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Directions to the Rutgers Baseball Complex

FROM NORTH JERSEY:

Via New Jersey Turnpike: Leave Turnpike South at Exit 10. Take Route 287
North to 529 South (Washington Ave.).
Follow to Metlars Lane and bear left on to Suttons Lane. Turn right on to Hospital Road.

Via Garden State Parkway: Leave Parkway South at Exit 129 and take New Jersey Turnpike South to Exit 10. Follow 287 North directions above.

FROM NEW YORK CITY:

Take closest Hudson River crossing to reach New Jersey Turnpike into New Jersey. Follow Turnpike directions above.

FROM LONG ISLAND AND STATEN ISLAND:

Take Verrazano Bridge and Outerbridge Crossing into New Jersey. Follow signs to Route 287 North. Follow above directions.

FROM SOUTH JERSEY VIA GARDEN STATE PARKWAY:

Leave Parkway North at Exit 127. Follow signs to Route 287 North and follow directions above.

FROM TRENTON/PHILADELPHIA AREA:

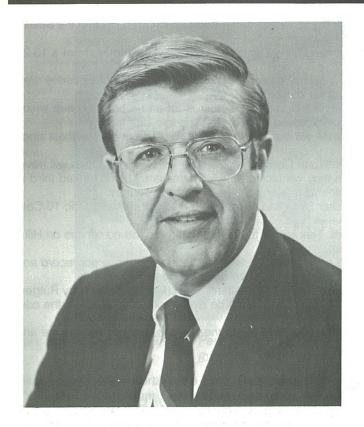
Via New Jersey Turnpike: Leave Turnpike at Exit 9. Follow 18 West/North thru New Brunswick and over the Lynch Bridge. Go straight at the traffic light on to Metlars Lane. At the first traffic light make a right onto Avenue E.

Via Route 1: Route 1 North to Route 18 West/North and follow above directions.

FROM THE WEST AND NORTHWEST VIA 287 SOUTH

Leave Route 287 South at Route 529 South (Washington Ave.) Exit. Follow Metlars Lane and bear left on to Sutton's Lane. Turn right on to Hospital Road.

FREDERICK E. GRUNINGER - DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS



Fred Gruninger has overseen the growth of the Division of Intercollegiate Athletics from 16 men's varsity sports a decade ago, to 32 today, including 16 women's teams.

Gruninger, a 1953 Rutgers graduate took over the reins in 1973 and his aggressive leadership has vaulted Rutgers into the national spotlight in a number of sports.

During his tenure as Director of Atletics numerous Rutgers teams and student-athletes have participated. in post-season play. In 1984-85 Rutgers sent three teams to post-season competition — tennis, field hockey and crew — while individual student-athletes represented Rutgers in wrestling, track and field and golf post-season play. Overall, Rutgers teams put together a fine 241-185-10 record in 1984-85 and won better than 53 percent of all games/matches played. This past fall season saw three Rutgers teams — men's and women's soccer and field hockey — ranked in the nation Top 20 polls at one point during the season.

A life-long New Jerseyan, Gruninger was born in East Orange, attended Scotch Plains High School, taught and coached at Rahway High School, earned a master's degree from Rutgers in 1961, and has been a member of the Rutgers administration since 1959. In 1965, he began his career in intercollegiate athletic administration and his athletic ties to the State of New Jersey have been long and continuous, spanning some 35 years as a student athlete, coach and administrator.

Following military service, Gruninger first returned to Rahway High School and then to Rutgers as Executive Director of the Rutgers Fund, then becoming Executive Secretary of the Rutgers Alumni Association and Associate Director of the alumni group. In 1964, he became a member of the athletic administration as Assistant to the Director charged with coordinating and cultivating the secondary school recruitment program for all sports.

Gruninger was named Assistant Athletic Director in 1968, and, three years later, was appointed Associate Athletic Director.

In addition to his administrative duties, Gruninger coached the Scarlet golf team between 1963 and 1972, recording a 109-30-2 mark and taking both teams and individuals to numerous post-season tournaments. He was also a member of the International Association of Basketball Officials and the intercollegiate official's organization for a period of 16 years until his appointment as Director of Athletics.

The energetic and enthusiastic administrator has held numerous offices in state, regional and national athletic organizations. He recently served as a member of the Board of Directors of the College Football Association (CFA) and also was on the Director's Board of the Major Independent Football Association. He is presently a member of the NCAA Post-Season Football Committee.

Locally, Gruninger has served as a member of the board of directors for the Raritan Valley Chamber of Commerce, the Heart Fund and the Multiple Sclerosis Fund and was a member of his Township Greenacres Committee. He serves on the tournament committee of the New Jersey State Golf Association.

A resident of Martinsville, Gruninger is the efficient manager of programs that involve over 1,000 studentathletes and over 100 full and part-time coaches and support staff members.

Gruninger and his wife, Barbara, are the parents of two sons — Mark, a graduate student in Ceramic Engineering at Rutgers and Jack, a Bridgewater-Raritan East student active in football, basketball and golf. Daughter Katherine is a recent graduate of Lafayette College and was captain of the Lafayette women's basketball team in 1984-85.

1985 RUTGERS BASEBALL PREVIEW

Coming off a season which Rutgers recorded its most victories (25) in the school's history, head coach Fred Hill and the Scarlet Knights enter the 1986 campaign with great optimism.

Entering his third season as the Scarlet skipper, Hill has witnessed improvement since he stepped on campus - from a 13-21 mark in 1984 to a 25-15 record last year.

"We are very pleased the way everything has gone so far. Setting a school record for wins in '85 is certainly a positive step in the right direction,' says Hill. Our goal is to build upon that and continue our progress."

Rutgers will field a much improved team from last season with a pitching staff that is a year older and a potent lineup which includes newcomer Glen Gardner of Somerville. Although the team has improved so has the schedule.

"I think our team will be improved over last year however our schedule will be much more difficult. This is the toughest since I've been here and probably the toughest ever at Rutgers."

The Scarlet Knights will open the season with a three-game series in North Carolina against the Tar Heels and then will travel to Florida to engage in an 11-game swing in the Sunshine State where they will tackle NCAA Champions Miami, ranked third in the nation by **Baseball America** and Maine University, a perennial national power, ranked 25th in the country.

RU will also battle local rivals including St. John's, Princeton, Montclair State and Rider and must fight in the Atlantic 10 Conference with the likes of Temple, Massachusetts, and St. Joseph's.

While glancing at the Rutgers' roster the initials "Sr." are not present. That is due to the fact that there are no seniors on Hill's squad. Rutgers may be young but it is not short of experience or talent.

"We feel pretty good about the season," states Hill. With not having any seniors, this is a year we can improve our record and at the same time get experience for younger players to continue our progress toward an outstanding program."

Last season Rutgers was edged out by Massachusets for the final playoff birth in the Atlantic 10. UMass squeaked by Rutgers in the final league contest of the year to earn the spot. This season Hill feels his squad will be even more competitive in the conference and the race to the NCAA's.

"We have set three goals for 1986," says Hill. Be competitive in the league and reach the playoffs, win our conference and therefore get an NCAA bid and to be competitive in the NCAA's."

Here is a look at the 1986 Scarlet Knights:

HITTING

Rutgers will show a lineup that has speed, consistency and power which adds up to more run production. The Knights will be led by junior Paul Schwendel. A two-year starter, Schwendel led the team in six offensive categories last season including hits (52) and RBI's (45). Teaming up with Schwendel will be sophomore Steve Hooey. Hooey gives the Knights long ball potential. He led the Knights in hitting last spring with a .398 average and finished ninth in batting in the Atlantic 10 Conference. The steady bat of Sam Ferretti will also add to the attack. The sophomore hit .336 in his initial campaign with nine doubles and two triples. He also showed some power with two home runs. With the quality bats of juniors Sean Kauffman, Joe Lynch and Scott Trochim in the lineup, Rutgers will possess a solid and potentially dangerous offensive attack.

PITCHING

Coach Norm Schoenig's hard work payed off last season as the RU pitching staff finished fourth in the Atlantic 10 with a 5.34 ERA. This year that mark could improve. Rutgers returns its top two winners of last year in Bob MacDonald and Noel Gluck. MacDonald went 4-3 last spring while Gluck led all pitchers with a 6-1 mark. Overall, RU returns seven pitchers which had a combined record of 19-7 in '85. Joining MacDonald and Gluck in the starting rotation will be Darrin Winston. Winston emerged as one of the leaders in the staff last year splitting time as a starter and reliever. He was 3-0 and was third in the conference in ERA allowing just 2.57 runs per nine innings. The bullpen will miss Matt Shaffery, who graduated. Shaffery racked up four saves and had a 3-2 record. But there are strong arms in the bullpen to pick up the slack. Sophomore Dan Lengyel will be the number one man out of the bullpen and sophomores Jose Gonzales, Dave Bauer and Gary Geraghty and junior Len Sutton will also be called upon.

INFIELD

There will be a different look in the infield this season - the familiar face of four-year starter Tony Grunhauser is gone at shortstop. Sophomore Sam Ferretti will move over from second to fill the gap left by Grundhauser. Ferretti made just eight errors last season for a .956 fielding average and was second on the team in assists with 81. Freshman Neil Kurtz, who had a solid fall campaign defensively will start at second. The corners are well-guarded by Scott Trochim and Paul Johnson. Trochim, at third base, had an .888 fielding percentage last season and finished third in assists with 80. Johnson made only five errors at first last year. An excellent defensive first baseman. Freshman Mark Ozoroski will be ready to step in at either of the two positions up the middle and Glen Gardner will see action at first base.

OUTFIELD

Two "veterans" will make up two thirds of the outfield. Juniors Paul Schwendel and Sean Kauffman will patrol left and centerfield, respectively. Sophomore Steve Hooey will start in rightfield. Kauffman possesses excellent speed and has an outstanding arm. Committed just one error last season for a .985 fielding percentage. Schwendel also made one error in '85 for a .975 fielding mark. Used most of the season as a designated hitter, Hooey had just eight putouts last year with no errors.

CATCHERS

Gary Resetar missed all of last season due to illness but is back to battle junior Joe Lynch for the catching job. Both are capable of handling the young pitching staff. Freshman Eugene Casaleggio will back up Lynch and Resetar.

1986 RUTGERS SCARLET KNIGHTS



Front Row: (Left to Right) - Paul Schwendel, Sean Kauffman. Len Sutton, Bob MacDonald, Joe Balducci, Joe Lynch

(captain), Mike Parrish, Head Coach Fred Hill

Second Row: Neil Kurtz, Mike Peto, Dan Lengyel, Noel Gluck, Scott Gottko, Sam Ferretti,

Assistant Coach Norm Schoenig, Assistant Coach John Seymour.

Third Row: Gary Resetar, Glen Gardner, Rick Cordero, Mark Ozoroski, Darrin Winston, Jose Gonzales, Dave Bauer.

Fourth Row: Paul Johnson, Steve Hooey, Mike Greco, Gary Geraghty, Gene Casaleggio, John Reuter, Marty O'Brien.

1986 RUTGERS BASEBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Class	B/T	Height	Weight	Hometown
26	Balducci, Joe	P	ON.VA	R-R	6-2	185	Sufferin, NY
9	Bauer, David	P C	So.	R-R	5-9	165	Hanover Park
28	Casaleggio, Gene	Ċ	Fr.	R-R	6-0	195	Franklin Lakes
5	Cordero, Rick	INF	Fr.	R-R	5-11	170	Jersey City
7	Ferretti, Sam	INF	So.	R-R	5-10	170	Rutherford
29	Gardner, Glen	OF	Fr.	L-R	6-1	195	Somerville
13	Geraghty, Gary	Р	So.	R-R	5-10	165	Nutley
12	Gluck, Noel	Р	So.	R-R	5-10	160	Montville
11	Gonzales, Jose	Р	So.	R-R	6-0	175	Jersey City
17	Gottko, Scott	Р	Fr.	R-R	6-0	180	Bayonne
33	Greco, Mike	Р	Fr.	R-R	6-1	180	Parsippany
14	Hooey, Steve	OF	So.	R-R	6-2	195	West Orange
31	Johnson, Paul	INF	So.	R-R	6-2	175	Emerson
34	-Kauffman, Sean	OF	Jr.	R-R	6-1	180	Toms River
4	Kurtz, Neil	INF	Fr.	R-R	5-7	165	Union
19	Lengyel, Dan	Р	So.	R-R	5-10	170	Franklin
15	Lynch, Joe	C	Jr.√	L-R	5-11	195	Pequannock
22	MacDonald, Bob	Р	Jr. 🗸	L-L	6-2	185	Lavallett
6	Ozoroski, Mark	INF	Fr.	R-R	5-10	160	Festerville, PA
18	Parrish, Mike	OF	Fr.	✓ R-R	5-8	160	Westfield
10	Peto, Mike	INF	Fr.	R-R	6-0	180	Toms River
20	Resetar, Gary	С	Fr.	L-R	6-2	190	Bayonne
25	Schwendel, Paul	OF	Jr. ✓	L-L	5-10	180	Jefferson
16	Sutton, Len	P	Jr.	R-R	6-0	180	Trenton
27	Trochim, Scott	INF	Jr. 🗸	R-R	5-9	165	Bridgewater
30	Winston, Darrin	Р	So.	L-L	6-0	190	Edison

"We built a top program at Montclair. Now we are moving on to a Division I school with a competitive schedule, excellent academic reputation and top flight facilities, the challenge is there." - Head coach Fred Hill in his first season at RU.

In August of 1983 Fred Hill began his quest to build a top notch program on the Banks of the Raritan River. Now, just two and a half years later, no one is surprised at the great success Hill has endured in his first two seasons - and the best is yet to come.

Success is nothing new to the Scarlet skipper, it is something he has enjoyed throughout his playing and coaching career. Whatever he has previously touched has turned to gold. That trend has continued at Rutgers.

In his first season in New Brunswick, Hill took the reigns of an unfamiliar group of players and went 13-21, winning seven of its last 10 games. Last year was a banner year for the Scarlet as the squad raced to a 25-15 record, the most wins ever by a Rutgers baseball team. The Knights failed to qualify for the Atlantic 10 playoffs by one game, losing to Massachusetts on the final day of league play.

"We are pleased the way everything has gone so far," says Hill

about the vast upward direction the program is headed. "Setting a school record for wins in '85 is certainly a positive step in the right direction. Our goal is to build upon that, continue our progress and build upon the '85 season."

Building a baseball power is commonplace for Hill. Before coming to Rutgers, Hill guided the Montclair State program and built it into one of the finest Division III programs in the nation. He spent seven years with the Indians where he compiled a 148-91-2 record. The highlight of his seven-year stint came in 1983 when the Indians finished 31-14 and won the Mid-Atlantic Regional Championships. For his efforts, Hill was named NCAA Division III Coach of the Year.

In addition to his baseball duties, Hill also was in command of Montclair's football program, putting together a 52-16-4 career record.

A 1957 graduate of Upsala College, Hill enjoyed tremendous success as an undergraduate, earning 11 varsity letters in three sports. In baseball, Hill received four letters and saw his best season as a junior by leading Upsala in hitting.

In football, the little running back was Upsala's leading rusher for four seasons as well as its leading scorer three times. For his accomplishments, he was named Most Valuable Back for the 1954, 1955 and 1956 seasons and capped off his career by being honored as a little All-American.

In basketball, Hill earned three varsity letters and garnered the Most Improved Player award in 1957. For all of his work, Upsala named Hill the Most Outstanding Athlete in 1955, 1956, and 1957.

Upon graduation, Hill began his coaching career after a brief stint with the Washington Senators. He returned to his alma mater in 1959 to assume the coaching duties of the freshman baseball team. At the same time, he served on the coaching staff at the East Orange Soverals, a semipro league in the Essex County league.

After a year, Hill went to the high school level to be an assistant at his old haunt, Clifford Scott High School in East Orange. After serving as an assistant for five years, Hill took control of the program in 1965 and led Scott to a six-year mark of 94-58, including two State sectional championships. While at Scott, Hill also served as its head football coach from 1966 to 1970.

In 1970, Hill moved on to Pequannock High School where he was head football coach. Hill stayed at Pequannock for four years before going back to Upsala as an assistant baseball coach. He remained at Upsala until 1977 when he took over at Montclair State.

Now, at Rutgers, it is just a matter of time before the Scarlet Knights begin to reap the benefits of Fred Hill's many years of baseball knowledge. Known for his hard work and dedication, one can always find Fred Hill at the batting cage, bullpen or his office. No matter where, he'll be talking baseball.

Fred and his wife, Evelyn, reside in Verona and have six children, Nancy, Fred, Linda, Jim, Tracey, and Karen.

Hill will be assisted by Norm Schoenig, John Seymour and Duane Stupienski

FRED HILL'S COACHING RECORD

1977	Montclair St.	17-12	.587
1978	Montclair St.	21-12	.636
1979	Montclair St.	17-15	.531
1980	Montclair St.	19-14	.576
1981	Montclair St.	18-10	.643
1982	Montclair St.	25-14-1	.641
1983	Montclair St.	31-14-1	.689
1984	Rutgers	13-21	.382
1985	Rutgers	25-15	.625
	d at Rutgers o years)	38-36	.514
Overa	III Record	186-127-2	.591

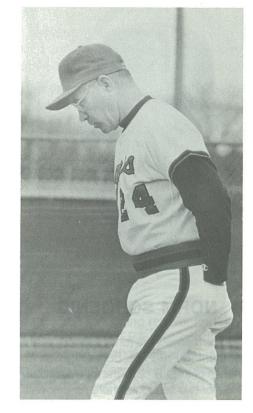
WHAT THEY ARE SAYING ABOUT FRED HILL

"If I was in a foxhole, he's the guy I want right next to me. He's done a good job at Rutgers and I think they will be a force to be reckoned with in years to come." -Jeff Albies Head Baseball Coach at William Paterson College.

"Fred is bringing a top-rank program to our community. Rutgers has developed, under Fred, into a very successful program and is headed towards a top-flight program. He is doing so much for the youth in this area. He is a fantastic coach, very knowledgeable, and is very available for speaking engagements and clinics. There is no question that Rutgers is going to enjoy tremendous success." - Fred Cole, Head Baseball Coach Madison Central High School (Old Bridge, N.J.)

i'I think he's doing an excellent job. He's an excellent recruiter and a great coach. There's going to be a lot more success at Rutgers like the '85 season when they set the school record for most wins. He obviously has improved the program and he will continue to improve the program. He is a heck of a competitor. You know when you play his team your playing against a well-coached team and it is going to be a battle.'' - Sonny Pittaro, Head Baseball Coach Rider College.

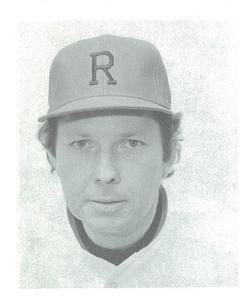
"Freddie is a great competitor and a great motivator and an excellent recruiter as well. He obviously has improved the Rutgers program and will continue to do so. He's always been a hard worker and very aggressive." - Ed Lyons, Head Baseball Coach Upsala College.



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NORM SCHOENIG

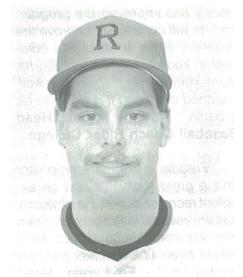
Norm enters his tenth season as an assistant to Fred Hill. Schoenig was in charge of the "B" program at Montclair State for two seasons where he enjoyed tremendous success. He then took over the responsibility of developing the pitching staff and did an excellent job in that capacity. Norm then moved on to Rutgers with Fred Hill and, again, was in charge of the pitching corp as well as coaching the third base line. The Montclair State graduate is also involved in recruiting and is in charge of the Rutgers summer baseball program.

Schoenig is a graduate of Fairlawn High School in New Jersey where he lettered in baseball. He moved on to Bergen County Community College and enjoyed a stellar baseball career in 1969 and 1970 being named to the All-Region 19 All-Star team in his final season. After two years at BCCC, Norm enrolled at Montclair State where he patrolled the outfield from 1971-1973.

Norm resides in Verona with his wife, Pat, and daughter Janine.

Fred Hill on Schoenig: "Norm is a very fine baseball man. He is an extremely hard worker and leaves no detail unturned. Norm is a very knowledgeable pitching coach and has the patience to work with our young

pitchers and succeed. He has done an outstanding job evident by last year's success. We are looking for our staff to have another outstanding year under Norm's tutelage."



JOHN SEYMOUR

John Seymour, who played under Fred Hill for two seasons at Montclair State, begins his first season as an assistant at the State University. A three-year varsity performer, John had a .338 career batting average with 64 RBI's, 14 doubles, and six home runs while playing on a team that had a combined record of 88-40-3. The Cinnaminson, N.J. native played in two college World Series with the Indians which included a third place finish in 1984. In that year, John hit .363 with 11 doubles and 31 RBI's and cracked two homers, one of which beat William Paterson in the conference playoffs. For his outstanding achievements in '84, John was named a member of the District All-America

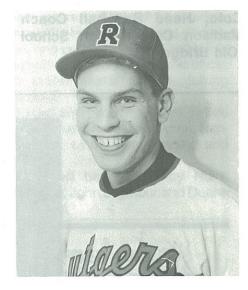
In the fall of 1984, Seymour served as a junior varsity coach at Montclair before stepping up to an assistant on the varsity level in 1985 when the Indians went 36-12-1 and finished fourth in the Division III College World Series.

A soccer and baseball standout at Cinnaminson H.S., John was named to

the All-State soccer team and garnered All-Burlington County honors in baseball. In the summer of his senior year, the first baseman played on the Burlington Babe Ruth All Star Team, which placed third in the national tournament.

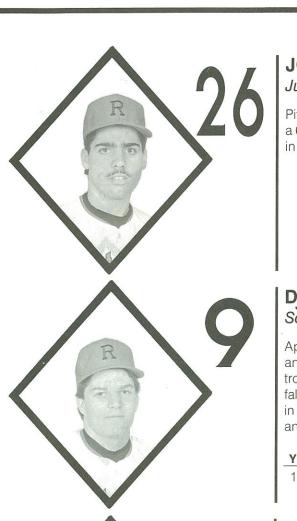
At Rutgers, John will assist coach Hill with the varsity outfielders and will manage the "B" team.

Fred Hill on Seymour: "John is definitely a fine addition to our program. After playing for me at Montclair State, he has the understanding of my philosophy. He's a hard-working and dedicated baseball man. There is no doubt in my mind he will develop our young players so they can contribute on the varsity level."



DUANE STUPIENSKI

Duane returns to the Banks as a graduate assistant coach after playing four seasons for the Scarlet Knights. The Woodcliff Lake resident pitched for three seasons at Rutgers compiling a 4-6 record with one save. He struck out 71 batters in 75 innings and had two complete games to his credit. In 1985, Stupienski changed roles. Playing third base and being used as a pinch hitter, Duane hit .294 in 17 plate appearances which included one triple and seven RBI's.



JOSEPH BALDUCCI

Junior, Pitcher, Suffern, N.Y.

Pitched for Rockland County College last year where he led the squad with a 6-1 record. Was 1-1 for Rutgers in the fall campaign striking out 10 batters in 14 innings. Will be used as a reliever in 1986

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER

DAVID BAUER

Sophomore, Pitcher, Hanover Park, N.J.

Appeared in six games in 1985 as a starter and late inning reliever and did an outstanding job compiling a 3-0 record with a 3.71 ERA. Has good control with an excellent breaking pitch and a good fastball. Went 3-0 in the fall. Will be used in the starting rotation. Was a First Team All State selection in his senior year at Hanover Park High School with a perfect 10-0 mark and 0.54 ERA.

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GENE CASALEGGIO

Freshman, Catcher, Franklin Lakes, N.J.

Injured most of his senior season but returned to help Ramapo High School to an outstanding season. He has a good arm and is a good reliever. Hit .280 in the fall and showed a quick bat and long ball potential. Also played fullback on the Ramapo football squad.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER

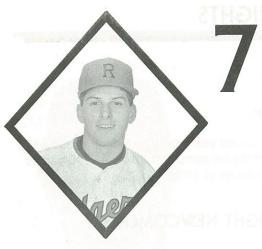
RICK CORDERO

Freshman, Infield, Jersey City, N.J.

Showed his versatility in the fall playing three positions in the infield. Showed good fielding skills and an excellent arm. Hit .310 and displayed some power with the varsity and "B" team. While at St. Peter's, Ricky was named to the All State Parochial Team. Also pitched in his senior year compiling a 10-4 record.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER





SAM FERRETTI

Sophomore, Infielder, Rutherford, N.J.

Turned in a fine freshman year. Was named All-State University Division second baseman and participated in the North-South All-Star game. Among leaders in the Atlantic 10 in RBI's (31) and stolen bases (10). Hit .336 a year ago which included nine doubles, two triples and three home runs. An excellent defensive player with an outstanding arm. Equally dependable at shortstop and second. Played football, basketball and baseball at Rutherford High School and was named to the All-Area and All-County teams in each. Will be a key for Rutgers both on offense and defense.

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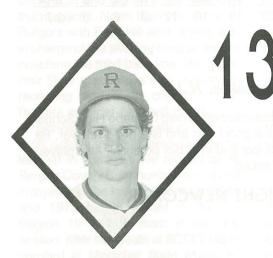


GLEN GARDNER

Freshman, Outfield, Somerville, N.J.

Glen enters Rutgers with outstanding credentials. At Immaculata High School, Glen was an All-State football player as well as an All-State outfielder in 1985. Was also named to the New York Daily News All-Metropolitan Team and was Somerset County Player of the Year last spring when he hit .673 with 55 RBI's and 15 round-trippers. He also hit safely in 15 consecutive at bats. Had a fine fall season hitting .354 with a team-leading 25 RBI's and 28 hits. Will be used extensively in the outfield and as a designated hitter. Will add power to the RU lineup.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER



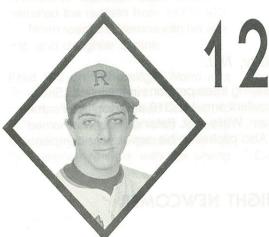
GARY GERAGHTY

Sophomore, Pitcher, Nutley, N.J.

Showed a lot of improvement after a fine summer season. Pitched in six games this fall and struck out eight batters in 10 innings of work. Seems to have found consistency to go along with a good fastball. Will be used in long and short relief. Was an outstanding split end at Nutley High School.

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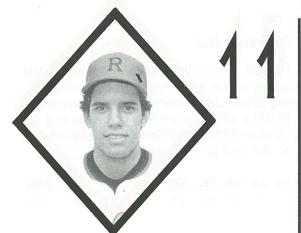
NOEL GLUCK

Sophomore, Pitcher, Montville, N.J.

Turned in an outstanding freshman season with a 6-1 record. Led team in strikeouts (33), innings pitched (56.2) and wins. Tied for team lead in complete games (2) and starts (9). Has excellent control with a good fastball and breaking pitch. Also has a superb change-up. Will be counted on for another outstanding season. Was named to the 1985 North-South All-Star game. Had a 28-7 career record at Montville High School. Will be in the starting rotation.

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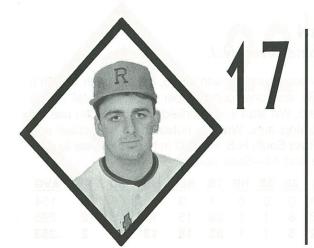


JOSE GONZALES

Sophomore, Pitcher, Jersey City, N.J.

A transfer from Fairleigh Dickinson University, Jose will add depth and experience to the Scarlet bullpen. Jose is a righthander with excellent velocity and a good breaking pitch. His experience will be a welcomed addition to RU's young pitching staff. Will be used in long and short relief situations.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER



SCOTT GOTTKO

Freshman, Pitcher, Bayonne, N.J.

Had a fine career at Bayonne where he was a battery-mate of Scarlet catcher Gary Resetar. Pitched just two innings in the fall striking out two and giving up four hits. A righthander with a good fastball, curve and changeup. Will be used in late relief situations this spring.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER

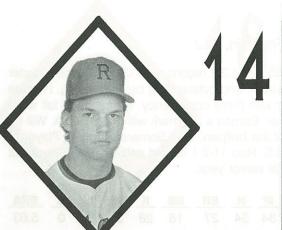


MIKE GRECO

Freshman, Pitcher, Parsippany, N.J.

Led Parsippany Hills H.S. to the county playoffs. Also was selected as an all-star in the American Legion League. Mike showed a good fastball and breaking pitch in the fall when he struck out 10 batters in eight innings while giving up only three hits. Will be used in short relief.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER



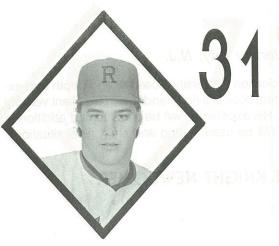
STEVE HOOEY

Sophomore, Outfielder, West Orange, N.J.

Led the Scarlet Knights in hitting last season with a .398 average. Drove in 29 runs and had four doubles and one triple while also belting five homeruns. Participated in the North-South All-Star Game. Among leaders in the Atlantic 10 in hitting and homeruns. Showed tremendous improvement defensively during the season. Has an excellent arm. Turned in a good fall hitting .350. Was an All-Stater at West Orange H.S. where he hit .575. Was also outstanding punter and linebacker at West Orange. Will start in right field.

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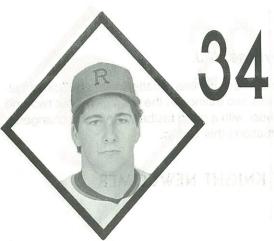
PAUL JOHNSON

Sophomore, Infielder, Emerson, N.J.

Starter at first base in 1985. Hit .333 with 27 RBI's. Excellent defensive first baseman with an outstanding arm. Has a sharp eye at the plate which accounted for 25 BB's last spring. Showed consistency and improvement in the fall by hitting .350 with 10 RBI's. Hit game-winning home run in a 4-2 win over Temple last spring. Was an All-State, All-County and All-Area performer while at Emerson H.S. Will start at first base.

 YEAR
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 .333



SEAN KAUFFMAN

Junior, Outfielder, Toms River, N.J.

Started in centerfield last season until hit with mono. Hit .295 with 15 RBI's and six doubles, one triple, and one round-tripper. Had a fine fall outing upping his average to .340. Will start in centerfield where he can use his excellent speed and throwing arm. Was an outstanding basketball and baseball player at Toms River South H.S. Hit .432 in his senior year to capture All-County, All-Shore and All—State honors.

YEAR	G	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	TB	RBI	BB	SO	SB	AVG
1984	14	26	4	4	0	0	0	4	3	3	6	0	.154
1985	19	61	20	18	6	1	1	29	15	10	10	2	.295
Total													



NEIL KURTZ

Freshman, Infielder, Union, N.J.

Another 1985 All-Stater who joined the Scarlet Knights. Had an outstanding career in high school where he hit .458 with 32 RBI's and 40 runs scored. Also belted 14 doubles, two triples and four home runs. Had 19 stolen bases in 21 attempts. Showed good hands and range in the fall at second base. Was also All-County and All-State in soccer and was an outstanding guard on the basketball team.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER

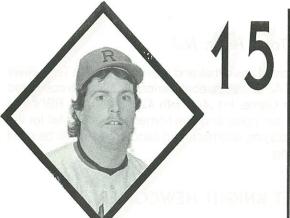


DAN LENGYEL

Sophomore, Pitcher, Franklin, N.J.

Turned in a fine season in '85 with a 3-2 record. Was used both as a starter and reliever. Has a good fastball and outstanding breaking pitch. Has the potential to be a big winner with more consistency. Had a good fall while being used as a short reliever. Earned a 2-0 mark with a 3.21 ERA. Will be the number one man out of the bullpen. Was Somerset County Player of the Year while at Franklin H.S. Had 11-2-1 record and hit .358. Struck out 127 batters in 97 innings his senior year.

YEAR	APP	GS	GC	IP	_H_	ER	BB	K	W	L	S	ERA
1985	8	7	1	34	34	27	18	28	3	2	0	5.03

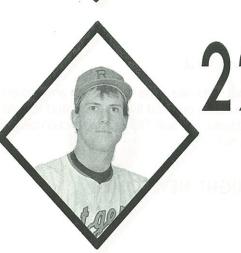


JOE LYNCH

Junior, Catcher, Pequannock, N.J.

Was starting catcher in 1985. Led team in walks with 33. Hit three home runs and drove in 28 runs to go along with a .275 batting average. Hard worker who has improved a great deal as a catcher. Lefthanded hitter with a quick bat and good power. Joe had a fine fall campaign putting together a .340 average with 13 RBI's. Participated in both football and baseball at Pequannock H.S. Will be used as both a catcher and designated hitter this spring.

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ı	YEAR	G	AB	R	H	2B	<u>3B</u>	HR	TB	RBI	BB	SO	SB	AVG
	1984	16	31	5	6	1	0	0	7	5	4	6	0	.194
	1985	40	135	22	35	3	0	3	47	28	33	14	6	.259
	Totals	56	166	27	41	4	0	3	54	33	37	20	6	.247



BOB MacDONALD

Junior, Pitcher, Lavallett, N.J.

Bob paced the Scarlet staff last year with nine starts. Was tied for team lead with 33 strikeouts to go with his 4-3 record. Was also a participant in the North-South All-Star Game. Was among the leaders in the ATC in strikeouts. Bob has an excellent fastball with good movement. Has a much-improved breaking pitch. Pitched very well in the fall going 2-1 and striking out 20 batters in 23 innings. Bob was an All-Shore and All-State performer at Point Pleasant Beach. Had a 10-1 record as a senior.

YEAR	APP	GS	GC	IP_	H	ER	BB	K	W	L	S	ERA
1984	8	8	5	52	46	24	48	28	5	3	0	4.15
1985	10	9	1	50	61	43	41	33	4	3	0	7.74
Totals	18	17	6	102	107	67	89	61	9	6	0	5.91



MARK OZOROSKI

Freshman, Infielder, Festerville, Pa.

Mark was a member of the Scarlet Knights soccer team this fall. Was an excellent soccer and baseball player at Neshamey H.S. Has fine defensive skills and an outstanding arm. Hit .385 for Neshamey leading his team to a playoff birth. Will be used as a shortstop and second baseman this year.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER

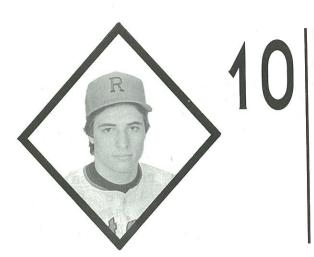


MIKE PARRISH

Sophomore, Outfielder, Westfield, N.J.

Will move up to varsity after spending 1985 on the "B" team. Has good speed and a very accurate throwing arm. He turned in a fine fall hitting .296 while playing all the outfield positions. Will add depth to the outfield and will also be used as a designated runner.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER

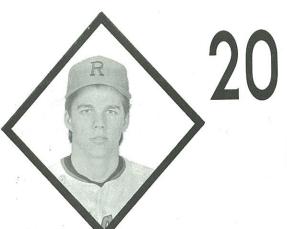


MIKE PETO

Freshman, Infielder, Toms River, N.J.

Was an outstanding high school basketball and baseball player at Toms River North. Was All-County and All-Shore baseball performer and also competed in the North-South All-Star Game. Hit .449 with 42 hits and 17 RBI's. He also collected 10 doubles, six triples and one homer. Had a fine fall for the Knights hitting .367 while playing shortstop and second base. Will be used in both positions this spring.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER



GARY RESETAR

Freshman, Catcher, Bayonne, N.J.

Missed the 1985 season with mono. Returned in the fall and had an excellent season. Hit .463 driving in 14 runs. Also cracked five doubles and a triple. Handles the pitchers very well and has a fine arm. Gary will see action behind the plate and as a designated hitter.

SCARLET KNIGHT NEWCOMER

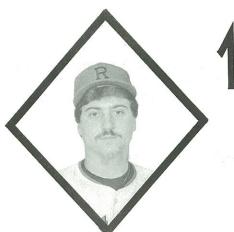


PAUL SCHWENDEL

Junior, Outfielder, Jefferson, N.J.

A two-year starter in the outfield. Led team in six offensive categories - hits (52), triples (3) and RBI's (45). Was among leaders in Atlantic 10 in hitting, doubles, home runs and RBI's. Had a productive fall campaign hitting at a .378 clip with eight doubles. Will start in leftfield in '86. Was an All-County and All-State standout at Jefferson H.S. Hit .508 with 10 homers and 26 RBI's in his senior year.

YEAR	G	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	TB	RBI	BB	SO	SB	AVG	
1984	22	100	10	30	3	3	0	43	13	4	7	2	.275	
1984	40	1/17	31	52	12	3	6	88	45	23	26	1	.354	
Totals	73	256	41	82	15	6	6	131	58	27	33	3	.320	



LEN SUTTON

Junior, Pitcher, Trenton, N.J.

Was tied for team lead in appearances with 13. Finished 1-0 in 1985 as a long and short reliever. Will be back for his third year and will be used in the same roll. Len has an excellent curveball and has improved his fastball. Will give Scarlet Knights experience and poise in the bullpen.

YEAR	APP	GS	GC	IP	Н	ER	BB	K	W	L	S	ERA
1984	7	0	0	22	21	11	12	18	2	1	0	4.44
1985	13	0	0	29	26	21	27	20	1	1	0	6.58
Totals	20	0	0	51	47	32	39	38	3	2	0	5.65

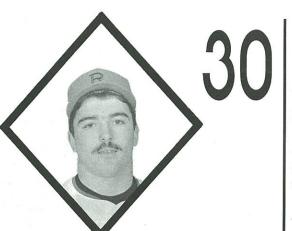


SCOTT TROCHIM

Junior, Infielder, Bridgewater, N.J.

Had an excellent '85 season starting at third base. Hit .336 with 29 RBI's, six doubles, three triples and two home runs. Scott also had 29 base on balls hitting in the fifth spot in the lineup. Possesses an outstanding arm and is an excellent baserunner. Scott continued his progress by hitting .300 in the fall with 11 RBI's and 26 runs scored. He will occupy the "hot corner" again this season for Fred Hill.

YEAR	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	TB	RBI	BB	SO	SB	AVG
1984	17	31	4	6	3	1	0	11	4	12	9 ·	0	.194
1985	39	134	31	45	6	3	2	63	29	29	16	2	.336
Totals	56	165	35	51	9	4	2	74	33	41	25	2	.309



DARRIN WINSTON

Sophomore, Pitcher, Edison, N.J.

Darrin emerged as one of the leaders of the staff last season splitting time between a starter and reliever. Will be a starter this season. Compiled a 3-0 record and was third in the Atlantic 10 in ERA allowing just 2.57 runs per nine innings. Was also ranked in the Top 10 in saves. Led or was tied for team honors in complete games, fewest runs and ERA. Has the poise, experience and athletic ability to become one of the top pitchers in the conference. Was named Player of the Year in Middlesex County in his senior year at Bishop Ahr where he had a 9-2 record with 98 strikeouts and a 0.88 ERA.

YEAR	APP	GS	GC	_IP_	<u>H</u>	ER	BB	<u>K</u>	W	L	S	ERA
1985	12	3	2	35	38	10	16	22	2	0	2	2.57



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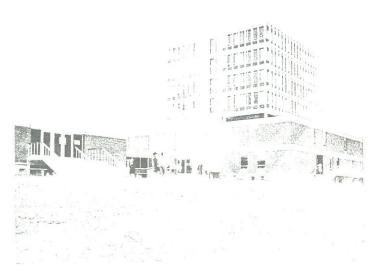
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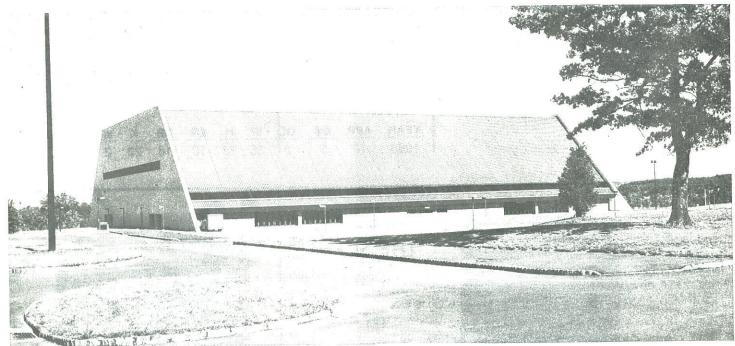
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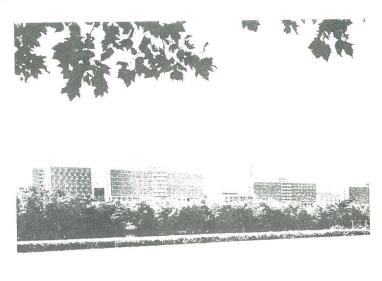
Left to Right: Gene Wells, Jack Grund, Pat Manning



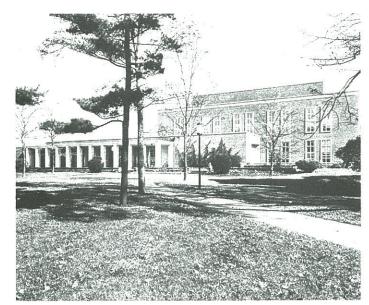


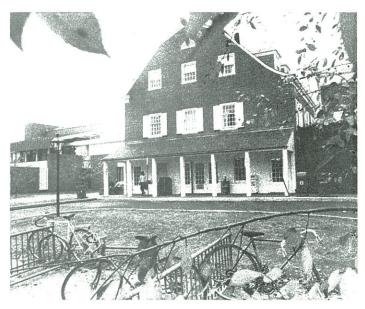




















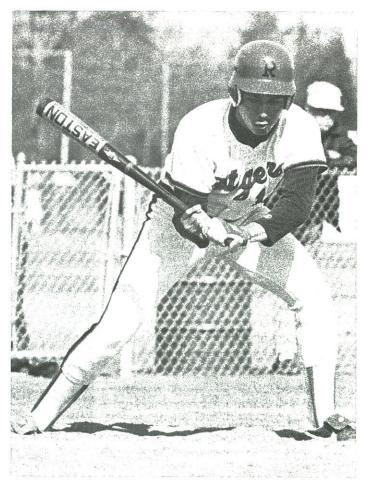


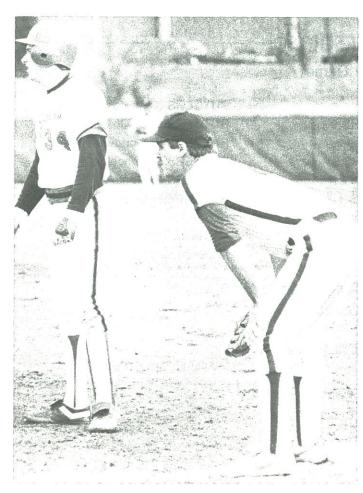




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1985 SCARLET KNIGHTS REVIEW

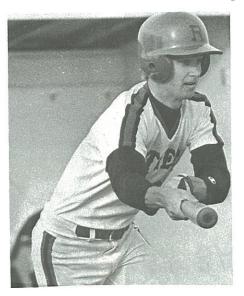
It was a record-breaking year for the 1985 Rutgers baseball squad. The Scarlet Knights won the most games by a Rutgers baseball team in the history of the program finishing with an impressive 25-15 record. In the process RU set seven offensive records.

The Knights hit more home runs than any Rutgers team smacking 28 round-tripper. The squad also set new marks in doubles (74), hits, (414), RBI's (297), walks (243), and batting average (.320).

Fred Hill's corp finished third in the Eastern Division of the Atlantic 10 Conference with a 6-6 record and was one game away of clinching a playoff spot in the league's postseason championship.

Rutgers began the season winning four of nine games in Florida including a 22-1 whitewashing of Florida Memorial. Hill's troops found New Jersey to be a much nicer place as they returned

home and reeled off four straight victories before bowing to Penn State, 16-5, in the first game of a twin bill. But RU answered back in the second game with an 8-7 win over the Nittany Lions.



SCOTT TROCHIM

With the season at the mid-point Rutgers' record sat a hair over .500 with an 11-10 mark but the Knights won five games in a row scoring 61 runs in those five contests. In the next week, RU went 1-3 and then, again, chalked up five consecutive W's to raise its record to 22-13.

While the Knights were enjoying a stellar season, the Atlantic 10 Conference race was heating up and the mighty Scarlet were entrenched in the war. They travelled up to Massachusetts to play the Minutemen in a crusial threegame series. Rutgers was one game behind UMass for the final playoff birth. RU needed to win two of the three to earn the right to play top-seeded Temple in the playoffs. Rutgers won the first game, 7-2, but lost the last two in close contests, 9-6 and 10-8.

Refusing to fold, the Scarlet Knights returned and won their last two games to finish the season at 25-15.

1985 RESULTS

(Game by Game)

Southern Illinois, 15, RUTGERS 7
RUTGERS 22, Florida Memorial 1
Miami 9, RUTGERS 3
RUTGERS 8, Michigan State 6
RUTGERS 6, Florida Memorial 4
RUTGERS 8, St. Thomas-Villanova 2
Florida International 8, RUTGERS 3
Florida International 2, RUTGERS 0
Florida Atlantic 14, RUTGERS 3
RUTGERS 25, Monmouth 7
RUTGERS 8, Upsala 7
RUTGERS 11, Fordham 4
RUTGERS 20, Bucknell 5
Penn State 16, RUTGERS 5
RUTGERS 8, Penn State 7

LIU 10, RUTGERS 5
NY Tech 9, RUTGERS 6
RUTGERS 11, Wager 6
Temple 15, RUTGERS 3
RUTGERS 4, Temple 2
Temple 5, RUTGERS 4
RUTGERS 8, Lehigh 6
RUTGERS 13, St. Peter's 1
RUTGERS 23, Columbia 13
RUTGERS 5, Rhode Island 3
RUTGERS 12, Rhode Island 3
RUTGERS 4, Adelphi 2
St. John's 5, RUTGERS 4
St. Joseph's 6, RUTGERS 5

RUTGERS 5, St. Joseph's 2 RUTGERS 8, St. Joseph's 7 RUTGERS 6, Florida Memorial 4
RUTGERS 9, Princeton 4
RUTGERS 3, Montclair 1
William Paterson 5, RUTGERS 4
RUTGERS 7, Massachusetts 2 Massachusetts 9, RUTGERS 6 Massachusetts 10, RUTGERS 8 RUTGERS 13, Fairleigh Dickinson 2
RUTGERS 16, Lafayette 4

✓ Atlantic Ten Game

1985 RUTGERS FINAL STATISTICS

RECORD (25-15) — HOME (14-4) — AWAY (11-11) — A-10 (6-6)

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NAME	G	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	ТВ	SLUG PCT.	НР	ВВ	K	On-Base Pct.	SB-AS	SAC	RBI	AVG.	РО	Α	Е	PCT.
Steve Hooey	32	98	29	39	4	1	5	60	.612	1	12	17	.469	3-4	0	29	.398	8	0	0	1.000
Tony Grundhauser	39	133	50	51	15	3	1	75	.564	1	32	6	.506	18-22	1	27	.384	58	105	9	.948
Paul Schwendel	40	147	31	52	12	3	6	88	.599	0	23	26	.441	1-4	3	45	.354	45	1	1	.976
Kevin Hobbs	18	32	8	11	2	0	0	13	.406	0	4	2	.395	0-1	2	8	.344	8	14	4	.846
Sam Ferretti	40	137	30	46	9	2	3	68	.496	3	22	20	.438	10-11	1	31	.336	93	81	8	.956
Scott Trochim	39	134	31	45	6	3	2	63	.470	0	29	16	.454	2-3	2	29	.336	93	81	14	.888
Paul Johnson	33	93	31	31	4	1	2	43	.462	3	25	17	.488	8-8	2	27	.333	270	21	5	.983
John Parak	33	85	28	26	2	2	2	38	.447	0	13	15	.398	4-5	2	21	.306	56	1	1	.983
Sean Kauffman	19	61	20	18	6	1	1	29	.475	0	10	10	.394	2-3	2	15	.295	37	0	1	.974
Duane Stupienski	13	17	5	5	0	1	0	7	.412	0	4	2	.429	1-1	1	7	.294	5	5	1	.909
John Quinn	16	25	6	7	2	0	0	9	.360	0	6	3	.419	2-2	0	4	.280	40	4	1	.978
Don McSherry	37	134	30	36	6	0	2	48	.358	1	12	12	.333	5-8	2	15	.261	70	0	2	.972
Joe Lynch	40	135	22	35	3	0	3	47	.348	2	33	14	.419	6-7	2	28	.259	170	20	3	.985
Bob Saraceno	7	8	4	2	0	1	0	4	.500	0	2	0	.400	0-0	0	1	.250	1	2	0	1.000
Jay Feigus	15	20	5	4	2	0	0	6	.300	0	12	4	.500	0-0	1	4	.200	2	0	0	1.000
C.J. Reggie	3	5	1	1	0	0	1	4	.800	0	0	1	.200	1-1	0	1	.200	3	0	0	1.000
Doug Donofrio	10	29	4	5	1	0	0	6	.207	0	4	4	.273	0-0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
John O'Connor	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Steve Redrup	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Aaron Vander Horn	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Darrin Winston	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
Rutgers Totals	40	129	338	414	74	18	28	608	.470	11	243	169	.431	63-80	22	296	.320	1002	390	56	.961
Opponents Totals	40	126	238	342	52	19	27	513	.407	9	210	196	.379	69-80	31	212	.271	963	386	82	.943

PITCHING

NAME	G	GS	CG	SO	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	K	HP	WP	BK	HR	W	L	SV	ERA	PO	Α	E	PCT.
Darrin Winston-L	12	3	2	0	34.2	38	13	10	16	22	0	3	0	0	2	0	2	2.57	2	5	0	1.000
Dave Bauer-R	6	2	0	0	28	37	18	14	10	12	0	1	0	3	3	0	0	3.71	5	3	1	.889
Noel Gluck-R	9	9	2	0	56.2	52	30	26	14	33	0	2	0	5	6	1	0	4.13	2	10	0	1.000
Aaron Vander Horn-L	13	5	2	0	52	49	31	25	34	21	1	5	0	6	2	5	1	4.33	2	10	1	.923
Dan Lengyel-R	8	7	1	0	34	34	27	19	18	28	1	0	0	6	3	2	0	5.03	2	2	1	.800
Matt Shaffery-R	13	0	0	0	23.1	23	15	15	19	13	3	1	0	1	3	2	4	5.79	4	8	0	1.000
Len Sutton-R	13	0	0	0	29	26	29	21	27	20	1	3	0	1	1	1	0	6.58	1	7	2	.800
Bob MacDonald-L	10	9	1	0	50	61	50	43	41	33	2	5	0	3	4	3	0	7.74	2	5	0	1.000
Joe Norton-R	6	5	2	0	24	20	22	22	27	14	1	7	0	2	1	- 1	0	8.25	1	2	0	1.000
Gary Geraghty	3	0	0	0	2.1	2	3	3	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	11.59	0	1	0	1.000
Rutgers Totals	40	40	10	0	334	342	238	198	210	196	9	28	0	27	25	15	7	5.34	21	53	5	*
Opponents Totals	40	40	8	1	321	414	338	284	243	169	11	26	1	28	15	25	4	7.96	8	33	9	*

Included in overall totals on reverse side

NEW JERSEY COLLEGE ALL-STATE TEAM NEW JERSEY COLLEGE ALL STAR GAME

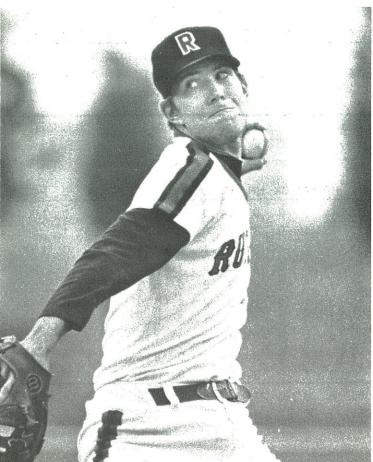
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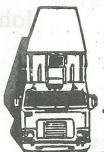
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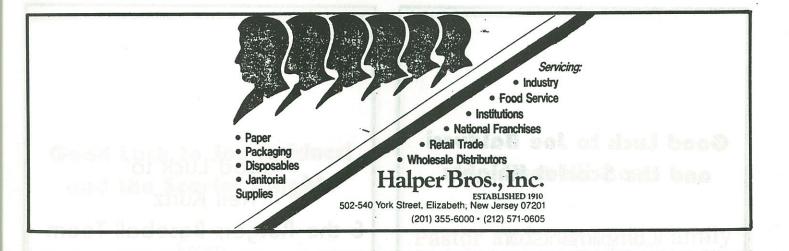
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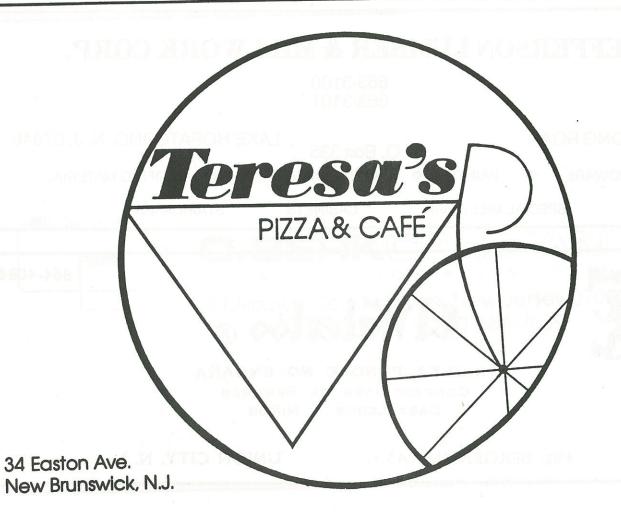




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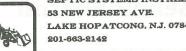
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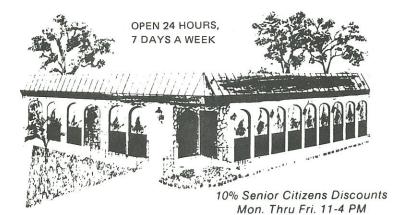
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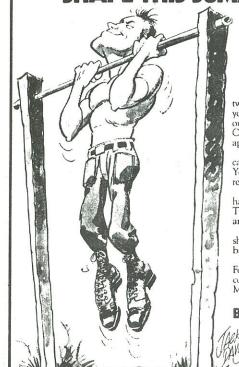
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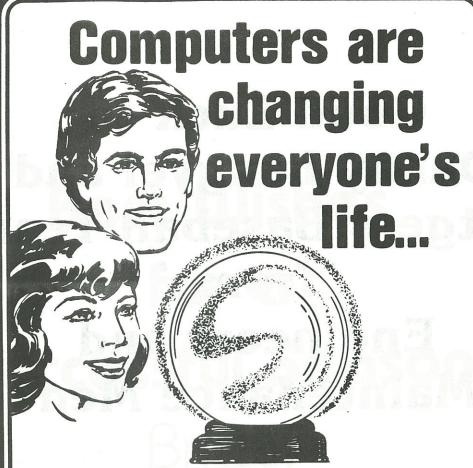
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