

2016 Temple Football Game Notes

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Five Things to Look For...

- RB Ryquell Armstead has scored two or more TDs in two straight games and four of the last six.
- With a win, head coach Matt Rhule will be 7th all-time with the most wins by a Temple head coach (25).
- DL Avery Ellis has blocked a punt in two straight games and Temple has eight blocked punts in the past two seasons.
- DL Haason Reddick has 16.5 TFLs and needs 2.5 TFL to break the American Athletic Conference single season record in TFLs (19.0, Elandorn Roberts, Houston, 2015).
- Temple's DL Praise Martin-Oguke is currently second among active NCAA players in forced fumbles (10) and tied for fourth among active players in forced fumbles per game (0.24).

GAMEDAY CENTRAL

Temple Football **468-574-52 (118th season)**

2016 6-3, 4-1 American

Head Coach Matt Rhule

Career Record 24-23 (24-23 at Temple)

Date Friday, November 4, 2016

Kickoff 7:00pm ET

Stadium Rentschler Field (40,000)

Series Results 11-5

Last time W, 27-3 (2015)

Last time at Rentschler Field

..... W, 36-10 (2014)

Opponent **UConn**

2016 3-6, 1-5 AAC

Head Coach Bob Diaco

Career Record 11-23 (11-23 at UConn)

TV Broadcast **ESPN2**

play-by-play Adam Amin

analyst Mack Brown

Sideline Molly McGrath

Radio **97.5 The Fanatic**

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

play-by-play Harry Donahue

analyst Paul Palmer

sidelines Harry Mayes

Student Radio **WHIP**

play-by-play Greg Frank

analyst John Cole

THIS WEEK

Temple (6-3, 4-1 American) is now on a three-game winning streak and will head to Hartford, Conn., to take on Eastern Division rival UConn (3-6, 1-5 AAC). The game is scheduled for Friday, November 4, at 7:00 p.m. and will air on ESPN2 and 97.5 The Fanatic, Temple football's flagship radio station. The Owls continued their stellar play last week with a 34-13 win over the Cincinnati Bearcats, and control their own destiny in an attempt to finish first in the American Athletic Conference East Division for the second straight year. The offense continues to improve drastically, and has averaged 34.6 PPG during the three-game winning streak. A big reason for that is the unquestioned leadership of senior QB Phillip Walker, who now has 13 passing TDs on the year, while the offense has managed 405.3 yards per game. The rushing attack continues to serve as a big strength as senior RB Jahad Thomas ran for a season-high 151 yards in the win over Cincinnati while sophomore RB Ryquell Armstead's two scores on the ground now have him tied for 10th in the nation for rushing touchdowns. The trio of playmakers will have their hands full with a UConn defense that only allows 125.3 rushing yards per game, good for second in the conference. The Owls' defense has played exceptionally well, only allowing 306.0 yards per game, which ranks 11th in the nation and second in the conference. The unit will go against a UConn offense that averages 234.7 passing yards per game.

LAST WEEK

Temple continues to roll through conference play as they pulled out a 34-13 win over Cincinnati in front of 29,763 fans at Lincoln Financial Field. A key performance was turned in by senior QB Phillip Walker, who notched two passing scores on the afternoon and did not have a turnover. The ground game was sensational once again as senior RB Jahad Thomas compiled a season-high 151 yards while sophomore RB Ryquell Armstead had his second consecutive game with two touchdowns. The defense continues to hold its own as well, limiting the Bearcats to just 13 points, the lowest against any FBS opponent this year. Senior LB Avery Williams led the team in tackles for the second time this season (7) and had a forced fumble. Special teams continues to play a huge factor for the Owls as senior DL Avery Ellis notched a blocked punt for the second consecutive week and junior DB Cequan Jefferson had a fumble recovery on a kickoff.

LAST TIME

During last season's matchup with the Huskies, Temple won 37-3 and clinched the American Athletic Conference East Division title, helping the Owls to the school's first conference championship appearance since 2009. Standout performances came from RB Jahad Thomas, who had 119 yards and two touchdowns on the ground, and QB Phillip Walker, who went 19-for-29 and had a passing touchdown to TE Romond Deloatch.

UP NEXT

Temple gets a rest with its only bye week of the season following the matchup with UConn. The Owls will then get ready to travel down to New Orleans for the final road game of the regular season to take on Tulane.

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	L, 27-34
Saturday, October 15	7:00pm	* @ UCF	ESPN	W, 26-25
Friday, October 21	7:00pm	* USF	ESPN	W, 46-30
Saturday, October 29	3:30pm	* CINCINNATI	CBSSN	W, 34-13
Friday, November 4	7:00pm	* @ UConn	ESPN2	
Saturday, November 12		-----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

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QUICK FACTS

School..... Temple University
Location Philadelphia, Pa.
Founded 1884
Enrollment 39,000
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 468-574-52
Head Coach..... Matt Rhule (Penn State '97)
Career Record 24-23
Temple Record 24-23
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
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Frisman Jackson Passing Game Coord. / WRs
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Video

Matt Delgado Video Coordinator
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MONDAY, 10/31

8:35-10:35am
Practice

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

TUESDAY, 11/1

9:10-11:20am
Practice
11:30am
Player interviews
12:00 noon
Matt Rhule
Press conference

WEDNESDAY, 11/2

TBD

THURSDAY, 11/3

TBD
Walk through

Depart for UConn

FRIDAY, 11/4

7:00pm
Kickoff at UConn

SATURDAY, 11/5

Players Day Off

SUNDAY, 11/6

Players Day Off

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.

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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 Stephoun 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

TEAM

LONG TRIUMPHED HISTORY VS. THE HUSKIES

Temple has had 16 matchups all-time vs. UConn dating back to 1963. In the all-time series, the Owls have been victorious in 11 of those matchups, the best against any current conference opponent. The Owls have won four out of the last five matchups while outscoring UConn 131-71 in those games.

REMINISCING BACK TO THE GLORY DAY

Last year's win over the Huskies clinched the American Athletic East Division title for the Owls, marking the first conference championship appearance the Owls have had since 2009. Standout performances came from RB Jahad Thomas, who had 119 rushing yards and two rushing touchdowns, and QB Phillip Walker, who went 19-for-29 and had a throwing touchdown to TE Romond Deloatch. Three current Owls also were involved in sacks of the QB including DL Haason Reddick (1.0), DL Praise Martin-Oguike (1.0) and LB Jarred Alwan (0.5).

LEAD DOG

The Owls are currently in a tie for first in the American Athletic Conference East Division with USF. Thanks to Temple's win over the Bulls, the Owls hold the tie-breaker if they were to win out. For the remainder of the season, Temple's opponents have a combined record of 2-12 in the American Athletic Conference while USF's opponents have a conference record of 6-6. Finishing first in the East would get the Owls back to the conference championship for the second straight year.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

In the team's third year being in the American Athletic Conference, the Owls won the Eastern Division but fell just short of the conference championship. Their only two conference losses came on the road against South Florida, 44-23, and in the conference championship game to Houston, 24-13.

NUTMEG COACH

First-year Temple offensive line coach George DeLeone coached at UConn for three seasons from 2011-12, working as the Huskies' offensive coordinator before moving to associate head coach and handling the offensive line. In his 46th year with the sport, DeLeone has coached more seasons than any other coach on the Owls' staff, working for 10 different teams including the Cleveland Browns, Miami Dolphins and Ole Miss Rebels. He started his coaching career at Southern Connecticut where he was an offensive line coach from (1970-75) and a head coach from (1975-79). DeLeone is a native of New Haven, Conn.

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 Stephoun Marshall, OL Brendan McGowan, DL Praise Martin-Oguike and TE Colin Thompson. The university is very proud of these individuals for achieving academic success.

WE FOUND A KEEPER

Tyler Matakevich, arguably one of the greatest players to ever suit up for Temple, hailed from the great state of Connecticut. Originally from Stafford, Conn. Matakevich had 138 tackles last year and led the Owls in tackles every game of the 2015 season. He racked up 493 tackles in his career, the most all-time for any Temple player, and was the first Owl ever to win the Bronko Nagurski and Chuck Bednarik awards, given annually to the nation's top defender. The linebacker currently plays for the Pittsburgh Steelers.

PRIMETIME SPOTLIGHT

From 2014-16, the Owls have gone 10-6 in night games. The record is highlighted by a 2015 season when they went 6-2, outscored their opponents 255-170, and won by an average margin of 10.6 points.

KEEPING IT FRESH

While the 2016 Temple football team is stocked with experienced upperclassmen, the Owls have been infused with freshman talent. Last season just four true freshmen saw game action through the 14-game season. This year, 31 freshmen have game experience, including 13 true freshmen.

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.

OFFENSIVE TRIO FROM CONNECTICUT

Three current Owls hail from the state of Connecticut, including freshman WR Isaiah Wright, OL Jalelin Robinson and QB Logan Marchi. Wright has 32 carries for 174 yards and head coach Matt Rhule has called him one of the most mature freshmen he has ever been around. Robinson has been the backup right tackle all-season, and has seen increased playing time in a six-man rotation for the Owls. Marchi has won the backup quarterback job after a heated battle with Frank Nutile and has completed two passes this season.

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**

12:45pm

KYW Radio

Wednesdays

8:30 am

The Fanatic

Thursdays

11:00-11:10am

WIP Radio

Saturdays

9:45-10:00am

6ABC

Inside the Nest

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

Anthony Gargano Show

Midday Show with Joe DeCamera and Jon Ritchie

Temple Football Playbook

weekly preview/review and feature segment

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SINCE 2005 EVERYTHING BUT THE PRE-GAME MEAL

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.



OFFENSE

THOMAS REIGNS KING OF FBS

Senior RB Jahad Thomas had a streak where he scored two touchdowns in six consecutive games to start the year. Thomas' streak of consecutive games with two or more touchdowns stood as the longest active streak in the FBS. Louisville's QB Lamar Jackson is the only other player to score two touchdowns in five or more games. Thomas now ranks tied for ninth in the FBS in total TDs with 12 in seven games. Listed below are the 8 individuals who lead the nation in touchdowns.

GP	Pos	Player	School	TDs
8	RB	Jeremy McNichols	Boise State	18
8	QB	Lamar Jackson	Louisville	16
8	RB	I'Tavious Mathers	Middle Tennessee	15
9	RB	Kalen Ballage	Arizona State	13
8	RB	Anthony Wales	Western Kentucky	13
8	WR	John Ross	Washington	13
8	RB	Donnell Pumphrey	San Diego State	13
7	QB	Will Worth	Navy	13

WALKING LIKE SUPERMAN

Already, quarterback Phillip Walker has set the Temple career marks for attempts (1,314), completions (745), touchdowns (66), yards (9,364) and wins by a starting quarterback (24). He is also pushing into the NCAA record books as he now ranks sixth all-time among active NCAA players in total offense (1,089). He continues to make great strides this year as he already tied the program record by throwing for 445 passing yards in a single game (at Memphis). He also had a game-winning 70-yard drive at UCF, capped off by a 8-yard touchdown pass to Keith Kirkwood with one second remaining.

MULTIPLES OF FIVE

Jahad Thomas, who wears jersey #5, had six games with multiple touchdowns in 2016. His streak of six straight games was the longest in the country and only Louisville QB Lamar Jackson has as many. Last season, Thomas had seven games with multiple TDs, including a three-TD game vs. UCF.

AND THAT'S A FIRST DOWN

For the season, the Owls have converted 170 first downs. Jahad Thomas leads the team in total first downs with 35 (25 rushing and 10 receiving). Ryquell Armstead leads the team in rushing first downs with 28. Ventell Bryant leads the team lead in receiving first downs with 20.

HISTORY BOOKS

Senior running back Jahad Thomas' stellar play has him rising within Temple's all-time record books. He has set the school record for consecutive games with two or more touchdowns with six. Also, he is third all-time in total touchdowns (32), third in rushing touchdowns (26), and eighth in total rushing yards (2,210). He is also fourth all-time in all-purpose yards for the Owls with 4,178.

DOUBLING DOWN ON DELOATCH

Senior Romond Deloatch has been one of the most pleasant surprises for Temple this year. As a tight end, he has had 15 receptions for 112 yards and had a career long reception of 67-yards at Penn State. He also sees a lot of action at DL, as he currently has 4.0 sacks on the year, which is second on the team, and had a fumble recovery for a TD vs. SMU.

TOTE THE RYQ

To keep star RB Jahad Thomas fresh this season, head coach Matt Rhule planned a more steady rotation which includes help from RB Ryquell Armstead. During the game vs. USF, Armstead had a career-high 210 rushing yards and two scores. One of those two scores came on a 76-yard run, which was his career long and the team best this season. Through nine games this season, Armstead has 673 rushing yards with 11 rushing touchdowns.

TWO OF A KIND

Jahad Thomas and Ryquell Armstead have each scored 11+ TDs through nine games. They are the only pair of running backs to have rushed for 7-or-more TDs each. In fact, they are just one of six teammates to each score in double-digits.

School	Name (rush-rec)	Name (rush-rec)
Western Kentucky	Anthony Wales (13-0)	Nicholas Norris (1-10)
Temple	Jahad Thomas (9-3)	Ryquell Armstead (11-0)
San Diego State	Donnell Pumphrey (13-0)	Rashaad Penny (6-4)
Texas Tech	Jonathan Giles (0-11)	Pat Mahomes (10-0)
South Florida	Marlon Mack (11-0)	D'Ernest Johnson (6-5)
Oklahoma	Dede Westbrook (0-11)	Joe Mixon (5-5)

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 nine games, however, this year's Owls have been stellar, out-pacing 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	37-474-6	Keith Kirkwood	27-420-3
Ventell Bryant	28-371-2	Ventell Bryant	23-412-2
John Christopher	15-172-0	Brodrick Yancy	22-250-2
Adonis Jennings	10-115-1	Marshall Ellick	12-141-0
Brandon Shippen	6-68-1	Adonis Jennings	11-177-2
Total	96-1,250-11	Total	95-1,400-9

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 174 yards on 32 carries and got the first start of his career vs. Cincinnati. 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 52 scores on 113 drives (46.0%) with 36 touchdowns on those possessions (31.8%). Overall, Temple has had 119 possessions with 53 scores including 36 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 D

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.

UNSUNG HERO

A big reason for the success of the Owls averaging 181.0 yards on the ground this year has been the superb blocking of FB Nick Sharga. During the game against USF, his blocking helped the team rush for a season-high 325 yards and he was awarded Offensive Effort Player of the Week by the program. Wearing the coveted single-digit jersey for a second straight year, he has earned the respect of many of his teammates and coaches. "He is the key," said head coach Matt Rhule. "He, Colin Thompson, and Cole Boozer make the whole thing go. Obviously the offensive line does too. To me Sharga is a really big physical athletic tough kid. It is hard for teams to want to hit him that many times."

DEFENSE

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 has his defense only allowing an average 306.0 yards per game which is second in the conference and 11th in the nation.

3-AND-OUT

Temple's defense is among the best at getting opponents off the field. In 105 drives, the defense has forced the offense back to the sidelines without a first down on 42 of those possessions (40%). Only Michigan (58), Houston (51), Alabama (50), Clemson (47), Tulsa (46), Florida (44), and Arizona State (43), have had more 3-and-outs.

Pct.	School	3-&-outs	Possessions
57.4	Michigan	58	101
48.4	Florida	44	91
47.2	Alabama	50	106
43.5	Clemson	47	108
41.8	Houston	51	122
41.2	Baylor	42	102
40.6	Boston College	39	96
40.0	Temple	42	105

MUCH PRAISE FOR PRAISE

With two forced fumbles this season, defensive lineman Praise Martin-Oguke is now second among all active players in the nation in career forced fumbles (10). Below is a list of players with the most forced fumbles in the country.

FF	GP	Pos	Name	School	Cl.
11	30	LB	Marcus Oliver	Indiana	Jr
10	36	DL	Praise Martin-Oguke	Temple	Sr
9	29	DL	Marquis Haynes	Ole Miss	Jr
8	37	LB	Nigel Harris	South Florida	Sr
8	36	DL	Demarcus Walker	Florida St.	Jr

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, HC Matt Rhule and DC Phil Snow had the presence of mind to switch him to strong side linebacker and then to defensive end last year, where he excelled. 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 continues where he left off leading the conference with 16.5 TFLs, including 7.5 sacks. He also is fourth on the Owls with 38 total tackles.

I'M AT A LOSS

Haason Reddick has been a terror to opposing offenses. The redshirt senior had 5.0 TFLs at Memphis tying the conference mark for a single game. This season he has 16.5 tackles for loss and 40.0 for his career, and recently passed Tyler Matakevich to become second all-time among Temple players. He also has the most ever by a player in the American Athletic Conference. His 16.5 TFLs through nine games this season already ranks fourth for the Owls' single season record in TFLs. The American Conference single-season record is 19.0 (Elandon Roberts, Houston, 2015). Reddick leads the FBS players in TFL (16.5) and is tied for third in average TFL per game (1.8).

TFL	Solo	Asst	Pos	Name	School
16.5	14	5	DL	Haason Reddick	Temple
16.0	14	2	DL	Ejuan Price	Pittsburgh
14.5	12	5	DL	Randy Allen	Southern Alabama
14.5	14	1	DL	Derek Barnett	Tennessee

REVERSAL OF FORTUNE

In 2015, Temple LB Tyler Matakevich was the only FBS player to lead his team in tackles in every game. This season's results have been quite different, as the Owls have had a different player lead the team in tackles in each of the first eight games. The streak was broken last Saturday when Avery Williams led the team in tackles for the second time this season. Army – Avery Williams (12), Stony Brook – William Kwenkeu and Benny Walls (5), Penn State – Sean Chandler (8), Charlotte – Derrek Thomas (6), SMU – Delvon Randall (10), Memphis – Haason Reddick (11), UCF – Jared Folks (10), USF – Stephaun Marshall (8), Cincinnati – Avery Williams (7).

THE SIZE OF THE FIGHT IN THE DOGBE

DL Michael Dogbe has been one of the most pleasant surprises for the Owls this season. The redshirt sophomore has started the past four games at DT and has provided much needed production for a DL unit that has lost senior Sharif Finch and sophomore Julian Taylor to season ending injuries. In his last five starts, Dogbe recorded his first sack vs. SMU and a career-high in tackles (7), and TFL (3.0) at Memphis. Dogbe is currently tied for fifth on the team in TFL (4.5).

EVERYBODY'S ALL-AMERICANS

DION DAWKINS

SR | 6-5" | 320 | OL | RAHWAY, NJ

ALL-AMERICA CANDIDATE

Senior OL Dion Dawkins has been protecting QB Phillip Walker's blindside from the left tackle spot. Over the past four seasons, Dawkins has started in 35 games and earned fourth team All-America honors from Phil Steele following the 2015 campaign. The senior has had eye popping performances to start the season, helping in the pass game and opening huge holes with pancake blocks to free up running lanes for RBs Jahad Thomas and Ryquell Armstead that have a combined for 1,238 rushing yard on the ground and 20 rushing TDs.

35

GAMES STARTED

IN FOUR CAREER
AT TEMPLE

9x9

LEADS THE ONLY RB DUO TO RUSH
FOR 9+ TDS EACH IN 2016

HAASON REDDICK

R-SR | 6-1" | 230 | DL | CAMDEN, NJ

ALL-AMERICA CANDIDATE

Haason Reddick has been a terror to opposing offenses. The redshirt senior had 5.0 TFLs at Memphis tying the conference mark for a single game.

16.5

TACKLES FOR LOSS

LEADS THE NATION IN
TFLS THIS SEASON

1.8

TACKLES FOR LOSS PG

TIED FOR THIRD
IN THE NATION

40.0

CAREER TACKLES FOR LOSS

THE ALL-TIME CONFERENCE
RECORD AND RANKS 2ND ALL-TIME
AMONG TEMPLE PLAYERS

#6

FOX SPORTS' BRUCE FELDMAN'S
ANNUAL "FREAK LIST"

JAHAD THOMAS

SR | 5-10" | 188 | RB | ELIZABETH, NJ

ALL-AMERICA CANDIDATE

Senior RB Jahad Thomas has now scored 12 touchdowns in the 7 games he has started this year.

12

TOTAL TDS

HAS 12 TOUCHDOWNS
IN 7 GAMES

1.7

AVERAGE TOUCHDOWNS PG

TIED FOR 9TH IN NATION
IN TOTAL TDS

TEMPLE ALL-TIME

3RD ALL-TIME TOTAL
TOUCHDOWNS (32)

3RD ALL-TIME RUSHING
TOUCHDOWNS (26)

8TH ALL-TIME TOTAL
RUSHING YARDS (2,210)

4TH ALL-TIME IN ALL
PURPOSE YARDS (4,023)

SAFETY FIRST

One of the key factors on the Owls' defense this year has been the play of sophomore S Devlon Randall. Stepping up for the injured junior Sean Chandler, who was out for four games this year, Randall now ranks second on the team in tackles (39) and leads the team in interceptions with three, which ranks 24th in the nation. He leads the Owls with five takeaways with each leading to a Temple score (4 TDs, 1 FG).

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 in the Charlotte game and started games 4-8. He has made 30 tackles in his first five career starts and notched his first career interception against SMU.

SPECIAL TEAMS

BLOCK PARTY

On the strength of an FBS high five blocked punts in 2015, Temple has been among the best in blocking kicks during the Matt Rhule era. Thanks to Avery Ellis' two blocked punts in two consecutive games, Sharif Finch (5 blocked punts) and Praise Martin-Oguikes (5 blocked kicks), Temple has the most blocked kicks since 2013.

	Total	2016	2015	2014	2013	Punts	FG/PATs
Temple.....	18	4	7	5	2	3-5-3-2	1-2-2-0
BYU	17	2	8	3	4	0-3-1-0	2-5-2-4
Georgia Tech.....	16	2	3	6	5	0-2-2-3	2-1-4-2
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

BOOM SHAKA-LAKA

Freshman kicker Aaron Boumerhi is a perfect 7-for-7 on field goals to start his career. In the game vs. USF he had 14 points, which is a season best for any Owl this year. The freshman is filling in for junior Austin Jones, who was sidelined for the year with an ACL injury. Boumerhi connected on 32- and 47-yard attempts in the third quarter in the game at UCF, to help the Owls cut the lead to 25-20. Boumerhi's field goal of 47 yards is the season long for the Owls.

NO FAULT IN OUR STARZYK

The special teams 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. This season, he has had 35 punts for a average of 39.8 yards, and has put 13 punts inside the 20. His longest punt of the season is 55 yards and he has not had one of his punts blocked yet.

GENERAL

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 (2012), former Patriots/Colts DL Dan Klecko (2003-04,2006) and former Redskins' DB Todd Bowles (1987), 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.

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.

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 active 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.

STELLA

Making her debut as the mascot for the Temple Owls' football team in 2013 and continuing this season is Stella, a three-pound, seven-year old, great horned owl from the Elmwood Park Zoo. After her first season as Temple's mascot, Stella was named one of the top five feathered mascots by the NCAA. Weekdays, she works as an educational animal, teaching the virtues of wildlife conservation. Having been raised as a pet illegally in Utah, she is accustomed to humans and, in fact, views herself as one. She shares an enclosure with her boyfriend, Sherlock, who gets jealous when Stella basks in the limelight, but there's always a price to pay for being a celebrity.

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.

TEMPLE AT A GLANCE...

Temple is in the 4th largest media market in the country, 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 Washington 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 country with over 38,000 students founded in 1884 and has 404 academic programs including 5 professional schools of law, medicine, dentistry, pharmacy and podiatry.

Temple is a Research I institution, a Carnegie Classification 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 undergraduate students at 89%.

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

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

Temple's athletic department has 19 sports and 500 student athletes.

Temple has been bowl eligible 5 out of the last 7 years and finished 10-4 last year, winning the AAC East Division 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 excitement 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 Philadelphia 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 athletics 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.

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. This season, he has 13 passing touchdowns and 1,990 yards and has led the Owls to a 6-3 record on the year. He has already set the Temple career marks for attempts (1,314), completions (745), touchdowns (66), yards (9,364) and wins by a starting quarterback (24).

Logan Marchi spent his freshman year redshirting and is now is the backup quarterback on the Owls roster. Last season's #2 quarterback was redshirt-sophomore **Frank Nuttle**. He is the third string quarterback this year.

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



Walker

RUNNING BACKS

Leading the running backs this season is 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 and in the last two seasons has scored 29 touchdowns. This year he has scored a pair of TDs in the first six games he played in. Setting the school record for consecutive games with two or more touchdowns. Also, he is third all-time in total touchdowns (32), third in rushing touchdowns (26), and eighth in total rushing yards (2,210). He is also fourth all time in all-purpose yards for the Owls with 4,178.

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. This season he has 613 yards and 11 rushing scores. During the game vs. USF, Armstead had a career-high 210 rushing yard and two scores. One of those two scores came on a 76-yard run, which was his career-long and the team best this season.



Thomas

Armstead

Isaiah Wright, seen action at WR, RB, punt returner, and also at QB in Wildcat formations. He is the team's third leading rusher with 174 yards on 32 carries and got the first start of his career vs. Cincinnati.

Jager Gardner was given the responsibility of being a kickoff returner for the Owls this season.

David Hood became a trusted part of the offense this year. He has seen action in eight games this season and 16 carries for 87 yards on the year.

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** has seen action at fullback in 2016. 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

WIDE RECEIVERS

Frisman Jackson coaches 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** an emerging star, returns. This season, he has 23 receptions for 412 yards in just six games. He also leads the team in receiving

first downs with 20, and second on the team in receiving yards with 412

Two receivers who redshirted last season are making big contributions in 2016. Redshirt sophomore **Brodrick Yancy** is proving to be a tough slot receiver and has 22 receptions on the year. Redshirt junior **Keith Kirkwood**, who transferred from Hawaii in 2014, has shown flashes of brilliance and is becoming more consistent and leads the team this season in reception (27) and yards (420).

Redshirt sophomore **Marshall Ellick** continues to improve. He played in five games a year ago, posting 12 receptions on the year for 141 yards.

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 so far this season has contributed with 11 receptions on 177 yards and two touchdowns

Redshirt sophomores **Willie Smith** and **John Ruza**, along with redshirt freshman **Travon Williams** and **Correlle Simpson** 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], **Branden Mack** (Wyncote, Pa. / Cheltenham), and (West Hartford, Conn. / Kingswood-Oxford). **Justin Bishop** (Somers Point, NJ / Mainland) was added as a walk-on.



Ellick

Kirkwood



Bryant

Yancy

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 is without the leadership of center Kyle Friend, who graduated. Friend, a three-time captain, was the cornerstone of the offensive line for the previous three seasons.

Inheriting the baton is senior left tackle **Dion Dawkins**. Dawkins had started 35 games in his four year career 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 21 games over the past four sea-



Dawkins

Fair

McGowan

Sullivan

Johnson

sons. This season he has started in all nine games for the Owls. 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 and has started all nine games this season. Redshirt junior **Leon Johnson** has started all nine games this season. **Jovahn Fair** has started in eight out of the nine games for the Owls this year and has seen action in every game.

Freshman **Matt Hennessy** has made a contribution to the unit and made his first start vs. Charlotte. **Brian Carter** has seen action in every game this season and adds much needed depth to a Owls team.

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 **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

TEMPLE ALL-TIME LEADERS

Atts	Name	Years
1,314	Phillip Walker	2013-16
1,136	Henry Burris	1993-96

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

Pass Yds	Name	Years
9,364	Phillip Walker	2013-16
7,495	Henry Burris	1993-96

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

Total TDs	Name	Years
54	Bernard Pierce	2009-11
43	Paul Palmer	1983-86
32	Jahad Thomas	2013-16

Rush. TDs	Name	Years
53	Bernard Pierce	2009-11
39	Paul Palmer	1983-86
26	Jahad Thomas	2013-16

Rush 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
2,210	Jahad Thomas	2013-16

All-Purp Yds	Name	Years
6,613	Paul Palmer	1983-86
5,272	Matt Brown	2009-12
4,502	Tanardo Sharps	1999-02
4,203	Jahad Thomas	2013-16

Scoring	Name	Years
338	Brandon McManus	2009-12
324	Bernard Pierce	2009-11
264	Paul Palmer	1983-86
234	Austin Jones	2014-16
228	Bill Wright	1985-88
220	Don Bitterlich	1973-75
192	Jahad Thomas	2013-16
190	Cap Poklemba	1999-02

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

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	Jaquawn 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

TFLs	Name	Years
65.0	Dan Klecko	1999-02
40.0	Haason Reddick	2013-16
39.5	Tyler Matakevich	2012-15

SINGLE-SEASON LEADERS

Pts	Name	Year
162	Bernard Pierce (RB)	2011
114	Jahad Thomas (RB)	2015
113	Austin Jones	2015
98	Brandon McManus	2011
96	Brandon McManus	2009
96	Bernard Pierce (RB)	2009
95	Don Bitterlich	1975
92	Walter Washington (QB)	2004
90	Paul Palmer (RB)	1986
85	Bob Wright	1990
78	Bruce Francis (WR)	2008
78	Gerald Lucear (WR)	1979
74	Brandon McManus	2012
72	Jahad Thomas	2016
72	Montel Harris (RB)	2012

Pass Yds.	Name	Year
2,972	Phillip Walker	2015
2,716	Henry Burris	1994
2,317	Phillip Walker	2014
2,207	Walter Washington	2004
2,103	Brian Broomell	1979
2,084	Phillip Walker	2013
2,084	Henry Burris	1996
2,004	Henry Burris	1995
1,994	Mike McGann	2002
1,990	Phillip Walker	2016

TFLs	Name	Year
22.5	Dan Klecko	2002
19.5	Dan Klecko	2001
19.5	Rian Wallace	2003
16.5	Haason Reddick	2016

CURRENT STREAKS

	Consecutive GP/GS	Pos
Phillip Walker	43/42	QB
Averee Robinson	42/9	NT
Artrel Foster	35/7	CB
Praise Martin-Oguike	35/6	DE
Romond Deloatch	35/0	
Corey Lerch	35/0	
Alex Starzyk	35/0	
Avery Ellis	33/0	
Nate L. Smith	32/0	
Brian Carter	29/0	
Dion Dawkins	28/14	LT
Jarred Alwan	27/1	MLB
Avery Williams	26/13	SLB
Haason Reddick	23/11	DE
Nate Hairston	23/9	CB
Delvon Randall	23/9	SS
Tom Bradway	23/0	
Adonis Jennings	23/0	
Nick Sharga	23/0	
Leon Johnson	20/9	RT
Michael Dogbe	13/5	DT
Ryquell Armstead	11/0	
Brendan McGowan	9/9	C
Adrian Sullivan	9/9	RG
Jovahn Fair	9/5	LG
Keith Kirkwood	9/2	WR
Freddie Booth-Lloyd	9/0	
Cole Boozer	9/0	
Sam Franklin	9/0	
William Kwenkeu	9/0	
Chris Myarick	9/0	
Jake Robinson	9/0	
Chapelle Russell	9/0	
Derrick Thomas	9/0	
Brodrick Yancy	9/0	
Linwood Crump	8/0	
Jager Gardner	8/0	
Jared Folks	8/0	
Rob Ritrovato	8/0	
Jahad Thomas	7/7	RB
Colin Thompson	7/5	TE
Shaun Bradley	7/0	
Jacob Martin	7/0	
Jyquis Thomas	7/0	
Isaiah Wright	6/1	RB
David Hood	6/0	
Jaelin Robinson	6/0	
Ventell Bryant	5/2	WR
Jeremiah Atoki	5/0	
Aaron Boumerhi	4/0	
Cequan Jefferson	4/0	
Chris Smith	4/0	
Stephaun Marshall	3/3	WLB
Greg Webb	3/0	
Sean Chandler	1/1	FS
Patrick Anderson	1/0	
Karamo Dioubate	1/0	
Daishaun Grimes	1/0	
Benson Isreal	1/0	
Logan Marchi	1/0	
Semaj Reed	1/0	
Aaron Ruff	1/0	
Cortelle Simpson	1/0	
Willie Smith	1/0	
Gordon Thomas	1/0	

action in three games last season.

The 2016 recruiting class sees the additions of **Darrian 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 and scored his first career touchdown vs. Cincinnati.

Redshirt senior **Romond Deloatch** continues to improve as a receiver, evident by his performance this year, as he had 15 receptions for 212 yards. He has also seen some action the defensive line and is tied for second on the team in sacks with (4.0)

Chris Myarick is a redshirt sophomore and former walk-on. He has seen action in every game this season a recorded his first career reception at Penn State.

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.

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. This season, he has (16.5) TFLs which leads the nation and 7.5 sacks which lead the conference. He is currently tied for third on the team with 38 total tackles. **Praise Martin-Oguike**, also a redshirt senior, emerged as a play-maker in 2014. In the past four years he has 131 tackles, 25.5 TFLs, and a team-leading 15.5 sacks. His ten forced fumbles he has had throughout the course of his career is the second most among active NCAA players. 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. After four games in 2016, Finch was forced to shut it down due to the knee.

Joining them on the outside are redshirt senior **Avery Ellis** and junior **Jacob Martin**. Both have played in over 25 games over the past four seasons and have provided quality snaps on defense while being core special teams players. **Romond Deloatch** has also contributed with 4.0 sacks this season.

The anchor on the inside is expected to be senior **Averee Robinson**. Robinson is one of ten current Owls to start every game this season.

Redshirt sophomores **Freddie Booth-Lloyd** and **Michael Dogbe** provide some experience. Booth-Lloyd combines size and quickness making him difficult to

block. In his last five starts, Dogbe recorded his first sack vs. SMU and a career-high in tackles (7), and TFL (3.0) at Memphis. Dogbe is currently tied for fifth on the team in TFL (4.5).

The Owls redshirted three defensive linemen last season. Two recruits - **DeAndre Kelly**, and **Dana Levine** - and walk-on **Jerome 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.

Redshirt seniors **Stephaun Marshall** (8 starts) this season leads the team in tackle with 43 and **Avery Williams** has started in all nine games this season. Marshall is coming off a career-high in tackles, interceptions and forced fumbles in 2015. Williams had his best season as a tackler and added his first career interception in 2015.

Jared Folks has started five games at MLB for the Owls. So far this season, Folks has had 30 tackles and an interception. Also seeing time at middle linebacker is senior **Jarred Alwan**. He adds much needed experience to the unit providing 22 starts and 135 tackles throughout the course of his four year career.

The line-backing unit has been injected with added speed from a few young play-makers. Redshirt freshman **Chapelle Russell** and true freshmen **Shaun Bradley** and **William Kwenkeu** have been seeing increased plays on defense and have become the core members of the special teams.

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** and **Daishaun Grimes** (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.

Besides Bradley and Kwenkeu, the 2016 recruiting class sees the addition of **Isaiah Graham-Mobley** (King of Prussia, Pa. / Upper Merion). **Julian Mahan** (Sicklerville, N.J. / Timber Creek) was added as a walk-on.

CORNERBACKS

Fran Brown will once again tutors the defensive backs. Like the other levels of the defense, Brown is tasked with replacing a player (Tavon Young) now in 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. Hairston has started in every game for the Owls so far this season while Artrel has started in eight games and seen playing time in every single game.



Deloatch Thompson



Marshall Williams



Folks Alwan



Martin-Oguike Reddick



Robinson Dogbe



Foster Hairston

Redshirt sophomore **Derrek Thomas** is making the conversion from wide receiver. and has seen a lot of playing time this year. He leads all corner-backs in tackles with 22.

The Owls were expecting big things from **Kareem Ali**. A four-star recruit, Ali redshirted in 2015 and suffered a arm injury in game 2.

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

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** made the switch from corner back to safety in the off-season. 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 finished the year as a second team All-American Athletic Conference choice. His play-making ability has spurred the switch from corner to safety this season. An injury vs. Charlotte forced him out of the lineup for four game. He reentered the starting lineup in game 9 vs. Cincinnati.

Delvon Randall has started every game for the Owls this season at strong safety and is second on the team in tackles (39). He leads all Owls with five takeaways this season which each resulted in scores (4 TDs, 1 FG)

One returner with starting experience is redshirt senior **Nate L. Smith**. Smith has seen a lot of action throughout the season so far and started three of the games for injured safety Sean Chandler. So far this season, Smith has 31 tackles and a interception returned for 27 yards.

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), **Amir Tyler** [Lake-wood (N.J.) High], and **Benny Walls** (Cinnaminson, N.J. / St. Joe's Prep).

SPECIAL TEAMS

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. He set the school mark with 19 consecutive FG's made before missing on a 43 yard attempt at Memphis. Later that game he suffered an ACL injury that will sideline him for the remainder of the year.

True freshman walk on **Aaron Bomerhi** (Philipsburg, Pa. / Philipsburg-Osceola) was pressed into action and is a perfect 7/7 on field goals this year.

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 a few new walk-ons continue to push the incumbents. **Dan McDonald** (Warrington, Pa. / Archbishop Wood) were added as walk-ons this spring.

The kicking game 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 has been holding in every game during the 2016 season.

The return game has seen a multitude of changes through the season. Handling the punt return chores in the absence of DB Sean Chandler is RB Jahad Thomas. The kickoff return has had even more turnover with DB Nate Hairston (game 1), WR Travon Williams (games 2-4), and WR Randal Jones (games 5-8) handling the primary role.



Chandler

Randall



Bomerhi

Starzyk



Lerch

Bradway

Matt Rhule's Record when...

	Tot.	'16	'15	'14	'13
Overall	24-23	6-3	10-4	6-6	2-10
at Home	14-10	5-1	5-1	3-3	1-5
Road	10-12	1-2	5-2	3-3	1-5
Neutral Site	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0
Conference	16-13	4-1	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.....	19-8	5-2	7-2	5-2	2-2
scoring on first drive	9-1	3-0	3-0	2-1	1-0
opp scores on first drive.....	3-8	1-0	2-2	0-3	0-3
winning coin toss.....	6-9	0-1	4-0	2-4	0-4
when leading at halftime	19-6	5-2	7-0	5-0	2-4
when tied at halftime	2-1	0-0	1-0	1-1	0-0
when trailing at halftime	3-16	1-1	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	21-17	6-2	9-3	4-3	2-9
400+ total offensive yards	8-4	3-1	3-0	1-0	1-3
500+ total offensive yards	4-3	2-1	1-0	0-0	1-2
200+ offensive passing yards.....	12-16	2-2	4-3	4-2	2-9
300+ offensive passing yards	3-8	0-1	1-0	0-0	2-7
400+ offensive passing yards.....	2-2	0-1	0-0	0-0	2-2
100+ offensive rushing yards	19-12	6-0	8-2	3-2	2-8
150+ offensive rushing yards	16-6	6-0	6-0	2-2	2-4
200+ offensive rushing yards	11-2	4-0	5-0	1-0	1-2
offense scores 20+ points	23-13	6-2	10-2	5-1	2-8
offense scores 30+ points	17-2	5-0	6-0	4-0	2-2
offense scores 40+ points	7-1	3-0	2-0	1-0	1-1
takeaways/turnovers are plus.....	15-4	5-1	5-1	4-1	1-1
takeaways/turnovers are even	5-2	1-0	2-1	1-0	1-1
takeaways/turnovers are negative	4-17	0-2	3-2	1-5	0-8
<=300 total defensive yards.....	13-2	3-0	5-0	4-1	1-1
<=400 total defensive yards	18-7	4-2	7-1	5-3	2-1
<=500 total defensive yards.....	21-15	5-3	9-3	5-5	2-4
<=200 defensive passing yards	14-7	4-2	5-1	3-3	2-1
<=300 defensive passing yards	21-14	6-3	7-4	6-5	2-2
<=400 defensive passing yards	22-21	6-3	8-4	6-6	2-8
<=100 defensive rushing yards	14-4	4-0	7-1	2-2	1-1
<=150 defensive rushing yards	17-8	4-2	8-1	4-3	1-2
<=200 defensive rushing yards.....	21-14	5-2	9-2	5-4	1-6
defense allows <=10 points.....	10-0	1-0	4-0	5-0	0-0
defense allows <=20 points.....	16-2	4-0	7-0	4-2	1-0

* - at season's end

Matt RHULE

Head Coach

Penn State '97



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

Youngest FBS Head Coaches (as of October 11, 2016)

Coach	Age (DOB)
Mike Norvell, Memphis	35 (10/11/81)
P.J. Fleck, Western Michigan	36 (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	41 (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).

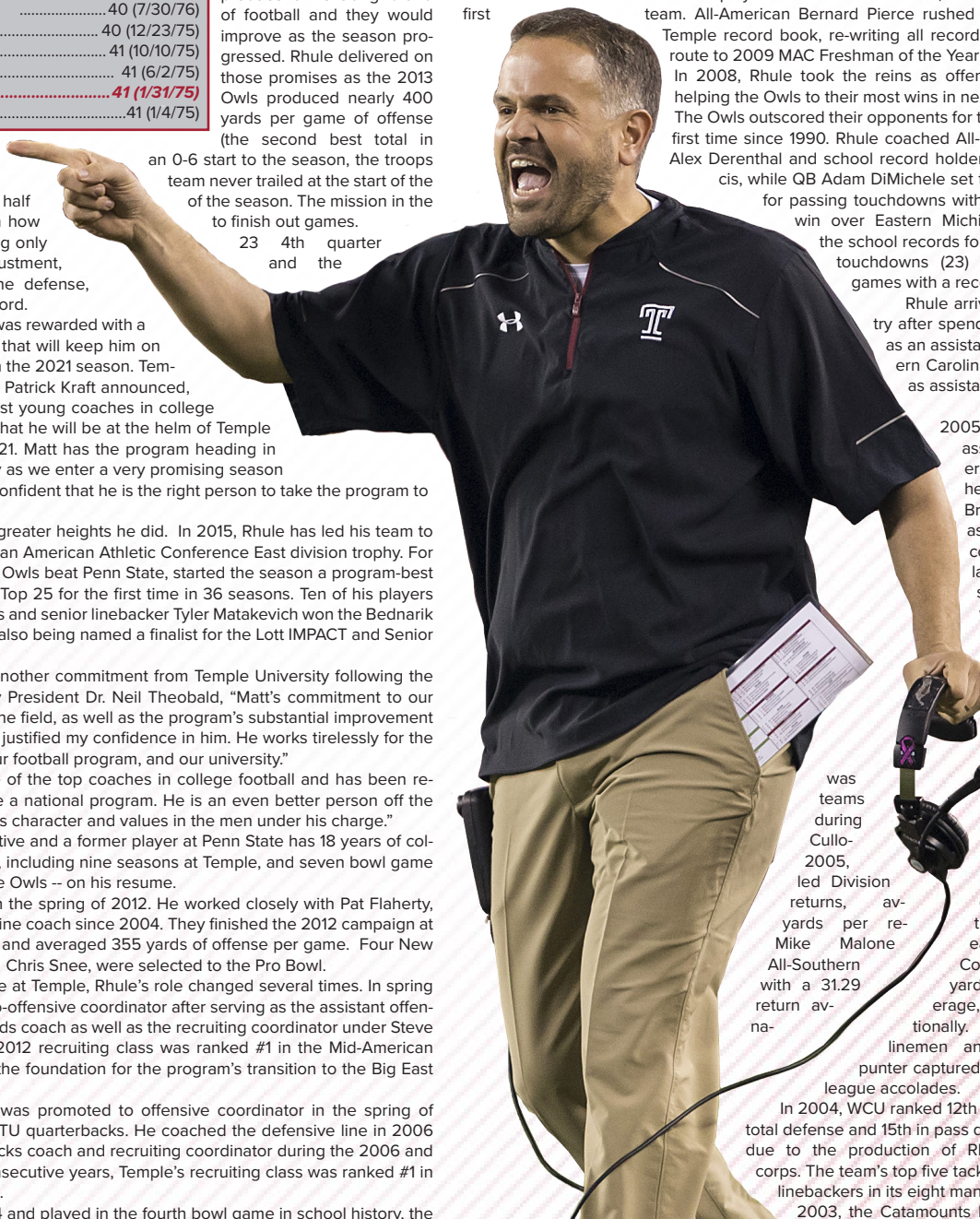
Rhule arrived in Owl Country after spending four seasons as an assistant coach at Western Carolina, including three as assistant head coach.

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 erage 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	12/11/14
Philip Montgomery, Tulsa	12/11/14
Tom Herman, Houston	12/15/14
Scott Frost, UCF	12/11/15
Mike Norvell, Memphis	12/3/15
Willie Fritz, Tulane	12/11/15
Scottie Montgomery, East Carolina	12/13/15



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.)

Coch (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
Matt Rhule (2013-16)	4	47	24	23	—	.510
George Makris (1960-69)	10	93	45	44	4	.505
William J. Schatz (1909-13)	5	29	13	13	3	.500
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
Matt Rhule (2013-16)	47
Jerry Berndt (1989-92)	44

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
Matt Rhule (2013-16)	24
Albert P. Kawal (1949-54)	24

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	16-14
UCF	2-2
Cincinnati	2-2
UConn	2-1
East Carolina	2-0
Houston	0-3
Louisville	0-1
Memphis	2-2
Navy	0-0
Rutgers	0-1
SMU	2-1
South Florida	1-1
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 Nebblett (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

2016 Temple Football

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
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2015 Marmot Boca Raton Bowl

D 22	Toledo	L	17-32
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* - Conference games
CFP/AP rankings in ()
HC - Homecoming

YEAR-BY-YEAR STANDINGS

2015	Conf.	Pct.	Overall	Pct.
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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.
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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.
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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.
- 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.
- Had a national award winner - Bronko Nagurski and Chuck Bednarik Award - for the first time since 1974 (when Steve Joachim won the Maxwell Award).
- Had a player earn first-team All-American honors for the first time since 1986.
- Become bowl eligible for three consecutive seasons for the second time in school history.

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	70	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 HONOR ROLL

Watch Lists

CFPA Performer of the Year.....	Phillip Walker
Chuck Bednarik Award.....	Sean Chandler, Haason Reddick
Davey O'Brien Award.....	Phillip Walker
Jim Thorpe Award.....	Sean Chandler
John Mackey Award.....	Colin Thompson
Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award.....	Phillip Walker
Manning Award.....	Phillip Walker
Maxwell Award.....	Jahad Thomas, Phillip Walker
Paul Hornung Award.....	Jahad Thomas
Rimington Award.....	Brendan McGowan
Senior Bowl.....	Dion Dawkins, Haason Reddick, Jahad Thomas
Wuerffel Award.....	Brendan McGowan

Players of the Week

		AAC	CFPA	CSM	Oth
9/24/16	Jahad Thomas, RB	HR			
10/1/16	Ryquell Armstead, RB	HR			
10/1/16	Haason Reddick, DL	D			
10/1/16	Nate L. Smith, DB			AAC-D	
10/6/16	Haason Reddick, DL	HR			
10/15/16	Haason Reddick, DL	HR			MNY
10/15/16	Dion Dawkins, OL				MNY
10/21/16	Aaron Boumerhi, K	ST			
10/21/16	Ryquell Armstead, RB	HR			
10/29/16	Aaron Boumerhi, K	ST			

DL Jacob Martin

AFCA Good Works Team nominee

OL Brendan McGowan

NFF Campbell Award semifinalist

TE Chris Myarick

CoSIDA Academic All-America nominee

FB Nick Sharga

CoSIDA Academic All-America nominee

P Alex Starzyk

Ray Guy Award candidate

AAC - American Athletic Conference
 AP - Associated Press
 AFCA - American Football Coaches Association
 CFPA - College Football Performance Awards
 CSM - College Sports Madness
 ECAC - Eastern College Athletic Conference
 FWAA - Football Writer's Association of America
 MNY - Eastern Football/Metro NY Football Writers
 PS - Phil Steele Publications
 SN - Sporting News
 USA - USA Today
 WC - Walter Camp Football Foundation

2016 Team Honor Roll

Production POTW

Stony Brook
 Charlotte
 SMU
 UCF
 USF
 Cincinnati

Offense

Keith Kirkwood
 Brodrick Yancy
 Ryquell Armstead
 Jahad Thomas
 Ryquell Armstead
 Phillip Walker

Defense

Sharif Finch
 Stephoun Marshall
 Haason Reddick
 Haason Reddick
 Averee Robinson
 Avery Williams

Special Teams

Alex Starzyk
 Austin Jones
 Jeremiah Atoki
 Aaron Boumerhi
 Aaron Boumerhi
 Avery Ellis

Effort POTW

Stony Brook
 Charlotte
 SMU
 UCF
 USF
 Cincinnati

Offense

Dion Dawkins
 Leon Johnson
 Nick Sharga
 Ryquell Armstead
 Nick Sharga
 Brodrick Yancy

Defense

William Kwenkeu
 Avery Williams
 Michael Dogbe
 Michael Dogbe
 Artrel Foster
 Praise Martin-Oguike

Special Teams

William Kwenkeu
 William Kwenkeu
 David Hood
 Jeremiah Atoki
 L.Crump/A.Ellis
 Cequan Jefferson

Scout Team

Stony Brook
 Charlotte
 SMU
 UCF
 USF
 Cincinnati

Offense

Willie Smith
 Jonny Forrest
 Brandon Mack
 Tyliek Raynor
 David Hood
 James McHale

Defense

Kevin DeCaesar
 Deandre Kelly
 Chris Smith
 Sharif Finch
 Isaiah Graham-Mobley
 Kareem Gaudlen

OwlSports.com Player of the Week

9/26/16 Jahad Thomas
 10/3/16 Ryquell Armstead
 10/17/16 Jahad Thomas
 10/24/16 Ryquell Armstead

ACTIVE OWLS IN THE PROS

[as of October 31, 2016]

Name (Years Lettered)

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Name (Years Lettered)	Team	Pos.
Robby Anderson (2011-13, 2015)	New York Jets	WR
Kyle Friend (2012-15)	New York Jets	OL
Junior Galette (2006-08)	Washington Redskins	DL
Matt Ioannidis (2012-15)	Washington Redskins	DL
Tyler Matakevich (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

Week 8 in the NFL had some noteworthy performances from Temple alumni. Brandon McManus went 2-2 on field goals and had 9 points to help the Broncos defeat the Chargers 27-19. Tahir Whitehead had 7 tackles as the Lions fell to the Texans 20-13. In the Jets 31-28 win over the Browns, Muhammad Wilkerson had a sack and Robby Anderson had three catches for 41 yards. With the Steelers and the Ravens on a bye week, Tyler Matakevich and Tavon Young attended the Temple- Cincinnati game this weekend. Baltimore host Pittsburgh this upcoming Sunday.



Top 25 Poll

ASSOCIATED PRESS..... AMWAY COACHES POLL

Alabama (60).....	1.....	Alabama (63)
Michigan (1).....	2.....	Michigan
Clemson.....	3.....	Clemson (1)
Washington.....	4.....	Washington
Louisville.....	5.....	Louisville
Ohio State.....	6.....	Ohio State
Texas A&M.....	7.....	Texas A&M
Wisconsin.....	8.....	Wisconsin
Nebraska.....	9.....	Florida
Florida.....	10.....	Nebraska
Auburn.....	11.....	Oklahoma
Oklahoma.....	12.....	Auburn
Baylor.....	13.....	Baylor
West Virginia.....	14.....	LSU
LSU.....	15.....	West Virginia
Utah.....	16.....	Utah
Western Michigan.....	17.....	North Carolina
North Carolina.....	18.....	Western Michigan
Florida State.....	19.....	Florida State
Penn State.....	20.....	Colorado
Colorado.....	21.....	Virginia Tech
Oklahoma State.....	22.....	Oklahoma State
Virginia Tech.....	23.....	Penn State
Boise State.....	24.....	Boise State
Washington State.....	25.....	Washington State

AMERICAN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE STANDINGS

	Conf.	Pct.	PF	PA	Overall	Pct.	PF	PA
East Division								
1. TEMPLE	4-1	.800	178	122	6-3	.666	304	204
2. USF.....	4-1	.800	207	160.....	7-2	.778	391	272
3. UCF.....	2-2	.500	124	102.....	4-4	.500	249	197
4. ECU.....	1-3	.250	111	119.....	3-5	.375	228	230
5. Cincinnati.....	1-4	.200	89	158.....	4-4	.500	182	205
6. UConn.....	1-5	.176	104	186.....	3-6	.333	165	248
West Division								
1. Navy.....	4-1	.800	182	158.....	5-2	.714	248	202
2. Tulsa.....	3-1	.775	183	135.....	6-2	.775	337	255
3. Houston.....	4-2	.667	207	169.....	7-2	.778	346	195
4. Memphis.....	2-2	.500	116	142.....	5-3	.625	299	217
5. SMU.....	2-2	.500	133	105.....	4-4	.500	212	243
6. Tulane.....	0-4	.000	86	140.....	3-5	.375	227	221



INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS

Category No.... NCAA/AAC

RB Ryquell Armstead

Rushing Touchdowns.....	11.....	10/3
Rush yards per carry.....	6.80.....	32/4

DB Delvon Randall

Interceptions.....	3.....	24/6
Fumbles Recovered.....	2.....	9/1

DL Haason Reddick

Tackles For Los/Game.....	1.8.....	3/1
Sacks/Game.....	0.83.....	24/2

RB Jahad Thomas

Rushing Touchdowns.....	9.....	25/6
Total Points scored.....	72.....	26/4
Total Touchdowns.....	12.....	9/2

QB Phillip Walker

Passing Yards/Completion.....	13.82.....	20/2
Completion %.....	57.6.....	82/7
Passing Yards.....	1,990.....	36/5
Completions Per Game.....	16.00.....	68/7
Passing TDs.....	13.....	44/6
Passing Efficiency.....	133.6.....	60/5

TEMPLE (6-3, 4-1)

2016 STATISTICAL COMPARISON

UConn (3-6, 1-5)

Avg.	NCAA/Conf.	Category.....	NCAA/Conf.	Avg
405.3	68/8.....	Total Offense.....	106/11	361.2
181.0	54/5.....	Rushing Offense.....	113/11	126.6
224.3	76/9.....	Passing Offense.....	64/7	234.7
131.20	65/7.....	Pass Efficiency Offense.....	97/9	121.31
33.8	38/6.....	Scoring Offense.....	126/12	18.3
405.3	11/2.....	Total Defense.....	71/5	415.6
142.3	41/4.....	Rushing Defense.....	26/2	125.3
163.7	16/1.....	Passing Defense.....	118/12	290.2
114.07	29/4.....	Pass Efficiency Defense.....	87/11	137.49
22.7	32/2.....	Scoring Defense.....	66/6	27.6
+0.33	42/4.....	Turnover Margin.....	101/11	-0.44
38.7	75/7.....	3rd Down Conversion Pct.....	109/10	30.0
41.2	102/12.....	4th Down Conversion Pct.....	55/8	55.0
32.0	18/1.....	3rd Down Conversion Pct. Defense.....	72/8	39.6
58.8	91/8.....	4th Down Conversion Pct. Defense.....	71/4	52.9
84.4	40/4.....	Red Zone Offense.....	84/9	80.8
72.0	14/2.....	Red Zone Defense.....	19/4	74.2
37.66	63/5.....	Net Punting.....	64/6	37.61
12.43	19/1.....	Punt Returns.....	74/7	7.00
4.75	27/3.....	Punt Return Defense.....	75/6	8.11
18.25	113/12.....	Kickoff Returns.....	98/8	19.00
21.10	72/6.....	Kickoff Return Defense.....	18/3	17.64
7.4	19/2.....	Tackles For Loss.....	122/12	4.2

ARMY (5-3)	
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	L, 6-13
O-15 Lafayette [CBSSN].....	W, 62-7
O-22 North Texas [CBSSN].....	L, 18-35
O-29 @Wake Forest.....	W, 21-13
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 (5-3)	
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	W, 27-20
O-15 Rhode Island	W, 14-3
O-22 @Delaware	W, 28-3
O-29 @New Hampshire	L, 14-43
N-05 William & Mary	2:00pm
N-12 Maine	2:00pm
N-19 @Albany	1:00pm

PENN STATE (6-2)	
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	W, 38-14
BYE	
O-22 Ohio State [ABC/ESPN/ESPN2].....	W, 24-21
O-29 @Purdue	W, 62-24
N-05 Iowa [BTN].....	7:30pm
N-12 @Indiana	TBD
N-19 @Rutgers [BTN].....	8:00pm
N-26 Michigan State	TBD

CHARLOTTE (3-5)	
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	W, 28-23
O-15 FIU	L, 26-27
O-22 @Marshall	W, 27-24
BYE	
N-05 @Southern Miss [ASN].....	3:30pm
N-12 Rice	2:00pm
N-19 Middle Tennessee	2:00pm
N-26 @UTSA	7:00pm

SMU (4-4)	
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].....	L, 40-43
BYE	
O-22 Houston [ESPN2].....	W, 38-16
O-29 @Tulane [ESPN].....	W, 35-31
N-05 Memphis	4:00pm
N-12 @East Carolina [ESPN/ESPN2].....	12:00pm
N-19 USF	TBD
N-26 Navy	TBD

MEMPHIS (5-3)	
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]	W, 34-27
O-14 @Tulane [ESPN].....	W, 24-14
O-22 @Navy [CBSSN].....	L, 28-42
O-29 Tulsa [ESPN].....	L, 30-59
N-05 @SMU	4:00pm
N-12 USF [ESPN].....	7:00pm
N-18 @Cincinnati [CBSSN].....	8:00pm
N-25 Houston	TBD

2016 Opponent's Schedules

UCF (4-4)	
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
BYE	

O-15 Temple [ESPN].....	L, 25-26
O-22 @UConn [ESPN].....	W, 24-16
O-29 @Houston [ESPN].....	L, 24-31
N-05 Tulane [ESPN2/ESPN].....	5:00pm
N-12 Cincinnati [ESPN/ESPN2].....	12:00pm
N-19 Tulsa	TBD
N-26 @USF	TBD

USF (7-2)	
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].....	W, 38-22
O-15 UConn [CBSSN].....	W, 42-27
O-21 @Temple [ESPN]	L, 30-46
O-28 Navy [ESPN2].....	W, 52-45
BYE	
N-12 @Memphis [ESPN].....	7:00pm
N-19 @SMU	TBD
N-26 UCF	TBD

CINCINNATI (4-4)	
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].....	L, 9-20
BYE	
O-22 East Carolina [CBSSN].....	W, 31-19
O-29 @Temple [CBSSN].....	L, 14-34
N-05 Brigham Young	3:30 pm
N-12 @UCF [ESPN/ESPN2].....	12:00pm
N-18 Memphis [CBSSN].....	8:00pm
N-25 @Tulsa [ESPN].....	TBD

UCONN (3-6)	
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].....	W, 20-9
O-15 @USF [CBSSN].....	L, 27-42
O-22 UCF [ESPN].....	L, 16-24
O-29 @East Carolina [ESPN].....	L, 3-41
N-04 Temple [ESPN2]	7:00pm
BYE	
N-19 @Boston College	TBD
N-26 Tulane	TBD

TULANE (3-5)	
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
BYE	
O-14 Memphis [ESPN].....	L, 14-24
O-22 @Tulsa [ESPN].....	L, 27-50
O-29 SMU [ESPN].....	L, 31-35
N-05 @UCF [ESPN2/ESPN].....	5:00pm
N-12 @Houston [CBSSN].....	3:30pm
N-19 Temple	TBD
N-26 @UConn	TBD

EAST CAROLINA (3-5)	
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].....	L, 22-38
BYE	
O-22 @Cincinnati [CBSSN].....	L, 19-31
O-29 UConn [ESPN].....	W, 41-3
N-05 @Tulsa	8:00 pm
N-12 SMU [ESPN/ESPN2].....	12:00pm
N-19 Navy	TBD
N-26 @Temple	TBD

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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

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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 championship 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, 245, 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
	13	Isaiah Wright	6-2, 207, 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
	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	98	Michael Dogbe	6-3, 280, r-So
	99	Freddie Booth-Lloyd	6-1, 315, r-So
NT	43	Averee Robinson	6-0, 285, Sr
	89	Greg Webb	6-1, 312, r-Jr
	72	Karamo Dioubate	6-3, 279, Fr
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
	18	Shaun Bradley	6-1, 220, Fr
WLB	6	Stephaun 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
CB	15	Nate Hairston.....	6-0, 193, r-Sr
	46	Linwood Crump.....	6-0, 165, Fr
	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	97	Aaron Boumerhi.....	6-0, 210, Fr
	37	Dan McDonald.....	5-11, 185, r-Fr
	43	Alex Starzyk.....	6-2, 226, Jr
P	43	Alex Starzyk.....	6-2, 226, Jr
	97	Aaron Boumerhi.....	6-0, 210, Fr
KO	97	Aaron Boumerhi.....	6-0, 210, Fr
	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	5	Jahad Thomas	5-10, 188, Sr
	13	Isaiah Wright	6-2, 207, Fr
KOR	24	David Hood	5-9, 190, r-So
	27	Jager Gardner	6-2, 214, So
	5	Jahad Thomas	5-10, 188, Sr
	13	Isaiah Wright	6-2, 207, Fr

SIDE LINE



GEORGE DELEONE
Offensive Line



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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.

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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	51	Dana Levine	DL	6-4	225	r-Fr	-	Hallandale Beach, FL / Hallandale
41	Jarred Alwan	LB	5-11	229	Sr	3L	Cherry Hill, NJ / Camden Catholic	20	Khiry Lucas	DB	6-1	200	r-Sr	1L	Cleveland, MS / East Side / Hinds CC
83	Patrick Anderson	TE	6-3	265	r-Fr	-	Aliquippa, PA / Aliquippa	19	Brandon Mack	WR	6-5	195	Fr	-	Wyncote, PA / Cheltenham
62	Nick Apostolu	OL	6-5	300	r-So	-	Springfield, PA / Springfield	45	Julian Mahan	LB	6-1	225	Fr	-	Sicklerville, NJ / Timber Creek
95	Dan Archibong	DL	6-6	255	Fr	-	Springfield, PA / Springfield	12	Logan Marchi	QB	6-0	192	r-Fr	-	Bristol, CT / St. Paul Catholic
25	Ryquell Armstead	RB	5-11	205	So	1L	Millville, NJ / Millville	6	Stephaun Marshall	LB	5-11	206	r-Sr	3L	Montclair, NJ / Montclair
19	Jeremiah Atoki	LB	6-2	214	r-Fr	-	Vineland, NJ / Vineland South	9	Jacob Martin	DL	6-2	240	Jr	2L	Aurora, CO / Cherokee Trail
38	Chris Bascomb	DB	5-9	170	Fr	-	Franklinville, NJ / Delsea	50	Praise Martin-Oguike	DL	6-1	255	r-Sr	2L	Woodbridge, NJ / Woodbridge
28	Justin Bishop	WR	6-2	140	Fr	-	Somers Point, NJ / Mainland Regional	37	Dan McDonald	K	5-11	185	r-Fr	-	Warrington, PA / Archbishop Wood
99	Freddie Booth-Lloyd	DL	6-1	315	r-So	1L	Cocoa, FL / Cocoa	68	Brendan McGowan	OL	6-3	298	r-Sr	3L	Barnesville, PA / Marian Catholic
79	Cole Boozer	OL	6-5	275	r-Jr	-	Hunt Valley, MD / Loyola Blakefield	74	James McHale	OL	6-6	300	r-So	-	Dunmore, PA / Dunmore
97	Aaron Boucher	LB	6-0	210	Fr	-	Philipsburg, PA / Philipsburg-Osceola	34	Booker McLean	DB	6-1	180	r-So	-	Montville, NJ / Montville / Valley Forge
18	Shaun Bradley	LB	6-1	220	Fr	-	Mt. Holly, NJ / Rancocas Valley	57	Zach Mesday	LB	6-0	238	r-So	-	Bordentown, NJ / Nottingham / Canterbury
20	Tom Bradway	WR	5-8	185	r-Jr	1L	Linwood, NJ / Mainland Regional / Lafayette	85	Chris Myarick	TE	6-4	255	r-So	-	Elkins Park, PA / Cheltenham
24	Kimere Brown	DB	6-0	165	Fr	-	Penns Grove, NJ / Penns Grove	92	Domenic Nigrelli	TE	6-2	240	r-Fr	-	Wayne, PA / Valley Forge
30	Keyvone Bruton	DB	5-11	205	Fr	-	Norfolk, VA / Lake Taylor	18	Frank Nutile	QB	6-4	219	r-So	-	Wayne, NJ / Don Bosco Prep
75	Darian Bryant	OL	6-5	311	Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / Chestnut Hill Academy	88	Jake O'Donnell	TE	6-6	255	r-Sr	-	Doylestown, PA / Central Bucks East/Miami
1	Ventell Bryant	WR	6-3	189	r-So	1L	Tampa, FL / Jefferson	47	Steve Petrick	TE	6-5	230	Fr	-	North Huntingdon, PA / Norwin
55	Brian Carter	OL	6-1	304	r-Jr	2L	Harrisburg, PA / Harrisburg	76	Vincent Picozzi	OL	6-4	280	Fr	-	Collegeville, PA / Lansdale Catholic
3	Sean Chandler	DB	6-0	190	Jr	2L	Camden, NJ / Camden	23	Delvon Randall	DB	5-11	208	So	1L	Pittsburgh, PA / Gateway / East Coast
65	Brendan Clark	OL	6-4	270	Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / Father Judge	34	Tyleik Raynor	RB	5-10	185	Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / Imhotep
73	Lawenzo Clarke	OL	6-3	289	r-So	-	Woodbury, NJ / Woodbury	7	Haason Reddick	DL	6-1	235	r-Sr	3L	Camden, NJ / Haddon Heights
27	Julian Conover	LB	6-3	205	Fr	-	Highland Falls, NY / Don Bosco Prep	67	Semaj Reed	OL	6-5	290	r-Jr	1L	Philadelphia, PA / Haverford School
46	Linwood Crump	DB	6-0	165	Fr	-	South Amboy, NJ / Piscataway	59	Jeromy Reichner	DL	6-1	235	r-Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / W. Philadelphia Catholic
38	Anthony Cruz	WR	6-2	175	r-Fr	-	Dingmans Ferry, PA/E. Stroudsburg N/St. Francis	45	Rob Ritrovato	FB	5-11	240	r-So	-	West Chester, PA / East
66	Dion Dawkins	OL	6-5	320	Sr	3L	Rahway, NJ / Rahway / Hargrave Military	43	Averee Robinson	DL	6-0	285	Sr	3L	Harrisburg, PA / Susquehanna Twp. / Milford
53	Kevin DeCaesar	LB	6-0	210	r-Fr	-	Westville, NJ / West Deptford	77	Jaelin Robinson	OL	6-6	325	r-So	-	West Haven, CT / Wilbur Cross
11	Romond Deloatch	TE	6-4	245	r-Sr	3L	Hampton, VA / Phoebus	82	Jake Robinson	TE	6-2	233	r-Fr	-	Haddonfield, NJ / Haddonfield Memorial
47	Mike DiFrancesco	LB	6-0	225	r-Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / Neumann-Goretti	90	Quincy Roche	DL	6-4	210	Fr	-	Randallstown, MD / New Town
72	Karamo Dioubate	DL	6-3	279	Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / Prep Charter	78	Aaron Ruff	OL	6-3	300	r-So	-	Philadelphia, PA / Imhotep
98	Michael Dogbe	DL	6-3	280	r-So	1L	Morris Plains, NJ / Parsippany Hills	33	Kharee Ruley	RB	5-8	165	r-Fr	-	Philadelphia, PA / West Catholic
72	Dan Drewes	OL	6-1	285	r-Fr	-	Dunmore, PA / Dunmore	22	Chapelle Russell	LB	6-1	230	r-Fr	-	Lakewood, NJ / Lakewood
10	Marshall Elick	WR	6-2	191	r-So	-	Richmond, VA / Monocan / Air Force Prep	15	Anthony Russo	QB	6-4	220	Fr	-	Doylestown, PA / Archbishop Wood
52	Avery Ellis	DL	6-2	249	r-Sr	3L	Montclair, NJ / Montclair	44	John Ruza	WR	6-0	173	r-So	-	Wallingford, PA / Strath Haven
70	Jovahn Fair	OL	6-2	300	r-Fr	-	Akron, OH / Firestone	4	Nick Sharga	FB	6-2	240	r-Jr	1L	Cherryville, PA / Northampton / WW Wesleyan
56	Sharif Finch	DL	6-4	255	Sr	3L	Henrico, VA / Henrico	21	Cortrelle Simpson	WR	5-9	188	r-Fr	-	Indian Head, MD / Lackey
87	David Fofi	WR	6-2	185	Fr	-	Burke, VA / Lake Braddock	49	Chris Smith	LB	5-10	225	r-Jr	-	North Plainfield, NJ / North Plainfield
44	Jared Folks	LB	6-1	230	r-So	-	Harrisburg, PA / Susquehanna Township	13	Nate L. Smith	DB	6-0	188	r-Sr	2L	Philadelphia, PA / Archbishop Wood
39	Jonny Forrest	RB	5-10	210	Fr	-	New Rochelle, NY / New Rochelle	80	Willie Smith III	WR	5-11	175	r-So	-	Jacksonville, FL / Eagles View Acad. / Seton Hill
16	Artrel Foster	DB	5-11	189	r-Jr	2L	Meadville, PA / Meadville	43	Alex Starzyk	P	6-2	226	Jr	2L	Pleasant Valley, NY / Arlington / East Coast
36	Sam Franklin	DB	6-3	200	Fr	-	Crystal River, FL / Citrus / East Coast Prep	69	Adrian Sullivan	OL	6-3	303	r-Jr	-	Babylon, NY / Babylon / Worcester Acad.
61	Vaughn Fulton	OL	6-6	265	Jr	-	Aston, PA / Sun Valley / Valley Forge	94	Jullian Taylor	DL	6-5	280	r-Jr	-	Glenside, PA / Williamstown (NJ)
27	Jager Gardner	RB	6-2	214	So	1L	Black Mountain, NC / Owen	25	Ahmad Thomas	DB	5-9	185	Fr	-	Newark, NJ / St. Peter's Prep
31	Kareem Gauden	DB	6-1	200	Fr	-	Jersey City, NJ / Lincoln	21	Derrek Thomas	DB	6-3	193	r-So	-	Albany, NY / Bishop Maginn / Milford
99	Jake Geiger	K	6-0	175	r-Fr	-	Downingtown, PA / Bishop Shanahan	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	Sidderville, 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								

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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	Daishaun 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 Gaulden ..	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 Bomerhi.....	K
41	Jarred Alwan	LB	98	Michael Dogbe	DL
42	Taiyir Wilson.....	FB	99	F. Booth-Lloyd.....	DL
43	Averee Robinson...	DL	99	Jake Geiger	K
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 Senior (6) Jarred Alwan Dion Dawkins Sharif Finch Averee Robinson Jahad Thomas Phillip Walker 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 Junior (8) Sean Chandler Vaughn Fulton Cequan Jefferson Adonis Jennings Austin Jones Corey Lerch Jacob Martin Alex Starzyk	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 Hez Trahan Brodrick Yancy Sophomore (4) Ryquell Armstead Jager Gardner Todd Jones Delvon Randall RS-Fresh. (22) Patrick Anderson Jeremiah Atoki Anthony Cruz Kevin DeCaesar Mike DiFrancesco Dan Drewes Jovahn Fair Taiyir Wilson Jake Geiger Daishaun Grimes Benson Israel DeAndre Kelly Dana Levine Logan Marchi Dan McDonald Domenic Nigrelli Jeromy Reichner Jake Robinson	Kharee Ruley Chapelle Russell Cortrelle Simpson Travon Williams Freshmen (37) Dan Archibong Chris Bascomb Justin Bishop Aaron Bomerhi Shaun Bradley Kimere Brown Keyvone Bruton Darian Bryant Brendan Clark Julian Conover Linwood Crump Karamo Dioubate David Fofi Jonny Forrest Sam Franklin Kareem Gaulden I.Graham-Mobley Matt Hennessy Freddie Johnson Randle Jones Sam Kramer William Kwenkeu Branden Mack Julian Mahan Steve Petrick Vincent Picozzi Tylik Raynor Quincy Roche Anthony Russo Ahmad Thomas Chris Tucker Amir Tyler Benny Walls Taiyir Wilson Isaiah Wright Tommy Wyatt Kenny Yeboah
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GEOGRAPHICAL ROSTER

Colorado (1) Jacob Martin Mississippi (1) Khiry Lucas 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 Daishaun Grimes	Freddie Johnson Austin Jones Randle Jones Dana Levine Willie Smith III Jyquis Thomas Brodrick Yancy 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 Gaulden 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	Pennsylvania (47) Patrick Anderson Nick Apostolu Dan Archibong Darian Bryant Aaron Bomerhi Brian Carter Brendan Clark Anthony Cruz Mike DiFrancesco Karamo Dioubate Dan Drewes Jared Folks Artrel Foster Vaughn Fulton Jake Geiger 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 Tylik 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)
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SCHOOL PRIDE

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

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

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	Hennessy	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	Dawkins	Fair	McGowan	Sullivan	L.Johnson	Thompson	Kirkwood	Ellick	Yancy (WR)	Ja.Thomas	Walker
@UCF	Dawkins	Fair	McGowan	Sullivan	L.Johnson	Thompson	Deloatch (TE)	Ellick	Armstead (RB)	Ja.Thomas	Walker
USF	Dawkins	Fair	McGowan	Sullivan	L.Johnson	Thompson	Kirkwood	V.Bryant	Yancy (WR)	Ja.Thomas	Walker
CINCINNATI	Dawkins	Fair	McGowan	Sullivan	L.Johnson	Thompson	Kirkwood	V.Bryant	Wright (WR)	Ja.Thomas	Walker
@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	Reddick	Dogbe	A.Robinson	Martin-Oguike	A.Williams	Folks	Russell	N.L.Smith	Randall	Hairston	Foster
@UCF	Reddick	Dogbe	A.Robinson	Martin-Oguike	A.Williams	Folks	Marshall	N.L.Smith	Randall	Hairston	Foster
USF	Reddick	Dogbe	A.Robinson	Martin-Oguike	A.Williams	Folks	Marshall	Lucas	Randall	Hairston	Foster
CINCINNATI	Reddick	Dogbe	A.Robinson	Martin-Oguike	A.Williams	Alwan	Marshall	Chandler	Randall	Hairston	Foster
@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	Ja.Thomas (13-37-0)	Walker (36-59-445-2-2)	Yancy (9-88-0)	Reddick (8-3-11)	Reddick (2.0)	-
@UCF	Ja.Thomas (27-120-1)	Walker (12-24-167-1-2)	V.Bryant (5-94-0)	Folks (3-7-10)	Deloatch Reddick (2.0)	Hairston (1)
USF	Armstead (20-210-2)	Walker (14-21-209-0-1)	V.Bryant (5-15-0)	Marshall (7-1-8)	A.Robinson (2.0)	Randall (1)
CINCINNATI	Ja.Thomas (17-151-0)	Walker (12-19-199-0-2)	V.Bryant (3-66-1)	A.Williams (4-3-7)	Martin-Oguike (1.0)	-
@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	5-Thomas (2)	7-Reddick (2)	8-Walker (2)	20-Lucas	B-B-B
@UCF	66-Dawkins (2)				C-W-W
USF	2-Williams (2)	7-Reddick (3)	11-Deloatch (2)	15-Hairston (2)	C-C-W
CINCINNATI	6-Marshall (2)	43-Robinson (3)	52-Ellis (2)	86-Thompson (3)	C-C-C
@UConn					
@Tulane					
ECU					

TEAM STATISTICS

2016 Results								
Date	Opponent.....	Score	Overall	Conference	Home	Away	Time	Attendance
Sep 2	ARMY.....	L 13-28	0-1		0-1		3:09	34,005
Sep 10	STONY BROOK.....	W 38-0	1-1		1-1		3:00	22,296
Sep 17	at Penn State.....	L 27-34	1-2			0-1	3:26	100,420
Sep 24	CHARLOTTE.....	W 48-20	2-2		2-1		3:13	27,786
* Oct 1	SMU.....	W 45-20	3-2	1-0	3-1		3:22	22,401
* Oct 6	at Memphis.....	L 27-34	3-3	1-1		0-2	3:37	34,743
* Oct 15	at UCF.....	W 26-25	4-3	2-1		1-2	3:18	38,299
* Oct 21	USF.....	W 46-30	5-3	3-1	4-1		3:31	25,950
* Oct 29	CINCINNATI.....	W 34-13	6-3	4-1	5-1		3:03	29,763
* 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.....	304	204
Points Per Game.....	33.8	22.7
Points Off Turnovers.....	76	34
FIRST DOWNS.....	188	151
Rushing.....	87	70
Passing.....	84	65
Penalty.....	17	16
RUSHING YARDAGE.....	1629	1281
Yards gained rushing.....	1880	1613
Yards lost rushing.....	251	332
Rushing Attempts.....	365	335
Average Per Rush.....	4.5	3.8
Average Per Game.....	181.0	142.3
TDs Rushing.....	22	14
PASSING YARDAGE.....	2019	1473
Comp-Att-Int.....	146-258-10	123-230-8
Average Per Pass.....	7.8	6.4
Average Per Catch.....	13.8	12.0
Average Per Game.....	224.3	163.7
TDs Passing.....	13	10
TOTAL OFFENSE.....	3648	2754
Total Plays.....	623	565
Average Per Play.....	5.9	4.9
Average Per Game.....	405.3	306.0
KICK RETURNS: #Yards.....	16-292	50-1055
PUNT RETURNS: #Yards.....	14-174	16-76
INT RETURNS: #Yards.....	8-117	10-164
KICK RETURN AVERAGE.....	18.2	21.1
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE.....	12.4	4.8
INT RETURN AVERAGE.....	14.6	16.4
FUMBLES-LOST.....	9-4	23-9
PENALTIES-Yards.....	56-459	60-490
Average Per Game.....	51.0	54.4
PUNTS-Yards.....	35-1394	51-1865
Average Per Punt.....	39.8	36.6
Net punt average.....	37.7	32.4
KICKOFFS-Yards.....	62-3686	40-2538
Average Per Kick.....	59.5	63.5
Net kick average.....	38.0	42.4
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game.....	33:29	26:31
3RD-DOWN Conversions.....	46/119	40/125
3rd-Down Pct.....	39%	32%
4TH-DOWN Conversions.....	7/17	10/17
4th-Down Pct.....	41%	59%
SACKS BY-Yards.....	26-190	22-169
MISC YARDS.....	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED.....	36	27
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS.....	17-19	6-10
ON-SIDE KICKS.....	0-0	0-2
RED-ZONE SCORES.....	(38-43) 88%	(18-25) 72%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS.....	(24-43) 56%	(14-25) 56%
PAT-ATTEMPTS.....	(35-35) 100%	(22-25) 88%
ATTENDANCE.....	162201	173462
Games/Avg Per Game.....	6/27034	3/57821
Neutral Site Games.....	0/0	

SCORE/QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Tot
Temple	71	107	60	66		304
Opponents	46	57	44	57		204

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	35:31	16:17	8:12
@UCF	0:01	58:48	1:11
USF	41:15	10:48	7:57
CINCINNATI	55:31	0:00	4:29
@UConn			
@Tulane			
ECU			
TOTAL	308:01	163:28	68:31

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	FR	Tot	Avg/G
THOMAS, Jahad	7	564	281	87	28	0	0	960	137.1
ARMSTEAD, R.	9	674	15	0	0	0	0	689	76.6
KIRKWOOD, Keith	9	0	420	5	0	0	0	425	47.2
BRYANT, Ventell	6	0	412	0	0	0	0	412	68.7
YANCY, Brodrick	9	-4	250	0	0	0	0	246	27.3
DELOATCH, Romond	9	0	212	0	0	0	8	220	24.6
WRIGHT, Isaiah	7	174	11	14	0	0	0	199	28.4
JENNINGS, Adonis	9	12	177	0	0	0	0	189	21.0
JONES, Randle	7	0	0	0	144	0	0	144	20.6
ELICK, Marshall	7	-1	141	0	0	0	0	140	20.0
HOOD, David	8	87	11	0	31	0	0	129	16.1
GARDNER, Jager	8	58	0	0	14	0	0	72	9.0
CHANDLER, Sean	5	0	0	66	0	0	0	66	13.2
WILLIAMS, Travon	4	1	0	0	63	0	0	64	16.0
RANDALL, Delvon	9	0	0	0	0	57	0	57	6.3
THOMPSON, Colin	8	0	43	0	0	0	0	43	5.4
SHARGA, Nick	9	39	2	0	0	0	0	41	4.6
SIMPSON, C.	4	39	0	0	0	0	0	39	9.8
HAIRSTON, Nate	9	0	0	0	12	21	0	33	3.7
JOHNSON, Freddie	2	17	14	0	0	0	0	31	15.5
SMITH, Nate L.	9	0	0	0	0	27	0	27	3.0
MARTIN-OGUIKE, Praise	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	2.2
MYARICK, Chris	9	0	15	0	0	0	20	15	1.7
YEBOAH, Kenny	1	0	15	0	0	0	0	15	15.0
FOLKS, Jared	8	0	0	0	0	12	0	12	1.5
RITROVATO, Rob	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	1.0
DAWKINS, Dion	9	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0.4
ELLIS, Avery	9	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0.2
TEAM	4	-5	0	0	0	0	0	-5	-1.2
WALKER, Phillip	9	-38	0	0	0	0	0	-38	-4.2
Total	9	1629	2019	174	292	117	28	4231	470.1
Opponents	9	1281	1473	76	1055	164	0	4049	449.9

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RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Ls	Net	Avg	TD	Lg	Avg/G
ARMSTEAD,R.	9	109	695	21	674	6.2	11	76	74.9
THOMAS,Jahad	7	118	597	33	564	4.8	9	56	80.6
WRIGHT,Isaiah	7	32	186	12	174	5.4	0	24	24.9
HOOD,David	8	16	87	0	87	5.4	0	14	10.9
GARDNER,Jager	8	14	59	1	58	4.1	1	17	7.2
SHARGA,Nick	9	10	41	2	39	3.9	0	17	4.3
SIMPSON,C.	4	3	40	1	39	13.0	0	36	9.8
JOHNSON,Freddie	2	1	17	0	17	17.0	0	17	8.5
JENNINGS,Adonis	9	1	12	0	12	12.0	0	12	1.3
RITROVATO,Rob	8	3	8	0	8	2.7	0	6	1.0
DAWKINS,Dion	9	0	4	0	4	0.0	0	0	0.4
WILLIAMS,Travon	4	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.2
ELLICK,Marshall	7	1	0	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-0.1
YANCY,Brodrick	9	1	0	4	-4	-4.0	0	0	-0.4
TEAM	4	6	0	5	-5	-0.8	0	0	-1.2
WALKER,Phillip	9	49	133	171	-38	-0.8	1	19	-4.2
Total	9	365	1880	251	1629	4.5	22	76	181.0
Opponents	9	335	1613	332	1281	3.8	14	71	142.3

PASSING	G	Eff	C-A-I	Pct	Yds	TD	Lg	Avg/G
WALKER,Phillip	9	133.62	144-250-10	57.6	1990	13	67	221.1
MARCHI,Logan	3	73.93	2-6-0	33.3	29	0	15	9.7
NUTILE,Frank	2	0.00	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
YANCY,Brodrick	9	0.00	0-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	9	131.20	146-258-10	56.6	2019	13	67	224.3
Opponents	9	114.67	123-230-8	53.5	1473	10	55	163.7

RECEIVING	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg	Avg/G
KIRKWOOD,Keith	9	27	420	15.6	3	30	46.7
BRYANT,Ventell	6	23	412	17.9	2	42	68.7
THOMAS,Jahad	7	23	281	12.2	3	61	40.1
YANCY,Brodrick	9	22	250	11.4	2	40	27.8
DELOATCH,Romond	9	15	212	14.1	0	67	23.6
ELLICK,Marshall	7	12	141	11.8	0	20	20.1
JENNINGS,Adonis	9	11	177	16.1	2	51	19.7
THOMPSON,Colin	8	3	43	14.3	1	32	5.4
ARMSTEAD,R.	9	3	15	5.0	0	8	1.7
WRIGHT,Isaiah	7	2	11	5.5	0	11	1.6
YEBOAH, Kenny	1	1	15	15.0	0	15	15.0
MYARICK,Chris	9	1	15	15.0	0	15	1.7
JOHNSON,Freddie	2	1	14	14.0	0	14	7.0
HOOD,David	8	1	11	11.0	0	11	1.4
SHARGA,Nick	9	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.2
Total	9	146	2019	13.8	13	67	224.3
Opponents	9	123	1473	12.0	10	55	163.7

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
RANDALL,Delvon	3	57	19.0	0	21
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
CHANDLER,Sean	1	0	0.0	0	0
HAIRSTON,Nate	1	21	21.0	0	21
Total	8	117	14.6	0	27
Opponents	10	164	16.4	2	35

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
JONES,Randle	7	144	20.6	0	26
WILLIAMS,Travon	3	63	21.0	0	26
HOOD,David	2	31	15.5	0	22
THOMAS,Jahad	2	28	14.0	0	15
GARDNER,Jager	1	14	14.0	0	14
HAIRSTON,Nate	1	12	12.0	0	12
Total	16	292	18.2	0	26
Opponents	50	1055	21.1	1	95

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	9	299	-38	1990	1952	216.9
ARMSTEAD,R.	9	109	674	0	674	74.9
THOMAS,Jahad	7	118	564	0	564	80.6
WRIGHT,Isaiah	7	32	174	0	174	24.9
HOOD,David	8	16	87	0	87	10.9
GARDNER,Jager	8	14	58	0	58	7.2
SHARGA,Nick	9	10	39	0	39	4.3
SIMPSON,C.	4	3	39	0	39	9.8
MARCHI,Logan	3	6	0	29	29	9.7
JOHNSON,Freddie	2	1	17	0	17	8.5
JENNINGS,Adonis	9	1	12	0	12	1.3
RITROVATO,Rob	8	3	8	0	8	1.0
DAWKINS,Dion	9	0	4	0	4	0.4
WILLIAMS,Travon	4	1	1	0	1	0.2
ELLICK,Marshall	7	1	-1	0	-1	-0.1
YANCY,Brodrick	9	1	-4	0	-4	-0.4
TEAM	4	6	-5	0	-5	-1.2
Total	9	623	1629	2019	3648	405.3
Opponents	9	565	1281	1473	2754	306.0

----- PATs -----										
SCORING	TD	FGs	Kck	Ru	Rc	Pa	DX	Saf	Pts	
THOMAS,Jahad	12	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	72	
ARMSTEAD,R.	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	66	
JONES,Austin	0	10-12	23-23	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	53	
BOUMERHI,Aaron	0	7-7	12-12	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	33	
KIRKWOOD,Keith	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18	
BRYANT,Ventell	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12	
JENNINGS,Adonis	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12	
YANCY,Brodrick	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12	
GARDNER,Jager	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	
WALKER,Phillip	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	
THOMPSON,Colin	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	
TEAM	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	1	2	
MARTIN-OGUIKE,P	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0	
Total	36	17-19	35-35	0-1	0	0-0	0	1	304	
Opponents	27	6-10	22-25	0-1	1	1-1	0	0	204	

FIELD GOALS	M-A	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
JONES,Austin	10-12	83.3	0-0	3-4	5-5	2-3	0-0	45	0
BOUMERHI,Aaron	7-7	100.0	0-0	3-3	2-2	2-2	0-0	47	0

FG SEQUENCE		
Temple:	(41,27)(21)(45,34)(36,31)(30)(31,23,43m,26m)(32,47)(22,35,42)(26,27)	
Opponents:	(34m,47m)()()40,30)()()34m,19,42)(42,43m)(42)()	

KICKOFFS	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
JONES,Austin	39	2350	60.3	6	0			
BOUMERHI,Aaron	23	1336	58.1	5	0			
Total	62	3686	59.5	11	0	1055	38.0	27
Opponents	40	2538	63.5	22	2	292	42.4	22

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
STARZYK,Alex	35	1394	39.8	55	0	4	13	5	0
Total	35	1394	39.8	55	0	4	13	5	0
Opponents	51	1865	36.6	58	2	13	12	4	3

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
THOMAS,Jahad	6	87	14.5	0	37
CHANDLER,Sean	5	66	13.2	0	48
KIRKWOOD,Keith	1	5	5.0	0	5
ELLIS,Avery	1	2	2.0	0	0
WRIGHT,Isaiah	1	14	14.0	0	14
Total	14	174	12.4	0	48
Opponents	16	76	4.8	0	29

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS			Tackles-----				Sacks-	Pass Def-----			Fumbles-----		Blkd	
	DEFENSIVE LEADERS	GP	Solo	Asst	Total	TFL/Yds	No-Yards	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Rcv-Yds	FF	Kick	Saf
6	MARSHALL,Stephaun	8	28	15	43	1.5-3	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
23	RANDALL,Delvon	9	28	11	39	2.0-5	.	3-57	2	.	2-0	.	.	.
7	REDDICK,Haason	9	26	12	38	16.5-72	7.5-47	.	2	1	1-0	2	.	.
2	WILLIAMS,Avery	9	20	18	38	5.5-20	1.0-8	.	.	.	1-0	2	.	.
50	MARTIN-OGUIKE,Praise	9	21	13	34	6.5-31	4.0-22	.	.	1	1-20	2	1	.
13	SMITH,Nate L.	9	24	7	31	1.0-1	.	1-27	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	FOLKS,Jared	8	17	13	30	1.5-1	.	1-12	.	1	.	1	.	.
3	CHANDLER,Sean	5	16	11	27	1.5-3	.	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.
98	DOGBE,Michael	9	12	14	26	4.5-11	1.0-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
22	RUSSELL,Chapelle	9	20	4	24	2.0-12	1.0-11	.	2	.	1-0	1	.	.
21	THOMAS,Derrek	9	20	2	22	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.
43	ROBINSON,Averee	9	12	10	22	4.5-19	3.0-16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	ALWAN,Jarred	9	11	11	22	1.5-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
16	FOSTER,Artrel	9	13	6	19	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
9	MARTIN,Jacob	8	9	5	14	2.5-27	2.5-27	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
99	BOOTH-LLOYD,Freddie	9	9	4	13	3.0-8	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
15	HAIRSTON,Nate	9	12	.	12	1.0-1	.	1-21	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	KWENKEU,William	9	9	3	12	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
56	FINCH,Sharif	4	4	7	11	2.0-8	1.0-7	.	.	.	.	2	1	.
32	WALLS, Benny	6	7	1	8	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	TAYLOR,Jullian	3	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46	CRUMP,Linwood	8	7	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
19	ATOKI,Jeremiah	7	6	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	THOMAS,Jyquis	7	3	4	7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
11	DELOATCH,Romond	9	6	.	6	5.0-40	4.0-35	.	.	.	1-8	2	.	.
18	BRADLEY,Shaun	7	4	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
52	ELLIS,Avery	9	4	2	6	2.0-13	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.
24	HOOD,David	8	4	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	LUCAS,Khiry	6	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
72	DIUBATE,Karamo	7	3	1	4	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
49	SMITH,Chris	7	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	GARDNER,Jager	8	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	JEFFERSON,Cequan	8	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
89	WEBB,Greg	8	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	JENNINGS,Adonis	9	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
36	FRANKLIN,Sam	9	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
48	GRIMES,Daishaun	3	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5	THOMAS,Jahad	7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
95	ARCHIBONG, Dan	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	ARMSTEAD,Ryquell	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
59	REICHNER,Jeromy	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
53	JOHNSON,Leon	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
51	LEVINE,Dana	1	1	.	1	1.0-11	1.0-11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
43	STARZYK,Alex	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
82	ROBINSON,Jake	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
59	LERCH,Corey	9	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	JONES,Austin	6	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM	TEAM	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Total	9	387	188	575	67-293	26-190	8-117	16	6	9-28	15	4	1
	Opponents	9	404	158	562	58.0-252	22-169	10-164	30	6	4-0	7	.	.

1ST DOWN CONVERSIONS (Rushing-Receiving)

	Army	SB	PSU	Char	SMU	Mem	UCF	USF	Cin	UConn	Tln	ECU	TOTAL
Ja.Thomas			2-2	4-1	3-0	3-5	4-1	3-0	6-1				25-10
R.Armstead	2-0	2-0		1-0	6-0		6-0	7-0	4-0				28-0
V.Bryant	0-2				0-1	0-5	0-5	0-4	0-3				0-20
K.Kirkwood	0-3	0-2	0-1	0-2	0-3	0-3	0-1	0-2					0-17
I.Wright		2-0		1-0	2-0			3-1	1-0				9-1
B.Yancy		0-1	0-1	0-3		0-3			0-2				0-10
A.Jennings	0-1	0-2	0-2	0-1			1-1		0-1				1-8
R.Deloatch		0-1	0-1	0-2	0-1		0-1	0-1					0-7
N.Sharga	2-0	1-0						3-0	1-0				7-0
M.Ellick	0-3		0-1			0-2							0-6
P.Walker				1-0		3-0			2-0				6-0
D.Hood	1-0	1-0		1-0					2-0				5-0
F.Johnson				1-1									1-1
C.Thompson	0-1					0-1							0-2
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
K.Yeboah				0-1									0-1

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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	251
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
O-06	at Memphis	29	86	1	19	36	445	2	61	36-59-2	445	2	61	1	16	0	16	1	37	0	37	0	0	531
O-15	at UCF	51	197	1	45	12	167	2	28	12-24-1	167	2	28	1	26	0	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	364
O-21	USF	51	319	4	76	14	209	1	36	14-21-0	209	1	36	4	73	0	22	2	11	0	5	0	0	528
O-29	CINCINNATI	60	275	2	56	12	199	2	40	12-19-0	199	2	40	1	14	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	474
N-04	at UConn																							
N-19	at Tulane																							
N-26	East Carolina																							
	Totals	365	1629	22	76	146	2019	13	67	146-258-10	2019	13	67	16	292	0	26	14	174	0	48			3648
		Avg/rush: 4.5				Avg/catch: 13.8				Pass effic: 131.20				KR avg: 18.2				PR avg: 12.4				Total offense avg/gm: 405.3		

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Date	Opponent	TACKLES				SACKS	FUMBLES		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	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
O-06	at Memphis	45	18	63	10.0-27	4.0-17	2	1-0	0-0	0	0	0	3-3	0	0	0	27
O-15	at UCF	38	28	66	13.0-86	7.0-69	3	0-0	1-21	2	0	0	3-3	0	0	0	26
O-21	USF	39	12	51	11.0-34	5.0-21	1	0-0	1-21	0	1	2	5-5	0	0	1	46
O-29	CINCINNATI	38	8	46	4.0-14	1.0-8	1	2-0	0-0	0	3	1	4-4	0	0	0	34
N-04	at UConn																
N-19	at Tulane																
N-26	EAST CAROLINA																
	Totals	387	188	575	67.0-293	26.0-190	15	9-28	8-117	6	16	4	35-35	0	0	1	304

Date	Opponent	PUNTING					FIELD GOALS			KICKOFFS				
		No	Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	Att-Made	Lg	Blkd	No	Yds	Avg	TB	OB
S-02	ARMY	2	63	31.5	32	0	2-2	41	0	4	257	64.2	2	0
S-10	STONY BROOK	4	190	47.5	54	0	1-1	21	0	7	446	63.7	1	0
S-17	at Penn State	6	225	37.5	43	0	2-2	45	0	6	295	49.2	1	0
S-24	CHARLOTTE	4	176	44.0	55	0	2-2	36	0	9	572	63.6	1	0
O-01	SMU	5	208	41.6	47	0	1-1	30	0	8	474	59.2	0	0
O-06	at Memphis	5	160	32.0	37	0	4-2	31	0	6	349	58.2	1	0
O-15	at UCF	3	129	43.0	54	0	2-2	47	0	6	343	57.2	1	0
O-21	USF	3	104	34.7	38	0	3-3	42	0	9	537	59.7	3	0
O-29	CINCINNATI	3	139	46.3	51	0	2-2	27	0	7	413	59.0	1	0
N-04	at UConn													
N-19	at Tulane													
N-26	EAST CAROLINA													
	Totals	35	1394	39.8	55	0	19-17	47	0	62	3686	59.5	11	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	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	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	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	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	288	
O-06	at Memphis	32	149	2	71	17	174	0	21	17-26-0	174	0	21	5	153	1	95	1	3	0	3	0	323	
O-15	at UCF	36	86	1	63	13	210	2	51	13-22-1	210	2	51	5	72	0	22	2	7	0	10	0	296	
O-21	USF	33	165	2	50	11	187	2	31	11-20-1	187	2	31	6	167	0	49	0	0	0	0	0	352	
O-29	CINCINNATI	22	67	0	10	15	119	2	19	15-27-0	119	2	19	6	152	0	60	2	24	0	15	0	186	
N-04	at UConn																							
N-19	at Tulane																							
N-26	East Carolina																							
	Opp. totals	335	1281	14	71	123	1473	10	55	123-230-8	1473	10	55	50	1055	1	95	16	76	0	29		2754	
		Avg/rush: 3.8				Avg/catch: 12.0				Pass effic: 114.67				KR avg: 21.1				PR avg: 4.8				Total offense avg/gm: 306.0		

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
O-06	at Memphis	54	6	60	2.0-14	2.0-14	1	1-0	2-26	4	8	0	4-4	0	0	0	34
O-15	at UCF	43	36	79	12.0-50	5.0-32	2	1-0	1-26	2	6	0	2-2	0	1	0	25
O-21	USF	58	6	64	4.0-24	2.0-14	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	4-3	0	0	0	30
O-29	CINCINNATI	62	14	76	10.0-38	2.0-24	1	1-0	0-0	0	3	0	2-1	0	0	0	13
N-04	at UConn																
N-19	at Tulane																
N-26	EAST CAROLINA																
	Opponent totals	404	158	562	58.0-252	22.0-169	7	4-0	10-164	6	30	0	25-22	0	1	0	204

DRIVE PRODUCTION

TEMPLE												
	Drives	TDs	FGs	MFGs	Downs	Punts	Fumble	INT	Sfty	Clock	%Scores	%TDs
ARMY	9	1	2	0	1	2	0	3	0	0	33.3	111
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	231
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	15	3	2	2	0	5	1	2	0	0	33.3	20.0
@UCF	13	3	2	0	3	3	1	1	0	0	38.5	231
USF	12	5	3	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	66.7	41.7
CINCINNATI	12	4	2	0	1	3	1	0	0	1	50.0	33.3
Walker	11	4	2	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	54.5	36.4
Marchi	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.0	0.0
@UConn												
@Tulane												
ECU												
TOTAL	119	36	17	2	9	35	4	10	0	6	44.5	30.3
Walker	112	36	16	2	9	32	4	10	0	3	46.4	32.1
Marchi	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	25.0	0.0
Nutile	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0.0	0.0

OPPONENTS

	Drives	TDs	FGs	MFGs	Downs	Punts	Fumble	INT	Sfty	Clock	%Scores	%TDs
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	13	2	2	1	0	7	0	0	0	1	30.8	15.4
@UCF	13	3	1	1	2	5	0	1	0	0	30.8	23.1
USF	11	4	1	0	0	4	0	1	1	0	45.5	36.4
CINCINNATI	11	2	0	0	0	7	1	0	0	1	18.2	18.2
@UConn												
@Tulane												
ECU												
TOTAL	113	24	6	4	6	51	6	8	1	7	26.5	21.2

RED ZONE STATISTICS

TEMPLE																
Date	Opponent	Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	TDs	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	FGA	----- Failed to score inside RZ -----					
											Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
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	
O-06	at Memphis	L 27-34	5	4	20	2	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	
O-15	at UCF	W 26-25	5	4	19	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	
O-21	USF	W 46-30	6	5	27	3	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	
O-29	CINCINNATI	W 34-13	5	4	20	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	
N-04	at UConn															
N-19	at Tulane															
N-26	EAST CAROLINA															
Totals			43	38	209	24	19	5	14	1	2	0	1	1	0	
38 of 43 (88.4%)																
OPPONENTS																
Date	Opponent	Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	TDs	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	FGA	----- Failed to score inside RZ -----					
											Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
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	
O-06	at Memphis	L 27-34	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
O-15	at UCF	W 26-25	2	2	10	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
O-21	USF	W 46-30	1	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
O-29	CINCINNATI	W 34-13	2	2	13	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
N-04	at UConn															
N-19	at Tulane															
N-26	EAST CAROLINA															
Totals			25	18	107	14	8	6	4	2	3	0	1	1	0	
18 of 25 (72.0%)																

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3RD DOWN SITUATIONS

	TEMPLE												
	3rd-n-1	3rd-n-2	3rd-n-3	3rd-n-4	3rd-n-5	3rd-n-6	3rd-n-7	3rd-n-8	3rd-n-9	3rd-n-10	3d-n-10+	Total	Pct
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	33.3
@Memphis	2-2		0-1			0-5	1-2	1-2	0-1	0-2		4-15	26.7
@UCF		1-2		1-2		0-3		1-2	0-1		0-4	3-14	21.4
USF	3-3	3-3	1-3		0-1			0-1		2-2	1-3	10-16	62.5
CINCINNATI	1-1	1-1	0-1		0-1		1-1	1-2	2-3	1-2	0-2	7-14	50.0
@UConn													
@Tulane													
ECU													
TOTAL	12-14	10-12	2-7	2-9	3-9	1-10	2-6	4-14	3-9	5-13	3-18	46-119	
	85.7	83.3	28.6	22.2	33.3	10.0	33.3	28.6	33.3	38.5	16.7	38.7	

	OPPONENTS												
	3rd-n-1	3rd-n-2	3rd-n-3	3rd-n-4	3rd-n-5	3rd-n-6	3rd-n-7	3rd-n-8	3rd-n-9	3rd-n-10	3d-n-10+	Total	Pct
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	25.0
@Memphis	1-1		1-5	1-2	1-2			1-1	0-1		0-3	5-15	33.3
@UCF		0-1			1-1	0-1	1-1		0-1	0-1	0-6	2-12	16.7
USF	2-2	1-1	1-1		0-1					1-2	1-5	6-13	46.2
CINCINNATI	1-1	1-2		1-1	0-3		1-1	1-4				5-12	41.7
@UConn													
@Tulane													
ECU													
TOTAL	11-13	7-12	3-10	3-8	3-12	1-3	2-6	5-13	0-11	1-6	4-31	40-126	
	84.6	58.3	30.0	37.5	25.0	33.3	33.3	38.5	0.0	16.7	12.9	31.7	

DRIVE LENGTH SITUATIONS (Drives-TDs-FGs)

	TEMPLE											
	90-99	80-89	70-79	60-69	50-59	40-49	30-39	20-29	10-19	1-9	Total	
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	1-0-0	5-2-0	7-1-0		1-0-1					1-0-1	15-3-2	
@UCF			8-2-1	1-1-0	2-0-0	2-0-1					13-3-2	
USF		1-1-0	7-2-2		1-0-1		1-0-0	1-1-0		1-1-0	12-5-3	
CINCINNATI	1-0-1	3-1-0	2-0-0	1-1-0	2-1-0	1-0-0	1-0-1		1-1-0		12-4-2	
@UConn												
@Tulane												
ECU												
TOTAL	8-0-1	18-6-2	44-9-6	7-4-1	9-1-2	15-8-2	6-1-1	2-1-1	4-2-0	6-4-1	119-36-17	

	OPPONENTS											
	90-99	80-89	70-79	60-69	50-59	40-49	30-39	20-29	10-19	1-9	Total	
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		3-2-0	4-0-1	2-0-0	2-0-0	1-0-1	1-0-0				13-2-2	
@UCF		3-0-0	4-1-1	4-2-1	1-0-0		1-0-0				13-3-1	
USF	1-0-0	2-1-0	5-2-1	3-1-0							11-4-1	
CINCINNATI	1-0-0	1-0-0	4-1-0	2-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	1-1-0				11-2-0	
@UConn												
@Tulane												
ECU												
TOTAL	10-0-0	24-5-1	37-9-4	18-5-1	10-2-0	6-0-1	6-3-0	0-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	113-24-6	

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 p pass / INT: J.Folks
@Memphis			1	0		0	1	0	Scores:TA = 1:1 ... TD:TA = 0:1 ... Points = 0
	1st	7:39	1		M6		1		T.Pollard KOR / FF: S.Bradley / FR: W.Kwenkeu
@UCF			0	1		0	0	1	Scores:TA = 0:1 ... TD:TA = 0:1 ... Points = 3
	4th	10:30		1	T48			1	M.Milton pass / INT: N.Hairston
USF			0	1		1	0	0	Scores:TA = 1:1 ... TD:TA = 1:1 ... Points = 7
	4th	3:23		1	USF3	1			B.Kean pass / INT: D.Randall
CINCINNATI			2	0		2	0	0	Scores:TA = 2:2 ... TD:TA = 2:2 ... Points = 14
	1st	3:43	1		T45	1			G.Kiel rush / FF: A.Williams / FR: D.Randall
	4th	14:27	1		C1	1			C.Banschbach KOR / FR: C.Jefferson
@UConn									
@Tulane									
ECU									
TOTAL			8	8		9	2	5	Scores:TA = 12:17 ... TD:TA = 10:17 ... Points = 76

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			1	2		1	0	2	Scores:TA = 1:3 ... TD:TA = 1:3 ... Points = 7
	2nd	12:33	1		T36			1	Yancy reception / FF: D.Henderson/FR: D.Porter
	3rd	1:17		1	EZ	1			P.Walker pass / INT: G.Avery
	4th	0:18		1	M32			1	P.Walker pass / INT: C.Lanier
@UCF			1	1		0	0	2	Scores:TA = 0:2 ... TD:TA = 0:2 ... Points = 0
	2nd	11:32		1	T33			1	P.Walker pass / INT: T.Mutcherson
	4th	1:41	1		UCF29			1	P.Walker run / FR: J.Pittman
USF			0	0		0	0	0	Scores:TA = 0:0 ... TD:TA = 0:0 ... Points = 0
CINCINNATI			1	0		0	0	1	Scores:TA = 0:0 ... TD:TA = 0:0 ... Points = 0
	2nd	4:43	1		C6			1	K.Kirkwood reception / FF: T.Gilbert / FR: T.Gilbert
@UConn									
@Tulane									
ECU									
TOTAL			4	10		5	0	9	Scores:TA = 5:14 ... TD:TA = 5:14 ... Points = 34

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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
10	32		Phillip Walker to Colin Thompson	10			Darnell Woolfolk
	20		David Hood	14			Andy Davidson
			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
15	67		Phillip Walker to Romond Deloatch			35	Brandon Polk (KOR)
			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				
Run	Pass	Ret	TEMPLE	Run	Pass	Ret	MEMPHIS
11			Phillip Walker		21		Riley Ferguson to Phil Mayhue
	22		Phillip Walker to Brodrick Yancy		21		Riley Ferguson to Sam Craft
11			Jahad Thomas	71t			Doroland Dorceus
	20		Phillip Walker to Marshall Ellick	13			Darrell Henderson
	20		Phillip Walker to Keith Kirkwood	28t			Darrell Henderson
	30		Phillip Walker to Keith Kirkwood			95t	Tony Pollard (KOR)
	20		Phillip Walker to Keith Kirkwood				
	61t		Phillip Walker to Jahad Thomas				
19			Phillip Walker				

BIG PLAYS (CONTINUED)**RUSHING PLAYS OF 10+ YARDS; PASS PLAYS OF 20+ YARDS; RETURNS OF 30+ YARDS**

Run	Pass	Ret	TEMPLE	Run	Pass	Ret	UCF
12	28t		Adonis Jennings Phillip Walker to Jahad Thomas	32	55t		McKenzie Milton to Tre'Quan Smith Jawon Hamilton
11			Ryquell Armstead	11			McKenzie Milton
11			Ryquell Armstead	63t			McKenzie Milton
15			Ryquell Armstead	13			Dontravious Wilson
10			Jahad Thomas	17	42		Dontravious Wilson
13			Jahad Thomas				McKenzie Milton to Tre'Quan Smith
45	20		Jahad Thomas				
	26		Phillip Walker to Ventell Bryant Phillip Walker to Ventell Bryant				
Run	Pass	Ret	TEMPLE	Run	Pass	Ret	USF
	31		Phillip Walker to Ventell Bryant			39	Rodney Adams (KOR)
	24		Phillip Walker to Keith Kirkwood	13			Marlon Mack
10			Isaiah Wright		27t		Quinton Flowers to Marquez Valdes-Scantling
76t			Ryquell Armstead	10			D'Ernest Johnson
	36		Phillip Walker to Ventell Bryant		31t		Quinton Flowers to Tyre McCants
	24		Phillip Walker to Keith Kirkwood		22		Quinton Flowers to Tyre McCants
12			Jahad Thomas			47	D'Ernest Johnson (KOR)
24			Isaiah Wright	19			Quinton Flowers
42t			Ryquell Armstead	50			Quinton Flowers
11			Jahad Thomas	16			Marlon Mack
18			Ryquell Armstead		30		Quinton Flowers to Rodney Adams
10			Isaiah Wright	30t			Marlon Mack
11			Ryquell Armstead		20		Quinton Flowers to Tyre McCants
10			Ryquell Armstead	13			Quinton Flowers
Run	Pass	Ret	TEMPLE	Run	Pass	Ret	CINCINNATI
	40t		Phillip Walker to Adonis Jennings			60	Mike Boone (KOR)
56			Jahad Thomas	10			Tion Green
	28t		Phillip Walker to Ventell Bryant				
	24		Phillip Walker to Ventell Bryant				
	20		Phillip Walker to Keith Kirkwood				
	25		Phillip Walker to Brodrick Yancy				
12			Jahad Thomas				
13			Phillip Walker				
35			Jahad Thomas				
10			Phillip Walker				
14			David Hood				

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THE LAST TIME....(TEAM)

TEAM

Won in Overtime	10/12/13 at Connecticut, 17-14	12/1/08 at Navy, 33-27
Won by Scoring in the Last Two Minutes of Regulation	10/15/16 at UCF, 26-25 (last score at 0:01) P.Walker to K.Kirkwood 8-yard TD	11/7/14 vs. Memphis, 16-13 (last score at 0:00) 31-yard FG by Jake Elliott
Tied Game by Scoring in the Last Two Minutes of Regulation	10/26/13 at SMU, 59-49 (tied game at 1:02 with Kenny Harper 2-yard run and Nick Visco kick)	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)
Shutout	9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook, 38-0	11/10/07 vs. #25 Penn State, 31-0
Held Opponent without a Touchdown	9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook, 38-0	11/23/10 at Miami (OH), 23-3
Scoreless First Half	10/5/13 loss to #7 Louisville, 30-7	9/10/16 loss by Stony Brook, 38-0
Won by 20 or More Points	10/29/16 vs. Cincinnati, 34-13	11/14/15 at USF, 44-23
Won After Trailing by 20 or More Points	n/a	11/23/13 vs. UConn, 28-21 (trailed 21-0 at 11:47 in 3rd Q)
Held a 28 or More Point Lead	10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20 (28)	10/5/13 vs. Louisville, 30-7 (30)
Held a 21 or More Point Lead	10/29/16 vs. Cincinnati, 34-13 (21)	12/5/15 at #19 Houston (21)
Scored 20 or More Points in a Quarter	10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20 (21 point 1st Q)	12/22/15 vs. Toledo, 32-17 (20 point 4th Q)
Scored 20 or More Points in a Half	10/21/16 vs. USF, 46-30 (26 point 2nd half)	10/15/16 at UCF, 25-26 (25 point 1st half)
Touchdowns Scored by Offense and Defense	10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20 (5 offense, 1 defense)	10/6/16 at Memphis, 34-27 (2 off., 1 def., 1 sp. teams)
Touchdowns Scored by Off., Def. and Special Teams	9/20/14 win vs. Delaware State (5 off, 1 def, 2 st)	10/6/16 at Memphis, 34-27 (2 off., 1 def., 1 sp. teams)
Safety Scored	10/21/16 vs. USF (team)	12/22/15 by Toledo (team)
Two-Point Conversion	12/22/15 vs. Toledo (P.Walker pass to R.Anderson)	10/15/16 at UCF (N.Patti pass to A.Cochran)
No Penalties in Game	n/a	n/a
50 or More Points Scored in a Game	11/6/15 win at SMU, 60-40	10/26/13 win at SMU, 59-49
40 or More Points Scored in a Game	10/1/16 vs. SMU, 45-20	11/14/15 at USF, 44-23
Touchdown Scored on First Drive	10/15/16 P.Walker to Ja.Thomas (28-yd pass) at UCF (9:49)	10/15/16 M.Milton to T.Smith (55-yd. pass) at UCF (13:49)

OFFENSE

500 or More Total Net Yards of Offense	10/21/16 vs. USF (528)	11/14/15 at USF (556)
400 or More Total Net Yards of Offense	10/29/16 vs. Cincinnati (474)	9/24/16 vs. Charlotte (429)
300 or More Net Yards Rushing by Team	10/21/16 vs. USF (319)	9/2/16 vs. Army (329)
200 or More Net Yards Rushing by Team	10/29/16 vs. Cincinnati (275)	9/24/16 vs. Charlotte (231)
400 Net Yards Passing by Team	10/6/16 at Memphis (445)	9/12/15 at Cincinnati (427)
300 Net Yards Passing by Team	10/6/16 at Memphis (445)	9/19/15 at UMass (393)
No Sacks Allowed	9/24/16 vs. Charlotte	9/17/16 at Penn State
No Turnovers	9/24/16 vs. Charlotte	9/2/16 vs. Army

DEFENSE

Held Opponent Under 200 Net Yards of Total Offense	10/29/16 vs. Cincinnati (186)	11/1/14 vs. #21 East Carolina (135)
Held Opponent Under 300 Net Yards of Total Offense	10/29/16 vs. Cincinnati (186)	9/2/16 vs. Army (251)
Held Opponent Under 50 Yards Rushing	9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook (49)	9/17/16 at Penn State (38)
Held Opponent Under 75 Yards Rushing	10/29/16 vs. Cincinnati (67)	9/17/16 at Penn State (38)
Held Opponent Under 100 Yards Rushing	10/29/16 vs. Cincinnati (67)	10/6/16 at Memphis (86)
Held Opponent Under 100 Net Yards Passing	9/10/16 vs. Stony Brook (84)	11/1/14 vs. #21 East Carolina (70)
Held Opponent Under 150 Net Yards Passing	10/29/16 vs. Cincinnati (119)	10/17/15 vs. UCF (149)
Seven or More Sacks by Team	10/15/16 at UCF (7)	11/23/10 at Miami (FL) (7)
Six or More Sacks by Team	10/15/16 at UCF (7)	11/23/10 at Miami (FL) (7)
Five or More Sacks by Team	10/21/16 vs. USF (5)	10/15/16 at UCF (5)

SPECIAL TEAMS

No Punts	n/a	n/a
Blocked Punt	10/29/16 Avery Ellis vs. Cincinnati	11/21/15 Wynton McManis vs. #21 Memphis
Missed Extra Point Attempt	10/2/15 Austin Jones at Charlotte (blocked)	10/29/16 Josh Pasley vs. Cincinnati
Blocked Field Goal Attempt	10/21/16 Praise Martin-Oguike vs. USF	n/a
Blocked Field Goal returned for a TD	n/a	n/a
Blocked PAT returned for a score	9/19/15 Will Hayes at UMass (blocked by P.Martin-Oguike & recovered by S.Marshall)	n/a

RETURNS

Interception Return for a Touchdown	11/6/15 Sean Chandler (41 yards) at SMU	10/6/16 Genard Avery (23 yards) at Memphis
Fumble Returned for Touchdown	10/1/16 Romond Deloatch (8 yards) vs. SMU	10/20/12 Khaseem Green (20 yards) vs. Rutgers
Kickoff Return for a Touchdown	9/12/15 Jahad Thomas (100 yards) at Cincinnati	10/6/16 Tony Pollard (95 yards) at Memphis
Punt Return for a Touchdown	9/20/14 Khalif Herbin (84 yards) vs. Delaware State	11/6/10 Sam Kirkwood (recovered in EZ) at Kent State
Blocked Punt, Returned for Touchdown	10/2/15 Sharif Finch at Charlotte (rec./ret. by Nate L. Smith 16 yds for TD)	8/28/14 Oren Burks at Vanderbilt (recovered in EZ)

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	10/21/16 Ryquell Armstead (20-210-2TDs) vs. USF	11/14/15 Marlon Mack (21-230-2TDs) at USF
Individual 150-Yard Rushing Game	10/29/16 Jahad Thomas (17-151-0TDs) vs. Cincinnati	11/14/15 Marlon Mack (21-230-2TDs) at USF
Individual 100-Yard Rushing Game	10/29/16 Jahad Thomas (17-151-0TDs) vs. Cincinnati	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	10/29/16 Jahad Thomas (17-151-0TDs) and Ryquell Armstead (18-61-2TDs) vs. Cincinnati	12/5/15 Greg Ward Jr. (17-148-2TDs) and Brandon Wilson (11-70-0TDs) at #19 Houston
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	10/15/16 Jahad Thomas (27-120-1TD) at UCF	11/7/14 Brandon Hayes (26-75-0TDs) vs. Memphis
Rushing Play of 60 or More Yards	10/21/16 Ryquell Armstead (76t) vs. USF	10/6/16 Doroland Dorceus (7t) at Memphis
Rushing Play of 40 or More Yards	10/29/16 Jahad Thomas (56) vs. Cincinnati	10/21/16 Quinton Flowers (50) vs. USF
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	10/29/16 Ryquell Armstead (18-61-2TDs) vs. Cincinnati	9/2/16 Andy Davidson (22-121-2TDs) vs. Army
Individual with 50 or More Pass Attempts	10/6/16 P.Walker (36-59-445-2-TD-2INT) at Memphis	9/19/15 Blake Frohnapfel (29-55-393-3TDs-1INT) at UMass
Individual with 40 or More Pass Attempts	10/6/16 P.Walker (36-59-445-2-TD-2INT) at Memphis	10/1/16 Ben Hicks (22-42-299-2-2TD) vs. SMU
Individual with 30 or More Pass Completions	10/6/16 P.Walker (36-59-445-2-TD-2INT) at Memphis	10/22/15 Blake Kemp (31-48-272-1INT-1TD) at East Carolina
Individual with 25 or More Pass Completions	10/6/16 P.Walker (36-59-445-2-TD-2INT) at Memphis	10/22/15 Blake Kemp (31-48-272-1INT-1TD) at East Carolina
Individual 400-Yard Passing Game	10/6/16 P.Walker (36-59-445-2-TD-2INT) at Memphis	9/12/15 Gunner Kiel (30-52-427-2-4INT) at Cincinnati
Individual 300-Yard Passing Game	10/6/16 P.Walker (36-59-445-2-TD-2INT) at Memphis	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 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	10/21/16 Ventell Bryant (5-115-0TDs) vs. USF	10/15/16 Tre'Quan Smith (3-103-1TD) at UCF
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	10/6/16 P.Walker to Jahad Thomas (61t) at Memphis	12/22/15 Phillip Ely to Cody Thompson (80t) vs. Toledo
Pass Play of 40 or More Yards	10/29/16 P.Walker to A.Jennings (40t) vs. Cincinnati	10/15/16 McKenzie Milton to Tre'Quan Smith (55t) at UCF
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 UCF
Led Team in Both Rush. & Rec. Yards in Same Game	10/6/15 Jahad Thomas at Memphis (13-37-0TDs rush. & 6-121-2TDs 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	10/21/16 Ryquell Armstead (20-210-2TDs rush.) Ventell Bryant (5-115-0TDs rec.) vs. USF	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 UCF
At Least One Rushing & Receiving TD in Same Game	10/15/16 Jahad Thomas at UCF (27-120-1TD rush. 3-33-1TD 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 Phillip Walker at SMU (18-25-268-4TDs pass, 7-49-1TD rush)	10/21/16 Quinton Flowers vs. USF (11-19-187-0-2TDs pass., 14-90-1TD 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	10/21/16 Averee Robinson (2.0) vs. USF	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	10/21/16 Aaron Boumerhi vs. USF (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

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Best.....		TEMPLE		Worst	
48	vs. Charlotte.....	Points	13	vs. Army	
27	at Memphis.....	First Downs	13	at Penn State	
531	at Memphis.....	Total Offense.....	251	vs. Army	
319	vs. USF	Net Yards Rushing	38	at Penn State	
445	at Memphis.....	Net Yards Passing	124	(2x) last vs. SMU	
79	vs. Cincinnati.....	Plays	54	vs. Army	
60	vs. Cincinnati.....	Rushing Attempts	28	(2x) last at Penn State	
59	at Memphis.....	Pass Attempts.....	18	vs. SMU	
36	at Memphis.....	Pass Completions	7	vs. SMU	
0	(3x) last vs. Cincinnati	Intercepted	3	vs. Army	
0	vs. Charlotte.....	Sacked	5	at UCF	
0	(4x) last vs. USF	Fumbles	3	at Memphis	
0	(5x) last vs. USF.....	Fumbles Lost.....	1	(4x) last vs. Cincinnati	
0	(2x) last vs. USF.....	Total Turnovers.....	3	(2x) last at Memphis	
2	vs. Stony Brook	Penalties.....	13	at Penn State	
20	vs. Stony Brook	Yards Penalized	118	at Penn State	
40:23	vs. Cincinnati.....	Time of Possession.....	24:12	vs. Army	
16	vs. USF	Third Down Conversions (att).....	9	vs. Army	
10	vs. USF	Third Down Conversions (conv).....	3	(3x) last at UCF	
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	
49	Cincinnati.....	Plays	84	Charlotte	
22	Cincinnati.....	Rushing Attempts	67	Army	
5	Army.....	Pass Attempts.....	44	SMU	
2	Army.....	Pass Completions	22	SMU	
3	Stony Brook	Intercepted	0	(4x) last by Cincinnati	
7	UCF.....	Sacked	0	Penn State	
5	Penn State.....	Fumbles	1	(2x) last by USF	
2	(3x) last by Cincinnati	Fumbles Lost.....	0	(3x) last by USF	
4	(2x) last by SMU	Total Turnovers.....	0	Army	
12	UCF	Penalties.....	3	Memphis	
110	UCF.....	Yards Penalized	25	Memphis	
19:37	Cincinnati.....	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	
210	Ryquell Armstead vs. USF.....	Yards Rushing	121	Andy Davidson, Army	
27	Jahad Thomas at UCF.....	Rushing Attempts	22	Andy Davidson, Army	
2	(8x) last by Ryquell Armstead vs. Cincinnati	Rushing TDs	2	Andy Davidson, Army	
9	Brodrick Yancy at Memphis	Receptions.....	7	Chris Godwin, Penn State	
121	Jahad Thomas at Memphis.....	Yards Receiving	117	Chris Godwin, Penn State	
2	(2x) last by Jahad Thomas at Memphis	Receiving TDs.....	2	Devin Gray, Cincinnati	
210	Ryquell Armstead vs. USF.....	Combined Yards (rush/rec)	126	Kalif Phillips, Charlotte	
210	Ryquell Armstead vs. USF.....	All-Purpose Yards (rush/rec/ret).....	161	Mike Boone, Cincinnati	
445	Phillip Walker at Memphis	Yards Passing	287	Trace McSorley, Penn State	
59	Phillip Walker at Memphis	Pass Attempts.....	42	(2x) last by Ben Hicks, SMU	
36	Phillip Walker at Memphis	Pass Completions	22	Ben Hicks, SMU	
3	Phillip Walker vs. Stony Brook	TD Passes	2	(4x) last by Gunner Kiel, Cincinnati	
3	Phillip Walker vs. Army.....	Interceptions Thrown.....	2	(2x) last by Ben Hicks, SMU	
76t	Ryquell Armstead vs. USF.....	Longest Run	71t	Dorland Dorceus, Memphis	
67	Phillip Walker to Romond Deloatch at Penn State.....	Longest Pass Completion	55t	McKenzie Milton to Tre'Quan Smith, UCF	
26	(2x) last by Randle Jones at UCF	Longest Kickoff Return.....	95t	Tony Pollard, Memphis	
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	(2x) last by Alex Starzyk at UCF	Longest Punt.....	58	Spencer Smith, Memphis	
47	Aaron Boumerhi at UCF	Longest Field Goal	43	Matthew Wright, UCF	
2	(11x) last by Ryquell Armstead vs. Cincinnati	Touchdowns Scored.....	2	(2x) last by Devin Gray, Cincinnati	
14	Aaron Boumerhi vs. USF	Points Scored	12	(2x) last by Devin Gray, Cincinnati	
12	Avery Williams vs. Army.....	Tackles	12	Perry Young, Cincinnati	
2.0	(5x) last by Avery Williams vs. USF	Sacks.....	2.0	Alex Aukerman, Army	
1	(8x) last by Delvon Randall vs. USF	Interceptions.....	1	(10x) last by T.J. Mutcherson, UCF	

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.

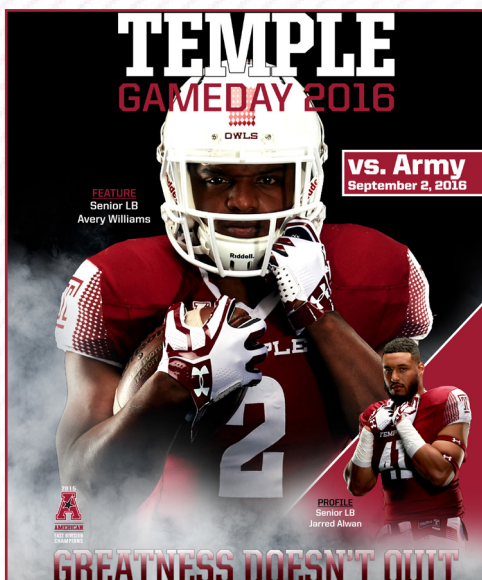
"We looked good early on at times, but when times got hard we couldn't react," Rhule said. "That is not the team that we want to have. I thought defensively, we couldn't stop Army. Offensively, we couldn't capitalize. We got the ball in the red zone three times and could not produce. We had three turnovers, 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 converting 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	<u>ARMY</u>	<u>TEM</u>
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.

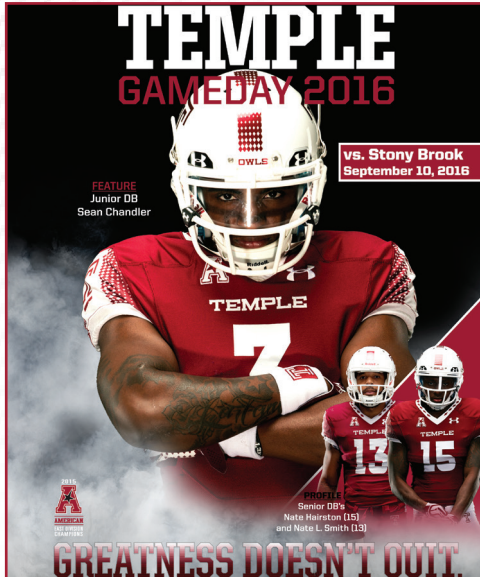
The early dominance by the defense helped the group reassert its identity, a self-proclaimed aggression and hyperactivity. The consistent pressure and blitz-prone front seven made Stony Brook visibly uncomfortable, forcing four turnovers, three sacks and nine tackles-for-loss. On the day, the Seawolves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

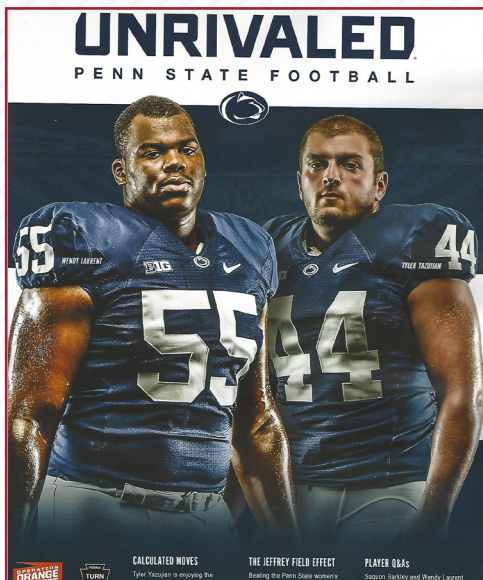
The Penn State offense similarly gave Temple early issues, finding the endzone on two of its first three possessions and jumping out to a quick seven-point lead. Nittany Lion QB Trace McSorley opened the scoring on Penn State's second drive, finding a wide-open WR Chris Godwin on a deep 52-yard bomb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

1st

9:58 A.Jones 36 FG, 12-58 5:02 3-0
0:42 K.Olsen to W.Kofa 8 pass 3-7
(S.Muscarello kick), 16-88 6:41

2nd

14:52 P.Walker to A.Jennings 51 pass 10-7
(A.Jones kick), 2-81 0:42
6:53 Ja.Thomas 13 run 17-7
(A.Jones kick), 1-13 0:07
4:26 P.Walker to B.Yancy 40 pass 24-7
(A.Jones kick), 3-44 1:29
0:40 R.Armstead 1 run 31-7
(A.Jones kick), 6-46 2:29

3rd

13:34 K.Phillips 66 run 31-14
(S.Muscarello kick), 4-78 1:26
8:37 Ja.Thomas 1 run 38-14
(A.Jones kick), 11-74 4:48
5:14 R.Armstead 1 run 45-14
(A.Jones kick), 4-66 2:04

4th

12:52 A.Jones 31 FG, 11-71 5:22 48-14
8:35 R.Washington 4 run 48-20
(S.Muscarello kick failed), 13-79 4:11

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 1-0; Gary 1-0. Temple - Reddick 2-0; Dogbe 1-0; Russell 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.

Memphis 34, Temple 27

October 6, 2016

Liberty Bowl Memorial Stadium, Memphis, Tenn.

TEMPLE SINGS MEMPHIS BLUES AFTER TIGERS COME BACK FOR 34-27 WIN

MEMPHIS – Under the hostile lights of the Liberty Bowl and fighting a crowd 34,743 strong, Temple struggled to overcome the obstacles of a tough road venue as fellow American Conference foe Memphis outpaced the Owls in a 34-27 shootout.

After winning two straight, the Owls' defense of last season's Eastern Division title took a hit as the team drops to 1-1 in conference play and 3-3 overall. Memphis, meanwhile, bounces back after a close loss last week to No. 14 Ole Miss, surging to a 1-0 American record and a 4-1 mark for the year.

In a true "tale of two halves" game, Temple jumped out to a commanding 13-3 lead in the first half only to surrender that edge over the course of the final two quarters. The Owls started the game with serious energy and poise on both sides of the ball, but a few big plays by the Tigers buried Temple down the stretch.

The third quarter flipped the game for the Owls, as the team watched their 13-3 advantage evaporate into a 20-13 deficit, with both of Memphis' touchdowns coming over a 51-second span in the final two minutes of the period.

The first was the result of Tigers' RB Doroland Dorceus, who broke off a 71-yard dash up the middle, while the second came on a tipped pass turned pick-six by Memphis LB Genard Avery two plays later.

The final quarter, even with some positive results, failed to change the game's eventual outcome, as senior QB Phillip Walker threw his second interception of the night, ending the Owls' hopes of a comeback.

After Memphis RB Darrell Henderson capped a seven-play drive with a 28-yard scoring rush to kickoff the period, Walker found fellow senior RB Jahad Thomas on a 61-yard touchdown pass to narrow the lead to just one possession. Memphis immediately responded on the ensuing kickoff, taking it 95 yards to the house as the Tigers tried keep the Owls at arms length.

Temple set itself up again to close the gap a drive later as Walker connected with Thomas for the duo's second score, this time on a nine-yard screen, cutting the deficit again to just seven. A running into the punter penalty cut the Owls' last chance drive down to just 50 seconds, and the late interception sealed the loss.

On the day, though, Walker finished with career highs across the board, posting a school record in passing attempts (59) while tying in completions (36) and passing yards (445). He joins Henry Burris (445 yards vs. Pitt, 1996) as the only Owl signal-callers to pass for more than 400 yards in a game. Thomas impressed as well, grabbing six receptions for 121 yards and two touch-



downs along with 37 yards on the ground. It marked his fourth straight game with two touchdowns.

And while the second half looked like a shootout, the first half played out much more like a defensive struggle.

A pair of field goals from 31 and 23 yards out, respectively, from junior K Austin Jones gave Temple an early lead. Late in the first half following a gusty fourth-and-three conversion on Walker toss to senior TE Colin Thompson, sophomore RB Ryquell Armstead punched in the game's opening touchdown from two yards out.

The true story of the first half for the Owls, though, came on the defensive side of the ball.

Led by a suffocating defensive line, the Owls contained the high-octane Memphis offense to just a late field goal and 111 total yards. Tigers' QB Riley Ferguson was visibly uncomfortable throughout both quarters, overthrowing videoouts and struggling to find space in a tight pocket.

Ferguson and his offense were able to regroup during halftime, generating over double their initial production. However, two non-offensive touchdowns for the Tigers saved their lead late as both the kickoff return and the pick-six shifted momentum towards Memphis.

Redshirt senior DL Haasan Reddick led the Owls' defense with 11 tackles, including four for a loss, and two sacks.

Scoring Summary		TU-MEM
1st		
7:47	A.Jones 31 FG, 9-45 3:52	3-0
6:08	A.Jones 23 FG, 4-0 1:31	6-0
2nd		
2:15	R.Armstead 2 run (A.Jones kick), 12-80 7:23	13-0
0:00	J.Elliott 19 FG, 12-73 2:15	13-3
3rd		
5:15	J.Elliott 42 FG, 5-20 1:16	13-6
2:08	D.Dorceus 71 run (J.Elliott kick), 2-85 0:29	13-13
1:17	G.Avery 23 INT return (J.Elliott kick)	13-20
4th		
8:14	D.Henderson 28 run (J.Elliott kick), 7-80 2:28	13-27
6:47	P.Walker to Ja.Thomas 61 pass (A.Jones kick), 5-75 1:27	20-27
6:35	T.Pollard 95 kickoff return (J.Elliott kick)	20-34
3:49	P.Walker to Ja.Thomas 9 pass (A.Boumerhi kick), 10-84 2:40	27-34

Temple (3-3)	6	7	0	14	27
Memphis (4-1)	0	3	17	14	34

Attendance: 34,743
 Kickoff time: 7:02 pm
 End of Game: 10:37 pm
 Total elapsed time: 3:35
 Officials: Referee: Rick Loumiet; Umpire: Jeffrey Akers; Linesman: Todd Riddick; Line judge: Baron Ballester; Back judge: James Sima; Field judge: Jim Smith; Side judge: Bruce Williams; Center judge: Joe Clarkson
 Temperature: 82
 Wind: N 1mph
 Weather: Clear

Team Stats	TEM	MEM
First Downs	27	15
Rushes-Yards (Net)	29-86	32-149
Passing Yards (Net)	445	174
Passes Att-Comp-Int	59-36-2	26-17-0
Total Offense Plays-Yards	88-531	58-323
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-37	1-3
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-16	5-153
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-26
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-32.0	7-46.0
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	3-1
Penalties-Yards	7-61	3-25
Possession Time	38:15	21:45
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 15	5 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	1-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	4-17	2-14

RUSHING: Temple - Ja.Thomas 13-37; Walker 10-30; Armstead 5-12; Wright 1-7. Memphis - Dorceus 8-96; Henderson 7-58; Craft 7-9; Team 1-(-2); Miller 2-(-4); Ferguson 7-(-8).

PASSING: Temple - Walker 36-59-2-445. Memphis - Ferguson 17-26-0-174.

RECEIVING: Temple - Yancy 9-88; Ja.Thomas 6-121; Bryant 6-70; Ellick 5-54; Deloatch 5-19; Kirkwood 4-83; Thompson 1-10. Memphis - Mayhue 6-84; Craft 4-43; Montiel 2-29; Pollard 1-8; Hurd 1-7; Henderson 1-2; Miller 1-1; Dorceus 1-0.

INTERCEPTIONS: Temple - None. Memphis - Avery 1-23; Lanier 1-3.

FUMBLES: Temple - Team 2-0; Yancy 1-1. Memphis - Ferguson 2-0; Pollard 1-1.

SACKS: Temple - Reddick 2-0; Martin-Oguike 1-0; J.Martin 1-0. Memphis - Wilson 1-0; Avery 1-0.

TACKLES (UA-A): Temple - Reddick 8-3; Dogbe 4-3; N.L.Smith 6-0; Russell 5-0; Folks 5-0; D.Thomas 4-0; J.Martin 2-1; Foster 2-0; Kwenkeu 2-0; Martin-Oguike 2-0; Randall 1-0; Alwan 1-0; Atoki 1-0; Bradley 1-0; Lucas 1-0; Booth-Lloyd 0-1. Memphis - Avery 8-1; Hall 7-1; White 5-1; Cook 5-0; Lanier 5-0; Montgomery 3-1; Edwards 3-0; Morley 3-0; Akins 2-1; Pardner 2-0; Wilson 2-0; Rupert 2-0; Pennington 1-1; Maulet 1-0; Ross 1-0; Slaughter 1-0; Henderson 1-0; C.Johnson 1-0; Suttles 1-0.

Temple 26, UCF 25**October 15, 2016****Bright House Network Stadium, Orlando, Fla.****TEMPLE STUNS UCF WITH LAST-SECOND
SCORE TO ERASE 18-POINT DEFICIT**

ORLANDO — Despite trailing for the entirety of the game, Temple battled back to stun UCF on the road with a last second touchdown, stealing a 26-25 victory over the Knights Saturday evening at Bright House Networks Stadium.

Down five with just 32 seconds remaining, senior QB Phillip Walker orchestrated a four-play, 70-yard drive to bring the Owls back from the brink, capped by a dramatic eight-yard touchdown pass to red-shirt junior WR Keith Kirkwood.

Walker threw four consecutive passes on the game-winning possession, the first three to redshirt sophomore WR Ventell Bryant for 20, 16 and 26 yards apiece. The final pass came over-the-top to Kirkwood as the Knight defense anticipated a spike with under 10 seconds left, leaving the junior to make a leaping grab near the back edge of the end zone.

For the game, Walker finished 12-of-24 passing with 167 yards, two touchdowns and one interception. The receiving corps continued to flourish, as Bryant and Kirkwood combined for 113 yards on seven receptions with the lone score.

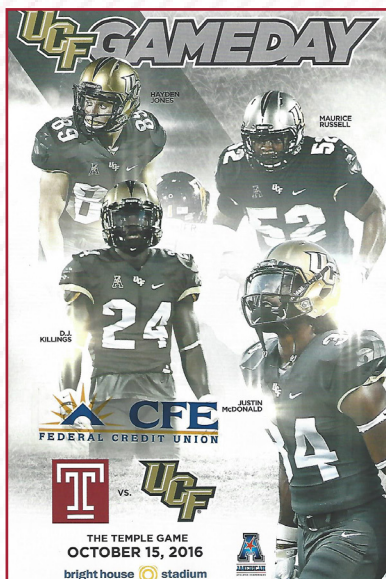
A quick start by both offensive units mellowed out as the first two quarters progressed, with Central Florida taking control in front of its home crowd. The Knights opened the game with a drive that culminated on a 55-yard pass down the left sideline for a touchdown.

On the ensuing drive, though, Walker gave Temple a spark, crafting a response to the early UCF score.

Under pressure and back-peddling, Walker slipped a screen past two charging defensive linemen to waiting senior RB Jahad Thomas, who then proceeded to weave his way 28 yards past would-be tacklers into the end zone.

A number of big plays plagued the Owl defense throughout the first half, as UCF scored on the aforementioned 55-pass and 63-yard sprint early in the second quarter, building a commanding 25-7 advantage.

Temple chipped away at the lead minutes before halftime, utilizing its powerful run game and a drive-capping seven-yard rush by Thomas to close the gap to 25-14. With the ground touchdown, his second of the day, Thomas claimed the NCAA active title for consecutive games with two-or-more scores, now stretched to five straight on the season.



The senior finished the day with a team-high 120 yards on 27 carries for one touchdown on the ground along with three receptions for 33 yards and a score.

A few key defensive stops helped along the way as well, shutting down the Knights on two consecutive possessions after the 63-yard burst. The Owl front seven proved particularly potent in containing UCF late, generating seven sacks — two from senior DL Haason Reddick — on freshman QB McKenzie Milton.

The third quarter saw some dominant ground-and-pound play from Temple, as the Owls opened the period with a sustained 14-play, 61-yard drive capped by freshman PK Aaron Bouserhi's first career field goal, a short 32-yarder.

The following possession saw a similar result, as the run-centric offense pushed the ball down deep into UCF territory before Bouserhi once again drilled his attempt, this time a tough 47-yard kick. The Owls finished the quarter with an impressive time-of-possession, owning the ball for 11:18 of the 15:00 minutes.

The defense continued to make plays into the fourth quarter, as redshirt senior CB Nate Hairston intercepted Milton just as UCF seemed to be gaining some semblance of momentum. After two Owl turnovers-on-downs, Temple continued to dominate defensively, holding the Knights to back-to-back three-and-outs trailing by only five points.

Scoring Summary

		TU-UCF
1st		
13:49	M.Milton to T.Smith 55 pass (N.Patti pass to A.Cochran), 4-70 1:11	0-8
9:49	P.Walker to Ja.Thomas 28 pass (A.Bouserhi kick), 7-65 4:00	7-8
3:52	M.Wright 42 FG, 8-47 3:00	7-11
2nd		
13:45	M.Milton to A.Killins 16 pass (M.Wright kick), 5-64 1:34	7-18
12:34	M.Milton 63 run (M.Wright kick), 2-64 0:32	7-25
2:35	Ja.Thomas 7 run (A.Bouserhi kick), 9-71 4:10	14-25
3rd		
7:39	A.Bouserhi 32 FG, 14-61 7:21	17-25
3:02	A.Bouserhi 47 FG, 6-13 3:16	20-25
4th		
0:01	P.Walker to K.Kirkwood 8 pass (Ja.Thomas rush failed), 4-70 0:31	26-25

Temple (4-3)	7	7	6	6	26
UCF (3-3)	11	14	0	0	25

Attendance: 38,299
 Kickoff time: 7:32 pm
 End of Game: 10:50 pm
 Total elapsed time: 3:18
 Officials: Referee: Michael Roche; Umpire: Hilbert Byers; Linesman: Adam Loudin; Line judge: Lance Thompson; Back judge: Michael Griffith; Field judge: Ben Vasconcelis; Side judge: Ken Bushey; Center judge: A. Calabrese
 Temperature: 78
 Wind: E 12mph
 Weather: Mostly Cloudy

Team Stats	TEM	UCF
First Downs	24	14
Rushes-yards (Net)	51-197	36-86
Passing Yards (Net)	167	210
Passes Att-Comp-Int	24-12-1	22-13-1
Total Offense Plays-Yards	75-364	58-296
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	2-7
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-26	5-72
Interception Returns-Yards	1-21	1-26
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-43.0	5-40.4
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	3-0
Penalties-Yards	10-69	12-110
Possession Time	37:18	22:42
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 14	2 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 5	0 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	7-69	5-32

RUSHING: Temple - Ja.Thomas 27-120; Armstead 14-78; Jennings 1-12; Wright 1-9; Ellick 1-(-1); Yancy 1-(-4); Walker 6-(-17). UCF - Hamilton 8-38; Wilson 15-35; Milton 10-9; Killins 3-4.

PASSING: Temple - Walker 12-24-1-167; Yancy 0-0-0-0. UCF - Milton 13-22-1-210.

RECEIVING: Temple - V.Bryant 5-94; Ja.Thomas 3-33; Kirkwood 2-19; Jennings 1-14; Deloatch 1-7. UCF - Oldham 5-37; T.Smith 3-103; Akins 2-39; Killins 1-16; Stewart 1-10; Hamilton 1-5.

INTERCEPTIONS: Temple - Hairston 1-21. UCF - Mutcherson 1-26.

FUMBLES: Temple - Ja.Thomas 1-0; Walker 1-1. UCF - Snelson 1-0; Oldham 1-0; Wilson 1-0.

SACKS: Temple - Reddick 2.0; Deloatch 2.0; J.Martin 1.0; Martin-Oguike 1.0; A.Williams 0.5; A.Robinson 0.5. UCF - Jasinski 1.0; Hill 1.0; Pittman 1.0; Griffin 1.0; Hayes 0.5; Petree 0.5.

TACKLES (UA-A): Temple - Folks 3-7; Reddick 5-2; A.Williams 4-1; Dogbe 1-4; A.Robinson 0-4; Deloatch 3-0; Hairston 3-0; Foster 2-1; Randall 2-1; Marshall 1-2; N.L.Smith L. 1-2; Martin-Oguike 1-2; D.Thomas 2-0; Ellis 2-0; J.Martin 2-0; Hood 1-1; Atoki 1-0; Jefferson 1-0; Crump 1-0; Booth-Lloyd 1-0; Ja.Thomas 1-0; Russell 0-1. UCF - Mutcherson 5-5; Pittman 4-4; Rucker 5-2; Shqll.Griffin 4-3; Brim 2-5; Burkett 4-2; Shqm.Griffin 2-3; D.Johnson 4-0; Jasinski 3-0; Boykins 3-0; Clarke 1-2; Guerad 1-2; Wooten 1-1; Killins 0-2; Connors 0-2; Hill 1-0; Clarke 1-0; De La Haye 1-0; Hamilton 1-0; Hayes 0-1; Gibson 0-1; Petree 0-1.

Temple 46, USF 30

October 21, 2016

Lincoln Financial Field, Philadelphia, Pa

TEMPLE TAKES DIVISION LEAD WITH 46-30 WIN OVER PRESEASON FAVORITE USF

PHILADELPHIA — Facing off against a rolling South Florida squad undefeated in American Athletic play, Temple continued to prove its resolve in the 46-30 dismantling of the visiting Bulls, surging to the top of the East Division in front of 25,950 Friday night at Lincoln Financial Field.

The Owls, lacking in an offensive identity following a tough road loss to Memphis two weeks ago, found comfort behind a powerful ground game against USF. The unit leaned heavily on sophomore RB Ryquell Armstead, who generated a career-high 210 yards on 20 carries for two touchdowns for the evening.

Armstead even found himself inserted into the school record books, as his high-production now stands as 14th on the all-time single game list for rushing yards. He is also just the 10th player to rush for 200 yards in a game.

With the victory, Temple improves to a noteworthy 5-3 (3-1 American), earning the Eastern tiebreaker over former division leader USF (6-2, 3-1 American). Further, from a revenge perspective, the Owls' triumph over the Bulls reversed the result from last season's game, where USF knocked off an undefeated Temple program on its turf.

The Temple offense exploded out of the gate, compiling a 14-play, eight-minute opening drive nearly pacing the length of the field before settling for a 22-yard field goal from freshman kicker Aaron Bouserhi. The three-point lead marked only the second time this season, not to mention in consecutive weeks, Temple generated points on its initial possession of the game.

USF then put together a scoring drive of its own late in the first quarter, wrapped up with 27-yard bomb into the end zone from QB Quinton Flowers.

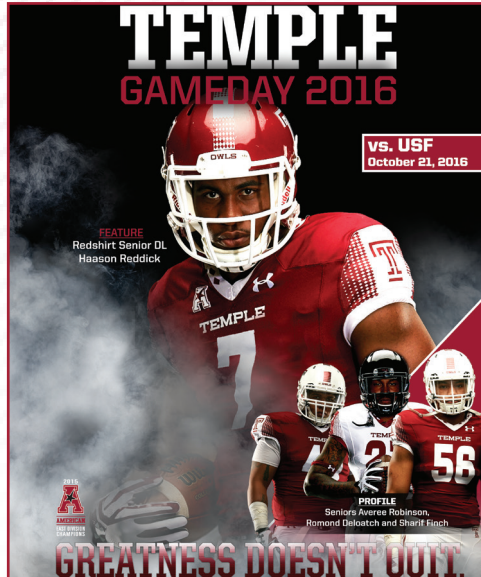
The Temple offense once again responded. The unit marched 75 yards over 15 plays and another eight minutes, chipping off gains behind power rushing and accurate short-yardage tosses from senior QB Phillip Walker.

Set up at the one-yard-line, though, the Owls were not to be denied an end zone appearance this time around. On a seemingly doomed rollout toward the right sideline, Walker twisted 180 degrees to throw back across his body to the opposite pylon, finding wide-open fellow senior TE Colin Thompson for the first receiving touchdown of his career.

The Bulls saw fit to retake the lead off another long pass from Flowers, a 31-yarder sailing over the secondary. A play later, though, the situation turned sour for USF as Temple senior DE Praise Martin-Oguike swung the momentum back in the Owls' favor, notching the fifth blocked kick of his career.

And then, for the first time of the game, the Temple offense decided to move with some urgency. On what looked to be another simple hand-off up the middle quickly transformed into a team season-long 76-yard dash by Armstead, a single-play career best from the sophomore playmaker.

The two-play scoring drive took just one minute, the notable exception during the half as Temple controlled the ball for a stunning 21:44 to South Florida's 8:16. Each of the Bulls' scoring possessions, though, concluded on a major passing play, a weakness that continues to



haunt the Owl defense.

The initial two quarters managed to compose a dramatic finish, as four plays from Walker and the offense set up a Bouserhi 35-yarder. Sophomore WR Ventell Bryant grabbed a crucial reception with eight seconds remaining on the possession, his final of five catches for a career-best of 115 receiving yards.

The second half, however, saw the surge in Temple confidence dissipate over the first seven minutes, as Flowers led USF to 10 straight points on two consecutive drives. The junior quarterback capped the final possession himself, striding into the end zone on a zone-read to open up a three-point advantage.

Three snaps into the ensuing Temple possession, however, and Armstead took the deficit into his own hands yet again, breaking off a 42-yard footrace for his second score of the game. With a new energy to feed off, the defensive front-seven choked the Bull offense to a three-and-out behind relentless pursuit and an athletic pass deflection from sophomore S Delvon Randall.

The ensuing punt continued to drain the spirit from the Bull sideline, as redshirt senior DE Avery Ellis got his hand on the kick. The Temple offense — with field position at the 20-yard-line — broke the goal line two plays later off two touches from senior RB Jahad Thomas.

The two teams traded touchdowns in the final 8:42, the final of which came from Thomas on a three-yard sweep after a Temple interception. With the score, Thomas, who finished with 16 carries for 56 yards, continued his NCAA-best streak of consecutive games with two or more touchdowns (6).

A prime-time defensive performance was fittingly capped with a safety off senior TE Romond Deloatch's sack of back-up USF QB Brett Kean, as the group finished with a combined four on the day.

Scoring Summary		TU-USF
1st		
7:10	A.Bouserhi 22 FG, 14-70 7:50	3-0
0:19	Q.Flowers to M.Scantling 27 pass (E.Nadelman kick), 6-68 1:18	3-7
2nd		
7:07	P.Walker to C.Thompson 1 pass (A.Bouserhi kick), 15-75 8:12	10-7
5:04	Q.Flowers to T.McCants 31 pass (E.Nadelman kick blocked), 8-75 2:03	10-13
4:01	R.Armstead 76 run (A.Bouserhi kick), 2-81 0:57	17-13
0:05	A.Bouserhi 35 FG, 4-52 0:41	20-13
3rd		
9:52	E.Nadelman 42 FG, 14-50 5:08	20-16
5:21	Q.Flowers 3 run (E.Nadelman kick), 3-84 0:49	20-23
3:53	R.Armstead 42 run (A.Bouserhi kick), 3-78 1:21	27-23
1:44	J.Thomas 9 run (A.Bouserhi kick), 2-20 0:42	34-23
4th		
10:09	A.Bouserhi 42 FG, 8-35 4:40	37-23
8:42	M.Mack 30 run (E.Nadelman kick), 4-75 1:27	37-30
3:17	J.Thomas 3 run (A.Bouserhi kick), 1-3 0:06	44-30
3:03	Temple Team safety	46-30

USF (6-2)	7	6	10	7	30
Temple (5-3)	3	17	14	12	46

Attendance: 25,950
Kickoff time: 7:01 pm
End of Game: 10:32 pm
Total elapsed time: 3:31
Officials: Referee: Todd LaPenta; Umpire: Greg Brenner; Linesman: Todd Riddick; Line judge: Jeffrey Cooney; Back judge: Victor Firth; Field judge: Glen Wilson; Side judge: Ryan Robinson; Center judge: Terry Killens
Temperature: 75
Wind: SW 7mph
Weather: Mostly Cloudy

Team Stats	USF	TEM
First Downs	18	26
Rushes-Yards (Net)	33-165	51-319
Passing Yards (Net)	187	209
Passes Att-Comp-Int	20-11-1	21-14-0
Total Offense Plays-Yards	53-352	72-528
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	2-11
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-167	4-73
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-21
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-28.5	3-34.7
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	11-88	8-75
Possession Time	20:53	39:07
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 12	10 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	5-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-14	5-21

RUSHING: USF - Flowers 14-90; Mack 13-67; D.Johnson 3-16; Sands 1-(-1); Adams 1-(-2); Kean 1-(-5). Temple - Armstead 20-210; Wright 6-58; Ja.Thomas 16-56; Sharga 3-9; Team 3-(-3); Walker 3-(-11).

PASSING: USF - Flowers 11-19-0-187; Kean 0-1-1-0. Temple - Walker 14-21-0-209.

RECEIVING: USF - Mack 3-33; McCants 2-53; Adams 2-43; Scantling 1-27; Wilcox 1-14; Barr 1-13; D.Johnson 1-4. Temple - V.Bryant 5-115; Kirkwood 2-48; Ja.Thomas 2-12; Wright 2-11; Deloatch 1-16; Yancy 1-6; Thompson 1-1.

INTERCEPTIONS: USF - None. Temple - Randall 1-21.

FUMBLES: USF - Kean 1-0. Temple - None.

SACKS: USF - Senat 1.0; J.Brown 1.0. Temple - A.Robinson 2.0; Martin-Oguike 1.0; Deloatch 1.0; Reddick 1.0.

TACKLES (UA-A): USF - Godwin 7-0; Harris 5-2; Sanchez 6-0; Senat 4-0; D.Thomas 4-0; Childs 4-0; McGee 3-1; Fullwood 3-0; Livingstone 3-0; Hector 2-1; Awoleke 2-0; Ward 2-0; Sawtelle 2-0; Nichols 1-1; J.Thomas 1-1; Reeves 1-0; Love 1-0; Bronson 1-0; Cherry 1-0; S.Smith 1-0; J.Brown 1-0; Sands 1-0; McCants 1-0; Wilkins 1-0. Temple - Marshall 7-1; Randall 6-1; A.Robinson 5-0; Martin-Oguike 2-1; N.L.Smith 2-1; Hairston 2-0; Folks 2-0; Crump 2-0; Alwan 1-1; Foster 1-1; Russell 1-1; Reddick 1-1; Walls 1-0; Lucas 1-0; Booth-Lloyd 1-0; Deloatch 1-0; Jy.Thomas 1-0; Gardner 1-0; Kwenkeu 1-0; Dogbe 0-1; A.Williams 0-1; J.Martin 0-1; Bradley 0-1.

Temple 34, Cincinnati 13

October 29, 2016

Lincoln Financial Field, Philadelphia, Pa

TEMPLE REACHES BOWL ELIGIBILITY WITH SOUND WIN OVER CONFERENCE FOE

PHILADELPHIA — Utilizing a devastating ground game highlighted by senior RB Jahad Thomas and his big-play ability, Temple routed visiting American Athletic foe Cincinnati in a 34-13 dismantling, to the delight of 29,763 fans Saturday evening at Lincoln Financial Field.

The all-around victory was generated off critical snaps within each facet of the matchup; however, a bonanza of special teams plays, including a blocked punt and muffed kickoff return, wrecked havoc on the Cincinnati baseline energy.

With the win, Temple moves to a commanding 6-3 (4-1 American), making the team bowl bound in back-to-back years for the first time in school history. Cincinnati, meanwhile, falls to a 4-4 (1-4 American) mark on the season.

Facing a Bearcat offense averaging over 400 yards per game, the Temple defense stepped up early to force a quick three-and-out. The momentum carried through to the special teams on the ensuing punt, as redshirt senior DL Avery Ellis blocked the kick, his second in two games.

Under direction from senior QB Phillip Walker, the Owls' offense rolled down inside the ten-yard line, only to settle for a short 26-yard field goal from K Aaron Bouserhi. The freshman has been perfect on field goal attempts since replacing junior Austin Jones three games ago, the latter of which is sidelined due to a season-ending injury on a kickoff against Memphis.

When Walker and his unit took over two drives later after a Cincinnati fumble, the group was not to be denied the end zone this time around. With just four plays, Temple covered 55 yards for the touchdown, a majority of which came on a 40-yard scoring toss from Walker to junior Adonis Jennings down the left sideline.

The senior quarterback concluded the evening with no turnovers and two passing touchdowns, throwing 12-of-19 for 199 yards through the air.

The Bearcats, led by QB Gunner Kiel, responded on their first play of the second quarter, scoring on a short, four-yard lob to the back-left corner of the end zone.

Fighting a swing in momentum towards Cincinnati, the Owls' offense broke through behind the efforts of senior RB Jahad Thomas, who gashed the Bearcats with a 56-yard cut up the left sideline. Walker and redshirt sophomore WR Ventell Bryant cleaned up the drive two plays later, connecting on a 28-yard post route at the goal line.



Thomas put together another strong performance despite never finding the end zone himself, ending his NCAA-best streak of consecutive games with two or more touchdowns. On the day, he finished with a team-best 151 yards on 17 carries.

Kiel sought to keep the gap at a one-score margin, compiling a ten-play possession and his second touchdown pass of the day — this time a 10-yard crossing route — for the Bearcats. Despite the narrowing lead, Temple maintained a 17-13 advantage heading into the locker room.

The second half, however, proved wildly different from the offensive-centric first, as the Owls' defense held Cincinnati to zero points in the third quarter. Meanwhile, Walker chewed up clock as he guided the offense on an impressive 15-play drive for a second Bouserhi field goal, this time from 27 yards out.

Eventually, just as the final period began, Temple was able to secure solid footing as sophomore RB Ryquell Armstead punched in two scores on near-consecutive snaps, the first from three-yards out and the second a six-yard grind into the end zone. The highly productive back up finished with 18 carries for 61 yards and the two touchdowns.

The momentum created by Armstead's initial score essentially buried Cincinnati on the ensuing kickoff, as Bouserhi's squib kick slipped through the hands of a returner, before junior Cequan Jefferson dove in for the recovery at the 18-yard line. In decisive fashion, the sophomore tailback would score just four plays later.

Scoring Summary		 TU-UC
1st		
0:31	A.Bouserhi 26 FG, 8-30 3:12	3-0
1:45	P.Walker to A.Jennings 40 pass (A.Bouserhi kick), 4-55 1:58	10-0
2nd		
14:54	G.Kiel to D.Gray 4 pass (J.Pasley kick failed), 5-32 1:41	10-6
13:06	P.Walker to V.Bryant 28 pass (A.Bouserhi kick), 4-82 1:41	17-6
8:21	G.Kiel to D.Gray 10 pass (J.Pasley kick), 10-76 4:35	17-13
3rd		
4:23	A.Bouserhi 27 FG, 15-87 7:55	20-13
4th		
14:30	R.Armstead 3 run (A.Bouserhi kick), 8-67 3:36	27-13
12:26	R.Armstead 6 run (A.Bouserhi kick), 4-18 2:01	34-13

Cincinnati (4-4)	0	13	0	0	13
Temple (6-3)	10	7	3	14	34

Attendance: 29,763
 Kickoff time: 3:30 pm
 End of Game: 6:33 pm
 Total elapsed time: 3:03
 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: 55
 Wind: none
 Weather: Sunny

Team Stats	 UC 	 TEM
First Downs	10	25
Rushes-Yards (Net)	22-67	60-275
Passing Yards (Net)	119	199
Passes Att-Comp-Int	27-15-0	19-12-0
Total Offense Plays-Yards	49-186	79-474
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-24	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-152	1-14
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-33.0	3-46.3
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	1-1
Penalties-Yards	4-35	3-25
Possession Time	19:37	40:23
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 12	7 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	4-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-24	1-8

RUSHING: Cincinnati - Green11-46; Boone 9-24; Kiel 2-(-3). Temple - Ja.Thomas 17-151; Armstead 18-61; Hood 4-33; Walker 9-11; Wright 7-10; Gardner 4-5; Sharga 1-4.

PASSING: Cincinnati - Kiel 15-27-0-119. Temple - Walker 12-19-0-199.

RECEIVING: Cincinnati - Cole 5-32; Gray 4-23; Lewis 2-25; Boone 2-18; Green 1-16; Dowdy 1-5. Temple - V.Bryant 3-66; Ja.Thomas 3-18; Kirkwood 2-38; Yancy 2-34; Jennings 1-40; Deloatch 1-3.

INTERCEPTIONS: Cincinnati - None. Temple - None.

FUMBLES: Cincinnati - Banschbach 1-1; Kiel 1-1. Temple - Kirkwood 1-1.

SACKS: Cincinnati - Ashworth 1.0; Broughton 1.0. Temple - Martin-Oguike 1.0.

TACKLES (UA-A): Cincinnati - Young 10-2; Edwards 6-3; Copeland 8-0; Wilson 5-2; Kinard 4-1; Minor 3-2; Mouhon 3-2; Gilbert 4-0; Pace 4-0; Broughton 3-1; Clements 2-1; Ashworth 2-0; Murphy 2-0; Fitz 2-0; Wright 2-0; Wilson 1-0; Stephens 1-0. Temple - A.Williams 4-3; Martin-Oguike 4-0; Dogbe 3-1; Chandler 3-1; Marshall 3-1; Randall 3-0; D.Thomas 3-0; Hairston 3-0; Alwan 2-1; Folks 2-0; J.Martin 1-0; Russell 1-0; Gardner 1-0; Grimes 1-0; Hood 1-0; N.L.Smith 1-0; Foster 1-0; Reddick 1-0; A.Robinson 0-1.