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STATS PERFORM TOP 25

MAURICE DRAYTON

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THE KICKOFF: THE CITADEL

- The Samford football team will travel to Charleston, S.C., to take on The Citadel Bulldogs Saturday at 1 p.m. (CT) at Johnson Hagood Stadium. Samford enters the game with a record of 3-3 overall and 2-1 in Southern Conference play after a 55-35 win over 7th-ranked Mercer last week. The Citadel has a mark of 3-5 overall and 1-4 in SoCon play following a 13-10 win over VMI last Saturday.
- Samford and The Citadel have met 17 previous times, with Samford owning a 10-7 series lead. Last season, Samford earned a 37-7 win at Pete Hanna Stadium. Samford has won the last five games in the series. The last time the teams played at Johnson Hagood Stadium, Samford defeated The Citadel by a score of 38-3 during the 2022 season. A total fo 16 of the previous 17 meetings have come since Samford joined the Southern Conference in 2008.
- Last week, Samford played host to 7th-ranked Mercer, earning an impressive 55-35 win over the Bears. Quincy Crittendon passed for a career-high 378 yards and four touchdowns. D.J. Rias caught two touchdown passes, while E. Jai Mason and laan Cousin also caught a touchdown pass each. Damonta Witherspoon scored two rushing touchdowns. Gavin Morris (fumble return) and Noah Martin (INT return) scored a defensive touchdown each in the win. Martin also led the team in tackles with 10.
- Entering the contest at The Citadel, linebacker Noah Martin is ranked eighth nationally averaging 9.7 total tackles per game. Martin had 11 tackles in each of the first three games of the season. In the win over VMI, the graduate student led the team with seven tackles on the day, then he tallied eight tackles at ETSU and 10 tackles in the win over Mercer.

TALE OF THE TAPE

SERIES RECORD	18th Meeting
Overall	Samford leads, 10-7
Last Meeting	W. 37-7 (10/28/2023)





BULLDOGS	STATS	BULLDOGS
26.33	PPG	22.38
106	First Downs	130
89.3	Rush YPG	152.9
252.67	Pass YPG	161.75
342.0	Total Offense	314.6
14	Pass TD	5
14 5 6	Pass Int	6
	Rush TD	14
2-of-6	Field Goals	11-of-16
29:42	Avg. Time of Possession	30:22
17 (120 yards)	Sacks Allowed	14 (85 yards)
17-of-24	Red Zone Attempts-Scores	20-of-28
26.50	Scoring Defense	21.63
114.7	Rush YPG/Allowed	143.8
264.33	Pass YPG/Allowed	208.75
379.0	Total Defense	352.5
16 (139 yards)	Sacks By	21 (136 yards)
6	Interceptions By	4
7/5	Fumbles Forced/Recovered	9/5
+4	Turnover Margin	-2



Results: Postponed VMI

Result: L, 7-45

Results: W 12-7

FURMAN

2024 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

OVERALL RECORD:

NON-CONFERENCE:

SOCON:

HOME:

AWAY:

NEUTRAL

Oct. 5, 2024 | 2 p.m. | ESPN+ Pete Hanna Stadium I Birmingham, Ala. Results: W, 27-3

WEST GEORGIA

Aug. 31, 2024 | 5 p.m. | ESPN+

ALABAMA STATE

Sept. 14, 2024 | 6 p.m. | ESPN+ Pete Hanna Stadium I Birmingham, Ala.

Sept. 25, 2024 | 1 p.m. | ESPN+

Paladin Stadium | Greenville, S.C.

University Stadium | Carrollton, Ga. Result-1 29-38 **FLORIDA**

Sept. 7, 2024 | 6 p.m. | ESPN+/SEC NETWORK+ Ben Hill Griffin Stadium | Gainesville, Fla.



ETSU

Oct. 12, 2024 | 2:30 p.m. | ESPN+ William B. Greene, Jr. Stadium | Johnson City, Tenn Results: L. 28-31



#7 MERCER

Oct. 19, 2024 | 2 p.m. | ESPN+ Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results: W. 55-35



THE CITADEL

Oct. 25, 2024 | 1 p.m. | ESPN+ Johnson Hagood Stadium | Charleston, S.C.



WOFFORD

Nov. 2, 2024 | 2 p.m. | ESPN+ Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results:



TENNESEE TECH

Nov. 9, 2024 | 2 p.m. | ESPN+ Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala.



CHATTANOOGA

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Nov. 23, 2024 | 2 p.m. | ESPN+ Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala.

LEGEND: All times Central and subject to change







NUMBERS TO KNOW



Saturday's game between Samford and The Citadel will mark the 18th meeting in the history

Entering this week, Samford linebacker Noah Martin is averaging 9.7 tackles per game which ranks eighth nationally.

GAME 7: THE CITADEL 2024 GAME NOTES

MEDIA INFORMATION

CREDENTIAL REQUESTS

All media members working the game must request credentials from the athletic communications office. Early requests are helpful, enabling media to receive parking passes before the game. Please make requests at least one week before the game. Only working media will be granted credentials.

PRESS BOX

Press facilities are located in Bashinsky Press Tower on the west side of Pete Hanna Stadium. Working media and scouts should enter through the gate on the west side of the stadium, at the gate just south of the press tower. To pick up unmailed credentials, go to the Will Call booth, also located at that gate.

Bashinsky Press Tower is a multilevel facility. Enter on the first level and use the stairs or elevator to reach the second, third and fourth levels.

Level 2: The second level contains boxes for replay officials, and a VIP suite. The booth for Samford's ESPN+/ESPN3 broadcasts is also on the second level.

Level 3: The third level contains coaches boxes, visiting radio, print media and statistics personnel. The athletic communications office also provides wireless internet access in the writers' area for use in covering the game.

Level 4: Exterior and interior filming areas are available for all television and team video crews.

Priority is given to film crews and stations that cover Samford and the opposing team on a regular basis. The video board and marketing operations are also run from the fourth floor.

Radio Network: The visiting team's network is provided a broadcasting booth that seats three. One ethernet line is provided in the visitor's radio booth. If you have additional needs, please contact the Athletic Communications office.

Television: Each Samford home game will be broadcast on either ESPN+ or ESPN3.

Sideline: Samford follows NCAA rules regarding media representatives on the sideline. Photographers are not permitted to stand between the 25-yard lines and must display their credentials at all times. Only photographers shooting for accredited news agencies, Samford University Photographic Services, freelance photographers shooting for the Samford athletic communications or football offices, or for the opponents' sports information office, will be issued credentials.

Media staffing the contest will not be allowed in the team areas for any reason. Anyone violating the sideline policies will be removed by Samford representatives responsible for sideline control.

PARKING

Press parking is at a premium at Pete Hanna Stadium. Spaces are allotted on a first-come, first-served basis. Print media, television stations and radio network broadcast crews have priority.

Please request parking credentials at least one week in advance so they can be mailed to you. No one will be admitted in the press parking lot without a proper pass.

PRESS BOX SERVICES

Statistics, and weekly releases with flip cards will be distributed in the press box before the game. Play-by-play, complete quarter, halftime and final game statistics, defensive statistics and drive charts will be available shortly after the conclusion of the game.

A picnic-style lunch will be available in the press facility before the game. Soft drinks and water will be available throughout the game.

INTERVIEWS WITH HEAD COACH CHRIS HATCHER

To set up interviews with Samford head coach Chris Hatcher you need to contact Joey Mullins by phone at 205-726-2799 or by e-mail at immulli1@samford.edu.

INTERVIEWS WITH PLAYERS

To set up interviews with Samford players you need to contact Joey Mullins by phone at 205-726-2799 or by e-mail at immulli1@samford.edu.

POSTGAME INTERVIEW POLICIES

At the conclusion of each game, the Samford athletic communications staff will make head coach Chris Hatcher and requested players available to the media upon request.

For interviews with the opposing coach or players, please make arrangements before the end of the game with the sports information director from that institution.

PRACTICES

If you would like to cover a Samford practice, please contact Joey Mullins by phone at 205-726-2799 or by e-mail at jmmulli1@samford.edu.

FOOTBALL ATHLETIC COMMUNICATIONS STAFF

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EXTERNAL AFFAIRS | ATHLETIC COMMUNICATIONS

Samford University's Office of External Affairs provides a full service public relations shop to members of the media. Game day services include credentials, statistics, photography, video clips (where available), and post-game access to coaches and student-athletes. The Office of External Affairs is located on the first floor of the Pete Hanna Center adjacent to Pete Hanna Stadium and the Sullivan-Cooney Family Field House.



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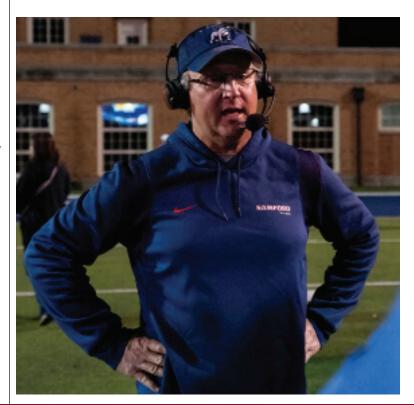


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Name of School	Samford University
Address	800 Lakeshore Drive, Birmingham, AL 35229
Founded	1841
Enrollment	6,101
Nickname	Bulldogs
School Colors	Navy Blue (PMS 289) and Red (PMS 200)
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Conference	Southern
President	Dr. Beck A. Taylor (Baylor, '92)
Athletic Director	Martin Newton (Samford, 1983)

STADIUM INFORMATION

Home Field	Pete Hanna Stadium
Capacity	6,700
Surface	LSR Blade Synthetic Surface
Record @ Pete Hanna Stadium	182-84-4

HISTORY

First Year of Football	1906
All-Time Record	497-490-47
SoCon Championships	2 (2013 & 2022)
NCAA National Championships	1 (1971 NCAA D-II West Region Championship
No. of Years in NCAA Playoffs	7 (6 FCS, 1 D-II)
NCAA Postseason Record	4-6 (3-6 in FCS, 1-0 in D-II)
All-Time Bowl/Post-Season Record	6-7-1
Last Post-Season Appearance	2022
_ Finish	at North Dakota State, L, 9-27 (FCS Quarterfinal)

TEAM INFORMATION

TEAM INFORMATION	
2023 Season	6-5
Southern Conference/Finish	4-4/t5th
Final National Ranking	N/A
Basic Offense	Air Raid
Basic Defense	4-2-5
Starters Returning/Lost	11/17
Offense	5/6
Defense	6/5
Specialty	4/3
Lettermen Returning/Lost	50/29
Graduates/Seniors	45
Juniors	28
Sophomores	14
Freshmen	30

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Chris Hatcher
Alma Mater/Year	Valdosta State / 1994
Record at Samford/Years	60-46 / 10th
Career Collegiate Record	181-103 / 25th
National Championships	2004 / Valdosta State (DII)
NCAA Playoff Appearances	Nine
Football Office Phone	(205) 726-2572

ASSISTANT COACHES & SUPPORT STAF

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Ricky Turner	Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers
Shawn Bostick	Associate Head Coach/Offensive Line
Adam Braithwaite	Defensive Coordinator/Safeties
Brandon Cooper	Linebackers
K.D. Humphries	Running Backs
Kerry Webb	Special Teams Coordinator
Brendan Bogner	Quarterbacks
Darien Moody	Defensive Line
Peter Renkoski	Tigh Ends/Asst. Offensive Line
Chazman Scales	Cornerbacks
Blake Cartlett	Defensive Backs
Jared Lee	Offensive Analyst
Matthew Smith	Offensive Analyst
Reagan Davenport	Offensive Analyst
Chad Larkin	Defensive Analyst
James Carlson	Asst. AD/Facilities, Game Ops and Equipment
Matt Kooiman	Chief Of Staff
Rocky Sabbatini	Video Coordinator
Wes Bordelon	Director of Football Strength and Conditioning
Robert Miller	Assistant Sports Performance Coach
Whitley Williams	Head Football Athletic Trainer
Rae Martin	Assistant Football Athletic Trainer
Alexis Roberts	Director of Student-Athlete Academic Services

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

MONDAY I	41

• 4:01 PM | Practice

TUESDAY | 22

• 11:31 AM | Hatcher Press Conference

• 4:01 PM | Practice

WEDNESDAY | 23

• 4:01 PM | Practice

THURSDAY | 24

• 4:01 PM | Practice

FRIDAY | 25

• Team Meetings

SATURDAY | 26

• 1 PM (CT) | at The Citadel

SUNDAY | 27

• Players Off



SEASON SCHEDULE BREAKDOWN



WEST GEORGIA

Aug. 31, 2024 | 5 p.m. Seibert Stadium | University, Ga. Result: L, 29-38

ESPN+ - After 631 days in between starts, junior quarterback Quincy Crittendon showed flashes of brilliance in a losing effort. In the season opener, Crittendon threw for 307 yards and rushed for 90 yards. He was the only QB in all of Division I to do that on opening weekend.



FLORIDA

Sept. 7, 2024 | 6 p.m. Ben Hill Griffin Stadium | Gainesville, Fla. Result: L. 7-45

ESPN+/SEC Network+ - Despite the final score, the Samford defense held the Florida Gators to 14 first half points in The Swamp that included a fourth-down stop and a red zone turnover. Noah Martin continued to play at an All-American level with another double-digit tackle performance.



ALABAMA STATE

Sept. 14, 2024 | 6 p.m. Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results: W, 12-7

ESPN+ - The Samford defense turned in an outstanding performance in a 12-7 win in the team's home opener. The Bulldogs shut out the Hornets for the final three and a half quarters to hold on for the win. Noah Martin led the defense with 11 tackles.



FURMAN

Sept. 28, 2024 | 1 p.m. Paladin Stadium | Greenville, S.C. Results: N/A

ESPN+ - The game was postponed due to the effects of Hurricane Helene.



VMI

Oct. 5, 2024 | 2 p.m. Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results: W, 27-3

ESPN+ - The Bulldogs earned a 27-3 win over VMI to open Southern Conference play. The win marked the first time Samford held a team without a touchdown since a 38-3 win at The Citadel in 2022.



ETSU

Oct. 12, 2023 | 2:30 p.m. Greene Stadium | Johnson City, Tenn. Results:

ESPN+ - The Bulldogs led for the majority of the game, but eventually fell, 31-28 at ETSU. The Samford defense produced four turnovers, with three interceptions and one fumble recovery in the loss.



MERCER

Oct. 19, 2024 | 2 p.m. Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results: W, 55-35

ESPN+ - The Bulldogs put up 55 points against the top scoring defense at the FCS level. Quincy Crittendon tossed four touchdown passes, and Gavin Morris (fumble return) and Noah Martin (INT return) both scored defensive touchdowns in the 55-35 win.



THE CITADEL

Oct. 26, 2024 | 1 p.m. Hagood Stadium | Charleston, S.C. Results:

ESPN+ -



WOFFORD

Nov. 2, 2024 | 2 p.m. Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results:

ESPN+ -



TENNESSEE TECH

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ESPN+ -



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ESPN+ -



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Football Twitter Account	@SamfordFootball
Instagram Account	@SamfordSports
Instagram Account	@SamfordFootball
Facebook Account	Facebook.com/SamfordFootball

ESPN+ COVERAGE



Play-by-Play	Dave Weinstein
Analyst	Vad Lee
Sideline	Matison Little
Online (iOS Android)	SamfordSports.com





SOUTHERN CONFERENCE STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONF	CPCT.	OVERALL	PCT.	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	L10	STREAK
Western Carolina	3-0	1.000	4-3	.571	2-1	2-2	0-0	4-3	W3
Mercer	3-1	.750	6-1	.857	3-0	3-1	0-0	6-1	<u>L1</u>
Chattanooga	3-1	.750	4-3	.571	2-1	2-2	0-0	4-3	W4
ETSU	2-1	.667	4-3	.571	2-2	2-1	0-0	4-3	W1
Samford	2-1	.667	3-3	.500	3-0	0-3	0-0	3-3	W1
Furman	1-2	.333	2-5	.286	1-3	1-2	0-0	2-5	<u>L2</u>
Wofford	1-3	.250	3-4	.429	1-2	2-2	0-0	3-4	<u>L1</u>
The Citadel	1-4	.200	3-5	.375	1-3	2-2	0-0	3-5	W1
VMI	0-3	.000	0-7	.000	0-3	0-4	0-0	0-7	L7

UPCOMING SCHEDULE (CT)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26

Samford at The Citadel	1 p.m.
ETSU at Wofford	1 p.m.
Western Carolina at Mercer	2:30 p.m.
VMI at Chattanooga	3 p.m.
Furman	OPEN

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Samford 55, Mercer 35
Western Carolina 52, Furman 20
The Citadel 13, VMI 10
Chattanooga 37, Wofford 5

WEEKLY HONORS

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Sept. 2	D.J. Smith, Mercer
Sept. 9	Amari Odo, Wofford
Sept. 16	Trey Hedden, Furman
Sept. 23	D.J. Smith, Mercer
Sept. 30	Khamran Laborn, ETSU
Oct. 7	Sam Phillips, Chattanooga
Oct. 14	A.J. Johnson, ETSU
Oct. 21	Cole Gonzalez, WCU
Oct. 28	
Nov. 4	
Nov. 11	
Nov. 18	
Nov. 25	

DEFENSIVE DI AYED OF THE WEEK

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Sept. 2	Jalen Marshall, Wofford
Sept. 9	Amir Annoor, Wofford
<u>Sept. 16</u>	C.J. Coombes, Wofford
<u>Sept. 23</u>	T.J. Moore, Mercer
Sept. 30	Dainsus Miller, Mercer
Oct. 7	David Powers, Wofford
Oct. 14	T.J. Moore, Mercer
Oct. 21	Noah Martin, Samford
Oct. 28	
Nov. 4	
Nov. 11	
Nov. 18	
Nov. 25	

SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Sept. 2	Brayden Smith, Mercer
Sept. 9	John McConnell, Mercer
Sept. 16	Ian Williams, Furman
Sept. 23	Ewan Johnson, ETSU
Sept. 30	John McConnell, Mercer
Oct. 7	Nate Brackett, ETSU
Oct. 14	Jude Kelley, Chattanooga
Oct. 21	Jude Kelley Chattanooga
Oct. 28	
Nov. 4	
Nov. 11	
Nov. 18	
Nov. 25	

SOCON PRESEASON COACHES POLL

TEAM (1ST-PLACE VOTES)	TOTAL
1. Chattanooga (5)	61
2. Furman (3)	56
3. Western Carolina (1)	49
4. Mercer	45
5. Samford	37
6. ETSU	26
7. VMI	23
8. Wofford	19
9. The Citadel	8

STATS PERFORM FCS POLL

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#	SCHOOL (1ST)	RECORD	PTS.
1	North Dakota State (40)	7-1	1384
2	Montana State (16)	8-0	1351
3	South Dakota State	5-2	1286
4	South Dakota	6-1	1237
5	UC Davis	7-1	1172
6	Southeast Missouri	7-1	1074
7	North Dakota	5-2	1006
8	Tarleton State	6-1	929
9	Montana	5-2	854
10	UIW	5-2	826
11	ldaho	5-3	809
12	Central Arkansas	5-2	785
13	Villanova	5-2	736
14	Mercer	6-1	708
<u>15</u>	Rhode Island	6-1	637
16	William & Mary	5-2	558
<u>17</u>	Abilene Christian	5-3	518
18	Richmond	5-2	512
19	Chattanooga	4-3	395
20	North Carolina Central	5-2	237
21	Illinois State	5-3	199
22	Dartmouth	5-0	184
23	ETSU	4-3	142
24	Western Carolina	4-3	124
25	Tennessee State	6-2	103
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OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES: UT Martin (4-3, 2-1 Big South-OVC), 82; Stony Brook (5-2, 2-1 CAA), 69; Duquesne (4-2, 2-0 NEC), 39; Sacramento State (3-4, 1-2 Big Sky), 36; Harvard (4-1, 1-1 lvy), 32; Monmouth (4-3, 2-1 CAA), 30; Jackson State (5-2, 3-0 SWAC), 29; Northern Arizona (4-4, 2-2 Big Sky), 28; Southeastern Louisiana (4-4, 3-0 Southland), 18; Drake (5-1, 4-0 Pioneer), 14; New Hampshire (4-3, 2-1 CAA), 12; Florida A&M (3-3, 1-1 SWAC), 6; Dayton (5-1, 3-0 Pioneer), 5; **Samford (3-3, 2-1 SoCon), 5**; Lamar (4-3, 1-1 Southland), 4; Maine (4-3, 2-2 CAA), 2



GAME DAY COVERAGE | ESPN+

All Samford home games will be streamed live on ESPN+. Blake Gardner will provide play-by-play while Damian Mitchell offers color commentary for each Bulldogs' broadcast. Lynden Blake and Justin Stuckey will split time as the sideline reporters.



PROUD MEMBER OF NIKE FOOTBALL

Nike is the official apparel, uniform and shoe provider of Samford University Football. Visit the Bulldogs' page on SamfordSports.com for more information.



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- Since Samford joined the Southern Conference in 2008, Samford has a 10-6 series lead against The Citadel. The only previous meeting came in 1989, a game won by The Citadel. Samford is 4-5 all-time in games played at The Citadel.

BULLDOGS

3-5 OVERALL

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NR STATS PREFORM TOP 25

MAURICE DRAYTON

HEAD COACH

3-16

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SERIES HISTORY

- 18th Meeting
- Overall: Samford leads, 10-7
- Last Five Meetings: Samford leads, 5-0
- Last 10 Meetings: Samford leads, 7-3



LAST 10 MEETINGS

W/L	DATE	SAM	LOCATION	MER
W	10/28/23	37	Birmingham, Ala.	7
W	10/29/22	38	Charleston, S.C.	3
W	11/6/21	35	Birmingham, Ala.	14
W	3/27/21	55	Charleston, S.C.	7
W (40T)	9/28/19	61	Birmingham, Ala.	55
L	11/10/18	27	Charleston, S.C.	42
W	9/30/17	35	Birmingham, Ala.	14
L(OT)	11/5/16	34	Charleston, S.C.	37
L	10/17/15	25	Birmingham, Ala.	44
W	11/15/14	20	Charleston, S.C.	17



HOW THEY COMPARE

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THE CITADEL SCHEDULE & RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 31	at Charleston Southern	W, 22-21
Sept. 7	South Carolina State	L, 20-23
Sept. 14	North Greenville	W, 54-0
Sept. 21	at Mercer*	L, 21-38
Sept. 28	ETSU*	L, 17-34
Oct. 5	Furman*	L, 16-17
Oct. 12	at Western Carolina*	L, 16-30
Oct. 19	at VMI*	W, 13-10
Oct. 26	Samford*	1 p.m.
Nov. 9	Chattanooga*	1 p.m.
Nov. 16	at Wofford*	12:30 p.m.
Nov. 23	at Clemson	TBD

BY THE NUMBERS: SAMFORD VS. THE CITADEI



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SERIES RECORD

10-6
SERIES WITH BOTH AS
SOCON MEMBERS

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RECORD PLAYING AT THE CITADEL

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SAMFORD VS
SOCON TEAMS









GAME 7: THE CITADEL

NEWS, NOTES, & SIDEBAR STATS

BULLDOGS PICKED FIFTH BY COACHES IN SOCON PRESEASON POLLS

The Bulldogs were picked to finish fifth in the Southern Conference by the league's coaches preseason polls released in July.

PRESEASON SOCON COACHES POLL

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9. The Citadel	8

HATCHER'S OFFENSES PRODUCE

Through the last nine-plus seasons, Samford head coach Chris Hatcher's offenses have averaged more points than under any other head coach in program history. Entering the week, Hatcher's teams have averaged 33.28 points per game, ahead of Bobby Bowden's 28.57 average. Terry Bowden (1987-1992) averaged 27.92 points per game during his tenure while Bill Gray (2001-06 / 25.68) and Pat Sullivan (2007-14 / 25.50) round out the top five.

PUTTING UP POINTS

Over the last nine-plus seasons under head coach Chris Hatcher, the Samford offense has scored at least 30 points 51 times. The unit has put up at least 40 points 29 times, and at least 50 points a total of 15 times.

QUICK STRIKES

In the nine-plus seasons under head coach Chris Hatcher, Samford has made a habit of quick scoring drives. In Hatcher's time at Samford, the Bulldogs have had 202 scoring drives that lasted two minutes or less and 96 that have lasted one minute or less.

GRADUATE STUDENTS MAKING AN IMPACT

Samford features 26 graduate students on its 2024 roster: Xavier Lanier (CB), Nik Scalzo (QB), Noah Martin (LB), D.J. Rias (WR), Iaan Cousin (WR), Seth Parker (CB), Micah Kelly (RB), Xavier Nurse (DE), Edwin Dearman (S), Jonathan Bennett (RB), Samuel Willoughby (WR), Mailk Gaither (LB), Thomas Neville (LB), Luke

Byrne (OL), Johnny Johnson (DL), Cooper Frazier (OL), Chris Noble (OL), Alex Applefield (LS), Wilson Beaverstock (K), Jaylon Barden (WR), Joel Decoursey (TE), Conroy Cunningham II (DE), Jaylin Rainey (DL), Daniel Bettis (TE), Nazir Sy (DL) and Nick Jackson (DL).

SAMFORD ON THE ROAD

This season, Samford has five road game on its football schedule, and the Bulldogs are 0-3 so far in road contests. Last season, the Bulldogs posted a record of 2-3 away from home.

SAMFORD AGAINST SOUTH CAROLINA TEAMS

Samford has an all-time record of 45-30-1 against teams from the state of South Carolina, including a mark of 10-7 against Saturday's opponent, The Citadel.

AGAINST SOUTHERN CONFERENCE TEAMS

Since joining the Southern Conference in 2008, Samford has posted a record of 73-57 in conference games. All-time against each current members of the SoCon, Samford has a mark of 99-85-4, including a 10-7 record against The Citadel. Samford's all-time record against each current SoCon team is Chattanooga (11-34-3), The Citadel (10-7), ETSU (8-4), Furman (12-14), Mercer (16-14-1), VMI (9-3), Western Carolina (17-4) and Wofford (16-5).

ON THIS DATE

Samford has an all-time record of 9-4 in games played on Oct. 26. The last time the Bulldogs played on Oct. 26 was in 2019, in a 24-17 win over ETSU. In 1963, Samford traveled to Mexico City on Oct. 26, to take on the National University of Mexico, coming away with a 26-14 victory.

MARTIN NAMED SOCON DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Samford graduate linebacker Noah Martin was named the Southern Conference's Defensive Player of the Week after a stellar performance last week against Mercer. He was responsible for two turnovers, both in the fourth quarter, recovering a fumble and later intercepting a pass and returning it 26 yards for a touchdown. In addition to the turnovers, Martin led the team with 10 tackles.

SAMFORD RECORD WHEN

CATEGORY	2024
At Home	3-0
On The Road	0-3
Neutral Site Game	0-0
vs. SoCon	2-1
vs. Non Conference	1-2
NCAA Postseason	0-0
vs. In State Opponents	1-0
In August	0-1
In September	1-1
In October	2-1
In November	0-0
In December	0-0
Day Games	2-1
Night Games	1-2
Decided by 7 pts or less	1-1
Scoring First	1-1
Opponent Scores First	2-2
Leading at Half	2-1
Trailing at Half	1-2
Tied at Half	0-0
Leading after 3 quarters	3-2
Trailing after 3 quarters	0-1
Tied After 3 quarters	0-0
In overtime	0-0
Scoring 30 + points	1-0
Scoring 20-29 points	1-2
Scoring 0-19 points	1-1
Allowing 30 + points	1-3
Allowing 20-29 points	0-0
Allowing 0-19 points	2-0
Outrushing Opponents	3-0
Getting Outrushed	0-3
Passing for more yards	3-2
Passing for fewer yards	0-1
Outgaining Opponent	3-1
Getting Outgained	0-2
Winning TOP	1-1
Losing TOP	2-2
Scoring a Def./ ST TD	1-0
Allowing a Def./ST TD	0-0
Fewer Penalty Yards	3-3
More Penalty Yards	0-0
Winning Turnover Battle	1-1
Losing Turnover Battle	1-2
Equal In Turnovers	1-0



TWO BULLDOGS HEADLINE ALL-SOCON PRESEASON

Graduate student linebacker Noah Martin was the lone Bulldog named preseason first team All-SoCon when the squads were announced in July, Graduate student offensive lineman Chris Noble was tabbed for the second team.

MISTER MARTIN

Noah Martin, a consensus first team All-SoCon defender in 2023, led the SoCon with 109 and became the first Bulldog defender to eclipse 100 tackles since John Staton had 115 in 2019. Martin's 109 tackles were good enough to rank him 13th nationally.

Heading into the 2024 season. Martin was named a preseason. All-American by FCS Football Central, Stats Perform and Phil Steele while landing on the Buck Buchanan Award Watch List.

Martin picked up right where he left off in 2023 with a game-high 11 tackles in each of the first three games against West Georgia, Florida and Alabama State. He then led the squad with seven tackles against VMI, he tallied eight tackles at ETSU and then had 10 tackles agaisnt Mercer. With these performances, Martin ranks eighth nationally, averaging 9.7 tackles per game. Dating back to last season, the Chattanooga native has 88 total tackles in his last four games played.

CALLING HOMEWOOD HOME

The 2024 Samford roster features 11 transfers from schools located inside the 205 area code: D.J. Rias (Alabama), Kobe Hughes (Birmingham-Southern), Jonathan Bennett (Alabama), Samuel Willoughby (Alabama), Teddy Davenport (UAB), Dayton Green (Birmingham-Southern), Chris Noble (UAB), Brett Johnson (UAB), Joshua Lovett (Birmingham-Southern), Charlie Rickell (Birmingham-Southern), and Wilson Beaverstock (UAB).

BRINGING THE POWER

The 2024 Samford football roster also features several Power Four transfers including DJ Rias (Alabama), Mack Howard (Utah), Rayf Vinson (Ole Miss), Stephan Martin (UCF), Gumbo Gaskins (Vanderbilt), Jonathan Bennett (Alabama), Samuel Willoughby (Alabama), Deuce Caldwell II (North Carolina), Daniel Bethel (Tennessee), Trustin Northington (Ole Miss), Vance Nicklaus (Florida State) and Joel Decoursey (Vanderbilt).

NEW FACES IN NEW PLACES

Not only have there been changes on the roster, but the Bulldog coaching staff has some new faces also: Adam Braithwaite (Defensive Coordinator/Safeties), Brendan Bognar (Quarterbacks), Peter Renkoski (Tight Ends/Assistant Offensive Line), Chazmon Scales (Cornerbacks) and Blake Catlett (Defensive Ends).

RUNNING THE ROCK

Despite being known as an "Air Raid" offensive system, graduate student running back Jay Stanton led all SoCon rushers with 971 yards on the ground in 2022. Stanton also set the career rushing touchdowns record with 35. Current running back Damonta Witherspoon has gotten off to a hot start this season as well, rushing for 126 yards and a touchdown in the home-opening win over Alabama State.

MARTIN NAMED WINNER OF CHARLES WILLIAMS MEMORIAL JERSEY

Graduate linebacker Noah Martin is this season's winner of the Charles Williams Memorial Jersey. The jersey honors former Samford player Charles Williams, who died in a car accident on May 23, 2003

CHARLES WILLIAMS JERSEY RECIPIENTS

2005	Ossie Buchannon
2006	T.C. Myers
2007	Jay McCurty
2008	Rodney Shepherd
2009	Jon Weber
2010	Bryce Smith
<u>2011</u>	Sean Thompson
2012	Ryan Dudchock
2013	Justin Shade
<u>2014</u>	Brinson Porter
2015	Carson Barnett
2016	Devon Schmitt
2017	Shaheed Salmon
2018	Tyler Queen
2019	Nick Barton
<u>2021S</u>	Montrell Washington
2021F	Liam Welch
2022	Nathan East
2023	Chandler Smith
2024	Noah Martin

CRITTENDON TURNS IN A CAREER PERFORMANCE

In last week's 55-35 win over 7th-ranked Mercer quarterback Quincy Crittendon turned in a career performance in leading the Bulldogs to the win. He passed for a career-high 378 yards and he tied a career high with four touchdown passes. His four scoring passes all came in the first guarter, setting a new Southern Conference record for touchdown passes in one quarter.

SAMFORD IN THE SOCON RANKING SCORING OFFENSE

TEAM	POINTS PER GAME
1. Mercer	33.0
2. ETSU	30.7
3. Western Carolina	24.5
4. The Citadel	23.7
5. Chattanooga	21.7
6.Samford	20.6
7. Wofford	19.8
8. Furman	19.8
9. VMI	11.8

PASSING OFFENSE

TEAM	YARDS PER GAME
1. Western Carolina	265.3
2. Chattanooga	260.8
3.Samford	227.6
4. Furman	222.2
5. Mercer	218.8
6. Wofford	209.5
7. ETSU	198.9
8. The Citadel	173.3
9. VMI	107.5

TOTAL OFFENSE

TEAM	YARDS PER GAME
1. ETSU	418.7
2. Mercer	394.3
3. Western Carolina	394.3
4. Chattanooga	370.0
5. The Citadel	332.7
6. Samford	321.2
7. Wofford	314.5
8. Furman	311.8
9. VMI	206.2

SCORING DEFENSE

TEAM	POINTS PER GAME
1. Mercer	7.7
2. Wofford	21.0
3. ETSU	21.7
4. The Citadel	23.3
5. Samford	24.8
6. Chattanooga	25.5
7. Western Carolina	26.3
8. Furman	33.0
9. VMI	37.5





CAREER HIGHS

SINGLE GAME

» Solo Tackles:	14, @ Mercer (11/11/23)
» Assisted Tackles:	7, vs The Citadel (10/28/23)
» Total Tackles:	19, @ Mercer (11/11/23)
» TFLs:	2, vs Mercer (9/23/23)
» Sacks:	1.5, vs Furman (10/14/23)
» INT:	1, vs VMI (11/5/22)
» Passes Deflected:	1, vs Chattanooga (9/23/23)
» Forced Fumbles:	1, vs Furman (10/14/23)
» Fumbles Recovered:	1, vs The Citadel (11/6/23)
SEASON	

HUNUDC	2024 PRESEASON
» Fumbles Recovered:	2, 2021
» Forced Fumbles:	1, 2021 & 2023
» Passes Deflected:	2, 2022 & 2023
» INT:	1, 2021 & 2022
» Sacks:	3.5, 2023
» TFL:	14.5, 2023
» Total Tackles:	109, 2023
» Assisted Tackles:	45, 2021
» Solo Tackles:	68, 2023
SEASON	
» Fumbles Recovered:	1, vs The Citadel (11/6/23)
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HONORS

- FCS Football Central All-American

STAT	RANKING
Tackles per game	9.7 p.g./8th



• Charles Williams Memorial Jersey Winner **2021 SPRING SEASON** • FCS Football Central Preseason All-American • First Team All-SoCon SoCon All-Freshman Team • Stats Perform Preseason All-American Buck Buchanan Award Preseason Watch List **2023 SEASON** • Phil Steele Preseason All-American • First Team All-SoCon AP Third Team All-American





HEAD COACH CHRIS HATCHER

» Birthdate:	February 18, 1973
» Alma Mater:	Valdosta State (1994)
» Hometown:	Macon, Ga.
» Record at Samford:	60-46 (10th season)
» Overall Record:	181-103 (25th season)
» NCAA Playoff Appearances:	9
» NCAA National Championships:	One / 2004 NCAA DII



@HATCHATTACK1 NOTES

- Hatcher's Samford squads have won 74 percent of the team's home games. The program's home record in the time is 37-13.
- Hatcher has led nine teams to NCAA postseason play during his career, including the 2016, 2017 and 2022 FCS Playoffs with the Bulldogs. While at Valdosta State, the Blazers advanced six times to NCAA playoffs.
- Hatcher's teams have earned 15 wins against ranked FCS opponents in his time at Samford. The Bulldogs' record against ranked teams in that time is 15-11.
- Chris Hatcher has won 181 games in his distinguished career as a head coach, including 60 here at Samford.
- Hatcher's Samford teams have won 44 Southern Conference games. The Bulldogs have posted a record of 44-29 during Hatcher's tenure with the program.







YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORD

YEAR	SCHOOL	W-L	%	
2000	Valdosta St.	10-2	.833	+
2001	Valdosta St.	12-1	.923	+
2002	Valdosta St.	14-1	.933	+
2003	Valdosta St.	10-2	.833	+
2004	Valdosta St.	13-1	.929	ļ
2005	Valdosta St.	9-3	.750	+
2006	Valdosta St.	8-2	.800	
2007	Ga. Southern	7-4	.636	
2008	Ga. Southern	6-5	.545	
2009	Ga. Southern	5-6	.455	
2010	Murray St.	6-5	.545	
2011	Murray St.	7-4	.636	
2012	Murray St.	5-6	.455	
2013	Murray St.	6-6	.500	
2014	Murray St.	3-9	.250	
2015	Samford	6-5	.545	
2016	Samford	7-5	.583	#
2017	Samford	8-4	.667	#
2018	Samford	6-5	.545	
2019	Samford	5-7	.417	
2021 (S)	Samford	4-3	.571	
2021 (F)	Samford	4-7	.364	
2022	Samford	11-2	.846	#
2023	Samford	6-5	.545	
2024	Samford	3-3	.400	
Totals	25th year National Champion / + NC	181-103	.637	ffs



OFFENSE

QB	2 10	Quincy Crittendon Haden Klees	5-11 6-1	200 180	Jr. Fr.	Decatur, Ala./Austin Crawfordville, Fla./Wakulla County HS
RB	31 20	Damonta Witherspo Micah Kelly	on5-8 5-9	210 203	Sr. Gr.	East St. Louis, III./Murray State Pascagoula, Miss. / Toledo
X	3 82	E. Jai Mason Jaylon Barden	6-1 5-11	205 180	Sr. Gr.	Jackson, Miss. / NW Miss. CC Macon, Ga./Georgia Southern -
LT	50 78	Darrian King Duncan Johnson	6-3 6-5	295 275	Sr. Fr.	Oak Grove, Miss./ East Miss. CC Augusta, Ga. / Aquinas HS
LG	58 70	Chris Noble Brett Johnson	6-4 6-4	287 290	Gr. Jr.	Brewton, Ala./ UAB Maplesville, Ala. / UAB
C	57 63	Cooper Frazier Zach Bond	6-4 6-3	305 290	Sr. Sr.	Corinth, Miss./ Corinth HS McHeny, Miss. / NW Miss. CC
RG	54 79	Luke Byrne Donny Hawkins	6-4 6-1	305 310	Gr. Sr.	Forsyth, Ga./ Mary Persons HS Pinson, Ala./ Pinson Valley HS
RT	77 74	Zach Brown Tyler Douthit	6-4 6-4	280 280	Sr. Fr.	Loretto, Tenn. / Loretto HS Woodstock, Ga. / Woodstock HS
H	11 15	Rayf Vinson laan Cousin	6-1 5-11	195 170	Jr. Gr.	Madison, Miss./Ole Miss Carrollton, Ga./Kennesaw State
Y	7 85	DJ Rias Wesley Carlock	5-9 5-10	190 175	Gr. Jr.	Phenix City, Ala. / Alabama Jackson, Tenn./Univ. School of Jackson
1	12 84	Brendan Jenkins Preston Bird	6-1 5-10	200 170	So. Fr.	Hoschton, Ga. / Mill Creek HS Bonaire, Ga. / Veterans HS
TE	41 93	Tate Taylor Daniel Bettis	6-0 6-1	228 250	Jr. Gr.	Nashville, Tenn. / Lipscomb Acade Tuskegee, Ala. / Booker T. Washington HS

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DEFENSE

R	45 22	Thomas Neville Xavier Nurse	6-3 6-3	215 205	Gr. Gr.	Loganville, Ga. / Dunwoody HS Brooklyn, N.Y./Maine
NI	98 91	Josh Mathiasen Jaylin Rainey	6-2 6-2	325 275	Sr. Gr.	Elmhurst, III. / Olivet Nazarene Memphis, Tenn. / Dartmouth
DT	97 94	Nick Jackson Makhi Gilbert	6-1 6-3	270 290	Gr. So.	Orlando, Fla. / Winter Park HS Phenix City, Ala. / Central HS
DE	55 81	Johnny Johnson Jamall Thompson	6-1 6-3	263 268	Gr. Jr.	St. Amant, La. / St. Amant HS Sarasota, Fla. / Sarasota HS
W	33 39	Jaden Mosley Gavin Morris	6-2 6-1	208 215	Gr. So.	Mobile, Ala. / Hutchinson CC Cumming, Ga. / South Forsyth HS
M	5 34	Noah Martin Mailk Gaither	6-2 6-2	232 205	Gr. Gr.	Chattanooga, Tenn. / Baylor School Stockbridge, Ga. / Alcorn State
CB	16 13	Kamron Smith Jamari Cannon	6-0 5-10	195 158	Sr. Sr.	Bonaire, Ga. / Charleston Southern Lancaster, Calif./Santa Barbara CC
SS	24 6	Edwin Dearman Jalen Nelson	5-11 6-1	200 185	Gr. So.	Spring, Texas / Northern Iowa Flowood, Miss. / Northwest Rankin HS
FS	29 9	CJ Douglas Midnight Steward	5-10 6-1	195 202	So. Jr.	Leeds, Ala. / Leeds HS Daphne, Ala./Daphne HS
NKL	1 27	Dontae Pollard Gumbo Gaskins	5-10 6-1	185 190	Jr. So.	Pittsburgh, Pa. / Akron Jonesboro, Ga./Vanderbilt
CB	2 4	Jalik Yancey Xavier Lanier	5-11 6-2	180 192	Jr. Gr.	Marietta, Ga. / NE Miss. CC Carrollton, Ala./Tulsa

SPECIAL TEAMS

PK	80 87	Wilson Beaverstock Forrest Taylor	6-0 5-8	210 165	Gr. Jr.	Mobile, Ala. / UAB Foley, Ala. / Coffeyville CC
KO	80 87	Wilson Beaverstock Forrest Taylor	6-0 5-8	210 165	Gr. Jr.	Mobile, Ala. / UAB Foley, Ala. / Coffeyville CC
P	59 80	Will Thorley Wilson Beaverstock	6-3 6-0	215 210	So. Gr.	Torquay, Australia / Prokick Aus. Mobile, Ala. / UAB
H	59 6	Will Thorley Ben Levine	6-3 5-8	215 165	So. Fr.	Torquay, Australia / Prokick Australia Houston, Texas / Second Baptist HS
LS	61 56	Alex Applefield Aidan Barr	5-10 6-0	208 205	Gr. So.	Dothan, Ala./Houston Academy West Palm Beach, Fla. / Cardinal Newman HS
KR	7 15	DJ Rias laan Cousin	5-9 5-11	190 170	Gr. Gr.	Phenix City, Ala. / Alabama Carrollton, Ga./Kennesaw State
PR	82 7	Jaylon Barden DJ Rias	5-11 5-9	180 190	Gr. Gr.	Macon, Ga./Georgia Southern Phenix City, Ala. / Alabama

DEPTH CHART: THE CITADEL



CHUNK PLAYS, SCORING DRIVES & STARTERS

CHUNK PLAYS (30 YARDS OR MORE)								
Орр.	Result	Yards						
UWG (8/31)	Crittendon pass to Jenkins	68						
UF (9/7)	Crittendon pass to Jenkins	35						
ASU (9/14)	Crittendon pass to Jenkins	48						
ASU (9/14)	Crittendon pass to Cousin	46						
ASU (9/14)	Witherspoon rush	33						
VMI (10/5)	Kelly rush	30						
ETSU (10/12)	Crittendon pass to Vinson	89						
ETSU (10/12)	Crittendon pass to Mason	41						
Mercer (10/19)	Crittendon pass to Cousin	77						
Mercer (10/19)	Crittendon rush	38						
Mercer (10/19)	Crittendon pass to Witherspoon	35						
Mercer (10/19)	Crittendon pass to Jenkins	41						

			SCORING DRIVES	
Opp. (Date) UWG (8/31) UWG (8/31) UWG (8/31) UWG (8/31) UF (9/14) ASU (9/14) ASU (9/14) VMI (10/5) VMI (10/5) VMI (10/5) VMI (10/5) VMI (10/5) ETSU (10/12) ETSU (10/12) ETSU (10/12) ETSU (10/12) Mercer (10/19)	Plays-Yds 8-70 10-70 19-71 1-68 12-75 7-77 13-54 9-71 7-70 4-7 2-6 10-47 3-95 5-70 7-61 3-32 5-30 1-15 3-26 1-77 15-73	2:38 4:18 6:14 00:13 5:58 3:15 6:33 2:57 2:04 1:26 0:48 6:31 0:51 1:39 2:38 0:58 0:28 0:28 0:28	Qtr 123332311-2334111231111222	Crittendon 1-yard run Crittendon 1-yard run Crittendon 3-yard run Crittendon 3-yard run Crittendon 3-yard run Crittendon 10 Jenkins 68-yard pass Witherspoon 1-yard run Crittendon to Cousin 5-yard pass Witherspoon 1-yard run Crittendon to Mason 5-yard pass Crittendon to Jenkins 18-yard pass Isylor 31-yard field goal Crittendon to Mason 8-yard pass Isylor 29-yard field goal Crittendon to Vinson 89-yard pass Crittendon to Wason 41-yards pass Crittendon to Mason 41-yards pass Crittendon to Mason 7-yard pass Crittendon to Mason 7-yard pass Crittendon to Rias 15-yard pass Crittendon to Rias 15-yard pass Crittendon to Rias 15-yard pass Crittendon to Mason 77-yard pass Crittendon to Mason 77-yard pass Crittendon to Mason 77-yard pass Crittendon to Cousin 77-yard pass Crittendon to Cayard run Witherspoon 4-yard run

				GAME-BY-GA	AME OFFENSI	VE STARTE	RS				
Opponent (Date)	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR	WR/TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
at West Georgia (8/31)	Crittendon	Kelly	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	Johnson	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
at Florida (9/7)	Crittendon	Kelly	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	King	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
Alabama State (9/14)	Crittendon	Kelly	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	King	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
at Furman (9/28)					DNP						
VMI (10/5)	Crittenson	Witherspoon	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	King	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
at ETSU (10/12)	Crittendon	Witherspoon	Mason	Rias	Jenkins	T. Taylor	King	Noble	Frazuer	Byrne	Brown
Mercer (10/19)	Crittendon	Witherspoon	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	King	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
at The Citadel (10/26)											
Wofford (11/2)											

Wofford (11/2) Tennessee Tech (11/9) Chattanooga (11/16) Western Carolina (11/23)											
				GAME-BY	Y-GAME DI	EFENSIVE S	TARTERS				
Opponent (Date)	RUSH	NT	DT	DE	Will	Mike	СВ	SS	FS	NKL	CB
at West Georgia (8/31)	Nurse	Mathiasen	Gilbert	Johnson	Mosley	Martin	Smith	Dearman	Douglas	Nelson	Lainer
at Florida (9/7)	Neville	Mathiasen	Jackson	Johnson	Mosley	Martin	Smith	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Lainer
Alabama State (9/14) at Furman (9/28)	Neville	Mathiasen	Jackson	Johnson	Mosley DNP	Martin	Smith	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Yancey
VMI (10/5)	Russell	Mathiasen	Jackson	Thompson	Mosley	Martin	Cannon	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Yancey
at ETSU (10/12)	Russell	Mathiasen	Jackson	Thompson	Mosley	Martin	Lanier	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Yancey
Mercer (10/19) Wolford (11/2) Tennessee Tech (11/9) Chattanooga (11/16) Western Carolina (11/23)	Russell	Mathiasen	Gilbert	Johnson	Mosley	Martin	Lanier	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Yancey



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# 0	NAME David Coltrane	POS LB/S	HT 6-2	WT 220	Jr.	HOMETOWN/PREVIOUS SCHOOL Alpharetta, Ga./Blessed Trinity HS
1	Ryan Oliver	QB	6-2	190	Fr.	Lake Oswego, Or./Lakeridge HS
1	Dontae Pollard	CB	5-10	185	Jr.	Pittsburgh, Pa./Arkon
2	Quincy Crittendon	QB	5-11	200	Jr.	Decatur, Ala./Austin HS
2	Jalik Yancey	CB	5-11	180	Jr.	Marietta, Ga./Northeast Mississippi CC
3	Caidan Maddux E. Jai Mason	<u>CB</u> WR	5-11 6-1	165 205	Fr. Sr.	Nashville, Tenn./Montgomery Bell Academy Jackson, Miss./N.W. Mississippi CC
4	Xavier Lanier	CB	6-2	192	Gr.	Carrollton, Ala./Tulsa
5	Noah Martin	LB	6-2	232	Gr.	Chattanooga, Tenn./The Baylor School
6	Ben Levine	WR	5-8	165	Fr.	Houston, Texas/Second Baptist HS
6	Jalen Nelson	S	6-1	185	So.	Flowood, Miss./Northwest Rankin HS
/	Jim Coleman	QB	6-0	160	Fr.	Dublin, Ga./Trinity Christian HS
8	D.J. Rias Mack Howard	WR QB	5-9 6-2	190 189	Gr. Fr.	Phenix City, Ala./Alabama Columbus, Miss./Utah
8	Luke Wattenbarger	S	6-0	190	Jr.	Bakersfield, Calif./Bakersfield College
9	Midnight Steward	S	6-1	202	Jr.	Daphne, Ala./Daphne HS
9	Thomas Vaccaro	QB	6-1	202	Fr.	Nashville, Tenn./Christ Presbyterian Academy
10	Andrew Johnson	<u>S</u>	5-10	187	Jr.	Olive Branch, Miss./Copiah-Lincoln CC
10 11	Haden Klees William Hold	QB CB	6-1 6-2	180 185	Fr. Fr.	<u>Crawfordville, Fla./Wakulla County HS</u> Leander, Texas/Rouse HS
11	Rayf Vinson	WR	6-1	195	Jr.	Madison, Miss./Ole Miss
12	Brendan Jenkins	WR	6-1	200	So.	Hoschton, Ga./Mill Creek HS
12	Christian Roberts	TE	6-1	200	So.	Addison, Ala./Addison HS
13	Jamari Cannon	CB	5-10	158	Sr.	Lancaster, Calif./Santa Barbara CC
13	Logan Cross	QB VA/D	6-6	195	Fr.	Social Circle, Ga./Social Circle HS
<u>14</u> 15	Jackson Beatty Clay Burdeshaw	WR S	5-11 6-2	<u>175</u> 185	Fr. Fr.	Mountain Brook, Ala./Mountain Brook HS Homewood, Ala./Homewood HS
15	laan Cousin	WR	5-11	170	Gr.	Carrollton, Ga./Kennesaw State
16	Kamron Smith	CB	6-0	195	Sr.	Bonaire, Ga./Charleston Southern
17	James McGinn	QB	6-1	185	Fr.	Windermere, Fla./First Academy
17	Seth Parker	CB	5-10	175	Gr.	Hoover, Ala./Columbia
18	Stephen Martin	WR OR	6-5	210	Sr.	Orlando, Fla./UCF
<u>19</u> 20	Connor Masters Micah Kelly	QB RB	5-9 5-9	170 203	<u>Jr.</u> Gr.	Louisville, Ky./Christian Academy of Louisville Pascagoula, Miss./Toledo
21	Ethan Fisher	K	5-7	135	Fr.	Tallahassee, Fla./North Florida Christian HS
21	Carson Goold	WR	6-5	205	Jr.	Memphis, Tenn./Houston HS
22	Ken Cherry	RB	5-11	190	Fr.	Huntsville, Ala./Madison Academy
22	Xavier Nurse	DE	6-3	205	Gr.	Brooklyn, N.Y./Maine
23	Tucker Weber	CB	5-10	175	Fr.	Brentwood Tenn,/Brentwood HS
23 24	Noah Young	WR S	6-5 5-11	215 200	Sr.	Birmingham, Ala./North Alabama
24	Edwin Dearman Kobe Hughes	RB	5-10	182	Gr. Sr.	Spring, Texas/Northern Iowa Birmingham, Ala./Birmingham-Southern
25	Jadon Loving	WR	5-10	160	Fr.	Trussville, Ala./Hewitt-Trussville HS
25	William Pruitt	S	6-2	185	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga./Marist School
26	Mitchell Owen	S	6-1	185	Sr.	Atlanta, Ga./Marist School
<u>26</u>	Colton Pace	<u>WR</u>	5-9	165	<u>Fr.</u>	Brentwood, Tenn./Ravenwood HS
<u>27</u> 27	Gumbo Gaskins Connor Pace	CB	6-1	190	So.	Jonesboro, Ga./Vanderbilt
28	Jonathan Bennett	RB RB	5-9 5-10	184 180	Sr. Gr.	Brentwood, Tenn./Ravenwood HS Birmingham, Ala./Alabama
29	C.J. Douglas	S	5-10	195	So.	Leeds, Ala./Leeds HS
30	Carson Sloan	LB	6-2	220	Fr.	Blackshear, Ga./Pierce County HS
30	Harrison Weathington	K	6-2	189	Jr.	Huntsville, Ala./Randolph School
31	Maddox McKim	LB	6-4	210	Fr.	Brentwood, Tenn./Brentwood HS
31 32	Damonta Witherspoon		5-8 5-10	210	Sr.	East St. Louis, III./Murray State
33	Samuel Willoughby Teddy Davenport	WR WR	5-10	<u>165</u> 175	<u>Gr.</u> Jr.	Vestavia Hills, Ala./Alabama Alpharetta, Ga./UAB
33	Jaden Mosley	LB	6-2	208	Jr.	Mobile, Ala./Hutchinson CC
34	Mailk Gaither	LB	6-2	205	Gr.	Stockbridge, Ga./Alcorn State
35	Deuce Caldwell II	LB	6-0	230	Jr.	Mauldin, S.C./North Carolina
36	Dayton Green	WR	5-11	176	Sr.	Madison, Ga./Birmingham-Southern
37	Nick Speros	WR RB	5-10 5-6	165 160	<u>Jr.</u> Fr.	Alpharetta, Ga./Mount Pisgah Christian School
38 39	Emerson Russell Gavin Morris	LB	6-1	215	So.	<u> </u>
39	Ryan Skinner	RB	6-1	200	Fr.	Cullman, Ala./The Citadel
40	Wade White	S	6-1	200	Sr.	Prattville, Ala./Prattville HS
41	Jake Haynes	LB	6-2	225	Fr.	Hartselle, Ala./Hartselle HS
41	Tate Taylor	<u>TE</u>	6-0	228	Jr.	Nashville, Tenn./Lipscomb Academy
42	Jordan Russell	DE	6-0	225	Sr.	Birmingham, Ala./Georgia State
<u>43</u> 44	Daniel Bethel Corey Warren	K DT	6-1 6-0	195 257	Jr. So.	Clinton, Tenn./Tennessee Hoover, Ala./Georgia State
45	Jaden Daniels	WR	5-10	165	Fr.	Vestavia Hills, Ala./Vestavia Hills HS
45	Thomas Neville	LB	6-3	215	Gr.	Loganville, Ga./Dunwoody HS
46	Trustin Northington	S	6-1	190	Jr.	Bay St. Louis, Miss./Ole Miss
47	Daniel Valdes	WR	6-2	160	Fr.	Franklin, Tenn./Franklin Christian Academy
48	Nour Tayara	WR_	6-0	190	Jr.	Pass Christian, Miss./St. Olaf (MN)
<u>49</u> 50	Vance Nicklaus Darrian King	<u>TE</u> OL	6-5 6-3	240 295	Jr. Sr.	Duluth, Ga./Florida State
<u>50</u> 51	Jacob Gettman	K	6-0	160	Sr. Fr.	Oak Grove, Miss./East Misssissippi CC Daytona Beach, Fla./Mainland HS
52	Wesley Graham	OL	6-3	300	Fr.	Smiths Station, Ala./Glenwood HS
53	Kaden McKeown	LS	6-0	195	Fr.	Mableton, Ga./Whitefield Academy
54	Luke Byrne	OL	6-4	305	Gr.	Forsyth, Ga./Mary Persons HS
<u>55</u>	Johnny Johnson	DL	6-1	263	Gr.	St. Amant, La./St. Amant HS
<u>56</u>	Aidan Barr	LS	6-0	205	So.	West Palm Beach, Fla./Cardinal Newman HS
<u>57</u> 58	Cooper Frazier Chris Noble	OL OL	6-4 6-4	305 287	Gr. Gr.	Corinth, Miss./Corinth HS Brewton, Ala./UAB
59	Will Thorley	P	6-3	215	So.	Torquay, Australia/Prokick Australia
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43	Daniel Bethel	K
93	Daniel Bettis	TE WR
84 63	Preston Bird Zach Bond	OL OL
77	Zach Brown	ÖL
15 54	Clay Burdeshaw	<u>S</u>
35	Luke Byrne Deuce Caldwell II	LB
13	Jamari Cannon	CB
85	Wesley Carlock	WR
7	Ken Cherry Jim Coleman	RB QB
0	David Coltrane	LB/S
15	laan Cousin	WR
86 2	Nick Crayton	WR QB
13	Quincy Crittendon Logan Cross	QB
90	Conroy Cunningham II	DE
45	Jaden Daniels	WR
33 24	Teddy Davenport Edwin Dearman	WR S
88	Joel Decoursey	TĔ
71	Carson Donovan	OL
29 74	C.J. Douglas	OF
99	Iyler Douthit Tyler Durant	DL
21	Ethan Fisher	K
57	Cooper Frazier	OL
34 27	Mailk Gaither Gumbo Gaskins	LB CB
27 51	Jacob Gettman	K
94	Makhi Gilbert	DI
21 52	Carson Goold Wesley Graham	WR OL
36	Dayton Green	WR
79	Donovan Hawkins	OL
41 11	Jake Haynes William Hold	LB CB
8	Mack Howard	QB
8 24	Kobe Hughes	RB
97 12	Nick Jackson	DL WR
12 10	Brendan Jenkins Andrew Johnson	5
70	Brett Johnson	OL
78 55	Duncan Johnson	<u>OL</u>
<u>20</u>	Johnny Johnson Micah Kelly	DL RB
50	Darrian King	OL QB
10	Haden Klees	QB
4	Xavier Lanier Ben Levine	CB WR
7 2	Joshua Lovett	ÖL
<u>25</u>	Jadon Loving	WR
<u>3</u>	Caidan Maddux Noah Martin	CB LB
18	Stephen Martin	WR
6 72 25 3 5 18 3	E. Jai Mason	WR WR
19 98	Connor Masters	QB
90 17	Joshua Mathiasen James McGinn	DL QB
53	Kaden McKeown	LS LB
31	Maddox McKim	<u>LB</u>
89 39	Michael Mitchler Gavin Morris	TE LB
33	Jaden Mosley	LB
6 45	Jalen Nelson	S
45 40	Thomas Neville Vance Nicklaus	LB TE
49 58	Chris Noble	ÖĽ
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1	J.P. Oliver Ryan Oliver	DL QB
26 26	Mitchell Owen	5
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7 3	Justin Perritt	OL
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25 91	William Pruitt Jaylin Rainey	S DL
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63	Zach Bond	OL	6-3	290	Sr.	McHenry, Miss./N.W. Mississippi CC
64	Noah Watts	OL	6-1	295	So.	Alabaster, Ala./Thompson HS
69	J.P. Oliver	DL	6-0	260	Jr.	Jackson, Tenn./Trinity Christian Academy
70	Brett Johnson	OL	6-4	290	Jr.	Maplesville, Ala./UAB
71	Carson Donovan	OL	6-2	255	Fr.	Calera, Ala./Evangel Christian
72	Joshua Lovett	OL	6-0	255	So.	Knoxville, Tenn./Birmingham-Southern
73	Justin Perritt	OL	6-2	285	Jr.	Covington, La./Northlake Christian School
74	Tyler Douthit	OL	6-4	280	Fr.	Woodstock, Ga./Woodstock HS
75	Charlie Rickell	OL	6-4	252	So.	Dunwoody, Ga./Birmingham-Southern
76	Michael Snow	OL	6-5	240	Fr.	Pell City, Ala./Pell City HS
77	Zach Brown	OL	6-4	280	Sr.	Loretto, Tenn./Loretto HS
78	Duncan Johnson	OL	6-5	275	Fr.	Augusta, Ga./Aquinas HS
79	Donovan Hawkins	OL	6-1	310	Sr.	Pinson, Ala./Pinson Valley HS
80	Wilson Beaverstock	K	6-0	210	Gr.	Mobile, Ala./UAB
81	Jamall Thompson	DL	6-3	268	Jr.	Sarasota, Fla./Sarasota HS
82	Jaylon Barden	WR	5-11	180	Gr.	Macon, Ga./Georgia Southern
84	Preston Bird	WR	5-10	170	Fr.	Bonaire, Ga./Veterans HS
85	Wesley Carlock	WR	5-10	175	Jr.	Jackson, Tenn./University School of Jackson
86	Nick Crayton	WR	6-3	215	Fr.	Decatur, Ala./Austin HS
87	Forrest Taylor	K	5-8	165	Jr.	Foley, Ala./Coffeyville CC
88	Joel Decoursey	TE	6-4	230	Gr.	Zionsville, Ind./Vanderbilt
89	Michael Mitchler	TE	6-3	225	Jr.	Roswell, Ga./Blessed Trinity HS
90	Conroy Cunningham II	DE	6-3	235	Gr.	Melbourne, Fla./Bethune-Cookman
91	Jaylin Rainey	DL	6-2	275	Gr.	Memphis, Tenn./Dartmouth
93	Daniel Bettis	TE	6-1	250	Gr.	Tuskegee, Ala./Booker T. Washington HS
94	Makhi Gilbert	DL	6-3	290	So.	Phenix City, Ala./Central HS
95	Maxton Woodward	DL	6-2	336	Jr.	Philadelphia, Miss./Holmes CC
96	Nazir Sy	DL	6-3	300	Gr.	Caton, Ga./Northwestern State
97	Nick Jackson	DL	6-1	270	Gr.	Orlando, Fla./Winter Park HS
98	Joshua Mathiasen	DL	6-2	325	Sr.	Elmhurst, III./Olivet Nazarene
99	Tyler Durant	DL	6-3	270	Fr.	Daphne, Ala./Daphne HS

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39	Ryan Skinner	RB
30	Carson Sloan	LB CB
16	Kamron Smith	CB
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37	Nick Speros	WR
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96	Nazir Sv	DL
48	Nour Tavara	WR
87	Forrest Jaylor	K
41	Tate Taylor Jamall Thompson Will Thorley	TE
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9	Thomas Vaccaro	QB
47	Daniel Valdes	WR
11	Rayf Vinson	WR
44	Corey Warren	DT
8	Luke Wattenbarger	5
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BOBBY BOWDEN FIELD AT PETE HANNA STADIUM

Bobby Bowden Field at Pete Hanna Stadium has been home to the Samford football team since 1958, one year after the campus was moved from East Lake to its present site. The field was officially dedicated to Bobby Bowden during the team's game against ETSU in 2021. The stadium was renamed as Pete Hanna Stadium at halftime of the team's contest with Furman in 2023.

The stadium was originally named F. Page Seibert, for the late Daytona Beach, Fla., businessman who donated money for the completion of the stadium in 1961 with the addition of stands on the west side. Originally, the stadium had the current gatehouse and seating on the east side. The stadium was renamed in 2023 for Samford alum and donor Pete Hanna.

Over the years, the stadium has seen some memorable football, including the Bobby Bowden era (1959-62), a one-loss season in 1971 and the Terry Bowden era, which ended with a 14-game Bulldog winning streak in the stadium.

The first game was played Friday, Sept. 26, 1958, with Samford Iosing to Sewanee, 21-0. Bobby Bowden brought Samford (then known as Howard College) its first win at Seibert on Oct. 3, 1959, as the Bulldogs defeated the Tennessee Tech "B" team, 34-0. The first win against varsity competition came two weeks later when the Bulldogs defeated Millsaps, 26-0.

Pete Hanna Stadium has undergone numerous improvements during the past few years. In 2019, a brand new state-of-the-art video board was installed in the north end zone of the stadium. Before the 2009 season, the Cooney Family Field House was opened in the South end zone of the stadium. The facility includes locker rooms, training rooms, meeting rooms and coaches offices for Samford's football program. A second-level terrace overlooks Seibert Stadium. An unfinished third level provides for future university expansion. The facility was renamed the Sullivan-Cooney Family Field House in 2014, honoring former head coach Pat Sullivan and his wife, Jean.

In fall 2005, the original grass surface was replaced with an LSR Blade Synthetic Surface. The surface was replaced in 2013 with a Hybrid Mono/XP by Warner Athletic Construction.

The four-level Bashinsky Press Tower was completed before the 1989 season. This Georgian-Colonial structure contains complete facilities for print and electronic media on the third level, reserved seating for 51 guests on the second level, and a concession stand and restroom facilities on the ground floor. A partially covered film deck is located atop the facility, and an elevator serves all levels. The press tower was completely renovated prior to the 2021 season.

When the press tower was originally built, more than 200 theatre-type reserved seats were added in front of the press tower, bringing the seating capacity to 6,700. The seats were replaced in 2021 at the same time the press tower was renovated.

PETE HANNA STADIUM TOP CROWDS

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DATE	OPPONENT	NOTE	W/L/T	SU	OPP	ATT
Oct. 29, 1994	Alcorn State	HC	T	45	45	11,189
Sept. 23, 2023	Chattanooga		L	24	47	10,870
Nov. 8, 2003	Jacksonville State		L	32	49	10,780
Oct. 11, 2008	#2 Appalachian State		L	24	35	10,670
Aug. 30, 2007	West Alabama		W	23	21	10,483
Aug. 31, 2006	Miles College		W	37	7	10,386
Oct. 25. 2003	Tennessee State	HC	L	24	29	10,360
Sept. 2, 1989	Jacksonville State		L	9	19	10,136
Oct. 13, 2012	#13 App. State	HC	L	25	28	9,712
Aug. 29, 2002	North Alabama		W	24	21	9,638
Aug. 28, 2004	West Alabama		W	34	20	9,542
Sept. 25, 2010	#1 Appalachian State		L	17	35	9,428
Sept. 30, 2017	#11 The Citadel		W	35	14	9,233
Sept. 4, 2003	West Alabama		W	44	28	9,228
Sept. 19, 2015	#10 Chattanooga		L	21	31	9,088
Sept. 11, 2004	Furman		L	10	45	9,053













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PP.	GMS	<u>W</u>	L 0		PCT 1000	PTS	PTS_	GAME	GAMI
Abraham Baldwin Acipco YMCA	1	<u>1</u> 1	0	0	1.000	31 31	0	1931 1917	1931 1917
llabama	21	0	20	1	0.024	34	669	1906	1944
Jabama A&M	1	1	0	0	1.000	55	21	2019	2019
la. Informals	1	1	0	0	1.000	47	6	1943	1943
la. Presbyterian	5	5	0	Ö	1.000	91	6	1906	1916
labama State	3	1	1	1	0.500	64	62	1990	2024
AB	1	1	0	0	1.000	49	3	1992	1992
lbertville Aggies	3	2	1	0	0.667	34	16	1912	1914
Icorn State	6	4	1	1	0.750	141	125	1994	2002
nderson (Ind.)	2	2	0	0	1.000	94	23	1986	1987
ppalachian State	8	2	6	0	0.250	202	247	1969	2013
rkansas	1	0	1	0	0.000	21	31	2013	2013
rkMonticello	6	3	3	0	0.500	136	135	1967	1995
thens State	2	1	1	0	0.500	19	20	1948	1949
uburn	30	0	29	1_	0.016	93	992	1903	2023
ustin Peay	9	8	l	0	0.888	286	145	1990	2007
aylor	2	0	2	0	0.000	26	98	2002	2005
ethel (Tenn.)	2	2	0	0	1.000	81	13	1952	1994
ethune-Cookman	2	2	0	0	1.000	69	23	1992	1993
irmingham HS	1	0	1	0	0.000	0	11	1903	1903
irmingham-So.	32	16	10	6	0.594	431	250	1906	1939
ountsville Aggies	5	5	0	0	1.000	142	3	1910	1917
owdon (Ga.) College	1 17	1	<u>0</u> 11	0	1.000 0.353	22 217	7 317	1931 1943	1931 1972
arson-Newman atawba (N.C.)	<u>I/</u>	<u>6</u> 1	0	0	1.000	31	31/ 15	1943 1990	1972
entral Arkansas	2	2	0	0	1.000	80	<u>15</u> 45	2015	2016
entral Arkansas entral Florida	11	3	8	0	0.273	174	399	1985	2009
entrai Fiorida entre (Ky.)	1	0	1	0	0.000	0	120	1920	1920
narleston So.	2	2	0	0	1.000	67	42	2000	2001
hattanooga	48	11	34	3	0.260	644	1055	1906	2023
itadel, The	17	10	7	ő	0.588	522	375	1989	2023
ark-Atlanta	1	1	0	0	1.000	43	0	2015	2015
emson	3	0	3	0	0.000	0	97	1910	1912
oncord (W.Va.)	1	1	0	0	1.000	49	14	1990	1990
oncordia (Ala.)	1	- i -	0	0	1.000	55	0	2014	2014
aig Field	- i -	- i -	0	0	1.000	14	7	1948	1948
imberland (Ky.)	1	1	0	0	1.000	28	23	1987	1987
imberland (Tenn.)	- i -	- i -	0	0	1.000	41	0	1929	1929
ayton	2	0	2	0	0.000	19	105	1985	1986
elaware	1	0	1	0	0.000	21	56	1992	1992
elta State	11	7	4	0	0.636	192	173	1953	1971
isque HS	- ï-	0	<u>i</u>	0	0.000	0	14	1910	1910
uquesne (Pa.)	2	1	i	0	0.500	22	20	1930	1931
ast Carolina	2	0	2	0	0.000	30	66	1964	1965
Tennessee State	12	8	4	0	0.666	394	291	1989	2024
astern Kentucky	9	1	8	0	0.111	173	278	1992	2007
estern Illinois	5	1	4	0	0.200	75	142	2003	2007
dward Waters	1	1	0	0	1.000	60	7	2005	2005
on (N.C.)	12	5	7	0	0.417	296	356	1973	2013
nory & Henry	5	1	4	0	0.200	130	174	1937	1988
II-Collegians	1	1	0	0	1.000	22	0	1906	1906
ulkner	1	1	0	0	1.000	62	0	2008	2008
yetteville State	1	1	0	0	1.000	37	10	1990	1990
rrum	1	1	0	0	1.000	63	42	1987	1987
orida	4	0	4	0	0.000	59	206	1921	2024
orida A&M	2	2	0	0	1.000	85	41	2013	2015
orida Southern	1	1	0	0	1.000	6	0	1931	1931
orida State	3	0	3	0	0.000	38	115	1950	2018
ırman	26	12	14	0	0.462	637	687	1961	2023
ardner-Webb	8	6	2	0	0.750	237	173	1970	2012
eorgetown (Ky.)	5	5	0	0	1.000	199	26	1909	1968
eorgia	3	0	3	0	0.000	14	114	1943	2022
orgia Southern	9	4	5	0	0.444	207	272	1988	2013
orgia State	1	1	0	0	1.000	31	21	2013	2013
a. Southwestern	3	1	2	0	0.333	47	104	1984	1987
eorgia Tech	8	0	8	0	0.000	27	302	1903	2007
enville State	1	1	0	0	1.000	20	14	1993	1993
ordon (Ga.) Coll.	2	<u>1</u>	1	0	0.500	52	31	1907	1959
uilford College	3 4	3	0	<u>0</u> 1	1.000	81	30	1966	1973
milton Aggies	4	3	3	0	0.875	105 84	100	1914 1984	1919 1987
impden-Sydney	2	<u>1</u>		0	0.250	69	100	1984	1987
ording Nana (Cuba)			0	0	1.000 1.000		22	1973	1991
avana (Cuba)	1	1	0	0	1.000	20 27	<u>6</u> 21	1972	1972
enderson (Ark.) State	1	1	0	0		27	0	2009	2009
cksonville	46	21	23	2	1.000 0.478		903	<u>2009</u> 1905	2009
cksonville State	46 2	2		0		800	<u>903</u> 25		
cksonville State B	<u>Z</u>	<u> </u>	0		1.000	35	<u>25</u> 21	1948	1948 1991
mes Madison	4	2	<u>0</u> 2	0	1.000 .500	24 82	<u>21</u> 92	1991 2017	2022
nnesaw State	0	0	1	0	.000	3	34	2017	2012
ntucky noxville College	1	1	0	0	1.000	28	<u>34</u> 13	1996	1996
	4	2	2	0	0.500	<u>28</u> 76	108	1990 1990	2000
berty vingston B's	2	0	2	0	0.000	6	42	1948	1948
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oras (Iowa) ouisiana College	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u> 5	0	0	1.000 0.833	23 123	7 40	1985 1962	1968

RECORD VERSU	S ALL GMS	OPPO W	NENTS	S _T	PCT	SU PTS	OPP PTS	1st GAME	LAST GAME
Louisiana-Monroe	2	2	0	0	1.000	33	24	1963	1964
Louisiana Tech	2	1	1	0	0.500	59	38	1928	1945
Louisville	1	0	1	0	0.000	3	45	2015	2015
<u>Loyola-N. Orleans</u> LSU	5 1	0	2	0	0.500	<u>42</u> 0	37 57	1927 1907	1936 1907
Marion Institute	23	16	6	1	0.000	480	287	1902	1949
Mars Hill	3	3	0	0	1.000	122	47	1973	2016
Maryville (Tenn.)	10	6	3	1	0.650	212	120	1930	1987
McNeese State	4	0	4	0	0.000	34	105	1962	1989
Memphis Navy	6	2	4	0	0.333	105	61	1954	1961
Mercer	31	16	14	1	0.532	<u>562</u>	554	1907	2024
National University of Mexico	4	2	2	0	0.500	85	68	1954	1963
Miami (Fla.)	5 3	3	0	0	0.600 1.000	83 102	<u>26</u> 25	1927 1988	1941 2009
Miles College Millsaps	32	14	16	2	0.469	574	400	1920	1987
Mississippi	3	1	2	0	0.333	23	66	1932	2008
Miss. College	40	14	22	4	0.400	569	539	1912	1994
Mississippi State	19	1	17	1	0.079	72	655	1902	2016
Morehead State	4	3	1	0	0.750	123	88	1988	1991
Morgan School	2	1	0	1_	0.750	13	0	1919	1920
Morgan State	3	3	0	0	1.000	88	70	1994	1998
Morris Brown Murrou State	<u>1</u> 11	1 6	<u>0</u> 5	0	1.000	20 212	7 233	2002	2002
Murray State New Hampshire	<u>II</u> 1	<u>6</u> 1	0	0	0.545 1.000	29	<u>233</u> 13	1935 1991	2006 1991
Newberry College	5	3	1	1	0.700	129	105	1970	2010
Nicholls State	12	5	7	0	0.417	220	258	1988	2002
North Alabama	13	5	6	2	0.462	210	259	1913	2002
North Dakota	1	0	1	0	0.000	7	39	1932	1932
North Dakota State	1	0	_1	0	0.000	9	27	2022	2022
North Texas	_1_	0	1	0	0.000	6	41	2000	2000
N.W. State (La.)	1	1 2	0	0	1.000	19	7 45	2010	2010
Oglethorpe Ohio Waslavan	<u>5</u>	1	0	<u>1</u> 0	0.500 1.000	50 20	10	1924 1971	1934 1971
Ohio Wesleyan Pensacola Navy	3	1	1	1	0.500	39	42	1964	1970
Presbyterian (S.C.)	3	3	0	0	1.000	89	43	1933	2007
Rhodes	24	16	6	2	0.708	353	233	1906	1986
Rollins	2	1	1	0	0.500	7	28	1925	1941
Salem (W.Va.)	1	0	1	0	0.000	9	82	1984	1984
San Diego State	1	0	1	0	0.000	17	37	2003	2003
Sewanee	17	8	7	2	0.529	276	237	1917	1986
Shorter .	<u>2</u> 8	<u>2</u> 5	3	0	1.000 0.625	<u>135</u> 279	23 225	2018 1991	2023
S.E. Missouri S.E. Louisiana	4	2	2	0	0.500	95	89	1963	2007 2022
So. Mississippi	1	0	1	0	0.000	16	59	1994	1994
Southern Univ.	4	2	1	1	0.625	34	5	1910	1916
S.W. Missouri State	1	0	1	0	0.000	14	42	1993	1993
S.W. Louisiana	2	0	2	0	0.000	3	13	1965	1966
Spring Hill	20	10	8	2	0.550	290	158	1914	1941
Stephen F. Austin	2	0	2	0	0.000	24	74	1995	1996
Stetson	3	3	0	0	1.000	54	19	1928	1935
Stillman T	2	2	0	<u>0</u> 1	1.000	100	6	2011	2014
Tampa Tennessee	2	<u>1</u>	2	0	0.750 0.000	<u>22</u> 6	19 45	1933 1910	1941 1941
Tennessee-Martin	21	16	4	1	0.785	575	370	1958	2023
Tennessee State	5	2	3	0	0.400	132	143	2003	2007
Tennessee Tech	25	14	11	0	0.560	625	619	1934	2022
Tenn. Tech B's	2	1	1	0	0.500	52	22	1958	1959
Tenn. Wesleyan	3	1	2	0	0.333	85	57	1956	1987
Texas Christian	1 22	0	1/	0	0.000	14	<u>48</u>	2014	2014
Troy State Troy State B's	23 1	9	14	0	0.391	553 12	577	1935	1998
Iroy State Bs Tulane	<u> </u>	0	<u>0</u> 4	<u>0</u> 1	1.000 0.100	<u>13</u> 3	<u>6</u> 90	1948 1906	1948 1915
Jnion (Tenn.)	7	5	1	1	0.786	201	32	1922	1952
University HS	2	2	0	0	1.000	16	0	1902	1903
Vanderbilt	2	0	2	0	0.000	0	96	1917	1923
VMI	12	9	3	0	.750	533	275	2001	2024
Washington & Lee	1	0		0	0.000	28	49	1984	1984
West Alabama	18	11	6	1	0.638	464	351	1956	2017
West Georgia	<u>6</u>	<u>3</u>	3	0	0.500	142	134	1984	2024
Western Carolina	21 7	17	4	1	0.809 0.500	697 53	448 52	1969 1934	2023 1950
Western Kentucky Wetumpka Aggies	1	0	0	+	0.500	<u>53</u> 6	<u> </u>	1934 1905	1905
William & Mary	i	1	0	0	1.000	35	13	1991	1991
Wingate	2	1	1	0	0.500	75	81	1986	1987
Wofford	21	16	5	0	0.762	519	451	1949	2023
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Youngstown State Totals	5 1034	<u>0</u> 497	5 490	<u>0</u> 47	0.000 0.503	19,798	154 20,453	1991	2019





SAMFORD (0.4) WEST GEORGIA (1.0)

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SATURDAY, AUG. 31, 2024 - UNIVERSITY STADIUM - CARROLLTON, GA. ATTENDANCE: 4,329 | TV: ESPN+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL	
Samford	7	7	15	0	29	
West Georgia	14	12	0	12	38	

SCORIN	IG SUMMARY	
1st	13:49	UWG - Belcher,Chase 3 yd run (Gagnon,Chance kick), 3 plays, 75 yards, TOP 01:11
	11:04	SAM - Crittendon, Quincy 1 yd run (Taylor, Forrest kick), 8 plays, 70 yards, TOP 02:38
	04:41	UWG - Dickerson, Bryson 29 yd pass from Wydner, Davin (Gagnon, Chance kick) 13 plays, 75 yards, TOP 06:23
2nd	13:08	UWG - Gagnon,Chance 49 yd field goal 9 plays, 29 yards, TOP 04:25
	08:43	SAM - Witherspoon, Damonta 3 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 10 plays, 70 yards, TOP 04:18
	02:18	UWG - Gagnon,Chance 28 yd field goal 15 plays, 66 yards, TOP 06:19
	00:00	UWG - Gary, Dylan 44 yd pass from Wydner, Davin () 5 plays, 70 yards, TOP 00:49
3rd	08:41	SAM - Crittendon, Quincy 3 yd run (Taylor, Forrest kick), 19 plays, 71 yards, TOP 06:14
	05:54	SAM - Jenkins, Brendan 68 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Mason, E. Jai rush) 1 plays, 68 yards, TOP 00:13
4th	13:40	UWG - Belcher, Chase 4 yd run (), 7 plays, 30 yards, TOP 02:26
	08:18	UWG - Wydner, Davin 21 yd run (), 8 plays, 87 yards, TOP 03:45

TATISTICS	SAM	UWG
IRST DOWNS	25	24
USHES-YARDS (NET)	37-163	45-185
ASSING YDS (NET)	302	271
asses Att-Comp-Int	24-42-1	24-35-0
OTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	79-465	80-456
umble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
unt Returns-Yards	1-1	1-21
ickoff Returns-Yards	1-180	3-65
terception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-30
ints (Number-Avg)	4-38	5-41.4
ımbles-Lost	3-1	0-0
enalties-Yards	3-35	6-46
ossession Time	25:01	34:59
nird-Down Conversions	6 of 15	8 of 16
ourth-Down Conversions	4 of 4	1 of 1
d-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	3-3
acks By: Number-Yards	2-22	1-1



SAMFORD (0.2) FLORIDA (1.1)

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 7, 2024 - BEN HILL GRIFFIN STADIUM - GAINESVILLE, FLA.
ATTENDANCE: 89,295 | TV: ESPN+/SEC NETWORK+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL	
Samford	0	0	7	0	7	
Florida	7	7	14	17	45	

SCORI	IG SUMMARY	
1st	02:53	UFL - Johnson Jr., Montrell 1 yd run (Smack, Trey kick), 4 plays, 86 yards, TOP 01:55
2nd	07:02	UFL - Johnson Jr., Montrell 7 yd run (Smack, Trey kick), 5 plays, 70 yards, TOP 02:18
3rd	13:38	UFL - Hawkins, Tank 36 yd pass from Lagway, DJ (Smack, Trey kick) 4 plays, 69 yards, TOP 01:07
	07:40	SAM - Witherspoon, Damonta 1 yd run (Taylor, Forrest kick), 12 plays, 75 yards, TOP 05:58
	05:52	UFL - Mizell, Aidan 41 yd pass from Lagway, DJ (Smack, Trey kick) 4 plays, 75 yards, TOP 01:48
4th	13:18	UFL - Smack, Trey 25 yd field goal 15 plays, 56 yards, TOP 06:37
	09:55	UFL - Lagway, DJ 85 yd pass from Lagway, DJ (Smack, Trey kick) 1 plays, 85 yards, TOP 00:13
	00:48	LIFL - Warner Aidan 9 vd run (Smack Trey kick) 6 plays 29 yards TOP 02:09

STATISTICS	SAM	UFL
FIRST DOWNS	15	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	35-61	34-166
PASSING YDS (NET)	205	466
Passes Att-Comp-Int	22-33-0	19-28-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	68-205	62-632
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	15	3-37
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-18	1-31
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-40.3	2-49.5
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	3-30	7-77
Possession Time	33:30	26:30
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 15	5 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	4-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	4-27









ALABAMA STATE (1-2) SAMFORD (1-2)

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 14, 2024 - PETE HANNA STADIUM - BIRMINGHAM, ALA. ATTENDANCE: 6,045 | TV: ESPN+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL	
Alabama State	7	0	0	0	7	
Samford	0	6	6	0	12	

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	07:58	ASU - Harris II, Marcus 14 yd run (Gilliam, Brandon kick), 4 plays, 61 yards, TOP 01:30	
2nd	05:46	SAM - Cousin, laan 5 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy () 7 plays, 77 yards, TOP 03:15	
3rd	07:01	SAM - Witherspoon Damonta Lyd run () 13 plays 54 yards TOP 06:33	

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Third-Down Conversions 5 of 16 5 of	17
Fourth-Down Conversions 0 of 0 0 of	0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances 1-1 2-5	5
Sacks By: Number-Yards 1-12 2-1	9



VMI (0-5, 0-1 SoCon) **SAMFORD** (2-2, 1-0 SoCon)

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SATURDAY, OCT. 5, 2024 - PETE HANNA STADIUM - BIRMINGHAM, ALA. ATTENDANCE: 3,617 | TV: ESPN+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL	
VMI	3	0	0	0	3	
Samford	7	10	7	3	27	

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	06:30	VMI - Beck, Caden 33 yd field goal 16 plays, 60 yards, TOP 08:23
1st	03:28	SAM - Mason, E. Jai 5 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 9 plays, 71 yards, TOP 02:57
2nd	14:54	SAM - Jenkins, Brendan 18 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 7 plays, 70 yards, TOP 02:04
2nd	06:40	SAM - Taylor, Forrest 31 yd field goal 4 plays, 7 yards, TOP 01:26
3rd	04:36	SAM - Mason, E. Jai 8 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 2 plays, 6 yards, TOP 00:48
4th	05:16	SAM - Taylor, Forrest 29 yd field goal 10 plays, 47 yards, TOP 06:31

STATISTICS	VMI	SAM
FIRST DOWNS	10	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	32-44	27-116
PASSING YDS (NET)	87	196
Passes Att-Comp-Int	14-28-1	26-30-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	60-131	57-312
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-2	2-16
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-95	2-42
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-45
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-39.0	4-38.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-40	2-15
Possession Time	30:28	29:32
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 18	4 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 2	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	5-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-7	3-32









SAMFORD (2-3, 1-1 SoCon) **ETSU** (4-3, 2-1 SoCon)

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SATURDAY, OCT. 12, 2024 - WILLIAM B. GREENE JR. STADIUM - JOHNSON CITY, TENN. ATTENDANCE: 8,013 | TV: ESPN+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL	
Samford	14	7	7	0	28	
FTSII	7	7	7	10	31	

SCORIN	G SUMMARY	
1st	10:11	SAM - Vinson, Rayf 89 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 3 plays, 95 yards, TOP 00:51
1st	03:17	ETS - Meggett, Hakeem 31 yd pass from King, Jaylen (Johnson, Ewan kick) 6 plays, 52 yards, TOP 02:22
1st	01:32	SAM - Mason, E. Jai 41 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 5 plays, 70 yards, TOP 01:39
2nd	12:55	SAM - Carlock, Wesley 23 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 7 plays, 61 yards, TOP 02:38
2nd	02:18	ETS - Johnson, AJ 15 yd pass from King, Jaylen (Johnson, Ewan kick) 3 plays, 60 yards, TOP 00:43
3rd	10:35	SAM - Mason, E. Jai 7 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 3 plays, 32 yards, TOP 00:58
3rd	06:54	ETS - Johnson, AJ 75 yd pass from King, Jaylen (Johnson, Ewan kick) 2 plays, 92 yards, TOP 00:36
4th	14:13	ETS - Johnson, Ewan 23 yd field goal 13 plays, 47 yards, TOP 06:21
4th	01:46	ETS - English, Gino 1 yd run (Johnson, Ewan kick), 5 plays, 33 yards, TOP 02:10

STATISTICS	SAM	ETSU
FIRST DOWNS	14	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	28-13	50-151
PASSING YDS (NET)	306	304
Passes Att-Comp-Int	27-37-0	16-29-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	65-319	79-455
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-11	4-44
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-78	1-15
Interception Returns-Yards	3-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	10-37.4	4-42.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	6-49	8-85
Possession Time	26:21	33:39
Third-Down Conversions	2-of-14	4-of-17
Fourth-Down Conversions	0-of-1	2-of-4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-3	3-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-13	7-50



#7	MERCER	(6-1, 3-1 SoCon)
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SATURDAY, OCT. 19, 2024 - PETE HANNA STADIUM - BIRMINGHAM, ALA. ATTENDANCE: 4,215 | TV: ESPN+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL	
#7 Mercer	7	0	21	7	35	
Samford	28	14	0	13	55	

SCORING	SUMMARY	
1st	12:15	SAM - Rias,DJ 15 yd pass from Crittendon,Quincy (Beaverstock,Wilson kick) 5 plays, 30 yards, TOP 01:22
1st	11:32	SAM - Rias, DJ 15 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Beaverstock, Wilson kick) 1 plays, 15 yards, TOP 00:08
1st	10:59	SAM - Mason 24 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Beaverstock, Wilson kick) 3 plays, 26 yards, TOP 00:28
1st	08:25	SAM - Cousin, Iaan 77 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Beaverstock, Wilson kick) 1 plays, 77 yards, TOP 00:10
1st	00:18	MER - Smith,DJ 1 yd run (Griffith,Reice kick), 8 plays, 55 yards, TOP 04:20
2nd	04:22	SAM - Witherspoon, Damonta 2 yd run (Beaverstock, Wilson kick), 15 plays, 73 yards, TOP 05:53
2nd	00:22	SAM - Witherspoon, Damonta 4 yd run (Beaverstock, Wilson kick), 6 plays, 89 yards, TOP 01:45
3rd	11:38	MER - McGee, Dwayne 1 yd run (Griffith, Reice kick), 5 plays, 60 yards, TOP 01:52
3rd	05:38	MER - McGee, Dwayne 2 yd run (Griffith, Reice kick), 1 plays, 2 yards, TOP 00:04
3rd	02:25	MER - Albee, Sam 5 yd pass from Smith, DJ (Griffith, Reice kick) 4 plays, 67 yards, TOP 01:31
4th	11:43	SAM - Morris, Gavin 55 yd fumble recovery ()
4th	06:33	SAM - Martin, Noah 26 yd interception (Beaverstock, Wilson kick)
4th	01:42	MER - Smith, Brayden 5 yd pass from Newbauer, Whitt (Griffith, Reice kick) 9 plays, 75 yards, TOP 04:51

STATISTICS	MER	SAM
FIRST DOWNS	17	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	34-39	33-68
PASSING YDS (NET)	352	378
Passes Att-Comp-Int	24-39-2	23-37-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	73-391	70-446
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-55
Punt Returns-Yards	22	2-24
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-98	1-21
Interception Returns-Yards	3-104	2-30
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-40.1	7-33.3
Fumbles-Lost	4-3	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-50	3-24
Possession Time	31:13	28:47
Third-Down Conversions	7-of-16	2-of-13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-of-1	2-of-2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	5-5	4-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-18	6-53







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Team Results

	Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conf	Time	Attend
	08/31/2024	at West Ga.	L	29-38	0-1	0-0	3:37	4329
	09/07/2024	at Florida	L	7-45	0-2	0-0	3:20	89295
	09/14/2024	Alabama St.	W	12-7	1-2	0-0	2:51	6045
*	10/05/2024	VMI	W	27-3	2-2	1-0	2:42	3617
*	10/12/2024	at ETSU	L	28-31	2-3	1-1	3:23	8013
*	10/19/2024	Mercer	W	55-35	3-3	2-1	3:19	4216



2024-25 Samford Football Overall Team Statistics All games

Team Statistics

	SU	OPP
Scoring	158	159
Points per game	26.3	26.5
Points Off Turnovers	21	19
First Downs	106	104
Rushing	38	46
Passing	60	50
Penalty	8	8
Rushing Yardage	536	688
Yards gained rushing	753	873
Yards lost rushing	217	185
Rushing attempts	207	229
Average per rush	2.6	3.0
Average per game	89.3	114.7
TDs Rushing	6	11
Passing Yardage	1516	1586
Comp-Att-Int	141-204-5	106-182-6
Average per pass	7.4	8.7
Average per catch	10.8	15.0
Average per game	252.7	264.3
TDs Passing	14	10
Total offense	2052	2274
Total plays	411	411
Average per play	5.0	5.5
Average per game	342.0	379.0
Kick returns: #-Yards	16-357	18-354
Punt returns: #-Yards	12-85	11-102
Int returns: #-Yards	6-75	5-153
Kick return average	22.3	19.7
Punt return average	7.1	9.3
Int return average	12.5	30.6
Fumbles-Lost	12-2	7-5
Penalties-Yards	20-179	37-335
Average per game	29.8	55.8
Punts-Yards	41-1535	37-1460
Average per punt	37.4	39.5
Net punt average	35.3	37.2
Kickoffs-Yards	30-1852	33-1884
Average per kick	61.7	57.1
Net kick average	40.1	36.1
Time of possession / game	29:42	30:18
3rd-down conversion	25/84	33/93
3rd-down pct	30%	35%
4rd-down conversion	6/7	7/11





2024-25 Samford Football Overall Team Statistics All games

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	SU	ОРР
4rd-down pct	86%	64%
Sacks by-Yards	16-139	17-120
Misc Yards	0	0
Touchdowns scored	22	21
Field goals - attempts	2-6	5-7
On-Side kicks	0-0	0-0
Red-zone scores	(17-24) 71%	(17-21) 81%
Red-zone touchdowns	(15-24) 63%	(13-21) 62%
PAT-attempts	(18-20) 90%	(18-21) 86%
2-point conversion-attempts	(1-2) 50%	(0-0) 0%
Attendance	13878	101637
Games / Avg per game	3/4626	3/33879
Neutral site games	-	0/0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	ОТ	ТОТ
Samford	56	44	42	16	0	158
Opponents	45	26	42	46	0	159



Team Results

	Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
	08/31/2024	at West Ga.	L	29-38	4329
	09/07/2024	at Florida	L	7-45	89295
	09/14/2024	Alabama St.	w	12-7	6045
*	10/05/2024	VMI	W	27-3	3617
*	10/12/2024	at ETSU	L	28-31	8013
*	10/19/2024	Mercer	W	55-35	4216

Rushing

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Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Damonta Witherspoon	6	74	292	14	278	3.8	4	33	46.3
Micah Kelly	6	38	148	14	134	3.5	0	30	22.3
Quincy Crittendon	6	68	239	135	104	1.5	2	38	17.3
DJ Rias	6	2	25	0	25	12.5	0	16	4.2
Ken Cherry	4	10	22	5	17	1.7	0	4	4.3
Haden Klees	1	1	7	0	7	7.0	0	7	7.0
Jonathan Bennett	2	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	2.5
laan Cousin	5	4	14	11	3	0.8	0	9	0.6
E. Jai Mason	6	0	1	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.2
Nik Scalzo	1	1	0	7	-7	-7.0	0	0	-7.0
Team	6	8	0	31	-31	-3.9	0	0	-5.2
Total	6	207	753	217	536	2.6	6	38	89.3
Opponents	6	229	873	185	688	3.0	11	28	114.7

Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Quincy Crittendon	6	152.3	141-200-5	70.5	1516	14	89	252.7
DJ Rias	6	0.0	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Nik Scalzo	1	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Team	6	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	6	149.3	141-204-5	69.1	1516	14	89	252.7
Opponents	6	143.0	106-182-6	58.2	1586	10	85	264.3

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E. Jai Mason	6	28	269	9.6	5	41	44.8
DJ Rias	6	27	219	8.1	2	27	36.5
Brendan Jenkins	6	20	296	14.8	2	68	49.3
Iaan Cousin	5	16	276	17.3	2	77	55.2
Damonta Witherspoon	6	14	103	7.4	1	35	17.2
Preston Bird	6	7	69	9.9	0	23	11.5
Micah Kelly	6	4	18	4.5	0	18	3.0
Sam Willoughby	6	4	12	3.0	0	12	2.0
Rayf Vinson	6	4	117	29.3	1	89	19.5
Stephen Martin	6	3	27	9.0	0	12	4.5
Jaylon Barden	6	3	16	5.3	0	12	2.7
Wesley Carlock	3	3	41	13.7	1	23	13.7
Teddy Davenport	4	3	6	2.0	0	6	1.5
Tate Taylor	6	3	47	15.7	0	29	7.8
Quincy Crittendon	6	1	-9	-9.0	0	0	-1.5
Ken Cherry	4	1	9	9.0	0	9	2.3
Total	6	141	1516	10.8	14	89	252.7
Opponents	6	106	1586	15.0	10	85	264.3

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	3-3	3-0	0-3	0-0
CONFERENCE	2-1	2-0	0-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	1-2	1-0	0-2	0-0

Team Statistics

	SU	OPP
First Downs	106	104
Rushing	38	46
Passing	60	50
Penalty	8	8
Rushing Yardage	536	688
Rushing attempts	207	229
Average per rush	2.6	3.0
Average per game	89.3	114.7
TDs Rushing	6	11
Passing Yardage	1516	1586
Comp-Att-Int	141-204-5	106-182-6
Average per pass	7.4	8.7
Average per catch	10.8	15.0
Average per game	252.7	264.3
TDs Passing	14	10
Total offense	2052	2274
Average per play	5.0	5.5
Average per game	342.0	379.0
Kick returns: #-Yards	16-357	18-354
Punt returns: #-Yards	12-85	11-102
Int returns: #-Yards	6-75	5-153
Fumbles-Lost	12-2	7-5
Penalties-Yards	20-179	37-335
Punts-Avg	41-37.4	37-39.5
Time of possession / game	29:42	30:18
3rd-down conversion	25/84	33/93
4rd-down conversion	6/7	7/11
PAT-attempts	(18-20) 90%	(18-21) 86%
2-point conversion-attempts	(1-2) 50%	(0-0) 0%

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Xavier Lanier	1	0	0.0	0	0
Noah Martin	1	26	26.0	1	26
Midnight Steward	1	45	45.0	0	45
Dontae Pollard	1	0	0.0	0	0
Jaden Mosley	1	4	4.0	0	4
Jalik Yancey	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	6	75	12.5	1	45
Opponents	5	153	30.6	0	48





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Punt Returns

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Field Goals									
Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Forrest Taylor	2-6	33.3	0-0	1-4	1-1	0-1	0-0	31	1
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Forrest Taylor	2-6	33.3	0-0	1-4	1-1	0-1	0-0	31	1
Opponents	5-7	71.4	0-0	3-3	1-1	1-3	0-0	49	0

				PAT					
Player	td	fg	kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
E. Jai Mason	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	32
Damonta Witherspoon	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Forrest Taylor	-	2-6	11-12	-	-	-	-	-	17
Iaan Cousin	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
DJ Rias	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Quincy Crittendon	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Brendan Jenkins	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Wilson Beaverstock	-	-	7-8	-	-	-	-	-	7
Noah Martin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Wesley Carlock	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Rayf Vinson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Gavin Morris	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	22	2-6	18-20	1	0	0	0	0	158
Opponents	21	5-7	18-21	0	0	0	0	0	159

Score by Periods						
Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	ОТ	TOT
Samford	56	44	42	16	0	158
Opponents	45	26	42	46	0	159

Punting									
Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Will Thorley	41	1535	37.4	49	1	16	13	0	0
Total	41	1535	37.4	49	1	16	13	0	0
Opponents	37	1460	39.5	61	1	14	11	4	0

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Jaylon Barden	9	62	6.9	0	15
DJ Rias	3	23	7.7	0	17
Total	12	85	7.1	0	17
Opponents	11	102	9.3	0	31
Kick Returns					
Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
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Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
DJ Rias	12	266	22.2	0	30
Iaan Cousin	2	58	29.0	0	33
Daniel Bettis	1	15	15.0	0	15
Preston Bird	1	18	18.0	0	18
Total	16	357	22.3	0	33
Opponents	18	354	19.7	0	31

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
DJ Rias	6	25	219	23	266	0	533	88.8
Damonta Witherspoon	6	278	103	0	0	0	381	63.5
Iaan Cousin	5	3	276	0	58	0	337	67.4
Brendan Jenkins	6	0	296	0	0	0	296	49.3
E. Jai Mason	6	1	269	0	0	0	270	45.0
Micah Kelly	6	134	18	0	0	0	152	25.3
Rayf Vinson	6	0	117	0	0	0	117	19.5
Quincy Crittendon	6	104	-9	0	0	0	95	15.8
Preston Bird	6	0	69	0	18	0	87	14.5
Jaylon Barden	6	0	16	62	0	0	78	13.0
Tate Taylor	6	0	47	0	0	0	47	7.8
Midnight Steward	4	0	0	0	0	45	45	11.3
Wesley Carlock	3	0	41	0	0	0	41	13.7
Stephen Martin	6	0	27	0	0	0	27	4.5
Noah Martin	6	0	0	0	0	26	26	4.3
Ken Cherry	4	17	9	0	0	0	26	6.5
Daniel Bettis	6	0	0	0	15	0	15	2.5
Sam Willoughby	6	0	12	0	0	0	12	2.0
Haden Klees	1	7	0	0	0	0	7	7.0
Teddy Davenport	4	0	6	0	0	0	6	1.5
Jonathan Bennett	2	5	0	0	0	0	5	2.5
Jaden Mosley	6	0	0	0	0	4	4	0.7
Nik Scalzo	1	-7	0	0	0	0	-7	-7.0
Total	6	536	1516	85	357	75	2569	428.2
Opponents	6	688	1586	102	354	153	2883	480.5

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Quincy Crittendon	6	268	104	1516	1620	270.0
Damonta Witherspoon	6	74	278	0	278	46.3
Micah Kelly	6	38	134	0	134	22.3
DJ Rias	6	4	25	0	25	4.2
Ken Cherry	4	10	17	0	17	4.3
Haden Klees	1	1	7	0	7	7.0
Jonathan Bennett	2	1	5	0	5	2.5
Iaan Cousin	5	4	3	0	3	0.6
E. Jai Mason	6	0	1	0	1	0.2
Nik Scalzo	1	2	-7	0	-7	-7.0
Total	6	411	536	1516	2052	342.0
Opponents	6	411	688	1586	2274	379.0



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Team Defense

				Ta	ckles		Sacks		defens		Fumble		blko	
##	Player	gp	ua	а	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	sa
5	Noah Martin	6	25	33	58	2.5-9	1-4	1-26	1	1	1-0	1		
33	Jaden Mosley	6	20	24	44	5.5-27	2-16	1-4	1	1				
29	C.J. Douglas	6	21	16	37	2-3			3			1		
24	Edwin Dearman	6	19	8	27	0.5-2			1	1				
1	Dontae Pollard	6	11	10	21	2-10	1-7	1-0			1-0	1		
39	Gavin Morris	6	8	9	17	1-3				1	1-55			
6	Jalen Nelson	5	12	4	16									
2	Jalik Yancey	6	11	5	16	1-8	1-8	1-0	5		1-0			
16	Kamron Smith	6	10	5	15	1-10	1-10		1				1	
81	Jamall Thompson	6	10	4	14	2-3	1-1			2				
98	Joshua Mathiasen	6	6	7	13	1-4				1				
22	Xavier Nurse	6	7	5	12	2.5-26	2-26		1	2		2		
45	Thomas Neville	5	7	5	12	2-15	1-14			2				
55	Johnny Johnson	6	2	10	12	2.5-9	1-7			2				
42	Jordan Russell	5	2	10	12	1-2								
94	Makhi Gilbert	5	7	3	10	2.5-13	1.5-11			1				
34	Mailk Gaither	4	3	6	9	2-8	1-7							
4	Xavier Lanier	6	5	2	7	1-1		1-0	2					
90	Conroy Cunningham	5	2	5	7	2-11	1-8			6				
9	Midnight Steward	4	6	1	7			1-45	2		1-0			
13	Jamari Cannon	5	3	4	7				1					
97	Nick Jackson	5	3	3	6	2-8	0.5-5			3				
91	Jaylin Rainey	5	2	3	5	1-15	1-15							
46	Trustin Northington	6	1	4	5									
30	Carson Sloan	4	3	1	4					1				
0	David Coltrane	6	2	1	3									
35	Deuce Caldwell	3	1	2	3									
27	Quantaves Gaskins	5	1	2	3									
44	Corey Warren	5	2	1	3									
80	Wilson Beaverstock	6	1	1	2									
58	Chris Noble	6	1	1	2									
40	Wade White	6	2		2									
8	Luke Wattenbarger	3	1	1	2				1					
15	laan Cousin	5	1		1									
96	Nazir Sy	2	1		1					1				
31	Damonta Witherspoon	6	1		1									
85	Wesley Carlock	3		1	1									
17	Seth Parker	3	1		1									
20	Camden Kuhn	1		1	1									
11	Rayf Vinson	6	1		1									
61	Alex Applefield	6		1	1									
50	Darrian King	6		1	1									
87	Forrest Taylor	5												
	Totals	6	223	200	423	37-187	16-139	6-75	19	25	5-55	5	1	0
	Opponents	6	244	162	406	56-227	17-120	5-153	20	19	2-0		2	0





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Samford Inside Opponent Red-Zone

				Times	Times	Total		Rush	Pass	FGs	Fai	led t	o sc	ore in	side	RZ
Date	Opponent		Score	In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA D	own	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
08/31/2024	at West Ga.	L	29-38	4	3	21	3	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
09/07/2024	at Florida	L	7-45	1	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/14/2024	Alabama St.	W	12-7	5	2	12	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
10/05/2024	VMI	W	27-3	6	5	27	3	0	3	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
10/12/2024	at ETSU	L	28-31	3	2	14	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
10/19/2024	Mercer	W	55-35	5	4	28	4	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
	Totals 17 of 2	24 (7	70.8%)	24	17	109	15	6	9	2	5	0	3	0	0	1

Opponents Inside Samford Red-Zone

				Times	Times	Total		Rush	Pass	FGs	F	ailed t	0 50	core in	side	RZ
Date	Opponent		Score	In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
08/31/2024	West Ga.	L	29-38	3	3	16	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
09/07/2024	Florida	L	7-45	6	4	24	3	3	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0
09/14/2024	Alabama St.	W	12-7	1	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/05/2024	VMI	W	27-3	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
10/12/2024	ETSU	L	28-31	5	3	17	2	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1
10/19/2024	Mercer	W	55-35	5	5	35	5	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Totals 17 of 2	21 (8	31.0%)	21	17	102	13	10	3	4	4	2	0	1	0	1





Team Defense

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				Tac	kles		Sacks		defen		Fumbl		blk	
##	Player	gp	ua	а	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
5	Noah Martin	6	25	33	58	2.5-9	1-4	1-26	1	1	1-0	1		
33	Jaden Mosley	6	20	24	44	5.5-27	2-16	1-4	1	1				
29	C.J. Douglas	6	21	16	37	2-3			3			1		
24	Edwin Dearman	6	19	8	27	0.5-2	•		1	1				
1	Dontae Pollard	6	11	10	21	2-10	1-7	1-0			1-0	1		
39	Gavin Morris	6	8	9	17	1-3				1	1-55			
2	Jalik Yancey	6	11	5	16	1-8	1-8	1-0	5		1-0			
6	Jalen Nelson	5	12	4	16									
16	Kamron Smith	6	10	5	15	1-10	1-10		1				1	
81	Jamall Thompson	6	10	4	14	2-3	1-1			2				
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9	Midnight Steward	4	6	1	7			1-45	2		1-0			
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4	Xavier Lanier	6	5	2	7	1-1		1-0	2					
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44	Corey Warren	5	2	1	3									
80	Wilson Beaverstock	6	1	1	2									
8	Luke Wattenbarger	3	1	1	2				1					
58	Chris Noble	6	1	1	2									
40	Wade White	6	2		2									
15	laan Cousin	5	1		1									
61	Alex Applefield	6		1	1									
96	Nazir Sy	2	1		1					1				
31	Damonta Witherspoon	6	1		1									
50	Darrian King	6		1	1									
11	Rayf Vinson	6	1		1									
85	Wesley Carlock	3		1	1									
17	Seth Parker	3	1		1									





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				Ta	ckles		Sacks	Pass	defen	se	Fumble	es	blk	(d
##	Player g	р	ua	а	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
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Jonathan Bennett	2	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	2.5
laan Cousin	5	4	14	11	3	0.8	0	9	0.6
E. Jai Mason	6	0	1	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.2
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Nik Scalzo	1	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Team	6	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
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Stephen Martin	6	3	27	9.0	0	12	4.5
Jaylon Barden	6	3	16	5.3	0	12	2.7
Wesley Carlock	3	3	41	13.7	1	23	13.7
Teddy Davenport	4	3	6	2.0	0	6	1.5
Tate Taylor	6	3	47	15.7	0	29	7.8
Quincy Crittendon	6	1	-9	-9.0	0	0	-1.5
Ken Cherry	4	1	9	9.0	0	9	2.3
Total	6	141	1516	10.8	14	89	252.7
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DJ Rias	3	23	7.7	0	17
Total	12	85	7.1	0	17
Opponents	11	102	9.3	0	31

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Xavier Lanier	1	0	0.0	0	0
Noah Martin	1	26	26.0	1	26
Midnight Steward	1	45	45.0	0	45
Dontae Pollard	1	0	0.0	0	0
Jaden Mosley	1	4	4.0	0	4
Jalik Yancey	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	6	75	12.5	1	45
Opponents	5	153	30.6	0	48

Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
DJ Rias	12	266	22.2	0	30
laan Cousin	2	58	29.0	0	33
Daniel Bettis	1	15	15.0	0	15
Preston Bird	1	18	18.0	0	18
Total	16	357	22.3	0	33
Opponents	18	354	19.7	0	31

Fumble Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Gavin Morris	1	55	55.0	1	55
Noah Martin	1	0	0.0	0	0
Midnight Steward	1	0	0.0	0	0
Dontae Pollard	1	0	0.0	0	0
Jalik Yancey	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	5	55	11.0	1	55
Opponents	2	0	0.0	0	0





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Scoring

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Player	td	fg	kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
E. Jai Mason	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	32
Damonta Witherspoon	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Forrest Taylor	-	2-6	11-12	-	-	-	-	-	17
Iaan Cousin	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
DJ Rias	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Quincy Crittendon	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Brendan Jenkins	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Wilson Beaverstock	-	-	7-8	-	-	-	-	-	7
Noah Martin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Wesley Carlock	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Rayf Vinson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Gavin Morris	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	22	2-6	18-20	1	0	0	0	0	158
Opponents	21	5-7	18-21	0	0	0	0	0	159

Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Forrest Taylor	2-6	33.3	0-0	1-4	1-1	0-1	0-0	31	1
Opponents	5-7	71.4	0-0	3-3	1-1	1-3	0-0	49	0

FG Sequence

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Team Name	Samford	Opponents
West Ga.	45	(49),(28)
Alabama St.	29	49
VMI	(31),29,(29)	(33)
ETSU	28	(23)
Florida		(25)
Mercer		44

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made

Total Offense

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Quincy Crittendon	6	268	104	1516	1620	270.0
Damonta Witherspoon	6	74	278	0	278	46.3
Micah Kelly	6	38	134	0	134	22.3
DJ Rias	6	4	25	0	25	4.2
Ken Cherry	4	10	17	0	17	4.3
Haden Klees	1	1	7	0	7	7.0
Jonathan Bennett	2	1	5	0	5	2.5
Iaan Cousin	5	4	3	0	3	0.6
E. Jai Mason	6	0	1	0	1	0.2
Nik Scalzo	1	2	-7	0	-7	-7.0
Team	6	0	-31	0	-31	-5.2
Total	6	411	536	1516	2052	342.0
Opponents	6	411	688	1586	2274	379.0

Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Will Thorley	41	1535	37.4	49	1	16	13	0	0
Total	41	1535	37.4	49	1	16	13	0	0
Opponents	37	1460	39.5	61	1	14	11	4	0

Kickoffs

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Player	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Wilson Beaverstock	30	1852	61.7	9	1			
Total	30	1852	61.7	9	1	18	40.1	24
Opponents	33	1884	57.1	5	2	16	36.1	28





All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
DJ Rias	6	25	219	23	266	0	533	88.8
Damonta Witherspoon	6	278	103	0	0	0	381	63.5
laan Cousin	5	3	276	0	58	0	337	67.4
Brendan Jenkins	6	0	296	0	0	0	296	49.3
E. Jai Mason	6	1	269	0	0	0	270	45.0
Micah Kelly	6	134	18	0	0	0	152	25.3
Rayf Vinson	6	0	117	0	0	0	117	19.5
Quincy Crittendon	6	104	-9	0	0	0	95	15.8
Preston Bird	6	0	69	0	18	0	87	14.5
Jaylon Barden	6	0	16	62	0	0	78	13.0
Tate Taylor	6	0	47	0	0	0	47	7.8
Midnight Steward	4	0	0	0	0	45	45	11.3
Wesley Carlock	3	0	41	0	0	0	41	13.7
Stephen Martin	6	0	27	0	0	0	27	4.5
Noah Martin	6	0	0	0	0	26	26	4.3
Ken Cherry	4	17	9	0	0	0	26	6.5
Daniel Bettis	6	0	0	0	15	0	15	2.5
Sam Willoughby	6	0	12	0	0	0	12	2.0
Haden Klees	1	7	0	0	0	0	7	7.0
Teddy Davenport	4	0	6	0	0	0	6	1.5
Jonathan Bennett	2	5	0	0	0	0	5	2.5
Jaden Mosley	6	0	0	0	0	4	4	0.7
Nik Scalzo	1	-7	0	0	0	0	-7	-7.0
Team	6	-31	0	0	0	0	-31	-5.2
Total	6	536	1516	85	357	75	2569	428.2
Opponents	6	688	1586	102	354	153	2883	480.5





