

2015 VMI FOOTBALL

GAME 11: VMI VS. WESTERN CAROLINA

NOVEMBER 21, 2015 - 1:30 P.M. • FOSTER STADIUM

SERIES RECORD: WESTERN CAROLINA LEADS 18-3

LAST MEETING: WESTERN CAROLINA 42, VMI 27 - NOV. 15, 2014

2015 VMI SCHEDULE & RESULTS

OVERALL: 2-8

SOCON: 1-5

HOME: 1-4

AWAY: 1-4

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
S3	at Ball State	L, 36-48
S12	Morehead State	W, 43-40
S19	at #22 Richmond	L, 10-42
S26	at Furman	L, 21-24
O3	Bucknell	L, 22-28 (OT)
O10	Samford	L, 13-49
O17	#6 Chattanooga	L, 27-33
O24	at Mercer	W, 28-21
O31	Wofford	L, 20-41
N7	at #22 The Citadel	L, 14-35
N21	Western Carolina	1:30 p.m.



◆ VMI (2-8, 1-5) vs. Western Carolina (6-4, 4-2)◆

1:30 p.m. - ESPN3

QUICK HITTERS:

2015 WESTERN CAROLINA SCHEDULE

OVERALL: 6-4

SOCON: 4-2

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
S5	Mars Hill	W, 42-14
S12	at The Citadel	L, 10-28
S19	at Tennessee	L, 10-55
O3	Presbyterian	W, 33-21
O10	Mercer	W, 24-21
O17	at Wofford	W, 24-17
O24	Samford	W, 56-36
O31	at #4 Chattanooga	L, 13-41
N7	Furman	W, 48-10
N14	at Texas A&M	L, 17-41
N21	at VMI	1:30 p.m.

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A VMI Win against Western Carolina would -

Mark the first time VMI had defeated the Catamounts since 1991.

Be the first time since 2011 (Gardner-Webb) that the Keydets had won their season finale.

HOW TO FOLLOW:

VMI RADIO NETWORK - WWZW-FM 96.7 FM (Lexington, Lynchburg), WNTW 820 AM (Richmond) and WRTZ 1410 AM (Roanoke). A free audio broadcast of the game is available at www.3wzfm.com. Chris Graham will handle the play by play, while Rick Cruze will be on color commentary.

TELEVISION/VIDEO STREAMING - Saturday's game can be seen, with participating Internet provider, on ESPN3. Wade Branner will be the play by play announcer, while Dave Harding will serve as the color analyst.

TALE OF THE TAPE



23.4	Scoring Average	27.7
36.1	Points Allowed/Gm.	28.4
196	First Downs	185
111.3	Rushing Avg.	181.9
274.5	Passing Avg.	228.1
385.8	Total Offense Avg.	410.0
27:23	Time of Possession	26:18
206.0	Rushing Defense Avg.	211.1
232.0	Passing Defense Avg.	212.3
438.0	Total Defense Avg.	423.4
3	Interceptions Made	9
8-53	Sacks By-Yards	17-91
13-9	Fumbles-Lost	16-8
39%	3rd Down Conv.	45%
46%	Opp. 3rd Down Conv.	43%
52%	4th Down Conv.	40%
50%	Opp. 4th Down Conv.	55%
19.9	Kick Return Average	21.3
12.9	Punt Return Average	7.2
-18	Turnover Margin	-3

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SATURDAY'S GAME VERSUS WESTERN CAROLINA -

THE SERIES - This will be the 22nd time VMI and Western Carolina have played on the gridiron and the first time the Catamounts from Cullowhee, North Carolina visit Foster Stadium since the 2002 season when the Keydets ended their first run as members of the Southern Conference. WCU leads the series 18-3 and has taken 12 straight in the rivalry including a 42-27 decision in Cullowhee last year. The Keydets have not defeated Western Carolina since November 9, 1991, which also stands as their last win over the Catamounts in Lexington.

IT HAPPENED ON NOVEMBER 21 -

VMI FOOTBALL - On this date in 1992, the Keydets won a 37-34 overtime thriller over Chattanooga. VMI rallied from a 31-7 fourth-quarter deficit, the largest come-from-behind victory in school history.

WORLD HISTORY - On this date in 1877, Thomas Edison announced the invention of the phonograph, a device for the mechanical recording and reproduction of sound.

VMI FOOTBALL SEASON NOTES -

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VMI's 2015 Record When	
Home	1-4
Away	1-4
Playing On Grass	1-5
Playing On Turf	1-3
Winning The Coin Toss	1-4
Losing The Coin Toss	1-4
Receiving The Ball First	2-5
Kicking Off First	0-3
Leading After the 1st Quarter	1-1
Trailing After the 1st Quarter	1-4
Tied After the 1st Quarter	0-3
Leading at Halftime	2-3
Trailing at Halftime	0-5
Tied at Halftime	0-0
Leading After the 3rd Quarter	2-1
Trailing After the 3rd Quarter	0-7
Tied After the 3rd Quarter	0-0
Leading with 2:00 Left	1-0
Trailing with 2:00 Left	0-8
Tied with 2:00 Left	1-0
Scoring First	2-2
Opponent Scores First	0-6
Scoring 40 or more points	1-0
Scoring 30-39 points	0-1
Scoring 20-29 points	1-4
Scoring less than 20 points	0-3
Allowing Opponent less than 20 points	0-2
Allowing Opponent 20 or more points	1-6
Allowing Opponent less than 30 points	1-2
Allowing Opponent 30 or more points	1-6
Rushing for 100 yards or more	2-2
Rushing for less than 100 yards	0-6
Passing for 200 yards or more	2-5
Passing for less than 200 yards	0-3
Totaling 400 yards or more in offense	2-2
Totaling less than 400 yards in offense	0-6
Allowing Opp. 150 or more rushing yards	1-5
Allowing Opp. less than 150 rushing yards	1-3
Allowing Opp. 200 or more passing yards	2-4
Allowing Opp. less than 200 passing yards	0-4
Committing Fewer Turnovers	0-0
Committing Equal Turnovers	0-3
Committing More Turnovers	2-5
Committing One Turnover or Less	0-2
Committing Two Turnovers or More	2-6
Playing In September	1-3
Playing In October	1-4
Playing In November	0-1

Head Coach Scott Wachenheim - First Season

Scott Wachenheim was named VMI's newest head football coach on Dec. 14, 2014.

A 1984 graduate of the United States Air Force Academy and veteran coach with over 25 years of experience in the college ranks, Wachenheim comes to VMI from the University of Virginia where he has served the past five seasons and as Cavaliers offensive line coach since 2011. Prior to his tenure in Charlottesville, Wachenheim was the offensive coordinator and offensive line coach at Liberty University for three seasons (2006-08).

Wachenheim also spent the 2009 season in the NFL ranks as the tight ends coach with the Washington Redskins and helped with the development of tight end Fred Davis who had 48 catches for 509 yards and six touchdowns while filling in for All-Pro Chris Cooley who sustained a season-ending injury.

Prior to his tenure at Liberty, Wachenheim spent 12 seasons (1994-2005) on the staff of Ken Hatfield at Rice University and served the last five seasons as the Owls offensive coordinator. Wachenheim also served as recruiting coordinator and coached offensive tackles and tight ends coach at Utah State from 1992-93 and was part of the 1993 Big West Championship staff that claimed the Las Vegas Bowl.

Wachenheim began his coaching career at Air Force in 1984 when he served as offensive coordinator of the Air Force Academy junior varsity squad before embarking on his active duty commitment.

After serving as an officer in the U.S. Air Force, Wachenheim returned to the college coaching ranks at Arkansas in 1989 and spent two years on the Razorback staff that won a Southwest Conference Championship and Cotton Bowl title. Wachenheim earned his master's degree in athletic administration at Arkansas in 1991. He later served one season at Colorado under head coach Bill McCartney and helped the Buffaloes win the Big 8 title and a Blockbuster Bowl bid.

Career Record: 2-8

First Win: Sept. 12, 2015 - VMI 43, Morehead State 40 - Lexington, Va.

Largest Margin of Victory: Oct. 24, 2015 - VMI 28, Mercer 21 - Macon, Ga.

Joey Gibson.

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THE CITADEL NOTES

COBB BACK AT QB - VMI returns to action after a bye week and expects redshirt sophomore quarterback Al Cobb to return to the field after missing The Citadel game two weeks with injury sustained after the Oct. 31 Wofford game at Foster Stadium. Cobb currently leads the SoCon in total offense and passing yards per game.

WOFFORD NOTES

AARON SANDERS SOARING - With 10 catches for 164 yards against Wofford, VMI junior receiver Aaron Sanders moved into fourth place in the all-time VMI career charts. Sanders compiled his sixth 100+ yard game of his career which is the second most in VMI history.

ANOTHER SANDERS EXCELLING – With a 99-yard kick return for a TD to open the scoring against Wofford, sophomore Greg Sanders became the first Keydet to return a kickoff return for a touchdown since current VMI assistant coach Tim Maypray did it against The Citadel in 2007. Maypray's kick return for a TD against the Bulldogs was also 99 yards. Sanders' effort, meanwhile, was VMI's first kickoff returned for a touchdown in its past 436 attempts.

MILLER RETURNS TO ACTION – Redshirt junior guard Stephen Miller returned to action on the offensive line against Wofford last Saturday after missing four straight games with injury. Miller started the first four games of the 2015 season at right tackle.

COBB ON THE CHARTS – With 370 yards passing against Wofford, redshirt sophomore quarterback Al Cobb has four of the top five single passing game performances in VMI history. His outings against Mercer (391 yards) two weeks ago and Wofford last week combined with his 396 yards against The Citadel in 2014 and 399 yards at Ball State in the 2015 season opener give him the 2-5 top spots on the single game passing charts. Dave Brown (1985-88) holds the top game with 422 yards against Appalachian State in 1986. Cobb also has 10 games of 300+ yards passing and 14 games of 200 yards or more.

2015 Keydet Honors

SoCon Offensive Player of the Week

WR Aaron Sanders (10/26)

SoCon Special Teams Player of the Week

K Dillon Christopher (9/14)

Preseason All-SoCon

K Dillon Christopher - Second Team

SoCon Coaches' Preseason Poll	
1. Chattanooga (7)	.49
2. Samford (1)	.40
3. Western Carolina	.38
4. Wofford	.30
5. Furman	.22
6. Mercer	.20
7. The Citadel	.18
8. VMI	.7

MERCER NOTES

SANDERS NAMED PLAYER OF THE WEEK - Junior wide receiver Aaron Sanders (Stafford, Va.) was tabbed Southern Conference Offensive Player of the Week for games played Saturday, October 24. The conference announced the award Monday from its office in Spartanburg, South Carolina. Sanders, who majors in Psychology, set a new school record with 16 receptions and accounted for 218 receiving yards in VMI's 28-21 win at Mercer which was the third highest game in school history – behind only Mark Stock's 263 yards against East Tennessee State and 220 yards against Appalachian State in 1986. Sanders produced a long of 49 yards which set up a VMI touchdown and accounted for 16 of VMI's 28 completions against the Bears and averaged 13.6 yards per catch on the afternoon. Of his 218 receiving yards versus Mercer, 146 yards came after the catch. With the 16 receptions, Sanders broke his own school record of 13 catches (Ball State '15) that he co-held with Jeff Hubbard who also accomplished the feat in 1995 against Furman.

COBB NEARLY TOPS 400 AGAIN – Redshirt quarterback Al Cobb (Pulaski, Tenn.) completed 28 of 40 passes for 391 yards against Mercer – his third career

2015 Southern Conference Standings		
	Overall	Conf.
#8 Chattanooga	8-2	6-1
#24 The Citadel	7-3	6-1
Western Carolina	6-4	4-2
Wofford	5-5	2-4
Mercer	5-5	2-4
Samford	5-5	2-4
Furman	4-6	2-4
VMI	2-8	1-5

This Week's Games

The Citadel at South Carolina, Noon

Western Carolina at VMI, 1:30 p.m.

Samford at Mercer, 3 p.m.

Chattanooga at Florida State, 3 p.m.

Furman at Wofford, 3:30 p.m.

Notable Keydet Rankings

OVERALL FCS

Fewest Penalty Yds. Per Game - Team

2 - 34.0 yards/game

Total Passing Yards

15 - Al Cobb - 2505 yards (8th/game)

Receptions Per Game - Individual

3 - Aaron Sanders - 7.9

Punt Return Average - Individual

15 - D. Forlines - 12.9

SOCON

Passing Offense per Game - Team

2 - 274.5 yards/game

Punt Return Average - Team

1 - 12.9 yards/return

Fewest Penalty Yds/Game - Team

2 - 34.0 yards/game

Passing Yards per Game - Individual

1 - Al Cobb - 278.3 yards/game

Receptions per Game - Individual

1 - Aaron Sanders - 7.9

5 - Dane Forlines - 4.4

Receiving Yards per Game - Individual

1 - Aaron Sanders - 85.7

Total Offense Yards/Game - Indiv.

1 - Al Cobb - 294.0

Tackles per Game - Individual

3 - Ryan Francis - 10.0

Allan Cratsenberg - 10.0

game of over 390 yards passing. Cobb owns two of the top three passing yardage performances in the Southern Conference this year.

ZIGLAR OVER THE CENTURY MARK AGAIN – With 104 yards and two touchdowns against Wofford, redshirt senior running back Derrick Ziglar (Martinsville, Va.) posted his second 100-yard game of the year and the fifth of his career.

CHATTANOOGA NOTES

HIGHEST-RANKED SINCE - When VMI played #6 Chattanooga on Oct. 17, it marked the highest-ranked team to visit Foster Stadium since #5 William & Mary did so in 2011.

DEFENSIVE CAREER HIGHS - Defensive back Greg Sanders finished with a career-high 13 tackles in Oct. 17's loss to Chattanooga. Lineman Amon-Ra Clay was another standout, as he posted a career-best eight stops. Due in part to injury, Clay is now listed as the starting two-deep for this week's game against Mercer.

BUCKNELL NOTES

TURNOVER-FREE GAME - VMI did not commit a turnover on the rain-soaked field last Saturday against Bucknell, marking the first turnover-free game by the Keydets since October 18, 2014 against Gardner-Webb which coincidentally also went into overtime.

CHRISTOPHER STREAK ENDS - With a 40-yard field goal as time expired to force overtime in Saturday's Bucknell game, junior place kicker Dillon Christopher extended his consecutive made field goal streak to nine dating back to last year. The string ended in overtime when the Newport News, Va. native misfired from 38 yards. The nine-game streak was the longest such string in Christopher's VMI career and he has converted on two decisive field goal attempts as time expired this year including a 34-yard game winner against Morehead State September 12.

PASSING DEFENSE IMPROVES - The 188 yards given up thorough the air by Bucknell last Saturday was the lowest surrendered by the VMI defense this year and the lowest since 91 yards were gained by triple option oriented The Citadel in the 2014 season finale. On the season, the defense has broken up 30 passes through five games after logging just 35 total passes defended in the entire 2014 season.

ROSEBOROUGH RETURNS, MYERS DEBUTS - Right tackle redshirt junior Iyan Roseborough returned to the starting lineup last Saturday against Bucknell taking over for the injured Stephen Miller. It was his 13th career start. Freshman running back Quan Myers made his college debut at running back against Bucknell and rushed for 17 yards on five carries.

FURMAN NOTES

LINEBACKERS EXCEL AT FURMAN - Sophomore inside linebacker Allan Cratsenberg matched his season high in tackles when he posted 15 stops against Furman Sept. 26 equaling the 15 he logged in the opener at Ball State. Redshirt sophomore Ryan Francis also had a big day at Furman with 11 tackles including three for loss totaling eight yards.

COBB ENTERS TOP FIVE - With 235 passing yards against Furman on Sept. 26, quarterback Al Cobb moved into fifth place on VMI's all-time passing yardage list with 4,091 yards.

RICHMOND NOTES

TUCKER LEADS THE OFFENSE - With 137 all-purpose yards, 120 of which came on the ground, running back Brice Tucker paced the Keydets in Sept. 19's loss at Richmond. Tucker scored a touchdown, had a long

run of 34 yards and averaged over five yards per carry in the game.

TUCKER THE FIRST IN A DECADE - With his 120-yard effort against UR, Brice Tucker became the first Keydet running back to go over the 100-yard mark in a game in his first season of action (true freshman or redshirt) since Bryan Royster did it against Charleston Southern on Oct. 8, 2005.

THE CENTURY MARK - Thanks to Brice Tucker's 120 yards on the ground Sept. 19 against Richmond, the Keydets had back to back games in which a player ran for at least 100 yards (Derrick Ziglar also did so the previous weekend against Morehead State). That marked the first time VMI had 100-yard rushers in back to back games since Oct. 19-26, 2013, when Ziglar did it himself against Presbyterian and Coastal Carolina.

STROZYK AND ROOTS SET CAREER-HIGHS IN TACKLES

Defensive back Jon Strozyk led the Keydets with 10 tackles Sept. 19 against Richmond, far and away a career-high. Linebacker Arnold Roots, a true freshman, added a career-best six, including one for loss.

MOREHEAD STATE NOTES

ZIGLAR ZOOMING AGAIN – Running back Derrick Ziglar ran for 108 yards in Sept. 12's win over Morehead State, the most he had posted since Oct. 26, 2013, when he ran for 136 yards against Coastal Carolina. Last season, beset by injuries, Ziglar ran for just 121 yards total. Ziglar also posted a career-high 51-yard run against the Eagles.

RICHARDSON GROUNDS EAGLES – Linebacker Tony Richardson filled up the stat sheet in Sept. 12's win over Morehead State. He posted four tackles - all for loss - three sacks and an interception. The three sack game was VMI's first since A.J. Gross did it against Coastal Carolina on Oct. 11, 2008.

FORLINES POSTS CAREER-HIGH – Wideout Dane Forlines had a career-high nine catches in Sept. 12's win against Morehead State. Three of them - the catches that pushed him over his previous career-best of six grabs - came on the game-winning drive in the waning moments.

RECORD VICTORY IN A SHOOTOUT – VMI won despite giving up 40 points to Morehead State on Sept. 12 at home. This was notable because it was, in the over 100-year history of Keydet football, the most points VMI had ever given up in a victory.

HOME OPENERS – With the team's 43-40 win over Morehead State on Sept. 12, the Keydets won their fourth straight home opener and 10th in the last 11 seasons. The lone exception in that impressive run? A 2011 loss to Delaware State.

NEW FACILITY RECORDS – Morehead State quarterback Austin Gahafer set new Foster Stadium records for passing yards (447) and total offensive yards (430) in the Sept. 12 game between the teams.

BALL STATE NOTES

HISTORY MADE IN OPENER – VMI's 444 yards total passing against Ball State – thanks to quarterback Al Cobb and special teams contributors Hayden Alford and Dane Forlines – set a new school single game record for most passing yards in a game surpassing the 422 yards against Appalachian State in 1986. The total ranked VMI #1 in the FCS in passing yardage after week one.

HISTORY MADE, PART TWO – VMI redshirt sophomore quarterback Al Cobb threw for a career-high 399 yards in the 2015 season opener at Ball State including a career-long 80-yard touchdown pass for VMI's first score against the Cardinals. Cobb's trio of touchdown passes went to three different receivers. The 399 yards passing was the second highest single

game in school history. The 33 completions by Cobb was also the second highest individual single game in school history and his 406 yards total offense was also the second most in school history.

TOP RECEIVING EFFORT – The efforts by VMI receivers Dontae Mauck (131 yards) and Aaron Sanders (118 yards) against Ball State marked the fourth time in VMI history two receivers had 100+ yard receiving games. It was last accomplished in 1986 by Mark Stock and Keith Washington vs The Citadel.

CRATSENBURG TOPS D CHARTS –

Sophomore linebacker Allan Cratsenberg picked up where he ended off the previous season when he led the Keydets in tackles with 15 against Ball State in the opener Sept. 3. The Natrone, Pa. resident had six solo tackles and nine assists including a tackle for loss for four yards against the Cardinals.

CHRISTOPHER NAMED TO SOCON

PRESEASON SQUAD – Kicker Dillon

Christopher was named Second Team Preseason All-SoCon at the league's media day in late July.

Christopher scored 54 points last season as the Keydet placekicker, going 33 of 35 on PAT's and 7 of 13 on field goals. His 33 successful point afters were the fourth-most in Keydet history.

..A punt was returned for a touchdown?

VMI: Michael Rainey-Wiles vs. Lock Haven, 52 yds., Sept. 4, 2010

Opp: Antwan Eddie (*Robert Morris*), 88 yds., Sept. 28, 2013

...A kickoff was returned for a touchdown?

VMI: Tim Maypray vs. The Citadel, 99 yds., Nov. 17, 2007

Opp: Devin Brown, Coastal Carolina, 95 yds, Oct. 26, 2013

...An interception was returned for a touchdown?

VMI: Greg Walker at Charleston Southern, 58 yards, Oct. 23, 2010

Opp: Matt Warrick (Navy), 7 yds., Sept. 22, 2012

...A blocked punt was recovered for a touchdown?

VMI: Musa Sarki vs. Charleston Southern, Oct. 11, 2003

Opp: Lorenzo Boyles (Coastal Carolina), Oct. 20, 2012

...A safety was recorded?

VMI: vs. Richmond - Team (Punter steps out of end-zone), Sept. 17, 2011

Opp: Army Team (Offensive holding in endzone), Oct. 30, 2010

...A team's own fumble was recovered for a touchdown?

VMI: Chaz Jones vs. Delaware State, Sept. 3, 2011

Opp: George Pressley (*Gardner-Webb*), Oct. 22, 2005

...An opponent's fumble was recovered for a touchdown?

VMI: Weston Reber vs. *Gardner-Webb*, 0 yds., Nov. 9, 2013

Opp: Derek Douglas, The Citadel, 21 yds., Nov. 10, 2012

...Teammates rushed for 100 yards?

VMI: Howard Abegesah (111 yards) and Cam Jones (100 yards) vs. Army, Nov.. 14, 2009

Opp: Miguel Maysonet (149 yards) and Marcus Coke (139 yards), Stony Brook, Nov. 3, 2012

...A quarterback had both 100 yards passing and rushing?

VMI: Kyle Hughes, 133 yards rushing and 141 yards passing vs. Richmond, Sept. 26, 2009

Opp: Trey Miller (Navy), 116 yards rushing and 107 yards passing, Sept. 22, 2012

...An individual rushed for 200 yards?

VMI: Tim Maypray, 235 yards, vs. Presbyterian, Nov. 22,

2008

Opp: Edwin Gowins, 250 yards & Conte Cuttino, 233 yards, Stony Brook, Nov. 15, 2008

...A quarterback passed for 300 or more yards?

VMI: Eric Kordenbrock vs. Robert Morris, 359 yds., Sept. 28, 2013

Opp: Lucas Beatty (Gardner-Webb), 328 yds., Oct. 27, 2012

...A receiver netted 100 yards in a game?

VMI: Sam Patterson vs. Coastal Carolina, 109 yds., Oct. 26, 2013 (Second Straight)

Opp: Larry Jones III, Charleston Southern, 103 yards, Oct. 12, 2013

...An individual rushed for 100 yards and netted 100 yards receiving?

VMI: Sean Mizzer, 106 yards rushing, 104 yards receiving, vs. Western Carolina, Nov. 2, 2002

Opp: N/A

...An individual intercepted 3 passes in a game?

VMI: Christian Kelly vs. Charleston Southern, Oct. 21, 2006

Opp: Marcus Johnson (The Citadel), Nov. 14, 1998

...An individual rushed for 3 or more touchdowns in a game?

VMI: Chaz Jones, 3, vs. Delaware State, Sept. 3, 2011

Opp: Miguel Maysonet (Stony Brook), 3, Nov. 3, 2012

...An individual threw 4 or more touchdowns in a game?

VMI: Eric Kordenbrock, 4, vs. Glenville State, Sept. 7, 2013

Opp: Lucas Beatty (Gardner-Webb), 4, Oct. 27, 2012

...An individual caught 3 touchdown passes in a game?

VMI: Tera Frost vs. The Citadel, Nov. 11, 2000

Opp: Kevin Norrell (Stony Brook), Nov. 3, 2012

...A punt was blocked?

VMI: Chris Copeland vs. Charleston Southern, Oct. 13, 2012

Opp: Tyler Watkins (Coastal Carolina), Oct. 20, 2012

...A defensive 2-pt conversion was scored?

VMI: Bryant Youngblood vs. Stony Brook, Nov. 15, 2008

...A blocked field goal was returned for a touch-down?

VMI: Robert Mason, 69 yards, vs. Austin Peay, Nov. 8, 2003

...A shutout was recorded?

VMI: vs. Saint Francis (49-0), Sept. 6, 2008

Opponent: Virginia (49-0), Sept. 21, 2013

Keydet Career Highs

Passing Yards

#8 Al Cobb399, 9/3/15 at Ball State
#12 Hayden Alford125, 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#6 Dane Forlines29, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#39 Derrick Ziglar32, 10/10/15 vs. Samford

Completions

#8 Al Cobb35, 10/31/15 vs. Wofford (School Record)
#12 Hayden Alford14, 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#6 Dane Forlines1 (2x), Last 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#39 Derrick Ziglar1, 10/10/15 vs. Samford

Attempts

#8 Al Cobb35, 10/18/14 vs. Gardner-Webb
#12 Hayden Alford36, 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#16 Jade Maher1, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#6 Dane Forlines1, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#39 Derrick Ziglar1, 10/10/15 vs. Samford

Touchdowns

#8 Al Cobb6, 10/18/14 vs. Gardner-Webb (School Record)
#12 Hayden Alford1 (2x), 11/7/15 at The Citadel

Longest Completion

#8 Al Cobb80, 9/3/15 at Ball State
#12 Hayden Alford44, 10/4/14 at Chattanooga
#6 Dane Forlines29, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#39 Derrick Ziglar32, 10/10/15 vs. Samford

Rushing Yards

#2 Brad Lipscomb58, 9/28/13 vs. Robert Morris
#8 Al Cobb49, 11/1/14 vs. Furman
#9 Taylor Stout36, 10/4/14 at Chattanooga
#17 Brice Tucker120, 9/19/15 at Richmond
#22 Dontae Mauck46, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#23 Cody Shirley19, 10/6/12 vs. Presbyterian
#24 Quan Myers51, 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#39 Derrick Ziglar137, 10/26/13 at Coastal Carolina

Attempts

#2 Brad Lipscomb10, 9/21/13 at Virginia
#8 Al Cobb12, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#9 Taylor Stout14, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#17 Brice Tucker23, 9/19/15 at Richmond
#23 Cody Shirley10, 10/27/12 at Gardner-Webb
#24 Quan Myers16, 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#39 Derrick Ziglar23, 10/26/13 at Coastal Carolina

Touchdowns

#8 Al Cobb1 (2x), Last 11/1/14 vs. Furman
#12 Hayden Alford1 (2x), Last 10/4/14 at Chattanooga
#17 Brice Tucker1 (3x), Last 9/19/15 at Richmond
#22 Dontae Mauck1, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#23 Cody Shirley1, 11/10/12 vs. The Citadel
#39 Derrick Ziglar2 (3x), Last 9/26/15 at Furman

Longest Rush (Min. 5 yds for offense)

#2 Brad Lipscomb55, 9/28/13 vs. Robert Morris
#6 Dane Forlines7, 9/3/15 at Ball State
#8 Al Cobb25, 11/1/14 vs. Furman
#9 Taylor Stout16, 11/15/14 at Western Carolina
#12 Hayden Alford11, 10/4/14 at Chattanooga
#17 Brice Tucker36, 9/3/15 at Ball State
#21 Aaron Sanders7, 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State
#23 Cody Shirley9, 10/6/12 vs. Presbyterian Coll.
#24 Quan Myers25, 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#39 Derrick Ziglar51, 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State

Receiving Yards (Min. 5 yards)

#6 Dane Forlines106, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#8 Al Cobb29, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#9 Taylor Stout34, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#11 Darrian Johnson26, 10/24/15 at Mercer
#13 Ryan Swingle21, 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#17 Brice Tucker36, 9/21/15 vs. Morehead State
#21 Aaron Sanders218, 10/24/15 at Mercer
#22 Dontae Mauck131, 9/3/15 at Ball State
#23 Cody Shirley24, 11/17/12 vs. Liberty
#24 Quan Myers16, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#39 Derrick Ziglar78, 9/7/13 vs. Glenville State
#49 Kyle Vardo13, 8/30/14 at Bucknell
#57 Bradley Hann13, 11/9/13 vs. Gardner-Webb
#72 Andrew Lewis16, 10/11/14 at Navy
#80 Sam Patterson161, 10/19/13 at Presbyterian
#81 Chad Jacob31, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#82 Matthew Nicholson86, 9/28/13 vs. Robert Morris
#88 J.C. Garvin28, 9/13/14 vs. Davidson

Receptions

#2 Brad Lipscomb2, 9/28/13 vs. Robert Morris
#6 Dane Forlines9, 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State
#9 Taylor Stout4, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#11 Darrian Johnson2 (2x), Last 9/31/15 at Ball State
#13 Ryan Swingle3, 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#17 Brice Tucker3 (2x), Last 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State
#21 Aaron Sanders1, 10/24/15 at Mercer (school record)
#22 Dontae Mauck2 (3x), Last 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#24 Quan Myers2 (3x), Last 10/24/15 at Mercer
#23 Cody Shirley3 (2x), Last 11/17/12 vs. Liberty

#39 Derrick Ziglar5, 10/12/13 vs. Charleston Southern
#72 Andrew Lewis3, 10/11/14 at Navy
#80 Sam Patterson7 (3x), Last 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State
#81 Chad Jacob3 (2x), Last 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#82 Matthew Nicholson5, 9/28/13 vs. Robert Morris
#88 J.C. Garvin2 (2x), Last 11/15/14 at Western Carolina

Touchdowns

#6 Dane Forlines1 (5x), Last 11/22/14 vs. The Citadel
#17 Brice Tucker1, 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State
#21 Aaron Sanders1 (6x), Last 10/31/15 vs. Bucknell
#22 Dontae Mauck1 (3x), Last 10/17/15 vs. Chattanooga
#24 Quan Myers1, 10/24/15 at Mercer
#39 Derrick Ziglar1 (2x), Last 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#49 Kyle Vardo1, 10/18/14 vs. Gardner-Webb
#57 Bradley Hann1, 9/7/13 vs. Glenville State
#80 Sam Patterson2, 10/19/13 at Presbyterian
#81 Chad Jacob1 (2x), Last 10/17/15 vs. Chattanooga
#82 Matthew Nicholson2, 9/28/13 vs. Robert Morris
#88 J.C. Garvin1 (2x), Last 11/1/14 vs. Furman

Longest Reception (Min. 10 yds)

#6 Dane Forlines49, 10/24/15 at Mercer
#8 Al Cobb29, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#9 Taylor Stout20, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#11 Darrian Johnson26, 10/24/15 at Mercer
#13 Ryan Swingle12, 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#21 Aaron Sanders60, 9/13/14 vs. Davidson
#22 Dontae Mauck80, 9/3/15 at Ball State
#23 Cody Shirley15, 11/17/12 vs. Liberty
#24 Quan Myers11 (2x), Last 10/24/15 at Mercer
#39 Derrick Ziglar56, 9/7/13 vs. Glenville State
#49 Kyle Vardo13, 8/30/14 at Bucknell
#57 Bradley Hann13, 11/9/13 at Gardner-Webb
#80 Sam Patterson42, 10/19/13 at Presbyterian
#81 Chad Jacob28, 11/22/14 vs. The Citadel
#82 Matthew Nicholson61, 10/19/13 at Presbyterian
#88 J.C. Garvin19, 9/13/14 vs. Davidson

All-Purpose Yards

#1 Caleb Furlow29, 10/17/15 vs. Chattanooga
#2 Brad Lipscomb58, 9/28/13 vs. Robert Morris
#6 Dane Forlines266, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#7 Damian Jones21, 9/27/14 vs. Mercer
#8 Al Cobb49, 11/1/14 vs. Furman
#9 Taylor Stout132, 10/18/14 vs. Gardner-Webb
#11 Darrian Johnson26, 10/24/15 at Mercer
#13 Ryan Swingle21, 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#14 Greg Sanders99, 10/31/15 at Wofford
#17 Brice Tucker137, 9/19/15 at Richmond
#19 Doug Moore39, 9/21/13 at Virginia
#21 Aaron Sanders218, 10/24/15 at Mercer
#22 Dontae Mauck128, 9/3/15 at Ball State
#23 Cody Shirley24, 11/17/12 vs. Liberty
#24 Quan Myers88, 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#38 Alijah Robinson42, 11/1/14 vs. Furman
#39 Derrick Ziglar187, 9/7/13 vs. Glenville State
#57 Bradley Hann13, 11/9/13 vs. Gardner-Webb
#59 Chris Copeland27, 9/13/14 vs. Davidson
#72 Andrew Lewis16, 10/11/14 at Navy
#80 Sam Patterson161, 10/19/13 at Presbyterian
#81 Chad Jacob31, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#82 Matthew Nicholson86, 9/28/13 vs. Robert Morris
#83 Isaiah Parker36, 10/17/15 vs. Chattanooga
#88 J.C. Garvin28, 9/13/14 vs. Davidson
Several omitted with less than 10 yds

Kicking

Field Goals Made

#27 Dillon Christopher2 (6x), Last 10/31/15 vs. Wofford

Field Goals Attempted

#27 Dillon Christopher4, 11/9/13 vs. Gardner-Webb

Points Scored

#27 Dillon Christopher9 (4x), Last 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State

Longest Field Goal

#27 Dillon Christopher52 (2x), Last 11/23/13 vs. Bucknell

Punting

Punts

#12 Hayden Alford8 (2x), Last 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#34 Bill Hogan7, 11/7/15 at The Citadel

Longest Punt

#12 Hayden Alford69, 10/4/14 at Chattanooga
#34 Bill Hogan53, 11/7/15 at The Citadel

Touchdowns Scored

#6 Dane Forlines1 (5x), Last 11/22/14 vs. The Citadel
#7 Damian Jones1, 10/11/14 at Navy
#8 Al Cobb1 (3x), Last 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#12 Hayden Alford1 (2x), 10/4/14 at Chattanooga
#14 Greg Sanders1, 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#17 Brice Tucker2, 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State
#21 Aaron Sanders1 (6x), Last 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#22 Dontae Mauck1 (4x), Last 10/17/15 vs. Chattanooga
#23 Cody Shirley1, 11/10/12 vs. The Citadel
#24 Quan Myers1, 10/24/15 at Mercer
#39 Derrick Ziglar2 (5x), Last 11/7/15 at The Citadel

Tackles

#1 Caleb Furlow7 (2x), Last 11/9/13 vs. Gardner-Webb
#2 Brad Lipscomb4, 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#3 Tony Richardson6, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#5 Darnell Ashton12, 9/13/14 vs. Davidson
#6 Dane Forlines2, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#7 Damian Jones10, 9/28/13 vs. Robert Morris
#14 Greg Sanders13, 10/17/15 vs. Chattanooga
#19 Doug Moore7 (2x), 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#20 Alex James15, 9/7/13 vs. Glenville State
#21 Aaron Sanders2, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#25 Alex Keys11, 10/25/14 at Wofford
#32 Jon Stroyzyk10, 9/19/15 at Richmond
#35 Scott Frazier3 (2x), Last 9/26/15 at Ball State
#36 Michael Williams4, 9/19/15 at Richmond
#38 Alijah Robinson11, 10/17/15 vs. Chattanooga
#41 Uzoma Kpadiwu3, 9/3/15 at Ball State
#42 Troy Barden3, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#44 Ryan Francis15, 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#46 Allan Cratsenberg17 (2x), Last 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#52 Zack Baker2 (2x), Last 10/24/15 vs. Wofford
#53 Arnold Roots6, 9/19/15 at Richmond
#56 Brian Ellis4, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#58 Brian Lipscomb7, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#59 Chris Copeland8, 9/3/15 at Ball State
#82 Matthew Nicholson2 (2x), Last 10/24/15 at Mercer
#88 J.C. Garvin7, 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#90 Robert de Wolff4, 9/20/14 at Samford
#93 Denton Ensinger6, 10/18/14 vs. Gardner-Webb
#94 Amon-Ra Clay8, 10/17/15 vs. Chattanooga
#96 Seth Mallory4, 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#98 Casey Phillips4, 11/7/15 at The Citadel
#99 Joe Nelson10, 11/22/14 vs. The Citadel
Several omitted with one tackle

Tackles-For-Loss

#1 Caleb Furlow1.0 (5x), Last 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#3 Tony Richardson4.0, 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State
#5 Darnell Ashton2.0, 9/20/14 at Samford
#7 Damian Jones1.0 (2x), Last 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#14 Greg Sanders1.0, 10/4/14 at Chattanooga
#19 Doug Moore1.5, 10/18/14 vs. Gardner-Webb
#20 Alex James1.0 (3x), Last 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#25 Alex Keys1.0 (4x), Last 10/4/14 at Chattanooga
#32 Jon Stroyzyk0.5, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#36 Michael Williams1.0, 9/19/15 at Richmond
#38 Alijah Robinson1.0 (4x), Last 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#42 Tony Richardson0.5, 10/18/14 vs. Gardner-Webb
#44 Ryan Francis3.0, 9/26/15 at Furman
#46 Allan Cratsenberg2.0, 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#53 Arnold Roots1.0, 9/19/15 at Richmond
#58 Brian Lipscomb2.0, 10/24/15 at Mercer
#59 Chris Copeland2.5, 9/13/14 vs. Davidson
#88 J.C. Garvin1.5, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#90 Robert de Wolff1.5, 9/20/14 at Samford
#93 Denton Ensinger1.5 (2x), Last 10/4/14 at Chattanooga
#94 Amon-Ra Clay1.0 (4x), Last 10/31/15 vs. Wofford
#96 Seth Mallory0.5, 10/10/15 vs. Samford
#99 Joe Nelson2, 11/22/14 vs. The Citadel

Sacks

#1 Caleb Furlow0.5, 9/28/13 vs. Robert Morris
#3 Tony Richardson3.0, 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State
#19 Doug Moore1.0, 10/18/14 vs. Gardner-Webb
#44 Ryan Francis1.0 (3x), Last 10/17/15 vs. Chattanooga
#58 Brian Lipscomb1.0 (2x), Last 10/24/15 at Mercer
#59 Chris Copeland2.0, 9/13/14 vs. Davidson
#88 J.C. Garvin1.0, 10/3/15 vs. Bucknell
#90 Robert de Wolff0.5, 9/20/14 at Samford
#99 Joe Nelson1.0 (3x), Last 9/27/14 vs. Mercer

Interceptions

#1 Caleb Furlow1 (2x), Last 10/17/15 vs. Chattanooga
#3 Tony Richardson1, 9/12/15 vs. Morehead State
#7 Damian Jones1 (3x), Last 11/1/14 vs. Furman
#14 Greg Sanders1 (3x), Last 11/1/14 vs. Furman
#19 Doug Moore1, 9/21/13 at Virginia
#32 Jon Stroyzyk1, 9/13/14 vs. Davidson
#38 Alijah Robinson1 (2x), Last 9/3/15 at Ball State
#44 Ryan Francis1, 10/4/14 at Chattanooga
#59 Chris Copeland1, 10/1/14 at Navy

Last Meeting with Western Carolina

Cobb Adds More Marks But Keydets Fall at WCU, 42-27

VMI redshirt freshman quarterback Al Cobb added more records to his outstanding debut season, but the Western Carolina Catamounts were able to hold off a second half VMI charge to down the Keydets, 42-27 before 8,339 at E.J. Whitmire Stadium Saturday afternoon, November 15.

Cobb completed 19 of 45 passes for 321 yards and two touchdowns and became the VMI single season passing leader with 2,575 yards and also set a new mark for single season total offense with 2,673 yards.

The Keydets had no answer however, for WCU quarterback Troy Mitchell who completed 32 of 42 passes for 339 yards and tossed five touchdowns, four that came in the first half and helped the Catamounts build a pair of 21-point leads.

The Keydets (2-9, 1-5) rallied to twice pull within a score in the second half and moved the ball to the WCU 39-yard line trailing 35-27, but linebacker Christon Gill picked off a Cobb pass and returned it to the WCU 40 with 6:40 remaining. Two plays later, Mitchell scampered to the end zone on a 55-yard keeper around right end to repel VMI's last serious threat of the game.

The Catamounts (7-4, 5-2) outgained VMI, 640-471 and converted 10 of 16 third downs while balancing their attack with 339 passing yards and 301 rushing yards. Four of Mitchell's TD teamed with redshirt junior Karnorris Benson who finished with eight catches for 127 yards. Sophomore Terryon Robinson snagged 12 receptions for 127 yards to top the Catamount charts.

Two Catamounts backs produced 100-yard games as Darius Ramsey rushed for a game-high 128 yards on 19 carries and Mitchell contributed 109 yards and his decisive fourth-quarter score.

Sophomore Aaron Sanders led VMI receivers with four catches for 119 yards and a touchdown while junior Sam Patterson added five catches for 67 yards for the visitors.

The VMI offense surpassed the 100-yard rushing mark for the second straight game with 150 yards on the ground. Senior Deon Watts gained 60 yards on seven carries and scored a touchdown while Cobb added 45 yards on the ground.

Freshman linebacker Alan Cratsenburg led the Keydet defensive charts with 17 tackles including eight solo stops and outside linebacker Ryan Francis contributed 12 tackles including eight solos.

Western Carolina was led defensively by Gill who logged eight tackles to go along with his crucial fourth quarter interception that stemmed the Keydet momentum.

The Mitchell-Benson TD connection helped WCU race to a 21-0 advantage with 10:18 to go in the second quarter and the contest had the makings of a rout before VMI got on the board with a 4-play, 65-yard drive capped by a Watts 9-yard burst up the middle. Watts added a 27-yard rush earlier in the scoring possession and a 44-yard completion from Cobb to Sanders to the WCU 9 set up VMI's first score of the game one play later.

The Catamounts countered to push their lead back to 28-7 when Mitchell flipped a 28-yard TD pass to a wide open Benson at the 4:53 mark of the second quarter, but VMI closed out the first-half scoring when sophomore Dillon Christopher knocked through a 45-yard field goal to cut the lead to 28-10 at halftime. It was Christopher's third field goal from 40 or more yards this season.

The VMI offense found its rhythm in the second half and took the opening drive 89 yards in five plays and scored a 44-yard strike from Cobb to Sanders to cut WCU's lead to 28-17. Christopher converted a 38-yarder at the 5:02 mark of the third quarter to pull the Keydets within 28-20 on a drive that featured eight rushes and only one pass completion.

WCU got some breathing room when Miller flipped a five-yard TD pass to tight end Tyler Sexton to extend the game to 35-20 as it headed into the final period.

VMI's final push was keyed by a 10-play, 80-yard drive that ended with spectacular touchdown end zone catch by senior Doug Burton that was heavily challenged by WCU defenders. Christopher's extra point followed to pull VMI within 35-27 with 12:32 remaining, but the Keydets could pull no closer to their Southern Conference rival.

VMI (2-9, 1-5) 27
Western Carolina (7-4, 5-2) 42

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VMI	0	10	10	7	-	27
WCU	14	14	7	7	-	42

FIRST QUARTER

VMI - Benson 7 pass from Mitchell (Sigmon kick) - 10:17

WCU - Benson 39 pass from Mitchell (Sigmon kick) - 5:03

SECOND QUARTER

WCU - Benson 17 pass from Mitchell (Sigmon kick) - 10:18

VMI - Watts 9 run (Christopher kick) - 8:21

WCU - Benson 28 pass from Mitchell (Sigmon kick) - 4:53

VMI - Christopher 45 FG - 1:46

THIRD QUARTER

VMI - Sanders 44 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 12:35

VMI - Christopher 38 FG - 5:02

WCU - Sexton 5 pass from Mitchell (Sigmon kick) - 0:29

FOURTH QUARTER

VMI - Burton 37 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 12:32

WCU - Mitchell 55 run (Sigmon kick) - 5:56

	VMI	WCU
First Downs	26	30
Rushes-Yards	28-150	45-301
Passing Yards	321	339
Passes (C-A-I)	19-45-2	32-42-1
Total Offense	471	640
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	3-1
Penalties	11-94	15-155
Punts-Avg.	4-44.0	5-38.8
Time of Possession	28:28	31:32

RUSHING: **VMI** - Watts 7-60; Cobb 9-45; Ziglar 5-18; Stout 3-16; Turner 3-12. **WCU** - Ramsey 19-128; Mitchell 12-109; Newsome 7-34; Warren 4-19; Brown 3-11.

PASSING: **VMI** - Cobb 19-45-2-321. **WCU** - Mitchell 32-42-1-339.

RECEIVING: **VMI** - Sanders 5-119; Patterson 5-67; Nicholson 2-36; Ziglar 2-22; Garvin 2-6; Burton 1-37; Forlines 1-19; Watts 1-15. **WCU** - T. Robinson 12-127; Benson 8-127; Sexton 3-32; Newsome 3-11; Moore 2-10; S. Robinson 2-4; Helms 1-25; Ramsey 1-3.

Game 1 - VMI at Ball State

Keydets Come Up Just Short in Shootout, 48-36

Al Cobb threw for 399 yards and three touchdowns and Aaron Sanders had 13 receptions for the VMI Keydets, but the Ball State Cardinals grabbed a 17-point lead after three quarters and held on for a 48-36 win in non-conference college football action Thursday night in Muncie, Ind. The game was the season opener for both teams.

VMI (0-1) had closed to within 10 at 34-24 and had the ball early in the fourth quarter, but Ball State (1-0) was able to force a Cobb fumble deep in Keydet territory with 9:56 to go. The Cardinals then took over at the VMI 32 and ran James Gilbert six straight times, the last of which was a 14-yard TD, and the Keydets never got closer than 11 the rest of the way.

The Keydets were led by Cobb, who had the second-most passing yards in school history and fell just one yard shy of throwing for 400 yards for the first time in his career. He finished 33 of 47 for 399 yards, three touchdowns and no interceptions.

Sanders added 118 yards on his game-high 13 catches and true freshman Dontae Mauck had 131 yards receiving on just two grabs, including an 80-yard first-half touchdown. Defensively, Allan Cratsenberg (15), Ryan Francis (12) and Greg Sanders (11) all finished with double-digit tackles, and Alijah Robinson had the game's lone interception.

After the Keydets went three and out to open the game, Ball State promptly marched 76 yards in 16 plays. The Keydet defense stiffened inside the 10, however, and forced a 24-yard Morgan Hagee field goal that gave BSU a 3-0 lead at the 8:16 mark. In direct opposition of what was to follow, the two teams would combine for just two first downs the remainder of the quarter, and the score remained 3-0, BSU.

Ball State extended the margin to 10-0 with a three-yard Darian Green touchdown run at the 12:09 mark of the second quarter, and after another VMI three and out, Hagee drilled a 27-yarder to push the lead to 13-0.

The momentum changed quickly on VMI's next possession, however, as on the second play of the drive, Cobb found Mauck for his first collegiate reception, an 80-yard touchdown to cut the lead to 13-7. The play was tied for the 10th-longest pass play in school history and it seemed to start the shootout, as Green scored again just 1:47 later to push the lead back to 13, 20-7.

The Keydets would take advantage of Robinson's interception late in the half, as Dillon Christopher kicked a 31-yard field goal with 29 seconds remaining in the second quarter that accounted for the halftime score, 20-10.

BSU scored two touchdowns in the first 5:40 of the second half, helped in large part by a Keydet fumble on a kickoff return, and seemed to be on the verge of breaking the game open. The Keydets, however, fought back.

A quick four-play, 66-yard drive saw Brice Tucker bolt 36 yards for a touchdown that made it 34-17. That came with 7:34 on the third quarter clock, and after being pushed back to its own one-yard line on BSU's ensuing punt, VMI promptly marched 99 yards in 17 plays. Cobb found Sanders for a six-yard touchdown to cap the incredible drive, an effort that put the Keydets back within 10, 34-24, with 12:18 left to play.

VMI got the ball back after forcing another punt, but on third and seven with 9:56 to go, Cobb fumbled the football after being hit. Osazuwamen Igbinosun recovered for the Cardinals, and six plays later, Gilbert marched in from 14 yards out to put the Keydets in a 17-point hold once again. Cobb did connect with Sam Patterson for a 15-yard touchdown with 4:55 left, but after a failed inside kick, Green put the game out of reach, 48-30, with a 46-yard touchdown run.

Derrick Ziglar had a one-yard TD run with 2:48 remaining to account for the final margin.

For the Cardinals, Green led the way with four touchdowns, three of which were on the ground as Ball State ran for 231 yards. Milas had 338 yards passing and Jordan Williams had eight receptions for 99 yards.

For the game, the two teams combined for over 1,100 yards of total offense, with BSU holding a 567-547 edge. The Cardinals used their rushing advantage, 229-103, to a crucial 32:27 - 27:33 edge in time of possession.



Al Cobb nearly became just the second Keydet QB to throw for 400 yards in a game Sept. 3 against Ball State.

VMI (0-1)	36
Ball State (1-0)	48

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VMI	0	10	7	19	-	36
BSU	3	17	14	14	-	48

FIRST QUARTER

BSU - Hagee 24 FG - 8:16

SECOND QUARTER

BSU - Green 4 run (Hagee kick) - 12:09
BSU - Hagee 27 FG - 8:35
VMI - Mauck 80 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 7:54
BSU - Green 2 run (Hagee kick) - 6:05
VMI - Christopher 31 FG - 0:29

THIRD QUARTER

BSU - Green 35 pass from Milas (Hagee kick) - 10:34
BSU - Gilbert 1 run (Hagee kick) - 9:20
VMI - Tucker 36 run (Christopher kick) - 7:34

FOURTH QUARTER

VMI - Sanders 6 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 12:23
BSU - Gilbert 14 run (Hagee kick)
VMI - Patterson 15 pass from Cobb - 4:55
BSU - Green 46 run (Hagee kick) - 4:40
VMI - Ziglar 1 run - 2:48

	VMI	BSU
First Downs	22	33
Rushes-Yards	29-103	42-229
Passing Yards	444	338
Passes (C-A-I)	35-49-0	34-53-1
Total Offense	547	567
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	0-0
Penalties	8-47	6-55
Punts-Avg.	5-44.0	4-42.2
Time of Possession	27:33	32:27

RUSHING: **VMI** - Tucker 15-87; Ziglar 5-8; Cobb 6-7; Forlines 2-4; Mauck 1-(-3). **BSU** - Williamson 16-74; Green 9-73; Gilbert 12-61; Milas 4-23.

PASSING: **VMI** - Cobb 33-47-0-399; Forlines 1-1-0-21; Alford 1-1-0-24. **BSU** - Milas 34-52-1-338.

RECEIVING: **VMI** - Sanders 13-118; Forlines 6-69; Patterson 4-44; Nicholson 3-39; Tucker 3-21; Mauck 2-131; Johnson 2-19; Shirley 1-3; Ziglar 1-0. **BSU** - Williams 8-99; Mabon 7-54; Green 6-74; Lacanaria 6-55; Shillings 3-33; Hogue 2-23; Hagee 1-4; Williamson 1-(-4).

Game 2 - VMI vs. Morehead State

Christopher Sends Keydets Over Morehead State in Home Opener, 43-40

Dillon Christopher booted a 34-yard field goal as time expired, sending the VMI Keydets past the upset-minded Morehead State Eagles, 43-40, in non-conference football action Saturday, Sept. 12 at Foster Stadium in Lexington. The two teams combined for 1,010 total offensive yards in the shootout.



Derrick Ziglar had over 100 yards rushing, including a career-long 51-yard rush, in Sept. 12's win over Morehead State.

Morehead State (0-2), a member of the non-scholarship Pioneer League, had taken a 40-33 lead with 7:12 to go, but the Keydets (1-1) quickly tied things up with a 77-play drive that took less than a minute. Three possessions later, VMI went 72 yards in 12 plays, with an eight-yard pass to Dane Forlines setting up Christopher's winning field goal from just inside the left hash mark.

In the victory, the Keydets were paced by a career-high nine catches for Dane Forlines, who posted 101 yards receiving. Derrick Ziglar had 108 yards rushing and two touchdowns, while freshman Brice Tucker carried 20 times for 78 yards and a score. Tucker finished with a team-high 114 all-purpose yards.

Morehead State saw quarterback Austin Gahafer set new Foster Stadium records for both passing yards (447) and total offensive yards (430). He finished 35 of 62 with four touchdowns and one interception, while also catching a 23-yard touchdown from wideout Jake Raymond.

It was VMI who jumped out to the early lead. Despite an Al Cobb interception on the opening drive, the Keydets got the ball right back and, helped by a 35-yard Cobb to Dontae Mauck pass, scored first. Tucker ran in the opening score from six yards out, and Sam Patterson added a two-point conversion run for an 8-0 VMI lead at the 9:42 mark.

A 59-yard Gahafer touchdown brought MSU back within one, and late in the quarter, the Eagle quarterback found Joby Embrey for a 49-yard TD strike. The point after gave Morehead State a 14-8 lead after one period of play.

Ziglar punched in the first of his two touchdowns, this one from four yards out, in the opening moments of the second quarter to give the Keydets the lead once again. Shavi Bash put the Eagles back in front briefly with a field goal at the 7:36 mark, but a Cobb pass to Patterson - and the ensuing two-point conversion by the same connection - gave VMI a 23-17 edge at halftime.

Christopher tacked on a field goal early in the third quarter, putting VMI ahead by nine, and that margin grew to 10 when Ziglar galloped in from six yards out at the 4:17 mark to make it a 33-23 game.

MSU rallied, however, as Gahafer fired a 12-yard touchdown pass in the final seconds of the third to cut the lead to 33-30. Bash kicked a field goal from 31 yards out with 12:19 to play to tie the score, and with 7:12 to go, the momentum seemed to rest firmly with Morehead State after a trick play.

A flea flicker lateral that wound up in the hands of receiver Raymond was passed to Gahafer for a 23-yard touchdown and a 40-33 Morehead State lead. The Keydets came right back, however, behind a Ziglar 51-yard run and Tucker's 20-yard touchdown pass, to tie the score less than a minute later and set up the late game dramatics.

Richardson was the defensive standout for the Keydets, as he accumulated four tackles, all for loss, and added three sacks and a fumble recovery. Eric Pugh had 18 tackles for Morehead State.

VMI football will return to action Sept. 19, when the Keydets travel to Richmond to take on the Richmond Spiders. Action gets underway at 6 p.m.

VMI (1-1) 43
Morehead State (0-2) 40

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MSU	14	3	13	10	-	40
VMI	8	15	10	10	-	43

FIRST QUARTER

VMI - Tucker 6 run (Patterson rush) - 9:42
MSU - Cornwall 59 pass from Gahafer (Bash kick) - 7:15
MSU - Embrey 49 pass from Gahafer (Bash kick) - 2:04

SECOND QUARTER

VMI - Ziglar 4 run (Christopher kick) - 14:19
MSU - Bash 29 FG - 7:36
VMI - Patterson 5 pass from Cobb (Patterson pass from Cobb) - 1:09

THIRD QUARTER

VMI - Christopher 23 FG - 9:39
MSU - Napier 11 pass from Gahafer - 7:15
VMI - Ziglar 6 run (Christopher kick) - 4:17
MSU - Cornwall 12 pass from Gahafer (Bash kick) - 0:25

FOURTH QUARTER

MSU - Bash 31 FG - 12:19
MSU - Gahafer 23 pass from Raymond (Bash kick) - 7:12
VMI - Tucker 20 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 6:15
VMI - Christopher 34 FG - 0:00

	MSU	VMI
First Downs	27	27
Rushes-Yards	25-29	41-197
Passing Yards	470	314
Passes (C-A-I)	36-63-1	27-41-3
Total Offense	499	511
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	2-1
Penalties	14-107	6-80
Punts-Avg.	4-44.2	5-35.6
Time of Possession	29:37	30:23

RUSHING: **MSU** - Holman 6-35; Harden 8-6; Bailey 3-3; Robinson 1-2; Gahafer 7-(-17). **VMI** - Ziglar 12-108; Tucker 20-78; Sanders 1-7; Cobb 7-4; Mauck 1-0.

PASSING: **MSU** - Gahafer 35-62-1-447; Raymond 1-1-0-23. **VMI** - Cobb 27-41-3-314.

RECEIVING: **MSU** - Raymond 10-106; Cornwall 9-154; Lewis 8-64; Napier 5-33; Embrey 1-49; Robinson 1-38; Gahafer 1-23; Harden 1-3. **VMI** - Forlines 9-101; Patterson 7-74; Sanders 5-55; Tucker 3-36; Stout 2-13; Mauck 1-35.

Game 3 - VMI at #22 Richmond

Keydets Fall to #22 Richmond, 42-10

Brice Tucker ran for 120 yards, but the #22 Richmond Spiders took advantage of five VMI Keydet turnovers en route to a 42-10 victory Saturday evening, Sept. 19 at Robins Stadium in Richmond.

The Keydets (1-2) forced a punt on the first Richmond drive of the game, but on VMI's first play from scrimmage, Al Cobb was picked off by Ayo Ogunniyi and the interception was returned for a touchdown.

Richmond (2-1) would lead the rest of the way, helped by three more interceptions and a Keydet fumble inside the UR 10-yard line.

Offensively, Tucker was the standout for the Keydets with his 120 yards and a touchdown on the ground. He helped the Keydets to 202 rushing yards, VMI's first 200-yard rushing game since playing Davidson last season. Cobb, however, struggled to a 13 for 28, four interception night.

On the other side, UR quarterback Kyle Lauletta was 15 for 22 for 209 yards and three touchdowns. The Spiders completed passes to 11 different receivers in the win.

Following the initial pick-six, the Keydets countered with a 15-play, 66-yard drive that ended with a Dillon Christopher field goal to cut the lead to 7-3 after one quarter.

The Keydets had the ball first in the second quarter and were marching down the field. On a first down from the UR 19, Tucker ran the ball inside the 10-yard line but, on a momentum-turning play, coughed up the football. UR recovered at the seven and promptly marched 93 yards in 11 plays. Lauletta completed a three-yard touchdown pass to James Pavik to make it 14-3, Richmond.

With 5:45 left in the half, the Keydets had the ball, still down by 11. Cobb was hurried on a drop-back pass and was intercepted by Madison Day. Day ran the ball back 25 yards for a touchdown and a 21-3 UR lead.

VMI then cut into the margin with its next drive. An 11-play, 75-yard drive ended with a one-yard Tucker TD plunge and a 21-10 Spider lead. That marked the score at halftime.

The Keydets had a chance to cut into the margin on the first drive of the second half, but Cobb was picked off on the third play of the quarter. Lauletta then answered with a 53-yard touchdown pass to Porter Abell that made it 28-10, UR.

The Spiders added one additional touchdown in both the third and fourth quarters to account for the final margin.

Defensively, Jon Strozyk led the Keydets with 10 tackles, a career-high. Day had 12 stops for Richmond and David Jones had two of his team's four interceptions.

VMI football will return to action next Saturday, taking on Furman in the SoCon opener for the Keydets. Game time in Greenville, S.C. is set for 3 p.m.



Brice Tucker ran for 120 yards against Richmond.

VMI (1-2)	10
#22 Richmond (2-1)	42

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VMI	3	7	0	0	-	10
UR	7	14	14	7	-	42

FIRST QUARTER

UR - Ogunniyi 23 interception return (Yoder kick) - 12:35

VMI - Christopher 26 FG - 6:37

SECOND QUARTER

UR - Pavik 3 pass from Lauletta (Yoder kick) - 8:59

UR - Day 25 interception return (Yoder kick) - 5:45

VMI - Tucker 1 run (Christopher kick) - 2:15

THIRD QUARTER

UR - Abell 53 pass from Lauletta (Yoder kick) - 13:02

UR - Brissett 13 pass from Lauletta (Yoder kick) - 6:40

FOURTH QUARTER

UR - Fisher 3 run (Yoder kick) - 14:56

	VMI	UR
First Downs	19	25
Rushes-Yards	44-202	48-254
Passing Yards	172	212
Passes (C-A-I)	13-28-4	16-24-0
Total Offense	374	466
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties	2-10	2-19
Punts-Avg.	1-23.0	4-41.5
Time of Possession	25:35	34:25

RUSHING: **VMI** - Tucker 23-120; Stout 7-34; Cobb 5-33; Ziglar 4-9; Shirley 3-9; Sanders 1-2.
UR - Fisher 16-87; Green 11-73; Hamlin 5-22; Drake 1-20; Lauletta 5-20; Broadus 6-16; Collins 3-12; Moon 1-4.

PASSING: **VMI** - Cobb 13-28-4-172. **UR** - Lauletta 15-22-0-209; Broadus 1-2-0-3.

RECEIVING: **VMI** - Sanders 4-72; Patterson 2-17; Tucker 2-17; Jacob 2-12; Nicholson 1-34; Forlines 1-11; Shirley 1-9. **UR** - Diggs 3-46; Abell 2-50; Wilkins 2-13; Tibbs 2-12; Hudson 1-25; Green 1-24; Fisher 1-15; Brissett 1-13; McCombs 1-8; Holloway 1-3; Pavik 1-3.

Game 4 - VMI at Furman

Keydets Come Up Just Short at Furman, 24-21

GREENVILLE, S.C. – Inspired by a rejuvenated defense, VMI battled throughout but came up short in its conference opener.

Driving for the go-ahead score late in the fourth quarter, VMI's second interception of the game deep in Furman territory led to a decisive long field goal by the Paladins, and Furman held off a late VMI charge to top the Keydets, 24-21, in the Southern Conference opener for both teams Saturday afternoon in Greenville, S.C.

With the game tied at 21-21 late, the Keydets drove all the way to the Furman 21-yard line, but quarterback Al Cobb's pass was intercepted by Reggie Thomas at the Furman 12 and returned to midfield. VMI receiver Aaron Sanders nearly stripped the ball from Thomas to get it back, but the Paladins retained possession after the sudden change. Eight plays later, Jon Croft Hollingsworth booted a 42-yard field goal to give the Paladins the lead for good with 4:35 remaining in the contest.

Playing its third road game in four weeks, VMI fell to 1-3, 0-1 SoCon while the Paladins evened their mark to 2-2 overall and 1-0 in conference play.

VMI had one last try to counter in the back-and-forth game, but Cobb was dropped short of first-down yardage on a fourth-and-10 try at the Furman 45 and turned the ball over on downs with 3:49 left. A desperation drive late in the contest yielded nothing, and the Keydets had their bid for their first win in Greenville since 1977 spoiled.

With the setback, VMI squandered its best defensive effort of the year. The Keydets held an opponent to a season low 24 points, recovering a pair of fumbles along the way. But a special teams miscue and the two interceptions were too much to overcome.

Both of those fumble recoveries by VMI came in the first half as the Keydets stormed out to a 14-0 advantage. Derrick Ziglar gave the Keydets the early lead with a 1-yard touchdown run with 6:25 remaining in the first quarter, and midway through the second period, Brian Lipscomb recovered the second Furman fumble after a sack to give the VMI offense the ball at the Paladin 40. Cobb capped a 7-play drive with a 3-yard scoring strike to Matt Nicholson to give VMI a 14-0 lead with 7:07 remaining in the first half.

Cobb finished the game with 235 yards through the air, completing 21 of 42 passes with a touchdown and a pair of interceptions. Aaron Sanders was the leading receiver for the Keydets, who mustered just 44 yards rushing in the contest, with six receptions for 49 yards, while Sam Patterson and Dane Forlines hauled in four catches apiece. Forlines has now caught passes in 16 consecutive games.

Trailing 14-0, the Paladins grabbed some momentum just before intermission when Ernie Cain scored from a yard out with 1:30 left in the first half. After halftime, Furman blocked a VMI punt, with Brian Ross returning it five yards to tie the game at 14-14. Furman took the lead for

Furman finished the game with 322 yards of total offense, to overcome 110 yards in penalties. Hannon was 22-for-40 passing for 197 yards, while Loga McCarter and Andrej Suttles each hauled in five of those passes.

VMI responded early in the fourth, marching 75 yards in 16 plays, with Ziglar crossing the goal from two yards out to tie the game. And the Keydets appeared to be driving for the go-ahead score in the fourth before the Thomas interception that set up the winning field goal.

"I think our kids fought hard to the end. I am proud of the effort and I thought the defense played great. We just have to find a way to make one more play," said VMI head coach Scott Wachenheim.



VMI (1-3, 0-1)	21
Furman (2-2, 1-0)	24

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VMI	7	7	0	7	-	21
FUR	0	7	14	3	-	24

FIRST QUARTER

VMI - Ziglar 1 run (Christopher kick) - 6:25

SECOND QUARTER

VMI - Nicholson 3 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 7:07

FUR - Cain 1 run (Hollingsworth kick) - 1:30

THIRD QUARTER

FUR - Ross 5 blocked punt return (Hollingsworth kick) - 14:03

FUR - Hannon 4 run (Hollingsworth kick) - 2:21

FOURTH QUARTER

VMI - Ziglar 2 run (Christopher kick) - 13:36

FUR - Hollingsworth 42 FG - 4:35

	VMI	FUR
First Downs	17	20
Rushes-Yards	27-44	40-125
Passing Yards	235	197
Passes (C-A-I)	21-43-2	22-41-0
Total Offense	279	322
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	3-2
Penalties	3-21	9-110
Punts-Avg.	6-35.3	5-41.8
Time of Possession	22:05	37:55

RUSHING: VMI - Tucker 7-22; Ziglar 7-15; Mauck 1-9; Cobb 7-6; Stout 2-3; Shirley 1-1; Sanders 1-(-9). **FUR** - Luke 14-57; Wilcox 10-23; Robinson 4-22; Cain 7-16; Hannon 5-7.

PASSING: VMI - Cobb 21-42-2-235. **FUR** - Hannon 22-40-0-197; McCarter 0-1-0-0.

RECEIVING: VMI - Sanders 6-49; Patterson 4-48; Forlines 4-35; Nicholson 3-31; Tucker 2-17; Mauck 1-44; Stout 1-11. **FUR** - McCarter 5-66; Suttles 5-53; Wilcox 3-21; Fletcher 2-26; Snellings 2-11; Cain 2-6; Luke 2-4; Schumpert 1-10.

Game 5 - Bucknell at VMI

Bucknell Edges Keydets in OT, 28-22

Matt DelMauro ran for a 23-yard touch-down in the first overtime, giving the Bucknell Bison a dramatic 28-22 win over the VMI Keydets in non-conference football action Saturday, Oct. 3 at Foster Stadium in Lexington.

After Dillon Christopher had missed a 38-yard field goal on VMI's possession in over-time, Will Carter grabbed a two-yard pass and, after a Bucknell (3-1) timeout, DelMauro scampered 23 yards up the middle for the game-winning touchdown.

With the victory, Bucknell won its third straight game over the Keydets (1-4) with an average margin of victory of less than eight points per game.

Al Cobb finished 26 of 47 for 251 yards and two touchdowns for the Keydets, two scores that tied him with Dave Brown and Jonathan Wilson for third on VMI's all-time touchdown passes thrown list, while R.J. Nitti was 17 of 34 for 188 yards and a score to lead the Bison.

Carter had eight grabs for 81 yards and a touchdown that briefly put the visitors ahead in the fourth quarter, while Aaron Sanders had seven receptions, including one for a touchdown, for VMI.

Bucknell got on the board first. The Bison took over with 10:05 left in the first quarter and went 47 yards in seven plays, a drive capped by Nitti's six-yard touchdown run that made it 7-0.

The Keydets countered on their next drive. Cobb completed passes to four different receivers, including a one-yard touchdown to Sanders, on an 11-play, 63-yard drive that tied the score, 7-7. That was the score after one quarter, but VMI took the lead on the lone score of the second period, a one-yard Cobb pass to Sam Patterson to account for the halftime score of 13-7, VMI.

The rain, which had stayed away for much of the first half, picked up at times in the third quarter and the offenses felt the effects. There were six punts in the period, as neither team scored and VMI still held a 13-7 advantage headed to the fourth quarter.

The Keydets pushed their margin to 12 early in the fourth, when Dontae Mauck scored on a 42-yard reverse for a 19-7 Keydet lead, but the Bucknell rally started on the ensuing kickoff. Joey DeFloria ran the kick back 85 yards for a touchdown, cutting the lead to five at 19-14 with 10:34 to go.

After a VMI punt, Bucknell promptly went 57 yards in eight plays, capped by a nine-yard Nitti to Carter touchdown pass, a fade to the back corner of the endzone that gave the Bison the lead. Nitti converted a rush for the two-point play, making it 22-19 with 4:55 left.

VMI got the ball back with 1:50 to go, still trailing by three, and quickly responded. Cobb completed four of his first five passes on the drive, and a swing pass to Derrick Ziglar with six seconds to go set up Christopher for a 40-yard field goal. The kick was good as regulation time expired, tying the score and setting the stage for the overtime dramatics.

Ben Richard had 18 tackles to lead Bucknell defensively, while Ryan Francis had 11 stops for the Keydets. VMI outgained Bucknell 395-290 in the game, but four sacks for BU made a difference in the contest.

The setback was VMI's fourth consecutive overtime loss.



Bucknell (3-1)	28
VMI (1-4)	22

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BUCK	7	0	0	15	6	-28
VMI	7	6	0	9	0	-22

FIRST QUARTER

BUCK - Nitti 6 run (Burdick kick) - 6:14
VMI - Sanders 1 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 2:40

SECOND QUARTER

VMI - Patterson 1 pass from Cobb - 0:49

FOURTH QUARTER

VMI - Mauck 42 run - 10:54
BUCK - DeFloria 85 kickoff return (Burdick kick) - 10:41
BUCK - Carter 9 pass from Nitti (Nitti rush) - 5:02
VMI - Christopher 40 FG - 0:00

OVERTIME

BUCK - DelMauro 23 run

	BUCK	VMI
First Downs	18	20
Rushes-Yards	35-102	140
Passing Yards	188	255
Passes (C-A-I)	17-34-0	27-48-0
Total Offense	290	395
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties	5-38	4-47
Punts-Avg.	9-41.3	8-38.4
Time of Possession	30:54	29:06

RUSHING: BUCK - Williams 17-76; DelMauro 11-35; DeFloria 3-5; Nitti 2-1. VMI - Mauck 2-46; Cobb 12-44; Stout 14-22; Myers 6-17; Ziglar 5-11.

PASSING: BUCK - Nitti 17-34-0-188. VMI - Cobb 26-47-0-251; Alford 1-1-0-4.

RECEIVING: BUCK - Carter 8-81; Kaslander 3-34; Williams 3-21; DeFloria 2-33; Owers 1-19. VMI - Sanders 7-54; Forlines 5-34; Stout 4-34; Patterson 3-35; Ziglar 2-17; Myers 2-16; Nicholson 2-7; Mauck 1-43; Johnson 1-15.

Game 6 - Samford at VMI

Keydets Fall to Samford, 49-13

The Samford Bulldogs scored the final 28 points of the game, en route to a 49-13 win over the VMI Keydets in Southern Conference football action Saturday afternoon, October 10 at VMI's Foster Stadium.

A Dillon Christopher field goal pulled VMI (1-5, 0-2 SoCon) within eight, 21-13, with 10:24 left in the third quarter. Samford (3-2, 1-1) got the ball back, however, and five plays into its next drive, launched a 57-yard Michael Eubank to Emmanuel Obajimi touchdown pass to make it a 28-13 game. The Keydets would not score again.

The performance of Eubank boosted Samford, as the quarterback went 31 of 42 for 337 yards and three touchdowns. Obajimi hauled in seven catches for 109 yards, as the visitors completed passes to nine different receivers.

Turnovers were the other story of the game, as the Keydets turned the ball over four times to just one for Samford. All four turnovers were interceptions on the log of Al Cobb, as he was held to a 19 for 35, 183-yard day. Cobb did throw a second quarter TD to Dontae Mauck.

Samford jumped ahead early, taking a 7-0 lead on a Eubanks touchdown that capped an 11-play, 60-yard drive. Obajimi hauled in a 15-yard reception to cap that push.

The Keydets cut that margin to four in the second quarter, when they ate up nearly six minutes with a 13-play drive. Christopher booted a field goal through from 20 yards out to make it a 7-3 game.

Samford seemingly pulled away, with touchdowns on its next two drives to take a 21-3 lead, but Cobb found Mauck for a 27-yard touchdown in the final minute of the half to make it a 21-10 game at the break.

Christopher then booted through a 35-yard field goal on VMI's first drive of the third quarter, setting up Samford's 28-point run that began with Eubank's 57-yard pass to Obajimi.

Denzel Williams had a touchdown run early in the fourth, and Omari Williams put the game away by returning Cobb's fourth interception 59 yards for a score, making it 42-13 with 9:51 remaining. Jake Wilks had a one-yard touchdown run in the final moments to account for the final margin.

Allan Cratsenberg had 12 tackles to lead VMI defensively, while Forlines had seven receptions for 106 yards and posted a career-high 266 all-purpose yards. That included a career-long 49-yard punt return in the second quarter, VMI's longest punt return since 2010.

Samford, however, limited the Keydets to just 46 yards rushing on 34 attempts, while the Bulldogs gained 174 yards on the ground.



Samford (3-2, 1-1) 49
VMI (1-5, 0-2) 13

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SAM	7	14	7	21	-	49
VMI	0	10	3	0	-	13

FIRST QUARTER

SAM - Obajimi 15 pass from Eubank (Pistelli kick) - 7:39

SECOND QUARTER

VMI - Christopher 20 FG - 9:18
SAM - Pierce 2 run (Pistelli kick) - 6:36
SAM - Sinclair 34 pass from Eubank (Pistelli kick) - 3:42
VMI - Mauck 27 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 0:31

THIRD QUARTER

VMI - Christopher 35 FG - 10:24
SAM - Obajimi 57 pass from Eubank (Pistelli kick) - 8:24

FOURTH QUARTER

SAM - D. Williams 9 run (Pistelli kick) - 12:11
SAM - O. Williams 59 INT return (Pistelli kick) - 9:51
SAM - Wilks 1 run (Everett kick) - 2:37

	SAM	VMI
First Downs	27	16
Rushes-Yards	48-174	34-46
Passing Yards	337	244
Passes (C-A-I)	31-42-0	21-38-4
Total Offense	511	290
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties	5-55	5-20
Punts-Avg.	6-38.0	8-37.2
Time of Possession	30:32	29:28

RUSHING: SAM - D. Williams 14-55; Wilks 7-36; Eubank 7-28; McKnight 4-25; Larry 9-16; Adams 4-13; Pierce 1-2; Salmon 1-1. **VMI** - Myers 14-41; Mauck 1-14; Ziglar 4-6; Stout 5-5; Forlines 2-(-7); Cobb 8-(-13).

PASSING: SAM - Eubank 31-42-0-337. **VMI** - Cobb 19-35-4-183; Maher 0-1-0-0; Ziglar 1-1-0-32; Forlines 1-1-0-29.

RECEIVING: SAM - Obajimi 7-109; Larry 6-41; Hamilton 5-63; McKnight 5-23; Sinclair 3-70; D. Williams 2-8; Philpot 1-10; Schmitt 1-9; Ramson 1-4. **VMI** - Forlines 7-106; Sanders 4-18; Jacob 3-31; Mauck 2-49; Myers 2-4; Cobb 1-29; Ziglar 1-5; Stout 1-2.

Game 7 - VMI vs. #6 Chattanooga

Keydets Fall Just Short Against #6 Chattanooga, 33-27

The VMI Keydets nearly pulled off the upset, but the #6-ranked Chattanooga Mocs converted on a fourth down in the waning moments to seal a dramatic 33-27 win in SoCon football action Saturday afternoon, Oct. 17 at VMI's Foster Stadium.

The Keydets (1-6, 0-3 SoCon) trailed by 12 as UTC (5-1, 3-0) capped a run of 23 unanswered points with a fourth-quarter interception return for a touchdown. At the 6:14 mark, however, Al Cobb found Chad Jacob for a touchdown that got VMI within 33-27.

The Mocs then marched the ball to the VMI 33, where they faced a fourth and six with 1:45 remaining and the Keydets out of timeouts. Quarterback Jacob Huesman found wideout Alphonso Stewart for a 17-yard completion at the left hash mark, giving the visitors a first down and allowing UTC to run out the clock.

VMI stayed in the ball game despite trailing 38:07 to 21:53 in time of possession. The Keydets allowed 261 yards on the ground and were outgained 490-262, but three defensive stands inside the 15-yard line forced UTC field goals in the second and third quarters. In contrast, VMI scored touchdowns on each of its scoring drives.

Chattanooga, the highest-ranked team VMI had played in Lexington since 2011, jumped ahead on an early Henrique Ribeiro. It would be the first of four field goals for the UTC kicker, but VMI answered on its ensuing drive. An 11-play, 86-yard effort was capped with a Cobb to Sam Patterson two-yard fade pass to the back left corner of the endzone, putting the home team ahead, 7-3.

That was the score at the end of the first quarter, but the Mocs wrapped up a first quarter drive early in the second. A 19-yard Huesman to James Stovall connection gave the visitors a 10-7 lead just two plays in to the second period.

Once again, VMI came right back. A 69-yard Cobb to Dontae Mauck connection gave the Keydets the lead again, 14-10. The Mocs' next play from scrimmage was picked off by Caleb Furlow and returned to the UTC 6, where Cobb ran it in for a touchdown and a 21-10 VMI advantage with 12:45 left in the half.

Chattanooga rallied yet again, however, as after an exchange of punts, Huesman ran the ball in from 18 yard out on a quarterback keeper to cut it to 21-17. Ribeiro added a field goal in the waning seconds to account for the halftime score, 21-20.

The UTC defense held VMI to just one yard from scrimmage in the third quarter, and another Ribeiro field goal gave the Mocs a 23-21 lead headed into the final period. He would add another early in the fourth, and VMI took over with 13:50 to go. Sema'je Kendall intercepted Cobb's first pass of the drive and returned it 28 yards for a score, giving the Mocs a 33-21 lead and a 23-point swing in less than two quarters.

That set the stage for VMI's final drive, an 11-play, 77-yard effort that Jacob capped with a touchdown grab, but Huesman's fourth down conversion sealed the win.

Greg Sanders posted a career-high 13 tackles to lead the Keydet defense, while UTC, who entered the game with 17 sacks, posted five on the day. Cobb finished 15 of 25 for 190 yards and three scores, while Huesman was 21 of 33 for 219 yards and a single touchdown.



Chad Jacob hauls in a late touchdown Oct. 17 against Chattanooga.

#6 UTC (5-1, 3-0) 33
VMI (1-6, 0-3) 27

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UTC	3	17	3	10	-	33
VMI	7	14	0	6	-	27

FIRST QUARTER

UTC - Ribeiro 37 FG - 8:07

VMI - Patterson 2 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 4:42

SECOND QUARTER

UTC - Stovall 19 pass from Huesman (Ribeiro kick) - 14:16

VMI - Mauck 69 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 13:38

VMI - Cobb 6 run (Christopher kick) - 12:45

UTC - Huesman 18 run (Ribeiro kick) - 4:57

UTC - Ribeiro 20 FG - 0:31

THIRD QUARTER

UTC - Ribeiro 31 FG - 8:18

FOURTH QUARTER

UTC - Ribeiro 24 FG - 13:50

UTC - Kendall 28 INT return (Ribeiro kick) - 13:37

VMI - Jacob 9 pass from Cobb - 6:14

	UTC	VMI
First Downs	26	13
Rushes-Yards	49-261	30-72
Passing Yards	229	190
Passes (C-A-I)	22-34-1	15-25-1
Total Offense	490	262
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties	3-35	2-15
Punts-Avg.	3-34.7	7-42.7
Time of Possession	38:07	21:53

RUSHING: UTC - Craine 19-112; Huesman 16-97; Bagley 6-46; Stewart 1-7; Trotter 2-5; Board 1-1; Bennifield 2-(-5). **VMI** - Ziglar 13-70; Forlines 1-6; Tucker 3-2; Mauck 1-1; Myers 1-(-2); Cobb 10-(-3).

PASSING: UTC - Huesman 21-33-1-219; Bennifield 1-1-0-10. **VMI** - Cobb 15-25-1-190.

RECEIVING: UTC - Young 6-82; Stewart 4-44; Stovall 3-36; Craine 3-10; Borishade 2-30; Bagley 1-9; McQuarters 1-9; Morton 1-5; Board 1-4. **VMI** - Sanders 7-48; Mauck 2-81; Forlines 2-35; Ziglar 1-11; Jacob 1-9; Stout 1-4; Patterson 1-2.

Game 8 - VMI at Mercer

Sanders and Defense Spark VMI at Mercer, 28-21

Junior Aaron Sanders set a new VMI record for catches in a game and the Keydet defense posted a game-deciding stop in the final minutes as the VMI Keydets defeated the Mercer Bears, 28-21, in SoCon football action Saturday in Macon, Ga. With the win, VMI broke a 30-game road losing streak that had dated to Oct. 23, 2010.

On this day, VMI had jumped out to an early 21-0 lead and still had a 28-14 lead at halftime. Mercer was able to claw back within a touchdown at 28-21, and took possession with just over four minutes to go in the contest.

Quarterback John Russ drove his team to the Keydet 25, but hurried by Brian Lipscomb and Joe Nelson helped bring up fourth down and a short completion halted by cornerback Damian Jones was not enough for a first down as the Keydets took over. VMI quickly ran out the clock and claimed its first SoCon win of the season.

Al Cobb threw for nearly 400 yards on the day, going 28 for 40 for 391 yards and two scores. Sixteen of those 28 completions went to Sanders, easily breaking the previous record of 13 set by Jeff Hubbard against Furman in 1995 and co-held by Sanders when he caught 13 passes at Ball State in the season opener. Sanders also piled up a career-high 218 yards receiving – the third highest single game total in school history.

Redshirt senior back Derrick Ziglar led the Keydets in rushing with 104 yards on 22 carries and scored two touchdowns. It was Ziglar's second 100-yard game of the season. VMI converted 17 of 19 third down conversions including their first 12 opportunities of the first half.

Russ completed 14 of 22 passes for 201 yards and a touchdown to pace the Bears and completed seven passes to sophomore Chandler Curtis for 109 yards including the scoring aerial. The Keydets rolled up a season-high 567 yards total offense and Cobb produced the ninth 300-yard passing game of his career and third this season. Defensively, redshirt sophomore Ryan Francis led the charts with eight tackles followed by fellow inside linebacker Allen Cratsenburg with seven. Francis also recovered a fumble that led to VMI's second score of the game.

VMI won the coin toss and opened the scoring with a 12-play, 85 yard drive capped by Ziglar's 3-yard burst up the middle to the endzone, giving the visitors a quick 7-0 lead. Cobb completed 4 of 5 passes on the drive for 67 yards and Ziglar rushed four times for 13 yards.

Keydet defensive end J.C. Garvin forced a fumble from Bear back Tee Mitchell on the Mercer's first play from scrimmage and the ball was recovered by Francis at the 42-yard line. A 24-yard Cobb to Dane Forlines completion to the Mercer 15 set up a four yard TD pass from Cobb to Sam Patterson in the right corner of the end zone and Dillon Christopher's extra point made it 14-0, VMI, with 6:22 remaining in the first quarter.

The game headed to the second quarter and the Keydets engineered a 14-play, 88 yard drive capped by a Ziglar 4-yard TD rush to push VMI ahead 21-0 with 13:17 left in the half.

The Bears got on the board when they covered 75 yards in nine snaps and scored on a one-yard quarterback sneak by Russ, who highlighted the possession with four carries for 31 yards and completed a 40-yard strike to Marquis Irvin to the VMI 3.

The Keydets answered quickly when freshman running back Quan Myers took a swing pass in the left flat and dash to the endzone for an 11-yard catch and scoring run with 7:36 left in the second quarter pushing the Keydet lead to 28-7 following Christopher's extra point. But the Bears answered just as quickly with a 3-play, 75-yard scoring drive that started with a 37 yard pass from Russ to Chandler Curtis. Two snaps later, running back Alex Lakes took an option pitch and burst down the right boundary for a 37-yard TD run, cutting the Keydet lead to 28-14. The score remained as such at halftime after VMI saw its final second quarter drive expire empty handed as time ran out after having it third and goal at the Mercer one yard line.

Mercer took the opening second half kickoff and consumed exactly half of the period, before making it a one score game on a Russ to Curtis 2-yard TD pass play. The drive was keyed by a decisive 4th down conversion and a third and 13 conversion to extend the possession. Russ was 4 of 5 in passing for 48 yards on the drive and Mercer trailed 28-21 with 7:30 left in the quarter.

The game then settled in a scoreless slugfest the rest of the way with the Keydet defense stepping up numerous times to keep the Bears off the board while VMI's offense was slowed by three straight interceptions. The Keydets missed a golden opportunity to assume a two-score lead midway in the third quarter when Cobb's pass intended for Sanders inside the Mercer 10 was deflected and intercepted by Mercer defensive end Kelly Brooks at the 3:21 mark. The VMI "D" forced the Bears to a quick three and out on the ensuing drive but Mercer got some breathing room when Matt Shiel blasted a season-long 73 yard punt which pinned VMI back to its own 10.

Cobb was picked off inside the Mercer 10 over the next two Keydet possessions of the fourth quarter, but Mercer in its last two offensive possessions of the game was forced to punt from the VMI 44 and turned it over on downs at the Keydet 25 with 1:26 left after Jones wrapped up Bear receiver Avery Ward to turn aside Mercer's final scoring threat.



Aaron Sanders set a new school record for catches in the win at Mercer.

VMI (2-6, 1-3) 28
Mercer (3-4, 0-3) 21

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Oct. 24, 2015 • Attendance: 9,754

VMI 14 14 0 0 - 28
MER 0 14 7 0 - 21

FIRST QUARTER

VMI - Ziglar 3 run (Christopher kick) - 10:31

VMI - Patterson 4 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 6:22

SECOND QUARTER

VMI - Ziglar 4 run (Christopher kick) - 13:17

MER - Russ 1 run (Lieb kick) - 9:23

VMI - Myers 11 pass from Cobb (Christopher kick) - 7:36

MER - Lakes 37 run (Lieb kick) - 6:32

THIRD QUARTER

MER - Curtis 2 pass from Russ (Lieb kick) - 7:30

	VMI	MER
First Downs	27	14
Rushes-Yards	44-176	31-155
Passing Yards	391	201
Passes (C-A-I)	28-40-3	14-22-0
Total Offense	567	356
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties	4-35	3-15
Punts-Avg.	1-25.0	5-51.4
Time of Possession	33:52	26:08

RUSHING: VMI - Ziglar 22-104; Cobb 8-47; Myers 7-17; Mauck 1-9; Tucker 4-3. **MER** - Lakes 6-52; Mitchell 12-51; Russ 11-44; Usher 2-8.

PASSING: VMI - Cobb 28-40-3-391. **MER** - Russ 14-22-0-201.

RECEIVING: VMI - Sanders 16-218; Patterson 4-32; Forlines 3-86; Myers 2-12; Johnson 1-26; Mauck 1-12; Jacob 1-5. **MER** - Curtis 7-109; Ward 2-20; Irvin 1-40; Lakes 1-14; Walker 1-8; Marshall 1-5; Robinson 1-5.

Game 9 - VMI vs. Wofford

Turnovers Cost VMI in Loss to Wofford

The Wofford Terriers scored 14 points off two VMI Keydet third quarter turnovers and went on to a 41-20 win in Southern Conference football action Saturday, Oct. 31 at Foster Stadium in Lexington.

The contest was extremely close at 21-17 until a Wofford (4-5, 2-3 SoCon) punt hit VMI (2-7, 1-4) hit Dane Forlines in the foot with eight minutes left in the third quarter. The Terriers recovered and scored just four plays later, as they would off a Derrick Ziglar fumble that occurred on VMI's next drive as Wofford went up 35-17. Only nine total points were scored the rest of the way as the turnovers proved to be the game's crucial plays.

Al Cobb led the way for the Keydets with a 35 of 52, one interception day. Cobb threw for 370 yards and his 35 completions set a new school record, surpassing the previous mark of 34 that he shared with Eric Kordenbrock. Aaron Sanders chipped in with 10 catches for 164 yards.

For Wofford, two different players, quarterback Evan Jacks and running back Nick Colvin, both exceeded 100 yards as the Terriers piled up 405 yards on the ground. The two teams, in fact, were within two total yards of each other - 421 to 419 - making the third quarter turnovers even more critical.

The Keydets started things with a bang on the cool, clear fall day, as Greg Sanders returned the opening kick 99 yards for a touchdown. It was the first kickoff return for a touchdown for the Keydets since Tim Maypray brought one back in 2007, and it gave the Keydets a 7-0 lead.

That would be VMI's only lead of the day, as Wofford tied the game on a nine-yard Lorenzo Long touchdown run with 2:56 left in the quarter and went ahead early in the second, when Chase Nelson scampered in from one yard out to put the visitors up, 14-7.

Dillon Christopher capped the first half scoring with a 20-yard field goal as time expired, making it a 14-10 Wofford lead at the break.

The Terriers scored just 43 seconds into the second half, thanks to a 19-yard run by Hunter Windham, but the Keydets came back with an 11-play, 73-yard drive that Cobb himself capped with an 11-yard scramble to make it 21-17, Wofford. That would be VMI's final touchdown of the day, as Forlines suffered the muffed punt on the next WC punt to set the stage for the two game-breaking turnovers.

Christopher booted through a 32-yard field goal early in the fourth quarter to pull the Keydets within 15, 35-20, but the Keydets could draw no closer. Jacks notched an eight-yard touchdown run in the final minute to account for the final margin.



Wofford (4-5, 2-3) 41
VMI (2-7, 1-4) 20

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 Oct. 31, 2015 • Attendance: 4,437

Wofford	7	7	21	6	-	41
VMI	7	3	7	3	-	20

FIRST QUARTER

VMI - G. Sanders 99 kickoff return (Christopher kick) - 14:46

WOF - Long 9 run (Marvin kick) - 2:56

SECOND QUARTER

WOF - Nelson 1 run (Marvin kick) - 12:41

VMI - Christopher 20 FG - 0:00

THIRD QUARTER

WOF - Windham 19 run (Marvin kick) - 14:17

VMI - Cobb 11 run (Christopher kick) - 9:42

WOF - Colvin 21 run (Marvin kick) - 6:06

WOF - Jacks 11 run (Marvin kick) - 0:32

FOURTH QUARTER

VMI - Christopher 32 FG - 11:41

WOF - Jacks 8 run - 0:38

	WOF	VMI
First Downs	21	22
Rushes-Yards	61-405	19-46
Passing Yards	14	375
Passes (C-A-I)	2-5-0	36-55-1
Total Offense	419	421
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-2
Penalties	5-45	4-35
Punts-Avg.	6-37.2	2-42.0
Time of Possession	33:40	26:20

RUSHING: WOF - Jacks 16-109; Colvin 11-96; Windham 8-82; Long 17-78; Nelson 8-39; Martin 1-1. **VMI** - Myers 3-19; Cobb 8-16; Ziglar 6-10; Mauck 2-1.

PASSING: WOF - Jacks 2-5-0-14. **VMI** - Cobb 35-52-1-370; Alford 1-2-0-5; Team 0-1-0-0.

RECEIVING: WOF - Nelson 1-11; Gouger 1-3. **VMI** - Sanders 10-164; Forlines 7-73; Nicholson 4-49; Ziglar 4-39; Patterson 4-19; Swingle 3-21; Mauck 2-8; Shirley 1-3; Myers 1-(-1).

Game 10 - VMI at The Citadel

Keydets Fall to The Citadel, 35-14

The VMI Keydet defense did not allow a touchdown over the final three-plus quarters, but The Citadel Bulldogs returned two interceptions for touchdowns and used five Eric Goins field goals to propel themselves to a 35-14 win in the annual Military Classic of the South football game, contested Saturday, Nov. 7 at Johnson Hagood Stadium in Charleston, S.C.

The Citadel (7-2, 6-0 SoCon) jumped ahead early, as Cam Jackson sprinted 68 yards for a touchdown less than three minutes into the game. That was the last touchdown the VMI (2-8, 1-5) defense would give up all day, but on the next Keydet possession, a Hayden Alford pass was run back 72 yards by linebacker Quinlan Washington for a touchdown to make it 14-0. Goins' five field goals helped stabilize the lead in the game's middle portions, and an Alford pass in the final seconds was returned for a score to account for the final margin.

The Keydets played without starting quarterback Al Cobb, who missed the game for undisclosed medical reasons. The Bulldogs were able to force backup Alford, who had thrown just four passes all season, into a four interception day. Alford completed 14 of 35 passes for 125 yards and a touchdown.

Junior wide receiver Aaron Sanders caught seven passes for 65 yards and set a new school season record for receptions in a season. The Stafford, Va. native has 79 catches on the year and moved past Mark Stock who caught 74 passes in 1988. Sanders also extended his consecutive game reception streak to 25 games.

Freshman running back Quan Myers led the Keydets in rushing with 51 yards while redshirt senior Derrick Ziglar added 39 yards with a touchdown. Defensively, redshirt sophomore linebacker Ryan Francis produced 10 solos and five assists for a career-high 15 tackles and fellow inside linebacker Allan Cratsenberg added 11 stops.

Jackson led all ground gainers with 100 yards with 68 coming on the first quarter touchdown run. Fullback Isiaha Smith added 78 yards for the Bulldogs.

With his five field goals, Goins doubled his season output of makes in just one game and now stands 10 of 12 in field goal tries on the year.

With The Citadel leading 14-0 following Washington's pick-six, the Keydets halved the deficit when Ryan Francis forced a Bulldog fumble that was recovered by redshirt junior Damian Jones at midfield. The Keydets then embarked on a 10-play scoring drive that was capped by Alford's 3-yard cross-field touchdown pass to Ziglar who caught the ball at the 2 yard line and dove in for his first touchdown reception of the year.

The Bulldogs extended their lead to 17-7 with Goins' first of five field goals on the day – a 33-yarder with 12:16 left in the second quarter. A 40-yard pass from Bulldog quarterback Dominique Allen to Jorian Jordan to the VMI 9 was the big play of the drive, but a holding penalty and a tackle-for-loss by Francis kept the Bulldogs out of the end zone.

The Citadel missed another scoring opportunity later in the second quarter when the Keydets held the Bulldogs on a fourth and goal from the VMI 2 when Cratsenberg and Francis sandwiched Jackson shy of the end zone. VMI was unable to get any breathing room after taking the ball over on downs and was forced to punt after a three-and-out. Redshirt freshman Bill Hogan, taking over the punting chores for Alford, booted a punt to the VMI 46, and the Bulldogs then labored through a nine-play drive to the VMI 9 before settling for a Goins 26 yard field goal as time expired in the first half extended the lead to 20-17.

Bulldog starting quarterback Dominique Allen had left the game late in the second quarter with an apparent shoulder injury and was replaced for the remainder of the second quarter by Jackson who moved over from his slot back position. Jackson resumed his QB duties in the second half and moved the Bulldog opening drive to the VMI 38 before being stripped of the ball on a third down keeper by Ryan Francis and redshirt sophomore defensive tackle Amon-Ra Clay took the loose ball and raced 59 yards to The Citadel 3 where he was tracked down from behind by fullback Tyler Renew. One play later, Ziglar slammed in from three yards out and Christopher's extra point made it 20-14 with 11:14 in the third quarter.

VMI forced The Citadel to punt on the ensuing possession and took over at its own 35. A 12-yard reverse rush by freshman wideout Dontae Mauck moved the ball to The Citadel 49, but three plays later an Alford fumble was recovered at the 50-yard line by defensive lineman Kevin Graham. Redshirt freshman Shon Belton, inserted into the game at quarterback, completed a pass to Jordan for 39 yards to the VMI 10. The Bulldogs settled again for a 20-yard field goal by Goins after the Keydet defense stiffened and led 23-14 with 5:58 left in the half.

Goins would later add field goals of 23 and 34 yards to extend The Citadel margin to 29-14 with 7:51 left in the game. The Keydets subsequently moved it twice into the red zone on follow-up possessions, but came away empty on points.



VMI (2-8, 1-5) 14
The Citadel (7-2, 6-0) 35

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 Nov. 7, 2015 • Attendance: 14,925

VMI	7	0	7	0	-	14
WCU	14	6	6	9	-	35

FIRST QUARTER

CIT - Jackson 68 run (Goins kick) - 12:11
 CIT - Washington 72 interception return (Goins kick) - 7:30
 VMI - Ziglar 3 pass from Alford (Christopher kick) - 0:15

SECOND QUARTER

CIT - Goins 33 FG - 12:16
 CIT - Goins 26 FG - 0:00

THIRD QUARTER

VMI - Ziglar 3 run (Christopher kick) - 11:47
 CIT - Goins 20 FG - 5:58
 CIT - Goins 23 FG - 1:00

FOURTH QUARTER

CIT - Goins 34 FG - 7:51
 CIT - Floyd 75 interception return - 0:07

	VMI	CIT
First Downs	13	17
Rushes-Yards	34-87	58-326
Passing Yards	125	134
Passes (C-A-I)	14-36-4	6-13-0
Total Offense	212	460
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	4-3
Penalties	4-30	11-98
Punts-Avg.	7-40.1	5-39.2
Time of Possession	27:36	32:24

RUSHING: VMI - Myers 16-51; Ziglar 10-39; Mauck 1-12; Alford 7-(-15). **CIT** - Jackson 12-100; Smith 11-78; Williams 10-52; Renew 12-41; Miller 4-25; Belton 6-23; McField 2-4; Allen 1-3.

PASSING: VMI - Alford 14-36-4-125. **CIT** - Allen 3-8-0-75; Belton 2-3-0-50; Jackson 1-1-0-9.

RECEIVING: VMI - Sanders 7-61; Patterson 2-28; Ziglar 2-12; Myers 1-15; Nicholson 1-9; Mauck 1-0. **CIT** - Jordan 2-79; Jackson 1-22; Eakins 1-13; Glover 1-11; Williams 1-9.

VMI Big Plays In 2015

Opp.	Yds.	Play	Player(s)
WOF	99*	KR	G. Sanders
BSU	80*	Pass	D. Mauck - A. Cobb
UTC	69*	Pass	D. Mauck - A. Cobb
CIT	59	Fum Ret	A. Clay
BSU	51	Pass	D. Mauck - A. Cobb
MSU	51	Rush	D. Ziglar
SAM	49	PR	D. Forlines
MER	49	Pass	D. Forlines - A. Cobb
MER	49	Pass	A. Sanders - A. Cobb
FUR	44	Pass	D. Mauck - A. Cobb
BUCK	43	Pass	D. Mauck - A. Cobb
BUCK	42*	Rush	D. Mauck
WOF	39	Pass	A. Sanders - A. Cobb
BSU	36*	Rush	B. Tucker
MSU	35	Pass	D. Mauck - A. Cobb
MSU	34	Pass	A. Sanders - A. Cobb
UR	34	Pass	M. Nicholson - A. Cobb
UR	34	Rush	B. Tucker
CIT	34	KR	G. Sanders
SAM	32	Pass	D. Forlines - D. Ziglar
UR	30	Pass	A. Sanders - A. Cobb
SAM	29	Pass	A. Cobb - D. Forlines
MER	29	Pass	A. Sanders - A. Cobb
UTC	29	INT	C. Furlow
SAM	28	PR	D. Forlines
BSU	28	INT	A. Robinson
SAM	27*	Pass	D. Mauck - A. Cobb
BUCK	27	KR	D. Forlines
WOF	27	Pass	A. Sanders - A. Cobb
MSU	26	Pass	D. Forlines - A. Cobb
UR	26	Rush	A. Cobb
MER	26	Pass	D. Johnson - A. Cobb
WOF	25	Pass	M. Nicholson - A. Cobb
WOF	25	Pass	A. Sanders - A. Cobb
BUCK	25	KR	D. Forlines
BSU	25	Pass	D. Forlines - A. Cobb
SAM	25	KR	D. Forlines
UTC	25	Pass	A. Sanders - A. Cobb
MER	25	Rush	D. Ziglar
MER	25	Pass	A. Sanders - A. Cobb
MER	25	Pass	A. Sanders - A. Cobb
CIT	25	Rush	Q. Myers

25-Yard Plus Plays By Game:		
Opponent	Plays	Type
Ball State	5	3 pass, 1 rush, 1 INT
Morehead State	4	3 pass, 1 rush
Richmond	4	2 pass, 2 rush
Furman	1	1 pass
Bucknell	4	1 pass, 1 rush, 2 KR
Samford	6	1 KR, 2 PR, 3 pass
Chattanooga	3	2 pass, 1 int
Mercer	7	6 pass, 1 rush
Wofford	5	4 pass, 1 KR
The Citadel	3	1 rush, 1 KR, 1 FR

25-Yard Plus Plays By Player:		
Player	Plays	Type
A. Cobb	25	23 pass, 1 rush, 1 rec
A. Sanders	10	10 rec
D. Forlines	10	4 rec, 3 KR, 2 PR, 1 pass
D. Mauck	8	7 rec, 1 rush
D. Ziglar	3	2 rush, 1 pass
B. Tucker	2	2 rush
M. Nicholson	2	2 rec
G. Sanders	2	2 KR
A. Robinson	1	1 INT
C. Furlow	1	1 INT
D. Johnson	1	1 rec
A-R. Clay	1	1 FR
Q. Myers	1	1 rush

Long Plays By Type:		
Type	No.	TD
Passing	19	3
Rushing	6	2
Kick Returns	3	1
Punt Returns	2	0
Interceptions	2	0
Fumble Returns	1	0
Totals	35	6

*- Play resulted in Touchdown

Keydet Game-By-Game Starters

Offense

Opponent	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	WR	QB	RB	FB/WR/TE	TE
Ball State	Sanders	Lewis	Murray	Doucette	Reed	Miller	Nicholson	Cobb	Tucker	Shirley	Jacob
Morehead St.	Sanders	Lewis	Murray	Doucette	Reed	Miller	Nicholson	Cobb	Tucker	Forlines	Patterson
Richmond	Forlines	Lewis	Murray	Doucette	Reed	Miller	Nicholson	Cobb	Tucker	Jacob	Patterson
Furman	Sanders	Lewis	Murray	Doucette	Reed	Miller	Nicholson	Cobb	Tucker	Forlines	Patterson
Bucknell	Sanders	Lewis	Murray	Doucette	Reed	Roseborough	Nicholson	Cobb	Stout	Forlines	Patterson
Samford	Sanders	Lewis	Murray	Doucette	Reed	Roseborough	Mauck	Cobb	Stout	Forlines	Jacob
Chattanooga	Sanders	Lewis	Murray	Doucette	Reed	Roseborough	Mauck	Cobb	Ziglar	Forlines	Jacob
Mercer	Sanders	Lewis	Murray	Doucette	Reed	Roseborough	Nicholson	Cobb	Ziglar	Forlines	Patterson
Wofford	Sanders	Lewis	Murray	Hann	Reed	Roseborough	Mauck	Cobb	Ziglar	Forlines	Patterson
The Citadel	Sanders	Murray	Smith	Doucette	Reed	Roseborough	Mauck	Alford	Ziglar	Forlines	Patterson

Defense

Opponent	DE	NT	DE/NB	OLB	ILB	ILB	OLB	CB	SS	FS	CB
Ball State	Nelson	Ensminger	Garvin	Copeland	Cratsenberg	Francis	Richardson	Jones	Robinson	Sanders	Furlow
Morehead St.	Nelson	Ensminger	Garvin	Copeland	Cratsenberg	Francis	Richardson	Jones	Robinson	Sanders	Furlow
Richmond	Nelson	Ensminger	Garvin	Bri. Lipscomb	Cratsenberg	Francis	Richardson	Jones	Strozyk	Sanders	Furlow
Furman	Nelson	Ensminger	Garvin	Bri. Lipscomb	Cratsenberg	Francis	Richardson	Jones	Robinson	Sanders	Furlow
Bucknell	Nelson	Ensminger	Moore	Bri. Lipscomb	Cratsenberg	Francis	Richardson	Jones	Strozyk	Sanders	Furlow
Samford	Nelson	Ensminger	Moore	Bri. Lipscomb	Cratsenberg	Francis	Richardson	Jones	Strozyk	Sanders	Furlow
Chattanooga	Mallory	Nelson	Garvin	Bri. Lipscomb	Cratsenberg	Francis	Richardson	Jones	Robinson	Sanders	Furlow
Samford	Nelson	Clay	Garvin	Bri. Lipscomb	Cratsenberg	Francis	Richardson	Jones	Robinson	Sanders	Furlow
Wofford	Nelson	Clay	Garvin	Bri. Lipscomb	Cratsenberg	Francis	Richardson	Jones	Robinson	Sanders	Furlow
The Citadel	Nelson	Clay	Garvin	Copeland	Cratsenberg	Francis	Richardson	Jones	Robinson	Sanders	Furlow

Depth Charts

VMI Keydets

Offense

			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.
WR	21	Aaron Sanders	6-2	185	Jr.
	83	Isaiah Parker	5-11	175	Fr.
F	6	Dane Forlines	5-9	180	Jr.
	11	Darrian Johnson	5-8	180	R-Jr.
LT	72	Andrew Lewis	6-5	260	Jr.
	71	Christian Williams	6-4	225	R-Fr.
LG	63	Nate Murray	6-3	325	R-Sr.
	50	Chase Smith	6-3	260	R-Fr.
C	57	Bradley Hann	6-2	277	R-Jr.
	74	Walker Hays	6-1	265	Jr.
RG	50	Chase Smith	6-3	260	R-Fr.
	65	Matt Milner	6-2	300	R-So.
RT	66	Iyan Roseborough	6-3	325	R-Jr.
	61	Stephen Miller	6-2	275	R-So.
TE	80	Sam Patterson	6-5	215	Sr.
OR	81	Chad Jacob	6-3	225	R-So.
WR	22	Dontae Mauck	5-11	175	Fr.
	82	Matthew Nicholson	6-2	180	Jr.
RB	39	Derrick Ziglar	5-9	230	R-Sr.
	24	Quan Myers	5-9	175	Fr.
QB	8	Al Cobb	6-3	190	R-So.
	12	Hayden Alford	6-3	200	R-Jr.
FB	13	Ryan Swingle	6-3	225	R-So.
	23	Cody Shirley	5-9	205	R-Jr.

Defense

			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.
LE	99	Joe Nelson	6-3	265	R-Jr.
	90	Robert de Wolff	6-3	250	R-Jr.
OR	98	Casey Phillips	6-4	245	Fr.
NT	94	Amon-Ra Clay	6-1	268	R-So.
	5	Darnell Ashton	6-2	215	Jr.
RE	88	J.C. Garvin	6-4	230	R-Jr.
	96	Seth Mallory	6-3	251	R-Jr.
OLB	3	Tony Richardson	6-3	215	So.
	20	Alex James	5-11	190	Sr.
OLB	58	Brian Lipscomb	6-3	225	R-Fr.
	59	Chris Copeland	6-2	215	R-Sr.
ILB	44	Ryan Francis	6-1	200	R-So.
	53	Arnold Roots	6-1	220	Fr.
ILB	46	Allan Cratsenberg	6-3	220	So.
	42	Troy Barden	5-11	205	R-So.
LCB	7	Damian Jones	6-1	190	R-Jr.
	36	Michael Williams	5-10	170	R-Fr.
LS	38	Alijah Robinson	6-0	185	Jr.
	32	Jon Strozyk	6-0	170	R-So.
RS	14	Greg Sanders	5-10	170	So.
	25	Alex Keys	5-10	185	R-Jr.
CB	1	Caleb Furlow	6-2	195	R-Sr.
	19	Doug Moore	5-10	190	Sr.

Special Teams

			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.
K	27	Dillon Christopher	6-2	200	Jr.
P	12	Hayden Alford	6-3	200	R-Jr.
SN	13	Ryan Swingle	6-3	225	R-So.
	74	Walker Hays	6-1	265	Jr.
H	13	Ryan Swingle	6-3	225	R-So.
	6	Dane Forlines	5-9	180	Jr.
KR	14	Greg Sanders	5-10	170	So.
	6	Dane Forlines	5-9	190	Jr.

Western Carolina Catamounts

Offense

			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.
QB	10	Troy Mitchell	6-0	195	Sr.
	9	Wes Holcombe	6-1	185	So.
RB	21	Detrez Newsome	5-10	210	So.
	34	Corey Holloway	5-10	210	R-Fr.
WR	85	Steffon Hill	5-11	200	Jr.
	6	C.J. Goodman	5-11	190	R-Jr.
WR	8	Spearman Robinson	6-4	215	R-Jr.
	80	Gary Richardson	6-0	180	R-Jr.
WR	14	Karnorris Benson	6-1	205	R-Sr.
	28	Tyran Reynolds	6-1	200	R-Fr.
TE	15	Michael Helms, Jr.	6-2	235	R-Jr.
	44	London Richardson	6-0	230	Sr.
LT	63	Zach Weeks	6-3	280	R-Fr.
	74	Hunter Kirby	6-2	275	Sr.
LG	64	Tyler Philpott	6-2	310	R-Sr.
	62	Ethan James	6-2	280	Jr.
C	61	Jake Thornton	6-0	265	R-Sr.
	65	Kaleb Spry	6-2	290	R-Fr.
RG	75	Nathan Dalton	6-7	325	R-Fr.
	67	Brandon Berridge	6-2	295	R-So.
RT	76	Josh Wineberg	6-6	290	Sr.
	71	Matt DeGraffenreed	6-2	285	R-Jr.

Defense

			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.
DE	94	John McBeth	6-2	265	Sr.
	95	Daniel Nash	6-4	230	Jr.
DT	79	Helva Matungulu	6-5	290	R-Sr.
	98	Derrick Davis	6-0	300	So.
DT	91	Tyler Junius	6-0	295	So.
	97	Ezavian Dunn	6-2	300	So.
DE	93	Caleb Hawkins	6-3	255	Sr.
	96	Tahjai Watt	6-5	210	R-So.
LB	57	Avery Worsham	6-1	240	Jr.
	58	Daniel Riddle	6-1	225	R-So.
LB	13	Hassan Belton	6-0	215	Fr.
	33	Coleman Cunningham	5-9	200	R-Jr.
LB	27	Tyson Dickson	6-1	220	Jr.
	32	Chris Seaborn	6-2	215	So.
BUCK	4	Sertonuse Harris	6-0	210	Sr.
	30	A.J. McKoy	5-10	190	Sr.
CB	26	Trey Morgan	6-0	180	Jr.
	35	Keion Crossen	5-10	175	So.
FS	42	A.J. Newman	6-1	195	So.
	22	Mikey White	6-1	180	Fr.
SS	3	Fred Payne	5-10	195	Jr.
	29	Marvin Tillman	6-1	185	Fr.
CB	2	Jalell Lorquet	5-10	180	Sr.
	39	Shane Samuels	5-7	160	R-So.

Special Teams

			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.
PK	84	Logan Howard	6-0	190	Fr.
H	9	Wes Holcombe	6-1	185	So.
KO	48	Blake Metcalf	6-1	200	R-So.
OR	84	Logan Howard	6-0	190	Fr.
P	83	Ian Berryman	6-0	200	R-Fr.
	59	Chandler Addertion	6-3	220	R-Jr.
LS	62	Ethan James	6-2	280	Jr.
	21	Detrez Newsome	5-10	210	So.
KR	14	Karnorris Benson	6-1	205	R-Sr.
	6	C.J. Goodman	5-11	190	R-Jr.
PR	11	Jordan Mathis	5-10	200	R-Fr.

VMI Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown/Previous School
1	Caleb Furlow	DB	R-Sr.	6-2	195	Silver Spring, Md./Montgomery Blair
2	Brad Lipscomb	OLB	R-Jr.	6-0	217	Yanceyville, N.C./Yanceyville
3	Tony Richardson	OLB	So.	6-3	215	Morgantown, W.Va./University
4	John Burton	QB	R-Jr.	6-3	190	Apex, N.C./Cardinal Gibbons
5	Jake Paladino	QB	Fr.	6-1	205	Pennfield, N.Y./Pennfield
4	Darnell Ashton	LB	Jr.	6-2	215	Olyphant, Pa./Valley View
6	Dane Forlines	WR	Jr.	5-10	190	Richmond, Va./Mills Godwin
7	Damian Jones	DB	R-Jr.	6-1	190	Richmond, Va./Hermitage
8	Al Cobb	QB	R-So.	6-3	190	Pulaski, Tenn./Giles County
9	Taylor Stout	WR	Jr.	6-0	180	Midlothian, Va./Midlothian
11	Darrian Johnson	WR	R-Jr.	5-8	180	Fredericksburg, Va./Stafford
12	Hayden Alford	P/QB	R-Jr.	6-3	200	Dyersburg, Tenn./Dyersburg
13	Ryan Swingle	TE	R-So.	6-3	225	Haymarket, Va./Battlefield
14	Greg Sanders	DB	So.	5-10	170	Cordova, Tenn./Christian Brothers
15	Joey Brown	WR	R-Fr.	6-2	190	Virginia Beach, Va./First Colonial
16	Jade Maher	QB	R-Fr.	6-4	190	Dunbar, Pa./Connellsville
17	Brice Tucker	RB	R-Fr.	5-10	175	Hampton, Va./Bishop Sullivan Catholic
18	Austin Coulling	QB	Fr.	6-4	195	Salem, Va./Salem
19	Doug Moore	DB	Sr.	5-10	190	Washington, D.C./Friendship Collegiate
20	Alex James	DB	Sr.	5-11	196	Stockbridge, Ga./Woodland
21	Aaron Sanders	WR	Jr.	6-2	185	Stafford, Va./Brooke Point
22	Dontae Mauck	WR	Fr.	5-11	175	Winchester, Va./Handley
23	Cody Shirley	RB	R-Jr.	5-9	205	Knoxville, Tenn./Knoxville Catholic
24	Quan Myers	RB	Fr.	5-9	175	Altavista, Va./Brookville
25	Alex Keys	DB	R-Jr.	5-11	200	Rocky Mount, Va./Franklin Co.
26	Mason Dermott	RB	Fr.	5-8	165	Roanoke, Va./Hidden Valley
27	Dillon Christopher	PK	Jr.	6-2	200	Newport News, Va./Menchville
28	John Porter	DB	Fr.	6-0	200	Bedford, Va./Liberty
29	Karee Carter	DB	Fr.	6-1	175	Woodbridge, Va./Freedom
30	Gabe Sutherland	DB	R-Fr.	5-10	200	McLean, Va./McLean
31	Eddie Stawowczyk	DB	R-Fr.	5-9	180	Annapolis, Va.
32	Jon Strozzyk	DB	R-So.	6-0	170	Knoxville, Tenn./Powell
33	Tyriug Trotman	CB	Fr.	5-9	155	Virginia Beach, Va./Landstown
34	Bill Hogan	LB/P	R-Fr.	6-1	225	Amissville, Va./Culpepper
35	Scott Frazier	DB	R-So.	6-0	190	Williamsburg, Va./Burton
36	Michael Williams	DB	R-Fr.	5-10	170	Powder Springs, Ga./McEachern
38	Alijah Robinson	DB	Jr.	6-0	185	Waldorf, Md./North Point
39	Derrick Ziglar	RB	R-Sr.	5-9	230	Martinsville, Va./Martinsville
40	Hunter Marshall	RB	R-So.	5-10	184	Radford, Va./Radford
41	Uzoma Kpaduwa	DB	Fr.	5-10	185	Round Hill, Va./Woodgrove
42	Troy Barden	LB	R-So.	5-11	225	Chesterfield, Va./Cosby
43	Kyle Harrell	WR	R-So.	5-11	180	Buchanan, Va./James River
44	Ryan Francis	LB	R-So.	6-1	200	Knoxville, Tenn./West
45	Tyler Fedison	LB	Fr.	6-0	210	Salem, Va./Salem
46	Allan Cratsenburg	LB	So.	6-3	220	Natrone, Pa./Highlands
47	Zander Royston	TE	Fr.	6-4	205	Fredericksburg, Va./Chancellor
48	John Wilkins	WR	R-Jr.	5-8	165	Jane Lew, W.Va./South Harrison
49	Kyle Vardo	RB	R-So.	6-0	218	Hayesville, N.C./Hayesville
50	Chase Smith	OL	R-Fr.	6-3	260	Lovettsville, Va./Woodgrove
52	Zack Baker	DE	R-Fr.	6-2	225	Roanoke, Va./Patrick Henry
53	Arnold Roots	LB	Fr.	6-1	220	Henrico, Va./Varina
54	Xavier Greenfield	DL	So.	6-0	265	Martinsville, Va./Magna Vista
55	Daniel Rader	DL	R-Fr.	5-10	250	Fincastle, Va./Lord Botetourt
56	Brian Ellis	LB	R-Jr.	6-1	210	Moneta, Va./Staunton River
57	Bradley Hann	OL	R-Jr.	6-2	227	Springfield, Va./Robert E. Lee
58	Brian Lipscomb	OLB	R-Fr.	6-3	275	Hampton, Va./Kecoughtan
59	Chris Copeland	OLB	R-Sr.	6-2	215	Hampton, Va./Bethel
60	Thad Stevenson-Panchisin	OL	Fr.	6-2	215	Exton, Pa./Downtington HS East
61	Stephen Miller	OL	R-So.	6-2	275	Brentwood, Tenn./Brentwood Academy
62	Patrick Doucette	OL	R-So.	6-1	285	Knoxville, Tenn./Farragut
63	Nate Murray	OL	R-Sr.	6-3	325	Melbourne, Fla./Satellite
64	Tommy Smith	PK	Fr.	6-2	200	Beaumont, Va./Liberty
65	Matt Milner	OL	R-So.	6-2	300	Chesapeake, Va./Deep Creek
66	Iyan Roseborough	OL	R-Jr.	6-3	325	Jenkinsville, S.C./Fairfield Central
67	Derek Wilson	LB	Fr.	6-1	205	Mount Airy, Md./Linganore
68	Brad Mallory	OLB	Fr.	6-1	200	Chesapeake, Va./Hickory
69	Jameson Donahue	LB	Fr.	6-3	200	South Lyon, Mich./South Lyon
71	Christian Williams	OL	R-Fr.	6-4	225	Suffolk, Va./Nansemond River
72	Andrew Lewis	OL	Jr.	6-5	260	Snellville, Ga./Greater Atlanta Christian
73	Cole Brummit	OL	Fr.	6-4	250	Glen Allen, Va./Glen Allen
74	Walker Hays	OL	Jr.	6-1	265	Vestavia Hills, Ala./Vestavia Hills
76	Will Morris	OL	Fr.	6-3	245	Rustburg, Va./Rustburg
77	Tyler Thacker	OL	Fr.	6-5	255	Fredericksburg, Va./Stafford
78	Chad Reed	OL	R-Jr.	6-6	310	Dover, Pa./Dover
79	Garrett Barker	OL	Fr.	6-3	276	Keswick, Va./Monticello
80	Sam Patterson	WR	Sr.	6-5	215	Keswick, Va./Monticello
81	Chad Jacob	TE	R-So.	6-3	235	Mechanicsville, Va./Atlee
82	Matthew Nicholson	WR	Jr.	6-2	180	Front Royal, Va./Warren County
83	Isaiah Parker	WR	Fr.	5-11	175	Salem, Va./Salem
84	Mandela Kabi	DB	Fr.	5-9	145	Silver Spring, Md./St. John's College HS
85	Kevin Carson	TE	Fr.	6-5	212	Baldwinsville, N.Y./Charles W. Baker
86	John Mobley	TE	R-Fr.	6-4	235	Portsmouth, Va./Nansemond-Suffolk
87	Cody Perego	OLB	Fr.	6-2	225	Salem, Va./Salem
88	J.C. Garvin	DL	R-Jr.	6-4	230	Kingsport, Tenn./Sullivan South
89	Will Wampler	WR	Fr.	6-1	175	Clayton, N.C./Saint David's School
90	Robert de Wolff	DL	R-Jr.	6-3	250	Glen Allen, Va./Trinity Episcopal
92	Connor Mildrum	DL	R-Jr.	5-11	280	Richmond, Va./Glen Allen
93	Denton Enslinger	DL	Sr.	6-4	270	Chambersburg, Pa./Greencastle-Antrim
94	Amon-Ra Clay	DL	R-So.	6-1	268	Atlanta, Ga./North Atlanta
95	Shavon Henderson	DL	R-Fr.	6-3	240	Dyersburg, Tenn./Dyersburg
96	Seth Mallory	DL	R-Jr.	6-3	251	Williamsburg, Va./Warhill
97	Jarrod Richmond	DE	Fr.	6-3	230	Bluefield, Va./Graham
98	Casey Phillips	DL	Fr.	6-4	245	Newburg, Md./McDonough
99	Joe Nelson	DL	R-Jr.	6-3	265	Hampton, Va./Tabb

Breakdown by Class:

Freshmen: 41 (T-28; R-13)

Sophomores: 20 (T-6; R-14)

Juniors: 26 (T-9; R-17)

Seniors: 8 (T-4; R-4)

(T- True; R- Redshirt)

Pronunciation Guide:

18 - Austin **Coulling** - CALLING

31 - Eddie **Stawowczyk** - Sta-WOW-chick

41 - **Uzoma Kpaduwa** - You-ZOO-mah

PAH-doo-wah

66 - **Iyan Roseborough** - Eye-an

84 - Mandela **Kabi** - KAH-bee

93 - Denton **Enslinger** - INS-MING-ur

Coaching Staff:

Scott Wachenheim, Head Coach

Tom Clark, Def. Coordinator/Secondary

Justin Hamilton, Outside LB's/Co-ST Coordinator

Tim Maypray, Running Backs

Brad Robbins, WR/TE/Internal Recruiting

Mike Saint Germain, DL/External Recruiting

Gordon Sammis, Offensive Line

Dustin Ward, Offensive Coordinator/QB's

Justin Wood, Inside Linebackers

Josh Zidenberg, Secondary/Co-ST Coordinator

Jimmy Whitten, Strength Training

Tyson Wachenheim, Assistant Coach



VMI Opponents' Scores & Schedules

Ball State Cardinals (3-7)

S3	VMI	W, 48-36
S12	at #16 Texas A&M	L, 23-56
S19	at Eastern Michigan	W, 28-17
S26	at #17 Northwestern	L, 19-24
O3	Toledo	L, 10-24
O10	at Northern Illinois	L, 41-59
O17	Georgia State	L, 19-31
O24	Central Michigan	L, 21-23
O31	UMass	W, 20-10
N5	at Western Michigan	L, 7-54
N17	at Ohio	7 p.m.
N24	Bowling Green	7:30 p.m.

Morehead State Eagles (6-4)

S5	at #12 James Madison	L, 7-56
S12	at VMI	L, 40-43
S19	Kentucky Christian	W, 28-0
S26	Davidson	W, 34-0
O3	at Jacksonville	L, 26-30
O10	Butler	W, 34-21
O24	at Campbell	W, 31-27
O31	Drake	W, 38-35 (3 OT)
N7	Dayton	L, 15-20
N14	at Valparaiso	W, 36-29
N21	at Marist	1 p.m.

#12 Richmond Spiders (6-3)

S5	at Maryland	L, 21-50
S12	at Hampton	W, 31-28
S19	VMI	W, 42-10
O3	Maine	W, 48-17
O10	Elon	W, 27-14
O17	at Rhode Island	W, 37-12
O24	at #3 James Madison	W, 59-49
O31	Albany	W, 38-31
N7	at New Hampshire	L, 25-30
N14	at Villanova	L, 20-21
N21	William & Mary	Noon

Furman Paladins (4-6)

S5	#5 Coastal Carolina	L, 35-38
S12	at Virginia Tech	L, 3-42
S19	at Central Florida	W, 16-15
S26	VMI	W, 24-21
O3	South Carolina State	W, 17-3
O10	at Chattanooga	L, 3-31
O24	The Citadel	L, 17-38
O31	at Samford	W, 20-17
N7	at Western Carolina	L, 10-48
N14	Mercer	L, 20-27
N21	at Wofford	3:30 p.m.

Bucknell Bison (4-6)

S5	Marist	W, 17-0
S12	Duquesne	L, 7-26
S19	at Cornell	W, 19-14
O3	at VMI	W, 28-22 (OT)
O10	Lehigh	L, 10-21
O17	at Army	L, 14-21
O24	Georgetown	L, 9-17
O31	at Lafayette	W, 35-24
N7	at #16 Fordham	L, 16-24
N14	Holy Cross	L, 7-23
N21	at Colgate	1 p.m.

Samford Bulldogs (5-5)

S3	Central Arkansas	W, 45-16
S12	Florida A&M	W, 58-21
S19	#10 Chattanooga	L, 21-31
S26	at Louisville	L, 3-45
O10	at VMI	W, 49-13
O17	The Citadel	L, 25-44
O24	at Western Carolina	L, 36-56
O31	Furman	L, 17-20
N7	Clark Atlanta	W, 43-0
N14	at Wofford	W, 37-27
N21	at Mercer	3 p.m.

#8 Chattanooga Mocs (8-2)

S5	#7 Jacksonville State	L, 20-23
S12	Mars Hill	W, 44-34
S19	at Samford	W, 31-21
S26	at Presbyterian	W, 21-0
O10	Furman	W, 31-3
O17	at VMI	W, 33-27
O24	at Wofford	W, 20-17
O31	Western Carolina	W, 41-13
N7	at Mercer	L, 14-17
N14	The Citadel	W, 31-23
N21	at Florida State	3 p.m.

Mercer Bears (5-5)

S5	at Austin Peay	W, 28-7
S12	Stetson	W, 57-14
S19	at Tennessee Tech	L, 22-29
O3	Wofford	L, 33-34 (OT)
O10	at Western Carolina	L, 21-24
O17	East Tennessee State	W, 52-0
O24	VMI	L, 21-28
O31	at The Citadel	L, 19-21
N7	Chattanooga	W, 17-14
N14	at Furman	W, 27-20
N21	Samford	3 p.m.

Wofford Terriers (5-5)

S5	at Clemson	L, 10-49
S12	Tennessee Tech	W, 34-14
S19	at Idaho	L, 38-41
S26	Gardner-Webb	W, 16-0
O3	at Mercer	W, 34-33 (OT)
O10	at The Citadel	L, 12-39
O17	Western Carolina	L, 17-24
O24	#5 Chattanooga	L, 17-20
O31	at VMI	W, 41-20
N14	Samford	L, 27-37
N21	Furman	3:30 p.m.

#24 The Citadel Bulldogs (7-3)

S5	Davidson	W, 69-0
S12	Western Carolina	W, 28-10
S19	at Georgia Southern	L, 13-48
S26	Charleston Southern	L, 20-33
O10	Wofford	W, 39-12
O17	at Samford	W, 44-25
O24	at Furman	W, 38-17
O31	Mercer	W, 21-19
N7	VMI	W, 35-14
N14	at #9 Chattanooga	L, 23-31
N21	at South Carolina	Noon

Western Carolina Catamounts (6-4)

S5	Mars Hill	W, 42-14
S12	at The Citadel	L, 10-28
S19	at Tennessee	L, 10-55
O3	Presbyterian	W, 33-21
O10	Mercer	W, 24-21
O17	at Wofford	W, 24-17
O24	Samford	W, 56-36
O31	at #4 Chattanooga	L, 13-41
N7	Furman	W, 48-10
N14	at Texas A&M	L, 17-41
N21	at VMI	1:30 p.m.

2015 VMI Football

VMI Combined Team Statistics (as of Nov 18, 2015)

All games

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
9/3/2015	at Ball State	L	36-48	10473
Sep 12, 2015	MOREHEAD STATE	W	43-40	5016
Sep 19, 2015	at #22 Richmond	L	10-42	8700
* Sep 26, 2015	at Furman	L	21-24	7915
Oct. 3, 2015	BUCKNELL	L	22-28	3713
* Oct 10, 2015	SAMFORD	L	13-49	4875
* Oct 17, 2015	#6 CHATTANOOGA	L	27-33	6104
* Oct 24, 2015	at Mercer	W	28-21	9754
* Oct 31, 2015	WOFFORD	L	20-41	4437
* Nov 07, 2015	at #22 The Citadel	L	14-35	14925

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All games	2-8	1-4	1-4	0-0
Conference	1-5	0-3	1-2	0-0
Non-Conference	1-3	1-1	0-2	0-0

Team Statistics	VMI	OPP
FIRST DOWNS	196	228
Rushing	59	113
Passing	122	105
Penalty	15	10
RUSHING YARDAGE	1113	2060
Rushing Attempts	341	437
Average Per Rush	3.3	4.7
Average Per Game	111.3	206.0
TDs Rushing	14	23
PASSING YARDAGE	2745	2320
Comp-Att-Int	237-403-22	200-331-3
Average Per Pass	6.8	7.0
Average Per Catch	11.6	11.6
Average Per Game	274.5	232.0
TDs Passing	15	15
TOTAL OFFENSE	3858	4380
Average Per Play	5.2	5.7
Average Per Game	385.8	438.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	44-877	30-740
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	15-194	26-179
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	3-60	22-449
FUMBLES-LOST	13-9	13-10
PENALTIES-Yards	42-340	63-577
PUNTS-AVG	50-38.5	51-41.2
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	27:23	32:37
3RD-DOWN Conversions	63/160	71/156
4TH-DOWN Conversions	13/25	7/14

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Tony Richardson	1	3	3.0	0	3
Caleb Furlow	1	29	29.0	0	29
Alijah Robinson	1	28	28.0	0	28

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Hayden Alford	40	1582	39.5	51	4	7	6	2	1
Bill Hogan	9	345	38.3	53	1	4	1	1	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Dane Forlines	15	194	12.9	0	49
Total	15	194	12.9	0	49
Opponents	26	179	6.9	1	30

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Dane Forlines	17	347	20.4	0	27
Greg Sanders	9	258	28.7	1	99
Quan Myers	4	59	14.8	0	22
Dontae Mauck	4	59	14.8	0	23
Aaron Sanders	3	59	19.7	0	21
Cody Shirley	2	24	12.0	0	14
Isaiah Parker	2	36	18.0	0	23
Brian Ellis	1	1	1.0	0	1
Brad Lipscomb	1	12	12.0	0	12
Chad Jacob	1	22	22.0	0	22
Total	44	877	19.9	1	99
Opponents	30	740	24.7	1	85

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Dane Forlines	10	3	550	194	347	0	1094	109.4
Aaron Sanders	10	0	857	0	59	0	916	91.6
Dontae Mauck	10	89	403	0	59	0	551	55.1
Derrick Ziglar	10	380	84	0	0	0	464	46.4
Brice Tucker	6	312	91	0	0	0	403	67.2
Total	10	1113	2745	194	877	60	4989	498.9
Opponents	10	2060	2320	179	740	449	5748	574.8

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Al Cobb	9	428	141	2505	2646	294.0
Derrick Ziglar	10	89	380	32	412	41.2
Brice Tucker	6	72	312	0	312	52.0
Hayden Alford	10	47	-15	158	143	14.3
Quan Myers	6	47	143	0	143	23.8
Total	10	744	1113	2745	3858	385.8
Opponents	10	768	2060	2220	4290	429.0

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Derrick Ziglar	10	88	386	6	380	4.3	8	51	38.0
Brice Tucker	6	72	327	15	312	4.3	3	36	52.0
Quan Myers	6	47	157	14	143	3.0	0	25	23.8
Al Cobb	9	71	277	136	141	2.0	2	26	15.7
Dontae Mauck	10	11	93	4	89	8.1	1	42	8.9
Taylor Stout	6	28	76	12	64	2.3	0	16	10.7
Cody Shirley	9	4	10	0	10	2.5	0	4	1.1
Dane Forlines	10	5	13	10	3	0.6	0	7	0.3
Aaron Sanders	10	3	9	9	0	0.0	0	7	0.0
TEAM	7	5	0	14	-14	-2.8	0	0	-2.0
Hayden Alford	10	7	3	18	-15	-2.1	0	1	-1.5
Total	10	341	1351	238	1113	3.3	14	51	111.3
Opponents	10	437	2228	168	2060	4.7	23	68	206.0

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Al Cobb	9	122.58	217-357-18	60.8	2505	14	80	278.3
Hayden Alford	10	63.93	17-40-4	42.5	158	1	24	15.8
TEAM	7	0.00	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Dane Forlines	10	310.00	2-2-0	100.0	50	0	29	5.0
Jade Maher	4	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Derrick Ziglar	10	368.80	1-1-0	100.0	32	0	32	3.2
Total	10	117.39	237-403-22	58.8	2745	15	80	274.5
Opponents	10	132.44	200-331-3	60.4	2320	15	59	232.0

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Aaron Sanders	10	79	857	10.8	2	49	85.7
Dane Forlines	10	44	550	12.5	0	49	55.0
Sam Patterson	10	31	299	9.6	5	21	29.9
Matthew Nicholson	8	14	169	12.1	1	34	21.1
Dontae Mauck	10	13	403	31.0	3	80	40.3
Derrick Ziglar	10	11	84	7.6	1	13	8.4
Brice Tucker	6	10	91	9.1	1	20	15.2
Taylor Stout	6	9	64	7.1	0	20	10.7
Quan Myers	6	8	46	5.8	1	15	7.7
Chad Jacob	10	7	57	8.1	1	13	5.7
Darrian Johnson	10	4	60	15.0	0	26	6.0
Ryan Swingle	10	3	21	7.0	0	12	2.1
Cody Shirley	9	3	15	5.0	0	9	1.7
Al Cobb	9	1	29	29.0	0	29	3.2
Total	10	237	2745	11.6	15	80	274.5
Opponents	10	200	2320	11.6	15	59	232.0

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Dillon Christopher	9-11	81.8	0-0	4-4	4-6	1-1	0-0	40	0

Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts
Derrick Ziglar	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54
Dillon Christopher	-	9-11	23-26	-	-	-	-	-	50
Sam Patterson	5	-	-	1-1	1	-	-	-	34
Brice Tucker	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Dontae Mauck	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Aaron Sanders	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Al Cobb	2	-	-	-	-	1-3	-	-	12
Chad Jacob	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Greg Sanders	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Matthew Nicholson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Quan Myers	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	30	9-11	23-26	1-1	1	1-3	-	-	234
Opponents	46	14-17	41-44	1-1	-	-	-	-	361

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
VMI	60	86	34	54	0	234
Opponents	62	99	99	95	6	361

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Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conference	Time	Attend
9/3/2015	at Ball State	L	36-48	0-1	0-0	3:26	10473
Sep 12, 2015	MOREHEAD STATE	W	43-40	1-1	0-0	3:57	5016
Sep 19, 2015	at #22 Richmond	L	10-42	1-2	0-0	2:51	8700
* Sep 26, 2015	at Furman	L	21-24	1-3	0-1	3:13	7915
Oct. 3, 2015	BUCKNELL	Lo	22-28	1-4	0-1	3:21	3713
* Oct 10, 2015	SAMFORD	L	13-49	1-5	0-2	3:17	4875
* Oct 17, 2015	#6 CHATTANOOGA	L	27-33	1-6	0-3	3:15	6104
* Oct 24, 2015	at Mercer	W	28-21	2-6	1-3	3:01	9754
* Oct 31, 2015	WOFFORD	L	20-41	2-7	1-4	3:02	4437
* Nov 07, 2015	at #22 The Citadel	L	14-35	2-8	1-5	3:20	14925

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VMI Overall Team Statistics (as of Nov 18, 2015)
All games

Team Statistics	VMI	OPP
SCORING	234	361
Points Per Game	23.4	36.1
FIRST DOWNS	196	228
Rushing	59	113
Passing	122	105
Penalty	15	10
RUSHING YARDAGE	1113	2060
Yards gained rushing	1351	2228
Yards lost rushing	238	168
Rushing Attempts	341	437
Average Per Rush	3.3	4.7
Average Per Game	111.3	206.0
TDs Rushing	14	23
PASSING YARDAGE	2745	2320
Comp-Att-Int	237-403-22	200-331-3
Average Per Pass	6.8	7.0
Average Per Catch	11.6	11.6
Average Per Game	274.5	232.0
TDs Passing	15	15
TOTAL OFFENSE	3858	4380
Total Plays	744	768
Average Per Play	5.2	5.7
Average Per Game	385.8	438.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	44-877	30-740
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	15-194	26-179
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	3-60	22-449
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	19.9	24.7
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	12.9	6.9
INT RETURN AVERAGE	20.0	20.4
FUMBLES-LOST	13-9	13-10
PENALTIES-Yards	42-340	63-577
Average Per Game	34.0	57.7
PUNTS-Yards	50-1927	51-2101
Average Per Punt	38.5	41.2
Net punt average	33.0	34.6
KICKOFFS-Yards	41-2407	68-4033
Average Per Kick	58.7	59.3
Net kick average	35.8	38.7
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	27:23	32:37
3RD-DOWN Conversions	63/160	71/156
3rd-Down Pct	39%	46%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	13/25	7/14
4th-Down Pct	52%	50%
SACKS BY-Yards	8-53	31-155
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	30	46
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	9-11	14-17
ON-SIDE KICKS	1-5	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(32-42) 76%	(38-42) 90%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(24-42) 57%	(26-42) 62%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(23-26) 88%	(41-44) 93%
ATTENDANCE	24145	51767
Games/Avg Per Game	5/4829	5/10353
Neutral Site Games		0/0

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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Derrick Ziglar	10	88	386	6	380	4.3	8	51	38.0
Brice Tucker	6	72	327	15	312	4.3	3	36	52.0
Quan Myers	6	47	157	14	143	3.0	0	25	23.8
Al Cobb	9	71	277	136	141	2.0	2	26	15.7
Dontae Mauck	10	11	93	4	89	8.1	1	42	8.9
Taylor Stout	6	28	76	12	64	2.3	0	16	10.7
Cody Shirley	9	4	10	0	10	2.5	0	4	1.1
Dane Forlines	10	5	13	10	3	0.6	0	7	0.3
Aaron Sanders	10	3	9	9	0	0.0	0	7	0.0
TEAM	7	5	0	14	-14	-2.8	0	0	-2.0
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Total	10	341	1351	238	1113	3.3	14	51	111.3
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Dane Forlines	10	310.00	2-2-0	100.0	50	0	29	5.0
Jade Maher	4	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Derrick Ziglar	10	368.80	1-1-0	100.0	32	0	32	3.2
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Opponents	10	132.44	200-331-3	60.4	2320	15	59	232.0

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Dane Forlines	10	44	550	12.5	0	49	55.0
Sam Patterson	10	31	299	9.6	5	21	29.9
Matthew Nicholson	8	14	169	12.1	1	34	21.1
Dontae Mauck	10	13	403	31.0	3	80	40.3
Derrick Ziglar	10	11	84	7.6	1	13	8.4
Brice Tucker	6	10	91	9.1	1	20	15.2
Taylor Stout	6	9	64	7.1	0	20	10.7
Quan Myers	6	8	46	5.8	1	15	7.7
Chad Jacob	10	7	57	8.1	1	13	5.7
Darrian Johnson	10	4	60	15.0	0	26	6.0
Ryan Swingle	10	3	21	7.0	0	12	2.1
Cody Shirley	9	3	15	5.0	0	9	1.7
Al Cobb	9	1	29	29.0	0	29	3.2
Total	10	237	2745	11.6	15	80	274.5
Opponents	10	200	2320	11.6	15	59	232.0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Dane Forlines	15	194	12.9	0	49
Total	15	194	12.9	0	49
Opponents	26	179	6.9	1	30

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Alijah Robinson	1	28	28.0	0	28
Tony Richardson	1	3	3.0	0	3
Caleb Furlow	1	29	29.0	0	29
Total	3	60	20.0	0	29
Opponents	22	449	20.4	6	75

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Dane Forlines	17	347	20.4	0	27
Greg Sanders	9	258	28.7	1	99
Dontae Mauck	4	59	14.8	0	23
Quan Myers	4	59	14.8	0	22
Aaron Sanders	3	59	19.7	0	21
Isaiah Parker	2	36	18.0	0	23
Cody Shirley	2	24	12.0	0	14
Brian Ellis	1	1	1.0	0	1
Chad Jacob	1	22	22.0	0	22
Brad Lipscomb	1	12	12.0	0	12
Total	44	877	19.9	1	99
Opponents	30	740	24.7	1	85

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Amon-Ra Clay	1	59	59.0	0	59
Total	1	59	59.0	0	59
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
Derrick Ziglar	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54
Dillon Christopher	-	9-11	23-26	-	-	-	-	-	50
Sam Patterson	5	-	-	1-1	1	-	-	-	34
Brice Tucker	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Dontae Mauck	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Al Cobb	2	-	-	-	-	1-3	-	-	12
Aaron Sanders	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Quan Myers	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Chad Jacob	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Matthew Nicholson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Greg Sanders	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	30	9-11	23-26	1-1	1	1-3	-	-	234
Opponents	46	14-17	41-44	1-1	-	-	-	-	361

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Al Cobb	9	428	141	2505	2646	294.0
Derrick Ziglar	10	89	380	32	412	41.2
Brice Tucker	6	72	312	0	312	52.0
Hayden Alford	10	47	-15	158	143	14.3
Quan Myers	6	47	143	0	143	23.8
Dontae Mauck	10	11	89	0	89	8.9
Taylor Stout	6	28	64	0	64	10.7
Dane Forlines	10	7	3	50	53	5.3
Cody Shirley	9	4	10	0	10	1.1
TEAM	7	7	-14	0	-14	-2.0
Total	10	744	1113	2745	3858	385.8
Opponents	10	768	2060	2320	4380	438.0

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Dillon Christopher	9-11	81.8	0-0	4-4	4-6	1-1	0-0	40	0

FG Sequence	VMI	Opponents
Ball State	(31)	(24),(27)
Morehead State	(23),(34)	(29),(31)
Richmond	(26)	-
Furman	-	47,(42)
BUCKNELL	(40),38	50
Samford	(20),(35)	40
#6 Chattanooga	-	(37),(20),(31),(24)
Mercer	-	-
Wofford	38,(20),(32)	-
The Citadel	-	(33),(26),(20),(23),(34)

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Hayden Alford	40	1582	39.5	51	4	7	6	2	1
Bill Hogan	9	345	38.3	53	1	4	1	1	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	50	1927	38.5	53	5	11	7	3	1
Opponents	51	2101	41.2	73	7	6	17	6	0

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Dillon Christopher	38	2256	59.4	8	1			
Tommy Smith	3	151	50.3	0	0			
Total	41	2407	58.7	8	1	24.7	35.8	29
Opponents	68	4033	59.3	21	3	19.9	38.7	26

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

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All games

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Dane Forlines	10	3	550	194	347	0	1094	109.4
Aaron Sanders	10	0	857	0	59	0	916	91.6
Dontae Mauck	10	89	403	0	59	0	551	55.1
Derrick Ziglar	10	380	84	0	0	0	464	46.4
Brice Tucker	6	312	91	0	0	0	403	67.2
Sam Patterson	10	0	299	0	0	0	299	29.9
Greg Sanders	10	0	0	0	258	0	258	25.8
Quan Myers	6	143	46	0	59	0	248	41.3
Al Cobb	9	141	29	0	0	0	170	18.9
Matthew Nichols	8	0	169	0	0	0	169	21.1
Taylor Stout	6	64	64	0	0	0	128	21.3
Chad Jacob	10	0	57	0	22	0	79	7.9
Darrian Johnson	10	0	60	0	0	0	60	6.0
Cody Shirley	9	10	15	0	24	0	49	5.4
Isaiah Parker	7	0	0	0	36	0	36	5.1
Caleb Furlow	10	0	0	0	0	29	29	2.9
Alijah Robinson	10	0	0	0	0	28	28	2.8
Ryan Swingle	10	0	21	0	0	0	21	2.1
Brad Lipscomb	7	0	0	0	12	0	12	1.7
Tony Richardso	10	0	0	0	0	3	3	0.3
Brian Ellis	10	0	0	0	1	0	1	0.1
TEAM	7	-14	0	0	0	0	-14	-2.0
Hayden Alford	10	-15	0	0	0	0	-15	-1.5
Total	10	1113	2745	194	877	60	4989	498.9
Opponents	10	2060	2320	179	740	449	5748	574.8

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VMI Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Nov 18, 2015)
All games

##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds		int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
44	Ryan Francis	10	46	54	100	9.0-24	1.0-5	.	3	.	1-0	3	.	.
46	Allan Cratsenberg	10	36	64	100	5.5-14	.	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
14	Greg Sanders	10	50	28	78	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
38	Alijah Robinson	10	34	35	69	2.0-5	.	1-28	2	.	.	1	.	.
99	Joe Nelson	10	11	36	47	4.5-13	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.
7	Damian Jones	10	30	15	45	3.0-9	.	.	8	.	1-0	.	.	.
3	Tony Richardson	10	26	17	43	9.5-49	3.0-20	1-3	2	2	.	.	.	.
32	Jon Strozyk	10	22	17	39	0.5-1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
59	Chris Copeland	10	8	25	33	2.5-12	1.0-9	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
1	Caleb Furlow	10	24	9	33	2.0-5	.	1-29	4	1	1-0	.	.	.
88	J.C. Garvin	10	16	14	30	1.5-6	1.0-5	.	2	.	.	1	.	.
94	Amon-Ra Clay	10	7	23	30	3.5-6	.	.	.	.	1-59	.	.	.
58	Brian Lipscomb	10	16	13	29	4.0-24	2.0-14	.	4	2	1-0	1	.	.
25	Alex Keys	10	11	10	21	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.
93	Denton Ensminger	6	7	12	19	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	Doug Moore	8	8	10	18	1.0-0	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
96	Seth Mallory	10	5	10	15	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
36	Michael Williams	10	7	5	12	1.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5	Darnell Ashton	7	2	9	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	Scott Frazier	10	5	5	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
53	Arnold Roots	4	2	7	9	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	Uzoma Kpaduwa	10	3	6	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	Brad Lipscomb	7	4	5	9	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
20	Alex James	10	4	4	8	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98	Casey Phillips	10	3	4	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
90	Robert de Wolff	8	3	4	7	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
56	Brian Ellis	10	3	4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	Zack Baker	4	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
82	Matthew Nicholson	8	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	2-0	.	.	.
21	Aaron Sanders	10	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
6	Dane Forlines	10	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
66	Iyan Roseborough	9	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	Troy Barden	4	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
11	Darrian Johnson	10	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
39	Derrick Ziglar	10	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM	TEAM	7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.
22	Dontae Mauck	10	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
62	Patrick Doucette	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
81	Chad Jacob	10	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
55	Daniel Rader	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
40	Hunter Marshall	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
54	X. Greenfield	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	Tyriug Trotman	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		10	407	464	871	54-181	8-53	3-60	39	7	9-59	9	1	.
Opponents		10	367	448	815	62-235	31-155	22-449	49	14	9-0	11	1	.

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VMI Team Game-by-Game (as of Nov 18, 2015)
All games

TEAM STATISTICS

		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot		
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
9/3/2015	at Ball State	29	103	2	36	35	444	3	80	35	49	0	444	3	80	7	141	0	24	1	11	0	11	547
Sep 12	MOREHEAD STATE	41	197	3	51	27	314	2	35	27	41	3	314	2	35	6	98	0	23	1	10	0	10	511
Sep 19	at Richmond	44	202	1	34	13	172	0	34	13	28	4	172	0	34	1	20	0	20	0	0	0	0	374
Sep 26	at Furman	27	44	2	19	21	235	1	44	21	43	2	235	1	44	3	51	0	23	2	7	0	5	279
Oct. 3	BUCKNELL	39	140	1	42	27	255	2	43	27	48	0	255	2	43	3	76	0	27	3	46	0	20	395
Oct 10	SAMFORD	34	46	0	17	21	244	1	32	21	38	4	244	1	32	4	84	0	25	3	83	0	49	290
Oct 17	#6 CHATTANOOGA	30	72	1	12	15	190	3	69	15	25	1	190	3	69	8	133	0	24	0	0	0	0	262
Oct 24	at Mercer	44	176	2	25	28	391	2	49	28	40	3	391	2	49	3	51	0	21	2	18	0	13	567
Oct 31	WOFFORD	19	46	1	16	36	375	0	39	36	55	1	375	0	39	6	149	1	99	1	1	0	0	421
Nov 07	at The Citadel	34	87	1	25	14	125	1	18	14	36	4	125	1	18	3	74	0	34	2	18	0	14	212
VMI		341	1113	14	51	237	2745	15	80	237	403	22	2745	15	80	44	877	1	99	15	194	0	49	3858
		437	2060	23	68	200	2320	15	59	200	331	3	2320	15	59	30	740	1	85	26	179	1	30	4380

Games played: 10

Avg per rush: 3.3

Avg per catch: 11.6

Pass efficiency: 117.39

Kick ret avg: 19.9

Punt ret avg: 12.9

All purpose avg/game: 498.9

Total offense avg/gm: 385.8

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			Blkd kick	PAT Attempts			saf	pts
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv		
9/3/201	at Ball State	44	64	108	1.0-4	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-28	2	6	0	3-4	0	0	0	36
Sep 12	MOREHEAD STATE	51	24	75	6.0-32	3.0-20	1	2-0	1-3	0	7	1	3-3	1	1	0	43
Sep 19	at Richmond	40	44	84	3.0-8	0.0-0	1	1-0	0-0	0	4	0	1-1	0	0	0	10
Sep 26	at Furman	38	50	88	7.0-25	1.0-8	3	2-0	0-0	0	7	0	3-3	0	0	0	21
Oct. 3	BUCKNELL	33	40	73	9.0-33	1.0-5	0	0-0	0-0	0	6	0	1-2	0	0	0	22
Oct 10	SAMFORD	49	60	109	5.0-9	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	13
Oct 17	#6 CHATTANOOGA	46	54	100	9.0-27	1.0-5	0	0-0	1-29	1	3	0	3-4	0	0	0	27
Oct 24	at Mercer	27	34	61	4.0-21	2.0-15	1	1-0	0-0	3	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	28
Oct 31	WOFFORD	33	56	89	5.0-11	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2-2	0	0	0	20
Nov 07	at The Citadel	46	38	84	5.0-11	0.0-0	3	3-59	0-0	1	0	0	2-2	0	0	0	14
VMI		407	464	871	54.0-181	8.0-53	9	9-59	3-60	7	39	1	23-26	1	1	0	234
		367	448	815	62.0-235	31.0-155	11	9-0	22-449	14	49	1	41-44	1	0	0	361

		Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
9/3/201	at Ball State	5	220	44.0	47	0	0	0	0	1	1-1	31	0	5	297	59.4	0	0	
Sep 12	MOREHEAD STATE	5	178	35.6	39	0	1	1	0	1	2-2	34	0	7	377	53.9	1	0	
Sep 19	at Richmond	1	23	23.0	23	0	0	0	0	0	1-1	26	0	3	183	61.0	1	0	
Sep 26	at Furman	6	212	35.3	47	1	2	1	0	0	0-0	0	0	4	256	64.0	1	0	
Oct. 3	BUCKNELL	8	307	38.4	47	0	0	2	0	2	1-2	40	0	4	232	58.0	0	0	
Oct 10	SAMFORD	8	298	37.2	51	0	1	2	1	1	2-2	35	0	3	151	50.3	0	0	
Oct 17	#6 CHATTANOOGA	7	299	42.7	50	0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	5	286	57.2	0	1	
Oct 24	at Mercer	1	25	25.0	25	0	0	1	0	1	0-0	0	0	5	316	63.2	3	0	
Oct 31	WOFFORD	2	84	42.0	42	0	0	0	0	0	2-3	32	0	2	121	60.5	0	0	
Nov 07	at The Citadel	7	281	40.1	53	0	1	4	1	1	0-0	0	0	3	188	62.7	2	0	
VMI		50	1927	38.5	53	1	5	11	3	7	9-11	40	0	41	2407	58.7	8	1	
		51	2101	41.2	73	0	7	6	6	17	14-17	42	0	68	4033	59.3	21	3	

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OPPONENT STATISTICS

		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot		
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
9/3/2015	at Ball State	42	229	5	46	34	338	1	36	34	53	1	338	1	36	5	145	0	48	3	28	0	10	567
Sep 12	MOREHEAD STATE	25	29	0	15	36	470	5	59	36	63	1	470	5	59	5	139	0	58	2	10	0	10	499
Sep 19	at Richmond	48	254	1	20	16	212	3	53	16	24	0	212	3	53	2	37	0	20	0	0	0	0	466
Sep 26	at Furman	40	125	2	20	22	197	0	21	22	41	0	197	0	21	3	58	0	25	3	14	1	5	322
Oct. 3	BUCKNELL	35	102	2	23	17	188	1	26	17	34	0	188	1	26	4	158	1	85	6	30	0	11	290
Oct 10	SAMFORD	48	174	3	10	31	337	3	57	31	42	0	337	3	57	2	43	0	43	3	7	0	8	511
Oct 17	#6 CHATTANOOGA	49	261	1	27	22	229	1	37	22	34	1	229	1	37	4	45	0	22	6	76	0	30	490
Oct 24	at Mercer	31	155	2	37	14	201	1	40	14	22	0	201	1	40	2	51	0	28	0	0	0	0	356
Oct 31	WOFFORD	61	405	6	45	2	14	0	11	2	5	0	14	0	11	2	42	0	24	2	11	0	10	419
Nov 07	at The Citadel	58	326	1	68	6	134	0	40	6	13	0	134	0	40	1	22	0	22	1	3	0	0	460
Opponents		437	2060	23	68	200	2320	15	59	200	331	3	2320	15	59	30	740	1	85	26	179	1	30	4380
		341	1113	14	51	237	2745	15	80	237	403	22	2745	15	80	44	877	1	99	15	194	0	49	3858

Games played: 10

Avg per rush: 4.7

Avg per catch: 11.6

Pass efficiency: 132.44

Kick ret avg: 24.7

Punt ret avg: 6.9

All purpose avg/game: 574.8

Total offense avg/gm: 438.0

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			Blkd kick	PAT Attempts			saf	pts
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv		
9/3/201	at Ball State	40	52	92	7.0-18	1.0-6	3	2-0	0-0	5	5	0	6-6	0	0	0	48
Sep 12	MOREHEAD STATE	53	36	89	6.0-17	3.0-11	2	1-0	3-13	0	2	0	4-5	0	0	0	40
Sep 19	at Richmond	29	50	79	2.0-9	1.0-7	1	1-0	4-56	2	5	0	6-6	0	0	0	42
Sep 26	at Furman	33	24	57	7.0-26	3.0-11	1	0-0	2-49	0	8	1	3-3	0	0	0	24
Oct. 3	BUCKNELL	46	42	88	7.0-34	4.0-25	0	0-0	0-0	0	7	0	2-2	1	0	0	28
Oct 10	SAMFORD	29	64	93	7.0-35	4.0-23	0	0-0	4-78	0	6	0	7-7	0	0	0	49
Oct 17	#6 CHATTANOOGA	30	34	64	7.0-28	5.0-25	0	0-0	1-28	2	1	0	3-3	0	0	0	33
Oct 24	at Mercer	30	80	110	6.0-19	3.0-13	1	1-0	3-20	1	4	0	3-3	0	0	0	21
Oct 31	WOFFORD	38	40	78	7.0-21	4.0-15	1	2-0	1-12	0	4	0	5-6	0	0	0	41
Nov 07	at The Citadel	39	26	65	6.0-28	3.0-19	2	2-0	4-193	4	7	0	2-3	0	0	0	35
Opponents		367	448	815	62.0-235	31.0-155	11	9-0	22-449	14	49	1	41-44	1	0	0	361
		407	464	871	54.0-181	8.0-53	9	9-59	3-60	7	39	1	23-26	1	1	0	234

		Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
9/3/201	at Ball State	4	169	42.2	49	0	0	0	0	4	2-2	27	0	9	565	62.8	2	0	
Sep 12	MOREHEAD STATE	4	177	44.2	53	0	0	1	2	1	2-2	31	0	8	459	57.4	2	0	
Sep 19	at Richmond	4	166	41.5	43	0	1	2	0	2	0-0	0	0	7	440	62.9	5	1	
Sep 26	at Furman	5	209	41.8	53	0	0	0	1	2	1-2	42	0	5	313	62.6	2	0	
Oct. 3	BUCKNELL	9	372	41.3	48	0	0	0	0	3	0-1	0	0	4	230	57.5	0	1	
Oct 10	SAMFORD	6	228	38.0	54	0	2	0	1	0	0-1	0	0	8	508	63.5	4	0	
Oct 17	#6 CHATTANOOGA	3	104	34.7	39	0	1	1	0	0	4-4	37	0	8	468	58.5	0	0	
Oct 24	at Mercer	5	257	51.4	73	0	1	0	2	2	0-0	0	0	4	231	57.8	0	1	
Oct 31	WOFFORD	6	223	37.2	43	0	1	0	0	3	0-0	0	0	7	312	44.6	1	0	
Nov 07	at The Citadel	5	196	39.2	44	0	1	2	0	0	5-5	34	0	8	507	63.4	5	0	
Opponents		51	2101	41.2	73	0	7	6	6	17	14-17	42	0	68	4033	59.3	21	3	
		50	1927	38.5	53	1	5	11	3	7	9-11	40	0	41	2407	58.7	8	1	

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INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	23	Brice Tucker at Richmond (Sep 19, 2015)
Yards Rushing	120	Brice Tucker at Richmond (Sep 19, 2015)
TD Rushes	2	Derrick Ziglar vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
	2	Derrick Ziglar at Furman (Sep 26, 2015)
	2	Derrick Ziglar at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Long Rush	51	Derrick Ziglar vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Pass attempts	52	Al Cobb vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
Pass completions	35	Al Cobb vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
Yards Passing	399	Al Cobb at Ball State (9/3/2015)
TD Passes	3	Al Cobb at Ball State (9/3/2015)
	3	Al Cobb vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
Long Pass	80	Al Cobb at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Receptions	16	Aaron Sanders at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Yards Receiving	218	Aaron Sanders at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
TD Receptions	1	Aaron Sanders at Ball State (9/3/2015)
	1	Sam Patterson at Ball State (9/3/2015)
	1	Dontae Mauck at Ball State (9/3/2015)
	1	Sam Patterson vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
	1	Brice Tucker vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
	1	Matthew Nicholson at Furman (Sep 26, 2015)
	1	Aaron Sanders vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
	1	Sam Patterson vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
	1	Dontae Mauck vs Samford (Oct 10, 2015)
	1	Dontae Mauck vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
	1	Chad Jacob vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
	1	Sam Patterson vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
	1	Sam Patterson at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
	1	Quan Myers at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
	1	Derrick Ziglar at The Citadel (Nov 07, 2015)
Long Reception	80	Dontae Mauck at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Field Goals	2	Dillon Christopher vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
	2	Dillon Christopher vs Samford (Oct 10, 2015)
	2	Dillon Christopher vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
Long Field Goal	40	Dillon Christopher vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
Punts	8	Hayden Alford vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
Punting Avg	44.0	Hayden Alford at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Long Punt	53	Bill Hogan at The Citadel (Nov 07, 2015)
Punts inside 20	2	Hayden Alford vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
Long Punt Return	49	Dane Forlines vs Samford (Oct 10, 2015)
Long Kickoff Return	99	Greg Sanders vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
Tackles	17	Allan Cratsenberg vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
Sacks	3.0	Tony Richardson vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Tackles For Loss	4.0	Tony Richardson vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Interceptions	1	Aljah Robinson at Ball State (9/3/2015)
	1	Tony Richardson vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
	1	Caleb Furlow vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)

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TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	44	at Richmond (Sep 19, 2015)
	44	at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Yards Rushing	202	at Richmond (Sep 19, 2015)
Yards Per Rush	4.8	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
TD Rushes	3	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Pass attempts	55	vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
Pass completions	36	vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
Yards Passing	444	at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Yards Per Pass	9.8	at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
TD Passes	3	at Ball State (9/3/2015)
	3	vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
Total Plays	87	vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
Total Offense	567	at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Yards Per Play	7.0	at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Points	43	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Sacks By	3	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
First Downs	27	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
	27	at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Penalties	8	at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Penalty Yards	80	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Turnovers	6	at The Citadel (Nov 07, 2015)
Interceptions By	1	at Ball State (9/3/2015)
	1	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
	1	vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
Punts	8	vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
	8	vs Samford (Oct 10, 2015)
Punting Avg	44.0	at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Long Punt	53	at The Citadel (Nov 07, 2015)
Punts inside 20	2	vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
Long Punt Return	49	vs Samford (Oct 10, 2015)

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OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	19	Derrick Craine, vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
Yards Rushing	112	Derrick Craine, vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
TD Rushes	3	GREEN, Darian, at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Long Rush	68	Cam Jackson, at The Citadel (Nov 07, 2015)
Pass attempts	62	GAHAFFER, Austin, vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Pass completions	35	GAHAFFER, Austin, vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Yards Passing	447	GAHAFFER, Austin, vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
TD Passes	4	GAHAFFER, Austin, vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Long Pass	59	GAHAFFER, Austin, vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Receptions	10	RAYMOND, Jake, vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Yards Receiving	154	CORNWALL, J., vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
TD Receptions	2	CORNWALL, J., vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
	2	E. Obajimi, vs Samford (Oct 10, 2015)
Long Reception	59	CORNWALL, J., vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Field Goals	5	Eric Goins, at The Citadel (Nov 07, 2015)
Long Field Goal	42	Hollingsworth, at Furman (Sep 26, 2015)
Punts	9	Pechin, Alex, vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
Punting Avg	51.4	Matt Shiel, at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Long Punt	73	Matt Shiel, at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Punts inside 20	4	SCHMIDT, Kyle, at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Long Punt Return	30	C.J. Board, vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
Long Kickoff Return	85	DeFloria, Joey, vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
Tackles	18	PUGH, Eric, vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
	18	Richard, Ben, vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
Sacks	2.0	Michael Pierce, vs Samford (Oct 10, 2015)
	2.0	Austin Barrett, at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Tackles For Loss	2.5	Nakevion Leslie, vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
Interceptions	2	David Jones, at Richmond (Sep 19, 2015)
	2	Q Washington, at The Citadel (Nov 07, 2015)

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OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	61	vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
Yards Rushing	405	vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
Yards Per Rush	6.6	vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
TD Rushes	6	vs Wofford (Oct 31, 2015)
Pass attempts	63	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Pass completions	36	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Yards Passing	470	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Yards Per Pass	10.3	at The Citadel (Nov 07, 2015)
TD Passes	5	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Total Plays	95	at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Total Offense	567	at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Yards Per Play	6.7	at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Points	49	vs Samford (Oct 10, 2015)
Sacks By	5	vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)
First Downs	33	at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Penalties	14	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
Penalty Yards	110	at Furman (Sep 26, 2015)
Turnovers	3	vs Morehead State (Sep 12, 2015)
	3	at The Citadel (Nov 07, 2015)
Interceptions By	4	at Richmond (Sep 19, 2015)
	4	vs Samford (Oct 10, 2015)
	4	at The Citadel (Nov 07, 2015)
Punts	9	vs BUCKNELL (Oct. 3, 2015)
Punting Avg	51.4	at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Long Punt	73	at Mercer (Oct 24, 2015)
Punts inside 20	4	at Ball State (9/3/2015)
Long Punt Return	30	vs #6 Chattanooga (Oct 17, 2015)

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3rd-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
9/3/2015	at Ball State	L 36-48	8-19	42.1	1-5	20.0	2-5	40.0	3-3	100.0	2-6	33.3	0-1	0.0
Sep 12, 2015	MOREHEAD STATE	W 43-40	6-13	46.2	3-5	60.0	1-3	33.3	1-2	50.0	1-3	33.3		
Sep 19, 2015	at Richmond	L 10-42	7-15	46.7	4-5	80.0	1-3	33.3	0-3	0.0	2-4	50.0		
Sep 26, 2015	at Furman	L 21-24	7-16	43.8	0-2	0.0	2-3	66.7	1-5	20.0	4-6	66.7		
Oct. 3, 2015	BUCKNELL	L 22-28	8-21	38.1	1-4	25.0	2-4	50.0	3-6	50.0	2-6	33.3		
Oct 10, 2015	SAMFORD	L 13-49	4-18	22.2	0-3	0.0	1-6	16.7	2-5	40.0	1-4	25.0		
Oct 17, 2015	#6 CHATTANOOGA	L 27-33	4-12	33.3	1-3	33.3	1-3	33.3	0-2	0.0	2-4	50.0		
Oct 24, 2015	at Mercer	W 28-21	17-19	89.5	9-9	100.0	3-4	75.0	3-3	100.0	2-3	66.7		
Oct 31, 2015	WOFFORD	L 20-41	1-12	8.3	0-2	0.0	1-3	33.3	0-1	0.0	0-6	0.0		
Nov 07, 2015	at The Citadel	L 14-35	1-15	6.7	1-6	16.7	0-3	0.0	0-2	0.0	0-4	0.0		
VMI			63-160	39.4	20-44	45.5	14-37	37.8	13-32	40.6	16-46	34.8	0-1	0.0
Opponents			71-156	45.5	18-39	46.2	16-35	45.7	21-41	51.2	16-41	39.0	0-0	0.0

4th-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
9/3/2015	at Ball State	L 36-48	3-4	75.0	0-0	0.0	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0	3-3	100.0	0-0	0.0
Sep 12, 2015	MOREHEAD STATE	W 43-40	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0		
Sep 19, 2015	at Richmond	L 10-42	1-3	33.3	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0	0-1	0.0	0-1	0.0		
Sep 26, 2015	at Furman	L 21-24	1-2	50.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0	0-1	0.0		
Oct. 3, 2015	BUCKNELL	L 22-28	1-3	33.3	1-1	100.0	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-1	0.0		
Oct 10, 2015	SAMFORD	L 13-49	1-2	50.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0		
Oct 17, 2015	#6 CHATTANOOGA	L 27-33	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0		
Oct 24, 2015	at Mercer	W 28-21	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0		
Oct 31, 2015	WOFFORD	L 20-41	3-6	50.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0	2-5	40.0		
Nov 07, 2015	at The Citadel	L 14-35	2-3	66.7	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	1-2	50.0		
VMI			13-25	52.0	2-2	100.0	2-5	40.0	2-4	50.0	7-14	50.0	0-0	0.0
Opponents			7-14	50.0	1-1	100.0	1-4	25.0	3-3	100.0	2-6	33.3	0-0	0.0

Time of Possession

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
9/3/2015	at Ball State	L 36-48	27:33	7:02	6:54	5:41	7:56	
Sep 12, 2015	MOREHEAD STATE	W 43-40	30:23	9:54	7:18	6:52	6:19	
Sep 19, 2015	at Richmond	L 10-42	25:35	7:43	6:52	3:29	7:31	
Sep 26, 2015	at Furman	L 21-24	22:05	4:16	6:25	6:17	5:07	
Oct. 3, 2015	BUCKNELL	L 22-28	29:06	5:39	7:17	9:15	6:55	0:00
Oct 10, 2015	SAMFORD	L 13-49	29:28	5:41	9:33	6:15	7:59	
Oct 17, 2015	#6 CHATTANOOGA	L 27-33	21:53	6:41	6:17	2:13	6:42	
Oct 24, 2015	at Mercer	W 28-21	33:52	12:42	8:22	5:57	6:51	
Oct 31, 2015	WOFFORD	L 20-41	26:20	4:51	7:52	6:29	7:08	
Nov 07, 2015	at The Citadel	L 14-35	27:36	12:17	4:33	4:29	6:17	
	VMI	Total	273:51	76:46	71:23	56:57	68:45	0:00
		Avg.	27:23	7:40	7:08	5:41	6:52	0:00
	Opponents	Total	326:09	73:14	78:37	93:03	81:15	0:00
		Avg.	32:36	7:19	7:51	9:18	8:07	0:00