

# 2008 VMI FOOTBALL

GAME 3: VMI (2-1, 0-0 BIG SOUTH) AT OHIO (0-4, 0-1 MAC)  
 SEPT. 27, 2008 - 2 P.M. • PEDEN STADIUM

SERIES RECORD: OHIO LEADS 1-0  
 LAST MEETING: OHIO 42, VMI 14; 9/4/04 IN ATHENS, OHIO

## 2008 VMI SCHEDULE & RESULTS

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

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
S6	Saint Francis (Pa.)	W, 49-0
S13	at William & Mary	L, 17-52
S20	Chowan	W, 69-20
<b>S27</b>	<b>at Ohio</b>	<b>2 p.m.</b>
O4	#2 Richmond	1:30 p.m.
O11	Coastal Carolina*	1:30 p.m.
O25	at Gardner-Webb*	1:30 p.m.
N1	at Charleston Southern*	1:30 p.m.
N8	#23 Liberty*	1:30 p.m.
N15	at Stony Brook*	3:30 p.m.
N22	Presbyterian	1:30 p.m.

## 2008 OHIO SCHEDULE & RESULTS

OVERALL: 0-4      MAC: 0-1

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
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
<b>S27</b>	<b>VMI</b>	<b>2 p.m.</b>
O4	at Western Michigan*	2 p.m.
O11	at Kent State*	TBA
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.

## TALE OF THE TAPE



45.0	Scoring Average	17.5
24.0	Points Allowed/Gm.	23.5
19.3	First Downs/Gm.	16.3
399.0	Rushing Avg.	84.0
64.3	Passing Avg.	237.5
463.3	Total Offense Avg.	321.5
28:51	Time of Possession	30:52
144.7	Rushing Defense Avg.	134.8
239.0	Passing Defense Avg.	178.8
383.7	Total Defense Avg.	313.5
5	Interceptions	6
10-46	Sacks By-Yards	5-21
9-3	Fumbles-Lost	13-6
50%	3rd Down Conv.	38%
27%	Opp. 3rd Down Conv.	41%
75%	4th Down Conv.	57%
50%	Opp. 4th Down Conv.	33%
18.8	Kick Return Average	21.9
9.3	Punt Return Average	8.9
65.0	Penalty Yard Average	57.2



◆ Game 4- VMI at Ohio ◆ 2 p.m. ◆

◆ Homecoming Weekend at Ohio ◆

**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](http://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 1:30 p.m.

**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 also named Kodak Region II Coach of the Year in 1986.

As a head coach overall, Woods holds a 64-48-5 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 through 2006 and served a one-year stint under Pete Carroll on the staff of the NFL's New York Jets in 1994.

**Frank Solich (Nebraska '66)** is in his fourth season at Ohio. Following a season that saw Ohio win the MAC East Division, the Bobcats flourished in Frank Solich's third year at the helm, setting several offensive records and seeing five players make the All-MAC team.

Solich was named the Bobcats' head coach on Dec. 17, 2004. After 11 wins in the previous four seasons, Solich has guided the Bobcats to 19 victories in his first three campaigns. Since his arrival, Solich has coached 16 All-MAC players, three more than the Bobcats' total from 1999-2004. Since arriving in Athens, Bobcat players have been named to watch lists for such prestigious honors as the Maxwell Award, the Butkus Award, the Lombardi Trophy, the Lott Trophy and the Nagurski Trophy.

Solich arrived in Athens after six seasons as the head coach at the University of Nebraska. Solich spent nearly 30 years as part of the Nebraska program as a player, assistant coach and head coach. A Big 12 Coach of the Year in 1999 and 2001, Solich produced nine-win seasons in five of his six years as head coach of the Huskers and generated six consecutive bowl appearances including a 2001 run at the national championship against Miami in the Rose Bowl. Under Solich's leadership, Nebraska spent 54 consecutive weeks in the Associated Press Top 10.

### A VMI Win Against Ohio Would -

- ◆ Give VMI their first 3-1 start to a season since 1991.
- ◆ Make Sparky Woods the first VMI head coach to go 3-1 to begin his career since W.C. Raftery did so in 1927 with wins over Wofford, Richmond and Roanoke and a 7-0 loss to Georgia Tech.
- ◆ Be VMI's first win against a MAC opponent since knocking off Marshall 33-6 on Sept. 16, 1961.

**Looking Ahead** - VMI hosts #1 Richmond next Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at Foster Stadium. The Spiders ascended to the top spot in the FCS poll after #5 JMU knocked off top-ranked Appalachian State 34-32 in Harrisonburg, Va. last Saturday night.

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## VMI's Record When

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

## SERIES NOTES

**THE SERIES** - This will be the second meeting between VMI and Ohio. Both meetings have been in Athens, with the Bobcats claiming a 42-14, season-opening win on Sept. 4, 2004.

**LAST MEETING** - The rushing attack of Justin Roush and Kalvin McRae combined for 230 yards rushing while quarterback Ryan Hawk threw for 223 yards and three touchdowns as Ohio took down VMI 42-14 at Peden Stadium in Athens, Ohio.

Roush rushed for 130 yards on 16 carries and McRae gained 100 yards on 18 rushes, as the Bobcats (1-0) piled up 459 yards of offense. Hawk's 223 yards passing was split between nine different receivers, as he finished the night completing 13 of his 24 attempts.

VMI was led on offense by sophomore quarterback Jonathan Wilson, who completed 22 of his 38 passes for 216 yards passing and one touchdown. Nine of Wilson's completions went to junior wideout Zohn Burden, who finished the night with 100 yards receiving on 10 catches and two TD's, the second-highest total of his career. The 10 catches were a career-high for Burden.

Despite the even numbers in passing, the difference in the game would prove to be turnovers and rushing yards. The Keydets turned the ball over three times, including two that went directly for touchdowns, and were outgained 230-67 on the ground.

**LAST WEEK FOR VMI**- 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, the Keydets produced 10 plays that netted over 20 or more yards, including five plays that moved the football 50 yards or more.

VMI 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.

VMI moved to 2-1 on the season while Chowan fell to 1-3.

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.

**LAST WEEK FOR OHIO** - Junior safety Steven Jackson matched his career high with 12 tackles and the Ohio University football team intercepted four passes on Saturday afternoon, but the Bobcats were unable to overcome Northwestern in a 16-8 defensive struggle at Ryan Field.

Ohio (0-4, 0-1 Mid-American Conference) allowed NU to gain just 280 yards of total offense on the day, marking the third time in four games this season that the Bobcats have limited their opponents to fewer than 300 total yards. The Green & White picked off Wildcat quarterback C.J. Bacher four times and hurried him on seven occasions, forcing him to complete just 18-of-35 passes for 133 yards.

Senior safety Michael Mitchell (Ft. Thomas, Ky.) sparked Ohio to its highest interception total since stealing five passes against Wyoming in the 2007 season opener with a career high-tying two picks, while Jackson (Austin, Texas) had one early in the third quarter and freshman safety Travis Carrie (Antioch, Calif.), who made his first-career start on Saturday, snagged one midway through the same period.

Ohio also forced three fumbles on the day, as Jackson, junior cornerback Idris Lawrence (Columbus, Ohio) and sophomore linebacker Stafford Gatling (Burlington, N.C.) each jarred the ball loose once. Junior cornerback Thad Turner (Marietta, Ga.) came up with the Bobcats' lone fumble recovery of the day when Northwestern muffed a punt at its own 28-yard line.

Jackson was the Bobcats' top tackler on the afternoon with a dozen stops to match the career high he set against Miami on Nov. 12, 2007, while Carrie piled up 11 tackles, nine of the solo variety, in the most significant playing time of his young career. Junior linebacker Lee Renfro (Burnside, Ky.) also had nine stops, as seven Ohio players registered at least seven tackles on the day.

## TEAM NOTES

**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 399.0 yards per game. In 1991, VMI finished atop the I-AA rankings in rushing averaging 316.9 YPG rushing.

## Where the Keydets Rank

### Team- Offense

Category	Stat	Conf.	NCAA
Scoring Offense	.45.0	.1st	.4th
Rushing Offense	.399.0	.1st	.1st
Pass Offense	.64.3	.7th	.117th
Total Offense	.463.3	.1st	.5th
Pass Efficiency	.143.9	.2nd	.22nd
First Downs	.58	.T-5th	.N/A
3rd-Down Conv.	.50.0%	.2nd	.T-9th
4th-Down Conv.	.75.0%	.1st	T-15th
Sacks Against	.4	.2nd	.40th
Red Zone Offense	.81.8%	.T-2nd	.N/A

### Team- Defense

Category	Stat	Conf.	NCAA
Scoring Defense	.24.0	.3rd	.48th
Rushing Defense	.144.7	.4th	.54th
Pass Defense	.239.0	.6th	.N/A
Total Defense	.383.7	.5th	.75th
Def. Pass Efficiency	.128.9	.5th	.60th
Opponent First Downs	.63	.4th	.N/A
Opp. 3rd-Down Conv.	.27.3%	.3rd	.N/A
Opp. 4th-Down Conv.	.50.0%	.T-2nd	.N/A
Sacks By	.10	.1st	.7th
Red Zone Defense	.62.5%	.1st	.N/A

### Team- Special Teams

Category	Stat	Conf.	NCAA
Kickoff Return Avg.	.18.8	.4th	.78th
Punt Return Avg.	.9.3	.4th	.59th
Net Punting	.33.9	.2nd	.37th
Field Goal Pct.	.50.0%	.6th	.N/A
PAT Kicking	.100.0%	T-1st	.N/A
Kickoff Coverage	.40.0	.2nd	.N/A

### Team- General

Category	Stat	Conf.	NCAA
Turnover Margin	.+2.00	.1st	.3rd
Penalty YPG	.65.0	.5th	.N/A
Opp. Penalty YPG	.72.7	.2nd	.N/A
Time of Possession	.28:50	.5th	.84th

**ABEGESAH BACK ON TRACK** - 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 has been 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, who is 18-of-18 on PATs this year, 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 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. In Saturday's 69-20 win over Chowan, VMI produced 10 plays that netted over 20 or more yards, including five plays that moved the football 50 yards or more. On the year, Through three games this year, VMI's offense has netted 23 plays of 20 or more yards including nine that have gained 50 or more yards.

**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 50+ yard rushing play in each game this season, scoring touchdowns of 64, 60 and 52 yards. He also accounted for VMI's longest play of the season with his arm, connecting on a 74-yard touchdown pass to Daud Semalulu to open the Chowan game.

**MAYPRAY HITS CENTURY MARK AGAIN** - Tim Maypray rushed for over 100 yards in his second consecutive start at quarterback as he gained 134 yards on 26 carries against William & Mary. He also produced his second career-long run in as many games as he raced 65 yards on a quarterback draw for a TD in the third quarter against the Tribe and surpassed his previous career-long of 52 yards set in the season opener against Saint Francis (Pa.).

Maypray became the first VMI quarterback

## Where the Keydets Rank in the Big South

### Individual- Offense

#### Total Offense Yards Per Game

Tim Maypray	.139.0	.6th
Howard Abegesah	.73.3	.10th

#### Total Offense Yards Per Play

Tim Maypray	.9.5	.1st
Chaz Jones	.9.0	.2nd
Michael Rainey-Wiles	.8.0	.5th
Howard Abegesah	.6.5	.8th
Bobby Epps	.6.3	.9th

#### All-Purpose Yards Per Game

Tim Maypray	.111.7	.3rd
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#### Points Per Game

Tim Maypray	.8.0	.T-2nd
Howard Abegesah	.8.0	.T-2nd
Greg Stevens	.7.0	.5th

#### Scoring Points (Kick) Per Game

Greg Stevens	.7.0	.1st
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#### Rushing Yards Per Game

Tim Maypray	.107.7	.1st
Howard Abegesah	.73.3	.4th
Chaz Jones	.48.0	.8th
Zach Collins	.44.0	.10th

#### Rushing Yards Per Carry

Chaz Jones	.9.0	.1st
Tim Maypray	.8.1	.3rd
Michael Rainey-Wiles	.8.0	.4th
Howard Abegesah	.6.5	.6th
Bobby Epps	.6.3	.7th

#### PAT Kicking Percentage

Greg Stevens	.100.0%	T-1st
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### Individual- Defense

#### Tackles Per Game

A.J. Gross	.5.7	.T-14th
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#### Sacks

Damiso Alexander	.3.0	.T-2nd
Jacob Rochester	.2.0	.T-5th
Kyle Nikmard	.2.0	.T-5th

#### Tackles for Loss

A.J. Gross	.4.0	.T-8th
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#### Interceptions

Greg Walker	.1	.T-2nd
Byron Allen	.1	.T-2nd
Kyle Nikmard	.1	.T-2nd

#### Fumbles Forced

Four Players With	.1	.T-2nd
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#### Fumbles Recovered

Four Players With	.1	.T-2nd
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### Individual- Special Teams

#### Punting

Patrick Sweeney	.37.0	.4th
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## Big South Standings

	Overall	Conf.
Liberty	3-0	0-0
<b>VMI</b>	<b>2-1</b>	<b>0-0</b>
Gardner-Webb	2-1	0-0
Coastal Carolina	2-2	0-0
Stony Brook	1-3	0-0
Presbyterian#	1-3	0-0
Charleston Southern	0-3	0-0

#- Not Eligible for Regular Season Title

### Last Saturday's Results

Brown 17, Stony Brook 7  
 Western Carolina 23, Presbyterian 21  
**VMI 69, Chowan 20**  
 Coastal Carolina 31, Towson 3

### This Saturday's Games

N. Greenville at Charleston Sou., 1:30 p.m.  
**VMI at Ohio, 2 p.m.**  
 Coastal Carolina at N.C. A&T, 6 p.m.  
 Sam Houston St. at Gardner-Webb, 6 p.m.  
 Liberty at Youngstown State, 6 p.m.  
 Hofstra at Stony Brook, 6 p.m.  
 Presbyterian at Appalachian State, 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](http://www.BigSouthSports.com). THIS CALL IS OPEN TO MEDIA ONLY. For information, contact Mark Simpson at [marks@bigsouth.org](mailto:marks@bigsouth.org) or 704-341-7990 or Wade Branner (VMI) at 540-464-7253.

### Teleconference Schedule:

10:28-10:30 . . . . .General announcements  
 10:30-10:40 . . .Steve Patton, Gardner-Webb  
 10:40-10:50 . . . . .Danny Rocco, Liberty  
**10:50-11:00 . . . . .Sparky 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

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.

**ABEGESAH ON DISTINGUISHED LIST** - A season ago, running back Howard Abegesah took the Big South by storm, leading the league in

rushing yards with 1,121. Included in that total was five games when he rushed for over 100 yards, including three against Big South opponents.

This season, the junior back is on a distinguished list of active players with the most career 100-yard games. Among all FCS players, Colgate's Jordan Scott leads the way with 27 such games in his career, while Liberty's Rashad Jennings is tied for eighth on the list with Appalachian State quarterback Armanti Edwards with 14.

Abegesah's six career 100-yard games ties him for 26th on the list overall and seventh among juniors listed.

**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 five interceptions in three games this season, including two in each of the past two games.

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

**IT HAPPENED ON....SEPTEMBER 27, 1975** - VMI scored a 55-0 shutout of Davidson in front of a Homecoming crowd of 6,500 for their first win of the season.

Following a pair of one-point losses to open the season, VMI jumped out to a 21-0 lead in the first quarter and a 35-0 halftime advantage. Ronnie Moore returned the game's opening kickoff 89 yards for a touchdown, before the Keydets scored five straight rushing touchdowns to put the game out of reach. The Keydet defense forced four turnovers and held the Wildcats to only 42 yards of total offense on 50 plays.

**KEYDETS ON 41-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 41 games.

The streak is the second-longest such run in the 118-year history of the program, trailing only 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 41-game streak, VMI has scored 907 points for an average of 22.1 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 APPROACHING 1,000 YARD MARKS** - Junior Tim Maypray is steadily making his way

toward an impressive list with regards to the Big South Conference. The converted slotback current boasts 994 yards rushing and 871 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 3,180 all-purpose yards leaves him less than 25 yards shy of VMI's career top seven.

**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

## 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 [VMIKeydets.com](http://VMIKeydets.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 Carolina . . . . .58
3. Gardner-Webb . . . . .52
4. Stony Brook . . . . .38
5. Charleston Southern (1) . . . . .30
6. VMI . . . . .18

## 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.

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 Abegesah (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.

The Keydets return all of the key components of their backfield in Big South rushing leader and junior Howard Abegesah (1,121 yards), all-purpose yards leader and slotback Tim Maypray (179.5 YPG), and quarterback Kyle Hughes, who ranked fourth in the Big South in total offense with 140.1 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 88-man roster. The seniors are wide receiver Keith Taylor, linebacker Jacob Rochester, tight end Travis Ludden and defensive end Andy Viola.

In all, 53 players on the team have freshman eligibility, including 29 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.

## VMI Big Plays In 2008

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

\*- Play resulted in Touchdown

### Long Plays By Distance:

Distance	No.	TD
100+	0	0
90-99	0	0
80-89	0	0
70-79	1	1
60-69	5	4
50-59	3	2
40-49	1	1
30-39	3	2
<u>20-29</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1</u>
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>11</b>

### Long Plays By Type:

Type	No.	TD
Rushing	13	7
Passing	3	3
Punt Returns	0	0
Kick Returns	4	0
Interception Returns	2	0
Fumble Returns	1	1
Other	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>11</b>

## 100-200-100

### 100-Yards Rushing

#### Tim Maypray

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

9/13/08 at William & Mary-134 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. 8 . . . . . Tim Maypray (SB)

### Defensive

### Freshman

Sept. 22 . . . . . Greg Stevens (K)

# Keydet Career Highs

## Passing

### Yards

#14 Kyle Hughes .....261, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#16 Justin Hickman .....24, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#28 Tim Maypray .....74, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

### Completions

#14 Kyle Hughes .....11, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#16 Justin Hickman .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#28 Tim Maypray .....2, 9/13/08 at William & Mary

### Attempts

#14 Kyle Hughes .....24, 10/20/07 vs. Gardner-Webb  
#16 Justin Hickman .....2, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#28 Tim Maypray .....2, 9/13/08 at William & Mary

### Touchdowns

#14 Kyle Hughes .....3, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#28 Tim Maypray .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

### Longest Completion

#14 Kyle Hughes .....87, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#16 Justin Hickman .....24, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#28 Tim Maypray .....74, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

## Rushing

### Yards

#2 Bryan Barnson .....31, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian  
#3 Mario Scott .....5, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian  
#6 Gabe Itoka .....60, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles .....91, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven  
#12 Cameron Jones .....8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#14 Kyle Hughes .....136, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris  
#16 Justin Hickman .....22, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#23 Chaz Jones .....97, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#24 Zach Collins .....112, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#25 Rajah Jenkins .....3, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#27 Drew Luxhoj .....8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#28 Tim Maypray .....134, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#31 Howard Abegesah .....180, 10/20/07 vs. GWU  
#38 Bobby Epps .....66, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#41 T.J. Talley .....23, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#90 Travis Ludden .....13, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.

### Attempts

#2 Bryan Barnson .....3, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#3 Mario Scott .....1, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian  
#6 Gabe Itoka .....7, 11/10/07 at Liberty  
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles .....11, 9/8/07 vs. W&M  
#12 Cameron Jones .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#14 Kyle Hughes .....25, 10/20/07 vs. Gardner-Webb  
#16 Justin Hickman .....4, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#23 Chaz Jones .....8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#24 Zach Collins .....8, 11/17/07 vs. The Citadel  
#25 Rajah Jenkins .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#27 Drew Luxhoj .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#28 Tim Maypray .....26, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#31 Howard Abegesah .....27, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris  
#38 Bobby Epps .....9, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#41 T.J. Talley .....2, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#90 Travis Ludden .....1, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.

### Touchdowns

#6 Gabe Itoka .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles .....1, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven  
#12 Cameron Jones .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#14 Kyle Hughes .....2 (2x), Last 10/20/07 vs. GWU  
#24 Zach Collins .....2, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#28 Tim Maypray .....2, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#31 Howard Abegesah .....3, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#38 Bobby Epps .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

### Longest Rush

#2 Bryan Barnson .....29, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian  
#3 Mario Scott .....5, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian  
#6 Gabe Itoka .....44, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles .....83, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven  
#12 Cameron Jones .....8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#14 Kyle Hughes .....71, 9/29/07 vs. Robert Morris  
#16 Justin Hickman .....11, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#23 Chaz Jones .....65, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#24 Zach Collins .....62, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#25 Rajah Jenkins .....3, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#27 Drew Luxhoj .....8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#28 Tim Maypray .....64, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#31 Howard Abegesah .....63, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#38 Bobby Epps .....22, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#41 T.J. Talley .....15, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#90 Travis Ludden .....13, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.

## Receiving

### Yards

#2 Bryan Barnson .....111, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian  
#3 Mario Scott .....84, 10/27/07 at Coastal  
#6 Gabe Itoka .....34, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles .....18, 9/8/07 vs. W&M  
#24 Zach Collins .....19, 9/30/06 vs. James Madison  
#28 Tim Maypray .....209, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#31 Howard Abegesah .....14 (2x), Last 11/3/07 vs. CSU  
#81 Daud Semalulu .....74, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#88 Aaron Lewis .....24, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#90 Travis Ludden .....30, 9/3/05 vs. Davidson

### Receptions

#2 Bryan Barnson .....3, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian  
#3 Mario Scott .....4, 10/27/07 at Coastal  
#6 Gabe Itoka .....1 (2x), Last 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles .....1 (2x), Last 9/13/08 vs. W&M  
#24 Zach Collins .....1 (2x), Last 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian  
#28 Tim Maypray .....6, 9/15/06 at James Madison  
#31 Howard Abegesah .....2, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#81 Daud Semalulu .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#88 Aaron Lewis .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#90 Travis Ludden .....2, 9/3/05 vs. Davidson

### Touchdowns

#2 Bryan Barnson .....2, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris  
#3 Mario Scott .....1, 10/27/07 at Coastal  
#6 Gabe Itoka .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#28 Tim Maypray .....2 (2x), Last 11/3/07 vs. Char. Sou.  
#81 Daud Semalulu .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#88 Aaron Lewis .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#90 Travis Ludden .....1 (2x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis

### Longest Reception

#2 Bryan Barnson .....49, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris  
#3 Mario Scott .....36, 10/27/07 at Coastal  
#6 Gabe Itoka .....34, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles .....18, 9/8/07 vs. W&M  
#24 Zach Collins .....19, 9/15/06 at James Madison  
#28 Tim Maypray .....87, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#31 Howard Abegesah .....14, 10/20/07 vs. Gardner-Webb  
#81 Daud Semalulu .....74, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#88 Aaron Lewis .....24, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#90 Travis Ludden .....21, 10/27/07 at Coastal

## All-Purpose Yards

#2 Bryan Barnson .....142, 10/13/07 vs. Presbyterian  
#3 Mario Scott .....84, 10/27 at Coastal  
#6 Gabe Itoka .....60, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles .....130, 9/8/07 vs. W&M  
#12 Cameron Jones .....8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#14 Kyle Hughes .....136, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris  
#16 Justin Hickman .....22, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#23 Chaz Jones .....97, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#24 Zach Collins .....74, 10/27/07 at Coastal  
#25 Rajah Jenkins .....96, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#27 Drew Luxhoj .....8, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#28 Tim Maypray .....346, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#31 Howard Abegesah .....194, 10/20/07 vs. GWU  
#38 Bobby Epps .....66, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#41 T.J. Talley .....23, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#81 Daud Semalulu .....74, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#88 Aaron Lewis .....24, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#90 Travis Ludden .....30, 9/3/05 vs. Davidson

## Kicking

### Field Goals Made

#40 Patrick Sweeney .....1 (3x), Last 10/20/07 vs. GWU  
#49 Greg Stevens .....1, 9/13/08 at William & Mary

### Field Goals Attempted

#40 Patrick Sweeney .....2 (2x), Last 10/20/07 vs. GWU  
#49 Greg Stevens .....2, 9/13/08 at William & Mary

### Points Scored

#40 Patrick Sweeney .....5 (2x), Last 10/27/07 at Coastal  
#49 Greg Stevens .....9, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

### Longest Field Goal

#40 Patrick Sweeney .....46, 9/15/07 at James Madison  
#49 Greg Stevens .....38, 9/13/08 at William & Mary

## Punting

### Punts

#40 Patrick Sweeney .....5, 9/13/08 at William & Mary

### Longest Punt

#40 Patrick Sweeney .....49, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis

## Touchdowns Scored

#2 Bryan Barnson .....2, 9/29/07 at Robert Morris  
#3 Mario Scott .....1, 10/27/07 at Coastal  
#5 Bryant Youngblood .....1, 11/10/07 at Liberty  
#6 Gabe Itoka .....2, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#9 Michael Rainey-Wiles .....1, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven  
#12 Cameron Jones .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#14 Kyle Hughes .....2 (2x), Last 10/20/07 vs. GWU  
#24 Zach Collins .....2 (2x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#28 Tim Maypray .....2 (5x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#31 Howard Abegesah .....3, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#38 Bobby Epps .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#81 Daud Semalulu .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#84 Damiso Alexander .....1, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#88 Aaron Lewis .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#90 Travis Ludden .....1 (2x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis

## Tackles

#1 Trae Watkins .....4, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#4 Tracy Hairston .....3, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#5 Bryant Youngblood .....10 (2x), Last 10/13/07 vs. PC  
#7 A.J. Gross .....8, 9/15/07 at James Madison  
#8 Kyle Nikmard .....6 (3x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#17 Patrick McKinney .....14, 9/2/06 vs. Davidson  
#19 Levi Swindell .....15, 9/8/07 vs. William & Mary  
#20 Joe Taylor .....12, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven  
#22 Byron Allen .....5, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#26 Kris Ware .....6, 9/23/06 at William & Mary  
#29 Greg Walker .....5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#32 Julian Bowers .....4, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#34 Juan Thrasher .....5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#35 Jacob Rochester .....14, 9/9/06 at Norfolk State  
#37 Tyler Reedy .....4, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#41 T.J. Talley .....2, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#44 Andy Viola .....5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#45 Jack Curtis .....4, 9/15/07 at James Madison  
#46 Zach Webb .....4, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#47 Eric Church .....4, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#49 Greg Stevens .....2, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#50 Josh Wine .....7, 9/22/07 at Lehigh  
#54 Josh Sneed .....2 (2x), Last 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#83 Nick Mims .....5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#84 Damiso Alexander .....7, 11/17/07 vs. The Citadel  
#93 Aaron Blue .....3, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#99 Emilio Calvin .....2 (2x), Last 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

## Tackles-For-Loss

#1 Trae Watkins .....0.5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#5 Bryant Youngblood .....1.5, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#7 A.J. Gross .....2.5, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#8 Kyle Nikmard .....2.0, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#17 Patrick McKinney .....2.0 (2x), Last 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#19 Levi Swindell .....0.5, 10/7/06 at Army  
#20 Joe Taylor .....0.5 (3x), Last 11/3/07 vs. Char. Sou.  
#26 Kris Ware .....0.5 (2x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#32 Julian Bowers .....1.0 (2x), Last 9/13/08 at W&M  
#35 Jacob Rochester .....3.0, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#44 Andy Viola .....1.5 (3x), Last 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#46 Zach Webb .....0.5, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#47 Eric Church .....0.5, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#50 Josh Wine .....2.0, 9/22/07 at Lehigh  
#83 Nick Mims .....1.0 (2x), Last 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#84 Damiso Alexander .....3.0, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#93 Aaron Blue .....1.0, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis

## Sacks

#5 Bryant Youngblood .....0.5, 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#8 Kyle Nikmard .....1.0 (2x), Last 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#17 Patrick McKinney .....0.5, 9/29/07 at RMU  
#20 Joe Taylor .....0.5, 9/1/07 vs. Lock Haven  
#35 Jacob Rochester .....2.0, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#44 Andy Viola .....1.0, 9/6/08 vs. Saint Francis  
#47 Eric Church .....0.5, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#50 Josh Wine .....1.0 (2x), Last 9/22/07 at Lehigh  
#83 Nick Mims .....1.0, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#84 Damiso Alexander .....3.0, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan

## Interceptions

#5 Bryant Youngblood .....1, 10/27/07 vs. Gardner-Webb  
#8 Kyle Nikmard .....1, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#19 Levi Swindell .....1, 9/20/08 vs. Chowan  
#21 Keith Taylor .....1 (2x), Last 11/3/07 vs. Char. South.  
#22 Byron Allen .....1, 9/13/08 at William & Mary  
#35 Jacob Rochester .....1, 10/21/06 at Char. South.  
#47 Eric Church .....1, 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
<b>First Downs</b>	14	19
<b>Rushes-Yards</b>	25(-4)	50-418
<b>Passing Yards</b>	256	26
<b>Passes (C-A-I)</b>	23-45-1	3-7-1
<b>Total Offense</b>	252	444
<b>Fumbles-Lost</b>	4-3	2-1
<b>Penalties</b>	7-65	4-65
<b>Punts-Avg.</b>	6-40.3	4-38.0
<b>Time of Possession</b>	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
<b>First Downs</b>	13	30
<b>Rushes-Yards</b>	57-262	41-398
<b>Passing Yards</b>	25	172
<b>Passes (C-A-I)</b>	3-6-0	13-20-2
<b>Total Offense</b>	287	570
<b>Fumbles-Lost</b>	3-2	2-2
<b>Penalties</b>	9-74	8-80
<b>Punts-Avg.</b>	5-39.4	0-0.0
<b>Time of Possession</b>	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)

VMI - 4th,0:34 - Jones, Ca. 8 run (Stevens kick)

CU - 4th,0:00 - Fox 29 pass from Westler

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

# Depth Charts

## VMI Keydets (2-1, 0-0 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.
	62	Chris Leach	6-3	273	R-Jr.
RG	63	Bo Wren	6-0	260	So.
	65	James Handler	6-4	300	R-Fr.
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.
	6	Gabe Itoka	5-6	180	So.
SB	24	Zach Collins	5-10	200	Jr.
	2	Bryan Barnson	5-11	175	So.
RB	31	Howard Abegesah	6-0	220	Jr.
	23	Chaz Jones	5-11	220	R-Fr.
QB	28	Tim Maypray	5-8	165	Jr.
	14	Kyle Hughes	6-3	190	Jr.
WR	3	Mario Scott	5-11	170	So.
	81	Daud Semalulu	6-3	190	R-Fr.

### 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	19	Levi Swindell	6-0	190	Jr.
	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.

## Ohio Bobcats (0-4, 0-1 MAC)

Offense					
		Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	
WR	23	Taylor Price	Jr.	6-1	184
	11	Terrence McCrae	So.	6-3	203
LT	74	Josh Leuck	Sr.	6-3	289
	68	Shawn Fosnaugh	Jr.	6-5	293
LG	76	Mike Eynon	Sr.	6-3	305
	or 58	David White	Jr.	6-1	289
C	58	David White	Jr.	6-1	289
	or 66	Tommy Stuck	Sr.	6-1	286
RG	61	Michael Philbin	Jr.	6-4	302
	73	Gary Schussler	Jr.	6-3	287
RT	57	Chris Rodgers	Jr.	6-5	289
	60	Cole Bunner	So.	6-5	315
TE	81	Andrew Mooney	Sr.	6-3	233
	or 84	David Carter	Sr.	6-5	246
QB	8	Boo Jackson	Jr.	6-0	197
	10	Brandon Jones	Jr.	6-2	190
FB	40	Jayson White	Sr.	6-1	231
	25	Joel Scipio	Jr.	5-10	233
TB	2	Chris Garrett	Jr.	5-8	174
	or 28	Donte Harden	R-Fr.	5-11	180
or	26	Vince Davidson	So.	5-11	190
	21	L.J. Flintall	Jr.	5-10	180
WR	7	LaVon Brazill	So.	5-10	172
	or 15	Riley Dunlop	R-Fr.	6-2	187

### Defense

		Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	
DE	99	Curtis Meyers	So.	6-2	247
	92	Conor Reilly	Jr.	6-3	232
NG	95	Ernie Hodge	So.	6-2	287
	67	A.J. Oxley	So.	6-4	298
DT	90	Jameson Hartke	Sr.	6-4	262
	96	Jacob Williamson	Sr.	6-4	283
DE	54	Kris Luchsinger	Jr.	6-4	250
	51	Dak Notestine	So.	6-3	253
WLB	32	Lee Renfro	Jr.	5-10	217
	14	Jay Edwards	R-Fr.	6-0	215
MLB	35	Michael Brown	Sr.	6-3	230
	56	Brandon Weaver	Fr.	6-1	202
SLB	47	Noah Keller	So.	6-1	226
	19	Chris Hall	Jr.	6-1	221
CB	24	Mark Parson	Sr.	5-10	188
	12	Thad Turner	Jr.	6-0	166
FS	42	Steven Jackson	Jr.	6-2	196
	13	Neil Jereb	Sr.	5-10	187
SS	34	Michael Mitchell	Sr.	6-1	217
	29	Donovan Fletcher	So.	6-0	187
CB	12	Thad Turner	Jr.	6-0	166
	4	Idris Lawrence	Jr.	5-8	170

### Special Teams

		Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	
P	43	Matt Schulte	So.	6-0	179
K	37	Barrett Way	Sr.	5-9	178
H	18	Josh Febus	Jr.	6-2	210
LS	33	Kyle Robbins	Jr.	6-2	213
KR	2	Chris Garrett	Jr.	5-8	174
	28	Donte Harden	R-Fr.	5-11	180
PR	2	Chris Garrett	Jr.	5-8	174



# 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
15	Chris Otersen	WR	R-Fr.	6-3	200	Springfield, Va./Robert E. Lee
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
57	Butch Kaczmarzewski	LB	Fr.	6-2	200	Winchester, Va./Millbrook
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
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./Tailwood
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

## 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): 53 (T-29; R-24)  
**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><b>Saint Francis (Pa.) Red Flash</b> <b>(0-3, 0-1 NEC)</b></p> <p>S6 at VMI L, 0-49            S13 Marist L, 22-30            S20 at Duquesne* L, 7-21            S27 at Morehead State 1 p.m.            O4 at Monmouth* 1 p.m.            O11 Sacred Heart* 1 p.m.            O18 Wagner* 1 p.m.            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><b>#1 Richmond Spiders</b> <b>(3-1, 2-0 CAA)</b></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* 3:30 p.m.  <b>O4 at VMI 1:30 p.m.</b>            O11 James Madison* Noon            O18 at Massachusetts* 3:30 p.m.            O25 Georgetown 3 p.m.            N8 at Hofstra* 1 p.m.            N15 Delaware* 3:30 p.m.            N22 at William &amp; Mary* Noon</p>	<p><b>#25 Liberty Flames</b> <b>(3-0, 0-0 Big South)</b></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 6 p.m.            O4 at Coastal Carolina 7 p.m.            O11 Stony Brook 3:30 p.m.            O18 Lafayette 3:30 p.m.            O25 Charleston Southern* 3:30 p.m.            N1 at Presbyterian 1:30 p.m.  <b>N8 at VMI* 1:30 p.m.</b>            N15 Gardner-Webb* 1 p.m.            N22 Elon 1 p.m.</p>
<p><b>William &amp; Mary Tribe</b> <b>(2-1, 0-0 CAA)</b></p> <p>S6 at N.C. State L, 24-34  <b>S13 VMI W, 52-17</b>            S20 Norfolk State W, 42-12            O4 Villanova* 1 p.m.            O11 at New Hampshire* Noon            O18 at Delaware* Noon            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><b>Coastal Carolina Chanticleers</b> <b>(2-2, 0-0 Big South)</b></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&amp;T 6 p.m.            O4 Liberty* 7 p.m.  <b>O11 at VMI* 1:30 p.m.</b>            O18 North Carolina Central 7 p.m.            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><b>Stony Brook Seawolves</b> <b>(1-3, 0-0 Big South)</b></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 7 p.m.            O11 at Liberty* 3:30 p.m.            O18 Charleston Southern* 3 p.m.            O25 at Coastal Carolina* 7 p.m.            N1 Gardner-Webb* 3 p.m.            N8 at Iona 1 p.m.  <b>N15 VMI* 1:30 p.m.</b></p>
<p><b>Chowan Hawks</b> <b>(1-3, 0-1 CCAA)</b></p> <p>A30 at Elizabeth City State* L, 3-55            S6 at St. Paul's L, 0-13            S13 Brevard W, 23-20  <b>S20 at VMI L, 20-69</b>            S27 Virginia Union* 6 p.m.            O4 at Fayetteville State* 6 p.m.            O11 Livingstone* 6 p.m.            O18 at Shaw* 4 p.m.            O25 at Johnson C. Smith* 1 p.m.            N1 at St. Augustine's* 1:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Gardner-Webb Runnin' Bulldogs</b> <b>(2-1, 0-0 Big South)</b></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 6 p.m.            O4 at Charleston Southern* 1:30 p.m.            O11 at Georgia Tech TBA            O18 Presbyterian 6 p.m.  <b>O25 VMI* 1:30 p.m.</b>            N1 at Stony Brook* 3 p.m.            N8 Coastal Carolina* 1:30 p.m.            N15 at Liberty* 1 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Presbyterian Blue Hose</b> <b>(1-3)</b></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 7 p.m.            O4 North Greenville 2 p.m.            O11 N.C. Central 1:30 p.m.            O18 at Gardner-Webb 6 p.m.            N1 Liberty 1:30 p.m.            N8 at Charleston Southern 1:30 p.m.  <b>N15 at VMI 1:30 p.m.</b></p>
<p><b>Ohio Bobcats</b> <b>(0-4, 0-1 MAC)</b></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  <b>S27 VMI 2 p.m.</b>            O4 at Western Michigan* 2 p.m.            O11 at Kent State* TBA            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><b>Charleston Southern Buccaneers</b> <b>(0-3, 0-0 Big South)</b></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 1:30 p.m.            O4 Gardner-Webb* 1:30 p.m.            O11 at Savannah State 2 p.m.            O18 at Stony Brook* 3 p.m.            O25 at Liberty* 3:30 p.m.  <b>N1 VMI* 1:30 p.m.</b>            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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RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
MAYPRAY, Tim	3	40	359	36	323	8.1	4	64	107.7
ABEGESAH, Howard	3	34	220	0	220	6.5	4	63	73.3
JONES, Chaz	3	16	144	0	144	9.0	0	65	48.0
COLLINS, Zach	3	5	137	5	132	26.4	2	62	44.0
EPPS, Bobby	3	18	116	2	114	6.3	1	22	38.0
HUGHES, Kyle	3	15	80	12	68	4.5	1	28	22.7
RAINEY-WILES, M	3	8	64	0	64	8.0	0	23	21.3
ITOKA, Gabe	3	12	60	3	57	4.8	1	12	19.0
HICKMAN, Justin	2	5	24	0	24	4.8	0	11	12.0
TALLEY, T.J.	2	2	23	0	23	11.5	0	15	11.5
BARNSON, Bryan	3	4	15	0	15	3.8	0	11	5.0
LUXHOJ, Drew	1	1	8	0	8	8.0	0	8	8.0
JONES, Cameron	3	1	8	0	8	8.0	1	8	2.7
JENKINS, Rajah	2	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	1.5
SEMALULU, Daud	3	1	0	6	-6	-6.0	0	0	-2.0
Total.....	3	163	1261	64	1197	7.3	14	65	399.0
Opponents.....	3	93	562	128	434	4.7	4	53	144.7

PASSING	GP	Effic	Cmp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
HUGHES, Kyle	3	79.50	5-20-1	25.0	75	2	34	25.0
MAYPRAY, Tim	3	379.90	4-4-0	100.0	94	1	74	31.3
HICKMAN, Justin	2	315.80	1-2-0	50.0	24	1	24	12.0
Total.....	3	143.89	10-26-1	38.5	193	4	74	64.3
Opponents.....	3	128.89	55-97-5	56.7	717	6	35	239.0

RECEIVING	GP	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
SCOTT, Mario	3	3	28	9.3	0	11	9.3
SEMALULU, Daud	3	1	74	74.0	1	74	24.7
ITOKA, Gabe	3	1	34	34.0	1	34	11.3
LEWIS, Aaron	1	1	24	24.0	1	24	24.0
MAYPRAY, Tim	3	1	12	12.0	0	12	4.0
ABEGESAH, Howard	3	1	8	8.0	0	8	2.7
LUDDEN, Travis	3	1	8	8.0	1	8	2.7
RAINEY-WILES, M	3	1	5	5.0	0	5	1.7
Total.....	3	10	193	19.3	4	74	64.3
Opponents.....	3	55	717	13.0	6	35	239.0

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
YOUNGBLOOD, Bryant	2	17	8.5	0	12
JENKINS, Rajah	2	16	8.0	0	16
RAINEY-WILES, M	2	15	7.5	0	15
WEBB, Zach	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total.....	7	65	9.3	0	17
Opponents.....	3	14	4.7	0	16

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
SWINDELL, Levi	1	0	0.0	0	0
WALKER, Greg	1	34	34.0	0	34
NIKWARD, Kyle	1	15	15.0	0	15
ALLEN, Byron	1	24	24.0	0	24
CHURCH, Eric	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total.....	5	73	14.6	0	34
Opponents.....	1	8	8.0	0	8

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
JENKINS, Rajah	7	171	24.4	0	52
COLLINS, Zach	4	37	9.2	0	13
JONES, Chaz	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total.....	12	225	18.8	0	52
Opponents.....	18	395	21.9	0	63

FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
ALEXANDER, Damiso	1	46	46.0	1	46
Total.....	1	46	46.0	1	46
Opponents.....	0	0	0.0	0	0

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SCORING	----- PATs -----								
	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
MAYPRAY, Tim	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
ABEGESAH, Howard	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
STEVENS, Greg	0	1-2	18-18	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	21
ITOKA, Gabe	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
COLLINS, Zach	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
SEMALULU, Daud	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
LEWIS, Aaron	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
JONES, Cameron	1	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	6
LUDDEN, Travis	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
ALEXANDER, Damiso	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
EPPS, Bobby	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
HUGHES, Kyle	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Total.....	19	1-2	18-18	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	135
Opponents.....	10	1-1	9-9	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	72

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
MAYPRAY, Tim	3	44	323	94	417	139.0
ABEGESAH, Howard	3	34	220	0	220	73.3
JONES, Chaz	3	16	144	0	144	48.0
HUGHES, Kyle	3	35	68	75	143	47.7
COLLINS, Zach	3	5	132	0	132	44.0
EPPS, Bobby	3	18	114	0	114	38.0
RAINEY-WILES, M	3	8	64	0	64	21.3
ITOKA, Gabe	3	12	57	0	57	19.0
HICKMAN, Justin	2	7	24	24	48	24.0
TALLEY, T.J.	2	2	23	0	23	11.5
BARNSON, Bryan	3	4	15	0	15	5.0
JONES, Cameron	3	1	8	0	8	2.7
LUXHOJ, Drew	1	1	8	0	8	8.0
JENKINS, Rajah	2	1	3	0	3	1.5
SEMALULU, Daud	3	1	-6	0	-6	-2.0
Total.....	3	189	1197	193	1390	463.3
Opponents.....	3	190	434	717	1151	383.7

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
STEVENS, G.	1-2	50.0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-1	0-0	38	0

FG SEQUENCE	VMI	OPPONENTS
Saint Francis (Pa.)	-	-
W&M	(38),43	(42)
Chowan	-	-

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
SWEENEY, Patrick	11	407	37.0	49	1	1	2	0
Total.....	11	407	37.0	49	1	1	2	0
Opponents.....	12	456	38.0	51	2	0	3	0

KICKOFFS	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
STEVENS, Greg	23	1376	59.8	3	2			
Total.....	23	1376	59.8	3	2	395	40.0	29
Opponents.....	12	694	57.8	0	0	225	39.1	30

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

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ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
MAYPRAY, Tim	3	323	12	0	0	0	335	111.7
ABEGESAH, Howard	3	220	8	0	0	0	228	76.0
JENKINS, Rajah	2	3	0	16	171	0	190	95.0
COLLINS, Zach	3	132	0	0	37	0	169	56.3
JONES, Chaz	3	144	0	0	17	0	161	53.7
EPPS, Bobby	3	114	0	0	0	0	114	38.0
ITOKA, Gabe	3	57	34	0	0	0	91	30.3
RAINEY-WILES, M	3	64	5	15	0	0	84	28.0
HUGHES, Kyle	3	68	0	0	0	0	68	22.7
SEMALULU, Daud	3	-6	74	0	0	0	68	22.7
WALKER, Greg	3	0	0	0	0	34	34	11.3
SCOTT, Mario	3	0	28	0	0	0	28	9.3
HICKMAN, Justin	2	24	0	0	0	0	24	12.0
LEWIS, Aaron	1	0	24	0	0	0	24	24.0
ALLEN, Byron	2	0	0	0	0	24	24	12.0
TALLEY, T.J.	2	23	0	0	0	0	23	11.5
WEBB, Zach	3	0	0	17	0	0	17	5.7
YOUNGBLOOD, Bryant	3	0	0	17	0	0	17	5.7
NIKWARD, Kyle	3	0	0	0	0	15	15	5.0
BARNSON, Bryan	3	15	0	0	0	0	15	5.0
JONES, Cameron	3	8	0	0	0	0	8	2.7
LUXHOJ, Drew	1	8	0	0	0	0	8	8.0
LUDDEN, Travis	3	0	8	0	0	0	8	2.7
Total.....	3	1197	193	65	225	73	1753	584.3
Opponents.....	3	434	717	14	395	8	1568	522.7

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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.	3	8	9	17	4.0-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17 MCKINNEY, Patrick	3	4	9	13	2.5-7	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
26 WARE, Kris	3	5	7	12	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
8 NIKMARD, Kyle	3	6	4	10	3.0-15	2.0-13	1-15	2	.	.	.	.	.
83 MIMS, Nick	3	7	3	10	1.0-2	1.0-2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
47 CHURCH, Eric	3	5	4	9	0.5-2	0.5-2	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.
35 ROCHESTER, Jacob	3	7	2	9	3.0-20	2.0-17	.	1	.	.	1	.	.
19 SWINDELL, Levi	3	6	3	9	.	.	1-0	1	.	.	.	.	.
34 THRASHER, Juan	3	4	5	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
5 YOUNGBLOOD, Bryant	3	8	.	8	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
22 ALLEN, Byron	2	5	3	8	.	.	1-24	1	.	.	.	.	.
84 ALEXANDER, Damiso	3	6	2	8	4.0-11	3.0-7	.	1	.	1-46	1	.	.
44 VIOLA, Andy	3	3	5	8	2.0-4	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
1 WATKINS, Trae	3	4	3	7	0.5-5	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
32 BOWERS, Julian	3	3	4	7	2.0-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
37 REEDY, Tyler	2	4	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
50 WINE, Josh	3	2	4	6	1.0-4	0.5-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46 WEBB, Zach	3	1	5	6	0.5-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99 CALVIN, Emilio	3	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
29 WALKER, Greg	3	2	3	5	.	.	1-34	.	.	.	.	.	.
54 SNEED, Josh	3	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
93 BLUE, Aaron	3	1	3	4	1.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4 HAIRSTON, Tracy	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
45 CURTIS, Jack	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41 TALLEY, T.J.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52 RAY, Alex	3	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96 PALMER, Sam	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
49 STEVENS, Greg	3	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
56 REUZENAAR, Corey	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20 TAYLOR, Joe	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
9 RAINEY-WILES, M	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM TEAM	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
Total.....	3	105	92	197	26-92	10-46	5-73	15	.	5-46	4	.	.
Opponents.....	3	95	144	239	11-56	4-38	1-8	5	.	3-0	4	.	.

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VMI Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 24, 2008)

All games

<b>RECORD:</b>	<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>HOME</b>	<b>AWAY</b>	<b>NEUTRAL</b>
<b>ALL GAMES.....</b>	<b>(2-1-0)</b>	<b>(2-0-0)</b>	<b>(0-1-0)</b>	<b>(0-0-0)</b>
<b>CONFERENCE.....</b>	<b>(0-0-0)</b>	<b>(0-0-0)</b>	<b>(0-0-0)</b>	<b>(0-0-0)</b>
<b>NON-CONFERENCE.....</b>	<b>(2-1-0)</b>	<b>(2-0-0)</b>	<b>(0-1-0)</b>	<b>(0-0-0)</b>

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
Sep 06, 2008	SAINT FRANCIS (PA.)	W	49-0	5123
Sep 13, 2008 at WSM		L	17-52	10624
Sep 20, 2008	CHOWAN	W	69-20	6793

RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
MAYPRAY, T.	3	40	359	36	323	8.1	4	64	107.7
ABEGESAH, H.	3	34	220	0	220	6.5	4	63	73.3
JONES, Chaz	3	16	144	0	144	9.0	0	65	48.0
COLLINS, Z	3	5	137	5	132	26.4	2	62	44.0
EPPS, B.	3	18	116	2	114	6.3	1	22	38.0
HUGHES, K.	3	15	80	12	68	4.5	1	28	22.7
RAINEY-WILES, M	3	8	64	0	64	8.0	0	23	21.3
ITOKA, G.	3	12	60	3	57	4.8	1	12	19.0
HICKMAN, J.	2	5	24	0	24	4.8	0	11	12.0
TALLEY, T.	2	2	23	0	23	11.5	0	15	11.5
BARNSON, B.	3	4	15	0	15	3.8	0	11	5.0
LUXHOJ, D.	1	1	8	0	8	8.0	0	8	8.0
JONES, Cam	3	1	8	0	8	8.0	1	8	2.7
JENKINS, R.	2	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	1.5
SEMALULU, D.	3	1	0	6	-6	-6.0	0	-2	-2.0
Total.....	3	163	1261	64	1197	7.3	14	65	399.0
Opponents.....	3	93	562	128	434	4.7	4	53	144.7

PASSING	GP	Effic	Cmp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
HUGHES, K.	3	79.50	5-20-1	25.0	75	2	34	25.0
MAYPRAY, T.	3	379.90	4-4-0	100.0	94	1	74	31.3
HICKMAN, J.	2	315.80	1-2-0	50.0	24	1	24	12.0
Total.....	3	143.89	10-26-1	38.5	193	4	74	64.3
Opponents.....	3	128.89	55-97-5	56.7	717	6	35	239.0

RECEIVING	GP	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
SCOTT, M	3	3	28	9.3	0	11	9.3
SEMALULU, D.	3	1	74	74.0	1	74	24.7
ITOKA, G.	3	1	34	34.0	1	34	11.3
LEWIS, A.	1	1	24	24.0	1	24	24.0
MAYPRAY, T.	3	1	12	12.0	0	12	4.0
ABEGESAH, H.	3	1	8	8.0	0	8	2.7
LUDDEN, T.	3	1	8	8.0	1	8	2.7
RAINEY-WILES, M	3	1	5	5.0	0	5	1.7
Total.....	3	10	193	19.3	4	74	64.3
Opponents.....	3	55	717	13.0	6	35	239.0

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
STEVENS, G.	1-2	50.0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-1	0-0	38	0

SCORING	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rev	Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
ABEGESAH, H.	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
MAYPRAY, T.	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
STEVENS, G.	0	1-2	18-18	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	21
ITOKA, G.	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
COLLINS, Z	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
JONES, Cam	1	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	6
ALEXANDER, D.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
EPPS, B.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	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
HUGHES, K.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Total.....	19	1-2	18-18	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	135
Opponents.....	10	1-1	9-9	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	72

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
VMI.....	34	31	28	42	135
Opponents.....	7	17	21	27	72

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
MAYPRAY, T.	3	44	323	94	417	139.0
ABEGESAH, H.	3	34	220	0	220	73.3
JONES, Chaz	3	16	144	0	144	48.0
HUGHES, K.	3	35	68	75	143	47.7
COLLINS, Z	3	5	132	0	132	44.0
Total.....	3	189	1197	193	1390	463.3
Opponents.....	3	190	434	717	1151	383.7

TEAM STATISTICS	VMI	OPP
FIRST DOWNS.....	58	63
Rushing.....	49	23
Passing.....	7	35
Penalty.....	2	5
RUSHING YARDAGE.....	1197	434
Yards gained rushing...	1261	562
Yards lost rushing.....	64	128
Rushing Attempts.....	163	93
Average Per Rush.....	7.3	4.7
Average Per Game.....	399.0	144.7
TDs Rushing.....	14	4
PASSING YARDAGE.....	193	717
Att-Comp-Int.....	26-10-1	97-55-5
Average Per Pass.....	7.4	7.4
Average Per Catch.....	19.3	13.0
Average Per Game.....	64.3	239.0
TDs Passing.....	4	6
TOTAL OFFENSE.....	1390	1151
Total Plays.....	189	190
Average Per Play.....	7.4	6.1
Average Per Game.....	463.3	383.7
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS...	12-225	18-395
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS...	7-65	3-14
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS....	5-73	1-8
FUMBLES-LOST.....	9-3	7-5
PENALTIES-YARDS.....	21-195	26-218
PUNTS-AVG.....	11-37.0	12-38.0
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME..	28:51	31:09
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS.....	19/38	9/33
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS.....	3/4	4/8

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
ALLEN, B.	1	24	24.0	0	24
CHURCH, E.	1	0	0.0	0	0
SWINDELL, L.	1	0	0.0	0	0
WALKER, G.	1	34	34.0	0	34
NIKMARD, K.	1	15	15.0	0	15
Total.....	5	73	14.6	0	34
Opponents.....	1	8	8.0	0	8

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
SWEENEY, P.	11	407	37.0	49	1	1	2	0
Total.....	11	407	37.0	49	1	1	2	0
Opponents.....	12	456	38.0	51	2	0	3	0

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
RAINEY-WILES, M	2	15	7.5	0	15
JENKINS, R.	2	16	8.0	0	16
YOUNGBLOOD, B.	2	17	8.5	0	12
WEBB, Z.	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total.....	7	65	9.3	0	17
Opponents.....	3	14	4.7	0	16

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
JENKINS, R.	7	171	24.4	0	52
COLLINS, Z	4	37	9.2	0	13
JONES, Chaz	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total.....	12	225	18.8	0	52
Opponents.....	18	395	21.9	0	63

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
MAYPRAY, T.	3	323	12	0	0	0	335	111.7
ABEGESAH, H.	3	220	8	0	0	0	228	76.0
JENKINS, R.	2	3	0	16	171	0	190	95.0
COLLINS, Z	3	132	0	0	37	0	169	56.3
JONES, Chaz	3	144	0	0	17	0	161	53.7
Total.....	3	1197	193	65	225	73	1753	584.3
Opponents.....	3	434	717	14	395	8	1568	522.7

DEFENSIVE LEADERS	GP	Solo	Ast	Total	TFL/Yds	No-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Rev-Yds	FF	Kick	Saf
7 GROSS, A..	3	8	9	17	4.0-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17 McKINNEY, P.	3	4	9	13	2.5-7	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
26 WARE, K.	3	5	7	12	0.5-1	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	.
8 NIKMARD, K.	3	6	4	10	3.0-15	2.0-13	1-15	2	.	.	.	.	.
83 MIMS, N.	3	7	3	10	1.0-2	1.0-2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
Total.....	3	105	92	197	26-92	10-46	5-73	15	.	5-46	4	.	.
Opponents.....	3	95	144	239	11-56	4-38	1-8	5	.	3-0	4	.	.

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VMI Team Game-by-Game (as of Sep 24, 2008)  
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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
Totals.....		163	1197	14	65	10	193	4	74	10-	26-	1	193	4	74	12	225	0	52	7	65	0	17	1390
Opponent.....		93	434	4	53	55	717	6	35	55-	97-	5	717	6	35	18	395	0	63	3	14	0	16	1151

Games played: 3  
Avg per rush: 7.3  
Avg per catch: 19.3  
Pass efficiency: 143.89  
Kick ret avg: 18.8  
Punt ret avg: 9.3  
All purpose avg/game: 584.3  
Total offense avg/gm: 463.3

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	Rcv	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
Totals.....		105	92	197	26.0	-92	10.0	-46	4	5	-46	5	-73	0	15	0	18	-18	0	0	0	0	135
Opponent.....		95	144	239	11.0	-56	4.0	-38	4	3	-0	1	-8	0	5	0	9	-9	0	0	0	0	72

Date	Opponent	-----PUNTING-----						--FIELD GOALS--				-----KICKOFFS-----						
		No	Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	TB	FC	50+	I20	Att	Made	Lg	Blkd	No	Yds	Avg	TB
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	11	637	57.9	1	1	
Totals.....		11	407	37.0	49	0	1	1	0	2	2-1	38	0	23	1376	59.8	3	2
Opponent.....		12	456	38.0	51	0	2	0	2	3	1-1	42	0	12	694	57.8	0	0

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VMI Opponent Game-by-Game (as of Sep 24, 2008)  
All games

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
Opponent totals.....		93	434	4	53	55	717	6	35	55-	97-	5	717	6	35	18	395	0	63	3	14	0	16	1151
VMI.....		163	1197	14	65	10	193	4	74	10-	26-	1	193	4	74	12	225	0	52	7	65	0	17	1390

Games played: 3  
Avg per rush: 4.7  
Avg per catch: 13.0  
Pass efficiency: 128.89  
Kick ret avg: 21.9  
Punt ret avg: 4.7  
All purpose avg/game: 522.7  
Total offense avg/gm: 383.7

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	Rcv	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
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	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	20
Opponent totals.....		95	144	239	11.0	-56	4.0	-38	4	3-0	1-8	0	5	0	9-9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72
VMI.....		105	92	197	26.0	-92	10.0	-46	4	5-46	5-73	0	15	0	18-18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	135

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	8	465	58.1	0	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
Opponent totals.....		12	456	38.0	51	0	2	0	2	3	1-1	42	0	12	694	57.8	0	0	0
VMI.....		11	407	37.0	49	0	1	1	0	2	2-1	38	0	23	1376	59.8	3	2	0

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VMI Team Game-by-Game Comparison (as of Sep 24, 2008)  
All games

Opponent	Score	-----FIRST DOWNS-----				----RUSHING----		-----PASSING-----			--TOTAL OFFENSE--		Return Yards	Turn- Overs
		Total	Rush	Pass	Pen	Number	Yards	Comp	Att	Int	Yards	Plays		
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	
Totals.....	135-72	58/63	49/23	7/35	2/5	163-1197/	93-434	10-26- 1 / 55-97-	5	193/717	189-1390/ 190-1151	409/417	4/10	

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

Opponent	3rd Down		4th Down		Time of		TOP	Avg	Avg	Avg	Punting		----PENALTIES----	
	Conversions		Conversions		Possession	Margin	Yds/Rush	Yds/Pass	Yds/Play	Number	Avg	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
Totals.....	19-38 /	9-33	3-4 /	4-8	86:32/	93:28	-6:56	7.3/4.7	7.4/7.4	7.4/6.1	11-37.0 /	12-38.0	21-195 /	26-218

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

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VMI Game Superlatives (as of Sep 24, 2008)  
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INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	26	MAYPRAY, Tim at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Yards Rushing.....	134	MAYPRAY, Tim at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
TD Rushes.....	3	ABEGESAH, Howard vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Long Rush.....	65	JONES, Chaz vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Pass attempts.....	10	HUGHES, Kyle vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Pass completions....	2	HUGHES, Kyle vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) MAYPRAY, Tim at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) HUGHES, Kyle vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Yards Passing.....	74	MAYPRAY, Tim vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
TD Passes.....	1	HUGHES, Kyle vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) HUGHES, Kyle vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) HICKMAN, Justin vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) MAYPRAY, Tim vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Long Pass.....	74	MAYPRAY, Tim vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Receptions.....	2	SCOTT, Mario vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Yards Receiving.....	74	SEMALULU, Daud vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
TD Receptions.....	1	LUDDEN, Travis vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) ITOKA, Gabe vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) SEMALULU, Daud vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008) LEWIS, Aaron vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Long Reception.....	74	SEMALULU, Daud vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Field Goals.....	1	STEVENS, Greg at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Long Field Goal.....	38	STEVENS, Greg at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Punts.....	5	SWEENEY, Patrick at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Punting Avg.....	39.4	SWEENEY, Patrick at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Long Punt.....	49	SWEENEY, Patrick vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Long Punt Return....	17	WEBB, Zach vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Long Kickoff Return.	52	JENKINS, Rajah vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Tackles.....	7	McKINNEY, Patrick vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Sacks.....	3.0	ALEXANDER, Damiso vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Tackles For Loss....	3.0	ROCHESTER, Jacob vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) ALEXANDER, Damiso vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Interceptions.....	1	WALKER, Greg vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) NIKWARD, 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)

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TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	57	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
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)
Pass completions....	4	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Yards Passing.....	142	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Yards Per Pass.....	10.9	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
TD Passes.....	3	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Total Plays.....	69	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
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)
First Downs.....	26	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Penalties.....	9	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Penalty Yards.....	74	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Turnovers.....	2	vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
		at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Interceptions By....	2	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
		vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)

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OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	15	T. Riggins, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Yards Rushing.....	180	T. Riggins, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
TD Rushes.....	2	Jonathan Grimes, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Long Rush.....	53	T. Riggins, at W&M (Sep 13, 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.....	35	WESTLER,CJ, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 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.....	35	COARD,Eddie, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Field Goals.....	1	Brian Pate, at W&M (Sep 13, 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.....	40.3	FULLER, Bobby, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Long Punt.....	51	FULLER, Bobby, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) KOCH,Phil, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Long Punt Return....	16	Derek Cox, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Long Kickoff Return.	63	GOFFINGON,D'Ang, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Tackles.....	15	BROWN,Jomo, vs Chowan (Sep 20, 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)
Tackles For Loss....	2.0	LEWIS, Scott, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008) Derek Cox, at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Interceptions.....	1	HORNE, Robert, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)

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OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	41	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Yards Rushing.....	398	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Yards Per Rush.....	9.7	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
TD Rushes.....	4	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Pass attempts.....	45	vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Pass completions....	23	vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Yards Passing.....	289	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Yards Per Pass.....	9.0	vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
TD Passes.....	3	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008) vs Chowan (Sep 20, 2008)
Total Plays.....	70	vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (Sep 06, 2008)
Total Offense.....	570	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Yards Per Play.....	9.3	at W&M (Sep 13, 2008)
Points.....	52	at W&M (Sep 13, 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)

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VMI Red-Zone Results (as of Sep 24, 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
Totals			11	9	59	8	7	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
9 of 11 (81.8%)															

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
Totals			8	5	35	5	3	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
5 of 8 (62.5%)															

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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%		
VMI			19-38 50.0%	2-7 28.6%	7-13 53.8%	5-9 55.6%	5-9 55.6%	0-0 0.0%	
Opponents			9-33 27.3%	2-9 22.2%	1-5 20.0%	3-9 33.3%	3-10 30.0%	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%		
VMI			3-4 75.0%	0-0 0.0%	1-1 100.0%	1-1 100.0%	1-2 50.0%	0-0 0.0%	
Opponents			4-8 50.0%	2-3 66.7%	0-1 0.0%	1-1 100.0%	1-3 33.3%	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		
VMI			Total 86:32	17:28	23:45	22:43	22:36	0:00	
			Avg. 28:50	5:49	7:55	7:34	7:32	0:00	
Opponents			Total 93:28	27:32	21:15	22:17	22:24	0:00	
			Avg. 31:09	9:10	7:05	7:25	7:28	0:00	