	297
Passes Att-Comp-Int	42-17-0	32-17-0
Total Offense Plays-Yards	84-429	66-507
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-20
Punt Returns-Yards	1-7	3-10
Kickoff Returns-Yards	8-141	3-52
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-33.0	4-44.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-40	5-31
Possession Time	30:00	30:00
Third-Down Conversions	8 of 18	5 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-3	6-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	1-11

RUSHING: Charlotte - Phillips 16-114; B.Lemay 8-44; Washington 9-38; M.Johnson 6-37; Duke 2-9; Olsen 1(-11). Temple - Ja.Thomas 15-68; Armstead 5-33; Gardner 4-29; Wright 3-25; Walker 2-18; F.Johnson 1-17; Hood 4-16; Dawkins 0-4.

PASSING: Charlotte - Olsen 17-42-0-198. Temple - Walker 15-26-0-268; Marchi 2-4-0-29; Nutile 0-2-0-0.

RECEIVING: Charlotte - Ford 5-92; Duke 4-26; U.Lemay 1-19; Foggie 1-15; Hoffman 1-12; Phillips 1-12; Bolus 1-10; Kofa 1-8; Quattlebaum 1-3; B.Lemay 1-1. Temple - Yancy 4-70; Ja.Thomas 3-49; Deloatch 3-40; Kirkwood 2-45; Armstead 2-13; Jennings 1-51; Yeboah 1-15; F.Johnson 1-14.

INTERCEPTIONS: Charlotte - None. Temple - None.

FUMBLES: Charlotte - Phillips 2-1. Temple - Ja.Thomas 1-0.

SACKS: Charlotte - None. Temple - Deloatch 1-0.

TACKLES (UA-A): Charlotte - Cook 4-5; Rolle 5-3; King 3-4; McDonald 6-0; Harris 4-0; A.Duncan 2-2; Gemmel 1-2; Covington -3; Banks 2-0; G.Duncan 2-0; Highsmith 1-1; Ogunjobi -1; Lyon 1-1; Lucas 1-0; Thompson 1-0; Winchester 1-0; DeLuca 1-0; Hoffman 1-0; Sinicki 1-0; Irvin 1-0; Fleming 0-1; Carroll 0-1. Temple - D.Thomas 6-0; N.L.Smith 5-1; A.Williams 4-1; Marshall 4-1; Dogbe 3-1; Russell 3-1; Chandler 3-0; Randall 2-1; Folks 2-1; Kwenkeu 2-1; Bradley 2-1; Reddick 1-2; Jy.Thomas 1-2; Walls 2-0; Booth-Lloyd 2-0; Alwan 2-0; C.Smith 2-0; Finch 1-1; Martin-Oguike 0-2; Crump 2-0; Webb 1-0; Foster 1-0; Archibong 1-0; Franklin 1-0; Hood 1-0; Deloatch 1-0; Dioubate 0-1; J.Martin 0-1.

Temple 45, SMU 20

October 1, 2016

Lincoln Financial Field, Philadelphia, Pa

OWLS OPEN CONFERENCE PLAY WITH STRONG WIN OVER SMU

PHILADELPHIA — Aiming to make a splash in the American Conference debut, the Temple offensive and defensive fronts gave no ground as they guided the Owls into the win column, knocking off visiting SMU in a 45-20 thrashing on Saturday afternoon at Lincoln Financial Field. A combination of consistent quarterback pressure and a punishing ground attack proved the difference for the Owls in the victory, surging past the Mustangs in decisive fashion.

With the game teetering on the brink of a Temple blowout midway through the second quarter, senior DE Haason Reddick saw his opportunity to put away the victory on an SMU third-and-6.

Blowing by the right tackle, Reddick smashed into Mustang QB Ben Hicks full force, triggering a fumble that was promptly palmed by fellow senior Romond Deloatch and corralled into the endzone.

The touchdown extended the Owl lead to a commanding 28 points, a margin that was narrowly slimmed throughout the remainder of the matchup. The advantage forced SMU into panic mode early, an edge for the high-energy Temple defensive front.

The critical victory marks the first in the Owls' defense of last season's Eastern Division Title, as they improve to 3-2 (1-0 American) on the year. The Mustangs, meanwhile, fall to 2-3 (0-1 American) and turn their attention to a Tulsa road trip next weekend.

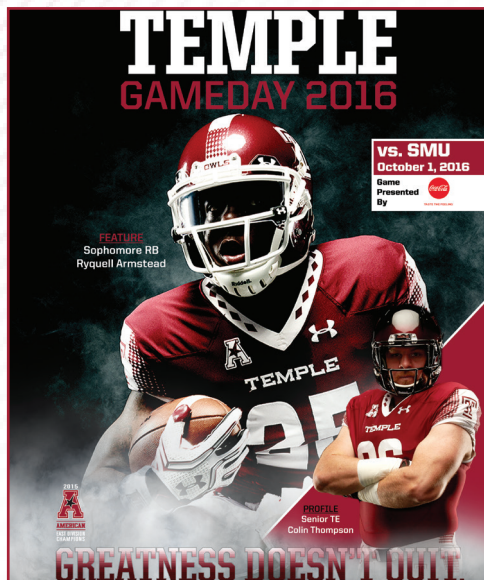
A rocky start for Temple — highlighted by senior QB Phillip Walker throwing a pick-six — was quickly remedied by, surprisingly enough, punter Alex Starzyk. After Temple's second drive stalled three snaps in, the junior drove a kick into the back of an SMU blocker, allowing Reddick to recover the live ball.

Seven plays later, senior RB Jahad Thomas burst through a truck-sized hole for an untouched 12-yard touchdown run, knotting the score at 7-7. From that point on, the Owls' offense never looked back, surgically picking apart the Mustang defense.

The ensuing Temple possession lasted just a single play, as Walker redeemed his opening gaffe with a 42-yard connection to now-healthy sophomore WR Ventell Bryant for the duo's first score of the season. The touchdown gave the Owls a 14-7 lead, an advantage they did not relinquish.

Walker's early struggles were short-lived, as the senior wrapped up the win with 124 yards passing on 7-of-18 and his lone touchdown to Bryant. The receiving corps saw a plethora of distribution from the signal caller as well, with three wideouts topping 30 yards, the best of which came from junior Keith Kirkwood (41 yards on three receptions).

A second sophomore, this time RB Ryquell Armstead, crossed the goal line next for the Owls following a few back-and-forth punts, punching it in after a 34-yard Walker-to-Deloatch toss set Temple up at the one-yard line. To cap the offense's first half, Thomas made his second endzone appearance of the day minutes into the sec-



ond quarter, breaking off a 15-yard rush for the score.

For the game, the senior tailback finished with 16 carries for 80 yards and two touchdowns, jumping him into sole possession of third place on Temple's all-time career scoring list (26 touchdowns).

The real story of the half, though, proved the stout defensive performance, giving up just 100 yards and a lone, late touchdown to a statistically high-powered Mustang offense. Along with the forced fumble, the stingy unit also grabbed two interceptions — by senior DB Nate L. Smith and sophomore LB Jared Folks, respectively — as sophomore DB Delvon Randall led the team in tackles (5).

As exciting and point-happy as the first half was for both teams, the final two quarters proved conflictly quiet. The third saw only an Austin Jones' field goal for Temple, pushing the lead to a comfortable 38-14, before the Mustangs added only their second offensive score of the game on a 14-yard pass to open the final period.

With SMU finally showing some life, the Owls decided to answer with vigor on their ensuing drive. Once again, the ground game came through as Armstead shrugged off defenders in a 37-yard sprint into the endzone.

The sophomore impressed throughout the game, particularly during the final two quarters, finishing with a career-best 159 yards on 15 rushes for two scores of his own.

A defensive stand inside the ten-yard line helped close out the victory, as SMU failed to convert four straight snaps deep in the red zone. Randall concluded the game with a career-best double-digit tackle mark (10) while both Smith and redshirt freshman LB Chapelle Russell added seven tackles each.

Scoring Summary

		TU-SMU
1st		
14:05	J.Wyatt 35 INT return (J.Williams kick)	0-7
9:05	Ja.Thomas 12 run (A.Jones kick), 7-42 3:44	7-7
7:50	P.Walker to V.Bryant 42 pass (A.Jones kick), 1-42 0:09	14-7
0:57	R.Armstead 1 run (A.Jones kick), 3-38 1:07	21-7
2nd		
12:37	Ja.Thomas 15 run (A.Jones kick), 5-70 2:23	28-7
11:17	R.Deloatch 8 yd fumble recovery (A.Jones kick)	35-7
5:29	B.Hicks to J.Gaines 13 pass (J.Williams kick), 4-33 2:07	35-14
3rd		
9:17	A.Jones 30 FG, 9-33 3:44	38-14
4th		
11:19	B.Hicks to J.Proche 14 pass (C.Sutton rush failed), 10-69 3:02	38-20
9:58	R.Armstead 37 run (A.Jones kick), 3-46 1:20	45-20

SMU (2-3)	7	7	0	6	20
Temple (3-2)	21	14	3	7	45

Attendance: 22,401
 Kickoff time: 12:00 pm
 End of Game: 3:22 pm
 Total elapsed time: 3:22
 Officials: Referee: Todd Brenner; Linesman: Brian Cooney; Back judge: Victor Wilson; Side judge: Ryan Mike Viles
 Temperature: 63
 Wind: NE 9mph
 Weather: Cloudy
 LaPenta; Umpire: Greg Perry; Line judge: Jeffery Firth; Field judge: Glen Robinson; Center judge:

Team Stats	SMU	TEM
First Downs	16	17
Rushes-Yards (Net)	32-89	45-244
Passing Yards (Net)	199	124
Passes Att-Comp-Int	44-22-2	18-7-2
Total Offense Plays-Yards	76-288	63-368
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-8
Punt Returns-Yards	3-16	3-35
Kickoff Returns-Yards	8-139	2-42
Interception Returns-Yards	2-69	2-39
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-38.0	5-41.6
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	1-1
Penalties-Yards	8-63	3-25
Possession Time	29:51	30:09
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 20	4 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	3 of 5	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-3	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-28	4-36

RUSHING: SMU - Freeman 12-49; X.Jones 4-25; West 9-22; Carmouche 4-16; Hicks 3-(-26); Saena 0-3. Temple - Armstead 15-159; Ja.Thomas 16-80; Wright 7-23; Gardner 2-9; Team 2-(-1); Walker 3-(-26).

PASSING: SMU - Hicks 22-42-2-199; Freeman 0-2-0-0. Temple - Walker 7-18-2-124.

RECEIVING: SMU - Proche 6-44; Castille 5-72; Sutton 4-43; Gaines 3-24; West 1-6; Freeman 1-5; Walker 1-3; Kaufman 1-2. Temple - Kirkwood 3-41; V.Bryant 2-43; Deloatch 1-34; Yancy 1-6.

INTERCEPTIONS: SMU - Wyatt 1-35; Richardson 1-34. Temple - N.L.Smith 1-27; Folks 1-12.

FUMBLES: SMU - Hicks 2-1; Burks 1-1. Temple - Gardner 1-1.

SACKS: SMU - CLEMONS, Rodney 1-0; GARY, Demerick 1-0. Temple - REDDICK, Haason 2-0; DOGBE, Michael 1-0; RUSSELL, Chapelle 1-0.

TACKLES (UA-A): SMU - Clemons 8-0; Millines 6-0; Lawler 2-3; Cox 2-3; Gary 3-1; Rhone 3-1; K.Johnson 3-0; Mitchell 2-1; Minor 2-1; Wyatt 2-0; Onu 2-0; Arroll 2-0; Richardson 2-0; Green 2-0; Saena 1-0; West 1-0; Kaufman 1-0; J.Williams 1-0; Biggurs 0-1; Davis 0-1. Temple - Randall 6-4; Russell 7-0; N.L.Smith 6-1; Atoki 4-1; Martin-Oguike 3-2; Booth-Lloyd 3-2; Marshall 3-2; Reddick 4-0; Lucas 3-0; Foster 2-1; Jy.Thomas 1-2; D.Thomas 2-0; Folks 1-1; Hood 1-1; Jennings 1-0; A.Robinson 1-0; Bradley 1-0; C.Smith 1-0; Dogbe 1-0; J.Martin 1-0; Hairston 1-0; Kwenkeu 0-1.