



2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

GAME 6

NORTH DAKOTA (3-2, 1-1 BSC)
AT (7) EASTERN WASHINGTON (3-1, 2-0 BSC)
OCTOBER 6, 2012 • 7:05 P.M. CT • ROOS FIELD (8,600)

UND SCHEDULE

| DATE | OPPONENT (2012 Record) (TV) | TIME |
|-------|--|-----------|
| 08/30 | SD Mines (1-4) (Midco SN) | W, 66-0 |
| 09/8 | Portland State (1-4, 0-2) (Midco SN) | W, 45-37 |
| 09/15 | at San Diego State (2-3, 0-1) | L, 49-41 |
| 09/22 | at Sacramento State* (3-2, 1-1) (Big Sky TV) | W, 35-13 |
| 09/29 | Cal Poly* (4-0, 2-0) (Midco SN) (Big Sky TV) | L, 35-17 |
| 10/06 | at Eastern Washington* (2-1, 1-0) (Big Sky TV) | 7:05 p.m. |
| 10/13 | Northern Arizona* (4-1, 2-0) (Midco SN) | 3:05 p.m. |
| 10/20 | Montana* (2-3, 0-2) (ROOT) | 2:40 p.m. |
| 10/27 | at Montana State* (5-0, 2-0) (Big Sky TV) | 3:05 p.m. |
| 11/03 | Southern Utah* (2-3, 1-1) (Midco SN) | 1:05 p.m. |
| 11/17 | at Northern Colorado* (2-2, 1-0) (Big Sky TV) | 1:05 p.m. |

Home games listed in **BOLD**

All times central

* denotes Big Sky Conference games

UND-EASTERN WASHINGTON SERIES

First Meeting

| | |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| UND at EWU (Cheney) | First Meeting |
| UND vs. EWU (Grand Forks) | N/A |
| UND vs. EWU (Neutral) | N/A |

COACHES

Chris Mussman, UND (5th season)

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|------------------------|-------|
| UND/Overall Record | 26-22 |
| vs. Eastern Washington | 0-0 |

Beau Baldwin, Eastern Washington (5th season)

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|-----------------------------|-------|
| Eastern Washington Record | 36-17 |
| Overall Record (6th season) | 46-20 |
| vs. UND | 0-1 |

UND RADIO NETWORK

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|---------------|--------------|
| Locally | KQHT 96.1 FM |
| Jack Michaels | Play-by-Play |
| Mike Berg | Analyst |
| Paul Ralston | Sidelines |

INTERNET

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|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Live video streaming at: | www.B2TV.com |
| Live chat at: | www.UNDSports.com |
| Live stats at: | www.goeags.com |

THE BLITZ

• Even though the Big Sky is a new conference for the North Dakota football team, Eastern Washington is the only league opponent on this year's eight-game schedule the squad has never played before. That will change on Saturday when the two teams meet for the first time on the Eagles' home field at 7:05 p.m. CT.

• At No. 7 in both The Sports Network/Fathead.com and FCS Coaches polls this week, Eastern Washington will be the highest-ranked opponent UND has faced since moving up to this level in 2008.

• UND is 3-4 vs. ranked opponents since making the move to Division I and is 1-3 on the road against ranked foes.

• The last time UND played a ranked opponent on the road, the visitors sprung the upset, defeating No. 17 Southern Utah 26-20 last season on Oct. 1.

• This will be just the fifth trip for the UND football team to the state of Washington. In the previous four trips, the Green and White came away victorious in all of them, knocking off Central Washington in 2001 (17-14), 2005 (44-20), 2006 (28-14) and 2007 (63-42).

• When UND kicked off with No. 23 Cal Poly on Saturday, the team's next five opponents were all ranked in The Sports Network/Fathead.com Top 25 poll. That fact changed a little after Eastern rallied for a 32-26 victory over No. 21 Montana - knocking the Griz (2-3, 0-2 Big Sky) from the polls for the first time since 1998.

• Now as it stands, three of the team's next four opponents are ranked as Northern Arizona (Oct. 13) moved up to No. 18 on the heels of a four-game winning streak and Montana State (Oct. 27) remained unbeaten and at No. 2. UND plays Montana (Oct. 20) at home in between those two contests.

• UND was still receiving votes in both of the polls released this week, garnering 56 points in the TSN/Fathead.com poll (34th) and seven points in the FCS Coaches poll (34th).

• Despite being held to a season-low 17 points in the setback to Cal Poly, UND still ranks first in the Big Sky in scoring offense (40.8 ppg) and total offense (478.6 ypg). The team's 27 touchdowns are also the most in the league and after 14 of the first 20 came through the air, UND has scored five of its last seven touchdowns on the ground.

• Senior Mitch Sutton and junior Greg Hardin share the Big Sky lead with seven touchdowns a piece. Sutton's seven rushing touchdowns are a new career-high for a single season after he had six ground scores (one receiving) as a redshirt freshman in 2009.

LIVE FROM CHENEY

Fans wanting to follow all the action from the red turf at Roos Field in Cheney, Wash, can do so in a variety of ways.

Radio: UND Radio Network (96.1 FM - Grand Forks) - pregame show at 6 p.m. CT.

Audio: UND Radio Network broadcast also available at www.UNDSports.com

Video: Live streaming of the game is available compliments of Big Sky TV and can be viewed at www.BigSkyTV.org or www.B2TV.org

Chat: Football SID Ryan Powell will chat live at www.UNDSports.com

Stats: Live stats will be available at ewulive.statb.us or on your mobile phone at ewustats.com

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2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

A LITTLE HISTORY

UND and Eastern Washington have never met before, but the current head coaches for both teams have some gridiron history to fall back on. Even though this will be the first meeting between Eastern's Beau Baldwin and UND's Chris Mussman as the head coach for their respective schools - the two have been on opposing sidelines for four previous matchups.

In 2000, UND defeated Central Washington 52-7 in the season opener at the Alerus Center with Mussman serving as the offensive line coach and Baldwin as the Wildcats' quarterbacks coach.

In 2001, Mussman had been elevated to offensive coordinator, while Baldwin remained the quarterbacks coach in a 17-14 victory for UND on the road.

In 2002, Central Washington would take its only victory in the all-time series (UND leads 6-1) with a 43-7 win as both coaches served in the same capacity as the year before.

In 2007, Baldwin returned to Central Washington as the head coach following a four-year post at Eastern Washington as the Eagles' offensive coordinator. It would also be Mussman's final season as the O-coordinator before he took over as head coach at UND in 2008. The Green and White would hand the Wildcats a 35-28 setback in a season that saw both teams lose to Grand Valley State in the Division II playoffs.

LAST TIME OUT

After falling behind 14-0 to No. 23 Cal Poly in the first quarter, UND chipped away at the deficit over the next two quarters to finally take a 17-14 lead on a two-yard touchdown run by Marcus Hendrickson early in the fourth quarter. Unfortunately, the Mustangs had an answer of their own, reeling off 21 unanswered points in a much faster fashion. That big fourth quarter by the visitors dealt UND its first loss in Big Sky play, 35-17. Hendrickson threw for 276 yards and rushed for a team-high 66 yards and a touchdown, but a season-high four turnovers by the offense proved costly.

THIRD QUARTER LOCKDOWN

A touchdown by San Diego State in the Aztecs' 49-41 victory over UND on Sept. 15 are the only points scored on the Green and White defense during the third quarter this season.

In retrospect, the second quarter has been the best scoring stanza for the UND offense. That unit has piled up 72 points in the quarter right before halftime, including a 31-point outburst in the season opener vs. SD Mines.

SUTTON SETS NEW STANDARD

Senior Mitch Sutton scored six rushing touchdowns and added one receiving score in 2009, but over the next two seasons, the rugged running back only found the endzone twice. His fortunes have changed in his final collegiate campaign as Sutton has already produced seven rushing touchdowns through five games. Sutton's career-high rushing scores are also tied for the most ground scores by a Big Sky rusher this season (Cal Poly's Deonte Williams).

LUCKY 7'S

Junior linebacker Dominique Bennett, junior safety Clordion Kennedy and senior defensive end Ross Brenneman shared team-high honors with seven tackles in the 35-17 setback to Cal Poly. For the defensive trio, the total number of stops were career highs for all three. Brenneman equaled his best outing (at Northern Illinois; 2010), while Bennett and Kennedy set new marks.

STATISTICAL COMPARISON NORTH DAKOTA VS. EASTERN

| TEAM STATISTICS | UND | EWU |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|
| Points Per Game | 40.8 | 26.0 |
| Total Offense | 478.6 | 450.0 |
| Rushing Attempts | 191 | 148 |
| Rushing Yards | 959 | 562 |
| Rushing Per Game | 191.8 | 140.5 |
| Yards Per Carry | 5.0 | 3.8 |
| Rushing Touchdowns | 11 | 5 |
| Passing | 97-159-4 | 83-159-5 |
| Passing Yardage | 1434 | 1238 |
| Passing Per Game | 286.8 | 309.5 |
| Yards Per Completion | 14.8 | 14.9 |
| Touchdowns | 16 | 7 |
| Points Allowed Per Game | 26.8 | 19.8 |
| Rushing Yards Allowed | 1106 | 768 |
| Yards Per Carry Allowed | 5.6 | 5.1 |
| Passing Yards Allowed | 221.2 | 192.0 |
| Total Offense Allowed | 415.4 | 399.2 |
| Fumbles Lost/Interceptions | 3/4 | 1/5 |
| Punting Average | 41.6 | 44.4 |
| Field Goals | 5-7 | 7-7 |
| Penalties-Yards | 38-299 | 30-262 |
| Sacks By | 7 | 9 |

NORTH DAKOTA

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|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Passing | |
| Marcus Hendrickson | 84-144-3-1246, 14 TDs |
| Braden Hanson | 13-14-0-188, 2 TDs |
| Rushing | |
| Mitch Sutton | 66-317, 7 TDs |
| Jake Miller | 45-297, 1 TD |
| Marcus Hendrickson | 39-184 |
| P.J. Sparks | 12-97, 1 TD |
| Receiving | |
| Greg Hardin | 24-495, 7 TDs |
| R.J. McGill | 22-275, 1 TD |
| Jameer Jackson | 18-274, 4 TDs |
| Kenny Golladay | 10-158 |
| Defense | |
| Garrison Goodman | 35T-2.5TFL-1FR |
| Ben Peters | 22T-1.0TFL-3QBH |
| Chris Hall | 20T-1PBU |

EASTERN WASHINGTON

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|--------------------|---------------------|
| Passing | |
| Kyle Padron | 50-104-4-793, 4 TDs |
| Vernon Adams | 32-53-1-428, 3 TDs |
| Rushing | |
| Jordan Talley | 61-221, 3 TDs |
| Quincy Forte | 46-186, 1 TD |
| Vernon Adams | 16-118 |
| Receiving | |
| Brandon Kaufman | 24-559-5 TDs |
| Greg Herd | 16-156 |
| Ashton Clark | 15-176, 1 TD |
| Defense | |
| Ronnie Hamlin, LB | 39T-2.0TFL-2PBU |
| Grant Williams, LB | 30T-1FF-1PBU |

2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

NOTEABLES: OFFENSE

| POS | No. | Name | Yr. | Ht. | Wt. | Notes |
|-----|-----|--------------------|------|------|-----|--|
| QB | 13 | Marcus Hendrickson | Sr. | 6-1 | 197 | Tied for third in FCS with 14 passing touchdowns, ranks 10th in total offense with 286 ypg |
| RB | 3 | Jake Miller | Jr. | 5-11 | 167 | 17 career rushing touchdowns, two away from cracking UND's regular season top 10 in that category |
| RB | 28 | Mitch Sutton | Sr. | 6-0 | 220 | Seven rushing touchdowns are tied for most in the Big Sky, also had seven touchdowns as a redshirt freshman in 2009 (six rushing, one receiving) |
| WR | 84 | Greg Hardin | Jr. | 5-11 | 167 | Shares FCS lead with seven receiving touchdowns, leads team with 24 receptions and 495 yards (second in Big Sky) |
| WR | 5 | R.J. McGill | Jr. | 5-10 | 170 | Shared team lead with four receptions (29 yards) |
| WR | 83 | Jameer Jackson | RFr. | 6-3 | 233 | Leads all FCS freshman with four touchdown receptions |
| WR | 19 | Kenny Golladay | Fr. | 6-4 | 185 | Had season highs with five catches for 82 yards vs. Cal Poly |
| TE | 15 | Seth Nichols | Sr. | 6-5 | 245 | Caught second career touchdown in win over Portland State |
| TE | 47 | Seth Wisthoff | Sr. | 6-4 | 269 | Caught first career touchdown in season-opening win over SD Mines |
| C | 54 | Ian McGurran | Sr. | 6-4 | 302 | Team captain has started 38 consecutive games for UND dating back to the season opener in 2009 at Texas Tech |
| RT | 76 | Darren Deneui | Jr. | 6-8 | 304 | Made first start of season at left tackle after starting first four on right side |

NOTEABLES: DEFENSE

| POS | No. | Name | Yr. | Ht. | Wt. | Notes |
|-----|-----|------------------|-----|------|-----|--|
| CB | 4 | Daryl Brown | So. | 5-10 | 163 | Returned to start against Sac State after missing game at San Diego State |
| CB | 17 | Chavon Mackey | Jr. | 5-9 | 174 | Had four tackles, including a half-tackle for a loss at Sac State |
| SS | 33 | Erik Mersereau | Sr. | 6-0 | 199 | Registered his second career interception at Sac State and first of season |
| FS | 30 | Clordion Kennedy | Jr. | 5-11 | 200 | Made a career-high seven tackles vs. Cal Poly |
| MLB | 53 | Garrison Goodman | Jr. | 6-2 | 223 | Leads team with 35 total tackles |
| MLB | 52 | Ben Peters | So. | 6-2 | 242 | Shares team lead with three QB hurries, second with 22 tackles |
| OLB | 34 | Cordero Finley | Jr. | 6-1 | 225 | Registered a career-high nine tackles to lead team at Sac State |
| OLB | 25 | Damon Andrews | Jr. | 6-4 | 226 | Named UND's Defensive Player of the Week for his efforts vs. Cal Poly |
| OLB | 22 | Myles Jablonski | So. | 6-2 | 223 | Leads team with two sacks, four tackles for a loss |
| DE | 98 | Ross Brenneman | Sr. | 6-4 | 266 | Equalled career-high with seven stops, including five solo vs. Cal Poly |
| DE | 45 | Jay Nelson | Sr. | 6-4 | 245 | Credited for six tackles, including three solo stops vs. Cal Poly |

NOTEABLES: SPECIAL TEAMS

| POS | No. | Name | Yr. | Ht. | Wt. | Notes |
|-----|-----|---------------|-----|-----|-----|--|
| P | 12 | Brett Cameron | Sr. | 6-1 | 194 | Averaged 47.4 yards per punt at Sac State en route to earning CFPA National Punter of the Week accolades |
| PK | 11 | Zeb Miller | Jr. | 6-1 | 218 | 21-for-21 on PATs this season and 5-for-7 on field goals |

2012 PRESEASON ACCOLADES

COLLEGE FOOTBALL PERFORMANCE AWARDS WATCH LISTS

Placekicker: Zeb Miller

Punter: Brett Cameron

Punt Returner: Erik Mersereau

Wide Receiver: Greg Hardin

Running Back: Jake Miller

PRESEASON ALL-BIG SKY

Wide Receiver: Greg Hardin

PHIL STEELE'S PRESEASON ALL-BIG SKY

First Team

Defensive End: Ross Brenneman

Punt Returner: Erik Mersereau

Second Team

Running Back: Jake Miller

Wide Receiver: Greg Hardin

BEYOND SPORTS COLLEGE NETWORK PRESEASON ALL-AMERICAN

Defensive End: Ross Brenneman (Third Team)

2012 REGULAR SEASON ACCOLADES

COLLEGE FOOTBALL PERFORMANCE AWARDS

National Performer of the Week: Marcus Hendrickson (Sept. 9)

National Quarterback of the Week: Marcus Hendrickson (Sept. 9)

HM National Quarterback of the Week: Marcus Hendrickson (Sept. 16)

National Wide Receiver of the Week: Greg Hardin (Sept. 9)

HM National Wide Receiver of the Week: Greg Hardin (Sept. 16)

HM National Placekicker of the Week: Zeb Miller (Sept. 9)

HM National Running Back of the Week: Jake Miller (Sept. 2)

National Punter of the Week: Brett Cameron (Sept. 23)

HM National Running Back of the Week: Mitch Sutton (Sept. 23)

COLLEGE SPORTING NEWS ALL STARS

Marcus Hendrickson (Sept. 10)

THE SPORTS NETWORK

Co-Offensive Player of the Week: Marcus Hendrickson (Sept. 10)

NCAA.COM

Offensive Player of the Week: Greg Hardin (Sept. 10)

ROOT SPORTS BIG SKY WEEKLY AWARDS

Co-Offensive Player of the Week: Marcus Hendrickson (Sept. 10)

SD MINES (1-4)

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| 8/30 | at North Dakota | L, 66-0 |
| 9/8 | Colorado Mines | L, 71-7 |
| 9/15 | at Jamestown | L, 17-14 (ot) |
| 9/22 | William Jewell | L, 48-21 |
| 9/29 | at Valley City State | W, 39-28 |
| 10/6 | at Missouri Southern | |
| 10/13 | Presentation | |
| 10/27 | Fort Hays State | |
| 11/3 | Nebraska-Keamey | |
| 11/10 | Missouri S&T | |
| 11/17 | at Black Hills State | |

PORTLAND STATE (1-4, 0-2 Big Sky)

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|-------|----------------------|----------|
| 9/1 | Carroll College | W, 38-20 |
| 9/8 | at North Dakota | L, 45-37 |
| 9/15 | at Washington | L, 52-13 |
| 9/22 | Southern Utah* | L, 49-42 |
| 9/29 | at Northern Arizona* | L, 24-10 |
| 10/6 | Idaho State* | |
| 10/20 | at Cal Poly* | |
| 10/27 | at UC Davis* | |
| 11/3 | Northern Colorado* | |
| 11/10 | at Montana State* | |
| 11/17 | Eastern Washington* | |

SAN DIEGO STATE (2-3, 0-1 MWC)

| | | |
|-------|-----------------|----------|
| 9/1 | at Washington | L, 21-12 |
| 9/8 | Army | W, 42-7 |
| 9/15 | North Dakota | W, 49-41 |
| 9/22 | San Jose State | L, 38-34 |
| 9/29 | at Fresno State | L, 52-40 |
| 10/6 | Hawaii | |
| 10/13 | Colorado State | |
| 10/20 | at Nevada | |
| 10/27 | UNLV | |
| 11/3 | at Boise State | |
| 11/10 | Air Force | |
| 11/24 | at Wyoming | |

SACRAMENTO STATE (3-2, 1-1 Big Sky)

| | | |
|-------|------------------------|----------|
| 8/30 | at New Mexico State | L, 49-19 |
| 9/8 | at Colorado | W, 30-28 |
| 9/15 | Northern Colorado | W, 28-17 |
| 9/22 | North Dakota* | L, 35-13 |
| 9/29 | at Idaho State* | W, 54-31 |
| 10/6 | at Southern Utah* | |
| 10/13 | Weber State* | |
| 10/20 | at Eastern Washington* | |
| 10/27 | Cal Poly* | |
| 11/3 | Montana State* | |
| 11/17 | at UC Davis* | |

CAL POLY (4-0, 2-0 Big Sky)

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|-------|------------------------|----------|
| 9/1 | San Diego | W, 41-14 |
| 9/15 | at Wyoming | W, 24-22 |
| 9/22 | UC Davis | W, 28-20 |
| 9/29 | at North Dakota* | W, 35-17 |
| 10/5 | at Weber State* | |
| 10/13 | Northern Colorado* | |
| 10/20 | Portland State* | |
| 10/27 | at Sacramento State* | |
| 11/3 | at Eastern Washington* | |
| 11/10 | Idaho State* | |
| 11/17 | at Northern Arizona* | |

EASTERN WASHINGTON (3-1, 2-0 Big Sky)

| | | |
|-------|---------------------|----------|
| 8/30 | at Idaho | W, 20-3 |
| 9/8 | at Washington State | L, 24-20 |
| 9/22 | at Weber State | W, 32-26 |
| 9/29 | Montana* | W, 32-26 |
| 10/6 | North Dakota* | |
| 10/13 | at Montana State* | |
| 10/20 | Sacramento State* | |
| 10/27 | at Southern Utah* | |
| 11/3 | Cal Poly* | |
| 11/10 | UC Davis* | |
| 11/17 | at Portland State* | |

NORTHERN ARIZONA (4-1, 2-0 Big Sky)

| | | |
|-------|-----------------------|----------|
| 8/30 | at Arizona State | L, 63-6 |
| 9/8 | at UNLV | W, 17-14 |
| 9/15 | Fort Lewis | W, 69-0 |
| 9/22 | at Montana* | W, 41-31 |
| 9/29 | Portland State* | W, 24-10 |
| 10/13 | at North Dakota* | |
| 10/20 | UC Davis* | |
| 10/27 | at Northern Colorado* | |
| 11/3 | at Idaho State* | |
| 11/10 | Southern Utah* | |
| 11/17 | Cal Poly* | |

MONTANA (2-3, 0-2 Big Sky)

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|-------|------------------------|----------|
| 9/1 | South Dakota | W, 35-24 |
| 9/8 | at Appalachian State | L, 35-27 |
| 9/15 | Liberty | W, 34-14 |
| 9/22 | Northern Arizona* | L, 41-31 |
| 9/29 | at Eastern Washington* | L, 32-26 |
| 10/6 | at Northern Colorado* | |
| 10/13 | Southern Utah* | |
| 10/20 | at North Dakota* | |
| 10/27 | Idaho State* | |
| 11/3 | at Weber State* | |
| 11/17 | Montana State* | |

MONTANA STATE (5-0, 2-0 Big Sky)

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|-------|----------------------|----------|
| 8/30 | Chadron State | W, 33-6 |
| 9/8 | at Drake | W, 34-24 |
| 9/15 | Stephen F. Austin | W, 43-35 |
| 9/22 | Northern Colorado* | W, 41-16 |
| 9/29 | at Southern Utah* | W, 24-17 |
| 10/6 | at UC Davis* | |
| 10/13 | Eastern Washington* | |
| 10/27 | North Dakota* | |
| 11/3 | at Sacramento State* | |
| 11/10 | Portland State* | |
| 11/17 | at Montana* | |

SOUTHERN UTAH (2-3, 0-2 Big Sky)

| | | |
|-------|----------------------|----------|
| 8/30 | at Utah State | L, 34-3 |
| 9/8 | at California | L, 50-31 |
| 9/15 | New Mexico Highlands | W, 45-23 |
| 9/22 | at Portland State* | W, 49-42 |
| 9/29 | Montana State* | L, 24-17 |
| 10/6 | Sacramento State* | |
| 10/13 | at Montana* | |
| 10/20 | Weber State* | |
| 10/27 | Eastern Washington* | |
| 11/3 | at North Dakota* | |
| 11/10 | at Northern Arizona* | |

NORTHERN COLORADO (1-3, 0-1 Big Sky)

| | | |
|-------|---------------------|----------|
| 8/30 | at Utah | L, 41-0 |
| 9/8 | Colorado Mesa | W, 40-3 |
| 9/15 | at Sacramento State | L, 28-17 |
| 9/22 | at Montana State* | L, 41-16 |
| 10/6 | Montana* | |
| 10/13 | at Cal Poly* | |
| 10/20 | Idaho State* | |
| 10/27 | Northern Arizona* | |
| 11/3 | at Portland State* | |
| 11/10 | at Weber State* | |
| 11/17 | North Dakota* | |

* Big Sky Games

**SERIES HISTORY WITH
2012 OPPONENTS****vs. SOUTH DAKOTA
SCHOOL OF MINES
(Thur., Aug.30)**

All-Time Record: First Meeting

**vs. PORTLAND STATE
(Sat., Sept. 8)**

All-Time Record: Series tied 1-1

Last Meeting: UND 17, PSU 10 (1970)

**at SAN DIEGO STATE
(Sat., Sept. 15)**

All-Time Record: First Meeting

**at SACRAMENTO STATE*
(Sat., Sept. 22)**

All-Time Record: UND leads 1-0

Last Meeting: UND 31, SAC ST 0 (1979)

**vs. CAL POLY*
(Sat., Sept. 29)**

All-Time Record: Series tied 2-2

Last Meeting: CP 23, UND 19 (2011)

**at EASTERN WASHINGTON*
(Sat., Oct. 6)**

All-Time Record: First Meeting

**vs. NORTHERN ARIZONA*
(Sat., Oct. 13)**

All-Time Record: NAU leads 2-0

Last Meeting: NAU 41, UND 0 (1985)

**vs. MONTANA*
(Sat., Oct. 20)**

All-Time Record: UM leads 11-7-1

Last Meeting: UM 27, UND 17 (2010)

**at MONTANA STATE*
(Sat., Oct. 27)**

All-Time Record: MSU leads 14-13-1

Last Meeting: UND 21, MSU 3 (1983)

**vs. SOUTHERN UTAH*
(Sat., Nov. 3)**

All-Time Record: SUU leads 3-1

Last Meeting: UND 26, SUU 20 (2011)

**at NORTHERN COLORADO*
(Sat., Nov. 17)**

All-Time Record: Series tied 12-12

Last Meeting: UND 27, NC 25

2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

BEAUTY IN BALANCE

The North Dakota offense is the only one in the FCS currently ranked in the top 30 in both passing offense (11th, 286.5/yppg) and rushing offense (28th, 191.8/yppg). UND is also the only team ranked in the top four in the Big Sky in both categories (3rd/PO and 4th/RO). The unit has combined those two efforts to rank sixth in the FCS in both scoring offense (40.8 ppg) and eighth in total offense (478.6 ypg).

THAT'S OUR SPECIALTY

FCS Blocked Kicks Leaders

| | |
|----------|------------------------|
| 6 | Bryant |
| 6 | Howard |
| 6 | Sacred Heart |
| 4 | North Dakota |
| 4 | Eastern Kentucky |
| 4 | Illinois State |
| 4 | Mississippi Valley St. |

North Dakota's special teams unit blocked three kicks against Portland State on Sept. 8 to pick up where it left off from last season after leading the FCS with 10 blocked kicks.

Since moving up to the Division I level in 2008, the UND special teams have a total of 30 blocks.

UND's Active Career Leaders

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|---|------------------|
| 4 | Devin Benjamin |
| 3 | Shea Walker |
| 3 | Cordero Finley |
| 1 | Ross Brenneman |
| 1 | Garrison Goodman |
| 1 | Casey Young |
| 1 | Mitch Sutton |

Offensive lineman Shea Walker added to UND's 2012 total when he got his paws on a field goal at Sac State (Sept. 22) to push the team's season total to four. Walker deflected a 52-yard field goal attempt as time expired in the first half for his third career block.

QUITE THE DEBUT

The North Dakota football team went out to California's capital city looking to make a statement on Sept. 22 and the team wearing all white uniforms did just that. UND defeated Sacramento State 35-13 in its Big Sky debut behind the powerful running of senior Mitch Sutton and a defense that forced three Hornet turnovers and stopped the Sac State offense on fourth down twice. The 22-point margin of victory was the highest-ever by a league team in its first Big Sky game dating back to the league's inception in 1963. Sutton rushed for 162 yards and saved the first three-touchdown game of his career for a historic day on UND's football timeline. Redshirt freshman Jameer Jackson also hauled in a pair of touchdown receptions to bring his season total to four - an amount that leads all FCS rookies.

HEY, I KNOW YOU

North Dakota is the not the only newcomer on the block in the Big Sky this season. The league added both UND and Southern Utah as all-sport playing members this past summer, while Cal Poly - today's opponent - and UC Davis were added as football-playing only members. All four of those teams spent the last four seasons playing in the Great West. Southern Utah and Cal Poly also won their Big Sky debuts last Saturday. The Thunderbirds rallied from an 18-point deficit to defeat Portland State 49-42, while the Mustangs also rallied from a double-digit deficit to knock off UC Davis 28-20 on their home turf.

MAGIC CARPET RIDE

- UND is 64-13 in 11 seasons at the Alerus Center, including a 10-0 mark in the DII playoffs.
- Head coach Chris Mussman is 18-6 all-time at UND's home facility and improved to 3-0 in season openers at the Alerus thanks to the 66-0 victory over SD Mines on Aug. 30.
- In those 18 home wins under Mussman's guidance, UND is averaging 32.0 ppg and the team is 16-1 at home when scoring 20 or more points.

2012 PRESEASON POLLS FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP SUBDIVISION

FCS COACHES POLL

| | | | | |
|-----|-------------------------|-----|-----|----|
| 1. | North Dakota State (26) | 4-0 | 650 | 1 |
| 2. | Montana State | 5-0 | 616 | 2 |
| 3. | Youngstown State | 4-0 | 597 | 3 |
| 4. | Old Dominion | 5-0 | 578 | 4 |
| 5. | Wofford | 4-0 | 534 | 5 |
| 6. | James Madison | 3-1 | 506 | 6 |
| 7. | Eastern Washington | 3-1 | 486 | 7 |
| 8. | Georgia Southern | 3-1 | 450 | 9 |
| 9. | Sam Houston State | 2-2 | 415 | 10 |
| 10. | Lehigh | 5-0 | 406 | 11 |
| 11. | Illinois State | 5-0 | 396 | 12 |
| 12. | Towson | 2-2 | 315 | 13 |
| 13. | Stony Brook | 4-1 | 309 | 18 |
| 14. | Appalachian State | 3-2 | 294 | 16 |
| 15. | Delaware | 4-1 | 278 | 8 |
| 16. | Eastern Kentucky | 4-1 | 241 | 19 |
| 17. | New Hampshire | 3-2 | 227 | 22 |
| 18. | McNeese State | 4-1 | 198 | 21 |
| 19. | Cal Poly | 4-0 | 167 | 23 |
| 20. | Central Arkansas | 3-2 | 121 | 14 |
| 21. | Northern Arizona | 4-1 | 117 | NR |
| 22. | The Citadel | 3-2 | 114 | 15 |
| 23. | Harvard | 3-0 | 108 | 24 |
| 24. | Tennessee State | 5-0 | 82 | NR |
| 25. | Northern Iowa | 1-4 | 60 | 17 |

Others Receiving Votes: Albany (59), Montana (35), Alabama A&M (20), South Dakota State (18), Jacksonville State (12), Indiana State (10), Stephen F. Austin (9), Samford (7), **North Dakota (7)**, Eastern Illinois (5), Villanova (3).

SPORTS NETWORK/FATHEAD.COM POLL

| | | | | |
|-----|--------------------------|-----|------|----|
| 1. | North Dakota State (156) | 4-0 | 4204 | 1 |
| 2. | Montana State (6) | 5-0 | 3974 | 2 |
| 3. | Youngstown State (7) | 4-0 | 3857 | 3 |
| 4. | Old Dominion | 5-0 | 3691 | 4 |
| 5. | James Madison | 3-1 | 3380 | 5 |
| 6. | Wofford | 4-0 | 3321 | 6 |
| 7. | Eastern Washington | 3-1 | 3157 | 7 |
| 8. | Georgia Southern | 3-1 | 2663 | 10 |
| 9. | Illinois State | 5-0 | 2602 | 13 |
| 9. | Sam Houston State | 2-2 | 2602 | 9 |
| 11. | Lehigh Mountain | 5-0 | 2120 | 15 |
| 12. | Towson | 2-2 | 2076 | 12 |
| 13. | Stony Brook | 4-1 | 2036 | 18 |
| 14. | New Hampshire | 3-2 | 1847 | 20 |
| 15. | Appalachian State | 3-2 | 1789 | 17 |
| 16. | Delaware | 4-1 | 1697 | 8 |
| 17. | Eastern Kentucky | 4-1 | 1479 | 19 |
| 18. | Northern Arizona | 4-1 | 1234 | 22 |
| 19. | The Citadel | 3-2 | 1192 | 11 |
| 20. | Cal Poly | 4-0 | 1172 | 23 |
| 21. | McNeese State | 4-1 | 723 | 24 |
| 22. | Northern Iowa | 1-4 | 691 | 14 |
| 23. | South Dakota State | 4-1 | 618 | 25 |
| 24. | Central Arkansas | 3-2 | 602 | 16 |
| 25. | Harvard | 3-0 | 426 | NR |

Others receiving votes: Tennessee State 400, Albany 266, Montana 261, Stephen F. Austin 119, Samford 119, Alabama A&M 114, Villanova 102, Indiana State 67, **North Dakota 56**, Richmond 47, Jacksonville State 32, Eastern Illinois 27, Bethune-Cookman 25, UT Martin 25, Sacramento State 23, Chattanooga 22, Tennessee Tech 19, Howard 13, Southern Utah 8, Jacksonville 8, Southeastern Louisiana 6, Duquesne 5, Brown 4, Lafayette 2, Arkansas-Pine Bluff 1, South Dakota 1.

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THE NEXT OPPONENT: EASTERN WASHINGTON

The Eagles are coming off their second straight Big Sky win by the identical score of 32-26. Even though the scores were the same, the route taken to secure the wins were quite the opposite. In their Big Sky opener at Weber State on Sept. 22, the Eagles nearly saw an 18-point lead in the third quarter evaporate. Last Saturday against rival Montana, the Eagles were the ones rallying, this time successfully, as they scored 15 points in the final two minutes to erase what once was a nine-point deficit in the final stanza.

Redshirt freshman Vernon Adams was named the Big Sky ROOT Sports Offensive Player of the Week for his efforts in leading the Eagles' comeback. The rookie signal caller threw for 353 yards and a trio of scores in just his second career start. He was also named the The Sports Network National Co-Freshman of the Week.

Adams and SMU transfer Kyle Padron have split the quarterbacking duties through the first five games of the season with Adams getting the start in the last two games. Padron relieved Adams at Weber State and threw for 154 yards and a touchdown, but did not see any action against the Griz.

The duo is trying to fill the shoes of Bo Levi Mitchell, who won the Walter Payton Award in 2011 after throwing for 4,009 yards and 33 touchdowns. Mitchell led the Eagles to the 2010 FCS National Championship, but after an 0-4 start last season, Eastern was left out of the playoff mix in 2011.

Senior Brandon Kaufman has returned to his old form after missing the 2011 season. He caught 76 passes for 1,214 yards and 15 touchdowns during the national title season in 2010. He currently leads the Big Sky in receiving yards with 554 and is averaging a league-best 138.5 ypg. His five receiving scores trail only UND's Greg Hardin, who has seven. Senior Nicholas Edwards, who was Mitchell's go-to-guy in 2011 (school-record 95 catches for 1,250 yards and an FCS-leading 19 receiving touchdowns) injured a knee at Weber State and did not play against Montana. He had seven catches for 124 yards in three games prior to the injury.

Defensively, Eastern Washington is one of three Big Sky teams currently allowing 20 points or less on the season. The Eagles' defense ranks third (19.8 ppg) in scoring defense, but eighth in total defense (391.8 ypg). Montana rushed for 407 yards in last week's setback, which surpassed the total of 361 yards the Eagles allowed on the ground in their first three games combined.

HISTORY OF THE SERIES

This will be the first meeting between these two schools on the gridiron.

DID YOU KNOW?

- The North Dakota football team is not the only athletic team from the university visiting Cheney, Wash. this week. The volleyball team plays a match against the Eagles on Thursday, while the soccer team will play in town on Friday.
- Eastern Washington defeated Delaware 20-19 for the school's first National Championship in 2010.
- The red artificial playing surface at Roos Field was installed in 2010 following a \$500,000 contribution from Michael and Katherine Roos. Roos entered the 2012 NFL season having started 176 consecutive games at right tackle for the Tennessee Titans. The field at Eastern Washington was renamed in his honor after spending the first 73 years of its existence as Woodward Field.

BIG PLAY TRACKER (plays of 20+ yards)

| Opponent | Play | Yardage (TD) |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| Portland State | Hardin reception from Hendrickson | 66 (TD) |
| Cal Poly | Golladay reception from Hendrickson | 55 |
| San Diego State | Hardin reception from Hendrickson | 53 (TD) |
| Sac State | Miller rush | 51 |
| Portland State | Hardin reception from Hendrickson | 49 (TD) |
| SD Mines | Sparks rush | 45 |
| SD Mines | Hardin reception from Hendrickson | 44 (TD) |
| SD Mines | Hardin reception from Hanson | 43 |
| SD Mines | Miller rush | 40 |
| SD Mines | Miller rush | 36 (TD) |
| San Diego State | Hardin reception from Hendrickson | 36 (TD) |
| San Diego State | McGill reception from Hendrickson | 36 |
| SD Mines | Miller rush | 35 |
| Portland State | Jackson reception from Hendrickson | 34 (TD) |
| Portland State | Brown kickoff return | 33 |
| San Diego State | Sutton reception from Hendrickson | 33 |
| San Diego State | Golladay reception from Hendrickson | 32 |
| Sac State | Jackson reception from Hendrickson | 32 (TD) |
| Sac State | Sutton rush | 32 |
| Cal Poly | McGill reception from Hendrickson | 32 |
| San Diego State | Jackson reception from Hendrickson | 31 |
| Sac State | Sutton rush | 29 |
| Portland State | Hardin kickoff return | 28 |
| Portland State | Brown kickoff return | 27 |
| Portland State | Hardin reception from Hendrickson | 27 |
| Portland State | Hardin reception from Hendrickson | 26 (TD) |
| Portland State | Bridges kickoff return | 25 |
| SD Mines | Jackson reception from Hanson | 24 (TD) |
| SD Mines | Sutton rush | 24 |
| San Diego State | Jackson reception from Hendrickson | 22 |
| Sac State | Sutton rush | 22 |
| Cal Poly | Hardin reception from Hendrickson | 22 |
| SD Mines | McGill reception from Hanson | 21 |
| Portland State | Brown kickoff return | 21 |
| San Diego State | McGill reception from Hendrickson | 20 |
| Sac State | Jackson reception from Hendrickson | 20 (TD) |
| Sac State | Sutton rush | 20 |

BIG PLAY TRACKER (plays of 20+ yards)

| Player | # of Plays | Touchdowns (yardage) |
|--------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Marcus Hendrickson | 19 (completions) | 9 (66, 49, 26, 34, 44, 53, 36, 32, 20) |
| Greg Hardin | 10 (9 receptions, 1 KOR) | 6 (66, 26, 49, 44, 53, 36) |
| Mitch Sutton | 6 (5 rush, 1 reception) | 0 |
| Jameer Jackson | 6 (receptions) | 4 (24, 34, 32, 20) |
| Jake Miller | 4 (rushes) | 1 (36) |
| R.J. McGill | 4 (receptions) | 0 |
| Braden Hanson | 3 (completions) | 1 (24) |
| Daryl Brown | 3 (KORs) | 0 |
| Kenny Golladay | 2 (receptions) | 0 |
| Romon Bridges | 1 (KOR) | 0 |
| P.J. Sparks | 1 (rush) | 0 |

FIRST HALF FRIGHT

The North Dakota football team is averaging 24.2 ppg in the opening halves of the first five games of the season. The offense has churned out 121 points and scored 16 of its 27 touchdowns in the opening 30 minutes of those games. Last season, UND scored a total of 161 first-half points (14.6/g).

OVER HALFWAY THERE

The regular season record for touchdown passes in a season is 24 set by current running backs coach Danny Freund in 2007. Senior Marcus Hendrickson is over halfway there with 14 just five games into the season. His total of 14 is tied for third among FCS quarterbacks.

STILL RUN FIRST

Despite racking up nearly 1,500 yards through the air in the first five games, the UND offense has still attempted more runs (191) than passes (151) this season. That should come as little surprise for a program that has never attempted more passes than rushes in a season. What

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is surprising is the passing touchdown to rushing touchdown ratio through the first five games. UND's two fifth-year senior quarterbacks have thrown 16 scoring tosses, while the ground game has accounted for 10. Last season, junior Jake Miller led a ground unit that posted 19 rushing scores to only 12 scores by the UND signal callers.

KLEINSASSER ENSHRINED

Former North Dakota great and Minnesota Viking standout Jim Kleinsasser became the 98th football player in school history to be inducted into the UND Letterwinners Athletics Hall of Fame to the kickoff with Cal Poly on Sept. 29. Kleinsasser wrapped up his impressive career at UND in 1998 before being drafted by the Vikings in the second round of the 1999 NFL Draft. He retired in 2011 after 13 seasons with the Purple and Gold and still remains the highest-drafted player in UND history. He was inducted into the North Dakota Sports Hall of Fame in 2008.

CAMERON HONORED BY CFPA

Senior punter Brett Cameron became the third North Dakota football player to earn national recognition from College Football Performance Awards this season after the organization named him its National Punter of the Week on Sept. 23. Cameron joined quarterback Marcus Hendrickson (Sept. 9 vs. Portland State) and wide receiver Greg Hardin (Sept. 9 vs. Portland State) in being named the top player at their respective positions in a given week. He averaged 47.4 yards per punt on five attempts, pinning three inside the 20-yard line and booting two of 50-plus yards.

HENDRICKSON, HARDIN MAKE HISTORY

Senior Marcus Hendrickson threw for 434 yards in the 49-41 loss to San Diego State, which was the second highest single-game total in UND history. He also became the first quarterback in school history to throw 10 total touchdown passes in back-to-back games. Three of his four touchdown passes went to junior Greg Hardin, who became the first player in school history to register back-to-back games with three touchdown receptions. Hardin now has 19 career receiving touchdowns in just 23 games, which is tied for the third most by a UND player in program history. Hardin equaled his career-high with eight catches and finished with his third straight and seventh career 100-yard receiving game (142 yards). He currently leads the FCS with seven receiving touchdowns and 42 points scored.

A week after netting the College Football Performance Awards National Quarterback and Wide Receiver of the Week, the duo were honorable mention honorees this week for those same awards following their efforts at San Diego State.

NICKNAME HISTORY

The University of North Dakota boasts a proud history of varsity athletics nicknames. UND's first official athletics nickname was the "Flickertails," although its origin remains somewhat a mystery. The nickname made its first public appearance in a *Grand Forks Herald* account of UND's football loss to Minnesota on Oct. 8, 1904, 15 years after UND's first athletics contest was played. According to Lee Bohnet's *A Century of UND Sports*, "The author was not identified, but there is strong evidence the nickname was coined by a Minneapolis sportswriter who may have covered the game for the Herald. The writer lauded the fighting spirit of the North Dakota players."

In 1911, UND's student body officially adopted "Flickertails" as its athletics nickname. UND would remain known as the "Flickertails" (as well, unofficially, as the "Nodaks") for a third of a century, establishing an early athletics history.

In the fall of 1930, the university adopted the nickname "Sioux" for its varsity teams following a successful renaming campaign by the *Dakota Student*, UND's student newspaper. The word "Fighting" was later added, and UND would be known as the "Fighting Sioux" until the summer of 2012.

The university utilized several "Fighting Sioux" logos throughout the decades, perhaps most notably the green geometric logo introduced in 1976 and the most recent full-color logo was unveiled in 1999. The former was designed by an artist at the UND News Bureau, while the latter was created by noted Native American artist and UND alum Bennett Brien.

The University of North Dakota officially retired its longtime "Fighting Sioux" nickname and logo prior to the 2012-13 athletics season.

UND's varsity athletics teams will operate without an official nickname until 2015, when the university will undertake the process of adopting the third official nickname in school history. Until 2015, the university's varsity athletics teams will be referred to as "the University of North Dakota," "North Dakota," or "UND."

BIG SKY CONFERENCE FOOTBALL STANDINGS

| Team | BIG SKY GAMES | | | | | | ALL GAMES | | | | | |
|------------------|---------------|---|-------|----|----|---|-----------|-------|-----|-----|--------|--|
| | W | L | PCT. | PF | PA | W | L | PCT. | PF | PA | Streak | |
| Montana State | 2 | 0 | 1.000 | 65 | 33 | 5 | 0 | 1.000 | 175 | 98 | W5 | |
| Cal Poly | 2 | 0 | 1.000 | 63 | 37 | 4 | 0 | 1.000 | 128 | 73 | W4 | |
| Northern Arizona | 2 | 0 | 1.000 | 65 | 41 | 4 | 1 | .800 | 157 | 118 | W4 | |
| E. Washington | 2 | 0 | 1.000 | 64 | 52 | 3 | 1 | .750 | 104 | 79 | W2 | |
| North Dakota | 1 | 1 | .500 | 52 | 48 | 3 | 2 | .600 | 204 | 134 | L1 | |
| Sac State | 1 | 1 | .500 | 67 | 66 | 3 | 2 | .600 | 144 | 160 | W1 | |
| Southern Utah | 1 | 1 | .500 | 66 | 66 | 2 | 3 | .400 | 145 | 173 | L1 | |
| UC Davis | 1 | 1 | .500 | 57 | 41 | 2 | 3 | .400 | 119 | 101 | W1 | |
| Idaho State | 0 | 1 | .000 | 31 | 54 | 1 | 3 | .250 | 97 | 181 | L2 | |
| Montana | 0 | 2 | .000 | 57 | 73 | 2 | 3 | .400 | 153 | 146 | L2 | |
| Northern Colo. | 0 | 2 | .000 | 16 | 41 | 1 | 3 | .250 | 73 | 113 | L2 | |
| Portland State | 0 | 2 | .000 | 52 | 73 | 1 | 4 | .200 | 140 | 190 | L3 | |
| Weber State | 0 | 2 | .000 | 39 | 69 | 0 | 5 | .000 | 83 | 186 | L5 | |

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Friday, Oct. 5

*\$ - (20) Cal Poly at Weber State

Saturday, Oct. 6

* - Montana at Northern Colorado (ROOT)

* - (2) Montana State at UC Davis (ROOT)

*\$ - Idaho State at Portland State

*\$ - North Dakota at (7) Eastern Washington

*\$ - Sacramento State at Southern Utah

\$ - Game available at www.BigSkyTV.org

* - Denotes Big Sky Conference game

LAST WEEKS RESULTS

Saturday, Sept. 29

Sacramento State 54, Idaho State 31

(2) Montana State 24, Southern Utah 17

(22) Northern Arizona 24, Portland State 10

(7) Eastern Washington 32, Montana 26

(23) Cal Poly 35, North Dakota 17

UC Davis 37, Weber State 13

UND SPORTS EXTRA 2012-13

University of North Dakota fans can enjoy weekly highlights, interviews and features courtesy of the UND Sports Extra television show on Midco Sports Network.

UND Sports Extra made its 2012-13 debut on Tuesday, Aug. 28 at 7 p.m. CT and will air each Tuesday throughout the athletics season. The 30-minute show will feature highlights, interviews and special features on all UND teams, with Dan Hammer, the voice of UND Sports, serving as host.

HEAVE IT TO HARDIN

Junior Greg Hardin moved into a tie for third place on the UND's regular season charts for career touchdowns and into a tie for fourth on the overall all-time charts (playoffs included) following his second consecutive three-touchdown effort at San Diego State on Sept. 15. His trio of scores pushed his career total to 19.

HERE IS A CLOSER LOOK AT HARDIN'S FIVE-GAME RUN TO OPEN 2012:

- Has 24 catches for 495 yards and ranks in a tie for second in the FCS with seven touchdowns.
- Leads the Big Sky with those seven receiving touchdowns and ranks second in the league with those 495 receiving yards.
- Hardin's 99.0 receiving yards per game average is 11th among FCS wideouts and second in the Big Sky.
- Posted a career-high 190-yard receiving game vs. Portland State (Sept. 8), which was the seventh highest single-game receiving total in UND history.
- With 38 receiving yards vs. Cal Poly, moved into sixth on UND's all-time receiving yardage charts with 1,780. He bumped his receiving coach -- Luke Schleusner -- from that list earlier this season.
- All of Hardin's 1,780 yards have come in the regular season, which puts him seventh on that list.
- The 100-yard receiving game against the Aztecs was the seventh of his career. He opened the season with three-consecutive 100-yard receiving games, marking the first time in his career he had achieved that.
- The three-touchdown contest against San Diego State was the third of Hardin's career and second in a row. As a redshirt freshman, Hardin hauled in a trio of touchdown passes vs. Northwestern State. Hardin owns three of the eight three-touchdown receiving games in UND history.
- Hardin's eight receptions against the Aztecs also equalled his career-high set in 2011 at Northern Colorado (Oct. 29).
- Hardin made a 27-yard circus catch in the second quarter of the Portland State contest that led to one of five first-half touchdowns for his team. Hardin climbed over a six-foot-four PSU defensive back to make that grab, which was voted the No. 2 play on Sports Center's Top Plays of the Day.

CAREER TD RECEPTIONS

Regular season and Playoff games

| | |
|---|-----------|
| 1. Weston Dressler (2004-07)..... | 37 |
| 2. Dan Graf (1997-2001)..... | 24 |
| 3. Jeff McElroy (1994-95)..... | 20 |
| 4. Greg Hardin (2010-pres.)..... | 19 |
| Jesse Smith (1999-2002)..... | 19 |
| Tracy Martin (1984-86)..... | 19 |
| Ron Gustafson (1971-74)..... | 19 |

CAREER TD RECEPTIONS

Regular Season games only

| | |
|---|-----------|
| 1. Weston Dressler (2004-07)..... | 37 |
| 2. Dan Graf (1997-2001)..... | 24 |
| 3. Greg Hardin (2010-pres.)..... | 19 |
| Jeff McElroy (1994-95)..... | 19 |
| Tracy Martin (1984-86)..... | 19 |

CAREER RECEIVING YARDS

Regular Season and Playoff games

| | |
|---|--------------|
| 1. Weston Dressler (2004-07)..... | 3,382 |
| 2. Brady Trenbeath (2006-08)..... | 2,341 |
| 3. Ron Gustafson (1971-74)..... | 2,281 |
| 4. Jesse Smith (1999-2002)..... | 2,124 |
| 5. Dan Graf (1997-2001)..... | 1,979 |
| 6. Dan Grossman (2002-05)..... | 1,972 |
| 7. Greg Hardin (2010-pres.)..... | 1,780 |

CAREER RECEIVING YARDS

Regular Season games only

| | |
|---|--------------|
| 1. Weston Dressler (2004-07)..... | 2,919 |
| 2. Ron Gustafson (1971-74)..... | 2,243 |
| 3. Brady Trenbeath (2006-08)..... | 1,939 |
| 4. Jesse Smith (1999-2002)..... | 1,861 |
| 5. Dan Graf (1997-2001)..... | 1,838 |
| 6. Greg Hardin (2010-pres.)..... | 1,780 |

HENDRICKSON, HARDIN IN THE NAT'L SPOTLIGHT (WEEK 2)

Senior quarterback Marcus Hendrickson and junior wide receiver Greg Hardin shared the national spotlight in the FCS ranks following their record-breaking efforts in a 45-37 victory over Portland State (Sept. 8). Hendrickson was named the National Performer of the Week and Quarterback of the Week by College Football Performance Awards. He was also named the ROOT SPORTS Big Sky Co-Offensive Player of the Week and *The Sports Network* Co-Offensive Player of the Week. He was also named a National All Star by *The College Sporting News*. In his first career start, the right-handed signal caller went 16-for-25 for 294 yards and tied the UND single-game record with six touchdown passes. Five of those came in the first half. He also led the team with 50 yards rushing. Hardin was named the Wide Receiver Performer of the Week by College Football Performance Awards and also earned the NCAA.com Offensive Player of the Week accolade. Hardin equaled his career-highs in receiving touchdowns (three), while eclipsing his career-high with 190 receiving yards (six catches).

DOWN RIGHT OFFENSIVE

- The North Dakota offense churned out a school record 653 yards of total offense last Thursday in the team's 66-0 season-opening win over South Dakota School of Mines. It was the most lopsided victory in program history since a 69-0 victory in 1972 over Morningside in North Central Conference play.
- Only Old Dominion, who totalled 723 yards in a 57-23 victory over Duquesne, had more yardage at the FCS level in week one.
- Four different running backs churned out 370 yards on the ground, which was the fifth most by a FCS team in the opening week. Junior Jake Miller led the quartet with a 178-yard effort on only 12 carries. He averaged 14.8 yards per tote, which was second among FCS running backs with double-digit carries (Indiana State's Ezayi Youyouete, 14.9/c; 11 for 164).
- Redshirt freshman P.J. Sparks rushed for 97 yards and a touchdown in his collegiate debut. He reeled off the longest play from scrimmage for UND with a 45-yard scamper in the fourth quarter.
- Eight players accounted for the nine touchdowns scored by UND with senior running back Mitch Sutton being the only one to score twice.
- The 66 points were the most in the Division I era by a UND team.

PASSING FANCY

The quarterbacking duo of Braden Hanson and Marcus Hendrickson combined to put up the most efficient passing game in UND football history in the season opener versus South Dakota School of Mines. The fifth-year senior duet went 18-for-20 for 283 yards and four touchdowns to post a combined passer rating of 274.86. Hanson started things off by connecting on 13 of his 14 passes for 188 yards and two touchdowns. His only incomplection was on a throw away to avoid a sack. Hanson's passer rating of 252.80 was the best single-game effort at the FCS level in week one. Hendrickson relieved Hanson midway through the second quarter and also only missed on one of his passes (six attempts). He finished with 95 yards, including a 44-yard scoring strike to Greg Hardin that was the first of his career. He added an 11-yard scoring toss to Blair Townsend to cap a 31-point second quarter.

FATHER-SON LINEAGE

Seniors Ian McGurran and Ross Brenneman will serve as the permanent team captains for the 2012 season. Both players were voted captains of the 2011 squad at the conclusion of the season as well. What made the designation even more special for McGurran is that his father, John, also served as a football captain on the 1982 UND team. The McGurrans become just the second father-son tandem to serve as UND captains after Glenn "Red" Jarrett and his son, James, were both captains as well. The elder Jarrett was a captain on the 1930 team, while James served as a captain for the 1959 team. McGurran is the

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only player on the 2012 roster to have started all 34 games since the start of the 2009 season. Brenneman has started 32 of 34 games.

FIRST TIME STARTERS

There were several veterans in the starting lineup on both sides of the ball in the season opener versus South Dakota School of Mines, but there were also a handful of first-time starters on those units. On offense, senior quarterback Braden Hanson, left guard Brandon Anderson and wide receiver Jameer Jackson all made their first career starts. While, defensively, middle linebackers Ben Peters and Brian Otto and safeties Baylee Carr and Will Lewis all made their first career starts. Three more players made their first career starts against Portland State as well. Junior Garrison Goodman got the nod at middle linebacker and was impressive with a career-high 12 tackles. Strong safety Erik Mersereau also started his first game, while, on offense, fifth-year senior Marcus Hendrickson finally got a turn behind center and flourished in his first career start. At San Diego State, two more UND players made their first career starts for the Green and White. On offense, wide receiver Kenny Golladay started in the four-wide receiver set, while on defense, Clordion Kennedy got the nod at free safety. Sophomore Shea Walker made his first career start at left guard vs. Cal Poly in place of the injured Emmett Lynch.

NEW FACES, OLD PLACES

UND will be in a new league this season and with that usually comes new opponents, but the Green and White have actually played eight of the nine Big Sky teams on its docket. The only new opponent in that bunch is Eastern Washington - the 2010 FCS National Champion. There are two more new opponents on the schedule, but SD Mines and San Diego State are both non-conference tilts. Portland State, who is a Big Sky member, is the other non-conference game, but UND has played the Vikings twice before. Montana and Montana State are old North Central Conference rivalries that will be renewed with the membership in the BSC. UND has played Montana State 28 times and Montana 19 times before on the gridiron. The UND gridders will play those schools on back-to-back Saturdays in October this season.

COACHING STAFF SHUFFLE

Head coach Chris Mussman's assistant coaching staff stayed in tact for the most part with only three new additions being added to the fold. Wes Nurse will coach the cornerbacks and joins the staff after one season in the same role at UC Davis. Jeff Richter, a former UND defensive lineman, will begin his first season in 2012 as the team's tight ends coach. Kyle Myers, who was a volunteer assistant in 2010 returns in a paid capacity and will assist with the linebackers. Mike Mannausau will have a new title to work with in 2012 as he was promoted to associate head coach and will be the sole defensive coordinator this season. Josh Kotelnicki was named assistant head coach during the summer and has added that title to his role as the linebackers coach and special teams coordinator. Luke Schleusner will coach the position he played at UND as he moves over from coaching the tight ends and fullbacks to directing the wide receivers.

BIG TIME TURNAROUND

North Dakota made its final season in the Great West a memorable one as the team flipped its record from 2010, improving by five games to finish 8-3 overall and finish ranked in a national poll for the first time in its Division I history (No. 23; Sports Network/Fathead.com Poll). It was the third best turnaround in program history. Head coach Chris Mussman earned GWC Coach of the Year honors and was also a finalist for the Liberty Mutual and Eddie Robinson FCS Coach of the Year Awards.

BIG TIME TURNAROUND - ROAD TRIP STYLE

UND went winless on the road in 2010, dropping all five games away from the Alerus Center. However, in 2011, the story was a little different away from home as UND went 3-2 with all three of those wins coming

NORTH DAKOTA PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

SOUTH DAKOTA SCHOOL OF MINES (W, 66-0; Aug. 30)

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| Offensive Player of the Week | Jake Miller (Jr., RB) |
| Defensive Player of the Week | Garrison Goodman (Jr., LB) |
| Special Teams Player of the Week | Romon Bridges (RFR., WR) |
| Block of the Week | Mitch Sutton (Sr., RB) |
| Hit of the Week | Jay Nelson (Sr., DE) |
| Offensive Scout of the Week | Kodee Varner (Fr., RB) |
| Defensive Scout of the Week | Myles Jablonski (So., LB) |

PORTLAND STATE (W, 45-37; Sept. 8)

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| Offensive Player of the Week | Marcus Hendrickson (Sr., QB) Greg Hardin (Jr., WR) |
| Defensive Player of the Week | Garrison Goodman (Jr., LB) |
| Special Teams Player of the Week | Casey Young (RFR., WR) |
| Block of the Week | Kenny Golladay (Fr., WR) Mitch Sutton (Sr., RB) |
| Hit of the Week | Garrison Goodman (Jr., LB) |
| Golden Block | Ross Brenneman (Sr., DE) Garrison Goodman (Jr., LB) Casey Young (RFR., WR) |
| Offensive Scout of the Week | Pat Brown (RFR., WR) |
| Defensive Scout of the Week | Alec Carrothers (Fr., DE) |

SAN DIEGO STATE (L, 49-41; Sept. 15)

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| Offensive Player of the Week | Marcus Hendrickson (Sr., QB) Greg Hardin (Jr., WR) |
| Special Teams Player of the Week | Tyrhe Ivery (So., WR) |
| Block of the Week | Emmett Lynch (Sr., OL) Darren Deneui (Jr., OL) |
| Hit of the Week | Garrison Goodman (Jr., LB) |
| Offensive Scout of the Week | Luke Mathewson (Fr., TE) |
| Defensive Scout of the Week | Devin Coyle (Fr., DE) |

SACRAMENTO STATE (W, 35-13; Sept. 22)

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| Offensive Player of the Week | Mitch Sutton (Sr., RB) |
| Defensive Player of the Week | Ross Brenneman (Sr., DE) |
| Special Teams Player of the Week | Brett Cameron (Sr., P) |
| Block of the Week | Ethan Magstadt (Sr., FB) Kenny Golladay (Fr., WR) |
| Hit of the Week | Jay Nelson (Sr., DE) |
| Golden Block | Shea Walker (So., OL) |
| Offensive Scout of the Week | Ross Windfeldt (RFR., OL) |
| Defensive Scout of the Week | Kyle Woodsmall (RFR., DL) |

CAL POLY (L, 35-17; Sept. 29)

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| Offensive Player of the Week | Kenny Golladay (Fr., WR) |
| Defensive Player of the Week | Damon Andrews (Jr., LB) |
| Special Teams Player of the Week | Taylor Grant (So., DS) |
| Block of the Week | Seth Nichols (Sr., TE) Brandon Anderson (RFR., OG) |
| Hit of the Week | Daryl Brown (So., DB) |
| Offensive Scout of the Week | Devin Coyle (Fr., DB) Pat Brown (RFR., WR) Kodee Varner (Fr., RB) |
| Defensive Scout of the Week | William James (So., DB) |

against current Big Sky members (Northern Colorado, Southern Utah and UC Davis).

SILVER TITLE

UND captured its 25th football conference title in program history when it defeated South Dakota 38-37 to earn a share of the Great West crown in last year's season finale. The league title was the team's first at the Division I level after winning 24 North Central Conference titles at the Division II level.

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BIG SKY COACHES WEEKLY TELECONFERENCE

Each Wednesday during the 2012 football season, the Big Sky Conference will hold a conference call with the 13 league coaches. To take part in the call, please contact Jon Kasper at 801.392.1978 x-16 or by e-mail at jkasper@bigskyconference.org. Kasper will provide you with the call-in number and password.

Schedule

10:00 a.m. MTN (9:00 PCT) – Rob Ash, Montana State
11:08 a.m. CT, 10:08 MTN (9:08 PCT) – Chris Mussman, North Dakota
10:16 a.m. MTN (9:16 PCT) – Ed Lamb, Southern Utah
10:24 a.m. MTN (9:24 PCT) – Jody Sears, Weber State
10:32 a.m. MTN (9:32 PCT) – Mike Kramer, Idaho State
10:40 a.m. MTN (9:40 PCT) – Mick Delaney, Montana
10:48 a.m. MTN (9:48 PCT) – Earnest Collins Jr., No. Colorado
10:56 a.m. MTN (9:56 PCT) – Jerome Souers, No. Arizona
11:04 a.m. MTN (10:04 PCT) – Nigel Burton, Portland State
11:12 a.m. MTN (10:12 PCT) – Marshall Sperbeck, Sac State
11:20 a.m. MTN (10:20 PCT) – Beau Baldwin, E. Washington
11:28 a.m. MTN (10:28 PCT) – Tim Walsh, Cal Poly
11:36 a.m. MTN (10:36 PCT) – Bob Biggs, UC Davis

2011 FOOTBALL ACCOLADES

GREAT WEST ALL-CONFERENCE

1st Team All-Conference

Greg Hardin, WR
Jake Miller, RB
Dan Hendrickson, LB

2nd Team All-Conference

Joe Kleason, OL
Connor McKendry, OL
Seth Wisthoff, TE
Zeb Miller, PK
Justin Belotti, DB
Ross Brenneman, DE

GWC COACH OF THE YEAR

Chris Mussman

GREAT WEST MEDIA

ALL-CONFERENCE

1st Team All-Conference

Greg Hardin, WR
Jake Miller, RB

2nd Team All-Conference Media

Joe Kleason, OL
Connor McKendry, OL
Ian McGurran, OL
Seth Wisthoff, TE
Zeb Miller, PK
Dan Hendrickson, LB

GWC COACH OF THE YEAR

Chris Mussman

The North Dakota football team collected more Great West Conference weekly honors than any other team in the conference last season with 12. Running back Jake Miller was the first player in league history to win the Offensive Player of the Week award three consecutive times. The team also had three weekly defensive honors and four special teams honors during the season.

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GENERAL

School..... University of North Dakota
 Location..... Grand Forks, ND (58202)
 Founded..... 1883
 Enrollment.....13,950 (Spring 2012)
 School Colors..... Kelly Green & White
 Home Arena (Capacity)..... Alerus Center (12,283)
 National Affiliation..... NCAA Division I
 Conference.....Big Sky
 President..... Dr. Robert Kelley
 Director of Athletics..... Brian Faison
 Senior Woman Administrator..... Daniella Irle
 Faculty Athletic Representative..... Sue Jenou
 Athletic Department..... (701) 777-2234
 Ticket Office..... (701) 777-0855
 Press Box.....(701) 792-1501/1502

HISTORY

First Year of Football..... 1894
 All-time Record.....615-371-30 (117 seasons)
 All-time DI Record..... 26-22 (four seasons)
 All-time DII Record.....589-349-30 (133 seasons)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach/Offensive Line..... Chris Mussman (Iowa State, 1990)
 Record at UND.....26-22 | .542 (four years)
 Career Record as Head Coach..... Same

Assoc. Head Coach/Def. Coord..... Mike Mannausau (9th season)
 Offensive Coordinator/QBs..... Greg Breitbach (7th season)
 Asst. Head Coach/Special Teams/LBs.....Josh Kotelnicki (7th season)
 Wide Receivers.....Luke Schleusner (2nd season)
 Defensive Backs..... Benny Boyd (2nd season)
 Running Backs..... Danny Freund (2nd season)
 Cornerbacks..... Wes Nurse (1st season)
 Tight Ends.....Jeff Richter (1st season)
 Asst. Linebackers..... Kyle Myers (2nd season)

SUPPORT STAFF

Athletic Trainer..... Steve Westereng (14th season)
 Assistant Athletic Trainer.....John Flatt (4th season)
 Strength & Conditioning.....Nate Baukol (10th season)
 Equipment Manager..... Dallas Kopp (12th season)
 Equipment Manager..... Travis Kahlbaugh (10th season)
 Administrative Assistant.....Cindy Klug (22nd season)

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Overall Record.....8-3
 2011 Home Record.....5-1
 2011 Away Record.....3-2
 2011 Neutral Record.....0-0
 2011 GWC Record/Finish..... 3-1 | T-1st
 Starters Returning/Lost..... 15/9
 Offense: 8/3
 Defense: 5/6
 Specialists: 2/0
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost..... 37/13
 Offense: 18/8
 Defense: 17/5
 Specialists: 2/0

2011 RESULTS

| DATE | OPPONENT (2011 Record) | RESULT | ATTEN | RECORD |
|-------|------------------------------|----------|--------|----------|
| 09/01 | Drake (9-2, 7-1) | W, 16-0 | 8,484 | 1-0, 0-0 |
| 09/10 | at Idaho (2-10, 1-6) | L, 44-14 | 10,608 | 1-1, 0-0 |
| 09/17 | at Fresno State (4-9, 3-4) | L, 27-22 | 27,542 | 1-2, 0-0 |
| 09/24 | Black Hills State (3-7) | W, 53-19 | 8,545 | 2-2, 0-0 |
| 10/01 | at Southern Utah* (6-5, 1-3) | W, 26-20 | 4,987 | 3-2, 1-0 |
| 10/08 | Montana Western (2-8) | W, 42-9 | 6,407 | 4-2, 1-1 |
| 10/22 | Cal Poly* (6-5, 3-1) | L, 23-19 | 9,930 | 4-3, 1-1 |
| 10/29 | at No. Colorado (0-11, 0-8) | W, 27-25 | 3,171 | 5-3, 2-1 |
| 11/05 | Sioux Falls (5-4) | W, 15-13 | 6,279 | 6-3, 2-1 |
| 11/12 | at UC Davis* (4-7, 1-3) | W, 14-7 | 7,726 | 7-3, 2-1 |
| 11/19 | South Dakota* (6-5, 2-2) | W, 38-37 | 7,400 | 8-3, 3-1 |

Home games listed in **BOLD**

* denotes Great West Conference games

UND'S OFFENSIVE STARTING LINEUPS

| Date | Opponent | RT | RG | C | LG | LT | WR | WR | TE/WR | QB | RB | FB/TE/WR |
|-------|------------------------|---------|----------|----------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|-------------|--------|----------|
| 8/30 | SD Mines | Deneui | Gillson | McGurran | Anderson | Lynch | Hardin | McGill | Jackson | Hanson | Miller | Wisthoff |
| 9/8 | Portland State | Deneui | Gillson | McGurran | Anderson | Lynch | Hardin | McGill | Wisthoff | Hendrickson | Miller | Magstadt |
| 9/15 | at San Diego State | Deneui | Gillson | McGurran | Anderson | Lynch | Hardin | McGill | Jackson | Hendrickson | Miller | Golladay |
| 9/22 | at Sacramento State* | Deneui | Gillson | McGurran | Anderson | Lynch | Hardin | McGill | Wisthoff | Hendrickson | Miller | Magstadt |
| 9/29 | Cal Poly* | Gillson | Anderson | McGurran | Walker | Deneui | Hardin | McGill | Wisthoff | Hendrickson | Miller | Magstadt |
| 10/6 | at Eastern Washington* | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10/13 | Northern Arizona* | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10/20 | Montana* | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11/27 | at Montana State* | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11/3 | Southern Utah* | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11/17 | at Northern Colorado* | | | | | | | | | | | |

UND'S DEFENSIVE STARTING LINEUPS

| Date | Opponent | RE | NG | LE | ZOLB | WILB | SILB | SOLB | RC | FS | SS | LC |
|-------|------------------------|-----------|----------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|--------|---------|-----------|-------|
| 8/30 | SD Mines | Brenneman | Benjamin | Nelson | Finley | Peters | Otto | Andrews | Hall | Carr | Lewis | Brown |
| 9/8 | Portland State | Brenneman | Benjamin | Nelson | Finley | Peters | Goodman | Andrews | Mackey | Carr | Mersereau | Brown |
| 9/15 | at San Diego State | Brenneman | Benjamin | Nelson | Finley | Peters | Goodman | Andrews | Mackey | Kennedy | Mersereau | Hall |
| 9/22 | at Sacramento State* | Brenneman | Benjamin | Nelson | Finley | Peters | Goodman | Andrews | Mackey | Kennedy | Mersereau | Brown |
| 9/29 | Cal Poly* | Brenneman | Benjamin | Nelson | Finley | Peters | Goodman | Andrews | Mackey | Kennedy | Mersereau | Brown |
| 10/6 | at Eastern Washington* | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10/20 | Northern Arizona* | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10/27 | Montana* | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11/3 | at Montana State* | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11/17 | at Northern Colorado* | | | | | | | | | | | |

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**Head Coach
Chris Mussman**

UND HEAD COACH CHRIS MUSSMAN

The 2012 season will be the fifth for head coach Chris Mussman as he leads North Dakota into its first season as a Big Sky member and FCS Playoff eligibility. Mussman and his team will take the momentum of a Co-Great West Conference title, an 8-3 record and being nationally ranked to conclude a season for the first time in its Division I era to their new league.

Mussman's fourth season in the Red River Valley was the best of his head coaching tenure. His squad won seven of its last eight games, including four straight at the end to register a five-game turnaround from the 2010 season. He was named the Great West Coach of the Year by both his peers and the league's media and was also a finalist for the FCS Liberty Mutual Coach of the Year and Eddie Robinson Coach of the Year Awards.

Every coach wants a Gatorade bath after his team's final game and Mussman left the Alerus Center field soaking wet after a thrilling 38-37 victory over South Dakota that earned the Sioux a share of the final GWC football regular season title. UND rallied from a 20-point, fourth-quarter deficit to knock off the rival Coyotes.

Sioux players accounted for a league-high 12 GWC Player of the Week accolades, including sophomore Jake Miller, who became the first player in league history to earn three consecutive weekly honors. Miller was also one of three players to earn first team All-GWC honors, while six others earned second team accolades. Academically, the Sioux placed 11 players on the All-GWC Academic Team and junior Emmett Lynch was named to the Capital One Academic All-District Seven Team.

Lynch was also part of an offensive line unit that Mussman took over coaching prior to the season. The O-line allowed the fewest sacks among GWC teams in 2011 and also paved the way for Miller to rank second among league rushers in yardage and rushing touchdowns.

In 2010, Mussman's third season was one of ups and downs for a young Sioux squad that reeled off all three of its wins at the Alerus Center. The UND offense averaged 45 points in those victories, outscoring its foes by an average of 30 points.

A pair of seniors earned first team All-Great West accolades for their play on the field. Linebacker Ryan Kasowski earned a spot on the coaches' team, while Joel Schwenzfeier landed a spot on the media's team. Seven players earned Great West weekly honors, while 10 more Sioux found their names on the league's all-academic team.

Among the highlights during Mussman's second season in 2009 were UND's highly-anticipated road opener against its first BCS opponent (Texas Tech) since 1976, a 31-17 home victory over then 16th-ranked Cal Poly, the opportunity to play for the team's first NCAA DI conference title, and a season-ending, down-to-the-wire, one-point win over Central Arkansas.

The Sioux finished the campaign with a 6-5 mark, which was the program's seventh straight winning season, and as the runner-up to UC Davis in the Great West standings.

For their efforts on the field, nine Sioux received GWC Player of the Week honors, including sophomore Broc Bellmore, who was one of six players to be recognized more than once. Redshirt freshman Mitch Sutton was named Great West Rookie of the Year and was selected to the all-conference first team. Sutton was joined on the all-conference roster by junior Ryan Kasowski (first team), sophomore Ismael Bamba (second team), senior Kyle Bondy (second team), junior Ty Boyle (second team), sophomore Dominique Hawkins (second team), senior Brandon Hellevang (second team), junior Kris Ankenbauer (honorable mention), and redshirt freshman Ross Brenneman (honorable mention).

While the on field achievements were easily recognizable, coach Mussman and his staff continually urged their student-athletes to strive for success in the classroom as well. Two players received ESPN the Magazine Academic All-America honors and four were named to the ESPN the Magazine Academic All-District team. Hellevang and senior Andrew Miller were selected to the Football Championship Subdivision Athletics Directors Association Academic All-Star team and both were finalists for the ninth annual FCSADA

THE MUSSMAN FILE

Birthdate

- July 12, 1968

Birthplace

- Owatonna, Minn.

Hometown

- Owatonna, Minn.

Education

- Bachelor's Degree: Political Science - *Iowa State '91*
- Master's Degree: Sports Administration - *Minnesota State '94*

Family

- Wife, Shelley; sons, Jacob (15) & Jackson (13)

Coaching

- 2008-present - Head Coach
University of North Dakota
- 2004-07 - Asst. Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator
University of North Dakota
- 2001-04 - Offensive Coordinator/Offensive Line
University of North Dakota
- 1999-2000 - Offensive Line Coach
University of North Dakota
- 1998 - Asst. Head Coach/Off. Coordinator
Minnesota State University
- 1996-98 - Offensive Coordinator
Minnesota State University
- 1991-95 - Offensive Line/Tight Ends Coach
Minnesota State University

ALL-TIME VS. OPPONENTS

| | |
|------------------------|-----|
| Black Hills State | 1-0 |
| Cal Poly | 1-3 |
| Central Arkansas | 1-0 |
| Drake | 1-0 |
| Fresno State | 0-1 |
| Idaho | 0-2 |
| Idaho State | 1-0 |
| Lamar | 1-0 |
| Montana | 0-1 |
| Montana Western | 1-0 |
| Northern Colorado | 1-0 |
| Northern Illinois | 0-1 |
| Northeastern State | 1-0 |
| Northwestern State | 2-0 |
| Portland State | 1-0 |
| Sacramento State | 1-0 |
| San Diego State | 0-1 |
| St. Cloud State | 1-0 |
| Sioux Falls | 1-1 |
| South Dakota | 3-1 |
| SD School of Mines | 1-0 |
| South Dakota State | 0-1 |
| Southern Illinois | 0-1 |
| Southern Oregon | 1-0 |
| Southern Utah | 1-3 |
| Southeastern Louisiana | 0-1 |
| Stephen F. Austin | 0-1 |
| Stony Brook | 1-0 |
| Texas A&M-Kingsville | 1-0 |
| Texas Tech | 0-1 |
| UC Davis | 1-3 |
| Wisconsin-LaCrosse | 1-0 |
| Western Washington | 1-0 |

CHRIS MUSSMAN'S COACHING RECORD AT UND

| Year | Great West/Big Sky | Win% | Finish | Overall | Win% |
|---------------|--------------------|-------------|--------|----------------|-------------|
| 2008 | 1-2 | .333 | 3rd | 6-4 | .600 |
| 2009 | 2-2 | .500 | 2nd | 6-5 | .545 |
| 2010 | 0-4 | .000 | 5th | 3-8 | .273 |
| 2011 | 3-1 | 1.000 | T-1st | 8-3 | .727 |
| 2012 | 1-1 | 1.000 | - | 3-2 | .600 |
| Totals | 7-10-0 | .412 | | 26-22-0 | .542 |

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postgraduate scholarship. Miller becomes the first Fighting Sioux player to receive the award. He also received an NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship.

During his first season as the head coach of the Fighting Sioux, Mussman guided the tradition-rich program to a 6-4 record as the University of North Dakota made its NCAA Division I Football Championship debut.

The Sioux registered their first victory as a DI program on Sept. 18 when they defeated the Idaho State Bengals, 38-35, in Pocatello, Idaho. They went on to finish 2-3 against DI opponents. UND was undefeated (4-0) against non-DI schools with a records of 3-0 and 1-0 against DII and DIII opponents, respectively.

Mussman also led North Dakota to a 1-2 record in its first season as member of the Great West Conference alongside Cal Poly, South Dakota, Southern Utah, and UC Davis.

The Sioux finished at the top of the GWC in several team categories, but most notably, they produced the league's most productive running back (Josh Murray) and kick returner (Dominique Hawkins).

The 2008 squad was not only recognized for its efforts on the field, but in the classroom as well. Four student-athletes were honored as academic all-Americans and league-high nine were selected to the Great West all-conference team. UND also topped the GWC as 16 players received fall all-academic honors.

Mussman became the 25th head coach in UND football history when he was introduced at a press conference on Jan. 4, 2008, after nine seasons on the Sioux coaching staff, including the last four as assistant head coach and the last seven as offensive coordinator.

Mussman possesses nearly two decades of collegiate coaching experience. During his nine seasons as an assistant on the UND staff, the Sioux went 90-24 (.789), won a Division II national championship in 2001, won five North Central Conference titles and made five NCAA Division II postseason appearances.

In 2007, Mussman directed arguably the most explosive offensive unit in the history of Fighting Sioux football. UND set school records for total yards (5,924), total touchdowns (60) and regular season scoring average (40.7 points per game).

UND finished the 2007 season as the NCC's top-ranked offense in scoring, total offense, total first downs, 3rd-down conversions and time of possession.

Individually, senior wide receiver Weston Dressler set a UND single-season record for receiving yardage and was named a Harlon Hill Trophy finalist, while two of Mussman's offensive linemen, juniors Mitch

Braegelmann and Brian Troen, garnered several postseason awards between the two of them.

Additionally, junior quarterback Danny Freund set UND regular season records for passing yards (2,573) and touchdowns (24), while sophomore running back Ryan Chappell shattered the team's single-game rushing record with 306 yards against Central Washington on Sept. 15.

Offensive prominence was a staple of Sioux football during Mussman's time as offensive coordinator. UND's offensive record books are littered with accomplishments achieved under Mussman's watch, including the top three single-season passing yardage performances, top seven completion percentage performances and seven of the top eight marks for single-season receptions. Also, six of the top 10 highest-rated passers in UND history were tutored by Mussman.

During his seven years as UND's offensive coordinator, Mussman coached 32 All-NCC players on offense, including the two-time (2007, 2006) NCC Most Valuable Receiver in Dressler.

Since Mussman joined the UND coaching staff as offensive line coach in 1999, eight Sioux offensive linemen have earned first team all-conference honors, four have received first team All-America honors and Ben Olson (2003) and Chris Kuper (2004, 2005) were honored as the NCC's Most Valuable Offensive Linemen.

Kuper currently plays for the NFL's Denver Broncos, while Dressler now plays for the Saskatchewan Roughriders of the Canadian Football League.

Prior to coming to UND, Mussman spent the previous eight seasons on the staff at Minnesota State University, Mankato. In 1996 Mussman was promoted to assistant head coach and offensive coordinator at MSU after serving as the Mavericks' offensive line and tight ends coach. Under Mussman, the 1996 Mavericks led the NCC in total offense.

In addition to coaching at UND and MSU, Mussman has also served as an instructor for UND's Physical Education and Exercise Science department and MSU's Health and Human Performance department.

Mussman holds a bachelor's degree in political science from Iowa State and a master's degree in sports management from MSU. He was a four-year letterwinner and starting offensive lineman at Iowa State, serving as a team captain in 1990.

Mussman and his wife, Shelley, have two sons: Jacob (15) and Jackson (13).



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| NO. | NAME | POS. | YR. | HT. | WT. | HOMETOWN/PREVIOUS SCHOOL | 2012 ROSTER (Alphabetical) |
|-----|---------------------|-------|-----|------|-----|---|----------------------------------|
| 1 | Tyrhe Ivery* | WR | SO | 6-1 | 169 | Garland, Texas/Garland HS | 36 ADLER, Zach TE |
| 2 | Jer Garman* | RB | SO | 5-9 | 177 | Marion, Iowa/Linn-Mar HS | 42 ALLEN, J.D. LB |
| 3 | Jake Miller** | RB | JR | 5-11 | 167 | Bismarck, N.D./Bismarck HS | 71 ANDERSON, Brandon . . . OL |
| 4 | Daryl Brown* | DB | SO | 5-10 | 163 | Plymouth, Minn./Wayzata HS | 25 ANDREWS, Damon LB |
| 5 | R.J. McGill** | WR | JR | 5-10 | 170 | Phoenix, Ariz./St. Mary's HS | 7 BARTELS, Ryan QB |
| 5 | Dan Konowalkski | DB | FR | 5-11 | 170 | Milwaukee, Wis./Waukesha West HS | 74 BARTON, Devin OL |
| 6 | Jared Tuilagi | LB | FR | 6-2 | 220 | Henderson, Nev./Liberty HS | 43 BAYER, Kevin FB |
| 7 | Ryan Bartels | QB | FR | 6-4 | 210 | Sycamore, Ill./Sycamore HS | 90 BENJAMIN, Devin DL |
| 8 | Dwayne Brown | DB | RFR | 5-9 | 165 | Fontana, Calif./Kaiser HS | 46 BENNETT, Dominique . . LB |
| 8 | Tanner Naastad | K | SR | 5-10 | 176 | Grand Forks, N.D./Central HS | 98 BRENNEMAN, Ross DL |
| 9 | Dillon Olson | DB | RFR | 6-1 | 198 | Grygla, Minn./Grygla-Goodridge HS | 16 BRIDGES, Romon WR |
| 10 | Rumeal Harris | DB | RFR | 6-0 | 173 | Eden Prairie, Minn./Eden Prairie HS | 4 BROWN, Daryl DB |
| 11 | Zeb Miller** | K | JR | 6-1 | 218 | Ankeny, Iowa/Ankeny HS | 8 BROWN, Dwayne DB |
| 12 | Brett Cameron** | P | SR | 6-1 | 194 | Winnipeg, Manitoba/ St. Paul's HS | 21 BROWN, Chris DB |
| 12 | Brian Labat | LB | FR | 6-2 | 205 | Detroit Lakes, Minn./Detroit Lakes HS | 82 BROWN, Pat WR |
| 13 | Jake Hanson | QB | FR | 6-0 | 200 | Grafton, N.D./Grafton HS | 37 BUTLER, Javen DB |
| 13 | Marcus Hendrickson* | QB | SR | 6-1 | 197 | Perham, Minn./ Perham HS | 24 CAIN, Ryan DB |
| 14 | Joe Mollberg | QB | FR | 6-2 | 195 | Detroit Lakes, Minn./Detroit Lakes HS | 12 CAMERON, Brett P |
| 15 | Seth Nichols* | TE | SR | 6-5 | 245 | McVile, N.D./Dakota Prairie HS | 40 CARR, Bailey DB |
| 16 | Romon Bridges | WR | RFR | 5-8 | 154 | Stockton, Calif./Edison HS | 93 CARROTHERS, Alec DL |
| 17 | Chavon Mackey** | DB | JR | 5-9 | 174 | Jacksonville, Fla./Eagles View Academy | 88 CHRISTIANSON, Jordan . . K |
| 18 | Braden Hanson | QB | SR | 6-5 | 212 | Charlotte, N.C./North Carolina | 33 COYLE, Devin DB |
| 18 | Zach Oliver | WR | FR | 6-3 | 190 | Omaha, Neb./Harry A. Burke HS | 91 CUMMINGS, Spencer . . . DL |
| 19 | Kenny Golladay | WR | FR | 6-4 | 185 | Chicago, Ill./St. Rita of Cascia HS | 76 DENEUI, Darren OL |
| 20 | P.J. Sparks | RB | RFR | 5-9 | 192 | Glendale, Ariz./Mountain Ridge HS | 65 EDWARDS, Mike DL |
| 21 | Chris Brown | DB | RFR | 5-8 | 164 | Culver City, Calif./Culver City HS | 34 FINLEY, Cordero LB |
| 22 | Myles Jablonski* | LB | SO | 6-2 | 223 | Omaha, Neb./Skutt Catholic HS | 80 FLETCHER, Anthony . . . WR |
| 23 | Ethan Magstadt** | RB | SR | 6-1 | 239 | Maple Grove, Minn./ Maple Grove HS | 2 GARMAN, Jer RB |
| 23 | Seth Westby | RB | FR | 6-1 | 200 | Mandan, N.D./Mandan HS | 68 GILLSON, Caleb OL |
| 24 | Ryan Cain | DB | FR | 6-0 | 190 | Cedar Rapids, Iowa/Washington HS | 29 GOARD, Derrick LB |
| 25 | Damon Andrews** | LB | JR | 6-4 | 226 | West Concord, Minn./Triton HS | 19 GOLLADAY, Kenny WR |
| 26 | Chris Hall** | DB | JR | 5-10 | 181 | Jacksonville, Fla./Mandarin HS | 53 GOODMAN, Garrison . . . LB |
| 27 | Will Lewis | DB | JR | 5-10 | 180 | Pittsburg, Calif./Los Medanos College | 81 GRANT, Taylor WR |
| 28 | Mitch Sutton*** | RB | SR | 6-0 | 220 | Plover, Wis./Stevens Point Area Senior HS | 26 HALL, Chris DB |
| 28 | Kodee Varner | RB | FR | 6-0 | 175 | Baker, Mont./Baker HS | 56 HALL, Devon DL |
| 29 | Derrick Goard | LB | JR | 6-1 | 235 | Homewood, Ill./College of DuPage | 18 HANSON, Braden QB |
| 30 | Clordion Kennedy | DB | JR | 5-11 | 200 | Antioch, Calif./Contra Costa College | 13 HANSON, Jake QB |
| 31 | Dayo Idowu | LB | RFR | 6-2 | 202 | Woodbury, Minn./Eastridge HS | 84 HARDIN, Greg WR |
| 32 | Taj Rich | LB | FR | 6-2 | 215 | Minneapolis, Minn./Robinson Cooper HS | 10 HARRIS, Rumeal DB |
| 33 | Devin Coyle | DB | FR | 5-11 | 170 | Mandan, N.D./Mandan HS | 96 HARTUNG, Aaron DL |
| 33 | Erik Mersereau*** | DB | SR | 6-0 | 199 | Port Washington, Wis./Port Washington HS | 80 HEIMLER, Jon WR |
| 34 | Cordero Finley** | LB | JR | 6-1 | 225 | Kenosha, Wis./Mary D. Bradford HS | 60 HELLMAN, Jace OL |
| 35 | Tanner Vesladahl | TE | FR | 6-3 | 225 | Mott, N.D./Mott Regent HS | 13 HENDRICKSON, Marcus . . QB |
| 36 | Zach Adler | TE/FB | RFR | 6-3 | 237 | Omaha, Neb./Westside HS | 69 HENSON, Ben OL |
| 37 | Javen Butler | DB | RFR | 6-2 | 190 | Pittsburg, Calif./Pittsburg HS | 50 HICKEL, Alex LB |
| 38 | William James | DB | SO | 6-0 | 185 | Solleuntuna, Sweden/Sigrid Rudbecks HS | 79 HOERCHNER, Jake OL |
| 39 | Adam Shaugabay* | RB | SO | 6-1 | 202 | Warroad, Minn./Warroad HS | 72 HOPLIN, Luke OL |
| 40 | Baylee Carr* | DB | SO | 5-9 | 192 | Hazen, N.D./Hazen HS | 31 IDOWU, Dayo DB |
| 42 | J.D. Allen | LB | FR | 6-1 | 195 | Amarillo, Texas/Randall HS | 77 ISENBERGER, Joel OL |
| 43 | Kevin Bayer | FB | FR | 5-10 | 235 | Mokena, Ill./Lincoln Way East HS | 1 IVERY, Tyrhe WR |
| 44 | Alex Hickel | LB | SO | 6-1 | 217 | Grand Forks, N.D./Red River HS | 22 JABLONSKI, Myles LB |
| 45 | Luke Mathewson | TE | FR | 6-5 | 235 | Libertyville, Ill./Libertyville HS | |
| 45 | Jay Nelson** | DL | SR | 6-4 | 245 | Wheaton, Minn./Wheaton HS | |

2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

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|----|---------------------|----|-----|------|-----|--|----|-----------------------------|----|
| 46 | Dominique Bennett** | LB | JR | 6-1 | 234 | DeSoto, Texas/DeSoto HS | 83 | JACKSON, Jameer | WR |
| 47 | Tucker Nordby | TE | FR | 6-4 | 245 | Harvey, N.D./Harvey HS | 38 | JAMES, William | DB |
| 47 | Seth Wisthoff*** | TE | SR | 6-4 | 269 | Glenburn, N.D./ Glenburn HS | 30 | KENNEDY, Clordion | DB |
| 48 | Jake Watson | LB | FR | 6-2 | 200 | Mandan, N.D./Mandan HS | 62 | KLEASON, Joe | OL |
| 49 | Brandon Larson | LB | FR | 6-2 | 200 | Bemidji, Minn./Bemidji HS | 5 | KONOWALSKI, Dan | DB |
| 50 | Alex Nelson | LB | FR | 6-2 | 225 | Minot, N.D./Minot HS | 12 | LABAT, Brian | LB |
| 51 | Will Ratelle | LB | RFR | 5-11 | 232 | Edina, Minn./St. Thomas Academy | 49 | LARSON, Brandon | LB |
| 52 | Ben Peters* | LB | SO | 6-2 | 242 | Chandler, Ariz./Hamilton HS | 27 | LEWIS, Will | DB |
| 53 | Garrison Goodman** | LB | JR | 6-2 | 213 | San Ramon, Calif./San Ramon Valley HS | 78 | LYNCH, Emmett | OL |
| 54 | Ian McGurran*** | OL | SR | 6-4 | 302 | Fargo, N.D./Fargo North HS | 17 | MACKEY, Chavon | DB |
| 55 | Dwayne Pecosky | OL | SO | 6-2 | 255 | Commerce City, Colo./J.K. Mullen HS | 23 | MAGSTADT, Ethan | RB |
| 56 | Devon Hall | DL | FR | 6-3 | 245 | La Mirada, Calif./La Mirada HS | 45 | MATHEWSON, Luke | TE |
| 57 | Brian Otto | LB | JR | 6-1 | 215 | West Allis, Wis./Nathan Hale HS | 5 | MCGILL, R.J. | WR |
| 58 | Garrett Reineke | LB | SO | 6-0 | 199 | Thompson, N.D./Thompson HS | 54 | MCGURRAN, Ian | OL |
| 60 | Jace Hellman | OL | RFR | 6-5 | 302 | Grand Forks, N.D./Red River HS | 63 | MEEHAN, Sean | OL |
| 62 | Joe Kleason** | OL | JR | 6-4 | 291 | Eagan, Minn./Cretin-Derham Hall HS | 33 | MERSEREAU, Erik | DB |
| 63 | Sean Meehan | OL | RFR | 6-6 | 306 | Trevor, Wis./Wilmot HS | 3 | MILLER, Jake | RB |
| 65 | Mike Edwards | DL | FR | 6-2 | 290 | Sun Prairie, Wis./Sun Prairie HS | 11 | MILLER, Zeb | PK |
| 67 | Shea Walker* | OL | SO | 6-2 | 314 | St. Paul, Minn./Cretin-Derham Hall HS | 14 | MOLLBERG, Joe | QB |
| 68 | Caleb Gillson* | OL | SR | 6-8 | 342 | Buyck, Minn./ Cook HS | 8 | NAASTAD, Tanner | PK |
| 69 | Ben Henson* | DL | SO | 6-1 | 298 | Buffalo, Minn./Buffalo HS | 50 | NELSON, Alex | LB |
| 70 | Ross Windfeldt | OL | RFR | 6-6 | 296 | St. Cloud, Minn./St. Cloud Tech HS | 45 | NELSON, Jay | DL |
| 71 | Brandon Anderson | OL | RFR | 6-6 | 293 | Sartell, Minn./Sartell HS | 15 | NICHOLS, Seth | TE |
| 72 | Luke Hoplin | OL | RFR | 6-6 | 265 | Grand Forks, N.D./Red River HS | 47 | NORDBY, Tucker | TE |
| 73 | Darren Peterson | OL | SO | 6-6 | 314 | Maple Grove, Minn./Maple Grove HS | 18 | OLIVER, Zach | WR |
| 74 | Devin Barton | OL | SO | 6-6 | 302 | Carrington, N.D./Carrington HS | 9 | OLSON, Dillon | DB |
| 75 | Conrad Schwarzkopf | OL | FR | 6-2 | 285 | Bismarck, N.D./Century HS | 57 | OTTO, Brian | LB |
| 76 | Darren Deneui** | OL | JR | 6-8 | 304 | Chancellor, S.D./Parker HS | 55 | PECOSKY, Dwayne | OL |
| 77 | Joel Isenberger | OL | FR | 6-4 | 285 | Monona, Wis./Monona Grove HS | 52 | PETERS, Ben | LB |
| 78 | Emmett Lynch*** | OL | SR | 6-5 | 312 | Lester Prairie, Minn./ Howard Lake-Waverly | 73 | PETERSON, Darren | OL |
| 79 | Jake Hoerchner | OL | JR | 6-4 | 283 | Menomonee Falls, Wis./Menomonee Falls HS | 51 | RATELLE, Will | LB |
| 80 | Anthony Fletcher | WR | FR | 6-3 | 195 | Goodyear, Ariz./Desert Edge HS | 58 | REINEKE, Garrett | LB |
| 80 | Jon Heimler | WR | SR | 6-3 | 201 | Colfax, Wis./ Menomonie HS | 32 | RICH, Taj | LB |
| 81 | Taylor Grant* | TE | SO | 6-5 | 235 | Eden Prairie, Minn./Eden Prairie HS | 75 | SCHWARZKOPF, Conrad | OL |
| 82 | Pat Brown | WR | RFR | 5-11 | 166 | North Pole, Alaska/North Pole HS | 39 | SHAUGABAY, Adam | RB |
| 83 | Jameer Jackson | WR | RFR | 6-3 | 233 | Brooklyn Park, Minn./Osseo HS | 20 | SPARKS, P.J. | RB |
| 84 | Greg Hardin** | WR | JR | 5-11 | 167 | Bellevue, Neb./Bellevue West HS | 85 | STANCHIK, Seth | DL |
| 85 | Seth Stanchik | DL | JR | 6-4 | 265 | Hudson, Wis./Hudson HS | 28 | SUTTON, Mitch | RB |
| 86 | Blair Townsend* | WR | JR | 6-3 | 217 | Coon Rapids, Minn./Coon Rapids HS | 86 | TOWNSEND, Blair | WR |
| 87 | Casey Young | WR | RFR | 6-2 | 198 | Aurora, Colo./Regis Jesuit HS | 6 | TUILAGI, Jared | QB |
| 88 | Jordan Christianson | P | FR | 6-2 | 176 | Hurst, Texas/L.D. Bell HS | 28 | VARNER, Kodee | RB |
| 90 | Devin Benjamin** | DL | SR | 6-3 | 303 | Minneapolis, Minn./DeLaSalle HS | 35 | VESLADAH, Tanner | TE |
| 91 | Spencer Cummings* | DL | SO | 6-4 | 283 | Hugo, Minn./White Bear Lake HS | 67 | WALKER, Shea | OL |
| 92 | E.J. Welch | DL | JR | 6-3 | 309 | Biwabik, Minn./Mesabi Range CC | 48 | WATSON, Jake | LB |
| 93 | Alec Carrothers | DL | FR | 6-3 | 240 | Omaha, Neb./Millard West HS | 92 | WELCH, E.J. | DL |
| 96 | Aaron Hartung | DL | RFR | 6-4 | 240 | Hudson, Wis./Hudson HS | 23 | WESTBY, Seth | FB |
| 97 | Kyle Woodsmall | DL | RFR | 6-4 | 234 | Wildwood, Mo./Lafayette HS | 70 | WINDFELDT, Ross | OL |
| 98 | Ross Brenneman** | DL | SR | 6-4 | 266 | Omaha, Neb./ Millard West HS | 47 | WISTHOFF, Seth | TE |
| | | | | | | | 97 | WOODSMALL, Kyle | DL |
| | | | | | | | 87 | YOUNG, Casey | WR |

* denotes letters earned

YR – eligibility for 2012 season

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NORTH DAKOTA OFFENSE

| | | |
|-----|----|---|
| LT | 78 | Emmett Lynch (Sr., 6-5, 312).....Lester Prairie, Minn. |
| LT | 74 | Devin Barton (So., 6-6, 302) Carrington, N.D. |
| LG | 71 | Brandon Anderson (RFr., 6-6, 293)Sartell, Minn. |
| LG | 67 | Shea Walker (So., 6-2, 314)St. Paul, Minn. |
| C | 54 | Ian McGurran (Sr., 6-4, 302) Fargo, N.D. |
| C | 60 | Jace Hellman (RFr., 6-5, 302)..... Grand Forks, N.D. |
| RG | 68 | Caleb Gillson (Jr., 6-8, 342) Buyck, Minn. |
| RG | 79 | Jake Hoerchner (Jr., 6-4, 283) Menomonee Falls, Wis. |
| RT | 76 | Darren Deneui (Jr., 6-8, 304) Chancellor, S.D. |
| RT | 73 | Darren Peterson (So., 6-6, 314) Maple Grove, Minn. |
| WRX | 84 | Greg Hardin (Jr., 5-11, 174).....Bellevue, Neb. |
| WRX | 83 | Jameer Jackson (Fr., 6-3, 233)Brooklyn Park, Minn. |
| FB | 23 | Ethan Magstadt (Sr., 6-1, 239)..... Maple Grove, Minn. |
| FB | 36 | Zach Adler (RFr., 6-3, 237) Omaha, Neb. |
| QB | 13 | Marcus Hendrickson (Sr., 6-1, 197) Perham, Minn. |
| QB | 18 | Braden Hanson (Sr., 6-5, 212).....Charlotte, N.C. |
| TE | 47 | Seth Wisthoff (Sr., 6-4, 269) Glenburn, N.D. |
| TE | 15 | Seth Nichols (Sr., 6-5, 245) McVille, N.D. |
| WRY | 5 | R.J. McGill (Jr., 5-10, 170) Phoenix, Ariz. |
| WRY | 19 | Kenny Golladay (Fr., 6-4, 185).....Chicago, Ill. |
| RB | 3 | Jake Miller (Jr., 5-11, 167).....Bismarck, N.D. |
| RB | 28 | Mitch Sutton (Sr., 6-0, 220)..... Plover, Wis. |

NORTH DAKOTA DEFENSE

| | | |
|------|----|--|
| ZOLB | 34 | Cordero Finley (Jr., 6-1, 225)..... Kenosha, Wis. |
| ZOLB | 46 | Dominique Bennett (Jr., 6-1, 234).....DeSoto, Texas |
| LDE | 45 | Jay Nelson (Sr., 6-4, 245).....Wheaton, Minn. |
| LDE | 85 | Seth Stanchik (Jr., 6-4, 265)Hudson, Wis. |
| NG | 90 | Devin Benjamin (Sr., 6-3, 303)Minneapolis, Minn. |
| NG | 69 | Ben Henson (So., 6-1, 298)..... Buffalo, Minn. |
| RDE | 98 | Ross Brenneman (Sr., 6-4, 256).....Omaha, Neb. |
| RDE | 91 | Spencer Cummings (So., 6-4, 283).....Hugo, Minn. |
| SOLB | 25 | Damon Andrews (Jr., 6-4, 226) West Concord, Minn. |
| SOLB | 22 | Myles Jablonski (So., 6-2, 223)Omaha, Neb. |
| WILB | 52 | Ben Peters (So., 6-2, 242)Chandler, Ariz. |
| WILB | 57 | Brian Otto (Jr., 6-1, 215) West Allis, Wis. |
| SILB | 53 | Garrison Goodman (Jr., 6-2, 213) San Ramon, Calif. |
| SILB | 51 | Will Ratelle (RFr., 5-11, 232)Edina, Minn. |
| RCB | 17 | Chavon Mackey (Jr., 5-9, 174).....Jacksonville, Fla. |
| RCB | 26 | Chris Hall (Jr., 5-10, 181).....Jacksonville, Fla. |
| FS | 30 | Clordion Kennedy (Jr., 5-11, 200).....Antioch, Calif. |
| FS | 40 | Baylee Carr (So., 5-9, 192) Hazen, N.D. |
| SS | 33 | Erik Mersereau (Sr., 6-0, 199) Port Washington, Wis. |
| SS | 27 | Will Lewis (Jr., 5-10, 180).....Pittsburg, Calif. |
| RCB | 4 | Daryl Brown (So., 5-10, 163)..... Plymouth, Minn. |
| RCB | 10 | Rumeal Harris (RFr., 6-0, 173)..... Eden Prairie, Minn. |

NORTH DAKOTA SPECIALISTS

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|----|----|--|
| P | 12 | Brett Cameron (Sr., 6-1, 194)Winnipeg, Manitoba |
| P | 88 | Jordan Christianson (RFr., 6-2, 176) Hurst, Texas |
| PK | 11 | Zeb Miller (Jr., 6-1, 218) Ankeny, Iowa |
| PK | 8 | Tanner Naastad (Sr., 5-10, 176)..... Grand Forks, N.D. |
| LS | 81 | Taylor Grant (So., 6-5, 235)Eden Prairie, Minn. |
| LS | 47 | Seth Wisthoff (Sr., 6-4, 269)Glenburn, N.D. |
| H | 86 | Blair Townsend (Jr., 6-3, 217) Coon Rapids, Minn. |
| H | 13 | Marcus Hendrickson (Sr., 6-1, 197).....Perham, Minn. |
| PR | 33 | Erik Mersereau (Sr., 6-0, 199) Port Washington, Wis. |
| PR | 2 | Jer Garman (So., 5-9, 177) Marion, Iowa |
| KR | 84 | Greg Hardin (Jr., 5-11, 174, Jr.).....Phoenix, Ariz. |
| KR | 4 | Daryl Brown (So., 5-10, 163, So.) Marion, Iowa |

MORE ON STARTS

Returns who started every game in 2011

Offense (3): Ian McGurran, Joe Kleason and Darren Deneui
 Defense (3): Ross Brenneman, Devin Benjamin and Daryl Brown
 Specialist (2): Brett Cameron and Zeb Miller

Longest active starting streaks

Ian McGurran (38)
 Brett Cameron, Zeb Miller (27)
 Ross Brenneman (20)
 Devin Benjamin, Darren Deneui (16)

START TRACKER

| | 2012 | Consecutive Starts | Career |
|------------------|------|--------------------|--------|
| OFFENSE | | | |
| Ian McGurran | 5 | 38 | 38 |
| Joe Kleason | 0 | 0 | 22 |
| Greg Hardin | 5 | 3 | 24 |
| Jake Miller | 5 | 12 | 13 |
| Mitch Sutton | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| Seth Wisthoff | 4 | 1 | 4 |
| Caleb Gillson | 5 | 10 | 10 |
| Emmett Lynch | 4 | 0 | 22 |
| Darren Deneui | 4 | 15 | 15 |
| Blair Townsend | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| R.J. McGill | 5 | 5 | 11 |
| Tyrhe Ivery | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Brandon Anderson | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Jameer Jackson | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Kenny Golladay | 1 | 1 | 1 |

| | 2012 | Consecutive Starts | Career |
|-------------------|------|--------------------|--------|
| DEFENSE | | | |
| Ross Brenneman | 5 | 20 | 35 |
| Devin Benjamin | 5 | 16 | 16 |
| Daryl Brown | 4 | 2 | 15 |
| Chavon Mackey | 4 | 4 | 14 |
| Damon Andrews | 5 | 7 | 15 |
| Jay Nelson | 5 | 11 | 11 |
| Dominique Bennett | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Cordero Finley | 5 | 5 | 6 |
| Chris Hall | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Baylee Carr | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Will Lewis | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Brian Otto | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Ben Peters | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Myles Jablonski | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Erik Mersereau | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Garrison Goodman | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Clordion Kennedy | 3 | 3 | 3 |

| | 2012 | Consecutive Starts | Career |
|----------------------|------|--------------------|--------|
| Special Teams | | | |
| Zeb Miller | 5 | 27 | 27 |
| Brett Cameron | 5 | 27 | 27 |

2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

#25 DAMON ANDREWS, LB

» ANDREWS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK | BK |
|---------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|---------------|----------|
| 2010 | 8-0 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 3.0-18 | 0-0 | 1 | 1-0 | 0 | 0 | 2.0-16 | 0 |
| 2011 | 11-10 | 13 | 11 | 24 | 3.5-23 | 0-0 | 4 | 1-0 | 0 | 0 | 1.5-16 | 0 |
| 2012 | 5-5 | 9 | 6 | 15 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 | 0 |
| Totals | 24-15 | 27 | 19 | 46 | 6.5-41 | 0-0 | 7 | 2-0 | 0 | 0 | 3.5-32 | 0 |

» ANDREWS' PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 9, 10/22/11 vs. Cal Poly
Solo Tackles: 6, 10/22/11 vs. Cal Poly
Sacks: 2, 09/02/10 at Idaho
Fumble Recovery: 1, 09/01/11 vs. Drake

#90 DEVIN BENJAMIN, DL

» BENJAMIN'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2009 | 8-2 | 8 | 3 | 11 | 0.5-1 | 0-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2010 | 11-0 | 9 | 6 | 15 | 1.0-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2011 | 11-11 | 18 | 5 | 23 | 2.0-9 | 0-0 | 1 | 1-0 | 0 | 0 | 1.5-8 |
| 2012 | 5-5 | 9 | 6 | 17 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 34-17 | 37 | 29 | 66 | 3.5-11 | 0-0 | 2 | 1-0 | 0 | 0 | 1.5-8 |

» BENJAMIN'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 6, 9/29/12 vs. Cal Poly
Solo Tackles: 3 (3x), last 09/29/12 vs. Cal Poly
Blocked Kick: 1 (3x), last 11/05/11 vs. Sioux Falls

#46 DOMINIQUE BENNETT, LB

» BENNETT'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|---------------|
| 2010 | 11-0 | 11 | 3 | 14 | 4.5-21 | 0-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 2.0-15 |
| 2011 | 9-1 | 10 | 4 | 14 | 3.0-15 | 0-0 | 2 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 1.5-7 |
| 2012 | 5-0 | 9 | 4 | 13 | 2.0-10 | 1-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 25-1 | 30 | 11 | 41 | 8.5-42 | 1-0 | 4 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 3.5-22 |

» BENNETT'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 7, 9/29/12 vs. Cal Poly
Solo Tackles: 5, 9/29/12 vs. Cal Poly
Sacks: 1 (3x), last 11/05/11 vs. Sioux Falls

#98 ROSS BRENNEMAN, DE

» BRENNEMAN'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|--------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------------|
| 2009 | 11-10 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 3.5-14 | 0-0 | 2 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 2.0-11 |
| 2010 | 11-10 | 18 | 17 | 35 | 8.0-45 | 0-0 | 2 | 0-0 | 0 | 4 | 4.0-35 |
| 2011 | 11-11 | 27 | 5 | 32 | 10.0-58 | 0-0 | 1 | 1-0 | 1 | 5 | 8.5-52 |
| 2012 | 5-5 | 11 | 8 | 19 | 1.5-4 | 0-0 | 4 | 1-0 | 0 | 0 | 1.0-3 |
| TOTAL | 38-36 | 72 | 39 | 111 | 23.0-121 | 0-0 | 9 | 2-0 | 1 | 10 | 15.5-101 |

» BRENNEMAN'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 7 (2x), 09/29/12 vs. Cal Poly
Solo Tackles: 5 (2x), 09/29/12 vs. Cal Poly
Sacks: 2 (2x), last 09/17/11 at Fresno State

#4 DARYL BROWN, DB

» BROWN'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|--------------|-----------|----------|-----------|--------------|-------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2011 | 11-11 | 23 | 7 | 30 | 1.0-1 | 2-38 | 4 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2012 | 4-4 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 15-15 | 26 | 8 | 34 | 1.0-1 | 2-38 | 4 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |

» BROWN'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 6, 11/19/11 vs. South Dakota
Solo Tackles: 6, 11/19/11 vs. South Dakota
Interceptions: 1 (2x), last 10/01/11 at Southern Utah

#12 BRETT CAMERON, P

» CAMERON'S CAREER PUNTING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | NO | YDS | AVG | LONG | BLKD | TB | FC | 50+ | I20 |
|---------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 2009 | 8-0 | 10 | 449 | 44.9 | 55 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 |
| 2010 | 11-11 | 64 | 2503 | 39.1 | 65 | 0 | 7 | 15 | 7 | 24 |
| 2011 | 11-11 | 60 | 2410 | 40.2 | 63 | 2 | 5 | 12 | 8 | 18 |
| 2012 | 5-5 | 17 | 708 | 41.6 | 59 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| TOTALS | 34-26 | 151 | 6070 | 40.2 | 65 | 2 | 15 | 29 | 18 | 50 |

» CAMERON'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Punts: 12, 11/13/10 at Southern Utah
Best punting average: 55 yards, 10/31/09 vs. Cal Poly
Longest punt: 65 yards, 10/23/10 at Cal Poly

#40 BAYLEE CARR, DB

» CARR'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-----------|--------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2011 | 11-0 | 11 | 2 | 14 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2012 | 5-2 | 6 | 7 | 13 | 0.5-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 16-2 | 18 | 9 | 27 | 0.5-1 | 0-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 2 | 0 | 0.0-0 |

» CARR'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 7, 9/08/12 vs. Portland State
Solo Tackles: 3 (3x), last 9/22/12 at Sacramento State
Forced Fumbles: 1 (2x), last 11/19/11 vs. South Dakota

#91 SPENCER CUMMINGS, DE

» CUMMINGS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|----------|----------|-----------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2011 | 11-0 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 4.0-6 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0.0-0 |
| 2012 | 5-0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1.0-3 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 16-0 | 7 | 5 | 12 | 5.0-9 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0.0-0 |

» CUMMINGS' PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 3, 09/10/11 at Idaho
Solo Tackles: 2 (2x), last 09/17/11 at Fresno State

#34 CORDERO FINLEY, LB

» FINLEY'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|------------|----------|--------------|----------|----------|---------------|
| 2010 | 9-0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2011 | 11-1 | 12 | 6 | 18 | 4.0-38 | 0 | 1 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 1 | 3.0-22 |
| 2012 | 5-5 | 6 | 10 | 16 | 0.0-0 | 1-6 | 0 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 25-6 | 19 | 16 | 35 | 4.0-38 | 1-6 | 1 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 1 | 3.0-22 |

» FINLEY'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 9, 09/22/12 at Sacramento State
Solo Tackles: 2 (6x), last 9/22/12 at Sacramento State
Blocked Kicks: 1 (3x), last 11/05/11 vs. Sioux Falls

#2 JER GARMAN, RB

» GARMAN'S CAREER RUSHING // RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | ATT | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG | |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|------------|----------|----------|
| 2011 | 11-0 | 59 | 270 | 4.6 | 2 | 18 | // | 3 | 12 | 4.0 | 0 | 5 |
| 2012 | 3-0 | 5 | 15 | 3.0 | 0 | 10 | // | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 14-0 | 64 | 285 | 4.5 | 2 | 18 | // | 3 | 12 | 4.0 | 0 | 5 |

» GARMAN'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Carries: 16 (2x), last 10/29/11 at Northern Colorado
Yards Rushing: 93, 09/24/11 vs. Black Hills State
TDs Rushing: 2, 09/24/11 vs. Black Hills State
Receptions: 1 (3x), last 11/19/11 vs. South Dakota
Yards Receiving: 5, 09/01/11 vs. Drake

#19 KENNY GOLLADAY, WR

GOLLADAY'S RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|------------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 2012 | 4-0 | 10 | 158 | 15.8 | 0 | 55 |
| Totals | 4-0 | 10 | 158 | 15.8 | 0 | 55 |

» GOLLADAY'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Receptions: 5, 9/29/12 vs. Cal Poly
Receiving Yards: 82, 9/29/12 vs. Cal Poly
Longest Reception: 55, 9/29/12 vs. Cal Poly

#29 DERRICK GOARD, LB

» GOARD'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|------------|----------|----------|-----------|--------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2012 | 5-0 | 6 | 7 | 13 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 5-0 | 6 | 7 | 13 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |

» GOARD'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 5, (2x), last 09/22/12 at Sacramento State
Solo Tackles: 3, 09/08/12 vs. Portland State

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#53 GARRISON GOODMAN, LB

» GOODMAN'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2010 | 11-0 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 3.0-12 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2011 | 11-0 | 18 | 8 | 26 | 0.5-1 | 0 | 2 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2012 | 5-4 | 16 | 19 | 35 | 2.5-6 | 0 | 1 | 1-0 | 0 | 1 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 27-4 | 50 | 36 | 86 | 6.0-19 | 0 | 3 | 1-0 | 0 | 1 | 0.0-0 |

» GOODMAN'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 12, 9/08/12 vs. Portland State
Solo Tackles: 6 (2x), last 09/15/12 at San Diego State

#26 CHRIS HALL, DB

» HALL'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-----------|--------------|----------|-----------|----------|------------|----------|--------------|
| 2010 | 9-0 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 1.0-2 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2011 | 11-1 | 12 | 2 | 14 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2012 | 5-2 | 15 | 5 | 20 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 25-3 | 33 | 9 | 42 | 1.0-2 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |

» HALL'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 7, 9/22/12 at Sacramento State
Solo Tackles: 5, 9/22/12 at Sacramento State
Interceptions: 1 (2x), last 11/06/10 vs. UC Davis
Pass Break-ups: 2 (2x), last 10/30/10 vs. Lamar

#18 BRADEN HANSON, QB

CAREER PASSING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | COMP | ATT | PCT | YDS | LONG | TD | INT | RATING |
|---------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|------------|-----------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2012 | 1-1 | 13 | 14 | 92.9 | 188 | 43 | 2 | 0 | 252.8 |
| Totals | 1-1 | 13 | 14 | 92.9 | 188 | 43 | 2 | 0 | 252.8 |

» HANSON'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Completions: 13, 8/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Passing Yards: 188, 8/30/12 vs. SD Mines
TD Passes: 2, 8/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Longest Completion: 43, 8/30/12 vs. SD Mines

#84 GREG HARDIN, WR

» HARDIN'S CAREER RECEIVING // RUSHING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG | // ATT | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|----------|-----------|
| 2010 | 10-9 | 41 | 736 | 18.0 | 9 | 85 | 9 | 78 | 8.7 | 1 | 63 |
| 2011 | 9-9 | 43 | 549 | 12.8 | 3 | 54 | 1 | 4 | 4.0 | 0 | 4 |
| 2012 | 5-5 | 24 | 495 | 20.6 | 7 | 66 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 24-23 | 108 | 1780 | 16.5 | 19 | 85 | 10 | 82 | 8.2 | 1 | 63 |

» HARDIN'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Receptions: 8 (2x), last 9/15/12 at San Diego State
Receiving Yards: 190, 09/08/12 vs. Portland State
TDs Receiving: 3 (3x), last 09/15/12 at San Diego State
Longest Reception: 85, 09/11/10 at Northern Illinois
Longest Rush: 63, 09/18/10 vs. Northeastern State

#80 JOHN HEIMLER, WR

HEIMLER'S RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|------------|----------|-----------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 2011 | 3-0 | 1 | 9 | 9.0 | 1 | 9 |
| 2012 | 4-0 | 1 | 16 | 16.0 | 0 | 16 |
| Totals | 7-0 | 2 | 25 | 12.5 | 1 | 16 |

» HEIMLER'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Receptions: 1 (2x), last 8/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Receiving Yards: 16, 8/30/12 vs. SD Mines
TDs Receiving: 1, 11/11/11 at UC Davis
Longest Reception: 16, 8/30/12 vs. SD Mines

#13 MARCUS HENDRICKSON, QB

CAREER PASSING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | COMP | ATT | PCT | YDS | LONG | TD | INT | RATING |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|----------|--------------|
| 2009 | 3-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 2010 | 9-1 | 13 | 47 | 27.6 | 131 | 33 | 0 | 2 | 42.6 |
| 2011 | 2-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 2012 | 5-4 | 84 | 144 | 58.3 | 1246 | 66 | 14 | 3 | 158.9 |
| Totals | 19-5 | 97 | 191 | 50.8 | 1377 | 66 | 14 | 5 | 130.3 |

» HENDRICKSON'S CAREER RUSHING RECORD

| YEAR | GP-GS | ATT | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|
| 2009 | 3-0 | 1 | 6 | 6.0 | 0 | 6 |
| 2010 | 9-1 | 29 | 39 | 1.3 | 1 | 12 |
| 2011 | 2-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2012 | 5-4 | 39 | 184 | 4.7 | 1 | 18 |
| TOTALS | 19-5 | 69 | 229 | 3.3 | 2 | 18 |

» HENDRICKSON'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Completions: 27, 9/08/12 at San Diego State
Passing Yards: 434, 9/08/12 at San Diego State
TD Passes: 6, 9/08/12 vs. Portland State
Longest Completion: 66, 9/08/12 vs. Portland State

#69 BEN HENSON, DL

CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK | BK |
|---------------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|
| 2011 | 11-0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 1 | 1-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 | 0 |
| 2012 | 5-0 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 | 0 |
| Totals | 15-0 | 1 | 8 | 9 | 0.0-0 | 0 | 1 | 1-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 | 0 |

» HENSON'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 3 (2x), last 09/29/12 vs. Cal Poly

#44 ALEX HICKEL, S

» HICKEL'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|------------|----------|----------|----------|--------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2011 | 2-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2012 | 4-0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 1.0-8 | 0-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 1.0-8 |
| Totals | 6-0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 1.0-8 | 0-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 1 | 0 | 1.0-8 |

» HICKEL'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 2, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Solo Tackles: 2, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Sacks: 1, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines

#1 TYRHE IVERY, WR

» IVERY'S CAREER RECEIVING

| YEAR | GP-GS | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG | // ATT | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|----------|-----------|
| 2011 | 11-1 | 14 | 116 | 8.3 | 2 | 54 | // 1 | 4 | 4.0 | 0 | 4 |
| 2012 | 4-0 | 2 | 26 | 13.0 | 1 | 15 | // 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 15-1 | 16 | 142 | 10.7 | 3 | 85 | 10 | 82 | 8.2 | 1 | 63 |

» IVERY'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Receptions: 8, 11/18/11 vs. South Dakota
Receiving Yards: 48, 11/18/11 vs. South Dakota
TDs Receiving: 2, 11/18/11 vs. South Dakota

#22 MYLES JABLONSKI, LB

» JABLONSKI'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|---------------|
| 2011 | 11-0 | 11 | 5 | 16 | 2.5-15 | 0-0 | 2 | 1-0 | 0 | 2 | 1.5-12 |
| 2012 | 4-0 | 7 | 5 | 12 | 4.0-21 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 2.0-17 |
| Totals | 15-0 | 18 | 10 | 28 | 6.5-36 | 0-0 | 2 | 1-0 | 0 | 2 | 3.5-29 |

» JABLONSKI'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 4, 9/08/12 vs. Portland State
Solo Tackles: 3 (2x), last 09/29/12 vs. Cal Poly

#83 JAMEER JACKSON, WR

» JACKSON'S CAREER RECEIVING

| YEAR | GP-GS | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|------------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 2012 | 5-2 | 18 | 274 | 15.2 | 4 | 34 |
| Totals | 5-2 | 18 | 274 | 15.2 | 4 | 34 |

» JACKSON'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Receptions: 6, 09/15/12 at San Diego State
Receiving Yards: 88, 4, 09/15/12 at San Diego State
Longest Reception: 34, 09/08/12 vs. Portland State
TDs Receiving: 2, 09/22/12 at Sacramento State

#30 CLORDION KENNEDY, S

» KENNEDY'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|------------|----------|----------|-----------|--------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2012 | 5-2 | 9 | 8 | 17 | 0.0-0 | 1-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 5-2 | 9 | 8 | 17 | 0.0-0 | 1-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |

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» KENNEDY'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 7, 09/26/12 vs. Cal Poly

#27 WILL LEWIS, S

» LEWIS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|------------|----------|----------|-----------|--------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2012 | 5-0 | 5 | 5 | 10 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 5-0 | 5 | 5 | 10 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |

» LEWIS' PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 5, 09/33/12 at Sacramento State

Solo Tackles: 2 (2x), last 09/22/12 at Sacramento State

#17 CHAVON MACKEY, DB

» MACKEY'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|------------|-----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2010 | 11-2 | 28 | 17 | 45 | 0.5-1 | 0-0 | 6 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2011 | 9-0 | 21 | 2 | 23 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 4 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2012 | 5-4 | 12 | 4 | 16 | 0.5-1 | 0-0 | 3 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 25-6 | 61 | 23 | 84 | 1.0-2 | 0-0 | 13 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |

» MACKEY'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 8, 09/24/11 vs. Black Hills State

Solo Tackles: 7 (2x), 09/24/11 vs. Black Hills State

Pass Break-ups: 2 (3x), 09/08/12 vs. Portland State

#23 ETHAN MAGSTADT, RB

MAGSTADT'S CAREER RUSHING/RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | ATT | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|-------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|------------|----------|-----------|
| 2009 | 4-0 | 4 | 7 | 1.75 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2010 | 7-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2011 | 10-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 22 | 5.5 | 0 | 12 |
| 2012 | 5-2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 6.5 | 0 | 11 |
| Totals | 26-2 | 4 | 7 | 1.8 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 35 | 5.8 | 0 | 12 |

» MAGSTADT'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Carries: 3, 09/19/09 at Northwestern State

Yards rushing: 11 yards, 09/15/12 at San Diego State

Receptions: 2, 09/10/11 at Idaho

Receiving yards: 12, 11/11/11 at UC Davis

#5 R.J. MCGILL, WR/KR

» MCGILL'S CAREER RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|--------------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 2010 | 11-0 | 19 | 119 | 6.3 | 0 | 16 |
| 2011 | 9-6 | 34 | 433 | 12.7 | 1 | 40 |
| 2012 | 5-5 | 22 | 275 | 12.5 | 1 | 36 |
| Totals | 25-11 | 75 | 827 | 11.0 | 2 | 40 |

CAREER KICK RETURN STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | NO | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 2010 | 11-1 | 12 | 258 | 21.5 | 0 | 54 |
| 2011 | 9-6 | 14 | 322 | 22.8 | 0 | 40 |
| 2012 | 5-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 24-7 | 26 | 580 | 22.3 | 0 | 54 |

» MCGILL'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Receptions: 7, 11/18/11 vs. South Dakota

Yards receiving: 89 (2x), last 11/18/11 vs. South Dakota

Long Reception: 40, 10/22/11 vs. Cal Poly

Long Kick Return: 54, 11/06/10 vs. UC Davis

#33 ERIK MERSEREAU, DB/PR

» MERSEREAU'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|-------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2009 | 11-0 | 10 | 2 | 12 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2010 | 7-0 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 0.0-0 | 1-28 | 1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2011 | 11-0 | 23 | 6 | 29 | 0.0-0 | 1-0 | 2 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2012 | 5-4 | 10 | 7 | 17 | 0.5-1 | 1-39 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 34-4 | 47 | 16 | 63 | 0.5-1 | 2-67 | 3 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |

» MERSEREAU'S CAREER PUNT RETURN STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | NO | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 2009 | 11-0 | 5 | 95 | 19.0 | 0 | 49 |
| 2010 | 7-0 | 5 | 32 | 6.4 | 0 | 17 |
| 2011 | 11-0 | 13 | 236 | 18.2 | 1 | 79 |
| 2012 | 5-4 | 9 | 47 | 5.2 | 0 | 17 |
| Totals | 34-4 | 32 | 410 | 12.8 | 1 | 79 |

» MERSEREAU'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 8, 10/08/11 vs. Montana Western

Solo Tackles: 8, 10/08/11 vs. Montana Western

Interceptions: 1 (3x), last 9/22/12 at Sacramento State

Punt Return yards: 94, 09/24/11 vs. Black Hills State

Longest return: 79 yards, 09/10/11 at Idaho

#3 JAKE MILLER, RB

» MILLER'S CAREER RUSHING // RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | ATT | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|--------------|------------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|
| 2010 | 10-0 | 35 | 197 | 5.6 | 3 | 39 | 1 | 4 | 4.0 | 0 | 4 |
| 2011 | 11-8 | 195 | 942 | 4.8 | 13 | 70 | 16 | 142 | 8.9 | 1 | 31 |
| 2012 | 5-5 | 45 | 297 | 6.6 | 1 | 51 | 3 | 17 | 5.7 | 0 | 9 |
| Totals | 26-13 | 275 | 1436 | 5.2 | 17 | 70 | 20 | 163 | 8.1 | 1 | 31 |

» MILLER'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Carries: 32, 10/01/11 at Southern Utah

Yards rushing: 181, 09/24/11 vs. Black Hills State

Rushing touchdowns: 4, 10/08/11 vs. Montana Western

Receptions: 4, 10/29/11 at Northern Colorado

Yards receiving: 42, 10/29/11 at Northern Colorado

#11 ZEB MILLER, PK

» MILLER'S CAREER FIELD GOAL KICKING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | FG-FGA | PCT. | LONG | PATS | PCT. |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|--------------|-------------|
| 2010 | 11-11 | 9-15 | .600 | 44 | 31-31 | 1.000 |
| 2011 | 11-11 | 15-19 | .789 | 54 | 31-32 | .969 |
| 2012 | 5-5 | 5-7 | .714 | 50 | 18-19 | .947 |
| Totals | 27-27 | 29-41 | .707 | 54 | 80-82 | .972 |

» MILLER'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Long Field Goal: 54 yards, 10/29/11 at Northern Colorado

Field Goals Made: 4, 10/22/11 vs. Cal Poly

#45 JAY NELSON, DL

» NELSON'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|-----------|---------------|
| 2009 | 5-0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2010 | 10-1 | 12 | 8 | 20 | 3.0-12 | 0-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 1.5-9 |
| 2011 | 11-6 | 19 | 4 | 23 | 10.5-49 | 0-0 | 3 | 0-0 | 2 | 6 | 4.0-26 |
| 2012 | 5-5 | 9 | 7 | 16 | 1.0-5 | 0-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 31-12 | 41 | 21 | 62 | 14.5-66 | 0-0 | 5 | 0-0 | 2 | 10 | 5.5-35 |

» NELSON'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 7, 9/08/12 vs. Portland State

Solo Tackles: 3 (3x), 9/08/12 vs. Portland State

Sacks: 1 (5x), last 10/29/11 at Northern Colorado

Forced Fumbles: 2, 10/29/11 at Northern Colorado

#15 SETH NICHOLS, TE

NICHOLS' RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|
| 2011 | 10-3 | 13 | 109 | 8.4 | 1 | 25 |
| 2012 | 5-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Totals | 15-3 | 15 | 109 | 7.3 | 2 | 25 |

» NICHOLS' PERSONAL HIGHS

Receptions: 4 (2x), 11/04/11 vs. Sioux Falls

Yards receiving: 41, 11/04/11 vs. Sioux Falls

Receiving touchdowns: 1, 11/18/11 vs. South Dakota

#57 BRIAN OTTO, LB

» OTTO'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-----------|--------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2010 | 2-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2011 | 11-0 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| 2012 | 5-1 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 0.5-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |
| Totals | 18-1 | 10 | 4 | 14 | 0.5-1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0-0 |

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» OTTO'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 3 (2x), last 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Solo Tackles: 3, 10/08/11 vs. Montana Western

#52 BEN PETERS, LB

» PETERS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2011 | 11-0 | 10 | 3 | 13 | 2.5-3 | 0-0 | 0 | 1-0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0-0 |
| 2012 | 5-4 | 11 | 11 | 22 | 1.0-2 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 1 | 0-0-0 |
| Totals | 16-4 | 21 | 14 | 35 | 3.5-5 | 0-0 | 0 | 1-0 | 0 | 1 | 0-0-0 |

» PETERS' PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 5 (3x), last 09/15/12 at San Diego State
Solo tackles: 5, 09/15/12 at San Diego State

#39 ADAM SHAUGABAY, RB

» SHAUGABAY'S CAREER RUSHING // RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | ATT | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|------------|----------|----------|
| 2011 | 11-0 | 12 | 62 | 5.2 | 1 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2012 | 2-0 | 10 | 49 | 4.9 | 1 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 2-0 | 22 | 111 | 5.0 | 1 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |

» SHAUGABAY'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Carries: 10, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Yards rushing: 49, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Longest rush: 21, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines
TDs rushing: 1 (2x), last 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines

#20 P.J. SPARKS, RB

» SPARKS' CAREER RUSHING // RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | ATT | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|------------|----------|----------|
| 2012 | 3-0 | 12 | 97 | 8.1 | 1 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 3-0 | 12 | 97 | 8.1 | 1 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |

» SPARKS' PERSONAL HIGHS

Carries: 12, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Yards rushing: 97, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Longest rush: 40, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines
TDs rushing: 1, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines

#85 SETH STANCHIK, DL

» STANCHIK'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|-------------|----------|----------|-----------|--------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2010 | 5-0 | 5 | 3 | 8 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0-0 |
| 2011 | 5-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0-0 |
| 2012 | 5-0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1.0-3 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0-0-0 |
| Totals | 15-0 | 8 | 6 | 14 | 1.0-3 | 0-0 | 1 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0-0-0 |

» STANCHIK'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 5, 09/18/10 vs. Northeastern State
Solo Tackles: 4, 09/18/10 vs. Northeastern State

#28 MITCH SUTTON, RB

» SUTTON'S CAREER RUSHING // RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | ATT | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|--------------|------------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 2009 | 11-7 | 149 | 689 | 4.6 | 6 | 47 | 27 | 280 | 10.4 | 1 | 51 |
| 2010 | 9-2 | 68 | 288 | 4.2 | 2 | 50 | 15 | 148 | 9.9 | 0 | 26 |
| 2011 | 8-3 | 76 | 290 | 3.8 | 0 | 33 | 4 | 31 | 7.8 | 0 | 13 |
| 2012 | 5-0 | 66 | 317 | 4.8 | 7 | 32 | 8 | 112 | 14.0 | 0 | 33 |
| Totals | 33-12 | 359 | 1584 | 4.4 | 15 | 50 | 54 | 571 | 10.6 | 1 | 51 |

» SUTTON'S CAREER PASSING // PUNT RETURN STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | COMP | ATT | PCT | YDS | LONG | NO | YDS | TD | LONG |
|---------------|--------------|----------|----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| 2009 | 11-7 | 1 | 2 | .500 | 17 | 17 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 13 |
| 2010 | 9-2 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2011 | 8-3 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2012 | 5-0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 33-12 | 1 | 2 | .500 | 17 | 17 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 13 |

» SUTTON'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Carries: 30, 10/31/09 vs. Cal Poly
Yards rushing: 190 yards, 10/03/09 vs. South Dakota
TDs rushing: 3, 09/22/12 at Sacramento State
Receptions: 5 (5x), last 9/29/12 vs. Cal Poly
Yards receiving: 73, 10/30/10 vs. Lamar
TDs receiving: 1, 10/03/09 vs. South Dakota
Longest reception: 51 yards, 11/07/09 vs. Southern Oregon

#86 BLAIR TOWNSEND, WR

» TOWNSEND'S CAREER RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 2011 | 11-4 | 13 | 129 | 9.9 | 2 | 16 |
| 2012 | 5-0 | 1 | 11 | 11.0 | 1 | 11 |
| Totals | 16-4 | 14 | 140 | 10.0 | 3 | 16 |

TOWNSEND'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Receptions: 3 (3x), last 11/18/11 vs. South Dakota
Receiving Yards: 38, 10/29/11 at Northern Colorado
Receiving touchdowns: 1 (3x), last 08/30/12

#92 E.J. WELCH, DL

» WELCH'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | UA | A | TOT | TFL | INT | PBU | RF | FF | QBH | SACK |
|---------------|------------|----------|----------|----------|--------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| 2012 | 4-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0-0 |
| Totals | 4-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0.0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0-0-0 |

» WELCH'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Tackles: 2, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines
Solo Tackles: 1, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines

#47 SETH WISTHOFF, TE

» WISTHOFF'S CAREER RECEIVING STATISTICS

| YEAR | GP-GS | REC | YDS | AVG | TD | LONG |
|---------------|--------------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 2010 | 11-10 | 6 | 67 | 11.1 | 0 | 23 |
| 2011 | 11-10 | 7 | 76 | 10.9 | 0 | 17 |
| 2012 | 5-4 | 3 | 29 | 9.7 | 1 | 14 |
| Totals | 27-24 | 16 | 172 | 10.8 | 1 | 23 |

» WISTHOFF'S PERSONAL HIGHS

Receptions: 2, 11/11/11 at UC Davis
Receiving yards: 23, 09/18/10 vs. Northeastern State
Receiving TDs: 1, 08/30/12 vs. SD Mines

2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

COMBINED STATISTICS

| Date | Opponent | Score | Att. |
|----------------|---------------------|---------|-------|
| Aug 30, 2012 | SD MINES | W 66-0 | 8847 |
| Sep 07, 2012 | PSU | W 45-37 | 9210 |
| Sep 15, 2012 | at San Diego State | L 41-49 | 24826 |
| * Sep 22, 2012 | at Sacramento State | W 35-13 | 10774 |
| * Sep 26, 2012 | #23 CAL POLY | L 17-35 | 9531 |

| Rushing | gp-gs | att | gain | loss | net | avg | td | lg | avg/g |
|--------------------|-------|-----|------|------|------|------|----|----|-------|
| Mitch Sutton | 5-0 | 66 | 320 | 3 | 317 | 4.8 | 7 | 32 | 63.4 |
| Jake Miller | 5-5 | 45 | 319 | 22 | 297 | 6.6 | 1 | 51 | 59.4 |
| Marcus Hendrickson | 5-4 | 39 | 220 | 36 | 184 | 4.7 | 1 | 18 | 36.8 |
| P.J. Sparks | 3-0 | 12 | 97 | 0 | 97 | 8.1 | 1 | 45 | 32.3 |
| Adam Shaugabay | 2-0 | 10 | 51 | 2 | 49 | 4.9 | 1 | 21 | 24.5 |
| R.J. McGill | 5-5 | 2 | 20 | 0 | 20 | 10.0 | 0 | 12 | 4.0 |
| Jer Garman | 3-0 | 5 | 18 | 3 | 15 | 3.0 | 0 | 10 | 5.0 |
| Romon Bridges | 5-0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 7.0 | 0 | 7 | 1.4 |
| Daryl Brown | 4-4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 1 | 0.2 |
| Braden Hanson | 1-1 | 4 | 1 | 11 | -10 | -2.5 | 0 | 1 | -10.0 |
| TEAM | 3-0 | 6 | 0 | 18 | -18 | -3.0 | 0 | 0 | -6.0 |
| Total | 5 | 191 | 1054 | 95 | 959 | 5.0 | 11 | 51 | 191.8 |
| Opponents | 5 | 197 | 1181 | 75 | 1106 | 5.6 | 8 | 65 | 221.2 |

| Passing | gp-gs | effic | comp-att-int | pct | yds | td | lg | avg/g |
|--------------------|-------|---------|--------------|------|------|----|----|-------|
| Marcus Hendrickson | 5-4 | 158.93 | 84-144-3 | 58.3 | 1246 | 14 | 66 | 249.2 |
| Braden Hanson | 1-1 | 252.80 | 13-14-0 | 92.9 | 188 | 2 | 43 | 188.0 |
| Blair Townsend | 5-0 | -200.00 | 0-1-1 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 5 | 164.94 | 97-159-4 | 61.0 | 1434 | 16 | 66 | 286.8 |
| Opponents | 5 | 130.90 | 80-140-4 | 57.1 | 971 | 9 | 65 | 194.2 |

| Receiving | gp-gs | no. | yds | avg | td | lg | avg/g |
|----------------|-------|-----|------|------|----|----|-------|
| Greg Hardin | 5-5 | 24 | 495 | 20.6 | 7 | 66 | 99.0 |
| R.J. McGill | 5-5 | 22 | 275 | 12.5 | 1 | 36 | 55.0 |
| Jameer Jackson | 5-2 | 18 | 274 | 15.2 | 4 | 34 | 54.8 |
| Kenny Golladay | 4-1 | 10 | 158 | 15.8 | 0 | 55 | 39.5 |
| Mitch Sutton | 5-0 | 8 | 112 | 14.0 | 0 | 33 | 22.4 |
| Seth Wisthoff | 5-4 | 3 | 29 | 9.7 | 1 | 14 | 5.8 |
| Jake Miller | 5-5 | 3 | 17 | 5.7 | 0 | 9 | 3.4 |
| Tyrhe Ivery | 4-0 | 2 | 26 | 13.0 | 1 | 15 | 6.5 |
| Ethan Magstadt | 5-3 | 2 | 13 | 6.5 | 0 | 11 | 2.6 |
| Seth Nichols | 5-0 | 2 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 1 | 0.0 |
| Jon Heimler | 4-0 | 1 | 16 | 16.0 | 0 | 16 | 4.0 |
| Blair Townsend | 5-0 | 1 | 11 | 11.0 | 1 | 11 | 2.2 |
| Romon Bridges | 5-0 | 1 | 8 | 8.0 | 0 | 8 | 1.6 |
| Total | 5 | 97 | 1434 | 14.8 | 16 | 66 | 286.8 |
| Opponents | 5 | 80 | 971 | 12.1 | 9 | 65 | 194.2 |

| Field Goals | fg | pct. | 01-19 | 20-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50-99 | lg | blk |
|-------------|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----|-----|
| Zeb Miller | 5-7 | 71.4 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 1-2 | 1-1 | 1-2 | 50 | 1 |

| Scoring | td | fg | kick | rush | rcv | pass | dxp | saf | pts |
|--------------------|----|-----|-------|------|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Greg Hardin | 7 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 42 |
| Mitch Sutton | 7 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 42 |
| Zeb Miller | - | 5-7 | 24-24 | - | - | - | - | - | 39 |
| Jameer Jackson | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 24 |
| Jake Miller | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| Tyrhe Ivery | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| Seth Nichols | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| P.J. Sparks | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| Blair Townsend | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| Seth Wisthoff | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| Adam Shaugabay | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| R.J. McGill | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| Marcus Hendrickson | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| Tanner Naastad | - | - | 3-3 | - | - | - | - | - | 3 |
| Total | 27 | 5-7 | 27-27 | - | - | - | - | - | 204 |
| Opponents | 18 | 3-9 | 15-16 | 1-2 | - | - | - | - | 134 |

| Score by Quarters | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | OT | Total |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-------|
| North Dakota | 49 | 72 | 41 | 42 | 0 | 204 |
| Opponents | 51 | 29 | 7 | 47 | 0 | 134 |

| Record: | Overall | Home | Away | Neutral |
|----------------|---------|------|------|---------|
| All games | 3-2 | 2-1 | 1-1 | 0-0 |
| Conference | 1-1 | 0-1 | 1-0 | 0-0 |
| Non-Conference | 2-1 | 2-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 |

| Team Statistics | UND | OPP |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|
| FIRST DOWNS | 115 | 101 |
| Rushing | 43 | 53 |
| Passing | 60 | 39 |
| Penalty | 12 | 9 |
| RUSHING YARDAGE | 959 | 1106 |
| Rushing Attempts | 191 | 197 |
| Average Per Rush | 5.0 | 5.6 |
| Average Per Game | 191.8 | 221.2 |
| TDs Rushing | 11 | 8 |
| PASSING YARDAGE | 1434 | 971 |
| Comp-Att-Int | 97-159-4 | 80-140-4 |
| Average Per Pass | 9.0 | 6.9 |
| Average Per Catch | 14.8 | 12.1 |
| Average Per Game | 286.8 | 194.2 |
| TDs Passing | 16 | 9 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE | 2393 | 2077 |
| Average Per Play | 6.8 | 6.2 |
| Average Per Game | 478.6 | 415.4 |
| KICK RETURNS: #-Yards | 13-238 | 19-396 |
| PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards | 10-77 | 2-51 |
| INT RETURNS: #-Yards | 4-45 | 4-58 |
| FUMBLES-LOST | 9-3 | 6-3 |
| PENALTIES-Yards | 38-299 | 36-332 |
| PUNTS-AVG | 17-41.6 | 22-39.2 |
| TIME OF POSSESSION/Game | 32:18 | 27:42 |
| 3RD-DOWN Conversions | 26/61 | 26/64 |
| 4TH-DOWN Conversions | 3/6 | 0/5 |

| Interceptions | no. | yds | avg | td | lg |
|-------------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| Dominique Bennett | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Clordion Kennedy | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cordero Finley | 1 | 6 | 6.0 | 0 | 6 |
| Erik Mersereau | 1 | 39 | 39.0 | 0 | 39 |

| Punting | no. | yds | avg | lg | tb | fc | i20 | 50+ | blk |
|---------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| Brett Cameron | 17 | 708 | 41.6 | 59 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 0 |

| Punt Returns | no. | yds | avg | td | lg |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| Erik Mersereau | 9 | 47 | 5.2 | 0 | 17 |
| Casey Young | 1 | 30 | 30.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 10 | 77 | 7.7 | 0 | 17 |
| Opponents | 2 | 51 | 25.5 | 0 | 31 |

| Kick Returns | no. | yds | avg | td | lg |
|---------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| Daryl Brown | 6 | 129 | 21.5 | 0 | 33 |
| Greg Hardin | 3 | 62 | 20.7 | 0 | 28 |
| Romon Bridges | 3 | 43 | 14.3 | 0 | 25 |
| Seth Wisthoff | 1 | 4 | 4.0 | 0 | 4 |
| Total | 13 | 238 | 18.3 | 0 | 33 |
| Opponents | 19 | 396 | 20.8 | 0 | 39 |

| All Purpose | g | rush | rcv | pr | kr | ir | total | avg/g |
|----------------|---|------|------|----|-----|----|-------|-------|
| Greg Hardin | 5 | 0 | 495 | 0 | 62 | 0 | 557 | 111.4 |
| Mitch Sutton | 5 | 317 | 112 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 429 | 85.8 |
| Jake Miller | 5 | 297 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 314 | 62.8 |
| R.J. McGill | 5 | 20 | 275 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 295 | 59.0 |
| Jameer Jackson | 5 | 0 | 274 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 274 | 54.8 |
| Total | 5 | 959 | 1434 | 77 | 238 | 45 | 2753 | 550.6 |
| Opponents | 5 | 1106 | 971 | 51 | 396 | 58 | 2582 | 516.4 |

| Total Offense | g | plays | rush | pass | total | avg/g |
|--------------------|---|-------|------|------|-------|-------|
| Marcus Hendrickson | 5 | 183 | 184 | 1246 | 1430 | 286.0 |
| Mitch Sutton | 5 | 66 | 317 | 0 | 317 | 63.4 |
| Jake Miller | 5 | 45 | 297 | 0 | 297 | 59.4 |
| Braden Hanson | 1 | 18 | -10 | 188 | 178 | 178.0 |
| P.J. Sparks | 3 | 12 | 97 | 0 | 97 | 32.3 |
| Total | 5 | 350 | 959 | 1434 | 2393 | 478.6 |

2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

TEAM STATISTICS

| Team Statistics | UND | OPP |
|-------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| SCORING | 204 | 134 |
| Points Per Game | 40.8 | 26.8 |
| FIRST DOWNS | 115 | 101 |
| Rushing | 43 | 53 |
| Passing | 60 | 39 |
| Penalty | 12 | 9 |
| RUSHING YARDAGE | 959 | 1106 |
| Yards gained rushing | 1054 | 1181 |
| Yards lost rushing | 95 | 75 |
| Rushing Attempts | 191 | 197 |
| Average Per Rush | 5.0 | 5.6 |
| Average Per Game | 191.8 | 221.2 |
| TDs Rushing | 11 | 8 |
| PASSING YARDAGE | 1434 | 971 |
| Comp-Att-Int | 97-159-4 | 80-140-4 |
| Average Per Pass | 9.0 | 6.9 |
| Average Per Catch | 14.8 | 12.1 |
| Average Per Game | 286.8 | 194.2 |
| TDs Passing | 16 | 9 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE | 2393 | 2077 |
| Total Plays | 350 | 337 |
| Average Per Play | 6.8 | 6.2 |
| Average Per Game | 478.6 | 415.4 |
| KICK RETURNS: #-Yards | 13-238 | 19-396 |
| PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards | 10-77 | 2-51 |
| INT RETURNS: #-Yards | 4-45 | 4-58 |
| KICK RETURN AVERAGE | 18.3 | 20.8 |
| PUNT RETURN AVERAGE | 7.7 | 25.5 |
| INT RETURN AVERAGE | 11.2 | 14.5 |
| FUMBLES-LOST | 9-3 | 6-3 |
| PENALTIES-Yards | 38-299 | 36-332 |
| Average Per Game | 59.8 | 66.4 |
| PUNTS-Yards | 17-708 | 22-862 |
| Average Per Punt | 41.6 | 39.2 |
| Net punt average | 35.1 | 34.8 |
| KICKOFFS-Yards | 37-2307 | 25-1515 |
| Average Per Kick | 62.4 | 60.6 |
| Net kick average | 50.2 | 40.1 |
| TIME OF POSSESSION/Game | 32:18 | 27:42 |
| 3RD-DOWN Conversions | 26/61 | 26/64 |
| 3rd-Down Pct | 43% | 41% |
| 4TH-DOWN Conversions | 3/6 | 0/5 |
| 4th-Down Pct | 50% | 0% |
| SACKS BY-Yards | 7-40 | 11-42 |
| MISC YARDS | 20 | 0 |
| TOUCHDOWNS SCORED | 27 | 18 |
| FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS | 5-7 | 3-9 |
| ON-SIDE KICKS | 0-0 | 0-1 |
| RED-ZONE SCORES | (19-21) 90% | (13-16) 81% |
| RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS | (16-21) 76% | (11-16) 69% |
| PAT-ATTEMPTS | (27-27) 100% | (15-16) 94% |
| ATTENDANCE | 27588 | 35600 |
| Games/Avg Per Game | 3/9196 | 2/17800 |
| Neutral Site Games | | 0/0 |

| Score by Quarters | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | OT | Total |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-------|
| North Dakota | 49 | 72 | 41 | 42 | 0 | 204 |
| Opponents | 51 | 29 | 7 | 47 | 0 | 134 |

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2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| # | Defensive Leaders | gp-gs | Tackles | | | | tfl/yds | Sacks no-yds | Pass defense | | | Fumbles | | blkd | |
|-----------|--------------------|-------|---------|-----|-----|--------|---------|-----------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|----|------|-----|
| | | | ua | a | tot | | | | int-yds | brup | qbh | rcv-yds | ff | kick | saf |
| 53 | Garrison Goodman | 5-4 | 16 | 19 | 35 | 2.5-6 | . | . | 1 | 1 | 1-0 | . | 1 | . | |
| 52 | Ben Peters | 5-5 | 11 | 11 | 22 | 1.0-2 | . | . | . | 3 | . | . | . | . | |
| 26 | Chris Hall | 5-2 | 15 | 5 | 20 | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 98 | Ross Brenneman | 5-5 | 11 | 8 | 19 | 1.5-4 | 1.0-3 | . | 4 | 1 | 1-0 | . | 1 | . | |
| 30 | Clordion Kennedy | 5-3 | 9 | 8 | 17 | . | . | 1-0 | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 33 | Erik Mersereau | 5-4 | 10 | 7 | 17 | 0.5-1 | . | 1-39 | 3 | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 90 | Devin Benjamin | 5-5 | 5 | 12 | 17 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 17 | Chavon Mackey | 5-4 | 12 | 4 | 16 | 0.5-0 | . | . | 3 | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 34 | Cordero Finley | 5-5 | 6 | 10 | 16 | . | . | 1-6 | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 25 | Damon Andrews | 5-5 | 9 | 6 | 15 | . | . | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 45 | Jay Nelson | 5-5 | 8 | 7 | 15 | 1.0-5 | 1.0-5 | . | 1 | 3 | . | . | . | . | |
| 40 | Baylee Carr | 5-2 | 6 | 7 | 13 | 0.5-1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 46 | Dominique Bennett | 5-0 | 9 | 4 | 13 | 2.0-10 | 1.0-6 | 1-0 | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 29 | Derrick Goard | 5-0 | 6 | 7 | 13 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 22 | Myles Jablonski | 4-0 | 7 | 5 | 12 | 4.0-21 | 2.0-17 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 27 | Will Lewis | 5-1 | 5 | 5 | 10 | . | . | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 51 | Will Ratelle | 3-0 | 4 | 4 | 8 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 69 | Ben Henson | 5-0 | 1 | 6 | 7 | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | |
| 57 | Brian Otto | 5-1 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 0.5-1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 16 | Romon Bridges | 5-0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 91 | Spencer Cummings | 5-0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1.0-3 | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | |
| 1 | Tyrhe Ivery | 4-0 | 3 | 1 | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 4 | Daryl Brown | 4-4 | 3 | 1 | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | 1-0 | . | . | . | |
| 85 | Seth Stanchik | 5-0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1.0-3 | . | . | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | |
| 37 | Javen Butler | 5-0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 10 | Rumeal Harris | 3-0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 44 | Alex Hickel | 4-0 | 3 | . | 3 | 1.0-8 | 1.0-8 | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | |
| 23 | Ethan Magstadt | 5-3 | . | 3 | 3 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 58 | Garrett Reineke | 5-0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 97 | Kyle Woodsmall | 2-0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2.0-3 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 21 | Chris Brown | 3-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 92 | E.J. Welch | 4-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 87 | Casey Young | 5-0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | |
| 13 | Marcus Hendrickson | 5-4 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 55 | Dwayne Pecosky | 2-0 | 1 | . | 1 | 1.0-3 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 9 | Dillon Olson | 1-0 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 83 | Jameer Jackson | 5-2 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 81 | Taylor Grant | 5-0 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 80 | Jon Heimler | 4-0 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 8 | Dwayne Brown | 2-0 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | |
| 67 | Shea Walker | 5-0 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | |
| Total | | 5 | 182 | 164 | 346 | 20-71 | 7-40 | 4-45 | 18 | 12 | 3-0 | 1 | 4 | . | |
| Opponents | | 5 | 181 | 156 | 337 | 27-77 | 11-42 | 4-58 | 9 | 10 | 3-0 | 4 | 1 | . | |

2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

TEAM GAME-BY-GAME

| Date | Opponent | Rushing | | | | Receiving | | | | Passing | | | | Kick Returns | | | | Punt Returns | | | | tot off | | |
|-----------|---------------------|---------|------|----|----|-----------|------|----|----|---------|-----|-----|------|--------------|----|-----|-----|--------------|----|-----|-----|---------|----|------|
| | | no. | yds | td | lg | no. | yds | td | lg | cmp | att | int | yds | td | lg | no. | yds | td | lg | no. | yds | | td | lg |
| Aug 30 | SD MINES | 48 | 370 | 5 | 45 | 18 | 283 | 4 | 44 | 18 | 20 | 0 | 283 | 4 | 44 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 40 | 0 | 17 | 653 |
| Sep 07 | PSU | 35 | 107 | 0 | 18 | 16 | 294 | 6 | 66 | 16 | 25 | 0 | 294 | 6 | 66 | 7 | 152 | 0 | 33 | 2 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 401 |
| Sep 15 | at San Diego State | 27 | 55 | 1 | 17 | 27 | 434 | 4 | 53 | 27 | 50 | 1 | 434 | 4 | 53 | 2 | 22 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 489 |
| Sep 22 | at Sacramento State | 43 | 294 | 3 | 51 | 14 | 147 | 2 | 32 | 14 | 23 | 1 | 147 | 2 | 32 | 2 | 34 | 0 | 19 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 441 |
| Sep 26 | CAL POLY | 38 | 133 | 2 | 11 | 22 | 276 | 0 | 55 | 22 | 41 | 2 | 276 | 0 | 55 | 2 | 30 | 0 | 18 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 7 | 409 |
| Opponents | | 191 | 959 | 11 | 51 | 97 | 1434 | 16 | 66 | 97 | 159 | 4 | 1434 | 16 | 66 | 13 | 238 | 0 | 33 | 10 | 77 | 0 | 17 | 2393 |
| Opponents | | 197 | 1106 | 8 | 65 | 80 | 971 | 9 | 65 | 80 | 140 | 4 | 971 | 9 | 65 | 19 | 396 | 0 | 39 | 2 | 51 | 0 | 31 | 2077 |

Games played: 5
 Avg per rush: 5.0
 Avg per catch: 14.8
 Pass efficiency: 164.94
 Kick ret avg: 18.3
 Punt ret avg: 7.7
 All purpose avg/game: 550.6
 Total offense avg/gm: 478.6

| Date | Opponent | Tackles | | | | Sacks no-yds | Fumble | | Pass Defense | | | Blkd kick | PAT Attempts | | | saf | pts | |
|-----------|---------------------|---------|-----|-------|---------|--------------|--------|--------|--------------|-----|------|-----------|--------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | | ua | a | total | tfl-yds | | ff | fr-yds | int-yds | qbh | brup | | kick | rush | rcv | | | |
| Aug 30 | SD MINES | 30 | 26 | 56 | 6.0-19 | 1.0-8 | 1 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 9-9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 66 |
| Sep 07 | PSU | 32 | 52 | 84 | 5.0-14 | 1.0-5 | 0 | 0-0 | 2-6 | 4 | 9 | 3 | 6-6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 45 |
| Sep 15 | at San Diego State | 44 | 8 | 52 | 2.0-9 | 1.0-6 | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 5-5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 41 |
| Sep 22 | at Sacramento State | 36 | 54 | 90 | 4.0-17 | 3.0-13 | 0 | 1-0 | 2-39 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 5-5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| Sep 26 | CAL POLY | 40 | 24 | 64 | 3.0-12 | 1.0-7 | 0 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2-2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| Opponents | | 182 | 164 | 346 | 20.0-71 | 6.0-39 | 1 | 3-0 | 4-45 | 12 | 18 | 4 | 27-27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 204 |
| Opponents | | 181 | 156 | 337 | 27.0-77 | 11.0-43 | 4 | 3-0 | 4-58 | 10 | 9 | 1 | 15-16 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 134 |

| Date | Opponent | Punting | | | | | | | Field Goals | | | Kickoffs | | | | | | |
|-----------|---------------------|---------|-----|------|------|------|----|----|-------------|-----|--------|----------|------|-----|------|------|----|----|
| | | no. | yds | avg | long | blkd | tb | fc | 50+ | i20 | md-att | long | blkd | no. | yds | avg | tb | ob |
| Aug 30 | SD MINES | 1 | 24 | 24.0 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1-1 | 22 | 0 | 11 | 678 | 61.6 | 4 | 0 |
| Sep 07 | PSU | 7 | 278 | 39.7 | 51 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1-2 | 50 | 0 | 8 | 476 | 59.5 | 3 | 0 |
| Sep 15 | at San Diego State | 2 | 87 | 43.5 | 51 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2-2 | 43 | 0 | 8 | 506 | 63.2 | 2 | 1 |
| Sep 22 | at Sacramento State | 5 | 237 | 47.4 | 59 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 387 | 64.5 | 3 | 0 |
| Sep 26 | CAL POLY | 2 | 82 | 41.0 | 42 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1-2 | 26 | 1 | 4 | 260 | 65.0 | 4 | 0 |
| Opponents | | 17 | 708 | 41.6 | 59 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 5-7 | 50 | 1 | 37 | 2307 | 62.4 | 16 | 1 |
| Opponents | | 22 | 862 | 39.2 | 59 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 8 | 3-9 | 44 | 3 | 25 | 1515 | 60.6 | 11 | 0 |

OPPONENT GAME-BY-GAME

| Date | Opponent | Rushing | | | | Receiving | | | | Passing | | | | Kick Returns | | | | Punt Returns | | | | tot off | | |
|--------------|---------------------|---------|------|----|----|-----------|------|----|----|---------|-----|-----|------|--------------|----|-----|-----|--------------|----|-----|-----|---------|----|------|
| | | no. | yds | td | lg | no. | yds | td | lg | cmp | att | int | yds | td | lg | no. | yds | td | lg | no. | yds | | td | lg |
| Aug 30 | SD MINES | 19 | 24 | 0 | 13 | 20 | 118 | 0 | 16 | 20 | 34 | 0 | 118 | 0 | 16 | 6 | 84 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 142 |
| Sep 07 | PSU | 38 | 214 | 1 | 51 | 21 | 301 | 3 | 65 | 21 | 42 | 2 | 301 | 3 | 65 | 5 | 114 | 0 | 39 | 1 | 31 | 0 | 31 | 515 |
| Sep 15 | at San Diego State | 42 | 292 | 3 | 43 | 11 | 241 | 3 | 44 | 11 | 19 | 0 | 241 | 3 | 44 | 5 | 120 | 0 | 39 | 1 | 20 | 0 | 20 | 533 |
| Sep 22 | at Sacramento State | 42 | 255 | 0 | 46 | 25 | 237 | 2 | 22 | 25 | 40 | 2 | 237 | 2 | 22 | 3 | 78 | 0 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 492 |
| Sep 26 | CAL POLY | 56 | 321 | 4 | 65 | 3 | 74 | 1 | 34 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 74 | 1 | 34 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 395 |
| North Dakota | | 197 | 1106 | 8 | 65 | 80 | 971 | 9 | 65 | 80 | 140 | 4 | 971 | 9 | 65 | 19 | 396 | 0 | 39 | 2 | 51 | 0 | 31 | 2077 |
| North Dakota | | 191 | 959 | 11 | 51 | 97 | 1434 | 16 | 66 | 97 | 159 | 4 | 1434 | 16 | 66 | 13 | 238 | 0 | 33 | 10 | 77 | 0 | 17 | 2393 |

Games played: 5
 Avg per rush: 5.6
 Avg per catch: 12.1
 Pass efficiency: 130.90
 Kick ret avg: 20.8
 Punt ret avg: 25.5
 All purpose avg/game: 516.4
 Total offense avg/gm: 415.4

| Date | Opponent | Tackles | | | | Sacks no-yds | Fumble | | Pass Defense | | | Blkd kick | PAT Attempts | | | saf | pts | |
|--------------|---------------------|---------|-----|-------|---------|--------------|--------|--------|--------------|-----|------|-----------|--------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | | ua | a | total | tfl-yds | | ff | fr-yds | int-yds | qbh | brup | | kick | rush | rcv | | | |
| Aug 30 | SD MINES | 33 | 44 | 77 | 4.0-13 | 2.0-7 | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sep 07 | PSU | 34 | 24 | 58 | 8.0-22 | 2.0-13 | 2 | 1-0 | 0-0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2-2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 37 |
| Sep 15 | at San Diego State | 35 | 16 | 51 | 8.0-30 | 4.0-18 | 0 | 0-0 | 1-28 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 7-7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 49 |
| Sep 22 | at Sacramento State | 35 | 44 | 79 | 5.0-9 | 2.0-4 | 0 | 0-0 | 1-5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1-2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| Sep 26 | CAL POLY | 44 | 28 | 72 | 2.0-3 | 1.0-1 | 2 | 2-0 | 2-25 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 5-5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| North Dakota | | 181 | 156 | 337 | 27.0-77 | 11.0-43 | 4 | 3-0 | 4-58 | 10 | 9 | 1 | 15-16 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 134 |
| North Dakota | | 182 | 164 | 346 | 20.0-71 | 6.0-39 | 1 | 3-0 | 4-45 | 12 | 18 | 4 | 27-27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 204 |

| Date | Opponent | Punting | | | | | | | Field Goals | | | Kickoffs | | | | | | |
|--------------|---------------------|---------|-----|------|------|------|----|----|-------------|-----|--------|----------|------|-----|------|------|----|----|
| | | no. | yds | avg | long | blkd | tb | fc | 50+ | i20 | md-att | long | blkd | no. | yds | avg | tb | ob |
| Aug 30 | SD MINES | 8 | 327 | 40.9 | 59 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0-1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 31 | 31.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sep 07 | PSU | 4 | 126 | 31.5 | 56 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3-5 | 44 | 2 | 8 | 482 | 60.2 | 1 | 0 |
| Sep 15 | at San Diego State | 2 | 96 | 48.0 | 51 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0-1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 500 | 62.5 | 6 | 0 |
| Sep 22 | at Sacramento State | 5 | 186 | 37.2 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0-1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 122 | 61.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sep 26 | CAL POLY | 3 | 127 | 42.3 | 48 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0-1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 380 | 63.3 | 4 | 0 |
| North Dakota | | 22 | 862 | 39.2 | 59 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 8 | 3-9 | 44 | 3 | 25 | 1515 | 60.6 | 11 | 0 |
| North Dakota | | 17 | 708 | 41.6 | 59 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 5-7 | 50 | 1 | 37 | 2307 | 62.4 | 16 | 1 |

GAME 1



Aug. 30, 2012 • Alerus Center (Grand Forks, N.D.)

GRAND FORKS, N.D. -- North Dakota racked up a school-record 653 yards of total offense, with 370 coming on the ground, and rolled to a 66-0 win over South Dakota Mines in the 2012 season opener at the Alerus Center.

UND's yardage total topped a 38-year old record, while its 66 points represented its highest scoring output in a season opener.

Junior running back Jake Miller paced the ground attack with 178 yards and a touchdown on 12 carries. Backfield mates P.J. Sparks (12-97-1), Mitch Sutton (8-61-2) and Adam Shaugabay (10-51-1) also contributed to a running game that averaged a robust 7.7 yards per carry.

Fifth-year transfer Braden Hanson, making his first collegiate start, completed 13-of-14 passes for 188 yards and a pair of scoring strikes before leaving with an injury in the second quarter. The only throw the left-hander missed on was a throw away.

Senior Marcus Hendrickson went the rest of the way in relief of Hanson and completed 5-of-6 passes for 95 yards and two touchdowns.

Ten different offensive players caught passes for UND, led by Greg Hardin (3-103-1). Jameer Jackson and R.J. McGill each hauled in four receptions.

UND was equally dominant on the defensive side of the ball en route to pitching its second straight shutout in a season opener. The Hardrockers managed just 142 yards of total offense and 1.3 yards per play.

Senior Seth Wisthoff opened the scoring by hauling in his first collegiate touchdown reception from 14 yards out. Hanson then found Jackson on a crossing route for his next scoring pass, but the rookie wideout had to fall on his own fumble in the end zone to secure his first collegiate score.

Hanson would engineer 24 points in his four drives on the night as he opened the game connecting on his first eight passes. Sutton scored from 1-yard out on the next possession to make it a 31-0 lead for the home team.

Hendrickson would add his first two passing touchdowns of his career before the half ended to cap a 31-point outburst in the second quarter. His first was a 44-yard pitch-and-catch to Hardin, who had his fifth 100-yard receiving game of his career. Hendrickson capped the scoring with an 11-yard strike to junior Blair Townsend.

The second half was much of the same for both the UND offense and a stirring defensive unit. Miller found the end zone on a 36-yard rush for the 17th time of his career for the lone score in the third quarter. Sparks then tallied his first career points on a 2-yard run before Shaugabay ended the route with a 21-yard scamper.

Middle linebackers Garrison Goodman and Ben Peters paced a defense, which allowed only nine first downs, including three in the first half, with five tackles a piece. Goodman also recovered a fumble, which was the lone turnover in the game.

GAME NOTES: Game captains were seniors Ross Brenneman, Ian McGurran, Caleb Gillson and Seth Nichols ... Senior tight end Seth Wisthoff scored his first career touchdown on a 14-yard reception from Braden Hanson, which was the left-hander's first collegiate scoring strike as well ... Hanson completed the first eight passes of the game, finishing 13-for-14 (92.8 percentage) for 188 yards and two touchdowns ... Senior Marcus Hendrickson's first pass of the season went for a 44-yard touchdown to Greg Hardin. The scoring strike was also the first of his collegiate career ... Hardin finished the game with three receptions for 103 yards, marking his fifth career 100-yard receiving game. The receiving score was the 13th of his career (14 total).

Quickie Statistics (Final)
SD Mines vs North Dakota (Aug 30, 2012 at Grand Forks, N.D.)

| | | SDSMT | UND |
|----------------------------|--|---------|---------|
| Score | | 0 | 66 |
| FIRST DOWNS | | 9 | 29 |
| RUSHES-YARDS (NET) | | 19-24 | 48-370 |
| PASSING YDS (NET) | | 118 | 283 |
| Passes Att-Comp-Int | | 34-20-0 | 20-18-0 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS | | 53-142 | 68-653 |
| Fumble Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Punt Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | 5-40 |
| Kickoff Returns-Yards | | 6-84 | 0-0 |
| Interception Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Punts (Number-Avg) | | 8-40.9 | 1-24.0 |
| Fumbles-Lost | | 2-1 | 2-0 |
| Penalties-Yards | | 4-35 | 10-97 |
| Possession Time | | 26:29 | 33:31 |
| Third-Down Conversions | | 4 of 15 | 4 of 7 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions | | 0 of 1 | 0 of 0 |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances | | 0-0 | 6-6 |

| SD Mines | | North Dakota | |
|------------------------------|--|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| Rushing | No. Gain Loss Net TD Lg Avg | Rushing | No. Gain Loss Net TD Lg Avg |
| Jahmel Rover | 6 26 3 23 0 13 3.8 | Jake Miller | 12 178 0 178 1 40 14.8 |
| Chris Sawdey | 8 13 2 11 0 4 1.4 | P.J. Sparks | 12 97 0 97 1 45 8.1 |
| Deshawn Scott | 3 4 3 1 0 3 0.3 | Mitch Sutton | 8 61 0 61 2 24 7.6 |
| Mike Zanutto | 2 0 11 -11 0 0 -5.5 | Adam Shaugabay | 10 51 2 49 1 21 4.9 |
| Passing | C-A-I Yds TD Long Sack | Passing | C-A-I Yds TD Long Sack |
| Mike Zanutto | 20-34-0 118 0 16 1 | Braden Hanson | 13-14-0 188 2 43 2 |
| | | Marcus Hendrickson | 5-6-0 95 2 44 0 |
| Receiving | No. Yards TD Long | Receiving | No. Yards TD Long |
| Xavier Matthews | 5 40 0 16 | Jameer Jackson | 4 67 1 24 |
| Marshall Davis | 5 33 0 12 | R.J. McGill | 4 61 0 21 |
| Chris Sawdey | 4 18 0 9 | Greg Hardin | 3 103 1 44 |
| Deshawn Scott | 3 20 0 11 | Jon Heimler | 1 16 0 16 |
| Punting | No. Yds Avg Long In20 TB | Punting | No. Yds Avg Long In20 TB |
| Kolten Jelden | 8 327 40.9 59 2 0 | Brett Cameron | 1 24 24.0 24 0 0 |
| Punt Returns | No. Yards TD Long | Punt Returns | No. Yards TD Long |
| | | Erik Mersereau | 5 40 0 17 |
| Kick Returns | No. Yards TD Long | Kick Returns | No. Yards TD Long |
| Joshua Thomas | 6 84 0 17 | | |
| Tackles | UA-A Total Sacks TFL | Tackles | UA-A Total Sacks TFL |
| K. Karatake | 4-3 7 0.0 1.0 | Ben Peters | 2-3 5 0.0 0.0 |
| Kyle Hudson | 4-2 6 0.0 0.0 | Garrison Goodma | 2-3 5 0.0 1.0 |
| John Tyler | 3-3 6 0.0 0.0 | Ross Brenneman | 0-4 4 0.0 0.5 |
| Jordan Bell | 1-5 6 0.0 0.0 | Daryl Brown | 3-0 3 0.0 0.0 |
| Qtr Time Scoring Play | | V-H | |
| 1st 12:35 | UND - Seth Wisthoff 14 yd pass from Braden Hanson (Zeb Miller kick), 5-66 2:25 | | 0 - 7 |
| 06:56 | UND - Jameer Jackson 0 yd fumble recovery (Zeb Miller kick), 7-84 3:15 | | 0 - 14 |
| 2nd 14:24 | UND - Mitch Sutton 7 yd run (Zeb Miller kick), 8-69 3:20 | | 0 - 21 |
| 08:24 | UND - Zeb Miller 22 yd field goal, 7-61 3:40 | | 0 - 24 |
| 05:20 | UND - Mitch Sutton 1 yd run (Zeb Miller kick), 5-33 2:28 | | 0 - 31 |
| 03:30 | UND - Greg Hardin 44 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 1-44 0:09 | | 0 - 38 |
| 00:19 | UND - Blair Townsend 11 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 5-80 1:36 | | 0 - 45 |
| 3rd 07:40 | UND - Jake Miller 36 yd run (Tanner Naastad kick), 5-63 2:35 | | 0 - 52 |
| 4th 14:52 | UND - P.J. Sparks 2 yd run (Tanner Naastad kick), 10-45 5:05 | | 0 - 59 |
| 11:12 | UND - Adam Shaugabay 21 yd run (Tanner Naastad kick), 4-63 2:32 | | 0 - 66 |

GAME 2

PORTLAND STATE
37

NORTH DAKOTA
45

Sept. 8, 2012 • Alerus Center (Grand Forks, N.D.)

GRAND FORKS, N.D. -- GRAND FORKS, N.D. -- Making his first collegiate start for the injured Braden Hanson, fifth-year senior Marcus Hendrickson tied a school record with six touchdown passes and led North Dakota to a 45-37 non-conference win over Portland State. It was the 10th straight victory in the Potato Bowl USA game for UND, who improved to 2-0 on the young season.

Hendrickson, who also led UND with 50 yards rushing, completed 16 of 25 passes for 294 yards. Five of his six passing touchdowns came in the first half, including three to junior receiver Greg Hardin, who finished the night with six catches for 190 yards.

UND and Portland State (1-1) combined to rack up 916 yards of total offense, nearly 600 of which came in an opening half that saw UND take a 35-24 lead.

Receivers R.J. McGill and Jameer Jackson also hauled in touchdown strikes from Hendrickson, while true freshman Kenny Golladay nabbed the first two receptions of his career for 29 yards.

PSU freshman quarterback Kieran McDonagh went 21-for-41 for 301 yards and three touchdowns, but threw a pair of costly second-half interceptions. PSU's D.J. Adams led all players with 144 rushing yards on 16 carries, while receiver Justin Monahan had six catches for 156 yards and two scores.

UND junior middle linebacker Garrison Goodman had a career-high 12 tackles to lead all players. Goodman and the Green and White special teams came up big once again, blocking three PSU kicks.

The game started inauspiciously for Hendrickson and company as after PSU held the offense to a three-and-out, McDonagh connected with Monahan on a 65-yard touchdown play on the visitors' first offensive play.

Hendrickson and Hardin had an answer though as that duo hit on a 66-yard touchdown on the first play of the ensuing drive. Hardin got great downfield blocking by McGill and Jackson on the quick screen pass and he was off to the races for his first score of the game.

A fumbled punt return by senior Erik Mersereau would leave PSU in great field position, but Goodman and company held the Vikings to a field goal attempt that the San Ramon, Calif., native would promptly block to swing momentum back to the home team in what was turning into a wild first quarter.

The action would slow down as the defense settled in to force some punts before Nick Fernandez put PSU back in the lead with a 44-yard field goal.

Fortunately, it would not take long for the Hendrickson-Hardin combo to strike again for the home team. This time the connection came from 26 yards out and made it a 14-9 contest in favor of UND. The lead was shortlived, however, as McDonagh once again found Monahan on a deep passing score in the opening minute of the second quarter to put the Vikings back in the lead at 16-14.

Hendrickson and UND would build its lead to 28-16 with a pair of unanswered touchdowns as he found Seth Nichols from one-yard out before connecting with Hardin on a perfectly thrown 49-yard bomb with six minutes, 45 seconds to play in the half.

Adams would reel off a 38-yard touchdown run to pull PSU within four points with just over two minutes in the half. After the PSU defense forced a three-and-out, UND responded by forcing its own three-and-out with 45 seconds play.

Redshirt freshman Casey Young then came up with one of the bigger plays of the game as he blocked a punt by Thomas Duyndam that was recovered by Blair Townsend on the PSU seven-yard line. Hendrickson found McGill two plays later from five yards out to give UND an 11-point lead at the break.

Quickie Statistics (Final)
PSU vs North Dakota (Sep 07, 2012 at Grand Forks, N.D.)

| | PSU | UND |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|
| Score | 37 | 45 |
| FIRST DOWNS | 23 | 17 |
| RUSHES-YARDS (NET) | 38-214 | 35-107 |
| PASSING YDS (NET) | 301 | 294 |
| Passes Att-Comp-Int | 42-21-2 | 25-16-0 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS | 80-515 | 60-401 |
| Fumble Returns-Yards | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Punt Returns-Yards | 1-31 | 2-26 |
| Kickoff Returns-Yards | 5-114 | 7-152 |
| Interception Returns-Yards | 0-0 | 2-6 |
| Punts (Number-Avg) | 4-31.5 | 7-39.7 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 0-0 | 3-1 |
| Penalties-Yards | 12-109 | 12-103 |
| Possession Time | 29:35 | 30:25 |
| Third-Down Conversions | 5 of 16 | 4 of 14 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions | 0 of 1 | 0 of 0 |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances | 2-2 | 2-3 |

PSU

| Rushing | No. | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg | Avg |
|-----------------|-----|------|------|-----|----|----|-----|
| DJ Adams | 16 | 148 | 4 | 144 | 1 | 51 | 9.0 |
| Shaq Richard | 13 | 54 | 3 | 51 | 0 | 12 | 3.9 |
| Kieran McDonagh | 8 | 24 | 5 | 19 | 0 | 10 | 2.4 |
| TEAM | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |

| Passing | C-A-I | Yds | TD | Long | Sack |
|-----------------|---------|-----|----|------|------|
| Kieran McDonagh | 21-41-2 | 301 | 3 | 65 | 1 |
| Thomas Carter | 0-1-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Receiving | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|----------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Justin Monahan | 6 | 156 | 2 | 65 |
| K. Anderson | 6 | 39 | 0 | 12 |
| DJ Adams | 3 | 31 | 0 | 20 |
| Shaq Richard | 2 | 37 | 0 | 34 |

| Punting | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | In20 | TB |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|------|------|----|
| Thomas Duyndam | 3 | 126 | 42.0 | 56 | 1 | 1 |
| TEAM | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Punt Returns | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|----------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Justin Monahan | 1 | 31 | 0 | 31 |

| Kick Returns | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|---------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Mike Williams | 1 | 20 | 0 | 20 |
| Aaron Kincy | 1 | 16 | 0 | 16 |

| Tackles | UA-A | Total | Sacks | TFL |
|--------------|------|-------|-------|-----|
| Khalil Bass | 5-3 | 8 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| J. Shoemaker | 4-3 | 7 | 0.0 | 1.5 |

North Dakota

| Rushing | No. | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg | Avg |
|--------------------|-----|------|------|-----|----|----|-----|
| Marcus Hendrickson | 8 | 63 | 13 | 50 | 0 | 18 | 6.2 |
| Mitch Sutton | 10 | 33 | 0 | 33 | 0 | 12 | 3.3 |
| Jake Miller | 13 | 28 | 9 | 19 | 0 | 10 | 1.5 |
| Romon Bridges | 1 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 7.0 |

| Passing | C-A-I | Yds | TD | Long | Sack |
|--------------------|---------|-----|----|------|------|
| Marcus Hendrickson | 16-25-0 | 294 | 6 | 66 | 2 |

| Receiving | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|----------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Greg Hardin | 6 | 190 | 3 | 66 |
| R.J. McGill | 4 | 38 | 1 | 17 |
| Jameer Jackson | 2 | 36 | 1 | 34 |
| Kenny Golladay | 2 | 29 | 0 | 17 |

| Punting | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | In20 | TB |
|---------------|-----|-----|------|------|------|----|
| Brett Cameron | 7 | 278 | 39.7 | 51 | 0 | 2 |

| Punt Returns | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|----------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Casey Young | 1 | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Erik Mersereau | 1 | -4 | 0 | 0 |

| Kick Returns | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|---------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Daryl Brown | 4 | 99 | 0 | 33 |
| Romon Bridges | 2 | 25 | 0 | 25 |

| Tackles | UA-A | Total | Sacks | TFL |
|-----------------|------|-------|-------|-----|
| Garrison Goodma | 6-6 | 12 | 0.0 | 1.0 |
| Jay Nelson | 3-4 | 7 | 1.0 | 1.0 |

| Qtr | Time | Scoring Play | V-H |
|-----|-------|---|---------|
| 1st | 13:15 | PSU - Justin Monahan 65 yd pass from Kieran McDonagh (Thomas Carter rush failed), 1:45 0:11 | 6 - 0 |
| | 12:58 | UND - Greg Hardin 66 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 1:66 0:11 | 6 - 7 |
| | 04:15 | PSU - Nick Fernandez 44 yd field goal, 5-15 1:16 | 9 - 7 |
| | 02:35 | UND - Greg Hardin 26 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 3:59 1:32 | 9 - 14 |
| 2nd | 14:15 | PSU - Justin Monahan 47 yd pass from Kieran McDonagh (Nick Fernandez kick), 7:75 3:14 | 16 - 14 |
| | 10:39 | UND - Seth Nichols 1 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 6:45 3:30 | 16 - 21 |
| | 06:45 | UND - Greg Hardin 49 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 5:45 2:01 | 16 - 28 |
| | 02:20 | PSU - DJ Adams 38 yd run (Nick Fernandez rush), 2:49 0:37 | 24 - 28 |
| | 00:19 | UND - R.J. McGill 5 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 2:7 0:26 | 24 - 35 |
| 3rd | 03:21 | UND - Zeb Miller 50 yd field goal, 7-10 3:10 | 24 - 38 |
| | 02:53 | UND - Jameer Jackson 34 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 1:34 0:07 | 24 - 45 |
| 4th | 14:19 | PSU - Nick Fernandez 32 yd field goal, 8-59 3:28 | 27 - 45 |
| | 08:02 | PSU - Alex Touren 25 yd pass from Kieran McDonagh (Nick Fernandez kick), 9:80 2:56 | 34 - 45 |
| | 02:28 | PSU - Nick Fernandez 25 yd field goal, 10-46 2:51 | 37 - 45 |

The second half was not nearly as action-packed as the first, but it was just as nerve wracking down the stretch. UND scored the only 10 points of the third quarter to pull ahead by 21 points - its largest lead of the game - but PSU would stage a late rally to make things interesting down the stretch. Junior linebackers Dominique Bennett and Cordero Finley both came up with interceptions in that stanza to help keep PSU off the scoreboard.

Fernandez hit two fourth-quarter field goals and a 25-yard touchdown pass from McDonagh to Alex Touren put the visitors within a touchdown and a two-point conversion with two minutes, 28 seconds left on the clock.

PSU head coach Nigel Burton opted to kick the ball deep with two timeouts left, but Hendrickson used his legs on a third-and-four to gain the five yards he needed and seal the win for UND.

The Green and White will travel to San Diego State next Saturday for a contest against the Aztecs. Kickoff is slated for 7 p.m. CT.

GAME NOTES: Seniors Tanner Naastad, Devin Benjamin, Ross Brenneman and Ian McGurran served as game captains ... The victory was the 10th straight for UND in the Potato Bowl USA game as they improved to 35-11 all-time in those contests ... It was the second time UND defeated the Vikings in the Potato Bowl (1981; 17-10) ... Hendrickson tied the school record with his six touchdown passes held by Corey Colehour (1966) and Kelby Klosterman (2001) ... Junior Greg Hardin had six catches for a career-high 190 yards receiving and three touchdowns.

GAME 3



Sept. 15, 2012 • Qualcomm Stadium (San Diego, Calif.)

SAN DIEGO - North Dakota needed 17 yards on a late fourth down to keep hopes of its first win over a FBS opponent alive, but came up inches short on what would be the visitor's final offensive play in a wild shootout at Qualcomm Stadium on Saturday. On the scoreboard, it would be eight points that UND fell short by as San Diego State held on for the 49-41 victory as both teams combined for over 1,000 yards of total offense.

UND senior quarterback Marcus Hendrickson turned in his second straight outstanding performance, passing for 434 yards and four touchdowns in the loss. The reigning Co-Big Sky Player of the Week connected with junior Greg Hardin for three of those scores as the duo thrived again, connecting eight times for 142 yards.

The 434-yard passing game by Hendrickson was the second highest single-game effort in UND history (515 by John Bowenkamp in 2002 vs. Augustana), while Hardin equaled his career-high with those eight catches and had a three-touchdown game for the second-straight outing.

Hendrickson needed to get his passing yardage to 435, however, to keep UND's late rally alive, but senior Mitch Sutton was forced out of bounds after netting 16-plus yards on a 4th-and-17 with a minute, 10 seconds to play. Mountain West officials reviewed the spot, but the call on the field was confirmed resulting in UND falling to 0-6 all-time against FBS opponents.

The Green and White showed a lot of resolve in a game that started with SDSU's premier defensive player, Leon McFadden, intercepting Hendrickson's first pass of the game and racing it back 28 yards for a touchdown.

McFadden, who was the preseason MWC Defensive Player of the Year, and the Aztecs forced a three-and-out on the ensuing UND possession. Katz quickly put the home team ahead 14-0 after he found Brice Butler on a 44-yard scoring strike. For Butler, it was his first catch in an Aztec uniform after transferring from Southern Cal.

After a seven-yard strike from Hendrickson to Hardin made it a 21-14 contest, the Aztecs added two more second-quarter touchdowns, while UND could only manage a pair of field goals by junior Zeb Miller to make it a 35-20 lead for SDSU at halftime. The Aztecs built that lead thanks to the precision passing of senior quarterback Ryan Katz, who went 8-for-11 for 195 yards and three touchdowns in the opening 30 minutes.

However, it was a steady dose of the two-heading rushing attack of Adam Muema (124 yards) and Walter Kazee (105 yards) in the second half that carried the Aztecs to the victory. Those two accounted for 139 rushing yards after the break, while Kazee scored a pair of touchdowns. The Aztecs finished with 533 yards of total offense and 292 of those came on the ground.

The victory would not come easy though as UND never quit, pulling to within eight points on three different occasions in the second half.

The first came after Sutton found the endzone for the only ground score of the game for UND as the senior fought his way over the goal line on a 4th-and-1 just over midway through the third quarter. Kazee and the Aztecs quickly answered that score as he capped a five-play, 79-yard drive with a 10-yard scoring run.

Hardin made it a touchdown and a two-point conversion deficit again on the first play of the fourth quarter when he took a crossing route 36 yards into the endzone, outracing two SDSU defensive backs along the way.

Hardin's third score of the game and seventh of the young season, put his squad at a 42-34 deficit. The Aztecs ground attack responded once again as Katz only completed three second-half passes. This time, Kazee found paydirt from 1-yard out to cap a more methodical, nine-play, 75-yard drive that chewed up 4:20.

UND reached the 40-point plateau for the third straight game on their next drive as Hendrickson converted two third downs and a crucial fourth down before finding Tyrhe Ivery for a touchdown from 15 yards out. It was Ivery's first catch of the season and came at an opportune time with 6:17 left on the clock.

On their next drive, the Aztecs ran four minutes off the clock, but the UND defense was able to give its offense two minutes to work with after stopping SDSU on a 4th-and-9 from their opponent's 29-yard line. Long passed up a 46-yard

Quickie Statistics (Final)
North Dakota vs San Diego State (Sep 15, 2012 at San Diego, Calif.)

| | | UND | | SDSU | |
|----------------------------------|--|---------|--|---------|--|
| Score | | 41 | | 49 | |
| FIRST DOWNS | | 25 | | 27 | |
| RUSHES-YARDS (NET) | | 27-55 | | 42-292 | |
| PASSING YDS (NET) | | 434 | | 241 | |
| Passes Att-Comp-Int | | 50-27-1 | | 19-11-0 | |
| TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS | | 77-489 | | 61-533 | |
| Fumble Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | | 0-0 | |
| Punt Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | | 1-20 | |
| Kickoff Returns-Yards | | 2-22 | | 5-120 | |
| Interception Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | | 1-28 | |
| Punts (Number-Avg) | | 2-43.5 | | 2-48.0 | |
| Fumbles-Lost | | 1-0 | | 1-0 | |
| Penalties-Yards | | 10-52 | | 8-85 | |
| Possession Time | | 32:48 | | 27:12 | |
| Third-Down Conversions | | 6 of 14 | | 3 of 8 | |
| Fourth-Down Conversions | | 2 of 3 | | 0 of 1 | |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances | | 4-4 | | 4-4 | |

| North Dakota | | | | | | San Diego State | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-----|------|------|-----|----|-----------------|-----|---------------|-----|------|------|-----|----|----|-----|
| Rushing | No. | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg | Avg | Rushing | No. | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg | Avg |
| Marcus Hendrickson | 11 | 54 | 18 | 36 | 0 | 17 | 3.3 | MUEMA, Adam | 13 | 124 | 0 | 124 | 1 | 43 | 9.5 |
| Mitch Sutton | 8 | 24 | 0 | 24 | 1 | 7 | 3.0 | KAZEE, Walter | 18 | 108 | 3 | 105 | 2 | 20 | 5.8 |
| Jake Miller | 7 | 18 | 12 | 6 | 0 | 10 | 0.9 | KATZ, Ryan | 8 | 66 | 6 | 60 | 0 | 13 | 7.5 |
| TEAM | 1 | 0 | 11 | -11 | 0 | 0-11.0 | | YOUNG, Chad | 1 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3.0 |

| Passing | | | | | | Passing | | | | | |
|--------------------|---------|-----|------|------|---|------------|---------|-----|------|------|---|
| C-A-I | Yds | TD | Long | Sack | | C-A-I | Yds | TD | Long | Sack | |
| Marcus Hendrickson | 27-50-1 | 434 | 4 | 53 | 4 | KATZ, Ryan | 11-18-0 | 241 | 3 | 44 | 1 |
| | | | | | | TEAM | 0-1-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Receiving | | | | | | Receiving | | | | | |
|----------------|-------|-----|------|----|--|----------------|-------|-----|------|----|--|
| No. | Yards | TD | Long | | | No. | Yards | TD | Long | | |
| Greg Hardin | 8 | 142 | 3 | 53 | | ESCOBAR, Gavin | 5 | 117 | 1 | 35 | |
| Jameer Jackson | 6 | 98 | 0 | 31 | | BUTLER, Brice | 3 | 66 | 1 | 44 | |
| R.J. McGill | 5 | 81 | 0 | 36 | | LOCKETT, Colin | 1 | 37 | 1 | 37 | |
| Kenny Golladay | 3 | 47 | 0 | 32 | | ROBERTS, Adam | 1 | 13 | 0 | 13 | |

| Punting | | | | | | Punting | | | | | | |
|---------------|-----|-----|------|------|----|---------|------------------|-----|------|------|----|---|
| No. | Yds | Avg | Long | In20 | TB | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | In20 | TB | |
| Brett Cameron | 2 | 87 | 43.5 | 51 | 0 | 0 | MC MORROW, Seamu | 2 | 96 | 48.0 | 51 | 1 |
| | | | | | | | VIZZI, Tim | 1 | 20 | 0 | 20 | |

| Punt Returns | | | | | | Punt Returns | | | | | |
|--------------|-------|----|------|--|--|--------------|-------|----|------|--|--|
| No. | Yards | TD | Long | | | No. | Yards | TD | Long | | |
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| Kick Returns | | | | | | Kick Returns | | | | | |
|---------------|-------|----|------|----|--|-----------------|-------|-----|------|----|--|
| No. | Yards | TD | Long | | | No. | Yards | TD | Long | | |
| Seth Wisthoff | 1 | 4 | 0 | 4 | | LOCKETT, Colin | 4 | 119 | 0 | 39 | |
| Romon Bridges | 1 | 18 | 0 | 18 | | WRIGHT, Brandon | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | |

| Tackles | | | | | | Tackles | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------|-------|-----|-----|--|----------------|-------|-------|-----|-----|--|
| UA-A | Total | Sacks | TFL | | | UA-A | Total | Sacks | TFL | | |
| Garrison Goodma | 6-0 | 6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | TENHAEFF, Nick | 5-2 | 7 | 0.0 | 1.5 | |
| Ben Peters | 5-0 | 5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | McFADDEN, Leon | 6-0 | 6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |

| Qtr | Time | Scoring Play | V-H |
|-----|-------|--|---------|
| 1st | 12:23 | SDSU - McFADDEN, Leon 28 yd interception return (MARDEN, Chance kick) | 0 - 7 |
| | 08:44 | SDSU - BUTLER, Brice 44 yd pass from KATZ, Ryan (MARDEN, Chance kick), 3-56 1:09 | 0 - 14 |
| | 08:10 | UND - Greg Hardin 53 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 2-75 0:34 | 7 - 14 |
| | 05:30 | SDSU - LOCKETT, Colin 37 yd pass from KATZ, Ryan (MARDEN, Chance kick), 6-75 2:40 | 7 - 21 |
| | 00:23 | UND - Greg Hardin 7 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 10-75 5:07 | 14 - 21 |
| 2nd | 10:40 | SDSU - MUEMA, Adam 15 yd run (MARDEN, Chance kick), 10-75 4:43 | 14 - 28 |
| | 06:20 | UND - Zeb Miller 34 yd field goal, 11-58 4:20 | 17 - 28 |
| | 05:02 | SDSU - ESCOBAR, Gavin 20 yd pass from KATZ, Ryan (MARDEN, Chance kick), 4-68 1:18 | 17 - 35 |
| | 00:32 | UND - Zeb Miller 43 yd field goal, 9-49 4:30 | 20 - 35 |
| 3rd | 06:38 | UND - Mitch Sutton 1 yd run (Zeb Miller kick), 12-95 4:41 | 27 - 35 |
| | 04:18 | SDSU - KAZEE, Walter 10 yd run (MARDEN, Chance kick), 5-89 2:20 | 27 - 42 |
| 4th | 14:51 | UND - Greg Hardin 36 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 11-75 4:27 | 34 - 42 |
| | 10:31 | SDSU - KAZEE, Walter 1 yd run (MARDEN, Chance kick), 9-75 4:20 | 34 - 49 |
| | 06:17 | UND - Tyrhe Ivery 15 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 11-82 4:14 | 41 - 49 |

field goal attempt to try and seal the win with a fourth-down pass from Katz that was off target.

UND took over from there, but two straight incompletions followed by the Aztec's second sack of the game left Hendrickson facing a 4th-and-19. He avoided the rush this time and escaped the pocket to his right where he found Sutton out of the backfield. The senior from Plover, Wis., caught the ball in stride and barreled his way towards the first-down marker, but an Aztec defender was able to knock Sutton out of bounds just inches short. Katz took a knee on the next two snaps to run out the clock and give the home team a hard-earned victory.

GAME NOTES: Seniors Seth Wisthoff, Jay Nelson, Ian McGurran and Ross Breneman served as game captains ... Senior Marcus Hendrickson's 434-yard passing effort was the second highest single-game total in UND history ... Hendrickson has thrown for 12 touchdown passes in the last three games - UND only threw 12 total in 2011 ... Junior Greg Hardin equaled his career-high with eight catches for 142 yards and three touchdowns ... It was the third-straight, 100-yard receiving game for Hardin, who now has seven for his career ... The three-touchdown effort was Hardin's second in a row and third of his career ... Hardin now has 19 receiving touchdowns, which is tied for third all-time at UND ... He also moved into seventh on the all-time receiving yardage charts with 1,720 ... Through three games in 2012, he has 17 catches for 435 yards (145.0/g) and seven touchdowns ... UND dropped to 0-6 all-time against FBS opponents - three of those losses are by eight points or less ... The 41 points scored were the most against a FBS opponent ... UND has scored 40-plus points in three straight games for the first time in its Division I era (66 vs. SD Mines, 45 vs. Portland State and 41 vs. SDSU; 50.7 ppg).

GAME 4

NORTH DAKOTA
35

SAC STATE
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Sept. 22, 2012 • Hornet Stadium (Sacramento, Calif.)

SACRAMENTO - Senior running back Mitch Sutton saved the first three-touchdown game of his career for a historic day on the North Dakota football timeline as his team defeated Sacramento State 35-13 in its Big Sky debut. Redshirt freshman Jameer Jackson added two receiving scores in the victory that saw the UND defense force a season-high three turnovers.

"This is a big win. Our first Big Sky win and our first opportunity on the road," UND head coach Chris Mussman said. "This is huge for us. I'm proud of our guys with the way it ended. We kind of imposed our will on them late."

Sutton finished with season highs of 23 carries and 163 yards as he found the end zone on a pair of five-yard runs and a one-yarder. UND improved to 3-1 on the season and 1-0 in Big Sky action, while Sac State fell to 2-2 and 0-1 in league play. It was the fourth straight game UND scored at least five touchdowns.

The first of those came easy as senior Marcus Hendrickson marched his squad right down the field on its first possession of the game to put the visitors out front 7-0. The senior signal caller hit on all four of his passes on the drive, including the capper - a 32-yard catch and run by Jackson. He finished the game 14-for-23 for 147 yards and those two touchdown passes to Jackson.

Sac State's day did not start as well as the home team's first drive ended when junior college transfer Clordion Kennedy stepped in front of a Garret Safron pass for his first career interception. The Hornets' defense did its part, however, holding UND to what would be the visitor's first of five straight three-and-outs.

The Hornets would square the score at 7-7 on their second possession when Safron found DeAndre Carter from 11 yards out. Carter has caught at least one touchdown in each game for Sac State this season.

Senior Brett Cameron, who had punted only five times in the first three games combined, got five punts off before halftime, averaging 47.4 yards on those boots. He pinned the Hornets inside their 20-yard line on three of those efforts.

After the five stalled drives, the offense responded after Sac State turned the ball over on downs at the UND 36-yard line. Sutton converted the first third down of the game for UND, scampering 20 yards on a 3rd-and-2 that got the ball down the Sac State 5-yard line. He would punch it on the next play, outracing a Hornet defender to the corner of the end zone.

It appeared that the Hornets would once again answer that score, but after Safron drove his team down to UND's five-yard line, a mishandled snap was pounced on by Ross Brenneman to keep Sac State from scoring with just over a minute to play in the half.

Then, junior Jake Miller reeled off a 51-yard run on first down to give UND life in the final minute, but Hendrickson would throw his second interception of the season on a second-down play to end any hopes of adding to the lead.

The Hornets took over with 49 ticks left in the half as their sophomore quarterback moved his squad into UND territory, but could only get the ball down to the 35-yard line. That set up a 52-yard attempt by Edgar Castaneda, but the UND special teams once again came up with a big block to keep the advantage at seven points going into halftime. Sac State outgained UND 321-232 in the first half, including 236 on the ground, but the UND defense kept coming up with big plays to keep points off the scoreboard.

The second half started much of the same way as the first with Safron and company moving into UND territory, but once again the UND defense forced a costly turnover. This time it was another red-zone miscue by Safron as safety Erik Mersereau picked him off and returned his first interception of the season 39 yards to midfield.

UND passed up a long field goal attempt to go for it on fourth down from the Sac State 36-yard line, but the visitors would come up empty. Sac State returned the favor, however, this time giving the ball right back after Safron was stuffed on a fourth-and-one from his team's own 40-yard line.

This time UND would take advantage of the generous field position as Sutton once again capped a scoring drive with a five-yard jaunt to the same corner of the end zone he scored in earlier.

Sutton's second rushing score put his team ahead 28-7 and the bruising back would chew up more than nine minutes of the fourth-quarter clock with another imposing drive by the UND offense. He capped a 16-play, 85-yard drive

Quickie Statistics (Final)
North Dakota vs Sacramento State (Sep 22, 2012 at Sacramento, Calif.)

| | UND | SAC |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|
| Score | 35 | 13 |
| FIRST DOWNS | 21 | 26 |
| RUSHES-YARDS (NET) | 43-294 | 42-255 |
| PASSING YDS (NET) | 147 | 237 |
| Passes Att-Comp-Int | 23-14-1 | 40-25-2 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS | 66-441 | 82-492 |
| Fumble Returns-Yards | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Punt Returns-Yards | 1-1 | 0-0 |
| Kickoff Returns-Yards | 2-34 | 3-78 |
| Interception Returns-Yards | 2-39 | 1-5 |
| Punts (Number-Avg) | 5-47.4 | 5-37.2 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 1-0 | 2-1 |
| Penalties-Yards | 3-24 | 5-38 |
| Possession Time | 30:52 | 29:08 |
| Third-Down Conversions | 3 of 10 | 5 of 12 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions | 1 of 2 | 0 of 2 |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances | 4-4 | 2-4 |

North Dakota

| Rushing | No. | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg | Avg |
|--------------------|-----|------|------|-----|----|----|------|
| Mitch Sutton | 23 | 163 | 1 | 162 | 3 | 32 | 7.0 |
| Jake Miller | 7 | 74 | 1 | 73 | 0 | 51 | 10.4 |
| Marcus Hendrickson | 7 | 36 | 4 | 32 | 0 | 16 | 4.6 |
| Jer Garman | 5 | 18 | 3 | 15 | 0 | 10 | 3.0 |

| Passing | C-A-I | Yds | TD | Long | Sack |
|--------------------|---------|-----|----|------|------|
| Marcus Hendrickson | 14-23-1 | 147 | 2 | 32 | 2 |

| Receiving | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|----------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Jameer Jackson | 4 | 67 | 2 | 32 |
| R.J. McGill | 4 | 29 | 0 | 10 |
| Greg Hardin | 3 | 22 | 0 | 11 |
| Jake Miller | 2 | 15 | 0 | 9 |

| Punting | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | In20 | TB |
|---------------|-----|-----|------|------|------|----|
| Brett Cameron | 5 | 237 | 47.4 | 59 | 3 | 0 |

| Punt Returns | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|----------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Erik Mersereau | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

| Kick Returns | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|--------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Greg Hardin | 2 | 34 | 0 | 19 |

| Tackles | UA-A | Total | Sacks | TFL |
|-----------------|------|-------|-------|-----|
| Cordero Finley | 2-7 | 9 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Garrison Goodma | 0-8 | 8 | 0.0 | 0.5 |
| Chris Hall | 5-2 | 7 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Damon Andrews | 4-2 | 6 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Sacramento State

| Rushing | No. | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg | Avg |
|----------------|-----|------|------|-----|----|----|-----|
| Ezekiel Graham | 15 | 141 | 1 | 140 | 0 | 46 | 9.3 |
| AJ Ellis | 9 | 47 | 3 | 44 | 0 | 11 | 4.9 |
| Garrett Safron | 11 | 44 | 4 | 40 | 0 | 15 | 3.6 |
| Sam McCowan | 4 | 31 | 0 | 31 | 0 | 23 | 7.8 |

| Passing | C-A-I | Yds | TD | Long | Sack |
|----------------|---------|-----|----|------|------|
| Garrett Safron | 19-33-2 | 163 | 1 | 20 | 1 |
| Mason Magleby | 6-7-0 | 74 | 1 | 22 | 1 |

| Receiving | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|-----------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Austin Dotson | 5 | 52 | 0 | 22 |
| Morris Norriss | 4 | 35 | 0 | 10 |
| Blake Robertson | 4 | 33 | 0 | 12 |
| Sam McCowan | 3 | 24 | 0 | 11 |

| Punting | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | In20 | TB |
|---------------|-----|-----|------|------|------|----|
| Justin Weldon | 5 | 186 | 37.2 | 41 | 2 | 0 |

| Punt Returns | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|--------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Sam McCowan | 3 | 78 | 0 | 32 |

| Kick Returns | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|--------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Sam McCowan | 3 | 78 | 0 | 32 |

| Qtr | Time | Scoring Play | V-H |
|-----|-------|---|---------|
| 1st | 11:45 | UND - Jameer Jackson 32 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 7:81 3:15 | 7 - 0 |
| | 06:24 | SAC - DeAndre Carter 11 yd pass from Garrett Safron (Edgar Castaneda kick), 4:68 1:31 | 7 - 7 |
| 2nd | 05:20 | UND - Mitch Sutton 5 yd run (Zeb Miller kick), 8:64 3:19 | 14 - 7 |
| 3rd | 05:56 | UND - Mitch Sutton 5 yd run (Zeb Miller kick), 5:42 2:22 | 21 - 7 |
| | 00:17 | UND - Jameer Jackson 20 yd pass from Marcus Hendrickson (Zeb Miller kick), 6:66 3:08 | 28 - 7 |
| 4th | 03:09 | UND - Mitch Sutton 1 yd run (Zeb Miller kick), 7:65 9:27 | 35 - 7 |
| | 00:46 | SAC - Shane Harrison 10 yd pass from Mason Magleby (Edgar Castaneda kick failed), 9:75 2:23 | 35 - 13 |

with his career-high third rushing score of the game from one-yard out. He accounted for 12 carries and 68 yards on that drive alone as he surpassed the 100-yard mark for the first time since the 2011 season opener vs. Drake.

With a comfortable 35-7 lead in hand, the Hornets finally scored in the second half after back-up quarterback Mason Magleby drove his team down 75 yards on the ensuing possession for a touchdown. Junior Greg Hardin would recover the onside kick attempt and UND would finish off a history-making win with one last carry by Sutton.

GAME NOTES: Ross Brenneman, Brett Cameron, Ian McGurran and Seth Wisthoff served as game captains ... UND is now 2-1 when making its debut in a new league ... The win on the road was the fourth in the last five games for UND dating back to last season ... UND has scored at least five touchdowns in each game this season ... Brenneman registered his first sack of the season in the victory, improving his career total to 15.5, which is tied for fifth on the all-time list ... Senior Mitch Sutton rushed for seasons highs of 23 carries and 162 yards and posted his second multiple-touchdown performance of the season ... Sutton had two in the opener vs. SD Mines and had his first career three touchdown effort in this contest ... Sutton's 100-yard effort was his first since the 2011 season opener vs. Drake ... Redshirt freshman Jameer Jackson had the first multiple-touchdown performance of his career and now has four receiving touchdowns on the season ... Junior safety Clordion Kennedy had his first career interception ... Senior safety Erik Mersereau's interception in the third quarter was the third of his career ... Senior Ross Brenneman recovered a fumble and moved his career sack total to 15.5 with his first of the season - that total is tied for fourth most in regular-season play in UND history.

GAME 5



Sept. 29, 2012 • Alerus Center (Grand Forks, N.D.)

GRAND FORKS, N.D. - No. 23 Cal Poly used a big fourth quarter to rally past North Dakota 35-17 in a matchup of Big Sky newcomers on Saturday at the Alerus Center. It was the second straight season the Mustangs (4-0, 2-0 Big Sky) won on UND's home field as senior quarterback Andre Broadous engineered a trio of fourth-quarter touchdown drives to keep the visitors unbeaten on the young season.

UND outgained the Mustangs 409 to 395, but four turnovers, a blocked field goal and a fake punt that was snuffed out nicely by the CP defense proved costly in this one. Cal Poly and its top-ranked Big Sky run game managed to net 321 of its yardage on the ground as Broadous only attempted five passes in the game.

The Mustangs' signal caller scored the go-ahead touchdown from three yards out after UND quarterback Marcus Hendrickson had given his team its first lead of the night at 17-14 early in the fourth quarter.

Hendrickson scored on a 2-yard run to cap a stretch of 17 unanswered points by the home team on scoring drives that consisted of 17 plays, 13 plays and 15 plays.

Broadous would extend the Mustangs' lead to 28-17 on a two-yard run with three minutes, 54 seconds to play after CP blocked a 54-yard field goal attempt by Zeb Miller. A high snap threw off the timing and the Mustangs were able to take over on UND's 40-yard line after the deflection.

On the first play of UND's next drive, the Mustangs stripped Hendrickson and recovered on the UND 24-yard line. Deonte Williams, who led CP with 125 yards rushing, scored on an 18-yard run three plays later to seal the victory.

Cal Poly sandwiched a pair of shaky quarters with a pair of strong ones as all 35 of the visitor's points came in the first and fourth quarters. The Mustangs jumped out to a 14-0 lead in the opening 15 minutes as UND could not slow down CP's triple-option attack.

The Mustangs' first touchdown came after Greg Hardin fumbled on UND's first possession following a seven-yard reception that would have extended a drive. Broadous, who only completed three passes in the game, found Cole Stanford on a 20-yard scoring strike to put his team on the scoreboard five plays later.

Williams would then cap a 17-play, 80-yard drive with a 2-yard scoring run to put his team up by 14. That drive took over six minutes off the clock and the Mustangs converted all five of their third-downs, but the UND defense tightened up after that score and forced a pair of punts on the Mustangs next two possessions.

Following the second punt, Hendrickson engineered a 13-play, 82-yard drive for the home team that put them on the scoreboard. Senior Mitch Sutton punched it in from two yards out for his career-high seventh rushing touchdown of the season.

Sutton, who had six rushing touchdowns as a freshman in 2009, also turned a pair of screen passes on the drive into 28 yards. He equaled his career-high in receptions with five for 63 yards, while also adding 37 yards rushing. Hendrickson finished with 276 yards passing and a team-high 66 yards rushing.

GAME NOTES: UND is now 7-2 at home over the last two seasons with both of those losses coming to Cal Poly ... Senior Mitch Sutton's two-yard touchdown rush in the second quarter was his seventh of the season, marking a new career high ... Sutton now has 15 rushing touchdowns in his career ... Defensively, linebacker Dominique Bennett, safety Clordion Kennedy and defensive end Ross Brenneman led UND with seven tackles ... For Bennett and Kennedy, that total is a new a career-high, while Brenneman equaled his career high ... UND's four turnovers were a season high after the team only committed three miscues in its first four games ... The North Dakota defense has only allowed seven points in the third quarter this season after Cal Poly was held off the scoreboard in that frame tonight ... The last time CP came into the Alerus Center nationally ranked, UND defeated the Mustangs 31-17 in 2009.

Quickie Statistics (Final)
#23 Cal Poly vs North Dakota (Sep 26, 2012 at Grand Forks, N.D.)

| | | CP | UND |
|----------------------------|--|---------|---------|
| Score | | 35 | 17 |
| FIRST DOWNS | | 16 | 23 |
| RUSHES-YARDS (NET) | | 56-321 | 38-133 |
| PASSING YDS (NET) | | 74 | 276 |
| Passes Att-Comp-Int | | 5-3-0 | 41-22-2 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS | | 61-395 | 79-409 |
| Fumble Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Punt Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | 2-10 |
| Kickoff Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | 2-30 |
| Interception Returns-Yards | | 2-25 | 0-0 |
| Punts (Number-Avg) | | 3-42.3 | 2-41.0 |
| Fumbles-Lost | | 1-1 | 2-2 |
| Penalties-Yards | | 7-65 | 3-23 |
| Possession Time | | 26:04 | 33:56 |
| Third-Down Conversions | | 9 of 13 | 9 of 16 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions | | 0 of 0 | 0 of 1 |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances | | 5-6 | 3-4 |

| Cal Poly | | North Dakota | |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Rushing | No. Gain Loss Net TD Lg Avg | Rushing | No. Gain Loss Net TD Lg Avg |
| Deonte Williams | 19 125 0 125 2 23 6.6 | Marcus Hendrickson | 13 67 1 66 1 11 5.1 |
| Cole Stanford | 5 90 0 90 0 65 18.0 | Mitch Sutton | 17 39 2 37 1 8 2.2 |
| Akaninyene Umoh | 14 76 0 76 0 9 5.4 | Jake Miller | 6 21 0 21 0 6 3.5 |
| Andre Broadous | 14 33 12 21 2 8 1.5 | R.J. McGill | 1 8 0 8 0 8 8.0 |
| Passing | C-A-I Yds TD Long Sack | Passing | C-A-I Yds TD Long Sack |
| Andre Broadous | 3-5-0 74 1 34 1 | Marcus Hendrickson | 22-40-1 276 0 55 1 |
| | | Blair Townsend | 0-1-1 0 0 0 0 |
| Receiving | No. Yards TD Long | Receiving | No. Yards TD Long |
| Cole Stanford | 2 54 1 34 | Kenny Golladay | 5 82 0 55 |
| Willie Tucker | 1 20 0 20 | R.J. McGill | 5 66 0 35 |
| | | Mitch Sutton | 5 63 0 18 |
| | | Greg Hardin | 4 38 0 22 |
| Punting | No. Yds Avg Long In20 TB | Punting | No. Yds Avg Long In20 TB |
| Bobby Zalud | 3 127 42.3 48 2 0 | Brett Cameron | 2 82 41.0 42 0 1 |
| Punt Returns | No. Yards TD Long | Punt Returns | No. Yards TD Long |
| | | Erik Mersereau | 2 10 0 7 |
| Kick Returns | No. Yards TD Long | Kick Returns | No. Yards TD Long |
| | | Daryl Brown | 2 30 0 18 |
| Tackles | UA-A Total Sacks TFL | Tackles | UA-A Total Sacks TFL |
| Kennith Jackson | 4-6 10 0.0 0.0 | Clordion Kennedy | 6-1 7 0.0 0.0 |
| Nico Molino | 5-3 8 0.0 0.0 | Ross Brenneman | 5-2 7 0.0 0.0 |
| Jake Irwin | 6-1 7 1.0 2.0 | Dominique Bennet | 5-2 7 0.0 1.0 |
| Wesley Flowers | 5-2 7 0.0 0.0 | Devin Benjamin | 3-3 6 0.0 0.0 |
| Qtr | Time | Scoring Play | V-H |
| 1st | 11:43 | CP - Cole Stanford 20 yd pass from Andre Broadous (Bobby Zalud kick), 5:27 1:57 | 7 - 0 |
| | 02:27 | CP - Deonte Williams 3 yd run (Bobby Zalud kick), 17-80 6:22 | 14 - 0 |
| 2nd | 00:51 | UND - Mitch Sutton 2 yd run (Zeb Miller kick), 13-82 5:29 | 14 - 7 |
| 3rd | 08:02 | UND - Zeb Miller 26 yd field goal, 15-65 5:28 | 14 - 10 |
| 4th | 13:25 | UND - Marcus Hendrickson 2 yd run (Zeb Miller kick), 12-78 6:16 | 14 - 17 |
| | 11:44 | CP - Andre Broadous 3 yd run (Bobby Zalud kick), 4-75 1:41 | 21 - 17 |
| | 03:54 | CP - Andre Broadous 2 yd run (Bobby Zalud kick), 7-60 3:50 | 28 - 17 |
| | 03:25 | CP - Deonte Williams 18 yd run (Bobby Zalud kick), 3-24 0:23 | 35 - 17 |

2012 NORTH DAKOTA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED ...

INDIVIDUAL RUSHING

| | |
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| Rushing, 30 times or more | 32, Jake Miller vs. Southern Utah, W 26-20, Oct. 1, 2011 |
| Rushing, 25 times or more | 32, Jake Miller vs. Southern Utah, W 26-20, Oct. 1, 2011 |
| Rushing, 4 TDs | 4, Jake Miller at Southern Utah, W 26-20, Oct. 1 2011 |
| Rushing, 3 TDs | 3, Mitch Sutton at Sac State, W 35-13, Sept. 22, 2012 |
| Rushing, 2 TDs | 2, Mitch Sutton vs. SD Mines, W 66-0, Aug. 30, 2012 |
| Had a rush of 70 yards or more..... | 70, Jake Miller at Fresno State, L 27-22, Sept. 17, 2011 |
| Had a rush of 60 yards or more..... | 70, Jake Miller at Fresno State, L 27-22, Sept. 17, 2011 |
| Had a rush of 50 yards or more..... | 51, Jake Miller at Sac State, W 35-13, Sept. 22, 2012 |

INDIVIDUAL PASSING

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|---|--|
| Passing, 500 yards or more | 515, John Bowenkamp vs. Augustana, L 38-31, Nov. 9, 2002 |
| Passing, 400 yards or more | 434, Marcus Hendrickson at San Diego State, L 49-41, Sept. 15, 2012 |
| Passing, 300 yards or more | 434, Marcus Hendrickson at San Diego State, L 49-41, Sept. 15, 2012 |
| Attempted 40 or more passes | 50, Marcus Hendrickson at San Diego State, L 49-41, Sept. 15, 2012 |
| Attempted 30 or more passes | 50, Marcus Hendrickson at San Diego State, L 49-41, Sept. 15, 2012 |
| Completed 40 or more passes..... | 41, Kurt Otto vs. Texas A&M-Kingsville, L 67-44, Sept. 13, 1986 |
| Completed 30 or more passes..... | 30, Danny Freund at South Dakota, W 34-31, Nov. 22, 2008 |
| Completed 20 or more passes..... | 27, Marcus Hendrickson at San Diego State, L 49-41, Sept. 15, 2012 |
| Threw six or more touchdown passes..... | 6, Marcus Hendrickson vs. Portland State, W 45-37, Sept. 8, 2012 |
| Threw five or more touchdown passes | 6, Marcus Hendrickson vs. Portland State, W 45-37, Sept. 8, 2012 |
| Threw four or more touchdown passes | 4, Marcus Hendrickson at San Diego State, L 49-41, Sept. 15, 2012 |
| Completed a pass of 80 yards or more..... | 85, Jake Landry (to Greg Hardin) at Northern Illinois, L 23-17, Sept. 11, 2010 |
| Completed a pass of 70 yards or more..... | 76, Jake Landry (to Greg Hardin) vs. Northwestern State, W 49-24, Sept. 25, 2010 |
| Completed a pass of 60 yards or more..... | 66, Marcus Hendrickson (to Greg Hardin) vs. Portland State, W 45-37, Sept. 8, 2012 |
| Completed a pass of 50 yards or more..... | 55, Marchus Hendrickson (to Kenny Golladay) vs. Cal Poly, L 35-17, Sept. 29 2012 |

INDIVIDUAL RECEIVING

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| Caught 12 or more passes | 13, Brady Trenbeath vs. Southeastern Louisiana, Sept. 27, 2008 |
| Caught 10 or more passes | 10, Brady Trenbeath at Southern Illinois, L 40-21, Nov. 1 2008 |
| Caught 8 or more passes | 8, Greg Hardin at San Diego State, L 49-41, Sept. 15, 2012 |
| Had 200 or more yards receiving | 201, Brady Trenbeath vs. Southeastern Louisiana, Sept. 27, 2008 |
| Had 150 or more yards receiving | 190, Greg Hardin vs. Portland State, W 45-37, Sept. 8, 2012 |
| Had 100 or more yards receiving | 142, Greg Hardin at San Diego State, L, 49-41, Sept. 15, 2012 |
| Had two 100-yard receivers..... | Weston Dressler (11-192) and Brady Trenbeath (10-115) vs. Nebraska-Omaha, W..., Oct. 12, 2007 |
| Caught four TDs..... | Jesse Smith vs. Winona State (Playoffs), W 42-28, Nov. 17, 2001 |
| Caught three TDs..... | Greg Hardin at San Diego State, L 49-41, Sept. 15, 2012 |
| Caught two TDs | Jameer Jackson at Sac State, W 35-13, Sept 22, 2012 |
| Caught a pass of 80 yards or more | 85, Greg Hardin (from Jake Landry) at Northern Illinois, L 23-17, Sept. 11, 2010 |
| Caught a pass of 70 yards or more | 76, Greg Hardin (from Jake Landry) vs. Northwestern State, W 49-24, Sept. 25, 2010 |
| Caught a pass of 60 yards or more | 66, Greg Hardin (from Marcus Hendrickson) vs. Portland State, W 45-37, Sept. 8, 2012 |
| Caught a pass of 50 yards or more | 55, Kenny Golladay (from Marcus Hendrickson) vs. Cal Poly, L 35-17, Sept. 29, 2012 |

INDIVIDUAL RETURNS

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| Returned a fumble for a touchdown | Kenny Watkins (22 yards) vs. South Dakota, W 38-37, Nov. 19, 2011 |
| Returned an interception for a touchdown..... | Chris Hall (20 yards) vs. Lamar, W 31-6, Oct. 30, 2010 |
| Returned a kickoff for a touchdown | Ismael Bamba (95 yards) at Stephen F. Austin, L 65-31, Sept. 26, 2009 |
| Returned a punt for a touchdown | Erik Mersereau (yards) at Idaho, L 44-14, Sept. 10, 2011 |
| Returned a blocked extra-point for two points | Cordero Finley vs. Black Hills State, W 53-19, Sept. 24, 2012 |
| Returned a blocked punt for a touchdown..... | Wes Atkinson vs. Mankato State, W 35-28, Sept. 25, 1999 |

TEAM TOTAL OFFENSE

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|---|---|
| Had 600 or more yards of total offense..... | 623 vs. SD Mines, W 66-0, Aug. 30, 2012 |
| Had 500 or more yards of total offense..... | 524 vs. Northwestern State, W 49-24, Sept. 25, 2010 |
| Had 400 or more yards of total offense..... | 409 vs. Cal Poly, L 35-17, Sept. 29, 2012 |

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

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|------------------------------------|---|
| Recorded a safety | vs. Sioux Falls, W 15-13, Nov. 5, 2011 |
| Recorded a shutout | vs. SD Mines, W 66-0, Aug. 30, 2012 |
| Scored a defensive touchdown | vs. South Dakota, W 38-37, Nov. 19, 2011 |
| Scored 60 or more points | 66, vs. SD Mines, W 66-0, Aug. 30, 2012 |
| Scored 50 or more points | 66, vs. SD Mines, W 66-0, Aug. 30, 2012 |
| Scored 40 or more points | 41, at San Diego State, L 49-41, Sept. 15, 2012 |