

2008 VMI FOOTBALL

GAME 7: VMI (3-3, 1-0 BIG SOUTH) AT GARDNER-WEBB (3-4, 0-1 BIG SOUTH)
OCT. 25, 2008 - 1:30 P.M. • SPANGLER STADIUM

SERIES RECORD: GWU LEADS 5-0
LAST MEETING: GWU 36, VMI 22; OCT. 20, 2007

2008 VMI SCHEDULE & RESULTS

OVERALL: 3-3 BIG SOUTH: 1-0
HOME: 3-1 AWAY: 0-2

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
S6	Saint Francis (Pa.)	W, 49-0
S13	at William & Mary	L, 17-52
S20	Chowan	W, 69-20
S27	at Ohio	L, 31-51
O4	#6 Richmond	L, 16-56
O11	Coastal Carolina*	W, 47-20
O25	at Gardner-Webb*	1:30 p.m.
N1	at Charleston Southern*	1:30 p.m.
N8	#15 Liberty*	1:30 p.m.
N15	at Stony Brook*	3:30 p.m.
N22	Presbyterian	1:30 p.m.

2008 GARDNER-WEBB SCHEDULE & RESULTS

OVERALL: 3-4 BIG SOUTH: 0-1

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
A28	at Tennessee Tech	L, 12-28
S6	Tusculum	W, 31-12
S13	at Austin Peay	W, 31-15
S27	Sam Houston State	L, 33-49
O4	at Charleston Southern*	L, 10-13
O11	at Georgia Tech	L, 7-10
O18	Presbyterian	W, 47-21
O25	VMI*	1:30 p.m.
N1	at Stony Brook*	3 p.m.
N8	Coastal Carolina*	1:30 p.m.
N15	at Liberty*	1 p.m.

TALE OF THE TAPE



38.2	Scoring Average	24.4
33.2	Points Allowed/Gm.	21.1
20.3	First Downs/Gm.	20.0
356.5	Rushing Avg.	159.7
83.3	Passing Avg.	209.6
439.8	Total Offense Avg.	369.3
30:13	Time of Possession	32:25
179.2	Rushing Defense Avg.	59.6
220.3	Passing Defense Avg.	238.1
399.5	Total Defense Avg.	297.7
7	Interceptions	12
16-86	Sacks By-Yards	9-83
16-8	Fumbles-Lost	12-5
45%	3rd Down Conv.	43%
34%	Opp. 3rd Down Conv.	32%
83%	4th Down Conv.	33%
42%	Opp. 4th Down Conv.	50%
20.4	Kick Return Average	23.6
9.4	Punt Return Average	9.1
+2	Turnover Margin	+5



◆ Game 7- VMI at Gardner-Webb ◆ 1:30 p.m. ◆ ◆ Gardner-Webb's Homecoming ◆

VMI RADIO NETWORK - WWZW-FM 96.7 FM (Lexington, Lynchburg), WLEE 990 AM (Richmond), WRIS 1410 AM (Roanoke), WPMH 670 AM (Hampton Roads) and WJLS 99.5 FM (Beckley, W. Va.). A free audio broadcast of the game is available at www.VMIKeydets.com (listeners must register on a one-time basis). Wade Branner will call the play-by-play, while Cal Murray will provide color commentary. Airtime is 1 p.m.

ONLINE LIVE VIDEO STREAMING- Each of VMI's remaining games this season will be broadcast online at the Big South Edge, located on the world wide web at www.BigSouthSports.com. Fans can sign up for single-game packages at a cost of \$5.95, while several different season package options are also available.

COACHES - **Sparky Woods (Carson-Newman '76)**, a veteran coach in the college ranks with over 30 years of experience, became the 30th head football coach in the Institute's 117-year history on February 12, 2008. He brings ten years of head coaching experience at both the SEC and FCS (I-AA) level.

Woods, 54, returns to the FCS (I-AA) ranks where he produced a successful run as head coach of Appalachian State for five seasons from 1984 through 1988. Woods guided the Mountaineers to a 38-19-2 mark and two Southern Conference titles (1986, 1987) and two I-AA playoff appearances. Over the two-year span in '86-'87, Appalachian State posted a perfect 13-0 conference mark. The Southern Conference tabbed Woods as Coach of the Year for three consecutive years (1985-87) and he was named Kodak Region II Coach of the Year in 1986.

As a head coach overall, Woods holds a 65-50-5 mark. Woods was also head coach at South Carolina from 1989-93, and later served as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Memphis (1995-96), Virginia (1997-98), and Mississippi State. Woods also served as running backs coach at Alabama from 2003-06 and served a one-year stint under Pete Carroll on the staff of the NFL's New York Jets in 1994.

Steve Patton (Furman '77) has averaged nearly seven wins per season in his 11 years with the Gardner-Webb program, and now has 105 victories in his 15-plus seasons of coaching at the collegiate level.

The Oneonta, Ala., native became the first coach in Big South history to record 100 career wins last season. Patton has recorded a 75-52 record during his 11-plus seasons at Gardner-Webb, making him the winningest in the school's senior college history.

Patton, 54, made his head coaching debut at Mars Hill in 1985, directing the NAIA Lions to an 8-3 record and the school's only outright SAC-8 conference crown. The smashing entrance into the head coaching ranks earned Patton National Coach of the Year honors and SAC-8 Coach of the Year honors from his peers.

Patton's experience in pro football includes coaching the Charlotte Rage of the Arena Football League and the Alabama Magic and the Carolina Storm of the American Football Association.

A VMI Win Against Gardner-Webb Would -

- ◆ Be VMI's first road win against a Conference opponent since defeating Liberty 10-7 on Oct. 1, 2005 in Lynchburg.
- ◆ Mark VMI's first road win since defeating Robert Morris 40-13 on Sept. 29, 2007.
- ◆ Give VMI its first back-to-back Conference wins since defeating Liberty & Charleston Southern on Oct. 1 & 8, 2005.
- ◆ Mark VMI's first-ever win against Gardner-Webb.
- ◆ Give VMI its first 4-3 start to a season since 2003.
- ◆ Make Sparky Woods the first head coach to go 4-3 to begin his VMI career since Allison T. Hubert did so in 1937.

Looking Ahead - VMI plays its second-straight road game next Saturday, taking on Charleston Southern at 1:30 p.m. The Bucs are at 6-1 Liberty on Saturday.

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VMI's Record When

Home	3-1
Away	0-2
Playing On Grass	3-1
Playing On Turf	0-2
Winning The Coin Toss	2-2
Losing The Coin Toss	1-1
Receiving The Ball First	3-2
Kicking Off First	0-1
Leading After the 1st Quarter	2-1
Trailing After the 1st Quarter	1-2
Tied After the 1st Quarter	0-0
Leading at Halftime	2-0
Trailing at Halftime	1-3
Tied at Halftime	0-0
Leading After the 3rd Quarter	3-0
Trailing After the 3rd Quarter	0-3
Tied After the 3rd Quarter	0-0
Leading with 2:00 Left	3-0
Trailing with 2:00 Left	0-3
Tied with 2:00 Left	0-0
Scoring First	3-1
Opponent Scores First	0-2
Scoring 20 or more points	3-1
Scoring less than 20 points	0-2
Scoring 30 or more points	3-1
Scoring less than 30 points	0-2
Scoring 40 or more points	3-0
Scoring less than 40 points	0-3
Allowing Opponent less than 20 points	1-0
Allowing Opponent 20 or more points	2-3
Allowing Opponent less than 30 points	3-0
Allowing Opponent 30 or more points	0-3
Rushing for 300 yards or more	3-1
Rushing for less than 300 yards	0-2
Passing for 100 yards or more	2-0
Passing for less than 100 yards	1-3
Totaling 400 yards or more in offense	3-1
Totaling less than 400 yards in offense	0-2
Allowing Opp. 200 or more rushing yards	0-3
Allowing Opp. less than 200 rushing yards	3-0
Allowing Opp. 200 or more passing yards	2-1
Allowing Opp. less than 200 passing yards	1-2
Committing Fewer Turnovers	2-1
Committing Equal Turnovers	0-0
Committing More Turnovers	1-2
Committing One Turnover or Less	1-0
Committing Two Turnovers or More	2-3
Playing In September	2-2
Playing In October	1-1
Playing In November	0-0
Playing a Non-Conference Opponent	2-3
Playing a Big South Opponent	1-0
Playing an In-State Opponent	0-2
Playing an Out-of-State Opponent	3-1

SERIES NOTES

THE SERIES - Saturday's meeting marks the sixth between VMI and Gardner-Webb on the grid-iron. The Runnin' Bulldogs hold a 5-0 advantage in the series, though two of the last three meetings have been decided by four points or less.

LAST MEETING - Gardner-Webb rallied with two touchdowns over the last five minutes of the fourth quarter to defeat VMI, 36-22, before 8,367 Parents Weekend spectators at Foster Stadium in the Big South Conference opener for both teams on Oct. 20, 2007.

Senior wide receiver Duvaughn Flagler connected with sophomore quarterback Stan Doolittle for a 61-yard touchdown pass play with 5:00 remaining in the game to provide the Bulldogs with what proved to be the winning score.

Leading 22-21 in the fourth quarter, VMI's offense drove the ball to the Gardner-Webb 11-yard line and faced a third-and-one with six minutes remaining. But a fumbled pitch exchange between sophomore quarterback Kyle Hughes and sophomore slotback Tim Maypray resulted in a five-yard loss and was followed by a bad snap on a 33-yard field goal attempt by Patrick Sweeney to send VMI away empty handed in the red zone.

Gardner-Webb took over at its own 27 and scored the go-ahead touchdown three plays later when Doolittle hit Flagler on a midfield crossing route for the 61-yard pass play.

The Bulldogs emerged victorious despite being dominated statistically in many categories by the Keydets. VMI ran a school record-tying 95 plays for 449 yards total offense to Gardner-Webb's 330 yards. VMI outrushed the Bulldogs, 352-111, and held a 39:42 to 20:18 advantage in time of possession. VMI rolled up a season high 28 first downs to GWU's 13 first downs.

Doolittle completed 10 of 15 passes for 151 yards and sophomore running back David Montgomery added 97 yards rushing and two touchdowns to lead the GWU attack. Flagler hauled in four catches for 75 yards while junior wide receiver Dobson Collins caught three passes for 87 yards and a touchdown.

VMI sophomore fullback Howard Abegesah rushed for a career-high 180 yards on 23 carries and produced his third 100-yard rushing game of the season. Hughes added 91 yards rushing and two touchdowns for the Keydets.

Sophomore wide receiver Tim Maypray caught a game-high five passes for 49 yards for VMI and hauled in a touchdown pass for the second straight week.

LAST GAME FOR VMI- VMI secured its first Big South Conference win since 2005 in impressive fashion, using a dominating second half to post a 47-20 win over Coastal Carolina before a crowd of 8,157 on Parents Weekend at Foster Stadium Saturday afternoon.

VMI won its first Big South Conference opener since 2005 and snapped a 10-game BSC losing streak while moving to 1-0 in the conference and 3-3 overall. Coastal Carolina dropped to 3-4 and 0-2 in the BSC.

The Keydets scored the final 37 points of the game to break open what was a close game in the first half.

The Chanticleers held a 20-10 lead following Marquell Willis' 5-yard TD reception from quarterback with 2:32 left in the first half, but the ensuing extra-point attempt by the Chants set the stage for VMI's decisive scoring run.

Redshirt sophomore Kris Ware blocked Justin Durham's extra point attempt and the ball was scooped up by freshman Juan Thrasher who raced down the left sideline for the fifth defensive two-point score in school history, cutting Coastal Carolina's margin to 20-12.

VMI marched 80 yards in nine plays on the ensuing possession and pulled within one point, 20-19, following redshirt freshman Chaz Jones' five-yard TD run an extra-point kick by freshman Greg Stevens with :35 left before halftime.

VMI never looked back in the second half, piling up 334 yards in total offense after half-time and outgaining the Chanticleers 246-20 in the third period alone.

LAST WEEK FOR GARDNER-WEBB- Gardner-Webb's Philip Peoples ran for a career-high 176 yards and a touchdown on 15 carries, and the Bulldogs led 30-0 at the half en route to an easy 47-21 win over Presbyterian.

Gardner-Webb (3-4) rushed for a season-high 321 yards and three touchdowns as a team, and rolled up 514 yards of total offense despite playing without starting quarterback Stan Doolittle. Senior Devin Campbell played very well in the game, completing 14-of-21 passes for 183 yards and two scores in the first half – connecting twice with Dobson Collins to help the 'Dogs build their lead. Peoples and Patrick Hall also punched in touchdowns in the first half for Gardner-Webb.

The Gardner-Webb defense forced six

Series Vs. The Bulldogs

Overall:GWU leads 5-0
 Games Played in Boiling Springs . . .GWU leads 2-0
 Games Played in LexingtonGWU leads 3-0

Results

DATE	SITE	W/L	SCORE
10/18/2003	Lexington, Va.	L	25-37
10/23/2004	Boiling Springs, N.C.	L	17-28
10/22/2005	Lexington, Va.	L (3OT)	52-55
10/28/2006	Boiling Springs, N.C.	L	31-35
10/20/2007	Lexington, Va.	L	22-36

Where the Keydets Rank

Team- Offense

Category	Stat	Conf.	NCAA
Scoring Offense	38.2	1st	8th
Rushing Offense	356.5	1st	1st
Pass Offense	83.3	7th	117th
Total Offense	439.8	2nd	10th
Pass Efficiency	158.7	1st	8th
First Downs	122	5th	N/A
3rd-Down Conv.	45.2%	3rd	T-19th
4th-Down Conv.	83.3%	1st	6th
Sacks Against	5	T-1st	T-6th
Red Zone Offense	87.0%	1st	N/A

Team- Defense

Category	Stat	Conf.	NCAA
Scoring Defense	33.2	6th	99th
Rushing Defense	179.2	5th	90th
Pass Defense	220.3	4th	72nd
Total Defense	399.5	6th	94th
Def. Pass Efficiency	141.3	6th	99th
Opponent First Downs	128	3rd	N/A
Opp. 3rd-Down Conv.	33.8%	2nd	N/A
Opp. 4th-Down Conv.	41.7%	3rd	N/A
Sacks Per Game	2.67	1st	19th
Red Zone Defense	70.0%	1st	N/A

Team- Special Teams

Category	Stat	Conf.	NCAA
Kickoff Return Avg.	20.4	4th	48th
Punt Return Avg.	7.9	5th	78th
Net Punting	28.9	6th	109th
Field Goal Pct.	66.7%	5th	N/A
PAT Kicking	96.7%	1st	N/A
Kickoff Coverage	38.9	4th	N/A

Team- General

Category	Stat	Conf.	NCAA
Turnover Margin	+0.33	2nd	41st
Penalty YPG	56.7	4th	N/A
Opp. Penalty YPG	54.8	5th	N/A
Time of Possession	30:12	4th	T-60th

turnovers, with Jeffrey Williams collecting 18 tackles (11 solo), a tackle for loss and two interceptions to pace that effort.

IT HAPPENED ON...OCTOBER 25, 1958 - Fifty years ago to the day of Saturday's match-up against Gardner-Webb, VMI went on the road to South-Central North Carolina and scored a 42-7 win at Davidson.

In that match-up, Bill Nebraska ran for two touchdowns while Sam Horner rushed for a team-high 77 yards. Also in the contest, Verne Keefer had an 86-yard interception return for a touchdown in front of 7,500 fans. The win improved VMI's record to 5-0-1 in 1958, moving the

Keydets' unbeaten streak to 16 games.

TEAM NOTES

BACK TO WORK - VMI football resumes action this Saturday by taking on Gardner-Webb. The Keydets will be looking to go 2-0 in Big South play for the first time since 2005 when VMI started out 2-0 with wins over Liberty and Charleston Southern. The Keydets, who played four of their first six games at home, must now play three of its remaining five games on the road including two straight away from Foster Stadium. VMI has never defeated Gardner-Webb in the previous five meetings, but three of the last four matchups have been decided by eight points or less.

MAYPRAY, GROSS HONORED- VMI quarterback Tim Maypray and Keydet linebacker A.J. Gross were named the Big South football Choice Hotels Offensive Player of the Week and New Balance Defensive Player of the Week, respectively, for games played in week seven of the 2008 season.

Maypray rushed for a career-high 155 yards -- a Big South single-game record by a quarterback -- and scored a touchdown in helping the Keydets defeat Coastal Carolina, 47-20 and snap their 10-game conference losing streak. Maypray also threw a 19-yard touchdown pass and caught three passes for 59 yards to finish the day with 214 all-purpose yards. His 33-yard pass reception in VMI's opening drive set up the Keydets' first touchdown.

He also had a long run of 40 yards that set up VMI's second score of the third quarter. Maypray also broke the Big South single-season rushing record by a quarterback during the game, as his season total of 696 surpasses the previous best of 656. The award is Maypray's second Offensive Player of the Week honor this season, as the junior also won the award on Sept. 8.

Gross led VMI with 13 tackles (six solo, seven assisted) in the Keydets' win over Coastal Carolina. He tied the Big South single-game record with five tackles-for-loss (minus-27 yards) and recorded three sacks on the day for minus-20 yards. Gross' three sacks came in the second half when VMI blanked the Chanticleers 28-0, and his play helped limit Coastal Carolina to 20 yards of total offense in the third quarter.

The two awards mark the first time VMI has received multiple weekly Big South honors since the games of Oct. 1, 2007, when Kyle Hughes was tabbed the Offensive Player of the Week and Bryan Barnson earned the Freshman of the Week accolade. It is the first time the Keydet football squad has been given the Offensive and Defensive Player of the Week honors since the games of Sept. 4, 2006, when Sean Mizzer and Jamaal Walton were given the offensive and defensive honors, respectively.

SECOND HALF SHUT DOWN - VMI's defense clamped down on Coastal Carolina's offense after intermission in the 47-20 win over the Chanticleers Oct. 11 at Foster Stadium. It was the first time that VMI had not allowed a point

Where the Keydets Rank in the Big South

Individual- Offense

Total Offense Yards Per Game

Tim Maypray140.87th

Total Offense Yards Per Play

Zach Collins11.81st

Tim Maypray7.93rd

Michael Rainey-Wiles6.97th

Bryan Barnson6.29th

All-Purpose Yards Per Game

Tim Maypray127.84th

Rajah Jenkins83.89th

Points Per Game

Greg Stevens6.84th

Tim Maypray6.0 T-5th

Scoring Points (Kick) Per Game

Greg Stevens6.82nd

Rushing Yards Per Game

Tim Maypray116.02nd

Chaz Jones48.29th

Rushing Yards Per Carry

Zach Collins11.81st

Tim Maypray7.05th

Michael Rainey-Wiles6.96th

Bryan Barnson6.27th

Bobby Epps6.19th

Chaz Jones6.010th

PAT Kicking Percentage

Greg Stevens95.8%2nd

Individual- Defense

Tackles Per Game

A.J. Gross6.312th

Byron Allen4.823rd

Sacks

Damiso Alexander5.02nd

A.J. Gross3.0 T-4th

Tackles for Loss

A.J. Gross10.51st

Jacob Rochester5.510th

Interceptions

Seven Players With1 T-9th

Fumbles Forced

Andy Viola2 T-2nd

Four Players With1 T-5th

Fumbles Recovered

Seven Players With1 T-2nd

Individual- Special Teams

Punting

Patrick Sweeney34.56th

PAT Kicking Percentage

Greg Stevens96.7%1st

Kick Return Average

Rajah Jenkins23.65th

Zach Collins16.110th

Big South Standings

	Overall	Conf.
#21 Liberty	6-1	2-0
VMI	3-3	1-0
Charleston Southern	3-4	1-1
Stony Brook	2-5	1-1
Gardner-Webb	3-4	0-1
Coastal Carolina	4-4	0-2
Presbyterian&	3-5	0-0
&- Not Eligible for Regular Season Title		

Last Saturday's Results

Stony Brook 20, Charleston Southern 19
Lafayette 35, Liberty 21
Gardner-Webb 47, Presbyterian 21
Coastal Carolina 35, N.C. Central 10

This Saturday's Games

VMI at Gardner-Webb*, 1:30 p.m.
Charleston Southern at Liberty*, 3:30pm
Stony Brook at Coastal Carolina*, 7 p.m.

Big South Weekly Teleconference

Each Tuesday during the 2008 season, each Big South head coach will participate in a one-hour teleconference call, beginning at 10:30am ET. Each call will be recorded and available for playback beginning Tuesday afternoons on the Conference's website, www.BigSouthSports.com. **THIS CALL IS OPEN TO MEDIA ONLY.** For information, contact Mark Simpson at marks@bigsouth.org or 704-341-7990 or Wade Branner (VMI) at 540-464-7253.

Teleconference Schedule:

10:28-10:30General announcements
10:30-10:40 . . .Steve Patton, Gardner-Webb
10:40-10:50Danny Rocco, Liberty
10:50-11:00Sparky Woods, VMI
11:00-11:10 . . .Bobby Bentley, Presbyterian
11:10-11:20 .Jay Mills, Charleston Southern
11:20-11:30 David Bennett, Coastal Carolina
11:30-11:40 . . .Chuck Priore, Stony Brook

after halftime in a Big South game and the first time overall since Lock Haven (W 20-0, 2007) and the first against an FCS opponent since a 33-0 win over Davidson in the 2005 opener.

COMEBACK KEYDETS- VMI entered the break against Coastal Carolina trailing 20-19, before outscoring the Chanticleers 28-0 in the second half en route to a win in the team's Big South opener.

The conference win while trailing at half-time is VMI's first since joining the Big South Conference. In fact, the last League game that VMI won when trailing at halftime was the

Keydets' last Southern Conference match-up, defeating The Citadel 23-21 in Charlotte.

GOING THE DISTANCE- Trailing 20-19 in the third quarter against Coastal Carolina, the Keydets drew up a pass play that ended up in the recordbooks.

Kyle Hughes connected with Zach Collins for a 90-yard touchdown reception, the longest play from scrimmage in Big South history. The hook-up was also the second-longest pass play in school history and the third-longest play from scrimmage in Keydet lore.

IT TAKES TWO, BABY. - VMI is now 2-0 in Big South games when scoring a defensive extra-point following freshman Juan Thrasher's return late in the second quarter against Coastal Carolina. VMI's previous two-point defensive extra point was scored by Grant Harris vs. Charleston Southern on October 8, 2005. Overall, VMI has returned five defensive 2-pointers since the rule was adopted in 1989.

AIR SUSPENSE - Although VMI doesn't throw the ball much in its triple action attack, the Keydets get their money's worth when they take to the air.

Of VMI's 22 passes completed this year, nine have gone for touchdowns. Junior quarterbacks Kyle Hughes and Tim Maypray have tossed five and three, respectively, while redshirt freshman Justin Hickman has one touchdown pass.

In addition, VMI is averaging 22.7 yards per catch.

FRESHMEN FILL IN AT FULLBACK- Junior fullback Howard Abegesah has missed the last two games because of a knee injury sustained against Ohio.

Despite Abegesah's absence, the Keydets have managed to get some noteworthy numbers from the fullback position. Redshirt freshman Chaz Jones (Cleveland, Ohio) has started the last two games, rushing for 112 yards and two touchdowns, while freshman Bobby Epps (Gainesville, Ga.) has gone for 117 yards and a touchdown.

MAYPRAY GOES THE DISTANCE - Tim Maypray has become quite the big-play threat since moving from slotback to quarterback.

The junior from Madisonville, Ky. has now accounted for a 40+ yard rushing play in each game this season. His streak of having a 50+ yard rushing play was snapped against Richmond, when his longest run went for only 45 yards. Then against Coastal Carolina, Maypray could only muster a 40-yard scamper.

Also against Richmond, Maypray saw his 11-game scoring streak come to an end, as he had scored a touchdown in each game dating back to a 37-6 loss to Lehigh last Sept. 22.

KEYDETS POST IMPRESSIVE NUMBERS AT OHIO- In their second-ever meeting against Ohio, VMI acquitted themselves nicely against

their only FBS opponent of the season.

The Keydets racked up 436 yards of total offense in the game, marking the most that VMI has ever produced against an FBS/I-A opponent since Division I split prior to the 1979 season.

VMI entered the game leading FCS with 399.0 rushing yards per game, and ran up 339 rushing yards against the Bobcats.

ROLLING, ROLLING, ROLLING - The Keydets rolled up a Big South single-game record 517 yards rushing and piled up 659 yards total offense against Chowan, just five yards shy of the school record set against West Virginia Tech in 1992. The 517 rushing yards against Chowan fell short of the school record 531 yards rushing gained against Richmond in 1991.

VMI currently leads the nation (FCS) in rushing averaging 356.5 yards per game. In 1991, VMI finished atop the I-AA rankings in rushing averaging 316.9 YPG rushing.

ABEGESAH BACK ON TRACK - Against Chowan, Howard Abegesah became the first VMI back to score three rushing touchdowns in a game since Thomas Haskins did it against The Citadel on November 16, 1996. Abegesah rushed for 124 yards and three touchdowns against Chowan and scored on runs of 4, 63, and 2 yards. The 63-yard run was a career-high. It was Abegesah's sixth career 100-yard rushing game.

SCORING SURGE - The 69 points against Chowan matched the single game VMI school record for most points set on September 25, 1982 when the Keydets blanked Central Florida, 69-0.

GETTING HIS KICKS - Placekicker Greg Stevens was named Big South Conference Freshman of the Week for games played Sept. 20, the league office has announced from Charlotte, N.C.

Stevens, a graduate of Peachtree Ridge High School in Duluth, Ga., was a perfect 9-of-9 on his point-after-touchdown attempts in VMI's 69-20 victory over Chowan Saturday, setting a VMI record. He eclipsed the former school mark of 8-of-8 set by David Tyler against Central Florida in 1982. Stevens is the fifth kicker in Big South history to hit at least 9-of-9 PATs in a game.

Stevens played soccer from age four until

VMI Weekly QB Club Luncheon

Each Wednesday during the season, VMI hosts luncheons featuring head coach Sparky Woods and selected Keydet players. The lunch, which begins at noon, is held at Moody Hall on the VMI post. Media planning to attend the weekly luncheon should call the VMI Sports Information office to RSVP at (540) 464-7253.

Video comments from the luncheon will be posted each Wednesday evening on VMIMKeydets.com.

Big South Preseason Poll

Liberty has been tabbed as the favorite in the Big South Conference's annual preseason football poll for the 2008 campaign. Below are the preseason poll results, with first-place votes in parentheses:

1. Liberty (12)77
2. Coastal Carolina58
3. Gardner-Webb52
4. Stony Brook38
5. Charleston Southern (1)30
6. VMI18

Big South Preseason Honors

Offensive Player of the Year:

Jerome Simpson, WR, CCU

Defensive Player of the Year:

Brian Johnston, DE, GWU

PRESEASON ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

OFFENSE

- QB - Brock Smith, Liberty, Sr.
- RB - Rashad Jennings, Liberty, R-Sr.
- RB - Conte Cuttino, Stony Brook, Jr.
- WR - Dee Brown, CSU, Sr.
- WR - Lynell Suggs, Stony Brook, Sr.
- WR - Dobson Collins, GWU, Sr.
- TE - Scott Fambrough, Coastal, Jr.
- OL - Demario Deese, GWU, Sr.
- OL - Britt Leggett, Coastal, R-Sr.
- OL - Mike Godsil, Liberty, Sr.
- OL - Britt Stone, Liberty, Sr.
- OL - Alex Bragg, CSU, R-Sr.

DEFENSE

- DL - Colin Dugan, Liberty, Sr.
- DL - Phillip Oboh, Coastal, Jr.
- DL - Adam Soivilien, Stony Brook, Sr.
- DL - Jake Killeen, CSU, Sr.
- LB - Mario Brown, Gardner-Webb, Sr.
- LB - Nick Hursky, Liberty, Sr.
- LB - D.J. Rice, Coastal, Sr.
- LB - Josh Mitchell, CSU, R-Sr.
- DB - Marrio Norman, Coastal, R-Sr.
- DB - Cedric McGowan, GWU, Jr.
- DB - Daniel Cooke, GWU, Sr.
- DB - Patrick Calvary, Liberty, Sr.

SPECIAL TEAMS

- PK - Luke Gaddis, Stony Brook, Sr.
- P - Michael Hanna, Gardner-Webb, Sr.
- LS - Dan Pope, Liberty, R-Sr.
- KR - Tim Maypray, VMI, Jr.
- PR - Dobson Collins, GWU, Sr.

the beginning of his senior year when he converted over to football in late September, 2007 and scored a total of 56 points for Peachtree Ridge including 41 of 45 PAT attempts.

Stevens is the second Keydet to be honored with a weekly award and joins Tim Maypray (Offensive Player 9/6) as the other VMI honoree.

MAKING A STATEMENT EARLY- In VMI's 69-20 win over Chowan, VMI ran out to a 34-0 halftime advantage thanks to four rushing touchdowns and a receiving touchdown.

The 34 points put in the first 30 minutes of play is the most by VMI since going up 42-0 in the first half against Central Florida on Sept. 25, 1982, when the Keydets set a school record for points in a 69-0 win.

GOOD DEBUT - With the win over Chowan, VMI coach Sparky Woods became the first VMI coach since A.W. "Slick" Morton (1947) to go 2-1 in his first three games as Keydet head coach.

BIG PLAY FEVER - VMI's option offense has been producing big yardage plays in bunches so far in 2008.

Against both Chowan and Ohio, VMI produced 10 plays that netted over 20 or more yards. In addition, VMI had five plays that moved the football 50 yards or more in the Chowan game.

On the year, VMI's offense has netted 41 plays of 20 or more yards including 13 that have gained 50 or more yards.

MAYPRAY HITS CENTURY MARK AGAIN - Tim Maypray rushed for over 100 yards for the fourth time this season at quarterback by rushing for a career-high 155 yards against Coastal Carolina. Earlier this season, he gained 130 yards against Ohio, 134 yards against William & Mary and 116 yards against Saint Francis.

In the season's first two games, Maypray became the first VMI quarterback to rush for back-to-back 100 yard games since Tony Scales in 1991. Scales rambled for 167 yards on 17 attempts and two touchdowns against East Tennessee State in the opener (9/7) and followed with 205 yards on 30 attempts and two touchdowns at Appalachian State.

PICK PATROL - It's been an entirely different story for the Keydet secondary this season with regards to interceptions.

After picking off only two passes a season ago, VMI has already pulled in seven interceptions this season, including two each against William & Mary, Chowan and Coastal Carolina.

Against William & Mary, safety Byron Allen (Massaponax, Va.) and linebacker Kyle Nikmard (Katy, Texas) both pulled their first career picks, while Levi Swindell and Eric Church followed suit against Chowan.

KEYDETS ON 44-GAME SCORING STREAK - Dating back to a 21-0 shutout at the hands of Georgetown on Oct. 9, 2004, VMI has now scored a point in each of the past 44 games.

The streak is the longest such run in the 118-year history of the program, besting a 43-game stretch from 1919-1924.

Despite the similar numbers, the current streak doesn't quite compare to the offensive prowess of the Flying Squadron days.

During the current 44-game streak, VMI has scored 1,001 points for an average of 22.8 per game. Over the school-record 43-game streak, the Keydets scored 1,138 points, averaging 26.5 points per contest.

Included in that run was the 1920 campaign that still stands as the school's only undefeated and untied mark. While going 9-0, VMI defeated Hampden-Sydney 136-0 and Catholic 96-0. That squad still holds the school record for points in a season, outscoring their opponents 431-20, averaging 47.9 points per game.

MAYPRAY HITS 1,000 CAREER RUSHING

YARDS - With a 27-yard rush in the first quarter against Ohio, junior Tim Maypray went over the 1,000-yard career rushing mark.

The converted slotback now boasts 1,367 rushing yards in his career, along with 930 yards receiving in his career.

Should he be able to break the 1,000-yard barrier in both categories, he would be the first such player in Big South history to do so.

He has already broken the 1,000-yard mark in kickoff returns, as he now has 1,209 such yards. His total of 3,632 all-purpose yards ranks him sixth on VMI's career charts.

STEVENS CONNECTS FOR FIRST - Freshman placekicker Greg Stevens converted his first college field goal try against William & Mary when he connected from 38 yards out in the second quarter for VMI's first points of the evening. Stevens also remained perfect in extra points converting both attempts against W&M to make him nine of nine on the year. Stevens kicked just one year of football in high school at Peachtree Ridge in Duluth, Ga. after playing soccer since age four.

SHUT IT DOWN - VMI's 49-0 victory against Saint Francis Sept.6 was the largest shutout win by VMI since defeating Central Florida 69-0 on Sept. 25, 1982. It also marked the third time over the last four years that VMI had logged a victorious blanking over its opponent in the season opener. The others were (2005- VMI 33, Davidson 0; 2007- VMI 20, Lock Haven 0). The Keydets have now won their last four season openers and are 18-6-1 in home openers since the 1953 season.

STINGY "D" RULES DAY - VMI established a new school record and a new Alumni Memorial Field at Foster Stadium record on Sept. 6 by holding Saint Francis to -4 rushing yards.

The fewest rushing yards a VMI defense had previously held an opponent was 8 yards against Virginia on November 5, 1977 (30-6, VMI win) and the previous home facility record for fewest rushing yards was -3 yards VMI managed against Marshall in a rain-soaked 24-20 loss to the Herd

on September 24, 1988.

DOUBLE TROUBLE - Sophomore quarterback Tim Maypray (129 yds.) & sophomore slotback Zach Collins (112 yds.) each rushed for over 100 yards against Saint Francis, marking the first time since last season's game against Robert Morris (Sept. 29, 2007) that VMI had achieved the feat. Against the Colonials, VMI quarterback Kyle Hughes (136 yards), "B" back Howard Abegeah (157 yards) and slotback Joey Robinson (100 yards) passed the century mark. Maypray & Collins each recorded their first 100-yard rushing games and had the longest runs of their career in the game (Maypray- 52 yard touchdown run; Collins 62-yard touchdown run).

VMI's 418 rushing yards against Saint Francis was the most piled up by an FCS team last week and were the most by the Keydets since running up 443 rushing yards against Robert Morris last season.

MAYPRAY EARNS WEEKLY ACCOLADE - In his first start at quarterback, junior Tim Maypray made a big splash, being named Big South Conference Offensive Player of the Week for the week of Sept. 7.

It marks the third time that the Madisonville, Ky. native has earned Big South Offensive Player of the Week honors, and it is the sixth overall weekly award he has won from the league (Freshman of the Week twice & Special Teams Player of the Week once).

WOODS SOLID IN DEBUT - Sparky Woods is the second straight coach to record a shutout victory in his first game as VMI's head coach. In 2006, Jim Reid posted a 33-0 win over Davidson in his debut at Foster Stadium on September 2, 2006 .

LET 'EM PLAY - In an indication of improved depth and rosters numbers the Keydets intend to utilize in 2008, VMI played a season-high 68 players in the Sept. 20 game against Chowan, besting the 63 players that saw action in the Saint Francis win on Sept. 6.

VMI dressed 85 players in the opener against Saint Francis including a group of 50 freshman that contained 27 true freshman. When the Little John cannon fired for the last time signifying the end of the Saint Francis contest, 33 players on the dress roster had played in their first college game.

THE MAGIC TOUCH - To say that sophomore Zach Collins had big-play ability in VMI's 49-0 win against Saint Francis is an understatement. The junior back from Universal City, Texas touched the ball two times and both resulted in long touchdown runs of 62 yards (career-high) and 50 yards.

Collins perhaps foreshadowed his big day in the season opener when he scored touchdowns on his only two touches in VMI's first spring scrimmage last April.

STEVENS PERFECT - Freshman kicker Greg

Stevens (Duluth, Ga.) converted a perfect seven of seven extra point attempts in his college debut against Saint Francis. Stevens was one off the single record of eight for eight established by David Tyler in VMI's 69-0 win over Central Florida on September 25, 1982.

RUSHING THREE-PEAT IN ORDER? - The Keydets will attempt to lead the Big South in rushing for the third-straight season in 2008. VMI ranked fourth in the country in rushing in 2007, averaging a Big South leading 283.2 yards per game.

WILL YOUTH BE SERVED? - Youth abounds on the 2008 VMI football roster, as only four players with senior eligibility are listed on the 89-man roster. The seniors are wide receiver Keith Taylor, linebacker Jacob Rochester, tight end Travis Ludden and defensive end Andy Viola.

In all, 54 players on the team have freshman eligibility, including 30 true freshmen.

OLD FACES, NEW PLACES - There were a few positional changes in preseason camp to be aware of.

The most notable is that three-year letterman and starter Keith Taylor has moved from the defensive backfield to wide receiver. Taylor, a senior, had started 21 games at both free and strong safety over the past two years and ranked second on the team in tackles in 2007 with 70, including 27 first hits.

Offensive tackle Nick Mims (R-Jr.) was moved back to the defensive line where he will back up at end, a position he had played for a season and a half before being moved to the offensive line late last season.

NEW STAFF ADDITIONS - In addition to the hiring of Sparky Woods as head coach, the Keydet football program welcomes three other additions to the coaching staff.

A.J. Christoff brings a distinguished coaching record to his defensive coordinator position with the Keydets. He has coached at 11 universities around the country and has been a defensive coordinator for 20 years, including stops at Idaho, Oregon, Stanford, Notre Dame, Colorado and Cincinnati.

Don Woods, Sparky's brother, is serving as the program's Chief of Staff while also coaching the defensive line. Woods was a high school coach for 38 years, accruing a 247-96 career mark along with four state semifinal appearances.

Steven Humphrey is a recent graduate of Tusculum and is coaching the Keydet wide receivers. He served two years as a student assistant coach following a three-year playing career as a wideout.

ROSTER UPDATE - Redshirt freshman offensive lineman Derek McKnight (Richlands, Va./Richlands) has withdrawn from school for personal reasons. McKnight played three plays in VMI's opener against Saint Francis on Sept. 6.

True freshman Butch Kaczmarzewski (Winchester, Va.) withdrew from school on Oct. 13 for personal reasons after having seen action in four of the team's six games on special teams.

VMI Big Plays In 2008

Opp.	Yds.	Play	Qtr.	Player(s)	20-Yard Plus Plays By Game:		
					Opponent	Plays	Type
CCU	90*	Pass	3rd	Hughes-Collins	Saint Francis	8	6 rush, 1 int., 1 fum. rec.
CU	74*	Pass	1st	Maypray-Semalulu	at William & Mary	5	2 rush, 2 kick ret., 1 int.
CU	65	Rush	4th	Ch. Jones	Chowan	10	5 rush, 3 pass, 2 kick ret.
W&M	64*	Rush	3rd	T. Maypray	at Ohio	10	4 rush, 2 pass, 4 kick ret.
CU	63*	Rush	1st	H. Abegesah	Richmond	2	1 rush, 1 kick ret.
SFU	62*	Rush	1st	Z. Collins	Coastal Carolina	6	3 pass, 2 rush, 1 kick ret.
CU	60*	Rush	2nd	T. Maypray	at Gardner-Webb		
UR	53	Kick Ret.	1st	R. Jenkins	at Charleston South.		
OU	53	Kick Ret.	2nd	Z. Collins	Liberty		
SFU	52*	Rush	1st	T. Maypray	at Stony Brook		
CU	52	Kick Ret.	4th	R. Jenkins	Presbyterian		
OU	51	Rush	3rd	T. Maypray			
SFU	50*	Rush	2nd	Z. Collins			
OU	46*	Pass	1st	Hughes-M. Scott			
SFU	46*	Fum. Rec.	2nd	D. Alexander			
UR	45	Rush	2nd	T. Maypray			
CCU	40	Rush		T. Maypray			
OU	37	Rush	1st	H. Abegesah			
OU	36*	Pass	1st	Maypray-Rainey-Wiles			
OU	36	Kick Ret.	3rd	R. Jenkins			
SFU	35*	Rush	3rd	T. Maypray			
CU	34*	Pass	3rd	Hughes-Itoka			
SFU	34	Int. Ret.	4th	G. Walker			
CCU	33	Pass	1st	Hughes-Maypray			
CU	28	Rush	2nd	K. Hughes			
OU	27	Rush	1st	T. Maypray			
CCU	26	Kick Ret.		R. Jenkins			
W&M	25	Rush	4th	Z. Collins			
CU	24*	Pass	4th	Hickman-Lewis			
W&M	24	Int. Ret.	1st	B. Allen			
SFU	23	Rush	3rd	M. Rainey-Wiles			
W&M	23	Kick Ret.	1st	R. Jenkins			
CU	23	Kick Ret.	4th	R. Jenkins			
SFU	22	Rush	4th	B. Epps			
CCU	21*	Pass	3rd	Hughes-Rainey-Wiles			
CU	21	Rush	4th	B. Epps			
W&M	21	Kick Ret.	2nd	R. Jenkins			
CCU	20	Rush		B. Epps			
OU	20	Kick Ret.	1st	R. Jenkins			
OU	20	Kick Ret.	2nd	R. Jenkins			
OU	20	Rush	1st	T. Maypray			

*- Play resulted in Touchdown

20-Yard Plus Plays By Player:

Player	Plays	Type
T. Maypray	12	9 rushes, 2 pass, 1 recept.
R. Jenkins	9	9 kick returns
K. Hughes	6	5 pass, 1 rush
Z. Collins	5	3 rush, 1 recept., 1 kick ret.
M. Rainey-Wiles	3	2 receptions, 1 rush
B. Epps	3	3 rushes
H. Abegesah	2	2 rushes
J. Hickman	1	1 pass
A. Lewis	1	1 reception
D. Semalulu	1	1 reception
G. Itoka	1	1 reception
M. Scott	1	1 reception
Ch. Jones	1	1 rush
D. Alexander	1	1 fumble recovery
G. Walker	1	1 interception return
B. Allen	1	1 interception return

Long Plays By Distance:

Distance	No.	TD
100+	0	0
90-99	1	1
80-89	0	0
70-79	1	1
60-69	5	4
50-59	6	2
40-49	4	2
30-39	7	3
20-29	17	2
Totals	41	15

Long Plays By Type:

Type	No.	TD
Rushing	20	7
Passing	8	7
Punt Returns	0	0
Kick Returns	10	0
Interception Returns	2	0
Fumble Returns	1	1
Other	0	0
Totals	41	15

100-200-100

100-Yards Rushing

Tim Maypray

9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis-116 yds.

9/13/08 at William & Mary-134 yds.

9/27/08 at Ohio-130 yds.

10/11/08 vs. Coastal Carolina- 155 yds.

Zach Collins

9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis-112 yds.

Howard Abegesah

9/20/08 vs. Chowan-124 yds.

200-Yards Passing

None

100-Yards Receiving

None

VMI's Big South Players of the Week

Offensive

Sept. 8Tim Maypray (QB)

Oct. 13Tim Maypray (QB)

Defensive

Oct. 13A.J. Gross (LB)

Freshman

Sept. 22Greg Stevens (K)

Keydet Career Highs

Passing

Yards

#14 Kyle Hughes261, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#16 Justin Hickman24, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#28 Tim Maypray74, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

Completions

#14 Kyle Hughes11, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#16 Justin Hickman1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#28 Tim Maypray2, 9/13/08 at William & Mary

Attempts

#14 Kyle Hughes24, 10/20/07 vs. Gardner-Webb
#16 Justin Hickman2, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#28 Tim Maypray2, 9/13/08 at William & Mary

Touchdowns

#14 Kyle Hughes3, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#28 Tim Maypray1 (3x), Last 10/11/08 vs. Coastal

Longest Completion

#14 Kyle Hughes90, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#16 Justin Hickman24, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#28 Tim Maypray74, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

Rushing

Yards

#2 Bryan Barnson44, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#3 Mario Scott5, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian
#6 Gabe Itoka60, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles91, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven
#12 Cameron Jones8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#14 Kyle Hughes136, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris
#16 Justin Hickman22, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#23 Chaz Jones97, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#24 Zach Collins112, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#25 Rajah Jenkins3, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#27 Drew Luxhoj8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#28 Tim Maypray155, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#31 Howard Abegesah180, 10/20/07 vs. GWU
#38 Bobby Epps67, 10/4/08 vs. Richmond
#41 T.J. Talley23, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#90 Travis Ludden13, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.

Attempts

#2 Bryan Barnson4, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#3 Mario Scott1, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian
#6 Gabe Itoka7, 11/10/07 at Liberty
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles11, 9/8/07 vs. W&M
#12 Cameron Jones1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#14 Kyle Hughes25, 10/20/07 vs. Gardner-Webb
#16 Justin Hickman4, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#23 Chaz Jones14 (2x), 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#24 Zach Collins8, 11/17/07 vs. The Citadel
#25 Rajah Jenkins1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#27 Drew Luxhoj1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#28 Tim Maypray26, 9/13/08 at William & Mary
#31 Howard Abegesah27, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris
#38 Bobby Epps13, 10/4/08 vs. Richmond
#41 T.J. Talley2, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#90 Travis Ludden1, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.

Touchdowns

#6 Gabe Itoka1 (2x), Last 10/4/08 vs. Richmond
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles1, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven
#12 Cameron Jones1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#14 Kyle Hughes2 (2x), Last 10/20/07 vs. GWU
#23 Chaz Jones2, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#24 Zach Collins2, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#28 Tim Maypray2, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#31 Howard Abegesah3, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#38 Bobby Epps1 (2x), Last 10/4/08 vs. Richmond

Longest Rush

#2 Bryan Barnson29, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian
#3 Mario Scott5, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian
#6 Gabe Itoka44, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles83, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven
#12 Cameron Jones8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#14 Kyle Hughes71, 9/29/07 vs. Robert Morris
#16 Justin Hickman11, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#23 Chaz Jones65, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#24 Zach Collins62, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#25 Rajah Jenkins3, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#27 Drew Luxhoj8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#28 Tim Maypray64, 9/13/08 at William & Mary
#31 Howard Abegesah63, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#38 Bobby Epps22, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#41 T.J. Talley15, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#90 Travis Ludden13, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.

Receiving

Yards

#2 Bryan Barnson111, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian
#3 Mario Scott84, 10/27/07 at Coastal
#6 Gabe Itoka34, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles40, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#24 Zach Collins96, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#28 Tim Maypray209, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#31 Howard Abegesah14 (2x), Last 11/3/07 vs. CSU
#38 Bobby Epps8, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#81 Daud Semalulu74, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#88 Aaron Lewis24, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#90 Travis Ludden30, 9/3/05 vs. Davidson

Receptions

#2 Bryan Barnson3, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian
#3 Mario Scott4, 10/27/07 at Coastal
#6 Gabe Itoka1 (2x), Last 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles2, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#24 Zach Collins2, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#28 Tim Maypray6, 9/15/06 at James Madison
#31 Howard Abegesah2, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#38 Bobby Epps1, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#81 Daud Semalulu1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#88 Aaron Lewis1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#90 Travis Ludden2, 9/3/05 vs. Davidson

Touchdowns

#2 Bryan Barnson2, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris
#3 Mario Scott1 (2x), Last 9/27/08 at Ohio
#6 Gabe Itoka1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles2, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#24 Zach Collins1, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#28 Tim Maypray2 (2x), Last 11/3/07 vs. Char. Sou.
#81 Daud Semalulu1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#88 Aaron Lewis1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#90 Travis Ludden1 (2x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis

Longest Reception

#2 Bryan Barnson49, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris
#3 Mario Scott46, 9/27/08 at Ohio
#6 Gabe Itoka34, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles36, 9/27/08 at Ohio
#24 Zach Collins90, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#28 Tim Maypray87, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#31 Howard Abegesah14, 10/20/07 vs. Gardner-Webb
#38 Bobby Epps8, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#81 Daud Semalulu74, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#88 Aaron Lewis24, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#90 Travis Ludden21, 10/27/07 at Coastal

All-Purpose Yards

#2 Bryan Barnson142, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian
#3 Mario Scott84, 10/27 at Coastal
#6 Gabe Itoka60, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles130, 9/8/07 vs. W&M
#12 Cameron Jones8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#14 Kyle Hughes136, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris
#16 Justin Hickman22, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#23 Chaz Jones97, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#24 Zach Collins109, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#25 Rajah Jenkins101, 9/27/08 at Ohio
#27 Drew Luxhoj8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#28 Tim Maypray346, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#31 Howard Abegesah194, 10/20/07 vs. GWU
#38 Bobby Epps67, 10/4/08 vs. Richmond
#41 T.J. Talley23, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#81 Daud Semalulu74, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#88 Aaron Lewis24, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#90 Travis Ludden30, 9/3/05 vs. Davidson

Kicking

Field Goals Made

#40 Patrick Sweeney1 (3x), Last 10/20/07 vs. GWU
#49 Greg Stevens1 (4x), Last 10/11/08 vs. Coastal

Field Goals Attempted

#40 Patrick Sweeney2 (2x), Last 10/20/07 vs. GWU
#49 Greg Stevens2 (2x), Last 9/27/08 at Ohio

Points Scored

#40 Patrick Sweeney5 (2x), Last 10/27/07 at Coastal
#49 Greg Stevens9 (2x), Last 10/11/08 vs. Coastal

Longest Field Goal

#40 Patrick Sweeney46, 9/15/07 at James Madison
#49 Greg Stevens38, 9/13/08 at William & Mary

Punting

Punts

#40 Patrick Sweeney6, 9/27/08 at Ohio
#91 Cameron Murray1, 10/4/08 vs. Richmond

Longest Punt

#40 Patrick Sweeney49, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#91 Cameron Murray34, 10/4/08 vs. Richmond

Touchdowns Scored

#2 Bryan Barnson2, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris
#3 Mario Scott1 (2x), Last 9/27/08 at Ohio
#5 Bryant Youngblood1, 11/10/07 at Liberty
#6 Gabe Itoka2, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles2, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#12 Cameron Jones1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#14 Kyle Hughes2 (2x), Last 10/20/07 vs. GWU
#23 Chaz Jones2, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#24 Zach Collins2 (2x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#28 Tim Maypray2 (5x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#31 Howard Abegesah3, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#38 Bobby Epps1 (2x), Last 10/4/08 vs. Richmond
#81 Daud Semalulu1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#84 Damiso Alexander1, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#88 Aaron Lewis1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#90 Travis Ludden1 (2x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis

Tackles

#1 Trae Watkins4, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#4 Tracy Hairston3, 9/13/08 at William & Mary
#5 Bryant Youngblood10 (2x), Last 10/13/07 vs. PC
#7 A.J. Gross13, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#8 Kyle Nikmard8, 9/27/08 at Ohio
#17 Patrick McKinney14, 9/2/06 vs. Davidson
#19 Levi Swindell15, 9/8/07 vs. William & Mary
#20 Joe Taylor12, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven
#22 Byron Allen8, 10/4/08 vs. Richmond
#26 Kris Ware6, 9/23/06 at William & Mary
#29 Greg Walker5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#32 Julian Bowers4, 9/13/08 at William & Mary
#34 Juan Thrasher5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#35 Jacob Rochester14, 9/9/06 at Norfolk State
#37 Tyler Reedy6, 10/4/08 vs. Richmond
#41 T.J. Talley3 (2x), Last 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#44 Andy Viola5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#45 Jack Curtis4, 9/15/07 at James Madison
#46 Zach Webb4, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#47 Eric Church4 (2x), Last 10/4/08 vs. Richmond
#49 Greg Stevens2, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#50 Josh Wine8, 9/27/08 at Ohio
#53 Hardy Temoney2, 10/4/08 vs. Richmond
#54 Josh Sneed2 (3x), Last 9/27/08 at Ohio
#83 Nick Mims5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#84 Damiso Alexander9, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#93 Aaron Blue3, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#96 Sam Palmer2, 9/27/08 at Ohio
#99 Emilio Calvin9, 9/27/08 at Ohio

Tackles-For-Loss

#1 Trae Watkins0.5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#5 Bryant Youngblood1.5, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#7 A.J. Gross5.0, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#8 Kyle Nikmard2.0, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#17 Patrick McKinney2.0 (2x), Last 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#19 Levi Swindell1.0, 9/27/08 at Ohio
#20 Joe Taylor0.5 (3x), Last 11/3/07 vs. Char. Sou.
#26 Kris Ware0.5 (2x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#32 Julian Bowers1.0 (2x), Last 9/13/08 at W&M
#35 Jacob Rochester3.0, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#44 Andy Viola1.5 (3x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#46 Zach Webb0.5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#47 Eric Church0.5, 9/13/08 at William & Mary
#50 Josh Wine2.0, 9/22/07 at Lehigh
#83 Nick Mims1.0 (2x), Last 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#84 Damiso Alexander3.0, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#93 Aaron Blue1.0, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#99 Emilio Calvin1.0, 10/4/08 vs. Richmond

Sacks

#5 Bryant Youngblood0.5, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#7 A.J. Gross3.0, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#8 Kyle Nikmard1.0 (2x), Last 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#17 Patrick McKinney0.5, 9/29/07 at RMU
#20 Joe Taylor0.5, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven
#35 Jacob Rochester2.0, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis
#44 Andy Viola1.0 (2x), Last 9/27/08 at Ohio
#47 Eric Church0.5, 9/13/08 at William & Mary
#50 Josh Wine1.0 (2x), Last 9/22/07 at Lehigh
#83 Nick Mims1.0, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#84 Damiso Alexander3.0, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

Interceptions

#5 Bryant Youngblood1, 10/27/07 vs. Gardner-Webb
#8 Kyle Nikmard1, 9/13/08 at William & Mary
#19 Levi Swindell1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan
#21 Keith Taylor1 (2x), Last 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.
#22 Byron Allen1, 9/13/08 at William & Mary
#34 Juan Thrasher1, 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#35 Jacob Rochester1 (2x), Last 10/11/08 vs. Coastal
#47 Eric Church1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

Game 1: Football Shuts Out Saint Francis 49-0 In Season Opener

Saint Francis (0-1) 0
VMI (1-0) 49

Foster Stadium • Lexington, Va.
 Sept. 6, 2008 • Attendance: 5,123

LEXINGTON, Va. - Juniors Tim Maypray and Zach Collins each rushed for two touchdowns and eclipsed the 100-yard rushing mark while VMI's defense pitched a shutout in its opener for the second straight season as the Keydets blanked Saint Francis (Pa.), 49-0, Saturday afternoon at Foster Stadium in Lexington.

Maypray, the all-purpose yardage machine who ran out of the slotback position his first two years at VMI, made his first start at quarterback and rushed for 116 yards with scoring runs of 52 and 35 yards while Collins turned in his first career 100-yard game with a career-high 112 yards on just two touches with both runs resulting in scores of 62 and 50 yards.

The VMI defense, which shifted to a 3-4 alignment this season, limited Saint Francis to a school and stadium record -4 yards rushing and also forced two fumbles which led to scores.

The Keydets won their fourth consecutive season opener and posted their third blanking over that four-game span.

The Keydets outgained Saint Francis, 444-252, including 418 yards on the ground. VMI also converted 5 of 10 third down conversions while the defense generated 11 tackles-for-loss including four sacks.

SFU quarterback George Little completed 23 of 45 passes for 256 yards while Red Flash wideouts Omar Winston and Antoine Rivera caught seven and six passes, respectively.

The Red Flash had their best opportunity to score when they held the ball for 16 plays and 59 yards while consuming 7:11 off the third and fourth quarter clock, but the drive stalled at the VMI 13.

The Keydets jumped to a 14-0 lead after one quarter scoring on two of their first three possessions. Maypray's 52-yard option keeper on the opening possession produced the contest's first score capping a four-play, 64-yard drive which ended at the 13:17 mark. VMI struck again on the last play of the first period when Collins took an option pitch and raced down the left sideline for a career-long 62-yard score. Collins followed at the 8:22 mark of the second quarter when his second and final rushing attempted resulted in a 50-yard TD run extending VMI's lead to 21-0.

VMI's defense produced the final Keydet score of the first half when Little, pressured by VMI senior linebacker Jacob Rochester tossed an inadvertent lateral that was scooped up by sophomore defensive end Damiso Alexander who raced 46 yards for a touchdown and extending VMI's lead to 28-0 at halftime.

Maypray's second touchdown, a 35-yard option keeper, capped an eight-play, 67-yard drive and pushed the margin to 35-0 with 10:28 left in the third quarter. Keydet junior back Howard Abegesah carried four times for 15 yards to help set up the score.

Fumble recoveries by redshirt freshman Emilio Calvin and freshman Josh Sneed set up VMI's final two touchdowns of the fourth quarter. Junior quarterback Kyle Hughes connected with senior tight end Travis Ludden for an eight-yard TD pass play and Abegesah capped the game's scoring with a one-yard dive with 5:16 left.

SFU	0	0	0	0	-	0
VMI	14	14	7	14	-	49

VMI-1st, 13:17-Maypray 52 run (Stevens kick)
 VMI-1st, 0:00-Collins 62 run (Stevens kick)
 VMI-2nd, 8:22-Collins 50 run (Stevens kick)
 VMI-2nd, 6:51-Alexander 46 fumble rcv. (Stevens kick)
 VMI-3rd, 10:28-Maypray 35 run (Stevens kick)
 VMI-4th, 6:28-Ludden 8 pass from Hughes (Stevens kick)
 VMI-4th, 5:16 - Abegesah 1 run (Stevens kick)

	SFU	VMI
First Downs	14	19
Rushes-Yards	25(-4)	50-418
Passing Yards	256	26
Passes (C-A-I)	23-45-1	3-7-1
Total Offense	252	444
Fumbles-Lost	4-3	2-1
Penalties	7-65	4-65
Punts-Avg.	6-40.3	4-38.0
Time of Possession	35:01	24:59

RUSHING: SFU- CONLEY 3-18; WILLIAMS 14-13; TEAM 1(-2); YEARWOOD 3(-3); LITTLE 4(-30). VMI- MAYPRAY 10-116; COLLINS 2-112; EPPS 8-48; ABEGESAH 11-44; JONES 6-41; RAINEY-WILES 4-38; BARNSON 3-11; ITOKA 3-10; HICKMAN 1-2; HUGHES 2(-4).

PASSING: SFU- LITTLE 23-45-1-256. VMI- HUGHES 2-6-1-19; MAYPRAY 1-1-0-7.

RECEIVING: SFU- WINSTON 7-82; RIVERA 6-88; COLMER 4-27; DIXON 2-14; HOWZE 1-22; WILLIAMS 1-11; CONLEY 1-6; BLAHOVEC 1-6. VMI- SCOTT, M. 2-18; LUDDEN 1-8.

Game 2: Football Falls to William & Mary, 52-17

VMI (1-1) 17
William & Mary (1-1) 52

Zable Stadium • Williamsburg, Va.
 Sept. 13, 2008 • Attendance: 10,624

WILLIAMSBURG, Va. - Despite a third quarter rally that almost allowed VMI to climb back from a sizable deficit, the Keydets could not withstand the big play ability of the William & Mary offense as the Tribe handed the Keydets a 52-17 loss Saturday night at Zable Stadium in Williamsburg.

William & Mary (1-1) appeared to have things well in hand following two touchdowns over the first 1:26 of the second half to take a 38-3 lead, but the Keydets trimmed some of the deficit with back-to-back scoring possessions.

Junior quarterback Tim Maypray converted a third and 15 quarterback draw call into a career-long 65-yard TD run to pull VMI within 38-10 with 11:10 left in the third quarter. The Tribe fumbled at their own 21 on the ensuing possession and junior quarterback Kyle Hughes' six-yard keeper five players later sliced the Keydet deficit to 38-17 with 7:31 remaining in the third period.

But William & Mary got back on stride with an eight-play, 72-yard scoring drive capped by quarterback Jake Phillips' third touchdown pass, an 11-yard toss to Elliott Mack to put William & Mary ahead 45-17 with 3:29 left. The Tribe would add another touchdown near the final two minutes of the game for the final margin.

William & Mary outgained VMI, 570-287, including 398 yards on the ground.

Maypray produced his second consecutive 100-yard rushing game as he gained 134 yards on 26 carries while junior fullback Howard Abegesah had 52 yards on 11 carries.

Running back Jonathan Grimes opened the scoring with a 29-yard run capping seven-play, 80-yard drive with 1:51 left in the opening quarter. Phillips added a 21-yard TD strike to tight end Rob Varno early in the second quarter to push the lead to 14-0 and the drive followed a fumble recovery that halted a Keydet drive at the William & Mary 39.

Phillips connected with wide receiver D.J. McCauley for a 28-yard TD pass for William & Mary's third straight scoring possession at the 7:27 mark of the first half, but the Keydets got on the board on the next drive when freshman kicker Greg Stevens converted his first college field goal, a 38-yard attempt that capped a 14-play, 53 yard drive.

The Tribe was able to tack on a field goal as time expired in the first half when Brian Pate converted a 42-yard field goal to send the teams into the dressing room at halftime with a 24-3 score.

VMI's defense produced four takeaways on the night, intercepting two passes on the Tribe's first two possessions and recovering two fumbles. Redshirt freshman cornerback Byron Allen wrestled the ball away from McCauley and returned it 24 yards to stop W&M's first possession, and sophomore linebacker Kyle Nikmard alertly gathered in a batted pass to stop the next drive.

The teams were flagged a total of 17 times with the Keydets drawing nine penalties for 74 yards and William & Mary penalized eight times for 80 yards.

VMI	0	3	14	0	-	17
W&M	7	17	21	7	-	52

W&M- 1st,1:51- Grimes 29 run (Pate kick)
 W&M- 2nd,13:28- Varno 21 pass from Phillips (Pate kick)
 W&M- 2nd,7:27- McAulay 28 pass from Phillips (Pate kick)
 VMI- 2nd,1:01- Stevens 38 FG
 W&M- 2nd,0:01- Pate 42 FG
 W&M- 3rd,14:18- Grimes 12 run (Pate kick)
 W&M- 3rd,13:34- Phillips 19 run (Pate kick)
 VMI- 3rd,11:10- Maypray 64 run (Stevens kick)
 VMI- 3rd,7:31- Hughes 6 run (Stevens kick)
 W&M- 3rd,3:29- Mack 11 pass from Phillips (Pate kick)
 W&M- 4th,2:04- Schonder 11 run (Pate kick)

	VMI	W&M
First Downs	13	30
Rushes-Yards	57-262	41-398
Passing Yards	25	172
Passes (C-A-I)	3-6-0	13-20-2
Total Offense	287	570
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	2-2
Penalties	9-74	8-80
Punts-Avg.	5-39.4	0-0.0
Time of Possession	33:10	26:50

RUSHING: VMI- MAYPRAY 26-134; ABEGESAH 11-52; ITOKA 6-34; COLLINS 3-20; HUGHES 6-19; JONES, Ch. 2-6; RAINEY-WILES 1-3; EPPS 1-0; SEMALULU 1(-6). W&M- Riggins 15-180; Grimes 5-97; Schonder 7-54; Phillips 4-49; Archer 8-43; McAulay 1-5; Team 1(-30).

PASSING: VMI- HUGHES 1-4-0-12; MAYPRAY 2-2-0-13. W&M- Phillips 13-18-2-172; Archer 0-2-0-0.

RECEIVING: VMI- MAYPRAY 1-12; ABEGESAH 1-8; RAINEY-WILES 1-5. W&M- Varno 4-60; Mack 4-42; McAulay 2-43; Grimes 2-15; Conyers 1-12.

Game 3: Keydets Rout

Chowan, 69-20

Chowan (1-3) 20

VMI (2-1) 69

Foster Stadium • Lexington, Va.

Sept. 20, 2008 • Attendance: 6,793

LEXINGTON, Va. – Junior running back Howard Abegesah rushed for 124 yards and three touchdowns and junior quarterback Tim Maypray gained 73 yards rushing and tossed a 74-yard touchdown pass to lead VMI to a 69-20 victory over Chowan Saturday afternoon at Foster Stadium.

In a game of big yardage plays, VMI produced 10 plays that netted over 20 or more yards, including five plays that moved the football 50 yards or more.

The Keydets rolled up a Big South single-game record 517 yards rushing and piled up 659 yards total offense, just five yards shy of the school record set against West Virginia Tech in 1992.

The Keydets held a 48-0 lead until the 12:07 mark of the fourth quarter when Chowan quarterback C.J. Westler connected for a 22-yard touchdown pass with wide receiver James Fox with 12:07 left in the fourth quarter for the first VMI opponent points allowed at Foster Stadium this year.

VMI set the tone on the first play of the game when Maypray fired a 74-yard scoring strike down the left sideline to red-shirt freshman Daud Semalulu to put VMI up, 6-0, 15 seconds into the contest. It would be the first of five straight touchdown drives for the Keydets.

Abegesah, who collected his sixth career 100-yard rushing game, added TD runs of 4 and 63 yards to extend VMI's lead to 20-0 after one quarter.

VMI scored on the opening play of the second quarter when Maypray converted a quarterback sneak on a 3rd and 1 from the VMI 40 into a 60-yard TD run. The jaunt capped a five-play, 80-yard drive that was set up by an interception in the end zone by junior defensive back Levi Swindell that halted Chowan's best scoring threat in the first half.

Another interception on the ensuing CU possession by redshirt freshman linebacker Eric Church led to an 11-play, 62-yard scoring possession that was capped by Abegesah's third rushing TD of the half – a two-yard burst. Junior quarterback Kyle Hughes rushed three times for 43 yards on the drive including a 28-yard run to the Chowan 2 that set up Abegesah's score one play later.

The Keydets extended their 34-0 halftime lead with 3:07 left in the third quarter when Hughes threw a 34-yard touchdown strike to slotback Game Itoka. Three of VMI's final four tallies all came on career-first touchdowns – freshman back Bobby Epps (two-yard run), a Justin Hickman to Aaron Lewis 24-yard touchdown pass, and quarterback Cam Jones eight-yard touchdown run.

Chowan University closed out the game's scoring on the final play of the afternoon when Fox snagged a 29-yard Westler pass in the left corner of the endzone as time expired in regulation.

The 69 points matched the single game VMI school record for most points set on September 25, 1982 when the Keydets blanked Central Florida, 69-0. Keydet freshman placekicker Greg Stevens also eclipsed the single game record for PAT's by converting all nine attempts and surpassed David Tyler's 8-for-8 mark against Central Florida in 1982.

CU	0	0	0	20	-	20
VMI	20	14	7	28	-	69

VMI - 1st,14:45 - Semalulu 74 pass from Maypray (Jones, Ca. rush failed)		
VMI - 1st,11:29 - Abegesah 4 run (Stevens kick)		
VMI - 1st,8:10 - Abegesah 63 run (Stevens kick)		
VMI - 2nd,14:49 - Maypray 60 run (Stevens kick)		
VMI - 2nd,8:35 - Abegesah 2 run (Stevens kick)		
VMI - 3rd,3:07 - Itoka 34 pass from Hughes (Stevens kick)		
VMI - 4th,12:26 - Epps 1 run (Stevens kick)		
CU - 4th,12:07 - Fox 22 pass from Westler (Cline kick)		
CU - 4th,10:25 - Itoka 9 run (Stevens kick)		
VMI - 4th,3:54 - Lewis 24 pass from Hickman (Stevens kick)		
CU - 4th,2:29 - Coard 7 pass from Westler (Cline kick)		
CU - 4th,0:34 - Jones, Ca. 8 run (Stevens kick)		
CU - 4th,0:00 - Fox 29 pass from Westler		

	CU	VMI
First Downs	19	26
Rushes-Yards	27-40	56-517
Passing Yards	289	142
Passes (C-A-I)	19-32-2	4-13-0
Total Offense	329	659
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	4-0
Penalties	11-73	8-56
Punts-Avg.	6-35.7	2-29.0
Time of Possession	31:37	28:23

RUSHING: CU- Spates 8-30; Myrick 7-13; Westler 11-6; Team 1-minus 9. VMI- Abegesah 12-124; Jones, Ch. 8-97; Maypray 4-73; Epps 9-66; Hughes 7-53; Rainey-Wiles 3-23; Talley 2-23; Hickman 4-22; Itoka 3-13; Luxhoj 1-8; Jones, Ca. 1-8; Barnson 1-4; Jenkins 1-3.

PASSING: CU- Westler 19-32-2-289. VMI- Hughes 2-10-0-44; Hickman 1-2-0-24; Maypray 1-1-0-74.

RECEIVING: CU- Coard 9-129; Fox 4-76; Spates 3-35; Lawrence 1-32; Myrick 1-12; Lubin 1-5. VMI- Semalulu 1-74; Itoka 1-34; Lewis 1-24; Scott, M. 1-10.

Game 4: Ohio Outlasts Football In

51-31 Shootout

VMI (2-2) 31

Ohio (1-4) 51

Peden Stadium • Athens, Ohio

Sept. 27, 2008 • Attendance: 19,938

ATHENS, Ohio– A homecoming crowd of 19,938 got more than they bargained for at Peden Stadium on Saturday afternoon, as Ohio produced the game's final three scores to pull away for a 51-31 win.

The Keydets (2-2) cut the Ohio advantage to 34-31 midway through the third quarter on a one-yard scoring plunge by Tim Maypray, following a 51-yard rush by the Madisonville, Ky. native. The Bobcats (1-4) answered immediately, as L.J. Flintall took the ensuing kickoff 97 yards for a touchdown to push the advantage back to ten points. The hosts tacked on a field goal and a 37-yard touchdown pass from Brandon Jones to Steven Goulet to provide the final deficit.

A well-balanced Ohio attack accrued a season-high 575 yards of total offense. Junior quarterback Boo Jackson accounted for 287 yards passing, going 16-of-23 for two touchdowns through the air while adding in 33 yards rushing on eight attempts. Redshirt freshman running back Donte Harden rushed for 142 yards on 20 carries, including a 67-yard scoring scamper in the second quarter.

VMI entered the contest as the FCS' leading rushing team, averaging 399.0 yards per contest. The Keydets approached that number against their only FBS opponent of the season, running up 339 yards on the ground, with another 97 through the air. Maypray posted his third 100-yard rushing game of the season with a 130-yard performance, while junior back Howard Abegesah accounted for 88 yards and a touchdown on just 10 carries. Maypray and Kyle Hughes also tossed touchdown passes.

The first quarter saw VMI grab a 17-14 lead, including a span included 21 points in a 43-second span.

An Ohio 23-yard field goal knotted the score at 17 early in the second quarter, as Barrett Way, who transferred to Ohio from VMI prior to the 2007 season, connected for the first of his three field goals in the game.

The ensuing possession produced VMI's second 11-play scoring drive of the game. With Kyle Hughes in at quarterback, the Keydets marched 71 yards before Abegesah scored from a yard out to take a 24-17 lead, the team's largest of the afternoon, with 8:32 remaining in the second quarter.

The lead was once again short-lived. The Keydet defense forced a turnover on downs, stuffing the Bobcats on the VMI 25 on a 4th-and-6 play. On the next play, VMI executed an option pass, as Maypray, lined up at wideout, received the ball from the quarterback Hughes, then attempted to lateral back to Hughes. Maypray's toss hit the ground before reaching Hughes, allowing the Ohio defense to reach the quarterback. Hughes then fumbled at the VMI 9, where Michael Brown scooped up the ball and dashed in for a touchdown, as the extra point moved the contest back square at 24-24.

The Bobcats took a 31-24 advantage at the 1:37 mark of the second quarter, when LaVon Brazill caught a 22-yard touchdown pass from Jackson.

Ohio opened the second half by marching down to the VMI 5 before having to settle for a 22-yard Way field goal. The Keydets then needed only two plays to cut the lead to 34-31, with Maypray rushing for all 52 yards following a 36-yard kickoff return by Rajah Jenkins. Maypray's 51-yard rush on the drive's opening play marked the fourth consecutive game that he has posted a 50+ yard rush.

The momentum quickly shifted to the other sideline, however, as Flintall's kickoff return touchdown pushed the score beyond the Keydets' reach.

VMI	17	7	7	0	-	31
OHIO	14	17	13	7	-	51

VMI - 1st,10:20 - Stevens 26 FG		
OU - 1st,8:27 - Price 43 pass from Jackson (Way kick)		
VMI - 1st,7:59 - Rainey-Wiles 36 pass from Maypray (Stevens kick)		
OU - 1st,7:44 - Harden 67 run (Way kick)		
VMI - 1st,2:06 - M. Scott 46 pass from Hughes (Stevens kick)		
OU - 2nd,12:37 - Way 23 FG		
VMI - 2nd,8:32 - Abegesah 1 run (Stevens kick)		
OU - 2nd,6:56 - Brown 9 fumble rcv. (Way kick)		
VMI - 2nd,1:37 - Brazill 22 pass from Jackson (Way kick)		
OU - 3rd,9:55 - Way 22 FG		
VMI - 3rd,9:23 - Maypray 1 run (Stevens kick)		
OU - 3rd,9:09 - Flintall 97 kickoff return (Way kick)		
OU - 3rd,1:47 - Way 27 FG		
OU - 4th,3:50 - Goulet 37 pass from Jones (Way kick)		

	VMI	OU
First Downs	15	10
Rushes-Yards	56-339	46-251
Passing Yards	97	324
Passes (C-A-I)	3-10-1	17-24-0
Total Offense	436	575
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	1-1
Penalties	5-50	5-56
Punts-Avg.	6-27.3	3-38.7
Time of Possession	28:36	31:24

RUSHING: VMI- Maypray 19-130; Abegesah 10-88; Rainey-Wiles 5-41; Jones, Ch. 4-33; Hughes 8-19; Collins 4-18; Epps 1-6; Itoka3-5; Barnson 2-(1). OU- Harden 20-142; Davidson 12-53; Jackson 8-33; Flintall 4-14; Brazill 1-6; Jones 1-3.

PASSING: VMI- Hughes 2-9-1-61; Maypray 1-1-0-36. OU- Jackson 16-23-0-287; Jones 1-1-0-37.

RECEIVING: VMI- Scott, M. 1-46; Rainey-Wiles 1-36; Collins 1-15. OU- Price 4-82; Dunlop 4-70; Brazill 2-35; Mooney 2-32; White 2-9; Peterson 1-46; Goulet 1-37; Harden 1-13.

Game 5: #6 Richmond Rolls to 56-16 Win Over VMI

#6 Richmond (4-2) 56
VMI (2-3) 16

Foster Stadium • Lexington, Va.
 Oct. 4, 2008 • Attendance: 7,643

LEXINGTON, Va. – The sixth-ranked Richmond Spiders pulled away from VMI with a 28-6 second half outburst and defeated the Keydets, 56-16, to spoil homecoming before 7,643 Foster Stadium fans Saturday afternoon in Lexington.

Leading 28-10 at halftime, Richmond started the second half with a bolt of energy as a jarring hit on VMI kick return man Zach Collins forced the ball free on the opening kickoff of the half. UR redshirt freshman Colin Pehanick scooped up the loose ball and raced 13 yards for the touchdown to extend the Spider lead to 35-10 before VMI could run a second-half play. Richmond added a two-yard TD run by senior running back Josh Vaughn later in the quarter and a pair of fourth quarter touchdown runs by redshirt running back Tyler Kirchoff completed the Spider scoring string.

VMI's lone second half tally came on a one-yard run by freshman fullback Bobby Epps with 2:16 left in the game.

Richmond outgained VMI, 419-267 in total yards, and the Keydets failed to complete a pass in five attempts and set a facility record for fewest passing yards in a game.

Junior quarterback Tim Maypray led the VMI ground attack with 88 yards on 19 carries and freshman fullbacks Epps (67 yards) and Chaz Jones (59 yards) combined for 126 yards rushing filling in for the injured Howard Abegesah (knee), who did not play.

Vaughn led Richmond in rushing with 123 yards and two touchdowns. Junior quarterback Eric Ward completed 10 of 13 passes for 130 yards and one TD for the Spiders (4-2), who rebounded from a 26-20 road loss against Villanova a week ago.

The VMI option attack, which led the nation in rushing entering the game and had produced 10 plays over 20 or more yards in each the previous two contests, was limited to just one play over 20 yards against the Spiders – a 45-yard run by Maypray that set up a second quarter scoring drive. The Spiders also converted all three VMI turnovers (2 fumbles, 1 interception) into scoring opportunities that produced three touchdowns.

Spider junior defensive lineman Miles Parker led all tacklers with 13 stops while Keydets defensive back Byron Allen posted eight tackles.

UR	21	7	14	14	-	56
VMI	7	3	0	6	-	16

UR- 1st,9:01 - Gray 29 pass from Ward (Howard kick)
 UR- 1st,6:53 - Rogers 41 fumble rcv. (Howard kick)
 VMI- 1st,5:24 - Itoka 12 run (Stevens kick)
 UR- 1st,3:31 - Crone 3 run (Howard kick)
 VMI- 2nd,12:30 - Stevens 21 FG
 UR- Vaughan 4 run (Howard kick)
 UR- 3rd,14:50 - Pehanick 13 fumble rcv. (Howard kick)
 UR- 3rd,8:53 - Vaughan 2 run (Howard kick)
 UR- 4th,14:14 - Kirchoff 1 run (Howard kick)
 UR- 4th,10:06 - Kirchoff 8 run (Howard kick)
 VMI - 4th,2:16 - Epps 1 run (Stevens kick failed)

	UR	VMI
First Downs	22	18
Rushes-Yards	46-289	59-267
Passing Yards	130	0
Passes (C-A-I)	10-13-0	0-5-1
Total Offense	419	267
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-2
Penalties	5-50	2-15
Punts-Avg.	2-33.0	5-37.2
Time of Possession	29:10	30:50

RUSHING: UR- Vaughan 16-123; Wilkins 16-87; Crone 4-25; Kirchoff 4-24; White 3-20; Smaugh 2-8; Ward 1-2. **VMI-** MAYPRAY 19-88; EPPS 13-67; JONES, Ch. 14-59; ITOKA 4-19; BARNSON 2-17; RAINEY-WILES 4-15; COLLINS 3-2.

PASSING: UR- Ward 10-13-0-130. **VMI-** HUGHES 0-4-1-0; MAYPRAY 0-1-0-0.

RECEIVING: UR- Gray 3-57; Boston 3-27; Monteverde 2-35; Crone 1-7; Mitchell 1-4.

Game 6: Second Half Rout Leads VMI to Win In Big South Opener

Coastal Carolina (3-4, 0-2) 20
VMI (3-3, 1-0) 47

Foster Stadium • Lexington, Va.
 Oct. 11, 2008 • Attendance: 8,157

LEXINGTON, Va. – VMI secured its first Big South Conference win since 2005 in impressive fashion, using a dominating second half to post a 47-20 win over Coastal Carolina before a crowd of 8,157 on Parents Weekend at Foster Stadium Saturday afternoon.

VMI won its first Big South Conference opener since 2005 and snapped a 10-game BSC losing streak while moving to 1-0 in the conference and 3-3 overall. Coastal Carolina dropped to 3-4 and 0-2 in the BSC.

The Keydets scored the final 37 points of the game to break open what was a close game in the first half.

The Chanticleers held a 20-10 lead following Marquell Willis' 5-yard TD reception from quarterback with 2:32 left in the first half, but the ensuing extra-point attempt by the Chants set the stage for VMI's decisive scoring run.

Redshirt sophomore Kris Ware blocked Justin Durham's extra point attempt and the ball was scooped up by freshman Juan Thrasher who raced down the left sideline for the fifth defensive two-point score in school history, cutting Coastal Carolina's margin to 20-12.

VMI marched 80 yards in nine plays on the ensuing possession and pulled within one point, 20-19, following redshirt freshman Chaz Jones' five-yard TD run an extra-point kick by freshman Greg Stevens with :35 left before halftime.

VMI never looked back in the second half, piling up 334 yards in total offense after halftime and outgaining the Chanticleers 246-20 in the third period alone.

VMI's defense preserved the second-half blanking by ending Coastal Carolina possessions during the final two quarters with two punts, two possessions ending on downs, and a third quarter interception by Thrasher that set up a score.

VMI piled up 546 yards total offense – 336 on the ground and a season-high 210 yards through the air. Maypray produced his fourth 100-yard rushing game of the year and gained a career-high 155 yards on 22 carries with one TD. Jones (53 yards-2 TD's) and freshman Bobby Epps (50 yards) combined for 103 yards rushing out of the fullback slot.

Coastal Carolina quarterback Zach McDowell completed 13 of 25 passes for 141 yards and a TD but was picked off twice. Redshirt sophomore Marquel Willis caught four passes for 44 yards and a touchdown.

The Keydets held a time of possession advantage of 35:18 to 24:42 for the game and converted all five red-zone scoring chances.

Redshirt freshman linebacker A.J. Gross led the Keydet defenders in tackles with 13 stops and five tackles for loss, including three sacks for -27 yards. Sophomore defensive end Damiso Alexander added two sacks to go along with his nine tackles.

CCU	14	6	0	0	-	20
VMI	7	12	21	7	-	47

VMI- 1st,9:47 - Ch. Jones 3 run (Stevens kick)
 CCU- 1st,1:31 - O'Neal 21 run (Durham kick)
 CCU- 1st,0:16 - Atry 31 fumble rcv. (Durham kick)
 VMI- 2nd,5:10 - Stevens 24 FG
 CCU- 2nd,2:32 - Willis 5 pass from MacDowall (Durham kick blocked)
 VMI- 2nd,2:32 - Thrasher PAT return
 VMI- 2nd,0:35 - Ch. Jones 5 run (Stevens kick)
 VMI- 3rd,10:47 - Collins 90 pass from Hughes (Stevens kick)
 VMI- 3rd,8:01 - Rainey-Wiles 19 pass from Maypray (Stevens kick)
 VMI- 3rd,0:09 - Rainey-Wiles 21 pass from Hughes (Stevens kick)
 VMI- 4th,3:32 - Maypray 4 run

	CCU	VMI
First Downs	18	25
Rushes-Yards	32-101	59-336
Passing Yards	151	210
Passes (C-A-I)	15-29-2	9-13-1
Total Offense	252	546
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-2
Penalties	1-5	7-80
Punts-Avg.	3-40.7	2-35.5
Time of Possession	24:42	35:18

RUSHING: CCU- MacDOWALL 8-24; O'NEAL 4-24; GAUSE 5-23; RICHARDSON 3-18; FORDHAM 6-17; SITTON 2-2; STARR 1-1; FRYE 1-1; TEAM 2-(-9). **VMI-** MAYPRAY 22-155; JONES, Ch. 14-53; EPPS 7-50; BARNSON 4-44; COLLINS 2-13; ITOKA 3-13; HUGHES 4-7; RAINEY-WILES 1-4; TEAM 2-(-3).

PASSING: CCU- MacDOWALL 13-25-2-141; RICHARDSON 2-4-0-10. **VMI-** HUGHES 8-12-1-191; MAYPRAY 1-1-0-19.

RECEIVING: CCU- WILLIS 4-44; SITTON 2-23; GREENE 2-23; USHER 1-22; GRAHAM 1-11; FORDHAM 1-10; NICHOLAS 1-10; O'NEAL 1-8; GAUSE 1-3; FRYE 1-(-3). **VMI-** MAYPRAY 3-59; COLLINS 2-96; RAINEY-WILES 2-40; EPPS 1-8; SCOTT 1-7.

Depth Charts

VMI Keydets (3-3, 1-0 Big South)

Offense

			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.
WR	12	Cameron Jones	6-0	200	R-Fr.
	21	Keith Taylor	6-2	190	Sr.
LT	51	Ben Brandt	6-2	260	R-So.
	66	D'Angelo Smith	6-1	255	Fr.
LG	55	George Handler	6-3	255	R-Jr.
	78	Rob Bailey	6-4	330	Fr.
C	60	James Boatright	6-0	270	So.
	55	George Handler	6-3	255	R-Jr.
RG	63	Bo Wren	6-0	260	So.
	74	Kyle Johnson	6-4	285	R-Jr.
RT	79	Frank Ellis	6-7	260	R-Jr.
	77	Steven Hite	6-4	250	R-Fr.
TE	90	Travis Ludden	6-3	240	R-Sr.
	89	Josh Favaro	6-3	230	R-So.
SB	9	Michael Rainey-Wiles	5-9	170	So.
	2	Bryan Barnson	5-11	175	So.
SB	24	Zach Collins	5-10	200	Jr.
	6	Gabe Itoka	5-6	180	So.
RB	31	Howard Abegesah	6-0	220	Jr.
	23	Chaz Jones	5-11	220	R-Fr.
or	38	Bobby Epps	6-1	210	Fr.
	28	Tim Maypray	5-8	165	Jr.
QB	14	Kyle Hughes	6-3	190	Jr.
	3	Mario Scott	5-11	170	So.
	2	Bryan Barnson	5-11	175	So.

Defense

			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.
LE	44	Andy Viola	6-0	230	R-Sr.
	93	Aaron Blue	6-3	250	R-Fr.
NT	50	Josh Wine	6-0	265	So.
	96	Sam Palmer	6-0	300	R-Fr.
RE	84	Damiso Alexander	6-3	245	R-So.
	83	Nick Mims	6-3	250	R-Jr.
OLB	8	Kyle Nikmard	5-10	215	R-So.
	32	Julian Bowers	5-10	225	R-Fr.
OLB	17	Patrick McKinney	6-3	245	R-Jr.
	47	Eric Church	6-3	240	R-Fr.
ILB	7	A.J. Gross	5-10	220	R-Fr.
	99	Emilio Calvin	6-3	240	R-Fr.
ILB	35	Jacob Rochester	5-10	213	Sr.
	54	Josh Sneed	6-2	230	Fr.
LCB	22	Byron Allen	5-10	185	R-Fr.
	46	Zach Webb	5-9	175	Fr.
SS	26	Kris Ware	5-11	211	R-So.
	1	Trae Watkins	5-11	180	Fr.
FS	5	Bryant Younglood	5-10	180	Jr.
	4	Tracy Hairston	6-1	185	R-Fr.
RCB	37	Tyler Reedy	5-10	175	R-Fr.
	34	Juan Thrasher	5-10	170	Fr.

Special Teams

			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.
P	40	Patrick Sweeney	6-3	190	So.
K	49	Greg Stevens	5-11	175	Fr.
H	12	Cameron Jones	6-0	200	R-Fr.
LS	90	Travis Ludden	6-3	240	R-Sr.
KR	25	Rajah Jenkins	5-8	165	Fr.
	24	Zach Collins	5-10	200	Jr.
PR	9	Michael Rainey-Wiles	5-9	170	So.
	25	Rajah Jenkins	5-8	165	Fr.

Gardner-Webb (3-4, 0-1 Big South)

Offense

			Yr.	Ht.	Wt.
H	17	James Perry III	R-Fr.	6-0	172
	82	Lyndon Leslie	R-Fr.	6-2	197
LT	75	DeMario Deese	Sr.	6-4	305
	52	Marion Gramling	Jr.	6-2	281
LG	76	Corey O'Daniel	So.	6-7	303
	72	Zach Welch	Fr.	6-2	279
C	53	C.J. Bryant	So.	6-1	262
	66	Austin Osment	Jr.	6-3	294
RG	66	Austin Osment	Jr.	6-3	294
	71	Joey Riggs	Jr.	6-2	255
RT	73	Kyle Webber	Jr.	6-5	284
	76	Corey O'Daniel	So.	6-7	303
TE	21	Josh Miller	So.	6-2	226
	48	Kyle Hoffner	Fr.	6-2	247
RB	34	Philip Peoples	Jr.	6-0	215
	40	Patrick Hall	So.	5-11	207
QB	10	Devin Campbell	Sr.	6-4	196
	17	James Perry III	Fr.	6-0	172
S	2	Brandon Jackson	Jr.	5-11	195
	1	David Montgomery	Jr.	5-7	168
X	7	Dobson Collins	Sr.	6-2	188
	84	Jamal Patmon	Fr.	6-6	195
Y	84	Jamal Patmon	Fr.	6-6	195
	18	Nick Melton	Jr.	6-1	198
Z	11	Tyson Petty	So.	5-11	181
	15	Darren Rogers	Jr.	6-0	205

Defense

			Yr.	Ht.	Wt.
DE	91	Leon Hudson	Jr.	6-2	238
	98	Brian Lewis	Jr.	6-4	264
NG	31	Kenny Baker	Sr.	5-11	261
	99	Nelson Rushing	So.	6-1	284
DT	69	Quinnon Isom	Sr.	6-1	280
	57	Kyle Hill	Sr.	6-0	256
Will	9	Jeffrey Williams	So.	6-0	221
	58	Garrett Trusler	Fr.	6-2	217
Mike	51	Dami Teniola	So.	5-11	220
	50	Devin Johnson	Fr.	5-10	201
Sam	39	Marty Patterson	So.	6-3	212
	43	Heath Hover	Jr.	5-11	222
Bandit	19	Jordan Woods	Fr.	6-3	225
	63	Billy Luther	Sr.	5-11	229
CB	16	Bryce Nixon	So.	5-11	182
	22	Jermaine Grandison	Jr.	5-7	171
FS	46	Lyndrez Leslie	Fr.	6-1	197
	42	Quantavis Jackson	Jr.	5-11	205
SS	23	Daniel Cooke	Sr.	6-1	200
	6	Davie Simpson	Sr.	5-11	206
CB	20	Cedric McGowan	Jr.	6-0	193
	24	Terron Williams	Sr.	5-10	190

Special Teams

			Yr.	Ht.	Wt.
P	95	Michael Hanna	Sr.	6-2	220
K	83	Ryan Gates	Fr.	5-8	172
H	18	Nick Melton	Jr.	6-1	198
LS	67	Travis McManis	Fr.	6-0	277
KR	2	Brandon Jackson	Jr.	5-11	195
	11	Tyson Petty	So.	5-11	181
PR	7	Dobson Collins	Sr.	6-2	188

Keydet Game-By-Game Starters

	9/6	9/13	9/20	9/27	10/4	10/11	10/25	11/1	11/8	11/15	11/22
Offense	SFU	W&M	Chowan	Ohio	UR	CCU	GWU	CSU	Liberty	SBU	PC
WR	K. Taylor	Ca. Jones	Ca. Jones	Ca. Jones	Ca. Jones	Maypray					
LT	Brandt	Brandt	Brandt	Brandt	Brandt	Ellis					
LG	G. Handler	G. Handler	G. Handler	G. Handler	G. Handler	G. Handler					
C	Boatright	Boatright	Boatright	Boatright	Boatright	Boatright					
RG	Wren	Wren	Wren	Wren	Wren	Wren					
RT	Hite	Ellis	Ellis	Hite	Hite	Hite					
WR	Ludden (TE)	M. Scott	Semalulu	M. Scott	M. Scott	M. Scott					
QB	Maypray	Maypray	Maypray	Maypray	Maypray	Hughes					
RB	Abegesah	Abegesah	Abegesah	Abegesah	Ch. Jones	Ch. Jones					
SB	Rainey-Wiles	Rainey-Wiles	Rainey-Wiles	Rainey-Wiles	Rainey-Wiles	Rainey-Wiles					
SB	Itoka	Collins	Collins	Collins	Collins	Collins					

Defense

LE	Viola	Viola	Viola	Viola	Viola	Viola					
NT	Wine	Wine	Wine	Wine	Wine	Wine					
RE	Alexander	Alexander	Alexander	Alexander	Alexander	Alexander					
OLB	Nikmard	Nikmard	Nikmard	Nikmard	Nikmard	Nikmard					
ILB	Gross	Calvin	Gross	Gross	Gross	Gross					
ILB	Rochester	Rochester	Rochester	Rochester	Rochester	Rochester					
OLB	McKinney	McKinney	McKinney	McKinney	McKinney	McKinney	Hairston*				
CB	Allen	Allen	Thrasher	Allen	Allen	Allen					
SS	Ware	Ware	Ware	Ware	Ware	Ware					
FS	Reedy	Reedy	Youngblood	Youngblood	Youngblood	Youngblood					
CB	Youngblood	Youngblood	Swindell	Swindell	Reedy	Reedy					

*-3rd CB

Sp. Tms.

K	Stevens	Stevens	Stevens	Stevens	Stevens	Stevens					
P	Sweeney	Sweeney	Sweeney	Sweeney	Sweeney	Sweeney					

VMI Roster/Pronunciation Guide

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown/Previous School
1	Trae Watkins	DB	Fr.	5-11	180	Lynchburg, Va./Virginia Episcopal
2	Bryan Barnson*	WR	So.	5-11	175	Chesapeake, Va./Western Branch
3	Mario Scott*	WR	So.	5-11	170	Staunton, Va./Randolph-Macon Academy
4	Tracy Hairston	DB	R-Fr.	6-1	185	Martinsville, Va./Martinsville
5	Bryant Youngblood**	CB	Jr.	5-10	180	Youngstown, Ohio/Youngstown Ursuline
6	Gabe Itoka*	SB	So.	5-6	180	Reston, Va./South Lakes
7	A.J. Gross	LB	R-Fr.	5-10	220	Waldorf, Md./Westlake
8	Kyle Nikmard*	LB	R-So.	5-10	215	Katy, Texas/Taylor
9	Michael Rainey-Wiles*	SB	So.	5-9	170	Pittsburgh, Pa./North Hills
11	T.J. Guthrie	DT	R-So.	6-2	245	Pittsburgh, Pa./North Allegheny
12	Cameron Jones	QB	R-Fr.	6-0	200	Austin, Texas/Stephen F. Austin
13	Geoff Dinneen	DB	R-Fr.	5-10	185	Boulder Creek, Calif./San Lorenzo Valley
14	Kyle Hughes**	QB	Jr.	6-3	190	Williamsburg, Va./Lafayette
16	Justin Hickman	QB	R-Fr.	6-0	185	Brandon, Fla./Armwood
17	Patrick McKinney**	LB	R-Jr.	6-3	245	Big Stone Gap, Va./Powell Valley
19	Levi Swindell**	SS	Jr.	6-0	190	Elk Grove, Calif./Franklin/FUMA
20	Joe Taylor**	LB	R-Jr.	5-11	200	Richmond, Va./Benedictine
21	Keith Taylor***	WR	Sr.	6-2	190	Mechanicsville, Va./Lee-Davis
22	Byron Allen	DB	R-Fr.	5-10	185	Massaponax, Va./Massaponax/FUMA
23	Chaz Jones	RB	R-Fr.	5-11	220	Cleveland, Ohio/Glenville
24	Zach Collins**	SB	Jr.	5-10	200	Universal City, Texas/Randolph
25	Rajah Jenkins	SB	Fr.	5-8	165	Staunton, Va./R.E. Lee
26	Kris Ware*	SS	R-So.	5-11	211	Chesapeake, Va./Deep Creek
27	Drew Luxhoj	SB	R-Fr.	5-9	170	Glen Allen, Va./Deep Run
28	Tim Maypray**	SB	Jr.	5-8	165	Madisonville, Ky./Randolph-Macon Acad.
29	Greg Walker	CB	Fr.	5-9	165	Waldorf, Md./Westlake
30	Chris Conte	WR	R-Fr.	5-9	170	Tampa, Fla./Plant
31	Howard Abegesah**	RB	Jr.	6-0	220	Beltsville, Md./High Point
32	Julian Bowers	LB	R-Fr.	5-10	225	Richmond, Va./Clover Hill
33	Robert Bigler	SB	Fr.	5-10	180	Locust Grove, Va./Orange County
34	Juan Thrasher	FS	Fr.	5-10	170	Carrollton, Tex./Creekview
35	Jacob Rochester***	LB	Sr.	5-10	213	Dallas, Texas/Bishop Lynch
36	Mike Louthan	LB	R-So.	6-0	210	Richmond, Va./Douglas Freeman
37	Tyler Reedy	FS	R-Fr.	5-10	175	Canton, Ga./Sequoyah
38	Bobby Epps	RB	Fr.	6-1	210	Gainesville, Ga./North Hall
40	Patrick Sweeney*	P	So.	6-3	190	Richmond, Va./Mills Godwin
41	T.J. Talley	SB	Fr.	5-10	190	South Hill, Va./Parkview
42	Richard Luck	LB	Fr.	5-10	195	Richmond, Va./St. Christopher's
43	Adam Looney	DB	Fr.	5-10	172	Salem, Va./Glenvar
44	Andy Viola***	DE	R-Sr.	6-0	230	Broadway, Va./Moorefield (W. Va.)
45	Jack Curtis*	LB	R-So.	6-0	215	Fairfax, Va./Robinson
46	Zach Webb	SB	Fr.	5-9	175	Bedford, Va./FUMA/Liberty
47	Eric Church	LB	R-Fr.	6-3	240	Louisa, Va./Louisa County
48	William Baber	S	Fr.	5-11	180	Glen Allen, Va./Deep Run
49	Greg Stevens	K	Fr.	5-11	175	Duluth, Ga./Peachtree Ridge
50	Josh Wine*	DT	So.	6-0	265	Fredericksburg, Va./Massaponax
51	Ben Brandt*	OL	R-So.	6-2	260	Forest, Va./Jefferson Forest
52	Alex Ray	LB	R-Fr.	5-11	225	Roanoke, Va./Hidden Valley
53	Hardy Temoney	ILB	Fr.	5-11	205	Wilmington, N.C./Eugene Ashley
54	Josh Sneed	LB	Fr.	6-2	230	Lawrenceville, Ga./Collins Hill
55	George Handler**	OL	R-Jr.	6-3	255	Quinton, Va./New Kent
56	Corey Reuzenaar	LB	Fr.	6-1	232	Radford, Va./Fork Union
58	Michael White	OLB	Fr.	6-2	220	Midlothian, Va./Midlothian
60	James Boatright*	C	So.	6-0	270	Grayson, Ga./Grayson
62	Chris Leach	C	R-Jr.	6-3	273	Raphine, Va./Rockbridge County
63	Bo Wren*	OL	So.	6-0	260	Gainesville, Ga./Gainesville
64	Mark Tomlin	OL	R-Fr.	6-4	258	Madison Heights, Va./Amherst County
65	James Handler	OL	R-Fr.	6-4	300	Quinton, Va./New Kent
66	D'Angelo Smith	OL	Fr.	6-1	255	Ellenwood, Ga./Stockbridge
67	Jeff Kulat	OL	R-So.	6-3	311	Shrewsbury, N.J./Red Bank
68	Colin Antonucci	OL	Fr.	5-11	228	Chesapeake, Va./Western Branch
69	Justin Tench	OL	R-So.	6-3	295	West Point, Va./West Point
70	Dave Stradford	OL/DL	Fr.	5-10	270	Fort Washington, Md./Friendly
72	Fred DeRose	DL	Fr.	6-3	261	Deer Run, Mich./University of Detroit HS
73	Matt Ferguson	DL	Fr.	6-2	220	McLean, Va./Hargrave Military
74	Kyle Johnson**	OL	R-Jr.	6-4	285	Purcellville, Va./Loudoun Valley
77	Steven Hite	OL	R-Fr.	6-4	250	Smyrna, Ga./Campbell
78	Rob Bailey	OL	Fr.	6-4	330	Bonaire, Ga./Warner Robbins
79	Frank Ellis*	OL	R-Jr.	6-7	260	Reva, Va./Madison County
80	Marc Ray	P	Fr.	6-1	172	Greenville, Va./Riverheads
81	Daud Semalulu	WR	R-Fr.	6-3	190	Aylmer, Quebec/Champlain Coll. Lennoxville
82	Luke Holloran	WR	Fr.	6-4	195	Broadway, Va./Broadway
83	Nick Mims**	DL	R-Jr.	6-3	250	Newport News, Va./Tallwood
84	Damiso Alexander*	DE	R-So.	6-3	245	Richmond, Va./Hermitage
85	Edwin Cruz	WR	Fr.	5-10	165	Chester, Va./Thomas Dale
86	Kyle Marston	WR	Fr.	6-1	190	Bagdad, Ky./Shelby
87	Eric Scott	WR	R-Fr.	5-9	160	Richmond, Va./Mills Godwin
88	Aaron Lewis	WR	Fr.	6-3	195	Richmond, Va./Meadowbrook
89	Josh Favaro*	TE	R-So.	6-3	230	Suwanee, Ga./North Gwinnett
90	Travis Ludden***	TE	R-Sr.	6-3	240	Fredericksburg, Va./Massaponax
91	Cameron Murray	P	Fr.	6-1	200	Richmond, Va./Deep Run
92	Terrell Lynch	DE	Fr.	6-2	230	Richmond, Va./Hermitage
93	Aaron Blue	DE	R-Fr.	6-3	250	Suwanee, Ga./Peachtree Ridge
96	Sam Palmer	DT	R-Fr.	6-0	300	Smyrna, Ga./Campbell
97	Grant Martin	DT	R-Fr.	6-0	250	Martinsville, Va./Martinsville
98	Aaron Trent	LB	Fr.	6-4	240	Johnson City Tenn./Science Hill
99	Emilio Calvin	DE	R-Fr.	6-3	240	Woodbridge, Va./Freedom

Pronunciation Guide:

Howard Abegesah -- Howard ab-GAY-sah
 Damiso Alexander -- dah-ME-so Alexander
 Josh Favaro -- Josh fah-VAR-o
 Gabe Itoka -- Gabe eye-TOKE-ah
 Butch Kaczmarzewski -- kaz-mar-ZOO-ski
 Jeff Kulat -- Jeff KOO-laht
 Travis Ludden -- Travis LUH-den
 Drew Luxhoj -- Drew LUX-hoy
 Chris Otersen -- Chris OTT-er-sen
 Corey Reuzenaar -- Corey ROO-zuh-nar
 Daud Semalulu -- DAH-ood Semalulu

Breakdown by Class:

Fourth Classmen (Frosh): 52 (T-29; R-23)
 Third Classmen (Sophs): 18 (T-8; R-10)
 Second Classmen (Jrs): 13 (T-6; R-7)
 First Classmen (Srs): 4 (T-2; R-2)
 (T- True; R- Redshirt)

Coaching Staff:

Sparky Woods, Head Coach
 Brent Davis, Offensive Coordinator
 A.J. Christoff, Defensive Coordinator
 Don Woods, Chief of Staff/Defensive Line
 Greg Shockley, Slotbacks
 Bob Bodine, Offensive Line
 Winston October, Defensive Backs
 Paul Soltis, Inside Linbackers
 Steven Humphrey, Wide Receivers
 Greg Harris, Outside Linebackers



2008 VMI Opponents' Scores & Schedules

<p>Saint Francis (Pa.) Red Flash (0-7, 0-4 NEC)</p> <p>S6 at VMI L, 0-49 S13 Marist L, 22-30 S20 at Duquesne* L, 7-21 S27 at Morehead State L, 21-36 O4 at Monmouth* L, 15-42 O11 Sacred Heart* L, 24-41 O18 Wagner* L, 13-17 O25 at Albany* 4 p.m. N8 at Central Conn. State* 1 p.m. N15 Robert Morris* 1 p.m. N22 Bryant 1 p.m.</p>	<p>#8 Richmond Spiders (5-3, 3-2 CAA)</p> <p>A30 at #15 Elon W, 28-10 S6 at Virginia L, 0-16 S13 Towson* W, 45-14 S20 Maine* W, 44-17 S27 at Villanova* L, 20-26 O4 at VMI W, 56-16 O11 James Madison* L, 31-38 O18 at Massachusetts* W, 30-15 O25 Georgetown 3 p.m. N8 at Hofstra* 1 p.m. N15 Delaware* 3:30 p.m. N22 at William & Mary* Noon</p>	<p>#21 Liberty Flames (6-1, 2-0 Big South)</p> <p>A30 North Greenville W, 49-10 S6 Glensville State W, 44-27 S13 at Western Carolina W, 19-16 S27 at Youngstown State W, 31-28 O4 at Coastal Carolina* W, 43-38 O11 Stony Brook* W, 33-0 O18 Lafayette L, 21-35 O25 Charleston Southern* 3:30 p.m. N1 at Presbyterian 1:30 p.m. N8 at VMI* 1:30 p.m. N15 Gardner-Webb* 1 p.m. N22 Elon 1 p.m.</p>
<p>#23 William & Mary Tribe (4-2, 2-1 CAA)</p> <p>S6 at N.C. State L, 24-34 S13 VMI W, 52-17 S20 Norfolk State W, 42-12 O4 Villanova* L, 28-38 O11 at New Hampshire* W, 38-34 O18 at Delaware* W, 27-3 O25 Rhode Island* 1 p.m. N1 at Towson* Noon N8 Northeastern* 7 p.m. N15 at James Madison* 6 p.m. N22 Richmond* Noon</p>	<p>Coastal Carolina Chanticleers (4-4, 0-1 Big South)</p> <p>A30 at #22 Penn State L, 10-66 S6 Colgate L, 19-23 S13 at Monmouth W, 26-7 S20 Towson W, 31-3 S27 at North Carolina A&T W, 20-7 O4 Liberty* L, 38-43 O11 at VMI* L, 20-47 O18 North Carolina Central W, 35-10 O25 Stony Brook* 7 p.m. N8 at Gardner-Webb* 1:30 p.m. N15 at Presbyterian 1:30 p.m. N22 Charleston Southern* 6 p.m.</p>	<p>Stony Brook Seawolves (2-5, 1-1 Big South)</p> <p>A30 Colgate W, 42-26 S6 #17 Elon L, 20-30 S13 at Maine L, 13-28 S20 at Brown L, 7-17 S26 Hofstra L, 3-43 O11 at Liberty* L, 0-33 O18 Charleston Southern* W, 20-19 O25 at Coastal Carolina* 7 p.m. N1 Gardner-Webb* 3 p.m. N8 at Iona 1 p.m. N15 VMI* 1:30 p.m.</p>
<p>Chowan Hawks (2-6, 1-4 CIIA)</p> <p>A30 at Elizabeth City State* L, 3-55 S6 at St. Paul's L, 0-13 S13 Brevard W, 23-20 S20 at VMI L, 20-69 S27 Virginia Union* L, 28-51 O4 at Fayetteville State* L, 21-60 O11 Livingstone* W, 41-20 O18 at Shaw* L, 13-68 O25 at Johnson C. Smith* 1 p.m. N1 at St. Augustine's* 1:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Gardner-Webb Runnin' Bulldogs (3-4, 0-1 Big South)</p> <p>A28 at Tennessee Tech L, 12-28 S6 Tusculum W, 31-12 S13 at Austin Peay W, 31-15 S27 Sam Houston State L, 33-49 O4 at Charleston Southern* L, 10-13 O11 at Georgia Tech L, 7-10 O18 Presbyterian W, 47-21 O25 VMI* 1:30 p.m. N1 at Stony Brook* 3 p.m. N8 Coastal Carolina* 1:30 p.m. N15 at Liberty* 1 p.m.</p>	<p>Presbyterian Blue Hose (3-5)</p> <p>A30 at Wofford L, 21-38 S6 Fayetteville State W, 38-28 S13 at Elon L, 12-66 S20 Western Carolina L, 21-23 S27 at Appalachian State L, 14-48 O4 North Greenville W, 22-15 O11 N.C. Central W, 28-24 O18 at Gardner-Webb L, 21-47 N1 Liberty 1:30 p.m. N8 at Charleston Southern 1:30 p.m. N15 Coastal Carolina 1:30 p.m. N22 at VMI 1:30 p.m.</p>
<p>Ohio Bobcats (2-5, 1-2 MAC)</p> <p>A30 at Wyoming L, 20-21 S6 at #3 Ohio State L, 14-26 S13 Central Michigan* L, 28-31 S20 at Northwestern L, 8-16 S27 VMI W, 51-31 O4 at Western Michigan* L, 20-41 O11 at Kent State* W, 26-19 O21 at Temple* 8 p.m. O28 Buffalo* 7 p.m. N8 Bowling Green* TBA N22 Akron* TBA N28 at Miami (Ohio)* 12:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Charleston Southern Buccaneers (3-4, 1-1 Big South)</p> <p>A28 at Miami (Fla.) L, 7-52 S6 at #13 Wofford L, 23-41 S13 at Miami (Ohio) L, 27-38 S27 North Greenville W, 27-0 O4 Gardner-Webb* W, 13-10 O11 at Savannah State W, 29-20 O18 at Stony Brook* L, 19-20 O25 at Liberty* 3:30 p.m. N1 VMI* 1:30 p.m. N8 Presbyterian 1:30 p.m. N15 Edward Waters 1:30 p.m. N22 at Coastal Carolina* 6 p.m.</p>	

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MAYPRAY, Tim	6	100	755	59	696	7.0	6	64	116.0
ABEGESAH, Howard	4	44	308	0	308	7.0	5	63	77.0
JONES, Chaz	6	48	290	1	289	6.0	2	65	48.2
EPPS, Bobby	6	39	239	2	237	6.1	2	22	39.5
COLLINS, Zach	6	14	175	10	165	11.8	2	62	27.5
RAINEY-WILES, M	6	18	126	2	124	6.9	0	23	20.7
ITOKA, Gabe	6	22	106	12	94	4.3	2	12	15.7
HUGHES, Kyle	6	27	122	28	94	3.5	1	28	15.7
BARNSON, Bryan	6	12	76	1	75	6.2	0	18	12.5
HICKMAN, Justin	5	5	24	0	24	4.8	0	11	4.8
TALLEY, T.J.	5	2	23	0	23	11.5	0	15	4.6
LUXHOJ, Drew	1	1	8	0	8	8.0	0	8	8.0
JONES, Cameron	6	1	8	0	8	8.0	1	8	1.3
JENKINS, Rajah	5	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	0.6
TEAM	2	2	0	3	-3	-1.5	0	0	-1.5
SEMALULU, Daud	3	1	0	6	-6	-6.0	0	0	-2.0
Total.....	6	337	2263	124	2139	6.3	21	65	356.5
Opponents.....	6	217	1272	197	1075	5.0	11	67	179.2

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
RAINEY-WILES, M	3	23	7.7	0	15
JENKINS, Rajah	3	14	4.7	0	16
YOUNGBLOOD, Bryant	2	17	8.5	0	12
WEBB, Zach	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total.....	9	71	7.9	0	17
Opponents.....	10	94	9.4	0	33

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
NIKWARD, Kyle	1	15	15.0	0	15
ALLEN, Byron	1	24	24.0	0	24
CHURCH, Eric	1	0	0.0	0	0
SWINDELL, Levi	1	0	0.0	0	0
THRASHER, Juan	1	0	0.0	0	0
ROCHESTER, Jacob	1	13	13.0	0	13
WALKER, Greg	1	34	34.0	0	34
Total.....	7	86	12.3	0	34
Opponents.....	4	11	2.8	0	8

PASSING	GP	Effic	Cmp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
HUGHES, Kyle	6	113.26	15-45-4	33.3	327	5	90	54.5
MAYPRAY, Tim	6	405.94	6-7-0	85.7	149	3	74	24.8
HICKMAN, Justin	5	315.80	1-2-0	50.0	24	1	24	4.8
Total.....	6	158.70	22-54-4	40.7	500	9	90	83.3
Opponents.....	6	141.32	97-163-7	59.5	1322	11	46	220.3

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
JENKINS, Rajah	17	402	23.6	0	53
COLLINS, Zach	9	145	16.1	0	53
RAINEY-WILES, M	2	28	14.0	0	18
JONES, Chaz	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total.....	29	592	20.4	0	53
Opponents.....	33	764	23.2	1	97

RECEIVING	GP	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
SCOTT, Mario	6	5	81	16.2	1	46	13.5
RAINEY-WILES, M	6	4	81	20.2	3	36	13.5
MAYPRAY, Tim	6	4	71	17.8	0	33	11.8
COLLINS, Zach	6	3	111	37.0	1	90	18.5
SEMALULU, Daud	3	1	74	74.0	1	74	24.7
ITOKA, Gabe	6	1	34	34.0	1	34	5.7
LEWIS, Aaron	3	1	24	24.0	1	24	8.0
EPPS, Bobby	6	1	8	8.0	0	8	1.3
ABEGESAH, Howard	4	1	8	8.0	0	8	2.0
LUDDEN, Travis	6	1	8	8.0	1	8	1.3
Total.....	6	22	500	22.7	9	90	83.3
Opponents.....	6	97	1322	13.6	11	46	220.3

FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
ALEXANDER, Damiso	1	46	46.0	1	46
Total.....	1	46	46.0	1	46
Opponents.....	4	94	23.5	4	41

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SCORING	----- PATs -----								Points	TOTAL OFFENSE				G Plays Rush Pass Total Avg/G			
	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf									
STEVENS, Greg	0	4-6	29-30	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	41	MAYPRAY, Tim	6	107	696	149	845	140.8	
MAYPRAY, Tim	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	36	HUGHES, Kyle	6	72	94	327	421	70.2	
ABEGESAH, Howard	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30	ABEGESAH, Howard	4	44	308	0	308	77.0	
COLLINS, Zach	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18	JONES, Chaz	6	48	289	0	289	48.2	
RAINEY-WILES, M	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18	EPPS, Bobby	6	39	237	0	237	39.5	
ITOKA, Gabe	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18	COLLINS, Zach	6	14	165	0	165	27.5	
EPPS, Bobby	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12	RAINEY-WILES, M	6	18	124	0	124	20.7	
JONES, Chaz	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12	ITOKA, Gabe	6	22	94	0	94	15.7	
LEWIS, Aaron	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	BARNSON, Bryan	6	12	75	0	75	12.5	
SCOTT, Mario	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	HICKMAN, Justin	5	7	24	24	48	9.6	
JONES, Cameron	1	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	6	TALLEY, T.J.	5	2	23	0	23	4.6	
SEMALULU, Daud	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	JONES, Cameron	6	1	8	0	8	1.3	
HUGHES, Kyle	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	LUXHOJ, Drew	1	1	8	0	8	8.0	
LUDDEN, Travis	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	JENKINS, Rajah	5	1	3	0	3	0.6	
ALEXANDER, Damiso	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	TEAM	2	2	-3	0	-3	-1.5	
THRASHER, Juan	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	1	0	2	SEMALULU, Daud	3	1	-6	0	-6	-2.0	
Total.....	31	4-6	29-30	0-1	0	0-0	1	0	229	Total.....	6	391	2139	500	2639	439.8	
Opponents.....	27	4-7	25-26	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	199	Opponents.....	6	380	1075	1322	2397	399.5	

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
STEVENS, G.	4-6	66.7	0-0	3-3	1-2	0-1	0-0	38	0

FG SEQUENCE	VMI	OPPONENTS
Saint Francis (Pa.)	-	-
W&M	(38),43	(42)
Chowan	-	-
Ohio Bobcats	(26),32	(23),(22),(27),45
RICHMOND	(21)	-
Coastal Carolina	(24)	40,42

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
SWEENEY, Patrick	23	794	34.5	52	2	1	3	0
MURRAY, C.	1	34	34.0	34	0	0	0	0
Total.....	24	828	34.5	52	2	1	3	0
Opponents.....	20	760	38.0	51	2	2	7	0

KICKOFFS	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
STEVENS, Greg	41	2459	60.0	5	3			
Total.....	41	2459	60.0	5	3	764	38.9	31
Opponents.....	35	2086	59.6	4	0	592	40.4	29

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ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
MAYPRAY, Tim	6	696	71	0	0	0	767	127.8
COLLINS, Zach	6	165	111	0	145	0	421	70.2
JENKINS, Rajah	5	3	0	14	402	0	419	83.8
ABEGESAH, Howard	4	308	8	0	0	0	316	79.0
JONES, Chaz	6	289	0	0	17	0	306	51.0
RAINEY-WILES, M	6	124	81	23	28	0	256	42.7
EPPS, Bobby	6	237	8	0	0	0	245	40.8
ITOKA, Gabe	6	94	34	0	0	0	128	21.3
HUGHES, Kyle	6	94	0	0	0	0	94	15.7
SCOTT, Mario	6	0	81	0	0	0	81	13.5
BARNSON, Bryan	6	75	0	0	0	0	75	12.5
SEMALULU, Daud	3	-6	74	0	0	0	68	22.7
WALKER, Greg	6	0	0	0	0	34	34	5.7
ALLEN, Byron	5	0	0	0	0	24	24	4.8
LEWIS, Aaron	3	0	24	0	0	0	24	8.0
HICKMAN, Justin	5	24	0	0	0	0	24	4.8
TALLEY, T.J.	5	23	0	0	0	0	23	4.6
YOUNGBLOOD, Bryant	6	0	0	17	0	0	17	2.8
WEBB, Zach	6	0	0	17	0	0	17	2.8
NIKWARD, Kyle	6	0	0	0	0	15	15	2.5
ROCHESTER, Jacob	6	0	0	0	0	13	13	2.2
LUXHOJ, Drew	1	8	0	0	0	0	8	8.0
JONES, Cameron	6	8	0	0	0	0	8	1.3
LUDDEN, Travis	6	0	8	0	0	0	8	1.3
TEAM	2	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-1.5
Total.....	6	2139	500	71	592	86	3388	564.7
Opponents.....	6	1075	1322	94	764	11	3266	544.3

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DEFENSIVE LEADERS	-----Tackles-----				-Sacks-		---Pass Def---			-Fumbles-		Blkd	
	GP	Solo	Ast	Total	TFL/Yds	No-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Rcv-Yds	FF	Kick	Saf
7 GROSS, A.J.	6	16	22	38	10.5-34	3.0-20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5 YOUNGBLOOD, Bryant	6	17	9	26	.	.	.	4	.	1-0	.	.	.
35 ROCHESTER, Jacob	6	13	11	24	5.5-26	2.0-17	1-13	1	.	.	1	.	.
22 ALLEN, Byron	5	11	13	24	.	.	1-24	3	.	.	.	.	.
26 WARE, Kris	6	8	15	23	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	1	.
8 NIKMARD, Kyle	6	10	13	23	3.5-15	2.0-13	1-15	3	.	.	.	.	.
99 CALVIN, Emilio	6	11	11	22	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
84 ALEXANDER, Damiso	6	12	9	21	6.0-17	5.0-13	.	1	.	1-46	1	.	.
37 REEDY, Tyler	5	15	6	21	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.
17 MCKINNEY, Patrick	6	7	12	19	3.5-10	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
83 MIMS, Nick	6	10	6	16	1.0-2	1.0-2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
50 WINE, Josh	6	4	11	15	1.5-5	0.5-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44 VIOLA, Andy	6	8	7	15	3.0-18	2.0-16	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
47 CHURCH, Eric	6	7	8	15	0.5-2	0.5-2	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.
34 THRASHER, Juan	6	7	5	12	.	.	1-0	1	.	.	.	.	.
46 WEBB, Zach	6	6	6	12	0.5-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19 SWINDELL, Levi	4	9	3	12	1.0-3	.	1-0	1	.	.	.	.	.
32 BOWERS, Julian	5	6	4	10	2.0-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1 WATKINS, Trae	5	4	5	9	0.5-5	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
41 TALLEY, T.J.	5	4	5	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
54 SNEED, Josh	6	3	5	8	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
93 BLUE, Aaron	6	1	5	6	1.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20 TAYLOR, Joe	5	2	4	6	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
29 WALKER, Greg	6	3	3	6	.	.	1-34	.	.	.	.	.	.
49 STEVENS, Greg	6	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96 PALMER, Sam	6	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	1	.	.
4 HAIRSTON, Tracy	6	4	1	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
52 RAY, Alex	4	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
57 KACZMARZEWSKI, B.	4	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45 CURTIS, Jack	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
53 TEMONEY, Hardy	4	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
56 REUZENAAR, Corey	3	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38 EPPS, Bobby	6	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
66 SMITH, D'Angelo	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90 LUDDEN, Travis	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3 SCOTT, Mario	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9 RAINEY-WILES, M	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28 MAYPRAY, Tim	6	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM TEAM	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
Total.....	6	211	214	425	42-155	16-86	7-86	21	.	7-46	6	1	.
Opponents.....	6	204	304	508	26-110	5-53	4-11	7	.	8-94	10	.	.

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RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES.....	(3-3-0)	(3-1-0)	(0-2-0)	(0-0-0)
CONFERENCE.....	(1-0-0)	(1-0-0)	(0-0-0)	(0-0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(2-3-0)	(2-1-0)	(0-2-0)	(0-0-0)

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
Sep 06, 2008	SAINT FRANCIS (PA.)	W	49-0	5123
Sep 13, 2008	at W&M	L	17-52	10624
Sep 20, 2008	CHOWAN	W	69-20	6793
Sep 27, 2008	at Ohio Bobcats	L	31-51	19938
Oct 04, 2008	RICHMOND	L	16-56	7643
*10-11-08	COASTAL CAROLINA	W	47-20	8157

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BARNSON, B.	6	12	76	1	75	6.2	0	18	12.5
HICKMAN, J.	5	5	24	0	24	4.8	0	11	4.8
TALLEY, T.	5	2	23	0	23	11.5	0	15	4.6
JONES, Cam	6	1	8	0	8	8.0	1	8	1.3
LUXHOJ, D.	1	1	8	0	8	8.0	0	8	8.0
JENKINS, R.	5	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	0.6
TEAM	2	2	0	3	-3	-1.5	0	0	-1.5
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COLLINS, Z	6	3	111	37.0	1	90	18.5
SEMALULU, D.	3	1	74	74.0	1	74	24.7
ITOKA, G.	6	1	34	34.0	1	34	5.7
LEWIS, A.	3	1	24	24.0	1	24	8.0
EPPS, B.	6	1	8	8.0	0	8	1.3
LUDDEN, T.	6	1	8	8.0	1	8	1.3
ABEGESAH, H.	4	1	8	8.0	0	8	2.0
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Opponents.....	6	97	1322	13.6	11	46	220.3

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
STEVENS, G.	4-6	66.7	0-0	3-3	1-2	0-1	0-0	38	0

SCORING	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
STEVENS, G.	0	4-6	29-30	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	41
MAYPRAY, T.	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	36
ABEGESAH, H.	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
COLLINS, Z	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
ITOKA, G.	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
RAINEY-WILES, M	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
JONES, Chaz	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
EPPS, B.	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
ALEXANDER, D.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
HUGHES, K.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
JONES, Cam	1	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	6
LUDDEN, T.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
LEWIS, A.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
SEMALULU, D.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
SCOTT, M	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
THRASHER, J.	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	1	0	2
Total.....	31	4-6	29-30	0-1	0	0-0	1	0	229
Opponents.....	27	4-7	25-26	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	199

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
VMI.....	65	53	56	55	229
Opponents.....	56	47	48	48	199

TEAM STATISTICS	VMI	OPP
FIRST DOWNS.....	122	128
Rushing.....	100	55
Passing.....	16	64
Penalty.....	6	9
RUSHING YARDAGE.....	2139	1075
Yards gained rushing...	2263	1272
Yards lost rushing.....	124	197
Rushing Attempts.....	337	217
Average Per Rush.....	6.3	5.0
Average Per Game.....	356.5	179.2
TDs Rushing.....	21	11
PASSING YARDAGE.....	500	1322
Att-Comp-Int.....	54-22-4	163-97-7
Average Per Pass.....	9.3	8.1
Average Per Catch.....	22.7	13.6
Average Per Game.....	83.3	220.3
TDs Passing.....	9	11
TOTAL OFFENSE.....	2639	2397
Total Plays.....	391	380
Average Per Play.....	6.7	6.3
Average Per Game.....	439.8	399.5
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS...	29-592	33-764
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS...	9-71	10-94
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS....	7-86	4-11
FUMBLES-LOST.....	16-8	11-7
PENALTIES-YARDS.....	35-340	37-329
PUNTS-AVG.....	24-34.5	20-38.0
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME..	30:13	29:47
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS....	33/73	22/65
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS....	5/6	5/12

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
SWINDELL, L.	1	0	0.0	0	0
THRASHER, J.	1	0	0.0	0	0
ROCHESTER, J.	1	13	13.0	0	13
ALLEN, B.	1	24	24.0	0	24
NIKMARD, K.	1	15	15.0	0	15
CHURCH, E.	1	0	0.0	0	0
WALKER, G.	1	34	34.0	0	34
Total.....	7	86	12.3	0	34
Opponents.....	4	11	2.8	0	8

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
SWENEY, P.	23	794	34.5	52	2	1	3	0
MURRAY, C.	1	34	34.0	34	0	0	0	0
Total.....	24	828	34.5	52	2	1	3	0
Opponents.....	20	760	38.0	51	2	2	7	0

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
RAINEY-WILES, M	3	23	7.7	0	15
JENKINS, R.	3	14	4.7	0	16
YOUNGBLOOD, B.	2	17	8.5	0	12
WEBB, Z.	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total.....	9	71	7.9	0	17
Opponents.....	10	94	9.4	0	33

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
JENKINS, R.	17	402	23.6	0	53
COLLINS, Z	9	145	16.1	0	53
RAINEY-WILES, M	2	28	14.0	0	18
JONES, Chaz	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total.....	29	592	20.4	0	53
Opponents.....	33	764	23.2	1	97

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
MAYPRAY, T.	6	696	71	0	0	0	767	127.8
COLLINS, Z	6	165	111	0	145	0	421	70.2
JENKINS, R.	5	3	0	14	402	0	419	83.8
ABEGESAH, H.	4	308	8	0	0	0	316	79.0
JONES, Chaz	6	289	0	0	17	0	306	51.0
Total.....	6	2139	500	71	592	86	3388	564.7
Opponents.....	6	1075	1322	94	764	11	3266	544.3

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
MAYPRAY, T.	6	107	696	149	845	140.8
HUGHES, K.	6	72	94	327	421	70.2
ABEGESAH, H.	4	44	308	0	308	77.0
JONES, Chaz	6	48	289	0	289	48.2
EPPS, B.	6	39	237	0	237	39.5
Total.....	6	391	2139	500	2639	439.8
Opponents.....	6	380	1075	1322	2397	399.5

DEFENSIVE LEADERS	GP	Solo	Ast	Total	TFL/Yds	No-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Rcv-Yds	FF	Kick	Saf
7 GROSS, A..	6	16	22	38	10.5-34	3.0-20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5 YOUNGBLOOD, B.	6	17	9	26	.	.	.	4	1-0	.	.	.	.
22 ALLEN, B.	5	11	13	24	.	.	1-24	3	.	.	.	.	.
35 ROCHESTER, J.	6	13	11	24	5.5-26	2.0-17	1-13	1	.	1	.	.	.
26 WARE, K.	6	8	15	23	0.5-1	.	.	.	1-0	.	1	.	.
Total.....	6	211	214	425	42-155	16-86	7-86	21	7-46	6	1	.	.
Opponents.....	6	204	304	508	26-110	5-53	4-11	7	8-94	10	.	.	.

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TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	---RUSHING---				--RECEIVING--				-----PASSING-----						--KICK RET--				--PUNT RET--				tot off
		No.	Yds	TD	Lg	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Cmp	Att	Int	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	
Sep 06, 2008	SAINT FRANCIS (PA.)....	50	418	5	62	3	26	1	11	3-	7-	1	26	1	11	1	10	0	10	5	49	0	17	444
Sep 13, 2008	at W&M.....	57	262	2	64	3	25	0	12	3-	6-	0	25	0	12	8	133	0	23	0	0	0	0	287
Sep 20, 2008	CHOWAN.....	56	517	7	65	4	142	3	74	4-	13-	0	142	3	74	3	82	0	52	2	16	0	16	659
Sep 27, 2008	at Ohio Bobcats.....	56	339	2	51	3	97	2	46	3-	10-	1	97	2	46	7	174	0	53	1	-2	0	0	436
Oct 04, 2008	RICHMOND.....	59	267	2	45	0	0	0	0	0-	5-	1	0	0	0	7	134	0	53	0	0	0	0	267
10-11-08	COASTAL CAROLINA.....	59	336	3	40	9	210	3	90	9-	13-	1	210	3	90	3	59	0	26	1	8	0	8	546
Totals.....		337	2139	21	65	22	500	9	90	22-	54-	4	500	9	90	29	592	0	53	9	71	0	17	2639
Opponent.....		217	1075	11	67	97	1322	11	46	97-	163-	7	1322	11	46	33	764	1	97	10	94	0	33	2397

Games played: 6
Avg per rush: 6.3
Avg per catch: 22.7
Pass efficiency: 158.70
Kick ret avg: 20.4
Punt ret avg: 7.9
All purpose avg/game: 564.7
Total offense avg/gm: 439.8

Date	Opponent	-----TACKLES-----			-SACKS-		-FUMBLE-			Pass Blkd			-Kicks--XPTS-					Pts
		Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds	No-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	QBH	Brk	Kick	Att	Mad	Run	Rev	Saf	
Sep 06, 2008	SAINT FRANCIS (PA.)....	34	36	70	11.0-45	4.0-29	3	3-46	1-34	0	8	0	7-7	0	0	0	0	49
Sep 13, 2008	at W&M.....	40	16	56	6.0-18	1.0-5	1	2-0	2-39	0	2	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	17
Sep 20, 2008	CHOWAN.....	31	40	71	9.0-29	5.0-12	0	0-0	2-0	0	5	0	9-9	0	0	0	0	69
Sep 27, 2008	at Ohio Bobcats.....	39	46	85	5.0-22	1.0-14	1	1-0	0-0	0	1	0	4-4	0	0	0	0	31
Oct 04, 2008	RICHMOND.....	33	48	81	3.0-5	0.0-0	1	1-0	0-0	0	0	0	2-1	0	0	0	0	16
10-11-08	COASTAL CAROLINA.....	34	28	62	8.0-36	5.0-26	0	0-0	2-13	0	5	1	6-6	0	0	0	0	47
Totals.....		211	214	425	42.0-155	16.0-86	6	7-46	7-86	0	21	1	30-29	0	0	0	0	229
Opponent.....		204	304	508	26.0-110	5.0-53	10	8-94	4-11	0	7	0	26-25	0	0	0	0	199

Date	Opponent	-----PUNTING-----							--FIELD GOALS--				-----KICKOFFS-----					
		No	Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	TB	FC	50+	I20	Att	Made	Lg	Blkd	No	Yds	Avg	TB	OB
Sep 06, 2008	SAINT FRANCIS (PA.)....	4	152	38.0	49	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	8	486	60.8	1	1
Sep 13, 2008	at W&M.....	5	197	39.4	48	0	1	1	0	2	2-1	38	0	4	253	63.2	1	0
Sep 20, 2008	CHOWAN.....	2	58	29.0	46	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	11	637	57.9	1	1
Sep 27, 2008	at Ohio Bobcats.....	6	164	27.3	38	0	0	0	0	2-1	26	0	0	6	371	61.8	1	0
Oct 04, 2008	RICHMOND.....	5	186	37.2	52	0	1	0	1	0	1-1	21	0	4	219	54.8	0	0
10-11-08	COASTAL CAROLINA.....	2	71	35.5	40	0	0	0	0	1	1-1	24	0	8	493	61.6	1	1
Totals.....		24	828	34.5	52	0	2	1	1	3	6-4	38	0	41	2459	60.0	5	3
Opponent.....		20	760	38.0	51	0	2	2	3	7	7-4	42	0	35	2086	59.6	4	0

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OPPONENT STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	---RUSHING---				--RECEIVING--				-----PASSING-----				--KICK RET--				--PUNT RET--				tot off		
		No.	Yds	TD	Lg	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Cmp	Att	Int	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds		TD	Lg
Sep 06, 2008	SAINT FRANCIS (PA.)....	25	-4	0	11	23	256	0	27	23-	45-	1	256	0	27	6	101	0	34	0	0	0	0	252
Sep 13, 2008	at W&M.....	41	398	4	53	13	172	3	28	13-	20-	2	172	3	28	3	65	0	24	3	14	0	16	570
Sep 20, 2008	CHOWAN.....	27	40	0	15	19	289	3	35	19-	32-	2	289	3	35	9	229	0	63	0	0	0	0	329
Sep 27, 2008	at Ohio Bobcats.....	46	251	1	67	17	324	3	46	17-	24-	0	324	3	46	5	172	1	97	2	14	0	7	575
Oct 04, 2008	RICHMOND.....	46	289	5	22	10	130	1	29	10-	13-	0	130	1	29	4	97	0	38	4	52	0	33	419
10-11-08	COASTAL CAROLINA.....	32	101	1	32	15	151	1	22	15-	29-	2	151	1	22	6	100	0	28	1	14	0	14	252
Opponent totals.....		217	1075	11	67	97	1322	11	46	97-	163-	7	1322	11	46	33	764	1	97	10	94	0	33	2397
VMI.....		337	2139	21	65	22	500	9	90	22-	54-	4	500	9	90	29	592	0	53	9	71	0	17	2639

Games played: 6
Avg per rush: 5.0
Avg per catch: 13.6
Pass efficiency: 141.32
Kick ret avg: 23.2
Punt ret avg: 9.4
All purpose avg/game: 544.3
Total offense avg/gm: 399.5

Date	Opponent	-----TACKLES-----			-SACKS-		-FUMBLE-			Pass Blkd			-Kicks--XPTS-					Pts					
		Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds	No-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	QBH	Brk	Kick	Att	Mad	Run	Rev	Saf						
Sep 06, 2008	SAINT FRANCIS (PA.)....	27	52	79	5.0-26	2.0-21	1	1-0	1-8	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 13, 2008	at W&M.....	43	38	81	6.0-30	2.0-17	2	2-0	0-0	0	2	0	7-7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52
Sep 20, 2008	CHOWAN.....	25	54	79	0.0-0	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Sep 27, 2008	at Ohio Bobcats.....	35	54	89	6.0-30	1.0-15	3	1-9	1-3	0	1	0	6-6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51
Oct 04, 2008	RICHMOND.....	38	50	88	5.0-19	0.0-0	1	2-54	1-0	0	0	0	8-8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	56
10-11-08	COASTAL CAROLINA.....	36	56	92	4.0-5	0.0-0	2	2-31	1-0	0	1	0	3-2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Opponent totals.....		204	304	508	26.0-110	5.0-53	10	8-94	4-11	0	7	0	26-25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	199
VMI.....		211	214	425	42.0-155	16.0-86	6	7-46	7-86	0	21	1	30-29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	229

Date	Opponent	-----PUNTING-----						--FIELD GOALS--				-----KICKOFFS-----							
		No	Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	TB	FC	50+	I20	Att	Made	Lg	Blkd	No	Yds	Avg	TB	OB
Sep 06, 2008	SAINT FRANCIS (PA.)....	6	242	40.3	51	0	1	0	1	1	0-0	0	0	1	49	49.0	0	0	0
Sep 13, 2008	at W&M.....	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1-1	42	0	0	8	465	58.1	0	0	0
Sep 20, 2008	CHOWAN.....	6	214	35.7	51	0	1	0	1	2	0-0	0	0	3	180	60.0	0	0	0
Sep 27, 2008	at Ohio Bobcats.....	3	116	38.7	47	0	0	1	0	2	4-3	27	0	10	564	56.4	1	0	0
Oct 04, 2008	RICHMOND.....	2	66	33.0	35	0	0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0	9	569	63.2	2	0	0
10-11-08	COASTAL CAROLINA.....	3	122	40.7	50	0	0	1	1	1	2-0	0	0	4	259	64.8	1	0	0
Opponent totals.....		20	760	38.0	51	0	2	2	3	7	7-4	42	0	35	2086	59.6	4	0	0
VMI.....		24	828	34.5	52	0	2	1	1	3	6-4	38	0	41	2459	60.0	5	3	0

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Opponent	Score	-----FIRST DOWNS-----				----RUSHING----		-----PASSING-----		--TOTAL OFFENSE--		Return Yards	Turn- Overs
		Total	Rush	Pass	Pen	Number-Yards	Comp-Att-Int	Yards	Plays-Yards	Yards			
SAINT FRANCIS (PA.).	49-0	19/14	18/3	1/10	0/1	50-418 / 25--4	3- 7- 1 / 23-45- 1	26/256	57-444 / 70-252	139/109	2/4		
W&M.....	17-52	13/30	11/17	2/11	0/2	57-262 / 41-398	3- 6- 0 / 13-20- 2	25/172	63-287 / 61-570	172/79	2/4		
CHOWAN.....	69-20	26/19	20/3	4/14	2/2	56-517 / 27-40	4-13- 0 / 19-32- 2	142/289	69-659 / 59-329	98/229	0/2		
Ohio Bobcats.....	31-51	21/25	15/10	3/14	3/1	56-339 / 46-251	3-10- 1 / 17-24- 0	97/324	66-436 / 70-575	172/198	2/1		
RICHMOND.....	16-56	18/22	17/16	0/6	1/0	59-267 / 46-289	0- 5- 1 / 10-13- 0	0/130	64-267 / 59-419	134/203	3/1		
COASTAL CAROLINA....	47-20	25/18	19/6	6/9	0/3	59-336 / 32-101	9-13- 1 / 15-29- 2	210/151	72-546 / 61-252	80/145	3/2		
Totals.....	229-199	122/128	100/55	16/64	6/9	337-2139/217-1075	22- 54- 4/ 97-163- 7	500/1322	391-2639/ 380-2397	795/963	12/14		

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

Opponent	3rd Down		4th Down		Time of Possession		TOP Margin	Avg Yds/Rush	Avg Yds/Pass	Avg Yds/Play	Punting Number-Avg	----PENALTIES----	
	Conversions		Conversions									No-Yds	No-Yds
SAINT FRANCIS (PA.).	5-10 / 1-14		0-0 / 3-5		24:59/ 35:01		-10:02	8.4/-0.2	3.7/5.7	7.8/3.6	4-38.0 / 6-40.3	4-65	/ 7-65
W&M.....	7-16 / 5-7		0-1 / 0-1		33:10/ 26:50		6:20	4.6/9.7	4.2/8.6	4.6/9.3	5-39.4 / 0-0.0	9-74	/ 8-80
CHOWAN.....	7-12 / 3-12		3-3 / 1-2		28:23/ 31:37		-3:14	9.2/1.5	10.9/9.0	9.6/5.6	2-29.0 / 6-35.7	8-56	/ 11-73
Ohio Bobcats.....	3-11 / 5-13		0-0 / 0-1		28:36/ 31:24		-2:48	6.1/5.5	9.7/13.5	6.6/8.2	6-27.3 / 3-38.7	5-50	/ 5-56
RICHMOND.....	5-13 / 4-7		1-1 / 1-1		30:50/ 29:10		1:40	4.5/6.3	0.0/10.0	4.2/7.1	5-37.2 / 2-33.0	2-15	/ 5-50
COASTAL CAROLINA....	6-11 / 4-12		1-1 / 0-2		35:18/ 24:42		10:36	5.7/3.2	16.2/5.2	7.6/4.1	2-35.5 / 3-40.7	7-80	/ 1-5
Totals.....	33-73 / 22-65		5-6 / 5-12		181:16/178:44		2:32	6.3/5.0	9.3/8.1	6.7/6.3	24-34.5 / 20-38.0	35-340	/ 37-329

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

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 VMI Game Superlatives (as of Oct 22, 2008)
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INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	26	MAYPRAY, Tim at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Yards Rushing.....	155	MAYPRAY, Tim vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
TD Rushes.....	3	ABEGESAH, Howard vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Long Rush.....	65	JONES, Chaz vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Pass attempts.....	12	HUGHES, Kyle vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Pass completions....	8	HUGHES, Kyle vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Yards Passing.....	191	HUGHES, Kyle vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
TD Passes.....	2	HUGHES, Kyle vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Long Pass.....	90	HUGHES, Kyle vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Receptions.....	3	MAYPRAY, Tim vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Yards Receiving.....	96	COLLINS, Zach vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
TD Receptions.....	2	RAINEY-WILES, M vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Long Reception.....	90	COLLINS, Zach vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Field Goals.....	1	STEVENS, Greg at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) STEVENS, Greg at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008) STEVENS, Greg vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008) STEVENS, Greg vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Long Field Goal.....	38	STEVENS, Greg at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Punts.....	6	SWEENEY, Patrick at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Punting Avg.....	39.4	SWEENEY, Patrick at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Long Punt.....	52	SWEENEY, Patrick vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008)
Long Punt Return....	17	WEBB, Zach vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Long Kickoff Return.	53	COLLINS, Zach at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008) JENKINS, Rajah vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008)
Tackles.....	13	GROSS, A.J. vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Sacks.....	3.0	ALEXANDER, Damiso vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) GROSS, A.J. vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Tackles For Loss....	5.0	GROSS, A.J. vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Interceptions.....	1	WALKER, Greg vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) NIKMARD, Kyle at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) ALLEN, Byron at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) SWINDELL, Levi vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) CHURCH, Eric vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) THRASHER, Juan vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08) ROCHESTER, Jacob vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)

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TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	59	vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008) vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Yards Rushing.....	517	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Yards Per Rush.....	9.2	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
TD Rushes.....	7	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Pass attempts.....	13	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Pass completions....	9	vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Yards Passing.....	210	vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Yards Per Pass.....	16.2	vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
TD Passes.....	3	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Total Plays.....	72	vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Total Offense.....	659	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Yards Per Play.....	9.6	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Points.....	69	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Sacks By.....	5	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
First Downs.....	26	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Penalties.....	9	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Penalty Yards.....	80	vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Turnovers.....	3	vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008) vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Interceptions By....	2	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)

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OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	20	HARDEN, Donte, at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Yards Rushing.....	180	T. Riggins, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
TD Rushes.....	2	Jonathan Grimes, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) Josh Vaughan, vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008) Tyler Kirchoff, vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008)
Long Rush.....	67	HARDEN, Donte, at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Pass attempts.....	45	LITTLE, George, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Pass completions....	23	LITTLE, George, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Yards Passing.....	289	WESTLER,CJ, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
TD Passes.....	3	Jake Phillips, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) WESTLER,CJ, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Long Pass.....	46	JACKSON, Boo, at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Receptions.....	9	COARD,Eddie, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Yards Receiving.....	129	COARD,Eddie, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
TD Receptions.....	2	FOX,James, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Long Reception.....	46	PETERSON, B., at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Field Goals.....	3	WAY, Barrett, at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Long Field Goal.....	42	Brian Pate, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Punts.....	6	FULLER, Bobby, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) KOCH,Phil, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Punting Avg.....	40.7	ERDMAN, B., vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)
Long Punt.....	51	FULLER, Bobby, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) KOCH,Phil, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Long Punt Return....	33	Tre Gray, vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008)
Long Kickoff Return.	97	FLINTALL, L.J., at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Tackles.....	15	BROWN,Jomo, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) KELLER, Noah, at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Sacks.....	1.0	BROWN, Cory, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) LEWIS, Scott, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) Daniel Pulley, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) HALL, Chris, at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Tackles For Loss....	2.0	LEWIS, Scott, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) Derek Cox, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) MEYERS, Curtis, at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008) Pierre Turner, vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008)
Interceptions.....	1	HORNE, Robert, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) TURNER, Thad, at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008) Justin Rogers, vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008) CUNNINGHAM, K., vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)

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OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	46	at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008) vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008)
Yards Rushing.....	398	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Yards Per Rush.....	9.7	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
TD Rushes.....	5	vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008)
Pass attempts.....	45	vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Pass completions....	23	vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Yards Passing.....	324	at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Yards Per Pass.....	13.5	at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
TD Passes.....	3	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Total Plays.....	70	vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Total Offense.....	575	at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008)
Yards Per Play.....	9.3	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Points.....	56	vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008)
Sacks By.....	2	vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
First Downs.....	30	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Penalties.....	11	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Penalty Yards.....	80	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Turnovers.....	4	vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Interceptions By....	1	vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) at Ohio Bobcats (Sep 27, 2008) vs RICHMOND (Oct 04, 2008) vs Coastal Carolina (10-11-08)

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VMI Red-Zone Results (as of Oct 22, 2008)
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VMI Inside Opponent Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times	Times	Total	Rush		Pass	FGs	---- Failed to score inside RZ ----					
			In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
Sep 06	Saint Francis (Pa.)....	W 49-0	3	2	14	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sep 13	at W&M.....	L 17-52	3	2	10	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 20	Chowan.....	W 69-20	5	5	35	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 27	at Ohio Bobcats.....	L 31-51	4	3	17	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 04	RICHMOND.....	L 16-56	3	3	16	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
*10-11-08	Coastal Carolina.....	W 47-20	5	5	31	4	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			23	20	123	16	14	2	4	2	0	0	1	0	0
20 of 23 (87.0%)															

Opponents Inside VMI Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times	Times	Total	Rush		Pass	FGs	---- Failed to score inside RZ ----					
			In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
Sep 06	Saint Francis (Pa.)....	W 49-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sep 13	at W&M.....	L 17-52	4	4	28	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 20	Chowan.....	W 69-20	3	1	7	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Sep 27	at Ohio Bobcats.....	L 31-51	4	3	9	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Oct 04	RICHMOND.....	L 16-56	5	5	35	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*10-11-08	Coastal Carolina.....	W 47-20	3	1	6	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Totals			20	14	85	11	8	3	3	0	4	1	1	0	0
14 of 20 (70.0%)															

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VMI By-Quarter Statistics (as of Oct 22, 2008)
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3rd-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	OT	Qtr
Sep 06	Saint Francis (Pa.)....	W 49-0	5-10 50.0%	2-3 66.7%	1-3 33.3%	2-3 66.7%	0-1 0.0%		
Sep 13	at W&M.....	L 17-52	7-16 43.8%	0-4 0.0%	4-6 66.7%	2-3 66.7%	1-3 33.3%		
Sep 20	Chowan.....	W 69-20	7-12 58.3%	0-0 0.0%	2-4 50.0%	1-3 33.3%	4-5 80.0%		
Sep 27	at Ohio Bobcats.....	L 31-51	3-11 27.3%	0-2 0.0%	2-3 66.7%	1-2 50.0%	0-4 0.0%		
Oct 04	RICHMOND.....	L 16-56	5-13 38.5%	1-3 33.3%	2-4 50.0%	1-3 33.3%	1-3 33.3%		
*10-11-08	Coastal Carolina.....	W 47-20	6-11 54.5%	1-4 25.0%	1-3 33.3%	2-2 100.0%	2-2 100.0%		
VMI			33-73 45.2%	4-16 25.0%	12-23 52.2%	9-16 56.2%	8-18 44.4%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents			22-65 33.8%	5-17 29.4%	6-14 42.9%	7-17 41.2%	4-17 23.5%	0-0	0.0%

4th-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	OT	Qtr
Sep 06	Saint Francis (Pa.)....	W 49-0	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%		
Sep 13	at W&M.....	L 17-52	0-1 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-1 0.0%		
Sep 20	Chowan.....	W 69-20	3-3 100.0%	0-0 0.0%	1-1 100.0%	1-1 100.0%	1-1 100.0%		
Sep 27	at Ohio Bobcats.....	L 31-51	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%		
Oct 04	RICHMOND.....	L 16-56	1-1 100.0%	1-1 100.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%		
*10-11-08	Coastal Carolina.....	W 47-20	1-1 100.0%	1-1 100.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%	0-0 0.0%		
VMI			5-6 83.3%	2-2 100.0%	1-1 100.0%	1-1 100.0%	1-2 50.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents			5-12 41.7%	3-4 75.0%	0-2 0.0%	1-1 100.0%	1-5 20.0%	0-0	0.0%

Time of Possession

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	OT	Qtr
Sep 06	Saint Francis (Pa.)....	W 49-0	24:59	4:50	7:42	5:33	6:54		
Sep 13	at W&M.....	L 17-52	33:10	9:22	10:46	8:21	4:41		
Sep 20	Chowan.....	W 69-20	28:23	3:16	5:17	8:49	11:01		
Sep 27	at Ohio Bobcats.....	L 31-51	28:36	8:47	6:20	6:08	7:21		
Oct 04	RICHMOND.....	L 16-56	30:50	8:47	7:49	5:46	8:28		
*10-11-08	Coastal Carolina.....	W 47-20	35:18	9:15	7:59	8:33	9:31		
VMI			Total 181:16	44:17	45:53	43:10	47:56	0:00	
			Avg. 30:12	7:22	7:38	7:11	7:59	0:00	
Opponents			Total 178:44	45:43	44:07	46:50	42:04	0:00	
			Avg. 29:47	7:37	7:21	7:48	7:00	0:00	