



# CHATTANOOGA MOCS

## 2024 FOOTBALL | QUICK FACTS/NOTES

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Official Name ..... The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga  
 Preferred Name/Abbreviation ..... Chattanooga/UTC  
 Location ..... Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Nickname (Mascot) ..... Mocs (Scrappy)  
 School Colors ..... Navy, Old Gold & Silver  
 Founded/Enrollment ..... 1886/11,380  
 Stadium (Capacity) ..... Finley Stadium (20,668)  
 Field (Surface) ..... Davenport Field (Polyethylene Field Turf)  
 NCAA Affiliation ..... Division I FCS  
 Conference ..... Southern  
 UT System President ..... Randy Boyd  
 Chancellor ..... Dr. Steve Angle  
 Vice Chancellor/Director of Athletics ..... Mark Wharton  
 NCAA Faculty Representative ..... Dr. Valerie Rutledge

### REVIEW

2023 Overall Record/Conference ..... 8-5/6-2 (T2nd)  
 Starters Returning/Lost ..... 14/11  
 2-Deep Returning/Lost ..... 27/17  
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost ..... 47/31  
 Offense ..... Multiple  
 Starters Returning/Lost ..... 7/4  
 2-Deep Returning/Lost ..... 13/9  
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost ..... 18/14  
 Defense ..... Multiple  
 Starters Returning/Lost ..... 7/4  
 2-Deep Returning/Lost ..... 14/8  
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost ..... 26/13  
 Specialists (K/LS)  
 Starters Returning/Lost ..... 0/3  
 Letter Winners Returning/Lost ..... 4/4  
 Redshirts/Newcomers ..... 14/50 (29 Freshmen/21 Transfers)

### HISTORY

All-Time Record ..... 569-554-35 (.507)  
 SoCon (Beginning in 1977 - 45 seasons) ..... 170-168-2 (.503)  
 Finley Stadium ..... 76-65 (.539)  
 First Year of Football ..... 1904  
 Seasons ..... 117  
 SoCon Titles ..... 7  
 Years (\*=co) ..... 1977\*, 1978\*, 1979, 1984, 2013\*, 2014, 2015\*)  
 FCS Playoff Appearances ..... 5  
 Record ..... 4-5 (.444): 3-0 Home/1-5 Road  
 Years ..... 1984, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2023  
 Farthest Advancement ..... Quarterfinals in 2014  
 Last Appearance ..... Dec. 2, 2023, 26-7 2nd round loss at Furman

### AWARD CANDIDATES

**Offense:** Chase Artopoulos, QB, Sr., Reid Williams, C, Jr.; Bryce Goodner, G, R-So., 2023 Freshman All-America; Dave Monnot III, Sr., T; Javin Whatley, WR, Jr., Returning All-America; Sam Phillips, WR, Jr.; Jay Gibson, TE, Sr.

**Defense:** Marlon Taylor, DT, Sr., Alex Mitchell, LB, Jr., Kobe Joseph, LB, Sr., Josh Battle, S, Jr.; Reuben Lowery III, DB, Jr., Jordan Walker, S, Jr., Quay Wiggles, DT, Sr.

### COACHING STAFF

Head Coach ..... Rusty Wright (Chattanooga '96)  
 Record at School ..... 30-22 (6th year)  
 Career Record ..... Same  
 Offensive Coordinator/QBs ..... Joe Pizzo (Mars Hill '87), 6th year  
 Line ..... Kevin Revis (Chattanooga '14), 3rd  
 Tight Ends ..... Zeb Speir (Appalachian State '18), 2nd  
 Receivers ..... Ricky Spradling (Mars Hill '09), 6th  
 Running Backs ..... D.J. Knox (Purdue '18), 2nd  
 Defensive Coordinator/LB ..... Mike Yeager [Miami (Ohio) '99], 6th (1st as DC)  
 Line ..... Julian Miller (West Virginia '11), 1st  
 S/Special Teams ..... Wolfgang Shafer (Ithaca '17), 1st  
 CB ..... Korel Smith (Florida Atlantic '20), 2nd  
 OLB ..... Tyrus Ward (Chattanooga '05), 4th  
 Football Office ..... 423-425-4494

### FOOTBALL ADMINISTRATION & STAFF

Director of Football Operations/NFL Liaison ..... Emily Baustert (3rd year)  
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 Football Specific ..... @GoMocsFB  
 Athletics Facebook ..... ChattanoogaAthletics  
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 SoCon Twitter ..... @SoConSports  
 SoCon Instagram ..... @SoConSports



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## 2024 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time	Watch
Aug. 31	@Tennessee	12:45 p.m.	SEC
Sept 7	@Georgia State	7 p.m.	ESPN+
Sept. 14	*Mercer	6 p.m.	ESPN+
Sept. 28	Portland State	6 p.m.	ESPN+
Oct. 5	*@ETSU	3:30 p.m.	ESPN+
Oct. 12	*@Furman	2 p.m.	ESPN+
Oct. 19	*Wofford	1:30 p.m.	ESPN+
Oct. 26	*VMI (HC)	4 p.m.	ESPN+
Nov. 2	*@Western Carolina	2:30 p.m.	ESPN+
Nov. 9	*@The Citadel	2 p.m.	ESPN+
Nov. 16	*Samford	1:30 p.m.	ESPN+
Nov. 23	@Austin Peay	2 p.m.	ESPN+

\*SoCon Game | All times Eastern

## 2022 RESULTS: 8-5/6-2 SOCON

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Watch
Sept. 2	@North Alabama	L, 27-41	ESPN+
Sept. 9	Kennesaw State	W, 27-20	ESPN+
Sept. 16	*The Citadel	W, 48-3	Nexstar
Sept. 23	*@(17/20) Samford	W, 47-24	ESPN+
Sept. 30	*@Wofford	W, 23-13	Nexstar
Oct. 7	*(17/11) Western Carolina (HC)	L, 50-52	ESPN+
Oct. 14	*@Mercer	W, 22-10	ESPN+
Oct. 21	*ETSU	W, 34-3	Nexstar
Oct. 28	*@VMI	W, 24-23	ESPN+
Nov. 4	*(2) Furman	L, 14-17	ESPN+
Nov. 18	@(8) Alabama	L, 10-66	SEC+
Nov. 25	@(13) Austin Peay (Playoffs)	W, 24-21	ESPN+
Dec. 2	@(7) Furman (Playoffs)	L, 7-26	ESPN+

\*SoCon Game

## STATISTICAL LEADERS

Rushing	Att.	Yards	Avg	TD	Long
Gino Appleberry	180	753	4.2	8	41
Reggie Davis	65	372	5.0	2	45
Passing	C-A-I	Yards	Pct.	TD	Long
Chase Artopoulos	187-298-7	2672	62.8	20	70
Receiving	Rec.	Yards	Avg	TD	Long
Jamoi Mayes	62	1037	16.7	4	70
Sam Phillips	60	624	10.4	4	31
Javin Whatley	55	977	17.8	9	67
Tackles	S-A-T	Sacks	TFL	PD (I)	FF/FR
Alex Mitchell	39-39-78	1.0-6	2.5-7	4 (1)	3/0
Jordan Walker	38-35-73	1.5-7	5.5-16	4 (3)	1/0
Josh Battle	42-28-70	---	1.0-2	1 (0)	0/1
Kobe Joseph	27-31-58	2.0-9	5.0-14	4 (2)	0/0
Jay Person	28-28-56	9.5-54	17.0-76	1 (0)	3/0
Clay Fields III	36-13-49	---	2.0-10	10 (1)	0/0
Ben Brewton	17-18-35	8.0-56	10.5-63	1 (0)	2/0
Marlon Taylor	17-13-30	5.0-17	8.5-21	0	0/1

## 2023 ALL-AMERICA

AFCA (1): Edge Jay Person (1st)

Stats Perform (2): Edge Jay Person (1st), DB Kam Brown (3rd)

AP (1): Edge Jay Person (1st)

Bluebloods (4): DB Kam Brown (1st), Edge Jay Person (2nd), WR Javin Whatley (2nd), OL Reid Williams (3rd)

Phil Steele (1): Edge Jay Person (2nd)

## 2023 PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

SoCon Defensive Player of the Year: Jay Person

## 2023 ALL-SOUTHERN CONFERENCE

Coaches Team	Media Selections
WR Jamoi Mayes (1st)	WR Jamoi Mayes (1st)
DL Jay Person (1st)	DL Jay Person (1st)
DL Ben Brewton (1st)	DL Ben Brewton (1st)
DB Kam Brown (1st)	<b>OL Reid Williams (2nd)</b>
<b>OL Reid Williams (2nd)</b>	OL Griffin McDowell (2nd)
<b>DL Marlon Taylor (2nd)</b>	<b>WR Javin Whatley (2nd)</b>
P Clayton Crile (2nd)	<b>DL Marlon Taylor (2nd)</b>
	P Clayton Crile (2nd)

## 2023 NATIONAL AWARDS

Jay Person (12th): Buck Buchanan Award Finalist (FCS Defensive Player of the Year)

Clayton Crile (Oct. 16): Fed Ex Ground National Special Teams Player of the Week

## NFL SIGNINGS

DB Clay Fields III - Indianapolis Colts (Signed after mini-camp tryout)

OL Griffin McDowell - Kansas City Chiefs (Undrafted Free Agent)

Edge Jay Person - New England Patriots (Signed after mini-camp tryout)

## NOTES TO KNOW

- The Mocs are No. 10 in the HERO Sports FCS Preseason Top 25. The top 10: S.

Dakota St., N. Dakota St., Montana, Montana St., South Dakota, Villanova, Idaho, Sacramento St. & Southern Illinois. SoCon: (14) Furman & (16) Western Carolina.

- Coach **Rusty Wright** is .500 or better in each of his five seasons. He's the only Mocs coach to start career .500 or better for five campaigns.

- He's also the fastest to 30 wins: **Wright** (51 games), Russ Huesman (53), Joe Morrison (57) & CFB Hall of Famer Scappy Moore (60).

- Winning SoCon record in each of his five seasons: 6-2 (2023), 5-3 (2019, 2021 & 2022) and 3-1 (2020-21). Only conference school NOT to have a losing record over that span.

- 24-12 (.667) is best 5-year SoCon start by a Mocs head coach eclipsing Huesman (23-17) in four FEWER games.

- DT **Marlon Taylor** is in his sixth year in the program along with **Jay Gibson**.

They are the last players on Wright's inaugural roster.

- **Gibson** is in his seventh total year coming to Chattanooga from Western Kentucky in 2019. He played the first four regular season games in 2023 before an injury ended his regular season earning a medical redshirt and deciding to play one more season.

- **Taylor**, WR **Javin Whatley** and OL **Reid Williams** are on the FCS Football Central Preseason All-America squad. **Taylor** and **Whatley** are first team selections with **Williams** on the second. **Whatley** was a second team pick by the same group last season with **Williams** on the third.

- **Taylor** is listed as the top returning FCS Defensive Lineman per HERO Sports, **Whatley** (4), **Chase Artopoulos** (6) & **Williams** (14) are also ranked at their positions.



### 2024 Quarterback Room

*Starters Returning/Lost (1/0):*

Chase Artopoeus

*Letter Winners Returning/Lost*

(3/1): Artopoeus, Luke Schomburg, Matthew Clemmer | Tucker Pope

*Newcomers (1):* Battle Alberson (Fr.-Gulf Breeze, Fla.)

### Notes to Know...

- Artopoeus threw for 2,672 yards completing 62.8 percent of his passes (187-298) with 20 TDs and seven interceptions in his 10 games behind center. He had the eighth-most yards thrown in a season and tied Cedric Stevens

(2004) for sixth in TD passes.

- Artopoeus and Schomburg (517) combined for 3,189 yards passing. That's the third highest total in school history behind 3,730 in 2000 and 3,591 in 1999. The 8.31 yards per pass is second only to 8.45 in 2022.

- Artopoeus averaged 281.8 yards per game in total offense in his 10 starts. That's the 10th highest total yards and third most per game behind only Chris Sanders. The prolific Texas had 317.4 yards per game as a junior in 1999 followed by 341.5 in 2000.

- Artopoeus is one of two returning starters behind center in the SoCon (Cole Gonzales-Western Carolina).

### 2024 Running Back Room

*Starters Returning/Lost (0/1):*

Ailym Ford/Gino Appleberry

*Letter Winners Returning/Lost*

(4/2): Reggie Davis (pictured), Chris Houston (likely move to WR), Lance Jackson, Solomon Locke | Ford & Appleberry

*Redshirts/Newcomers (4):* Justus Durant (Jr.), Malachi Jeffries (RS Fr.), Eagan Lehman (Fr.), Journey Wyche (Fr.)

### Notes to Know...

- The Mocs have rushed for 8,835 yards in 52 games with Rusty Wright as head coach, a shade under 170 yards per game.

- Davis ran for 60+ yards in four of his last six appearances with a high of 97 in the FCS Playoff win at Austin Peay.

- Jackson has the lone 100-yard game (currently) in the room... he registered 135 yards on 19 carries (7.1 ypc) with two touchdowns in the spring 2021 meeting with Mercer.

- Durant was a 2-year performer at Shorter accumulating 1,369 career rushing



yards with 13 touchdowns in 21 games.

- Davis' touchdown runs in 2023 came from 11 (at Furman) and 45 yards (at VMI).

- Durant's career high at Shorter was 202 yards against North Greenville.

- Ford (3,928) and Appleberry (1,567) combined for 5,495 career rushing yards... Ford's career began in 2019 with Appleberry joining the squad from Western Kentucky in 2020.

- Appleberry's 104 rushing yards at Alabama last season was the most by a running back against the Tide defense and second only to LSU QB Jayden Daniels' 163.



### 2024 Wide Receivers Room

*Starters Returning/Lost (2/1):* Sam Phillips & Javin Whatley (pictured)

| Jamoi Mayes

*Letter Winners Returning/Lost*

(5/2): Phillips, Whatley, Jaden Jude, Brody Swafford, Zaire Thornton | Mayes & Javon Burke

*Redshirts/Newcomers (5):* Taylor Crumedy (Fr.), Chris Domercant (Tr., Stonehill), A.J. Little (RS Fr.), Matt Rozier (RS Fr.) & Josh Williams (Fr.)

### Notes to Know...

- 2023 receivers room ranked 16th in the country with an 84.5 grade

per PFF College. That ranked between LSU (15) and Texas (17) and was fourth among FCS programs behind North Dakota State (3), South Dakota State (5) and South Dakota (T13).

- Mayes (62-1037), Whatley (55-977) & Phillips (60-624) are first trio since 2004 with 600+ yards each in the same season: Alonzo Nix (819), current assistant Tyrus Ward (660) & Emanuel Hassell (647). It's the most productive since 2000: Richmond Flowers (86-1035), Cos DeMatteo (75-971) & Ronnie Strickland (51-767).

- That's also the last time a trio collected 50 or more each.

- Whatley's 11-catch, 231-yard, 4-touchdown performance against Western Carolina ranked tied for second in TD receptions (Terrell Owens vs Marshall, 1994) and fifth in yards. His 353 all-purpose yards (including six rushing and 116 returning) was a new school record.

- Phillips became the 13th Moc with 60 receptions in a season. He's 30 shy of reaching the career top 10 with new McCallie head coach Joel Bradford (2008-11) in 10th with 134. Sam needs 65 to match the career record of 169 set by Emanuel Hassell (2004-06).

- Whatley's 54-yard catch-and-run at Alabama last November was the longest pass play allowed by the Tide in more than a year dating back to Tennessee's Hendon Hooker's 78-yard TD pass to Jalin Hyatt on Oct. 15, 2022.

- Thornton (OVC) and Domercant (NEC) were all-conference receivers at Tennessee State and Stonehill, respectively.

- Domercant had 85 catches in 24 career games at Stonehill with 16 touchdowns averaging nearly 18 yards per catch.



- Crumedy helped lead Leroy High School to a 47-5 record (4 seasons) winning the 2022 and 2023 Alabama 1A State Championships.

- Williams was all-region in both football (all-state as well) and basketball at Westside High School in Anderson, S.C.



### 2024 Tight Ends Room

*Starters Returning/Lost (1/0):* Jay Gibson

*Letter Winners Returning/Lost (2/2):* Gibson, Restelli | Camden Overton, Cameron Huckabey

*Redshirts/Newcomers (4):* Nathaniel Eberly-Rodriguez (Jr.-Wayne St.), Eli Davis (So.-Carson-Newman), Daniel Green (Fr.-Jackson, Tenn.), John McIntyre (Fr.-Athens, Ala.)

### Notes to Know...

- Tale of the Tape for the room (average size): 6-3, 240
- Gibson has played 29 career games for the Mocs dating back to

his transfer from Western Kentucky prior to the 2019 season.

- Restelli redshirted in 2023 but saw action in two games, both in the state of Alabama. His two games played were at Samford and Alabama.

- Eberly-Rodriguez played in 16 games with six starts at Wayne State recording 12 catches for 214 yards and a TD.

- McIntyre registered nearly 1200 all-purpose yards at Athens High School in 2023 with 667 rushing, 503 receiving and 23 returning. He had 19 touchdowns (14 rush/5 receiving).

- Green posted 11 TD receptions at Jackson Christian helping lead the Eagles to a 37-11 mark during his career.

- Davis transferred from Carson-Newman after spring ball. He played in six games as a freshman listed as a linebacker.

### 2024 Offensive Line Room

*Starters Returning/Lost (4/2):*

Dave Monnot III (pictured), Almarion Crim, Reid Williams, Bryce Goodner | Griffin McDowell, Jeremiah Katt

*Letter Winners Returning/Lost (6/6):* Will Buchanan, Jacob Klein | JD Broussard, Nick Cerimele, Luke Lane, Malone VanGorder

*Redshirts/Newcomers (4/9):* Aidan Donald, Parker Hollinsworth, Tyrell Ragland, Keaton Warren | Watts Alexander, Tracy Jackson, Bubba Jeffries, Devin Lively, Jules Ney, Nick Paul, B.J. Ragland, Tre Thompson, Christian Va'a



### Notes to Know...

- Williams (22) has the third most career starts on the team behind DT Marlon Taylor (25) and WR Sam Phillips (24).

- Crim, Monnot III & Williams started all but one game together in 2023. Williams and Monnot III are two of 10 Mocs who started all 13 games a year ago... two of five returning.

- Three of the last four Jacobs Blocking Award winners in the SoCon came from Chattanooga: 2020-21 (Strange), 2021 (Strange) & 2022 (Curtis).

- 2023 o-line ranked second in the nation in pass blocking per PFF College. The 88.9 grade was second only to Oregon. That grade was buoyed by ZERO sacks and just 2.0 TFLs at Alabama in the regular season finale.

- Unit was key to offense leading the SoCon and ranking 10th nationally in time of possession (32:27).

- Unit allowed a mere 3.85 tackles for loss per contest (9th in the country) and just 1.31 sacks (20th).

- O-line has major responsibility in the offense amassing 8.835 rushing yards since Rusty Wright's arrival in 2019... a shade under 170 yards per game.



### 2024 Secondary Rooms

*Starters Returning/Lost (3/2):* Josh Battle, Reuben Lowery III, Jordan Walker (pictured) | Kam Brown, Telly Plummer

*Letter Winners Returning/Lost (10/5):* D.J. Adams, Kam Baah-Slay, Jeremiah Batiste, Battle, Chayce Bishop, Demetrius Coleman, Josh Jones, Meshach Jones, Lowery, Walker | Brown, Plummer, Clay Fields III, Cardavion Myers, Romeo Wykle

*Redshirts/Newcomers (2/5):* Christian Harris, Martez Cooksey, Jr. | Rickie Davis, Jr., Treyvon Hobbs, Beni Mwamba, Taylor Smallwood, Amaari Smith

### Notes to Know...

- Four Mocs have career starts in the secondary: Walker (21), Battle (20), Lowery (18) & Coleman (3).

- Lowery was top 10 in the SoCon in tackles for loss (8.5) in 2022.

- Walker tied Kam Brown for the team lead in interceptions in 2023 with three apiece.

- Walker (73) and Battle (70) ranked second and third in tackles on the Mocs 2023 edition between linebackers Alex Mitchell (78) and Kobe Joseph (59).

- Hobbs became the second Ivy League transfer to the defense. Last year, LB Kobe Joseph made the journey from Harvard. This time it's a Brown graduate.

- The secondary is quietly an NFL breeding ground in the Scenic City with Fields looking to join long-time performers Buster Skrine '11 and Chris Lewis-Harris '11 as well as Super Bowl Champ Kareem Orr (L.A. Rams) on an NFL roster in the last 10 years.

- Brown was a 2-time All-American at corner for the Mocs (2022, 2023).



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## 2024 Linebacker Room

*Starters Returning/Lost (2/0):* Alex Mitchell (pictured), Kobe Joseph  
*Letter Winners Returning/Lost (6/1):* Mitchell, Joseph, Kameron Brown, Kendall Jackson, Zion Rutledge, Connor Delashmitt | Bo Spearman  
*Redshirts/Newcomers (0/2):* Amanuel Dickson (Jan. enrollee), Landon Feggins

### Notes to Know...

- The room combined for three interceptions – Joseph (2-60) & Mitchell (1-38) – and 98 return yards in '23. Add in three fumble recoveries and that's six of the

program's 20 turnovers gained.

- Of the six returning letter winners, five were credited with eight or more games played.
- Of the eight linebackers currently on campus, six are home grown (Mitchell, Rutledge, Jackson, Delashmitt, Dickson, Feggins) along with two transfers (Brown-Auburn, Joseph-Harvard).
- Mitchell has played 22 of a possible 24 games over his two seasons with 94 tackles. Mitchell has not redshirted nor has Rutledge who is a year behind him.
- History favors the room under Wright with five all-conference selections since 2019: Marshall Cooper (2019) & Ty Boeck (2019, '20-'21, '21 & '22).

## 2024 Defensive Line Rooms

*Starters Returning/Lost (2/2):* Marlon Taylor (pictured), Quay Wiggles | Ben Brewton, Jay Person  
*Letter Winners Returning/Lost (10/6):* Taylor, Wiggles, Marquise Freeman, Jestin Gilmore, Chris Victor, Montrell Henderson, Jamarr Jones, Kelvin Morris, Ky Tayo, E.J. Thomas | Brewton, Person, O'Shea Jackson, Shamar Jones, DeAndre Jones, Nick Charles  
*Redshirts/Newcomers (0/8):* Joseph Bakhole (Sr.-ULM), Jaden Gaines (Jr.-Eastern Michigan), Leroy Harris III (Fr.), Noah Livingston (Jr.-Virginia Union), David Stewart (So.-UT Martin), Gabe Flores (Fr.), Isaiah Harvey (Fr.), C.J. Smith (Fr.)



### Notes to Know...

- The last three SoCon Defensive Players of the Year came out of these rooms: Devonsha Maxwell (2021), Jay Person (2022 & '23). There have been nine

since 2009: DE Josh Beard (2009), DE Davis Tull (2012, 2013, 2014), DE Keionta Davis (2016), DT Isaiah Mack (2018), Maxwell (DT) and Person (DE).

- Marlon Taylor is predicted to make it 10 in 16 seasons as the preseason Defensive Player of the Year in the league.
- Taylor made 30 tackles a year ago with 7.0 for loss (5.0 sacks) from the nose.
- Last time a Moc didn't lead the SoCon in sacks in a full season? 2018 (Isaiah Mack 2nd, 8.5). 2019: Maxwell (7.0-tied), 2021: Maxwell (12.0), 2022: Maxwell/Person (8.0 - Brewton T3 with 7.5) & 2023: Person (9.5).
- 36 sacks in 2023 ranks second all-time (2016: 38). The Mocs recorded 103 over the last three seasons (32-35-36).



## 2024 Special Teams Room

*Starters Returning/Lost (1/2):* Jude Kelley (redshirted after starting first 4 games) | Clayton Crile, Cody Olszewski  
*Letter Winners Returning/Lost (3/4):* Pete Sesterhenn, Brody Gann, Grant Reid | Crile, Olszewski, Jake Hall, Jon Estes,  
*Redshirts/Newcomers (1/4):* Kelley | Gray Kelley (Fr.-K), Alen Karajic (Sr.-K/Jacksonville State), Ethan Myers (Jr.-LS/Austin Peay), Heath Jehu (Fr.-P/Kentucky)

### Notes to Know...

- Nearly complete overhaul of the special teams unit with long-time long snapper Cody Olszewski and grad transfer standout Clayton Crile completing eligibility as did long snapper Jake Hall.
- Jude Kelley is Gray's older brother. The Georgia Tech standout sustained an early injury that he tried to kick through before deciding to sit out the season and rehab. He is fully healthy heading into fall camp.
- Kelley went 8-10 on FG going 7-7 inside 40 yards and 1-3 outside it. His lone of 48 in the win at Samford.
- Myers was a starter at Austin Peay. Oddly enough, his last collegiate game ended on a walk-off field goal by Crile in the Mocs 24-21 triumph over the Gobs in the FCS Playoffs.
- Myers was second team All-UAC in 2023.
- Heath Jehu redshirted at Kentucky in 2023. He was born in Kailua, Hawaii and lived in the UK for five years. He played soccer and water polo as well in high school where he was an all-conference performer at John Carroll Catholic in Birmingham, Ala.
- Karajic is a Chattanooga native (East Hamilton HS). He was a 4-year starter at JSU scoring 293 career points (152-156 PAT/48-67 FG) and kicking 130 touchbacks. His long field goal of 46 yards was done four times.



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## PRESEASON NUMERICAL/ALPHABETICAL ROSTERS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown	Last School	Pronunciation	No.	Name	Pos.
0	Quay Wiggles	DT	6-3	293	Sr.	4	Atlanta, Ga.	Mays	kway	27	Adams, D.J.	DB
2	Alex Mitchell	LB	6-1	230	Jr.	2	Murfreesboro, Tenn.	Riverdale		16	Alberson, Battle	QB
2	Justus Durant	RB	5-9	172	Jr.	TR	Palm Bay, Fla.	Bayside/Shorter		66	Alexander, Watts	OL
3	Reggie Davis	RB	6-0	200	Jr.	1	Montgomery, Ala.	Lee		9	Artopoulos, Chase	QB
4	Jordan Walker	DB	6-0	188	Jr.	4	Lafayette, Ala.	Lafayette		23	Baah-Slay, Kam	DB
4	A.J. Little	WR	5-10	179	Fr.	RS	Macon, Miss.	Noxubee Co.		10	Bakhole, Joseph	DE
5	Kameron Brown	LB	6-1	245	Sr.	1	Sugar Hill, Ga.	Lanier/Auburn		19	Batiste, Jeremiah	DB
5	Chris Domercant	WR	6-1	187	Jr.	TR	Bellingham, Mass.	Bellingham/Stonehill		24	Battle, Josh	DB
6	Javin Whatley	WR	5-10	167	Jr.	2	Rockmart, Ga.	Rockmart	JAY-vihn	25	Bishop, Chayce	DB
7	Reuben Lowery III	DB	5-9	198	Sr.	4	Powder Springs, Ga.	Hillgrove		8	Brooks, Samari	DE
8	Samari Brooks	DE			Jr.	TR	Durham, N.C.	Jordan/Campbell	sah-MAH-ree	5	Brown, Kameron	LB
8	Zaire Thornton	WR	6-1	181	Sr.	1	Atlanta, Ga.	Mays/Tennessee St.	zigh-ear	97	Brown, Will	OL
9	Chase Artopoulos	QB	6-2	198	Sr.	1	Orcutt, Calif.	Saint Joseph/UCLA	ar-TOE-PEE-us	78	Buchanan, Will	OL
10	Joseph Bakhole	DE	6-2	243	Sr.	TR	Charlotte, N.C.	Myers Park/ULM		28	Bussman, Erik	WR
10	Journey Wyche	RB	5-6	187	Fr.	HS	Louisville, Ky.	Ballard		12	Clemmer, Matthew	QB
11	Sam Phillips	WR	5-9	179	Jr.	2	Cartersville, Ga.	Cartersville		16	Coleman, Demetrius	DB
12	Matthew Clemmer	QB	6-5	221	Fr.	RS	Maryville, Tenn.	Maryville		35	Cooksey Jr., Martez	DB
13	Beni Mwamba	DB	6-1	190	Fr.	HS	Erlanger, Ky.	Dixie Heights		52	Crim, Almarion	OL
13	Hudson Gray	WR			Fr.	HS	Dalton, Ga.	NW Whitfield		80	Crumedy, Taylor	WR
14	Josh Jones	DB	5-9	188	Jr.	2	Smyrna, Tenn.	Smyrna		40	Crutcher, AD	DB
15	Taylor Smallwood	DB	6-0	201	Jr.	TR	Lawrenceville, Ga.	North Gwinnett/Lafayette		89	Davis, Eli	TE
15	Josh Williams	WR	6-0	185	Fr.	HS	Anderson, S.C.	Westside		30	Davis, Jr., Rickie	DB
16	Demetrius Coleman	DB	5-11	181	Jr.	2	LaGrange, Ga.	Callaway		3	Davis, Reggie	RB
16	Battle Alberson	QB	6-2	204	Fr.	HS	Gulf Breeze, Fla.	Gulf Breeze		34	Delashmitt, Connor	LB
17	Luke Schomburg	QB	6-4	200	So.	1	Huntsville, Ala.	Sparkman	shaum-BURG	38	Dickson, Amanuel	LB
18	Treyvon Hobbs	DB	5-10	183	Gr.	TR	Jacksonville, Fla.	Raines/Brown		5	Domercant, Chris	WR
19	Jeremiah Batiste	DB	6-1	183	Jr.	1	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Tyner/Miami (Ohio)		69	Donald, Aidan	OL
19	Dallas Williamson	TE			Fr.	HS	Dandridge, Tenn.	Jefferson County		2	Durant, Justus	RB
20	Christian Harris	DB	5-10	157	Fr.	RS	Elberton, Ga.	Elbert Co.		85	Eberly-Rodriguez, Nathaniel	TE
21	Chris Houston	RB	5-9	171	Sr.	2	Chesterfield, Va.	Clover Hill/Charlotte		41	Feggins, Landon	LB
22	Lance Jackson	RB	5-9	197	Sr.	4	Norcross, Ga.	Norcross		59	Flores, Gabe	DT
23	Kam Baah-Slay	DB	6-3	188	So.	1	Nashville, Tenn.	Father Ryan		58	Freeman, Marquise	DE
24	Josh Battle	DB	6-0	195	Jr.	2	Hoschton, Ga.	Mill Creek		43	Gaines, Jaden	DE
24	Eagan Lehman	RB	5-10	175	Fr.	HS	Baldwinsville, N.Y.	Milford		48	Gann, Brody	LS
25	Chayce Bishop	DB	5-10	180	Jr.	1	Franklin, Tenn.	Independence/Ball St.	chase	87	Gibson, Jay	TE
25	Malachi Jeffries	RB	5-11	207	Fr.	RS	Cartersville, Ga.	Cartersville		33	Gilmore, Jestin	DE
26	Jaden Jude	WR	6-4	199	So.	1	Athens, Ala.	Athens		68	Goodner, Bryce	OL
27	D.J. Adams	DB	6-0	160	So.	1	Cleveland, Tenn.	Cleveland		13	Gray, Hudson	WR
28	Erik Bussman	WR			Fr.	HS	Southlake, Texas	Carroll		84	Green, Daniel	TE
29	Amaari Smith	DB	5-11	174	So.	TR	Pahokee, Fla.	Pahokee/Western Kentucky		31	Harris III, Leroy	DE
30	Jr., Rickie Davis	DB	5-10	198	Jr.	TR	Las Vegas, Nev.	Arbor View/Western Kentucky		20	Harris, Christian	DB
31	Leroy Harris III	DE	6-5	230	Fr.	HS	Brentwood, Tenn.	Christ Presbyterian		95	Harvey, Isaiah	DT
32	Kobe Joseph	LB	6-3	241	Sr.	1	Sharpsville, Pa.	Sharpsville/Harvard	KOH-bee	60	Heath, J.J.	LS
33	Jestin Gilmore	DE	6-2	213	So.	1	Tuscaloosa, Ala.	Tuscaloosa		47	Helton, Gavin	LB
34	Connor Delashmitt	LB	5-11	206	So.	1	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Silverdale Bapt. Acad.		91	Henderson, Montrell	DT
34	Solomon Locke	RB	5-10	195	So.	1	Dalton, Ga.	Christian Heritage		18	Hobbs, Treyvon	DB
35	Martez Cooksey, Jr.	DB	5-10	185	Fr.	RS	Antioch, Tenn.	Ensworth		72	Hollinsworth, Parker	OL
36	D'Arco Perkins-McAllister	DB			Jr.	TR	Nashville, Tenn.	Stratford/New Mexico		82	Hood, Jett	WR
37	Tee Perry	RB			Fr.	HS	Memphis, Tenn.	University School		21	Houston, Chris	RB
38	Amanuel Dickson	LB	5-11	197	Fr.	HS	Greeneville, Tenn.	Greeneville		45	Jackson, Kendall	LB
39	Meshach Jones	DB	6-2	190	So.	1	Dyersburg, Tenn.	Dyersburg	mee-shack	22	Jackson, Lance	RB
40	AD Crutcher	DB	5-9	171	Fr.	RS	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Red Bank		62	Jackson, Tracy	OL
41	Landon Feggins	LB	6-1	215	Fr.	HS	Athens, Tenn.	McMinn County		70	Jeffries, Bubba	OL
42	Zion Rutledge	LB	5-11	226	So.	1	Powder Springs, Ga.	Hillgrove		25	Jeffries, Malachi	RB
43	Jaden Gaines	DE	6-4	256	Jr.	TR	Alpharetta, Ga.	Chattahoochee/Eastern Michigan		99	Jehu, Heath	P
44	Grant Reid	LS	6-1	203	Jr.	2	Jackson, Tenn.	Baylor/Tennessee		57	Jones, Jamarr	DT



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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown	Last School	Pronunciation	No.	Name	Pos.
45	Kendall Jackson	LB	6-0	200	So.	1	Oak Ridge, Tenn.	Oak Ridge		14	Jones, Josh	DB
46	Ethan Myers	LS	6-0	223	Jr.	TR	Murfreesboro, Tenn.	Blackman/Austin Peay		39	Jones, Meshach	DB
47	Gavin Helton	LB			Fr.	HS	Memphis, Tenn.	University School		32	Joseph, Kobe	LB
48	Brody Gann	LS	5-10	201	So.	1	Ringgold, Ga.	Ringgold		26	Jude, Jaden	WR
49	Alen Karajic	K	6-4	204	Sr.	TR	Chattanooga, Tenn.	East Hamilton/Jacksonville State		49	Karajic, Alen	K
50	Devin Lively	OL	6-2	290	Fr.	HS	Lebanon, Tenn.	Air Force Prep		77	Keith, Luke	OL
51	Noah Livingston	DE	6-2	231	Jr.	TR	Queensbridge, N.Y.	Buford (Ga.)/Virginia Union		80	Kelley, Gray	K
52	Almarion Crim	OL	6-2	286	Jr.	1	Adamsville, Ala.	Minor/Houston		92	Kelley, Jude	K
53	B.J. Ragland	OL	6-1	288	Jr.	TR	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Red Bank/Charlotte		71	Klein, Jacob	OL
54	CJ Smith	DT	6-2	262	Fr.	HS	Knoxville, Tenn.	Knox West		24	Lehman, Eagan	RB
55	Ky Tayo	DT	5-11	288	So.	1	Columbia, S.C.	Georgia Southern/Spring Valley		4	Little, A.J.	WR
56	Nick Paul	OL	6-2	308	Fr.	HS	Decatur, Ga.	Clarke Central		50	Lively, Devin	OL
57	Jamarr Jones	DT	6-0	240	So.	1	Hendersonville, Tenn.	Pope John Paul II		51	Livingston, Noah	DE
58	Marquise Freeman	DE	6-3	226	Jr.	2	Cocoa, Fla.	Cocoa/Washington St.	mar-KEESE	34	Locke, Solomon	RB
59	Gabe Flores	DT	6-1	259	Fr.	HS	Cincinnati, Ohio	Lakota West		7	Lowery III, Reuben	DB
60	J.J. Heath	LS			Fr.	HS	Cincinnati, Ohio	Turpin		88	McIntyre, John	TE
61	Pete Sesterhenn	P	5-11	182	Fr.	RS	Signal Mountain, Tenn.	Signal Mountain		2	Mitchell, Alex	LB
62	Tracy Jackson	OL	6-2	313	Fr.	HS	Memphis, Tenn.	Whitehaven		79	Monnot III, Dave	OL
63	Jules Ney	OL	6-2	294	Fr.	HS	Wiesbaden, Germany	Rabun Gap		93	Morris, Kelvin	DT
64	Reid Williams	OL	6-1	281	Jr.	4	Ringgold, Ga.	Ringgold		13	Mwamba, Beni	DB
65	Christian Va'a	OL	6-0	300	Jr.	TR	American Samoa	Fagatoga/East Los Angeles College		46	Myers, Ethan	LS
66	Watts Alexander	OL	6-4	274	Fr.	HS	Mountain Brook, Ala.	Mountain Brook		63	Ney, Jules	OL
67	Tyrell Ragland	OL	6-2	308	Jr.	RS	Knoxville, Tenn.	West/Carson-Newman		74	Patton, Eli	OL
68	Bryce Goodner	OL	6-2	298	Jr.	2	Athens, Tenn.	McMinn County/Virginia Tech		56	Paul, Nick	OL
69	Aidan Donald	OL	6-3	253	Fr.	RS	Lebanon, Tenn.	Lebanon		36	Perkins-McAllister, D'Arco	DB
70	Bubba Jeffries	OL	6-3	293	Fr.	TR	Greenback, Tenn.	Alcoa/Indiana		37	Perry, Tee	RB
71	Jacob Klein	OL	6-5	300	So.	1	Rossville, Ga.	Ridgeland		11	Phillips, Sam	WR
72	Parker Hollinsworth	OL	6-1	271	Fr.	RS	White House, Tenn.	White House		53	Ragland, B.J.	OL
73	Keaton Warren	OL	6-5	284	Fr.	RS	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Chattanooga Christian		67	Ragland, Tyrell	OL
74	Eli Patton	OL			Fr.	HS	Athens, Tenn.	McMinn County		44	Reid, Grant	LS
76	Tre Thompson	OL	6-1	318	So.	TR	Chattanooga, Tenn.	McCallie/Union (Ky.)		81	Restelli, Dalton	TE
77	Luke Keith	OL			Fr.	HS	Cleveland, Tenn.	Bradley Central		83	Rozier, Matt	WR
78	Will Buchanan	OL	6-6	323	Jr.	1	Asheville, N.C.	Christ/Liberty		42	Rutledge, Zion	LB
79	Dave Monnot III	OL	6-5	281	Sr.	2	Joliet, Ill.	Catholic/Purdue	mah-noh	17	Schomburg, Luke	QB
80	Gray Kelley	K	6-0	199	Fr.	HS	Acworth, Ga.	Allatoona		61	Sesterhenn, Pete	P
80	Taylor Crumedy	WR	5-10	150	Fr.	HS	Cortelyou, Ala.	Leroy		15	Smallwood, Taylor	DB
81	Dalton Restelli	TE	6-4	230	Fr.	RS	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Baylor		29	Smith, Amaari	DB
82	Jett Hood	WR			Fr.	HS	Jacksonville, Fla.	Providence		54	Smith, CJ	DT
83	Matt Rozier	WR	5-11	184	Fr.	RS	Huntsville, Ala.	Sparkman	row-zeer	98	Stewart, David	DE
84	Daniel Green	TE			Fr.	HS	Jackson, Tenn.	Jackson Christian		86	Swafford, Brody	WR
85	N. Eberly-Rodriguez	TE	6-4	246	Jr.	TR	Petoskey, Mich.	Petoskey/Wayne State		94	Taylor, Marlon	DT
86	Brody Swafford	WR	6-0	189	Jr.	2	Cleveland, Tenn.	Walker Valley/Austin Peay		55	Tayo, Ky	DT
87	Jay Gibson	TE	6-5	255	Sr.	5	Cleveland, Tenn.	McCallie/Western Kentucky		90	Thomas, EJ	DT
88	John McIntyre	TE	6-3	230	Fr.	HS	Athens, Ala.	Athens		76	Thompson, Tre	OL
89	Eli Davis	TE	6-0	240	So.	TR	Clinton, Tenn.	Anderson County/Carson-Newman		8	Thornton, Zaire	WR
90	EJ Thomas	DT	6-3	310	Sr.	1	Pritchard, Ala.	Vigor/Contra Costa CC		65	Va'a, Christian	OL
91	Montrell Henderson	DT	6-2	292	So.	1	Riverdale, Ga.	Charles Drew		96	Victor, Chris	DE
92	Jude Kelley	K	6-2	187	Sr.	1	Acworth, Ga.	Allatoona/Georgia Tech		4	Walker, Jordan	DB
93	Kelvin Morris	DT	6-1	284	Jr.	2	Hartselle, Ala.	Hartselle		73	Warren, Keaton	OL
94	Marlon Taylor	DT	6-2	317	Sr.	4	Brunswick, Ga.	Glynn Academy		6	Whatley, Javin	WR
95	Isaiah Harvey	DT	6-0	253	Fr.	HS	Warner Robins, Ga.	Northside		0	Wiggles, Quay	DT
96	Chris Victor	DE	6-4	235	Sr.	1	Jacksonville, Fla.	Terry Parker/Mississippi Valley State		15	Williams, Josh	WR
97	Will Brown	OL	6-0	259	Fr.	RS	Memphis, Tenn.	Lausanne		64	Williams, Reid	OL
98	David Stewart	DE	6-0	220	So.	TR	Germantown, Tenn.	Germantown/UT Martin		19	Williamson, Dallas	TE
99	Heath Jehu	P	6-0	175	Fr.	TR	Birmingham, Ala.	John Carroll Catholic/Kentucky		10	Wyche, Journey	RB



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### Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
09/02/2023	at North Ala.	L	27-41	9361
09/09/2023	Kennesaw St.	W	27-20	8123
* 09/16/2023	The Citadel	W	48-3	6440
* 09/23/2023	at Samford	W	47-24	10870
* 09/30/2023	at Wofford	W	23-13	2956
* 10/07/2023	Western Caro.	L	50-52	8978
* 10/14/2023	at Mercer	W	22-10	8729
* 10/21/2023	ETSU	W	34-3	8144
* 10/28/2023	at VMI	W	24-23	5318
* 11/04/2023	Furman	L	14-17	9201
11/18/2023	at Alabama	L	10-66	100077
11/25/2023	at Austin Peay	W	24-21	7249
12/02/2023	at Furman	L	7-26	8117

### Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	8-5	3-2	5-3	0-0
CONFERENCE	6-2	2-2	4-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	2-3	1-0	1-3	0-0

### Team Statistics

	UTC	OPP
<b>First Downs</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>217</b>
Rushing	94	95
Passing	146	110
Penalty	33	12
<b>Rushing Yardage</b>	<b>1810</b>	<b>2086</b>
Rushing attempts	476	430
Average per rush	3.8	4.9
Average per game	139.2	160.5
TDs Rushing	16	21
<b>Passing Yardage</b>	<b>3189</b>	<b>2535</b>
Comp-Att-Int	230-384-12	217-366-10
Average per pass	8.3	6.9
Average per catch	13.9	11.7
Average per game	245.3	195.0
TDs Passing	22	16
<b>Total offense</b>	<b>4999</b>	<b>4621</b>
Average per play	5.8	5.8
Average per game	384.5	355.5
<b>Kick returns: #-Yards</b>	<b>22-457</b>	<b>32-649</b>
<b>Punt returns: #-Yards</b>	<b>13-92</b>	<b>21-303</b>
<b>Int returns: #-Yards</b>	<b>10-186</b>	<b>12-185</b>
<b>Fumbles-Lost</b>	<b>10-4</b>	<b>17-10</b>
<b>Penalties-Yards</b>	<b>63-510</b>	<b>84-804</b>
<b>Punts-Avg</b>	<b>61-41.3</b>	<b>65-40.9</b>
<b>Time of possession / game</b>	<b>32:27</b>	<b>27:33</b>
<b>3rd-down conversion</b>	<b>64/168</b>	<b>65/174</b>
<b>4rd-down conversion</b>	<b>4/8</b>	<b>8/17</b>
<b>PAT-attempts</b>	<b>(38-39) 97%</b>	<b>(37-39) 95%</b>
<b>2-point conversion-attempts</b>	<b>(2-2) 100%</b>	<b>(0-0) 0%</b>

### Rushing

Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Gino Appleberry	12	180	777	24	753	4.2	8	41	62.8
Ailym Ford	7	119	505	20	485	4.1	4	21	69.3
Reggie Davis	7	65	329	7	322	5.0	2	45	46.0
Chase Artopoulos	11	58	226	79	147	2.5	1	16	13.4
Chris Houston	10	31	107	6	101	3.3	0	19	10.1
Lance Jackson	9	11	27	5	22	2.0	1	8	2.4
Javin Whatley	13	3	9	0	9	3.0	0	6	0.7
Jamoi Mayes	13	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	0.2
Luke Schomburg	7	3	0	17	-17	-5.7	0	0	-2.4
Team	13	5	0	15	-15	-3.0	0	0	-1.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>1983</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>1810</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>139.2</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>2389</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>2086</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>160.5</b>

### Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Chase Artopoulos	11	155.5	187-298-7	62.8	2672	20	70	242.9
Luke Schomburg	7	106.1	43-82-3	52.4	517	2	57	73.9
Matthew Clemmer	1	-100.0	0-2-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Javin Whatley	13	-200.0	0-1-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Team	13	180.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>142.3</b>	<b>230-384-12</b>	<b>59.9</b>	<b>3189</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>245.3</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>126.4</b>	<b>217-366-10</b>	<b>59.3</b>	<b>2535</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>195.0</b>

### Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Jamoi Mayes	13	62	1037	16.7	4	70	79.8
Sam Phillips	13	60	624	10.4	4	31	48.0
Javin Whatley	13	55	977	17.8	9	67	75.2
Camden Overton	13	13	93	7.2	1	17	7.2
Gino Appleberry	12	11	92	8.4	0	19	7.7
Zaire Thornton	11	7	65	9.3	0	18	5.9
Jay Gibson	6	6	81	13.5	0	23	13.5
Ailym Ford	7	4	11	2.8	0	6	1.6
Chris Houston	10	4	56	14.0	1	36	5.6
Reggie Davis	7	3	12	4.0	0	14	1.7
Evan Brown	11	2	24	12.0	1	19	2.2
Tyler Smith	7	1	47	47.0	1	47	6.7
Brody Swafford	12	1	13	13.0	0	13	1.1
A.J. Little	2	1	57	57.0	1	57	28.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>3189</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>245.3</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>2535</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>195.0</b>

### Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Kameron Brown	3	88	29.3	1	78
Jordan Walker	3	0	0.0	0	0
Kobe Joseph	2	60	30.0	0	45
Clayborne Fields III	1	0	0.0	0	0
Alex Mitchell	1	38	38.0	1	38
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>78</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>48</b>



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## Team Defense

##	Player	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	no-yds		int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf	
41	Alex Mitchell	11	39	39	78	2.5-7	1-6	1-38	3	3	.	3	.	.	
28	Jordan Walker	13	38	35	73	5.5-16	1.5-7	3-0	1	.	.	1	.	.	
24	Josh Battle	13	42	28	70	1-2	.	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.	
32	Kobe Joseph	12	27	31	58	5-14	2-9	2-60	2	1	.	.	.	.	
30	Jay Person	12	28	28	56	17-76	9.5-54	.	1	6	.	3	.	.	
3	Clayborne Fields III	11	36	13	49	2-10	.	1-0	9	1	.	.	.	.	
31	Bo Spearman	13	24	22	46	2.5-5	.	.	2	2	2-0	.	.	.	
53	Ben Brewton	13	17	18	35	10.5-63	8-56	.	1	10	.	2	.	.	
15	Kameron Brown	13	27	6	33	1-4	.	3-88	5	.	.	.	.	.	
29	Telly Plummer	13	26	6	32	2.5-3	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	
4	Romeo Wykle	13	22	9	31	.	.	.	3	.	1-0	.	.	.	
94	Marlon Taylor	13	17	13	30	8.5-21	5-17	.	.	3	1-0	.	.	.	
5	Kameron Brown	13	19	11	30	1.5-3	0.5-2	.	1	2	1-0	.	.	.	
91	Montrell Henderson	13	9	20	29	1.5-5	0.5-4	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
7	Reuben Lowery III	9	16	10	26	1-8	1-8	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	
0	Quay Wiggles	12	11	14	25	5-23	3-19	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	
96	Chris Victor	12	5	7	12	0.5-6	0.5-6	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	
57	Jamarr Jones	13	3	8	11	2.5-13	2.5-13	.	2	5	1-5	.	.	.	
90	E.J. Thomas	10	5	5	10	1.5-2	0.5-1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
42	Zion Rutledge	9	3	6	9	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
51	Shamar Jones	10	4	4	8	0.5-0	.	.	.	2	1-0	.	.	.	
58	Marquise Freeman	12	5	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
16	Demetrius Coleman	10	3	4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
25	Chayce Bishop	13	5	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
27	D.J. Adams	8	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
23	Kam Baah-Slay	9	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
8	Gino Appleberry	12	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
19	Jeremiah Batiste	6	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
33	Jestin Gilmore	8	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
21	Chris Houston	10	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
6	Javin Whatley	13	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
98	Clayton Crile	13	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
56	Jeremiah Katt	12	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
10	Cardavion Myers	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
52	Almarion Crim	12	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
64	Reid Williams	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
89	Evan Brown	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
2	Jamoi Mayes	13	1	.	1	1-12	.	.	.	.	1-4	1	.	.	
99	Nick Charles	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
9	Chase Artopoeus	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	
17	Luke Schomburg	7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
	<b>Totals</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>809</b>	<b>74-294</b>	<b>36-202</b>	<b>10-186</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>10-9</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
	Opponents	13	454	398	852	50-151	17-87	12-185	49	31	4-4	4	2	0	



# 2024 Mocs Football Quick Facts/Notes



## 2023-24 Chattanooga Football Combined Team Statistics All games

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### Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Clayton Crile	15-22	68.2	0-0	3-4	8-10	4-7	0-1	48	1
Jude Kelley	8-10	80.0	0-0	6-6	1-1	1-2	0-1	48	0
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>16-20</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>6-7</b>	<b>6-9</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>0</b>

### Scoring

Player	td	fg	PAT					dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass	pr			
Clayton Crile	-	15-22	21-21	-	-	-	-	-	-	66
Javin Whatley	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54
Gino Appleberry	8	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	50
Jude Kelley	-	8-10	17-18	-	-	-	-	-	-	41
Jamoi Mayes	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Ailym Ford	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	24
Sam Phillips	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Reggie Davis	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Camden Overton	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	8
Chase Artopoulos	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Tyler Smith	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Kameron Brown	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Lance Jackson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Evan Brown	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Chris Houston	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Alex Mitchell	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
A.J. Little	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>23-32</b>	<b>38-39</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>357</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>16-20</b>	<b>37-39</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>319</b>

### Scoring by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Chattanooga	85	136	64	72	0	357
Opponents	62	84	86	87	0	319

### Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Clayton Crile	57	2421	42.5	67	3	15	16	13	0
Chase Artopoulos	2	72	36.0	42	1	0	1	0	0
Luke Schomburg	1	29	29.0	29	0	0	1	0	0
Team	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>2522</b>	<b>41.3</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>2656</b>	<b>40.9</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>

### Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Jamoi Mayes	9	54	6.0	0	12
Sam Phillips	4	38	9.5	0	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>85</b>

### Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Javin Whatley	21	440	21.0	0	38
Jamoi Mayes	1	17	17.0	0	17
<b>Total</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>20.8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>20.3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>70</b>

### All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Javin Whatley	13	9	977	0	440	0	1426	109.7
Jamoi Mayes	13	3	1037	54	17	0	1111	85.5
Gino Appleberry	12	753	92	0	0	0	845	70.4
Sam Phillips	13	0	624	38	0	0	662	50.9
Ailym Ford	7	485	11	0	0	0	496	70.9
Reggie Davis	7	322	12	0	0	0	334	47.7
Chris Houston	10	101	56	0	0	0	157	15.7
Chase Artopoulos	11	147	0	0	0	0	147	13.4
Camden Overton	13	0	93	0	0	0	93	7.2
Kameron Brown	13	0	0	0	0	88	88	6.8
Jay Gibson	6	0	81	0	0	0	81	13.5
Zaire Thornton	11	0	65	0	0	0	65	5.9
Kobe Joseph	12	0	0	0	0	60	60	5.0
A.J. Little	2	0	57	0	0	0	57	28.5
Tyler Smith	7	0	47	0	0	0	47	6.7
Alex Mitchell	11	0	0	0	0	38	38	3.5
Evan Brown	11	0	24	0	0	0	24	2.2
Lance Jackson	9	22	0	0	0	0	22	2.4
Brody Swafford	12	0	13	0	0	0	13	1.1
Luke Schomburg	7	-17	0	0	0	0	-17	-2.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1810</b>	<b>3189</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>5734</b>	<b>441.1</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2086</b>	<b>2535</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>5758</b>	<b>442.9</b>

### Total Offense

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Chase Artopoulos	11	356	147	2672	2819	256.3
Gino Appleberry	12	180	753	0	753	62.8
Luke Schomburg	7	85	-17	517	500	71.4
Ailym Ford	7	119	485	0	485	69.3
Reggie Davis	7	65	322	0	322	46.0
Chris Houston	10	31	101	0	101	10.1
Lance Jackson	9	11	22	0	22	2.4
Javin Whatley	13	4	9	0	9	0.7
Jamoi Mayes	13	1	3	0	3	0.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>860</b>	<b>1810</b>	<b>3189</b>	<b>4999</b>	<b>384.5</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>796</b>	<b>2086</b>	<b>2535</b>	<b>4621</b>	<b>355.5</b>