

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

GAMEDAY

Date	September 7, 2024
Time	6:00 PM
Venue	Crown Field at Andy Kerr Stadium
Capacity	10,221

LIVE COVERAGE

TV

ESPN+
Eric Malanoski (Play By Play)
Terry Dow (Analyst)

RADIO

Villanova Sports Radio Network
AM 1480, FM 102.5, FM 104.1 (Trenton)
Ryan Fannon (Play By Play)
Kevin Reilly (Analyst)

ALL-TIME SERIES

VILLANOVA LEADS 5-1

First Meeting	1978
First Villanova Win	1997 (49-28)
First Colgate Win	1978 (20-14)

Last Meeting	2023
Last Villanova Win	2023 (42-19)
Last Colgate Win	1978 (20-14)

Mark Ferrante vs. Colgate	2-0
Stan Dakosty vs. Villanova	0-1

at Villanova	3-1
at Colgate	2-0
in the FCS playoffs	2-0

Current Streak	W6 (1997-2001-02-08-19-23)
Longest Streak	W6 (1997-2001-02-08-19-23)

THE MATCHUP



VILLANOVA

NicknameWildcats
ConferenceCAA Football
Record1-0 (0-0 CAA)
Stats Perform FCS Poll.....#5
AFCA FCS Coaches Poll.....#5
Head CoachMark Ferrante
Career Record.....48-29
Villanova Record.....48-29
LocationVillanova, Pa.
Founded.....1842
Enrollment.....6,584
ColorsBlue and White



COLGATE

NicknameRaiders
ConferencePatriot League
Record.....0-1 (0-0 Patriot)
Stats Perform FCS Polln/a
AFCA FCS Coaches Poll.....n/a
Head CoachStan Dakosty
Career Record.....14-20
Colgate Record.....14-20
LocationHamilton, N.Y.
Founded.....1819
Enrollment.....2,982
ColorsMaroon, Gray and White

VILLANOVA SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Location	Time/Result	Att.
8.29	(25/23) Youngstown State	Villanova, Pa.	W, 24-17	5,421
9.7	@ Colgate	Hamilton, N.Y.	6:00 PM	
9.14	Towson (CAA)	Villanova, Pa.	3:30 PM	
9.21	@ Maryland	College Park, Md.	TBA	
9.28	LIU	Villanova, Pa.	6:00 PM	
10.5	@ Stony Brook (CAA)	Stony Brook, N.Y.	3:30 PM	
10.12	@ Maine (CAA)	Orono, Maine	1:00 PM	
10.26	New Hampshire (CAA)	Villanova, Pa.	3:30 PM	
11.2	@ Hampton (CAA)	Hampton, Va.	1:00 PM	
11.9	North Carolina A&T (CAA)	Villanova, Pa.	1:00 PM	
11.16	@ Monmouth (CAA)	West Long Branch, N.J.	12:00 PM	
11.23	Delaware (CAA)	Villanova, Pa.	1:00 PM	

TONIGHT'S GAME

■ Villanova plays Colgate this week for the second straight year and the eighth time ever. It is the first visit to Hamilton for the Wildcats since a rare Week 0 game in 2019 which VU won by a 34-14 score.

■ Villanova owns the second-longest active winning streak in season openers among FCS teams after winning its eighth straight lidlifter last week against Youngstown State. The start of the streak in 2017 coincides with the start of the Mark Ferrante coaching era.

■ Villanova has won 17 straight regular season games against FCS non-conference opponents. The streak began with the 2016 season and in the 17 games the Wildcats own an average margin of victory of +26.9 points.

■ Villanova is 41-4 (.911) against the Patriot League since becoming an FCS member in 1985. The record includes 17 consecutive wins since a 27-24 loss to Fordham on September 7, 2013. Colgate is the lone Patriot League foe on this year's Villanova schedule.

■ Villanova had a perfect +3 turnover margin in last week's season opener thanks to a pair of interceptions and one fumble recovery. The Wildcats offense did not commit a single turnover in the contest. Last season, VU had at least one turnover in all 13 of its games played.

■ Senior linebacker **Richie Kimmel** is this week's CAA Football Defensive Player of the Week and redshirt freshman running back **Isaiah Ragland** was named the CAA Football Rookie of the Week (see more on page 2).

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QUICK FACTS

Villanova University	
Location	Villanova, Pa.
Founded	1842
Enrollment	6,584
President	Rev. Peter M. Donohue, O.S.A.
Athletic Director	Mark Jackson
Colors	Blue and White
Nickname	Wildcats

Athletics History

Team National Championships	21
Individual National Champions	120
Team Conference Championships	129

Villanova Football

Affiliation	FCS
Conference	CAA Football
First Year	1894
All-Time Record	660-502-41 (.566)
Bowl Games	5
FCS Playoff Appearances	15
Last Playoff Appearance	2023
National Championships	1

Head Coach

Head Coach	Mark Ferrante
Years at Villanova	35
Years as Head Coach	Sixth Season
Career Record	48-29 (.623)

Stadium

Stadium	Villanova Stadium
Capacity	12,000
Surface	Astroplay (artificial grass)
Press Box Phone	610-519-5290
All-Time Record	264-112-5 (.699)

Award Winners

Walter Payton Awards	3
Jerry Rice Awards	1
First Team All-Americans	31
Major Confence Awards	21
All-Conference Honorees	342
Academic All-Americans	14
CAA Football Scholar-Athletes of the Year	4
Academic All-Conference Honorees	837

2024 Team Information

Offensive Formation	Multiple
Defensive Formation	Multiple
Letterwinners Returning	65
Letterwinners Lost	27
Offensive Starters Returning/Lost	6/5
Defensive Starters Returning/Lost	5/6
Specialists Returning/Lost	0/5
2023 Overall Record	10-3
2023 Conference Record	7-1

VILLANOVA NOTEBOOK

SETTING THE STAGE

- Villanova plays its first road game of the 2024 season when it visits Colgate on Saturday afternoon. The teams are meeting for the second straight year and the eighth time overall, while the Wildcats will be making their first visit to Hamilton, N.Y. since a rare Week 0 game between the teams which opened the 2019 campaign. Villanova is coming off a 24-17 win over Youngstown State last week, its eighth straight lid-lifting win dating back to 2017. The Raiders lost their season opener to CAA Football member Maine, 17-14, last week.

VILLANOVA UPDATE

- After the opening weekend of the college football season, the Wildcats own the second-longest active winning streak in season openers among FCS teams. Villanova defeated Youngstown State last week, 24-17, to win its season opener for the eighth straight year. Sixth year quarterback **Connor Watkins** rushed for 107 yards and two touchdowns in the win, while the linebacker trio of **Shane Hartzell**, **Brendan Bell** and **Richie Kimmel** all tallied double digits in tackles. Kimmel had the best game of his career with a career-high 10 total stops, his first career interception and his second career fumble recovery.

POLLING PLACES

- Following its season-opening win over Youngstown State last week, Villanova moved up a spot in both FCS national polls this week and is currently at No. 5 in both the Stats Perform FCS Top 25 ranking and the AFCA FCS Coaches Poll.

WEEKLY HONORS

- Senior linebacker **Richie Kimmel** and redshirt freshman running back **Isaiah Ragland** were recognized by CAA Football this week for their play in last week's season opener. Kimmel was named the league's Defensive Player of the Week and is a weekly honoree for the first time in his career. He registered a career-high 10 tackles, notched his first career interception and picked up his second career fumble recovery in the Wildcats win over Youngstown State.

Ragland is the first CAA Football Rookie of the Week for the 2024 season after he rushed for 65 yards and his first career touchdown versus the Penguins. Ragland played in four games as a true freshman last season and was named the CAA Football Rookie of the Week on October 16, 2023 after he rushed for 126 yards in a 21-0 win over league foe Elon. He played few enough games to retain his rookie eligibility in 2024 and Ragland becomes the first player in Villanova history to earn league Rookie of the Week accolades in more than one season.

SERIES STUFF

- Villanova leads the all-time series against Colgate by a 6-1 margin. The only loss came in the first-ever meeting between the teams, a 20-14 Colgate win at Villanova Stadium during Homecoming Weekend on October 14, 1978. After that, the teams did not meet again until November 29, 1997 in a first round FCS playoff game which the Wildcats won by a 49-28 margin. It was the first postseason victory in Villanova's FCS era (since 1985) and came on the heels of the program's only unbeaten and untied regular season as an FCS team. Wildcats head coach **Mark Ferrante** is 2-0 against the Raiders in his career, including a 34-14 win at Colgate in a 2019 Week 0 game and a 42-19 home victory last year.

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RECORDS WERE BROKEN

- Villanova played its 2023 home opener against Colgate and tallied a 42-19 victory, though the game will not be remembered for the final score or for the two weather delays totaling just under two hours which made for a long night for everyone in attendance. No, the memorable nature of the contest have to do with the six school records that **Connor Watkins** set in the contest when he threw for 310 yards despite attempting just 11 passes and tallying eight completions.

VILLANOVA RECORDS SET BY CONNOR WATKINS IN 2023 COLGATE GAME

- ▶ Passing Yards Per Completion (38.75)
- ▶ Passing Yards Per Attempt (28.18)
- ▶ Passing Efficiency (369.5)
- ▶ Total Offense, Average Yards Per Play (17.17)
- ▶ Fewest pass completions in a 300+ yard passing game
- ▶ Fewest pass attempts in a 300+ yard passing game

PATRIOT LEAGUE SUCCESS

- Since becoming an FCS program in 1985, the Wildcats own a 41-4 (.911) record against the teams that currently make up the Patriot League. The record includes a streak of 17 consecutive wins over the Patriot League since a 27-24 loss to Fordham on September 7, 2013. Since that setback, Villanova has won 17 straight games against Patriot League foes while facing six of the league's seven members at least once.

SEASON OPENERS

- Villanova has won its season opener ever year of the **Mark Ferrante** head coaching era which began in 2017. Following the results of the first two weekends of the 2024 college football season (Week 0 and Week 1), the Wildcats eight straight wins in season openers is the second-longest active streak among FCS programs. Montana won its 10th straight season opener on August 31 and owns the only active FCS streak ahead of Villanova. The third-longest active streak is seven straight wins by Princeton, which does not open the 2024 campaign until September 21. Overall, since becoming an FCS program (in 1985) the Wildcats are 22-18 in season openers. Just two of the 18 losses have come to other FCS teams, with the rest coming in games against FBS foes.

LONGEST CURRENT WIN STREAKS IN SEASON OPENERS (FCS FOOTBALL)

10	Montana	defeated Missouri State, 29-24, on August 31
8	Villanova	defeated Youngstown State, 24-17, on August 29
7	Princeton	opens the 2024 season at Lehigh on September 21

FRIENDLY CONFINES

- Villanova won its 10th straight home game with last week's 24-17 victory over Youngstown State. The winning streak began with a 31-29 win over UAlbany on October 22, 2022 and includes an unblemished home record (6-0) during the 2023 season. The last home loss for the Wildcats was a 49-42 setback to Monmouth on September 24, 2022. Villanova Stadium opened in 1927 and this is the Wildcats 98th season of football inside their venerable home. Villanova is 264-112-5 (.699) all-time in the venue.

VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY

ABOUT THE SCHOOL

Since 1842, Villanova University's Augustinian Catholic intellectual tradition has been the cornerstone of an academic community in which students learn to think critically, act compassionately and succeed while serving others. There are more than 10,000 undergraduate, graduate and law students in the University's six colleges – the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, the Villanova School of Business, the College of Engineering, the M. Louise Fitzpatrick College of Nursing, the College of Professional Studies and the Villanova University Charles Widger School of Law. Ranked among the nation's top universities, Villanova supports its students' intellectual growth and prepares them to become ethical leaders who create positive change everywhere life takes them.

VILLANOVA ATHLETICS

Villanova University has a long and storied athletics history defined by excellence both in competition and in the classroom. The Villanova Athletics Department is a community of student-athletes, coaches and staff whose primary focus is to achieve academic excellence, while striving to produce teams and individuals committed to athletic competition and outstanding performance. Villanova Athletics sponsors 24 varsity sports, which together include more than 500 student-athletes. In the classroom, these Villanova student-athletes have registered a grade-point average higher than a 3.0 for 42 consecutive semesters. Three Villanova student-athletes have been named Rhodes Scholars, with numerous others earning Academic All-America distinction. Villanova's athletics history includes 21 NCAA team national championships, as well as more than 100 conference championships. In addition, at least one Villanovan has participated in every Summer Olympics since 1948. Villanova is a member of the BIG EAST Conference, CAA Football, Coastal Athletic Association (Rowing) and Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference (Water Polo).

ACADEMICS

The GPA for more than 500 student-athletes during the Spring 2024 semester was 3.489, making it 13 straight semesters that student-athletes have had a GPA of 3.3 or higher. Success in the classroom has been across-the-board for Villanova Athletics, with every one of the 24 varsity sports programs posting a team GPA over a 3.0 in each of the last five semesters.

The most recent NCAA data to be released was the Academic Progress Rate (APR) update in June 2024 in which Villanova Athletics had 13 teams achieve a perfect 1000 score. Only seven Division I schools nationwide and four outside of the Ivy League had as many as 13 teams with a perfect 1000 score. Villanova's overall multi-year score rose one point to 997. The football team's score of 982 led all CAA schools.

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TALE OF THE TAPE

VU	CATEGORY (2023)	COL
24.0	Scoring Offense	14.0
17.0	Scoring Defense	17.0
21	First Downs	18
15	First Downs Allowed	17
246.0	Rushing Yards/Game	129.0
169.0	Rushing Defense/Game	101.0
90.0	Passing Yards/Game	174.0
152.0	Passing Defense/Game	186.0
336.0	Total Offense/Game	303.0
321.0	Total Defense/Game	287.0
26.5	Kick Return Average	23.0
—	Punt Return Average	—
2-2-0	Interception Returns	—
4-30	Penalties-Yards	6-45
23:48	Time of Possession	29:45
33%	3rd Down Offense	50%
40%	3rd Down Defense	50%
—	4th Down Offense	50%
67%	4th Down Defense	—
67% (2-3)	Red Zone Offense	100% (2-2)
100% (3-3)	Red Zone Defense	100% (3-3)
0-0	Fumbles-Lost	0-0
+3	Turnover Margin	0
50% (1-2)	Field Goals	—
100% (3-3)	PATs	100% (2-2)
1-1	Team Sacks	3-16
2-13	Sacks Allowed	2-13

VILLANOVA LEADERS

PASSING

Connor Watkins 90 (6-17-0, 0 TD)

RUSHING

Connor Watkins 10-107 (2 TD)

Isaiah Ragland 7-65 (1 TD)

David Avit 5-42 (0 TD)

RECEIVING

Ja'briel Mace 1-35 (0 TD)

Daniel Lopes 1-23 (0 TD)

TACKLES

Shane Hartzell 11 (7-4; 0.0 TFL)

Brendan Bell 11 (5-6; 1.5 TFL)

Richie Kimmel 10 (2-8; 0.0 TFL)

COLGATE LEADERS

PASSING

Michael Brescia 174 (17-27-1, 0 TD)

RUSHING

Michael Brescia 13-61 (1 TD)

Brendan Cassamajor 6-24 (1 TD)

RECEIVING

Brady Hutchison 5-72 (0 TD)

Winston Moore 2-44 (0 TD)

Treyvhon Saunders 4-32 (0 TD)

TACKLES

Cole Kozlowski 10 (4-6; 0.0 TFL)

Asauni Allen 7 (5-2; 0.0 TFL)

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TOP 25 WIN

■ Villanova improved to 14-11 against FCS nationally-ranked opponents during the **Mark Ferrante** head coaching era with last Thursday's 24-17 win over then-No. 25 Youngstown State. In all but five of the games Ferrante has coached against an FCS ranked opponent, the Wildcats themselves have been ranked. Villanova is 11-9 under Ferrante in these Top 25 battles and is 8-4 against ranked teams at home during the Ferrante era. Last week's game was the only FCS Top 25 matchup during the first week of the season. *See the table at the bottom of Page 7 for a chart of Villanova's record against ranked teams since 1985.*

FIVE AND DIME

■ Villanova is the only current CAA Football member to have won at least a share of two league titles over the **last five seasons**. Over these last five years (2020-24) the Wildcats have the highest winning percentage among the current CAA membership with a 29-13 (.690) mark, including a 20-8 record in regular season league games.

Expanding the snapshot to the **last 10 seasons** (2015-24), Villanova is still one of just three CAA Football members (Richmond and William & Mary are the others) to have won at least a share of two league championships. Over the last 10 seasons the Wildcats have an overall record of 63-38 (.624) and are tied with North Carolina A&T for the most wins in that stretch among current league membership. Villanova has gone 41-27 in regular season CAA Football contests.

CURRENT CAA FOOTBALL MEMBERSHIP

Last 5 Years: Winning Pct. (2020-24)

Villanova (29-13, .690)

Delaware (30-16, .652)

Richmond (27-15, .643)

William & Mary (25-14, .641)

Rhode Island (23-14, .622)

Last 10 Years: Winning Pct. (2015-24)

North Carolina A&T (63-31, .670)

Villanova (63-38, .624)

Richmond (62-42, .596)

Monmouth (56-41, .577)

Delaware (57-46, .553)

NON-CONFERENCE DOMINANCE

■ Villanova has won 17 consecutive regular season games against FCS non-conference opponents. The streak began with the start of the 2016 season and, in the 17 games, the Wildcats have an average margin of victory of 26.9 points per game. Including both the regular season and the FCS playoffs, Villanova is 20-4 (.833) versus non-conference FCS foes since 2016. The trend continued in last week's season opener when the Wildcats tallied a 24-17 win over Youngstown State.

SCORING FIRST

■ Villanova scored the first points of last week's game against Youngstown State on a field goal at the 8:57 mark of the opening quarter. No surprise there. Villanova scored first in 11 of their 13 games played last season. Going back a bit further, during the Mark Ferrante head coaching era (since 2017) the Wildcats have scored first in 52 of their 77 games played. Under Ferrante's watch, Villanova is 40-7 when leading after the first quarter and 42-5 when leading at halftime.

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WINNING THE TURNOVER BATTLE

- Villanova started the season off perfect in the turnover department with a +3 margin against Youngstown State last week. The defense forced three turnovers in the game thanks to an interception and a fumble recovery from senior linebacker **Richie Kimmel** to go along with an interception by redshirt freshman cornerback **Zahmir Dawud**. The offense, meanwhile, did not commit a single turnover in the game. Last season Villanova did not have a game in which it did not commit a turnover.

CENTURY MARK RUSHER

- Sixth year quarterback **Connor Watkins** rushed for a game-high 107 yards and two touchdowns in last week's season-opening win over Youngstown State. It was the fourth career 100-yard rushing game for Watkins, whose career high for rushing yards in a game is 130 yards against Hampton in 2022. Watkins carried the ball 10 times last week and averaged 10.7 yards per carry, including a 45-yard run in the first quarter and later a 29-yard scamper for a score in the third period. Watkins has rushed for a career total of 933 yards and 21 touchdowns.

5,000 AND 300

- **Connor Watkins** reached a pair of career milestones in last week's win over Youngstown State. He became the ninth quarterback in school history to reach 5,000 career passing yards and he also became the quarterback in Villanova history with at least 300 career completions. Watkins' current career passing totals are 5,028 yards (301-538) with 37 touchdowns and 21 interceptions.

BIG PLAY POTENTIAL

- In 25 career starts under center, **Connor Watkins** has recorded 33 completions for 40 yards or longer. During his career, Watkins has thrown...
 - ◆ Six career passes for 75+ yards (*no previous Villanova QB had more than four*)
 - ◆ 13 career completions for 40-49 yards
 - ◆ 6 career completions for 50-59 yards
 - ◆ 8 career completions for 60-69 yards
 - ◆ 4 career completions for 70-79 yards
 - ◆ 2 career completions for 80-89 yards

STRONG START FOR RAGLAND

- Redshirt freshman running back **Isaiah Ragland** made his first career start in last week's season opener and rushed for 65 yards and a touchdown on just seven carries. Ragland averaged 9.3 yards per rush and scored his first career touchdown on a three-yard burst in the second quarter. Ragland showed what his potential could be in a brief four-game glimpse as a true freshman last year. He rushed for 161 yards on 24 carries, including a breakout game against Elon on October 14 when he rushed 15 times for 126 yards.

TRIPLE THREAT

- Not only did Villanova rush for a total of 246 yards in the season opener last week, its top three rushers all averaged better than eight yards per carry. Quarterback **Connor Watkins** led the way with 107 yards on 10 carries (10.7 average), while running backs **Isaiah Ragland** and **David Avit** averaged 9.3 yards (seven carries, 65 yards) and 8.4 yards (five carries, 42 yards), respectively. The last time the Wildcats had three rushers average 8.0+ yards per carry was on October 25, 2014 against Morgan State.

CAA FOOTBALL

Standings (Top 25)	CAA	Overall
Villanova	0-0	1-0
UAlbany	0-0	1-0
Bryant	0-0	0-1
Campbell	0-0	0-1
Delaware	0-0	1-0
Elon	0-0	0-1
Hampton	0-0	0-1
Maine	0-0	1-0
Monmouth	0-0	0-1
New Hampshire	0-0	0-1
North Carolina A&T	0-0	0-1
Rhode Island	0-0	1-0
Richmond	0-0	0-1
Stony Brook	0-0	0-1
Towson	0-0	0-1
William & Mary	0-0	1-0
TOTAL		6-10

WEEK 2 SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 7

Villanova @ Colgate	6:00 PM
Rhode Island at Minnesota	12:00 PM
Lafayette at Monmouth	12:00 PM
New Hampshire at Holy Cross	2:00 PM
Campbell at Western Carolina	2:30 PM
Stonewall at Stony Brook	3:30 PM
Wofford at Richmond	3:30 PM
Franklin Pierce at Bryant	4:00 PM
Morgan State at Towson	6:00 PM
Elon at North Carolina Central	6:00 PM
UAlbany at West Virginia	6:00 PM
Virginia Union at Hampton	6:00 PM
William & Mary at Coastal Carolina	7:00 PM
Winston-Salem State at N.C. A&T	7:00 PM
Maine at Montana State	8:00 PM

WEEK 1 RESULTS

Thursday, August 29

Villanova 24, Youngstown State 17
UCF 57, New Hampshire 3
William & Mary 41, VMI 7
Delaware 48, Bryant 17
Wake Forest 45, North Carolina A&T 13
Eastern Washington 42, Monmouth 27

Friday, August 30

Maine 17, Colgate 14
Duke 26, Elon 3

Saturday, August 31

Cincinnati 38, Towson 20
Marshall 45, Stony Brook 3
Virginia 34, Richmond 13
Campbell 41, Campbell 24
Morgan State 30, Hampton 28
UAlbany 27, LIU 21
Rhode Island 20, Holy Cross 17

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NATIONAL RANKINGS

STATS PERFORM FCS TOP 25			SEPT. 2
Rk	Team (1st)	Rec.	Pts.
1	South Dakota State (36)	0-1	1,363
2	North Dakota State (11)	0-1	1,330
3	Montana State (8)	2-0	1,288
4	Montana (1)	1-0	1,239
5	Villanova	1-0	1,144
6	South Dakota	1-0	1,128
7	Idaho	0-1	1,098
8	Sacramento State	0-1	881
9	Central Arkansas	0-1	850
10	Southern Illinois	0-1	807
11	Chattanooga	0-1	738
12	UIW	1-0	698
13	William & Mary	1-0	666
14	Richmond	0-1	658
15	Furman	0-1	523
16	UAlbany	1-0	502
17	Western Carolina	0-1	459
18	UC Davis	0-1	437
19	Lafayette	0-1	332
20	Tarleton State	1-1	308
21	Illinois State	0-1	295
22	Nicholls	0-1	204
23	North Dakota	0-1	175
24	Weber State	0-1	171
25	Youngstown State	0-1	133

Receiving Votes: Elon 120, Mercer 117, Florida A&M 99, UT Martin 98, Abilene Christian 74, North Carolina Central 73, Eastern Illinois 59, Eastern Washington 41, Northern Iowa 29, Austin Peay 19, Alabama State 10, **Rhode Island 9**, Southeast Missouri State 8, Harvard 4, Lamar 4, West Georgia 2

AFCA FCS COACHES POLL

AFCA FCS COACHES POLL			SEPT. 3
Rk	Team (1st)	Rec.	Pts.
1	South Dakota State (17)	0-1	630
2	North Dakota State (5)	0-1	624
3	Montana State (4)	2-0	589
4	Montana	1-0	572
5	Villanova	1-0	527
6	South Dakota	1-0	493
7	Idaho	0-1	489
8	Sacramento State	0-1	397
9	Central Arkansas	0-1	359
10	Chattanooga	0-1	342
11	UIW	1-0	340
12	Southern Illinois	0-1	331
13	UAlbany	1-0	302
14	William & Mary	1-0	300
15	Richmond	0-1	289
16	Furman	0-1	279
17	Western Carolina	0-1	221
18	UC Davis	0-1	197
19	Lafayette	0-1	156
20	North Dakota	0-1	152
21	Tarleton State	1-1	109
22	Illinois State	0-1	95
23	Youngstown State	0-1	88
24	Florida A&M	2-0	82
25	Nicholls	0-1	74

Receiving Votes: Northern Iowa 55, Abilene Christian 43, Mercer 41, Eastern Washington 40, North Carolina Central 33, Eastern Illinois 30, **Rhode Island 26**, Southeast Missouri State 20, Weber State 17, Delaware State 14, Harvard 14, Missouri State 14, Princeton 14, **Elon 13**, McNeese 13, Stephen F. Austin 12, UT Martin 11, Wagner 10, Northern Arizona 5, Wofford 5, Indiana State 3, Yale 3, Tennessee State 2, Alabama A&M 1, Murray State 1, **North Carolina A&T 1**, Samford 1

VILLANOVA NOTEBOOK

DOUBLE DIGIT TACKLERS

- All three of Villanova's starting linebackers had 10+ tackles in the win over Youngstown State last week. Leading the way were veterans **Brendan Bell** and **Shane Hartzell** who had 11 stops apiece, while senior **Richie Kimmel** had a career-high 10 tackles in his first career start.

There was one game last season, the win over New Hampshire, when the Wildcats had three double-digit tacklers. The last game prior to last week in which *three linebackers* had 10+ tackles was on October 9, 2021 in a 28-27 win at James Madison when Forrest Rhyne (20), Qwahsin Towsnel (11) and Mike Ruane (11) all reached double figures.

WHAT A START

- Senior linebacker **Richie Kimmel** has been a steady and dependable contributor to the Wildcats defense in the past few seasons, but last week's contest against Youngstown State was his first career start in his 27th career game played. It could not have gone any better, as Kimmel broke out with a career-high 10 tackles to go along with his first career interception and second career fumble recovery in the 24-17 victory. His career totals now amount to 46 tackles (24 solo, 22 assisted), three tackles for loss, one interception, two fumble recoveries, one blocked kick and two pass breakups.

HERE'S THE KICKER

- Fifth year kicker **Ethan Gettman** did a little bit of everything in his Villanova debut last week. The graduate transfer from Bryant scored the first points of the 2024 season with a 42-yard field goal in the first quarter. He also pinned Youngstown State at their own seven-yard line with a 62-yard punt with less than three minutes to play in a close game. Gettman finished the day 3-of-3 on PATs, 1-of-2 on field goals, landed two of his three punts inside the YSU 20-yard line and averaged 60.4 yards on five kickoffs. Gettman has now made eight career field goals from 40 yards or longer and is 7-of-10 in his career from 40+ yards out, including 1-of-4 from 50+ yards with a career long field goal of 56 yards against Campbell in 2022 while playing for Bryant.

CAA FOOTBALL ALL-TIME LEAGUE RECORDS

Team	Record	Pct.	Titles (Shared-Outright)	Last Title
Villanova	172-114	.601	8 (7-1)	2023
Delaware	181-120	.601	10 (8-2)	2020
New Hampshire	259-210-10	.551	14 (5-9)	2022
William & Mary	131-113	.537	5 (4-1)	2022
Campbell	4-4	.500	0 (0-0)	—
Richmond	150-151	.498	9 (8-1)	2023
Elon	35-40	.467	0 (0-0)	—
Maine	221-255-7	.465	13 (8-5)	2018
Towson	62-89	.411	2 (1-1)	2012
Stony Brook	34-50	.405	0 (0-0)	—
Monmouth	6-10	.375	0 (0-0)	—
UAlbany	29-55	.345	1 (1-0)	2023
Rhode Island	156-324-7	.328	7 (5-2)	1985
Hampton	4-12	.250	0 (0-0)	—
North Carolina A&T	0-8	.000	0 (0-0)	—

There are nine former members of the conference who are not listed here.

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FIRST TIME STARTERS

- Villanova had four starters on both sides of the ball who were making their first career starts in last week's season opener.

VILLANOVA PLAYERS WHO MADE THEIR FIRST CAREER START LAST WEEK

RB	Isaiah Ragland	5th career game
WR	Kenyon Miles	10th career game
LG	Tommy Broderick	5th career game
RG	Chris McCullers	5th career game
DT	Obinna Nwobodo	17th career game
DE	Capri Martin	12th career game
LB	Richie Kimmel	27th career game
CB	Zahmir Dawud	4th career game

MAKING THEIR DEBUT

- In addition to the first time starters against Youngstown State last week, the Wildcats also had six players appear in their first collegiate game during the 24-17 victory.

VILLANOVA PLAYERS WHO MADE COLLEGIATE DEBUT LAST WEEK

#16	Jack Ryder	Holder
#24	David Avit	Running Back
#38	Newton Essiem	Cornerback
#56	Christian Caballero	Linebacker
#80	Chris Colby	Wide Receiver
#85	Nolan Clayton	Tight End

EXPERIENCE WINS

- Villanova is an experienced group in 2024, with the 93 members of the roster having combined to play in **1,019** career games with **391** starts entering play at Colgate this week.

VILLANOVA VERSUS FCS RANKED OPPONENTS

Villanova...	All-Time (since 1985)	Mark Ferrante Era	2024 Season
vs. Top 25	72-81 (.471)	14-11	1-0
vs. No. 1 Team	3-7 (.300)	0-2	0-0
vs. 1-5	18-14 (.563)	2-3	0-0
vs. 1-10	28-35 (.444)	3-7	0-0
vs. 11-15	14-16 (.467)	2-1	0-0
vs. 16-20	15-15 (.500)	5-1	0-0
vs. 21-25	15-15 (.500)	4-2	1-0
VU Ranked	58-51 (.532)	11-9	1-0
VU Unranked	14-30 (.318)	3-2	0-0
Home	46-30 (.605)	8-4	1-0
Away	26-51 (.338)	6-7	0-0
Conference	53-71 (.427)	9-9	0-0
Non-Conference	19-10 (.655)	5-2	1-0

CAREER ACCOLADES

TEMI AJIROTUTU

- CAA Third Team Offense 2023

BRENDAN BELL

- CAA Second Team Defense 2023
- CAA Defensive Player of the Week 2023 – 9.25
- CAA Defensive Player of the Week 2023 – 11.6

SHANE HARTZELL

- CAA Honorable Mention 2023
- CAA Rookie of the Week 2022 – 11.21

RICHIE KIMMEL

- CAA Defensive Player of the Week 2024 – 9.2

ISAIAH RAGLAND

- CAA Rookie of the Week 2023 – 10.16
- CAA Rookie of the Week 2024 – 9.2

TY TRINH

- CAA Second Team Defense 2023

CONNOR WATKINS

- CAA Third Team Offense 2023
- CAA Offensive Player of the Week 2023 – 10.30

ISAS WAXTER

- CAA Football Second Team Defense 2023

HEAD COACH MARK FERRANTE

- Eddie Robinson Award Finalist 2023
- AFCA FCS Region 1 Coach of the Year 2021
- CAA Football Coach of the Year 2021
- AFCA FCS Assistant Coach of the Year 2015

VILLANOVA RECORD BOOK

CAREER PASSING YARDS

1. Chris Boden	10,166	(868-1412)	1996-99
2. Brett Gordon	9,639	(833-1246)	1999-02
3. Kirk Schulz	9,496	(793-1,331)	1985-89
4. John Robertson	7,290	(561-875)	2011-15
5. Zach Bednarczyk	6,525	(528-850)	2015-18
6. Daniel Smith	6,518	(476-843)	2019-21
7. Chris Whitney	6,241	(541-833)	2007-10
8. Tom Colombo	5,825	(489-827)	1989-92
9. Connor Watkins	5,028	(301-538)	2019–

CAREER TOTAL OFFENSE

1. John Robertson	10,933	2011-15
2. Chris Boden	9,993	1996-99
3. Brett Gordon	9,317	1999-02
4. Kirk Schulz	9,086	1985-89
5. Chris Whitney	8,401	2007-10
6. Zach Bednarczyk	7,750	2015-18
7. Daniel Smith	7,386	2019-21
8. Connor Watkins	5,961	2019–

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FCS PLAYOFF HISTORY

Overall Record:	14-14
Mark Ferrante:	2-3
1989	0-1
R1: at Georgia Southern	L, 36-52
1991	0-1
R1: at Youngstown State	L, 16-17
1992	0-1
R1: at Youngstown State	L, 20-23
1996	0-1
R1: at East Tennessee State	L, 29-35
1997	1-1
R1: vs. Colgate	W, 49-28
QF: vs. Youngstown State	L, 34-37
2002	2-1
R1: vs. Furman	W, 45-38
QF: vs. Fordham	W, 24-10
SF: at McNeese	L: 28-39
2008	1-1
R1: vs. Colgate	W, 55-28
QF: at James Madison	L, 27-31
2009	4-0
R1: vs. Holy Cross	W, 38-28
QF: vs. New Hampshire	W, 46-7
SF: vs. William & Mary	W, 14-13
NC: vs. Montana (<i>Chattanooga, Tenn.</i>)	W, 23-21
2010	2-1
R2: at Stephen F. Austin	W, 54-24
QF: at Appalachian State	W, 42-24
SF: at Eastern Washington	L, 31-41
2012	0-1
R1: at Stony Brook	L, 10-20
2014	1-1
R2: vs. Liberty	W, 29-22
QF: vs. Sam Houston State	L, 31-34
2016	1-1
R1: vs. Saint Francis	W, 31-21
QF: at South Dakota State	L, 7-10
2019	0-1
R1: at Southeastern Louisiana	L, 44-45
2021	1-1
R2: vs. Holy Cross	W, 21-16
QF: vs. South Dakota State	L, 21-35
2023	1-1
R2: vs. Youngstown State	W, 45-28
QF: @ South Dakota State	L, 12-23

VILLANOVA NOTEBOOK

LAST YEAR, RIGHT HERE

- This year's season opener was Youngstown State's second straight game at Villanova Stadium after the Wildcats and Penguins faced each other in a second round playoff game last season. Villanova won that game, 45-28, on December 2, 2023 and advanced to the quarterfinals by posting its first victory over Youngstown State since 1978. The Penguins had not played a regular season game at Villanova Stadium since 1999 prior to this year's lidlifter.

THAT HASN'T HAPPENED IN A WHILE

- The last time Villanova played its home opener against the same opponent as it hosted in the final home game of the previous season was in 1968 and 1969 against West Chester. The Wildcats tallied a 63-3 win over their local foes in the final home game of the 1968 campaign and defeated the Golden Rams, 41-14, in the 1969 home opener.

CAA FAVORITES

- Villanova is the defending CAA Football co-champion and earned last season's automatic bid to the FCS playoffs. In a preseason poll of league head coaches, the Wildcats are considered the favorite to finish atop the league standings once again in 2024. Villanova received nine first-place votes and a total of 217 points in the preseason poll to finish ahead of Richmond (one first-place vote, 189 points) and UAlbany (three first-place votes, 179 points).

CAA PRESEASON HONORS

- Starting quarterback **Connor Watkins** was named the CAA Football Preseason Offensive Player of the Year and was one of a league-high six Wildcats who were selected to the CAA Football Preseason All-Conference Team. The other preseason league honorees are offensive lineman **Temí Ajjirotutu**, linebackers **Brendan Bell** and **Shane Hartzell**, cornerback **Isas Waxter** and safety **Ty Trinh**. Wide receiver Jaylan Sanchez was an honorable mention preseason pick.

OVERTIME HISTORY (since 1985)

Year	Opponent	Result	Score
1988	at Boston University	Win	31-24
1989	Connecticut	Win	41-35
1994	Delaware	Loss	31-38
1995	James Madison	Loss	27-28
1998	Delaware	Win	34-31
1999	at Connecticut	Win	48-45
1999	Delaware	Win	51-45
2000	William & Mary	Loss	41-48
2001	James Madison	Win	45-44
2003	at Temple	Win	23-20
2007	Maine	Win	24-17
2007	at Massachusetts	Loss	24-32
2008	at Penn	Win	20-14
2010	at Delaware	Win	28-21
2014	at Syracuse	Loss	26-27
2017	at Albany	Loss	10-19
2019	at Towson	Win	52-45
2020	Rhode Island	Loss	37-40

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PRESEASON NATIONAL HONORS

- Villanova quarterback **Connor Watkins** and cornerback **Isas Waxter** were named to the preseason watch lists for the Walter Payton Award and the Buck Buchanan Award which are presented to the top FCS offensive and defensive player each year. Waxter was also named to the Senior Bowl Watch List, while he and linebacker **Shane Hartzell** earned preseason All-America honors from both Stats Perform and Phil Steele.

ENTERING WITH EXPERIENCE

- Villanova began the 2024 season with a veteran roster that had combined for 971 career games played in college football prior to this year. The Wildcats returned a total of 11 starters from last year's team which went 10-3 overall and 7-1 against league competition along the way to claiming a share of the CAA Football championship and advancing to the quarterfinal round of the FCS playoffs.

REGULAR SEASON SUCCESS

- Villanova compiled a 9-2 regular season record last year for the second time in the past three seasons. Prior to 2021 the Wildcats had not had a two-loss regular season since posting a 10-2 mark in 2014. Last year marked the eighth season overall with no more than two regular season losses since Villanova joined a conference in 1988.

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL HISTORY

- Villanova is playing its 127th season of varsity football this year and its 40th season as an FCS program since reinstating football in 1985 after a four-year absence. During the program's history the Wildcats have an overall record of 660-502-41 (.566). Prior to the FCS era, Villanova played in college football bowl games in 1937, 1947, 1949, 1961 and 1962 and went 2-2-1 in those games. The wins came against Nevada (27-7) in the 1949 Harbor Bowl in San Diego, Calif. and against Wichita State (17-9) in the 1961 Sun Bowl in El Paso, Texas.

Since becoming an FCS program in 1985, the Wildcats have made 15 appearances in the FCS playoffs and have advanced to at least the semifinals on three occasions (2002, 2009 and 2010). Former head coach **Andy Talley** guided Villanova to its first national title with a 23-21 victory over Montana in 2009. The Wildcats have also won at least a share of eight league championships in the Yankee Conference (1988-1996), the Atlantic 10 Conference (1997-2006) and CAA Football (2007-present).

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA'S RECORD...

	2024	Ferrante
Overall	1-0	48-29
CAA Football	0-0	30-22
Non-Conference	1-0	18-7
Home	1-0	25-12
Road	0-0	23-17
Neutral	0-0	0-0
Current Streak	W1	W1
Home Streak	W1	W10
Road Streak		L1
Day Games	0-0	36-25
Night Games	1-0	12-4
March	0-0	1-1
April	0-0	1-1
August	1-0	2-0
September	0-0	18-9
October	0-0	11-9
November	0-0	13-7
December	0-0	2-2
Ranked Teams	1-0	14-12
Unranked Teams	0-0	34-17
Overtime	0-0	1-2
After 1st Quarter		
Leading	1-0	40-7
Trailing	0-0	3-14
Tied	0-0	5-8
Halftime		
Leading	1-0	43-5
Trailing	0-0	5-22
Tied	0-0	0-2
After 3rd Quarter		
Leading	1-0	42-4
Trailing	0-0	5-22
Tied	0-0	1-3
Scoring		
Scoring First	1-0	42-10
Opp. Scores First	0-0	6-19
Scoring 0-9	0-0	0-6
Scoring 10-19	0-0	3-13
Scoring 20-29	1-0	9-5
Scoring 30-39	0-0	19-3
Scoring 40+	0-0	17-2
Allowing 0-9	0-0	14-0
Allowing 10-19	1-0	19-4
Allowing 20-29	0-0	11-9
Allowing 30-39	0-0	3-9
Allowing 40+	0-0	1-7
Game Decided By		
0-9 Points	1-0	14-12
10-19 Points	0-0	7-7
20+ Points	0-0	27-10
Statistics		
Outgain opp.	1-0	42-6
Outgained by opp.	0-0	6-23
VU 100-yard rusher	1-0	23-4
VU 100-yard receiver	0-0	21-10
VU 300-yard passer	0-0	5-4
Opp. 100-yard rusher	0-0	3-14
Opp. 100-yard receiver	0-0	10-11
Opp. 300-yard passer	0-0	6-7
Turnovers		
No turnovers	1-0	15-3
1-2 turnovers	0-0	28-19
3+ turnovers	0-0	5-7
No takeaways	0-0	4-9
1-2 takeaways	0-0	28-18
3+ takeaways	1-0	16-2
Win turnover margin	1-0	28-5
Lose turnover margin	0-0	7-15
Turnovers tied	0-0	13-6

STATISTICAL RANKINGS

Team Stats	CAA	FCS	Stat
Offense			
Rushing Offense	1	7	246.0
Scoring Offense	6	33	24.0
3rd Down Pct.	7	54	33.3%
Total Offense	8	46	336.0
Sacks Allowed	9	44	2.0
4th Down Pct.	9	60	0.0%
First Downs	10	72	15
Red Zone Offense	12	68	66.7%
Passing Efficiency	15	93	79.76
Passing Offense	16	103	90.0
Defense			
Scoring Defense	3	16	17.0
Passing Defense	4	31	152.0
Passing Def. Efficiency	4	32	120.27
Rushing Defense	5	52	169.0
Total Defense	6	32	321.0
Opp. 3rd Down Pct.	7	41	40.0%
Team Sacks	7	48	1.0
Red Zone Defense	7	52	100.0%
First Downs Allowed	8	47	21
Opp. 4th Down Pct.	11	73	66.7%
Special Teams			
Net Punting	1	5	46.0
Punt Return Defense	1	5	0.0
PAT Percentage	T1	n/a	100.0%
Kickoff Returns	2	18	26.5
Kickoff Ret. Def.	7	60	20.2
Punt Returns	8	46	0.0
Field Goal Pct.	T10	n/a	50.0%
Miscellaneous			
Turnover Margin	1	2	3.0
Penalty Yards/Game	4	20	30.0
Time of Possession	14	100	23:48
Player Stats*			
Zahmir Dawud			
Interceptions	1	2	1
Forced Fumbles	1	3	1
Ayden Howard			
Sacks	3	15	1
Richie Kimmel			
Fumble Recoveries	1	2	1
Interceptions	1	2	1
Christian Sapp			
Kickoff Returns	2	14	26.5
Connor Watkins			
Rushing Yards/Carry	1	3	10.7
Scoring	1	4	12.0
Total Touchdowns	1	5	2
Rushing Yards	2	22	107
Yards/Completion	3	9	15.0
Points Responsible For	3	25	12
<i>w/a Team stat not kept in FCS national stats</i>			
<i>* Players who rank in the top three in the CAA</i>			

WILDCATS IN THE NFL

CURRENT NFL ROSTERS

Christian Benford, Bills
 Jalen Jackson, Jaguars (practice squad)
 Tanoh Kpassagnon, Saints

ALL-TIME NFL DRAFT PICKS

Year	Name	Rd	Team
1936	Eddie Michaels	2	Bears
1938	John Mellus	7	Giants
1940	Andy Chisick	7	Cardinals
1943	George Smith	21	Cardinals
1943	Steve Pritko	28	Rams
1944	Val Jansante	10	Steelers
1944	Al Postus	20	Eagles
1947	Bob David	25	Rams
1949	Lou Ferry	3	Packers
1949	Ed Berrang	5	Redskins
1950	Ralph Pasquariello	1	Rams
1950	John Sandusky	2	Browns
1950	Steve Roomanik	3	Bears
1950	Dan Brown	11	Redskins
1951	Pete D'Alonzo	4	Lions
1953	Gene Filipski	7	Browns
1956	Don McComb	21	Giants
1957	Joe Ryan	25	Bears
1962	Frank Budd	7	Eagles
1962	Sam Gruneisen		Chargers
1963	Larry Glueck	3	Bears
1963	Billy Joe		Broncos
1965	Mike Strofolino	4	Rams
1965	Al Atkinson		Bills
1969	Rich Moore	1	Packers
1969	John Sodaski	9	Steelers
1970	Billy Walik	11	Eagles
1972	Mike Siani	1	Raiders
1972	John Babinecz	2	Cowboys
1972	Ernie Messmer	13	Steelers
1973	Kevin Reilly	7	Dolphins
1974	Joe Miller	11	Redskins
1974	John Givens	14	Falcons
1975	John Zimba	5	Browns
1976	Gary Shugrue	11	Lions
1976	Steve Ebbecke	13	Eagles
1977	John Mastronardo	10	Eagles
1981	Howie Long	2	Raiders
1981	David Martin	9	Lions
2002	Brian Westbrook	3	Eagles
2008	Matt Sherry	6	Bengals
2011	Ben Ijalana	2	Colts
2017	Tanoh Kpassagnon	2	Chiefs
2017	Brad Seaton	2	Titans
2022	Christian Benford	6	Bills

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

COMPLETE STUDENT-ATHLETES

ACADEMIC HIGHLIGHTS

NCAA ACADEMIC DATA

■ Each year the NCAA recognizes programs that have a multi-year Academic Progress Rate (APR) score that ranks within the top 10 percent of their sport nationwide. Villanova has earned this award nine times in the 18-year history of the APR program.

■ In the most recent APR data released in June 2024 the football program's multi-year APR score of 982 was 25 points above the national average for FCS programs.

■ New data on the NCAA Graduation Success Rate (GSR) was released in December 2023 and Villanova led all CAA Football schools while matching a program record at 96 percent.

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

■ One of the highest honors that a student-athlete can achieve is to be named an Academic All-American, an award which encompasses both academic achievement as well as contributions on the field. Villanova has had 12 football student-athletes earn a total of 14 Academic All-America honors over the years.

CAA TEAM ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

■ Villanova has been the winner of the CAA Football Team Academic Excellence Award four times in the last eight years. The award is presented at the end of each academic year to the conference school with the highest team GPA.

CAA SCHOLAR-ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

■ Villanova has had five student-athletes be named the CAA Football Scholar-Athlete of the Year. Nominees for the award must have attained senior standing academically and have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.

CAA ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

■ Student-athletes with a semester GPA of 3.0 or higher are named to the CAA Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll. Villanova had 62 honorees for the Fall 2022 semester and 63 student-athletes achieve this distinction for the Spring 2023 term.

ACADEMIC ALL-AREA TEAMS

■ In conjunction with the *Philadelphia Inquirer*, the sports information directors at the colleges and universities in the Philadelphia area (PhillySIDA) name an Academic All-Area team and a football Performer of the Year each season. In the 17 years of the Academic All-Area program, which started with the 2005-06 academic year, the football team has had a total of 60 selections to the Academic All-Area Team. In addition, the Wildcats have had five Performers of the Year.

NCAA PUBLIC RECOGNITION AWARD

- 2004-05
- 2005-06
- 2006-07
- 2007-08
- 2008-09
- 2014-15
- 2015-16
- 2016-17
- 2017-18

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

- David Graziano 1975, 1976
- Ron Sency 1987
- Rich Spugnardi 1987
- Bob Brady 1988
- Peter Lombardi 1988
- Scott Rushton 1988
- Kevin Martchek 1990
- Tim Matas 1992
- Gregg Ziegler 1994
- Deon Jackson 1996
- Raymond Ventrone 2003
- Don Cherry 2014, 2015

CAA ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARD

- Villanova 2016-17
- Villanova 2017-18
- Villanova 2022-23
- Villanova 2023-24

CAA SCHOLAR-ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

- Matt Sherry 2007-08
- Osayi Osunde 2009-10
- Don Cherry 2014-15
- Jake Prus 2015-16
- Colin Gamroth 2021-22

ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL SELECTIONS*

- 1988-89 5
- 1989-90 9
- 1990-91 6
- 1992-93 4
- 1993-94 8
- 1994-95 14
- 1995-96 7
- 1996-97 6
- 1997-98 1
- 1998-99 7
- 1999-00 4
- 2000-01 5
- 2001-02 5
- 2002-03 13
- 2003-04 10
- 2004-05 9
- 2005-06 10
- 2006-07 9
- 2007-08 11
- 2008-09 7
- 2009-10 7
- 2010-11 8
- 2011-12 12
- 2012-13 11
- 2013-14 16
- 2014-15 20
- 2015-16 42
- 2016-17 42
- 2017-18 46
- 2018-19 (Fall) 41
- 2018-19 (Spring) 38
- 2019-20 (Fall) 45
- 2019-20 (Spring) 52
- 2020-21 (Fall) 43
- 2020-21 (Spring) 51
- 2021-22 (Fall) 55
- 2021-22 (Spring) 48
- 2022-23 (Fall) 62
- 2022-23 (Spring) 63
- 2023-24 (Fall) 59
- 2023-24 (Spring) 57

* Criteria for this award has periodically changed over the years.

ACADEMIC ALL-AREA PERFORMERS OF THE YEAR

- Brian Hulea 2005-06
- Matt Sherry 2007-08
- Osayi Osunde 2009-10
- Chris Whitney 2010-11
- Forrest Rhyne 2021-22

ACADEMIC ALL-AREA SELECTIONS

- Brian Hulea 2005-06
- Adam James 2005-06
- Frank Jankowski 2005-06

- Allyn Bacchus 2006-07

- Idriz Bauta 2007-08
- Osayi Osunde 2007-08
- Matt Sherry 2007-08

- Angelo Babbaro 2008-09
- Idriz Bauta 2008-09
- Osayi Osunde 2008-09
- Chris Whitney 2008-09

- Angelo Babbaro 2009-10
- Osayi Osunde 2009-10
- Chris Whitney 2009-10

- Angelo Babbaro 2010-11
- Chris Whitney 2010-11

- Josh Bucci 2011-12
- Craig James 2011-12
- Nick Yako 2011-12

- Josh Bucci 2012-13
- Bill Vogel 2012-13

- Don Cherry 2013-14
- Kevin Gulyas 2013-14
- Cameron McCurry 2013-14
- Bill Vogel 2013-14

- Don Cherry 2014-15
- Kevin Gulyas 2014-15
- Ross Hall 2014-15
- Cameron McCurry 2014-15
- Jake Prus 2014-15

- Don Cherry 2015-16
- Kevin Gulyas 2015-16
- Tanoh Kpassagnon 2015-16
- Jake Prus 2015-16

- Ryan Bell 2016-17
- Tanoh Kpassagnon 2016-17
- Rob Rolle 2016-17

- Matt Donoghue 2017-18
- John Hinch 2017-18
- Ricky Young 2017-18

- Keeling Hunter 2018-19
- Drew Kresge 2018-19
- Chucky Smith 2018-19
- Jeff Steeb 2018-19

- Colin Gamroth 2019-20
- Paul Grattan 2019-20
- Forrest Rhyne 2019-20
- Chucky Smith 2019-20

- Cole Bunce 2021-22
- Justin Covington 2021-22
- Malik Fisher 2021-22
- Colin Gamroth 2021-22
- Jaaron Hayek 2021-22
- Forrest Rhyne 2021-22

- Michael Corbi 2022-23
- Jaaron Hayek 2022-23

- Brendan Bell 2023-24
- Michael Corbi 2023-24
- Ty Trinh 2023-24
- Connor Watkins 2023-24

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA HEAD COACH MARK FERRANTE



Mark Ferrante enters his eighth season as the Thomas and Diane Treacy Endowed Football Head Coach in 2024 and is in his 38th year overall with the Wildcats including his time as head coach and 30 years prior as an assistant coach from 1987-2016. He has been a part of 264 victories and all 15 of the program's FCS playoff appearances during his Villanova tenure. Entering the 2024 season Ferrante has a career head coaching record of 47-29 (.618) which includes 30 regular season CAA Football wins, two league titles and three playoff appearances.

Under Ferrante's watch, the Wildcats have won a share of the CAA Football title and earned the league's automatic bid to the Division I Football Championship in two of the last three seasons. He guided Villanova to its latest conference championship and postseason berth in 2023 when the team went 10-3 and reached the quarterfinal round of the playoffs. The season included three wins over nationally-ranked opponents and the Wildcats clinched their CAA title and automatic playoff bid with a dominant 35-7 win at No. 7 Delaware in the final game of the regular season. Despite being picked to finish seventh in the CAA and not appearing in the pre-season national rankings, Villanova emerged from the year as conference champions and finished the 2023 campaign ranked No. 6 in the final Stats Perform poll of the season.

There was plenty of recognition to go around for a Villanova team which excelled in every facet of the game a year ago. For the third time in the past five seasons the Wildcats had at least 10 players selected to the CAA Football All-Conference teams, led by offensive lineman Michael Corbi and wide receiver Rayjuon Pringle on the first team. Villanova had a dozen all-conference honorees overall, with players on the second team to go along with three third team choices and two honorable mention selections. Corbi went on to be named an All-American by Stats Perform and Phil Steele, while Pringle (Phil Steele) and cornerback Isas Waxter (FCS Football Central) also earned All-America recognition.

In his first seven seasons as head coach, Ferrante has seen the Wildcats win five CAA Football major awards and earn a total of 52 all-conference accolades. Three players under Ferrante's watch - Corbi, cornerback Christian Benford and linebacker Forrest Rhyne - have earned All-America honors from Stats Perform and/or the American Football Coaches Association. Benford and Rhyne were first team All-Americans in 2021. Ferrante is himself one of the CAA Football major award winners after earning his first Coach of the Year honor in 2021.

Villanova had a breakthrough 2021 season which included a conference title and a top-eight seed in the FCS playoffs. In addition to being named the CAA Football Coach of the Year, Ferrante was the 2021 winner of the AFCA FCS Region 1 Coach of the Year award. That honor made him a finalist for National Coach of the Year consideration and earned him recognition at the AFCA national convention following the season. Ferrante guided the Wildcats to a 10-3 record in 2021 and Villanova won a share of the CAA Football title while reaching the playoffs for the second time in his head coaching tenure (2019, 2021).

Ferrante's 2021 squad was the first Wildcats team in seven years to finish the season ranked in the top-10 of both FCS national polls. Villanova came in at No. 8 in the final Stats Perform and AFCS FCS Top 25 rankings while tallying their seventh season in program history with 10 or more victories. The team hosted two playoff games and achieved success by playing - and beating - some of the top FCS teams in the nation. Villanova's 10-3 record was punctuated by four victories over Top 25 opponents, including No. 3 James Madison, No. 18 Rhode Island, No. 21 Richmond and No. 24 Holy Cross. Ferrante led the Wildcats to a 7-1 record against a challenging CAA Football schedule to mark the fifth season since 1988 in which the team had no more than one loss in conference play.

Villanova's league championship teams in 2021 and 2023 featured several players who had an opportunity to continue their football careers beyond the collegiate ranks. Following the 2023 season, running back Jalen Jackson and offensive lineman Nick Torres signed free agent contracts with the Jacksonville Jaguars and the Kansas City Chiefs, respectively. Three other players - running back TD Ayodurojaiye (Chicago Bears/Kansas City Chiefs), linebacker Danny Abraham (Seattle Seahawks) and wide receiver Jaaron Hayek (Kansas City Chiefs) - were invited to attend NFL rookie mini camps.

FERRANTE YEAR BY YEAR

AS HEAD COACH	Year	School	Record	Conference
	2017	Villanova	5-6	3-5
	2018	Villanova	5-6	2-6
	2019	Villanova	9-4	5-3
	2020	Villanova	2-2	2-2
	2021	Villanova	10-3	7-1
	2022	Villanova	6-5	4-4
	2023	Villanova	10-3	7-1
	2024	Villanova	1-0	0-0
Total	8 Seasons		48-29	30-22

AS ASSISTANT COACH

AS ASSISTANT COACH	Year	School	Record	Postseason
	1983	St. Lawrence	5-3-1	
	1984	Wagner	6-4	
	1985	Lafayette	6-5	
	1986	Lafayette	6-5	
	1987	Villanova	6-4	
	1988	Villanova	5-5-1	
	1989	Villanova	8-4	FCS First Round
	1990	Villanova	6-5	
	1991	Villanova	10-2	FCS First Round
	1992	Villanova	9-3	FCS First Round
	1993	Villanova	3-8	
	1994	Villanova	5-6	
	1995	Villanova	3-8	
	1996	Villanova	8-4	FCS First Round
	1997	Villanova	12-1	FCS Quarterfinals
	1998	Villanova	6-5	
	1999	Villanova	7-4	
	2000	Villanova	5-6	
	2001	Villanova	8-3	
	2002	Villanova	11-4	FCS Semifinals
	2003	Villanova	7-4	
	2004	Villanova	6-5	
	2005	Villanova	4-7	
	2006	Villanova	6-5	
	2007	Villanova	7-4	
	2008	Villanova	10-3	FCS Quarterfinals
	2009	Villanova	14-1	FCS Champions
	2010	Villanova	9-5	FCS Semifinals
	2011	Villanova	2-9	
	2012	Villanova	8-4	FCS First Round
	2013	Villanova	6-5	
	2014	Villanova	11-3	FCS Quarterfinals
	2015	Villanova	6-5	
	2016	Villanova	9-4	FCS First Round

FERRANTE RECORD BY OPPONENT

Opponent	Record	Last Meeting
Army West Point	0-1	2022 (L, 10-49)
Bucknell	3-0	2021 (W, 55-3)
Colgate	2-0	2023 (W, 42-19)
Delaware	6-1	2023 (W, 35-7)
Elon	2-1	2023 (W, 21-0)
Hampton	1-0	2022 (W, 24-10)
Holy Cross	1-0	2021 (W, 21-16)
James Madison	1-3	2021 (W, 28-27)
Lafayette	1-0	2017 (W, 59-0)
Lehigh	6-0	2023 (W, 38-10)
LIU	2-0	2022 (W, 38-21)
Maine	4-1	2022 (W, 45-20)
Maryland	0-0	
Monmouth	0-1	2022 (L, 42-49)
New Hampshire	1-2	2023 (W, 45-33)
North Carolina A&T	1-0	2023 (W, 37-14)
Penn State	0-1	2021 (L, 17-38)
Rhode Island	2-2	2023 (W, 35-9)
Richmond	3-2	2022 (L, 10-20)
South Dakota State	0-2	2023 (L, 12-23)
Southeastern Louisiana	0-1	2019 (L, 44-45)
Stony Brook	3-2	2023 (W, 48-13)
Temple	1-1	2018 (W, 19-17)
Towson	3-2	2023 (W, 33-10)
UAlbany	2-2	2023 (L, 10-31)
UCF	0-1	2023 (L, 14-48)
William & Mary	1-3	2022 (L, 12-45)
Youngstown State	2-0	2024 (W, 24-17)

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

MARK FERRANTE / VILLANOVA COACHING STAFF

Ferrante coached 11 players on the 2021 team who had professional opportunities, led by Christian Benford who was a sixth round draft pick of the Buffalo Bills and has since gone on to have a successful NFL career in Buffalo. In addition, 2021 CAA Football Defensive Player of the Year and first team All-American Forrest Rhyne signed a free agent contract and played in the NFL with the Indianapolis Colts. Cornerback Denzel Williams signed a free agent contract with the Baltimore Ravens.

One of the theme's of Ferrante's head coaching tenure has been his ability to keep his teams largely intact throughout the COVID pandemic and the changing landscape of college sports. Villanova began the 2021 season with 75 out of 85 players returning from the previous Spring, while the members of the 2023 team had combined to play in more than 1,000 college football games even before the season started. Experience wins, and Nova Nation has taken notice. Villanova's average attendance for five regular season home games in 2021 was its highest mark since 2013 and represented a 23 percent increase from 2019 prior to the pandemic. The increased attendance included the Wildcats first home sellout crowd since 2015 during the 2021 Family Weekend game against Richmond.

Ferrante has continually stressed the importance of his student-athletes coming to Villanova for a complete collegiate experience which includes excellence in their academic pursuits. In his first seven years as head coach, the Wildcats have been the winner of the CAA Football Team Academic Excellence Award three times. The award is presented to the team with the highest GPA in the conference each academic year and Villanova has been a repeat winner of the honor for both the 2022-23 and 2023-24 academic years.

The football program has set and tied its highest overall NCAA Graduation Success Rate (GSR) with a mark of 96 percent in each of the past two years. The most recent NCAA GSR data was released in December 2023 and the Wildcats had the highest score among CAA Football teams in both the NCAA metric and the federal rate calculation (93 percent). Additionally, new NCAA Academic Progress Rate (APR) data was released in June 2024 and Villanova's multi-year score of 982 was tied for second among CAA schools.

While winning the CAA Football title in 2023, the Wildcats had 59 student-athletes selected to the CAA Football Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll during the Fall semester and another 56 honorees for the Spring 2024 grading period.

Three student-athletes during the academic year were recognized as High Honors with Distinction for having a perfect 4.0 semester GPA: Nathan Fondacaro achieved this distinction in the Fall, while Tim Brown and Jake Picard did the same in the Spring. Villanova has had more than 650 selections to the CAA Football Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll during Ferrante's head coaching tenure and has had more than 550 selections to the Athletic Director's Honor Roll which is announced each semester for student-athletes who post a GPA of 3.2 or higher during the grading period.

In addition to Benford being an NFL Draft pick and the aforementioned NFL free agent contracts signed by Jackson, Torres, Rhyne and Williams, six players signed free agent contracts earlier in Ferrante's head coaching tenure. The list includes offensive tackle Brandon Hitner (LA Rams); safety Rob Rolle (Miami Dolphins); offensive lineman Ethan Greenidge (New Orleans Saints); defensive back Trey Johnson (Pittsburgh Steelers); defensive back Malik Reaves (Kansas City Chiefs); and linebacker Ed Shockley (Dallas Cowboys).

Ferrante leads one of the nation's elite FCS programs after playing an instrumental role in the Wildcats rise to national prominence. He has been a part of the coaching staff for all 15 of Villanova's appearances in the FCS playoffs, including the 2009 national championship season and a 2010 semifinal appearance while serving as the Assistant Head Coach on Andy Talley's staff. Ferrante has been a part of Villanova teams that have won eight CAA titles, three Lambert Meadows Cups and three ECAC Team of the Year awards.

Ferrante's success during his years as an assistant coach were recognized by others outside the Villanova program. At the end of the 2015 season he was named the FCS Assistant Coach of the Year by the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA). This award was first presented in 1997 and was created to honor assistant coaches who excel in community service, commitment to student-athletes and on-field coaching success.

Ferrante was a standout collegiate performer in his own right prior to joining the football coaching ranks. He was the quarterback for Andy Talley at St. Lawrence where he was named the 1982 Division III Player of the Year to go along with first team All-East honors. Ferrante directed the offense for a St. Lawrence team that went 10-1 during the 1982 season and reached the national semifinals in the playoffs.



Mark Ferrante
Head Coach



Chris Boden
Offensive Coordinator
Quarterbacks



Ross Penny Packer
Defensive Coordinator
Defensive Line



Sean Devine
Offensive Run Game Coord.
Offensive Line



David Riede
Recruiting Coordinator
Linebackers



Nate Pagan
Wide Receivers



Matt Colangelo
Special Teams Coord.
Safeties



Josh Fletcher
Running Backs



Dustin Johnson
Cornerbacks



Lachlan Kline
Offensive Assistant
Tight Ends



Ricky Venuto
Defensive Assistant



TJ Landis
Coord. of Video Ops. &
Administrative Services



Tyler Waite
Athletic Trainer



Mike Tucker
Strength & Conditioning

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NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown	No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown
0	Isas Waxter	DB	Gr.	6-2	215	Newark, N.J.	42	Timmy Furgeson	LB	Gr.	6-2	225	Gaithersburg, Md.
1	Jon Wyatt	DB	So.	6-2	200	Somerset, N.J.	43	Nino Betances	DB	Jr.	5-10	190	Brooklyn, N.Y.
2	Eli Smith	RB	Jr.	6-0	215	Houston, Texas	44	Richie Kimmel	LB	Sr.	6-1	235	Holmes, Pa.
3	Tanner Maddocks	QB	So.	6-1	210	Reading, Pa.	45	Ethan Gettman	PK	Gr.	6-4	205	Daytona Beach, Fla.
3	Josh Oluremi	DB	So.	6-3	205	Avenel, N.J.	48	Ralee Stephens	WR	Fr.	5-9	165	Asbury, N.J.
4	Jalen Goodman	DB	Gr.	6-0	205	Narberth, Pa.	50	AJ Koukou	DL	Fr.	6-1	275	Havertown, Pa.
4	Connor Watkins	QB	Gr.	6-3	225	Williamsport, Pa.	51	Dale Law	LB	Jr.	6-1	225	West Chester, Pa.
5	Jaylan Sanchez	WR	Jr.	6-0	200	North Bergen, N.J.	52	Chandon Pierre	DL	Gr.	6-2	285	Reno, Nev.
6	Nate Hill	WR	So.	6-3	210	Dallas, Texas	53	Jason Hall	LB	R-Fr.	6-2	225	Fall River, Mass.
7	Tyrell Mims	DB	Gr.	5-10	195	Philadelphia, Pa.	54	Thomas Colello	LS	Fr.	5-11	190	North Caldwell, N.J.
8	Michael Benincasa	QB	So.	6-1	215	Ardmore, Pa.	55	Mike Kennedy	DL	So.	6-1	290	Greenville, S.C.
8	Kaleb Moody	DB	Gr.	5-10	205	North Andover, Mass.	56	Christian Caballero	LB	R-Fr.	6-2	225	Niceville, Fla.
8	James Mott	QB	Gr.	6-0	195	Laguna Beach, Calif.	61	Dan McManus	OL	Jr.	6-4	285	Havertown, Pa.
9	Antonio Johnson	TE	Jr.	6-4	250	Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	62	RJ Reyes	OL	R-Fr.	6-5	295	Weston, Fla.
9	Ty Trinh	DB	Gr.	6-0	205	Owings Mills, Md.	63	Quin Whalen	OL	Jr.	6-4	290	Chalfont, Pa.
10	JR Strauss	LB	So.	6-3	225	Reading, Pa.	65	Ian Erickson	OL	Jr.	6-6	315	Atlanta, Ga.
11	Jordan Nelson	LB	Sr.	6-2	230	Palmerton, Pa.	66	Tyler Langin	DL	So.	6-3	270	Houston, Texas
12	Colin Kennedy	LB	Jr.	6-2	225	Fair Haven, N.J.	67	Kyle Fay	OL	R-Fr.	6-6	300	Cranford, N.J.
13	Ethan Carr	WR	Jr.	6-2	205	Harrison City, Pa.	69	Jake Picard	OL	Sr.	6-4	310	Hope, R.I.
14	Dylan Mills	QB	Fr.	6-2	210	Dana Point, Calif.	70	Dhamir Wesley	OL	Fr.	6-5	280	Millersville, Pa.
14	Robert Russo	QB	So.	6-3	225	Millsboro, Del.	73	Gilbert Deglau	OL	Gr.	6-5	295	Richmond, Va.
15	Kenyon Miles	WR	So.	6-2	195	Huntington Station, N.Y.	74	Temí Ajírotutu	OL	Gr.	6-5	320	Queens, N.Y.
16	Lucas Kopecky	WR	Gr.	6-3	200	Rocky Hill, N.J.	75	Stephane Voltaire	OL	Jr.	6-5	320	Randolph, Mass.
16	Jack Ryder	QB	Jr.	6-2	205	Media, Pa.	76	Chris McCullers	OL	R-Fr.	6-3	315	Round Hill, Va.
17	Irene Ngabonziza	WR	Jr.	5-9	190	Fort Worth, Texas	78	Tommy Broderick	OL	R-Fr.	6-5	305	Alpharetta, Ga.
18	Julian Glantz	RB	Jr.	6-1	220	Scarsdale, N.Y.	79	Ryan Cregan	OL	Fr.	6-6	290	Morristown, N.J.
19	Chris Dobrydney	WR	Jr.	5-10	185	Fairfax, Va.	80	Chris Colby	WR	Fr.	6-3	210	Rowley, Mass.
20	Isaiah Ragland	RB	R-Fr.	5-9	215	Alexandria, Va.	81	Brandon Binkowski	WR	Fr.	6-3	205	Haymarket, Va.
21	Jayvont Williams	DB	R-Fr.	6-1	200	Fort Worth, Texas	82	Ryan Kennedy	WR	So.	5-11	195	Cleveland Heights, Ohio
22	Devin Smith	WR	Gr.	5-10	185	Durham, N.C.	83	Luke Daly	WR	Jr.	6-1	195	Rye, N.Y.
23	Jamie Tyson	DB	Fr.	6-2	185	Somers Point, N.J.	84	Daniel Lopes	WR	Jr.	6-2	200	Cheshire, Conn.
24	David Avit	RB	Fr.	6-0	220	Potomac, Md.	85	Nolan Clayton	TE	R-Fr.	6-5	245	King of Prussia, Pa.
25	Christian Sapp	DB	Jr.	6-0	195	East Stroudsburg, Pa.	86	Sean Brodник	TE	Fr.	6-3	220	Ardmore, Pa.
26	Isaiah Wright	RB	Jr.	5-8	205	Douglassville, Pa.	87	Ryan Sorge	WR	So.	6-3	210	Warrington, Pa.
27	Anthony Hawkins	DB	Fr.	6-3	190	Arnold, Md.	88	Carmen Ostroski	TE	Gr.	6-4	230	Blue Bell, Pa.
28	Brendan Bell	LB	Gr.	6-2	230	Basking Ridge, N.J.	89	James Welde	TE	Sr.	6-4	250	Havertown, Pa.
30	Ja'briel Mace	RB	R-Fr.	5-9	180	Somers Point, N.J.	90	Sebastian Smith	PK	Jr.	5-10	195	Bellingham, Wash.
31	Shane Hartzell	LB	Jr.	6-0	230	Perkasie, Pa.	91	Ayden Howard	DL	Sr.	6-2	295	McKinney, Texas
32	Omari Bursey	LB	Fr.	6-0	220	Broomfield, Colo.	92	Nigel McSween	DL	R-Fr.	6-4	255	Newark, N.J.
33	Turner Inge	LB	So.	6-1	220	Williamstown, N.J.	93	Capri Martin	DL	So.	6-2	260	Bridgeport, Conn.
34	Ethan Potter	DB	Gr.	5-11	205	Chesapeake City, Md.	94	Ivan Murray	DL	R-Fr.	6-3	290	Paulsboro, N.J.
35	Langston White	LB	Fr.	6-2	210	Bristow, Va.	96	Ugo Nwotite	DL	Fr.	6-5	215	Linwood, N.J.
36	Damill Bostic	CB	Fr.	6-0	175	Hyattsville, Md.	97	Daniel Mueller	P	So.	5-10	190	Ephrata, Pa.
37	Zahmir Dawud	DB	R-Fr.	6-0	185	North Brunswick, N.J.	97	Chuck Smith	DL	Gr.	6-3	280	Suwanee, Ga.
38	Newton Essiem	DB	Fr.	5-11	175	Frederick, Md.	98	Obinna Nwobodo	DL	Sr.	6-3	295	Wilmington, Del.
39	Luke Myers	PK	Fr.	5-10	165	Breinigsville, Pa.	99	Ratu Delano Navoti	DL	Fr.	6-3	265	Brooklyn, N.Y.
41	Garrett Rogan	DB	Jr.	6-3	200	Mercer Island, Wash.							

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

0	Isas Waxter	ice-iss (goes by ice)	52	Chandon Pierre	CHAN-don
5	Jaylan Sanchez	jalen	69	Jake Picard	pa-card
9	Ty Trinh	trinn	73	Gilbert Deglau	del-lau (rhymes with wow)
12	Tanner Maddocks	mad-ocks	74	Temí Ajírotutu	tem-ee ah-joro-too-too
16	Lucas Kopecky	ko-peck-ee	75	Stephane Voltaire	ste-fon vole-tare
17	Irene Ngabonziza	i-ruh-nay gob-on-zee-zuh	79	Ryan Cregan	cree-ginn
19	Chris Dobrydney	da-brid-nee	83	Luke Daly	daily
24	David Avit	ah-vit	87	Ryan Sorge	sorj (rhymes with George)
30	Ja'briel Mace	ja-breel	89	James Welde	well-D
32	Omari Bursey	bur-see	93	Capri Martin	ka-pree
37	Zahmir Dawud	da-woo	96	Ugo Nwotite	ooh-go wo-tee-tay
48	Ralee Stephens	rally	98	Obinna Nwobodo	o-binn-uh wa-BO-doe
50	AJ Koukou	koo-koo	99	Ratu Delano Navoti	rah-too de-lon-oh na-va-tee

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

OFFENSIVE DEPTH CHART

Pos.	No.	Name	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown	Pronunciation
QB	4	Connor Watkins	6th	6-3	225	WilliamSPORT, Pa.	
	12	Tanner Maddocks	So.	6-1	210	Reading, Pa.	mad-ocks
RB	20	Isaiah Ragland	R-Fr.	5-9	215	Alexandria, Va.	
	26	Isaiah Wright	Jr.	5-8	205	Douglassville, Pa.	
WR	22	Devin Smith	5th	5-10	185	Durham, N.C.	
	84	Daniel Lopes	Jr.	6-2	200	Cheshire, Conn.	
WR	15	Kenyon Miles	So.	6-2	195	Huntington Station, N.Y.	
	83	Luke Daly	Jr.	6-1	195	Rye, N.Y.	daily
WR	5	Jaylan Sanchez	Jr.	6-0	200	North Bergen, N.J.	jalen
	80	Chris Colby	Fr.	6-3	210	Rowley, Mass.	
TE	85	Nolan Clayton	R-Fr.	6-5	245	King of Prussia, Pa.	
	89	James Welde	Sr.	6-4	250	Havertown, Pa.	
RT	67	Kyle Fay	R-Fr.	6-6	300	Cranford, N.J.	
	79	Ryan Cregan	Fr.	6-6	290	Morristown, N.J.	cree-ginn
LT	75	Stephane Voltaire	Jr.	6-5	320	Marion, Mass.	ste-fon vole-tare
	79	Ryan Cregan	Fr.	6-6	290	Morristown, N.J.	cree-ginn
C	69	Jake Picard	Sr.	6-4	310	Hope, R.I.	pa-card
	73	Gilbert Deglau	5th	6-5	295	Richmond, Va.	deg-lau (rhymes with wow)
RG	76	Chris McCullers	R-Fr.	6-3	315	Round Hill, Va.	
	73	Gilbert Deglau	5th	6-5	295	Richmond, Va.	deg-lau (rhymes with wow)
LG	74	Temí Ajirotutu	5th	6-5	320	Queens, N.Y.	tem-ee / aj-joro-too-too
	73	Gilbert Deglau	5th	6-5	295	Richmond, Va.	deg-lau (rhymes with wow)

DEFENSIVE DEPTH CHART

Pos.	No.	Name	Elig.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown	Pronunciation
DE	97	Chuck Smith	5th	6-3	280	Suwanee, Ga.	
	92	Nigel McSween	R-Fr.	6-4	255	Newark, N.J.	
DT	98	Obinna Nwobodo	Sr.	6-3	295	Wilmington, Del.	o-binn-uh / wa-BO-doe
	52	Chandon Pierre	6th	6-2	285	Reno, Nev.	CHAN-don
DE	93	Capri Martin	So.	6-2	260	Bridgeport, Conn.	ka-pree
	91	Ayden Howard	Sr.	6-2	295	McKinney, Texas	
LB	31	Shane Hartzell	Jr.	6-0	230	Perkasie, Pa.	
	33	Turner Inge	So.	6-1	220	Williamstown, N.J.	
LB	44	Richie Kimmel	Sr.	6-1	235	Holmes, Pa.	
	10	JR Strauss	So.	6-3	225	Reading, Pa.	
LB	28	Brendan Bell	5th	6-2	230	Basking Ridge, N.J.	
	11	Jordan Nelson	Sr.	6-2	230	Palmerton, Pa.	
CB	37	Zahmir Dawud	R-Fr.	6-0	185	North Brunswick, N.J.	da-woood
	38	Newton Essiem	Fr.	5-11	175	Frederick, Md.	
CB	0	Isas Waxter	5th	6-2	215	Newark, N.J.	ice-iss (goes by ice)
	7	Tyrell Mims	5th	5-10	195	Philadelphia, Pa.	
FS	4	Jalen Goodman	6th	6-0	205	Narberth, Pa.	
	8	Kaleb Moody	5th	5-10	205	North Andover, Mass.	
WS	34	Ethan Potter	5th	5-11	205	Chesapeake City, Md.	
	25	Christian Sapp	Jr.	6-0	195	East Stroudsburg, Pa.	
SS	9	Ty Trinh	5th	6-0	205	Owings Mills, Md.	trinn
	21	Jayvont Williams	R-Fr.	6-1	200	Fort Worth, Texas	

SPECIAL TEAMS DEPTH CHART

PK	45	Ethan Gettman	5th	6-4	205	Daytona Beach, Fla.	
	39	Luke Myers	Fr.	5-10	165	Breinigsville, Pa.	
KO	45	Ethan Gettman	5th	6-4	205	Daytona Beach, Fla.	
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P	97	Daniel Mueller	So.	5-10	190	Ephrata, Pa.	
	16	Jack Ryder	Jr.	6-2	205	Media, Pa.	
LS	42	Timmy Furgeson	Gr.	6-2	225	Gaithersburg, Md.	
	54	Thomas Colello	Fr.	5-11	190	North Caldwell, N.J.	
KR	25	Christian Sapp	Jr.	6-0	195	East Stroudsburg, Pa.	
	34	Ethan Potter	5th	5-11	205	Chesapeake City, Md.	
PR	22	Devin Smith	5th	5-10	185	Durham, N.C.	
	12	Tanner Maddocks	So.	6-1	210	Reading, Pa.	mad-ocks

CAREER PARTICIPATION

#	Name	GP-GS
0	Isas Waxter, DB	34-18
1	Jon Wyatt, DB	10-0
2	Eli Smith, RB	8-0
3	Josh Oluremi, DB	11-0
4	Connor Watkins, QB	36-25
4	Jalen Goodman, DB	42-37
5	Jaylan Sanchez, WR	24-17
6	Nate Hill, WR	5-0
7	Tyrell Mims, DB	40-11
8	James Mott, QB	3-0
8	Michael Benincasa, QB	2-0
8	Kaleb Moody, DB	23-10
9	Ty Trinh, DB	40-32
9	Antonio Johnson, TE	20-9
10	JR Strauss, LB	15-0
11	Jordan Nelson, LB	25-0
12	Tanner Maddocks, QB	5-0
13	Ethan Carr, WR	2-0
14	Robert Russo, QB	0-0
14	Dylan Mills, QB	0-0
15	Kenyon Miles, WR	10-1
16	Jack Ryder, QB	1-0
16	Lucas Kopecky, WR	0-0
17	Irene Ngabonziza, WR	1-0
18	Julian Glantz, RB	11-0
19	Chris Dobrydney, WR	5-0
20	Isaiah Ragland, RB	5-1
21	Jayvont Williams, DB	2-0
22	Devin Smith, WR	34-27
23	Jamie Tyson, DB	0-0
24	David Avit, RB	1-0
25	Christian Sapp	23-5
26	Isaiah Wright, RB	5-0
27	Anthony Hawkins, DB	0-0
28	Brendan Bell, LB	38-22
30	Ja'briel Mace, RB	4-0
31	Shane Hartzell, LB	28-24
32	Omari Bursey, LB	0-0
33	Turner Inge, LB	14-1
34	Ethan Potter, DB	40-17
35	Langston White, LB	0-0
36	Damill Bostic, CB	0-0
37	Zahmir Dawud, DB	4-1
38	Newton Essiem, DB	1-0
39	Luke Myers, PK	0-0
40	Colin Kennedy, LB	6-0
41	Garrett Rogan, DB	2-0
42	Timmy Furgeson, LB	34-4
43	Nino Betances, DB	0-0
44	Richie Kimmel, LB	27-1
45	Ethan Gettman, PK	35-0
48	Ralee Stephens, WR	0-0
50	AJ Koukou, DL	0-0
51	Dale Law, LB	2-0
52	Chandon Pierre, DL	33-5
53	Jason Hall, LB	5-0
54	Thomas Colello, LS	0-0
55	Mike Kennedy, DL	6-0
56	Christian Caballero, LB	1-0
61	Dan McManus, OL	3-0
62	RJ Reyes, OL	0-0
63	Quin Whalen, OL	6-0
65	Ian Erickson, OL	11-0
66	Tyler Langin, DL	2-0
67	Kyle Fay, OL	5-0
69	Jake Picard, OL	27-21
70	Dhamir Wesley, OL	0-0
73	Gilbert Deglau, OL	29-22
74	Temí Ajirotutu, OL	34-28
75	Stephane Voltaire, OL	25-17
76	Chris McCullers, OL	5-1
78	Tommy Broderick, OL	5-1
79	Ryan regan, OL	0-0
80	Chris Colby, WR	1-0
81	Brandon Binkowski, WR	0-0
82	Ryan Kennedy, WR	0-0
83	Luke Daly, WR	14-0
84	Daniel Lopes, WR	20-3
85	Nolan Clayton, TE	1-0
86	Sean Brodnik, TE	0-0
87	Ryan Sorge, WR	0-0
88	Carmen Ostroski, TE	0-0
89	James Welde, TE	15-0
90	Sebastian Smith, K	0-0
91	Ayden Howard, DL	27-0
92	Nigel McSween, DL	2-0
93	Capri Martin, DL	12-1
94	Ivan Murray, DL	0-0
96	Ugo Nwotite, DL	0-0
97	Chuck Smith, DL	34-28
97	Daniel Mueller, P	1-0
98	Obinna Nwobodo, DL	17-1
99	Ratu Delano Navoti, DL	0-0

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

COLGATE OFFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.
LT	66	Chance Niesner	Sr.	6-4	295
	74	Will Marshall	So.	6-5	280
LG	62	Isaac Perkins	So.	6-4	305
	60	Sean Haney	So.	6-2	295
C	77	Bardhyl Gashi	5th	6-3	305
	63	Brendan Greaney	Sr.	6-2	290
RG	78	John Hartman	Sr.	6-3	305
	71	Ethan Tyla	Sr.	6-3	300
RT (or)	73	Miles Salinas	Jr.	6-4	290
	76	Ryan Steinbrink	So.	6-4	285
TE (or)	44	William Parker	5th	6-2	240
	90	Dave Thomson	Jr.	6-6	250
	98	Mason Mozo	Jr.	6-5	250
X	14	Brady Hutchison	Jr.	6-1	190
	87	Ryan Corbett	Sr.	6-1	200
Z	2	Winston Moore	So.	5-11	190
	19	Jariyah Sawyer	Jr.	5-11	185
F	9	Treyvhon Saunders	Jr.	5-10	190
	81	Kiam Phillips	Fy.	6-0	190
QB (or) (or)	5	Michael Brescia	Sr.	6-3	230
	1	Zach Osborne	Jr.	6-2	220
	15	Jake Stearney	So.	6-3	190
RB (or)	4	Marco Maldonado	Jr.	5-11	210
	24	Brendan Cassamajor	Sr.	6-0	220
	25	Chris Gee	So.	6-0	215

COLGATE SPECIALISTS

Pos.	No.	Name	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.
PK	95	Luke Vogeler	So.	6-3	200
H	1	Zach Osborne	Jr.	6-2	220
	36	Shelby Pruet	Sr.	6-3	225
LS	53	Patrick Cramer	So.	6-2	215
	52	Terry Mowrey	Jr.	6-0	220
P (or)	36	Zhelby Pruet	Sr.	6-3	225
	37	Tyler Fontenot	Fy.	6-1	170
	48	Carson Wilkie	Fy.	5-10	170
KO	95	Luke Vogeler	So.	6-3	200
	37	Tyler Fontenot	Fy.	6-1	170
KOR	19	Jariyah Sawyer	Jr.	5-11	185
	2	Winston Moore	So.	5-11	190
PR	9	Treyvhon Saunders	Jr.	5-10	190
	14	Brady Hutchison	Jr.	6-1	190

COLGATE DEFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.
DE	92	Brock Winsett	So.	6-4	225
	46	Justin Tedim	So.	6-3	220
NT	93	Andrew Taddeo	Sr.	6-2	275
	94	Joe Kelly	Fy.	6-1	280
DT	56	Danny Noroceca	Jr.	6-3	275
	0	K2 Dickens	5th	6-2	270
DE	37	Nick Marsh	5th	6-3	245
	32	Dane Picariello	Jr.	6-3	245
ILB	54	Christian Sweeney	5th	6-2	235
	50	Mack Marrone	Sr.	6-0	220
ILB	43	Cole Kozlowski	Jr.	6-2	230
	35	Mike Slivka	5th	6-2	235
OLB	33	Brody Hock	Sr.	6-1	220
	38	Zach Jones	Fy.	6-1	210
CB	6	Tymir Wynn	So.	6-0	185
	11	Justin Lawrence	Jr.	6-1	190
CB	8	Kaleb Alexander	So.	6-0	170
	26	Griffin Gentner	So.	5-11	175
FS	7	Asauni Allen	Sr.	5-11	190
	29	Connor Rowilson	Fy.	6-0	205
SS	31	Josh Stinespring	So.	6-0	185
	34	Reece Allan	Fy.	6-3	190

COLGATE COACHING STAFF

Stan Dakosty	Devin Altlant
Fred '50 and Marilyn Dunlap Head Coach	Corners
Brent Bassham	Dalton McCrann
Offensive Coordinator	Tight Ends
Quarterbacks	Nate Trawick
Jordan Belfiori	Defensive Line
Defensive Coordinator	Brandon Williams
Defensive Backs	Quality Control – Offense
Josh Ison	Brady Thompson
Special Teams Coordinator	Quality Control – Defense
Inside Linebackers	Abbey Paduano
Brendan Walsh	Director of Football Operations
Offensive Line	Stan Dakosty Sr.
Jared Livingston	Senior Analyst
Running Backs	
Ian Pace	
Wide Receivers	
Recruiting Coordinator	

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

2024 OPPONENTS AT A GLANCE (3-9 OVERALL)

YOUNGSTOWN ST. (0-1, 0-0 MVFC)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.29	@ Villanova	L, 17-24
9.7	Valparaiso	
9.14	Duquesne	
9.21	@ Pittsburgh	
9.28	@ Missouri State (*)	
10.5	Indiana State (*)	
10.12	@ South Dakota St. (*)	
10.19	South Dakota (*)	
10.26	North Dakota (*)	
11.2	@ Illinois State (*)	
11.9	@ Southern Illinois (*)	
11.16	Northern Iowa (*)	

COLGATE (0-1, 0-0 Patriot)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.30	@ Maine	L, 14-17
9.7	vs. Villanova	
9.14	@ Akron	
9.21	Cornell	
9.28	@ Penn	
10.5	Holy Cross (*)	
10.19	Georgetown (*)	
10.26	@ Merrimack	
11.2	@ Fordham (*)	
11.9	Lafayette (*)	
11.16	@ Lehigh (*)	
11.23	@ Bucknell (*)	

TOWSON (0-1, 0-0 CAA)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.31	@ Cincinnati	L, 20-38
9.7	Morgan State	
9.14	@ Villanova (*)	
9.21	@ North Dakota State	
10.5	William & Mary (*)	
10.12	@ Norfolk State	
10.19	Stony Brook (*)	
10.26	@ Monmouth (*)	
11.2	@ Richmond (*)	
10.9	Hampton (*)	
11.16	N.C. A&T (*)	
11.23	@ Campbell (*)	

MARYLAND (1-0, 0-0 BIG TEN)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.31	Connecticut	W, 50-7
9.7	Michigan State (*)	
9.14	@ Virginia	
9.21	Villanova	
9.28	@ Indiana (*)	
10.11	Northwestern (*)	
10.19	USC (*)	
10.26	@ Minnesota (*)	
11.9	@ Oregon (*)	
11.16	Rutgers (*)	
11.23	Iowa (*)	
11.30	@ Penn State (*)	

LIU (0-1, 0-0 NORTHEAST)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.31	@ UAlbany	L, 21-27
9.7	@ TCU	
9.14	Lehigh	
9.21	Rhode Island	
9.28	@ Villanova	
10.5	@ Duquesne (*)	
10.12	Stonehill (*)	
10.19	@ Robert Morris (*)	
10.26	@ Central Conn. St. (*)	
11.9	@ Sacred Heart	
11.16	Saint Francis (*)	
11.23	@ Wagner (*)	

STONY BROOK (0-1, 0-0 CAA)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.31	@ Marshall	L, 3-45
9.7	Stonehill	
9.14	@ Fordham	
9.21	@ Campbell (*)	
9.28	Morgan State	
10.5	Villanova (*)	
10.19	@ Towson (*)	
10.26	William & Mary (*)	
11.2	@ Bryant (*)	
11.9	UAlbany (*)	
11.16	@ New Hampshire (*)	
11.23	Monmouth (*)	

MAINE (1-0, 0-0 CAA)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.30	Colgate	W, 17-14
9.7	@ Montana State	
9.14	Monmouth (*)	
9.21	@ Merrimack	
9.28	@ UAlbany (*)	
10.12	@ Delaware (*)	
10.19	Villanova (*)	
10.26	@ Rhode Island (*)	
11.2	@ Oklahoma	
11.9	Bryant (*)	
11.16	@ Elon (*)	
11.23	New Hampshire (*)	

NEW HAMPSHIRE (0-1, 0-0 CAA)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.29	@ UCF	L, 3-57
9.7	@ Holy Cross	
9.14	Stonehill	
9.21	Bryant (*)	
10.4	@ Harvard	
10.12	@ Elon (*)	
10.19	Rhode Island (*)	
10.26	@ Villanova (*)	
11.2	@ UAlbany (*)	
11.9	Monmouth (*)	
11.16	Stony Brook (*)	
11.23	@ Maine (*)	

HAMPTON (0-1, 0-0 CAA)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.31	Morgan State	L, 28-30
9.7	Virginia Union	
9.14	@ Norfolk State	
9.21	Howard	
9.28	@ William & Mary (*)	
10.5	Rhode Island (*)	
10.19	@ N.C. A&T (*)	
10.26	Elon (*)	
11.2	Villanova (*)	
11.9	@ Towson (*)	
11.16	Richmond (*)	
11.23	@ UAlbany (*)	

NORTH CAROLINA A&T (0-1, 0-0 CAA)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.29	@ Wake Forest	L, 13-45
9.7	Winston-Salem State	
9.14	Delaware (*)	
9.21	@ North Carolina Central	
9.28	@ South Carolina State	
10.5	@ Richmond (*)	
10.19	Hampton (*)	
10.26	@ Campbell (*)	
11.2	William & Mary (*)	
11.9	@ Villanova (*)	
11.16	@ Towson (*)	
11.23	Elon (*)	

MONMOUTH (0-1, 0-0 CAA)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.29	@ Eastern Washington	L, 27-42
9.7	Lafayette	
9.14	@ Maine (*)	
9.21	@ FIU	
9.28	Fordham	
10.5	Delaware (*)	
10.19	Bryant (*)	
10.26	Towson (*)	
11.2	@ Rhode Island (*)	
11.9	@ New Hampshire (*)	
11.16	Villanova (*)	
11.23	@ Stony Brook (*)	

DELAWARE (1-0)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.29	Bryant	W, 48-17
9.14	@ N.C. A&T	
9.21	Penn	
9.28	Sacred Heart	
10.5	@ Monmouth	
10.12	Maine	
10.19	@ Richmond	
10.26	UAlbany	
11.9	Rhode Island	
11.16	Campbell	
11.23	@ Villanova	

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA QUARTERBACKS

#4 CONNOR WATKINS

PASSING STATS

OPPONENT	COMP-ATT-INT	YDS	TD	LONG
Youngstown State	6-17-0	90	0	35
at Colgate				
Towson				
at Maryland				
LIU				
at Stony Brook				
at Maine				
New Hampshire				
at Hampton				
North Carolina A&T				
at Monmouth				
Delaware				
SEASON	6-17-0	90	0	35
CAREER	301-538-21	5028	37	83

RUSHING STATS

OPPONENT	ATT-YDS-TD	LONG
Youngstown State	10-107-2	45
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON	10-107-2	45
CAREER	193-933-21	75

#8 JAMES MOTT

PASSING STATS

OPPONENT	COMP-ATT-INT	YDS	TD	LONG
Youngstown State				
at Colgate				
Towson				
at Maryland				
LIU				
at Stony Brook				
at Maine				
New Hampshire				
at Hampton				
North Carolina A&T				
at Monmouth				
Delaware				
SEASON	2-3-0	9	0	6
VILLANOVA	3-4-0	14	0	6
CAREER				

RUSHING STATS

OPPONENT	ATT-YDS-TD	LONG
Youngstown State		
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON		
VILLANOVA		
CAREER		

#12 TANNER MADDOCKS

PASSING STATS

OPPONENT	COMP-ATT-INT	YDS	TD	LONG
Youngstown State				
at Colgate				
Towson				
at Maryland				
LIU				
at Stony Brook				
at Maine				
New Hampshire				
at Hampton				
North Carolina A&T				
at Monmouth				
Delaware				
SEASON	6-6-0	44	0	40
CAREER				

RUSHING STATS

OPPONENT	ATT-YDS-TD	LONG
Youngstown State		
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON	5-15-0	12
CAREER		

SEASON AND CAREER HIGHS

	SEASON HIGHS		CAREER HIGHS	
CONNOR WATKINS				
Passing Attempts	17	YSU	31	2x
Completions	6	YSU	18	2022, UAlbany
Passing Yards	90	YSU	361	2023, Stony B.
Touchdowns			4	2x
Interceptions			4	2022, LIU
Long Pass	35	YSU	83	2022, Maine
Total Offense	197	YSU	395	2023, Stony B.
Rushing Attempts	10	YSU	13	2x (2023)
Rushing Yards	107	YSU	130	2022, Hamp.
Rushing Touchdowns	2	YSU	3	2023, URI
Long Rush	45	YSU	75	2022, Hamp.
TANNER MADDOCKS				
Passing Attempts			4	2023, Stony B.
Completions			4	2023, Stony B.
Passing Yards			37	2023, Stony B.
Touchdowns				
Interceptions				
Long Pass			40	2023, Stony B.
Total Offense			49	2023, Stony B.
Rushing Attempts			2	2023, URI
Rushing Yards			12	2023, Stony B.
Rushing Touchdowns				
Long Rush			12	2023, Stony B.
JAMES MOTT				
Passing Attempts			3	2023, Lehigh
Completions			2	2023, Lehigh
Passing Yards			9	2023, Lehigh
Touchdowns				
Interceptions				
Long Pass			6	2023, Lehigh
Total Offense			9	2023, Lehigh
Rushing Attempts				
Rushing Yards				
Rushing Touchdowns				
Long Rush				

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA RUNNING BACKS

#20 ISAIAH RAGLAND

OPPONENT	RUSHING ATT-YDS-TD	LG	RECEIVING REC-YDS-TD	LG
Youngstown State at Colgate Towson at Maryland LIU at Stony Brook at Maine New Hampshire at Hampton North Carolina A&T at Monmouth Delaware	7-65-1	31	1-5-0	5
SEASON	7-65-1	31	1-5-0	5
CAREER	31-226-1	31	1-5-0	5

#24 DAVID AVIT

OPPONENT	RUSHING ATT-YDS-TD	LG	RECEIVING REC-YDS-TD	LG
Youngstown State at Colgate Towson at Maryland LIU at Stony Brook at Maine New Hampshire at Hampton North Carolina A&T at Monmouth Delaware	5-42-0	20		
SEASON	5-42-0	20		
CAREER	5-42-0	20		

#26 ISAIAH WRIGHT

OPPONENT	RUSHING ATT-YDS-TD	LG	RECEIVING REC-YDS-TD	LG
Youngstown State at Colgate Towson at Maryland LIU at Stony Brook at Maine New Hampshire at Hampton North Carolina A&T at Monmouth Delaware	3-13-0	11		
SEASON	3-13-0	11		
CAREER	12-29-1	11		

#30 JA'BRIEL MACE

OPPONENT	RUSHING ATT-YDS-TD	LG	RECEIVING REC-YDS-TD	LG
Youngstown State at Colgate Towson at Maryland LIU at Stony Brook at Maine New Hampshire at Hampton North Carolina A&T at Monmouth Delaware	1-6-0	6	1-35-0	35
SEASON	1-6-0	6	1-35-0	35
CAREER	20-109-0	28	2-36-0	35

SEASON AND CAREER HIGHS

	SEASON HIGHS		CAREER HIGHS	
ISAIAH RAGLAND				
Rushing Attempts	7	YSU	15	2023, Elon
Rushing Yards	65	YSU	126	2023, Elon
Rushing Touchdowns	1	YSU	1	2024, YSU
Long Rush	31	YSU	31	2024, YSU
100+ Rushing Yards			1	
All-Purpose Yards	65	YSU	126	2023, Elon
DAVID AVIT				
Rushing Attempts	5	YSU	5	2024, YSU
Rushing Yards	42	YSU	42	2024, YSU
Long Rush	20	YSU	20	2024, YSU
All-Purpose Yards	42	YSU	42	2024, YSU
ISAIAH WRIGHT				
Rushing Attempts	3	YSU	4	2023, Stony B.
Rushing Yards	13	YSU	13	2024, YSU
Rushing Touchdowns			1	2023, Stony B.
Long Rush	11	YSU	11	2024, YSU
All-Purpose Yards	13	YSU	13	2024, YSU
JA'BRIEL MACE				
Rushing Attempts	1	YSU	13	2023, Towson
Rushing Yards	6	YSU	76	2023, Towson
Long Rush	6	YSU	28	2023, Towson
Receptions	1	YSU	1	2x
Receiving Yards	35	YSU	35	2024, YSU
Long Reception	35	YSU	35	2024, YSU
All-Purpose Yards	41	YSU	77	2023, Towson
ELI SMITH				
Rushing Attempts			7	2x (2022)
Rushing Yards			48	2022, W&M
Long Rush			18	2022, W&M
Receptions			1	2022, W&M
Receiving Yards			2	2022, W&M
Long Reception			2	2022, W&M
All-Purpose Yards			50	2022, W&M

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA WIDE RECEIVERS/TIGHT ENDS

#5 JAYLAN SANCHEZ

RECEIVING STATS	REC-YDS-TD	LG
OPPONENT		
Youngstown State	1-10-0	10
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON	1-10-0	10
CAREER	39-791-6	68

#15 KENYON MILES

RECEIVING STATS	REC-YDS-TD	LG
OPPONENT		
Youngstown State	2-17-0	10
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON	2-17-0	10
CAREER	3-37-0	20

SEASON AND CAREER HIGHS

	SEASON HIGHS		CAREER HIGHS	
JAYLAN SANCHEZ				
Receptions	1	YSU	6	2023, NCAT
Receiving Yards	10	YSU	158	2023, NCAT
Receiving Touchdowns			2	2023, NCAT
Long Reception	10	YSU	68	2023, Colgate
100+ Receiving Yards			3	
All-Purpose Yards	26	YSU	157	2023, NCAT
100+ All-Purpose Yards			3	
KENYON MILES				
Receptions	2	YSU	2	2024, YSU
Receiving Yards	17	YSU	20	2023, UAlbany
Long Reception	10	YSU	20	2023, UAlbany
All-Purpose Yards	17	YSU	20	2023, UAlbany

#22 DEVIN SMITH

RECEIVING STATS	REC-YDS-TD	LG
OPPONENT		
Youngstown State		
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON		
VILLANOVA	101-1518-15	91
CAREER		

#84 DANIEL LOPES

RECEIVING STATS	REC-YDS-TD	LG
OPPONENT		
Youngstown State	1-23-0	23
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON	1-23-0	23
CAREER	11-128-1	39

DEVIN SMITH				
Receptions			6	2x
Receiving Yards			202	2023, Rich.
Receiving Touchdowns			2	3x
Long Reception			91	2023, Rich.
100+ Receiving Yards			2	
All-Purpose Yards			220	2023, Rich.
100+ All-Purpose Yards			3	

#83 LUKE DALY

RECEIVING STATS	REC-YDS-TD	LG
OPPONENT		
Youngstown State		
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON		
CAREER	3-54-0	45

#80 CHRIS COLBY

RECEIVING STATS	REC-YDS-TD	LG
OPPONENT		
Youngstown State		
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON		
CAREER		

LUKE DALY				
Receptions			1	3x
Receiving Yards			45	2023, YSU
Long Reception			45	2023, YSU
All-Purpose Yards			45	2023, YSU

ANTONIO JOHNSON				
Receptions			2	3x
Receiving Yards			40	2023, YSU
Receiving Touchdowns			1	2023, Colgate
Long Reception			34	2023, YSU
All-Purpose Yards			40	2023, YSU

#85 NOLAN CLAYTON

RECEIVING STATS	REC-YDS-TD	LG
OPPONENT		
Youngstown State		
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON		
CAREER		

#89 JAMES WELDE

RECEIVING STATS	REC-YDS-TD	LG
OPPONENT		
Youngstown State		
at Colgate		
Towson		
at Maryland		
LIU		
at Stony Brook		
at Maine		
New Hampshire		
at Hampton		
North Carolina A&T		
at Monmouth		
Delaware		
SEASON		
CAREER		

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA SPECIALISTS

#45 ETHAN GETTMAN

KICKING STATS	PAT	FG	LG
OPPONENT			
Youngstown State	3-3	1-2	42
at Colgate			
Towson			
at Maryland			
LIU			
at Stony Brook			
at Maine			
New Hampshire			
at Hampton			
North Carolina A&T			
at Monmouth			
Delaware			
SEASON	3-3	1-2	42
VILLANOVA	3-3	1-2	42
CAREER	81-85	24-36	56

#45 ETHAN GETTMAN

PUNTING STATS	#	Avg.	LG	120
OPPONENT				
Youngstown State	3	46.0	62	2
at Colgate				
Towson				
at Maryland				
LIU				
at Stony Brook				
at Maine				
New Hampshire				
at Hampton				
North Carolina A&T				
at Monmouth				
Delaware				
SEASON	3	46.0	62	2
VILLANOVA	3	46.0	62	2
CAREER	77	36.6	82	21

#25 CHRISTIAN SAPP

OPPONENT	KICK RETURNS			PUNT RETURNS		
	NO-YDS-TD	AVG.	LG	NO-YDS-TD	Avg.	LG
Youngstown State	2-53-0	26.5	42			
at Colgate						
Towson						
at Maryland						
LIU						
at Stony Brook						
at Maine						
New Hampshire						
at Hampton						
North Carolina A&T						
at Monmouth						
Delaware						
SEASON						
CAREER						

#34 ETHAN POTTER

OPPONENT	KICK RETURNS			PUNT RETURNS		
	NO-YDS-TD	AVG.	LG	NO-YDS-TD	Avg.	LG
Youngstown State						
at Colgate						
Towson						
at Maryland						
LIU						
at Stony Brook						
at Maine						
New Hampshire						
at Hampton						
North Carolina A&T						
at Monmouth						
Delaware						
SEASON						
CAREER	1-24-0	24.0	24			

#22 DEVIN SMITH

OPPONENT	KICK RETURNS			PUNT RETURNS		
	NO-YDS-TD	AVG.	LG	NO-YDS-TD	Avg.	LG
Youngstown State						
at Colgate						
Towson						
at Maryland						
LIU						
at Stony Brook						
at Maine						
New Hampshire						
at Hampton						
North Carolina A&T						
at Monmouth						
Delaware						
SEASON						
CAREER	14-214-0	15.3	30			

SEASON HIGHS

CAREER HIGHS

ETHAN GETTMAN

Field Goals Made	1	YSU	3	3x
Field Goals Attempted	2	YSU	4	2022, Char. So.
Long Field Goal	42	YSU	56	2022, Campbell
40+ Yard Field Goals	1		8	
PATs Made	3	YSU	8	2022, So. Ct. St.
PATs Attempted	3	YSU	8	2022, So. Ct. St.
Punts	3	YSU	6	2021, Akron
Punting Yards	138	YSU	206	2022, URI
Punting Average	46.0	YSU	48.0	2021, Saint Fran.
Long Punt	62	YSU	82	2021, Saint Fran.
Inside 20-Yard Line	2		21	
50+ Yard Punts	1		5	
Kickoffs	5	YSU	9	2x (2022)
Kickoff Yards	302	YSU	578	2022, So. Ct. St.
Kickoff Average	60.4	YSU	65.7	2022, H. Cross

CHRISTIAN SAPP

Kickoff Returns	1	YSU	1	2024, YSU
Kickoff Return Yards	53	YSU	53	2024, YSU
Long Kickoff Return	42	YSU	42	2024, YSU

ETHAN POTTER

Kickoff Returns			1	
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DEVIN SMITH

Kickoff Returns			3	2x (2022)
Kickoff Return Yards			61	2022, So. Ca. St.
Long Kickoff Return			30	2023, Howard

CONNOR WATKINS

Punts	1	N.C. A&T	8	2021, Penn St.
Punting Yards	34	N.C. A&T	277	2021, Penn St.
Punting Average	34.0	N.C. A&T	40.5	2021, JMU
Long Punt	34	N.C. A&T	50	2021, JMU
Inside 20-Yard Line	1	N.C. A&T	1	
50+ Yards Punts			1	

JAYLAN SANCHEZ

Kickoff Returns	1	2x	1	3x
Kickoff Return Yards	10	UAlbany	39	2022, W&M
Long Kickoff Return	10	UAlbany	30	2022, Hamp.

JASON HALL

Kickoff Returns	1	Towson	1	2023, Towson
Kickoff Return Yards	0	Towson	0	2023, Towson
Long Kickoff Return	0	Towson	0	2023, Towson

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA DEFENSE

SEASON HIGHS

CAREER HIGHS

	Tackles	TFL	Sacks	Breakups		Tackles	TFL	Sacks	Breakups
Temi Ajirofutu						1, 2023	—	—	—
Brendan Bell	11, 8.29	1.5, 8.29				14, 2023	3.0, 2022	1.0, 2x	1, 5x
Zahmir Dawud	4, 8.29	0.5, 8.29				4, 2024	0.5, 2024	—	1, 2023
Timmy Furgeson						8, 2022	1.0, 2x	1.0, 2x	—
Julian Glantz						1, 3x	—	—	—
Jalen Goodman	7, 8.29					13, 2020	1.5, 2021	—	2, 2019
Jason Hall	1, 8.29					1, 2024	—	—	—
Shane Hartzell	11, 8.29					15, 2022	2.0, 2x	1.0, 8x	1, 3x
Ayden Howard	3, 8.29	1.0, 8.29	1.0, 8.29			4, 2023	1.5, 2023	1.0, 2024	1, 2023
Turner Inge	1, 8.29					5, 2023	2.0, 2023	1.0, 2023	—
Antonio Johnson						1, 2023	—	—	—
Colin Kennedy						3, 2023	—	—	—
Mike Kennedy						1, 2023	—	—	—
Richie Kimmel	10, 8.29					10, 2024	1.5, 2023	—	1, 2023
Dale Law						1, 2x	—	—	—
Daniel Lopes						1, 2023	—	—	—
Capri Martin	2, 8.29					5, 2023	0.5, 2023	—	—
Nigel McSween	1, 8.29					1, 2024	—	—	—
Tyrell Mims	1, 8.29					6, 3x	1.0, 4x	1.0, 2023	2, 2x
Kaleb Moody						10, 2023	1.5, 2023	1.0, 2023	2, 2x
Jordan Nelson						4, 2023	1.0, 2023	—	1, 2023
Obinna Nwobodo	1, 8.29					2, 2x	1.0, 2023	—	—
Josh Oluremi						1, 7x	—	—	—
Chandon Pierre	2, 8.29	0.5, 8.29				5, 2021	1.0, 6x	1.0, 3x	—
Ethan Potter	6, 8.29			1, 8.29		11, 2x	2.5, 2022	0.5, 2022	1, 7x
Garrett Rogan						1, 2023	—	—	—
Christian Sapp	2, 8.29					5, 2022	1.0, 3x	1.0, 2023	1, 2022
Chuck Smith	1, 8.29	0.5, 8.29				8, 2021	1.5, 2x	1.5, 2023	1, 2023
Devin Smith						1, 2x	—	—	—
JR Strauss						2, 2023	1.0, 2023	—	—
Ty Trinh	5, 8.29	1.0, 8.29		1, 8.29		12, 2023	2.0, 2023	—	2, 2x
Stephane Voltaire						1, 2023	—	—	—
Isas Waxter						7, 2019	1.0, 4x	1.0, 2021	2, 2023
Jayvont Williams						1, 2023	—	—	—
Jon Wyatt						2, 2x	—	—	1, 2x

GAME BY GAME DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

OPPONENT	TFL	SACKS	FF	FR	INT	PBU	BLK	YARDS	POINTS
Youngstown State	5-15	1-1	1	1	2	2	0	321	17
at Colgate									
Towson									
at Maryland									
LIU									
at Stony Brook									
at Maine									
New Hampshire									
at Hampton									
North Carolina A&T									
at Monmouth									
Delaware									
TOTAL	5-15	1-1	1	1	2	2	0	321	17

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

GAME BY GAME TACKLES

Total Tackles	UA-A	TOT	YSU	COL	TOW	MD	LIU	SB	ME	UNH	HAM	NCAT	MON	DEL
Shane Hartzell	7-4	11	7-4											
Brendan Bell	5-6	11	5-6											
Richie Kimmel	2-8	10	2-8											
Jalen Goodman	6-1	7	6-1											
Ethan Potter	4-2	6	4-2											
Ty Trinh	5-0	5	5-0											
Zahmir Dawud	3-1	4	3-1											
Ayden Howard	1-2	3	1-2											
Christian Sapp	2-0	2	2-0											
Capri Martin	1-1	2	1-1											
Chandon Pierre	0-2	2	0-2											
Jason Hall	1-0	1	1-0											
Turner Inge	1-0	1	1-0											
Nigel McSween	1-0	1	1-0											
Tyrell Mims	1-0	1	1-0											
Obinna Nwobodo	1-0	1	1-0											
Chuck Smith	0-1	1	0-1											
TOTAL	41-28	69	41-28											

SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES

Total Tackles	KO-PU	TOT	YSU	COL	TOW	MD	LIU	SB	ME	UNH	HAM	NCAT	MON	DEL
Jalen Goodman	1-0	1	1-0											
Jason Hall	1-0	1	1-0											
Turner Inge	1-0	1	1-0											
Tyrell Mims	1-0	1	1-0											
Ethan Potter	1-0	1	1-0											
TOTAL	5-0	5	5-0											

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

GAME BY GAME STARTERS

OFFENSE	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR	TE/WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
YSU	Watkins	Ragland	Sanchez	D. Smith	Miles	Lopes	Voltaire	Broderick	Picard	McCullers	Ajirotutu
Colgate											
Towson											
Maryland											
LIU											
Stony Brook											
Maine											
UNH											
Hampton											
NC A&T											
Monmouth											
Delaware											
DEFENSE	DE	DT	DE	LB	LB	LB	CB	CB	FS	WS	SS
YSU	C. Smith	Nwobodo	Pierre	Hartzell	Kimmel	Bell	Mims	Dawud	Goodman	Potter	Trinh
Colgate											
Towson											
Maryland											
LIU											
Stony Brook											
Maine											
UNH											
Hampton											
NC A&T											
Monmouth											
Delaware											

VILLANOVA SCORING DRIVES

OPP	QTR	TIME	PL/YDS/TM	RES	PLAY	OPP	QTR	TIME	PL/YDS/TM	RES	PLAY
YSU	1	8:57	6/42/2:43	FG	Gettman 42 yard field goal						
YSU	1	1:23	7/79/4:04	TD	Watkins 14 yard run						
YSU	2	2:20	7/45/3:57	TD	Ragland 3 yard run						
YSU	3	10:52	4/88/2:23	TD	Watkins 29 yard run						

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

LONG PLAYS BY THE NUMBERS

YARDS	NO.	TD
100+	0	0
90-99	0	0
80-89	0	0
70-79	0	0
60-69	0	0
50-59	0	0
40-49	2	0
30-39	2	0
20-29	3	1

LONG PLAYS BY TYPE

PLAY	NO.	TD
Rushing	4	1
Passing	2	0
Punt Returns	0	0
Kick Returns	1	0
Interceptions	0	0
Fumble Returns	0	0
Other	0	0
TOTAL	7	1

LONGEST PLAYS OF THE YEAR

RUSHING

45 Connor Watkins vs. Youngstown State

RUSHING TOUCHDOWN

29 Connor Watkins vs. Youngstown State

PASSING

35 Connor Watkins vs. Youngstown State

PASSING TOUCHDOWN

RECEPTION

35 Ja'briel Mace vs. Youngstown State

RECEIVING TOUCHDOWN

PUNT RETURN

KICK RETURN

42 Christian Sapp vs. Youngstown State

INTERCEPTION RETURN

2 Zahmir Dawud vs. Youngstown State

FUMBLE RETURN

1 Richie Kimmel vs. Youngstown State

PUNT

62 Ethan Gettman vs. Youngstown State

FIELD GOAL

42 Ethan Gettman vs. Youngstown State

LONGEST PLAYS OF THE YEAR (20+ YARDS)

YDS	TYPE	PLAYER	OPPONENT
45	Rush	Connor Watkins	Youngstown State
42	KR	Christian Sapp	Youngstown State
35	Pass	Connor Watkins to Ja'briel Mace	Youngstown State
31	Rush	Isaiah Ragland	Youngstown State
29*	Rush	Connor Watkins	Youngstown State
23	Pass	Connor Watkins to Daniel Lopes	Youngstown State
20	Rush	David Avit	Youngstown State

* denotes a touchdown

20-YARD PLUS BY PLAYER

PLAYER	NO.	TD	RUSH	REC.	KR	PR	IR	FR
Watkins	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Avit	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ragland	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lopes	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Mace	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sapp	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TOTAL	7	1	4	2	1	0	0	0

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

MISCELLANEOUS STATS

NON-OFFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS

Player	Type	Yds	Opponent

POINTS OFF TURNOVERS

OPPONENT	VU TO	OPP PTS	OPP TO	VU PTS	+/-
Youngstown State	0	0	3	3	+3
at Colgate					
Towson					
at Maryland					
LIU					
at Stony Brook					
at Maine					
New Hampshire					
at Hampton					
N.C. A&T					
at Monmouth					
Delaware					
TOTAL	0	0	3	3	+3

CAREER INTERCEPTIONS

Player	INT	Return Yards	Long	TD
Tyrell Mims	3	0	0	0
Jalen Goodman	2	104	81	1
Christian Sapp	2	0	0	0
Ty Trinh	2	18	18	0
Isas Waxter	2	0	0	0
Shane Hartzell	1	19	19	0
Brendan Bell	1	17	17	0
Zahmir Dawud	1	2	2	0
Richie Kimmel	1	0	0	0
Ethan Potter	1	1	1	0

CAREER FUMBLES

Player	FF	FR	Return Yards	TD
Brendan Bell	2	1	0	0
Zahmir Dawud	1	0	0	0
Timmy Furgeson	1	1	0	0
Jalen Goodman	1	2	0	0
Shane Hartzell	1	0	0	0
Richie Kimmel	0	2	1	0
Tyrell Mims	0	2	0	0
Chandon Pierre	1	0	0	0
Ethan Potter	1	1	0	0
Christian Sapp	1	0	0	0
Ty Trinh	1	2	0	0

CAREER BLOCKED KICKS

Player	Type	Opponent	Date
Brendan Bell	Punt	UAlbany	10.16.21
Richie Kimmel	Punt	Delaware	11.19.22
Tyrell Mims	Punt	William & Mary	10.30.21

CAREER 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

Player	Yds.	Att.	TD	Opp.	Date
Isaiah Ragland	126	15	0	Elon	10.14.23
Connor Watkins	130	11	2	Hampton	10.29.22
Connor Watkins	113	10	3	URI	9.23.23
Connor Watkins	125	13	0	Elon	10.14.23
Connor Watkins	107	10	2	YSU	8.29.24

CAREER 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

Player	Yds.	Rec.	TD	Opp.	Date
Jaylan Sanchez	128	2	0	Colgate	9.9.23
Jaylan Sanchez	158	6	2	NC A&T	10.7.23
Jaylan Sanchez	103	4	1	Stony B.	10.28.23

CAREER 300-YARD PASSING GAMES

Player	Yds.	C-A-I	TD	Opp.	Date
Connor Watkins	310	8-11-0	2	Colgate	9.9.23
Connor Watkins	361	13-19-0	4	Stony B.	10.28.23

CAREER DOUBLE DIGIT TACKLE GAMES

Player	TOT	UA-A	Opp.	Date
Brendan Bell	10	5-5	Towson	11.5.22
Brendan Bell	12	9-3	Delaware	11.19.22
Brendan Bell	14	8-6	UNH	11.4.23
Brendan Bell	12	4-8	Delaware	11.18.23
Brendan Bell	11	5-6	YSU	8.29.24
Jalen Goodman	13	10-3	URI	3.13.21
Jalen Goodman	12	10-2	Holy Cr.	12.3.21
Jalen Goodman	12	5-7	Delaware	11.19.22
Shane Hartzell	15	8-7	Richmond	10.15.22
Shane Hartzell	10	6-4	Delaware	11.19.22
Shane Hartzell	10	4-6	UNH	11.4.23
Shane Hartzell	14	7-7	YSU	12.2.23
Shane Hartzell	11	7-4	YSU	8.29.24
Richie Kimmel	10	2-8	YSU	8.29.24
Ethan Potter	11	4-7	Maine	10.1.22
Ethan Potter	11	6-5	Richmond	10.15.22
Ty Trinh	12	7-5	UNH	11.4.23

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

DEFENSE/SPECIAL TEAMS TOUCHDOWNS (since becoming an FCS member in 1985)

PLAY	TDs
DEFENSE (67)	
Interception Return.....	43
Fumble Return.....	18
Blocked Punt Return.....	5
Blocked Field Goal Return.....	1
SPECIAL TEAMS (17)	
Kick Return.....	15
Punt Return.....	2
TOTAL	84

LONGEST TOUCHDOWNS BY TYPE

Interception Return

100 yards by Rob Rolle on September 17, 2016 vs. Towson

Fumble Return

99 yards by Jaquan Amos on October 7, 2017 vs. Maine

Return of Blocked Punt

33 yards by Ademole Turner on September 21, 1996 vs. Fordham

Return of Blocked Field Goal

73 yards by Craig James on September 28, 2013 vs. Penn

Kick Return

100 yards by Nowoola Awopetu on November 9, 2019 vs. Richmond

Punt Return

66 yards by Poppy Livers on October 20, 2012 vs. Georgia State

DEFENSIVE/SPECIAL TEAMS TDS BY YEAR

DEFENSE	
4	2000, 2016, 2017, 2019
3	2004, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2012, 2013
2	1986, 1989, 1991, 1992, 1994, 1996, 1999, 2003, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2014, 2018, 2021
1	1997, 1998, 2001, 2022, 2023
SPECIAL TEAMS	
2	2000, 2010
1	1996, 1997, 1998, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2012, 2017, 2019

DEFENSIVE/SPECIAL TEAMS TDS BY MONTH

August	3
September	35
October	21
November	22
December	3

DEFENSIVE/SPECIAL TEAMS TDS BY PLAYER

DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS	TDs
Jaquan Amos	4
Jimmy Pitts	3
Ronnie Akins	2
Nowoola Awopetu	2
Brian Barajas	2
Eric Loper	2
Rob Rolle	2
Joe Sarnese	2
Jeff Steeb	2
Daryl Stewart	2
Danny Abraham	1
Darrell Adams	1
TD Ayo-Durojaiye	1
Rodney Badger	1
Christian Benford	1
Austin Calitro	1
Clarence Curry	1
Chris Curtis	1
John Dempsey	1
Curtis Eller	1
Brennan Erbezniak	1
Jalen Goodman	1
Sean Goodrich	1
Mike Hoffman	1
Brian Hulea	1
Keeling Hunter	1
Craig James	1
Gary Johnson	1
Marlon Johnson	1
Joe Keating	1
Salim Koroma	1
Tanoh Kpassagnon	1
Tim Kukucka	1
DeLonne Kelly	1
Kevin Long	1
Jason McMillion	1
Jerry Miles	1
Martel Moody	1
Steven Neugebauer	1
Osayi Osunde	1
Delmon Robertson	1
Bobby Rosato	1
Dan Silva	1
Kwesi Solomon	1
Rich Spugnardi	1
Terence Taylor	1
Elijah Trent	1
Ademole Turner	1
Ray Ventrone	1
Ross Ventrone	1
Curtis Waltman	1
Aaron Weems	1
Darrel Young	1
SPECIAL TEAMS TOUCHDOWNS	
Brian Westbrook	5
Angelo Babbaro	3
Martin Gibson	3
Matt Szczur	2
Nowoola Awopetu	1
Poppy Livers	1
Taurus Phillips	1
Ademole Turner	1

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

SINGLE GAME HIGHS

INDIVIDUAL SINGLE GAME HIGHS

Category	No.	Player
Rushes	10	Connor Watkins, Youngstown State
Rushing Yards	107	Connor Watkins, Youngstown State
Rushing TDs	2	Connor Watkins, Youngstown State
Long Rush	45	Connor Watkins, Youngstown State
Pass Attempts	17	Connor Watkins, Youngstown State
Pass Completions	6	Connor Watkins, Youngstown State
Passing Yards	90	Connor Watkins, Youngstown State
Passing TDs		
Long Pass	35	Connor Watkins, Youngstown State
Receptions	2	Kenyon Miles, Youngstown State
Receiving Yards	35	Ja'briel Mace, Youngstown State
Receiving TDs		
Long Reception	35	Ja'briel Mace, Youngstown State
Field Goals	1	Ethan Gettman, Youngstown State
Long Field Goal	42	Ethan Gettman, Youngstown State
Punts	3	Ethan Gettman, Youngstown State
Punting Average	46.0	Ethan Gettman, Youngstown State
Long Punt	62	Ethan Gettman, Youngstown State
Punts Inside 20	2	Ethan Gettman, Youngstown State
Long Punt Return		
Long Kick Return	42	Christian Sapp, Youngstown State
Long INT Return	2	Zahmir Dawud, Youngstown State
Long FR Return	1	Richie Kimmel, Youngstown State
Tackles	11	S. Hartzell/B. Bell, Youngstown State
Tackles For Loss	1.5	Brendan Bell, Youngstown State
Sacks	1.0	Ayden Howard, Youngstown State
Interceptions	1	Z. Dawud/R. Kimmel, Youngstown State

OPPONENT SINGLE GAME HIGHS

Category	No.	Player
Rushes	16	Beau Brungard, Youngstown State
Rushing Yards	82	Beau Brungard, Youngstown State
Rushing TDs	1	Tyshon King, Youngstown State
Long Rush	17	Beau Brungard, Youngstown State
Pass Attempts	25	Beau Brungard, Youngstown State
Pass Completions	18	Beau Brungard, Youngstown State
Passing Yards	152	Beau Brungard, Youngstown State
Passing TDs	1	Beau Brungard, Youngstown State
Long Pass	18	Beau Brungard, Youngstown State
Receptions	5	Max Tomczak, Youngstown State
Receiving Yards	42	Cyrus Traugh, Youngstown State
Receiving TDs	1	Cyrus Traugh, Youngstown State
Long Reception	18	Cyrus Traugh, Youngstown State
Field Goals	1	Andrew Lastovka, Youngstown State
Long Field Goal	27	Andrew Lastovka, Youngstown State
Punts	2	Brendon Kilpatrick, Youngstown State
Punting Average	55.0	Brendon Kilpatrick, Youngstown State
Long Punt	65	Brendon Kilpatrick, Youngstown State
Punts Inside 20	2	Brendon Kilpatrick, Youngstown State
Long Punt Return		
Long Kick Return	23	Latrell Fordham, Youngstown State
Long INT Return		
Long FR Return		
Tackles	7	Makai Shahid, Youngstown State
Tackles For Loss	1.0	Hunter Allen, Youngstown State
Sacks	1.0	Hunter Allen, Youngstown State
Interceptions		

TEAM SINGLE GAME HIGHS

Category	No.	Villanova
Rushes	30	Youngstown State
Rushing Yards	246	Youngstown State
Yards Per Rush	8.2 (30/246)	Youngstown State
Rushing TDs	3	Youngstown State
Pass Attempts	17	Youngstown State
Pass Completions	6	Youngstown State
Passing Yards	90	Youngstown State
Yards Per Pass	5.3 (17/90)	Youngstown State
Passing TDs	0	Youngstown State
Total Plays	47	Youngstown State
Total Offense	336	Youngstown State
Yards Per Play	7.1 (47/336)	Youngstown State
Points	24	Youngstown State
First Downs	15	Youngstown State
Penalties	4	Youngstown State
Penalty Yards	30	Youngstown State
Turnovers	0	Youngstown State
Sacks	1	Youngstown State
Interceptions	2	Youngstown State
Punts	3	Youngstown State
Punting Average	46.0 (3/138)	Youngstown State
Third Down Pct.	33.3% (3 of 9)	Youngstown State
Fourth Down Pct.	– (0 of 0)	Youngstown State

OPPONENT SINGLE GAME HIGHS

Category	No.	Opponent
Rushes	40	Youngstown State
Rushing Yards	169	Youngstown State
Yards Per Rush	4.2 (40/169)	Youngstown State
Rushing TDs	1	Youngstown State
Pass Attempts	25	Youngstown State
Pass Completions	18	Youngstown State
Passing Yards	152	Youngstown State
Yards Per Pass	6.1 (25/152)	Youngstown State
Passing TDs	1	Youngstown State
Total Plays	65	Youngstown State
Total Offense	321	Youngstown State
Yards Per Play	4.9 (65/321)	Youngstown State
Points	17	Youngstown State
First Downs	21	Youngstown State
Penalties	4	Youngstown State
Penalty Yards	30	Youngstown State
Turnovers	3	Youngstown State
Sacks	2	Youngstown State
Interceptions	0	Youngstown State
Punts	2	Youngstown State
Punting Average	55.0 (2/110)	Youngstown State
Third Down Pct.	40.0% (4 of 10)	Youngstown State
Fourth Down Pct.	66.7% (2 of 3)	Youngstown State

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

THE LAST TIME VILLANOVA

VILLANOVA	SPAN OF GAMES	LAST TIME
Scoring		
50-59	36	55 vs. Bucknell (9.11.2021)
60-69	198	63 vs. William & Mary (10.6.2007)
70+	1,203	NEVER
<10	16	3 at Towson (11.5.2022)
<7	16	3 at Towson (11.5.2022)
Shutout by	58	0-34 vs. New Hampshire (10.27.2018)
Shutout by (CAA)	58	0-34 vs. New Hampshire (10.27.2018)
Shutout by (home)	58	0-34 vs. New Hampshire (10.27.2018)
Shutout by (road)	83	0-23 vs. Richmond (10.15.2016)
Shutout opponent	7	21-0 vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
Shutout (home)	7	21-0 vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
Shutout (road)	28	35-0 at Elon (11.6.2021)
Shutout (CAA)	7	21-0 vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
Rushing		
300-399 Yards	23	365 at LIU (9.10.2022)
400+ Yards	7	440 vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
<100 Yards	9	71 at UAlbny (9.30.2023)
<0 Yards	207	-39 vs. Maine (10.14.2006)
Passing		
300-399 Yards	4	300 vs. Towson (11.11.2023)
400-499 Yards	220	418 vs. New Hampshire (10.1.2004)
Total Offense		
500-599 Yards	4	555 vs. Towson (11.11.2023)
600-699 Yards	62	609 vs. Bucknell (9.22.2018)
700+ Yards	754	706 vs. North Carolina State (11.19.1949)
<200 Yards	16	153 at Towson (11.5.2022)
<100 Yards	389	87 vs. New Hampshire (11.3.1990)
30+ first downs	43	30 vs. Delaware (11.23.2019)
100+ penalty yards	10	12-105 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.2023)
2 fumbles lost	14	2 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
3+ fumbles lost	9	3 at UAlbany (9.30.2023)
Scored a safety	4	1 vs. Towson (11.11.2023)
Scored two safeties	127	2 vs. James Madison (11.10.2012)
Allowed a safety	18	1 vs. UAlbany (10.22.2022)
Forced 5 TO	37	6 at Lehigh (9.4.2021)
Forced 6+ TO	37	6 at Lehigh (9.4.2021)
Committed 5+ TO	9	5 at UAlbany (9.30.2023)
4+ interceptions	37	4 at Lehigh (9.4.2021)
Forced 2 fumbles	24	2 vs. Lehigh (9.2.2022)
Forced 3 fumbles	31	3 vs. Rhode Island (10.23.2021)
Forced 4+ fumbles	108	4 vs. Rhode Island (10.11.2014)
Recovered 2 fumbles	14	2 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
Recovered 3+ fumbles	31	3 vs. Rhode Island (10.23.2021)
2+ defensive TDs	57	2 INT returns vs. Richmond (11.3.2018)
Defense/ST TDs	74	2 INT returns/1 PR vs. Lafayette (9.16.2017)
Consecutive games non-off. TD	52	3 straight, vs. Colgate/Lehigh/Bucknell (8.24-9.14.2019)
5 total TD's in a game	3	5 at Delaware (11.18.2023)
6 total TD's in a game	2	6 vs. Youngstown State (12.2.2023)
7+ total TD's in a game	6	63, TD Ayo-Durojaiye vs. URI (9.23.2023)
Recovered onside kick	7	at N.C. A&T (10.7.2023)
Defensive 2-point conv.	333	vs. William & Mary (10.28.1995)
Walk-Off Win	18	vs. UAlbany (10.22.2022)
RUSHING		
100-199	0	107, Connor Watkins vs. YSU (8.29.2024)
200-299	118	214, John Robertson vs. Maine (10.26.2013)
300+	1,203	NEVER
2 players 100+	7	Ragland (126), Watkins (125) vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
30+ attempts	114	34, John Robertson vs. Syracuse (8.29.2014)
Consecutive 100+	17	3 straight, TD Ayo-Durojaiye (10.15 - 10.29.2022)
Consecutive 200+	118	2 straight, John Robertson (10.19 - 10.26.2013)
50-59 yard rush	3	55, Jalen Jackson at Delaware (11.18.2023)
60-69 yard rush	10	63, TD Ayo-Durojaiye vs. URI (9.23.2023)
70-79 yard rush	18	75, Connor Watkins vs. Hampton (10.29.2022)
80-89 yard rush	28	83, Justin Covington vs. Stony Brook (11.13.2021)
90-99 yard rush	405	90, Mike Jones vs. Columbia (9.23.1989)
100+ yard rush	1,140	110, John Powers vs. Fordham (10.15.1902)
3 rushing TDs	7	3, TD Ayo-Durojaiye vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
4 rushing TDs	39	4, Justin Covington at Maine (4.3.2021)

VILLANOVA	SPAN OF GAMES	LAST TIME
PASSING		
300-399 yards	6	361, Connor Watkins vs. Stony Brook (10.28.2023)
400+ yards	249	460, Brett Gordon vs. Delaware (11.23.2002)
40-49 attempts	35	40, Daniel Smith vs. Richmond (9.18.2021)
50+ attempts	219	54, Frank Jankowski vs. Richmond (10.8.2005)
25-29 completions	35	26, Daniel Smith vs. Richmond (9.18.2021)
30-39 completions	214	30, Frank Jankowski vs. JMU (11.12.2005)
40+ completions	256	40, Brett Gordon vs. JMU (9.28.2002)
3 passing TDs	4	3, Connor Watkins vs. Towson (11.11.2023)
4 passing TDs	6	4, Connor Watkins vs. Stony Brook (10.28.2023)
5 passing TDs	43	5, Daniel Smith vs. Delaware (11.23.2019)
6 passing TDs	283	6, Chris Boden vs. Delaware (11.20.1999)
Consecutive 300+	219	3 straight, Frank Jankowski (9.24 - 10.8.2005)
50-59 yard pass	3	51, Connor Watkins at Delaware (11.18.2023)
60-69 yard pass	2	64, Connor Watkins vs. YSU (12.2.2022)
70-79 yard pass	4	79, Connor Watkins vs. Towson (11.11.2023)
80-89 yard pass	22	80, Connor Watkins vs. UAlbany (10.22.2022)
90-99 yard pass	62	90, Zach Bednarczyk vs. Bucknell (9.22.2018)
100+ yard pass	1,203	NEVER
RECEIVING		
100-199 yards	3	Jaaron Hayek (121) at Delaware (11.18.2023)
200+ yards	43	236, Changa Hodge vs. Delaware (11.23.2019)
2 players 100+	12	Pringle (168), Sanchez (128) vs. Colgate (9.9.2023)
3 players 100+	6	Pringle (191), Sanchez (103), Hayek (102) vs. Stony B. (10.28.2023)
10 receptions	207	10, Duquese May vs. Maine (10.14.2006)
11 receptions	151	11, Matt Szczur vs. Stephen F.A. (12.4.2.2010)
12-14 receptions	260	12, Brian White vs. Rutgers (8.31.2002)
15 receptions	301	15, Brian Westbrook vs. N' eastern (10.10.1998)
16 receptions	305	16, Brian Finneran vs. Y'town State (12.6.1997)
Consecutive 100+	4	3 straight, Rayjuon Pringle (10.28 - 11.11.2023)
50-59 yard catch	3	51, Jaaron Hayek at Delaware (11.18.2023)
60-69 yard catch	2	64, Jaylan Sanchez vs. YSU (12.2.2022)
70-79 yard catch	4	69, Rayjuon Pringle vs. Towson (11.11.2023)
80-89 yard catch	18	80, Rayjuon Pringle vs. UAlbany (10.22.2022)
90-99 yard catch	62	90, Josh McGrigg vs. Bucknell (9.22.2018)
100+ yard catch	1,203	NEVER
3 receiving TDs	150	3, Norman White vs. Stephen F.A. (12.4.2010)
4 receiving TDs	20	4, Jaaron Hayek vs. Maine (10.1.2022)
5 receiving TDs	546	5, Mike Siani vs. Xavier (10.30.1971)
SPECIAL TEAMS		
50+ yard field goal	286	50, Casey Hannon vs. JMU (10.1.1999)
45-49 yard field goal	1	46, Matthew Mercurio at S. Dak. St. (12.9.2023)
40-44 yard field goal	0	42, Ethan Gettman vs. YSU (8.29.2024)
Made 3+ field goals	8	3, Matthew Mercurio at N.C. A&T (10.7.2023)
Made 7+ PATs	36	7, William Bartel vs. Bucknell (9.11.2021)
Missed PAT	6	1, Matthew Mercurio vs. Stony Brook (10.28.2023)
70+ yard punt	1	71, Nathan Fondacaro at S. Dak. St. (12.9.2023)
60-69 yard punt	0	62, Ethan Gettman vs. YSU (8.29.2024)
Kickoff return TD	45	100, Nowoola Awopetu vs. Richmond (11.9.2019)
Punt return TD	32	15, TD Ayo-Durojaiye at UAlbany (10.16.2021)
2+ kick return TD	1,203	NEVER
Start game kick return TD	44	100, Nowoola Awopetu vs. Richmond (11.9.2019)
Consecutive games non-off. TD	??	Has not happened since FB reinstated in 1985
2-point conversion	14	Connor Watkins (rush) vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
Blocked a PAT	10	John Rhodan vs. Rhode Island (9.23.2023)
Blocked a FG	60	Jafonta Johnson vs. Maine (10.6.2018)
Blocked a punt	14	Richie Kimmel vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
		Devon Marshall vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
TD on blocked FG	122	73, Craig James vs. Stony Brook (9.28.2013)
TD on blocked punt	31	TD Ayo-Durojaiye at UAlbany (10.16.2021)
DEFENSE		
10-14 tackles	0	11, Shane Hartzell vs. YSU (8.29.24)
		11, Brendan Bell vs. YSU (8.29.24)
		10, Richie Kimmel vs. YSU (8.29.24)
15-19 tackles	19	15, Shane Hartzell at Richmond (10.15.2022)
20+ tackles	25	21, Forrest Rhyne vs. S. Dakota St. (12.11.2021)
5+ TFL	187	5.5, Greg Miller vs. Richmond (9.27.2008)
3+ sacks	82	3.5, Ed Shockley vs. UAlbany (10.22.2016)
2+ interceptions	36	Christian Benford vs. Bucknell (9.11.2021)
3+ fumble recoveries	232	3, Darrell Adams vs. James Madison (9.17.2004)
2 fumble recoveries	57	2, Chucky Smith vs. Richmond (11.3.2018)
INT return TD	3	1, Danny Abraham at Delaware (11.18.2023)
2 INT return TDs	57	Nowoola Awopetu vs. Richmond (11.3.2018)
Fumble return TD	71	Jaquan Amos vs. Maine (10.7.2017)

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

THE LAST TIME THE OPPONENT

OPPONENT	SPAN OF GAMES	LAST TIME	OPPONENT	SPAN OF GAMES	LAST TIME
Scoring			RECEIVING		
50-59	229	51 by New Hampshire (10.2.2004)	100-199 yards	2	105 by Max Tomczask, YSU (12.2.2023)
60-69	1,019	62 by Army (11.15.1919)	200+ yards	70	205 by Korte Weeks, Elon (10.28.2017)
70-79	1,068	71 by Penn State (11.9.1912)	3 players 100+	42	Turner (173), Schwebel (119), Conner (102), SELA (11.30.2019)
80+	805	83 by Army (11.4.1944)	2 players 100+	34	Washington (148), Dotson (117), Penn State (9.25.2021)
<10	3	7 by Delaware (11.18.2023)	10+ receptions	5	10 by Dylan Laube, UNH (11.4.2023)
<7	7	0 by Elon (10.14.2023)	50-59 yard catch	11	58 by Kobe Hudson (9.16.2023)
Rushing			60-69 yard catch	34	67 by Parker Washington, Penn State (9.25.2021)
300+ Yards	16	371 by William & Mary (11.12.2022)	70-79 yard catch	61	76 by Shane Leatherbury, Towson (9.15.2018)
400+ Yards	33	472 by Army West Point (9.17.2022)	80-89 yard catch	32	83 by KeAndre Lambert-Smith, Penn State (9.25.2021)
<100 Yards	2	82 by Youngstown State (12.2.2023)	90-99 yard catch	164	98 by Cameron Dohse, W&M (12.11.2009)
<0 Yards	36	-12 by Lehigh (9.4.2021)	100+ yard catch	1,203	NEVER
Passing			3+ touchdowns	220	3 by David Ball, UNH (10.1.2005)
300-399 Yards	11	349 by UCF (9.16.2023)	SPECIAL TEAMS		
400-499 Yards	34	429 by Penn State (9.25.2021)	50+ yard field goal	60	52 by Kenny Doak, Maine (10.6.2018)
500-599 Yards	42	508 by Southeastern La. (11.30.2019)	40-49 yard field goal	1	42 by Hunter Dustman, S. Dak. St. (12.9.2023)
Total Offense			Made 3 field goals	47	3 by Nick Courtney, Stony B. (10.26.19)
500-599 Yards	15	582 William & Mary (11.12.2022)	Made 4+ field goals	138	4 by Sean Baner, Delaware (11.19.2011)
600-699 Yards	11	600 by UCF (9.16.2023)	Made 7+ PATs	21	7 by Vincenzo Rea, Monmouth (9.24.2022)
700+ Yards	411	708 by New Hampshire (11.5.1988)	Missed PAT	10	1 by Ty Groff (blocked), URI (9.23.2023)
<200 Yards	8	172 by N.C. A&T (10.7.2023)	70+ yard punt	15	75 by Ben Dinkel, Delaware (11.19.2022)
<100 Yards	7	99 by Elon (10.14.2023)	60-69 yard punt	0	65 by Brendon Kilpatrick, YSU (8.29.2024)
30+ first downs	11	31 by UCF (9.16.2023)	Kickoff return TD	8	94 by Taymon Cooke, N.C. A&T (10.7.2023)
100+ penalty yards	18	115 by UAlbany (10.22.2022)	Punt return TD	1	45 by Matthew Durrance, S. D. St. (12.9.2023)
2 fumbles lost	14	2 by Delaware (11.19.2022)	2 Punt Return TDs	59	89/81 by D'Angelo Amos, JMU (10.13.2018)
3+ fumbles lost	31	3 by Rhode Island (10.23.2021)	2+ kick return TD	??	Believed to be never based on available data
Scored a safety	18	1 by UAlbany (10.22.2022)	Start game kick return TD	90	98 by Brandon Ravenel, JMU (11.21.2015)
4+ interceptions	30	4 by William & Mary (10.30.2021)	Recovered onside kick	5	New Hampshire (11.4.2023)
Forced 2 fumbles	23	2 by South Dakota State (12.11.2021)	2-point conversion	2	Bryce Oliver, Youngstown St. (12.2.2023)
Forced 3 fumbles	8	3 by North Carolina A&T (10.7.2023)	Blocked a PAT	6	Jalen Hoyle, Stony Brook (10.28.2023)
Forced 4+ fumbles	9	5 by UAlbany (9.30.2023)	Blocked a FG	47	D'Angelo Amos, JMU (10.12.2019)
2 non-offensive TDs	61	2 punt returns by JMU (10.13.2018)	Blocked a punt	1	Matthew Durrance, S. Dak. St. (12.9.2023)
2 defensive TDs	90	2 (IR/FR) by JMU (11.21.2015)	TD on blocked FG	65	74 by Kimere Brown, Temple (9.1.2018)
Defense/ST TDs	90	3 (KOR/IR/FR) by JMU (11.21.2015)	TD on blocked punt	1	45 by Matthew Durrance, S. D. St. (12.9.2023)
Offense/ST TDs	90	2 by Brandon Ravenel (KOR, receiving), JMU (11.21.2015)	DEFENSE		
3+ TD's in a game	22	3 by Tyhier Tyler, Army West Point (9.17.2022)	10-14 tackles	1	11 by Adam Bock, S. Dakota St. (12.9.2023)
RUSHING			15+ tackles	22	15 by Antwan Spencer, LIU (9.10.2022)
100-199	1	192 by Isaiah Davis, S. Dak. St. (12.9.2023)	5+ TFL	46	5.0 by John Daka, JMU (10.12.2019)
200-299	21	211 by Jaden Shirden, Monmouth (9.24.2022)	3+ sacks	9	3.0 by A.J. Simon, UAlbany (9.30.2023)
300+	1,203	NEVER	2+ interceptions	22	3 by Victor Nelson Jr., LIU (9.10.2022)
2 players 100+	126	Maysonet (160), Coker (107), Stony B. (11.24.2012)	3 interceptions	22	3 by Victor Nelson Jr., LIU (9.10.2022)
30+ attempts	80	33 by Khalid Abdullah, JMU (11.12.2016)	2+ fumble recoveries	30	2 by Semaj Brown, UAlbany (10.16.2021)
50-59 yard rush	15	55 by Darius Wilson, W&M (11.12.2022)	INT return TD	46	MJ Hampton, JMU (10.12.2019)
60-69 yard rush	1	66 by Isaiah Davis, S. Dak. St. (12.9.2023)	Fumble return TD	61	Troy Vincent, Towson (9.15.2018)
70-79 yard rush	4	75 by Chris Watkins, Towson (11.11.2023)			
80-89 yard rush	217	85 by Jayson Davis, URI (10.22.2005)			
90+ yard rush	239	95 by Wendall Williams, URI (10.11.2003)			
3 rushing TDs	22	3 by Tyhier Tyler, Army West Point (9.17.2022)			
4 rushing TDs	40	4 by Kevin Brown Jr., URI (3.13.2021)			
PASSING					
300-399 yards	11	321 by Timmy McClain, UCF (9.16.2023)			
400-499 yards	34	401 by Sean Clifford, Penn St. (9.25.2021)			
500+ yards	269	538 by Ricky Santos, UNH (10.2.2004)			
40-49 attempts	2	44 by Mitch Davidson, YSU (12.2.2023)			
50+ attempts	14	59 by Nolan Henderson, Delaware (11.19.2022)			
30-39 completions	14	37 by Nolan Henderson, Delaware (11.19.2022)			
40+ completions	167	42 by Pat Devlin, Delaware (11.21.2009)			
3 passing TDs	2	3 by Mitch Davidson, YSU (12.2.2023)			
4 passing TDs	34	4 by Sean Clifford, Penn State (9.25.2021)			
5 passing TDs	189	5 by Pat White, West Virginia (8.30.2008)			
6 passing TDs	229	6 by Ricky Santos, UNH (10.2.2004)			
50-59 yard pass	11	58 by Timmy McClain, UCF (9.16.2023)			
60-69 yard pass	34	67 by Sean Clifford, Penn State (9.25.2021)			
70-79 yard pass	62	76 by Tom Flacco, Towson (9.15.2018)			
80-89 yard pass	34	83 by Sean Clifford, Penn State (9.25.2021)			
90-99 yard pass	164	98 by R.J. Archer, W&M (12.11.2009)			
100+ yard pass	1,203	NEVER			

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

CAREER HIGHS

TEMI AJIROTUTU

Tackles 1 at UCF (9.16.23)

DAVID AVIT

Rush Attempts 5 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Rushing Yards 42 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Long Rush 20 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Total Offense – Plays 5 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Total Offense – Yards 42 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 All-Purpose Yards 42 vs. YSU (8.29.24)

BRENDAN BELL

All-Purpose Yards 17 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 Interceptions 1 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 Long INT Return 17 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 Punt Returns 1 at UAlbany (10.16.21)
 Punt Return Yards 28 at UAlbany (10.16.21)
 Long Punt Return 28 at UAlbany (10.16.21)
 Tackles 14 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 Tackles For Loss 3.0 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 Sacks 1.0 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 1.0 at Delaware (11.18.23)

Pass Breakups 1, 5x
 Forced Fumbles 1 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 1 at South Dakota St. (12.9.23)
 Fumble Recoveries 1 at LIU (9.10.22)
 Quarterback Hurries 3 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)
 Blocked Kicks (Punt) 1 at UAlbany (10.16.21)

MICHAEL BENINCASA

Rush Attempts 1 at Juniata (10.15.22)
 Rushing Yards 8 at Juniata (10.15.22)
 Long Rush 8 at Juniata (10.15.22)
 Pass Attempts 1 at McDaniel (9.17.22)
 Total Offense - Plays 1 at McDaniel (9.17.22)
 1 at Juniata (10.15.22)
 Total Offense - Yards 8 at Juniata (10.15.22)
 All-Purpose Yards 8 at Juniata (10.15.22)

ETHAN CARR

Pass Attempts 1 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Total Offense - Plays 1 at W&M (11.12.22)

LUKE DALY

Receptions 1 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 1 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 1 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)
 Receiving Yards 45 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)
 Long Reception 45 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)
 All-Purpose Yards 45 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)

ZAHMIR DAWUD

All-Purpose Yards 2 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Interceptions 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Long INT Return 2 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Tackles 4 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Tackles For Loss 0.5 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Forced Fumbles 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Pass Breakups 1 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)

TIMMY FURGESON

Tackles 8 at Army West Point (9.17.22)
 Tackles For Loss 1.0 vs. Rhode Island (3.13.21)
 1.0 at Maine (4.3.21)
 Sacks 1.0 vs. Rhode Island (3.13.21)
 1.0 at Maine (4.3.21)
 Forced Fumbles 1 at Maine (4.3.21)
 Fumble Recoveries 1 vs. Monmouth (9.24.22)
 Quarterback Hurries 1 vs. Bucknell (9.11.21)

ETHAN GETTMAN

Points 13 vs. Campbell (11.5.22)
 Points by Kicking 13 vs. Campbell (11.5.22)
 PATs Made 8 vs. Southern Conn. St. (10.8.22)
 PATs Attempted 8 vs. Southern Conn. St. (10.8.22)
 Field Goals Made 3 vs. Char. So. (10.15.22)
 3 vs. Campbell (11.5.22)
 3 at Princeton (9.23.23)
 Field Goals Attempted 4 vs. Char. So. (10.15.22)
 Long Field Goal 56 vs. Campbell (11.5.22)
 Rush Attempts 1 at UNLV (9.2.23)
 Rushing Yards -23 at UNLV (9.2.23)
 Total Offense – Plays 1 at UNLV (9.2.23)
 Total Offense – Yards -23 at UNLV (9.2.23)
 Punts 6 at Akron (9.18.21)
 Punting Yards 206 vs. Rhode Island (9.10.22)
 Long Punt 82 vs. Saint Francis (Pa.) (10.16.21)
 Kickoffs 9 vs. Southern Conn. St. (10.8.22)
 9 vs. Campbell (11.5.22)
 Kickoff Yards 578 vs. Southern Conn. St. (10.8.22)
 Kickoff Average 65.7 (7 KO) at Holy Cross (11.12.22)
 Touchbacks 7 vs. Southern Conn. St. (10.8.22)

JULIAN GLANTZ

Rush Attempts 2 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Rushing Yards 9 at Maine (10.1.22)
 Long Rush 9 at Maine (10.1.22)
 Receptions 1 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Receiving Yards -3 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Long Reception -3 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Total Offense - Plays 2 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Total Offense 9 at Maine (10.1.22)
 All-Purpose Yards 9 at Maine (10.1.22)
 Tackles 1 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)
 1 vs. Elon (10.14.23)
 1 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)

JALEN GOODMAN

Points 6 at Maine (10.1.22)
 Touchdowns 6 at Maine (10.1.22)
 All-Purpose Yards 81 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Interceptions 1 at Maine (10.1.22)
 1 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Long INT Return 81 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 INT Return TDs 1 at Maine (10.1.22)
 Tackles 13 vs. Rhode Island (3.13.21)
 Tackles For Loss 1.5 vs. Bucknell (9.11.21)
 Forced Fumbles 1 at Maine (4.3.21)
 1 vs. Monmouth (9.24.22)
 Fumble Recoveries 1 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 1 at South Dakota State (12.9.23)
 Pass Breakups 2 at Southeastern La. (11.30.19)
 Quarterback Hurries 1 at Elon (11.6.21)

JASON HALL

Kickoff Returns 1 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
 Kickoff Return Yards 0 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
 Long Kickoff Return 0 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
Tackles 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)

SHANE HARTZELL

All-Purpose Yards 19 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 Interceptions 1 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 Long INT Return 19 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 Tackles 15 at Richmond (10.15.22)
 Tackles For Loss 2.0 at Richmond (10.15.22)
 2.0 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 Sacks 1.0, 7x
 Forced Fumbles 1 at LIU (9.10.22)
 Pass Breakups 1 at UAlbany (9.30.23)
 1 at Delaware (11.18.23)
 1 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)
 Quarterback Hurries 3 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)

NATE HILL

Receptions 1 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Receiving Yards 6 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Long Reception 6 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 All-Purpose Yards 6 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)

AYDEN HOWARD

Tackles 4 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Tackles For Loss 1.5 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
Sacks 1.0 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Pass Breakups 1 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
 Quarterback Hurries 1 vs. UAlbany (10.22.22)

TURNER INGE

Tackles 5 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Tackles For Loss 2.0 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Sacks 1.0 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)

ANTONIO JOHNSON

Points 6 vs. Colgate (9.9.23)
 Touchdowns 1 vs. Colgate (9.9.23)
 Receptions 2 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 2 vs. Elon (10.14.23)
 2 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)
 Receiving Yards 40 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)
 Receiving Touchdowns 1 vs. Colgate (9.9.23)
 Long Reception 34 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)
 All-Purpose Yards 40 vs. Youngstown St. (12.2.23)
 Tackles 1 at UCF (9.16.23)

COLIN KENNEDY

Tackles 3 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)

MIKE KENNEDY

Tackles 1 at UCF (9.16.23)

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

CAREER HIGHS

RICHIE KIMMEL

Punt Returns 1 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 Punt Return Yards 16 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 Long Punt Return 16 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 All-Purpose Yards 16 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
Interceptions 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Long INT Return 0 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Tackles 10 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Tackles For Loss 1.5 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
Fumble Recoveries 1 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Long Fumble Return 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Pass Breakups 1 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Quarterback Hurries 1 at Maine (10.1.22)
 1 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Blocked Kicks (Punt) 1 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)

DALE LAW

Tackles 1 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 1 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)

DANIEL LOPES

Points 6 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Touchdowns 1 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Receptions 2 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 2 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 2 at UCF (9.16.23)
 Receiving Yards 42 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Receiving Touchdowns 1 at W&M (11.12.22)
 Long Reception 39 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 All-Purpose Yards 39 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Tackles 1 at Lehigh (9.2.23)

JA'BRIEL MACE

Rush Attempts 13 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
 Rushing Yards 76 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
 Long Rush 28 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
Receptions 1 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Receiving Yards 35 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Long Reception 35 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Total Offense - Plays 13 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
 Total Offense - Yards 76 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
 All-Purpose Yards 77 vs. Towson (11.11.23)

TANNER MADDOCKS

Rush Attempts 2 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Rushing Yards 12 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Long Rush 12 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Pass Attempts 4 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Pass Completions 4 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Passing Yards 37 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Long Pass 40 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Total Offense - Plays 5 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Total Offense - Yards 49 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 All-Purpose Yards 12 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)

CAPRI MARTIN

Tackles 5 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Tackles For Loss 0.5 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Quarterback Hurries 1 vs. Colgate (9.9.23)

NIGEL MCSWEEN

Tackles 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)

KENYON MILES

Receptions 2 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Receiving Yards 20 at UAlbany (9.30.23)
 Long Reception 20 at UAlbany (9.30.23)
 All-Purpose Yards 20 at UAlbany (9.30.23)

TYRELL MIMS

All-Purpose Yards 0 at LIU (9.10.22)
 0 vs. UAlbany (10.22.22)
 0 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Interceptions 1 at LIU (9.10.22)
 1 vs. UAlbany (10.22.22)
 1 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Long INT Return 0 at LIU (9.10.22)
 0 vs. UAlbany (10.22.22)
 0 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Tackles 6 vs. Richmond (10.15.22)
 6 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 6 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)

Tackles For Loss 1, 4x
 Sacks 1.0 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)
 Fumble Recoveries 1 at Army West Point (9.17.22)
 1 at Towson (11.5.22)
 Pass Breakups 2 vs. UAlbany (10.22.22)
 2 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 Quarterback Hurries 1 at LIU (9.10.22)
 Blocked Kicks (Punt) 1 vs. William & Mary (10.30.21)

KALEB MOODY

Points 6 at Columbia (11.4.23)
 Touchdowns 1 at Columbia (11.4.23)
 Punt Returns 1 at Columbia (11.4.23)
 Punt Return Yards 24 at Columbia (11.4.23)
 Long Punt Return 10 at Columbia (11.4.23)
 Interceptions 2 at Columbia (11.4.23)
 Long INT Return 0 at Columbia (11.4.23)
 All Purpose Yards 24 at Columbia (11.4.23)
 Tackles 10 vs. Brown (9.22.23)
 Tackles For Loss 1.5 vs. Dartmouth (10.28.23)
 Sacks 1.0 at Dartmouth (10.28.23)
 Forced Fumbles 1 vs. Dartmouth (10.28.23)
 Pass Breakups 2 vs. St. Thomas (Minn.) (9.16.23)
 2 vs. Penn (11.11.23)
 Blocked Kicks (Punt) 2 vs. Merrimack (9.16.22)

JAMES MOTT

Pass Attempts 3 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Pass Completions 2 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Passing Yards 9 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Long Pass 6 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Total Offense - Plays 3 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Total Offense - Yards 9 at Lehigh (9.2.23)

DANIEL MUELLER

Kickoffs 1 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Kickoff Yards 53 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Kickoff Average 53.0 at Lehigh (9.2.23)

JORDAN NELSON

All-Purpose Yards 0 at Delaware (11.18.23)
 Interceptions 1 at Delaware (11.18.23)
 Long INT Return 0 at Delaware (11.18.23)
 Tackles 4 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Tackles For Loss 1.0 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Pass Breakups 1 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
 Quarterback Hurries 2 vs. Lehigh (9.2.22)

OBINNA NWOBODO

Tackles 2 at UAlbany (9.30.23)
 2 vs. Towson (11.11.23)
 Tackles For Loss 1.0 at Delaware (11.18.23)
 Quarterback Hurries 1 vs. Colgate (9.9.23)

JOSH OLUREMI

Tackles 1, 7x

CHANDON PIERRE

Tackles 5 at South Dakota (10.9.21)
 Tackles For Loss 1.0, 7x
 Sacks 1.0 vs. Southern Illinois (2.20.21)
 1.0 at UAlbany (9.30.23)
 1.0 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)
 Forced Fumbles 1 vs. Southern Illinois (2.20.21)
Quarterback Hurries 1 vs. Missouri State (4.24.21)
 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)

ETHAN POTTER

Kick Returns 1 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 Kick Return Yards 24 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 Long Kick Return 24 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 All-Purpose Yards 1 vs. Holy Cross (12.3.21)
 Interceptions 1 vs. Holy Cross (12.3.21)
 Long INT Return 1 vs. Holy Cross (12.3.21)
 Tackles 11 at Maine (10.1.22)
 11 at Richmond (10.15.22)
 Tackles For Loss 2.5 at Richmond (10.15.22)
 Sacks 0.5 at Richmond (10.15.22)
Pass Breakups 1, 8x
 Forced Fumbles 1 at Towson (11.5.22)
 Fumble Recoveries 1 vs. Rhode Island (10.23.21)
 Quarterback Hurries 1 vs. Stony Brook (11.13.21)
 1 vs. UAlbany (10.22.22)
 1 at UAlbany (9.30.23)

ISAIAH RAGLAND

Points 6 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Touchdowns 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Rush Attempts 15 vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
 Rushing Yards 126 vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
Rushing Touchdowns 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Long Rush 31 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Receptions 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Receiving Yards 5 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Long Reception 5 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Total Offense - Plays 15 vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
 Total Offense - Yards 126 vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
 All-Purpose Yards 126 vs. Elon (10.14.2023)

GARRETT ROGAN

Tackles 1 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

CAREER HIGHS

JAYLAN SANCHEZ

Points 12 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)
 Touchdowns 2 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)
Rush Attempts 1 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Rushing Yards 16 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Long Rush 16 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Receptions 6 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)
 Receiving Yards 158 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)
 Receiving Touchdowns 2 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)
 Long Reception 68 vs. Colgate (9.9.23)
 Kickoff Returns 2 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Kickoff Return Yards 39 at W&M (11.12.22)
 Long Kickoff Return 30 vs. Hampton (10.29.22)
Total Offense – Plays 1 at W&M (11.12.22)
 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Total Offense -9 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 All-Purpose Yards 157 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)

CHRISTIAN SAPP

Kick Returns 2 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Kick Return Yards 53 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Long Kickoff Return 42 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
All-Purpose Yards 53 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Interceptions 1 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 1 vs. Youngstown State (12.2.23)
 Long INT Return 0 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 0 vs. Youngstown State (12.2.23)
 Tackles 5 at Army West Point (9.17.22)
 Tackles For Loss 1.0, 4x
 Pass Breakups 1 vs. Hampton (10.29.22)
 Forced Fumbles 1 at UCF (9.16.23)

CHUCK SMITH

Tackles 8 at The Citadel (11.13.21)
 Tackles For Loss 1.5 at VMI (9.23.23)
 1.5 vs. Samford (10.7.23)
 Sacks 1.5 vs. Samford (10.7.23)
 Pass Breakups 1 vs. Presbyterian (9.16.23)
 Forced Fumbles 1 at VMI (9.25.21)
 1 vs. Mercer (10.1.22)
 1 at Furman (11.19.22)
 Fumble Recoveries 1 vs. Kennesaw State (9.18.21)
 1 at VMI (9.25.21)
 Quarterback Hurries 2 vs. Presbyterian (9.16.23)
 2 vs. Furman (11.18.23)

DEVIN SMITH

Points 6 at Campbell (10.1.22)
 6 vs. Morgan State (10.13.22)
 6 vs. Norfolk State (11.4.23)
 Touchdowns 2 at Campbell (10.1.22)
 2 vs. Morgan State (10.13.22)
 2 vs. Norfolk State (11.4.23)
 Rush Attempts 1 at Howard (11.13.21)
 1 vs. Delaware State (11.20.21)
 1 at N.C. A&T (9.9.23)
 Rushing Yards 5 at N.C. A&T (9.9.23)
 Long Rush 5 at North Carolina (9.9.23)
 Receptions 6 at New Hampshire (9.17.22)
 6 at Richmond (11.25.23)
 Receiving Yards 202 at Richmond (11.25.23)
 Long Reception 91 at Richmond (11.25.23)
 Receiving Touchdowns 2 at Campbell (10.1.22)
 2 vs. Morgan State (10.13.22)
 2 vs. Norfolk State (11.4.23)
 Total Offense – Plays 1 at Howard (11.13.21)
 1 vs. Delaware State (11.20.21)
 1 at N.C. A&T (9.9.23)
 Total Offense – Yards 5 at N.C. A&T (9.9.23)
 Kick Returns 3 at Campbell (10.1.22)
 3 at South Carolina State (10.22.22)
 Kick Return Yards 61 at S. Carolina St. (10.22.22)
 Long Kick Return 30 at Howard (11.11.23)
 All-Purpose Yards 220 at Richmond (11.25.23)
 Tackles 1 vs. Winston-Salem (9.18.21)
 1 at South Carolina State (10.22.22)

ELI SMITH

Rush Attempts 7 at Maine (10.1.22)
 7 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Rushing Yards 48 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Long Rush 18 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Receptions 1 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Receiving Yards 2 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 Long Reception 2 at William & Mary (11.12.22)
 All-Purpose Yards 50 at William & Mary (11.12.22)

JR STRAUSS

Tackles 2 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Tackles For Loss 1.0 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)

TY TRINH

All-Purpose Yards 18 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Interceptions 1 at Delaware (11.20.21)
 1 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Long INT Return 18 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 Tackles 12 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)
 Tackles For Loss 2.0 at N.C. A&T (10.7.23)
 Pass Breakups 2 at UAlbany (9.30.23)
 2 vs. Elon (10.14.23)
Quarterback Hurries 1 at UAlbany (9.30.23)
 1 at Delaware (11.18.23)
 1 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Forced Fumbles 1 vs. Lehigh (9.2.22)
 1 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)
 Fumble Recoveries 1 vs. Delaware (11.19.22)

STEPHANE VOLTAIRE

Tackles 1 at New Hampshire (11.4.23)

CONNOR WATKINS

Points 18 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Touchdowns 3 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Rush Attempts 13 vs. Elon (10.14.2023)
 13 at South Dakota State (12.9.2023)
 Rushing Yards 130 vs. Hampton (10.29.22)
 Rushing Touchdowns 3 vs. Rhode Island (9.23.23)
 Long Rush 75 vs. Hampton (10.29.22)
 Pass Attempts 31 vs. Hampton (10.29.22)
 31 at UAlbany (9.30.23)
 Pass Completions 18 vs. UAlbany (10.22.22)
 Passing Yards 361 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Passing TDs 4 at Maine (10.1.22)
 4 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Long Pass 83 at Maine (10.1.22)
 Total Offense - Plays 43 at UAlbany (9.30.23)
 Total Offense 395 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 All-Purpose Yards 130 vs. Hampton (10.29.22)
 Punts 8 at Penn State (9.25.21)
 Punting Yards 277 at Penn State (9.25.21)
 Long Punt 50 at James Madison (10.9.21)

ISAS WAXTER

All-Purpose Yards 0 vs. Colgate (9.9.23)
 0 at Delaware (11.18.23)
 Tackles 7 vs. Delaware (11.23.19)
 Tackles For Loss 1.0, 4x
 Sacks 1.0 at Lehigh (9.4.21)
 Interceptions 1 vs. Colgate (9.9.23)
 1 at Delaware (11.18.23)
 1 vs. Youngstown State (12.2.23)
 Long INT Return 0 vs. Colgate (9.9.23)
 0 at Delaware (11.18.23)
 0 vs. Youngstown State (12.2.23)
 Pass Breakups 2 vs. Colgate (9.9.23)
 Quarterback Hurries 1 at Lehigh (9.2.23)

JAYVONT WILLIAMS

Tackles 1 at South Dakota State (12.9.23)

ISAIAH WRIGHT

Points 6 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Touchdowns 1 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
 Rush Attempts 4 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
Rushing Yards 13 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
 Rushing Touchdowns 1 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)
Long Rush 11 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Total Offense – Plays 8 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
Total Offense – Yards 13 vs. YSU (8.29.24)
All-Purpose Yards 13 vs. YSU (8.29.24)

ION WYATT

Tackles 2 vs. Lehigh (9.2.22)
 2 at UCF (9.16.23)
 Pass Breakups 1 at Lehigh (9.2.23)
 1 vs. Stony Brook (10.28.23)



2024-25 Villanova Football
Game Results
All games

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conf	Time	Attend
08/29/2024	Youngstown St.	W	24-17	1-0	0-0	2:46	5421



2024-25 Villanova Football
Overall Team Statistics
All games

Team Statistics

	VU	OPP
Scoring	24	17
Points per game	24.0	17.0
Points Off Turnovers	3	0
First Downs	15	21
Rushing	11	9
Passing	3	12
Penalty	1	0
Rushing Yardage	246	169
Yards gained rushing	262	184
Yards lost rushing	16	15
Rushing attempts	30	40
Average per rush	8.2	4.2
Average per game	246.0	169.0
TDs Rushing	3	1
Passing Yardage	90	152
Comp-Att-Int	6-17-0	18-25-2
Average per pass	5.3	6.1
Average per catch	15.0	8.4
Average per game	90.0	152.0
TDs Passing	0	1
Total offense	336	321
Total plays	47	65
Average per play	7.1	4.9
Average per game	336.0	321.0
Kick returns: #-Yards	2-53	5-101
Punt returns: #-Yards	0-0	0-0
Int returns: #-Yards	2-2	0-0
Kick return average	26.5	20.2
Punt return average	0.0	0.0
Int return average	1.0	0.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	4-30	4-30
Average per game	30.0	30.0
Punts-Yards	3-138	2-110
Average per punt	46.0	55.0
Net punt average	46.0	55.0
Kickoffs-Yards	5-302	4-236
Average per kick	60.4	59.0
Net kick average	40.2	33.3
Time of possession / game	23:48	36:12
3rd-down conversion	3/9	4/10
3rd-down pct	33%	40%
4rd-down conversion	0/0	2/3



2024-25 Villanova Football
Overall Team Statistics
All games

	VU	OPP
4rd-down pct	0%	67%
Sacks by-Yards	1-1	2-13
Misc Yards	0	0
Touchdowns scored	3	2
Field goals - attempts	1-2	1-1
On-Side kicks	0-0	0-0
Red-zone scores	(2-3) 67%	(3-3) 100%
Red-zone touchdowns	(2-3) 67%	(2-3) 67%
PAT-attempts	(3-3) 100%	(2-2) 100%
2-point conversion-attempts	(0-0) 0%	(0-0) 0%
Attendance	5421	0
Games / Avg per game	1/5421	0/0
Neutral site games	-	0/0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Villanova	10	7	7	0	0	24
Opponents	0	3	7	7	0	17



**2024-25 Villanova Football
Individual Statistics
All games**

Rushing

Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Connor Watkins	1	10	120	13	107	10.7	2	45	107.0
Isaiah Ragland	1	7	65	0	65	9.3	1	31	65.0
David Avit	1	5	42	0	42	8.4	0	20	42.0
Jaylan Sanchez	1	1	16	0	16	16.0	0	16	16.0
Isaiah Wright	1	3	13	0	13	4.3	0	11	13.0
Ja'briel Mace	1	1	6	0	6	6.0	0	6	6.0
Team	1	3	0	3	-3	-1.0	0	0	-3.0
Total	1	30	262	16	246	8.2	3	45	246.0
Opponents	1	40	184	15	169	4.2	1	17	169.0

Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Richie Kimmel	1	0	0.0	0	0
Zahmir Dawud	1	2	2.0	0	2
Total	2	2	1.0	0	2
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Connor Watkins	1	79.8	6-17-0	35.3	90	0	35	90.0
Total	1	79.8	6-17-0	35.3	90	0	35	90.0
Opponents	1	120.3	18-25-2	72.0	152	1	18	152.0

Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Christian Sapp	2	53	26.5	0	42
Total	2	53	26.5	0	42
Opponents	5	101	20.2	0	23

Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Kenyon Miles	1	2	17	8.5	0	10	17.0
Daniel Lopes	1	1	23	23.0	0	23	23.0
Jaylan Sanchez	1	1	10	10.0	0	10	10.0
Isaiah Ragland	1	1	5	5.0	0	5	5.0
Ja'briel Mace	1	1	35	35.0	0	35	35.0
Total	1	6	90	15.0	0	35	90.0
Opponents	1	18	152	8.4	1	18	152.0

Fumble Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Richie Kimmel	1	1	1.0	0	1
Total	1	1	1.0	0	1
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

Scoring

Player	td	fg	PAT				dpx	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
Connor Watkins	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
Ethan Gettman	-	1-2	3-3	-	-	-	-	6	
Isaiah Ragland	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
Total	3	1-2	3-3	0	0	0	0	24	
Opponents	2	1-1	2-2	0	0	0	0	17	

Total Offense

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Connor Watkins	1	27	107	90	197	197.0
Isaiah Ragland	1	7	65	0	65	65.0
David Avit	1	5	42	0	42	42.0
Jaylan Sanchez	1	1	16	0	16	16.0
Isaiah Wright	1	3	13	0	13	13.0
Ja'briel Mace	1	1	6	0	6	6.0
Team	1	0	-3	0	-3	-3.0
Total	1	47	246	90	336	336.0
Opponents	1	65	169	152	321	321.0

Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Ethan Gettman	1-2	50.0	0-0	0-0	0-1	1-1	0-0	42	0
Opponents	1-1	100.0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	27	0

FG Sequence

Team Name	Villanova	Opponents
Youngstown St.	(42),32	(27)

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made

Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Ethan Gettman	3	138	46.0	62	0	2	2	1	0
Total	3	138	46.0	62	0	2	2	1	0
Opponents	2	110	55.0	65	0	1	2	1	0

Kickoffs

Player	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydl
Ethan Gettman	5	302	60.4	0	0			
Total	5	302	60.4	0	0	5	40.2	24
Opponents	4	236	59.0	2	0	2	33.3	31



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Individual Statistics
All games

All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Connor Watkins	1	107	0	0	0	0	107	107.0
Isaiah Ragland	1	65	5	0	0	0	70	70.0
Christian Sapp	1	0	0	0	53	0	53	53.0
David Avit	1	42	0	0	0	0	42	42.0
Ja'briel Mace	1	6	35	0	0	0	41	41.0
Jaylan Sanchez	1	16	10	0	0	0	26	26.0
Daniel Lopes	1	0	23	0	0	0	23	23.0
Kenyon Miles	1	0	17	0	0	0	17	17.0
Isaiah Wright	1	13	0	0	0	0	13	13.0
Zahmir Dawud	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	2.0
Team	1	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-3.0
Total	1	246	90	0	53	2	391	391.0
Opponents	1	169	152	0	101	0	422	422.0



2024-25 Villanova Football
Overall Defense Statistics
All games

Team Defense

##	Player	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot				int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
31	Shane Hartzell	1	7	4	11	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
28	Brendan Bell	1	5	6	11	1.5-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	Richie Kimmel	1	2	8	10	.	.	1-0	.	.	1-1	.	.	.	
4	Jalen Goodman	1	6	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
34	Ethan Potter	1	4	2	6	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
9	Ty Trinh	1	5	.	5	1-1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
37	Zahmir Dawud	1	3	1	4	0.5-2	.	1-2	.	.	.	1	.	.	
91	Ayden Howard	1	1	2	3	1-1	1-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	Chandon Pierre	1	.	2	2	0.5-1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
25	Christian Sapp	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93	Capri Martin	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98	Obinna Nwobodo	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	Tyrell Mims	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Chuck Smith	1	.	1	1	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	Turner Inge	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
53	Jason Hall	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	Nigel McSween	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Totals		1	41	28	69	5-15	1-1	2-2	2	3	1-1	1	0	0	
Opponents		1	27	10	37	2-13	2-13	0-0	1	3	0-0	0	0	0	



**2024-25 Villanova Football
Team Game-by-Game
All games**

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off		
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg
08/29/2024	Youngstown St.	30	246	3	45	6	90	0	35	6	17	0	90	0	35	2	53	0	42	0	0	0	0	336
Villanova		30	246	3	45	6	90	0	35	6	17	0	90	0	35	2	53	0	42	0	0	0	0	336
Opponents		40	169	1	17	18	152	1	18	18	25	2	152	1	18	5	101	0	23	0	0	0	0	321

Villanova Averages

Games	Avg/ rush	Avg/ catch	Pass effic	KR avg	PR avg	All purpose avg/game	Total offense avg/game
1	8.2	15.0	79.8	26.5	0.0	391.0	336.0

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			blkd	PAT attempts			off				
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
08/29/2024	Youngstown St.	41	28	69	5.0-15	1-1	1	1-1	2-2	3	2	0	3-3	0	0	0	3	24
Villanova		41	28	69	5.0-15	1-1	1	1-1	2-2	3	2	0	3-3	0	0	0	3	24
Opponents		27	10	37	2.0-13	2-13	0	0-0	0-0	3	1	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	17

Date	Opponent	Punting								Field Goals			Kickoffs					
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
08/29/2024	Youngstown St.	3	138	46.0	62	0	0	2	1	2	1-2	42	0	5	302	60.4	0	0
Villanova		3	138	46.0	62	0	0	2	1	2	1-2	42	0	5	302	60.4	0	0
Opponents		2	110	55.0	65	0	0	1	1	2	1-1	27	0	4	236	59.0	2	0



2024-25 Villanova Football
Opponents Game-by-Game
All games

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off		
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg
08/29/2024	Youngstown St.	40	169	1	17	18	152	1	18	18	25	2	152	1	18	5	101	0	23	0	0	0	0	321
Opponents		40	169	1	17	18	152	1	18	18-25-2	152	1	18	5	101	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	321	
Villanova		30	246	3	45	6	90	0	35	6-17-0	90	0	35	2	53	0	42	0	0	0	0	336		

Opponents Averages

Games	Avg/ rush	Avg/ catch	Pass effic	KR avg	PR avg	All purpose avg/game	Total offense avg/game
1	4.2	8.4	120.3	20.2	0.0	422.0	321.0

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			blkd	PAT attempts			off			
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
08/29/2024	Youngstown St.	27	10	37	2.0-13	2-13	0	0-0	0-0	3	1	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	17
Opponents		27	10	37	2.0-13	2-13	0	0-0	0-0	3	1	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	17
Villanova		41	28	69	5.0-15	1-1	1	1-1	2-2	3	2	0	3-3	0	0	0	3	24

Date	Opponent	Punting								Field Goals			Kickoffs					
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
08/29/2024	Youngstown St.	2	110	55.0	65	0	0	1	1	2	1-1	27	0	4	236	59.0	2	0
Opponents		2	110	55.0	65	0	0	1	1	2	1-1	27	0	4	236	59.0	2	0
Villanova		3	138	46.0	62	0	0	2	1	2	1-2	42	0	5	302	60.4	0	0



**2024-25 Villanova Football
Team Game-by-Game Comparison
All games**

Opponent	Score	First Downs				Rushing Number-Yards	Passing		Total Offense Plays-Yards	Return Yards	Turn- Overs
		Total	Rush	Pass	Pen		Comp-Att.-Int	Yards			
Youngstown St.	24-17	15 / 21	11 / 9	3 / 12	1 / 0	30-246 / 40-169	6-17-0 / 18-25-2	90 / 152	47-336 / 65-321	56 / 101	0 / 3
Totals	24-17	15 / 21	11 / 9	3 / 12	1 / 0	30-246 / 40-169	6-17-0 / 18-25-2	90 / 152	47-336 / 65-321	56 / 101	0 / 3

Opponents	3rd Down Conversion	4th Down Conversion	Time of Possession	TOP Margin	Avg Yds/Rush	Avg Yds/Pass	Avg Yds/Play	Punting Number-Avg	Penalties Number-Yards	Sacks
Youngstown St.	3-9 / 4-10	0-0 / 2-3	23:48 / 36:12	-12:24	8.2 / 4.2	5.3 / 6.1	7.1 / 4.9	3-46.0 / 2-55.0	4-30.0 / 4-30.0	1 / 2
Totals	3-9 / 4-10	0-0 / 2-3	23:48 / 36:12	-12:24	8.2 / 4.2	5.3 / 6.1	7.1 / 4.9	3-46.0 / 2-55.0	4-30.0 / 4-30.0	1 / 2

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category