

WYOMING



KEEGAN CRYDER

2021 PRO FOOTBALL FOCUS FIRST TEAM ALL-MW CENTER
2021 OUTLAND TROPHY WATCH LIST



CHAD MUMA

2021 SECOND TEAM WALTER CAMP ALL-AMERICAN
FINALIST FOR 2021 BUTKUS AWARD
2021 PRO FOOTBALL FOCUS MW DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
2021 FIRST TEAM ALL-MOUNTAIN WEST LINEBACKER



XAZAVIAN VALLADAY

2021 SECOND TEAM ALL-MOUNTAIN WEST RUNNING BACK
2021 MAXWELL AWARD WATCH LIST
2021 DOAK WALKER AWARD WATCH LIST

FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO BOWL



C.J. GOLDON

2021 SECOND TEAM ALL-MOUNTAIN WEST CORNERBACK



ISAIAH NEYOR

2021 SECOND TEAM ALL-MOUNTAIN WEST WIDE RECEIVER



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WYOMING COWBOYS

2021 Season Highlights

- Set a Wyoming school record earning fourth bowl bid in last six seasons
- Played a schedule that included eight teams playing in postseason in 2021
- Defeated two conference champions — Mountain West Conference Champion Utah State and Mid-American Conference Champion Northern Illinois
- Also defeated 2021 TaxAct Camellia Bowl participant Ball State and FCS Playoff team Montana State



CRAIG BOHL

- Has led Wyoming to Four Bowls in Six Seasons, More Than Any Other Wyoming Coach
- Seeking Third Consecutive Bowl Victory at Wyoming

2021 Senior Class Accomplishments

- Five bowl-eligible seasons: 2016, '17, '18, '19 and '21
- Three eight-win seasons in 2016, '17 and '19
- 2016 Mountain West Conference Mountain Division Champions
- 2016 Poinsettia Bowl
- 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Champions
- 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl Champions
- 2021 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
- Posted a 5-1 record against rival Colorado State
- Defeated SEC member Missouri in Laramie in 2019



2021 UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO BOWL MEDIA GUIDE



University of Wyoming Fast Facts

General Information

Location: Laramie, Wyo.
Founded: 1886
Enrollment: 11,829
President: Dr. Edward Seidel
Athletics Director: Tom Burman
Colors: Brown & Gold
Nickname: Cowboys, Pokes
Conference: Mountain West
Stadium: Jonah Field at War Memorial Stadium
Capacity: 29,181
Surface: FieldTurf Revolution

2021 Wyoming Football Coaching Staff

Head Coach: Craig Bohl (Nebraska '82)
Overall Record: 148-82 (.644), 19th season
Bowl Record at Wyoming: 2-1 (.667), 8th season

Offensive Coaching Staff

Offensive Coordinator/QBs

Tim Polasek (Concordia '02)

Offensive Line

Derek Frazier (Northern Colorado '97)

Offensive Passing Game Coordinator/WRs

Mike Grant (Nebraska '93)

Running Backs/Director of Player Personnel

Gordie Haug (Bemidji State '09)

Co-Special Teams Coordinator/Tight Ends/Fullbacks

Shannon Moore (Black Hills State '00)

Defensive Coaching Staff

Defensive Coordinator/Safeties

Jay Sawvel (Mount Union '93)

Linebackers

Aaron Bohl (MSU Moorhead '16)

Co-Special Teams Coordinator/Cornerbacks

Benny Boyd (Aurora '00)

Defensive Ends

Marty English (Northern Colorado '86)

Defensive Run-Game Coordinator/DTs/NTs

Pete Kaligis (Washington '94)

Administrative Staff

Associate A.D. for Football Operations

Brent Vernon (Missouri '08)

Director of Recruiting

Ian McGrew (Tennessee-Martin '15)

Director of On-Campus Recruiting

Patty Ohanian (Christopher Newport, Va. '21)

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2021 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Practice Schedule (Tentative)

Note to Media:

Wyoming Cowboy practices in Boise will be conducted at the Boise State University Athletics facilities. Please check with University of Wyoming Associate Athletics Director Tim Harkins regarding media policies at practices while in Boise. Harkins may be reached on his cell at (307) 760-7847.

Date	Location	Time
Sat., Dec. 18	Caven-Williams Indoor Facility or Dona Larsen Park (Post-Practice Outdoor Facility)	9:15-10:30 a.m. Mountain Time Interviews
Sun., Dec. 19	Same locations	4:00-5:00 p.m., (Post-Practice Interviews)
Mon., Dec. 20	Same locations	12:30-1:00 p.m., (Press Conference Following)
Mon., Dec. 20	Wyoming Press Conference Allen Noble Hall of Fame	1:15-1:45 p.m.

Wyoming Headquarters in Boise

Riverside Hotel

2900 West Chinden Boulevard

Garden City, ID 83714

Phone: (208) 343-1871

Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Media Center

Allen Noble Hall of Fame South End of Albertsons Stadium

1910 W University Drive

Boise, ID 83706

Wyoming Cowboy Football History

Wyoming Bowl Record

All-Time Bowl Record: 8-8-0 (.500)

Game and Date	Result
Gator Bowl (Win) Jan. 1, 1951 Wyoming's Final 1950 Record: Head Coach: Bowden Wyatt	Wyoming 20 Washington & Lee 7 10-0-0
Sun Bowl (Win) Jan. 2, 1956 Wyoming's Final 1955 Record: Head Coach: Phil Dickens	Wyoming 21 Texas Tech 14 8-3-0
Sun Bowl (Win) Dec. 31, 1958 Wyoming's Final 1958 Record: Head Coach: Bob Devaney	Wyoming 14 Hardin Simmons 6 8-3-0
Sun Bowl (Win) Dec. 24, 1966 Wyoming's Final 1966 Record: Head Coach: Lloyd Eaton	Wyoming 28 Florida State 20 10-1-0
Sugar Bowl (Loss) Jan. 1, 1968 Wyoming's Final 1967 Record: Head Coach: Lloyd Eaton	LSU 20 Wyoming 13 10-1-0
Fiesta Bowl (Loss) Dec. 25, 1976 Wyoming's Final 1976 Record: Head Coach: Fred Akers	Oklahoma 41 Wyoming 7 8-4-0
Holiday Bowl (Loss) Dec. 30, 1987 Wyoming's Final 1987 Record: Head Coach: Paul Roach	Iowa 20 Wyoming 19 10-3-0
Holiday Bowl (Loss) Dec. 30, 1988 Wyoming's Final 1988 Record: Head Coach: Paul Roach	Oklahoma State 62 Wyoming 14 11-2-0
Copper Bowl (Loss) Dec. 31, 1990 Wyoming's Final 1990 Record: Head Coach: Paul Roach	California 17 Wyoming 15 9-4-0
Copper Bowl (Loss) Dec. 28, 1993 Wyoming's Final 1993 Record: Head Coach: Joe Tiller	Kansas State 52 Wyoming 17 8-4-0
Las Vegas Bowl (Win) Dec. 23, 2004 Wyoming's Final 2004 Record: Head Coach: Joe Glenn	Wyoming 24 UCLA 21 7-5
New Mexico Bowl (Win) Dec. 19, 2009 Wyoming's Final 2009 Record: Head Coach: Dave Christensen	Wyoming 35 Fresno St. 28 (2OT) 7-6
Gildan New Mexico Bowl (Loss) Dec. 17, 2011 Wyoming's Final 2011 Record: Head Coach: Dave Christensen	Temple 37 Wyoming 15 8-5
San Diego County Credit Union Poinsettia Bowl (Loss) Dec. 21, 2016 Wyoming's 2016 Record: Head Coach: Craig Bohl	BYU 24 Wyoming 21 8-6
Famous Idaho Potato Bowl (Win) Dec. 22, 2017 Wyoming's 2017 Record: Head Coach: Craig Bohl	Wyoming 37 Central Michigan 14 8-5
NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl (Win) Dec. 31, 2019 Wyoming's 2019 Record: Head Coach: Craig Bohl	Wyoming 38 Georgia State 17 8-5



2021 UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO BOWL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Schedule of Events for the Wyoming Cowboys (All times listed are Mountain Time)

Friday, Dec. 17	Time (Mountain)	Location	Media Accessibility
Team Arrival	1:00 p.m.	The Riverside Hotel 2900 West Chinden Boulevard Garden City, Idaho 83714 Phone: (208) 343-1871	Media welcome to cover arrival at team hotel
Albertsons Tackle Hunger	4:00-6:00 p.m.	Bishop Kelly High School 7009 Franklin Road, Boise, Idaho 83709	Media welcome to cover event
<p>Each participating school will arrive at the Bishop Kelly high School by 3:45pm. Feeding Children everywhere will provide all volunteers. Teams will be placed into assembly lines for a competition against the opposing team. Teams will work together to package as many meals as possible during 1 hour. Meals will be distributed throughout the Treasure Valley for the next several months. It is expected to package more than 40,000 meals. Head coaches to be prepared for media interviews. Teams need to be wearing team sweats with jerseys on top.</p>			
Saturday, Dec. 18			
Wyoming Practice	9:15-10:30 a.m.	Caven-Williams Indoor Facility or Dona Larsen Park Outdoor Facility	Media Interviews After Practice at Practice Site
Winter Sports Day/Tubing (Weather permitting, Buses will depart team hotel at 2 p.m., activity begins at 3 p.m.)	3:00-4:30 p.m.	Bogus Basin Ski Resort OR Go Kart Racing on Sunday morning if Winter Sports Day is cancelled	Media welcome to cover event
Sunday, Dec. 19			
Wyoming Go Kart Racing (If weather does not allow for Winter Sports Day/Tubing on Saturday afternoon. Buses will depart team hotel at 8:30 a.m.)	9:00-11:00 a.m.	Go Kart Racing	Media welcome to cover event
Wyoming Practice	4:00-5:00 p.m.	Caven-Williams Indoor Facility or Dona Larsen Park Outdoor Facility	Media Interviews After Practice at Practice Site
Monday, Dec. 20			
FCA Breakfast Guest Speaker: Lou Holtz	7:30-9:15 a.m.	Boise Centre 850 West Front Street, Boise, Idaho 83702	TBA
Game Management Meeting	10:00-11:00 a.m. (TENTATIVE TIME)	Allen Noble Hall of Fame Gallery at Albertsons Stadium	Not a Media Event
Wyoming Practice	12:30-1:00 p.m.	Caven-Williams Indoor Facility or Dona Larsen Park Outdoor Facility	Press Conference Following Practice
Wyoming Press Conference	1:15-1:45 p.m. (TENTATIVE TIME)	Allen Noble Hall of Fame Gallery at Albertsons Stadium	Media Event
Kent State Press Conference	2:30-3:00 p.m. (TENTATIVE TIME)	Allen Noble Hall of Fame Gallery at Albertsons Stadium	Media Event
UW Alumni Social	4:00-6:00 p.m.	Bardenay Restaurant and Distillery Near the Grove Plaza	RSVP required to uwalumni@uwyo.edu
Mash Bash at the Grove Plaza (Team Bands and Cheerleaders Will Participate)	6:00-7:00 p.m.	Boise Centre on the Grove Plaza 827 West Main Street, Boise, Idaho 83702	Free Event Open to the Public and Media
Tuesday, Dec. 21			
Cowboy Joe Club Tailgate	10:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.	Tent Village at Albertsons Stadium Event Free to Wyoming Fans West Side of Stadium Parking Lot	Free Event Open for UW Fans RSVP to cowboyjoe@uwyo.edu by Dec. 18
Simplot Fry Feed Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Fan Fest	10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.	Albertsons Stadium West Side of Stadium Parking Lot	Open to all Fans
Kickoff	1:30 p.m.	Albertsons Stadium	
Postgame Press Conference	Losing Team First/ Winning Team Second	Allen Noble Hall of Fame Gallery	Media Event

2021 UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING TEAM, COACH AND PLAYER HONORS



2021 National Award Watch Lists

Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award Watch List

(Top Upperclassmen Quarterback)

Sean Chambers

Quarterback
Kerman, Calif.

Mayo Clinic

Comeback Player of the Year

Sean Chambers

Quarterback
Kerman, Calif.

Burlsworth Trophy

Most Outstanding Walk-on

Garrett Crall

Defensive End
Hicksville, Ohio

Outland Trophy Watch List

(Nation's Outstanding Interior Lineman)

Keegan Cryder

Center
Littleton, Colo.

National Football Foundation

William V. Campbell Award

Semifinalist

(Nation's Best Football Scholar-Athlete)

Ayden Eberhardt

Wide Receiver
Loveland, Colo.

Lou Groza Award Watch List

(Nation's Best Collegiate Place-Kicker)

John Hoyland

Place-kicker
Broomfield, Colo.

Chuck Bednarik Award Semifinalist

(Nation's Outstanding Defensive Player)

Chad Muma

Linebacker
Lone Tree, Colo.

Butkus Award Finalist

(Nation's Best Linebacker)

Chad Muma

Linebacker
Lone Tree, Colo.

Maxwell Award Watch List

(Outstanding Player in College Football)

Xazavian Valladay

Running Back
Matteson, Ill.

Doak Walker Award Watch List

(Nation's Top Collegiate Running Back)

Xazavian Valladay

Running Back
Matteson, Ill.

2021 Mountain West All-Conference Honors (Selected by MW Coaches/Media)

First Team All-Conference

#48 Chad Muma, Linebacker
6-3, 242, Lone Tree, Colo.

Second Team All-Conference

#21 C.J. Coldon, Cornerback
6-1, 180, Belleville, Ill.

#73 Keegan Cryder, Center
6-4, 309, Littleton, Colo.

#5 Isaiah Neyor, Wide Receiver
6-3, 210, Fort Worth, Texas

#6 Xazavian Valladay, Running Back
6-0, 198, Matteson, Ill.

Honorable Mention All-Conference

#88 Garrett Crall, Defensive End
6-5, 239, Hicksville, Ohio

#94 Cole Godbout, Nose Tackle
6-4, 274, Hudson, Wis.

#79 Logan Harris, Offensive Guard
6-3, 310, Torrington, Wyo.

2021 Pro Football Focus (PFF)

All-Mountain West Conference Honors

First Team All-Conference

#48 Chad Muma, Linebacker
6-3, 242, Lone Tree, Colo.

#73 Keegan Cryder, Center
6-4, 309, Littleton, Colo.

Second Team All-Conference

#94 Cole Godbout, Nose Tackle
6-4, 274, Hudson, Wis.

#79 Logan Harris, Offensive Guard
6-3, 310, Torrington, Wyo.

#20 Azizi Hearn, Cornerback
6-1, 202, Oceanside, Calif.

#8 Titus Swen, Running Back
5-11, 202, Fort Worth, Texas

Third Team All-Conference

#5 Isaiah Neyor, Wide Receiver
6-3, 210, Fort Worth, Texas

Honorable Mention All-Conference

#75 Frank Crum, Offensive Tackle
6-7, 314, Laramie, Wyo.

#28 Easton Gibbs, Linebacker
6-2, 227, Temecula, Calif.

#12 Cameron Stone, Kickoff Returner
5-10, 182, Rosharon, Texas

#6 Xazavian Valladay, Running Back
6-0, 198, Matteson, Ill.

2021 All-America Honors

Walter Camp Football Foundation

Second Team All-American

#48 Chad Muma, Linebacker
6-3, 242, Lone Tree, Colo.

2021 National Award Finalists

Butkus Award

Nation's Best Linebackers

#48 Chad Muma, Linebacker
6-3, 242, Lone Tree, Colo.

2021 National Award Semifinalists

National Football Foundation William V. Campbell

Scholar-Athlete Award

#19 Ayden Eberhardt, Wide Receiver
6-2, 195, Loveland, Colo.

2021 Postseason All-Star Games

Reese's Senior Bowl

#48 Chad Muma, Linebacker
6-3, 242, Lone Tree, Colo.

2021 Mountain West Players of the Week

Defensive Players of the Week

#48 Chad Muma, Linebacker
6-3, 242, Lone Tree, Colo.

For his performance vs. Montana State

#48 Chad Muma, Linebacker
6-3, 242, Lone Tree, Colo.

For his performance vs. Colorado State

Special Teams

Players of the Week

#12 Cameron Stone, Kickoff Returner
5-10, 182, Rosharon, Texas

For his performance vs. Utah State

Freshman of the Week

#27 Ralph Fawaz, Punter
6-1, 195, Cache, Okla.

For his performance vs. Montana State

#27 Ralph Fawaz, Punter
6-1, 195, Cache, Okla.

For his performance vs. San Jose State





WYOMING INVITED TO 2021 FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO BOWL, FOUR BOWL APPEARANCE IN SIX SEASONS

The Wyoming Cowboys will once again be part of the college bowl season as they were invited to the 2021 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl on Sunday, Dec. 5. The game will be played on Tuesday, Dec. 21 at Alberstons Stadium in Boise, Idaho, and is scheduled to kick off at 1:30 p.m., Mountain Time. Wyoming's opponent will be Kent State of the Mid-American Conference.

The Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Matchup

The Cowboys will bring a 6-6 overall record into bowl season. Kent State will bring a 7-6 record into the game.

Wyoming and Kent State will be playing against each other for the first time in history. The two teams did play one common opponent this season in Northern Illinois. The Cowboys defeated NIU in DeKalb, Ill., on Sept. 11 by a score of 50-43. Kent State played Northern Illinois twice, losing a home game to the Huskies, 52-47, in the regular season and losing to them in the MAC Championship Game on Dec. 4 by a score of 41-23 in Detroit.

"We are very excited for another outstanding matchup at this year's Famous Idaho Potato Bowl and we are thrilled to put on a great event in front of fans once again," said **Kevin McDonald**, Executive Director of the Famous Idaho Potato Bowl. "We really enjoyed hosting Coach (Craig) Bohl and Wyoming in 2017 and can't wait to have the Cowboys and their fans back this year. Welcoming a team for the first time is always a unique experience, and we look forward to showing Kent State and their supporters the very best of Boise."

"On behalf of Cowboy Football, we are elated to be invited to play in this year's Famous Idaho Potato Bowl," said Wyoming head coach **Craig Bohl**. "Our team had a great experience in 2017 when we played in Boise. The Famous Idaho Potato Bowl staff and the Boise community do a great job of hosting the game and the events surrounding it. Our coaching staff and players are looking forward to the opportunity of playing together again this season."

"I know our fans remember the great experience they had back in 2017 at the bowl game, and we look forward to seeing them in Boise later this month."

"We know we will be playing a very good football team in Kent State, and we're excited for the challenge."

"We're excited for our players, coaches and fans that we have the opportunity to be playing in a bowl game again this year," said University of Wyoming Athletics Director **Tom Burman**. "We want to thank the Famous Idaho Potato Bowl committee for inviting us back after we enjoyed such a fantastic experience there in 2017."

"This is the fourth time that Coach Bohl and his staff has taken us to a bowl game, and for some of our players this will be the fourth bowl team they have been a part of, so we are happy our players get to cap off their careers in postseason play."

A First in Wyoming History

This year's bowl invitation marks the fourth time in six seasons that Wyoming has earned a bowl bid. That is a first in the 125-year history of Cowboy Football. The previous best for the Wyoming Football program was four bowl game appearances in seven seasons from 1987 to 1993.

A Coaching First

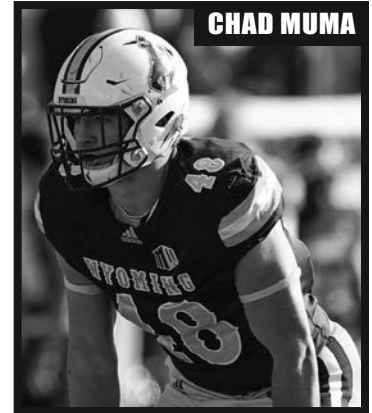
Head coach **Craig Bohl** becomes the first head coach in Wyoming Football history to take four Cowboy teams to bowl games. Bohl was previously tied with UW Athletics Hall of Fame Coach **Paul Roach**, with both coaches having taken three Wyoming teams to bowl games.

Bohl will be seeking his third bowl victory as Wyoming's head coach. He already holds the Wyoming record for bowl wins as a head coach, with two bowl victories in the 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl and the 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl.

Pokes Seeking a Third Consecutive Bowl Win, Making Their 17th Bowl Appearance in School History

UW is seeking its third consecutive bowl victory. The Pokes won the 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl over Central Michigan by a score of 37-14, and captured a 38-17 victory over Georgia State in the 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl.

This year's appearance will be Wyoming's 17th bowl appearance in history. The Cowboys are 8-8 overall in bowl games.



CHAD MUMA

Cowboys Played a Schedule That Included Eight Teams Who Earned Postseason Berths, Wyoming Defeated Two Conference Champions

Wyoming's 12-game regular-season schedule this season featured eight teams who will be participating in postseason play this year and seven teams who will be participating in bowl games.

UW posted a 4-4 record against those eight teams, including wins over: Mountain West Conference Champion Utah State, Mid-American Conference Champion Northern Illinois.

The Cowboys also defeated Ball State of the Mid-American Conference and Montana State, who is the No. 8 seed in this year's FCS National Playoffs.

Seniors Have Been a Part of Great Success

For several University of Wyoming senior football players their time as Cowboys will come to an end in the Famous Idaho Potato Bowl.

The program has enjoyed a great deal of success throughout their careers. Here are some of the accomplishments this year's senior class has been a part of:

- Three eight-win seasons in 2016, '17 and '19
- Earned bowl eligibility in 2016, '17, '18, '19 and '21
- 2016 Mountain Division Champions
- 2016 Hosted Mountain West Championship Game
- 2016 Poinsettia Bowl
- 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Champions
- 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl Champions
- 2021 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
- A 5-1 record against rival Colorado State
- Defeated SEC member Missouri in Laramie in 2019

Wyoming Defensive Highlights

The Cowboys feature one of the top defenses in the country. UW's defense ranks No. 7 in the nation in pass defense (limiting opponents to only 177.5 yards per game), No. 36 out of 130 FBS teams in scoring defense (22.5 points per game) and No. 37 in the nation in total defense (346.6 yards per game).



2021 FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO BOWL



That defense is led by All-America linebacker **Chad Muma** and All-Conference performers **C.J. Coldon** (cornerback), **Garrett Crall** (defensive end), **Easton Gibbs** (linebacker), **Cole Godbout** (nose tackle) and **Azizi Hearn** (cornerback).

Wyoming Offensive Highlights

On offense, Wyoming's rushing attack was once again at the forefront of the Cowboy offense, ranking 29th in the nation (195.1 yards per game).

The offense features All-Conference players: **Xazavian Valladay** and **Titus Swen** both at running back, offensive linemen **Keegan Cryder**, **Logan Harris** and **Frank Crum** and wide receiver **Isaiah Neyor**.

Cowboy kickoff returner **Cameron Stone** also earned All-Conference recognition in 2021.

Chad Muma Named a Walter Camp Football Foundation Second Team All-American, Finalist for the 2021 Butkus Award

The Walter Camp Football Foundation announced its 2021 All-America teams in connection with The Home Depot College Football Awards Show, and Wyoming linebacker **Chad Muma** was named to this year's Walter Camp All-America Second Team. That made him one of only six linebackers nationally named to this year's first or second team and one of only 52 total players in the country named to the two teams.

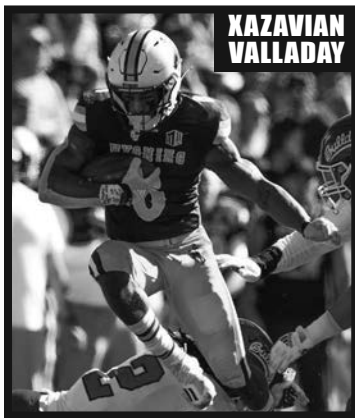
The 132nd edition of the Walter Camp All-America teams were presented by 777 Partners. The Walter Camp All-America team is the oldest All-America team in the nation. The team is selected by all 130 Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) head coaches and 130 sports information directors.

The linebackers selected to this year's Walter Camp All-America teams were: Will Anderson (Alabama), Nakobe Dean (Georgia) and Devin Lloyd (Utah) on the First Team; and Muma (Wyoming), Damone Clark (LSU) and Leo Chenal (Wisconsin) on the Second Team.

Earlier this year, Muma was selected as one of six finalists for the prestigious Butkus Award. The Butkus Award honors the nation's best linebackers in the nation.

Muma is currently ranked No. 2 in the nation in solo tackles (6.7 per game) for the 2021 season and is ranked No. 4 in the nation in total tackles (10.8 per game). He is also tied for No. 2 in the nation in interceptions returned for touchdowns, with two Pick Sixes on the season. He recorded double figures in tackles in 10 of 12 regular-season games in 2021. Muma has recorded 129 tackles this season.

He has also been invited to participate in this year's Reese's Senior Bowl, which will be played Saturday, Feb. 5 in Mobile, Ala.



Xazavian Valladay Becomes Only the Second Cowboy to Exceed 3,000 Career Rushing Yards

Wyoming running back **Xazavian Valladay** became only the second Wyoming Cowboy in history to exceed 3,000 career rushing yards when he passed that milestone on Nov. 12, 2021, at Boise State.

On Nov. 6, 2021, against Colorado State, Valladay rushed for 76 yards to move from fourth place to second place on the Wyoming career rushing list.

He will enter this year's Famous Idaho Potato Bowl with 3,195 career rushing yards. Valladay trails only former Cowboy **Brian Hill**, who rushed for 4,287 yards during his career from 2014-16.

For his career, Valladay rushed for 396 yards as a redshirt freshman, recorded 1,265 rushing yards as a sophomore and had 550 rushing yards in only five games in 2020. This season, he has rushed for 984 yards.

Wyoming's Career Rushing Leaders and 2,000-Yard Rushers

Rk.	Player	Years	Yards
1.	Brian Hill	2014-16	4,287
2.	Xazavian Valladay	2018-Present	3,195
3.	Devin Moore	2005-08	2,963
4.	Ryan Christopherson	1991-94	2,906
5.	Wynel Seldon	2005-08	2,672
6.	Marques Brigham	1995-98	2,605
7.	Shaun Wick	2012-16	2,533
8.	Gerald Abraham	1984-87	2,278
9.	Derek Armah	2000-03	2,190
10.	Kevin Lowe	1981-84	2,188
11.	Walt Goffigan	1980-83	2,167
12.	Alvester Alexander	2009-11	2,127

Valladay Seeking Second 1,000-Yard Rushing Season

Only 11 Cowboys in the 125-year history of Wyoming Football have rushed for 1,000 yards in a single season.

One of those is **Xazavian Valladay**, who ran for 1,265 yards in 2019. He needs only 16 more yards this season to reach the 1,000-yard mark for the second time in his career.

Only **Brian Hill**, **Ryan Christopherson** and **Dabby Dawson** have posted two 1,000-yard seasons in their careers. Valladay could become the fourth.

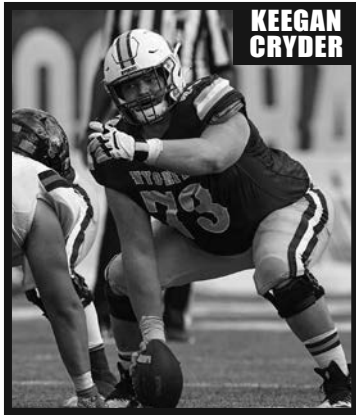
Wyoming's 1000-Yard Rushing Seasons

Players	Season	Rushing Yards
1. Brian Hill	2016	1,860
2. Brian Hill	2015	1,631
3. Ryan Christopherson	1994	1,455
4. Nico Evans	2018	1,325
5. Gerald Abraham	1987	1,305
6. Devin Moore	2008	1,301
7. Xazavian Valladay	2019	1,265
8. Myron Hardeman	1977	1,165
9. Dabby Dawson	1988	1,119
10. Marques Brigham	1998	1,114
11. Jim Crawford	1956	1,104
12. Ryan Christopherson	1993	1,042
13. Dwight Driver	1992	1,027
14. Dabby Dawson	1989	1,005
Xazavian Valladay	2021	984

Titus Swen Rushes for a Career High 169 Yards at Utah State, Records Longest Run From Scrimmage in 125 Years of Wyoming Football History

Wyoming junior running back **Titus Swen** rushed for a personal best 169 yards at Utah State on Nov. 20, 2021. Included in that total was a 98-yard TD run that is the longest run from scrimmage in Wyoming school history. The previous long was 95 yards by former Cowboy running back **Nate Scott** against Central Michigan in 2000. Swen's 169 yards marked the third 100-yard rushing game of his career and second of this season.

Valladay and Swen Form Dynamic Duo



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Wyoming's offense has the luxury this season of having two premier running backs in **Xazavian Valladay** and **Titus Swen**.

Valladay has rushed for 984 yards this season. Swen has ran for 737 yards. Combined, the two have accounted for 1,721 of Wyoming's 2,341 rushing yards or 73.5 percent.

Valladay has four 100-yard rushing games this season, while Swen has two of his own in 2021.

Offensive Line Leads the Way for Wyoming's Outstanding Rushing Attack, Features Eight Players with Starting Experience

Leading the way for Wyoming's successful rushing attack in the past several seasons has been a talented group of offensive linemen. Wyoming has eight O-Linemen with starting experience during their careers.

<u>Returning Offensive Linemen</u>	<u>Career Games Played</u>	<u>Career Games Started</u>
Logan Harris, OG	53	42
Keegan Cryder, C/OG	43	43
Rudy Stofer, OT	38	26
Alonzo Velazquez, OT	33	30
Eric Abojei, OG	33	26
Frank Crum, OT	30	23
Zach Watts, OG	21	8
Latrell Bible, OT	19	7
Career Totals	270	205

2021 Pokes Have Developed Into One of the Top Defenses in the Nation

As you look at Wyoming's defensive rankings this season, the Cowboys have been one of the top defenses not only in the Mountain West Conference but among the 130 FBS teams in the nation.

<u>Team Statistic</u>	<u>MW Rank</u>	<u>NCAA Rank</u>
Pass Defense, 177.5 yards per game	No. 1	No. 7
Defensive Touchdowns Scored, 3 total	No. 3	No. 12
Pass Efficiency Defense, 119.15 rating	No. 3	No. 22
Scoring Defense, 22.5 points per game	No. 5	No. 36
Total Defense, 346.6 yards per game	No. 4	No. 37
Fewest First Downs Allowed, 226 total	No. 6	No. 37

Chad Muma Joins the 100-Tackle Club

Wyoming linebacker **Chad Muma** joined the exclusive group of Wyoming Cowboys in history to record 100 tackles in a single season, when he made 14 tackles at Boise State on Nov. 12, 2021, to push his 2021 season total over 100 total tackles.

There have only been 60 seasons in school history where Wyoming Cowboys have recorded 100 tackles in a single season.

Muma's current total of 129 tackles for the 2021 season ranks No. 11 on the UW single-season list. He has one remaining game remaining the the 2021 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl.

Wyoming Players with 100 Tackles in a Single Season (Dating Back to the 1966 Season When Defensive Stats Began Being Compiled)

<u>Player, Class and Position</u>	<u>Season</u>	<u>Total Tackles</u>
1. Galand Thaxton, Jr., lb,	1986	158
2. John Salley, Sr., fs	1982	143
Galand Thaxton, Sr., lb	1987	143
4. Chris Prosinski, Jr., fs	2009	140
5. Bruce Mowry, Sr., lb	1984	139
6. Jim Talich, Jr., lb	1996	138
7. Brian Brown, Jr., lb	1997	136
8. Al Duyn, Jr., s	1973	134
Jordan Stanton, Jr., lb	2013	134
10. Andrew Wingard, So., fs	2016	131
11. Chad Muma, Sr., lb	2021	129

Defense Shines in 44-17 Win at Utah State, Limiting High-Powered Aggie Offense to 17 Points

One of the keys to Wyoming's 44-17 win over Utah State on Nov. 20 was the way the Cowboy defense limited the powerful Utah State passing attack, that was averaging 315 yards per game, to only 181 yards. Wyoming's defense also held the Aggie offense, which was averaging 33 points per game, to only 17 points.

The Utah State offense was able to complete only 45.2 percent of its passes (19 of 42) for 181 yards and averaged only 4.3 yards per pass attempt and only 9.5 yards per pass completion.

Utah State rushed for only 181 yards and accounted for 362 yards of total offense.

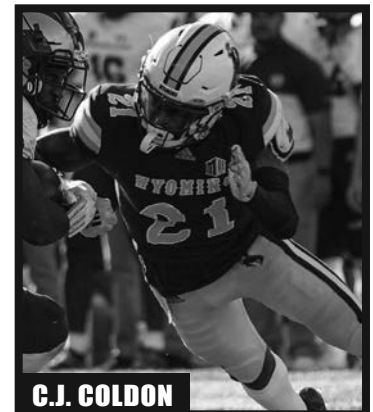
In the second half, the Cowboy defense also shutout the Aggie offense.

UW Rushing Attack Impressive vs. Colorado State

The Wyoming rushing attack was impressive in the Cowboys' 31-17 win over Colorado State on Nov. 6. UW rushed for a season high 385 yards.

Two Cowboys recorded career highs in rushing as running back **Titus Swen** rushed for 166 yards on 21 carries, and quarterback **Levi Williams** ran for 116 yards on 12 carries. It was Swen's second 100-yard game of his career and first of the season. For Williams, it was the first 100-yard rushing game of his career.

Wyoming's leading rusher, **Xazavian Valladay**, added 76 yards on the ground to move him from fourth place on the UW career rushing list to second.



C.J. GALDON



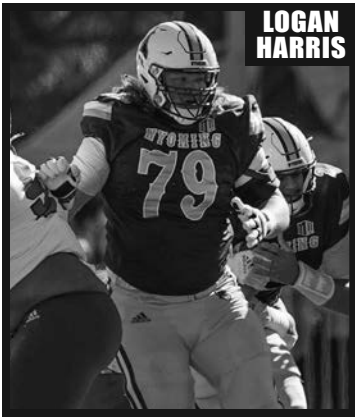
Wyoming Captures 250th Win in War Memorial Stadium History in 2021 Border War

With its 31-17 victory over Colorado State in the 113th Border War on Nov. 6, 2021, Wyoming captured its 250th victory in War Memorial Stadium history.

As of the end of the 2021 regular season, the Cowboys have now played a total of 386 games in War Memorial Stadium and have a record of 250-129-7 for a winning percentage of 65.7 percent.

War Memorial Stadium opened in 1950 and the 2021 season was its 72nd season as home to the Cowboys.

Wide Receiver Isaiah Neyor Emerged as One of the Top Receivers in the Mountain West



LOGAN HARRIS

UW sophomore wide receiver **Isaiah Neyor** is emerging as one of the top receivers in the Mountain West this season. He has caught 11 touchdown passes to rank No. 1 in the Mountain West and No. 11 in the nation. He is also averaging 20.28 yards per reception to rank No. 1 in the MW and No. 8 nationally. Here are Neyor's rankings this season.

Individual Category	MW Rank	NCAA Rank
Yards per Reception, 20.28 yards per catch	No. 1	No. 8
Receiving TDs, 11 total	No. 1	No. 11
Total TDs (Rush and Rec.), 12 total	No. 4	No. 45
Receiving Yards, 791 total receiving yards	No. 8	No. 67
Receiving Yards per Game, 65.9 ypg	No. 8	No. 69
Total Points Scored, 72 total points	No. 11	NA
Scoring, 6.2 points per game	No. 12	NA

Levi Williams Enjoys Career Day in Win at Utah State

Cowboy quarterback **Levi Williams** enjoyed a career best day in UW's 44-17 win at Utah State on Nov. 20.

Williams threw for a career high 242 yards against the Aggies. He also completed a career best 80.0 percent of his passes (12 of 15). Williams three TD passes of 40 and 17 yards with only one interception. He added 22 rushing yards for 264 yards of total offense.

Williams to Make Second Start at Quarterback in a Bowl Game

Levi Williams is scheduled to make his second career start in a bowl game when Wyoming plays in this year's Famous Idaho Potato Bowl.

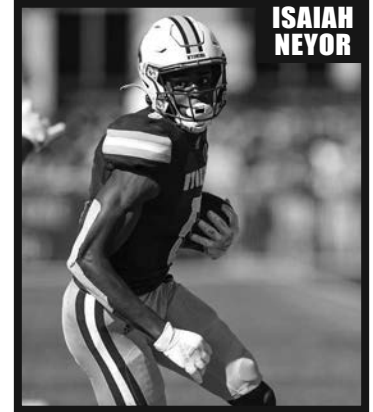
Williams made his first career start in the 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl. In the Arizona Bowl, Williams threw for 234 yards and three touchdowns, while rushing for 53 yards and scoring one rushing touchdown in leading Wyoming to a 38-17 win over Georgia State. Among Williams biggest plays in the game were a 51-yard touchdown pass to wide receiver **Ayden Eberhardt**.

Explosive Cowboys Generate Some of the Biggest Plays in the History of Wyoming Football in 2021

A pair of Wyoming Cowboys generated two of the biggest plays in the 125-year history of Wyoming Football during the 2021 season, and both plays came in the same game.

In Wyoming's 44-17 road win over eventual Mountain West Conference Champion Utah State, Cowboy running back **Titus Swen** broke a 98-yard touchdown run. That was the longest run from scrimmage in school history, breaking the previous record of 95 yards set in 2000 by UW running back **Nate Scott** against Central Michigan.

Cowboy kick returner **Cameron Stone** earned Mountain West Special Teams Player of the Week when he returned a kickoff 99 yards for a TD against Utah State. That return ranks second only to a 100-yard kick return by Wyoming's **Sonny Jones** against Colorado College in 1948.



ISAIAH NEYOR



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69	Eric Abojei	OG	6-5	328	Sr.	3L	New Hope, Minn. (Robbinsdale Cooper)
23	Alphonzo Andrews Jr.	RB	5-10	185	So.	RS	St. Louis, Mo. (Trinity Catholic)
74	Blayne Baker	OT	6-5	305	Jr.	2L	Sheridan, Wyo. (Sheridan)
72	Caden Barnett	OL	6-5	305	Fr.	HS	Justin, Texas (Northwest)
3	Gavin Beerup	QB	6-5	201	RFr.	SQ	Camarillo, Calif. (St. Bonaventure)
96	Jordan Bertagnole	DT	6-4	275	So.	1L	Casper, Wyo. (Natrona County)
58	Latrell Bible	OT	6-4	300	So.	1L	Minneapolis, Minn. (Washburn)
57	Brady Bohlinger	LB	6-2	226	RFr.	SQ	Windsor, Colo. (Windsor)
87	Akili Bonner	DT	6-4	261	So.	RS	Carmichael, Calif. (Jesuit)
52	Jack Boyer	DE	6-4	225	Jr.	1L	Arvada, Colo. (Arvada West)
22	Joseph Braasch	RB	6-1	210	RFr.	SQ	Columbus, Neb. (Columbus)
9	Alex Brown	WR	6-4	190	So.	1L	Spring, Texas (Klein Collins)
23D	Wrook Brown	S	5-11	175	Fr.	HS	Salado, Texas (Salado)
51	Solomon Byrd	DE	6-4	249	Jr.	1L	Palmdale, Calif. (William J.P. Knight)
2	Sean Chambers	QB	6-3	225	Jr.	2L	Kerman, Calif. (Kerman)
24D	Michael Chavez	S	6-0	190	Fr.	HS	Folsom, Calif. (Folsom)
80	Parker Christensen	FB/TE	6-2	229	So.	1L	Sheridan, Wyo. (Sheridan)
12D	Jayden Clemons	QB	6-1	208	Jr.	TR	Lehi, Utah (Utah)
18	Joshua Cobbs	WR	6-4	196	So.	1L	San Antonio, Texas (Wagner)
21	C.J. Coldon	CB	6-1	180	Jr.	3L	Belleville, Ill. (Althoff Catholic)
29D	Caleb Cooley	WR	5-7	170	So.	JC	Chico, Calif. (Butte C.C., Calif.)
30D	Buck Coors	N/LB	5-11	178	RFr.	SQ	Loveland, Colo. (Resurrection Christian)
88	Garrett Crall	DE	6-5	239	Sr.	4L	Hicksville, Ohio (Hicksville)
75	Frank Crum	OT	6-7	314	Jr.	2L	Laramie, Wyo. (Laramie)
73	Keegan Cryder	C/OG	6-4	309	Sr.	3L	Littleton, Colo. (Dakota Ridge)
17D	Tre Dean	CB	5-9	160	Fr.	HS	Sacramento, Calif. (De La Salle)
97	Ethan Drewes	DT	6-3	240	So.	TR	Longmont, Colo. (University of Northern Colorado)
36	Caleb Driskill	FB	6-2	235	RFr.	SQ	Gillette, Wyo. (Thunder Basin)
19	Ayden Eberhardt	WR	6-2	195	Sr.	4L	Loveland, Colo. (Loveland)
31	Wyett Ekeler	SS	5-11	190	RFr.	SQ	Windsor, Colo. (Windsor)
99	Will Evans	DT	6-3	245	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas (C.E. King)
27	Ralph Fawaz	PK/P	6-1	195	RFr.	SQ	Cache, Okla. (Cache)
63	Ben Florentine	DT	6-1	210	Fr.	HS	Anaheim, Calif. (Servite)
5	Esaias Gandy	FS	6-1	198	Sr.	4L	Aurora, Colo. (Denver South)
16	Gunner Gentry	WR	6-3	208	RJr.	3L	Aurora, Colo. (Grandview)
28	Easton Gibbs	LB	6-2	227	So.	1L	Temecula, Calif. (Temecula Valley)
13	Hank Gibbs	QB/Holder	6-5	226	RFr.	1L	Fayetteville, Ark. (Fayetteville)
42	Luke Glassock	PK/P	5-10	189	So.	RS	Buffalo, Wyo. (Buffalo)
6D	Keonte Grinton	N/LB	6-0	179	So.	1L	Bakersfield, Calif. (Bakersfield Christian)
94	Cole Godbout	NT	6-4	274	Jr.	2L	Hudson, Wis. (Hudson)
14D	Tyrese Grant	WR	6-0	180	RFr.	SQ	Daingerfield, Texas (Daingerfield)
84	John Michael Gyllenborg	TE	6-5	225	Fr.	HS	Leawood, Kan. (Rockhurst)
25	Blake Harrington	N/LB	5-11	183	Jr.	1L	Prosper, Texas (Prosper)
93	DeVonne Harris	DE	6-4	223	So.	1L	Big Lake, Minn. (Big Lake)
79	Logan Harris	OG	6-3	310	Sr.	4L	Torrington, Wyo. (Torrington)
71	Carlos Harrison	OT	6-4	281	So.	1L	Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad)
54	Sabastian Harsh	DE	6-3	236	RFr.	SQ	Scottsbluff, Neb. (Scottsbluff)
20	Azizi Hearn	CB	6-1	202	Sr.	2L	Oceanside, Calif. (University of Arizona)
64	Kohl Herbolzheimer	OG	6-3	298	RFr.	SQ	Omaha, Neb. (Millard South)
87D	Chance Hofer	WR	6-0	208	Jr.	SQ	Green River, Wyo. (Green River)
21D	Jeremy Hollingsworth	RB	5-9	205	So.	1L	Longmont, Colo. (Skyline)
98	Ravontae Holt	DT	6-4	278	Sr.	3L	Sacramento, Calif. (Sheldon)
46	John Hoyland	PK/P	5-10	194	So.	1L	Broomfield, Colo. (Legacy)
13D	Zaire Jackson	CB	5-11	181	Fr.	HS	Parker, Colo. (Valor Christian)
24	D.Q. James	RB	5-7	180	Fr.	HS	Lancaster, Texas (Lancaster)
3D	Andrew Johnson	S	6-1	185	Fr.	HS	Cheyenne, Wyo. (Central)
44	Victor Jones	DT/DE	6-4	245	Sr.	2L	Sacramento, Calif. (Inderkum)
49	Teagan Liufau	DE	6-3	250	Jr.	1L	Fort Collins, Colo. (Rocky Mountain)
50	Jack Lookabaugh	OT	6-5	289	So.	RS	Coppell, Texas (Coppell)
60	Marco Machado	C	6-4	312	Jr.	1L	Waco, Neb. (Nebraska Lutheran)
35	Kimball Madsen	FB	6-1	210	Fr.	HS	Mountain View, Wyo. (Mountain View)
82	Jackson Marcotte	TE	6-7	250	Jr.	2L	Mt. Carmel, Ill. (Mt. Carmel)



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20D	Ryan Marquez	WR/Holder	6-1	194	Jr.	1L	Arvada, Colo. (Pomona)
22D	Jovan Marsh	N/LB	5-11	170	Fr.	HS	Robbins, Ill. (Marist)
50D	Tommy McEvoy	LB	6-2	195	Fr.	HS	Clarkson, Neb. (Clarkson-Leigh)
30	Dawaiian McNeely	RB	6-2	190	So.	1L	Ceres, Calif. (Central Catholic)
90	Gavin Meyer	NT	6-4	257	RFr.	1L	Franklin, Wis. (Franklin)
86	Nick Miles	TE	6-5	253	RFr.	SQ	Parker, Colo. (Chaparral)
48	Chad Muma	LB	6-3	242	Sr.	3L	Lone Tree, Colo. (Legend)
2D	Cameron Murray	SS	6-1	180	Jr.	2L	Aurora, Colo. (Overland)
5D	Isaiah Neyor	WR	6-3	210	So.	1L	Fort Worth, Texas (Lamar)
88D	Colin O'Brien	TE	6-6	238	RSo.	SQ	Mission Viejo, Calif. (Saddleback C.C., Calif.)
59	Oluwaseyi Omotosho	DE	6-2	239	RFr.	SQ	Houston, Texas (George Bush)
91	Jaylen Pate	DE	6-3	247	So.	1L	Chicago, Ill. (Lane Tech College Prep)
83	Will Pelissier	WR	6-3	200	RFr.	SQ	Big Horn, Wyo. (Big Horn)
29	Mathew Posas	CB	5-8	165	So.	RS	Madera, Calif. (Madera South)
76	Emmanuel Pregon	OT	6-6	297	RFr.	SQ	Denver, Colo. (Thomas Jefferson)
92	Duncan Radakovich	DT	6-5	252	RFr.	SQ	Cody, Wyo. (Cody)
95	Caleb Robinson	NT	6-2	295	RFr.	1L	Omaha, Neb. (Burke)
17	Jaylen Sargent	WR	6-2	170	Fr.	HS	Logan, Utah (Logan)
68	Mason Schultz	OG	6-4	287	So.	RS	Aurora, Colo. (Grandview)
32	Sam Scott	LB	6-2	215	Fr.	HS	Omaha, Neb. (Skutt Catholic)
53	Connor Shay	LB	6-2	210	RFr.	SQ	Danville, Calif. (Monte Vista)
86D	Braden Siders	DE	6-3	225	RFr.	SQ	Thornton, Colo. (Ralston Valley)
26	Braden Smith	SS	5-10	191	Sr.	4L	Lakewood, Colo. (Lakewood)
25D	Dalys Smith	WR	5-10	180	Fr.	HS	Mansfield, Texas (Lake Ridge)
7	Trey Smith	RB	6-0	213	Gr.	2L	Madison, Miss. (University of Louisville)
39	Clayton Stewart	P	6-1	200	Jr.	TR	Flower Mound, Texas (Texas State University)
62	Rudy Stofer	OT	6-6	308	Sr.	3L	Kearney, Neb. (Kearney)
12	Cameron Stone	CB	5-10	182	So.	1L	Rosharon, Texas (Angleton)
32D	Dalton Strouss	FB	5-8	213	Fr.	HS	San Luis Obispo, Calif. (Mission Prep)
43	Shae Suaunoa	LB	6-3	227	So.	1L	Houston, Texas (Clear Lake)
45	Read Sunn	LB/LS	6-2	232	So.	1L	Arden, N.C. (Christ School)
85	Ryland Swarthout	TE	6-3	225	Fr.	HS	San Clemente, Calif. (San Clemente)
8	Titus Swen	RB	5-11	202	Jr.	1L	Fort Worth, Texas (Eaton)
53D	Mana Taimani	OT	6-5	282	RFr.	SQ	Antioch, Calif. (Clayton Valley Charter)
41	Nic Talich	S	6-0	190	Fr.	HS	Cody, Wyo. (Cody)
19D	Kolbey Taylor	CB	6-2	175	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas (Pasadena Memorial)
77	Nofoafia Tulafono	OG	6-2	338	RFr.	1L	Victorville, Calif. (Oak Hills)
89	JJ Uphold	DT	6-5	240	Fr.	HS	Bakersfield, Calif. (Garces Memorial)
6	Xazavian Valladay	RB	6-0	198	Sr.	3L	Matteson, Ill. (Brother Rice)
47	Brent VanderVeen	LB	6-2	220	RFr.	SQ	Sedro-Woolley, Wash. (Sedro-Woolley)
28D	Jordan Vaughn	RB	6-2	220	Fr.	HS	Manvel, Texas (Manvel)
78	Alonzo Velazquez	OT	6-6	313	Sr.	3L	Janesville, Wis. (Parker)
66	Jack Walsh	OL	6-3	290	Fr.	HS	Palatine, Ill. (Fremd)
37	Brenndan Warady	S	5-11	190	Fr.	HS	Rancho Santa Margarita, Calif. (Mission Viejo)
65	Zach Watts	OG	6-5	302	Jr.	2L	Windsor, Colo. (Windsor)
8D	Rome Weber	SS	5-11	196	Jr.	1L	San Bernardino, Calif. (Cajon)
81	Treyton Welch	TE	6-3	233	Jr.	2L	Buffalo, Minn. (Buffalo)
40	Tyce Westland	DE	6-5	220	Fr.	HS	Pleasanton, Neb. (Pleasanton)
42D	Isaac White	FS	6-1	195	RFr.	SQ	Pottstown, Pa. (Malvern Prep)
11	Wyatt Wieland	WR	6-1	197	Jr.	1L	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Pine Creek)
15	Levi Williams	QB	6-5	224	So.	1L	Canyon Lake, Texas (Smithson Valley)
70	Malik Williams	OT	6-4	274	RFr.	SQ	Hayward, Calif. (Hayward)
14	Miles Williams	FS	6-1	195	Sr.	3L	Oxnard, Calif. (Pacifica)
34	Tommy Wroblewski	LB	6-2	185	Fr.	HS	Saint Paul, Neb. (Saint Paul)
58D	Micah Young	DE	6-2	210	Fr.	HS	San Antonio, Texas (Southside)

Experience Codes

1L	One-Year Letterman
2L	Two-Year Letterman
3L	Three-Year Letterman
HS	High School Player the Previous Season
JC	Junior College Player the Previous Season
RS	Redshirted Previous Season
SQ	Squad Member Previous Season But Didn't Earn Letter
TR	Transfer From Another Four-Year School





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2D	Cameron Murray	SS	6-1	180	Jr.	2L	Aurora, Colo. (Overland)
3	Gavin Beerup	QB	6-5	201	RFr.	HS	Camarillo, Calif. (St. Bonaventure)
3D	Andrew Johnson	S	6-1	185	Fr.	HS	Cheyenne, Wyo. (Central)
5	Esaias Gandy	FS	6-1	198	Sr.	4L	Aurora, Colo. (Denver South)
5D	Isaiah Neyor	WR	6-3	210	So.	1L	Fort Worth, Texas (Lamar)
6	Xazavian Valladay	RB	6-0	198	Sr.	3L	Matteson, Ill. (Brother Rice)
6D	Keonte Ginton	N/LB	6-0	179	So.	1L	Bakersfield, Calif. (Bakersfield Christian)
7	Trey Smith	RB	6-0	213	Gr.	2L	Madison, Miss. (University of Louisville)
8	Titus Swen	RB	5-11	202	Jr.	1L	Fort Worth, Texas (Eaton)
8D	Rome Weber	SS	5-11	196	Jr.	1L	San Bernardino, Calif. (Cajon)
9	Alex Brown	WR	6-4	190	So.	1L	Spring, Texas (Klein Collins)
11	Wyatt Wieland	WR	6-1	197	Jr.	1L	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Pine Creek)
12	Cameron Stone	CB	5-10	182	So.	1L	Rosharon, Texas (Angleton)
12D	Jayden Clemons	QB	6-1	208	Jr.	TR	Lehi, Utah (Utah)
13	Hank Gibbs	QB/Holder	6-5	226	RFr.	1L	Fayetteville, Ark. (Fayetteville)
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14	Miles Williams	FS	6-1	195	Sr.	3L	Oxnard, Calif. (Pacifica)
14D	Tyrese Grant	WR	6-0	180	RFr.	SQ	Daingerfield, Texas (Daingerfield)
15	Levi Williams	QB	6-5	224	So.	1L	Canyon Lake, Texas (Smithson Valley)
16	Gunner Gentry	WR	6-3	208	RJr.	3L	Aurora, Colo. (Grandview)
17	Jaylen Sargent	WR	6-2	170	Fr.	HS	Logan, Utah (Logan)
17D	Tre Dean	CB	5-9	160	Fr.	HS	Sacramento, Calif. (De La Salle)
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19	Ayden Eberhardt	WR	6-2	195	Sr.	4L	Loveland, Colo. (Loveland)
19D	Kolbey Taylor	CB	6-2	175	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas (Pasadena Memorial)
20	Azizi Hearn	CB	6-1	202	Sr.	2L	Oceanside, Calif. (University of Arizona)
20D	Ryan Marquez	WR/Holder	6-1	194	Jr.	1L	Arvada, Colo. (Pomona)
21	C.J. Coldon	CB	6-1	180	Jr.	3L	Belleville, Ill. (Althoff Catholic)
21D	Jeremy Hollingsworth	RB	5-9	205	So.	1L	Longmont, Colo. (Skyline)
22	Joseph Braasch	RB	6-1	210	RFr.	SQ	Columbus, Neb. (Columbus)
22D	Jovan Marsh	N/LB	5-11	170	Fr.	HS	Robbins, Ill. (Marist)
23	Alphonzo Andrews Jr.	RB	5-10	185	So.	RS	St. Louis, Mo. (Trinity Catholic)
23D	Wrook Brown	S	5-11	175	Fr.	HS	Salado, Texas (Salado)
24	D.Q. James	RB	5-7	180	Fr.	HS	Lancaster, Texas (Lancaster)
24D	Michael Chavez	S	6-0	190	Fr.	HS	Folsom, Calif. (Folsom)
25	Blake Harrington	N/LB	5-11	183	Jr.	1L	Prosper, Texas (Prosper)
25D	Dalys Smith	WR	5-10	180	Fr.	HS	Mansfield, Texas (Lake Ridge)
26	Braden Smith	SS	5-10	191	Sr.	4L	Lakewood, Colo. (Lakewood)
27	Ralph Fawaz	PK/P	6-1	195	RFr.	SQ	Cache, Okla. (Cache)
28	Easton Gibbs	LB	6-2	227	So.	1L	Temecula, Calif. (Temecula Valley)
28D	Jordon Vaughn	RB	6-2	220	Fr.	HS	Manvel, Texas (Manvel)
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35	Kimball Madsen	FB	6-1	210	Fr.	HS	Mountain View, Wyo. (Mountain View)
36	Caleb Driskill	FB	6-2	235	RFr.	SQ	Gillette, Wyo. (Thunder Basin)
37	Brenndan Warady	S	5-11	190	Fr.	HS	Rancho Santa Margarita, Calif. (Mission Viejo)
39	Clayton Stewart	P	6-1	200	Jr.	TR	Flower Mound, Texas (Texas State University)
40	Tyce Westland	DE	6-5	220	Fr.	HS	Pleasanton, Neb. (Pleasanton)
41	Nic Talich	S	6-0	190	Fr.	HS	Cody, Wyo. (Cody)
42	Luke Glasscock	PK/P	5-10	189	So.	RS	Buffalo, Wyo. (Buffalo)
42D	Isaac White	FS	6-1	195	RFr.	SQ	Pottstown, Pa. (Malvern Prep)
43	Shae Suiounoa	LB	6-3	227	So.	1L	Houston, Texas (Clear Lake)
44	Victor Jones	DT/DE	6-4	245	Sr.	2L	Sacramento, Calif. (Inderkum)
45	Read Sunn	LB/LS	6-2	232	So.	1L	Arden, N.C. (Christ School)
46	John Hoyland	PK/P	5-10	194	So.	1L	Broomfield, Colo. (Legacy)
47	Brent VanderVeen	LB	6-2	220	RFr.	SQ	Sedro-Woolley, Wash. (Sedro-Woolley)



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2021 Wyoming Numerical Roster (Continued)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Ex.	Hometown (Last School)
48	Chad Muma	LB	6-3	242	Sr.	3L	Lone Tree, Colo. (Legend)
49	Teagan Liufau	DE	6-3	250	Jr.	1L	Fort Collins, Colo. (Rocky Mountain)
50	Jack Lookabaugh	OT	6-5	289	So.	RS	Coppell, Texas (Coppell)
50D	Tommy McEvoy	LB	6-2	195	Fr.	HS	Clarkson, Neb. (Clarkson-Leigh)
51	Solomon Byrd	DE	6-4	249	Jr.	1L	Palmdale, Calif. (William J.P. Knight)
52	Jack Boyer	DE	6-4	225	Jr.	1L	Arvada, Colo. (Arvada West)
53	Connor Shay	LB	6-2	210	RFr.	SQ	Danville, Calif. (Monte Vista)
53D	Mana Taimani	OT	6-5	282	RFr.	SQ	Antioch, Calif. (Clayton Valley Charter)
54	Sabastian Harsh	DE	6-3	236	RFr.	SQ	Scottsbluff, Neb. (Scottsbluff)
57	Brady Bohlinger	LB	6-2	226	RFr.	SQ	Windsor, Colo. (Windsor)
58	Latrell Bible	OT	6-4	300	So.	1L	Minneapolis, Minn. (Washburn)
58D	Micah Young	DE	6-2	210	Fr.	HS	San Antonio, Texas (Southside)
59	Oluwaseyi Omotosho	DE	6-2	239	RFr.	SQ	Houston, Texas (George Bush)
60	Marco Machado	C	6-4	312	Jr.	1L	Waco, Neb. (Nebraska Lutheran)
62	Rudy Stofer	OT	6-6	308	Sr.	3L	Kearney, Neb. (Kearney)
63	Ben Florentine	DT	6-1	210	Fr.	HS	Anaheim, Calif. (Servite)
64	Kohl Herbolzheimer	OG	6-3	298	RFr.	SQ	Omaha, Neb. (Millard South)
65	Zach Watts	OG	6-5	302	Jr.	2L	Windsor, Colo. (Windsor)
66	Jack Walsh	OL	6-3	290	Fr.	HS	Palatine, Ill. (Fremd)
68	Mason Schultz	OG	6-4	287	So.	RS	Aurora, Colo. (Grandview)
69	Eric Abojei	OG	6-5	328	Sr.	3L	New Hope, Minn. (Robbinsdale Cooper)
70	Malik Williams	OT	6-4	274	RFr.	SQ	Hayward, Calif. (Hayward)
71	Carlos Harrison	OT	6-4	281	So.	1L	Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad)
72	Caden Barnett	OL	6-5	305	Fr.	HS	Justin, Texas (Northwest)
73	Keegan Cryder	C/OG	6-4	309	Sr.	3L	Littleton, Colo. (Dakota Ridge)
74	Blayne Baker	OT	6-5	305	Jr.	2L	Sheridan, Wyo. (Sheridan)
75	Frank Crum	OT	6-7	314	Jr.	2L	Laramie, Wyo. (Laramie)
76	Emmanuel Pregnon	OT	6-6	297	RFr.	SQ	Denver, Colo. (Thomas Jefferson)
77	Nofoafia Tulafono	OG	6-2	338	RFr.	1L	Victorville, Calif. (Oak Hills)
78	Alonzo Velazquez	OT	6-6	313	Sr.	3L	Janesville, Wis. (Parker)
79	Logan Harris	OG	6-3	310	Sr.	4L	Torrington, Wyo. (Torrington)
80	Parker Christensen	FB/TE	6-2	229	So.	1L	Sheridan, Wyo. (Sheridan)
81	Treyton Welch	TE	6-3	233	Jr.	2L	Buffalo, Minn. (Buffalo)
82	Jackson Marcotte	TE	6-7	250	Jr.	2L	Mt. Carmel, Ill. (Mt. Carmel)
83	Will Pelissier	WR	6-3	200	RFr.	SQ	Big Horn, Wyo. (Big Horn)
84	John Michael Gyllenborg	TE	6-5	225	Fr.	HS	Leawood, Kan. (Rockhurst)
85	Ryland Swarthout	TE	6-3	225	Fr.	HS	San Clemente, Calif. (San Clemente)
86	Nick Miles	TE	6-5	253	RFr.	SQ	Parker, Colo. (Chaparral)
86D	Braden Siders	DE	6-3	225	RFr.	SQ	Thornton, Colo. (Ralston Valley)
87	Akili Bonner	DT	6-4	261	So.	RS	Carmichael, Calif. (Jesuit)
87D	Chance Hofer	WR	6-0	208	Jr.	SQ	Green River, Wyo. (Green River)
88	Garrett Crall	DE	6-5	239	Sr.	4L	Hicksville, Ohio (Hicksville)
88D	Colin O'Brien	TE	6-6	238	RSO.	SQ	Mission Viejo, Calif. (Saddleback C.C., Calif.)
89	JJ Uphold	DT	6-5	240	Fr.	HS	Bakersfield, Calif. (Garces Memorial)
90	Gavin Meyer	NT	6-4	257	RFr.	1L	Franklin, Wis. (Franklin)
91	Jaylen Pate	DE	6-3	247	So.	1L	Chicago, Ill. (Lane Tech College Prep)
92	Duncan Radakovich	DT	6-5	252	RFr.	SQ	Cody, Wyo. (Cody)
93	DeVonne Harris	DE	6-4	223	So.	1L	Big Lake, Minn. (Big Lake)
94	Cole Godbout	NT	6-4	274	Jr.	2L	Hudson, Wis. (Hudson)
95	Caleb Robinson	NT	6-2	295	RFr.	1L	Omaha, Neb. (Burke)
96	Jordan Bertagnole	DT	6-4	275	So.	1L	Casper, Wyo. (Natrona County)
97	Ethan Drewes	DT	6-3	240	RFr.	TR	Longmont, Colo. (University of Northern Colorado)
98	Ravontae Holt	DT	6-4	278	Sr.	3L	Sacramento, Calif. (Sheldon)
99	Will Evans	DT	6-3	245	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas (C.E. King)

Pronunciation Guide

Player	Pronunciation	Player	Pronunciation
Eric Abojei	uh-BO-jay	Ryan Marquez	MAR-cus
Jordan Bertagnole	burt-uh-NO-lee	Dawaiian McNeely	duh-WHY-un (Rhymes with Hawaiian)
Keegan Cryder	KEE-gun, CRY-dur	Chad Muma	MOO-muh
Ralph Fawaz	fuh-WAZ (WAZ rhymes with Pause)	Isaiah Neyor	NAY-or
Esaias Gandy	ee-ZAY-us	Oluwaseyi Omotosho	o-luh-WASH-aye, o-muh-TOE-sho(All long "Os")
Keonte Glinton	kee-ON-tay	Rudy Stofer	STO-fur (Long "O")
Cole Godbout	GOOD- bo (Bo rhymes with No)	Shae Suiaunoa	SUE-ee-ow-noah (Ow Rhymes with Wow)
Ravontae Holt	ruh-VON-tay	Mana Taimani	MAAH-nuh, tie-MAAH-nee
Teagan Liufau	LEE-o-fow (Fow rhymes with Wow)	Nofoafia Tulafono	nuh-fo-FEE-hu, two-luh-PHONO
Jackson Marcotte	MAR-cott	Xazavian Valladay	x-ZAVE-ee-un
		Wyatt Wieland	WEE-lund

D E F E N S E



CORNERBACKS

- 21 **C.J. Coldon**
6-1, 180, Jr.
Belleville, Ill.
- 12 **Cameron Stone**
5-10, 182, So.
Rosharon, Texas



STRONG SAFETIES

- 8 **Rome Weber**
5-11, 196, Jr.
San Bernardino, Calif.
- 26 **Braden Smith**
5-10, 191, Sr.
Lakewood, Colo.



FREE SAFETIES

- 42 **Isaac White**
6-1, 195, RFr.
Pottstown, Pa.
- 5 **Esaias Gandy**
6-1, 198, Sr.
Aurora, Colo.



CORNERBACKS

- 20 **Azizi Hearn**
6-1, 202, Sr.
Oceanside, Calif.
- 12 **Cameron Stone**
5-10, 182, So.
Rosharon, Texas



NICKELS/SAM

- 6 **Keonte Glinton**
6-0, 179, So.
Bakersfield, Calif.
- 25 **Blake Harrington**
5-11, 183, Jr.
Prosper, Texas



MIDDLE LINEBACKERS

- 48 **Chad Muma**
6-3, 242, Jr.
Lone Tree, Colo.
- 43 **Shae Sujaunoa**
6-3, 227, So.
Houston, Texas



WEAK-SIDE LINEBACKERS

- 28 **Easton Gibbs**
6-2, 227, So.
Temecula, Calif.
- 53 **Connor Shay**
6-2, 210, RFr.
Danville, Calif.



DEFENSIVE ENDS

- 88 **Garrett Crall**
6-5, 239, Sr.
Hicksville, Ohio
- 93 **DeVonne Harris**
6-4, 223, So.
Big Lake, Minn.



NOSE TACKLES

- 94 **Cole Godbout**
6-4, 274, Jr.
Hudson, Wis.
- 90 **Gavin Meyer**
6-4, 257, RFr.
Franklin, Wis.



DEFENSIVE TACKLES

- 96 **Jordan Bertagnole**
6-4, 275, RFr.
Casper, Wyo.
- 95 **Caleb Robinson**
6-2, 295, RFr.
Omaha, Neb.



DEFENSIVE ENDS

- 91 **Jaylen Pate**
6-3, 247, So.
Chicago, Ill.
- 44 **Victor Jones**
6-4, 245, Sr.
Sacramento, Calif.



O F F E N S E



RUNNING BACKS

- 6 **Kazavian Valladay**
6-0, 198, Sr.
Matteson, Ill.
- 8 Titus Swen
5-11, 202, Jr.
Fort Worth, Texas
- 7 Trey Smith
6-0, 213, Gr.
Madison, Miss.



QUARTERBACKS

- 15 **Levi Williams**
6-5, 224, So.
Canyon Lake, Texas
- 2 Sean Chambers
6-3, 225, Jr.
Kerman, Calif.



FULLBACKS

- 80 **Parker Christensen**
6-2, 229, So.
Sheridan, Wyo.
- 36 Caleb Driskill
6-2, 235, RFr.
Gillette, Wyo.



WIDE RECEIVERS

- 18 **Joshua Cobbs**
6-4, 196, So.
San Antonio, Texas
- 83 Will Pelissier
6-3, 200, RFr.
Big Horn, Wyo.



TIGHT ENDS

- 81 **Treyton Welch**
6-3, 233, Jr.
Buffalo, Minn.
- 88 Colin O'Brien
6-6, 238, RSO.
Mission Viejo, Calif.



WIDE RECEIVERS

- 5 **Isaiah Neyor**
6-3, 210, So.
Fort Worth, Texas
- 11 Wyatt Wieland
6-1, 197, Jr.
Colorado Springs, Colo.



LEFT TACKLES

- 62 **Rudy Stofer**
6-6, 308, Sr.
Kearney, Neb.
- 78 Alonzo Velazquez
6-6, 313, Sr.
Janesville, Wis.



LEFT GUARDS

- 69 **Eric Abojei**
6-5, 328, Sr.
New Hope, Minn.
- 65 Zach Watts
6-5, 302, Jr.
Windsor, Colo.



CENTERS

- 73 **Keegan Cryder**
6-4, 309, Sr.
Littleton, Colo.
- 58 Latrell Bible
6-4, 300, So.
Minneapolis, Minn.



RIGHT GUARDS

- 79 **Logan Harris**
6-3, 310, Sr.
Torrington, Wyo.
- 77 Nofoaia Tulafono
6-2, 338, RFr.
Victorville, Calif.



RIGHT TACKLES

- 75 **Frank Crum**
6-7, 314, Jr.
Laramie, Wyo.
- 53 Mana Taimani
6-5, 282, RFr.
Antioch, Calif.





2021 FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO BOWL

By Class

Graduate Transfer (1)

Trey Smith RB

Seniors (15)

Eric Abojei OG
 Garrett Crall DE
 Keegan Cryder C/OG
 Ayden Eberhardt WR
 Esaias Gandy FS
 Logan Harris OG
 Azizi Hearn CB
 Ravontae Holt DT
 Victor Jones DT/DE
 Chad Muma LB
 Braden Smith SS
 Rudy Stofer OT
 Xazavian Valladay RB
 Alonzo Velazquez OT
 Miles Williams FS

Juniors (22)

Blayne Baker OT
 Jack Boyer DE
 Solomon Byrd DE
 Sean Chambers QB
 Jayden Clemons QB
 C.J. Coldon CB
 Frank Crum OT
 Gunner Gentry WR
 Cole Godbout NT
 Blake Harrington N/LB
 Chance Hofer WR
 Teagan Liufau DE
 Marco Machado C
 Jackson Marcotte TE
 Ryan Marquez WR/Holder
 Cameron Murray SS
 Clayton Stewart P
 Titus Swen RB
 Zach Watts OG
 Rome Weber SS
 Treyton Welch TE
 Wyatt Wieland WR

Sophomores (27)

Alphonzo Andrews Jr. RB
 Jordan Bertagnole DT
 Latrell Bible OT
 Akili Bonner DT
 Alex Brown WR
 Parker Christensen FB/TE
 Joshua Cobbs WR
 Caleb Cooley WR
 Ethan Drewes DT
 Easton Gibbs LB
 Luke Glasscock PK/P
 Keonte Ginton N/LB
 DeVonne Harris DE
 Carlos Harrison OT
 Jeremy Hollingsworth RB
 John Hoyland PK/P
 Jack Lookabaugh OT
 Dawaiian McNeely RB
 Isaiah Neyor WR
 Colin O'Brien TE
 Jaylen Pate DE
 Matthew Posas CB
 Mason Schultz OG
 Cameron Stone CB
 Shae Suaunoa LB
 Read Sunn LB/LS
 Levi Williams QB

Redshirt Freshmen (25)

Gavin Beerup QB
 Brady Bohlinger LB
 Joseph Braasch RB
 Buck Coors N/LB
 Caleb Driskill FB
 Wyatt Ekeler SS
 Ralph Fawaz P/PK
 Hank Gibbs QB/Holder
 Tyrese Grant WR
 Sebastian Harsh DE
 Kohl Herbolsheimer OG
 Gavin Meyer NT
 Nick Miles TE
 Oluwaseyi Omosho DE
 Will Pelissier WR
 Emmanuel Pregon OT
 Duncan Radakovich DT
 Caleb Robinson NT
 Connor Shay LB
 Braden Siders DE
 Mana Taimani OT
 Nofoafia Tulafono OG
 Brent VanderVeen LB
 Isaac White FS
 Malik Williams OT

Freshmen (27)

Caden Barnett OL
 Wrook Brown S
 Michael Chavez S
 Tre Dean CB
 Will Evans DT
 Ben Florentine DT
 John Michael Gyllenborg TE
 Zaire Jackson CB
 D.Q. James RB
 Andrew Johnson S
 Kimball Madsen FB
 Jovan Marsh N/LB
 Tommy McEvoy LB
 Jaylen Sargent WR
 Sam Scott LB
 Dalys Smith WR
 Dalton Strouss FB
 Ryland Swarthout TE
 Nic Talich S
 Kolbey Taylor CB
 JJ Uphold DT
 Jordon Vaughn RB
 Jack Walsh OL
 Brennan Warady S
 Tyce Westland DE
 Tommy Wroblewski LB
 Micah Young DE

By State/Country

Arkansas (1)

Hank Gibbs QB/Holder

California (27)

Gavin Beerup QB
 Akili Bonner DT
 Solomon Byrd DE
 Sean Chambers QB
 Michael Chavez S
 Caleb Cooley WR
 Tre Dean CB
 Ben Florentine DT
 Easton Gibbs LB
 Keonte Ginton N/LB
 Carlos Harrison OT
 Azizi Hearn CB
 Ravontae Holt DT
 Victor Jones DT/DE
 Dawaiian McNeely RB
 Colin O'Brien TE
 Matthew Posas CB
 Connor Shay LB
 Dalton Strouss FB
 Ryland Swarthout TE
 Mana Taimani OT
 Nofoafia Tulafono OG
 JJ Uphold DT
 Brennan Warady S
 Rome Weber SS
 Malik Williams OT
 Miles Williams FS

Colorado (23)

Brady Bohlinger LB
 Jack Boyer DE
 Buck Coors N/LB
 Keegan Cryder C/OG
 Ethan Drewes DT
 Ayden Eberhardt WR
 Wyatt Ekeler SS
 Esaias Gandy FS
 Gunner Gentry WR
 Jeremy Hollingsworth RB
 John Hoyland PK/P
 Zaire Jackson CB
 Teagan Liufau DE
 Ryan Marquez WR/Holder
 Nick Miles TE
 Chad Muma LB
 Cameron Murray SS
 Emmanuel Pregon OT
 Mason Schultz OG
 Braden Siders DE
 Braden Smith SS
 Zach Watts OG
 Wyatt Wieland WR

Illinois (6)

C.J. Coldon CB
 Jackson Marcotte TE
 Jovan Marsh N/LB
 Jaylen Pate DE
 Xazavian Valladay RB
 Jack Walsh OL

Kansas (1)

John Michael Gyllenborg TE

Minnesota (4)

Eric Abojei OG
 Latrell Bible OT
 DeVonne Harris DE
 Treyton Welch TE

Mississippi (1)

Trey Smith RB

Missouri (1)

Alphonzo Andrews Jr. RB

Nebraska (10)

Joseph Braasch RB
 Sebastian Harsh DE
 Kohl Herbolsheimer OG
 Marco Machado C
 Tommy McEvoy LB
 Caleb Robinson NT
 Sam Scott LB
 Rudy Stofer OT
 Tyce Westland DE
 Tommy Wroblewski LB

North Carolina (1)

Read Sunn LB/LS

Ohio (1)

Garrett Crall DE

Oklahoma (1)

Ralph Fawaz P/PK

Pennsylvania (1)

Isaac White FS

Texas (20)

Caden Barnett OL
 Alex Brown WR
 Wrook Brown S
 Joshua Cobbs WR
 Will Evans DT
 Tyrese Grant WR
 Blake Harrington N/LB
 D.Q. James RB
 Jack Lookabaugh OT
 Isaiah Neyor WR
 Oluwaseyi Omosho DE
 Dalys Smith WR
 Clayton Stewart P
 Cameron Stone CB
 Shae Suaunoa LB
 Titus Swen RB
 Kolbey Taylor CB
 Jordon Vaughn RB
 Levi Williams QB
 Micah Young DE

Utah (2)

Jayden Clemons QB

Jaylen Sargent WR

Washington (1)

Brent VanderVeen LB

Wisconsin (3)

Cole Godbout NT

Gavin Meyer NT

Alonzo Velazquez OT

Wyoming (13)

Blayne Baker OG
 Jordan Bertagnole DT
 Parker Christensen FB/TE
 Frank Crum OT
 Caleb Driskill FB
 Luke Glasscock PK/P
 Logan Harris OG
 Chance Hofer WR
 Andrew Johnson S
 Kimball Madsen FB
 Will Pelissier WR
 Duncan Radakovich DT
 Nic Talich S





Wyoming Coaching Staff Head Coach, Offensive and Defensive Coordinators



Craig Bohl
Head Coach

Years at Wyoming: 8th
Alma Mater: Nebraska '82



Tim Polasek
Offensive Coordinator/
Quarterbacks

Years at Wyoming: 1st
Alma Mater: Concordia (Wis.) '02



Jay Sawvel
Defensive Coordinator/
Safeties

Years at Wyoming: 2nd
Alma Mater: Mount Union '93

Assistant Coaches



Aaron Bohl
Linebackers

Years at Wyoming: 5th
Alma Mater: MSU Moorhead (Minn.) '16



Benny Boyd
Co-Special Teams Coordinator/
Cornerbacks

Years at Wyoming: 2nd
Alma Mater: Aurora (Ill.) '00



Marty English
Defensive Ends

Years at Wyoming: 11th
Alma Mater: N. Colorado '86



Derek Frazier
Offensive Line

Years at Wyoming: 1st
Alma Mater: N. Colorado '97



Mike Grant
Offensive Pass-Game Coordinator/
Wide Receivers

Years at Wyoming: 6th
Alma Mater: Nebraska '93



Gordie Haug
Director of Player Personnel/
Running Backs

Years at Wyoming: 8th
Alma Mater: Bemidji State (Minn.) '09



Pete Kaligis
Defensive Run-Game Coordinator/
Defensive Tackles/Nose Tackles

Years at Wyoming: 13th
Alma Mater: Washington '94



Shannon Moore
Co-Special Teams Coordinator
Tight Ends/Fullbacks

Years at Wyoming: 3rd
Alma Mater: Black Hills St. '00



COWBOY COACHES

CRAIG BOHL

(Nebraska '82)

Head Coach, University of Wyoming

Craig Bohl is completing his eighth season leading the University of Wyoming Football program in 2021 and his 19th season as a head coach at the collegiate level. The success that Cowboy Football has enjoyed and the excitement generated around the program under Bohl's direction is just what UW Athletics Director Tom Burman had hoped for when he hired Bohl on Dec. 8, 2013.

When Bohl was hired as head football coach at Wyoming, he was open in saying that he wanted to bring Cowboy Football back to a place of national prominence.

In terms of success, the Cowboys have become regular contenders in the race for the Mountain West Conference title. UW won eight games in 2016, '17 and '19, hosted the 2016 Mountain West Championship Game, earned four bowl bids in six years and won the 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl and 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl. In addition, the Cowboys earned bowl eligibility a fifth time in 2018. Wyoming's four bowl bids over a six-year period is the first time in the 125 years of Cowboy Football that has been accomplished. The previous best was four bowl game appearances in seven years from 1987-93. Following the 2019 season, Wyoming had two players, linebackers Logan Wilson and Cassh Maluia, selected in the NFL Draft. That marked the fourth consecutive year that Wyoming had at least one player selected in the NFL Draft and the fifth year out of the first seven years of Bohl's tenure at Wyoming that UW had a player drafted.

The excitement surrounding Wyoming Football included the extensive coverage of former Cowboy quarterback Josh Allen, who was selected as the No. 7 overall pick in the 2018 NFL Draft by the Buffalo Bills. That marked the highest selection by a Wyoming Cowboy in the history of the program and was the second highest selection by a Mountain West player since Utah's Alex Smith was selected No. 1 in 2005. Leading up to Allen being drafted, Wyoming's Pro Day was covered live by both ESPN and the NFL Network. At the conclusion of the 2017 football season and the 2018 NFL Draft, media coverage of Wyoming Football for the past year was estimated by Joyce Julius & Associates at over \$159 million.

Cowboy linebacker Logan Wilson was one of six national finalists for the 2019 Butkus Award, honoring the nation's top collegiate linebacker. Wilson earned multiple All-America honors, including being named a First Team All-American by Pro Football Focus. In 2018, Wyoming had two finalists for national awards for the first time in program history. Place-kicker Cooper Rothe was one of three national finalists for the Lou Groza Collegiate Place-Kicker Award, that honors the nation's top collegiate place-kicker each year. Free safety Marcus Epps was one of only three national finalists for the Bursworth Trophy, which is awarded to the most outstanding football player in America who began his career as a walk-on. Epps went on to be drafted by the Minnesota Vikings in the sixth round of the 2019 NFL Draft. During Bohl's tenure as Wyoming's head coach, he has had a freshman earn Freshman All-America honors from the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA) five times. The most recent Cowboy freshman to receive the honor was place-kicker John Hoyland in 2020. The other four Pokes coached by Bohl to be named Freshman All-Americans by the FWAA were: safety Andrew Wingard (2015), linebacker Logan Wilson (2016), center Keegan Cryder (2018) and defensive end Solomon Byrd (2019).

In the COVID-shortened season of 2020, Wyoming's defense ranked among the Top 30 teams in the nation in 10 defensive categories, including ranking: No. 16 in total defense, No. 21 in rushing defense, No. 24 in scoring defense and No. 29 in pass defense. Wyoming's 2020 offense ranked No. 7 in the NCAA in passing yards per completion, No. 14 in rushing offense and No. 24 in fewest turnovers committed.

The Cowboy defense ranked No. 11 in the nation in scoring defense and No. 11 in rushing defense in 2019. Wyoming's defense also was No. 6 in the country in red-zone defense and scored three defensive touchdowns to rank No. 12 in the FBS. The UW offense ranked No. 10 in the nation in passing yards per completion, was No. 23 in the country in rushing offense and No. 32 in third-down conversions. That combination of offensive and defensive balance led to an 8-5 record and a victory in the NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl.

Wyoming was also one of the best defensive teams in the nation in 2018. The Cowboys ranked No. 19 in the nation in total defense, No. 25 in rushing defense, No. 28 in scoring defense and No. 32 in pass defense on way to a 6-6 record to earn bowl eligibility for the third straight season.

The 2017 season saw the Cowboys post an 8-5 record and finish second in the MW Mountain Division. The Pokes were led by their defense in 2017, ranking No. 1 in the nation in forcing turnovers (38) and leading the Mountain West and ranking No. 9 in the nation in scoring defense, allowing opponents only 17.5 points per game. Wyoming's defense also ranked No. 1 in fumbles recovered (18), No. 2 in interceptions (20), No. 8 in defensive touchdowns scored, 13th in the NCAA in pass defense, and 23rd in total defense. UW captured the Famous Idaho Potato Bowl in a convincing 37-14 win over Central Michigan.

In 2016, Bohl's team defeated two Top 25 ranked opponents, was named the National Team of the Week by the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA) for one of those wins and received votes itself in the national polls. Wyoming also captured the Mountain Division title of the Mountain West Conference, earned the right to host the 2016 MW Football Championship Game as the highest ranked team in the conference and was invited to the San Diego County Credit Union Poinsettia Bowl. His Cowboys ended the year with an 8-6 record and featured one of the NCAA's top scoring offenses, averaging 35.9 points per game to rank No. 25 in the nation. Bohl was recognized for his turnaround of Cowboy Football by being named the 2016 Mountain West Conference Coach of the Year in voting by conference head coaches and media.

Two Cowboys earned All-America honors in 2016 in running back Brian Hill and center Chase Roullier. Linebacker Logan Wilson earned Freshman All-America honors in 2016, joining Andrew Wingard, who earned Freshman All-America honors a year earlier.

Bohl, who was part of building National Championship teams at North Dakota State and Nebraska, was introduced by University of Wyoming Athletics Director Tom Burman as the new head football coach of the Wyoming Cowboys on Sunday, Dec. 8, 2013. Bohl became the 32nd head football coach in University of Wyoming history.



Craig Bohl and FOX Sports announcer Troy Aikman talk during Wyoming's NFL Pro Day.

He came to Wyoming after building a national power at North Dakota State as a head coach for 11 seasons from 2003-13. His teams won three consecutive National Championships at the NCAA Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) level in 2011, '12 and '13. NDSU became only the second FCS school in NCAA history to win three consecutive national football titles, tied the FCS record for consecutive wins (24 from 2011-13) and became the first undefeated FCS National Champion since 1996.

"Rarely do you get an opportunity to hire a head coach who has won multiple National Championships and has a reputation as a program builder," said Burman.

"I am absolutely confident we hired one of the best football coaches in the country. All you have to do is look at Craig's record."

"I understand the awesome responsibility to lead this football team," said Bohl. "I also understand how important football is in the fabric of this institution and not only this institution but around the state. Whether you're in Sheridan, Casper or Thermopolis, this is the state team, and I embrace that."

"I'm looking forward to getting to know the people of our great state of Wyoming. It will be an exciting time for us. We understand that the bar is high. I also appreciate the vision that Tom (Burman) has, and I want to thank him for having faith in me to lead this football program. He was able to articulate to me where our football program needs to go and the resources that are going to be provided to allow us to experience success."

"I can't tell you how excited I am to embrace the Cowboy tradition."

Not only did Bohl win three national titles at the FCS level, but he was the linebackers coach at his alma mater, Nebraska, when the Huskers won the 1995 and 1997 National Championships.

Bohl currently serves on the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) Board of Trustees, having been elected by a vote of the membership at the 2012 AFCA national convention. As of the 2021 AFCA Convention, Bohl was serving as First Vice President of the organization. He was also appointed to the 13-member NCAA Division I Football Competition Committee in January of 2017 and currently serves on the NCAA Division I Football Oversight Committee.

Bohl concluded his career as head coach of the NDSU Bison, with a 104-32 (.765) record. He guided the Bison to the FCS Playoffs each of his final four seasons, posting a 14-1 record in the FCS Playoffs. His last three teams posted records of 14-1 (2011), 14-1 (2012) and 15-0 (2013) for a combined record of 43-2 (.956) on way to their three consecutive FCS national titles.

By winning the 2013 FCS National Championship, North Dakota State extended its winning streak to 24 consecutive games, which tied both the NDSU and FCS records for consecutive victories. The Bison teams from 1964-66 originally set the school record with 24 straight victories. The University of Pennsylvania set the FCS record of 24 consecutive wins from 1992-95. That record was later tied by Montana from 2001-02.

The 2013 NDSU team also set a North Dakota State single-season record for wins, posting a perfect 15-0 record. The Bison



ESPN's Todd McShay and Mark Schwarz with Coach Bohl at Wyoming's NFL Pro Day

became the first undefeated FCS National Champion since Marshall went 15-0 to win the 1996 FCS title.

The Bison had great success against FBS teams to go with their elite status at the FCS level. In each of his last four seasons at NDSU, Bohl's Bison defeated all four of the FBS teams they faced, and captured all of those wins on the road. NDSU won at Kansas in 2010 (by a score of 6-3), at Minnesota in 2011 (37-24), at Colorado State in 2012 (22-7), and at Kansas State in 2013 (24-21). Overall during his 11 years at North Dakota State, Bohl's teams built a 7-3 record against FBS teams.

In 2012 and '13, Bohl received both The Sports Network Eddie Robinson FCS National Coach of the Year Award and the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) FCS National Coach of the Year Award. He became the first coach in the first 27 years of the Eddie Robinson Award to win it in consecutive seasons. In 2013, he also received the Liberty Mutual FCS Coach of the Year Award, which is presented in partnership with the National Football Foundation and College Football Hall of Fame. His other National Coach of the Year honor came in 2006, when he was recognized by the Football Gazette as the FCS National Coach of the Year and the Northwest Region Coach of the Year.

He was a finalist for The Sports Network Eddie Robinson Award in 2011, 2007 and 2006, and was the 2011 and 2013 AFCA Region 4 FCS Coach of the Year.

His North Dakota State teams were built on an exciting West Coast offense and a physical, aggressive defense. In the 2013 season, North Dakota State's offense ranked No. 7 in the nation in rushing offense (257.3 yards per game), No. 10 in scoring offense (38.7 points per game) and No. 14 in total offense (457.5 ypg). The Bison defense ranked No. 1 in the nation in scoring defense (11.3 points allowed per game), No. 2 in the nation in pass defense efficiency (97.59 rating), No. 3 in rushing defense (91.3 yards allowed per game) and was No. 3 in total defense (255.9 yards allowed per game). The Bison led all FCS teams in scoring defense three consecutive seasons (2011-13).

In addition to his 18 years of experience as a head coach, Bohl has 19 years of experience as a full-time assistant coach at the collegiate level and three seasons as a graduate assistant. His last eight years as an assistant coach were spent at Nebraska. He was the linebackers coach under head coach Tom Osborne for five of those seasons and was part of the 1995 and '97 Nebraska National Championship teams. Bohl's final three seasons (2000-02) at Nebraska, he served as the Cornhuskers' defensive coordinator under head coach Frank Solich, before accepting the head-coaching job at North Dakota State in 2003. Bohl was part of 11 bowl-game appearances while at Nebraska -- eight as an assistant coach from 1995 to 2002 and three as a graduate assistant coach for the Huskers from 1981-83.

As the defensive coordinator and linebackers coach at Duke in 1994, he helped coach the Blue Devils to the Hall of Fame Bowl in his only season at Duke.

Bohl's North Dakota State teams were ranked in The Sports Network or FCS Coaches Top 25 polls for 107 weeks since beginning FCS play in 2004, and earned the No. 1 ranking in both the final 2011, 2012 and 2013 polls, including being named a unanimous No. 1 following the 2013 campaign. The Bison's record versus FCS Top 25 ranked teams under Bohl's direction was 30-8.

From 2004-2007, Bohl helped lead North Dakota State through its transition to the NCAA FCS level. During that transition period, his teams posted back-to-back 10-1 seasons in 2006 and 2007, but weren't eligible for postseason play due to NCAA rules regarding teams moving up a division.

During his time in Fargo, N.D., Bohl coached 10 Academic All-Americans and 37 All-Americans, while six student-athletes in the last 10 years were named to the Allstate/AFCA Good Works team. He added a seventh Allstate/AFCA Good Works team member in 2014 at Wyoming, when senior wide receiver Dominic Rufran earned that honor.

Bohl grew up in Lincoln, Neb., and went on to attend the University of Nebraska where he was a reserve defensive back

from 1977 to 1979 under head coach Tom Osborne. Bohl was part of Nebraska's 1979 Orange Bowl and 1980 Cotton Bowl teams.

He began his coaching career as a graduate assistant at his alma mater in 1981, assisting with the Nebraska linebackers and defensive backs for three seasons from 1981-83. His first full-time coaching position came at North Dakota State in 1984, coaching the defensive backs. He moved on to coach the linebackers at the University of Tulsa for the 1985 and '86 seasons. In 1987 and '88, Bohl was the linebackers coach at the University of Wisconsin. He earned his first defensive coordinator position in 1989 at Rice, where he served as the defensive coordinator for five seasons from 1989-93. In 1994, Bohl accepted the defensive coordinator position at Duke. The following season in 1995, he had the opportunity to return to Nebraska as the linebackers coach, and in his first season back in Lincoln the Huskers won the National Championship. Two seasons later, they captured their second National Championship during Bohl's time as an assistant coach.

The 2021 season will be Bohl's 41st year coaching at the college level. Born July 27, 1958, Bohl will be 63 years old when the 2021 season kicks off. He earned his bachelor's degree in business administration from Nebraska in 1982. Bohl's family includes wife Leia, and children Mallory and Morgan, Aaron and Elijah.



Craig Bohl pictured with the Eddie Robinson Coach of the Year trophy. Bohl became the first coach in the first 27 years of the award to win it in consecutive seasons (2012 and 2013).

Craig Bohl's Career Coaching Honors

- 2021** First Vice President of the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) and member of the Board of Trustees
Member of the NCAA Division I Football Oversight Committee
- 2017** Appointed to the NCAA Division I Football Competition Committee
- 2016** Mountain West Conference Coach of the Year
- 2013** The Sports Network Eddie Robinson FCS National Coach of the Year
American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) FCS National Coach of the Year
Liberty Mutual, National Football Foundation and College Football Hall of Fame FCS National Coach of the Year
AFCA Region 4 Division I FCS Coach of the Year
Missouri Valley Football Conference Bruce Craddock Coach of the Year
- 2012** The Sports Network Eddie Robinson FCS National Coach of the Year
The American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) FCS National Coach of the Year
Elected to the AFCA Board of Trustees
Missouri Valley Football Conference Bruce Craddock Coach of the Year
- 2011** Finalist for The Sports Network Eddie Robinson FCS National Coach of the Year
AFCA Region 4 Division I FCS Coach of the Year
Missouri Valley Football Conference Bruce Craddock Coach of the Year
- 2007** Finalist for The Sports Network Eddie Robinson FCS National Coach of the Year
- 2006** Football Gazette FCS National Coach of the Year
Football Gazette FCS Northwest Region Coach of the Year
Finalist for The Sports Network Eddie Robinson FCS National Coach of the Year
Great West Football Conference Coach of the Year



COWBOY COACHES

Craig Bohl's Career Coaching History

College Head-Coaching Record

Season	School	Overall Record			Conference Record			Conference Finish	Postseason Appearance
		W	L	%	W	L	%		
2021	Wyoming	6	6	.500	2	6	.250	4th in Mountain Div.	Idaho Potato Bowl
2020	Wyoming	2	4	.333	2	4	.333	9th in Mountain West	
2019	Wyoming	8	5	.615	4	4	.500	4th in MW Mtn. Div.	Arizona Bowl Champions
2018	Wyoming	6	6	.500	4	4	.500	3rd in MW Mtn. Div.	
2017	Wyoming	8	5	.615	5	3	.625	2nd in MW Mtn. Div.	Idaho Potato Bowl Champions
2016	Wyoming	8	6	.571	6	2	.750	1st in MW Mtn. Div.	MW Championship Game/Poinsettia Bowl
2015	Wyoming	2	10	.167	2	6	.250	6th in MW Mtn. Div.	
2014	Wyoming	4	8	.333	2	6	.250	T5th in MW Mtn. Div.	
2013	North Dakota State	15	0	1.000	8	0	1.000	1st in MVFC	FCS National Champions
2012	North Dakota State	14	1	.933	7	1	.875	1st in MVFC	FCS National Champions
2011	North Dakota State	14	1	.933	7	1	.875	Tie 1st in MVFC	FCS National Champions
2010	North Dakota State	9	5	.643	4	4	.500	Tie 3rd in MVFC	FCS Quarterfinals
2009	North Dakota State	3	8	.273	2	6	.250	6th in MVFC	
2008	North Dakota State	6	5	.545	4	4	.500	Tie 4th in MVFC	
2007	North Dakota State	10	1	.909	3	1	.750	2nd in GWFC	Reclassifying to FCS
2006	North Dakota State	10	1	.909	4	0	1.000	1st in GWFC	Reclassifying to FCS
2005	North Dakota State	7	4	.636	3	2	.600	3rd in GWFC	Reclassifying to FCS
2004	North Dakota State	8	3	.727	2	3	.400	3rd in GWFC	Reclassifying to FCS
2003	North Dakota State	8	3	.727	5	2	.714	2nd in NCC	
Record as Head Coach (18 years)		148	82	.644	76	59	.563	5 Titles	3 National Titles

College Assistant-Coaching Record

Season	School	Overall Record				Conference Record			Conference Finish	Postseason Appearance
		W	L	T	%	W	L	%		
2002	Nebraska (Def. Coord./LB)	7	7	0	.500	3	5	.375	4th Big 12 North	Independence Bowl
2001	Nebraska (Def. Coord./LB)	11	2	0	.846	7	1	.875	Tie 1st Big 12 North	BCS Runnerup Rose Bowl
2000	Nebraska (Def. Coord./LB)	10	2	0	.833	6	2	.750	2nd Big 12 North	Alamo Bowl Champions
1999	Nebraska (Linebackers)	12	1	0	.923	7	1	.875	Big 12 Champs	Fiesta Bowl Champions
1998	Nebraska (Linebackers)	9	4	0	.692	5	3	.625	2nd Big 12 North	Holiday Bowl
1997	Nebraska (Linebackers)	13	0	0	1.000	8	0	1.000	Big 12 Champs	National Champs / Orange
1996	Nebraska (Linebackers)	11	2	0	.846	8	0	1.000	Big 12 Runner-up	Orange Bowl Champions
1995	Nebraska (Linebackers)	12	0	0	1.000	7	0	1.000	Big Eight Champs	National Champs / Fiesta
1994	Duke (Def. Coord./LB)	8	4	0	.667	5	3	.625	Tie 3rd ACC	Hall of Fame Bowl
1993	Rice (Defensive Coord.)	6	5	0	.545	3	4	.429	Tie 4th SWC	
1992	Rice (Defensive Coord.)	6	5	0	.545	4	3	.571	Tie 2nd SWC	
1991	Rice (Defensive Coord.)	4	7	0	.364	2	6	.250	8th SWC	
1990	Rice (Defensive Coord.)	5	6	0	.455	3	5	.375	Tie 4th SWC	
1989	Rice (Defensive Coord.)	2	8	1	.227	2	6	.250	Tie 6th SWC	
1988	Wisconsin (Linebackers)	1	10	0	.091	1	7	.125	Tie 9th Big 10	
1987	Wisconsin (Linebackers)	3	8	0	.273	1	7	.125	10th Big 10	
1986	Tulsa (Linebackers)	7	4	0	.636	0	0	----	Independent	
1985	Tulsa (Linebackers)	6	5	0	.545	5	0	1.000	1st MVC	
1984	North Dakota State (DB)	11	2	0	.846	8	1	.889	1st NCC	National Runner-up
1983	Nebraska (Grad Assistant)	12	1	0	.923	7	0	1.000	1st Big 8	Orange Bowl
1982	Nebraska (Grad Assistant)	12	1	0	.923	7	0	1.000	1st Big 8	Orange Bowl Champions
1981	Nebraska (Grad Assistant)	9	3	0	.750	7	0	1.000	1st Big 8	Orange Bowl
Record as Assistant Coach (22 years)		177	87	1	.670	106	54	.663		2 National Titles

Overall Record as a Head Coach

148-82 (.644), 19 seasons

Overall Record as a College Assistant Coach

177-87-1 (.670) in 22 seasons



The Wyoming Cowboys receive the 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Trophy.

All-Americans Coached by Craig Bohl As Head Coach at Wyoming and North Dakota State

2021	Chad Muma, LB	Second Team All-American, Walter Camp Football Foundation
2020	John Hoyland, PK	First Team Freshman All-American, Football Writers Association of America
2019	Logan Wilson, LB Solomon Byrd, DE	First Team All-American, Pro Football Focus; Second Team All-American, USA Today; Third Team All-American AP First Team Freshman All-American, Football Writers Association of America
2018	Keegan Cryder, C	First Team Freshman All-American, Football Writers Association of America
2016	Brian Hill, RB Chase Roullier, C Logan Wilson, LB	Third Team All-American, College Sports Madness Second Team All-American, USA Today First Team Freshman All-American, Football Writers Association of America and USA Today
2015	Andrew Wingard, FS	First Team Freshman All-American, Football Writers Association of America
2013	Billy Turner, OT Marcus Williams, CB Andrew Grothmann, FB Ryan Drevlow, NT Colten Heagle, S Brock Jensen, QB Grant Olson, LB	Consensus Consensus First Team, The Sports Network Second Team, Associated Press Third Team, The Sports Network Third Team, Associated Press Third Team, Associated Press
2012	Billy Turner, OT Marcus Williams, CB	Consensus Consensus, MVFC Defensive Player of the Year
2011	Marcus Williams, CB Paul Cornick, OT	Consensus Consensus
2010	John Prevlitz, P Matthew Gratzek, DT	First Team, The Sports Network Third Team, Phil Steele
2009	Pat Paschall, RB Keith Buckman, OG	Consensus Honorable Mention, College Sporting News
2008	Nick Schommer, FS Zach Harrington, C	Second Team, College Sporting News Honorable Mention, The Sports Network
2007	Joe Mays, LB Nate Safe, OT Mike Dragosavich, P Tyler Roehl, RB Keith Buckman, OT Shamen Washington, RS Jeremiah Wurzbacher, TE	First Team, Walter Camp, Great West Conference Defensive Player of the Year, Finalist for Buck Buchanan Award First Team, Walter Camp Second Team, College Sporting News Second Team, Associated Press, The Sports Network, Dopke.com, College Sporting News Honorable Mention, The Sports Network Honorable Mention, The Sports Network Honorable Mention, The Sports Network
2006	Jake Erickson, OG Nate Safe, OT Mike Dragosavich, P Justin Frick, DT Craig Dahl, SS Kyle Steffes, HB	First Team, Football Gazette First Team, Dopke.com College Sports Report Second Team, The Sports Network, Football Gazette Second Team, Football Gazette, Dopke.com, College Sporting News Honorable Mention, Football Gazette Honorable Mention, Football Gazette
2005	Mike Dragosavich, P Justin Frick, DT Tim Popowski, OT AJ Cooper, TE	First Team, Dopke.com College Sports Report Second Team, Football Gazette Third Team, Football Gazette Honorable Mention, Football Gazette
2004	Rob Hunt, C Tim Popowski, OT	First Team, Football Gazette, NCAA IAA Dave Rimington Award Winner Honorable Mention, Dopke.com
2003	Mike Wieser, TE	First Team, Dopke.com College Sports Report



Alijah Halliburton, Craig Bohl, Kazavian Valladay and Tom Burman accept the NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl Championship trophy.

Academic All-Americans Coached by Craig Bohl As Head Coach at North Dakota State

2008	Nick Compton, DE Kole Heckendorf, WR Tyler Roehl, RB
2007	Kole Heckendorf, WR Tyler Roehl, RB
2006	Craig Dahl, SS
2005	Kole Zimmerman, LB
2004	Jared Essler, FS Jayd Kittelson, LB Tony Stauss, QB

TIM POLASEK

(Concordia '02)

Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks



Tim Polasek

Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming: 1st
Years as a College Coach: 19th

Personal

Wife: Jill

Education

Wisconsin-Stevens Point '05 Master's Degree
Concordia '02 Bachelor's in Physical Education

Playing Experience

Concordia Quarterback, 1998-2001

Year-by-Year Coaching History

2021-Present	Wyoming	Offensive Coordinator/QBs
2017-20	Iowa	Offensive Line
2014-16	North Dakota State	Offensive Coordinator/RBs
2013	Northern Illinois	Tight Ends/Fullbacks
2012	North Dakota State	Special Teams/TEs/FBs
2007-11	North Dakota State	Running Backs
2006	North Dakota State	Graduate Assistant
2005	Wis.-Stevens Point	Special Teams Coordinator/DBs
2003-04	Wis.-Stevens Point	Passing Game Coordinator/QBs

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2020	Iowa	Music City Bowl (Canceled due to COVID)
2019	Iowa	Holiday Bowl Champions
2018	Iowa	Outback Bowl Champions
2017	Iowa	Pinstripe Bowl Champions
2016	NDSU	FCS Semifinals
2015	NDSU	FCS National Champions
2014	NDSU	FCS National Champions
2013	N. Illinois	Poinsettia Bowl
2012	NDSU	FCS National Champions
2011	NDSU	FCS National Champions
2010	NDSU	FCS Quarterfinals

Where He Recruits

Minnesota and Western Wisconsin

Tim Polasek was announced as Wyoming's new offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach on Feb. 10, 2021. In his first year at Wyoming, the Cowboys ranked No. 2 in the Mountain West and No. 29 in the nation in rushing offense (195.1 yards per game). Wyoming's offense featured two running backs who earned All-Conference recognition in Xazavian Valladay, who ranked third in the MW in rushing (82.0 yards per game), and Titus Swen, who ranked 12th (61.4 ypg). Cowboy wide receiver Isaiah Neyor led the league in yards per catch (20.3) and TD receptions (11) and earned All-MW accolades. Three Cowboy offensive linemen also earned All-Mountain West recognition in center Keegan Cryder, guard Logan Harris and tackle Frank Crum.

Polasek was the offensive line coach at the University of Iowa the previous four seasons (2017-20). Prior to Iowa, Polasek (pronounced PAWL-uh-seck) was the offensive coordinator and running backs coach at North Dakota State for three years from 2014-16. He was a record-setting quarterback himself at Concordia University in Wisconsin.

"We're excited about welcoming Tim Polasek to the Cowboy family," said Bohl. "His experience coaching on the offensive side of the football is going to add great value as we continue to re-engineer and improve our offense going into the 2021 season."

"First and foremost I'd like to thank my wife, Jill, for being by my side on this wild journey," said Polasek. "She can't wait to get to Laramie and meet the rest of the staff. To reunite with Coach Bohl, a true mentor of mine, is very special. A long time ago Coach Bohl took a chance on me and helped me learn how to be a teacher and a leader. He laid the foundation of what is my coaching philosophy and teaching style. I will do everything I can to help him continue his success with Cowboy Football."

Polasek was part of four FCS national championships, five Missouri Valley Football Conference titles and one Great West Football Conference title at North Dakota State.

At Iowa in 2020, the Hawkeyes won six straight games, all in Big Ten play, to conclude the regular season. The Hawkeyes scored at least 26 points in each of those six wins. The winning streak included road wins at Minnesota, Penn State and Illinois, and trophy game victories over Minnesota, Nebraska and Wisconsin. The Hawkeyes were ranked No. 15 in the nation in the final College Football Playoff (CFP) rankings and the final Coaches Poll rankings, while ranking No. 16 in the final Associated Press media poll.

Iowa has won three straight postseason games and 12 straight non-conference games. The Hawkeyes were selected to compete in the 2020 Music City Bowl, but that event was canceled due to Iowa's scheduled opponent, Missouri, having COVID issues. Iowa's current streak of eight straight bowl invitations matches the longest in school history. The Hawkeyes have won 27 games the past three seasons.

Iowa's offense in 2020 led the Big Ten in red-zone offense (0.917), ranked second in scoring (31.8) and third in fewest tackles for loss allowed (5.1). Sophomore center Tyler Linderbaum and senior tackle Alaric Jackson earned First Team All-Big Ten honors, while senior guard Cole Banwart was a Second Team selection. Linderbaum was one of three finalists for the Rimington Trophy. Linderbaum and Jackson each earned First and Second Team All-America honors from media outlets. Immediately following the conclusion of the 2021 NFL Draft, Jackson signed as a free agent with the Los Angeles Rams. Banwart signed with the Tennessee Titans as a free agent, and tackle Coy Cronk signed as a free agent with the Green Bay Packers.

The Hawkeyes won their final four games in 2019 and ranked 15th in the nation in the final Associated Press and Coaches Polls. Iowa concluded the 2019 campaign with a 10-3 record and defeated No. 22 USC, 49-24, in the Holiday Bowl. Iowa's three losses were all to ranked opponents by a combined 14 points. The Hawkeyes were 4-1 in trophy games for the third straight season. Iowa ranked third in the Big Ten in fewest sacks allowed in 2019 (1.8), led the league in red-zone offense, ranked second in fourth-down conversions and fourth in time of possession.

Iowa's efficient offense in 2019 featured junior tackle Tristan Wirfs, the Big Ten's Rimington-Pace Offensive Lineman of the Year. Wirfs earned First Team All-America honors from as many as three national outlets. Jackson earned Third Team All-Big Ten honors and Linderbaum was named Honorable Mention All-Big Ten. Wirfs declared for the 2020 NFL Draft following his junior season and was the 13th player selected in the first round. Wirfs started every game in his rookie season at right tackle for Tampa Bay, including starting in the 2021 Super Bowl victory.

Iowa won six of its first seven games in 2018 and closed the season with wins in the final three games, including a 27-22 Outback Bowl win over No. 18 Mississippi State. The Hawkeyes won three of four trophy games for the third time in four seasons. The four losses came by a total of 23 points and all were decided in the final minutes of play. Iowa's 5-4 Big Ten record earned a tie for second place in the West Division.

The Iowa offense in 2018 set a school record for most points scored in road games, averaging 42.8 points in the five Big Ten contests. The Hawkeyes averaged 31.2 points in all games, the ninth highest single-season total in school history. Iowa led the Big Ten and ranked 14th in the nation in fewest sacks allowed (1.2 per game).

Four of Iowa's offensive linemen earned postseason recognition in 2018. Jackson and senior guard Ross Reynolds earned Second Team All-Big Ten honors, while senior center Keegan Render earned Third Team honors and Wirfs gained Honorable Mention recognition. Render and Reynolds were invited to NFL camps immediately following the 2019 NFL Draft, with Reynolds earning a spot on the practice squad of the NFC champion San Francisco 49ers. Quarterback Nate Stanley passed for over 2,800 yards and 26 touchdowns, while Iowa's trio of running backs combined to rush for 1,723 yards and 16 touchdowns.

Iowa won eight games in 2017, including a 27-20 Pinstripe Bowl victory over Boston College to conclude the season. The Hawkeyes scored over 50 points in November wins over third-ranked Ohio State (55-24) and Nebraska (56-14).

Due to injuries to returning senior starters Boone Myers and Ike Boettger in 2017, the Hawkeye offensive line included a redshirt freshman at left tackle and a true freshman at right tackle for the majority of the season. The offensive line paved the way for running back Akrum Wadley (1,109) to surpass 1,000 rushing yards for the second straight season, while Stanley passed for 2,437 yards and 26 touchdowns.

Senior guard Sean Welsh earned First Team All-Big Ten honors, junior center James Daniels earned Honorable Mention recognition, and Jackson was named First Team Freshman All-American by the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA).

Daniels declared for the 2018 NFL Draft and was a second round selection of the Chicago Bears. Boettger and Myers, who both missed the majority of the season due to injury, signed free-agent contracts following the draft.

Polasek is the all-time leading passer at Concordia University in Wisconsin. He set single-game, single-season and career records in TD passes, passing yards, completions and completion percentage. Polasek was the 2000 Badger-Illini Conference Player of the Year. He was a two-time First Team All-Conference selection in 2000 and 2001 and Second Team in 1999.

Polasek graduated from Concordia in 2002 with a bachelor's degree in physical education. He earned his master's degree from Wisconsin-Stevens Point in 2005. A native of Iowa, Wis., he and his wife, Jill, were married in May 2014.





JAY SAWVEL

(Mount Union '93)

Defensive Coordinator/Safeties

Jay Sawvel joined the Wyoming coaching staff in February 2020 as defensive coordinator and safeties coach. In his second season at UW in 2021, Wyoming's defense once again ranked among the country's best. The Cowboys ranked No. 7 in the FBS in pass defense, allowing opponents only 177.5 yards per game. UW's defense ranked 36th out of 130 teams in the nation in scoring defense (22.5 points per game) and No. 37 in total defense (346.6 yards per game). Cowboy linebacker Chad Muma was selected a Second Team All-American by the Walter Camp Football Foundation and was one of six national finalists for the Butkus Award. Five other Pokes earned All-Conference honors, including: cornerbacks C.J. Coldon and Azizi Hearn, defensive linemen Garrett Crall and Cole Godbout and linebacker Easton Gibbs.

Sawvel previously served as the defensive coordinator at the University of Minnesota and Wake Forest University. He will be entering his 27th season as a college coach in 2021.

"Jay comes from the great coaching tree of Jerry Kill and has a long relationship with Coach Kill," said Wyoming head coach Craig Bohl. "I've admired Jay's work through the years. He's an outstanding recruiter, a great secondary coach and an experienced coordinator."

"I am honored and excited to be a Cowboy," said Sawvel. "Having an opportunity to work for a championship coach like Coach Bohl is something I am really looking forward to. The players here have been great to me as I've gotten a chance to meet them."

In his first season guiding the Wyoming defense as defensive coordinator in 2020, the Wyoming defense was among the best in the nation, ranking No. 16 in the nation in total defense, allowing opponents only 328.0 yards per game. UW's defense also ranked No. 21 in rushing defense (125.3 yards per game), No. 24 in scoring defense (21.0 points per game) and No. 29 in pass defense (202.7 yards per game). Three of his Cowboy defenders earned All-Conference recognition in 2020. Junior linebacker Chad Muma earned First Team All-Mountain West honors from MW head coaches and media. Senior free safety Esaias Gandy earned Honorable Mention honors from the conference head coaches and media, and sophomore cornerback C.J. Coldon earned Fourth Team All-MW from Phil Steele.

Before coming to Wyoming, Sawvel served as the defensive coordinator at Wake Forest University in 2017 and '18. He was named the defensive coordinator at Wake Forest in January 2017 and helped the Deacons to the 2017 Belk Bowl. During his first season at the helm of the Wake Forest defense, the Deacons set school records for tackles for loss in a single season and finished the season ranked No. 7 nationally in tackles for loss.

As the cornerbacks coach in 2017, Sawvel coached Essang Bassey, who set a sophomore school record with 19 passes defended and earned Honorable Mention All-ACC honors.

Prior to coaching at Wake Forest, Sawvel served as the defensive coordinator at the University of Minnesota where he constructed a Top 25 ranked defense and helped the Gophers to their best record in 13 seasons in 2016. Minnesota posted a 9-4 record in 2016 and defeated Washington State, 17-12, in the Holiday Bowl. In the Holiday Bowl victory, Minnesota held Washington State's explosive passing offense to just 264 yards, 86 yards below its average, and held the Cougars to their lowest point total of the season.

Sawvel spent six seasons as an assistant at Minnesota. He was the defensive backs and special teams coach from 2011 to 2015. After Jerry Kill's retirement as the head coach at Minnesota, Tracy Claeys was elevated to head coach and Sawvel became the Gophers' defensive coordinator.

Under Sawvel's direction, the 2016 Golden Gopher defense was ranked in the Top 25 in a number of defensive categories including: rushing defense (14th), turnover margin (18th), scoring defense (21st), total defense (21st) and sacks (22nd). In addition, Minnesota ranked 27th nationally in team pass efficiency defense.

Sawvel has helped develop several players who went on to play in the NFL. In 2015, two of his players at Minnesota, Eric Murray and Brian Boddy-Calhoun, earned opportunities in the NFL. Murray was a fourth round pick of the Kansas City Chiefs while Boddy-Calhoun signed with the Jacksonville Jaguars as a free agent. In 2014, both Murray and Boddy-Calhoun were named to the All-Big Ten Team following a season in which the Gophers were 18th in the nation in pass defense.

Brock Vereen, a 2014 First Team All-Big Ten selection and another one of Sawvel's pupils, was drafted in the fourth round of the NFL Draft by the Chicago Bears.

For three seasons from 2014 through 2016, Sawvel had at least one of his secondary players selected in the NFL Draft. Sawvel was part of teams that advanced to four conference championships as a collegiate coach.

Prior to his time at Minnesota, he served as the defensive backs coach on Kill's coaching staff at Northern Illinois for three seasons from 2008-10. As secondary coach at Northern Illinois, he mentored Jimmie Ward, a first round pick of the San Francisco 49ers in 2014.

Sawvel was a member of the Southern Illinois staff under Kill for seven seasons from 2001-07, working with the secondary and special teams.

His first full-time coaching position came at Ferris State for two seasons from 1999-2000, where he coached the defensive backs and special teams.

Sawvel was a three-year letterwinner and an All-Conference linebacker in 1993 at Division III power Mount Union. He earned a bachelor's degree in 1993 in sports management with minors in business administration, information systems and physical education. He began his coaching career as a graduate assistant at Eastern Kentucky in 1994 and moved to Notre Dame as a graduate assistant coach for the 1996-98 seasons. Sawvel owns master's degrees from both Eastern Kentucky and Notre Dame, where he completed his master's in administration.

Sawvel has two daughters, Mackenzie and Miranda.



Jay Sawvel

Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming: 2nd
Years as a College Coach: 27th

Personal

Children: Mackenzie and Miranda

Education

Notre Dame '99 Master's in Administration
Eastern Kentucky '95 Master's Degree
Mount Union '93 Bachelor's in Sports Management

Playing Experience

Mount Union Linebacker, 1989-93

Year-by-Year Coaching History

2020-Present	Wyoming	Defensive Coordinator/Safeties
2017-18	Wake Forest	Defensive Coordinator/ Cornerbacks
2016	Minnesota	Defensive Coordinator/ Secondary
2011-15	Minnesota	Secondary/Special Teams
2008-10	N. Illinois	Secondary/Special Teams
2001-07	S. Illinois	Secondary/Special Teams
1999-2000	Ferris State	Secondary/Special Teams
1996-98	Notre Dame	Graduate Assistant
1994-95	E. Kentucky	Graduate Assistant

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2017	Wake Forest	Belk Bowl Champions
2016	Minnesota	Holiday Bowl Champions
2015	Minnesota	Quick Lane Bowl Champions
2014	Minnesota	Buffalo Wild Wings Citrus Bowl
2013	Minnesota	Texas Bowl
2012	Minnesota	Texas Bowl
2010	Northern Illinois	Humanitarian Bowl Champions
2009	Northern Illinois	International Bowl
2008	Northern Illinois	Independence Bowl
2007	Southern Illinois	FCS Semifinals
2006	Southern Illinois	FCS Quarterfinals
2005	Southern Illinois	FCS Quarterfinals
2004	Southern Illinois	FCS First Round
2003	Southern Illinois	FCS First Round
1998	Notre Dame	Gator Bowl
1997	Notre Dame	Independence Bowl
1995	Eastern Kentucky	FCS First Round
1994	Eastern Kentucky	FCS Quarterfinals

Where He Recruits

Central Illinois and the St. Louis metropolitan area





COWBOY COACHES

AARON BOHL

(Minnesota State Moorhead '16)

Linebackers



Aaron Bohl
Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming:	5th
Years as a College Coach:	5th

Personal

Wife:	Anna
Children:	Brynnlei Mae

Education

Minnesota St. Moorhead '16	Bachelor's in Math Education
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Playing Experience

Minnesota St. Moorhead	Linebacker, 2013-16
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Year-by-Year Coaching History

2020-Present	Wyoming	Linebackers
2019	Wyoming	Interim Linebackers Coach
2017-18	Wyoming	Graduate Assistant

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2019	Wyoming	Arizona Bowl Champions
2017	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Champions

Where He Recruits

Nebraska and the Kansas City metropolitan area

Aaron Bohl completed his second season as the linebackers coach of the Wyoming Cowboys in 2021. He was named the Wyoming Cowboys' full-time linebackers coach in January 2020. He originally joined the Wyoming coaching staff in the January of 2017 as a Defensive Graduate Assistant. Bohl has been a part of four bowl-eligible teams for the Cowboys in 2017, '18, '19 and '21, and two bowl championship teams -- the 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Champions and the 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl Champions.

A former college linebacker himself at Minnesota State Moorhead from 2013-16, Bohl was a four-year starter and three-year captain. Since joining the Wyoming coaching staff as a graduate assistant in January of 2017, Bohl has worked with the Cowboy linebackers. The 2020 and '21 seasons saw him coach First Team All-Mountain West Conference linebacker Chad Muma. In 2021, Muma earned Second Team All-America honors from the Walter Camp Football Foundation and was one of six national finalists for the Butkus Award. Bohl also coached linebacker Easton Gibbs, who earned All-MW recognition in 2021. The Cowboy defense ranked No. 7 in the FBS in pass defense in '21, allowing opponents only 177.5 yards per game. UW's defense ranked 36th out of 130 teams in the nation in scoring defense (22.5 points per game) and No. 37 in total defense (346.6 yards per game). The 2020 Wyoming defense was also among the best in the nation, ranking No. 16 in the nation in total defense, allowing opponents only 328.0 yards per game. UW's defense also ranked No. 21 in rushing defense (125.3 yards per game), No. 24 in scoring defense (21.0 points per game) and No. 29 in pass defense (202.7 yards per game).

In 2019, Bohl coached All-America linebacker Logan Wilson and Honorable Mention All-MW linebacker Cassh Maluia. Wilson was one of six national finalists for the 2019 Butkus Award, honoring the nation's top collegiate linebacker. Wilson earned multiple All-America honors, including being named a First Team All-American by Pro Football Focus, a Second Team All-American by USA Today and a Third Team All-American by Associated Press. Wilson was the No. 1 pick in the third round of the 2020 NFL Draft by the Cincinnati Bengals. Maluia was a sixth round selection by the New England Patriots in the 2020 NFL Draft, and was an Honorable Menton All-Conference honoree as a senior. UW concluded the 2019 season with an 8-5 record and a 38-17 win over Georgia State to capture the 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl Championship.

The 2019 Cowboy defense ranked No. 2 in the Mountain West and No. 11 in the nation in scoring defense, allowing opponents only 17.8 points per game. The UW defense also ranked No. 3 in the conference and No. 11 in the nation in rushing defense, giving up only 107.1 rushing yards per game to opponents. Wyoming's defense ranked No. 6 in the country in red-zone defense and scored three defensive touchdowns to rank No. 12 in the FBS.

As a defensive graduate assistant in 2018, Bohl helped coach a Cowboy defense that ranked No. 19 in the nation in total defense (allowing opponents only 326.2 yards per game), were No. 25 in the NCAA in rushing defense (129.5 yards per game), ranked No. 28 in scoring defense (giving up only 22.0 points per game) and were No. 32 in pass defense (196.7 yards per game). The UW defense also ranked No. 16 in the country in fewest first downs allowed to opponents (223) on way to a 6-6 record to earn bowl eligibility for the third straight season.

In 2017, he was part of a Wyoming team that posted an 8-5 record and won the Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Championship. Bohl aided in coaching a defense that ranked No. 1 in the nation in takeaways in 2017, forcing 38 opponent turnovers. The Pokes ranked No. 9 in the country in scoring defense, allowing opponents only 17.5 points per game. UW ranked No. 1 in the NCAA in fumbles recovered (18), No. 2 in the nation in interceptions (20), No. 8 in defensive touchdowns scored (4 TDs), No. 13 in pass defense (174.9 passing yards allowed), and No. 23 in total defense (335.2 total yards allowed).

Bohl came to Wyoming from Minnesota State University Moorhead, where he completed his collegiate playing career in 2016. As a linebacker, he started all 11 games each of his four seasons. Bohl earned Second Team All-Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference (NSIC) honors his senior season, while recording 71 total tackles (34 solo tackles and 37 assists), 4.5 sacks, 7.5 tackles for loss, two pass breakups, two fumble recoveries and one forced fumble. He helped lead Minnesota State Moorhead to a 7-4 overall record and 5-2 conference record placing third in the North Division of the NSIC in 2016. For his career, Bohl was credited with 273 career tackles, 8.0 sacks, 22 tackles for loss, eight pass breakups, one interception, two fumble recoveries and four forced fumbles. Bohl graduated in December 2016 from MSUM with a math education degree.

As a high school player at Lincoln East High School in Lincoln, Neb., Bohl was an Honorable Mention All-State honoree and earned All-Conference and All-City honors. He served as a team captain in high school, earning three letters in football. Bohl also lettered in basketball and track.

He and his wife, Anna, were married in the summer of 2017. On July 23, 2019, they welcomed daughter Brynnlei Mae Bohl into their family. Bohl is the son of University of Wyoming head coach Craig Bohl.



WYOMING



BENNY BOYD

(Aurora '00)

Co-Special Teams Coordinator/Cornerbacks

Benny Boyd was announced as the new cornerbacks coach and co-special teams coordinator for Wyoming Football in February of 2020. Boyd came to Wyoming from Eastern Illinois University. He is completing his second season at Wyoming and 20th season as a college coach in 2021. Both of Boyd's starting cornerbacks, C.J. Coldon and Azizi Hearn, earned All-Mountain West recognition in 2021. Wyoming's third cornerback, Cameron Stone, earned All-Conference recognition as a kick returner in '21. Defensively, the Cowboys ranked No. 7 in the FBS in pass defense, allowing opponents only 177.5 yards per game. UW's defense ranked 36th out of 130 teams in the nation in scoring defense (22.5 points per game) and No. 37 in total defense (346.6 yards per game).

"Benny (Boyd) is a very capable corners coach and special teams coordinator, as well," said UW head coach Craig Bohl. "He has demonstrated his skills by molding young men and doing an excellent job of mentoring many players over his long career."

"This is a tremendous opportunity, and I am humbled to join a program the caliber of the University of Wyoming," said Boyd. "To be able to work with Coach Bohl and this coaching staff and to uphold the high standards that have been set here at Wyoming is a daunting task but is one I am extremely excited about."

"What has been accomplished at Wyoming the past several years is extremely impressive. I love the tough, physical style of play that Coach Bohl has brought to Laramie, and I embrace the blue-collar mentality that embodies the entire state of Wyoming!"

"I am looking forward to adding to the rich culture that currently exists, as well as working with this staff and these players to continue to compete for a Mountain West Championship. I am excited to be a part of Cowboy Nation! Go Pokes!"

The 2020 Wyoming defense was among the best in the nation, ranking No. 16 in the nation among all Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) teams in total defense, allowing opponents only 328.0 yards per game. UW's defense also ranked No. 21 in rushing defense (125.3 yards per game), No. 24 in scoring defense (21.0 points per game) and No. 29 in pass defense (202.7 yards per game). Among the Cowboys who Boyd coached in his first season at Wyoming in 2020 was sophomore cornerback C.J. Coldon. Coldon earned Fourth Team All-Mountain West honors from Phil Steele in 2020.

Boyd coached the cornerbacks and coordinated special teams at Eastern Illinois in 2019. The Panthers' defense ranked No. 30 in the nation out of 124 Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) teams in 2019, allowing opponents only 350.6 yards per game. EIU's defense also ranked: No. 29 in the FCS in fewest first downs allowed to opponents (215), No. 29 in most fumbles recovered (10), No. 29 in tackles for loss (7.2 per game), No. 40 in pass defense (204.1 passing yards allowed per game), No. 40 in turnovers gained (21) and No. 44 in rushing defense (146.5 rushing yards allowed per game).

From 2015-18, Boyd coached corners and special teams at Central Washington. He was part of back-to-back Great Northwest Athletic Conference (GNAC) Championships in 2017 & 2018 at CWU. Boyd coached First Team All-America cornerback Tyler Hasty who ranked second in the NCAA in passes defended in 2018. Boyd's special teams ranked second in NCAA Division II in blocked kicks in 2018. He also coached Chade DeMoor, the 2018 NCAA individual leader in blocked kicks.

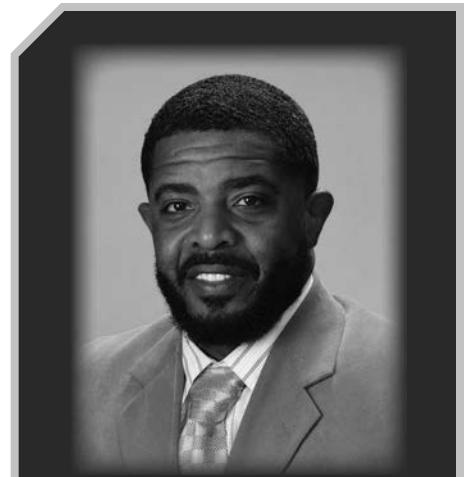
In 2017, the Central Washington defense ranked second nationally in interceptions and fourth in the NCAA Division II in total defense. He also coached several All-Conference selections on defense and special teams while at CWU.

In 2014, Boyd served as defensive coordinator and special teams coordinator at his alma mater Aurora (Ill.) University.

He was the special teams coordinator and defensive backs coach at North Dakota for the 2011-13 seasons. UND led all FCS teams in blocked kicks all three seasons he coordinated the special teams, and he coached an All-America kick returner in 2012 and All-America kicker in 2013.

Prior to North Dakota, Boyd was the associate head coach and defensive coordinator at Luther College in Iowa from 2002-10. In 2010, he was a finalist for the AFCA Division III Assistant Coach of the Year. He coached four Division III All-Americans and three Aztec Bowl participants (Division III All-Star Game) while at Luther College. A total of 19 of his players earned All-Conference honors during his time at Luther College.

Boyd played football at Aurora (Ill.) University from 1996-99. He was a two-time All-Conference selection and held the school single-season record for passes defended. Boyd earned his bachelor's degree in social work from Aurora University in 2000 and added a master's degree in social work, also from Aurora University, in 2002. He has completed Bill Walsh Fellowships with four NFL teams during his career (Houston, Seattle, Oakland and Pittsburgh). Boyd is a native of Dixon, Illinois



Benny Boyd

Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming: 2nd
Years as a College Coach: 20th

Personal

Single

Education

Aurora University '02 Master's in Social Work
Aurora University '00 Bachelor's in Social Work

Playing Experience

Aurora (Ill.) University Cornerback, 1996-99

Year-by-Year Coaching History

2020-Present	Wyoming	Special Teams Coord./CBs
2019	Eastern Illinois	Cornerbacks/Special Teams
2015-18	Central Washington	Cornerbacks/Special Teams
2014	Aurora (Ill.)	Defensive Coordinator/ST
2011-13	North Dakota	Secondary/Special Teams
2002-10	Luther College (Iowa)	Associate Head Coach/DC

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2017	C. Washington	NCAA Division III Regional Quarterfinals

Where He Recruits

Chicago and Milwaukee metropolitan areas



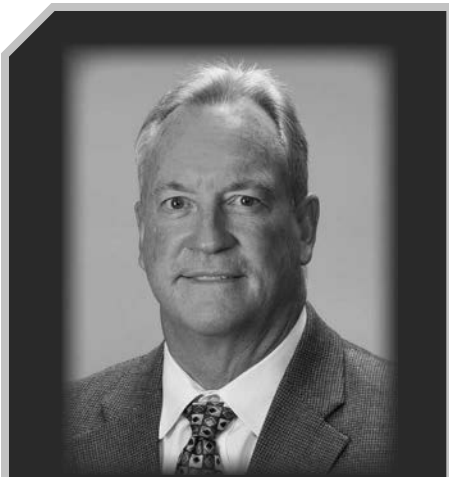


COWBOY COACHES

MARTY ENGLISH

(Northern Colorado '86)

Defensive Ends



Marty English

Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming: 11th
Years as a College Coach: 35th

Personal

Wife: Suzie
Children: Kelsey and Tyler

Education

Northern Colorado '89 Master's in Physical Education
Northern Colorado '86 Bachelor's in Recreation Management

Playing Experience

Northern Colorado Linebacker, 1982-85
Idaho State Linebacker, 81

Year-by-Year Coaching History

2020-Present	Wyoming	Defensive Ends
2018-19	Northern Colorado	Assoc. Head Coach/DC/LBs
2016-17	Colorado State	Defensive Coordinator/LBs
2015	Colorado State	Linebackers
2012-14	Colorado State	Co-Defensive Coordinator/LBs
2009-11	Wyoming	Defensive Coordinator/LBs
2003-2008	Wyoming	Linebackers
2000-2002	Northern Colorado	Defensive Coordinator
1989-99	Northern Colorado	LBs / Special Teams
1987-1988	Northern Colorado	Graduate Assistant

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2017	Colorado State	New Mexico Bowl
2016	Colorado State	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2015	Colorado State	Arizona Bowl
2014	Colorado State	Las Vegas Bowl
2013	Colorado State	New Mexico Bowl Champions
2011	Wyoming	Gildan New Mexico Bowl
2009	Wyoming	New Mexico Bowl Champions
2004	Wyoming	Las Vegas Bowl Champions
2002	Northern Colorado	NCAA Division II Semifinals
1999	Northern Colorado	NCAA Division II Quarterfinals
1998	Northern Colorado	NCAA Division II Quarterfinals
1997	Northern Colorado	Division II National Champions
1996	Northern Colorado	Division II National Champions
1995	Northern Colorado	NCAA Division II First Round
1991	Northern Colorado	NCAA Division II First Round
1990	Northern Colorado	NCAA Division II First Round

Where He Recruits

Colorado and Central Texas

In February 2020, Wyoming Football welcomed back Marty English to the Cowboy coaching staff. English is now in his second season of his second stint on the Wyoming coaching staff. English has coached the Poke defensive ends the past two seasons. He also recruits the state of Colorado for the Pokes. English previously coached at Wyoming for nine seasons from 2003-11. The 2021 season saw defensive end Garrett Crall achieve All-Mountain West honors. As a defensive unit, the 2021 Cowboys ranked No. 7 in the FBS in pass defense, allowing opponents only 177.5 yards per game. UW's defense ranked 36th out of 130 teams in the nation in scoring defense (22.5 points per game) and No. 37 in total defense (346.6 yards per game).

"Marty English enjoys a great reputation recruiting the Rocky Mountain area," said University of Wyoming head coach Craig Bohl. "He has spent time previously here at Wyoming, at Colorado State and at Northern Colorado. He'll be coaching our defensive ends. He has tremendous defensive experience. Marty will add great value on our defensive staff, and we look forward to his recruiting efforts in the state of Colorado."

"I'm really excited to come back to Wyo and work with Coach Bohl and the rest of the coaching staff," said English. "I'm also looking forward to working with a bunch of tough, hard-working kids with great attitudes. My family and I are very grateful to be back in Wyoming."

In his first season back with the Cowboys in 2020, the Wyoming defense was among the best in the nation, ranking No. 16 in the nation in total defense, allowing opponents only 328.0 yards per game. UW's defense also ranked No. 21 in rushing defense (125.3 yards per game), No. 24 in scoring defense (21.0 points per game) and No. 29 in pass defense (202.7 yards per game).

English was part of many successes during his previous time coaching at Wyoming. He helped the Cowboys win the 2004 Las Vegas Bowl over UCLA, win the 2009 New Mexico Bowl over Fresno State and earn a bid to the 2011 New Mexico Bowl versus Temple. English coached the Wyoming linebackers from 2003-08. He was elevated to defensive coordinator for the 2009-11 seasons while continuing to coach the Poke linebackers.

His impact on recruiting and coaching at Wyoming was key to the Cowboys' success. Among the players that English either recruited or coached at Wyoming were: future NFL players Mark Nzeocha, Mike Purcell, Mitch Unrein and Eddie Yarbrough; and All-Conference performers Ward Dobbs, John Fletcher, Tyler Gottschalk, Brian Hendricks, Dusty Hofschneider, Gabe Knapton, Purcell, Unrein and Yarbrough. Several of those Cowboys were recruited from the state of Colorado, including: Fletcher, Hendricks, Hofschneider, Knapton, Purcell, Unrein and Yarbrough.

English will enter his 35th season as a college coach and his 11th season at the University of Wyoming in 2021. English comes to Wyoming after serving as associate head coach, defensive coordinator and linebackers coach at his alma mater, the University of Northern Colorado, for the 2018 and '19 seasons. The first time English joined the Cowboy coaching staff in 2003, he also moved up the road to Laramie from UNC after serving as an assistant coach for 16 seasons (1987-2002) at his alma mater.

From 2012-17, English coached at Colorado State University. Highlights during his time at CSU included five consecutive bowl game appearances from 2013-17. English was the co-defensive coordinator and linebackers coach from 2012-14 under then CSU head coach Jim McElwain. He was retained by new head coach Mike Bobo in 2015 and served as the linebackers coach in 2015 before taking over as defensive coordinator for the 2016 and '17 seasons.

In English's final season as Wyoming's defensive coordinator, the Cowboy defense concluded the 2011 season on a high note, recording a dominating defensive performance in a 44-0 shutout victory over archrival Colorado State. It marked only the second shutout of CSU by Wyoming since 1959. English was also on the defensive staff in 2006 that shutout the Rams, 24-0. English's 2011 defense included five Cowboys who earned Second Team All-Mountain West honors. Those five were: senior defensive ends Josh Biezuns and Gabe Knapton, senior linebacker Brian Hendricks, senior safety Tashaun Gipson and junior safety Luke Ruff. Freshman cornerback Blair Burns also earned Honorable Mention All-MW honors in 2011.

Two Cowboy defenders were named Second Team All-Mountain West in 2010. Senior free safety Chris Pronsinski and junior defensive end Josh Biezuns both earned Second Team honors. Three other Cowboy juniors earned Honorable Mention All-Conference honors on defense. Those three juniors were: cornerback Tashaun Gipson, linebacker Brian Hendricks and defensive end Gabe Knapton. Pronsinski was drafted in the fourth round of the 2011 NFL Draft by the Jacksonville Jaguars. He was the 121st overall selection in the 2011 Draft, and concluded his career ranked No. 4 in career tackles at UW with 373.

English's 2009 Cowboy defense may best be remembered for a dramatic goal-line stand in the New Mexico Bowl. In the first overtime of the New Mexico Bowl, Fresno State had a first and goal at the Wyoming one-yard line, but the Cowboy defense held on four straight plays and UW went on to win 35-28 in double overtime.

The 2009 Cowboy team featured four seniors recruited by English who went on to sign NFL free-agent contracts. Defensive tackle John Fletcher (Baltimore Ravens), linebacker Weston Johnson (Atlanta Falcons), defensive end Mitch Unrein (Houston Texans) and offensive tackle Ryan Otterson (San Diego Chargers) were all recruited by English. Fletcher earned First Team All-Mountain West Conference honors as a defensive tackle in '09, while Unrein was an Honorable Mention selection.

Wyoming was the only team in the nation with three individuals ranked among the Top 25 in the nation in tackles in 2009. Free safety Chris Pronsinski ranked 10th (10.8 tackles per game), inside linebacker Brian Hendricks was 12th (10.5) and inside linebacker Gabe Knapton ranked 19th (9.8). In terms of total tackles, Pronsinski (140 total tackles) and Knapton (128) posted the fourth and ninth best single-season tackle totals, respectively, in UW school history. Both Pronsinski and Hendricks earned Second Team All-Mountain West Conference honors in '09.

In 2008, English helped guide a Wyoming defense that ranked No. 38 in the nation in total defense, allowing only 329.7 yards per game, and ranked No. 31 in pass defense, giving up only 189.5 yards per outing. He coached 2008 First Team All-Mountain West Conference linebacker Ward Dobbs, who concluded his career ranked No. 5 in career tackles in Wyoming school history, with 343.

The 2007 season saw UW's defense rank 22nd in the country in total defense (332.1 yards per game) and quarterback sacks (33 total sacks). The Cowboys also were among the best teams in the nation in defending the run, ranking No. 27 (122.8 yards per game), and against the pass, ranking No. 30 (209.3 ypg).

During the 2006 season, the Cowboy defense moved to a 3-4 alignment, and was one of the best defenses in the nation. In total defense, the Cowboys ranked ninth out of 119 NCAA Division I-A teams, allowing opponents only 262.9 yards per game. UW ranked even higher in pass defense, giving up only 156.3 yards passing per game to rank No. 8 in the country. Wyoming also ranked in the Top 25 in rushing defense at No. 23 (106.6 yards per game), and was 36th in the NCAA and No. 2 in the MW in sacks (2.42 per game).

Wyoming's defense ranked among the Top 40 teams in the nation in two defensive categories in 2005. UW was No. 40 in the nation in pass defense, allowing only 207.4 yards per game through the air, and the Cowboy defense also intercepted 14 passes to rank No. 34 in the NCAA in that category. The Pokes were very effective at forcing turnovers in 2004, ranking No. 13 in the country in most turnovers gained (28). Wyoming's defense recovered 14 fumbles to rank No. 10 in the NCAA, and intercepted 14 passes to rank No. 34.

For three seasons (2000-02), English served as the defensive coordinator and linebackers coach at Northern Colorado. His 2002 defensive unit ranked in the Top 10 in the nation in five defensive categories. UNC ranked No. 8 in total defense, allowing only 249.8 yards per game; was ranked No. 5 in pass defense efficiency, with a rating of 86.9; and ranked No. 9 in three categories -- scoring defense (15.0 points allowed per game), rush defense (85.3 yards per game) and turnover margin (+16). Anthony Dunn, a defensive end on the 2002 squad, earned First Team All-America honors, and signed a free-agent contract with the Tennessee Titans of the NFL.

Through his years at UNC, English coached on NCAA Division II National Championship teams in 1996 and '97. He also helped guide the Bears to the NCAA Division II Playoffs in eight different seasons, including advancing to the semifinals of the 2002 NCAA Division II Playoffs.

As a player, English began his career at Idaho State in 1981, the year the Bengals won the NCAA Division I-AA National Championship. English then transferred to Northern Colorado, where he was a three-year letterman at linebacker. His senior season of 1985, he served as a team captain, and received All-North Central Conference honors. He earned his bachelor's degree in recreation management in 1986 and his master's degree in physical education in 1989 -- both from Northern Colorado. A native of Lakewood, Colo., he was an All-State football player at Alameda High School.

He and his wife, Suzie, have one daughter, Kelsey, and one son, Tyler. Kelsey is a graduate of the University of Wyoming. Tyler is a graduate of Colorado Mesa University in Grand Junction, Colo.





DEREK FRAZIER

(Northern Colorado '97)
Offensive Line

Derek Frazier joined the Cowboy coaching staff as offensive line coach in February of 2021. Prior to that, Frazier was the assistant offensive line coach of the NFL's New York Jets from 2019-20. In his first year as the Wyoming offensive line coach, the Cowboys ranked No. 2 in the Mountain West and No. 29 in the nation in rushing offense (195.1 yards per game). Wyoming's offense featured three Cowboy offensive linemen who earned All-Mountain West recognition in center Keegan Cryder, guard Logan Harris and tackle Frank Crum.

"We are certainly excited about Derek Frazier joining Cowboy Football," said Bohl. "He has a long history with Wyoming Football. His father was a great player here, and Derek spent many afternoons in War Memorial Stadium as he was growing up. He is really a loyal Cowboy fan."

"Derek enjoys a great national reputation and has coached at both the collegiate and professional levels. There is no doubt he is going to do an excellent job moving our offensive line forward as we continue to make great progress with our offense."

"I want to say that I am very excited and humbled to be a part of Coach Bohl's staff and represent the strong tradition that is Wyoming Cowboy Football," said Frazier. "I know first hand what Cowboy Football represents, by growing up and following the program with my mom and dad, as well as being on the other sideline. I went to many Wyoming bowl games with my parents and many Cowboy Joe events. I'm fired up to get started."

"This opportunity is a chance to work with tough young men, who play hard-nosed football in a great culture that Coach Bohl has instilled."

"Having been around the program for so many years because of my family's connection to Wyoming, it is very special to now be part of that tradition. Not only did my dad play here, but my uncle, Jeff Frazier, played here."

Derek's father, Tom Frazier, was co-captain of Wyoming's 1966 team that posted a 10-1 record and defeated Florida State, 28-20, in the Sun Bowl. The Cowboys finished the season ranked No. 15 in the nation, and Frazier was a First Team All-WAC end.

Derek Frazier grew up in Fort Collins, Colo., where he played at Rocky Mountain High School. He went on to play center at Northern Colorado for former Wyoming head coach Joe Glenn and was the starting center on UNC's 1996 NCAA Division II National Championship team. Frazier was selected as his team's Most Inspirational Player as a senior in '96.

Prior to serving as the assistant offensive line coach for the New York Jets for the 2019 and '20 seasons, Frazier spent four seasons at Central Michigan where he was the Offensive Line coach in 2015 and '16 before being elevated to Run-Game Coordinator/Offensive Line coach for the 2017-18 seasons. CMU appeared in three consecutive bowl games from 2015-17. The Chippewas faced Minnesota in the 2015 Quick Lane Bowl, played Tulsa in the 2016 Miami Beach Bowl and faced Wyoming in the 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl.

The 2017 season saw Frazier lead an offensive line anchored by veteran J.P. Quinn -- a Third Team All-MAC selection -- that paved the way for Jonathan Ward to become CMU's first 1,000-yard rusher since 2014.

In addition, Frazier's offensive line protected quarterback Shane Morris' no-huddle, up-tempo scheme, helping the signal-caller to a memorable year in which he threw for 3,237 yards and 27 touchdowns. Morris' yardage total was the seventh best for a single season in program history, and his 27 TD passes tied for the second best in CMU history.

In 2015 and 2016, Frazier led a unit that protected quarterback Cooper Rush, who developed into one of the very best to ever play for CMU, finishing his career second in program history in passing yardage (12,891) and touchdown passes (90).

Among Frazier's top protégés during his time at CMU were two-time First Team All-MAC center Nick Beamish, along with Ramadan Ahmeti and Quinn.

Frazier spent three seasons as the offensive line coach at Colorado State where he helped lead a program that went from four victories in his first season, 2012, to 10 in 2014. He helped CSU earn bids to the 2013 New Mexico Bowl, where they defeated Washington State (48-45) and the 2014 Las Vegas Bowl where they lost to Utah (10-45). The Rams went from the ninth-ranked offense in the Mountain West Conference in 2012 to the second-ranked in the MW in 2014. Frazier's offensive line paved the way for the Rams' Kapri Bibbs to rush for 1,741 yards and 31 touchdowns in 2013.

Two Frazier-coached offensive linemen from Colorado State, Ty Sambrailo and Weston Richburg, earned First Team All-Mountain West honors and Richburg was selected in the second round of the NFL draft by the New York Giants. He was one of several players that Frazier mentored who were drafted by an NFL team or signed professionally as a free agent.

Frazier coached at Fresno State from 2006-11. He served as the offensive line coach for the 2006-08 seasons and added the responsibility of run-game coordinator for the 2009-11 seasons. Frazier had previously been a graduate assistant coach at Fresno State in 2003 and 2004. During his years at Fresno State, Frazier was part of six bowl teams. The Bulldogs appeared in: the 2003 Silicon Valley Bowl, defeating UCLA (17-9); the 2004 MPC Computers Bowl, defeating Virginia (37-34); the 2007 Humanitarian Bowl, beating Georgia Tech (40-28); the 2008 New Mexico Bowl vs. Colorado State (35-40); the 2009 New Mexico Bowl against Wyoming (28-35); and the 2010 Humanitarian Bowl vs. Northern Illinois (17-40).

The Bulldogs dominated the line of scrimmage in consecutive bowl game victories over UCLA in 2003 and No. 18 Virginia in 2004. While at Fresno State, he helped develop All-America offensive lineman Logan Mankins, and Freshmen All-Americans Ryan Wendell, Kyle Young and Cole Popovich.

Frazier was a part of a Bulldog coaching staff whose offense ranked No. 5 in the NCAA in scoring offense and was one of the nation's most efficient in third-down conversions and red zone efficiency. Fresno State produced consecutive 1,000-yard rushers Dwayne Wright and Bryson Sumlin each year and Fresno State ranked No. 15 in the NCAA in rushing offense with 228.0 yards per game. The Bulldog line paved the way to a single-game record 503 rushing yards vs. Hawaii in 2004.

Frazier was the offensive coordinator and offensive line coach at Adams State College for two seasons (2001-02) where he also served as the weight throws coach for the Adams State track & field team

During the 2000 season, he was the offensive coordinator and offensive line coach at Nichols College in Dudley, Mass. He led Nichols to a 7-3 record and a share of the New England Football Conference Blue Division title with Salve Regina.

After being a four-year letterman (1993-96) at Northern Colorado, Frazier began his coaching career as a high school coach in Juneau, Alaska at Douglas High School for one year.

Frazier earned his bachelor's degree in business administration from Northern Colorado in 1997 and an MBA from Nichols College in 2000. He and his wife, Taryn, have a daughter, Katelyn, and a son, James.



Derek Frazier

Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming: 1st
Years as a College Coach: 22nd

Personal

Wife: Taryn
Children: Katelyn and James

Education

Nichols College '00 Master's in Business Administration
Northern Colorado '97 Business Administration

Playing Experience

Northern Colorado Offensive Lineman 1996-97

Year-by-Year Coaching History

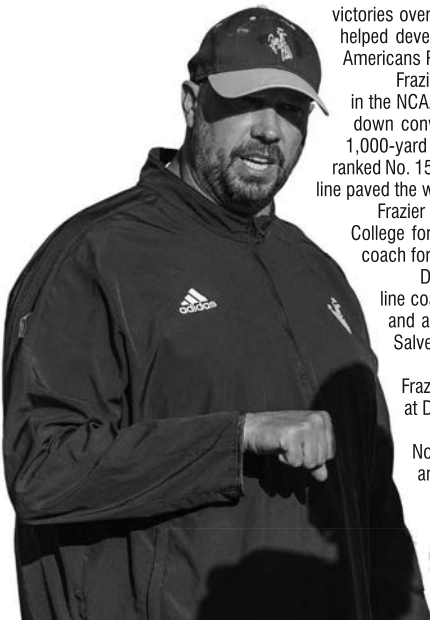
2021-Present	Wyoming	Offensive Line
2019-20	New York Jets (NFL)	Assistant Offensive Line
2017-18	Central Michigan	Run-Game Coordinator/OL
2015-16	Central Michigan	Offensive Line
2012-14	Colorado State	Offensive Line
2009-11	Fresno State	Run-Game Coordinator/OL
2006-08	Fresno State	Offensive Line
2005	Northern Arizona	Recruiting Coordinator/OL
2003-04	Fresno State	Graduate Assistant
2001-02	Adams State (Colo.)	Offensive Coordinator/OL
2000	Nichols College (Mass.)	Offensive Coordinator/OL

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2017	Central Michigan	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2016	Central Michigan	Miami Beach Bowl
2015	Central Michigan	Quick Lane Bowl
2014	Colorado State	Las Vegas Bowl
2013	Colorado State	New Mexico Bowl Champions
2010	Fresno State	Humanitarian Bowl
2009	Fresno State	New Mexico Bowl
2008	Fresno State	New Mexico Bowl
2007	Fresno State	Humanitarian Bowl Champions
2004	Fresno State	MPC Computers Bowl Champions
2003	Fresno State	Silicon Valley Bowl Champions

Where He Recruits

Fort Worth metropolitan area



MIKE GRANT

(Nebraska '93)

Offensive Pass-Game Coordinator/Wide Receivers



Mike Grant

Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming: 6th
Years as a College Coach: 29th

Personal

Wife: Nina
Children: Mireia

Education

Nebraska '95 Bachelor's in Journalism/Advertising
Nebraska '93 Bachelor's in Communication Studies

Playing Experience

Nebraska Quarterback 1988-92

Year-by-Year Coaching History

2021-Present	Wyoming	Pass-Game Coordinator/WRs
2016-20	Wyoming	Wide Receivers
2014-15	North Texas	Wide Receivers/Rec. Coordinator
2013	North Texas	Wide Receivers
2011-12	North Texas	Running Backs
2008-10	Western Michigan	Assistant Head Coach/WRs
2007	Southern Miss	Wide Receivers
2001-06	Iowa State	Wide Receivers/Tight Ends
2000	Iowa State	Running Backs
1999	Iowa State	Outside Linebackers
1998	Iowa State	Secondary
1997	James Madison	Wide Receivers/Tight Ends
1994-96	Nebraska	Graduate Assistant
1993	Nebraska	Recruiting Assistant

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2019	Wyoming	Arizona Bowl Champions
2017	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Champions
2016	Wyoming	Poinsettia Bowl
2016	Wyoming	MW Championship Game
2013	North Texas	Heart of Dallas Bowl Champions
2008	W. Michigan	Texas Bowl
2007	Southern Miss	PapaJohn's.com Bowl
2005	Iowa State	EV1.net Houston Bowl
2004	Iowa State	Independence Bowl Champions
2002	Iowa State	Humanitarian Bowl
2001	Iowa State	Independence Bowl
2000	Iowa State	Insight.com Bowl Champions
1996	Nebraska	Orange Bowl Champions
1995	Nebraska	Orange Bowl (National Champions)
1994	Nebraska	Orange Bowl (National Champions)
1993	Nebraska	Orange Bowl

Where He Recruits

Houston metropolitan area

Mike Grant coached his 29th season as a college coach in 2021. He was promoted to Offensive Pass-Game Coordinator in February of 2021, and coached the Cowboy wide receivers for the sixth consecutive season. The Cowboy offense ranked No. 2 in the Mountain West and No. 29 in the nation in rushing offense (195.1 yards per game) in 2021. Cowboy wide receiver Isaiah Neyor led the league in yards per catch (20.3) and TD receptions (11) and earned All-MW accolades.

Prior to coming to Wyoming, Grant spent the previous five seasons at the University of North Texas where he coached the wide receivers, the running backs and served as recruiting coordinator during his time there.

Grant has been part of 21 bowl teams -- 16 as a coach and five as a player. In his four seasons (1993-96) as a recruiting assistant and graduate assistant at his alma mater, the University of Nebraska, he was part of Husker teams that won National Championships in 1994 and '95. Nebraska posted back-to-back undefeated seasons in 1994 (13-0) and '95 (12-0), and posted an 11-2 record in 1996, finishing that season ranked No. 6 in the national polls. Grant helped coach the tight ends and offensive tackles at NU. He was on the same staff at Nebraska in 1995 and '96 as current Wyoming head coach Craig Bohl.

Wyoming's 2020 offense again featured one of the most effective rushing attacks in the country among FBS teams. The Pokes ranked No. 14 in the nation in rushing, averaging 219.5 rushing yards per game. UW's passing attack also ranked No. 7 nationally in passing yards per completion (14.84 yards per pass completion). The Cowboys ranked No. 24 in fewest turnovers committed (9 total turnovers) and were No. 32 in red-zone offense (converting 23 of 26 red-zone opportunities into points). Redshirt freshman wide receiver Isaiah Neyor earned Honorable Mention All-Mountain West honors from MW head coaches and media, while averaging 31.0 yards per reception. If Neyor would have caught four more passes, he would have met the NCAA minimum of 2.0 catches per game and would have led the nation in yards per catch.

The 2019 season saw the Cowboy offense rank No. 2 in the Mountain West and No. 23 in the nation in rushing offense, averaging 214.8 yards per game. The Cowboy offense also ranked No. 10 in the NCAA in passing yards per completion (14.75 yards per completion), No. 14 in fewest tackles for loss allowed (4.62 per game), No. 26 in fewest fumbles lost (6), No. 32 in third-down conversions (43.3 percent), No. 32 in fewest sacks allowed (1.62 per game) and No. 33 in fewest turnovers committed (15). The Cowboys concluded the season with an 8-5 record and captured the Arizona Bowl championship.

In 2018, the Wyoming Cowboys would win their last four games of the season to earn bowl eligibility at 6-6. In spite of the UW offense being in transition after former Cowboy quarterback Josh Allen became the No. 7 overall selection in the 2018 NFL Draft, the Wyoming offense hit its stride during that four-game winning streak to end the 2018 season. During that four-game win streak, the Pokes averaged 31.0 points and 415.5 yards per game. UW's 2018 offense also ranked No. 1 in the MW and No. 4 in the nation in fewest turnovers, committing only 11 total turnovers for the year.

Grant helped coach a Wyoming offense in 2017 that was extremely efficient in the red zone, scoring on 33 of 34 red-zone opportunities to rank No. 2 in the nation. The offense also did an excellent job of protecting the ball, committing only 14 turnovers to rank No. 19 in the country. UW's offense combined with its defense (38 turnovers forced) to rank No. 1 in the nation in turnover margin, with a +24 turnover margin. Wyoming would record eight wins for the second straight season, and the Pokes posted a convincing 37-14 win in the Famous Idaho Potato Bowl over Central Michigan. In that bowl victory, all three of Wyoming's offensive touchdowns came on touchdown passes to Wyoming wide receivers.

During Grant's first season with the Wyoming Cowboys in 2016, he coached senior wide receiver Tanner Gentry, who earned Second Team All-Mountain West honors and signed a free-agent contract with the Chicago Bears in the spring of 2017. Gentry was named to the Biletnikoff Award Watch List for the second consecutive year. He caught 14 touchdown passes in 2016 to lead the Mountain West Conference and rank No. 9 in the nation. Gentry's 1,326 receiving yards in 2016 also led the MW and ranked 12th in the NCAA. He averaged 94.7 receiving yards per game, ranking him No. 3 in the conference and No. 21 in the country. His 18.42 yards per reception was 27th best in the nation. Grant also coached senior wide receiver Jake Maulhardt, who was invited to the New Orleans Saints rookie camp in the spring of 2017.

Grant was part of a coaching staff that led the 2016 Cowboy offense to a very productive season. The Pokes averaged 35.9 points per game to rank No. 2 in the Mountain West and No. 25 in the nation. The passing game, averaged 15.3 yards per completion to rank No. 8 in the NCAA, and in red-zone offense the Pokes converted 90.6 percent of their red-zone opportunities into scores to rank 14th in the country. Wyoming's offense ranked No. 1 in the MW and No. 22 in the NCAA in first downs (312), was No. 32 in the nation in time of possession (31:34), ranked No. 33 in the country in passing efficiency (143.82 rating) and No. 36 in the nation in rushing offense, averaging 205.4 yards per game.

Grant earned his first full-time coaching position in 1997, coaching the wide receivers and tight ends at James Madison University. Grant has coached at the Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) level for the past 24 seasons, including: nine seasons at Iowa State (1998-06), one season at Southern Miss (2007), three at Western Michigan (2008-10), five seasons at North Texas (2011-15) and now six seasons at Wyoming (2016-Present).

While at North Texas, Grant started out as the running backs coach for two seasons in 2011 and '12. As the running backs coach, Grant coached Lance Dunbar, who became the career rushing leader in North Texas history and earned All-Sun Belt Conference honors. Grant took over as the wide receivers coach from 2013-15 and added recruiting coordinator responsibilities in 2014 and '15. Among the top receivers he coached at North Texas were Brelan Chancellor, who in 2013 became the first player in Conference USA history to earn First Team All-Conference honors as both a punt returner and kickoff returner. Chancellor also earned Second Team All-Conference honors at wide receiver. Wide receiver Darnell Smith was an Honorable Mention All-Conference honoree in 2013. In 2015, wide receiver Carlos Harris finished his career No. 2 in North Texas school history in career receptions, No. 5 in career receiving yards and No. 9 in career all-purpose yards.

While coaching the wide receivers at Western Michigan from 2008-10, Grant coached four All-Mid-American Conference receivers. In 2010, he had two receivers, Jordan White and Juan Nunez, record 1,000-yard receiving seasons and each caught over 90 passes. White set a school single-season record with 1,378 receiving yards in 2010 on way to earning Honorable Mention All-America honors from CNN/SI and First Team All-MAC honors. He also concluded his career as Western Michigan's career record holder for receiving yards.

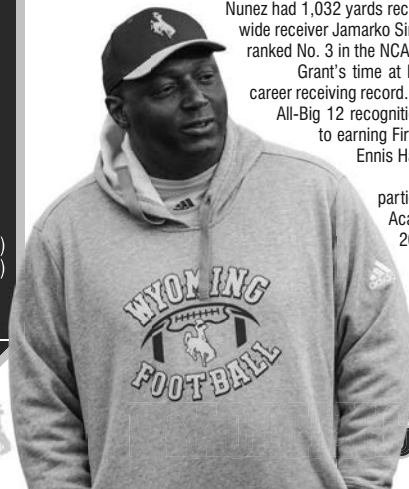
Nunez had 1,032 yards receiving in 2010 and also earned First Team All-MAC honors. In 2008, Grant coached wide receiver Jamarko Simmons, who led the MAC in receptions (98) and receiving yards (1,100). Simmons ranked No. 3 in the NCAA in receptions in 2008 and earned Second Team All-America honors.

Grant's time at Iowa State included him coaching two receivers who would break the Iowa State career receiving record. In 2002, Lane Danielson became the Cyclones' all-time leading receiver and earned All-Big 12 recognition. Then three years later in 2005, Todd Blythe broke Danielson's record on way to earning First Team All-Big 12 honors. Grant also coached First Team All-Big 12 running back Ennis Haywood in 2000.

Grant has continued to develop his coaching skills throughout his career. He participated in the 2009 NCAA Football Coach's Academy, the 2013 NCAA/NFL Coach's Academy and the Bill Walsh NFL Minority Internship Program, serving an internship in 2013 with the Buffalo Bills.

A quarterback at Nebraska from 1988-92, he was a three-year letterwinner and was named to the Phillips 66 Academic All-Big Eight Honor Roll. He earned his bachelor's degree in communication studies from Nebraska in 1993, added a second bachelor's degree in journalism with a concentration in advertising in 1995 and has completed his course work for his master's degree in mass communication.

He and his wife, Nina, have one daughter, Mireia.





GORDIE HAUG

(Bemidji State '09)

Running Backs/Director of Player Personnel

Gordie Haug coached Wyoming's running backs for the fourth consecutive season in 2021, and he continues in his role as Director of Player Personnel. In previous years at Wyoming, he has served as the Director of Recruiting and wide receivers coach.

Each of Haug's first three seasons coaching the Wyoming running backs UW had the league's No. 1 rusher and a First Team All-Mountain West selection -- Xazavian Valladay in 2019 and '20 and Nico Evans in 2018. In 2021, the Cowboys as a team ranked No. 2 in the Mountain West and No. 29 in the nation in rushing offense (195.1 yards per game). Wyoming's offense featured two running backs who earned All-Conference recognition in Xazavian Valladay, who ranked third in the MW in rushing (82.0 yards per game), and Titus Swen, who ranked 12th (61.4 ypg).

Wyoming's 2020 offense again featured one of the most effective rushing attacks in the country among FBS teams. The Pokes ranked No. 14 in the nation in rushing, averaging 219.5 rushing yards per game. UW's passing attack also ranked No. 7 nationally in passing yards per completion (14.84 yards per pass completion). The Cowboys ranked No. 24 in fewest turnovers committed (9 total turnovers) and were No. 32 in red-zone offense (converting 23 of 26 red-zone opportunities into points). Valladay averaged 110.0 rushing yards per game to lead the Mountain West and rank No. 17 in the nation. He also averaged 131.00 all-purpose yards per game to rank No. 27 nationally. Valladay had two 100-yard rushing games in the five games he played in 2020. He ran for 147 yards at Colorado State and had 163 rushing yards versus Hawai'i.

In 2019, the Cowboy offense ranked No. 23 in the nation in rushing offense, averaging 214.8 yards per game. Valladay rushed for 1,265 yards to lead the league. He averaged 105.4 rushing yards per game to rank No. 18 in the nation. He also led the conference and ranked No. 26 nationally in all-purpose yards, averaging 124.08 yards per game. Valladay's 204-yard performance in Wyoming's 38-17 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl victory earned him a spot on the 2019 Associated Press All-Bowl Team. He also caught three passes for 91 yards in the bowl win and scored one touchdown rushing and one receiving while accounting for 295 all-purpose yards. Valladay was one of only three running backs in the nation named to the AP All-Bowl Team, joining Penn State's Journey Brown and Florida's Lamical Perine. Valladay rushed for 100 or more yards seven times in the 12 games he played in 2019, and he rushed for over 200 yards twice. His best games were 206 rushing yards vs. Nevada and 204 against Georgia State in the Arizona Bowl. His other five 100-yard rushing games included: 118 vs. Missouri, 127 vs. New Mexico, 124 at Boise State, 114 at Utah State and 154 vs. Colorado State. Valladay showed his potential in the final game of his redshirt freshman season of 2018 when he carried the ball 22 times for 192 yards and scored two rushing touchdowns in a 31-3 road win over the New Mexico Lobos.

The 2019 Cowboy offense also ranked No. 10 in the NCAA in passing yards per completion (14.75 yards per completion), No. 14 in fewest tackles for loss allowed (4.62 per game), No. 26 in fewest fumbles lost (6), No. 32 in third-down conversions (43.3 percent), No. 32 in fewest sacks allowed (1.62 per game) and No. 33 in fewest turnovers committed (15). The Cowboys concluded the season with an 8-5 record and captured the Arizona Bowl championship.

In his first season coaching the Cowboy running backs, Haug worked with 2018 senior Nico Evans, who led the Mountain West and ranked No. 4 in the nation in rushing as he averaged 132.5 rushing yards per game. Evans also led the MW and ranked No. 12 in the NCAA in all-purpose yards (139.1 yards per game). His 1,325 net rushing yards ranked as the No. 4 best single season in University of Wyoming history. Evans earned First Team All-Mountain West honors and played in the NFLPA Collegiate Bowl, an All-Star game for college seniors leading up to the NFL Draft. He signed a free-agent deal with the Philadelphia Eagles following the 2019 NFL Draft.

Haug also coached running backs at North Dakota State in 2012 and '13. Over his five previous seasons coaching running backs (2012, '13, '18, '19 and '20), Haug has had six running backs rush for 1,000 yards in a single season. The 2012 and '13 NDSU teams had two running backs rush for 1,000 yards in each of those seasons.

In 2018, Wyoming's rushing attack ranked No. 4 in the Mountain West and No. 39 in the NCAA in rushing as a team. UW's offense also ranked No. 1 in the MW and No. 4 in the nation in fewest turnovers, committing only 11 total turnovers for the year. In spite of the Wyoming offense being in transition with two young quarterbacks in Sean Chambers and Tyler Vander Waal guiding the offense after former Cowboy Josh Allen moved on to the NFL as the No. 7 overall pick in the 2018 NFL Draft, the Wyoming offense hit its stride during a four-game winning streak to end the 2018 season. During that four-game win streak, UW's offense averaged 31.0 points and 415.5 yards per game.

Haug has been very innovative in directing recruiting efforts for Cowboy Football. He has also coordinated summer camps for Wyoming Football in the past, and has built a very extensive and productive summer satellite camp program.

In 2015 while maintaining his duties as Director of Recruiting, Haug also coached the Wyoming wide receivers. Junior wide receiver Tanner Gentry was named to the Biletnikoff Award Watch List in 2015.

Haug came to Wyoming from North Dakota State where he was a member of head coach Craig Bohl's coaching staff for the 2012 and 2013 seasons, working as an offensive assistant.

In Haug's two years on the NDSU staff, the Bison posted a combined overall record of 29-1 and a Missouri Valley Football Conference record of 15-1, while capturing back-to-back Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) National Championships.

The 2013 NDSU squad became the first undefeated (15-0) FCS National Champion since Marshall went 15-0 to win the 1996 title. That 15-0 record by the Bison also set a North Dakota State school record. NDSU extended its winning streak to 24 consecutive games with the 2013 FCS Championship. That tied both the FCS and NDSU records for consecutive victories. The University of Pennsylvania set the FCS record of 24 consecutive wins from 1992-95. Montana later tied the record from 2001-02. The NDSU record was originally set from 1964-66.

Haug coached the running backs at North Dakota State in 2012 and '13. Each of those two seasons, NDSU had two individuals rush for over 1,000 yards. In 2013, Sam Ojuri rushed for 1,398 yards and John Crockett rushed for 1,277 yards. The 2012 season saw Ojuri rush for 1,047 yards and Crockett rush for 1,038.

In 2013, the North Dakota State offense ranked No. 10 in the nation in scoring offense (38.7 points per game), No. 7 in rushing offense (257.3 yards per game), No. 14 in total offense (457.5 yards per game), No. 1 in third-down efficiency (55.4%), No. 3 in passing efficiency (164.9) and No. 6 in red-zone offense (89.2%). The 2013 NDSU offense also was one of only 12 FCS teams to average 200+ yards rushing and 200+ yards passing per game. The 2012 Bison offense ranked No. 7 in the nation in third-down efficiency (50.7%) and No. 16 in red-zone offense (89.2%).

Before joining the North Dakota State staff, Haug spent five years (2007-11) coaching at his alma mater, Bemidji State University in Minnesota. He began as a student assistant for two years (2007-08), working with the linebackers. Haug then moved into a graduate assistant role for two seasons (2009-10), working with the running backs. He became a full-time assistant coach on the staff his final season (2011), coaching the defensive line.

At Bemidji State, Haug was also involved in recruiting and assisted with the strength and conditioning program.

He earned his bachelor's degree in community health in 2009 and master's degree in sports science in 2011, both from Bemidji State.



Gordie Haug

Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming: 8th
Years in College Football: 15th

Personal

Single

Education

Bemidji State '11 Master's in Sports Science
Bemidji State '09 Bachelor's in Community Health

Playing Experience

Bemidji State Linebacker 2005-06

Year-by-Year Coaching History

Year	Team	Position
2018-Present	Wyoming	Running Backs/ Director of Player Personnel
2016-17	Wyoming	Director of Recruiting
2015	Wyoming	Wide Receivers/ Director of Recruiting
2014	Wyoming	Director of Recruiting
2012-13	NDSU	Running Backs
2011	Bemidji State	Assistant Coach (Defensive Line)
2009-10	Bemidji State	Graduate Assistant (RBs/Strength)
2007-08	Bemidji State	Student Assistant (Linebackers)

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2019	Wyoming	Arizona Bowl Champions
2017	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Champions
2016	Wyoming	Poinsettia Bowl
2016	Wyoming	MW Championship Game
2013	NDSU	FCS National Champions
2012	NDSU	FCS National Champions

Where He Recruits

Northern California and Southern California





COWBOY COACHES

PETE KALIGIS

(Washington '94)

Defensive Run-Game Coordinator/Defensive Tackles and Nose Tackles



Pete Kaligis

Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming: 13th
Years as a College Coach: 28th

Personal

Wife: Kristine
Children: Harlie Grace and Cooper

Education

Washington '94 Bachelor's in Sociology and Law Enforcement

Playing Experience

Washington Offensive Lineman 1990-94 (All-American in Track and Field)

Year-by-Year Coaching History

2020-Present	Wyoming	Defensive Run Game Coordinator/DTS
2014-19	Wyoming	Defensive Tackles
2013	Wyoming	Asst. Head Coach/Off. Coord./RBs
2012	Wyoming	Asst. Head Coach/OL/RBs
2009-2011	Wyoming	Offensive Line
2006-08	Montana	Offensive Line
2005	Montana	TEs and OTs
2002-04	Washington	Head Strength and Conditioning Coach
1999-01	Washington	Asst. Strength and Conditioning Coach
1998-99	Meridian Middle School	Coach
1996-97	Western Washington	DL & Strength Coach
1994-95	Western Washington	TEs & Strength Coach

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2019	Wyoming	Arizona Bowl Champions
2017	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Champions
2016	Wyoming	Poinsettia Bowl
2016	Wyoming	MW Championship Game
2011	Wyoming	Gildan New Mexico Bowl
2009	Wyoming	New Mexico Bowl Champions
2008	Montana	NCAA FCS National Runner-up
2007	Montana	NCAA FCS First Round
2006	Montana	NCAA FCS Semifinals
2005	Montana	NCAA FCS First Round
2002	Washington	Sun Bowl
2000	Washington	Rose Bowl Champions
1999	Washington	Holiday Bowl
1996	Western Washington	NAIA Div. II National Runner-up
1995	Western Washington	NAIA Division II First Round
1994	Western Washington	NAIA Division II Quarterfinals

Where He Recruits

Central California, Oregon and Washington

Pete Kaligis was promoted to the position of Defensive Run-Game Coordinator in February of 2020. He coached the Wyoming defensive tackles and nose tackles for the eighth straight year in 2021. Kaligis was the longest serving assistant coach on the Cowboy coaching staff in 2021. He coached at Wyoming for his 13th consecutive year this season. The 2021 season marked Kaligis' 28th season as a coach. Wyoming's defense once again ranked among the country's best. The Cowboys ranked No. 7 in the FBS in pass defense, allowing opponents only 177.5 yards per game. UW's defense ranked 36th out of 130 teams in the nation in scoring defense (22.5 points per game) and No. 37 in total defense (346.6 yards per game). Kaligis coached nose tackle Cole Godbout in 2021. Godbout received All-Mountain Conference recognition in '21.

"Pete (Kaligis) has been a valuable asset to our defense," said Bohl. "His role will increase with these new responsibilities. He transitioned from being an offensive coach prior to joining our staff to becoming a very effective defensive coach who does a great job mentoring his players. He is well versed in our defense and will be a great resource to the new coaches joining our defensive staff."

"In 2009, my family and I fell in love with this community," said Kaligis. "At that time, I had two major goals with the first being the desire to be the best coach and representative I could possibly be for the University of Wyoming. The second goal was on a more personal level and that was to have the opportunity for my family - who sacrifices a great deal for me to continue in this profession - to remain in Laramie, allowing my kids to graduate from Laramie High School."

"When Coach Bohl was hired, I interviewed and accepted a position that moved me from one side of the ball (offense) to the other (defense), which obviously meant a steep learning curve. The fact that in a few short years he has the confidence in me to provide me this new challenge means a great deal and is incredibly motivating, as it adds a new dimension to my studies. I have always considered it an honor and privilege to work with the young men I coach."

In 2020, the Wyoming defense was among the best in the nation, ranking No. 16 in the nation in total defense, allowing opponents only 328.0 yards per game. UW's defense also ranked No. 21 in rushing defense (125.3 yards per game), No. 24 in scoring defense (21.0 points per game) and No. 29 in pass defense (202.7 yards per game). Kaligis' interior defensive line group was made up of a group of young players in 2020, and that group stepped up and played outstanding football throughout the season.

Kaligis was part of a defensive staff that coached the Cowboys to a No. 11 ranking in the nation in scoring defense (17.8 points per game allowed) and No. 11 in rushing defense (107.1 rushing yards allowed) in 2019. Wyoming's defense also was No. 6 in the country in red-zone defense (allowing opponents to convert only 68.9 percent of the time) and scored three defensive touchdowns to rank No. 12 in the FBS. UW's defensive performance in 2019 helped the Pokes to an 8-5 record and a victory in the NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl. He had a young interior defensive line group who played extremely effectively together.

Wyoming was also one of the best defensive teams in the nation in 2018. The Cowboys ranked No. 19 in the nation in total defense (allowing opponents only 326.2 yards per game), were No. 25 in the NCAA in rushing defense (129.5 yards per game), ranked No. 28 in scoring defense (giving up only 22.0 points per game) and were No. 32 in pass defense (196.7 yards per game). The UW defense also ranked No. 16 in the country in fewest first downs allowed to opponents (223). One of the Cowboy seniors coached by Kaligis in 2018 was nose tackle Sidney Malauulu, who attended rookie camp with the San Francisco 49ers following the 2019 NFL Draft.

In 2017, the Cowboy defense enjoyed an exceptional season. Wyoming's defense ranked No. 1 in the nation in takeaways in 2017, forcing 38 opponent turnovers. The Pokes ranked No. 9 in the country in scoring defense, allowing opponents only 17.5 points per game. UW ranked No. 1 in the NCAA in fumbles recovered (18), No. 2 in the nation in interceptions (20), No. 8 in defensive touchdowns scored (4 TDs), No. 13 in pass defense (174.9 passing yards allowed), and No. 23 in total defense (335.2 total yards allowed).

Kaligis' interior defensive line unit in 2016 was led by senior nose tackle Chase Appleby, who made two of the biggest plays of the season for the Cowboys. Appleby returned an interception 55 yards versus Colorado State for what proved to be the winning touchdown for the Cowboys. Later in the season against No. 13 ranked Boise State, Appleby created a game-winning safety to give Wyoming a 30-28 victory that resulted in Wyoming winning the Mountain Division of the Mountain West Conference. The Pokes went on to host the 2016 MW Championship Game and earn a bid to the San Diego County Credit Union Poinsettia Bowl.

As a unit, the 2016 Cowboy defense scored five defensive touchdowns to rank No. 1 in the Mountain West and No. 3 in the nation. Wyoming recovered 12 opponent fumbles, ranking No. 1 in the MW and No. 15 in the NCAA. The Cowboys' 15 interceptions were second best in the conference and 22nd nationally. UW's 27 total forced turnovers ranked No. 2 in the Mountain West and No. 10 in the country.

In his first season coaching the Cowboys' interior defensive line in 2014, he coached senior defensive tackle Patrick Mertens. Mertens signed as a free agent with the Baltimore Ravens of the NFL following his senior year.

During his previous years coaching at the college level, Kaligis has been a part of 15 teams that advanced to postseason play, including eight bowl appearances with NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision teams. Five of those bowl appearances have come at Wyoming, including the Cowboys' victory in the 2019 Arizona Bowl, UW's win in the 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl, appearance in the 2016 San Diego County Credit Union Poinsettia Bowl, bid to the 2011 Gildan New Mexico Bowl and win in the 2009 New Mexico Bowl. Kaligis was a strength and conditioning coach at Washington when the Huskies played in the 1999 Holiday Bowl, won the 2000 Rose Bowl (defeating Purdue, 34-24) and played in the 2002 Sun Bowl.

Kaligis served as Wyoming's assistant head coach, co-offensive coordinator and running backs coach in 2013. Sophomore running back Shaun Wick narrowly missed the 1,000-yard plateau in 2013, rushing for 979 yards. Wick ended his Wyoming career in 2016 with 2,533 career rushing yards to rank No. 6 on the Wyoming career list. For the 2012 season, Kaligis was promoted to assistant head coach and coached both the Cowboy offensive line and running backs. Kaligis' first three years at Wyoming (2009-11) he coached the Cowboy offensive line.

In 2013, Wyoming ranked 22nd in the nation in total offense (472.8 yards per game) and 26th in passing offense (282.4 yards per game). The Wyoming offense ranked second in the Mountain West Conference and 38th in the nation in passing offense in 2012, averaging 265.4 yards per game.

The 2012 season saw Kaligis coach First Team All-Mountain West center Nick Carlson. Carlson was named to the Rimington Trophy Watch List for the second time his senior season. The Rimington Trophy honors the nation's top center each season. Carlson was also named to the 2012 Rotary Lombardi Award Watch List, and was one of only 10 national finalists for the ARA Sportsmanship Award as a senior. Carlson (Tampa Bay Buccaneers) and senior offensive tackles Josh Leonard (Oakland Raiders) and Kyle Magnuson (Oakland Raiders) each were invited to NFL camps as free agents following their senior seasons.

In 2011, the Cowboy offense ranked No. 11 in the nation in fewest sacks allowed, allowing only 12 sacks in 13 games. Three UW offensive linemen earned Mountain West All-Conference honors in 2011. Senior tackle Clayton Kirven and junior center Nick Carlson were named Second Team All-Mountain West. Sophomore offensive guard Tyler Strong earned Honorable Mention All-Conference recognition. Carlson was named to the Rimington Trophy Watch List for the first time in 2011.

Kaligis coached sophomore center Carlson in 2010. Carlson went on to earn Honorable Mention All-Mountain West Conference honors. One of Kaligis' 2009 Cowboys, offensive tackle Ryan Otterson, signed a free-agent contract with the San Diego Chargers following the 2010 NFL Draft.

An outstanding college football player and track and field athlete, Kaligis started all 12 games at offensive guard for the Washington Huskies and former head football coach Don James when they captured the 1991 National Championship. The Huskies posted a perfect 12-0 record and defeated Michigan, 34-14, in the Rose Bowl on Jan. 1, 1992, to win the national title. Kaligis was a member of the Husky Football team from 1990-94.

He was an All-American in track and field in the shot put. He won the gold medal at the 1995 U.S. Olympic Festival, and placed third in the 1995 University Games. He participated in the 1996 Olympic Trials in track and field in the shot put.

Kaligis earned his B.A. degree in sociology and law enforcement at Washington in 1994. He and his wife, Kristine, have a daughter, Harlie Grace, and a son, Cooper.





SHANNON MOORE

(Black Hills State '00)

Co-Special Teams Coordinator/Tight Ends/Fullbacks

Shannon Moore completed his third season coaching the Wyoming tight ends and fullbacks and coordinating special teams in 2021. He joined the Wyoming coaching staff in January 2019. Moore came to Wyoming after spending the previous three years at East Carolina University. In 2021, the Cowboys ranked No. 2 in the Mountain West and No. 29 in the nation in rushing offense (195.1 yards per game). UW's tight ends and fullbacks blocked for two running backs who earned All-Conference recognition in Kazavian Valladay, who ranked third in the MW in rushing (82.0 yards per game), and Titus Swen, who ranked 12th (61.4 ypg). On special teams, kickoff returner Cameron Stone also achieved All-Mountain West honors.

Wyoming's 2020 offense again featured one of the most effective rushing attacks in the country among FBS teams. The Pokes ranked No. 14 in the nation in rushing, averaging 219.5 rushing yards per game. UW's passing attack also ranked No. 7 nationally in passing yards per completion (14.84 yards per pass completion). The Cowboys ranked No. 24 in fewest turnovers committed (9 total turnovers) and were No. 32 in red-zone offense (converting 23 of 26 red-zone opportunities into points). The tight end group combined for 12 catches for 184 yards in six games, with sophomore Treyton Welch leading the group with five receptions for 95 yards. Moore's tight ends and fullbacks were key in opening holes for junior running back Kazavian Valladay, who earned First Team All-Mountain West honors and led the league in rushing for the second consecutive season. Valladay averaged 110.0 rushing yards per game to not only lead the Mountain West but rank No. 17 in the nation. He also averaged 131.00 all-purpose yards per game to rank No. 27 nationally. Valladay had two 100-yard rushing games in the five games he played in 2020. He ran for 147 yards at Colorado State and had 163 rushing yards versus Hawai'i.

In 2019, the Cowboy offense ranked No. 2 in the Mountain West and No. 23 in the nation in rushing offense, averaging 214.8 yards per game. The Cowboy offense also ranked No. 10 in the NCAA in passing yards per completion (14.75 yards per completion), No. 14 in fewest tackles for loss allowed (4.62 per game), No. 26 in fewest fumbles lost (6), No. 32 in third-down conversions (43.3 percent), No. 32 in fewest sacks allowed (1.62 per game) and No. 33 in fewest turnovers committed (15). The Cowboy fullbacks and tight ends helped block for running back Valladay, who earned First Team All-Mountain West honors for the 2019 season. Valladay rushed for 1,265 yards to lead the league. He averaged 105.4 rushing yards per game to rank No. 18 in the nation. He also led the conference and ranked No. 26 nationally in all-purpose yards, averaging 124.08 yards per game. Valladay was one of only three running backs in the nation named to the Associated Press All-Bowl team. Moore's tight ends combined for 29 receptions for 391 yards and four touchdowns in 2019, and were led by senior team captain Josh Harshman from Casper, Wyo., who had 20 catches for 264 yards and two TDs. On special teams, Wyoming ranked No. 1 in the Mountain West and No. 4 in the nation in kickoff returns, averaging 27.73 yards per return. UW was No. 4 in the MW and No. 34 in the NCAA in punt returns, averaging 10.76 yards per return, and senior punt returner Austin Conway ranked No. 2 in the conference and No. 14 nationally in punt returns (10.8 yards per return). Conway was named Second Team All-Mountain West as a return specialist in voting by conference head coaches and media.

A native of Gordon, Neb., Moore has been coaching at the college level for 17 of the last 18 seasons. The other season he was the head coach of the Wyoming Cavalry of the National Indoor Football League.

He came to Wyoming from East Carolina University, which is a member of the American Athletic Conference. Moore coached at East Carolina for three seasons from 2016-18. His first two seasons, he coached the tight ends and coordinated the special teams for the Pirates, including coordinating the field goal, punt and kickoff return and punt and kickoff coverage teams. In 2016, punter Worth Gregory earned All-American Athletic Conference honors and place-kicker Davis Plowman ranked No. 2 in the AAC in field goals made per game and in field-goal percentage. The 2017 season saw punter Austin Barnes lead the AAC in punting and rank No. 19 in the nation, while place-kicker Jake Verity ranked No. 2 in the AAC and No. 33 in the nation in field goals made per game. Punter Worth went to minicamp with the Jacksonville Jaguars when his college career ended in 2016, and tight end Stephen Baggett earned a spot in the Cleveland Browns' preseason camp following his senior season of 2017. Moore's final season, he continued to coach the tight ends, while also being given the responsibility of being East Carolina's recruiting coordinator.

Before joining the East Carolina coaching staff, Moore coached for two seasons (2014-15) at Florida International University where he served as the special teams coordinator both seasons. His 2014 Panther special teams' units ranked No. 1 overall in Conference USA in special teams combined rankings, and his 2015 special teams were No. 3 overall. Punt returner Richard Leonard led Conference USA

in punt returns both seasons and earned First Team All-Conference honors as a punt returner in both 2014 and '15. Leonard set a new FIU single-season school record for punt returns in 2014, averaging 23.76 yards per return. Leonard went on to play for the Hamilton Tiger Cats of the Canadian Football League. The Panthers ranked No. 1 in C-USA in punt returns as a team in 2014 and ranked No. 2 in the nation. Moore's 2015 special teams led the league and ranked among the country's best in punt return average (10.8 yards per return), most blocked kicks (four) and fewest blocks allowed (zero).

Moore coached for eight seasons as a full-time assistant coach at South Dakota State (2006-13) and two years at SDSU as a graduate assistant (2003-04). During his time at South Dakota State, he coordinated special teams and coached tight ends his last four seasons from 2010-13. Prior to that, Moore coached the running backs and tight ends from 2006-08, before taking on the duties of special teams coordinator and quarterbacks coach during the 2009 season.

During his tenure with the Jackrabbits, Moore coached four All-Conference running backs and a pair of All-Conference tight ends. At running back, Kyle Minett developed into a two-time All-America honoree while ranking second in career rushing with 4,277 yards. Anthony Watson and Cory Koenig also ended their careers in the top five on SDSU's career rushing chart. Moore played an instrumental role in the development of two-time All-Great West Football Conference tight end Chris Wagner, who later signed as a free agent with the Oakland Raiders. Moore also served as a mentor to tight end Colin Cochart, who earned First-Team All-Missouri Valley Football Conference honors in 2010 and later signed with the Cincinnati Bengals. The Jackrabbits consistently ranked among the top teams in the Missouri Valley Football Conference in several special teams categories under Moore's direction. SDSU ranked first or second in kickoff coverage in 2010 and 2011, while ranking among the Top 20 nationally for net punting in those respective campaigns. The Jackrabbits also ranked ninth nationally for kickoff returns with an average of 23.86 yards per return in 2010.

In addition to his coaching duties, Moore performed a key role in the academic success of the South Dakota State football program, which led its league in the number of Academic All-League selections in each of his eight seasons. In addition, six Jackrabbits earned Capital One Academic All-America honors, two received Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) Athletic Directors Association Postgraduate Scholarships and another pair were bestowed with NCAA Postgraduate Scholarships. Moore previously served as a graduate assistant at SDSU during the 2003 and 2004 seasons, working with the running backs, tight ends and special teams.

Before returning to Brookings, he served as head coach of the Wyoming Cavalry of the National Indoor Football League, where he compiled an 18-11 record over two seasons in 2004 and '05. In 2005, Moore led the Casper-based Cavalry to a franchise-best, 10-5 record and a playoff berth, while also serving as the team's offensive coordinator.

Moore played three seasons at Black Hills (S.D.) State, where he earned a bachelor's degree in secondary education in 2000. Moore completed his master's degree in educational administration in 2005 and his master's in sports administration in 2007, both from South Dakota State.

He and his wife, Lindsay, have one daughter, Mackenzie Rose.



Shannon Moore

Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming:	3rd
Years as a Coach:	19th

Personal

Wife:	Lindsay
Children:	Mackenzie Rose

Education

South Dakota State '07	Master's in Sports Administration
South Dakota State '05	Master's in Educational Administration
Black Hills State '00	Bachelor's in Secondary Education

Playing Experience

Black Hills State	Quarterback, 1997-99
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Year-by-Year Coaching History

2019-Present	Wyoming	Special Teams Coord./TEs/FBs
2018	East Carolina	Tight Ends/Recruiting Coord.
2016-17	East Carolina	Special Teams Coordinator/TEs
2014-15	Florida Int.	Special Teams Coordinator
2010-13	South Dakota St.	Special Teams Coordinator/TEs
2009	South Dakota St.	Special Teams Coordinator/QBs
2006-08	South Dakota St.	Running Backs and Tight Ends
2004-05	Wyoming Cavalry*	Head Coach
2003-04	South Dakota St.	Graduate Assistant

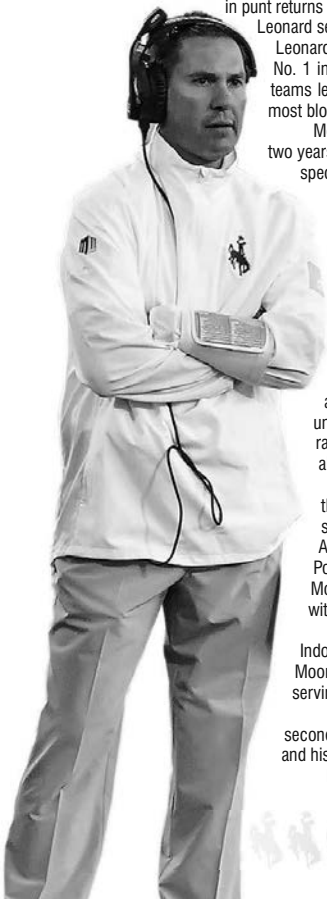
*Member of the National Indoor Football League

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2019	Wyoming	Arizona Bowl Champions
2013	S.D. State	FCS Second Round
2012	S.D. State	FCS Second Round
2009	S.D. State	FCS First Round

Where He Recruits

Wyoming and Dallas metropolitan area



ERIC DONOVAL

(Wisconsin-La Crosse '10)

Director of Sports Performance/

Head Football Strength and Conditioning Coach



Eric Donoval

Career Profile

Coaching Experience

Years at Wyoming: 4th
Years as a College Coach: 12th

Personal

Wife: Lindsay
Children: Marii

Education

LSU '12 Master's in Kinesiology & Sport Pedagogy
Wisconsin-La Crosse '10 Bachelor's in Exercise & Sport Science

Playing Experience

Wisconsin-LaCrosse Running Back, 2005-08

Year-by-Year Coaching History

2020-Present	Wyoming	Director of Sports Performance
2018-19	Wyoming	Asst. Strength & Conditioning Coach
2013-17	LSU	Asst. Strength & Conditioning Coach
2010-12	LSU	Graduate Asst. in Strength & Conditioning

Postseason Coaching Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2019	Wyoming	Arizona Bowl Champions
2017	LSU	Citrus Bowl
2016	LSU	Buffalo Wild Wings Citrus Bowl Champions
2015	LSU	Texas Bowl Champions
2014	LSU	Music City Bowl
2013	LSU	Outback Bowl Champions
2012	LSU	Chick-Fil-A Peach Bowl
2011	LSU	BCS National Runner-up
2010	LSU	Cotton Bowl Champions

Eric Donoval is in his second year serving as Director of Sports Performance for Cowboy Football. Donoval has been a member of the Wyoming Football strength and conditioning staff since January of 2018. He was the Associate Director of Sports Performance for Wyoming Football in 2018 and '19 before being promoted to the head position in January of 2020. In his current role, he oversees all strength and conditioning training for the Cowboy Football program, including supervising a staff of five full-time assistants, as well as graduate assistants coaches that work directly with football.

His first two years at Wyoming, Donoval was instrumental in working with the Cowboy Football skill positions, tailoring their strength and conditioning programs specifically to their position needs. During that time, he was very successful in helping Wyoming achieve bowl eligibility each of those two seasons and win the 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl Championship.

Donoval came to Wyoming from Louisiana State University (LSU) where he was an Assistant Strength and Conditioning Coach for the LSU football program from 2013-17. He worked directly in training the Tiger defensive backs and wide receivers. Donoval also created and taught the speed workouts for the entire Tiger football team. He was the head of the Polar GPS monitoring system utilized by LSU football to monitor and evaluate student-athletes' physical activity during both training sessions and competitions. He worked with the highly-respected strength and conditioning coach, Tommy Moffitt, at LSU. Donoval and his staff also use the Polar GPS system at Wyoming to monitor the performance of Wyoming Cowboy Football student-athletes.

Donoval has had the opportunity to work with some elite athletes at both Wyoming and LSU. At Wyoming, he has trained a number of players who went on to the NFL. Among those former Cowboys were: Marcus Epps, Carl Granderson, Tyler Hall, Cassh Maluia, Logan Wilson and Andrew Wingard. Donoval also worked with a number of high NFL Draft picks at LSU, including: Jamal Adams, Odell Beckham Jr., Leonard Fournette, Jarvis Landry, Tyrann Mathieu, Patrick Peterson, Devin White and Tre'Davious White.

Prior to becoming a full-time assistant at LSU, Donoval served as a graduate assistant strength and conditioning coach for the Tigers starting in the summer of 2010 through 2012. He worked with the sports of football and baseball as a graduate assistant, while serving as the head strength coach for both women's volleyball and men's golf.

During his time at LSU, the Tigers won the Cotton Bowl at the conclusion of the 2010 season. LSU played in the BCS National Championship game following the 2011 season, finishing as the national runner-up to Alabama. In 2012, LSU appeared in the Chick-Fil-A Peach Bowl. The Tigers won the Outback Bowl following the 2013 season and appeared in the Music City Bowl in 2014. LSU captured the Texas Bowl Championship in 2015, won the Buffalo Wild Wings Citrus Bowl in 2016 and appeared in the Citrus Bowl following the 2017 season.

Donoval was a student strength and conditioning coach and mentor at his alma mater, Wisconsin-La Crosse, from January 2008 to April 2010 while completing his undergraduate degree.

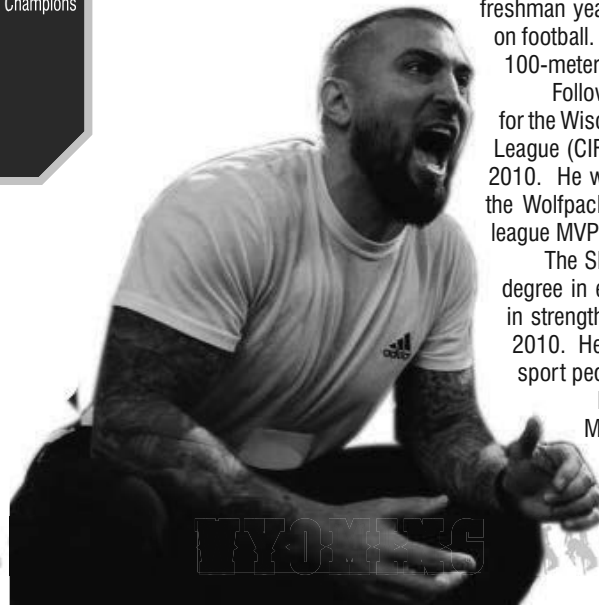
He was an accomplished college running back and return specialist at Wisconsin-La Crosse, earning First Team All-Conference honors as a return specialist and Honorable Mention All-Conference honors as a running back as a senior in 2008. Donoval was named his team's MVP in 2008. He also earned Honorable Mention All-Conference honors as a return specialist as a junior in 2007. He lettered in football all four years (2005-08) at Wisconsin-La Crosse. He also lettered in track and field his

freshman year of college before giving up that sport to focus on football. He competed in the 100 meters, 200 meters, 4 x 100-meter relay and 4 x 200-meter relay.

Following his college career, Donoval played football for the Wisconsin Wolfpack of the Continental Indoor Football League (CIFL) in Madison, Wis., from January 2009 to April 2010. He was a starting running back and slot receiver for the Wolfpack. Donoval led the CIFL in rushing and was a league MVP nominee in 2010.

The Sheboygan, Wis., native completed his bachelor's degree in exercise and sport science with a concentration in strength and conditioning from Wisconsin-La Crosse in 2010. He received his master's degree in kinesiology and sport pedagogy from LSU in 2012.

Donoval and his wife, Lindsay, have one daughter, Marii.





BRENT VERNON

(Missouri '08)

Associate Athletics Director for Football Operations

Brent Vernon was promoted to Associate Athletics Director for Football Operations in the summer of 2018. He was previously promoted to the position of Assistant Athletics Director for Football Operations in the spring of 2017. Vernon concluded his ninth year directing football operations for Wyoming Football in 2021 and his 13th year overall at Wyoming. He previously served in the roles of Executive Assistant to the Head Coach and Assistant Director of Football Operations in 2012. In 2011, Vernon served as Wyoming's Director of Recruiting, being promoted from his previous position as the Cowboys' offensive graduate assistant in 2009 and '10.

Wyoming's victory in the 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl was the ninth bowl game that Vernon had been a part of in his career. He of course shared in Wyoming's victory in the 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl, appearance in the 2016 San Diego County Credit Union Poinsettia Bowl, its appearance in the 2011 Gildan New Mexico Bowl and its 2009 New Mexico Bowl Championship. While a student assistant at Missouri, the Tigers appeared in four consecutive bowl games from 2005-08.

In his current role, Vernon coordinates a variety of administrative duties for Cowboy Football, including: planning team travel, monitoring the football budget, serving as a liaison with the UW academic counseling staff and helping coordinate team functions.

While serving as the Director of Recruiting in 2011, Vernon was responsible for coordinating all recruiting efforts for Cowboy Football, including: implementing Wyoming's recruiting plan for the year, scheduling recruiting travel, organizing recruiting weekends, assuring compliance with NCAA rules relative to recruiting and managing the recruiting budget.

Vernon was Wyoming's offensive graduate assistant in 2009 and 2010. He assisted with practice preparation, scout team coordination and a variety of other administrative and coaching duties for the Cowboy Offense. He also was involved in signaling plays from the sideline on game days.

He came to Wyoming in the winter of 2009 from the University of Missouri where he was a student assistant with the Mizzou Football program for five seasons from August 2004 to December 2008. At Missouri, he assisted the tight ends' coach, broke down practice and game film and prepared scouting reports. During that five-year span, Missouri enjoyed unprecedented success. The Tigers won the 2005 Independence Bowl over South Carolina, played Oregon State in the 2006 Sun Bowl, won the Cotton Bowl over Arkansas at the conclusion of the 2007 season and defeated Northwestern in the 2008 Alamo Bowl.

Vernon completed his bachelor of science degree in business administration, with an emphasis in management, at Missouri in December of 2008. Vernon achieved Dean's List honors all four years of college. He was also named the University of Missouri Athletics' Student Assistant of the Year in 2008.

Vernon and his wife, Emily, have one son, Theo.



Brent Vernon

Career Profile

Administrative Experience

Years at Wyoming: 13th
Years in College Football: 18th

Personal

Wife: Emily
Children: Theo

Education

Missouri '08 Bachelor's in Business Administration

Year-by-Year Administrative History

2017-Present	Wyoming	Associate A.D. for Football Operations
2013-2016	Wyoming	Director of Football Operations
2012	Wyoming	Executive Assistant to the Head Coach and Assistant Director of Football Operations
2011	Wyoming	Director of Recruiting
2009-2010	Wyoming	Offensive Graduate Assistant
2004-08	Missouri	Student Assistant

Postseason Administrative Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2019	Wyoming	Arizona Bowl Champions
2017	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Champions
2016	Wyoming	Poinsettia Bowl
2016	Wyoming	MW Championship Game
2011	Wyoming	Gildan New Mexico Bowl
2009	Wyoming	New Mexico Bowl Champions
2008	Missouri	Valero Alamo Bowl Champions
2007	Missouri	AT&T Cotton Bowl Champions (Jan. 1, 2008)
2006	Missouri	Sun Bowl
2005	Missouri	Independence Bowl Champions





ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

IAN MCGREW

Tennessee-Martin ('15)
Director of Recruiting

Ian McGrew was elevated to Director of Recruiting for the Wyoming Football program in the spring of 2019 after serving as the Assistant Director of Recruiting for Cowboy Football in 2018. McGrew is in his seventh season overall at Wyoming, previously serving as a recruiting graduate assistant. He originally served as an intern with the Cowboy Football program in 2015.

As Director of Recruiting, McGrew coordinates the evaluation of potential recruits and organizes coaches' recruiting schedules, as well as schedules recruit visits to campus. McGrew also serves as the Wyoming coaching staff's liaison to NFL scouting staffs when they visit the UW campus.

Among his duties as Wyoming's Assistant Director of Recruiting were: updating Wyoming's recruiting database, organizing and assisting in evaluation of potential recruits' videotape for review by the Cowboy coaching staff, helping coordinate campus visits by recruits and overseeing recruiting materials that were sent to potential recruits.

McGrew has been part of a Wyoming program that earned bowl eligibility in four consecutive seasons (2016-19). During that four-year span, the Cowboys captured the 2019 NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl Championship, the 2017 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl title, the 2016 Mountain Division of the Mountain West Conference, played in the 2016 MW Championship Game and went on to earn a spot in the San Diego County Credit Union Poinsettia Bowl. UW also earned bowl eligibility in 2018.

McGrew interned with the Arizona Rattlers of the Arena Football League prior to coming to Wyoming. He assisted with scouting and football operations with the Rattlers.

McGrew earned his bachelor's degree in sport business from the University of Tennessee-Martin in 2015. He is originally from Union City, Tenn.

PATTY OHANIAN

Christopher Newport University ('21)
Director of On-Campus Recruiting

Patty Ohanian joined the Wyoming Football program in the summer of 2021 as Director of On-Campus Recruiting.

Ohanian came to Wyoming from Gardner Webb University in Boiling Springs, N.C., where she served as On-Campus Recruiting Coordinator and Football Operations Coordinator. She developed plans for all on-campus recruiting activities and executed those plans. Ohanian was responsible for coordinating financial transactions connected with the Gardner Webb football program. She also helped coordinate hotel stays and team meals for the football program.

Prior to Gardner Webb, Ohanian was the Director of Football Operations at Christopher Newport University in Newport News, Va. Ohanian coordinated all team travel activities for the Christopher Newport football program and also organized and hosted football recruiting visits. Once on campus, she helped football student-athletes transition to university life. Ohanian also managed three social media accounts for the football program that were utilized to enhance recruiting.

Ohanian served as an intern to the Associate Athletics Director at Christopher Newport during the COVID-19 pandemic. She assisted in maintaining student-athletes well being during the pandemic, as well as assisting with developing testing protocols and testing budgets for over 550 student-athletes.

Ohanian graduated from Christopher Newport University where she was named a two-time First Team All-America softball player. She earned her bachelor's degree in economics from CNU and was president of the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee. Currently, Ohanian is pursuing an online master's degree in Sport Management from the University of Florida. The daughter of Nancy and Art Ohanian, her father is a 1979 Naval Academy football alumni.



Ian McGrew
Career Profile

Administrative Experience

Years at Wyoming: 7th
Years as a College Coach: 7th

Personal

Single

Education

Tennessee-Martin '15 Bachelor's in Sports Business

Year-by-Year Administrative History

2019-Present	Wyoming	Director of Recruiting
2018	Wyoming	Assistant Director of Recruiting
2015-17	Wyoming	Recruiting Intern
	Arizona Rattlers	Scouting and
	(Arena Football League)	Football Operations Intern

Postseason Administrative Experience

2021	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl
2019	Wyoming	Arizona Bowl Champions
2017	Wyoming	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl Champions
2016	Wyoming	Poinsettia Bowl
2016	Wyoming	MW Championship Game



JAKE CHAPMAN



Director of Recruiting Operations/Video Coordinator

Jake Chapman completed his eighth year as a member of the Wyoming Football staff. He accepted the additional responsibility of serving as Director of Recruiting Operations for the Wyoming Football program in the Spring of 2019. Chapman will provide technical support to the recruiting efforts of Cowboy Football, while continuing to serve as the Video Coordinator for the UW football program.

Chapman originally joined the Wyoming Athletics Department in January of 2014 as video coordinator for Cowboy Football. Chapman coordinates filming of all practice and game footage for Wyoming Football, and supervises a group of student filmers. He is proficient in utilizing XOS Thunder and DragonFly Software for editing practice footage. He posts edited video footage with the use of XOS ThunderCloud iPad software and makes that footage available to members of the Wyoming Football coaching staff and players for film study. Chapman also coordinates recruiting video on potential recruits, which is utilized by the Cowboy coaching staff in all recruiting efforts. He provides video content for a variety of recruiting events during the year. Management of UW Football meeting rooms is one of Chapman's other responsibilities. He also assists television networks when they arrive

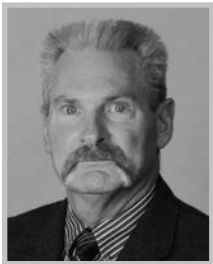
on campus by providing video footage for review by TV announce crews.

Prior to Wyoming, Chapman served as the football video coordinator at North Dakota State from 2012 through 2013. His responsibilities at NDSU mirrored those he performs as video coordinator at Wyoming. In addition, Chapman helped conduct facility and campus tours and assisted with coordinating recruit visit schedules for coaches.

Chapman's first video coordinator position came while he was a student at Ohio University. He served as the football video coordinator from 2009-12. In 2011, Chapman served as a ballpark operations intern at Goodyear Ballpark in Goodyear, Ariz. His initial work in minor-league baseball came as director of player operations and equipment manager for the Southern Ohio Copperheads from 2009-10.

He earned his bachelor's degree in sport management with minors in business administration and economics from Ohio U. in 2012.

DAVID KERNS



Head Football Athletic Trainer

David Kerns was hired as Head Athletic Trainer for Wyoming Football in the spring of 2019. The 2021 season marks his 37th working as an athletic trainer at the collegiate level. Kerns will oversee all athletic training operations for Cowboy Football, including supervising a staff of full-time athletic trainers and a group of student interns who will work directly with the football team.

He has been a Board of Certification (BOC) certified athletic trainer since 1985.

Kerns will work with student-athletes to help prevent, recognize, manage and rehabilitate injuries, while also collaborating with Wyoming Football team physicians to provide the best medical care for UW student-athletes.

For 25 years from 1994-2018, Kerns served as head football athletic trainer at West Virginia University in Morgantown, WVa. In addition to serving as the head football athletic trainer at West Virginia, Kerns also was a classroom and clinical instructor for the Athletic Training Approved Curriculum Program in the WVU College of Physical Activity and Sport Sciences.

Before joining the West Virginia Athletics Department, Kerns was an Assistant Athletic Trainer and Instructor at Ohio University for seven years from 1987-'94. While his title was Assistant Athletic Trainer, he served as the Head Athletic Trainer for the Bobcat Football team.

He began at Ohio U. as a graduate assistant athletic trainer from 1985 to 1987, working with the men's basketball team.

Kerns earned his bachelor's degree in health and physical education with an emphasis in athletic training from Penn State in January 1984. He also received his teaching certificate upon his graduation. He worked as the head athletic trainer at Redland High School in Lewisberry, Pa., for the 1984-85 academic year before entering graduate school at Ohio U. in 1985. Kerns completed his master's degree in physical education with a specialization in athletic training from Ohio in 1987.

Throughout his career, he has made numerous presentations at the state and district levels and has served on several National Athletic Trainers' Association (NATA) committees.

Kerns is originally from Harrisburg, Pa. His wife is Kelly Kerns.

HALEY WALSH



Cowboy Football Office Manager

Haley Walsh is in her 11th year as office manager for the Wyoming Football program, having joined the athletic department in June of 2011.

As one of the first staff members that visitors to the Wyoming Football program meet, Walsh is an important contributor in projecting a positive image for Cowboy Football. Included in her responsibilities are: helping coordinate coaches' travel, handling financial transactions for the program, assisting in preparing materials for practice preparation, maintaining coaches' schedules, aiding with recruiting, maintaining information on players and coaches and helping with summer camps.

Walsh came to the Cowboy Football program from the University of Wyoming Foundation where she worked from October of 2009 until June 2011. While at the UW Foundation, she was an administrative assistant to the major gift officers. Prior to that, she worked for the City Engineer in Sheridan, Wyo. for one year, and worked at the Albany County Clerk's Office in Laramie, Wyo.,

from 2003-08 as an election clerk.

Walsh is a 2001 graduate of Laramie High School. In December of 2019, she completed her bachelor's degree in general studies from the University of Wyoming. Walsh grew up on her family's ranch west of Laramie. Her husband, J.T. Walsh, is also a Laramie native and a graduate of the University of Wyoming. He is a local realtor.

GRADUATE ASSISTANTS



ERIC AMOAKO

Defensive Graduate Assistant

Eric Amoako is in his second year as a member of the Wyoming Football coaching staff. He will once again serve as a Defensive Graduate Assistant for the 2021 season, assisting in coaching the Cowboy defensive backs.

Amoako came to Wyoming from De Anza College, a community college in Cupertino, Calif., where he was an assistant football coach for the 2019 season. His first coaching position out of college was as the defensive backs coach at Juan Seguin High School in Arlington, Texas, for two seasons from 2017 to '18.

As a player, Amoako began his college career at the University of Oregon where he was a member of the Ducks' team for two seasons, 2012 and '13. He redshirted his first season at Oregon and then played one season as a redshirt freshman. Oregon won the Fiesta Bowl at the conclusion of the 2012 season and were Alamo Bowl Champions in 2013. Amoako transferred to Houston Baptist University for the 2014 and '15 seasons. He was a two-year starter at Houston Baptist as a cornerback and earned All-Southland Conference Honorable Mention honors as a sophomore in 2014. He started all 11 games and ranked third on the team with 60 tackles (52 solo tackles) in 2014. His junior season of 2015, he played in nine of 11 games and notched 31 tackles, including 17 solo tackles. Amoako transferred to the University of Minnesota for the 2016 season as a graduate transfer. He appeared in 12 games for the Golden Gophers. Minnesota went on to win the 2016 Holiday Bowl Championship.

Originally from Arlington, Texas, he was a Class 5A All-Area Second Team selection as a senior at Martin High School in Arlington. He completed his bachelor's degree in history at Houston Baptist in 2016 and received his master's degree in education from the University of Minnesota in 2017.



ETHAN NICHOL

Defensive Graduate Assistant

Ethan Nichol became a member of the Wyoming coaching staff in March 2020. He will be a Defensive Graduate Assistant for the second season in 2021 working with the Cowboy linebackers.

Prior to coming to Wyoming, Nichol was an assistant football coach at Heidelberg University, an NCAA Division III program in Tiffin, Ohio. Nichol was a full-time assistant coach at Heidelberg for the 2018 and 2019 seasons. He coached inside linebackers and was the special teams coach during his time at Heidelberg. He was also the Co-JV Head Coach, served as the team's strength and conditioning coordinator and video coordinator. He was a graduate assistant coach at Heidelberg for the 2016 and '17 seasons, coaching the Student Prince cornerbacks.

Nichol played his college football at The College of Wooster in Wooster, Ohio, from 2012-15. He ranked fourth on his team in tackles, was a three-time Academic All-Conference selection and was a National Football Foundation Hampshire Honor Society member as a senior.

He earned his bachelor's degree in English in May 2016 from Wooster, and completed his master's degree in educational leadership from Heidelberg in May 2018. He is engaged to his fiancée Brenna Davis.

COWBOY COACHES



COWBOY COACHING RECORDS

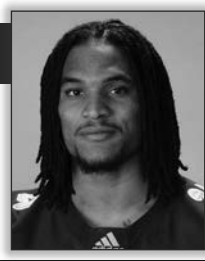
Year	Coach	Overall W-L-T	Home W-L-T	Road W-L-T	Neutral W-L-T	Year	Coach	Overall W-L-T	Home W-L-T	Road W-L-T	Neutral W-L-T
1893	Fred Hess	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1959	Bob Devaney	9-1-0	3-1-0	6-0-0	0-0-0
1894	F. Hess/J.F. Soule	3-0-0	3-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1960	Bob Devaney	8-2-0	4-0-0	4-2-0	0-0-0
1895	J.F. Soule	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1961	Bob Devaney	6-1-2	3-0-1	3-1-1	0-0-0
1896	J.F. Soule	2-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0		Devaney Totals	35-10-5	15-2-4	19-8-1	1-0-0
1897	J.F. Soule	2-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1962	Lloyd Eaton	5-5-0	2-2-0	3-3-0	0-0-0
1898	Fred Hess	0-4-0	0-3-0	0-1-0	0-0-0	1963	Lloyd Eaton	6-4-0	3-1-0	3-3-0	0-0-0
1899	J.F. Soule	0-1-1	0-0-1	0-1-0	0-0-0	1964	Lloyd Eaton	6-2-2	3-1-0	3-1-2	0-0-0
	Hess Totals	4-4-0	4-3-0	0-1-0	0-0-0	1965	Lloyd Eaton	6-4-0	4-0-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
	Soule Totals	8-1-1	7-0-1	1-1-0	0-0-0	1966	Lloyd Eaton	10-1-0	5-0-0	4-1-0	1-0-0
1900	William McMurray	3-3-0	2-0-0	1-3-0	0-0-0	1967	Lloyd Eaton	10-1-0	4-0-0	6-0-0	0-1-0
1901	William McMurray	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1968	Lloyd Eaton	7-3-0	4-0-0	3-3-0	0-0-0
1902	William McMurray	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1969	Lloyd Eaton	6-4-0	5-0-0	1-4-0	0-0-0
1903	William McMurray	3-2-0	3-0-0	0-2-0	0-0-0	1970	Lloyd Eaton	1-9-0	0-5-0	1-4-0	0-0-0
1904	William McMurray	4-1-1	2-1-1	2-0-0	0-0-0		Eaton Totals	57-33-2	30-9-0	26-23-2	1-1-0
1905	William McMurray	3-4-0	2-0-0	1-4-0	0-0-0	1971	Fritz Shurmur	5-6-0	3-2-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
1906	William McMurray	1-1-0	1-1-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1972	Fritz Shurmur	4-7-0	2-3-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
	McMurray Totals	16-11-1	12-2-1	4-9-0	0-0-0	1973	Fritz Shurmur	4-7-0	4-1-0	0-6-0	0-0-0
1907	Robert Ehlman	2-1-0	1-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0	1974	Fritz Shurmur	2-9-0	2-4-0	0-5-0	0-0-0
1908	Robert Ehlman	1-2-0	1-1-0	0-1-0	0-0-0		Shurmur Totals	15-29-0	11-10-0	4-19-0	0-0-0
	Ehlman Totals	3-3-0	2-1-0	1-2-0	0-0-0	1975	Fred Akers	2-9-0	1-4-0	1-5-0	0-0-0
1909	Harold I. Dean	3-5-0	2-2-0	1-3-0	0-0-0	1976	Fred Akers	8-4-0	5-0-0	3-3-0	0-1-0
1910	Harold I. Dean	4-4-0	3-0-0	1-4-0	0-0-0		Akers Totals	10-13-0	6-4-0	4-8-0	0-1-0
1911	Harold I. Dean	4-3-1	3-1-0	1-2-1	0-0-0	1977	Bill Lewis	4-6-1	3-1-1	1-5-0	0-0-0
	Dean Totals	11-12-1	8-3-0	3-9-1	0-0-0	1978	Bill Lewis	5-7-0	3-2-0	2-5-0	0-0-0
1912	Leon C. Excelby	2-7-0	2-1-0	0-6-0	0-0-0	1979	Bill Lewis	5-7-0	3-3-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
	Excelby Totals	2-7-0	2-1-0	0-6-0	0-0-0		Lewis Totals	14-20-1	9-6-1	5-14-0	0-0-0
1913	Ralph W. Thacker	0-5-0	0-2-0	0-3-0	0-0-0	1980	Pat Dye	6-5-0	5-1-0	1-4-0	0-0-0
1914	Ralph W. Thacker	1-5-0	1-3-0	0-2-0	0-0-0		Dye Totals	6-5-0	5-1-0	1-4-0	0-0-0
	Thacker Totals	1-10-0	1-5-0	0-5-0	0-0-0	1981	Al Kincaid	8-3-0	5-1-0	3-2-0	0-0-0
1915	John Corbett	2-6-0	2-3-0	0-3-0	0-0-0	1982	Al Kincaid	5-7-0	3-3-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
1916	John Corbett	1-4-0	0-3-0	1-1-0	0-0-0	1983	Al Kincaid	7-5-0	5-1-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
1917	John Corbett	3-4-0	2-2-0	1-2-0	0-0-0	1984	Al Kincaid	6-6-0	5-1-0	1-5-0	0-0-0
1918	John Corbett	No Games Played Due to Influenza Epidemic				1985	Al Kincaid	3-8-0	2-4-0	0-4-0	1-0-0
1919	John Corbett	3-5-0	2-3-0	1-2-0	0-0-0		Kincaid Totals	29-29-0	20-10-0	8-19-0	1-0-0
1920	John Corbett	4-5-1	0-3-0	4-2-1	0-0-0	1986	Dennis Erickson	6-6-0	4-2-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
1921	John Corbett	1-4-2	1-1-0	0-3-2	0-0-0		Erickson Totals	6-6-0	4-2-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
1922	John Corbett	1-8-0	1-2-0	0-6-0	0-0-0	1987	Paul Roach	10-3-0	5-1-0	5-1-0	0-1-0
1923	John Corbett	0-8-0	0-4-0	0-4-0	0-0-0	1988	Paul Roach	11-2-0	6-0-0	5-1-0	0-1-0
	Corbett Totals	15-44-3	8-21-0	7-23-3	0-0-0	1989	Paul Roach	5-6-0	4-2-0	1-4-0	0-0-0
1924	"Lone Star" Dietz	2-6-0	2-1-0	0-5-0	0-0-0	1990	Paul Roach	9-4-0	6-1-0	3-2-0	0-1-0
1925	"Lone Star" Dietz	6-3-0	4-1-0	2-2-0	0-0-0		Roach Totals	35-15-0	21-4-0	14-8-0	0-3-0
1926	"Lone Star" Dietz	2-4-2	2-2-1	0-2-1	0-0-0	1991	Joe Tiller	4-6-1	3-2-1	1-4-0	0-0-0
1927	"Lone Star" Dietz	4-5-0	3-2-0	1-3-0	0-0-0	1992	Joe Tiller	5-7-0	3-3-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
	Dietz Totals	14-18-2	11-6-1	3-12-1	0-0-0	1993	Joe Tiller	8-4-0	4-2-0	4-1-0	0-1-0
1928	George McLaren	2-7-0	2-1-0	0-6-0	0-0-0	1994	Joe Tiller	6-6-0	5-1-0	1-5-0	0-0-0
1929	George McLaren	1-7-0	1-3-0	0-4-0	0-0-0	1995	Joe Tiller	6-5-0	4-2-0	2-3-0	0-0-0
	McLaren Totals	3-14-0	3-4-0	0-10-0	0-0-0	1996	Joe Tiller	10-2-0	6-0-0	4-1-0	0-1-0
1930	John Rhodes	2-5-1	0-1-1	2-4-0	0-0-0		Tiller Totals	39-30-1	25-10-1	14-18-0	0-2-0
1931	John Rhodes	6-4-0	0-4-0	6-0-0	0-0-0	1997	Dana Dimel	8-5-0	5-1-0	3-4-0	0-0-0
1932	John Rhodes	2-6-1	2-1-1	0-5-0	0-0-0	1998	Dana Dimel	8-3-0	5-1-0	3-2-0	0-0-0
	Rhodes Totals	10-15-2	2-6-2	8-9-0	0-0-0	1999	Dana Dimel	7-4-0	4-2-0	3-2-0	0-0-0
1933	Willard Witte	2-6-1	1-2-0	1-4-1	0-0-0		Dimel Totals	23-12-0	14-4-0	9-8-0	0-0-0
1934	Willard Witte	3-5-0	1-2-0	2-3-0	0-0-0	2000	Vic Koenning	1-10-0	1-4-0	0-6-0	0-0-0
1935	Willard Witte	4-4-0	1-2-0	3-2-0	0-0-0	2001	Vic Koenning	2-9-0	1-5-0	1-4-0	0-0-0
1936	Willard Witte	2-5-1	2-1-1	0-4-0	0-0-0	2002	Vic Koenning	2-10-0	2-3-0	0-6-0	0-1-0
1937	Willard Witte	3-5-0	1-1-0	2-4-0	0-0-0		Koenning Totals	5-29-0	4-12-0	1-16-0	0-1-0
1938	Willard Witte	2-5-1	0-2-1	2-3-0	0-0-0	2003	Joe Glenn	4-8-0	3-3-0	1-5-0	0-0-0
	Witte Totals	16-30-3	6-10-2	10-20-1	0-0-0	2004	Joe Glenn	7-5-0	5-1-0	1-4-0	1-0-0
1939	Joel Hunt	0-7-1	0-2-1	0-5-0	0-0-0	2005	Joe Glenn	4-7-0	2-3-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
	Hunt Totals	0-7-1	0-2-1	0-5-0	0-0-0	2006	Joe Glenn	6-6-0	4-2-0	2-4-0	0-0-0
1940	Okie Blanchard	1-7-1	1-2-1	0-5-0	0-0-0	2007	Joe Glenn	5-7-0	4-2-0	1-5-0	0-0-0
	Blanchard Totals	1-7-1	1-2-1	0-5-0	0-0-0	2008	Joe Glenn	4-8-0	3-4-0	1-4-0	0-0-0
1941	"Bunny" Oakes	2-7-1	1-2-1	1-5-0	0-0-0		Glenn Totals	30-41-0	21-15-0	8-26-0	1-0-0
1942	"Bunny" Oakes	3-5-0	1-2-0	2-3-0	0-0-0	2009	Dave Christensen	7-6-0	3-3-0	3-3-0	1-0-0
1943-45	Football Suspended at UW Due to World War II					2010	Dave Christensen	3-9-0	2-4-0	1-5-0	0-0-0
1946	"Bunny" Oakes	1-8-1	1-3-1	0-5-0	0-0-0	2011	Dave Christensen	8-5-0	4-2-0	4-2-0	0-1-0
	Oakes Totals	6-20-2	3-7-2	3-13-0	0-0-0	2012	Dave Christensen	4-8-0	1-5-0	3-3-0	0-0-0
1947	Bowden Wyatt	4-5-0	3-1-0	1-4-0	0-0-0	2013	Dave Christensen	5-7-0	4-2-0	1-5-0	0-0-0
1948	Bowden Wyatt	4-5-0	3-1-0	1-4-0	0-0-0		Christensen Totals	27-35-0	14-16-0	12-18-0	1-1-0
1949	Bowden Wyatt	9-1-0	4-0-0	5-1-0	0-0-0	2014	Craig Bohl	4-8-0	3-3-0	1-5-0	0-0-0
1950	Bowden Wyatt	10-0-0	4-0-0	5-0-0	1-0-0	2015	Craig Bohl	2-10-0	2-4-0	0-6-0	0-0-0
1951	Bowden Wyatt	7-2-1	3-0-1	4-2-0	0-0-0	2016	Craig Bohl	8-6-0	6-1-0	2-4-0	0-1-0
1952	Bowden Wyatt	5-4-0	1-3-0	4-1-0	0-0-0	2017	Craig Bohl	8-5-0	5-2-0	2-3-0	1-0-0
	Wyatt Totals	39-17-1	18-5-1	20-12-0	1-0-0	2018	Craig Bohl	6-6-0	3-3-0	3-3-0	0-0-0
1953	Phil Dickens	5-4-1	4-0-0	1-4-1	0-0-0	2019	Craig Bohl	8-5-0	6-0-0	1-5-0	1-0-0
1954	Phil Dickens	6-4-0	2-3-0	4-1-0	0-0-0	2020	Craig Bohl	2-4-0	1-1-0	1-2-0	0-1-0
1955	Phil Dickens	8-3-0	3-1-0	4-2-0	1-0-0	2021	Craig Bohl	6-6-0	3-3-0	3-3-0	0-0-0
1956	Phil Dickens	10-0-0	5-0-0	5-0-0	0-0-0		Bohl Totals	44-50-0	29-17-0	13-31-0	2-2-0
	Dickens Totals	29-11-1	14-4-0	14-7-1	1-0-0		ALL-TIME TOTALS	550-588-28	327-204-18	214-373-10	9-11-0
1957	Bob Devaney	4-3-3	2-0-3	2-3-0	0-0-0		125 Seasons	(.484)	(.612)	(.367)	(.450)
1958	Bob Devaney	8-3-0	3-1-0	4-2-0	1-0-0						



C.J. COLDON

CORNERBACK
6-1, 180, JUNIOR
BELLEVILLE, ILL.
(ALTHOFF CATHOLIC)

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AZIZI HEARN

CORNERBACK
6-1, 202, SENIOR
OCEANSIDE, CALIF.
(ARIZONA)

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2021: Coldon started all 12 games at cornerback this season. He was named second-team All-Mountain West Conference. Coldon recorded 65 tackles, which ranked third-best on the team. Of those 65 tackles, 3.5 were for a loss and one was Coldon's first-career sack against Air Force (10/09/21). He also logged a team-best nine pass break-ups and had one fumble recovery. Coldon boasted a career-high nine tackles against Northern Illinois (9/11/21) and hit the seven-tackle mark on three different occasions.

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			blk/d	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total			ff	fr-yds	int-yds		qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	4	3	7	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	3	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	6	3	9	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	2	3	5	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 25	at UConn	4	1	5	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	5	1	6	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	3	0	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	4	2	6	0.0-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	2	1	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	4	1	5	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	5	2	7	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	6	1	7	0.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Totals		47	18	65	0.0-15	0	0-0	0-0	0	9	0	0-0	0	0	-	0

C.J. COLDON CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2018	3	6	3	9	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	1	0/0
2019	3	11	3	14	0.0/0	1.0/2	0	1/30	2	0/0
2020	6	17	9	26	0.0/0	1.0/2	0	0/0	3	2/1
2021	12	47	18	65	1.0/5	4.5/15	0	1/0	9	0/0
Totals	24	81	33	114	1.0/5	6.5/19	0	2/30	15	2/1

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 7 (Nevada, 2020) **Assisted:** 3, four times (Last Ball State, 2021)
Total tackles: 9 twice (Northern Illinois, 2021)
Interceptions: 1 twice (last Boise State, 2020)

2021: Hearn started all 12 games at his cornerback position. He was named second-team All-Mountain West Conference by Pro Football Focus. Hearn made a total of 26 tackles and had four pass break-ups, which was third-best on the team. He matched his career-high of seven tackles against Hawaii (11/27/21). Hearn logged at least three tackles in four games.

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			blk/d	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total			ff	fr-yds	int-yds		qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	3	0	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 25	at UConn	2	1	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	1	2	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	2	1	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	1	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	5	2	7	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Totals		19	7	26	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	4	0	0-0	0	0	-	0

AZIZI HEARN CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2019	13	26	11	37	0.0/0	1.0/2	0	0/0	4	0/0
2020	6	9	4	13	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	4	0/0
2021	12	19	7	26	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	4	0/0
Totals	31	54	22	76	0.0/0	1.0/2	0	0/0	12	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 5 three times (last vs Hawaii, 2021) **Assisted:** 4 (New Mexico, 2020)
Total tackles: 7 twice (last vs Hawaii, 2021)

COWBOY PROFILES




ROME WEBER
STRONG SAFETY
5-11, 196, JUNIOR
SAN BERNADINO, CALIF.
(CAJON)

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BRADEN SMITH
STRONG SAFETY
5-10, 191, SENIOR
LAKEWOOD, COLO.
(LAKEWOOD)

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2021: Weber appeared in 11 of the 12 games at strong safety and made seven starts. He logged a total of 34 tackles with 1.5 being for a loss and 0.5 sacks. Weber also forced a couple turnovers, intercepting a pass against Northern Illinois (9/11/21) and forcing a fumble against Air Force (10/09/21). He also boasted a season-best six tackles against the Falcons.

2021: Smith played in all 12 games at strong safety and made five starts. He recorded a total of 28 tackles and also had one forced fumble against Montana State (9/04/21). Smith also boasted a career-best eight tackles against the Bobcats.

Date	Opponent	Tackles											Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			blk/d	PAT Attempts		off		
		ua	a	total	ff-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brug	kick			kick	rush	rcv		saf	tko		pts	
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	1	0	1	0.0-7	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 25	at UConn	3	1	4	0.0-6	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	5	1	6	0.0-0	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	2	0	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	4	1	5	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	2	1	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	4	1	5	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	4	0	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		28	6	34	0.0-13	0.0-0	1	0-0	1-0	1	3	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Date	Opponent	Tackles											Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			blk/d	PAT Attempts		off		
		ua	a	total	ff-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brug	kick			kick	rush	rcv		saf	tko		pts	
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	7	1	8	0.0-0	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	2	1	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 25	at UConn	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	2	2	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	4	0	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		20	8	28	0.0-0	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

ROME WEBER CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FR/ YDS	INT/ PBU	INT/ YDS	
2019	13	30	8	38	1.0/11	2.0/13	1	0/0	4	1/1
2020	Did Not Appear in Any Games									
2021	11	29	6	35	0.5/6	2.0/13	1	0/0	3	0/0
Totals	27	59	14	73	1.5/17	5.0/29	2	0/0	7	1/1

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 8 (Utah State 2019) **Assisted:** 3 (Colorado State 2019)
Total tackles: 8 (Utah State 2019)

BRADEN SMITH CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FR/ YDS	INT/ PBU	INT/ YDS	
2017	11	4	2	6	0.0/0	0.0/0	1	1/0	0	0/0
2018	12	3	1	4	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2019	13	6	5	11	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	1	1/27
2020	6	16	7	23	1.0/4	2.0/12	0	0/0	0	1/12
2021	12	20	8	28	0.0/0	0.0/0	1	0/0	0	0/0
Totals	54	49	23	72	1.0/4	2.0/12	2	1/0	1	2/39

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 4 (New Mexico, 2020) **Assisted:** 3 (Texas State 2019)
Total tackles: 5 three times (last Boise State, 2020)
Interceptions: 1 twice (last UNLV, 2020)



COWBOY PROFILES



ISAAC WHITE

FREE SAFETY
6-1, 195, REDSHIRT-FRESHMAN
POTTSTOWN, PA.
(MALVERN PREP)

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ESAIAS GANDY

FREE SAFETY
6-1, 198, SENIOR
AURORA, COLO.
(DENVER SOUTH)

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2021: White came on strong toward the end of the season, starting three of the final four games at free safety. He saw the field in all 12 games, logging a total of 26 tackles. White factored into the turnover game, making his first-career interception against Utah State (11/20/21) and recording a fumble recovery against the Aggies.

2021: Gandy played in 10 games and started nine of them. He ranked fifth on the team with 44 tackles and 1.5 of those were for a loss. He boasted a season-high 11 tackles against Fresno State (10/16/21) and logged at least six tackles in four other contests. Gandy had his first-career interception against UConn (9/25/21).

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo	pts
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	3	1	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	4	0	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	3	2	5	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	1	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	2	2	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	8	1	9	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Totals		20	6	26	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-0	1	1	0	0-0	0	0	-	0

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo	pts
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	5	1	6	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	4	3	7	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	6	0	6	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 25	at UConn	1	2	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-7	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	1	7	8	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	6	5	11	0.0-1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	3	0	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Totals		27	18	45	0.0-5	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-7	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0

ISAAC WHITE CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/		TFL/	FF	FR/		INT/
					YDS	YDS	YDS		YDS	PBU	
2021	12	20	8	28	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	1/0	1	1/1	
Totals	12	20	8	28	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	1/0	1	1/1	

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 8 (Hawaii, 2021)
Assisted: 2 twice (Last vs Utah State, 2021)
Total tackles: 9 (Hawaii, 2021) **Interceptions:** 1 (Utah State, 2021)

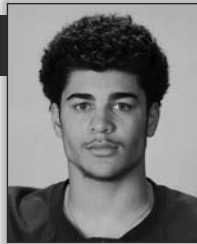
ESAIAS GANDY CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/		TFL/	FF	FR/		INT/
					YDS	YDS	YDS		YDS	PBU	
2017	12	4	4	8	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0	
2018	12	3	1	4	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0	
2019	12	13	11	24	0.0/0	2.0/3	1	2/1	2	0/0	
2020	6	23	22	45	1.0/9	4.5/25	0	0/0	0	0/0	
2021	10	27	17	44	0.0/0	2.0/5	0	0/0	0	0/0	
Totals	52	70	54	124	1.0/9	8.5/33	1	2/1	2	0/0	

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 6 twice (Last vs Fresno State, 2021)
Assisted: 8 (New Mexico, 2014)
Total tackles: 14 (New Mexico, 2020)
Tackles for loss: 2.5 (Colorado State, 2020)

COWBOY PROFILES

CAMERON STONE
CORNERBACK
5-10, 182, SOPHOMORE
ROSHARON, TEXAS

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2021: Stone, as a kickoff returner, made his presence felt. He was named honorable mention All-Mountain West Conference by Pro Football Focus. Stone logged five returns totaling 200 yards, one of which was a 99-yard touchdown against Utah State (11/20/21). Defensively, as a back-up cornerback, Stone played in 10 games. He registered a total of seven tackles, hitting a high-water mark of two during the first three games of the season.

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total			tfl-yds	int-yds	qbh		brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
		7	0	7	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0

CAMERON STONE CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2020	4	2	0	2	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2021	11	7	0	7	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
Totals	15	9	0	9	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 2 three times (Last vs Ball State, 2021) **Assisted:** N/A
Total tackles: 2 three times (Last vs Ball State)



KEONTE GLINTON
NICKEL/LINEBACKER, 6-0, 179,
SOPHOMORE
BAKERSFIELD, CALIF. (BAKERSFIELD CHRISTIAN)

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2021: Glinton played in 10 games and made two starts at his nickelback position. He made 10 tackles and one of those was for a loss. He also logged his first-career interception against Colorado State (11/06/21). Glinton also had a season-high four tackles against the Rams.

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total			tfl-yds	int-yds	qbh		brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 25	at UConn	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	1	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	1	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0	0-0	0	1	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	4	0	4	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	1	0	1	0.0-3	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
		9	1	10	0.0-3	0	0-0	1-0	0	3	0	0-0	0	0	-	0

KEONTE GLINTON CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2019	2	0	0	0	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2020	6	9	4	13	0.0/0	1.0/2	0	0/0	1	0/0
2021	10	8	1	9	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	3	0/0
Totals	18	17	5	22	0.0/0	1.0/2	0	0/0	4	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 4 (Boise State, 2020) **Assisted:** 1 three times (Boise State, 2020)
Total tackles: 5 (Boise State, 2020)





CHAD MUMA

LINEBACKER
6-3, 242, SENIOR
LONE TREE, COLO.
(LEGEND)

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2021: Muma started all 12 games and was a first-team All-Mountain West Conference selection at middle linebacker. Pro Football Focus named him MWC Defensive Player of the Year. Muma led the team with 129 total tackles, which ranked fourth-best in the nation and second-best in the MWC. He led the team with three interceptions, two of which were returned for a touchdown – one at Northern Illinois (9/11/21) and another a week later against Ball State (9/18/21). Muma recorded one sack, one pass break-up and one blocked kick, as well. He matched a career-high 17 tackles at Utah State (11/20/21). Muma failed to record double-digit tackles in only two games this season.

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			biked kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds			int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo	pts
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	9	2	11	0.0-8	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	7	3	10	0.0-2	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-23	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	10	2	12	0.0-1	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-45	0	1	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 25	at UConn	3	0	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	6	5	11	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	8	3	11	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	4	6	10	0.0-3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	5	5	10	0.0-3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	6	5	11	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	9	5	14	0.0-1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	8	9	17	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	5	4	9	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Totals		80	49	129	0.0-18	0.0-0	0	0-0	3-88	2	1	0-0	0	0	0	-	0

CHAD MUMA CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FR/ FF	INT/ YDS	PBU	YDS
2018	12	1	1	2	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2019	13	28	23	51	1.0/8	3.0/10	0	0/0	1	0/0
2020	6	33	39	72	3.0/25	8.0/36	1	1/0	1	0/0
2021	12	80	49	129	1.0/7	7.5/18	0	1/0	1	2/45
Totals	43	142	111	253	5.0/40	18.5/64	1	2/0	3	2/45

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 10 twice (Last vs Montana State) **Assisted:** 14 (Colorado State, 2020)
Total tackles: 17 twice (Last vs Utah State 2021)
Tackles for Loss: 3.5 (UNLV, 2020) **Sacks:** 3.0 (UNLV, 2020)



SHAE SUIAUNOA

LINEBACKER
6-3, 227, SOPHOMORE
HOUSTON, TEXAS
(CLEAR LAKE)

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2021: Suiuauna played in 10 games at his middle linebacker position and on special teams. He made four tackles. Suiuauna recorded a season-best two tackles at Northern Illinois (9/11/21) and closed the season with one-tackle performances against Colorado State (11/06/21) and Utah State (11/20/21).

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			biked kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds			int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo	pts
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	2	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Totals		1	3	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0

SHAE SUIAUNOA CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FR/ FF	INT/ YDS	PBU	YDS
2019	3	0	1	1	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2020	5	2	6	8	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2021	12	1	3	4	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
Totals	20	3	10	13	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0

COWBOY PROFILES

EASTON GIBBS
LINEBACKER
6-2, 227, SOPHOMORE
TEMECULA, CALIF.
(TEMECULA VALLEY)

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2021: Gibbs started all 12 games at his weak-side linebacker position. He was named honorable mention All-Mountain West Conference by Pro Football Focus. He was second on the team with 79 tackles. Gibbs also compiled 5.5 tackles for loss, two sacks and one forced fumble. His four pass break-ups tied for third-best on the team. Gibbs boasted a season-high 12 tackles at Boise State (11/12/21). He logged four double-digit tackle games.


Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			bklk	PAT Attempts				off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds			no-yds	ff	fr-yds		int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	3	1	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	5	5	10	0.0-3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Sep 18	BALL ST.	4	4	8	0.0-9	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Sep 25	at UConn	0	2	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Oct 09	at Air Force	3	2	5	0.0-1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	4	1	5	0.0-2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	8	3	11	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	1	2	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	6	5	11	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Nov 12	at Boise St.	8	4	12	0.0-14	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Nov 20	at Utah St.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Nov 27	HAWAII	3	3	6	0.0-1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	
Totals		46	32	78	0.0-30	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	4	0-0	0	0	0	-	0	

EASTON GIBBS CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2019	1	0	0	0	0.0/0	0/0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2020	6	21	21	42	0.0/0	2.5/6	0	0/0	0	0/0
2021	12	47	32	79	2.0/21	6.5/30	1	0/0	4	0/0
Totals	19	68	53	121	2.0/21	9.0/36	1	0/0	4	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 8 twice (Last vs New Mexico, 2021)
Assisted: 5 four times (Last vs Boise State, 2021)
Total tackles: 13 (Boise State, 2021)
Tackles for Loss: 2 (Boise State, 2021)



CONNOR SHAY
LINEBACKER
6-2, 210, FRESHMAN
DANVILLE, CALIF.
(MONTE VISTA)

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2021: Shay played in 11 of the 12 games at his weak-side linebacker position and on special teams. He recorded three tackles and two of those occurred in November – one against Colorado State (11/6/21) and one against Hawaii (11/27/21).

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			bklk	PAT Attempts				off	
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds			no-yds	ff	fr-yds		int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 25	at UConn	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Totals		1	2	3	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0

CONNOR SHAY CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2021	11	1	2	3	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
Totals	11	1	2	3	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 1 (Hawaii, 2021) **Assisted:** 1 twice (Last vs Colorado State, 2021)
Total tackles: 1 three times (Last vs Hawaii) **Tackles for Loss:** N/A

COWBOY PROFILES



GARRETT CRALL

DEFENSIVE END
6-5, 239, SENIOR
HICKSVILLE, OHIO
(HICKSVILLE)

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2021: Crall started all 12 games from his defensive end position. He was named honorable mention All-Mountain West Conference. Crall compiled 41 tackles, 4.5 of which were for loss. Crall also had one sack and two pass break-ups. He enjoyed a season-high nine tackles against New Mexico (10/23/21). Crall only had one game where he didn't record a tackle.

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off			
		ua	a	total			tfl-yds	int-yds	qbh		brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo	pts
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	1	4	5	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	1	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	2	1	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 25	at UConn	5	0	5	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	4	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	4	3	7	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	5	4	9	0.0-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	1	2	3	0.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	2	1	3	0.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	1	2	3	0.0-5	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	1	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Totals		22	19	41	0.0-10	0	0-0	0-0	4	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0

GARRETT CRALL CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2017	13	19	14	33	2.5/14	5.5/23	1	1/0	2	0/0
2018	12	19	19	38	4.5/25	6.5/28	1	1/0	1	0/0
2019	13	22	33	55	4.5/36	6.0/39	0	1/0	2	0/0
2020	3	11	10	21	2.0/13	3.0/22	0	0/0	1	0/0
2021	12	22	19	41	0.5/0	4.5/10	0	0/0	2	0/0
Totals	53	93	95	188	14/88	25.5/122	2	3/0	8	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Total Tackles: 12 (New Mexico, 2020)
Solo Tackles: 8 (Air Force 2019)
Tackles for Loss: 2.0 three times (Last UNLV, 2020)



DEVONNE HARRIS

DEFENSIVE END
6-4, 223, SOPHOMORE
BIG LAKE, MINN.
(BIG LAKE)

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2021: Harris played in seven of the 12 games at his defensive end position. He collected four tackles and one pass break-up. Harris accumulated a season-high two tackles against Fresno State (10/16/21).

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off			
		ua	a	total			tfl-yds	int-yds	qbh		brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo	pts
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	1	1	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	1	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Totals		2	2	4	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0


DEVONNE HARRIS CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2019	1	0	0	0	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2020	5	5	4	9	0.0/0	1.0/1	0	0/0	0	0/0
2021	9	2	2	4	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	1	0/0
Totals	15	7	6	13	0.0/0	1.0/1	0	0/0	1	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 3 (Boise State, 2020) **Assisted:** 2 (Boise State, 2020)
Total tackles: 5 (Boise State, 2020)
Tackles for Loss: 2.0 (Boise State, 2020)

COWBOY PROFILES

COLE GODBOUT
NOSE TACKLE
6-4, 274, JUNIOR
HUDSON, WISC.
(HUDSON)

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2021: Godbout started all 12 games from his defensive lineman position. He was named second-team All-Mountain West Conference by Pro Football Focus and honorable mention All-MWC. He recorded 60 tackles, which ranked fourth-best on the team. Godbout's four sacks was tops on the team, his five pass break-ups were second on the team and his five tackles for loss were third-best on the club. He matched a career-high eight tackles at San Jose State (10/30/21) and registered at least six tackles in seven games.

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts		off		
		ua	a	total			tfl-yds	int-yds	qbh		brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	0	2	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	2	0	2	0.0-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	2	2	4	0.0-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Sep 25	at UConn	1	1	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	3	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	3	4	7	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	1	1	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	5	2	7	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	5	3	8	0.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	4	3	7	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	2	5	7	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	3	3	6	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	3	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	3	3	6	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0-0	0	0	-	0
Totals		31	29	60	0.0-22	0	0-0	0-0	5	5	0-0	0	0	-	0

COLE GODBOUT CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2019	13	20	14	34	2.0/11	6.0/16	0	0/0	1	0/0
2020	5	13	17	30	1.0/9	4.0/15	0	0/0	0	0/0
2021	12	31	29	60	4.0/20	5.0/20	0	0/0	5	0/0
Totals	30	64	60	124	7.0/40	15/53	0	0/0	7	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 5 three times (Last vs San Jose State, 2021)
Assisted: 5 (Boise State, 2021)
Total tackles: 8 (San Jose State, 2021)
Tackles for Loss: 2.0 (Colorado State 2019)
Sacks: 1.5 (Colorado State, 2021)



GAVIN MEYER
NOSE TACKLE
6-4, 257, REDSHIRT-FRESHMAN
FRANKLIN, WISC.
(FRANKLIN)

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2021: Meyer played in five games from his defensive lineman position. Did not accumulate any stats.

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts		off		
		ua	a	total			tfl-yds	int-yds	qbh		brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0
Totals		0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	-	0

GAVIN MEYER CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2019	3	1	1	2	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2021	5	0	0	0	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
Total	8	1	1	2	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 1 (UNLV, 2020) **Assisted:** 1 (UNLV, 2020)
Total tackles: 2 (UNLV, 2020)

COWBOY PROFILES



JORDAN BERTAGNOLE

DEFENSIVE TACKLE
6-4, 275, SOPHOMORE
CASPER, WYO.
(NATRONA COUNTY)

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CALEB ROBINSON

DEFENSIVE TACKLE
6-2, 295, REDSHIRT-FRESHMAN
OMAHA, NEB.
(BURKE)

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2021: Bertagnole played in all 12 games and started five of them from his defensive lineman position. He accumulated 35 tackles, 2.5 of which were for loss. Bertagnole also had 0.5 sacks, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery. He matched a career-high eight tackles at Air Force (10/09/21).

2021: Robinson played in seven games and made one start at his defensive lineman position. He recorded 17 tackles and one tackle for loss. Robinson boasted a career-high four tackles against Colorado State (11/06/21).

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total			tfl-yds	int-yds	qbh		brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	1	2	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	4	4	8	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	4	0	4	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	2	2	4	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	1	3	4	0.0-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	3	1	4	0.0-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	2	2	0.0-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	1	2	3	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	1	2	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
		17	18	35	0.0-8	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total			tfl-yds	int-yds	qbh		brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	2	1	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	2	1	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	1	1	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	1	3	4	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	3	0	3	0.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
		11	6	17	0.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0

JORDAN BERTAGNOLE CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2020	6	10	21	31	2.5/16	6.5/24	0	1/0	0/0
2021	12	17	18	35	0.5/1	2.5/8	1	1/0	0/0
Totals	18	27	39	66	3/17	9/32	1	1/0	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 4 (twice, last vs. Fresno State, 2021)
Assisted: 8 (Colorado State, 2020)
Total tackles: 8 (Colorado State, 2020)
Tackle For Loss: 2.5 (Hawaii, 2020)
Sacks: 1.5 (Hawaii, 2020)

CALEB ROBINSON CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2020	3	1	2	3	0.0/0	0.5/1	0	0/0	0/0
2021	9	11	6	17	0.0/0	1.0/2	0	0/0	0/0
Totals	12	12	8	20	0.0/0	1.5/3	0	0/0	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 3 (Hawaii, 2021) **Assisted:** 3 (Colorado State, 2021)
Total tackles: 4 (Colorado State, 2021)

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JAYLEN PATE
DEFENSIVE END
6-3, 247, SOPHOMORE
CHICAGO, ILL.
(LANE TECH COLLEGE PREP)

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2021: Pate played in all 12 games and made four starts from his defensive end position. He made 19 tackles, one of which was for a loss. He also logged 0.5 sacks, one pass break-up and one fumble recovery. Pate matched a career-high four tackles against Ball State (9/18/21). He recorded at least one tackle in all but two contests.

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			blk/d	PAT Attempts			off			
		ua	a	total			ff	fr-yds	int-yds		qbh	brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	3	1	4	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 25	at UConn	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	2	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	1	1	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	1	2	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Totals		13	6	19	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0

JAYLEN PATE CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2020	6	2	5	7	1.0/2	1.0/2	0	0/0	0	0/0
2021	12	13	6	19	0.5/4	1.0/4	0	1/0	1	0/0
Totals	18	15	11	26	1.5/6	2.0/6	0	1/0	1	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 3 (Ball State, 2021) **Assisted:** 3 (UNLV, 2020)
Total tackles: 4 twice (Last vs Ball State, 2021) **Sacks:** 1.0 (UNLV, 2020)



VICTOR JONES
DEFENSIVE END
6-4, 245, SENIOR
SACRAMENTO, CALIF.
(INDERKUM)

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2021: Jones played in all 12 games and started two of them from his defensive end position. He recorded 19 tackles and his 4.5 tackles for loss was tied for third-best on the team. Jones boasted his first-career interception against Hawaii (11/27/21). He also logged 3.5 sacks, two pass break-ups and one forced fumble. Jones registered a season-high eight tackles against Boise State (11/12/21).

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks	Fumble	Pass Defense			blk/d	PAT Attempts			off			
		ua	a	total			ff	fr-yds	int-yds		qbh	brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf	tlo
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	0	1	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	1	0	1	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Sep 25	at UConn	1	1	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	2	0	2	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	1	2	3	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	4	2	6	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	1	0	1	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-3	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0
Totals		13	6	19	0.0-0	1	0-0	1-3	1	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	-	0

VICTOR JONES CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2018	11	6	9	15	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2019	10	9	11	20	1.5/8	3.0/11	0	0/0	0	0/0
2020	3	4	9	13	1.5/15	3.0/20	0	0/0	1	0/0
2021	12	13	6	19	3.5/27	4.5/46	1	0/0	2	1/0
Totals	36	32	35	67	6.5/50	10.5/77	1	0/0	3	1/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 4 twice (Last vs Boise State, 2021)
Assisted: 6 (Colorado State, 2020)
Total tackles: 8 (Tulsa 2019)
Tackles for Loss: 2.0 (Nevada 2020)
Sacks: 1.0 four times (Last vs UConn, 2021)





RAVONTAE HOLT
DEFENSIVE TACKLE
6-4, 278, SENIOR
SACRAMENTO, CALIF.
(SHELDON)

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2021: Holt played in six games and started five of them from his defensive lineman position. He logged 10 tackles, which included 2.5 tackles for loss and 2.5 sacks. Holt boasted a season-high five tackles against Ball State (9/18/21).

RAVONTAE HOLT CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/		FF	FR/		INT/
					YDS	TFL/		YDS	PBU	
2018	11	6	9	15	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2019	10	9	11	20	1.5/8	3.0/11	1	1/0	0	0/0
2020	3	4	9	13	1.5/15	3.0/20	0	0/0	0	0/0
2021	6	6	4	10	2.5/13	2.5/13	0	0/0	0	0/0
Totals	29	19	35	54	5.5/36	8.5/44	1	1/0	0	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 4 (Tulsa 2019) **Assisted:** 6 (Colorado State, 2020)
Total tackles: 8 (Tulsa 2019) **Tackles for Loss:** 2.5 (Ball State, 2021)
Sacks: 2.5 (Ball State, 2021)



SOLOMON BYRD
DEFENSIVE END
6-4, 249, JUNIOR
PALMDALE, CALIF.
(WILLIAM J.P. KNIGHT)

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2021: Byrd played in eight games and started six of them from his defensive end position. He compiled 37 tackles, which included 3.5 tackles for loss and 3.5 sacks – tied for second on the team. Byrd logged a season-high six tackles four times this season.

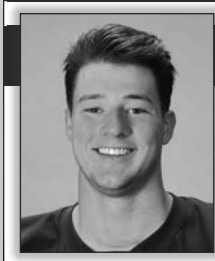
SOLOMON BYRD CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/		FF	FR/		INT/
					YDS	TFL/		YDS	PBU	
2018	3	2	3	5	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2019	12	22	23	45	6.5/44	9.5/52	2	1/0	1	0/0
2020	Did not accumulate stats									
2021	8	21	16	37	1.5/13	3.5/19	0	0/0	0	0/0
Totals	23	45	42	87	8.0/57	13/71	2	1/0	1	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 5 twice (Last vs Fresno State 2021) **Assisted:** 5 (Air Force, 2021)
Total tackles: 8 (Tulsa 2019)
Tackles for Loss: 2.5 twice (Last vs Nevada 2019)
Sacks: 2.5 twice (Last vs Nevada, 2019)

COWBOY PROFILES



LEVI WILLIAMS

QUARTERBACK
6-5, 224, SOPHOMORE
CANYON LAKE, TEXAS
(SMITHSON VALLEY)

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2021: Williams took over quarterbacking duties midway through the season, starting the last five games while making two appearances prior to that. He was 63-of-109 for 863 yards and eight touchdowns. Williams owned a passing efficiency of 139.4. He also rushed it 56 times, gaining 317 yards for an average of 5.0 yards per carry with one score. Williams threw for a season-high 242 yards, on 12-of-15 accuracy, and two touchdowns against Utah State (11/20/21). He tossed it for north of 100 yards in four other games. Williams' longest touchdown pass of the season was a 74-yarder against Boise State (11/12/21). Williams gained a season-high 116 yards on the ground against Colorado State (11/6/21). That was also the game where he scampered for a season-long run of 52 yards.

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all						
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td		lg	no.	yds	td	lg	purp
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	1	7	0	0	0	0	1-7-1	32	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	5	23	0	9	0	0	3-7-0	51	0	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	17	35	0	15	0	0	12-22-2	129	2	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	12	116	1	52	0	0	9-16-0	92	2	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	116
Nov 12	at Boise St.	7	36	0	16	0	0	11-18-1	156	1	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36
Nov 20	at Utah St.	5	22	0	7	0	0	12-15-1	242	2	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Nov 27	HAWAII	9	43	0	14	0	0	15-24-0	161	1	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43
Totals		56	282	1	52	0	0	63-109-5	863	8	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	282

LEVI WILLIAMS CAREER STATISTICS

OFFENSE								
YEAR	G	PASS EFF.	COMP. /ATT.	COMP. %	PASS YARDS	TD/INTS	RUSH YARDS	TOTAL OFF
2019	3	137.7	19-39	48.7	343	3/2	181	524
2020	6	109.22	59-119	49.6	877	1/3	100	977
2021	8	139.4	63-109	57.8	863	8/5	282	1145
Totals	17	125.7	141-267	52.8	2083	12/10	563	2646

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

- Completions:** 19 (Colorado State, 2020)
- Attempts:** 31 (Colorado State, 2020)
- Passing Yards:** 321 (Colorado State, 2020)
- Long Completion:** 74 (Boise State, 2021)
- Rushing Attempts:** 17 (San Jose State, 2021)
- Rushing Yards:** 116 (Colorado State, 2021)
- Long Rush:** 52 (Colorado State, 2021)



SEAN CHAMBERS

QUARTERBACK
6-3, 225, JUNIOR
KERMAN, CALIF.
(KERMAN)

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2021: Chambers started the first seven games at quarterback. He was 90-of-177 for 1,125 yards and six touchdowns. Chambers laid claim to a passing efficiency of 107.5. He also was a threat on the ground, gaining 312 yards on 71 carries with three touchdowns. Chambers threw for a career-high 204 yards, on 13 of 23 accuracy, and two touchdowns at Northern Illinois (9/11/21). He tossed it for north of 100 yards in six of his seven starts. Chambers' longest touchdown pass of the season was a 40-yarder against the Huskies. He accumulated a season-high 51 yards rushing on two different occasions, once against Montana State (9/4/21) and again against Fresno State (10/16/21).

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all						
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td		lg	no.	yds	td	lg	purp
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	14	51	0	13	0	0	15-26-1	196	1	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	7	27	1	9	0	0	13-23-0	204	2	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27
Sep 18	BALL ST.	7	21	1	9	0	0	14-23-0	201	1	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
Sep 25	at UConn	6	20	0	10	0	0	15-26-2	149	1	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Oct 09	at Air Force	12	3	1	19	0	0	11-28-0	143	1	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	12	51	0	20	0	0	8-23-3	111	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	10	21	0	10	0	0	11-23-1	96	0	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	3	15	0	9	0	0	3-5-0	25	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Totals		71	209	3	20	0	0	90-177-7	1125	6	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	209

SEAN CHAMBERS CAREER STATISTICS

OFFENSE								
YEAR	G	PASS EFF.	COMP. /ATT.	COMP. %	PASS YARDS	TD/INTS	RUSH YARDS	TOTAL OFF
2018	4	189.0	15-25	60.0	266	3/0	329	595
2019	8	120.6	52-121	43.0	915	7/3	567	1482
2020	1	150.40	1-1	1.000	6	0/0	0	6
2021	9	107.5	90-177	50.8	1125	6/7	209	1334
Totals	22	118.8	158-324	48.8	2312	16/10	1105	3417

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

- Completions:** 15 (Montana State 2021)
- Attempts:** 28 (Air Force 2021)
- Completion percentage:** 70.0 (Colorado State, 2018)
- Passing Yards:** 204 (Northern Illinois 2021)
- Long Completion:** 56 (UNLV)
- Rushing Attempts:** 22 (Colorado State, 2018)
- Rushing Yards:** 129 (San José State, 2018)
- Long Rush:** 75 (Missouri)



KAZAVIAN VALLADAY

RUNNING BACK
6-0, 198, SENIOR
MATTESON, ILL.
(BROTHER RICE)

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TITUS SWEN

RUNNING BACK
5-11, 202, JUNIOR
FORT WORTH, TEXAS
(EATON)

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2021: Valladay played in all 12 games and started 11 of them. He was named second-team All-Mountain West Conference and honorable mention All-MWC by Pro Football Focus. He rushed for a team-high 984 yards on 190 attempts for a 5.2 yard-per-carry average. Valladay surpassed the 3,000-yard mark at Boise State (11/12/21), becoming just the second Poke to ever do so. He scored five touchdowns and recorded a long rush of 74 yards against Air Force (10/9/21). Valladay rushed for a season-high 172 yards at San Jose State (10/30/21). He also made his presence felt in the passing game, registering 233 yards on 23 catches, which was good enough for second on the team.

2021: Swen played in all 12 games and made two starts from his running back position. He was named second-team All-Mountain West Conference by Pro Football Focus. He received 124 carries, accumulating 737 yards – second-best on the team – with seven touchdowns. He logged a career-high 169 yards on 15 carries at Utah State (11/20/21) with two touchdowns. He boasted a career-long 98-yard touchdown run against the Aggies. Swen also had a strong game at Colorado State (11/6/21), rushing for 166 yards on 21 carries. He also reeled in five catches totaling 24 yards on the season.

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all		
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	yds	td	no.	yds	td	no.	yds		td	
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	19	77	1	1	5	0	3	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	21	101	1	2	50	0	40	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	151
Sep 18	BALL ST.	14	61	1	33	2	43	0	35	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	104
Sep 25	at UConn	22	101	1	27	3	33	0	26	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	134
Oct 09	at Air Force	8	96	0	74	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	9	35	0	19	3	32	0	18	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	14	41	0	8	2	10	0	6	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	22	172	0	67	3	24	0	16	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	196
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	18	76	1	17	3	16	0	10	0-0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	92
Nov 12	at Boise St.	9	37	0	10	1	1	0	1	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38
Nov 20	at Utah St.	21	145	0	33	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	145
Nov 27	HAWAII	13	42	0	14	3	19	0	12	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61
Totals		190	984	5	74	23	233	0	40	0-0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1217

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all				
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	yds	td	no.	yds	td	no.	yds		td			
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	5	14	0	7	1	9	0	9	0-0-0	0	0	0	1	18	0	18	0	0	0	41
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	9	54	1	22	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54
Sep 18	BALL ST.	10	43	0	15	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43
Sep 25	at UConn	15	84	1	15	1	7	0	7	0-0-0	0	0	0	4	77	0	26	0	0	0	168
Oct 09	at Air Force	5	21	0	13	1	3	0	3	0-0-0	0	0	0	1	17	0	17	0	0	0	41
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	7	36	0	20	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	5	27	0	11	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	9	45	1	23	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	1	19	0	19	0	0	0	64
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	21	166	0	87	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	166
Nov 12	at Boise St.	13	59	1	11	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59
Nov 20	at Utah St.	15	169	2	98	0	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	169
Nov 27	HAWAII	10	19	1	6	2	5	0	3	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
Totals		124	737	7	98	5	24	0	9	0-0-0	0	0	0	7	131	0	26	0	0	0	892

KAZAVIAN VALLADAY CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ATT	RUSHING		TDS	LONG	AVG GAME
			NET YARDS	AVG ATT			
2018	12	71	409	5.6	3	45	33.0
2019	12	247	1265	5.1	6	62	105.4
2020	5	99	550	5.6	4	78	110.0
2021	12	190	984	5.2	5	74	82.0
Totals	41	607	3195	5.3	18	78	77.9

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Attempts: 37 (Boise State 2019) **Yards:** 206 (Nevada 2019)
Long rush: 78 (UNLV, 2020)
Touchdowns: 2 three times (Last Hawaii, 2020)

TITUS SWEN CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	ATT	RUSHING		TDS	LONG	AVG GAME
			NET YARDS	AVG ATT			
2019	8	67	349	5.2	1	59	43.6
2020	Did Not Appear in Any Games						
2021	12	124	737	5.9	7	98	61.4
Totals	20	191	1074	5.6	8	98	53.7

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Attempts: 21 (Colorado State, 2021) **Yards:** 169 (Utah State, 2021)
Long rush: 98 (Utah State, 2021) **Touchdowns:** 2 (Utah State, 2021)

COWBOY PROFILES




TREY SMITH
RUNNING BACK
6-0, 213, GRADUATE
MADISON, MISS.
(LOUISVILLE)

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2021: Smith played in nine games both at running back and on special teams. He received nine carries, gaining 14 yards. Smith also had one reception for 15 yards. He made five tackles on special teams.

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all								
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.		yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	purp
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	3	7	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	4	7	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	0	1	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		9	14	0	4	1	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29

TREY SMITH CAREER STATISTICS


RUSHING

YEAR	G	ATT	NET YARDS	AVG ATT	TDS	LONG	AVG GAME
2019	4	44	227	5.2	3	80	56.8
2020	6	88	488	5.5	5	58	81.3
2021							
Totals	10	132	715	5.4	8	80	71.5

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Attempts: 24 (New Mexico, 2020)
Long rush: 80 (Idaho 2019)

Yards: 164 (UNLV, 2020)
Touchdowns: 2 twice (Last Hawaii, 2020)



CALEB DRISKILL
FULLBACK
6-2, 235, REDSHIRT-FRESHMAN
GILLETTE, WYO.
(THUNDER BASIN)

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2021: Driskill played in 11 games at fullback and on special teams. He recorded three tackles with a season-high of two at Utah State (11/20/21). Driskill helped the Pokes rush for 2,341 yards on the season and 18 touchdowns. That's an average of 195.1 yard per game and 4.8 yards per attempt.

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all								
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.		yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	purp
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 25	at UConn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

CALEB DRISKILL CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 12 (12 in 2021)

Games Started: 12 (12 in 2021)



JOSHUA COBBS
WIDE RECEIVER
6-4, 196, SOPHOMORE
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS
(WAGNER)

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2021: Cobbs played in all 12 games and started four of them. He reeled in 23 catches for 228 yards with one touchdown. He had a career day at Utah State (11/20/21), hauling in six catches totaling 76 yards with his first-career touchdown. He continued his strong play at the tail end with a four-catch day against Hawaii (11/27/21).

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all						
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td		lg	no.	yds	td	lg	purp
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	0	0	0	1	24	0	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	1	0	0	1	9	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	1	9	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Sep 25	at UConn	0	0	0	3	15	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	2	19	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	2	9	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	2	25	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0	1	11	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	0	0	6	76	1	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	76
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0	4	31	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31
Totals		1	0	0	23	228	1	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	228

JOSHUA COBBS CAREER STATISTICS

RECEIVING

YEAR	G	REC	YARDS	AVG	GAME	TDS	LONG
2020	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
2021	10	23	228	2.3	22.8	1	24
Totals	14	23	228	1.6	16.3	1	24

SINGLE-GAME RECEIVING CAREER HIGHS

Receiving Yards: 76 (Utah State, 2021) Catches: 6 (Utah State, 2021)



ALEX BROWN
WIDE RECEIVER
6-4, 190, SOPHOMORE
SPRING, TEXAS
(KLEIN COLLINS)

9

2021: Brown played in nine games and made three starts from his wide receiver position. He made three catches for 33 yards. Brown recorded his first-career reception against Montana State (9/4/21). His longest catch of 19 yards occurred at Air Force (10/9/21).

ALEX BROWN CAREER STATISTICS

RECEIVING

YEAR	G	REC	YARDS	AVG REC	AVG GAME	TDS	LONG
2019	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
2020	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
2021	9	3	33	11.0	3.7	0	19
Totals	15	3	33	11.0	3.7	0	19



ISAIAH NEYOR
WIDE RECEIVER
6-3, 210, SOPHOMORE
FORT WORTH, TEXAS
(LAMAR)

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2021: Neyor started all 12 games at his wide receiver position. He was second-team All-Mountain West Conference and honorable mention All-MWC by Pro Football Focus. Neyor led the team with 39 catches for 791 yards. His 20.3 yard-per-catch average ranked eighth-best in the nation. He collected 20 touchdowns with his long being a 74-yarder at Boise State (11/12/21). Neyor also had a career-high 126 yards receiving against the Broncos, which was slightly more than his 125-yard performance at Utah State (11/20/21). He had at least two catches in every game. Neyor also had a hand in the running game, rushing it nine times for 32 yards and one touchdown.

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all						
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td		lg	no.	yds	td	lg	purp
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	2	2	0	3	32	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	2	13	1	4	87	2	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	4	84	0	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84
Sep 25	at UConn	0	0	0	2	24	1	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	3	55	1	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	1	-6	0	2	18	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	1	-2	0	2	45	0	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	1	8	0	3	72	2	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	1	5	0	3	45	2	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0	6	126	1	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	126
Nov 20	at Utah St.	1	-5	0	4	125	1	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	120
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0	3	78	1	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	78
Totals		9	15	1	39	791	11	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	806

ISAIAH NEYOR CAREER STATISTICS

RECEIVING

YEAR	G	REC	YARDS	AVG	GAME	TDS	LONG
2020	6	8	248	31.0	41.3	0	54
2021	12	39	791	20.3	65.9	11	74
Totals	18	47	1039	22.1	54.7	11	74

SINGLE-GAME RECEIVING CAREER HIGHS

Receiving Yards: 126 (Boise State, 2021) Catches: 6 (Boise State, 2021)

COWBOY PROFILES



PARKER CHRISTENSEN

FULLBACK/TIGHT END
6-2, 229, SOPHOMORE
SHERIDAN, WYO.
(SHERIDAN)

80

2021: Christensen played in all 12 games and made 10 starts from his fullback position. He reeled in 11 receptions totaling 104 yards. He boasted a career-high 30 yards on three catches at UConn (9/25/21) with his longest catch spanning 12 yards. Christensen helped the Pokes rush for 2,341 yards on the season and 18 touchdowns.

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all	
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	int	no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td		purp
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	0	0	0	2	23	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	1	9	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Sep 25	at UConn	0	0	0	3	30	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	0	0	0	1	16	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	3	24	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	1	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		0	0	0	11	104	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	104

PARKER CHRISTENSEN CAREER STATISTICS

RECEIVING

YEAR	G	REC	YARDS	AVG	GAME	TDS	LONG
2020	6	2	28	14.0	4.7	0	21
2021	12	11	104	9.5	8.7	0	16
Totals	18	13	132	10.2	7.3	0	21

SINGLE-GAME RUSHING CAREER HIGHS

Yards: 5 (New Mexico, 2020)
Long rush: 5 (New Mexico, 2020)

SINGLE-GAME RECEIVING CAREER HIGHS

Receiving Yards: 30 (UConn, 2021)
Catches: 3 twice (Last vs New Mexico, 2021)



TREYTON WELCH

TIGHT END
6-3, 233, JUNIOR
BUFFALO, MINN.
(BUFFALO)

81

2021: Welch played in all 12 games and made 10 starts from his tight end position. He logged 19 catches for 163 yards with a pair of touchdowns. Welch's first-career touchdown was the game-winner against Montana State (9/4/21) with under a minute to play in the contest. He registered a career-high four receptions against Hawaii (11/27/21). Welch's longest reception of 32 yards occurred against Fresno State (10/16/21).

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all	
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	int	no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td		purp
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	0	0	0	2	25	1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	0	0	1	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	2	7	1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	2	23	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	0	0	0	1	32	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	1	6	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	2	10	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	1	6	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0	2	3	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	0	0	1	18	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0	4	31	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31
Totals		0	0	0	19	163	2	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	163

TREYTON WELCH CAREER STATISTICS

RECEIVING

YEAR	G	REC	YARDS	AVG	AVG	TDS	LONG
				REC	GAME		
2019	7	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
2020	6	5	95	19.0	15.8	0	30
2021	11	19	163	8.6	14.8	2	32
Totals	24	24	258	10.8	10.8	2	32

CAREER HIGHS

Catches: 4 (Hawaii, 2021)
Yards: 55 (Colorado State, 2020)
Long: 32 (Fresno State, 2021)



COLIN O'BRIEN

TIGHT END
6-6, 238, REDSHIRT-SOPHOMORE
MISSION VIEJO, CALIF.
(SADDLEBACK C.C.) **88**

2021: O'Brien played in seven games and made two starts from his tight end position. He had a pair of catches totaling 27 yards. O'Brien made both his catches, the first two of his career, against Ball State (9/18/21) with the longest reception stretching 17 yards.

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all			
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td		lg	purp	
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	2	27	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		0	0	0	2	27	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27

COLIN O'BRIEN CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	REC	YARDS	RECEIVING		TDS	LONG
				AVG REC	AVG GAME		
2021	10	2	27	13.5	2.7	0	17
Totals	10	2	27	13.5	2.7	0	17



JACKSON MARCOTTE

TIGHT END
6-7, 250, JUNIOR
MT. CARMEL, ILL.
(MT. CARMEL) **82**

2021: Marcotte played in seven games from his tight end position. He made his lone reception of six yards against New Mexico (10/23/21).

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all			
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td		lg	purp	
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	1	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		0	0	0	1	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6

JACKSON MARCOTTE CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	REC	YARDS	RECEIVING		TDS	LONG
				AVG REC	AVG GAME		
2019	10	9	127	14.1	12.7	2	25
2020	5	1	12	12.0	2.4	0	12
2021	7	1	6	6.0	0.9	0	6
Totals	22	11	145	13.2	6.3	2	25

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 2 (Utah State 2019) **Yards:** 25 (Nevada 2019)
Long reception: 25 (Nevada 2019) **Touchdowns:** 1 (Nevada 2019)

COWBOY PROFILES



KEEGAN CRYDER
CENTER
6-4, 309, SENIOR
LITTLETON, COLO.
(DAKOTA RIDGE) **73**

2021: Cryder started all 12 games at his center position. He was named first-team All-Mountain West Conference by Pro Football Focus and second-team All-MWC after anchoring the Cowboys' offensive line. He helped pave the way for an offense that rushed for 2,341 yards on the season. That's an average of 195.1 yards per game and 4.8 yards per attempt. Wyoming's season-high rushing total of 385 yards occurred against Colorado State (11/6/21). The offensive line also allowed Cowboys' quarterbacks to go 153-for-286 for 1,988 yards.

KEEGAN CRYDER CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 43 (12 in 2018, 13 in 2019, 6 in 2020, 12 in 2021)

Games Started: 43 (12 in 2018, 13 in 2019, 6 in 2020, 12 in 2021)




LATRELL BIBLE
CENTER
6-4, 300, SOPHOMORE
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.
(WASHBURN) **58**

2021: Bible played in all 12 games and made two starts along the offensive line. His first start occurred at Boise State (11/12/21) where the Pokes rushed for 132 yards and his final start was against Hawaii (11/27/21) when Wyoming ran for 119 yards.

LATRELL BIBLE CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 19 (1 in 2019, 6 in 2020, 12 in 2021)

Games Started: 7 (5 in 2020, 2 in 2021)



ERIC ABOJEI
OFFENSIVE GUARD
6-5, 328, SENIOR
NEW HOPE, MINN.
(ROBBINSDALE COOPER) **69**

2021: Abojei started all nine games in which he played at his left guard position. He started the first eight games of the season where the Pokes rushed for a combined 1,343. Abojei also started at Utah State (11/20/21) where Wyoming ran for 362 yards – its highest total on the road this season.

ERIC ABOJEI CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 33 (12 in 2018, 6 in 2019, 6 in 2020, 9 in 2021)
Games Started: 26 (6 in 2019, 5 in 2018, 6 in 2020, 9 in 2021)



ZACH WATTS
OFFENSIVE GUARD
6-5, 302, JUNIOR
WINDSOR, COLO.
(WINDSOR) **65**

2021: Watts played in all 12 games and made one start at his left guard position. His one start was against Colorado State (11/6/21) where the Pokes rushed for a season-high 385 yards – their highest total since a 2021 matchup at UNLV.

ZACH WATTS CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 21 (12 in 2021, 2 in 2020, 4 in 2019, 3 in 2018)
Games Started: 8 (1 in 2021, 1 in 2020, 3 in 2019, 3 in 2018)



LOGAN HARRIS
OFFENSIVE GUARD
6-3, 310, SENIOR
TORRINGTON, WYO.
(TORRINGTON) **79**

2021: Harris started all 12 games at his right guard position. He was named second-team All-Mountain West Conference by Pro Football Focus and honorable mention All-MWC. He helped pave the way for an offense that rushed for 2,341 yards on the season. That's an average of 195.1 yards per game and 4.8 yards per attempt. Wyoming's season-high rushing total of 385 yards occurred against Colorado State (11/6/21). The offensive line also allowed Cowboys' quarterbacks to go 153-for-286 for 1,988 yards.

LOGAN HARRIS CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 53 (12 in 2021, 5 in 2020, 11 in 2019, 12 in 2018, 13 in 2017)
Games Started: 42 (12 in 2021, 5 in 2020, 11 in 2019, 1 in 2018, 13 in 2017)




NOFOAFIA TULAFONO
OFFENSIVE GUARD
6-2, 338, REDSHIRT-FRESHMAN
VICTORVILLE, CALIF.
(OAK HILLS) **77**

2021: Tuiafono played in 11 games, every contest since the season opener, at his right guard position. During his time along the offensive line the Pokes rushed for a season-high 385 yards against Colorado State (11/6/21) and 362 yards at Utah State (11/20/21).

NOFOAFIA TULAFONO CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 11 (11 in 2021)
Games Started: 0

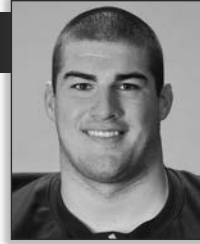
RUDY STOFER
OFFENSIVE TACKLE
6-6, 308, SENIOR
KEARNEY, NEB.
(KEARNEY)

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2021: Stofer played in all 12 games and made five starts at his left tackle position. Four of his starts occurred in the last four games. He helped pave the way for an offensive that ran for a combined 998 yards in the final four games of the season. That included a 385-yard rushing performance against Colorado State (11/6/21) and a 362-yard output at Utah State (11/20/21).

RUDY STOFER CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 38 (12 in 2021, 1 in 2020, 13 in 2019, 12 in 2018)
Games Started: 26 (5 in 2021, 1 in 2020, 13 in 2019, 7 in 2018)




ALONZO VELAZQUEZ
OFFENSIVE TACKLE
6-6, 313, SENIOR
JANESVILLE, WISC.
(PARKER)

78

2021: Velazquez played in nine games and made seven starts at his left tackle position. Six of his starts were the first six games of the season. During that span, Wyoming rushed for a combined 964 yards. That included a 203-yard performance at UConn (10/9/21).

ALONZO VELAZQUEZ CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 33 (9 in 2021, 9 in 2019, 5 in 2018, 10 in 2017)
Games Started: 30 (7 in 2021, 8 in 2019, 5 in 2018, 10 in 2017)



FRANK CRUM
OFFENSIVE TACKLE
6-7, 314, JUNIOR
LARAMIE, WYO.
(LARAMIE)

75

2021: Crum started all 12 games at his right tackle position. He was named honorable mention All-Mountain West Conference by Pro Football Focus. He helped pave the way for an offense that rushed for 2,341 yards on the season. That's an average of 195.1 yards per game and 4.8 yards per attempt. Wyoming's season-high rushing total of 385 yards occurred against Colorado State (11/6/21). The offensive line also allowed Cowboys' quarterbacks to go 153-for-286 for 1,988 yards.

FRANK CRUM CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 30 (12 in 2019, 6 in 2020, 12 in 2021)
Games Started: 23 (5 in 2019, 6 in 2020, 12 in 2021)



MANA TAIMANI
OFFENSIVE TACKLE
6-5, 282, REDSHIRT-FRESHMAN
ANTIOCH, CALIF.
(CLAYTON VALLEY CHARTER)

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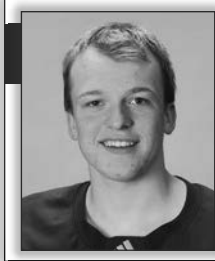
2021: Taimani played in 11 games along the offensive line. He had a hand in the season-high 385-yard rushing performance against Colorado State (11/6/21). Taimani also played at Utah State (11/20/21) where the Pokes rushed for 362 yards.

MANA TAIMANI CAREER STATISTICS

Games Played: 11 (11 in 2021)
Games Started: 0



COWBOY PROFILES



JOHN HOYLAND

PLACE-KICKER
5-10, 194, SOPHOMORE
BROOMFIELD, COLO.
(LEGACY)

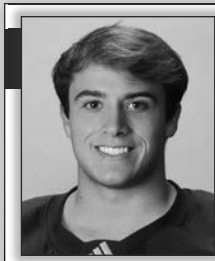
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2021: Hoyland started all 12 games at place-kicker. He connected on 9 of 13 field goals with a long being a 37-yarder against Montana State (9/4/21). Hoyland was a perfect 2-for-2 from between 30-39 yards and 7-for-7 between 20-29 yards. He also made all 33 of his extra points.

Date	Opponent	Punting										Field Goals				Kickoffs				
		no.	yds	avg	long	bikld	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	bikld	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob		
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2-2	0	0	5	325	65.0	5	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	8	479	59.9	4	0	
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-1	0	0	8	518	64.8	7	0	
Sep 25	at UConn	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-2	0	0	5	298	59.6	0	0	
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	3	169	56.3	1	0	
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-1	0	0	1	65	65.0	1	0	
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-1	0	0	2	130	65.0	2	0	
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	4	221	55.3	1	0	
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-2	0	0	6	386	64.3	3	0	
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	3	170	56.7	1	1	
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3-3	0	0	9	439	48.8	1	1	
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-1	0	0	3	187	62.3	1	0	
Totals		0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9-13	0	0	57	3397	59.6	27	2	

JOHN HOYLAND STATISTICS

Field Goals: 22-27 (.815) **Long:** 42 yards **Extra Points:** 49-49



CALEB COOLEY

WIDE RECEIVER
5-7, 170, SOPHOMORE
CHICO, CALIF.
(BUTTE COLLEGE)

29

2021: Cooley played in all 12 games on special teams. He took over punt-returning duties for the final four games. Cooley logged one return for nine yards against Colorado State (11/6/21). He also made three tackles and a career-high two at UConn (9/25/21).

Date	Opponent	Rushing			Receiving			Passing			Kick Returns			Punt Returns			all purp	
		no.	yds	td	no.	yds	td	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td		lg
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 25	at UConn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	9
Nov 12	at Boise St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	9

CALEB COOLEY CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/		TFL/		FR/		INT/	
					YDS	YDS	FF	YDS	PBU	YDS		
2021	12	2	1	3	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	
Totals	12	2	1	3	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 2 (UConn, 2021) **Assisted:** 1 (San Jose State, 2021)
Total tackles: 2 (UConn, 2021)



RALPH FAWAZ

PUNTER/ PLACE-KICKER
6-1, 195, REDSHIRT-FRESHMAN
CACHE, OKLA.
(CACHE)

27

2021: Fawaz started all 12 games at punter. He booted it 55 times with an average of 42.4 yards per punt. Fawaz had a long punt of 76 yards against Air Force (10/9/21). He had a long punt of at least 50 yards in nine of the 12 games.

Date	Opponent	Punting										Field Goals				Kickoffs			
		no.	yds	avg	long	bikld	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	bikld	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
Sep 04	MONTANA ST.	6	274	45.7	54	0	0	2	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 11	at Northern Ill.	3	104	34.7	47	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 18	BALL ST.	5	240	48.0	53	0	1	1	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 25	at UConn	4	165	41.2	50	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 09	at Air Force	6	235	39.2	76	0	0	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 16	FRESNO ST.	5	206	41.6	47	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 23	NEW MEXICO	4	153	38.2	50	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 30	at San Jose St.	4	195	48.8	55	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 06	COLORADO ST.	3	148	49.3	61	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 12	at Boise St.	7	295	42.1	60	0	0	3	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 20	at Utah St.	3	110	36.7	39	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 27	HAWAII	5	207	41.4	51	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		55	2334	42.4	76	0	1	18	15	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

RALPH FAWAZ STATISTICS

Punts 54-2283 **Long:** 76 **Average:** 42.3



WYATT WIELAND

WIDE RECEIVER
6-1, 197, JUNIOR
COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.
(PINE CREEK)


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2021: Wieland played in 10 games and made one start at his wide receiver position. He came on strong toward the end of the season, reeling in all four of his catches for 60 yards in the last four contests. Wieland hauled in a career-high two passes for 22 yards against Hawaii (11/27/21). His long catch of 23 yards occurred at Utah State (11/20/21).

WYATT WIELAND CAREER STATISTICS


YEAR	G	REC	YARDS	AVG		TDS	LONG
				REC	GAME		
2020	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
2021	12	4	60	15.0	5.0	0	23
Totals	22	4	60	15.0	2.7	0	23

COWBOY PROFILES

TEAGAN LIUFAU
DEFENSIVE END
6-3, 250, JUNIOR
FORT COLLINS, COLO.
(ROCKY MOUNTAIN) **49**

2021: Liufau played in all 12 games at long snapper for punts and on special teams.



TOMMY WROBLEWSKI
DEFENSIVE END
6-3, 250, FRESHMAN
FORT COLLINS, COLO.
(ROCKY MOUNTAIN) **34**

2021: Wroblewski started all 12 games as the long snapper for field goals and PATs.

TEAGAN LIUFAU CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2019	11	7	2	9	0.0/0	2.5/11	0	0/0	0	0/0
2020	1	0	1	1	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
2021	12	1	1	2	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
Totals	24	8	4	12	0.0/0	2.5/11	0	0/0	0	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 5 (Tulsa 2019) **Assisted:** 3 (Air Force 2019)
Total tackles: 5 (Boise State 2019) **Tackles for Loss:** 1.0 (Tulsa 2019)
Sacks: 1.0 (Tulsa 2019)

TOMMY WROBLEWSKI CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	G	UT	AT	TT	SACKS/ YDS	TFL/ YDS	FF	FR/ YDS	PBU	INT/ YDS
2021	12	0	0	0	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0
Totals	12	0	0	0	0.0/0	0.0/0	0	0/0	0	0/0

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

Solo: 5 (Tulsa 2019) **Assisted:** 3 (Air Force 2019)
Total tackles: 5 (Boise State 2019) **Tackles for Loss:** 1.0 (Tulsa 2019)
Sacks: 1.0 (Tulsa 2019)



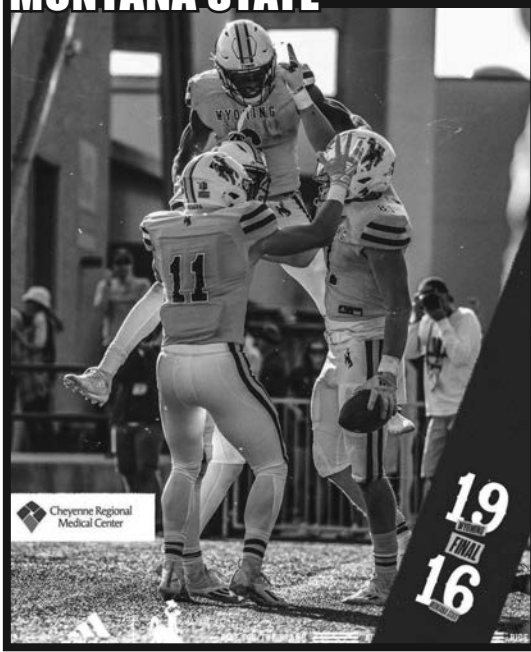
RYAN MARQUEZ
WIDE RECEIVER/HOLDER
6-1, 184, JUNIOR
ARVADA, COLO.
(POMONA) **20**

2021: Marquez started all 12 games as the holder on field goals and PATs, while also playing several other special teams positions.



2021 FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO BOWL

2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST MONTANA STATE



Box Score (Final)
Wyoming Football
Montana St. vs Wyoming (Sep 04, 2021 at Laramie, Wyoming)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Montana St.	7	0	0	9	16
Wyoming	0	3	0	16	19

Qtr Time Scoring play

1st 11:43 MSU - McCutcheon,Lanc 15 yd pass from (Glessner,Blake kick), 1-15 0:04
 2nd 03:15 WYO - Hoyland,John 37 yd field goal, 8-40 3:55
 4th 13:36 WYO - Valladay,Xazavi 2 yd run (Marquez,Ryan kick failed), 8-52 3:13
 10:23 MSU - Glessner,Blake 53 yd field goal, 7-40 3:13
 04:03 WYO - Hoyland,John 25 yd field goal, 13-67 6:20
 02:17 MSU - Pickering,Treyt 1 yd pass from (McKay,Matthew kick failed), 5-75 1:46
 00:47 WYO - Welch,Treyton 21 yd pass from (Hoyland,John kick), 8-75 1:30

	MSU	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	17	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	30-121	43-151
PASSING YDS (NET)	200	196
Passes Att-Comp-Int	29-19-0	26-15-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	59-321	69-347
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-13
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	1-18
Interception Returns-Yards	1-21	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-43.8	6-45.7
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-32	4-50
Possession Time	26:16	33:44
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 12	6 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	3-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-0	2-0

RUSHING: Montana St.-Ifanse,Isaiah 16-103; McKay,Matthew 9-11; Gardner,Cameron 2-6; Patterson,Willi 1-4; Brown,Charles 1-minus 1; TEAM 1-minus 2. Wyoming-Valladay,Xazavi 19-77; Chambers,Sean 14-51; Swen,Titus 5-14; Smith,Trey 3-7; Neyor,Isaiah 2-2.

PASSING: Montana St.-McKay,Matthew 19-28-0-200; TEAM 0-1-0-0. Wyoming-Chambers,Sean 15-26-1-196.

RECEIVING: Montana St.-McCutcheon,Lanc 5-71; Ifanse,Isaiah 4-33; Pickering,Treyt 3-31; Patterson,Willi 2-27; Snell,Derryk 2-8; Brown,Charles 1-13; Steel,Coy 1-12; Fitzgerald,R.J. 1-5. Wyoming-Eberhardt,Ayden 4-71; Neyor,Isaiah 3-32; Welch,Treyton 2-25; Christensen,Par 2-23; Cobbs,Joshua 1-24; Swen,Titus 1-9; Brown,Alex 1-7; Valladay,Xazavi 1-5.

INTERCEPTIONS: Montana St.-Manning,Jeffrey 1-21. Wyoming-None.

FUMBLES: Montana St.-Patterson,Willi 1-1. Wyoming-None.

Montana St. (0-1) vs. Wyoming (1-0)
 Date: Sep 04, 2021 • Site: Laramie, Wyoming • Stadium: Jonah Field at War M
 Attendance: 27007

Kickoff time: 2:02pm • End of Game: 5:06pm • Total elapsed time: 03:03
 Officials: Referee: McNeill,Call; Umpire: Williams,David; Linesman: Keller,Ben;
 Back judge: Moore,Al; Field judge: Wirfel,Brian; Side judge: Fuzzell,Dustin;
 Temperature: 0 • Wind: • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: The Wyoming Cowboys and Montana State Bobcats waged a war of wills against each other on Saturday in Wyoming's War Memorial Stadium. In the end, it was an eight-play, 75-yard drive by the Cowboys that gave Wyoming a 19-16 lead with only 47 seconds remaining in the game to give UW the victory. Montana State fought to the very end, running out of time on its final possession of the game at the Wyoming 40-yard line.

The two teams entered the fourth quarter with Montana State holding a 7-3 lead, but in the first five possessions of the fourth quarter the two teams scored on each of those five drives -- the Cowboys scoring two touchdowns and a field goal, while the Bobcats converted a 53-yard field goal and a 75-yard TD drive.

Wyoming scored 16 of its 19 points in the fourth quarter, with scoring drives of 52, 67 and 75 yards.

Outstanding middle linebackers Chad Muma for Wyoming and Troy Andersen for Montana State didn't disappoint. Each ended the game with 11 tackles for the teams. Muma added one fumble recovery, one blocked field goal, a huge sack and 2.0 tackles for loss. Andersen had a pass breakup to go with his 11 tackles.



On special teams, Wyoming's Hoyland continued his outstanding play from a year ago, converting both of his field-goal attempts on the day from 37 and 25 yards out to improve his career field-goal statistics to 15 of 16 field goals made (93.8 percent). Cowboy redshirt freshman punter Ralph Fawaz had an amazing career debut, punting six times for a 45.7 yard average while placing five of his six punts inside the MSU 20-yard line and hitting a long punt of 54 yards on two different occasions.

Since taking over as head coach of the Cowboys in 2014, Bohl returned the Cowboys to their traditional brown jerseys and gold pants for home games and white jerseys and gold pants for road games. On Saturday against Montana State, the Cowboys wore new gold jerseys and white pants.

Senior wide receiver Eberhardt said he felt the Cowboys were confident going into the game and were confident when they began the game-winning scoring drive. He also gave a lot of credit to the 27,007 fans who showed up for the season opener on Saturday.



2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST NORTHERN ILLINOIS



Box Score (Final)
Wyoming Football
Wyoming vs Northern Ill. (Sep 11, 2021 at DeKalb, Illinois)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Wyoming	14	14	14	8	50
Northern Ill.	3	7	12	21	43

Qtr Time Scoring play

1st	11:16	WYO - Swen, Titus 22 yd run (Hoyland, John kick), 8-75 3:44
	08:27	WYO - Neyor, Isaiah 33 yd pass from (Hoyland, John kick), 3-50 1:21
	00:11	HUSKIES - Richardson, John 46 yd field goal, 9-42 2:46
2nd	12:21	WYO - Valladay, Xazavi 7 yd run (Hoyland, John kick), 1-22 0:12
	08:18	HUSKIES - Ratkovich, Clint 1 yd run (Richardson, John kick), 8-75 4:03
	03:12	WYO - Neyor, Isaiah 19 yd pass from (Hoyland, John kick), 10-65 5:06
3rd	10:31	HUSKIES - Ratkovich, Clint 1 yd run (Lombardi, Rocky kick failed), 11-75 4:29
	06:50	WYO - Neyor, Isaiah 5 yd run (Hoyland, John kick), 8-65 3:41
	06:03	WYO - 0 yd INT: INT: (Hoyland, John kick), 2--1 0:47
	04:34	HUSKIES - Rudolph, Trayvon 40 yd pass from (Lombardi, Rocky kick failed), 4-70 1:23
4th	12:48	HUSKIES - Waylee, Harrison 75 yd run (Richardson, John kick), 4-86 1:30
	12:35	HUSKIES - Waylee, Harrison 14 yd run (Richardson, John kick), 1-14 0:07
	04:56	HUSKIES - Ratkovich, Clint 3 yd run (Richardson, John kick), 10-45 5:02
	01:35	WYO - Chambers, Sean 9 yd run (Chambers, Sean kick), 10-75 3:21

	WYO	HUSKIES
FIRST DOWNS	24	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	45-191	38-244
PASSING YDS (NET)	204	233
Passes Att-Comp-Int	23-13-0	36-19-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	68-395	74-477
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-17	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	4-88
Interception Returns-Yards	3-10	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-34.7	2-48.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-30	5-50
Possession Time	30:28	29:32
Third-Down Conversions	9 of 13	9 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-0	1-0

RUSHING: Wyoming-Valladay, Xazavi 21-101; Swen, Titus 9-54; Chambers, Sean 8-16; Neyor, Isaiah 2-13; Smith, Trey 4-7; Cobbs, Joshua 1-0. Northern Ill.-Waylee, Harrison 26-179; Ratkovich, Clint 6-63; Ducker, Jay 1-2; Lombardi, Rocky 5-0.

PASSING: Wyoming-Chambers, Sean 13-23-0-204. Northern Ill.-Lombardi, Rocky 19-36-3-233.

RECEIVING: Wyoming-Neyor, Isaiah 4-87; Eberhardt, Ayden 4-49; Valladay, Xazavi 2-50; Cobbs, Joshua 1-9; Brown, Alex 1-7; Welch, Treyton 1-2. Northern Ill.-Tucker, Cole 6-72; Richie, Tyrice 5-40; Rudolph, Trayvon 2-65; Travis, Messiah 1-21; Tewes, Tristen 1-13; Soraghan, Liam 1-7; Waylee, Harrison 1-6; McCray, Fabian 1-5; Toure, Mohamed 1-4.

INTERCEPTIONS: Wyoming-Williams, Miles 1-10; Weber, Rome 1-0; Muma, Chad 1-0. Northern Ill.-None.

FUMBLES: Wyoming-Chambers, Sean 2-1. Northern Ill.-None.

Wyoming (2-0) vs. Northern Ill. (1-1)

Date: Sep 11, 2021 • Site: DeKalb, Illinois • Stadium: Brigham Field at Hus
Attendance: 11334

Kickoff time: 12:35pm • End of Game: 4:02pm • Total elapsed time: 03:27
Officials: Referee: Valentine, Jerem; Umpire: Vaverchak, Keith; Linesman: Griebel, Matthew;
Line judge: Schildmeyer, Gar; Back judge: Stinson, Bob; Field judge: Dolphin, Pat;
Side judge: Bynum, Chris;
Temperature: 81 • Wind: S 8mph • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: The Wyoming Cowboys got off to a fast start and held off the Northern Illinois Huskies in the final minutes to earn a 50-43 win on the road in Huskie Stadium in DeKalb, Illinois on Saturday. Wyoming moved to 2-0 on the young season, as the 50 points was the most in a road contest since scoring 66 in three overtimes against UNLV during the 2016 season.

The Pokes held a 42-16 lead in the third quarter, but the Huskies answered with 27-straight points to take a 43-42 advantage with just under five minutes remaining in the contest.

Wyoming responded with a 10-play, 75 yard drive that ended in a nine yard touchdown rush from Sean Chambers that proved to be the game winner. Chambers found sophomore wide receiver Isaiah Neyor on a 30-yard pass to the NIU four-yard line to set up the score.

Chambers had a career day completing a career-high 13 passes for a career-high 204 yards, as he also tied a career-best with two touchdown throws. Neyor also hauled in four catches with a career-high two touchdown receptions, as he also rushed for one score on the day. It was the first multi-touchdown game through the air for a receiver since Austin Fort against New Mexico on Oct. 28, 2017. Senior running back Xazavian Valladay added 101 yards rushing and had two catches for 50 yards.

The Cowboy defense was paced by linebackers senior Chad Muma and sophomore Easton Gibbs, as both added 10 tackles. Muma also recorded a pick six for the first interception returned for a touchdown by the Cowboys since Logan Wilson against Utah State in 2019. Senior Miles Williams and Junior Rome Weber each added interceptions on the day for the Cowboys, as it marked the first time since the 2019 season against UNLV that the Pokes recorded three interceptions in a game.

The Cowboys recorded 395 yards of total offense for the game. Wyoming threw for 204 yards in the game and rushed for 191. The Pokes extended drive for the game going 9-of-13 on third down.

The Huskies recorded 477 yards of total offense in the game. NIU rushed for 244 yards on the afternoon and threw for 233 yards. Running back Harrison Waylee recorded 179 rushing in the game and became the first back to rush for over 150 yards on the Cowboy defense since Royce Freeman of Oregon during the 2017 season.



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2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST BALL STATE



**Box Score (Final)
Wyoming Football**
Ball St. vs Wyoming (Sep 18, 2021 at Laramie, Wyoming)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Ball St.	0	0	6	6	12
Wyoming	10	21	0	14	45

Qtr Time Scoring play

1st	07:42	WYO - Hoyland, John 24 yd field goal, 7-53 2:45
	05:46	WYO - Blankenbaker, Ke 50 yd INT: INT: (Hoyland, John kick), 5-23 1:56
2nd	14:55	WYO - Welch, Treyton 1 yd pass from (Hoyland, John kick), 8-80 3:14
	03:51	WYO - McNeely, Dawaiia 16 yd run (Hoyland, John kick), 6-68 2:48
	00:17	WYO - Chambers, Sean 1 yd run (Hoyland, John kick), 5-31 0:25
3rd	01:59	CARDINAL - Jones, Will 1 yd run, 15-87 5:34
4th	11:04	WYO - Valladay, Xazavi 1 yd run (Hoyland, John kick), 11-75 5:55
	08:21	CARDINAL - Steele, Carson 19 yd run (Paddock, John kick failed), 8-75 2:43
	06:35	WYO - Muma, Chad 45 yd INT: INT: (Hoyland, John kick), 1-0 0:09

	CARDINAL	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	19	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	41-118	39-177
PASSING YDS (NET)	142	201
Passes Att-Comp-Int	34-21-2	23-14-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	75-260	62-378
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-26	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-72	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-95
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-42.0	5-48.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	3-25	4-40
Possession Time	30:11	29:49
Third-Down Conversions	9 of 17	4 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	5-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-0	6-0

RUSHING: Ball St.-Steele, Carson 13-76; Jones, Will 10-47; Hall, Justin 2-9; Marcus, Donny 3-4; Plitt, Drew 11-minus 9; Paddock, John 2-minus 9. Wyoming-Valladay, Xazavi 14-61; McNeely, Dawaiia 6-48; Swen, Titus 10-43; Chambers, Sean 7-21; Hollingsworth, J 1-2; Eberhardt, Ayden 1-2.

PASSING: Ball St.-Paddock, John 13-20-1-82; Plitt, Drew 8-14-1-60. Wyoming-Chambers, Sean 14-23-0-201.

RECEIVING: Ball St.-Jackson, Jayshon 10-92; Hall, Justin 3-20; Williams, Jordan 2-5; Brenson, Chevali 1-9; Rudy, Cody 1-6; Tate, Dean 1-4; McGaughy, Jalen 1-4; Tyler, Yo'Heinz 1-2; Dunnuck, Isaiah 1-0. Wyoming-Neyor, Isaiah 4-84; Valladay, Xazavi 2-43; O'Brien, Colin 2-27; Welch, Treyton 2-7; Smith, Trey 1-15; Cobbs, Joshua 1-9; Christensen, Par 1-9; Eberhardt, Ayden 1-7.

INTERCEPTIONS: Ball St.-None. Wyoming-Blankenbaker, Ke 1-50; Muma, Chad 1-45.

FUMBLES: Ball St.-Plitt, Drew 1-1. Wyoming-Chambers, Sean 1-0.

Ball St. (1-2) vs. Wyoming (3-0)

Date: Sep 18, 2021 • Site: Laramie, Wyoming • Stadium: Jonah Field at War M
Attendance: 23467

Kickoff time: 2:06pm • End of Game: 5:05pm • Total elapsed time: 02:58
Officials: Referee: Davis, Tim; Umpire: Orsot, Rico; Linesman: Carmuche, Eric;
Line judge: Weatherford, Jak; Back judge: Lewis, Robert; Field judge: McNally, Eric;
Side judge: Claiborne, Keith;
Temperature: 0 • Wind: • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: The Wyoming Cowboys improved their record to 3-0 on Saturday, with a convincing 45-12 home win over Ball State. Wyoming's offense accumulated 378 yards of total offense, scored four touchdowns and a field goal. The Cowboy defense was outstanding, forcing three turnovers and returning two interceptions for TDs -- those two "Pick Six" were scored by nickel back Keyon Blankenbaker and linebacker Chad Muma.

Offensively, quarterback Sean Chambers completed 61 percent of his passes on the day (14 of 23) for 201 yards and one touchdown pass to tight end Treyton Welch. Wyoming utilized eight different receivers and four different running backs in the game, concluding the day with 177 rushing yards. Running backs Xazavian Valladay and Dawaiia McNeely each scored a rushing touchdown -- the first of McNeely's career. Chambers added a TD run of his own. Valladay had 61 rushing yards and 43 receiving for 104 all-

purpose yards on the day. Wide receiver Isaiah Neyor caught four passes for 84 yards to lead the Pokes. The Cowboys committed no turnovers, compared to three by Ball State.

The Cowboy defense made a real statement with one of the best performances in recent history. UW's defenders not only scored two touchdowns of their own but they forced another huge turnover right before halftime. With the ball at the Wyoming 47-yard line, defensive lineman Victor Jones sacked Ball State quarterback Drew Plitt and knocked the ball loose. The ball bounded toward the Ball State end of the field and Cowboy defensive end Jaylen Pate recovered the ball all the way down at the Cardinals 31-yard line with only 42 seconds remaining in the half. That led to a Chambers one-yard rushing touchdown five plays later to give UW a 31-0 halftime lead.

The two "Pick Sixes" by the Cowboys was the first time a Wyoming defense had accomplished that since Sept. 23, 2016, when safety Marcus Epps and linebacker Logan Wilson each had interception returns for TDs against Eastern Michigan.





2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST UCONN



Box Score (Final)
Wyoming Football
Wyoming vs UConn (Sep 25, 2021 at East Hartford, Conne)

Score by Quarters	Total
Wyoming	24
UConn	22

Qtr	Time	Scoring play
1st	11:39	Huskies, - McFadden,Joe 28 yd field goal, 7-45 3:15
2nd	12:54	Huskies, - McFadden,Joe 29 yd field goal, 5-29 2:47
	04:44	WYO - Hoyland,John 24 yd field goal, 16-72 8:06
1st	01:25	Huskies, - Rose,Jay 42 yd pass from (McFadden,Joe kick), 6-74 1:06
3rd	10:15	WYO - Neyor,Isaiah 18 yd pass from (Hoyland,John kick), 9-69 4:40
4th	11:16	Huskies, - McFadden,Joe 35 yd field goal, 16-74 6:15
	06:31	WYO - Valladay,Xazavi 1 yd run (Hoyland,John kick), 10-77 4:39
	03:34	WYO - Swen,Titus 2 yd run (Hoyland,John kick), 5-29 2:43
	00:04	Huskies, - Carter,Nate 2 yd run (Phommachanh,Tyl kick failed), 14-64 3:24

	WYO	Huskies,
FIRST DOWNS	22	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	45-203	28-110
PASSING YDS (NET)	149	171
Passes Att-Comp-Int	26-15-2	39-19-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	71-352	67-281
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-2	0-31
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-77	4-106
Interception Returns-Yards	1-7	2-10
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-41.2	5-33.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	10-99	8-50
Possession Time	35:29	24:31
Third-Down Conversions	9 of 15	3 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-0	0-0

RUSHING: Wyoming-Valladay,Xazavi 22-101; Swen,Titus 15-84; Chambers,Sean 6-20; McNeely,Dawaiia 1-minus 1; TEAM 1-minus 1. UConn-Carter,Nate 10-65; Phommachanh,Tyl 12-14; Brewton,Brian 3-11; Maurisseau,Hero 1-11; Mensah,Kevin 2-9.

PASSING: Wyoming-Chambers,Sean 15-26-2-149. UConn-Phommachanh,Tyl 19-39-1-171.

RECEIVING: Wyoming-Eberhardt,Ayden 3-40; Valladay,Xazavi 3-33; Christensen,Par 3-30; Cobbs,Joshua 3-15; Neyor,Isaiah 2-24; Swen,Titus 1-7. UConn-Turner,Aaron 6-49; Marion,Keelan 3-25; Clercius,Kevens 3-23; Gill,Jakai 3-17; Rose,Jay 1-42; Carter,Nate 1-14; Niemanski,Brand 1-1; Brewton,Brian 1-0.

INTERCEPTIONS: Wyoming-Gandy,Esaias 1-7. UConn-Bell,Myles 1-10; Lucien,Jeremy 1-0.

FUMBLES: Wyoming-TEAM 1-0; Chambers,Sean 1-0. UConn-None.

Wyoming (4-0) vs. UConn (0-5)
Date: Sep 25, 2021 • Site: East Hartford, Conne • Stadium: Pratt & Whitney Stad
Attendance: 12538

Kickoff time: 3:32pm • End of Game: 6:57pm • Total elapsed time: 03:24
Officials: Referee: Hedgepeth,Timot; Umpire: Worrell,Danny; Line judge: Lawrence,Deon;
Back judge: Hendon,Barry; Field judge: Wilborn,Richard; Side judge: Claogherty,Cono;
Temperature: 73 • Wind: • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: The Wyoming Cowboys once again showed their resilience and comeback ability on Saturday, as they improved to 4-0 on the season and concluded their non-conference schedule undefeated, heading into a bye week.

Unlike last week, when Wyoming built a 31-0 halftime lead at home over Ball State on way to a 45-12 victory, the Cowboys started slow on Saturday at UConn. But as they've done twice before this season, against Montana State and Northern Illinois, the Pokes fought back from a 13-3 deficit at halftime to out-score the Huskies 21 to nine in the second half and record a 24-22 road win.

Wyoming's comeback was keyed by a critical defensive stand by the Pokes early in the fourth quarter. Trailing 13-10, the Cowboys saw the Huskies put together a long drive of 74 yards, moving all the way down to the Wyoming five-yard line. It was critical that UW hold UConn to a field goal and keep the game a one-possession game. The Wyoming defense would rise to the occasion. On a third and five from the Wyoming five, Cowboy defensive end Solomon Byrd combined with safety Rome Weber to sack Huskie quarterback Tyler Phommachanh for 12 yards, pushing the ball back to the 17-yard line. UConn place-kicker

Joe McFadden entered the game and made a 35-yard field goal -- his third on the day -- to extend the Huskies' lead to 16-10. But allowing only a field goal meant the Cowboys were still within one touchdown of taking the lead.

Wyoming concluded the game with 352 yards of total offense (203 rushing and 149 passing) compared to 281 for UConn (110 rushing and 171 passing). Cowboy running backs Valladay and Swen combined for 185 for the 203 rushing yards for Wyoming. Valladay recorded his 12th career 100-yard rushing game and second of the season, running for 101 yards on 22 carries and one TD Saturday. Swen racked up 84 rushing yards o 15 carries and also scored one touchdown. Swen led the Pokes in all-purpose yardage with 168, including 84 rushing yards, seven receiving and 77 on kickoff returns. Valladay accounted for 134 all-purpose yards -- 101 rushing and 33 receiving.

The Cowboy passing game saw Chambers complete 58 percent of his passes (15 of 26 passes) on the day for 149 yards, one TD and two interceptions. Eberhardt caught three of those passes for 40 yards. Valladay, fullback/tight end Parker Christensen and wide receiver Joshua Cobbs also each had three receptions. Wide receiver Isaiah Neyor had two catches for 24 yards and the one receiving touchdown for the Cowboys.

Nickel back Keyon Blankenbaker led Wyoming in tackles, with seven, including six solo tackles. Defensive end Byrd had six tackles, 1.5 sacks and two quarterback hurries. Cornerback C.J. Coldon recorded five tackles, 1.0 tackle for a loss and one pass breakup, and defensive end Garrett Crall also had five tackles and four QB hurries. Safety Weber was credited with four tackles, 0.5 sacks and the huge pass breakup on UConn's two-point conversion to preserve Wyoming's two-point victory (24-22).



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2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST AIR FORCE



Box Score (Final) Wyoming Football

Wyoming vs Air Force (Oct 09, 2021 at U.S. Air Force Acade)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Wyoming	0	14	0	0	14
Air Force	7	7	7	3	24

Qtr Time Scoring play

1st 06:42 FALCONS - Roberts,Brad 1 yd run (RODRIGUEZ,Antho kick), 15-75 8:18
 2nd 10:43 FALCONS - Kinamon,Dane 2 yd run (RODRIGUEZ,Antho kick), 11-38 6:08
 02:39 WYO - Chambers,Sean 1 yd run (Hoyland,John kick), 6-97 1:59
 00:15 WYO - Neyor,Isaiah 10 yd pass from (Hoyland,John kick), 5-73 0:52
 3rd 05:46 FALCONS - Davis,Micah 13 yd pass from (RODRIGUEZ,Antho kick), 8-85 4:09
 4th 07:18 FALCONS - RODRIGUEZ,Antho 26 yd field goal, 15-67 7:11

	WYO	FALCONS
FIRST DOWNS	15	20
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	27-114	64-211
PASSING YDS (NET)	143	110
Passes Att-Comp-Int	28-11-0	10-7-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	55-257	74-321
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-6	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-17	1-0
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-39.2	4-39.0
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	5-1
Penalties-Yards	6-40	1-5
Possession Time	21:12	38:48
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 12	7 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	3 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-0	4-0

RUSHING: Wyoming-Valladay,Xazavi 8-96; Swen,Titus 5-21; Chambers,Sean 12-3; McNeely,Dawaiia 1-minus 1; TEAM 1-minus 5. Air Force-Roberts,Brad 33-140; Daniels,Haaziq 9-23; Davis,Micah 6-21; Michel,Emmanuel 5-21; Gidrey,Jordan 1-7; Lewis,Brandon 2-4; Fattah,Omar 2-3; Kinamon,Dane 2-minus 3; TEAM 4-minus 5.

PASSING: Wyoming-Chambers,Sean 11-28-0-143. Air Force-Daniels,Haaziq 7-10-0-110; Kinamon,Dane 0-0-0-0.

RECEIVING: Wyoming-Eberhardt,Ayden 4-43; Neyor,Isaiah 3-55; Welch,Treyton 2-23; Brown,Alex 1-19; Swen,Titus 1-3. Air Force-Lewis,Brandon 5-77; Davis,Micah 2-33.

INTERCEPTIONS: Wyoming-None. Air Force-None.

FUMBLES: Wyoming-TEAM 2-0; Chambers,Sean 2-2. Air Force-Daniels,Haaziq 2-1; Michel,Emmanuel 1-0; Roberts,Brad 1-0; TEAM 1-0.

Wyoming (4-1,0-1) vs. Air Force (5-1,2-1)
 Date: Oct 09, 2021 • Site: U.S. Air Force Acade • Stadium: Falcon Stadium
 Attendance: 24832

Kickoff time: 5:07pm • End of Game: 8:29pm • Total elapsed time: 03:21
 Officials: Referee: Salaam,Tuta; Umpire: Bishop,Bill; Linesman: Burks,Matt;
 Line judge: Deterding,Kelly; Back judge: Alston,Chris; Field judge: Almeroth,Rich;
 Side judge: Pham,Lo'van;
 Temperature: 0 • Wind: • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: It was a typical, hard-fought meeting between the Wyoming Cowboys and Air Force Falcons on Saturday night at Falcon Stadium on the Air Force Academy campus. In the end, Air Force prevailed 24-14 to hand Wyoming its first loss of the season. Wyoming moved to 4-1 and 0-1 in conference play. Air Force improved to 5-1 and 2-1 in the Mountain West.

The first half began with Air Force taking a 14-0 lead, but the Cowboys fought back to score two touchdowns in the final 4:38 of the half to tie that game at 14-14 and grab the momentum heading into halftime.

In the second half, Wyoming began with a promising drive that stalled at the Air Force 36. The Falcons took their opening drive of the third quarter and turned it into their third TD of the game to regain the lead at 21-14. Air Force would engineer its fourth scoring drive of the game on its first possession of the fourth quarter, driving 67 yards in 15 plays and capping it off with a 26-yard field goal to conclude the scoring 24-14.

"We played inconsistently tonight and we got beat by a good football team," said Wyoming head coach Craig Bohl. "We were going to need to get some turnovers and stay on the field offensively tonight, which we weren't able to do."

"To Air Force's credit, they threw the ball well in the second half and we weren't able to stop that."

"I'll be guarded in my comments until we can evaluate things on tape, but our players are disappointed and our coaches are disappointed. In the end, we will learn from tonight and get back at it tomorrow."

"We knew this was going to be a hard-fought game. Our players fought hard, but we weren't able to make enough plays at critical times, and Air Force did a good job of coming up with plays when they needed them."



2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST FRESNO STATE



Box Score (Final) Wyoming Football Fresno St. vs Wyoming (Oct 16, 2021 at Laramie,)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Fresno St.	7	0	7	3	17
Wyoming	0	0	0	0	0

Qtr Time Scoring play

1st	06:57	BULLDOGS - Rodriguez, Juan 2 yd pass from (Silva, Cesar kick), 10-41 5:47
3rd	01:52	BULLDOGS - Cropper, Jalen 3 yd pass from (Silva, Cesar kick), 3-6 0:36
4th	10:25	BULLDOGS - Silva, Cesar 41 yd field goal, 4-3 0:55

	BULLDOGS	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	15	16
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	43-163	33-128
PASSING YDS (NET)	96	143
Passes Att-Comp-Int	28-15-0	30-9-4
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	71-259	63-271
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-6	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	1-23
Interception Returns-Yards	4-73	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-42.3	5-41.6
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	6-52	3-23
Possession Time	32:40	27:20
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 18	7 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	0-1
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-0	1-0

RUSHING: Fresno St.-Mims, Jordan 13-78; Rivers, Ronnie 22-73; Haener, Jake 3-12; Cropper, Jalen 3-4; TEAM 2-minus 4. Wyoming-Chambers, Sean 12-51; Swen, Titus 7-36; Valladay, Xazavi 9-35; Eberhardt, Ayden 2-7; Williams, Levi 1-7; TEAM 1-minus 2; Neyor, Isaiah 1-minus 6.

PASSING: Fresno St.-Haener, Jake 15-28-0-96. Wyoming-Chambers, Sean 8-23-3-111; Williams, Levi 1-7-1-32.

RECEIVING: Fresno St.-Rivers, Ronnie 4-19; Cropper, Jalen 4-18; Pope, Zane 2-33; Mims, Jordan 2-18; Jones, Ty 1-5; Rodriguez, Juan 1-2; Kelly, Josh 1-1. Wyoming-Valladay, Xazavi 3-32; Eberhardt, Ayden 2-45; Neyor, Isaiah 2-18; Welch, Treyton 1-32; Christensen, Par 1-16.

INTERCEPTIONS: Fresno St.-Williams, Evan 2-28; Langley, Malachi 1-33; Early, LJ 1-12. Wyoming-None.

FUMBLES: Fresno St.-None. Wyoming-Chambers, Sean 1-1.

Fresno St. (5-2, 2-1) vs. Wyoming (4-2, 0-2)
Date: Oct 16, 2021 • Site: Laramie, • Stadium: Jonah Field at War M
Attendance: 20002

Kickoff time: 1:35pm • End of Game: 4:46pm • Total elapsed time: 03:10
Officials: Referee: Davis, Tim; Umpire: Orsot, Rico; Linesman: Carmouche, Eric;
Line judge: Weatherford, Jak; Back judge: Lewis, Robert; Field judge: McNally, Eric;
Side judge: Claiborne, Keith;
Temperature: 0 • Wind: • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: The Wyoming Cowboys fell for the first time at home this season as the Fresno State Bulldogs captured a 17-0 win on Saturday in Laramie. The Cowboys are now 4-2 on the season and 0-2 in the Mountain West Conference. Fresno State improved to 5-2 overall and 2-1 in the conference.

Wyoming's defense held Fresno State to 259 yards of total offense. That was half of what the Bulldogs were averaging on the season. Fresno State came into the game averaging 519.8 yards per game. UW's defense also held FS 22 points under its season scoring average of 39.0 points per game.

But the Pokes turned the ball over five times on four interceptions and one lost fumble. Three of those turnovers led directly to Fresno State's 17 points. Two of the three turnovers in the second half gave the Bulldogs the ball at the Wyoming six-yard line, leading to a touchdown, and the 27-yard line, setting up a 41-yard field goal. The 17-0 shutout marked the first time Wyoming had been shutout since 2010 when they lost at TCU by a score 45-0.

"I thought our guys played hard, but we've got to play smarter and we've got to do a better job of taking care of the football.

"Obviously, we have to generate some points. It's important that I don't make any broad-based comments right now

until we watch the tape, but if you look at productivity you've got six (consecutive) quarters without scoring any points, and that's going to make it hard to beat anybody.

Wyoming ended the game with 271 yards of total offense (128 rushing and 149 rushing) to out-gain Fresno State. The Bulldogs accounted for 259 yards of total offense (163 rushing and only 96 passing).

Chambers completed 8 of 23 passes for 111 yards, threw three interceptions and lost one fumble. Williams complete 1 of 7 passes for 32 yards and threw one interception. Fresno State's Haener completed 15 of 28 passes for only 96 yards, but did throw two TD passes.

Chambers led Wyoming in rushing with 51 yards on 12 carries. Swen added 36 yards on seven carries, and Valladay had 35 rushing yards on nine attempts. Bulldog tailbacks Jordan Mims and Ronnie Rivers rushed for 78 and 73 yards, respectively, for a combined 151 yards.

Valladay moved into fourth place on Wyoming's career rushing list in Saturday's game. He now has 2,682 career rushing yards and moved past former Cowboy running back Wynel Seldon, who accounted for 2,672 rushing yards during his career from 2005-08.

Defensively, the Cowboys were led by linebacker Chad Muma and free safety Esaias Gandy, who were credited with 11 tackles each. Wyoming defensive end Solomon Byrd added six tackles and recorded UW's lone sack on the day. Fresno State free safety Evan Williams recorded seven tackles to go with his two interceptions.



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2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST NEW MEXICO



Box Score (Final)
Wyoming Football
New Mexico vs Wyoming (Oct 23, 2021 at Laramie, Wyoming)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
New Mexico	7	7	0	0	14
Wyoming	0	3	0	0	3

Qtr Time Scoring play

1st 01:22 LOBOS - Bruckler,Trace 43 yd pass from (Shelley,Andrew kick), 9-77 5:28
 2nd 04:30 WYO - Hoyland,John 27 yd field goal, 9-62 4:16
 00:29 LOBOS - Dumas,Aaron 2 yd run (Shelley,Andrew kick), 8-75 4:01

	LOBOS	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	12	16
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	44-147	36-108
PASSING YDS (NET)	112	147
Passes Att-Comp-Int	11-10-0	30-14-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	55-259	66-255
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-18	0-1
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	1-4	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-43.7	4-38.2
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	5-45	7-39
Possession Time	34:14	25:46
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 14	3 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	3 of 4	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-3	1-1
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-0	0-0

RUSHING: New Mexico-Chavez,Isaiah 16-49; Wysong,Luke 8-46; Dumas,Aaron 12-35; Cole,Bobby 6-10; Hall,Trae 1-5; Wooden,Bobby 1-2. Wyoming-Valladay,Xazavi 14-41; Swen,Titus 5-27; Williams,Levi 5-23; Chambers,Sean 10-21; TEAM 1-minus 2; Neyor,Isaiah 1-minus 2.

PASSING: New Mexico-Chavez,Isaiah 10-11-0-112. Wyoming-Chambers,Sean 11-23-1-96; Williams,Levi 3-7-0-51.

RECEIVING: New Mexico-Scruggs, Jr.,Za 4-17; Jarvis,Kyle 2-46; Wysong,Luke 2-1; Bruckler,Trace 1-43; Hall,Trae 1-5. Wyoming-Christensen,Par 3-24; Neyor,Isaiah 2-45; Eberhardt,Ayden 2-31; Cobbs,Joshua 2-19; Valladay,Xazavi 2-10; Weber,Rome 1-6; Welch,Treyton 1-6; Marcotte,Jackso 1-6.

INTERCEPTIONS: New Mexico-Hightower,Corey 1-4. Wyoming-None.

FUMBLES: New Mexico-None. Wyoming-Neyor,Isaiah 1-1; Chambers,Sean 1-0.

New Mexico (3-5,1-3) vs. Wyoming (4-3,0-3)
 Date: Oct 23, 2021 • Site: Laramie, Wyoming • Stadium: Jonah Field at War M
 Attendance: 20133

Kickoff time: 1:36pm • End of Game: 4:18pm • Total elapsed time: 02:42
 Officials: Referee: Watson,Christia; Umpire: Schindler,John; Linesman: Bascue,Bret;
 Line judge: Gragg,Justin; Back judge: Lynn,Robert; Field judge: Binford,Matt;
 Side judge: Hoefl,Danny;
 Temperature: 0 • Wind: • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: The Wyoming Cowboys were unable to overcome a 14-3 halftime deficit and fell to the New Mexico Lobos on Saturday by that same score as neither team scored points in the second half. Wyoming is now 4-3 on the season and 0-3 in the Mountain West Conference. New Mexico improved to 3-5 overall and 1-3 in the conference.

For the second consecutive week, the Cowboy defense held the opposing offense in check for the majority of the game, giving up only 14 points and 259 total yards to New Mexico. The week prior, UW's defense held Fresno State to only 17 points -- 22 under its scoring average -- and 259 yards of total offense -- half of its average of 519.8

Also for the second straight week, Wyoming's offense generated similar total yards to its opponent -- 255 total yards for Wyoming to 259 for New Mexico. The previous week, the Cowboys out-gained Fresno State 271 to 259.

But for the fourth straight week Wyoming lost the turnover battle as UW threw one interception and lost a fumble to the Lobos. New Mexico didn't commit any turnovers on the day.

Wyoming's defense was led by linebackers Easton Gibbs and Chad Muma. Gibbs was credited with 11 tackles on the day, including eight solo tackles. Muma had 10 tackles, including 1.0 tackle for a loss of three yards. Defensive end Garrett Crall added nine tackles, and nose tackle Cole Godbout recorded seven.

Offensively, Chambers completed 11 of 23 passes for 96 yards and threw one interception. Williams completed 3 of 7 for 51 yards and had one fumble. Valladay led the Cowboys in rushing with 41 yards on 14 carries. Wyoming's leading receivers were: Christensen with three catches for 24 yards; Neyor with two receptions for 45; Eberhardt had two for 31; Cobbs caught two for 19; and Valladay had two for 10 yards.





2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST SAN JOSE STATE



Box Score (Final)
Wyoming Football
Wyoming vs San Jose St. (Oct 30, 2021 at San Jose, California)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Wyoming	0	7	7	7	21
San Jose St.	0	17	10	0	27

Qtr Time Scoring play

2nd	11:10	SPARTANS - Nash,Nick 1 yd run (Mercurio,Matt kick), 7-74 3:50
	08:28	SPARTANS - Mercurio,Matt 36 yd field goal, 6-17 2:02
	05:18	WYO - Neyor,Isaiah 54 yd pass from (Hoyland,John kick), 7-65 3:10
	01:54	SPARTANS - Robinson,Kairee 9 yd run (Mercurio,Matt kick), 7-81 3:18
3rd	08:29	SPARTANS - Mercurio,Matt 44 yd field goal, 8-56 2:53
	07:11	WYO - Swen,Titus 3 yd run (Hoyland,John kick), 3-75 1:18
	02:59	SPARTANS - Ross,Charles 44 yd pass from (Mercurio,Matt kick), 9-77 4:07
4th	02:48	WYO - Neyor,Isaiah 12 yd pass from (Hoyland,John kick), 4-49 1:15

WYO SPARTANS

FIRST DOWNS	18	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	50-271	37-238
PASSING YDS (NET)	129	150
Passes Att-Comp-Int	22-12-2	22-11-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	72-400	59-388
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-2	0-24
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-19	3-32
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-48.8	6-46.2
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	0-0	4-27
Possession Time	32:14	27:46
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 15	3 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 5	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-3	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	3-0

RUSHING: Wyoming-Valladay,Xazavi 22-172; Swen,Titus 9-45; Williams,Levi 17-35; McNeely,Dawaiia 1-11; Neyor,Isaiah 1-8. San Jose St.-Nash,Nick 11-112; Nevens,Tyler 15-71; Robinson,Kairee 5-52; Garrett,Shamar 2-7; TEAM 4-minus 4.

PASSING: Wyoming-Williams,Levi 12-22-2-129. San Jose St.-Nash,Nick 11-22-0-150.

RECEIVING: Wyoming-Neyor,Isaiah 3-72; Valladay,Xazavi 3-24; Welch,Treyton 2-10; Cobbs,Joshua 2-9; Eberhardt,Ayden 1-12; Christensen,Par 1-2. San Jose St.-Deese, Jr.,Derr 5-81; Ross,Charles 2-57; Hamilton,Isaiah 2-12; Garrett,Shamar 1-1; Robinson,Kairee 1-minus 1.

INTERCEPTIONS: Wyoming-None. San Jose St.-Parker,Tysyn 1-0; Lenard,Jay 1-0.

FUMBLES: Wyoming-None. San Jose St.-None.

Wyoming (4-4,0-4) vs. San Jose St. (5-4,3-2)
Date: Oct 30, 2021 • Site: San Jose, California • Stadium: CEFCU Stadium - Home
Attendance: 13042

Kickoff time: 1:05pm • End of Game: 4:06pm • Total elapsed time: 03:00
Officials: Referee: McNeill,Cal; Umpire: Williams,David; Linesman: Shoup,George;
Line judge: Hoslett,Steve; Back judge: Moore,Alvin; Field judge: Wirfel,Brian;
Side judge: Bessant,Tom;
Temperature: 70 • Wind: SW 2mph • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: The Wyoming Cowboys dropped a 27-21 road decision at San Jose State on Saturday afternoon at CEFCU Stadium in San Jose, Calif. Running back Xazavian Valladay rushed for a season-high 172 yards, but the Spartan defense stopped the Pokes late to earn the victory. The Pokes fall to 4-4 overall and 0-4 in the Mountain West, as the Spartans move to 5-4 overall and 3-2 in conference play.

“It came down to one possession there.,” UW head coach Craig Bohl said. “There’s certainly some things that we did better in the game, but we weren’t big enough to meet the moment. It was back and forth during the game, and we got to get better. There’s some positive things out of this game but none the less we came up with the loss.”

Valladay recorded his 13th career 100 yards or more rushing contest. It was the most in a game since he had 204 yards in the Arizona Bowl. He is less than 100 yards from being the second Cowboy to rush for 3,000 career yards. Wide receiver Isaiah Neyor had three catches for 72 yards tying a career-high with two touchdown receptions. Quarterback Levi Williams was 12-of-22 passing for 129 yards with two touchdowns and two interceptions in his first start of the season. He also rushed for 35 yards.

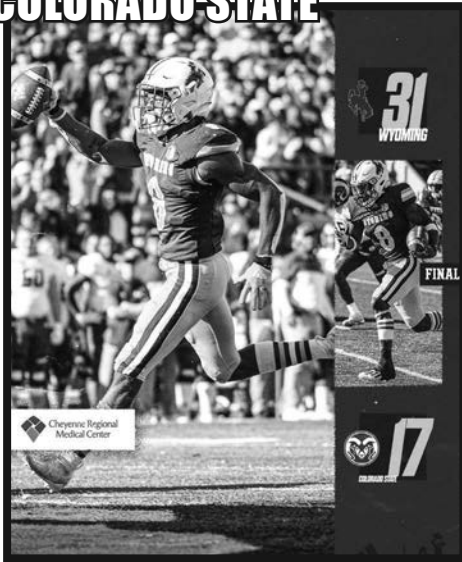
Linebacker Chad Muma led the team with 10, as he went over 200 in his career. Muma also has 10 or more tackles in seven of the eight games this season. Defensive tackle Cole Godbout tied a career-high with eight tackles in the game.

Wyoming outgained the Spartans 400-388 on the afternoon. Wyoming recorded 148 yards of offense in the third quarter. The Wyoming defense held the Spartans to 27 yards in the fourth quarter. The Pokes rushed for 271 yards and passed for 129 yards. The Spartans rushed for 238 yards and added 150 yards through the air.

Wyoming held the edge in time of possession in the game at 32:14-27:46. The Cowboys were 6-of-15 on third down and held the Spartans to 3-of-11 on third down.

“The effort and the resolve is there,” Bohl said. “I’ve got to coach them up better I’ve to encourage them more and put ourselves in a better position.” By in large I thought are guys played hard, they’re a good team and I knew they were going to be difficult to beat.”

2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST COLORADO STATE



**Box Score (Final)
Wyoming Football**
Colorado St. vs Wyoming (Nov 06, 2021 at Laramie, Wyoming)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Colorado St.	7	3	0	7	17
Wyoming	7	10	7	7	31

Qtr Time Scoring play

1st 06:11 RAMS - Wright,Dante 4 yd pass from (Terry,Jonathan kick), 9-51 4:00
05:40 WYO - Williams,Levi 43 yd run (Hoyland,John kick), 2-75 0:31
2nd 13:59 WYO - Valladay,Xazavi 5 yd run (Hoyland,John kick), 4-97 1:07
11:33 RAMS - Camper,Cayden 27 yd field goal, 8-48 2:19
01:16 WYO - Hoyland,John 29 yd field goal, 7-68 2:41
3rd 01:36 WYO - Neyor,Isaiah 25 yd pass from (Hoyland,John kick), 11-80 5:11
4th 07:51 WYO - Neyor,Isaiah 15 yd pass from (Hoyland,John kick), 8-37 3:12
03:38 RAMS - Wright,Dante 11 yd pass from (Terry,Jonathan kick), 12-75 4:13

	RAMS	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	22	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	35-170	57-385
PASSING YDS (NET)	187	92
Passes Att-Comp-Int	36-20-2	16-9-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	71-357	73-477
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-15	0-9
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-72	1-0
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-53.2	3-49.3
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	7-75	3-40
Possession Time	26:52	33:08
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 15	8 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-0	2-0

RUSHING: Colorado St.-Bailey,David 19-88; Centeio,Todd 11-46; Thomas,Jaylen 3-21; Olaes,Evan 2-15.
Wyoming-Swen,Titus 21-166; Williams,Levi 12-116; Valladay,Xazavi 18-76; McNeely,Dawaiia 3-24;
Neyor,Isaiah 1-5; Grant,Tyrese 1-0; TEAM 1-minus 2.

PASSING: Colorado St.-Centeio,Todd 20-36-2-187. Wyoming-Williams,Levi 9-16-0-92.

RECEIVING: Colorado St.-McBride,Trey 9-98; Wright,Dante 6-40; McCullouch,Ty 3-34; Butler,Cam 1-11;
Williams,Gary 1-4. Wyoming-Neyor,Isaiah 3-45; Valladay,Xazavi 3-16; Cobbs,Joshua 2-25; Welch,Treyton 1-6.

INTERCEPTIONS: Colorado St.-None. Wyoming-Glinton,Keonte 1-0; Muma,Chad 1-0.

FUMBLES: Colorado St.-None. Wyoming-Valladay,Xazavi 2-1.

Colorado St. (3-6,2-3) vs. Wyoming (5-4,1-4)
Date: Nov 06, 2021 • Site: Laramie, Wyoming • Stadium: Jonah Field at War M
Attendance: 24926

Kickoff time: 1:37pm • End of Game: 4:59pm • Total elapsed time: 03:21
Officials: Referee: Baron,Stephen; Umpire: Tucker,Rod; Linesman: Conti,Catherine;
Line judge: Kilmer,John; Back judge: Baldwin,David; Field judge: Barnes,Brendon;
Side judge: Martinez,Joseph;
Temperature: 0 • Wind: • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: It was the type of game the Wyoming Cowboys have wanted to play all season long. A game where they got a lead, were able to run the ball successfully and have their defense force turnovers and limit scoring opportunities. In the end, Wyoming came away with a 31-17 home victory over rival Colorado State in the 113th edition of the Border War.

Wyoming's win improved its record to 5-4 on the season and 1-4 in the Mountain West. Colorado State fell to 3-6 and 2-3 in the conference. It was the 113th overall meeting in the Border War between the two rivals and the 54th time they played for the Bronze Boot traveling trophy. Wyoming now holds a 29-25 advantage in the Battle

for the Bronze Boot, while CSU leads in the overall series 59-49-5. The two teams played for the 76th consecutive season since 1946. Over those last 76 meetings, Wyoming leads with 44 wins to Colorado State's 32.

Saturday's game was played before a crowd of 24,926.

"A great win. We have tremendous respect for Colorado State," said Bohl. "We knew it was going to be a hard fought, physical game, which it was. I thought our guys played really well. From my vantage point on the sidelines, I was really pleased with them in all three phases.

"That is a great rivalry. It's great to get the Boot back. It means so much to our state and our students.

"Nothing cures a lot of ills better than a win -- and just playing better too. We've seen emerging signs of it and we felt like this was a week we could capitalize on being really physical.



2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST BOISE STATE



Box Score (Final) Wyoming Football Wyoming vs Boise St. (Nov 12, 2021 at Boise, Idaho)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Wyoming	0	7	0	6	13
Boise St.	7	3	3	10	23

Qtr Time Scoring play

1st	03:07	BRONCOS - Smith,Riley 2 yd pass from (Dalmas,Jonah kick), 9-72 4:20
2nd	04:42	WYO - Swen,Titus 7 yd run (Hoyland,John kick), 8-76 4:28
	00:00	BRONCOS - Dalmas,Jonah 43 yd field goal, 7-62 0:52
3rd	08:51	BRONCOS - Dalmas,Jonah 38 yd field goal, 12-54 6:09
4th	07:39	BRONCOS - Van Buren,Andre 12 yd run (Dalmas,Jonah kick), 2-13 0:52
	00:59	BRONCOS - Dalmas,Jonah 29 yd field goal, 12-62 6:05
	00:04	WYO - Neyor,Isaiah 74 yd pass from (Williams,Levi kick failed), 3-75 0:55

	WYO	BRONCOS
FIRST DOWNS	11	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	29-132	38-160
PASSING YDS (NET)	156	225
Passes Att-Comp-Int	18-11-1	32-23-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	47-288	70-385
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-59	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-37
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-42.1	4-41.2
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	8-50	4-30
Possession Time	26:26	33:34
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 10	7 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-0	1-0

RUSHING: Wyoming-Swen,Titus 13-59; Valladay,Xazavi 9-37; Williams,Levi 7-36. Boise St.-Holani,George 20-102; Habibi-Likio,Cy 11-41; Van Buren,Andre 1-12; Caples,Latrell 1-9; Shakir,Khalil 1-3; Crowe,Tyler 1-2; TEAM 1-minus 1; Bachmeier,Hank 2-minus 8.

PASSING: Wyoming-Williams,Levi 11-18-1-156. Boise St.-Bachmeier,Hank 23-32-0-225.

RECEIVING: Wyoming-Neyor,Isaiah 6-126; Welch,Treyton 2-3; Wieland,Wyatt 1-15; Cobbs,Joshua 1-11; Valladay,Xazavi 1-1. Boise St.-Shakir,Khalil 8-83; Bowens,Billy 4-36; Habibi-Likio,Cy 3-18; Smith,Riley 2-29; Koetter,Davis 2-17; Rafdal,Kurt 1-19; Caples,Latrell 1-15; Holani,George 1-7; Van Buren,Andre 1-1.

INTERCEPTIONS: Wyoming-None. Boise St.-Washington,Demi 1-37.

FUMBLES: Wyoming-Williams,Levi 1-0. Boise St.-None.

Wyoming (5-5,1-5) vs. Boise St. (6-4,4-2)

Date: Nov 12, 2021 • Site: Boise, Idaho • Stadium: Albertsons Stadium
Attendance:

Kickoff time: 7:05pm • End of Game: 10:14pm • Total elapsed time: 03:08
Officials: Referee: Campbell,Scott; Umpire: Podraza,Rick; Linesman: Warner,Andy;
Line judge: Garmond,Keith; Back judge: Walton,Tyree; Field judge: Mills,Matthew;
Side judge: Seneca,Mario;
Temperature: 0 • Wind: N 5mph • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: The Wyoming Cowboys traveled to Boise, Idaho, for a Friday night meeting against the Boise State Broncos and the game followed a similar script as Wyoming's recent appearances in Albertsons Stadium as the game was another close one. A late interception by Boise State helped the Broncos secure a 23-13 home victory.

Wyoming was moving the ball midway through the fourth quarter and was trailing only 13-7 at the time when a tipped pass was intercepted by Boise State's Demetri Washington, who returned it 37-yards down the sideline to the Wyoming 13-yard line. Two plays later, Bronco running back Andrew Van Buren carried it in from the 12 yards out to give Boise State a 20-7 lead with 7:39 remaining in the game.

Boise State would add a field goal with 59 seconds left in the contest, while the Cowboys scored a final TD on a 74-yard pass and run from Wyoming quarterback Levi Williams to wide receiver Isaiah Neyor with four seconds remaining in the game to make the final 23-13.

The Cowboy defense played outstanding all night, forcing the Broncos into two field goals in the second and third quarter to keep the Pokes within striking distance at 13-7. Cowboy linebackers Chad Muma and Easton Gibbs led the way with 14 and 12 tackles each.

Offensively, running back Xazavian Valladay became only the second Cowboy to surpass 3,000 career rushing yards. Valladay now has rushed for 3,008 yards in his career. The only other Poke to accomplish that was Brian Hill.

Wyoming is now 5-5 on the season and 1-5 in the Mountain West Conference. Boise State improved to 6-4 and 4-2 in conference play.





2021 FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO BOWL

2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST UTAH STATE



Box Score (Final) Wyoming Football Wyoming vs Utah St. (Nov 20, 2021 at Logan, Utah)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Wyoming	14	10	17	3	44
Utah St.	14	3	0	0	17

Qtr	Time	Scoring play
1st	07:47	WYO - Neyor,Isaiah 40 yd pass from (Hoyland,John kick), 6-64 2:52
	03:38	AGGIES - Bowling,Brandon 10 yd pass from TEAM (Coles,Connor kick), 11-75 4:09
	03:25	WYO - Stone,Cameron 99 yd kickoff return (Hoyland,John kick)
	02:39	AGGIES - Thompkins,Deven 41 yd pass from TEAM (Coles,Connor kick), 3-65 0:46
2nd	06:50	WYO - Cobbs,Joshua 17 yd pass from (Hoyland,John kick), 8-55 3:39
	01:48	WYO - Hoyland,John 28 yd field goal, 8-73 3:25
	00:07	AGGIES - Coles,Connor 36 yd field goal, 8-45 1:34
3rd	11:56	WYO - Swen,Titus 43 yd run (Hoyland,John kick), 2-56 0:37
	05:14	WYO - Hoyland,John 24 yd field goal, 10-69 5:10
	01:29	WYO - Swen,Titus 98 yd run (Hoyland,John kick), 2-98 0:53
4th	06:13	WYO - Hoyland,John 34 yd field goal, 7-42 4:16

	WYO	AGGIES
FIRST DOWNS	22	23
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	49-362	31-181
PASSING YDS (NET)	242	181
Passes Att-Comp-Int	15-12-1	42-19-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	64-604	73-362
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-124	6-88
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-36.7	5-43.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	7-73	1-15
Possession Time	34:01	25:59
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 11	5 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-0	0-0

RUSHING: Wyoming-Swen,Titus 15-169; Valladay,Xazavi 21-145; McNeely,Dawaiia 5-32; Williams,Levi 5-22; TEAM 2-minus 1; Neyor,Isaiah 1-minus 5. Utah St.-Tyler Jr.,Calvi 18-109; Bonner,Logan 6-46; Noa,Elelyon 6-45; TEAM 1-minus 19.

PASSING: Wyoming-Williams,Levi 12-15-1-242. Utah St.-Bonner,Logan 19-40-0-181; Peasley,Andrew 0-2-1-0.

RECEIVING: Wyoming-Cobbs,Joshua 6-76; Neyor,Isaiah 4-125; Wieland,Wyatt 1-23; Welch,Treyton 1-18. Utah St.-Bowling,Brandon 6-60; Thompkins,Deven 5-67; Wright,Derek 3-30; Tyler Jr.,Calvi 2-4; Van Leeuwen,Kyl 2-3; McGriff,Justin 1-17.

INTERCEPTIONS: Wyoming-White,Isaac 1-0. Utah St.-Bond,Shaq 1-0.

FUMBLES: Wyoming-Valladay,Xazavi 1-0. Utah St.-Noa,Elelyon 1-1; TEAM 1-1.

Wyoming (6-5,2-5) vs. Utah St. (8-3,5-2)
Date: Nov 20, 2021 • Site: Logan, Utah • Stadium: Merlin Olsen Field at
Attendance: 20547

Kickoff time: 6:02pm • End of Game: 9:22pm • Total elapsed time: 03:20
Officials: Referee: Davis,Tim; Umpire: Orsot,Rico; Linesman: Carmouche,Eric;
Line judge: Weatherford,Jak; Back judge: Lewis,Robert; Field judge: McNally,Eric;
Side judge: Claiborne,Keith;
Temperature: 0 • Wind: • Weather: Cloudy

RECAP: The Wyoming Cowboy offense erupted for 604 yards of offense, which saw balance on the ground and through the air in a 44-17 win over Utah State in Maverik Stadium in Logan, Utah on Saturday. The Pokes are now Bowl Eligible for the fifth time in the last six seasons. The 604 yards of offense was the most in a game since 694 yards against Fresno State on Nov. 1, 2014.

“I thought it was our most complete game of the year,” UW head coach Craig Bohl said. “We played well in all three phases with explosive plays on offense and on defense we stopped the run and challenged their receivers. We did some effective things on special teams, and this was a big win for us.” This is what we wanted, and we hit our stride. This was an important game and we hit a good rhythm tonight.”

The Cowboys retained the Bridger’s Rifle Trophy for the third time in the eight meetings since the trophy was introduced.

The Pokes rushed for 362 yards and passed for 242 yards. The Cowboy defense held the aggies to 362yards and only 178 yards passing. Utah State averaged 468 yards of offense per game on the season and 315 yards passing. The Pokes held the Aggies scoreless in the second half, Wyoming also shut out New Mexico in second half earlier this season.

“We thought we were going to have some good matchups along the offensive line and we were pleased with their effort,” Bohl said. “Our defense leveraged our corners tonight and we had great play in the deep middle tonight.”

Wyoming’s offense was paced by running backs Titus Swen and Xazavian Valladay as they both rushed for over 100 yards for the second time in three weeks the Pokes have had two 100 yards rushers in the same game. Swen rushed for 169 yards including a 98-yard touchdown run, which was a school record. Valladay ran for 145 for his 14th career 100-yard game.

Quarterback Levi Williams completed 12-of-15 passes for a season-high 242 yards. He also added two touchdown scores. Wide receiver Isaiah Neyor recorded four grabs for 125 yards and one touchdown. Fellow wide receiver Josh Cobbs recorded a career-high six catches for 76 yards with his first career touchdown.

The Wyoming defense was paced by linebacker Chad Muma with 17 tackles coming one shy of his career-high of 18. It was a season-high for the All-American candidate. Cornerback C.J. Coldon added seven tackles with six from Cole Godbout, as the defensive tackle also added a career-high three pass breakups. Safety Issac White recorded his first career interception in the fourth quarter.





2021 GAME RECAP AGAINST HAWAII



Box Score (Final)
Wyoming Football
Hawaii vs Wyoming (Nov 27, 2021 at Laramie, Wyoming)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Hawaii	14	17	0	7	38
Wyoming	0	7	7	0	14

Qtr Time Scoring play

1st	12:06	RAINBOW - Cordeiro, Chevan 8 yd run (Shiple, Matthew kick), 10-75 2:54
	03:49	RAINBOW - Turner Jr, Calvi 2 yd run (Shiple, Matthew kick), 7-64 2:13
2nd	12:39	RAINBOW - Fiso, Steven 19 yd pass from (Shiple, Matthew kick), 7-77 4:12
	05:22	RAINBOW - Shiple, Matthew 25 yd field goal, 5-32 2:13
	01:36	WYO - Swen, Titus 4 yd run (Hoyland, John kick), 11-75 3:46
	00:00	RAINBOW - Smart, Jared 50 yd pass from (Shiple, Matthew kick), 6-75 1:31
3rd	01:11	WYO - Neyor, Isaiah 30 yd pass from (Hoyland, John kick), 9-88 2:47
4th	06:27	RAINBOW - Fiso, Steven 32 yd pass from (Shiple, Matthew kick), 5-50 3:24

	RAINBOW	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	26	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	36-167	37-119
PASSING YDS (NET)	323	186
Passes Att-Comp-Int	31-19-1	29-18-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	67-490	66-305
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-12	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-36	1-17
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-3
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-49.3	5-41.4
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	2-15	3-26
Possession Time	31:34	28:26
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 12	6 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	0 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	1-1
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-0	1-0

RUSHING: Hawaii-Cordeiro, Chevan 14-86; Parson, Dedrick 10-44; Hunter, Dae Dae 4-28; Turner Jr, Calvi 8-9. Wyoming-Williams, Levi 9-43; Valladay, Xazavi 13-42; Swen, Titus 10-19; Chambers, Sean 3-15; Smith, Trey 2-0.

PASSING: Hawaii-Cordeiro, Chevan 19-31-1-323. Wyoming-Williams, Levi 15-24-0-161; Chambers, Sean 3-5-0-25.

RECEIVING: Hawaii-Turner Jr, Calvi 5-90; Panoke, Jonah 4-46; Smart, Jared 2-58; Fiso, Steven 2-51; Mardner, Nick 2-28; Bowens, Zion 1-27; Hunter, Dae Dae 1-12; Keliiliki, Hekil 1-7; Phillips, Caleb 1-4. Wyoming-Welch, Treyton 4-31; Cobbs, Joshua 4-31; Neyor, Isaiah 3-78; Valladay, Xazavi 3-19; Wieland, Wyatt 2-22; Swen, Titus 2-5.

INTERCEPTIONS: Hawaii-None. Wyoming-Jones, Victor 1-3.

FUMBLES: Hawaii-None. Wyoming-None.

Hawaii (6-7, 3-5) vs. Wyoming (6-6, 2-6)

Date: Nov 27, 2021 • Site: Laramie, Wyoming • Stadium: Jonah Field at War M
Attendance: 14213

Kickoff time: 1:07pm • End of Game: 4:04pm • Total elapsed time: 02:57
Officials: Referee: Cuttone, Mike; Umpire: Malepeai, Ian; Linesman: Downum, Gregory;
Line judge: Owens, Carlos; Back judge: Aaronian, Michae; Field judge: Castleberry, Tre;
Side judge: Corona, Richard;
Temperature: 0 • Wind: • Weather: Sunny

RECAP: The Wyoming Cowboys concluded the 2021 regular season with a 38-14 home loss to Hawai'i on Saturday to finish the season with a 6-6 record. Hawai'i finished the regular season 6-7. Although the Pokes' regular-season ended with a loss, they posted their fifth bowl-eligible season in the past six years and will now await a bowl invitation when those announcements are made surrounding conference championship games that will be played in the coming week.

Wyoming head coach Craig Bohl acknowledged the disappointment of Saturday's loss after the Cowboys had played one of their best games of the season just a week ago in a win at Utah State. He also gave credit to Hawai'i for its strong performance on Saturday.

"I want to congratulate Hawai'i," said Bohl. "Coming over here, that's always a difficult trip and their quarterback (Chevan Cordeiro) played outstanding. Coach Graham calls the defense and had us off kilter. They beat us in all three phases. One time I heard Lou Holtz say you bring a different football team to the stadium every Saturday. Today I agree with him. "We are going to lick our wounds. Hopefully we have an opportunity to continue to play. Those decisions are obviously not made by us. I know this locker room is disappointed right now but deep down inside they want to keep playing. We have elements of being a good football team.

Wyoming linebacker Chad Muma and cornerback Azizi Hearn echoed their coach's comments on the team wanting to play in postseason.

"We still have a game left -- God willing -- so that's what I'm going to focus on," said Hearn. "A bowl game would mean a lot to all of us, from the players to the coaching staff. We lost some tough games, but we won some games people didn't think we'd win this year. I'd be surprised if we didn't get a bowl game. I think we deserve one."

In Saturday's regular-season finale, Hawai'i jumped out to a 24-0 lead on the play of quarterback Chevan Cordeiro, who finished the day completing 19 of 31 passes for 323 yards, three touchdown passes and one interception.

1951 GATOR BOWL

WYOMING 20, WASHINGTON & LEE 7

January 1, 1951 • Gator Bowl • Jacksonville, Florida

The game was a battle of two different offenses and one nasty defense. The Generals were rolling with the new split "T" formation and threatened to run through Wyoming's defense. The Wyoming single-wing offense was operating better than ever behind tailback Eddie Talboom. The Cowboy defense, tops in the nation heading into the game, was handed a challenge when W & L supporters doubted its toughness and questioned the UW schedule. The Generals also had a big and physical defensive front, and the Cowboys had trouble penetrating the wall. The first quarter ended scoreless, but UW had figured out how to beat the W & L crew. If you can't run through them, throw over them. Wyoming started a drive late in the first period, using the passing skills of Talboom and the receiving gifts of Dewey McConnell and Jerry Parker. The Cowboys moved the ball to the General eight-yard line, where Talboom tossed a touchdown to back Dick Campbell, who was wide open in the end zone. Talboom kicked the point after and UW led, 7-0. After an excellent defensive stand by the Cowboys, the Generals were forced to pass, and Selmer Pederson picked off the ball at the UW 47-yard line. Talboom went back to work, hitting on three straight passes for 45 yards to put the Cowboys in scoring position. A pass interference penalty put the ball on the General two-yard line, and Talboom carried it in from there. He missed the point after, but the Pokes extended their lead, 13-0. The Generals got their offense moving late in the second quarter and reached the UW 21-yard line. On fourth down and long, Ray Leister's pass attempt to Talbot Trammel sailed out of the end zone, and the half came to a close. W & L got the ball to start the second half and moved it with ease against the Cowboy defense. Wes Abrams ran for 22 yards, and Charlie Holt followed that with a 30-yard run to the Cowboy 25-yard line where he was hit and fumbled. Vaughn Hilpp recovered for the Pokes and stopped the scoring threat. After taking a Wyoming punt, the Generals moved backward on three straight plays, including a 16-yard loss on an errant pitch. Punting from his five-yard line, Leister's kick went just 20 yards, and Wyoming had the ball on the W & L 25. After a two-yard loss, Talboom found McConnell for nine yards. Fullback John Melton ran up the middle for 18 yards and a touchdown. Talboom made the point after, and Wyoming's lead grew to 20-0. The Generals scored late in the fourth quarter on a two-yard quarterback-sneak by Gil Bocetti. The Cowboys ran out the clock after the ensuing kick-off. Wyoming was just the second conference team ever to win a bowl game and vowed it wouldn't be too long before it returned to a postseason classic. For Washington & Lee, the alma mater of baseball Hall of Famer Cy Young, it was the one and only appearance in a college bowl game. The Generals currently compete in NCAA Division III football. For Talboom, it was his final game as a Cowboy, and he earned the Most Valuable Player award. He left for an all-star game immediately afterwards and was not present for the awards ceremony. It began a new era for Cowboy football. It took several years, but Wyoming had finally reached the big time.



Eddie "Boom Boom" Talboom, the Most Valuable Player of the 1951 Gator Bowl, is shown here in a 1950 game. Talboom guided Wyoming to an undefeated season (10-0) in 1950 and a win over Washington & Lee in the 1951 Gator Bowl in Jacksonville, Florida.

SCORING BY QUARTER	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Washington and Lee	0	0	0	7	7
Wyoming	0	13	7	0	20

SCORING SUMMARY
 WYO - Dick Campbell 8-yard pass from Talboom (Talboom kick), Second Quarter
 WYO - Eddie Talboom 2-yard run (kick failed), Second Quarter
 WYO - John Melton 18-yard run (Talboom kick), Third Quarter
 W&L - Gil Bocetti 2-yard run (Brewer kick), Fourth Quarter

TEAM STATISTICS	WYO	W & L
FIRST DOWNS	14	19
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	42	57
RUSHING YARDS	147	252
PASSES A-C-I	16-10-0	13-3-1
PASSING YARDS	141	31
TOTAL YARDS	288	283

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING LEADERS

WYOMING	ATT	YDS	W & L	ATT	YDS
Harry Geldien	11	56	Charlie Holt	21	107
John Melton	12	49	Randy Broyles	12	89
Eddie Talboom	14	31	Wes Abrams	7	42

PASSING

WYOMING	ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
Eddie Talboom	16	10	0	1	141
W & L					
Gil Bocetti	12	3	1	0	31



1956 SUN BOWL

WYOMING 21, TEXAS TECH 14

January 2, 1956 • Kidd Stadium • El Paso, Texas

The 1956 Sun Bowl culminated an outstanding 8-3 season for the Wyoming Cowboys. It also marked a return to postseason play for the Pokes for the first time since the 1951 Gator Bowl.

The depth of the 1955 Cowboy squad was put on full display in the '56 Sun Bowl when a number of individuals stepped forward to lead the Cowboys to a hard-fought victory over Texas Tech.

Wyoming entered the game without all-conference quarterback Joe Mastrogiovanni. The Brooklyn, N.Y., native had suffered a season-ending knee injury in the regular-season finale at Houston. Dan Nickla, a junior from Merrick, N.Y., was given the Sun Bowl start by head coach Phil Dickens, but when UW's single-wing offense struggled early in the game, he turned to sophomore quarterback Larry Zowada to attack the Red Raiders through the air.

Zowada, a sophomore from Sheridan, Wyo., had completed only two of five passes for 20 yards during the regular season, but on this day he played like a veteran. Before the day was through, Zowada completed six of ten passes for 112 yards and two touchdowns.

It was also a coming out party for junior tailback Jim Crawford from Greybull, Wyo. Crawford was a big powerful back at 6-0 and 180 pounds. During the regular season, Crawford had teamed in the backfield with Jerry Jester, a speedster at 5-9 and 155 pounds from Greenwood, S.C., and Ove Stapleton, a 5-8 and 175-pound fullback from Cromona, Ky. While Crawford ranked third on the team in rushing for the season with 431 yards, the Sun Bowl was his day as he ran for 103 yards on 18 carries against Tech.

Defensively, a number of individuals played key roles in containing the Red Raiders, but none played better than junior linebacker Vince Guinta. In a Jan. 3, 1956, *Laramie Daily Bulletin* story, Guinta was described as a "terror" on defense. In the first quarter, the Brooklyn, N.Y., native recovered one Texas Tech fumble and also intercepted a pass to set the tone for the game.

Wyoming's defense held the Red Raiders scoreless in the first half. In the second quarter the Poke offense gave the Cowboys the early lead when Zowada hit wingback John Watts down the sideline for a 53-yard TD pass. Watts, a native of Schlater, Miss., and described in the Bulletin article as "the Mississippi flash," gave Wyoming the lead.

Capping off that first scoring drive was another "unsung hero" senior tailback and place-kicker Pete Kutches of Escanaba, Mich. Kutches was forced into the key role of place-kicker on extra points. That was due to the fact that the injured Mastrogiovanni was also the Cowboys' regular place-kicker. He came through in fine fashion converting his first PAT of the day to give Wyoming a 7-0 halftime lead.

To start the second half, Texas Tech quickly got back in the game. On their first possession, the Red Raiders drove 80 yards to tie the game at 7-7 with 6:15 remaining in the third quarter.

Entering the fourth quarter, the game was still tied at 7-7, but Tech went on a 10-play scoring drive to take its first lead of the game at 14-7 with 11:50 remaining in the game.

With the momentum in favor of the Red Raiders, the Cowboys received a strong punt return from senior wingback Clifford "Butch" Wilson of Ethete, Wyo., but a penalty nullified the return. Wyoming began the drive on their own six-yard line. It was then that Crawford made his mark on the game. Crawford recorded three key plays during the drive: a 24-yard rush; a 13-yard pass completion to sophomore Roger Jeffers of Oneida, Tenn.; and a critical block on a 15-yard rush by fullback Stapleton. The drive ended with Zowada finding sophomore end Bob Marshall of Warwick, R.I., on a 13-yard touchdown pass to tie the game at 14 with less than five minutes to play.

After adding his second extra point of the day, place-kicker Kutches then contributed another critical play coming up with a Red Raider fumble deep in Texas Tech territory.

Two plays later, fullback Stapleton battled his way in from the one and with Kutches third extra-point the Cowboys had a 21-14 lead with 3:25 left.

Wyoming's defense came up with another fumble recovery in the final three minutes, and recorded its eighth win of the season and the second bowl victory in school history.

There were too many contributors to count for the Cowboys that day. It was truly a team effort.

Crawford was awarded the Dr. C.M. Hendricks award as the Sun Bowl's outstanding player of the game. Crawford's performance against Texas Tech was an indication of things to come. The following season, Crawford became only the third Cowboy in history to earn All-America honors as he led the nation in rushing.

The Sun Bowl victory by the Cowboys was also a sign of things to come for the Wyoming Football program. The next season, Wyoming posted a perfect 10-0 season.



The 1955 Wyoming Cowboy football team defeated Texas Tech, 21-14, to win the 1956 Sun Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Texas Tech	0	0	7	7	14
Wyoming	0	7	0	14	21

SCORING SUMMARY
 WYO - Watts 53-yard pass from Zowada (Kutches kick), Second Quarter
 TT - Herr 2-yard run (Williams kick), Third Quarter
 TT - Fewin 1-yard run (Williams kick), Fourth Quarter
 WYO - B. Marshall 13-yard pass from Zowada (Kutches kick), Fourth Quarter
 WYO - Stapleton 1-yard run (Kutches kick), Fourth Quarter

TEAM STATISTICS	WYO	TT
FIRSTDOWNS	12	13
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	48	56
RUSHING YARDS	172	202
PASSES A-C-I	14-6-1	12-8-1
PASSING YARDS	129	72
TOTAL YARDS	301	274
PUNTS/AVG.	7/27.4	4/33.7
FUMBLES	0	3
PENALTIES-YARDS	10-82	3-5

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING LEADERS

WYOMING	ATT	YDS	TEXAS TECH	ATT	YDS
Jim Crawford	18	103	Don Schmidt	12	60
Ove Stapleton	9	36	James Sides	10	56

PASSING	ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
UW - Larry Zowada	10	6	1	2	112
TT - Don Williams	14	6	1	0	57

1958 SUN BOWL

WYOMING 14, HARDIN-SIMMONS 6

December 31, 1958 • Kidd Field • El Paso, Texas

The 24th Annual Sun Bowl battle between Wyoming and Hardin-Simmons pitted one set of Cowboys against another one. It was expected to be an old-fashioned Wild West shootout featuring the passing expertise of Hardin-Simmons and the high scoring ball-control offense of Wyoming. Coach "Slingin'" Sammy Baugh brought his Cowboys from Abilene into the Sun Bowl after winning the Border Conference championship. Baugh, one of the NFL's all-time passing greats, introduced his exciting style of throwing the football to the Texas team. But the defensive side controlled the game more than the offensive. Wyoming took advantage of two Hardin-Simmons' mistakes in the second quarter to take an early and insurmountable lead. Wyoming's Pat Smyth recovered a Dewey Bohling fumble, giving Wyoming the ball in excellent field position. Mark Smolinski rambled in from 23 yards to give Wyoming a 7-0 lead. Moments later Wyoming linebacker Len Kuczewski intercepted a Harold Stephens pass on the UW 19-yard line and made a lateral pass to Robert Sawyer who took the ball to the 29-yard line. Bud Snyder carried it in from the four-yard line moments later and Mike McGill nailed his second point after to give the UW Cowboys a 14-0 lead. Bohling returned a kick 83 yards in the third period, but the drive was halted by the Wyoming defense on the one-foot line. Wyoming quick-kicked on the first down to the Hardin-Simmons 49-yard line. Stephens finally got the Hardin-Simmons offense going, hitting Benji Lipsey with a 22-yard pass for a touchdown with 4:30 remaining in the third quarter. Stephens' two-point pass attempt failed, and Wyoming led 14-6. That was the only damaging play by the potent passing attack of Baugh's Border Conference champs. Hardin-Simmons finished the game with 82 passing yards, completing 11 of 23 passes. Neither team threatened to score for the remainder of the game because defensive teams were so strong. For the first time in Sun Bowl history the Dr. C.M. Hendricks Trophy for the Most Valuable Player was given to a lineman, Wyoming's Len Kuczewski, a product of the Pennsylvania coal mines. His interception and tough defensive play stopped the Hardin-Simmons attack. "I never expected the award," Kuczewski said following the game. "I was honored to receive it, and it will receive an honor spot in our home." The Cowboy defense was praised by Wyoming Coach Bob Devaney, especially the play of Kuczewski, Smyth, tackle Dale Memmelaar, and halfback Jack Allen. He also had special praise for Cowboy kicker Mike McGill. "Young man, you may not know it, but your second extra point kick was as important as anything anybody did all day," Devaney told the diminutive McGill in the locker room. "That made Hardin-Simmons shoot for two points when they scored."



Cowboy captain Len Kuczewski, with son Leonard, Jr., was the Most Valuable Player in the 1958 Sun Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Hardin-Simmons	0	0	6	0	6
Wyoming	0	14	0	0	14

SCORING SUMMARY

WYO - Smolinski 23-yard run (McGill kick), 8:55,
 Second Quarter
 WYO - Snyder 4-yard run (McGill kick), 2:35, Second Quarter
 HS - Lipsey 22-yard pass from Stephens (Pass failed), 4:30,
 Third Quarter

TEAM STATISTICS	WYO	HS
FIRST DOWNS	14	15
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	35	45
RUSHING YARDS	164	153
PASSES A-C-I	8-3-1	23-11-1
PASSING YARDS	24	82
TOTAL YARDS	188	235
PUNTS/AVG.	8/34.9	3/27
FUMBLES	1	3
PENALTIES-YARDS	58	35

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING LEADERS

WYOMING	ATT	YDS	HARDIN-SIMM.	ATT	YDS
Mark Smolinski	12	52	Pete Hart	20	73
Robert Sawyer	9	45	Joe Allen	9	53

PASSING

WYOMING	ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
Jim Walden	3	1	0	0	-4
Jerry Wilkinson	2	1	0	0	23

HARDIN-SIMM.	ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
Harold Stephens	13	7	1	1	54
Jim Tom Butler	9	7	0	0	28



1966 SUN BOWL

WYOMING 28, FLORIDA STATE 20

December 24, 1966 • Sun Bowl Stadium • El Paso, Texas

The Cowboys battled the Seminoles of Florida State in the 1966 Sun Bowl. FSU had the nation's best quarterback tandem in Gary Pajcic and Kim Hammond. The Cowboys had a pretty good passer of their own, but it was a ball control offense, featuring the running game, and a defense that keyed Wyoming to the WAC title and a 9-1 record. It was those same two elements that guided Wyoming past Florida State, 28-20. Wyoming's mule on offense packed quite a Kiick, Jim Kiick that is. In winning the Dr. C.M. Hendricks Award as the Sun Bowl Most Valuable Player, he rushed for the game's first score on UW's third offensive possession. The one-yard plunge came with 4:43 remaining in the first period and capped a 31-yard drive. The drive was set up by Vic Washington's 34-yard punt return to the FSU 31-yard line. Florida State took control in the second quarter, scoring two touchdowns in less than four minutes. The Seminoles recovered a fumbled punt by Washington on the UW 49-yard line. On the first play from scrimmage, Pajcic hit end Pat Sellers for 49-yards and the score with 5:21 remaining in the half. FSU took the lead, 14-7, on another toss on the next possession when Hammond found T.K. Wetherell for a short gain that he turned into a 58-yard touchdown romp. Wyoming tied the score just five plays into the third quarter when quarterback Rick Egloff hit receiver Jerry Marion for a 39-yard strike down the left sideline. Jerry DePoyster added the point after conversion. It was three and out for Florida State on the next possession, as the tough Cowboy defense backed the Seminoles up to their own six-yard line. Following the punt, Kiick carried the Cowboys to pay dirt in just two plays. He first tried the right side of the line for three yards and on the next play went over the left side and found daylight, dashing 43-yards for the score. DePoyster again aced the PAT and Wyoming regained the lead 21-14. From that point, the Cowboy defense controlled the tempo of the game. Five of Florida State's eight possessions in the second half ended in three plays and a punt and only one went for a score. Wyoming added an insurance score with 2:42 remaining in the game when Egloff raced 15 yards on a fourth-and-goal situation. DePoyster again

booted the PAT and Wyoming led 28-14. The Cowboy defense, led by middle guard Jerry Durling, who won the Hixson Jewelry Trophy as the Lineman of the Game, held the Seminoles to minus 21 yards rushing. Durling was also selected to the All-Bowl team. He recorded six tackles in the game, while linebacker Bob Aylward had six tackles, two assists, a pass deflection and an interception. Kiick had 25 carries for 135 yards and two scores. Defeating a traditional national power, these young Cowboys won a modern day battle with conventional tools and wisdom.



Wyoming beat Florida State 28-20 to capture the 1966 Sun Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Florida State	0	14	0	6	20
Wyoming	7	0	14	7	28

SCORING SUMMARY

- WYO - Kiick 1-yard run (DePoyster kick), 4:43, First Quarter
- FSU - Sellers 34-yard pass from Pajcic (Loner kick), 5:21, Second Quarter
- FSU - Wetherell 58-yard pass from Hammond (Loner kick), 1:39, Second Quarter
- WYO - Marion 39-yard pass from Egloff (DePoyster kick), 12:48, Third Quarter
- WYO - Kiick 43-yard run (DePoyster kick), 10:46, Third Quarter
- WYO - Egloff 15-yard run (DePoyster kick), 2:42, Fourth Quarter
- FSU - Sellers 25-yard pass from Hammond (pass failed), 1:09, Fourth Quarter

TEAM STATISTICS

	WYO	FSU
FIRST DOWNS	14	13
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	42	31
RUSHING YARDS	229	-21
PASSES A-C-I	27-9-0	35-17-2
PASSING YARDS	135	293
TOTAL YARDS	364	272
PUNTS/AVG.	8/37.3	9/40.0
FUMBLES	2	2
PENALTIES-YARDS	4-50	10-102

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING LEADERS

WYOMING	ATT	YDS	FSU	ATT	YDS
Jim Kiick	25	135	Bill Moreman	13	11
Rick Egloff	5	42	Jim Mankins	6	10

PASSING

WYOMING	ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
Rick Egloff	16	9	0	1	135
FLORIDA STATE					
Kim Hammond	15	9	1	2	215



1968 SUGAR BOWL

LOUISIANA STATE 20, WYOMING 13

January 1, 1968 • Tulane Stadium • New Orleans, Louisiana

Despite the fact that Wyoming was the only undefeated major college team in the nation, bowl officials were more than a little skeptical when it came to offering the Pokes an invitation. Wyoming's schedule wasn't tough enough, they said. Most wondered if Wyoming could sell any tickets. The Sugar Bowl officials looked past that, and despite severe scrutiny, gladly accepted the unwanted Cowboys to play in the 34th Sugar Bowl Classic. They laughed all the way to the bank. Over 78,000 fans watched Cinderella in cowboy boots nearly knock off the local favorites. The Cowboys, who brought over 10,000 fans to Bourbon Street, jumped to an early 13-0 lead on LSU. The Tigers entered the game with a 6-3-1 record, after playing the nation's toughest schedule. In a game featuring four All-America players, two on each team, it was a third string sophomore halfback with a common name, that led the Tigers to victory. Glenn Smith earned the Most Valuable Player award after rushing 16 times for 74 yards and a touchdown. A cold, intermittent rain shower prevailed and the temperature dropped ten degrees during the course of the game. Wyoming jumped to a 7-0 lead on the first play of the second quarter when Jim Kiick capped an 80-yard drive with a one-yard run around the left end. All-American Jerry DePoyster kicked the point after. Safety Dennis Devlin came up with a big defensive play midway through the second quarter. The Tigers attempted to convert a fourth down and three-yard play when Devlin tackled LSU back Tommy Allen for a three-yard loss. The Wyoming offense took control and moved the ball 64 yards in 11 plays for a DePoyster 24-yard field goal. The Cowboy defense again stopped LSU, this time in three plays forcing a punt. Tackle Larry Nels sacked Tiger quarterback Nelson Stokely for an eight-yard loss to the LSU 17-yard line. After a short punt to midfield, quarterback Paul Toscano moved Wyoming to the Tiger 32-yard line and DePoyster added his second field goal in less than three minutes with a last second 49-yard boot. The kick not only gave Wyoming a 13-0 halftime lead, but also broke the Sugar Bowl record for the longest field goal. Wyoming dominated the first half stats, leading LSU 215-38 in total yards. Kiick was Wyoming's leading rusher with 62 yards on 14 carries and Toscano was 6-for-11 passing for 85 yards. Wyoming held a 13-7 margin heading into the fourth quarter. LSU scored late in the third period on a Smith one-yard TD run. The Tigers tied the game on the first possession in the fourth quarter as Stokely found receiver Tommy Morel for an eight-yard touchdown pass. The point after conversion failed and the game was tied 13-13. Stokely and Morel connected for another touchdown, this time a 14-yard pass play over the middle and LSU took its first lead, 20-13, with just 4:22 remaining in the game. Toscano led the Cowboy offense out for one final try with 0:39 left on the clock. Toscano threw

to Kiick for a ten-yard gain on the first play. He then hit Anderson for a 54-yard strike to the LSU 18-yard line. On the game's final play, he threw to All-WAC receiver Gene Huey who went to the five-yard line before being tackled. The clock ran out on that play and the Cowboy season ended five yards short of perfection.



Cowboy coach Lloyd Eaton and UW Athletic Director Glenn "Red" Jacoby display a medallion made for the undefeated Wyoming Cowboys before the 1968 Sugar Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Louisiana State	0	0	7	13	20
Wyoming	0	13	0	0	13

SCORING SUMMARY

WYO - Kiick 1-yard run (DePoyster kick), 14:56, Second Quarter
 WYO - DePoyster 24-yard Field Goal, 2:58, Second Quarter
 WYO - DePoyster 49-yard Field Goal, 0:01, Second Quarter
 LSU - Smith 1-yard run (Hurd kick), 2:10, Third Quarter
 LSU - Morel 8-yard pass from Stokely (kick fails), 11:39 Third Quarter
 LSU - Morel 14-yard pass from Stokely (Hurd kick), 4:22, Fourth Quarter

TEAM STATISTICS	WYO	LSU
FIRST DOWNS	20	12
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	48	48
RUSHING YARDS	167	151
PASSES A-C-I	24-14-4	20-6-0
PASSING YARDS	239	91
TOTAL YARDS	406	242
PUNTS/AVG.	4/49.0	9/31.1
FUMBLES	1	0
PENALTIES-YARDS	5-65	3-25

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING LEADERS

WYOMING	ATT	YDS	LSU	ATT	YDS
Jim Kiick	19	75	Glenn Smith	16	74
Tom Williams	16	64	Tommy Allen	16	41

PASSING	ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
UW - Paul Toscano	24	14	3	1	239
LSU - Nelson Stokely	20	6	0	2	91



1976 FIESTA BOWL

OKLAHOMA 41, WYOMING 7

December 25, 1976 • Sun Devil Stadium • Tempe, Arizona

The game was best described by Steve Luhm: "It was more like a fiasco bowl than a Fiesta Bowl." That was the lead sentence of the sports story in the December 26 issue of the Laramie Daily Boomerang written by Luhm, the paper's sports editor. The previous day Big Eight Conference co-champion Oklahoma pounded the Wyoming Cowboys 41-7 in a nationally televised broadcast. Not only was the game itself a fiasco, but all 10 days leading up to the game were chaotic for the Wyoming football program. On December 16, Head Coach Fred Akers was named the head football coach at the University of Texas. While the UW administration moved swiftly, six days to be exact, to hire a new head coach (Bill Lewis), the preparation for the game was horrendous. Akers and his staff were making plans for the move to Texas and recruiting for the Longhorns. Members of the coaching staff not hired by Akers to follow him to Texas were scrambling for other jobs. Some of the coaches did not even attend the practice sessions leading up to the Fiesta Bowl game. Oklahoma, one of the most powerful offensive teams in college football history, gained 415 rushing yards and 20 first-half points before the Cowboys knew what hit them. OU continued to run on Wyoming in the second half, scoring three more touchdowns before Cowboy Robbie Wright scored on a one-yard run with 24 seconds remaining in the game. It was Wyoming's second loss in a bowl game. Sooner sophomore quarterback Thomas Lott was named the game's Most Valuable Player after masterfully guiding the wishbone attack for four Fiesta Bowl offensive records. The Sooners also set a bowl record by intercepting five Wyoming passes. "It's obvious Oklahoma has a heck of a football team," Akers said following the game. "We knew that. I was disappointed that we didn't play our best football. We caught them at their strongest. (Oklahoma coach) Barry (Switzer) told me that. We really didn't show the kind of team that we are." The 1976 Sooner squad had 10 players who went on to play in the National Football League, including Heisman Trophy winner Billy Sims. For Wyoming, the game was a brief return to the elite of college football after an eight-year absence from a bowl game. For Oklahoma, the game was the beginning of its return to the number-one spot in college football.



Cowboy quarterback Marc Cousins evades an Oklahoma linebacker in the 1976 Fiesta Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Oklahoma	14	6	7	14	41
Wyoming	0	0	0	7	7

SCORING SUMMARY

- OU - Elvis Peacock 3-yard run (Von Schamann kick), 8:56, First Quarter
- OU - Eddie Lee Ivory 4-yard run (Von Schamann kick), 3:31, First Quarter
- OU - Uwe Von Schamann 32-yard Field Goal, 7:21, Second Quarter
- OU - Uwe Von Schamann 50-yard Field Goal, 1:01, Second Quarter
- OU - Elvis Peacock 15-yard run (Von Schamann kick), 7:17, Third Quarter
- OU - George Cumby 4-yard run (Von Schamann kick), 14:18, Fourth Quarter
- OU - Woodie Shepard 8-yard run (Von Schamann kick), 10:16, Fourth Quarter
- WYO - Robbie Wright 1-yard run (Christopoulos kick), 0:24, Fourth Quarter

TEAM STATISTICS

	WYO	OU
FIRST DOWNS	10	22
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	42	74
RUSHING YARDS	153	415
PASSES A-C-I	19-6-5	5-3-0
PASSING YARDS	51	23
TOTAL YARDS	204	438
PUNTS/AVG.	5/25.2	0/00.0
FUMBLES	1	3
PENALTIES-YARDS	4-30	2-20

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING LEADERS

WYOMING	ATT	YDS	OKLAHOMA	ATT	YDS
Latraia Jones	14	68	Woodie Shepard	7	85
Robbie Wright	13	46	Thomas Lott	13	79
Don Clayton	10	36	Elvis Peacock	8	77

PASSING	ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
UW - Don Clayton	14	5	4	0	54
OU - Dean Blevins	3	2	0	0	14



1987 HOLIDAY BOWL

IOWA 20, WYOMING 19

December 30, 1987 • Jack Murphy Stadium • San Diego, California

Coach Paul Roach had not been in a college bowl game for 20 years when he guided the Cowboys to their first Holiday Bowl after winning nine consecutive games and the 1987 WAC championship. Roach and his staff prepared the Cowboys for the heavily favored Iowa Hawkeyes. A national television audience and a Holiday Bowl record crowd of 61,892, including more than 10,000 Wyoming fans, witnessed a great game. The Cowboys' opening drive, which consisted of two Craig Burnett pass completions for 35 yards, stalled on the Iowa 26-yard line. Greg Worker kicked a 43-yard field goal, and the Cowboys led 3-0. Iowa's strength was in the offensive and defensive lines, but on the Hawkeyes' first possession, the Cowboy defensive line was dominating. Iowa failed to get a first down on its first two drives. Worker added another field goal, a 38-yarder, with 6:37 left in the first quarter to give Wyoming a 6-0 lead. The Cowboy offense again moved the football on its next possession. Burnett completed five of his six passes on the drive, hitting Anthony Sargent twice for five and 24 yards. From the 15-yard line, Burnett threw into the left corner of the end zone where James Loving leaped and made a beautiful one-handed catch for the touchdown. The Cowboys attempted a two-point conversion which failed, but they held a 12-0 lead with 1:48 left in the first quarter. Wyoming dominated the first quarter statistics with 144 total yards to 28 for Iowa. The Cowboy defense continued to take control of the game in the second quarter. Iowa was forced to punt on each possession of the quarter except one. Iowa's only score in the first half came when the Hawkeyes blocked a Tom Kilpatrick punt and returned it for a touchdown. That play pulled Iowa to within five points, 12-7. Wyoming's next drive lasted 3:13 and covered 77 yards. Burnett attempted eight passes in the drive, completing four, and Wyoming had three rushing plays. Gerald Abraham scored from the Iowa three-yard line and Worker booted the point-after giving Wyoming a 19-7 halftime lead. On the second play of the fourth quarter Burnett made a rare error. A bad throw to the right sideline was picked off by Iowa cornerback Anthony Wright, who returned the interception 33 yards for a touchdown. Iowa put together a 10-play, 86-yard drive on its next possession, culminating in a David Hudson one-yard touchdown run. Iowa attempted a two-point conversion which failed, and the Hawkeyes led 20-19 with 7:33 remaining in the game. Wyoming had a chance to win the game with :46 left in the game, but Worker's 52-yard field goal was blocked. Two Iowa defensive scores overshadowed the Wyoming defensive effort. The Cowboys held Iowa to 94 rushing yards. Pat Rabold had 11 tackles, three for a loss, and one and a half sacks. Burnett's performance, 28 of 51 passes for 332 yards, was a Holiday Bowl record. He was named the Offensive Player of the Game. In the

1987 season, the Cowboys, led by a rookie head coach, dominated the WAC. That season will also be remembered for one of the most exciting bowl games in college football. Wyoming had returned to the top of the WAC and were one of the nation's most improved teams.



Cowboy co-captain Jeff Knapton was the WAC sack leader and guided Wyoming to the 1987 Holiday Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Iowa	0	7	0	13	20
Wyoming	12	7	0	0	19

SCORING SUMMARY

UW - Greg Worker 43-yard Field Goal, 12:32, First Quarter
 UW - Greg Worker 38-yard Field Goal, 6:37, First Quarter
 UW - James Loving 15-yard pass from Craig Burnett (pass failed), 1:48, First Quarter
 UI - Jay Hess 10-yard punt return (Houghton kick), 9:26, Second Quarter
 UW - Gerald Abraham 3-yard run (Worker kick), 6:03, Second Quarter
 UI - Anthony Wright 33-yard interception return (Houghton kick), 14:35, Fourth Quarter
 UI - David Hudson 1-yard run (pass failed), 7:30, Fourth Quarter

TEAM STATISTICS

	WYO	IOWA
FIRST DOWNS	19	17
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	21	36
RUSHING YARDS	43	94
PASSES A-C-I	51-28-1	35-21-0
PASSING YARDS	332	237
TOTAL YARDS	375	331
PUNTS/AVG.	6/30.0	8/42.0
FUMBLES	0	1
PENALTIES-YARDS	7-61	6-57

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING LEADERS

WYOMING	ATT	YDS	IOWA	ATT	YDS
Gerald Abraham	14	39	Kevin Harmon	12	47

PASSING

ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
UW - Craig Burnett 51	28	1	1	332
UI - Chuck Hartlieb 35	21	0	0	237



1988 HOLIDAY BOWL

OKLAHOMA STATE 62, WYOMING 14

December 30, 1988 • Jack Murphy Stadium • San Diego, California

The 1988 Holiday Bowl was expected to be one of the best match-ups on the college football bowl docket. The battle between these two Cowboy teams was supposed to be a high-scoring, offensive fireworks show. Wyoming and Oklahoma State were two of the nation's best offensive teams. OSU led the nation in scoring, 47.5 points per game, and Wyoming was third, 41.4 points per game. Oklahoma State averaged 515 yards of total offense per game and Wyoming 478 yards. While the two offenses had great reputations for moving the football, this game featured one of the greatest players in NCAA history, 1988 Heisman Trophy winner Barry Sanders. Sanders had the best year of any running back in history that season, and the 1988 Holiday Bowl was his final collegiate game. Sanders singlehandedly beat Wyoming with five touchdowns and 222 rushing yards. Oklahoma State started the scoring on its first possession with a Sanders 33-yard touchdown run. Cary Blanchard kicked the point-after and Oklahoma State led 7-0 with 10:13 left in the first quarter. Wyoming finally got the ball rolling on its third possession later in the quarter. Randy Welniak completed a third-down pass to Ted Gilmore for 20 yards and rushed for 14 yards and another first down later in the drive. Welniak capped the drive with a four-yard sprint around the right end. Sanders scored his second touchdown of the day with 1:29 left in the first half on a two-yard run up the middle. Oklahoma State added another score, a 33-yard field goal, right before the half expired to give it a 17-7 lead at halftime. OSU dominated the first half statistically with 250 total yards to Wyoming's 57. On its first possession of the second half, Oklahoma State scored on a 12-yard pass from Mike Gundy to Brent Parker. Wyoming put together a 12-play 75-yard drive on its next possession. Welniak completed five passes in the drive and scored his second touchdown on a four-yard run. Fleming's point after pulled Wyoming to within 10 points at 24-14. Then Sanders scored again on Oklahoma State's first play from scrimmage, a 67-yard dash to the end zone. He followed that with scores on each of the next two possessions with one-yard and ten-yard runs. Oklahoma State took a 45-14 lead into the fourth quarter. Oklahoma State scored 17 points in the fourth quarter to make the final score 62-14. The Cowboys from Oklahoma rolled up 698 total offensive yards. The Oklahoma State team of 1988 will be remembered as one of the greatest offensive teams in history. It finished the year ranked 11th in the nation. Wyoming had a terrific season spoiled in the final game, but an 11-2 record and a second consecutive undefeated WAC season are records to be proud of. Wyoming was rated 18th in the final UPI Football Coaches poll.



1988 Western Athletic Conference Offensive Player of the Year Randy Welniak led Wyoming to a record 11 victories and the 1988 Holiday Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Oklahoma State	7	10	28	17	62
Wyoming	7	0	7	0	14

SCORING SUMMARY

OS - Barry Sanders 33-yard run (Blanchard kick), 10:13, First Quarter
 UW - Randy Welniak 4-yard run (Fleming kick), :50, First Quarter
 OS - Barry Sanders 2-yard run (Blanchard kick), 1:29, Second Quarter
 OS - Cary Blanchard 33-yard field goal, :01, Second Quarter
 OS - Brent Parker 12-yard pass from Mike Gundy (Blanchard kick), 11:53 Third Quarter
 UW - Randy Welniak 4-yard run (Fleming kick), 9:31, Third Quarter
 OS - Barry Sanders 67-yard run (Blanchard kick), 9:13, Third Quarter
 OS - Barry Sanders 1-yard run (Blanchard kick), 3:43, Third Quarter
 OS - Barry Sanders 10-yard run (Blanchard kick), :06, Third Quarter
 OS - Cary Blanchard 19-yard field goal, 12:58, Fourth Quarter
 OS - Hart Lee Dykes 25-yard pass from Mike Gundy (Blanchard kick), 5:58, Fourth Quarter
 OS - Chris Smith 5-yard run (Blanchard kick), 1:13, Fourth Quarter

TEAM STATISTICS

	WYO	OSU
FIRST DOWNS	14	34
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	30	51
RUSHING YARDS	33	320
PASSES A-C-I	32-16-2	29-24-0
PASSING YARDS	71	378
TOTAL YARDS	201	698
PUNTS/AVG.	6/37.2	0/0.0
FUMBLES	0	1
PENALTIES-YARDS	4-30	3-39

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING LEADERS

WYOMING	ATT	YDS	OSU	ATT	YDS
Dewaine Jones	2	19	Barry Sanders	29	222

PASSING

	ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
UW - Randy Welniak	30	15	2	0	164
OSU - Mike Gundy	24	20	0	2	315





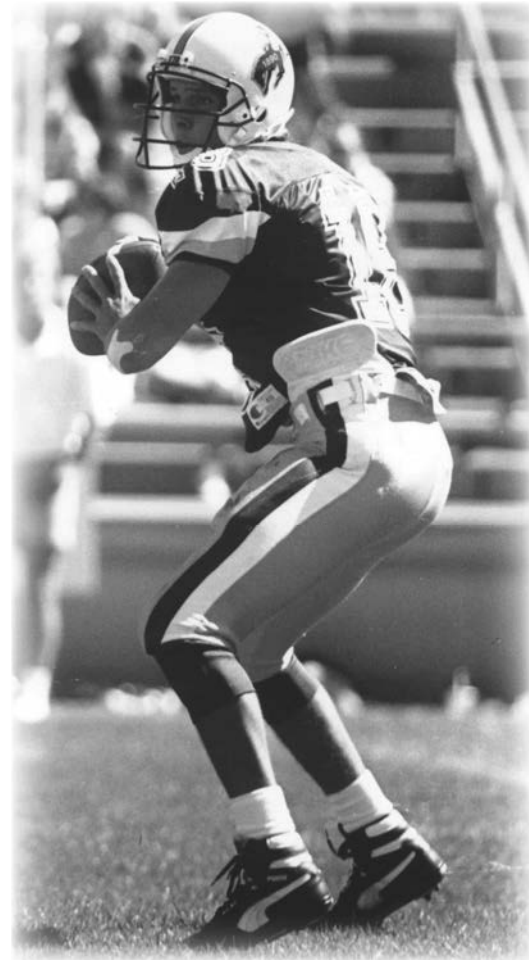
WYOMING BOWL HISTORY

1990 COPPER BOWL

CALIFORNIA 17, WYOMING 15

December 31, 1990 • Arizona Stadium • Tucson, Arizona

Wyoming would play California for the first time ever. Cal had a dangerous backfield trio: 1,000-yard rushers Anthony Wallace and Russell White and strong-armed quarterback Mike Pawlawski. The Wyoming defense, spearheaded by All-American defensive end Mitch Donahue, played an outstanding game. California had 89 rushing yards and 261 total yards for the game. The Bears scored first with 11:43 left in the second quarter. Pawlawski threw to receiver Brian Treggs, who was wide open on the left sideline, for a 25-yard touchdown. Robbie Keen kicked the point-after, and California led 7-0. The Cowboys had some big plays but couldn't sustain a drive. With 6:09 left in the half, punter-kicker Sean Fleming masterfully ran a fake punt from near midfield. After taking the snap, Fleming noticed an opening on the right side of the Wyoming line and sprinted for 30-yards before being tackled by the surprised Bear defense. Wyoming failed to capitalize on that drive. Wyoming's next possession started on its own 31-yard stripe. Quarterback Tom Corontzos commanded a fine drive leading to a 26-yard Fleming field goal with :49 seconds left in the half. California led 7-3 at halftime. The Bears scored on their first possession of the second half when Keen nailed a 46-yard field goal with 10:04 left in the third period. California scored on its first possession of the fourth quarter when Greg Zomalt ran up the middle for four yards. Keen's extra point gave the Bears a 17-3 lead. The Cowboys scored with 5:57 left in the game after an impressive 83-yard drive. Corontzos completed three straight passes on the drive and found wide receiver Shawn Wiggins for 22 yards to midfield. Three plays later, Jay Daffer ran untouched around the left end for an 11-yard touchdown. UW's two-point pass attempt failed, and the Cowboys trailed 17-9. The Cowboy defense stopped the Bears after three plays on the next drive. Wyoming went back to work on offense with another impressive drive. Corontzos connected with Wiggins for a 33-yard pass and moved to the California 24-yard line. Fleming's 41-yard field goal with 2:07 remaining was wide left. Again the Cowboy defense stopped California after three plays, and Keen punted to speedy Robert Rivers, who took the punt on the Wyoming 30-yard line and dashed to his left. After finding no running room, he raced to his right, went to the sideline, and won a footrace to the goal line. Rivers' score with 0:49 left in the game pulled Wyoming to within two points. The Cowboys attempted a two-point play, but Corontzos was sacked. Fleming attempted an onside kick, but it sailed out of bounds and California ran out the clock to end the game. The finish was fast, furious and fantastic, but the Cowboys came up two points short. "Wyoming is a damn good team," Pawlawski said after the game. "For Wyoming to stop our run, I was impressed with that. I have a lot of respect for those guys." The Cowboys easily won the statistic war, outgaining the Bears 355-261 in total offense. While the game ended a great season for Cowboy football, it also ended an important era in the history of Cowboy football, the Roach era.



Wyoming's career total offense leader, Tom Corontzos, led the Cowboys to the 1990 Copper Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER	1	2	3	4	FINAL
California	0	7	3	7	17
Wyoming	0	3	0	12	15

SCORING SUMMARY

CAL - Brian Treggs 25-yard pass from Mike Pawlawski (Keen kick), 11:43, Second Quarter
 UW - Sean Fleming 26-yard field goal, 0:46, Second Quarter
 CAL - Robbie Keen 46-yard field goal, 9:59, Third Quarter
 CAL - Greg Zomalt 4-yard run (Keen kick), 13:38, Fourth Quarter
 UW - Jay Daffer 11-yard run (pass failed), 5:53, Fourth Quarter
 UW - Robert Rivers 70-yard punt return (run failed), 0:49, Fourth Quarter

TEAM STATISTICS

	WYO	CAL
FIRST DOWNS	18	14
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	32	46
RUSHING YARDS	129	89
PASSES A-C-I	39-20-2	26-15-1
PASSING YARDS	226	171
TOTAL YARDS	355	261
PUNTS/AVG.	8/35.5	9/41.9
FUMBLES	0	0
PENALTIES-YARDS	1-5	8-57

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING LEADERS

WYOMING	ATT	YDS	CALIFORNIA	ATT	YDS
Mark Timmer	6	34	Anthony Wallace	17	76

PASSING	ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
UW - Tom Corontzos	39	20	2	0	226
CAL - Mike Pawlawski	26	15	1	1	172

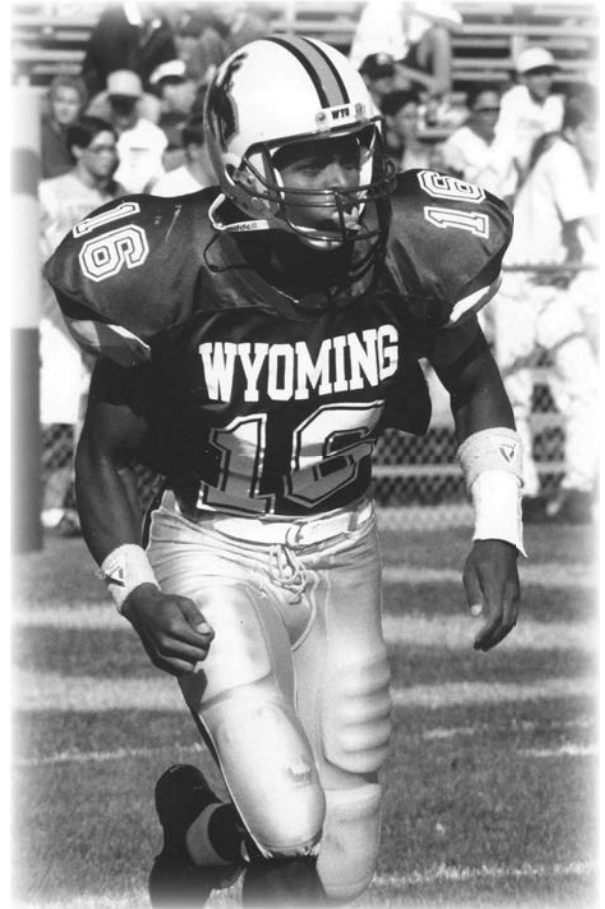


1993 COPPER BOWL

KANSAS STATE 52, WYOMING 17

December 28, 1993 • Arizona Stadium • Tucson, Arizona

Wyoming and Kansas State are rewarded for excellent seasons with invitations to the 1993 Weiser Lock Copper Bowl in Tucson. The Cowboys tied for the WAC title and had an 8-3 record, while the Wildcats had their finest season in school history with an 8-2-1 overall record. The Cowboys blew two big scoring chances early when a Ryan Yarborough 56-yard touchdown strike was called back by a penalty and then a Yarborough to Mike Jones reverse was thwarted by a touchdown saving interception. Those two non-plays for the Cowboys would have given them a 14-0 lead early in the ball game. Wyoming took a 3-0 lead on a Taylor Sorenson 35-yard field goal midway through the first quarter but the Wildcats answered with a J.J. Smith two-yard touchdown plunge. Kansas State missed the PAT and later added a field goal to hold a 9-3 lead after the first quarter. Early in the second quarter, the Wildcats capped an eight play drive with a Chad May two-yard run and extended their lead to 16-3. Wyoming answered on a Ryan Christopherson three-yard pitch play to pull within six at 16-10. Andre Coleman then took a Brian Gragert punt all the way home for 68-yards and the Wildcats led 24-10 at the half. The second half belonged to Kansas State with two third quarter touchdowns, to take a 38-10 lead. The Cowboys scored their final touchdown on a John Gustin to Eddie Pratt ten-yard toss early in the fourth. The Wildcats scored two late touchdowns, one on a 37-yard interception return. The game was special for the Cowboys and Wildcats, who were playing in just their second bowl game, because of the record attendance of 49,085. The Cowboys finished with 302 yards of total offense, but three Wyoming turnovers proved costly. Joe Hughes threw for 237 yards on 28 completions. In his final game as a Cowboy, All-American Ryan Yarborough had eight receptions for 72 yards.



Wyoming All-American, Ryan Yarborough, became the NCAA's all-time receiving leader in 1993 and helped Wyoming to the Copper Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER	1	2	3	4	FINAL	TEAM STATISTICS	WYO	KSU			
Kansas State	9	15	14	14	52	FIRST DOWNS	20	22			
Wyoming	3	7	0	7	17	RUSHING ATTEMPTS	23	39			
						RUSHING YARDS	36	227			
SCORING SUMMARY						PASSES A-C-I	51-31-2	28-19-0			
UW - Taylor Sorenson 35-yard field goal, 8:13, First Quarter						PASSING YARDS	266	275			
KSU - J.J. Smith 2-yard run (kick failed), 5:37, First Quarter						TOTAL YARDS	302	502			
KSU - Wright 22-yard field goal, 0:00, First Quarter						PUNTS/AVG.	5/44.2	3/23.3			
KSU - Chad May 2-yard run (Wright kick), 10:08, Second Quarter						FUMBLES	1	0			
UW - Ryan Christopherson 3-yard run (Sorenson kick), 3:38, Second Quarter						PENALTIES-YARDS	8/70	5/40			
KSU - Andre Coleman 68-yard punt return (May run), 1:07, Second Quarter						INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS					
KSU - Andre Coleman 61-yard pass from Chad May (Wright kick), 14:06, Third Quarter						RUSHING LEADERS					
KSU - Charles Lockett 30-yard pass from Chad May (Wright kick), 7:41, Third Quarter						WYOMING	ATT	YDS	KANSAS ST.	ATT	YDS
UW - Eddie Pratt 14-yard pass from John Gustin (Sorenson kick), 11:54, Fourth Quarter						Ryan Christopherson	15	28	J.J. Smith	20	133
KSU - Edwards 13-yard run (Classen kick), 9:11, Fourth Quarter						PASSING	ATT	COMP	INT	TD	YARDS
KSU - McEntyre 37-yard interception return (Wright kick), 6:09, Fourth Quarter						UW - Joe Hughes	43	28	0	0	237
						KSU - Chad May	28	19	0	2	275





WYOMING BOWL HISTORY

2004 PIONEER PUREVISION LAS VEGAS BOWL

WYOMING 24, UCLA 21

December 23, 2004 • Sam Boyd Stadium • Las Vegas, Nevada

Wyoming fans had been waiting 38 years for a night like this one. Not since Dec. 24, 1966, when the Wyoming Cowboys defeated Florida State by a score of 28-20 in the Sun Bowl had the University of Wyoming won a bowl game. But second-year Cowboy head coach Joe Glenn and his team would put an end to that streak with the biggest upset of the 2004 college bowl season.

The Pokes entered the 2004 Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl as 12.5-point underdogs to the UCLA Bruins. UCLA came into the game versus UW having nearly knocked off their archrival, eventual National Champion USC, in the final regular-season game of the season before losing 29-24.

Glenn's Cowboys showed from the opening kickoff that they had taken their head coach's words to heart – Wyoming wasn't just happy being in a bowl game, the Cowboys were there to win a bowl game.

UW took an early 3-0 lead when Deric Yaussi converted a 39-yard field goal to cap off a six-play, 73-yard drive with 5:57 remaining in the first quarter. On UCLA's next possession, Randy Tscharner forced a Bruin fumble, and Zach Morris recovered on the UCLA 25-yard line. It took Corey Bramlet and the Cowboy offense just three plays to convert the turnover into a 10-yard touchdown pass to Tyler Holden giving Wyoming a 10-0 lead with 4:11 left in the first quarter.

The second quarter belonged to the Bruins as they scored on TD drives of 56 and 30 yards to take a 14-10 halftime lead. UCLA extended their lead to 21-10 in the third quarter when they took their first possession of the second half on a 12-play, 80-yard touchdown march. The third quarter ended with the score UCLA 21, Wyoming 10.

As the fourth quarter began, Wyoming had the ball on its own 36-yard line with a second down and 11 yards to go for a first down. Following an 18-yard pass from Bramlet to Holden and rushes of 14 yards by Joseph Harris and nine yards by Bramlet, backup quarterback J.J. Raterink entered the game at quarterback. On second down and one from UCLA's 22-yard line, Raterink took the snap and tossed the ball to running back C.R. Davis on a sweep left. But it wasn't a sweep. Davis handed the ball to wide receiver Jovon Bouknight, who came around on a reverse. Bouknight running to his right then threw the ball to the end zone where Raterink made a diving catch to pull the Cowboys to within four points at 21-17 with 12:50 remaining in the game.

The Bruins next possession saw Wyoming cornerback Derrick Martin force a UCLA fumble, which he returned to the UCLA 17-yard line. It appeared as if the Pokes had the opportunity they had been looking for, but two plays later, Wyoming committed its only turnover of the day when Bramlet threw an interception at the goal line that was returned 48 yards by UCLA's Matt Clark.

With 9:55 now remaining in the game, UCLA drove down to the Wyoming 27-yard line where the Bruins set up for a 45-yard field goal by Justin Medlock. However, Medlock's kick fell short, and with only 5:53 left on the clock, Wyoming took over at its own 28-yard line.

On first and second down, Bramlet had two passes fall incomplete. It was third and ten from the 28, and the Cowboys' backs were against the wall. Bramlet dropped back on third down, and found Holden on a 24-yard completion to give the Cowboys new life. Following an incompletion on first down, Bramlet hit back-to-back completions of 11 and nine yards to Bouknight and Dustin Pleasant to take the ball down to the UCLA 28. A rush by Joseph Harris went for no gain – it was now fourth down and one. The Cowboys had to gain one yard to keep their hopes alive. Wyoming's offensive line, led by senior center Trenton Franz, was able to lead Bramlet on a quarterback sneak to get the first down by inches. With a first down at the UCLA 27 and a little over a minute to go, Bramlet dropped back and looked for his favorite receiver – Bouknight. The pass fell incomplete,

but interference was called on UCLA cornerback Matt Clark. After the 15-yard penalty was marked off, Wyoming had the ball on the UCLA 12-yard line.

It was then that the play Cowboy fans had been waiting for since 1966 finally happened. As Bramlet surveyed the field, he saw tight end John Wadkowski running down the middle of the UCLA defense. Bramlet let the ball go, and Wadkowski made one of the most remembered catches in Wyoming history in the end zone to give the Pokes a 23-21 lead. UW place-kicker Yaussi then connected on his 36th and final extra point of the season to give the Cowboys a 24-21 lead. UW was only 57 seconds away from victory.

After Yaussi's kickoff, UCLA had the ball at its own 22-yard line with 53 ticks left on the clock. UCLA gained seven yards on a first down pass play, followed by an eight-yard rush. It was now first and ten at the Bruin 37, but as UCLA quarterback David Koral dropped back, Wyoming defensive end Aaron Robbins fought through to sack Koral for a nine-yard loss. It was second and 19. After an incomplete pass, it was third down and 19. A complete pass for three yards left the Bruins with a fourth down and 16 yards to go at their own 31-yard line – only 18 seconds remained. Koral dropped back and threw the ball, but the pass was incomplete and Wyoming fans could breathe a sigh of relief with only 10 seconds remaining on the clock. UW ran one play, and the celebration began. The final score was Wyoming 24, UCLA 21. The Cowboys were Las Vegas Bowl champions.

Bramlet was named Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl MVP as he completed 20 of 34 passes for 307 yards and two touchdown passes. Bouknight and Holden each recorded 100-yard

receiving days – Bouknight with 107 yards and Holden with 115 and a TD catch. Wyoming's offense accumulated 405 yards of total offense on the day. The Cowboy defense held UCLA to only 311 yards of total offense, and recorded a season high six sacks. Wyoming was led by middle linebacker Tscharner and strong safety Ron Rockett, who both had seven total tackles. Tscharner also forced one fumble and shared in a sack. Cowboy defensive end John Flora was credited with two sacks and three tackles for losses on the day. Defensive tackle Morris recovered one fumble and shared in a sack, while cornerback Derrick Martin forced one fumble, which he also recovered, had one sack and broke up one pass.



Wyoming quarterback Corey Bramlet was named the MVP of the Pioneer PureVision Las Vegas Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Wyoming	10	0	0	14	24
UCLA	0	14	7	0	21

SCORING SUMMARY

1 st	5:57	WYO	Yaussi, Deric, 39 yd field goal, 6 plays, 73 yards 3:31
	4:11	WYO	Holden, Tyler, 10 yd pass from Bramlet, Corey (Yaussi, Deric kick), 3 plays, 29 yards, 1:29
2 nd	7:58	UCLA	Taylor, Junior, 29 yd pass from Olson, Drew (Medlock, Justin kick), 5 plays, 56 yards, 2:03
	1:50	UCLA	Bragg, Craig, 17 yd pass from Koral, David (Medlock, Justin kick), 4 plays, 30 yards, 1:21
3 rd	7:11	UCLA	Bragg, Craig, 25 yd pass from Koral, David (Medlock, Justin kick), 12 plays, 80 yards, 5:43
4 th	12:50	WYO	Raterink, J.J., 22 yd pass from Bouknight, Jovon (Yaussi, Deric kick), 6 plays, 63 yards, 2:44
	0:57	WYO	Wadkowski, John, 12 yd pass from Bramlet, Corey (Yaussi, Deric kick), 10 plays, 72 yards, 3:05

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING

Wyoming	Harris, Joseph 13-27; Davis, C.R. 1-16; Harrison, Ivan 5-16; Bouknight, Jovon 1-13; Bramlet, Corey 9-5; Team 1-minus 1.
UCLA	Drew, Maurice 25-126; Markey, Chris 5-20; White, Manuel 3-3; Olson, Drew 1-minus 9; Koral, David 8-minus 14.

PASSING

Wyoming	Bramlet, Corey 20-34-1-307; Raterink, J.J. 0-3-0-0; Bouknight, Jovon 1-1-0-22.
UCLA	Koral, David 7-12-0-89; Olson, Drew 6-12-0-96.

TEAM STATISTICS

	WYO	UCLA
First Downs	19	19
Rushes-Yards (Net)	30-76	42-126
Passing Yards (Net)	329	185
Passes (A/C/I)	38-21-1	24-13-0
Total Offense Plays/Yards	68-405	66-311
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-8	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-1	3-31
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-80	4-82
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-48
Punts (Number-Avg.)	7-31.9	6-44.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	6-2
Penalties-Yards	11-114	10-84
Possession Time	30:11	29:49
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 14	5 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-5	1-1
Sacks by: Number-Yards	6-37	4-21

RECEIVING

Wyoming	Bouknight, J. 5-107; Holden, T. 4-115; Pleasant, D. 4-51; Barge, J. 3-8; Wadkowski, J. 2-20; Raterink, J.J. 1-22; Ford, M. 1-5; Harris, J. 1-1.
UCLA	Bragg, Craig 7-95; Lewis, Mercedes 2-41; Markey, Chris 2-14; Taylor, Junior 1-29; White, Manuel 1-6.

TACKLES

Wyoming	Tscharner, R. 7; Rockett, R. 7; Flora J. 6; Wendling, J. 6; Tuell, G. 6; Hall, A. 5; Robbins, A. 4; Hoffschneider, D. 4; Claffey S. 4.
UCLA	London, Justin 7.



2009 NEW MEXICO BOWL

WYOMING 35, FRESNO STATE 28 (2 Overtimes)

December 19, 2009 • University Stadium • Albuquerque, New Mexico

Wyoming fans will never forget the 2009 New Mexico Bowl — the first overtime bowl game in Cowboy history.

It was a game filled with one big play after another. The Cowboys scored the first points of the game when freshman running back Alvester Alexander exploded for a 68-yard touchdown dash with 7:37 remaining in the first quarter.

Fresno state came back to tie the game in the second quarter when the nation's leading rusher, Ryan Mathews scored from four yards out.

Wyoming responded on its very next possession, engineering a 15-play, 95-yard drive that took 7:20 off the clock. The drive was keyed by runs of 13 yards from freshman quarterback Austyn Carta-Samuels and 17 yards from Alexander, as well as a 17-yard pass from Carta-Samuels to senior tight end Jesson Salyards. The final critical play of the drive came on a third-and-eight from the Fresno State 21-yard line. Carta-Samuels connected with senior wide receiver Greg Bolling on a TD strike to put the Pokes up 14-7 with only 4:55 remaining in the half.

The Bulldogs bounced back, driving 65 yards in 10 plays culminating with a 10-yard pass from quarterback Ryan Colburn to wide receiver Jamel Hamler, with only 33 seconds remaining in the half. The halftime score was tied at 14-14.

Fresno regained the lead on the first possession of the second half, scoring on a 43-yard TD pass. Wyoming pulled within four at 21-17 on a 40-yard field goal by freshman Ian Watts.

The Wyoming defense would then hold Fresno State scoreless on its next two possessions. After a three-and-out series of its own, Wyoming's final possession of the third quarter began at the Cowboy 13-yard line. On the seventh play of that drive, Carta-Samuels was intercepted by the Bulldogs' Chris Lewis at the Wyoming 33-yard line. Lewis returned the interception 27 yards to the Cowboy six. Two plays later, Mathews scored from five yards out, and the Bulldogs held a 28-17 lead with only 13:49 remaining in the game.

The Pokes' next possession began at its 32-yard line after a 29-yard kickoff return by James Caraway. Alexander got 15 yards on the first play of the drive, and Wyoming was quickly out to its own 47-yard line. Facing a third and 13 later in the drive, Carta-Samuels hit junior wide receiver Zach Bolger on a 30-yard pass completion down to the Fresno 26-yard line. A 14-yard rush by Alexander and a one-yard gain by fellow running back Brandon Stewart moved the ball down to the 11-yard line where Carta-Samuels hooked up with junior receiver David Leonard to pull UW to within five at 23-28. Head coach Dave Christensen decided to go for two points on the conversion to reduce the deficit to three points. Carta-Samuels found Bolling on the successful two-point conversion, and Wyoming drew within a field goal.

Following a 39-yard kickoff return by Fresno State to the Wyoming 48, Mathews carried on four straight plays for gains of 11, 6, 1 and 4 yards. But on that fourth carry, Cowboy senior defensive end Mitch Unrein ripped the ball out of Mathews hands and Unrein recovered the fumble at the Wyoming 26 to stop the potential go-ahead drive for Fresno State.

The Cowboys took over the ball with 8:08 remaining, and had to have at least a field goal to tie. It didn't look good for UW when Fresno forced them into a punting situation just four plays later. On fourth and two from his own 34-yard line, sophomore punter Austin McCoy was set to kick it back to FSU, but the Cowboys carried out the fake punt successfully with McCoy throwing a completion to Leonard for three yards and a first down. Another four plays later, UW was again facing fourth down and two. This time the Pokes lined up to go for it on fourth down, and Carta-Samuels carried for eight yards to the Fresno 47-yard line. The Cowboys were not to be denied when faced with a third fourth-down play on the drive — a fourth and four from the

FSU 41 — Carta-Samuels came through with a six-yard run to the Fresno 35-yard line. After a loss of five yards, Bolger grabbed his second big pass of the day — a 20-yarder from Carta-Samuels — and that put the Pokes within field-goal range at the 20-yard line. Watts came with less than 30 seconds remaining, and calmly hit a 37-yard attempt to tie the game at 28-28 with only 19 seconds remaining.

After the Bulldogs received the kickoff, they took a knee on the final play in regulation, and the game was going to overtime.

Wyoming won the toss and elected to go on defense first. Fresno State was given the ball on Wyoming's 25-yard line. After six plays had moved the ball down to the Wyoming 10-yard line, it looked good for the Cowboys as they had forced FSU into a third down and five. Fresno QB Colburn, however, responded with a nine-yard run down to the Cowboy one-yard line. With the nation's leading runner in the backfield in Mathews and the Bulldogs having a first and goal at the Wyoming one-yard line, it wasn't looking good for the Brown and Gold.

It was then that the Cowboy defense recorded one of the most memorable moments in Wyoming Football history. On four straight plays, Fresno gave the ball to their outstanding running back Mathews, and on four straight plays the Cowboy defense denied him.

Wyoming had the ball and just needed to kick a field goal. The Pokes ran three plays down to the Fresno 22-yard line, and then brought in Watts for a 40-yard attempt, but he was unsuccessful on the kick. Time for a second overtime.

The Cowboys got the ball first in the second overtime, and on their fifth play of the series Carta-Samuels connected with Leonard in the back left corner of the end zone for their second TD of the day to give UW a 35-28 lead.

Fresno now had to score a touchdown to keep their hopes alive. On first down the Cowboys held Mathews to no gain. Colburn then threw two incompletions and the Bulldogs found themselves with a fourth down and five from the 20-yard line. Colburn dropped to pass, Wyoming got pressure and Colburn began to scramble but Wyoming's Brian Hendricks and Ghaali Muhammad combined on a sack of three yards and the Cowboys had won the 2009 New Mexico Bowl Championship.



Wyoming Defensive End Mitch Unrein accepts the 2009 Defensive Player of the Game Award.

SCORING BY QUARTER

	1	2	3	4	OT1	OT2	FINAL
Fresno State	0	14	7	7	0	0	28
Wyoming	7	7	3	11	0	7	35

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	07:37 WY - ALEXANDER, A. 68 yd run (WATTS, Ian kick), 1 play, 68 yards, 0:10
2nd	12:22 FS - Mathews, Ryan 4 yd run (Goessling, K. kick), 7 plays, 51 yards, 3:29 05:01 WY - BOLLING, Greg 21 yd pass from CARTA-SAMUELS, A (WATTS, Ian kick), 15 plays, 95 yards, 7:14 00:33 FS - Hamler, Jamel 10 yd pass from Colburn, Ryan (Goessling, K. kick), 10 plays, 65 yards, 4:22
3rd	13:06 FS - Hamler, Jamel 43 yd pass from West, Chastin (Goessling, K. kick), 6 plays, 71 yards, 1:49 08:19 WY - WATTS, Ian 40 yd field goal, 9 plays, 39 yards, 4:41
4th	13:59 FS - Mathews, Ryan 5 yd run (Goessling, K. kick), 2 plays, 6 yards, 0:46 10:15 WY - LEONARD, David 11 yd pass from CARTA-SAMUELS, A (BOLLING, Greg pass from CARTA-SAMUELS, A), 7 plays, 68 yards, 3:34 00:20 WY - WATTS, Ian 37 yd field goal, 19 plays, 54 yards, 7:48
OT	15:00 WY - LEONARD, David 13 yd pass from CARTA-SAMUELS, A (WATTS, Ian kick), 5 plays, 25 yards, 0:00

INTERCEPTIONS: Fresno State-Lewis, Chris 1-27.
Wyoming-None.

TEAM STATISTICS

	FRESNO STATE	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	19	26
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	44-197	50-234
PASSING YDS (NET)	169	204
Passes Att-Comp-Int.	20-14-0	33-18-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	64-366	83-438
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2--2	1-5
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-109	3-57
Interception Returns-Yards	1-27	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-46.3	3-37.3
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-61	3-19
Possession Time	26:47	33:13
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 10	9 of 20
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 4	4 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-5	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-9	3-5

RUSHING: Fresno State-Mathews, Ryan 31-144.
Wyoming-ALEXANDER, A. 12-137; CARTA-SAMUELS, A 19-71; STEWART, Brandon 18-28; TEAM 1-minus 2.

PASSING: Fresno State-Colburn, Ryan 13-19-0-126.
Wyoming-CARTA-SAMUELS, A 17-31-1-201; BURKHALTER, T. 0-1-0-0; MCCOY, Austin 1-1-0-3.

RECEIVING: Fresno State-Hamler, Jamel 7-85.
Wyoming-LEONARD, David 7-60; BOLGER, Zach 4-55; BOLLING, Greg 2-35; BURKHALTER, T. 2-15; SALYARDS, Jesson 1-17; MCNEILL, Chris 1-14; ALEXANDER, A. 1-8.





WYOMING BOWL HISTORY

2011 GILDAN NEW MEXICO BOWL

WYOMING 15, TEMPLE 37

December 17, 2011 • University Stadium • Albuquerque, New Mexico

The 2011 season was an outstanding one for the University of Wyoming Cowboys. But the Temple Owls proved too much for the Cowboys on Saturday as Temple defeated Wyoming 37-15 in the 2011 Gildan New Mexico Bowl played at University Stadium in Albuquerque, N.M.

UW ended its season 8-5 overall and 5-2 in the Mountain West Conference, placing third in the MW behind TCU (11-2, 7-0) and Boise State (12-1, 6-1). Of Wyoming's five regular-season losses three came against ranked opponents or teams receiving votes. UW lost 14-38 at No. 9 Nebraska in Week Four of the season, lost to No. 7 Boise State (14-36) in Week 11 and lost 20-31 to TCU when the Horned Frogs were receiving votes in the national polls.

It was Wyoming's first eight-win season since 1998. The Cowboys' five conference wins and third-place finish in the Mountain West tied for their best finish since joining the conference in 1999. Temple concluded its season 9-4 overall and 5-3 in the Mid-American Conference.

Wyoming freshman quarterback Brett Smith completed 20 of 30 pass attempts for 127 yards and two touchdowns, but also threw three interceptions. His scoring tosses went to freshman running back Kody Sutton and freshman wide receiver Josh Doctson. Sutton's 14-yard touchdown late in the fourth quarter was his first career score as a Cowboy. Two of Smith's interceptions led to a Temple touchdown and field goal on the day.

Smith added 65 yards rushing. When combined with his 127 passing yards, he tallied 192 yards of total offense, which gave him 3,332 yards for the season. That ranks as the third best single-season total in school history.

Cowboy senior linebacker Brian Hendricks was credited with 13 tackles, moving him into No. 11 on UW's Career Tackle List. Hendricks finished his Wyoming career with 309 tackles, just two shy of tying for 10th place. Senior defensive end Gabe Knapton also had seven stops, giving him a total of 368 for his career. Knapton is fifth all-time in Cowboy history.

Temple scored two rushing touchdowns and added a third through the air in the first and second quarters to go up 21-0 with 10 minutes remaining in the first half.

Wyoming answered with a 21-yard strike from Smith to Doctson to draw Wyoming closer, making it 21-7 with just 37 seconds to go in the first half.

But Temple scored on its next offensive play, as quarterback Chris Coyer threw a 61-yard pass to Rod Streater for the score and Temple took a 28-7 lead heading into halftime.

Smith's day was up and down, but his accomplishments over the year gave Cowboy coach Dave Christensen hope for the future.

"Not his best day," Christensen said. "But the great news is he's got three more years and he'll work extremely hard in the offseason. He'll bounce back. He always does."

"They (Temple) just played physically better than us. My hat's off to them. They're a good running team. They're a good football team."

The final stats showed Temple with 424 total yards to Wyoming's 267. The Owl's rushing attack accounted for 255 rushing yards vs. the Cowboys 140 yards on the ground.

Temple also won the turnover battle, intercepting three Wyoming passes. The Cowboys were unable to force a turnover by the Eagles.

The Cowboys' loss broke a two-game bowl winning streak. Wyoming defeated UCLA, 24-21, in the 2004 Las Vegas Bowl, and followed that up in the 2009 New Mexico Bowl by defeating Fresno State, 35-28 in double overtime. Wyoming's all-time bowl record now stands at 6-7 (.462).



Brett Smith helped lead Wyoming to the 2011 Gildan New Mexico Bowl as the Mountain West Freshman of the Year.

SCORING BY QUARTER

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Temple	7	21	3	6	37
Wyoming	0	7	0	8	15

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	08:41	TE	PIERCE, Bernard 1 yd run (McMANUS, B. kick)
2nd	14:28	TE	PIERCE, Bernard 1 yd run (McMANUS, B. kick)
	10:21	TE	BROWN, Matt 1 yd run (McMANUS, B. kick)
	00:37	WY	DOCTSON, Josh 21 yd pass from SMITH, Brett (SULLIVAN, Daniel kick)
	00:19	TE	STREATER, Rod 61 yd pass from COYER, Chris (McMANUS, B. kick)
3rd	01:22	TE	McMANUS, B. 34 yd field goal
4th	12:50	TE	McMANUS, B. 37 yd field goal
	03:22	TE	McMANUS, B. 34 yd field goal
	00:03	WY	SUTTON, Kody 14 yd pass from SMITH, Brett (SMITH, Brett rush)

TEAM STATISTICS

	TEMPLE	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	23	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	51-255	33-140
PASSING YDS (NET)	169	127
Passes Att-Comp-Int	12-8-0	30-20-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	63-424	63-267
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	1-5
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-37	3-79
Interception Returns-Yards	3-38	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	1-40.0	3-37.3
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-0
Penalties-Yards	7-55	5-56
Possession Time	32:33	27:27
Third-Down Conversions	8 of 13	5 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	5 of 5
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	6-6	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-9	0-0

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: Temple - PIERCE, Bernard 25-100; COYER, Chris 12-71; BROWN, Matt 13-49.

Wyoming - SMITH, Brett 16-65; SUTTON, Kody 4-33; MILLER, Brandon 5-31; ALEXANDER, A. 7-17.

PASSING: Temple - COYER, Chris 8-12-0-169.

Wyoming - SMITH, Brett 20-30-3-127.

RECEIVING: Temple - JONES, Joe 3-26; RODRIGUEZ, Evan 2-52; EUGENE, Malcolm 2-30; STREATER, Rod 1-61.

Wyoming - RUFRAN, Dominic 9-24; DOCTSON, Josh 3-32; HERRON, Robert 3-31; STRATTON, Sam 2-13; SUTTON, Kody 1-14; ALEXANDER, A. 1-13; OGBONNA, Mazi 1-0.

INTS: Temple - GRIFFIN, K. 1-30; ROBEY, Anthony 1-8; KROBOTH, Kevin 1-0.

Wyoming - NONE

SACKS: Temple - ROBINSON, A. 0.5; BROWN, Levi 0.5.

Wyoming - NONE

TACKLES: Temple - WHITEHEAD, T. 11; JOHNSON, S. 10; KROBOTH, Kevin 5; GILDEA, Justin 5; ROBINSON, A. 5; BROWN, Morkeith 5

Wyoming - HENDRICKS, Brian 13; GIPSON, Tashaun 8; KNAPTON, Gabe 7; PURCELL, Mike 5; RUFF, Luke 5; TAUFA'ASAU, Kurt 5



2016 POINSETTIA BOWL

WYOMING 21, BYU 24

December 21, 2016 • Qualcomm Stadium • San Diego, California

A furious comeback by the Cowboys fell short in a 24-21 loss to BYU in the Twelfth Annual Poinsettia Bowl in Qualcomm Stadium in San Diego, Calif. on Wednesday evening. In a rain soaked game that was Wyoming's first game on natural grass since last season, UW battled back to within three points at 24-21 with under two-minutes remaining after trailing 24-7. UW falls to 6-18 in their 14 Bowl appearances.

"We got more rhythm offensively in the second half of the game," UW head coach Craig Bohl said. "They have a big strong running back with a big offensive line making us really have to scrap defensively. We had an opportunity to win the game late, but came up short. We had a great belief we could win the ball game, but we just ran out of time."

Wyoming recorded 373 yards of total offense on the night with BYU recording 313. UW recorded 254 yards of offense in the second half, while only allowing 167 yards in the second stanza. BYU rushed for 216 yards on the evening with Jamaal Williams accounting for 210 of those yards.

Junior running back Brian Hill rushed for 93 yards on 26 carries. He finished the season with 1,860 yards. He now has 4,287 yards in his career at UW. He also has 35 career touchdowns after scoring Wyoming's first touchdown. He stands all alone in career rushing touchdowns at UW.

Senior Tanner Gentry grabbed seven catches for 113 yards. It was his 10th career game with over 100 yards receiving and his seventh this season. He finishes his career 2,815 yards ranking fifth all-time at UW. Gentry also grabbed two touchdowns. He has 20 touchdowns for his career tying for fourth all-time with former teammate Robert Herron.

Redshirt sophomore quarterback Josh Allen was 17-of-32 passing for 207 yards with two touchdowns and two interceptions. He tied Josh Wallwork for the season record for touchdowns responsible for with 35 this season.

Defensively, Sophomore Antonio Hull and redshirt freshmen Logan Wilson and Youhanna Ghaifan tied for the team lead with six tackles. Senior Logan Wilson finished with four tackles. He had 344 career tackles passing Ward Dobbs for seventh in career tackles at Wyoming.

The Cougars got the first break of the contest on a miss handled snap by UW punter Ethan Wood, which resulted in a first and goal for the Cougars near the end of the first quarter. Quarterback Tanner Mangum capitalized on a three yard run to five the Cougars a 7-0 lead after one quarter of play.

The Pokes offense struggled in the first quarter recording only 50 yards of offense on 17 total plays. The Pokes recorded 31 of those yards on their first possession with a 28 yard reception by senior wide receiver Tanner Gentry highlighting the drive.

The Pokes got inside BYU territory after an interception and return of 20 yards by sophomore Andrew Wingard in the second quarter. The Cowboys failed to capitalize after a miss handled snap on a field goal try. The Cougars responded with a 11-play, 66 yard drive that lasted five minutes that ended in a 27-yard field goal by Rhett Almond to increase BYU's advantage to 10-0 with 3:08 remaining in the opening half.

UW could not get on the board in the first half and went into the break trailing 10-0. It was the first time since Nov. 14 of last season against San Diego State that Wyoming was held scoreless in the first half.

The Pokes opened the second half on a mission with a 16-play, 60 yard drive that lasted a season-long 8:22. The drive was balanced with 31 rushing yards and 29 yards coming via the

air attack of Allen. Sophomore Josh Harshman highlighted the drive with a fourth down reception for nine yards to the BYU 19 yard line. Hill punched in his touchdown from four yards out.

The Cougars responded with an eight play, 73-yard drive that ended with a Magnum pass to Tanner Balderree that was deflected by two Cowboy players in the back of the endzone. A 29-yard completion from Magnum to Nick Kurtz highlighted the BYU drive.

After an Allen interception that was returned to the BYU 45-yard line, the Cougars extended their lead to 24-7 on a 36-yard touchdown run by Jamaal Williams. He rushed with 46 yards rushing on the drive, as his 36-yarder was the longest of the contest for either team.

UW responded with another impressive drive that last over six minutes that featured 14 plays going 76 yards. The scoring drive ended with a nine yard touchdown pass from Allen to Gentry to cut the BYU lead to 24-14 with 7:35 remaining in the fourth quarter. Once again, another fourth down play highlighted the drive this time a 14-yard run by senior Shaun Wick to put the Pokes at the BYU 25-yard line.

After the Pokes' defense forced a BYU punt, Allen and the Cowboy offense put together a seven-play, 81-yard scoring drive that ended with a 23-yard touchdown pass from Allen to Gentry to make it a 24-21 contest with 2:11 remaining in the fourth quarter. Another clutch play by the Cowboy offense was featured this time on third down when Allen found senior Jake Maulhardt for a 22-yard reception to put UW inside the Cougars' 30-yard line.

The Cowboys defense stepped up once again forcing a three and out by the Cougars. Sophomore defensive end Kevin Prosser recorded a sack on third down for the Cowboys, as the Pokes got the ball back with 1:44 left on their 49-yard line.

The first play of the drive, Allen found Hill on a 20-yard reception, but the following play Allen was picked off by Kai Nacua and the Cougars knelt to earn the 24-21 win.

UW finishes the season with an 8-6 record. The Wyoming offense finished the season with 503 points. It was the second most in school history. UW scored 511 points in 1988.



Tanner Gentry caught seven passes for 113 yards and two touchdowns in Wyoming's 2016 Poinsettia Bowl appearance vs. BYU.

SCORING BY QUARTER

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Brigham Young	7	3	7	7	24
Wyoming	0	0	7	14	21

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	00:38	BYU	MANGUM, Tanner 3 yd run (ALMOND, Rhett kick)
2nd	03:08	BYU	ALMOND, Rhett 27 yd field goal, 11-66 5:24
3rd	06:35	WYO	HILL, Brian 4 yd run (ROTHER, Cooper kick)
	02:42	BYU	BALDERREE, Tann 5 yd pass from MANGUM, T. (ALMOND, R. kick)
4th	14:07	BYU	WILLIAMS, Jamaal 36 yd run (ALMOND, Rhett kick)
	07:35	WYO	GENTRY, Tanner 9 yd pass from ALLEN, Josh (ROTHER, Cooper kick)
	02:11	WYO	GENTRY, Tanner 23 yd pass from ALLEN, Josh (ROTHER, Cooper kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	BYU	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	13	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	35-216	46-166
PASSING YDS (NET)	96	207
Passes Att-Comp-Int	15-8-1	33-17-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	50-312	79-373
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	3-12	3-6
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-66	3-48
Interception Returns-Yards	2-34	1-20
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-37.6	5-37.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-0

Penalties-Yards	5-63	7-59
Possession Time	24:48	35:12
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 10	8 of 18
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	3 of 5
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-2	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	1-11

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING:	BYU - Young-WILLIAMS, Jamaal 26-210; CANADA, Squally 4-17 Wyoming - HILL, Brian 26-93; WICK, Shaun 13-55; ALLEN, Josh 6-38
PASSING:	BYU - MANGUM, Tanner 8-16-1-96 Wyoming - ALLEN, Josh 17-32-2-207
RECEIVING:	BYU - KURTZ, Nick 3-59; PEARSON, Colby 2-16; LAULU-PUTUTAMA, M 1-11 Wyoming - GENTRY, Tanner 7-113; MAULHARDT, J. 2-33; HOLLISTER, J. 2-15
INTERCEPTIONS:	BYU - NACUA, Kai 1-20; LAKE, Dayan 1-14 Wyoming - WINGARD, Andrew 1-20
FUMBLES:	BYU - WILLIAMS, Jamaal 1-1 Wyoming - WOOD, Ethan 1-0
SACKS (UA-A):	BYU - None Wyoming - PROSSER, Kevin 1-0
TACKLES (UA-A):	BYU - LANGI, Harvey 10-6; PAU'U, Butch 7-4; WARNER, Fred 4-6 Wyoming - HULL, Antonio 5-1; WILSON, Logan 3-3; GHAIFAN, Y. 2-4; MALAUJULU, S. 4-0; WACHA, Lucas 2-2; EPPS, Marcus 3-0; PROSSER, Kevin 3-0; GAFFORD, Rico 2-1; WINGARD, Andrew 2-1; MALUIA, Cassh 2-1



WYOMING BOWL HISTORY

2017 FAMOUS IDAHO POTATO BOWL

WYOMING 37, CENTRAL MICHIGAN 14

December 22, 2017 • Albertsons Stadium • Boise, Idaho

The Cowboys were clicking on all cylinders on Friday forcing a school record eight turnovers and scoring 37 points, the most in a Bowl Game in UW history in a 37-14 win over Central Michigan in the 21st Annual Famous Idaho Potato Bowl in Albertsons Stadium in Boise, Idaho. Junior quarterback Josh Allen was named the Most Valuable Player tossing three first quarter touchdowns. After the contest, Allen declared for the NFL draft in front of the Cowboy faithful.

"First of all thanks for the hospitality our team has received here in Boise," UW head coach Craig Bohl said. "It was a great win for us and put our team in a great position moving forward."

Allen finished the game 11-of-19 for 154 yards with three touchdowns. He opened the contest going 6-of-7 for 106 yards and three touchdowns in the opening quarter. Allen finishes his career ranking eighth in total yards at UW and eighth in career passing yards and fourth in total touchdowns with 57.

The Pokes finished the game as the current national leaders in turnovers this season with 38, passing Central Michigan, who led the nation heading into the contest. The eight turnovers was a Famous Idaho Potato Bowl record.

"We have been productive in takeaways this season and today was exceptional," Bohl said. "This team has been remarkable with takeaways and today topped it off."

Along with the eight turnovers, UW set a season-high with five sacks. Sophomore linebacker Logan Wilson added a team-high nine tackles with an interception and a forced fumble. Junior defensive end Carl Granderson recorded five tackles and a fumble recovery for a touchdown. Defensive tackle Youhanna Ghaifan tied a career-high with two sacks.

The Pokes held Central Michigan to 18 yards rushing and 364 yards of total offense. The Pokes recorded 275 yards of offense with 154 yards passing and 121 yards rushing. Redshirt sophomore Kellen Overstreet led UW with 85 rushing yards.

The Pokes got on the board first when Allen tossed a 23-yard strike to freshman wide out Jared Scott. It was Scott's second catch of the season and second touchdown pass. Allen's last touchdown pass before his injury was to Scott against Air Force. The Cowboys went five plays for 46 yards after the Pokes defense held the Chips deep in their territory on CMU's opening possession.

The Pokes added to their lead to make it a 14-0 game at the 4:38 mark of the first quarter when a scrambling Allen found sophomore speedster Austin Conway in the endzone. The Pokes' second touchdown of the game was set up by a strip sack from senior defensive end Nela Lolohea, his second-straight contest with a forced fumble.

Central Michigan wasted little time responding to UW's second tally with a 74-yard touchdown pass from Shane Morris to Jonathan Ward. The three play drive made it a 14-7 contest. It was the longest passing play given up by the Pokes this season.

Allen continued to sling it for the Pokes finding sophomore wide receiver CJ Johnson on a 45-yard hookup for a touchdown a little over a minute after the Chips score to make it a 21-7 game for the most points in a quarter in Potato Bowl history.

The Pokes added to the lead after their second turnover, this time from Wilson inside CMU territory. Sophomore Cooper Rothe connected on a 27-yard field goal to make it a 24-7 game to open the second quarter. Rothe later added a 28-yarder to make it a 27-7 contest at the half.

The Pokes opened the second half with yet another interception for their fifth takeaway of the game. This time Tyler Hall recorded the pick. The Pokes would run 11 plays on the drive for 61 yards setting up a 20-yard field goal by Rothe to make it a 30-7 game with 5:15 left in the third quarter.

Central Michigan answered the Pokes field goal with a seven play, 65-yard drive that was capped by a touchdown from Ward from three yards out making it a 30-14 game with 3:08 remaining.

The Pokes added to the lead later with a 58-yard fumble returned for a touchdown by Granderson. It was the sixth turnover of the game and marked the second time a Pokes' defensive end has recorded a touchdown. Ghaifan forced the fumble on the stunt play, as it was the second forced fumble of the season for the defensive tackle. The touchdown gave UW a 37-14 lead with 11:23 left in the game.

The Cowboys added turnovers late with a fumble recovery from senior linebacker Jalen Ortiz and an interception by junior safety Marcus Epps.

The Pokes finished the season with an 8-5 record for back-to-back eight win seasons under head coach Craig Bohl.



Josh Allen tossed three first quarter touchdowns in his final game as a Cowboy in Wyoming's 2017 Potato Bowl win over Central Michigan.

SCORING BY QUARTER

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Central Mich.	7	0	7	0	14
Wyoming	21	6	3	7	37

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	07:55	WYO	SCOTT, Jared 23 yd pass from ALLEN, Josh (ROTHE, Cooper kick)
	04:38	WYO	CONWAY, Austin 11 yd pass from ALLEN, Josh (ROTHE, Cooper kick)
	03:10	CMU	WARD, Jonathan 14 yd pass from MORRIS, Shane (ARMSTRONG, M. kick)
	01:09	WYO	JOHNSON, CJ 45 yd pass from ALLEN, Josh (ROTHE, Cooper kick)
2nd	13:48	WYO	ROTHE, Cooper 27 yd field goal
	04:57	WYO	ROTHE, Cooper 28 yd field goal
3rd	05:15	WYO	ROTHE, Cooper 20 yd field goal
	03:08	CMU	WARD, Jonathan 3 yd run (ARMSTRONG, M. kick)
4th	11:23	WYO	GRANDERSON, C. 58 yd fumble recovery (ROTHE, Cooper kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	CMU	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	18	15
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	27-18	42-121
PASSING YDS (NET)	346	154
Passes Att-Comp-Int	26-43-4	11-19-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	70-364	61-275
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-58
Punt Returns-Yards	3-10	2-15
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-93	3-61
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	4-22

Punts (Number-Avg)	3-38.0	6-36.8
Fumbles-Lost	6-4	0-0
Penalties-Yards	7-61	5-49
Possession Time	29:14	30:46
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 12	6 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	3 of 3	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-18	5-35

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING:	CMU - WARD, Jonathan 12-29; POLJAN, Tony 4-15; ROSS, Romello 3-6 Wyoming - OVERSTREET, K. 21-85; WOODS, Trey 9-19; JOHNSON, CJ 1-16
PASSING:	CMU - MORRIS, Shane 23-39-4-329; POLJAN, Tony 3-4-0-17 Wyoming - ALLEN, Josh 11-19-0-154
RECEIVING:	CMU - WARD, Jonathan 7-109; CONKLIN, Tyler 7-98; CHAPMAN, Mark 5-70 Wyoming - JOHNSON, CJ 3-63; CONWAY, Austin 3-29; SCOTT, Jared 1-23
INTERCEPTIONS:	CMU - NONE Wyoming - WINGARD, Andrew 1-20; WILSON, Logan 1-3; EPPS, Marcus 1-0
FUMBLES:	CMU - MORRIS, Shane 2-2; HALL, Milo 1-0; CONKLIN, Tyler 1-1 Wyoming - NONE
SACKS (UA-A):	CMU - OSTMAN, Joe 2-0; APSEY, Trevor 0-1; DANNA, Mike 0-1 Wyoming - GHAIFAN, Y. 2-0; LOLOHEA, Nela 2-0; GRANDERSON, C. 1-0
TACKLES (UA-A):	CMU - FOUNTAIN, Malike 7-1; OLIVER, Michael 3-5 Wyoming - WILSON, Logan 8-0; GRANDERSON, C. 5-0; GHAIFAN, Y. 2-3



2019 NOVA HOME LOANS ARIZONA BOWL

WYOMING 38, GEORGIA STATE 17

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The Wyoming Cowboys capitalized on turnovers and recorded a season-high 524 yards of total offense in a 38-17 win over Georgia State in the NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl in Arizona Stadium in Tucson. Sophomore running back **Kazavian Valladay** was named the Offensive MVP and senior safety **Alijah Halliburton** earned Defensive MVP honors.

Valladay rushed for 204 yards for his six 100-yard rushing performance this season and second 200-yard game. He also added three receptions for a career-high 91 yards for a season-high 296 yards of all-purpose yardage. Valladay also scored a receiving and a rushing touchdown for the Cowboys. Halliburton added an interception that setup a score and finished the game with 11 tackles.

"First of all, great ballgame," said Wyoming head coach **Craig Bohl**. "Sometimes when you get in games like this it is too bad a team has to lose. But we want to say congratulations to the phenomenal year that Georgia State had. And I think they had a quarterback who was able to go out and do a gutsy performance on a torn ACL, really speaks to their competitive nature."

"It was a great win for us. Also, I want to say thanks, what a great experience for our players and coaches. The NOVA Home Loans Arizona Bowl is a great bowl, and I want to say thanks to the presenting sponsor, NOVA Home Loans."

"That being said, this team that we have this year has been a resilient team. They've played together as a team. A lot of big plays tonight and there have been big plays all year long. This capped off an excellent year. I couldn't be more proud of our seniors and the guys who are also up here on the stage with me."

Freshman quarterback **Levi Williams** threw for a career-high 234 yards in his first career start. He added three touchdown passes for the most in a game since Josh Allen had three in the Famous Idaho Potato Bowl in 2017.

"He (**Levi Williams**) was composed, made a lot of big plays," said Bohl. "He had a couple of things that we wish we could have had back, but for a freshman or for any quarterback I thought he played with great poise and composure. And to say that **Brent Vigen** (Wyoming offensive coordinator) did a great job with him is an understatement. Some people may think it was a bold step, playing a freshman quarterback. It really wasn't, in effect. I thought it was the right move. It was great experience for him and we're glad that he's here."

Senior **Logan Wilson** added seven tackles in his final game for the Brown and Gold. The Wyoming native finished his career with 421 tackles and three-straight 100-tackle seasons.

When asked about what Wilson, a Casper, Wyo. native, has meant to the Wyoming football program, Bohl said, "I think it's a message for all our players. All our players are important, and they come from all different kinds of places. But time and time again, when I first got the job some people and some coaches said that you couldn't win with Wyoming players. I say we can't win without them. I had a chance to visit with Coach (Steve) Harshman (head coach at Casper's Natrona County High School) about that when his son Josh came into our program with Logan (Wilson). Logan has worked really hard to develop his skill set. And I think he's going to continue to play football at the next level. I guess it's a refreshing example for a lot of our youngsters that are in the state of Wyoming that you too can have an opportunity. Maybe you're not going to come in and do the things that Logan's done, but we're always going to look for players within the state. And it's sure been great to have guys that are within the state. I think Logan's really represented the state well."

Wyoming's passing attack featured seven different receivers who had catches on the day. Wyoming also finished the contest 11-of-17 on third-down conversions. The Cowboy defense held Georgia State to only 355 yards of total offense, which was nearly 100 yards below their season average.

Georgia State wasted little time getting on the board going 75-yards on six plays to open the game and took a 7-0 lead on a four-yard run from quarterback Dan Ellington. Ellington rushed for 45 yards on the opening drive to set up the score.

"Anytime you go out and you're playing against an offense, sometimes the speed of the game has an impact," said Bohl. "Georgia State did a couple things with play-action that threw us off a bit, and kudos to them. I thought our players responded well. Coach (Jake) Dickert and the rest of the group did a nice job. And there were a lot of times today where our defense had to come up with some big stops, and they certainly did."

Wyoming got on the board the following drive with a 53-yard field goal by **Cooper Rothe** on the Cowboys' first possession. It was a career long field goal for Rothe. It was also the longest field goal by the Cowboys since a 57-yarder by Billy Vinnege against Air Force in 2007. Rothe's field goal made it a 7-3 game with 9:01 remaining in the opening frame.

The Pokes stormed to the lead with a pair of scores in the closing minutes of the first quarter to take a 17-7 lead. Redshirt freshman **Rome Weber** picked up what looked to be a fumble but was later ruled an incomplete pass

on a fourth-down attempt by Georgia State. That was followed up by Williams finding **Austin Conway** for Williams' first touchdown pass of his career and first touchdown catch of the season for Conway.

Wyoming's second score came less than two minutes later after senior safety Halliburton recorded his second interception of the season and returned it to the GSU 11-yard line. Williams found Valladay on an eight-yard pass for the score for Williams' second touchdown pass of the day.

In the postgame press conference, Halliburton responded to a question about what this win meant to him, his team and his senior class. "This game was really important," said Halliburton. "After this, I don't even know if I'm going to be playing football, so it was really a big game for all -- especially the seniors -- because some of us don't know if we're going to be playing anymore football. To get this 'W' especially for this program, this university, is very important."

The Panthers would add a field goal in the second quarter, and it looked like it would be a one-score game going into halftime, but a roughing the punter penalty against Georgia State would turn into a 51-yard touchdown pass from Williams to **Ayden Eberhardt** to make it a 24-10 game with 32 seconds remaining in the first half, and that would be the score as the half would come to an end.

"It was a big, big play," said Bohl. "He (Eberhardt) just kept on going. That was right before the half. I think there's a lot of plays that were key plays in the game, but that one certainly changed the complexion of the game. He's an excellent runner when he has the football. He's a complete wide receiver and that was a big play for us."

The Cowboys took a 31-10 lead on a one-yard touchdown run from Valladay with 8:12 left in the third quarter. Valladay set up the score for the Brown and Gold with a 63-yard reception, which was the longest of the season for the Cowboys.

Georgia State responded with a score less than a minute later, as Ellington found Corneilus McCoy for a 44-yard strike to make it a 31-17 contest. Wyoming's defense recorded a pair of fourth-down stops against the Georgia State offense after the Panthers reached the red zone twice in the fourth quarter. Williams added a touchdown run for Wyoming with 1:21 remaining in the game to give the Pokes a 38-17 bowl victory.

Wyoming finished the season with an 8-5 overall record tying for the most wins in the **Craig Bohl** Era with the 2016 (8-6) and 2017 (8-5) campaigns. The Cowboys are now 8-8 all-time in bowl games, and have won back-to-back bowl contests, including a win in 2017 in the Famous Idaho Potato Bowl. That marks the first back-to-back bowl victories for the Cowboys since wins in the 2004 Las Vegas Bowl and 2009 New Mexico Bowl.

Asked how important this win was for the Wyoming program, Bohl said, "Nothing spells success like having some success. And I think it sends a message to the younger players, if you work hard, stay focused and believe in the system, believe in what the coaches are telling you, that makes a difference. Also I think some of our captains were talking about how last year at this time we were bowl eligible and didn't get selected and so that was a real point of emphasis this season. It was important for us to finish the year off strong. I think we had some great wins this year but you always remember your last win. And so this was a great, great capstone to our season."



Ayden Eberhardt catches a 51-yard touchdown pass in the Arizona Bowl.

SCORING BY QUARTER

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Georgia State	7	3	7	0	17
Wyoming	17	7	14	0	38

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	12:59	GSU	ELLINGTON, Dan 4 yd run (WRIGHT, Brandon kick)
	09:01	WYO	ROTHER, Cooper 53 yd field goal
	02:12	WYO	CONWAY, Austin 18 yd pass from WILLIAMS, Levi (ROTHER, Cooper kick)
2nd	09:31	GSU	WRIGHT, Brandon 25 yd field goal
	00:32	WYO	EBERHARDT, Ayden 51 yd pass from WILLIAMS, Levi (ROTHER, Cooper kick)
	3rd	08:12	WYO
07:43		GSU	McCOY, C. 44 yd pass from ELLINGTON, Dan (WRIGHT, Brandon kick)
01:21		WYO	WILLIAMS, Levi 6 yd run (ROTHER, Cooper kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	GSU	WYO
FIRST DOWNS	16	24
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	38-199	47-290
PASSING YDS (NET)	156	234
Passes Att-Comp-Int	27-13-1	26-11-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	65-355	73-524
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-4	2-11

Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	2-42
Interception Returns-Yards	1-25	1-23
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-37.2	2-38.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	5-56	1-10
Possession Time	26:09	33:51
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 13	11 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 4	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-4	4-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-11	0-0

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING:	GSU - ELLINGTON, Dan 14-70; BARNETT, Tra 15-64; COATES, Destin 7-59 Wyoming - VALLADAY, Kazavian 26-204; WILLIAMS, Levi 12-83
PASSING:	GSU - ELLINGTON, Dan 13-26-1-156; HARVEY, K. 0-1-0-0 Wyoming - WILLIAMS, Levi 11-26-1-234
RECEIVING:	GSU - McCOY, C. 5-78; CARTER, Roger 3-43; GENTRY, Devin 3-32 Wyoming - VALLADAY, X. 3-91; ISMAIL, JR, R. 3-50; EBERHARDT, A. 1-51; CONWAY, Austin 1-18; CROW, Dontae 1-15; HARSHMAN, Josh 1-5
INTERCEPTIONS:	GSU - WHITE, Quavian 1-25 Wyoming - HALLIBURTON, A. 1-23
FUMBLES:	GSU - WHITE, Quavian 1-0 Wyoming - CONWAY, Austin 1-1; VALLADAY, Kazavian 1-1
SACKS (UA-A):	GSU - STEPHENS, McQueen 1-0 Wyoming - None
TACKLES (UA-A):	GSU - STEPHENS, McQueen 7-3; STONE, Cedric 5-1; CARTER, Keon 5-0 Wyoming - HALLIBURTON, A. 9-2; Wilson, Logan 7-0; BYRD, Solomon 3-2



WYOMING BOWL HISTORY

FOOTBALL LOCKER ROOM



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TEAM ROOM

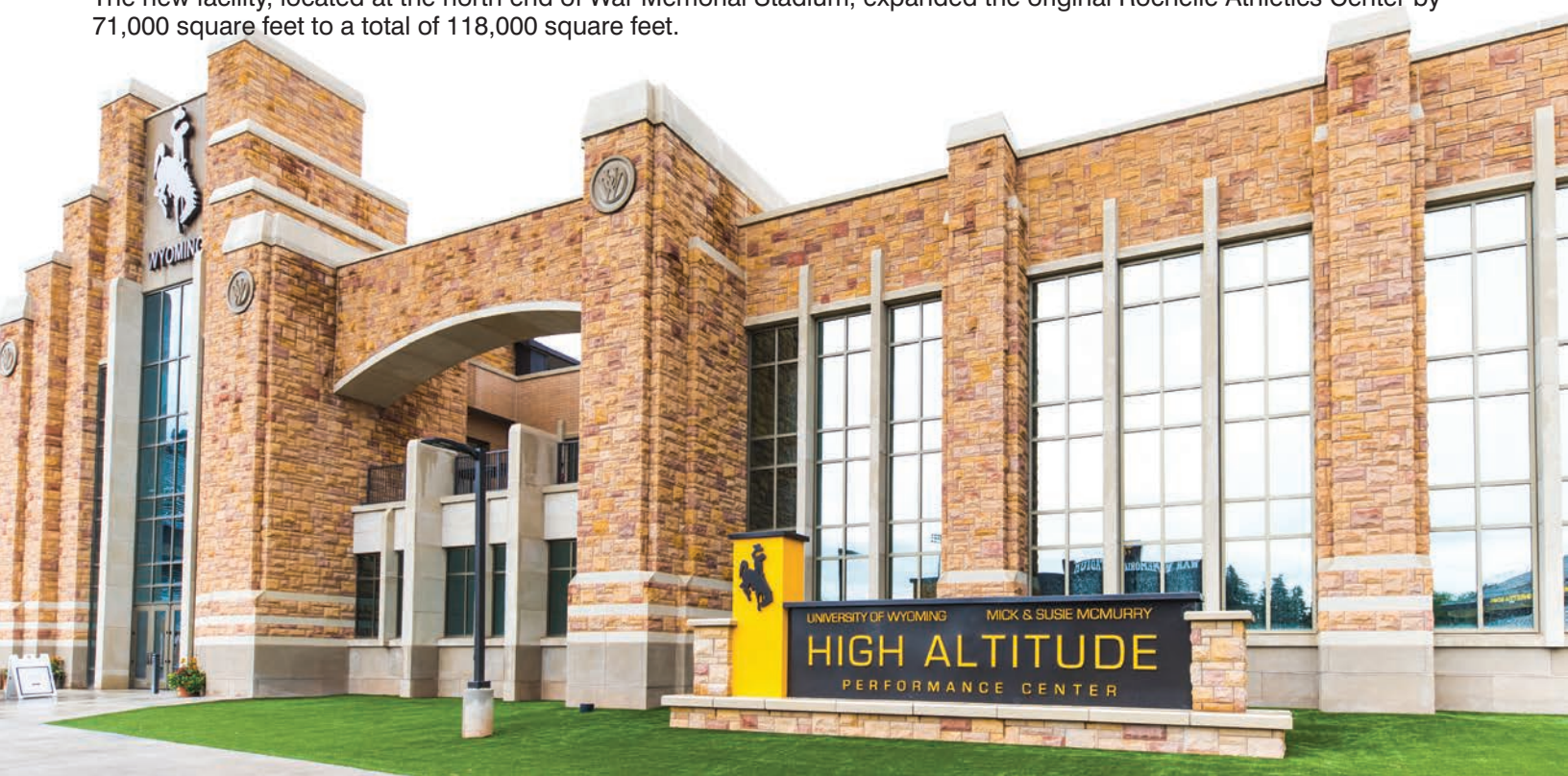


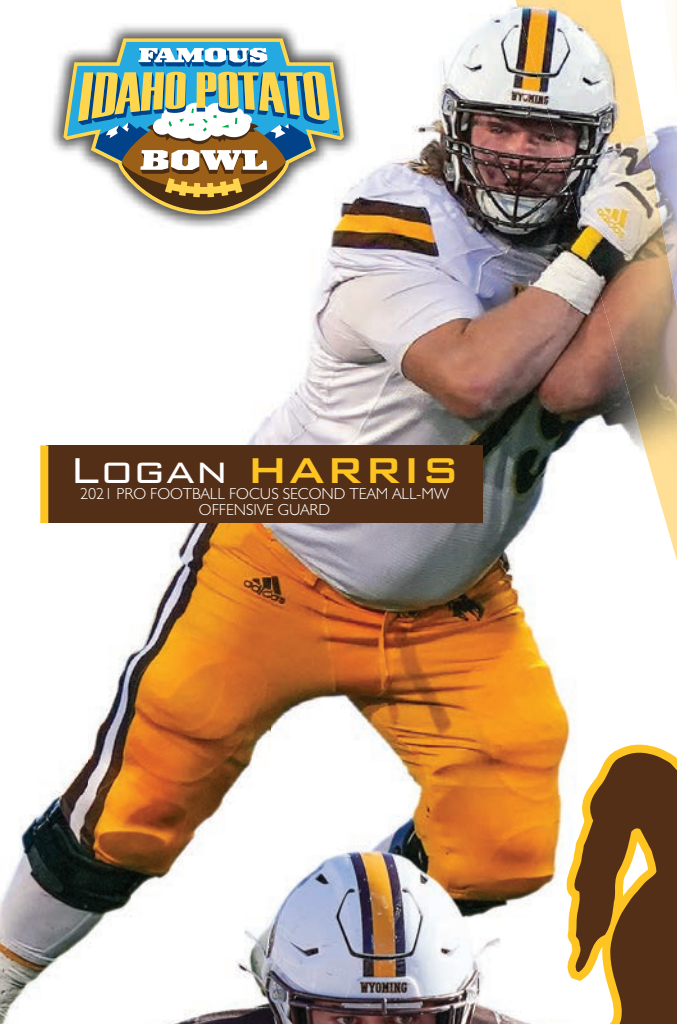
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MICK AND SUSIE MCMURRY HIGH ALTITUDE PERFORMANCE CENTER FEATURED ON COVER OF ATHLETICS ADMINISTRATION MAGAZINE

One of the premier college athletics facilities in the country, the Mick and Susie McMurry High Altitude Performance Center was featured on the cover of the March 2019 issue of Athletics Administration Magazine, the official magazine of the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics.

Wyoming's \$44 million state-of-the-art Mick and Susie McMurry High Altitude Performance Center opened in August 2018. The new facility, located at the north end of War Memorial Stadium, expanded the original Rochelle Athletics Center by 71,000 square feet to a total of 118,000 square feet.





LOGAN HARRIS
2021 PRO FOOTBALL FOCUS SECOND TEAM ALL-MW
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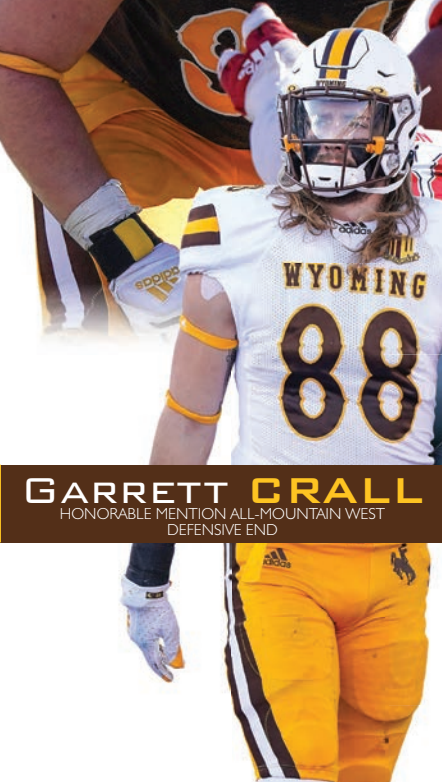
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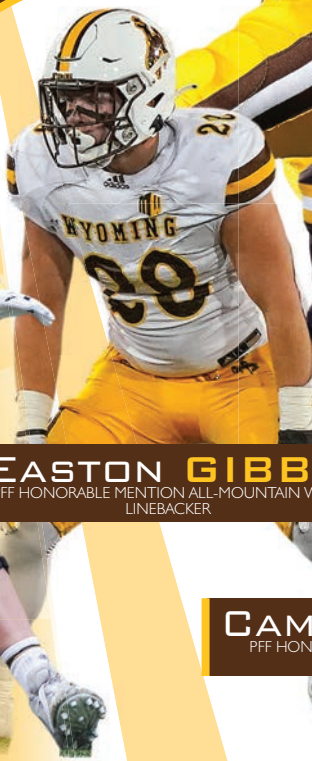
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