TROJAN FOOTBALL

11 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS | 36 BOWL VICTORIES | 179 ALL-AMERICANS | 8 HEISMAN TROPHY WINNERS
536 NFL DRAFT PICKS | 87 NFL 1ST ROUND DRAFTEES | 6 NO.1 OVERALL NFL DRAFT PICKS | 23 ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

Release Date: Sept. 21, 2026

SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 29	vs. San José State	W, 42-26
Sept. 4	vs. Fresno State	W, 39-0
Sept. 12	vs. Louisiana	W, 49-30
Sept. 19	at Rutgers	W, 42-35
Sept. 26	vs. Oregon	4:30 p.m. PT
Oct. 3	vs. Washington	4:30 p.m. PT
Oct. 10	at Penn State	4:30 p.m. PT
Oct. 17	BYE WEEK	
Oct. 24	at Wisconsin	TBA
Oct. 31	vs. Ohio State	TBA
Nov. 7	BYE WEEK	
Nov. 14	at Indiana	TBA
Nov. 21	vs. Maryland	TBA
Nov. 28	at UCLA	TBA

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TROJANS ON THE AIR

Live National TV
• 4:30 p.m. PT • NBC •
Noah Eagle, Todd Blackledge & Kathryn Tappen

Trojan Tailgate Show
• 2:30 p.m. PT • Live from The Peristyle • Shaun Cody, Su'a Cravens, Nelson Agholor, Marqise Lee, Keely Eure and Jordan Moore • Stream on USC Athletics' Facebook, YouTube, X and the USC Trojans Game Day App

Live Radio
• 2:30 p.m. PT • ESPN LA 710AM • Pete Arbogast, Shaun Cody, Su'a Cravens, Nelson Agholor, Marqise Lee, Jordan Moore, Keely Eure, Jason Schwartz • Affiliate stations on the USC Trojans Media Network: KSHP 1400AM and KSHP-FM 107.1FM in Las Vegas, KSZL 1230AM and 93.5 FM in Barstow, KJJZ-HD3 Indian Wells 95.9-3, K274DA Thousand Palms 102.7 FM • Also listen at USCTrojans.com/Listen, the ESPN LA App, the Varsity App and on SiriusXM Satellite Radio (channels 197, 198, 397 or 959 and 960 on the app)
• Spanish Radio Broadcast with Harry Ruiz (play-by-play) & Alex Naveja (color analyst)
• Listen on ESPN LA App, USCTrojans.com/Listen or the USC Trojans Game Day App, beginning 30 minutes before kickoff

GAME 5

No. 12 USC (4-0 overall, 1-0 Big Ten Conference)
No. 20 Oregon (2-1 overall, 0-0 Big Ten Conference)

Saturday, Sept. 26, 2026
4:30 p.m. PT • NBC
Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum

REQUIRED READING

••• When USC and Oregon meet, there is never a shortage of storylines...or interested readers.
••• After all, these particular pages have been known to receive a little extra attention.
••• For those inclined to study every word, there should be plenty worth highlighting.
••• So, read closely: The Trojans and Ducks are ready to add another chapter to the series.
••• The Ducks fly south for a little California sunshine and a showdown with the Trojans in USC's Big Ten home opener. Kickoff is set for 4:30 p.m. PT on NBC.

AN EAST COAST VICTORY

••• USC improved to 4-0 overall and 1-0 in Big Ten play with its 42-35 victory at Rutgers.
••• The Trojans have won both all-time meetings against Rutgers, defeating the Scarlet Knights 42-20 in Los Angeles in 2024 and 42-35 in Piscataway in 2026.
••• USC never trailed and scored in all four quarters.
••• The Trojans produced 461 yards of total offense, averaging 7.3 yards per play.
••• The Trojans averaged 5.9 yards per rush and 8.7 yards per pass attempt.
••• USC scored in three different phases: four offensive TDs, one defensive TD and two field goals.
••• The Trojans scored 14 points off two Rutgers turnovers, while Rutgers did not score any points off turnovers.
••• The Trojans punted just once. That punt traveled 56 yards and pinned Rutgers at its own 5-yard line.
••• USC converted 5-of-10 third downs, including 2-of-3 in the fourth quarter.
••• The Trojans recorded six plays of at least 20 yards, with three rushing and three passing.
••• The Trojans' two interceptions generated 115 return yards.
••• USC's 42 points were distributed among five different scorers: **RB King Miller, WR Corey Simms**, **S Prophet Brown**, **RB Riley Wormley** and **K Caden Chittenden**.
••• The Trojans have scored 172 points through four games, averaging 43.0 points per game.
••• USC has led at halftime in every game, outscoring its opponents 106-24 in the first half.
••• USC is 19-of-24 (.792) in the red zone, scoring 17 touchdowns.

MEDIA AVAILABILITY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
No Availability	Trojans Live Coach Riley & Player / Coach Guest 6 p.m. PT • USC Athletics YouTube & ESPN LA 710 AM	Post-Practice Coach Riley & Offensive Players Approx. 5 p.m. PT • Bloom Press Room • Available on USC Athletics YouTube	Post-Practice Defensive / Special Teams Players Approx. 5 p.m. PT • Bloom Press Room • Available on USC Athletics YouTube	Coach Riley Zoom Press Conference 11: 00 a.m. PT • Link Available Upon Request	No Availability	Post-Game Press Conference Coach Riley & Various Players Available in Press Room

BIG TEN STANDINGS

	BIG TEN		OVERALL	
	W	L	W	L
USC	**1**	**0**	**4**	**0**
UCLA	1	0	3	0
IND	0	0	3	0
NEB	0	0	3	0
PSU	0	0	3	0
IOWA	0	0	3	0
WASH	0	0	3	0
MICH	0	0	3	0
NW	0	0	2	0
ORE	0	0	2	1
OSU	0	0	2	1
MD	0	0	2	1
ILL	0	0	2	1
MINN	0	0	2	1
WISC	0	0	2	1
MICH ST	0	0	2	1
PUR	0	1	1	2
RUT	0	1	0	3

POLLS

AP POLL	COACHES POLL
1. Texas	1. Texas
2. Georgia	2. Georgia
3. Notre Dame	3. Notre Dame
4. Ole Miss	4. Indiana
5. Indiana	5. Miami (Fla.)
6. Miami (Fla.)	6. Ole Miss
7. Ohio State	7. Ohio State
8. Alabama	8. Alabama
9. BYU	9. BYU
10. LSU	10. Texas Tech
11. Texas Tech	11. LSU
12. USC	**12. USC**
13. Penn State	13. Tennessee
14. Tennessee	14. Penn State
15. Utah	15. Utah
16. Louisville	16. Oregon
17. Iowa	17. Iowa
18. Michigan	18. Michigan
19. Missouri	19. Louisville
20. Oregon	20. Texas A&M
21. Florida	21. Missouri
22. SMU	22. Florida
23. Texas A&M	23. Washington
24. Mississippi State	24. Oklahoma
25. Houston	25. SMU

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WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT USC

••• **Robert Griffin III, FOX Sports CFB Analyst -** "USC is a National Championship Contender."

MAIAVA MAGIC

••• The USC quarterback is a position unlike any other.

••• This young man becomes a household name, an annual Heisman contender and is under the brightest spotlight. They are in a league of their own and comprise a historic fraternity of some of the best collegiate players in history.

••• USC returns the nation's best quarterback in redshirt senior **Jayden Maiava**.

••• Maiava went 20-of-32 passes for 277 yards, 2 TDs and no INTs.

••• Maiava averaged 8.7 yards per attempt and 13.9 yards per completion.

••• He completed passes to nine different Trojans.

••• Maiava connected with WR Corey Simms for a 52-yard touchdown on third-and-14.

••• He delivered his second touchdown pass to RB Riley Wormley on third-and-goal from the 2-yard line, extending USC's lead to 42-28.

••• Maiava also found WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt for USC's successful two-point conversion.

••• Maiava was particularly efficient in the fourth quarter, completing 5-of-6 passes for 35 yards and a touchdown.

••• Maiava leads the nation in passing yards (1,173), passing TDs (12) and points responsible for (80).

••• Maiava's opening four-game stretch compares favorably with the greatest quarterbacks in USC history. Through four games, Maiava has produced more passing yards and passing TDs than Carson Palmer, Matt Leinart and Caleb Williams did through the same point of their Heisman Trophy-winning seasons. Maiava's 75.7 completion percentage and 194.0 passing efficiency rating are also the best among the group, while his 12 passing TDs are 3 more than Williams, 4 more than Leinart and 7 more than Palmer recorded during their respective four-game starts.

Quarterback	Season	Record	Comp.-Att.	Pct.	Pass Yards	YPA	Pass TD	INT	Efficiency
Jayden Maiava	2026	4-0	87-115	75.7	1,173	10.2	12	1	194.0
Caleb Williams	2022	4-0	80-122	65.6	1,054	8.6	9	0	162.5
Matt Leinart	2004	4-0	84-124	67.7	1,023	8.3	8	2	155.1
Carson Palmer	2002	3-1	86-149	57.7	963	6.5	5	3	119.1

••• Maiava makes his throws count. He is No. 2 among USC career leaders in yards per attempt with 8.9 (min. 500 attempts at USC). He's in good company in the stat – Caleb Williams sits at No. 1 with 9.2 yards per attempt, Matt Leinart is third with 8.6 and Sam Darnold holds the No. 4 spot with 8.5 yards per attempt.

••• He is currently 10th on USC's career total offense leader board with 6,285 total yards of offense as a Trojan.

••• Maiava also ranks 13th on USC's single season passing leader board with 265 completions in the 2025 season.

••• He has been named to the Maxwell Award Watch List, the Walter Camp Player of the Year Award Watch List, the Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award Watch List, the Davey O'Brien Award Watch List, the Polynesian College Football Player of the Year Watch List and he was one of 12 total players from the Big Ten Conference to be named to the 2026 Big Ten Football Preseason Honors list.

••• Maiava was also recently named a nominee for the Jason Witten Collegiate Man of the Year, the Allstate AFCA Goodworks Team and to the Wuerffel Trophy watch list for his commitment to community service and leadership beyond the gridiron.

••• With another year under offensive coordinator Luke Huard and Riley, who is the only head coach to tutor three Heisman Trophy winning quarterbacks, have 3 quarterbacks selected No. 1 overall in the NFL Draft and has the most No. 1 overall draft selections in the common draft era, Maiava is expected to continue to make large strides.

MAIAVA MAKES A DIFFERENCE

••• As USC's quarterback and a household name under one of football's most prominent spotlights, Maiava remains deeply grounded in service, humility and community.

••• Originally from Honolulu's Pālolo Valley, Maiava never forgot where he came from or the struggles he overcame growing up. His experiences shaped an incredible servant's heart and a genuine passion for mentoring children and uplifting underserved communities, especially his deep commitment to giving back to the community that helped shape him.

••• Maiava consistently uses his platform to inspire hope, connection and opportunity for others. He embodies the spirit of 'ohana: the value of family, connection and community.

••• In June of 2026, he returned to Honolulu's Pālolo Valley where he hosted a free youth football clinic for more than 350 local children ages 6 to 14, transforming a day of football instruction into a meaningful event centered on mentorship, inspiration and opportunity.

••• Throughout the clinic, Maiava taught football fundamentals while emphasizing teamwork,

perseverance and the importance of believing in yourself despite adversity, drawing from his own journey from the Pālolo Valley to the highest levels of the sport.

••• Extending his impact beyond the field, proceeds from event t-shirt sales were donated to Aloha 1st Athletics, a local nonprofit dedicated to leadership, character development and mental health support through sports, reinforcing his commitment to investing in the next generation and strengthening the community that shaped him.

••• Above all, Maiava encouraged attendees to lead with integrity, make a positive impact on those around them and pursue excellence in football, academics, faith and everyday life.

••• On this same trip, Maiava continued his commitment to giving back by returning to his former high school, Kaimukī High, where he spoke to students not only as the USC quarterback but as someone who once walked the same halls with the same aspirations.

••• Reflecting on his journey from serving as a Bulldogs ball boy and water boy to achieving his dream of wearing the Kaimukī jersey and competing at the highest level, Maiava shared an honest message about overcoming adversity, embracing opportunity and trusting God's plan.

••• He encouraged students to approach life with a "Fight On" mentality, emphasizing resilience, discipline, faith, accountability and the importance of supporting others through difficult times.

••• Crediting his mother as his greatest inspiration, he also stressed the value of education and the life lessons football has taught him about leadership, perseverance and character.

••• Maiava's outreach continued at Jarrett Middle School, where he inspired more than 400 students through an interactive discussion focused on perseverance, personal responsibility and making positive choices, sharing his own experiences growing up in Pālolo Housing and encouraging students to embrace discipline over regret as they pursue their goals.

••• He also visited Pālolo Elementary School, where he read with students, sang songs and created an engaging, uplifting environment that reflected his genuine commitment to mentorship and community.

••• Together, these visits underscored Maiava's dedication to empowering Hawaii's youth through education, faith, service and authentic leadership, reinforcing his mission to invest in the communities that helped shape him.

••• Beyond his work in Hawaii, Maiava has consistently dedicated his time to serving communities throughout Los Angeles, partnering with organizations focused on food insecurity, youth development and community outreach.

••• He has volunteered multiple times with the Los Angeles Regional Food Bank, helping sort and pack thousands of pounds of fresh produce for families in need, including supporting relief efforts for residents displaced by the January 2025 wildfires.

••• Maiava has also demonstrated a strong commitment to addressing food insecurity through his

OPPONENT TRACKER

SAN JOSÉ STATE (Aug. 29) Overall: 2-2 Mountain West: 0-0 This Week: BYE Last Week: L, 10-26 vs. Fresno State (2-1)	**FRESNO STATE (Sept. 4)** Overall: 2-1 Pac-12 Conference: 0-0 This Week: vs. Rice (1-2) Last Week: W, 26-10 at San José State (2-2)	**LOUISIANA (Sept. 12)** Overall: 2-1 Sun Belt Conference: 0-0 This Week: at Charlotte (0-3) Last Week: W, 21-14 vs. UAB (1-2)
RUTGERS (Sept. 12) Overall: 0-3 Big Ten Conference: 0-1 This Week: vs. Howard (1-2) Last Week: L, 35-42 vs. USC (4-0)	**OREGON (Sept. 26)** Overall: 2-1 Big Ten Conference: 0-0 This Week: at USC (4-0) Last Week: W, 84-0 vs. Portland State (0-4)	**WASHINGTON (Oct. 3)** Overall: 3-0 Big Ten Conference: 0-0 This Week: vs. Minnesota (2-1) Last Week: W, 48-16 vs. Eastern Washington (1-3)
PENN STATE (Oct. 10) Overall: 3-0 Big Ten Conference: 0-0 This Week: vs. Wisconsin (2-1) Last Week: W, 55-13 vs. Buffalo (1-2)	**WISCONSIN (Oct. 24)** Overall: 2-1 Big Ten Conference: 0-0 This Week: at Penn State (3-0) Last Week: W, 54-10 vs. Eastern Michigan (1-3)	**OHIO STATE (Oct. 31)** Overall: 2-1 Big Ten Conference: 0-0 This Week: vs. Illinois (2-1) Last Week: W, 59-3 vs. Kent State (1-2)
INDIANA (Nov. 14) Overall: 3-0 Big Ten Conference: 0-0 This Week: vs. Northwestern (2-0) Last Week: W, 38-0 vs. Western Kentucky (0-3)	**MARYLAND (Nov. 21)** Overall: 2-1 Big Ten Conference: 0-0 This Week: vs. UCLA (3-0) Last Week: L, 26-35 vs. Virginia Tech (3-0)	**UCLA (Nov. 28)** Overall: 3-0 Big Ten Conference: 1-0 This Week: at Maryland (2-1) Last Week: W, 52-38 vs. Purdue (1-2)

USC vs. OREGON (38*-24-2)

1915	L	0-34	H	1978	W	37-10	A
1920	W	21- 0	N1	1980	T	7- 7	A
1931	W	53- 0	H	1982	W	38- 7	H
1932	W	33- 0	H	1984	W	19- 9	A
1933	W	26- 0	H	1985	W	20- 6	N3
1934	W	33- 0	H	1986	W	35-21	H
1936	W	26- 0	H	1987	L	27-34	A
1937	W	34-14	H	1988	W	42-14	H
1938	W	31- 7	N2	1991	W	30-14	A
1939	T	7- 7	H	1992	W	32-10	H
1940	W	13- 0	H	1993	W	24-13	A
1941	L	6-20	H	1994	L	7-22	H
1942	W	40- 0	H	1997	W	24-22	H
1946	W	43- 0	H	1998	L	13-17	A
1948	L	7- 8	N2	1999	L	30-33(3OT)	A
1949	W	40-13	H	2000	L	17-28	H
1950	W	30-21	H	2001	L	22-24	A
1953	L	7-13	N2	2002	W	44-33	A
1954	W	24-14	N2	2005*	W	45-13	A
1955	W	42-15	H	2006	W	35-10	H
1956	L	0- 7	N2	2007	L	17-24	A
1957	L	7-16	H	2008	W	44-10	H
1958	L	0-25	N2	2009	L	20-47	A
1967	W	28- 6	H	2010	L	32-53	H
1968	W	20-13	A	2011	W	38-35	A
1970	L	7-10	A	2012	L	51-62	H
1971	L	23-28	H	2015	L	28-48	A
1972	W	18- 0	A	2016	W	45-20	H
1973	W	31-10	H	2019	L	24-56	H
1974	W	16- 7	A	2020	L	34-31	H&
1975	W	17- 3	H	2023	L	27-36	A
1976	W	53- 0	A	2025	L	27-42	A
1977	W	33-15	H				

N1 - Tournament Part, Pasadena, Calif.
N2 - Multnomah Stadium, Portland, Ore.
N3 - Tokyo Olympic Memorial Stadium, Tokyo, Japan
** - Mirage Bowl
& - Pac-12 Championship Game

*Not including 1 win vacated due to NCAA penalty (original record: 39-24-2)

service at the Dream Center and The Midnight Mission.

••• Across three volunteer shifts at the Dream Center, he helped prepare and serve more than 1,300 meals for individuals experiencing food insecurity, while at The Midnight Mission he worked alongside staff to prepare and distribute meals to individuals and families seeking support, reflecting his hands-on approach to serving those most in need.

••• In addition to his volunteer service, Maiava has invested in mentoring and empowering young people through organizations including the Boys & Girls Club, Angel City Sports' Youth Weekend and The Young Shakespeareans.

••• Whether coaching and encouraging local youth, participating in adaptive sports alongside children with physical disabilities or celebrating students' achievements in the arts, he has consistently used his platform to promote inclusion, confidence, education and personal growth while building meaningful connections throughout the community.

WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT MAIAVA

••• **Ken Niumatalolo, San José State Head Coach -** "Jayden [Maiava] is a Heisman Trophy candidate."

••• **Matt Entz, Fresno State Head Coach -** "You see why their quarterback is a Heisman contender. He's tremendously talented, has great understanding and great awareness of what's going on."

••• **Matt Leinart, Former USC Heisman Winning Quarterback and CBF Analyst -** "He looks like a first round talent. He looks like a Heisman Trophy candidate."

••• **Colin Cowherd, Host of the Herd -** "Looks like a first round talent."

••• **John Frascella, NFL Insider -** "I'm a big Jayden Maiava guy. I just think he has natural quarterbacking instincts. Very fluid."

CATCHING FIRE

••• The USC aerial attack continues to be dominant with a wide variety of players making an impact on the field.

••• USC sophomore **WR Corey Simms** caught all four of his targets for a career-high 72 yards and the first TD of his collegiate career in the Trojans' 42-35 road victory over Rutgers.

••• With USC facing third-and-14 from its own 48-yard line, Simms hauled in a 52-yard touchdown pass to give the Trojans a 17-7 lead early in the second quarter.

••• The 52-yard score was the longest reception of Simms' career and USC's longest offensive play of the game.

••• Simms generated 33 yards after the catch, including 23 on his TD, displaying the explosiveness to turn a critical third-down opportunity into a game-changing score.

••• His 72 receiving yards ranked second on the team, while his 18.0 yards per reception led all Trojans with multiple catches.

••• **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt** led USC with 5 receptions for 77 yards, averaging 15.4 yards per catch against Rutgers.

••• Dixon-Wyatt also caught the two-point conversion that gave USC a 35-21 lead.

••• Dixon-Wyatt leads USC with 18 receptions and 258 receiving yards on the season. He has also caught two TD passes and a two-point conversion.

••• Dixon-Wyatt is averaging 14.3 yards per reception and has recorded at least three catches in every game.

••• **WR Tanook Hine**s caught 3 passes for 33 yards, including a 15-yard reception on the opening play of USC's first touchdown drive.

••• **WR Zacharyus Williams** turned his lone reception into a 27-yard gain.

••• USC had four receivers finish with at least 30 yards against Rutgers: Dixon-Wyatt (77), Simms (72), Hines (33) and **TE Mark Bowman** (32).

WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT DIXON-WYATT

••• **Travis May, Editor of A to Z Sports NFL** – "Kayden Dixon-Wyatt is a true freshman WR playing like a pro already"

••• **John Frascells, NFL Insider –** "Meet Kayden Dixon-Wyatt... new USC stud wide receiver. Simply... electric"

••• **Bussin' With The Boys –** "Kayden Dixon-Wyatt is UNREAL"

WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT MOSLEY

••• **Ryan Dyrud, LA Football Network -** "Trent Mosley is ELECTRIC. What a game-changer"

••• **Ryan Kartje, Los Angeles Times –** "Trent Mosley has been absolutely electric so far today. Pretty clear why he's been considered a likely starter for so long"

••• **Ryan Abraham, USCFootball.com –** "Trent Mosley is a dude."

••• **Benjamin Rover, OC Register –** "Trent Mosley is going to be playing on Sundays for a long, long time."

••• **Chris Trevino, WeAreSC.com –** "Trent Mosley is inevitable"

THE LAST MEETING

November 22, 2025
Oregon 42, USC 27
Att: 59,588

USC	**7**	**7**	**7**	**6**	**--**	**27**
UO	**14**	**14**	**7**	**7**	**--**	**42**

The No. 15 Trojans fell 27-42 at No. 7 Oregon in front of a crowd of 59,588 at Autzen Stadium in Eugene, Ore. This was USC's third loss of the season.

USC **QB Jayden Maiava** went 25-of-43 (.581) for 311 yards with 3 TDs and 2 INTs. **WR Tanook Hines** led the Trojans with 141 receiving yards on 6 catches (23.5 avg.) with 1 TD. **WR Makai Lemon** scored two TDs (in addition to a passing TD) an **TE Lake McRee** also found the end zone. **LB Desman Stephens** led the Trojans with a career-high 17 tackles.

Going into Saturday, the Trojans ranked seventh nationally in red-zone defense, allowing opponents to score on just 71 percent of their red-zone trips. Without starting **safeties Kamari Ramsey** and **Bishop Fitzgerald**, who were out with injuries, the Trojans didn't have any red-zone magic defensively. USC also struggled in the run game, averaging just 1.9 yard per carry.

The Trojans scored on the opening kickoff on an 11-play 75-yard TD drive to take an early lead. Maiava hit **WR Ja'Kobi Lane** with a 27-yard reception before Lemon scored on an 8-yard TD. It was the first opening drive TD Oregon has allowed all season.

K Ryon Sayeri kicked out of bounds on the kickoff and Oregon started at its own 35-yard line. The Ducks responded with a TD from RB Jordon Davidson to tie up the game.

USC was forced to punt on its next drive, but was called for catch interference to give Oregon a short field. TE Kenyon Sadiq scored on a 8-yard pass from QB Dante Moore to take a 14-7 lead.

The Trojans drew up a trick play as Maiava tossed a screen to Lemon who hauled a deep ball to Hines in the end zone. Hines used his athleticism to make an incredible catch and get his foot down in the end zone while the Duck DB was on top of him to tie the game at 14-14.

The two teams exchanged punts, but the Trojans outkicked their coverage on a line drive and Duck returner Malik Benson returned Johnson's punt 85-yards for a TD. The return gave Oregon a 21-14 lead.

Maiava threw a pick on the next Trojan drive and Oregon took over at the 44-yard line following a Trojan unsportsmanlike penalty on Lane. The Trojan defense held Oregon to a field goal, but **LB Desman Stephens** was called on a leaping foul and a 15-yard penalty (as Oregon's kicked missed the field goal). Oregon resumed the drive on first down, and LB Bryce Boettcher lined up at running back to score a TD for the Ducks.

As the Trojans got the ball back, Maiava connected with Hines on a 51-yard pass to put USC in the red zone. After not converting, USC had to settle for a field goal, but Sayeri missed the 27-yard attempt.

After halftime, the USC defense had a huge energy play and stopped the Ducks on four-and-1 to regain possession. Unfortunately, Maiava was picked off on the next series.

The defense continued to perform as **S Kennedy Urlacher** recorded his first INT. Urlacher's pick resulted in points as Maiava connected with Lemon to score and close the point gap to 21-28.

Oregon scored once again on its next offensive drive to go up 35-21.

The Trojans continued to fight and McRee scored a TD, but USC was unable to convert a two-point play so the score remained 27-35.

Oregon scored once more to extend to 42-27, and the Trojans were unable to bounce back as the clock ran out.

••• **Kendell Hollowell, USC Trojans on SI –** "Trent Mosley is not a star in the making, he is a STAR. The next great USC wide receiver."

••• **Adam Rittenberg, ESPN –** "Trent Mosley is a problem."

••• **Paolo Uggetti, ESPN –** "Trent Mosley is #good"

••• **Jake Butt, Big Ten Network CFB Analyst –** "He's going to be a weapon for years to come."

••• **Bryan Fischer, Sports Illustrated –** "Trent Mosley is the next one in cardinal and gold. Impressive start to the season after a great camp."

••• **John Fanta, NBC Sports Broadcaster –** "If you are not on the Trent Mosley bus, get on it before it's too late. Just an insanely talented player."

••• **Ryan Kartje, Los Angeles Times –** "Trent Mosley might actually be superhuman. Will try to confirm."

••• **Eric Sondheimer, Los Angeles Times –** "If Trent Mosley's unbelievable 86-yard punt return for a touchdown doesn't make him a Heisman candidate as a freshman, what else do you want?"

MAKING HIS MARK

••• Freshman **TE Mark Bowman** caught 3 passes for 32 yards.

••• Bowman's 17-yard catch opened the final drive and immediately moved USC out to its own 42-yard line.

WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT MARK BOWMAN

••• **David Pollack, College Football Analyst -** "Had an SEC coach tell me he is the closest thing to Brock Bowers he has seen in recruiting. Mark Bowman. Get to know that name America!"

••• **Max Chadwick, College Football Analyst -** "If Mark Bowman can block like this, he can be SPECIAL. His route-running ability is some of the best I've seen for a true freshman."

••• **Ted Nguyen, The Athletic Senior Writer -** "This Mark Bowman is a freak."

BACKS IN BUSINESS

••• USC redshirt freshman **RB Riley Wormley** scored a career-high 2 TDs against Rutgers.

••• Wormley produced 54 yards from scrimmage and two TDs on just four touches, rushing three times for a career-high 52 yards and catching a 2-yard TD pass.

••• His TD reception was the first of his career.

••• He averaged an explosive 17.3 yards per carry, with each of his three rushing attempts gaining at least 12 yards and producing a first down or TD.

••• Wormley accounted for both of USC's offensive TDs in the second half

••• After Rutgers cut USC's advantage to 27-21, Wormley sparked the ensuing possession with a career-long 27-yard run and finished the 75-yard drive with a 12-yard TD rush.

••• With Rutgers again within seven points in the fourth quarter, Wormley gained 13 yards to set up first-and-goal before catching a 2-yard TD pass on third down to restore USC's two-score lead.

••• Head coach **Lincoln Riley** praised Wormley as one of USC's strongest competitors: ""I think they (Wormley and Simms) are two of our stronger competitors on the team," Riley said. "Two guys who I never have to worry about their effort or physicality or competitiveness. I think because of that they both were able to stay on the field."

••• **RB King Miller** recorded his second 100-yard rushing performance of the season against Rutgers, gaining 102 yards and a touchdown on 16 carries.

••• Miller averaged 6.4 yards per carry, and none of his 16 rushing attempts resulted in negative yardage.

••• Miller rushed for 24 yards on two consecutive carries following **S Christian Pierce**'s interception, scoring on an 11-yard run to give USC a 10-0 lead.

••• With USC protecting a seven-point lead on its final possession, Miller carried five times for 34 yards and three first downs.

••• Miller, a former walk-on, leads USC with 338 rushing yards and three touchdowns on 64 carries, averaging 5.3 yards per attempt in 2026.

••• Miller has rushed for 100 yards in consecutive games, recording 128 yards against Louisiana and 102 at Rutgers.

WATCH LISTS

DT Jide Abasiri
•Lott IMPACT Trophy

SNP Dylan Black
• Patrick Mannelly Award

K Caden Chittenden
• CFB Comeback Player of the Year

S Alex Graham
• Shaun Alexander Freshman of the Year

WR Tanook Hines
• Earl Campbell Tyler Award

RB Waymond Jordan
• CFB Comeback Player of the Year
• Maxwell Award

QB Jayden Maiava
• Allstate AFCA Goodworks Team
• Davey O'Brien Award
• Jason Witten Collegiate Man of the Year Award
• Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award
• Manning Award
• Maxwell Award
• Polynesian College Football Player of the Year
• Wuerffel Trophy

OL Alani Noa
• Outland Trophy
• Polynesian College Football Player of the Year

OL Kilian O'Connor
• Rimington Trophy

P/K Ryon Sayeri
• Lou Groza Award

DT Jahkeem Stewart
•Lott IMPACT Trophy

OL Justin Tauanuu
• Polynesian College Football Player of the Year

DE Luke Wafle
• Shaun Alexander Freshman of the Year

CB Jontez Williams
• Chuck Bednarik Award

HC Lincoln Riley
• Dodd Trophy

PRESEASON HONORS

DT Jide Abasiri
• Senior Bowl Top 300
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000
• Phil Steele All-Big Ten Third Team

WR Terrell Anderson
• Pick Six Previews Big Ten All-Transfer Team
• Pro Football Network All-Big Ten Second Team
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

DE Kameryn Crawford
• Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Third Team
• Senior Bowl Top 300
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

DE Zuirah Fisher
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

WR Tanook Hines
• Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Third Team
• Pro Football Network All-Big Ten Third Team
• Phil Steele All-Big Ten Fourth Team

RB Waymond Jordan
• Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Second Team
• Phil Steele All-Big Ten Second Team
• Senior Bowl Top 300
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

QB Jayden Maiava
• Pro Football Network All-America First Team
• Pro Football Network All-Big Ten First Team
• Big Ten Preseason Honors
• Pro Football Network Top 100
2027 NFL Draft Prospect
• Senior Bowl Top 300
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000
• Sports Info Solutions All-Big Ten Second Team
• Phil Steele All-Big Ten Third Team
• Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Fourth Team

OL Alani Noa
• Pick Six Previews All-Big Ten Third Team
• Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Fourth Team
• Phil Steele All-Big Ten Third Team

• Senior Bowl Top 300
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

OL Kilian O'Connor
• Pro Football Network All-Big Ten Third Team

OL Elijah Paige
• Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Third Team
• Senior Bowl Top 300
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

S Christian Pierce
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

OL Tobias Raymond
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

P/K Ryon Sayeri
• Sports Info Solutions All-Big Ten Second Team

DE Braylan Shelby
• Senior Bowl Top 300
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

LB Desman Stephens II
• Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Fourth Team

DT Jahkeem Stewart
• Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Third Team
• Pick Six Previews All-Big Ten Third Team

DT Alex VanSumeren
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

LB Jadyn Walker
• Phil Steele All-Big Ten Second Team

CB Jontez Williams
• Pick Six Previews National All-Transfer Team
• Pick Six Previews Big Ten All-Transfer Team
• Pick Six Previews All-Big Ten Second Team
• Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Second Team
• Phil Steele All-Big Ten Third Team
• Senior Bowl Top 300
• Shriners East-West Bowl Top 1,000

••• **RB Waymond Jordan** added 46 yards from scrimmage, rushing eight times for 26 yards and catching one pass for 20 yards.

PROTECTION PERFECTION

••• USC's offensive line helped the Trojans average 5.9 yards per carry and surrender only one sack.

••• Trojan running backs combined for 180 yards and 2 touchdowns on 27 carries, an average of 6.7 yards per attempt.

••• USC's running backs did not record a negative rushing attempt.

••• The offensive line paved the way for 12 rushing first downs.

••• **OL Tobias Raymond** has now started in every position on the offensive line except right guard. The last offensive lineman to play in four different positions on the line for the Trojans was Jonah Monheim (every position except left tackle).

TAKE YOUR PICK

••• USC's secondary accounted for both Trojan interceptions and 115 interception-return yards.

••• USC redshirt senior **S Prophet Brown** delivered the game-changing play by intercepting a pass at the USC 1-yard line and returning it 99 yards for a touchdown.

••• Brown's 99-yard pick-six was the second interception and first pick-six of his collegiate career.

••• He tied a 90-yard old record: the longest interception return in USC history (Bud Langley, 1936, versus Notre Dame).

••• The play produced a dramatic swing in a one-score game. With USC leading 20-14, Rutgers had driven to the Trojan 9-yard line and was positioned to take its first lead. Brown instead took the ball the length of the field to extend USC's advantage to 27-14.

••• His TD ultimately provided the decisive points in USC's seven-point victory.

••• The interception ended a 10-play Rutgers possession that had consumed more than four minutes and advanced 66 yards, immediately reversing the momentum in the Trojans' favor.

••• Brown added four tackles, including two solo stops, to his 99-yard interception return TD.

••• The performance came after Brown missed the entire 2025 season with a season-ending injury suffered during fall camp, making his career-defining play part of an impressive return to the field.

••• **S Christian Pierce** delivered a complete performance with a game-high 11 tackles, 6 solo tackles, one INT and two pass breakups.

••• Pierce intercepted QB Dylan Lonergan on Rutgers' second play of the game and returned it 16 yards to the Rutgers 24-yard line.

••• USC scored two plays later, making Pierce's INT responsible for setting up the Trojans' first TD.

WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT RILEY & PATTERSON

••• **Ken Niumatalolo, San José State Head Coach -** "Gary's one of the best defensive minds in all of college football. I'm good friends with him. We worked together in 1995 at the Naval Academy, so I'm very familiar with Gary. I was on the AFCA board with him for over a decade, so I know Gary Patterson very well. Smart call by Lincoln to hire him. They're going to get people in trouble in the Big Ten, and that's just their first game. And as they grow, they're going to get better with Gary leading their defense. But Gary's a phenomenal football coach. He's a phenomenal culture builder, and a credit to Lincoln. To have the humility as a head coach, and the foresight to hire a Hall-of-Famer. A lot of coaches wouldn't do that. They're like, 'No, I'm not going to hire a guy that caliber in my chair.' But to his credit, Lincoln hired a guy that's one of the best defensive minds of all time. The 4-2-5, he's basically the pioneer and creator of that. A very phenomenal coach."

FRONT-LINE FORCE

••• **DE Luke Wafle** recorded four tackles and was consistently involved against the run.

••• **DT Alex VanSumeren** added two tackles and a quarterback hurry.

••• **DT Jide Abasiri** recorded a quarterback hurry that helped force an incompletion.

••• **DT Floyd Boucard** contributed three tackles.

••• **DE Kameryn Crawford** contributed 6 tackles and combined with Desman Stephens II for USC's lone sack.

WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT WAFLE

••• **Ryan Dyrud, LA Football Network -** "The Trojans have not had an EDGE player like Luke Wafle in, I don't know, how long. Even the way he sets the edge and sheds blocks to take down the RB is just DIFFERENT"

••• **Aaron Taylor, College Football Analyst -** "DL97 Jide Abasiri and DE94 Luke Wafle are gonna be a problem for people this year."

••• **Ryan Kartje, Los Angeles Times -** "I know Luke Wafle is a true freshman. And every game I re-remind myself this, and it still doesn't seem true."

IN-SEASON HONORS

TE Mark Bowman
- Big Ten Freshman of the Week (9/14)

K Caden Chittenden
- Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week (9/21)

QB Jayden Maiava
- AP National Player of the Week (8/31)
- Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week (9/7)
- Manning Star of the Week (9/8)
- Davey O'Brien Great 8 (9/8)

WR Trent Mosley
- PFF Offensive Player of the Week (8/31)

DE Braylan Shelby
- Campbell Trophy Nominee (8/25)

RB Riley Wormley
- Big Ten Freshman of the Week (9/21)

USC Offensive Line
- PFF Week 0 National Offensive Line of the Week (8/31)
- PFF Week 2 National Offensive Line of the Week (9/13)

WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT ABASIRI

••• **Aaron Taylor, College Football Analyst -** "DL97 Jide Abasiri and DE94 Luke Wafle are gonna be a problem for people this year."

DEFENSE BY THE NUMBERS

••• USC has allowed only 24 first-half points, an average of six per game.

••• **LB Deven Bryant** finished second on the team with 8 tackles, including 4 solo stops.

••• Bryant joined Pierce on the fourth-and-1 stop to force a turnover on downs in the fourth quarter that gave USC possession at the Rutgers 24.

••• Bryant leads USC with 20 tackles through four games.

••• Bryant has increased his tackle total in every game: three against San José State, four against Fresno State, five against Louisiana and eight at Rutgers.

••• **LB Desman Stephens II** recorded 7 tackles, a pass breakup and half a sack against the Scarlet Knights.

••• **S Kennedy Urlache**r finished with four tackles and a pass breakup.

SPECIALISTS AT WORK

••• **K Caden Chittenden** was perfect in converting both field-goal attempts and all four PATs.

••• Chittenden accounted for 10 points, the second-most by any USC player in the game and the most he's scored as a Trojan.

••• He opened the scoring with a 35-yard field goal, giving USC a lead it never relinquished.

••• After Rutgers pulled within three points late in the first half, Chittenden capped USC's 61-yard drive with a 32-yard field goal with 10 seconds remaining, sending the Trojans into halftime with a 20-14 advantage.

••• The two field goals were Chittenden's first as a Trojan and came in his first game handling USC's place-kicking duties.

••• His flawless performance was especially meaningful after he missed the entire 2025 season because of a season-ending injury suffered during fall camp.

••• Chittenden's 10 points proved critical in a game decided by seven, helping USC win its Big Ten opener, improve to 4-0 and complete its first East Coast road trip since 2014 with a victory.

••• A former Lou Groza Award semifinalist, Chittenden displayed the same reliability that made him one of the nation's premier kickers as a freshman at UNLV, where he led all FBS kickers with 133 points in 2024.

••• Chittenden is perfect on the season, converting all 22 PAT attempts and both field-goal attempts.

••• He leads USC with 28 points scored.

••• **P Lachlan Carrigan**'s only punt traveled 56 yards and was downed at the Rutgers 5-yard line.

••• The Trojans have punted exactly once in each game.

••• **K/P Ryon Sayeri** recorded three touchbacks on eight kickoffs. Rutgers returned just one kickoff for 17 yards.

••• USC did not have a kickoff return or punt return.

RANKINGS

••• USC is ranked 12th in the AP Poll and No. 12 in the USA Today Coaches Poll.

••• Oregon is ranked 20th in the AP Poll and No. 16 in the USA Today Coaches Poll.

SERIES

••• USC is 38-24-2 all-time against Oregon (not including 1 win vacated due to NCAA penalty; original record: 39-24-2).

IN SEPTEMBER

••• USC has a 205-57-8 (.774) all-time record while playing in the month of September (does not include 3 wins vacated due to NCAA penalty; original record: 208-57-8, .777).

IN THE COLISEUM

••• USC is 480-151-27 (.750) in the Coliseum, not including 6 wins vacated due to NCAA penalty (original record: 6-0 in 2005 and 486-151-27, .752 in the Coliseum).

COUNTING AT THE COLI

••• USC's 664 games played in the Coliseum (including 6 wins vacated by NCAA penalty) are the third most that any school has played in its home stadium, behind Georgia Tech's 738 in Bobby Dodd Stadium and Tennessee's 666 in Neyland Stadium.

OREGON CONNECTIONS

••• USC has no players from the state of Oregon, while Oregon has 22 players from the state of California.

••• Oregon DT Bear Alexander previously played for USC in 2024. Utilizing a redshirt, he appeared in 3 games, recording 5 tackles (4 solo).

••• USC **DE Kameryn Crawford** and Oregon DL Anthony Jones Jr. are both from Mobile, Ala.

••• USC **CB Elbert "Rock" Hill IV** and Oregon DB Trey McNutt are both from Cleveland, Ohio.

••• USC **RB Waymond Jordan** and Oregon RB Simeon Price are both from Pensacola, Fla.

2026 TROJAN CAPTAINS

JAYDEN MAIAVA

TOBIAS RAYMOND

JIDE ABASIRI

ALEX VANSUMEREN

KILIAN O'CONNOR

••• USC **RB Deshonne Redeaux** and Oregon DB Davon Benjamin both prepped at Oaks Christian HS in Westlake Village, Calif.

••• USC **S Alex Graham**, USC **WR Terrell Anderson**, Oregon QB Dante Moore and Oregon DL A'Mauri Washington are all from Detroit, Mich.

••• USC **QB Sam Huard**, USC **OL Willi Wascher** and Oregon OL Demetri Manning are all from Bellevue, Wash.

••• USC **OL Willi Wascher** and Oregon OL Demetri Manning prepped together at Bellevue HS in Bellevue, Wash.

••• USC **S Kennedy Urlacher** and Oregon OLB Bleu Dantzler are both from Chandler, Ariz.

••• USC **S Kennedy Urlacher** and Oregon DL A'Mauri Washington prepped together at Chandler HS in Chandler, Ariz.

••• USC **WR Corey Simms** and Oregon WR Jeremiah McClellan are both from St. Louis, Mo. and prepped together at Christian Brothers College.

••• USC **LB Ta'Mere Robinson**, USC **DE Zuriah Fisher** and Oregon TE Andrew Olesh all previously played at Penn State.

••• USC **S Prophet Brown**, USC **OL Alani Noa** and Oregon DB Tre Watson are all from Sacramento, Calif.

••• There will be 10 former Monarchs in the Coliseum on Saturday. USC **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt**, USC **TE Mark Bowman**, USC **LB Shaun Scott**, USC **TE Manoah Leiato**, USC **DT Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.**, USC **TE Josiah Jefferson**, Oregon RB Jordan Davidson, Oregon OLB Nasir Wyatt, Oregon DL Aydin Breland and Oregon WR Jack Ressler all prepped at Mater Dei Catholic High School in Santa Ana, Calif.

••• The Trinity League will be well-represented as 7 former Braves will also be roaming the sidelines. USC **LB Devan Bryant**, USC **CB Marcelles Williams**, USC **S Marquis Gallegos**, USC **OL Erwin Taomi**, Oregon OLB Matayo Uiagalelei, Oregon DB Peyton Woodyard and Oregon OLB Dutch Horisk all prepped at St. John Bosco HS in Bellflower, Calif.

••• USC **WR Romero Ison**, Oregon DB Ify Obidegwu and Oregon OL Immanuel Iheanacho are all from Baltimore, Md.

••• USC **CB Brandon Lockhart**, USC **DE Andrew Williams**, USC **WR Luc Weaver**, USC **K William Weisberg** and Oregon ILB Dylan Williams are all from Los Angeles, Calif.

••• USC **RB Tyson Park**, USC **OL Breck Kolojay**, USC **OL Keenyi Pepe**, Oregon DL Bear Alexander and Oregon ILB Gavin Nix all prepped at IMG Academy in Bradenton, Fla.

••• USC **TE Patrick O'Brien**, USC **LB Nick De Fina**, USC **OL Chase Deniz**, USC **TE Josiah Jefferson,** Oregon QB Akili Smith Jr., Oregon DB Xavier Barksdale and Oregon OLB Prince Tavizon are all from San Diego, Calif.

••• USC **WR Marcus Sung**, Oregon WR Jack Ressler and Oregon DL Anthony Jones are all from Irvine, Calif.

••• USC **K Caden Chittenden**, Oregon DB Jett Washington and Oregon OL Douglas Utu are all from Las Vegas, Nev.

••• USC **SNP Dylan Black** and Oregon OLB Bleu Dantzler both previously played at Oregon State.

••• USC **LB Austin Engroff** and Oregon WR Hudson Lewis are both from Boise, Idaho and prepped together at Timberline, HS.

••• USC **SNP Caleb Moser** and Oregon WR Iverson Hooks both previously played at UAB.

••• USC **P/K Ryon Sayeri** and Oregon OL Auston Mims both prepped at Chaminade College Prep in Los Angeles, Calif.

••• USC **DT Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.** and Oregon TE Jamari Johnson are both from Inglewood, Calif.

••• USC **QB Jayden Maiava**, **LB GianCarlo Rufo**, Oregon ILB Will Straton, Oregon OL Koloi Keli and Oregon OL Iapani Laloulu are all from Honolulu, Hawaii.

••• USC **OL Elijah Paige** and Oregon LS Thomas Donkerbrook are both from Phoenix, Ariz.

••• USC **OL Tobias Raymond** and Oregon ILB Tristan Phillips are both from Ventura, Calif. and prepped at Ventura HS.

••• USC **DT Jordan Abarca** and Oregon QB Dante Moore both previously played at UCLA.

••• USC **DT Jamaal Jarrett** and Oregon DL Bear Alexander both previously played at Georgia.

••• USC Defensive Tackles Coach **Skyler Jones** spent the 2023 season as a defensive analyst for Oregon.

••• USC Football Video and Systems Analyst **Spencer Missioreck** worked as a student in the Football Video Department at Arizona State in 2012, while Oregon Head Coach Dan Lanning was a Defensive Graduate Assistant (Outside Linebackers/Nickelbacks) for the Sun Devils.

••• USC Associate Athletic Director (Equipment Operations) **Cecilia Snipes** served in similar positions at Arizona State while Oregon inside linebackers coach Brian Michalowski attended and worked at the school as a student assistant and then a defensive quality control analyst from 2008-12.

••• USC Director of Recruiting **Weston Zernechel** was a team manager for Ohio State while Oregon Offensive Coordinator Drew Mehringer was a graduate assistant for the team in 2012-13.

OREGON SCOUTING REPORT

••• Oregon enters Big Ten play 2-1 following wins over Boise State (34-27) and Portland State (84-0)

TEAM STATISTICSS

	USC	OPP
SCORING	**172**	**91**
Points Per Game	43.0	22.8
Points Off Turnovers	14	11
FIRST DOWNS	**105**	**72**
Rushing	42	25
Passing	60	38
Penalty	3	9
RUSHING YARDAGE	**702**	**455**
Yards Gained Rushing	757	508
Yards Lost Rushing	55	53
Rushing Attempts	148	115
Average Per Rush	4.7	4.0
Average Per Game	175.5	113.8
TDs Rushing	9	6
PASSING YARDAGE	**1,299**	**815**
Comp-Att-Int	99-130-2	63-106-3
Average Per Pass	10.0	7.7
Average Per Catch	13.1	12.9
Average Per Game	324.8	203.8
TDs Passing	12	6
TOTAL OFFENSE	**2,001**	**1,270**
Total Plays	278	221
Average Per Play	7.2	5.7
Average Per Game	500.3	317.5
KICK RETURN: #-YARDS	**9-153**	**6-111**
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS	**8-176**	**1-2**
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS	**3-115**	**2-11**
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	**17.0**	**18.5**
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	**22.0**	**2.0**
INT RETURN AVERAGE	**38.3**	**5.5**
FUMBLES-LOST	**4-2**	**2-1**
PENALTIES-YARDS	**26-227**	**15-124**
Average Per Game	56.8	31.0
PUNTS-YARDS	**4-196**	**14-585**
Average Per Punt	49.0	41.8
Net Punt Average	43.5	27.8
KICKOFFS-YARDS	**29-1,814**	**19-1,165**
Average Per Kick	62.6	61.3
Net Kick Average	39.7	42.7
TIME OF POSSESSION / GAME	**34:01**	**25:57**
3RD DOWN CONVERSIONS	**30/46**	**16/42**
3rd Down Pct.	65%	38%
4TH DOWN CONVERSIONS	**4/7**	**3/6**
4th Down Pct.	57%	50%
SACKS-YARDS	**8-34**	**3-21**
MISC YARDS	**0**	**0**
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	**23**	**12**
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	**2-2**	**2-2**
ON-SIDE KICKS	**0-0**	**0-1**
RED-ZONE SCORES	**(19-24) 79%**	**(10-13) 77%**
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	**(17-24) 71%**	**(9-13) 69%**
PAT-ATTEMPTS	**(22-22) 100%**	**(9-9) 100%**
2-POINT CONVERSION ATTEMPTS	**(1-1) 100%**	**(2-3) 67%**
ATTENDANCE	**164,177**	**43,045**
Games / Avg. Per Game	3/54,726	1/43,045
Neutral Site Games	--	0/0

and a road loss to Oklahoma State (39-31).

••• The Ducks are averaging 49.7 points and 501.3 yards per game, including 340.7 passing yards per game.

••• Oregon produced 726 yards, 43 first downs and 12 touchdowns in its 84-0 win over Portland State. The Ducks converted 11-of-14 third downs and scored touchdowns on all six of their red-zone trips.

••• QB Dante Moore has completed 61-of-89 passes (68.5%) for 849 yards and nine touchdowns without an interception.

••• Moore completed 19-of-23 passes for 280 yards and four touchdowns against Portland State before giving way to the reserves.

••• Backup QB Dylan Raiola completed all 11 of his attempts for 124 yards and three touchdowns in his Oregon debut.

••• Oregon has completed 70.0% of its passes and thrown 12 touchdowns without an interception through three games.

••• WR Evan Stewart leads the Ducks with 15 receptions for 222 yards and two touchdowns, while WR Dakorien Moore has added 11 catches for 192 yards and a team-high three touchdowns.

••• Oregon has spread the ball throughout its offense, with 16 different players recording a reception and 8 players catching a touchdown pass.

••• RB Jordon Davison leads the rushing attack with 194 yards and four touchdowns on 33 carries, averaging 5.9 yards per attempt.

••• Davison rushed for 81 yards and two touchdowns against Portland State as Oregon accumulated 273 rushing yards and five scores on the ground.

••• The Ducks are averaging 160.7 rushing yards per game and 4.5 yards per carry but have allowed seven sacks through three games.

••• Oregon's defense is allowing 310.3 yards and 22.0 points per game. Opponents have averaged just 110.7 rushing yards per game and 3.6 yards per carry.

••• The Ducks held Portland State to 103 total yards, two rushing yards and five first downs in the shutout. The Vikings finished 0-for-9 on third down and committed four turnovers.

••• Oregon has limited opponents to a 22.0% third-down conversion rate, allowing conversions on just nine of 41 attempts.

••• The Ducks have intercepted five passes while allowing opposing quarterbacks to complete just 53.3% of their attempts.

••• DB Jett Washington leads Oregon with two interceptions, while LB Devon Jackson returned an interception 96 yards for a touchdown earlier this season.

••• DB Koi Perich leads the team with 16 tackles, followed by DL Bear Alexander with 15 and LBs Jerry Mixon and Aaron Flowers with 14 apiece.

••• Oregon has recorded four sacks through three games. DL Teitum Tuioti leads the team with two tackles for loss, while Alexander, Tuioti, DL Matayo Uiagalelei and DL Aydin Breland have each recorded a sack.

••• P Bailey Ettridge is averaging 48.6 yards on nine punts, with five kicks of at least 50 yards and five placed inside the 20.

••• K Gage Hurych is 3-for-3 on field-goal attempts with a long of 44 yards and 14-for-14 on PATs.

••• Oregon has been penalized 24 times for 221 yards, an average of 73.7 penalty yards per game.

TV OUTLETS

••• USC has appeared live on 35 different television broadcasting outlets. The Trojans have won on the air on all but 3 of those outlets (KTLA, Innovative and a local Memphis station). USC has appeared on live national, regional or local telecasts 609 times.

BLOOM FOOTBALL PERFORMANCE CENTER

FAST FACTS

••• Official Opening: August 5, 2026, as the centerpiece of USC's $225 million Athletics West
campaign.

••• 163,000 square feet – more than doubles the total square footage for the USC football program.

••• Three-story building plus basement, plus two full-length outdoor practice fields (one turf, one natural grass).

••• The lobby showcases USC's 11 national championships and 8 Heisman

SITUATIONAL RECORDS

TEAM	RILEY	2026
Playing at Home	54-7	3-0
On the Road or Neutral Sites	41-21	1-0
Scoring First	65-17	3-0
Opponent Scores First	29-11	1-0
Leading After First Quarter	61-13	4-0
Trailing After First Quarter	15-12	--
Leading at Halftime	70-8	4-0
Trailing at Halftime	16-14	--
Tied at Halftime	6-6	--
Leading After Three Quarters	79-9	4-0
Trailing After Three Quarters	12-18	--
Against Ranked Opponents	20-18	--

OFFENSIVE SITUATIONS	RILEY	2026
Scores 20+ Points	90-26	4-0
Scores 30+ Points	78-15	4-0
Rushing for 200+ Yards	45-3	1-0
Passing for 300+ Yards	54-17	2-0
500+ Total Yards	53-8	2-0
40% or Better on 3rd Down	69-15	4-0
Two or Less Turnovers	84-21	4-0

DEFENSIVE SITUATIONS	RILEY	2026
Allow 15 Points or Less	26-0	1-0
Allow 20 Points or Less	43-0	1-0
Allow 150 or Less Rushing Yards	63-9	3-0
Allow 150 or Less Passing Yards	21-5	1-0
Allow 300 or Less Total Yards	22-1	1-0
Opp. 33% or Less on 3rd Down	43-11	2-0
Force Two or More Turnovers	42-6	2-0

SCORES BY QUARTER IN 2026

SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	OT	TOTAL
USC	31	75	31	35	--	172
OPPONENTS	10	14	24	43	--	91

Trophies, the most of any program in the country, and serves as the first public home of USC Football where fans can interact with the history and tradition of the program.

••• Locker room and sports medicine suite include direct access to hydrotherapy, cooldown and recovery pools.

••• 12,321 SF Strength & Conditioning Center and 5,406 SF Active Rehabilitation Center.

••• 279+ individual rooms and program spaces.

BLOOM IS THE HOME OF USC FOOTBALL

••• Bloom is now the home of USC Football.

••• Every aspect of the facility was designed specifically for football, from the size and scale to the equipment and finishes.

••• Every square foot serves a football purpose.

••• Football players will still go to the John McKay Center for academics and Little Galen for meals, but now the team has a true home of its own.

••• Bloom also allows USC to reimagine the John McKay Center to benefit student-athletes from all 23 sports.

PURPOSE-DRIVEN DESIGN

••• Every square foot has a purpose.

••• Nothing is included simply for show.

••• Every feature is designed to develop student-athletes to help the USC football team win championships.

TRADITION MEETS INNOVATION

••• The building reflects the collision of USC's tradition and the future of college football.

••• The program's history is celebrated and honored throughout the facility while embracing modern innovation needed to build a championship program for the future.

THE LOBBY

••• Houses USC's 8 Heisman Trophies, 11 national championship trophies, individual player awards, a Pro Football Hall of Fame display with a gold jacket from the Hall, an NFL Draft Wall, and an immersive showroom.

••• Tells the USC Football story in one place.

••• Open to the public on gameday.

••• Highlights team and togetherness.

••• 11 crystal footballs were commissioned, and USC connected with the governing bodies of the College Football Awards to purchase trophies for the lobby.

••• USC has never had all these items from its history in one place before – now fans will be able to engage with them.

••• It's hard to win a trophy or a Hall of Fame jacket; it's equally hard to get these awards in hand for display. The work that the staff had to put in to obtain these items was immense.

Collaboration with USC School of Cinematic Arts

••• Opportunity to collaborate with USC's School of Cinematic Arts to tell stories on the video board and immersive showroom in the lobby.

••• Create content that builds excitement around game day.

••• Opportunity to involve fans and donors in the storytelling experience.

••• Fans will be able to see the content from outside the building.

LEVEL 1 – ALL ABOUT THE PLAYER

The building was designed around the player.

Player Experience & Player Development

••• Everything starts with the player experience.

••• Player development was the driving philosophy behind every decision.

••• The facility supports recruiting, retention and development.

••• It's about attracting elite talent, developing them and helping

them succeed.

••• The goal is simple: train players to win on the field.

Natural Light

••• The previous facility had virtually no natural light.

••• Bloom features 30-foot-tall garage doors that open directly onto the practice field.

••• Sports medicine and recovery areas are filled with natural light.

••• The design intentionally places players in environments with daylight and energy.

Recruiting & Player Development

••• This facility is not exclusively a recruiting tool – it's about player development.

••• It demonstrates USC's commitment to investing in its student-athletes.

••• It helps recruit, retain and develop elite talent.

Performance Technology – Weight Room & Sport Science

••• The facility is centered around measurable player development.

••• USC is the first collegiate program to have Nike Strength custom weight racks.

••• Perch technology tracks every lift – bar speed, velocity-based training and power and explosiveness.

••• Video boards in the weight room showcase stats and foster a competitive environment.

••• The weight room's adjacency to the turf field lets players carry what they're doing on the rack out to football-specific movement on the field – central to Coach Truman Carroll's training philosophy.

••• Catapult performance vests support data-driven development throughout the program.

Fueling Station

••• Located right outside the weight room; houses a dedicated space for nutrition.

••• The Bod Pod now has its own home rather than being housed in an office.

Locker Room & Players' Lounge

••• Lockers are full-recline, promoting rest and recovery.

••• A barbershop promotes team bonding.

Equipment

••• USC has never had a loading dock before – now it does.

••• Level 1 includes a significantly expanded equipment space.

Walk-Through Room

••• Features a 45-foot-wide video wall.

••• Allows players to get mental repetitions before stepping onto the field, catering to different learning styles and optimizing rest.

LEVEL 2 – WHERE THE PROGRAM COMES TOGETHER

Players are on Level 1, coaches are on Level 3, and Level 2 is where the program meets together.

Learning & Development

••• Three learning environments work together: the Meeting Room, the Walk-Through Room, and the Practice Field – for verbal, visual and participatory learning.

••• The progression helps players learn faster, get valuable mental reps, accelerate development for freshmen and transfers and better understand the cerebral side of football.

Walk-Through Room – Event-Ready Space

••• This building will help generate revenue, including this room.

••• Presentation-ready event space.

••• Pushed to the furthest edges of the building, away from coaches and players.

••• Events can be hosted in this space and on the surrounding deck without disrupting players on Level 1.

••• A true campus asset.

Team Room

••• Two-story team room equipped with theater-quality surround sound.

••• USC has never had a space that fits the entire team and staff.

Meeting Rooms

••• All position meeting rooms (12 total) are located on Level 2.

Recovery & Sport Science

••• Recovery is a major competitive advantage – infrastructure USC previously lacked.

••• Built in collaboration with a sports scientist who holds a medical doctorate from Keck Medicine.

••• Recovery technology matches what's used in the NFL and MLB.

••• Amenities were cherry-picked to keep players healthy through all 16 games – "you can't peak in Week 3 and taper off in Week 11."

••• Recovery room features: float beds, infrared therapy beds, sleep pods, AI-powered massage chairs from Japan, premium hot and cold plunge areas that feel like a luxury resort, and zero-gravity chairs.

Creative & Content

••• Represents an investment in the future of the program.

••• Three dedicated creative studios built to support content creation and storytelling.

••• Designed with future student-athlete content opportunities and NIL opportunities in mind, as well as revenue-generating production opportunities.

Additional Level 2 Program Spaces

••• NFL alumni locker room.

••• Dedicated space for NFL scouts.

••• Recruiting terrace overlooking the practice fields.

LEVEL 3 – COACHES & STAFF EXPERIENCE

The building serves as the home base for the entire football program.

Coaches

••• McKay was built for a much smaller staff.

••• Bloom creates a modern workspace that reflects today's football operations.

Office Design

••• Defensive coaches overlook the practice field.

••• Offensive coaches overlook the atrium.

••• Glass walls create openness and collaboration.

Staff Amenities

••• Multiple fueling stations throughout the building.

••• Kitchen and lounge areas are designed to encourage staff interaction.

••• Family-oriented environment that feels like home.

••• Coaches have access to wellness amenities to help them stay refreshed during the long season.

The Goal

••• Make USC the choice destination for coaches.

••• Create an environment where elite coaches want to work.

Football Front Office

••• Dedicated front office suite.

••• Space for the General Manager, personnel staff, graduate assistants and student workers.

••• Built for collaboration, film study and roster management.

••• Located directly across from the coaching staff.

••• Designed to mirror NFL front office operations.

••• Provides room for continued program growth.

Rooftop Deck

••• Like the Walk-Through Room, it's an event-ready space.

••• Accessible without ever interacting with coaches or players.

••• Houses a large video board, TVs, a pickleball court, ping pong tables and pool tables.

••• Doubles as a second players' lounge.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ADVANTAGE

Lean into what makes USC unique.

••• Hollywood Sign and Downtown LA views from Level 3.

••• Maximizes outdoor space wherever possible.

••• Indoor and outdoor spaces take full advantage of the Southern California environment.

••• The building's exterior and surrounding landscape are part of the experience.

••• Extensive glass keeps the building open and visually accessible.

BRANDING & USC IDENTITY

Every branding element was intentional.

••• Themes throughout the building include Fight On, team accomplishment, championship culture and player development.

Highlights

••• National Championship displays greet players upon entry to the team room.

••• The All-American Walk celebrates both individual and team success.

••• A display showcasing undefeated seasons at the Coliseum promotes competition.

••• Specific messages were intentionally emphasized at specific locations throughout the building.

PRACTICE FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS

The project extends beyond the building itself.

••• Two full-length outdoor practice fields — one turf, one natural grass.

••• New high-tech cameras for the video team to promote efficiency.

••• New audio system to simulate crowd noise.

••• New lights.

••• New scoreboards.

••• Enhanced practice fields.

••• A fully integrated football performance center and practice complex.

CONSTRUCTION & PARTNERSHIP

••• Clark Construction was a key partner on the project.

••• Art Vasconcelos, VP at Clark Construction, is a proud USC alumnus managing the project — he was a student manager under head coach Pete Carroll and served as head student manager his senior year.

••• It's a green building anticipated to achieve LEED Platinum certification, with rooftop solar infrastructure and high-performance, energy-efficient building systems.

••• This is one key piece of Athletics West — USC enhanced and invested in multiple programs' facilities.

••• With football in its own space, training times open for all other sports.

••• Utilizes an innovative mass timber structural system — exposed Cross-Laminated Timber (CLT) and glulam elements — placing Bloom among a select group of collegiate athletic facilities built this way, creating warm, naturally daylit interiors while supporting large-span flexibility for a modern football program.

CONSTRUCTION BY THE NUMBERS

People

••• 455,000 craft labor hours.

••• 2,100 individual craft personnel worked on the project.

••• 250 peak craft personnel on site at any one time.

••• 190 different contractors and vendors worked on the project.

Timeline

••• 636 days from groundbreaking to ribbon cutting (1 year, 8 months, 29 days) — Nov. 7, 2024, to Aug. 5, 2026.

Material Metrics

••• 10,000 cubic yards of concrete.

••• 8,000 cubic yards of earth moved.

••• 1,200 tons of steel (equivalent weight of 10,000 offensive linemen).

KEY THEMES

••• Bloom is the new home of USC Football.

••• Everything was intentionally designed.

••• Player experience comes first.

••• Player development drives every decision.

••• Every square foot has a purpose.

••• Tradition meets innovation.

••• The building is designed for recruiting, development, retention and winning.

••• Bloom positions USC as the premier destination for elite players, coaches and the future of college football.

TROJAN TRIVIA

••• USC has 129 players on its roster. It's the second largest roster in USC history. USC's 1988 roster had 136 players.

••• Outside of the service academies with almost 200 student-athletes on their rosters, USC is tied for the largest FBS roster in the nation:

- **••• 129 USC**
- ••• 129 North Dakota State
- ••• 126 Iowa State
- ••• 126 NC State
- ••• 122 Virginia
- ••• 122 Georgia Southern
- ••• 121 Arkansas
- ••• 121 Clemson
- ••• 120 Texas A&M

••• Freshman **WR Ethan "Boobie" Feaste**r recently turned 17 years old. His birthday is 5/23/09. He is the youngest FBS football player in the nation.

••• Youngest players in the nation:

- **••• USC - WR Ethan "Boobie" Feaster - 5/23/09**
- ••• Arkansas - QB Hank Hendrix - 4/6/09
- ••• Texas Tech - OL Jacob Crow - 1/22/09
- ••• Temple - LB Josh Nengite - 1/2/2009
- ••• Texas Tech - OLB LaDamion Guyton - 11/19/08
- ••• Eastern Michigan - DB Horace Glenn III - 10/15/08
- ••• UTSA - TE Trysten Laughlin - 8/21/08
- ••• East Carolina - OL Alex Luebke - 8/8/08
- ••• Houston - OL Troy Pless - 8/6/08

••• USC has 9 players that all played at Santa Margarita Catholic High School. That is the fourth-most in the nation:

- ••• 14 - Hawai'i (Bishop Gorman HS)
- ••• 11 - Hawai'i (Saint Louis School)
- **••• 9 - USC (Santa Margarita Catholic)**

••• 9 - Clemson (D.W. Daniel HS)

••• USC has three sets of brothers (**RB King & OL Kaylon Miller** (twins) and their younger brother **RB Kayne**; **CB Carrington & S Christian Pierce**; **WR Cameron & CB RJ Sermons**).

••• USC is the only FBS school never to have had surnames on the back of its jerseys.

••• USC is the only NCAA FBS (formerly Division I-A) school that has never played an FCS (formerly non-Division I-A) opponent since the divisions were established in 1978.

••• Some 2026 schedule notes:

••• USC's home game versus Oregon on Sept. 26 will be USC's conference home opener.

••• USC's home game versus Ohio State on Oct. 31 will feature Trojan Family Weekend celebrations.

••• USC's home game versus Washington on Oct.3 will be Homecoming/Reunion Weekend.

••• 27 Trojans previously attended other 4-year schools: **DT Jordan Abarca** (UCLA), **WR Terrell Anderson** (NC State), **TE Tucker Ashcraft** (Wisconsin), **SNP Dylan Black** (Oregon State), **DE Ethan Brougham** (Rice), **LB Deven Bryant** (Washington), **P Lachlan Carrigan** (Memphis), **K Caden Chittenden** (UNLV), **WR Luke Degner** (UChicago), **DE Zuriah Fisher** (Penn State), **P Nate Hillenburg** (Cornell/Valparaiso), **QB Sam Huard** (Washington/Cal Poly/Utah), **DT Jamaal Jarrett** (Georgia), **CB Chasen Johnson** (UCF), **QB James Johnson** (Holy Cross), **QB Jayden Maiava** (UNLV), **LB Ryan O'Connell** (UPenn), **OL Ryan Pauley** (Presbyterian/Valparaiso), **CB Carrington Pierce** (Oklahoma State), **LB Ta'Mere Robinson** (Penn State), **LB GianCarlo Rufo** (Georgetown), **WR Marcus Sung** (Grinnell), **TE Carson Tabaracci** (Utah), **S Kennedy Urlacher** (Notre Dame), **DT Alex VanSumeren** (Michigan State), **CB Jontez Williams** (Iowa State) and **WR Zacharyus Williams** (Utah).

••• **WR Marcus Sung** was named after USC Heisman Trophy winner Marcus Allen.

••• USC currently has 53 players who graduated at least a semester early from high school and enrolled in college that spring – that's 41% of the team. **OL Elijah Paige** and **S Christian Pierce** enrolled in the spring of 2023. **DT Jide Abasiri**, **DE Kameryn Crawford**, **S Marquis Gallegos**, **OL Kaylon Miller**, **LB Elijah Newby**, **LB Desman Stephens II**, **OL Justin Tauanuu** and **CB Marcelles Williams** all enrolled in the spring of 2024. **DT Floyd Boucard**, **CB Trestin Castro**, **OL Aaron Dunn**, **CB Alex Graham**, **OL Cash Jacobsen**, **WR Corey Simms**, **DT Jahkeem Stewart**, **TE Taniela Tupou**, **OL Elijah Vaikon**a, **OL Willi Wascher**, and **RB Riley Wormley** all enrolled in the spring of 2025. **RB Shahn Alston**, **WR Tron Baker, TE Mark Bowman**, **CB Jayden Crowder**, **OL Chase Deniz**, **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt**, **OL Vlad Dyakonov**, **CB Peyton "Man Man" Dyer**, **OL John Fifita**, **CB Elbert "Rock" Hill IV**, **S Joshua Holland II**, **LB Talanoa Ili**, T**E Josiah Jefferson**, **DT Jake Johnson**, **LB Taylor "Taybo" Johnson**, **DT Braeden Jones, DE Simote Katoanga**, **OL Breck Kolojay**, **CB Brandon Lockhart**, **WR Trent Mosley**, **OL Keenyi Pepe**, **RB Deshonne Redeaux**, **S Madden Riordan**, **LB Shaun Scott**, **DE Sam Smith**, **OL Esun Tafa**, **DT Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.**, **DE Luke Wafle**, **WR Luc Weaver**, **DE Andrew Williams**, **QB Jonas Williams** and **DT Jaimeon Winfield** all enrolled in the spring of 2026.

••• Since 1999, 144 Trojans have graduated at least a semester early from high school and enrolled at USC (6 graduated a full year early).

••• **DT Jahkeem Stewart** and **CB RJ Sermons** both reclassified from the class of 2026 to enroll early with the class of 2025. **TE Mark Bowman** and **WR Ethan "Boobie" Feaster** both reclassified from the class of 2027 to the class of 2026.

••• USC's roster features a Jr. (**DT Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.**), two II's (**S Joshua Holland II** and **LB Desman Stephens II**) and a IV (**CB Elbert "Rock" Hill IV**).

••• Twins **OL Kaylon Miller** and **RB King Miller** and their little brother, **RB Kayne Miller**, come from a well-known musical family. Their uncles are legendary music mogul and entrepreneur Dr. Dre (Andre Young) and rapper and hip-hop producer Warren G. Young, alongside Jimmy Iovine, endowed the USC Jimmy Iovine and Andre Young Academy for Arts, Technology and the Business of Innovation housed in Iovine and Young Hall on USC's Campus.

••• USC has 17 Polynesian Players on the 2026 roster: **OL Ratumana Bulabalavu**, **OL John Fifita**, **WR Tanook Hines**, **LB Talanoa Ili**, **DE Simote Katoanga**, **TE Manoah Leiato**, **QB Jayden Maiava**, **OL Alani Noa**, **OL Keenyi Pepe**, **OL Esun Tafa**, **OL Erwin Taomi, OL Justin Tauanuu**, **DT Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.**, **TE Taniela Tupou, OL Elijah Vaikona, OL Willi Wascher** and **WR Zacharyus Williams**.

••• Quarterback coach **Luke Huard**'s brother, Damon, played for the New England Patriots from 2001-2003, including on the Super Bowl XXXVI and XXXVIII championship teams.

••• Several Trojan staffers have been part of championship teams.

••• **Rob Ryan** was part of 2 Super Bowl championship teams (XXXVI and XXXVIII) with the New England Patriots.

••• Defensive ends coach **Shaun Nua** was a member of the Steelers' Super Bowl XL-winning team in 2006.

••• Director of Football Student Services and Operations **Cheryl Taplin** was a sprinter on 7 of LSU's NCAA champion outdoor and indoor women's track and field teams.

••• Speaking of genes...

••• **SNP Dylan Black**'s grandfather, Raymond Black, played basketball at Utah State.

••• **TE Mark Bowman**'s father, Kirk, was a defensive lineman at Colorado State, and his mother, Heather, played volleyball at Colorado State.

••• **OL Ratumana Bulabalavu**'s cousin, Tuli Letuligasenoa, was a defensive lineman at Washington from 2018-23.

••• **OL Chase Deniz**'s mother, Stacey Nuveman-Deniz, is a three-time Olympic softball player. She won two gold medals (2000 and 2004) and a silver (2008). She also played at UCLA and was a four-time NFCA First Team All-American, a three-time Pac-10 Player of the Year (1999, 2001, 2002) and was named the inaugural USA Softball National Collegiate Player of the Year in 2002. She ended her UCLA career as the NCAA all-time career leader in home runs (90) and slugging percentage (.945) as well as the school career record-holder for batting average, RBIs, hits, doubles, walks, games played and on-base percentage. She also set UCLA single-season records for batting average (a nation-leading .529 in 2002) home runs (a then-NCAA record 31 in 1999), RBIs (a nation-leading 91 in 1999), total bases (187), slugging percentage (a NCAA record 1.045% in 2002), walks (77 in 2001) and on base percentage (.665 in 2002). Nuveman-Deniz led UCLA to Women's College World Series appearances in each of her four years, including 1999 when the Bruins captured the NCAA Championship. She is in the UCLA Athletics Hall of Fame. His father, Mark, played football at Northern Arizona.

••• **QB Will Doherty**'s grandfather, Bill Bond, was the 1964 NCAA Men's Tennis Doubles Champion at USC and was a member of the Trojans' 1962, 1963 and 1964 NCAA Championship Teams. Bond was a two-time First Team All-American in 1962 and 1964. He competed on the USC men's tennis from 1962-64. Bond was inducted into the ITA Men's Collegiate Tennis Hall of Fame in 2003.

••• **QB Sam Huard**'s father, Damon, played quarterback at Washington, lettering from 1993 through 1995, and finished his career as Washington's all-time leading passer. He went on to 12-year career in the NFL, winning two Super Bowls with the New England Patriots. He currently works in the Washington athletics department as Director of Community & External Relations and as a Special Advisor to the Athletic Director. His uncle, Brock, was also a starting quarterback at Washington (1996-98) and broke his older brother's passing yards record before playing for the Colts and Seahawks in the NFL. He is now a college football analyst on FOX. USC offensive coordinator/quarterbacks coach Luke Huard is also his uncle. His sister, Brooke, is a redshirt freshman volleyball player at Washington.

••• **LB Talanoa Ili**'s father, Glen, played football a Mt. SAC, winning a state and national championship in 1997. His team was inducted into the Mt. SAC Hall of Fame in 2017. He also played football at New Mexico Highlands, winning in the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference Championship in 1999. Ili was named to the All-RMAC Team. His mother, Teulia, played basketball at Mt. SAC. His uncles, Talalemotu, (Azusa Pacific) and Willhans (Utah State/Idaho State/New Mexico Highlands) both played college football.

••• **OL Cash Jacobsen'**s mother, J'Anna played basketball at Oklahoma, and his father, Seth, wrestled at Oklahoma.

••• **QB James Johnson**'s father, Erik, played football at Cal Poly San Luis Obispo.

••• **DE Simote Katoanga** has two brothers who played college football: Rocky (Washington State) and Spencer (UNLV).

••• **CB Brandon Lockhart**'s brother, Justin, played football at San José State and was an undrafted free agent who signed with the Kansas City Chiefs.

••• **QB Jayden Maiava**'s uncle is former Trojan linebacker, Kaluka Maiava.

••• **TE Fisher Melton**'s father, Tracy, was a long snapper at USC.

••• **WR Trent Mosley**'s family is very athletic. His older brother, Emmett V, is a wide receiver at Texas. His older sister, Jalyn, played soccer at Iowa. Both of his parents attended Notre Dame with his father, Emmett IV, playing on the football team and his mother, Cindy, starring on the soccer team, winning the Herman Trophy, which goes to the nation's top soccer player.

••• **LB Ryan O'Connell'**s father, Robert, was a linebacker on the football team at TCU.

••• **S Christian Pierce** and **CB Carrington Pierce**'s father, Colby, played basketball at Austin Peay. Their other brother, Camren, played basketball at Cal Poly San Luis Obispo.

••• **LB Ta'Mere Robinson**'s brother, Bruce, played football at Clarion University.

••• **CB Isaiah Rubin**'s cousin, Jordan Anderson, is a freshman wide receiver at Oregon State.

••• **CB Shawn Sehra**'s brother, Sunil, played ice hockey at the University of Toronto.

••• **WR Cameron Sermons** and **CB RJ Sermons'** father Rodney Sermons, was a running back at USC from 1994-97.

••• **DE Braylan Shelby**'s father, Shannon, is a former Arkansas defensive end and his brother, Ty, played defensive end at Louisiana Monroe.

••• **DE Ty Swanson**'s father, Pat, played tight end and long snapper at USC.

••• **OL Hayden Treter**'s father Jon, was a linebacker at Colorado.

••• **S Kennedy Urlacher**'s father , Brian, was an All-American football player at New Mexico. He then was drafted with the No. 9 overall pick in the 2000 NFL Draft by the Chicago Bears. While in Chicago, he was named the 2000 NFL Defensive Rookie of the Year, the 2005 NFL Defensive Player of the Year, a four-time First Team All-Pro and an eight-time Pro Bowl selection. His number, 44, is retired at New Mexico.

••• **DT Alex VanSumeren**'s brother, Ben, played football at Michigan State and went on to play in the NFL for the Philadelphia Eagles.

••• **DE Luke Wafle**'s father, David, played football at Duke. His brother, Owen, is currently a redshirt sophomore defensive tackle at Duke.

••• **P William Weisberg**'s mother Jillion, was a dual-sport athlete at SMU, competing in soccer and track.

••• **CB Jontez Williams**' father, Andrew Williams played football at Miami and went on to play in the NFL for the San Francisco 49ers and the Denver Broncos.

••• **CB Marcelles Williams** has two older brothers who played college football: Max who was a safety at USC and Macen who was a defensive back at Arizona State. His father, Maxzell, played defensive back at Nevada.

••• **WR Zacharyus Williams**' brother, New Zealand, was a linebacker at San Diego State.

••• **WR Seth Zamora**'s brother, Josiah, was also a wide receiver on the USC football team.

••• Head coach **Lincoln Riley**'s brother, Garrett, is the quarterbacks coach at Missouri, after previously coaching at Clemson, TCU, SMU, Appalachian State, Kansas, East Carolina and Augustana College and playing quarterback at Texas Tech and Stephen F. Austin.

••• Defensive line coach **Shaun Nua**'s cousin, Ianeta Le'i, played softball (first base) for 4 seasons (2003-06) at BYU, where she was a 3-time All-American and then served as an assistant coach (2007-13). His cousin, Futi Tavana, was a middle blocker on BYU's men's volleyball team (2009-12), where he was a 2-time All-American first teamer (2011-12) and then played for the USA National Team (2012-16). His cousin, Devin Tavana, was an offensive lineman at Southern Utah (2010-11).

••• When **Quincy Watts** was named USC's director of track and field and cross country in June of 2021, he became the third former Trojan football player to be USC's head track coach. Watts, most noted as a 2-time gold medalist (400 meters and 1600-meter relay) at the 1992 Olympics, was a wide receiver on the 1990 USC football team (he didn't get into a game). Jess Hill and Jess Mortensen (who both lettered in football as running backs in 1928 and 1929, including on the 1928 national champs) guided the Trojan tracksters; Hill did so in 1949-50 and in 1962 (winning 2 NCAA titles), while Mortensen did so from 1951 to 1961 (getting 7 NCAA crowns).

••• USC football boasts some impressive track athletes:

- ••• **S Prophet Brown** was a member of the California state champion 400-meter relay team and has personal bests of 10.90 in the 100 meters and 22.71 in the 200.
- ••• **S Alex Graham** recording a 10.9 in the 100-meter dash as a junior at IMG Academy. As a youth athlete, he took first in the Boys 10u Triathlon (high jump, shot put, 400) at the AAU Junior Olympic Games in 2017.
- ••• **WR Tanook Hines** posted times of 10.45 in the 100 and 20.71 in the 200 (one of the best marks in the nation) as a junior which earned silver in Texas 6A. He placed third at regionals with a 10.53 100.
- ••• **WR Romero Ison** ran a personal best 10.85 in the 100 in 2023 at the Adidas Outdoor Nationals during his sophomore year. He also broke a school record and PR for his 22.15 as a sophomore in the Varsity 200.
- ••• **CB Chasen Johnson** also ran track and was part of a 4x400 team that won the regional title and took second at the Florida 4A State Meet. He also competed in the 100m where he posted an 11.31 time in 2022.
- ••• **CB RJ Sermons** was also a talented sprinter who posted times of 10.30 in the 100m and 20.88 in the 200m as a junior in 2025. At the 2025 Baseline League Track Championships, Sermons placed first in the 100m with a 10.30 time and the 200m with a time of 20.88. Both times were the second-best mark in California in those respective races in the 2025 track season. Sermons also won the CIF Division 1 Championship in both events as well running a 10.36-100m and 20.96-

200m. As a sophomore in 2024, he recorded personal best times of 10.48-100-meters and 21.34-200m. Sermons finished fifth in the CIF Division1 Final with a time of 10.70-100m and sixth in the 200m with a 21.51 time. As a freshman in 2023, Sermons ran a personal best time in the 100m of 10.85 and 22.60-200m. He also competed on the 4X100m relay team that finished seventh in the California State Championships with a 41.82 time, and he had season best time of 41.39.

••• Besides Brown, Graham, Hines, Ison, Johnson and Sermons (above), a number of other Trojans competed in track and field in high school: **DT Jide Abasiri**, **DE Ethan Brougham** (shot put and discus), **OL Ratumana Bulabalavu** (triple jump, 110-meter hurdles, shot put and discus), **S Trestin Castro** (100, 200, 400 and high jump), **DT Brenden Cho**, **CB Peyton "Man Man" Dyer**, **CB Elbert "Rock" Hill IV**, **LB Talanoa Ili**, **DT Jake Johnson** (shot put), **CB Brandon Lockart** (100 and 200), **RB Cian McKelvey**, **LB Elijah Newby** (high jump), **RB Deshonne Redeaux**, **LB Ta'Mere Robinson**, **WR Cameron Sermons**, **DE Braylan Shelby** (triple Jump), **OL Kannon Smith** (shot put and discus), **LB Carson Tabaracci**, **DT Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.** (shot put and discus), **WR Luc Weaver** (100 and 4x100 relay), **CB Jontez Williams** and **RB Riley Wormley** (4x100 and 100).

••• As high schoolers, USC football players also competed in a wide range of other sports. In addition to track and field (above), they played primarily basketball (**S Prophet Brown**, **DE Kameryn Crawford**, **OL Chase Deniz**, **CB Derek Deniz**, **QB Will Doherty**, **OL Aaron Dunn**, **LB Austin Engroff, DE Zuriah Fisher**, **TE Josiah Jefferson**, **TE Walter Matthews**, **RB Cian McKelvey**, **OL Elijah Paige, CB Carrington Pierce, OL Tobias Raymond**, **DE Jadyn Ramos**, **LB Ta'Mere Robinson**, **CB Shawn Sehra, OL Kannon Smith, TE Carson Tabaracci**, **WR Roderick Tezeno**, **TE Taniela Tupou**, **OL Elijah Vaikona**, **LB Jadyn Walker**, **WR Luc Weaver** and **CB Jontez Williams**) and baseball (**TE Manoah Leiato**, **OL Tobias Raymond** and **OL Kannon Smith**). They also participated in soccer (**OL Tobias Raymond** and **P Rey Sanchez**), lacrosse (**DT Brendan Cho**, **OL Cash Jacobsen**, **LB Roman Marchetti**, **WR Trent Mosley**, **LB Ryan O'Connell** and **TE Carson Tabaracci**), volleyball (**DT Brendan Cho**, **QB Jayden Maiava** and **P Rey Sanchez**), wrestling (**DT Jide Abasiri** and **OL Vlad Dyakonov**), swim (**P Nate Hillenberg**), rugby (**LB Nick De Fina** and **OL Ratumana Bulabalavu**) and ice hockey (**DT Floyd Boucard**).

SCHEDULE

••• The Trojans opened the 2026 season with a Week Zero game on Aug. 29 at the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum against San José State. The Trojans won 42-36, and now USC holds a 7-0 all-time record over the Spartans, who are led by head coach Ken Niumatalolo.

••• USC then shutout Fresno State of the Pac-12 Conference 39-0 on Sept. 5. The Bulldogs, who are led by former USC assistant head coach for defense / linebackers coach Matt Entz, returns to the Coliseum for a fifth time in series history. USC is now 5-1 all-time against Fresno State (not including 1 win vacated due to NCAA penalty; original record: 6-1).

••• USC wrapped up nonconference play and the team's three-game homestand on Sept. 12 with a matchup against Louisiana. USC defeated the Ragin' Cajuns, led by head coach Michael Desormeaux, 49-30.

••• USC opened Big Ten Conference play on the road at Rutgers on Sept. 19. USC won the game 42-35. It was USC's first trip to Piscataway, N. J. and SHI Stadium.

••• The Trojans return home to host Oregon on Sept. 26 for the Coliseum's Big Ten opener. USC holds a 38-24-2 all-time lead in its series with Oregon (not including 1 win vacated due to NCAA penalty; original record: 39-24-2), last falling to the Ducks 27-42 at Autzen Stadium in 2025.

••• Another home game awaits the Trojans as they welcome a familiar foe, Washington, to Los Angeles on Oct. 3. USC boasts a 51-32-4 record over the Huskies (not including 1 win vacated due to NCAA penalty; original record: 52-32-4), last falling to them 21-26 in Seattle in 2024.

••• USC then travels back to the east coast to challenge Penn State and new head coach Matt Campbell on Oct. 10. The Trojans have not visited Happy Valley since 1994. USC leads the series with the Nittany Lions 6-5 all-time, last falling to them 30-33 in an overtime game in the Coliseum in 2024.

••• After enjoying a bye week Oct. 17, USC travels to Wisconsin on Oct. 24. The Trojans are 7-1 versus the Badgers, last defeating them 38-21 in the Coliseum in 2024.

••• The Trojans return home to welcome Ohio State to the Coliseum on Halloween, Oct. 31. USC is 13-10-1 against the Buckeyes, last falling to them 7-24 in the 2017 Cotton Bowl at AT&T Stadium in Arlington, Texas.

••• After its second bye week on Nov. 7, USC travels to Bloomington, Ind. to challenge the reigning national champion, Indiana, on Nov. 14. The Trojans boast a 4-0 record over the Hoosiers and haven't visited Bloomington since 1981 when USC defeated Indiana 21-0.

••• USC returns to the West Coast for its final home game of the 2026 campaign on Nov. 21, welcoming Maryland to the Coliseum for the first time. USC is 0-1 versus the Terrapins, falling to them 28-29 in 2024.

••• USC wraps Big Ten play by challenging crosstown rival UCLA and new Bruin head coach Bob Chesney on Nov. 28 at the Rose Bowl. USC leads its series with UCLA, 52-34-7 (not including Troy's 2004 and 2005 victories that were vacated due to NCAA penalty; original record: 54-34-7).

••• The 2025 season will conclude with the annual Big Ten Football Championship Game on Dec. 5, which will feature the top two teams in the overall conference standings at the end of the regular season, with the winner earning the Big Ten Championship. Tiebreaking procedures will be announced at a later date.

PROJANS IN THE NFL

••• With its outstanding football heritage, it's no surprise that USC players have made quite a mark in the pros.

••• USC is second behind Notre Dame's 544 for most NFL draft picks produced (536), not counting 28 picks by the AFL before it merged with the NFL. USC was the first school with 500 NFL draft picks.

••• USC and Michigan are the only schools with an NFL draftee every year since 1939.

••• USC has the longest active streak (25 years) with a player drafted in the Top 3 rounds. USC has the most picks in the common draft era (since 1967), with 370 (next is Ohio State's 366 and Notre Dame's 330).

••• There have been 548 USC players who since 1920 played in the NFL (or its sister leagues, the AFL or All-America Football Conference).

••• USC's 87 first round NFL draft picks is second most behind Ohio State's 99. With Williams' No. 1 overall selection in 2024, USC holds the record for most players (6) selected as the top pick of the NFL draft (Ron Yary in 1968, O.J. Simpson in 1969, Ricky Bell in 1977, Keyshawn Johnson in 1996, Carson Palmer in 2003 and Caleb Williams in 2024).

••• USC and Oklahoma are the only schools to have the No. 1 pick for 2 consecutive years (Yary and Simpson).

••• USC has had three of the most highly-drafted classes in history. The 1953 class (following the 1952 season) had 15 players drafted while both the 1975 and 1977 classes had 14 players selected. USC had more players selected in the 2011 (9), 2009 (11), 2008 (10), 2006 (11) and 1990 (10) drafts than any school.

••• USC had more players drafted than any school in the 10-year periods from 2002-11 and 2005-14 (69, 6 more than LSU) and the 5-year period from 2007-11.

••• USC's 12 first round picks in the 1990s tied for third in the nation with Tennessee; 8 of those Trojan first rounders were selected in the Top 10.

••• In the decade of the 1980s, Troy had more first round picks than any school (16). USC's 5 first round picks in the 1968 draft was an NFL record for 36 years.

••• A Trojan has appeared in all but 8 of the 60 Super Bowls (there have been 120 USC representatives overall).

••• Three Trojans (Lynn Swann in 1976, Marcus Allen in 1984 and Malcolm Smith in 2014) have been the Super Bowl MVP.

••• In 1977, 9 USC alums played in the Super Bowl.

••• Trojans have been selected to play in the Pro Bowl 250 times (a

••• USC alum has appeared in every Pro Bowl (except the 2024 Pro Bowl) since the game's inception in 1951; there was no game in 2021 due to the COVID-19 pandemic but a team was chosen, however no Trojan was picked). USC has the most Pro Bowl selections in history.

••• Fourteen former USC players (most of any other school) and 4 ex-assistant coaches are in the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

LOUISIANA NOTES

••• USC closed out non-conference play with a 49-30 victory over Louisiana late on Saturday evening.

••• USC opens the 2026 season 3-0.

••• The Trojans accumulated 483 yards of total offense, including 269 passing and 214 rushing, for their first 200-yard rushing and 200-yard passing performance of the season.

••• USC averaged 6.8 yards per play while running 71 offensive plays and controlling the ball for 33:14.

••• The Trojans converted 11-of-15 third downs (73.3%), their highest conversion rate of the season.

••• USC converted its only fourth-down attempt and finished 4-for-4 in the red zone, with all 4 trips resulting in TDs.

••• The Trojans scored 7 TDs: 5 passing, 1 rushing and 1 punt return.

••• The Trojans punted only once and did not allow a sack.

••• Louisiana did not record a first down in the first quarter. USC possessed the ball for 11:01 and outgained the Ragin' Cajuns by 132 yards during the period.

••• USC is outscoring its opponents 86 to 10 in the first half of games so far in 2026.

••• Maiava went 19-of-29 for 261 yards with a career-high 5 TDs and 1 INT against Louisiana.

••• He posted a 191.1 passing efficiency rating while averaging 9.0 yards per attempt and 13.7 yards per completion.

••• On third-down pass plays, Maiava completed 8-of-11 attempts for 129 yards and 4 TDs, with all 8 completions moving the chains or reaching the end zone.

••• Maiava's performance helped USC produce 483 yards of offense, earn 25 first downs, convert 73.3% of its third downs and score TDs on all 4 of its red-zone opportunities.

••• Freshman **TE Mark Bowman** recorded 6 receptions for 83 yards (13.8 avg.).

••• This marks the most receiving yards by a tight end in a single game since Anthony McCoy recorded 153 yards against Notre Dame in 2009.

••• Bowman scored twice for the Trojans, marking the first 2 touchdowns of his USC career. ••• The last tight end to score 2 TDs for the Trojans in a single game was Josh Falo on Oct. 15, 2022 in a 42-43 loss to Utah.

••• This is the second week in a row that a freshman has scored 2 receiving TDs in a single game for the Trojans.

••• With 1 minute remaining in the first quarter, Bowman made a SportsCenter-worthy highlight as he hauled in a pass from Maiava over the middle, turned upfield and spectacularly hurdled two Louisiana defenders in a single bound. Bowman landed on his feet and powered ahead for nine more yards, completing a 35-yard reception that moved USC from its own 41-yard line to the Louisiana 24.

••• Per PFF, Bowman recorded a 90.3 offense grade (second in the Power Four & first in the Big Ten among TEs) and a 90.8 receiving grade (third in the Power Four & first in the Big Ten among TEs).

••• Bowman was named to the PFF Week 2 Big Ten Team of the Week.

••• Freshman **WR/RET Trent Mosley** continued to impress the college football world.

••• In another spectacular showing, Mosley scored a TD on an 86-yard punt return with 1:24 left in the first half.

••• The last Trojan to return a punt for a TD was Zachariah Branch when he returned a 75-yarder against Stanford on Sept. 9, 2023.

••• This also marked the longest punt return by a Trojan since Nelson Agholor returned a 93-yarder for a TD against California in 2013.

••• Mosley continued to impress as he opened the second half with a TD on a 21-yard acrobatic reception.

••• This marked Mosley's second TD of the game, his fourth receiving TD as a Trojan, and his third-straight game with a receiving TD.

••• Prior to Mosley, just five Big Ten freshmen have caught a TD pass in each of their first 3 career games since 2000: Jeremiah Smith (Ohio State, 2024), Jackson Anthrop (Purdue, 2017), Ted Bolser (Indiana, 2010), Deon Butler (Penn State, 2005) and James Hardy (Indiana, 2005).

••• The last Trojan to record a receiving TD and return a punt for a TD in a single game was Tyler Vaughns against Arizona State in 2018. Vaughns caught a 48-yard TD pass from QB Jack Sears and returned a 82-yard punt for a TD.

••• Freshman **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyat**t caught 3 passes for 43 yards and his second TD of the season.

••• **WR Zacharyus Williams**' only reception was a 44-yard TD, the first TD of his USC career.

••• Williams' 44-yard TD came on third-and-14 and was USC's longest offensive play of the game.

••• **TE Tucker Ashcraft's** first USC reception was a 12-yard conversion on fourth-and-3.

••• USC's tight ends combined for 7 receptions, 95 yards and 2 TDs.

••• USC generated 117 yards after the catch, representing 43.5% of its 269 passing yards.

••• **RB King Miller** rushed for a game-high 128 yards and 1 TD on 18 carries, averaging 7.1 yards per attempt.

••• Miller produced five runs of at least 10 yards, including a game-long 29-yard run.

••• Miller surpassed 100 yards for the first time in 2026 and recorded USC's first individual 100-yard rushing performance of the season.

••• Miller was named to the PFF Week 2 Big Ten Team of the Week.

••• **RB Waymond Jordan** added 47 yards on 10 carries and caught 1 pass for 5 yards, giving him 52 yards from scrimmage.

••• **RB Shahn Alston** averaged 6.8 yards per carry, gaining 34 yards on 5 attempts with a long of 15.

••• USC's three primary running backs combined for 209 yards and 1 TD on 33 carries, averaging 6.3 yards per attempt.

••• The Trojan offensive line kept **QB Jayden Maiava** clean throughout the game, with 6 offensive linemen playing at least 30 snaps and earning PFF grades of 70.0 or better.

••• They also powered a rushing attack in which **RB King Miller** averaged 7.1 yards per carry and Waymond Jordan averaged 4.7 yards per carry.

••• USC's offensive line did not allow a sack on 31 team pass attempts.

••• The offensive line helped USC convert 11-of-15 third downs and its only fourth-down attempt.

••• The entire offensive line earned PFF Week 2 National Offensive Line of the Week.

••• **OL Elijah Paige** and **OL Hayden Treter** earned placement on the PFF Week 2 National Team of the Week, while Paige, Treter and **OL Tobias Raymond** were named to the PFF Week 2 Big Ten Team of the Week.

••• Per PFF, Treter earned a 91.4 run block grade (first in the Power Four and first among Big Ten offensive guards).

••• Per PFF, Paige earned a 90.6 offense grade (first in the Power Four and first among Big Ten offensive tackles).

••• USC freshman **DE Luke Wafle** delivered a disruptive, highly active performance in the Trojans' 49-30 victory over Louisiana.

••• Wafle led USC with a career-high 7 tackles, including a game-high 6 solo stops and 1.0 tackle for loss.

••• Despite lining up along the defensive front, he finished as the Trojans' leading tackler and recorded a tackle on seven of Louisiana's 52 offensive plays.

••• Wafle consistently defeated blocks and affected plays at or near the line of scrimmage.

••• His first-quarter tackle for loss dropped Louisiana RB Steven Blanco for a one-yard loss and helped force a three-and-out immediately after USC took its first lead.

••• Six of Wafle's seven tackles came against the run, and four of his five solo run stops limited Louisiana to two yards or fewer.

••• Wafle's combination of penetration, pursuit and tackling allowed the freshman to impact the game well beyond his official stat sheet total.

••• Wafle became the first USC defensive lineman to lead the team outright in tackles in a game since Tuli Tuipulotu recorded 7 against Stanford in 2021.

••• **DT Jide Abasiri** tied for second on the team with a career-high 5 tackles, including 3 solo stops.

••• Abasiri was named to the PFF Week 2 Big Ten Team of the Week.

••• **DE Zuriah Fisher** recorded USC's only sack, dropping Louisiana QB Lunch Winfield for a 4-yard loss.

••• Fisher's sack also produced the game's only forced fumble.

••• **LB Deven Bryant** recorded a career-high 5 tackles, all solo.

••• **LB Desman Stephens II** added 5 tackles, including 3 solo stops.

••• **S Christian Pierce** recorded 3 tackles, while LB Jadyn Walker also finished with 3.

••• **CB Jontez Williams** recorded USC's only pass breakup.

••• The Trojans did not allow a completion longer than 37 yards.

••• USC held Louisiana to 16 completions and 8 passing first downs.

••• **K Caden Chittenden** converted all 7 PAT attempts.

••• **K Ryon Sayeri** recorded 4 touchbacks on 8 kickoffs.

••• In the third quarter, **P Lachlan Carrigan** booted a 50-yard punt, the longest of his Trojan career, and the only punt of the game.

FRESNO STATE NOTES

••• The Trojans secured a statement win with a 39-0 shutout of Fresno State under the Friday night lights on Sept. 4

••• The 39-0 win marked USC's first shutout since defeating Utah State 48-0 in 2024. It was USC's second shutout under **Lincoln Riley**.

••• USC held its opponent to zero points in the first half in back-to-back games to open the 2026 season. This is the first time the Trojans have held their opponent scoreless in the first half in back-to-back games since the 2009 season. On Sept. 26, the Trojans shut out Washington State in the first half of play, and on Oct. 3, they also shut out California in the first half.

••• Fresno State was held scoreless in a game for the first time since the team lost to San Diego State 0-23 on Oct. 25, 2025.

••• USC is the first FBS team since at least 1996 to throw for 400 yards and complete at least 93% of its passes.

••• USC had 13 different players catch a pass.

••• Five different Trojans recorded a reception of at least 20 yards.

••• USC outgained Fresno State 552-116, a margin of 436 yards.

••• The Trojans possessed the ball for 38:52, including 13:15 of the third quarter

••• Maiava went 23-of-25 (.920) for 349 yards and 3 TDs.

••• Maiava's 92.0% completion percentage is the highest single-game completion percentage by a USC quarterback since at least 1995 (minimum 25 attempts). He broke the mark he set last week against San José State (86.2% going 25-of-29).

••• His 92.0% completion percentage was just three percentage points shy of USC's single-game record for a passer with at least 15 completions: Matt Barkley's 19-of-20 performance (.950) against Colorado in 2012.

••• Maiava completed 17-of-18 passes for 284 yards and 3 TDs in the first half.

••• He was a perfect 8-for-8 for 166 yards and 2 TDs in the second quarter.

••• Maiava had a stretch of 15 straight completions. The last time a USC quarterback had 15+ consecutive completions in a single game prior to Saturday was 17 by former Trojan and Heisman Trophy winner Caleb Williams on Sept. 30, 2023 at Colorado in a 48-41 win. Last week against San José State, Maiava had a stretch of 14-straight completions.

••• Maiava was named **Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week** for his performance against Fresno State.

••• The 68-yard TD throw from Maiava to **WR Trent Mosley** was his longest completion and TD toss since Sept. 6, 2025 against Georgia Southern when he completed a 74-yard TD pass.

••• Freshman **WR Trent Mosley** recorded 4 receptions for 104 yards (26.0 avg.) and 2 TDs in USC's 39-0 shutout of Fresno State.

••• Mosley's 68-yard TD with 12:27 left in the second quarter pushed the Trojans ahead 14-0.

••• Mosley's 68-yard touchdown reception was USC's longest play of the game.

••• Mosley scored a second TD on a 9-yard pass from Maiava with 4:07 left in the second quarter.

••• Mosley is the first USC freshman with 100+ yards in consecutive games since former Trojan
WR Drake London accomplished the feat in 2019 (in a win over Cal; 6 rec. for 111 yards and a win over UCLA; 8 rec. for 142 yards).

••• Fellow freshman **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt** led the Trojans in receptions with 6 and notched 102 receiving yards (17.0 avg.).

••• This was the first time that two freshmen receivers have recorded 100+ yards in the same game since records available in 1973.

••• It also marked the first time USC had two 100-yard receivers in one game since Mario Williams recorded 145 yards and Jordan Addison had 106 against Utah on Oct. 15, 2022.

••• Freshman **TE Mark Bowman** tallied a career-high of 30 receiving yards.

••• Back from injury, **WR Tanook Hines**' first reception of the season in the first quarter resulted in an 8-yard TD. This marked Hines' third career touchdown as a Trojan.

••• **TE Walter Matthews**, with his 6-6, 305-pound frame, showed off his hands as he made his first catch as a Trojan with a 12-yard reception.

••• **RB Waymond Jordan** led the Trojans with 11 carries for 67 rushing yards (6.1 avg.) and 1 TD.

••• Freshman **RB Deshonne Redeaux** scored his first career TD as a Trojan on a 5-yard rush.

••• USC's offensive line kept the pocket clean throughout the Trojans' victory over Fresno State, allowing zero sacks on 31 pass attempts.

••• Behind the unit, USC's quarterbacks completed 29-of-31 passes (.935) for 412 yards and 3 TDs, while the offense accumulated 552 total yards and averaged 8.1 yards per play.

••• The Trojans recorded 27 first downs and controlled the ball for 38:52, including 20:45 in the second half.

••• USC's defense held Fresno State to 116 yards of total offense. That is the fewest total yards allowed since USC held Notre Dame to 91 total yards on Nov. 29, 2008.

••• The Trojans allowed only 39 rushing yards on 29 attempts, an average of 1.3 yards per carry against Fresno State.

••• Fresno State completed only 7 passes, recorded 9 first downs and averaged just 2.6 yards per play.

••• USC's 412 passing yards alone were nearly four times Fresno State's total offensive output.

••• The Trojans recorded 5 sacks for 28 yards and 7 tackles for loss totaling 34 yards.

••• Fresno State did not produce a play longer than 17 yards.

••• Fresno State was 0-for-3 on third down in the second half and 0-for-1 on fourth down.

••• The Bulldogs reached the red zone only once, advancing to the

USC 8-yard line on their final possession before being stopped on downs.

••• Fresno State possessed the ball for only 1:45 in the third quarter, compared with USC's 13:15.

••• Four different Trojans recorded at least one sack: **S Kennedy Urlacher**, **S Alex Graham**, **DE Jadyn Ramos** and **DT Jide Abasiri**.

••• Though he only recorded one tackle, **DT Jide Abasiri**'s impact goes far beyond the stat sheet. His penetration and disruption was the catalyst for several of the big plays made by the Trojan defense.

••• Freshman **DE Luke Wafle** continues to impress with his physicality. He recorded 2 tackles against the Bulldogs.

••• **DT Floyd Boucard** recorded his first career fumble recovery against Fresno State.

••• Fresno State reached the USC 8-yard line on its final possession, but USC **DE Jadyn Ramos** recorded a sack on fourth-and-goal to preserve the shutout. Ramos finished with 3 tackles, a sack and a tackle for loss.

SAN JOSÉ STATE NOTES

••• With the 42-26 victory over the Spartans, No. 14 USC begins the season 1-0. San José State opens the 2026 campaign at 0-1.

••• Riley is now 10-0 in season openers.

••• USC produced 505 yards of total offense, including 341 passing and 164 rushing.

••• The Trojans recorded 29 first downs, converted 9-of-13 third downs (.692) and held the ball for 37:15.

••• USC scored TDs on 4 of its first 5 possessions and built a 28-0 halftime lead.

••• USC led 35-3 through three quarters and held San José State without a TD for the first 45 minutes.

••• The Trojans produced 4 rushing TDs, scored by four different players: **QB Jayden Maiava**, **RB Riley Wormley**, **RB King Miller** and **RB Shahn Alston**.

••• USC also recorded 2 receiving TDs from **WR Trent Mosley** and **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt**.

••• USC put together scoring drives of 77, 91, 80, 74 and 75 yards. Five of its six TD drives covered at least 74 yards.

••• USC had only five penalties for 34 yards and did not lose a fumble.

••• Riley's average points per game against Group of Five teams is 55 points.

••• Riley is 75-15 when scoring 30 points or more and 52-7 when playing at home.

••• The temperature at kickoff was 94 degrees. This tied for the hottest USC game in the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum since Riley's debut in 2022, when it was also 94 degrees in the Coliseum on Sept. 3 in a 66-14 win over Rice.

••• USC is the only FBS program to win 20 season openers since 2006. Ohio State has won all 20 openers played from 2006–2025, but its 2010 win was vacated.

••• Maiava finished the game going 25-of-29 (.862) for 286 yards and 2 TDs. He also scored 1 TD on the ground.

••• Maiava completed 86.2% of his passes, the highest single-game completion percentage of his USC career.

••• His 86.2% completion percentage is also the highest single-game completion percentage by a USC quarterback since at least 1995 (minimum 25 attempts).

••• Maiava was named the AP National Player of the Week for his performance against San José State.

••• Maiava completed passes to nine different receivers. As a team, USC had 10 players record a reception.

••• Maiava is now No. 2 among USC quarterbacks in the last 30 seasons with most career games with 200+ passing yards, 1 passing TD and 1 rushing TD with 6 games behind Caleb Williams with 12. Matt Leinart and Carson Palmer each had 5 career games with those stats.

••• He scored the Trojans' first TD of the season on a 1-yard run with 8:55 left in the first quarter, which marked his 11th rushing TD as a Trojan.

••• Maiava had a stretch of 14 straight completions. The last time a USC quarterback had 14+ consecutive completions in a single game prior to Saturday was 17 by former Trojan Caleb Williams on Sept. 30, 2023, at Colorado in a 48-41 win.

••• Maiava surpassed 5,000 career passing yards as a Trojan on Saturday. He now has 5,198 career passing yards at USC.

••• He recorded an 88.1 PFF grade against San José State.

••• **WR Trent Mosely** finished Saturday's game with 7 receptions for 118 yards (16.9 avg.) and 1 TD.

••• Mosely scored the first TD of his Trojan career with a 14-yard pass
from Maiava with 2:28 left in the third quarter.

••• Mosley's 118 receiving yards are the most by a USC true freshman in his debut since former Trojan WR JuJu Smith-Schuster had 123 receiving yards versus Fresno State in 2014 in his freshman debut.

••• Mosely is the first Power Four freshman with 7+ receptions, 100+ yards and a TD in his debut since Purdue's Rondale Moore in 2018.

••• He was PFF's highest graded true freshman from Week 0 and led all WRs nationally with a grade of 90.3

••• Six of Mosley's seven receptions resulted in first downs or a TD.

••• He averaged 5.36 yards per route.

••• Five true freshmen started for the Trojans: **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt**, **TE Mark Bowman**, **WR Trent Mosely**, **WR Tron Baker** and **DE Luke Wafle**.

••• Dixon-Wyatt caught 4 passes for 36 yards and scored his first collegiate TD on a 9-yard reception.

••• USC RB Riley Wormley (R-Fr), WR Mosley, and **RB Shahn Alston** each scored the first touchdown of their collegiate careers.

••• 20 true freshmen saw action in the season opener

••• **OL Elijah Paige**, **OL Tobias Raymond**, **OL Alani Noa** and **OL Justin Tauanuu** were named to the PFF Team of the Week for Week 0.

••• USC **DT Jide Abasiri** led the defense against San José State with a career-best 2.5 tackles for loss. He recorded 4 total tackles.

••• One of his TFLs was on a massive 4th-and-1 stop in the second quarter as San José State was on the USC 7 to force a turnover on downs.

••• USC **DE Luke Wafle** recorded 2 tackles, including 0.5 for loss and a pass breakup in his collegiate debut.

•••**RET Trent Mosley** notched 2 punt returns for 56 yards (28.0 avg.) with a long of 41 against San José State.

••• His 41-yarder was the longest punt return for a Trojan since former Trojan Zachariah Branch's 61-yard punt return against Utah on Oct. 21, 2023.

••• After Week 0, Mosley led the nation in punt returns.

PRESEASON NOTES

JAYDEN MAIAVA

••• USC returns the nation's best quarterback in redshirt senior **Jayden Maiava**. The 2025 All-Big Ten Third Team quarterback led the nation with a 91.2 QBR, led the Big Ten with 3,711 passing yards in 2025 and has 31 career starts under his belt.

••• With another year under offensive coordinator **Luke Huard** and Riley, who is the only head coach to tutor three Heisman Trophy winning quarterbacks, have 3 quarterbacks selected No. 1 overall in the NFL Draft and has the most No. 1 overall draft selections in the common draft era, Maiava is expected to continue to make large strides.

••• As USC's starting quarterback, Maiava started in all 13 games for the Trojans in 2025. He completed 265-of-403 passes (65.8%) for 3,711 yards and 24 TDs with 10 INTs, plus he rushed for 157 yards on 54 carries (2.9 avg.) and 6 TDs. He also recorded 1 tackle and 1 forced fumble (one of two quarterbacks in the FBS to do so in 2025).

••• As a Trojan, he has hit 63.9% of his passes (366-of-572) for 4,912 yards and 35 TDs with 16 INTs. He has rushed for 202 yards on 74 carries (2.7 avg.) with 10 TDs.

••• In 2025, he was named to the All-Big Ten Third Team, the Phil Steele All-Big Ten Third Team and the Pro Football Sports Network All-Big Ten Third Team. Maiava was also a Polynesian College Football Player of the Year Award Finalist and was a Davey O'Brien Award Semifinalist. He was a two-time Davey O'Brien Great 8 recipient and a Big Ten Co-Offensive Player of the Week honoree.

DEPTH UNDER CENTER

••• USC returns veteran redshirt senior **Sam Huard**. Huard, who transferred to USC in the spring of 2025 from Utah, saw action in 2 games (Missouri State and Northwestern). Against Northwestern, in one of USC's most memorable plays of 2025, Huard, who officially changed his number to No. 80, came into the game on a fake punt play and executed a 10-yard completion resulting in a crucial first down that gained national recognition.

••• The Trojans welcomed the 2025-26 Gatorade Illinois Football Player of the Year, freshman **Jonas Williams** in the spring. A 2026 Navy All-American Bowl invitee, Williams holds Illinois High School Association State Record for 11,347 passing yards and 147 TDs throughout his career. He arrives at Troy, ready to compete.

••• Williams got his first action as a Trojan going 5-of-7 (.174) for 55 yards with 1 INT in the fourth quarter against San José State.

••• USC welcomed junior **Will Doherty**, who transferred to USC from Santa Barbara City College in January of 2026, to the quarterback room. Doherty's grandfather, Bill Bond, was the 1964 NCAA Men's Tennis Doubles Champion at USC and was a member of the Trojans' 1962, 1963 and 1964 NCAA Championship Teams. Bond was a two-time First Team All-American in 1962 and 1964. He competed on the USC men's tennis team from 1962-64. Bond was inducted into the ITA Men's Collegiate Tennis Hall of Fame in 2003.

••• In the summer, redshirt freshman **James Johnson**, who transferred from Holy Cross, and true freshman **Alex Medyn** of Chino Hills joined the Trojan squad as quarterbacks.

RUSH HOUR

••• Led by Assistant Head Coach for Offense / Running Backs Coach
Anthony Jones Jr., the Trojans are positioned to boast one of the most dynamic and explosive running back rooms in the country in 2026.

••• The Trojans return one of the nation's best backs, senior **Waymond Jordan**, a Midseason All-American and the 2024 JUCOWeekly Trophy winner (junior college's equivalent to the Heisman Trophy), who burst onto the scene and rushed for 576 yards on 88 carries (6.5 avg.) with 5 TDs through just six games as a junior in 2025. He also recorded 7 receptions for 55 yards. Jordan will return healthy after suffering a season-ending injury versus Michigan which sidelined him for the remainder of 2025.

••• One of the most exciting stories of the 2025 college football season was **King Miller**. Miller earned national recognition as USC's showcase running back after injuries plagued the running back room, and he returns as a redshirt sophomore in 2026. Miller, now on scholarship, rushed for 972 yards on 156 carries (6.2 avg.) with 8 TDs while appearing in all 13 games with 7 starts. He also recorded a successful two-point conversion and tallied 16 receptions for 11 yards. On special teams, he served as a kick returner, collecting 2 returns for 45 yards (22.5 avg.) with a long of 25. He was named a 2025 All-Big Ten Honorable Mention and was selected to The Athletic Freshman All-American Second Team.

••• Miller is up 15 pounds from last season and now weighs 225 pounds to pair with his 6'0" frame.

••• Miller led the USC ground attack against the Spartans with 15 carries for 63 yards and 1 TD.

••• Redshirt freshman **Riley Wormley** (5 carries for 18 yards) and redshirt junior **Cian McKelvey** (1 carry for 4 yards) also return in 2026.

••• Two freshmen joined the roster in the spring of 2026: **Shahn Alston** and **Deshonne Redeaux**. Alston, a Navy All-American Bowl invitee and 2025 Division III All-Ohio First Team honoree, tallied 172 carries for 1,548 yards (9.0 avg.) and 29 TDs as a senior at Thomas W. Harvey (Ohio) in 2025. Redeaux, a 2026 Polynesian Bowl All-Star and 2026 Navy All-American Bowl invitee recorded 156 carries for 1,447 yards (9.3. avg.) with 15 TDs as a senior at Oaks Christian in 2025.

••• In the summer, **Kayne Miller,** a three-time Calabasas High Football MVP and little brother of **King** and **Kaylon Miller**, and **Tyson Park** of IMG Academy joined the running back room.

AERIAL ASSAULT

••• USC is known for its outstanding wide receivers, especially in Lincoln Riley's electric offense. Led by Assistant Head Coach / Co-Offensive Coordinator / Wide Receivers Coach **Dennis Simmons** and Inside Receivers Coach / Pass Game Coordinator Chad Savage, the Trojan wideouts are in good hands.

••• After Makai Lemon put an exclamation point on a historic season by winning the 2025 Biletnikoff award, the unit is looking ahead to continue that standard of excellence in 2026.

••• The wideouts will be led by **Tanook Hines**. Although just a sophomore, he brings the most experience to the room. Hines saw action in all 13 games making 8 starts and recorded 34 receptions for 561 yards (16.5 avg.) and 2 TDs.

••• Hines exploded at end of last season, recording 335 receiving yards over the final three games, and he's ready to roll that momentum into 2026.

••• Redshirt sophomore **Zacharyus Williams** returns healthy in 2026. He played in just 5 games with 1 start in 2025 due to an injury suffered early in the season. He collected 3 receptions for 80 yards (26.7 avg.) in 2025. After playing through spring ball and fall camp, Williams feel comfortable in his connection with Maiava.

••• Sophomore **Corey Simms** (1 rec. for 6 yards), who mostly saw action on special teams, redshirt freshmen **Romero Ison** and **Cameron Sermons**, and redshirt sophomore **Seth Zamora** all return in 2026.

••• From the portal, USC welcomed **Terrell Anderson**. The junior from NC State tallied 39 receptions for 629 yards (16.1 avg.) with 5 TDs while appearing in all 13 games with 5 starts for the Wolfpack in 2025.

••• Four stellar freshmen wideouts joined the squad last spring adding a new set of weapons for Maiava. **Tron Baker**, a 2025 All-Mission League First Teamer, tallied 40 receptions for 626 yards (15.7 avg.) with 8 TDs for Sierra Canyon in 2025. **Kayden Dixon-Wyatt**, a 2026 Navy All-American Bowler and All-CIF Division I First Teamer, recorded 42 receptions for 693 yards (16.5 avg.) with 8 TDs as a senior at Mater Dei. **Trent Mosley**, a Navy All-American Bowl invitee, led the Santa Margarita Catholic Eagles with 47 receptions for 648 yards (13.8 avg.) and 4 TDs as they won the CIF Southern Section Division 1 Championship. Coached by former USC Heisman Trophy winner Carson Palmer, Mosley won a plethora of awards including 2025 CIF Division I Offensive Player of the Year, 2025 MaxPreps California High School Football Player of the Year and was named to a variety of All-American First Teams. Finally, **Luc Weaver**, a 2025 All-CIF Division III Teamer and 2025 All-Mission League First Teamer, recorded 22 receptions for 397 yards and 7 TDs for Notre Dame as a senior in 2025.

••• Summertime brought another wave of wideouts to Troy. Highly acclaimed freshman **Ethan "Boobie" Feaster**, a 2026 Polynesian Bowl All-Star, an Under Armour All-American and one of the top receivers in the nation out of Desoto High, reclassified and elected to forgo his senior year of high school to join the Trojans for the 2026 season. Fellow December signee, freshman **Roderick Tezeno**, an All-State receiver out of Opelousas Catholic (La.), arrived in Los Angeles this summer.

••• Freshman **Griffin Brahm** (Santa Margarita Catholic) and redshirt senior **Luke Degner** (transfer from the University of Chicago) also joined the wide receiver corps this summer.

"GOD DIDN'T MAKE MANY OF THOSE PEOPLE..."

••• Head coach Lincoln Riley is correct. The tight end position must be able to do it all, and they are a rare find.

••• "Seriously. In the general population, there's not that many people that are big enough and strong enough to block like an offensive lineman, but nimble enough to go catch balls like a receiver and then smart enough to be able to process and handle all that," Riley said.

••• Tight Ends Coach **Chad Savage** will have an extremely talented tight end room to utilize in 2026. It looks to be the deepest tight end unit that the Trojans have had in many years.

••• Redshirt senior **Carson Tabaracci** returns as the oldest member of the group. In 2025, he saw action in 10 games with 1 start and recorded 3 receptions for 32 yards and 1 TD.

••• Redshirt sophomore **Walter Matthews** (saw action in 11 games, predominately on special teams) and redshirt freshmen **Taniela Tupo**u (2 receptions for 26 yards (13.0 avg) and a successful two-point conversion) and **Fisher Melton** all look to increase their roles in 2026.

••• From the portal, USC welcomes redshirt junior **Tucker Ashcraft** from Wisconsin. He was limited by injury throughout the season, but recorded 2 receptions for 10 yards (5.0 avg.) while appearing in 4 games with 1 start in 2025. He immediately has built a leadership role for himself both on and off the field entering 2026.

••• Junior college transfer junior **Josiah Jefferson**, the No. 1 JUCO tight end in the nation, arrived at Troy in January. An All-Pacific Athletic Conference Team and All-California Community College Region III First Team selection, he recorded 36 receptions for 444 yards (12.3 avg.) and 4 TDs in 2025.

••• Highly-regarded freshman **Mark Bowman**, who reclassified and elected to forgo his senior year of high school at Mater Dei and enrolled at USC in the spring of 2026, looks to immediately compete for playing time at tight end as a true freshman. The five-star, regarded as MaxPreps 2025 Top Tight End was a constant difference-maker in the Trinity League. As a junior in 2025, he recorded 31 receptions for 370 yards (11.9 avg.) and 2 TDs.

••• Freshman **Manoah Leiato** out of Mater Dei, sophomore **Patrick O'Brien**, formerly a member of the Trojan men's basketball team, and freshman **Grant Woods** out of Crespi added to the tight end room this summer.

BLOCK PARTY

••• USC has one of the most experienced offensive lines in the country. Led by Offensive Line Coach / Run Game Coordinator **Zach Hanson**, who has proven to be one of the best offensive line coaches in the nation, the Trojans will be formidable to face in the trenches.

••• Entering 2026, USC was the only team in the country to return all five starting offensive linemen. Unfortunately, projected starting center **Kilian O'Connor** suffered an injury that will cost him the entire 2026 season. The Trojans lose a veteran offensive lineman and a beloved member of the program, but he will continue to maintain a critical role off the field.

••• USC finished the regular season in 2025 ranked No. 7 in the nation and No. 1 in the Big Ten in passing offense (297.3) and No. 10 in nation in total offense (471.6) and second in the Big Ten. **Alani Noa** and **Justin Tauanuu** both earned All-Big Ten Honorable Mention in 2025.

••• Noa and Tauanuu both earned placement on the 2026 Polynesian College Football Player of the Year Award Watch List, and Noa was named to the Outland Trophy Watch List.

••• Hanson put an emphasis on position flexibility and being able to slot players into different positions.

••• USC showcased eight different starting offensive line combinations throughout 12 games in 2025.

••• There are a variety of options for the center position. **Tobias Raymond** cross-trained at center in the spring while O'Connor was still out.

••• Redshirt sophomore **Kaylon Miller**, who saw action in 10 games stepping in for a variety of injured starters in 2025, returns ready to continue building on his impressive foundation and was recently put on scholarship. Before he started the final three games at guard in 2025, Miller was taking practice reps at center when O'Connor suffered his first significant knee injury.

••• Redshirt freshman **Willi Wascher** and freshman **Kannon Smith** also add depth at that spot.

••• Also on the line, redshirt freshmen **Aaron Dunn, Cash Jacobse**n, **Elijah Vaikona**, redshirt sophomores **Ratumama Bulabalavu**, **Travis Leonard**, **Hayden Treter** and redshirt juniors **Erwin Taomi** and **Jack Susnjar** all return looking to contribute in 2026.

••• USC welcomed seven freshmen early enrollee offensive linemen in the spring. **Chase Deniz** (offensive lineman MVP at Cathedral Catholic), **Vlad Dyakonov** (Navy All-American Bowl invitee and MaxPreps All-California First Teamer of Folsom High), **John Fifita** (CIF Central Coast Section Division 1 Champion at Saint Francis), **Breck Kolojay** (MaxPreps All-America Second Teamer out of IMG Academy [Fla.]), **Keenyi Pepe** (2025 Polynesian Bowl All-Star, 2025 Under Armour All-American and 2025 MaxPreps All-America First Team out of IMG Academy [Fla.]), **Kannon Smith** (Colorado Prep Varsity Top 2026 Offensive Tackle out of Valor Christian [Colo,]) and **Esun Tafa** (three-time 6A State Champion and 2025 MaxPreps Second Team All-American out of Corner Canyon [Utah]) all are eager to compete and push for playing time in the trenches.

••• In the summer, **Ryan Pauley,** a redshirt senior transfer from Valparaiso, joined the offensive line room.

THE RETURN OF COACH P

••• The **Gary Patterson** 4-2-5 defense is legendary. A multiple defense where the secondary has its own assignments from the front six, and then they two are split in half with the ability to play man coverage on one side and zone on the other; it's designed to confuse opponent offenses. However, don't expect the defense to look the same as Patterson has called it in the past.

••• "Coach P plays the 4-2-5. Not really," Patterson said. "There's some things that are the same, but in 28 years, when you run the same stuff and you stay somewhere 25 years, you have to be able to tweak it, and you have to evolve. The fun thing about being here at USC is there's things that they did really well defensively last season, and we're going to keep those. There's things that we may need to tweak or maybe it wasn't quite as good, and then we'll add new stuff in."

••• The time is now for defense.

••• "It's time for us to be great on defense. Plain and simple," said Riley. "The players are here. The setup is here. It's time to step up into that next level of defensive play consistently."

••• Riley knew Patterson was the right person to take the Trojan defense there.

••• "It's hard to find a guy who's been as consistently productive as a head coach, as a defense coach and a guy who's been able to evolve in so many different ways with so many different skillsets," said **Riley**. "A lot of the times, he did it with skill sets that were maybe not equal to the teams he was having to play against. We competed against each other for so long. Even back to my early years at Texas Tech, we were on staffs going against each other. He was always a pain in the a** to deal with. His ability to take away team's fast balls, his ability to make offenses uncomfortable, his ability to take defensive groups that were able to play better than maybe what the sum of their talent was – I just saw it year after year. We can give him better players, more depth, more talent, and we can give him an opportunity where he's not having to worry about all the different head coach stuff that goes on and put all that energy into the defense at USC. You bring people into your organization who are going to make everyone else better. This guy makes me better, and he makes other people in our building better. His experience is so unique. Anyone that knows Gary, knows there's no halfway with this guy. He's an absolute psycho. When he goes, its full speed. I don't know if he's left the office since he's been in LA, but that's him. He's recharged, he's

motivated, he's got an edge to him and chip on his shoulder. He's really excited to be at USC, and we're thrilled to have him."

SETTING THE TONE IN THE TRENCHES

••• The Trojans will not be skipping a beat as new defensive tackles coach **Skyler Jones** steps in to lead the room. He'll continue to elevate the play of the already talented room.

••• Junior **Jide Abasiri** returns as the veteran leader of the defensive line. The 2026 Big Ten Media Day representative recorded 26 tackles, including 4 for loss of 24 yards (with 3.5 sacks for minus 24 yards), 2 QB hurries and 1 forced fumble while appearing in all 13 games with 9 starts in 2025. He was named to Bruce Feldman's 2025 Freaks List for his intriguing athleticism, having clocked 19.22 mph at nearly 300 pounds. More impressively, Abasiri's 10-yard split was 1.60, and he's squatted 700 pounds.

••• Abasiri recently earned USC's Bob Chandler Award. Awarded to an underclassman, based on athletic ability, academic scholarship, and character on and off the field, including the individual's leadership, courage, tenacity, discipline, loyalty, and high standards of morals and values. The award funds a scholarship for the player's tuition, room and board for the following year. The recipient wears a #10 sticker on his helmet (Chandler's jersey number), and the trophy is donated by the Bob Chandler Foundation.

••• Redshirt junior **Jamaal Jarrett**, a fan-favorite, will make an impact in the trenches in 2026. Jarrett, who transferred to USC in the spring of 2025 from Georgia, recorded 3 tackles, including 0.5 a tackle for loss of 2 yards, and 1 INT returned for a TD in 2025. He suffered an injury that sidelined him for the majority of the second half of the season. In one of the most memorable plays of the 2025 season, Jarrett notched his first career INT versus Purdue and returned it 70 yards for a TD. The play was dubbed the "Thicc Six".

••• Sophomore **Jahkeem Stewart**, a Freshman All-American, looks to build on an impressive foundation and return to the field, healthy and ready to compete on the defensive line in 2026. Stewart, who enrolled at USC in the spring of 2025 after reclassifying and forgoing his senior year of high school, had a stellar collegiate debut making an immediate impact on the Trojan defensive line by decorating his stat sheet with 18 tackles, including 7.5 for loss of 27 yards (with 1.5 sacks for minus 11 yards), 1 INT returned for 4 yards, 1 fumble recovery returned for 22 yards and 1 QB hurry. Stewart recorded these stats while playing through a stress fracture in his foot the entire season.

••• Stewart was named an FWAA Freshman All-American and a PFF Freshman All-American. He was selected to the Shaun Alexander Freshman of the Year Award Watch List. FOX Sports named Stewart to the nation's Top 10 impact freshmen ahead of the 2025 college football season.

••• Also returning is fellow high-ceiling sophomore, **Floyd Boucard**, who looks to be a key contributor in the trenches in 2026. He recorded 9 tackles, including 2 for loss of 13 yards (with 1 sack for minus 9 yards) and 2 QB hurries while appearing in 10 games in 2025.

••• Redshirt sophomore **Brendan Cho** rounds out the returners in the defensive tackle room.

••• USC welcomed redshirt senior **Alex VanSumeren** from the portal out of Michigan State. In 2025, he recorded 52 tackles, including 2 for loss of 10 yards (with 1.5 sacks for minus 10 yards), 2 QB hurries and 1 PBU for the Spartans, and looks to immediately contribute in 2026.

••• VanSumeren was selected as one of USC's three representatives at Big Ten Media Day and has immediately stepped into a leadership role.

••• "It's an honor to be in this position," VanSumeren said at Big Ten Media Days. "I realize that there's a bunch of young guys on the team. I had leaders in my past that helped me, so now, I get to pay it forward. It goes along with being a good teammate. I'm going to give everything I have to this university and to my teammates and to the football program."

••• Four talented freshmen joined the Trojans in the spring. Though injured in his senior season, **Jake Johnson** looks to dive into learning the Trojan defense. As a junior in 2024, he recorded 50 tackles, including 12 for loss with 1.5 sacks, 1 PBU and 1 forced fumble. He earned placement on the 2024 All-North Texas First Team and the 2024 Star Local Media All-Area Football Second Team while competing for Prosper in Texas.

••• **Braeden Jones** tallied 85 tackles, including 15 for loss with 9.5 sacks and 6 PBUs for Mount Carmel in Illinois.

••• One of the nation's top recruits, **Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.**, recorded 25 tackles, including 9 for loss (with 2.5 sacks), 3 PBUs, 2 forced fumbles and 2 QBHs for Mater Dei in 2025. He was named a 2026 Polynesian Bowl All-Star and 2026 Navy All-American Bowl invitee.

••• **Jaimeon Winfield**, a five-star and 2025 Navy All-American Bowl invitee recorded 55 tackles, including 22 for loss with 6 sacks, 14 QBHs, 2 PBUs, 1 forced fumble, 1 fumble recovery, 3 blocked field goals and 2 TDs for Richardson in Texas. He was named the 2025 7-6A District MVP.

••• **Jordan Abarca**, a sophomore transfer from UCLA, also joined the Trojan squad over the summer.

LIVING ON THE EDGE

••• Defensive Ends Coach **Shaun Nua** has a healthy mix of experienced veterans and talented newcomers to utilize in 2026.

••• Senior **Braylan Shelby**, a veteran presence on the defensive line, will be a leader of the group in 2026. He recorded 29 tackles, including 7 for loss of 20 yards (with 4.5 sacks for minus 17 yards), 1 INT returned for 18 yards and 4 QB hurries while appearing in all 13 games with 6 starts in 2025.

••• Shelby's academic prowess is quite notable. He is majoring in Business Administration at USC. He was named a 2026 Stevens Scholar for earning a cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.5 or higher. He was named a 2026 David X. Marks Scholar for having an overall GPA of 3.0 or better. He earned the 2025-26 Chi Alpha Sigma Honor Award which recognizes student-athletes who achieve junior academic standing or higher after their fourth full-time semester and earn a 3.5 or higher cumulative GPA. He earned placement on the 2025 College Sports Communicators Academic All-District Team. He was named to the 2024 Big Ten Fall All-Academic Team and the 2025 Big Ten Fall All-Academic Team. He has earned placement on the Dean's List each semester at USC.

••• Shelby was also selected to speak at the formal opening of the Bloom Football Performance Center alongside USC Athletic Director **Jen Cohen** and Head Coach **Lincoln Ri**ley. Shelby also introduced USC **President Beong-Soo Kim.**

••• In his speech, Shelby said, "This building is an investment in every player who walks through these doors. As Trojans, my teammates and I are part of the greatest tradition and legacy in college football. It's our responsibility to honor that investment by going to work every day and making the Trojan Family proud."

••• Junior **Kameryn Crawford** returns to be a difference-maker in 2026. He recorded 41 tackles, including 10.5 for loss of 42 yards (with 5.5 sacks for minus 34 yards), 1 fumble recovery and 1 QB hurry while appearing in all 13 games and making 8 starts in 2025.

••• Redshirt freshman **Jadyn Ramos** looks to gain valuable experience this spring. He participated in 3 games in 2025 and tallied 3 tackles.

••• **Zuriah Fisher**, a redshirt senior transfer from Penn State, will compete for playing time on the defensive line in 2026. Fisher tallied 19 tackles, including 3.5 for loss of 22 yards (with 2 sacks for minus 20 yards), 1 forced fumble, 1 PBU and 1 QB hurry for the Nittany Lions in 2025.

••• Three talented early enrollee freshmen will bolster the defensive line room. **Simote Katoanga**, a 2026 Polynesian Bowl All-Star, helped Santa Margarita with the CIF Southern Section Division 1 Championship under first year head coach, former USC Heisman winner, Carson Palmer by recording 35 tackles, including 11.5 for loss with 3 sacks and 2 PBUs. He earned placement on the All-CIF Division I Team.

••• One of the most well-known recruits in the class, **Luke Wafle**,

was named the No. 1 recruit in the 2026 class by Rivals/On3. Wafle earned a plethora of accolades including 2026 Navy All-American Bowl invitee, Navy All-American Bowl MVP, 2025 Maxwell Football Club High School All-American, The Sporting News 2025 High School First Team All-American, 2025 MaxPreps First Team All-American, 2025 All NJ Prep "A" Football First Teamer and 2025 All-USA East Football Teamer. As a senior, he recorded 99 tackles, including 37 for loss with a school record 23 sacks for The Hun School of Princeton in New Jersey.

••• **Andrew Williams**, who has only played football for two years, recorded 64 tackles, including 12 for loss with 10 sacks at John C. Freemont. He looks to gain more experience heading into the 2026 season.

••• Redshirt junior **Ethan Brougham**, a transfer from Rice, **Sam Smith**, a freshman out of JSerra, and **Ty Swanson**, a true freshman out of Santa Margarita Catholic, added to the defensive end room this summer.

THE DEN

••• According to Linebackers Coach **Mike Ekeler**, there are two types of people in this world: lions and sheep. And the linebacker room as appropriately been dubbed "The Den" as it is filled with Lions.

••• Under the leadership of Ekeler, the Trojan linebacking corps is poised to reach new heights.

••• Junior **Desman Stephens II** returns as the leader of the unit. He recorded 89 tackles, including 3 for loss of 6 yards, 1 forced fumble and 1 QB hurry while appearing and starting in all 13 games in 2025.

••• Redshirt senior **Roman Marchetti**, who was recently put on scholarship, saw action in all 13 games, primarily on special teams, in 2025 and will continue to be a vocal leader of not just the linebacking corps, but the entire USC football team.

••• Redshirt junior **Ta'Mere Robinson**, also primarily saw action on special teams last season, but looks to have an increased role in 2026.

••• Redshirt sophomore **Elijah Newby** also brings depth to the linebacking corps and looks to gain valuable reps this spring. In 2025, saw action in all 13 games, predominately on special teams and recorded 8 tackles.

••• Redshirt sophomore **Jadyn Walker** has just begun to scratch the surface of his potential. After seeing action in all 13 games, including 5 starts in 2025, he will build on that foundation this spring to take the next step in his game. Last season, he recorded 33 tackles, including 4 for loss of 17 yards (with 1 sack for minus 5 yards) and 1 PBU.

••• Senior **Nick De Fina** also adds important depth to the linebacker room.

••• Redshirt junior **Deven Bryant** transferred to USC from Washington in January and looks to compete for playing time right away. In 2025, he tallied 62 tackles, including 2 for loss of 2 yards, and 2 PBUs while appearing in 12 games with 10 starts for the Huskies.

••• Three freshmen linebackers joined the group in the spring. **Talanoa Ili**, a 2026 Polynesian Bowl All-Star, recorded snaps all over the field as a senior, splitting time between MIKE, WILL and SAM while also being featured as a large nickel and a hand-in-the-dirt edge. He earned placement on the 2025 MaxPreps All-America Second Team while competing for Kahuku in Hawaii.

••• **Taylor "Taybo" Johnson** recorded 201 tackles, including 17.5 for loss with 6.5 sacks, 10 QBHs, 2 forced fumbles and 2 INTs for El Cajon as a senior in 2025. He was named to The Sporting News 2025 High School All-America Third Team and the 2025 All-CIF Division IV Team.

••• **Shaun Scott**, ranked the No. 1 linebacker in Orange County by PrepRedZone California, tallied 53 tackles, including 21 for loss with 13.5 sacks, 10 QBHs, 5 PBUs, 4 forced fumbles and 1 fumble recovery for Mater Dei in 2025. He earned placement on the 2025 MaxPreps All-America Second Team, the 2025 MaxPreps All-California First Team and the All-CIF Division I Team.

••• **Austin Engroff**, a true freshman out of Timberline (Idaho), **Ryan O'Connell**, a redshirt senior transfer from UPenn, and **GianCarlo Rufo**, a senior transfer from Georgetown, all added depth to the Trojan linebacking corps this summer.

NO FLY ZONE

••• With new Safeties Coach / Defensive Pass Game Coordinator **Paul Gonzales** at the helm, the Trojan safeties are ready to level up this season.

••• Redshirt senior **Prophet Brown** looks to be an impact player in the fall after incurring a season-ending injury in fall camp and not seeing action in 2025.

••• Senior **Christian Pierce** returns as an integral piece of the Trojan secondary in 2026. He recorded 64 tackles, including 2.5 for loss of 12 yards (with 1 sack for minus 10 yards), 3 PBUs, 1 INT and 1 forced fumble while appearing in 13 games with 9 starts in 2025.

••• Junior **Kennedy Urlacher** made the most of his opportunities after transferring from Notre Dame in 2025. He saw action in all 13 games with 3 starts towards the end of the season, and recorded 26 tackles, including 1 for a loss of 1 yard (with 1 sack for minus 1 yard), 1 INT and 1 PBU.

••• After sustaining an injury at the beginning of the season, redshirt freshman **Alex Graham** showcased his talent towards the end of 2025. He recorded 15 tackles, including 2 for loss of 5 yards, while appearing in 5 games with 2 starts and looks to build on that foundation in 2026.

••• Redshirt sophomores **Marquis Gallegos** (5 tackles, including 2 for loss of 7 yards) and **Isaiah Rubin** (5 tackles and 1 fumble recovery) and sophomore **Kendarius Reddick** (6 tackles) predominately played on special teams in 2025. They each hope to increase their roles in 2026, as well as redshirt freshman Trestin Castro (1 tackle).

••• Three freshmen joined the safeties as early enrollees in the spring. **Peyton "Man Man" Dyer** (the 2025 AAA Region 3 Safety of the Year out of Tyner Academy in Tennessee), **Madden Riordan** (2025 MaxPreps All-California First Team, All-CIF Division I Team and 2025 All-Mission League MVP out of Sierra Canyon in Los Angeles) and **Joshua Holland II** (18 tackles, 2 INTs and 5 PBUs for St. John Bosco in 2025) look to gain valuable experience this spring.

••• True freshman **Peter Sciarrin**o out of Loyola joined the Trojans this summer.

THROW AT YOUR OWN RISK

••• Under the tutelage of Cornerbacks Coach **Trovon Reed**, the USC corners will display needed depth this spring and will return many players to full health in 2026.

••• Redshirt senior **Jontez Williams**, the No. 1 ranked cornerback in the portal, transferred to USC from Iowa State. As a redshirt junior in 2025, Williams played and started the season's first five games before suffering a season-ending knee injury against Arizona. He tallied 15 tackles, including 1.5 for loss of 2 yards, 2 PBUs and 1 INT. He was an All-Big 12 Conference selection in 2024.

••• Similarly, redshirt sophomore **Chasen Johnson**, suffered a season ending injury against Purdue that sidelined him for the season, will return healthy and back in the mix in 2026.

••• Redshirt sophomore **Marcelles Williams** made large strides last season as he saw action in all 13 games and started in 11 recording 41 tackles and 5 PBUs.

••• Redshirt freshmen **RJ Sermons** and redshirt junior **Shawn Sehra** (2 tackles) each look to increase their roles in 2026.

••• Six newcomers join the Trojan cornerback room this spring: four freshmen and two transfers.

••• Freshman **Jayden Crowder** helped Santa Margarita win the CIF Southern Section Division 1 Championship under first year head coach, former USC Heisman winner, Carson Palmer, by recording 33 tackles, including 1 for loss, 7 PBUs, 2 INTs and 2 blocked field goals.

••• Freshman **Elbert "Rock" Hill IV**, a five-star, tallied 47 tackles, including 5 for loss, with 9 INTs, 33 PBUs, 3 TDs and 1 FG block for Archbishop Hoban in Ohio in 2025.

••• Freshman **Brandon Lockhart** tallied 30 tackles, 12 PBUs and 1

fumble recovery for Sierra Canyon in 2025.

••• Redshirt sophomore **Carrington Pierce**, the brother of fellow Trojan Christian Pierce, transferred to USC in January of 2026 from Oklahoma State and looks to get acclimated with a new defense this spring.

••• True freshman **Derek Diniz** out of the Stevenson School joined the cornerback room over the summer.

SPECIAL OPS

••• The 2026 season will be **Mike Ekeler**'s tenth as a special teams coordinator and has led some of the best special teams units in the nation. He has transformed special teams units into a part of the game that opponents fear. Ekeler, working hand-in-hand with Co-Offensive Coordinator / Specialists Coach **Ryan Dougherty**, looks to make the Trojan special teams a dominant unit.

••• Redshirt sophomore **Ryon Sayeri** was one of the best stories of the 2025 season. After earning the starting role, he hit 21-of-25 field goals and all 48 of his PAT tries. He totaled 89 kickoffs for 5,715 yards (64.2 avg.) with 63 touchbacks. He broke USC's single-season field goal record (19) and set a new one with 21. He was named to the All-Big Ten Third Team and was a Lou Groza Award Semifinalist. He was a two-time Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week. Sayeri is expected to continue to perform at a high level in 2026.

••• Redshirt sophomore **Caden Chittenden** suffered a season-ending injury in fall camp and did not see action as a sophomore in 2025. He was named to the 2025 Walter Camp Preseason All-America Second Team and the 2025 Lou Groza Award Watch List and returns healthy in 2026.

••• Sophomore **Lachlan Carrigan** transferred from Memphis and looks to compete to be USC's punter in 2026. He averaged 43.4 yards on 46 punts totaling 1,994 yards, of which 20 pinned opponents inside the 20-yard line and 7 went for 50+ yards, while appearing in all 13 games in 2025.

••• Carrigan will compete with redshirt senior **Rey Sanchez**, redshirt senior transfer out of Valparaiso **Nate Hillenburg** and redshirt freshman **William Weisberg**, who appeared in 1 game in 2025 and recorded 1 kickoff for 65 yards, and true freshman **Zachary Nandlal**.

••• Redshirt senior **Dylan Blac**k, a transfer from Oregon State and redshirt freshman **Luke Brown** will compete to be USC's starting long snapper in 2026.

USC IN THE NFL

TROJANS IN THE NFL (36)
(as of 9/20/26)

ATLANTA FALCONS:
Drake London, WR
^ Drake Jackson, LB
BALTIMORE RAVENS:
^Chuma Edoga, OT
*+ Ja'Kobi Lane, WR
Andrew Vorhees, OG
CHICAGO BEARS:
Caleb Williams, QB
CLEVELAND BROWNS:
Mekhi Blackmon, CB
Easton Mascarenas-Arnold, LB
DENVER BRONCOS:
Talanoa Hufanga, S
DETROIT LIONS:
*^Anthony Lucas, DE
Amon-Ra St. Brown, WR
GREEN BAY PACKERS:
MarShawn Lloyd, RB
HOUSTON TEXANS:
Calen Bullock, S
+Solomon Byrd, DE
Woody Marks, RB
*Kamari Ramsey, S
Jaylin Smith, CB
JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS:
Chuma Edoga, OT
Jonah Monheim, C
KANSAS CITY CHIEFS:
Christian Roland-Wallace, CB
LAS VEGAS RAIDERS:
Isaiah Pola-Mao, S
^Greedy Vance, CB
LOS ANGELES CHARGERS:
Tuli Tuipulotu, LB
LOS ANGELES RAMS:
Justin Dedich, OL
MIAMI DOLPHINS:
Austin Jackson, OT
Jarrett Kingston, OG
MINNESOTA VIKINGS:
Jordan Addison, WR
NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS:
Alijah Vera-Tucker, OG
PITTSBURGH STEELERS:
*^Bishop Fitzgerald, S
*^Lake McRee, TE
Michael Pittman, WR
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES:
*Makai Lemon, WR
SEATTLE SEAHAWKS:
Sam Darnold, QB
Uchenna Nwosu, LB
Brandon Pili, DT
Leonard Williams, DE

* 2026 Rookie
\+ Reserve / Injured
^ Practice Squad

PROJAN HIGHLIGHTS - Week 2

• In a high scoring affair against the Buffalo Bills, Detroit Lions **WR Amon-Ra St. Brown** hauled in 9 receptions for 142 yards (15.8 avg.) and 2 touchdowns. This is the 6th game of his career, where he has recorded at least 100 yards and 2 touchdowns.

• In a 20-17 overtime win against the New York Jets, Green Bay Packers **RB MarShawn Lloyd** scored the first touchdown of his professional career on a 6-yard catch from QB Jordan Love. Lloyd finished the game with 6 carries for 20 yards (3.3 avg.) as well as recording another catch.

USC HEAD COACH LINCOLN RILEY

3 Heisman Trophy Winners Coached 3 College Football Playoff Appearances
4 Big 12 Championships • 3 No. 1 Overall Draft Selections

Born: Sept. 5, 1983
Hometown: Muleshoe, Texas
Wife: Caitlin Riley
Daughters: Sloan & Stella

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2022-26	Head Coach	USC
2017-21	Head Coach	Oklahoma
2015-16	Off. Coord.	Oklahoma
2010-14	Off. Coord.	ECU
2007-09	WRs	Texas Tech
2006	GA	Texas Tech
2003-05	Student Coach	Texas Tech

HC CAREER RECORD

USC

Year	Overall	Conf.	Bowl
2022	11-3	8-1	Cotton
2023	8-5	5-4	Holiday
2024	7-6	4-5	Las Vegas
2025	9-4	7-2	Alamo
2026	4-0	1-0	---

OKLAHOMA

Year	Overall	Conf.	Bowl
2017	12-2	8-1	Rose • CFP Semi
2018	12-2	8-1	Orange • CFP Semi
2019	12-2	8-1	Peach • CFP Semi
2020	9-2	6-2	Cotton
2021	10-2	7-2	(was at USC)

	Overall	Conf.
in 9th year	94-28 (.770)	62-19 (.765)

Lincoln Riley is one of the nation's most successful coaches. He's had more success by the age of 40 than any other head coach in college football history. Riley has been a head coach for 9 seasons and has developed three of the last nine Heisman Trophy winners. In addition to being the only head coach to tutor three Heisman Trophy winning quarterbacks, Riley is the only coach to have three quarterbacks selected No. 1 overall in the NFL Draft and has the most No. 1 overall draft selections in the common draft era. Just eight Power Four coaches currently hold a .500 or better career winning percentage against ranked teams, including Riley. From coaching 3 Heisman Trophy winners, to having a 77 percent winning record, to appearing in 3 College Football Playoffs, Lincoln Riley's coaching achievements set a standard of excellence.

USC Tenure (2022–Present)

••• Hired in November 2021 as USC's head football coach after a historic run at Oklahoma
••• Immediate impact in 2022 leading USC to an 11-3 record, tying the biggest single-season win turnaround in school history (+7 wins)
••• Guided USC to a Pac-12 Championship appearance and Cotton Bowl berth
••• USC finished undefeated at home (7-0) for the first time since 2017
••• Broke six USC offensive records, including most TD passes (43) and most games scoring 40+ points (10)
••• Offense ranked Top 5 nationally in multiple categories, including scoring, total offense, and turnover margin
•••Tutored 2022 Heisman Trophy winner Caleb Williams who won numerous national awards under Riley
••• Produced five First Team All-Americans in 2022 – USC's most in a season since 2007
••• Finished 8-5 in 2023, highlighted by Top-10 national rankings in scoring and passing offense, WR Zachariah Branch became USC's first true freshman First Team All-American and Jet Award winner (top return specialist) and Capped season with Holiday Bowl win over No. 16 Louisville; QB Miller Moss threw a bowl-record 6 TDs
••• Caleb Williams selected No. 1 overall in 2024 NFL Draft by the Chicago Bears cementing Riley as the greatest quarterback developer in college football and the common draft era
••• In USC's Big Ten debut in the 2024 season, the Trojans posted a 7-6 record; all five Big Ten losses by 7 points or less and four occurred within the last minute of the game
••• USC bookended its season with victories against No. 13 LSU and a Texas A&M team that was just shy of competing in the conference championship to go 2-0 versus the SEC in 2024
Offensively, the Trojans finished the season ranked in the national Top 25 in passing offense (10, 291.9), third down conversion percentage (25, 0.448), total offense (23, 437.2) and first downs offense (24, 303).
••• USC had the most improved defense in the nation under newly appointed DC D'Anton Lynn and allowed 10 fewer points per game than in 2023 and lept up the national rankings boards in almost every defensive statistical category
••• Trojan punter Eddie Czaplicki became USC' 177th First Team All-American and USC's first-ever Ray Guy Award winner for being the nation's best punter
••• RB Woody Marks became USC's first 1,000-yard rusher since 2017
••• Ended season with a Las Vegas Bowl win and the largest comeback in USC bowl history
••• WR Makai Lemon won the 2025 Biletnikoff Award, and he and S Bishop Fitzgerald earned First Team All-American status.

Oklahoma Head Coach (2017–2021) and OC (2015-16)

••• Compiled a 55-10 record (.846 winning percentage) over five seasons
••• Four Big 12 Championships and three College Football Playoff appearances
••• Coached two Heisman winners (Baker Mayfield, Kyler Murray) and one runner-up (Jalen Hurts)
••• Named Big 12 Coach of the Year (2018)
••• Set school records for most wins through two, three, and four seasons as head coach

Early Coaching Career

••• Offensive Coordinator at East Carolina (2010–2014) – broke 50+ school records
••• Coached FBS all-time receptions leaders Justin Hardy and Zay Jones
••• Started coaching career at Texas Tech under Mike Leach (2003–2009), eventually becoming play-caller and WR coach where he tutored legendary receiver and Biletnikoff winner, Michael Crabtree.

AWARD WINNERS

As a Head Coach

2025 Makai Lemon ..... Biletnikoff Award
..... Polynesian College Football Player of the Year
2024 Eddie Czaplicki ..... Ray Guy Award
..... Big Ten Eddleman-Fields Punter of the Year
2023 Zachariah Branch ..... Jet Award
2022 Caleb Williams ..... Heisman Trophy
..... Walter Camp Player of the Year Award
..... Maxwell Award
..... AP Player of the Year Award
..... Sporting News College Football Player of the Year
..... CBS Sports Player of the Year
..... Action Sports Player of the Year
..... CFPA National Performer of the Year
..... DC Touchdown Club Player of the Year
..... Pac-12 Offensive Player of the Year
..... Allstate Good Works Team
2022 Tuli Tuipulotu ..... Polynesian College Football Player of the Year
..... Pac-12 Defensive Player of the Year
..... Morris Trophy
2022 Andrew Vorhees ..... Morris Trophy
2018 Kyler Murray ..... Heisman Trophy
..... Manning Award
..... Davey O'Brien Award
..... AP Player of the Year Award
..... Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award
..... Big 12 Offensive Player of the Year
2017 Baker Mayfield ..... Heisman Trophy
..... Maxwell Award
..... Davey O'Brien Award
..... Manning Award
..... Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award
..... Walter Camp Player of the Year Award
..... AP Player of the Year Award
..... Sporting News College Football Player of the Year
..... Big 12 Offensive Player of the Year
..... AP Player of the Year Award
..... Chic Harley Player of the Year
2017 Mark Andrews ..... Mackey Award
2017 Ogbonnia Okoronkwo ..... Big 12 Defensive Player of the Year

As an Assistant Coach

2017 Dede Westbrook ..... Biletnikoff Winner
..... Big 12 Offensive Player of the Year
2015 Baker Mayfield ..... Big 12 Offensive Player of the Year
2014 Justin Hardy ..... NCAA Record Holder (Career Receptions)
2014 Shane Carden ..... AAC Offensive Player of the Year 2014
2013 Shane Carden ..... Conference USA Most Valuable Player
2014 Dwayne Harris ..... Conference USA Most Valuable Player
2008 Michael Crabtree ..... Biletnikoff Award
..... Paul Warfield Award
..... All-Big 12 First Team
..... NCAA Football 10 Cover Athlete
2007 Michael Crabtree ..... Biletnikoff Award
..... AP Big 12 Offensive Newcomer of the Year
..... AT&T ESPN All-America Player of Year
..... Maxwell Award
..... Paul Warfield Award
..... Rivals.com National Freshman of the Year
..... All-Big 12 First Team
..... Touchdown Club of Columbus Freshman of the Year
..... Sporting News Big 12 All-Freshman Team
..... NCAA Record Holder x8 (2007-08)

NFL DRAFT PICKS

As a Head Coach

2026
WR Makai Lemon ..... Rd. 1 ..... No. 20 overall ..... Philadelphia Eagles
WR Ja'Kobi Lane ..... Rd. 2 ..... No. 80 overall ..... Baltimore Ravens
S Kamari Ramsey ..... Rd. 5 ..... No. 141 overall ..... Houston Texans

2025
CB Jaylin Smith ..... Rd. 3 ..... No. 97 overall ..... Houston Texans
RB Woody Marks ..... Rd. 4 ..... No. 116 overall ..... Houston Texans
OL Jonah Monheim ..... Rd. 7 ..... No. 221 overall ..... Jacksonville Jaguars

2024
QB Caleb Williams ..... Rd. 1 ..... No. 1 overall ..... Chicago Bears
S Calen Bullock ..... Rd. 3 ..... No. 78 overall ..... Houston Texans
RB MarShawn Lloyd ..... Rd. 3 ..... No. 88 overall ..... Green Bay Packers
OL Jarrett Kingston ..... Rd. 6 ..... No. 215 overall ..... San Francisco 49ers
WR Brendan Rice ..... Rd. 7 ..... No. 225 overall .. Los Angeles Chargers
DE Solomon Byrd ..... Rd. 7 ..... No. 238 overall ..... Houston Texans
WR Tahj Washington ..... Rd. 7 ..... No. 241 overall ..... Miami Dolphins

2023
WR Jordan Addison ..... Rd. 1 ..... No. 23 overall ..... Minnesota Vikings
DL Tuli Tuipulotu ..... Rd. 2 ..... No. 54 overall ... Los Angeles Chargers
CB Mekhi Blackmon ..... Rd. 3 ..... No. 102 overall ..... Minnesota Vikings
OL Andrew Vorhees ..... Rd. 7 ..... No. 229 overall ..... Baltimore Ravens

2022
DE Nik Bonitto ..... Rd. 2 ..... No. 64 overall ..... Denver Broncos
LB Brian Asamoah ..... Rd. 3 ..... No. 66 overall ..... Minnesota Vikings
DT Perrion Winfrey ..... Rd. 4 ..... No. 108 overall ..... Cleveland Browns
S Delarrin Turner-Yell ..... Rd. 5 ..... No. 152 overall ..... Denver Broncos
WR Michael Woods II ..... Rd. 6 ..... No. 202 overall ..... Cleveland Browns
DE Isaiah Thomas ..... Rd. 7 ..... No. 223 overall ..... Cleveland Browns
OG Marquis Hayes ..... Rd. 7 ..... No. 262 overall ..... Arizona Cardinals

2021
C Creed Humphrey ..... Rd. 2 ..... No. 63 overall ..... Kansas City Chiefs
DE Ronnie Perkins ..... Rd. 3 ..... No. 96 overall .... New England Patriots
RB Rhamondre Stevenson. Rd. 4 ..... No. 120 overall New England Patriots
CB Tre Brown ..... Rd. 4 ..... No. 137 overall ..... Seattle Seahawks
DB Tre Norwood ..... Rd. 7 ..... No. 245 overall ..... Pittsburgh Steelers

2020
WR CeeDee Lamb ..... Rd. 1 ..... No. 17 overall ..... Dallas Cowboys
LB Kenneth Murray ..... Rd. 1 ..... No. 23 overall ... Los Angeles Chargers
QB Jalen Hurts ..... Rd. 2 ..... No. 53 overall ..... Philadelphia Eagles
DL Neville Gallimore ..... Rd. 3 ..... No. 82 overall ..... Dallas Cowboys

2019
QB Kyler Murray ..... Rd. 1 ..... No. 1 overall ..... Arizona Cardinals
WR Marquise Brown ..... Rd. 1 ..... No. 25 overall ..... Baltimore Ravens
OL Cody Ford ..... Rd. 2 ..... No. 38 overall ..... Buffalo Bills
OL Bobby Evans ..... Rd.3 ..... No. 97 overall ..... Los Angeles Rams
OL Dru Samia ..... Rd. 4 ..... No. 114 overall ..... Minnesota Vikings
PK Austin Seibert ..... Rd. 5 ..... No. 170 overall ..... Cleveland Browns
RB Rodney Anderson ... Rd. 6 ..... No. 211 overall ..... Cincinnati Bengals

2018
QB Baker Mayfield ..... Rd. 1 ..... No. 1 overall ..... Cleveland Browns
OL Orlando Brown ..... Rd. 3 ..... No. 83 overall ..... Baltimore Ravens
TE Mark Andrews ..... Rd. 3 ..... No. 86 overall ..... Baltimore Ravnes
LB Ogbonnia OkoronkwoRd. 5 ..... No. 160 overall ..... Los Angeles Rams

As an Assistant Coach

2017
RB Joe Mixon ..... Rd. 2 ..... No. 48 overall ..... Cincinnati Bengals
WR Dede Westbrook ..... Rd. 4 ..... No. 110 overall ..... Jacksonville Jaguars
RB Samaje Perine ..... Rd. 4 ..... No. 114 overall .... Washington Redskins

2016
WR Sterling Shepard ..... Rd. 2 ..... No. 40 overall ..... New York Giants

2015
WR Justin Hardy ..... Rd. 4 ..... No. 107 overall ..... Atlanta Falcons

2011
WR Dwayne Harris ..... Rd. 6 ..... No. 176 overall ..... Dallas Cowboys

2009
WR Michael Crabtree ..... Rd. 1 ..... No. 10 overall ..... San Francisco 49ers
G Louis Vasquezx ..... Rd. 3 ..... No. 78 overall ..... San Diego Chargers

NFL DRAFT PICKS CONT.

2007
WR Joel Filani ..... Rd. 6 ..... No. 188 overall ..... Tennessee Titans

FIRST TEAM ALL-AMERICANS

As a Head Coach
2025 ..... WR Makai Lemon
..... S Bishop Fitzgerald
2024 ..... P Eddie Czaplicki
2023 ..... RET Zachariah Branch
2022 ..... QB Caleb Williams (unanimous)
..... DL Tuli Tuipulotu (unanimous)
..... OL Andrew Vorhees
..... OL Brett Neilon
..... S Calen Bullock
2019 ..... WR CeeDee Lamb
2018 ..... WR Marquise Brown
..... QB Kyler Murray
..... OL Ben Powers (consensus)
2017 ..... TE Mark Andrews (unanimous)
..... OL Orlando Brown (unanimous)
..... QB Baker Mayfield (unanimous)
..... LB/DE Ogbonnia Okoronkwo

As an Assistant Coach
2016 ..... WR Dede Westbrook (unanimous)
2015 ..... QB Baker Mayfield
2008 ..... WR Michael Crabtree (unanimous)
2007 ..... WR Michael Crabtree (unanimous)

"RILEY VERSUS" AS A HEAD COACH

Alabama	0	1
Arizona	2	0
Arizona State	2	0
Army	1	0
Baylor	5	1
California	2	0
Colorado	2	0
Florida	1	0
Florida Atlantic	1	0
Fresno State	2	0
Georgia	1	0
Georgia Southern	1	0
Houston	1	0
Illinois	0	1
Iowa	1	0
Iowa State	4	2
Kansas	5	0
Kansas State	3	2
Louisiana	1	0
Louisville	1	0
LSU	1	1
Maryland	0	1
Michigan	1	1
Michigan State	1	0
Minnesota	0	1
Missouri State	2	0
Nebraska	3	0
Nevada	1	0
Northwestern	1	0
Notre Dame	1	3
Ohio State	1	0
Oklahoma State	4	1
Oregon	0	2
Oregon State	1	0
Penn State	0	1
Purdue	1	0
Rice	1	0
Rutgers	2	0
UCLA	5	1
Utah	0	3
Utah State	1	0
San José State	2	0
South Dakota	1	0
Stanford	2	0
Texas	5	1
Texas A&M	1	0
Texas Tech	5	0
TCU	6	1
Tulane	2	1
UTEP	1	0
Washington	0	2
Washington State	1	0
Western Carolina	1	0
West Virginia	4	0
Wisconsin	1	0

ASSISTANT COACHES

Luke Huard

Offensive Coord. / QBs

In the Booth

24 Years of Experience • Coached 2 Conference POY QBs • '24 USC ranked No. 10 nationally & No. 1 in Big Ten in Passing Offense '97 Gatorade POY • Maiava led the nation with a 91.2 QBR in 2025

Dennis Simmons

Asst. HC / Co-Off. Coord / WRs

On the Field

Coached 3 Biletnikoff winners • 22 NFL Draft selections, including 6 First Rounders • Honored as FootballScoop's Wide Receivers Coach of the Year • Named Nation's Top 25 Recruiters by Rivals in 2019

Zach Hanson

Offensive Line / Run Game Coord.

On the Field

USC's '22 & '23 teams Top 3 Offense in the nation • '22 AFCA 35 Under 35 • Coached 7 OLs to All-Conference honors in 2 seasons • Produced 3 NFL Draft selections, including a First Rounder

Anthony Jones Jr.

Asst. HC for Offense / RBs

On the Field

His '23 TCU team was No. 11 in the nation in total offense & No. 14 in Rushing YPG • Reached '22 CFP National Championship with TCU • Produced 8 NFL RBs in 7-year span • '21 AFCA 35 Under 35

Chad Savage

TEs / Inside Receivers / Pass Game Coord.

On the Field

Three-Time Recruiter of the Year per 247Sports • Coached a Biletnikoff winner • Has signed over 25 players from Los Angeles • Tutored fifth round NFL Draftee Tory Horton to become 4th all-time in career receptions at CSU

Gary Patterson

Defensive Coord.

On the Field

2026 College Football Hall of Fame inductee • head coach at TCU for 21 seasons (2001-21) • 2009 & 2014 National Coach of the Year by the Associated Press, AFCA, FWAA and Walter Camp • 181-79 record at TCU • 6 conference championships won 2010 Rose Bowl and the 2014 Peach Bowl

Mike Ekeler

Special Teams Coord. / Linebackers

On the Field

23 years of FBS experience • Has coached in every power conference while serving on staffs at six of the 12 winningest programs in college football history

Paul Gonzales

Safeties / Def. Pass Game Coord.

On the Field

23 years of FBS experience • 6 of his safeties went on to have NFL careers • Spent 13 seasons at TCU and is familiar with Gary Patterson's defensive scheme

Skyler Jones

Defensive Tackles

On the Field

Has NFL and FBS coaching experience • Tutored a 2025 Freshman All-American • Worked with the Rams defensive line in 2022, when their rush defense ranked among the best in the NFL

Shaun Nua

Defensive Ends

On the Field

Coached 2 First Team All-Americans and 6 NFL Draft selections, including 2 First Rounders • Super Bowl XL Champion Player • Signed the No. 1 recruit in the nation in the 2026 class

Trovon Reed

Cornerbacks

On the Field

Two-time SEC Championship Player (2010 & 2013) • Member of Auburn's 2010 National Championship Team • Only CB Coach in the nation to have 2 players in the 2025 Reese's Senior Bowl

2026 USC FOOTBALL ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	HGT.	WGT.	BIRTHDAY	CL.(ATH/AC)	EXP.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/JC/COLLEGE)
96	ABARCA, Jordan	DT	6-4	300	4/9/06	So.	TR	Seal Beach, Calif. (Warren/UCLA)
97	ABASIRI, Jide	DT	6-5	280	3/10/06	Jr.	2V	Prior Lake, Minn. (Prior Lake)
22	ALSTON, Shahn	RB	5-10	220	12/28/06	Fr.	--	Painesville, Ohio (Thomas W. Harvey)
9	ANDERSON, Terrell	WR	6-2	200	10/31/05	Jr.	TR	Detroit, Mich. (Grimsley/NC State)
84	ASHCRAFT, Tucker	TE	6-5	260	3/18/05	R-Jr.	TR	Seattle, Wash. (O'Dea/Wisconsin)
85	BAKER, Tron	WR	6-0	200	10/4/06	Fr.	--	Long Beach, Calif. (Sierra Canyon)
46	BLACK, Dylan	SNP	6-1	220	10/13/00	R-Sr.	TR	Reno, Nev. (Bishop Manogue/Oregon State)
88	BOUCARD, Floyd	DT	6-3	315	1/17/07	So.	1V	Montreal, Quebec (Miami Central)
19	BOWMAN, Mark	TE	6-5	245	1/11/08	Fr.	--	Castle Rock, Colo. (Mater Dei)
89	BRAHM, Griffin	WR	6-1	195	11/25/07	Fr.	--	Dana Point, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
54	BROUGHAM, Ethan	DE	6-2	245	5/7/05	R-Jr.	TR	Dana Point, Calif. (Dana Hills/Rice)
53	BROWN, Luke	SNP	6-2	215	10/20/06	R-Fr.	SQ	China Spring, Texas (Homeschool)
16	BROWN, Prophet	S	5-11	190	2/3/03	R-Sr.	4V	Sacramento, Calif. (Monterey Trail)
17	BRYANT, Deven	LB	5-11	230	12/6/03	R-Jr.	TR	Carson, Calif. (St. John Bosco/Washington)
75	BULABALAVU, Ratumana	OL	6-3	325	8/31/06	R-So.	2V	Stockton, Calif. (Army and Navy Academy)
35	CARRIGAN, Lachlan	P	6-3	205	12/9/02	So.	TR	Melbourne, Australia (Memphis)
37	CASTRO, Trestin	S	6-0	190	12/31/06	R-Fr.	1V	Upland, Calif. (Upland)
45	CHITTENDEN, Caden	K	5-10	190	10/21/05	R-So.	SQ	Las Vegas, Nev. (Faith Lutheran/UNLV)
89	CHO, Brendan	DT	6-3	300	5/16/05	R-So.	1V	Chatsworth, Calif. (Heritage Christian)
1	CRAWFORD, Kameryn	DE	6-5	255	8/4/05	Jr.	2V	Mobile, Ala. (Booker T. Washington)
34	CROWDER, Jayden	CB	5-10	175	11/25/06	Fr.	--	Eastvale, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
46	DE FINA, Nick	LB	6-0	195	10/30/04	Sr.	SQ	San Diego, Calif. (Torrey Pines)
86	DEGNER, Luke	WR	5-11	190	1/8/04	R-Sr.	TR	Laguna Beach, Calif. (Laguna Beach/UChicago)
78	DENIZ, Chase	OL	6-7	315	6/6/07	Fr.	--	San Diego, Calif. (Cathedral Catholic)
48	DINIZ, Derek	CB	5-10	185	1/29/08	Fr.	--	Pebble Beach, Calif. (Stevenson)
17	DIXON-WYATT, Kayden	WR	6-2	200	8/21/07	Fr.	--	Hayward, Calif. (Mater Dei)
29	DOHERTY, Will	QB	6-4	220	10/21/04	Jr.	TR	Manhattan Beach, Calif. (Leuzinger/Santa Barbara CC)
70	DUNN, Aaron	OL	6-7	310	12/3/06	R-Fr.	1V	Spanish Fork, Utah (Spanish Fork)
51	DYAKONOV, Vlad	OL	6-6	295	3/28/08	Fr.	--	Folsom, Calif. (Folsom)
36	DYER, Peyton "Man Man"	S	6-0	200	8/31/08	Fr.	--	Decatur, Ga. (Tyner Academy)
47	ENGROFF, Austin	LB	5-11	215	11/16/07	Fr.	--	Boise, Idaho (Timberline)
1	FEASTER, Ethan "Boobie"	WR	6-1	190	5/23/09	Fr.	--	Shreveport, La. (Desoto)
76	FIFITA, John	OL	6-6	380	6/29/08	Fr.	--	Mountain View, Calif. (Saint Francis)
18	FISHER, Zuriah	DE	6-2	265	3/20/02	R-Sr.	TR	Aliquippa, Pa. (Aliquippa/Penn State)
30	GALLEGOS, Marquis	S	6-0	195	2/10/05	R-So.	2V	North Hollywood, Calif. (Sierra Canyon)
7	GRAHAM, Alex	S	6-0	195	3/7/07	R-Fr.	1V	Detroit, Mich. (Cass Technical)
2	HILL IV, Elbert "Rock"	CB	5-10	190	5/22/07	Fr.	--	Cleveland, Ohio (Archbishop Hoban)
39	HILLENBURG, Nate	P	6-4	220	7/23/02	R-Sr.	TR	Indianapolis, Ind. (Cathedral/Cornell/Valparaiso)
16	HINES, Tanook	WR	6-0	190	9/11/06	So.	1V	Houston, Texas (Andy Dekaney)
29	HOLLAND II, Joshua	S	6-1	185	11/2/06	Fr.	--	Long Beach, Calif. (St. John Bosco)
7	HUARD, Sam	QB	6-1	205	6/17/02	R-Sr.	1V	Bellevue, Wash. (Kennedy Catholic/Washington/Cal Poly/Utah)
22	ILI, Talanoa	LB	6-3	235	9/3/06	Fr.	--	Chino, Calif. (Kahuku)
18	ISON, Romero	WR	6-0	185	6/8/06	R-Fr.	1V	Baltimore, Md. (Milford Mill Academy)
63	JACOBSEN, Cash	OL	6-4	295	9/20/06	R-Fr.	1V	Jenks, Okla. (Jenks)
99	JARRETT, Jamaal	DT	6-5	360	7/19/05	R-Jr.	1V	Greensboro, N.C. (Grimsley/Georgia)
87	JEFFERSON, Josiah	TE	6-3	240	6/24/06	Jr.	TR	San Diego, Calif. (Mater Dei/Southwestern College)
27	JOHNSON, Chasen	CB	6-1	195	9/13/05	R-So.	1V	Sanford, Fla. (Seminole/UCF)
90	JOHNSON, Jake	DT	6-3	300	10/16/07	Fr.	--	Prosper, Texas (Prosper)
28	JOHNSON, James	QB	5-11	190	4/11/06	R-Fr.	TR	Huntington Beach, Calif. (Santa Margarita/Golden West/Holy Cross)
50	JOHNSON, Taylor "Taybo"	LB	6-0	220	1/7/08	Fr.	--	San Bernardino, Calif. (Cajon)
44	JONES, Braeden	DT	6-4	270	9/17/07	Fr.	--	Chicago, Ill. (Mount Carmel)
2	JORDAN, Waymond	RB	5-10	210	11/4/03	Sr.	1V	Pensacola, Fla. (Escambia/Hutchinson CC)
49	KATOANGA, Simote	DE	6-5	275	1/28/08	Fr.	--	Oceanside, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
66	KOLOJAY, Breck	OL	6-7	310	12/27/07	Fr.	--	Denver, Colo. (IMG Academy)
44	LEIATO, Manoah	TE	6-2	255	2/19/08	Fr.	--	Huntington Beach, Calif. (Mater Dei)
62	LEONARD, Travis	OL	5-11	275	4/15/06	R-So.	SQ	Long Beach, Calif. (Junipero Serra)
19	LOCKHART, Brandon	CB	6-2	175	1/24/07	Fr.	--	Los Angeles, Calif. (Sierra Canyon)
14	MAIAVA, Jayden	QB	6-4	230	4/6/03	R-Sr.	2V	Palolo, Hawaii (Liberty/UNLV)
57	MARCHETTI, Roman	LB	6-2	225	12/22/03	R-Sr.	3V	Tustin, Calif. (Foothill)
23	MATTHEWS, Walter	TE	6-6	305	10/21/05	R-So.	1V	Hiram, Ga. (Hiram)
41	McKELVEY, Cian	RB	5-9	185	10/30/04	R-Jr.	1V	Prescott, Ariz. (Prescott)
21	MEDYN, Alex	QB	6-0	210	12/26/06	Fr.	--	Norco, Calif. (Chino Hills)
83	MELTON, Fisher	TE	6-4	245	3/18/07	R-Fr.	SQ	Ladera Ranch, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)

NO.	NAME	POS.	HGT.	WGT.	BIRTHDAY	CI.(ATH/AC)	EXP.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/JC/COLLEGE)
60	MILLER, Kaylon	OL	6-0	305	1/17/05	R-So.	2V	Calabasas, Calif. (Calabasas)
42	MILLER, Kayne	S	5-8	185	3/7/08	Fr.	--	Calabasas, Calif. (Calabasas)
8	MILLER, King	RB	6-0	225	1/17/05	R-So.	1V	Calabasas, Calif. (Calabasas)
47	MOSER, Caleb	SNP	5-10	245	3/19/05	Sr.	TR	Winston Salem, N.C. (Ledford/UAB)
4	MOSLEY, Trent	WR	5-10	180	7/26/06	Fr.	--	Chicago, Ill. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
37	NANDLAL, Zachary	P	5-8	175	1/30/06	So.	--	Sydney, Australia (Saint Ignatius' College)
26	NEWBY, Elijah	LB	6-3	235	5/3/05	R-So.	2V	Cheshire, Conn. (Cheshire Academy)
77	NOA, Alani	OL	6-3	315	10/7/05	Sr.	3V	Sacramento, Calif. (Grant Union)
38	O'BRIEN, Patrick	TE	6-5	240	9/19/06	So.	--	San Diego, Calif. (Cathedral Catholic)
41	O'CONNELL, Ryan	LB	6-1	230	6/24/04	R-Sr.	TR	Fairfield, Conn. (Fairfield Prep/UPenn)
67	O'CONNOR, Kilian	OL	6-1	300	5/6/03	R-Sr.	2V	Ladera Ranch, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
72	PAIGE, Elijah	OL	6-7	315	2/19/05	R-Jr.	3V	Phoenix, Ariz. (Pinnacle)
34	PARK, Tyson	RB	5-6	195	4/3/08	Fr.	--	Austin, Texas (IMG Academy)
64	PAULEY, Ryan	OL	6-2	320	2/3/04	R-Sr.	TR	Carmel, Ind. (Carmel/Valparaiso)
71	PEPE, Keenyi	OL	6-7	330	7/13/07	Fr.	--	Long Beach, Calif. (IMG Academy)
28	PIERCE, Carrington	CB	5-11	185	6/22/06	R-So.	TR	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. (Etiwanda/Chaffey/Oklahoma State)
6	PIERCE, Christian	S	6-1	205	11/1/04	Sr.	3V	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. (Rancho Cucamonga)
95	RAMOS, Jadyn	DE	6-4	250	6/7/07	R-Fr.	1V	Houston, Texas (Conroe)
73	RAYMOND, Tobias	OL	6-6	310	1/25/05	R-Jr.	3V	Ventura, Calif. (Ventura)
23	REDDICK, Kendarius	S	5-11	190	10/14/05	So.	1V	Thomasville, Ga. (Thomas County Central)
6	REDEAUX, Deshonne	RB	5-10	205	3/21/07	Fr.	--	Carson, Calif. (Oaks Christian)
31	RIORDAN, Madden	S	5-10	180	6/22/06	Fr.	--	Pasadena, Calif. (Sierra Canyon)
14	ROBINSON, Ta'Mere	LB	6-3	240	11/5/04	R-Jr.	1V	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Brashear/Penn State)
38	RUBIN, Isaiah	S	5-11	195	10/20/05	R-So.	1V	Long Beach, Calif. (Los Alamitos)
58	RUFO, GianCarlo	LB	6-2	230	10/12/05	Sr.	TR	Honolulu, Hawaii (Punahou/Georgetown)
36	SANCHEZ, Rey	P	6-2	225	8/10/03	R-Sr.	SQ	Carson, Calif. (Carson/Long Beach CC)
48	SAYERI, Ryon	P/K	5-11	185	9/8/06	R-So.	2V	West Hills, Calif. (Chaminade)
39	SCIARRINO, Peter	S	5-10	190	7/3/07	Fr.	--	Manhattan Beach, Calif. (Loyola)
24	SCOTT, Shaun	LB	6-3	240	12/8/06	Fr.	--	Fontana, Calif. (Mater Dei)
40	SEHRA, Shawn	CB	5-9	180	4/29/05	R-Jr.	1V	Thousand Oaks, Calif. (Oak Park)
81	SERMONS, Cameron	WR	5-10	160	6/28/06	R-Fr.	SQ	San Bernardino, Calif. (Rancho Cucamonga)
21	SERMONS, RJ	CB	6-1	190	11/18/07	R-Fr.	SQ	San Bernardino, Calif. (Rancho Cucamonga)
10	SHELBY, Braylan	DE	6-5	260	8/10/05	Sr.	3V	Friendswood, Texas (Friendswood)
10	SIMMS, Corey	WR	6-3	205	3/5/07	So.	1V	Saint Louis, Mo. (Christian Brothers College)
56	SMITH, Kannon	OL	6-4	310	10/21/07	Fr.	--	Aurora, Colo. (Valor Christian School)
92	SMITH, Sam	DL	6-3	235	2/26/08	Fr.	--	San Juan Capistrano, Calif. (JSerra)
8	STEPHENS II, Desman	LB	6-3	250	7/25/06	Jr.	2V	Clarkston, Mich. (Clarkston)
4	STEWART, Jahkeem	DT	6-5	295	5/6/07	So.	1V	Reserve, La. (Edna Karr)
40	SUNG, Marcus	WR	5-10	205	6/27/06	Jr.	--	Irvine, Calif. (Portola)
61	SUSNJAR, Jack	OL	6-5	320	10/9/04	R-Jr.	1V	San Pedro, Calif. (Loyola)
35	SWANSON, Ty	DE	6-4	220	12/24/07	Fr.	--	Ladera Ranch, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
24	TABARACCI, Carson	TE	6-1	230	10/16/03	R-Sr.	2V	Park City, Utah (Park City/Utah)
57	TAFA, Esun	OL	6-4	325	6/9/08	Fr.	--	West Valley, Utah (Corner Canyon)
65	TAOMI, Erwin	OL	6-4	375	9/10/04	R-Jr.	1V	Anchorage, Alaska (St. Joseph's/Hancock College)
74	TAUANUU, Justin	OL	6-6	310	3/15/06	R-So.	2V	Huntington Beach, Calif. (Huntington Beach)
82	TEZENO, Roderick	WR	6-2	190	12/17/07	Fr.	--	Opelousas, La. (Opelousas Catholic)
52	TOPUI Jr., Tomuhini "Tom Tom"	DT	6-3	320	1/25/07	Fr.	--	Inglewood, Calif. (Mater Dei)
68	TRETER, Hayden	OL	6-6	320	10/27/05	R-So.	1V	Greenwood Village, Colo. (Cherry Creek)
88	TUPOU, Taniela	TE	6-3	255	6/13/07	R-Fr.	1V	Carmichael, Calif. (Folsom)
9	URLACHER, Kennedy	S	5-11	200	5/20/05	Jr.	1V	Chandler, Ariz. (Chandler/Notre Dame)
79	VAIKONA, Elijah	OL	6-8	360	10/18/06	R-Fr.	1V	London, U.K. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
91	VANSUMEREN, Alex	DT	6-2	300	10/25/03	R-Sr.	TR	Bay City, Mich. (Garber/Michigan State)
94	WAFLE, Luke	DE	6-6	265	4/9/07	Fr.	--	Middletown, N.J. (The Hun School of Princeton)
15	WALKER, Jadyn	LB	6-2	240	12/13/05	R-So.	2V	Portage, Mich. (Portage Northern)
52	WASCHER, Willi	OL	6-2	310	2/26/07	R-Fr.	SQ	Bellevue, Wash. (Bellevue)
80	WEAVER, Luc	WR	6-2	215	2/11/08	Fr.	--	Los Angeles, Calif. (Notre Dame)
93	WEISBERG, William	K	6-3	190	8/18/06	R-Fr.	1V	Los Angeles, Calif. (Notre Dame)
51	WILLIAMS, Andrew	DE	6-5	220	1/4/08	Fr.	--	Los Angeles, Calif. (John C. Freemont)
15	WILLIAMS, Jonas	QB	6-1	220	6/4/08	Fr.	--	Chicago, Ill. (Lincoln-Way East)
0	WILLIAMS, Jontez	CB	5-10	200	6/18/04	R-Sr.	TR	Starke, Fla. (Bradford/Iowa State)
25	WILLIAMS, Marcelles	CB	5-11	190	9/25/05	R-So.	2V	Carson, Calif. (St. John Bosco)
0	WILLIAMS, Zacharyus	WR	6-2	200	2/3/05	R-So.	1V	Carson, Calif. (Junipero Serra/Utah)
45	WINFIELD, Jaimeon	DT	6-3	320	4/5/08	Fr.	--	Meridian, Miss. (Richardson)
49	WOODS, Grant	TE	6-7	230	2/27/08	Fr.	--	(Crespi)
27	WORMLEY, Riley	RB	5-9	190	3/5/07	R-Fr.	1V	Euless, Texas (Carroll)
31	ZAMORA, Seth	WR	5-9	175	6/3/05	R-So.	SQ	Monrovia, Calif. (Centennial)

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NO.	NAME	POS.	HGT.	WGT.	BIRTHDAY	CL.(ATH/AC)	EXP.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/JC/COLLEGE)
0	WILLIAMS, Zacharyus	WR	6-2	200	2/3/05	R-So.	1V	Carson, Calif. (Junipero Serra/Utah)
0	WILLIAMS, Jontez	CB	5-10	200	6/18/04	R-Sr.	TR	Starke, Fla. (Bradford/Iowa State)
1	FEASTER, Ethan "Boobie"	WR	6-1	190	5/23/09	Fr.	--	Shreveport, La. (Desoto)
1	CRAWFORD, Kameryn	DE	6-5	255	8/4/05	Jr.	2V	Mobile, Ala. (Booker T. Washington)
2	JORDAN, Waymond	RB	5-10	210	11/4/03	Sr.	1V	Pensacola, Fla. (Escambia/Hutchinson CC)
2	HILL IV, Elbert "Rock"	CB	5-10	190	5/22/07	Fr.	--	Cleveland, Ohio (Archbishop Hoban)
4	MOSLEY, Trent	WR	5-10	180	7/26/06	Fr.	--	Chicago, Ill. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
4	STEWART, Jahkeem	DT	6-5	295	5/6/07	So.	1V	Reserve, La. (Edna Karr)
6	REDEAUX, Deshonne	RB	5-10	205	3/21/07	Fr.	--	Carson, Calif. (Oaks Christian)
6	PIERCE, Christian	S	6-1	205	11/1/04	Sr.	3V	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. (Rancho Cucamonga)
7	HUARD, Sam	QB	6-1	205	6/17/02	R-Sr.	1V	Bellevue, Wash. (Kennedy Catholic/Washington/Cal Poly/Utah)
7	GRAHAM, Alex	S	6-0	195	3/7/07	R-Fr.	1V	Detroit, Mich. (Cass Technical)
8	MILLER, King	RB	6-0	225	1/17/05	R-So.	1V	Calabasas, Calif. (Calabasas)
8	STEPHENS II, Desman	LB	6-3	250	7/25/06	Jr.	2V	Clarkston, Mich. (Clarkston)
9	ANDERSON, Terrell	WR	6-2	200	10/31/05	Jr.	TR	Detroit, Mich. (Grimsley/NC State)
9	URLACHER, Kennedy	S	5-11	200	5/20/05	Jr.	1V	Chandler, Ariz. (Chandler/Notre Dame)
10	SIMMS, Corey	WR	6-3	205	3/5/07	So.	1V	Saint Louis, Mo. (Christian Brothers College)
10	SHELBY, Braylan	DE	6-5	260	8/10/05	Sr.	3V	Friendswood, Texas (Friendswood)
14	MAIAVA, Jayden	QB	6-4	230	4/6/03	R-Sr.	2V	Palolo, Hawaii (Liberty/UNLV)
14	ROBINSON, Ta'Mere	LB	6-3	240	11/5/04	R-Jr.	1V	Pittsburgh, Pa. (Brashear/Penn State)
15	WILLIAMS, Jonas	QB	6-1	220	6/4/08	Fr.	--	Chicago, Ill. (Lincoln-Way East)
15	WALKER, Jadyn	LB	6-2	240	12/13/05	R-So.	2V	Portage, Mich. (Portage Northern)
16	HINES, Tanook	WR	6-0	190	9/11/06	So.	1V	Houston, Texas (Andy Dekaney)
16	BROWN, Prophet	S	5-11	190	2/3/03	R-Sr.	4V	Sacramento, Calif. (Monterey Trail)
17	DIXON-WYATT, Kayden	WR	6-2	200	8/21/07	Fr.	--	Hayward, Calif. (Mater Dei)
17	BRYANT, Deven	LB	5-11	230	12/6/03	R-Jr.	TR	Carson, Calif. (St. John Bosco/Washington)
18	ISON, Romero	WR	6-0	185	6/8/06	R-Fr.	1V	Baltimore, Md. (Milford Mill Academy)
18	FISHER, Zuriah	DE	6-2	265	3/20/02	R-Sr.	TR	Aliquippa, Pa. (Aliquippa/Penn State)
19	BOWMAN, Mark	TE	6-5	245	1/11/08	Fr.	--	Castle Rock, Colo. (Mater Dei)
19	LOCKHART, Brandon	CB	6-2	175	1/24/07	Fr.	--	Los Angeles, Calif. (Sierra Canyon)
21	MEDYN, Alex	QB	6-0	210	12/26/06	Fr.	--	Norco, Calif. (Chino Hills)
21	SERMONS, RJ	CB	6-1	190	11/18/07	R-Fr.	SQ	San Bernardino, Calif. (Rancho Cucamonga)
22	ALSTON, Shahn	RB	5-10	220	12/28/06	Fr.	--	Painesville, Ohio (Thomas W. Harvey)
22	ILI, Talanoa	LB	6-3	235	9/3/06	Fr.	--	Chino, Calif. (Kahuku)
23	MATTHEWS, Walter	TE	6-6	305	10/21/05	R-So.	1V	Hiram, Ga. (Hiram)
23	REDDICK, Kendarius	S	5-11	190	10/14/05	So.	1V	Thomasville, Ga. (Thomas County Central)
24	TABARACCI, Carson	TE	6-1	230	10/16/03	R-Sr.	2V	Park City, Utah (Park City/Utah)
24	SCOTT, Shaun	LB	6-3	240	12/8/06	Fr.	--	Fontana, Calif. (Mater Dei)
25	WILLIAMS, Marcelles	CB	5-11	190	9/25/05	R-So.	2V	Carson, Calif. (St. John Bosco)
26	NEWBY, Elijah	LB	6-3	235	5/3/05	R-So.	2V	Cheshire, Conn. (Cheshire Academy)
27	WORMLEY, Riley	RB	5-9	190	3/5/07	R-Fr.	1V	Euless, Texas (Carroll)
27	JOHNSON, Chasen	CB	6-1	195	9/13/05	R-So.	1V	Sanford, Fla. (Seminole/UCF)
28	JOHNSON, James	QB	5-11	190	4/11/06	R-Fr.	TR	Huntington Beach, Calif. (Santa Margarita /Golden West College/Holy Cross)
28	PIERCE, Carrington	CB	5-11	185	6/22/06	R-So.	TR	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. (Etiwanda/Chaffey/Oklahoma State)
29	DOHERTY, Will	QB	6-4	220	10/21/04	Jr.	TR	Manhattan Beach, Calif. (Leuzinger/Santa Barbara CC)
29	HOLLAND II, Joshua	S	6-1	185	11/2/06	Fr.	--	Long Beach, Calif. (St. John Bosco)
30	GALLEGOS, Marquis	S	6-0	195	2/10/05	R-So.	2V	North Hollywood, Calif. (Sierra Canyon)
31	ZAMORA, Seth	WR	5-9	175	6/3/05	R-So.	SQ	Monrovia, Calif. (Centennial)
31	RIORDAN, Madden	S	5-10	180	6/22/06	Fr.	--	Pasadena, Calif. (Sierra Canyon)
34	PARK, Tyson	RB	5-6	195	4/3/08	Fr.	--	Austin, Texas (IMG Academy)
34	CROWDER, Jayden	CB	5-10	175	11/25/06	Fr.	--	Eastvale, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
35	SWANSON, Ty	DE	6-4	220	12/24/07	Fr.	--	Ladera Ranch, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
35	CARRIGAN, Lachlan	P	6-3	205	12/9/02	So.	TR	Melbourne, Australia (Memphis)
36	DYER, Peyton "Man Man"	S	6-0	200	8/31/08	Fr.	--	Decatur, Ga. (Tyner Academy)
36	SANCHEZ, Rey	P	6-2	225	8/10/03	R-Sr.	SQ	Carson, Calif. (Carson/Long Beach CC)
37	CASTRO, Trestin	S	6-0	190	12/31/06	R-Fr.	1V	Upland, Calif. (Upland)
37	NANDLAL, Zachary	P	5-8	175	1/30/06	So.	--	Sydney, Australia (Saint Ignatius' College)
38	O'BRIEN, Patrick	TE	6-5	240	9/19/06	So.	--	San Diego, Calif. (Cathedral Catholic)
38	RUBIN, Isaiah	S	5-11	195	10/20/05	R-So.	1V	Long Beach, Calif. (Los Alamitos)
39	SCIARRINO, Peter	S	5-10	190	7/3/07	Fr.	--	Manhattan Beach, Calif. (Loyola)
39	HILLENBURG, Nate	P	6-4	220	7/23/02	R-Sr.	TR	Indianapolis, Ind. (Cathedral/Cornell/Valparaiso)
40	SEHRA, Shawn	CB	5-9	180	4/29/05	R-Jr.	1V	Thousand Oaks, Calif. (Oak Park)
40	SUNG, Marcus	WR	5-10	205	6/27/06	Jr.	--	Irvine, Calif. (Portola)
41	McKELVEY, Cian	RB	5-9	185	10/30/04	R-Jr.	1V	Prescott, Ariz. (Prescott)

NO.	NAME	POS.	HGT.	WGT.	BIRTHDAY	CL.(ATH/AC)	EXP.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/JC/COLLEGE)
41	O'CONNELL, Ryan	LB	6-1	230	6/24/04	R-Sr.	TR	Fairfield, Conn. (Fairfield Prep/UPenn)
42	MILLER, Kayne	S	5-8	185	3/7/08	Fr.	--	Calabasas, Calif. (Calabasas)
44	LEIATO, Manoah	TE	6-2	255	2/19/08	Fr.	--	Huntington Beach, Calif. (Mater Dei)
44	JONES, Braeden	DT	6-4	270	9/17/07	Fr.	--	Chicago, Ill. (Mount Carmel)
45	WINFIELD, Jaimeon	DT	6-3	320	4/5/08	Fr.	--	Meridian, Miss. (Richardson)
45	CHITTENDEN, Caden	K	5-10	190	10/21/05	R-So.	SQ	Las Vegas, Nev. (Faith Lutheran/UNLV)
46	DE FINA, Nick	LB	6-0	195	10/30/04	Sr.	SQ	San Diego, Calif. (Torrey Pines)
46	BLACK, Dylan	SNP	6-1	220	10/13/00	R-Sr.	TR	Reno, Nev. (Bishop Manogue/Oregon State)
47	ENGROFF, Austin	LB	5-11	215	11/16/07	Fr.	--	Boise, Idaho (Timberline)
47	MOSER, Caleb	SNP	5-10	245	3/19/05	Sr.	TR	Winston Salem, N.C. (Ledford/UAB)
48	DINIZ, Derek	CB	5-10	185	1/29/08	Fr.	--	Pebble Beach, Calif. (Stevenson)
48	SAYERI, Ryon	P/K	5-11	185	9/8/06	R-So.	2V	West Hills, Calif. (Chaminade)
49	WOODS, Grant	TE	6-7	230	2/27/08	Fr.	--	(Crespi)
49	KATOANGA, Simote	DE	6-5	275	1/28/08	Fr.	--	Oceanside, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
50	JOHNSON, Taylor "Taybo"	LB	6-0	220	1/7/08	Fr.	--	San Bernardino, Calif. (Cajon)
51	DYAKONOV, Vlad	OL	6-6	295	3/28/08	Fr.	--	Folsom, Calif. (Folsom)
51	WILLIAMS, Andrew	DE	6-5	220	1/4/08	Fr.	--	Los Angeles, Calif. (John C. Freemont)
52	WASCHER, Willi	OL	6-2	310	2/26/07	R-Fr.	SQ	Bellevue, Wash. (Bellevue)
52	TOPUI, Tomuhini "Tom Tom"	DT	6-3	320	1/25/07	Fr.	--	Inglewood, Calif. (Mater Dei)
53	BROWN, Luke	SNP	6-2	215	10/20/06	R-Fr.	SQ	China Spring, Texas (Homeschool)
54	BROUGHAM, Ethan	DE	6-2	245	5/7/05	R-Jr.	TR	Dana Point, Calif. (Dana Hills/Rice)
56	SMITH, Kannon	OL	6-4	310	10/21/07	Fr.	--	Aurora, Colo. (Valor Christian School)
57	TAFA, Esun	OL	6-4	325	6/9/08	Fr.	--	West Valley, Utah (Corner Canyon)
57	MARCHETTI, Roman	LB	6-2	225	12/22/03	R-Sr.	3V	Tustin, Calif. (Foothill)
58	RUFO, GianCarlo	LB	6-2	230	10/12/05	Sr.	TR	Honolulu, Hawaii (Punahou/Georgetown)
60	MILLER, Kaylon	OL	6-0	305	1/17/05	R-So.	2V	Calabasas, Calif. (Calabasas)
61	SUSNJAR, Jack	OL	6-5	320	10/9/04	R-Jr.	1V	San Pedro, Calif. (Loyola)
62	LEONARD, Travis	OL	5-11	275	4/15/06	R-So.	SQ	Long Beach, Calif. (Junipero Serra)
63	JACOBSEN, Cash	OL	6-4	295	9/20/06	R-Fr.	1V	Jenks, Okla. (Jenks)
64	PAULEY, Ryan	OL	6-2	320	2/3/04	R-Sr.	TR	Carmel, Ind. (Carmel/Valparaiso)
65	TAOMI, Erwin	OL	6-4	375	9/10/04	R-Jr.	1V	Anchorage, Alaska (St. Joseph's/Hancock College)
66	KOLOJAY, Breck	OL	6-7	310	12/27/07	Fr.	--	Denver, Colo. (IMG Academy)
67	O'CONNOR, Kilian	OL	6-1	300	5/6/03	R-Sr.	2V	Ladera Ranch, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
68	TRETER, Hayden	OL	6-6	320	10/27/05	R-So.	1V	Greenwood Village, Colo. (Cherry Creek)
70	DUNN, Aaron	OL	6-7	310	12/3/06	R-Fr.	1V	Spanish Fork, Utah (Spanish Fork)
71	PEPE, Keenyi	OL	6-7	330	7/13/07	Fr.	--	Long Beach, Calif. (IMG Academy)
72	PAIGE, Elijah	OL	6-7	315	2/19/05	R-Jr.	3V	Phoenix, Ariz. (Pinnacle)
73	RAYMOND, Tobias	OL	6-6	310	1/25/05	R-Jr.	3V	Ventura, Calif. (Ventura)
74	TAUANUU, Justin	OL	6-6	310	3/15/06	R-So.	2V	Huntington Beach, Calif. (Huntington Beach)
75	BULABALAVU, Ratumana	OL	6-3	325	8/31/06	R-So.	2V	Stockton, Calif. (Army and Navy Academy)
76	FIFITA, John	OL	6-6	380	6/29/08	Fr.	--	Mountain View, Calif. (Saint Francis)
77	NOA, Alani	OL	6-3	315	10/7/05	Sr.	3V	Sacramento, Calif. (Grant Union)
78	DENIZ, Chase	OL	6-7	315	6/6/07	Fr.	--	San Diego, Calif. (Cathedral Catholic)
79	VAIKONA, Elijah	OL	6-8	360	10/18/06	R-Fr.	1V	London, U.K. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
80	WEAVER, Luc	WR	6-2	215	2/11/08	Fr.	--	Los Angeles, Calif. (Notre Dame)
81	SERMONS, Cameron	WR	5-10	160	6/28/06	R-Fr.	SQ	San Bernardino, Calif. (Rancho Cucamonga)
82	TEZENO, Roderick	WR	6-2	190	12/17/07	Fr.	--	Opelousas, La. (Opelousas Catholic)
83	MELTON, Fisher	TE	6-4	245	3/18/07	R-Fr.	SQ	Ladera Ranch, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
84	ASHCRAFT, Tucker	TE	6-5	260	3/18/05	R-Jr.	TR	Seattle, Wash. (O'Dea/Wisconsin)
85	BAKER, Tron	WR	6-0	200	10/4/06	Fr.	--	Long Beach, Calif. (Sierra Canyon)
86	DEGNER, Luke	WR	5-11	190	1/8/04	R-Sr.	TR	Laguna Beach, Calif. (Laguna Beach/UChicago)
87	JEFFERSON, Josiah	TE	6-3	240	6/24/06	Jr.	TR	San Diego, Calif. (Mater Dei/Southwestern College)
88	TUPOU, Taniela	TE	6-3	255	6/13/07	R-Fr.	1V	Carmichael, Calif. (Folsom)
88	BOUCARD, Floyd	DT	6-3	315	1/17/07	So.	1V	Montreal, Quebec (Miami Central)
89	BRAHM, Griffin	WR	6-1	195	11/25/07	Fr.	--	Dana Point, Calif. (Santa Margarita Catholic)
89	CHO, Brendan	DT	6-3	300	5/16/05	R-So.	1V	Chatsworth, Calif. (Heritage Christian)
90	JOHNSON, Jake	DT	6-3	300	10/16/07	Fr.	--	Prosper, Texas (Prosper)
91	VANSUMEREN, Alex	DT	6-2	300	10/25/03	R-Sr.	TR	Bay City, Mich. (Garber/Michigan State)
92	SMITH, Sam	DL	6-3	235	2/26/08	Fr.	--	San Juan Capistrano, Calif. (JSerra)
93	WEISBERG, William	K	6-3	190	8/18/06	R-Fr.	1V	Los Angeles, Calif. (Notre Dame)
94	WAFLE, Luke	DE	6-6	265	4/9/07	Fr.	--	Middletown, N.J. (The Hun School of Princeton)
95	RAMOS, Jadyn	DE	6-4	250	6/7/07	R-Fr.	1V	Houston, Texas (Conroe)
96	ABARCA, Jordan	DT	6-4	300	4/9/06	So.	TR	Seal Beach, Calif. (Warren/UCLA)
97	ABASIRI, Jide	DT	6-5	280	3/10/06	Jr.	2V	Prior Lake, Minn. (Prior Lake)
99	JARRETT, Jamaal	DT	6-5	360	7/19/05	R-Jr.	1V	Greensboro, N.C. (Grimsley/Georgia)
27	WORMLEY, Riley	RB	5-9	190	3/5/07	R-Fr.	1V	Euless, Texas (Carroll)
31	ZAMORA, Seth	WR	5-9	175	6/3/06	R-So.	SQ	Monrovia, Calif. (Centennial)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

PLAYERS

ABASIRI, Jide	ah-bah-SEER-ee, jih-DAY
ALSTON, Shahn	shawn
BROWN, Prophet	PRA-fet
BOUCARD, Floyd	boo-CARD
BOWMAN, Mark	BEAU-mihn
BROUGHAM, Ethan	BROME
BRYANT, Deven	DEV-ihn
BULABALAVU, Ratumana	boo-luh-bah-LAH-voo, rah-too-MAHN-ah
CARRIGAN, Lachlan	LOCK-lihn
CASTRO, Trestin	TREH-stihn
CHITTENDEN, Caden	chit-EHN-dihn, CAY-dihn
CRAWFORD, Kameryn	CAM-rin
DENIZ, Chase	deh-NEEZ
DINIZ, Derek	deh-NEEZ
DOHERTY, Will	DOE-her-tee
DYAKONOV, Vlad	dee-AH-koh-nov, vlæd
FIFITA, John	fih-FEE-tuh
GALLEGOS, Marquis	guy-YAY-goes, mar-KEES
HINES, Tanook	tuh-NOOK
HUARD, Sam	HUE-erd
ILI, Talanoa	ee-lee, tal-uh-NOE-uh
ISON, Romero	EYE-sin, roe-MEHR-oh (prefers "MEHR-oh")
JARRETT, Jamaal	juh-MAHL
JONES, Braeden	BRAY-dihn
KATOANGA, Simote	kah-toe-AHN-guh, see-MOE-tay
KOLOJAY, Breck	COLE-oh-jay
LEIATO, Manoah	lay-AH-toe, muh-NO-uh
MAIAVA, Jayden	my-AH-vuh
MARCHETTI, Roman	mar-KEH-tee, ROE-min
McKELVEY, Cian	KEY-ihn
MEDYN, Alex	muh-DEEN
MILLER, Kaylon	KAY-lin
NOA, Alani	NO-uh, uh-LAWN-ee
O'CONNOR, Kilian	kil-EE-uhn
PEPE, Keenyi	key-NIGH
REDDICK, Kendarius	RED-ick, ken-DARE-ee-us
REDEAUX, Deshonne	rih-DOE, dih-SHAWN
RIORDAN, Madden	REAR-dihn
ROBINSON, Ta'Mere	tay-MEER
SAYERI, Ryon	sai-EAR-ee, rye-ON
SCIARRINO, Peter	sha-REE-no
STEPHENS II, Desman	des-MIN
STEWART, Jahkeem	jah-KEEM
TABARACCI, Carson	tah-buh-RAH-chee
TAOMI, Erwin	tay-OH-mee
TAUANUU, Justin	tow-uh-NOO-ooh
TEZENO, Roderick	TIZ-uh-no
TOPUI, Tomuhini, "Tom Tom"	toe-POO-ee, tom-oo-HE-knee
TRETER, Hayden	TREE-ter
TUPOU, Taniela	TOO-poh, tan-YELL-uh (prefers "NELL-uh")
URLACHER, Kennedy	ER-lack-er
VANSUMEREN, Alex	van-SOO-mer-ihn
WAFLE, Luke	WAY-full
WEAVER, Luc	luke
VAIKONA, Elijah	vai-KOH-nuh
WASCHER, Willi	WASH-er, WILL-ee
WILLIAMS, Marcelles	mar-CELL-es
WILLIAMS, Zacharyus	zach-uh-RYE-us
ZAMORA, Seth	zuh-MORE-uh

COACHES/STAFF

BOWDEN, Chad	BEAU-dihn
EKELER, Mike	EHK-ler
HUARD, Luke	HUE-erd
NUA, Shaun	NOO-uh
CARROLL, Trumain	true-MANE

IN-SEASON BIRTHDAYS

AUGUST	31	Ratumana Bulabalavu; Peyton "Man Man" Dyer
SEPTEMBER	3	Talanoa Ili
	5	Lincoln Riley
	8	Ryon Sayeri
	10	Erwin Taomi
	11	Tanook Hines
	13	Chasen Johnson
	17	Braeden Jones
	19	Patrick O'Brien
	20	Cash Jacobsen
	25	Marcelles Williams
OCTOBER	4	Tron Baker
	7	Alani Noa
	12	GianCarlo Rufo
	13	Dylan Black
	14	Kendarius Reddick
	16	Jake Johnson; Carson Tabaracci
	18	Elijah Vaikona
	20	Luke Brown; Isaiah Rubin
	21	Caden Chittenden; Will Doherty; Walter Matthews; Kannon Smith
	25	Alex VanSumeren
	27	Hayden Treter
	30	Nick De Fina; Cian McKelvey
	31*	Terrell Anderson
NOVEMBER	1	Christian Pierce
	2	Joshua Holland II
	4	Waymond Jordan
	5	Ta'Mere Robinson
	16	Austin Engroff
	18	RJ Sermons
	25	Griffin Brahm; Jayden Crowder

* USC Football Game Day

USC's Youngest Player: Ethan "Boobie" Feaster (May 23, 2009)
USC's Oldest Player: Dylan Black (October 13, 2000)

POSITION BREAKDOWN

QUARTERBACKS • 6: 2 RETURNERS, 2 PORTAL, 2 FROSH

Will Doherty
#29 • 6-4 • 215 • Jr.

Sam Huard
#7 • 6-1 • 210 • R-Sr.

James Johnson
#28 • 5-11 • 190 • R-Fr.

Jayden Maiava
#14 • 6-4 • 225 • R-Sr.

Alex Medyn
#21 • 6-0 • 210 • Fr.

Jonas Williams
#15 • 6-1 • 215 • Fr.

RUNNING BACKS • 8: 4 RETURNERS, 4 FROSH

Shahn Alston
#22 • 5-10 • 220 • Fr.

Waymond Jordan
#2 • 5-10 • 215 • Sr.

Cian McKelvey
#41 • 5-9 • 185 • R-Jr.

Kayne Miller
#30 • 5-8 • 185 • Fr.

King Miller
#8 • 6-0 • 215 • R-So.

Tyson Park
#34 • 5-6 • 195 • Fr.

Deshonne Redeaux
#6 • 5-10 • 205 • Fr.

Riley Wormley
#27 • 5-9 • 190 • R-Fr.

TIGHT ENDS • 9: 4 RETURNERS, 2 PORTAL, 3 FROSH/NEWCOMER

Tucker Ashcraft
#84 • 6-5 • 260 • R-Jr.

Mark Bowman
#19 • 6-4 • 235 • Fr.

Josiah Jefferson
#87 • 6-3 • 235 • Jr.

Manoah Leiato
#44 • 6-2 • 255 • Fr.

Walter Matthews
#23 • 6-6 • 285 • R-So.

Fisher Melton
#49 • 6-4 • 240 • R-Fr.

Patrick O'Brien
#38 • 6-5 • 240 • So.

Carson Tabaracci
#24 • 6-1 • 230 • R-Sr.

Taniela Tupou
#88 • 6-3 • 250 • R-Fr.

WIDE RECEIVERS • 17: 6 RETURNERS, 3 PORTAL, 8 FROSH

Terrell Anderson
#9 • 6-2 • 200 • Jr.

Tron Baker
#85 • 6-0 • 200 • Fr.

Griffin Brahm
#89 • 6-1 • 195 • Fr.

Luke Degner
#86 • 5-11 • 190 • R-Sr.

Kayden Dixon-Wyatt
#17 • 6-2 • 195 • Fr.

Ethan "Boobie" Feaster
#1 • 6-1 • 190 • Fr.

Tanook Hines
#16 • 6-0 • 195 • So.

Romero Ison
#18 • 6-0 • 180 • R-Fr.

Trent Mosely
#4 • 5-10 • 180 • Fr.

Cameron Sermons
#81 • 5-10 • 165 • R-Fr.

Corey Simms
#10 • 6-3 • 205 • So.

Marcus Sung
#40 • 5-10 • 205 • Jr.

Roderick Tezeno
#82 • 6-2 • 190 • Fr.

Luc Weaver
#80 • 6-2 • 210 • Fr.

Zacharyus Williams
#0 • 6-2 • 200 • R-So.

Grant Woods
#49 • 6-7 • 230 • Fr.

Seth Zamora
#31 • 5-9 • 175 • R-So.

OFFENSIVE LINEMEN • 22: 14 RETURNERS, 1 PORTAL, 7 FROSH

Ratumana Bulabalavu
#75 • 6-3 • 325 • R-So.

Chase Deniz
#78 • 6-7 • 300 • Fr.

Aaron Dunn
#70 • 6-7 • 315 • R-Fr.

Vlad Dyakonov
#51 • 6-6 • 285 • Fr.

John Fifita
#76 • 6-6 • 395 • Fr.

Breck Kolojay
#66 • 6-7 • 320 • Fr.

Travis Leonard
#62 • 5-11 • 290 • R-So.

Kaylon Miller
#60 • 6-0 • 295 • R-So.

Alani Noa
#77 • 6-3 • 315 • Sr.

Kilian O'Connor
#67 • 6-1 • 295 • R-Sr.

Elijah Paige
#72 • 6-7 • 320 • R-Jr.

Ryan Pauley
#64 • 6-2 • 320 • R-Sr.

Keenyi Pepe
#71 • 6-7 • 330 • Fr.

Tobias Raymond
#73 • 6-6 • 310 • R-Jr.

Kannon Smith
#56 • 6-4 • 310 • Fr.

Jack Susnjar
#61 • 6-5 • 320 • R-Jr.

Esun Tafa
#57 • 6-4 • 340 • Fr.

Erwin Taomi
#65 • 6-4 • 360 • R-Jr.

Justin Tauanuu
#74 • 6-6 • 315 • R-So.

Hayden Treter
#68 • 6-6 • 320 • R-So.

Elijah Vaikona
#79 • 6-8 • 385 • R-Fr.

Willi Wascher
#52 • 6-2 • 305 • R-Fr.

DEFENSIVE TACKLES • 13: 6 RETURNERS, 2 PORTAL, 5 FROSH

Jordan Abarca
#96 • 6-4 • 300 • So.

Jide Abasiri
#97 • 6-5 • 295 • Jr.

Floyd Boucard
#88 • 6-3 • 305 • So.

Brandon Cho
#89 • 6-3 • 300 • R-So.

Cash Jacobsen
#98 • 6-4 • 295 • R-Fr.

Jamaal Jarrett
#0 • 6-5 • 375 • R-Jr.

Jake Johnson
#90 • 6-3 • 300 • Fr.

Braeden Jones
#44 • 6-4 • 265 • Fr.

Sam Smith
#92 • 6-3 • 235 • Fr.

Jahkeem Stewart
#4 • 6-5 • 290 • So.

Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.
#52 • 6-3 • 325 • Fr.

Alex VanSumeren
#91 • 6-2 • 295 • R-Sr.

Jaimeon Winfield
#45 • 6-3 • 325 • Fr.

DEFENSIVE ENDS • 9: 3 RETURNERS, 2 PORTAL, 4 FROSH

Ethan Brougham
#54 • 6-2 • 245 • R-Jr.

Kameryn Crawford
#1 • 6-5 • 265 • Jr.

Zuriah Fisher
#18 • 6-2 • 265 • R-Sr.

Simote Katoanga
#49 • 6-5 • 270 • Fr.

Jadyn Ramos
#95 • 6-4 • 235 • R-Fr.

Braylan Shelby
#10 • 6-5 • 265 • Sr.

Ty Swanson
#35 • 6-4 • 220 • Fr.

Luke Wafle
#94 • 6-6 • 265 • Fr.

Andrew Williams
#51 • 6-5 • 215 • Fr.

LINEBACKERS • 13: 6 RETURNERS, 3 PORTAL, 4 FROSH

Deven Bryant
#17 • 5-11 • 230 • R-Jr.

Nick De Fina
#46 • 6-0 • 205 • Sr.

Austin Engroff
#47 • 5-11 • 215 • Fr.

Talanoa Ili
#22 • 6-3 • 225 • Fr.

Taylor "Taybo" Johnson
#50 • 6-0 • 210 • Fr.

Roman Marchetti
#57 • 6-2 • 225 • R-Sr.

Elijah Newby
#26 • 6-3 • 235 • R-So.

Ryan O'Connell
#56 • 6-1 • 230 • R-Sr.

Ta'Mere Robinson
#14 • 6-3 • 230 • R-Jr.

GianCarlo Rufo
#58 • 6-2 • 230 • Sr.

Shaun Scott
#24 • 6-3 • 235 • Fr.

Desman Stephens II
#8 • 6-3 • 240 • Jr.

Jadyn Walker
#15 • 6-2 • 235 • R-So.

SAFETIES • 8: 5 RETURNERS, 3 FROSH

Peyton "Man Man" Dyer
#36 • 6-0 • 195 • Fr.

Marquis Gallegos
#30 • 6-0 • 190 • R-So.

Christian Pierce
#6 • 6-1 • 205 • Sr.

Kendarius Reddick
#23 • 5-11 • 180 • So.

Madden Riordan
#31 • 5-10 • 170 • Fr.

Isaiah Rubin
#38 • 5-11 • 195 • R-So.

Peter Sciarrino
#39 • 5-10 • 190 • Fr.

Kennedy Urlacher
#9 • 5-11 • 195 • Jr.

CORNERBACKS • 14: 7 RETURNERS, 2 PORTAL, 5 FROSH

Prophet Brown
#16 • 5-11 • 190 • R-Sr.

Trestin Castro
#37 • 6-0 • 185 • R-Fr.

Jadyn Crowder
34 • 5-10 • 170 • Fr.

Derek Deniz
#41 • 5-10 • 185 • Fr.

Alex Graham
#7 • 6-0 • 200 • R-Fr.

Elbert "Rock" Hill IV
#2 • 5-10 • 185 • Fr.

Joshua Holland II
#29 • 6-1 • 180 • Fr.

Chasen Johnson
#27 • 6-1 • 195 • R-So.

Brandon Lockhart
#19 • 6-2 • 180 • Fr.

Carrington Pierce
#28 • 5-11 • 165 • R-So.

Shawn Sehra
#40 • 5-9 • 180 • R-Jr.

RJ Sermons
#21 • 6-1 • 195 • R-Fr.

Jontez Williams
#0 • 5-10 • 195 • R-Sr.

Marcelles Williams
#25 • 5-11 • 190 • R-So.

KICKERS/PUNTERS • 7: 4 RETURNERS, 3 PORTAL

Lachlan Carrigan
#35 • 6-3 • 200 • So.

Caden Chittenden
#45 • 5-10 • 190 • R-So.

Nate Hillenberg
#39 • 6-4 • 220 • R-Sr.

Zachary Nandlal
#37 • 5-8 • 175 • So.

Rey Sanchez
#36 • 6-2 • 225 • R-Sr.

Ryon Sayeri
#48 • 5-11 • 180 • R-So.

William Weisberg
93 • 6-3 • 190 • R-Fr.

SNAPPERS • 3: 1 RETURNER, 2 PORTAL

Dylan Black
#46 • 6-1 • 220 • R-Sr.

Luke Brown
#53 • 6-2 • 200 • R-Fr.

Caleb Moser
#47 • 5-10 • 245 • Sr.

EXPERIENCE BREAKDOWN

TOTAL SQUADMEN (129)

RETURNERS • Established Contributors (33)

OFFENSE (15)

DT Ratumana Bulabalavu
QB Jayden Maiava
RB King Miller
OL Elijah Paige
TE Carson Tabaracci
WR Tanook Hines
TE Walter Matthews
OL Alani Noa
OL Tobias Raymond
OL Justin Tauanuu
RB Waymond Jordan
OL Kaylon Miller
OL Kilian O'Connor
WR Corey Simms
OL Hayden Treter

DEFENSE (17)

DT Jide Abasiri
S Marquis Gallegos
LB Elijah Newby
LB Ta'Mere Robinson
LB Desman Stephens II
LB Jadyn Walker
DT Floyd Boucard
DT Jamaal Jarrett
S Christian Pierce
CB Isaiah Rubin
DT Jahkeem Stewart
CB Marcelles Williams
DE Kameryn Crawford
LB Roman Marchetti
S Kendarius Reddick
DE Braylan Shelby
S Kennedy Urlacher

SPECIAL TEAMS (1)

P/K Ryon Sayeri

RETURNERS • Redshirts / Squadmen; 4 Regular Season Games or Less (28)

SNP Luke Brown
K Caden Chittenden
OL Aaron Dunn
WR Romero Ison
OL Travis Leonard
DE Jadyn Ramos
WR Cameron Sermons
OL Erwin Taomi
OL Willi Wascher
RB Riley Wormley
CB Prophet Brown
DT Brendan Cho
CB Alex Graham
DT Cash Jacobsen
RB Cian McKelvey
P Rey Sanchez
CB RJ Sermons
TE Taniela Tupou
K William Weisberg
CB Trestin Castro
LB Nick De Fina
QB Sam Huard
CB Chasen Johnson
TE Fisher Melton
CB Shawn Sehra
OL Jack Susnjar
OL Elijah Vaikona
WR Zacharyus Williams

2026 SPRING ENROLEES (42)

FRESHMEN (31)

RB Shahn Alston
CB Jayden Crowder
OL Vlad Dyakonov
CB Elbert "Rock" Hill
DT Jake Johnson
OL Breck Kolojay
WR Trent Mosely
S Madden Riordan
OL Esun Tafa
WR Luc Weaver
DT Jaimeon Winfield
WR Tron Baker
OL Chase Deniz
S Peyton "Man Man" Dyer
CB Joshua Holland II
LB Taylor "Taybo" Johnson
DE Simote Katoanga
OL Keenyi Pepe
LB Shaun Scott
DT Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.
QB Jonas Williams
TE Mark Bowman
WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt
OL John Fifita
LB Talanoa Ili
DT Braeden Jones
CB Brandon Lockhart
RB Deshonne Redeaux
OL Kannon Smith
DE Luke Wafle
DE Andrew Williams

TRANSFERS (11)

WR Terrell Anderson
LB Deven Bryant
DE Zuriah Fisher
DT Alex VanSumeren
TE Tucker Ashcraft
P Lachlan Carrigan
TE Josiah Jefferson
CB Jontez Williams
SNP Dylan Black
QB Will Doherty
CB Carrington Pierce

2026 SUMMER ENROLEES (25)

FRESHMEN (13)

WR Griffin Brahm
WR Ethan "Boobie" Feaster
RB Kayne Miller
DL Sam Smith
WR Grant Woods
CB Derek Diniz
TE Manoah Leiato
RB Tyson Park
DE Ty Swanson
LB Austin Engroff
QB Alex Medyn
S Peter Sciarrino
WR Roderick Tezeno

TRANSFERS/NEWCOMERS (12)

DT Jordan Abarca
P Nate Hillenburg
P Zachary Nandlal
OL Ryan Pauley
DE Ethan Brougham
QB James Johnson
TE Patrick O'Brien
LB GianCarlo Rufo
WR Luke Degner
SNP Caleb Moser
LB Ryan O'Connell
WR Marcus Sung

SQUADMEN LOST • Exhausted Eligibility, Portal or Declared for the NFL (52)

OFFENSE (26)

OL Micah Banuelos
WR Jay Fair
RB Bryan Jackson
WR Brady Jung
QB Husan Longstreet
ATH Seneca Moore
OL Alex Payne
QB Gage Roy
WR Prince Strachan
RB Harry Dalton III
WR Collin Fasse
RB James Johnson
WR Ja'Kobi Lane
TE Walker Lyons
WR Corey Nerhus
OL J'Onre Reed
OL Makai Saina
WR Josiah Zamora
WR Asante Das
QB Dylan Gebbia
WR DJ Jordan
WR Makai Lemon
TE Lake McRee
TE Joey Olsen
WR Jaden Richardson
RB Eli Sanders

DEFENSE (23)

DT Kash Amos
DE Gus Cordova
CB DJ Harvey
DE Anthony Lucas
CB DeCarlos Nicholson
LB Ryan Quintanar
CB Isaac Shin
DT Devan Thompkins
LB Anthony Beavers Jr.
S Bishop Fitzgerald
DT Carlon Jones
LB Garrison Madden
DT Kobe Pepe
S Kamari Ramsey
DT Keeshawn Silver
LB AJ Tuitele
CB Braylon Conley
LB Eric Gentry
CB Kevin Lonngstreet
S Steve Miller
DE Garrett Pomerantz
S Brandon Shepherd
LB Matai Tagoa'i

SPECIAL TEAMS (3)

P Sam Johnson
SNP Devin McDonough
SNP Hank Pepper

CLASS BREAKDOWN

SENIORS (22)

SNP Dylan Black *
WR Luke Degner *
QB Sam Huard *
LB Roman Marchetti *
LB Ryan O'Connell *
S Christian Pierce
DE Braylan Shelby
CB Jontez Williams *
CB Prophet Brown *
DE Zuriah Fisher *
RB Waymond Jordan
SNP Caleb Moser
OL Kilian O'Connor *
LB GianCarlo Rufo
TE Carson Tabaracci *
LB Nick De Fina
P Nate Hillenberg *
QB Jayden Maiava *
OL Alani Noa
OL Ryan Pauley *
P Rey Sanchez *
DT Alex VanSumeren *

* indicates redshirt year used

JUNIORS (19)

DE Jide Abasiri
DE Ethan Brougham *
QB Will Doherty
RB Cian McKelvey *
LB Ta'Mere Robinson *
WR Marcus Sung
S Kennedy Urlacher
WR Terrell Anderson
LB Deven Bryant *
DT Jamaal Jarrett *
OL Elijah Paige *
CB Shawn Sehra *
OL Jack Susnjar *
TE Tucker Ashcraft *
DE Kameryn Crawford
TE Josiah Jefferson
OL Tobias Raymond *
LB Desman Stephens II
OL Erwin Taomi *

* indicates redshirt year used

SOPHOMORES (28)

DT Jordan Abarca
Lachlan Carrigan
S Marquis Gallegos *
OL Travis Leonard *
RB King Miller *
TE Patrick O'Brien
S Isaiah Rubin *
DT Jahkeem Stewart
LB Jadyn Walker *
WR Seth Zamora
DT Floyd Boucard
K Caden Chittenden *
WR Tanook Hines
TE Walter Matthews *
LB Elijah Newby *
CB Carrigan Pierce *
P/K Ryon Sayeri *
OL Justin Tauanuu *
CB Marcelles Williams *
OL Ratumana Bulabalavu *P
DT Brendan Cho *
CB Chasen Johnson *
OL Kaylon Miller *
P Zachary Nandlal
S Kendarius Reddick
WR Corey Simms
OL Hayden Treter *
WR Zacharyus Williams *

* indicates redshirt year used

REDSHIRT FRESHMEN (16)

SNP Luke Brown
CB Alex Graham
QB James Johnson
WR Cameron Sermons
OL Elijah Vaikona
RB Riley Wormley
CB Trestin Castro
WR Romero Ison
TE Fisher Melton
CB RJ Sermons
OL Willi Wascher
OL Aaron Dunn
DT Cash Jacobsen
DE Jadyn Ramos
TE Taniela Tupou
K William Weisberg

TRUE FRESHMEN (44)

RB Shahn Alston
WR Griffin Brahm
CB Derek Diniz
S Peyton "Man Man" Dyer
OL John Fifita
LB Talanoa Ili
DT Braeden Jones
TE Manoah Leiato
RB Kayne Miller
OL Keenyi Pepe
S Peter Sciarrino
DL Sam Smith
WR Roderick Tezeno
WR Luc Weaver
DT Jaimeon Winfield
WR Tron Baker
CB Jadyn Crowder
WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt
LB Austin Engroff
CB Elbert "Rock" Hill IV
DT Jake Johnson
DE Simote Katoanga
CB Brandon Lockhart
WR Trent Mosley
RB Deshonne Redeaux
LB Shaun Scott
DE Ty Swanson
DT Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.
DE Andrew Williams
WR Grant Woods
TE Mark Bowman
OL Chase Deniz
OL Vlad Dyakonov
WR Ethan "Boobie" Feaster
CB Joshua Holland II
LB Taylor "Taybo" Johnson
OL Breck Kolojay
QB Alex Medyn
RB Tyson Park
S Madden Riordan
OL Kannon Smith
OL Esun Tafa
DE Luke Wafle
QB Jonas Williams

GEOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN

ALABAMA (1)

DE Kameryn Crawford

ALASKA (1)

OL Erwin Taomi

ARIZONA (3)

RB Cian McKelvey
OL Elijah Paige
S Kennedy Urlacher

AUSTRALIA (2)

P Lachlan Carrigan
P Zachary Nandlal

CALIFORNIA (65)

DT Jordan Abarca
DE Ethan Brougham
OL Ratumana Bulabalavu
CB Jadyn Crowder
OL Chase Deniz
QB Will Doherty
S Marquis Gallegos
TE Josiah Jefferson
DE Simote Katoanga
CB Brandon Lockhart
TE Fisher Melton
RB King Miller
OL Kilian O'Connor
S Christian Pierce
S Madden Riordan
P/K Ryon Sayeri
CB Shawn Sehra
WR Tron Baker
CB Prophet Brown
CB Trestin Castro
LB Nick De Fina
CB Derek Diniz
OL Vlad Dyakonov
CB Joshua Holland II
QB James Johnson
TE Manoah Leiato
LB Roman Marchetti
OL Kaylon Miller
OL Alani Noa
OL Keenyi Pepe
OL Tobias Raymond
S Isaiah Rubin
S Peter Sciarrino
WR Cameron Sermons
WR Griffin Brahm
LB Deven Bryant
DT Brendan Cho
WR Luke Degner
WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt
OL John Fifita
LB Talanoa Ili
LB Taylor "Taybo" Johnson
OL Travis Leonard
QB Alex Medyn
RB Kayne Miller
TE Patrick O'Brien
CB Carrington Pierce
RB Deshonne Redeaux
P Rey Sanchez
LB Shaun Scott
CB RJ Sermons

DL Sam Smith
DE Ty Swanson
TE Taniela Tupou
DE Andrew Williams
WR Grant Woods
WR Marcus Sung
OL Justin Tauanuu
WR Luc Weaver
CB Marcelles Williams
WR Seth Zamora
OL Jack Susnjar
DT Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.
P William Weisberg
WR Zacharyus Williams

COLORADO (4)

TE Mark Bowman
OL Hayden Treter
OL Breck Kolojay
OL Kannon Smith

CONNECTICUT (2)

LB Elijah Newby
LB Ryan O'Connell

FLORIDA (3)

CB Chasen Johnson
RB Waymond Jordan
CB Jontez Williams

GEORGIA (3)

S Peyton "Man Man" Dyer
TE Walter Matthews
S Kendarius Reddick

HAWAII (2)

QB Jayden Maiava
LB GianCarlo Rufo

IDAHO (1)

LB Austin Engroff

ILLINOIS (3)

DT Braeden Jones
WR Trent Mosley
QB Jonas Williams

INDIANNA (2)

P Nate Hillenburg
OL Ryan Pauley

LOUISIANA (3)

WR Ethan "Boobie" Feaster
DT Jahkeem Stewart
WR Roderick Tezeno

MARYLAND (1)

WR Romero Ison

MICHIGAN (5)

WR Terrell Anderson
CB Alex Graham
LB Desman Stephens II
DT Alex VanSumeren
LB Jadyn Walker

MINNESOTA (1)

DE Jide Abasiri

MISSISSIPPI (1)

DT Jaimeon Winfield

MISSOURI (1)

WR Corey Simms

NEVADA (2)

SNP Dylan Black
K Caden Chittenden

NEW JERSEY (1)

DE Luke Wafle

NORTH CAROLINA (2)

DT Jamaal Jarrett
SNP Caleb Moser

OHIO (2)

RB Shahn Alston
CB Elbert "Rock" Hill IV

OKLAHOMA (1)

DT Cash Jacobsen

PENNSYLVANIA (2)

DE Zuriah Fisher

LB Ta'Mere Robinson

QUEBEC, CANADA (1)

DT Floyd Boucard

TEXAS (7)

SNP Luke Brown

RB Tyson Park

RB Riley Wormley

WR Tanook Hines

DE Jadyn Ramos

DT Jake Johnson

DE Braylan Shelby

UNITED KINGDOM (1)

OL Elijah Vaikona

UTAH (3)

OL Aaron Dunn

TE Carson Tabaracci

OL Esun Tafa

WASHINGTON (3)

TE Tucker Ashcraft

QB Sam Huard

OL Willi Wascher

NATIONAL STATISTICAL RANKINGS • TEAM

CATEGORY	USC	NCAA	B1G	Oregon	NCAA	B1G
3rd Down Conversion Pct.	0.652	3	1	0.500	26	5
Blocked Kicked Allowed	0	1	1	0	1	1
Blocked Punts Allowed	0	1	1	0	1	1
Completion Percentage	0.762	5	1	0.700	29	8
Defensive TDs	1	10	2	1	10	2
First Downs Offense	105	1	1	37	102	14
Net Punting	43.50	23	4	46.11	7	1
Passes Intercepted	3	31	4	5	5	1
Passing Offense	324.8	12	5	340.0	7	3
Punt Returns	22.0	10	3	6.50	94	13
Red Zone Defense	0.769	40	5	0.917	101	12
Sacks Allowed	0.75	32	4	2.33	104	15
Scoring Offense	43.0	21	5	49.7	5	1
Tackles for Loss Allowed	2.50	10	2	4.67	67	11
Team Passing Efficiency	187.47	12	5	183.89	14	6
Time of Possession	34:01	13	1	30:23	66	12
Total Offense	500.3	19	5	506.0	17	4
Winning Percentage	1.000	1	1	0.667	37	10

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NATIONAL FBS STATISTICAL RANKINGS • INDIVIDUAL

NAME	CATEGORY	VALUE	NCAA	B1G
Jayden Maiava	Passing Yards	1,173	1	1
Jayden Maiava	Passing TDs	12	1	1
Jayden Maiava	Points Responsible For	80	1	1
Trent Mosley	Punt Returns	31.6	2	1
Trent Mosley	Punt Return TDs	1	5	2
Jayden Maiava	Passing Efficiency	194.0	6	3
Jayden Maiava	Completion Percentage	0.757	7	1
Floyd Boucard	Fumbles Recovered	1	7	2
Trent Mosley	Receiving TDs	4	7	4
Prophet Brown	Total Interceptions	2	8	1
Jayden Maiava	Points Responsible For Per Game	20.0	8	2
King Miller	Rushing Yards	338	8	2
Trent Mosley	All Purpose	140.33	13	4
Jayden Maiava	Yards Per Pass Attempt	10.20	13	5
Jayden Maiava	Passing Yards Per Game	293.3	14	4
Trent Mosley	Total Touchdowns	5	15	7
Trent Mosley	Combined Kick Returns	158	19	4
Jayden Maiava	Completions Per Game	21.75	20	5
Jayden Maiava	Total Offense	292.8	22	4
Trent Mosley	Total Points Scored	30	25	9
Jadyn Ramos	Sacks	0..67	41	4
Trent Mosley	Yards Per Reception	19.62	43	5

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RED ZONE PRODUCTION

Southern California Inside Opponent Red-Zone

Date	Opponent		Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	TDs	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	Failed to score inside RZ FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
08/29/2026	San Jose St.	W	42-26	7	6	42	6	4	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
09/04/2026	Fresno St.	W	39-0	6	4	28	4	2	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
09/12/2026	Louisiana	W	49-30	4	4	28	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/19/2026	at Rutgers	W	42-35	7	5	29	3	2	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	1
	Totals 19 of 24 (79.2%)			**24**	**19**	**127**	**17**	**9**	**8**	**2**	**2**	**3**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**1**

Opponents Inside Southern California Red-Zone

Date	Opponent		Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	TDs	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	Failed to score inside RZ FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
08/29/2026	San Jose St.	W	42-26	4	3	18	2	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
09/04/2026	Fresno St.	W	39-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
09/12/2026	Louisiana	W	49-30	3	3	21	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/19/2026	Rutgers	W	42-35	5	4	28	4	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
	Totals 10 of 13 (76.9%)			**13**	**10**	**67**	**9**	**5**	**4**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**

USC GAME-BY-GAME

		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
08/29/2026	San Jose St.	40	164	4	15	30	341	2	33	30-36-1	341	2	33	3	69	0	26	2	56	0	41	505
09/04/2026	Fresno St.	37	140	2	16	29	412	3	68	29-31-0	412	3	68	3	39	0	20	3	21	0	19	552
09/12/2026	Louisiana	40	214	1	29	20	269	5	44	20-31-1	269	5	44	3	45	0	20	3	99	1	86	483
09/19/2026	at Rutgers	31	184	2	27	20	277	2	52	20-32-0	277	2	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	461
Southern California		**148**	**702**	**9**	**29**	**99**	**1299**	**12**	**68**	**99-130-2**	**1299**	**12**	**68**	**9**	**153**	**0**	**26**	**8**	**176**	**1**	**86**	**2001**
Opponents		**115**	**455**	**6**	**49**	**63**	**815**	**6**	**42**	**63-106-3**	**815**	**6**	**42**	**6**	**111**	**0**	**27**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**1270**

Southern California Averages

Games	Avg/ rush	Avg/ catch	Pass effic	KR avg	PR avg	All purpose avg/game	Total offense avg/game
4	4.7	13.1	187.5	17.0	22.0	611.3	500.3

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT attempts			off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
08/29/2026	San Jose St.	34	8	42	5.0-6	1-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	6-6	0	0	0	0	42
09/04/2026	Fresno St.	20	28	48	7.0-34	5-28	1	1-0	1-0	3	0	0	5-5	0	0	2	0	39
09/12/2026	Louisiana	36	14	50	3.0-6	1-4	1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	7-7	0	0	0	0	49
09/19/2026	at Rutgers	28	30	58	1.0-1	1-1	0	0-0	2-115	2	4	0	4-4	0	1	0	14	42
Southern California		**118**	**80**	**198**	**16.0-47**	**8-34**	**2**	**1-0**	**3-115**	**5**	**7**	**0**	**22-22**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**14**	**172**
Opponents		**165**	**122**	**287**	**10.0-45**	**3-21**	**2**	**2-0**	**2-11**	**1**	**3**	**0**	**9-9**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**11**	**91**

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
08/29/2026	San Jose St.	1	45	45.0	45	0	0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0	7	443	63.3	4	0
09/04/2026	Fresno St.	1	45	45.0	45	0	1	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	6	374	62.3	4	0
09/12/2026	Louisiana	1	50	50.0	50	0	0	0	1	1	0-0	0	0	8	497	62.1	4	0
09/19/2026	at Rutgers	1	56	56.0	56	0	0	0	1	1	2-2	35	0	8	500	62.5	3	0
Southern California		**4**	**196**	**49.0**	**56**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**2-2**	**35**	**0**	**29**	**1814**	**62.6**	**15**	**0**
Opponents		**14**	**585**	**41.8**	**70**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**2**	**2-2**	**47**	**0**	**19**	**1165**	**61.3**	**7**	**0**

OPPONENT GAME-BY-GAME

		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
08/29/2026	San Jose St.	24	102	1	24	21	234	2	42	21-32-0	234	2	42	1	27	0	27	0	0	0	0	336
09/04/2026	Fresno St.	29	39	0	11	7	77	0	17	7-15-1	77	0	17	2	23	0	12	0	0	0	0	116
09/12/2026	Louisiana	30	146	3	32	16	212	1	37	16-22-0	212	1	37	2	44	0	25	1	2	0	2	358
09/19/2026	at Rutgers	32	168	2	49	19	292	3	40	19-37-2	292	3	40	1	17	0	17	0	0	0	0	460
Opponents		**115**	**455**	**6**	**49**	**63**	**815**	**6**	**42**	**63-106-3**	**815**	**6**	**42**	**6**	**111**	**0**	**27**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**1270**
Southern California		**148**	**702**	**9**	**29**	**99**	**1299**	**12**	**68**	**99-130-2**	**1299**	**12**	**68**	**9**	**153**	**0**	**26**	**8**	**176**	**1**	**86**	**2001**

Opponents Averages

Games	Avg/ rush	Avg/ catch	Pass effic	KR avg	PR avg	All purpose avg/game	Total offense avg/game
4	4.0	12.9	137.0	18.5	2.0	348.5	317.5

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT attempts			off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
08/29/2026	San Jose St.	57	18	75	3.0-22	2-19	0	0-0	1-6	0	1	0	1-1	0	2	0	8	26
09/04/2026	Fresno St.	39	48	87	5.0-14	0-0	2	2-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
09/12/2026	Louisiana	49	14	63	1.0-7	0-0	0	0-0	1-5	0	1	0	3-3	0	0	0	3	30
09/19/2026	at Rutgers	20	42	62	1.0-2	1-2	0	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	5-5	0	0	0	0	35
Opponents		**165**	**122**	**287**	**10.0-45**	**3-21**	**2**	**2-0**	**2-11**	**1**	**3**	**0**	**9-9**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**11**	**91**
Southern California		**118**	**80**	**198**	**16.0-47**	**8-34**	**2**	**1-0**	**3-115**	**5**	**7**	**0**	**22-22**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**14**	**172**

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
08/29/2026	San Jose St.	4	174	43.5	53	0	0	0	1	0	1-1	22	0	4	259	64.8	1	0
09/04/2026	Fresno St.	4	162	40.5	48	0	0	1	0	2	0-0	0	0	3	190	63.3	0	0
09/12/2026	Louisiana	5	179	35.8	43	0	0	1	0	0	1-1	47	0	6	326	54.3	0	0
09/19/2026	at Rutgers	1	70	70.0	70	0	1	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	6	390	65.0	6	0
Opponents		**14**	**585**	**41.8**	**70**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**2**	**2-2**	**47**	**0**	**19**	**1165**	**61.3**	**7**	**0**
Southern California		**4**	**196**	**49.0**	**56**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**2-2**	**35**	**0**	**29**	**1814**	**62.6**	**15**	**0**

USC INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME

RUSHING & RECEIVING

Rushing

Player	No-Yds/TD	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
King Miller	64-338/3	15-63/1	15-45/0	18-128/1	16-102/1
Waymond Jordan	37-188/1	8-48/0	11-67/1	10-47/0	8-26/0
Shahn Alston	16-84/1	7-30/1	4-20/0	5-34/0	DNP
Riley Wormley	9-66/2	1-5/1	1-4/0	4-5/0	3-52/1
Jayden Maiava	9--2/1	3--9/1	3--2/0	-	3-9/0
Deshonne Redeaux	4-33/1	2-26/0	2-7/1	DNP	DNP
Jonas Williams	3-3/0	3-3/0	-	-	DNP
Trent Mosley	1-8/0	-	-	1-8/0	DNP
Zacharyus Williams	1--7/0	-	-	1--7/0	-

Receiving

Player	No-Yds/TD	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
Kayden Dixon-Wyatt	18-258/2	4-36/1	6-102/0	3-43/1	5-77/0
Mark Bowman	15-160/2	3-15/0	3-30/0	6-83/2	3-32/0
Trent Mosley	13-255/4	7-118/1	4-104/2	2-33/1	DNP
Corey Simms	12-178/1	4-42/0	2-45/0	2-19/0	4-72/1
Zacharyus Williams	8-143/1	3-31/0	3-41/0	1-44/1	1-27/0
Tron Baker	6-84/0	4-45/0	1-27/0	-	1-12/0
Riley Wormley	6-39/1	1-6/0	1-7/0	3-24/0	1-2/1
Tanook Hines	5-51/1	DNP	2-18/1	-	3-33/0
Waymond Jordan	4-37/0	-	2-12/0	1-5/0	1-20/0
Carson Tabaracci	4-25/0	2-15/0	1-4/0	1-6/0	DNP
Ethan "Boobie" Feaster	3-14/0	1-8/0	1-4/0	-	1-2/0
King Miller	2-6/0	-	2-6/0	-	-
Taniela Tupou	1-25/0	1-25/0	-	DNP	DNP
Walter Matthews	1-12/0	-	1-12/0	-	DNP
Tucker Ashcraft	1-12/0	DNP	DNP	1-12/0	-

USC INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME

PASSING

#14 Jayden Maiava	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic.
San Jose St.	25	29	0	86.2	286	2	33	1-13	191.8
Fresno St.	23	25	0	92.0	349	3	68	0-0	248.9
Louisiana	19	29	1	65.5	261	5	44	0-0	191.1
Rutgers	20	32	0	62.5	277	2	52	1-2	155.8
Totals	**87**	**115**	**1**	**75.7**	**1173**	**12**	**68**	**2-15**	**194.0**

#15 Jonas Williams	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic.
San Jose St.	5	7	1	71.4	55	0	20	1-6	108.9
Fresno St.	6	6	0	100.0	63	0	34	0-0	188.2
Louisiana	1	1	0	100.0	8	0	8	0-0	167.2
Totals	**12**	**14**	**1**	**85.7**	**126**	**0**	**34**	**1-6**	**147.0**

USC INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME

TACKLES

Total Tackles

Player	S-A	Total	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
Deven Bryant	11-9	20	2-1	0-4	5-0	4-4
Christian Pierce	10-9	19	3-0	0-2	1-2	6-5
Desman Stephens II	10-7	17	2-0	1-2	3-2	4-3
Luke Wafle	10-5	15	1-1	1-1	6-1	2-2
Kennedy Urlacher	10-1	11	3-0	3-0	1-0	3-1
Jide Abasiri	6-5	11	2-2	1-0	3-2	0-1
Kameryn Crawford	4-7	11	1-0	1-2	1-0	1-5
Prophet Brown	5-3	8	2-0	-	1-1	2-2
Alex Graham	4-4	8	2-0	1-3	-	1-1
Floyd Boucard	3-5	8	2-1	0-2	-	1-2
Jadyn Walker	6-1	7	2-0	2-0	2-1	DNP
Talanoa Ili	5-1	6	2-0	2-1	1-0	DNP
Jontez Williams	2-4	6	1-0	0-3	0-1	1-0
Alex VanSumeren	2-4	6	-	0-2	2-0	0-2
RJ Sermons	5-0	5	1-0	2-0	2-0	DNP
Jadyn Ramos	4-1	5	2-0	2-1	-	DNP
Isaiah Rubin	4-0	4	1-0	2-0	1-0	DNP
Zuriah Fisher	1-3	4	0-1	0-2	1-0	-
Ta'Mere Robinson	2-1	3	1-0	1-0	0-1	DNP
Simote Katoanga	1-2	3	-	0-1	1-1	DNP
Elbert "Rock" Hill IV	2-0	2	2-0	-	-	DNP
Marcelles Williams	2-0	2	DNP	-	2-0	DNP
Chasen Johnson	2-0	2	-	-	-	2-0
Carrington Pierce	1-1	2	-	1-1	-	DNP
Madden Riordan	1-1	2	1-1	-	-	DNP
Jayden Crowder	1-1	2	0-1	-	1-0	DNP
Braylan Shelby	0-2	2	DNP	DNP	0-1	0-1
Ethan "Boobie" Feaster	1-0	1	-	-	-	1-0
Brandon Lockhart	1-0	1	DNP	-	1-0	DNP
Peyton "Man Man" Dyer	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP
Aaron Dunn	1-0	1	1-0	-	-	DNP
Jaimeon Winfield	0-1	1	DNP	-	0-1	DNP
Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.	0-1	1	-	0-1	-	DNP
Jake Johnson	0-1	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-1

USC INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME

TACKLE BREAKDOWN

All Tackles

Player	Total	Rush	Pass	Sack	KO	Punt	Int	Fumb	FF	Other
Deven Bryant	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Christian Pierce	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Desman Stephens II	17	0	0	1.5	0	0	0	0	0	15.5
Luke Wafle	15	0	0	1.5	0	0	0	0	0	13.5
Kennedy Urlacher	11	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	9
Jide Abasiri	11	0	0	3.5	0	0	0	0	0	7.5
Kameryn Crawford	11	0	0	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	10.5
Prophet Brown	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Alex Graham	8	0	0	1.5	0	0	0	0	0	6.5
Floyd Boucard	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Alex VanSumeren	7	0	0	1.5	0	0	0	0	0	5.5
Jadyn Walker	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Jontez Williams	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Talanoa Ili	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Jadyn Ramos	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
RJ Sermons	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Zuriah Fisher	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Isaiah Rubin	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Ta'Mere Robinson	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Simote Katoanga	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Braylan Shelby	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Marcelles Williams	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Chasen Johnson	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Carrington Pierce	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Jayden Crowder	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Elbert "Rock" Hill IV	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Madden Riordan	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Aaron Dunn	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Peyton "Man Man" Dyer	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Ethan "Boobie" Feaster	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Brandon Lockhart	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Jaimeon Winfield	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	**198**	**0**	**0**	**16**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**182**

Rushing Tackles

Player	No.
Total	**0**

Passing Tackles

Player	No.
Total	**0**

Special Teams Tackles

Player	Total	KO	Punt
Total	**0**	**0**	**0**

USC INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME

TACKLES FOR LOSS

Player	UA-A	Total	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
Jide Abasiri	3-1	3.5	2.5-4	1.0-10	-	-
Kennedy Urlacher	2-0	2.0	-	2.0-4	-	-
Jadyn Ramos	2-0	2.0	1.0-1	1.0-7	-	DNP
Alex Graham	1-1	1.5	-	1.5-8	-	-
Desman Stephens II	1-1	1.5	1.0-1	-	-	0.5-1
Alex VanSumeren	1-1	1.5	-	0.5-1	1.0-1	-
Luke Wafle	1-1	1.5	0.5-0	-	1.0-1	-
Zuriah Fisher	1-0	1.0	-	-	1.0-4	-
Isaiah Rubin	1-0	1.0	-	1.0-4	-	DNP
Kameryn Crawford	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	0.5-0

SACKS

Player	UA-A	Total	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
Kennedy Urlacher	2-0	2	-	2-4	-	-
Jadyn Ramos	2-0	2	1-1	1-7	-	DNP
Alex Graham	1-0	1	-	1-7	-	-
Zuriah Fisher	1-0	1	-	-	1-4	-
Jide Abasiri	1-0	1	-	1-10	-	-
Kameryn Crawford	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	0.5-0
Desman Stephens II	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	0.5-1

USC INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME

ALL-PURPOSE

Player	Total	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
Trent Mosley	421	174	120	127	DNP
King Miller	344	63	51	128	102
Kayden Dixon-Wyatt	258	36	102	43	77
Waymond Jordan	225	48	79	52	46
Corey Simms	178	42	45	19	72
Mark Bowman	160	15	30	83	32
Zacharyus Williams	141	31	46	37	27
Deshonne Redeaux	141	95	46	DNP	DNP
Riley Wormley	114	11	11	38	54
Prophet Brown	99	-	-	-	99
Shahn Alston	84	30	20	34	DNP
Tron Baker	84	45	27	-	12
Tanook Hines	51	DNP	18	-	33
Ethan "Boobie" Feaster	50	8	4	36	2
Carson Tabaracci	25	15	4	6	DNP
Taniela Tupou	25	25	-	DNP	DNP
Christian Pierce	16	-	-	-	16
Terrell Anderson	13	DNP	DNP	13	DNP
Walter Matthews	12	-	12	-	DNP
Tucker Ashcraft	12	DNP	DNP	12	-
Jonas Williams	3	3	-	-	DNP
Jayden Maiava	-2	-9	-2	-	9

USC INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME

KICKOFFS

SEASON	KO	TOTAL YARDS	TB	OB	KICK AVG.	RTN.	YDS.	YARDS / RTN.
Ryon Sayeri	29	1,814	15	0	62.6	6	111	18.5

RYON SAYERI

GAME	KO	TOTAL YARDS	TB	OB	KICK AVG.	RTN.	YDS.	YARDS / RTN.
SJSU	7	443	4	0	63.3	1	27	27.0
Fresno St.	6	374	4	0	62.3	2	23	11.5
Louisiana	8	497	4	0	62.1	2	44	22.0
Rutgers	8	500	3	0	62.5	1	17	17.0

PUNTS

SEASON	NO.	TOTAL YARDS	AVG.	LONG	I20	50+	TB	FC	BLK
Lachlan Carrigan	4	196	49.0	56	2	2	1	1	0

LACHLAN CARRIGAN

GAME	NO.	TOTAL YARDS	AVG.	LONG	I20	50+	TB	FC	BLK
SJSU	1	45	45.0	45	0	0	0	1	0
Fresno St.	1	45	45.0	45	0	0	1	0	0
Louisiana	1	50	50.0	50	1	1	0	0	0
Rutgers	1	56	56.0	56	1	1	0	0	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

SEASON	NO.	YARDS	AVG.	TD	LONG
Deshonne Redeaux	6	108	18.0	0	26
Boobie Feaster	2	36	18.0	0	20
Riley Wormley	1	9	9.0	0	9

DESHONNE REDEAUX

GAME	NO.	YARDS	AVG.	TD	LONG
San José State	3	69	23.0	0	26
Fresno State	3	39	13.0	0	20

BOOBIE FEASTER

GAME	NO.	YARDS	AVG.	TD	LONG
Louisiana	2	36	18.0	0	20

RILEY WORMLEY

GAME	NO.	YARDS	AVG.	TD	LONG
Louisiana	1	9	9.0	0	9

PUNT RETURNS

SEASON	NO.	YARDS	AVG.	TD	LONG
Trent Mosley	5	158	31.6	1	86
Terrell Anderson	1	13	13.0	0	13
Zacharyus Williams	1	5	5.0	0	5
Corey Simms	1	0	0.0	0	0

TRENT MOSLEY

GAME	NO.	YARDS	AVG.	TD	LONG
SJSU	2	56	23.0	0	41
Fresno State	2	16	8.0	0	19
Louisiana	1	86	86.0	1	86

ZACHARYUS WILLIAMS

GAME	NO.	YARDS	AVG.	TD	LONG
Fresno State	1	5	5.0	0	5

TERRELL ANDERSON

GAME	NO.	YARDS	AVG.	TD	LONG
Louisiana	1	13	13.0	0	13

COREY SIMMS

GAME	NO.	YARDS	AVG.	TD	LONG
Fresno State	1	0	0.0	0	0

USC INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME

FIELD GOAL

NAME	FGM-FGA	PCT.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LG	BLK
Caden Chittenden	2-2	1.000	0-0	0-0	2-2	0-0	0	35	0

FIELD GOAL SEQUENCE

	USC	OPPONENTS
San José State	---	(22)
Fresno State	---	---
Louisiana	---	(47)
Rutgers	(35), (32)	---

TURNOVERS BY PLAYER

FUMBLES

Player	No-Lost	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
Waymond Jordan	1-1	-	1-1	-	-
Deshonne Redeaux	1-0	-	1-0	DNP	DNP
Jayden Maiava	1-0	-	-	-	1-0
Kayden Dixon-Wyatt	1-1	-	1-1	-	-

FUMBLES FORCED

Player	Number	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
Kennedy Urlacher	1	-	1	-	-
Zuriah Fisher	1	-	-	1	-

FUMBLES RECOVERED

Player	Number	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
Floyd Boucard	1	-	1	-	-

INTERCEPTIONS

PLAYER	SJSU	FSU	UL	RU	ORE	UW	PSU	WIS	OSU	IU	MD	UCLA	--
Prophet Brown	-	1	-	1									
Christian Pierce	-	-	-	1									

INTERCEPTIONS THROWN

PLAYER	SJSU	FSU	UL	RU	ORE	UW	PSU	WIS	OSU	IU	MD	UCLA	--
Jonas Williams	1	-	-										
Jayden Maiava	-	-	1										

SCORING BREAKDOWN

USC DRIVES

TOTALS: 23 scoring drives (21 TDs & 2 FGs)

SPECIAL TEAMS / DEFENSIVE TDs

LONGEST DRIVES BY:

PLAY: 13 vs. San José State, Aug. 29 & Louisiana, Sept. 12

YARDS: 91 vs. San José State, Aug. 29

TIME: 6:47 vs. Fresno State, Sept. 4

OPPONENT DRIVES

TOTALS: 14 scoring drives (12 TDs & 2 FGs)

SPECIAL TEAMS / DEFENSIVE TDs

LONGEST DRIVES BY:

PLAY: 14 Rutgers, Sept. 19

YARDS: 95 Rutgers, Sept. 19

TIME: 8:04 Rutgers, Sept. 19

TURNOVERS BY GAME

USC: 2 GAINED

TYPE	QTR	PLAYER
SJSU (0)		
Fresno State (2)		
INT	1	S Prophet Brown picked off QB Jayden Mandal
Fumble	2	Fumble forced by S Kennedy Urlacher and recoved by DT Floyd Boucard
Louisiana (0)		
Rutgers (2)		
INT	1	S Christian Pierce picked off QB Dylan Longergan
INT	3	S Prophet Brown picked off QB Dylan Longergan and returned 99-yards for a pick-six

OPPONENT: 1 GAINED

TYPE	QTR	PLAYER
SJSU (1)		
INT	4	QB Jonas Williams picked off by LB Naseri Danielson
Fresno State (2)		
Fumble	1	Fumbled by RB Waymond Jordan
Fumble	3	Fumbled by WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt
Louisiana (1)		
INT	1	QB Jayden Maiava picked off by CB Avery Demery
Rutgers (0)		

STARTERS

OFFENSE	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR/TE	TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
SJSU	Maiava	Jordan	Mosley	Dixon-Wyatt	Baker	Bowman	Paige	Treter	Raymond	Noa	Tauanuu
FSU	Maiava	Jordan	Mosley	Dixon-Wyatt	Simms	Bowman	Paige	Treter	Raymond	Noa	Tauanuu
Louisiana	Maiava	Ki. Miller	Mosley	Dixon-Wyatt	Simms	Bowman	Paige	Ka. Miller	Raymond	Noa	Tauanuu
Rutgers	Maiava	Ki. Miller	Z. Williams	Dixon-Wyatt	Simms	Bowman	Paige	Ka. Miller	Raymond	Noa	Tauanuu
Oregon											
UW											
Penn State											
Wisconsin											
Ohio State											
Indiana											
Maryland											
UCLA											
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GAME LEADERS

OPPONENTS	RUSH ATTEMPS	RUSH YARDS	RECEPTIONS	RECEIVING YARDS	ALL-PURPOSE	TACKLES
San José State	Ki. Miller - 15	Ki. Miller - 63	Mosley - 7	Mosley - 118	Mosley - 174	Abasiri - 4
Fresno State	Ki. Miller - 15	Jordan - 67	Dixon-Wyatt - 6	Mosley - 104	Mosley - 120	Graham & Bryant - 4
Louisiana	Ki. Miller - 18	Ki. Miller - 128	Bowman - 6	Bowman - 83	Ki. Miller - 128	Wafle - 7
Rutgers	Ki. Miller - 16	Ki. Miller - 102	Dixon-Wyatt - 5	Dixon-Wyatt - 77	Ki. Miller - 102	Pierce - 11

PARTICIPATION

##	Player	GP-GS	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
0	Jontez Williams	4/4	START	START	START	START
0	Zacharyus Williams	4/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	START
1	Kameryn Crawford	4/4	START	START	START	START
1	Ethan "Boobie" Feaster	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
2	Waymond Jordan	4/2	START	START	XXX	XXX
2	Elbert "Rock" Hill IV	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
4	Jahkeem Stewart	0/0	...	...	...	...
4	Trent Mosley	3/3	START	START	START	...
6	Christian Pierce	4/4	START	START	START	START
6	Deshonne Redeaux	2/0	XXX	XXX	...	...
7	Sam Huard	0/0	...	...	...	...
7	Alex Graham	4/4	START	START	START	START
8	King Miller	4/2	XXX	XXX	START	START
8	Desman Stephens II	4/4	START	START	START	START
9	Terrell Anderson	1/0	...	...	XXX	...
9	Kennedy Urlacher	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
10	Braylan Shelby	2/0	...	...	XXX	XXX
10	Corey Simms	4/3	XXX	START	START	START
14	Jayden Maiava	4/4	START	START	START	START
14	Ta'Mere Robinson	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
15	Jadyn Walker	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
15	Jonas Williams	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
16	Prophet Brown	4/4	START	START	START	START
16	Tanook Hines	3/0	...	XXX	XXX	XXX
17	Deven Bryant	4/4	START	START	START	START
17	Kayden Dixon-Wyatt	4/4	START	START	START	START
18	Zuriah Fisher	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
18	Romero Ison	0/0	...	...	...	...
19	Mark Bowman	4/4	START	START	START	START
19	Brandon Lockhart	2/0	...	XXX	XXX	...
21	RJ Sermons	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
21	Alex Medyn	0/0	...	...	...	...
22	Shahn Alston	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
22	Talanoa Ili	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
23	Walter Matthews	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
23	Kendarius Reddick	1/0	...	XXX	...	...
24	Carson Tabaracci	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
24	Shaun Scott	0/0	...	...	...	...
25	Marcelles Williams	3/0	...	XXX	XXX	XXX
26	Elijah Newby	0/0	...	...	...	...
27	Chasen Johnson	4/4	START	START	START	START
27	Riley Wormley	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
28	Carrington Pierce	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
28	James Johnson	0/0	...	...	...	...
29	Will Doherty	0/0	...	...	...	...
29	Joshua Holland II	0/0	...	...	...	...
30	Marquis Gallegos	2/0	...	...	XXX	XXX
30	Kayne Miller	0/0	...	...	...	...
31	Seth Zamora	0/0	...	...	...	...
31	Madden Riordan	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
34	Jayden Crowder	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
34	Tyson Park	0/0	...	...	...	...
35	Lachlan Carrigan	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
35	Ty Swanson	0/0	...	...	...	...
36	Rey Sanchez	0/0	...	...	...	...
36	Peyton "Man Man" Dyer	2/0	...	...	XXX	XXX
37	Trestin Castro	3/0	...	XXX	XXX	XXX
37	Zachary Nandlal	0/0	...	...	...	...
38	Isaiah Rubin	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
38	Patrick O'Brien	0/0	...	...	...	...

PARTICIPATION

##	Player	GP-GS	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
39	Nate Hillenburg	0/0	...	...	...	...
39	Peter Sciarrino	0/0	...	...	...	...
40	Shawn Sehra	1/0	...	...	XXX	...
40	Marcus Sung	0/0	...	...	...	...
41	Ryan O'Connell	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
41	Cian McKelvey	0/0	...	...	...	...
44	Braesen Jones	0/0	...	...	...	...
44	Manoah Leiato	0/0	...	...	...	...
45	Caden Chittenden	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
45	Jaimeon Winfield	2/0	...	XXX	XXX	...
46	Dylan Black	0/0	...	...	...	...
46	Nick De Fina	0/0	...	...	...	...
47	Austin Engroff	0/0	...	...	...	...
48	Ryon Sayeri	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
48	Derek Diniz	0/0	...	...	...	...
49	Simote Katoanga	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
49	Grant Woods	0/0	...	...	...	...
50	Taylor "Taybo" Johnson	2/0	XXX	XXX	...	...
51	Vlad Dyakonov	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
51	Andrew Williams	0/0	...	...	...	...
52	Willi Wascher	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
52	Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
53	Luke Brown	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
54	Ethan Brougham	0/0	...	...	...	...
56	Kannon Smith	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
57	Roman Marchetti	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
57	Esun Tafa	0/0	...	...	...	...
58	GianCarlo Rufo	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
60	Kaylon Miller	4/2	XXX	XXX	START	START
61	Jack Susnjar	0/0	...	...	...	...
62	Travis Leonard	0/0	...	...	...	...
63	Cash Jacobsen	0/0	...	...	...	...
64	Ryan Pauley	0/0	...	...	...	...
65	Erwin Taomi	0/0	...	...	...	...
66	Breck Kolojay	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
67	Kilian O'Connor	0/0	...	...	...	...
68	Hayden Treter	4/2	START	START	XXX	XXX
70	Aaron Dunn	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
71	Keenyi Pepe	0/0	...	...	...	...
72	Elijah Paige	4/4	START	START	START	START
73	Tobias Raymond	4/4	START	START	START	START
74	Justin Tauanuu	4/4	START	START	START	START
75	Ratumana Bulabalavu	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
76	John Fifita	0/0	...	...	...	...
77	Alani Noa	4/4	START	START	START	START
78	Chase Deniz	0/0	...	...	...	...
79	Elijah Vaikona	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
80	Luc Weaver	1/0	XXX	...	...	...
81	Cameron Sermons	0/0	...	...	...	...
82	Roderick Tezeno	0/0	...	...	...	...
83	Fisher Melton	0/0	...	...	...	...
84	Tucker Ashcraft	2/0	...	...	XXX	XXX
85	Tron Baker	4/1	START	XXX	XXX	XXX
86	Luke Degner	0/0	...	...	...	...
87	Josiah Jefferson	3/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
88	Taniela Tupou	2/0	XXX	XXX	...	...
88	Floyd Boucard	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
89	Brendan Cho	0/0	...	...	...	...
89	Griffin Brahm	0/0	...	...	...	...
90	Jake Johnson	0/0	...	...	...	...

PARTICIPATION

##	Player	GP-GS	SJSU	Fresno	LA	RU
91	Alex VanSumeren	4/4	START	START	START	START
92	Sam Smith	0/0	...	...	...	...
93	William Weisberg	0/0	...	...	...	...
94	Luke Wafle	4/4	START	START	START	START
95	Jadyn Ramos	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
96	Jordan Abarca	0/0	...	...	...	...
97	Jide Abasiri	4/4	START	START	START	START
99	Jamaal Jarrett	3/0	XXX	XXX	...	XXX

SINGLE GAME CAREER-BESTS

RUSHING

No. 2 • RB Waymond Jordan
Attempts: 20 vs. Illinois (Sept. 27, 2025)
Yards: 167 vs. Georgia Southern (Sept. 6, 2025)
Long: 36 vs. Georgia Southern (Sept. 6, 2025)
TDs: 2 vs. Illinois (Sept. 27, 2025)

No. 6 • RB Deshonne Redeaux
Attempts: 2, 2x • last vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Yards: 26 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Long: 15 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
TDs: 1 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)

No. 8 • RB King Miller
Attempts: 25 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
Yards: 158 vs. Michigan (Oct. 11, 2025)
Long: 75 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
TDs: 2 vs. UCLA (Nov. 29, 2025)

No. 14 • QB Jayden Maiava
Attempts: 11, 2x • last vs. Nebraska (Nov. 1, 2025)
Yards: 62 vs. Nebraska (Nov. 1, 2025)
Long: 21 vs. UCLA (Nov. 29, 2025)
TDs: 2, 3x • last vs. Mich. St. (Sept. 21, 2025)

No. 15 • QB Jonas Williams
Attempts: 3 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Yards: 2 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Long: 9 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
TDs: 0

No. 22 • RB Shahn Alston
Attempts: 7 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Yards: 34 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Long: 15 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TDs: 1 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)

No. 27 • RB Riley Wormley
Attempts: 4 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Yards: 52 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
Long: 27 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
TDs: 1, 2x • last vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)

No. 41 • RB Cian McKelvey
Attempts: 1 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
Yards: 4 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
Long: 4 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
TDs: 0

PASSING

No. 7 • QB Sam Huard
Attempts: 58 vs. Sacramento State (Nov. 11, 2023) *
Completions: 37 vs. Sacramento State (Nov. 11, 2023) *
Yards: 483 vs. Sacramento State (Nov. 11, 2023) *
TDs: 6 vs. Lincoln (Sept. 16, 2023) *
Long: 87 vs. San Diego (Sept. 2, 2023) *
INTs: 2, 3x • last vs. Weber State (Nov. 18, 2023) *
* while on Cal Poly's roster

No. 14 • QB Jayden Maiava
Attempts: 49 vs. Notre Dame (Nov. 30, 2024)
Completions: 30 vs. Illinois (Sept. 27, 2025)
Yards: 412 vs. Georgia Southern (Sept. 6, 2025)
Long: 74 vs. Georgia Southern (Sept. 6, 2025)
Comp. %: .920 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TDs: 5 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
INTs: 3 vs. Texas A&M (Dec. 27, 2024)

No. 15 • QB Jonas Williams
Attempts: 7 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Completions: 5 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Yards: 55 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Long: 20 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
TDs: 0
INTs: 1 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)

RECEIVING

No. 0 • WR Zacharyus Williams
Receptions: 3, 2x • last vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Yards: 61 vs. Georgia Southern (Sept. 6, 2025)
Long: 61 vs. Georgia Southern (Sept. 6, 2025)
TDs: 1 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)

No. 1 • WR Ethan "Boobie" Feaster
Receptions: 1, 3x • last vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
Yards: 8 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Long: 8 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
TDs: 0

No. 2 • RB Waymond Jordan
Receptions: 2, 3x • last vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Yards: 25 vs. Mich. St. (Sept. 21, 2025)
Long: 20 vs. Mich. St. (Sept. 21, 2025)
TDs: 0

No. 4 • WR Trent Mosley
Receptions: 7 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Yards: 118 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Long: 68 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TDs: 2 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)

No. 8 • RB King Miller
Receptions: 4 vs. UCLA (Nov. 29, 2025)
Yards: 42 vs. UCLA (Nov. 29, 2025)
Long: 20 vs. UCLA (Nov. 29, 2025)
TDs: 0

No. 10 • WR Corey Simms
Receptions: 4, 2x • last vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
Yards: 72 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
Long: 52 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
TDs: 1 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)

No. 16 • WR Tanook Hines
Receptions: 6, 2x • last vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
Yards: 163 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
Long: 51 vs. Oregon (Nov. 23, 2025)
TDs: 1, 3x • last vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)

No. 17 • WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt
Receptions: 6 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Yards: 102 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Long: 31 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
TDs: 1, 2x • last vs. vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)

No. 19 • TE Mark Bowman
Receptions: 6 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Yards: 83 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Long: 35 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TDs: 2 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)

No. 23 • TE Walter Matthews
Receptions: 1 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Yards: 12 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Long: 12 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TDs: 0

No. 24 • TE Carson Tabaracci
Receptions: 2, 2x • last vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Yards: 32 vs. Louisville (Dec. 27, 2023)
Long: 32 vs. Louisville (Dec. 27, 2023)
TDs: 1 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)

No. 27 • RB Riley Wormley
Receptions: 3, 2x • last vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Yards: 24 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Long: 12 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TDs: 1 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)

No. 84 • TE Tucker Ashcraft
Receptions: 1 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Yards: 2 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Long: 12 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TDs: 0

No. 85 • WR Tron Baker
Receptions: 4 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Yards: 45 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Long: 27 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TDs: 0

No. 88 • TE Taniela Tupou
Receptions: 2 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
Yards: 26 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
Long: 25 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
TDs: 0

DEFENSE/ST TACKLES

No. 0 • CB Jontez Williams
Tackles: 3 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 1 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)

No. 1 • WR Ethan "Boobie" Feaster
Tackles: 1 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2016)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

SINGLE GAME CAREER-BESTS

No. 1 • DE Kameryn Crawford
Tackles: 7 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
TFLs: 2.5 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
Sacks: 2 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
INTs: 0
FR: 1 vs. Nebraska (Nov. 1, 2025)
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 2 • CB Elbert "Rock" Hill IV
Tackles: 2 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 4 • DT Jahkeem Stewart
Tackles: 3, 2x • last vs. Oregon (Nov. 23, 2025)
TFLs: 2.0 vs. Mich. St. (Sept. 21, 2025)
Sacks: 1 vs. Northwestern (Nov. 7, 2025)
INTs: 1 vs. Iowa (Nov. 15, 2025)
FR: 1 vs. Illinois (Sept. 27, 2025)
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 6 • S Christian Pierce
Tackles: 11 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
TFLs: 1.0, 2x last vs. Purdue (Sept. 13, 2025)
Sacks: 1.0 vs. Purdue (Sept. 13, 2025)
INTs: 1, 2x • last vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
FR: 1 vs. Illinois (Sept. 27, 2025)
FF: 0
PBUs: 2 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)

No. 7 • CB Alex Graham
Tackles: 8 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
TFLs: 1.5 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Sacks: 1.0 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 8 • LB Desman Stephens II
Tackles: 17 vs. Oregon (Nov. 23, 2025)
TFLs: 2 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
Sacks: 0.5 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 1, 2x • last vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
PBUs: 1 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)

No. 9 • S Kennedy Urlacher
Tackles: 9 vs. Oregon (Nov. 23, 2025)
TFLs: 2.0 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Sacks: 2.0 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
INTs: 1 vs. Oregon (Nov. 23, 2025)
FR: 0
FF: 1 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
PBUs: 1, 2x • last vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)

No. 10 • DE Braylan Shelby
Tackles: 4, 6x • last vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
TFLs: 3.5 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
Sacks: 2.0 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
INTs: 1 vs. ND (Oct. 18, 2025)
FR: 0
FF: 1 vs. Nevada (Sept. 2, 2023)
PBUs: 1 vs. Rutgers (Oct. 25, 2024)

No. 14 • LB Ta'Mere Robinson
Tackles: 4 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
TFLs: 1.0 vs. Purdue. (Sept. 13, 2025)
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 14 • QB Jayden Maiava
Tackles: 1 vs. Northwestern (Nov. 7, 2025)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 1 vs. Northwestern (Nov. 7, 2025)
PBUs: 0

No. 15 • LB Jadyn Walker
Tackles: 6 vs. Iowa (Nov. 15, 2025)
TFLs: 1, 2x • last vs. Purdue (Sept. 13, 2025)
Sacks: 1 vs. UCLA (Nov. 29, 2005)
INTs: 0
FR:0
FF: 0
PBUs: 1 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)

No. 16 • WR Tanook Hines
Tackles: 1 , 2x • last vs. Nebraska (Nov. 1, 2025)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 16 • S Prophet Brown
Tackles: 5, 2x • last vs. Louisville (Dec. 27, 2023)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 1, 2x • last vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 1, 2x • last vs. Rutgers (Oct. 25, 2024)

No. 17 • LB Deven Bryant
Tackles: 8 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 18 • DE Zuriah Fisher
Tackles: 2 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TFLs: 1.0 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Sacks: 1.0 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 1 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
PBUs: 0

No. 21 • CB RJ Sermons
Tackles: 2, 2x • last vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 19 • CB Brandon Lockhart
Tackles: 1 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 22 • LB Talanoa Ili
Tackles: 3 vs.Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 25 • CB Marcelles Williams
Tackles: 6 vs. Nebraska (Nov. 1, 2025)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 1, 4x • last vs. UCLA (Nov. 29 2025)

No. 26 • LB Elijah Newby
Tackles: 5 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 27 • CB Chasen Johnson
Tackles: 2 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 28 • CB Carrington Pierce
Tackles: 2 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 30 • S Marquis Gallegos
Tackles: 3 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
TFLs: 2.0 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 31 • S Madden Rioradan
Tackles: 2 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 34 • CB Jayden Crowder
Tackles: 1, 2x • last vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 36 • S Peyton "Man Man" Dyer
Tackles: 1 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 37 • S Trestin Castro
Tackles: 1 vs. Georgia Southern (Sept. 6, 2025)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 38 • S Isaiah Rubin
Tackles: 2, 3X • last vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TFLs: 1.0 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 1 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 40 • CB Shawn Sehra
Tackles: 1, 2x last vs. Georgia Southern (Sept. 6, 2025)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR:0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 41 • CB Kendarius Reddick
Tackles: 5 vs. Illinois (Sept. 27, 2025)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR:0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 45 • DT Jaimeon Winfield
Tackles: 1 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 49 • DE Simote Katoanga
Tackles: 2 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR:0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 52 • DT Tomuhini "Tom Tom" Topui Jr.
Tackles: 1 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR:0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 57 • LB Roman Marchetti
Tackles: 1, 4X • last vs. Oregon (Nov. 23, 2025)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR:0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 70 • OL Aaron Dunn
Tackles: 1 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 88 • DT Floyd Boucard
Tackles: 3, 4x • last vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
TFLs: 1.0, 2x • last vs. Purdue (Sept. 13, 2025)
Sacks: 1.0 vs. Purdue (Sept. 13, 2025)
INTs: 0
FR: 1 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 89 • DT Brendan Cho
Tackles: 1 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
TFLs: 0
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR:0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 91 • DT
Alex VanSumeren
Tackles: 2, 3x • last vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
TFLs: 1.0 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR:0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 94 • DE Luke Wafle
Tackles: 7 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TFLs: 1.0 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Sacks: 0
INTs: 0
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 1 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)

No. 95 • DE Jadyn Ramos
Tackles: 3 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
TFLs: 1.0 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
Sacks: 1.0 vs. Fresno State (Sept. 4, 2026)
INTs: 0
FR:0
FF: 0
PBUs: 0

No. 97 • DT Jide Abasiri
Tackles: 5, 2x • last vs. vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TFLs: 2.5 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Sacks: 1.5 vs. UCLA (Nov. 29, 2025)
INTs: 0
FR:0
FF: 1 vs. Northwestern (Nov. 7, 2025)
PBUs: 0

No. 99 • DT Jamaal Jarret
Tackles: 3 vs. Ball State (Sept. 9, 2023) *
TFLs: 0.5 vs. Missouri State (Aug. 30, 2025)
Sacks: 0
INTs: 1 vs. Purdue (Sept. 13, 2025)
FR: 0
FF: 0
PBUs: 1 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
* while on Georgia's roster

KICKING

No. 45 • K Caden Chittenden
Points: 10 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
FG Attempts: 2 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
FG Made: 2 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
Long: 35 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
PATs: 7 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Kickoffs: 0
Yards: 0
TB: 0

No. 45 • K/P Ryon Sayeri
Points: 15 vs. Purdue (Sept. 13, 2025)
FG Attempts: 5 vs. Purdue (Sept. 13, 2025)
FG Made: 4 vs. Purdue (Sept. 13, 2025)
Long: 54 vs. Michigan (Oct. 11, 2025)
PATs: 8, 2x • last vs. Georgia Southern (Sept. 6, 2025)
Kickoffs: 11 vs.Missouri State (Aug.30, 2025)
Yards: 698 vs. Missouri State (Aug.30, 2025)
TB: 9, 2x • last vs. Georgia Southern (Sept. 6, 2025)

No. 93 • K/P William Weisberg
Points: 2 vs. Missouri State (Aug.30, 2025)
FG Attempts: 0
FG Made: 0
Long: 0
PATs: 2 vs. Missouri State (Aug.30, 2025)
Kickoffs: 1 vs.Missouri State (Aug.30, 2025)
Yards: 65 vs. Missouri State (Aug.30, 2025)
TB: 0

PUNTING

No. 35 • P Lachlan Carrigan
Punts: 1, 2x • last vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
Yards: 56 vs. vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
Average: 56.0 vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
I20: 1, 2x • last vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)
Long: 56 vs. vs. Rutgers (Sept. 19, 2026)

No. 48 • K/P Ryon Sayeri
Punts: 1 vs. Texas A&M (Dec. 27, 2024)
Yards: 57 vs. Texas A&M (Dec. 27, 2024)
Average: 57.0 vs. Texas A&M (Dec. 27, 2024)
I20: 1 vs. Texas A&M (Dec. 27, 2024)
Long: 57 vs. Texas A&M (Dec. 27, 2024)

KICKOFF RETURNS

No. 1 • WR Ethan "Boobie" Feaster
Returns: 2 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Yards: 36 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Long: 20 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TD: 0

No. 6 • RB Deshonne Redeaux
Returns: 3 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Yards: 69 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Long: 26 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
TD: 0

No. 8 • RB King Miller
Returns: 2 vs. Michigan (Oct. 11, 2025)
Yards: 45 vs. Michigan (Oct. 11, 2025)
Long: 25 vs. Michigan (Oct. 11, 2025)
TD: 0

No. 16 • WR Tanook Hines
Returns: 1, 4x • last vs. Iowa (Nov. 15, 2025)
Yards: 19 vs. Notre Dame (Oct. 18, 2025)
Long: 19 vs. Notre Dame (Oct. 18, 2025)
TD: 0

No. 27 • RB Riley Wormley
Returns: 1, 2x • last vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Yards: 22 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
Long: 22 vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl (Dec. 30, 2025)
TD: 0

No. 57 •LB Roman Marchetti
Returns: 1 vs. Louisville (Dec. 27, 2023)
Yards: 10 vs. Louisville (Dec. 27, 2023)
Long: 10 vs. Louisville (Dec. 27, 2023)
TD: 0

PUNT RETURNS

No. 4 • WR Trent Mosley
Returns: 2 vs. San José State (Aug. 29, 2026)
Yards: 86 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Long: 86 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TD: 1 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)

No. 9 • WR Terrell Anderson
Returns: 1 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Yards: 13 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Long: 13 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
TD: 0

No. 10 • WR Corey Simms
Returns: 1 vs. Louisiana (Sept. 12, 2026)
Yards: 0
Long: 0
TD: 0

* all stats as a Trojan

THE LAST TIME

Individual Performances

200-yard rushing game
By a Trojan: 204 yards, Keaontay Ingram, vs. Arizona, 2021
By an opponent: 228 yards, Jeremiyah Love, Notre Dame, 2025

3 rushing TDs in a game
By a Trojan: 3, Woody Marks, vs. Rutgers, 2024
By an opponent: 3, Max Brosmer, Minnesota, 2024

2 players rushed for 100 yards each in a game
By Trojans: Austin Jones (110) and Travis Dye (102), vs. Fresno State, 2022
By opponents: Josh Adams (181 yards) and Brandon Wimbush (106), Notre Dame, 2017

25-plus rushing attempts
By a Trojan: 25, King Miller, vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl, 2025
By an opponent: 29, Emmett Johnson, vs. Nebraska, 2025

300-yard passing game
By a Trojan: 349 yards, Jayden Maiava vs. Fresno State, 2026
By an opponent: 328 yards, Luke Altmyer, Illinois, 2025

3 passing TDs in a game
By a Trojan: 5, Jayden Maiava vs. Louisiana, 2026
By an opponent: 3, Dylan Longeran, Rutgers, 2026

30-plus pass completions in a game
By a Trojan: 30, Jayden Maiava, vs. Illinois, 2025
By an opponent: 39, Billy Edwards Jr., Maryland, 2024

50-plus pass attempts in a game
By a Trojan: 50, Miller Moss, vs. Washington, 2024
By an opponent: 50, Billy Edwards Jr., Maryland, 2024

3 passes had intercepted in a game
By a Trojan: 3, Jayden Maiava vs. Texas A&M (Las Vegas Bowl), 2024
By an opponent: 3, Drew Allar, Penn State, 2024 (OT)

Pass completion of 75-plus-yards
By a Trojan: 75 yards, Caleb Williams to Brenden Rice, vs. Stanford, 2023
By an opponent: 84 yards, Bo Nix to Troy Franklin, Oregon, 2023

10-plus receptions in a game
By a Trojan: 10, Makai Lemon, vs. Iowa, 2025
By an opponent: 10, Kwazi Gilmer, UCLA, 2025

150-yard receiving game
By a Trojan: 163 yards, Tanook Hines, vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl, 2025
By an opponent: 224 yards, Tyler Warren, Penn State, 2024 (OT)

3 receiving TDs in a game
By a Trojan: 3, Ja'Kobi Lane, vs. Texas A&M (Las Vegas Bowl), 2024
By an opponent: 4, Jacob Cowing, Arizona, 2023 (3OT)

2 players with 100 receiving yards in a game
By a Trojan: Trent Mosley (104) and Kayden Dixon-Wyatt (102), vs. Fresno State, 2026
By an opponent: Oregon, 2023; Troy Franklin (147) and Tez Johnson (126)

60-plus-yard punt
By a Trojan: 60 yards, Eddie Czaplicki, vs. Nebraska, 2024
By an opponent: 70 yards, Jakob Anderson, Rutgers, 2026

3 field goals in a game
By a Trojan: 4, Ryon Sayeri, vs. TCU • Alamo Bowl, 2025
By an opponent: 4, Ryan Barker, Penn State, 2024 (OT)

50-plus-yard field goal
By a Trojan: 54 yards, Ryon Sayeri, vs. Michigan, 2025
By an opponent: 51 yards, Mateen Bhaghani, UCLA, 2024

Missed PAT kick
By a Trojan: Denis Lynch vs. California, 2023
By an opponent: Noah Burnette, Notre Dame, 2025

3 interceptions in a game
By a Trojan: 3, Cameron Smith, vs. Utah, 2015
By an opponent: 3, Steve Smith, Oregon, 2001

Interception return for a TD
By a Trojan: 99 yards, Prophet Brown, vs. Rutgers, 2026
By an opponent: 100 yards, Xavier Watts, Notre Dame, 2024

Punt return for a TD (not blocked)
By a Trojan: 86 yards, Trent Mosley, vs. Louisiana, 2026
By an opponent: 85 yards, Malik Benson, Oregon, 2025

Kickoff return for a TD
By a Trojan: 96 yards, Zachariah Branch, vs. San José State, 2023
By an opponent: 100 yards, Jadarian Price, Notre Dame, 2025

Blocked punt returned for a TD
By a Trojan: 5 yards, Devon Williams, vs. UCLA, 2018 (punt blocked by Jake Russell). Also, Torin Harris returned a blocked field goal 68 yards for a TD vs. Utah in 2011
By an opponent: 5 yards, Amir Carlisle, Notre Dame, 2015 (punt blocked \by Equanimeous St. Brown)

Safety
By a Trojan: Alex Graham, vs. Fresno State, 2026 (Graham sacked Jayden Mandal in the end zone)
By an opponent: Tulane, 2022 (Austin Jones tackled in the end zone by Patrick Jenkins)

2 Safeties
By a Trojan: vs. Fresno State, 2026; Alex Graham sacked Jayden Mandal in the end zone & Kennedy Urlacher sacked Jayden Mandal in the end zone
By an opponent: N/A according to available records

2-Point Conversion
By a Trojan: Jayden Maiava pass to Kayden Dixon-Wyatt vs. Rutgers, 2026
By an opponent: San José State, 2026, Kamaehu Kopa-Kaawalauole pass from Luke Weaver

Onside Kick
By a Trojan: Denis Lynch, vs. Oregon 2023
By an opponent: Athan Kaliakmanis pass to Chris Long, Michigan State, 2025

Team Performances

Shutout
By USC: 39-0, vs. Fresno State, 2026
By an opponent: 27-0, Washington, 1997

Tie
21-21, vs. Washington, 1995

Scoreless Tie
0-0, vs. Washington, 1961

Scored in all 4 quarters of regulation
By USC: vs. Rutgers (10-10-15-7), 2026
By an opponent: Rutgers (7-7-14-7), 2026

Back-to-back shutouts
By USC: 28-0 vs. Arizona State and 69-0 vs. Washington State, 2008
By an opponent: 21-0 by Ohio State and 6-0 by Oregon State, 1946

Back-to-back shutouts in the first half
By USC: vs. Fresno State & San José State, 2026
By an opponent: vs. Washington & Arizona, 1991

50-plus points scored in a game
By USC: 59 points, vs. Georgia Southern, 2025
By an opponent: 52 points, Washington, 2023

GAME SUMMARIES

USC 42, San José State 26

Aug. 29, 2026 • Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum • Los Angeles

In USC's 2026 season opener, the Trojans defeated the San José State Spartans 42-26 in front of a crowd of 51,144 in the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum. USC produced 505 yards of total offense, controlled the ball for 37:15.

USC **QB Jayden Maiava** delivered an excellent performance to kick off his 2026 campaign, completing 25-of-29 passes (.862) for 286 yards and 2 TDs while adding a 1-yard rushing score. Maiava completed passes to nine different Trojans and guided the offense to touchdowns on five of its first seven possessions. He finished the first half 17-of-20 for 201 yards, a passing TD and a rushing TD as USC built a commanding 28-0 lead.

The Trojans made a statement from the opening whistle, marching 77 yards on 13 plays and taking 6:05 off the clock. Maiava capped the methodical drive by powering across the goal line on a 1-yard quarterback keeper to put USC ahead 7-0.

USC **WR Trent Mosley** provided an early spark on special teams, returning San José State's first punt 41 yards to set the Trojans up deep in Spartan territory. He finished the game with 174 all-purpose yards, including a career-high 118 receiving yards on 7 catches and 56 yards on 2 punt returns.

Early in the second quarter, **RB Riley Wormley** took the handoff and burst through the left side for a 5-yard TD. The score, the first of Wormley's Trojan career, extended USC's lead to 14-0.

USC's defense kept the Spartans off balance throughout the first half, forcing punts on their first two possessions before USC **DT Jide Abasiri** shut down a crucial fourth-down attempt in the second quarter. San José State was held scoreless through the first 30 minutes of action.

With 2:46 remaining in the half, **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt** slipped open over the middle and hauled in a 9-yard strike from Maiava for a TD. The scoring play punctuated a 12-play, 91-yard drive and marked the first TD of Dixon-Wyatt's Trojan career.

The Trojans were not finished. After the defense forced another Spartan punt, USC raced 80 yards in just 1:14. Maiava connected with Mosley for gains of 17 and 33 yards before **RB King Miller** punched the ball into the end zone on a 4-yard rush, sending USC into halftime with a 28-0 advantage. Miller led the Trojan rushing attack with 63 yards and a TD on 15 carries.

San José State opened the second-half scoring with a 22-yard field goal, but USC responded with another lengthy drive. Maiava ultimately found Mosley for a 14-yard TD to push the lead to 35-3. Mosley recorded the first 100-yard receiving performance of his Trojan career.

The Spartans found the end zone for the first time on a 28-yard pass from QB Luke Weaver to WR Jerry McClure early in the fourth quarter. Weaver then connected with TE Kamaehu Kopa-Kaawalauole on the 2-point conversion to make the score 35-11.

USC **QB Jonas Williams** saw his first Trojan action and led a 10-play, 75-yard drive that took 5:14 off the clock. **RB Shahn Alston** capped off the drive with a 1-yard rushing TD score to extend the Trojans' lead to 42-11. Alston finished with 30 yards on 7 carries in his USC debut.

San José State scored twice in the final 5:11, first on a 3-yard TD pass from Weaver to WR Jordan Anderson and then on Weaver's 7-yard rushing score.

The Trojan offense finished with 29 first downs and converted 9-of-13 third-down attempts.

USC **K Caden Chittenden** was a perfect 6-for-6 on extra-point attempts, while the Trojans did not commit a fumble. Defensively, **DT Jide Abasiri** led USC with 4 tackles, including 2.5 for loss, and **DE Jadyn Ramos** recorded the Trojans' lone sack.

Coach Lincoln Riley said...

"It's good to get the first one under our belt. It was kind of a tale of two games for us. The first three quarters there was a lot of good football out there. All three sides of the ball were playing complementary to one another. We really dominated the game through three quarters, so a lot of exciting ball. There were a lot of guys in their first games as Trojans making a lot of big plays, so that was obviously the highlight of it. The fourth quarter was not up to our standards. A bunch of guys had opportunities, and we had several that did not play the way that we anticipated. There'll be a lot to learn and grow from today because we're going to need the depth of this roster. Typically the first and second game is when you make a lot of improvements. When you get the first chance to go play against someone, it reveals a lot. We have to go attack this short week in order and get ready for Friday night."

SCORING SUMMARY

USC (1-0, 0-0)	7	21	7	7	42
San José State (0-1, 0-0)	0	0	3	23	26

1Q	USC - QB Maiava 1-yard rush (Chittenden kick)
2Q	USC - RB Wormley 5-yard rush (Chittenden kick)
2Q	USC - WR Dixon-Wyatt 9-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
2Q	USC - RB Ki. Miller 4-yard rush (Chittenden kick)
3Q	SJS - K Sinatra 22-yard FG
3Q	USC - WR Mosley 14-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
3Q	SJS - WR McClure 28-yard pass from QB Weaver (TE Kopa-Kaawa lauole pass from QB Weaver)
4Q	USC - RB Alston 1-yard rush (Chittenden kick)
4Q	SJS - WR Anderson 3-yard pass from QB Weaver (Sinatra kick)
4Q	SJS - WB Weaver 7-yard rush (WR Hoch pass from QB Weaver)

GAME STATISTICS

	USC	SJSU
First Downs	29	19
Rushing: Att.-Yards	40-164	24-102
Passing: Comp.-Att.-Yds.-Int.	30-36-341-1	21-32-234-0
Total Plays-Total Net Yards	76-505	56-336
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	5-34	1-15
Punts: Number-Yards (Avg.)	1-45 (45.0)	4-174 (43.5)
Kickoff Returns: Number-Yards (Avg.)	3-69 (23.0)	1-27 (27.0)
Time of Possession	37:15	22:45
Third Down Conversions	9-13	5-11
Fourth Down Conversions	1-2	0-1

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING (att.)	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long
USC - RB King Miller	15	63	1	9
SJSU - QB Luke Weaver	8	42	1	12

PASSING	Cmp.	Att.	Yds.	TD	INT
USC - QB Jayden Maiava	25	29	286	2	0
SJSU - QB Luke Weaver	21	32	234	2	0

RECEIVING (yards)	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
USC - WR Trent Mosley	7	118	1	33
SJSU - WR Carson Clark	6	74	0	42

PUNTING	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long
USC - Lachlan Carrigan	1	45	45.0	45
SJSU - P Trent Carrizosa	4	174	43.5	53

TACKLES	TOTAL
USC - DT Jide Abasiri	4
SJSU - LB Naseri Danielson	10

WORTH NOTING...

••• USC is the only FBS program to win 20 season openers since 2006. Ohio State has won all 20 openers played from 2006–2025, but its 2010 win was vacated.

••• **QB Jayden Maiava** completed 86.2% of his passes, the highest single-game completion percentage of his USC career.

••• His 86.2% completion percentage is also the highest single-game completion percentage by a USC quarterback since at least 1995 (minimum 25 attempts).

• Maiava is now No. 2 among USC quarterbacks in the last 30 seasons with most career games with 200+ passing yards, 1 passing TD and 1 rushing TD with 6 games behind Caleb Williams with 12. Matt Leinart and Carson Palmer each had 5 career games with those stats.

••• Maiava had a stretch of 14 straight completions. The last time a USC quarterback had 14+ consecutive completions in a single game prior to today was 17 by former Trojan Caleb Williams on Sept. 30, 2023, at Colorado in a 48-41 win.

••• **WR Trent Mosley's** 118 receiving yards are the most by a USC true freshman in his debut since WR JuJu Smith-Schuster had 123 receiving yards versus Fresno State in 2014 in his freshman debut.

••• Mosely is the first Power Four freshman with 7+ receptions, 100+ yards and a TD in his debut since Purdue's Rondale Moore in 2018.

GAME SUMMARIES

USC 39, Fresno State 0

Sept. 4, 2026 • Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum • Los Angeles

In USC's second game of the 2026 season, the Trojans shut out the Fresno State Bulldogs 39-0 in front of a crowd of 53,014 in the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum. USC outgained Fresno State 552-116 and controlled the ball for 38:52 as the Trojans improved to 2-0.

USC **QB Jayden Maiava** delivered another impressive performance, completing 23-of-25 passes (.920) for 349 yards and 3 TDs. He did not throw an interception or take a sack. Maiava finished the first half 17-of-18 (.944) for 284 yards and 3 TDs as USC built a 30-0 halftime lead.

The Trojans set the tone with a methodical opening drive, marching 82 yards on 12 plays and taking 5:33 off the clock. On third-and-goal, Maiava connected with **USC WR Tanook Hines** for an 8-yard TD to give USC an early 7-0 advantage.

Fresno State crossed midfield on its opening possession, but USC **S Prophet Brown** intercepted QB Jayden Mandal at the Trojan 15-yard line to end the threat. It was Brown's first interception of his career.

Early in the second quarter, Maiava found USC **WR Trent Mosley** over the middle for a 68-yard TD, the longest reception of Mosley's Trojan career. Mosley finished with 104 receiving yards and 2 TDs on 4 catches, recording his second consecutive 100-yard receiving performance.

USC's defense added to the lead midway through the second quarter. After an intentional-grounding penalty backed Fresno State up to its own 1-yard line, USC **S Kennedy Urlacher** sacked Mandal in the end zone for a safety. Urlacher finished the game with 3 tackles, a career-high 2.0 sacks, 2.0 tackles for loss and a forced fumble.

The Trojans scored again with a five-play, 65-yard TD drive. Maiava connected with Mosley for 22 yards before USC **RB Waymond Jordan** recorded consecutive rushes of 9 and 16 yards. Maiava then found Mosley for a 9-yard TD to extend USC's lead to 23-0.

USC's defense created another scoring opportunity late in the first half. Urlacher stripped Mandal on a sack, and USC **DT Floyd Boucard** recovered the fumble at the Fresno State 38-yard line. Five plays later, Jordan powered into the end zone on a 2-yard rush to send the Trojans into halftime with a 30-0 lead.

The Trojans dominated the second quarter on both sides of the ball, outgaining Fresno State 228 to minus-1. Maiava completed all 8 of his passes in the quarter for 166 yards and 2 TDs, while USC's defense held the Bulldogs to just one first down.

USC **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt** led the Trojans with 6 receptions for 102 yards, marking his first 100-yard receiving performance of the season. Dixon-Wyatt and Mosley became the first pair of Trojans to each record 100 receiving yards in the same game since records available in 1973.

USC's defense produced its second safety of the night following a Trojan fumble at the Fresno State 7-yard line. On the Bulldogs' first play after the turnover, USC **S Alex Graham** sacked Mandal in the end zone to push the lead to 32-0. Graham finished with 4 tackles, 1.0 sack, 1.5 tackles for loss and a QB hurry.

The two safeties marked the first time since records available in 1971 that the Trojans recorded two safeties in a single game.

USC **QB Jonas Williams** completed all 6 of his pass attempts for 63 yards in relief of Maiava. Williams directed a 10-play, 79-yard drive that took 6:47 off the clock in the fourth quarter. USC **RB Deshonne Redeaux** capped the drive with a 5-yard rushing TD, the first of his Trojan career, to produce the final score of 39-0.

Jordan led the Trojan rushing attack with 67 yards and a TD on 11 carries, averaging 6.1 yards per attempt. USC **RB King Miller** added 45 yards on 15 carries as the Trojans finished with 140 rushing yards and 2 rushing TDs.

USC's defense held Fresno State to 9 first downs, 77 passing yards and 39 rushing yards on 29 attempts. The Bulldogs averaged just 2.6 yards per play and converted only 2-of-10 third-down attempts. USC recorded 5 sacks, 7 tackles for loss and 2 takeaways while holding Fresno State scoreless on its lone trip to the red zone.

Fresno State ran just four offensive plays and totaled minus-2 yards during the third quarter. The Bulldogs did not record a first down in the period and possessed the ball for only 1:45.

Fresno State reached the USC 8-yard line on its final possession, but USC **DE Jadyn Ramos** recorded a sack on fourth-and-goal to preserve the shutout. Ramos finished with 3 tackles, a sack and a tackle for loss.

USC finished with 27 first downs, averaged 8.1 yards per play and converted 5-of-8 third-down attempts. USC **K Caden Chittenden** was a perfect 5-for-5 on extra-point attempts.

Coach Lincoln Riley said...

"Excited about the win. Really excited about the shutout. Obviously, it's hard to do. Doesn't happen very often in college football these days. We played at our standard for a higher level tonight, and that was really great to see on all sides. I think the excitement, energy in the Coliseum, energy with our football team was pretty consistent the whole way through. I think we played better as a football team than we did in week one. And that's what you got to do. It may sound boring, cliche, whatever, but that's how you get good, right? You just have to keep taking steps."

SCORING SUMMARY

USC (2-0, 0-0)	7	23	2	7	39
Fresno State (0-1, 0-0)	0	0	0	0	0

1Q	USC - WR Hines 8-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
2Q	USC - WR Mosley 68-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
2Q	USC - Safety (S Urlacher)
2Q	USC - WR Mosley 9-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
2Q	USC - RB Jordan 2-yard rush (Chittenden kick)
3Q	USC - Safety (S Graham)
4Q	USC - RB Redeaux 5-yard rush (Chittenden kick)

GAME STATISTICS

	USC	Fresno State
First Downs	27	9
Rushing: Att.-Yards	37-140	29-39
Passing: Comp.-Att.-Yds.-Int.	29-31-412-1	7-15-77-0
Total Plays-Total Net Yards	68-552	44-116
Fumbles: Number-Lost	3-2	1-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	5-44	3-10
Punts: Number-Yards (Avg.)	1-45 (45.0)	4-162 (40.5)
Kickoff Returns: Number-Yards (Avg.)	3-39 (13.0)	2-23 (11.5)
Time of Possession	38:52	21:08
Third Down Conversions	5-8	2-10
Fourth Down Conversions	1-2	0-1

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING (att.)	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long
USC - RB Waymond Jordan	11	67	1	16
Fres. St. - RB Rayshon Luke	8	21	0	8

PASSING	Cmp.	Att.	Yds.	TD	INT
USC - QB Jayden Maiava	23	25	349	3	0
Fres. St. - QB Jayden Mandal	7	15	77	0	0

RECEIVING (yards)	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
USC - WR Trent Mosley	4	104	2	68
Fres. St. - WR Harold Duvall	2	34	0	17

PUNTING	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long
USC - Lachlan Carrigan	1	45	45.0	45
Fres. St. - P Clay Lawrence	4	162	40.5	48

TACKLES	TOTAL
USC - S Alex Graham & LB Deven Bryant	4
Fres. St. - LB K'Vion Thunderbird	10

WORTH NOTING...

••• **Maiava's** 92.0% completion percentage is the highest single-game completion percentage by a USC quarterback since at least 1995 (minimum 25 attempts). He broke the mark he set last week against San José State (86.2% going 25-of-29).

••• **Maiava** had a stretch of 15 straight completions. The last time a USC quarterback had 15+ consecutive completions in a single game prior to Saturday was 17 by former Trojan and Heisman Trophy winner Caleb Williams on Sept. 30, 2023 at Colorado in a 48-41 win. Last week against San José State, **Maiava** had a stretch of 14-straight completions.

••• His 92.0% completion percentage was just three percentage points shy of USC's single-game record for a passer with at least 15 completions: Matt Barkley's 19-of-20 performance (.950) against Colorado in 2012.

••• **Mosley** is the first USC freshman with 100+ yards in consecutive games since former Trojan WR Drake London accomplished the feat in 2019 (in a win over Cal; 6 rec. for 111 yards and a win over UCLA; 8 rec. for 142 yards).

••• This is the first time that two freshmen receivers (**Mosley & Dixon-Wyatt**) have recorded 100+ yards in the same game since records available in 1973.

••• This is the first time since records available in 1971 that the Trojans recorded two safeties in a single game.

GAME SUMMARIES

USC 49, Louisiana 30

Sept. 12, 2026 • Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum • Los Angeles

In USC's third game of the 2026 season, the No. 14 Trojans defeated the Louisiana Ragin' Cajuns 49-30 in front of a crowd of 60,019 in the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum. USC recorded 483 yards of total offense, converted 11-of-15 third-down attempts and controlled the ball for 33:14 as the Trojans improved to 3-0.

Louisiana intercepted USC **QB Jayden Maiava** on the opening possession and turned the takeaway into a 47-yard field goal. The Trojans responded with a methodical 13-play, 79-yard drive that took 6:21 off the clock. Maiava capped the possession with a 5-yard TD pass to USC **TE Mark Bowman**, the first TD of Bowman's Trojan career, to give USC a 7-3 lead.

USC's defense did not allow Louisiana to record a first down in the opening quarter, while the Trojan offense outgained the Ragin' Cajuns 150-18. Bowman continued his breakout performance on USC's ensuing possession, hurdling two Louisiana defenders during a career-long 35-yard reception. He later caught a 9-yard TD pass from Maiava to extend USC's lead to 14-3 early in the second quarter.

After Louisiana cut the lead to 14-10, the Trojans answered with a 12-play, 87-yard scoring drive. USC converted three third downs during the possession, including a 19-yard TD pass from Maiava to USC **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt**. USC **WR/RET Trent Mosley** then broke the game open late in the first half, escaping a pair of tackles and racing 86 yards for a punt-return TD to send the Trojans into halftime with a 28-10 lead.

USC forced a three-and-out to open the second half before taking possession at the Louisiana 41-yard line. Seven plays later, Maiava connected with Mosley for a 21-yard TD to extend the lead to 35-10. Mosley finished with 127 all-purpose yards, recording 33 receiving yards, 8 rushing yards and 86 punt-return yards.

Louisiana responded with an 81-yard TD drive, but USC quickly regained control. Early in the fourth quarter, Maiava found USC WR Zacharyus Williams for a 44-yard TD, the first of Williams' Trojan career, to push the advantage to 42-17.

The Ragin' Cajuns answered with a 32-yard TD run by QB Lunch Winfield, but USC responded with a seven-play, 75-yard scoring drive. USC **RB King Miller** carried the ball four times for 55 yards during the possession, including a 12-yard TD run that produced the Trojans' final points of the night.

Maiava completed 19-of-29 passes for 261 yards and a career-high 5 TDs, distributing his scoring passes among four different receivers. The Trojan offensive line did not allow a sack for the second consecutive game.

USC **DE Luke Wafle** led the Trojan defense with a career-high 7 tackles, including a team-best 6 solo tackles and 1.0 tackle for loss. USC **DE Zuriah Fisher** recorded a sack and forced a fumble in the fourth quarter as the Trojans held Louisiana to 3-of-10 on third-down attempts.

USC finished with 25 first downs, averaged 6.8 yards per play and scored TDs on all four trips to the red zone. USC **K Caden Chittenden** was a perfect 7-for-7 on extra-point attempts.

Coach Lincoln Riley said...

"I think if we'd set a goal here in the beginning, it would have obviously been to win the first three games. Get a chance to play a bunch of guys, develop our roster, put a lot of guys out there to see where they're at, and give us a chance to evaluate and develop, which we've been able to do. This is what you do it for -- to go into conference play, to get out on the road, which we're looking forward to. So we have to have a great week and get ready for a little bit of travel out there and get ready to play."

SCORING SUMMARY

USC (3-0, 0-0)	7	21	7	14	49
Louisiana (1-1, 0-0)	3	7	7	13	30

1Q	UL - K Sterner field goal
1Q	USC - TE Bowman 5-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
2Q	USC - TE Bowman 9-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
2Q	UL - RB Blanco 1-yard rush (Sterner kick)
2Q	USC - WR Dixon-Wyatt 19-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
2Q	USC - WR/RET Mosley 86-yard punt return
3Q	USC - WR Mosley 21-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
3Q	UL - QB Winfield 1-yard rush (Sterner kick)
4Q	USC - WR Z. Williams 44-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
4Q	UL - QB Winfield 32-yard rush (Sterner kick)
4Q	USC - RB K. Miller 12-yard rush
4Q	UL - WR Babineaux 14-yard pass from Winfield (Sterner kick)

GAME STATISTICS

	USC	Louisiana
First Downs	25	17
Rushing: Att.-Yards	40-214	30-146
Passing: Comp.-Att.-Yds.-Int.	20-31-269-1	16-22-212-0
Total Plays-Total Net Yards	71-483	52-358
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	8-78	6-60
Punts: Number-Yards (Avg.)	1-50 (50.0)	5-179 (35.8)
Kickoff Returns: Number-Yards (Avg.)	3-45 (15.0)	2-44 (22.0)
Time of Possession	33:14	26:46
Third Down Conversions	11-15	3-10
Fourth Down Conversions	1-1	0-0

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING (att.)	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long
USC - RB King Miller	18	128	1	29
UL - QB Lunch Winfield	14	91	2	32

PASSING	Cmp.	Att.	Yds.	TD	INT
USC - QB Jayden Maiava	19	29	261	5	1
UL - QB Lunch Winfield	16	22	212	1	0

RECEIVING (yards)	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
USC - TE Mark Bowman	6	83	2	35
UL - WR HRussell Babineaux	6	91	1	27

PUNTING	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long
USC - Lachlan Carrigan	1	50	50.0	50
UL - P Mason Golding	5	179	35.8	43

TACKLES	TOTAL
USC - DE Luke Wafle	7
UL - S Collin Jacob	13

WORTH NOTING...

••• **TE Mark Bowman's** 83 yards were the most by a Trojan tight end since Anthony McCoy recorded 153 against Notre Dame in 2009. Bowman also became the first USC tight end to catch 2 TDs in a game since Josh Falo against Utah in 2022.

••• **WR/RET Trent Mosley** became the first Trojan to record a receiving TD and a punt-return TD in the same game since Tyler Vaughns against Arizona State in 2018. His 86-yard return was USC's first punt-return TD since Zachariah Branch against Stanford in 2023 and the Trojans' longest since Nelson Agholor recorded a 93-yard return against California in 2013.

••• Prior to Mosley, just five Big Ten freshmen have caught a TD pass in each of their first 3 career games since 2000: Jeremiah Smith (Ohio State, 2024), Jackson Anthrop (Purdue, 2017), Ted Bolser (Indiana, 2010), Deon Butler (Penn State, 2005) and James Hardy (Indiana, 2005).

••• **QB Jayden Maiava** threw for a career-high 5 TDs.

GAME SUMMARIES

USC 42, Rutgers 35

Sept. 19, 2026 • SHI Stadium • Piscataway, N.J.

In USC's fourth game of the 2026 season, the No. 12 Trojans defeated the Rutgers Scarlet Knights 42-35 in front of a crowd of 43,045 at SHI Stadium in Piscataway, N.J. USC recorded 461 yards of total offense and averaged 7.3 yards per play as the Trojans improved to 4-0 overall and 1-0 in Big Ten Conference play.

USC opened the game with a 12-play, 58-yard drive that took 5:30 off the clock. USC **K Caden Chittenden** capped the possession with a 35-yard field goal, the first of his Trojan career, to give USC a 3-0 lead.

USC **S Christian Pierce** intercepted Rutgers QB Dylan Lonergan on the Scarlet Knights' second offensive play of the game and returned the ball 16 yards to the Rutgers 24-yard line. USC **RB King Miller** carried the ball on each of the ensuing two plays, scoring on an 11-yard run to extend the lead to 10-0.

After Rutgers cut the lead to 10-7, USC answered with a six-play, 75-yard scoring drive. USC **QB Jayden Maiava** connected with USC **WR Corey Simms** for a career-long 52-yard TD, the first TD of Simms' Trojan career, to push the advantage to 17-7 early in the second quarter.

Rutgers responded with a 14-play, 95-yard TD drive, but the Trojans added points before heading back to the locker room. Maiava completed passes of 25 and 14 yards during an eight-play, 61-yard drive before Chittenden connected on a 32-yard field goal to send USC into halftime with a 20-14 lead.

Rutgers drove to the USC 9-yard line on the opening possession of the second half, but USC **S Prophet Brown** intercepted Lonergan at the 1-yard line and returned it 99 yards for a TD. Brown tied USC's record for longest interception return (99-yards, Bud Langley, 1936 versus Notre Dame). The pick-six extended USC's lead to 27-14 and marked the Trojans' second takeaway of the game.

After Rutgers responded with a TD, USC answered with a seven-play, 75-yard scoring drive. USC **RB Riley Wormley** opened the possession with a career-long 27-yard run and later scored on a 12-yard rush. Maiava then connected with USC **WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt** for a successful two-point conversion to give USC a 35-21 lead.

Rutgers cut the advantage to 35-28 and stopped USC on fourth down early in the final quarter. The Trojan defense responded by forcing a turnover on downs at the Rutgers 24-yard line. Five plays later, Maiava found Wormley for a 2-yard TD to extend USC's lead to 42-28.

Rutgers pulled within 42-35 with 4:24 remaining, but the Trojans did not allow the Scarlet Knights to regain possession. Miller carried the ball six times for 41 yards on USC's final drive, converting three first downs as the Trojans ran out the clock.

Maiava completed 20-of-32 passes for 277 yards and 2 TDs without an interception. Dixon-Wyatt led the Trojans with 5 receptions for 77 yards, while Simms recorded a career high 72 receiving yards with 1 TD.

Miller recorded his second 100-yard rushing performance of the season, gaining 102 yards and scoring 1 TD on 16 carries. Wormley added a career-high 52 rushing yards and 1 TD on 3 carries while also catching his first career receiving TD.

Pierce led the Trojan defense with a career-high 11 tackles, including 6 solo tackles, 1 interception and 2 pass breakups. USC scored 14 points off its two interceptions, while **LB Desman Stephens II** and **DE Kameryn Crawford** combined for the Trojans' lone sack.

Coach Lincoln Riley said...

"Excited to get the win. Lively game. Saw some things tonight that I've never seen in my career, but thus is the road. And proud of us for getting it done. We had contributions from all three sides and we'll build on those. But, we gave up some big plays on all three sides and gave up too many big plays defensively. Not pleased at all with how we played there. We made some big play too – the pick-six was massive, and Christian's pick earlier in the game was really good. We still need to clean up penalties. We're not going to take road wins for granted; in this league, they're all hard. We did nice job closing the game out."

SCORING SUMMARY

USC (4-0, 1-0)	10	10	15	7	42
Rutgers (0-3, 0-1)	7	7	14	7	35

1Q	USC - K Chittenden 35-yard FG
1Q	USC - RB K. Miller 11-yard rush (Chittenden kick)
1Q	RU - WR Duff 11-yard pass from QB Lonergan (Pizzaro kick)
2Q	USC - WR Simms 52-yard pass from QB Maiava (Chittenden kick)
2Q	RU - __ Coke 16-yard pass from QB Lonergan (Pizzaro kick)
2Q	USC - K Chittenden 32-yard FG
3Q	USC - S P. Brown 99-yard INT return (Chittenden kick)
3Q	RU - __ Thevenin 17-yard rush (Pizzaro kick)
3Q	USC - RB Wormley 12-yard rush (WR Dixon-Wyatt pass from QB Maiava)
3Q	RU - __ Raymond 2-yard rush (Pizzaro kick)
4Q	USC - RB Wormley 2-yard pass from QB Maiava
4Q	RU - __ Allen III 28-yard pass from QB Lonergan (Pizzaro kick)

GAME STATISTICS

	USC	Rutgers
First Downs	24	27
Rushing: Att.-Yards	31-184	32-168
Passing: Comp.-Att.-Yds.-Int.	20-32-277-0	19-37-292-2
Total Plays-Total Net Yards	63-461	69-460
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	8-71	5-39
Punts: Number-Yards (Avg.)	1-56 (56.0)	1-70 (70.0)
Kickoff Returns: Number-Yards (Avg.)	0-0 (0.0)	1-17 (17.0)
Time of Possession	26:45	33:08
Third Down Conversions	5-10	6-11
Fourth Down Conversions	1-2	3-4

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING (att.)	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long
USC - RB King Miller	16	102	1	20
RU - RB Antwan Raymond	21	122	1	49

PASSING	Cmp.	Att.	Yds.	TD	INT
USC - QB Jayden Maiava	20	32	277	2	0
RU - QB Dylan Lonergan	18	36	252	3	2

RECEIVING (yards)	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
USC - WR Kayden Dixon-Wyatt	5	77	0	32
RU - WR KJ Duff	7	86	1	20

PUNTING	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long
USC - Lachlan Carrigan	1	56	56.0	56
RU - P Jakob Anderson	1	70	70.0	70

TACKLES	TOTAL
USC - S Christian Pierce	11
RU - DB Kaj Sanders & DB DK Gilley	8

WORTH NOTING...

••• **S Prophet Brown's** 99-yard pick-six tied USC's record for longest interception return (99-yards, Bud Langley, 1936 versus Notre Dame).

••• **RB Riley Wormley** scored a career-high two touchdowns (one rushing and one receiving), and his touchdown reception was the first of his career.

••• **WR Corey Simms** caught all four of his targets for a career-high 72 yards and the first touchdown of his collegiate career