

2002  
**Outlook**  
*SPIDERS*



# Spider Outlook



Senior D'Arcy Wills returns as the most experienced Spider quarterback.

The 2002 Spiders are poised to return the Richmond football program to the elite of the Atlantic 10 Conference and all of I-AA football. A number of veterans, including many from last season's nationally ranked defense, have dedicated themselves to a winning season and another trip to the I-AA playoffs.

Despite having one of the best defenses in the country last fall, the Spiders finished the 2001 campaign at 3-8 overall, 3-6 in A-10 games. But the record is deceptive as Richmond lost those eight games by a combined 37 points.

The core of the 2002 team tasted success in 2000 when Richmond won a program-record 10 games and advanced to the second round of the playoffs. Although sophomores then, this senior group is now ready to complete their college careers on top.

The Spiders return experience on both sides of the ball. Few groups around the nation are as seasoned and talented as Richmond's linebackers and offensive line. These groups must lead for Richmond to succeed.

"On paper this year's schedule might appear more favorable than 2001," head coach Jim Reid said. "But a closer look will reveal a very challenging schedule, with not only a Division I-A team, but perennial Southern Conference power and national runner-up Furman."

A Thursday night game against Big East-member Temple will kick-off the fall campaign. Last year's national runner-up, Furman, comes to UR

Stadium during the third week. The majority of the schedule is against the perennially tough Atlantic 10, which will again be among the top conferences in Division I-AA.

## OFFENSE

Richmond posted the eighth best rushing offense in the nation last season, averaging 249.8 yards on the ground per game. However, the Spiders lacked a balanced attack as both starting quarterbacks were lost because of injury.

"We are looking for more offensive productivity this season," Reid said. "The return of D'Arcy Wills and the experience of our offensive line will help us control the ball. We must develop a big play offense."

The Spiders return five starters, three of those on the offensive line. Protecting and opening holes for the backfield are three All-Conference candidates, senior Justin McElfish and juniors Josh Burnette and Joe Wilson. They combined for 32 starts last season and have improved in the off season.

## QUARTERBACK

The return of sixth-year senior D'Arcy Wills adds needed experience to a young corps of signal-callers. Wills, who only played two games last season before suffering an injury, is a fast runner who can air the ball deep behind the opponent's secondary.

"Although D'Arcy missed all of spring practice because of shoulder surgery," Reid said, "he will be given the nod."

In two games last fall, Wills threw for 92 yards on 7-of-16 passing. In 2000, the Burke, Va., native threw for 251 yards and ran for 310 more.

Developing under the talented senior are Tony Conti and redshirt freshman Stacy Tutt. Both players had strong springs and will push for playing time. Tutt is a highly regarded product with explosive capabilities.

## RUNNING BACK

One of the nation's top running attacks returns a talented group that is ready to uphold the Richmond tradition of a powerful and effective ground game. The eighth-best rushing team in 2001 will miss graduated seniors Sean Gustus, Scott Fulton and J.R. Purnell, but gifted student-athletes are ready for their chance.

Senior Claude Diggs is a punishing fullback who always gains the extra yard. He is the top returning rusher as he gained 326 yards on 76

carries last season (4.3 yards/rush). Junior tail back Kenny Dantzer is the only returning starter in the backfield. He ran for 208 yards and two touchdowns last fall. Junior David Edwards also has a considerable amount of experience, while senior Warith Alkebu-Lan is ready to make a significant contribution this season.

Joe Mallory, Lamont Jones, David Freeman and Andre Cobbs are redshirt freshmen who improved throughout the spring and are ready to gain playing time. Sophomore Lee Williams, a transfer from Western Carolina, is eligible and joins sophomore Brandon Neuman at the fullback position.

"We have a wealth of experience and talent in the backfield," Reid said.

## WIDE RECEIVER

Two players who have big-strike ability on the Spider offense are wide-out senior Dan McNair and junior Boyd Ouden. Ouden ran a reverse 74 yards for a touchdown against Villanova last season and also caught four touchdowns.

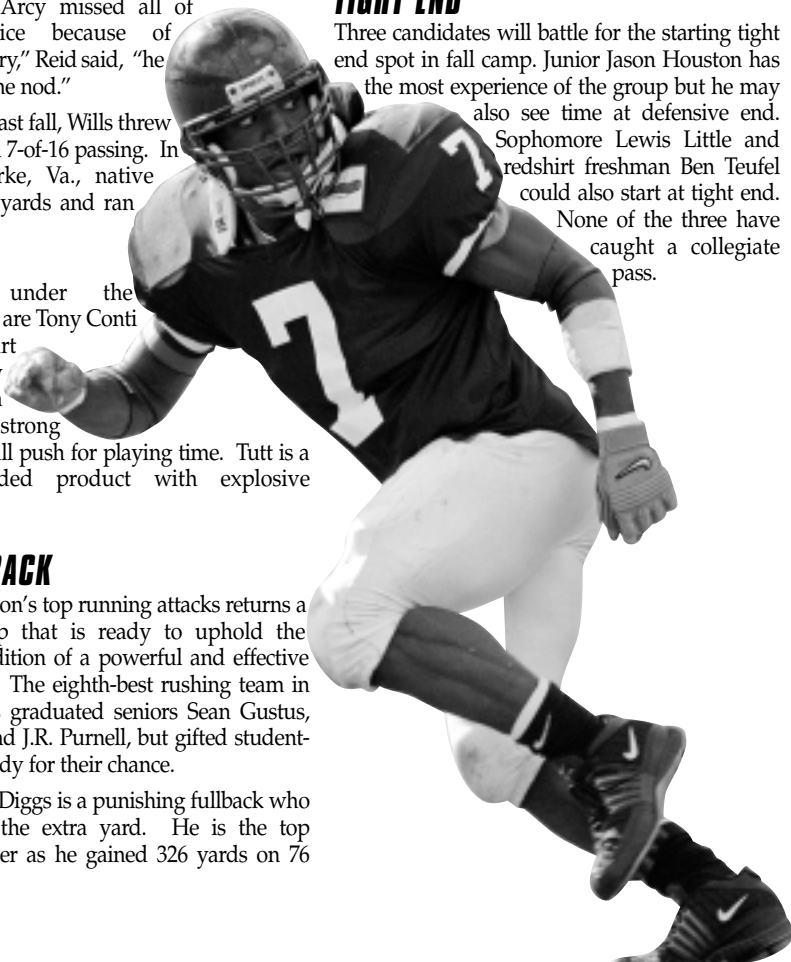
McNair led the squad with 17 catches and averaged 21.5 receiving yards/game. Ouden made 14 receptions for a team-high 221 yards.

Sophomore Jake Schools had a tremendous spring and joins freshmen Harry Wilson, Jeff Ritch and John Richardson for a strong, young receiving corps.

## TIGHT END

Three candidates will battle for the starting tight end spot in fall camp. Junior Jason Houston has the most experience of the group but he may also see time at defensive end. Sophomore Lewis Little and redshirt freshman Ben Teufel could also start at tight end.

None of the three have caught a collegiate pass.



## OFFENSIVE LINE

The most experienced corps and the strength of the 2002 offense will be the offensive line. Three returning starters and All-Conference candidates lead a seasoned group.

Senior left guard Justin McElfish started all 11 games last season and is an All-American candidate this year. With his size and foot speed, McElfish can dominate the trenches.

Juniors Joe Wilson, a 2001 All-Atlantic 10 honoree, and Josh Burnette anchor the tackle positions. Wilson started 10 games, missing one with injury, at right tackle while Burnette started all 11 at left tackle.

Senior center Randy West, voted team captain by his peers, had an exceptional spring to build on the experience he gained last season. Junior Jon Wilson also saw extensive playing time and will contribute heavily this season. Sophomores Art Rayner and Ken Ralston as well as junior Ben Von Schuch impressed this spring and should see meaningful time this fall. Redshirt freshmen Todd Synan and John Gromin also had good springs.

"At first look it seems we return only three starters," Reid said. "But every returning player has started at least one game, or has played meaningful minutes."

## DEFENSE

One of the nation's premier defenses year in and year out will have to replace six departed starters, including five on the defensive line. Gone are All-Americans Josh Spraker and Jonathan Wilfong, along with mainstays Andrew Bogle, Randy Witham and Fred Hanes. Those five stars helped build the country's 11th best total defense (279.82 yards/game) and the seventh best rush defense (87.09 yards/game), despite playing two quality Division I-A teams.

Those who follow Richmond football know the hole those graduated seniors have left. But rest assured, there are talented and hard-working student-athletes ready to fill the void.

"We have a very strong linebacking corps," Reid said. "There is a lot of potential in all aspects of



The 2001 Spiders ranked eighth nationally in rushing offense. An experienced offensive line returns for 2002.

our defense."

## SECONDARY

The heart of last year's secondary, David Giles, has graduated. His injuries last season allowed for the development of Ramon Richeson into a team leader.

A senior captain at free safety, Richeson ranked fourth on the team with 72 tackles last season. He made three sacks and forced a fumble.

Three-year starter Maurice Newbill adds stability at the corner along with sophomores Clement Johnson and Rashad Smith. Newbill led the secondary with 78 tackles last season and added two sacks and six pass breakups.

Fifth-year seniors Deashawn Goddard and Matt Barkley will compete for the strong safety spot. Both have gained valuable experience over their careers in the secondary.

Danny Young, Dan Schneider, Antoine Newsome and Clint Rhodes all had productive springs and should solidify the group.

## LINEBACKER

"Our linebackers are all tough, physical players," Reid said. "This is the cornerstone of our defense."

Two All-American candidates headline an outstanding cast. Senior captain Adrian Archie led the Spiders in tackles last fall with 92 stops, 55 solo. The All-Atlantic 10 member made seven tackles for loss and two sacks. His speed and tenacity to the football make him a dangerous predator.

Senior Mark Thompson is consistently ranked among the national leaders in tackles for loss. Last fall, the All-Conference player stopped an opponent behind the line of scrimmage 18 times, the most in the A-10. He ranked second on the team with 85 tackles and returned an interception for a touchdown at James Madison.

Senior Jermaine Slade is a two-year starter who recorded 33 tackles last season, five for loss. He will be joined by the emerging Philip Janney and Kyle Kupchack who were outstanding during spring drills.

Sophomore Chris Fields moved from the secondary to the linebacker position and should see time on passing downs. Redshirt freshmen Chaz Curtis and Andrew Swenson will also compete for playing time.

## DEFENSIVE LINE

Only one player with substantial experience returns in the defensive trenches. Senior captain Steve Boyer started the final nine games after an injury to Randy Witham. He performed admirably, making 27 stops, including two sacks.

"There is a lot of potential in our defensive line," Reid said. "Except for Steve, they have yet to establish themselves."

Houston has impressed in his work as a defensive end. Senior Ike Sanni, sophomores Michael Rogers, Chris Muntz and Clifton Coker also show promise after seeing some playing time last fall. A host of freshmen will fight for playing time: David Gracia, Brian Finnigan, Dan Mangiero and Brian Burnette.

## SPECIAL TEAMS

The field goal and extra-point duties will again be handled by senior Doug Kirchner. Kirchner continues to climb the Richmond charts for points and extra points in a career. Noah Kivett and Joseph Fore will also vie for the kicking spot.

Who will handle the punting chores is still to be decided. Brandon Neuman and freshmen Doug Thornley and Chris Radford will compete throughout fall camp for the starting position.

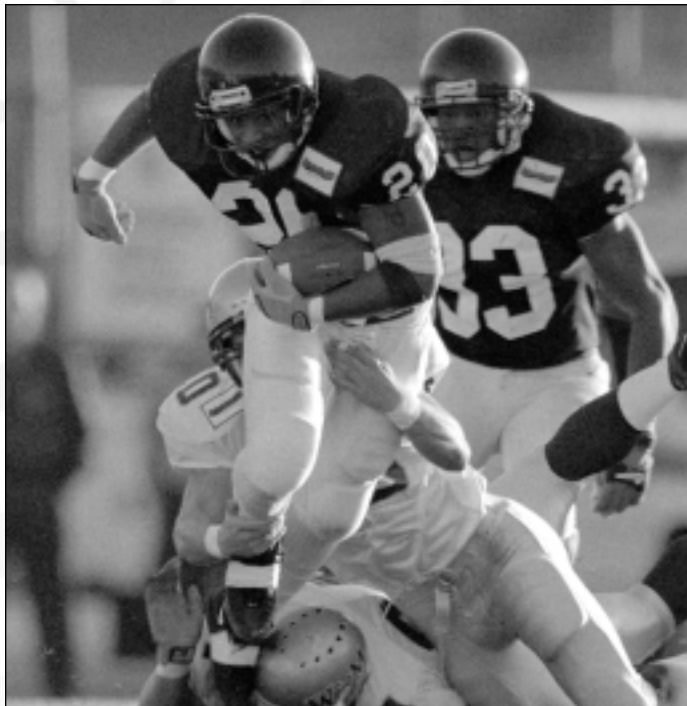
Fifth-year senior Chris Collier will handle the long snapping chores.



The Spiders ranked 11th nationally last year in total defense and seventh in rush defense.



# Spider Notebook



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**A Running Trend ...** The Spiders have enjoyed the two most prolific rushing seasons in program history the last two years ... During the 2000 season, Richmond set a program record with 2,932 yards on an all-time high 669 carries ... Last season, the Spiders gained 2,748 on the ground, second only to their performance from the previous year ... Their 637 attempts also rank second to 2000 ... Proving that Richmond uses a balanced attack, not one individual ranked in Richmond's all-time single-season rushing top-10 in 2000 or 2001.

**Defensive Stoppers Return ...** The top four tacklers from last year's squad return for the 2002 season ... Senior linebackers Adrian Archie and Mark Thompson ranked first and second respectively in tackles last fall ... Archie recorded a team-best 92 stops while Thompson followed with 85 ... Senior cornerback Maurice Newbill ranked third with 78 tackles and senior safety Ramon Richmond was fourth (72).

**Linebackers of Merit ...** Two All-American candidates return in the Spiders' linebacking corps to leads this season's defense ... senior Adrian Archie led the Spiders and ranked 15th in the Atlantic 10 with 92 tackles last fall ... He also made two sacks, broke up three passes and produced four quarterback hurries ... senior Mark Thompson ranked in the top-25 of the A-10 with 85 tackles ... He was fourth in the league with 18 tackles for loss and also recovered two fumbles and made one interception.

**Welcome Back to Richmond ...** The Spiders host six home games in 2002, compared to just four last season ... Five of the six home games are against Atlantic 10 opponents, the only exception

being Furman from the Southern Conference ... The following is a chart of the most recent trip to UR Stadium for Richmond's 2002 home opponents:

2002 Game	Opponent	Last Time at UR	Richmond Result
Sept. 7	Delaware	Oct. 7, 2000	L, 24-17
Sept. 21	Furman	Nov. 5, 1977	W, 19-13
Oct. 5	UMass	Sept. 16, 2000	W, 31-24
Oct. 19	James Madison	Nov. 11, 2000	W, 21-2
Nov. 2	Northeastern	Nov. 1, 1997	L, 21-17
Nov. 16	Maine	Oct. 21, 2000	W, 17-6

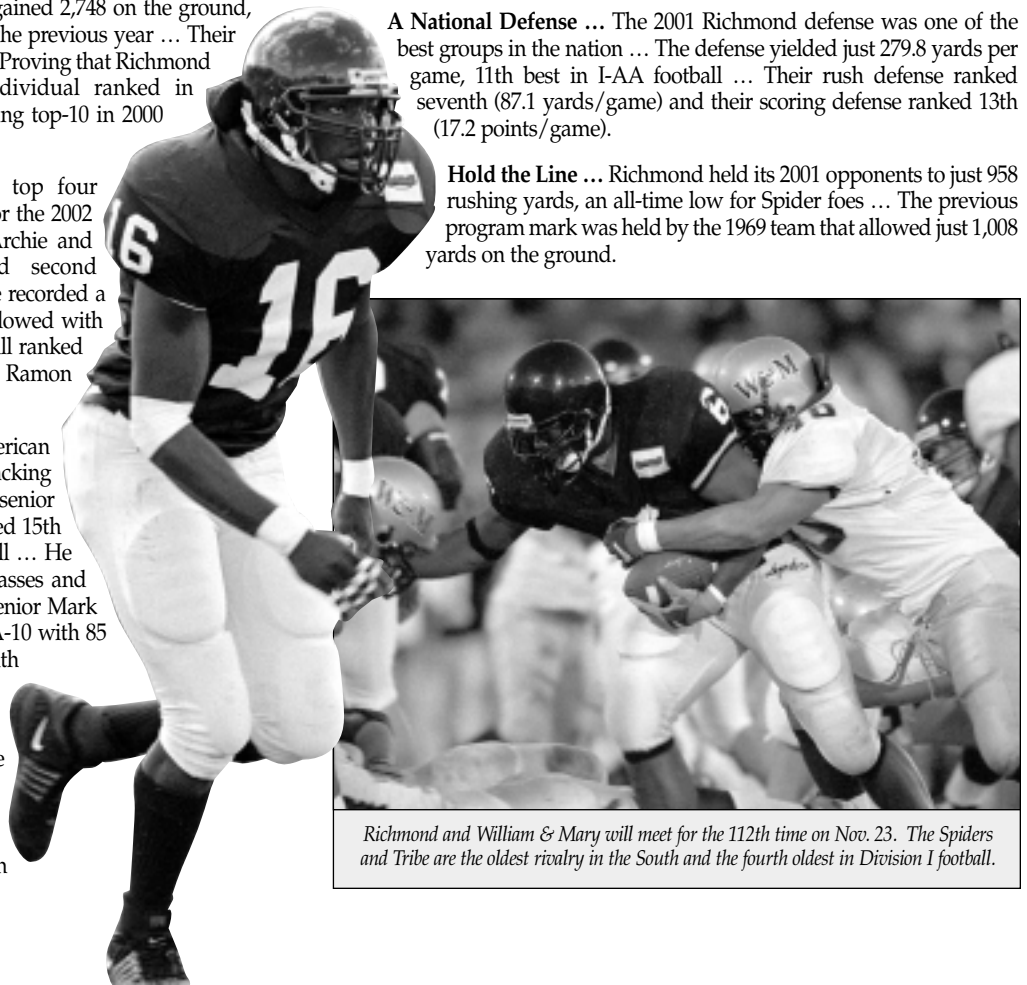
**A Little Less Travel ...** Richmond traveled approximately 2,800 miles for its seven road games last season ... Its farthest trip was to Orono, Maine, covering 780 miles ... The Spiders averaged 404 miles per road trip in 2001 ... This season, in their five road games, the Spiders will travel approximately 1,700 miles or approx. 347 miles per trip ... Richmond's longest road trip this season is to Durham, N.H. — about 600 miles from Richmond.

**A Championship Opponent ...** For the third time since 1978 (inception of the I-AA classification), Richmond will face an opponent that participated in the previous year's I-AA championship game ... The Spiders host the Furman Paladins on Sept. 21, who lost to Montana, 13-6, in last year's I-AA final ... During the 2000 playoffs, Richmond eliminated Youngstown State, 10-3, a year after the Penguins had lost to Georgia Southern, 59-24, in the '99 championship ... Richmond also played Massachusetts during the 1999 regular season (a 33-6 loss), months after the Minutemen defeated Georgia Southern, 55-43, in the '98 title game.

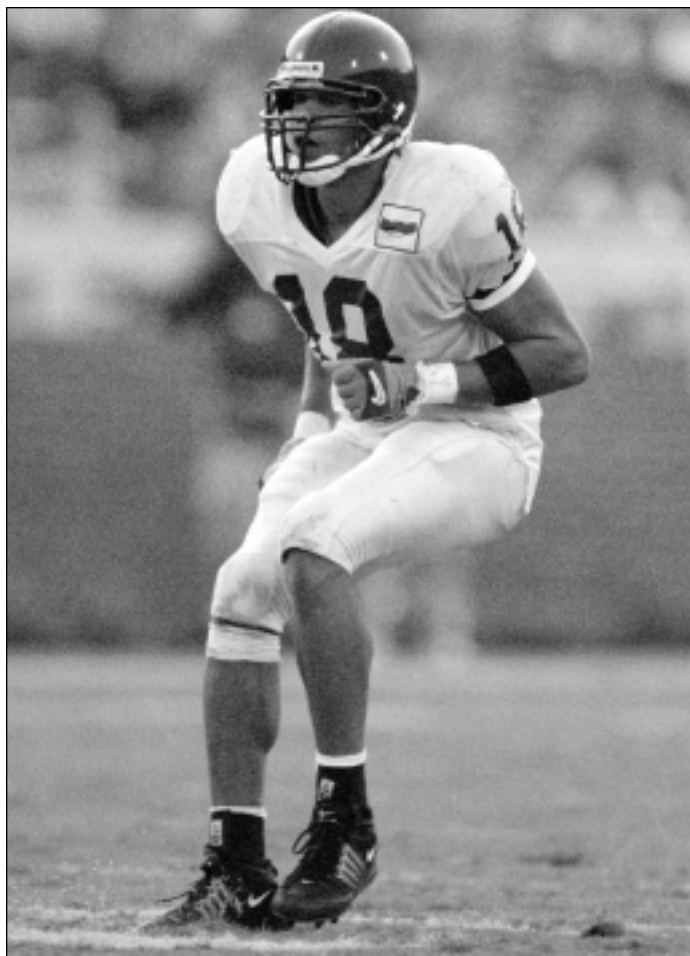
**I-A Opponents ...** Including this season's opener at Temple, Richmond will have played a I-A opponent in three of the past four years ... Two of those years, 2000 and 2001, Richmond played two I-A foes ... The Spiders are 1-5 against I-A teams under head coach Jim Reid ... The win came on Sept. 30, 2000 when Richmond captured a 30-27 win at Arkansas State.

**A National Defense ...** The 2001 Richmond defense was one of the best groups in the nation ... The defense yielded just 279.8 yards per game, 11th best in I-AA football ... Their rush defense ranked seventh (87.1 yards/game) and their scoring defense ranked 13th (17.2 points/game).

**Hold the Line ...** Richmond held its 2001 opponents to just 958 rushing yards, an all-time low for Spider foes ... The previous program mark was held by the 1969 team that allowed just 1,008 yards on the ground.



*Richmond and William & Mary will meet for the 112th time on Nov. 23. The Spiders and Tribe are the oldest rivalry in the South and the fourth oldest in Division I football.*



Senior captain Ramon Richeson and the Spiders return their top four tacklers from last season.

fifth on Richmond's all-time coaches win list ... Reid is just three wins shy of moving into sole possession of third place.

Coach	Wins	Seasons
Frank Dobson	79	1913-17, 1919-33
Ed Merrick	53	1951-65
Frank Jones	44	1966-73
Dal Shealy	43	1980-88
<b>Jim Reid</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>1995-present</b>
Glenn Thistlethwaite	41	1934-41

**Teammates Again ...** There are 12 high schools represented by multiple-players on the 2002 Richmond roster ... Collegiate, located in Richmond, carries the most number of Spiders (four) ... Senior Matt Barkley, junior Philip Janney, sophomore Lewis Little and freshman Harry Wilson all hail from Collegiate ... Two other Richmond area schools provide three student-athletes this season ... Patrick Henry supplied sophomore Jake Schools, redshirt freshman Joe Mallory and freshman Nate Fairley ... Douglas Freeman graduated senior captain Steve Boyer and freshmen Johnny Campbell and Pete Parziale to Richmond ... Central Bucks West, located in eastern Pennsylvania, provided junior David Edwards and twins Joe and Jon Wilson and is the only other high school to produce three prep teammates.

**Close to Home ...** Of the 86 student-athletes on this year's roster, 39 are from the Commonwealth of Virginia (.453 percent) ... An even higher ratio of the newcomers are from Virginia (15 of 24/.625 percent) ... The second most represented state is Pennsylvania with 15 student-athletes.

**Against the Big East ...** Richmond opens the 2002 season at Temple, a member of the Big East Conference ... The Spiders are 14-70-6 all-time against current members of the Big East ... The majority of wins (10) have come against Virginia Tech ... The last time Richmond faced a Big East team came on Sept. 5, 1998 when the Spiders lost, 7-6, at Rutgers.

*Big East Conference*

Team	Record	Last Played
Boston College	1-4	1971
Miami	0-1	1952
Rutgers	0-6-1	1998
Syracuse	0-1	1963
Virginia Tech	10-37-4	1986
West Virginia	3-21-1	1982
<b>Totals</b>	<b>14-70-6</b>	

**Kicking the Records ...** Senior Doug Kirchner holds the all-time record for extra points kicked (72) and is third in field goals made and scoring by a kicker ... Kirchner has made 25 field goals heading into his senior season and trails second place Brendan Toibin (1983-85), by five and the all-time leader, Rob Courter (1987-90), by 16 field goals ... Kirchner also trails those two Spiders in scoring ... Courter is atop the all-time kickers' scoring list with 188 points, Toibin is second with 160 and Kirchner ranks third with 147 career points.

**All-Atlantic 10 Performers ...** Richmond placed nine student-athletes on the All-Atlantic 10 team following the 2001 season ... Senior defensive linemen Josh Spraker and Jonathan Wilfong both earned First Team honors ... Seniors Chad Blackstock (safety), Ken Farrar (offensive line) and Jason Hill (cornerback) earned Second Team ... Senior David Pustylnik (offensive line), junior linebackers Adrian Archie and Mark Thompson and sophomore Joe Wilson (offensive line) all earned Third Team.

**An All-American ...** Richmond senior defensive lineman Jonathan Wilfong earned *Sports Network* All-America honors following a spectacular season in 2001... Wilfong tied for the Atlantic 10 conference lead with 9.5 sacks and ranked seventh with 16 tackles for loss ... He also had three fumble recoveries and one forced fumble.

**A Tough Road ...** The 2001 football schedule was the toughest in I-AA football according to the Sagarin rankings ... After opening the season against two I-A opponents (Virginia and Vanderbilt), the Spiders then faced a daunting Atlantic 10 schedule ... Richmond played seven of its 11 games on the road, including five of its first six contests.

**A Legend in the Making ...** Eighth-year head coach Jim Reid has won 42 games in his first seven years – the most by any Richmond coach in that span ... The 1998 and 2000 Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year, currently ranks



Senior Maurice Newbill is one of 39 Virginia players on this year's roster.



# 2002 Roster

**NUMERICAL**

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown/ High School
1	Joe Mallory	Fr.*	TB	5-9	175	Montpelier, Va./ Patrick Henry
2	Rashad Smith	Jr.	DB	5-10	165	Philadelphia, Pa./ Haverford
3	Stacy Tutt	Fr.*	QB	6-2	215	Tappahannock, Va./ Fork Union
4	Lee Williams	Jr.	RB	5-10	215	Carthage, N.C./ Union Pines
5	Jason Houston	Jr.	TE	6-3	245	Lowell, Mass./ Lowell
6	Claude Diggs	Sr.	FB	6-1	240	Virginia Beach, Va./ Norfolk Academy
7	Adrian Archie	Sr.	LB	5-11	205	Concord, N.C./ Concord
8	Clement Johnson	So.	DB	5-11	165	Bishopville, Md./ Stephen Decatur
10	Brian Burnette	Fr.*	LB	6-3	230	Chesterfield, Va./ Lloyd C. Bird
11	Harry Wilson	Fr.*	WR	6-2	185	Richmond, Va./ Collegiate
12	D'Arcy Wills	Sr.	QB	6-2	205	Burke, Va./Lake Braddock
13	Jake Schools	So.	WR	5-9	150	Montpelier, Va./ Patrick Henry
14	Warith Alkebu-Lan	Sr.	TB	5-8	185	Chesterfield, Va./ Lloyd C. Bird
15	John Richardson	Fr.*	WR	6-0	175	Wilmington, N.C./ Pender Prep
16	Mark Thompson	Sr.	LB	6-2	220	Fayetteville, N.C./ E.E. Smith
17	Clint Rhodes	Sr.	DB	5-11	175	Marietta, Ga./ Lassiter
18	Ramon Richeson	Sr.	DB	6-2	210	Williamsburg, Va./ Bruton
19	Tony Conti	Sr.	QB	6-2	210	Harmony, Pa./ Seneca Valley
20	Kenny Dantzler	Jr.	RB	5-10	195	Mitchellville, Md./ DeMatha
21	David Edwards	Jr.	RB	6-1	210	Warrington, Pa./ Central Bucks West
22	Matt Barkley	Sr.	DB	5-9	185	Richmond, Va./ Collegiate
23	Chris Fields	So.	DB	5-10	195	Dumfries, Va./ C.D. Hylton
24	Lamont Jones	Fr.*	RB	5-10	185	Petersburg, Va./ Matoaca
25	Antoine Newsome	So.	DB	6-1	175	Bear, Del./ Caravel
26	Chaz Curtis	Fr.*	LB	6-3	225	Raleigh, N.C./ Southeast Raleigh
27	Philip Janney	Jr.	LB	6-1	200	Richmond, Va./ Collegiate
28	Damien McCallum	Fr.	DB/TB	5-11	175	Rowland, N.C./South Robeson
29	Andre Cobbs	Fr.*	FB/LB	6-2	215	Midlothian, Va./ James River
30	David Freeman	Fr.*	TB	6-1	195	Fayetteville, N.C./ Seventy-First
31	Maurice Newbill	Sr.	DB	5-10	185	King William, Va./ King William
32	Cornelius Smith	Fr.	DB	6-1	205	Alexandria, Va./West Potomac
33	Jermaine Slade	Sr.	LB	6-0	220	Philadelphia, Pa./ St. Joseph's
34	Micah Womack	Fr.	QB/DB	6-4	185	Chester, Va./Thomas Dale
35	Lance Gray	Fr.	LB	6-3	225	Mechanicsville, Va./Fork Union
36	Doug Thornley	Fr.*	K	6-4	200	New Market, Md./Linganore
37	Brandon Neuman	So.	FB	5-10	200	Eighty-Four, Pa./ Canon McMillan
38	Sean Kelly	Fr.	QB	5-11	190	Richmond, Va./Monacan
39	Deashawn Goddard	Sr.	DB	5-10	210	Ardmore, Pa./ Lower Merion
40	Anthony Dabney	Fr.	DB	6-0	195	Richmond, Va./Hermitage
41	Dan Schneider	Jr.	DB	5-9	180	St. Francisville, La./ West Feliciana
42	Ike Sanni	Jr.	DE	6-3	245	Gaithersburg, Md./ Bullis
43	Noah Kivett	Fr.	K	5-9	160	Stillwell, Kansas/Barstow School
44	Danny Young	So.	DB	5-10	185	Federalsburg, Md./ North Carolina
45	Bobby Hulmes	Fr.	FB/LB	6-3	240	Doylestown, Pa./Central Bucks East

**ALPHABETICAL**

No.	Name	Pos.
14	Warith Alkebu-Lan	TB
79	Judd Altman	OL
7	Adrian Archie	LB
22	Matt Barkley	DB
80	Brian Beach	WR
63	Ryan Beers	DL
97	Steve Boyer	DE
61	Ryan Brandt	DE
10	Brian Burnette	LB
75	Josh Burnette	OL
92	Ryan Cameron	DE
91	Johnny Campbell	DE
29	Andre Cobbs	FB/LB
66	Clifton Coker	DL
60	Chris Collier	OL
19	Tony Conti	QB
26	Chaz Curtis	LB
40	Anthony Dabney	DB
20	Kenny Dantzler	RB
85	Eddie Darney	TE
71	Ben Davidson	OL
6	Claude Diggs	FB
21	David Edwards	RB
57	Nate Fairley	LB
23	Chris Fields	DB
53	Brian Finnigan	DL
96	Joseph Fore	PK
30	David Freeman	TB
39	Deashawn Goddard	DB
99	David Gracia	DE
35	Lance Gray	LB
58	John Gromin	OL
5	Jason Houston	TE
45	Bobby Hulmes	FB/LB
27	Philip Janney	LB
8	Clement Johnson	DB
24	Lamont Jones	RB
38	Sean Kelly	QB
47	Doug Kirchner	PK
43	Noah Kivet	PK
55	Kyle Kupchak	LB
90	Lewis Little	DE
88	Ryan Mace	DB/WR
1	Joe Mallory	TB
54	Dan Mangiero	DE
28	Damien McCallum	DB/TB
77	Justin McElfish	OL
81	Dan McNair	WR
64	Chris Muntz	DL
37	Brandon Neuman	FB
31	Maurice Newbill	DB



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25	Antoine Newsome	DB
82	Boyd Ouden	WR
67	Adam Packett	OL
49	Pete Parziale	LB
98	Chris Radford	K/P
56	Ken Ralston	OL
74	Artie Rayner	OL
17	Clint Rhodes	DB
15	John Richardson	WR
18	Ramon Richeson	DB
83	Jeff Ritch	WR
51	Michael Rogers	DL
42	Ike Sanni	DE
41	Dan Schneider	DB
13	Jake Schools	WR
33	Jermaine Slade	LB
32	Cornelius Smith	DB
2	Rashad Smith	DB
68	Brian Stitt	OL
95	Andrew Swenson	LB
70	Todd Synan	OL
84	Ben Teufel	TE/DE
16	Mark Thompson	LB
36	Doug Thornley	K
3	Stacy Tutt	QB
86	Peter Vick	WR
78	Ben Von Schuch	OL
59	Randy West	OL
4	Lee Williams	RB
12	D'Arcy Wills	QB
11	Harry Wilson	WR
76	Joe Wilson	OL
73	Jon Wilson	OL
34	Micah Womack	QB/DB
44	Danny Young	DB

### PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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Tony Conti	Conn-tie
David Gracia	GRAH-see-a
Kyle Kupchak	KUP-check
Dan Mangiero	man-JEER-o
Justin McElfish	Mac-uhl-fish
Boyd Ouden	ooo-den
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51	Michael Rogers	So.	DL	6-4	270	Bridgewater, Mass./ Cardinal
53	Brian Finnigan	Fr.*	DL	6-1	260	Alexandria, Va./ St. Stephen & St. Agnes
54	Dan Mangiero	Fr.*	DE	6-0	245	Brooklyn, N.Y./ Poly Prep
55	Kyle Kupchak	Jr.	LB	6-1	205	El Segundo, Cal./ El Segundo
56	Ken Ralston	So.	OL	6-4	250	Orefield, Pa./ Northwestern Lehigh
57	Nate Fairley	Fr.	LB	6-2	225	Mechanicsville, Va./Patrick Henry
58	John Gromin	Fr.*	OL	6-4	245	McKeesport, Pa./ Norwin
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63	Ryan Beers	Fr.	DL	6-2	250	Altoona, Pa./Altoona
64	Chris Muntz	So.	DL	5-11	285	Malvern, Pa./ Malvern Prep
66	Clifton Coker	So.	DL	6-2	240	Brooklyn, N.Y./ Poly Prep
67	Adam Packett	Fr.	OL	6-4	280	Harrisonburg, Va./Harrisonburg
68	Brian Stitt	Fr.	OL	6-3	255	Chesterfield, Mo./Saint Louis
70	Todd Synan	Fr.*	OL	6-5	275	Laurinburg, N.C./ Scotland County
71	Ben Davidson	Fr.	OL	6-8	300	Pulaski, Va./Pulaski County
73	Jon Wilson	Jr.	OL	6-1	250	Doylestown, Pa./ Central Bucks West
74	Artie Rayner	So.	OL	6-3	290	Volant, Pa./ Wilmington Area
75	Josh Burnette	Jr.	OL	6-3	260	Charlotte, N.C./ Independence
76	Joe Wilson	Jr.	OL	6-3	275	Doylestown, Pa./ Central Bucks West
77	Justin McElfish	Sr.	OL	6-5	290	Woodbridge, Va./ Osbourne Park
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85	Eddie Darney	Fr.	TE	6-4	220	Parkton, Md./Hereford
86	Peter Vick	Fr.	WR	5-11	175	Richmond, Va./Douglas Freeman
88	Ryan Mace	Fr.	DB/WR	5-11	180	McKinney, Texas/McKinney
90	Lewis Little	So.	DE	6-4	220	Richmond, Va./ Collegiate
91	Johnny Campbell	Fr.	DE	6-4	215	Richmond, Va./Douglas Freeman
92	Ryan Cameron	Fr.	DE	6-3	230	Richmond, Va./Mills Godwin
95	Andrew Swenson	Fr.*	LB	6-0	210	Midlothian, Va./ Clover Hill
96	Joseph Fore	Fr.	K	6-1	175	Richmond, Va./Monacan
97	Steve Boyer	Sr.	DE	6-3	255	Richmond, Va./ Douglas Freeman
98	Chris Radford	Fr.	K/P	6-1	175	Wilson, N.C./Wilson Hunt
99	David Gracia	Fr.*	DE	6-3	245	Downingtown, Pa./ Downingtown

\* - Redshirt freshman





# Depth Chart

## SPIDER QUICK FACTS

### Lettermen Returning (37)

Offense: 16

Defense: 19

Special Teams: 2

### Lettermen Lost (19)

Offense: 9

Defense: 9

Special Teams: 1

### Starters Returning (13)

Offense: 5

Defense: 5

Special Teams: 3

### Starters Lost (13)

Offense: 6

Defense: 6

Special Teams: 1

## SPIDER OFFENSE

WR	82	Boyd Ouden (6-1, 180, Jr.)	80	Jake Schools (5-9, 150, So.)
LT	76	Joe Wilson (6-3, 275, Jr.)	78	Ben Von Schuch (6-3, 260, Jr.)
LG	77	Justin McElfish (6-5, 290, Sr.)	75	Josh Burnette (6-3, 260, Jr.)
C	59	Randy West (6-1, 240, Sr.)	58	John Gromin (6-4, 245, Fr.)
RG	74	Art Rayner (6-3, 290, So.)	70	Todd Synan (6-5, 275, Fr.)
RT	73	Jon Wilson (6-1, 250, Jr.)	56	Ken Ralston (6-4, 250, Fr.)
TE	5	Jason Houston (6-3, 245, Jr.)	90	Lewis Little (6-4, 220, Fr.)
			94	Ben Teufel (6-4, 245, Fr.)
WR	81	Dan McNair (5-11, 180, Sr.)	80	Jake Schools (5-9, 150, So.)
QB	12	D'Arcy Wills (6-2, 205, Sr.)	19	Tony Conti (6-2, 210, Sr.)
FB	6	Claude Diggs (6-1, 240, Sr.)	24	Lee Williams (6-0, 215, Fr.)
TB	20	Kenny Dantzler (5-10, 195, Jr.)	21	David Edwards (6-1, 210, Jr.)

## SPIDER DEFENSE

DE	66	Clifton Coker (6-2, 240, So.)	35	Brian Burnette (6-3, 230, Fr.)
DT	99	Mike Rogers (6-4, 270, So.)	54	David Gracia (6-3, 245, Fr.)
DT	97	Steve Boyer (6-3, 255, Sr.)	61	Brian Finnigan (6-1, 260, Fr.)
DE	42	Ike Sanni (6-3, 245, Jr.)	50	Dan Mangiero (6-0, 245, Fr.)
OLB	33	Jermaine Slade (6-0, 220, Sr.)	95	Andrew Swenson (6-0, 210, Fr.)
			26	Chaz Curtis (6-3, 225, Fr.)
ILB	16	Mark Thompson (6-2, 220, Sr.)	52	Philip Janney (6-1, 200, Jr.)
OLB	7	Adrian Archie (5-11, 205, Sr.)	92	Kyle Kupchak (6-1, 205, Jr.)
			23	Chris Fields (5-10, 195, So.)
CB	8	C.J. Johnson (5-11, 165, So.)	2	Rashad Smith (5-10, 165, Jr.)
SS	18	Ramon Richeson (6-2, 210, Sr.)	44	Danny Young (5-10, 185, So.)
FS	39	Deashawn Goddard (5-10, 210, Sr.)	22	Matt Barkley (5-9, 185, Sr.)
CB	31	Maurice Newbill (5-10, 185, Sr.)	17	Clint Rhodes (5-11, 175, Sr.)

## SPIDER SPECIAL TEAMS

PK	47	Doug Kirchner (5-9, 180, Sr.)
P	37	Brandon Neuman (5-10, 200, So.)
KOR	20	Kenny Dantzler (5-10, 195, Jr.)
PR	81	Dan McNair (5-11, 180, Sr.)
LS	60	Chris Collier (6-4, 225, Sr.)