

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

GAMEDAY

Date	September 5, 2026
Time	6:00 PM PM
Venue	Christy Mathewson-Memorial Stadium
Capacity	13,100

LIVE COVERAGE

TV

ESPN+

Doug Birdsong (Play By Play)
Charlie Fisher (Analyst)

RADIO

Villanova Sports Radio Network

AM 1480, FM 102.5, FM 104.1 (Trenton)

Ryan Fannon (Play By Play)

Steve Pinone (Analyst)

ALL-TIME SERIES

Villanova leads 15-11-2

First Meeting	1900
First Villanova Win	1926 (7-3)
First Bucknell Win	1902 (6-15)

Last Meeting	2021
Last Villanova Win	2021 (55-3)
Last Bucknell Win	1944 (27-6)

Mark Ferrante vs. Bucknell	3-0
Jeff Behrman vs. Villanova	0-0

at Villanova	4-1-2
at Bucknell	5-6
FCS Era (since 1985)	8-0

Current Streak	W9 (1945-88-91-92-04-05-18-19-21)
Longest Streak	W9 (1945-88-91-92-04-05-18-19-21)

THE MATCHUP



VILLANOVA

Nickname	Wildcats
Conference	Patriot League
Record	0-1 (0-1 PL)
Stats Perform FCS Poll	#18
AFCA FCS Coaches Poll	#17
Head Coach	Mark Ferrante
Career Record	69-37
Villanova Record	69-37
Location	Villanova, Pa.
Founded	1842
Enrollment	6,700
Colors	Blue and White



BUCKNELL

Nickname	Bison
Conference	Patriot League
Record	0-1 (0-1 PL)
Stats Perform FCS Poll	n/a
AFCA FCS Coaches Poll	n/a
Head Coach	Jeff Behrman
Career Record	71-28
Bucknell Record	0-1
Location	Lewisburg, Pa.
Founded	1846
Enrollment	3,950
Colors	Blue and Orange

VILLANOVA SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Location	Time/Result	Att.
8.28	(rs/rs) William & Mary (PL)	Villanova, Pa.	L, 32-35	5,221
9.5	Bucknell (PL)	Lewisburg, Pa.	6:00 PM	ESPN+
9.11	Louisville	Louisville, Ky.	7:00 PM	ACC Network
9.19	LIU	Brookville, N.Y.	12:00 PM	NEC Front Row
9.26	Colgate (PL)	Villanova, Pa.	2:30 PM	ESPN+
10.3	Morgan State	Villanova, Pa.	1:00 PM	ESPN+
10.17	Fordham (PL)	Bronx, N.Y.	3:30 PM	ESPN+
10.24	Lehigh (PL)	Villanova, Pa.	3:30 PM	ESPN+
10.31	Lafayette (PL)	Easton, Pa.	12:30 PM	ESPN+
11.6	Ricmond (PL)	Villanova, Pa.	1:00 PM	ESPN+
11.13	Holy Cross (PL)	Worcester, Mass.	12:00 PM	ESPN+
11.20	Georgetown (PL)	Villanova, Pa.	1:00 PM	ESPN+

TONIGHT'S GAME

■ In their first season in the Patriot League, the Wildcats are beginning the year with two straight conference games for the first time in any full season. The only other time that VU played two straight conference matchups to open the season was during an abbreviated Spring 2021 campaign.

■ Villanova and Bucknell are meeting for the 29th time in a series that dates back more than 125 years. The Wildcats have won the last nine meetings and are 8-0 in the series since 1985.

■ Villanova and defending national champion Montana State are the only FCS teams who have won 10+ games in four of the last five years.

■ Villanova has a record of 48-19 over the last six years (2021-26). Its winning percentage of .716 in that span is the ninth highest among FCS programs.

■ Villanova is ranked for the 39th consecutive week dating back to the October 16, 2023 polls.

■ Running back and kick returner **Ja'briel Mace** was named to the initial Watch List for this year's Walter Payton Award and garnered Stats Perform Preseason All-America honors to begin the year.

■ Mace, along with junior right guard **Chris McCullers**, sophomore wide receiver **Braden Reed**, sophomore linebacker **Omari Bursey** and senior defensive end **Capri Martin** were named to the Preseason All-Patriot League team in a vote of league head coaches.

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QUICK FACTS

Villanova University	
Location	Villanova, Pa.
Founded	1842
Enrollment	6,700
President	Rev. Peter M. Donohue, O.S.A.
Athletic Director	Eric Roedl
Colors	Blue and White
Nickname	Wildcats

Athletics History

Team National Championships	21
Individual National Champions	120
Team Conference Championships	140

Villanova Football

Affiliation	FCS
Conference	Patriot League
First Year	1894
All-Time Record	681-510-41 (.569)
Bowl Games	5
FCS Playoff Appearances	17
Last Playoff Appearance	2025
National Championships	1

Head Coach

Head Coach	Mark Ferrante
Years at Villanova	40
Years as Head Coach	10th Season
Career Record	69-37 (.651)

Stadium

Stadium	Villanova Stadium
Capacity	12,000
Surface	Astroplay (artificial grass)
Press Box Phone	610-519-5290
All-Time Record	278-114-5 (.707)

Award Winners

Walter Payton Awards	3
Jerry Rice Awards	1
First Team All-Americans	33
Major Conference Awards	23
All-Conference Honorees	364
Academic All-Americans	14
CAA Football Scholar-Athletes of the Year	4
Academic All-Conference Honorees	1,099

2026 Team Information

Offensive Formation	Multiple
Defensive Formation	Multiple
Letterwinners Returning	55
Letterwinners Lost	38
Offensive Starters Returning/Lost	6/5
Defensive Starters Returning/Lost	4/7
Specialists Returning/Lost	3/4
2025 Overall Record	12-3
2025 Conference Record	7-1

WEEK 1 NOTEBOOK: VILLANOVA VS. WILLIAM & MARY

THE MATCHUP

- Villanova and Bucknell renew acquaintances for the first time in five years when they meet at Christy Mathewson-Memorial Stadium on Saturday evening. Kickoff is slated for 6 p.m. and the game will be broadcast live on ESPN+ as well as on the Villanova Sports Radio Network. The radio call with **Ryan Fannon** and **Steve Pinone** can be heard on the iHeart radio app, while the TV stream on ESPN+ will have **Doug Birdsong** and **Charlie Fisher** calling the action.

SERIES STUFF

- Villanova and Bucknell first met each other on the gridiron more than 125 years ago when they played to a 0-0 draw at Villanova on November 24, 1900. The Wildcats own a 15-11-2 advantage in the all-time series, with 19 of the previous 28 games between the teams occurring between 1900 and 1945.
- Villanova has won nine straight matchups against Bucknell and has tallied eight of those victories since 1985 when the Wildcats became an FCS program. In the nine consecutive wins in the series, Villanova has outscored the Bison by an average of 29.1 points.

PATRIOT LEAGUE DEBUT

- A transformational new chapter of Villanova football begins this season as the Wildcats make their highly anticipated debut as an associate member of the Patriot League. The match between Villanova and the Patriot League is a natural one both on and off the field, and the Wildcats were picked to finish atop the league standings in a preseason poll of league head coaches.

ABOUT THE PATRIOT LEAGUE

- The Patriot League is in its fourth decade of academic and athletic achievement, continually demonstrating that student-athletes can excel at both academics and athletics without sacrificing high standards. The Patriot League's athletic success is achieved while its member institutions remain committed to its founding principle of admitting and graduating student-athletes who are academically representative of their class. Participation in athletics at Patriot League institutions is viewed as an important component of a well-rounded education.

THE POWER OF 10

- In July, the Patriot League unveiled its football-specific brand identity and slogan, "The Power of 10," marking the beginning of A New Era of Patriot League Football as the League enters the 2026 season with 10 football-playing institutions for the first time in its 41-year history.
- "The Power of 10" campaign reflects both the strength coming with expansion and the collective success that has long defined Patriot League football, creating one of the nation's premier FCS conferences.
- Collectively, the Patriot League's 10 football members have won two FCS national championships, advanced to 12 FCS national semifinals and reached the quarterfinal round 22 times, earning 42 FCS postseason wins.



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AT A LOSS FOR YARDS

- Villanova recorded 12 tackles for loss in its season opener against William & Mary last week, including three sacks. It is the first time since the second game of the 2021 season against Bucknell that the Wildcats were credited with 12 tackles for loss in a single game. It was also the first time since the 2021 season opener versus Lehigh that Villanova had at least three sacks in its season opener.

BURSEY ONTO THE SCENE

- Sophomore linebacker **Omari Bursey** had the best game of his career in last week's opener. He recorded career highs of 15 total tackles and four tackles for loss in the game while nearly doubling his previous career high of eight total stops. Bursey is the Wildcats first player with at least 15 tackles in a game since linebacker **Brendan Bell** also had 15 stops in a playoff game at UIW in 2024.

STEPPING UP ON DEFENSE

- Junior linebacker **Christian Caballero** made his first career start last week and made an immediate impact with a career high eight tackles. He was not the only player to step up for the Wildcats while taking on an increased role this season. Sophomore defensive tackle **Ratu Delano Navoti** recorded two sacks for a total loss of 10 yards in the season opener. The two sacks and his four total tackles in the contest were both career highs.

GROUND GAME

- Junior running backs **Isaiah Ragland** and **Ja'briel Mace** combined for 151 rushing yards and three touchdowns on 25 carries in last week's season opener against William & Mary. Ragland led the way with 94 yards and his second career game with two scores. During the game he became the 26th player in school history to surpass 1,500 career rushing yards. Mace added 11 carries for 57 yards and a touchdown last week. The pair of running backs have combined for 2,807 rushing yards and 20 touchdowns during their Villanova tenures.

FIRST IMPRESSIONS

- Junior wide receiver **Jake Hilton** had a career high 132 yards on just four catches in the season opener against William & Mary last week. Hilton is a transfer from Division III member Wisconsin-River Falls and was making his Villanova debut last week. He hauled in a 73-yard catch in the third quarter and also had a 31-yard reception earlier in the game. It was the second career 100-yard game for Hilton, whose previous career high for receiving yards was 126 against Wheaton last season.
- Hilton is one of five new transfers on the Villanova roster this season. All five contributed in the season opener last week. Sophomore placekicker **Dominic LeBlanc** made his fifth career field goal from 40+ yards with a 42-yarder and was also 3-for-3 on PATs in his Wildcats debut. Sophomore tight end **Brody Eaton** had one reception on offense, while junior cornerback **Mikey Allen** and junior linebacker **Tyler Cain** each started on defense. Allen had four tackles, including a tackle for loss, and Cain made two stops.

BACK IN BLUE

- Graduate quarterback **Pat McQuaide** threw for 270 yards and a touchdown against William & Mary last week. He was 17-of-30 through the air and threw his longest pass in a Villanova uniform when he connected with **Jake Hilton** for a 73-yard completion. McQuaide moved into 11th place in school history with 3,393 passing yards during his Wildcats career. He is 505 yards away from moving into the top 10 in school history. His passing numbers last week led all Patriot League quarterbacks in yards per pass attempt (9.0) and yards per completion (15.9).

PATRIOT LEAGUE

Standings (Top 25)	PL	Overall
Colgate	1-0	1-0
Lehigh (10/10)	1-0	1-0
Richmond (rv/23)	1-0	1-0
William & Mary (17/19)	1-0	1-0
Lafayette	0-0	0-0
Georgetown	0-0	0-0
Villanova (18/17)	0-1	0-1
Holy Cross	0-1	0-1
Fordham	0-1	0-1
Bucknell	0-1	0-1
TOTAL		4-4

WEEK 1 PATRIOT LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 5

Villanova at Bucknell (*)	6:00 PM
Lafayette at Connecticut	12:00 PM
Lehigh at Georgetown (*)	12:30 PM
Holy Cross at Colgate (*)	1:00 PM
Fordham at North Dakota State	3:30 PM
Richmond at Howard	6:00 PM
Delaware State at William & Mary	6:00 PM

WEEK 0 PATRIOT LEAGUE SCORES

Thursday, August 27

Lafayette at Georgetown (*)	No Contest
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Friday, August 28

William & Mary 35, Villanova 32 (*)
Colgate 24, Fordham 14 (*)

Saturday, August 29

Lehigh 35, Holy Cross 10 (*)
Richmond 35, Bucknell 14 (*)

PATRIOT LEAGUE WEEKLY AWARDS

August 31

Offensive Player of the Week
Danny Shaban, Jr., RB, Colgate

Defensive Player of the Week
Rookie of the Week
Cade Smith, Fr., S, William & Mary

Special Teams Player of the Week
Max Lipinski, Jr., PK, William & Mary

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TALE OF THE TAPE

VU	CATEGORY	BUCK
32	Scoring Offense	14
35	Scoring Defense	35
20	First Downs	12
21	First Downs Allowed	17
157.0	Rushing Yards/Game	32.0
130.0	Rushing Defense/Game	194.0
270.0	Passing Yards/Game	155.0
263.0	Passing Defense/Game	199.0
427.0	Total Offense/Game	187.0
393.0	Total Defense/Game	393.0
11.0	Kick Return Average	0.0
5.0	Punt Return Average	8.0
1-36-0	Interception Returns	0-0-0
15-107	Penalties-Yards	3-25
28:01	Time of Possession	28:54
50%	3rd Down Offense	20%
50%	3rd Down Defense	25%
0%	4th Down Offense	100%
0%	4th Down Defense	—
75% (3-4)	Red Zone Offense	— (0-0)
100% (2-2)	Red Zone Defense	100% (4-4)
1-1	Fumbles-Lost	1-1
-3	Turnover Margin	Even
100% (1-1)	Field Goals	— (0-0)
100% (3-3)	PATs	100% (2-2)
3-12	Team Sacks	0-0
0-0	Sacks Allowed	4-29
8	Points Off Turnovers	7

VILLANOVA LEADERS

PASSING

Pat McQuaide 270 (17-30-3, 1 TD)

RUSHING

Isaiah Ragland 14-94 (2 TD)

Ja' briel Mace 11-57 (1 TD)

Pat McQuaide 3-10 (0 TD)

RECEIVING

Jake Hilton 4-132 (0 TD)

Brandon Binkowski 4-56 (1 TD)

Isaiah Ragland 2-30 (0 TD)

TACKLES

Omari Bursey 15 (8-7, 4.0 TFL)

Christian Caballero 8 (4-4, 0.5 TFL)

BUCKNELL LEADERS

PASSING

Chris Dietrich 155 (16-30-0, 2 TD)

RUSHING

Michael Cadden 12-24 (0 TD)

Ty Stauffer 5-11 (0 TD)

RECEIVING

Sam Milligan 6-70 (1 TD)

Michael Cadden 4-57 (1 TD)

Jack Bohm-Squicciarini 2-12 (0 TD)

TACKLES

Ayden Murray 6 (5-1, 1.0 TFL)

Zachary Corna 5 (5-0, 0.0 TFL)

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PLAYING THE PATRIOT LEAGUE

- Villanova may be new to the Patriot League this season, but it has played eight of the the other nine teams in the conference at least once since 2015. The only member of the conference that the Wildcats have not faced in a long time is Georgetown, who will visit Villanova Stadium in the regular season finale later this year. Despite their memorable matchups on the hardwood, the Wildcats and the Hoyas have not faced each other in football since 1950.
- Villanova has won 20 consecutive games against Patriot League teams since a 2013 loss to Fordham. That streak does not count games that the Wildcats played against Richmond or William & Mary when the teams were conference opponents in CAA Football.

VILLANOVA AGAINST THE PATRIOT LEAGUE

Team	Last Meeting	Overall	FCS Era (since 1985)
Bucknell	2021 (W, 55-3)	15-11-2	8-0
Colgate	2025 (W, 24-17)	8-1	8-0
Fordham	2015 (W, 14-7)	22-5-3	12-1
Georgetown	1950 (W, 20-14)	6-3	0-0
Holy Cross	2021 (W, 21-16)	14-9	2-2
Lafayette	2017 (W, 59-0)	2-4	2-0
Lehigh	2025 (W, 14-7)	15-5	11-1
Richmond*	2022 (L, 10-20)	25-14	21-11
William & Mary*	2026 (L, 32-35)	17-21-1	15-16-1
TOTAL		124-73-6 (.626)	79-31-1 (.716)

* Villanova played Richmond and William & Mary as conference foes in CAA Football

DOUBLE DIGIT WINS

- Villanova is coming off a 12-3 season in 2025 which tied the second-most wins in a season in school history. It was the fourth time in the last five years that the Wildcats have won 10 or more games. The only two FCS teams with 10+ wins in four of the last five seasons are Villanova and defending national champion Montana State.

SUPER SIX

- Villanova has been one of the dominant teams in the FCS over the last six seasons and has a 48-19 (.716) overall record in that span (2021-26). The .716 winning percentage ranks ninth among current FCS teams during this stretch.

2021-2026 SEASONS: TOP FCS TEAMS BY WINNING PERCENTAGE

Team	Conference	Overall	Pct.	Playoffs
Montana State	Big Sky	62-12	.838	5
South Dakota State	Missouri Valley	62-13	.827	5
Jackson State	Southwestern Athletic	52-12	.813	0
Harvard	Ivy League	39-12	.765	1
Montana	Big Sky	54-17	.761	5
UIW	Southland	47-17	.734	3
Mercer	Southern	44-17	.721	3
Florida A&M	Southwestern Athletic	43-17	.717	1
Villanova	Patriot League	48-19	.716	4

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YOU WILL REMEMBER ME (FOR CENTURIES)

- The 2026 season is the 100th year of hosting intercollegiate athletic events in venerable old Villanova Stadium, which was officially dedicated on October 8, 1927. Villanova has an all-time record of 278-114-5 (.707) at Villanova Stadium, including a 29-4 home record over the last five years. A 100th birthday celebration for the venue is being planned for next season.

POLLING PLACES

- Villanova began the 2026 season ranked in both the Stats Perform FCS Top 25 (No. 8) and the AFCA FCS Coaches Poll (No. 7). This is the 34th time in the last 39 years that the Wildcats have been nationally ranked at some point during the season.
- Villanova ranks third among all teams in FCS history (since 1978) for the number of weeks appearing in the national media poll. In their 341 weeks being nationally ranked, the Wildcats have been in the top 10 for a total of 159 weeks (11th most all-time) and have been ranked in the top five for 67 weeks.
- Villanova has been ranked in each of the last 39 national polls dating back to the middle of the 2023 season (October 16 poll). This is the fourth-longest active streak among FCS teams.

PRESEASON PATRIOT LEAGUE POLL

- Villanova was picked to finish atop the Patriot League standings in its inaugural season in the league in a preseason poll of league head coaches. The Wildcats received seven first-place votes (Lehigh received the other three) and a total of 79 points in the poll to come in four points ahead of defending league champion Lehigh. Villanova defeated Lehigh, 14-7, in the second round of last year's FCS playoffs.

PATRIOT LEAGUE PRESEASON POLL

Team	First Place Votes	Points
Villanova	7	79
Lehigh	3	75
Richmond		57
William & Mary		57
Lafayette		55
Holy Cross		38
Colgate		36
Fordham		19
Georgetown		19
Bucknell		15

VILLANOVA VERSUS FCS RANKED OPPONENTS

Villanova...	All-Time (since 1985)	Mark Ferrante Era	2026 Season
vs. Top 25	76-83 (.478)	17-14	0-0
vs. No. 1 Team	3-7 (.300)	0-2	0-0
vs. 1-5	20-14 (.588)	4-3	0-0
vs. 1-10	30-36 (.455)	5-8	0-0
vs. 11-15	15-16 (.484)	3-1	0-0
vs. 16-20	15-16 (.484)	5-2	0-0
vs. 21-25	16-16 (.500)	5-3	0-0
VU Ranked	60-54 (.526)	14-13	0-0
VU Unranked	16-30 (.348)	3-2	0-0
Home	47-31 (.603)	9-6	0-0
Away	28-53 (.346)	8-9	0-0
Conference	52-71 (.423)	9-10	0-0
Non-Conference	24-13 (.649)	8-5	0-0

2026 HONORS AND AWARDS

OMARI BURSEY

- Preseason All-Patriot League

JA'BRIEL MACE

- Walter Payton Award Watch List
- Stats Perform Preseason All-American
- East-West Shrine Bowl 1000
- Preseason All-Patriot League

CAPRI MARTIN

- Preseason All-Patriot League

CHRIS MCCULLERS

- Preseason All-Patriot League

BRADEN REED

- Preseason All-Patriot League

CAREER COACHING HONORS

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

ASSISTANT COACH CHRIS BODEN

- RII Sports Technology Graphite Award 2023

*recognizes the most efficient offensive play caller
in each Division I football conference*

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NATIONAL RANKINGS

STATS PERFORM FCS TOP 25				AUG. 31
Rk	Team (1st)	Rec.	Pts.	
1	Montana State (57)	1-0	1,425	
2	South Dakota State	1-0	1,333	
3	Montana	1-0	1,303	
4	Illinois State	1-0	1,228	
5	Tarleton State	1-0	1,163	
6	Rhode Island	1-0	1,070	
7	UC Davis	1-0	1,066	
8	Norh Dakota	1-0	1,004	
9	Youngstown State	1-0	981	
10	Lehigh	1-0	927	
11	South Dakota	1-0	860	
12	Tennessee Tech	1-0	810	
13	Stephen F. Austin	1-0	806	
14	Lamar	1-0	626	
15	Austin Peay	1-0	574	
16	Yale	0-0	415	
17	William & Mary	1-0	408	
18	Villanova	0-1	406	
19	Mercer	1-0	381	
20	Abilene Christian	0-1	247	
22	Northern Arizona	1-0	217	
23	Idaho State	1-0	184	
24	Western Carolina	1-0	165	
25	West Florida	1-0	110	

Receiving Votes: Southern Illinois 99, Harvard 64, Alabama State 64, Central Arkansas 60, Southern Utah 46, UT Rio Grande Valley 32, Houston Christian 28, Cal Poly 27, Delaware State 24, Jackson State 21, Southeast Missouri State 19, Elon 19, Southeastern Louisiana 19, Richmond 18, Monmouth 16, Chattanooga 8, UAlbany 6, Prairie View A&M 4, UT Martin 2

AFCA FCS COACHES POLL				AUG. 31
Rk	Team (1st)	Rec.	Pts.	
1	Montana State (26)	1-0	650	
2	South Dakota State	1-0	604	
3	Montana	1-0	599	
4	Illinois State	1-0	563	
5	Tarleton State	1-0	554	
6	UC Davis	1-0	493	
7	Youngstown State	1-0	466	
8	Rhode Island	1-0	463	
9	North Dakota	1-0	421	
10	Lehigh	1-0	382	
11	Stephen F. Austin	1-0	374	
12	South Dakota	1-0	354	
13	Tennessee Tech	1-0	330	
14	Austin Peay	1-0	284	
15	Mercer	1-0	267	
16	Lamar	1-0	230	
17	Villanova	0-1	185	
18	Yale	0-0	158	
19	William & Mary	1-0	137	
20	Northern Arizona	1-0	120	
21	Abilene Christian	0-1	118	
22	South Carolina State	1-0	87	
23	Richmond	1-0	71	
24	Central Arkansas	1-0	63	
25	Southern Illinois	0-1	57	

Receiving Votes: Western Carolina 47, UT Martin 31, Idaho State 29, Wofford 29, Southeast Missouri State 24, Alabama State 22, Maine 20, Southeastern Louisiana 20, Monmouth 17, Furman 16, Harvard 16, Prairie View A&M 14, Southern Utah 14, Chattanooga 13, UT Rio Grande Valley 13, West Florida 13, Cal Poly 11, Elon 11, Houston Christian 10, UIW 10, Delaware State 9, Dartmouth 8, Idaho 7, Jackson State 7, Campbell 6, East Tennessee State 3

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PRESEASON ALL-PATRIOT LEAGUE

- Villanova had five selections to the Preseason All-Patriot League team in the poll of league head coaches. The selections on offense include running back **Ja'briel Mace**, wide receiver **Braden Reed** and right guard **Chris McCullers**, while the defensive selections are linebacker **Omari Bursey** and defensive end **Capri Martin**.

WALTER PAYTON AWARD WATCH LIST

- Junior running back and kick returner **Ja'briel Mace** is among 30 offensive players nationwide, including three from the Patriot League, who were named to the Walter Payton Award Preseason Watch List on Tuesday morning. The watch list was announced by Stats Perform for the annual award which is presented to the national offensive player of the year in Division I FCS college football. This is the third straight year that Villanova has had a player named to the initial watch list for the Walter Payton Award.

NATIONAL PRESEASON ACCOLADES FOR MACE

- In addition to being named to the Watch List for the Walter Payton Award, running back and kick returner **Ja'briel Mace** was named a Stats Perform Preseason All-American and landed a spot on the 2027 East-West Shrine Bowl 1000. Last season Mace became the second player in Villanova history to average more than 30 yards on kickoff returns over a full season. He had 23 returns for 735 yards and an average of 31.96 yards per return, with both his total return yards and his average return ranking him second among all FCS players. Mace also was the first player in the country last season to return two kick-offs for touchdowns, a feat he accomplished twice in a three-game span with a 100-yard return against William & Mary on September 27 followed two weeks later by a 97-yard return for a score at Elon.

An explosive runner in any role on the field, Mace was the Wildcats leading rusher in a deep corps of running backs last season. He ran for 946 yards and 11 touchdowns while averaging 7.39 yards per carry, including three games with over 100 yards and three with two or more rushing touchdowns. Mace had a historic performance against Towson on November 8 last season when he broke Brian Westbrook's single game record for rushing yards. Mace had 291 yards and scored all four Villanova touchdowns in a 28-10 victory. He followed that performance two weeks later with 165 yards and two scores in the regular season finale against Sacred Heart, then had 151 rushing yards and a touchdown in an FCS playoff quarterfinal win at Tarleton State.

PATRIOT LEAGUE ALL-TIME LEAGUE RECORDS: CURRENT MEMBERS ONLY

Team	Record	Pct.	Titles (Shared-Outright)	Last Title
Lehigh	164-75-1	.685	14 (9-5)	2025
Colgate	142-83-1	.631	10 (6-4)	2018
Holy Cross	130-96	.575	12 (10-2)	2024
Lafayette	118-108-1	.522	8 (4-4)	2023
Fordham	90-122	.425	3 (2-1)	2014
Bucknell	90-138-1	.395	1 (1-0)	1996
Georgetown	33-114	.225	0 (0-0)	—
Richmond	4-4	.500	0 (0-0)	—
William & Mary	1-0	1.000	0 (0-0)	—
Villanova	0-1	.000	0 (0-0)	—

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WEEK 1 NOTEBOOK: VILLANOVA VS. WILLIAM & MARY

PLAYING WITH EXPERIENCE

- The members of this year's Villanova roster begin the season with a combined 997 career games played in college football. There are 12 members of the roster who have appeared in 30 games or more and four who have appeared in exactly 40 games. In the season opener against William & Mary last week, the trio of running back **Julian Glantz**, defensive end **Capri Martin** and quarterback **Pat McQuaide** all played in their 40th career game.

WELCOME TO THE MAIN LINE

- The newcomers to the Villanova roster this season include five transfers who all have previous college football experience. The five incoming transfers include cornerback **Mikey Allen (Southern Utah)**, linebacker **Tyler Cain (Slippery Rock)**, tight end **Brody Eaton (Marist)**, wide receiver **Jake Hilton (Wisconsin-River Falls)** and kicker **Dominic LeBlanc (Tennessee Tech)**. All five players appear on the Wildcats depth chart to begin the season.

DID YOU KNOW?

- Villanova has played 1,232 games in its history and those contests have yielded 670 unique scores. It isn't hard to tell how much the game of football has changed over the years. The most commonly repeated scored in school history is 0-0, which has occurred 22 times. The most common score in which points were actually scored is 7-0 which has happened on 20 occasions (14 Villanova wins, six losses).

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 550 student-athletes. In the classroom, these Villanova student-athletes have registered a grade-point average higher than a 3.3 for 17 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 140 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, Patriot League, Coastal Athletic Association (Rowing) and Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference (Water Polo).

ACADEMICS

The GPA for more than 550 student-athletes in the Spring 2026 semester was a new record of 3.549, making it 17 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 90 percent of all student-athletes compiling a GPA of 3.0 or higher and 75 student-athletes from 19 sports maintaining a perfect 4.0 GPA.

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VILLANOVA'S RECORD...

	2026	Ferrante
Overall	0-1	69-37
Patriot League	0-1	0-1
Non-Conference	0-0	26-11
Home	0-1	38-14
Road	0-0	31-23
Neutral	0-0	0-0
Current Streak	L1	L2
Home Streak	L1	L2
Road Streak	-	W5

Day Games	0-0	54-31
Night Games	0-1	15-6
March	0-0	1-1
April	0-0	1-1
August	0-1	2-1
September	0-0	23-12
October	0-0	17-10
November	0-0	21-8
December	0-0	4-4
Ranked Teams	0-0	18-16
Unranked Teams	0-1	50-21
Overtime	0-0	2-2

After 1st Quarter

Leading	0-0	49-8
Trailing	0-0	11-19
Tied	0-1	9-10

Halftime

Leading	1-0	55-6
Trailing	0-0	10-28
Tied	0-0	4-3

After 3rd Quarter

Leading	0-0	58-5
Trailing	0-1	8-29
Tied	0-0	3-3

Scoring

Scoring First	0-1	52-11
Opp. Scores First	0-0	17-26
Scoring 0-9	0-0	0-9
Scoring 10-19	0-0	6-14
Scoring 20-29	0-0	18-6
Scoring 30-39	0-1	25-6
Scoring 40+	0-0	20-2
Allowing 0-9	0-0	20-0
Allowing 10-19	0-0	28-5
Allowing 20-29	0-0	17-9
Allowing 30-39	0-1	3-13
Allowing 40+	0-0	1-10

Game Decided By

0-9 Points	0-1	24-15
10-19 Points	0-0	12-10
20+ Points	0-0	33-12

Statistics

Outgain opp.	0-1	60-7
Outgained by opp.	0-0	9-30
VU 100-yard rusher	0-0	32-5
VU 100-yard receiver	0-1	28-12
VU 300-yard passer	0-0	5-5
Opp. 100-yard rusher	0-0	8-17
Opp. 100-yard receiver	0-0	14-14
Opp. 300-yard passer	0-0	6-10

Turnovers

No turnovers	0-0	28-5
1-2 turnovers	0-0	35-23
3+ turnovers	0-1	6-9
No takeaways	0-0	8-11
1-2 takeaways	0-1	42-24
3+ takeaways	0-0	19-2
Win turnover margin	0-0	42-6
Lose turnover margin	0-1	10-22
Turnovers tied	0-0	17-9

STATISTICAL RANKINGS

Team Stats	PL	FCS	Stat
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Offense

Sacks Allowed/Game	1	1	0.0
3rd Down Pct.	2	28	50.0%
Passing Offense	2	32	270.0
Total Offense	2	42	427.0
Scoring Offense	4	46	32.0
First Downs	4	53	20
Rushing Offense	4	54	157.0
Red Zone Offense	4	68	75.0%
Passing Efficiency	4	76	123.27
4th Down Pct.	5	68	0.0%

Defense

Opp. 4th Down Pct.	1	1	0.0%
Team Sacks/Game	2	13	3.0
Rushing Defense	4	50	130.0
Total Defense	4	69	393.0
Red Zone Defense	6	63	100.0%
First Downs Allowed	6	71	21
Passing Defense	6	73	263.0
Opp. 3rd Down Pct.	6	83	50.0%
Scoring Defense	6	84	35.0
Def. Passing Efficiency	7	61	129.7

Special Teams

PAT Percentage	1	N/A	100.0%
Field Goal Pct.	1	N/A	100.0%
Punt Return Defense	1	10	0.0
Punt Returns	4	44	5.0
Kickoff Returns	4	92	11.0
Net Punting	7	76	34.33
Kickoff Ret. Def.	7	78	21.75

Miscellaneous

Turnovers Gained	4	42	1
Turnover Margin	6	103	-3
Time of Possession	7	77	28.01
Penalty Yards/Game	7	104	107.0
Turnovers Lost	8	105	4
Penalties/Game	8	109	15.0

N/A denotes team stat not kept in national stats

Player Stats*	PL	FCS	Stat
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Omari Bursey

Tackles For Loss	1	2	4.0
Total Tackles	1	4	15
Solo Tackles	1	5	8

Jake Hilton

Receiving Yards	1	15	132
Yards/Reception	1	16	33.0

Dominic LeBlanc

Field Goal Percentage	1	1	100.0%
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Pat McQuaide

Yards/Completion	1	19	15.88
Yards/Attempt	1	26	9.0

Jamie Tyson

Forced Fumbles	1	1	1.0
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** Players who lead the Patriot League in any major statistical category*

WILDCATS IN THE NFL

CURRENT NFL ROSTERS

Christian Benford, Bills

ALL-TIME NFL DRAFT PICKS

Year.....Name.....RdTeam

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 Romanik	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

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COMPLETE STUDENT-ATHLETES

ACADEMIC HIGHLIGHTS

NCAA ACADEMIC DATA

■ Villanova had a multi-year Academic Progress Rate (APR) score of 986 in the latest data released by the NCAA in May 2026. This score is 27 points above the national average for FCS programs.

■ New data on the NCAA Graduation Success Rate (GSR) was released in November 2025 and Villanova recorded its fifth straight year with a score of 95 percent or higher.

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.

CHI ALPHA SIGMA HONOR SOCIETY

■ Villanova is the Pennsylvania Alpha Delta Chapter of Chi Alpha Sigma, a national nonprofit academic honor society for collegiate student-athletes. The criteria for induction requires that a student-athlete be a junior or senior academically and have achieved a minimum cumulative grade point average of a 3.5. The football team had 17 honorees in the 2025-2026 induction class.

NFF HAMPSHIRE HONOR SOCIETY

■ The NFF Hampshire Honor Society is chosen annually and comprised of college football players from all divisions who each maintained a cumulative 3.2 GPA or better throughout their college careers. Members of the NFF Hampshire Honor Society are nominated by their respective schools and must have attained a 3.2 GPA or higher, have been a starter or contributor throughout the most recent season, and must be a senior, graduate student or grad transfer who competed in the most recent season.

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 20 years of the Academic All-Area program, which started with the 2005-06 academic year, the football team has had a total of 68 selections to the Academic All-Area Team. In addition, the Wildcats have had six Performers of the Year.

NCAA PUBLIC RECOGNITION AWARD

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

NCAA POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

■ David Graziano	1977
■ Rich Spugnardi	1989

NCAA ELITE 90 AWARD

■ Will Thompson	2009
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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

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
■ Brendan Bell	2024-25

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR'S HONOR ROLL

Selections by Semester

■ Fall 2016	32
■ Spring 2017	31
■ Fall 2017	35
■ Spring 2018	25
■ Fall 2018	30
■ Spring 2019	31
■ Fall 2019	37
■ Spring 2020	51
■ Fall 2020	37
■ Spring 2021	42
■ Fall 2021	36
■ Spring 2022	37
■ Fall 2022	51
■ Spring 2023	53
■ Fall 2023	41
■ Spring 2024	49
■ Fall 2024	53
■ Spring 2025	50
■ Fall 2025	61
■ Spring 2026	55

CAA ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARD

■ Villanova	2016-17
■ Villanova	2017-18
■ Villanova	2022-23
■ Villanova	2023-24
■ Villanova	2024-25

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

2025-26 ACADEMIC HONORS

CHI ALPHA SIGMA HONOR SOCIETY

■ Michael Benincasa	2025-2026
■ Chris Dobrydney	2025-2026
■ Julian Glantz	2025-2026
■ Nate Hill	2025-2026
■ Turner Inge	2025-2026
■ Colin Kennedy	2025-2026
■ Ryan Kennedy	2025-2026
■ Tyler Langin	2025-2026
■ Dale Law	2025-2026
■ Dan McManus	2025-2026
■ Daniel Mueller	2025-2026
■ Josh Oluremi	2025-2026
■ Eli Smith	2025-2026
■ Sebastian Smith	2025-2026
■ Ryan Sorge	2025-2026
■ JR Strauss	2025-2026
■ Jullian Williams	2025-2026

NFF HAMPSHIRE HONOR SOCIETY

■ Jordan Adderley
■ Temi Ajitrotutu
■ Jack Barnum
■ Luke Colella
■ Chris Dobrydney
■ Shane Hartzell
■ Ayden Howard
■ Richie Kimmel
■ Lucas Kopecky
■ Luke Larsen
■ Dale Law
■ Pat McQuaide
■ Kaleb Moody
■ Jake Picard
■ Julian Talley
■ Quin Whalen

ACADEMIC ALL-AREA SELECTIONS

■ Temi Ajitrotutu
■ Luke Colella
■ Shane Hartzell
■ Pat McQuaide

CAA FOOTBALL COMMISSIONER'S

ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL SELECTIONS

■ Fall 2025	70
■ Spring 2026	65

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VILLANOVA HEAD COACH MARK FERRANTE



It is a milestone year for Mark Ferrante in 2026 as he heads into his 10th season as the Thomas and Diane Treacy Endowed Football Head Coach and his 40th year overall with the Villanova football program. His four decades with the Wildcats include his time as head coach and 30 years as an assistant from 1987-2016, the last 18 of which were as assistant head coach on Andy Talley's staff. Ferrante has been a part of 286 victories and all 17 of the program's FCS playoff appearances during his Villanova tenure. He enters the 2026 season with a career head coaching record of 69-36 (.657) which includes five playoff appearances and two conference titles.

Villanova itself embarks on a transformational season in 2026 in its first year as an associate member of the Patriot League in football. A preseason poll of league head coaches predicted the Wildcats to finish atop the competitive conference standings as the Patriot League grows to 10 football members for the first time in its history.

The match between Villanova and the Patriot League is an excellent one both on and off the field and comes as Ferrante has consistently positioned the Wildcats as one of the top FCS programs in the country. Villanova begins the 2026 season as one just two FCS programs to have won 10+ games in at least four of the last five seasons. During that span (2021-25) the Wildcats have made four playoff appearances, including last year's incredible run to the semifinal round for only the fourth time ever. Villanova's overall record over the past five seasons is 48-18 (.727), including a 29-4 mark defending its home turf in Villanova Stadium.

Ferrante ranks second in school history in head coaching wins, while his .657 career winning percentage trails only Harry Stuhldreher (1925-35) and Clipper Smith (1936-42) among Wildcats head coaches who have held the position for three or more seasons. He passed Stuhldreher for second on the career wins list when Villanova defeated Sacred Heart in last year's regular season finale.

One of many highlights of the 2025 season was an 11-game winning streak which tied the second longest in program history. The streak began on September 27 with a victory over William & Mary and continued through the quarterfinal round of the playoffs when Villanova tallied a win at Tarleton State to advance to the FCS semifinals. During their playoff run the Wildcats knocked off three straight top 15 teams, including consecutive road victories over No. 4 Lehigh and No. 5 Tarleton State. It marked the first time since the 2010 playoffs that Villanova defeated top five foes in consecutive weeks away from home.

Villanova finished the 2025 season ranked No. 4 in the final Stats Perform FCS Top 25 and is at No. 8 in the 2026 preseason poll. The Wildcats have been ranked for 38 consecutive weeks since the middle of the 2023 season and have the fourth-longest active streak in the poll.

There was plenty of national and conference recognition to go around for the Wildcats last year. The team's accolades included offensive lineman Temi Ajiro-tutu and kick returner Ja'briel Mace each being named first team All-Americans. Villanova had a total of five Stats Perform All-America selections, including the pair of first team honors to go along with a third team pick in linebacker Shane Hartzell and a pair of freshman All-America honorees in punt returner Braden Reed and safety Anthony Hawkins. Mace was named the CAA Football Special Teams Player of the Year and the Wildcats had 13 total all-conference selections for the first time since 2010.

One of the themes 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 2025 team had combined to play in more than 1,900 college football games by the end of the season. 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 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	10-4	6-2
2025	Villanova	12-3	7-1
2026	Villanova	0-1	0-1
Total	9 Seasons	69-37	43-26

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	4-0	2025 (W, 24-17)
Delaware	7-1	2024 (W, 38-28)
Eastern Kentucky	1-0	2024 (W, 22-17)
Elon	3-1	2025 (W, 29-21)
Fordham	0-0	2026
Georgetown	0-0	2026
Hampton	3-0	2025 (W, 56-14)
Harvard	1-0	2025 (W, 52-7)
Holy Cross	1-0	2021 (W, 21-16)
Illinois State	0-1	2025 (L, 14-30)
James Madison	1-3	2021 (W, 28-27)
Lafayette	1-0	2017 (W, 59-0)
Lehigh	7-0	2025 (W, 14-7)
LIU	3-0	2024 (W, 24-10)
Louisville	0-0	2026
Maine	4-2	2024 (L, 7-35)
Maryland	0-1	2024 (L, 20-38)
Monmouth	0-3	2025 (L, 33-51)
Morgan State	0-0	2026
New Hampshire	3-2	2025 (W, 37-7)
North Carolina A&T	2-0	2024 (W, 31-3)
Penn State	0-2	2025 (L, 6-52)
Rhode Island	2-2	2023 (W, 35-9)
Richmond	3-2	2022 (L, 10-20)
Sacred Heart	1-0	2025 (W, 34-10)
South Dakota State	0-2	2023 (L, 12-23)
Southeastern Louisiana	0-1	2019 (L, 44-45)
Stony Brook	5-2	2025 (W, 30-27, ot)
Tarleton State	1-0	2025 (W, 26-21)
Temple	1-1	2018 (W, 19-17)
Towson	5-2	2025 (W, 28-10)
UAlbany	3-2	2025 (W, 29-16)
UCF	0-1	2023 (L, 14-48)
UIW	0-1	2024 (—)
William & Mary	2-4	2026 (L, 32-35)
Youngstown State	2-0	2024 (W, 24-17)

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MARK FERRANTE / VILLANOVA COACHING STAFF

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 nine years as head coach, the Wildcats have been the winner of the CAA Football Team Academic Excellence Award five 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 in each of the last four years spanning the 2022-23 through 2025-26 academic years.

The football program set and tied its highest overall NCAA Graduation Success Rate (GSR) with a mark of 96 percent in both 2022 and 2023, while the team has had a mark of at least 95 percent in five consecutive years.

During the 2025-26 academic year, the Wildcats had 70 student-athletes selected to the CAA Football Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll during the Fall semester and another 65 honorees for the Spring 2026 grading period. There were 15 student-athletes who had a perfect 4.0 GPA in one of the two semesters, while Villanova had a total of 31 selections to the CAA High Honors (3.7+ GPA) and High Honors with Distinction (4.0 GPA) lists for the Spring semester.

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 17 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 was 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.

The characteristics that earned Ferrante the Assistant Coach of the Year award exemplify his dedication to all facets of a complete student-athlete experience. Since he arrived on the Main Line prior to the 1987 season, Villanova Football student-athletes have been named Academic All-Americans on 12 occasions.

That honor is one of the top accolades a collegiate student-athlete can earn, and the Wildcats additionally had four student-athletes be named the CAA Football Scholar-Athlete of the Year in a span of nine years. 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 earned this award nine times in the first 14 years of the APR program.

Ferrante was involved in all aspects of the Villanova program during his time as an assistant on Andy Talley's staff. On the field he coached the offensive line for 27 seasons and developed a unit that was perennially one of the best in CAA Football. Over the years he coached three All-Americans, 11 All-East performers and 15 first team all-conference selections. The offensive line had 17 All-CAA selections in a nine-year span, including three-time first team honoree Ben Ijalana along with first team selections Brant Clouser (2010), Dan Shirey (2011) and Vince Kowalski (2014).

Two of Ferrante's players went on to be selected in the NFL Draft. Ijalana was a second round selection by the Indianapolis Colts in 2011 and Brad Seaton was picked in the seventh round by the Tennessee Titans in 2017. Ijalana was a two-time All-American (2009, 2010) and a three-time first team All-CAA selection during his collegiate career. Villanova reached the FCS playoffs in each of his last three seasons on the team, winning the 2009 national title and advancing to the semifinal round a year later. Seaton was a second team CAA Football All-Conference selection in 2016 when the offensive line enabled the Wildcats to average 206.3 rushing yards and 378.7 yards of total offense per game. Villanova ranked third in the CAA and 24th nationally in rushing offense in addition to ranking fourth in the league in total offense and fifth with a scoring average of 24.4 points per game.

Following the end of his playing career Ferrante joined Talley's staff at St. Lawrence and spent one season as the running backs coach in 1983. His other coaching stops before Villanova include coaching the running backs at Wagner (1984) and working on the coaching staff at Lafayette (1985-86).

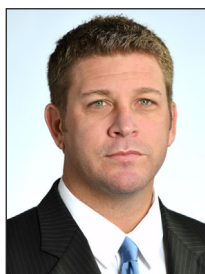
Ferrante and his wife, Georgea, reside in Phoenixville, Pa. The couple has a son, Jimmy, who earned his undergraduate degree from Villanova in 2018.



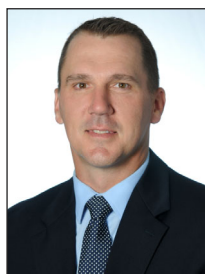
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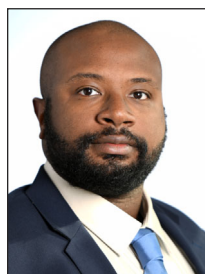
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Tyler Waite
Athletic Trainer



Mike Tucker
Strength & Conditioning

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown
0	Capri Martin	DL	Sr.	6-2	255	Harlem, N.Y.
1	Newton Essiem	DB	Jr.	5-11	185	Frederick, Md.
2	Kenyon Miles	WR	Sr.	6-2	195	Huntington Station, N.Y.
3	Josh Oluremi	DB	Sr.	6-3	200	Avenel, N.J.
3	Robert Russo	QB	Sr.	6-3	225	Millsboro, Del.
4	Ja'briel Mace	RB	Jr.	5-9	175	Somers Point, N.J.
5	Jake Hilton	WR	Jr.	6-5	205	Prescott, Ariz.
5	Turner Inge	LB	Sr.	6-1	225	Williamstown, N.J.
6	Mikey Allen	DB	Jr.	6-0	185	Cumberland, Md.
7	Pat McQuaide	QB	Gr.	6-0	205	Solon, Ohio
8	Michael Benincasa	QB	Sr.	6-2	215	Ardmore, Pa.
8	Omari Bursey	LB	So.	6-0	230	Broomfield, Colo.
9	Ivan Murray Jr.	DL	Jr.	6-3	275	Paulsboro, N.J.
9	John Zohlman	WR	Jr.	6-3	215	Moorestown, N.J.
10	JR Strauss	LB	Sr.	6-3	230	Reading, Pa.
11	Tyler Cain	LB	Jr.	6-2	220	Beaver Falls, Pa.
12	Hudson Heinemann	QB	So.	6-2	170	Wappingers Falls, N.Y.
13	Chris Colby	WR	Jr.	6-3	205	Rowley, Mass.
14	Dylan Mills	QB	Jr.	6-2	205	Dana Point, Calif.
15	Christian Caballero	LB	Jr.	6-2	225	Niceville, Fla.
16	John Welde	QB	Fr.	6-3	205	Havertown, Pa.
17	Nolan DiLucia	QB	Fr.	6-2	195	Venetia, Pa.
18	Julian Glantz	RB	5th	6-1	220	Scarsdale, N.Y.
19	Nolan Clayton	TE	Jr.	6-5	245	King of Prussia, Pa.
20	Isaiah Ragland	RB	Jr.	5-9	205	Alexandria, Va.
21	Jayvont Williams	DB	Jr.	6-1	205	Fort Worth, Texas
22	Jordan Taylor	DB	Fr.	6-0	175	Waldorf, Md.
23	Jamie Tyson	DB	So.	6-2	200	Somers Point, N.J.
24	Luis Martinez	DB	Fr.	5-10	190	Allentown, Pa.
25	Amari Jackson	DB	R-Fr.	6-0	185	Midland, Pa.
26	Jonah Glenn	RB	Fr.	5-11	190	Barneгат, N.J.
27	Abu Fofana	DB	Fr.	6-2	180	Burlington, N.J.
28	Brenden Toppin	DB	R-Fr.	5-11	195	Glastonbury, Conn.
29	Samir Wilkins	DB	R-Fr.	5-11	170	Newark, N.J.
30	Jasiah Brown	WR	Fr.	5-10	170	Morristown, N.J.
31	Isaiah Selby	DB	Fr.	6-0	175	Teaneck, N.J.
32	Brian Falk	RB	Fr.	6-1	185	Seaford, N.Y.
33	Ian Files	DB	So.	6-0	190	Newtown Square, Pa.
34	Tyler Womack	RB	R-Fr.	5-10	190	Pasadena, Md.
35	Langston White	LB	So.	6-2	215	Bristow, Va.
36	Brandon Way Jr.	RB	Fr.	5-9	190	Lancaster, Pa.
37	Josiah Adams	DB	Fr.	6-0	165	Upper Darby, Pa.
38	Jack DeMenna	DB	Fr.	5-9	185	Waldwick, N.J.
39	Luke Myers	PK	So.	5-10	195	Breinigsville, Pa.
40	Greeley McAden	WR	Fr.	5-10	180	Collinsville, Texas
41	Garrett Rogan	DB	5th	6-3	210	Mercer Island, Wash.
42	Hattan French	WR	Fr.	6-0	190	Fort Worth, Texas

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown
43	Donovan Linthicum	LB	Fr.	5-10	215	Millville, N.J.
44	Walker Murray	LB	R-Fr.	6-1	225	Yardley, Pa.
45	Colin Gurley	LB	Fr.	6-2	230	York, Pa.
46	Dominic LeBlanc	PK	So.	6-0	170	Dawsonville, Ga.
47	Dylan Laganelli	TE	Fr.	6-4	215	West Grove, Pa.
48	Faust Capobianco V	LB	Fr.	6-0	210	Easton, Pa.
49	Michael Venezia	P	Fr.	6-0	175	Phoenixville, Pa.
50	AJ Koukou	DL	So.	6-1	285	Havertown, Pa.
51	Dale Law	LB	5th	6-1	230	West Chester, Pa.
52	Jake Kissell	LB	Fr.	6-2	220	Altoona, Pa.
53	Michael Gaul	LB	R-Fr.	6-1	215	State College, Pa.
54	Thomas Colello	LS	Jr.	5-11	205	North Caldwell, N.J.
55	Jackson Kraemer	DL	Fr.	6-2	295	Pittsburgh, Pa.
58	Thomas Brown	OL	R-Fr.	6-3	315	Chelmsford, Mass.
62	RJ Reyes	OL	Jr.	6-5	295	Weston, Fla.
63	Quin Whalen	OL	5th	6-4	290	Chalfont, Pa.
66	Joey Tenaglia	OL	So.	6-2	280	Linwood, N.J.
67	Kyle Fay	OL	Jr.	6-6	310	Cranford, N.J.
68	Jack Gillespie	OL	Fr.	6-1	305	West Chester, Pa.
70	Dhamir Wesley	OL	So.	6-5	300	Millersville, Pa.
71	Will Palmer	OL	Fr.	6-3	275	Cheshire, Conn.
72	Matthias Ogrinc	OL	So.	6-4	270	Hingham, Mass.
75	Patrick Degnan	OL	Fr.	6-4	300	Tabernacle, N.J.
76	Chris McCullers	OL	Jr.	6-3	310	Round Hill, Va.
77	Chris Therien	OL	R-Fr.	6-5	280	Marlton, N.J.
78	Tommy Broderick	OL	Jr.	6-5	310	Alpharetta, Ga.
79	Ryan Cregan	OL	Jr.	6-6	315	Morristown, N.J.
80	Andrew Esposito	WR	Fr.	6-3	185	New Canaan, Conn.
81	Brandon Binkowski	WR	So.	6-3	205	Haymarket, Va.
82	Ryan Kennedy	WR	Sr.	6-1	195	Cleveland Heights, Ohio
83	Braden Reed	WR	So.	5-9	180	Pottstown, Pa.
84	Ralee Stephens	WR	So.	5-9	165	Asbury, N.J.
85	Jullian Williams	WR	Sr.	5-9	195	Conshohocken, Pa.
86	Sean Brodnik	TE	So.	6-3	245	Ardmore, Pa.
87	Ryan Sorge	WR	Sr.	6-3	205	Warrington, Pa.
88	Brody Eaton	TE	So.	6-4	260	Malvern, Pa.
89	Sean Welde	TE	So.	6-6	260	Cherry Hill, N.J.
90	Drake Dawson	DL	Fr.	6-2	250	Mechanicsburg, Pa.
91	Thomas Coates	DL	Fr.	6-0	295	Frederick, Md.
92	Nigel McSween	DL	Jr.	6-4	250	Newark, N.J.
93	Nate Sullivan	DL	R-Fr.	6-4	245	Bethesda, Md.
95	Tyler Langin	DL	Sr.	6-3	265	Houston, Texas
96	Ugo Nwotite	DL	So.	6-5	230	Linwood, N.J.
97	Ryan Reavy	PK/P	Fr.	6-2	205	Collegeville, Pa.
98	Brody Kuszyk	DL	Fr.	6-3	240	Greenville, N.C.
99	Ratu Delano Navoti	DL	So.	6-3	290	Brooklyn, N.Y.

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

0	Capri Martin	ka-pree
1	Newton Essiem	ess-ee-em
3	Josh Oluremi	O-you-rem-ee
4	Ja'briel Mace	ja-breel
8	Omari Bursey	bur-see
15	Christian Caballero	cob-a-yare-oh
16	John Welde	well-D
17	Nolan DiLucia	da-loo-shuh
27	Abu Fofana	ah-boo fo-fon-uh
32	Brian Falk	fawk
41	Garrett Rogan	roe-gin
50	AJ Koukou	koo-koo
53	Michael Gaul	gall (rhymes with mall)

54	Thomas Colello	co-lell-o
63	Quin Whalen	quinn whale-inn
72	Mathias Ogrinc	O-grince
75	Patrick Degnan	
77	Chris Therien	tare-ee-in
79	Ryan Cregan	cree-ginn
84	Ralee Stephens	rally
85	Jullian Williams	julian
87	Ryan Sorge	sorj (rhymes with george)
89	Sean Welde	well-D
96	Ugo Nwotite	ooh-go wo-tee-tay
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	7	Pat McQuaide	Gr.	6-0	205	Solon, Ohio	
	17	Nolan DiLucia	Fr.	6-2	195	Venetia, Pa.	
(or)	3	Robert Russo	Sr.	6-3	225	Millsboro, Del.	
RB	20	Isaiah Ragland	Jr.	5-9	205	Alexandria, Va.	
(or)	4	Ja'briel Mace	Jr.	5-9	175	Somers Point, N.J.	ja-breel
WR	13	Chris Colby	Jr.	6-3	205	Rowley, Mass.	
	5	Jake Hilton	Jr.	6-5	205	Prescott, Ariz.	
WR	81	Brandon Binkowski	So.	6-3	205	Haymarket, Va.	
	80	Andrew Esposito	Fr.	6-3	185	New Canaan, Conn.	
WR	83	Braden Reed	So.	5-9	180	Pottstown, Pa.	
	84	Ralee Stephens	So.	5-9	165	Asbury, N.J.	rally
TE	19	Nolan Clayton	Jr.	6-5	245	King of Prussia, Pa.	
	88	Brody Eaton	So.	6-4	260	Malvern, Pa.	
LT	67	Kyle Fay	Jr.	6-6	310	Cranford, N.J.	
	70	Dhamir Wesley	So.	6-5	300	Millersville, Pa.	
LG	78	Tommy Broderick	Jr.	6-5	310	Alpharetta, Ga.	
	58	Thomas Brown	R-Fr	6-3	315	Chelmsford, Mass.	
C	63	Quin Whalen	5th	6-4	290	Chalfont, Pa.	quinn whale-inn
	78	Tommy Broderick	Jr.	6-5	310	Alpharetta, Ga.	
RG	76	Chris McCullers	Jr.	6-3	310	Round Hill, Va.	
	72	Matthias Ogrinc	So.	6-4	270	Hingham, Mass.	O-grince
RT	79	Ryan Cregan	Jr.	6-6	315	Morristown, N.J.	cree-ginn

DEFENSIVE DEPTH CHART

Pos.	No.	Name	Elig.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown	Pronunciation
DE	92	Nigel McSween	Jr.	6-4	250	Newark, N.J.	
	50	AJ Koukou	So.	6-1	285	Havertown, Pa.	
DT	99	Ratu Delano Navoti	So.	6-3	290	Brooklyn, N.Y.	
	9	Ivan Murray Jr.	Jr.	6-3	275	Paulsboro, N.J.	
DE	0	Capri Martin	Sr.	6-2	255	Harlem, N.Y.	ka-pree
	96	Ugo Nwotite	So.	6-5	230	Linwood, N.J.	ooh-go wo-tee-tay
LB	11	Tyler Cain	Jr.	6-2	220	Beaver Falls, Pa.	
	45	Colin Gurley	Fr.	6-2	230	York, Pa.	
LB	15	Christian Caballero	Jr.	6-2	225	Niceville, Fla.	cob-a-yare-oh
	41	Garrett Rogan	5th	6-3	210	Mercer Island, Wash.	roe-gin
LB	8	Omari Bursey	So.	6-0	230	Broomfield, Colo.	
	51	Dale Law	5th	6-1	230	West Chester, Pa.	
CB	6	Mikey Allen	Jr.	6-0	185	Cumberland, Md.	
	25	Amari Jackson	R-Fr.	6-0	185	Midland, Pa.	
CB	1	Newton Essiem	Jr.	5-11	185	Frederick, Md.	ess-ee-em
	22	Jordan Taylor	Fr.	6-0	175	Waldorf, Md.	
FS	28	Brenden Toppin	R-Fr.	5-11	195	Glastonbury, Conn.	
	6	Mikey Allen	Jr.	6-0	185	Cumberland, Md.	
WS	21	Jayvont Williams	Jr.	6-1	205	Fort Worth, Texas	
	3	Josh Oluremi	Sr.	6-3	200	Avenel, N.J.	O-you-rem-ee
SS	23	Jamie Tyson	So.	6-2	200	Somers Point, N.J.	
	3	Josh Oluremi	Sr.	6-3	200	Avenel, N.J.	O-you-rem-ee

SPECIAL TEAMS DEPTH CHART

PK	46	Dominic LeBlanc	So.	6-0	170	Dawsonville, Ga.	
	39	Luke Myers	So.	5-10	195	Breinigsville, Pa.	
KO	46	Dominic LeBlanc	So.	6-0	170	Dawsonville, Ga.	
	39	Luke Myers	So.	5-10	195	Breinigsville, Pa.	
P	49	Michael Venezia	Fr.	6-0	175	Phoenixville, Pa.	
	7	Pat McQuaide	Gr.	6-0	190	Solon, Ohio	
H	17	Nolan DiLucia	Fr.	6-2	195	Venetia, Pa.	
	54	Thomas Colello	Jr.	5-11	205	North Caldwell, N.J.	co-lell-o
LS	66	Joey Tenaglia	So.	6-2	280	Linwood, N.J.	
	4	Ja'briel Mace	Jr.	5-9	175	Somers Point, N.J.	ja-breel
KR	20	Isaiah Ragland	Jr.	5-9	205	Alexandria, Va.	
	83	Braden Reed	So.	5-9	180	Pottstown, Pa.	
PR	6	Mikey Allen	Jr.	6-0	185	Cumberland, Md.	

CAREER PARTICIPATION

#	Name	Games Played
0	Capri Martin, DL	40
1	Newton Essiem, DB	24
2	Kenyon Miles, WR	20
3	Josh Oluremi, DB	27
3	Robert Russo, QB	0
4	Ja'briel Mace, RB	33
5	Jake Hilton, WR	26
5	Turner, Inge, LB	40
6	Mikey Allen, DB	23
7	Pat McQuaide, B	40
8	Michael Benincasa, QB	2
8	Omari Bursey, LB	22
9	Ivan Murray Jr., DL	23
9	John Zohlman, WR	0
10	JR Strauss, LB	30
11	Tyler Cain, LB	17
12	Hudson Heinemann, QB	0
13	Chris Colby, WR	26
14	Dylan Mills, QB	1
15	Christian Caballero, LB	28
16	John Welde, QB	0
17	Nolan DiLucia, QB	0
18	Julian Glantz, RB	40
19	Nolan Clayton, TE	27
20	Isaiah Ragland, RB	32
21	Jayvont Williams, DB	31
22	Jordan Taylor, DB	1
23	Jamie Tyson, DB	19
24	Luis Martinez, DB	1
25	Amari Jackson, DB	5
26	Jonah Glenn, RB	0
27	Abu Fofana, DB	0
28	Brenden Toppin, DB	8
29	Samir Wilkins, DB	1
30	Jasiah Brown, WR	0
31	Isaiah Selby, DB	0
32	Brian Falk, RB	0
33	Ian Files, DB	1
34	Tyler Womack, RB	2
35	Langston White, LB	2
36	Brandon Way Jr., RB	0
37	Josiah Adams, DB	0
38	Jack DeMenna, DB	0
39	Luke Myers, PK	2
40	Greeley McAden, WR	0
41	Garrett Rogan, DB	30
42	Hattan French, WR	0
43	Donovan Linthicum, LB	0
44	Walker Murray, LB	0
45	Colin Gurley, LB	1
46	Dominic LeBlanc, PK	26
47	Dylan Laganelli, TE	0
48	Faust Capobianco V, LB	0
49	Michael Venezia, P	0
50	AJ Koukou, DL	14
51	Dale Law, LB	18
52	Jake Kissell, LB	0
53	Michael Gaul, LB	2
54	Thomas Colello, LS	16
55	Jackson Kraemer, DL	0
58	Thomas Brown, OL	2
62	RJ Reyes, OL	3
63	Quin Whalen, OL	30
66	Joey Tenaglia, OL	0
67	Kyle Fay, OL	32
68	Jack Gillespie, OL	0
70	Dhamir Wesley, OL	4
71	Will Palmer, OL	0
72	Matthias Ogrinc, OL	1
75	Patrick Degnan, OL	0
76	Chris McCullers, OL	34
77	Chris Therien, OL	2
78	Tommy Broderick, OL	23
79	Ryan Cregan, OL	25
80	Andrew Esposito, WR	1
81	Brandon Binkowski, WR	16
82	Ryan Kennedy, WR	1
83	Braden Reed, WR	16
84	Ralee Stephens, WR	7
85	Jullian Williams, WR	0
86	Sean Brodnik, TE	14
87	Ryan Sorge, WR	1
88	Brody Eaton, TE	13
89	Sean Welde, TE	12
90	Drake Dawson, DL	0
91	Thomas COates, DL	0
92	Nigel McSween, DL	20
93	Nate Sullivan, DL	3
95	Tyler Langin, DL	3
96	Ugo Nwotite, DL	18
97	Ryan Reavy, PK/P	0
98	Brody Kuszyk, DL	0
99	Ratu Delano Navoti, DL	15

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

BUCKNELL OFFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.
WR	84	Sam Milligan	Sr.	6-3	220
	80	Matthew Giannantonio	Fr.	6-1	192
LT	75	Andrew Nicholson	So.	6-6	280
	78	Kyle Lucas	Fr.	6-4	285
LG	56	Mark Mulhern	Sr.	6-6	331
	58	Charlie Smith	So.	6-1	285
C	54	Jake Kiernan	Jr.	6-1	270
	53	Tim Andersen	Sr.	6-2	295
RG	77	Danny Aselton	Fr.	6-4	285
	71	Sean Molley	Fr.	6-2	285
RT	74	Reuben Logan	Jr.	6-3	271
	78	Kyle Lucas	Fr.	6-4	285
TE	81	Jack Bohm-Squicciarini	So.	6-4	234
	85	Tommy Arth	Fr.	6-3	200
WR	21	TJ Cadden	Sr.	6-0	195
	6	Jerry Harrison	Fr.	5-11	178
WR	16	Owen Garwood	Sr.	6-2	193
	13	JJ Gomez	So.	5-8	170
RB	5	Ty Stauffer	Jr.	5-10	202
	26	Michael Cadden	Jr.	5-10	190
QB	4	Chris Dietrich	So.	6-4	210
	7	Emmett Dowling	Fr.	6-0	185

BUCKNELL SPECIALISTS

Pos.	No.	Name	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.
P	45	Cooper Bolton	So.	6-3	170
	17	Juan Garanton	Jr.	5-11	170
K	17	Juan Garanton	Jr.	5-11	170
	45	Cooper Bolton	So.	6-3	170
LS	97	Peter Lagemann	So.	6-4	260
	58	Charlie Smith	So.	6-1	285
H	16	Owen Garwood	Sr.	6-2	193
	13	JJ Gomez	So.	5-8	170
PR	21	TJ Cadden	Sr.	6-0	195
	13	JJ Gomez	So.	5-8	170
KR	21	TJ Cadden	Sr.	6-0	195
	83	Kaleb Lampkins	So.	5-9	175

BUCKNELL DEFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.
T	92	Jason Morbitzer	So.	5-11	295
	97	Peter Lageman	So.	6-4	260
N	73	Calogero LoGrasso	Sr.	6-2	315
	99	Thomas Gerke	So.	6-2	285
DE	12	Jack Inserra	Sr.	6-2	235
	35	Charlie Meehlieb	Jr.	6-4	232
A	10	Brandon Biagerelli	Jr.	6-3	226
	91	Kato Meissner	So.	6-2	240
MLB	23	Nick Hoying	Sr.	6-0	207
	31	Michael Bartasius	Fr.	6-2	200
WLB	22	Logan Busson	So.	6-2	215
	46	Shane Hulmes	Fr.	6-1	215
S	0	Ayden Murray	Jr.	5-11	185
	4	Deuce Geter	Sr.	6-1	214
S	37	Zachary Corna	So.	6-0	195
	38	Brad Gerken	Sr.	5-11	210
S	14	Lucas Rost	Fr.	6-4	255
	34	Darius Day	Jr.	5-11	185
CB	2	Takai Whitmore	Sr.	5-11	180
	29	Gavin Reese	Fr.	5-11	175
CB	3	Colton Davis	Fr.	5-10	170
	26	Langston Blair	Fr.	5-10	175

BUCKNELL COACHING STAFF

Jeff Behrman	Anthony Trotta
Head Coach	Defensive Line
Travis James	McNeil Parker
Offensive Coordinator	Safeties
Jeffrey Long Jr.	Jason Nelson
Defensive Coordinator	Cornerbacks
Rex Rover	Tyler Hughes
Recruiting Coordinator	Director of Football Operations & Video Operations
Wide Receivers	Rourke Kennedy
Mac Austin	Quality Control
Tight Ends	Seo Buffington
Joe Collins	Operations Assistant
Quarterbacks	Nick Severin
Joseph Torok	Operations Assistant
Running Backs	

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

2026 OPPONENTS AT A GLANCE (5-4 OVERALL, 3-2 PATRIOT LEAGUE)

WILLIAM & MARY (1-0, 1-0 PATRIOT)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.28	@ (8) Villanova (*)	W, 35-32
9.5	Delaware State	6:00 PM
9.12	@ Lehigh (*)	2:00 PM
9.19	Fordham (*)	6:00 PM
9.26	@ Duke	3:30 PM
10.3	Holy Cross (*)	3:30 PM
10.10	@ NC Central	1:00 PM
10.24	Georgetown (*)	3:30 PM
10.31	@ Colgate (*)	1:00 PM
11.7	Lafayette (*)	1:00 PM
11.14	Bucknell (*)	1:00 PM
11.21	@ Richmond (*)	12:00 PM

BUCKNELL (0-1, 0-1 PATRIOT)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.29	@ Richmond (*)	L, 14-35
9.5	(18) Villanova (*)	6:00 PM
9.12	@ VMI	1:30 PM
9.19	Penn	3:00 PM
9.26	@ Pittsburgh	12:00 PM
10.10	@ Georgetown (*)	12:30 PM
10.17	Lafayette (*)	3:00 PM
10.24	@ Holy Cross (*)	1:00 PM
10.31	@ Lehigh (*)	12:00 PM
11.7	Fordham (*)	1:00 PM
11.14	@ William & Mary (*)	1:00 PM
11.21	Colgate (*)	1:00 PM

LOUISVILLE (0-0, 0-0 ACC)

Date	Opponent	Result
9.6	vs. (9) Ole Miss	7:30 PM
9.11	Villanova	7:00 PM
9.19	SMU (*)	3:30 PM
9.26	Wake Forest (*)	TBA
10.3	@ NC State (*)	TBA
10.9	Florida State (*)	7:00 PM
10.17	@ Syracuse (*)	TBA
10.31	Stanford (*)	TBA
11.7	@ Georgia Tech (*)	TBA
11.14	@ North Carolina (*)	TBA
11.21	Pittsburgh (*)	TBA
11.28	@ Kentucky	TBA

LIU (0-1, 0-0 NORTHEAST)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.27	@ North Dakota	L, 21-42
9.4	@ Kansas	8:00 PM
9.12	UAlbany	12:00 PM
9.19	Villanova	12:00 PM
9.26	@ FIU	6:00 PM
10.3	Mercyhurst (*)	12:00 PM
10.10	@ Duquesne (*)	1:00 PM
10.17	@ Wagner (*)	5:00 PM
10.24	Stonehill (*)	12:00 PM
11.7	@ New Haven (*)	12:00 PM
11.14	Central Conn. St. (*)	12:00 PM
11.21	@ Robert Morris (*)	12:00 PM

COLGATE (1-0, 1-0 PATRIOT)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.28	@ Fordham (*)	W, 24-14
9.5	Holy Cross (*)	1:00 PM
9.12	@ Central Michigan	1:00 PM
9.19	Cornell	1:00 PM
9.26	@ Villanova	2:30 PM
10.3	@ Harvard	7:00 PM
10.17	Georgetown (*)	1:00 PM
10.24	@ Richmond (*)	2:00 PM
10.31	William & Mary (*)	1:00 PM
11.7	@ Lehigh (*)	12:00 PM
11.14	Lafayette (*)	1:00 PM
11.21	@ Bucknell	1:00 PM

MORGAN STATE (1-0, 0-0 MEAC)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.29	@ North Carolina A&T	W, 17-7
9.5	@ Arizona State	9:00 PM
9.12	Va. Univ. of Lynchburg	6:00 PM
9.19	@ Towson	6:00 PM
10.3	@ Villanova	1:00 PM
10.10	Robert Morris	12:00 PM
10.17	@ Tennessee State	6:30 PM
10.24	Howard (*)	3:00 PM
10.29	South Carolina State (*)	7:00 PM
11.7	@ Delaware State (*)	1:00 PM
11.14	Norfolk State (*)	12:00 PM
11.21	@ NC Central (*)	2:00 PM

FORDHAM (0-1, 0-1 PATRIOT)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.28	Colgate (*)	L, 14-24
9.5	@ North Dakota State	3:30 PM
9.12	@ Coastal Carolina	7:30 PM
9.19	@ William & Mary (*)	6:00 PM
9.26	Stony Brook	1:00 PM
10.3	@ Lehigh (*)	12:00 PM
10.10	Richmond (*)	3:30 PM
10.17	Villanova (*)	3:30 PM
10.24	Lafayette (*)	1:00 PM
11.7	@ Bucknell (*)	1:00 PM
11.14	Georgetown (*)	12:00 PM
11.21	@ Holy Cross (*)	12:00 PM

LEHIGH (1-0, 1-0 PATRIOT)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.29	@ Holy Cross (*)	W, 35-10
9.5	@ Georgetown (*)	12:30 PM
9.12	William & Mary (*)	2:00 PM
9.19	Dartmouth	12:00 PM
9.26	@ Penn	1:00 PM
10.3	Fordham (*)	12:00 PM
10.17	@ Cornell	2:00 PM
10.24	@ Villanova (*)	3:30 PM
10.31	Bucknell (*)	12:00 PM
11.7	Colgate (*)	12:00 PM
11.14	@ Richmond (*)	2:00 PM
11.21	@ Lafayette (*)	12:30 PM

LAFAYETTE (0-0, 0-0 PATRIOT)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.27	@ Georgetown (*)	—
9.5	@ Connecticut	12:00 PM
9.12	Marist	12:30 PM
9.19	@ Columbia	12:00 PM
9.26	Holy Cross (*)	12:30 PM
10.3	Richmond (*)	12:30 PM
10.17	@ Bucknell (*)	3:00 PM
10.24	@ Fordham (*)	1:00 PM
10.31	Villanova (*)	12:30 PM
11.7	@ William & Mary (*)	1:00 PM
11.14	@ Colgate (*)	1:00 PM
11.21	Lehigh (*)	12:30 PM

RICHMOND (1-0, 1-0 PATRIOT)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.29	Bucknell (*)	W, 35-14
9.5	@ Howard	6:00 PM
9.11	@ North Carolina State	7:00 PM
9.19	Georgetown (*)	3:30 PM
9.26	Furman	2:00 PM
10.3	@ Lafayette (*)	12:30 PM
10.10	@ Fordham (*)	3:30 PM
10.24	Colgate (*)	2:00 PM
10.31	@ Holy Cross (*)	1:00 PM
11.7	@ Villanova (*)	1:00 PM
11.14	Lehigh (*)	2:00 PM
11.21	William & Mary (*)	12:00 PM

HOLY CROSS (0-1, 0-1 PATRIOT)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.29	(11) Lehigh (*)	L, 10-35
9.5	@ Colgate (*)	1:00 PM
9.12	@ Miami (Ohio)	1:00 PM
9.19	Yale	2:00 PM
9.26	@ Lafayette (*)	12:30 PM
10.3	@ William & Mary (*)	3:30 PM
10.17	@ Harvard	1:00 PM
10.24	Bucknell (*)	1:00 PM
10.31	Richmond (*)	1:00 PM
11.7	@ Georgetown (*)	12:30 PM
11.14	Villanova (*)	12:00 PM
11.21	Fordham (*)	12:00 PM

GEORGETOWN (0-0, 0-0 PATRIOT)

Date	Opponent	Result
8.27	Lafayette (*)	—
9.5	(10) Lehigh (*)	12:30 PM
9.19	@ Richmond (*)	3:30 PM
9.26	Columbia	12:30 PM
10.3	Cornell	12:30 PM
10.10	Bucknell (*)	12:30 PM
10.17	@ Colgate (*)	1:30 PM
10.24	@ William & Mary (*)	3:30 PM
11.7	Holy Cross (*)	12:30 PM
11.14	@ Fordham (*)	12:00 PM
11.21	@ Villanova (*)	1:00 PM

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA QUARTERBACKS



PAT MCQUAIDE (#7)

Graduate Student

6-0 / 205

Solon, Ohio

Solon

Nicholls

Passing

Opponent	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	TD	Long
William & Mary	17-30-3	56.7	270	1	73
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	17-30-3	56.7	270	1	73
Villanova Career	254-431-7	58.9	3,393	26	73
Collegiate Career	649-1,117-29	58.1	7,820	53	88

Rushing

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	3	10	3.3	0	6
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	3	10	3.3	0	6
Villanova Career	53	13	0.2	3	28
Collegiate Career	166	-65	-0.4	7	28



NOLAN DILUCIA (#17)

Freshman

6-2 / 195

Venetia, Pa.

Peters Township

Passing

Opponent	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	TD	Long
William & Mary	DNP				
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season					
Collegiate Career					

Rushing

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	DNP				
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season					
Collegiate Career					

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA RUNNING BACKS



JA'BRIEL MACE (#4)

Junior
5-9 / 175
Somers Point, N.J.
Mainland Regional

Rushing

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	11	57	5.2	1	19
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	11	57	5.2	1	19
Collegiate Career	197	1286	6.5	13	82

Receiving

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	1	5	5.0	0	5
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	1	5	5.0	0	5
Collegiate Career	33	288	8.7	2	35



ISAIAH RAGLAND (#20)

Junior
5-9 / 205
Alexandria, Va.
Centreville

Rushing

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	14	94	6.7	2	37
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	14	94	6.7	2	37
Collegiate Career	311	1521	4.9	7	65

Receiving

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	2	30	15.0	0	19
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	2	30	15.0	0	19
Collegiate Career	22	182	8.3	1	24

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA RUNNING BACKS



TYLER WOMACK (#34)
Redshirt Freshman
5-10 / 190
Pasadena, Md.
Annapolis

Rushing					
Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary					
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season					
Collegiate Career	4	26	6.5	0	26

Receiving					
Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary					
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season					
Collegiate Career					



BRANDON WAY JR. (#36)
Freshman
5-9 / 190
Lancaster, Pa.
Lancaster Catholic

Rushing					
Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	DNP				
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season					
Collegiate Career					

Receiving					
Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	DNP				
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season					
Collegiate Career					

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA WIDE RECEIVERS



CHRIS COLBY (#13)

Junior
6-3 / 205
Rowley, Mass.
Pingree School

Receiving

Opponent	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	1	12	12.0	0	12
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	1	12	12.0	0	12
Collegiate Career	31	510	16.5	1	65

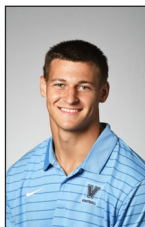


BRANDON BINKOWSKI (#81)

Sophomore
6-3 / 205
Haymarket, Va.
Battlefield

Receiving

Opponent	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	4	56	14.0	1	24
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	4	56	14.0	1	24
Collegiate Career	15	155	10.3	2	24

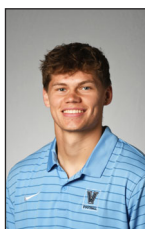


BRADEN REED (#83)

Sophomore
5-9 / 180
Pottstown, Pa.
Pope John Paul II

Receiving

Opponent	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	3	25	8.3	0	13
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	3	25	8.3	0	13
Collegiate Career	37	543	14.7	3	44



JAKE HILTON (#5)

Junior
6-5 / 205
Prescott, Ariz.
Prescott
Wisconsin-River Falls

Receiving

Opponent	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	4	132	33.0	0	73
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	4	132	33.0	0	73
Villanova Career	4	132	33.0	0	73
Collegiate Career	82	1,277	15.6	16	75

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA WIDE RECEIVERS/TIGHT ENDS



RALEE STEPHENS (#84)

Sophomore
5-9 / 165
Asbury, N.J.
Asbury Park

Receiving

Opponent	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary					
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season					
Collegiate Career	3	25	8.3	0	15



NOLAN CLAYTON (#19)

Junior
6-5 / 245
King of Prussia, Pa.
Upper Merion

Receiving

Opponent	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	1	9	9.0	0	9
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	1	9	9.0	0	9
Collegiate Career	6	60	10.0	0	25



ANDREW ESPOSITO (#80)

Freshman
6-3 / 185
New Canaan, Conn.
New Canaan

Receiving

Opponent	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary					
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season					
Collegiate Career					



BRODY EATON (#88)

Sophomore
6-4 / 260
Malvern, Pa.
Conestoga
Marist

Receiving

Opponent	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	1	1	1.0	0	1
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	1	1	1.0	0	1
Villanova Career	1	1	1.0	0	1
Collegiate Career	2	6	3.0	0	5

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA SPECIALISTS



DOMINIC LEBLANC (#46)

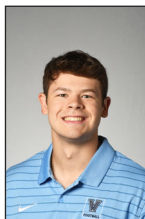
Sophomore
6-0 / 170
Dawsonville, Ga.
Dawson County
Tennessee Tech

Scoring

Opponent	FG	Long	40+	PAT	Points
William & Mary	1-1	42	1	3-3	6
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	1-1	42	1	3-3	6
Villanova Career	1-1	42	1	3-3	6
Collegiate Career	24-36	47	5	93-97	165

Kicking

Opponent	KO	Yards	Avg.	TB
William & Mary	5	313	62.6	1
Bucknell				
Louisville				
LIU				
Colgate				
Morgan State				
Fordham				
Lehigh				
Lafayette				
Richmond				
Holy Cross				
Georgetown				
2026 Season	5	313	62.6	1
Villanova Career	5	313	62.6	1
Collegiate Career	151	9,137	60.5	64



LUKE MYERS (#39)

Sophomore
5-10 / 195
Breinigsville, Pa.
Allentown Central Catholic

Punting

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	Long	FC	I20	50+
William & Mary	2	85	42.5	61	0	1	1
Bucknell							
Louisville							
LIU							
Colgate							
Morgan State							
Fordham							
Lehigh							
Lafayette							
Richmond							
Holy Cross							
Georgetown							
2026 Season	2	85	42.5	61	0	1	1
Collegiate Career	2	85	42.5	61	0	1	1

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

VILLANOVA SPECIALISTS



JA'BRIEL MACE (#4)

Junior
5-9 / 175
Somers Point, N.J.
Mainland Regional

Kickoff Returns

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	1	19	19.0	0	19
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	1	19	19.0	0	19
Collegiate Career	38	1079	28.4	2	100

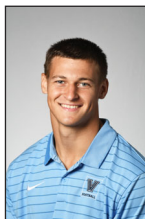


TYLER WOMACK (#34)

Redshirt Freshman
5-10 / 190
Pasadena, Md.
Annapolis

Kickoff Returns

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	1	3	3.0	0	3
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	1	3	3.0	0	3
Collegiate Career	1	3	3.0	0	3

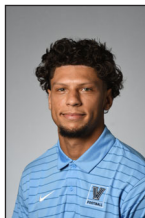


BRADEN REED (#83)

Sophomore
5-9 / 180
Pottstown, Pa.
Pope John Paul II

Punt Returns

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary	3	15	5.0	0	9
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season	3	15	5.0	0	9
Collegiate Career	23	313	13.6	0	41



MIKEY ALLEN (#6)

Junior
6-0 / 185
Cumberland, Md.
Fort Hill
Southern Utah

Punt Returns

Opponent	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
William & Mary					
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
2026 Season					
Villanova Career					
Collegiate Career					

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

GAME BY GAME TACKLES

Total Tackles	UA-A	TOT	W&M	BUC	LOU	LIU	COL	MOR	FOR	LEH	LAF	RIC	HOL	GEO
Omari Bursey	8-7	15	8-7											
Christian Caballero	4-4	8	4-4											
Garrett Rogan	2-5	7	2-5											
Newton Essiem	4-1	5	4-1											
Colin Gurley	4-1	5	4-1											
Jamie Tysom	4-0	4	4-0											
Mikey Allen	2-2	4	2-2											
Ratu Delano Navoti	2-2	4	2-2											
Capri Martin	2-2	4	2-2											
Ivan Murray Jr.	1-3	4	1-3											
Brenden Toppin	3-0	3	3-0											
Nigel McSween	1-2	3	1-2											
AJ Koukou	1-1	2	1-1											
Ugo Nwotite	1-1	2	1-1											
Tyler Cain	0-2	2	0-2											
Jayvont Williams	0-2	2	0-2											
Amari Jackson	1-0	1	1-0											
Isaiah Ragland	1-0	1	1-0											
Julian Glantz	0-1	1	0-1											
Dominic LeBlanc	0-1	1	0-1											
Tyler Womack	0-1	1	0-1											
TOTAL	41-38	79	41-38											

SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES

Total Tackles	KO-PU	TOT	W&M	BUC	LOU	LIU	COL	MOR	FOR	LEH	LAF	RIC	HOL	GEO
Mikey Allen	1-0	1	1-0											
Julian Glantz	1-0	1	1-0											
Dominic LeBlanc	1-0	1	1-0											
Garrett Rogan	1-0	1	1-0											
Jamie Tyson	1-0	1	1-0											
Tyler Womack	1-0	1	1-0											
TOTAL	6-0	6	6-0											

GAME BY GAME DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

OPPONENT	TFL	SACKS	FF	FR	INT	PBU	BLK	YARDS	POINTS
William & Mary	12-33	3-12	1	0	1	2	0	393	35
Bucknell									
Louisville									
LIU									
Colgate									
Morgan State									
Fordham									
Lehigh									
Lafayette									
Richmond									
Holy Cross									
Georgetown									
TOTAL	12-33	3-12	1	0	1	2	0	393	35

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

GAME BY GAME STARTERS

OFFENSE	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR/TE	TE/WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
W&M	McQuaide	Mace	Colby	Binkowski	Reed	Clayton	Fay	Broderick	Whalen	McCullers	Cregan
Bucknell											
Louisville											
LIU											
Colgate											
Morgan St.											
Fordham											
Lehigh											
Lafayette											
Richmond											
Holy Cross											
Georgetown											
DEFENSE	DE	DT	DE	LB	LB	LB	CB	CB	FS	WS	SS
W&M	McSween	Delano Navoti	Martin	Cain	Caballero	Bursey	Allen	Essiem	Toppin	Williams	Tyson
Bucknell											
Louisville											
LIU											
Colgate											
Morgan St.											
Fordham											
Lehigh											
Lafayette											
Richmond											
Holy Cross											
Georgetown											

VILLANOVA SCORING DRIVES

OPP	QTR	TIME	PL/YDS/TM	RES	PLAY	OPP	QTR	TIME	PL/YDS/TM	RES	PLAY
WM	1	7:52	11/75/7:08	TD	Ragland 5 yd run						
WM	2	1:21	7/63/2:37	TD	Mace 11 yd run						
WM	2	0:00	4/56/0:21	FG	LeBlanc 42 yd field goal						
WM	4	3:47	7/32/2:30	TD	Binkowski 8 yd reception						
WM	4	2:43	1/37/0:10	TD	Ragland 37 yd run						

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

LONG PLAYS BY THE NUMBERS

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

LONG PLAYS BY TYPE

PLAY	NO.	TD
Rushing	1	1
Passing	3	0
Punt Returns		
Kick Returns		
Interceptions	1	0
Fumble Returns		
Other		
TOTAL	5	1

LONGEST PLAYS OF THE YEAR

RUSHING	
37	Isaiah Ragland, William & Mary
RUSHING TOUCHDOWN	
37	Isaiah Ragland, William & Mary
PASSING	
73	Pat McQuaide, William & Mary
PASSING TOUCHDOWN	
8	Pat McQuaide, William & Mary
RECEPTION	
73	Jake Hilton, William & Mary
RECEIVING TOUCHDOWN	
8	Brandon Binkowski, William & Mary
PUNT RETURN	
9	Braden Reed, William & Mary
KICK RETURN	
19	Ja’briel Mace, William & Mary
INTERCEPTION RETURN	
36	Jamie Tyson, William & Mary
FUMBLE RETURN	
PUNT	
61	Luke Myers, William & Mary
FIELD GOAL	
42	Dominic LeBlanc, William & Mary

LONGEST PLAYS OF THE YEAR (20+ YARDS)

YDS	TYPE	PLAYER	OPPONENT
73	Pass	Pat McQuaide to Jake Hilton	William & Mary
37*	Rush	Isaiah Ragland	William & Mary
36	IR	Jamie Tyson	William & Mary
31	Pass	Pat McQuaide to Jake Hilton	William & Mary
24	Pass	Pat McQuaide to Brandon Binkowski	William & Mary

* denotes a touchdown

20-YARD PLUS BY PLAYER								
PLAYER	NO.	TD	RUSH	REC.	KR	PR	IR	FR
Hilton	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Ragland	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Binkowski	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Tyson	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
TOTAL	5	1	1	1	0	0	1	0

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

MISCELLANEOUS STATS

2026 NON-OFFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS

Player	Type	Yds	Opponent

POINTS OFF TURNOVERS

OPPONENT	VU TO	OPP PTS	OPP TO	VU PTS	+/-
William & Mary	4	6	1	8	+2
Bucknell					
Louisville					
LIU					
Colgate					
Morgan State					
Fordham					
Lehigh					
Lafayette					
Richmond					
Holy Cross					
Georgetown					
TOTAL	4	6	1	8	+2

CAREER INTERCEPTIONS

Player	INT	Return Yards	Long	TD
Mikey Allen	3	33	32	1
Jamie Tyson	2	36	36	0
Tyler Cain	2	17	17	0
Omari Bursey	1	0	0	0
Newton Essiem	1	0	0	0
Jayvont Williams	1	0	0	0

CAREER FUMBLES

Player	FF	FR	Return Yards	TD
Mikey Allen	0	1	0	0
Christian Caballero	1	0	0	0
Newton Essiem	1	0	0	0
Turner Inge	1	1	0	0
AJ Koukou	1	0	0	0
Capri Martin	1	0	0	0
Ugo Nwotite	1	0	0	0
Josh Oluremi	1	2	3	0
Jamie Tyson	1	0	0	0

CAREER BLOCKED KICKS

Player	Type	Opponent	Year
Tyler Cain	Punt	Shepherd	2025
Capri Martin	FG	Sacred Heart	2025
JR Strauss	FG	Towson	2024

CAREER 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

Player	Yds.	Att.	TD	Opp.	Year
Ja'briel Mace	291	28	4	Towson	2025
Ja'briel Mace	165	9	2	SHU	2025
Ja'briel Mace	151	18	1	Tarleton State	2025
Isaiah Ragland	126	15	0	Elon	2023
Isaiah Ragland	141	17	0	Towson	2024
Isaiah Ragland	152	17	1	Harvard	2025

CAREER 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

Player	Yds.	Rec.	TD	Opp.	Year
Chris Colby	112	5	0	Sacred Heart	2025
Jake Hilton	126	3	2	Wheaton	2025
Jake Hilton	132	4	0	W&M	2026

CAREER 300-YARD PASSING GAMES

Player	Yds.	C-A-I	TD	Opp.	Year
Pat McQuaide	345	26-53-1	2	SEMO	2023
Pat McQuaide	300	20-25-1	2	SELA	2023
Pat McQuaide	333	25-43-0	2	Monmouth	2025

CAREER DOUBLE DIGIT TACKLE GAMES

Player	TOT	UA-A	Opp.	Year
Omari Bursey	15	8-7	W&M	2026
Tyler Cain	11	7-4	Gannon	2025

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

DEFENSE/SPECIAL TEAMS TOUCHDOWNS

(SINCE BECOMING AN FCS MEMBER IN 1985)

PLAY	TDs
DEFENSE (69)	
Interception Return.....	44
Fumble Return.....	19
Blocked Punt Return.....	5
Blocked Field Goal Return.....	1
SPECIAL TEAMS (18)	
Kick Return.....	17
Punt Return.....	2
TOTAL	88

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
100 yards by Ja'briel Mace on September 27, 2025 vs. William & Mary

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, 2024, 2025

SPECIAL TEAMS

2	2000, 2010, 2025
1	1996, 1997, 1998, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2012, 2017, 2019

DEFENSIVE/SPECIAL TEAMS TDS BY MONTH

August	3
September	36
October	23
November	23
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
Brendan Bell.....	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 Erbeznik.....	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
Obinna Nwobodo	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	TDs
Brian Westbrook.....	5
Angelo Babbaro.....	3
Martin Gibson.....	3
Matt Szczur	2
Ja'briel Mace	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	14	Isaiah Ragland, William & Mary
Rushing Yards	94	Isaiah Ragland, William & Mary
Rushing TDs	2	Isaiah Ragland, William & Mary
Long Rush	37	Isaiah Ragland, William & Mary
Pass Attempts	30	Pat McQuaide, William & Mary
Pass Completions	17	Pat McQuaide, William & Mary
Passing Yards	270	Pat McQuaide, William & Mary
Passing TDs	1	Pat McQuaide, William & Mary
Long Pass	73	Pat McQuaide, William & Mary
Receptions	4	Hilton/Binkowski, William & Mary
Receiving Yards	132	Jake Hilton, William & Mary
Receiving TDs	1	Brandon Binkowski, William & Mary
Long Reception	73	Jake Hilton, William & Mary
Field Goals	1	Dominic LeBlanc, William & Mary
Long Field Goal	42	Dominic LeBlanc, William & Mary
Punts	2	Luke Myers, William & Mary
Punting Average	42.5	Luke Myers, William & Mary
Long Punt	61	Luke Myers, William & Mary
Punts Inside 20	1	Luke Myers, William & Mary
Long Punt Return	9	Braden Reed, William & Mary
Long Kick Return	19	Ja'briel Mace, William & Mary
Long INT Return	36	Jamie Tyson, William & Mary
Long FR Return		
Tackles	15	Omari Bursey, William & Mary
Tackles For Loss	4.0	Omari Bursey, William & Mary
Sacks	2.0	Ratu Delano Navoti, William & Mary
Interceptions	1	Jamie Tyson, William & Mary

OPPONENT SINGLE GAME HIGHS

Category	No.	Player
Rushes	21	Winston Watkins, William & Mary
Rushing Yards	72	Winston Watkins, William & Mary
Rushing TDs	1	Winston Watkins, William & Mary
Long Rush	34	Andrew King, William & Mary
Pass Attempts	33	Winston Watkins, William & Mary
Pass Completions	19	Winston Watkins, William & Mary
Passing Yards	254	Winston Watkins, William & Mary
Passing TDs	2	Winston Watkins, William & Mary
Long Pass	68	Winston Watkins, William & Mary
Receptions	3	Austin/Johnson/King, William & Mary
Receiving Yards	76	Kai Austin, William & Mary
Receiving TDs	1	Austin/Jenkins, William & Mary
Long Reception	68	Carson Jenkins, William & Mary
Field Goals	5	Max Lipinski, William & Mary
Long Field Goal	45	Max Lipinski, William & Mary
Punts	4	Carter Boyd, William & Mary
Punting Average	40.5	Carter Boyd, William & Mary
Long Punt	53	Carter Boyd, William & Mary
Punts Inside 20		
Long Punt Return		
Long Kick Return	31	Khyll Johnson, William & Mary
Long INT Return	24	Cade Ellis, William & Mary
Long FR Return	0	Harrison Johnson, William & Mary
Tackles	8	Harrison Johnson, William & Mary
Tackles For Loss	1.0	Xavier Dillard, William & Mary
Sacks		
Interceptions	2	Cade Ellis, William & Mary

TEAM SINGLE GAME HIGHS

Category	No.	Villanova
Rushes	30	William & Mary
Rushing Yards	157	William & Mary
Yards Per Rush	5.2	William & Mary
Rushing TDs	3	William & Mary
Pass Attempts	30	William & Mary
Pass Completions	17	William & Mary
Passing Yards	270	William & Mary
Yards Per Pass	9.0	William & Mary
Passing TDs	1	William & Mary
Total Plays	60	William & Mary
Total Offense	427	William & Mary
Yards Per Play	7.1	William & Mary
Points	32	William & Mary
First Downs	20	William & Mary
Penalties	15	William & Mary
Penalty Yards	107	William & Mary
Turnovers	4	William & Mary
Sacks	3	William & Mary
Interceptions	1	William & Mary
Punts	2	William & Mary
Punting Average	42.5 (2-85)	William & Mary
Third Down Pct.	50.0% (6 of 12)	William & Mary
Fourth Down Pct.	0.0% (0 of 1)	William & Mary

OPPONENT SINGLE GAME HIGHS

Category	No.	Opponent
Rushes	41	William & Mary
Rushing Yards	130	William & Mary
Yards Per Rush	3.2	William & Mary
Rushing TDs	1	William & Mary
Pass Attempts	36	William & Mary
Pass Completions	20	William & Mary
Passing Yards	263	William & Mary
Yards Per Pass	7.3	William & Mary
Passing TDs	2	William & Mary
Total Plays	77	William & Mary
Total Offense	393	William & Mary
Yards Per Play	5.1	William & Mary
Points	35	William & Mary
First Downs	21	William & Mary
Penalties	3	William & Mary
Penalty Yards	22	William & Mary
Turnovers	1	William & Mary
Sacks		
Interceptions	3	William & Mary
Punts	4	William & Mary
Punting Average	40.5	William & Mary
Third Down Pct.	50.0% (10 of 20)	William & Mary
Fourth Down Pct.	0.0% (0 of 1)	William & Mary

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

THE LAST TIME VILLANOVA...

VILLANOVA SCORING

50-59 Points	52	Harvard	Nov. 29, 2025
60-69 Points	63	William & Mary	Oct. 6, 2007
70+		NEVER	
<10 Points	6	Penn State	Sept. 13, 2025
<7 Points	6	Penn State	Sept. 13, 2025
Shutout	0-34	New Hampshire	Oct. 27, 2018
Shutout (Patriot League)		NEVER	
Shutout (Home)	0-34	New Hampshire	Oct. 27, 2018
Shutout (Road)	0-23	Richmond	Oct. 15, 2016
Shutout Opponent	21-0	Elon	Oct. 14, 2023
Shutout (Patriot League)		NEVER	
Shutout Opponent (Home)	21-0	Elon	Oct. 14, 2023
Shutout Opponent (Road)	35-0	Elon	Nov. 6, 2021

VILLANOVA RUSHING

300-399 Yards	319	Harvard	Nov. 29, 2025
400+ Yards	440	Elon	Oct. 14, 2023
<100 Yards	27	Lehigh	Dec. 6, 2025
<0 Yards	-39	Maine	Oct. 14, 2006

VILLANOVA PASSING

300-399 Yards	333	Monmouth	Sept. 20, 2025
400-499 Yards	418	New Hampshire	Oct. 1, 2004

VILLANOVA TOTAL OFFENSE

500-599 Yards	512	Harvard	Nov. 29, 2025
600-699 Yards	609	Bucknell	Sept. 22, 2018
700+ Yards	706	North Carolina State	Nov. 19, 1949
<200 Yards	179	Penn State	Sept. 13, 2025
<100 Yards	87	New Hampshire	Nov. 3, 1990
30+ First Downs	30	Delaware	Nov. 23, 2019

VILLANOVA MISCELLANEOUS

100+ penalty yards	15-107	William & Mary	Aug. 28, 2026
2 fumbles lost	2	Eastern Kentucky	Nov. 30, 2024
3+ fumbles lost	3	UAlbany	Sept. 30, 2023
Scored a safety	1	Eastern Kentucky	Nov. 30, 2024
Scored two safeties	2	James Madison	Nov. 10, 2012
Allowed a safety	1	UAlbany	Oct. 22, 2022
Forced 5 TO	6	Lehigh	Sept. 4, 2021
Forced 6+ TO	6	Lehigh	Sept. 4, 2021
Committed 5+ TO	5	UAlbany	Sept. 30, 2023
4+ interceptions	4	Lehigh	Sept. 4, 2021
Forced 2 fumbles	2	Lehigh	Dec. 6, 2025
Forced 3 fumbles	3	Sacred Heart	Nov. 22, 2025
Forced 4+ fumbles	4	Rhode Island	Oct. 11, 2014
Recovered 2 fumbles	2	Lehigh	Dec. 6, 2025
Recovered 3+ fumbles	3	Rhode Island	Oct. 23, 2021
2+ defensive touchdowns	2	Richmond	Nov. 3, 2018
Defense/ST touchdowns	2/1	Lafayette	Sept. 16, 2017
Consecutive games non-off. TD	2	Elon/Hampton	Oct. 11-18, 2025
5 total touchdowns	5	New Hampshire	Oct. 4, 2025
6 total touchdowns	6	Stony Brook	Oct. 5, 2024
7+ total touchdowns	7	Harvard	Nov. 29, 2025
Recovered onside kick	1	Towson	Nov. 8, 2025
Defensive 2-point conv.	1	William & Mary	Oct. 28, 1995
Walk-Off Win	30-27, ot	Stony Brook	Nov. 15, 2025
Walk-Off Loss	32-35	William & Mary	Aug. 28, 2026

VILLANOVA RUSHING

100-199 Yards	151	Ja' briel Mace	Tarleton State, 2025
200-299 Yards	291	Ja' briel Mace	Towson, 2025
300+ Yards		NEVER	
2 players 100+	126/125	Ragland/Watkins	Elon, 2023
30+ attempts	34	John Robertson	Syracuse, 2014
Consecutive 100+	3 straight	David Avit	Mon./W&M/UNH, 2025
Consecutive 200+	2 straight	John Robertson	Towson/UNH, 2013
50-59 yard rush	55	Isaiah Ragland	North Carolina A&T, 2024
60-69 yard rush	65	Isaiah Ragland	Towson, 2024
70-79 yard rush	72	David Avit	Stony Brook, 2024
80-89 yard rush	80	Ja' briel Mace	Sacred Heart, 2025
90-99 yard rush	90	Mike Jones	Columbia, 1989
100+ yard rush	110	John Powers	Fordham, 1902
3 rushing TDs	3	David Avit	William & Mary, 2025
4 rushing TDs	4	Ja' briel Mace	Towson, 2025

VILLANOVA PASSING

300-399 yards	333	Pat McQuaide	Monmouth, 2025
400+ yards	460	Brett Gordon	Delaware, 2002
40-49 attempts	43	Pat McQuaide	Monmouth, 2025
50+ attempts	54	Frank Jankowski	Richmond, 2005
25-29 completions	25	Pat McQuaide	Monmouth, 2025
30-39 completions	30	Frank Jankowski	James Madison, 2005
40+ completions	40	Brett Gordon	James Madison, 2002
3 passing TDs	3	Pat McQuaide	Harvard, 2025
4 passing TDs	4	Pat McQuaide	Stony Brook, 2025
5 passing TDs	5	Pat McQuaide	Hampton, 2025
6 passing TDs	6	Chris Boden	Delaware, 1999
Consecutive 300+	3 straight	Frank Jankowski	Penn/UNH/Rich., 2005
50-59 yard pass	57	Pat McQuaide	Sacred Heart, 2025
60-69 yard pass	65	Pat McQuaide	Hampton, 2025
70-79 yard pass	73	Pat McQuaide	William & Mary, 2026
80-89 yard pass	80	Connor Watkins	UAlbany, 2022
90-99 yard pass	90	Zach Bednarczyk	Bucknell, 2018
100+ yard pass		NEVER	

VILLANOVA RECEIVING

100-199 yards	132	Jake Hilton	William & Mary, 2026
200+ yards	236	Changa Hodge	Delaware, 2019
2 players 100+	168/128	Pringle/Sanchez	Colgate, 2023
3 players 100+	191/103/102	Pringle/Sanchez/Hayek	Stony Brook, 2023
10 receptions	10	Luke Colella	Elon, 2025
11 receptions	11	Matt Szczur	Stephen F. Austin, 2010
12-14 receptions	12	Brian White	Rutgers, 2002
15 receptions	15	Brian Westbrook	Northeastern, 1998
16 receptions	16	Brian Finneran	Youngstown State, 1997
Consecutive 100+	2 straight	Luke Colella	UNH/Elon, 2025
50-59 yard catch	57	Chris Colby	Sacred Heart, 2025
60-69 yard catch	65	Chris Colby	Hampton, 2025
70-79 yard catch	73	Jake Hilton	William & Mary, 2026
80-89 yard catch	80	Rayjuon Pringle	UAlbany, 2022
90-99 yard catch	90	Josh McGrigg	Bucknell, 2018
100+ yard catch		NEVER	
3 receiving TDs	3	Norman White	Stephen F. Austin, 2010
4 receiving TDs	4	Jaaron Hayek	Maine, 2022
5 receiving TDs	5	Mike Siani	Xavier, 1971
Receiver TD Pass	1	Braden Reed	Tarleton State, 2025

VILLANOVA SPECIAL TEAMS

50+ yard field goal	52	Ethan Gettman	UIW, 2024
45-49 yard field goal	49	Ethan Gettman	UIW, 2024
40-44 yard field goal	42	Dominic LeBlanc	William & Mary, 2026
Made 3+ field goals	3	Jack Barnum	UAlbany, 2025
Made 7+ PATs	7	Jack Barnum	Harvard, 2025
Missed PAT	1 (blocked)	Jack Barnum	Tarleton State, 2025
70+ yard punt	72	Ethan Gettman	New Hampshire, 2024
60-69 yard punt	61	Luke Myers	William & Mary, 2026
Kickoff return TD	97	Ja' briel Mace	Elon, 2025
Punt return TD	15	TD Ayo-Durojaiye	UAlbany, 2021
2+ kick return TD		NEVER	
Start game kick return TD	100	Nowoola Awopetu	Richmond, 2019
Consec. game non-off TD	2	NEVER IN FCS ERA	
2-point conversion		Reception	
Blocked a PAT	1	Jake Hilton	William & Mary, 2026
Blocked a FG	1	John Rhodan	Rhode Island, 2023
Blocked a punt	1	Capri Martin	Sacred Heart, 2025
TD on blocked FG	73 yards	Kimmel/Marshall	Delaware, 2022
TD on blocked punt	15 yards	Craig James	Stony Brook, 2013
		TD Ayo-Durojaiye	UAlbany, 2021

VILLANOVA DEFENSE

10-14 tackles	10	Shane Hartzell	Stony Brook, 2025
15-19 tackles	15	Omari Bursey	William & Mary, 2026
20+ tackles	20	Shane Hartzell	New Hampshire, 2024
5+ TFL	5.5	Greg Miller	Richmond, 2008
4+ TFL	4.0	Omari Bursey	William & Mary, 2026
3+ sacks	3.5	Ed Shockley	UAlbany, 2016
2+ sacks	2.0	Ratu Delano Navoti	William & Mary, 2026
2+ interceptions	2	Christian Benford	Bucknell, 2021
2 fumble recoveries	2	Chucky Smith	Richmond, 2018
3+ fumble recoveries	3	Darrell Adams	James Madison, 2004
INT return TD	1	Brendan Bell	Delaware, 2024
2 INT return TDs	20/18	Nowoola Awopetu	Richmond, 2018
Fumble return TD	53	Obinna Nwobodo	Hampton, 2025
Offense/Defense TD	1/1	Brendan Bell	Delaware, 2024

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

THE LAST TIME THE OPPONENT...

OPPONENT SCORING

50-59 Points	51	Monmouth	Sept. 20, 2025
60-69 Points	62	Army West Point	Nov. 15, 1919
70-79 Points	71	Penn State	Nov. 9, 1912
80+ Points	83	Army	Nov. 4, 1944
<10 Points	7	Lehigh	Dec. 6, 2025
<7 Points	3	North Carolina A&T	Nov. 9, 2024

OPPONENT RUSHING

300-399 Yards	371	William & Mary	Nov. 12, 2022
400+ Yards	472	Army West Point	Sept. 17, 2022
<100 Yards	56	Tarleton State	Dec. 13, 2025
<0 Yards	-12	Lehigh	Sept. 4, 2021

OPPONENT PASSING

300-399 Yards	397	Monmouth	Sept. 20, 2025
400-499 Yards	429	Penn State	Sept. 25, 2021
500+ Yards	508	Southeastern Louisiana	Nov. 30, 2019

OPPONENT TOTAL OFFENSE

500-599 Yards	502	Monmouth	Nov. 16, 2024
600-699 Yards	637	Monmouth	Sept. 20, 2025
700+ Yards	708	New Hampshire	Nov. 5, 1988
<200 Yards	154	UAlbany	Oct. 25, 2025
<100 Yards	99	Elon	Oct. 14, 2023
30+ First Downs	34	Monmouth	Sept. 20, 2025

OPPONENT MISCELLANEOUS

100+ penalty yards	12-115	UAlbany	Oct. 22, 2022
2 fumbles lost	2	Lehigh	Dec. 6, 2025
3+ fumbles lost	3	Rhode Island	Oct. 23, 2021
Scored a safety	1	UAlbany	Oct. 22, 2022
4+ interceptions	4	William & Mary	Oct. 30, 2021
Forced 2 fumbles	2	New Hampshire	Oct. 26, 2024
Forced 3 fumbles	3	North Carolina A&T	Oct. 7, 2023
Forced 4+ fumbles	5	UAlbany	Sept. 30, 2023
2 non-offensive touchdowns	2	James Madison	Oct. 13, 2018
2 defensive touchdowns	2	James Madison	Nov. 21, 2015
Defense/ST touchdowns	2/1	James Madison	Nov. 21, 2015
Recovered onside kick	1	William & Mary	Aug. 28, 2026
Offense/ST TDs	KO/REC	Brandon Ravenel	James Madison, 2015
3+ TDs in a game	3	Sone Ntoh	Monmouth, 2024

OPPONENT RUSHING

100-199 yards	155	Victor Dawson	Illinois State, 2025
200-299 yards	211	Jaden Shirden	Monmouth, 2022
300+ yards		NEVER	
2 players 100+	160/107	Maysonet/Coker	Stony Brook, 2012
30+ attempts	34	Victor Dawson	Illinois State, 2025
50-59 yard rush	55	Darius Wilson	William & Mary, 2022
60-69 yard rush	66	Earl Woods III	Hampton, 2025
70-79 yard rush	77	Joshua Carter	Eastern Kentucky, 2024
80-89 yard rush	85	Jayson Davis	Rhode Island, 2005
90+ yard rush	95	Wendall Williams	Rhode Island, 2003
3 rushing TDs	3	Roland Dempster	Stony Brook, 2024
4 rushing TDs	4	Kevin Brown Jr.	Rhode Island, 2021

OPPONENT PASSING

300-399 yards	397	Derek Robertson	Monmouth, 2025
400-499 yards	401	Sean Clifford	Penn State, 2021
500+ yards	538	Ricky Santos	New Hampshire, 2004
40-49 attempts	44	Mitch Davidson	Youngstown State, 2023
50+ attempts	59	Nolan Henderson	Delaware, 2022
30-39 completions	37	Nolan Henderson	Delaware, 2022
40+ completions	42	Pat Devlin	Delaware, 2009
3 passing TDs	3	Derek Robertson	Monmouth, 2024
4 passing TDs	4	Derek Robertson	Monmouth, 2025
5 passing TDs	5	Pat White	West Virginia, 2008
6 passing TDs	6	Ricky Santos	New Hampshire, 2004
50-59 yard pass	53	Tommy Rittenhouse	Illinois State, 2025
60-69 yard pass	68	Winston Watkins	William & Mary, 2026
70-79 yard pass	75, 72	Derek Robertson	Monmouth, 2025
80-89 yard pass	85	Victor Gabalis	Tarleton State, 2025
90-99 yard pass	98	R.J. Archer	William & Mary, 2009
100+ yard pass		NEVER	

OPPONENT RECEIVING

100-199 yards	104	Payton Kramer	Tarleton State, 2025
200+ yards	205	Kortez Weeks	Elon, 2017
3 players 100+	173/119/102	Turner/Schwebel/Conner	SELA, 2019
2 players 100+	148/117	Washington/Dotson	Penn State, 2021
10+ receptions	10	Jason Palmieri	Sacred Heart, 2025
50-59 yard catch	53	Daniel Sobkowicz	Illinois State, 2025
60-69 yard catch	68	Carson Jenkins	William & Mary, 2026
70-79 yard catch	75	Josh Derry	Monmouth, 2025
	72	Makhi Green	Monmouth, 2025
80-89 yard catch	80	Payton Kramer	Tarleton State, 2025
90-99 yard catch	98	Cameron Dohse	W&M, 2009
100+ yard catch		NEVER	
3+ touchdowns	3	David Ball	New Hampshire, 2005

SPECIAL TEAMS

50+ yard field goal	52	Kenny Doak	Maine, 2018
40-49 yard field goal	41/40/45	Max Lipinski	William & Mary, 2026
Made 3 field goals	3	Michael Cosentino	Illinois State, 2025
Made 4+ field goals	5	Max Lipinski	William & Mary, 2026
Made 7+ PATs	7	Vincenzo Rea	Monmouth, 2022
Missed PAT	1	Max Lipinski	William & Mary, 2026
70+ yard punt	70	D.J. Page	N.C. A&T, 2024
60-69 yard punt	60	Jeff Yurk	Elon, 2025
Kickoff return TD	94 yards	Taymon Cooke	N.C. A&T, 2023
Punt return TD	45 yards	Matthew Durrance	S. Dakota State, 2023
2 punt return TD	89/81	D'Angelo Amos	JMU, 2018
2+ kick return TD		Believed to be NEVER	
Start game kick return TD	98 yards	Brandon Ravenel	James Madison, 2015
Recovered onside kick	1		New Hampshire, 2023
2-point conversion	1	Trebor Pena	Penn State, 2025
Blocked a PAT	1	Dabari Hawkins	Tarleton State, 2025
Blocked a FG	1	JR Stegall	Towson, 2025
	1	Treyvon Adams	Towson, 2025
Blocked a punt	1	Omar Emmons	Tarleton State, 2025
TD on blocked FG	70 yards	Devin Vaught	Maine, 2024
TD on blocked punt	45 yards	Matthew Durrance	S. Dakota State, 2023

OPPONENT DEFENSE

10-14 tackles	12	Sean Line	Harvard, 2025
	11	Ty Bartrum	Harvard, 2025
15+ tackles	15	Antwan Spencer	LIU, 2022
5+ TFL	5.0	John Daka	James Madison, 2019
3+ sacks	3.0	A.J. Simon	UAlbany, 2023
2+ interceptions	2	Cade Ellis	William & Mary, 2026
3 interceptions	3	Victor Nelson Jr.	LIU, 2022
2+ fumble recoveries	2	Semaj Brown	UAlbany, 2021
INT return TD	1	Jahmir Joseph	Penn State, 2025
Fumble return TD		Troy Vincent	Towson, 2018

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

CAREER HIGHS

MIKEY ALLEN

Points	6	Abilene Christian	2025
Touchdowns	1	Abilene Christian	2025
Rushing Attempts	1	North Alabama	2025
Rushing Yards	-1	North Alabama	2025
Long Rush	-1	North Alabama	2025
Total Offense — Plays	1	North Alabama	2025
Total Offense — Yards	-1	North Alabama	2025
All-Purpose Yards	32	Abilene Christian	2025
Interceptions	1	Abilene Christian	2025
	1	Utah Tech	2025
	1	Central Arkansas	2025
Long INT Return	32	Abilene Christian	2025
INT Return Touchdowns	1	Abilene Christian	2025
Tackles	8	Tarleton State	2025
Tackles For Loss	1.0	William & Mary	2026
Fumble Recoveries	1	Abilene Christian	2025
Pass Breakups	2	West Georgia	2025

MICHAEL BENINCASA

Rushing Attempts	1	Juniata	2022
Rushing Yards	8	Juniata	2022
Long Rush	8	Juniata	2022
Passing Attempts	1	McDaniel	2022
Total Offense — Plays	1	McDaniel	2022
	1	Juniata	2022
Total Offense — Yards	8	Juniata	2022
All-Purpose Yards	8	Juniata	2022

BRANDON BINKOWSKI

Points	6	Penn State	2025
	6	Monmouth	2025
	6	William & Mary	2026
Touchdowns	1	Penn State	2025
	1	Monmouth	2025
	1	William & Mary	2026
Receptions	4	William & Mary	2026
Receiving Yards	56	William & Mary	2026
Receiving Touchdowns	1	Penn State	2025
	1	Monmouth	2025
	1	William & Mary	2026
Long Reception	24	William & Mary	2026
All-Purpose Yards	56	William & Mary	2026

SEAN BRODNIK

Points	6	Hampton	2025
Touchdowns	1	Hampton	2025
Receptions	1	Hampton	2025
Receiving Yards	4	Hampton	2025
Receiving Touchdowns	1	Hampton	2025
Long Reception	4	Hampton	2025
All-Purpose Yards	4	Hampton	2025

OMARI BURSEY

Receptions	1	New Hampshire	2025
Receiving Yards	4	New Hampshire	2025
Long Reception	4	New Hampshire	2025
All-Purpose Yards	4	New Hampshire	2025
Interceptions	1	Penn State	2025
Long INT Return	0	Penn State	2025
Tackles	15	William & Mary	2026
Tackles For Loss	4.0	William & Mary	2026
Sacks	1.5	Harvard	2025
Quarterback Hurries	1	Lehigh	2025
	1	William & Mary	2026

CHRISTIAN CABALLERO

Kickoff Returns	1	Lehigh	2025
Kickoff Return Yards	8	Lehigh	2025
Long Kickoff Return	8	Lehigh	2025
All-Purpose Yards	8	Lehigh	2025
Tackles	8	William & Mary	2026
Tackles For Loss	0.5	William & Mary	2026
Forced Fumbles	1	Harvard	2025

TYLER CAIN

Punt Returns	1	Shepherd	2025
All-Purpose Yards	17	Shippensburg	2025
Interceptions	1	Shippensburg	2025
	1	Clarion	2025
Long INT Return	17	Shippensburg	2025
Tackles	11	Gannon	2025
Tackles For Loss	2.5	Seton Hill	2025
Sacks	1.0	Indiana (Pa.)	2025
	1.0	Clarion	2025
Blocked Kicks (Punt)	1	Shepherd	2025

NOLAN CLAYTON

Receptions	2	William & Mary	2025
Receiving Yards	23	William & Mary	2025
Long Reception	25	William & Mary	2025
Kickoff Returns	1	New Hampshire	2024
Kickoff Return Yards	11	New Hampshire	2024
Long Kickoff Return	11	New Hampshire	2024
All-Purpose Yards	23	William & Mary	2025

CHRIS COLBY

Points	6	Hampton	2025
Touchdowns	1	Hampton	2025
Receptions	5	Sacred Heart	2025
Receiving Yards	112	Sacred Heart	2025
Receiving Touchdowns	1	Hampton	2025
Long Reception	65	Hampton	2025
All-Purpose Yards	65	Hampton	2025
Tackles	1	UAlbany	2025

RATU DELANO NAVOTI

Tackles	4	William & Mary	2026
Tackles For Loss	2.0	William & Mary	2026
Sacks	2.0	William & Mary	2026
Quarterback Hurries	2	Illinois State	2025

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CAREER HIGHS

BRODY EATON

Receptions	1	San Diego	2025
	1	William & Mary	2026
Receiving Yards	5	San Diego	2025
Long Reception	5	San Diego	2025
All-Purpose Yards	5	San Diego	2025

NEWTON ESSIEM

All-Purpose Yards	0	Harvard	2025
Interceptions	1	Harvard	2025
Long INT Return	0	Harvard	2025
Tackles	8	Sacred Heart	2025
Tackles for Loss	1.0	Stony Brook	2025
Forced Fumbles	1	Sacred Heart	2025
Pass Breakups	2	Sacred Heart	2025

KYLE FAY

Tackles	1	New Hampshire	2024
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IAN FILES

Tackles	1	Hampton	2025
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MICHAEL GAUL

Tackles	1	Hampton	2025
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JULIAN GLANTZ

Points	6	Harvard	2025
Touchdowns	1	Harvard	2025
Rushing Attempts	2	Stony Brook	2023
	2	Hampton	2025
	2	Harvard	2025
Rushing Yards	19	Harvard	2025
Rushing Touchdowns	1	Harvard	2025
Long Rush	14	Harvard	2025
Receptions	1	Stony Brook	2023
Receiving Yards	-3	Stony Brook	2023
Long Reception	-3	Stony Brook	2023
Total Offense — Plays	2	Stony Brook	2023
	2	Hampton	2025
Total Offense — Yards	9	Maine	2022
Kickoff Returns	1	Monmouth	2024
	1	UIW	2024
	1	Illinois State	2025
Kickoff Return Yards	17	Monmouth	2024
Long Kickoff Return	17	Monmouth	2024
All-Purpose Yards	17	Monmouth	2024
Tackles	2	Hampton	2025
	2	UAlbany	2025
	2	Sacred Heart	2025
Forced Fumbles	1	Illinois State	2025

COLIN GURLEY

Tackles	5	William & Mary	2026
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JAKE HILTON

Points	12	Wisconsin-Platteville	2023
	12	Alma	2024
	12	Wheaton	2025
Touchdowns	2	Wisconsin-Platteville	2023
	2	Alma	2024
	2	Wheaton	2025
2-Point PAT (Reception)	1	Wisconsin-Lacrosse	2023
	1	William & Mary	2026
Rushing Attempts	2	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	2023
Rushing Yards	5	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	2023
Long Rush	4	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	2023
Receptions	10	Wisconsin-Oshkosh	2023
Receiving Yards	132	William & Mary	2026
Receiving Touchdowns	2	Wisconsin-Platteville	2023
	2	Alma	2024
	2	Wheaton	2025
Long Reception	75	Wisconsin-Whitewater	2025
Kickoff Returns	3	Wisconsin-Lacrosse	2023
Kickoff Return Yards	41	Wisconsin-Lacrosse	2023
Long Kickoff Return	17	Wisconsin-Lacrosse	2023
All-Purpose Yards	126	Wheaton	2025
Total Offense — Plays	2	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	2023
Total Offense — Yards	5	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	2023

TURNER INGE

Tackles	9	Elon	2025
Tackles For Loss	2.0	Rhode Island	2023
Sacks	1.5	Stony Brook	2025
Forced Fumbles	1	Sacred Heart	2025
Fumble Recoveries	1	Sacred Heart	2025
Quarterback Hurries	2	Monmouth	2025

AMARI JACKSON

Tackles	1	Hampton	2025
	1	William & Mary	2026
Pass Breakups	1	Hampton	2025

RYAN KENNEDY

Receptions	1	Hampton	2025
Receiving Yards	-1	Hampton	2025
Long Reception	-1	Hampton	2025
All-Purpose Yards	-1	Hampton	2025

AJ KOUKOU

Tackles	4	Towson	2025
Tackles For Loss	2.0	Hampton	2025
Sacks	1.0	Hampton	2025
Forced Fumbles	1	Towson	2025

DALE LAW

Kickoff Returns	1	Tarleton State	2025
Kickoff Return Yards	8	Tarleton State	2025
Long Kickoff Return	8	Tarleton State	2025
All-Purpose Yards	8	Tarleton State	2025
Tackles	3	Sacred Heart	2025

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CAREER HIGHS

DOMINIC LEBLANC

Points	12	Davidson	2025
	12	Western Illinois	2025
Points by Kicking	12	Davidson	2025
	12	Western Illinois	2025
PATs Made	9	Davidson	2025
	9	Western Illinois	2025
PATs Attempted	9	Davidson	2025
	9	Western Illinois	2025
Field Goals Made	3	Charleston Southern	2024
	3	Eastern Illinois	2024
Field Goals Attempted	4	South Carolina State	2024
	4	Eastern Illinois	2024
Long Field Goal	47	Davidson	2025
Kickoffs	10	Davidson	2025
	10	Western Illinois	2025
Kickoff Yards	646	Western Illinois	2025
Kickoff Average	65.0	Kentucky	2025
Touchbacks	5	5x	
Tackles	1	William & Mary	2026

JA'BRIEL MACE

Points	24	Towson	2025
Touchdowns	4	Towson	2025
Rushing Attempts	28	Towson	2025
Rushing Yards	291	Towson	2025
Rushing Touchdowns	4	Towson	2025
Long Rush	82	Towson	2025
Receptions	3	Tarleton State	2025
Receiving Yards	39	New Hampshire	2025
Receiving Touchdowns	1	New Hampshire	2025
	1	Sacred Heart	2025
Long Reception	35	Youngstown State	2024
Total Offense — Plays	28	Towson	2025
Total Offense — Yards	291	Towson	2025
Kickoff Returns	6	Monmouth	2025
Kickoff Return Yards	153	Monmouth	2025
Kickoff Return TDs	1	William & Mary	2025
	1	Elon	2025
Long Kickoff Return	100	William & Mary	2025
All-Purpose Yards	315	Towson	2025

CAPRI MARTIN

Tackles	6	Lehigh	2025
Tackles For Loss	2.0	Lehigh	2025
Sacks	1.0	Towson	2024
	1.0	Harvard	2025
	1.0	Tarleton State	2025
Forced Fumbles	1	Towson	2024
Pass Breakups	1	Towson	2025
Quarterback Hurries	2	Towson	2025
Blocked Kicks (Field Goal)	1	Sacred Heart	2025

PAT MCQUAIDE

Points	6	7x	
Touchdowns	1	7x	
2-Point PAT (Pass)	1	Illinois State	2025
	1	William & Mary	2026
Rushing Attempts	12	Louisiana Tech	2024
	12	Stephen F. Austin	2024
Rushing Yards	41	Colgate	2025
Rushing Touchdowns	1	7x	
Long Rush	28	Colgate	2025
Passing Attempts	53	Southeast Missouri State	2023
Completions	27	Tulane	2023
	27	Stephen F. Austin	2024
Passing Yards	345	Southeast Missouri State	2023
Passing Touchdowns	5	Hampton	2025
Long Pass	88	Southeast Missouri State	2023
Interceptions	4	Tulane	2023
Receptions	1	UIW	2024
Receiving Yards	-16	UIW	2024
Long Reception	-16	UIW	2024
Total Offense — Plays	62	Stephen F. Austin	2024
Total Offense — Yards	347	Southeast Missouri State	2023
All-Purpose Yards	41	Colgate	2025
Punts	1	William & Mary	2026
Punting Yards	18	William & Mary	2026
Punting Average	18.0	William & Mary	2026
Long Punt	18	William & Mary	2026
Tackles	1	Southeast Missouri State	2023
	1	Southern Illinois	2023

NIGEL MCSWEEN

Tackles	6	Hampton	2024
	6	Colgate	2025
Tackles For Loss	1.0	5x	
Sacks	1.0	Towson	2024
	1.0	Stony Brook	2024
	1.0	Delaware	2024
Pass Breakups	1	Stony Brook	2024
Quarterback Hurries	2	Stony Brook	2024

KENYON MILES

Points	6	Delaware	2024
Touchdowns	1	Delaware	2024
Receptions	2	4x	
Receiving Yards	36	Delaware	2024
Receiving Touchdowns	1	Delaware	2024
Long Reception	36	Delaware	2024
All-Purpose Yards	36	Delaware	2024

IVAN MURRAY

Tackles	4	William & Mary	2026
Tackles For Loss	1.0	William & Mary	2026

LUKE MYERS

Punts	2	William & Mary	2026
Punting Yards	85	William & Mary	2026
Punting Average	42.5	William & Mary	2026
Long Punt	61	William & Mary	2026
Fair Catches			
Inside 20-Yard Line	1	William & Mary	2026

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CAREER HIGHS

UGO NWOTITE

Tackles	4	Hampton	2025
Tackles For Loss	2.5	Hampton	2025
Sacks	2.0	New Hampshire	2025
Forced Fumbles	1	Hampton	2025
Quarterback Hurries	2	Colgate	2025
	2	William & Mary	2026

JOSH OLUREMI

All-Purpose Yards	3	Lehigh	2025
Tackles	5	Hampton	2025
Tackles For Loss	1.0	Hampton	2025
Sacks	1.0	Hampton	2025
Forced Fumbles	1	UAlbany	2025
Fumble Recoveries	1	UAlbany	2025
	1	Lehigh	2025
Fumble Return Yards	3	Lehigh	2025
Pass Breakups	1	Sacred Heart	2025

ISAIAH RAGLAND

Points	12	LIU	2024
	12	William & Mary	2026
Touchdowns	2	LIU	2024
	2	William & Mary	2026
Rushing Attempts	19	New Hampshire	2025
	19	Elon	2025
Rushing Yards	152	Harvard	2025
Rushing Touchdowns	2	LIU	2024
	2	William & Mary	2026
Long Rush	65	Towson	2024
Receptions	3	Sacred Heart	2025
Receiving Yards	31	Sacred Heart	2025
Receiving Touchdowns	1	Sacred Heart	2025
Long Reception	24	Maryland	2024
Total Offense — Plays	19	New Hampshire	2025
	19	Elon	2025
Total Offense — Yards	152	Harvard	2025
All-Purpose Yards	170	Harvard	2025
Tackles	1	Penn State	2025
	1	William & Mary	2026

BRADEN REED

Points	6	Stony Brook	2025
	6	Lehigh	2025
	6	Tarleton State	2025
Touchdowns	1	Stony Brook	2025
	1	Lehigh	2025
	1	Tarleton State	2025
2-Point Pat (Reception)	1	Illinois State	2025
Rushing Attempts	1	Tarleton State	2025
	1	Illinois State	2025
	1	William & Mary	2026
Rushing Yards	12	Illinois State	2025
Long Rush	12	Illinois State	2025
Receptions	5	Harvard	2025
	5	Tarleton State	2025
Receiving Yards	91	Stony Brook	2025
Receiving Touchdowns	1	Stony Brook	2025
	1	Lehigh	2025
Long Reception	44	Stony Brook	2025
Passing Attempts	1	Tarleton State	2025
Completions	1	Tarleton State	2025
Passing Yards	27	Tarleton State	2025
Passing Touchdowns	1	Tarleton State	2025
Long Pass	27	Tarleton State	2025
Total Offense — Plays	2	Tarleton State	2025
Total Offense — Yards	28	Tarleton State	2025
Punt Returns	4	Hampton	2025
	4	UAlbany	2025
Punt Return Yards	102	Hampton	2025
Long Punt Return	41	Hampton	2025
All-Purpose Yards	109	Stony Brook	2025

GARRETT ROGAN

Tackles	7	William & Mary	2026
Tackles For Loss	1.0	Sacred Heart	2025
	1.0	William & Mary	2026
Sacks	1.0	Sacred Heart	2025
Pass Breakups	1	Colgate	2025
	1	New Hampshire	2025
	1	Towson	2025
Quarterback Hurries	2	UAlbany	2025

RALEE STEPHENS

Receptions	2	William & Mary	2025
Receiving Yards	19	William & Mary	2025
Long Reception	15	William & Mary	2025
All-Purpose Yards	19	William & Mary	2025

JR STRAUSS

Tackles	8	Colgate	2025
Tackles For Loss	1.0	North Carolina A&T	2023
Sacks	0.5	Colgate	2025
Pass Breakups	1	Colgate	2025
Blocked Kicks (Field Goal)	1	Towson	2024

NATE SULLIVAN

Tackles	2	Hampton	2025
Tackles For Loss	0.5	Hampton	2025

VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

CAREER HIGHS

BRENDEN TOPPIN

Tackles	3	Hampton	2025
	3	William & Mary	2026

JAMIE TYSON

All-Purpose Yards	36	William & Mary	2026
Interceptions	1	Elon	2025
	1	William & Mary	2026
Long INT Return	36	William & Mary	2026
Tackles	5	Lehigh	2025
Forced Fumbles	1	William & Mary	2026
Pass Breakups	2	Penn State	2025

SEAN WELDE

Receptions	1	Harvard	2025
Receiving Yards	6	Harvard	2025
Long Reception	6	Harvard	2025
All-Purpose Yards	6	Harvard	2025

LANGSTON WHITE

Tackles	1	Hampton	2025
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JAYVONT WILLIAMS

All-Purpose Yards	0	Hampton	2025
Interceptions	1	Hampton	2025
Long INT Return	0	Hampton	2025
Tackles	3	UAlbany	2025
Pass Breakups	1	UAlbany	2025
	1	William & Mary	2026

TYLER WOMACK

Rushing Attempts	4	Hampton	2025
Rushing Yards	26	Hampton	2025
Long Rush	26	Hampton	2025
Total Offense — Plays	4	Hampton	2025
Total Offense — Yards	26	Hampton	2025
Kickoff Returns	1	William & Mary	2026
Kickoff Return Yards	3	William & Mary	2026
Long Kickoff Return	3	William & Mary	2026
All-Purpose Yards	26	Hampton	2025
Tackles	1	William & Mary	2026



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Team Results

	Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conf	Time	Attend
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Team Statistics

	VU	OPP
Scoring	32	35
Points per game	32.0	35.0
Points Off Turnovers	8	6
First Downs	20	21
Rushing	8	7
Passing	11	8
Penalty	1	6
Rushing Yardage	157	130
Yards gained rushing	164	161
Yards lost rushing	7	31
Rushing attempts	30	41
Average per rush	5.2	3.2
Average per game	157.0	130.0
TDs Rushing	3	1
Passing Yardage	270	263
Comp-Att-Int	17-30-3	20-36-1
Average per pass	9.0	7.3
Average per catch	15.9	13.2
Average per game	270.0	263.0
TDs Passing	1	2
Total offense	427	393
Total plays	60	77
Average per play	7.1	5.1
Average per game	427.0	393.0
Kick returns: #-Yards	2-22	4-87
Punt returns: #-Yards	3-15	0-0
Int returns: #-Yards	1-36	3-24
Kick return average	11.0	21.8
Punt return average	5.0	0.0
Int return average	36.0	8.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	2-0
Penalties-Yards	15-107	3-22
Average per game	107.0	22.0
Punts-Yards	3-103	4-162
Average per punt	34.3	40.5
Net punt average	34.3	36.8
Kickoffs-Yards	5-313	7-379
Average per kick	62.6	54.1
Net kick average	40.2	38.0
Time of possession / game	28:01	31:59
3rd-down conversion	6/12	10/20
3rd-down pct	50%	50%
4th-down conversion	0/1	0/1



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	VU	OPP
4th-down pct	0%	0%
Sacks by-Yards	3-12	0-0
Misc Yards	0	0
Touchdowns scored	4	3
Field goals - attempts	1-1	5-5
On-Side kicks	0-0	1-1
Red-zone scores	(3-4) 75%	(2-2) 100%
Red-zone touchdowns	(3-4) 75%	(1-2) 50%
PAT-attempts	(3-3) 100%	(2-3) 67%
2-point conversion-attempts	(1-1) 100%	(0-0) 0%
Attendance	5221	0
Games / Avg per game	1/5221	0/0
Neutral site games	-	0/0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Villanova	7	10	0	15	0	32
Opponents	7	3	9	16	0	35



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Rushing

Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Isaiah Ragland	1	14	94	0	94	6.7	2	37	94.0
Ja'briel Mace	1	11	59	2	57	5.2	1	19	57.0
Pat McQuaide	1	3	10	0	10	3.3	0	6	10.0
Julian Glantz	1	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	1.0
Braden Reed	1	1	0	5	-5	-5.0	0	0	-5.0
Total	1	30	164	7	157	5.2	3	37	157.0
Opponents	1	41	161	31	130	3.2	1	34	130.0

Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Pat McQuaide	1	123.3	17-30-3	56.7	270	1	73	270.0
Total	1	123.3	17-30-3	56.7	270	1	73	270.0
Opponents	1	129.7	20-36-1	55.6	263	2	68	263.0

Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Jake Hilton	1	4	132	33.0	0	73	132.0
Brandon Binkowski	1	4	56	14.0	1	24	56.0
Braden Reed	1	3	25	8.3	0	13	25.0
Isaiah Ragland	1	2	30	15.0	0	19	30.0
Brody Eaton	1	1	1	1.0	0	1	1.0
Nolan Clayton	1	1	9	9.0	0	9	9.0
Ja'briel Mace	1	1	5	5.0	0	5	5.0
Chris Colby	1	1	12	12.0	0	12	12.0
Total	1	17	270	15.9	1	73	270.0
Opponents	1	20	263	13.2	2	68	263.0

Scoring

Player	PAT								
			kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
Isaiah Ragland	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Ja'briel Mace	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Dominic LeBlanc	-	1-1	3-3	-	-	-	-	-	6
Brandon Binkowski	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Jake Hilton	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
Total	4	1-1	3-3	0	1	1	0	0	32
Opponents	3	5-5	2-3	0	0	0	0	0	35

Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Dominic LeBlanc	1-1	100.0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	42	0
Opponents	5-5	100.0	0-0	1-1	1-1	3-3	0-0	45	0

FG Sequence

Team Name	Villanova	Opponents
William & Mary	(42)	(22),(39),(41),(40),(45)

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made

Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Braden Reed	3	15	5.0	0	9
Total	3	15	5.0	0	9
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Jamie Tyson	1	36	36.0	0	36
Total	1	36	36.0	0	36
Opponents	3	24	8.0	0	24

Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Ja'briel Mace	1	19	19.0	0	19
Tyler Womack	1	3	3.0	0	3
Total	2	22	11.0	0	19
Opponents	4	87	21.8	0	31

Fumbles Recovered

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

Total Offense

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Pat McQuaide	1	33	10	270	280	280.0
Isaiah Ragland	1	14	94	0	94	94.0
Ja'briel Mace	1	11	57	0	57	57.0
Julian Glantz	1	1	1	0	1	1.0
Braden Reed	1	1	-5	0	-5	-5.0
Total	1	60	157	270	427	427.0
Opponents	1	77	130	263	393	393.0

Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Luke Myers	2	85	42.5	61	0	0	1	1	0
Pat McQuaide	1	18	18.0	18	0	0	0	0	0
Total	3	103	34.3	61	0	0	1	1	0
Opponents	4	162	40.5	53	0	0	0	1	0

Kickoffs

Player	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydl	in
Dominic LeBlanc	5	313	62.6	1	0				
Total	5	313	62.6	1	0	4	40.2	24	
Opponents	7	379	54.1	3	1	2	38	27	



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All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Jake Hilton	1	0	132	0	0	0	132	132.0
Isaiah Ragland	1	94	30	0	0	0	124	124.0
Ja'briel Mace	1	57	5	0	19	0	81	81.0
Brandon Binkowski	1	0	56	0	0	0	56	56.0
Jamie Tyson	1	0	0	0	0	36	36	36.0
Braden Reed	1	-5	25	15	0	0	35	35.0
Chris Colby	1	0	12	0	0	0	12	12.0
Pat McQuaide	1	10	0	0	0	0	10	10.0
Nolan Clayton	1	0	9	0	0	0	9	9.0
Tyler Womack	1	0	0	0	3	0	3	3.0
Julian Glantz	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1.0
Brody Eaton	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1.0
Total	1	157	270	15	22	36	500	500.0
Opponents	1	130	263	0	87	24	504	504.0



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Team Defense

##	Player	gp	Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
8	Omari Bursey	1	8	7	15	4-7	1-2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
15	Christian Caballero	1	4	4	8	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	Garrett Rogan	1	2	5	7	1-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45	Colin Gurley	1	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1	Newton Essiem	1	4	1	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
9	Ivan Murray Jr.	1	1	3	4	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
0	Capri Martin	1	2	2	4	1.5-4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
99	Ratu Delano Navoti	1	2	2	4	2-10	2-10	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
6	Mikey Allen	1	2	2	4	1-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
23	Jamie Tyson	1	4	.	4	.	.	1-36	.	.	.	1	.	.
92	Nigel McSween	1	1	2	3	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	Brenden Toppin	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
21	Jayvont Williams	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
11	Tyler Cain	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
50	AJ Koukou	1	1	1	2	1-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96	Ugo Nwotite	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
20	Isaiah Ragland	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46	Dominic LeBlanc	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	Amari Jackson	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
34	Tyler Womack	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
18	Julian Glantz	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Totals	1	41	38	79	12-33	3-12	1-36	2	5	0-0	1	0	0
	Opponents	1	30	24	54	1-2	0-0	3-24	3	1	1-0	1	0	0



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		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot			
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off	
08/28/2026	William & Mary	30	157	3	37	17	270	1	73	17-30-3				270	1	73	2	22	0	19	3	15	0	9	427
Villanova		30	157	3	37	17	270	1	73	17-30-3				270	1	73	2	22	0	19	3	15	0	9	427
Opponents		41	130	1	34	20	263	2	68	20-36-1				263	2	68	4	87	0	31	0	0	0	0	393

Villanova Averages

Games	Avg/ rush	Avg/ catch	Pass effc	KR avg	PR avg	All purpose avg/game	Total offense avg/game
1	5.2	15.9	123.3	11.0	5.0	500.0	427.0

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			blkd	PAT attempts				off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
08/28/2026	William & Mary	41	38	79	12.0-33	3-12	1	0-0	1-36	5	2	0	3-3	0	1	0	8	32
Villanova		41	38	79	12.0-33	3-12	1	0-0	1-36	5	2	0	3-3	0	1	0	8	32
Opponents		30	24	54	1.0-2	0-0	1	1-0	3-24	1	3	0	2-3	0	0	0	6	35

Date	Opponent	Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs			
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
08/28/2026	William & Mary	3	103	34.3	61	0	0	0	1	1	1-1	42	0	5	313	62.6	1	0
Villanova		3	103	34.3	61	0	0	0	1	1	1-1	42	0	5	313	62.6	1	0
Opponents		4	162	40.5	53	0	0	0	1	0	5-5	45	0	7	379	54.1	3	1



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		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot			
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off	
08/28/2026	William & Mary	41	130	1	34	20	263	2	68	20-36-1				263	2	68	4	87	0	31	0	0	0	0	393
Opponents		41	130	1	34	20	263	2	68	20-36-1				263	2	68	4	87	0	31	0	0	0	0	393
Villanova		30	157	3	37	17	270	1	73	17-30-3				270	1	73	2	22	0	19	3	15	0	9	427

Opponents Averages

Games	Avg/ rush	Avg/ catch	Pass effc	KR avg	PR avg	All purpose avg/game	Total offense avg/game
1	3.2	13.2	129.7	21.8	0.0	504.0	393.0

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT attempts				off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts	
08/28/2026	William & Mary	30	24	54	1.0-2	0-0	1	1-0	3-24	1	3	0	2-3	0	0	0	6	35	
Opponents		30	24	54	1.0-2	0-0	1	1-0	3-24	1	3	0	2-3	0	0	0	6	35	
Villanova		41	38	79	12.0-33	3-12	1	0-0	1-36	5	2	0	3-3	0	1	0	8	32	

Date	Opponent	Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
08/28/2026	William & Mary	4	162	40.5	53	0	0	0	1	0	5-5	45	0	7	379	54.1	3	1	
Opponents		4	162	40.5	53	0	0	0	1	0	5-5	45	0	7	379	54.1	3	1	
Villanova		3	103	34.3	61	0	0	0	1	1	1-1	42	0	5	313	62.6	1	0	



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Opponent	Score	First Downs				Rushing Number-Yards	Passing		Total Offense Plays-Yards	Return Yards	Turn- Overs
		Total	Rush	Pass	Pen		Comp-Att.-Int	Yards			
William & Mary	32-35	20 / 21	8 / 7	11 / 8	1 / 6	30-157 / 41-130	17-30-3 / 20-36-1	270 / 263	60-427 / 77-393	73 / 111	4 / 1
Totals	32-35	20 / 21	8 / 7	11 / 8	1 / 6	30-157 / 41-130	17-30-3 / 20-36-1	270 / 263	60-427 / 77-393	73 / 111	4 / 1

Opponents	3rd Down	4th Down	Time of Possession	TOP Margin	Avg Yds/Rush	Avg Yds/Pass	Avg Yds/Play	Punting Number-Avg	Penalties		Sacks
	Conversion	Conversion							Number-Yards		
William & Mary	6-12 / 10-20	0-1 / 0-1	28:01 / 31:59	-03:58	5.2 / 3.2	9.0 / 7.3	7.1 / 5.1	3-34.3 / 4-40.5	15-107.0 / 3-22.0		3 / 0
Totals	6-12 / 10-20	0-1 / 0-1	28:01 / 31:59	-03:58	5.2 / 3.2	9.0 / 7.3	7.1 / 5.1	3-34.3 / 4-40.5	15-107.0 / 3-22.0		3 / 0

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