SOUTH CAROLINA STATE BULLDOGS

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DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
SEPTEMBER		
01	@Georgia Southern+	L, 6-37
08	@Univ. of Central Florida+	L, 0-38
22	**NORFOLK STATE**	**L, 7-17**
27	@*North Carolina A&T +	L, 16-31
OCTOBER		
06	@* Morgan State	1 p.m.
13	***BETHUNE-COOKMAN**	**2 p.m.**
20	***DELAWARE STATE**	**1:30 p.m.**
27	@ *Howard	1 p.m.
NOVEMBER		
10	@ Florida A&M	4 p.m.
17	***SAVANNAH STATE**	**1:30 p.m**
24	***NC CENTRAL#**	**TBA**

-Times, Dates are Subject to change
+ ESPN Games/Home Games Are Bold/*MEAC Games



MORGAN STATE
(1-3, 0-0 MEAC)



SC STATE
(0-4, 0-1 MEAC)

GAME # 5

GAME DAY CENTRAL

Hughes Stadium
(10,001), Baltimore, MD
Oct.6th,-1 p.m.
ESPN3

THE SERIES

The Bulldogs and Bears are meeting for the 40th time in a rivalry that began in 1971 when both schools became charter members of the MEAC. SC State holds a 31-7-1 lead in the series and has won 10 of the last 11 contests.The last time the two teams met SC State dominated with an 35-14 victory (Oct. 6th, 2017) over visiting Morgan State on ESPU.

SC STATE BULLDOGS	
2018 Record	0-4
2018 Conferenc Record:	0-1
Head Coach:	Buddy Pough
Record at SCSU:	120-68 (17th year)
	SC State, 1975
Career Record:	Same

MORGAN STATE BEARS	
2018 Record	1-3
2018 Conferenc Record:	0-0
Head Coach:	Ernest T. Jones
	Alcorn State,95
Record at MSU:	**1-3** (1st Season)

TALE OF THE TAPE

SC STATE BULLDOGS	
POINTS PER GAME:	7.2
RUSHING YDS:	520
PASSING YDS:	399
TOTAL OFFENSE:	919
FIRST DOWNS:	48
INT RETURNS:	4
PENALTIES YDS::	25-204
POSSESSION:	28:22

MORGAN STATE BEARS	
POINTS PER GAME:	15.0
RUSHING YDS:	503
PASSING YDS:	513
TOTAL OFFENSE:	1016
FIRST DOWNS:	57
INT RETURNS:	9
PENALTIES:	41-372
POSSESSION:	31:46

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COACH POUGH INTERVIEW OPPORTUNITIES
MONDAY PRESS CONFERENCE

Coach Buddy Pough holds his weekly press conferences in Staley Hall in room 225 on the campus of SC State University. The press conference will be held at 12 noon each Monday during the season. for additional information, call the Athletic Media Relations Office at 803-536-7060.

POST-GAME INTERVIEWS

Coach Pough, coaching staff, and players will be available after a brief cooling off period. home game post-game interviews are conducted either on the field or in the SC State football interview Room located adjacent to the home locker room. The visiting coach is available in the visitor locker room area, with assistance from the visiting SID.

MEAC WEEKLY TELECONFERENCE

The Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC) will host its first weekly football teleconference every Tuesday morning at 10 a.m. (ET) : **ACCESS MEDIA ONLY CODE: 1-800-931-6361 (PASSCODE 7264532)**:These are new telephone numbers for 2018 so please be mindful.

DATES FOR 2018 TELECONFERENCES:

August 28 • September 4 • September 11 • September 18 • September 25 • October 2 • October 9 • October 16 • October 23 • October 30 • November 6 • November 13 • November 20

SCHEDULE

10:00 a.m.	MEAC Notes	
10:13 a.m.	Willie Simmons	Florida A&M
10:23 a.m.	Terry Sims	Bethune-Cookman
10:33 a.m.	Rod Milstead	Delaware State
10:43 a.m.	Mike London	Howard
10:53 a.m.	Latrell Scott	Norfolk State
11:03 a.m.	Erik Raeburn	Savannah State
11:13 a.m.	**Buddy Pough**	**South Carolina State**
11:23 a.m.	Sam Washington	North Carolina A&T State
11:33 a.m.	Granville Eastman	N.C Central
11:43 a.m.	Ernest T. Jones	Morgan State

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Columbia: Kiss 103.1 WLXC-FM
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All interviews must be scheduled through the SID Office.

WEEKLY MEDIA SCHEDULE

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
No Availability	Weekly Press Conference 12 noon Coach Pough	MEAC Teleconference 10 a.m. Coach Pough 11:13 a.m.	Post Practice 8:45 a.m. Coach Pough	Post Practice 8:45 a.m. Coach Pough	No Availability	Game# 5 Morgan State Postgame Coach Pough Players

THE COACHES

SC State's Buddy Pough (SC State '75) is in his 17th season as head coach at his alma mater and owns a 120-68 overall mark (94-57 MEAC). He is 10-2 against Morgan State.

Morgan State's Ernest T. Jones (Alcorn St. '95) is in his first full-season as Bears head coach. He is 1-3 overall and is coaching his first contest against Pough and the Bulldogs.

LAST TIMEOUT

* SC State suffered another setback in a 31-16 defeat to league rival #13 N.C. A&T State Aggies on Thursday (Sept. 28th) at BB&T Stadium in Greensboro, NC.
* Sophomore quarterback Tyrece Nick threw 5-of-16 for 90-yards, while rushing 19 carries for 47-yards.
* Senior wide receiver Quan Caldwell caught two (2) passes for 81-yards.
* Senior safety Kendric Gathers finished with a game-high 8 tackles, while freshman defensive back Decobie Bryant added seven (7) in the loss.



Players to Watch
SC STATE OFFENSE

#3 So., QB Tyrece Nick (25-56-2, 50.0 pct.) for 356 yds., 81 rushes, 259 yds., 1TD); #9 r-Jr. QB Dawann Ford (2-12-3 (16.7 pct.) for 43 yds.; #18 r-So. RB Datron James (39 rushes, 104 yds.); #1 Jr. WR De'Montrez Burroughs (6 recpts, 142 yds); #16 r-Fr. Will Vereen (5 rcpts., 71 yds.,); #58 r-Sr. OT Malik Mickle); #56 Sr., OG Robbie Stephenson; #17 r-Sr P Jerome Pettiway (25-1066, 42.6Avg).

SC STATE DEFENSE

#14 Fr. DB Decobie Durant 23T, 6A, 1.0 INT);LB #11 So Chad Gilchrist (22T, 8A, 2.5 TFL); #45 Jr. LB Lane Jones (20T, 10A, 1 INT);#14 Fr. DB ; #12 r-Fr. FS Jaylen Evans (19t, 4A, 2TFL)#33 Grad SS Chris Adams (19T, 7A, 1INT)

CURRENT BULLDOGS IN THE NFL

Rafael Bush (S)-Buffalo Bills
Joe Thomas, Jr. (LB)-Dallas Cowboys
Darius Leonard(LB)-Indianapolis Colts
Javon Hargrave (DL)-Pittsburgh Steelers
Antonio Hamilton (DB)-New York Giants
Jalen Simmons (RB)-Arizona Cardinals

TOP BULLDOGS (THROUGH WEEK #5)



Tyrece Nick (QB)
81-259 yards
Touchdown



Decobie Durant(DB)
23tackles (17) solo,2 BRUP and 1 INT



Jerome Pettiway (P)
25 punts-1066 yds (42.6 yp)
Long-57yards



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GENERAL INFORMATION

School Name:	SC State University
Location:	Orangeburg, SC
Founded:	1896
Enrollment:	2,937
Nickname:	Bulldogs
School Colors:	Garnet & Blue
Stadium:	Oliver C. Dawson Bulldog Stadium
Capacity:	22,000
Surface:	Poly Turf
Affiliation:	NCAA -FCS
Conference:	Mid-Eastern Athletic
President:	James E. Clark
Alma Mater:	M.I.T-Massachusetts Institute of Technology
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FOOTBALL HISTORY

First Year of Football:	1907
All-Time Record:	444-281-28
All-Time Bowl/Playoff Record:	6-12
Years in the Post-Season:	16
Last Post-Season Appearance:	2013
Result:	L, 30-20, Furman

BULLDOGS COACHING STAFF

Head Coach:	Oliver 'Buddy' Pough
Alma Mater:	S.C. State, 1975
Record at S.C. State:	120-64/ (16 yrs)
Career Record:	Same
Office Phone:	(803) 533-3743

•Needs 9 wins to become All-Time Winningest Coach in School History

ASSISTANT COACHES:

David Blanchard (Asst. Head Coach /Defensive Line) 24th season
Jonathan Saxon (Interim Def. Coord. /Linebackers) 4th seasoin
Bennett Swygert (Off. Coordinator/Quarterbacks)1st season
Fred Farrier (Associate Head Coach/Wide Receivers)1st season
Steve Bird (Running Backs/Special Teams)5th season
Keith Jones (Secondary) 1st season
Darrian Wilson (Safeties) 3rd season
Corey Jenkins (FB/TE's) 1st season
Gerald Harrison (Def. Line/Pro Liaison/Ops) 16th season
Na'Shan Goddard (Offensive Line) 1st season
Keith Swift (Director of Strength & Conditioning) 3rd season

TEAM INFORMATION

2017 Overall Record:	3-7
2017 MEAC Record/Finish:	2-6/8th
Basic Offense:	Multiple/Pro I
Basic Defense:	Multiple 4
Offensive Letter Winners R/L:	16/5
Defensive Letter Winners R/L:	12/7
Starters Returning/Lost:	14/11

Offense:8/3 **Defense:** 6/5

KEY RETURNEES:

Lebron Morris	RB
Quan Caldwell	WR
De'Montrez Burroughs	WR
Kendrick Hair	OL
Robbie Stephenson	OL
Alex Brown	DB
Kendric Gathers	DB/LB
Damu Ford	DL/LB
Tyrell Goodwin	DL
Paul McKeiver	DL
Roderick Perry	DL
Bruce Johnson	DE

KEY LOSSES:

Jason Baxter	DB*
Ty Cravens	DL
Justin Evans	OL*
Victor Ishmael, Jr.	OL*
Darius Leonard	LB*/$/#
Mykal Moody	WR
Greg Newell	DE
Dayshawn Taylor	LB*

* All-MEAC
$MEAC Defensive Player of the Year
All-American

ATHLETIC TRAINING STAFF

Head Trainer:	Craig Harward
Office Phone:	(803) 536-8625
Assistant Trainers:	Lauren Norton (MS,SCAT, ATC), Charles Bell (MAT, SCAT, ATC), Bria Adams (MS, SCAT, ATC)

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PRESEASON PROSPECTUS OUTLOOK

HC Buddy Pough enters his 17th season at his alma mater with a compiled 120-64 overall record. He has won 2 MEAC titles (2008, 2009) outright and shared 4 others (2004, 2010, 2013, 2014). In 2015 they finished 7-4 with a 6-2 MEAC record to finish 2nd. In '16 they were 5-6 but tied for 3rd with a 5-3 league mark. Pough is coming off a tough '17 season with a 3-7 overall record so the Bulldogs will look to rebound this year.



OFFENSE

In the past few years South Carolina St had the #4 scoring off in '15 (26.7) led by QB Caleb York who threw for 1712 with a 11-6 ratio. RB Jalen Simmons (718, 5.0, 2) led the ground game. The following year in '16 they had to replace their top 2 rushers and top 2 receivers with QB Caleb York the only major skill position player back and they struggled dropping from 26.7 to 21.1 in scoring, 357.6 to 291.3 in total, and dropped from #4 to #5 in rushing as well as #3 to #10 in passing offense. As a team they weren't far off in rushing but RB Bishop Ford only ran for 567 (4.1, 5) and was not quite the impact player of Simmons. Last season they had to replace their top 3 rushers, QB Caleb York, and 2 of their top 4 receivers. It was the first year of QB Dewann Ford who threw for 1763 (8-10, 50.2) but there were growing pains. The unit struggled a little more dropping from 21.1 to 20.5 in scoring and 151.2 to 129.9 in rushing but saw an improvement in total yards (291.3 to 309.1) and passing (140.1 to 179.2). First-year Offensive Coordinator Bennett Swygert will have 8 starters returning in 2018 with QB Ford back to lead the way. Luckily he has his top 3 receivers back, led by #1 receiver senior WR Quan Caldwell (34, 398, 11.7, 3) and #2 receiver junior De'Montrez Burroughs (427, 14.2, 2). Both are legit all-star candidates. The #3 rec WR Tra'Quan Dubose (414, 14.3, 0) is also back along with TE Austin Ruger (10, 75, 7.5, 0) as WR Mykal Moody is the only one gone. In the ground game they return 2 of their top 3 rushers but lose #1 RB Trey Samuel (485, 5.4, 6). RB LeBron Morris (266, 5.1, 2) will lead the attack in '18 and gets support from QB Ford who was #3 rusher (208, 2.2, 2). The offensive line had one of their worst yrs in recent memory with 3 starters back this year. The big loss is right tackle Justin Evans (3rd tm MEAC, 6-5, 310) who signed as undrafted free-agent with the Baltimore Ravens while C Victor Ishmael (6-1, 260) is also gone. The unit will be anchored by G Robbie Stephenson (6-4, 260) and G Kendrick Hair (6-5, 300), both of whom should get NFL looks. Others will some see action and return to anchor the line include G Patrick McNeill (6-1, 297) and T Malik Mickle (6-4, 285).

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DEFENSE

The unit was #1 in scoring (15.2) and #2 in total def (276.3) in ’15 led by #1 tackler LB Dayshawn Taylor (73 tkl, 9 tfl), #2 tackler LB Darius Leonard (70 tkl, 13.5 tfl, 5 sks), and #3 tackler DT Javon Hargrave (DC #3 PITT, MEAC DEF POY, 59 tkl, 22 tfl, 13.5 sks). Hargrave was the big loss in ’16 as they lost 3 of their top 5 tacklers. The good news in ’16 was that they did return LB Darius Leonard (124 tkl, 14.5 tfl, 3.5 sks) who was a repeat 1st team MEAC selection. He was the #1 tackler while #2 tackler was LB Dayshawn Taylor (1st team MEAC, 83 tkl, 10.5 tfl, 1.5 sks). The secondary was led by DB Phillip Henry (1st team MEAC, 32 tkl, 2 tfl, 6 int, 10 pbu) but the secondary did not perform to expectation dropping from 139.7 to 201.9 in ’16. They did not dominate in scoring either as they went from 15.2 to 23.1 in ’16 as well. There was optimism for improvement last season and they did with 4 of their top 5 tacklers back, led by LB Darius Leonard (DC #2 IND, MEAC DEF POY, 113 tkl, 11.5 tfl, 8 sks). Newly appointed Defensive Coordinator Jonathan Saxon will have quite the job in ’18 as he loses his top 3 tklrs, Leonard to the NFL, and only returns 6 starters from a strong unit who finished #2 scoring (18.8), total (279.9), and rushing (92.8). Their strongest part of the def in ’18 will be the defensive line with 3 starters back but they do lose #7 tklr DT Ty Cravens (2nd tm MEAC, 25 tkl, 7 tfl, 3 sks). Defensive tackles should be a strength with Tyrell Goodwin (24 tkl, 1.5 tfl, 1.5 sks) and Paul McKeiver (16 tkl, 5.5 tfl, 1 sk) both returning and likely to be postseason honors candidates.



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They also return DT Roderick Perry (16 tkl, 4 tfl) to give them depth at the position. On the edges they have Bruce Johnson (15 tkl, 3.5 tfl, 2 sks), LaSamuel Davis, Cordell Brown (12 tkl, 3.5 tfl), and Jemetre Blair (2 tkl, 1 tfl in 2 gms) for the two-deep. They lose 2 starters at LB with Darius Leonard and Dayshawn Taylor both gone. The top returnee is Damu Ford (29 tkl, 6.5 tfl, 1 sk). He is the only player with significant experience so they will need players such as Lane Jones, Cornelius Walker, Johnell Brown, Jarrod Jones, and Chandler Tolbert to step up. In the secondary they must replace 2 starters, led by S Jason Baxter (2nd team MEAC, 40 tkl, 2 tfl, 1 sk, 3 int, 3 pbu). CB Devondre Powell (3rd tm MEAC, 27 tkl, 1 tfl, 4 pbu) is a big loss as well but the good news is that CB Alex Brown (22 tkl, 2 tfl, 3 int, 11 pbu) returns after he led the league in PDs in '17. Fortunately Brown is not the only postseason honors candidate with #4 tklr S Kendric Gathers (34 tkl, 2 tfl, 6 pbu) back as well.







SPECIAL TEAMS

Former Kicker Tyler Scandrett has been a standout for the last 3 yrs. He hit 10 of 15 FG in '15, nailed 7 of 16 FG in '16, and connected on 11 of 15 FG (L/39, 73.3) in '17. Scandrett (3rd tm MEAC) is now gone and will likely leave the job to newcomer freshman Austin Kemp take over the kicking duties. At punter it has been solid as well as sophomore Cliff Benjamin took over the duties. He avg'd 38.2 (L/59, 15 FC, 12 I20, 7 50+). In the return game they were among the best with Antonio Hamilton who avg'd 14.2 (114, 1) on punt returns and was a standout at kick returner (503, 22.9, 1) in '15. He was gone and they saw a big drop in '16. Last season they still could not find an all-star to step in with just a 19.6 avg by Xzavien Burson on KR but saw solid play out of Colin Washington on PR with a 10.0 avg. Burson and Washington both return for '18.



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1	De'Montrez Burroughs	WR	Jr.	6-2	200	Charlotte, NC	North Mecklenburg HS
2	Corey Fields	QB	Fr.	6-0	188	Hollywood, SC	Baptist Hill HS
3	Tyrece Nick	QB	So.	6-0	170	Johnston, SC	Strom Thurmond HS
4	Demarkis Doe	DB	Fr.	6-3	183	Williston, SC	Williston Elko HS
4	Tra'Quan Dubose	ATH	r-Jr.	5-10	180	Darlington, SC	Darlington HS
5	Labron Morris	RB	Jr.	5-10	200	Decatur, GA	Cedar Grove HS
6	Jacory Benson	RB	r-Fr.	5-9	190	Seneca, SC	Seneca HS
6	Lasamuel Davis	DL	r-Jr.	6-4	215	Bamberg, SC	Bamberg HS
7	Marquane Goodman	QB	r-Jr.	6-1	200	Florence, SC	West Florence HS
7	Zafir Kelly	DB	So.	6-1	170	Columbia, SC	Irmo HS
8	Khaliq Anthony	DB	r-Jr.	6-1	182	Norway, SC	Hunter-Kinard Tyler HS
9	Dewann Ford, Jr.	QB	r-Jr.	6-2	180	Stephenson, GA	Stephenson HS
9	Kendric Gathers	DB	Sr.	5-10	190	Columbia, SC	Keenan HS
10	Duane Nichols	DB	r-Fr.	6-0	210	Lake View, SC	Lake View HS
11	Chad Gilchrist	LB	r-So.	6-2	220	Johnston, SC	Strom Thurmond HS
12	Calvin Giles-McClary	QB	r-Sr.	5-10	190	Kingstree, SC	Kingstree HS
12	Jaylen Evans	DB	r-Fr.	6-0	177	Hartsville, SC	Hartsville, SC
13	Jarrod Jones	LB	Jr.	5-11	240	Atlanta, GA	Westlake HS
14	Quincy Hill	QB	Fr.	6-2	165	Columbia, SC	Spring Valley HS
14	Decobie Durant	DB	r-So.	5-11	175	Lamar, SC	Lamar HS
15	BJ Davis	LB	Fr.	6-2	189	Blair, SC	South Pointe HS
16	Tim Ewing	DB	r-Fr.	5-11	170	Greenwood, SC	Greenwood HS
16	Will Vereen	WR	r-Fr.	5-11	200	Little River, SC	Myrtle Beach HS
17	Jerome Pettiway	P/K	r-Sr.	6-4	220	York, SC	York HS
18	Datron James	RB	r-So.	5-10	201	N. Charleston, SC	Fort Dorchester
19	Bobby Gentile	WR	r-So	5-10	170	N. Myrtle Beach, SC	Pee Dee Academy
19	Kendall Moultrie	DB	Fr.	5-11	170	Latta, SC	Latta HS
20	Jordan Johnson	RB	Fr.	5-8	200	Prior lake, MN	Prio Lake HS
21	Jermaine Baxley	WR	r-Sr.	6-3	210	Waynesboro, GA	Burke Co. HS
22	Chris Simmons	DB	r-Fr.	5-11	185	Orangeburg, SC	Orangeburg-Wilkinson HS
23	Travon Thomas	RB	r-So.	5-10	210	Darlington,SC	Darlington HS
23	Treyvon Edwards	DB	r-Jr.	5-9	160	Rock Hill, SC	Rock Hill HS
24	Omar Cummings	RB	rFr.	5-9	187	Beaufort, SC	Beaufort HS
25	Devontre Hamilton	FB	Jr.	5-11	215	Moncks Corner	James Island HS
26	Jayden Brunson	DB	Fr.	5-10	192	Blythewood, SC	Blythewood HS
27	Donte Anthony	DB	Fr.	5-11	198	Fountian Inn, SC	Hillcrest HS
28	Johnell Brown	LB	r-Jr.	6-3	190	St. Stephen, SC	Timberland HS
29	Darius Hammonds	WR	r-So.	5-10	180	Neeses, SC	Hunter-Kinard-Tyler HS
30	Alex Brown	DB	r-Sr.	5-10	170	Holly Hill, SC	Lake Marion HS
32	Jarius Jenkins	RB	r-So.	5-11	200	Neeses, SC	Hunter-Kinard-Tyler HS
33	Chris Adams	DB	Grad.	6-0	190	Columbia, SC	Spring Valley HS
34	Jablonski Green	LB	Fr.	6-3	250	Lamar, SC	Timmonsville, SC
35	Damu Ford	LB	r-Sr.	5-11	240	Dillon, SC	Dillon HS
36	Scott Robinson	DB	Fr.	6-0	175	Rock Hill,SC	South Pointe HS
37	Farrika Grier	RB	r-Fr.	5-11	225	Lancaster HS	Lancaster, SC



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38	Andre Brown	LB	r-Fr.	6-2	215	Summerton, SC	Scotts Branch HS'
39	Chris Parrott	DB	r-Jr.	5-10	180	Irmo, SC	Dutch Fork HS
40	Deprince Haynes	TE	r-Fr.	5-11	216	Columbia, SC	Spring Valley HS
41	Dillon Bredson	K	Fr.	5-10	160	Cantonment, FL	West Florida HS
41	Deontae Lowery	LB	Fr.	6-0	210	Bishopville, SC	Lee Central HS
42	Austin Kemp	K	Fr.	6-1	173	Liberty, SC	Liberty HS
43	Riyan Gore	LB	So.	6-0	225	Mulllins, SC	Mullins HS
44	Tayshawn Baynes	RB	Fr.	5-9	200	Covington, GA	Newton HS
45	Lane Jones	LB	Jr.	6-2	230	Westminster, SC	West Oak HS
45	Cliff Benjamin	P	r-So.	6-1	170	Santee, SC	Lake Marion HS
46	Cornelius Walker	LB	Jr.	6-1	212	Orangeburg, SC	Orangeburg-Wilkinson HS
47	Deangelo Frazier	TE	Jr.	6-5	250	Hollywood, SC	Baptist Hill HS
48	Austin Ruger	TE	r-Sr.	6-3	240	Irmo, SC	Dutch Fork HS
50	Michael Terry	OL	Jr.	6-0	290	Duluth, GA	Peachtree Ridge HS
51	Josh Pringle	LS	Fr.	6-0	225	Summerton, SC	Scotts Branch HS
52	Jalen Page	OL	So.	6-2	285	Florence, SC	Wilson HS
53	Chandler Tolbert	LB	r-So.	5-10	195	Columbia,SC	Strom Thurmond
54	Brandon Oglesby	DE	r-So.	6-3	245	Loganville, GA	Loganville HS
55	Jerrelle Moore	OL	Fr.	6-3	282	West Columbia, SC	Brookland Cayce HS
56	Robbie Stephenson	OL	Sr.	6-4	290	Fairburn, GA	Creekside Varsity HS
57	Jemetre Blair	DL	r-Jr.	6-1	225	Winston-Salem, NC	Mount Tabor HS
58	Malik Mickle	OL	r-Jr.	6-4	285	Winnsboro, SC	Fairfield Central HS
59	Caleb Brown	LS	Fr.	6-4	205	Florence, SC	Wilson HS
62	Brandon Johnson	OL	Jr.	6-2	340	Andrews, SC	Andrews HS
64	Francois McFall	OL	r-So.	6-4	285	Bennettsville, SC	Marlboro County HS
65	Brandon Tucker	OL	Fr.	6-1	285	Columbia, SC	Blythewood HS
70	Terrell Vaughn	OL	r-Jr.	5-11	260	Ridgeway, SC	Westwood HS
71	John Guthrie	OL	r-Fr.	6-3	300	Duncan, SC	Byrnes HS
72	Tison Gray	OL	r-Fr.	6-4	300	Columbia, SC	Keenan HS
73	Alex Taylor	OL	r-Jr.	6-9	305	Moncks Corner, SC	Appalachian State
76	Paul McKeiver	DL	r-Jr.	6-4	290	Batesburg, SC	Batesburg-Leesville HS
77	Thai Wood	OL	r-Fr.	6-2	285	Lugoff, SC	Lugoff-Elgin HS
78	Patrick McNeill	OL	So.	6-1	297	West Columbia, SC	Brookland Cayce HS
79	Kendrick Hair	OL	Sr.	6-5	315	Orlando, Fla.	Pearl City CC
80	Kordel Johnson	WR	r-So.	6-3	185	Orangeburg, SC	Orangeburg-Wilkinson HS
81	Tyler Schadewald	TE	Jr.	6-3	185	Lexington, SC	Lexington HS
82	Quan Caldwell	WR	r-Sr.	5-11	170	Chester, SC	Chester HS
83	Alex Syphertt	WR	r-Fr.	6-3	215	Greer,SC	Greer HS
84	Rodriques Thomas	WR	r-Fr.	6-3	185	Anderson, SC	Fork Union/Westside HS
85	Colin Washington	WR	r-Jr.	5-9	180	Sumter,SC	Sumter HS
86	Demingus Wilson	DL	r-So.	6-4	270	Bennettsville, SC	Marlboro County HS
87	Kijana Johnson	TE	r-So.	6-6	220	Bennettsville, SC	Marlboro County HS
88	Corneilius Davis	DL	r-Fr.	6-0	240	Cross, SC	Cross HS
88	Trae Churn	TE	r-So.	6-5	220	Columbia, SC	Blythewood HS
89	Zack Felder	WR	Fr.	6-3	205	Orangeburg, SC	Orangeburg-Wilkinson HS
91	Roderick Perry	DL	r-Jr.	6-1	290	Knightdale, SC	Cary HS
92	Antonio Anderson	DL	Fr.	6-3	250	Hopkins, SC	Lower Richland HS
93	Darrell Brown	DL	r-Fr.	6-2	265	Florence, SC	South Florence HS
95	Cordell Brown	DE	r-Sr.	6-2	260	Myrtle Beach, SC	Myrtle Beach HS



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No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown	HS/Previous School
96	Shaheem Haltiwanger	DL	r-Fr.	6-3	255	Lexington, SC	White Knoll HS
97	Tyrell Goodwin	DL	Jr.	6-0	265	Columbia, SC	A.C. Flora HS
98	Bruce Johnson	DE	Sr.	6-2	225	Greenwood, SC	Greenwood HS
99	Xavier Johnson	DL	r-Fr.	6-1	240	Lake View, SC	Lake View HS
	Donya Williams	WR	Fr.	6-1	175	College Park, GA	Banneker HS
	Aaron Mouzine	S	Fr.	5-10	175	Charlotte, NC	Mallary Creek HS
	Isiah Branch	LB	Jr.	6-0	215	Columbia, SC	
	Mikael Coleman	DB	So.	5-11	175	Boling Springs, SC	Boling Springs HS
	Jacob Quillen	QB	Fr.	6-3	255	Florence, SC	Wilson HS
	Jordan Baltimore	OL	Fr.	6-2	305	Charleston, SC	Bishop England HS
	Jerrald Manigault	DB	Fr.	5-11	160	Bamberg, SC	Bamberg HS

COACHING STAFF
Oliver "Buddy" Pough (Head Coach 17th season), David Blanchard (Asst. Head Coach /Defensive Line), Jonathan Saxon (Interim Def. Coord. /Linebackers), Bennett Swygert (Off. Coordinator/Quarterbacks), Fred Farrier (Wide Receivers), Steve Bird (Running Backs/Special Teams), Keith Jones (Defensive Backs), Darrian Wilson (Secondary), Corey Jenkins (Full Backs/Tight Ends). Gerald Harrison (Def. Line/Pro Liaison/Ops), Na'Shan Goddard (Offensive Line), Keith Swift (Director of Strength & Conditioning)

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SCSU Pronunciation Guide
De'Montrez Burroughs WR ……..**Dee-mon-tr-ez Bur-rows**
Tyrece Nick ……..**Tie-rece Nick**
Demarkis Doe…… **Dee-mar-kiss Doe**
Tra'Quan Dubose……**Tr-ay-qua-n Dubose**
Labron Morris…….. **La-br-aw-n Morris**
Jacory Benson…….. **Jah-co-ry Benson**
Marquane Goodman…….. **Mar-qua-n Goodman**
Zafir Kelly…… **Za-fear Kelly**
Khaliq Anthony…… **Kah-lee-q Anthony**
Dewann Ford, Jr ……. .....**Day-wan Ford**
Devontre Hamilton……**Dee-von-tr-ay Hamilton**
Jemetre Blair……..**Jah-me-tr-ay Blair**
Farrika Grier……...**Ph-ai-ri-ka Grier**
Jablonski Green…….....**Jah-bl-on-ski Green**
Deontae Lowery…… **Dee-on-tay Lowery**
Francois McFall ……**Fr-an-s-wah McFall**
Paul McKeiver……...**Paul Ma-c-key-v-er**
Thai Wood……..**Ti-e Wood**
Tyler Schadewald…….....**Tyler Sh-aid-wa-ld**
Alex Syphertt …….....**Al-ex S-i-ph-rit**
Kijana Johnson…….. **Ke-y-on-a Johnson**
Shaheem Haltiwanger ……**Sh-ah-ee-m Ha-lt-i-wan-gur**



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BULLDOG DEPTH CHART

Offense

QUARTERBACK
#3 **Tyrece Nick (So., 6-0, 170)**
#2 Corey Fields (Fr., 6-0, 188)

RUNNING BACK
#18 **Datron James (r-So., 5-10, 201)**
32 Jarius Jenkins (r-So., 5-11 200)

TIGHT END (H)
#48 **Austin Ruger (r-Sr., 6-3, 240)**
88 Trae Churn (r-So.,6-5, 220)

WIDE RECEIVER (X)
 # 1 **De'Montrez Burroughs (Jr., 6-2, 200)**
84 Rodriques Thomas (r-Fr., 6-3, 185)

WIDE RECEIVER (Y)
#16 **Will Vereen (r-Fr., 5-11, 198)**
#4 Tra' Quan Dubose (r-Jr., 5-10, 170)

WIDE RECEIVER (Z)
#21 **Jermaine Baxley (r-Sr.,6-3, 210)**
#82 Quan Caldwell (r-Sr., 5-11, 180)

LEFT TACKLE
#58 **Malik Mickle (r-Sr., 6-3, 285)**
#72 Tison Gray (r-Fr., 6-4, 300)

LEFT GUARD
#56 **Robbie Stephenson (Sr., 6-4, 290)**
#78 Pat McNeil (r-So., 6-1, 97)

CENTER
#50 **Michael Terry (r-Jr., 6-0, 290)**
70 Terrell Vaughn (r-Jr., 5-11, 260)

RIGHT GUARD
#52 **Jalen Page (So., 6-2, 285)**
71 John Guthrie (r-Fr., 6-3, 300)

RIGHT TACKLE
 # 73 **Alex Taylor (r-Jr., 6-9, 305)**
64 Francois McFall (r-So, 6-4, 315)

Defense

DE (Fox)
 # 95 **Cordell Brown (Sr., 6-2, 230)**
#57 Jemetre Blair (r-So., 6-1, 225)

DT
#76 **Paul McKiever (r-Jr, 6-4, 290)**
#91 Rod Perry (r-Jr., 6-2, 310)

NT
#97 **Tyrell Goodwin (Jr., 6-0, 265)**
#86 Demingus Wilson (r-So., 6-4, 280)

DE (Joker)
 # 35 **Damu Ford (r-Sr., 5-11, 240)**
#98 Bruce Johnson (Sr., 6-2, 225)

WLB
#45 **Lane Jones (Jr., 6-2, 230)**
#28 Johnell Brown (r-Jr., 6-3, 190)

MIKE
#13 **Jarrod Jones (Jr., 5-11, 240)**
#46 Cornelius Walker (Jr., 6-1, 212)

NICKEL
#26 **Jayden Brunson (Fr., 5-10 192)**
8 Khaliq Anthony (r-Jr., 6-1, 182)

BC
#30 **Alex Brown (r-Sr., 6-0, 170)**
#22 Xzavien Burson (r-Fr.,5-11, 180)

FREE SAFETY
#12 **Jaylen Evans (r-Fr., 6-0, 177)**
#4 Duane Nichols (r-Fr., 6-1, 210)

STRONG SAFETY
 # 33 **Chris Adams (Grad., 6-0, 190)**
36 Scott Robinson (Fr., 6-0, 175)

FC
#14 **Decobie Durant (r-So., 5-11, 175)**
#19 Kendall Moultrie (Fr., 5-11, 170)

SPECIAL TEAMS

LONG SNAPPER
 # 59 **Caleb Brown (Fr., 6-4, 205)**
#47 Joshua Pringle (Fr., 5-10, 190)

HOLDER
#17 **Jerome Pettiway(r-Sr.,6-4,220)**
#19 Bobby Gentile (r-So., 5-10, 170)

PUNTER
#17 **Jerome Pettiway(r-Sr.,6-4,220)**
45 Cliff Benjamin, Jr. (r-So., 6-1, 170)

KICKER
#41 **Dillon Bredesen (Fr., 5-10, 160)**
#42 Austin Kemp (Fr., 6-1, 173)



Team Statistics	SCSU	OPP
SCORING	29	123
Points Per Game	7.2	30.8
Points Off Turnovers	13	20
FIRST DOWNS	48	93
Rushing	30	55
Passing	15	33
Penalty	3	5
RUSHING YARDAGE	520	1078
Yards gained rushing	631	1158
Yards lost rushing	111	80
Rushing Attempts	170	172
Average Per Rush	3.1	6.3
Average Per Game	130.0	269.5
TDs Rushing	2	11
PASSING YARDAGE	399	813
Comp-Att-Int	27-69-5	68-115-4
Average Per Pass	5.8	7.1
Average Per Catch	14.8	12.0
Average Per Game	99.8	203.2
TDs Passing	1	5
TOTAL OFFENSE	919	1891
Total Plays	239	287
Average Per Play	3.8	6.6
Average Per Game	229.8	472.8
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	15-303	8-205
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	2-1	12-109
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	4-12	5-57
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	20.2	25.6
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	0.5	9.1
INT RETURN AVERAGE	3.0	11.4
FUMBLES-LOST	5-2	5-4
PENALTIES-Yards	25-204	30-263
Average Per Game	51.0	65.8
PUNTS-Yards	28-1159	15-561
Average Per Punt	41.4	37.4
Net punt average	36.1	33.3
KICKOFFS-Yards	9-508	24-1421
Average Per Kick	56.4	59.2
Net kick average	30.9	39.3
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	28:22	31:38
3RD-DOWN Conversions	13/52	27/53
3rd-Down Pct	25%	51%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	2/7	1/3
4th-Down Pct	29%	33%
SACKS BY-Yards	1-7	13-66
MISC YARDS	0	57
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	4	16
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	1-2	4-4
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(3-6) 50%	(15-19) 79%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(2-6) 33%	(11-19) 58%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(2-4) 50%	(15-15) 100%
ATTENDANCE	7820	70059
Games/Avg Per Game	1/7820	3/23353
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
SCSU	7	9	13	0	0	29
Opponents	37	27	28	31	0	123



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	Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
	Sep 01, 2018	at Georgia Southern	L	6-37	15260
	Sep 08, 2018	at #19 UCF	L	0-38	43269
	Sep 22, 2018	NSU	L	7-17	7820
*	Sep 27, 2018	at #13 North Carolina A&T	L	16-31	11530

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
NICK,Tyrece	4	81	345	86	259	3.2	1	35	64.8
JAMES,Datron	4	39	114	10	104	2.7	0	16	26.0
CUMMINGS,Omar	4	15	57	0	57	3.8	0	12	14.2
JENKINS,Jarius	4	12	56	0	56	4.7	0	10	14.0
Grier,Farrika	3	10	36	2	34	3.4	1	8	11.3
MORRIS,Labron	4	6	23	3	20	3.3	0	15	5.0
Total	4	170	631	111	520	3.1	2	35	130.0
Opponents	4	172	1158	80	1078	6.3	11	53	269.5

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
NICK,Tyrece	4	96.79	25-56-2	44.6	356	1	81	89.0
FORD,Dewann	2	-3.23	2-12-3	16.7	43	0	26	21.5
FIELDS,Corey	1	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	4	77.99	27-69-5	39.1	399	1	81	99.8
Opponents	4	125.91	68-115-4	59.1	813	5	44	203.2

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
BURROUGHS,De'Mo	4	6	142	23.7	1	81	35.5
VEREEN,Will	4	5	71	14.2	0	21	17.8
CALDWELL,Quan	3	3	95	31.7	0	43	31.7
CUMMINGS,Omar	4	3	17	5.7	0	11	4.2
SYPHERTT,Alex	3	2	21	10.5	0	19	7.0
RUGER,Austin	4	2	21	10.5	0	20	5.2
CHURN,Trae	3	2	11	5.5	0	6	3.7
SCHADEWALD,Tyle	1	1	7	7.0	0	7	7.0
Grier,Farrika	3	1	7	7.0	0	7	2.3
JAMES,Datron	4	1	4	4.0	0	4	1.0
BAXLEY,Jermaine	4	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.8
Total	4	27	399	14.8	1	81	99.8
Opponents	4	68	813	12.0	5	44	203.2

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
BREDESEN,Dillon	1-2	50.0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	27	1

			PAT						
Scoring	td	fg	kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
BAXLEY,Jermaine	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
NICK,Tyrece	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Grier,Farrika	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
BURROUGHS,De'Mo	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
BREDESEN,Dillon	-	1-2	2-4	-	-	-	-	-	5
Total	4	1-2	2-4	-	-	-	-	-	29
Opponents	16	4-4	15-15	-	-	0-1	-	-	123

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
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Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All games	0-4	0-1	0-3	0-0
Conference	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-0
Non-Conference	0-3	0-1	0-2	0-0

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3RD-DOWN Conversions	13/52	27/53
4TH-DOWN Conversions	2/7	1/3

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
BROWN,Alex	1	0	0.0	0	0
DURANT,Decobie	1	0	0.0	0	0
JONES,Lane	1	12	12.0	0	12
ADAMS,Chris	1	0	0.0	0	0

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
PETTIWAY,Jerom	25	1066	42.6	57	2	3	7	6	0
BENJAMIN,Cliff	3	93	31.0	34	0	2	1	0	0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
DUBOSE,Tra'Quan	2	1	0.5	0	2
Total	2	1	0.5	0	2
Opponents	12	109	9.1	0	48

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
BAINES,Tayshawn	14	288	20.6	0	31
Grier,Farrika	1	15	15.0	0	15
Total	15	303	20.2	0	31
Opponents	8	205	25.6	0	39

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
BAINES,Taysha	4	0	0	0	288	0	288	72.0
NICK,Tyrece	4	259	0	0	0	0	259	64.8
BURROUGHS,D	4	0	142	0	0	0	142	35.5
JAMES,Datron	4	104	4	0	0	0	108	27.0
CALDWELL,Qua	3	0	95	0	0	0	95	31.7
Total	4	520	399	1	303	12	1235	308.8
Opponents	4	1078	813	109	205	57	2262	565.5

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
NICK,Tyrece	4	137	259	356	615	153.8
JAMES,Datron	4	39	104	0	104	26.0
CUMMINGS,Omar	4	15	57	0	57	14.2
JENKINS,Jarius	4	12	56	0	56	14.0
FORD,Dewann	2	13	-7	43	36	18.0
Total	4	239	520	399	919	229.8
Opponents	4	287	1078	813	1891	472.8



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			Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
##	Defensive Leaders	gp	ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
1B	DURANT,Decobie	4	17	6	23	.	.	1-0	2	.	.	.	.	.
11	GILCHRIST,Chad	3	14	8	22	2.5-5	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
45	JONES,Lane	4	10	10	20	.	.	1-12	.	.	.	1	.	.
1D	EVANS,Jaylen	3	14	5	19	2.0-6	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
33	ADAMS,Chris	4	12	7	19	1.0-2	.	1-0	.	.	.	1	.	.
9D	GATHERS,Kendric	4	13	3	16	1.5-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
30	BROWN,Alex	4	12	3	15	.	.	1-0	2	.	.	.	.	.
46	WALKER,Corneliu	4	11	2	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98	JOHNSON,Bruce	4	9	3	12	1.0-3	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
34	GREEN,Jablonski	4	5	6	11	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
91	PERRY,Roderick	4	5	4	9	2.5-4	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
10	NICHOLS, Duane	4	5	4	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
36	ROBINSON,Scott	3	6	1	7	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	FORD,Damu	4	4	3	7	3.5-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12	GILES-MCCLARY,	2	4	2	6	0.5-2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
28	BROWN,Johnell	2	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	GOODWIN,Tyrell	4	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
26	BRUNSON,Jayden	4	4	1	5	2.0-6	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
13	JONES,Jarrod	3	3	2	5	1.0-1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
95	BROWN,Cordell	4	4	1	5	2.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	JOHNSON,Xavier	4	4	.	4	4.0-21	1-7	.	.	1	2-0	1	.	.
15	DAVIS, BJ	2	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
86	WILSON,Demingus	4	2	2	4	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
76	MCKEIVER,Paul	4	3	1	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
6D	DAVIS,Lasamuel	1	3	1	4	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
48	RUGER,Austin	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
5	MORRIS,Labron	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7D	KELLY,Zafir	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
16	VEREEN,Will	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	ANTHONY,Donte	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
47	FRAZIER,Deangel	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96	HALTIWANGER,Sha	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8A	DAVIS,Corneilus	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6A	EWING,Tim	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
14	HILL, Quincy	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
42	KEMP,Austin	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	BREDESEN,Dillon	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM	TEAM	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
40	HAYNES, Deprinc	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
21	BAXLEY,Jermaine	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
	Total	4	188	84	272	26-70	1-7	4-12	15	5	4-0	3	.	.
	Opponents	4	152	96	248	29-110	13-66	5-57	11	11	2-17	2	2	.



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TOTAL OFFENSE
Game 387 Yds Brett Young vs. Morgan State (2004)
Season 2,916 Marvin Marshall (1994)
Career 6,840 Malcolm Long (2007-10)

RUSHING ATTEMPTS
Game 41 Derek O'Neal vs. Bethune-Cookman (1999)
Season 297 Derek O'Neal (1999)
Career 763 Will Ford (2006-09)

TOTAL YARDS RUSHING
Game 322 Will Ford vs. NC A&T (2007)
Season 1,648 Kenny Bynum (1996)
Career 4,660 Will Ford (2006-09)

RUSHING AVERAGE
Game 164.8 Kenny Bynum (1996)
Career 127.9 Michael Hicks (1993-96)

RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS
Game 6 Henry Odom vs. Morgan State (1980)
Season 22 Michael Hicks (1996)
Career 51 Michael Hicks (1993-96)

100-YARD RUSHING GAMES
Season 8 Will Ford (2008)
7 Kenny Bynum (1996)
Michael Hicks (1993, 1995)
DeShawn Baker (2006)
Will Ford (2007)

BEST AVERAGE PER CARRY
Game 8.5 Nate Rivers (1977)
Career 6.5 Ricky Anderson (1974-77)

PASSING YARDS
Game 387 Brett Young vs. Morgan State (2004)
Season 2507 Malcom Long (2009)
Career 5,230 Reese McCampbell (2000-03)

PASS COMPLETIONS
Game 24 Brett Young vs. Morgan State (2004)
Season 210 Malcom Long vs. Winston-Salem State (2009)
Career 394 Malcolm Long (2009)

PASS ATTEMPTS
Game 45 Avery Bowden vs. NC A&T (2000)
Season 325 Malcolm Long (2009)
Career 961 Malcolm Long (2007-2010)

TOUCHDOWN PASSES
Game 4 Marvin Marshall vs. Bethune-Cookman (1994)
Reese McCampbell vs. Hampton (2000)
Reese McCampbell vs. Savannah State (2003)
Malcolm Long vs. Morgan State (2009)
Richard Cue vs. Savannah State (2013)
Season 20 Malcolm Long (2009)
Career 46 Malcolm Long (2007-2010)

COMPLETION PERCENTAGE
(Min. 100 Attempts)
Season .646 (210-325) Malcolm Long (2009)
Career .593 (TDB) Malcolm Long (2007-2010)

TOTAL RECEPTIONS
Game 12 Lennel Elmore vs. Miss. Valley St. (2010)
Season 70 Tavarus Morgan (2003)
Career 154 Tyler McDonald (2010-13)

YARDS RECEIVING
Game 230 Charlie Brown vs. Morris Brown (1980)
Season 995 Oliver (Tre') Young (2009)
Career 2,331 Tyler McDonald (2010-13)



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TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS
Game 3 Chris Burgess vs. BethuneCookman (2005)
Season 13 Freddie Solomon (1994)
Career 20 Freddie Solomon (1991-94)

YARDS PER RECEPTION
Game 50.5 Terrence Metcalf vs. Savannah State (2002)
Season 32.6 Terrence Metcalf (2001)
Career 25.1 Charlie Brown (1977-80)

FIELD GOALS MADE
Game 4 Tyler Scandrett (2017) vs Johnson C. Smith
Richard Dix vs. Morgan State
Malcolm Montgomery vs. Newberry (1976)
Season 18 Blake Erickson (2009)
Career 35 Blake Erickson (2008-2010)
Longest 52 Cedric Oglesby vs. Delaware State (2010)

TOTAL POINTS
Game 36 Henry Odom vs. Morgan State (1980)
Season 132 Michael Hicks (1994)
Career 316 Michael Hicks (1993-95)

TOTAL TOUCHDOWNS
Game 6 Henry Odom vs. Morgan State (1980)
Season 22 Michael Hicks (1994)
Career 53 Cleveland McCoy (2004-07)

DEFENSIVE TACKLES
Game 20 Harry Carson vs. Newberry (1975)
Season 131 Joe Montford (1993)
Career 394 Darius Leonard (2014-17)

SACKS
Game 6 Javon Hargrave vs. BethuneCookman (2014)
Season 22.5 Chatric Darby (1998)
Career 45.5 Chatric Darby (1995-98)

INTERCEPTIONS
Game 4 Ricky Hill vs. Southern (1991)
Season 9 Ricky Hill (1990)
Career 19 Ricky Hill (1988-91)

PUNTING
Longest 80 yds.Alonzo Braddy vs. Alcorn State (1980)
Highest Average
Season 40.5 yds. (52 punts) Alonzo Braddy (1980)
Career 39.9 yds. (71 punts) Frank Zeigler (1998-2000)



Former Bulldog linebacker Darius Leonard became the school's Career All-Time Leading Tackler (394) and was selected with the 36th pick overall in the 2018 NFL Draft by the Indianapolis Colts.

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE BULLDOGS

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HEAD COACH-Oliver "Buddy" Pough

Oliver "Buddy" Pough is entering in his 17th season as head football coach at South Carolina State, his alma mater. During a 16-year tenure at the school where he earned a bachelor's and a master's, as well as All-MEAC honors as an offensive lineman, Pough has compiled an overall record of 120-64 and a 94-33 MEAC worksheet.

His teams have also captured two MEAC titles (2008 & 2009) outright, shared four others (2004, 2010, 2013 and 2014), and made four trips to the prestigious FCS playoffs (2008, 2009, 2010 and 2013). His overall and conference records at SC State trail only Jeffries, and needs just nine (9) more wins to become the All-Time Winningest Coach In School History.

SC State had its best turnaround in 2013 with a 9-4 overall, 7-1 MEAC record after suffering their first losing season under Pough at 5-6 overall and 4-4 in the MEAC in 2012. In 2011, the Bulldogs compiled a 7-4 overall worksheet and were 6-2 in the MEAC. During the 2010 season, Pough's team finished 9-3 and was 7-1 in the MEAC to tie for the championship after winning the title outright in both 2009 and 2008. His squad also earned its third straight berth to the FCS playoffs and finished the 2010 campaign ranked



high in all of the HBCU and Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) polls.

In 2009, SC State was named National Black Champion by the Sheridan Broadcasting Network, the 100 Percent Wrong Club of Atlanta, the Washington (DC) Pigskin Club and the Box-to-Row /BASN. In addition, the Bulldogs finished number seven in all three major FCS polls – The Sports Network, the FCS Coaches Poll and Any Given Saturday.

Pough's 2009 squad finished 10-3 overall, captured its second consecutive MEAC crown with an unblemished 8-0 record and made back-to-back appearances in the FCS playoffs. The Orangeburg native reaped Coach of the Year honors in the MEAC -- his second in as many seasons – and also earned the accolade from The (Columbia, SC) State newspaper, the Washington Pigskin Club, the 100 Percent Wrong Club of Atlanta and the Orangeburg Touchdown Club.

His 2008 squad was just as impressive, finishing 10-2 and winning the MEAC title with an 8-0 mark, the team's first outright title in 14 seasons, and returning to the FCS playoffs for the first time since the 1982 campaign.

Pough became the 14th head football coach at South Carolina State, while posting a 7-5 overall record and a 4-4 mark in the MEAC in his inaugural season in 2002. In 2003, he guided the Bulldogs to an 8-4 overall record and a 6-2 mark in MEAC play, losing only to Hampton and Bethune-Cookman.

The 2004 season can be considered another one of the team's best under Pough, as the Bulldogs produced the first-of-two consecutive 9-2 seasons. SC State was 6-2 in MEAC play that season, tying the Hampton Pirates for the 2004 championship.

In 2005, Pough's team duplicated the 9-2 record of the previous year and improved to 7-1 in the MEAC, with the lone league loss coming at the hands of eventual champion and nationally-ranked Hampton.



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Follow by a couple of 7-4 records in 2006 and 2007, the Bulldogs had 10 win seasons in each of the next two campaigns -- 2008 (10-3) and 2009 (10-2). SC State was also a perfect 8-0 in the MEAC both years.

Pough has coached a number of players who have gone on to play in the National Football League, including nine who are currently on NFL rosters – Joe Thomas (Dallas Cowboys), Raphael Bush (Buffalo Bills),Javon Hargrave (Pittsburgh Steelers), Temarrick Hemingway (L.A. Rams), Antonio Hamilton (New York Giants), Jalen Simmons (Arizona Cardinals) and Darius Leonard (Indianapolis Colts).

Prior to taking the reins at South Carolina State, Pough spent five seasons as an assistant at the University Of South Carolina (USC), the last three as a running backs coach under Lou Holtz. During his stint at USC, he helped build the Gamecocks into one of the top offensive teams in the SEC. USC made back-to-back appearances in the Outback Bowl in 2000 and 2001. Before going to USC, Pough was one of the top high school coaches in the Palmetto State, leading Fairfield-Central to a perfect 15-0 record in 1996 and claiming the Class AAA state title. He earned South Carolina High School League (SCHSL) Coach-of-the-Year honors for his efforts, the first of such three honors. Pough also had coaching stints at Keenan High in Columbia, where he built the Raiders into one of the top Class AAA teams in the state.

In his final two seasons (1973 and 1974) as a player for SC State, the Orangeburg native and former offensive lineman helped the Bulldogs to a 15-7-1 record, a league crown and back-to-back postseason appearances seasons. After graduating in 1975, he joined the staff at nearby Orangeburg-Wilkinson High (1976-79), before returning to his alma mater as an assistant coach in 1979.The Bulldogs made consecutive trips to the Div. 1-AA playoffs (1981 & 1982) during his tenure as an assistant.

Pough and his wife, Josie are the parents of two sons--Oliver "Bud" IV and Lee Judson and a daughter-in-law, Dr. Natalie Odom Pough.

Pough has two granddaughters Taylor Michelle and Olivia Grace.



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Bulldog Coaching Staff



BUDDY POUGH
Head Coach



DAVID BLANCHARD
Asst. Head/Def.Line



BENNETT SWYGERT
Offensive Coordinator/QB's



JONATHAN SAXON
Interim Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers



GERALD HARRISON
Defensive Tackles Coach/Operations/ Pro Liaison/Def. Line/Ends



NA'SHAN GODDARD
Offensive Line



FRED FARRIER
Associate HC/ Wide Receivers



STEVE BIRD
Running Backs Special Teams



DARRIAN WILSON
Cornerbacks



KEITH JONES
Secondary



COREY JENKINS
Tight Ends/Full Backs



KEITH SWIFT
Director of Strength and Conditioning