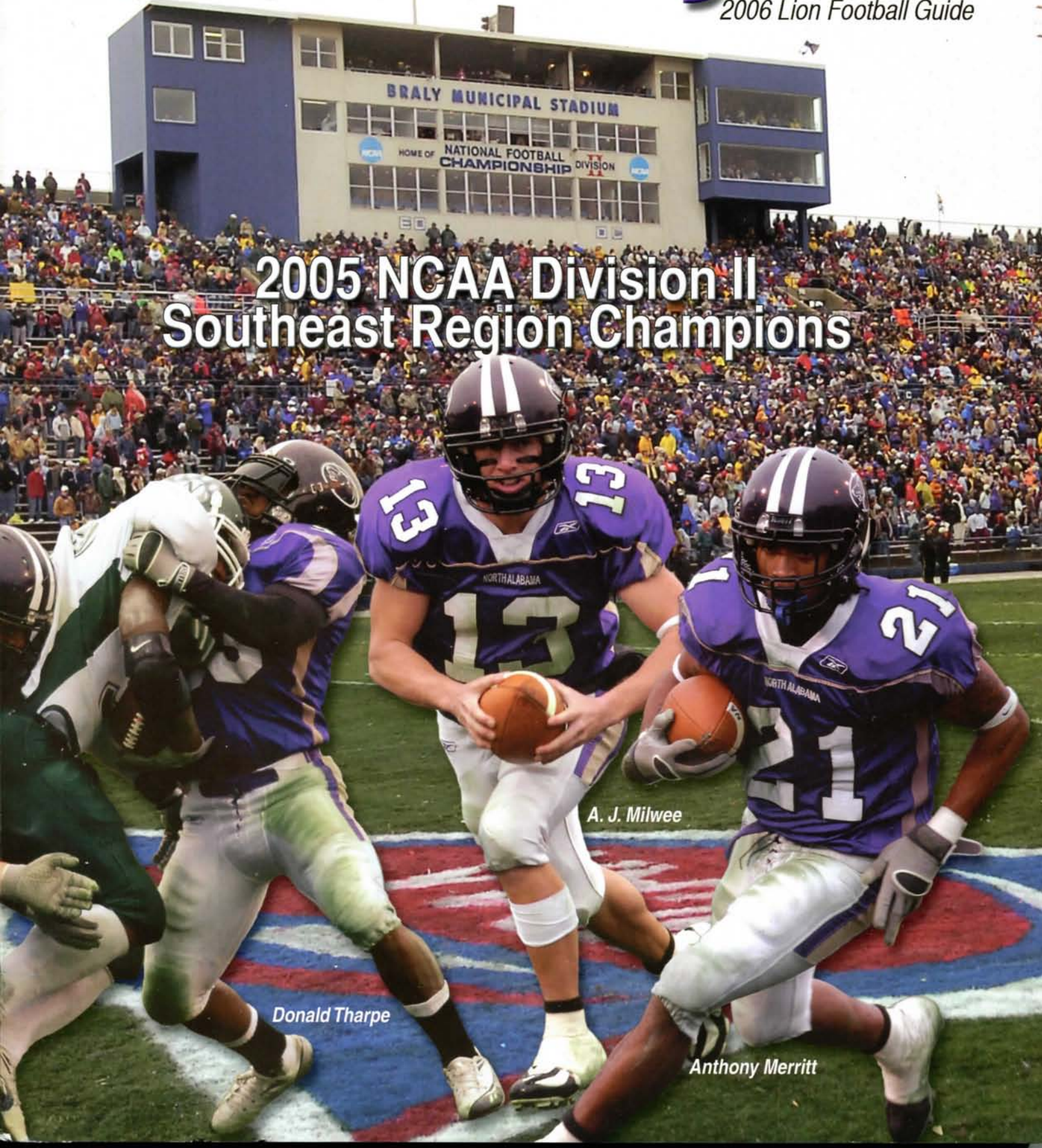


UNIVERSITY OF  
**NORTH ALABAMA**

2006 Lion Football Guide

2005 NCAA Division II  
Southeast Region Champions



*A. J. Milwee*

*Donald Tharpe*

*Anthony Merritt*

# Lions on the Air



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with J.D. Byars and Jimmy Oliver

*Audio Streaming of Lion Football Games*

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## QUICK FACTS

**LOCATION** ..... Florence, Alabama  
**FOUNDED** ..... 1830  
**ENROLLMENT** ..... 5,900  
**PRESIDENT** ..... Dr. William Cale  
**ATHLETIC DIRECTOR** ..... Dr. Joel Erdmann  
**NICKNAME** ..... Lions  
**COLORS** ..... Purple and Gold  
**CONFERENCE** ..... Gulf South  
**AFFILIATION** ..... NCAA Division II  
**FACILITY** ..... Braly Municipal Stadium

Capacity ..... 14,215  
Field ..... natural grass (prescription athletic turf)  
Press Box Phone ..... (256) 760-6372, 760-6373

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alma mater ..... Delta State (1992)  
record at UNA ..... 33-16 (4 years)  
collegiate record ..... same  
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Steadman Campbell/Cornerbacks  
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(5 defense, 4 offense, 2 specialty)

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# THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH ALABAMA



# THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH ALABAMA

The University of North Alabama, established in 1830 as LaGrange College, became, in 1872, the first state-supported teachers college south of the Ohio River and one of the first co-ed colleges in the nation. UNA has developed into a regional university providing quality educational opportunities for students from the three-state region of Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee.

North Alabama's academic role has expanded through the years. Bachelor's degrees are offered in majors in the colleges of arts and sciences, business, education and nursing and allied health. Pre-Professional preparation for medicine, dentistry, optometry, podiatry, pharmacy, law, agriculture and forestry, engineering, veterinary medicine, medical technology and other allied health professions is offered. Various master's degrees are offered in the arts and sciences, education and business fields.

North Alabama was the first major university to offer a four-year degree program in commercial music. Majors have interned in record industry offices in Nashville, New York, Los Angeles, London, Stockholm, and nearby Muscle Shoals. That program has since been expanded with the development of the UNA Entertainment Industry Center and the addition of an entertainment industry management major. UNA is one of 11 schools nationwide offering an undergraduate degree in industrial hygiene. Foreign language, nursing, business, and science students also have opportunities to study abroad.

Numerous faculty and staff members hold positions of distinction in various national, regional and state professional organizations. Many have written books and/or published articles in newspaper, magazines and professional journals. The *Journal of Legal Economics* is published at UNA.

Various centers have been established at North Alabama to serve its constituency. Operated by faculty and staff, they give undergraduate and graduate students opportunities for research and public services.

These centers include the Occupational and Environmental Health Laboratory. Its scientific research has attracted national and international attention in the health field. The Geographic Research Center, in cooperation with the National Geographic Society, has increased the profile of geography in the state and has opened doors for students to have hands-on participation in mapping and



demographics research for various governmental agencies. Science faculty and students teach and study marine biology-related courses at Dauphin Island Sealab near Mobile, Alabama.

North Alabama also houses the Northwest Alabama Education Research and Inservice Center, which provides inservice training for elementary and secondary educators in a six-county region. UNA has the only state university-operated kindergarten and grammar school, which affords education students a professional development laboratory experience in teaching.

Serving a nine-County region, the Small Business Development Center provides information, counseling and assistance to small businesses or to people planning to start small businesses. The Rare and Endangered Species Research Center personnel are conducting research on several endangered species in the region. The Wellness Research and Service Center studies and develops wellness, exercise, nutrition, stress management, health education counseling and environmental support programs.

The University of North Alabama works closely with various southern universities and many local, state and federal agencies on a myriad of projects and activities.

Supporting the faculty are the extensive resources of the Collier Library system, which is also a federal records depository. It is computerized and linked into various library loan research networks. Collier

Library also houses several collections, including the television and film scripts and other works of actors Dr. George Lindsey and Dr. Ernest Borgnine.

UNA has developed a national following in recent years with the development of the George Lindsey/UNA Television and Film Festival, which attracts several industry luminaries to campus.

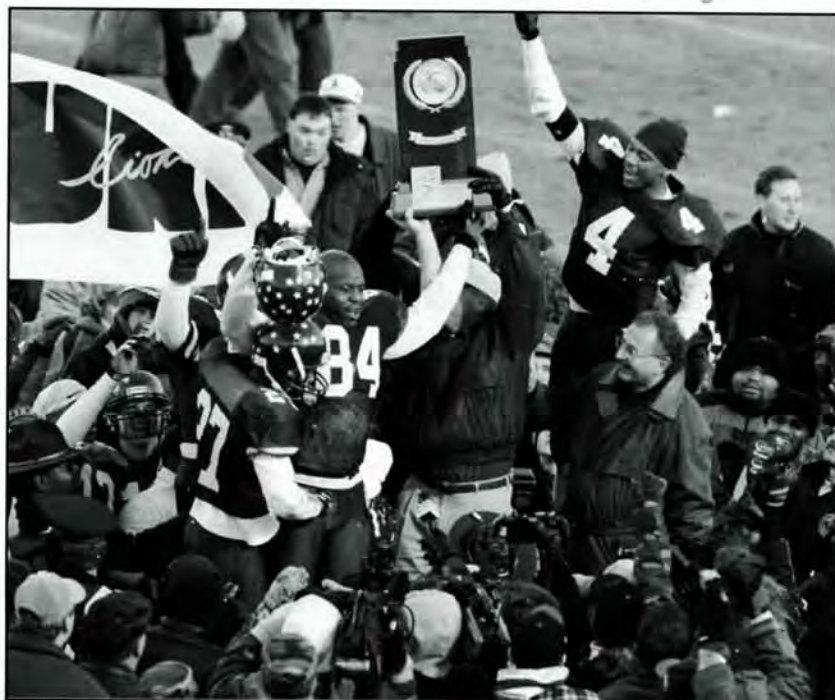
UNA students excel in academics, student activities and athletics. Often they are recognized nationally for their achievements in specific areas. In recent years, football and basketball teams have won national championships.

UNA is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. The colleges of business, education and nursing are nationally accredited, while several departments in the College of Arts and Sciences are nationally accredited.

The University of North Alabama's alumni are equally successful. Among them are a Pulitzer Prize winner for literature and one for editorial cartooning, two Alabama governors, a Texas governor, numerous members of the U.S. Congress, thousands of educators, national business and industry CEOs and internationally-renowned sculptor, a *National Geographic* photographer and special assistant to the President of the United States.

# **ATHLETIC TRADITION**

## ***NORTH ALABAMA HAS WON SIX NCAA DIVISION II NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS***



**1979 - Men's Basketball**  
**1991 - Men's Basketball**  
**1993 - Football**  
**1994 - Football**  
**1995 - Football**  
**2003 - Women's Volleyball**



# ATHLETIC TRADITION



- ... 51 GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS
- ... 63 TOTAL CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS
- ... 71 TEAM NCAA POST-SEASON PLAYOFF APPEARANCES
- ... 22 NCAA REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
- ... 11 GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE ALL-SPORTS TROPHIES
- ... 254 ALL-AMERICAN SELECTIONS
- ... 12 ACADEMIC ALL AMERICA SELECTIONS
- ... 2 HARLON HILL TROPHY RECIPIENTS
- ... 9 GSC COMMISSIONER'S TROPHY RECIPIENTS



# FOOTBALL GAME DAY



**BRALY STADIUM • TAILGATING • PRIDE ROCK  
LEO AND UNA • SPIRIT HILL  
"PRIDE OF DIXIE" MARCHING BAND**



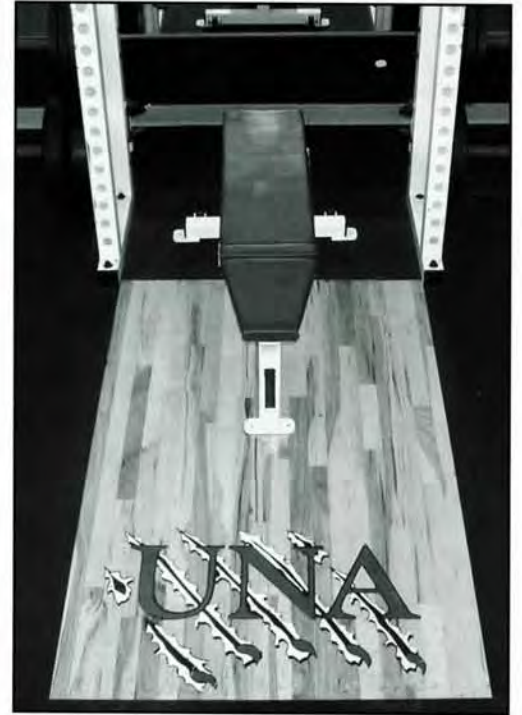
# FOOTBALL GAME DAY



# FOOTBALL FACILITIES



**LOCKERROOM**



# FOOTBALL FACILITIES




**WEIGHT ROOM**



**BRALY MUNICIPAL STADIUM**

(Home of the NCAA Division II National Championship Game Since 1986)



**NATIONAL CHAMPIONS**  
1993 1994 1995

**GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS**  
1980 1983 1985 1993 1994 1995 2003



**FLOWERS HALL ANNEX**

# STUDENT DEVELOPMENT

## UNA Student-Athlete Academic Support Program

The student-athlete academic support program was established to assist student-athletes maintain focus on the proper balance of academic and athletic excellence.

### **Purpose:**

The broad based program has been designed to insure that each student-athlete is provided the opportunity to excel in the classroom as well as in their sport. The program promotes initiative, independence and success in achieving educational, personal and social goals. There is an underlying emphasis on the development of the total person, who at the end of their collegiate career, is prepared to enter and excel in the career of their choice.

### **University and Department Services:**

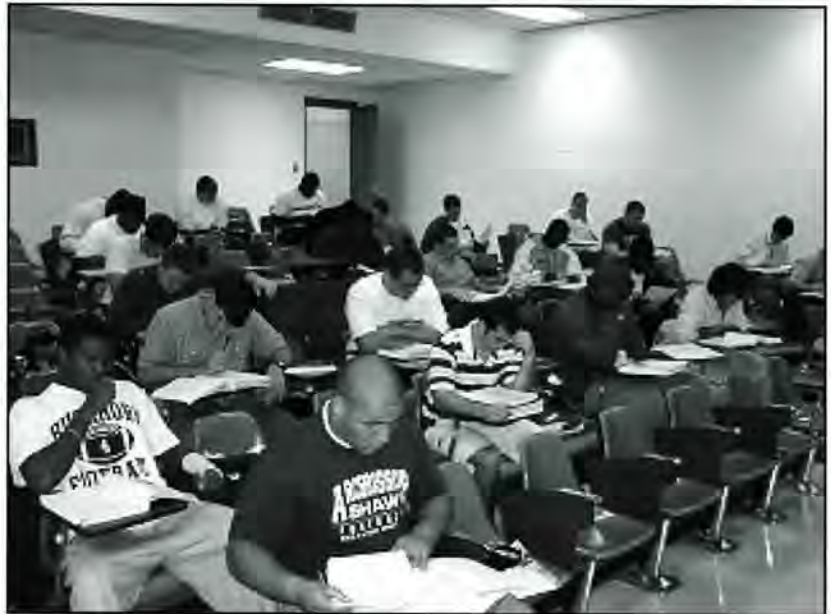
*\* The University of North Alabama is a comprehensive regional institution that prides itself on a strong teaching environment which includes:*

- Committed full-time professors
- Access to individual instruction
- Strong academic and career advising
- Abundant computer access
- An Academic Resource Center staffed by academic support professionals
- Free tutoring
- Assistance for those student's with learning disabilities

*\* Lion Athletics provides additional academic support through the direction of Sherry Kennemer (Senior Women's Administrator) and the active involvement of the entire coaching staff. Areas of additional support include:*

- A structured study lab program which offers student-athletes a controlled, structured setting where quiet studying and work can be performed. These study labs are monitored by all full-time Head and Assistant Coaches, the Senior Women's Administrator and the Director of Athletics (part-time coaches, graduate assistant coaches and student coaches are not allowed to monitor the study labs).
- Several programs offer additional study labs at the discretion of the head coach.
- Supplemental advising concerning NCAA regulations

- Class scheduling and registration
- Admissions tracking
- Progress in class performance is tracked two to three times per semester. Areas of need and appropriate assistance are identified.
- Assistance in adding and dropping courses



### **Study Labs:**

Lion Athletics provides a structured study lab program which offers student-athletes a controlled, structured setting where quiet studying and work can be performed. These study labs are monitored by all full-time Head and Assistant Coaches, the Senior Women's Administrator and the Director of Athletics (part-time coaches, graduate assistant coaches and student coaches are not allowed to monitor the study labs). The study labs are held Monday through Thursday 7:30 – 8:45 a.m..

#### **\* Who has access to study labs?**

- All incoming freshman (three days per week)
- All transfer student-athletes with a cumulative GPA under 2.75 (three days a week)
- All transfer student-athletes with a cumulative GPA over 2.75 (one day a week)
- Coaches may require attendance by any or all student-athletes whose cumulative GPA exceeds the minimal requirements.

# STUDENT DEVELOPMENT

*\* At the completion of the first semester of attendance at UNA:*

- Cumulative GPA equal to or greater than 2.75 – the student-athlete has the choice to attend or not attend the study labs.
- Cumulative GPA between 2.30 and 2.74 – the student-athlete attends the study lab two days per week.
- Cumulative GPA between 2.0 and 2.29 – the student-athlete attends the study lab three days per week.
- Cumulative GPA below 2.0 – the student-athlete attends the study lab four days per week.

*\* Basic study lab regulations:*

- Arrive on time – preferably early
- Be productive
- Work quietly

*\* Consequences of inappropriate behavior:*

- The head coach is directly responsible and accountable for the behavior of the student-athletes in the study lab.
- Inappropriate behavior in the study lab will provide consequences determined on a case by case basis and may include suspension from practice and/or competition.

## **Lion Athletics Academic Policies:**

All student-athletes have an expectation to attend all classes. Lion athletics regards class attendance as paramount in ensuring academic success. Student-athletes are expected to attend every class meeting unless authorized team travel, serious injury/illness or emergency prevent attendance. This expectation includes classes which do not have a mandatory attendance policy.

All student-athletes are expected to proactively work with professors concerning missed classes and assignments caused by travel to away competitions.

Lion athletics follows the Universities academic code of conduct and reinforces that code with additional expectations.

All members of the university community are expected to be honorable and observe standards of conduct appropriate to a community of scholars. Students are expected to behave in an ethical manner. Individuals who disregard the core values of truth and honesty bring disrespect to themselves and the university.

It is in the best interest of the entire university community to sanction any individual who chooses not to accept the principles of academic honesty by committing acts such as cheating, plagiarism or misrepresentation. Offenses are reported to the Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost for referral to the University Student Judicial System for disposition.



**UNA ATHLETICS**

**WE GRADUATE  
WE TRANSFORM LIVES  
WE SERVE OUR COMMUNITY  
WE LIVE BY THE RULES  
WE WIN CHAMPIONSHIPS**

# PLAYERS IN PROS

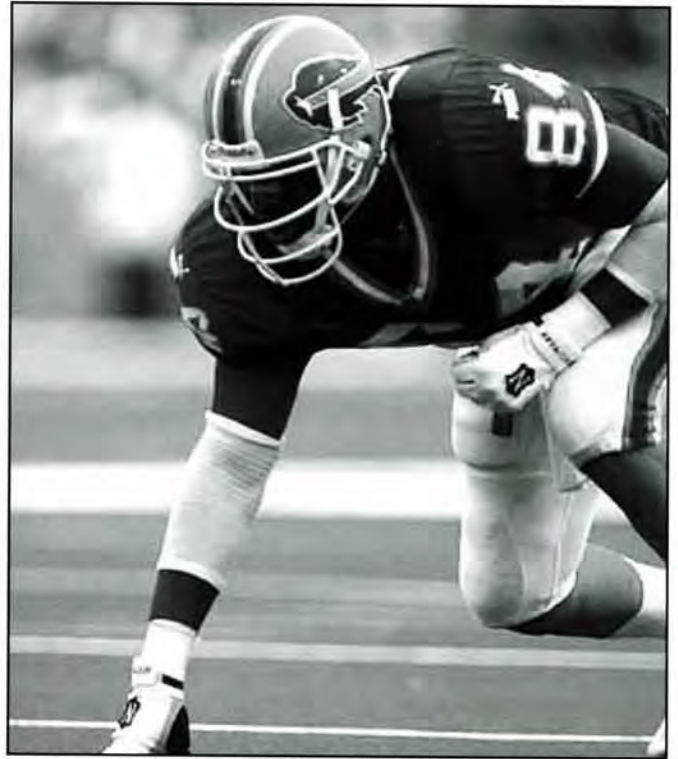
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... 5 LIONS HAVE PLAYED IN THE SUPER BOWL

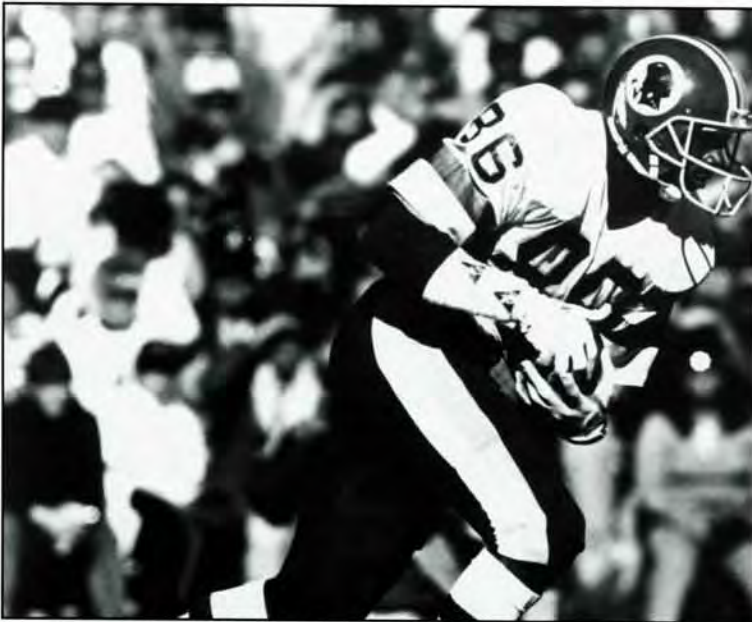
... 44 FREE AGENT SIGNEES



*Ronald McKinnon - Arizona Cardinals &  
New Orleans Saints*



*Bobby Collins - Buffalo Bills &  
Green Bay Packers*



*Stevie Hobbs - Washington Redskins  
SUPER BOWL XXVI*



*Shawn Lee - San Diego Chargers  
SUPER BOWL XXIX*

# PLAYERS IN PROS



*Israel Raybon - Pittsburgh Steelers*



## **HARLON HILL**

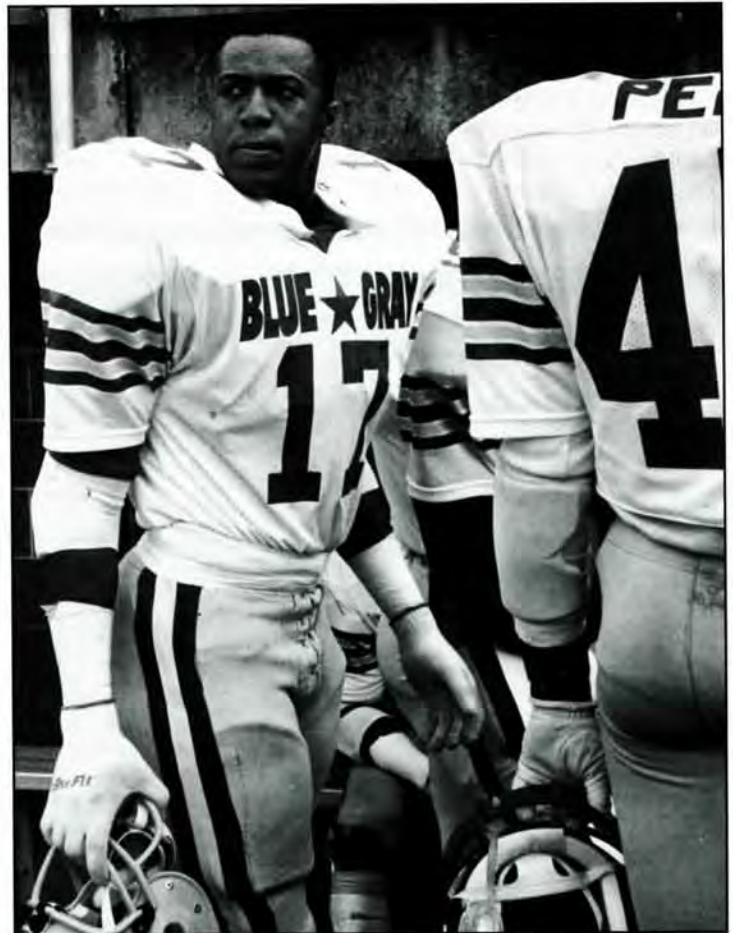
**Chicago Bears**

**NFL Rookie of the Year 1954**

**NFL Most Valuable Player 1955**

**NFL Championship Game 1956**

**FORMER LIONS HAVE  
GONE ON TO PLAY IN:  
NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE  
AMERICAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE  
CANADIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE  
NFL - EUROPE  
ARENA FOOTBALL LEAGUE  
ARENA2 LEAGUE  
NATIONAL INDOOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE  
EXTREME FOOTBALL LEAGUE  
UNITED STATES FOOTBALL LEAGUE**



*Daryl Smith - Cincinnati Bengals  
SUPER BOWL XXIV*

# MEDIA INFORMATION

**CREDENTIALS:** All requests for press, photo and broadcasting credentials for North Alabama's home football games should be made in advance (not on game day) by contacting the UNA Sports Information Office at (256) 765-4595. Passes will be mailed in advance if time permits, otherwise they will be left at gate B at Braly Municipal Stadium on the day of the game. Press parking credentials are also available upon request on a limited basis.

Credentials are issued for authorized press and workers only and do not include family members or other non-working personnel. Any violation will result in forfeiture of the issued credentials and restrictions on any future credentials.

**PRESS BOX:** The Braly Municipal Stadium press box is a modern facility providing comfortable viewing space for all areas of the media. The press box is to be occupied by certified working press, coaches, scouts, photographers, statisticians, support personnel, Gulf South Conference and University of North Alabama personnel working in an official capacity.

Working press is defined as official representatives of daily or weekly newspapers which publish on a regular basis,

official representatives of licensed television and radio stations which broadcast to the general public on a regular schedule and official representatives of magazines or periodicals who are covering the game for inclusion in a published article. Members of the working press are those persons described above who are on assignment to cover the game in whole or in part.

Press credentials must be shown before anyone will gain admittance to the press box or press box elevator.

## Press Box levels:

- 1) Main press area for writers
- 2) Radio booths, Coaches booths, clock and scoreboard operation and public address. Sky Boxes
- 3) All television and filmers

**PHONES:** Three phones are available in the main press area on the first floor of the press box. Additional phones are available on the second floor.

## Press Box phones:

(256) 760-6372

(256) 760-6373

**GAME SERVICES:** Media representatives covering a University of North Alabama home football game will receive game programs, media guides, pre-game notes and complete half-time and final statistics. A complete play-by-play of each game will also be distributed. Refreshments will be provided beginning approximately one hour prior to kickoff.

**INTERVIEWS:** All requests for interviews with UNA student-athletes should be made through the Sports Information Office by calling (256) 765-4595. UNA athletes are also routinely available for interviews following practice sessions and the UNA locker room will be open at all games, following a mandatory 10-minute cooling-off period.



## STATEMENT OF NONDISCRIMINATION

It is the policy of the University of North Alabama to afford equal opportunities in education and in employment to qualified persons regardless of age, color, creed, disability, national origin, race, religion, or sex in accordance with all applicable federal and state constitutions, laws, and valid regulations. The coordinators for nondiscrimination policies are: for students, the Vice President for Student Affairs and University Counsel, Bibb Graves Hall or telephone 256-765-4235; for employees, the Director of Human Resources and Affirmative Action, Bibb Graves Hall or telephone 256-765-4291.

## TICKET INFORMATION

*UNA Ticket Office  
at front of Flowers Hall  
Open 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.*

### Todd Vardaman

Office Phone: (256) 765-5466

### For Home Dates:

Season Ticket Reserved- \$45

Reserved Seating Chair Back - \$14

Reserved Seating - \$12

Adult General Admission - \$9

Student General Admission - \$4

\*UNA Student Guest - \$5

\*(with ID - limit three purchased prior to game day)

### RESERVED SECTIONS

B, C, D, E, F

### GENERAL ADMISSION SECTIONS

A, G, lower B and F

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The University of North Alabama football guide has received national awards from the College Sports Information Directors of America 16 times since 1984, including "Best in the Nation" awards in 1995 and 1999.

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# FOLLOWING THE LIONS

## 2006 University of North Alabama Football Schedule

NCAA Division II National Champions  
1993, 1994, 1995

<i>Date</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Site</i>	<i>Time</i>
September 9	at Tusculum	Greeneville, Tenn.	6:00
September 14	*HARDING (CSTV)	HOME	7:00
September 23	*at Southern Arkansas	Magnolia, Ark.	6:00
September 30	*ARKANSAS TECH	HOME	6:00
October 7	*at Ouachita Baptist	Arkadelphia, Ark.	1:30
October 14	*ARK.-MONTICELLO	HOME	6:00
<b>(Homecoming)</b>			
October 21	at Delta State	Cleveland, Miss.	4:00
October 28	*VALDOSTA STATE	HOME	6:00
November 4	*at West Georgia	Carrollton, Ga.	2:00
November 11	*at West Alabama	Livingston, Ala.	6:00

All Times Central

\* - Gulf South Conference Games

- Delta State is a non-conference game

### 2006 UNIVERSITY OF NORTH ALABAMA OPPONENTS

	2005	<i>Last Meeting</i>		<i>Series Rec.</i>
Tusculum	3-7	2005	33-7 (UNA)	2-0
Harding	6-5	2005	35-6 (UNA)	2-4
Southern Arkansas	6-5	2005	31-21 (UNA)	5-4
Arkansas Tech	7-3	2003	55-9 (UNA)	6-3
Ouachita Baptist	2-8	2003	41-14 (UNA)	2-2
Arkansas-Monticello	1-10	2005	42-0 (UNA)	5-3
Delta State	7-4	2005	56-21 (UNA)	24-19-1
Valdosta State	9-3•	2005	23-26 (VSU)	
			40-12 (UNA)	14-11-1
West Georgia	7-4	2005	20-19 (UNA)	13-10
West Alabama	2-9	2005	76-14 (UNA)	43-14-1

• - NCAA playoff participant

### TRAVEL PLANS

#### Tusculum

Depart Sept. 8 by bus

Stay at Holiday Inn

1010 Cosby Hwy

Newport, TN 37821

(423) 623-8622

Return by bus after Sept. 9 Game

#### Southern Arkansas

Depart Sept. 22 by bus

Stay at Comfort Inn & Suites

707 Interstate 30

Little Rock, AR 72202

(501) 687-7700

Return by bus after Sept. 23 Game

#### Ouachita Baptist

Depart Oct. 6 by bus

Stay at Comfort Inn & Suites

707 Interstate 30

Little Rock, AR 72202

(501) 687-7700

Return by bus after Oct. 7 Game

#### Delta State

Depart Oct. 20 by bus

Stay at Country Inn & Suites

255 SW Frontage Road

Grenada, MS. 38901

(662) 227-8444

Return by bus after Oct. 21 Game

#### West Georgia

Depart Nov. 3 by bus

Stay at Quality Inn & Suites

160 Centennial Drive

Carrollton, GA 30116

(770) 832-2611

Return by bus after Nov. 4 Game

#### West Alabama

Depart Nov. 11 by bus.

Return by bus after Nov. 11 Game

# MEDIA INFORMATION

## LIONS ON THE AIR



### RADIO

Lion football broadcasts will be carried over KIX-96 FM-96.1. J.D. Byars will be handling the play-by-play, with Jimmy Oliver providing color commentary. Audio streaming of the broadcasts is also available.

### TELEVISION

The Mark Hudspeth Show is aired on Sundays at 6:00 p.m. on Comcast Cable Channel 3 in Florence and will also be aired in the Shoals, Huntsville and Decatur markets on UPN 15. The weekly review of Lion football will also be replayed during the week on Comcast Channel 3.

### INTERNET

Information, schedules, statistics, etc., on the University of North Alabama athletic teams is available through the UNA website and the Gulf South Conference web site at:

[www.una.edu](http://www.una.edu)

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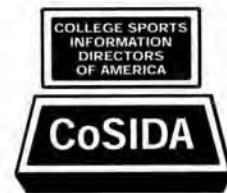
**COSIDA AWARDS:** The University of North Alabama football media guide has been honored by the College Sports Information Directors of America in 17 of the last 20 years.

The 1999 media guide was judged as the "Best in the Nation" by CoSIDA in Division B, which includes all NCAA Division II and NAIA Division I schools.

The 1984 media guide was judged "Third in the Nation," with the football brochure judged fourth in 1986, third in 1987, second in 1988, 1989, 1990 and 1991, sixth in 1992 and 1993, third in 1994 and "Best in the Nation" in 1995. The 2003 UNA guide was judged fourth in the nation.

In all, UNA has received more than 70 awards from COSIDA since 1984 for its athletic publications.

Included among those awards are six for the UNA football game program.



### UNA Football Media Guide in CoSIDA Judging

1984.....	Third in the Nation
1986.....	Fourth in the Nation
1987.....	Third in the Nation
1988.....	Second in the Nation
1989.....	Second in the Nation
1990.....	Second in the Nation
1991.....	Second in the Nation
1992.....	Sixth in the Nation
1993.....	Sixth in the Nation
1994.....	Third in the Nation
1995.....	<b>Best in the Nation</b>
1996.....	Fifth in the Nation
1997.....	Second in the Nation
1997.....	Best Cover in the Nation
1998.....	Sixth in the Nation
1999.....	<b>Best in the Nation</b>
2003.....	Fourth in the Nation

# 2006 FOOTBALL SEASON PREVIEW

With more than 30 lettermen and 11 starters back from a team that reached the semifinals of the NCAA Division II playoffs in 2005, the University of North Alabama football team hopes to again make a run at the Gulf South Conference and NCAA Division II championships in 2006.

UNA went 11-3 last season and advanced all the way to the semifinals of the NCAA Division II playoffs for the second time in the last three seasons before falling in the final 30 seconds.

The Lions lost a wealth of talent from that team - including the Gulf South Conference's all-time touchdown leader in running back DeMarcus Blount and All-Americans Chip Long (TE), Lance Ancar (C) and Blake Farris (CB). Also gone are All-GSC performers Vinnie Saylor (QB), Jaron Fountain (WR), Marcus Jackson (DL) and Brett Mask (OT).

The good news for the Lions is that UNA returns 11 starters, led by All-American and Harlon Hill Trophy finalist Anthony Merritt on offense and two-time All-GSC selection Donald Tharpe on defense.

"We have a lot of holes to fill but we also have a lot of talent back and a talented group of signees coming in," said fifth-year Lion head coach Mark Hudspeth. "If we can put up similar offensive and defensive numbers to what we did last season, we should have a chance to compete at the highest level in the GSC and Division II."

That may be a tall order since UNA averaged an impressive 36 points and 411 total yards per game last season on offense, while holding opponents to 17.9 points and 289 total yards per outing. But with outstanding returnees leading the way at several key positions, UNA should again be a team to watch on the national scene.

Merritt, a senior receiver from Columbus, Ga., set or tied 13 school records, two GSC records and a Division II record last season in his first year on offense.

In making the move from defensive back to wide receiver, Merritt made the transition easily, catching a school-record 81 passes for 942 yards and eight touchdowns. In earning All-American honors as both a receiver and kick returner, Merritt totalled 2,251 all-purpose yards with 168 yards rushing, 546 yards on punt returns and 595 yards on kickoff returns. He also completed his only pass attempt for the year for 21 yards and touchdown.

Tharpe, a senior from Pensacola, Fla., is in his fifth season as part of the UNA football program. The 5-feet-10, 205-pound Tharpe made 78 tackles in 2005 with 15 tackles for loss and eight sacks. He has 220 career tackles with 39 tackles for loss and three interceptions.

The Lions will look to junior quarterback A.J. Milwee (5-10, 175) of Boaz, Ala., to direct an offense that averaged 36.4 points and 411.1 yards per game in 2005.

Although Milwee missed most of spring practice due to illness, he gained valuable experience in 2005 - including key performances in two of the Lions' playoff wins. Milwee led UNA on a game-winning drive in the closing seconds of a 24-21 win at North Carolina Central in the second round, then threw three touchdowns passes in a 41-38



*Senior Anthony Merritt broke numerous records in his first season on offense for the Lions and finished sixth in the voting for the Harlon Hill Trophy*

quarterfinal win at Central Arkansas. Milwee finished the season with 244 yards rushing on 52 carries and completed 30 of 40 pass attempts for 301 yards and six touchdowns. He also had one pass reception for eight yards.

Sophomore Dusty Goodwin (6-1, 206) of Demopolis, Ala., received most of the snaps in the Spring, which helped him "get a grasp of the offense," according to Hudspeth. He should be ready to compete for playing time. Newcomer Clay Harrelson (6-2, 190, SO) of Alexander City, Ala., showed flashes of ability in the Spring, but he still must get more comfortable with the offense. Freshmen signees, Ret Tolleson (6-2, 175) of Bremen, Ga., Jared Hale (6-1, 185) of Panama City, Fla., and Jeremy Helms (5-11, 180) of Moulton, Ala., will all have the opportunity to compete and make the travel squad.

With the loss of Blount, who scored 68 touchdowns in his UNA career, the Lions will look to junior Eric Packer (5-9, 185) of Pine Hill, Ala., to spark the ground game. Packer rushed for 302 yards and scored two touchdowns in 2005. Senior fullback Greg Clark (5-9, 215) of Jackson, Miss., is also back after rushing for 95 yards on 29 carries with two TDs.

Also looking for playing time will be red-shirt freshman Tim Hicks (5-9, 180) of Millry, Ala., who looked solid in the spring, along with Wallace Steele (6-1, 240, SR) of Huntsville, Ala., and Northwest Mississippi Community College transfer Terrance Jackson (5-9, 175, JR) of Senatobia, Miss.

The Lions should have the best receiving corp in school history this Fall, with incredible talent and depth.

In addition to Merritt at wide out, the Lions return senior Jason Messing (6-1, 200) of Knoxville, Tenn. Messing caught 43 passes for 852 yards and a school-record nine touchdowns last season and averaged a team-high 19.8 yards per catch. Senior Patrick Wilson (5-11, 190) of Jasper, Ala., is also back after catching 14 passes for 120 yards and two touchdowns, and junior Reggie Hubbard (6-2, 177) of Russellville returns caught three passes for 21 yards and a touchdown.

Also back, after missing the 2005 season due to injuries received in a car accident is senior Marcus Lewis (6-1, 193) of Pensacola, Fla. Lewis ranks fourth in UNA history for career catches (122), third in career receiving yards (1,913) and has scored eight touchdowns.

The receiving corp only gets stronger with the signing of Lonnell Dewalt (6-6, 215, JR) from Northeast Mississippi. Dewalt saw starting action as a freshman at the University of Kentucky, catching 10 passes and leading the Southeastern Conference with six blocked kicks. He caught 43 passes for 758 yards and scored 10 TD's at Northeast Mississippi last season.

On the offensive line, UNA returns seven lettermen and should have as much depth as it has had in some time.

Starters JoJo Bates (6-1, 250, SR) of Birmingham, Ala., Fred Wilkins (6-3, 322, SR) of New Orleans, La., and Andrew Reid (6-3, 278, JR) of Birmingham are all back - but the losses of Rimington Trophy winner Lance Ancar at center and All-GSC tackle Brett Mask must be filled.

Sam Hathorn (6-3, 275, SO) of Corinth, Miss., and Bates both look snaps this spring at center. Bates, who was elected 2006 team captain, will either play center or left guard. Sophomore Michael Hathorn (6-4, 275, SO) of Alexander City, Ala., will replace Mask at left tackle. Reid returns for his senior year at right tackle. J.D. Whited (6-3, 293, JR) of Oneonta, Ala., will be at right guard and Sam Hathorn, along with Wilkins, will see time at left guard.

A strong group of red-shirt freshmen that includes Wayne Pass (6-2, 285), Travis Lightle (6-4, 230), Luke Chenault (6-2, 270), Joseph Crone (6-3, 260), Eric Richardson (6-2, 275) and Matt Hurst (6-3, 285) should all compete for playing time. Junior college all-state offensive linemen Tez Thigpen (6-2, 320) of

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Holly Springs, Miss., should also compete for a starting role.

Although All-American Chip Long is gone at tight end after catching 66 passes a year ago, sophomore Covington Wright (6-6, 260) of Columbus, Ga., is back and could be a force. Freshman Brandon Alldredge (6-1, 208) of Alexandria, Ala., was moved to tight end in the Spring and showed that he can also help the Lions this fall.

Defensively, UNA ranked in the Division II top twenty in four statistical rankings last season, allowing just 17.9 points, 97.9 rushing yards and 289.6 total yards per game.

Even more impressive was the Lions' turnover ratio, where the UNA defense forced 41 turnovers and the Lions gave up only 22.

Gone from that defensive unit are All-American defensive back Blake Farris, who signed with the Cleveland Browns, and defensive lineman Lee Vickers, who signed with the Pittsburgh Steelers. Also gone are linemen Marcus Jackson, Doug Waller, Dusty Shack and Tim Hunt, which leaves the Lions with lots of holes to fill.

The bright spot up front is that Kentrel Tanner (6-3, 285, SR) of Brandon, Miss., and Mantrell Ashford (6-4, 240, SR) of Louisville, Miss., return after an outstanding 2005 season. Derrick Chatman (5-11, 245, SO) of Florence and Ryan Brick (6-4, 219, SR) of Deatsville, Ala., also saw extensive action in 2005 and return after a solid spring. Red-shirt freshmen Michael Johnson (6-4, 230) of Panama City, Fla., Montrell Craft (6-2, 250) and Marcell Craft (6-1, 255, FR) of Millington, Tenn., and Dee Pittman (6-4, 230) of Pensacola, Fla., will

have to step up and be ready to play this fall. Hudspeth said all four showed the ability to be outstanding players in the Spring.

Although Tharpe is back at linebacker, the Lions will be looking for help from a lot of new faces at that position. New Mexico Military transfer Vince Cary (6-1, 230, JR) of Alpharetta, Ga., had a solid spring, along with Brian McNair (6-4, 190, SR) of Florence, Miss., who moved over from safety. Sophomore Brandon Williams (6-0, 185) of Phenix City, Ala., will be expected to see playing time, and the Lions must get help from freshman signees Larry Wilson (6-1, 225) of Enterprise, Ala., Calvin Nichols (6-0, 235) of Foley, Ala., and Clint Casteel (6-0, 205) from Ashland City, Tenn.

The defensive backfield is another area where the Lions will have a lot of new faces. Gone are Farris, Carlos Foster and Santana Suggs. Seniors Jason Campbell (5-9, 165) of Holly Springs, Miss., and Derrell Ashford (5-11, 200) of Louisville, Miss., are the only returnees with significant playing time as they started most of 2005. One bright spot is that 2004 starter Gerald Reed (5-10, 182, JR) of Daphne, Ala., returns and should immediately compete for one of the safety positions.

Transfer Jhermaine McAroy (6-2, 180) from Florida State, Greg Fox (6-0, 190, JR) from Southwest Mississippi Community College and LaMarrius Tucker (5-10, 180, JR) from East Mississippi Community College will need to make immediate impact. Bobby Brooks (6-0, 190, SO) of Hoover, Ala., Marquez Patton (6-1, 185, FR) of Huntsville, Ala., Vincent Jackson (5-9, 160, SO) of Demopolis, Ala., and Davian Oglesby (6-0, 170, FR) from Toccoa, Ga., all received valuable playing time this Spring and will be counted on heavily.



*Two-time All-GSC linebacker Donald Tharpe leads the UNA defense into the 2006 season*

The UNA special teams should be solid with the return of starting kicker Yuta Fakuta (5-7, 170, SR) of Gumma-Machi, Japan, starting punter Lyle Atkinson (6-2, 160, JR) of Guin, Ala., and snapper Heath Ballard (5-10, 200, JR) of Tuscaloosa, Ala. Senior Scott Shurden (5-8, 160, SR) of Noxapater, Miss., should also compete for playing time as a kicker.

Last season Fukuda, in his first season of football on any level, led UNA in scoring with 106 points. He made a school-record 18 of 29 field goal attempts and hit 52 of 54 extra-point attempts. He made a 45-yard game-winning field goal on the final play of an NCAA quarter-final playoff win over Central Arkansas and had numerous clutch kicks throughout the season. He was a two-time GSC Special Teams Player of the Week in 2005.

The Lions open the 2006 season on the road against Tusculum on Sept. 9 in their only non-conference game of the season. UNA then faces a nine-game conference schedule, with home games against Harding, Arkansas Tech, Arkansas-Monticello and Valdosta State and road contests at Southern Arkansas, Ouachita Baptist, Delta State, West Georgia and West Alabama.



*Coach Hudspeth and the Lions take the field for 2005 playoff semifinal against Northwest Missouri State*

# HEAD COACH MARK HUDSPETH



## MARK HUDSPETH

### Head Coach

In four seasons as head football coach at the University of North Alabama, Mark Hudspeth has helped revive the Lion program and put UNA back on the map as a perennial force in the Gulf South Conference and the NCAA Division II.

In his first four seasons at UNA, Hudspeth has posted the best record of any previous Lion head coach in their first four years - leading the Lions to a 33-16 mark and two NCAA Division II playoff appearances.

Last season, Hudspeth led a UNA squad that went 11-3 and reached the semifinals of the Division II playoffs for the second time in the last three years. Along the way the Lions broke 44 school

and six Gulf South Conference records, with four Lions earning All-American honors. Lion receiver Anthony Merritt was also a national finalist for the Harlon Hill Trophy.

In just his second season as a collegiate head coach in 2003, Hudspeth fashioned one of the most dramatic turnarounds in NCAA Division II football history and led UNA within one game of playing for the national championship.

Hudspeth became the seventh head football coach in UNA history in 2002 and inherited a program that had won three previous national championships and had been the winningest school in the state of Alabama in the 1980s and 1990s, but was riding a three-year losing streak.

The Lions went 4-7 in Hudspeth's first season, then kicked into high gear in 2003 with a 13-1 record and advanced to the NCAA Division II semifinals. Hudspeth's 2003 Lions won the school's seventh Gulf South Conference championship and became the first team in school history to win 11 regular-season games. For his efforts, Hudspeth was named GSC Coach of the Year in just his second season as a collegiate head coach. He was also selected NCAA Division II Region 2 Coach of the Year by the American Football Coaches Association and was named National Coach of the Year by American Football Quarterly, Football Gazette and by CollegeSportsReport.com.

The Lions also had a school-record 13 players selected for the All-Gulf South Conference team, five players received All-American honors and and Lion quarterback Will Hall won the Harlon Hill Trophy as NCAA Division II Player of the Year.

In 2003 the Lions broke 37 school records, three Gulf South Conference records and two NCAA Division II National records.

In 2004 UNA spent eight weeks in the Division II Top 25 before finishing the season at 5-5. UNA climbed as high as No. 6 in the nation in the polls.

Hudspeth now has a solid 33-16 four-year record that includes 16 games against nationally ranked opponents. The Lions are 11-5 in those games against ranked opponents.

#### Previous Coaching Experience:

\* Prior to coming to UNA he was the offensive

coordinator at the United States Naval Academy in 2001.

\* He served as the offensive coordinator and strength and conditioning coach at Delta State University from 1999-2000. He helped lead the Statesmen to a Gulf South Conference Championship as well as an NCAA Division II National Championship in 2000. His offense broke 21 school records, 12 Gulf South Conference records, and six NCAA Division II records that year. The offense was led by Conerly Trophy winner Josh Bright.

\* In 1998-99, he was the defensive back coach and the strength and conditioning coach at the University of Central Arkansas.

\* Hudspeth served as the head coach at Winston Academy in Louisville, Mississippi from 1996 to 1998. He led Winston Academy to a 25-1 record over two seasons including an undefeated record in the regular season (20-0) and the conference (12-0). In 1997 he won the state championship with a perfect 14-0 record and his team led the state in scoring that year. He was named Mississippi Coach of the Year in 1997. He won conference championships in 1996 and 1997.

\* In 1994-95 Hudspeth served as the wide receiver/tight ends coach and then the running back coach at Nicholls State University. He helped lead the team to a no. 5 ranking in NCAA I-AA in rushing.

\* Hudspeth was a graduate assistant coach at the University of Central Arkansas from 1992-93. He was the wide receiver and quarterback coach and assistant strength coach. He helped lead the Bears to an Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference Championship with a 9-2-1 record. They reached the semifinals of the NAIA playoffs.

**Playing Experience:** He was a four-year letterman at Delta State University from 1987-91. He was the starting free safety in 1990 and led the team in interceptions. In 1991 he was the starting quarterback.

**Education:** Received his Master of Science in Education degree from Central Arkansas in 1993. He received his Bachelor of Science in Education degree from Delta State University in 1992.

**Personal:** Born on November 10, 1968 in Montgomery, Alabama. Has one son, Gunner (7), and one daughter, Carley (5).

### HUDSPETH'S COACHING EXPERIENCE

Yrs	Position			
1992	Graduate Assistant	Central Arkansas	9-2-1	AIC Champions/NAIA Semifinals
1993	Graduate Assistant	Central Arkansas	6-4-1	
1994	Assistant Coach	Nicholls State	5-6-0	
1995	Assistant Coach	Nicholls State	0-11-0	
1996	Head Coach	Winston Academy (Miss.)	11-1-0	
1997	Head Coach	Winston Academy (Miss.)	14-0-0	State Champions
1998	Assistant Coach	Central Arkansas	5-5-0	
1999	Off. Coordinator	Delta State	6-4-0	
2000	Off. Coordinator	Delta State	14-1-0	GSC Champions/NCAA Champions
2001	Off. Coordinator	U.S. Naval Academy	0-11-0	
2002	Head Coach	University of North Alabama	4-7-0	
2003	Head Coach	University of North Alabama	13-1-0	GSC Champions/NCAA Semifinals
2004	Head Coach	University of North Alabama	5-5-0	
2005	Head Coach	University of North Alabama	11-3-0	NCAA Semifinals

# HEAD COACH MARK HUDSPETH

## HUD VS. ALL OPPONENTS

School	Overall	Home	Road
Arkansas-Monticello	3-1	2-0	1-1
Arkansas Tech	2-0	1-0	1-0
Carson-Newman	1-0	1-0	0-0
Central Arkansas	4-1	2-0	2-1
Delta State	1-1	1-0	0-1
Harding	2-2	1-1	1-1
Henderson State	2-0	1-0	1-0
Jacksonville State	1-0	0-0	1-0
Lambuth	1-0	0-0	1-0
North Carolina Central	1-0	0-0	1-0
North Dakota	0-1	0-0	0-1
NW Missouri State	0-1	0-1	0-0
Ouachita Baptist	1-1	1-0	0-1
Samford	0-1	0-0	0-1
Southern Arkansas	4-1	2-1	2-0
Stillman	1-0	1-0	0-0
Tusculum	2-0	1-0	1-0
Valdosta State	2-3	0-2	2-1
West Alabama	2-2	2-0	0-2
West Georgia	3-1	1-1	2-0
	33-16	17-6	16-10



## HUD BY THE NUMBERS

Year	All	GSC	Highest Nat. Ranking	Final Nat. Ranking	Honors
2002	4-7	3-6 (9th)	NR	NR	
2003	13-1	9-0 (1st)	No. 2	No. 5	GSC Champions NCAA Playoff Semifinals
2004	5-5	4-5 (6th)	No. 6	NR	
2005	11-3	7-2 (2nd)	No. 4	No. 4	NCAA Playoff Semifinals

Overall Record: .....	33-16
At Home: .....	17-6
On the Road:.....	16-10
In NCAA Playoffs:.....	5-2
vs. Nationally Ranked Teams:.....	11-5
in GSC Games .....	23-13
vs. GSC Schools .....	26-13
vs. Non-Conference .....	7-3
vs. Division I-AA:.....	1-1

## COACH HUD

has faced 16 nationally ranked teams in his first four seasons at UNA and the Lions are 11-5 against ranked opponents

# HEAD COACH MARK HUDSPETH



## **HUD AND THE HILL TROPHY**

In the last three years the North Alabama football program has produced two of the nation's elite college football players. Receiver and kick returner Anthony Merritt (left) was a national finalist for the 2005 Harlon Hill Trophy as Division II Player of the Year - finishing sixth. Quarterback Will Hall (right) won the 2003 Hill Trophy as the top Division II player.



## *As Head Coach* **COACH HUD** *has coached . . .*

- One Harlon Hill Trophy Winner
- One Rimington Trophy Winner
- Two Harlon Hill Trophy Finalists
- Two Academic All-GSC players
- Two NCAA playoff teams that reached the semifinals
- Two teams that have finished in the Top 5 in the final Division II National Poll
- Three players who have signed with NFL teams.
- Nine All-Americans
- 15 first-team All-GSC selections
- 17 second-team All-GSC selections
- Teams that have broken 120 school, GSC and Division II records over the last four years
- Teams that have played 16 games against nationally ranked teams and won 11
- Teams that have been nationally ranked for 27 weeks since 2003 in the Division II Top 25



## **COACH HUD**

has 33 wins in his first four seasons at UNA - which is five wins more than any previous Lion head coach in their first four years. He is also the only Lion football coach to lead two of his first four teams to the Division II playoffs.

## **HUD COACHING HONORS 2003**

- \* Gulf South Conference Coach of the Year
- \* AFCA NCAA Division II Region 2 Coach of the Year
- \* American Football Quarterly NCAA Division II National Coach of the Year
- \* CollegeSportsReport.com NCAA Division II National Coach of the Year
- \* Football Gazette Division II National Coach of the Year

# ASSISTANT COACHES



## KENNY EDENFIELD

### Assistant Coach Offensive Coordinator

Kenny Edenfield is in his fifth season as offensive coordinator at UNA where over the last four years he has helped direct one of the most productive offenses in the NCAA Division II.

The Lions have broken scores of school records and ranked among the offensive leaders in both the Gulf South Conference and Division II.

In 2005 he directed a UNA offense that paved the way to an 11-3 season. The Lions broke 28 offensive records last season and advanced to the semifinals of the NCAA Division

II playoffs. From that squad, six Lions earned All-Gulf South Conference honors on offense and three were All-Americans - including Harlon Hill Trophy finalist Anthony Merritt. UNA averaged 31.2 points and 411 yards per game in 2005.

In 2004 he guided a UNA offense that helped lead the Lions to a 13-1 record, a Gulf South Conference title and a spot in the Division II playoff semifinals.

Along the way the UNA offense broke 11 school team records and 20 individual records, while producing six All-Gulf South Conference selections and the Harlon Hill Trophy winner in quarterback Will Hall.

In 2003, the Lion offense ranked 16th nationally in total offense at 446.3, was fifth in scoring offense (38.8) and 22nd in passing offense (267.0). Individually, UNA's Hall led the nation in passing efficiency with a 173.3 rating.

In Edenfield's first season at UNA the Lion offense broke seven team and 13 individual records, while ranking 13th nationally in passing offense, 24th in total offense and 29th in scoring offense.

The Lions averaged 141.9 rushing yards, 271.3 passing yards and 413.2 total yards per game, while scoring 30.7 points per contest in 2002.

Edenfield spent the 2001 season as the special teams coordinator and tight ends coach at the University of Tulsa.

The 40-year-old Edenfield was assistant football coach at Southwest Mississippi Community College for two years before being promoted to head coach for his remaining two years with the program. He led the Bears to a 16-6 record over his two years as head

coach and to their first playoff appearance since 1958 - going 7-3 and 9-3.

He was head coach at Dr Phillips High School in Orlando, Florida from 1995 to 1997. He led his first team to a 7-3 record, which was the first winning season at the school in six years. The next year they went 9-3 and reached the quarterfinals of the state playoffs with Edenfield named Central Florida Coach of the Year. He also led Dr. Phillips to its first ever district and conference championships.

In 1993, Edenfield was the quarterbacks and receivers coach at Nicholls State University in Thibodaux, Louisiana, and in 1994, he was the team's play caller.

His coaching career began at Apopka High School in 1990 as an assistant football coach. He also coached at Jackson (La.) High School before going to Nicholls State.

Edenfield was a three-year letterman at Troy State University from 1986 to 1988. He was a member of the 1986 NCAA semifinal team and the 1987 NCAA Division II Championship team.

He played at Silliman High School in Clinton, Louisiana.

Edenfield received his Bachelor's Degree in Math Education from Troy State University in 1989. He received his diploma from Silliman High School in Clinton, Louisiana.

A native of Clinton, La., he was born on December 8, 1965. He and his wife Pamela have a son K.D. (13) and daughters Caitlin (10), Christina (8) and Kiley (4).

### EDENFIELD'S COACHING EXPERIENCE

Yrs	Position	
1990	Assistant Coach	Apopka High School (Fla.)
1991	Assistant Coach	Apopka High School (Fla.)
1992	Assistant Coach	Apopka High School (Fla.)
1993	Assistant Coach	Nicholls State
1994	Assistant Coach	Nicholls State
1995	Head Coach	Dr. Phillips High School (Miss.)
1996	Head Coach	Dr. Phillips High School (Miss.)
1997	Assistant Coach	SW Mississippi Comm. College
1998	Assistant Coach	SW Mississippi Comm. College
1999	Head Coach	SW Mississippi Comm. College
2000	Head Coach	SW Mississippi Comm. College
2001	Assistant Coach	University of Tulsa
2002	Off. Coordinator	University of North Alabama
2003	Off. Coordinator	University of North Alabama
2004	Off. Coordinator	University of North Alabama
2005	Off. Coordinator	University of North Alabama

### UNA's National Statistical Rankings under Edenfield

#### Scoring Offense

2002	29th	30.7
2003	5th	38.8
2004	40th	31.2
2005	15th	31.2

#### Total Offense

2002	24th	413.2
2003	16th	446.3
2004	46th	390.6
2005	31st	411.1

#### Passing Offense

2002	13th	271.3
2003	22nd	267.0
2004	57th	207.0
2005	18th	269.6

# ASSISTANT COACHES



**KARL MORGAN**  
*Assistant Coach  
 Defensive Coordinator/  
 Defensive Line*

Veteran collegiate coach and former UCLA standout Karl Morgan enters his second season as the defensive coordinator at the University of North Alabama this fall.

Last season Morgan's defense at UNA ranked among the NCAA Division II national leaders in every category and helped the Lions post an 11-3 record and reach the semifinals of the Division II playoffs. The UNA defense recovered 20 fumbles and intercepted 21 passes as the Lions had a +19 turnover margin.

Four UNA defenders received All-Gulf

South Conference honors following the season, with defensive back Blake Farris named to four All-America teams. Farris and defensive lineman Lee Vickers both signed with National Football League teams following the season.

Morgan filled the spot left open when Charles Anthony resigned as defensive coordinator following the 2003 season.

This season will mark the first time in six years that North Alabama will have the same defensive coordinator in back-to-back seasons.

Prior to coming to North Alabama, Morgan most recently coached at Hampton University (Va.) and Alcorn State University (Miss.). Morgan also spent four seasons as the defensive line coach at Arkansas State University. Prior to his appointment with the Indians, he was the defensive line coach at Purdue University.

Morgan got his start in coaching as the head football coach at Central Catholic High School in Morgan City, Louisiana from 1989 to 1992. He then entered the college ranks and served as the defensive line coach at Nicholls State University from 1993 to 1994.

During the 1995 season, Morgan was the defensive line coach at Southern University. His defensive line was part of a unit that helped to lead the Jaguars to a 11-1 record en route to the Black College National Championship.

During his playing days, the Houma, Louisiana native was a noseguard at UCLA and was a four-year letterwinner with the Bruins. He was the defensive captain of the 1983 Rose Bowl championship team. During his career with the Bruins, Morgan recorded

35 tackles for loss and 17 quarterback sacks. He was a two-time recipient of the Henry R. "Red" Sanders Trophy for Most Valuable Defensive Player at UCLA. Morgan earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology from UCLA in 1984.

Morgan played professional football with the Saskatchewan Roughriders of the Canadian Football League in 1983. He was also drafted by the Arizona Wranglers of the United States Football League. He then played with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers of the National Football League from 1984 to 1986 and also played with the Houston Oilers in 1986. In 1992 he played Arena football with the Cincinnati Rockers.

## Recent UNA Defensive Coordinators

2005-A	KARL MORGAN
2004	Charles Anthony
2003	Matt Wallerstedt
2002	Gwaine Mathews
2001	Bill Hyde
1998-00	Steve Carter
1992-97	Bill Hyde
1988-91	Ikey Fowler
1977-87	Bill Hyde

## MORGAN'S COACHING EXPERIENCE

Yrs	Position	
1989	Head Coach	Central Catholic (La.)
1990	Head Coach	Central Catholic (La.)
1991	Head Coach	Central Catholic (La.)
1992	Head Coach	Central Catholic (La.)
1993	Assistant Coach	Nicholls State
1994	Assistant Coach	Nicholls State
1995	Assistant Coach	Southern University
1996	Assistant Coach	Purdue
1997	Assistant Coach	Arkansas State
1998	Assistant Coach	Arkansas State
1999	Assistant Coach	Arkansas State
2000	Assistant Coach	Arkansas State
2001	Def. Coordinator	Alcorn State
2002	Def. Coordinator	Hampton University
2003	Def. Coordinator	Hampton University
2004	Def. Coordinator	Hampton University
2005	Def. Coordinator	University of North Alabama

## UNA's National Statistical Rankings under Morgan

### Scoring Defense

2005	18th	17.9
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### Total Defense

2005	18th	289.6
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### Rushing Defense

2005	15th	97.9
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### Pass Efficiency Defense

2005	24th	101.8
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### Turnover Margin

2005	9th	1.4
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# ASSISTANT COACHES



## ALAN ARRINGTON

*Assistant Coach  
Offensive Line /  
Recruiting Coordinator*

Alan Arrington enters his first season as the offensive line coach and recruiting coordinator at UNA after 12 seasons as an assistant coach at Northwest Mississippi Community College.

Arrington began his coaching career as a student assistant coach at Northwest Mississippi and went on to a position as a student assistant on the football staff at Ole Miss under Billy Brewer.

Arrington returned to Northwest in 1994 as the offensive line coach. While there he was also athletic dorm supervisor and was the school's head softball coach from 1998-2001.

In 2001 he was elevated to the position of offensive coordinator at Northwest and held that position through the 2005 season.

While at Northwest he helped lead the Rangers to three Mississippi Junior College State Championships and the school won 75 percent of its games (84-28).

In five of his seasons at Northwest the Rangers ranked in the top six nationally in total offense, including leading the nation in 1999 and 2000.

Three times during his career (1995, 2002, 2004) he was selected for the MACIC North All-Star coaching staff.

Northwest produced eight All-Americans and two National Academic honorees during his time there. During his time as offensive coordinator, the Rangers sent 11 players on to Division I programs and nine to Division II programs. A total of 12 of his offensive linemen moved on to Division I programs during his tenure at Northwest.

He is a native of Oxford, Miss., and is married to the former Gail Perkins of Batesville, Miss.



## STEADMAN CAMPBELL

*Assistant Coach  
Cornerbacks*

Steadman Campbell enters his first season as an assistant coach at North Alabama.

Campbell was a on-the-field defensive graduate assistant at the University of Alabama in 2005. He had previously worked as a video graduate assistant for the Crimson Tide prior to the 2005 season.

He lettered as a wide receiver/return man at Arkansas in 2000 and 2001. As a sophomore with the Razorbacks in 2000, Steadman returned 16 punts for 103 yards. He is a 2002 Arkansas graduate, earning a Marketing Management degree.

He is a graduate of Fayetteville (Arkansas) High School and his father, Louis, is Director of Football Operations for the Arkansas Razorbacks.

### ARRINGTON'S COACHING EXPERIENCE

Yrs	Position	
1989	Student Assistant	NW Mississippi Community College
1990	Student Assistant	NW Mississippi Community College
1991	Student Assistant	University of Mississippi
1992	Student Assistant	University of Mississippi
1993	Student Assistant	University of Mississippi
1994	Assistant Coach	NW Mississippi Community College
1995	Assistant Coach	NW Mississippi Community College
1996	Assistant Coach	NW Mississippi Community College
1997	Assistant Coach	NW Mississippi Community College
1998	Assistant Coach	NW Mississippi Community College
1999	Assistant Coach	NW Mississippi Community College
2000	Assistant Coach	NW Mississippi Community College
2001	Off. Coordinator	NW Mississippi Community College
2002	Off. Coordinator	NW Mississippi Community College
2003	Off. Coordinator	NW Mississippi Community College
2004	Off. Coordinator	NW Mississippi Community College
2005	Off. Coordinator	NW Mississippi Community College

### CAMPBELL'S COACHING EXPERIENCE

Yrs	Position
2003	Graduate Assistant Univ. of Alabama
2004	Graduate Assistant Univ. of Alabama
2005	Graduate Assistant Univ. of Alabama

# ASSISTANT COACHES



**SEAN  
CANNON**  
*Assistant Coach  
Linebackers/  
Strength & Conditioning*

Sean Cannon enters his first season as the linebackers and strength and conditioning coach at North Alabama.

Cannon served as defensive coordinator at New Mexico Military Institute last season and brings nine years of collegiate coaching experience to UNA.

Prior to going to New Mexico Military Institute, Cannon was the defensive coordinator at Delta State for two seasons. Cannon also served as the Defensive Line and Strength and Conditioning Coach while at Delta State.

During his time as the defensive line coach with the Statesmen, Delta State produced nine All-Gulf South Conference defensive linemen. Eight defensive players were selected All-GSC

during his time as defensive coordinator.

In 2003 he coached the GSC Defensive Player of the Year and 2004 National Football League draft pick Anthony Maddox (Jacksonville Jaguars). In 2000 Delta State led the GSC in total defense and the Statesmen ranked first in rushing defense in 2000 and 2003.

DSU went 14-1 in 2000 and won the NCAA Division II National Championship, with Cannon as the defensive line coach.

In his one season at New Mexico Military Institute the team went from one win in the previous season to six in 2005 - marking the school's first winning season in six years.

Cannon earned two letters as a defensive tackle at DSU in 1995 and 1996. Prior to attending DSU, Cannon played two seasons at Northeast Mississippi Community College.

Cannon earned a bachelor of education from DSU in 1997 and a master of education from DSU in 1998.

A native of Calhoun City, Miss., Cannon is married to the former Julia Gaston of Mendenhall, Miss., and they have a son, Wade (3), and a daughter, Jenna.



**CHRIS  
WILLIS**  
*Assistant Coach  
Safeties*

Chris Willis is in his fifth season on the UNA staff and will coach safeties in 2006.

In his first season with UNA he coached tight ends before moving to running backs in his second season. He also served as UNA's recruiting coordinator in 2004 and 2005.

In 2003, while helping lead the Lions to a 13-1 record that included a Gulf South Conference title and an NCAA playoff appearance, Willis coached a tandem of All-GSC runningbacks in Demarcus Blount and Randy Vickers.

In 2004 he moved to defense and coached the safeties, which is his current position.

North Alabama went 11-3 in 2005 and again reached the semifinals of the Division II playoffs. The Lion defense ranked among the Division II national leaders in every category, including ranking 18th in scoring defense and total defense. The Lions also picked off 21 passes and ranked ninth nationally in turnover margin.

Prior to coming to UNA, Willis served as recruiting coordinator and coached numerous positions at Delta State University for three years. He joined the DSU staff in 1999 under Steve Campbell as a graduate assistant. In 2000 the States-

## CANNON'S COACHING EXPERIENCE

<i>Yrs</i>	<i>Position</i>	
1997	Graduate Assistant	Delta State University
1998	Graduate Assistant	Delta State University
1999	Assistant Coach	Delta State University
2000	Assistant Coach	Delta State University
2001	Assistant Coach	Delta State University
2002	Assistant Coach	Delta State University
2003	Def. Coordinator	Delta State University
2004	Def. Coordinator	Delta State University
2005	Def. Coordinator	New Mexico Military

# ASSISTANT COACHES

men won the NCAA Division II National Championship at Braly Stadium, with Willis working along side current UNA Head Coach Mark Hudspeth with the running backs and quarterbacks.

In 2001, he worked with then DSU offensive coordinator and former UNA quarterback Cody Gross, who led the Lions to three national titles as a player.

As a student-athlete, Willis spent two years at Itawamba Community College on a football/baseball scholarship. He was a pitcher on the baseball team that claimed the school's first state championship in 1993. He was quarterback at Aberdeen (Miss.) High School where, in 1990, he led his team to the second round of the playoffs as the team posted a school best 12-1 record. In his last two seasons at Aberdeen, he quarterbacked the Bulldogs to a 20-2 record before his graduation in 1992.

Willis received his Bachelor's Degree in Education in 1998 from Delta State and his Master's Degree in Education in 1999 from Delta State.

While at DSU, he also taught in the Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department.

He was born February 2, 1974 and is married to the former Tara Beausoliel of Greenville, Miss.



**MIKE KING**  
*Volunteer Assistant Coach*  
*Punters and Kickers*

Mike King will work with the Lion kickers and punters for the fifteenth straight year in 2006.

King is the owner and operator of Shoals Kicking Development, in which he conducts camps and gives private and group lessons around the Southeast. In all he has more that 25 years of coaching experience. He is also a teacher in the Madison City School System, teaching history at Liberty Middle School. He also coaches tennis at Bob Jones High School. He served as a graduate assistant coach at the University of West Alabama.

King lettered in football, baseball and tennis at the collegiate level.

He graduated from Marion Institute in 1972 and the University of West Alabama in 1974. He received a Master's degree in Education from West Alabama and an Education Administration degree from Troy State and UNA.

King has two daughters, Allison (26) and Susan (21).

## WILLIS' COACHING EXPERIENCE

<i>Yrs</i>	<i>Position</i>	
1999	Assistant Coach	Delta State University
2000	Assistant Coach	Delta State University
2001	Assistant Coach	Delta State University
2002	Assistant Coach	University of North Alabama
2003	Assistant Coach	University of North Alabama
2004	Assistant Coach	University of North Alabama
2005	Assistant Coach	University of North Alabama



# ASSISTANT COACHES



**RYAN WATSON**  
*Graduate Assistant  
Offense*



**HAROLD WISDOM**  
*Graduate Assistant  
Defense*



**LANCE ANCAR**  
*Student Assistant  
Offense*



**LENNON BONDS**  
*Student Assistant  
Offense*



**BRETT BORDEN**  
*Student Assistant  
Defense*



**DOUGLAS CLAYTON**  
*Student Assistant  
Defense*



**BROOKS DAMPEER**  
*Student Assistant  
Offense*



**JOSH MAHERS**  
*Head  
Equipment Manager*



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**ZACH ELLIS**  
*Graduate Assistant  
Offense*

**REGGIE RICE**  
*Student Assistant  
Defense*

**WESLEY ARCHER**  
*Assistant  
Equipment Manager*

**ROSS RICHARDSON**  
*Student Assistant  
Equipment Manager*

# ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

2006

<i>Name</i>	<i>Pos</i>	<i>Ht</i>	<i>Wt</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Hometown</i>	<i>High School</i>
Brandon Alldredge	TE	6-1	208	FR	Alexandria, Ala.	Alexandria
Brandon J. Anthony	DB	6-0	185	FR	Hoover, Ala.	Hoover
Derrell Ashford	LB	5-11	200	SR	Louisville, Miss.	Louisville
Mantrell Ashford	DE	6-4	240	SR	Louisville, Miss.	Louisville
Lyle Atkinson	P	6-2	160	JR	Guin, Ala.	Marion County
Heath Ballard	LS	5-10	200	JR	Tuscaloosa, Ala.	Hillcrest
JoJo Bates	OL	6-1	250	SR	Birmingham, Ala.	Mortimer-Jordan
Will Batson	P	6-4	180	FR	Killen, Ala.	Brooks
Ryan Brick	LB	6-4	219	SR	Deatsville, Ala.	Prattville
Bobby Brooks	SS	6-0	190	SO	Hoover, Ala.	Hoover
Jason Campbell	DB	5-9	165	SR	Holly Springs, Miss	Holly Springs
Vincent Cary	LB	6-1	230	JR	Alpharetta, Ga.	Roswell
Derrick Chatman	DL	5-11	245	SO	Florence, Ala.	Coffee
Luke Chenault	OL	6-2	270	FR	Moulton, Ala.	Decatur
Gregory Clark	RB	5-9	215	JR	Jackson, Miss.	Provine
Marcell Craft	DL	6-1	255	FR	Millington, Tenn.	Bolton
Montrell Craft	DL	6-2	250	FR	Millington, Tenn.	Bolton
Joseph Crone	OL	6-3	260	FR	Eads, Tenn.	Briarcrest
Baylor Dampeer	QB	6-0	200	FR	Saltillo, Miss.	Saltillo
Jonathan Douglas	FB	5-10	190	SR	Cumming, Ga.	North Forsyth
Carson Edgmon	WR	5-10	165	FR	Pulaski, Tenn.	Giles County
Yuta Fukuda	K	5-7	170	SR	Gumma-Machi, Japan	Takasaki
Chris Gainey	LB	6-0	215	FR	Columbus, Ga.	Pacelli
Dusty Goodwin	QB	6-1	206	SO	Demopolis, Ala.	Demopolis
Trey Gorman	WR	6-0	170	SO	Gardendale, Ala.	Mortimer Jordan
Clay Harrelson	QB	6-2	190	SO	Alexander City, Ala.	Benjamin Russell
Carlton Harris	WR	5-9	180	FR	Jasper, Ala.	Walker
Michael Hathorn	OL	6-4	280	SO	Corinth, Miss.	Corinth
Samuel Hathorn	OL	6-3	275	SO	Corinth, Miss.	Corinth
Tim Hicks	RB	5-9	180	FR	Millry, Ala.	Washington County
Mike Horton	OL	6-1	240	FR	Florence, Ala.	Bradshaw
Reggie Hubbard	WR	6-2	177	JR	Russellville, Ala.	Russellville
Nick Hudson	WR	6-1	185	SO	Muscle Shoals, Ala.	Muscle Shoals
Matt Hurst	OL	6-3	285	FR	Killen, Ala.	Brooks
Vince Jackson	DB	5-9	160	SO	Demopolis, Ala.	Demopolis
Michael Johnson	DL	6-4	230	FR	Panama City, Fla.	Bay High School

# ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

Zach Jones	DB	6-0	192	FR	Oneonta, Ala.	Oneonta
Robert Kakuska	DL	6-5	275	JR	Roswell, N.M.	Roswell
Dustin Lauterbacher	LB	6-0	200	FR	Madison, Ala.	Bob Jones
Marcus Lewis	WR	6-1	193	SR	Pensacola, Fla.	Pine Forrest
Travis Lightle	C	6-4	230	FR	Hartselle, Ala.	Hartselle
Eric Lopp	DT	5-8	195	FR	Killen, Ala.	Brooks
Brian McNair	LB	6-4	190	SR	Florence, Miss.	Florence
Anthony Merritt	WR	6-0	189	SR	Columbus, Ga.	Shaw
Jason Messing	WR	6-1	200	SR	Knoxville, Tenn.	Farragut
Zach Miller	WR	5-10	175	JR	Oneonta, Ala.	Oneonta
A.J. Milwee	QB	5-10	175	JR	Boaz, Ala.	Boaz
Carlos Moore	WR	6-5	180	FR	Birmingham, Ala.	Auburn
Davian Oglesby	DB	6-0	170	FR	Taccoa, Ga.	Stevens County
Kenneth Orr	LB	6-1	202	FR	Courtland, Ala.	R.A. Hubbard
Eric Packer	RB	5-9	185	JR	Pine Hill, Ala.	Wilcox Central
Wayne Pass	OL	6-2	285	FR	Cullman, Ala.	Cullman
Marquez Patton	DB	6-1	185	FR	Huntsville, Ala.	Butler
Michael Phillips	OL	6-4	275	FR	Alexander City, Ala.	Central Coosa
Dee Pittman	DE	6-4	230	FR	Pensacola, Fla.	Pine Forrest
Gerald Reed	SS	5-10	182	JR	Daphne, Ala.	Daphne
Andrew Reid	OL	6-3	278	JR	Birmingham, Ala.	Homewood
Eric Richardson	OL	6-2	275	FR	Florence, Ala.	Florence
E.J. Riggins	DB	5-9	180	FR	Birmingham, Ala.	Spain Park
Scott Shurden	K	5-8	160	SR	Noxapater, Miss.	Neshoba Central
Trey Stanford	K	6-1	180	FR	Elkmont, Ala.	West Limestone
Wallace Steele	RB	6-1	240	SR	Huntsville, Ala.	Johnson
Pierre Stover	WR	5-8	175	FR	Courtland, Ala.	R.A. Hubbard
Marlon Sims	WR	6-2	190	FR	Hoover, Ala.	Hoover
Micah Smith	WR	5-8	170	FR	West Palm Beach, Fla.	The King's Academy
Che Still	WR/TE	6-3	235	SO	Corona, Calif.	Centennial
Kentrel Tanner	DL	6-3	285	SR	Brandon, Miss.	Brandon
Donald Tharpe	LB	5-10	205	SR	Pensacola, Fla.	Pine Forrest
Keylon Walker	WR	5-10	187	FR	Huntsville, Ala.	Huntsville
J.D Whitted	OL	6-3	293	JR	Oneonta, Ala.	Oneonta
Fred Wilkins	OL	6-3	322	SR	New Orleans, La.	Archbishop Shaw
Brandon Williams	LB	6-0	185	SO	Phenix City, Ala.	Central
Patrick Wilson	WR	5-11	190	SR	Jasper, Ala.	Walker
Covington Wright	TE	6-6	260	SO	Columbus, Ga.	Carver
Justin Youngblood	RB	5-11	180	FR	Hartselle, Ala.	Hartselle

## 2006 SIGNEES

<i>Name</i>	<i>Pos</i>	<i>Ht</i>	<i>Wt</i>	<i>Hometown/School</i>	
David Berry	WR	6-4	180	FR	Tuscumbia, Ala.      Colbert Heights HS
Clint Casteel	LB	6-0	205	FR	Ashland City, Tenn.      Cheatham High School
Chad Daniel	DB	5-10	170	FR	Sipsey, Ala.      Walker Co. High School
Lonnell Dewalt	WR	6-6	215	JR	Bowling Green, Ky.      NE Miss. Comm. College
Keldrick Docher	DB	5-10	170	JR	Weir, Miss.      Holmes Comm. College
Craig Fox	DB	6-0	190	JR	Kentwood, La.      SW Miss. Comm. College
Jared Hale	QB	6-1	185	FR	Panama City Beach, Fla.      Arnold High School
Jeremy Helms	QB	5-11	180	FR	Moulton, Ala.      Russellville High School
Jerrod Henry	K	5-9	170	FR	Tuscumbia, Ala.      Deshler High School
Al Hope	DL	6-3	230	FR	Anniston, Ala.      Anniston High School
Terrance Jackson	WR	5-9	175	JR	Senatobia, Miss.      NW Miss. Comm. College
Jhermaine McAroy	DB	6-2	180	FR	Pensacola, Fla.      Florida State
Calvin Nichols	LB	6-0	235	FR	Foley, Ala.      Foley High School
Brandenn Pickett	WR	5-8	175	FR	Prattville, Ala.      Prattville High School
Tyler Pounders	DL	6-2	220	FR	Memphis, Tenn.      Christian Bros. HS
Domini Rich	RB	5-8	175	FR	Dothan, Ala.      Houston Academy
Zach Taylor	DL	6-4	230	FR	Madison, Ala.      Bob Jones High School
Tez Thigpen	OL	6-2	320	JR	Holly Springs, Miss.      NW Miss. Comm. College
Richard Tolleson	QB	6-2	175	FR	Bremen, Ga.      Bremen High School
Willie Townsend	WR	6-2	170	FR	Columbus, Ga.      Kendrick High School
Chris Trapp	WR	6-0	180	FR	Russellville, Ala.      Russellville High School
Lamarce Tucker	SS	5-10	180	JR	Meridian, Miss.      East Miss. Comm. College
Joseph Whited	OL	6-0	245	FR	Oneonta, Ala.      Oneonta High School
Larry Wilson	LB	6-1	225	FR	Enterprise, Ala.      Enterprise High School

### **Mid-Year Transfers**

Vince Carey	LB	6-2	230	JR	Alpharetta, Ga.      New Mexico Military JC
Clay Harrelson	QB	6-2	190	SO	Alexander City, Ala.      University of Alabama
Robert Kakuska	DL	6-5	275	JR	Roswell, N.M.      New Mexico Military JC
Zach Miller	WR	5-10	175	JR	Oneonta, Ala.      New Mexico Military JC
Kyle Sellers	WR	5-11	175	JR	Hattiesburg, Miss.      Pearl River Comm. Coll.

# 2006 UNA LIONS

## BRANDON ALLDREDGE

**Tight End**  
**1 Letter**

6-1, 208, Freshman  
Alexandria, Alabama

**2005:** Saw limited action as a linebacker in 2005. He made four tackles with two solos and two assists. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played linebacker, running back and flanker at Alexandria High School under coach Larry Ginn. He helped lead the Valley Cubs to the semifinals of the state playoffs in 2003. He was named all-county both his sophomore and junior years and was honorable mention all-state as a senior. Also lettered in basketball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Brandon Keith Alldredge. Born May 24, 1986. Son of Ronald and Kathy Alldredge and has one brother. Major is Biology.

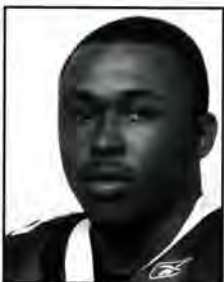


## BRANDON ANTHONY

**Defensive Back**

6-0, 185, Freshman  
Hoover, Alabama

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played cornerback at Hoover High School under head coach Rush Propst. He helped lead the Bucs to three consecutive 6A state championships. He also lettered in track and field. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Brandon Jamal Anthony. Born September 12, 1987. Son of Dennis and Cynthia Anthony and has one sister. Major is undecided.



## DERRELL ASHFORD

**Linebacker**

**1 Letter**

5-11, 200, Senior  
Louisville, Mississippi

**2005:** Finished fifth on the UNA squad in tackles last season with 68 total stops. He had 38 solo tackles and 30 assists, including one sack for four yards and four tackles for loss of 14 yards. He also broke up three passes and caused two fumbles. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Played at East Central Community College in Decatur, Mississippi under head coach Terry Underwood. He received honorable mention all-conference honors for his performance in 2003 and 2004. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played linebacker and tailback at Louisville High School under head coach Tony Stanford. He helped lead the Wildcats to the state playoffs in 2000, 2001 and 2001. He received the Head Hunter award and was named all-region in 2001. He was named most valuable offensive player, best offensive back and all-state in 2002. He also lettered in baseball and track and field. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Derrell Ricardo Ashford. Born April 17, 1985. Son of Marshall and Gracie Ashford and has two brothers and one sister. Majoring in Health, Physical Education and Recreation.



Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	SACK-YDS
2005	38	30	68	4-14	1-4

## MANTRELL ASHFORD

**Defensive End**  
**1 Letter**

6-4, 240, Senior  
Louisville, Mississippi

**2005:** Made 33 tackles from his position on the defensive front in 2005. He had 13 solo stops and 20 assists, including six tackles for loss of 29 yards and 1.5 sacks for 14 yards. He also broke-up one pass and recovered a fumble. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Played at East Central Community College in Decatur, Mississippi under head coach Terry Underwood. He was named all-state in 2002 and 2003 and all-star in 2003. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive end and linebacker at Louisville High School under head coach Tony Stanford. He helped lead the Wildcats to the state playoffs in 2000, 2001 and 2002. He received the Head Hunter award, and he was also named all-region and most valuable defensive lineman in 2001. In 2002, he was named most valuable linebacker, best defensive player and first-team all-state. He also lettered in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Mantrell Ranaldo Ashford. Born April 17, 1985. Son of Marshall and Gracie Ashford and has two brothers and one sister. Majoring in Health, Physical Education and Recreation.



Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	SACK-YDS
2005	13	20	33	6-29	1.5-14

## LYLE ATKINSON

**Punter**

**2 Letters**

6-2, 160, Junior  
Guin, Alabama

**2005:** Atkinson was the Lions starting punter throughout 2005 with 56 punts for 1,995 yards and a 35.6-yard average. His long punt was 52 yards. He had 15 of his punts downed inside the 20-yard line and a total of 33 were not returned. He had two punts blocked. **2004:** He also held the starting punting duties for the Lions in 2004. He punted 45 times for 1,658 yards and a 36.8 yard average. His long punt of the season was 53 yards. He had one punt blocked and had 10 of his punts downed inside the opponents 20-yard line. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played free safety and punted at Marion County High School under coach Barry Peoples. He led the Red Raiders to the second round of the state playoffs in 2000 and the first round in 2001 and 2002. He was named all-state in 2003. He also lettered in baseball and basketball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Stephen Lyle Atkinson. Born on April 22, 1985. Son of Gary and Marilyn Atkinson. Major is Fitness Management.



Year	PUNTS	YDS	AVG	LONG	BLK
2004	45	1658	36.8	53	1
2005	56	1995	35.6	52	2
TtIs	101	3653	36.1	53	3

# 2006 UNA LIONS

## HEATH BALLARD

**Long Snapper**  
**2 Letters**

5-10, 200, Junior

Tuscaloosa, Alabama

**UNA:** Has lettered as the Lions' long snapper in both 2004 and 2005. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played long snapper at Hillcrest High School under coach Bart Harper. He helped lead the Patriots to the third round of the state playoffs. He was named 2003 Gatorade High School Special Teams Player of the Week. Also lettered in track and field. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Michael Heath Ballard. Born November 15, 1985. Son of Penson and Debbie Ballard. Major is Nursing.



## JOJO BATES

**Offensive Lineman**  
**3 Letters**

6-1, 260, Senior

Mt. Olive, Alabama

**UNA:** Selected as a permanent team captain for the 2006 season in a vote of his UNA teammates. A three-year letterman on the offensive line for the Lions and has helped team reach the NCAA Division II semifinals twice in his career.

**2005:** Served as the Lions starting right guard throughout the 2005 season. He helped pave the way for a Lion offense that shattered numerous school records while averaging 36.4 points and 411 total yards per game. UNA went 11-3 and reached the playoff semifinals. **2004:** Saw action as both a starter and back-up last season, primarily at right guard. **2003:** Played in a reserve role for the Lions on the offensive line as a freshman. That UNA teams went 13-1 and reached the semifinals of the Division II playoffs. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played linebacker, defensive end, and center at Mortimer Jordan High School. He helped lead the Devils to the 5A state playoffs his sophomore, junior and senior seasons. He led the team in tackles both his junior and senior years. He was named defensive player of the year and team captain his senior year. He recorded 153 tackles, two pass break-ups and seven sacks during his senior season. He also lettered in track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Joseph Barton Bates. Born November 1, 1984. Son of Cheryl and the late Ralph Bates. Major is Business Management.



## WILL BATSON

**Punter**

6-4, 180, Freshman

Killen, Alabama

**UNA:** Redshirted on the UNA football team last fall. He did see action as a pitcher on the UNA baseball team in the Spring. Batson pitched 12.1 innings, posting a 4.38 ERA in six appearances. His record was 0-0 with five walks and seven strikeouts. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Punted, kicked and played wide receiver at Brooks High School under coach Jerry Hill. He helped lead the Lions to the state



playoffs for two consecutive years. He was named all-county punter during his junior season. He was named all-county punter and kicker, all-area punter and first-team all-state during his senior season. He also lettered in baseball, basketball and cross country. **PERSONAL:** Full name is William James Batson. Born September 8, 1986. Son of William and Sharon Batson and has two brothers. Major is Biology.

## RYAN BRICK

**Linebacker**  
**2 Letters**

6-4, 219, Senior

Deatsville, Alabama

**2005:** Made 13 tackles in 2005 with five solo stops and eight assists. He had two tackles for loss of six yards. **2004:** Made five tackles in 2004 with two solo stops and three assists. **COLLEGE:** Played at Jacksonville State University in Jacksonville, Ala., as a freshman under coach Jack Crowe. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played linebacker and defensive end at Prattville High School under coach Bill Clark. He helped lead the Lions to the quarterfinals of the state playoffs and was named all-county. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Ryan Robert Brick. Born December 22, 1983. Son of Robert and Lynn Brick and has two sisters. Major is Exercise Science.



Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	SACK-YDS
2004	2	3	5	0-0	0-0
2005	5	8	13	2-6	0-0
Ttls	7	11	18	2-6	0-0

## BOBBY BROOKS

**Strong Safety**  
**1 Letter**

6-0, 190, Sophomore

Hoover, Alabama

**UNA:** Saw action in a back-up role in the secondary as a freshman, making 14 tackles. He had four solo stops and 10 assists, with one tackle for loss of two yards. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played safety at Hoover High School under head coach Rush Propst. He helped lead the Buccaneers to three consecutive state championships along with a 43-2 team record. The team was undefeated during his senior season and ranked fourth in the nation. He was named team captain and had 42 consecutive starts during his career with the Bucs. He received the Black Shirt award. He set the school record for most consecutive starts. He recorded 87 tackles with one interception and two forced fumbles. Also lettered in track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Bobby Jacob Brooks II. Born June 12, 1986. Son of Bobby and Catherine Brooks and has two sisters. Major is Psychology.



Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	INT-YDS
2005	4	10	14	1-2	0-0

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## JASON CAMPBELL

**Defensive Back**  
**1 Letter**

5-9, 165, Senior

Holly Springs, Mississippi

**2005:** Earned a starting role at cornerback for the Lions in 2005 before being injured late in the season. He made 32 total tackles with 16 solos and 16 assists. He had 0.5 tackles for loss of one yard, picked off one pass and returned it 43 yards and broke-up two passes. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** He played at Northwest Community College in Senatobia, Mississippi, under coach Bobby Franklin. His team won the north division championship. He was named second-team all-state his first and second year, and was named the JUCO all-star game Most Valuable Player. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver and kick returner under coach Sammie Greer at Holly Springs High School. He was a four-year starter and was named all-district his sophomore and junior year at cornerback, and his senior year at wide receiver. He was named all-state his senior year at cornerback. He was third in the state in interceptions with five. He also lettered in basketball and track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Jason Kentrell Campbell. Born August 29, 1982. Son of Susie Campbell, he has two brothers and one sister. Major is Physical Education.



fumble and one blocked kick. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played right guard and middle linebacker at Coffee High School under coach Ronnie Lewey. He was named all-area in 2002 and 2003. Also lettered in track and field. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Derrick Raynardo Chatman. Born January 20, 1986. Son of Ray and Joyce Chatman and has one sister. Major is Biology.

Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	SACK-YDS
2005	4	6	10	1.5-11	0.5-4

## LUKE CHENAULT

**Offensive Line**

6-2, 270, Freshman

Moulton, Alabama

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played offensive lineman at Decatur High School. He helped lead the Raiders to the quarter-finals of the state playoffs in 2002 and to the second round of the state playoffs in 2003 and 2004. He was named all-area and all-region in 2002, 2003, and 2004. He was named all-state in 2004. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Luke Loyd Chenault. Born July 11, 1986. Son of Rick and Peggy Chenault and has one brother and three sisters. Major is undecided.



## VINCE CARY

**Linebacker**

6-1, 230, Junior

Alpharetta, Georgia

**UNA:** Transferred to UNA after the 2005 Fall semester and went through Spring drills with the Lions. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Played at New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell, New Mexico. He was named defensive MVP while playing for the Broncos. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played running back and linebacker at Roswell High School under head coach Tim McFarland. He helped lead the Hornets to the state playoffs. He was named best offensive back, all-region and all-district as a junior. Also lettered in basketball and wrestling. **PERSONAL:** Born January 17, 1986. Son of Ava Cary and has one brother and one sister. Major is Business Management.



## GREGORY CLARK

**Running Back**  
**1 Letter**

5-9, 215, Senior

Jackson, Mississippi

**2005:** Saw action as the Lions' fullback last season. He carried the ball 29 times for 95 yards and two touchdowns. He averaged 3.3 yards per carry and had a long run of 13 yards. Clark also caught six passes for 29 yards and one touchdown and averaged 4.8 yards per catch. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played running back at Provine High School under head coach Willie Collins. He helped lead the Rams to state championships in 2003 and 2004. He also played in the Junior College All-Star game. He was named back of the year in 2003 and 2004. He set records for most rushing yards in a game and most carries in a game in 2002. Also lettered in track and soccer. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Gregory Clark. Born February 1, 1984. Son of Emma Clark and Sammie Marshall and has one brother. Major is Exercise Science.



## DERRICK CHATMAN

**Defensive Lineman**

**1 Letter**

5-11, 245, Sophomore

Florence, Alabama

**2005:** Played primarily in a back-up role on the defensive line as a freshman but did start in UNA's second round playoff game at North Carolina Central. He finished the season with 10 total tackles, He had four solo stops, six assists, 1.5 tackles for loss of 11 yards, 0.5 sacks for four yards, one pass break-up, one fumble recovery, one forced



Year	ATT	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
2005	29	95	3.3	2	13
Year	REC.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
2005	6	29	4.8	1	10

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## MARCELL CRAFT Defensive Line

6-1, 255, Freshman  
Millington, Tennessee

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive and offensive line and linebacker at Bolton High School under head coach Tom NeSmith. He helped lead the Wildcats to a region championship in 2003 and to the state playoffs in 2002, 2003 and 2004. In 2004, he was named team captain, defensive player of the year, Defensive Player of the Week by Commercial Appeal, all-region and honorable mention all-state. He recorded 78 tackles, seven sacks and eight forced fumbles in 2004. Also lettered in track and field. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Marcell Anthony Craft. Born August 14, 1987. Son of Ray and Chiquita Craft and has two brothers and one sister. Major is Criminal Justice.



## MONTRELL CRAFT Defensive Line

6-2, 250, Freshman  
Millington, Tennessee

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive line, linebacker and tight end at Bolton High School under head coach Tom NeSmith. He helped lead the Wildcats to the state playoffs in 2002, 2003 and 2004. He also led the team to a region championship in 2004. He was named team captain in 2004 and first-team all-region in 2003 and 2004. He was named second-team all-region in 2002. He was named Commercial Appeal Defensive Player of the Week, and honorable mention all-state in 2004. He recorded 80 tackles, eight sacks, six forced fumbles and seven fumble recoveries in 2004. Also lettered in track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Montrell Anthony Craft. Born August 14, 1987. Son of Ray and Chiquita Craft and has two brothers and one sister. Major is undecided.



## JOSEPH CRONE Defensive Line

6-3, 260, Freshman  
Eads, Tennessee

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive lineman and offensive tackle at Briarcrest Christian High School under head coach Hugh Freeze. He helped lead the Saints to the state playoffs in 2001 and 2003 and to a state championship in 2004. He was named all-metro and all-star in 2004. Also lettered in wrestling. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Joseph Aaron Crone. Born April 10, 1986. Son of Jim and Laura Crone and has two brothers and one sister. Major is History.



## BAYLOR DAMPEER Quarterback

6-0, 200, Freshman  
Saltillo, Mississippi

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played quarterback and free safety at Saltillo High School under head coach Charlie Dampier. He was named team MVP and all-area in 2003 and 2004. He was named Super 24 quarterback in 2003 and division MVP in 2004. He was also selected to play in the North South All-Star game in Mississippi. Also lettered in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Chance Baylor Dampier. Born April 23, 1986. Son of Charlie and Donna Dampier and has one brother and one sister. Major is Physical Education.



## JONATHAN DOUGLAS Fullback 1 Letter

5-10, 190, Senior  
Cumming, Georgia

**2005:** Saw limited action in 2005 in the backfield. He had one carry for six yards, one pass reception for 10 yards and added six tackles - with two solos and four assists on special teams. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played strong safety and

fullback at North Forsyth High School. He was named region player of the year, all-state running back and played in the all-star game. He received the MVP Golden Helmet Award. He was named all-county and all-state in 2000 and 2001. He also lettered in wrestling. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Jonathan Andrew Douglas. Born October 6, 1983. Son of Johnny and Mary Ann Douglas. Has one brother. Major is Exercise Science.



## CARSON EDGMON Wide Receiver

5-10, 165, Freshman  
Pulaski, Tennessee

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver and safety at Giles County High School under head coach Jackie Smith. He was named region most valuable receiver. Also lettered in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is William Carson Edgmon. Born August 5, 1986. son of Chris and Vickie Edgmon and has one brother. Major is undecided.



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## YUTA FUKUDA

**Kicker  
1 Letter**

5-7, 170, Senior

Gunma-Machi, Japan

**2005:** Playing in his first season of organized football, Fukuda led UNA in scoring with 106 points and made numerous clutch kicks during the season. He made 18 of 29 field goal attempts and 52 of 54 extra-point attempts. His longest field goal of the season was 45 yards. In his first-ever football game, he earned Gulf South Conference Special Teams Player of the Week honors in UNA's win over Tusculum. He made all four of his field goal attempts and accounted for 12 points in UNA's 33-7 win. He was also GSC Special Teams Player of the Week in UNA's regular-season finale against West Alabama. In that game he was 10-of-11 on extra-points - setting school records both PATs made and attempted in a game. He also set school records for points scored in a season (106) in 2005 and for field goals made (18) and attempted (29) in a season. He was selected for the ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District IV team. He ranked eighth in the NCAA Division II in field goals per game at 1.3 and was 52nd nationally in scoring with 7.6 points per game. In UNA's regular-season meeting with Central Arkansas he made a 37-yard field goal on the final play of regulation to force overtime. His 29-yard field goal attempt in overtime was blocked. He then made a 20-yarder in the second overtime but UNA lost 29-26. In the quarterfinals of the Division II playoffs at UCA, Fukuda made a 32-yard field goal with 1:52 left in the game to tie the contest and again force overtime. He then made a season-long 45-yard field goal in overtime to give UNA a 41-38 win. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Attended Takasaki High School and lettered in soccer. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Yuta Fukuda. He is the son of Masanori and Taiko Fukuda and has two sisters. His major is CIS and Spanish.



## DUSTY GOODWIN

**Quarterback**

6-1, 206, Sophomore  
Demopolis, Alabama

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005. **COLLEGE:** Played in one game at Auburn University under head coach Tommy Tuberville in 2004. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played quarterback at Demopolis High School under head coach Doug Goodwin. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Dustin Douglas Goodwin. Born March 11, 1985. Son of Doug and Donna Goodwin and has one brother. Major is Education.



## TREY GORMAN

**Wide Receiver  
1 Letter**

6-0, 170, Sophomore  
Gardendale, Alabama

**2005:** Saw limited action in a reserve role for the Lions last season. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive back and wide receiver at Mortimer Jordan High School under coach Greg Watts. He helped lead his team to the state playoffs in 2000, 2001, 2002, and 2003. He was named first-team All-North Jefferson and Who's Who in Sports. He also lettered in track, basketball, and baseball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Trey Rodney Gorman. He is the son of Patrick and Roddy Gorman and has two sisters. Major is undecided.



## CLAY HARRELSON

**Quarterback**

6-2, 190, Sophomore  
Alexander City, Alabama

**COLLEGE:** Attended Jacksonville State University and the University of Alabama before transferring to UNA. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played quarterback and strong safety at Benjamin Russell High School under coach Carl Martin. He led the Wildcats to a state championship in 2001. He was named all-state in 2002. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Clay Clifton Harrelson. Son of Lynn and Claudette Harrelson and has one brother and one sister. Major is Exercise Science.



## CARLTON HARRIS

**Wide Receiver**

5-9, 180, Freshman  
Jasper, Alabama

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver and cornerback at Walker High School under head coach Bubba Davis. He led the Vikings to the state playoffs in 2002 and 2004. Also lettered in basketball, baseball and track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Carlton Jay Harris. Born December 23, 1986. Son of Cecelia Harris and has one brother. Major is undecided.



## CHRIS GAINEY

**Linebacker**

6-0, 215, Freshman  
Columbus, Georgia

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played linebacker and tight end at Pacelli High School under head coach Kevin Pettis. He helped lead the Vikings to the state playoffs and was named linebacker of the year, first team all-city and first team all-region. As a senior, he recorded 92 tackles, had 15 interceptions, seven sacks and three touchdowns. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Christopher Alonzo Gainey, Jr. Born February 15, 1987. Son of Christopher and Sandy Gainey and has one sister. Pursuing a degree in Physical Therapy.



Year	Field Goals	PATs	Points	
2005	18-29	52-54	106	
Field Goal Distances				
Year	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-Over
2005	9-11	7-8	2-7	0-3

# 2006 UNA LIONS

## **MICHAEL HATHORN** *Offensive Line* **1 Letter**

6-4, 280, Sophomore  
Corinth, Mississippi

**2005:** Saw action as a back-up on the offensive line last season. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played offensive line and defensive tackle at Corinth High School under head coach Jimmy Mitchell. He helped lead the Warriors to division championship in 2003 and 2004. He was named first-team all-state and first-team all-area by the Daily Corinthian in 2004. He was named to the All-Daily Journal team in 2004 and Super 22 in 2003 and 2004. Also lettered in track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Michael Shannon Hathorn. Born November 6, 1986. Son of Dale and Jean Hathorn and has one brother and one sister. Major is Physical Education.



## **SAMUEL HATHORN** *Offensive Lineman* **1 Letter**

6-3, 275, Sophomore  
Corinth, Mississippi

**2005:** Earned a letter on the offensive line in 2005, playing primarily as the back-up left tackle. **2004:** Redshirted at UNA in 2004. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive end at Corinth High School under coach Jimmy Mitchell. He helped lead the Warriors to state runner up honors, a regional championship and a district championship. He was named first-team all-area. Also lettered in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Samuel Howard Hathorn. Born May 2, 1985. Son of Dale and Jean Hathorn and has one brother and one sister. Major is Physical Education.



## **TIM HICKS** *Running Back* 6-9, 180, Freshman Millry, Alabama

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played running back and returned punts and kicks at Washington County High School under head coach David Wofford. He helped lead the Bulldogs to the state playoffs for three consecutive years. He was named runner-up back of the year in 2003 and back of the year in 2004. He was also named offensive MVP, two-time all-state and three-time all-county. He set the school record for most yards in a single season. He had 487 career rushing attempts for 6,034 yards and 66 touchdowns. He also recorded 9 kicks returned for touchdown and 8 punts returned for touchdown. Also lettered in basketball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Timothy Demarius Hicks. Born October, 17, 1986. Son of Jimmy and Bertha Hicks and has three brothers and four sisters. Major is undecided.



## **MIKE HORTON** *Offensive Line*

6-1, 240, Sophomore  
Florence, Alabama

**2004:** Redshirted at UNA last season. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played linebacker under his father, Coach Gary Horton, at Bradshaw High School. He was all-area, all-region and named Best Linebacker for the Bruins during the 2002 and 2003 seasons. He also lettered in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Michael Wayne Horton. Born July 18, 1985. He is the son of Gary and Sandra Horton and he has one brother, Matt, who also played on the offensive line at UNA and served as a student assistant coach. His major is undecided.



## **REGGIE HUBBARD** *Wide Receiver* **2 Letters**

6-2, 177, Junior  
Russellville, Alabama

**2005:** He caught three passes for 21 yards and one touchdown last season. He averaged seven yards per reception with a long of 14. He also had three kickoff returns for 22 yards. **2004:** Caught three passes for 44 yards as a freshman. He had one catch against Tusculum, Arkansas-Monticello and Southern Arkansas. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver at Russellville High School under coach Perry Swindall. He helped lead the Golden Tigers to two state runner up finishes and three region championships. He was named offensive captain and first-team all-region. Also lettered in basketball and track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Reginald Tray Hubbard. Born July 30, 1986. Son of Lanny and Norma Hubbard and has three brothers and two sisters. Major is Computer Information Systems.



## **NICK HUDSON** *Wide Receiver* 6-1, 185, Sophomore Muscle Shoals, Alabama

**COLLEGE:** Transferred to UNA from the University of Alabama where he participated in 2004 Spring football drills. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played at Muscle Shoals High School.



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## **MATT HURST**

### **Offensive Line**

6-3, 285, Freshman  
Killen, Alabama

**HIGHSCHOOL:** Played offensive and defensive tackle at Brooks High School under coach Jerry Hill. He helped lead the Lions to the state playoffs during all four years of his career. He was named all-county and all-region in 2003 and 2004. He was named team captain and most valuable lineman in 2004. Also lettered in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Matthew Cole Hurst. Born February 26, 1987. Son of Teresa and Larry Hurst and has one brother and two sisters. Major is Computer Science.



## **ZACH JONES**

### **Defensive Back**

6-0, 192, Sophomore  
Oneonta, Alabama

**COLLEGE:** Played linebacker, safety and running back for coach Scott Highsmith at Belhaven College in Jackson, Mississippi. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for coach Josh Nibblet at Oneonta High School. The Redskins were ranked 4th in the state his senior season, and were county champions two seasons. He was named first-team all-state, all-area, all-metro and all-county his senior. He was also named team captain and led the team in tackles and return yards. He also lettered in baseball, basketball, track and weight lifting. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Zachary Gray Jones. Born on November 3, 1984. He is the son of Steve and Sheila Jones and has one brother. His major is Social Science.



## **VINCE JACKSON**

### **Defensive Back**

#### **1 Letter**

5-9, 160, Sophomore  
Demopolis, Alabama

**2005:** Saw limited action as a backup cornerback last season. Made five tackles with three solos and two assists. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver, running back and cornerback at Demopolis High School under head coach Doug Goodwin. He led the Tigers to the state playoffs every year from 2001-2004 and to a state championship in 2004. As a junior, he recorded 63 tackles and six interceptions. During his senior season, he made 77 tackles and had 10 interceptions. He was named defensive captain, defensive player of the week, honorable mention all-state, All-West Alabama and all-star. Also lettered in basketball and track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Vincent Claude Jackson. Born July 10, 1987. Son of Brenda and Andrew Jackson and has one brother and one sister. Major is Computer Science.



Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	SACK-YDS
2005	3	2	5	0-0	0-0

## **MIKE JOHNSON**

### **Defensive Lineman**

6-4, 230, Freshman  
Panama City, Florida

**HIGHSCHOOL:** Played running back and defensive end at Bay High School under head coach Jim Scroggins. He helped lead the Tornadoes to the state semifinals as a sophomore and junior and to the second-round of the state playoffs as a senior. He was named first-team all-state offense and defense as a senior. He broke the school record for most rushing yards in one game on the least carries with 208 yards on just eight carries. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Michael D. Johnson. Born September 8, 1986. Son of Phyllis and Walter Grier and has two brothers and three sisters. Major is Physical Education.



Eric Packer

# 2006 UNA LIONS

## ROBERT KAKUSKA

**Defensive Lineman**

6-5, 275, Junior  
Roswell, New Mexico



**COLLEGE:** Transferred to UNA from New Mexico Military Junior College.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive tackle and tight end at Roswell High School under head coach Jack Cisco. He helped lead the Coyotes to a state championship and a district championship. He was named first team all-district and first team all-state for two consecutive years. Also lettered in basketball and track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Robert Kakuska. Born September 10, 1983. Son of Mike and Linda Kakuska and has two brothers and one sister. Major is Business.

## DUSTIN LAUTERBACHER

**Linebacker**

6-0, 200, Freshman  
Madison, Alabama



**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played linebacker at Bob Jones High School under head coach Shannon Brown. He was named team captain as a freshman and most improved as a sophomore. He was all-region and honorable mention all-metro as a junior. During his senior season, he was team captain, best linebacker, defensive MVP, all-region, and super all-metro. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Dustin Scott Lauterbacher. Born April 18, 1987. Son of John and Doris Charlton and has one brother and one sister. Major is Economics.

## MARCUS LEWIS

**Wide Receiver**

**3 Letters**

6-1, 193, Senior  
Pensacola, Florida



**UNA:** A three-year starter, he enters his senior season ranked third in career receiving yards at UNA with 1,913, and fourth in career catches with 122. **2005:** Missed the entire 2005 season after being injured in an auto accident over the summer. **2004:** Made 30 catches for 391 yards and two touchdowns. He averaged 13.0 yards per catch. He also had one rush for a two yard loss. **2003:** Started all season for the Lions and finished third on the team in receptions with 38 for 592 yards, a 15.6 average per catch and four touchdowns. He also had five rushes for 33 yards. His top games in 2003 were five catches for 82 yards at Southern Arkansas and five catches for 44 yards in NCAA playoff semifinal at North Dakota. **2002:** Played in all eleven games with eight starts for the Lions in 2002. He had 57 receptions for 930 yards and two touchdowns. He also returned three punts for 14 yards and one kick for 17 yards. He set school records for pass receptions in a season with 57, and tied the school mark for pass catches in a game with 10 against Southern Arkansas. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver at Pine Forest High School under coach Jerry Pollard. He helped lead the Eagles to a

4A state championship in 2000 and district championships in 1999 and 2001. He was named honorable mention all-state on offense and was first-team All-Northwest Florida. He was named to the all-area football team and third-team all-state on offense in 2002. He also lettered in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Marcus Edward Lewis. Born September 11, 1984. Son of Theresa Wallace. He has one brother. Major is Business Management.

Year	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
2002	57	930	16.3	2	61
2003	38	592	15.6	4	55
2004	30	391	13.0	2	68
TtIs	125	1913	15.3	8	68

Year	Rushes	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
2003	5	33	6.6	0	15
2004	1	-2	-2.0	0	-2
TtIs	6	31	5.2	0	15

Year	PR	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
2002	3	14	4.7	0	10

Year	KR	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
2002	1	17	17.0	0	17

### GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE RANKINGS

2002	Ranked 7th in GSC in Receptions Per Game (5.18)
2002	Ranked 7th in GSC in Receiving Yards Per Game (84.5)

### UNA CAREER RANKINGS

#### Career Receiving Yards

Yds	Player	Years	No.
2,844	Michael Edwards	1993-96	151
1,932	Roger Ralph	1973-75	126
1,913	Marcus Lewis	2002-04	122

#### UNA Career Pass Receptions

No.	Player	Years
151	Michael Edwards	1993-96
149	Ricky Lindsey	1966-68
126	Roger Ralph	1973-75
122	Marcus Lewis	2002-04

## TRAVIS LIGHTLE

**Center**

6-4, 230, Freshman  
Hartselle, Alabama



**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive end and center at Hartselle High School under head coach Bob Godsey. He led the Tigers to the state playoffs in 2002, 2003, and 2004. He was a member of the all-area team and the all-state team in 2004. Also lettered in wrestling. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Travis Steven Lightle. Born September 29, 1987. Son of Debbie and Roy Lightle and has one brother and two sisters. Major is Education.

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## ERIC LOPP

**Fullback**

5-8, 195, Freshman

Killen, Alabama

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGHSCHOOL:** Played runningback, linebacker and nose guard at Rogers High School under head coach Dan Beavers. He helped lead the Pirates to the state playoffs in 2003 and 2004. He was named all-county linebacker in 2003, and all-state nose guard and Lauderdale County Offensive Player of the Year in 2004. Also lettered in baseball, basketball and track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Eric Steven Lopp. Born November 30, 1986. Has one sister. Major is undecided.



## BRIAN McNAIR

**Linebacker**

**1 Letter**

6-4, 190, Senior

Florence, Mississippi

**2005:** Saw action on defense for the Lions last season, making 15 tackles.

He had seven solos and eight assists, intercepted one pass for eight yards and broke-up four passes. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Played at East Central Community College in Decatur, Mississippi under head coach Terry Underwood. He was named first-team all-star and honorable mention all-district. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver, tightend and free safety at Florence High School under head coach Steven Jones. He helped lead the Eagles to the state playoffs in 2000 and 2001. He was named all-district free safety in 2001. Also lettered in track, cross country and basketball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Robert O'Brian McNair. Born April 4, 1985. Son of Bobbie Smith and has three sisters. Major is Graphic Design.



for four different All-America teams. He had three kick returns for touchdowns, bringing his career total to eight. His 311 all-purpose yards and five TDs against Delta State earned GSC and National Player of the Week honors. In that game he caught two TD passes, had a rushing TD and scored on a punt return and a kickoff return. **2004:** Started in the secondary and was the Lions primary kick returner as a sophomore. Finished second on the team in all-purpose yards with 752 for an 83.6-yard per game average. He made 13 tackles with eight solos and five assists. He had two tackles for loss of two yards, recovered one fumble and had one interception. As a return specialist, he returned 17 kickoffs for 461 yards and one touchdown and returned 21 punts for 291 yards and three touchdowns. His kickoff return TD was a 98-yard jaunt at Harding. His punt return TDs were a 73-yarder against Central Arkansas, a 62-yarder against Henderson State and a 56-yarder at West Alabama. He was a first-team All-Gulf South Conference pick as a return specialist and was second-team All-South Region on both the Daktronics and Football Gazette teams. He was GSC Special Teams Player of the Week against Central Arkansas and Henderson State. He ranked 11th in the NCAA Division II in kickoff returns with a 27.1-yard average and was 14th in the nation in punt returns with a 13.9 average. **2003:** Set four UNA and two Gulf South Conference records as a freshman as a punt returner. He set a UNA mark for the longest punt return in school history - 91 yards at West Georgia. His 154 yards on punt returns in that game also set a school record. His 44 punt returns during 2003 for 548 yards set both school and GSC marks. He added six tackles, one pass interception, six pass deflections and recovered one fumble. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive back, wide receiver and punt returner for Shaw High School under coach Charles Flowers. He helped the Raiders win the state championship in 2002. He was named all-city player of the year, all-state and was selected to play in the Georgia-Florida all-star and the North/South all-star games. He also lettered in track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Juan Anthony Merritt II. Born January 5, 1985. He is the son of Juan and Constance Merritt and has two brothers and three sisters. Major is Physical Education.

Year	UT	AT	TT	INT-YDS	BRUP
2005	7	8	15	1-8	4

## ANTHONY MERRITT

**Wide Receiver**

**3 Letters**

6-0, 189, Senior

Columbus, Georgia

**2005:** Finished sixth in the voting for the Harlon Hill Trophy as the NCAA Division II College Football Player of the Year. In his first season on offense, Merritt accounted for 2,251 all-purpose yards and broke 13 school receiving, kick returning and scoring records, three GSC records and set an NCAA Division II record for kick returns in a season with 74. The previous record was 65 by Clarence Coleman of Ferris State in 2001. Merritt helped lead UNA to an 11-3 record and into the semifinals of the NCAA Division II playoffs. He was selected All-Gulf South Conference and All-Southeast Region as both a wide receiver and a kick returner. He was selected



Year	Rec.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	
2005	81	942	11.6	8	61	
Year	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	
2005	23	192	7.3	3	48	
Year	Att	Comp	Int	Yds	TD	Long
2005	1	1	0	21	1	21
Year	PR	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	
2003	44	548	12.5	1	91	
2004	21	291	13.9	3	73	
2005	51	546	10.1	2	88	
TtIs	116	1385	11.9	6	91	
Year	KR	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	
2003	10	204	20.4	0	35	
2004	17	461	27.1	1	98	
2005	23	595	25.9	1	82	
TtIs	50	1260	25.2	2	98	

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## Anthony Merritt

2005 Harlon Hill Trophy

**FINALIST**

Year	UT	AT	TT	INT-YDS	PD
2003	3	3	6	1-(-1)	6
2004	8	5	13	1-0	3
TtIs	11	8	19	2-(-1)	9

### HONORS

- 2003 Second-team All-Gulf South Conference (RS)
- 2003 GSC Player of the Week vs. West Georgia
- 2004 First-team All-Gulf South Conference (RS)
- 2004 Second-team Daktronics All-South Region (RS)
- 2004 Second-team Football Gazette All-South Region (RS)
- 2004 GSC Player of the Week vs. Central Arkansas
- 2004 GSC Player of the Week vs. Henderson State
- 2005 Harlon Hill Trophy Finalist
- 2005 First-team All-American - D2Football.com (RET)
- 2005 Second-team All-American - Daktronics (AP)
- 2005 Second-team All-American - Football Gazette (RS)
- 2005 Third-team All-American - CollegeSportsReport.com (KR)
- 2005 Honorable Mention All-American - Football Gazette (WR)
- 2005 First-team Daktronics All-Southeast Region (WR)
- 2005 First-team Daktronics All-Southeast Region (RS)
- 2005 First-team Football Gazette All-Southeast Region (RS)
- 2005 Second-team Football Gazette All-Southeast Region (WR)
- 2005 First-team All-Gulf South Conference (WR)
- 2005 First-team All-Gulf South Conference (RS)
- 2005 GSC Player of the Week vs. Delta State
- 2005 GSC Player of the Week vs. Henderson State
- 2005 D2Football.com National Player of the Week vs. Delta State
- 2005 Football Gazette National Player of the Week vs. Delta State

### UNA RECORDS

- \* Most Pass Receptions in a Game: 12 vs. Central Arkansas, Sept. 29, 2005
- \* Most Pass Receptions in a Season: 81 in 2005
- \* Touchdowns Scored in a Game: 5 vs. Delta State, Sept. 17, 2005
- \* Touchdowns Responsible for in a Game: 5 vs. Delta State, Sept. 17, 2005
- \* Most Points Scored in a Game: 30 vs. Delta State, Sept. 17, 2005
- \* Most Different Ways to Score in a Game: 4 vs. Delta State, Sept. 17, 2005
- \* Most Career Punt Return Touchdowns: 6
- \* Most Career Kick Return Touchdowns: 8
- \* Most Kick Return Yardage in a Season: 1,141 in 2005
- \* Most Career Punt Return Yardage: 1,385
- \* Most Career Punt Returns: 116
- \* Most Punt Returns in a Season: 51 in 2005
- \* Most Yards Returned Punts in a Season - 548 in 2003
- \* Longest Punt Return - 91 yards vs. West Georgia, 2003

- \* Most Yards Returned Punts in a Game - 154 vs. West Georgia, 2003
- \* Most All-Purpose Yards in a Season: 2,251 in 2005

### GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE RECORDS

- \* Most Yards Returned Punts in a Season - 548 in 2003
- \* Most Punt Returns in a Season: 51 in 2005
- \* Most Career Punt Return Touchdowns: 6
- \* Most Career Punt Return Yardage: 1,385

### NCAA DIVISION II RECORDS

- \* Total Kick Returns in a Season: 74 in 2005

### GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE RANKINGS

2003 Ranked 2nd in GSC in Punt Returns (12.5)

### NCAA DIVISION II RANKINGS

- 2003 Ranked 21st in Punt Returns (12.5)
- 2004 Ranked 14th in Punt Returns (13.9)
- 2004 Ranked 11th in Kickoff Returns (27.1)
- 2005 Ranked 37th in Receptions per Game (5.8)
- 2005 Ranked 20th in All-Purpose Yards (160.8)
- 2005 Ranked 42nd in Punt Returns (10.7)
- 2005 Ranked 15th in Kickoff Returns (25.9)

### KICK RETURN TOUCHDOWNS

- 2003 Punt 91 yds vs. West Georgia
- 2004 Kickoff 98 yds vs. Harding
- 2004 Punt 73 yds vs. Central Arkansas
- 2004 Punt 62 yds vs. Henderson State
- 2004 Punt 56 yds vs. West Alabama
- 2005 Punt 88 yds vs. Delta State
- 2005 Kickoff 82 yds vs. Delta State
- 2005 Punt 66 yds vs. Henderson State

### MERRITT GAME BY GAME IN 2005

	Rec.	Yds	TD	PR	Yds	TD	KR	Yds	TD	All-Purpose
TU	9	69	0	6	69	0	1	29	0	167
UAM	3	21	0	9	84	0	1	47	0	188
DSU	5	99	2	3	91	1	2	97	1	311
HU	7	35	1	2	20	0	0	0	0	118
UCA	12	74	1	1	-7	0	3	45	0	134
SAU	6	123	1	1	21	0	2	34	0	178
HSU	6	47	0	3	74	1	2	56	0	182
VSU	2	14	0	0	0	0	6	163	0	193
UWG	3	38	1	7	21	0	1	26	0	80
UWA	6	137	0	6	77	0	1	27	0	234
VSU	3	76	1	4	44	0	0	0	0	117
NCCU	5	82	1	3	14	0	1	12	0	109
UCA	7	54	0	3	14	0	2	31	0	103
NWMS	7	73	0	3	24	0	1	28	0	137
TtIs	81	942	8	51	546	2	23	595	1	2251

# 2006 UNA LIONS

## JASON MESSING Wide Receiver 2 Letters

6-1, 200, Senior  
Knoxville, Tennessee



**2005:** Set a school-record for touchdown receptions in a season with nine, breaking the mark of eight by Michael Edwards in 1994. Merritt caught 43 passes for 852 yards and averaged a team-high 19.8 yards per catch. His 161 yards receiving against West Alabama was the team's high for the season. His 65-yard reception against the Tigers was also a team best in 2005. **2004:** Caught one pass for eight yards in limited action. **COLLEGE:** Played at the University of Tennessee under coach Phillip Fulmer. He was named scout team player of the week four times for the Volunteers. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played running back, wide receiver, cornerback, safety and return specialist at Farragut High School under coach Eddie Courtney. He was named all-region and team captain. He holds the school record for kickoff return yards in a season. He ended his career with 1,700 yards rushing and scored 16 touchdowns. He had six career interceptions, 560 kickoff return yards, 700 yards receiving and 250 punt return yards. He also had 53 tackles as a senior. Also lettered in track and basketball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Jason Alexander Messing. Born June 7, 1984. Son of Nora and Patrick Messing and has one sister. Major is Entertainment Media Production.

Year	Rec.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
2005	43	852	19.8	9	65

## ZACH MILLER Wide Receiver

5-10, 175, Junior  
Oneonta, Alabama

**JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Played at New Mexico Military Institute under head coach Josh Lynn. He received the Art Foley Award in 2005. As a free safety he recorded 11 tackles, one pass breakup, one interception, one forced fumble and one recovered fumble. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver and free safety at Oneonta High School under head coach Josh Niblett. He helped lead the Redskins to the state playoffs every year from 2000-2003. He was named all-state and all-metro as a senior and voted best wide receiver all four years. He played in the North South All-Star Game scoring the only touchdown. Also lettered in basketball, baseball and track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Zachary Len Miller. Born December 2, 1985. Son of Len and Teresa Miller and has one brother. Major is Education.

## A.J. MILWEE Quarterback 1 Letter

5-10, 175, Junior  
Boaz, Alabama



**2005:** Saw action as a back-up quarterback for the Lions last season and played a prominent role for UNA in its playoff run. He completed 30 of 40 passes for 301 yards and six touchdowns, with a 75.0 percent completion percentage. He rushed 52 times for 244 yards and averaged 4.7 yards per catch. He also caught one pass for eight yards. He threw three touchdown passes in UNA's 41-38 playoff win at Central Arkansas. **COLLEGE:** Played at the University of Alabama under head coach Mike Shula. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played quarterback at Boaz High School under head coach Drew Noles. He led the Pirates to two county championships and two state playoff appearances. He was named Gadsden Times Player of the Year, Marshal County Overall MVP, area overall mvp, two-time all-state and three-time all-county during his career. He broke the records for touchdown passes in a career and season, rushing touchdowns in a season, passing yards in a career and season and total touchdowns in a game in a season. Also lettered in basketball and golf. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Alan Jacob Milwee. Born January 19, 1986. Son of Jeff and Fran Milwee and has one sister. Major is Business Management.

Year	Att	Comp	Int	Yds	TD	Long
2005	40	30	0	301	6	40
Year	Rushes	Yds	TD	Avg	Long	
2005	52	244	0	4.7	32	

## CARLOS MOORE Wide Receiver

6-5, 180, Freshman  
Auburn, Alabama



**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver and defensive back at Auburn High School under head coach Robert Maddox. He helped lead the Tigers to the 6A state playoffs. Also lettered in basketball and track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Carlos Antonio Moore. Born November 3, 1986. Son of Delaney Moore and Carlos Brunson and has two brothers and two sisters. Major is Criminal Justice.

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## DAVIAN OGLESBY

### Defensive Back

6-0, 170, Freshman

Toccoa, Georgia



**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played at Stephens County High School under coach Charles Winslett. He played running back and cornerback for the Indians. He helped lead the team to four straight playoff appearances from 1999-2002. He was chosen Best Defensive Back in 2001 and Most Improved Running Back in 2000. He earned all-area honors from 2000-02 and was named Best Running Back as a senior. Also lettered in basketball and track.

**PERSONAL:** Full name is Davian Deante Oglesby. Born on July 25, 1984. Son of Karen Oglesby and Charles Fleming and has one brother and two sisters. His brother is former Lion defensive back and current Baltimore Ravens defensive back Evan Oglesby. Majoring in Physical Education.

## KENNETH ORR

### Linebacker

6-1, 202, Freshman

Courtland, Alabama



**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played linebacker at R.A. Hubbard under head coach Lymos McDonald. Helped lead the Chiefs to the state playoffs every year from 2001-2004. He was named all-area and all-county every year from 2002-2004. Also lettered in basketball and track.

**PERSONAL:** Full name is Kenneth Terrell Orr. Born December 6, 1986. Son of Lucy Robinson and Kenny Orr and has three brothers and three sisters. Major is Physical Education.

## ERIC PACKER

### Running Back

#### 1 Letter

5-9, 185, Junior

Pine Hill, Alabama



**2005:** Finished as the Lions' second leading rusher in 2005 with 302 yards on 85 carries. He averaged 3.6 yards per carry and scored two touchdowns. He also caught six passes for 35 yards.

**JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Transferred to UNA from Southwest Mississippi Junior College. **HIGH SCHOOL:** He played running back at Wilcox Central High School under coach John Moton. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Eric Jawan Packer. Born on November 24, 1983. He is the son of Johnnie and Velma Pugh. He has six brothers and three sisters. His major is Education.

Year	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
2005	85	302	3.6	2	25
Year	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
2005	6	35	5.8	0	12

## WAYNE PASS

### Offensive Line

6-2, 285, Freshman

Cullman, Alabama



**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played offensive line at Cullman High School under head coach Mark Britton. He led the Bearcats to the state playoffs in 2002 and 2003. He was a three-year starter at Cullman. Also lettered in track.

**PERSONAL:** Full name is James Wayne Pass. Born July 10, 1987. Son of Alan and Cindy Pass and has one sister. Major is Marketing.

## MARQUEZ PATTON

### Defensive Back

6-1, 185, Freshman

Huntsville, Alabama



**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played quarterback and cornerback at Butler High School under head coach Dean Sanders. He was named first-team all-city in 2003. In 2004, he was named all-city, team MVP, first-team all-region defensive back and Huntsville All-Metro Offensive Player of the Year.

He passed for 1,580 yards and 15 touchdowns during his senior season and rushed for 520 yards and three touchdowns. He also recorded 61 tackles and two interceptions. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Le'Patrick Marquez Patton. Born January 7, 1987. Son of Rick and Angela Patton and has six brothers and one sisters. Major is undecided.

## MICHAEL PHILLIPS

### Offensive Lineman

#### 1 Letter

6-5, 292, Freshman

Alexander City, Alabama



**2005:** Saw limited action as a back-up on the offensive line in 2005.

**2004:** Redshirted at UNA in 2004.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for coach Jeff Steers at Central Coosa High School. The 4A Cougars played in the state playoffs in 2000, and were Region 3 champions in 2000. He was named a permanent team captain in 2003, and was named Offensive Line Most Valuable Player in 2004. He also lettered in basketball where his team won the 2004 state championship. He maintained a 3.93 GPA, and was ranked fourth in his class.

**PERSONAL:** Full name is Gary Michael Phillips. Born November 19, 1985. He is the son of Gary Phillips and Janet Whitehead and has one brother and one sister. His major is Secondary Education, English.

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## DEE PITTMAN Tight End

6-4, 230, Freshman  
Pensacola, Florida

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played tight end, defensive end and linebacker at Pine Forest High School under head coach Jerry Pollard. He helped lead the Eagles to the state playoffs in 2004 and he was named team captain. Also lettered in basketball, track and weightlifting. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Dominic Phillip Pittman. Born October 13, 1986. Son of Shirley McArthur and Bobby McCorvey and has three brothers and three sisters. Major is undecided.



## GERALD REED Strong Safety 2 Letters

5-10, 182, Junior  
Daphne, Alabama

**2004:** He finished third on the team in tackles in 2004 with 60 total stops. He had 28 solos and 32 assists. He added five tackles for loss of 22 yards, one sack for 11 yards, one interception, one pass break-up and one forced fumble. **2003:**

He played in a reserve role on the UNA defense as a freshman, recording six tackles (three solo and three assists). **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive back at Daphne High School under head coach Steve Saverese. He was named team captain and MVP. He broke the record for most interceptions in a championship game. Also lettered in basketball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Gerald Wesley Reed. Born February 16, 1983. Son of Alice and Don Smith and has two sisters. Major is Business.



Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	SACK-YDS
2003	3	3	6	0-0	0-0
2004	28	32	60	5-22	1-11
TtIs	31	35	66	5-22	1-11
Year	INT-YDS	PD	FF	FR	
2003	0-0	0	0	0	
2004	1-0	1	1	0	
TtIs	1-0	1	1	0	

## ANDREW REID Offensive Line 2 Letters

6-3, 278, Junior  
Homewood, Alabama

**2005:** Started all season on the offensive line for the Lions at right tackle. Helped team to an 11-3 record and NCAA Division II playoff semifinals. **2004:** Started on the offensive line for the Lions at right tackle. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played offensive guard and tackle at Homewood High School under coach Bob Newton. He helped lead the Patriots to 5A state championships in 2000 and 2002 and state runner-up



in 2001. He was a three-year starter and was named all-state, Birmingham News and Post Herald Super All-Metro, and Alabama Sportswriter's Association Mr. Football Top 3 in 2002. He was a finalist for the 5A lineman of the year, Birmingham Touchdown Club Lineman of the Week, and was selected to participate in the 2003 Alabama High School Sports Week All-Star Game. He received the Patriot lineman award and was named permanent team captain. He also lettered in baseball and basketball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Robert Andrew Reid III. Born January 19, 1985. Son of Bob and Mary Reid and has two sisters. Major is Marketing.

## ERIC RICHARDSON Offensive Lineman

6-2, 275, Freshman  
Florence, Alabama

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played left tackle and defensive end at Florence High School under head coach Joe Hollis. He was named all-region in 2002-2004.

**PERSONAL:** Full name is Eric Brian Richardson. Born November 20, 1986. Son of Thomas and Debbie Richardson and has one brother. Major is Computer Information Systems.



## E.J. RIGGINS Defensive Back

5-9, 180, Freshman  
Birmingham, Alabama

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played running back, safety and returned kicks at Spain Park High School. He helped lead the Jaguars to the state playoffs during his junior and senior seasons. He was named honorable mention all-state and Jacks Player of the Week as a sophomore. During his senior season, he was named all-region, honorable mention all-state and Pat Patrick Player of the Year. He was also named team captain and MVP. Also lettered in basketball and track and field. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Edward Jerome Riggins. Born September 14, 1986. Son of Gwendolyn and Ronney Taylor and has one brother. Major is Broadcasting.



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## SCOTT SHURDEN

### Kicker

5-8, 160, Senior  
Noxapater, Mississippi

**UNA:** Redshirted at UNA in 2003.  
**COLLEGE:** Originally signed with Mississippi State before transferring to UNA. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Punted and kicked at Neshoba Central High School under coach Jim Ray. He helped lead the Rockets to the state quarterfinals. He was named all-state and PrepStar/CBS Sportsline All-American. He kicked a Mississippi record 18 field goals in one season, finished his career third in the state with 266 career points and second in the state with a career 37 field goals made. He had a career punting average of 37.9 yards. He also lettered in track and was valedictorian of his class. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Nathan Scott Shurden. Born on February 6, 1983. Son of Henry and Jeanette Shurden and has two brothers and one sister. Major is Secondary Education.



## TREY STANFORD

### Kicker

6-1, 180, Freshman  
Elkmont, Alabama

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.  
**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played linebacker, quarterback and kicker at West Limestone High School under head coach Josh Lowe. He was named all-county safety and all-county defensive team as a sophomore. He was all-area and all-county defensive team as a junior and all-state honorable mention a kicker during his senior season. Also lettered in basketball and soccer. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Trey Calvin Stanford. Born December 28, 1986. Son of Donnie and Daveen Stanford and has one brother. Major is Physical Education.



## MARLON SIMS

### Wide Receiver

6-2, 190, Freshman  
Hoover, Alabama

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.  
**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver at Hoover High School under head coach Rush Propst. He helped lead the Bucs to three state championships. Also lettered in track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Marlon Vorn Sims. Born April 11, 1987. Son of Barbara and Jimmie Brown and has one brother. Major is Engineering.



## WALLACE STEELE

### Running Back

### 2 Letters

6-1, 240, Senior  
Huntsville, Alabama

**2005:** Returned to UNA in 2005.  
**1999-2000:** Played in a backup role as quarterback for the Lions in 1999 and 2000. In 1999, he had seven carries for 20 yards and one touchdown. He was also 4-of-9 passing for 43 yards with one interception. In 2000, he had two kickoff returns for 27 yards and recorded 3 tackles. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played quarterback at J.O. Johnson High School under head coach Harold Wells. He helped lead the Jaguars to the state quarterfinals as a sophomore and junior. He was named all-city, all-metro and team MVP in 1999. He was a member of the National Honor Society. Also lettered in basketball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Wallace Deval Steele, Jr. Born December 7, 1980. Son of Wallace and Rosie Steele and has one brother and one sister. Major is Computer Information Systems.



## MICAH SMITH

### Cornerback

5-8, 170, Freshman  
West Palm Beach, Florida

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.  
**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played quarterback, safety and cornerback at the King's Academy under head coach Pete Walker. He helped lead the Lions to the state playoffs during his sophomore, junior and senior seasons. He was named second-team all-area as a junior, and as a senior he was named district player of the year, all-area small schools defensive player of the year and second-team all-state. He passed for 1,100 yards and 12 touchdowns with just one interception offensively, with four interceptions defensively, as a junior. During his senior season, he threw for 1,450 yards and 18 touchdowns with just two interceptions. He also rushed for 950 yards and 10 touchdowns and five defensive interceptions as a senior. Also lettered in basketball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Micah Josiah Smith. Born March 4, 1987. Son of Dan and Kim Smith and has one brother and one sister. Major is undecided.



## CHARLES STILL

### Wide Receiver

6-3, 235, Sophomore  
Corona, California

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played wide receiver at Centennial High School under head coach Matt Logan. He was named offensive player of the year as a sophomore and most improved player as a junior. Also lettered in basketball and track. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Charles Still. Born December 9, 1982. Son Charles and Thelma Still and has two brothers and two sisters. Major is Business.



# 2006 UNA LIONS

## PIERRE STOVER

**Wide Receiver**

5-8, 175, Freshman  
Courtland, Alabama

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played quarterback, wide receiver and free safety at R.A. Hubbard High School under head coach Lymos McDonald. He led the Chiefs to the state playoffs every year from 2001-2004 and to area championships from 2001-2004. He was named honorable mention all-area in 2003. Also lettered in basketball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Pierre Montez Stover. Born July 16, 1987. Son of Wallace Stanley and has three brothers and one sister. Major is undecided.



27 yards. **2004:** Played in just three games and missed the majority of the 2004 campaign due to medical concerns. He made 14 tackles with nine solos and five assists. He added two tackles for loss of two yards and deflected one pass. **2003:** Selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference after a stellar 2003 season. He was also second-team Daktronics All-South Region. Started all 14 games for UNA in 2003 and led the team in tackles with 78. He made 44 solo stops and added 34 assists, 16 tackles for loss of 47 yards, 7.5 sacks for 36 yards, picked off two passes and returned them four yards, broke-up four passes and caused a fumble. He made nine tackles in games against Ouachita Baptist and Valdosta State. **2002:** Played in all eleven games with three starts for the Lions in 2002. He recorded 50 tackles (18 UT, 32 AT). He also had six tackles for loss of 18 yards and one interception returned for 5 yards. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played safety and running back at Pine Forrest High School under coach Jerry Pollard. He helped lead the Eagles to their fourth straight district championship. The Eagles were state champions in 2000, and they reached the playoffs every year from 1998-2001. He was named to the All-Northwest Florida Team, first-team all-area and Big Six, and first-team all-state. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Donald Donelle Tharpe, Jr. Born on March 16, 1984. Son of Lorraine and Donald Tharpe. Has five sisters and two brothers. Major is Engineering.

## KENTREL TANNER

**Defensive Lineman**

**1 Letter**

6-3, 285, Senior  
Brandon, Mississippi

**2005:** Saw extensive action on the defensive front last season but missed four games due to injury. He finished the season with 21 total tackles (5 solo and 16 assists), four tackles for loss of 20 yards and 1.5 sacks for nine yards. He also broke-up one pass. His top game was seven tackles against Arkansas-Monticello. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played defensive end at Brandon High School under head coach Dan Davis. He was named to the all-metro and all-state teams. He was the defensive MVP player of the year in 2003. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Kentrel Tanner. Born June 27, 1984. Son of Sylvester and Patricia Tanner and has six brothers and five sisters. Major is Criminal Justice.



Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	SACKS-YDS
2002	18	32	50	6-18	1.5-9
2003	44	34	78	16-47	2-4
2004	9	5	14	2-2	0-0
2005	48	30	78	15-85	8-52
Ttls	119	101	220	39-152	11.5-65

Year	INT-YDS	PD	FC-FR
2002	1-5	2	1-0
2003	2-4	4	1-0
2004	0-0	1	0-0
2005	0-0	5	2-1
Ttls	3-9	12	4-1

### HONORS

- 2003 First-team All-Gulf South Conference
- 2003 Second-team Daktronics All-South Region
- 2005 Second-team All-Gulf South Conference

Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	SACK-YDS
2005	5	16	21	4-20	1.5-9

## DONALD THARPE

**Linebacker**

**4 Letters**

5-10, 205, Senior  
Pensacola, Florida

**UNA:** Tharpe will be in action for his fifth season at UNA after receiving a medical redshirt for the 2004 season. He was voted by his teammates as a permanent team captain for the upcoming 2006 season. He was also a permanent captain in 2004 and 2005, making him the first three-time permanent team captain in UNA football history. He has helped lead the Lions to the semifinals of the NCAA playoffs in two of the last three seasons. **2005:** Started at linebacker last season and finished second on the team with 78 tackles. He had 48 solos and 30 assists, 15 tackles for loss of 85 yards, eight sacks for 52 yards, five pass break-ups, one fumble recovery, two fumbles caused and blocked one kick. He was chosen second-team All-Gulf South Conference. Tharpe had three carries on fake kicks for



## KEYLON WALKER

**Wide Receiver**

5-10, 187, Freshman  
Huntsville, Alabama

**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played free safety, wide receiver and returned kicks at Huntsville High School under head coach and former UNA Lion Kevin Wieseman. He led the Panthers to the state playoffs in 2003. Also lettered in basketball.

**PERSONAL:** Full name is Keylon Walker. Born November 26, 1986. Son of Tara and Kevin Walker and has one brother. Major is Criminal Justice.



# 2006 UNA LIONS

## J.D. WHITED Offensive Lineman

6-3, 293, Sophomore  
Oneonta, Alabama

**COLLEGE:** Played offensive and defensive line under coach Steve Patton at Gardner-Webb University in Boiling Springs, North Carolina. He played in every game last season and started in two.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played under coach Josh Niblett at Oneonta High School. He was named Team and Defensive Most Valuable Player in 2002 and Defensive Most Valuable Player in 2001. He was named first-team all-metro and all-state in 2001 and 2002. In 2002 he was a 3A Lineman of the Year finalist, and on USA Today's Top 50 Players of the Year. He was selected to play and started in the Alabama-Mississippi All-Star game. He also lettered in baseball and basketball.

**PERSONAL:** Full name is Joshua David Whited. Born on September 16, 1984. He is the son of Neal and Vicky Whited and has two brothers. His major is Physical Education.



## PATRICK WILSON Wide Receiver 3 Letters

5-11, 190, Junior  
Jasper, Alabama

**2005:** Caught 14 passes for 120 yards and two touchdowns last season. Averaged 8.6 yards per catch, with a long play of 24 yards. He had one rush for six yards and one kickoff return for 13 yards.

**2004:** Caught 10 passes for 95 yards and two touchdowns in 2004. He averaged 9.5 yards per catch. His two TD catches came against Delta State and Henderson State. **2003:** Missed the entire 2003 season with a broken foot. **2002:** Played in nine games for the Lions as a freshman. He had 24 receptions for 336 yards and two touchdowns. He also had one rush. He returned 17 kicks for 426 yards, including a 92-yard touchdown return against Samford in the double-overtime season opener.

He had 106 yards receiving on five catches against West Alabama. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played virtually every position on offense and defense at Walker High School. He helped lead the Vikings to an Area 12 Class 5A Championship and to the state playoff quarterfinals in 1999. In 2000, the Vikings went 10-2 and were Region 5 tri-champions. He also helped lead the team to an appearance in the state quarterfinals. The Vikings went to the second round of the state playoffs and ended their season with a 10-2 record in 2001. He was named Eagle Elite honorable mention and Gatorade and Bernard's Player of the Week in 1999. He was named to the Birmingham All-Metro Team and Eagle Elite teams. He received the Walker High School Best Defensive Back Award and the Gatorade and Bernard's Player of the Week awards in 2000. In 2001 he was named Gridiron Greats Regional All-Star, Sprint Factory Alabama All-Star, Birmingham News All-State, Walker High School Best Defensive Back, Gatorade and Bernard's Player of the Week and Eagle Elite. He also lettered in track and baseball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Patrick Roger Wilson. Born on April 6, 1984. Son of Roger and Janet Wilson. He has one brother. Major is Biology.



## FRED WILKINS Offensive Tackle 2 Letters

6-3, 322, Senior  
New Orleans, Louisiana

**2005:** Started for the Lions at left guard on an offense that averaged 36 points and 411 yards per game. **2004:** Saw action as a starter and backup on the offensive line last season. **2002:** Redshirted at UNA in 2002. **HIGH**

**SCHOOL:** Played offensive guard at Archbishop Shaw High School under coach Hank Terinery. He helped lead the Eagles to a state runner-up finish in 2000. He was named all-district, all-metro, and All-Clarion Herald. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Fred Druright Wilkins. Born March 26, 1984. He is the son of Fred and Estelle Wilkins and has one brother and three sisters. Major is Criminal Justice.



## BRANDON WILLIAMS Linebacker 1 Letter

6-0, 185, Sophomore  
Phenix City, Alabama

**2005:** Saw action at linebacker last season, making 21 tackles. He had 10 solos and 11 assists. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played linebacker at Central High School under coach Ron Nelson. He led the Red Devils to the state playoffs in 2004 and was named linebacker of the year in 2004. In 2003, he recorded 123 total tackles and 122 total tackles in 2004. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Brandon Jarmar Williams. Born February 7, 1987. Son of Noble and Dorothy Williams and has two sisters. Major is Engineering.



Year	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
2002	24	336	14.0	2	70
2004	10	95	9.5	2	21
2005	14	120	8.6	2	24
Ttls	48	551	11.4	6	70
Year	Rushes	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
2002	1	1	1.0	0	1
2004	1	11	11.0	0	11
2005	1	6	6.0	0	6
Ttls	3	18	6.0	0	11
Year	KR	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
2002	17	426	25.1	1	92
2005	1	13	13.0	0	13
Ttls	18	439	24.4	1	92

Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	SACKS-YDS
2005	10	11	21	0-0	0-0

# 2006 UNA LIONS

## COVINGTON WRIGHT Tight End 1 Letter

6-6, 260, Sophomore  
Columbus, Georgia



**2005:** Saw action at tight end last season. He made four catches for 48 yards and scored one touchdown. He averaged 12.0 yards per catch. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played tight end under coach Wallace Davis at Carver High School. He was named first-team all-area and All-Bi-City. He was also named Best Offensive Lineman and Best Receiver. He received the Captain Award as a senior and earned Player of the Week honors. His senior season he caught 28 passes for 528 yards and five touchdowns. He also lettered in basketball. **PERSONAL:** His full name is Covington Wright. Born on May 21, 1984. He is the son of Viola Wright and has three brothers and one sister. Majoring in Public Communication.

## JUSTIN YOUNGBLOOD Running Back 5-11, 180, Freshman Hartselle, Alabama



**2005:** Redshirted at UNA in 2005. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played running back at Hartselle High School under head coach Bob Godsey. He led the Tigers to the state playoffs in 2002, 2003, and 2004. He was named all-region running back in 2003 and all-area and all-state in 2004. He ranks fifth all-time in all-purpose in Alabama. In 2004, he has 1,886 rushing yards and 28 touchdowns, and he returned two kickoffs for touchdowns. Also lettered in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Full name is Justin Kyle Youngblood. Born October 31, 1986. Son of Vicki Roberts and Shane Youngblood and has two brothers and one sister. Major is Biology.



## UNA FOOTBALL "HELMET STARS"

### Gold - Academics

No class absences.....	1 star per each class each progress report
Letter grade of "B" .....	1 star per "B" each progress report
Letter grade of "A" .....	2 stars per "A" each progress report
Perfect Attendance	
Study Hall .....	1 star

### White - Football Team

Win.....	1 star
Fewer than 50 yds in penalties.....	1 star

### Offense

Offensive Player of Game .....	1 star
Perfect Ball Security.....	1 star
Score everytime in Red Zone .....	1 star
Convert 50% of 3rd Down .....	1 star

### Defense

Defensive Player of Game .....	1 star
Cause 3 or more Turnovers .....	1 star
17 Points or Less.....	1 star (Shutout - 2 stars)
Stop 66% of 3rd Down .....	1 star
No Points in last 2 minutes of each half .....	1 star

### Special Teams

Punt - Net 38 yards .....	1 star
Punt - Down Ball Inside 10 .....	1 star
Punt - Convert Fake.....	1 star
Kickoff - Tackle inside 20.....	1 star
Kickoff - Average 25 or less yard line.....	1 star
XPT/FG - 100% XPTs.....	1 star
Punt Return - Big Hit Award.....	1 star



# UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT AND BOARD

## President William G. Cale, Jr.

Dr. William G. Cale, Jr., became the President of the University of North Alabama on January 15, 2005, four days after the marking of the 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the school's founding.

A native of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, he came to UNA from Penn State-Altoona, where he was the Chief Executive Officer and Dean.

Previously, Dr. Cale was the Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs at Lamar University in Beaumont, Texas. He has also served in administrative roles such as dean and department head. His academic specialty is ecology, which he has used extensively in research projects.

In Altoona, Dr. Cale served on the Board of the Altoona-Blair County Chamber of Commerce and the Altoona-Blair County Development Corporation. He served on the Board of the Texas Energy



Museum and several other boards. He has been an active member of numerous academic and civic organizations.

Dr. Cale is widely published in professional journals. He co-authored the book, *Ivy images: A Photographic*

*History of Penn State Altoona.*

Dr. Cale and his wife Betty Jean live in the President's Home on campus.



### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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# UNA ATHLETIC STAFF

## Lion Athletic Staff Directory

All numbers are (256) 765 + four digit extension

### FLOWERS HALL

For: Men's Basketball, Women's Basketball, Golf, Cross Country, Baseball, Softball

Judy Gullett.... Secretary ..... 4396

### FLOWERS HALL ANNEX

For: Athletic Director, SWA, Football, Volleyball, Men's Tennis, Women's Tennis, Soccer, Trainers

Pam Trimble ... Secretary ..... 4397

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT FAX ..... 4685

SPORTS INFORMATION FAX ..... 4659

SPORTSMAN'S CLUB ..... 4185

Lana Nale ..... Secretary ..... 4185

	<i>Position</i>	<i>Phone</i>	<i>Alma Mater</i>	<i>Year</i>
Alan Arrington.....	Football Assistant	4634	Mississippi	1994
Casey Bourgoyne.....	Softball Assistant	5982	Delta State	2002
Stephanie Burner.....	Volleyball Assistant	4556	Edinboro	2003
Steadman Campbell..	Football Assistant	4843	Arkansas	2002
Sean Cannon.....	Football Assistant	4613	Delta State	1997
Bobby Champagne....	Men's Basketball	4398	South Alabama	1990
Dan Persal.....	Assistant Women's Basketball	4161	Spring Hill	1999
Kenny Edenfield.....	Assistant Football	4566	Troy State	1988
Dr. Joel Erdmann.....	Athletic Director	4397	South Dakota State	1986
Terry Fowler.....	Head Women's Basketball	4616	Lane	1986
Billy Gamble.....	Head Golf	4113	Troy State	1967
Shane Herrmann.....	Assistant SID	4895	North Alabama	1999
Jeff Hodges.....	Sports Information Director	4595	North Alabama	1982
Mark Hudspeth.....	Head Football	4397	Delta State	1992
Mike Keehn.....	Baseball Assistant	4635	Kearney State	1985
Sherry Kennemer.....	Assistant to Athletic Director & Senior Woman Administrator	4618	North Alabama	1992
Mike Lane.....	Head Baseball	4615	Kearney State	1974
Alistair Morgan.....	Men & Women's Tennis	4617	Presbyterian	2004
Scott Mitchell.....	Flowers Hall Coordinator	4333	North Alabama	2002
Karl Morgan.....	Football Assistant	4564	UCLA	1984
Josh Penny.....	Head Athletic Trainer	4563	West Alabama	1999
Stephanie Radecki....	Head Volleyball	4844	Edinboro	1998
Jeremy Reece.....	Head Softball	5993	Union University	1997
Pat Roden.....	Faculty Athletic Representative	4478	North Alabama	1975
Scott Trimble.....	Head M&W Cross Country Coach	4788	Athens State	1993
Todd Vardaman.....	University Ticket Manager	5466	North Alabama	1990
Chris Willis.....	Football Assistant	4634	Delta State	1998
Graham Winkworth..	Head Soccer	4845	Central Lancashire	2000
Cord Wright.....	Men's Basketball Assistant	4567	Limestone College	2002



Dr. Joel Erdmann  
Athletic  
Director



Sherry Kennemer  
Senior Women's Ad-  
ministrator



Todd Vardaman  
University  
Ticket Manager



Jeff Hodges  
Sports Info. Director



Josh Penny  
Athletic Trainer

# UNA ATHLETIC STAFF

## Athletic Director Dr. Joel Erdmann

Joel Erdmann is in his fifth year as athletic director at the University of North Alabama, having assumed the leadership for the department on August 1, 2002.

During his time at UNA, Erdmann has directed the Lion program through one of the most successful times in school history, with seven Lion teams competing in NCAA post-season play in 2005-06. Erdmann has also directed efforts that have brought significant increases in the program's marketing and corporate support, renovation to athletic facilities and the highest student-athlete grade-point averages that the department has ever recorded.

Prior to coming to UNA, Erdmann, 41, worked four years as an assistant to the Athletic Director at the University of South Alabama, and also served as Executive Director of the Jaguar Athletic Club at USA in 2001-02.

Erdmann, a Millbank, S.D., native, received his bachelor's degree in physical education from South Dakota State in 1986, a master's in physical education from South Alabama in 1992 and his doctorate degree from Florida State in 1995.

He spent five years as an assistant baseball coach and recruiting coordinator at the University of The Pacific in Stockton, Calif., from 1987 to 1991 before going to the University of South Alabama.

In 1992, he was a graduate assistant baseball coach for the Jaguars and worked two seasons as a volunteer coach. From 1993-95, Erdmann worked as an operations coordinator for the event division of the Convention and Visitors Bureau in Tallahassee, Fla. While a graduate assistant at FSU, Erdmann held several positions within the Seminole Athletic Department which included academic support services, the Seminole booster club and facilities/game operations.

His wife's name is Tina.

### North Alabama Athletic Directors

1949-69	.....Eddie Flowers
1969-73	.....Hal Self
1973-77	.....Mickey Andrews
1977-87	.....Wayne Grubb, Associate Bill Jones, Associate
1987-94	.....Bill Jones
1994-02	.....Dan Sammy
2002-	.....Joel Erdmann

## Assistant to the Athletic Director/ Senior Woman Administrator Sherry Kennemer

Sherry Kennemer has served as Senior Woman Administrator since 1995 and now also serves as Assistant to the Athletic Director and Compliance Coordinator.

In 2006 she was named as a member of the NCAA Committee on Infractions.

For five years she served as South Region chair of the NCAA Division II Men and Women's Tennis Committee, and she served as chair of the Division II National Tennis Committee in 2002-03.

She began her coaching career at UNA as a volunteer assistant coach for the UNA women's tennis and cross country teams in 1992 before accepting a position as head coach for the two sports in August of 1992.

Kennemer received a Bachelor of Science degree in physical education from UNA, and also received her Master's degree in physical education from UNA.

Kennemer had an injury plagued career as a student-athlete at UNA in tennis and cross country. She competed in the 1988-89 seasons before being redshirted in 1990. She returned to action in 1990-91 before further injuries ended her career.

Kennemer is a native of Cullman, Ala.

## Athletic Trainer Josh Penny

Former University of North Alabama graduate assistant trainer Josh Penny is in his fourth year as head athletic trainer with the Lions.

Penny, a 1999 graduate of the University of West Alabama, served as a graduate assistant at UNA from 1999-2002 before going to work at Health South. He returned to UNA to replace Phil Cross, who resigned at the end of May, 2003 after 27 years at the school, including the last 14 as head trainer.

Penny, who is certified by the National Athletic Trainers Association, worked as an athletic trainer in Health South's High School Outreach Program in 2002-03. He also served as an assistant trainer at the Kelly Tires Blue-Gray Game All-Star Football Classic from 1999-2001.

## Sports Information Director Jeff Hodges

Jeff Hodges is in his 24th year as sports information director at the University of North Alabama, where, since 1991 he has helped promote five national championship teams, two Harlon Hill Trophy winners, and worked at both the Summer and Winter Olympic Games.

In July of 1997 he was honored by the College Sports Information Directors of America as the 1997 recipient of the Warren Berg Award, presented annually to a college division member who has made an outstanding contribution to the field of college sports information, and, who by his or her activities outside the field, has brought dignity and prestige to the profession.

In addition to becoming the youngest recipient ever of the Berg Award at age 36, Hodges was also inducted into the CoSIDA Hall of Fame in 1997.

He was also honored by UNA as an Alumni of the Year for 2001.

In February of 2002 he served as Venue Press Chief for Ski Jumping at Utah Olympic Park at the Olympic Winter Games in Salt Lake City. Hodges was also the Venue Press Chief at the 2001 U.S. Nordic Ski Festival in Park City, Utah.

At the 1996 Centennial Olympic Games in Atlanta, Hodges served as Venue Press Chief for volleyball at the Omni, where he supervised all press operations for both the men and women's volleyball competition.

Hodges had previously served as press officer for the U.S. Olympic Committee at the 1987 U.S. Olympic Festival in North Carolina, the 1993 U.S. Olympic Festival in San Antonio, Texas, and the XVII Olympic Winter Games in Lillehammer, Norway in 1994.

He has served as media coordinator for the NCAA Division II Football Championship Game since 1986 and has served as chairman of the National Harlon Hill Award Committee, which presents the NCAA

Division II College Football Player of the Year Award, since its creation in 1986.

In 1995 he successfully promoted the first defensive player to win the trophy in the award's history, in UNA linebacker Ronald McKinnon.

During Hodges time at UNA, the school's athletic publications have received more than 70 national awards from CoSIDA, including 19 "Best in the Nation" awards.

In 1995, Hodges was appointed to the Honors Court (selection committee) of the College Football Hall of Fame, and in 1996 he was named to the selection committee for the United States Olympic Committee's SportsMan, SportsWoman and Team of the Year.

Among his numerous involvements within CoSIDA, Hodges is currently on the CoSIDA Board of Directors as the national secretary for the organization, and he served a previous three-year term on the CoSIDA Board from 1992-95. He had also previously served as chairman of the CoSIDA Olympic Liaison Committee from 1995-2002.

A 1982 graduate of UNA with a B.S. degree in Journalism and History, Hodges was a two-year letterman on the Lions' tennis team, and was a member of the 1981 Gulf South Conference championship tennis squad.

Following his graduation, he worked for six months as a sports writer at the Florence Times Daily newspaper before being hired as the full-time SID at UNA in July of 1983.

In addition to his other duties at UNA, Hodges is chairman of the school's Athletic Hall of Fame and handles the voting for the Alabama Sports Writers Association's Small College Athlete of the Year award.

He and his wife Karen have a son, Dillon and two daughters, Shanna and Melanie.

## Assistant Sports Info. Director Shane Herrmann

Shane Herrmann is in his third year as assistant sports information director at UNA. His primary duties include promoting the Lions volleyball and softball programs and assisting with football, baseball and men's and women's basketball.

A 1999 UNA graduate, Herrmann previously worked in the UNA sports information office as a student and, following his graduation, served as sports editor of the Journal Record in Hamilton for three years. In 2003-04 he worked in the sports information office at Jacksonville State University.

He and his wife Jennifer have a son, Kaleb.

## University Ticket Manager Todd Vardaman

Todd Vardaman is in his sixth year as University Ticket Manager, after serving eight years as assistant sports information director at North Alabama. He also serves as Executive Director of the UNA Sportsman's Club.

Vardaman's primary responsibilities in the sports information office were with the volleyball, men's and women's basketball and softball teams.

A 1990 graduate of UNA with a B.S. in Radio, Television and Film, Vardaman worked at Reynold's Metals Company before being hired at UNA in October of 1993.

He and his wife Didi have two sons, Joshua and Caleb.

# BRALY MUNICIPAL STADIUM



*Overflow crowds attended the 1993, 1994 and 1995 NCAA Division II National Championship games held in Braly Stadium. An additional national audience watched on ESPN and ESPN2. Braly Stadium has hosted the Division II Championship Game for 18 years, dating back to 1986*

Braly Municipal Stadium is recognized across the nation as one of the top college football facilities in the NCAA Division II.

The 14,215 seat stadium has been the site of numerous University of North Alabama football victories and has served as host for 22 of UNA's NCAA playoff games. In all but eight of the NCAA playoff games that UNA has participated in, the Lions and Braly Municipal Stadium, have been chosen as the host. One of those was at a pre-determined site - the 1985 Division II Championship Game in McAllen, Tex.

But twenty years ago, Braly Municipal Stadium began hosting the NCAA Division II Championship Game as well, and will host it for a record 21st consecutive year this December.

Since the Division II title game was created in 1972, no city had served as the host for more than five years until the Shoals area and Braly Stadium did it from 1986 to 1996, with the current contract extending to 2006.

Renovated in 1980, and again in 1998, the stadium now seats 14,215 and has a playing surface to rival any in the country. The Purdue Prescription Turf's foundation is comprised of sand which enables the field to withstand six inches of rain at one time without altering the footing.

In addition Braly Municipal Stadium features two modern dressing rooms, a \$175,000 scoreboard, concession stands, restrooms and a renovated three-level press box. The first level can hold up to 50 sports writers in the press room. The second level houses coaching staffs from both schools, the public address announcer, the clock operator and both home and visiting radio crews., in addition to two sky boxes . The third floor is used by television and film crews.

In 1996, the Lions tied an NCAA Division II record when UNA's home winning streak reached 28 games, and UNA has gone 197-101-8 in 55 seasons at Braly Stadium.

Another of the UNA football facilities is the Flowers Hall Annex, which provides almost 18,000 square feet of space for the Lions' football program, with coaches' offices, equipment rooms and indoor practice facility, a modern weight room and more.

Spacious dressing rooms, a sauna, walk-in whirlpool and an expanded training room and other extras give UNA plenty of room to supervise the care of its student athletes.

The UNA athletic facilities have kept pace with the Lions' athletic program as UNA continues to prove it has one of the premier programs in the country.

## **BRALY MUNICIPAL STADIUM**

**Built: 1940s**

**Capacity: 14,215**

**Press Box: (256) 760-6372**

**(256) 760-6373**

**Stadium Manager: Gene Kendrick**

**(256) 760-6370**

# BRALY MUNICIPAL STADIUM

## All-Time Results Home vs. Road

Year	Overall	Home	Road
1949	4-5-0	3-3-0	1-2-0
1950	5-4-0	4-1-0	1-3-0
1951	6-3-0	4-1-0	2-2-0
1952	8-1-0	3-1-0	5-0-0
1953	6-1-1	4-0-0	2-1-1
1954	8-2-0	5-0-0	3-2-0
1955	7-3-0	4-0-0	3-3-0
1956	6-3-0	4-2-0	2-1-0
1957	6-4-0	4-2-0	2-2-0
1958	4-5-0	3-3-0	1-2-0
1959	5-4-1	2-2-0	3-2-1
1960	7-3-0	4-1-0	3-2-0
1961	7-3-0	4-2-0	3-1-0
1962	5-4-1	3-1-0	2-3-1
1963	3-5-2	2-1-2	1-4-0
1964	2-6-1	2-2-0	0-4-1
1965	4-6-0	1-4-0	3-2-0
1966	4-4-1	2-2-1	2-2-0
1967	2-6-1	2-3-0	0-3-1
1968	5-5-0	3-3-0	2-2-0
1969	5-4-0	3-1-0	2-3-0
1970	5-5-0	3-2-0	2-3-0
1971	1-10-0	1-3-0	0-7-0
1972	2-9-0	1-4-0	1-5-0
1973	4-6-0	3-2-0	1-4-0
1974	4-6-0	2-2-0	2-4-0
1975	6-4-0	3-2-0	3-2-0
1976	4-5-1	2-2-1	2-3-0
1977	5-5-0	2-3-0	3-2-0
1978	7-2-1	2-1-1	5-1-0
1979	6-5-0	4-2-0	2-3-0
1980	10-2-0	6-2-0	4-0-0
1981	8-2-0	4-2-0	4-0-0
1982	7-3-0	5-0-0	2-3-0
1983	11-1-1	7-1-0	4-0-1
1984	7-1-3	4-0-2	3-1-1
1985	12-2-0	8-0-0	4-2-0
1986	4-7-0	2-4-0	2-3-0
1987	*7-3-1	4-1-1	3-2-0
1988	2-8-0	0-5-0	2-3-0
1989	6-5-0	3-3-0	3-2-0
1990	8-3-0	4-1-0	4-2-0
1991	3-7-0	2-3-0	1-4-0
1992	7-4-1	4-3-0	3-1-1
1993	14-0-0	9-0-0	5-0-0
1994	13-1-0	8-0-0	5-1-0
1995	14-0-0	9-0-0	5-0-0
1996	6-5-0	3-2-0	3-3-0
1997	9-3-0	4-1-0	5-2-0
1998	8-2-0	4-0-0	4-2-0
1999	5-6-0	3-3-0	2-3-0
2000	3-7-0	1-4-0	2-3-0
2001	4-6-0	2-3-0	2-3-0
2002	4-7-0	2-3-0	2-4-0
2003	13-1-0	7-0-0	6-1-0
2004	5-5-0	3-2-0	2-3-0
2005	11-3-0	5-1-0	6-2-0
Totals	354-232-16	202-102-8	152-130-8

\*2 wins in 1987 later forfeited



## Braly Municipal Stadium Records

**WIDEST MARGIN OF VICTORY:** 62  
- UNA 76, West Alabama 14, Nov. 6, 2005

**WIDEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT:** 41, UNA 0, Troy State 41

**MOST POINTS SCORED BY UNA:** 76-UNA 76, West Alabama 14, Nov. 6, 2005

**MOST POINTS SCORED BY OPPONENT:** 56 by Eastern Illinois (UNA 31), 1980 NCAA Division II playoff semifinal

**MOST POINTS SCORED BY BOTH TEAMS:** 90 - UNA 76, West Alabama 14, Nov. 6, 2005

**MOST INDIVIDUAL YARDS RUSHING,** UNA: 248 Tyone Rush vs. Delta State, 1993

**MOST INDIVIDUAL YARDS PASSING,** UNA: 398 by Will Hall vs. Southern Arkansas, 2002

**LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE,** UNA: 97, by Brian Satterfield vs. Fort Valley State, 1993

**LONGEST PASS PLAY, UNA:** 87 from Randy Elmore to Bobby Joe Pride vs. Arkansas Tech, 1971

**LONGEST FIELD GOAL, UNA:** 51 by James Knowles vs. Livingston, 1985

**MOST HOME WINS IN A SEASON:** 9, 1993 (9-0-0), 1995 (9-0-0)

**LONGEST STADIUM WIN STREAK:** 28 games, 1993-Sept. 14, 1996. Snapped with 38-35 loss on Sept. 28 to Arkansas Tech (tied Division II National Record)

**LONGEST REGULAR SEASON STADIUM UNBEATEN STREAK:** 24 games, 1982-86

**LAST TIME UNA LOST AT HOME:** Dec. 3, 2005 - 25-24 to NW Missouri State

**LAST TIME UNA WAS SHUTOUT AT HOME:** Oct. 4, 1997, 21-0 by Valdosta State. Snapped a 55 consecutive game scoring streak at Braly Municipal Stadium. UNA has scored in last 45 straight home games

# NCAA DIVISION II CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

## Braly Municipal Stadium December 16, 2006

This December, for the 21st consecutive year, the Shoals area will host the NCAA Division II National Championship Football Game at Braly Municipal Stadium in Florence, with the University of North Alabama serving as the host institution.

It is the longest period that the game has remained at one site since its inception in 1973.

An additional audience watched on ESPN as the game was carried on nationwide television by the sports network.

The championship game moved to the Shoals in 1986 after five years in McAllen, Texas, where it was known as the Palm Bowl.

With the move to the Shoals, the game was renamed simply the NCAA Division II National Championship Game, emphasizing that the game is more than a bowl game - it is a national championship contest.

The NCAA has had 32 Division II football championships, beginning with the Camelia Bowl in Sacramento, California, in 1973. Since then, the game has been played in six locations under five different names.

### Previous national champions include:

1973	Louisiana Tech
1974	Central Michigan
1975	Northern Michigan
1976	Montana State
1977	Lehigh
1978	Eastern Illinois
1979	Delaware
1980	Cal Poly-SLO
1981	Southwest Texas State
1982	Southwest Texas State
1983	North Dakota State
1984	Troy State
1985	North Dakota State
1986	North Dakota State
1987	Troy State
1988	North Dakota State
1989	vacated
1990	North Dakota State
1991	Pittsburg State
1992	Jacksonville State
1993	<b>North Alabama</b>
1994	<b>North Alabama</b>
1995	<b>North Alabama</b>
1996	Northern Colorado
1997	Northern Colorado
1998	Northwest Missouri State
1999	Northwest Missouri State
2000	Delta State
2001	North Dakota
2002	Grand Valley State
2003	Grand Valley State
2004	Valdosta State
2005	Grand Valley State



## CHAMPIONSHIP GAME CONTACTS

**Media:** All requests for press credentials should be made through University of North Alabama Sports Information Director Jeff Hodges, who will serve as media coordinator for the game. Call (256) 765-4595 (office) or (256) 766-7572 (home), or write to Media Coordinator, NCAA Championship Game, Box 2880, Florence, Ala., 35630.

**Information:** Additional information on the NCAA Division II Championship Game, activities surrounding the game, or information on the Shoals area may be obtained through the Shoals Chamber of Commerce by calling Dee Corum, Championship Game Coordinator, at (256) 764-4661, or writing to the Shoals National Championship Committee at PO Box 2880, Florence, Ala., 35630.

**Tickets:** Tickets to the NCAA Division II Championship Game may be purchased by calling Dee Corum at the Shoals Chamber of Commerce at (256) 764-4661.



*Division II Championship Game  
Coordinator Dee Corum*



# THE 2006 OPPONENTS

## Game 1 Tusculum

September 9 • 6:00 p.m.  
Greeneville, Tenn.

<b>Location</b>	Greeneville, TN
<b>Enrollment</b>	1,794
<b>President</b>	Dr. Dolph Henry
<b>Athletic Director</b>	Ed Hoffmeyer
<b>Colors</b>	Orange & Black
<b>Nickname</b>	Pioneers
<b>Conference</b>	South Atlantic
<b>Affiliation</b>	NCAA Division II
<b>Stadium</b>	Pioneer Field
<b>Head Coach</b>	Frankie DeBusk
<b>Alma Mater</b>	Furman, 1991
<b>Record At School</b>	49-38 (8 years)
<b>Overall Record</b>	49-38 (8 years)
<b>Last Year's Record</b>	3-7
<b>Conference Record</b>	1-6 (8th)
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b>	David Elsenrath (Off. Coord.), Lance Royal (Def. Coord.), Don Dover (OL), Kevin Weston (DL), Perry Jehlicka (DB), Caleb Slover (WR)
<b>Coach's Office Phone</b>	(423) 636-7302
<b>Best Time To Call</b>	Mornings
<b>Sports Info. Director</b>	Dom Donnelly
<b>SID Office Phone</b>	(423) 636-7326
<b>SID Home Phone</b>	(423) 787-9789
<b>Fax Number</b>	(423) 636-7370
<b>Press Box Phone</b>	(423) 636-7344
<b>SID Email</b>	ddonnell@tusculum.edu
<b>Website</b>	www.tusculum.edu/athletics
<b>Lettermen Returning</b>	42
<b>Lettermen Lost</b>	23
<b>Starters Returning</b>	20
<b>Returning Statistical Leaders:</b>	Randy Williams (RB) 119 att, 426 yds, 3 TD; Corey Russell (QB) 116-197-7, 1398 yds, 6 TD; Jamichael Caldwell (WR) 41 rec, 618 yds, 4 TD; Derrick Jones (LB) 24 UT, 25 AT, 49 TT; Octavius Love (RS) 18 UT, 15 AT, 33 TT
<b>Series vs. UNA</b>	0-2

### 2005 RESULTS

Concord	21-0
at North Alabama	7-33
at Miles	20-14
Wingate	7-10
at Presbyterian	3-26
Newberry	15-20
Carson-Newman	0-38
at Catawba	20-28
at Lenoir-Rhyne	7-21
Mars Hill	43-28

### 2006 SCHEDULE

Aug. 24	Bethel
Sept. 9	North Alabama
Sept. 16	at Saint Paul's
Sept. 23	at Brevard
Sept. 30	at Wingate
Oct. 7	at Lenoir-Rhyne
Oct. 14	Presbyterian
Oct. 21	at Catawba
Oct. 28	Newberry
Nov. 4	at Mars Hill
Nov. 11	Carson-Newman

## Game 2 Harding

September 16 • 6:00 p.m.  
Florence, Alabama

<b>Location</b>	Searcy, Arkansas
<b>Enrollment</b>	5,400
<b>President</b>	Dr. David Burks
<b>Athletic Director</b>	Greg Harnden
<b>Colors</b>	Black and Gold
<b>Nickname</b>	Bisons
<b>Conference</b>	Gulf South
<b>Affiliation</b>	NCAA II
<b>Stadium</b>	First Security Stadium (5,000)
<b>Head Coach</b>	Randy Tribble
<b>Alma Mater</b>	Harding (1977)
<b>Record At School</b>	67-57-1 (12 years)
<b>Overall Record</b>	same
<b>Last Year's Record</b>	6-5
<b>Conference Record</b>	4-5 (T-7th)
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b>	Ronnie Huckeba (Off. Coord.), Scott Ragsdale (QB/WR), James Frank (RB), Clay Beason (LB), Klay Barte (DL)
<b>Coach's Office Phone</b>	(501) 279-4755
<b>Sports Info. Director</b>	Scott Goode
<b>SID Office Phone</b>	(501) 279-4760
<b>SID Home Phone</b>	(501) 268-1208
<b>Fax Number</b>	(501) 279-4020
<b>Press Box Phone</b>	(501) 279-4070
<b>SID Email</b>	sgoode@harding.edu
<b>Website</b>	www.harding.edu
<b>Lettermen Returning</b>	24
<b>Lettermen Lost</b>	32
<b>Starters Returning</b>	7
<b>Returning Statistical Leaders:</b>	Kyle Wess (RB) 90 att, 447 yds, 1 TD, Justin Currie (NG) 51 tackles, 9.5 TFL, Robert Towns (CB) 41 tackles, 7 INT
<b>Series vs. UNA</b>	4-2

### 2005 RESULTS

at Southwest Baptist	47-14
Missouri Southern	45-27
at West Georgia	21-23
Valdosta State	16-13 OT
at North Alabama	6-35
at Henderson State	0-23
Central Arkansas	21-41
at Arkansas-Monticello	32-14
at Delta State	7-27
Arkansas Tech	27-10
Ouachita Baptist	24-7

### 2006 SCHEDULE

Aug. 31	at Southwest Baptist
Sept. 9	Missouri Southern
Sept. 16	at North Alabama
Sept. 23	Arkansas-Monticello
Sept. 30	West Alabama
Oct. 7	at West Georgia
Oct. 21	Southern Arkansas
Oct. 28	Henderson State
Nov. 4	at Arkansas Tech
Nov. 11	at Ouachita Baptist

# THE 2005 OPPONENTS

## Game 3 Southern Arkansas September 23 • 6:00 p.m. Magnolia, Arkansas

<b>Location</b>	Magnolia, Arkansas
<b>Enrollment</b>	3,059
<b>President</b>	Dr. David Rankin
<b>Athletic Director</b>	Jay Adcox
<b>Colors</b>	Royal Blue and Old Gold
<b>Nickname</b>	Muleriders
<b>Conference</b>	Gulf South
<b>Affiliation</b>	NCAA II
<b>Stadium</b>	Wilkins Stadium (6,000)
<b>Head Coach</b>	Steve Quinn
<b>Alma Mater</b>	Ouachita Baptist (1985)
<b>Record At School</b>	32-23 (5 years)
<b>Overall Record</b>	same
<b>Last Year's Record</b>	6-5
<b>Conference Record</b>	4-5 (T 7th)
<b>Assistant Coaches</b>	Tommy Laurendine (Off. Coord.), Jeff Byrd (Def. Coord.), Joe Carter (DB), Trey Lavelle (OL)
<b>Coach's Office Phone</b>	(870) 235-4110
<b>Best Time To Call</b>	8:00-11:00 a.m.
<b>Sports Info. Director</b>	Houston Taylor
<b>SID Office Phone</b>	(870) 235-4104
<b>Fax Number</b>	(870) 901-7219
<b>Press Box Phone</b>	(870) 235-4117
<b>SID Email</b>	sausid@saumag.edu
<b>Website</b>	www.saumag.edu/athletics
<b>Offensive System</b>	Flexbone
<b>Defensive System</b>	Multiple
<b>Series vs. UNA</b>	4-5

### 2005 RESULTS

Texas A&M- Commerce	14-7
at East Texas Baptist	51-7
at Central Arkansas	7-31
Arkansas Tech	35-38
at Ouachita Baptist	34-21
at Arkansas-Monticello	52-21
North Alabama	21-31
at West Georgia	14-31
at West Alabama	23-13
Valdosta State	41-44
Henderson State	35-23

### 2006 SCHEDULE

Aug. 26	Arkansas-Monticello
Aug. 31	at Nicholls State
Sept. 16	at West Alabama
Sept. 23	North Alabama
Sept. 30	Delta State
Oct. 7	at Valdosta State
Oct. 14	Ouachita Baptist
Oct. 21	at Harding
Oct. 28	Arkansas Tech
Nov. 4	at Central Arkansas
Nov. 11	at Henderson State

## Game 4 Arkansas Tech September 30 • 6:00 p.m. Florence, Alabama

<b>Location</b>	Russellville, Ark.
<b>Enrollment</b>	6,843
<b>President</b>	Dr. Robert C. Brown
<b>Athletic Director</b>	Steve Mullins
<b>Colors</b>	Forest Green/Old Gold
<b>Nickname</b>	Wonder Boys
<b>Conference</b>	Gulf South
<b>Affiliation</b>	NCAA Division II
<b>Stadium</b>	Cyclone Stadium (5,500)
<b>Head Coach</b>	Steve Mullins
<b>Alma Mater</b>	Arkansas-Monticello, 1980
<b>Record At School</b>	59-38 (9 years)
<b>Overall Record</b>	59-38 (9 years)
<b>Last Year's Record</b>	7-3
<b>Conference Record</b>	6-3 (T 5th)
<b>Assistant Coaches</b>	Gregg Ricono (Off. Coord.), Dave Wheeler (Def. Coord.), Benyard Jones, Clint Reed, Ryan Wallace, Greg Williams
<b>Coach's Office Phone</b>	(479) 968-0245
<b>Best Time To Call</b>	Mornings
<b>Sports Info. Director</b>	Ben Greenberg
<b>SID Office Phone</b>	(479) 968-0645
<b>SID Home Phone</b>	(479) 970-3919
<b>Press Box Phone</b>	(479) 968-0337
<b>SID Email</b>	ben.greenberg@atu.edu
<b>Website</b>	http://athletics.atu.edu
<b>Lettermen Returning</b>	34
<b>Lettermen Lost</b>	26
<b>Starters Returning</b>	8
<b>Returning Statistical Leaders:</b>	R.J. Vanhook (RB) 154 att, 586 yds, 4 TD; Justin Ray (QB) 11-26-2, 137 yds, 1 TD; Mark Caldwell (WR) 42 rec, 639 yds, 6 TD; Jerald Marshall 37 UT, 41 AT, 78 TT; Zache Noel (DB) 36 UT, 39 AT, 75 TT
<b>Offensive System</b>	Spread
<b>Defensive System</b>	3-4
<b>Series vs. UNA</b>	3-6

### 2005 RESULTS

at Northeastern State	35-32
Henderson State	42-32
at Southern Arkansas	38-35
West Alabama	27-21 OT
West Georgia	14-9
at Delta State	17-34
Ouachita Baptist	49-35
at Arkansas-Monticello	31-21
at Harding	10-27
Central Arkansas	17-49

### 2006 SCHEDULE

Aug. 31	Northeastern State
Sept. 9	at Texas College
Sept. 16	West Georgia
Sept. 23	at Valdosta State
Sept. 30	at North Alabama
Oct. 7	Delta State
Oct. 14	Henderson State
Oct. 21	at Ouachita Baptist
Oct. 28	at Southern Arkansas
Nov. 4	Harding

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## Game 5 Ouachita Baptist October 7 • 1:30 p.m. Arkadelphia, Arkansas

<b>Location</b>	Arkadelphia, Ark.
<b>Enrollment</b>	1,600
<b>President</b>	Dr. Rex Home
<b>Athletic Director</b>	David Sharp
<b>Colors</b>	Purple and Gold
<b>Nickname</b>	Tigers
<b>Conference</b>	Gulf South
<b>Affiliation</b>	NCAA Division II
<b>Stadium</b>	A.U. Williams Field (5,600)
<b>Head Coach</b>	Todd Knight
<b>Alma Mater</b>	Ouachita Baptist, 1986
<b>Record At School</b>	22-47 (7 years)
<b>Overall Record</b>	50-79-2 (13 years)
<b>Last Year's Record</b>	2-8
<b>Conference Record</b>	2-7 (T 9th)
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b>	Jay Derby (Off. Coord./QB), Josh Eargle (OL), Shane Handy (Def. Coord/DB), Greg Rudolph (DL/K), J.R. Eldridge (LB)
<b>Coach's Office Phone</b>	(870) 245-5304
<b>Best Time To Call</b>	Mornings
<b>Sports Info. Director</b>	TBA
<b>SID Office Phone</b>	(870) 245-5186
<b>SID Home Phone</b>	TBA
<b>Press Box Phone</b>	(870) 245-5306
<b>SID Email</b>	TBA
<b>Website</b>	www.obutigers.com
<b>Lettermen Returning</b>	33
<b>Lettermen Lost</b>	20
<b>Starters Returning</b>	16
<b>Returning Statistical Leaders:</b>	Richard Young (QB) 8-15-1, 72 yds, 1 TD; Bruce Steele (WR) 34 rec. 650 yds, 7 TD; Josh Crosby (LB) 44 UT, 21 AT, 65 TT; DeAundre Crockett (CB) 32 UT, 22 AT, 54 TT
<b>Offensive System</b>	Multiple
<b>Defensive System</b>	Multiple
<b>Series vs. UNA</b>	2-2

### 2005 RESULTS

Missouri Southern	21-38
at Valdosta State	20-52
West Georgia	23-34
Southern Arkansas	21-34
at West Alabama	20-14
Arkansas-Monticello	51-28
at Arkansas Tech	35-49
Central Arkansas	6-51
at Delta State	34-35
at Harding	7-24

### 2006 SCHEDULE

Sept. 2	at Missouri Southern
Sept. 9	at East Texas Baptist
Sept. 16	at Arkansas-Monticello
Sept. 23	at Delta State
Sept. 30	Valdosta State
Oct. 7	North Alabama
Oct. 14	at Southern Arkansas
Oct. 21	Arkansas Tech
Nov. 4	at Henderson State
Nov. 11	Harding

## Game 6 Arkansas-Monticello October 14 • 6:00 p.m. Florence, Alabama

<b>Location</b>	Monticello, Arkansas
<b>Enrollment</b>	2,959
<b>President</b>	Dr. Jack Lassiter
<b>Athletic Director</b>	Alvy Early
<b>Colors</b>	Kelly Green and White
<b>Nickname</b>	Boll Weevils
<b>Conference</b>	Gulf South
<b>Affiliation</b>	NCAA II
<b>Stadium</b>	Cotton Boll Stadium (3,500)
<b>Head Coach</b>	Gwayne Mathews
<b>Alma Mater</b>	Delta State (1988)
<b>Record At School</b>	1-10 (1 year)
<b>Overall Record</b>	1-10 (1 year)
<b>Last Year's Record</b>	1-10
<b>Conference Record</b>	1-8
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b>	Donald Dykes (DB), Randall Bentley (DL), Tyler Peterson (Off. Coord.), Shannon Williams (OL), Demo Odems (WR), Andre Brown (DE), Dustin Prescott (LB)
<b>Coach's Office Phone</b>	(870) 460-1017
<b>Best Time To Call</b>	Late Morning
<b>Sports Info. Director</b>	Paul Smith
<b>SID Office Phone</b>	(870) 460-1574
<b>Fax Number</b>	(870) 460-1174
<b>Press Box Phone</b>	(870) 460-1068 or 460-1568
<b>SID Email</b>	smithp@uamont.edu
<b>Website</b>	www.uamont.edu/athletics
<b>Lettermen Returning</b>	37
<b>Lettermen Lost</b>	14
<b>Starters Returning</b>	20
<b>Returning Statistical Leaders:</b>	John L. Williams (RB) 247 att, 1172 yds, 7 TD; Anthony Rodriguez (QB) 85-203-5, 1140 yds, 8 TD; Tim Harris (WR) 16 rec, 261 yds, 3 TD; Wes Ables 27 UT, 42 AT, 69 TT; Solomon Edwards 37 UT, 29 AT, 66 TT
<b>Offensive System</b>	Basic
<b>Defensive System</b>	4-2-5
<b>Series vs. UNA</b>	3-5

### 2005 RESULTS

at Henderson State	7-37
at North Dakota State	7-59
North Alabama	0-42
at West Alabama	21-17
at West Georgia	21-58
Southern Arkansas	21-52
at Ouachita Baptist	28-51
Harding	14-32
Arkansas Tech	21-31
at Central Arkansas	7-56
Delta State	13-56

### 2006 SCHEDULE

Aug. 26	at Southern Arkansas
Sept. 9	at Sam Houston State
Sept. 16	Ouachita Baptist
Sept. 23	at Harding
Sept. 30	at Northwestern State
Oct. 7	Henderson State
Oct. 14	at North Alabama
Oct. 21	West Georgia
Oct. 28	West Alabama
Nov. 4	at Valdosta State
Nov. 11	at Delta State

# THE 2006 OPPONENTS

## Game 7 Delta State October 21 • 4:00 p.m. Cleveland, Mississippi

## Game 8 Valdosta State October 28 • 6:00 p.m. Florence, Alabama

**Location** ..... Cleveland, Miss.  
**Enrollment** ..... 4,274  
**President** ..... Dr. John Hilpert  
**Athletic Director** ..... Dr. Brad Teague  
**Colors** ..... Forest Green and White  
**Nickname** ..... Statesmen  
**Conference** ..... Gulf South  
**Affiliation** ..... NCAA II  
**Stadium** ..... Parker Field (8,125)  
**Head Coach** ..... Rick Rhoades  
**Alma Mater** ..... Central Missouri State (1970)  
**Record at School** ..... 26-17 (4 years)  
**Career Record** ..... 66-45-1  
**Last Year's Record** ..... 7-4  
**Conference Record** ..... 6-3 (T-5th)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Ron Roberts (Def. Coord./LB), Mike Bloomgren (Off. Coord./OL), Mike Kershaw (WR), J.D. Davis (DB), Randy Grierson (DL), Billy Knight (RB), Justing Franks (LB), Zac Bragg (LB)  
**Coach's Office Phone** ..... (662) 846-4300  
**Best Time to Call** ..... Morning  
**Sports Info Director** ..... Matt Jones  
**SID Office Phone** ..... (662) 846-4284  
**SID Office Fax** ..... (662) 846-4297  
**Website** ..... www.deltastate.edu  
**Starters Returning** ..... 18  
**Returning Statistical Leaders:** Steven Davis (RB) 23 att, 155 yds, 1 TD; Scott Eyster (QB) 224-379-13, 3107 yds, 23 TD; Robert Davis (WR) 66 rec, 921 yds, 6 TD; Jamarcus Wiggins 59 UT, 41 AT, 100 TT; Michael Eubanks 57 TT  
**Offensive System** ..... Multiple  
**Defensive System** ..... 4-3  
**Series vs. UNA** ..... 19-24-1

**Location** ..... Valdosta, Georgia  
**Enrollment** ..... 11,000  
**President** ..... Dr. Ronald M. Zaccari  
**Athletic Director** ..... Herb Reinhard  
**Colors** ..... Red and Black  
**Nickname** ..... Blazers  
**Conference** ..... Gulf South  
**Affiliation** ..... NCAA II  
**Stadium** ..... Bazemore-Hyder (10,100)  
**Head Coach** ..... Chris Hatcher  
**Alma Mater** ..... Valdosta State (1995)  
**Record at School** ..... 68-10 (6 years)  
**Overall Record** ..... same  
**Last Year's Record** ..... 9-3  
**Conference Record** ..... 7-2 (T 2nd)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Ashley Anders (Def. Coord./LB), Shawn Bostick (OL), Earl Chambers (DL), David Dean (Off. Coord.), Ketih Hatcher (DB), Reidel Anthony (WR/TE)  
**Coach's Office Phone** ..... (229) 333-5970  
**Best Time to Call** ..... Mornings  
**Sports Info. Director** ..... TBA  
**SID Office Phone** ..... (229) 333-5903  
**SID Home Phone** ..... TBA  
**Fax Number** ..... (229) 333-5972  
**Press Box Phone** ..... (229) 245-3779, 245-3780  
**SID Email** ..... TBA  
**Website** ..... www.valdosta.edu/athletics  
**Lettermen Returning** ..... 39  
**Lettermen Lost** ..... 18  
**Starters Returning** ..... 17  
**Returning Statistical Leaders:** Barrett Wilkes (QB) 266-376-13, 2668 yds, 16 TD; Derek Tharpe (WR) 44 rec, 501 yds, 1 TD; Shawn Harris 35 UT, 11 AT, 46 TT; Lavarus Dollar 23 UT, 22 AT, 45 TT  
**Offensive System** ..... Multiple  
**Defensive System** ..... 4-3  
**Series vs. UNA** ..... 11-14-1

### 2005 RESULTS

at Pittsburg State ..... 44-31  
 at Texas State ..... 25-32  
 West Alabama ..... 43-14  
 at North Alabama ..... 21-56  
 at Henderson State ..... 21-17  
 Valdosta State ..... 23-24  
 Arkansas Tech ..... 34-17  
 at Central Arkansas ..... 31-41  
 Harding ..... 27-7  
 Ouachita Baptist ..... 35-34  
 at Arkansas-Monticello ..... 56-13

### 2006 SCHEDULE

Sept. 2 ..... West Virginia Tech  
 Sept. 9 ..... at Stephen F. Austin  
 Sept. 16 ..... at Henderson State  
 Sept. 23 ..... Ouachita Baptist  
 Sept. 30 ..... at Southern Arkansas  
 Oct. 7 ..... at Arkansas Tech  
 Oct. 14 ..... Valdosta State  
 Oct. 21 ..... North Alabama  
 Oct. 28 ..... at West Georgia  
 Nov. 4 ..... West Alabama  
 Nov. 11 ..... Arkansas-Monticello

### 2005 RESULTS

Fort Valley State ..... 32-10  
 Albany State ..... 24-9  
 Ouachita Baptist ..... 52-20  
 at Harding ..... 13-16 OT  
 Central Arkansas ..... 12-7  
 at Delta State ..... 24-23  
 Henderson State ..... 52-12  
 at West Alabama ..... 31-19  
 North Alabama ..... 26-23  
 at Southern Arkansas ..... 44-41  
 West Georgia ..... 15-29  
 North Alabama ..... 13-40

### 2006 SCHEDULE

Sept. 2 ..... at Albany State  
 Sept. 9 ..... Fort Valley State  
 Sept. 23 ..... Arkansas Tech  
 Sept. 30 ..... at Ouachita Baptist  
 Oct. 7 ..... Southern Arkansas  
 Oct. 14 ..... at Delta State  
 Oct. 21 ..... West Alabama  
 Oct. 28 ..... at North Alabama  
 Nov. 4 ..... Arkansas-Monticello  
 Nov. 11 ..... at West Georgia

# THE 2006 OPPONENTS

## Game 9 West Georgia November 4 • 2:00 p.m. Carrollton, Georgia

<b>Location</b>	Carrollton, Georgia
<b>Enrollment</b>	10, 250
<b>President</b>	Dr. Beheruz N. Sethna
<b>Athletic Director</b>	Ed Murphy
<b>Colors</b>	Blue and Red
<b>Nickname</b>	Wolves
<b>Conference</b>	Gulf South
<b>Affiliation</b>	NCAA II
<b>Stadium</b>	Grisham Stadium (6,500)
<b>Head Coach</b>	Mike Ledford
<b>Alma Mater</b>	Tennessee Tech (1975)
<b>Record At School</b>	15-27 (4 years)
<b>Overall Record</b>	same
<b>Last Year's Record</b>	7-4
<b>Conference Record</b>	7-2 (T 2nd)
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b>	Charles Anthony (Def. Coord./LB), Spencer Riley (OL), Josh Clendenin (DL), Don Gibson (DB)
<b>Coach's Office Phone</b>	(678) 839-6539
<b>Best Time To Call</b>	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. M-Th
<b>Sports Info. Director</b>	Mitch Gray
<b>SID Office Phone</b>	(678) 839-6542
<b>SID Home Phone</b>	(770) 574-9248
<b>Fax Number</b>	(678) 839-6543
<b>Press Box Phone</b>	(678) 839-0830
<b>Website</b>	www.uwgsports.com
<b>Lettermen Returning</b>	31
<b>Lettermen Lost</b>	24
<b>Starters Returning</b>	12
<b>Offensive System</b>	Multiple
<b>Defensive System</b>	Multiple
<b>Series vs. UNA</b>	10-13

## Game 10 West Alabama November 11 • 6:00 p.m. Livingston, Alabama

<b>Location</b>	Livingston, Alabama
<b>Enrollment</b>	2,660
<b>President</b>	Dr. Richard Holland
<b>Athletic Director</b>	E.J. Brophy
<b>Colors</b>	Red, White and Black
<b>Nickname</b>	Tigers
<b>Conference</b>	Gulf South
<b>Affiliation</b>	NCAA II
<b>Stadium</b>	Tiger (7,000)
<b>Head Coach</b>	Bobby Wallace
<b>Alma Mater</b>	Mississippi State
<b>Record At School</b>	First Year
<b>Overall Record</b>	101-107-1 (18 years)
<b>Last Year's Record</b>	2-9
<b>Conference Record</b>	0-9 (12th)
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b>	Sam Graham (Def. Coord./LB), Tony Oglesby (DL), Jason Underwood (OL), Craig Hall (RB), Doug Greene (Safeties), Lee Johnson (WR), Jim Malosky (QB)
<b>Coach's Office Phone</b>	(205) 652-3483
<b>Best Time To Call</b>	Mornings
<b>Sports Info. Director</b>	Steven Phelps
<b>SID Office Phone</b>	(205) 652-3596
<b>SID Fax</b>	(205) 652-3600
<b>SID Email</b>	sphelps@uwa.edu
<b>Website</b>	www.uwa.edu/athletics
<b>Series vs. UNA</b>	14-43-1

### 2005 RESULTS

at Presbyterian	13-48
Carson-Newman	10-14
Harding	23-21
at Ouachita Baptist	34-23
Arkansas-Monticello	58-21
at Arkansas Tech	9-14
West Alabama	41-0
Southern Arkansas	31-14
at Henderson State	38-12
North Alabama	19-20
at Valdosta State	29-15

### 2006 SCHEDULE

Aug. 26	Presbyterian
Sept. 9	at Furman
Sept. 16	at Arkansas Tech
Sept. 30	at Henderson State
Oct. 7	Harding
Oct. 12	at West Alabama
Oct. 21	at Arkansas-Monticello
Oct. 28	Delta State
Nov. 4	North Alabama
Nov. 11	Valdosta State

### 2005 RESULTS

Concordia	34-12
Lambuth	37-0
at Delta State	14-43
Arkansas Monticello	17-21
at Arkansas Tech	21-27 (OT)
Ouachita Baptist	14-20
at West Georgia	0-41
Valdosta State	19-31
Southern Arkansas	13-23
at Henderson State	13-35
at North Alabama	14-76

### 2006 SCHEDULE

Aug. 31	Concordia College
Sept. 9	at Lambuth
Sept. 16	Southern Arkansas
Sept. 23	Henderson State
Sept. 30	at Harding
Oct. 7	Webber International
Oct. 12	West Georgia
Oct. 21	at Valdosta State
Oct. 28	at Arkansas-Monticello
Nov. 4	at Delta State
Nov. 11	North Alabama

# UNA OPPONENTS AND GSC COMPOSITE

\* All times Central

\* (HC) indicates Homecoming

## AUGUST 24

Bethel @ Tusculum ..... 6:00

## AUGUST 26

Presbyterian @ West Georgia ..... 6:00

Arkansas-Monticello @ Southern Arkansas ..... 6:00

## AUGUST 31

Southern Arkansas @ Nicholls State ..... 6:00

Harding @ Southwest Baptist ..... 6:00

Concordia @ West Alabama ..... 7:00

Northeastern (OK) State @ Arkansas Tech ..... 7:00

Central Arkansas vs. Henderson State ..... 7:00

## SEPTEMBER 2

West Virginia Tech @ Delta State ..... 6:00

Valdosta State @ Albany State ..... 6:00

Ouachita Baptist @ Missouri Southern ..... 6:00

## SEPTEMBER 9

West Alabama @ Lambuth ..... 1:30

Ouachita Baptist @ East Texas Baptist ..... 2:00

West Georgia @ Furman ..... 5:00

Delta State @ Stephen F. Austin ..... 6:00

Fort Valley State @ Valdosta State ..... 6:00

Arkansas-Monticello @ Sam Houston State ..... 6:00

Missouri Southern @ Harding ..... 6:00

North Alabama @ Tusculum ..... 6:00

Arkansas Tech @ Texas College ..... 7:00

## SEPTEMBER 16

Tusculum @ Saint Paul's ..... 12:00

West Georgia @ Arkansas Tech ..... 6:00

Delta State @ Henderson State ..... 6:00

Ouachita Baptist @ Arkansas-Monticello ..... 6:00

Harding @ North Alabama ..... 6:00

Southern Arkansas @ West Alabama ..... 7:00

## SEPTEMBER 23

Arkansas Tech @ Valdosta State ..... 12:00

Tusculum @ Brevard ..... 1:00

North Alabama @ Southern Arkansas ..... 6:00

Ouachita Baptist @ Delta State ..... 6:00

Arkansas-Monticello @ Harding ..... 6:00

Henderson State @ West Alabama ..... 7:00

## SEPTEMBER 30

Tusculum @ Wingate ..... 12:30

West Alabama @ Harding ..... 6:00

Arkansas Tech @ North Alabama ..... 6:00

Delta State @ Southern Arkansas ..... 6:00

West Georgia @ Henderson State ..... 6:00

Arkansas-Monticello @ Northwestern State ..... 6:00

Valdosta State @ Ouachita Baptist ..... 6:00

## OCTOBER 7

Tusculum @ Lenoir-Rhyne ..... 1:00

North Alabama @ Ouachita Baptist ..... 1:30

Delta State @ Arkansas Tech ..... 3:00

Webber International @ West Alabama ..... 4:00

Harding @ West Georgia ..... 6:00

Henderson State @ Arkansas-Monticello ..... 6:00

Southern Arkansas @ Valdosta State ..... 12:00

## OCTOBER 12

West Georgia @ West Alabama ..... 6:00

## OCTOBER 14

Presbyterian @ Tusculum ..... 12:30

Henderson State @ Arkansas Tech ..... 1:00

Ouachita Baptist @ Southern Arkansas ..... 2:30

Valdosta State @ Delta State ..... 6:00

Arkansas-Monticello @ North Alabama ..... 6:00

## OCTOBER 21

West Alabama @ Valdosta State ..... 12:00

Tusculum @ Catawba ..... 12:30

Arkansas Tech @ Ouachita Baptist ..... 1:30

Southern Arkansas @ Harding ..... 2:00

Paul Quinn @ Henderson State ..... 3:00

North Alabama @ Delta State ..... 4:00

West Georgia @ Arkansas-Monticello ..... 6:00



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## OCTOBER 28

Newberry @ Tusculum.....	12:30
Arkansas Tech @ Southern Arkansas .....	2:00
Henderson State @ Harding .....	2:00
West Alabama @ Arkansas-Monticello.....	3:00
Delta State @ West Georgia .....	6:00
Valdosta State @ North Alabama.....	6:00

## NOVEMBER 4

Arkansas-Monticello @ Valdosta State .....	12:00
Tusculum @ Mars Hill.....	12:30
Harding @ Arkansas Tech .....	1:00
North Alabama @ West Georgia.....	2:00
West Alabama @ Delta State .....	3:00
Ouachita Baptist @ Henderson State .....	3:00
Southern Arkansas @ Central Arkansas.....	6:00

## NOVEMBER 11

Carson-Newman @ Tusculum .....	12:30
Harding @ Ouachita Baptist .....	1:30
Arkansas-Monticello @ Delta State .....	3:00
Southern Arkansas @ Henderson State.....	3:00
North Alabama @ West Alabama.....	6:00
Valdosta State @ West Georgia .....	6:00



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## 2006 NCAA DIVISION II PLAYOFF SCHEDULE

### NOVEMBER 18

NCAA Division II First Round

### NOVEMBER 25

NCAA Division II Second Round

### DECEMBER 2

NCAA Division II Quarterfinal Round

### DECEMBER 9

NCAA Division II Semifinal Round

### DECEMBER 16

NCAA Division II Championship 3:00

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Florence, Alabama

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# 2005 GAME-BY-GAME

## GAME #1

**September 3 - Florence, Ala.**  
**UNA 33, Tusculum College 7**

Tusculum	0	7	0	0	7
North Alabama	10	10	7	6	33

### STATISTICS

	UNA	TC
First Downs	29	6
Rushing (Att/Yds)	36-127	24-24
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	55-37-1	20-6-1
Passing Yards	371	65
Total Offense	498	89
Average Gain Per Play	5.5	2.0
Fumbles/Lost	2-1	0-0
Punting (No./Avg)	2-76	10-365
Punt Returns (No./Yds)	7-79	0-0
Kickoff Returns (No./Yds)	2-57	8-143
Penalties/Yards	13-115	14-134
Time of Possession	37:32	22:28
Third Down Conversions	8-20	1-11
Sacks/Lost	3-3	0-0



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds-TD):** UNA - Packer 15-84-0, Blount 13-56-1, Milwee 3-9-0; TC- Williams 8-20-0, Russell 4-17-0.

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 34-49-1-359-2, Milwee 6-3-0-12-0; TC Baugh 15-5-1-52-0; Russell 5-1-0-13-0.

**Receiving (Rec-Yds-TD):** UNA- Merritt 9-69-0, Fountain 8-102-1; TC Caldwell 2-25-0, Enriquez 1-14-0.

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Rice 3-4-7, Jackson 1-5-6, Wright 2-3-5, Suggs 2-2-4; TC- Jones 5-3-8, Griffin 4-4-8.

Sacks: UNA- Hunt 2-18, Jackson 0.5-4; Shack 0.5-4.

Tackles for Loss: UNA- Jackson 1-4, Wright 3-6, Tharpe 1-5, Hunt 2-18, Farris 1-0, Shack 1-4; TC- Jones 1-3, Jackson 2-4, Peebles 1-3, Scott 1-2, Black 1-1.

Interceptions: UNA- Farris 1-1; ; TC- Chester 1-0.

Fumbles Recovered: TC- Hubbard 1-79.

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

UNA 3, TC 0 (3:39) - Fukuda 21 yd field goal

DRIVE 11 plays, 44 yards, 2:21

UNA 10, TC 0 (2:40) - Messing 35 yd pass from Saylor (Tanner kick)

DRIVE 3 play, 62 yards, 0:32

#### Second Quarter

UNA 10, TC 7 (2:32) - Hubbard 79 yd fumble recovery (Black kick)

UNA 13, TC 7 (10:07)- Fukuda 28 yd field goal

DRIVE 7 plays, 40 yards, 2:32

UNA 20, TC 7 (1:39)- Blount 8 yd run (Tanner kick)

DRIVE 12 plays, 80 yards, 5:23

#### Third Quarter

UNA 27, TC 7 (5:57) - Fountain 26 yd pass from Saylor (Tanner kick)

DRIVE 6 plays, 57 yards, 2:47

#### Fourth Quarter

UNA 30 TC 7 (13:19) - Fukuda 27 yd field goal

DRIVE 7 plays, 29 yards, 1:49

UNA 33 TC 7 (7:23) - Fukuda 33 yd field goal

DRIVE 10 plays, 51 yards, 3:39

## GAME #2

**September 10 - Monticello, Ark.**  
**UNA 42, Arkansas-Monticello 0**

North Alabama	14	14	7	42
Arkansas-Monticello	0	0	0	0

### STATISTICS

	UNA	UAM
First Downs	25	10
Rushing (Att/Yds)	47-331	33-50
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	30-15-1	26-9-0
Passing Yards	176	87
Total Offense	507	137
Fumbles/Lost	1-0	2-2
Punting (No./Avg)	4-41.2	11-44.0
Punt Returns (No./Yds)	10-84	1-9
Kickoff Returns (No./Yds)	1-47	7-119
Penalties/Yards	9-88	6-35
Third Down Conversions	6 of 15	0 of 13



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds-TD):** UNA- Blount 20-139-3, Packer 17-100-1; UAM - Fryfogle 7-41-0, Lambert 7-16-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 15-30-1-176-0; UAM - Rodriguez 9-26-0-87-0

**Receiving (Rec-Yds-TD):** UNA- Long 4-61-0, Blount 3-44-0; UAM - Mixon 5-39-0, Williams 1-24-0

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- D. Ashford 4-3-7, Tanner 2-5-7, Jackson 3-2-25, Hunt 2-3-5; UAM- Ledet 8-7-15, Johnson 3-8-11, Jones 1-7-8, Carpino 1-7-8

Tackles for Loss: UNA- Tanner 2, Jackson 2, Hunt, Shack .5, Suggs 1, Brick .5, Waller .5, Frier .5; UAM - Ledet 1, Johnson 1, Jones .5, Carpino .5, Wisener 1, Clark 1

Passes Broken Up: UNA- Jackson 1, Wright 1, Farris 1, McNair 1, Foster 1; UAM - Ledet 3, Wyatt 3

Interceptions: UAM - Ledet 1

Fumbles Recovered: UNA- Hunt 1, Suggs 1

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

UNA 7, UAM 0 (12:31) - Blount 1 yard run (Tanner kick)

DRIVE 8 plays, 53 yards, 2:29

#### Second Quarter

UNA 14, UAM 0 (14:55) - Blount 1 yard run (Tanner kick)

DRIVE 10 plays, 80 yards, 3:06

UNA 21, UAM 0 (5:59) - Packer 7 yard run (Tanner kick)

DRIVE 8 plays, 58 yards, 2:11

#### Third Quarter

UNA 28, UAM 0 (14:09) - Hunt 0 yard fumble recovery (Tanner kick)

UNA 35, UAM 0 (8:47) - Blount 1 yard run (Tanner kick)

DRIVE 7 plays, 78 yards, 3:33

#### Fourth Quarter

UNA 42, UAM 0 (6:57) - Clark 10 yard run (Tanner kick)

DRIVE 13 plays, 99 yards, 6:23

# 2005 GAME-BY-GAME

## GAME #3

**September 17 - Florence, Ala.**  
**UNA 56, Delta State 21**

North Alabama	7	21	14	14	56
Delta State	0	0	7	14	21

### STATISTICS

	UNA	DSU
First Downs	24	17
Rushing (Att/Yds)	41-129	32-132
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	23-35-1	18-37-4
Passing Yards	322	238
Total Offense	451	370
Average Gain Per Play	5.9	5.4
Fumbles/Lost	0-0	3-2
Punting (No./Avg)	3-111	5-188
Punt Returns (No./Yds)	4-91	2-12
Kickoff Returns (No./Yds)	3-122	9-149
Penalties/Yards	2-15	9-88
Time of Possession	32:59	27:01
Third Down Conversions	9 of 14	7 of 15
Sacks/Lost	2-9	3-22



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 7-26-0, Blount 9-27-0; DSU - Eyster 8-60-0, Snell 7-41-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 23-35-1-322-4; DSU - Eyster 17-35-4-233-1

**Receiving (Rec.-Yds-TD):** UNA- Long 8-83-1, Merritt 5-99-2; DSU - Snell 5-44-0, Davis 5-39-0

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Suggs 5-1-6, Rice 3-3-6, D. Ashford 3-2-5, Wright 3-2-5; DSU - Golding 8-8-16, Wiggins 7-6-13, Eubanks 3-7-10, Nichols 1-8-9

Sacks: UNA- Tharpe 1, Vicker .5, Tanner .5; DSU - Eubanks 1, Frink 2  
Tackles for Loss: UNA- Tharpe 2, Vicker 1, Borden 1, Tanner 3, M. Ashford 1, Oti 1, Brick 1; DSU - Golding 2, Wiggins 1, Eubanks 2, Nichols 1, Speaks 1, Greyson 1, Frink 2

Interceptions: UNA- Wright 1, Farris 2, Waller 1; DSU - Reynolds 1  
Fumbles Recovered: UNA - Borden 1, Chatman 1

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

UNA 7, DSU 0 (9:45) - Merritt 56 yard pass from Saylor (Tanner kick)  
DRIVE 7 plays, 80 yards, 2:44

#### Second Quarter

UNA 14, DSU 0 (12:48) - Long 10 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)  
DRIVE 7 plays, 61 yards, 3:30  
UNA 21, DSU 0 (11:29) - Fountain 21 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)  
DRIVE 1 play, 21 yards, 0:07  
UNA 28, DSU 0 (4:41) - Merritt 20 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)  
DRIVE 11 plays, 74 yards, 4:22

#### Third Quarter

UNA 35, DSU 0 (10:12) - Merritt 5 yard run (Fukuda kick)  
DRIVE 9 plays, 75 yards, 4:48  
DSU 7, UNA 35 (7:22) - Wallace 8 yard pass from Eyster (Walker kick)  
DRIVE 6 plays, 71 yards, 2:50  
UNA 42, DSU 7 (2:25) - Merritt 88 yard punt return (Fukuda kick)

#### Fourth Quarter

DSU 14, UNA 42 (13:24) - Davis 1 yard run (Walker kick)  
DRIVE 4 plays, 52 yards, 1:06  
DSU 21, UNA 42 (8:28) - Davis 1 yard run (Walker kick)  
DRIVE 7 plays, 67 yards, 2:18  
UNA 49, DSU 21 (8:16) - Merritt 82 yard kickoff return (Fukuda kick)  
UNA 56, DSU 21 (2:32) - Parnell 5 yard run (Fukuda kick)  
DRIVE 5 plays, 25 yards, 2:08

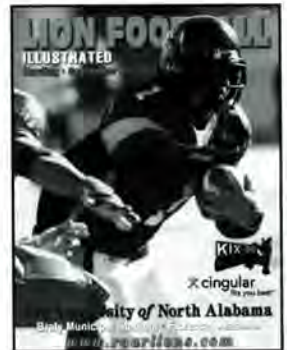
## GAME #4

**September 24 - Florence, Ala.**  
**UNA 35, Harding 6**

North Alabama	14	7	14	0	35
Harding	0	0	0	6	6

### STATISTICS

	UNA	HU
First Downs	21	16
Rushing (Att/Yds)	35	36
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	21-32-0	15-34-1
Passing Yards	189	123
Total Offense	379	199
Average Gain Per Play	5.7	2.8
Fumbles/Lost	2-1	2-1
Punting (No./Avg)	6-198	7-182
Punt Returns (No./Yds)	3-26	1-22
Kickoff Returns (No./Yds)	1-25	5-141
Penalties/Yards	8-76	7-55
Time of Possession	29:14	30:46
Third Down Conversions	4 of 12	2 of 14
Sacks/Lost	1-5	0-0



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds-TD):** UNA- Merritt 3-63-1, Packer 12-47-0; HU - Wess 11-37-0, Smith 7-15-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 19-28-0-191-4; HU - Lybrand 8-20-1-42-0

**Receiving (Rec.-Yds-TD):** UNA- Fountain 7-80-2, Merritt 7-35-1; HU - Feliciano 3-31-0, Smith 3-7-0

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Wright 3-5-8, Brick 2-3-5, D. Ashford 2-3-5; HU - Brown 4-5-9, Eliis 2-5-7, Towns 6-0-6

Sacks: UNA- Tharpe 1

Tackles for Loss: UNA- Brick 2, Hunt 2, Tharpe 1, Farris 1, Frier 1, Brooks 1, Chatman 1, Oti 1; HU - Brown 1, Ellis 2, Dutile 2, Fieilo 1, Gaub 1, DeSisso 1, Currie 2, Greer 1, Wakwe 1

Interceptions: UNA- Rice 1

Fumbles Recovered: UNA- Frier 1; HU - Saunders 1

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

UNA 7, HU 0 (10:41) - Merritt 4 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)  
DRIVE 9 plays, 80 yards, 4:19  
UNA 14, HU 0 (5:23) - Fountain 23 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)  
DRIVE 6 plays, 58 yards, 3:11

#### Second Quarter

UNA 21, HU 0 (8:22) - Messing 11 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)  
DRIVE 8 plays, 50 yards, 3:12

#### Third Quarter

UNA 28, HU 0 (8:58) - Fountain 5 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)  
DRIVE 6 plays, 27 yards, 1:44  
UNA 35, HU 0 (7:19) - Merritt 48 yard run (Fukuda kick)  
DRIVE 1 play, 48 yards, 0:09

#### Fourth Quarter

HU 3, UNA 35 (10:06) - Davis 23 yard field goal  
DRIVE 10 plays, 34 yards, 4:00  
HU 6, UNA 35 (4:49) - Davis 32 yard field goal  
DRIVE 6 plays, 29 yards, 1:57

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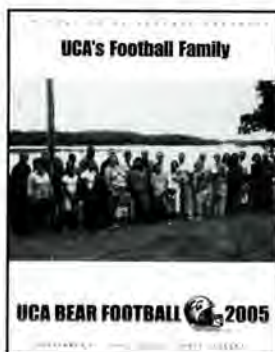
## GAME #5

**September 29 - Conway, Ark.**  
**Central Arkansas 29, UNA 26 (2 OT)**

Central Arkansas	10	7	0	7	6	29
North Alabama	7	13	0	3	3	26

### STATISTICS

	UNA	UCA
First Downs	24	17
Rushing (Att/Yds)	84	72
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	37-58-1	25-35-2
Passing Yards	255	280
Total Offense	339	352
Average Gain Per Play	3.6	5.3
Fumbles/Lost	4-1	4-4
Punting (No./Avg)	2-64	3-109
Punt Return (No./Yds)	1--7	0-0
Kickoff Return (No./Yds)	4-63	6-93
Penalties/Yards	8-52	6-50
Time of Possession	33:31	26:29
Third Down Conversions	11 of 22	4 of 12
Sacks/Lost	0-0	1-3



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 8-31-0, Fountain 5-28-0; UCA - Rogers 22-64-1, Brown 1-9-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 37-58-1-255-2; UCA - Brown 25-34-1-280-3

**Receiving (Rec.-Yds-TD):** UNA- Merritt 12-74-1, Long 11-81-1; UCA - Fairouz 8-130-2, Jones 4-46-1

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Wright 8-5-13, Rice 6-1-7, Suggs 4-2-6; UCA - Maxfield 6-6-12, Johnson 3-8-11, Horne 5-4-9

Sacks: UCA - Taylor 1

Tackles for Loss: UNA- Rice 1, Jackson 1, Hunt 1, Frier 1; UCA - Horne 2, Taylor 1, Pittman 1

Passes Broken up: UNA- Farris 1, Hunt 1, Walker 1; UCA - Maxfield 1, Johnson 1, Cangelosi 2, Brown 1, Pittman 1, Norman 1

Interceptions: UNA- Farris 2; UCA - Johnson 1

Fumbles Recovered: UNA- Williamson 1, Farris 1, Tharpe 1, Hunt 1; UCA - Cade 1

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

UCA 7, UNA 0 (13:39) - Rogers 9 yard run (Paul kick)

DRIVE 4 plays, 21 yards, 1:12

UCA 9, UNA 0 (12:03) - TEAM Safety

UCA 16, UNA 0 (8:28) - Fairouz 10 yard pass from Brown (Paul kick)

DRIVE 7 plays, 60 yards, 3:28

UNA 7, UCA 16 (3:35) - Long 5 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 11 plays, 59 yards, 4:47

#### Second Quarter

UNA 10, UCA 16 (10:05) - Fukuda 42 yard field goal

DRIVE 4 plays, 3 yards, 0:50

UNA 13, UCA 16 (7:53) - Fukuda 34 yard field goal

DRIVE 5 plays, 3 yards, 1:53

UNA 20, UCA 16 (1:51) - Merritt 7 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 10 plays, 52 yards, 4:27

UCA 23, UNA 20 (0:22) - Fairouz 10 yard pass from Brown (Paul kick)

DRIVE 7 plays, 66 yards, 1:20

#### Fourth Quarter

UNA 23, UCA 23 (0:00) - Fukuda 37 yard field goal

DRIVE 16 plays, 57 yards, 2:44

#### Overtime

UNA 26, UCA 23 (0:00) - Fukuda 20 yard field goal

DRIVE 6 plays, 22 yards, 0:00

UCA 29, UNA 23 (0:00) - Jones 4 yard pass from Brown

DRIVE 6 plays, 25 yards, 0:00

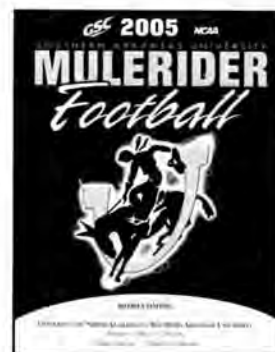
## GAME #6

**October 8 - Magnolia, Ark.**  
**UNA 31, Southern Arkansas 21**

Southern Arkansas	7	7	0	7	21
North Alabama	14	10	7	0	31

### STATISTICS

	UNA	SAU
First Downs	18	23
Rushing (Att/Yds)	28-89	49-187
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	21-38-0	16-32-2
Passing Yards	276	255
Total Offense	328	380
Average Gain Per Play	5.0	4.7
Fumbles/Lost	3-0	5-2
Punting (No./Avg)	7-268	6-211
Punt Return (No./Yds)	1-21	1--3
Kickoff Return (No./Yds)	4-75	6-126
Penalties/Yards	8-83	11-114
Time of Possession	24:07	35:53
Third Down Conversions	4 of 13	12 of 21
Sacks/Lost	2-18	1-3



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds-TD):** UNA- Blount 13-30-2, Clark 3-13-0; SAU - Holyfield 16-63-0, SanFilippo 19-21-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 21-38-0-276-2; SAU - SanFilippo 16-32-2-255-3

**Receiving (Rec.-Yds-TD):** UNA- Merritt 6-123-1, Messing 5-85-1; SAU - Hoye 5-148-2, Holyfield 4-36-0

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Wright 14-3-17, Borden 6-3-9, D. Ashford 6-2-8; SAU - Harris 3-4-7, Barnes 5-1-6, Lewis 4-2-6

Tackles for Loss: UNA- Wright 3, Tharpe 1, Suggs 1, M. Ashford 1.5, Campbell .5, Jackson 1, Williamson .5, Hunt 3, Frier 1; SAU - Harris 1.5, Lewis .5, McCoy .5, Wright .5, Smith 1, Phillips 2, Jones 1, Goins .5, Turner 1, Herring .5

Passes Broken up: UNA- Borden 1, Suggs 1, Foster 1, Farris 2, Campbell 1; SAU - Barnes 2, Lewis 1, Caldwell 1, Wright 2, Jones 1

Interceptions: UNA- Borden 1, Farris 1

Fumbles Recovered: UNA- Wright 2

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

SAU 7, UNA 0 (11:44) - Hoye 45 yard pass from SanFilippo (Korff kick)

DRIVE 4 plays, 74 yards, 2:09

UNA 7, SAU 7 (8:07) - Messing 12 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 8 plays, 44 yards, 3:29

UNA 14, SAU 7 (1:47) - Blount 2 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 10 plays, 92 yards, 2:13

#### Second Quarter

SAU 14, UNA 14 (9:45) - McDonald 2 yard pass from SanFilippo (Korff kick)

DRIVE 11 plays, 65 yards, 4:26

UNA 17, SAU 14 (6:03) - Fukuda 27 yard field goal

DRIVE 12 plays, 74 yards, 3:36

UNA 24, SAU 14 (2:52) - Merritt 54 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 1 play, 54 yards, 0:09

#### Third Quarter

UNA 31, SAU 14 (4:29) - Blount 5 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 4 plays, 52 yards, 1:07

#### Fourth Quarter

SAU 21, UNA 31 (8:59) - Hoye 29 yard pass from SanFilippo (Korff kick)

DRIVE 8 plays, 88 yards, 3:51

# 2005 GAME-BY-GAME

## GAME #7

**October 15 - Florence, Ala.**  
**UNA 38, Henderson State 10**

North Alabama	3	14	14	7	38
Arkansas Tech	3	0	0	7	10

STATISTICS	UNA	HSU
First Downs	22	18
Rushing (Att/Yds)	37-120	26-77
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	30-39-0	32-52-1
Passing Yards	244	214
Total Offense	329	237
Average Gain Per Play	4.3	3.0
Fumbles/Lost	3-0	1-1
Punting (No./Avg)	5-33.6	6-29.7
Punt Return (No./Yds)	3-74	1-14
Kickoff Return (No./Yds)	2-56	7-139
Penalties/Yards	10-94	6-61
Time of Possession	30:29	29:31
Third Down Conversions	5 of 14	8 of 20
Sacks/Lost	3-23	1-6



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds-TD):** UNA- Blount 15-39-0, Gorman 1-21-0; HSU - Palmer 14-34-0, Burnett 3-12-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 25-34-0-205-2; HSU - King 32-52-1-214-0

**Receiving (Rec.-Yds-TD):** UNA- Long 6-60-0, Merritt 6-47-0; HSU - Factuar 5-37-0, Brown 5-35-0

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Tharpe 7-5-12, Williamson 5-5-10, Suggs 2-6-8; HSU - Ward 10-1-11, Santiago 4-4-8, Papillion 5-1-6

Sacks: UNA- Shack 1, M. Ashford .5, Frier 1; HSU - Fulton .5, Slaten .5  
Tackles for Loss: UNA- Tharpe 2, Williamson 2, Wright 2, Shack 1, M. Ashford 2, Frier 2, Waller 1, Oti 1; HSU - Carter 1, Ivory 3, Bates 1, Watson 2, Guzman 2, Fulton 1, Slaten 1

Passes Broken up: UNA- Tharpe 1, Wright 1, Rice 2, Farris 2

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

HSU 3, UNA 0 (11:56) - Woodard 49 yard field goal

DRIVE 4 plays, 1 yard, 1:19

UNA 3, HSU 3 (1:16) - Fukuda 32 yard field goal

DRIVE 12 plays, 39 yards, 4:14

#### Second Quarter

UNA 10, HSU 3 (11:22) - Packer 1 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 9 plays, 71 yards, 3:22

UNA 17, HSU 3 (2:59) - Steele 32 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 8 plays, 83 yards, 2:57

#### Third Quarter

UNA 24, HSU 3 (11:53) - Merritt 66 yard punt return (Fukuda kick)

UNA 31, HSU 3 (2:19) - Messing 3 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 3 plays, 12 yards, 0:59

#### Fourth Quarter

UNA 38, HSU 3 (8:11) - Clark 4 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 10 plays, 37 yards, 4:21

HSU 10, UNA 38 (3:27) - King 1 yard run (Woodard kick)

DRIVE 11 plays, 72 aydrds, 4:44

## GAME #8

**October 20 - Valdosta, Ga.**  
**Valdosta State 26, UNA 23**

Valdosta State	10	3	10	3	26
North Alabama	0	13	3	7	23

STATISTICS	UNA	VSU
First Downs	17	19
Rushing (Att/Yds)	31-115	39-193
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	24-43-3	22-32-0
Passing Yards	242	214
Total Offense	345	375
Average Gain Per Play	4.7	5.3
Fumbles/Lost	0-0	2-1
Punting (No./Avg)	4-28.3	6-27.3
Punt Return (No./Yds)	0-0	1- -6
Kickoff Return (No./Yds)	6-163	5-71
Penalties/Yards	3-15	5-65
Time of Possession	28:48	31:12
Third Down Conversions	5 of 16	5 of 14
Sacks/Lost	1-1	0-0



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds- TD):** UNA- Blount 19-58-0, Fountain 4-19-0; VSU - brown 24-137-1, Wilkes 6-12-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 24-43-3-242-1; VSU - Wilkes 22-32-0-214-1

**Receiving (Rec.-Yds-TD):** UNA- Long 9-152-0, Fountain 6-23-0; VSU - Brown 7-64-0, Callaway 3-51-1

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Wright 2-8-10, Jackson 6-3-9, Shack 4-4-8; VSU - Adkins 5-1-6, Thompson 4-2-6, Blalock 4-2-6

Sacks: UNA- Wright .5, Shack .5

Tackles for Loss: UNA- Wright 2, Shack 3, Tharpe 1, Vickers 1, Rice 1, Farris 1, Hunt 1, M. Ashford 1, Tanner 1; VSU - Thompson 1, Blalock 3, George 1, Harris 1, Dollar 1, Ford 1, Russell 1, Daniels 1, Hutley 1

Passes Broken up: UNA- D. Ashford 1; VSU - Harris 1, George 1, McNeill 2, Kitchens 1, Foss 1

Interceptions: VSU - McNeill 1, Kitchens 1, Foss 1

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

VSU 3, UNA 0 (9:35) - Green 48 yard field goal

DRIVE 4 plays, -1 yard, 1:33

VSU 10, UNA 0 (4:28) - Callaway 28 yard pass from Wilkes (Green kick)

DRIVE 7 plays, 60 yards, 2:59

#### Second Quarter

UNA 3, VSU 10 (14:49) - Fukuda 29 yard field goal

DRIVE 15 plays, 70 yards, 4:39

UNA 6, VSU 10 (5:26) - Fukuda 21 yard field goal

DRIVE 14 plays, 86 yards, 6:14

UNA 13, VSU 10 (1:31) - Saylor 1 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 5 plays, 43 yards, 1:55

VSU 13, UNA 13 (0:03) - Green 44 yard field goal

DRIVE 6 plays, 44 yards, 1:28

#### Third Quarter

VSU 20, UNA 13 (6:59) - Brown 4 yard run (Green kick)

DRIVE 7 plays, 59 yards, 2:27

VSU 23, UNA 13 (2:16) - Green 36 yard field goal

DRIVE 9 plays, 70 yards, 3:26

UNA 16, VSU 23 (0:22) - Fukuda 35 yard field goal

DRIVE 4 plays, 8 yards, 1:54

#### Fourth Quarter

VSU 26, UNA 16 (7:23) - Green 42 yard field goal

DRIVE 5 plays, 8 yards, 2:49

UNA 23, VSU 26 (3:14) - Messing 14 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 12 plays, 80 yards, 4:09

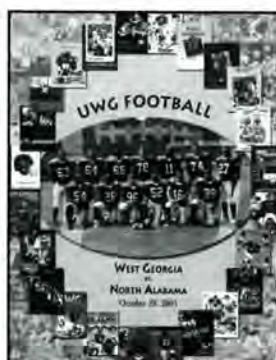
# 2005 GAME-BY-GAME

## GAME #9

**October 29 - Carrollton, Ga.**  
**UNA 20, West Georgia 19**

West Georgia	13	0	0	6	19
North Alabama	0	7	7	6	20

STATISTICS	UNA	WG
First Downs	18	19
Rushing (Att/Yds)	33-68	39-193
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	22-40-3	14-31-1
Passing Yards	261	147
Total Offense	329	340
Average Gain Per Play	4.5	4.9
Fumbles/Lost	0-0	0-0
Punting (No./Avg)	8-34.9	9-38.2
Punt Return (No./Yds)	7-21	1-20
Kickoff Return (No./Yds)	3-55	4-67
Penalties/Yards	9-58	5-22
Time of Possession	28:34	31:26
Third Down Conversions	7 of 18	6 of 19
Sacks/Lost	4-25	2-22



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds- TD):** UNA- Blount 23-63-1, Tharpe 1-15-0; UWG - Taylor 28-189-1, Felix 3-25-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 22-39-3-261-2; UWG - Baldwin 9-16-1-98-1, Yenser 5-15-0-49-0

**Receiving (Rec-Yds-TD):** UNA- Messing 7-99-1, Fountain 3-49-0; UWG - Holbrook 5-52-1, Price 4-47-0

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Wright 7-5-12, Williamson 5-3-8, Borden 5-2-7; UWG - Morris 8-3-11, Perkins 9-0-9, Carter 6-0-6

**Tackles for Loss:** UNA- Wright 2.5, Williamson .5, Borden 1, Hunt 1, Jackson 1; UWG - Morris 2, Perkins 4, Gadson 1, Culpepper 1, Willis 1

**Passes Broken up:** UNA- McNair 1, Foster 3, Farris 2, Tanner 1; UWG - Morris 1, Carter 1, Stevenson 1, Willis 1, Ford 1, Jamison 1

**Fumbles Recovered:** UNA- none; UWG- none

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

UWG 6, UNA 0 (11:34) - Williams 3 yard blocked punt return (Brkic kick failed)

UWG 13, UNA 0 (8:44) - Taylor 30 yard run (Brkic kick)

DRIVE 3 plays, 62 yards, 1:23

#### Second Quarter

UNA 7, UWG 13 (1:39) - Merritt 37 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 8 plays, 90 yards, 2:13

#### Third Quarter

UNA 14, UWG 13 (5:29) - Blount 1 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 11 plays, 83 yards, 3:58

#### Fourth Quarter

UWG 19, UNA 14 (7:10) - Holbrook 20 yard pass from Baldwin (Baldwin pass failed)

DRIVE 6 plays, 60 yards, 2:26

UNA 20, UWG 19 (2:11) - Messing 20 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda pass failed)

DRIVE 4 plays, 50 yards, 0:27

## GAME #10

**November 5 - Florence, Ala.**  
**UNA 76, West Alabama 14**

North Alabama	28	14	20	14	76
West Alabama	0	7	7	0	14

STATISTICS	UNA	UWA
First Downs	33	14
Rushing (Att/Yds)	44-181	40-66
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	25-40-0	10-27-3
Passing Yards	473	154
Total Offense	654	220
Average Gain Per Play	7.8	3.3
Fumbles/Lost	1-0	4-1
Punting (No./Avg)	2-19.0	8-35.3
Punt Return (No./Yds)	6-77	0-0
Kickoff Return (No./Yds)	1-27	10-139
Penalties/Yards	13-85	14-137
Time of Possession	31:03	28:57
Third Down Conversions	8 of 14	3 of 15
Sacks/Lost	2-13	0-0



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds- TD):** UNA- Blount 12-45-3, Packer 10-35-0; UWA - Wright 14-61-0, day 2-18-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 16-30-0-379-4, Milwee 9-10-0-94-3; UWA - Reiter 10-21-1-154-2

**Receiving (Rec-Yds-TD):** UNA- Merritt 6-137-0, Messing 3-161-2, Fountain 3-51-1; UWA - Coach 2-71-1, Wright 2-36-0, Sallie 2-23-1

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- D. Ashford 6-5-11, Tharpe 3-5-8, M. Ashford 2-4-6; UWA - McBride 5-6-11, Slaughter 5-4-9, Thompson 4-5-9

**Tackles for Loss:** UNA-D. Ashford 3, Tharpe 2, M. Ashford 1, Oti 1, Wright 1, Chatman 1, Waller 1; UWA - McBride 3, Bevell 2, Cook 1, Fatu 1, Hamilton 1

**Passes Broken up:** UNA- D. Ashford 1, Waller 1, Williamson 1, Farris 1; UWA - Slaughter 1, Bevell 2, Hamilton 1

**Interceptions:** UNA-Campbell 1, Foster 1, Farris 1

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

UNA 7, UWA 0 (11:58) - Fountain 20 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 4 plays, 66 yards, 1:05

UNA 14, UWA 0 (11:16) - Blount 1 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 2 plays, 3 yards, 0:10

UNA 21, UWA 0 (10:10) - Messing 41 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 3 plays, 53 yards, 1:06

UNA 28, UWA 0 (1:27) - Wilson 1 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 9 plays, 36 yards, 3:33

#### Second Quarter

UWA 7, UNA 28 (14:53) - Coach 58 yard pass from Reiter (Warfield kick)

DRIVE 4 plays, 74 yards, 1:34

UNA 35, UWA 7 (13:17) - Blount 3 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 6 plays, 59 yards, 1:36

UNA 42, UWA 7 (7:48) - Blount 10 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 5 plays, 84 yards, 1:18

#### Third Quarter

UNA 49, UWA 7 (12:23) - Messing 65 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 6 plays, 80 yards, 2:37

UNA 55, UWA 7 (8:02) - Hubbard 0 yard fumble recovery (Fukuda kick failed)

DRIVE 5 plays, 60 yards, 2:44

UWA 14, UNA 55 (4:55) - Sallie 25 yard pass from Reiter (Warfield kick)

DRIVE 6 plays, 77 yards, 3:07

#### Fourth Quarter

UNA 69, UWA 14 (12:18) - Douglas 10 yard pass from Milwee (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 3 plays, 12 yards, 1:23

UNA 76, UWA 14 (3:31) - Campbell 16 yard interception return (Fukuda kick)

# 2005 GAME-BY-GAME

## GAME #11

**November 12 - Valdosta, Ga.**  
**UNA 40, Valdosta State 13**

Valdosta State	7	3	3	0	13
North Alabama	10	13	0	17	40

### STATISTICS

	UNA	SAU
First Downs	21	17
Rushing (Att/Yds)	51-174	28-50
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	13-26-2	19-43-4
Passing Yards	244	188
Total Offense	418	238
Average Gain Per Play	5.4	3.4
Fumbles/Lost	2-2	3-2
Punting (No./Avg)	2-42.5	5-33.4
Punt Return (No./Yds)	4-44	2-1
Kickoff Return (No./Yds)	3-20	8-136
Penalties/Yards	9-84	5-27
Time of Possession	33:19	26:41
Third Down Conversions	5 of 15	4 of 16
Sacks/Lost	3-23	2-13



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds- TD):** UNA- Blount 33-128-2, Milwee 3-31-0; VSU - Brown 15-64-1, Wilkes 2-24-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 13-25-2-244-2; Stewart 14-29-0-111-0

**Receiving (Rec-Yds-TD):** UNA- Messing 4-66-1, Merritt 3-76-1; VSU - Taylor 4-37-0, Parker 4-25-0

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Wright 9-2-11, Suggs 4-4-8, Williamson 4-2-6; VSU - Thompson 8-1-9, Russell 4-2-6, Daniels 5-0-5

**Tackles for Loss:** UNA- Williamson 1, D. Ashford 1, Farris 1, Tharpe 1, Hunt 1, Vickers 1; VSU - Thompson 1, Morrison 2, Leggett 1, English 1, Blalock 1, Hutley 1

**Passes Broken up:** UNA- Suggs 1, D. Ashford 1, Farris 2, Hunt 1, McNair 1, Rice 1, Foster 1, Chatman 1; VSU - Foss 1, George 3

**Fumbles Recovered:** UNA- Farris 1, Jackson 1; VSU Harris 1, Leggett 1

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

VSU 7, UNA 0 (13:42) - Brown 2 yard run (Green kick)

DRIVE 4 plays, 21 yards, 1:12

UNA 3, VSU 7 (7:24) - Fukuda 28 yard field goal

DRIVE 15 plays, 69 yards, 6:18

UNA 10, VSU 7 (0:39) - Messing 30 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 9 plays, 52 yards, 4:37

#### Second Quarter

VSU 10, UNA 10 (11:42) - Green 31 yard field goal

DRIVE 10 plays, 57 yards, 3:57

UNA 17, VSU 10 (9:28) - Farris 2 yard fumble recovery (Fukuda kick)

UNA 23, VSU 10 (4:09) - Merritt 31 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick failed)

DRIVE 8 plays, 62 yards, 2:36

#### Third Quarter

VSU 13, UNA 23 (8:15) - Green 30 yard field goal

DRIVE 11 plays, 53 yards, 4:06

#### Fourth Quarter

UNA 26, VSU 13 (14:14) - Fukuda 32 yard field goal

DRIVE 4 plays, 5 yards, 1:09

UNA 33, VSU 13 (6:58) - Blount 1 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 8 plays, 28 yards, 3:27

UNA 40, VSU 13 (4:21) - Blount 2 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 2 plays, 41 yards, 0:15

## GAME #12

**November 19 - Durham, N.C.**  
**UNA 24, N.C. Central 21**

North Alabama	7	7	0	10	24
N.C. Central	0	21	0	0	21

### STATISTICS

	UNA	NCCU
First Downs	21	22
Rushing (Att/Yds)	36-210	51-172
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	15-31-3	18-33-0
Passing Yards	259	194
Total Offense	469	366
Average Gain Per Play	7.0	4.4
Fumbles/Lost	0-0	2-1
Punting (No./Avg)	4-38.2	7-33.1
Punt Return (No./Yds)	3-14	3-33
Kickoff Return (No./Yds)	4-80	4-78
Penalties/Yards	7-53	5-43
Time of Possession	25:00	35:00
Third Down Conversions	5 of 13	7 of 18
Sacks/Lost	2-16	2-7



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds- TD):** UNA- Blount 19-137-1, Milwee 13-49-0; NCCU - Pruitt 32-118-0, Futrell 4-49-1

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 7-19-3-144-2; NCCU - Warren 18-33-0-194-2

**Receiving (Rec-Yds-TD):** UNA- Merritt 5-82-1, Long 4-45-0; NCCU - Ross 8-89-1, Hinton 3-51-0

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Jackson 6-5-11, Tharpe 4-6-10, Williamson 3-7-10; NCCU - Coard 0-8-8, George 3-4-7, Dowdy 2-5-7

**Sacks:** UNA- Jackson 1, M. Ashford 1; NCCU - Ray .5, Joe .5, Banks .5, Jowers .5

**Tackles for Loss:** UNA- Jackson 2.5, Tharpe .5, Suggs .5, Wright .5, Hunt .5, Frier 1, M. Ashford 1.5, Waller 1; NCCU - Coard 1, Dowdy 1.5, Ray .5, Garrett 1.5, Joe 1, Banks .5, Jowers .5, Fratwell .5

**Passes Broken up:** UNA- Williamson 1, Suggs 3, Borden 1, Wright 1, Farris 2; NCCU - Coard 1, Dowdy 1, Amos 2, Wright 1, Bryant 1

**Interceptions:** NCCU - Amos 2, Banks 1

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

UNA 7, NCCU 0 (13:50) - Fountain 32 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 4 plays, 59 yards, 1:10

#### Second Quarter

NCCU 7, UNA 7 (14:14) - Futrell 9 yard pass from Warren (Gilbert kick)

DRIVE 5 plays, 19 yards, 1:53

UNA 14, NCCU 7 (13:20) - Merritt 61 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 2 plays, 66 yards, 0:46

NCCU 14, UNA 14 (9:53) - Futrell 39 yard run (Gilbert kick)

DRIVE 7 plays, 92 yards, 3:27

NCCU 21, UNA 14 (5:24) - Ross 4 yard pass from Warren (Gilbert kick)

DRIVE 7 plays, 66 yards, 1:57

#### Fourth Quarter

UNA 21, NCCU 21 (8:27) - Blount 23 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 8 plays, 79 yards, 4:10

UNA 24, NCCU 21 (00:00) - Tanner 37 yard field goal

DRIVE 12 plays, 72 yards, 1:38

# 2005 GAME-BY-GAME

## GAME #13

November 26 - Conway, Ark.

UNA 41, Central Arkansas 38 (OT)

North Alabama	14	14	0	10	3	41
Central Arkansas	0	14	10	14	0	38

STATISTICS	UNA	UCA
First Downs	15	20
Rushing (Att/Yds)	39-148	41-161
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	21-36-0	19-37-0
Passing Yards	215	279
Total Offense	363	440
Average Gain Per Play	4.8	5.6
Fumbles/Lost	2-1	2-2
Punting (No./Avg)	8-37.0	7-35.3
Punt Return (No./Yds)	3-14	1-7
Kickoff Return (No./Yds)	7-130	7-128
Penalties/Yards	6-56	6-48
Time of Possession	28:10	31:50
Third Down Conversions	5 of 17	7 of 18
Sacks/Lost	4-28	2-16



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds- TD):** UNA- Blount 19-89-1, Fountain 6-34-0; UCA - Rogers 15-111-1, Hopson 15-57-2

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 16-30-0-143-0; UCA - Brown 16-32-0-263-2

**Receiving (Rec-Yds-TD):** UNA- Merritt 7-54-0, Long 6-100-3; UCA - Jones 5-40-0, Norvell 4-127-1

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Wright 5-5-10, Williamson 5-5-10, Tharpe 6-1-7; UCA - Cangelosi 6-5-11, Johnson 6-2-8, Taylor 6-1-7

**Tackles for Loss:** UNA- Wright 3, Tharpe 2, Hunt 1; UCA - Taylor 1, Ford 4, Mills 1, Horne 1, Boykins 1

**Passes Broken up:** UNA- Tharpe 2, Foster 3, Jackson 1, McNair 1, Hunt 1; UCA - Ford 2, Brown 2

**Fumbles Recovered:** UNA- Foster 1, M. Ashford 1; UCA - Ford 1

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### First Quarter

UNA 7, UCA 0 (7:41) - Blount 5 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 8 plays, 34 yards, 1:07

UNA 14, UCA 0 (2:45) - Long 4 yard pass from Milwee (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 4 plays, 68 yards, 1:26

#### Second Quarter

UCA 7, UNA 14 (14:54) - cade 28 yard pass from Brown (Paul kick)

DRIVE 7 plays, 71 yards, 2:45

UNA 21, UCA 7 (10:49) - Long 21 yard pass from Merritt (Fukuda kick)

1 play, 21 yards, 0:07

UNA 28, UCA 7 (8:06) - Long 35 yard pass from Milwee (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 4 plays, 38 yards, 1:25

UCA 14, UNA 28 (0:25) - Hopson 1 yard run (Paul kick)

DRIVE 12 plays, 91 yards, 4:40

#### Third Quarter

UCA 17, UNA 28 (9:30) - Paul 38 yard field goal

DRIVE 7 plays, 25 yards, 3:36

UCA 24, UNA 28 (1:05) - Norvell 56 yard pass from Brown (Paul kick)

DRIVE 6 plays, 80 yards, 1:55

#### Fourth Quarter

UCA 31, UNA 28 (14:16) - Rogers 31 yard run (Paul kick)

DRIVE 2 plays, 41 yards, 0:28

UCA 38, UNA 28 (8:07) - Hopson 14 yard run (Paul kick)

DRIVE 7 plays, 81 yards, 3:19

UNA 35, UCA 38 (5:34) - Clark 4 yard pass from Milwee (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 6 plays, 42 yards, 2:23

UNA 38, UCA 38 (1:52) - Fukuda 32 yard field goal

DRIVE 8 plays, 51 yards, 1:39

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UNA 41, UCA 38 - Fukuda 45 yard field goal

DRIVE 4 plays, -3 yards

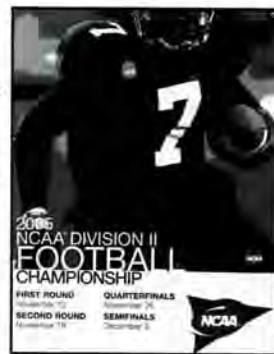
## GAME #14

December 3 - Florence, Ala.

N.W. Missouri State 25, UNA 24

NW Missouri State	0	0	14	11	25
North Alabama	0	3	14	7	24

STATISTICS	UNA	NWMS
First Downs	23	17
Rushing (Att/Yds)	36-99	21-66
Passing (Comp/Att/Int)	29-42-1	25-40-2
Passing Yards	248	245
Total Offense	347	311
Average Gain Per Play	4.4	5.1
Fumbles/Lost	1-0	1-1
Punting (No./Avg)	4-23.0	5-35.8
Punt Return (No./Yds)	4-26	2-33
Kickoff Return (No./Yds)	4-67	6-126
Penalties/Yards	6-57	6-40
Time of Possession	33:38	26:22
Third Down Conversions	3 of 16	6 of 13
Sacks/Lost	4-37	3-14



### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing (Att-Yds- TD):** UNA- Fountain 4-38-0, Blount 18-30-0; NWMS - Omon 16-101-1, Roberts 1-2-0

**Passing (Comp-Att-Int-Yds-TD):** UNA- Saylor 29-41-1-248-1; NWMS - Lamberson 25-40-2-245-2

**Receiving (Rec-Yds-TD):** UNA- Merritt 7-73-0, blount 6-34-0; NWMS - Rector 8-108-1, Falkner 7-65-0

### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

**Tackles (Primary-Assists-Total):** UNA- Tharpe 6-3-9, Wright 4-5-9, Farris 4-3-7; NWMS - Kaiser 4-5-9, Finch 3-5-8, Pratt 3-5-8

**Sacks:** UNA- Tharpe 2, Wright 1, Jackson .5, Frier .5; NWMS - Kaiser 1, Waters 1, Tollefson 1

**Tackles for Loss:** UNA-Tharpe 2, Wright 1, Farris 1, Hunt 1, M. Ashford 1, Vickers 1, Waller 1, Jackson 1, Frier 1; NWMS - Kaiser 2, Waters 2, Calbert 1, Tollefson 2, Butler 2, Harness 1

**Passes Broken up:** UNA- Wright 2, Rice 1; NWMS - Womack 1, Harness 1

**Interceptions:** UNA-Farris 1, Foster 1; NWMS - Calbert 1

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### Second Quarter

UNA 3, NWMS 0 (9:01) - Fukuda 20 yard field goal

DRIVE 16 plays, 66 yards, 8:49

#### Third Quarter

NWMS 7, UNA 3 (11:46) - Rector 11 yard pass from Lamberson (Frevort kick)

DRIVE 5 plays, 22 yards 1:38

UNA 10, NWMS 7 (7:44) - Waller 11 yard fumble recovery (Fukuda kick)

NWMS 14, UNA 10 (6:48) - Omon 67 yard run (Frevort kick)

DRIVE 2 plays, 70 yards, 0:56

UNA 17, NWMS 14 (2:02) - Wilson 11 yard pass from Saylor (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 3 plays, 49 yards, 0:38

#### Fourth Quarter

NWMS 17, UNA 17 (13:59) - Frevort 27 yard field goal

DRIVE 11 plays, 61 yards, 3:03

UNA 24, NWMS 17 (8:36) - Merritt 17 yard run (Fukuda kick)

DRIVE 7 plays, 57 yards, 2:53

NWMS 19, UNA 24 (6:43) - Kaiser safety

NWMS 25, UNA 24 (0:23) - Robinson 3 yard pass from Lamberson (Lamberson pass failed)

DRIVE 6 plays, 51 yards, 1:29

# 2005 FINAL SEASON STATISTICS

## TEAM STATISTICS

	UNA	OPP
<b>SCORING</b>	509	250
Points Per Game	36.4	17.9
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	311	235
Rushing	117	99
Passing	163	111
Penalty	31	25
<b>RUSHING YARDAGE</b>	1981	1371
Yards gained rushing	2380	1958
Yards lost rushing	399	587
Rushing attempts	531	490
Average per rush	3.7	2.8
Average per game	141.5	97.9
TDs Rushing	23	12
<b>PASSING YARDAGE</b>	3775	2683
Att-Comp-Int	545-333-16	479-248-21
Average per pass	6.9	5.6
Average per catch	11.3	10.8
Average per game	269.6	191.6
TDs Passing	35	17
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE</b>	5756	4054
Total plays	1076	969
Average per play	5.3	4.2
Average per game	411.1	289.6
<b>KICK RETURNS- NUMBER OF YARDS</b>	45-987	92-1655
<b>PUNT RETURNS- NUMBER OF YARDS</b>	56-564	16-140
<b>INT RETURNS- NUMBER OF YARDS</b>	21-330	16-73
<b>FUMBLES-LOST</b>	21-6	31-20
<b>PENALTIES-YARDS</b>	111-931	105-919
<b>PUNTS-AVERAGE</b>	61-34.5	95-35.1
<b>TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME</b>	30:38	29:23
<b>3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS</b>	85-219	72-219
<b>4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS</b>	20-29	9-19

<b>SCORING</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>Kick</b>	<b>2-PT</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>PTS</b>
Yuta Fukuda	0	18-29	52-54	0-1	0	106
Anthony Merritt	14	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	84
DeMarcus Blount	14	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	84
Jason Messing	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	54
Jaron Fountain	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	36
Chip Long	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	30
Gregory Clark	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	18
Beau Tanner	0	1-3	10-10	0-0	0	13
Eric Packer	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	12
Patrick Wilson	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	12
Jonathan Douglas	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Vinnie Saylor	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Tim Hunt	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Covington Wright	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Jason Campbell	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Rodney Steele	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Reggie Hubbard	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Brendan Parnell	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Doug Waller	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Blake Farris	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
North Alabama	65	19-32	62-64	0-1	0	509
Opponents	31	11-20	27-28	0-2	0	250

<b>FIELD GOALS</b>	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	TOT	LP
Beau Tanner	0-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-3	37
Yuta Fukuda	9-11	7-8	2-7	0-3	18-29	45

<b>PUNTING</b>	NO	YDS	AVG	BLKD	LP
Lyle Atkinson	56	1995	35.6	2	52
Beau Tanner	3	111	37.0	0	43
Team	2	0	0	0	0
North Alabama	61	2106	34.5	2	52
Opponents	95	3332	35.1	3	60

<b>KICKOFF RETURNS</b>	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP
Anthony Merritt	23	595	25.9	1	82
Jaron Fountain	13	330	25.4	0	50
Brendan Parnell	3	18	6.0	0	12
Reggie Hubbard	3	22	7.3	0	10
Rodney Steele	1	6	6.0	0	6
Patrick Wilson	1	13	13.0	0	13
Brett Borden	1	3	3.0	0	3
North Alabama	45	987	21.9	1	82
Opponents	92	1655	18.0	0	76

<b>PUNT RETURNS</b>	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP
Anthony Merritt	51	546	10.7	2	88
Jaron Fountain	2	10	5.0	0	10
Reggie Rice	1	2	2.0	0	0
Blake Farris	1	0	0	0	0
Derrick Chatman	1	6	6.0	0	0
North Alabama	56	564	10.1	2	88
Opponents	16	140	8.8	1	22

<b>INTERCEPTIONS</b>	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LP
Blake Farris	10	192	19.2	0	69
Reggie Rice	2	24	12.0	0	12
Brian McNair	1	8	8.0	0	8
Edjuan Williamson	1	6	6.0	0	6
Carlos Foster	1	3	3.0	0	3
Doug Waller	1	21	21.0	0	21
Courtney Wright	1	0	0	0	0
Brett Borden	1	16	16.0	0	16
Tramell Foster	1	0	0	0	0
Santana Suggs	1	17	17.0	0	17
Jason Campbell	1	43	43.0	1	27
North Alabama	21	330	15.7	1	69
Opponents	16	73	4.6	0	22



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<b>RUSHING</b>	<b>ATT</b>	<b>GAIN</b>	<b>LOSS</b>	<b>NET</b>	<b>AVG</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>LONG</b>	<b>AVG GM</b>
DeMarcus Blount	213	917	78	839	3.9	14	54	69.9
Eric Packer	85	349	47	302	3.6	2	25	27.5
A.J. Milwee	52	299	55	244	4.7	0	32	22.2
Jaron Fountain	39	227	27	200	5.1	0	24	14.3
Anthony Merritt	23	192	24	168	7.3	3	48	12.0
Vinnie Saylor	66	211	110	101	1.5	1	20	7.2
Gregory Clark	29	102	7	95	3.3	2	13	9.5
Donald Tharpe	3	27	0	27	9.0	0	15	1.9
Trey Gorman	1	21	0	21	21.0	0	21	10.5
Brendan Parnell	2	19	0	19	9.5	1	14	2.7
Jonathan Douglas	1	6	0	6	6.0	0	6	0.9
Patrick Wilson	1	6	0	6	6.0	0	6	0.7
Brett Wilcutt	1	4	0	4	4.0	0	4	1.3
Fred Wilkins	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Lance Ancar	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Team	13	0	51	-51	-3.9	0	0	-4.6
North Alabama	531	2380	399	1981	3.7	23	54	141.5
Opponents	490	1958	587	1371	2.8	12	67	97.9



*DeMarcus Blount*

<b>PASSING</b>	<b>GP</b>	<b>ATT-CMP-INT</b>	<b>PCT</b>	<b>YDS</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>LNG</b>	<b>AVG/G</b>
Vinnie Saylor	14	499-301-16	60.3	3445	28	65	246.1
A.J. Milwee	11	40-30-0	75.0	301	6	40	27.4
Team	11	2-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
DeMarcus Blount	12	2-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Chip Long	14	1-1-0	100.0	8	0	8	0.6
Anthony Merritt	14	1-1-0	100.0	21	1	21	1.5
North Alabama	14	545-333-16	61.1	3775	35	65	269.6
Opponents	14	479-248-21	51.8	2683	17	58	191.6



*Brian McNair*

## PASSING EFFICIENCY

Vinnie Saylor	130.42
A.J. Milwee	187.71
Team	0.00
DeMarcus Blount	0.00
Chip Long	167.20
Anthony Merritt	606.40
North Alabama	134.61
Opponents	101.77

<b>RECEIVING</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>Long</b>
Anthony Merritt	81	942	11.6	8	61
Chip Long	66	802	12.2	5	41
Jaron Fountain	58	573	9.9	6	35
Jason Messing	43	852	19.9	9	65
DeMarcus Blount	37	233	6.3	0	49
Patrick Wilson	14	120	8.6	2	24
Eric Packer	6	35	5.8	0	12
Gregory Clark	6	29	4.8	1	10
Brendan Parnell	5	36	7.2	0	18
Rodney Steele	4	64	16.0	1	32
Covington Wright	4	48	12.0	1	20
Reggie Hubbard	3	21	7.0	1	14
Jonathan Douglas	1	10	10.0	1	10
A.J. Milwee	1	8	8.0	0	8
Jason Campbell	1	5	5.0	0	5
Brett Wilcutt	1	3	3.0	0	3
Tim Hunt	1	1	1.0	0	1
Vinnie Saylor	1	-7	-7.0	0	0
North Alabama	333	3775	11.3	35	65
Opponents	248	2683	10.8	17	58



*Fred Wilkins*

# 2005 FINAL SEASON STATISTICS

## ALL PURPOSE

PLAYER	RUSH	REC	PUNT RET	KO YDS	IR	TOT YDS	TOT YDS/GM
Anthony Merritt	168	942	546	595	0	2251	160.8
Jaron Fountain	200	573	10	330	0	1113	79.5
DeMarcus Blount	839	233	0	0	0	1072	89.3
Jason Messing	0	852	0	0	0	852	60.9
Chip Long	0	802	0	0	0	802	57.3
Eric Packer	302	35	0	0	0	337	30.6
A.J. Milwee	244	8	0	0	0	252	22.9
Blake Farris	0	0	0	0	192	192	13.7
Patrick Wilson	6	120	0	13	0	139	15.4
Gregory Clark	95	29	0	0	0	124	12.4
Vinnie Saylor	101	-7	0	0	0	94	6.7
Brendan Parnell	19	36	0	18	0	73	10.4
Rodney Steele	0	64	0	6	0	70	10.0
Jason Campbell	0	5	0	0	43	48	3.4
Covington Wright	0	48	0	0	0	48	5.3
Reggie Hubbard	0	21	0	22	0	43	4.8
Donald Tharpe	27	0	0	0	0	27	1.9
Reggie Rice	0	0	2	0	24	26	2.0
Doug Waller	0	0	0	0	21	21	1.5
Trey Gorman	21	0	0	0	0	21	10.5
Brett Borden	0	0	0	3	16	19	1.4
Santana Suggs	0	0	0	0	17	17	1.2
Jonathan Douglas	6	10	0	0	0	16	2.3
Brian McNair	0	0	0	0	8	8	0.9
Brett Wilcutt	4	3	0	0	0	7	2.3
Derrick Chatman	0	0	6	0	0	6	0.9
Edjuan Williamson	0	0	0	0	6	6	0.4
Carlos Foster	0	0	0	0	3	3	0.2
Tim Hunt	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.1
Team	-51	0	0	0	0	-51	-4.6
North Alabama	1981	3775	564	987	330	7637	545.5
Opponents	1371	2683	140	1655	73	5922	423.0



*Kentrel Tanner*

## DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

PLAYER	UT	AT	TT	TFL/YDs	Sacks/Yds	INT/Yds	FC	FR
Courtney Wright	62	58	120	16.0/50	2.0/11	1/0	2	3
Donald Tharpe	48	30	78	15.0/85	8.0/52	0/0	2	1
Edjuan Williamson	37	41	78	4.0/17	2.0/11	1/6	2	1
Santana Suggs	37	35	72	2.5/10	0/0	1/17	1	1
Derrell Ashford	38	30	68	4.0/14	1/4	0/0	2	0
Brett Borden	26	31	57	1.5/10	1/9	1/16	0	1
Marcus Jackson	24	29	53	9/38	5/27	0/0	1	1
Reggie Rice	25	24	49	1.5/1	0/0	2/24	0	0
Blake Farris	30	19	49	3.5/4	0/0	10/192	0	2
Tim Hunt	19	22	41	15/60	4/35	0/0	1	2
Mantrell Ashford	13	20	33	6/29	1.5/14	0/0	0	1
Jason Campbell	16	16	32	0.5/1	0/0	1/43	0	0
Carlos Foster	15	14	29	0/0	0/0	1/3	0	1
Lee Vickers	13	15	28	2.5/17	1.5/13	0/0	1	0
Damon Frier	11	16	27	6/22	2/17	0/0	2	3
Kentrel Tanner	5	16	21	4/20	1.5/9	0/0	0	0
Brandon Williams	10	11	21	0/0	0/0	0/0	0	0
Dusty Shack	7	13	20	4.5/13	2/8	0/0	0	0
Doug Waller	6	13	19	4/15	0.5/2	1/21	0	2
Brian McNair	7	8	15	0/0	0/0	1/8	0	0
Bobby Brooks	4	10	14	1/2	0/0	0/0	0	0
Tramell Foster	9	5	14	0/0	0/0	1/0	0	0
Dencen Clay	6	8	14	0/0	0/0	0/0	0	0
Kem Oti	3	11	14	2/4	0.5/3	0/0	1	0
Ryan Brick	5	8	13	2/6	0/0	0/0	0	0
Derrick Chatman	4	6	10	1.5/11	0.5/4	0/0	1	1
North Alabama	501	529	1030	106/429	31/224	21/330	17	20
Opponents	566	553	1119	102/356	17/106	16/73	13	6

19 players had less than 10 tackles

# SERIES RECORDS

## Record vs. All Opponents 1949-2005

Opponent	Record	First Meeting	Last Meeting
Alabama A&M	18-3-1	1975	1997
Albany State (Ga.)	4-1-0	1989	1996
Appalachian State (N.C.)	1-2-0	1971	1973
Arkansas State	4-11-1	1951	1966
Arkansas Tech	6-3-0	1970	2003
Arkansas-Monticello	5-3-0	1998	2005
Austin Peay State (Tenn.)	13-6-0	1949	1978
Bethel College (Tenn.)	2-0-0	1949	1950
Bloomsburg (Pa.)	1-0-0	1985	1985
Carson-Newman (Tenn.)	6-1-0	1978	2003
Central Arkansas (formerly State College of Arkansas)	15-5-0	1951	2005
Central Florida	2-2-0	1980	1989
Central Missouri State	2-0-0	1991	1992
Central State of Ohio	0-1-0	1983	1983
College of Ozarks	1-0-0	1950	1950
Delta State (Miss.)	24-19-1	1960	2005
East Tennessee State	5-1-0	1954	1979
Eastern Illinois	0-1-0	1980	1980
Elon	0-1-0	1999	1999
Ferris State (Mich.)	1-0-0	1995	1995
Fort Valley State (Ga.)	4-1-0	1985	1994
Gordon Military (Ga.)	1-0-0	1967	1967
Hampton (Va.)	2-0-0	1992	1993
Harding (Ark.)	2-4-0	2000	2005
Henderson State (Ark.)	17-4-0	1952	2005

Indiana-Pennsylvania	1-0-0	1993	1993
Jacksonville St. (Ala.)	18-23-3	1949	2003
Lambuth (Tenn.)	2-0-0	2001	2002
Lane College (Tenn.)	1-0-0	1981	1981
Langston College (Okla.)	2-0-0	1979	1981
Louisiana College	2-1-0	1964	1968
McNeese State (La.)	0-2-0	1958	1959
Middle Tennessee State	6-14-0	1949	1980
Miles College	6-0-0	1982	1987
Mississippi College	14-14-2	1963	1995
Morningside (Iowa)	1-0-0	1957	1957
Murray State (Ky.)	5-3-0	1954	1961
Newberry College (S.C.)	1-0-0	1991	1991
Nicholls State (La.)	3-1-0	1973	1976
North Carolina Central	1-0-0	2005	2005
North Dakota	1-1-0	1994	2003
North Dakota State	0-1-0	1985	1985
Northwest Missouri State	0-1-0	2005	2005
Northwestern State (La.)	2-4-0	1962	1973
Ouachita Baptist (Ark.)	2-2-0	2000	2003
Pensacola NAS (Fla.)	0-1-0	1954	1954
Pittsburg State (Kan.)	1-2-0	1995	2000
Portland State (Ore.)	1-0-0	1993	1993
St. Bernard (Ala.)	2-0-0	1949	1950
Samford (Ala.) (formerly Howard College)	6-4-2	1949	2002
Savannah State (Ga.)	2-0-0	1984	1985
Southeast Missouri State	1-0-0	1956	1956
Southeastern Louisiana	1-9-2	1957	1978
Southern Arkansas	5-4-0	1996	2005
Southwest Missouri State	2-0-0	1981	1982
Southwestern Louisiana	1-0-0	1997	1997
Stillman	1-0-0	2003	2003
Tennessee-Chattanooga	0-1-0	1963	1963
Tennessee-Martin	19-12-1	1949	1990
Tennessee Tech	2-4-1	1953	1959
Texas A&M-Kingsville	4-0-0	1993	1997
Troy State (Ala.)	23-21-0	1949	1992
Tusculum	2-0-0	2004	2005
Tuskegee Institute (Ala.)	2-0-0	1979	1980
Union University (Tenn.)	2-0-0	1951	1952
Valdosta State (Ga.)	14-11-1	1982	2005
Vanderbilt (Tenn.)	0-1-0	1959	1959
Virginia State	1-0-0	1987	1987
Virginia Union	2-0-0	1980	1983
West Alabama (formerly Livingston)	43-14-1	1949	2005
West Georgia	13-10-0	1983	2005
Western Carolina (N.C.)	0-1-0	1974	1974
Youngstown State (Ohio)	0-1-0	1994	1994
<b>Totals</b>		<b>343-229-16</b>	



Andrew Reid (75) and Brett Mask (76)

# ALL-TIME SERIES

## Alabama A&M (18-3-1)

1975	UNA	48-29	@Huntsville
1976	UNA	47-21	Florence
1977	UNA	28-7	@Huntsville
1978	UNA	40-16	Florence
1979	A&M	3-6	@Huntsville
1980	A&M	28-32	Florence
1981	UNA	32-30	@Huntsville
1982	UNA	38-17	Florence
1983	TIE	20-20	@Huntsville
1984	UNA	26-12	Florence
1985	UNA	6-3	@Huntsville
1986	UNA	26-0	Florence
1987	UNA	16-14	@Huntsville
1988	A&M	16-17	Florence
1989	UNA	19-7	@Birmingham
1990	UNA	25-0	Florence
1992	UNA	15-7	Florence
1993	UNA	49-7	@Huntsville
1994	UNA	58-13	Florence
1995	UNA	49-0	@Huntsville
1996	UNA	47-0	Florence
1997	UNA	49-20	@Huntsville

## Albany State (4-1-0)

1989	UNA	17-3	Florence
1990	UNA	37-23	@Albany
1995	UNA	41-13	Florence
1995	UNA	38-28	Florence*
1996	ASU	10-17	@Albany

## Appalachian State (1-2-0)

1971	ASU	6-59	@Boone
1972	ASU	3-17	@Boone
1973	UNA	21-7	Florence

## Arkansas State (4-11-1)

1951	ASU	13-35	@Jonesboro
1952	ASU	7-28	Florence
1953	TIE	13-13	@Jonesboro
1954	UNA	26-7	Florence
1955	UNA	12-7	@Jonesboro
1956	ASU	13-39	Florence
1957	ASU	13-15	@Jonesboro
1958	UNA	19-0	Florence
1959	UNA	16-14	@Jonesboro
1960	ASU	0-19	Florence
1961	ASU	6-14	@Jonesboro
1962	ASU	14-23	Florence
1963	ASU	12-14	@Jonesboro
1964	ASU	3-10	Florence
1965	ASU	12-33	@Jonesboro
1966	ASU	7-27	Florence

## Arkansas Tech (6-3-0)

1970	UNA	28-26	@Russellville
1971	ATU	30-31	Florence
1995	UNA	52-17	@Russellville
1996	ATU	35-38	Florence
1997	UNA	45-24	@Russellville
1998	UNA	42-21	Florence
1999	ATU	21-24	@Russellville
2002	UNA	49-14	Florence
2003	UNA	55-9	@Russellville

## Arkansas-Monticello (5-3)

1998	UNA	51-17	@Monticello
1999	UNA	16-13	Florence
2000	UAM	21-40	Florence
2001	UAM	12-28	@Monticello
2002	UAM	14-30	@Monticello
2003	UNA	41-20	Florence
2004	UNA	59-21	Florence
2005	UNA	42-0	@Monticello

## Austin Peay State (13-5)

1949	APS	6-27	Florence
1950	APS	0-6	@Clarksville
1951	UNA	27-7	Florence
1952	UNA	9-0	@Clarksville
1953	UNA	14-3	Florence
1954	UNA	13-7	@Clarksville

1955	UNA	13-7	Florence
1956	APS	6-19	@Clarksville
1957	UNA	40-13	Florence
1958	UNA	20-13	@Clarksville
1959	UNA	22-8	Florence
1960	UNA	35-34	@Clarksville
1961	UNA	14-8	Florence
1962	UNA	17-0	@Clarksville
1975	UNA	23-6	Florence
1976	APS	14-21	@Clarksville
1977	APS	6-13	Florence
1978	UNA	10-6	@Clarksville

## Bethel College (2-0)

1949	UNA	32-0	@McKenzie
1950	UNA	30-2	Florence

## Bloomsburg (1-0)

1985	UNA	34-0	Florence
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## Carson-Newman (6-1)

1978	UNA	34-17	@Jefferson City
1993	UNA	38-28	Florence*
1994	UNA	17-13	Florence*
1995	UNA	28-7	Florence*
1997	CNC	7-21	@Jefferson City*
1998	UNA	27-24	@Rome, Ga.
2003	UNA	41-9	Florence*

## Central Arkansas (15-5)

1951	UNA	32-20	Florence
1952	UNA	28-6	Florence
1968	UCA	12-14	Florence
1969	UNA	28-0	@Conway
1970	UNA	28-17	Florence
1971	UCA	13-14	@Conway
1993	UNA	27-10	@Conway
1994	UNA	28-21	Florence
1995	UNA	28-7	@Conway
1996	UCA	20-21	Florence
1997	UNA	35-6	@Conway
1998	UNA	31-21	Florence
1999	UNA	24-17	@Conway
2000	UNA	37-35	@Conway
2001	UCA	21-42	Florence
2002	UNA	47-33	@Conway
2003	UNA	31-12	Florence
2004	UNA	31-3	Florence
2005	UCA	26-29	@Conway (2 OT)
2005	UNA	41-38	@Conway* (OT)

## Central Florida (2-2)

1980	UNA	28-3	Russellville
1983	UNA	47-20	@Orlando
1988	UCF	33-35	@Orlando
1989	UCF	16-17	Florence

## Central Missouri St. (2-0)

1991	UNA	28-7	@Warrensburg
1992	UNA	17-16	Florence

## Central State of Ohio (0-1)

1983	CSO	24-27	Florence*
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## College of the Ozarks (1-0)

1950	UNA	2-0	Florence
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## Delta State (24-19-1)

1960	DSU	0-12	@Cleveland
1961	UNA	9-6	Florence
1962	DSU	14-26	@Cleveland
1963	UNA	20-17	Florence
1964	DSU	14-34	@Cleveland
1965	DSU	7-16	Florence
1966	DSU	21-32	@Cleveland
1967	DSU	18-28	Florence
1968	DSU	16-24	@Cleveland
1969	DSU	10-16	Florence
1970	DSU	13-26	@Cleveland
1971	DSU	10-17	Florence
1972	UNA	17-7	@Cleveland
1973	UNA	21-18	Florence
1974	DSU	10-26	@Cleveland
1975	DSU	9-21	Florence
1976	UNA	20-17	@Cleveland

1977	UNA	28-21	Florence
1978	UNA	17-7	@Cleveland
1979	UNA	30-7	Florence
1980	UNA	45-7	@Cleveland
1981	UNA	41-7	Florence
1982	UNA	27-19	@Cleveland
1983	UNA	53-33	Florence
1984	TIE	7-7	@Cleveland
1985	UNA	12-3	Florence
1986	DSU	24-27	@Cleveland
1987	UNA	24-12	Florence
1988	UNA	27-24	@Cleveland
1989	UNA	31-12	Florence
1990	UNA	15-13	@Cleveland
1991	DSU	6-31	Florence
1992	DSU	10-14	@Cleveland
1993	UNA	58-17	Florence
1994	UNA	38-0	@Cleveland
1995	UNA	30-0	@Cleveland
1996	UNA	21-17	Florence
1997	UNA	17-10	@Cleveland
1998	UNA	17-10	Florence
1999	DSU	7-33	@Cleveland
2000	DSU	35-42	@Cleveland
2001	DSU	3-21	Florence
2004	DSU	21-28	@Cleveland
2005	UNA	56-21	Florence

## East Tennessee State (5-1)

1954	UNA	27-15	@Johnson City
1955	UNA	13-12	Florence
1956	UNA	21-7	@Johnson City
1957	UNA	19-13	Florence
1977	UNA	37-21	@Johnson City
1979	ETS	7-27	Florence

## Eastern Illinois (0-1)

1980	EIU	31-56	Florence*
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## Elon (1-0)

1975	Elon	15-35	@Elon
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## Ferris State (1-0)

1995	UNA	45-7	Florence*
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## Fort Valley State (4-1)

1985	UNA	14-7	Florence*
1991	FVS	23-34	Florence
1992	UNA	41-7	@Macon
1993	UNA	36-14	Florence
1994	UNA	35-0	@Fort Valley

## Gordon Military (1-0)

1967	UNA	52-14	Florence
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## Hampton (2-0)

1992	UNA	33-21	@Hampton*
1993	UNA	45-20	@Florence*

## Harding (2-4)

2000	HU	36-37	@Searcy
2001	HU	14-17	Florence
2002	HU	38-45	Florence
2003	UNA	38-3	@Searcy
2004	HU	27-30	@Searcy
2005	UNA	35-6	Florence

## Henderson State (17-4)

1952	UNA	47-21	Florence
1955	UNA	33-7	Florence
1965	UNA	16-15	@Arkadelphia
1966	UNA	28-20	Florence
1967	HSU	21-27	@Arkadelphia
1968	HSU	10-21	Florence
1969	HSU	7-8	@Arkadelphia
1970	UNA	30-20	Florence
1971	HSU	7-21	@Arkadelphia
1972	UNA	21-0	Florence
1993	UNA	17-0	Florence
1994	UNA	41-7	@Arkadelphia
1995	UNA	33-28	Florence
1996	UNA	17-3	@Arkadelphia
1997	UNA	42-20	Florence
1998	UNA	41-7	@Arkadelphia
1999	UNA	21-14	Florence (OT)

2000	UNA	24-17	@Arkadelphia
2001	UNA	22-7	@Arkadelphia
2004	UNA	33-10	@Arkadelphia
2005	UNA	38-10	Florence

## Indiana-Pennsylvania (1-0)

1993	UNA	41-34	Florence
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## Jacksonville State (18-23-3)

1949	JSU	7-12	@Jacksonville
1950	UNA	6-0	Florence
1951	JSU	6-13	@Jacksonville
1952	UNA	41-14	Florence
1953	UNA	26-0	@Jacksonville
1954	UNA	21-0	Florence
1955	UNA	21-7	@Jacksonville
1956	UNA	27-14	Florence
1960	UNA	14-7	@Jacksonville
1961	UNA	17-0	Florence
1962	TIE	7-7	@Jacksonville
1963	TIE	0-0	Florence
1964	JSU	0-28	@Jacksonville
1965	JSU	0-6	Florence
1966	JSU	0-20	@Jacksonville
1967	JSU	14-23	Florence
1968	UNA	38-10	@Jacksonville
1969	UNA	23-18	Florence
1970	JSU	28-55	@Jacksonville
1971	JSU	7-60	Florence
1972	JSU	20-39	@Jacksonville
1973	JSU	12-42	Florence
1974	UNA	28-24	@Jacksonville
1975	UNA	21-14	Florence
1976	JSU	7-28	@Jacksonville
1977	JSU	20-24	Florence
1978	JSU	14-19	@Jacksonville
1979	UNA	28-14	Florence
1980	UNA	35-28	@Jacksonville
1981	JSU	14-21	Florence
1982	JSU	10-28	@Jacksonville
1983	UNA	24-21	Florence
1984	UNA	34-13	@Jacksonville
1985	UNA	23-10	Florence
1986	JSU	26-29	@Jacksonville
1987	TIE	10-10	Florence
1988	JSU	3-38	@Jacksonville
1989	JSU	3-12	Florence
1990	JSU	25-41	@Jacksonville
1990	JSU	14-38	@Jacksonville*
1991	JSU	13-48	@Jacksonville
1992	JSU	6-10	Florence
1992	JSU	12-14	Florence*
2003	UNA	28-16	@Jacksonville

## Lambuth (2-0)

2001	UNA	37-27	Florence
2002	UNA	24-17	@Jackson

## Lane College (1-0)

1981	UNA	41-0	Florence
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## Langston College (2-0)

1979	UNA	28-7	Florence
1981	UNA	36-6	Florence

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1959 MTS 26-34 Florence  
 1960 UNA 7-6 @Murfreesboro  
 1961 MTS 3-13 Florence  
 1962 MTS 2-33 @Murfreesboro  
 1963 MTS 13-41 Florence  
 1964 MTS 3-21 @Murfreesboro  
 1965 MTS 14-44 Florence  
 1971 UNA 24-14 Florence  
 1972 MTS 10-31 @Murfreesboro  
 1979 UNA 20-17 @Murfreesboro  
 1980 UNA 36-0 Florence

## Miles College (6-0)

1982 UNA 45-6 Florence  
 1983 UNA 38-0 Florence  
 1984 UNA 28-0 Florence  
 1985 UNA 40-0 Florence  
 1986 UNA 48-20 Florence  
 1987 UNA 46-7 Florence

## Mississippi College (14-14-2)

1963 TIE 0-0 Florence  
 1964 MC 0-3 @Clinton  
 1965 MC 7-21 Florence  
 1966 UNA 14-7 @Clinton  
 1967 MC 22-28 Florence  
 1968 UNA 35-14 @Clinton  
 1972 MC 6-14 @Clinton  
 1973 MC 7-26 Florence  
 1974 UNA 30-23 @Clinton  
 1975 UNA 41-14 Florence  
 1976 UNA 34-20 @Clinton  
 1977 MC 0-28 Florence  
 1978 UNA 30-0 @Clinton  
 1979 MC 10-17 Florence  
 1980 UNA 28-22 @Clinton  
 1981 UNA 37-23 Florence  
 1982 MC 20-28 @Clinton  
 1983 UNA 28-0 Florence  
 1984 TIE 24-24 Florence  
 1985 MC 13-17 @Clinton  
 1986 MC 6-21 Florence  
 1987 UNA 24-20 @Clinton  
 1988 MC 35-42 Florence  
 1989 MC 0-34 @Clinton  
 1990 MC 10-21 Florence  
 1991 MC 3-31 @Clinton  
 1992 UNA 14-6 Florence  
 1993 UNA 38-28 @Clinton  
 1994 UNA 24-0 Florence  
 1995 UNA 41-3 @Clinton

## Morningside (1-0)

1957 UNA 40-0 Florence

## Murray State (5-3)

1954 UNA 20-13 Florence  
 1955 MSU 7-14 @Murray  
 1956 UNA 19-18 Florence  
 1957 MSU 0-7 @Murray  
 1958 MSU 6-20 Florence  
 1959 UNA 13-6 @Murray  
 1960 UNA 20-15 Florence  
 1961 UNA 9-6 @Murray

## Newberry (1-0)

1991 UNA 21-7 Florence

## Nicholls State (3-1)

1973 UNA 27-11 @Thibodeaux  
 1974 UNA 17-8 Florence  
 1975 NSU 27-28 @Thibodeaux  
 1976 UNA 37-7 Florence

## North Carolina Central (1-0)

2005 UNA 24-21 @Durham\*

## North Dakota (1-1)

1994 UNA 35-7 Florence\*  
 2003 UND 22-29 @Grand Forks\*

## North Dakota State (0-1)

1985 NDS 7-35 @McAllen, TX\*

## Northwest Missouri State (0-1)

2005 NWMS 24-25 Florence\*

## Northwestern State (2-4)

1962 UNA 21-14 Florence  
 1963 NSU 14-33 @Natchitoches  
 1969 UNA 27-3 Florence  
 1970 NSU 21-42 @Natchitoches  
 1972 NSU 7-14 Florence  
 1973 NSU 14-27 @Natchitoches

## Ouachita Baptist (2-2)

2000 OBU 29-30 Florence  
 2001 UNA 28-21 @Arkadelphia  
 2002 OBU 24-38 @Arkadelphia  
 2003 UNA 41-14 Florence

## Pensacola NAS (0-1)

1954 PEN 0-21 @Pensacola

## Pittsburg State (1-2)

1995 UNA 27-7 Florence\*  
 1999 PSU 21-28 Florence  
 2000 PSU 21-28 @Pittsburg (OT)

## Portland State (1-0)

1993 UNA 44-32 @Portland

## St. Bernard (2-0)

1949 UNA 28-0 @St. Bernard  
 1950 UNA 48-0 Florence

## Samford (6-4-2)

1949 UNA 28-7 Florence  
 1950 UNA 7-0 @Birmingham  
 1951 UNA 30-6 Florence  
 1953 UNA 40-7 Florence  
 1966 TIE 31-31 Florence  
 1967 TIE 14-14 Florence  
 1968 UNA 36-10 Florence  
 1969 SU 15-24 @Birmingham  
 1970 UNA 24-10 Florence  
 1971 SU 7-28 @Birmingham  
 1972 SU 10-24 Florence  
 2002 SU 21-24 @Birmingham (2 OT)

## Savannah State (2-0)

1984 UNA 37-3 @Savannah  
 1985 UNA 43-32 Florence

## Southeast Missouri State (1-0)

1956 UNA 63-13 Florence

## Southeastern Louisiana (1-9-2)

1957 SLU 19-21 Florence  
 1958 SLU 7-40 @Hammond  
 1959 SLU 21-28 Florence  
 1960 SLU 6-32 @Hammond  
 1961 SLU 6-33 Florence  
 1962 SLU 7-25 @Hammond  
 1973 SLU 0-26 @Hammond  
 1974 SLU 17-21 Florence  
 1975 SLU 15-28 @Hammond  
 1976 TIE 28-28 Florence  
 1977 UNA 29-7 @Hammond  
 1978 TIE 7-7 Florence

## Southern Arkansas (5-4)

1996 UNA 27-9 Florence  
 1997 SAU 7-16 @Magnolia  
 1998 SAU 14-21 @Magnolia  
 1999 SAU 14-24 Florence  
 2002 SAU 33-43 Florence  
 2003 UNA 21-14 @Magnolia  
 2003 UNA 48-24 Florence  
 2004 UNA 45-24 Florence  
 2005 UNA 31-21 @Magnolia

## Southwest Missouri State (2-0)

1981 UNA 28-21 @Springfield  
 1982 UNA 17-3 Florence

## Southwestern Louisiana (1-0)

1997 UNA 48-42 @Lafayette (4OT)

## Stillman (1-0)

2003 UNA 68-7 Florence

## Tennessee-Chattanooga (0-1)

1963 UTC 6-25 @Chattanooga

## Tennessee-Martin (19-12-1)

1949 UNA 53-0 Florence

1960 UNA 21-10 Florence

1961 UNA 17-14 @Martin  
 1962 UNA 31-8 Florence  
 1963 UTM 2-27 @Martin  
 1964 UNA 8-0 Florence  
 1965 UNA 17-14 @Martin  
 1966 UTM 18-24 Florence  
 1967 UTM 0-22 @Martin  
 1968 UNA 37-17 Florence  
 1969 UNA 51-7 @Martin  
 1970 UTM 7-35 Florence  
 1971 UTM 7-20 @Martin  
 1972 UTM 16-21 Florence  
 1973 UTM 16-17 @Martin  
 1974 UNA 42-10 Florence  
 1975 UNA 30-20 @Martin  
 1976 UTM 7-31 Florence  
 1977 UTM 13-31 @Martin  
 1978 UNA 38-17 Florence  
 1979 UTM 9-10 @Martin  
 1980 UNA 26-17 Florence  
 1981 UNA 37-10 @Martin  
 1982 UNA 33-10 Florence  
 1983 UNA 35-7 @Martin  
 1984 TIE 10-10 Florence  
 1985 UNA 38-7 @Martin  
 1986 UTM 3-7 Florence  
 1987 UNA 3-0 @Martin  
 1988 UTM 14-38 Florence  
 1989 UNA 28-6 @Martin  
 1990 UNA 49-0 Florence

## Tennessee Tech (2-4-1)

1953 TTU 7-14 @Cookeville  
 1954 UNA 20-7 Florence  
 1955 TTU 7-26 @Cookeville  
 1956 TTU 6-20 Florence  
 1957 UNA 20-0 @Cookeville  
 1958 TTU 14-20 Florence  
 1959 TIE 14-14 @Cookeville

## Texas A&M-Kingsville (4-0)

1993 UNA 27-25 Florence\*  
 1994 UNA 16-10 Florence\*  
 1996 UNA 24-7 @Kingsville  
 1997 UNA 17-12 Florence

## Troy State (23-21)

1949 TSU 6-19 @Troy  
 1950 TSU 0-19 Florence  
 1951 UNA 31-6 @Troy  
 1952 UNA 29-6 Florence  
 1953 UNA 26-6 @Troy  
 1954 UNA 28-6 Florence  
 1955 UNA 30-7 @Troy  
 1956 UNA 27-6 Florence  
 1957 UNA 41-14 @Troy  
 1958 UNA 20-14 Florence  
 1959 UNA 34-13 @Troy  
 1960 UNA 38-0 Florence  
 1961 UNA 14-8 @Troy  
 1962 UNA 27-6 Florence  
 1963 UNA 8-7 @Troy  
 1964 TSU 7-21 Florence  
 1965 UNA 35-16 @Troy  
 1966 UNA 35-34 Florence  
 1967 TSU 19-31 @Troy  
 1968 TSU 0-41 Florence  
 1969 TSU 10-31 @Troy  
 1970 TSU 23-28 Florence  
 1971 TSU 14-21 @Troy  
 1972 TSU 0-33 Florence  
 1973 TSU 7-36 @Troy  
 1974 TSU 29-36 Florence  
 1975 UNA 49-26 @Troy  
 1976 TSU 3-17 Florence  
 1977 TSU 27-34 @Troy  
 1978 TSU 0-17 Florence  
 1979 TSU 14-27 @Troy

1980 UNA 31-22 Florence

1981 UNA 24-13 @Troy  
 1982 UNA 38-6 Florence  
 1983 UNA 42-21 @Troy  
 1984 UNA 13-10 Florence  
 1985 UNA 9-7 @Troy  
 1986 TSU 9-38 Florence  
 1987 TSU 3-38 @Troy  
 1988 TSU 7-30 Florence  
 1989 TSU 16-23 @Troy  
 1990 UNA 17-6 Florence  
 1991 TSU 9-31 @Troy  
 1992 TSU 10-24 Florence

## Tusculum (2-0)

2004 UNA 28-7 @Greeneville  
 2005 UNA 33-7 Florence

## Tuskegee (2-0)

1979 UNA 26-7 @Tuskegee  
 1980 UNA 25-13 Florence

## Union (Tenn.) (2-0)

1951 UNA 44-0 Florence  
 1952 UNA 51-7 @Union

## Valdosta State (14-11-1)

1982 UNA 53-7 @Valdosta  
 1983 UNA 27-0 Florence  
 1984 UNA 35-24 @Valdosta  
 1985 UNA 45-0 Florence  
 1986 VSU 7-24 @Valdosta  
 1987 UNA 17-16 Florence  
 1988 VSU 28-35 @Valdosta  
 1989 VSU 21-24 Florence  
 1990 UNA 26-10 @Valdosta  
 1991 VSU 27-34 Florence  
 1992 TIE 24-24 @Valdosta  
 1993 UNA 31-21 @Valdosta  
 1994 UNA 38-21 Florence  
 1994 UNA 27-24 Florence\*(2OT)  
 1995 UNA 26-9 Florence  
 1996 VSU 31-34 @Valdosta (3OT)  
 1997 VSU 0-21 Florence  
 1998 UNA 35-7 @Valdosta  
 1999 UNA 31-28 Florence  
 2000 VSU 21-45 @Valdosta  
 2001 VSU 7-54 @Valdosta  
 2002 VSU 28-45 Florence  
 2003 UNA 17-10 @Valdosta  
 2004 VSU 20-24 Florence  
 2005 VSU 23-26 @Valdosta  
 2005 UNA 40-13 @Valdosta\*

## Vanderbilt (0-1)

1959 VU 7-42 @Nashville

## Virginia State (1-0)

1987 UNA 25-13 Florence

## Virginia Union (2-0)

1980 UNA 17-8 Florence\*  
 1983 UNA 16-14 Florence\*

## West Alabama (43-14-1)

1949 UWA 13-14 Florence  
 1950 UWA 0-19 @Livingston  
 1951 UNA 12-9 Florence  
 1952 UNA 34-6 @Livingston  
 1953 UNA 40-6 Florence  
 1954 UNA 32-0 @Livingston  
 1955 UNA 52-0 Florence  
 1956 UNA 32-6 @Livingston  
 1957 UNA 47-7 Florence  
 1958 UNA 32-14 Florence  
 1959 UNA 19-0 Florence  
 1960 UNA 23-6 Florence  
 1961 UNA 49-0 Florence  
 1962 UNA 27-7 @Livingston  
 1963 UNA 35-7 Florence  
 1964 TIE 6-6 @Livingston  
 1965 UNA 42-28 Florence  
 1966 UNA 10-0 @Livingston  
 1967 UNA 28-7 Florence

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1968	UWA	23-27	@Livingston
1969	UNA	17-13	Florence
1970	UNA	21-14	@Livingston
1971	UWA	0-31	Florence
1972	UWA	6-17	@Livingston
1973	UNA	13-12	Florence
1974	UWA	16-28	@Livingston
1975	UWA	7-14	Florence
1976	UWA	24-27	@Livingston
1977	UNA	42-9	Florence
1978	UNA	19-7	@Livingston
1979	UNA	6-0	Florence
1980	UNA	20-3	@Livingston
1981	UWA	9-19	Florence
1982	UWA	3-14	@Livingston
1983	UNA	15-12	Florence
1984	UWA	28-35	@Livingston
1985	UNA	17-0	Florence
1986	UNA	14-3	Hamilton
1986	UNA	21-17	@Livingston
1987	UWA	10-12	Florence
1988	UNA	10-7	@Livingston
1989	UNA	30-0	Florence
1990	UNA	54-10	@Livingston
1991	UNA	14-0	Florence
1992	UNA	20-13	@Livingston
1993	UNA	65-13	Florence
1994	UNA	50-7	@Livingston
1995	UNA	42-10	Florence
1996	UNA	38-24	@Livingston
1997	UNA	56-14	Florence
1998	UNA	38-24	Florence
1999	UNA	51-33	@Livingston
2000	UNA	21-14	Florence
2001	UNA	30-0	Florence
2002	UWA	24-31	@Livingston
2003	UNA	44-10	Florence
2004	UWA	27-28	@Livingston
2005	UNA	76-14	Florence

## West Georgia (12-10)

1983	UNA	49-7	@Carrollton
1984	UNA	24-3	Florence
1985	UNA	19-14	@Carrollton
1986	UWG	35-37	Florence
1987	UWG	13-23	@Carrollton
1988	UWG	0-16	Florence
1989	UNA	27-17	@Carrollton
1990	UNA	45-7	Florence
1991	UWG	26-28	@Carrollton
1992	UNA	19-7	Florence
1993	UNA	41-14	Florence
1994	UNA	37-25	@Carrollton
1995	UNA	34-19	Florence
1996	UWG	31-32	@Carrollton
1997	UNA	21-18	Florence
1998	UWG	17-24	@Carrollton
1999	UWG	7-21	Florence
2000	UWG	28-35	@Carrollton
2001	UWG	0-49	@Carrollton
2002	UNA	36-26	Florence
2003	UNA	48-21	@Carrollton
2004	UWG	21-38	Florence
2005	UNA	20-19	@Carrollton

## Western Carolina (0-1)

1974	WCU	7-32	@Cullowhee
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## Youngstown State (0-1)

1994	YSU	14-17	@Youngstown
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\* - indicates NCAA playoff game

## All-Time Season Openers (30-23-4)

1949	at Jacksonville State.....	7-12
1950	College of the Ozarks.....	2-0
1951	Union University.....	44-0
1952	at Union University.....	51-7
1953	at Tennessee Tech.....	7-14
1954	Tennessee Tech.....	20-7
1955	at Tennessee Tech.....	7-26
1956	Tennessee Tech.....	6-20
1957	Middle Tennessee St.....	0-26
1958	Murray State.....	6-20
1959	at Tennessee Tech.....	14-14
1960	at Delta State.....	0-12
1961	Delta State.....	9-6
1962	at Jacksonville State.....	7-7
1963	Jacksonville State.....	0-0
1964	at Middle Tennessee St.....	3-21
1965	Middle Tennessee St.....	14-44
1966	at Jacksonville State.....	0-20
1967	Jacksonville State.....	14-23
1968	College of the Ozarks.....	12-14
1969	Northwestern St. (La).....	27-3
1970	at Northwestern St. (La).....	21-42
1971	Middle Tennessee St.....	24-14
1972	at Middle Tennessee St.....	10-31
1973	at S.E. Louisiana.....	0-26
1974	S.E. Louisiana.....	17-21
1975	at S.E. Louisiana.....	15-28
1976	S.E. Louisiana.....	28-28
1977	at East Tennessee St.....	37-21
1978	at Carson-Newman.....	34-17
1979	Langston University.....	28-7
1980	Middle Tennessee St.....	36-0
1981	Lane College.....	41-0
1982	S.W. Missouri.....	17-3
1983	Miles College.....	38-0
1984	Miles College.....	28-0
1985	Miles College.....	40-0
1986	Miles College.....	48-20
1987	Miles College.....	46-7
1988	Alabama A&M.....	16-17
1989	Alabama A&M (N).....	19-7
1990	Alabama A&M.....	25-0
1991	at Central Missouri.....	28-7
1992	Central Missouri.....	17-16
1993	Fort Valley State.....	36-14
1994	at Fort Valley State.....	35-0
1995	Albany State.....	41-13
1996	at Albany State.....	10-17
1997	at Alabama A&M.....	49-20
1998	Carson-Newman (N).....	27-24
1999	Pittsburg State.....	21-28
2000	at Pittsburg State (OT).....	21-28
2001	Lambuth.....	37-27
2002	Samford.....	21-24 (2 OT)
2003	Stillman.....	68-7
2004	at Tusculum.....	28-7
2005	at Tusculum.....	33-7

## All-Time Record on Homecoming (36-18-1)

1949	Tennessee-Martin.....	53-0
1950	Troy State.....	0-19
1951	West Alabama.....	12-9
1952	Troy State.....	29-6
1953	West Alabama.....	40-6
1954	Murray State.....	20-13
1955	Austin Peay.....	13-7
1956	Troy State.....	27-6
1957	East Tennessee St.....	19-13
1958	Troy State.....	20-14
1959	Middle Tennessee St.....	26-34
1960	Troy State.....	38-0
1961	Jacksonville State.....	17-0
1962	Troy State.....	27-6
1963	Delta State.....	20-17
1964	Troy State.....	7-21
1965	Mississippi College.....	7-21
1966	Troy State.....	35-34
1967	Mississippi College.....	22-28
1968	Henderson State.....	10-21
1969	West Alabama.....	17-13
1970	Samford.....	24-10
1971	Arkansas Tech.....	30-31
1972	Henderson State.....	21-0
1973	Mississippi College.....	7-26
1974	Troy State.....	29-36
1975	Delta State.....	9-21
1976	Nicholls State.....	37-7
1977	Austin Peay.....	6-13
1978	Tennessee-Martin.....	38-17
1979	Delta State.....	30-7
1980	Tennessee-Martin.....	26-17
1981	Mississippi College.....	37-23
1982	Tennessee-Martin.....	33-10
1983	Mississippi College.....	28-0
1984	Tennessee-Martin.....	10-10
1985	West Alabama.....	17-0
1986	Tennessee-Martin.....	3-7
1987	West Alabama.....	10-12
1988	Tennessee-Martin.....	14-38
1989	Central Florida.....	16-17
1990	Tennessee-Martin.....	49-0
1991	Newberry.....	21-7
1992	Troy State.....	10-24
1993	West Alabama.....	65-15
1994	Central Arkansas.....	28-21
1995	Valdosta State.....	26-9
1996	Delta State.....	27-17
1997	Henderson State.....	42-20
1998	Delta State.....	17-10
1999	Henderson State.....	21-14
2000	Henderson State.....	24-17
2001	Central Arkansas.....	21-42
2002	Southern Arkansas.....	33-43
2003	Central Arkansas.....	31-12
2004	Valdosta State.....	20-24
2005	Henderson Stat.....	38-10

# OVERTIME AND NON-CONFERENCE GAMES

## All-Time Record in Overtime Games (4-4)

1994	Valdosta State - NCAA Playoffs (2 Overtimes) .....	27-24
1996	at Valdosta State (3 Overtimes) .....	31-34
1997	at SW Louisiana (4 Overtimes) .....	48-42
1999	Henderson State (1 Overtime) .....	21-14
2000	at Pittsburg State (1 Overtime) .....	21-28
2002	at Samford (2 Overtimes) .....	21-24
2005	at Central Arkansas (2 Overtimes) .....	26-29
2005	at Central Arkansas (1 Overtime) .....	41-38

## Non-Conference Games

since the GSC was formed in 1971

**(81-26-1)**

**Home: 51-13**

**Away: 28-12**

**Neutral: 2-1-1**

### NCAA Playoffs: 17-5

1972	at Middle Tennessee State .....	10-31
1972	Samford.....	10-24
1972	at Appalachian State.....	3-17
1973	Appalachian State.....	21-7
1974	at Western Carolina.....	7-32
1974	at Austin Peay .....	14-20
1975	at Alabama A&M.....	48-29
1975	Austin Peay.....	23-6
1976	Alabama A&M .....	47-21
1976	Austin Peay.....	14-21
1977	at East Tennessee State .....	37-21
1977	at Alabama A&M.....	28-7
1977	Austin Peay.....	6-13
1978	at Carson-Newman .....	34-17
1978	Alabama A&M .....	40-16
1978	at Austin Peay .....	10-6
1979	Langston.....	28-7
1979	at Middle Tennessee State .....	20-17
1979	at Tuskegee.....	26-7
1979	at Alabama A&M.....	3-6
1979	East Tennessee State.....	7-27
1980	Middle Tennessee State.....	36-0
1980	Tuskegee.....	25-13
1980	Alabama A&M .....	28-32
1980	Central Florida.....	28-3
1980	*Virginia Union.....	17-8
1980	*Eastern Illinois .....	31-56
1981	Lane .....	41-0
1981	at Alabama A&M.....	32-20

1981	Langston.....	36-6
1981	at Southwest Missouri State... ..	28-21
1982	Southwest Missouri State .....	17-3
1982	Miles .....	45-6
1982	Alabama A&M .....	38-17
1983	Miles .....	38-0
1983	at Central Florida.....	47-20
1983	Alabama A&M (N) .....	20-20
1983	*Virginia Union.....	16-14
1983	*Central State-Ohio .....	24-27
1984	Miles .....	28-0
1984	at Savannah State .....	37-3
1984	Alabama A&M .....	26-12
1985	Miles .....	40-0
1985	Savannah State.....	43-22
1985	at Alabama A&M.....	6-3
1985	*Fort Valley State .....	14-7
1985	*Bloomsburg .....	34-0
1985	*North Dakota State (N).....	7-35
1986	Miles .....	48-20
1986	Alabama A&M .....	26-0
1987	Miles .....	46-7
1987	Virginia State .....	25-13
1987	at Alabama A&M.....	16-14
1988	Alabama A&M .....	16-17
1988	at Central Florida.....	33-35
1989	Alabama A&M (N) .....	19-7
1989	Albany State .....	17-3
1989	Central Florida .....	16-17
1990	Alabama A&M .....	25-0
1990	at Albany State .....	27-23
1991	at Central Missouri State .....	28-7
1991	Newberry .....	21-7
1991	Fort Valley State.....	23-34
1992	Central Missouri State.....	17-16
1992	Alabama A&M .....	15-7
1992	at Fort Valley State .....	41-7
1992	Troy State.....	10-24
1992	*at Hampton .....	33-21
1993	Fort Valley State.....	36-14
1993	at Alabama A&M.....	49-7
1993	at Portland State .....	44-32
1993	*Carson-Newman.....	38-28
1993	*Hampton.....	45-20
1993	*Texas A&M-Kingsville.....	27-25
1993	*Indiana, Pa. ....	41-34
1994	at Fort Valley State .....	35-0
1994	Alabama A&M .....	58-13
1994	at Youngstown State.....	14-17
1994	*Carson-Newman.....	17-13
1994	*North Dakota .....	35-7
1994	*Texas A&M-Kingsville.....	16-10
1995	Albany State .....	41-13
1995	at Alabama A&M .....	49-0
1995	*Albany State.....	38-28
1995	*Carson-Newman.....	28-7
1995	*Ferris State .....	45-7
1995	*Pittsburg State.....	27-7
1996	at Albany State .....	10-17
1996	Alabama A&M .....	47-0
1996	at Texas A&M-Kingsville.....	24-7

1997	at Alabama A&M.....	49-20
1997	Texas A&M-Kingsville .....	17-12
1997	at SW Louisiana.....	48-42 (4 ots)
1997	*at Carson-Newman .....	7-21
1998	Carson-Newman (N) .....	27-24
1999	Pittsburg State.....	21-28
1999	at Elon .....	15-35
2000	at Pittsburg State .....	21-28
2001	Lambuth.....	37-27
2002	Lambuth.....	24-17
2003	Stillman .....	68-7
2003	at Jacksonville State.....	28-16
2003	*Carson-Newman.....	41-9
2003	*at North Dakota.....	22-29
2004	at Tusculum .....	28-7
2005	Tusculum .....	33-7
2005	*at North Carolina Central .....	24-21
2005	*NW Missouri State .....	24-25

\* - indicates NCAA playoff game

N - indicates game played at neutral site

## UNA vs. Division I Programs (2-2)

1959	at Vanderbilt .....	7-42
1972	at Appalachian State.....	3-17
1973	Appalachian State.....	21-7
1997	at Southwestern Louisiana.....	48-42

## UNA vs. Division I-AA Programs since Division I-AA was formed in 1978 (6-5)

1978	at Austin Peay .....	10-6
1979	at Middle Tennessee State .....	20-17
1979	East Tennessee.....	7-27
1980	Middle Tennessee State.....	36-0
1981	at Southwest Missouri State... ..	28-21
1982	Southwest Missouri State .....	17-3
1992	Troy State.....	10-24
1993	at Youngstown State.....	14-17
1999	at Elon .....	15-35
2002	at Samford .....	21-24 (2 OT)
2003	at Jacksonville State.....	28-16

# UNA VS. NATIONALLY RANKED TEAMS

UNA played seven nationally ranked teams during the 2005 season, going 5-2.

Since 1992, UNA has played an incredible 59 games against nationally ranked opponents, and has a 35-23-1 record in those games.

UNA has played 35 of those games against Top 10 teams going 21-14 in those games.

Current UNA head coach Mark Hudspeth is 11-5 against nationally ranked teams.

In the 1990s UNA won 18 straight games against nationally ranked teams at home, dating from a 14-12 loss to third ranked Jacksonville State in the 1992 playoffs to a 1999 season-opening 28-21 loss to Pittsburg State.

Although records aren't complete for some seasons, since 1972, UNA has played 82 games against Top 20 teams and is 43-38-1 overall.

Date	Opponent	Rank	Score	
<b>1972</b>				
Sept. 30	West Alabama	1st	6-17	L
<b>1979</b>				
Nov. 10	Mississippi College	7th	10-17	L
<b>1980</b>				
Oct. 26	Troy State	3rd	31-22	W
Nov. 29	Virginia Union	5th	17-8	W
Dec. 6	Eastern Illinois	1st	31-56	L
<b>1981</b>				
Nov. 21	Jacksonville State	5th	14-21	L
<b>1983</b>				
Oct. 3	Central State of Ohio	7th	24-27	L
Nov. 5	Mississippi College	7th	28-0	W
Nov. 26	Virginia Union	6th	16-14	W
<b>1984</b>				
Oct. 26	Troy State	2nd	13-10	W
<b>1985</b>				
Nov. 30	Fort Valley State	6th	14-7	W
Dec. 7	Bloomsburg	3rd	34-0	W
Dec. 14	North Dakota State	7th	7-35	L
<b>1987</b>				
Oct. 31	Troy State	6th	3-38	L
<b>1988</b>				
Oct. 1	Central Florida	2nd	33-35	L
Oct. 15	Jacksonville State	3rd	3-38	L
<b>1989</b>				
Sept. 9	Mississippi College	7th	0-34	L
Sept. 16	Albany State	14th	17-3	W
Oct. 14	Jacksonville State	3rd	3-12	L
<b>1990</b>				
Sept. 8	Mississippi College	1st	10-21	L
Nov. 17	Jacksonville State	10th	14-38	L
<b>1991</b>				
Sept. 14	Mississippi College	4th	3-31	L
Oct. 19	Jacksonville State	2nd	13-48	L
<b>1992</b>				
Oct. 17	Jacksonville State	15th		
6-10	L			
Nov. 14	at Valdosta State	20th	24-24	T
Nov. 21	at Hampton	6th	33-21	W
Nov. 28	Jacksonville State	3rd	12-14	L
<b>1993</b>				
Sept. 4	Fort Valley State	16th	36-14	W
Oct. 2	at Portland State	3rd	44-32	W
Nov. 6	at Valdosta State	18th	31-21	W

Nov. 20	Carson-Newman	14th	38-28	W
Nov. 27	Hampton	3rd	45-20	W
Dec. 4	Texas A&M-Kingsville	19th	27-25	W
Dec. 11	Indiana, Pa.	4th	41-34	W
<b>1994</b>				
Oct. 8	at Youngstown State (IAA) 3rd	14-17	L	
Nov. 5	Valdosta State	2nd	38-21	W
Nov. 12	West Georgia	10th	37-25	W
Nov. 19	Carson-Newman	16th	17-13	W
Nov. 26	Valdosta State (2 OT)	6th	27-24	W
Dec. 3	North Dakota	12th	35-7	W
Dec. 10	Texas A&M-Kingsville	2nd	16-10	W
<b>1995</b>				
Sept. 2	Albany State	7th	41-13	W
Nov. 18	Albany State	12th	38-28	W
Nov. 25	Carson-Newman	6th	28-7	W
Dec. 2	Ferris State	3rd	45-7	W
Dec. 9	Pittsburg State	4th	27-7	W
<b>1996</b>				
Aug. 31	at Albany State	13th	10-17	L
Sept. 21	at Texas A&M-Kingsville	9th	24-7	W
Oct. 5	at Valdosta State (3 OT)	4th	31-34	L
Nov. 9	at West Georgia	11th	31-32	L
<b>1997</b>				
Sept. 20	Texas A&M-Kingsville	2nd	17-12	W
Nov. 8	West Georgia	9th	21-18	W
Nov. 22	at Carson-Newman	1st	7-21	L
<b>1998</b>				
Sept. 5	at Carson-Newman	3rd	27-24	W
Sept. 12	at Southern Arkansas	10th	14-21	L
<b>1999</b>				
Sept. 4	Pittsburg State	10th	21-28	L
Sept. 11	Southern Arkansas	12th	14-24	L
<b>2000</b>				
Sept. 2	at Pittsburg State	6th	21-28	L
Oct. 28	Valdosta State	11th	21-45	L
Nov. 4	West Georgia	4th	28-35	L
<b>2001</b>				
Sept. 1	Lambuth (NAIA)	4th	37-27	W
Sept. 22	Delta State	1st	3-21	L
Sept. 29	Central Arkansas	23rd	21-42	L
Oct. 27	Valdosta State	1st	7-54	L
Nov. 3	West Georgia	21st	0-49	L
<b>2002</b>				
Nov. 2	Valdosta State	2nd	28-45	L
<b>2003</b>				
Oct. 4	at Southern Arkansas	15th	21-14	W
Nov. 1	at Valdosta State	1st	17-10	W
Nov. 22	Southern Arkansas	12th	48-24	W
Nov. 29	Carson-Newman	8th	41-9	W
Dec. 6	at North Dakota	7th	22-29	L
<b>2004</b>				
Sept. 4	at Tusculum	12th	28-7	W
Sept. 18	at Delta State	16th	21-28	L
Oct. 2	Central Arkansas	20th	31-3	W
Oct. 23	Valdosta State	5th	20-24	L
<b>2005</b>				
Sept. 17	Delta State	9th	56-21	W
Sept. 24	Harding	24th	35-6	W
Oct. 20	at Valdosta State	3rd	23-26	L
Nov. 12	at Valdosta State	9th	40-13	W
Nov. 19	at North Carolina Central	19th	24-21	W
Nov. 26	at Central Arkansas (OT)	15th	41-38	W
Dec. 3	NW Missouri State	21st	24-25	L

# LION TEAM RECORDS

## RUSHING

### **Most Net Yards Rushing**

Game: 550 vs. Delta State, Sept. 25, 1993

Regular Season: 3,715 in 10 games, 1993

Entire Season: 5,196 in 14 games, 1993

### **Touchdowns Rushing**

Game: 8 vs. Delta State (Home), Sept. 25, 1993

Season: 63 in 14 games, 1993

### **Most Carries**

Season: 803 in 14 games, 1993

### **Rushing Average Per Game**

Regular Season: 371.5 in 10 games, 1993

Entire Season: 371.1 in 14 games, 1993

### **Average Yards Per Rush**

Game: 9.3 vs. West Georgia (Home),

Nov. 13, 1993 (402 on 43)

Season: 6.5 in 14 games, 1993 (5,196 on 803)

## PASSING

### **Most Yards Gained**

Game: 473 vs. West Alabama (Home),

Nov. 5, 2005

Season: 3,738 in 14 games, 2003

### **Most Passes Attempted**

Game: 58 vs. Central Arkansas (Away),

Sept. 29, 2005

Season: 545 in 14 games, 2005

### **Most Passes Completed**

Game: 37 vs. Central Arkansas (Away),

Sept. 29, 2005

Season: 333 in 14 games, 2005

### **Most Passes Had Intercepted**

Game: 6 vs. Henderson State (Away), 1969

Season: 29 in 10 games, 1988

### **Highest Completion Percentage**

Season: 69.9 in 14 games, 2003 (283 of 405)

### **Most Touchdown Passes**

Game: 7 vs. West Alabama (H), Nov. 5, 2005

Season: 35 in 14 games, 2005

## TOTAL OFFENSE

### **Most Yards Gained**

Game: 752 vs. Arkansas Tech, (Away)

Sept. 27, 1997

Season: 6,714 in 14 games, 1993

### **Average Yards Gained Per Play**

Game: 11.4 vs. Arkansas Tech, (Away) Sept. 27,

1997 (752 on 66)

Season: 7.0 in 14 games, 1993

### **Most Offense Plays**

Game: 96 vs. Arkansas Tech, (Home)

Oct. 19, 2002

### **Average Total Offense Per Game**

Season: 481.0 in 14 games, 1993

### **Most Yards Penalized:**

Season: 1,030 in 13 games, 1983

### **Fewest Yards Penalized**

Season: 204 in nine games, 1958

## FIRST DOWNS

### **Most Total**

Game: 33 vs. West Alabama, Nov. 5, 2005

Season: 341 in 14 games, 1993

### **Most Rushing**

Game: 25 vs. Hampton (Home), Nov. 27, 1993 and

vs. Hampton (Away) 1992

Season: 250 in 14 games, 1993

## SCORING

### **Most Points Scored**

Game: 76 vs. West Alabama, (Home)

Nov. 5, 2005 (76-14)

Season: 557 in 14 games, 1993

Quarter: 33 in second vs. Arkansas-Monticello (Home) Sept. 11, 2004

Half: 46 in first vs. Arkansas-Monticello (Home) Sept. 11, 2004

### **Most Touchdowns**

Game: 11 vs. West Alabama, (Home)

Nov. 5, 2005 Season: 75 in 14 games, 1993

### **Average Points Scored**

Season: 39.8 in 14 games, 1993

## PUNTING

### **Most Punts**

Game: 13 vs. Troy State (Away), 1969

Season: 90 in 14 games, 1985

### **Fewest Punts**

Season: 30 in nine games, 1958

### **Most Yards Punted**

Games: 515 vs. Troy State (Away), 1969

Season: 3,574 in 14 games, 1985

### **Highest Punting Average**

Game: (Minimum of 5 punts) 54.6 vs. Central

Arkansas (Away), 1995 - 5 for 273 yards

Season: 41.7 in 1987 (80 punts)

## PUNT RETURNS

### **Most Returns**

Season: 56 in 14 games, 2005

### **Most Yards Returned Punts**

Season: 581 in 14 games, 2003

### **Highest Average Per Return**

Season: 11.2 in 11 games, 1986

## FIELD GOALS

### **Most Field Goal Attempts**

Game: 6 vs. Central Arkansas, Sept. 29, 2005

### **Most Field Goals Made**

Game: 5 vs. Tennessee-Martin, Nov. 15, 1969

## INTERCEPTION RETURNS

### **Most Passes Intercepted**

Game: 8 vs. Tennessee-Martin (Home), 1968

Season: 30 in 14 games, 1995

### **Most Yards Returned Interceptions**

Game: 147 vs. Alabama A&M (Away),

Sept. 6, 1997

Season: 347 in 14 games, 1995

## TURNOVER RATIO

### **Best Turnover Ratio**

Season: Plus 28 in 1983, Lost 26 (16 fumbles, 10 int.), gained 54 (26 fumbles, 28 int.)

## TEAM DEFENSE

### **Fewest Points Yielded**

Season: 59 in eight games, 1953

### **Most Points Yielded**

Season: 323 in 10 games, 2000

### **Fewest Yards Allowed Rushing**

Regular Season: 568 in 10 games, 1995

Entire Season: 796 in 14 games, 1995

### **Lowest Average Yards**

### **Allowed Rushing**

Regular Season: 56.8 in 10 games, 1995

Entire Season: 56.8 in 14 games, 1995

### **Lowest Average Passing Yards**

### **Per Game**

Season: 47.1 in eight games, 1953

### **Most Average Passing Yards**

### **Per Game**

Season: 254.7 in 10 games, 2000

### **Most Passing Yards Allowed**

Game: 455 to Valdosta State, Oct. 28, 2000

### **Lowest Average Yards**

### **Allowed of Total Defense**

Regular Season: 198.7 in 11 games, 1985

Entire Season: 202.5 in 10 games, 1954

### **Most Average Yards**

### **Allowed - Total Defense**

Season: 435.4 in 10 games, 2000

### **Most Yards Allowed of Total Offense**

Game: 648 to Valdosta State, Oct. 28, 2000

### **Lowest Average Points Allowed**

Regular Season: 8.3 in 11 games, 1985

Entire Season: 8.9 in 14 games, 1985

### **Most Average Points Allowed**

Season: 32.3 in 10 games, 2000

### **Most Quarterback Sacks**

Regular Season: 38 in 11 games, 1984

Entire Season: 39 in 14 games, 1985; 39 in 14

games, 1994; 39 in 14 games, 2003

### **Most Pass Break-Ups**

Regular Season: 64 in 14 games, 1993

Entire Season: 81 in 14 games, 1993

### **Most Fumbles Recovered**

Regular Season: 27 in 11 games, 1972

Entire Season: 27 in 11 games, 1972



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## WINS

### **Most Wins in Regular Season:**

11 in 2003 (11-0)

### **Best Regular Season Record:**

11-0-0 in 2003

### **Perfect Regular Season Records:**

11-0-0 in 2003; 10-0-0 in 1993, 10-0-0 in 1995

### **Most Wins in a Season:**

14 in 1993 (14-0-0), 1995 (14-0-0)

### **Best Overall Record:**

14-0-0 in 1993, 14-0-0-0 in 1995

### **Most Consecutive Games Without a Loss:**

23, Sept. 4, 1993-Dec. 9, 1995. Lost on August 31, 1996 to Albany State, 17-10.

### **Most Consecutive Wins:**

23, Sept. 4, 1993-Dec. 9, 1995. Lost on August 31, 1996, 17-10 to Albany State.

### **Most Consecutive Gulf South Conference Regular-Season Wins:**

23, Sept. 25, 1993-Sept. 14, 1996. Lost on Sept. 28, 1996 to Arkansas Tech, 38-35.

### **Most Consecutive Wins Over Non-Conference Opponents:**

22, 1992-Dec. 9, 1995. Lost Aug. 31, 1996 to Albany State, 17-10.

### **Most Consecutive Home Wins:**

28, Sept. 4, 1993-Sept. 14, 1996. Lost Sept. 28, 1996 to Arkansas Tech, 38-35.

### **Most Consecutive Post-Season Wins:**

12, 1993-1995, lost in 1997 playoffs to Carson-Newman.

## LOSSES

### **Most Losses in Regular Season:**

10 in 1971 (1-10-0)

### **Most Consecutive Losses:**

12 in 1971-72

## TIES

### **Most Ties in a Season:**

3 in 1984 (7-1-3)

## SCORING - Offense

**Most Consecutive Games Scored in:** 114 from Oct. 21, 1978 to Nov. 5, 1988 (ended with 16-0 loss to West Georgia)

**Most Consecutive Games Held Scoreless:** 2 in 1950

**Widest Margin of Victory:** 62 vs. West Alabama (76-14), Home, Nov. 5, 2005

**Widest Margin of Defeat:** 53 vs. Appalachian State (Away), 1971 (59-6) and vs. Jacksonville State (Birmingham), 1971 (60-7)

**Most Points Scored in Victory:** 68 vs. Stillman (Home), Sept. 6, 2003 (68-7)

**Most Points Scored in Defeat:** 35 vs. West Georgia (Home), 1986 (35-37); 35 vs. Mississippi College (Home), 1988 (35-42); 35 vs. Arkansas Tech (Home), 1996 (35-38)

**Most Combined Points Scored in a Game:** 90 vs. Southwestern Louisiana (UNA 48, USL 42, 4 OTs), Oct. 11, 1997 & 90 vs. West Alabama (UNA 76, UWA 14), Nov. 5, 2005

**Longest Game:** 4 Overtimes, vs. Southwestern Louisiana (UNA 48, USL 42), Oct. 11, 1997

## SCORING - Defense

**Most Games Held Foes Scoreless:** 4 in 1950 and 1985

**Most Consecutive Games Held Foes Scoreless:** 2 in 1995

**Most Consecutive Quarters Held Opponents Scoreless:** 10 in 1995

**Most Points Scored by Opponent in Victory:** 60 by Jacksonville State (Birmingham), 1971 (7-60)

**Most Consecutive Games Scored in by Foes:** 61, 1972-78

**Most Points Scored by Opponent in Defeat:** 42 by Southwestern Louisiana (Away), Oct. 11, 1997 (48-42)

## RUSHING

### **Most Carries**

Game: 36 by Tommy Compton vs. West Alabama, Oct. 29, 1988 (136 yards)

Season: 237 by Tyrone Rush in 1993

Career: 791 by Tyrone Rush, 1989, 91-93

### **Most Yards Gained**

Game: 248 by Tyrone Rush vs. Fort Valley State, Sept. 4, 1993 (22 carries)

Regular Season: 1,155 by Tyrone Rush in 1993 (167 carries in 10 games)

Entire Season: 1,466 by Tyrone Rush in 1993 (237 carries in 14 games)

Career: 4,421 by Tyrone Rush, 1989, 91-93 (791 carries)

### **Best Rushing Average**

Game: 21.3 by Clarence Johnson vs. Valdosta State, Oct. 30, 1982 (6 carries for 128 yards)

Season: 8.0 by Kenyatta Jones in 1993 (111 carries for 892 yards)

Career: (min. 250 carries) 7.0 by Kenyatta Jones, 1993-94 (285 carries, 2,007 yards. (min. 400 carries) 6.5 by A.J. Lamar, 1993-96 (401 carries for 2,587 yards)

### **Most 100-Yard Games**

Regular Season: 7 by Tyrone Rush in 1992

Entire Season: 8 by Tyrone Rush in 1992

Consecutive Games: 5 by Tyrone Rush in 1992

Career: 21 by Tyrone Rush, 1989, 91-93

## PASSING

### **Most Yards Gained**

Game: 398 by Will Hall vs. Southern Arkansas, Oct. 5, 2002

Season: 3,531 by Will Hall in 2003

Career: 6,166 by Will Hall, 2002-03

### **Most Attempts**

Game: 58 by Vinnie Saylor vs. Central Arkansas, Sept. 29, 2005

Season: 499 by Vinnie Saylor, 2005

Career: 746 by Vinnie Saylor, 2003-05

### **Most Completions**

Game: 37 by Vinnie Saylor vs. Central Arkansas, Sept. 29, 2005

Season: 301 by Vinnie Saylor in 2005

Career: 471 by Will Hall 2002-03

### **Consecutive Pass Attempts Without an Interception**

Season: 168 by Will Hall, 2002 (began against S. Arkansas and ended with int vs. Valdosta State on Nov. 2)

### **Most Interceptions**

Game: 6 by Phil Logan vs. Henderson State, Oct. 18, 1969

Season: 21 by Randy Elmore in 1970 and Tommy Compton in 1988

Career: 42 by Don Cornelius, 1964-67

### **Best Completion Percentage**

Season: (Minimum 50 attempts) 71.8 by Will Hall in 2003 (267 of 372)

Career: (Minimum 150 attempts) 68.0 by Will Hall, 2002-03(471 of 693)

### **Passing Efficiency**

Season: 166.9 by Cody Gross in 1993

### **Most Touchdown Passes**

Game: 4 by Steve Clark vs. Jacksonville State, Nov. 23, 1974; Fred Riley vs. Southwest Missouri State, Nov. 7, 1981; Will Hall vs. Jacksonville State, Sept. 13, 2003; Will Hall vs. Central Arkansas, Oct. 25, 2003; Vinnie Saylor vs. Tusculum, Sept. 3, 2005; Vinnie Saylor vs. Harding, Sept. 24, 2005; Vinnie Saylor vs. West Alabama, Nov. 5, 2005

Season: 30 by Will Hall, 2003

Career: 42 by Will Hall, 2002-03

## PASS RECEIVING

### **Most Receptions**

Game: 12 by Anthony Merritt vs. Central Arkansas, Sept. 29, 2005

Season: 81 by Anthony Merritt in 2005

Career: 151 by Michael Edwards, 1993-96

### **Most Yards Gained**

Game: 187 by Jerry Hill vs. Jacksonville State, Nov. 22, 1980

Season: 955 by Michael Edwards in 1994

Career: 2,844 by Michael Edwards, 1993-1996

### **Most Touchdown Receptions**

Game: 4 by Roger Ralph in 1974

Season: 9 by Jason Messing in 2005

Career: 20 by Michael Edwards, 1993-96

## TOTAL OFFENSE

### **Most Yards**

Game: 427 by Will Hall vs. Southern Arkansas, Oct. 5, 2002 (398 passing, 29 rushing)

Season: 3,908 by Will Hall in 2003

(3,531 passing, 467 rushing)

Career: 6,616 by Tyler Peterson, 1997-00

### **Most Touchdowns Responsible For**

Game: 5 by Don Cornelius vs. Livingston in 1965 and Troy State in 1966; Anthony Merritt vs. Delta State, Sept. 17, 2005

Season: 22 by Don Cornelius in 1966

(12 passing, 10 rushing)

Career: 65 by Cody Gross 1992-95

(40 rushing, 25 passing)

## ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

Season: 2,251 by Anthony Merritt, 2005

Career: 6,020 by Tyrone Rush, 1989, 91-93 (4,421 rushing, 307 receiving, 1,292 KO returns)

## PUNTING

### **Most Punts**

Game: 13 by Sparky Box vs. Troy State, Oct. 25, 1969

Season: 89 by Harlow Fikes in 1985

Career: 275 by Harlow Fikes, 1982-85

### **Most Yards Punted**

Game: 515 by Sparky Box vs. Troy State, Oct. 25, 1969

Season: 3,573 by Harlow Fikes in 1985

Career: 10,925 by Harlow Fikes, 1982-85

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## Highest Punting Average

Game: 54.6 (5 for 273 yards) by Tony Faggioni vs. Central Arkansas, Oct. 14, 1995

Season: (Minimum of 20 punts) 43.24 by

John Crittenden in 1991 (49 for 2,119 yards)

Career: (Minimum of 70 punts) 42.9 by

John Crittenden, 1991-92 (96 for 4,119 yards)

## Most Punts Over 50 Yards

Career: 30 by Tony Faggioni, 1995-98

## PUNT RETURNS

### Most Punts Returned

Season: 51 by Anthony Merritt, 2005

Career: 116 by Anthony Merritt, 2003-05

### Most Yards Returned Punts

Game: 154 by Anthony Merritt vs. West Georgia on five returns, Nov. 8, 2003

Season: 548 by Anthony Merritt, 2003

Career: 1,385 by Anthony Merritt, 2003-05

### Highest Average Per Return

Season: (Minimum of 10 returns) 14.9 by Leonard Thomas in 1969 (15 for 224 yards)

Career: (Minimum of 25 returns) 11.4 by Leonard Thomas, 1968-71 (44 for 500 yards)

### Most Punt Return Touchdowns

Career: 6 by Anthony Merritt, 2003-05

## KICKOFF RETURNS

### Most Kickoffs Returned

Game: 7 by Jim Witt vs. Jacksonville State, Nov. 20, 1971

Season: 33 by Troy Nelson in 1988

Career: 88 by Troy Nelson, 1988-91

### Most Yards Returned Kicks

Game: 196 by Burnis Rose in 1974

Season: 721 by Troy Nelson in 1988

Career: 1,959 by Troy Nelson, 1988-91

### Highest Average Per Return

Season: (Minimum of 10 returns) 34.5 by

Bobby Joe Pride in 1970 (18 for 623 yards)

Career: (Minimum of 20 returns) 27.1 by

Burnis Rose, 1974-76 (62 for 1,691 yards)

### Most Return TDs in a Game:

2 by Corey Harris vs. Henderson State, 1998

(53-yard punt return, 88-yard kickoff return)

## TOTAL RETURNS

### Most Kick Return Touchdowns

Career: 8 by Anthony Merritt, 2003-05

(6 punts, 2 kickoffs)

### Most Kick Return Yardage

Season: 1,141 by Anthony Merritt, 2005

(524 KO, 494 Punt)

## SCORING

### Most Touchdowns

Game: 5 by Don Cornelius vs. West Alabama in 1965; Anthony Merritt vs. Delta State, Sept. 17, 2005

Season: 20 by DeMarcus Blount, 2002; 20 by

DeMarcus Blount, 2003

Career: 63 by DeMarcus Blount, 2002-05

### Most Rushing Touchdowns

Game: 5 by Don Cornelius vs.

West Alabama in 1965

Season: 19 by Tyrone Rush in 1993

Career: 57 by DeMarcus Blount, 2002-05

### Most Touchdowns Responsible For

Season: 35 by Will Hall in 2003

Career: 65 by Cody Gross, 1992-95

(40 rushing, 25 passing)

### Most Different Ways to Score in a Game

Game: 4 by Anthony Merritt vs. Delta State, Sept. 17, 2005 (punt return, kickoff return, rush, pass reception)

### Extra-Points Made

Game: 10 by Yuta Fukuda vs. West Alabama,

Nov. 5, 2005 (11 attempts)

Season: 62 by Jamie Stoddard in 1993

(68 attempts)

Career: 166 by Jamie Stoddard, 1993-95

(185 attempts)

Consecutive Made, Season: 57 by Travis Johnston, 2003

Consecutive Made, Career: 62 by James Knowles, 1982-84

### Extra-Points Attempted

Game: 11 by Yuta Fukuda vs. West Alabama,

Nov. 5, 2005 (made 10)

Season: 68 by Jamie Stoddard in 1993 (62 made)

Career: 185 by Jamie Stoddard, 1993-95 (166 made)

### Field Goals Made

Game: 5 by David Hogan vs. Tennessee-Martin, Nov. 15, 1969

Season: 18 by James Knowles in 1985; Yuta Fukuda in 2005

Career: 51 by James Knowles, 1982-85

(83 attempts)

### Field Goals Attempted

Game: 6 by Yuta Fukuda vs. West Alabama,

Nov. 5, 2005 (made 5)

Season: 29 by Yuta Fukuda in 2005 (made 18)

Career: 83 by James Knowles, 1982-85

### Most Points Scored

Game: 30 by Don Cornelius vs. Livingston in 1965;

Anthony Merritt vs. Delta State, Sept. 17, 2005

Season: 122 by DeMarcus Blount, 2002; 122 by

DeMarcus Blount, 2003

Career: 382 by DeMarcus Blount, 2002-05

### Points Scored by Kicking

Game: 19 by David Hogan vs. Tennessee-Martin, Nov. 15, 1969

Season: 106 by Yuta Fukuda, 2005

Career: 292 by James Knowles, 1982-85

## INTERCEPTIONS

### Most Interceptions

Game: 3 by Joe Thigpen vs. Mississippi College,

Oct. 8, 1966; Don Richard vs. Tennessee-Martin,

Oct. 12, 1968; Palmer Byrd (three times) vs. Delta

State, Sept. 28, 1968, vs. Northwestern, La., Sept.

12, 1970 and vs. Arkansas Tech, Oct. 10, 1970; Rod

Brooks vs. Tennessee-Martin, Oct. 10, 1982; Corey

Harris vs. Alabama A&M, Sept. 6, 1997

Season: 10 by Blake Farris in 2005

Career: 17 by Rod Brooks, 1980-83

### Yards Returned Interceptions

Game: 147 by Corey Harris vs. Alabama A&M,

Sept. 6, 1997

Season: 197 by Corey Harris, 1997

Career: 279 by Corey Harris (on 8 interceptions), 1997-98

## DEFENSIVE RECORDS

### Fumble Recoveries

Game: 3 by Harold Hoskins vs. Troy State, Oct. 22, 1988

Season: 7 by Spry Mitchell in 1972

Career: 11 by Keith Humphrey, 1992-95

### Blocked Punts

Season: 5 by Bruce Jones in 1985

Career: 6 by Bruce Jones, 1982-85

### Most Total Blocked Kicks

Season: 6 by Bruce Jones in 1985

Career: 9 by Israel Raybon, 1992-95

### Total Tackles

Game: 24 by James Davis vs. Alabama A&M in 1988 and Jacksonville State in 1989

Season: 175 by Ronald McKinnon in 1993

Career: 621 by Ronald McKinnon, 1992-95

### Primary Tackles

Season: 110 by Ronald McKinnon in 1994

Career: 407 by Ronald McKinnon, 1992-95

### Assisted Tackles

Season: 84 by Steve Rogers in 1985

Career: 231 by James Davis, 1987-90

### Tackles for Loss

Season: 21 by Keith Humphrey in 1994 (45 yards) and 1995 (65 yards)

Career: 49 by Keith Humphrey, 1992-95

### Pass Break-Ups

Season: 15 by Marcus Hill, 1997; 15 by Evan

Oglesby, 2003

Career: 45 by Gerald Smith, 1993-96

### Quarterback Sacks

Game: 5 by Shawn Cash vs. Central Arkansas,

Sept. 26, 1998; 5 by Robert Moore, 1983

Season: 11 by Reginald Ruffin in 1994

Career: 34 by Reginald Ruffin, 1994-1997

## LONG PLAYS

**Rushing:** 97 by Brian Satterfield vs. Fort Valley State, Sept. 4, 1993

**Passing:** 94, Travis Carswell to James Moore vs. Arkansas Tech (Away), Sept. 27, 1997

**Punt:** 80 by John Crittenden vs.

Central Missouri State, 1991

**Field Goal:** 51 by J.D. Lane vs. West Alabama and

Central Florida in 1991 and James Knowles vs.

West Alabama in 1985

**Punt Return:** 91 by Anthony Merritt vs. West

Georgia, Away, Nov. 8, 2003

**Kickoff Return:** 100 by Bobby Joe Pride vs.

Tennessee-Martin in 1970

**Interception Return:** 90 by Lyle Underwood vs.

Middle Tennessee State in 1959

## GAMES STARTED

### Most Starts and Consecutive Starts

Career 54 by Michael Williams and Jarius Hayes, 1992-95

# ALL-TIME LONGEST PLAYS

## All-Time Longest Plays Run From Scrimmage

97	Brian Satterfield	Fort Valley State	1993
94	"Brub" Hamilton	Henderson State	1955
(since 1970)			
90	Kenyatta Jones	Texas A&M-Kingsville	1994
90	Cody Gross	Carson-Newman	1995
87	Bennie Burns	Tennessee-Martin	1974
86	Terry Stooksberry	Alabama A&M	1977
78	Marvin Marsh	West Alabama	1986
78	Kenyatta Jones	West Georgia	1993
77	Greg Manson	Arkansas Tech	1997
76	Eric Groom	Alabama A&M	1976
75	DeMarcus Blount	West Georgia	2002
74	Cody Gross	West Georgia	1993
74	Clarence Johnson	Valdosta State	1982
71	A.J. Lamar	West Georgia	1994
69	Kyle Rea	Henderson State	1999
68	Jarius Hayes	Arkansas Tech	1995
67	Charles Johnson	Valdosta State	1985
67	Cody Gross	West Alabama	1994
66	Clarence Johnson	Virginia Union	1980
66	Jerrold Dennis	Ouachita Baptist	2000
65	Eric Groom	Alabama A&M	1995
64	Marc Merritt	Austin Peay	1974
64	Marc Merritt	Nicholls State	1973
64	Tommy Compton	Delta State	1988
64	Jake Warren	Lambuth	2002

## Pass Play

94	Travis Carswell-James Moore	Arkansas Tech	1997
87	Randy Elmore -Bobby Joe Pride	Arkansas Tech	1971
85	Vinnie Saylor-Martin Huggins	Arkansas-Monticello	2004
84	Cody Gross-Michael Edwards	Central Arkansas	1994
83	Fred Riley-Jerry Hill	Jacksonville State	1980
80	Steve Clark-Myles Smith	Troy State	1975
78	Allen Elkins-Roger Mathis	Central Arkansas	1968
76	Dallas Metcalf-Tony Morrow	Miles College	1985
76	Randy Elmore-Danny Kimble	Troy State	1970
76	Will Hall-Taris Birt	Central Arkansas	2003
74	Tyler Peterson-Isaac Mitchell	Arkansas-Monticello	1998
72	Stacey Stewart-Troy Nelson	Valdosta State	1991
72	Jake Warren- Randy Vickers	Ouachita Baptist	2001
71	Gerald Goodman-Myles Smith	Delta State	1977
71	Rusty Towery-Melvin Brown	Alabama A&M	1982
70	Will Hall-Patrick Wilson	West Alabama	2002
69	Lonnie Mister-Stevie Hobbs	Jacksonville State	1986
69	Will Hall-Taris Birt	Carson-Newman	2003
68	DeMarcus Blount-Marcus Lewis	Arkansas-Monticello	2004
68	Steve Clark-Roger Ralph	Jacksonville State	1974
66	Tommy Compton-Tim Reynolds	Alabama A&M	1988
66	Tyler Peterson-Hal Patterson	Valdosta State	1999
65	Don Cornelius-George Perkins	Delta St.	1967
65	Vinnie Saylor-Jason Messing	West Alabama	2005
64	Rusty Towery-Mike Gilley	Troy State	1983
62	Cody Gross-Michael Edwards	Youngstown State	1994
61	Cody Gross-Jarius Hayes	West Alabama	1993
61	Vinnie Saylor-Anthony Merritt	N.C. Central	2005
60	Jeff Davis-Robert Steele	Alabama A&M	1976
60	Dan Gaddis-Troy Nelson	West Alabama	1990
60	Eric Groom-Quintin Woods	Fort Valley State	1992

## Punt

80	John Crittenden	Central Missouri	1991
73	Guy Cox	Virginia Union	1980

73	Tony Faggioni	Arkansas Tech	1995
73	Tony Faggioni	Arkansas Tech	1998
72	Scott DeMott	West Alabama	1987

## Field Goal

51	J.D. Lane	West Alabama	1988
51	J.D. Lane	Central Florida	1988
51	James Knowles	West Alabama	1985
49	Jamie Stoddard	Alabama A&M	1995
49	James Knowles	Alabama A&M	1985
49	James Knowles	Valdosta State	1982
49	Nelson McMurrain	Middle Tenn. State	1980
49	J.D. Lane	Jacksonville State	1987
48	Creig Bell	Alabama A&M	1976
49	Travis Johnston	Arkansas-Monticello	2001
47	Jamie Stoddard	Mississippi College	1993
47	J.D. Lane	Delta State	1988
47	J.D. Lane	Jacksonville State	1988
47	Nelson McMurrain	Eastern Illinois	1980
47	Nelson McMurrain	Alabama A&M	1978
47	Nelson McMurrain	Delta State	1980
47	James Knowles	Virginia Union	1983
47	Kevin Pearce	Delta State	1997
46	Brad Stepp	Valdosta State	1991
46	James Knowles	Valdosta State	1985
46	James Knowles	Alabama A&M	1984
46	William McCormick	West Alabama	1972
45	Mike Berry	Troy State	1989
45	Yuta Fukuda	Central Arkansas	2005
44	Mike Berry	Tennessee-Martin	1989
44	George Willams	Troy State	1991
44	Nelson McMurrain	West Alabama	1978
44	Robert O'Kelley	West Alabama	1968
44	David Hogan	Tennessee-Martin	1969
44	William McCormick	Middle Tenn. State	1972
44	James Knowles	Troy State	1985

## Punt Return

91	Anthony Merritt	West Georgia	2003
88	Anthony Merritt	Delta State	2005
85	"Brub" Hamilton	Henderson State	1952
85	Leonard Thomas	Jacksonville State	1969

## Kickoff Return

100	Bobby Joe Pride	Tennessee-Martin	1970
99	Troy Nelson	Tennessee-Martin	1989

## Interception Return

90	Lyle Underwood	Middle Tenn.St.	1959
78	Corey Harris	Alabama A&M	1997
75	Troy Nelson	Delta State	1989
69	Blake Farris	Valdosta State	2005
65	Harlon Hill	Troy State	1951
65	Jim Grant	Troy State	1965
64	Kevin Logan	Tennessee-Martin	1978

# ALL-TIME MILESTONE AND TV GAMES

## UNA's Biggest Wins

76-14	62	West Alabama	2005	Home
68-7	61	Stillman	2003	Home
53-0	53	Tennessee-Martin	1949	Home
52-0	52	West Alabama	1955	Home
65-15	50	West Alabama	1993	Home
63-13	50	Southeast Missouri	1956	Home
49-0	49	West Alabama	1961	Home
49-0	49	Tennessee-Martin	1990	Home
49-0	49	Alabama A&M	1995	Away
48-0	48	St. Bernard	1950	Home
47-0	47	Alabama A&M	1996	Home
53-7	46	Valdosta State	1982	Away
55-9	46	Arkansas Tech	2003	Away
45-0	45	Valdosta State	1985	Home
58-13	45	Alabama A&M	1994	Home
54-10	44	West Alabama	1990	Away
51-7	44	Union University	1952	Away
51-7	44	Tennessee-Martin	1969	Away
44-0	44	Union University	1951	Home
50-7	43	West Alabama	1994	Away
49-7	42	Alabama A&M	1993	Away
49-7	42	West Georgia	1983	Away
56-14	42	West Alabama	1997	Home
42-0	42	Arkansas-Monticello	2005	Away
41-0	41	Lane College	1981	Home
58-17	41	Delta State	1993	Home
40-0	40	Morningside	1957	Home
40-0	40	Miles College	1985	Home
47-7	40	West Alabama	1957	Home

## UNA's Worst Defeats

60-7	53	Jacksonville State	1971	Birmingham
59-6	53	Appalachian State	1971	Away
49-0	49	West Georgia	2001	Away
54-7	47	Valdosta State	2001	Away
41-0	41	Troy State	1968	Home
54-16	38	Middle Tenn. State	1949	Home
48-13	35	Jacksonville State	1991	Away
42-7	35	Vanderbilt	1959	Away
38-3	35	Troy State	1987	Away
38-3	35	Jacksonville State	1988	Away
34-0	34	Mississippi College	1989	Away
40-7	33	Southeast Louisiana	1958	Away
33-0	33	Troy State	1972	Home
33-2	31	Middle Tenn. State	1962	Away
31-0	31	West Alabama	1971	Home

## UNA's Historic Football Wins

Win	Opponent	Score	Year	Site
<b>1</b>	Samford (then Howard)	28-7	1949	Home
<b>50</b>	Southeast Missouri State	63-13	1956	Home
<b>100</b>	Mississippi College	35-14	1968	Away
<b>150</b>	West Alabama	6-0	1979	Home
<b>200</b>	Alabama A&M	6-3	1985	Away
<b>250</b>	Mississippi College	38-28	1993	Away
<b>300</b>	West Georgia	21-18	1997	Home



The Lions take the field at Braly Stadium

# LIONS TOP GAMES AND TV GAMES

## UNA'S ALL-TIME TOP RUSHING GAMES

550	Delta State.....	1993
545	Valdosta State.....	1982
520	Arkansas Tech.....	1997
506	Fort Valley State.....	1993
484	Fort Valley State.....	1994
472	Hampton.....	1993
463	Fort Valley State.....	1992
435	West Georgia.....	1994
432	Albany State.....	1995
424	Southern Arkansas.....	1996
417	West Alabama.....	1997
413	Tennessee-Martin.....	1969
408	SW Louisiana.....	1997
403	Henderson State.....	1995
402	West Georgia.....	1993

## UNA'S ALL-TIME TOP PASSING GAMES

473	West Alabama.....	2005
398	Southern Arkansas.....	2002
372	Ouachita Baptist.....	2002
371	Tusculum.....	2005
350	West Alabama.....	2003
338	West Georgia.....	2002
335	Carson-Newman.....	2003
326	Arkansas Tech.....	2002
324	Central Arkansas.....	2002
322	Delta State.....	1983
322	Delta State.....	2005
315	Ouachita Baptist.....	2003
312	Stillman.....	2003

## UNA'S ALL-TIME TOP TOTAL OFFENSIVE GAMES

752	Arkansas Tech.....	1997
654	West Alabama.....	2005
646	Delta State.....	1993
641	Valdosta State.....	1983
616	Delta State.....	1983
608	Fort Valley State.....	1994
607	West Georgia.....	1993
603	West Georgia.....	1983
581	Arkansas Tech.....	2002
570	Hampton.....	1993
565	West Alabama.....	1993
565	Stillman.....	2003
549	Arkansas Tech.....	2003
544	Arkansas Tech.....	1995
542	Central Arkansas.....	2002
542	West Alabama.....	2003
540	West Alabama.....	1997
540	Fort Valley State.....	1993
539	West Alabama.....	1989
537	Indiana, Pa.....	1993
535	West Georgia.....	2002
523	Fort Valley State.....	1992
515	Central Florida.....	1983
509	Arkansas-Monticello.....	1998
507	Tennessee-Martin.....	1969
507	Southern Arkansas.....	2002
506	West Georgia.....	1994
503	Hampton.....	1992
503	Southwestern La.....	1970
503	Southern Arkansas.....	2004

## Lions On Television

1980 **(ABC)**  
Eastern Illinois 56, UNA 31  
NCAA Division II Semifinals at Florence, Ala.

1981 **(ABC)**  
UNA 24, Troy State 13  
Regular season game at Troy, Ala.

1983 **(CBS)**  
UNA 42, Troy State 21  
Regular season game at Troy, Ala.

1983 **(ABC)**  
Central State-Ohio 27, UNA 24  
NCAA Division II Semifinals at Florence, Ala.

1985 **(ESPN)**  
North Dakota State 35, UNA 7  
NCAA Division II Championship Game Palm  
Bowl at McAllen, Texas

1993 **(WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 45, Hampton 20  
NCAA Division II Quarterfinal Playoff Game at  
Florence, Ala.

1993 **(ESPN)**  
UNA 41, Indiana, Pa. 34  
NCAA Division II  
Championship Game  
at Florence, Ala.

1994 **(WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 58, Alabama A&M 13  
Regular season game at Florence, Ala.

1994 **(WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 28, vs. Central Arkansas 21  
Regular season game at Florence, Ala.

1994 **(SPORTSOUTH)**  
UNA 38, Valdosta State 21  
Regular season game at Florence, Ala.

1994 **(MIDWEST SPORTSCHANNEL,  
WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 35, North Dakota 7  
NCAA Division II Semifinals  
at Florence, Ala.

1994 **(ESPN2, WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 16, vs. Texas A&M-Kingsville 10  
NCAA Division II Championship Game  
at Florence, Ala.

1995 **(WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 49, Alabama A&M 10  
Regular season game at Huntsville, Ala.

1995 **(WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 30, Delta State 0  
Regular season game at Cleveland, Miss.

1995 **(WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 42, West Alabama 10  
Regular season game at Florence, Ala.

1995 **(WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 45, Ferris State 7  
NCAA Division II Semifinals  
at Florence, Ala.

1995 **(ESPN)**  
UNA 27, Pittsburg State 7

NCAA Division II Championship Game  
at Florence, Ala.

1996 **(WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 47, Alabama A&M 0  
Regular season game  
at Florence, Ala.

1997 **(WAAY-TV/ABC)**  
UNA 49, Alabama A&M 20  
Regular season game  
at Huntsville, Ala.

2000 **(CSS)**  
Delta State 42, UNA 35  
Regular season game at Cleveland, Miss.

2000 **(CSS)**  
Valdosta State 45, UNA 21  
Regular season game at Florence, Ala.

2000 **(CSS)**  
UNA 49, Alabama A&M 20  
Regular season game  
at Huntsville, Ala.

2003 **(WAFF/NBC)**  
North Dakota 29, UNA 22  
NCAA Division II Semifinals  
at Grand Forks, N.D.

2004 **(CSS)**  
UNA 28, Tusculum 7  
Regular season game  
at Greeneville, Tenn.

2005 **(CSS)**  
Central Arkansas 29, UNA 26  
Regular season game  
at Conway, Ark.

2005 **(CSS)**  
Valdosta State 26, UNA 23  
Regular season game  
at Valdosta, Ga.

2005 **(CSS/ESPNU)**  
NW Missouri State 25, UNA 24  
NCAA Division II Semifinals  
at Florence, Ala.

### THE UNA LIONS ON TELEVISION: 17-10

ON ABC: 1-2  
ON CBS: 1-0  
ON ESPN: 2-1  
ON ESPN 2: 1-0  
ESPNU: 0-1  
ON CSS: 1-6  
(Comcast/Charter Sports Southeast)  
ON SPORTSOUTH: 1-0  
ON SPORTSCHANNEL: 1-0  
ON WAAY: 11-0  
ON WAFF: 0-1

# 100-YARD RUSHERS

## ALL-TIME 100-YARD RUSHERS BY GAME

- 248-Tyrone Rush, 22 att, vs. Delta State (H), 1993  
 243-Brian Satterfield, 10 att, vs. Fort Valley State (H), 1993  
 225-Leonard Thomas, 33 att, vs. UT-Martin (A), 1969  
 225-Robert Douthitt, 24 att, vs. UT-Martin (H), 1960  
 216-Brian Satterfield, 20 att, vs. TA&M-Kingsville(H), 1993  
 216-A.J. Lamar, 18 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1995  
 211-Wendell Taylor, 34 att, vs. East Tenn. State (A), 1954  
 208-Lawson Fletcher, 28 att, vs. Middle Tenn. St. (A), 1979  
 203-Monk Romine, vs. Conway State, (H), 1951  
 201-Morris Turrell, 17 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1986  
 200-Tyler Peterson, 20 att, vs. Harding (A), 2000  
 200-Robert Douthitt, 35 att, vs. Jax State (A), 1960  
 198-A.J. Lamar, 15 att, vs. Albany State (H), 1995-Playoffs  
 195-Randy Vickers, 22 att, vs. Lambuth (H), 2001  
 192-Jack Redwine, 17 att, vs. West Alabama, 1957  
 190-Brian Satterfield, 19 att, vs. Miss. College (H), 1992  
 189-Burnis Rose, 15 att, vs. Nicholls State (A), 1975  
 182-Tommy Compton, 23 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1988  
 181-Marvin Marsh, 18 att, vs. Troy State (H), 1986  
 180-Brian Satterfield, 23 att, vs. Indiana-Penn. (H), 1993  
 180-Jack Redwine, 10 att, vs. Jacksonville State (H), 1956  
 179-A.J. Lamar, 16 att, vs. Southern Arkansas (H), 1996  
 175-Tyrone Rush, 18 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1992  
 175-Clarence Johnson, 17 att, vs. Alabama A&M (H), 1982  
 172-Marvin Marsh, 23 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1986  
 172-George Perkins, vs. Troy State (A), 1965  
 169-A.J. Lamar, 28 att, vs. Central Arkansas (H), 1996  
 167-Lawson Fletcher, 14 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1980  
 165-DeMarcus Blount, 19 att, vs. Ark-Monticello (H), 2003  
 165-Burnis Rose, 12 att, vs. Alabama A&M (H), 1976  
 164-Tyrone Rush, 27 att, vs. Jacksonville State (A), 1991  
 163-Larry Webb, 20 att, vs. West Georgia (A), 1985  
 163-Charles Johnson, 12 vs. Valdosta State (H), 1985  
 162-Lawson Fletcher, 25 att, vs. Jacksonville St (H), 1979  
 161-Kenyatta Jones, 16 att, vs. Fort Valley State (A), 1994  
 161-Larry Yancey, 15 att, vs. Austin Peay (A), 1960  
 160-Greg Manson, 18 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1997  
 158-Greg Manson, 21 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1997  
 156-Tyrone Rush, 33 att, vs. Newberry (H), 1991  
 156-Greg Manson, 11 att, vs. Arkansas Tech (A), 1997  
 155-Brub Hamilton, 14 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1955  
 155-A.J. Lamar, 23 att, vs. West Georgia (A), 1996  
 155-Randy Vickers, 27 att, vs. Central Arkansas (H), 2001  
 153-Chris Holt, 18 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1979  
 153-Kenyatta Jones, 18 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1994  
 152-Curtis Simmones, 15 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1978  
 150-Glenn Ivy, 20 att, vs. Jacksonville State (H), 1985  
 148-Wendell Taylor, 19 att, vs. Troy State (H), 1954  
 148-Jack Redwine, 10 att, vs. Morningside (H), 1957  
 148-Benny Burns, vs. Gordon Military (H), 1967  
 148-Curtis Simmones, 13 att, vs. East Tennessee (A), 1977  
 148-Travis Carswell, 14 att, vs. Arkansas Tech (A), 1997  
 146-Carrel Daniel, 14 att, vs. Austin Peay (A), 1958  
 145-Clarence Johnson, 15 att, vs. J'ville St. (H), 1983  
 145-Jermaine Roberts, 17 att, vs. Ferri's State (H), 1995  
 143-Kenyatta Jones, 15 att, vs. Portland State (A), 1993  
 143-Tyrone Rush, 22 att, vs. Livingston (H), 1989  
 143-Curtis Simmones, 21 att, vs. Troy State (A), 1977  
 142-Tommy Compton, 22 att, vs. Central Florida (A), 1988  
 141-Tyrone Rush, 16 att, vs. Alabama A&M (H), 1992  
 141-Tyrone Rush, 21 att, vs. Hampton (A), 1992  
 141-Greg Manson, 19 att, vs. Arkansas Tech (H), 1998  
 140-Tyler Peterson, 18 att, vs. SW Louisiana (A), 1997  
 139-Terry Stookesberry, 7 att, vs. Alabama A&M (A), 1977  
 139-Thomas Calhoun, 14 att, vs. Delta State (H), 1981  
 139-DeMarcus Blount, 21att, vs. Arkansas Tech (A), 2003  
 139-DeMarcus Blount, 20 att, vs. Ark-Monticello (A), 2005  
 138-Marc Merritt, 27 att, vs. Troy State (H), 1974  
 138-Clarence Johnson, 19 att, vs. Tenn-Martin (H), 1982  
 138-Monk Romine, vs. Arkansas State (A), 1953  
 138-Greg Manson, 13 att, vs. Ark-Monticello (A), 1998  
 137-DeMarcus Blount, 19 att, vs. N.C. Central (A), 2005  
 137-Tyler Peterson, 17 att, vs. Pittsburg State (H), 1999  
 137-Tyrone Rush, 23 att, vs. Portland State (A), 1993  
 137-Robert Douthitt, 25 att, vs. Murray State (A), 1959  
 137-Joe Elmore, vs. Conway State (H), 1952  
 137-Wendell Taylor, 22 att, vs. Livingston (H), 1955  
 137-Kyle Rea, 14 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 2000  
 136-Tommy Compton, 36 att, vs. Livingston (A), 1988  
 136-Marc Merritt, 14 att, vs. Austin Peay (A), 1974  
 136-Joe Elmore, vs. Union (A), 1952  
 136-Clarence Johnson, 19 att, vs. Savannah St (H), 1985  
 135-Robert Douthitt, 21 att, vs. Austin Peay (A), 1960  
 134-Wendell Taylor, 22 att, vs. Troy State (A), 1955  
 133-Curtis Simmones, 20 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1978  
 133-Clarence Johnson, 27 att, vs. Jack'ville St. (H), 1985  
 133-A.J. Lamar, 26 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1996  
 132-Kenyatta Jones, 20 att, vs. Carson-Newman (H), 1994  
 131-Clarence Johnson, 16 att, vs. C. Florida (A), 1983  
 131-Clarence Johnson, 18 att, vs. Delta State (H), 1983  
 131-Gary Newsome, 18 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1982  
 131-Kenyatta Jones, 18 att, vs. Valdosta State (H), 1994  
 131-Greg Manson, 19 att, vs. Central Arkansas (A), 1997  
 130-Tyrone Rush, 25 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1992  
 130-Curtis Simmones, 15 att, vs. Carson-Newman (A), 1978  
 130-Lawson Fletcher, 18 att, vs. Virginia Union (H), 1980  
 129-Mike Metcalf, 23 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 2000  
 129-Leonard Thomas, 11 att, vs. Jacksonville St (A), 1970  
 129-DeMarcus Blount, 21 att, vs. C. Arkansas (A), 2002  
 128-DeMarcus Blount, 33 att, vs. Valdosta St (A), 2005 128-Brian Satterfield, 10 att, vs. Fort Valley (A), 1992  
 128-Brian Satterfield, 20 att, vs. Hampton (A), 1992  
 128-Tyrone Rush, 26 att, vs. Troy State (A), 1991  
 128-Clarence Johnson, 7 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1982  
 128-Jake Warren, 11 att, vs. Lambuth (A), 2002  
 127-Tyrone Rush, 21 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1993  
 127-Kenyatta Jones, 14 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1993  
 127-Tommy Compton, 28 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1988  
 127-Marc Merritt, 18 att, vs. S. E. Louisiana (A), 1975  
 127-Brian Satterfield, 20 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1992  
 127-Clarence Johnson, 19 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1982  
 126-Tyrone Rush, 22 att, vs. Mississippi College (A), 1993  
 126-DeMarcus Blount, 17 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 2002  
 125-Ricky Gandy, 15 att, vs. Jacksonville State (A), 1990  
 125-Curtis Simmones, 27 att, vs. S.E. Louisiana (H), 1978  
 125-Lawson Fletcher, 28 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1979  
 124-DeMarcus Blount, 18 att, vs. Valdosta State (H), 2004  
 124-Jermaine Roberts, 19 att, vs. Carson-Newm. (H), 1995  
 124-Tyrone Rush, 20 att, vs. Central Florida (H), 1989  
 124-DeMarcus Blount, 18 att, vs. Harding (H), 2002  
 123-Tyrone Rush, 12 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1993  
 122-DeMarcus Blount, 18 att, vs. S. Arkansas (H), 2004  
 122-Clarence Johnson, 16 att, vs. West Georgia (A), 1983  
 122-Mike Wilburn, 19 att, vs. Arkansas Tech (H), 1971  
 122-Cody Gross, 12 att, vs. Hampton (H), 1993  
 121-Chris Gunn, 24 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 2004  
 121-Kenyatta Jones, 16 att, vs. Miss. College (A), 1993  
 121-Ricky Gandy, 15 att, vs. Central Missouri (A), 1991  
 121-Joe Elmore, 15 att, vs. Middle Tennessee (H), 1952  
 121-Clarence Johnson, 29 att, vs. Delta State (H), 1985  
 121-Steven Hayden, 8 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1997  
 120-Tyrone Rush, 17 att, vs. Central Missouri (A), 1991  
 120-Darryl Green, 25 att, vs. Valdosta State (H), 1989  
 120-Marvin Marsh, 21 att, vs. Virginia State (H), 1987  
 119-Cody Gross, 17 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1995  
 119-Stanley Gill, 15 att, vs. Virginia Union (H), 1983  
 119-Jerry Mizell, 16 att, vs. N.W. Louisiana (A), 1973  
 118-Tyrone Rush, 22 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1992  
 118-Marvin Marsh, 22 att, vs. Alabama A&M (H), 1986  
 118-Jack Redwine, vs. Arkansas State (H), 1957  
 118-DeMarcus Blount, 19 att, vs. Arkansas Tech (H), 2002  
 117-Brian Satterfield, 22 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1990  
 116-Brian Satterfield, 20 att, vs. Hampton (H), 1993  
 116-Ricky Gandy, 16 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1990  
 116-Mike Wilburn, 27 att, vs. Henderson State (A), 1971  
 115-Cody Gross, 11 att, vs. Albany State (H), 1995  
 115-Wesley Scott, 28 att, vs. Tennessee-Martin (H), 1984  
 114-Isaac Salter, 13 att, vs. Miles College (H), 1987  
 114-Marvin Marsh, 11 att, vs. Livingston (N), 1986  
 114-Greg Manson, 11 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1998  
 113-Kenyatta Jones, 4 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1993  
 113-Tyrone Rush, 21 att, vs. Fort Valley (H), 1991  
 113-Reger Curry, 14 att, vs. Langston (H), 1981  
 113-Jason Veal, 14 att, vs. Southern Arkansas (H), 1990  
 113-Jason Veal, 23 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1996  
 112-Michael Bridgeforth, 5 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1997  
 112-Marc Merritt, 25 att, vs. Nicholls State (A), 1975  
 112-Cody Gross, 10 att, vs. Central Arkansas (H), 1994  
 111-Kyle Rea, 13 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1999  
 111-Kyle Rea, 20 att, vs. Central Arkansas (A), 2000  
 111-Kenyatta Jones, 11 att, vs. West Georgia (A), 1994  
 111-Tyrone Rush, 12 att, vs. Mississippi College (H), 1992  
 111-Charles Johnson, 29 att, vs. N. Dakota State (N), 1985  
 111-Clarence Johnson, 8 att, vs. Virginia Union (H), 1980  
 111-Marc Merritt, 22 att, vs. Appalachian State (H), 1973  
 110-Al Jackson, 10 att, vs. Albany State (H), 1995  
 110-Wendell Taylor, 11 att, vs. Arkansas State (H), 1954  
 110-Randy Vickers, 14 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 2004  
 109-Tyrone Rush, 10 att, vs. Jacksonville State (H), 1992  
 109-Marvin Marsh, 10 att, vs. Mississippi College (A), 1987  
 109-Maurice Brawley, 17 att, vs. East Tenn. State (A), 1977  
 109-Clarence Johnson, 18 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1985  
 109-James Tanniehill, 17 att, vs. Jacksonville St. (A), 1978  
 109-Rusty Towery, 11 att, vs. Troy State (A), 1983  
 108-T.D. Jones, 14 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1999  
 108-Marc Merritt, 12 att, vs. Nicholls State (A), 1973  
 108-Don Parker, 6 att, vs. Bethel (A), 1949  
 108-Lawson Fletcher, 19 att, vs. Miss. College (H), 1981  
 108-Milton Taylor, 16 att, vs. Langston (H), 1979  
 107-Jermaine Roberts, 20 att, vs. Pittsburg State (H), 1995  
 107-Carl Boley, 13 att, vs. Howard (H), 1949  
 107-Blake Boyd, 14 att, vs. Carson-Newman (A), 1978  
 107-Randy Vickers, 10 att, vs. Stillman (H), 2003  
 106-Robert Douthitt, 25 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1960  
 106-Mike Metcalf, 15 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1999  
 106-Greg Manson, 17 att, vs. SW Louisiana (A), 1997  
 106-Al Jackson, 11 att, vs. Alabama A&M (A), 1995  
 106-Cody Gross, 15 att, vs. West Georgia (A), 1994  
 106-Tyrone Rush, 13 att, vs. Fort Valley (A), 1992  
 106-Carl McCulley, 21 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1970  
 106-Wendell Taylor, 21 att, vs. Tennessee Tech (A), 1955  
 106-Johnny Grubb, 21 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1978  
 106-Jerrold Dennis, 10 att, vs. Ouachita Baptist (H), 2000  
 105-Marvin Marsh, 21 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1986  
 105-Anthony Brooks, 14 att, vs. Valdosta State (H), 1994  
 104-Darryl Green, 9 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1990  
 104-Marvin Marsh, 22 att, vs. Delta State (H), 1987  
 104-Carl McCulley, 26 att, vs. Troy State (H), 1970  
 104-Randy Vickers, 16 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 2002  
 103-Lawson Fletcher, 21 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1980  
 103-Clarence Johnson, 11 att, vs. Tuskegee (H), 1980  
 103-Kenyatta Jones, 11 att, vs. T. A&M-Kingsville (H), 1994  
 102-Mike Metcalf, 14 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1999  
 102-Clarence Johnson, 26 att, vs. Miss. College (A), 1985  
 102-Brub Hamilton, vs. Troy State (A), 1955  
 102-Tyler Peterson, 15 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1997  
 101-Marvin Marsh, 21 att, vs. Jacksonville State (A), 1986  
 101-Clarence Johnson, 14 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1980  
 101-Wendell Taylor, 14 att, vs. Jacksonville State (H), 1954  
 101-Don Cornelius, vs. Henderson State (H), 1966  
 101-Marc Merritt, 19 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1974  
 101-Tyrone Rush, 15 att, vs. Hampton (H), 1993  
 101-Greg Manson, 23 att, vs. Carson-Newman (N), 1998  
 101-DeMarcus Blount, 13 att, vs. S. Arkansas (H), 2003  
 100-Eric Packer, 17 att, vs. Ark-Monticello (A), 2005  
 100-Cody Gross, 18 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1995  
 100-Jason Veal, 16 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1996  
 100-Tyler Peterson, 18 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1997

# 100-YARD RUSHERS

## MULTIPLE 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

### Tyrone Rush (21)

245-Tyrone Rush, 22 att, vs. Delta State (H), 1993  
175-Tyrone Rush, 18 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1992  
164-Tyrone Rush, 27 att, vs. Jacksonville State (A), 1991  
156-Tyrone Rush, 33 att, vs. Newberry (H), 1991  
143-Tyrone Rush, 22 att, vs. Livingston (H), 1989  
141-Tyrone Rush, 16 att, vs. Alabama A&M (H), 1992  
141-Tyrone Rush, 21 att, vs. Hampton (A), 1992  
137-Tyrone Rush, 23 att, vs. Portland State (A), 1993  
130-Tyrone Rush, 25 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1992  
128-Tyrone Rush, 26 att, vs. Troy State (A), 1991  
127-Tyrone Rush, 21 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1993  
126-Tyrone Rush, 22 att, vs. Mississippi College (A), 1993  
124-Tyrone Rush, 20 att, vs. Central Florida (H), 1989  
123-Tyrone Rush, 12 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1993  
120-Tyrone Rush, 17 att, vs. Central Missouri (A), 1991  
118-Tyrone Rush, 22 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1992  
113-Tyrone Rush, 21 att, vs. Fort Valley (H), 1991  
111-Tyrone Rush, 12 att, vs. Mississippi College (H), 1992  
109-Tyrone Rush, 19 att, vs. Jacksonville State (H), 1992  
106-Tyrone Rush, 14 att, vs. Fort Valley (A), 1992  
101-Tyrone Rush, 15 att, vs. Hampton (H), 1993

### Clarence Johnson (16)

175-Clarence Johnson, 17 att, vs. Alabama A&M (H), 1982  
145-Clarence Johnson, 15 att, vs. Jacksonville St. (H), 1983  
138-Clarence Johnson, 19 att, vs. Tenn.-Martin (H), 1982  
136-Clarence Johnson, 19 att, vs. Savannah State (H), 1985  
133-Clarence Johnson, 27 att, vs. Jacksonville St. (H), 1985  
131-Clarence Johnson, 16 att, vs. Central Florida (A), 1983  
131-Clarence Johnson, 18 att, vs. Delta State (H), 1983  
128-Clarence Johnson, 7 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1982  
127-Clarence Johnson, 19 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1982  
122-Clarence Johnson, 16 att, vs. West Georgia (A), 1983  
121-Clarence Johnson, 29 att, vs. Delta State (H), 1985  
111-Clarence Johnson, 8 att, vs. Virginia Union (H), 1980  
109-Clarence Johnson, 18 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1985  
103-Clarence Johnson, 11 att, vs. Tuskegee (H), 1980  
102-Clarence Johnson, 26 att, vs. Miss. College (A), 1985  
101-Clarence Johnson, 14 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1980

### DeMarcus Blount (12)

165-DeMarcus Blount, 19 att, vs. Arkansas-Monticello (H), 2003  
139-DeMarcus Blount, 21 att, vs. Arkansas Tech (A), 2003  
139-DeMarcus Blount, 20 att, vs. Ark.-Monticello (A), 2005  
137-DeMarcus Blount, 19 att, vs. N.C. Central (A), 2005  
129-DeMarcus Blount, 21 att, vs. Central Arkansas (A), 2002  
128-DeMarcus Blount, 33 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 2005 (NCAA)  
126-DeMarcus Blount, 17 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 2002  
124-DeMarcus Blount, 18 att, vs. Harding (H), 2002  
124-DeMarcus Blount, 18 att, vs. Valdosta State (H), 2004  
122-DeMarcus Blount, 18 att, vs. Southern Arkansas (H), 2004  
118-DeMarcus Blount, 19 att, vs. Arkansas Tech (H), 2002  
101-DeMarcus Blount, 13 att, vs. Southern Arkansas (H), 2003

### Kenyatta Jones (10)

161-Kenyatta Jones, 16 att, vs. Fort Valley State (A), 1994  
153-Kenyatta Jones, 18 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1994  
143-Kenyatta Jones, 15 att, vs. Portland State (A), 1993  
132-Kenyatta Jones, 20 att, vs. Carson-Newman (H), 1994  
131-Kenyatta Jones, 18 att, vs. Valdosta State (H), 1994  
127-Kenyatta Jones, 14 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1993  
121-Kenyatta Jones, 16 att, vs. Miss. College (A), 1993  
113-Kenyatta Jones, 4 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1993  
111-Kenyatta Jones, 11 att, vs. West Georgia (A), 1994  
103-Kenyatta Jones, 11 att, vs. Texas A&M-Kingsville (H), 1994

### Brian Satterfield (9)

243-Brian Satterfield, 10 att, vs. Fort Valley State (H), 1993  
216-Brian Satterfield, 29 att, vs. TX A&M-Kingsville (H), 1993  
190-Brian Satterfield, 19 att, vs. Miss. College (H), 1992  
180-Brian Satterfield, 23 att, vs. Indiana-Penn. (H), 1993  
128-Brian Satterfield, 10 att, vs. Fort Valley (A), 1992  
128-Brian Satterfield, 20 att, vs. Hampton (A), 1992  
127-Brian Satterfield, 20 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1992  
117-Brian Satterfield, 22 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1990  
116-Brian Satterfield, 20 att, vs. Hampton (H), 1993

### Marvin Marsh (9)

181-Marvin Marsh, 18 att, vs. Troy State (H), 1986  
172-Marvin Marsh, 23 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1986  
120-Marvin Marsh, 21 att, vs. Virginia State (H), 1987  
118-Marvin Marsh, 22 att, vs. Alabama A&M (H), 1986  
114-Marvin Marsh, 11 att, vs. Livingston (N), 1986  
109-Marvin Marsh, 19 att, vs. Mississippi College (A), 1987  
105-Marvin Marsh, 21 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1986  
104-Marvin Marsh, 22 att, vs. Delta State (H), 1987  
101-Marvin Marsh, 21 att, vs. Jacksonville State (A), 1986

### Greg Manson (9)

160-Greg Manson, 18 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1997  
158-Greg Manson, 21 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1997  
156-Greg Manson, 11 att, vs. Arkansas Tech (A), 1997  
141-Greg Manson, 19 att, vs. Arkansas Tech (H), 1998  
138-Greg Manson, 13 att, vs. Arkansas-Monticello (A), 1998  
131-Greg Manson, 19 att, vs. Central Arkansas (A), 1997  
114-Greg Manson, 11 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1998  
106-Greg Manson, 17 att, vs. SW Louisiana (A), 1997  
101-Greg Manson, 23 att, vs. Carson-Newman (N), 1998

### Lawson Fletcher (7)

208-Lawson Fletcher, 28 att, vs. Middle Tenn. State (A), 1979  
167-Lawson Fletcher, 14 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1980  
162-Lawson Fletcher, 25 att, vs. Jacksonville State (H), 1979  
130-Lawson Fletcher, 18 att, vs. Virginia Union (H), 1980  
125-Lawson Fletcher, 28 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1979  
108-Lawson Fletcher, 19 att, vs. Miss. College (H), 1981  
103-Lawson Fletcher, 21 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1980

### Wendell Taylor (7)

211-Wendell Taylor, 34 att, vs. East Tennessee State (A), 1954  
148-Wendell Taylor, 19 att, vs. Troy State (H), 1954  
137-Wendell Taylor, 22 att, vs. Livingston (H), 1955  
134-Wendell Taylor, 22 att, vs. Troy State (A), 1955  
110-Wendell Taylor, 11 att, vs. Arkansas State (H), 1954  
106-Wendell Taylor, 21 att, vs. Tennessee Tech (A), 1955  
101-Wendell Taylor, 14 att, vs. Jacksonville State (H), 1954

### Marc Merritt (7)

138-Marc Merritt, 27 att, vs. Troy State (H), 1974  
136-Marc Merritt, 14 att, vs. Austin Peay (A), 1974  
127-Marc Merritt, 18 att, vs. S. E. Louisiana (A), 1975  
112-Marc Merritt, 25 att, vs. Nicholls State (A), 1975  
111-Marc Merritt, 22 att, vs. Appalachian State (H), 1973  
108-Marc Merritt, 12 att, vs. Nicholls State (A), 1973  
101-Marc Merritt, 19 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1974

### A.J. Lamar (6)

216-A.J. Lamar, 18 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1995  
198-A.J. Lamar, 15 att, vs. Albany State (H), 1995-Playoffs  
179-A.J. Lamar, 16 att, vs. Southern Arkansas (H), 1996  
169-A.J. Lamar, 28 att, vs. Central Arkansas (H), 1996  
155-A.J. Lamar, 23 att, vs. West Georgia (A), 1996  
133-A.J. Lamar, 26 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1996

### Cody Gross (6)

122-Cody Gross, 12 att, vs. Hampton (H), 1993  
119-Cody Gross, 17 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1995  
115-Cody Gross, 11 att, vs. Albany State (H), 1995  
112-Cody Gross, 10 att, vs. Central Arkansas (H), 1994  
106-Cody Gross, 15 att, vs. West Georgia (A), 1994  
100-Cody Gross, 18 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1995

### Curtis Sirmones (6)

152-Curtis Sirmones, 15 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1978  
148-Curtis Sirmones, 13 att, vs. East Tennessee (A), 1977  
143-Curtis Sirmones, 21 att, vs. Troy State (A), 1977  
133-Curtis Sirmones, 20 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1978  
130-Curtis Sirmones, 15 att, vs. Carson-Newman (A), 1978  
125-Curtis Sirmones, 27 att, vs. S.E. Louisiana (H), 1978

### Tyler Peterson (5)

200-Tyler Peterson, 20 att, vs. Harding (A), 2000

140-Tyler Peterson, 18 att, vs. SW Louisiana (A), 1997  
137-Tyler Peterson, 17 att, vs. Pittsburg State (H), 1999  
102-Tyler Peterson, 15 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1997  
100-Tyler Peterson, 18 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1997

### Randy Vickers (5)

195-Randy Vickers, 22 att, vs. Lambuth (H), 2001  
155-Randy Vickers, 27 att, vs. Central Arkansas (H), 2001  
110-Randy Vickers, 14 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 2004  
104-Randy Vickers, 16 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 2002  
107-Randy Vickers, 10 att, vs. Stillman (H), 2003

### Robert Douthitt (5)

225-Robert Douthitt, 24 att, vs. UT-Martin (H), 1960  
200-Robert Douthitt, 35 att, vs. Jax State (A), 1960  
137-Robert Douthitt, 25 att, vs. Murray State (A), 1959  
135-Robert Douthitt, 21 att, vs. Austin Peay (A), 1960  
106-Robert Douthitt, 25 att, vs. West Alabama (H), 1960

### Tommy Compton (4)

182-Tommy Compton, 23 att, vs. Delta State (A), 1988  
142-Tommy Compton, 22 att, vs. Central Florida (A), 1988  
136-Tommy Compton, 36 att, vs. Livingston (A), 1988  
127-Tommy Compton, 28 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1988

### Jack Redwine (4)

192-Jack Redwine, 17 att, vs. West Alabama, 1957  
180-Jack Redwine, 10 att, vs. Jacksonville State (H), 1956  
148-Jack Redwine, 10 att, vs. Morningside (H), 1957  
118-Jack Redwine, vs. Arkansas State (H), 1957

### Mike Metcalf (3)

129-Mike Metcalf, 23 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 2000  
106-Mike Metcalf, 15 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1999  
102-Mike Metcalf, 14 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1999

### Kyle Rea (3)

137-Kyle Rea, 14 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 2000  
111-Kyle Rea, 13 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1999  
111-Kyle Rea, 20 att, vs. Central Arkansas (A), 2000

### Jason Veal (3)

113-Jason Veal, 14 att, vs. Southern Arkansas (H), 1996  
113-Jason Veal, 23 att, vs. Valdosta State (A), 1996  
100-Jason Veal, 16 att, vs. West Alabama (A), 1996

### Jermaine Roberts (3)

145-Jermaine Roberts, 17 att, vs. Ferris State (H), 1995  
124-Jermaine Roberts, 19 att, vs. Carson-Newman (H), 1995  
107-Jermaine Roberts, 20 att, vs. Pittsburg State (H), 1995

### Joe Elmore (3)

137-Joe Elmore, vs. Conway State (H), 1952  
136-Joe Elmore, vs. Union (A), 1952  
121-Joe Elmore, 15 att, vs. Middle Tennessee (H), 1952

### Two 100-yard Games

125-Ricky Gandy, 15 att, vs. Jacksonville State (A), 1990  
121-Ricky Gandy, 15 att, vs. Central Missouri (A), 1991  
104-Darryl Green, 9 att, vs. West Georgia (H), 1990  
120-Darryl Green, 25 att, vs. Valdosta State (H), 1989  
155-Brub Hamilton, 14 att, vs. Henderson State (H), 1955  
102-Brub Hamilton, vs. Troy State (A), 1955  
110-Al Jackson, 10 att, vs. Albany State (H), 1995  
106-Al Jackson, 11 att, vs. Alabama A&M (A), 1995  
163-Charles Johnson, 12 vs. Valdosta State (H), 1985  
111-Charles Johnson, 29 att, vs. N. Dakota State (N), 1985  
138-Monk Romine, vs. Arkansas State (A), 1953  
203-Monk Romine, vs. Conway State, (H), 1951  
189-Burnis Rose, 15 att, vs. Nicholls State (A), 1975  
165-Burnis Rose, 12 att, vs. Alabama A&M (H), 1976  
225-Leonard Thomas, 33 att, vs. Tennessee-Martin (A), 1969  
129-Leonard Thomas, 11 att, vs. Jacksonville State (A), 1970  
122-Mike Wilburn, 19 att, vs. Arkansas Tech (H), 1971  
116-Mike Wilburn, 27 att, vs. Henderson State, (A), 1971

# ANNUAL LION LEADERS

## PASSING

Year	Player	Att	Comp	Yds
1949	Carl Boley	188		
1950				
1951	Joe Elmore	73	37	565
1952	Joe Elmore	86	37	717
1953	Joe Elmore	81	30	681
1954	Joe Brewer	81	30	629
1955	Brub Hamilton	105	47	608
1956				
1957	Jack Redwine	68	33	630
1958	Jack Redwine	65	26	369
1959	Max Burleson	70	40	563
1960	Robert Douthitt	66	18	294
1961				
1962				
1963				
1964				
1965	Don Cornelius	129	52	723
1966	Don Cornelius	218	121	1686
1967	Don Cornelius	250	134	1608
1968	Phil Logan	120	59	835
1969	Phil Logan	107	32	471
1970	Randy Elmore	205	91	1318
1971	Randy Elmore	217	105	1527
1972	Raymond Weaver	198	71	982
1973	Roger Ferrell	133	72	951
1974	Steve Clark	134	73	986
1975	Steve Clark	117	58	881
1976	Garner Ezell	81	37	497
1977	Gerald Goodman	67	33	517
1978	Johnny Grubb	67	24	407
	Jeff Davis	83	30	351
1979	Rusty Towery	96	53	606
1980	Fred Riley	104	53	960
1981	Fred Riley	154	81	412
1982	Rusty Towery	105	58	729
1983	Rusty Towery	220	108	1562
1984	Bobby Duncan	209	110	1441
1985	Tim Garner	128	55	629
	Dallas Metcalf	123	47	723
1986	Lonnie Mister	156	71	958
1987	Lonnie Mister	141	73	977
1988	Tommy Compton	158	64	941
1989	Craig Bryant	160	83	1073
1990	Craig Bryant	193	104	1573
1991	Stacey Stewart	159	74	897
1992	Cody Gross	12	27	226
1993	Cody Gross	71	132	1441
1994	Cody Gross	59	121	1050
1995	Cody Gross	61	116	967
1996	Charles Hogan	73	152	1106
1997	Tyler Peterson	42	81	647
1998	Tyler Peterson	64	141	1132
1999	Tyler Peterson	109	213	1604
2000	Tyler Peterson	78	178	1309
2001	Jake Warren	155	74	917
2002	Will Hall	321	204	2635
2003	Will Hall	372	267	3531
2004	Vinnie Saylor	221	125	1540
2005	Vinnie Saylor	499	301	3445

## RUSHING

Year	Player	Att	Yds	Avg
1949	Carl Boley	109	414	3.8
1950				
1951	Monk Romine	142	727	5.1
1952	Joe Elmore	153	764	4.9
1953	Monk Romine	111	529	4.8
1954	Wendell Taylor	166	964	5.8
1955	Wendell Taylor	196	1021	5.2
1956				
1957	Jack Redwine	122	808	6.6
1958	Carrell Daniel	128	639	4.9
1959	Robert Douthitt	110	497	4.5
1960	Robert Douthitt	199	1023	5.1
1961				
1962				
1963				
1964				
1965	George Perkins	159	699	4.5
1966	George Perkins	92	319	3.5
1967	Benny Burns	56-309-5.5		
1968	Leonard Thomas	130-659-5.1		
1969	Leonard Thomas	141-657-4.7		
1970	Carl McCulley	140-591-4.2		
1971	Mike Wilburn	195-820-4.2		
1972	Mike Wilburn	92-339-3.7		
1973	Jerry Mizell	111-490-4.4		
1974	Marc Merritt	153-859-5.6		
1975	Marc Merritt	157-678-4.3		
1976	Burnis Rose	99-456-4.6		
1977	Curtis Sirmones	132-759-5.8		
1978	Curtis Sirmones	102-649-6.4		
1979	Lawson Fletcher	187-982-5.3		
1980	Lawson Fletcher	185-921-5.0		
1981	Lawson Fletcher	101-461-4.6		
1982	Clarence Johnson	107-741-6.9		
1983	Clarence Johnson	205-974-4.8		
1984	Wesley Scott	119-463-3.9		
1985	Clarence Johnson	193-897-4.6		
1986	Marvin Marsh	187-1106-5.9		
1987	Marvin Marsh	118-527-4.5		
1988	Tommy Compton	205-934-4.6		
1989	Tyrone Rush	134-609-4.5		
1990	Ricky Gandy	117-702-6.0		
1991	Tyrone Rush	199-982-4.9		
1992	Tyrone Rush	221-1364-6.2		
1993	Tyrone Rush	237-1466-6.2		
1994	Kenyatta Jones	174-1115-6.4		
1995	A.J. Lamar	146-1024-6.6		
1996	A.J. Lamar	170-959-5.6		
1997	Greg Manson	177-1189-6.7		
1998	Greg Manson	158-917-5.8		
1999	Tyler Peterson	162-615-3.8		
2000	Tyler Peterson	144-642-4.5		
2001	Randy Vickers	123-545-4.4		
2002	DeMarcus Blount	135-705-5.2		
2003	DeMarcus Blount	158-866-5.5		
2004	DeMarcus Blount	155-706-4.6		
2005	DeMarcus Blount	213-839-3.9		

## RECEIVING

Year	Player	Rec.	Yds	TD
1949				
1950				
1951	Harlon Hill	22	372	5
1952	Harlon Hill	18	379	7
1953	Harlon Hill	12	246	4
1954	Jim Prater	9	142	
1955	Wilburn Thomas	11	117	
1956				
1957	Bill Lumpkin	21	459	5
1958	Carl Hannah	15	237	2
1959	Henry Prater	16	196	0
1960	Bobby West	8	114	2
1961				
1962				
1963				
1964				
1965	Earnest Breland	21	275	0
1966	Ricky Lindsey	52	532	6
1967	Ricky Lindsey	47	412	0
1968	Ricky Lindsey	50	667	6
1969	Jody Gamble	11	130	0
1970	Danny Kimble	25	470	3
1971	Danny Kimble	26	407	1
1972	James Trimble	34	467	1
1973	Danny Kimble	39	655	5
1974	Roger Ralph	46	700	7
1975	Roger Ralph	48	767	4
1976	Robert Steele	30	566	5
1977	Robert Steele	24	386	1
1978	Jerry Hill	11	189	3
	Ken Irons	11	161	1
1979	Lawson Fletcher	28	219	1
1980	Jerry Hill	31	603	2
1981	Melvin Brown	30	543	7
1982	Mike Hearon	19	252	0
1983	Germaine Young	33	577	3
1984	Germaine Young	37	552	6
1985	Glenn Ivy	31	292	2
1986	Stevie Hobbs	29	462	3
1987	Stevie Hobbs	35	478	1
1988	Troy Nelson	39	441	2
1989	Derrick Coffey	39	618	5
1990	DeJuan Singleton	40	568	4
1991	Troy Nelson	26	424	6
1992	Lawrence Haynes	14	215	1
1993	Demetrea Shelton	31	596	6
1994	Michael Edwards	48	955	8
1995	Michael Edwards	33	595	4
1995	Demetrea Shelton	33	426	3
1996	Michael Edwards	45	777	6
1997	James Moore	18	443	4
1998	Bobby Collins	19	311	2
1999	Zack Keys	39	614	2
2000	James Moore	22	402	6
2001	Tyler Bowen	18	188	1
2002	Marcus Lewis	57	930	2
2003	David Mooneyham	51	779	7
2004	Jaron Fountain	35	495	5
2005	Anthony Merritt	81	942	8

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## TOTAL OFFENSE

Year	Player	Rush	Pass	TI
1969	Leonard Thomas	657	0	657
1970	Randy Elmore	438	1318	1756
1971	Randy Elmore	199	1527	1726
1972	Raymond Weaver	137	982	1119
1973	Roger Ferrell	59	951	1010
1974	Steve Clark	182	986	1168
1975	Steve Clark	20	881	901
1976	Garnet Ezell	243	497	740
1977	Curtis Sirmones	759	0	759
1978	Johnny Grubb	263	407	670
1979	Lawson Fletcher	982	0	982
1980	Fred Riley	127	960	1087
1981	Fred Riley	111	1412	1523
1982	Rusty Towery	147	729	876
1983	Rusty Towery	390	1562	1952
1984	Bobby Duncan	60	1441	1501
1985	Clarence Johnson	897	0	897
1986	Marvin Marsh	1106	0	1106
1987	Lonnie Mister	-92	977	885
1988	Tommy Compton	934	941	1875
1989	Craig Bryant	272	1073	1345
1990	Craig Bryant	245	1573	1818
1991	Tyrone Rush	982	0	982
1992	Tyrone Rush	1364	0	1364
1993	Cody Gross	650	1441	2091
1994	Cody Gross	638	1050	1688
1995	Cody Gross	580	967	1547
1996	Charles Hogan	66	1106	1172
1997	Greg Manson	1189	0	1189
1998	Tyler Peterson	292	1132	1424
1999	Tyler Peterson	615	1604	2219
2000	Tyler Peterson	642	1309	1951
2001	Jake Warren	-35	917	882
2002	Will Hall	-22	2635	2613
2003	Will Hall	467	3531	3998
2004	Vinnie Saylor	165	1540	1705
2005	Vinnie Saylor	101	3445	3546

## SCORING

Year	Player	Points
1969	David Hogan	56
1970	Leonard Thomas	60
1971	William McCormick	39
1972	William McCormick	30
1973	Danny Kimble	30
1974	Roger Ralph	46
1975	Marc Merritt	72
1976	Creig Bell	38
1977	Curtis Sirmones	60
1978	Nelson McMurrain	49
1979	Nelson McMurrain	41
1980	Lawson Fletcher	86
1981	Nelson McMurrain	52
1982	James Knowles	64
1983	Clarence Johnson	102
1984	James Knowles	60
1985	James Knowles	86
1986	Marvin Marsh	60
1987	J.D. Lane	47
1988	Tommy Compton	54
1989	Mike Berry	60
1990	Brad Stepp	56
1991	Troy Nelson	38
1992	Brian Satterfield	48
1993	Tyrone Rush	116
1994	Jamie Stoddard	84
1995	Cody Gross	74
	Jamie Stoddard	74
1996	A.J. Lamar	84
1997	Greg Manson	90
1998	Greg Manson	44
1999	Tyler Peterson	56
2000	Kyle Rea	66
2001	Travis Johnston	40
2002	DeMarcus Blount	122
2003	DeMarcus Blount	122
2004	Beau Tanner	61
2005	Yuta Fukuda	106

## KICKING

Year	Player	PATs	FG
1969	David Hogan	12-18	14
1970	William McCormack	29-31	2-5
1971	William McCormack	12-13	9-13
1972	William McCormack	12-13	6-15
1973	Jim Durden	15-16	2-5
1974	Creig Bell	19-22	5-7
1975	David Adkins	22-28	2-5
1976	Creig Bell	20-21	6-9
1977	Guy Gox	20-25	2-3
1978	Nelson McMurrain	22-24	9-14
1979	Nelson McMurrain	17-19	8-13
1980	Nelson McMurrain	34-37	16-24
1981	Nelson McMurrain	31-33	7-13
1982	James Knowles	34-36	10-14
1983	James Knowles	46-50	12-17
1984	James Knowles	27-28	11-26
1985	James Knowles	32-35	18-26
1986	Jay Veal	25-28	6-13
1987	J.D. Lane	17-17	10-16
1988	J.D. Lane	20-21	7-15
1989	Mike Berry	18-21	14-27
1990	Brad Stepp	20-28	12-21
1991	J.D. Byars	15-18	3-6
1992	Greg Scroggins	11-14	4-15
1993	Jamie Stoddard	62-68	12-18
1994	Jamie Stoddard	51-55	11-15
1995	Jamie Stoddard	53-67	7-14
1996	Kevin Pearce	34-37	5-10
1997	Kevin Pearce	42-42	3-7
1998	Mike Mitchell	24-26	5-9
	Kevin Pearce	9-10	5-8
1999	Mike Mitchell	24-26	7-17
2000	Travis Johnston	35-35	2-11
2001	Travis Johnston	16-20	8-13
2002	Travis Johnston	40-42	8-13
2003	Travis Johnston	57-58	16-18
2004	Beau Tanner 31-33	12-18	
2005	Yuta Fukuda 52-54	18-29	



Vinnie Saylor



Yuta Fukuda



Yuta Fukuda

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## PUNTING

Year	Player	Att	Avg
1969	Sparky Box	47	34.4
1970	Jody Gamble	51	40.0
1971	Larry Brom	41	37.8
1972	Dale Mathis	85	39.1
1973	Aubrey Haynes	32	34.1
1974	Aubrey Haynes	53	38.1
1975	Aubrey Haynes	28	39.8
1976	Aubrey Haynes	48	40.8
1977	Rick Robbins	46	36.9
1978	Guy Cox	62	40.1
1979	Guy Cox	57	37.9
1980	Guy Cox	55	39.8
1981	Mitch Rollins	39	38.4
1982	Harlow Fikes	45	39.8
1983	Harlow Fikes	66	38.8
1984	Harlow Fikes	75	39.9
1985	Harlow Fikes	89	40.1
1986	Scott Demott	72	40.9
1987	Scott Demott	79	41.8
1988	Craig Bryant	34	38.9
1989	Lee Smith	57	38.2
1990	Lee Craft	48	33.8
1991	John Crittenden	49	43.2
1992	John Crittenden	47	42.6
1993	Lee Morris	36	40.9
1994	Lee Morris	54	39.8
1995	Tony Faggioni	58	37.9
1996	Tony Faggioni	39	39.4
1997	Tony Faggioni	46	41.8
1998	Tony Faggioni	49	42.5
1999	Drew Carter	45	38.9
2000	Drew Carter	45	38.0
2001	Drew Carter	66	39.0
2002	Drew Carter	50	36.5
2003	Travis Johnston	55	39.3
2004	Lyle Atkinson	45	36.8
2005	Lyle Atkinson	56	35.6

## KICKOFF RETURNS

Year	Player	No.	Yds	Avg
1969	Benny Burns	10	243	24.3
1970	Bobby Joe Pride	18	623	34.5
1971	Bobby Joe Pride	19	417	21.0
1972	Wil Fuller	13	234	18.0
1973	Charles Kennedy	20	503	25.1
1974	Burnis Rose	19	519	27.3
1975	Burnis Rose	24	630	26.2
1976	Burnis Rose	19	532	28.0
1977	Terry Stooksberry	17	309	18.2
1978	Lawson Fletcher	12	201	16.8
1979	Bobby Straughter	11	221	20.0
1980	Dewayne Williams	15	251	15.8
1981	Emmanuel Young	25	598	23.9
1982	Germaine Young	13	274	21.1
1983	Wesley Scott	10	173	17.3
1984	Lewis Billops	8	158	18.8
1985	Charles Johnson	15	333	22.2
1986	Morris Turrell	18	313	17.4
1987	Rodney Jones	22	482	21.9
1988	Troy Nelson	33	721	21.8
1989	Troy Nelson	17	436	25.6
1990	Troy Nelson	17	406	23.9
1991	Troy Nelson	21	396	18.8
1992	Tyrone Rush	19	440	23.1
1993	Tyrone Rush	23	603	26.2
1994	Kenyatta Jones	17	408	24.0
1995	Michael Edwards	17	332	19.5
1996	Harry Holloway	17	454	26.7
1997	Travis Carswell	10	196	19.6
1998	Corey Harris	18	540	30.0
1999	Michael Bridgeforth	21	448	21.3
2000	Dewey Stoodmire	15	350	23.3
2001	Evan Ogelsby	13	335	25.8
	Tim Goliday	13	218	16.8
2002	Patrick Wilson	17	426	25.1
2003	Lacy Hill	11	205	18.6
2004	Anthony Merritt	17	461	27.1
2005	Anthony Merritt	23	595	25.9

## PUNT RETURNS

Year	Player	No.	Yds	Avg
1969	Leonard Thomas	15	224	14.9
1970	Leonard Thomas	6	105	17.5
1971	Leonard Thomas	13	99	7.6
1972	Jim Witt	9	40	4.4
1973	Clayton Lundy	15	161	10.7
1974	Clayton Lundy	20	268	13.4
1975	Clayton Lundy	27	200	7.4
1976	Clayton Lundy	24	99	4.1
1977	Blake Alexander	10	82	8.2
1978	Emmanuel Young	28	161	5.8
1979	Emmanuel Young	16	139	8.7
1980	Emmanuel Young	20	136	6.8
1981	Emmanuel Young	14	101	7.2
1982	Germaine Young	13	49	4.1
1983	Brian Patterson	13	130	10.0
1984	David Smith	23	128	5.6
1985	Rodney Jones	43	207	4.8
1986	Morris Turrell	11	64	5.8
1987	Rodney Jones	16	151	9.4
1988	Troy Nelson	17	84	4.9
1989	Troy Nelson	24	254	10.6
1990	DeJuan Singleton	10	101	10.1
1991	Troy Nelson	16	152	9.5
1992	Harvey Summerhill	17	104	6.1
1993	Shane Smothers	15	74	4.9
1994	Mo Malone	37	278	7.5
1995	D'Angelo Armistad	22	192	8.7
1996	Jason Veal	15	131	8.7
1997	Corey Harris	11	187	17.0
1998	Corey Harris	14	86	6.1
1999	Zack Keys	25	164	6.6
2000	Tim Goliday	17	242	14.2
2001	Tim Goliday	12	88	7.3
2002	DeMarcus Blount	8	78	9.8
2003	Anthony Merritt	44	548	12.5
2004	Anthony Merritt	21	291	13.9
2005	Anthony Merritt	51	546	10.7



Lyle Atkinson



Anthony Merritt



Anthony Merritt

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## TACKLES

Year	Player	UT	AT	TT
1980	Frank Condon	31	68	99
1981	Sam Prater	31	67	98
1982				
1983	Clifford Mason	57	23	80
1984	Steve Rogers	45	37	82
1985	Steve Rogers	42	77	119
1986	Kirk Ethridge	32	81	113
1987	Felix Baxter	19	71	90
1988	James Davis	101	55	156
1989	James Davis	91	65	156
	Felix Baxter	66	51	117
1990	James Davis	90	57	157
1991	Kenny Loftin	68	54	122
	Harvey Summerhill	48	59	107
1992	Ronald McKinnon	91	57	148
1993	Ronald McKinnon	106	69	175
	Keith Humphrey	77	49	126
	Mark Williams	69	57	126
1994	Ronald McKinnon	110	49	159
	Keith Humphrey	87	51	138
1995	Ronald McKinnon	100	39	139
	Keith Humphrey	79	29	108
1996	Gerald Smith	57	17	74
1997	Marcus Hill	79	44	123
	Reginald Ruffin	89	33	122
1998	Orlando Patterson	43	55	98
1999	Chad Sears	84	43	127
	Robert Gordes	77	30	107
2000	Chad Sears	65	18	83
2001	Trent Dawson	32	63	95
2002	Sam Fakunle	38	27	65
2003	Donald Tharpe	44	34	78
2004	Harold Wisdom	26	46	72
2005	Courtney Wright	62	58	120

## TWO OR MORE PLAYERS WITH 100+ TACKLES IN SAME SEASON (since 1980)

Year	Players	UT	AT	TT
1989	James Davis	91	65	156
	Felix Baxter	66	51	117
1991	Kenny Loftin	68	54	122
	Harvey Summerhill	48	59	107
1993	Ronald McKinnon	106	69	175
	Keith Humphrey	77	49	126
	Mark Williams	69	57	126
1994	Ronald McKinnon	110	49	149
	Keith Humphrey	87	51	138
1995	Ronald McKinnon	100	39	139
	Keith Humphrey	79	29	108
1997	Marcus Hill	79	44	123
	Reginald Ruffin	89	33	122
1999	Chad Sears	84	43	127
	Robert Gordon	30	77	107



Courtney Wright

## SACKS

Year	Player	No.	Yds
1983	Charlie Glass	6	
1984	Steve Rogers	9.5	
1985	Steve Rogers	6	
1986	Eric Files	4.5	
1987	Shawn Lee	6.5	46
1988	Phil Drummond	4	28
1989	Ricky Thomas	7.5	74
1990	D.J. Patrick	6	55
1991	Jeff Redcross	2	12
	Marcus Hunter	2	4
1992	Marcus Hunter	5.5	35
1993	Jeff Redcross	7	61
1994	Reginald Ruffin	11	77
1995	Reginald Ruffin	9.5	91
1996	Reginald Ruffin	9.5	91
1997	Michael Moncrief	7	42
1998	Shawn Cash	10	53
1999	Larry Paul	8	61
2000	Larry Paul	4	32
2001	Johnell Jones	6.5	55
2002	Sam Fakunle	6.5	39
2003	Donald Tharpe	7.5	36
2004	Ken Triplett	4	25
2005	Donald Tharpe	8	52



Donald Tharpe

## INTERCEPTIONS

Year	Player	No.	Yds
1969	Ronnie Williamson	6	
1970	Palmer Boyd	6	
1971	Doyce Steele	2	3
	Billy Hargrove	2	26
	Jim Witt	2	0
1972	Jim Witt	3	47
	Billy Hargrove	3	14
1973	Robbie Hudson	8	64
1974	Clayton Lundy	4	16
1975	Clayton Lundy	4	110
	Robbie Hudson	4	11
1976	Mike McCombs	3	82
	Donald Pearson	3	5
1977	Donald Pearson	4	62
1978	Manuel Walker	5	41
1979	Manuel Walker	6	38
1980	Emmanuel Young	7	131
1981	Frank Condon	4	29
1982	Rod Brooks	6	73
1983	Rod Brooks	8	85
1984	Bruce Jones	5	51
	Lewis Billups	5	10
1985	Lewis Billups	6	4
1986	Wendell Phillips	5	86
1987	Wendell Phillips	4	34
1988	James Davis	2	34
	Jeff Smith	2	5
	Phil Drummond	2	0
1989	Sedric Barnett	5	11
1990	James Davis	4	87
1991	Harvey Summerhill	5	48
1992	Tony Foster	5	34
1993	Robert Haynes	7	69
1994	Zack Phillips	5	24
1995	Zack Phillips	5	34
1996	Gerald Smith	5	20
1997	Marcus Hill	6	43
1998	Tyrone Bell	6	29
1999	Henry Pinder	4	52
2000	Chad Sears	4	27
	Jason Brown	4	33
2001	Evan Ogelsby	4	40
2002	Greg McConico	2	24
2003	Evan Oglesby	7	40
2004	Blake Farris	3	51
2005	Blake Farris	10	192



Blake Farris

# LIONS TOP 10

## PASSING YARDS

### Season

Yds	Player	Year	Att	Comp
3531	Will Hall	2003	372	267
3445	Vinnie Saylor	2005	499	301
2635	Will Hall	2002	321	204
1686	Don Cornelius	1966	218	121
1608	Don Cornelius	1967	250	134
1604	Tyler Peterson	1999	213	109
1573	Craig Bryant	1990	193	104
1562	Rusty Towery	1983	220	108
1540	Vinnie Saylor	2004	221	125
1527	Randy Elmore	1971	217	105

### Career

Yds	Player	Year	Att.	Comp
6166	Will Hall	2002-03	693	471
5131	Vinnie Saylor	2003-05	746	440
4692	Tyler Peterson	1997-00	613	293
4309	Don Cornelius	1964-67	637	332
3684	Cody Gross	1992-95	396	203
3287	Rusty Towery	1979-83	486	253
2903	Randy Elmore	1969-72	444	201
2834	Craig Bryant	1988-90	389	206
2587	Bobby Duncan	1981-84	356	204
2372	Fred Riley	1980-81	258	140

## RUSHING YARDS

### Season

Yds	Player	Year	Att.	TD
1466	Tyrone Rush	1993	237	17
1364	Tyrone Rush	1992	221	6
1189	Greg Manson	1997	177	15
1115	Kenyatta Jones	1994	174	12
1106	Marvin Marsh	1986	187	10
1087	Brian Satterfield	1993	147	14
1024	A.J. Lamar	1995	146	10
1023	Robert Douthitt	1960	199	9
1021	Wendell Taylor	1955	196	8
982	Tyrone Rush	1991	199	5
982	Lawson Fletcher	1979	187	5

### Career

Yds	Player	Year	Att.	TD
4421	Tyrone Rush	1989,91-93	791	36
3158	Clarence Johnson	1980-85	586	34
3116	DeMarcus Blount	2002-05	661	57
2817	Brian Satterfield	1989-90,92-93	474	32
2587	A.J. Lamar	1993-96	401	31
2431	Lawson Fletcher	1978-81	490	22
2277	DeMarcus Blount	2002-04	448	43
2271	Leonard Thomas	1968-71	463	21
2106	Greg Manson	1997-98	335	22
2096	Marc Merrit	1973-76	436	21
2007	Kenyatta Jones	1993-94	285	20

## RECEIVING YARDS

### Season

Yds	Player	Year	No.	TD
955	Michael Edwards	1994	48	8
942	Anthony Merritt	2005	81	8
930	Marcus Lewis	2002	57	2
779	David Mooneyham	2003	51	7
777	Michael Edwards	1996	45	6
767	Roger Ralph	1975	48	4
700	Roger Ralph	1974	46	7
667	Ricky Lindsey	1968	50	6
665	Danny Kimble	1973	39	5
618	Derrick Coffey	1989	39	5
614	Zack Keys	1999	39	2

### Career

Yds	Player	Year	No.	TD
2844	Michael Edwards	1993-96	151	20
1932	Roger Ralph	1973-75	126	14
1905	Marcus Lewis	2002-04	122	8
1693	Danny Kimble	1970-73	100	10
1611	Ricky Lindsey	1966-68	149	12
1330	James Moore	1997-00	71	12
1312	Troy Nelson	1988-91	85	14
1205	Germaine Young	1982-84	75	10
1138	Jerry Hill	1977-80	61	7
1090	James Trimble	1969-72	75	4

## TOTAL YARDS

### Season

Yds	Player	Year	Rush	Pass
3998	Will Hall	2003	467	3531
3546	Vinnie Saylor	2005	101	3445
2613	Will Hall	2002	-22	2635
2219	Tyler Peterson	1999	615	1604
2091	Cody Gross	1993	650	1441
1952	Rusty Towery	1983	390	1562
1951	Tyler Peterson	2000	642	1309
1915	Don Cornelius	1966	229	1686
1896	Don Cornelius	1967	288	1608
1875	Tommy Compton	1988	934	941

### Career

Yds	Player	Years	Rush	Pass
6616	Tyler Peterson	1997-00	1309	1951
6611	Will Hall	2002-03	445	6166
5495	Vinnie Saylor	2003-05	364	5131
5614	Cody Gross	1992-95	1930	3684
5226	Don Cornelius	1964-67	917	4309
4421	Tyrone Rush	1989,91-93	4421	—
3877	Rusty Towery	1979-83	590	3287
3560	Randy Elmore	1969-72	657	2903
3439	Craig Bryant	1988-90	605	2834
3158	Clarence Johnson	1980-85	3158	—

# LIONS TOP 10

## ALL-PURPOSE YARDAGE

Total Yards	Player	Years	Rushing Yards	Receiving Yards	KO Return Yards	Punt Return Yards
6020	Tyrone Rush	1989,91-93	4421	307	1292	—
4600	DeMarcus Blount	2002-05	3116	891	505	78
4056	Troy Nelson	1988-91	189	1312	1959	596
3938	Leonard Thomas	1968-71	2271	423	744	500
3790	Clarence Johnson	1980,82-83,85	3158	550	70	12
3755	Anthony Merritt	2003-05	168	942	1260	1385
3655	Bobby Joe Pride	1968-70	854	799	1525	477
3577	Michael Edwards	1993-96	199	2844	534	0
3180	Brian Satterfield	1989-90, 92-93	2817	227	56	80

### PASSES ATTEMPTED

Season	No.	Player	Year
	499	Vinnie Saylor	2005
	372	Will Hall	2003
	321	Will Hall	2002
	250	Don Cornelius	1967
	221	Vinnie Saylor	2004
	220	Rusty Towery	1983
	218	Don Cornelius	1966
	217	Randy Elmore	1971
	213	Tyler Peterson	1999
	209	Bobby Duncan	1984

Career	No.	Player	Years
	746	Vinnie Saylor	2003-05
	693	Will Hall	2002-03
	637	Don Cornelius	1964-67
	613	Tyler Peterson	1997-00
	486	Rusty Towery	1979-83
	444	Randy Elmore	1969-72
	396	Cody Gross	1992-95
	389	Craig Bryant	1988-90
	356	Bobby Duncan	1981-84
	343	Tim Garner	1985-88

### PASSES COMPLETED

Season	No.	Player	Year
	301	Vinnie Saylor	2005
	267	Will Hall	2003
	204	Will Hall	2002
	134	Don Cornelius	1967
	125	Vinnie Saylor	2004
	121	Don Cornelius	1966
	110	Bobby Duncan	1984
	109	Tyler Peterson	1999
	108	Rusty Towery	1983
	105	Randy Elmore	1971

Career	No.	Player	Years
	471	Will Hall	2002-03
	440	Vinnie Saylor	2003-05
	332	Don Cornelius	1964-67
	293	Tyler Peterson	1997-00
	253	Rusty Towery	1979-83
	206	Craig Bryant	1988-90
	204	Bobby Duncan	1981-84
	204	Will Hall	2002
	203	Cody Gross	1992-95
	201	Randy Elmore	1969-72

### INTERCEPTIONS THROWN

Season	No.	Player	Year
	21	Tommy Compton	1988
	21	Randy Elmore	1970
	19	Raymond Weaver	1972
	17	Randy Elmore	1971

17	Don Cornelius	1967
16	Phil Logan	1969
16	Vinnie Saylor	2005
15	Don Cornelius	1966
12	Tyler Peterson	1999
11	Robert Douthit	1960

### TOUCHDOWNS SCORED

Career	TDs	Player	Years
	63	DeMarcus Blount	2002-05
	40	Cody Gross	1992-95
	37	Clarence Johnson	1980-85
	37	Tyrone Rush	1989-93
	33	Don Cornelius	1964-67
	32	A.J. Lamar	1993-96
	32	Brian Satterfield	1989-93
	26	Tyler Peterson	1997-00
	25	Leonard Thomas	1968-71
	24	Lawson Fletcher	1978-81

### RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

Season	No.	Player	Year
	19	Tyrone Rush	1993
	18	DeMarcus Blount	2002
	16	DeMarcus Blount	2003
	16	Clarence Johnson	1983
	15	Greg Manson	1997
	14	A.J. Lamar	1996
	14	Brian Satterfield	1993
	14	DeMarcus Blount	2005
	13	Wendell Taylor	1954
	13	Lawson Fletcher	1980

Career	No.	Player	Years
	57	DeMarcus Blount	2002-05
	40	Cody Gross	1992-95
	36	Tyrone Rush	1989-93
	34	Clarence Johnson	1980-85
	33	Don Cornelius	1964-67
	32	Brian Satterfield	1989-93
	31	A.J. Lamar	1993-96
	26	Tyler Peterson	1997-00
	22	Greg Manson	1997-98
	22	Lawson Fletcher	1978-81

### TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Season	TDs	Player	Year
	30	Will Hall	2003
	28	Vinnie Saylor	2005
	12	Craig Bryant	1990
	12	Joe Elmore	1953
	12	Don Cornelius	1966
	12	Will Hall	2002
	11	Cody Gross	1993
	11	Stacey Stewart	1991
	11	Joe Elmore	1952
	11	Tyler Peterson	2000

11	Vinnie Saylor	2004
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### TOUCHDOWNS RESPONSIBLE FOR

Career	TDs	Player	Years
	65	Cody Gross	1992-95
	64	DeMarcus Blount	2002-04
	58	Tyler Peterson	1997-00
	55	Don Cornelius	1964-67
	49	Will Hall	2002-03
	47	Vinnie Saylor	2003-05
	38	Joe Elmore	1950-53
	37	Tyrone Rush	1989, 91-93
	37	Clarence Johnson	1980-85
	32	Brian Satterfield	1989-90, 92-93
	32	A.J. Lamar	1993-96

### PASSES CAUGHT

Season	No.	Player	Year
	81	Anthony Merritt	2005
	57	Marcus Lewis	2002
	52	Ricky Lindsey	1966
	51	David Mooneyham	2003
	50	Ricky Lindsey	1968
	48	Michael Edwards	1994
	48	Roger Ralph	1975
	47	Ricky Lindsey	1967
	46	Roger Ralph	1974
	45	Michael Edwards	1996

Career	No.	Player	Year
	151	Michael Edwards	1993-96
	149	Ricky Lindsey	1966-68
	126	Roger Ralph	1973-75
	122	Marcus Lewis	2002-04
	100	Danny Kimble	1970-73
	85	Troy Nelson	1988-91
	81	Anthony Merritt	2003-05
	75	Germaine Young	1982-84
	75	James Trimble	1969-72
	73	Derrick Coffey	1986-89

### TD RECEPTIONS

Season	No.	Player	Year
	9	Jason Messing	2005
	8	Anthony Merritt	2005

8	Michael Edwards	1994
7	David Mooneyham	2003
7	Harlon Hill	1952
7	Roger Ralph	1974
7	Melvin Brown	1981
6	Jaron Fountain	2005
6	Demetrea Shelton	1993
6	Troy Nelson	1991
6	Troy Nelson	1990
6	Ricky Lindsey	1966
6	Ricky Lindsey	1968
6	Germaine Young	1984
6	Michael Edwards	1996
6	James Moore	2000
6	Jaron Fountain	2004

### Career

No.	Player	Year
20	Michael Edwards	1993-96
19	Harlon Hill	1950-53
14	Troy Nelson	1988-91
14	Melvin Brown	1979-82
14	Roger Ralph	1973-75
12	Rick Lindsey	1966-68
12	Mike Gilley	1980-83
12	James Moore	1997-00
11	Jaron Fountain	2004-05
10	Danny Kimble	1970-73
10	Germaine Young	1982-84

### RUSHING ATTEMPTS

Season	No.	Player	Year
	237	Tyrone Rush	1993
	221	Tyrone Rush	1992
	213	DeMarcus Blount	2005
	205	Tommy Compton	1988
	205	Clarence Johnson	1983
	199	Tyrone Rush	1991
	199	Robert Douthit	1960
	196	Wendell Taylor	1955
	195	Mike Wilburn	1971
	193	Clarence Johnson	1985
	187	Lawson Fletcher	1979

### Career

No.	Player	Year
791	Tyrone Rush	1989,91-93
661	DeMarcus Blount	2002-05
586	Clarence Johnson	1980-85
528	Don Cornelius	1964-67
512	Tyler Peterson	1997-00
490	Lawson Fletcher	1978-81
474	Brian Satterfield	1989-90, 92-93
463	Leonard Thomas	1968-71
436	Marc Merritt	1973-76
422	Carl McCulley	1967-70
409	Stanley Gill	1981-84
401	A.J. Lamar	1993-96

# UNA YEAR-BY-YEAR STATISTICS 1949-05

## OFFENSE

Year	Rec	G	Total Avg	Rushing Avg	Passing Avg	Scoring Avg
1949	4-5-0	9	278.1	232.2	45.9	19.9
1950	5-4-0	9				12.9
1951	6-3-0	9				21.7
1952	8-1-0	9				30.9
1953	6-1-1	8				22.5
1954	8-2-0	10	252.5	188.0	69.5	21.3
1955	7-3-0	10	311.4	247.4	64.0	20.9
1956	6-3-0	9				22.6
1957	6-4-0	10	326.2	238.7	87.5	23.9
1958	4-5-0	9	254.0	205.3	48.7	13.8
1959	5-4-1	10	266.9	200.9	66.0	17.9
1960	7-3-0	10	268.8	220.2	48.6	16.4
1961	7-3-0	10				14.4
1962	5-4-1	10				16.7
1963	3-5-2	10				11.0
1964	2-6-1	9				6.3
1965	4-6-0	10				15.0
1966	4-4-1	9	196.3	109.0	187.3	18.2
1967	2-6-1	9	309.0	125.9	183.1	20.9
1968	5-5-0	10	329.7	181.4	148.3	24.4
1969	5-4-0	9	255.8	169.8	86.0	20.7
1970	5-5-0	10	316.2	182.5	133.7	22.3
1971	1-10-0	11	300.4	157.5	142.9	11.4
1972	2-9-0	11	219.0	125.7	93.3	10.5
1973	4-6-0	10	307.3	159.2	148.1	13.8
1974	4-6-0	10	310.9	195.0	115.9	21.0
1975	6-4-0	10	350.2	215.1	135.1	27.0
1976	4-5-1	10	308.4	192.5	155.9	22.1
1977	5-5-0	10	352.8	266.4	86.4	23.0
1978	7-2-1	10	295.2	214.5	80.7	20.9
1979	6-5-0	11	321.7	208.4	113.3	16.5
1980	10-2-0	12	354.6	237.5	117.1	29.2
1981	8-2-0	10	375.4	198.4	177.0	29.9
1982	7-3-0	10	347.3	222.9	124.4	28.4
1983	11-1-1	13	380.6	220.1	160.5	32.2
1984	7-1-3	11	297.2	143.2	154.0	24.2
1985	12-2-0	14	293.8	194.1	99.7	22.8
1986	4-7-0	11	311.9	177.5	134.4	19.9
1987	7-3-1	11	230.5	98.5	132.0	17.4
1988	2-8-0	10	309.8	161.1	148.7	17.3
1989	6-5-0	11	316.7	193.6	123.1	14.0
1990	8-3-0	11	371.7	193.3	176.8	28.8
1991	3-7-0	10	290.4	181.4	109.0	16.0
1992	7-4-0	11	333.4	298.8	34.4	18.4
1993	14-0-0	14	481.0	371.1	109.9	39.7
1994	13-1-0	14	394.6	296.0	98.6	32.7
1995	14-0-0	14	409.1	310.9	98.2	36.7
1996	6-5-0	11	351.2	228.6	122.6	27.9
1997	9-3-0	12	383.6	284.9	98.7	28.7
1998	8-2-0	10	363.5	243.9	119.6	31.3
1999	5-6-0	11	372.7	219.8	152.9	20.7
2000	3-7-0	10	382.8	251.9	130.9	27.3
2001	4-6-0	10	259.0	135.9	123.1	17.4
2002	4-7-0	11	413.2	141.9	271.3	30.7
2003	13-1-0	14	446.3	179.3	267.0	38.8
2004	5-5-0	10	390.6	183.6	207.0	31.2
2005	11-3-0	14	411.1	141.5	269.6	36.4

## DEFENSE

Total Avg	Rushing Avg	Passing Avg	Scoring Avg
223.8	156.3	67.5	14.8
			8.0
			13.0
			11.8
			7.4
202.5	129.4	73.1	10.2
262.0	211.6	50.4	11.2
			17.8
219.5	148.9	70.6	11.6
264.2	192.1	72.1	19.4
292.7	227.4	65.3	18.8
228.2	132.8	75.4	15.1
			10.2
			14.9
			17.1
			14.4
			20.6
326.5	189.1	137.4	21.7
287.8	157.2	130.6	21.6
314.8	158.5	156.3	17.8
254.6	103.9	150.7	13.3
388.2	268.9	119.3	27.3
361.0	253.4	107.6	28.7
318.7	195.6	123.1	19.7
340.4	237.5	111.9	22.2
339.0	223.5	115.5	22.8
295.2	172.3	122.9	20.0
313.0	201.3	111.7	21.7
329.7	189.3	140.4	19.5
276.5	144.1	132.4	11.3
247.1	126.0	121.1	12.6
303.4	120.1	183.3	12.6
246.9	103.1	143.8	14.0
264.1	107.7	156.4	13.8
232.3	88.5	143.8	14.0
242.7	79.2	163.5	12.8
207.3	107.2	100.1	8.9
317.7	143.2	174.5	20.3
265.8	138.0	127.8	15.0
346.8	195.0	151.8	28.2
264.4	128.6	135.7	14.0
273.6	141.2	132.5	15.4
325.9	210.9	115.0	25.1
298.8	144.8	154.0	13.6
330.9	109.9	221.1	18.9
215.3	93.1	122.1	11.8
218.6	56.8	161.8	11.1
296.1	125.6	170.5	18.4
307.2	134.1	173.1	18.7
223.6	76.8	146.8	17.6
310.0	165.0	145.0	24.5
435.4	180.7	254.7	32.3
346.0	178.7	167.3	26.6
391.7	148.5	243.3	31.5
295.6	122.8	172.8	14.1
344.3	164.2	180.1	21.3
289.6	97.9	191.6	17.9

# UNA STATISTICAL RANKINGS IN THE GSC

## OFFENSE

Year	Rec	G	Total Avg	Rushing Avg	Passing Avg	Scoring Avg
1972	1-10-0	11	7th	6th	6th	8th
1973	4-6-0	10	6th	8th	3rd	7th
1974	4-6-0	10	6th	6th	5th	5th
1975	6-4-0	10	2nd	3rd	4th	<b>1st</b>
1976	4-5-1	10	4th	4th	2nd	2nd
1977	5-5-0	10	2nd	2nd	7th	2nd
1978	7-2-1	10	4th	4th	6th	3rd
1979	6-5-0	11	3rd	2nd	4th	4th
1980	10-2-0	12	2nd	<b>1st</b>	4th	<b>1st</b>
1981	8-2-0	10	<b>1st</b>	3rd	4th	2nd
1982	7-3-0	10	4th	5th	2nd	2nd
1983	11-1-1	13	2nd	<b>1st</b>	3rd	<b>1st</b>
1984	7-1-3	11	6th	5th	5th	4th
1985	12-2-0	14	8th	3rd	9th	3rd
1986	4-7-0	11	8th	4th	9th	8th
1987	5-5-1	11	9th	9th	6th	7th
1988	2-8-0	10	5th	5th	5th	7th
1989	6-5-0	11	4th	5th	5th	4th
1990	8-3-0	11	<b>1st</b>	4th	3rd	<b>1st</b>
1991	3-7-0	10	6th	5th	5th	6th
1992	7-4-1	12	5th	<b>1st</b>	7th	6th
1993	14-0-0	14	2nd	<b>1st</b>	7th	2nd
1994	13-1-0	14	2nd	<b>1st</b>	7th	2nd
1995	14-0-0	14	2nd	<b>1st</b>	9th	<b>1st</b>
1996	6-5-0	11	5th	2nd	8th	5th
1997	9-3-0	12	<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>	8th	2nd
1998	8-2-0	10	1st	2nd	8th	3rd
1999	5-6-0	11	3rd	4th	7th	8th
2000	3-7-0	10	7th	3rd	9th	8th
2001	4-6-0	10	10th	11th	8th	9th
2002	4-7-0	11	3rd	6th	4th	4th
2003	13-1-0	14	3rd	6th	5th	2nd
2004	5-5-0	10	6th	7th	7th	6th
2005	11-3-0	14	4th	9th	4th	2nd

## DEFENSE

Total Avg	Rushing Avg	Passing Avg	Scoring Avg
8th	7th	6th	8th
10th	10th	5th	9th
9th	8th	7th	9th
8th	8th	5th	8th
9th	9th	4th	9th
8th	7th	9th	8th
4th	3rd	9th	2nd
<b>1st</b>	2nd	4th	2nd
4th	<b>1st</b>	7th	3rd
<b>1st</b>	2nd	<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>
2nd	2nd	6th	<b>1st</b>
<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>	5th	<b>1st</b>
<b>1st</b>	2nd	7th	<b>1st</b>
4th	5th	4th	4th
2nd	3rd	<b>1st</b>	3rd
9th	8th	7th	9th
3rd	3rd	7th	3rd
2nd	<b>1st</b>	5th	3rd
6th	7th	<b>1st</b>	6th
<b>1st</b>	2nd	3rd	<b>1st</b>
3rd	<b>1st</b>	8th	<b>1st</b>
<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>	2nd
<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>
2nd	2nd	4th	<b>1st</b>
3rd	4th	2nd	3rd
<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>	4th	4th
4th	5th	4th	6th
10th	7th	12th	9th
9th	8th	5th	9th
9th	6th	12th	10th
<b>1st</b>	2nd	<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>
2nd	4th	<b>1st</b>	<b>1st</b>
2nd	2nd	<b>1st</b>	2nd



Brett Borden



A.J. Milwee leads Lions in goalline situation in NCAA playoffs

# LIONS IN THE NCAA DIVISION II POLLS

## Lions in Final NCAA Polls

North Alabama has been ranked in the NCAA Division II Top Twenty final poll 11 times since 1980, including an unprecedented three straight No. 1 rankings to end the 1993, 1994 and 1995 seasons.

1980	No. 3
1981	No. 10
1983	No. 3
1985	No. 2
1990	No. 15
1992	No. 16
1993	No. 1
1994	No. 1
1995	No. 1
1997	No. 13
2003	No. 2

\* The 1990, 1992, 1993, 1994 and 1995 polls were prior to the final regular-season games. No poll was done following the playoff selection.

## Lions in NCAA Polls in the 1980s

Although this listing is incomplete for several seasons, the Lions were ranked throughout the 1980s, including ranking in the season-ending Top Ten four times during the first six years of the decade.

1980	Sept. 30	No. 4
	Oct. 7	No. 4
	Oct. 14	No. 9
	Oct. 21	No. 9
	Oct. 28	No. 6
	Nov. 4	No. 6
	Nov. 11	No. 6
	Nov. 18	No. 5
	Nov. 25	No. 3
1981	Final	No. 10
1982	Oct. 30	No. 7
1983	Sept. 2	No. 10
	Oct. 3	No. 5
	Oct. 10	No. 7
	Oct. 17	No. 6
	Oct. 24	No. 4
	Oct. 31	No. 3
	Nov. 7	No. 3
	Nov. 14	No. 3
1985	Sept. 10	No. 17
	Oct. 7	No. 14
	Oct. 14	No. 11
	Oct. 21	No. 11
	Oct. 28	No. 11
	Nov. 4	No. 7

	Nov. 11	No. 6
	Nov. 18	No. 4
	Nov. 25	No. 2
1986	Sept. 22	No. 16
	Sept. 29	No. 13
1987	Sept. 29	No. 15
	Oct. 5	No. 12
	Oct. 12	No. 9
	Oct. 19	No. 7
	Oct. 26	No. 8
1989	Sept. 25	No. 20
	Oct. 9	No. 19

## Lions in NCAA Polls in the 1990s

North Alabama was ranked 57 times during the 1990s, with 27 consecutive No. 1 rankings from Oct. 11, 1993 to Sept. 9, 1996, and 36 Top Ten rankings.

1990	Sept. 24	No. 17
	Oct. 1	No. 17
	Oct. 8	No. 14
	Oct. 22	No. 17
	Oct. 29	No. 18
	Nov. 4	No. 15
1991	Preseason	No. 9
1992	Sept. 14	No. 17
	Sept. 21	No. 11
	Oct. 5	No. 19
	Oct. 12	No. 15
	Oct. 19	No. 20
	Nov. 2	No. 20
	Nov. 9	No. 16
1993	Preseason	No. 2
	Sept. 13	No. 3
	Sept. 20	No. 2
	Sept. 27	No. 2
	Oct. 4	No. 2

## Lions No. 1 in 27 straight Polls

	Oct. 11	No. 1
	Oct. 18	No. 1
	Oct. 25	No. 1
	Nov. 1	No. 1
	Nov. 8	No. 1
	Nov. 15	No. 1
1994	Preseason	No. 1
	Sept. 12	No. 1
	Sept. 19	No. 1
	Sept. 26	No. 1
	Oct. 3	No. 1
	Oct. 10	No. 1
	Oct. 17	No. 1
	Oct. 24	No. 1

	Oct. 31	No. 1
	Nov. 7	No. 1
1995	Preseason	No. 1
	Sept. 11	No. 1
	Sept. 18	No. 1
	Sept. 25	No. 1
	Oct. 2	No. 1
	Oct. 9	No. 1
	Oct. 16	No. 1
	Oct. 23	No. 1
	Oct. 30	No. 1
	Nov. 6	No. 1
1996	Preseason	No. 1
	Sept. 9	No. 9
	Sept. 16	No. 7
	Sept. 23	No. 4
	Oct. 7	No. 20
	Oct. 28	No. 15
1997	Oct. 27	No. 17
	Nov. 3	No. 17
	Nov. 10	No. 14
	Nov. 17	No. 13
1998	Aug. 24	No. 14
	Sept. 21	No. 7
	Sept. 28	No. 5
	Oct. 5	No. 5

## Lions in NCAA Polls in the 2000s

North Alabama got its first national ranking of the decade on Sept. 23, 2003.

2003	Sept. 23	No. 22
	Sept. 30	No. 13
	Oct. 7	No. 11
	Oct. 14	No. 7
	Oct. 21	No. 4
	Oct. 28	No. 3
	Nov. 4	No. 2
	Nov. 11	No. 2
	Nov. 18	No. 2
	Dec. 15	No. 5
2004	Preseason	No. 8
	Aug. 31	No. 7
	Sept. 7	No. 6
	Sept. 14	No. 6
	Sept. 21	No. 14
	Oct. 5	No. 24
	Oct. 12	No. 22
	Oct. 19	No. 23
2005	Sept. 20	No. 18
	Sept. 27	No. 14
	Oct. 4	No. 22
	Oct. 11	No. 17
	Oct. 18	No. 14
	Oct. 25	No. 18
	Nov. 1	No. 15
	Nov. 8	No. 13
	Dec. 13	No. 4

# UNA LIONS POST-SEASON RECORDS

## TEAM OFFENSE

**Rushing Attempts:** 74 vs. Hampton, 1993 Quarterfinals  
**Most Yards Rushing:** 472 vs. Hampton, 1993 Quarterfinals  
**Least Yards Rushing:** 24 vs. Fort Valley State, 1985 Quarterfinals  
**Most Pass Attempts:** 44 vs. Jacksonville State, 1990 First Round; 44 at North Dakota, 2004 Semifinal  
**Most Pass Completions:** 31 vs. North Dakota, 2003 Semifinals  
**Pass Interceptions:** 3 vs. Central State of Ohio, 1983 Semifinals; vs. Fort Valley State, 1985 Quarterfinals; vs. North Dakota State, 1985 Palm Bowl; vs. N.C. Central, 2005  
**Most Yards Passing:** 360 vs. North Dakota, 2003 Semifinals  
**Least Yards Passing:** 12 vs. Valdosta State, 1994 Quarterfinals  
**Most Total Plays:** 87 vs. Hampton, 1993 Quarterfinals  
**Most Total Yards:** 570 vs. Hampton, 1993 Quarterfinals  
**Least Total Yards:** 64 vs. Fort Valley State, 1985 Quarterfinals  
**Most First Downs:** 30 vs. Hampton, 1993 Quarterfinals  
**Least First Downs:** 4 vs. Fort Valley State, 1985 Quarterfinals  
**Most Points Scored:** 48 vs. Southern Arkansas, 2003 First Round  
**Least Points Scored:** 7 vs. Carson-Newman, 1997 First Round

## TEAM DEFENSE

**Least Yards Allowed Rushing:** 41 vs. Hampton, 1992 First Round; 1 vs. Albany State, 1995 First Round  
**Most Yards Allowed Rushing:** 288 vs. Jacksonville State, 1992 Quarterfinals  
**Least Yards Allowed Passing:** 18 vs. Jacksonville State, 1992 Quarterfinals;  
**Most Yards Allowed Passing:** 299 vs. Indiana-Pennsylvania, 1993 Championship Game; 378 vs. Albany State, 1995 First Round  
**Least Total Yards Allowed:** 182 vs. North Dakota, 1994 Semifinals; 176 vs. Pittsburg State, 1995 Championship Game  
**Most Total Yards Allowed:** 489 vs. Eastern Illinois, 1980 Semifinals  
**Least Points Allowed:** 0 vs. Bloomsburg, 1985 Semifinals  
**Most Points Allowed:** 56 vs. Eastern Illinois, 1980 Semifinals  
**Least First Downs Allowed:** 8 vs. North Dakota, 1994 Semifinals

**Most First Downs Allowed:** 24 vs. Eastern Illinois, 1980 Semifinals

## INDIVIDUAL-GAME

**Rushes:** 33, DeMarcus Blount vs. Valdosta State, 2005 First Round (128 yds)  
**Yards Rushing:** 216, Brian Satterfield vs. Texas A&M-Kingsville, 1993 Semifinals  
**Pass Attempts:** 42, Will Hall vs. North Dakota, 2003 Semifinal (30 comp.)  
**Pass Completions:** 30, Will Hall vs. North Dakota, 2003 Semifinals (43 att)  
**Pass Interceptions:** 3, Dallas Metcalf vs. Fort Valley State, 1985 Quarterfinals; 3 by Vinnie Saylor vs. N.C. Central, 2005  
**Yards Passing:** 337, Will Hall vs. North Dakota, 2003 Semifinals  
**Total Offense:** 366, Will Hall vs. Southern Arkansas, 2003 First Round  
**Pass Receptions:** 7, Anthony Merritt vs. NW Missouri State (73 yards) 2005 semifinal; David Mooneyham vs. Carson-Newman (68 yards), 2003 Quarterfinals; Brian Bester vs. North Dakota (88 yards), 2003 Semifinals  
**Yards Receiving:** 125, Taris Birt vs. Carson-Newman, 2003 Quarterfinals (3 catches)  
**Touchdown Passes:** 3, Will Hall vs. Carson-Newman, 2003 Quarterfinals; 3 by A.J. Milwee vs. Central Arkansas, 2005 Quarterfinals  
**Touchdowns Rushing:** 3, Cody Gross vs. Hampton, 1992 First Round  
**Touchdown Receptions:** 3, Chip Long vs. Central Arkansas, 2005 Quarterfinals  
**Punts:** 9, Harlow Fikes vs. Fort Valley State, 1985  
**Punting Average:** 40.0, Harlow Fikes vs. Bloomsburg, 1985 Semifinals; vs. Virginia Union, 1983 Quarterfinals  
**Longest Run:** 90, Kenyatta Jones vs. Texas A&M-Kingsville, 1994 Championship (TD)  
**Longest Pass Completion:** 69, Will Hall to Taris Birt vs. Carson-Newman, 2003 Quarterfinals (no TD)  
**Longest Punt:** 73 Guy Cox vs. Virginia Union, 1980 Quarterfinals  
**Longest Kickoff Return:** 88, Michael Edwards vs. North Dakota, 1994 Semifinals  
**Longest Punt Return:** 38, Anthony Merritt vs. Valdosta State, 2005 First Round  
**Longest Field Goal:** 47, Nelson McMurray vs. Eastern Illinois, 1980 Semifinals; James Knowles vs. Virginia Union, 1983 Quarterfinals  
**Longest Pass Interception Return:** 68, Blake Farris vs. Valdosta State, 2005 First Round  
**Total Points Scored:** 18, Cody Gross vs. Hampton, 1992 First Round; Chip Long vs.

Central Arkansas, 2005 Quarterfinals  
**PAT's:** 6, Travis Johnston vs. Southern Arkansas, 2003 First Round  
**Field Goals:** 3, James Knowles vs. Virginia Union, 1983 Quarterfinals

## INDIVIDUAL TOURNAMENT

**Yards Rushing:** 586, Brian Satterfield in 1993 (4 games)  
**Pass Attempts:** 105, Vinnie Saylor in 2005  
**Pass Completions:** 77, Will Hall in 2003  
**Pass Interceptions:** 6, Dallas Metcalf in 1985 (3 games), Vinnie Saylor in 2005 (4 games)  
**Yards Passing:** 945, Will Hall in 2003  
**Total Offense:** 981, Will Hall in 2003 (3 games)  
**Pass Receptions:** 22, Anthony Merritt in 2005 (4 games)  
**Yards Receiving:** 285, Anthony Merritt in 2005 (4 games) 22 catches  
**TD Passes:** 7, Will Hall in 2003  
**TD Rushes:** 5, Cody Gross and Brian Satterfield in 1993 (4 games); 5, Jermaine Roberts in 1995 (4 games)  
**TD Receptions:** 3, Chip Long in 2005 (3 games)  
**Punts:** 22, Lee Morris in 1994 (4 games)  
**Total Points:** 36, Jermaine Roberts in 1995 (4 games)  
**Total Points Scored by Kicking:** 30, Yuta Fukuda in 2005 (4 games), 5 FG, 15 PAT  
**PAT's:** 19, Jamie Stoddard in 1993 (4 games)  
**Field Goals Made:** 6, Jamie Stoddard in 1994 (4 games)



Chip Long

# UNA LIONS IN THE DIVISION II PLAYOFFS

**APPEARANCES: 11, TOTAL GAMES: 30, RECORD: 22-8**

**at Home: 18-4, on Road: 4-4**

**CHAMPIONSHIPS: 3**



- 1980**
  - Quarterfinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 17, Virginia Union 8
  - Semifinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
Eastern Illinois 56, North Alabama 31
- 1983**
  - Quarterfinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 16, Virginia Union 14
  - Semifinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
Central State 27, North Alabama 24
- 1985**
  - Quarterfinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 14, Fort Valley State 7
  - Semifinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 34, Bloomsburg 0
  - Championship - at McAllen, Texas**  
North Dakota State 35, North Alabama 7
- 1990**
  - First Round - at Jacksonville, Alabama**  
Jacksonville State 38, North Alabama 14
- 1992**
  - First Round - at Hampton, Virginia**  
North Alabama 33, Hampton 21
  - Quarterfinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
Jacksonville State 14, North Alabama 12
- 1993**
  - First Round - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 38, Carson-Newman 28
  - Quarterfinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 45, Hampton 20
  - Semifinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 27, Texas A&M-Kingsville 25
  - Championship - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 41, Indiana-Pennsylvania 34
- 1994**
  - First Round - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 17, Carson-Newman 13
  - Quarterfinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 27, Valdosta State 24 (2 OT)
  - Semifinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 35, North Dakota 7
  - Championship - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 16, Texas A&M-Kingsville 10
- 1995**
  - First Round - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 38, Albany State 28
  - Quarterfinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 28, Carson-Newman 7
  - Semifinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 45, Ferris State 7
  - Championship - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 27, Pittsburg State 7
- 1997**
  - First Round - at Jefferson City, Tennessee**  
Carson-Newman 21, North Alabama 7
- 2003**
  - First Round - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 48, Southern Arkansas 24
  - Quarterfinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
North Alabama 41, Carson-Newman 9
  - Semifinals - at Grand Forks, North Dakota**  
North Dakota 29, North Alabama 22
- 2005**
  - First Round - at Valdosta, Georgia**  
North Alabama 40, Valdosta State 13
  - Second Round - at Durham, North Carolina**  
North Alabama 24, N.C. Central 21
  - Quarterfinals - at Conway, Arkansas**  
North Alabama 41, Central Arkansas 38 (OT)
  - Semifinals - at Florence, Alabama**  
Northwest Missouri State 26, North Alabama 25



*Beau Tanner celebrates with lineman Fred Wilkins (66) and Tim Hunt (46) after making the game winning field goal on the final play of UNA's 24-21 win over North Carolina Central*



*Lion place-kicker Yuta Fukuda gets a victory ride after making the game-winning field goal in 41-38 overtime win against Central Arkansas in 2005 Quarterfinals*

# ALL-TIME LION SCORES



Head Coach  
**Hal Self**

1949-69  
Record 109-81-8

## 1949 (4-5-0) Hal Self

9-29	at Jacksonville State	7-12
10-8	SAMFORD	28-7
10-15	St. Bernard JUCO	28-0
10-22	WEST ALABAMA	13-14
10-29	at Troy State	6-19
11-5	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	16-54
11-12	at Bethel College	32-0
11-19	TENNESSEE-MARTIN (JUCO)	53-0
11-26	AUSTIN PEAY	6-27
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>189-133</b>

## 1950 (5-4-0) Hal Self

9-23	COLLEGE OF THE OZARKS	2-0
9-30	at Austin Peay	0-6
10-7	Samford (N)	7-0
10-14	ST. BERNARD (JUCO)	48-0
10-21	at West Alabama	0-19
10-24	TROY STATE	0-19
10-31	at Middle Tennessee State	14-26
11-1	BETHEL	39-2
11-7	JACKSONVILLE STATE	6-0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>116-72</b>

## 1951 (6-3-0) Hal Self

9-22	UNION	44-0
9-29	AUSTIN PEAY	27-7
10-6	SAMFORD	30-6
10-13	at Arkansas State	13-35
10-20	WEST ALABAMA	12-9
10-27	at Troy State	31-6
11-3	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	0-21
11-10	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	32-20
11-17	at Jacksonville State	6-13
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>195-117</b>

## 1952 (8-1-0) Hal Self

9-20	at Union Univ.	51-7
9-27	at Austin Peay	9-0
10-4	HENDERSON STATE	47-21
10-11	ARKANSAS STATE	7-28
10-18	at West Alabama	32-6
10-25	TROY STATE	29-6
11-1	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	34-18
11-8	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	28-6
11-15	JACKSONVILLE STATE	41-14
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>278-106</b>

## 1953 (6-1-1) Hal Self

9-26	at Tennessee Tech	7-14
10-3	AUSTIN PEAY	14-13
10-10	at Arkansas State	13-13
10-17	WEST ALABAMA	40-6
10-24	SAMFORD	40-7
10-31	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	14-7
11-7	at Troy State	26-6
11-14	at Jacksonville State	26-0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>180-66</b>

## 1954 (8-2-0) Hal Self

TENNESSEE TECH	20-7
at Pensacola Navy	0-21
at Austin Peay	13-7
ARKANSAS STATE	26-7
at Livingston	32-0
MURRAY STATE	20-13
at Middle Tennessee State	26-27
TROY STATE	28-6
JACKSONVILLE STATE	21-0
at East Tennessee	27-14
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>213-102</b>

## 1955 (7-3-0) Hal Self

9-17	at Tennessee Tech	7-26
9-24	HENDERSON STATE	33-7
10-1	AUSTIN PEAY	13-7
10-8	at Arkansas State	12-7
10-15	WEST ALABAMA	52-0
10-22	at Murray State	7-14
10-29	at Middle Tennessee State	21-25
11-5	at Troy State	30-7
11-12	at Jacksonville State	21-7
11-19	EAST TENNESSEE	13-12
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>209-112</b>

## 1956 (6-3-0) Hal Self

9-15	TENNESSEE TECH	6-20
9-22	MURRAY STATE	19-18
9-29	at Austin Peay	6-19
10-6	ARKANSAS STATE	13-39
10-13	at West Alabama	21-18
10-20	at East Tennessee	21-7
11-3	TROY STATE	27-6
11-10	JACKSONVILLE STATE	27-14
11-17	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI ST.	63-13
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>203-154</b>

## 1957 (6-4-0) Hal Self

9-14	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	0-26
9-21	at Tennessee Tech	20-0
9-28	at Murray State	0-7
10-5	at Arkansas State	13-15
10-19	SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	19-21
10-26	EAST TENNESSEE STATE	19-13
11-2	at Troy State	41-14
11-9	MORNINGSIDE	40-0
11-16	AUSTIN PEAY	40-13
11-23	WEST ALABAMA	47-7
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>239-116</b>

## 1958 (4-5-0) Hal Self

9-27	MURRAY STATE	6-20
10-4	ARKANSAS STATE	19-0
10-11	WEST ALABAMA	32-14
10-18	at Southeastern Louisiana	7-40
10-25	TROY STATE	20-14

11-1	at Middle Tennessee State	6-36
11-8	MCNEESE STATE	0-20
11-15	TENNESSEE TECH	14-20
11-22	at Austin Peay	20-13
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>124-177</b>

## 1959 (5-4-1) Hal Self

9-19	at Tennessee Tech	14-14
9-26	at Murray State	13-6
10-3	at Arkansas State	16-14
10-10	WEST ALABAMA	19-0
10-17	SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	21-28
10-24	at Troy State	34-14
10-31	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	26-34
11-7	at McNeese State	7-28
11-14	AUSTIN PEAY	22-8
11-21	at Vanderbilt	7-42
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>179-188</b>

## 1960 (7-3-0) Hal Self

9-17	at Delta State	0-12
9-24	MURRAY STATE	20-15
10-1	ARKANSAS STATE	0-19
10-8	WEST ALABAMA	23-6
10-15	at Southeastern Louisiana	6-32
10-22	TROY STATE	38-0
10-29	at Middle Tennessee State	7-6
11-5	at Jacksonville St.	14-7
11-12	at Austin Peay	35-34
11-19	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	21-20
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>164-151</b>

## 1961 (7-3-0) Hal Self

9-16	DELTA STATE	9-6
9-23	at Murray State	9-6
9-30	at Arkansas State	6-14
10-7	WEST ALABAMA	49-0
10-14	SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	6-33
10-21	at Troy State	14-8
10-28	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	3-13
11-4	JACKSONVILLE STATE	17-0
11-11	AUSTIN PEAY	14-8
11-18	at Tennessee-Martin	17-14
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>144-102</b>

## 1962 (5-4-1) Hal Self

9-15	at Jacksonville State	7-7
9-22	NORTHWEST LOUISIANA	21-14
9-29	ARKANSAS STATE	14-23
10-6	at West Alabama	27-7
10-13	at Southeastern Louisiana	7-25
10-20	TROY STATE	27-6
10-27	at Middle Tennessee	2-33
11-3	at Delta State	14-26
11-10	at Austin Peay	17-0
11-17	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	31-8
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>167-149</b>

## 1963 (3-5-2) Hal Self

9-14	JACKSONVILLE STATE	0-0
9-21	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	13-41
9-28	at Arkansas State	12-14
10-5	WEST ALABAMA	35-7
10-12	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	0-0
10-19	at Troy State	8-7
10-26	at Northwest Louisiana	14-33
11-2	DELTA STATE	20-17
11-9	at Tennessee-Chattanooga	6-25
11-16	at Tennessee-Martin	2-27

# ALL-TIME LION SCORES

## TOTALS 110-171

### 1964 (2-6-1) Hal Self

9-19	at Middle Tennessee State	3-21
9-26	ARKANSAS STATE	3-10
10-3	at West Alabama	6-6
10-10	at Mississippi College	0-3
10-24	TROY STATE	7-21
10-31	at Delta State	14-34
11-7	LOUISIANA COLLEGE	16-7
11-14	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	8-0
11-21	at Jacksonville State	0-28

## TOTALS 57-130

### 1965 (4-6-0) Hal Self

9-18	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	14-44
9-25	at Arkansas State	12-33
10-2	WEST ALABAMA	42-28
10-9	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	7-21
10-16	at Henderson State	16-15
10-23	at Troy State	35-16
10-30	DELTA STATE	7-16
11-6	at Louisiana College	0-13
11-13	at Tennessee-Martin	17-14
11-20	JACKSONVILLE STATE	0-6

## TOTALS 150-206

### 1966 (4-4-1) Hal Self

9-17	at Jacksonville State	0-20
9-24	ARKANSAS STATE	7-27
10-1	at West Alabama	10-0
10-8	at Mississippi College	14-7
10-15	HENDERSON STATE	28-20
10-22	TROY STATE	35-34
10-29	at Delta State	21-32
11-12	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	18-24
11-19	SAMFORD	31-31

## TOTALS 164-195

### 1967 (2-6-1) Hal Self

9-16	JACKSONVILLE STATE	14-23
9-23	GORDN MILITARY	52-14
9-30	WEST ALABAMA	28-7
10-7	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	22-28
10-14	at Henderson State	21-27
10-21	at Troy State	19-31
10-28	DELTA STATE	18-28
11-11	at Tennessee-Martin	0-22
11-18	SAMFORD	14-14

## TOTALS 188-194

### 1968 (5-5-0) Hal Self

9-21	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	12-14
9-28	at Delta State	16-24
10-5	at West Alabama	23-27
10-12	at Mississippi College	35-14
10-19	HENDERSON STATE	10-21
10-26	TROY STATE	0-41
11-2	SAMFORD	36-10
11-9	LOUISIANA COLLEGE	37-0
11-16	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	37-17
11-23	at Jacksonville State	38-10

## TOTALS 244-178

### 1969 (5-4-0) Hal Self

9-13	NORTHWEST LOUISIANA	27-3
9-20	at Central Arkansas	28-0
9-27	DELTA STATE	10-16
10-4	WEST ALABAMA	17-13
10-18	at Henderson State	7-8
10-25	at Troy State	10-31

11-1	at Samford	15-24
11-15	at Tennessee-Martin	51-7
11-22	JACKSONVILLE STATE	23-18

## TOTALS 188-120



### 1970 (5-5-0) Durell Mock

9-12	at Northwest Louisiana	21-42
9-19	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	28-17
9-26	at Delta State	13-26
10-3	at West Alabama	21-14
10-10	at Arkansas Tech	28-26
10-17	HENDERSON STATE	30-20
10-24	TROY STATE	23-28
10-31	SAMFORD	24-10
11-14	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	7-35
11-21	at Jacksonville State	28-55

## TOTALS 223-273

### 1971 (1-10-0) Durell Mock

9-11	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	24-14
9-18	at Central Arkansas	13-14
9-25	DELTA STATE	10-17
10-2	at Samford	7-28
10-9	ARKANSAS TECH	30-31
10-16	at Henderson State	7-21
10-23	at Troy State	14-21
10-30	WEST ALABAMA	0-31
11-6	at Appalachian State	6-59
11-13	at Tennessee-Martin	7-20
11-20	JACKSONVILLE STATE (N)	7-60

## TOTALS 125-316

### 1972 (2-9-0) Durell Mock

9-9	at Middle Tennessee State	10-31
9-16	SAMFORD	10-24
9-23	at Delta State	17-7
9-30	at West Alabama	6-17
10-7	at Mississippi College	6-14
10-14	NORTHWEST LOUISIANA	7-14
10-21	TROY STATE	0-33
10-28	HENDERSON STATE	21-0
11-4	at Appalachian State	3-17
11-11	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	16-21
11-18	at Jacksonville State	20-39

## TOTALS 116-217



### 1973 (4-6-0) Mickey Andrews

9-8	at Southeastern Louisiana	0-26
9-22	DELTA STATE	21-18
9-29	WEST ALABAMA	13-12
10-6	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	7-26
10-13	at Northwest Louisiana	14-27
10-20	at Troy State	7-36
10-27	at Nicholls State	27-11
11-3	APPALACHIAN STATE	21-7
11-10	at Tennessee-Martin	16-17
11-17	JACKSONVILLE STATE	12-42

## TOTALS 138-222

### 1974 (4-6-0) Mickey Andrews

9-14	SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	0-26
9-21	at West Alabama	16-28
10-5	at Delta State	10-26
10-12	at Western Carolina	7-32
10-19	at Austin Peay	14-20
10-26	TROY STATE	29-36
11-2	at Mississippi College	30-23
11-9	NICHOLLS STATE	17-8
11-16	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	42-10
11-23	at Jacksonville State	28-24

## TOTALS 210-228

### 1975 (6-4-0) Mickey Andrews

9-13	at Southeastern Louisiana	15-28
9-20	WEST ALABAMA	7-14
10-4	DELTA STATE	9-21
10-11	at Alabama A&M	48-29
10-18	AUSTIN PEAY	23-6
10-25	at Troy State	49-26
11-1	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	41-14
11-8	at Nicholls State	27-28
11-15	at Tennessee-Martin	30-20
11-22	JACKSONVILLE STATE	21-14

## TOTALS 270-200

### 1976 (4-5-1) Mickey Andrews

9-11	SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	28-28
9-18	at West Alabama	24-27
10-2	at Delta State	20-17
10-9	ALABAMA A&M	47-21
10-16	at Austin Peay	14-21
10-23	TROY STATE	3-17

# ALL-TIME LION SCORES

10-30	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	7-31
11-6	NICHOLLS STATE	37-7
11-13	at Mississippi College	34-20
11-20	at Jacksonville State	7-28
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>221-217</b>



Head Coach  
**Wayne Grubb**  
1977-87  
Record 84-33-6  
\* two wins later forfeited

<b>1977 (5-5-0) Wayne Grubb</b>		
9-10	at East Tennessee	37-21
9-17	WEST ALABAMA	42-9
9-24	at Southeastern Louisiana	29-7
10-1	DELTA STATE	28-21
10-8	at Alabama A&M	28-7
10-15	AUSTIN PEAY	6-13
10-22	at Troy State	27-34
10-29	at Tennessee-Martin	13-31
11-12	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	0-28
11-19	JACKSONVILLE STATE	20-24
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>230-195</b>

<b>1978 (7-2-1) Wayne Grubb</b>		
9-9	at Carson-Newman	34-17
9-16	at West Alabama	19-7
9-23	SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	7-7
9-30	at Delta State	17-7
10-7	ALABAMA A&M	40-16
10-14	at Austin Peay	10-6
10-21	TROY STATE	0-17
10-28	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	38-17
11-11	at Mississippi College	30-0
11-18	at Jacksonville State	14-19
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>209-113</b>

<b>1979 (6-5-0) Wayne Grubb</b>		
9-1	LANGSTON	28-7
9-8	at Middle Tennessee State	20-17
9-15	WEST ALABAMA	6-0
9-22	at Tuskegee Institute	26-7
9-29	DELTA STATE	30-7
10-6	at Alabama A&M	3-6
10-20	at Troy State	14-27
10-27	at Tennessee-Martin	9-10
11-3	EAST TENNESSEE	7-27
11-10	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	10-17
11-17	JACKSONVILLE STATE	28-14
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>181-139</b>

## 1980 (10-2-0) Wayne Grubb Gulf South Conference Champs NCAA Division II Playoffs

9-6	MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE	36-0
9-20	at West Alabama	20-3
9-27	TUSKEGEE	25-13
10-4	at Delta State	45-7
10-11	ALABAMA A&M	28-32
10-18	CENTRAL FLORIDA	28-3
10-25	TROY STATE	31-22
11-1	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	26-17
11-15	at Mississippi College	28-22
11-22	at Jacksonville State	35-28
<b>(NCAA DIVISION II PLAYOFFS)</b>		
11-29	VIRGINIA UNION	17-8
12-6	EASTERN ILLINOIS	31-56
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>350-211</b>

<b>1981 (8-2-0) Wayne Grubb</b>		
9-5	LANE	41-0
9-19	WEST ALABAMA	9-19
10-3	DELTA STATE	41-7
10-10	at Alabama A&M	32-20
10-17	LANGSTON	36-6
10-24	at Troy State	24-13
10-31	at Tennessee-Martin	37-10
11-7	at Southwest Missouri State	28-21
11-14	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	37-23
11-21	JACKSONVILLE STATE	14-21
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>299-140</b>

<b>1982 (7-3-0) Wayne Grubb</b>		
9-4	SOUTHWEST MISSOURI ST.	17-3
9-11	MILES	45-6
9-18	at West Alabama	3-14
10-2	at Delta State	27-19
10-9	ALABAMA A&M	38-17
10-16	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	33-10
10-23	TROY STATE	38-6
10-30	at Valdosta State	53-7
11-13	at Mississippi College	20-28
11-20	at Jacksonville State	10-28
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>284-138</b>

## 1983 (11-1-1) Wayne Grubb Gulf South Conference Champs NCAA Division II Playoffs

9-3	MILES	38-0
9-17	WEST ALABAMA	15-12
9-24	at Central Florida	47-20
10-1	DELTA STATE	53-33
10-8	at Alabama A&M	20-20
10-15	at Tennessee-Martin	35-7
10-22	at Troy State	42-21
10-29	VALDOSTA STATE	27-0
11-5	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	28-0
11-12	at West Georgia	49-7
11-19	JACKSONVILLE STATE	24-21
<b>(NCAA Division II Playoffs)</b>		
11-26	VIRGINIA UNION	16-14
12-3	CENTRAL STATE-OHIO	24-27
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>418-182</b>

<b>1984 (7-1-3) Wayne Grubb</b>		
9-1	MILES	28-0
9-8	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	24-24
9-22	at Savannah State	37-3
9-29	at Delta State	7-7
10-6	ALABAMA A&M	26-12

10-13	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	10-10
10-20	at Jacksonville State	34-13
10-27	TROY STATE	13-10
11-3	at West Alabama	28-35
11-10	WEST GEORGIA	24-3
11-17	at Valdosta State	35-24
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>266-141</b>

## 1985 (12-2-0) Wayne Grubb Gulf South Conference Champs NCAA Division II Runner-up

8-31	MILES	40-0
9-7	at Mississippi College	13-17
9-28	SAVANNAH STATE	43-22
10-5	DELTA STATE	12-3
10-12	at Alabama A&M	6-3
10-19	at Tennessee-Martin	38-7
10-26	JACKSONVILLE STATE	23-10
11-2	at Troy State	9-7
11-9	WEST ALABAMA	17-0
11-16	at West Georgia	19-14
11-23	VALDOSTA STATE	45-0
<b>(NCAA Division II Playoffs)</b>		
11-30	FORT VALLEY STATE	14-7
12-7	BLOOMSBURG	34-0
<b>(Palm Bowl, McAllen, Texas)</b>		
12-14	North Dakota State	7-35
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>320-125</b>

<b>1986 (4-7-0) Wayne Grubb</b>		
8-30	MILES	48-20
9-13	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	6-21
9-20	WEST ALABAMA	14-3
10-4	at Delta State	24-27
10-11	ALABAMA A&M	26-0
10-18	Tennessee-Martin	3-7
10-25	at Jacksonville State	26-29
11-1	TROY STATE	9-38
11-8	at West Alabama	21-17
11-15	WEST GEORGIA	35-37
11-22	at Valdosta State	7-24
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>219-223</b>

<b>1987 (7-3-1) Wayne Grubb</b>		
9-5	* MILES	46-7
9-12	* VIRGINIA STATE	25-13
9-19	at Mississippi College	24-20
10-3	DELTA STATE	24-12
10-10	at Alabama A&M	16-14
10-17	at Tennessee-Martin	3-0
10-24	JACKSONVILLE STATE	10-10
10-31	at Troy State	3-38
11-7	WEST ALABAMA	10-12
11-14	at West Georgia	13-23
11-21	VALDOSTA STATE	17-16
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>191-165</b>

\* 2 wins later forfeited for using an ineligible player

# ALL-TIME LION SCORES



Head Coach  
**Bobby Wallace**  
1988-97

*Record 82-36-1*

## 1988 (2-8-0) Bobby Wallace

9-3	ALABAMA A&M	16-17
9-10	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	35-42
9-24	at Delta State	27-24
10-1	at Central Florida	33-35
10-8	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	14-38
10-15	at Jacksonville State	3-38
10-22	TROY STATE	7-30
10-29	at West Alabama	10-7
11-5	WEST GEORGIA	0-16
11-12	at Valdosta State	28-35
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>173-282</b>

## 1989 (6-5-0) Bobby Wallace

9-2	Alabama A&M (B'ham)	19-7
9-9	at Mississippi College	0-34
9-16	ALBANY STATE	17-3
9-23	DELTA STATE	31-12
9-30	CENTRAL FLORIDA	16-17
10-7	at Tennessee-Martin	28-6
10-14	JACKSONVILLE STATE	3-12
10-21	at Troy State	16-23
10-28	WEST ALABAMA	30-0
11-4	at West Georgia	27-17
11-11	VALDOSTA STATE	21-24
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>208-155</b>

## 1990 (8-3-0) Bobby Wallace

<i>NCAA Division II Playoffs</i>		
9-1	ALABAMA A&M	25-0
9-8	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	10-21
9-15	at Albany State	37-23
9-22	at Delta State	15-13
10-6	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	49-0
10-13	at Jacksonville State	25-41
10-20	TROY STATE	17-6
10-27	at West Alabama	54-10
11-3	WEST GEORGIA	45-7
11-10	at Valdosta State	26-10
<i>(NCAA Division II Playoffs)</i>		
11-17	at Jacksonville State	14-38
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>317-169</b>

## 1991 (3-7-0) Bobby Wallace

9-7	at Central Missouri	28-7
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9-14	at Mississippi College	3-31
9-28	DELTA STATE	6-31
10-5	NEWBERRY	21-7
10-12	FORT VALLEY STATE	23-34
10-19	at Jacksonville State	13-48
10-26	at Troy State	9-31
11-2	WEST ALABAMA	14-0
11-9	at West Georgia	26-28
11-16	VALDOSTA STATE	27-34
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>170-251</b>

## 1992 (7-4-1) Bobby Wallace

<i>NCAA Division II Playoffs</i>		
9-5	CENTRAL MISSOURI STATE	17-16
9-12	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	14-6
9-19	ALABAMA A&M	15-7
9-26	at Delta State	10-14
10-10	at Fort Valley State	41-7
10-17	JACKSONVILLE STATE	6-10
10-24	TROY STATE	10-24
10-31	at West Alabama	20-13
11-7	WEST GEORGIA	19-7
11-14	at Valdosta State	24-24

### *(NCAA Division II Playoffs)*

11-21	at Hampton	33-21
11-28	JACKSONVILLE STATE	12-14
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>221-163</b>

## 1993 (14-0-0) Bobby Wallace

### *Gulf South Conference Champs NCAA Division II Champions*

9-4	FORT VALLEY STATE	36-14
9-18	at Alabama A&M	49-7
9-25	DELTA STATE	58-17
10-2	at Portland State	44-32
10-9	at Mississippi College	38-28
10-16	HENDERSON STATE	17-0
10-23	at Central Arkansas	27-10
10-30	WEST ALABAMA	65-15
11-6	at Valdosta State	31-21
11-13	WEST GEORGIA	41-14
<i>(NCAA Division II Playoffs)</i>		
11-20	CARSON-NEWMAN	38-28
11-27	HAMPTON	45-20
12-4	TEXAS A&M-KINGSVILLE	27-25
<i>(National Championship Game)</i>		
12-11	INDIANA-PENNSYLVANIA	41-34
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>557-265</b>

## 1994 (13-1-0) Bobby Wallace

### *Gulf South Conference Champs NCAA Division II Champions*

9-3	at Fort Valley State	35-0
9-10	ALABAMA A&M	58-13
9-17	MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE	24-0
9-24	at Delta State	38-0
10-8	at Youngstown State	14-17
10-15	at Henderson State	41-7
10-22	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	28-21
10-29	at West Alabama	50-7
11-5	VALDOSTA STATE	38-21
11-12	at West Georgia	37-25
<i>(NCAA Division II Playoffs)</i>		
11-19	CARSON-NEWMAN	17-13
11-26	VALDOSTA STATE (2 OT)	27-24
12-3	NORTH DAKOTA	35-7

### *(National Championship Game)*

12-10	TEXAS A&M-KINGSVILLE	16-10
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>458-165</b>

## 1995 (14-0-0) Bobby Wallace

### *Gulf South Conference Champs NCAA Division II Champions*

9-2	ALBANY STATE	41-13
9-9	at Alabama A&M	49-0
9-23	at Delta State	30-0
9-30	at Mississippi College	41-3
10-7	WEST GEORGIA	34-19
10-14	at Central Arkansas	28-7
10-21	HENDERSON STATE	33-28
10-28	VALDOSTA STATE	26-9
11-4	at Arkansas Tech	52-17
11-11	WEST ALABAMA	42-10
<i>(NCAA Division II Playoffs)</i>		
11-18	ALBANY STATE	38-28
11-25	CARSON-NEWMAN	28-7
12-2	FERRIS STATE	45-7
<i>(National Championship Game)</i>		
12-9	PITTSBURG STATE	27-7
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>514-155</b>

## 1996 (6-5-0) Bobby Wallace

8-31	at Albany State	10-17
9-7	ALABAMA A&M	47-0
9-14	SOUTHERN ARKANSAS	27-9
9-21	at Texas A&M-Kingsville	24-7
9-28	ARKANSAS TECH	35-38
10-5	at Valdosta State (3 OT)	31-34
10-19	DELTA STATE	27-17
10-26	at Henderson State	17-3
11-2	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	20-21
11-9	at West Georgia	31-32
11-16	at West Alabama	38-24
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>307-202</b>

## 1997 (9-3-0) Bobby Wallace

### *NCAA Division II Playoffs*

9-6	at Alabama A&M	49-20
9-13	at Southern Arkansas	7-16
9-20	TEXAS A&M-KINGSVILLE	17-12
9-27	at Arkansas Tech	45-24
10-4	VALDOSTA STATE	0-21
10-11	at SW Louisiana (4 OT)	48-42
10-18	at Delta State	17-10
10-25	HENDERSON STATE	42-20
11-1	at Central Arkansas	35-6
11-8	WEST GEORGIA	21-18
11-15	WEST ALABAMA	56-14

### *(NCAA Division II Playoffs)*



# ALL-TIME LION SCORES



Head Coach  
**Bill Hyde**  
1998-2001  
*Record 20-21*

9-8	at Arkansas-Monticello	12-28
9-21	DELTA STATE	3-21
9-29	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	21-42
10-6	at Henderson State	22-7
10-13	at Ouachita Baptist	28-21
10-20	HARDING	14-17
10-27	at Valdosta State	7-54
11-3	at West Georgia	0-49
11-10	WEST ALABAMA	30-0
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>174-266</b>



Head Coach  
**Mark Hudspeth**  
2002-Present  
*Record 33-16*

11-22	at Carson-Newman	7-21
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>344-224</b>
	<b>1998 (8-2-0) Bill Hyde</b>	
9-5	Carson-Newman (N)	27-24
9-12	at Southern Arkansas	14-21
9-26	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	31-21
10-3	at Arkansas-Monticello	51-17
10-10	at West Georgia	17-24
10-17	DELTA STATE	17-10
10-24	at Henderson State	41-7
10-31	ARKANSAS TECH	42-21
11-7	at Valdosta State	35-7
11-14	WEST ALABAMA	38-24
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>313-176</b>

	<b>1999 (5-6-0) Bill Hyde</b>	
9-4	PITTSBURG STATE	21-28
9-11	SOUTHERN ARKANSAS	14-24
9-18	at Elon	15-35
9-25	at Central Arkansas	24-17
10-2	ARKANSAS-MONTICELLO	16-13
10-9	WEST GEORGIA	7-21
10-16	at Delta State	7-33
10-23	HENDERSON STATE (OT)	21-14
10-30	at Arkansas Tech	21-24
11-6	VALDOSTA STATE	31-28
11-13	at West Alabama	51-33
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>228-270</b>

	<b>2000 (3-7-0) Bill Hyde</b>	
9-2	at Pittsburg State (OT)	21-28
9-9	ARKANSAS-MONTICELLO	21-40
9-23	at Delta State	35-42
9-30	at Central Arkansas	37-35
10-7	HENDERSON STATE	24-17
10-14	OUACHITA BAPTIST	29-30
10-21	at Harding	36-37
10-28	VALDOSTA STATE	21-45
11-4	WEST GEORGIA	28-35
11-11	at West Alabama	21-14
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>273-323</b>

	<b>2001 (4-6-0) Bill Hyde</b>	
9-1	LAMBUTH	37-27

	<b>2002 (4-7-0) Mark Hudspeth</b>	
8-29	at Samford (2 ot)	21-24
9-7	at Lambuth	24-17
9-21	HARDING	38-45
9-28	at Arkansas-Monticello	14-30
10-5	SOUTHERN ARKANSAS	33-43
10-12	at Ouachita Baptist	24-38
10-19	ARKANSAS TECH	49-14
10-26	at Central Arkansas	47-33
11-2	VALDOSTA STATE	28-45
11-9	WEST GEORGIA	36-26
11-16	at West Alabama	24-31
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>338-346</b>

	<b>2003 (13-1-0) Mark Hudspeth</b>	
	<i>Gulf South Conference Champs</i>	
	<i>NCAA Division II Playoffs</i>	
9-6	STILLMAN	68-7
9-13	at Jacksonville State	28-16
9-20	at Harding	38-3
9-27	ARKANSAS-MONTICELLO	41-20
10-4	at Southern Arkansas	21-14
10-11	OUACHITA BAPTIST	41-14
10-18	at Arkansas Tech	55-9
10-25	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	31-12
11-1	at Valdosta State	17-10
11-8	at West Georgia	48-21
11-15	WEST ALABAMA	44-10
	<i>(NCAA Division II Playoffs)</i>	
11-22	SOUTHERN ARKANSAS	48-24
11-29	CARSON-NEWMAN	41-9
12-6	at North Dakota	22-29
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>543-198</b>

	<b>2004 (5-5-0) Mark Hudspeth</b>	
9-4	at Tusculum	28-7
9-11	ARKANSAS-MONTICELLO	59-21
9-18	at Delta State	21-28
9-25	at Harding	27-30
10-2	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	31-3
10-9	SOUTHERN ARKANSAS	45-24
10-16	at Henderson State	33-10
10-23	VALDOSTA STATE	20-24
10-30	WEST GEORGIA	21-38
11-6	at West Alabama	27-28
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>312-213</b>

	<b>2005 (11-3-0) Mark Hudspeth</b>	
9-3	TUSCULUM	33-7
9-10	at Arkansas-Monticello	42-0
9-17	DELTA STATE	56-21
9-24	HARDING	35-6
9-29	at Central Arkansas	26-29
10-8	at Southern Arkansas	31-21
10-15	HENDERSON STATE	38-10
10-20	at Valdosta State	23-26
10-29	at West Georgia	20-19
11-6	WEST ALABAMA	76-14
	<i>(NCAA Division II Playoffs)</i>	
11-12	at Valdosta State	40-13
11-19	at North Carolina Central	24-21
11-26	at Central Arkansas	41-38
12-3	NW MISSOURI STATE	24-25
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>509-250</b>



*Mark Hudspeth enters his fifth season as head coach of the Lions*

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# ALL-TIME COACHING STAFFS

## All-Time UNA Football Assistant Coaches

### UNDER HAL SELF

Harlon Hill, 1967-68  
Joe Elmore, 1968-69  
Durell Mock, 1967-69  
George Weeks, 1949-69  
Bill Wise, 1967  
Henry Prater, 1969

### UNDER DURELL MOCK

Dan Daugherty, 1971  
Joe Elmore, 1970  
Brub Hamilton, 1970-71  
Billy Hill, 1970-72  
Bobby Johns, 1972  
David Kirk, 1970  
Larry Marshall, 1970-71  
Carl McCulley, 1971  
Henry Prater, 1970-71  
Ganum Smith, 1971

### UNDER MICKEY ANDREWS

Jim Blair, 1975-76  
Wally Burnham, 1972-76  
Mike Dean, 1973-75  
Ray Emanuel, 1976  
Richie Gaskell, 1973-76  
Jim Goodman, 1976  
Bob Herring, 1973  
Tommy Jones, 1975-76

### UNDER WAYNE GRUBB

George Anderson, 1980  
Bill Baker, 1977-78  
David Bibee, 1980  
Steve Carter, 1981-87  
Jack Crowe, 1979-80  
Steve Davis, 1980-84  
Gerald Goodman, 1983-84  
Jim Goodman, 1977-78  
Mike Hand, 1978-82  
Bill Hyde, 1977-87  
Jim Keith, 1983, 1987  
Kendall Keith, 1984  
P.J. Larsen, 1977  
Jim Marshall, 1977  
Mike McGowan, 1979-87  
Greg McMahan, 1985-87  
Randy Nicholls, 1979-81  
Shannon O'Brien, 1987  
Rick Reprish, 1978  
Rick Rhoades, 1981-82  
David Sessions, 1977

Mike Turner, 1985-86  
Steve Wherry, 1985-86  
Johnny Williams, 1979-81, 83  
Sparky Woods, 1978

### UNDER BOBBY WALLACE

Randy Campbell, 1988-91  
Steve Carter, 1988  
Glenn Davis, 1988-91  
Mike Hand, 1989  
Bob Harris, 1988-90  
Derek Hill, 1992-96  
Bill Hyde, 1992-97  
Ikey Fowler, 1988-91  
Al Kincaid, 1996-97  
David Martin, 1991-97  
Ruffin McNeill, 1988  
Raymond Monica, 1990-97  
Willie Slater, 1992-97  
Jeff Webb, 1988

### UNDER BILL HYDE

Alvin Briggs, 1998-01  
Steve Carter, 1998-01  
Sam Graham 1999-01  
Cody Gross, 1998-00  
David Martin, 1998-01  
Justin Sappington, 2001  
Willie Slater, 1998-99

### UNDER MARK HUDSPETH

Charles Anthony, 2004  
Alan Arrington, 2006  
Keith Boone, 2004-05  
Rory Bell, 2002  
Steadman Campbell, 2006  
Sean Cannon, 2006  
Kelly Causey, 2002  
Kenny Edenfield, 2002-Current  
Lamar James, 2004-05  
Brian Jean-Mary, 2003  
Gwayne Mathews, 2002  
Karl Morgan, 2005-Current  
Terry Tilghman, 2003-05  
Brian Turner, 2002  
Matt Wallerstedt, 2003  
Chris Willis, 2002-Current

### COACHING NOTES

\* Two one-time Lion assistant coaches - Durell Mock and Bill Hyde - went on to become head coach of the Lions.  
\* Brothers Jim and Gerald Goodman both coached at UNA, Jim from 1976-78 and Gerald from 1983-84.  
\* Steve Carter (1981-88, 98-2001) is the only assistant coach in school history to serve under three different head coaches (Wayne Grubb, Bobby Wallace and Bill Hyde).  
\* George Weeks served the longest tenure of any Lion assistant, working with Hal Self for 21 seasons from 1949-69.  
\* The head coaches of three current Gulf South Conference schools are former Lion coaches: Bobby Wallace at West Alabama, Rick Rhoades at Delta State and Gwayne Mathews at Arkansas-Monticello.

### A few former Lion assistants of note:

#### Jack Crowe

Head Football Coach  
Jacksonville State University

#### Rick Rhoades

Head Football Coach  
Delta State University

#### Johnny Williams

Assistant Athletic Director  
University of Alabama

#### Willie Slater

Head Football Coach  
Tuskegee University

#### Raymond Monica

Head Football Coach  
Kutztown University

#### Gwayne Mathews

Head Football Coach  
University of Arkansas-Monticello

#### Rick Reprish

Director of College Scouting  
New Orleans Saints

#### Jim Goodman

Director of College Scouting  
Denver Broncos

### A few prominent assistants:

Sparky Woods, Alabama  
Brian Jean-Mary, Georgia Tech  
Matt Wallerstedt, Kansas State

# RECORDS, COACHES, CAPTAINS

Year	Record	Coach
1949	4-5-0	Hal Self
1950	5-4-0	Hal Self
1951	6-3-0	Hal Self
1952	8-1-0	Hal Self
1953	6-1-1	Hal Self
1954	8-2-0	Hal Self
1955	7-3-0	Hal Self
1956	6-3-0	Hal Self
1957	6-4-0	Hal Self
1958	4-5-0	Hal Self
1959	5-4-1	Hal Self
1960	7-3-0	Hal Self
1961	7-3-0	Hal Self
1962	5-4-1	Hal Self
1963	3-5-2	Hal Self
1964	2-6-1	Hal Self
1965	4-6-0	Hal Self
1966	4-4-1	Hal Self
1967	2-6-1	Hal Self
1968	5-5-0	Hal Self
1969	5-4-0	Hal Self
1970	5-5-0	Durell Mock
1971	1-10-0	Durell Mock
1972	2-9-0	Durell Mock
1973	4-6-0	Mickey Andrews
1974	4-6-0	Mickey Andrews
1975	6-4-0	Mickey Andrews
1976	4-5-1	Mickey Andrews
1977	5-5-0	Wayne Grubb
1978	7-2-1	Wayne Grubb
1979	6-5-0	Wayne Grubb
1980	10-2-0	Wayne Grubb
1981	8-2-0	Wayne Grubb
1982	7-3-0	Wayne Grubb
1983	11-1-1	Wayne Grubb
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1991	3-7-0	Bobby Wallace
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1995	14-0-0	Bobby Wallace
1996	6-5-0	Bobby Wallace
1997	9-3-0	Bobby Wallace
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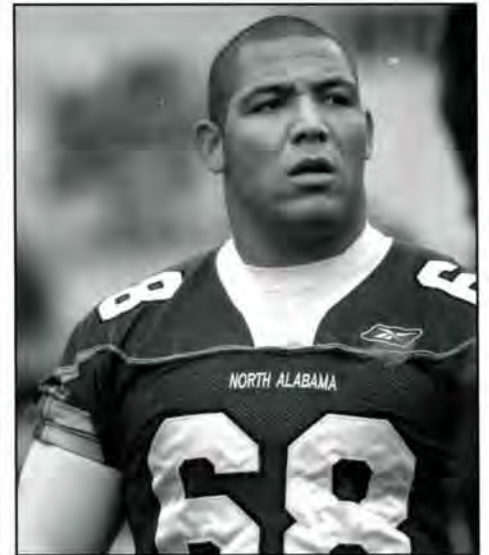
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 FB-Wendell Taylor, C-Paul Dyar  
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 WB-Bill Godsey, T-Hal Sisson  
 FB-Carroll Daniel, E-L.C. Fowler  
 LE-Carl Hannah, T-David Martin  
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 FB-Dave Kirk, E-Mike Dennis

E-Robert O'Kelley, T-Larry Marshall  
 T-Max Bobo, E-Sparky Box

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OL-Paul Parvin, FB-Tony McMinn, DB-Larry Jeffreys  
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QB-Gerald Goodman, C-John Byrd, LB-Jeff Hittinger  
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 LB-Sam Prater, QB-Fred Riley  
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 DB-Bruce Jones, LB-Steve Rogers, OL-Jack Gipson  
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 OL-Jackie Wallace, DB-Harvey Summerhill  
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 FB-Anthony Brooks  
 QB-Cody Gross, LB-Ronald McKinnon, TE-Jarius Hayes  
 C-Eddie Evans, LB-Keith Humphrey, DT-Israel Raybon  
 LB-Paul Sanders, OG-Jon Thompson  
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 WR-Michael Edwards, OL-Ashley Ingram  
 DE-Michael Moncrief, LB-Reginald Ruffin,  
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 DE-Shawn Cash, DB-Corey Harris, DB-Tyrone Bell  
 LB-Orlando Patterson, TE-Bobby Collins  
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 QB-Tyler Peterson, DB-Chad Sears, SB-James Moore  
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 TE-Adam Underwood  
 C-Garrett Keith, LB-Sam Fakunle  
 QB-Will Hall, DL-Jonathan Taylor  
 WR-Martin Huggins, LB-Donald Tharpe  
 C-Lance Ancar, LB-Donald Tharpe  
 OL-JoJo Bates, LB-Donald Tharpe



Lance Ancar



JoJo Bates



Donald Tharpe

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## Associated Press All-Americans

Year	Player	Pos.	Team Selected
1955	Brub Hamilton	RB	First-Team
1957	Jack Redwine	RB	First-Team
1967	Don Cornelius	QB	Second-Team
1968	Ricky Lindsey	WR	Second-Team
1975	Roger Ralph	WR	Second-Team
1976	Terry Witherspoon	OL	Third-Team
1981	Nelson McMurray	PK	Honorable Mention
1982	Don Smith	OL	Second-Team
1982	Rod Brooks	DB	Honorable Mention
1982	Frank Condon	LB	Honorable Mention
1982	Mike Giley	TE	Honorable Mention
1982	John Harris	LB	Honorable Mention
1983	Clarence Johnson	RB	Honorable Mention
1984	Daryl Smith	DB	First-Team
1984	Scott Shirley	OL	Honorable Mention
1984	Dean Sanders	DT	Honorable Mention
1984	Lewis Billups	DB	Honorable Mention
1985	Bruce Jones	DB	First-Team
1985	Clarence Johnson	RB	Honorable Mention
1985	Steve Rogers	LB	Honorable Mention
1987	Scott DeMott	P	Honorable Mention
1990	James Davis	LB	First-Team
1990	Mike Nord	OT	First-Team
1991	John Crittenden	P	Second-Team
1992	Harvey Summerhill	DB	First-Team
1993	Tyrone Rush	RB	First-Team
1993	Jeff Redcross	DL	Second-Team
1993	Jeff Surbaugh	OL	Second-Team
1993	Ronald McKinnon	LB	Third-Team
1993	Jamie Stoddard	PK	Honorable Mention
1994	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1994	Jon Thompson	OG	First-Team
1994	Keith Humphrey	LB	Third-Team
1995	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1995	Israel Raybon	DT	First-Team
1995	Jon Thompson	OG	First-Team
1995	Marcus Keyes	DT	Second-Team
1995	Keith Humphrey	LB	Second-Team
1996	Gerald Smith	DB	First-Team
1996	Reginald Ruffin	DE	Second-Team
1997	Reginald Ruffin	LB	First-Team
1997	Marcus Hill	DB	Second-Team
2003	Will Hall	QB	First-Team
2004	Ken Triplett	DL	First-Team
2005	Lance Ancar	C	Third-Team

## American Football Coaches Association All-Americans

1982	Don Smith	OL	First-Team
1984	Daryl Smith	DB	First-Team
1985	Bruce Jones	DB	First-Team
1990	James Davis	LB	First-Team
1992	Harvey Summerhill	DB	First-Team
1993	Tyrone Rush	RB	First-Team
1994	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1995	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1996	Gerald Smith	DB	First-Team
1997	Reginald Ruffin	LB	First-Team
2004	Ken Triplett	DL	First-Team
2005	Lance Ancar	C	First-Team

## Football News / FootballGazette All-Americans

1984	Daryl Smith	DB	First-Team
1985	Bruce Jones	DB	First-Team
1985	James Knowles	PK	First-Team
1986	Scott DeMott	P	Honorable Mention
1987	Wendell Phillips	DB	First-Team

1988	James Davis	LB	Honorable Mention
1988	J.D. Lane	PK	Honorable Mention
1988	Tommy Compton	QB	Honorable Mention
1989	James Davis	LB	First-Team
1989	Sedric Barnett	DB	Second-Team
1990	James Davis	LB	First-Team
1990	Bennie Jennings	TE	First-Team
1991	John Crittenden	P	First-Team
1991	Harvey Summerhill	DB	Second-Team
1992	Harvey Summerhill	DB	First-Team
1992	Tyrone Rush	RB	First-Team
1992	Ronald McKinnon	LB	Honorable Mention
1993	Tyrone Rush	RB	First-Team
1993	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1993	Jeff Surbaugh	OL	First-Team
1994	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1994	Israel Raybon	DT	First-Team
1994	Kin Taylor	C	First-Team
1994	Jon Thompson	OG	First-Team
1994	Keith Humphrey	LB	Third-Team
1994	Marcus Hunter	DE	Third-Team
1994	Marcus Keyes	DT	Honorable Mention
1994	Gerald Smith	DB	Honorable Mention
1994	Lee Morris	P	Honorable Mention
1994	Jamie Stoddard	PK	Honorable Mention
1995	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1995	Israel Raybon	DT	First-Team
1995	Marcus Keyes	DT	First-Team
1995	Jon Thompson	OG	Second-Team
1995	Gerald Smith	DB	Third-Team
1995	Keith Humphrey	LB	Third-Team
1995	Jarius Hayes	TE	Honorable Mention
1995	Cody Gross	QB	Honorable Mention
1995	Michael Williams	OT	Honorable Mention
1995	Reginald Ruffin	DE	Honorable Mention
1996	Gerald Smith	DB	First-Team
1996	Reginald Ruffin	DE	Second-Team
1997	Reginald Ruffin	LB	First-Team
1997	Marcus Hill	DB	First-Team
1997	Joe Washington	OG	Third-Team
1997	Tony Faggioni	P	Honorable Mention
1997	Thomas Moore	OG	Honorable Mention
1998	Tyrone Bell	DB	Second-Team
1998	Shawn Cash	DL	Second-Team
1998	Bobby Collins	TE	Honorable Mention
1998	Tony Faggioni	P	Honorable Mention
2000	Chad Sears	DB	Third-Team
2003	Will Hall	QB	First-Team
2003	Evan Oglesby	DB	First-Team
2003	Sherwin Lyons	OT	Second-Team
2003	Travis Johnston	PK	Third-Team
2003	Lance Ancar	C	Honorable Mention
2004	Lance Ancar	C	Third-Team
2004	Evan Oglesby	DB	Honorable Mention
2004	Anthony Merritt	RS	Honorable Mention
2005	Lance Ancar	C	First-Team
2005	Blake Farris	DB	First-Team
2005	Chip Long	TE	First-Team
2005	Anthony Merritt	RS	Second-Team
2005	Anthony Merritt	WR	Honorable Mention

## NAIA Helms Foundation All-Americans

1953	Harlon Hill	End	
1955	Wendell Taylor	RB	
1956	Max Burleson	RB	
1956	Hal Sisson	OL	

## C.M. Frank All-Americans

1992	Harvey Summerhill	DB	First-Team
1993	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1993	Jeff Redcross	DL	Second-Team

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1993	Tyrone Rush	RB	Second-Team
1993	Jeff Surbaugh	OL	Third-Team
1994	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1994	Jon Thompson	OG	First-Team
1994	Marcus Hunter	DE	Second-Team
1994	Israel Raybon	DT	Third-Team
1995	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1995	Israel Raybon	DT	First-Team
1995	Marcus Keyes	DT	First-Team
1995	Jon Thompson	OG	First-Team
1995	Cody Gross	QB	First-Team
1995	Keith Humphrey	LB	Second-Team
1995	Gerald Smith	DB	Third-Team
1995	Reginald Ruffin	DE	Third-Team
1996	Reginald Ruffin	DE	First-Team
1996	Gerald Smith	DB	First-Team
1996	A.J. Lamar	FB	Third-Team
1996	Michael Edwards	WR	Third-Team

## Daktronics / Division II SIDs All-Americans

1993	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1993	Jeff Redcross	DL	First-Team
1993	Tyrone Rush	RB	First-Team
1993	Jeff Surbaugh	OL	First-Team
1994	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1994	Marcus Keyes	DT	First-Team
1994	Jon Thompson	OG	First-Team
1994	Keith Humphrey	LB	Second-Team
1994	Kin Taylor	C	Second-Team
1994	Marcus Hunter	DE	Third-Team
1995	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1995	Israel Raybon	DT	First-Team
1995	Jon Thompson	OG	First-Team
1995	Marcus Keyes	DT	Second-Team
1995	Michael Williams	OT	Second-Team
1995	Gerald Smith	DB	Second-Team
1995	Jarius Hayes	TE	Third-Team
1995	Reginald Ruffin	DE	Third-Team
1995	Cody Gross	QB	Third-Team
1996	Gerald Smith	DB	First-Team
1996	Reginald Ruffin	DE	Second-Team
1997	Reginald Ruffin	LB	Second-Team
1997	Joe Washington	OG	Second-Team
2003	Will Hall	QB	First-Team
2005	Blake Farris	DB	First-Team
2005	Anthony Merritt	RS	First-Team
2005	Lance Ancar	C	Second-Team
2005	Chip Long	TE	Honorable Mention

## American Football Quarterly NCAA Division II All-Americans

1995	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1995	Israel Raybon	DT	First-Team
1995	Jon Thompson	OG	First-Team
1996	Gerald Smith	DB	First-Team
1997	Reginald Ruffin	LB	First-Team

## D2Football.Com All-Americans

2000	Chad Sears	DB	Second-Team
2003	Will Hall	QB	First-Team
2004	Evan Oglesby	DB	First-Team
2004	Anthony Merritt	RS	First-Team
2004	Lance Ancar	C	Honorable Mention
2005	Blake Farris	DB	First-Team
2005	Chip Long	TE	Second-Team
2005	Lance Ancar	C	Second-Team
2005	Anthony Merritt	AP	Second-Team

## CollegeSportsReport.Com All-Americans

2003	Travis Johnston	PK	First-Team
2004	Evan Oglesby	DB	Second-Team
2004	Lance Ancar	C	Third-Team
2005	Anthony Merritt	RS	Player of the Year
2005	Lance Ancar	C	First-Team
2005	Blake Farris	DB	First-Team
2005	Chip Long	TE	Second-Team
2005	Anthony Merritt	KR	Third-Team

## All-American Numbers

4	Marcus Hill	DB	1997
5	Harvey Summerhill	DB	1991,1992
6	John Crittenden	P	1991
6	Michael Edwards		WR 1996
6	Evan Oglesby	DB	2003, 2004
7	Gerald Smith	DB	1995, 1996
7	Will Hall	QB	2003
7	Ken Triplett	DL	2004 (wore #86 in 2003)
9	Tyrone Bell	DB	998
10	Don Cornelius	QB	1967
11	Travis Johnston	PK	2003
15	Cody Gross	QB	1995
15	Chad Sears	DB	2000
20	Roger Ralph	WR	1975
20	James Davis	LB	1989, 1990
21	Anthony Merritt	WR/KR	2005
22	Rick Lindsey	WR	1968
22	A.J. Lamar	FB	1996
23	Max Burleson	RB	1956
26	Tyrone Rush	RB	1992, 1993
27	Blake Farris	DB	2005
28	James Knowles	PK	1985
28	Brub Hamilton	RB	1955
31	Daryl Smith	DB	1984
31	Sedric Barnett	DB	1989
34	Wendell Phillips	DB	1987
35	Wendell Taylor	RB	1955
40	Bruce Jones	DB	1985
41	Jack Redwine	RB	1957
42	Keith Humphrey	LB	1994,1995
44	Ronald McKinnon	LB	1992,1993, 1994,1995
45	Harlon Hill	End	1953
51	Don Smith	OL	1982
56	Marcus Hunter	DE	1994
57	Jeff Redcross	DL	1993
58	Reginald Ruffin	DE	1995, 1996, 1997
60	Hal Sisson	OL	1956
61	Joe Washington	OG	1997
67	Sherwin Lyons	OT	2003
67	Terry Witherspoon	OL	1976
68	Lance Ancar	C	2003, 2004, 2005
70	Mike Nord	OL	1990
70	Jon Thompson	OG	1994,1995
74	Kin Taylor	C	1994
75	Michael Williams	OT	1995
78	Jeff Surbaugh	OL	1993
83	Chip Long	TE	2005
84	Jarius Hayes	TE	1995
86	Bennie Jennings	TE	1990
92	Marcus Keyes	DT	1994,1995
95	Shawn Cash	DL	1998
97	Israel Raybon	DT	1994,1995

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## 1953 - HARLON HILL (End)

HARLON HILL became UNA's first All-American in 1953 when he was chosen for the NAIA All-America squad...Caught 12 passes for 246 yards and four touchdowns as a senior...Had 54 career catches in 34 games for 1,020 yards, 19 touchdowns and an 18.8 yard average per catch...Was National Football League Rookie of the Year in 1954 for the Chicago Bears...Was first recipient of the Jim Thorpe Trophy as NFL Most Valuable Player in 1955...An All-Pro selection in 1954, 55 and 56 and a Pro-Bowl participant in 1955, 56 and 57...Captain of the West squad in 1956 Pro-Bowl...Held Chicago career marks for most passes caught (226) and yardage gained (4,616)...also shared club record for touchdowns in a single game with four...Caught 40 career TD passes...Voted into the NAIA-Helms Foundation Hall of Fame in 1956 and into the Alabama Sports Hall of Fame in 1976...Selected to the "First Forty Years" All-Time UNA Football Team as selected by the Times Daily in 1988...Selected to the UNA All-Decade Team for 1949-58...Inducted into the UNA Athletic Hall of Fame in its initial class in 1990...Has the NCAA Division II Player of the Year award named in his honor - The Harlon Hill Trophy...Received his B.S. degree in Secondary Education from UNA in 1955 and his Master's in 1969...Wore number 45...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1955 - WILLIAM "BRUB" HAMILTON (Back)

BRUB HAMILTON was named to the *Associated Press All-America third team* and to the *Williamson System's Mid-Bracket All-America* team after he ranked third in the nation in total offense as a senior with 1,369 yards...Rushed 168 times for 761 yards and completed 47 of 105 passes for 608 yards...Also handled the punting chores, kicking 35 times for a 37.2 yard average per kick...Had longest run from scrimmage in school history (94 yards) and the longest punt return (85 yards)...A native of Athens, Ala., Hamilton lettered four years for the Lions...Selected to the UNA All-Decade team for 1949-58...Received his B.S. degree in Physical Education in 1957...Wore number 28...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1955 - WENDELL TAYLOR (Back)

WENDELL TAYLOR was named to the *NAIA-Helms Foundation All-America* team after rushing for 1,021 yards on 196 carries to become the school's first 1,000 yard rusher in a single season...Rushed for 13 TDs...Scored 21 TDs and had 1,985 yards rushing over his junior and senior seasons...Remained UNA's career rushing leader until 1971...Held single-season rushing mark of 964 yards on 166 carries and scored 13 TDs in 1954 before breaking his own mark the next season...Among his top career games were seven games of 100 yards rushing or more, including four in 1954 and three in 1955...Had 211 yards on 34 carries against East Tennessee State in 1954 for a career high...Selected as a permanent team captain in 1955...During his four years with the Lions, the teams had a combined 29-7-1 record and were a perfect 12-0 against state rivals Livingston, Jacksonville State and Troy State...A native of Bridgeport, Ala., Taylor was nicknamed "Whirlaway"...Selected to the "First Forty Years" All-Time UNA Football Team as selected by the Times Daily in 1988...Selected for the UNA All-Decade team for 1949-58...Inducted into the UNA Athletic Hall of Fame in 1992 in the third induction class...Received his B.S. degree in Marketing from UNA in 1956...Wore number 35...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1956 - MAX BURLESON (Back)

MAX BURLESON earned NAIA All-America honors as a sophomore in 1956...An accomplished passer who played both quarterback and halfback for UNA...Rushed for 296 yards in 1957 on 66 carries and passed for 168 yards...Completed 40-of-70 passes for 563 yards and four touchdowns as a senior in 1959, while rushing for 356 yards...A three-year football letterman in 1956, 1957, and 1959...Also lettered in basketball and baseball...Later played professional baseball...Was one of the most successful high school football and baseball coaches in the state of Alabama at Johnson and Lee High schools in Huntsville...A native of Hackleburg, Ala., Burleson died in 1984...Selected to the UNA All-Decade team for 1949-58...Inducted into the UNA Athletic Hall of Fame as part of the second induction class in 1991...Wore number 23...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1956 - HAL SISSON (Offensive Lineman)

HAL SISSON was chosen for *NAIA Helms Foundation All-America* honors after three seasons in which he played end, guard, and tackle for the Lions...Sisson blocked for four All-American backs at UNA...A native of Haleyville, Sisson lettered in 1954, 1955, and 1956...Was the first offensive lineman ever chosen for All-American acclaim at the school...Named to the "First Forty Years" All-Time UNA Football Team as Selected by the Times Daily in 1988

and was a member of the All-Decade team for 1949-58...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1957 - JACK REDWINE (Back)

JACK REDWINE was an *Associated Press* Little All-American as a junior in 1957...Led team with 1,438 yards of total offense...Rushed for 808 yards in 1957 and scored 14 career touchdowns...Passed for 10 TDs...A 6-foot-2, 173-pound native of Cherokee, Ala., Redwine's 1,438 yard total was only six yards shy of leading all college football, finishing second to Washington State's Bon Newman with 1,444 yards...Rushed for 192 yards against Livingston in 1957 and had 180 against Jacksonville State in 1956...Lettered in football, basketball, baseball, and golf for the Lions...Selected to the UNA All-Decade team for 1949-58...Inducted into the UNA Athletic Hall of Fame in 1992 as part of the third induction class...Wore number 41...

## 1967 - DON CORNELIUS (Quarterback)

DON CORNELIUS was an *Associated Press* Little All-American selection after a fabulous career as UNA quarterback...Still holds several school records including most career passing yards at 4,309 and most yards passing in a season at 1,686...Had 5,226 yards of total offense, rushed for 33 touchdowns and passed for 22 TDs...Was responsible for all 22 TDs scored by squad in 1966, passing for 12 and rushing for 10...Cornelius came to play for the Lions after a stellar career at Lee High School in Huntsville, Ala...Broke into the starting lineup in 1964 as a freshman and held the spot for four years...Selected to the UNA All-Decade team for 1959-1968...Wore number 10...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1968 - RICKY LINDSEY (Receiver)

RICKY LINDSEY was chosen for the *Associated Press* Little All-American honors after snagging 149 career passes for 1,611 yards during his career...Caught 12 touchdown passes and had 10 receptions in a single game...Caught 52 passes in one season which still stands as the school record...A native of Sheffield, Ala., Lindsey signed with the Cincinnati Bengals of the NFL...He teamed with Don Cornelius and Phil Logan for one of the top passing combinations in school history...Started at flanker from 1966-68 and was coached by former UNA great Harlon Hill...Selected to the "First Forty Years" All-Time UNA Football Team in 1988 and was a member of the UNA All-Decade Team for 1959-69...Inducted into the UNA Athletic Hall of Fame in 1992 as part of the third induction class...Also played baseball for the Lions and coached the UNA baseball team from 1973-74...Received his B.S. degree in Physical Education in 1969 and his Master's in Administration and Supervision in 1975...Wore number 22...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1975 - ROGER RALPH (Receiver)

ROGER RALPH was named to the *Associated Press* All-American squad after a tremendous senior season...Was GSC's leading receiver with 48 for 767 yards...Was Gulf South Conference Offensive Player of the Year...A native of Arab, Ala., Ralph caught 4 TDs in one game for a school record and had 1,932 career receiving yards for another record...Had 122 career catches...767 yards in 1975 was single-season mark...Selected to the "First Forty Years" All-Time UNA Football Team as selected by the Times Daily in 1988...Also named to the UNA All-Decade team for 1969-78...Wore number 20...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1982 - DON SMITH (Offensive Lineman)

DON SMITH was voted first team *Kodak* All-American and second team *Associated Press* Little All-American after a stellar senior season as UNA's center...Played all three offensive line positions during his career and was long-snapper...Also an Academic All-America selection by the College Sports Information Directors of America...Played on UNA's first Gulf South Conference championship team in 1980 as team went 10-2...A native of Huntsville, Ala., Smith played on UNA squads with a combined 31-12 record from 1979-82...Only the second UNA offensive lineman ever chosen for All-American honors...Selected to the "First Forty Years" All-time UNA Football Team as selected by the Times Daily in 1988 and was named to the Gulf South Conference Team of the Decade for the 1980's...Selected for UNA All-Decade team for 1979-88...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...Wore number 51...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1984 - DARYL SMITH (Defensive Back)

DARYL SMITH was chosen first team All-American by the *American*

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**Football Coaches Associated and Kodak**, the *Associated Press* and the *Football News* as a senior and was the first UNA player selected for the annual Blue-Gray Football Classic All-Star game and the Senior Bowl... Had 43 tackles, three interceptions, eight pass breakups, and two blocked kicks as senior... Had nine career interceptions and 132 tackles... Broke-up 27 passes... Had eight blocked kicks, including five punts, two extra points and one field goal... Had blocked punts in consecutive NCAA Division II playoff games against Virginia Union and Central State in 1983... Selected to the "First Forty Years" All-Time UNA Football Team by the Times Daily in 1988 and was selected to the UNA All-Decade team for 1979-88... One of the three Lion defensive backs selected to the Gulf South Conference Team of the Decade for the 1980's... Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95... The highlight of his National Football League career was playing in Super Bowl XXIV with the Cincinnati Bengals... A native of Opelika, Ala... Wore number 31... He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1985 - BRUCE JONES (Defensive Back)

BRUCE JONES was UNA's second consensus All-America pick at cornerback in two years when he was named to the first-team All-America squad by the *American Football Coaches Association and Kodak*, the *Associated Press* and the *Football News*... A native of Courtland, Ala., Jones blocked six kicks, including five punts in 1985 to help lead UNA to a 12-2 record and a runner-up spot in the NCAA Division II... Scored five touchdowns during his career in the UNA secondary and made 164 tackles... Also had 10 interceptions which he returned for 172 yards... Team finished second nationally in pass defense, allowing 96.6 yards per game, second in scoring defense, allowing 7.5 points per game and fourth in total defense, allowing 198.7 yards per game... Selected to the "First Forty Years" All-Time UNA Football Team by the Times Daily in 1988 and to the UNA All-Decade team for 1979-88... One of three UNA defensive backs selected to the Gulf South Conference Team of the Decade for the 1980's... Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95... Inducted into the UNA Athletic Hall of Fame in 1996... A four-year letterman and a starter from 1982-85... Wore number 40... He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1985 - JAMES KNOWLES (Place-Kicker)

JAMES KNOWLES was chosen as a first-team All-America kicker by the *Football News* after he converted on 32-of-35 extra point attempts and 18-of-26 field goal attempts in 1985 and led UNA in scoring with 86 points... A native of Montevallo, Ala., Knowles was UNA's starting place-kicker for four seasons and established an NCAA Division II record for points scored by kicking in a career (regular-season) with 263, which has since been broken... Set 12 school, nine Gulf South Conference and one NCAA record during his career... Ranked fourth in Division II history for career field goals with 45 (regular-season) when he closed his career in 1985... School and GSC records included career points scored (292), career points by a kicker (292), most extra points made and attempted in a career (139-149), most points by kicking in a season (86 in 1985), most field goals made in a season (18 in 1985) and most field goals attempted in a season (26 in 1984 and 1985)... Also set school mark for consecutive PATs made (62), most extra points made in a season (46), most extra points made in a game (7 vs. Valdosta State in 1982 and West Georgia in 1983) and longest field goal made (51 yards vs. Livingston in 1985)... UNA compiled a 37-7-4 record during Knowles four years as a kicker for the "First Forty Years" All-time UNA Football Team as selected by the Times Daily in 1988 and was named to the UNA All-Decade team for 1979-88... Chosen for the Gulf South Conference Team of the Decade for the 1980's... Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95... Selected for the NCAA Division II "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1973-97... Selected for the UNA Athletic Hall of Fame in 1998... Wore number 28... He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1987 - WENDELL PHILLIPS (Defensive Back)

WENDELL PHILLIPS earned first-team All-America honors from the *Football News* in 1987 after finishing his senior season as the second leading tackler on the UNA squad with 81 stops from his safety position... Phillips finished his career at UNA with 263 tackles and 14 interceptions that he returned for 182 yards and one touchdown... Also recovered six fumbles and broke up 19 passes in his career... Finished second on team in tackles as a junior in 1986 with 89 tackles... Had 60 tackles (25 solo) as a sophomore and 33 stops (19 solo) as a freshman... He continued the tradition of great Lion defensive backs, becoming the fourth DB in four years to earn major acclaim... Phillips started in secondary as a freshman with Daryl Smith and Bruce Jones, who were

named All-Americans, and Lewis Billups, who played in both the Blue-Gray Game and Senior Bowl and was the highest NFL draft choice ever from the Gulf South Conference... Helped lead UNA to the NCAA Division II National Championship Game as a sophomore in 1985 as a starter on one of the best defensive units ever assembled in Division II... One of the hardest hitters in UNA history... Also earned first-team All-Gulf South Conference honors as a senior... UNA had a 30-13-4 on-field record during his four years on the squad... Selected for the "First Forty Years" All-time UNA Football Team as selected by the Times Daily in 1988 and for the UNA Team of the Decade for 1979-88... A native of Leighton, Ala... Wore number 37... He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1989, 1990 - JAMES DAVIS (Linebacker)

JAMES DAVIS was the first Lion player to achieve first-team All-America status in two different seasons... He was chosen for the first-team All-America status in two different seasons... He was chosen for the first-team of the *Football Gazette* All-America team in 1989 and was a first-team selection for the *Kodak-American Football Coaches Association team*, the *Associated Press* Little All-America team and the *Football Gazette* All-America team in 1990... He closed his career as the leading tackler in UNA and Gulf South history with 528 total stops... He made 147 tackles in 1990 to become the first Lion to ever make more than 100 tackles in three different seasons... During 1990 he was named Gulf South Conference Defensive Player of the Week three times and was the National Division II Defensive Player of the Week twice and Regional Defensive Player of the Week another time by the *Football Gazette* and *USA Today*... He was named state Small College Athlete of the Year by the Alabama Sports Writers Association in 1990... He was a two-time All-GSC and two-time Academic All-GSC selection in 1989 and 1990... Davis also won the National Phi Beta Lambda Impromptu Speaking Competition in 1990 at the National Leadership Conference in Washington, D.C... He also received the Gulf South Conference Commissioner's Trophy as the top male student-athlete in the league in 1990-91... In 1989 he tied his own school record for tackles in a season with 156... Following the 1989 season he was selected to the GSC Team of the Decade for the 1980s and was the only active player chosen for the squad... Holds school single-game tackle mark with 24 in the 1988 season-opener against Alabama A&M... Intercepted nine passes in his career and was a three-year starter... Made 10 or more tackles in a game nine times as a sophomore, in all 11 games his junior season and in eight games as a senior... Made six career quarterback sacks... Was an Honorable Mention All-America pick by the *Football News* in 1988... Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95... A native of Clanton, Ala... Wore number 20... He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1989 - SEDRIC BARNETT (Defensive Back)

SEDRIC BARNETT was chosen second-team All-American by the *Football Gazette* in 1989... Made 44 tackles with 30 primary stops... Recovered four fumbles, caused one, intercepted five passes and broke-up nine... Returned the interceptions for 11 yards and added one quarterback sack... Made 135 career tackles and pulled in seven interceptions from 1986-89... A first-team All-Gulf South Conference pick in 1989... Started three years for the Lions... A native of Florence... Wore number 31, the second UNA All-American defensive back to wear that number...

## 1990 - MIKE NORD (Offensive Line)

MIKE NORD transferred to UNA from the University of Kentucky prior to his senior season and was a first-team *Associated Press* All-American selection in 1990 for the Lions... The team went 8-3 and advanced to the NCAA Division II playoffs... At 6-feet-7, 290 pounds, Nord started all 11 games for UNA in 1990 as the team led the Gulf South Conference in scoring offense and total offense... He was selected to the Senior Bowl and became the third Lion to ever participate in the game... He was also the first Lion to play in the East-West Shrine All-Star Game... He became the third offensive lineman in UNA football history to achieve first-team All-America status and his selection, along with James Davis to the AP, Kodak and *Football Gazette* teams and Bennie Jennings to the *Football Gazette* squad, marked the first time three Lions were named first-team All-American in the same season... He was second-team All-GSC selection... A native of Louisville, Ky... Wore number 70...

## 1990 - BENNIE JENNINGS (Tight End)

BENNIE JENNINGS was named to the first-team of the *Football Gazette* All-America squad as a senior after making 29 catches for 456 yards and four touchdowns... A three-time All-Gulf South Conference pick - as a freshman,

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sophomore and senior, Jennings closed his career at UNA with 61 catches for 980 yards...A four-year letterman and starter for the Lions, Jennings played defense for most of his junior year after being projected as a pre-season All-American at tight end...But in 1990 he switched back to offense and lived up to that All-American billing as he helped take UNA to an 8-3 record and a spot in the Division II playoffs...A native of Fayetteville, Tenn...Wore number 86... He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1991 - JOHN CRITTENDEN (Punter)

JOHN CRITTENDEN was selected for the second-team of the *Associated Press* All-America team and the first-team of the *Football Gazette* All-America squad as a junior in 1991...He became the first Lion punter ever to take first or second-team All-America honors...He finished second in NCAA Division II in punting with a 43.2 average on 49 punts...In his first game as a Lion punter against Central Missouri State, he set school records for the longest punt and the best punting average in a game...His first punt as a Lion went 80 yards and he averaged 52.0 yards per punt in the game...His 43.2 average also set the UNA single season record and he just missed the Gulf South Conference record for a season at 43.5 set by Jacksonville State's Greg Lowery in 1982... He also was a first-team All-GSC pick by the league's coaches...In 1992 he was also first-team All-GSC as a senior, averaging 42.6 yards per kick on 47 punts to again lead the league...His 42.9 yard average on 96 career punts also set the UNA career record...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...Punted bare-footed...He is a native of Carrollton, Miss...Wore number 6...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1991, 1992 - HARVEY SUMMERHILL (Defensive Back)

HARVEY SUMMERHILL, a native of Tusculumbia, became UNA's second two-time All-American...He was named to the second-team of the *Football Gazette* All-America squad as a junior in 1991 and was a consensus All-America pick as a senior in 1992 when he was selected by *Kodak and the American Football Coaches Association*, the *Associated Press*, the *Football Gazette* and the *C.M. Frank* All-America teams...He was selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference by the league's coaches in 1990, 1991 and 1992, making him just the second Lion football player to ever be a three-time first-team All-GSC pick...During his four-year career as a starter with the Lions, he made 312 tackles and 171 primary stops...He had 12 interceptions and 22 pass-breakups...He made 73 tackles in his senior season with 51 primary stops and two interceptions as UNA led the league in scoring defense and total defense and advanced to the quarterfinals of the Division II playoffs...Summerhill's selection continued the tradition of Lion All-American defensive backs, making him the fifth UNA defensive back in an eight-year period to be named first or second-team All-American - joining Darryl Smith, Bruce Jones, Wendell Phillips and Sedic Barnett...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...Wore number 5...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1992, 1993 - TYRONE RUSH (Running Back)

TYRONE RUSH was selected first-team All-American by the *Football Gazette* in 1992, following his junior season in which he rushed for 1,364 yards and six touchdowns...He led the Gulf South Conference in rushing and was selected first-team All-GSC for the second time in his career...He finished sixth in the voting for the Harlon Hill Trophy as the NCAA Division II College Player of the Year and was the top finisher among underclassmen...He averaged 113.7 yards per game and 6.2 yards per carry in helping UNA to lead the GSC in rushing offense and advance to the quarterfinal round of the NCAA Division II playoffs...Selected GSC Offensive Player of the Year...Set school records by rushing for 100 yards or more in eight games in 1992 and in five consecutive games...He was just the fourth Lion to ever rush for more than 1,000 yards in a season and he broke UNA's single-season rushing mark with his 1,364 yards...He also broke the regular-season mark with 1,136 yards...

In 1993 he was selected first-team All-American by the *Associated Press*, *Kodak*, the *Football Gazette* and the *NCAA Division II Sports Information Directors*... He was selected as the runner-up for the Harlon Hill Trophy as the NCAA Division II Player of the Year after helping the Lions go 14-0 and win the Gulf South Conference and NCAA Division II National Championships... He was first-team All-GSC and was the GSC Offensive Player of the Year for the second straight year after leading the league in rushing and scoring...Set a UNA single season mark with 1,466 yards, scoring 17 touchdowns on 237 attempts...Named first-team All-South Region and was selected to play

in the inaugural Snow Bowl NCAA Division II All-Star Game in Fargo, N.D... Named National Player of the Week against Delta State in 1993 after rushing for a school-record 248 yards on 22 carries against the Statesmen...Other school and GSC marks set in 1993 included points scored in a season (116), rushing touchdowns in a season (19) and touchdowns scored in a season (19)...Finished his career with 4,421 yards to become UNA's and the GSC's all-time leading rusher...had 791 carries, scored 36 touchdowns rushing and had a 5.4-yard average per carry in his career...Set UNA all-purpose yardage career mark as well with 6,020 yards, almost 2,000 more than the Troy Nelson in second place...His 37 career TDs scored tied the school record and his career rushes and TDs rushing were school records...His 4,421 career total yards ranks second at UNA and his 21 career 100-yard rushing games set a school mark...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...A native of Philadelphia, Miss...Wore number 26...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1993, 1994, 1995 - RONALD MCKINNON (Linebacker)

RONALD MCKINNON was selected first-team All-American by the *NCAA Division II Sports Information Directors*, the *Football Gazette* and *C.M. Frank* as a sophomore in 1993, and was a third-team pick by the *Associated Press*...Selected first-team All-GSC for the second straight season...Led UNA with 175 tackles, including 106 primary stops...Added five caused fumbles, three pass break-ups, three quarterback pressures, three tackles for loss, three interceptions and one blocked kick...Helped the Lions go 14-0, winning the GSC and NCAA Division II National Championships...A first-team All-South Region pick...Selected as the GSC's Defensive Player of the Week against Valdosta State, with 17 tackles and two interceptions in the game that gave UNA the GSC championship, and was *Football Gazette/USA Today* Division II Player of the Week with 17 tackles in UNA's national championship win over Indiana-Pennsylvania...Selected GSC Freshman of the Year in 1992...

Selected first-team All-American in 1994 by the *American Football Coaches Association*, the *Associated Press*, the *Football Gazette*, the *Division II Sports Information Directors* and *C.M. Frank*...Selected NCAA Division II National Player of the Year by CNN College Football Preview and Danny Sheridan, *Football Gazette* National Defensive Back of the Year and *C.M. Frank* Small University Defensive Player of the Year...Named GSC Defensive Player of the Week vs. Youngstown State and was *Football Gazette* National Defensive Player of the Week for his efforts in the National Championship Game...His interception deep in UNA territory with just over two minutes left preserved a 16-10 Lion win over Texas A&M-Kingsville in the championship contest...Led the Lions in tackles for a third straight year with 159 stops, including 110 primary stops...The Lions went 13-1 in 1994 and won their second consecutive Gulf South Conference and NCAA Division II National championships...

In 1995 McKinnon became just the fifth three-time consensus first-team All-American in Division II history and was selected the winner of the Harlon Hill Trophy as NCAA Division II National Player of the Year, becoming the first defensive player to win the award...Also selected *Football Gazette* National Player of the Year, *Football Gazette* Defensive Back of the Year, first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-American, first-team *Associated Press* Little All-American, first-team *American Football Coaches Association* All-American, first-team *Football Gazette* All-American, first-team *American Football Quarterly* NCAA Division II All-American and first-team *C.M. Frank* All-American...Became just the third player in Gulf South Conference history to be first-team All-GSC four straight years...Also selected Gulf South Conference Defensive Player of the Year for the second straight year, was first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-South Region, participated in the 1995 Snow Bowl NCAA Division II All-Star Game and was selected as the East Defensive Most Valuable Player...Gulf South Conference Defensive Player of the Week vs. Alabama A&M on Sept. 9 and vs. Valdosta State on Oct. 28, *Football Gazette* Division II Regional Defensive Player of the Week vs. Carson-Newman on Nov. 25, *Football Gazette* Division II National Defensive Player of the Week vs. Ferris State on Dec. 2, *Football Gazette* Division II National Defensive Player of the Week vs. Pittsburg State on Dec. 9, permanent team captain and UNA's Defensive Most Valuable Defensive Player...Closed his career as the leading tackler in school and GSC history with 621 total stops and 407 primary stops...Had 29 career tackles for loss, seven sacks, 11 interceptions and recovered five fumbles...As a senior he had 139 tackles, 11 tackles for loss, four interceptions and four sacks...The Lions went 14-0 in 1995...Played on teams with a combined 48-5-1 record that included three straight GSC championships and three straight NCAA Divi-

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sion II National Championships...The Lions defense led Division II in rushing and scoring defense and was second in total defense...UNA led the GSC in all four defensive categories...A four-year starter, missing just one start, due to injury, in 54 career games...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...Selected the "GSC Defensive Player of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...Selected for the NCAA Division II "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1973-97...Signed as a free agent with the Arizona Cardinals following his senior season...A native of Elba, Ala...Wore number 44...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named Alabama Sports Writers Association State Professional Athlete of the Year for 1998...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1993 - JEFF REDCROSS (Defensive End)

JEFF REDCROSS was selected first-team All-American by the *NCAA Division II Sports Information Directors* and the *Football Gazette* in 1993, and was a second-team pick by the *Associated Press* and *C.M. Frank*...He was named the Division II National Defensive Player of the Year by the *Football Gazette* and was selected first-team All-GSC and the GSC's Defensive Player of the Year in voting by the league's head coaches...A second-team All-South Region selection...Selected GSC Defensive Player of the Week in the Lions 44-32 win at Portland State...Finished fifth on the team in tackles with 82 total stops, including 51 primary hits...Caused one fumble, recovered three, broke-up six passes, had 20 quarterback pressures, 15 tackles for loss and seven sacks for a combined 107 yards in losses...Also blocked an extra-point...The Lions went 14-0, winning the GSC and NCAA Division II National Championships...Played on teams with a combined 32-14-1 record and helped take the Lions to the NCAA playoffs in 1990, 1992 and 1993...For his career, he made 179 tackles in three seasons as a starter on defense, with 104 primary stops, 22 tackles for loss and 10 sacks...Played his freshman season at tight end...A native of Huntsville, Ala...Wore number 56...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1993 - JEFF SURBAUGH (Offensive Guard)

JEFF SURBAUGH was selected first-team All-American by the *NCAA Division II Sports Information Directors* and the *Football Gazette* in 1993, was a second-team pick by the *Associated Press* and a third-team selection by *C.M. Frank*...A first-team All-Gulf South Conference and All-South Region pick who was later selected to play in the inaugural Snow Bowl NCAA Division II All-Star Game...Helped lead the way for an offensive line that powered UNA to more than 70 school records in 1993...Team went 14-0 to win the GSC and NCAA Division II National Championships...The Lions rushed for 5,196 yards, averaged 371.1 yards rushing per game and 481.0 total yards per game to set UNA and GSC records...The team's 63 rushing touchdowns were 20 more than any team in GSC history and the Lions averaged 7.0 yards per play for the entire season...A native of New Martinsville, W.V...Wore number 78...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1994, 1995 - KEITH HUMPHREY (Linebacker)

KEITH HUMPHREY was selected second-team All-American by the *Division II Sports Information Directors* and third-team All-American by the *Associated Press* and the *Football Gazette* as a junior in 1994...Selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference for a second straight year...Named Gulf South Conference Defensive Player of the Week in wins over Delta State and Valdosta State...Was the second leading tackler for UNA's Purple Swarm defense with 138 total tackles, including 87 primary stops...Added a school record seven recovered fumbles, caused two fumbles, had 21 tackles for loss of 45 yards, one quarterback sack and one interception...The Lions went 13-1 in 1994 and won their second consecutive Gulf South Conference and NCAA Division II National championships...

In 1995 Humphrey was selected second-team *Associated Press* Little All-American, second-team *C.M. Frank* All-American, third-team *Football Gazette* All-American, first-team All-Gulf South Conference, first-team CoSIDA NCAA Division II All-South Region, Gulf South Conference Player of the Week vs. Central Arkansas on Oct. 14 and Gulf South Conference Player of the Week vs. Henderson State on Oct. 21...Set school records for career tackles for loss (49) and fumbles recovered (11)...Made 380 career tackles, with 250 primary stops, 49 tackles for loss of 139 yards in losses, 4.5 sacks for 23 yards and nine interceptions...Made 108 tackles as a senior with 21 tackles for loss, 2.5 sacks and three interceptions...Lions went 14-0 in 1995, including an 8-0 record in the GSC...Played on UNA teams with a combined

48-5-1 record that included three GSC championships and three Division II National Championships...A three-year starter...The Lions defense led Division II in rushing and scoring defense and was second in total defense...UNA led the GSC in all four defensive categories...Selected as a permanent team captain...A native of Huntsville, Ala...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...Wore number 42...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1994 - MARCUS HUNTER (Defensive End)

MARCUS HUNTER was selected second-team All-American by *C.M. Frank* and third-team All-American by the *Football Gazette* and the *Division II Sports Information Directors*...Finished the season with 69 total tackles, including 32 primary stops, 12 tackles for loss, 6.5 quarterback sacks and two recovered fumbles...Accounted for 94 yards in losses...Selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference as a senior and was GSC Defensive Player of the Week against Central Arkansas...Selected to play in the second Snow Bowl - NCAA Division II All-Star Game...The Lions went 13-1 in 1994 and won their second consecutive Gulf South Conference and NCAA Division II National championships...Started on both championship teams and started on three playoff squads in his four years with the Lions...Played for teams with a combined 37-12-1 record, which tied for the winningest senior class in school history...Was also All-GSC as a sophomore in 1992 and was 1991 GSC Freshman of the Year...A native of Moundville, Ala...Wore number 56...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1994, 1995 - MARCUS KEYES (Defensive Tackle)

MARCUS KEYES was selected first-team All-American by the *Division II Sports Information Directors* as a junior in 1994...A transfer to UNA in 1994, Keyes made 82 total tackles, including 48 primary stops, caused four fumbles, recovered one, had 20 quarterback pressures, eight tackles for loss and six quarterback sacks...Blocked a Valdosta State field goal attempt in double-overtime to help pave the way for a 27-24 UNA win...Selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference and was the GSC Defensive Player of the Week against Mississippi College...The Lions went 13-1 in 1994 and won their second consecutive Gulf South Conference and NCAA Division II National championships...

In 1995, Keyes was selected first-team *Football Gazette* All-American, first-team *C.M. Frank* All-American, second-team *Associated Press* Little All-American and second-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-American...Also a first-team All-Gulf South Conference pick, first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-South Region, participated in the 1995 Blue-Gray All-Star Classic and participated in the 1995 Senior Bowl...Made 140 tackles in two seasons with 80 primary stops and nine sacks for 51 yards...Helped lead UNA to a 14-0 record in 1995 and the GSC and NCAA Division II championships...The Lions defense led Division II in rushing and scoring defense and was second in total defense...UNA led the GSC in all four defensive categories...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...A native of Taylorsville, Miss...Drafted and signed by the Chicago Bears following his senior season...Wore number 92...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1994, 1995 - ISRAEL RAYBON (Defensive Tackle)

ISRAEL RAYBON was selected first-team All-American by the *Football Gazette* and second-team All-American by *C.M. Frank* as a junior in 1994...Named first-team All-Gulf South Conference as well...Made 64 total tackles in 1994, including 43 primary stops, caused one fumble, had 13 tackles for 54 yards in losses, five quarterback sacks for 33 yards in losses, 10 quarterback pressures, two blocked kicks and returned an interception for a touchdown against West Georgia...The Lions went 13-1 in 1994 and won their second consecutive Gulf South Conference and NCAA Division II National championships...

In 1995, Raybon was selected first-team *Football Gazette* All-American, *Football Gazette* NCAA Division II Defensive Lineman of the Year, first-team *American Football Quarterly* NCAA Division II All-American, first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-American, first-team *Associated Press* Little All-American and first-team *C.M. Frank* All-American...Participated in 1995 Blue-Gray All-Star Classic and was selected as the Gray Defensive Most Valuable Player...Also participated in the 1995 East-West Shrine Classic...Chosen first-team All-Gulf South Conference, first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-South Region, Gulf South Conference Player of the Week vs. Mississippi

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College on Sept. 9 and Football Gazette Division II National Player of the Week vs Mississippi College on Sept. 9...Played on UNA teams with a combined 48-5-1 record that included three straight GSC titles and three straight Division II National Championships...UNA went 14-0 in 1995 and the Lions defense led Division II in rushing and scoring defense and was second in total defense...UNA led the GSC in all four defensive categories...Finished his career with 187 stops and 116 primary stops...Had 32 tackles for loss of 98 yards and 12.5 sacks for 92 yards...Set a school record with nine career blocked kicks...Selected permanent team captain...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...Drafted and signed by the Pittsburgh Steelers following his senior season... Also played with the Carolina Panthers...Played with the New York/New Jersey Hitmen in the XFL in 2000...Selected for the NCAA Division II "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1973-97...A native of Huntsville, Ala...Wore number 97...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98... Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1994 - KIN TAYLOR (Center)

KIN TAYLOR was selected first-team All-American by the *Football Gazette* and second-team All-American by the *Division II Sports Information Directors* as a senior in 1994...The Lions went 13-1 in 1994 and won their second consecutive Gulf South Conference and NCAA Division II National championships...Lions finished fifth nationally in rushing (303.9) and 14th in scoring (36.2)...A three-year starter and four-year letterman...Played for teams with a combined 37-12-1 record, which tied for the winningest senior class in school history...A two-time Academic All-GSC selection as well...Played in 1994 Snow Bowl...A native of Eclectic, Ala...Wore number 74...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...

## 1994, 1995 - JON THOMPSON (Offensive Guard)

JON THOMPSON was selected first-team All-American by the *Associated Press*, the *Division II Sports Information Directors* and *C.M. Frank*, and second-team All-American by the *Football Gazette* as a junior in 1994...The Lions went 13-1 in 1994 and won their second consecutive Gulf South Conference and NCAA Division II National championships...Lions finished fifth nationally in rushing (303.9) and 14th in scoring (36.2)...

In 1995 Thompson was selected to the first-team *Associated Press* Little All-America team, first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-American, first-team *American Football Quarterly* NCAA Division II All-American, first-team *C.M. Frank* All-American, second-team *Football Gazette* All-American, first-team All-Gulf South Conference and first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-South Region... Selected as a permanent team captain...Helped lead UNA to a 14-0 record and a Division II National Championship in 1995... A four-year starter for teams with a combined 48-5-1 record that included three straight GSC titles and three straight Division II National Championships...Selected All-GSC four straight years, with a second-team selection as a freshman, followed by three straight years on the first team...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...Selected for the NCAA Division II "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1973-97...A native of Muscle Shoals, Ala...Wore number 70...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1995 - JARIUS HAYES (Tight End)

As a senior in 1995, JARIUS HAYES was selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference, first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-South Region, participated in the Snow Bowl NCAA Division II All-Star Game, was selected third-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-American and honorable mention *Football Gazette* All-American...Started 54 consecutive games from 1992-95 at tight end...Closed his career with 21 catches for 450 yards and four touchdowns and rushed for three touchdowns, including a 68-yard TD run against Arkansas Tech...Caught seven passes for 155 yards as a senior... Permanent team captain...Played for UNA teams with a combined 48-5-1 record that included three straight GSC titles and three straight Division II National Championships...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...Drafted and signed by the Arizona Cardinals following his senior season...A native of Muscle Shoals...Wore number 84...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1995 - CODY GROSS (Quarterback)

CODY GROSS was selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference, Gulf South

Conference Offensive Player of the Year, first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-South Region, first-team *C.M. Frank* All-American, third-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-American and honorable mention *Football Gazette* All-American as a senior in 1995...Had a 41-2 record as a starting quarterback from 1992-95 including a 12-1 record as a starter in the NCAA playoffs...Set school records for career rushing touchdowns and touchdowns scored (40), career touchdowns responsible for (65) and career total offense (5,614)... His only two losses as a starter were to 1992 Division II National Champion Jacksonville State in the NCAA quarterfinals (12-10) and to 1994 Division I-AA National Champion Youngstown State (17-14) in Youngstown in a regular-season matchup...Despite suffering a torn muscle, he played extensively in the 1995 Division II Championship Game, leading three scoring drives in a 27-7 win over Pittsburg State...Led UNA to 14-0, 13-1 and 14-0 records from 1993-95 and played on UNA teams with a combined 48-5-1 record that included three straight GSC titles, three straight national championships and four straight playoff appearances...Permanent team captain, and UNA's Offensive Most Valuable Offensive Player in 1995...Named to the Gulf South Conference "Team of the Quarter Century" for 1971-95...A native of Rogersville, Ala...Wore number 15...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1995 - MICHAEL WILLIAMS (Offensive Tackle)

MICHAEL WILLIAMS was selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference, first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-South Region, second-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-American and honorable mention *Football Gazette* All-American as a senior in 1995...A four-year starter who started 54 consecutive games from 1992-95 on teams with a combined 48-5-1 record that included three straight GSC titles and three straight NCAA Division II National Championships...A three-time Academic All-Gulf South Conference selection as well... A native of Rogersville, Ala...Wore number 75...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1995, 1996 - GERALD SMITH (Defensive Back)

GERALD SMITH was selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference, first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-South Region, second-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-American, third-team *Football Gazette* All-American and third-team *C.M. Frank* All-America as a junior in 1995...Made 67 tackles to finish fourth on the team...Had 53 primary stops, four interceptions and 12 pass break-ups...UNA went 14-0 in 1995 to claim its third straight GSC and Division II National Championships...The Lions defense led Division II in rushing and scoring defense in 1995, was second in total defense and 13th in passing efficiency defense.

In 1996 Smith was selected first-team All-American by the *American Football Coaches Association*, the *Associated Press*, *CoSIDA* and *American Football Quarterly*, and was a second-team All-America pick by the *Football Gazette*...Made 74 tackles as a senior to lead UNA...Had 57 primaries, 17 assists and tied for the GSC lead with five interceptions...Closed his career with 310 total tackles, making 228 primary stops and 82 assists... Made 14 interceptions for 79 yards and one touchdown, and added 14 tackles for loss of 54 yards, four fumble recoveries, 11 caused fumbles and 45 pass break-ups...A four-year starter and three-time All-GSC selection who played on UNA teams with a combined 47-6 record that included three straight GSC titles and three straight national championships...A native of Moss Point, Miss... Wears number 7...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1995, 1996, 1997 - REGINALD RUFFIN (Defensive End, Linebacker)

REGINALD RUFFIN became UNA's second three-time All-American and is the only Lion to ever earn All-America honors at two different positions...He was an All-America pick at defensive end in 1995 and 1996, and at linebacker in 1997...

In 1995 he was selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference, first-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-South Region, third-team *CoSIDA* NCAA Division II All-American, third-team *C.M. Frank* All-American and honorable mention *Football Gazette* All-American in 1995...Selected Gulf South Conference Defensive Player of the Week vs Albany State on Sept. 2...The Lions defense led Division II in rushing and scoring defense in 1995, was second in total defense and 13th in passing efficiency defense...UNA went 14-0 in 1995 to claim its third straight GSC and Division II National Championships...

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In 1996, Ruffin was selected second-team All-American by the *Associated Press*, *CoSIDA* and the *Football Gazette*...Was selected All-Gulf South Conference and first-team CoSIDA All-South Region...Made 51 tackles with 14 quarterback pressures, nine tackles for loss of 41 yards, 9.5 sacks for 91 yards and recovered two fumbles...

A two-time All-American on the defensive line, in 1997 Ruffin was selected first-team All-American by the *Associated Press*, the *Football Gazette* and the *American Football Coaches Association*, and was a second-team All-America pick by *Daktronics* as a linebacker...He was first-team All-GSC for a third straight year and was first-team All-South Region...He made 122 total tackles, with 89 primary stops, three caused fumbles, two recovered fumbles, 17 tackles for loss of 42 yards, four sacks for 30 yards and two interceptions.

A four-year starter who set a school record with 34 career sacks and set the school single-season sack record with 11 in 1994...His career sacks and tackles for loss total 431 yards in losses...He played for UNA teams with a combined 43-9 record that included two national championships and two GSC titles...Selected GSC Freshman of the Year in 1994...A native of Butler, Ala...Wore number 58...He was selected for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team for 1949-98...Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1997 - MARCUS HILL (Defensive Back)

MARCUS HILL was selected first-team All-American by the *Football Gazette* and was a second-team All-American by the *Associated Press*...He was also a first-team All-Gulf South Conference and first-team All-South Region pick...He led UNA with 123 total tackles, with 79 primary stops, two caused fumbles, one recovered fumble, 15 pass break-ups and six interceptions...He helped the Lions to a 9-3 record in 1997 and an NCAA playoff berth...A four-year letterman and three-year starter...Closed his career with 10 interceptions...A native of Russellville, Ala...Wears number 4... Named to Gulf South Conference Team of the 1990s.

## 1997 - JOE WASHINGTON (Offensive Guard)

JOE WASHINGTON was selected second-team All-American by *Daktronics* and third-team All-American by the *Football Gazette*...He was also first-team All-Gulf South Conference and first-team All-South Region...He helped UNA to a 9-3 record in 1997 and an NCAA playoff berth...He played for UNA teams with a combined 43-9 record that included two national championships and two GSC titles...A four-year letterman from 1994-97 and a two-year starter...A native of Huntsville, Ala...Wore number 61...

## 1998 - SHAWN CASH (Defensive End)

SHAWN CASH was selected as a second-team All-American in 1998 by the *Football Gazette*...He made 47 tackles with 30 primary stops...Had a school record five sacks on Sept. 26, 1998 against Central Arkansas...Selected GSC Defensive Player of the Week and *Football Gazette* National Defensive Player of the Week for the Central Arkansas game...Finished the season with 10 sacks, only one shy of the school single-season record...In his two years at UNA, he had 89 tackles with 15 sacks and 13 tackles for loss...Named All-Gulf South Conference and Daktronics All-South Region...A native of McLellonville, S.C...Wore number 95...

## 1998 - TYRONE BELL (Defensive Back)

In 1998 he was selected second-team All-American by the *Football Gazette*...In 1998 he had 43 tackles, 6.5 tackles for loss, and six interceptions...He was selected All-Gulf South Conference and All-South Region in 1998...He was a four-year Lion letterman in 1994-95 and 1997-98...He closed his UNA career with 10 interceptions and 148 career tackles...He was a member of two UNA National Championship teams and the Lions went to the playoffs three times in his four years at the school...He was drafted in the sixth round of the NFL Draft by the San Diego Chargers...Played with the Memphis Maniax of the XFL in 2000...A native of West Point, Miss...Wore number 9...

## 2000 - CHAD SEARS (Defensive Back)

In 2000 he was selected second-team All-American by *D2Football.com* and was a third-team All-American pick by the *Football Gazette*...He was first-team All-Gulf South Conference in 2000 and second-team in 1999...As a senior he was also Daktronics first-team All-South Region and played in the Cactus

Bowl - NCAA Division II All-Star game...He made 83 tackles as a senior with four interceptions...During his career he made 293 total tackles and had six interceptions to go with 10 tackles for loss of 22 yards, nine caused fumbles and eight fumble recoveries...He led the Lions in tackles each of his last two seasons at UNA...A native of Russellville, Ala., he was a four-year letterman for the Lions from 1997-2000...Wore number 15...

## 2003 - WILL HALL (Quarterback)

As a senior in 2003 he was selected first-team All-American by the *Associated Press*, *Daktronics*, *Football Gazette* and *D2Football.com*... He won the 2003 Harlon Hill Trophy as NCAA Division II College Football Player of the Year and led the NCAA Division II in passing efficiency in 2003 with a 173.3 rating... He completed 267 of 372 passes for 3,531 yards and 30 touchdowns in 2003 - all school records... He led the Lions to a 13-1 record that included the first perfect 11-0 regular-season in school history, a Gulf South Conference championship and a spot in the semifinals of the NCAA Division II playoffs... He played in the Cactus Bowl NCAA Division II All-Star Game...He was a two-time Gulf South Conference Player of the Week and a two-time Division II National Player of the Week in 2003...He set school records for most touchdown passes in a game (4), completions in a game (30), total offense in a season (3,998), passing yards in a season (3,531), completions in a season (267), pass attempts in a season (372), completion percentage in a season (71.8), touchdown passes in a season (30), touchdowns responsible for in a season (35), career passing yards (6,166), career TD passes (42), completions in a career (471), pass attempts in a season (693), career completion percentage (68.0)...He broke the career marks in just two seasons...A native of Amory Miss., he wore number 7.

## 2003 - TRAVIS JOHNSTON (Place-Kicker)

In 2003 Johnston was selected first-team All-American by *Dopke.com*, third-team All-American by the *Football Gazette* and honorable mention All-American by *D2Football.com*...He was also first-team All-South Region by the *Football Gazette*...He ranked 37th in Division II in punting at 39.3, was 17th in field goals per game (1.1) and 54th nationally in scoring (7.5)...He set NCAA Division II records for most points scored by kicking in a season (105) and consecutive extra-points made in a season (57)...In 2003 handled both the kicking and punting duties, averaging 39.3 yards on 55 punts and hitting 57-of-58 extra points on 16-of-18 field goal attempts...His 105 points were second on the team...He helped lead the Lions to a 13-1 record that included the first perfect 11-0 regular-season in school history, a Gulf South Conference championship and a spot in the semifinals of the NCAA Division II playoffs...For his four-year career he made 34-of-55 field goal attempts and 148-of-155 extra-points, while scoring 250 career points...A native of Auburn, Ala., he wore number 11.

## 2003 - SHERWIN LYONS (Offensive Tackle)

In 2003 he was selected second-team All-American by the *Football Gazette*... He was also first-team All-Gulf South Conference and first-team Daktronics All-South Region...He helped lead the Lions to a 13-1 record that included the first perfect 11-0 regular-season in school history, a Gulf South Conference championship and a spot in the semifinals of the NCAA Division II playoffs...A four-year letterman and two-year starter for the Lions...A native of Fort Valley, Ga., he wore number 67.

## 2003, 2004 - EVAN OGLESBY (Defensive Back)

As a junior in 2003 he was selected first-team All-American by the *Football Gazette* and was honorable mention All-American by *D2Football.com*... He was first-team All-Gulf South Conference and first-team *Football Gazette* All-South Region...He ranked 30th in Division II in interceptions with seven for 40 yards in returns and two touchdowns...He finished fourth on the team in tackles with 66, including 49 solos and 17 assists...He had 15 pass break-ups, a fumble caused and recovered and two tackles for loss...He helped lead the Lions to a 13-1 record that included the first perfect 11-0 regular-season in school history, a Gulf South Conference championship and a spot in the semifinals of the NCAA Division II playoffs...As a senior in 2004 he was selected first-team All-American by the *D2Football.com*, second-team by *Dopke.com* and honorable mention by *Football Gazette*... He made 45 tackles with one tackle for loss, one interception, blocked one kick and deflected 11 passes...He was first-team All-GSC as a senior and was second-team Daktron-

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ics All-South Region, first-team Football Gazette All-South Region and played in the Cactus Bowl Division II All-Star Game...He was a four-year letterman and starter for the Lions...He finished his career with 224 tackles, 11 tackles for loss, 13 interceptions and 38 pass break-ups...A native of Toccoa, Ga., he wore number 6...He was signed as a free agent by the Buffalo Bills.

## 2004 - KEN TRIPLETT (Defensive Lineman)

As a senior in 2004 he was selected first-team All-American by the *American Football Coaches Association* and the *Associated Press*...He was first-team All-Gulf South Conference...He made 44 total tackles with 12 tackles for loss of 46 yards, four sacks for 25 yards and three forced fumbles...A two-year letterman, he wore number 86 as a junior and number seven as a senior...A native of Louisville, Miss., Triplett made 23 tackles as a junior with nine tackles for loss and 5.5 sacks...He wore number 7 as a senior.

## 2004, 2005 - LANCE ANCAR (Center)

As a junior in 2004 he was selected third-team All-American by the *Football Gazette*, third-team by *Dopke.com* and honorable mention by *D2Football.com*...He was first-team All-Gulf South Conference and first-team All-South Region by both *Football Gazette* and *Daktronics*...He was also an honorable mention All-America pick by the *Football Gazette* in 2003, while also earning All-GSC and second-team All-South Region honors...In 2005 Ancar was the recipient of the *Rimington Trophy* as the top center in NCAA Division II football. He was named first-team All-American by the *American Football Coaches Association*, *CollegeSportsReport.com* and the *Football Gazette*...He was a second-team All-American pick by *Daktronics*, and *D2Football.com* and a third-team pick by the *Associated Press*. He was first-team All-Gulf South Conference and first-team All-Southeast Region by both *Daktronics* and the *Football Gazette*...A four-year letterman and three-year starter...He helped lead UNA to the semifinals of the NCAA Division II playoffs in 2003 and 2005...UNA had a 33-16 record in his three years at the school, including a 29-9 record from 2003-05...A native of Harvey, Louisiana, he wore number 68.

## 2005 - BLAKE FARRIS (Defensive Back)

As a senior in 2005 Farris was named first-team All-American at defensive back by the *Football Gazette*, *CollegeSportsReport.com*, *Daktronics* and *D2Football.com*...He was also first-team All-Gulf South Conference, first-team *Football Gazette* All-Southeast Region and first-team *Daktronics* All-Southeast Region...He was *Football Gazette* National Player of the Week for his efforts in UNA's first-round playoff win at Valdosta State...He intercepted a school-record 10 passes that he returned for 192 yards. He also had 12 pass break-ups, 49 tackles, 3.5 tackles for loss, two fumble recoveries and two blocked kicks...He ranked ninth in the nation in interceptions and tenth in passes defended...A four-year letterman and starter, Farris finished

with 16 career interceptions and 170 career tackles...He signed as a free agent with the Cleveland Browns following his senior season...A native of Jasper, Ala., he wore number 27.

## 2005 - ANTHONY MERRITT (Receiver/Return Specialist/All-Purpose)

As a junior in 2005 Merritt finished sixth in the voting for the Harlon Hill Trophy as the Division II National Player of the Year...He was named first-team All-American as a return specialist by *D2Football.com*, second-team All-American as an all-purpose back by *Daktronics*, third-team All-American as a kick returner by *CollegeSportsReport.com*, second-team as a return specialist by *Football Gazette* and also honorable mention All-American as a wide receiver by *Football Gazette*...He was first-team *Daktronics* All-Southeast Region as both a return specialist and receiver...He was first-team all-region as a return specialist by *Football Gazette* and second-team as a receiver...In his first season on offense in 2005, Merritt caught a school-record 81 passes for 942 yards and eight touchdowns...He added 23 rushing attempts for 168 yards and three touchdowns, completed his only pass attempt for 21 yards and a touchdown, returned 51 punts for 546 yards and two touchdowns and 23 kickoffs for 595 yards and one touchdown...He finished the season with 2,251 all-purpose yards...He was a two-time GSC Player of the Week and was National Player of the Week by both *D2Football.com* and *Football Gazette* after scoring four different ways in a five touchdown performance in UNA's win over Delta State...He was first-team All-GSC as both a receiver and kick returner...He broke 13 school and two GSC records and also broke Division II record for total kick returns in a season with 71...Helped lead UNA to an 11-3 record and into the semifinals of the Division II playoffs as a junior and to a 13-1 record and into the semifinals of the Division II playoffs as a freshman...A three letterman, Merritt is a native of Columbus, Ga., and wears number 21.

## 2005 - CHIP LONG (Tight End)

As a senior in 2005 he was selected first-team All-American at tight end by the *Football Gazette*, second-team by *CollegeSportsReport.com* and *Daktronics* and third-team by *D2Football.com*...Long was also first-team All-Gulf South Conference, first-team *Football Gazette* All-Southeast Region and first-team *Daktronics* All-Southeast Region...In 2005 he caught 66 passes for 802 yards and five touchdowns, averaging 12.2 yards per catch...He was also 1-for-1 passing for eight yards...He caught three touchdown passes in UNA's 41-38 overtime win in the quarterfinals of the NCAA Division II playoffs at Central Arkansas...For his career, Long caught 97 passes for 1,225 yards and 10 touchdowns...He was a four-year letterman who also served as the Lions' long snapper...A native of Mountain Brook, Ala., he wore number 83.



Blake Farris



Chip Long



Anthony Merritt



Lance Ancar

# LION ALL-REGION SELECTIONS

## DAKTRONICS

### NCAA DIVISION II

#### ALL-SOUTH REGION

(as selected by the Division II sports information directors)

1993	Tyrone Rush	RB	First-Team
1993	Jeff Surbaugh	OL	First-Team
1993	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1993	Jeff Redcross	DE	Second-Team
1994	Jon Thompson	OG	First-Team
1994	Kin Taylor	C	First-Team
1994	Marcus Keyes	DL	First-Team
1994	Keith Humphrey	LB	First-Team
1994	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1994	Marcus Hunter	DE	Second-Team
1994	Gerald Smith	DB	Second-Team
1994	Lee Morris	P	Second-Team
1995	Eddie Evans	C	First-Team
1995	Jon Thompson	OG	First-Team
1995	Michael Williams	OT	First-Team
1995	Jarius Hayes	TE	First-Team
1995	Ronald McKinnon	LB	First-Team
1995	Keith Humphrey	LB	First-Team
1995	Israel Raybon	DE	First-Team
1995	Reginald Ruffin	DE	First-Team
1995	Marcus Keyes	DT	First-Team
1995	Gerald Smith	DB	First-Team
1995	Cody Gross	QB	Second-Team
1995	Michael Edwards	WR	Second-Team
1995	Jamie Stoddard	PK	Second-Team
1996	Michael Edwards	WR	First-Team
1996	Reginald Ruffin	DE	First-Team
1996	Gerald Smith	DB	First-Team
1997	Reginald Ruffin	LB	First-Team
1997	Joe Washington	OG	First-Team
1997	Marcus Hill	DB	First-Team
1997	Corey Harris	DB	First-Team
1997	Tony Faggioni	P	First-Team
1997	Greg Manson	RB	Second-Team
1997	Bobby Collins	TE	Second-Team
1997	Michael Moncrief	DE	Second-Team
1997	Brad Pierce	OT	Second-Team
1997	Thomas Moore	OG	Second-Team
1998	Bobby Collins	TE	First-Team
1998	Tyrone Bell	DB	First-Team
1998	Tony Faggioni	P	First-Team
1998	Shawn Cash	DL	First-Team
1998	Greg Manson	RB	Second-Team
1998	Russell Stephens	OG	Second-Team
1998	Marcus Hill	DB	Second-Team
1999	Chad Sears	DB	First-Team
1999	Robert Gordon	LB	Second-Team
2000	Chad Sears	DB	First-Team
2000	Matt Phillips	OT	Second-Team
2001	Johnell Jones	DL	Second-Team
2003	Will Hall	QB	First-Team
2003	DeMarcus Blount	RB	First-Team
2003	Lance Ancar	C	Second-Team

2003	Sherwin Lyons	OT	Second-Team
2003	Donald Tharpe	LB	Second-Team
2004	Lance Ancar	C	First-Team
2004	Anthony Merritt	AP	Second-Team
2004	Evan Oglesby	CB	Second-Team
2005	Chip Long	TE	First-Team
2005	Anthony Merritt	WR	First-Team
2005	Anthony Merritt	AP	First-Team
2005	Blake Farris	CB	First-Team
2005	Brett Mask	OL	Second-Team

## FOOTBALL GAZETTE

### NCAA DIVISION II

#### ALL-SOUTH REGION

2003	Will Hall	QB	First-Team
2003	Sherwin Lyons	OT	First-Team
2003	Evan Oglesby	DB	First-Team
2003	Travis Johnston	PK	First-Team
2003	DeMarcus Blount	RB	Second-Team
2003	Lance Ancar	C	Second-Team
2004	Lance Ancar	C	First-Team
2004	Evan Oglesby	DB	First-Team
2004	Anthony Merritt	RS	Second-Team
2004	Blake Farris	DB	Third-Team
2005	Chip Long	TE	First-Team
2005	Lance Ancar	C	First-Team
2005	Brett Mask	OT	First-Team
2005	Anthony Merritt	RS	First-Team
2005	Anthony Merritt	WR	Second-Team
2005	Blake Farris	CB	Second-Team
2005	Marcus Jackson	DL	Third-Team
2005	Tim Hunt	DE	Third-Team



*Tim Hunt*

# LION FOOTBALL HONORS

## ALABAMA SPORTS HALL OF FAME

Four of the most prominent figures in the history of Lion football hold membership in the Alabama Sports Hall of Fame. **Harlon Hill**, a letterman from 1950-53 who was an NAIA All-American and was named Rookie of the Year and Most Valuable Player in the National Football League while playing with the Chicago Bears, was the school's first inductee when he was chosen for membership in 1976. Then, in 1983, **George "Goober" Lindsey**, a football letterman in 1950 and 1951 who went on to television fame on the *Andy Griffith* and *Hee Haw* shows, was selected for membership. **Hal Self** was the head coach of the Lion football team from 1949-1969. He had a 109-81-8 record. He had a combined 31-0-2 record against state rivals, Jacksonville State, Troy State, and Livingston from 1952-1963. **Bobby Wallace** was head coach of the Lions from 1988-97 and led the Lions to three NCAA Division II National Championships, three Gulf South Conference titles and six NCA playoff appearances. He was inducted into the Alabama Sports Hall of Fame in 2004. Another Lion, former basketball standout Winfrey "Wimp" Sanderson, has also been inducted. **Mickey Andrews** was head coach of the Lions from 1973-76 and has been the long-time defensive coordinator at Florida State. He was inducted in 2006.

<b>Class of 1976</b>	Harlon Hill
<b>Class of 1983</b>	George Lindsey
<b>Class of 1990</b>	Wimp Sanderson
<b>Class of 1996</b>	Hal Self
<b>Class of 2004</b>	Bobby Wallace
<b>Class of 2006</b>	Mickey Andrews

## ALABAMA SPORTS WRITER'S ASSOCIATION SMALL COLLEGE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

The University of North Alabama has had ten recipients of the State Small College Athlete of the Year award, which is presented by the Alabama Sports Writer's Association. Six of UNA's winners have been Lion football players. The award was initially presented in 1983 and has been presented annually for the last 22 years.

<b>1984</b>	Daryl Smith	DB
<b>1990</b>	James Davis	LB
<b>1993</b>	Tyrone Rush	RB
<b>1994</b>	Ronald McKinnon	LB
<b>1995</b>	Ronald McKinnon	LB
<b>2003</b>	Will Hall	LB

## ALABAMA SPORTS WRITER'S ASSOCIATION AMATEUR ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

University of North Alabama linebacker **Ronald McKinnon** was named the state's Amateur Athlete of the Year by the Alabama Sports Writer's Association in 1995, becoming the third small college athlete to win both the Small College Athlete of the Year and the Amateur Athlete of the Year in the same year.

<b>1995</b>	Ronald McKinnon	LB
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## ALABAMA SPORTS WRITER'S ASSOCIATION PROFESSIONAL ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

University of North Alabama linebacker **Ronald McKinnon** was named the state's Professional Athlete of the Year by the Alabama Sports Writer's Association in 1998, becoming the first athlete ever from the state to be named Small College Athlete of the Year, Amateur Athlete of the Year and Professional Athlete of the Year.

<b>1998</b>	Ronald McKinnon	Arizona Cardinals
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## SINGTON TROPHY

The University of North Alabama has been well represented in the Sington Trophy presentations. The awards are presented by the Lakeshore Foundation in Birmingham, Ala., and are named for University of Alabama legendary athlete Fred Sington. UNA basketball coach **Gary Elliott** was honored as a Sington Trophy recipient in 1991 after leading UNA to a national championship. **Bobby Wallace** has similarly honored after UNA won the 193 Division II Football Championship. In 1995-96, Wallace received another Sington Trophy as the State of Alabama Coach of the Year, and UNA linebacker **Ronald McKinnon** was named the State Collegiate Athlete of the Year

<b>1991</b>	Gary Elliott	Head Basketball Coach
<b>1994</b>	Bobby Wallace	Head Football Coach
<b>1996</b>	Ronald McKinnon	Collegiate Athlete of the Year
<b>1996</b>	Bobby Wallace	State Coach of the Year

## ALL-STAR GAMES

A total of 20 different North Alabama players have been selected to play in a variety of collegiate all-star games since 1984. Defensive back **Daryl Smith** was the first when he was invited to play in the Blue-Gray Classic and the Senior Bowl in 1984.

Most recently, Will Hall played in the Cactus Bowl in 2003.

<b>1984</b>	Daryl Smith	Blue-Gray Classic Senior Bowl
<b>1985</b>	Lewis Billups	Blue-Gray Classic Senior Bowl
<b>1990</b>	Mike Nord	East-West Shrine Classic All-America Classic
<b>1993</b>	Tyrone Rush	Snow Bowl
<b>1993</b>	Jeff Surbaugh	Snow Bowl
<b>1994</b>	Kin Taylor	Snow Bowl
<b>1994</b>	Marcus Hunter	Snow Bowl
<b>1995</b>	Israel Raybon	Blue-Gray Classic East-West Shrine Classic
<b>1995</b>	Marcus Keyes	Blue-Gray Classic Senior Bowl
<b>1995</b>	Ronald McKinnon	Snow Bowl
<b>1995</b>	Jarius Hayes	Snow Bowl
<b>1996</b>	Gerald Smith	Snow Bowl
<b>1997</b>	Reginald Ruffin	Snow Bowl
<b>1997</b>	Joe Washington	Snow Bowl
<b>1998</b>	Bobby Collins	Snow Bowl
<b>1998</b>	Tony Faggioni	Snow Bowl
<b>2000</b>	Chad Sears	Cactus Bowl
<b>2000</b>	Larry Paul	Cactus Bowl
<b>2002</b>	John Bradley	Cactus Bowl
<b>2003</b>	Will Hall	Cactus Bowl
<b>2004</b>	Evan Oglesby	Cactus Bowl
<b>2005</b>	Blake Farris	Cactus Bowl
<b>2005</b>	Lee Vickers	Cactus Bowl

## CHEVROLET SCHOLARSHIPS

Excellence on the football field has benefited UNA off the field as well as quarterbacks **Fred Riley**, **Rusty Towery** and **Bobby Duncan** each had \$1,000 scholarships donated in their names to the university by Chevrolet. In 1980 and 1981, UNA received \$1,000 scholarships in **Riley's** name, who earned MVP acclaim in televised games against Eastern Illinois and Troy State. Towery was selected Most Valuable Player by Chevrolet in UNA's 42-21 win over Troy State in 1983 in a game that was televised by CBS. Duncan was named MVP in UNA's 27-24 loss to Central State of Ohio in the NCAA playoffs later that season in a game televised by ABC.

In 1993, 1994 and 1995 the university received another \$2,500 each year from Chevrolet when coach **Bobby Wallace** was named as Chevrolet's National Coach of the Year. In all, UNA has received \$11,500 from Chevrolet through its scholarship program.

<b>1980</b>	Fred Riley	Troy State
<b>1980</b>	Fred Riley	Eastern Illinois
<b>1983</b>	Rusty Towery	Troy State
<b>1983</b>	Bobby Duncan	Central State of Ohio
<b>1993</b>	Bobby Wallace	Coach of the Year
<b>1994</b>	Bobby Wallace	Coach of the Year
<b>1995</b>	Bobby Wallace	Coach of the Year

# LION FOOTBALL HONORS AND AWARDS

## GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE COMMISSIONER'S TROPHY

The Commissioner's Trophy honors the top student-athlete in the league.

<b>1990</b> James Davis	LB
<b>1996</b> Cody Gross	QB

## ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA

In 1995, UNA senior center **Eddie Evans** of Cullman was selected second-team Academic All-American by the College Sports Information Directors of America with a 3.40 GPA in Industrial Hygiene. A three-year starter, Evans played on UNA teams with a combined 48-5-1 record and three national championships. Evans was an All-South Region selection and was a CoSIDA/GTE Academic All-District pick, in addition to Academic All-America.

## NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR

### Wayne Grubb

Football Gazette 1985

### Bobby Wallace

American Football Coaches Association	1993, 1994, 1995
Football Gazette	1993, 1994, 1995
American Football Quarterly	1995
Cable News Network (CNN)	1995
Chevrolet and ABC	1993, 1994, 1995
College Sports	1994

### Mark Hudspeth

American Football Quarterly	2003
Dopke.com	2003
Football Gazette	2003

## All-time UNA MVP's

Year	Most Valuable Back	Most Valuable Lineman
1949	Carl Boley	Brooks Jones
1950	L.L. Whitten	Brooks Jones
1951	Joe Elmore	Bobby Wade
1952	Joe Elmore	Durel I Mock
1953	Alton Romine	Merle West
1954	Wendell Taylor	Carl Garrison
1955	William "Brub" Hamilton	Paul Dyar
1956	Don Pickens	Hal Sisson
1957	Ron Meeks	Bill Lumpkin
1958	Jack Redwine	David Martin
1959	Bearl Whitsett	David Martin
1960	Larry Yancey	Billy Don Anderson
1961	Robert Douthitt	Henry Prater
1962	Carl Barton	Ken "Spike" Townley
1963	Carl Barton	Tommy Wyatt
1964	Doyle Hill	Don Allison
1965	Don Cornelius	Don Creasy
1966	George Perkins	Mike Dennis
1967	Don Cornelius	Johnny McGee
1968	Don Cornelius	Ricky Lindsey
1969	Leonard Thomas	Johnny McGee
1970	Carl McCulley	Roger Mathis
1971	Mike Wilburn	Frankie Patterson
1972	Jim Trimble	William McCormack
1973	Danny Kimble	Larry Brown
1974	Roger Ralph	Paul Parvin
1975	Roger Ralph	Terry Witherspoon
1976	Maurice Brawley	Tobin Sexton
1977	Rodney Bivens	Len Harvey
1978	Kevin Logan	Obie Childers

## Other Team Awards

1969	Johnny McGee	Headhunter
1971	Larry Brown	Headhunter

1975	Hezzie Morgan	Good Housekeeping
1980	Barry Koehn	Leadership
1983	Steve Carter	Most Val. Def. Lineman
	Clarence Johnson	Outstanding Off. Back
	Dexter Rutherford	Outstanding Off. Lineman
	Rod Brooks	Outstanding Def. Back
	Daryl Smith	Outstanding Def. Back
	Alan Underwood	Outstanding Def. Lineman
	Scott Shirley	Hustle
	Reger Curry	Most Improved
1984	Stanley Gill	Outstanding Off. Back
	Scott Shirley	Outstanding Off. Lineman
	Daryl Smith	Outstanding Def. Back
	Dean Sanders	Outstanding Def. Lineman
	Danny McKinley	Hustle
	Jeff Sims	Hustle
	Bobby Duncan	Academic
	Harold Greene	Most Improved
1985	Clarence Johnson	Outstanding Off. Back
	Jack Gipson	Outstanding Off. Lineman
	Bruce Jones	Outstanding Def. Back
	Harold Greene	Outstanding Def. Lineman
	Steve Rogers	Hustle
	Charles Johnson	Most Improved
1987	Stevie Hobbs	Outstanding Off. Back
	Terry Corum	Outstanding Off. Lineman
	Wendell Phillips	Outstanding Def. Back
	Shawn Lee	Outstanding Def. Lineman
	Stevie Hobbs	Hustle
	Terry Corum	Academic
	Shawn Lee	Most Improved
1988	Bennie Jennings	Most Valuable Player
	Tommy Compton	Def. Most Valuable Player
	James Davis	Def. Most Valuable Player
	Tim Garner	Academic
1990	James Davis	Most Valuable Player
	Bennie Jennings	Off. Most Valuable Player
	Michael Jackson	Def. Most Valuable Player
1992	Tyrone Rush	Most Valuable Player
	Brian Satterfield	Off. Most Valuable Player
	Antonio Holley	Def. Most Valuable Player
	Ronald McKinnon	Def. Most Valuable Player
	Lee Craft	Academic
1993	Tyrone Rush	Most Valuable Player
	Brian Satterfield	Off. Most Valuable Player
	Jeff Redcross	Def. Most Valuable Player
1994	Ronald McKinnon	Most Valuable Player
	Cody Gross	Off. Most Valuable Player
	Keith Humphrey	Def. Most Valuable Player
	Richard Garris	Academic
1995	Cody Gross	Off. Most Valuable Player
	Ronald McKinnon	Def. Most Valuable Player
	Sam Graham	Leadership
1996	A.J. Lamar	Off. Most Valuable Player
	Michael Edwards	Off. Most Valuable Player
	Gerald Smith	Def. Most Valuable Player
1997	Greg Manson	Off. Most Valuable Player
	Reginald Ruffin	Def. Most Valuable Player
1998	Greg Manson	Off. Most Valuable Player
	Shawn Cash	Def. Most Valuable Player
	Orlando Patterson	Def. Most Valuable Player
1999	Robert Gordon	Def. Most Valuable Player
	Tyler Peterson	Off. Most Valuable Player
2000	Chad Sears	Def. Most Valuable Player
	Tyler Peterson	Off. Most Valuable Player
2001	Trent Dawson	Def. Most Valuable Player
	Adam Underwood	Off. Most Valuable Player

# LIONS IN THE NCAA STATISTICS

## Rankings in Team Offense

Total Offense			
Year	Rank	Category	Avg
1983	7th	Total	410.5
1993	8th	Total	470.2
1994	29th	Total	411.6
1995	25th	Total	407.2
1997	25th	Total	395.7
1998	49th	Total	363.5
2000	38th	Total	382.8
2002	24th	Total	413.2
2003	16th	Total	446.3
2004	46th	Total	390.6
2005	31st	Total	411.1

### Scoring Offense

1980	5th	Scoring	30.2
1981	10th	Scoring	29.9
1983	3rd	Scoring	34.4
1990	17th	Scoring	30.3
1993	6th	Scoring	40.6
1994	14th	Scoring	36.2
1995	6th	Scoring	37.1
1996	45th	Scoring	27.9
1997	26th	Scoring	30.6
1998	36th	Scoring	31.3
2002	29th	Scoring	30.7
2003	5th	Scoring	38.8
2004	40th	Scoring	31.2
2005	15th	Scoring	36.4

### Rushing Offense

1980	6th	Rushing	242.6
1982	12th	Rushing	222.9
1983	6th	Rushing	241.2
1989	27th	Rushing	193.6
1992	5th	Rushing	298.9
1993	1st	Rushing	371.5
1994	5th	Rushing	303.9
1995	3rd	Rushing	306.9
1996	19th	Rushing	228.6
1997	5th	Rushing	296.0
1998	16th	Rushing	243.9
2000	11th	Rushing	251.9
2003	53rd	Rushing	179.3
2004	46th	Rushing	183.6

### Passing Offense

2003	22nd	Passing	267.0
2004	57th	Passing	207.0
2005	18th	Passing	269.6

### Turnover Margin

1990	1st	Turnover Margin	2.50
1993	16th	Turnover Margin	1.10
1995	22nd	Turnover Margin	0.80
1998	7th	Turnover Margin	1.40
2000	28th	Turnover Margin	0.70
2003	24th	Turnover Margin	0.70
2005	9th	Turnover Margin	1.40

## Rankings in Team Defense

Total Defense			
Year	Rank	Category	Avg
1983	11th	Total	223.2
1985	4th	Total	198.7
1987	24th	Total	265.8
1989	21st	Total	264.4
1990	16th	Total	264.7



1994	2nd	Total	198.8
1995	2nd	Total	209.0
1996	42nd	Total	296.1
1998	3rd	Total	223.6
2003	26th	Total	295.6
2004	72nd	Total	344.3
2005	18th	Total	289.6

### Scoring Defense

1985	2nd	Scoring	7.5
1987	24th	Scoring	15.0
1989	14th	Scoring	13.6
1990	7th	Scoring	13.1
1992	8th	Scoring	12.8
1993	21st	Scoring	15.8
1994	4th	Scoring	11.1
1995	1st	Scoring	10.6
1996	36th	Scoring	18.4
1997	36th	Scoring	18.5
1998	29th	Scoring	17.6
2003	6th	Scoring	14.1
2004	39th	Scoring	21.3
2005	18th	Scoring	17.9

### Rushing Defense

1983	11th	Rushing	77.8
1984	7th	Rushing	79.2
1993	22nd	Rushing	108.7
1994	4th	Rushing	78.2
1995	1st	Rushing	56.8
1996	30th	Rushing	125.6
1997	38th	Rushing	129.3
1998	5th	Rushing	76.8
2003	36th	Rushing	122.8
2005	15th	Rushing	97.9

### Pass Defense

1985	2nd	Passing	96.6
1987	18th	Passing	127.8
1989	26th	Passing	135.7

### Pass Efficiency Defense

1990	3rd	Pass Efficiency	75.0
1992	21st	Pass Efficiency	92.1
1994	2nd	Pass Efficiency	72.0
1995	13th	Pass Efficiency	89.0
1997	30th	Pass Efficiency	97.7
1998	12th	Pass Efficiency	88.9
2003	25th	Pass Efficiency	102.5
2004	34th	Pass Efficiency	103.0
2005	24th	Pass Efficiency	101.8

## Rankings in Special Teams

### Net Punting

Year	Rank	Category	Avg
1993	1st	Net Punting	39.50
1994	10th	Net Punting	37.0
1995	19th	Net Punting	39.3
1996	21st	Net Punting	35.1
1997	1st	Net Punting	39.5
1998	27th	Net Punting	35.6
2000	18th	Net Punting	34.71
2003	54th	Net Punting	33.7
2004	34th	Net Punting	34.24

### Kickoff Returns

1993	3rd	Kickoff Returns	26.39
1994	36th	Kickoff Returns	20.4
1998	15th	Kickoff Returns	23.3
2003	74th	Kickoff Returns	19.3
2004	9th	Kickoff Returns	23.3
2005	18th	Kickoff Returns	21.9

### Punt Returns

1994	26th	Punt Returns	10.5
1995	14th	Punt Returns	10.9
1997	27th	Punt Returns	11.7
2000	22nd	Punt Returns	12.63
2003	38th	Punt Returns	11.39
2004	33rd	Punt Returns	11.73

## Individuals in

### National Rankings

#### Punting

Year	Rank	Player	Avg
1976	10th	Aubrey Haynes	40.9
1980	10th	Guy Cox	40.0
1985	8th	Harlow Fikes	41.0
1986	10th	Scott DeMott	41.0
1987	6th	Scott DeMott	41.8
1991	2nd	John Crittenden	43.2
1992	9th	John Crittenden	41.2
1997	6th	Tony Faggioni	42.0
1998	9th	Tony Faggioni	42.5
2003	37th	Travis Johnston	39.3
2004	67th	Lyle Atkinson	36.8

#### Field Goals

1980	1st	Nelson McMurray	1.40
1985	4th	James Knowles	1.45
1989	8th	Mike Berry	1.27
1990	11th	Brad Stepp	1.20
1993	8th	Jamie Stoddard	1.00
2003	17th	Travis Johnston	1.10
2004	18th	Beau Tanner	1.00
2005	8th	Yuta Fukuda	1.30

#### Rushing

1983	16th	Clarence Johnson	93.3
1985	13th	Clarence Johnson	97.6
1986	20th	Marvin Marsh	100.5
1988	23rd	Tommy Compton	93.4
1992	22nd	Tyrone Rush	113.6
1993	24th	Tyrone Rush	115.5
1997	35th	Greg Manson	100.4
1998	49th	Greg Manson	91.7

#### Total Offense

1988	24th	Tommy Compton	187.5
2002	15th	Will Hall	261.3
2003	12th	Will Hall	285.6
2004	47th	Vinnie Saylor	213.1
2005	27th	Vinnie Saylor	253.3

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<b>All-Purpose Yardage</b>			
1993	16th	Tyrone Rush	160.8
2005	20th	Anthony Merritt	160.8
<b>Scoring</b>			
1983	<b>1st</b>	Clarence Johnson	9.6
1985	19th	James Knowles	6.6
1993	11th	Tyrone Rush	9.8
1996	34th	A.J. Lamar	7.6
1997	22nd	Greg Manson	8.2
2002	5th	DeMarcus Blount	10.9
2003	26th	DeMarcus Blount	8.7
2003	54th	Travis Johnston	7.5
<b>Receiving Yards Per Game</b>			
1994	36th	Michael Edwards	79.6
1996	32nd	Michael Edwards	77.7
<b>Receptions Per Game</b>			
2005	37th	Anthony Merritt	5.8
<b>Passing Efficiency</b>			
1981	8th	Fred Riley	141.1
1984	20th	Bobby Duncan	120.3
1990	6th	Craig Bryant	140.1
2002	22nd	Will Hall	137.4
2003	<b>1st</b>	Will Hall	173.3
2004	43rd	Vinnie Saylor	125.2
2005	47th	Vinnie Saylor	103.4
<b>Kickoff Returns</b>			
1976	5th	Burnis Rose	28.0
1981	10th	Emmanuel Young	23.9
1989	11th	Troy Nelson	25.6
1993	7th	Tyrone Rush	30.6
1994	10th	Kenyatta Jones	28.6
1996	12th	Harry Holloway	26.7
1998	9th	Corey Harris	30.0
2001	22nd	Evan Oglesby	25.8
2002	26th	Patrick Wilson	25.1
2004	11th	Anthony Merritt	27.1
2005	15th	Anthony Merritt	25.9
<b>Punt Returns</b>			
1994	21st	Mo Malone	10.2
1995	14th	D'Angelo Armistad	10.9
1996	44th	Jason Veal	8.7
2003	21st	Anthony Merritt	12.5
2004	14th	Anthony Merritt	13.9
2005	42nd	Anthony Merritt	10.7
<b>Interceptions</b>			
1993	36th	Keith Humphrey	0.5
1996	36th	Gerald Smith	0.5
1997	40th	Marcus Hill	0.5
1998	18th	Tyrone Bell	0.6
2003	30th	Evan Oglesby	0.5
2005	10th	Blake Farris	1.6
<b>Tackles for Loss</b>			
2002	T34th	Sam Fakunle	1.6
<b>Forced Fumbles</b>			
2004	T27th	Ken Triplett	0.30
<b>Passes Defended</b>			
2004	T36th	Blake Farris	1.3
2004	T41st	Evan Oglesby	1.2
2005	10th	Blake Farris	1.6

## UNA's NCAA Statistical Champions

1990	<b>1st</b>	Turnover Margin	2.5
1993	<b>1st</b>	Rushing	371.5
1993	<b>1st</b>	Net Punting	39.5
1995	<b>1st</b>	Scoring Defense	10.6
1995	<b>1st</b>	Rushing Defense	56.8
1997	<b>1st</b>	Net Punting	39.5
1980	<b>1st</b>	Field Goals	
		Nelson McMurrain	1.4
1983	<b>1st</b>	Rushing	
		Clarence Johnson	9.6
2003	<b>1st</b>	Passing Efficiency	
		Will Hall	173.3



*Will Hall*



*UNA knocked off No. 1 ranked Valdosta State, 17-10, on Nov. 1, 2003*

## North Alabama vs. No. 1 Teams

**(2-5)**

1972	at West Alabama	West Alabama 17, UNA 6
1980	Eastern Illinois	EIU 56, UNA 31
1984	Troy State	UNA 13, Troy State 10
1997	at Carson-Newman	CN 21, UNA 7
2001	Delta State	DSU 21, UNA 3
2001	at Valdosta State	VSU 54, UNA 7
2003	at Valdosta State	UNA 17, VSU 10

## North Alabama as No. 1 Team

**(38-2)**

1993	1st game	at Mississippi College	38-28
1994	only loss from 1993-95	at Youngstown State	14-17
1996	lost	at Albany State	10-17
1996	def.	Alabama A&M	47-0

# LEGENDS OF THE FALL

## University of North Alabama 50th Anniversary Football Team

<i>Player</i>	<i>Years</i>	<i>OFFENSE Hometown</i>	<i>High School</i>
<b>Quarterbacks</b>			
Don Cornelius	1964-67	Huntsville, Ala.	Lee
Cody Gross	1992-95	Rogersville, Ala.	Lauderdale County
<b>Running Backs</b>			
Brub Hamilton	1952-55	Athens, Ala.	Athens
Clarence Johnson	1980, 82-83, 85	Huntsville, Ala.	Johnson
A.J. Lamar	1993-96	Cullman, Ala.	Cullman
Alton Romine	1951-53	Rogersville, Ala.	Lauderdale County
Tyrone Rush	1989, 91-93	Philadelphia, Miss.	Neshoba Central
Brian Satterfield	1989-90, 91-92	Epworth, Ga.	Fannin County
Wendell Taylor	1952-55	Bridgeport, Ala.	Bridgeport
Leonard Thomas	1968-71	Huntsville, Ala.	Butler
<b>Receivers</b>			
Michael Edwards	1993-96	West Point, Miss.	West Point
Harlon Hill	1950-53	Killen, Ala.	Lauderdale County
Ricky Lindsey	1966-68	Sheffield, Ala.	Sheffield
Roger Ralph	1973-75	Arab, Ala.	Arab
<b>Tight End</b>			
Jarius Hayes	1992-95	Muscle Shoals, Ala.	Muscle Shoals
Bennie Jennings	1987-90	Fayetteville, Tenn.	Lincoln County
<b>Offensive Line</b>			
Billy Don Anderson	1959-61	Athens, Ala.	Athens
Gerald Hudson	1958-60	Tuscumbia, Ala.	Deshler
Durell Mock	1949-52	Talladega, Ala.	Talladega
Hamp Moore	1978-81	Albertville, Ala.	Albertville
Dexter Rutherford	1982-83	Hatton, Ala.	Hatton
Hal Sisson	1955-57	Haleyville, Ala.	Haleyville
Don Smith	1979-82	Huntsville, Ala.	Lee
Jeff Surbaugh	1990-93	New Martinsville, W.V.	Magnolia
Kin Taylor	1991-94	Eclectic, Ala.	Elmore County
Jon Thompson	1992-95	Muscle Shoals, Ala.	Muscle Shoals
Michael Williams	1992-95	Rogersville, Ala.	Lauderdale County
Terence Witherspoon	1974-76	Fairfield, Ala.	Fairfield
<b>DEFENSE</b>			
<i>Player</i>	<i>Years</i>	<i>Hometown</i>	<i>High School</i>
<b>Defensive Line</b>			
Steve Carter	1978-80	Savannah, Tenn.	Central
Marcus Hunter	1991-94	Moundville, Ala.	Hale County
Marcus Keyes	1994-95	Taylorsville, Miss.	Taylorsville
Shawn Lee	1986-87	Brooklyn, N.Y.	Erasmus Hall
Johnny McGee	1966-69	Lawrenceburg, Tenn.	Lawrence County
Israel Raybon	1992-95	Huntsville, Ala.	Lee
Jeff Redcross	1990-93	Madison, Ala.	Sparkman
Reginald Ruffin	1994-97	Butler, Ala.	Choctaw County
Billy Witt	1982-85	Russellville, Ala.	Russellville
<b>Linebackers</b>			
William Bowens	1976-79	Killen, Ala.	Brooks
Frank Condon	1979-82	Mobile, Ala.	Murphy
James Davis	1987-90	Clanton, Ala.	Chilton County
Keith Humphrey	1992-95	Huntsville, Ala.	Lee
Ronald McKinnon	1992-95	Elba, Ala.	Elba
Sam Prater	1980-81	Florence, Ala.	Coffee
Steve Rogers	1982-85	Cumming, Ga.	Forsythe County
<b>Defensive Backs</b>			
Rod Brooks	1980-83	Huntsville, Ala.	Lee
Max Burleson	1956-58	Hackleburg, Ala.	Hackleburg
Marcene Emmett	1976-79	Mobile, Ala.	McGill-Toolen
Bruce Jones	1982-85	Courtland, Ala.	Courtland
Wendell Phillips	1984-87	Leighton, Ala.	Colbert County
Daryl Smith	1981-84	Opelika, Ala.	Opelika
Gerald Smith	1993-96	Moss Point, Miss.	Moss Point
Harvey Summerhill	1989-92	Tuscumbia, Ala.	Deshler
<b>Place Kickers</b>			
James Knowles	1982-85	Montevallo, Ala.	Shelby Academy
Jamie Stoddard	1993-95	Florence, Ala.	Bradshaw
<b>Punter</b>			
John Crittenden	1991-92	Carrollton, Miss.	George
Scott Demott	1986-87	Eudora, Kan.	Okaloosa



### TEAM SELECTION:

A total of 56 players were chosen for the 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team (1949-98) from more than 1,000 players who have played at UNA. The 25-person selection committee consisted of members of the UNA Athletic Hall of Fame Selection Committee, media representatives, staff members and coaches.

### HIGHLIGHTS:

- The city of Huntsville led the team with seven players selected.
- 43 of the total players chosen were from the state of Alabama
- A total of 21 players from the 1990's were selected, with 17 from the 1980's, six from the 1970's, five from the 1960's and seven from the 1950's.
- Thirty-eight of the team members were selected All-American during their careers at UNA.
- Eleven of the members played on UNA's three consecutive NCAA Division II National Championship teams.

### PHOTOS:

- The members of the 50th Anniversary team were honored at the 1998 Homecoming game. On the following page are photos of many of the Lion legends who were able to attend.

# LEGENDS OF THE FALL

## University of North Alabama 50th Anniversary Football Team



*Monk Romine*



*Leonard Thomas*



*Brub Hamilton*



*Harlon Hill*



*Ricky Lindsey*



*Gerald Smith*



*Rod Brooks*



*William Bowens*



*Jeff Redcross*



*James Davis*



*Wendell Phillips*



*Bruce Jones*



*Roger Ralph*



*Terence Witherspoon*



*Sam Prater*



*Billy Witt*



*Keith Humphrey*



*Steve Rogers*



*Hal Self*



*Durrell Mock*



*Dexter Rutherford*



*Jon Thompson*



*Scott DeMott*



*Don Smith*



*Jamie Stoddard*



*Hamp Moore*



*Hal Sisson*



*James Knowles*

# FIRST FORTY YEARS UNA FOOTBALL TEAM

## "The First Forty Years" UNA Football Team (1949-88 as selected by the Florence Times Daily)

### Offense

QB Rusty Towery (1979, 80, 82, 83)  
 RB Clarence Johnson (1980, 82, 83, 85)  
 RB Lawson Fletcher (1978, 79, 80, 81)  
 RB Wendell Taylor (1952, 53, 54, 55)  
 WR Harlon Hill (1950, 51, 52, 53)  
 WR Roger Ralph (1973, 74, 75)  
 WR Ricky Lindsey (1966, 67, 68)  
 OL Don Smith (1979, 80, 81, 82)  
 OL Terence Witherspoon (1974, 75, 76)  
 OL Durell Mock (1949, 50, 51, 52)  
 OL Billy Don Anderson (1959, 60, 61)  
 OL Hal Sisson (1955, 56, 57)  
 PK James Knowles (1982, 83, 84, 85)

DL David Martin (1956, 57, 58, 59)  
 DL Johnny McGee (1966, 67, 68, 69)  
 DL Larry Brown (1971, 72, 73)  
 DL Billy Witt (1982, 83, 84, 85)  
 DL Steve Carter (1978, 79, 80)  
 LB William Bowens (1976, 77, 78, 79)  
 LB Frank Condon (1979, 80, 81, 82)  
 LB Sam Prater (1980, 81)  
 DB Lewis Billups (1982, 84, 85)  
 DB Daryl Smith (1981, 82, 83, 84)  
 DB Bruce Jones (1982, 83, 84, 85)  
 DB Wendell Phillips (1984, 85, 86, 87)  
 P Scott DeMott (1986, 87)



Durell Mock

### 1949-58 Offense

QB Joe Brewer  
 RB Joe Elmore  
 RB Brub Hamilton  
 RB Wendell Taylor  
 RB Jack Redwine  
 End Harlon Hill  
 End Bill Lumpkin  
 OL Paul Dyar  
 OL Durell Mock  
 OL Hal Sisson  
 OL Carl Garrison  
 OL Sam Hyde  
 PK Joe Brewer

### Defense

DL Bama Poole  
 DL David Martin  
 DL Herbert Sanford  
 DL Bobby Neal Wade  
 DL Marvin Clem  
 DL Ben Harris  
 LB Travis Richardson  
 LB Brooks Jones  
 DB Max Burleson  
 DB L.L. Whitten  
 DB Gene Sanderson  
 DB Monk Romine  
 P L.C. Fowler

### 1959-68 Offense

QB Don Cornelius  
 RB Robert Douthitt  
 RB George Perkins  
 RB Leonard Thomas  
 RB Larry Yancy  
 End Ricky Lindsey  
 End Henry Prater  
 OL Billy Don Anderson  
 OL R.C. Sanderson  
 OL Don Creasy  
 OL Ken "Spike" Townley  
 OL Gerald Hudson  
 PK Bobby Jackson

### Defense

DL Lester Dawson  
 DL Ray Hester  
 DL Johnny McGee  
 DL Sparky Box  
 DL Carl Hannah  
 LB Tommy Wyatt  
 LB Harold Graham  
 DB Earnest Breland  
 DB Jim Grant  
 DB Benny Burns  
 DB Tommy Clemons  
 P Jody Gamble

### 1969-78 Offense

QB Randy Elmore  
 RB Curtis Sirmones  
 RB Marc Merritt  
 RB Mike Wilburn  
 WR Robert Steele  
 WR Roger Ralph  
 WR Danny Kimble  
 OL Barry Johnson  
 OL Terence Witherspoon  
 OL Obie Childers  
 OL Barry Koehn  
 OL Paul Parvin  
 PK William McCormack

### Defense

DL Frankie Patterson  
 DL Larry Brown  
 DL Brad Hendrix  
 DL Johnny Williams  
 DL Tobin Sexton  
 LB Howard Ross  
 LB William Bowens  
 LB William McCormack  
 DB Palmer Byrd  
 DB Robbie Hudson  
 DB Marcene Emmett  
 DB Rodney Bivens  
 P Aubrey Haynes

### 1979-88 Offense

QB Rusty Towery  
 RB Clarence Johnson  
 RB Lawson Fletcher  
 RB Marvin Marsh  
 WR Germaine Young  
 WR Jerry Hill  
 WR Stevie Hobbs  
 OL Don Smith  
 OL Mike Rollins  
 OL Dexter Rutherford  
 OL Hamp Moore  
 OL Scott Shirley  
 PK James Knowles

### Defense

DL Steve Carter  
 DL Ron Harris  
 DL Dean Sanders  
 DL Billy Witt  
 DL Shawn Lee  
 LB Frank Condon  
 LB Steve Rogers  
 LB Sam Prater  
 DB Bruce Jones  
 DB Lewis Billups  
 DB Daryl Smith  
 DB Wendell Phillips  
 P Scott DeMott

## 1989-98

### Offense

QB Cody Gross  
 RB Tyrone Rush  
 RB Brian Satterfield  
 RB A.J. Lamar  
 RB Kenyatta Jones  
 WR Michael Edwards  
 WR Derrick Coffey  
 WR Demetrea Shelton  
 TE Jarius Hayes

TE Bennie Jennings  
 TE Bobby Collins  
 OL Michael Williams  
 OL Jon Thompson  
 OL Jeff Surbaugh  
 OL Kin Taylor  
 OL Joe Washington  
 OL Eddie Evans  
 PK Jamie Stoddard

### Defense

DL Israel Raybon  
 DL Marcus Keyes  
 DL Marcus Hunter  
 DL Jeff Redcross  
 DL Reginald Ruffin  
 DL Shawn Cash  
 DL O.J. Patrick  
 LB Ronald McKinnon  
 LB James Davis  
 LB Keith Humphrey

DB Gerald Smith  
 DB Harvey Summerhill  
 DB Sedric Barnett  
 DB Tyrone Bell  
 DB Marcus Hill  
 P John Crittenden  
 P Tony Faggioni

# UNA ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

## Class of 1990

### Doyle "Dabbs" Earnest

Basketball (1959-62)  
Baseball (1960-63)

### Eddie Flowers

Head Baseball, Basketball and  
Tennis Coach,  
Athletic Director (1932-69)

### Harlon Hill

Football (1950-53)  
Basketball (1951)

### Hal Self

Head Football Coach (1949-69)  
Athletic Director (1969-73)

## Class of 1991

### Otis Boddie

Basketball (1977-80)

### John Bostick

Basketball (1953-56)  
Football (1953-55)  
Baseball (1953-56)

### Max Burleson

Football (1956-58)  
Basketball (1956-57)  
Baseball (1956-59)

### Winfrey "Wimp" Sanderson

Basketball (1957-59)

## Class of 1992

### Bill Jones

Basketball (1955-57)  
Head Basketball Coach (1975-88)  
Asst. Athletic Director (1974-77)  
Associate Athletic Director (1977-87)  
Athletic Director (1987-94)

### Ricky Lindsey

Football (1966-68)  
Baseball (1967-69)  
Head Baseball Coach (1973-74)

### Jack Redwine

Football (1956-58)  
Basketball (1957)  
Baseball (1955-58)  
Golf (1958-59)

### Wendell Taylor

Football (1952-55)  
Baseball (1953-55)

## Class of 1993

### Wanda Beckham

Women's Basketball (1979-80)

### Coleman Crawford

Basketball (1974-75)

### William "Brub" Hamilton

Football (1952-55)  
Asst. Football Coach (1970-71)

### Larry "Snuffy" Smith

Basketball (1968-71)

## Class of 1994

### Don Cornelius

Football (1964-67)

### Joe Elmore

Football (1950-53)  
Asst. Football Coach (1968-69)

## Class of 1995

### George Weeks

Golf (1967-70)  
Asst. Football Coach (1949-69)  
Head Baseball Coach (1949-71)

## Class of 1996

### Joe Brewer

Football (1949, 52-54)  
Baseball (1950, 53-55)

### Sam Hardy

Basketball (1950-53)

### Gerald Lavender

Basketball (1977-80)

### Roger Ralph

Football (1973-75)  
Baseball (1973-75)

## Class of 1997

### Ed Billingham

Men's Basketball Coach (1949-72)

### Bruce Jones

Football (1982-85)

### Alton "Monk" Romine

Football (1951-53)  
Basketball (1952-55)

### Leonard "Rabbit" Thomas

Football (1968-71)

## Class of 1997

### Billy Don Anderson

Football (1959-61)

### Dr. Robert M. Guillot

President (1972-89)

### Doug Key

Basketball (1962-65)

### Cedric Landrum

Baseball (1982-85)

## Class of 1998

### Charles Cunningham

Basketball (1972-73)

### Don Faint

Basketball (1968-71)

### James Knowles

Football (1982-85)

### Grady Liles

Sportsman's Club President (1981-)

## Class of 1999

### Rick Chavez

Baseball (1984-85)

### Johnny Long

Athletic Trainer (1971-88)  
Asst. Athletic Director (1988-89)

### Hal Sisson

Football (1954-56)

### Maurice Stafford

Basketball (1983-84)  
Asst. Women's BB Coach (1996-98)

## Class of 2000

### LaConger Cohran

Women's Basketball (1984-85)

## Class of 2001

### Eddie Frost

Basketball (1957-58, 60-61)  
Baseball (1958-61)

### Tommy Ledbetter

Basketball (1969-71)

### Terence Witherspoon

Football (1974-77)

## Class of 2002

### Brenda Mayes (Harris)

Women's Basketball (1984-85)

### Brice Bishop

Tennis (1982-85)

### James Davis, Jr.

Football (1987-90)

### Albert Owens

Basketball (1979-82)

## Class of 2003

### William Bowens

Football (1976-79)

### Mike Burns

Baseball (1989-90)

### Bill Hyde

Football Assistant (1977-87, 92-97)  
Head Football Coach (1998-2001)

### L.L. Whitten

Football (1949-52)  
Baseball (1950-51)

## Class of 2003

### Gary Elliott

Women's Basketball Coach (1979-82)  
Baseball Coach (1979)  
Golf Coach (1980-88)  
Men's BB Assistant Coach (1983-88)  
Men's Basketball Coach (1989-03)

### Lawson Fletcher

Football (1978-81)

### Tracy McCall

Women's Basketball (1988-91)

### Don Smith

Football (1979-82)

## Class of 2004

### Rod Brooks

Football (1980-83)

### Gerald "Tuffy" Hudson

Football (1957-60)

### Kristy Hunter Holdbrooks

Volleyball (1989-90)  
Softball (1990-93)

### Tyrone Rush

Football (1989, 1991-93)

## Class of 2005

### Carol Franklin Bishop

Cross Country (1985-87)

### Wayne Byrd

Women's Basketball Coach (1983-98)

### Jeff Redcross

Football (1990-93)

### Steve Thrasher

Basketball (1960-63)

## LEO III AND UNA

UNA once again boasts the only live Lion mascots in the country living on campus.

On July 22, 1974, former UNA president Dr. Robert M. Guillot brought a 35-pound lion cub to the campus and Leo spent the next 14 years "roaring" the school to victory. The original Leo died on Jan. 20, 1988, and a great outpouring of support from the Shoals community resulted in Leo II being brought to UNA in July of 1988.

Leo II lived in the compound that once housed the original Leo and grew to a weight of more than 600 pounds at eleven years of age. In 1997, Leo II was selected as the nation's "Second Best Mascot" by Sports Illustrated. He died in February of 2000.

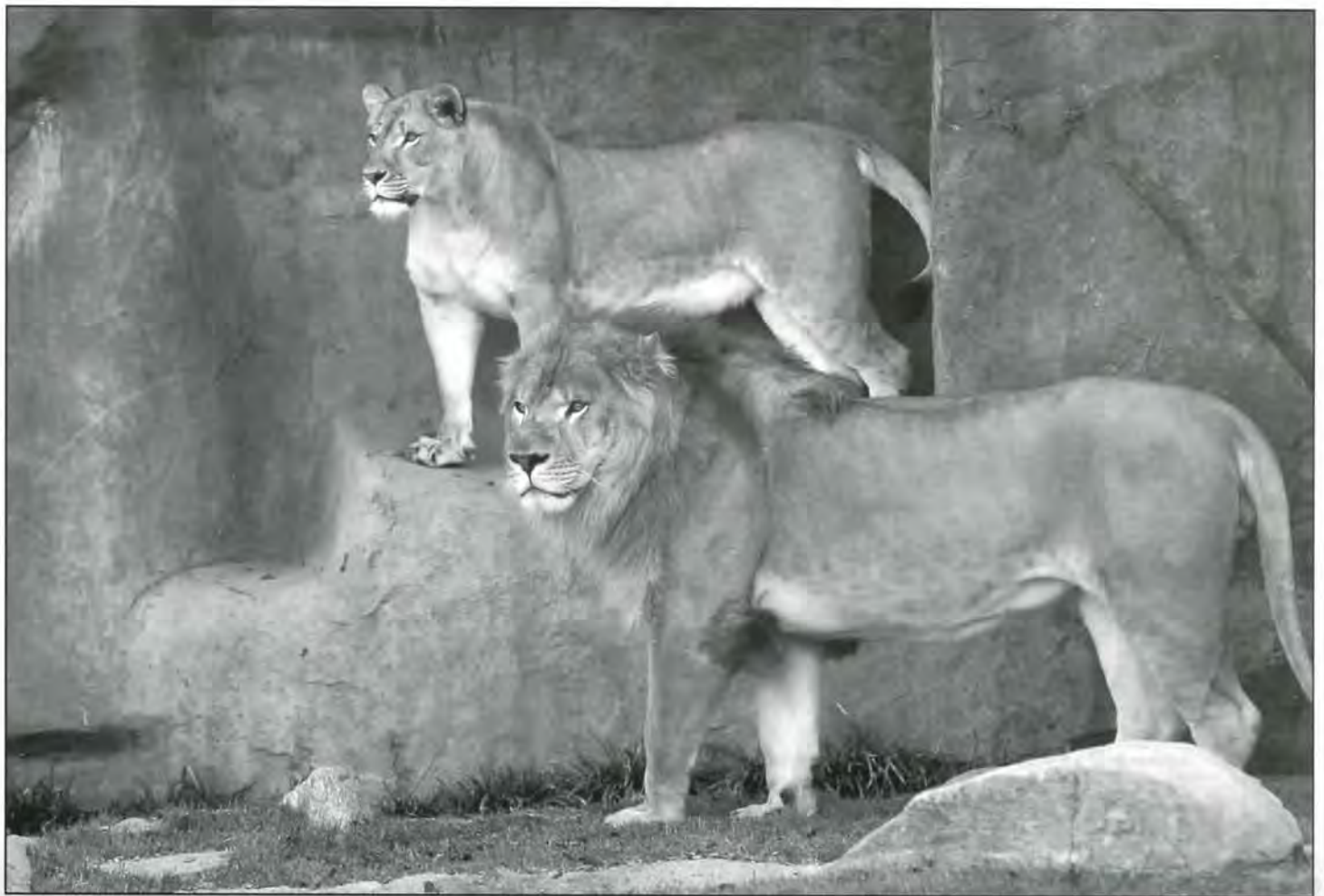
Leo III and Una, born on November 18, 2002, now reside on the campus in the 12,764 square-

foot George H. Carroll Lion Habitat.

As they approach their fourth birthday, the African-American lions have grown to more than one-half of their anticipated size and weight.

Leo III and Una are exhibited seven days a week from approximately 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. (weather conditions permitting), unless they are appearing in local venues.

All funds associated with the care and feeding of Leo III and UNA, the operation of their habitat, and the conduct of a related educational program are funded exclusively by charitable contributions.



# HARLON HILL

A native of Killen, Ala., Harlon Hill is a prime example of the unknown small college player with tremendous talents who went on to prove his greatness in the National Football League - competing with top players in the game.

A small college All-American receiver at Florence State Teachers College (now the University of North Alabama), Hill was drafted in the 15th round of the NFL draft by the Chicago Bears - a team willing to take a chance on a player that scout Clark Shaughnessy only heard about from a man in the press box at the annual Blue-Gray Classic in Montgomery.

The Bears didn't have to wait long for the skinny boy from Florence State to make their gamble pay off, however.

In 1954, Hill caught 45 passes for 1,124 yards and 12 touchdowns and was named National Football League Rookie of the Year. The following year he caught 42 passes for 789 yards and nine touchdowns and was the recipient of the Jim Thorpe Trophy as the NFL Most Valuable Player.

In nine years in the NFL, Hill caught 233 passes for 4,717 yards and 40 touchdowns and is still regarded as one of the greatest receivers to ever play the game.

He played in the Pro Bowl in 1955, 1956 and 1957 and was an All-Pro selection in 1954, 1955 and 1956.

He spent his first eight seasons, from 1954-61, with the Bears and split his final season between the Pittsburgh Steelers and the Detroit Lions.

Hill played in relative obscurity for the Lions as an end in a powerful single-wing offense.

He caught only 54 passes in four years with the Lions but they went for 1,020 yards and a school record 19 touchdowns. He averaged 18.8 yards per catch.

Hill was inducted into the Helms Athletic Foundation Hall of Fame in 1958, into the Alabama Sports Hall of Fame in 1976 and into the UNA Athletic Hall of Fame in the initial class in 1990.

Hill is now retired from his former position as principal at Brooks High School in Killen.



Harlon Hill at Florence State (UNA)



Harlon Hill with Hill Trophy

## Hill's Collegiate Statistics

Year	Team	Games	Rec	Yards	Avg.	TDs	Pts
1950	Florence State	9	2	23	11.5	2	12
1951	Florence State	9	22	372	16.9	6	36
1952	Florence State	9	18	379	21.0	7	42
1953	Florence State	8	12	246	20.5	4	24
<b>Career Totals</b>		<b>35</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>1020</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>114</b>

## Hill's Professional Statistics

Year	Team	Games	Rec	Yards	Avg.	TDs	Pts
1954	Chicago Bears	12	45	1124	25.0	12	72
1955	Chicago Bears	12	42	789	18.8	9	54
1956	Chicago Bears	12	47	1128	24.0	11	66
1957	Chicago Bears	8	21	483	23.0	2	12
1958	Chicago Bears	8	27	365	13.5	3	18
1959	Chicago Bears	11	36	578	16.1	3	18
1960	Chicago Bears	12	5	98	19.6	0	0
1961	Chicago Bears	14	3	51	17.0	0	0
1962	Pittsburgh Steelers	7	7	101	14.4	0	0
1962	Detroit Lions	7	0	0	0.0	0	0
<b>Career Totals</b>		<b>103</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>4717</b>	<b>20.2</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>240</b>

# HARLON HILL

## Harlon Hill's Football Career

**1946-49**

Lauderdale County High School

**1950-53**

Florence State Teachers College  
(now University of North Alabama)

1950-53 - Four-year letterman at end

1952-53 - Team Captain

1953 - NAIA All-American

1955 - Received his B.S. degree in Education

**1954-61**

**Chicago Bears**

1954 - National Football League Rookie of the Year

1955 - Winner of the first Jim Thorpe Trophy as

National Football League Most Valuable Player

1954, 55, 56 - All-Pro

1955, 56, 57 - Pro Bowl

1956 - Captian of West squad in Pro Bowl

**1958**

Selected to Helms Athletic Foundation Hall of Fame

**1962**

**Pittsburgh Steelers**

**1962**

**Detroit Lions**

**1969**

Received his Master's degree in Education from Uni-  
versity of North Alabama

**1976**

Selected to Alabama Sports Hall of Fame

**1986**

Creation of the Harlon Hill Trophy

**1990**

Inducted into University of North Alabama  
Athletic Hall of Fame

**1998**

Selected for 50th Anniversary UNA Football Team

## CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

**1953-** As a senior at Florence State Teachers College (now the University of North Alabama) in 1953, Hill caught only 12 passes for a ground-oriented, single-wing attack. Hill received small college All-America acclaim as an end and was later drafted by the Chicago Bears in the 15th round of the National Football League Draft. The Bears felt they could afford to wait until the late rounds to draft Hill because they knew very little about him the other NFL clubs knew even less.

**1954-** As a rookie for the Chicago Bears, Hill caught 45 passes for 1,124 yards and 12 touchdowns to lead the club in all three categories. His performance also helped take the Bears from a 3-8-1 record in 1953 to an 8-4 mark in 1954. On Oct. 31 in San Francisco, Ca., Hill caught seven passes from quarterback George Blanda for 214 yards and four touchdowns in a 31-27 win over the 49ers. Hill's fourth TD catch of the day was a game-winning 66 yarder with only 33 seconds left in the game. The four TDs in a game still stand as a Bear's club record. At the conclusion of the season, Hill was selected All-Pro, played in the Pro Bowl in Los Angeles for the West squad that won 26-19, and was chosen as the National Football League Rookie of the Year.

**1955-** In his second NFL season, Hill again led the Bears with 42 catches for the 789 yards and nine touchdowns and became the first recipient of the Jim Thorpe Trophy - symbolic of the National Football League's Most Valuable Player. He also captained the West in a 31-30 Pro Bowl victory and was again named All-Pro.

**1956-** With 47 catches for 1,128 yards and 11 touchdowns in 1956, Hill helped Chicago to a 9-2-1 record and a spot in the NFL Championship Game against the New York Giants - where they were defeated 47-7. Hill was selected All-Pro for the third consecutive season and made his third straight Pro Bowl appearance as the West won again, 19-10.

**1958-** A severe ankle injury blunted the speed which had made Hill the NFL's most feared deep receiver and eventually prompted a shift to defensive back.

**STILL IN THE BOOKS:** Harlon Hill still holds numerous receiving records for the Chicago Bears, including most 100-yard receiving games in a career with 19. Other records include, most 100-yard games in a season with seven in 1954, consecutive 100-yard games (3), most seasons with 1,000 yards receiving (2), most yards receiving in a game (214) and most touchdowns in a game (4). Hill ranks second all-time in career yards receiving with 4,616 and is second in average yards per perception at 24.98 and career touchdowns with 40.

# THE HARLON HILL TROPHY

## Creation of the Hill Trophy

The top player in college football each season has long been honored with the presentation of the Heisman Trophy.

An award symbolic of the best.

But while that award may have recognized the top player in NCAA football, no one playing at a school below the Division I level had ever received recognition for their accomplishments in the voting.

Players like Walter Payton, Neil Lomax, Ken O'Brein, John Stallworth and others played in the NCAA Division II, and would have never achieved recognition, had they not gone on to outstanding careers in professional football.

That began to change in 1986, however, when a group of Shoals area residents, with sponsorship of Coca-Cola, worked to establish the Harlon Hill Trophy- to be presented each year to the top player in the NCAA Division II.

The originators of the award didn't feel that accomplishments in professional football should have to be the measuring stick for talent in Division II. So the award was created to honor players whose achievements have placed them among the top players to ever play the game.

The Harlon Hill Trophy is an award that is given annually to the player selected as the "best" in Division II by the sports information directors at the 140-plus Division II schools which play football, and is presented during the week of the NCAA Division II Football Championship Game in the Shoals.

This year, the 21st annual Harlon Hill Trophy will be presented to the Division II Player of the Year on December 15.

During the first 20 years of the Hill Trophy, more than 60 different schools have had finalists for the award, and the list of past winners includes eight running backs, ten quarterbacks, one receiver and one linebacker.

Brian Shay's 303 points in the 1998 voting stands as the highest point total received by any player. His 88 first-place votes were also the most in Hill Trophy history, as was his 185-point margin of victory.

## How the Winner is Selected

Nominations for the Hill Trophy are accepted from the sports information directors at NCAA Division II football-playing institutions. The criteria stipulates that the player must have distinguished himself nationally as being among the top players in the game. The nominations are screened regionally by the National Harlon Hill Advisory Committee and the top six candidates from each region



1995 Winner

North Alabama's Ronald McKinnon

advance to the regional ballot.

Then there are two actual votes for the Hill Trophy.

The players nominated are first voted on by the sports information directors within their respective NCAA region. There are four regions (Northeast, South, Midwest, West) with approximately the same number of schools in each region. The top two vote-getters from each of the four regions then advance to the national ballot where they are voted on by all 140-plus Division II SIDs. On both the regional and national ballots, the SIDs vote for a first, second and third basis.

The top three finishers from the national voting are then invited to the Shoals for the championship week activities and the Hill Banquet.

## The Trophy

The Harlon Hill Trophy, created by Herff Jones, Inc., is 30 inches tall and weighs 63 pounds. The football is a life-size replica of a real football and sits on a solid walnut base. It is sponsored by Coca-Cola, Trustmark Construction, the City of Florence and TNT Fireworks.

## The 2006

## Presentation

The 21st Annual Harlon Hill Awards Banquet is set for December 15.

The banquet is set for 6:30 p.m. at the Florence Conference Center. Tickets may be purchased by calling Jeff Hodges at (256) 765-4595.

### Past Winners:

**1986-Jeff Bentrin (SR)**

Quarterback, North Dakota State

**1987-Johnny Bailey (SO)**

Running Back, Texas A&M-Kingsville

**1988-Johnny Bailey (JR)**

Running Back, Texas A&M-Kingsville

**1989-Johnny Bailey (SR)**

Running Back, Texas A&M-Kingsville

**1990-Chris Simdorn (SR)**

Quarterback, North Dakota State

**1991-Ronnie West (SR)**

Receiver, Pittsburg State

**1992-Ronald Moore (SR)**

Running Back, Pittsburg State

**1993-Roger Graham (JR)**

Running Back - New Haven

**1994-Chris Hatcher (SR)**

Quarterback, Valdosta State

**1995-Ronald McKinnon (SR)**

Linebacker, North Alabama

**1996-Jarrett Anderson (SR)**

Running Back, Truman State

**1997-Irv Sigler (SR)**

Running Back, Bloomsburg

**1998 -Brian Shay (SR)**

Running Back, Emporia State

**1999 -Corte McGuffey (SR)**

Quarterback, Northern Colorado

**2000 -Dusty Bonner (JR)**

Quarterback, Valdosta State

**2001 -Dusty Bonner (SR)**

Quarterback, Valdosta State

**2002 -Curt Anes (SR)**

Quarterback, Grand Valley State

**2003 - Will Hall (SR)**

Quarterback, North Alabama

**2004 - Chad Frieauf (SR)**

QB, Colorado School of Mines

**2005 - Jimmy Terwilliger (SR)**

Quarterback, East Stroudsburg

# UNA AND THE HARLON HILL TROPHY

## Previous UNA Hill Candidates

1986	Marvin Marsh	RB
1988	Tommy Compton	QB
1990	James Davis	LB
1992	Tyrone Rush	RB
1993	Tyrone Rush	RB
1994	Ronald McKinnon	LB
1995	Ronald McKinnon	LB
1996	Gerald Smith	DB
1997	Greg Manson	RB
2003	Will Hall	QB
2005	Anthony Merritt	WR

## Previous UNA Hill Finalists

1992	Tyrone Rush	6th
1993	Tyrone Rush	2nd
1995	Ronald McKinnon	1st
2003	Will Hall	1st
2005	Anthony Merritt	6th

## UNA Hill Notes

\*Ronald McKinnon is the only defensive player in the 20-year history of the award to claim the Hill Trophy.

\*Ronald McKinnon's 188 total points in the 1995 voting was the second highest point total (at that time) in the award's history, second only to Chris Hatcher's 209 points in 1994.

\*Ronald McKinnon's Hill victory in 1995 gave the Gulf South Conference its second straight Hill Trophy winner, following Valdosta State's Chris Hatcher in 1994.

\*Will Hall's selection in 2003 makes UNA one of five schools to have had more than one Hill winner and it also gave the GSC its fifth Hill recipient.



*Lion football greets Ronald McKinnon (left) and Harlon Hill*



*1995 Harlon Hill Trophy recipient Ronald McKinnon*

## 1995 Hill Vote Total

<i>Total</i>	<i>Player</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Pos.</i>	<i>School</i>	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
188	Ronald McKinnon	SR	LB	North Alabama	40	26	16
125	Bill Love	SR	QB	Ferris State	23	18	20
117	Steve Papin	SR	RB	Portland State	14	25	25
112	Richard Huntley	SR	RB	Winston-Salem18	18	22	
106	Kevin Cannon	SR	WR	Millersville	16	23	12
42	Greg Stokes	SR	LB	Angelo State	5	6	15
28	John Fisher	SR	RB	Missouri-Western	5	4	5
20	Randy Martin	JR	RB	St. Cloud State	2	3	8

# UNA AND THE HARLON HILL TROPHY

## UNA's Hall Wins 2003 Hill Trophy



2003 Hill Trophy finalists, Justin Kammrad of Nebraska-Omaha, Keith Heckendorf of St. Cloud State and Will Hall of North Alabama

### 2003 Hill Vote Total

Total	Player	Class	Pos.	School	1st	2nd	3rd
150	Will Hall	SR	QB	North Alabama	22	31	22
115	Keith Heckendorf	SR	QB	St. Cloud State	24	17	9
95	Justin Kammrad	SR	TB	Nebraska-Omaha	12	19	21
74	Dan Holland	SR	LB	Mansfield	15	7	15
71	Ricardo Colclough	SR	DB	Tusculum	11	12	14
63	Mark Radlinski	JR	QB	Saginaw Valley State	10	10	13
46	Cliff Watkins	SR	QB	Tarleton State	8	7	8
34	Drew Beard	JR	QB	SE Oklahoma St.	6	5	6

# LIONS IN PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL

## UNA players who have signed contracts with professional football teams

### DRAFT CHOICES

Draft	Player	Pos	Team	League	Round	Pick
1954	Harlon Hill	WR	Chicago Bears	NFL	15th	
1961	Sammy Smith	HB	Denver Broncos	AFL	27th	
1980	Curtis Sirmones	RB	San Diego Chargers	NFL	8th	219
1980	William Bowers	LB	Oakland Raiders	NFL	5th	128
1980	Marcene Emmett	DB	Washington Redskins	NFL	12th	327
1981	Jerry Hill	WR	Washington Redskins	NFL	11th	284
1984	Rusty Towery	QB	Jacksonville Bulls	USFL	6th	127
1984	Chuck McCurley	TE	Jacksonville Bulls	USFL	5th	126
1984	Rod Brooks	DB	Michigan Panthers	USFL	16th	325
1985	Daryl Smith	DB	Denver Broncos	NFL	9th	250
	Daryl Smith	DB	Portland Breakers	USFL	2nd	22
1986	Lewis Billups	DB	Cincinnati Bengals	NFL	2nd	38
1986	Bruce Jones	DB	Chicago Bears	NFL	7th	194
1986	Billy Witt	DE	Buffalo Bills	NFL	11th	282
1988	Shawn Lee	DT	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	NFL	6th	163
1988	Wendell Phillips	DB	San Diego Chargers	NFL	12th	324
1992	Bennie Jennings	TE	Sacramento Surge	WLAFL		
1996	Israel Raybon	DE	Pittsburgh Steelers	NFL	5th	163
1996	Marcus Keyes	DT	Chicago Bears	NFL	7th	233
1996	Jarius Hayes	TE	Arizona Cardinals	NFL	7th	212
1999	Bobby Collins	TE	Buffalo Bills	NFL	4th	122
1999	Tyrone Bell	DB	San Diego Chargers	NFL	6th	178



*Bobby Collins  
Buffalo Bills*

### FREE AGENTS

(year listed was their final season at UNA)

Senior Year	Player	Pos	Team	League
1953	Alton "Monk" Romine	FB	Chicago Bears	NFL
1958	Bill Lumpkin	END	New York Giants	NFL
1962	Henry Prater	END	Denver Broncos	AFL
1967	Ricky Lindsey	WR	Cincinnati Bengals	NFL
1973	Danny Kimble	WR	Chicago Bears	NFL
1977	Robert Steele	WR	Dallas Cowboys	NFL
1978	Brad Hendrix	DT	Dallas Cowboys	NFL
1979	Howard Ross	LB	Oakland Raiders	NFL
1979	Marcene Emmett	CB	New York Jets	NFL
1981	Lawson Fletcher	RB	Seattle Seahawks	NFL
1981	Sam Prater	LB	Denver Broncos	NFL
1981	Emmanuel Young	FS	Denver Broncos	NFL
1981	BoBo Lowe	LB	Memphis Showboats	USFL
1981	Steve Harris	DB	Denver Broncos	NFL
1982	Don Smith	OL	Birmingham Stallions	USFL
1982	Melvin Brown	WR	Minnesota Vikings	NFL
1983	Gary Davis	DB	Dallas Cowboys	NFL
1983	Richard Porter	LB	Saskatchewan Roughriders	CFL
1983	Mike Gilley	WR	Saskatchewan Roughriders	CFL
1984	Germaine Young	WR	Montreal Concordes	CFL
1984	Dean Sanders	DT	New England Patriots	NFL
1984	Bobby Duncan	QB	Denver Broncos	NFL
1985	Harlow Fikes	P	Birmingham Stallions	USFL
1986	Chris Evans	SS	New York Jets	NFL
1987	David Smith	DB	New England Patriots	NFL
1987	Marvin Marsh	RB	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	NFL
1987	Stevie Hobbs	WR	Kansas City Chiefs	NFL
1990	Bennie Jennings	TE	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	NFL
1990	Mike Nord	OT	Arizona Cardinals	NFL
1993	Tyrone Rush	TB	Washington Redskins	NFL
1993	Brian Satterfield	FB	Washington Redskins	NFL
1994	Marcus Hunter	DE	Washington Redskins	NFL
1995	Ronald McKinnon	LB	Arizona Cardinals	NFL
1998	Corey Harris	DB	New Orleans Saints	NFL
1998	Marvin Coley	DL	New Orleans Saints	NFL
2000	Larry Paul	DL	Tennessee Titans	NFL
2001	Corey Harris	DL	Kansas City Chiefs	NFL
2001	Marvin Coley	DL	Frankfurt Galaxy	NFLE
2002	Chad Sears	DB	Buffalo Bills	NFL
2002	Marvin Coley	DL	Hamilton Tiger Cats	CFL
2004	Evan Oglesby	DB	Buffalo Bills	NFL
2005	Blake Farris	DB	Cleveland Browns	NFL
2005	Lee Vickers	DL	Pittsburgh Steelers	NFL



*Ronald McKinnon  
Arizona Cardinals*

# LIONS IN PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL

## PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL HONORS

### National Football League

#### Rookie of the Year

1954 Harlon Hill WR Chicago Bears

### National Football League

#### Most Valuable Player

#### (Jim Thorpe Trophy)

1955 Harlon Hill WR Chicago Bears

### National Football League

#### All-Pro

1954 Harlon Hill WR Chicago Bears

1955 Harlon Hill WR Chicago Bears

1956 Harlon Hill WR Chicago Bears

### National Football League

#### Pro Bowl

1955 Harlon Hill WR Chicago Bears

1956 Harlon Hill WR Chicago Bears

1957 Harlon Hill WR Chicago Bears

### National Football League Championship Game

1956 Harlon Hill WR Chicago Bears

### Super Bowl Participants

XIII Robert Steele WR Dallas Cowboys

XXIV Lewis Billups DB Cincinnati Bengals

XXIV Daryl Smith DB Cincinnati Bengals

XXVI Stevie Hobbs\* WR Washington Redskins

XXIX Shawn Lee DT San Diego Chargers

\* - team captain

(Billups started in secondary for Cincinnati, while Smith and Hobbs started on specialty teams. Steele played as a reserve receiver. Lee started at defensive tackle)

## PLAYERS WHO SPENT AT LEAST ONE SEASON ON A NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE ROSTER

Lewis Billups	Cincinnati Bengals	1986-91
	Green Bay Packers	1992
Bobby Collins	Buffalo Bills	1999-00
Corey Harris	New Orleans Saints	1999-00
	Kansas City Chiefs	2001-03
Jarius Hayes	Arizona Cardinals	1996,98-99-00
Harlon Hill	Chicago Bears	1954-61
	Pittsburgh Steelers	1962
	Detroit Lions	1962
Stevie Hobbs	Washington Redskins	1990-94
Bruce Jones	Pittsburgh Steelers	1987
Marcus Keyes	Chicago Bears	1996-97
Shawn Lee	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	1988-89
	Miami Dolphins	1990-91
	San Diego Chargers	1992-97
	Chicago Bears	1998
Ronald McKinnon	Arizona Cardinals	1996-04
	New Orleans Saints	2005
Evan Oglesby	Baltimore Ravens	2005
Israel Raybon	Pittsburgh Steelers	1996
	Carolina Panthers	1997
Alton "Monk" Romine	Green Bay Packers	1955, 58
	Denver Broncos	1960
	Boston Patriots	1961
Tyrone Rush	Washington Redskins	1994-95

Brian Satterfield	Green Bay Packers	1995-96
Daryl Smith	Cincinnati Bengals	1987-88
Robert Steele	Dallas Cowboys	1978
	Minnesota Vikings	1979
Billy Witt	Buffalo Bills	1987

## PLAYERS WHO SPENT AT LEAST ONE SEASON ON A CANADIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE ROSTER

Monk Romine	Toronto Argonauts	1956
	Waterloo Dutchmen	1957
	Ottawa Rough Riders	1959
Tyrone Rush	Montreal Alouettes	1996
Marvin Coley	Hamilton Tiger Cats	2002

## PLAYERS WHO SPENT AT LEAST ONE SEASON ON AN NFL EUROPE ROSTER

Corey Harris	Rhein Fire	2001
Marvin Coley	Frankfurt Galaxy	2001

## UNA PLAYERS IN ARENA FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Heath Springer	Nashville Cats	1997
	Toronto Phantoms	2001
Israel Raybon	Grand Rapids Rampage	2002-04
Marcus Keyes	Florida Bobcats	2001
	Carolina Cobras	2002
	Georgia Force	2003-05

## UNA PLAYERS IN ARENA2 FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Heath Springer	Tennessee Valley Vipers	2000-02
Marlon Vinson	Tennessee Valley Vipers	2001
Robert Gordon	Tennessee Valley Vipers	2001-02
Darin Damron	Arkansas Twisters	2001
	Tennessee Valley Vipers	2002
Travis Carswell	Macon	2001
Michael Moncrief	Boosier City	2001

## UNA PLAYERS IN NATIONAL INDOOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Will Hall	Tupelo Fire Ants	2004
David Mooneyham	Tupelo Fire Ants	2004
Chris Gunn	Huntsville Raptors	2005

## UNA PLAYERS IN XFL

Israel Raybon	New York/New Jersey Hitmen	2001
Tyrone Bell	Memphis Maniax	2001

## UNA PLAYERS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE IN 2005

Ronald McKinnon	LB	New Orleans Saints
Evan Oglesby	DB	Baltimore Ravens

# DIVISION II TEAM OF THE QUARTER CENTURY

FLORENCE, Ala. —Outstanding individual players from some of the nation's most successful collegiate programs head the list of 34 players named to the NCAA Division II Football Team of the Quarter Century.

The team was selected by a nationwide panel of current and former Division II sports information directors, as part of the celebration of the 25th Division II Football Championship Game, scheduled for December 13 in Florence, Ala. Any player who competed as a Division II football player between 1973-96 was eligible for consideration.

The players named to the Division II Team of the Quarter Century will be honored as part of activities at the 25th Division II Championship Game in Florence.

In addition to the individual players selected for the "Team of the Quarter Century," Texas A&M-Kingsville's (formerly Texas A&I) Johnny Bailey and Darrell Green were selected as the Division II Offensive and Defensive Players of the Quarter Century, respectively.

North Alabama's Bobby Wallace was selected as Division II Coach of the Quarter Century, while his 1995 Lion team was selected as the best Division II team of the era, going 14-0 to close a streak of three straight national championships.

Pittsburg State's 1992 38-37 overtime playoff win over North Dakota State was selected as the Game of the Quarter Century.



## OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE QUARTER CENTURY

**Johnny Bailey**  
Texas A&M-Kingsville  
1986-89

## DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE QUARTER CENTURY

**Darrell Green**  
Texas A&M-Kingsville  
1981-82

## COACH OF THE QUARTER CENTURY

**Bobby Wallace**  
North Alabama  
73-33-1 • 5 Playoffs  
3 National Championships

## BEST TEAM OF THE QUARTER CENTURY

**North Alabama**  
1995 • 14-0-0  
Three Straight  
National Championships

## BEST GAME OF THE QUARTER CENTURY

**Pittsburg State 38**  
**North Dakota State 37**  
**(OT)**  
1992 • NCAA Quarterfinal

### OFFENSE

QB	Jeff Bentrim*	North Dakota State	1983-86
RB	Johnny Bailey*	Texas A&M-Kingsville	1986-89
RB	Ronald Moore	Pittsburg State	1989-92
RB	Walter Payton	Jackson State	1971-74
WR	Andre Reed	Kutztown	1981-84
WR	John Stallworth*	Alabama A&M	1970-73
WR	Ronnie West	Pittsburg State	1990-91
OL	Larry Allen*	Sonoma State	1992-93
OL	Howard Ballard	Alabama A&M	1983-87
OL	Earl Dotson	Texas A&M-Kingsville	1991-92
OL	Mike Favor	North Dakota State	1985-88
OL	Grant Feasel	Abilene Christian	1979-82
OL	Tyrone McGriff	Florida A&M	1976-79
OL	Jon Thompson	North Alabama	1992-95
TE	Brent Jones*	Santa Clara	1982-85

### SPECIALTY

PK	James Knowles	North Alabama	1982-85
P	Sean Landeta	Towson State	1979-82

### DEFENSE

DL	Harry Carson	South Carolina State	1971-74
DL	Phil Hansen*	North Dakota State	1987-90
DL	Pierce Holt	Angelo State	1984-87
DL	John Randle	Texas A&M-Kingsville	1988-89
DL	Israel Raybon	North Alabama	1992-95
LB	Jim Dick	North Dakota State	1982-86
LB	Greg Lloyd	Fort Valley State	1983-86
LB	Ronald McKinnon*	North Alabama	1992-95
LB	John Mobley	Kutztown	1991-95
LB	Donnie Shell	South Carolina State	1970-73
LB	Frank Sheptock	Bloomsburg	1982-85
LB	Lee Woodall	West Chester	1989-93
DB	Chris Brown	Pittsburg State	1992-95
DB	Tom Collins	Indianapolis	1982-85
DB	Eric Davis	Jacksonville State	1986-89
DB	Darrell Green*	Texas A&M-Kingsville	1981-82
DB	Tyrone Poole	Fort Valley State	1991-94

\* indicates top vote-getter at position

# THE GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE

The Gulf South Conference is recognized as one of the premier Division II conferences in the nation, boasting 41 national champions in ten sports since 1970, winning 12 national crowns during the 1980's and 11 in the 1990s.

In addition, the GSC annually places teams in the championship tournaments of virtually every sport in NCAA competition.

The GSC was born in the summer of 1970 when representatives from six institutions - Delta State University, Florence State University (now North Alabama), Jacksonville State University, Livingston University, the University of Tennessee-Martin and Troy State University - convened in Birmingham, Ala., to form the Mid-South Conference, the forerunner of today's GSC.

Scheduling problems in the first year permitted competition only in football, with Jacksonville State winning the league's first championship.

In 1971, Southeastern Louisiana and Nicholls State joined the conference, bringing the membership to eight. The league also changed its name to the Gulf South Conference.

The following year, Mississippi College and Northwestern Louisiana were admitted to the conference. Northwestern withdrew two years later, followed by Southeastern Louisiana and Nicholls State in 1979.

The conference continued with seven schools until 1981, when the league's presidents voted to admit Valdosta State College. A ninth member, West Georgia College, joined in June of 1983.

The GSC continued with nine schools until the 1991-92 academic year when Troy State and Tennessee-Martin departed to pursue Division I status.

Jacksonville State departed the league following the close of the 1992-93 academic year, but the GSC has since added Lincoln Memorial (Tenn.), Alabama-Huntsville, Central Arkansas, Henderson State, the Mississippi University for Women, West Florida, Southern Arkansas, Arkansas Tech, Arkansas-Monticello, Christian Brothers, Montevallo, Harding and Ouachita Baptist to bring the membership to 18 schools. MUW then withdrew in 2003-04 and Lincoln Memorial and Central Arkansas following the 2005-06 seasons.

Banner seasons have become common for the GSC. Numerous student athletes continue to be honored on All-America and Academic All-America teams.

The GSC's first commissioner, Stan Galloway, retired in 1979 and, with the naming of Jim McCullough as commissioner, the league office moved to Birmingham from Hammond, La.

Hayden Riley was the third commissioner, serving from 1982-84, followed by Ralph McFillen from 1984-87 and Sonny Moran from 1987-1992.

The current GSC commissioner, Nathan Salant, is in his 14th year as commissioner.



## History of GSC Membership

### 1970 (6 schools)

Delta State University, Jacksonville State, Livingston, North Alabama, Tennessee-Martin, Troy State

### 1971 (8 schools)

Southeastern Louisiana and Nicholls State join.

### 1972 (10 schools)

Mississippi College and Northwestern Louisiana join.

### 1974 (9 schools)

Northwestern Louisiana withdraws.

### 1979 (7 schools)

Nicholls State, and Southeastern Louisiana withdraw.

### 1981 (8 schools)

Valdosta State joins.

### 1983 (9 schools)

West Georgia joins.

### 1991 (7 schools)

Troy State and Tennessee-Martin withdraw.

### 1992-93 (8 schools)

Lincoln Memorial joins.

### 1993-94 (11 schools)

Alabama-Huntsville, Central Arkansas, Henderson State and Mississippi University for Women join, Jacksonville State withdraws.

### 1994-95 (12 schools)

West Florida joins

### 1995-96 (16 schools)

Southern Arkansas, Arkansas Tech, Arkansas-Monticello and Montevallo join

### 1996-97 (16 schools)

Christian Brothers joins, Mississippi College withdraws.

### 2000-2001 (18 schools)

Ouachita Baptist and Harding join

### 2003-2004 (17 schools)

MUW withdraws

### 2006-07 (15 schools)

LMU and Central Arkansas withdraw

## Previous 41 GSC National Championships

### Football (9)

Livingston (1971)

Troy State (1984, 1987)

Jacksonville State (1992),

North Alabama (1993, 1994, 1995)

Delta State (2000)

Valdosta State (2004)

### Basketball (3)

North Alabama (1979, 1991)

Jacksonville State (1985)

### Baseball (5)

Troy State (1986, 1987)

Jacksonville State (1990, 1991)

Delta State (2004)

### Women's Basketball (7)

Delta State

(1975, 1976, 1977, 1989, 1990, 1992)

Southeastern Louisiana (1978)

### Golf (4)

Troy State (1976, 1977, 1984)

West Florida (2001)

### Women's Soccer (1)

Christian Brothers (2002)

### Women's Golf (3)

Troy State (1984, 1986, 1989)

### Women's Gymnastics (2)

Jacksonville State (1984, 1985)

### Men's Tennis (3)

West Florida (2004, 2005), Valdosta State (2006)

### Track (1)

Southeastern Louisiana (1975)

### Ice Hockey (2)

Alabama-Huntsville (1996, 1998)

### Volleyball (1)

North Alabama (2003)

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## GSC Players of the Year

1971	Off	Clemit Spruiell, QB	West Alabama
	Def	Greg Wright, LB	Troy State
1972	Off	Donald Johnson, RB	N.W. State
	Def	Ken Hutcherson, LB	West Alabama
1973	Off	David Bradberry, QB	Delta State
	Def	Adrian Gant, DE	West Alabama
1974	Off	Perry Griggs, SE	Troy State
	Def	Alan Klein, DG	SE Louisiana
1975	Off	<b>Roger Ralph, WR</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
	Def	Stanley King, DB	West Alabama
1976	Off	Don Griffin, QB	SE Louisiana
	Def	Danny Watkins, LB	UT-Martin
1977	Off	Alvin Smalls, QB	UT-Martin
	Def	Rusty Rebowe, LB	Nicholls State
1978	Off	Bobby Ray Green, QB	Jacksonville State
	Def	Tim Tucker, LB	Troy State
1979	Off	Calvin Howard, TB	Miss. College
	Def	Greg Robinson, LB	Jacksonville State
	Def	Ralph Ashley, QB	Miss. College
1980	Off	Willie Tullis, QB	Troy State
	Def	Sherman Wilkinson, DB	Troy State
	Def	Willie Cameron, NG	West Alabama
1981	Off	Ed Lett, QB	Jacksonville State
	Def	Alvin Wright, NG	Jacksonville State
1982	Off	Ed Lett, QB	Jacksonville State
	Def	Charles Martin, DT	West Alabama
1983	Off	Scott Butler, QB	Delta State
	Def	Leonard Jackson, NG	West Alabama
1984	Off	Scott Butler, QB	Delta State
	Def	Earl Conway, DT	Miss. College
1985	Off	<b>Clarence Johnson</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
	Def	Earl Conway, DT	Miss. College
1986	Off	Mike Turk, QB	Troy State
	Def	Jessie Tuggle, LB	Valdosta State
1987	Off	Mike Turk, QB	Troy State
	Def	Freddie Thomas, DB	Troy State
1988	Off	Leon Reed, QB	UT-Martin
	Def	Emanuel McNeil, DT	UT-Martin
1989	Off	David Gulledege, QB	Jacksonville State
	Def	Terry Fleming, DL	Miss. College
1990	Off	Fred McAfee, RB	Miss. College
	Def	<b>James Davis, LB</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
1991	Off	Nickey Edmondson	Jacksonville State
	Def	Roderick Magee, LB	Miss. College
1992	Off	<b>Tyrone Rush, RB</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
	Def	Antonio Edwards, DL	Valdosta State
1993	Off	<b>Tyrone Rush, RB</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
	Def	<b>Jeff Redcross, DL</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
1994	Off	Chris Hatcher, QB	Valdosta State
	Def	<b>Ronald McKinnon, LB</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
1995	Off	<b>Cody Gross, QB</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
	Def	<b>Ronald McKinnon, LB</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
1997	Off	Toby Strange, QB	West Georgia
	Def	Fred Perry, LB	Southern Arkansas
1998	Off	Jeremy Clements, QB	West Georgia
	Def	Antonio Speed, LB	Valdosta State
1999	Off	Josh Price, QB	Arkansas Tech
	Off	Ed Duncan, RB	Arkansas Tech
	Def	Antonio Speed, LB	Valdosta State
2000	Off	Dusty Bonner, QB	Valdosta State
	Off	Josh Bright, QB	Delta State
	Def	Danielle Rollins, LB	Ark-Monticello
2001	Off	Dusty Bonner	Valdosta State
	Def	Nate Coggins	West Georgia
2002	Off	Aaron Jenkins	Valdosta State
	Def	Dewayne Smith	Valdosta State
2003	Off	Cory Allred	Arkansas-Monticello
	Def	Anthony Maddox	Delta State
2004	Off	Cory Allred	Arkansas-Monticello
	Def	Cedric Cursh	Arkansas Tech
2005	Off	Scott Eyster	Delta State
	Def	Kelvin Morris	West Georgia

## GSC Most Valuable Player

1996..... Lance Funderburk, Valdosta State

## GSC Coach of the Year

1971.....	Mickey Andrews, Livingston
1972.....	George Doherty, Northwestern State
1973.....	Tom Jones, Troy State
1974.....	Jim King, Livingston
1975.....	Jim King, Livingston
1976.....	Charlie Bradshaw, Troy State
1977.....	Jim Fuller, Jacksonville State
1978.....	Jim Fuller, Jacksonville State
1979.....	John Williams, Mississippi College
1980.....	Wayne Grubb, North Alabama
1981.....	Jim Fuller, Jacksonville State
1982.....	Jim Fuller, Jacksonville State
1983.....	<b>Wayne Grubb, North Alabama</b>
1984.....	Chan Gailey, Troy State
1985.....	<b>Wayne Grubb, North Alabama</b>
1986.....	Rick Rhoades, Troy State
1987.....	Rick Rhoades, Troy State
1988.....	Don McLeary, Tennessee-Martin
1989.....	Bill Burgess, Jacksonville State
1990.....	John Williams, Mississippi College
1991.....	Bill Burgess, Jacksonville State
1992.....	Bill Burgess, Jacksonville State
1993.....	<b>Bobby Wallace, North Alabama</b>
1994.....	<b>Bobby Wallace, North Alabama</b>
1995.....	<b>Bobby Wallace, North Alabama</b>
1996.....	Hal Mumme, Valdosta State
1997.....	Steve Roberts, Southern Arkansas
1998.....	Todd Knight, Delta State
1999.....	Steve Mullins, Arkansas Tech
2000.....	Chris Hatcher, Valdosta State
2001.....	Chris Hatcher, Valdosta State
2002.....	Chris Hatcher, Valdosta State
2003.....	<b>Mark Hudspeth, North Alabama</b>
2004.....	Steve Mullins, Arkansas Tech
2005.....	Clint Conque, Central Arkansas

## GSC Freshman of the Year

1980.....	Alvin Wright, NG, Jacksonville State
1981.....	Doug Brown, QB, Troy State
1982.....	Anthony Hinton, NG, Troy State
1983.....	Bryan Watts, P, West Georgia
1984.....	Mike Turk, QB, Troy State
1985.....	Terry Fleming, DL, Mississippi College
1986.....	Randy Fisher, WR, Valdosta State
1987.....	Fred McAfee, RB, Mississippi College
1988.....	Ramon Allen, RB, Valdosta State
1989.....	Ollie Thigpen, RB, Delta State
1990.....	O.J. Patrick, DL, North Alabama
1991.....	<b>Marcus Hunter, DL, North Alabama</b>
1992.....	<b>Ronald McKinnon, LB, North Alabama</b>
1993.....	<b>Gerald Smith, DB, North Alabama</b>
	Marty Hammond, WR, West Alabama
1994.....	<b>Reginald Ruffin, DE, North Alabama</b>
1995.....	Chad Moran, Central Arkansas
1996.....	Tregnel Thomas, RB, Delta State
1997.....	Kevin McCarn, QB, Arkansas-Monticello
1998.....	Channing Williams, DT, West Georgia
1999.....	Cornelius Alvin, West Georgia
2000.....	Chris Reil, Henderson State
2000.....	Montoya Brown, Ouachita Baptist
2001.....	Michael Norvell, Central Arkansas
2002.....	<b>DeMarcus Blount, North Alabama</b>
2003.....	Scott Eyster, Delta State
2004.....	Bernard Scott, Central Arkansas
2005.....	Nathan Brown, Central Arkansas

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## GSC Football Champions

1971 West Alabama, Troy State.....	5-1
1972 Northwestern Louisiana .....	6-0
1973 Troy State.....	6-1
1974 Jacksonville State .....	7-1
1975 Nicholls State .....	7-2
1976 Troy State.....	7-1
1977 Jacksonville State .....	7-1
1978 Jacksonville State .....	6-1
1979 Mississippi College.....	5-1
1980 <b>North Alabama</b> .....	6-0
1981 Jacksonville State .....	6-0
1982 Jacksonville State .....	7-0
1983 <b>North Alabama</b> .....	8-0
1984 Troy State.....	7-1
1985 <b>North Alabama</b> .....	7-1
1986 Troy State.....	8-0
1987 Troy State.....	8-0
1988 Tennessee-Martin.....	7-1
Jacksonville State .....	7-1
Mississippi College .....	7-1
1989 Jacksonville State .....	8-0
1990 Mississippi College.....	8-0
1991 Jacksonville State .....	6-0
1992 Jacksonville State .....	5-0-1
1993 <b>North Alabama</b> .....	7-0
1994 <b>North Alabama</b> .....	7-0
1995 <b>North Alabama</b> .....	8-0
1996 Valdosta State.....	6-2
1997 Southern Arkansas .....	6-1
1998 Delta State .....	8-1
West Georgia .....	8-1
1999 Arkansas Tech.....	8-1
2000 Valdosta State.....	9-1
Delta State .....	9-1
West Georgia .....	9-1
2001 Valdosta State.....	9-0
2002 Valdosta State.....	9-0
2003 <b>North Alabama</b> .....	9-0
2004 Valdosta State.....	9-0
2005 Central Arkansas .....	8-1

## UNA in the GSC

Year	GSC	All	Finish
1971	0-6-0	1-10-0	Sixth
1972	1-5-0	2-9-0	Ninth
1973	3-6-0	4-6-0	Eighth
1974	4-4-0	4-6-0	Sixth
1975	4-4-0	6-4-0	Sixth
1976	3-4-0	4-5-0	Sixth
1977	3-5-0	5-5-0	Sixth
1978	4-2-1	7-2-1	Fifth
1979	3-3-0	6-5-0	Fourth
1980	6-0-0	10-2-0	<b>First</b>
1981	4-2-0	8-2-0	Second
1982	4-3-0	7-3-0	Third
1983	8-0-0	11-1-1	<b>First</b>
1984	4-1-3	7-1-3	Second
1985	7-1-0	12-2-0	<b>First</b>
1986	1-7-0	4-7-0	Ninth
1987	4-3-1	5-5-1	Third
1988	2-6-0	2-8-0	Eighth
1989	4-4-0	6-5-0	Fifth
1990	6-2-0	8-3-0	Second
1991	1-5-0	3-6-0	Sixth
1992	3-2-1	7-4-1	Second
1993	7-0-0	14-0-0	<b>First</b>
1994	7-0-0	13-1-0	<b>First</b>
1995	8-0-0	14-0-0	<b>First</b>
1996	4-4-0	6-5-0	Fifth
1997	6-2-0	9-3-0	Third
1998	7-2-0	8-2-0	Third
1999	5-4-0	5-6-0	Fifth
2000	3-6-0	3-7-0	Eighth
2001	3-6-0	4-6-0	Ninth
2002	3-6-0	4-7-0	Ninth
2003	9-0-0	13-1-0	<b>First</b>
2004	4-5-0	5-5-0	Sixth
2005	7-2-0	11-3-0	Second

## UNA's First-team All-GSC Selections (1971-05)

1971	DB	Palmer Byrd
1971	DG	Frankie Patterson
1971	PK	William McCormack
1973	OT	Barry Johnson
1973	OE	Danny Kimble
1973	DB	Robbie Hudson
1973	DT	Larry Brown
1974	WR	Roger Ralph
1975	OG	Terry Witherspoon
1975	WR	Roger Ralph
1976	OG	Terry Witherspoon
1976	P	Aubrey Haynes
1977	RB	Curtis Sirmones
1977	OG	Terry Witherspoon
1977	WR	Robert Steele
1978	OG	Obie Childers

1978	PK	Nelson McMurray
1979	RB	Lawson Fletcher
1979	OG	Obie Childers
1979	DB	Manuel Walker
1980	RB	Lawson Fletcher
1980	OG	Hamp Moore
1980	DT	Steve Carter
1981	OG	Hamp Moore
1981	PK	Nelson McMurray
1981	DB	Emmanuel Young
1982	C	Don Smith
1982	OG	Mike Rollins
1982	TE	Mike Gilley
1982	DB	Rod Brooks
1982	LB	Frank Condon
1982	DE	Ron Harris
1983	RB	Clarence Johnson
1983	OG	Mike Rollins
1983	OT	Dexter Rutherford
1983	DB	Rod Brooks
1983	DT	Dean Sanders
1984	DB	Daryl Smith
1984	DB	Lewis Billups
1984	OT	Scott Shirley
1985	DB	Lewis Billups
1985	DB	Bruce Jones
1985	LB	Steve Rogers
1985	DE	Billy Witt
1985	RB	Clarence Johnson
1985	OT	Tony Shirley
1985	PK	James Knowles
1986	RB	Marvin Marsh
1987	DB	Wendell Phillips
1987	P	Scott DeMott
1988	TE	Bennie Jennings
1989	LB	James Davis
1989	DB	Sedric Barnett
1990	LB	James Davis
1990	DB	Harvey Summerhill
1990	TE	Bennie Jennings
1990	OT	Sherman Johnson
1991	DB	Harvey Summerhill
1991	P	John Crittenden
1991	RB	Tyrone Rush
1991	WR	Troy Nelson
1992	DB	Harvey Summerhill
1992	LB	Ronald McKinnon
1992	DL	Marcus Hunter
1992	P	John Crittenden
1992	RB	Tyrone Rush
1992	RB	Brian Satterfield
1993	RB	Tyrone Rush
1993	OG	Jon Thompson
1993	OG	Jeff Surbaugh
1993	PK	Jamie Stoddard
1993	DL	O.J. Patrick
1993	DL	Jeff Redcross
1993	LB	Ronald McKinnon
1993	LB	Keith Humphrey
1994	WR	Michael Edwards
1994	TE	Jarius Hayes
1994	OG	Jon Thompson
1994	C	Kin Taylor
1994	DE	Marcus Hunter
1994	DT	Marcus Keyes
1994	DT	Israel Raybon
1994	LB	Ronald McKinnon
1994	LB	Keith Humphrey
1994	DB	Gerald Smith
1994	P	Lee Morris

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1994	PK	Jamie Stoddard
1995	QB	Cody Gross
1995	RB	A.J. Lamar
1995	G	Jon Thompson
1995	T	Michael Williams
1995	TE	Jarius Hayes
1995	DL	Marcus Keyes
1995	DL	Israel Raybon
1995	DL	Reginald Ruffin
1995	LB	Keith Humphrey
1995	LB	Ronald McKinnon
1995	DB	Gerald Smith
1996	DB	Gerald Smith
1996	DL	Reginald Ruffin
1996	RB	A.J. Lamar
1997	RB	Greg Manson
1997	OG	Joe Washington
1997	OG	Thomas Moore
1997	OT	Brad Pierce
1997	LB	Reginald Ruffin
1997	DL	Michael Moncrief
1997	DB	Marcus Hill
1997	P	Tony Faggioni
1998	RB	Greg Manson
1998	TE	Bobby Collins
1998	DL	Shawn Cash
1998	DB	Marcus Hill
1998	DB	Tyrone Bell
1998	P	Tony Faggioni
1999	WR	Zack Keys
1999	LB	Robert Gordon
2000	DB	Chad Sears
2003	RB	DeMarcus Blount
2003	C	Lance Ancar
2003	OT	Sherwin Lyons
2003	LB	Donald Tharpe
2003	DB	Evan Oglesby
2004	C	Lance Ancar
2004	DT	Ken Triplett
2004	LB	Courtney Wright
2004	DB	Evan Oglesby
2004	RS	Anthony Merritt
2005	WR	Anthony Merritt
2005	TE	Chip Long
2005	C	Lance Ancar
2005	DB	Blake Farris
2005	RS	Anthony Merritt

## UNA's Second-team All-GSC Selections (1971-05)

1975	RB	Jerry Mizell
1975	OT	Barry Johnson
1975	LB	Norman Sims
1976	WR	Robert Steele
1977	DB	Rodney Bivens
1978	RB	Curtis Sirmones
1978	DB	Manuel Walker
1978	LB	Kevin Logan
1978	DT	Brad Hendrix
1979	PK	Nelson McMurray
1979	LB	Howard Ross
1979	DE	William Bowens
1979	NG	Anthony Jones
1980	WR	Jerry Hill
1980	OT	Mike Thorn
1980	LB	Sam Prater
1980	DT	Paul Smith

1981	QB	Fred Riley
1981	DB	Tommy Horn
1981	LB	Frank Condon
1981	LB	Sam Prater
1981	DE	Ron Harris
1981	DT	Johnny Johnson
1982	RB	Clarence Johnson
1982	OT	Dexter Rutherford
1982	PK	James Knowles
1982	DB	Gary Davis
1982	DT	Dean Sanders
1982	P	Harlow Fikes
1983	QB	Rusty Towery
1983	PK	James Knowles
1983	DB	Daryl Smith
1983	DT	Robert Moore
1983	P	Harlow Fikes
1984	QB	Bobby Duncan
1984	RB	Stanley Gill
1984	WR	Germaine Young
1984	DL	Alan Underwood
1984	DL	Dean Sanders
1984	P	Harlow Fikes
1985	OL	Alan Underwood
1986	OL	Eric Conner
1986	LB	Kirk Ethridge
1986	DB	Chris Evans
1986	DB	Wendell Phillips
1986	P	Scott DeMott
1987	TE	Bennie Jennings
1987	RB	Marvin Marsh
1987	DL	Harold Greene
1987	DL	Shawn Lee
1987	LB	Tony Cambell
1989	OL	Chris Ledbetter
1989	WR	Derrick Coffey
1989	RS	Troy Nelson
1989	DL	Henry Thomas
1989	LB	Felix Baxter
1990	OL	Mike Nord
1990	DB	Michael Jackson
1992	OL	Jon Thompson
1992	DB	Walter Tipton
1992	DB	Tony Foster
1992	DL	O.J. Patrick
1993	P	Lee Morris
1993	TE	Jarius Hayes
1993	RS	Tyrone Rush
1995	PK	Jamie Stoddard
1997	TE	Bobby Collins
1997	DB	Corey Harris
1998	DL	Henry Wright
1998	LB	Orlando Patterson
1998	OG	Russell Stephens
1998	DB	Corey Harris
1998	RS	Corey Harris
1999	QB	Tyler Peterson
1999	TE	Adam Underwood
1999	C	Ben Owen
1999	T	Ryan Zuber
1999	DL	Larry Paul
1999	DB	Chad Sears
2000	OT	Garrett Keith
2000	DL	Larry Paul
2001	T	Garrett Keith
2001	LB	Trent Dawson
2003	QB	Will Hall
2003	RB	Randy Vickers
2003	OT	Matt Horton
2003	DL	Jonathan Taylor
2003	LB	Harold Wisdom
2003	DB	Terrance Walden
2003	DB	Lacy Hill

2003	RS	Anthony Merritt
2004	RB	DeMarcus Blount
2004	DB	Blake Farris
2004	DB	Jay Snipes
2005	QB	Vinnie Saylor
2005	WR	Jaron Fountain
2005	T	Brett Mask
2005	DL	Marcus Jackson
2005	DL	Tim Hunt
2005	LB	Donald Tharpe

## UNA's Academic

### All-GSC Selections (1983-05)

1979	OL	Hamp Moore
1980	OL	Hamp Moore
1981	OL	Hamp Moore
1983	TE	Chuck McCurley
1983	LB	Steve Rogers
1983	FB	Rich Cunningham
1983	PK	James Knowles
1983	OL	Dexter Rutherford
1984	FB	Rich Cunningham
1985	PK	James Knowles
1985	FB	Rich Cunningham
1986	OL	Howard Broadfoot
1986	QB	Tim Garner
1987	QB	Tim Garner
1987	DB	Jeff Smith
1988	QB	Tim Garner
1989	LB	James Davis
1989	DL	Sherman Johnson
1989	OL	Barry Hampton
1990	OL	Barry Hampton
1990	LB	James Davis
1991	OL	Sherman Johnson
1991	OL	Barry Hampton
1992	OL	Michael Williams
1992	DB	Tony Foster
1992	OL	Kin Taylor
1993	OL	Michael Williams
1993	OL	Jon Thompson
1993	DB	Brad Stepp
1993	OL	Jimmy Gay
1993	P	Lee Morris
1994	C	Kin Taylor
1994	P	Lee Morris
1994	OT	Eddie Evans
1994	OT	Michael Williams
1994	PK	Jamie Stoddard
1995	C	Eddie Evans
1995	OT	Michael Williams
1995	PK	Jamie Stoddard
1995	OL	Ashley Ingram
1996	OL	Ashley Ingram
1996	QB	Charles Hogan
1998	OL	Terry James
1999	OL	Terry James
2000	DL	Joel Williamson
2001	FB	Jason Viinson
2004	DB	Jay Snipes
2005	K	Yuta Fukuda

# GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE HONORS

## Gulf South Conference Team of the Decade 1980's

### Offense

QB..... Mike Turk, Troy State  
 RB..... Major Everett, Miss. College  
 RB... **Clarence Johnson, N. Alabama**  
 FB..... Ted Horstead, Troy State  
 TE..... Rusty Fuller, Jacksonville State  
 WR..... Kyle Finney, Delta State  
 WR..... William Mackall, Tenn.-Martin  
 OL..... Joe Billingsley, Jacksonville State  
 OL..... Mark Catano, Valdosta State  
 OL..... Wayne Frazier, Miss. College  
 OL..... Mitch Geier, Troy State  
 OL..... **Don Smith, North Alabama**  
 PK. **James Knowles, North Alabama**

### Defense

DL..... Earl Conway, Miss. College  
 DL..... Terry Fleming, Miss. College  
 DL..... Charles Martin, Livingston  
 DL..... Emanuel McNeil, Tenn.-Martin  
 LB..... **James Davis, North Alabama**  
 LB..... Steve Hyche, Livingston  
 LB..... Gerrick Pimienta, Troy State  
 LB..... Jessie Tuggle, Valdosta State  
 DB..... **Lewis Billups, North Alabama**  
 DB..... **Bruce Jones, North Alabama**  
 DB..... **Daryl Smith, North Alabama**  
 DB..... Ken Watson, Livingston  
 P..... Wally Henry, Miss. College  
 RS..... Titus Dixon, Troy State

## Gulf South Conference Team of the Decade 1990's

### Offense

QB..... Chris Hatcher, Valdosta State  
 QB..... **Cody Gross, North Alabama**  
 RB..... Dominique Ross, Valdosta State  
 RB..... **Tyrone Rush, North Alabama**  
 RB..... **Brian Satterfield, N. Alabama**  
 WR..... Matt Carman, West Alabama  
 WR..... **Michael Edwards, N. Alabama**  
 WR..... Roscoe Pounds, West Georgia  
 WR..... Robert Williams, Valdosta State  
 TE..... Jarius Hayes, North Alabama  
 OL..... Kell Clopton, Southern Arkansas  
 OL..... Todd Matthews, Arkansas Tech  
 OL..... Don Struebing, Central Arkansas  
 OL... **Jeff Surbaugh, North Alabama**

OL... Jon Thompson, North Alabama  
 OL..... Michael Williams, N. Alabama

### Defense

DL..... Antonio Edwards, Valdosta State  
 DL..... **Marcus Keyes, North Alabama**  
 DL..... **Israel Raybon, North Alabama**  
 DL..... **Jeff Redcross, North Alabama**  
 DL..... **Reginald Ruffin, N. Alabama**  
 LB..... **Keith Humphrey, N. Alabama**  
 LB..... **Ronald McKinnon, N. Alabama**  
 LB..... Fred Perry, Southern Arkansas  
 LB..... Antonio Speed, Valdosta State  
 LB..... Robert Thomas, Henderson State  
 DB..... **Marcus Hill, North Alabama**  
 DB..... Corey Jarrells, West Georgia  
 DB..... A.D. Love, Henderson State  
 DB..... **Gerald Smith, North Alabama**  
 DB **Harvey Summerhill, N. Alabama**  
 DB..... Jerome Williams, Delta State  
 PK. Jason Williams, Southern Arkansas  
 P..... Scott Stephens, Central Arkansas  
 RS..... Danny Lee, Jacksonville State



## Gulf South Conference Team of the Quarter Century 1971-1995

### OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE QUARTER CENTURY

Chris Hatcher, Valdosta State

### DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE QUARTER CENTURY

Ronald McKinnon, North Alabama

### COACH OF

### THE QUARTER CENTURY

Bobby Wallace, North Alabama

### Offense

QB..... **Cody Gross, North Alabama**  
 QB..... Mike Turk, Troy State  
 QB..... Chris Hatcher, Valdosta State  
 RB..... Horace Belton, SE Louisiana  
 RB. Boyce Callahan, Jacksonville State  
 RB..... Major Everett, Miss. College

RB..... Fred McAfee, Miss. College  
 RB..... **Tyrone Rush, North Alabama**  
 OL..... Joe Billingsley, Jacksonville State  
 OL..... Gene Bryant, Delta State  
 OL..... Mark Catano, Valdosta State  
 OL..... Wayne Frazier, Miss. College  
 OL..... Mitch Geier, Troy State  
 OL..... Mark King, Troy State  
 OL..... York Kurinsky, Valdosta State  
 OL..... **Don Smith, North Alabama**  
 OL... **Jon Thompson, North Alabama**  
 OL..... Calvin Word, Jacksonville State  
 TE..... Rusty Fuller, Jacksonville State  
 TE..... **Jarius Hayes, North Alabama**  
 WR..... Nathaniel Bolton, Miss. College  
 WR..... Matt Carman, West Alabama  
 WR..... Kyle Finney, Delta State  
 WR..... Randy Fisher, Valdosta State  
 WR..... William Mackall, Tenn.-Martin

### Defense

DL..... Jesse Baker, Jacksonville State  
 DL..... Earl Conway, Miss. College  
 DL..... Terry Fleming, Miss. College  
 DL... **Marcus Keyes, North Alabama**  
 DL..... Charles Martin, West Alabama  
 DL..... Emanuel McNeil, Tenn.-Martin  
 DL... **Israel Raybon, North Alabama**  
 DL..... Alvin Wright, Jacksonville State  
 LB..... **James Davis, North Alabama**  
 LB..... **Keith Humphrey, N. Alabama**  
 LB..... Ken Hutcherson, West Alabama  
 LB..... Steve Hyche, West Alabama  
 LB... **Ronald McKinnon, N. Alabama**  
 LB..... Gerrick Pimienta, Troy State  
 LB..... Rusty Rebowe, Nicholls State  
 LB... Greg Robinson, Jacksonville State  
 LB..... Jessie Tuggle, Valdosta State  
 DB..... Eric Davis, Jacksonville State  
 DB..... **Bruce Jones, North Alabama**  
 DB..... Stanley King, West Alabama  
 DB..... Dallis Smith, Valdosta State  
 DB..... **Daryl Smith, North Alabama**  
 DB **Harvey Summerhill, N. Alabama**  
 DB..... Freddie Thomas, Troy State  
 DB..... Ken Watson, West Alabama

### Specialty

PK..... Ted Clem, Troy State  
 PK. **James Knowles, North Alabama**  
 P... **John Crittenden, North Alabama**  
 P..... Gregg Lowery, Jacksonville State  
 RS..... Perry Griggs, Troy State  
 RS..... Danny Lee, Jacksonville State

# ALL-GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE

## 2005 All-Gulf South Conference

### FIRST TEAM

#### Offense

QB	Scott Eyster	Delta State
RB	Kentral Rogers	Central Arkansas
RB	Daryl Holyfield	Southern Arkansas
WR	Aaron Fairouz	Central Arkansas
<b>WR</b>	<b>Anthony Merritt</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
<b>TE</b>	<b>Chip Long</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
C	Lance Ancar	North Alabama
G	John Trafford	Arkansas Tech
G	David Farr	Central Arkansas
G	Robert Young	Delta State
G	Kevin Berneathy	Southern Arkansas
T	Justin Jones	Central Arkansas
T	Richard Collier	Valdosta State

#### Defense

DL	Jacob Ford	Central Arkansas
DL	Chris Herring	Southern Arkansas
DL	Tim Thompson	Valdosta State
DL	Odell Willis	West Georgia
LB	Quentin Maxfield	Central Arkansas
LB	Michael Eubanks	Delta State
LB	Kelvin Morris	West Georgia
LB	Brandon Jamison	West Georgia
DB	Cory Cangelosi	Central Arkansas
DB	Torrance Daniels	Harding
<b>DB</b>	<b>Blake Farris</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
DB	Demarea Caldwell	Southern Arkansas

#### Special Teams

K	Michael Green	Valdosta State
P	Jeff Carpenter	West Georgia
<b>RS</b>	<b>Anthony Merritt</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
BT	Paul girton	West Alabama



### SECOND TEAM

#### Offense

<b>QB</b>	<b>Vinnie Saylor</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
RB	John L. Williams	Arkansas-Monticello
RB	Jason Snell	Delta State
RB	Don Rich	Quachita Baptist
RB	Abe Felix	West Georgia
<b>WR</b>	<b>Jaron Fountain</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
WR	Bruce Steele	Ouachita Baptist
TE	Josh Rogers	Arkansas Tech
TE	Johnny Fields	Southern Arkansas
C	Ryan Barker	Delta State
G	Travis Mikel-Allen	Delta State
<b>T</b>	<b>Brett Mask</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
T	Ed Primas	Southern Arkansas

#### Defense

DL	Greg Mills	Central Arkansas
<b>DL</b>	<b>Marcus Jackson</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
<b>DL</b>	<b>Tim Hunt</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
DL	Dedrick Morrison	Valdosta State
LB	Scott Dutile	Harding
<b>LB</b>	<b>Donald Tharpe</b>	<b>North Alabama</b>
LB	Derrick Harris	Southern Arkansas
LB	John Perkins	West Georgia
DB	DeMathus Ledet	Arkansas-Monticello
DB	Andrew Jackson	Arkansas Tech
DB	Jasper Johnson	Central Arkansas
DB	Jeremy Fairrow	Harding

#### Special Teams

K	Ben Davis	Harding
K	Bryan Woodard	Henderson State
P	Craig McFarlin	Ouachita Baptist
RS	Daryl Holyfield	Southern Arkansas
BT	Ross Matt	Central Arkansas
BT	Aaron Fairouz	Central Arkansas
BT	Jake Cantrell	Delta State
BT	Travis DeSisso	Harding

### OFFENSIVE

#### PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Scott Eyster, Delta State

### DEFENSIVE

#### PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Kelvin Morris, West Georgia

#### COACH OF THE YEAR

Clint Conque, Central Arkansas

#### FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

Nathan Brown, Central Arkansas

# LION GSC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

## NORTH ALABAMA'S ALL-TIME GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE PLAYER OF THE WEEK SELECTIONS

<b>1973</b>							
Sept. 22	Offense	Danny Kimble	Delta State	Sept. 5	Defense	Ronald McKinnon	C. Missouri State
Sept. 29	Offense	Wendell Hawthorn	West Alabama	Sept. 12	Offense	Brian Satterfield	Miss. College
<b>1975</b>				Sept. 26	Defense	O.J. Patrick	Delta State
Sept. 13	Defense	Mike Allison	SE Louisiana	Oct. 17	Defense	Sam Graham	Jacksonville St.
Nov. 1	Defense	Rodney Bivens	Miss. College	Nov. 7	Defense	Tony Foster	West Georgia
Nov. 8	Offense	Burnis Rose	Nicholls State	Nov. 14	Defense	Mark Williams	Valdosta State
Nov. 15	Offense	Marc Merritt	UT-Martin	<b>1993</b>			
Nov. 22	Defense	Ivan Richard	Jacksonville St.	Sept. 4	Offense	Brian Satterfield	Fort Valley State
<b>1978</b>				Sept. 25	Offense	Tyrone Rush	Delta State
Sept. 20	Defense	Brad Hendrix	West Alabama	Oct. 2	Defense	Jeff Redcross	Portland State
Oct. 18	Defense	William Bowens	Austin Peay	Oct. 23	Defense	Keith Humphrey	Central Arkansas
<b>1979</b>				Nov. 7	Defense	Ronald McKinnon	Valdosta State
Sept. 8	Offense	Lawson Fletcher	Middle Tenn. St.	Nov. 14	Offense	Cody Gross	West Georgia
Sept. 8	Defense	Manuel Walker	Middle Tenn. St.	<b>1994</b>			
<b>1981</b>				Sept. 17	Defense	Marcus Keyes	Miss. College
Oct. 10	Defense	Frank Condon	Alabama A&M	Sept. 24	Defense	Keith Humphrey	Delta State
Nov. 14	Offense	Lawson Fletcher	Miss. College	Oct. 8	Defense	Ronald McKinnon	Youngstown St.
Nov. 14	Defense	Sam Prater	Miss. College	Oct. 22	Defense	Marcus Hunter	Central Arkansas
<b>1982</b>				Oct. 22	Offense	Cody Gross	Central Arkansas
Oct. 9	Offense	Rusty Towery	Alabama A&M	Nov. 5	Offense	Cody Gross	Valdosta State
Oct. 16	Offense	Clarence Johnson	UT-Martin	Nov. 5	Defense	Keith Humphrey	Valdosta State
Oct. 23	Defense	Rod Brooks	Troy State	Nov. 12	Offense	Kenyatta Jones	West Georgia
Oct. 30	Defense	Richard Porter	Valdosta State	<b>1995</b>			
<b>1983</b>				Sept. 2	Defense	Reginald Ruffin	Albany State
Sept. 24	Offense	Rusty Towery	Central Florida	Sept. 9	Defense	Ronald McKinnon	Alabama A&M
Oct. 1	Offense	Rusty Towery	Delta State	Sept. 30	Defense	Israel Raybon	Miss. College
Oct. 8	Defense	Clifford Mason	Alabama A&M	Oct. 14	Defense	Keith Humphrey	Central Arkansas
Oct. 22	Offense	Rusty Towery	Troy State	Oct. 21	Offense	AJ Lamar	Henderson State
Oct. 22	Defense	Clifford Mason	Troy State	Oct. 21	Defense	Keith Humphrey	Henderson State
Nov. 5	Defense	Clifford Mason	Valdosta State	Oct. 28	Defense	Ronald McKinnon	Valdosta State
		Charlie Glass	Valdosta State	<b>1996</b>			
Nov. 19	Offense	Clarence Johnson	West Georgia	Sept. 7	Defense	Reginald Ruffin	Alabama A&M
<b>1984</b>				Oct. 19	Defense	Reginald Ruffin	Delta State
Oct. 27	Defense	Dexter Hunt	Troy State	<b>1997</b>			
Oct. 27	Defense	Dean Sanders	Troy State	Sept. 8	Defense	Corey Harris	Alabama A&M
<b>1985</b>				Sept. 22	Defense	Michael Moncrief	Texas A&M-Kingsville
Sept. 28	Offense	Clarence Johnson	Savannah State				
Nov. 16	Defense	Wendell Phillips	West Georgia	Sept. 29	Offense	Travis Carswell	Arkansas Tech
Nov. 23	Defense	Charles Steele	Valdosta State	Oct. 11	Offense	Tyler Peterson	SW Louisiana
<b>1986</b>				Nov. 1	Offense	Greg Manson	Central Arkansas
Nov. 8	Defense	Chris Evans	West Alabama	Nov. 8	Defense	Marcus Hill	West Georgia
<b>1987</b>				<b>1998</b>			
Sept. 19	Offense	Lonnie Mister	Miss. College	Sept. 26	Defense	Shawn Cash	Central Arkansas
Oct. 3	Offense	Lonnie Mister	Delta State	Oct. 24	Special	Corey Harris	Henderson State
Oct. 3	Defense	Wendell Phillips	Delta State	<b>1999</b>			
<b>1988</b>				Oct. 2	Offense	Tyler Peterson	Ark.-Monticello
Sept. 3	Defense	James Davis	Alabama A&M	Nov. 13	Offense	Tyler Peterson	West Alabama
Sept. 24	Offense	Tommy Compton	Delta State	Nov. 13	Defense	Travis Hawk	West Alabama
<b>1989</b>				<b>2001</b>			
Sept. 2	Defense	Rick Thomas	Alabama A&M	Sept. 1	Defense	Sam Fakunle	Lambuth
Sept. 23	Defense	Troy Nelson	Delta State	Oct. 6	Special	Evan Oglesby	Henderson State
Oct. 7	Defense	Henry Thomas	UT-Martin	<b>2003</b>			
Oct. 28	Offense	Mark Humphrey	Livingston	Sept. 15	Offense	Will Hall	Jacksonville State
Nov. 4	Defense	James Davis	West Georgia	Oct. 13	Defense	Courtney Wright	Ouachita Baptist
<b>1990</b>				Nov. 10	Specialty	Anthony Merritt	West Georgia
Sept. 1	Defense	James Davis	Alabama A&M	Nov. 17	Offense	Will Hall	West Alabama
Sept. 22	Defense	James Davis	Delta State	<b>2004</b>			
Oct. 6	Defense	Jeff Surbaugh	UT-Martin	Oct. 4	Defense	Randy Banks	Central Arkansas
Oct. 20	Defense	Michael Jackson	Troy State	Oct. 4	Specialty	Anthony Merritt	Central Arkansas
Nov. 3	Offense	Troy Nelson	West Georgia	Oct. 18	Specialty	Anthony Merritt	Henderson State
Nov. 10	Defense	James Davis	Valdosta State	<b>2005</b>			
<b>1991</b>				Sept. 3	Offense	Vinnie Saylor	Tusculum
Sept. 7	Defense	Walter Tipton	C. Missouri State	Sept. 3	Specialty	Yuta Fukuda	Tusculum
Oct. 19	Defense	Harvey Summerhill	Jacksonville St.	Sept. 17	Offense	Vinnie Saylor	Delta State
Nov. 2	Defense	Marcus Hunter	West Alabama	Sept. 17	Specialty	Anthony Merritt	Delta State
<b>1992</b>				Oct. 8	Defense	Courtney Wright	Southern Arkansas
				Oct. 15	Specialty	Anthony Merritt	Henderson State
				Nov. 5	Specialty	Yuta Fukuda	West Alabama

\* Records are incomplete for some seasons

# IMPORTANT DATES IN UNA HISTORY

## 1912

The Lions played their first football game in school history against Sewanee but lost 101-0.

## 1928

The Lions dropped their football program after disappointing results over the first 17 years of competition.

## March 30, 1949

Florence State Teachers College President Dr. E.B. Norton called a student assembly to announce that football would be renewed.

## September 29, 1949

The Lions played their first game of the modern era against Jacksonville State on the road at Jacksonville. The Lions lost that game 12-7.

## October 8, 1949

The Lions got their first win of the modern era, defeating Howard College 28-7 in Florence.

## 1952-64

The Lions went 31-0-2 against schools from the state of Alabama over this 12-year period, beginning with a 32-6 win over Livingston in 1952 and ending with a 21-7 loss to Troy State in 1964.

## November 21, 1959

The Lions lost 42-7 against Vanderbilt in Nashville, in their first and only game against a Southeastern Conference opponent.

## 1960

The Lions won the Alabama Collegiate Conference Championship, which was the school's first conference football championship.

## 1969

The Lions head football coach Hal Self retired and former Lion player and assistant coach Durrell Mock was hired as the school's second head football coach.

## 1971

The University of North Alabama becomes a charter member of the newly formed Gulf South Conference.

## November 11, 1978

UNA downs Mississippi College 30-0 at home to run its record to 7-1-1. It marked the first time a Lion football team had won as many as seven games in 17 years (since 1961).

## September 6, 1980

Playing in a newly renovated Braly Municipal Stadium for the first time, UNA romped Division I-AA Middle Tennessee State 36-0. Braly had been expanded from 8,000 to 13,000 seats.

## November 22, 1980

The Lions beat Jacksonville State 35-28 in Jacksonville, Ala. to win their first Gulf South Conference football title.

## November 29, 1980

The Lions played their first NCAA Division II playoff game at home at Braly Stadium against Virginia Union University, with UNA taking a 17-8 win.

## December 25, 1984

Daryl Smith became UNA's first player to participate in the Blue-Gray All-Star Classic.

## December 7, 1985

A 34-0 win at Braly Stadium over previously undefeated Bloomsburg, Pa., lands the Lions in the NCAA Division II National Championship Game.

## December 14, 1985

The Lions made their first appearance in the NCAA Division II Championship game, playing in the Palm Bowl in McAllen, Texas. The Lions lost to North Dakota State 35-7.

## December 11, 1986

The first Harlon Hill Trophy, the NCAA Division II College Football Player of the Year award, was presented in the UNA student union building to Jeff Bentrin of North Dakota State University as a part of the Division II championship week activities.

## December 13, 1986

The University of North Alabama served as the host school for the NCAA Division II National Championship Game.

## December 15, 1987

Bobby Wallace was hired as the fifth head coach in UNA history.

## September 24, 1988

UNA downed Delta State 27-24 on the road in Cleveland in a game that was stopped twice for tornado warnings. It marked the Lions first win under new head coach Bobby Wallace.

## 1980's

The Lions had the winningest program in the Gulf South Conference during the 1980's, posting a 74-34-5 record.

## September 1, 1990

A crowd of 14,683, the largest in school history to that date, overflowed Braly Stadium for the 1990 opener against Alabama A&M, with UNA taking a 25-0 win. It was the first official sell-out in school history.

## October 4, 1993

The Lions were ranked No. 1 in the NCAA Division II poll for the first time in school history, following a 44-32 win over Portland State in Portland.

## December 10, 1993

Senior Lion running back Tyrone Rush finishes as the runner-up for the Harlon Hill Trophy as the NCAA Division II Player of the Year behind New Haven running back Roger Graham.

## December 11, 1993

The Lions defeated Indiana, Pa., 41-34, to claim their first NCAA Division II National Championship with an overflow crowd of 15,631.

## September 10, 1994

Pride Rock is unveiled for the first time at a Lion football game and the Lions respond with a 58-13 win over Alabama A&M in front of a sell-out crowd at Braly Stadium.

## November 14, 1994

The Lions have an unprecedented 12 first-team All-Gulf South Conference selections.

## December 10, 1994

UNA defeats Texas A&M-Kingsville 16-10 at Braly Municipal Stadium to claim a second straight NCAA Division II National Championship in front of a sell-out crowd of 13,526.

## November 11, 1995

The Lions downed West Alabama 42-10 to claim an unprecedented third straight Gulf South Conference championship, closing the season with an 8-0 GSC record. The Lions also ran their streak of regular-season GSC wins to 22 games.

## December 2, 1995

UNA downed Ferris State 45-7 at Braly Stadium in the semifinals of the Division II playoffs to become the first school in the history of collegiate football on any level to win as many as 40 games in just three seasons.

## December 8, 1995

UNA linebacker Ronald McKinnon became the first defensive player to win the Harlon Hill Trophy as the NCAA Division II College Football Player of the Year. The senior from Elba received the award at the Florence Conference Center in front of a sell-out crowd of almost 800.

## December 9, 1995

UNA became the first school in the history of NCAA scholarship football (Division I-AA or II) to win three straight national championships. The Lions dominated previously undefeated Pittsburg State 27-7 in front of an overflow crowd of 15,241.

The Lions completed their second perfect season in three years, going 14-0.

## August 31, 1996

UNA's overall 23-game winning streak and 41-game winning streak against Division II schools ended on the road at Albany State in a season-opening 17-10 loss.

## September 9, 1996

For the first time in almost three years, the UNA Lions were not ranked No. 1 in the NCAA Division II poll. UNA had been ranked No. 1 in every poll since Oct. 4, 1993, or in 27 straight polls. After debuting as No. 1 in the 1996 pre-season poll, UNA was dropped to ninth in the Sept. 9 poll with a 1-1 record.

## September 14, 1996

The Lions tied an NCAA Division II record with their 28th consecutive home win, downing Southern Arkansas 27-9.

## September 28, 1996

UNA's 23-game Gulf South Conference winning streak and 28-game home win streak were ended in a stunning 38-35 loss to previously winless Arkansas Tech.

## October 11, 1997

UNA picked up its first win ever over a Division I football team, and played the longest game in school history in the process, with a 48-42 four overtime win at Southwestern Louisiana. It is one of only a handful of wins ever by NCAA Division II teams over Division I-A opponents.

## December 15, 1997

UNA hires Bill Hyde as the sixth head football coach in school history, after Bobby Wallace left to become head coach at Temple University.

## November 10, 2001

Bill Hyde retires as head coach after four seasons and 21 total years at UNA.

## January 3, 2002

UNA hires Mark Hudspeth seventh head football coach in school history after Bill Hyde retired.

## November 1, 2003

UNA knocked off No. 1 ranked Valdosta State 17-10 at Basemore-Hyder Stadium in Valdosta.

## November 5, 2003

The Lions closed the first perfect 11-0 regular-season in school history and claimed UNA's seventh GSC football championship with a 44-10 win over West Alabama.

## December 12, 2003

UNA quarterback Will Hall won the Harlon Hill Trophy, giving the Lions their second recipient of the award named for another former Lion standout.

## November 12, 2005

Lions make 12th NCAA playoff appearance, knocking defending national champion Valdosta State out of the field with a 40-13 road win.

## December 3, 2005

UNA reaches semifinals of Division II playoffs for the seventh time, losing 25-24 in the closing seconds to NW Missouri State.

## December 10, 2005

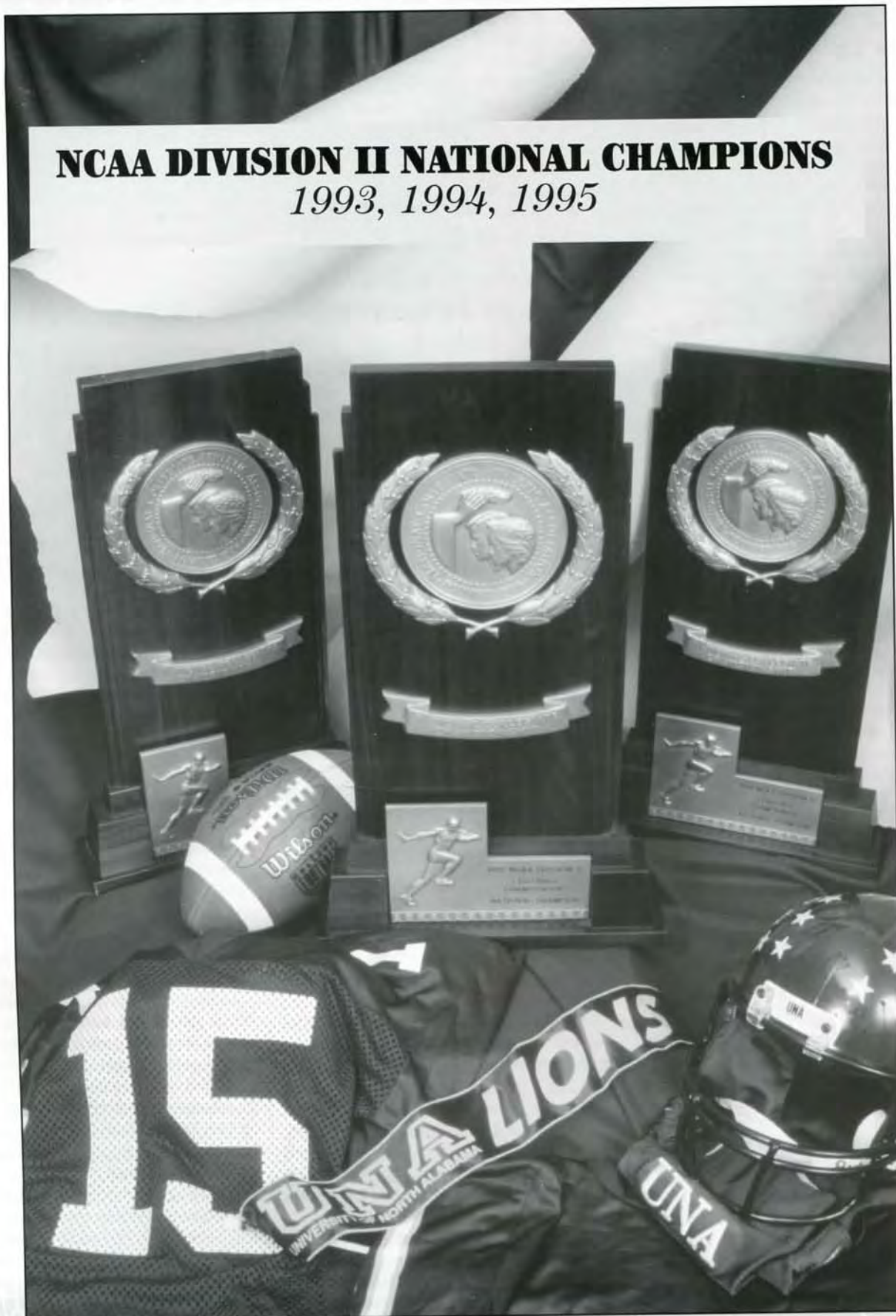
UNA's Anthony Merritt finishes sixth in Hill Trophy voting.

## January 17, 2006

Lion center Lance Ancar is named winner of the Rimington Trophy as the top center in Division II.

# UNA'S CHAMPIONSHIP TRILOGY - 1993-1995

**NCAA DIVISION II NATIONAL CHAMPIONS**  
*1993, 1994, 1995*



# THREE IN A ROW . . . THE 1993 CHAMPIONSHIP

## UNA's Perfect Season Earns 1993 National Championship

Cody Gross stood on the sideline, apparently done for the day. His helmet was under his arm as back-up quarterback Cale Manley began hurriedly loosening up.

The University of North Alabama offense that had dominated opponents all season had lost all momentum in the second half and the Lions trailed in the 1993 NCAA Division II Championship Game 24-14 in the fourth quarter.

But suddenly a blocked punt by Israel Raybon gave UNA new life and some 11 minutes later, Gross would be lying face down in the end zone after capping a 27-point fourth quarter rally that netted the Lions a 41-34 win and the Division II National Championship.

With Raybon giving the Lions a spark, Gross was again given the chance to bring the Lions back, and did he ever.

First he fired a 24-yard touchdown pass to Demetrea Shelton to make it 24-20, then directed a 66-yard drive that ended with a seven-yard Satterfield TD run that gave UNA a 27-24 lead.

Another 78-yard touchdown drive put UNA up by 10 points but Indiana-Pennsylvania rallied to tie the game at 34-34 with just 45 seconds left.

But Gross again met the challenge, taking UNA 69 yards in six plays.

First he carried on an option run to put UNA into IUP territory, then he passed to Shelton to the Indians one-yard-line.

A one-yard dive by Gross with just 10 seconds left gave UNA the win and its first football national crown.

It was the perfect end to the first perfect season in school and Gulf South Conference history.

In all UNA would break or tie 85 school and Gulf South Conference records.

The Lion players would receive 54 individual awards, including four players who were selected first-team All-American.

It was an amazing season that saw UNA score on its first play from scrimmage, and its last.

It was a season of unprecedented accomplishments for the Lions that followed a solid run at the national championship that fell short in 1992.

UNA left little doubts about its intentions in 1993 when fullback Brian Satterfield raced 48-yards on the teams first

play from scrimmage of the season and scored against Fort Valley State.

The floodgates opened and UNA romped the Wildcats 36-14 behind Satterfield's 243 yards that included a school-record 97-yard TD run.

## UNA broke or tied 85 school and Gulf South Conference records in 1993



*Brian Satterfield set the tone for the 1993 season, scoring on UNA's first play from scrimmage.*

The next week at Alabama A&M, the UNA offense again set the tone, scoring seven touchdowns in a 49-7 rout of the Bulldogs.

And with more than 1,000 total yards in the team's first two games of the season, the UNA offense was just getting warmed up as it churned out 646 yards in week three in a 58-17 mauling of the Delta State Statesmen.

All-American tailback Tyrone Rush, who would finish as the runner-up for the Harlon Hill Trophy as the Division II Player of the Year, surpassed Satterfield's

two-week-old record with 248 yards and scored three touchdowns.

That set up the first major test of the season as the Lions traveled to Portland, Ore., for a national headliner with the Portland State Vikings.

UNA entered the game ranked No. 2 nationally behind North Dakota State, while Portland State was tied for third with New Haven.

The Bison of NDSU lost to Mankato State and by kickoff time on the west coast, everyone realized the Lion-Viking match-up was for the nation's number one ranking.

Portland State struck quickly behind star quarterback Bill Matos, racing to a 14-0 lead. The Lions managed a 10-play, 67-yard drive to make it 14-7, but PSU scored again to go ahead 20-7.

Another PSU score early in the third quarter made it 26-14 and the Lions chances appeared slim. But the defense began to stiffen and Kenyatta Jones, playing in place of an injured Satterfield, began to take charge of the offense.

After UNA rallied for 10 points in the third quarter to make it 26-24, a three-yard TD run by Rush gave the Lions their first lead at 30-26 with 26 seconds left in the third quarter.

A pair of touchdowns by Jones on runs of 55 and 17 yards made it 44-26 before UNA allowed a late score and settled for a 44-32 win.

The following Monday UNA claimed the nation's top ranking for the first time in the history of the program and would hold that spot for the remainder of the season.

Mississippi College was the first to challenge UNA's No. 1 ranking and the Choctaws battled to take a 28-27 lead over UNA with 12:20 left in the game in Clinton, Miss.

A 55-yard TD run Jones and a 20-yard Jamie Stoddard field goal brought the Lions back and gave UNA a 38-28 win to go 5-0 overall and 2-0 in the GSC.

A 17-0 win over Henderson State and a 27-10 win on the road at Central Arkansas on the Bears' Homecoming gave UNA a 7-0 record entering its own Homecoming against Livingston.

That game would again shatter numerous school records as UNA rolled to a 65-15 win with 565 yards of offense.

The Lions clinched the GSC title for the first time since 1985 the following week at Valdosta State as the UNA defense

## THREE IN A ROW . . . THE 1993 CHAMPIONSHIP



*Israel Raybon (97) blocked an IUP punt in the fourth quarter to turn around the NCAA Division II National Championship Game. UNA scored 27 points in the final period for a 41-34 win.*

picked off five Chris Hatcher passes and helped pave the way for 21 second half points as UNA won 31-21 on the Blazers home field.

A 41-14 win at home over West Georgia closed the first perfect regular-season in school history and, by virtue of UNA's No. 1 ranking, guaranteed the Lions the home field for every Division II playoff game.

In the opening round, South Atlantic Conference champion Carson-Newman couldn't meet the challenge as UNA raced to a 21-0 lead and settled for a 38-28 win over the Eagles with 455 yards of offense.

In the quarterfinal round, unbeaten Hampton hoped to avenge a home play-off loss to UNA in 1992 by downing the Lions on their home field. But the Pirates, although hanging close in the first half, were no match for the Lions as UNA recorded a 45-20 win and moved on the semifinals.

The Lions gained 570 yards offensively and totally stifled Hampton in the final

two periods.

Needing just one more win to reach the Division II Championship Game in had hosted since 1986, UNA faced a Texas A&M-Kingsville team that started the season 0-5 before winning seven straight. The Javelinas continued to ride that momentum against UNA, blocking a punt for a touchdown just before halftime and adding three second half touchdowns to make it 27-25 with just 2:42 left in the game.

A successful two-point conversion would likely send the game to overtime, but Louis Fikes halfback pass fell incomplete in the end zone and UNA marched on to the title game.

The championship week in the Shoals area was a true extravaganza as the community turned out in full force to urge the Lions on.

An overflow crowd of almost 16,000 was in Braly Stadium for the title game and an additional national television audience watched on ESPN.

When it was all over, Doug Porter, the

chairman of the Division II Football Committee said "Division II football will never be the same again. This day has taken NCAA Division II football to a level it has never seen before. What a great feeling it is to be a part of something like this.

"This game had all the elements of a great championship," Porter added. "The stadium was sold out, the atmosphere and enthusiasm was great and the best two teams in the country put on a great show."

Numerous awards followed for the Lions, with head coach Bobby Wallace selected as NCAA Division II Coach of the Year by Kodak, Chevrolet and the Football Gazette.

Rush, linebacker Ronald McKinnon, offensive linemen Jeff Surbaugh and defensive end Jeff Redcross were all selected first-team All-American, with Redcross chosen as the GSC Defensive Player of the Year and Rush being named the league's Offensive Player of the Year for the second straight season.

# THREE IN A ROW... THE 1994 CHAMPIONSHIP

## North Alabama Successfully DEFENDS its Division II National Championship

Offense won the University of North Alabama its first NCAA Division II football national championship in 1993, and so it was only appropriate that the Lions title defense should fall upon the Defense.

In 1993, runningbacks Tyrone Rush and Brian Satterfield were featured on the cover of the team's media guide, proclaiming "Double Trouble" for the Lions opponents. The Lions then went 14-0 behind an offense that shattered virtually every school and conference rushing and scoring record.

And even in the Division II National Championship Game, it was a 27-point fourth quarter by the Lions offense, including a touchdown with just 10 seconds left against Indiana-Pennsylvania, that gave UNA its first football national championship.

In 1994, linebackers Ronald McKinnon and Keith Humphrey scowled on the cover of the Lions pre-season media guide as they DEFENDED the 1993 championship trophy, making it clear to any challengers that the Lions were intent on retaining the championship.

And defend they did.

While UNA's triple-option offense rolled up record numbers through the first four games, the Lions Purple Swarm defense looked untouchable, posting three shutouts in the first four games.

By season's end, UNA was second in the nation in two defensive categories, fourth in two others, and ready to defend its championship in the Division II playoffs.

With narrow wins over Carson-Newman and Valdosta State in the first two rounds and a romp of North Dakota in the semifinals, only Texas A&M-Kingsville stood between the Lions and a share of Division II history.

The Lions found themselves in a similar situation as in 1993. Clinging to a 16-10 lead late in the fourth quarter over Texas A&M-Kingsville, the UNA defense had its back to the wall. The Javelinas were driving and chewing up the clock.

Then, almost as scripted, with just 2:22 left in the game, McKinnon stepped in front of a Wilson Scott pass at the UNA 18-yard line, tipped it twice, got it under control, and raced 27 yards in the other



*Linebackers Ronald McKinnon (44) and Keith Humphrey (42) helped put down Valdosta State, and 12 other Lion opponents.*

direction.

Another interception by Paul Sanders in the final minute closed the door for good on the Javelinas and the Lions had their second straight championship.

Not only did North Alabama become just the third school in NCAA Division II history to win back-to-back national championships, joining Southwest Texas State (1981-82) and North Dakota State (1985-86), but also became the first school in the history of NCAA competition on any level to have won two national championships in both football and basketball. UNA claimed Division II basketball titles in 1979 and 1991.

The Lions finished 13-1 in 1994, with the only loss coming on the road to eventual I-AA national champion Youngstown State, 17-14.

UNA's record run pushed the school's winning streak against Division II opponents to 27 straight and the Lions ranked No. 1 nationally in the Division II poll for the entire season, running that streak to 17 consecutive polls in the top spot.

The Lions became just the third school to win back-to-back Gulf South Conference titles, and the team would produce an unprecedented 12 first-team All-GSC selections and seven All-Americans, with five players from the Purple Swarm named to All-America teams.

UNA opened the season with a 35-0 romp of Fort Valley State on the road,

pounding the Wildcats with 618 total yards and 494 yards rushing. Kenyatta Jones rushed for 161 yards and scored three touchdowns, while the Lion defense allowed just 41 yards rushing on 31 attempts and surrendered just 87 total yards.

Game two was a similar story. Playing at home at Braly Stadium for the first time since winning the 1993 championship, and in front of a sell-out crowd of more than 14,000, UNA raced to a 58-0 lead over Alabama A&M with 7:22 left in the third quarter. The Lion offense rushed for 333 yards and had 395 total yards, but the defense caused four turnovers and held the Bulldogs to a minus 19 yards rushing. A&M scored twice late in the game on the Lions reserves, but UNA was 2-0 with a 58-13 win.

The Lions opened the Gulf South Conference portion of their schedule the following week at home against Mississippi College and ripped the Choctaws 24-0 and gave up just 58 yards rushing.

The next week at Delta State UNA posted a 38-0 win to go 4-0, giving up just 51 yards rushing. Jones rushed for 106 yards and scored twice for the Lions.

An open date the following week gave the Lions time to prepare for the defending I-AA national champion Penguins of Youngstown State.

It didn't start well for the Lions, as Youngstown State took its opening possession and marched 72 yards in seven



*The Lions played in front of record crowds in 1994, that included two sell-outs.*

# THREE IN A ROW . . . THE 1994 CHAMPIONSHIP

plays to score. But that would be it for the Penguins until the fourth quarter. The UNA defense, behind the play of McKinnon and tackle Marcus Keyes, closed the door on YSU, and UNA finally tied the game late in the third quarter on a one-yard run by quarterback Cody Gross.

The Penguins went on top again early in the final period, but Gross responded with a 62-yard scoring pass to Michael Edwards to make it 14-14 with 12:59 left. The outcome was finally decided when Paul Massaro booted a 30-yard field goal with 7:33 left to give Youngstown a 17-14 lead. UNA marched back to midfield but was stopped on a fourth down try, and the Lions 18-game winning streak had stopped.

With the impressive showing against a I-AA power, UNA held its spot atop the Division II poll, however, and the quest for the Division II title continued.

First UNA romped Henderson State 41-7 on the road, then the Lions turned their attention to a powerful Central Arkansas squad for Homecoming. Everything went UNA's way in the first half as the Lions rolled to a 28-0 lead behind 112 yards rushing and 135 yards passing from Gross. But the offense failed to gain a first down in the second half and the Bears rallied for 21 points before UNA's defense closed the door on a 28-21 win.

A 50-7 rout of Livingston set up the much anticipated matchup between the No. 1 ranked Lions and the No. 2 ranked Blazers of Valdosta State. UNA brought in the premier defense in Division II to meet the most explosive offense, led by eventual Harlon Hill Trophy winner Chris Hatcher. But this one was a mismatch as UNA crushed the Blazers on a soggy field, rolling to 31-7 and 38-13 leads before settling for a 38-21 win. Hatcher and the Blazers spent most of the night on the run from UNA's Purple Swarm, as the Lions intercepted four passes, recovered two fumbles, recorded three sacks and had five tackles for loss.

A 37-25 win over West Georgia closed the regular season at 9-1, and UNA turned its attention to the Division II playoffs.

Carson-Newman was the Lions opening round opponent for the second straight year, and the Eagles and Lions battled to a scoreless tie at halftime. UNA broke on top 10-0 in the second half on a Jamie Stoddard field goal and a Jarius Hayes end-around for a touchdown, but Carson-Newman struck for two quick touchdowns and held a 13-10 lead with 11:20 left in the game. The Lions drove down to the Eagles 16-yard line, where



*Jamie Stoddard's 17-yard field goal against Valdosta State gave UNA a 27-24 double-overtime win.*

they faced a fourth-and-six call. Stoddard booted a 33-yard field goal to tie the game, but the Eagles were offside, and UNA's Bobby Wallace decided to take the points off the scoreboard and go for a fourth-and-one at the 11. Senior Anthony Brooks, who missed the 1993 championship drive with a knee injury, burst through the left side and went 11 yards for a game-winning touchdown as UNA downed the Eagles 17-13, and advanced to the second round.

The Valdosta State Blazers were primed for their second chance at the Lions, but the game appeared headed in the same direction as UNA held a 17-3 lead in the fourth quarter. VSU rallied for two scores and suddenly the two GSC rivals were looking at the first overtime game in either's football history. Both scored touchdowns on their opening possessions in the extra period to make it 24-24, but Keyes blocked a Blazer field goal attempt in the second overtime, setting the stage for a game-winning 17-yard field goal by Stoddard for a 27-24 Lion win.

North Central Conference champion North Dakota was no match for UNA in the semifinal as the Lion's Michael Edwards returned the opening kickoff for a touchdown and UNA built a 35-0 lead before allowing a late score.

In the championship game, UNA played on a wet field for the fourth time, but Kenyatta Jones didn't slip in the first quarter when he went 90 yards

for a touchdown on the longest run in championship game history.

A Stoddard field goal and a Gross one-yard run made it 16-3 at the half, but again the offense sputtered in the second half, and it was up to the Purple Swarm to hold the line on the national title - and it did, once again.

Closing the season with 159 tackles, McKinnon became one of the most honored athletes in school history. He was a first-team All-America selection by the Associated Press, the American Football Coaches Association, the *Football Gazette*, the Division II Sports Information Directors and C.M. Frank. He was also first-team All-GSC for the third straight year, named GSC Defensive Player of the Year, and was selected as Division II National Player of the Year by CNN's College Football Preview show, as selected by Danny Sheridan.

Joining McKinnon on the various All-America teams were linebacker Keith Humphrey, defensive linemen Israel Raybon, Marcus Hunter and Marcus Keyes, and offensive linemen Kin Taylor and Jon Thompson.

Stoddard, punter Lee Morris, defensive back Gerald Smith, tight end Jarius Hayes and split end Michael Edwards were also first-team All-GSC picks.

Head coach Bobby Wallace was named Division II National Coach of the Year by ABC and Chevrolet, the American Football Coaches Association, the *Football Gazette* and *College Sports* magazine.



*Cody Gross led UNA to a 13-1 record in 1994 and a second straight Division II National Championship*

# THREE IN A ROW . . . THE 1995 CHAMPIONSHIP

## NORTH ALABAMA ROLLS TO UNPRECEDENTED THIRD STRAIGHT NATIONAL TITLE

For the University of North Alabama, an unprecedented third straight NCAA Division II national championship appeared as easy as 1-2-3.

In taking two previous national titles in 1993 and 1994, the Lions had to leap some hurdles to get to the title game, then had to rely on some last minute heroics from quarterback Cody Gross and linebacker Ronald McKinnon to secure those respective titles.

The 1995 Lions would have none of that, however. They simply dominated their field of play like no other team in college football history.

And when the season finally ended with a 27-7 win over Pittsburg State, it seemed almost anticlimactic. The Lions had done what they were expected to do and ended the 1995 season with no worlds left to conquer.

As a two-time defending national champion with 45 lettermen and 19 starters returning, the Lions entered 1995 with the pressure and expectation of trying to accomplish something that no previous Division II school had done. But the Lions managed to maintain their focus each Saturday throughout the regular-season, dominating 10 straight opponents, then clobbering four more in the playoffs by a combined 138-49 score.

Not only did UNA finish the season at 14-0 with its third straight conference and national championships, but both titles put the Lions in a class by themselves.

UNA's third straight national title marked the first time in the history of NCAA scholarship football (Division I, I-AA or II) that a school had won three consecutive national championships. And with a 41-1 record over that three-year span, UNA became the first team in the history of college football on any level to win 40 or more games in just three years.

In addition, UNA's third straight GSC title marked the first time in the league's 25-year history that any school had won three straight football championships.

The Lions dominance of Division II wasn't only in the post-season either. After taking over the top spot in the Division II poll on Oct. 4, 1993, the Lions



*With starting quarterback Cody Gross out of the starting lineup with a hip injury, Cale Manley (10) took center stage and directed a 76-yard, 12-play scoring drive on the Lions opening possession and UNA rolled to its third straight national championship with a 27-7 romp of Pittsburg State.*

have maintained that ranking in every Division II poll since, setting another national record with 27 consecutive No. 1 rankings over a three-year period.

Individually, the Lions were also one of the most recognized groups in college football history.

A total of 10 different UNA players were selected for various All-America teams, and linebacker Ronald McKinnon became the first defensive player in the ten-year history of the Harlon Hill Trophy to be named as the Division II College Football Player of the Year.

The Lions senior class of 1995 closed their collective careers as the winningest class in school and Gulf South Conference history, with a 48-5-1 record that included 41 consecutive wins against Division II opponents and 22 straight conference wins.

Both the Lions offense and defense were dominant in 1995, and nowhere was that better demonstrated than in the championship game.

Pittsburg State had averaged 318 yards per game during 1995, but managed just 50 yards on 15 carries in the first half against UNA, while the Lions rolled up 248 total yards in the first 30 minutes with a make-shift offensive backfield.

With starting quarterback Cody Gross sidelined for the first time since 1992 with a hip injury, senior back-up Cale Manley stepped in and directed a 76-yard, 12-

play drive on UNA's opening possession. Jermaine Roberts went the final 28 yards untouched through a huge hole for the game's first score with 8:04 left in the opening period.

The Lions also turned to third-string fullback Nate George to start when 1,000-yard rusher A.J. Lamar went down with a stomach virus.



*Jermaine Roberts (1) scored twice in the 1995 championship game.*

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The Lions never missed a beat, and when McKinnon pounced on a PSU fumble early in the second quarter, Gross limped onto the field to give the team an additional emotional charge that also electrified the partisan UNA crowd of 15,241.

Gross, who closed his career at UNA with a 41-2 record as a starter, completed a pass to Demetrea Shelton on his first play and led a five-play drive that was capped by a five-yard TD run by Roberts. Gross would also fire a 13-yard touchdown pass to Michael Edwards with five seconds left in the half to make it 21-0, capping a 69-yard, 11-play drive.

The only bright spot for Pittsburg State came in the final period, when Ben Peterson recovered a UNA fumble and Jeff Moreland tossed a 15-yard touchdown pass to Chris Hudson on the next play for the Gorillas only score.

UNA answered with a score of its own, with George bulling in from one yard out with 34 seconds left to make it 27-7.

Moreland was picked off four times and the Gorillas were held to 99 yards rushing and just 176 total yards by UNA's Purple Swarm defense. UNA dominated the line of scrimmage, controlling the ball for 40:13, while PSU had it just 19:47.

Jermaine Roberts led UNA's championship game effort with 107 yards on 20 carries and scored twice. Gross, in limited duty and in severe pain, completed eight of 13 passes for 102 yards and a touchdown.

McKinnon, as always, led UNA's defensive charge with 14 tackles, one tackle for a five-yard loss and recovered a fumble that led to UNA's second touchdown. He closed his career as the all-time leading tackler in school and Gulf South Conference history with 621 career tackles.

Bobby Wallace, who has been named Division II National Coach of the Year in both 1993 and 1994, was honored again in 1995 by the American Football Coaches Association, ABC and Chevrolet, CNN, American Football Quarterly and the Football Gazette.

UNA opened the 1995 season at home against an Albany State squad that had reached the Division II playoffs in 1994. At halftime, the Lions trailed 13-6 but rallied to score on their first possession of the second half and scored 28 third quarter points on the way to a 41-13 blowout of the Rams.

The Lions followed with a 49-0 thumping of Alabama A&M, a 30-0 rout of Delta State and a 41-3 win over Mississippi College to quickly move to 4-0.



*Harlon Hill Trophy winner Ronald McKinnon helped slam the door on Pittsburg State, just as he had done on 48 previous Lion opponents during his career.*

An eventual playoff team, West Georgia provided the next test and trailed just 14-13 at the half, but UNA again rolled in the second half and went on to a 34-19 win.

A 28-7 win in a defensive struggle at Central Arkansas pushed UNA to 6-0 as the Lion defense scored twice. Then the Reddies of Henderson State charged into Braly Stadium, ready to end the Lions string of successes. Henderson only led once in the game, at 14-7, the Reddies would not go away and UNA managed to hold on for a 33-28 win behind 216 yards rushing from A.J. Lamar.

A 26-9 rout of Valdosta State, a 52-17 whipping of Arkansas Tech and a 42-10 victory over West Alabama closed the Lions regular-season at 10-0 and gave the Lions a full head of steam for the playoffs.

In the opening round, UNA again met Albany State, and again found itself trailing at the half, 14-10. But the Lions again scored on their opening possession of the second half and never looked back, scoring 28 second half points on the way to a 38-28 win.

Carson-Newman was then eliminated from the playoff picture for the third straight year by the Lions, although the Eagles held a 7-0 lead near the end of the first quarter. Gross rambled 90 yards, going from sideline to sideline on his way to the end zone, to tie the game, and UNA dominated the rest of the way to whip the Eagles 28-7.

Undefeated Ferris State was the Lions semifinal opponent, but the Bulldogs were no match for UNA as McKinnon dominated a head-to-head show with fellow Hill finalist Bill Love, intercepting two passes and sacking Love once.

UNA won 45-7 in a runaway, with the only down moment coming when Gross suffered a hip injury at the end of a 31-yard touchdown run on UNA's opening possession.

In claiming the Division II title, UNA gave the Gulf South Conference its fourth straight Division II football crown and sixth football championship in the last nine years.

The Lions closed 1995 with numerous streaks still intact, including 26 straight home field wins, 18 straight wins over nationally ranked Division II opponents, 12 straight NCAA playoff wins and 23 straight wins overall.

McKinnon became just the fifth player in Division II history to be a three-time consensus All-American, and was just one of 10 Lions to receive All-America honors. He was joined by linebacker Keith Humphrey, defensive linemen Israel Raybon, Marcus Keyes and Reginal Ruffin, defensive back Gerald Smith, quarterback Cody Grossm tight end Jarius Hayes and offensive linemen Jon Thompson and Michael Williams.

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## The ACC

No it's not the Atlantic Coast Conference. At least not for this reference. It was the Alabama Collegiate Conference, which the Lions competed in during the 1960's. The four state supported colleges - Florence State (now UNA), Troy State, Jacksonville State and Livingston (now West Alabama) - formed the ACC in 1960. The Lions won the conference football crown in 1960 and 1961 and shared the title in 1962 and 1963 with Jacksonville State. The Lions produced numerous All-ACC players throughout the 1960's but those records are incomplete.

## All-Americans

The Lions have had numerous All-Americans, including an unprecedented seven players selected to various All-America teams in 1994, followed by an even more unbelievable 10 selections in 1995. UNA had four first-team picks in 1993 and also had four All-American picks last season. The school's first All-American was end Harlon Hill in 1953. In all UNA has had 52 different players chosen first, second or third-team All-American, with linebacker Ronald McKinnon becoming one of just five players in Division II history to be a three-time consensus first-team All-American. Linebackers James Davis, running back Tyrone Rush, defensive linemen Marcus Keyes and Israel Raybon, offensive guard Jon Thompson and defensive end/linebacker Reginald Ruffin were named first-team All-American in two different seasons. Ruffin is the only Lion athlete to ever be All-American at two different positions - selected as a defensive end in 1996 and as a linebacker in 1997. Safety Harvey Summerhill and cornerback Gerald Smith were named second-team as juniors and first-team as seniors.

## All-Star Games

A total of 23 Lion players have participated in post-season all-star games. Defensive back Darryl Smith played in both the Blue-Gray Classic and the Senior Bowl in 1984 and defensive back Lewis Billups followed in 1985, also playing in both games. In 1990, offensive tackle Mike Nord was selected for the Senior Bowl and the East-West Shrine game. In 1993, running back Tyrone Rush and offensive guard Jeff Surbaugh played in the inaugural Snow Bowl/NCAA Division II All-Star Game in Fargo, N.D., followed by center Kin Taylor and defensive end Marcus Hunter in 1994, linebacker Ronald McKinnon and tight end Jarius Hayes in 1995, defensive back Gerald Smith in 1996, linebacker Reginald Ruffin and offensive lineman Joe Washington in 1997 and tight end Bobby Collins and punter Tony Faggioni in 1998. McKinnon was selected as the East team's Defensive Most Valuable Player. In 2000 the Snow Bowl moved to Kingsville, Texas and was renamed the Cactus Bowl, and Larry Paul and Chad Sears played in the game. Tight end John Bradley played in the game in 2002, quarterback Will Hall in 2003 and defensive back Evan Oglesby in 2004. Lee Vickers and Blake Farris played in the 2005 Cactus Bowl. Also in 1995, defensive tackle Marcus Keyes played in the Blue-Gray Classic and the Senior Bowl and defensive tackle Israel Raybon played in the Blue-Gray Classic and the East-West Shrine Classic, with Raybon selected as the Gray's Defensive Most Valuable Player in the Blue-Gray game.

## Beating No. 1

On November 1, 2003, UNA knocked off the No. 1 team in the nation - downing Valdosta State 17-10 in Valdosta. It was UNA's first win over a top ranked team.

## Brains and Brawn

Nine different UNA football players have been selected first-team All-Gulf South Conference and Academic All-GSC as well. That list includes Dexter Rutherford, James Knowles, Steve Rogers, James Davis, Sherman Johnson, Kin Taylor, Lee Morris, Michael Williams and Jon Thompson. Former Lion offensive lineman Eddie Evans did that one better, however, being named second-team Academic All-American and All-South Region in the same season (1995). Davis, who made All-American in 1990, also won the National Impromptu Speaking competition at the national Phi Beta Lambda convention in Washington, D.C.

## The Catch

One of the single most recounted plays in UNA football history. On Nov. 22, 1980, UNA and Jacksonville State were tied 28-28 with the Gulf South Conference championship on the line. UNA faced a third-and-13 situation with just 36 seconds remaining from its own 17 yard line. Quarterback Fred Riley dropped back, faked once and lofted a pass down the right sideline. Jerry Hill ran under the pass and raced to the end zone for a dramatic 83-yard score that gave UNA a 35-28 win and its first GSC football championship. As a result of the win, the Lions also received their first NCAA playoff bid in 1980 and advanced to the semifinals.

## Championship Game

UNA is the host for the NCAA Division II Football Championship Game and has been since 1986. The 2006 game will mark the 21st time the game has been played at Braly Municipal Stadium - the most at any one site since the game was created in 1973. It is the third longest consecutive period that any NCAA championship has been at one site. UNA and the Shoals area's quest for the game began in 1985 when the Lions advanced to the title game which was then played in McAllen, Tex., as the Palm Bowl. Following the game, the Shoals National Championship Committee was formed under the leadership of Grady Liles to try and bring the game to Florence and was successful in doing so. The 2006 game is scheduled for December 16.

## Coaches

The University of North Alabama has produced hundreds of coaches on both the high school and collegiate level and has had numerous coaches pass through the Lion program on the way to jobs at other collegiate and professional programs. At one point, when Hal Self was near the end of his 20-year career as the Lions' head coach, he had 142 coaches in the field.

## Defensive Backs

It has become the most renowned position at North Alabama over the years with a spectacular tradition. Since the GSC was formed in 1971, UNA defensive backs have been first-team All-GSC picks 24 times. Former UNA defensive backs Darryl Smith and Lewis Billups played in both the Blue-Gray Classic and the Senior Bowl and later played in Super Bowl XXIV as members of the Cincinnati Bengals. Smith, Bruce Jones, Wendell Phillips, Sedic Barnett, Harvey Summerhill, Gerald Smith, Marcus Hill, Tyrone Bell, Chad Sears, Evan Oglesby and Blake Farris received All-America acclaim as DBs at UNA. In addition, 13 Lion defensive backs have been drafted or signed by professional football teams - including Oglesby (who signed with the Buffalo Bills following the 2004 season and now plays

with the Baltimore Ravens) and Farris (who signed with the Cleveland Browns). On the GSC Team of the Decade for the 1980s, three of the four defensive-backs selected for first-team honors were from UNA (Smith, Billups and Jones). On the GSC Team of the Decade for the 1990s, three defensive backs were also from UNA (Summerhill, Smith, Hill).

## The Drive

The University of North Alabama won its first Division II football championship in dramatic fashion, with a last-minute drive that pulled out a 41-34 win over Indiana-Pennsylvania in the 1993 Championship Game. IUP tied the game at 34-34 on a field goal with 45 seconds left. After the kickoff, UNA took over on its own 31-yard line and marched 61 yards in six plays to win the game. First, Brian Satterfield gained two yards, then Cody Gross optioned right for 28 yards to the IUP 39. After grounding the ball to stop the clock, Gross hit freshman Demetrea Shelton with a 38-yard pass to the IUP one, and Gross then plowed in for the winning touchdown with just 10 seconds left in the game.

## Forty Wins... in Just Three Years

North Alabama was the first program in the history of collegiate football on any level to win as many as 40 games in just three years. From 1993-95, UNA posted 14-0, 13-1 and 14-0 records for a combined 41-1 mark over the three-year span. Included in that record was three straight NCAA Division II National Championships.

## Goober and Wimp

Their nicknames may not show it, but Goober and Wimp are two of the most highly regarded graduates of the University of North Alabama. George "Goober" Lindsey, star of television's "Andy Griffith Show," "Mayberry R.E.D." and "Hee Haw," is a former Lion football player. Lindsey was quarterback and a two-year letterman for the Lions in 1950-51. He is one of three former Lion athletes enshrined in the Alabama Sports Hall of Fame. Another is former Lion basketball standout Winfrey "Wimp" Sanderson. A three-year letterman for the Lions from 1957-59, Sanderson scored 1,076 points and averaged 14.9 points for his career. After 20 years as an assistant basketball coach at the University of Alabama, Sanderson became head coach for the Crimson Tide in 1981. In 12 seasons, he directed Alabama to 10 NCAA events. He is also a member of the Alabama Sports Hall of Fame and retired after several years as head basketball coach at Arkansas-Little Rock.

## The Gulf South Conference

North Alabama is a charter member of the Gulf South Conference and was one of six schools to help create the league in 1970. UNA, Delta State and West Alabama are the only three charter members still in the league. UNA has won seven GSC football crowns, in addition to titles in basketball, women's basketball, baseball, tennis, volleyball, softball and women's cross country. The GSC is regarded as one of the toughest NCAA Division II conferences in the nation and has produced more than 40 national champions.

Since 1991 the GSC has lost Troy State, Tennessee-Martin and Jacksonville State, but they have been replaced by Central Arkansas, Henderson State, Southern Arkansas, Arkansas-Monticello, Arkansas Tech, Harding and Ouachita Baptist as well as non-football playing schools

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in Lincoln Memorial, Alabama-Huntsville, the University of West Florida, Christian Brothers University, and the University of Montevallo. LMU and Central Arkansas left the GSC following 2005-06 and the league has 15 current members.

## Hall of Fame

Former Lion football players George Lindsey and Harlon Hill, former Lion football coaches Hal Self, Bobby Wallace and Mickey Andrews and former Lion basketball coach Wimp Sanderson have been inducted into the Alabama Sports Hall of Fame, and Hill also holds membership in the NAIA Helms Foundation Hall of Fame. Hill became UNA's first inductee in ASHOF in 1976, followed by Lindsey in 1983, Sanderson in 1990, Self in 1996, Wallace in 2004 and Andrews in 2006. Located in Birmingham, ASHOF honors the state's sports legends.

## Harlon Hill Trophy

The NCAA Division II College Football Player of the Year award is named for former Lion end Harlon Hill and presented every December in the Shoals. UNA sports information director Jeff Hodges serves as chairman of the National Harlon Hill Award Committee. Hill was an All-American end for the Lions in 1953 and was later Rookie of the Year and Most Valuable Player in the National Football League with the Chicago Bears.

The award was created in 1986, with North Dakota State quarterback Jeff Bentrim as its first recipient. The 2005 award will be presented on December 10 at the twentieth annual Harlon Hill Awards Banquet.

Ten UNA players have been nominated for the Hill award: Marvin Marsh (RB) in 1986, Tommy Compton (QB) in 1988, James Davis (LB) in 1990, Tyrone Rush (RB) in 1992 and 1993, Ronald McKinnon in 1994 and 1995, Gerald Smith in 1996, Greg Manson in 1998, Will Hall in 2003 and Anthony Merritt in 2005. Rush finished second in the voting in 1993 behind New Haven running back Roger Graham, while McKinnon won the 1995 award. He became not only the first defensive player to win the award but was the first to even finish in the top five. Hall also won the Hill Trophy in 2003, giving UNA its second National Player of the Year. Merritt finished sixth in 2005.

Since 1985, UNA has faced a Harlon Hill Trophy finalist 20 times and has come away with a 10-10 record. In 1994, UNA faced the Hill Trophy winner twice, defeating Valdosta State and Chris Hatcher both times. UNA's defense dominated Hatcher in the first meeting, a 38-21 UNA win. In the second meeting, Hatcher led VSU back from a 17-3 deficit to force the first overtime game in school history, but UNA prevailed 27-24 in two extra periods.

## Indoor Football

UNA played indoors at the Alerus Center in Grand Forks, N.D., in 2003, marking the Lions second game played indoors. UNA won 37-21 at East Tennessee State in the Lions first game played inside in 1977. UNA lost at UND, 29-22.

## Live Lion Tradition Continues

UNA once again boasts the only live Lion mascots in the country living on campus. On July 22, 1974, former UNA president Dr. Robert M. Guillot brought a 35-pound lion cub to the campus and Leo spent the next 14 years "roaring" the school to victory. The original Leo died on Jan. 20, 1988, and a great outpouring of support from the Shoals community resulted in Leo II being brought to UNA

in July of 1988. Leo II lived in the compound that once housed the original Leo and grew to a weight of more than 600 pounds at eleven years of age. In 1997, Leo II was selected as the nation's "Second Best Mascot" by Sports Illustrated. He died in February of 2000.

Leo III and Una, born on November 18, 2002, now reside on the campus in the 12,764 square-foot George H. Carroll Lion Habitat.

## Monkey Incident

In UNA's 17-10 win over Valdosta State in 2003, as the Lions were clinching an upset of the No. 1 ranked Division II team in the fourth quarter - a guy in a monkey costume ran onto the field and attempted to tackle Lion quarterback Will Hall. The fan was arrested and UNA held on to win the game, but the national publicity fanned by the incident exceeded the publicity of UNA downing the No. 1 team. Hall even made an appearance with Dan Patrick on ESPN radio.

## National Championships

The Lion football program has had the chance to play for eleven in the NCAA playoffs and won its first in 1993 with a dramatic 41-34 win over Indiana-Pennsylvania in the Championship Game at Braly Stadium. UNA followed with a second straight Division II football crown in 1994, becoming just the third school in Division II history to win back-to-back titles. Then in 1995, UNA won a third straight football championship, becoming the first school in the history of NCAA scholarship football (Division I, I-AA or II) to win three straight national championships. The UNA basketball program has won two Division II titles, in 1979 and 1991, and that makes UNA the only school in the history of NCAA competition on any level to have won two national championships in both football and basketball. Only five other NCAA schools have ever even won one championship in each sport (Michigan, Michigan State, Ohio State, Jacksonville State and Wittenberg).

In 2003, UNA added a Division II National Championship in women's volleyball - giving the school six national titles.

UNA has had teams compete in the NCAA Division II championship tournaments in football, men's basketball, women's basketball, baseball, golf, men's tennis, women's tennis and volleyball, and has had individuals compete in the national championship events in golf and women's cross country.

The Gulf South Conference has produced eight of the last 19 Division II national champions and has nine Division II football championship teams.

## Off the Sidelines

That's where two West Alabama (formerly Livingston) players came from to tackle L.L. Whitten in 1952. Whitten had broken away and was running for an apparent touchdown when two Livingston players jumped off the sidelines and tackled him. The Lions led 27-6 at the time and went on to a 34-6 win when Whitten was awarded a touchdown, despite being tackled at the Tigers' 28 yard-line. Walter Henders, the current head coach at Chipley High School in Florida, was the 13th man who finally brought Whitten down. The play was even more significant because it happened two years before Alabama's Tommy Lewis made the well known off the sidelines tackle of Dickey Moegle of Rice in the Cotton Bowl.

## LION PRIDE



## The Pride Rock

The University of North Alabama's Pride Rock tradition began in 1994, with the rock making its first appearance at a Lion football game on Sept. 10 at Braly Stadium against Alabama A&M.

Pride Rock is a 60-pound, engraved granite stone with an actual paw print from Leo, UNA's live lion mascot. The rock is used as a motivational tool for the Lion players. It is placed just behind the north end zone at all Lion home games and the players file past and touch the rock on their way to the field. It serves as a reminder to the current Lion players of the proud tradition that has been established at the school and of all the former players who have played a part in building that tradition. It also symbolizes the pride and unity of the team and the university.

Pride Rock is also carried to all away football games.

UNA sports information director Jeff Hodges originated the idea of the Pride Rock after the home of the Pride of Lions in the movie the Lion King.

Leo's former trustee, Joe Wallace, designed the rock, and it was crafted and donated to the university by Richard Beckman of Florence Marble Works.

Webster's Ninth New Collegiate Dictionary defines pride as, 1: The quality or state of being proud; a: delight or elation arising from some act, possession, or relationship; 2: a source of pride: the best in a group or class; 3: a company of lions.

# LION FOOTBALL GLOSSARY, 1949-2005

## Overtime

UNA has played eight overtime games in its football history, and five of the eight were multiple overtimes. The Lions played the first overtime game in school history on November 25, 1994, against Valdosta State at Braly Stadium in the second round of the NCAA Division II playoffs. UNA led 17-3 in the fourth quarter but was forced to overtime before the Lions moved to the Blazers one-yard line on its possession. Jamie Stoddard was called on to kick a 17-yard field goal that gave the Lions a 27-24 victory.

In 1996, UNA blew a two touchdown lead in the fourth quarter and lost 34-31 to Valdosta State in three overtimes at Valdosta. In 1997, UNA played its third, and longest overtime game, defeating Division I Southwestern Louisiana 48-40 in Lafayette, La., in four overtimes. In 1999 UNA downed Henderson State 21-14 in overtime, in 2000 UNA lost 28-21 at Pittsburg State in overtime and in 2002 UNA lost 24-21 to Samford in two overtimes.

In 2006 UNA played two overtime games, both on the road at Central Arkansas. UNA lost the first match-up in double overtime to the Bears, 29-26. The Lions came back and avenged that loss with a 41-38 victory over UCA in the third round of the NCAA Division II playoffs.

## The Perfect Season(s)

That's what UNA had in 1993, and then again in 1995. The Lions went 14-0 for the first perfect season in school and Gulf South Conference history in 1993, and followed with the same perfect results in 1995. The 1993 and 1995 Lions are in a select group of just eight NCAA Division II teams to ever claim the national championship with a perfect record.

## Undefeated Division II National Champions

1982 Southwest Texas State	14-0
1986 North Dakota State	13-0
1988 North Dakota State	14-0
1990 North Dakota State	14-0
1993 North Alabama	14-0
1995 North Alabama	14-0
1998 NW Missouri State	15-0
2002 Grand Valley State	14-0

## Playoffs

The Lions have been to eleven NCAA football playoffs (1980, 1983, 1985, 1990, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1997, 2003, 2005) and have a 22-8 record in post-season action. UNA advanced all the way to the Division II Championship Game at the Palm Bowl in McAllen, Tex., in 1985. In 1993, 1994 and 1995, the Lions became the first team in the history of the Division II playoffs to play for the championship on their home field. UNA has hosted 22 of the 30 playoff games it has been in and boasts the best winning percentage (73.3) in the history of the Division II playoffs.

## Pride of Dixie

The UNA Lions are backed by the Pride of Dixie Marching Band, which performs at all Lion home games under the direction of Lloyd Jones.

## Professional Football

The Lions have had numerous players drafted and signed by professional teams in the National Football League, the World Football League, the United States Football League, the Canadian Football League, the Xtreme Football League, in Arena Football and Arena2. The most prominent has been Harlon Hill, who was Rookie of the Year and Most Valuable Player in the NFL with the

Chicago Bears. Lewis Billups and Darryl Smith played for the Cincinnati Bengals in Super Bowl XXIV, Stevie Hobbs was a team captain for the Washington Redskins in Super Bowl XXVI, and defensive tackle Shawn Lee started for the San Diego Chargers in Super Bowl XXIX.

## Publications

The University of North Alabama's athletic publications have won numerous national awards, including more than 70 since 1984. Among those, the Lions football media guide has been judged among the top four in the nation in 16 of the last 18 years, including being picked Best in the Nation in 1995 and 1999. In judging by the College Sports Information Directors of America, the UNA football guide was third in the nation in 1984, fourth in 1986, third in 1987, second in 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991 and 1992, third in 1993, first in 1995, second in 1997, sixth in 1998 and fourth in 2003. The awards were presented for Division B, which includes all NCAA Division II and NAIA Division I schools.

## Punt Blocking

The Lions have had some of the best kick blockers in Division II history in Bruce Jones, Daryl Smith and Israel Raybon. Jones blocked a Gulf South Conference record five punts in 1985 and had six in his career. Smith blocked a total of eight kicks during his career, and Raybon set a school record with nine career blocked kicks from 1992-95. The most famous blocked punt in school history came on Dec. 11, 1993, when sophomore Israel Raybon blocked a John McGhee punt with 12:17 left in the NCAA Division II National Championship Game and UNA trailing 24-14. He recovered the blocked kick at the IUP 28 and UNA scored three plays later. The Lions went on to score 27 points in the final period and won their first national championship, 41-34.



## The Purple Swarm

North Alabama's dominant defense in 1994 and 1995 was nicknamed the Purple Swarm, because of the team's all-purple uniforms and the incredible team speed that allowed Lion defenders to swarm the football. In 1994 the Lions defense was second nationally in total defense and pass defense and was fourth in scoring and rushing defense. In 1995 UNA led the nation in rushing and scoring defense and was second in total defense. In just two years The Purple Swarm produced seven different All-Americans in linebackers Ronald McKinnon and Keith Humphrey, linemen Marcus Hunter, Israel Raybon, Marcus Keyes and Reginald Ruffin and defensive back Gerald Smith.

## LION PRIDE



## The UNA Lion

The University of North Alabama saw the arrival of another Lion on its campus just prior to the 1994 football season, but this one weighed a full ton more than UNA's live lion mascots. This Lion, a 2,700 pound concrete statue, was presented to the university by the UNA Sportsman's Club in honor of the school's three national championship teams (1979 and 1991 basketball, 1993 football). But no sooner than the statue went up, the Lions won a fourth title with the 1994 Division II football championship. A fifth national crown was added in 1995 and a sixth in 2003. The Lion was purchased from the Ornamental Concrete Company in Mississippi and came from a die created in Germany. The Lion is four feet high, two feet wide and seven feet long and stands on a 3'x8' base. A plaque adorns the side of the monument in honor of UNA's NATIONAL CHAMPIONS, and lists the year and team records for each of the Lions national championship teams. With the Lions three national championships in football and two in basketball, the school is the only one in the history of NCAA competition on any level to have won two championships in both football and basketball.

The Lion stands beside Pine Street, directly in front of Flowers Hall.

The Lion has been the official mascot of all UNA teams since the school began athletic competition in the 1930s. The school has had a costume mascot for decades, and has been the only school in the country to have a live lion mascot living on campus since 1974.





## 2006 UNIVERSITY OF NORTH ALABAMA FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date			Opponent	Site	Time
September	9	Sat	at Tusculum	Greeneville, Tenn.	6:00
September	14	Thu	*HARDING (CSTV)	HOME	7:00
September	23	Sat	*at Southern Arkansas	Magnolia, Ark.	6:00
September	30	Sat	*ARKANSAS TECH	HOME	6:00
October	7	Sat	*at Ouachita Baptist	Arkadelphia, Ark.	1:30
October	14	Sat	*ARKANSAS-MONTICELLO (Homecoming)	HOME	6:00
October	21	Sat	at Delta State	Cleveland, Miss.	4:00
October	28	Sat	*VALDOSTA STATE	HOME	6:00
November	4	Sat	*at West Georgia	Carrollton, Ga.	2:00
November	11	Sat	*at West Alabama	Livingston, Ala.	6:00