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1988 FOOTBALL MEDIA GUIDE

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Demetres Brown

The day of December 16, 1987 was a sad one for The University of Tennessee at Martin football family. On that Wednesday afternoon, Demetres Brown died unexpectedly at his home in Covington.

A 19-year old sophomore, Demetres was a good football player and an outstanding person. He is missed by all associated with the Pacer football program.

The 1988 football season will be dedicated to the memory of Demetres. All Pacer players will have Demetres' jersey number of 80 on their helmets this season.



Media Information

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1988 Pacer Schedule

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Date	Opponent	Site		Time
Sept. 3	Murray State	Murray, Ky.		7:30 p.m.
Sept. 10	Henderson State	Martin		7:00 p.m.
Sept. 17	Valdosta State*	Martin		2:00 p.m.
Sept. 24	Mississippi College*	Clinton, Miss.		7:00 p.m.
Oct. 1	Delta State (HOMECOMING)*	Martin		2:00 p.m.
Oct. 8	North Alabama*	Florence, Ala.		2:00 p.m.
Oct. 15	Samford	Birmingham, Ala.		1:30 p.m.
Oct. 22	Jacksonville State*	Martin		2:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	Troy State*	Troy, Ala.		2:00 p.m.
Nov. 5	Livingston*	Martin		1:00 p.m.
Nov. 12	West Georgia*	Carrollton, Ga.		1:00 p.m.
	▲*Gulf South Conference Game		All T	imes Are Central

Pacer Football

UT Martin Quick Facts

Location: Martin, Tennessee

Enrollment: 5,000

Chancellor: Dr. Margaret N. Perry

Men's Athletic Director (Alma Mater): Ray Mears (Miami, Ohio

1949

Head Football Coach (Alma Mater): Don McLeary (Tennessee,

1970

Sports Information Director (Alma Mater): Lee Wilmot

(Tennessee Tech. 1980)

Nickname: Pacers

School Colors: Royal Blue, Orange, and White

Stadium: Pacer (7,500) Field: H. Kirk Grantham

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About The Cover

Pacer senior defensive back Sidney Carter displayed his artistic talents by painting the cover to this year's media guide. Pictured are 1987 All-GSC players quarterback Leon Reed, offensive lineman Grady Andrews, receiver William Mackall, defensive back Levon Johnson and record-breaking running back John Burch. The number "80" is a tribute to the memory of Demetres Brown.





Pacer Football

Quick Pacer Football Facts:

Staff

Head Football Coach: Don McLeary (Tennessee, 1970)

Assistant Coaches: (Alma mater, responsibilities):

Todd Berry (Tulsa, 1983-offensive coordinator, quarterbacks and wide receivers)

Denver Johnson (Tulsa, 1981-assistant head coach and offensive line)

Larry Shanks (Tennessee-Martin, 1968-defensive coordinator and defensive line)

Jerry Reese (Tennessee-Martin, 1986-defensive backs)

Bruce Scott (Northeastern Oklahoma State, 1984-running backs)

Graduate Assistant Coaches: Donnie Etheridge (Tennessee-Martin, 1987), Carey Craig (Union, 1988)

Student Assistant: Doug Fouty

Trainer: Jim Lyon (Buffalo State)

Equipment Manager: Butch Dowty (Memphis State, 1984)

Statistical, Team Info

Primary Offense: Run and Shoot

Primary Defense: 4-3

Don McLeary's Career Record (Seasons): 18-22 (Four)

Record at UT Martin (Seasons): 8-13 (Two)

1987 Record: 5-6

1987 Gulf South Record: (Finish) 3-5 (Eighth)

1987 Returning Statistical Leaders:

Passing: Leon Reed 174-272-13, 1,791 yards, 10 TD

Receiving: William Mackall 90 catches, 792 yards, 5 TD

Rushing: John Burch 796 yards, 150 attempts, 1 TD

Tackles: Emanuel McNeil 54 solo, 76 assists, 130 total Jerome

Rinehart 34 solo, 22 assists, 56 total

Scoring: William Mackall 42 points, 7 TD (5 receiving, 1

rushing, 1 kickoff return)

Interceptions: Greg Watkins 4, 32 yards

Kickoff Returns: William Mackall 28, 717 yards, 1 TD

Lettermen Returning: 33

1987 Offensive Starters Returning: (5) Grady Andrews-guard; John Burch-running back; Tony Burton-tackle; William Mackall-receiver (h-back); Leon Reed-guarterback

1987 Defensive Starters Returning: *Michael Matthews-line-backer; Emanuel McNeil-tackle; Willie Ng-cornerback; Jerome Rinehart-end; Benny Thompson-cornerback; Greg Watkins-safety; **Levon Johnson-safety

*played tackle in 1987; **Injured, 1988 redshirt

1987 Specialists Returning: (2) Ki Tok Chu-kicker; Joey Elmore-

Lettermen Changing Units: (3)

Lettermen Lost: 16





Coach Don McLeary (center, kneeling) and his football staff for the 1988 season. Kneeling, defensive coordinator and defensive line coach Larry Shanks, assistant head coach and offensive line coach Denver Johnson, Coach McLeary, offensive coordinator, quarterbacks, and receivers coach Todd Berry, and secondary coach Jerry Reese. Standing, equipment manager Butch Dowty, student coach Doug Fouty, running backs coach Bruce Scott, trainer Jim Lyon, and graduate assistant Donnie Etheridge.

Pacer Traditions

Nickname, Mascot

The term "Pacers" was selected as the official school nickname in 1970 symbolizing The University of Tennessee at Martin as a pacesetter institution. The symbol of the pacer horse, a proud and spirited breed, represents the feeling of strength and pride instilled by the University in the students who enroll and graduate with a quality education.

Since the fall of 1981, a pacer horse, "Chuckie" with a driver and sulky, has been present at all home games.

Prior to the 1970 athletic seasons, UT Martin sports teams were the Volunteers.

School Colors, Uniforms

Royal Blue, orange, and white are the school colors for The University of Tennessee at Martin. Orange and white were the school colors until royal blue was added in 1970, the same year the UT Martin nickname became Pacers.

The Pacer football team will wear blue jerseys at home, trimmed with orange and white numerals. On away games, the Pacers wear white jerseys with orange numerals and trimmed with royal blue. The game pants are white with an orange stripe and two blue stripes. This will mark the third season the Pacers will wear white helments with "Pacers" in blue script trimmed with orange. All helments will have the number "80" in memory of teammate Demetres Brown who died last December.

Position Capsules

Defensive Line

Strength of defensive unit. Could be the strongest in the GSC. Has experienced players and solid depth. All-America candidate Emanuel McNeil, leads the unit and is a dominant player in the GSC. End Jerome Rinehart is also very solid and ready for his senior season. Sam Dudley came back from a knee injury and progressed and will play an end this season. Fall camp will find a battle for the other tackle starting slot. Junior Tony Hamilton had a good spring practice and Todd White, a pleasant surprise in his redshirt freshman season, will look to rebound from a spring practice shoulder injury. Senior Richard Farris is a steady veteran at end.

Running Back

John Burch gives the Pacers an all-around threat. Capable of going the distance on any given play. Must stay healthy. Scottie Mitchell is a promising redshirt freshman who worked as a receiver last fall. Austin Thompson is used primarily in short yardage situations. Dwayne Hamlett is a freshman recruit with potential.

Linebacker

Defensive position with least experience. Has players with potential, but unproven. Will be an area of concentration in fall camp. Senior Tim Felter has most experience. James Monds and Michael Matthews will play the middle or "Mike" slot. Matthews a highly-touted lineman makes the switch, but has been plagued by injuries. Juniors Darrin Madison and Tim Bacon have athletic ability at "Willie". Late signee Ron Roberts will play the "Sam" and possibly the "Mike" slot.

Offensive Line

Probably the biggest area of emphasis because of inexperience. The physical quality of players is there, but must adapt to the caliber of GSC play. Two senior starters, GSC all-second team guard Grady Andrews and 1986 second team pick Tony Burton anchor the line. Sophomore Tim Billings has come on at center and Travis Jones has come along at a tackle. Help also expected from redshirt junior college transfer Tim Nickens and three other JC newcomers.

Secondary

Received a big blow with the loss of Levon Johnson in spring game. Also starter Guy Kelley lost due to academics. Junior Benny Thompson has two years starting experience behind him. Seniors Greg Watkins and all-academic GSC Willie Ng are seasoned. Sidney Carter saw action at cornerback and on the special teams. JC transfers David Belford, Roland Delaney, and Darrell Warren will need productive first-year seasons.

Ouarterback

Leon Reed will be the catalyst of the offense. Had record-breaking year despite starting only seven games. A threat both running and passing which gives extra dimension to team. Also a good field leader. Sophomore Mitch Lowery moved into backup role with good spring practice.

Special Teams

Junior Joey Elmore makes the Pacer punting game solid. Question mark still remains on kicking game where job is open heading into fall practice. Big-play threat William Mackall will handle the bulk of the kick return duties and also will return punts for the first time. The kick return will be an area of early work as several players will get a look to help Mackall.

Receivers

William Mackall, coming off a 90-reception season, will again be a main target. Capable of making good things happen anytime he touches ball. Corps is solid with sophomore Kowlaski Bynum, JC transfer Clovis Wright and converted defensive players Mark Guy and Ernest Jackson, who have made the transition. Junior Jeff Morrison and redshirt Anton Duke have made strides and will add to depth. JC speedster Andre Langley missed spring drills and will look for progress early in fall camp.

Tentative Depth Chart

Defense

SLB—Tim Felter, Ron Roberts LE—Sam Dudley, Richard Farris LT—Emanuel McNeil, Todd White

MLB—James Monds, Michael Matthews

RT—Tony Hamilton, Todd White RE—Jerome Rinehart, Louis Palmer

WLB—Darrin Madison, Tim Bacon FC—Roland Delaney, David Belford

SS—Willie Ng, Chris Carrigan

FS—Greg Watkins, Darrell Warren BC—Benny Thompson, Sidney Carter

P—Joey Elmore

Offense

H-B—William Mackall, Todd Pope

LT—Travis Jones, Klark Spencer LG—Grady Andrews, Archie Austin

C—Tim Billings, Tim Nickens, Tom Lawrence

RG—David Boland, Charles Laster

RT—Tony Burton YR—Ernest Jackson, Jeff Morrison

XR—Mark Guy, Anton Duke, Andre Langley

ZR—Clovis Wright, Kowalski Bynum, Angelo
Lamar

QB—Leon Reed, Mitch Lowery, Michael Mantlo

FB—John Burch, Scottie Mitchell, Austin Thompson

PK—Ki Tok Chu, Todd Hinesberger, Randel Higdon

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1988 Outlook

Third-year Pacer head coach Don McLeary is placing high expectations on his team after two years of solid rebuilding work.

The UT Martin football team came up one game short in posting the school's first winning season in 10 years. With the return of top veterans and the arrival of key junior college personnel, the progress of the program promises to continue in 1988.

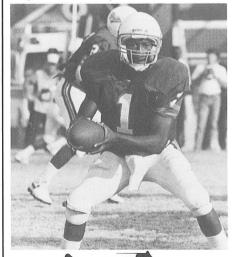
Strong finishes in each of the past two seasons have been a highlight. The 1987 finish saw the Pacers post two comeback wins in the fourth quarter as the team won three of its final four games with the lost a tussle to eventual Gulf South Conference and national champion Troy State.

The experience gained by the returning players, plus the feeling of McLeary that his team now knows how to win are important going into the season.

"We enter the season a much more experienced team than we have been," the Pacer coach said. "We know what to expect of our competition and type of players that we need. Very importantly, however, is that we learned how to win the close games down the stretch of the season."

The Pacers and all of Division II football will be undergoing a change. The scholarship limit has been lowered from 45 to 40 total this fall.

"The scholarship limit makes it tough, especially in terms of developing depth," said McLeary. "I expect the league to be very balanced and the



championship will be decided down the stretch. I also expect a lot of close games in the league this season and knowing how to win will be important.

"I see us competing with any team on our schedule and realistically I could not say that the first two seasons. We must be fortunate to limit our injuries."

The Pacer offensive unit features outstanding players at the skill positions. Quarterback Leon Reed (5-11, 180) became the team's starter in the fifth game of the season and emerged as an impact player. Directing the run and shoot offense, Reed set several school single game and seasonal records and set a GSC record by completing 63 percent of his passes. He ended the season as the GSC leader in both passing (17.4 completions a game) and total offense (210.6 a game).

"Leon is such a threat throwing or running the football," said McLeary of the Senatobia, Miss. senior. "He is a very good field general and gives us an extra dimension and is the catalyst of our offense."

Reed will have an arsenal of other weapons. William Mackall (5-8, 180) shattered the GSC record with 90 receptions good for 710 yards. He is the top returning receiver in all of Division II. Lining up as a motion back, Mackall is a man the Pacers will continue to employ very much. He will show his versatility by returning both kickoffs and punts and will line up as a halfback in short yardage situations.

A solid corps of receivers compli-



ment Mackall. Junior college transfer Clovis Wright, sophomore Kowlaski Bynum, and converted senior defensive players Mark Guy and Ernest Jackson form a solid pack. Another newcomer Andre Langley has the credentials, but must bounce back after an off-season operation. Junior Jeff Morrison will add depth.

Another focal point of the Pacers' offense will be senior running back John Burch (6-1, 200). Burch rushed for 796 yards and caught 47 passes for 407 yards making him the top all-purpose back in the GSC and among the top five in each category. Burch is another player capable of going the distance on any given play. Redshirt freshman Scottie Mitchell and junior Austin Thompson will backup Burch.

One of the tasks this season is to improve the offensive line. The area is one of the biggest areas of concern going into the season because of the overall inexperience.

"We have quality players along the offensive front, but not having Gulf South experience is a concern," said McLeary. "The physical ability is not a concern."

Seniors Grady Andrews (6-1, 250) and Tony Burton (6-2, 295) each have made the GSC second team in their careers. Andrews is a consistent player and Burton is a dominating blocker.

Sophomore Tim Billings (6-1, 240) is a highly regarded prospect at center. Travis Jones (6-4, 265) made tremendous progression. Tim Nickens (6-2,





260) must come back from a knee injury and his healthy presence could be a big boost. Charles Laster (6-3, 250) was slowed by a neck injury in the spring, but should bounce back for a solid senior season. David Boland (5-11, 255) is a versatile player who can swing between guard and tackle. Four junior college transfers who will also be given a long look in pre-season drills.

The Pacers' defense jelled as the season began. The 1988 unit will be anchored by a solid defensive line. Tackle Emanuel McNeil (6-3, 275) made careers. Andrews is a consistent player and Burton is a dominating blocker, the move from end to tackle and the result was the emergence of a dominant defensive player in the GSC. McNeil led the 1987 squad in total tackles despite playing inside.

Opposing offenses will have more than McNeil to worry about up front. Defensive end Jerome Rinehart (6-4, 240) has very good speed and quickness and will be especially effective in the pass rush. (6-3, 255) plagued by a bothersome knee injury early in the season grew stronger and will be a complete player at an end. Two improving players junior Tony Hamilton (6-0, 260) and sophomore Todd White (6-3, 235) each gained experience last season and will battle at a tackle spot. Senior Richard Farris (6-2, 220) is a valuable team member able to rotate between either end spot. Another end Louis Palmer (6-2, 235) will improve





with game play.

"Our defensive line can be the strongest in the GSC," said McLeary. "Big Mac' is outstanding and we have very good players in the area."

The main focus attention for the defensive unit during pre-season practices will be the linebacking corps. Only senior Tim Felter (6-2, 230) has any game experience to speak of in the group.

"We will concentrate on our linebackers," said McLeary. "We have players who we think that can come through, but it is an unproven group."

One of the main points of emphasis will be to find a new leader for the group. Last year's leader Paul Randolph is now giving pro football a shot.

Leadership may come from junior Michael Matthews (5-10, 230) at the middle position. Matthews, a promising defensive lineman, has been plagued by injuries the past two years. He is looking for a healthy season and will make the transition and has the leadership qualities the staff is looking for. Junior James Monds (6-0, 220) holds the starting job going into fall camp.

Felter will play the strongside or "Sam" position. Late junior college signee Ron Roberts (6-1, 235) will also be called upon to produce at "Sam" and possibly the "Mike" position.

The "Willie" position has Darrin Madison (6-5, 220) an all-around player who should progress nicely. Junior Tim Bacon (6-0, 205) enjoyed a good spring





and will contribute as well.

The secondary must regroup from a spring game knee injury that sidelined safety Levon Johnson for the season. The unit returns experienced players, plus junior college transfers set to fit into the picture right away.

Greg Watkins (6-4, 200) and 1987 GSC All-Academic Willie Ng (5-10, 190) have the senior experience at the free safety and strong safety positions.

Junior college transfers Roland Delaney (5-9, 175) and David Belford (5-10, 175) will man the field corner positions. Darrell Warren (6-2, 190) is capable of playing several positions.

Junior Benny Thompson (6-1, 190) is a returning three-year starter at boundary corner. Senior Sidney Carter (6-1, 190) is the backup and one of the team's top special teams' players.

The punting game should be solid with junior Joey Elmore (6-2, 200). Elmore has yet to have a punt blocked and set a school record his freshman year for best average in a season.

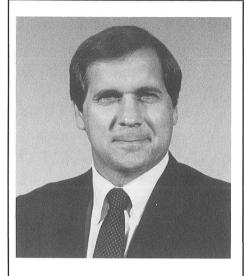
The place kicking job remains a question. Junior Ki Tok Chu (5-9, 155) is being challenged by junior college transfer Todd Hinsberger (5-6, 155). The battle for kicker promises to be interesting in the pre-season.

Along with the eight-game GSC slate, the Pacers will play two Division I-AA opponents in Murray State and Samford and a solid NAIA team in Henderson State from the Arkansas Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.





Coach McLeary



Coach Don McLeary Profile

Coaching Experience:

Head Coach, Tennessee-Martin, Since Jan. 2, 1986

Assistant Coach, Los Angeles Express, 1984-85

Head Coach, Tennessee Academy, 1983 Assistant Coach, Kansas, 1978-83 Head Coach, Ottawa (Kansas) University,

1976-78 Assistant Coach, Morehead State, 1973-76 Assistant Coach, Freshman Team, Tennessee,

Assistant Coach, Memphis White Station High 1971-72

College Education:

1972-73

B.S. Degree, Tennessee, 1970 M.S. Degree, Tennessee, 1972

High School:

Jackson North Side, 1962-66

High School Athletics:

Football, prep All-American, All-Tennessee running back, 1965, State's leading scorer, 1965

College Athletics:

Three-year varsity letterman as tailback on team which was winningest in nation over four-year period. Played in Cotton, Gator, and Sugar Bowls. Tied record for most TD's in Sugar Bowl, 1971. Member of two SEC Championship teams, 1967 and 1969.

Honors:

Herman Hickman Scholarship Award, 1971 Mickey O'Brien Trophy, symbolic of the player who overcame many obstacles, 1970 National Jaycee Outstanding Young Man in America, 1977

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Born, January 2, 1948, Humboldt, Tenn. Married to the former Mary Carolyn Graves, three children: Matt (18), Stacy (16), Holly (13)

Don McLeary, Head Football Coach

Don McLeary is leading the resurgence of The University of Tennessee at Martin's football program. The program has made tremendous strides of advancement under McLeary's guidance.

McLeary will look for continued progress in 1988, his third season as the Pacers' head coach. A commitment to hard work, a strong emphasis on recruiting, plus the intangibles that play an important role in building a successful program is what McLeary has brought to the UT Martin program.

The 40-year old McLeary made the vow immediately upon taking the head coaching duties on the date of his birthday, Jan. 2, 1986, that the Pacers would play an exciting brand of football. With his version of the run 'n shoot offense, 40 school records and 15 Gulf South Conference records have fallen. McLeary followed with a plan to build the offense first in 1986 and then with a revamped defense which emerged on the scene in 1987.

Now, just more than two years later, the Pacers appear to be on the verge of success, seeking a prosperous 1988 campaign.

Don returned "home" to his native West Tennessee to assume the head coaching duties. He was born in Humboldt and went on to star as an All-American high school player at Jackson North Side High. He would also have a very successful collegiate career at The University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

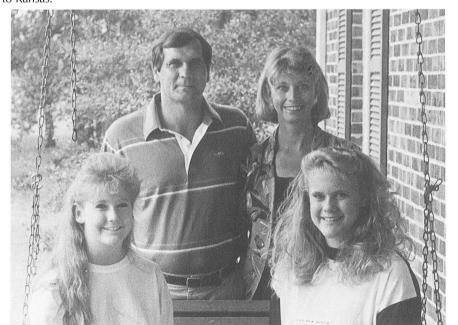
McLeary has devoted his career to the coaching profession. Since his graduation from college, McLeary has worked as a coach at all levels,—high school, collegiate, and professional. He embarked on his career immediately following his graduation from UTK in 1970.

He came to UT Martin from the staff of the Los Angeles Express of the United States Football League. He received high recommendations for the job, including football legends Sid Gillman and Express head coach John Hadl. He served as the Express receivers' coach and coordinator of special teams.

With the Express, McLeary had the opportunity to work with one of the great offensive coaches in football history in Gillman. McLeary has used part of Gillman's influence in establishing the Pacers' record-breaking run 'n shoot offense.

McLeary also served five years on the staff of the University of Kansas, working as the Jayhawks' receivers coach and special teams coordinator. At Kansas, he began his coaching association with former quarterbacking great John Hadl. McLeary was later asked by Hadl to join him in the pro ranks with the Express.

McLeary's previous head coaching experience came at Ottawa (Kansas) University. He brought new life into the Ottawa program, more than doubling the size of the team's number from the time he took the position. His first team posted the school's first winning mark in seven season. His second Ottawa team also had a winning mark and he left the school to move to Kansas.



The McLeary Family: Front, Stacy and Holly. Back, Don and Mary Carolyn. Not pictured is son Matt

He has served as an assistant coach at Morehead State University in Kentucky and UT Knoxville, where he worked with the Volunteers' freshman team. He also has coached at two West Tennessee high schools, White Station in Memphis and Tennessee Academy in Brownsville.

As a prep player for the North Side Indians, McLeary was one of the top prospects ever in Tennessee. He led the state in scoring and was named to a wire service's All-Tennessee team and had his high school career capped off being named to the 1965 Prep All-America team.

After graduating from high school, McLeary went on to an impressive and successful career for the Volunteer football team, playing for Coaches Doug Dickey and Bill Battle. With the Vols he was a member of two Southeastern Conference championship teams teams, in 1967 and 1969. The Vols posted the best record of any collegiate team during the four-year period.

He played tailback and was a part of the offensive backfield along with Curt Watson. He played in the 1969 Cotton Bowl, 1969 Gator Bowl, and the 1971 Sugar Bowl. In his final game as a collegian, McLeary tied the historic Sugar Bowl game's record by scoring two touchdowns in the Vols' 34-13 win over the Air Force Academy.

McLeary was recepient of a pair of prestigious awards while he was a student-athlete at UT Knoxville. In 1970, he received the Mickey O'Brien trophy, presented annually in honor to the senior player who best exemplifies courage and determination in overcoming physical obstacles during his career and makes a valuable contribution to the team. He also was presented the Herman Hickman Scholarship in 1971, presented to a former Vol athlete for post-graduate study.

McLeary has a bachelor's degree in health and a master's degree in educational administration, both earned at UTK.

Don is married to his high school sweetheart, the former Mary Carolyn Graves of Jackson who is a teacher at nearby Dresden Junior High School. They are the parents of three children: Matt 18, Stacy 16, and Holly 13.









Questioning Coach McLeary

Are you pleased with the progress the program has made the last two years and where are you in your rebuilding plans?

There are many facets of a football program to be considered. I think you must build a program on discipline, good work ethics, and character

In this respect, I am pleased with the last two years' progress. We have become more competitive and will continue to improve if we build on these philosophies.

There are many positive signs of progress within the program. This is my main concern.

What kind of expectations do you have about the upcoming season?

I am very optimistic about our prospects for the upcoming season. I always look to a new season with high expectations and with new enthusiasm.

What will be effect of the NCAA decision to limit Division II schools to 40 scholarships as far as UT Martin is concerned?

The decision to limit Division II schools to only 40 scholarships makes it very hard to build a football program. Our competitors in this area

have a big advantage over UT Martin in that they can offer more aid to the high school talent throughout West Tennessee.

They also can redshirt more players and not have to depend on freshmen to play for them. It makes our recruiting extremely difficult when we have to compete against these odds.

Your schedule again promises to be tough with two NCAA Division I-AA opponents and a strong NAIA foe, not to mention the eightgame Gulf South Conference slate. What has been your impression of the GSC in your first two seasons?

The Gulf South has got to be the toughest Division II football conference in America.

The coaches and players in the conference are of the highest quality and that makes for a very competitive league.

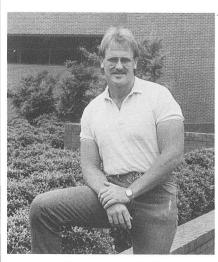
How do you see the 1988 Gulf South Conference race?

The GSC race this fall should be very interesting. I believe that any of the teams could win the conference this year. If a team dominates the conference like Troy did last year, I will be surprised. I think that the team that wins this year will have to win the close ballgames and be lucky and not sustain any injuries to their key personnel.





Assistant Coaches



Denver Iohnson

Assistant Head Coach Offensive Line



Denver Johnson enters his third season as offensive line coach and assistant head coach for Don McLeary. His offensive line has opened the way for the Pacers' record-breaking run 'n shoot offense.

A former collegiate star and professional player, the 29-year old Johnson was the first new staff member named by coach Don McLeary in December, 1985.

Johnson came to UT Martin, making a commitment to the Pacers' rebuilding program after having an opportunity to continue his pro playing career. He worked as a graduate assistant coach at Oklahoma State prior to coming to Martin. Johnson assisted coaching the offensive line and the team played in the annual Gator Bowl Classic.

Before going to Oklahoma State in the summer of 1985, Johnson played professional football. He played the 1985 spring season with the San Antonio Gunslingers of the United States Football League until the franchise experienced financial troubles midway through the

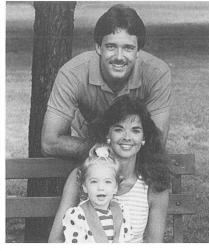
Johnson played the 1983 season with the Los Angeles Express of the USFL where he first met McLeary who was a member of the Express offensive staff. Johnson was traded to the Houston Gamblers during the 1984 season and started the final six games for the Gamblers and their record-breaking run 'n shoot offense.

His professional career began when he was selected by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers as the team's third pick of the 1981 National Football League draft. Selected in the eighth round, Johnson spent a season on the injured reserve list before signing with the USFL.

Johnson earned four letters while playing collegiately for Tulsa, playing three different positions in his career, tight end, guard, and tackle. He was named all-Missouri Valley Conference his junior and senior years at guard and tackle. As a senior, Johnson was an Associated Press second team All-America and United Press International third team All-America as a tackle. He captained Tulsa's first of six straight MVC championship teams in 1980.

Iohnson was also a third team academic All-America selection. He received the university's president award, given annually to Tulsa's top student-athlete and citizen and was one of three winners of the Rex Martin Memorial Trophy, presented to the top athlete from Tulsa Oklahoma, and Oklahoma State.

Denver, who graduated with honors with a degree in business management, worked in the Oklahoma oil fields while he was a player. He enjoys boating and motorcycles in his spare time. He is single.



Todd **Berry**

Offensive Coordinator Quarterbacks, Receivers



Todd Berry begins his third season as offensive coordinator and coach of the quarterbacks and receives.

The Pacers have broken or tied 41 school and 15 Gulf South Conference marks in the first two years of the run 'n shoot offense. Berry, 28, has an outstanding football background.

He was groomed into the sport at an early age. His father, Reuben, enjoyed a long and successful tenure as a coach, including building Northeastern Oklahoma A & M into a perennial national junior power and a stint at the helm of the Saskatchewan Roughriders of the Canadian Football League.

Berry was born in Springfield, Mo., and graduated from high school in Miami (Okla.). At Miami High, Berry was an all-state quarterback. He was the leader in total offense in the state his senior season until he broke an ankle midway through the schedule.

He signed a grant-in-aid to play collegiately at Tulsa. Berry served in a backup role his freshman and sophomore seasons, but suffered a career-ending knee injury. He was still a part of the program as a student assistant coach with Golden Hurricane his final two years.

Along with being on the football team, he was also a member of the university's varsity track team, competing in the 100, 200, and 440yard dashes.

A Dean's List graduate, Berry completed his degree requirements in 1983, earning a bachelor of science degree in marketing.

Following his college graduation, Berry joined Johnny Major's staff at UT Knoxville as a graduate assistant coach. He coached the Volunteers' tight ends and team had a 9-3 record, winning an appearance in the Tangerine Bowl.

In the summer of 1984 Berry coached with his father at Saskatchewan for three months where he was in charge of the defensive backs. He returned to Tulsa in the late summer as a full-time assistant on current Arizona State coach John Cooper's staff. Berry coached the receivers and coordinated the school's recruiting efforts in Arkansas.

After Cooper departed for Arizona State, Berry moved to Oklahoma State as a graduate assistant for the 1985 season. He coached the running backs and quarterbacks for the Cowboy team which made its second consecutive Gator Bowl appearance.

Todd is married to the former Lisa Grimes of Picher, Okla. The couple has one child, Jordan Leigh, who will be two on Oct. 31.



Larry **Shanks**

Defensive Line



Defensive Coordinator

Jerry Reese, a former Pacer standout defensive back, moves into a fulltime position as defensive secondary coach this season.

Jerry

Reese

Defensive

Secondary

Reese was elevated to his new position in June. He served as a student assistant for one year and as a graduate assistant the past two

He completed his playing career in 1984. He gained the reputation of being one of the hardest hitters in the Gulf South Conference, despite playing in the 160-pound range. He is high on the Pacer all-time career list in interceptions with 12 career and still holds several punt return records.

He led the GSC in interceptions as a sophomore in 1982 and earned second-team all-league honors as a sophomore and senior. Reese was GSC Defensive Player of the Week three times during his career. He was named team MVP following his senior season.

The 24-year old Reese came to UT Martin following a standout prep career at Lake County High in his hometown of Tiptonville. He was an all-state selection as both a quarterback and defensive back. The team played for the state championship in three of the seasons and he led the Falcons to the Tennessee Class A state title in 1980, defeating Meigs County 21-7 in the final game. He passed for more than 900 yards and 13 TD's as a quarterback. He also was a starter in basketball and baseball.

He has his bachelor's degree in health and physical education and earned his master's degree in education adminsistration and supervision, completing the requirements in the spring.

lerry is engaged to be married in December to UTM graduate Gwen Moore of Brighton.

Former UT Martin star running back Larry Shanks is the senior member on the Pacer coaching staff, in his seventh season at his alma

Shanks contributions to the football program were honored in February 1986 when he became a fifth-year inductee into the UT Martin Athletic Hall of Fame.

Shanks, 43, answered a call and returned to UT Martin, entering the collegiate coaching ranks in 1982 as defensive coordinator for Coach Fred Pickard. He coached the defensive line for four years, coached the linebackers one year, and returned to the line in 1987.

A highlight in Shank's career came with his induction into the Hall of Fame. One of the top players in UT Martin football history, Shanks was captain of the school's most successful team ever. In 1967, UT Martin claimed the NCAA College Division Championship, defeating West Chester State 25-6 in the Tangerine Bowl in Orlando, Fla., in the school's only post-season appearance.

Playing tailback, Shanks gained 2,005 yards on 474 attempts in his career, leading UTM in rushing his junior and senior seasons. His name remains in the record book in several categories and his 126 points scored is fifth in school history. He also was a starter on defense, earning a regular's role in the secondary as a freshman for Coach Robert Carroll.

Shanks came back to the Pacers following a successful tenure as a high school head coach, establishing winning programs at all of his

He began his head coaching career following graduation from college at nearby Fulton (Ky.) City High School for two years. He later moved to Houston County High School in Erin. He led Houston County's football program to prominence and his 1974 squad was 7-4 and eliminated in the state playoffs by eventual champion Brentwood Academy.

He returned to the area the following year to begin a seven-year tenure at Union City High School. He posted a 42-27-0 record with the Golden Tornadoes, becoming the winningest coach in the school's history.

His 1976 Union City team advanced to the state playoffs, finishing with a 9-2 mark. He earned a position in the Union City Hall of Honor for his work with the program. Shanks overall record was 75-47-0 in the high school ranks.

Shanks also owns a master's degree from UT Martin. The McEwen native took a year off from high school coaching in 1972 to serve as a graduate assistant to Carroll.

Larry is married to the former Lois Ann Stiles of McEwen and Andrews, N.C., who serves as a registered nurse in the intensive care section at a Fulton hospital. They are parents of three sons: Tim, 21, a senior at UTM; Todd, 18, a freshman candidate on the football team; and Troy, 16, a junior at Union City High.







Bruce Scott Running Backs



Bruce Scott moved to fulltime status effective in June as he begins his second year with the Pacer program. He will continue to coach the Pacer running backs.

Scott, 28, came to UT Martin from the staff of Northeastern Oklahoma A & M Junior College. He coached the offensive line for the NEO team which won the national junior college championship team in 1986. He also has been on the staff at Pratt (Kansas) Junior College, where he was line coach and recruiting coordinator. He also worked as a graduate assistant at Kansas State.

He was a starter all four years in college at four different schools. He played at Wichita State, NEO, Tulsa, and Northeastern Oklahoma State. He was a junior college All-America lineman at NEO and concluded his career by being named as an all-conference selection at Northeastern. A native of the suburban Oklahoma City area, he also was a standout as an amateur wrestler.

Bruce holds his bachelor's degree from Northeastern and his associate's degree from NEO. He is the father of a son, Brooks William.

Graduate, Student Coaches

Donnie Etheridge Graduate Assistant

Donnie Etheridge continues his involvement in the Pacer program moving into the role as a graduate assistant coach. He will assist in the

A 1983 graduate of Union City High, he began his playing career under current Pacer defensive coordinator Larry Shanks. A knee injury forced him to miss his senior season.

Etheridge came to UT Martin and worked as a student manager on the football staff three years before becoming a student coach for the past two years. He is a sergeant in the United States Marine Corps

He completed his bachelor's degree in secondary education-social studies last December and will work toward his master's in education administration and supervision.

Donnie is married to the former Valerie Homra. They reside in nearby Fulton, Ky.







Fouty

Craig

Carey Craig Graduate Assistant

Carey Craig joins UT Martin as a graduate assistant. He will work as an aide with the linebackers.

Craig is a May graduate of Union University in Jackson. He was involved in the school's intramural football program for three years and was president of the school's intra-fraternity council.

He is a 1984 graduate of Jackson North Side High. He received his degree from Union in distributive social science.

Doug Fouty Student Assistant

Doug Fouty, 26, will continue as a student assistant coach, working with the Pacers' linebacking corps.

Fouty is completing his degree requirements, joining the program for the spring 1987 practice. He played collegiate football at Big-10 member Wisconsin. A neck injury in the spring practice prior to his junior season prevented him from continuing his playing career.

He was a member of the Badger team which tied for the Big-10 title his sophomore year. He primarily rotated at both the strong and weakside linebacking positions.

Fouty was a standout at Columbia Central High in his hometown of Brooklyn, Mich. He was twice named All-Michigan and was a second team prep All-American as a senior. Doug is majoring in physical education.

Football Staff. Administration



Butch Dowty





Vickie Reynolds



Dr. Ernie **Blythe**



Robert Carroll



Col. Bill Kaler



Lee Wilmot

Wallace "Butch" Dowty **Equipment Manager**

"Butch" Dowty is in his third year as equipment manager for The University of Tennessee at Martin. Dowty joined UT Martin in March, 1986 from the staff of the Memphis Showboats of the United States Football League.

As equipment manager, Dowty is responsible for overseeing the purchase of all equipment by the men's athletic department and supervising student managers with the Pacer football program. He also handles the general upkeep of Pacer Stadium.

A two-year member of the Showboats' staff, he served as assistant equipment manager. He is a 1984 graduate of Memphis State, earning a bachelor of science degree in physical education.

Dowty is a native of Ripley, graduating from Ripley High in 1974. He also attended Dyersburg State, earning an associate degree in criminal justice. Butch is married to the former Pam Sutton of Ripley.

Jim Lyon Trainer

In his sixth-year as a member of The University of Tennessee at Martin athletics staff, Jim Lyon is a certified athletics trainer. Lyon's responsibilities include the treatment and prevention of injuries for all Pacer athletes. He is also responsible for supervising a staff of student athletic trainers.

Prior to joining the Pacers, Lyon served as head football trainer and assistant athletic trainer at Bufflao (N.Y.) State College. He was a graduate assistant trainer at Livingston (Ala.) University in the Gulf South Conference during the 1981-82 school year. He also served as staff trainer of the Blue-Gray All Star Football Classic in 1981 and as head trainer for the Tonawanda Cougars Semi-Pro Football Club in 1980.

Jim and his wife, Patty, also of Buffalo, N.Y. have two sons, Alex (5) and Daniel James (4) and a daughter, Heidi, born in February.

Vickie Reynolds Football Secretary

Vickie Reynolds begins her second year as Pacer football secretary. She handles daily details and other office matters as assigned by Pacer Coach Don

A resident of Martin for most of her life, Vickie has been employed at the University since 1981. She worked in the office of admissions before transferring to the football office last summer.

Vickie and her husband, Jamie, have a three-year-old daughter, Christie. They reside in Martin.

Faculty Representative Dr. Ernie Blythe

Dr. Ernie Blythe, a 19-year professor of geology at The University of Tennessee at Martin. serves as chairman of UT Martin Athletics Board and has been a faculty representative to he hoard since 1979

He has served as chairman of the Faculty Representatives Committee of the Gulf South Conference and is a member of The University of Tennessee Board of Trustees' Athletics

Graduating from Tennessee Tech in 1954 with a bachelor degree in industrial management, Dr. Blythe received his master degree in geology from UT Knoxville in 1967 and a doctorate in geology from UTK in 1974.

A native of Old Hickory, Dr. Blythe graduated from Dupont High School, He is married to the former Evelyn Bell of Nashville and they are the parents of two sons, Lane and Roger.

Pacer Club Director Robert Carroll

Robert Carroll, winningest coach in UT Martin history, serves as Director of the Pacer Club, a non-profit organization to provide UT Martin athletic teams with financial assistance. He is also assistant vice-chancellor of alumni affairs and director of alumni affairs for the state-wide UT system.

The Pacer Club has played a major role in the growth of UT Martin's athletic program under Carroll's leadership. Annual givings to the University through the Pacer Club have reached more than \$100,000 annually

Carroll coached UT Martin to 85 victories and four ties in 18 years from 1957 to 1974. His 1967 team compiled a record of 10-1 and defeated West Chester State in the Tangerine Bowl 25-6, the Pacers' only bowl appearance.

Carroll was assistant athletics director from 1974 to 1979 before moving into his present

Inducted into UT Martin's Hall of Fame in 1983, he is married to the former Kay Pritchett of Dresden. They have three children; Steve, Cliff and Kayla

Academic Coordinator Col. Bill Kaler

Col. Bill Kaler serves as academic coordinator for The University of Tennessee at Martin's athletics program. In his seventh year, he is the academic liaison between the athletes and the University's faculty, in which he organizes a series of study tables, individual conferences, and other modes of academic enrichment programs. He also serves as an athletic consultant

As academic coordinator, Kaler monitors academic performances so that athletes at UT Martin give priority attention to classroom achievement and that academic integrity of the athletics program is maintained.

A native of Bardwell, Kentucky, Kaler served four years as a professor of military science at UT Martin, concluding a 27-year career as a military officer. Holding degrees from Murray and Troy State, he is married to the former Shirley Wright of Union City. They have one son, Billy and two daughters, Tamara and Amy.

Sports Information Director Lee Wilmot

Lee Wilmot is completing his fifth year as UT Martin sports information director. As SID, he is responsible for UTM's sports information program through the Office of University Relations for men's and women's intercollegiate athletics programs. The duties include press releases, publications, media host, event operations, and other areas.

He joined UT Martin from the Carthage Courier where he was managing editor. He was also sports editor during his three years with the newspaper

Wilmot was raised in Sheffield, Ala., and Murphy, N.C. and graduated from Murphy High in 1976. He received his bachelor's degree from Tennessee Tech where he was assistant SID and also worked for two newspapers.

Sports information publications have received two firsts, two seconds, and one fifth place award in national contests sponsored by the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) the past three years.





1988 Pacer Football Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Hometown (High School/Junior College)
65	Grady Andrews	OL	6-0	250	Sr.	Dickson (Dickson Co.)
58	Archie Austin	OL	6-2	255	Jr.	Winters, Tex. (Ranger JC)
47	Tim Bacon	LB	6-0	205	Jr.	Paducah, Ky. (Tilghman)
8	David Belford	DB	5-10	175	Jr.	Avondale, Ariz. (Glendale CC)
56	Tim Billings	OL	6-1	250	So.	Memphis (East)
66	David Boland	OL	5-11	255	Sr.	Jacksonville, Fla. (Terry Parker)
15	Wayne Brantley	QB	6-0	190	Fr.	Jackson (South Side)
44	John Burch	RB	5-11	200	Sr.	St. Augustine, Fla.
79	Tony Burton	OL	6-2	295	Sr.	Richmond, Va. (Highland Springs)
20	Kowalski Bynum	WR	5-9	165	So.	Humboldt
27	Chris Carrigan	DB	6-2	185	Fr.	Raleigh, N.C. (Mentor, Ohio)
35	Sidney Carter	DB	6-1	190	Sr.	Concord (Panama City Rutherford)
11	Ki Tok Chu	K	5-8	155	Jr.	Nashville (Glencliff)
30	Roland Delaney	DB	5-10	175	Jr.	Akron, Ohio (Ariz. Western JC)
72	Sam Dudley	DL	6-3	255	Sr.	Daytona Beach, Fla. (Cisco, Tex. JC)
87	Anton Duke	WR	5-8	150	Fr.	Collierville
22	Joey Elmore	Р	6-2	200	Jr.	Humboldt
89	Richard Farris	DL ,	6-2	220	Sr.	Columbia (Columbia Academy)
55	Tim Felter	LB	6-2	230	Sr.	Tiffin, Ohio (Waldorf, Iowa JC)
4	Mark Guy	WR	5-9	160	Sr.	Olive Branch, Miss.
75	Tony Hamilton	DL	6-0	260	Jr.	Paducah, Ky. (Tilghman)
43	Dwayne Hamlett	RB	5-11	185	Fr.	St. Augustine, Fla.
85	Randel Higdon	K	5-8	140	Fr.	Bruceton (Bruceton Central)
83	Todd Hinsberger	K	5-6	155	Jr.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Glendale CC)
7	Ernest Jackson	WR	5-8	175	Sr.	Jackson (Central-Merry)
70	Travis Jones	OL	6-4	265	Sr.	Henderson (Chester Co.)
84	Angelo Lamar	WR	5-10	165	Fr.	Memphis (Westwood)
64	Perry Lane	OL	6-5	230	Fr.	Ripley
2	Andre Langley	WR	5-6	155	Jr.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Phoenix CC)
5 <i>7</i>	Charles Laster	OL	6-3	250	Sr.	Burns (Dickson Co.)
51	Tom Lawrence	OL	6-2	270	Jr.	Slidell, La. (Copiah-Lincoln Miss. JC)
13	Mitch Lowery	QB	6-0	185	So.	Jackson (North Side)
14	William Mackall	WR	5-8	180	Sr.	Panama City, Fla. (Rutherford)
99	Darrin Madison	LB	6-4	220	Jr.	Gardena, Cal. (El Camino JC)

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12	Michael Mantlo	QB	5-9	170	Fr.	Greenbrier
50	Michael Matthews	LB	5-10	230	Jr.	Covington
92	Emanuel McNeil	DL	6-3	275	Sr.	Highland Springs, Va.
42	Scottie Mitchell	RB	6-0	190	Fr.	. Bells (Crockett Co.)
59	James Monds	LB	6-0	220	Sr.	Ft. Pierce, Fla. (Ariz. Western JC)
26	Jeff Morrison	WR	5-8	170	Jr.	Martin (Westview)
60	Tim Nickens	OL	6-2	260	Jr.	Charleston, Miss. (NW Miss. JC)
25	Willie Ng	DB	5-10	190	Sr.	Picher, Okla. (NE Okla. A & M JC)
91	Louis Palmer	DL	6-2	235	Jr.	Detroit, Mich. (Grand Rapids JC)
5	Todd Pope	WR	5-6	155	So.	Memphis (Christian Brothers)
52	Mike Randle	OL	6-3	240	Jr.	Wichita, Kan. (Coffeyville JC)
1	Leon Reed	QB	5-11	180	Sr.	Senatobia, Miss. (NW Miss. JC)
90	Jerome Rinehart	DL	6-4	240	Sr.	Norristown, Pa. (Ariz. Western JC)
46	Ron Roberts	LB	6-1	235	Jr.	Visalia, Cal. (Coll. of Sequoias JC)
62	Klark Spencer	OL	6-2	260	Jr.	Willis, Tex. (Ranger JC)
34	Austin Thompson	RB	5-10	195	Jr.	Ripley
31	Benny Thompson	DB	6-1	190	Jr.	Somerville, N.J.
40	Darrell Warren	DB	6-2	190	Jr.	Pomona, Cal. (Phoenix JC)
32	Greg Watkins	DB	6-4	200	Sr.	Cincinnati, Ohio (Illinois Valley JC)
74	Todd White	DL	6-3	235	So.	Ripley
21	Clovis Wright	WR	6-0	180	Jr.	Meridian, Miss. (East Miss. JC)
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	4	Mark Guy	WR	35	Sidney Carter	DB	66	David Boland	OL
	5	Todd Pope	WR	40	Darrell Warren	DB	70	Travis Jones	OL
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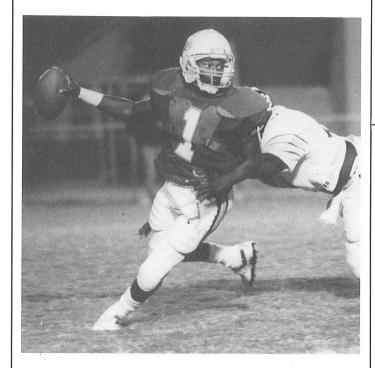


1 Leon Reed

QB, 5-11, 180, Sr. Senatobia, Miss.

Leon is the catalyst of the Pacer offense. Became starter in season's fourth game and still established several season records. A threat both throwing and running the ball with a strong arm and good quickness. Quickly gained the notice of GSC opposition. Has outstanding leadership qualities to go along with superb athletic skills. UTM: Earned All-GSC second team honors in first season. Threw for school record 359 yards in first start against Mississippi College. Completed 63.7 percent (174-273) for new GSC mark. Passed for 1,791 yards and had 2,106 yards total offense—both new school marks. Had 59-yard TD run in first half at Valdosta State. JC: Came to Pacers from successful Northwest Mississippi JC prorgram in hometown of Senatobia. Earned first team All-Mississippi junior college honors as a sophomore, leading Coach Bobby Franklin's team to 10-2-1 record. Played in North-South JC All-Star game. High School: Conference MVP quarterback at Senatobia High. Also a three-year basketball letterman and ran high hurdles in track. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Rates winning the game at Livingston in final seconds as highlight last season. Favorite movie is Fatal Attraction. Son of Lucille Jackson. Born 1-22-67.

Passing 1987	Att 273	Comp 174	Int 13	Pct 63.7	Yds 1 <i>7</i> 91	TD 10	Lg 64
Rushing 1987	Att 122	Yds 315	Avg 2.6	TD 4	Lg 59		
Total Off. 1987	Att 395	YdR 315	YdP 1 <i>7</i> 91	Total 2106	Yds/G 210.6	Yds/P 5.3	





2 Andre Langley

WR, 5-6, 155, Jr. Phoenix, Ariz.

Andre is a receiver who brings glowing credentials to UTM. Has blazing speed, timed in the 4.4 range in 40. Was on campus in spring, but unable to participate because of a hernia operation. His progress will be key for receiving corps. Should be 100 percent for fall. **JC:** Earned all-confernce, named Arizona Junior College player of the year, and first team junior college All-American. Caught 59 passes for 1,277 and 13 touchdowns in banner 1987 season. Team won conference and Arizona junior college championship. **High School:** St. Mary's High team won Arizona AAA state championship in 1985. Most Valuable offensive player and received school citizenship award. **Personal:** Major is undecided. Enjoys pop music. Son of Mrs. Andre Langley. Born 2-28-67.



4 Mark Guy

WR, 5-9, 160, Sr. Olive Branch, Miss.

Mark made the switch from cornerback to wide receiver in the spring for his final season. Will be in contention for a starting job in what promises to be solid unit. Speed will enable him to be breakaway possibility. UTM: Runnerup for CSC freshman of the year in 1983. Did not attend school in 1985 and returned for '87 season after meeting academic eligibility requirements. Started in his first game as a freshman. Also valuable on special teams as kick blocker. Has returned both punts and kickoffs in his career. His 30 tackles were 13th on team. High School: All-Metro Memphis, All-Chickasaw Conference, and team MVP in senior season. Team was three-time conference champs. Once scored five TD's, gained 295 yards in 17 rushes vs. Memphis Woodale. Personal: Majoring in communications, with goal to work in public relations. Rates blocking a punt and returning it 12 yards in win against Lane in 1983 as a career highlight. Has a total of 19 brothers and sisters. Enjoys jazz. Son of the late William H. Guy and Magnolia Wisman. Born 1-28-64.

Defense 1984 1987 Career	Solo 29 20 49	Asst 28 10 38	Total 57 30 87	Pbu 7 2 9	
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5 Todd Pope

WR, 5-6, 155, So. Memphis

Todd is a promising young receiver. Saw limited action last season as a backup and kick returner. Another one of the receivers with good speed and quickness. Made switch to receiver after playing tailback in high school. **UTM:** Had two catches totaling nine yards in first collegiate season. Returned six kickoffs for 100 yards. Had long return of 20 yards against eventual national champion Troy State. **High School:** Two-year All-Memphis pick and honorable mention all-state AAA pick at Christian Brothers High. Team advanced to state semi-final senior season. Scored five TD's and rushed for 284 yards in CBC's 35-28 win over taditional state power Germantown. Also ran the short races on track team. **Personal:** Majoring in accounting and hopes to own retail business chain. Favorite movies are Vision Quest and Rocky I. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Major Payne. Born 5-14-69.



7 Ernest Jackson

WR, 5-8, 175, Sr. Jackson, Tenn.

Ernest is a converted defensive back making the change to offense for his final season. Returns to the team after sitting out last season for academic reasons. Made great progress in spring. Displays running ability once he catches the ball. UTM: Was a starter most of his three seasons in the secondary. Holds a GSC-tying four interceptions in Pacers' 48-25 win over Livingston in 1985 and named GSC player of the week for that effort. Had an 86-yard interception return for TD as a freshman. Will see plenty of action and be in the fight for a starting job this fall. High School: Former prep standout at Central-Merry High as a quarterback and free safety. All-West Tennessee and all-district. Anchored track relay teams. Personal: "Action" is majoring in criminal justice. Favorite athlete is Tony Dorsett. Son of Mrs. Stella Jackson. Born 5-20-65.



12 Michael Mantlo

QB, 5-9, 170, Fr. Greenbrier, Tenn.

Michael is a walk-on candidate at quarterback. Has made steady improvement since joining team. UTM: Saw action in spring's Blue-Orange game. Listed third on depth chart going into fall. Learned a great deal working with scout team last season. High School: All-district performer at Greenbrier High. High school highlight came when he threw three TD's fourth quarter against Trousdale County, including one for 50 yards with seven seconds remaining. Played in secondary on defense. Twice all-district in baseball. Personal: Majoring in business management. Active in Church of Christ student center. Brother Tommy, played baseball at Freed-Hardeman. Son of Bill and Joyce Mantlo. Born 2-8-68.



8 David Belford

DB, 5-10, 175, Jr. Avondale, Ariz.

David is a junior college transfer recruited to step in and boost secondary. Will be in a battle for field corner position. Has good speed and reacts well to ball. **JC:** Played last season at Glendale Community College. Also attended Central Arizona College. **Personal:** Majoring in criminal justice. Brothers Johnny (22) and Billy (20) also played football at Glendale. Favorite actor is Clint Eastwood and athlete is Hershel Walker. Son of Robert and Annie Belford. Born 2-7-66.



13 Mitch Lowery

QB, 6-0, 180, So. Jackson, Tenn.

Mitch put together a good spring practice climaxed by an outstanding performance in the Blue-Orange game. Ready to step in for first collegiate action in backup role behind Leon Reed. Has worked to make strides of improvement. UTM: Completed 14 of 17 passes for 220 yards and three TD's in spring game. Redshirted his first season in 1986 and has worked his way to second team on depth chart for 1988. High School: Former prep standout at Jackson North Side High for Bud Sikes. Team MVP his senior year and North Side's athlete of the year, the high school alma mater of Coach Don McLeary. All-district pick. Also three-year letterman in baseball. Personal: Mitch is majoring in pre-optometry. Has two younger brothers. Enjoys hunting and fishing. Son of Ron and Sandra Lowery. Born 3-31-68.



11 Ki Tok Chu

PK, 5-8, 155, Jr. Nashville

Ki Tok will look to bounce back this season after an off-sophomore campaign. Will be in the battle for the kicking job when fall camp opens. Has strong leg, but must come through with consistency. UTM: Had strong showing his freshman season, earning second-team all-GSC honors. Connected on consecutive 52-yarders late his freshman season, including 3 of 7 from 40 yards or more. Made his first five of seven in '87, but then had slump of 11 straight misses before making 29-yarder late in the game in win over West Georgia. High School: One of the top kickers in the state his senior season coming our of Glencliff High. First team AAA Associated Press as a junior and second team as a senior. All-District four years. Holder of Tennessee High school record 58-yard field goal. Personal: Majoring in business management. Born in Seoul, South Korea, moving to the U.S. in 1980. Has been a Dean's List student. Rates beating Southeast Missouri as a Pacer highlight. Son of Yong-Suk Henton. Born 10-19-66.

They Changed Numbers...

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Mark Guy	1 <i>7</i>	4
Todd Pope	24	5
Austin Thompson	42	34
Levon Johnson*	30	3

*1988 Redshirt



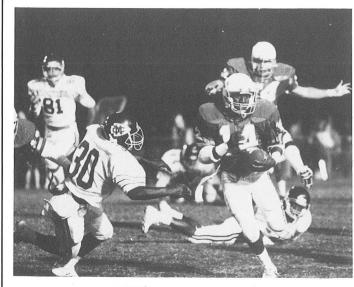


14 William Mackall

WR, 5-8, 180, Sr. Panama City, Fla.

William's importance to the Pacers probably cannot be over emphasized. The nation's returning pass receiver in all of Division II football. Team will try to use his ablility as much as it can. "The Machine" will again return kickoffs and also return punts for the first time this fall. Capable of scoring anytime he gets the ball with his speed, moves, and hard-running in traffic. UTM: Had 90 catches, shattering the GSC reception record for a season by 26. His 16 catches at Delta State were also a new conference game mark. His 792 yards also led the conferece. His career receptions total (158) is already the school record by 54. Trails the all-time reception yardage list by 325 yards starting the season. His 96-yard opening kicking return at Southeast Missouri got the Pacers off to a fast start. GSC Player of the Week for his 14-catch, 175-yard performance in 27-26 comeback win over Livingston. Had 64-yard TD catch and run against Mississippi College. Lines as a h-back or motion back in the run 'n shoot alignment. Played tailback as a freshman and plays at halfback now in short yardage situations. High School: Signed with UTM from Rutherford High. Team MVP and All-Bay County. Had a career-high 245 yards rushing. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Desires to work as a juvenile counselor once his playing days are complete. Rates the All-GSC selection, 1987 pre-season All-America choice, and the SEMO kickoff return as UTM thrills. Favorite actor is Bill Cosby. Son of Lucille Black. Born 5-26-67.

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1985	5	21	4.2	0	9
1986	63	655	10.4	4	36
1987	90	792	8.8	5	64
Career	158	1468	9.2	9	64
Rushing	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1985	75	237	3.2	2	18
1986	23	103	4.5	6	32
1987	10	76	7.2	1	50
Career	108	416	3.8	9	50
Kickoff Ret.	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1985	8	132	16.5	0	32
1986	6	153	25.5	0	56
1987	28	717	25.6	1	96
Career	42	1002	23.8	1	96
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20 Kowalski Bynum

WR, 5-9, 165, So. Humboldt, Tenn.

Kowalski finished his redhsirt freshman season on a very strong note. Counted on as one of the top young players in the receiving corps. Another one of the pass catchers with good speed and a former running back who knows how to run in traffic. UTM: Will see extensive playing and be in a battle for starting slot. Caught a 35-yard scoring pass for what proved to be the winning points in win over West Georgia in season's finale. Had a career-long 53-yard catch in crucial comeback situation in win over Livingston the previous week. Saw more playing time as season progressed. Sidelined by an injury his true freshman season of 1986. High School: Signed with the Pacers following standout career at Humboldt High. Played tailback earning All-State AA honors and Jackson Sun All-West Tennessee. Rushed for 315 yards and five TD's in game with Lexington. Army Reserves player of the year in 1985. MVP in final game in Union City Civitan Bowl. Also three-year all-state in track as a sprinter and anchor. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Uncle, Tony Champion, i former Pacer now starring with Hamilton of the CFL. Won Voice of Democracy while in high school. Son of Nell Lovelady. Born 1-18-68.

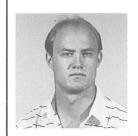
Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1987	11	156	14.2	1	53



21 Clovis Wright

WR, 6-0, 180, Jr. Meridian, Miss.

Clovis is an incoming player from the junior college ranks. Solid in every respect as a player. A good downfield blocker. Experience will help him step in and make contributions to the program right away. Junior College: Signed with the Pacers out of East Mississippi Junior College in Scooba. Named to the All-Mississippi Junior College All-State team as a sophomore. Had 30 receptions for 459 yards and three TD's. High School: Played his prep sports at Southeast Lauderdale. All-conference, All-Lauderdale county, and team MVP in senior year of 1985. Scored winning TD in district title game. Also played basketball and ran track. Personal: Majoring in business management. Performed national anthem before spring game and enjoys singing gospel music. Received high school's minority award, Glenn Hand Memorial Award, and "Best of the Class" honors as a senior. Third youngest of 12 children. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Wright Sr. Born 12-14-68.



22 Joey Elmore

P, 6-2, 200, Jr. Humboldt, Tenn.

Joey begins his junior year ready to emerge as a top punter in the GSC. Has yet to have a punt blocked in 120 collegiate kicks. Was successful nailing the ball deep in opponent's territory several times. Punting game should continue to be solid for two more years: UTM: Broke season school record with average of 40.2 his freshman season. Had '87 long punt of 54 yards at Delta State and career long of 60 against SEMO as a freshman. Good height on kicks allowed team to cover punts well as opponents averaged just over five yards a return. Has all-around athletic abilities and could also play in the defensive backfield. High School: All-West Tennessee punter three years and tight end two years. Co-MVP as a senior. Returned punt 70 yards to win homecoming game with less than a minute. Alternate in Kentucky-Tennessee high school all-star game. Two-time district MVP in baseball Personal: Majoring in biology. Rates win at North Alabama as a freshman a career highlight. Favorite athletes are Walter Payton and Steve Cox. Son of Linda Elmore. Born 2-26-58.

Punting	No	Yds	Avg	Lg
1986	56	2249	40.2	60
1987	64	2418	37.8	54
Career	120	4667	38.9	60



25 Willie Ng

DB, 5-10, 190, Sr. Picher, Okla.

Willie has the experience and knowledge and will be key in the secondary. Aggressive player comes from highly successful programs and will look to go out a winner with the Pacers in final collegiate season. Will be counted on to provide leadership from his strong safety slot. UTM: Earned All-Academic GSC honors seeing extensive action last fall as a reserve and starter. Earned the annual H.K. Grantham award. Plays on all special teams and calls signals on punt coverage team. Junior College: Starter on the 1986 Junior College National Champion at Northeastern Oklahoma A & M. High School: Led Picher-Cardin High team to Oklahoma state title in 1984. Played quarterback and defensive back. Earned all-conference, all-county, and honorable mention all-state. Along with state title, returning an interception 101 yards for TD was prep highlight. Also starred in baseball and played basketball. Personal: Majoring in secondary education, he is an honor student. Married to the former Cary Mitchell. Wants to teach and coach at the high school level. Son of Willie Sr., and June Ng. Born 4-14-67.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	F/R	Pbr
1987	14	10	24	0	1





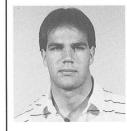


26 Jeff Morrison

WR, 5-8, 170, Jr. Martin, Tenn.

Jeff is a team player who has worked and progressed greatly. Will be in line for more playing time this fall. Had one catch last season, but had two others disallowed because of penalities. High School: Local product who signed with UTM following successful prep career at Westview High. All-West-Tennessee Conference running back and defensive back as senior and wide receiver junior season. Team MVP, rushing for 970 yards amd 12 TD's. Rushed for 216 yards, TD's and three two halfback option passes for TD's against Dyer Co. senior year. Westview twice won West-Tenn. title. All-district baseball player. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Has a younger brother and sister. Favorite actor is Mel Gibson and actress Justine Bateman. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Morrison. Born 7-2-67.

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1987	1	11	11.0	0	11



27 Chris Carrigan

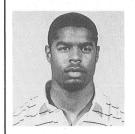
DB, 6-2, 185, Jr. Mentor, Ohio

Chris is walk-on player and participated in spring practice. Not new to area, attended Jackson North Side High for a period. Brings good high school stats. **High School:** Concluded career at Mentor High in suburban Cleveland. All-conference and all-Lake County. Most valuable defensive back, grabbing five interceptions senior season. **Personal:** Majoring in criminal justice. Honor roll student. Favorite athlete is Jack Tatum. Son of Robert and Judy Carrigan. Born 2-21-67.





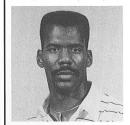
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30 Roland Delaney

DB, 5-10, 175, Jr. Akron, Ohio

Roland has junior college experience for the Pacer secondary. Has good size for cornerback. Type of player capable of playing more than one secondary position. Will begin fall practice in battle at field corner. Helped by participation in spring practice. **Junior College:** Played at Arizona Western JC. Had 24 solo and 24 assists in 1987. Added one interception and recovered two fumbles. Named most improved defensive back. **High School:** Played as a receiver and defensive back at Akron North High. Played in Ohio All-Star game. Also returned punts, including one for 73-yard TD. **Personal:** Majoring in criminal justice. Father, Ronald, is a former professional boxer. Youngest of four boys and a girl. Favorite movie is Uptown Saturday Night. Nicknamed "Deelce." Son of Ronald and Betty Delaney. Born 10-14-66.



31 Benny Thompson

DB, 6-1, 190, Jr. Somerville, N.J.

Benny is a seasoned performer set to begin his third season as a starter. Has gained maturity in his play and his consistency will be important at a cornerback spot. **UTM:** Career started off in a very big way in 1986, blocking a punt, recovering it for a TD and having two pass interceptions in 57-11 win over Lane. Had three interceptions sophomore season. One interception set up TD in win over Austin Peay and another stopped SEMO threat the following week. Ranked ninth on team in total tackles. **High School:** Member of New Jersey Division II state title team at Somerville High. Twice All-New Jersey and team captain. **Personal:** Majoring in criminal justice. Member of Foot Frat Fraternity. Enjoys working with children. Son of Benjamin L. Thompson Sr. and Cora E. Thompson. Born 1-9-68.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	Int/Yds	Pbu
1986	30	16	46	5/39	5
1987	28	19	47	3/0	2
Career	58	35	93	8/39	7





32 Greg Watkins

DB, 6-4, 200, Sr. Cincinnati, Ohio

Greg will be looked upon to provide needed leadership from his free safety position, especially with the loss of Levon Johnson. Has very good size and athletic ability, two major assets for the position. UTM: Started most of the season last year. Tied for the team leadership with four interceptions, grabbing three thru the first four games. Finished 11th on squad with 36 total tackles. Had interception in first game as a Pacer against Murray State, returning it 14 yards. Recovered a pair of fumbles and brokeup four passes. JC: Transferred to UTM from Illinois Valley Junior College. Named first team All-Illinois JC. Had a 75-yard TD punt return to highlight sophomore season. Pre-season All-America pick. High School: All-Cincinnati, all-conference, and honorable mention All-Ohio for Forest Oak High. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Plays basketball in spare time. Favorite movie is Fatal Attraction. Son of Wilma E. Watkins. Born 7-3-66.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	Int/Yds	Pbu
1987	17	19	36	4/32	4





34 Austin Thompson

RB, 5-10, 195, Jr. Ripley, Tenn.

Austin specializes in the Pacers' short yardage game as a fullback and blocker. Has good strength which helps inside running ability. Has also worked to improve quickness. UTM: Will seek more playing time this season. Action in first two season's primarily in short distance game. Had two carries last season after 21 as a freshman. Highlight of career came when he scored winning TD in Pacers' 7-3 win over unbeaten North Alabama freshman season, giving team first GSC win in two seasons. Also blocked a punt freshman season at nationally-ranked Troy State which was recovered for a TD. High School: Named the Jackson Sun's West Tennessee Player of the Year in 1985. Started in Tennessee-Kentucky summer all-star game and to the Tennessee Super 24 prospect list. Also named Associated Press AAA All-State. Team won two district titles and advanced to state quarterfinals senior season. Personal: Majoring in business management. Outstanding boxer in Golden Gloves, winning national title in his division in 1983. Desires to be a mortician. Son of Vernerdean Thompson and the late Austin Thompson, Sr. Born 3-27-68.

Rushing	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1986	21	103	4.9	2	17
1987	2	8	4.0	0	4
Career	23	111	4.8	2	17



35 Sidney Carter

DB, 6-1, 190, Sr. Concord, Tenn.

Sidney is one of the all-around athletes on the team. Gained experience in primarily a backup role last season. Started one game. One of the leaders of the Pacers' special teams with his aggressive play. Usually one of the first men downfield to make the tackle. Will again play cornerback in secondary. UTM: Had 15 solo among his 23 total tackles, many coming on kickoff coverage. Enters fall practice as a contender for a starting job and will continue to be a main part of the special teams. High School: Attended Rutherford High in Panama City, Fla. Was a starter at running back as a senior ahead of current Pacer star William Mackall, then a sophomore. All-conference play at Rutherford. Personal: Majoring in commercial art. A very gifted artist who has won numerous awards. Designed and painted the cover to this year's Pacer media guide. Has done other artwork around campus. Wants to pursue profession following graduation. Also attended Morgan St and Carson-Newman. Brother, Hunter, played for UTM in the early 1970's and played a season with Jacksonville of the World Football League. Has residence in Concord, in East Tennessee. Son of Mr. Lembrick Carter and Ms. Eva M. Carter. Born 6-23-64.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	FR	T/Los
1987	15	8	23	0	0-0



40 Darrell Warren

DB, 6-2, 190, Jr. Pomona, Cal.

Darrell is a junior college transfer with an impressive background. Counted on to make solid contributions right away. Gives the Pacers another player in the secondary with good speed and size. Had interception in Blue-Orange spring game. JC: Played the past two seasons for Phoenix (Ariz.). Had eight interceptions in each of his two seasons and 15 total pass breakups. Two-time all-conference selection and honorable mention All-America. Selected MVP of Valley of Sun Bowl as freshman. High School: Three sport-athlete at Casa Granda High. Played wide receiver along with DB. Personal: Majoring in communications. Grew up in same area as favorite athlete Marcus Allen and coached by same youth league coaches. Enjoys motor cross and surfing. Son of Leon and Autry Warren. Born 11-16-68.



42 Scottie Mitchell

RB, 6-0, 190, Fr. Bells, Tenn.

Scottie is set for his first collegiate action. Worked at a wide receiver during redshirt season. Switched to his high school position of running back for spring. Made good progress and is a back with much potential. **High School:** Signed with UTM following career at Crockett County High in Alamo. Earned All-West Tennessee honors. Played in the secondary and returned kicks, inlcuding one for 99 yards. Excelled in baseball and played on basketball team. **Personal:** Major is undecided. Turned down pro baseball offer last summer with Pittsburgh Pirates to play for the Pacers. Member of Foot Frat. Son of Charles and Charlotte Clayton. Born 3-7-69.

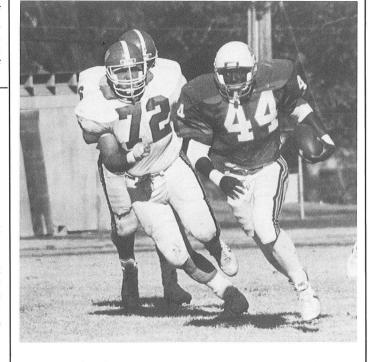


44 John Burch

RB, 5-11, 200, Sr. St. Augustine, Fla.

John is a focal point of the Pacer offense. Dangerous both as a receiver and runner. One of the top multi-purpose backs around. Has sprinter's speed, good strength and size, and soft hands. Must keep healthy this season. UTM: Electrified crowd with school and GSC record-breaking 98-yard TD run against Austin Peay to seal game in fourth quarter. Named GSC offensive player of the week for that game and again for effort in season finale over West Georgia. Totaled 197 yards rushing and added eight catches for 136 yards. The rushing yardage the most by a Pacer in many years. Nearing 1,500-yard mark in rushing and has 689 receiving yards. Could be the second player in GSC history to surpass the 1,000-yard mark in both rushing and receiving. Has four 100-yard rushes in career. High School: All-county, twice most valuable back at St Augustine High. Capped off high school career with 166-yards on 11 carries and four TD's. MVP on track team. Posted a 9.54 time in 100-yard and 21.24 in 220-yard dashes. Personal: Majoring in communications. Nickname "44 Blast". Engaged to be married to Cerita Jackson of St. Augustine. Favorite athlete is Walter Payton. Son of Mrs. Delorse Washington and Mr. John Alexander Burch, Sr. Born 1-4-66.

Rushing	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1985	25	126	5.0	1	41
1986	101	530	5.2	5	60
1987	150	796	5.3	1	98
Career	276	1452	5.2	7	98
Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1985	4	7	1.8	0	3
1986	32	280	8.8	2	58
1987	47	402	8.6	4	38
Career	83	689	8.3	6	58
Kickoff Ret.	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1986	2	40	20.0	0	29
1987	4	71	17.7	0	36
Career	6	111	18.5	0	36









47 Tim Bacon

LB, 6-0, 205, Jr. Paducah, Ky.

Tim was slowed by a knee injury during the spring before his sophomore season. Came along in spring drills and shows promise at a weakside linebacker. Has gained maturity which will be a plus. UTM: Saw a lot of game action as a freshman. Played linebacker and also was on special teams. Will battle for more playing time once fall camp opens in August. Has good all-around athletic ability and has improved technique. High School: Climaxed career by helping former UTM quarterback Allan Cox's Paducah Tilghman team to the Kentucky state title in 1985. Selected All-Kentucky junior and senior seasons. Played tight end on offense. MVP of 1984 Purchase Bowl. Played basketball and was in field events in track. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Rates winning state title as a top athletic highlight. Son of Marva Bell. Born 7-15-67.



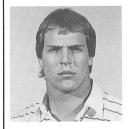


50 Michael Matthews

LB, 5-11, 230, Jr. Covington, Tenn.

Michael "Mike" was moved to linebacker to help shore up the corps. Aggressive player with outstanding leadership qualities who should help area. Has been slowed by injuries in each of his first three years with the program. Has played inside at tackle. One of team's strongest players. UTM: Forced to miss spring drills following shoulder surgery. Hampered through the 1987 campaign by hamstring problems. That came on the heels of a 1986 season in which he had a knee injury early in the third game and was awarded a hardship redshirt year. Early fall camp will be important as he learns the position. High School: An Associated Press Class AAA All-State pick at Covington High. Two-time All-District 13AAA pick and earned 13AAA MVP honors his senior season. Played linebacker and fullback. Threw shot and discus in track. Personal: Majoring in business management. 1987-88 President of Football Frat. Driving force in starting the Demetres Brown Memorial Scholarship fund. Has a twin brother, Mitchell. Son of Marva Matthews. Born 4-6-67.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	T/Lo
1985	11	4	15	1/2
1986	9	3	12	1/1
1987	17	12	29	3/14
Career	37	19	56	5/16



55 Tim Felter

LB, 6-2, 230, Jr. Tiffin, Ohio

Tim is the most experienced of any linebacker from last year's team. Started and also was a top reserve. Has good size and is especially effective against the run. Will begin fall camp first on depth chart at "SAM" linebacker. UTM: One of the new junior college arrivals last season. Had 25 solo stops among his 46 total tackles. Had lone interception in win over Austin Peay. Also had quarterback sack on a blitz. Tackles were 10th highest on team. Also came up with three fumble recoveries, including one in comeback win at Jacksonville State. JC: Selected first team All-lowa Junior College his sophomore season at Waldorf which went 7-3. High School: An All-Ohio selection by both wire services for Calvertt High. Named most valauble defensive back and offensive lineman. Personal: Majoring in criminology. Plans to join the military following graduation. Brother, Andrew, played at Air Force. Member of Foot Frat. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Felter. Born 1-12-67.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	Fr	T/Los	Int
1987	25	21	46	3	1-17	1





56 Tim Billings

OL, 6-1, 250, So. Memphis

Tim has worked hard and developed and the center position should be in good shape this fall. A walk-on who has earned a scholarship. **UTM:** Saw limited action last fall as a redshirt freshman. A pleasant surprise of spring practice. Staff believes he can be an outstanding player. **High School:** Three-year all-district performer at Memphis East High. Also awarded school's best offensive lineman three straight years. Played center and defensive tackle, winning four letters. East was sub-state runnerup in '83, Memphis City champs the following year, and district titlests in his senior year of '85. Rates triple overtime against MUS in second round of playoffs as highlight. Also three-year letterman in track. **Personal:** Majoring in business. Rates comeback win at Livingston as Pacer thrill. Favorite athlete is Bill Fralic. Son of James D. Billings and Betty Billings. Born 11-4-67.



57 Charles Laster

OL, 6-3, 250, Sr. Burns, Tenn.

Charles will be in battle for playing time along the offense front. Spent most of last season making adjustment after playing defense his first three years with the program, including a redshirt freshman season. **UTM:** Was having a very good spring until suffering a neck injury. Counted on to make solid contributions along the line in '88. Will play a tackle spot. **High School:** Product of Dickson County High program. All-district pick and All-Middle Tennessee selection. Team advanced through regular season unbeaten twice only to lose in regional title game. **Personal:** Majoring in psychology. Enjoys all sports. Favorite actor is Clint Eastwood. Son of Charles and Lois Laster. Born 2-8-66.



60 Tim Nickens

OL, 6-2, 260, Jr. Charleston, Miss.

Tim will be looking for a healthy season. Missed last season with a knee surgery and all of spring drills due to rehabilitation. Had knee injury in '87 spring game. His presence could be a big boost to the line this season. Capable of playing center or guard. Features great upper body strength. JC: Twice named All-Mississippi Junior college cneter. Named all-regional JC center his sophomore year. Snapped two years for current Pacer QB Leon Reed. Played in 1986 Mississippi Junior College center. Named all-regional JC center his sophomore time North Central All-Conference two seasons and MVP as a senior at Strider Academy. Team was '84 Class A champs. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Enjoys all John Wayne movies. Son of Abbie Smith. Born 5-10-65.



58 Archie Austin

OL, 6-2, 255, Jr. Winters, Tex.

Archie is a junior college transfer brought in to boost the offensive line. Strong player who spent spring practice adjusting to new offense. Will continue learning process once fall camp opens. JC: Helped lead way for conference's top offense last fall at Ranger (Tex.). Team was conference runnerup in 1986 and played in Ranger Bowl that season. High School: All-West Texas defensive tackle senior season an all-district for both offense and defense senior season at Winters High. Threw shot and discus in track. Personal: Majoring in secondary education. Dean's List student. Member of Ranger's National Honor Society and Phi Theta Kappa honors fraternity. Admired Bob Lilly as an athlete. Son of Archie and Barbara Austin. Born 8-15-68.



62 Klark Spencer

OL, 6-2, 260, Jr. Willis, Tex

Klark is another junior college transfer brought in to add immediate help to the interior line. Spent spring practice learning Pacer offense. Also helped by off-season weight program. **JC:** Teammate of Archie Austin at Ranger (Tex.) and part of school's conference leading offense. Team finished second in league and played in Ranger Bowl in 1986. **High School:** Played offensive and defensive tackle at Deer Park High. Team advanced to state playoffs in 1984. **Personal:** Majoring in chemistry. Father, Kenneth, was an athlete at Southern Louisiana. Favorite athletes are Randy White and Keith Van Horne. Son of Kenneth and Ruby Spencer. Born 10-11-67.

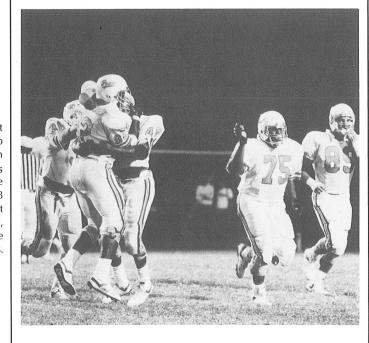


59 James Monds

LB, 6-0, 220, Sr. Ft. Pierce, Fla.

James will be one of the players who needs to step in and have a good season at linebacker. Saw action last season in a reserve role. Must assume leadership qualities from his "Mike" linebacker slot. UTM: Enters fall practice first on depth chart. Made 13 solo and had eight assists. Played mostly at "Sam" as a junior. JC: All-Arizona Junior college selection at Arizona Western, despite he was hobbled by an ankle injury his sophomore year. Had 118 tackles and 18 sacks. High School: Named all-conference linebacker three seasons at Westwood High. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Brother, Wonderful, Jr., was All-American at Nebraska and played with the 49ers and Ontario of the CFL. Member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity. Enjoys all music. Son of Mr. and Mrs. (Burnice S.) Wonderful Monds Sr. Born 5-11-66.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	T/Los	Fr
1987	8	13	21	0/0	0



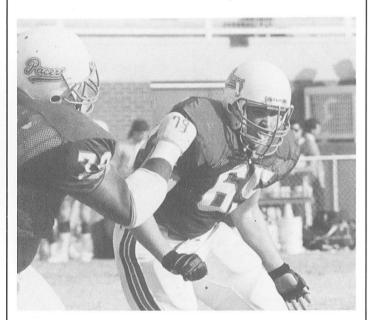




65 Grady Andrews

OL, 6-0, 250, Sr. Dickson

Grady has worked his way to being regarded as one of the top offensive lineman in the league. Consistent performer and great technician and greatly respected by teammates. Earned a starting job quickly after being switched from defense to offense in 1986. Will play a guard slot. UTM: Earned second-team All-GSC honors as a junior. All-Academic All-GSC and winner of H.K. Grantham award. Beneficiary of the Pacers' strong weight program. Started as a freshman along the defensive line. High School: One of the top prospects in the state out of Dickson County High. All-district, all-mid-state, and Associated Press all-state. Also named to the state's super 24. Played in the 1985 Kentucky-Tennessee All-Star game prior to coming to UTM. Personal: Majoring in secondary education-math. Dean's List student. Wants to teach math following graduation. Brother Cecil (24) played football at Middle Tennessee. Favorite music is southern rock. Son of Mr. and Mrs. George G. Andrews. Born 5-16-67.





66 David Boland

OL, 5-11, 255, Sr. Jacksonville, Fla.

David worked hard during the off-season and gives an indication he is ready for a good senior season. Capable of playing either guard or tackle. Unselfish and has a good understanding of the game. **UTM:** Has played a swing role for the Pacers. Will be in the hunt to claim a starting job this fall. His ability, however, to play more than one position is valuable. **High School:** All-conference, team captain, and second team All-Jacksonville player at Terry Parker High. Caught in baseball. **Personal:** Majoring in physical education. Wants to become a coach. Rates beating Southeast Missouri last fall as top Pacer highlight. Favorite movie is Caddyshack. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Boland. Born 8-26-66.



70 Travis Jones

OL, 6-4, 265, Sr. Henderson, Tenn.

Travis came on strong last season and earned the right to move into the lineup. Progress continued during spring. Promises to be solid at one of the tackle slots this fall. **UTM:** Improvement of technical skills last season allowed him to move into playing time. Opens fall pratice at the left tackle position. **High School:** Most valuable offensive lineman and team co-captain for John Hooper at Chester County High. All-district and second team Jackson Sun All-West Tennessee. Team won Trenton Elks Bowl. **Personal:** Majoring in business management. Rates beating Jacksonville State in a comeback last fall as a Pacer highlight. Favorite athlete is Reggie White. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Rory Jones. Born 7-8-66.



72 Sam Dudley

DL, 6-3, 255, Sr. Daytona Beach, Fla.

Gilbert "Sam" came back stronger each week from a troublesome knee injury. First action came in second game and became an immediate impact. His healthy presence is important for the Pacers. Has all-around athletic ability. UTM: Had knee surgery to repair damaged knee upon arriving on campus. Progress was slowed, but signs showed he could be headed toward outstanding season. Will be especially effective is the pass rush. Had a fumble recovery and two deflected passes. JC: All-conference and first team JC All-American for Cisco (Tex.). High School: Former prep All-America at Seabreeze High. All-state forward in basketball. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Enjoys cleaning cars as a hobby. Son of Gilbert Dudley Jr. and Carolyne Dudley. Born 12-8-63.







74 Todd White

DL, 6-3, 235, So. Ripley, Tenn.

Todd was a pleasant surprise last season. Worked himself into playing time and was awarded with a pair of starts in the final two games of the season. Must come back from a shoulder injury from spring drills. **UTM:** Was a redshirt freshman who steadily kept progressing. Will be in battle for a starting job this season at one of the tackle spots. Can look forward to three more productive seasons. Had quarterback sack for 10-yard loss in West Georgia game. **High School:** All-district, All-Tennessee, AP All-State and member of Tennessee's Super 24 as a senior at Ripley High. Led team in tackles as a lineman. Team posted best season ever, going 12-1. Also caught seven TD passes as tight end. **Personal:** Majoring in criminal justice. Sister Kelly Ann also attended UTM. Enjoys golf and tennis. Favorite movie is Stripes. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott White Jr. Born 6-26-68.



75 Tony Hamilton

DL, 6-0, 260, Jr. Paducah, Ky.

Tony had a strong off-season program and spring practice. Young, enthusiastic player with a lot of potential. Spring practice gave sign he could be ready for a big season. **UTM:** Started first game at age 17 for the Pacers. Played mainly in '87 in a backup role. Came out of spring drills first on depth chart at left tackle. Had eight solo among his 28 tackles. Also deflected a pass and had a fumble recovery. **High School:** Product of strong Tilghman High program. First team all-conference and All-Kentucky in 1985 as Blue Tornado won state title. Also threw shot and discus in track. **Personal:** Majoring in criminal justice. Member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity. Admired Joe Greene as an athlete. Son of Bobbie Hamilton. Born 9-6-68.

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 1987
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79 Tony Burton

OL, 6-2, 295, Sr. Richmond, Va.

Tony is a three-year starter and is the most experienced of any Pacer lineman. Leadership and play will be important this fall. Plays with a lot of enthusiasm, and emotion. Has very good feet to go along with his size. A dominating blocker who is highly regarded by pro scouts. **UTM:** Named second team All-GSC during sophomore season of 1986. Became a starter early in his freshman season and has started every game since. Adjusted quickly and well to the run 'n shoot offense. **High School:** Anchored the offensive line for Highland Springs High district titlest team of '84. Earned team's most spirited and captain's award, and all-district. Also played defensive guard. **Personal:** Majoring in business administration/data systems. "T-Bird" is involved in several campus activities, including being a residence hall senator and involved with Special Olympics. Favorite pro athlete is his brother, Ron (24) who plays for the NFL's Dallas Cowboys and is in his second year. Son of Mary and Lewis Burton Jr. Born 12-2-66.



83 Todd Hinsberger

K, 5-6, 155, Jr. Phoenix, Ariz.

Todd is in a battle for the Pacers' place kicking job. Participated in spring drills. Has shown consistency. **JC:** Was sixth in nation in scoring for kickers last fall at Glendale Community College. Scored 56 points. Had long field goals of 54, 51, 49, and 47 yards. Honorable mention All-Western States Conference. **Personal:** Majoring in exercise physiology. Dean's List student. Wants career in sports medicine. Son of Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Hinsberger. Born 6-8-66.



84 Angelo Lamar

WR, 5-10, 165, Fr. Memphis

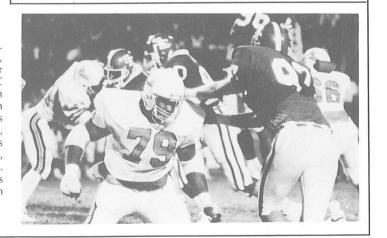
Angelo is a walk-on. Will add depth to the "Z" receiver position. Participated in spring drills. **High School:** Two-year letterman at Westwood High. Team won district title senior season. Played receiver, free safety and on special teams. **Personal:** Majoring in electrical engineering. Wants career in navy. Admired Drew Pearson as an athlete. Son of Larry H. Lamar and Fannie B. Lamar. Born 1-26-69



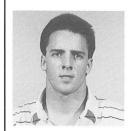
85 Randel Higdon

K, 5-8, 140, Fr. Bruceton, Tenn.

Randel is a walk-on seeking duty as a kicker. Showed promise in the spring and could see some action in the future. **High School:** Named to the Jackson Sun's All-West Tennessee team as a kicker. Also played wide receiver and safety for Central team which annually makes trip to state playoffs. Earned most valauable offensive player for team. Scored six TD's made four field goals and had eight interceptions. **Personal:** Major is undeclared. Graduated in Central's Top 10 as an honor student. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Higdon. Born 4-15-69.



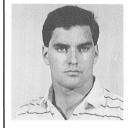




87 Anton Duke

WR, 5-8, 150, Fr. Collierville, Tenn.

Anton is a walk-on and his progress may enable him to see some playing time this fall. Was a squad member last season. Has worked hard and is dedicated to being a part of the team. **High School:** Played wingback and defensive back at Collierville High. Received best defensive back award and Memphis Chapter Football Hall of Fame award. **Personal:** An outstanding student, he has a perfect 4.0 G.P.A. after two years college work. Has yet to declare a major. Salutatorian of Collierville '87 class. Involved in University Scholar's program and active in Baptist Student Union. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary J. Duke. Born 10-5-68.



89 Richard Farris

DL, 6-2, 220, Sr. Columbia, Tenn.

Richard has been a valuable team player in his first three years with the program. Experience and his ability to adapt allows him to play both end positions. Will be a steady influence this season. UTM: Played tight end as a freshman before being moved to defense. Started five games as a sophomore and saw action in a backup role in '87. Also valuable on special teams. Snapped for all placements last season and could handle punt snaps this fall. One of the youngest seniors on team, turned 21 in August. High School: Two-year all-midstate, three-year all-district, and honorable mention all-state for Columbia Academy. Played tight end and linebacker. Twice won all-district in basketball. Won school's DAR citizenship award. Personal: Majoring in economics-finance. Married to the former Rhonda Jackson of Greenfield, a member of last year's Homecoming court. Wants to go into banking profession following graduation. Favorite food is ribs. Son of Clyde and Sara Farris. Born 8-8-67.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	TFL	PBR
1987	2	4	6	0/0	0
1986	6	20	20	5/21	1





90 Jerome Rinehart

DL, 6-4, 240, Sr. Norristown, Pa.

Jerome is a player with excellent all-around athletic attributes. Two particular outstanding qualities are his speed and quickness which help him especially in pass rushing. Could be among the GSC's best at his spot. UTM: Started last season and his presence helped strengthen defense. Sixth on team with 56 total tackles, including six for losses. Will play the weakside after rotating between both end spots as a junior. JC: Named to the Grid-Wire All-Ameircan team his sophomore year at Arizona Western College. Also named to the All-Arizona Junior College defensive team. Orginally signed by Arizona out of high school: Personal: Majoring in criminal justice with political science minor. Owns associates of arts degree from Arizona Western. Brother Jeff played for Arizona and is a free agent with Dallas while another brother, Greg, plays at Florida State. Enjoys reading and movies. Son of Mr. Samuel Rinehart. Born 6-6-65.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	Fr	T/Los	Pbu
1987	34	22	56	0	6-39	4





91 Louis Palmer

DL, 6-2, 235, Jr. Detroit, Mich.

Louis has demonstrated ability in practice, but is untested in game play for the Pacers. A player who should get better with playing time. A redshirt with the Pacers last season. Will begin the season in a backup role at weakside end. JC: Transferred from Grand Rapids (Mich.) JC. High School: First team All-Metro Detroit and second team All-Michigan at Chadsey High. Team played in city playoffs his junior season. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Married, wife's name is Georgia. Brother, Jeff 20, played on Michigan State's Rose Bowl team this past season. Enjoys watching and following all sports. Son of Dorothy and Johnny Frambro. Born 1-11-65.

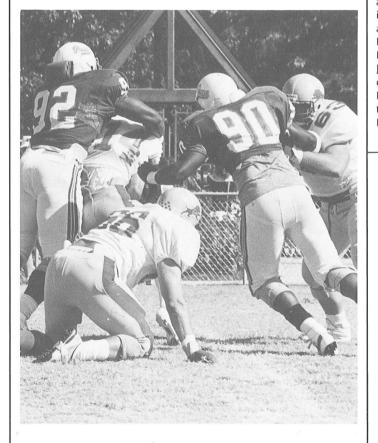


92 Emanuel McNeil

DL, 6-3, 275, Sr. Highland Springs, Va.

Emanuel "Big Mac" turned into a dominating player his junior season. Changed from defensive end to tackle and made a super adjustment, finding a home at the position. Emerged as one of the top defensive players in the GSC and will be in contention for more post-season honors this season. Already has caught the eve of numerous professional scouts. Solid in all aspects of his play. UTM: Became a starter during his freshman season and sophomore year after coming back from a knee problem. Quickly became a force junior season. Had 20 total tackles and was named GSC Defensive player of the week for his play in the Pacers' 30-10 win over Division I-AA Austin Peay. Had a team-high 12 assisted tackles against Mississippi College. Unusual for a down lineman, but he led the team with 130 total tackles and had a team-leading 10 tackles for losses. One of three down linemen from across the league to be selected All-GSC last season. High School: Highly-regarded athlete out of Highland Springs High. All-Richmond, all-district and played for East in Virginia High School All-Star game. Team won district title senior year. Also played basketball, baseball and was on track team. **Personal:** Majoring in criminal justice. Has made the Dean's List. Favorite athlete is Lawrence Taylor and food is pizza. Son of Mr. and Mrs. David K. Jones. Born 6-9-67.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	T/Los	F
1985	17	19	36	3/12	(
1986	44	42	86	19/63	2
1987	54	76	130	10/88	1
Career	115	137	252	32/163	3





99 Darrin Madison

LB, 6-5, 220, Jr. Gardena, Cal.

Darrin is a prized recruit added to help the linebacking corps. Came on strong in spring practice. Possesses good range and speed. Along with his athletic skills, he is a "great-effort player" who plays very hard and works to learn. Will play a weakside linebacker. JC: One of the nation's most-highly rated players last season at El Camino (Cal.) JC. Team was JC national champio. Played tight end his first season at ECJC, catching 27 passes and had TD's. As an outside linebacker, had 117 tackles including seven quarterback sacks his sophomore year. High School: All-Ocean league as a tight end, defensive lineman, and punter for North Torrance High in surburban Los Angeles. Also excelled in basketball, earning All-Ocean League honors. Personal: Majoring in communications. Enjoys keeping his skills in basketball. Son of Allen McCarty and Shirley McCarty. Born 9-13-67.



Levon Johnson

DB, 6-2, 215, Senior Columbus, Ohio

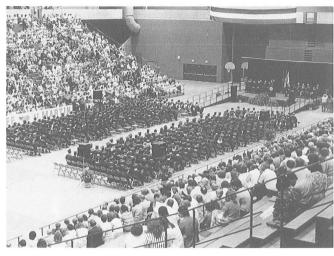
Levon will spend the '88 season going through a long rehabilitation process for an injured knee. One of the top defensive backs in the GSC, he suffered the injury early in the spring game in May. Had major surgery to reconstruct knee and will work toward returning to resuming his key role with the team next fall. Had three interceptions and ranked third on team in total tackles with 76. Earned All-GSC second team honors. Played both strong and free safety slots. Junior College: Tranferred from Arizona Western College. All-conference choice. High School: Three-time All-Ohio choice at Columbus Walnut Ridge High. Team was state runnerup his senior year. Also played basketball and ran track. Personal: Majoring in criminal justice. Son of John and Juanita Morton. Born 5-30-67.

In-Season Birthdays

Tim Billings 11-4-67
David Boland 8-26-66
Ki Tok Chu 10-19-66
Roland Delaney 10-14-66
Anton Duke 10-5-68
Tony Hamilton 9-6-68
Darrin Madison 9-13-67
Klark Spencer 10-11-67
Darrell Warren 11-16-68



The Campus That Cares





The University of Tennessee at Martin is committed to excellence in undergraduate education and the development of the individual. The University prides itself on the outstanding quality of its academic programs and the warm, friendly relationships that exist between faculty and stu-

UT Martin is unique among Tennessee colleges and universities because it offers a nationally prominent degree—The University of Tennessee degree—vet it is small enough to give students personalized attention. The UT degree is highly regarded by graduate and professional schools as well as by leaders in business, industry, and government. Also, UTM graduates have had a high rate of success in finding employment in the fields of their choice.

UT Martin offers programs of study lead-

ing to degrees in more than 65 specialized fields. UTM students compete effectively in the job market, as well as with graduates of other institutions in medical, professional, and graduate school admissions, and in post graduate exams. In fact, UTM is noted as the primary supplier of students to the highly competitive medical programs at the UT Center for Health Sciences in Memphis.

The University's programs for students with skills' proficiencies—the qualified admissions program and the Student Learning Center—have become national models. A new program for the University's academ-'ically talented students, the University's Scholars Program, offers interdisciplinary inquiry and individual research projects for participants, all who have ACT test scores from 28 to 36.

The UT Martin campus is called the

botanical firm's national register as a botanical garden. It is small enough for a student to walk to any building on campus in five to ten minutes, yet it is situated in a town of about 9,000 population.

UT Martin is considered a residential campus because more than 65 percent of the students live on campus. There are always plenty of campus activities for students. Extracurricular events dot the calendar throughout the year. A wide variety of sports is offered through the intramural program. UTM has the newest and most complete physical education complex in

prettiest in the state, one that is listed on a

Located in Northwest Tennessee, UT Martin is 125 miles northeast of Memphis and 135 miles northwest of Nashville.







Administration



Chancellor Dr. Margaret N. Perry

Dr. Margaret N. Perry became the first woman chief administrator of a four-year public college in Tennessee when she assumed the role of chancellor at UT Martin last July 1. UT President Edward J. Boling calls Dr. Perry's credentials "an impressive mix of academic and administrative skills." Dr. Perry joined the UT System from Tennessee Technological University where she served as associate vice president of Academic Affairs.

She boasts an extensive background with the UT system as a student, faculty member and administrator, and seven years as an administrator at Tennessee Tech in the State Board of Regents.

Dr. Perry, a native of Waynesboro, received her undergraduate degree from The University of Tennessee at Martin Branch in dietetics in 1961. She obtained her master's and doctorate degrees from The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, in 1963 and 1965, and went on to serve as Associate Dean of the College of Home Economics.

From 1973 to 1979, she served as Dean for Graduate Studies at UTK. During these years Dr. Perry developed a peer review program for doctoral programs and was administrator for approximately 7,000 graduate students.

While at UTK, Dr. Perry also served on numerous boards and committees including the Board of Directors for the University of Tennessee Faculty Club. Board of Directors for the Knoxville Early Childhood Development Center, and the University of Tennessee Alumni Board of Governors. She led program sessions for the National Meeting of Council of Graduate Schools in Phoenix, New Orleans, and Orlando and chaired a seminar on Careers in Science for

From 1979 to her appointment at UT Martin, Dr. Perry served as Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs at Tennessee Tech. She initiated a contract for a faculty/student exchange program between Northeast University of Technology in Shenyang, China and Tennessee Tech. She implemented a plan for student outcomes assessment and performance funding which resulted in almost \$1 million per year in formula funding and won her an AASCU Mitau Special Commendation for Innovation and Change in Higher Education.

Dr. Perry and her husband Dr. Randy Perry, who joined UT Martin as Dean of Engineering Technology and Engineering from the engineering faculty at Tennessee Tech, are the parents of two sons, Paul 18 and Sam 17.



Athletic Director Ray Mears

Ray Mears' outstanding contributions to collegiate athletics continues to be honored.

Mears, men's athletic director at The University of Tennessee at Martin since March 1980, is recognized for an illustrious coaching career in college basketball. He was inducted into both the Wittenberg Athletic Hall of Honor and the Knoxyille Sports Hall of Fame this past summer. He was inducted into the State of Tennessee Sports Hall of Fame in February, 1985.

The UT Martin athletics department has seen growth since his arrival on campus. He was director of athletic promotions at UT Knoxville before joining UT Martin in his present position.

Under Mears' guidance, the UT Martin athletic department has enjoyed success at an all-time high. In his first year, 1980, season ticket sales for football increased 200 percent over the previous year's figures. Season ticket sales increased another 10 percent in 1981, bringing the total number of season ticket sales to around 1200.

Similar success has surrounded the basketball program. The year before his arrival, revenue from basketball ticket sales amounted to little more than \$5,000. During the 1982-83 season, the basketball team produced \$73,650 in revenue.

In fund raising, UT Martin has also seen vast improvement in Mears' reign. Financial improvements to the athletics program has seen gain each year since

Mears has also been instrumental in assembling a quality staff. His support is reflected in the success of UT Martin's teams.

As a member of the Gulf South Conference, UT Martin finished in a second-place tie for the 1985 GSC All-Sports Trophy, the University's highest finish in the race for that award. A member of the GSC since 1971, UTM won its first league championship in 1982 as the men's tennis team rolled to the title. Since then, UTM teams have won league titles in basketball 1982, in rifle 1983, 1984, 1985, and 1986, and three more times in tennis, 1983, 1984, and 1985.

In addition to its success in the GSC, UT Martin has gained recognition at the national level. The men's tennis team was ranked seventh nationally along with the rifle team in 1985. The Pacer baseball team finished the 1985 campaign ranked thirteenth nationally and the basketball team emerged last season with a national ranking of 17th. Individuals participate annually in NCAA Division II National Championship events.

Mears has also seen to the recognition of former UT Martin athletes as he chaired the committee which created the UT Martin Athletics Hall of Fame. The Hall of Fame has received tremendous response in its first five years of inducting members.

Mears' days of promotion and public relations extended back to his coaching career. He took over as head basketball coach of the University of Tennessee Knoxville in 1962 after leading Wittenberg to the 1961-62 college division national title.

At UT Knoxville, Mears led the Vols into basketball prominence. He coached UT teams to 278 wins against only 112 losses in 15 seasons. Combined with a 121-23 record at Wittenberg, Mears' career record included an amazing 399 wins against 135 losses for a career winning percentage of 747. He held the top spot in the nation for two years as the winningest active basketball coach. At the time of his retirement in 1978, he

trailed only North Carolina's Dean Smith as having the best winning percentage among

UTK established a pattern of first division finishes in the Southeastern Conference. The Vols won or shared the SEC title in 1967, 1972, and 1977. The Vols finished in second place seven other times. The 1967 SEC title was the school's first in 24 years. Mears was SEC Coach of the Year in 1967 and 1977, he was third in national coach of the year balloting. "Ray Mears Boulevard" was named in the coach's honor in Knoxville recently.

Mears played college basketball at Miami (Ohio) University, graduating from there in 1949 with a bachelor degree in education. He later earned a master's degree at Kent State while coaching at a high school in the Cleveland area. He is a member of the Miami University Athletics Hall of Fame and is one of the reasons Miami is recognized nationally as the "Cradle of Coaches."

Mears was born on November 8, 1926, at Dover, Ohio, and is married to the former Dana Davis. They have three sons: Steve, 31, Mike, 30, and Matt 21.

Top Fifteen Winningest Major-College Coaches of All Time

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John Wooden																		806
Jerry Tarkanian																		799
Denny Crum																		780
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Dean Smith																	,	763
Vic Bubas																		761
Chick Davies																		748
RAY MEARS																		747
Al McGuire																		739
Everett Case							•											738



Pacer Stadium, Facilities

The Stadium

The Pacers play their home games in Pacer Stadium, which has undergone a major renovation job the past two years. The stadium and football complex are located on the northeast portion of campus.

Designed to be "A Showplace in Dixie" landscaping work has continued since last season on the area around the football stadium. The project is designed to give the University one of the nicest Division II complexes in the

The stadium will accommodate about 8,000 fans with nearly 1,900 of the seats chairback, About 1,200 of the seats are located on the new west side. The west side seats are on the slanted roof of the ROTC building which was completed prior to the 1987 season.

There on 650 chairback seats on the east side. There may be more chairback seats added to the east side in the coming years.

There are berms located on the south end of the end zone to give the stadium a bowled look. Also trees, hedges, and walkways on the in and outside of the stadium add greatly to the appearance.

The stadium press box also received a major facelift. The first floor accommodates the working media. The press box extensions on the south side houses the visiting radio and coaches while on the north end the Pacer Radio Network and broadcast crew for WLJT-TV have booths.

The second level houses the public address announcer and scoreboard operator. Chancellor Margaret Perry also has a box complete with theater-type seats where she can entertain 25 guests. The Pacer coaches also have their booth on the second level. Filming decks are on the outside of the second level.

Underneath Pacer Stadium is the Pacer Club room. Pacer Club members gather at halftime in the area.

The Pacer Stadium playing surface consists of a hybrid bermuda grass found on golf greens. Field drainage and sideline improvements were also part of the renovation. There is a drainage system below the surface. The players' boxes are astro-turf on each sideline.

Stadium Renovation Project

The renovation of Pacer Stadium was made possible through a combination of state funding and a stadium drive for private gifts. The state of Tennessee in 1985 provided funding to construct an ROTC facility on the east side of the

With the assistance of alumni, faculty, staff, and friends, \$350,000 was contributed to install the chairback seats, complete restroom and concession facilities on the east side, improve the west side seating, and enlarge the press

Football Complex

The UT Martin football operation is housed in a building complex which totals more than 25,000 square feet. A significant portion of the building is a large work-out area of about 5,000 square feet. The surface is a Parkway wood

An addition last year to the building was a large meeting area built on what was the stage located above the workout area. Assistant coaches offices are located on each side of the meeting room, Coach Don McLeary's office. secretary and a coaches' meeting room is on the workout level and located up the stairs to the right upon entering the main outside entrance to the building.

There is a newly remodeled weight room in the west end of the building's lower level. The 3,300-square foot room has an extensive variety of weight machines and equipment and will continue to grow. The air-conditioned locker room has space for about 100 athletes. Training room and equipment room areas are on the lower level.





Practice Field

The practice field area is 15,804 square yards and adjoins the northwest side of Pacer Stadium. There is one north-south regulation practice field with the remainder of the area divided into practice drill areas. The practice field has a variety of grass types to provide a good surface throughout the year. There is a 40-foot tower located on the south end for observation and videotaping of practice.

Pacer Stadium Records Since 1964

First Game: UTM 0, Middle Tennessee 0, 1964 Longest Run: John Burch, 98 yards vs. Austin Peay, 1987 Longest Pass Play: Mike Turk to Titus Dixon, 97 yards, Troy State, 1987 By UTM: Trey Sikes to Antonio Perry, 1985, 80 yards vs. Lane Most Points: UTM 64 vs. Michigan-Northwood, 1968 UTM 57 vs. Lane, 1986

Pacers on the Air

The Pacer Radio Network

Pacer football can be heard on The University of Tennessee at Martin's Pacer Radio Network, which blankets Northwest Tennessee and carries into neighboring states.

Bill Haney, the color commentator for Pacer football, is coordinating this year's network. Haney was quickly reestablishing the network as one of the largest in Division II football during the summer months. A total of 10 stations had agreed to join the network by mid-June.

Haney and play-by-play announcer Tom Britt have about 50 years of combined experience in the broadcast field. The popular duo return for another year of Pacer football.

Britt enters his eighth year as play-by-play man for football broadcasts. He calls the color commentary during basketball season. Britt serves as sports and news director for WMXX-FM and WDXI-AM radio in Jackson.

Haney is a 33-year veteran of West Tennessee radio. He is in his ninth year with the network and calls the play-by-play for Pacer basketball games. He was one of the forerunners of establishing high school, college, and professional sports broadcast in the area. He is county executive in Gibson County.

The season's format for Pacer football games will include the Coach Don McLeary Show before each game, a scouting report on the Pacers' game and reports on other games from around the Gulf South Conference. The coverage will also include special halftime features and halftime and post-game comments from Coach McLeary.

The Pacer Radio Network

(Tentative stations)

WCMT-FM&AMMartin WHZZ-FM Huntingdon WWHY-AM Milan WKBL-FM Covington WTGS-AM Jackson

WDSG-AM Dyersburg WDXL-FM Lexington WCTA-AM Alamo WLOT-FM Trenton KMIS-FM Portageville, Mo.



Bill Haney (left) and Tom Britt, popular voices of the PRN.

Pacer Television Replays

The University of Tennessee at Martin works in association with Public Broadcasting Television station, WLJT-TV, Channel 11, to carry all 11 Pacer football games.

The Pacers are believed to be the only Division II school in the nation to have all 11 games broadcast. The tentative time is 9 p.m. each Sunday night.

The Pacer television broadcast crew will consist of Jim Cawley and David Bartholomew. Cawley, news and sports director of WENK radio in Union City, will call the play-by-play action. Cawley has been a popular sports announcer for several years and also has handled the play-by-play of Pacer TV basketball games the past six years.

Bartholomew, news editor of the Union City Daily Messenger will provide the color commentary. Bartholomew has covered area sports for the Messenger for several years and writes on Pacer sports among his duties. He also has been a part of the Pacer TV basketball broadcasts the past six years.

WLJT-TV has its offices and studios located on the UT Martin campus with its transmitter located near Lexington. The PBS station offers quality education and entertainment programs.

Staff members of WLJT-TV along with UTM students work the technical end of the replays.



David Bartholomew (left) and Jim Cawley describe the action on the Pacer TV replays each week on WLJT-TV, Channel 11.





Pacer Spirit



1988-89 Pacer Hostesses

Serving the Pacer football program as its hostesses for the 1988-89 school year are from left, front row: Ann Cassibry and Tammy Toster. Second row: JoAnn Cotton, Jennifer Reynolds, Amanda Brundige, Rona Milligan, Tammy Carter, Jean Hooper, Jackie Horton, Dee Ann Hall, Tina Adcock, Jennifer Sias, and Stacy Scarbrough. Third row: Kim Smothers, Amy Crutchfield, Sandra Brown, Meika Gordon, Dione Naymond, Laura Taylor, and Rhonda Mills. Back row: Elverna Futrell, Regina Bonner, Allysia Angus, Amanda Mills, Melissa Burkley, Jennifer Nichols, and Carolyn Christley.



1988-89 Pacer Cheerleaders

Leading the cheers for the 1988 Pacer football team are front row, from left: David McGuirk (Nashville), Riki Hamilton (Memphis), Tom Rainey (Collierville), and Lisa Geurin (Paris). Middle: LeAnn Melton (Huntingdon), Dana Haynes (Memphis), and Christy Chism (Collierville). Back row: Alex Haley (Millington), Wade Riggins (Springfield), and Phillip Stubblefield (Paris). Not pictured is Pacer Pete, Lloyd Smith (Dyersburg).



1987 Review

UT Martin's 1987 football season began in September with a feeling that the program would continue its strides forward. By the time late November had rolled around, the hope had come true, leaving optimism for more progression in 1988.

Coach Don McLeary's second year of his rebuilding plan saw the Pacers post a strong finish, winning three of their final four games. While the overall improvement was in great evidence, reflections on the season showed that the final win-loss count could have been different. There were tough mid-season losses that prevented the school from posting the winning mark.

However, with the strong finish and McLeary saying his team "was beginning to learn how to win" the season ended on a positive note.

Talented players already on hand were complimented by the arrival of experienced junior college players who made an impact on both sides of the football. For the first time in recent UT Martin football history there was a large number of juniors and seniors on the team roster.

The run 'n shoot offense continued its assault on the record book in 1987. Junior college transfer quarterback Leon Reed became the team's starter in the fourth game and set a school game record for total offense and passing in his very first start. He would establish new season marks in each of those categories as well

Record-breaking receiver William Mackall and versatile running back John Burch were standouts at the skill positions. Second-teamer All-GSC Grady Andrews led a veteran offensive line.

A beefed-up Pacer defense jelled during the course of the season. Several players gained invaluable experience.

Defensive tackle Emanuel McNeil emerged as a dominant defender in the league. Linebacker Paul Randolph concluded his Pacer career. Defensive end Laurie Sinclair came on to have a strong season and other newcomers Jerome Rinehart and Sam Dudley were names that became familiar over the course of the season. The secondary was also filled with new faces, led by second-team All-GSC Levon Johnson.

Injuries also took their toll. Pre-season All-America Orlando Miles had a dislocated elbow the week prior to the first game and missed the first three

The season got underway with the eagerly awaited renewal of a rivalry with nearby and Division I-AA member Murray State of the Ohio Valley Conference. The Pacers led 6-3 after the first quarter, but the Racers depth proved to be too much as the hosts exploded for 21-second quarter points on their way to a 34-6 win.

The Pacers would play their first game in renovated Pacer Stadium the following week and the chore ahead promised to be tough. Austin Peay would be the opposition after knocking off Big 8 Kansas State the preceeding week.

Austin Peay led 10-7 after the period but the Pacers gained momentum in the second quarter. UT Martin dominated play on both sides of the ball in the second half, forcing APSU turnovers. The offense sealed the game away as John Burch electrified the gathering with a Gulf South conference record 98-yard TD run. When the final gun sounded, the Pacers had a 30-10 win.



An opening kickoff return of 96 yards for a touchdown led the Pacers fast start at rival Southeast Missouri State in a 25-13 victory. The play of the special teams and a big play defense were the keys as the Pacers won two games in a row for the first time since 1983. •

The longest trip of the season to the conference opener and first day game followed the next week as the Pacers journeyed to Valdosta State. The Pacers led 10-7 at halftime on the strength of a 59-yard run by quarterback Leon Reed. The Blazers kept the Pacers in check the second half and used ball control offense to claim a 24-10 win.

The Pacers were their own worst enemy in Pacer Stadium against Mississippi College. Fumbled punts and an interception for a TD along with a late 60-yard run by MC freshman standout Fred McAfee enabled the visitors to escape with a 34-24 win. Reed made his first start at quarterback, setting single game passing and total offense marks. The Pacers had 432 yards to MC's total output of 290.

A game-saving tackle on John Burch by Delta State with less than two minutes remaining preserved the Statesmen' 17-14 win and put the clamps on a frustrating afternoon for the Pacers. The Pacers were again hurt by the turnover. UT Martin again dominated the statistics for the second week in a row.

Nationally-ranked and unbeaten North Alabama, who would later falter down, handed the Pacers a frustrating 3-0 loss in a defensive struggle. Both defensive units had standout days, but a late drive to set up a 40-yard field goal on the last play of the first half gave the Lions the win.

It was a determined UT Martin team that finally overcame all the misfortune the next week at Jacksonville State. Beginning what would be a strong finish down the stretch, the Pacers recorded their third win in series history 28-17, scoring the winner late in the fourth quarter. Senior reserve running back Cedric Hosea had the big day for the Pacers, scoring three TD's including the game winner.

Homecoming 1987 was played on a perfect day for football. Eventual Division II national champion Troy State displayed its power, but the Pacers hung tough as the Trojans left town with a 31-21 win.

The Pacers fought the uphill battle at Livingston from the beginning, but prevailed, scoring the game winner on a Reed to Henry Allen eight-yard pass with 19 seconds left in the half to the host Tigers before coming back with the late rally.

West Georgia and the Pacers had entered this year's meeting with four closely contested games since the Braves entered the GSC. UTM had been on the short end all four times, but the Pacers won 17-12. The Pacers had their best offensive outing of the season, but never put the game out of reach. John Burch had 197 yards rushing and 136 yards in receptions on the afternoon.

Mackall, McNeil, and Randolph were named first team all-conference players while Andrews, Johnson, and Reed were on the second team. Andrews and defensive back Willie Ng were academic All-GSC players.





1987 Statistics

1987 Pacer	Results				Individual	Stats		,
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1987 Game Superlatives

Individual

LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE: John Burch vs. Austin Peay State, 98 yards LONGEST PASS RECEPTION: William Mackall vs. Mississippi College, 64 yards LONGEST PUNT RETURN: Henry Allen vs. Austin Peay State, Livingston, 28 yards LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN: William Mackall vs. Southeast Missouri, 96 yards LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN: Levon Johnson vs. Troy State, 19 yards LONGEST PUNT: Joey Elmore vs. Delta State, 54 vards LONGEST FIELD GOAL: Ki Tok Chu vs. Southeast Missouri, 47 vards LONGEST FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTED: Ki Tok Chu vs. North Alabama, 59 yards MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS: John Burch vs. West Georgia, 22 MOST RUSHING YARDS: John Burch vs. West Georgia, 197 yards

MOST PASS ATTEMPTS: Leon Reed vs. Mississippi College, 50

MOST PASS COMPLETIONS: Leon Reed vs. Livingston, 32

MOST YARDS PASSING: Leon Reed vs. Mississippi College, 359 yards MOST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE: Leon Reed vs. Mississippi College, 389 yards

MOST PASSES CAUGHT: William Mackall vs. Delta State, 16

MOST YARDS RECEIVING: William Mackall vs. Livingston, 175 yards MOST POINTS SCORED: Cedric Hosea vs. Jacksonville State, 18

MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED: Ki Tok Chu vs. SEMO, JSU, 3

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE: Ki Tok Chu vs. Southeast Missouri, 2

MOST PUNTS: Joey Elmore vs. Murray State, 10

MOST UNASSISTED TACKLES: Paul Randolph vs. Southeast Missouri, 13

MOST ASSISTED TACKLES: Emanuel McNeil vs. Mississippi College, 12

MOST TOTAL TACKLES: Emanuel McNeil vs. Austin Peav State, 20



John Burch



Emanuel McNeil



Leon Reed



William Mackall

UTM Offensive Best/Worst

First Downs; 28 vs. Jacksonville State/6 vs. North Alabama by Rushing; 17 vs. Jacksonville State/2 vs. SEMO by Passing; 15 vs. Delta State/2 vs. North Alabama by Penalty; 4 vs. SEMO/0 vs. MC, UNA, LU Rushing Yards; 345 vs. Jacksonville State/49 vs. SEMO Passing Yards; 359 vs. Mississippi College/36 vs. North Alabama Total Offense; 511 vs. West Georgia/154 vs. North Alabama Offensive Plays; 93 vs. Jacksonville State/53 vs. SEMO Rushing Attempts; 59 vs. Jacksonville State/21 vs. Murray State Passing Attempts; 50 vs. Mississippi College/21 vs. North Alabama Passes Completed; 32 vs. Livingston/9 vs. North Alabama Passes Had Intercepted; 0 vs. Jacksonville State/4 vs. Mississippi College

Fumbles Lost; 0 vs. APSU, SEMO, VSC, UNA/2 vs. MC, DSU, LU Penalties; 3 vs. UNA, TSU/9 vs. SEMO Yards Penalized; 15 vs. UNA, TSU/90 vs. Jacksonville State Points Scored; 30 vs. Austin Peay State/0 vs. North Alabama

First Downs; 12 vs. Jacksonville State/26 vs. Valdosta State by Rushing; 5 vs. Jacksonville State/15 vs. Troy State by Passing; 3 vs. West Georgia/11 vs. MSU, VSC by Penalty; 0 vs. MSU, UNA, TSU/2 vs. VSC, MC, WGC Rushing Yards; 40 vs. Delta State/340 vs. Troy State Passing Yards; 59 vs. Mississippi College/293 vs. Troy State Total Offense; 202 vs. North Alabama/633 vs. Troy State Offensive Plays; 63 vs. Mississippi College/81 vs. SEMO Rushing Attempts; 39 vs. DSU, JSU/55 vs. Valdosta State Passing Attempts; 8 vs. West Georgia/32 vs. MSU, LU

UTM Defensive Best/Worst

Passes Completed; 6 vs. Mississippi College/17 vs. MSU, LU Passes Intercepted; 5 vs. Austin Peay State/0 vs. Delta State Fumbles Recovered; 3 vs. MC, DSU, JSU, WGC/1 vs. VSC, UNA, LU Points Scored; 3_kvs. North Alabama/34 vs. MSU, MC

GSC Players of the Week

John Burch

Offensive vs. Austin Peay 15 rushes, 173 yards, 1 TD 4 receptions, 23 yards, 1 TD 1 23-yard kickoff return *GSC record 98-yard TD run

Emanuel McNeil

Defensive vs. Austin Peav 9 solo, 11 assist, 20 tackles 1 pass sack, two for loss, 1 fumble recovery

Paul Randolph

Defensive vs. North Alabama 10 tackles, 4 for losses 2 pass sacks, one fumble recovery 2 interceptions, returned 12 yards

William Mackall

Offensive vs. Livingston 14 receptions, 175 yards, 1 TD 3 kickoff returns, 84 yards

John Burch

Offensive vs. West Georgia 22 rushes, 197 yards, long 53 yards 8 receptions, 136 yards, long 50 yards



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1987 Game Capsules

Game 1 Sept. 5

> Murray State 34 Pacers 6

MURRAY, KY.—Pacer fans had a five-year wait before the renewal of the series with the Racers and followers were hoping of a repeat upset of a 10-7 UTM win in 1982.

However, the pre-season Ohio Valley Conference favorites came back from an early 6-3 deficit after the first quarter to explode for 21 second quarter points on its way to the win.

The Racers used a trick play on their first possession to set up a short field goal and grab a 3-0 lead. The Pacers took the lead midway through the period on a Trey Sikes to John Burch 25-yard pass play on a third and 10 play.

Murray State had two long drives for TD's and had a 35-yard pass interception for a late score in the period. The Racers added 10 points in the third to close out the game's scoring.

The Pacer offense was limited to 82 yards in the second half. Pacer quarterback Trey Sikes was 20-39-2 in the game. Racer quarterback Michael Proctor directed his team completing 14 of 28 passes for 275 yards and a TD. MSU had 418 yards total offense. Linebacker Jim Decker and tackle Emanuel McNeil had 18 and 16 tackles for UTM's defense. MSU had the ball 35 minutes to the Pacers' 25.

Attendance: 7,752

Temperature: 85				
Weather: Clear Skies/Light North	Winds			
Team Statistics		UTM		MSU
First Downs		13		1.
Rushes-Yards		91		13
Yards Passing		171		29
Att-Comp-Int	44	-23-2	32	-17-
Total Offense		243		41
Punts/Avg	10)-37.7	(5-39.
Fumbles		6-1		2-
Penalties		6-62	1	4-12
Poss. Time		24:11		34:4
UTM 6	0	0	0	
MSU 3	21	10	0	3

Leading Rushers:

UTM: John Burch (10-55 yards) MSU: Bill Bird (15-44 yards)

Leading Passers:

UTM: Trey Sikes (39-20-2, 161 yards)
MSU: Michael Proctor (28-14-1, 275 yards)

Leading Receivers:

UTM: John Burch (7-59 yards)
MSU: Glen Arterburn (5-95 yards)

Leading Tackles:

UTM: Jim Decker (18 total) MSU: Willie Prather (9 total) Game 2 Sept. 12 Pacers 30 Austin Peay State 10

MARTIN—The Pacers were underdogs for the second week in a row and the reason seemed well-founded going into the game. While the Pacers were being beaten at Murray the previous week, Austin Peay stunned Big Eight member Kansas State on the road

But this was a new week and after the horn had sounded following the first game played in a renovated Pacer Stadium, it was the Pacers who had a convincing win.

UT Martin would spot APSU a 10-7 lead after the first quarter. A William Mackall 17-yard pass scoring reception from Trey Sikes put UTM in the lead to stay near the three-minute mark.

In the second half, the Pacer defense took over, coming up with four pass interceptions and fumble recovery to thwart any thoughts of an APSU comeback.

Sikes completed a 30-yard scoring strike to Demetres Brown following the second play after an interception by cornerback Benny Thompson. A play in the fourth quarter's final four minutes electrified the crowd of almost 6,000 and capped off the night.

Safety Levon Johnson stopped with an APSU drive with an interception in his end zone and was tackled at the UTM one. Two plays later on an off tackle play, running back John Burch darted free at the line of scrimmage and ran his way into the Gulf South and UTM history with a 98-yard TD run. The run eclipsed the 29-year record of 86 yards held by former UTM great Bobby Fowler.

Burch and defensive tackle Emanuel McNeil, who had a season high 20 tackles, were named GSC players of the week.

Attendance: 5,900

Temperature: 84

Weather: Mostly Clear Skies/Light North Winds

Team Statistics	1	UTM		APSU
First Downs		19		1.
Rushes-Yards		155		12
Yards Passing		235		18
Att-Comp-Int	42-	25-3	27	-14-
Total Offense		390		30
Punts/Avg	6-	38.5	5	5-35.
Fumbles/Lost		4-0		4-
Penalties		6-60		6-4
Poss. Time	2	4.49		35.1
UTM 7	6	10	7	3
APSU 10	0	0	0	1

Leading Rushers:

UTM: John Burch (15-173 yards)

APSU: Sammy Gholston (11-61 yards)

Leading Passers

UTM: Trey Sikes (42-25-3, 235 yards)
APSU: Dean Edwards (11-9-0, 134 yards)

Leading Receivers:

UTM: Henry Allen (9-81 yards)
APSU: Anthony Simmons (4-50 yards)

Leading Tackles

UTM: Emanuel McNeil (19 total) APSU: Todd Henndon (11 total) Game 3 Sept. 19

Pacers 25

Southeast Missouri 13

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo.—William Mackall's 96-yard TD return of the opening kickoff gave the Pacers the lift they needed against the ninth-ranked Indians.

The Pacers' special teams enjoyed the big night along with the defensive unit. UT Martin jumped to a 16-3 lead after the opening period.

Ki Tok Chu's 47-yard field goal gave the Pacers a 10-0 lead. SEMO cut the lead with a field goal of its own. The Pacers' punting team came up with the next big play. Joey Elmore had his punt mishandled and Rob Greve recovered at the 19. UTM wasted little time as Trey Sikes found Henry Allen open for a 19-yard TD pass.

Chu added a 29-yard field goal and SEMO added a late score to make the halftime score 19-10. The Indians quickly cut the deficit in the third quarter driving for a field goal.

The Pacer defense, on the field a total of 81 plays including 53 in the second half, refused to yield after that point.

Greg Watkins' stopped a drive with an interception at midfield. Allen and Sikes came up with the game clinched on a third and 11 play with a 30-yard scoring play. The Pacers would miss a late field goal and the defense had one last stand holding SEMO on downs at the Pacers 17.

Temperature: 78 Weather: Clear Skies/Light Winds

Team Statistics	UTM	SEMO
First Downs	13	16
Rushes-Yards	49	184
Yards Passing	178	188
Att-Comp-Int	29-16-1	29-16-3
Total Offense	227	372
Punts/Avg	8-37.6	4-25.0
Fumbles/Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties	9-80	9-79
Poss. Time	N/A	N/A
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Leading Rushers:

UTM: John Burch (17-67 yards) SEMO: Brian Lattimore (19-99 yards)

Leading Passers:

UTM: Trey Sikes (39-16-1, 178 yards)
SEMO: Jeff Brown (24-14-1, 158 yards)

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UTM: Henry Allen (6-106 yards)
SEMO: Lorenzo Gathers (6-112 yards)

Leading Tackles:

UTM: Paul Randolph (13 total) SEMO: Ken Miller (15 total) Game 4 Sept. 26 Valdosta State 24

Valdosta State 24 Pacers 10

VALDOSTA, Ga.—The Blazers scored 17 unanswered points to storm back after trailing the Pacers 10-7 at intermission.

The game was the Pacers' first of eight Gulf South Conference and also the first day game of the season played in 90 degree temperatures.

The Pacers had VSC apparently bottled up on the opening kickoff inside its 15, but the Pacers were offsides. On the ensuing kickoff, the Blazers took over at midfield and marched in for the score.

Ki Tok Chu's 42-yard field goal made the score 7-3 in the final minute of the first period. Junior college transfer Leon Reed, adding spark to the offense, gave UTM the lead, keeping the ball on a 59-yard run down the sidelines.

The Blazers gained the momentum in the second half. On a fourth and one play at the Pacers' 20, halfback Donnie Harrell threw to a wide tight end Mike Jackson for a 20-yard score. Harrell added a nine-yard run in the fourth quarter.

UT Martin was limited to just 55 yards total offense in the second half. VSC record four quarterback sacks in the final half.

Attendance: 5,100

Temperature: 89

Weather: Sunny/Light Northeast Winds

Team Statistics		UTM		VSU
First Downs		19		26
Rushes-Yards		98		210
Yards Passing		167		201
Att-Comp-Int	34-	-23-1	24	4-13-1
Total Offense		722		411
Punts/Avg	7	-31.6		2-30.5
umbles/Lost		1-0		2-1
Penalties	1	11-81		2-15
Poss. Time	1	25:30		34:10
JTM 3	7	0	0	10
/SU 7	0	10	7	24

Leading Rushers

UTM: John Burch (10-41 yards)
VSU: Donnie Harrell (21-95 yards)

Leading Pass

UTM: Leon Reed (17-14-1, 104 yards) VSU: Mark Dace (23-12-0, 181 yards)

Leading Receivers:

UTM: Myles Luster (8-69 yards) VSU: Randy Fisher (6-92 yards)

Leading Tackles:

UTM: Jim Decker (10 total)
UTM: Michael Mathews (10 total)
VSU: Jimmy Brookens (8 total)
VSU: Deon Searcy (8 total)

Game 5 Oct 3

> Mississippi College 34 Pacers 24

MARTIN—The Pacers put themselves in an early hole and proved to be their own worst enemy in losing to the Choctaws.

UT Martin committed seven turnovers, including two fumbles on punts which led directly to Choctaw scores. MC had built a 20-0 lead by the time the midway point of the second quarter had rolled around.

offsides. On the ensuing kickoff, the Blazers took over at midfield and marched in for the score.

Ki Tok Chu's 42-yard field goal made the score output thus far in the season. Reed passed for a school record 359 yards, completing 27-50-4.

UT Martin pulled to within 27-24 on a Reed to Burch five-yard pass with 5:21 left, but MC stand-out freshman back Fred McAfee put the game away with a 60-yard run less than a minute later.

Reed had connected with William Mackall on a 64-yard pass and ran for four yards for the Pacers' other scores.

Three of the turnovers led directly to MC's TD's. The Chocs took over at the Pacers' 22 and 6-yardline and also intercepted a pass for a score.

The game was also costly as UTM leading tackler, middle Jim Decker, was lost for the season with a knee injury.

Attendance: 5,800 Temperature: 54

Weather: Mostly Clear/Light North Winds

Team Statistics		U.	ΓM	MC
First Downs			18	14
Rushes-Yards			73	231
Yards Passing		3	59	59
Att-Comp-Int		50-27	7-4	13-6-1
Total Offense			63	84
Punts/Avg		4-3	9.5	7-33.6
Fumbles/Lost			3-2	5-3
Penalties		6-	-55	4-25
Poss. Time		29	:41	30:19
UTM	0	10	7	7 24
MC	7	13	7	7 34

Leading Rushers:

UTM: John Burch (14-43 yards) MC: Fred McAfee (8-100 yards)

Leading Passers:

UTM: Leon Reed (50-27-4, 359 yards)
MC: Russ Purvis (13-6-1, 59 yards)

Leading Receivers:

UTM: William Mackall (7-106 yards)
MC: Mitch Thames (2-26 yards)

Leading Tackles:

UTM: Emanuel McNeil (14 total)
MC: Martin Francis (12 total)

Game 6 Oct. 10

> Delta State 17 Pacers 14

CLEVELAND, Miss.—There were a lot of crucial plays in the three-point loss to the Statesmen, but none bigger than the tackle made by DSU's Gwaine Matthews at the one-yard line on John Burch with less than two minutes remaining.

The Pacers had moved from their own 41 to the DSU 7, to be in the position to win the game. However, the team lost a yard on the third down play from the one and Burch was stopped short of paydirt after catching the flare pass from quarter-back Leon Reed.

The game was again one that the Pacers let slip away. UT started out of the gates fast, driving 69 yards in 12 plays with Reed scoring on a sneak. The Pacers then stopped DSU cold, but the fumbled punt again proved to be the Pacers' enemy. DSU took over at the UTM 15 and wound up at the 22 and settled for a 39-yard field goal by Jamie Greer.

UTM's offense continued clicking, moving the length of the field, but a deflected pass resulted in an intercepted pass in the end zone. The Pacer defense forced a fumble, but again the interception stopped the scoring chance.

DSU led 17-7 going into the final period. The Pacers climbed to within three as Reed threw to Demetres Brown for a 15-yard scoring play at the 13:12 mark.

The Pacers outgained the Statesmen 362 to 243 and had the ball nine more minutes in possession.

Attendance: 6,175

Temperature: 78

Weather: Sunny Skies/Light Western Winds

Team Statistics	UTM	DSU
First Downs	26	18
Rushes-Yards	111	40
Yards Passing	251	203
Att-Comp-Int	43-31-2	27-14-0
Total Offense	79	66
Punts/Avg	4-41.3	4-43.0
Fumbles/Lost	3-2	5-3
Penalties	8-70	5-37
Poss. Time	34:14	25:46
UTM 7	0 0	7 14
DGU		0 17

Leading Rushers:

UTM: John Burch (16-50 yards)
DSU: Londale Bankston (15-47 yards)

Leading Passers:

UTM: Leon Reed (43-31-2, 251 yards) **DSU:** Alton Marshall (27-14-0, 203 yards)

Leading Receivers:

UTM: William Mackall (15-85 yards) **DSU:** Rodney Hughes (6-106 yards)

Leading Tackles:

UTM: Rob Gréve (11 total) DSU: Carl Dobbs (11 total)



Game 7 Oct. 17

> North Alabama 3 Pacers 0

MARTIN—In a frustrating defensive struggle for the Pacers, the visiting and unbeaten Lions made a field goal on the last play of the first half which stood up for the win

The Pacers managed only 154 yards total offense and six first downs against UNA's defensive unit, ranked among the tops in the nation. The Pacer defense was on the field almost 36 minutes, but allowed UNA just 202 yards and an average of 2.9 yards a play.

UNA took over at its own 1 late in the second quarter and put together the only sustained drive of the day to the Pacers' 22 to set up I.D. Lane's 40-vard field goal as the first half horn sounded.

The Pacers had a big opportunity late in the game. Linebacker Paul Randolph recovered a fumble at UNA 27 as the Lions were attempting to run out the clock. However, a holding penalty and quarterback sack for a desperate 59-yard field goal attempt by Ki Tok Chu which fell short as the game expired.

Randolph's stellar effort led the Pacer defense. He was named Defensive Player of the Week in the GSC with two pass interceptions, a fumble recovery, 10 tackles, including four for losses and two quarterback sacks.

Attendance: 4.650 Temperature: 69

Weather: Sunny-Blue Skies/Light Northwest Winds

Team Statistics		UTM		UNA
First Downs		6		14
Rushes-Yards		118		90
Yards Passing		36		112
Att-Comp-Int	2	1-9-1	23	-12-2
Total Offense		154		202
Punts/Avg	9	9-41.1	9	-40.2
Fumbles/Lost		2-0		4-1
Penalties		3-15		12-70
Poss. Time		24:17		35:43
UTM 0	0	0	0	0
UNA 0	3	0	0	3

Leading Rushers:

UTM: Cedric Hosea (6-63 yards) UNA: Larry Webb (20-79 yards)

Leading Passers:

UTM: Leon Reed (21-9-1, 36 yards) UNA: Lonnie Mister (22-11-2, 98 yards)

Leading Receivers:

UTM: Antonio Perry (1-16 yards) UNA: Stevie Hobbs (3-51 yards)

Leading Tackles:

UTM: Rob Greve (15 total) UNA: Phil Drummond (11 total)

Game 8 Oct. 31

Pacers 28 **Jacksonville State 17**

JACKSONVILLE, Ala.—After all the close losses, the Pacers finally had fortune go their way in defeating the Gamecocks for only the third time in series history

Senior reserve running back Cedric Hosea stepped to the front scoring three touchdowns, including the game-winner to end a 71-yard drive with 2:46 left. William Mackall added the final TD on a 50-yard scamper with 35 seconds remaining.

The game appeared early as if it was following the pattern of the previous contents. UT Martin moved the ball on the first possession only to have a 29vard field goal attempt blocked. After holding the Gamecocks, the fumbled punt returned to haunt the Pacers and set up a JSU field goal. The Pacers John Burch also fumbled at the JSU 18 and 16 in the

JSU's Terry Thomas' 84-yard TD run made the score 10-0, but Hosea put the Pacers back in the game with a one-yard plunge at the 1:18 mark.

Hosea reeled off a 32-yard run to punt the Pacers in the lead. Jax quarterback David Gulledge put his team back out front midway through the fourth period with a 39-yard keeper.

The Pacers responded with the game-winning drive with quarterback Leon Reed directing the 13-play winning march.

UT Martin had a season-high 519 yards total offense. Jax, outside of the two TD runs, had 174 yards offense. It was UTM's first win since 1979 against JSU.

Attendance: 8 500

Temperature: 69

Weather: Sunny-Blue Skies/Light Northwest Winds

Team Statistics	UTM	JSU
First Downs	28	12
Rushes-Yards	345	199
Yards Passing	174	98
Att-Comp-Int	34-22-0	23-9-1
Total Offense	519	297
Punts/Avg	4-37.5	7-43.9
Fumbles/Lost	6-2	5-3
Penalties	8-90	10-80
Poss. Time	38:08	21:52
UTM 0	7 7	14 28
JSU 3	7 0	7 17

Leading Rushers:

UTM: Cedric Hosea (18-97 yards) ISU: Larry Thomas (6-95 yards)

Leading Passers:

UTM: Leon Reed (34-22-0, 174 yards) JSU: David Gulledge (19-8-1, 97 yards)

Leading Receivers:

UTM: William Mackall (11-97 yards) ISU: Kevin Blue (2-31 vards)

Leading Tackles:

UTM: Emanuel McNeil (6 total) UTM: Levon Johnson (6 total) ISU: Reginald James (13 total)

Game 9 Nov. 7

Trov State 31 Pacers 21

MARTIN-Troy State coach Rick Rhoades would comment "we are lucky to get out of here with a win" following the eventual national champions' 10-point win over the Pacers on homecoming

The Pacers battled the Trojans for four quarters, but could not overcome the hottest team in Division II football.

TSU's celebrated diminutive guarterback Mike Turk made his welcomed farewell appearance in Pacer Stadium successful. Turk completed 11-18-2 passes for 262 yards and two TD's including a 97-yard play to receiver Titus Dixon for the game's first score.

Leon Reed and Henry Allen connected for a 10-yard scoring play to tie the game. TSU would score the next 10 points, but the Pacers would come back on three occasions to cut the Trojans lead to three before TSU added the game's final score with 12:27 remaining. The Pacers would threaten again, but were stopped at the 1-yardline with five minutes remaining and TSU marched downfield to run out the clock.

The two teams combined for more than 1,000 yards total offense with 633 belonging to Troy. Pacer guarterback shared some of the limelight with Turk, completing 20-31-1 passes for 287 yards and rushing for 59 yards and one TD.

The season's largest crowd watch the Pacers battle with the national champions on a very pleasant fall afternoon.

Attendance: 6,900

Temperature: 73

Weather: Mostly Sunny/Light Southwest Winds

Team Statistics	UTM	TSU
First Downs	15	25
Rushes-Yards	100	340
Yards Passing	287	293
Att-Comp-Int	31-20-1	23-12-2
Total Offense	387	633
Punts/Avg	5-42.0	4-41.5
Fumbles/Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties	3-15	7-45
Poss. Time	27:51	32:09
UTM 7	7 7	0 21
TSU 7	10 7	7 31

Leading Rushers:

UTM: Leon Reed (18-59 yards) TSU: Freddie Taylor (11-92 yards)

Leading Passers:

UTM: Leon Reed (31-20-1, 287 yards) TSU: Mike Turk (18-11-2, 262 yards)

Leading Receivers:

UTM: William Mackall (8-116 yards) TSU: Titus Dixon (4-154 yards)

Leading Tackles:

UTM: Emanuel McNeil (12 total) TSU: Bryon Hubbard (8 total) TSU: Doug Parris (8 total) TSU: Freddie Thomas (8 total)

Game 10 Nov. 14

> Pacers 27 Livingston 26

LIVINGSTON, Ala.—The Pacers overcame the odds to score a last-minute win in a thriller over the

Livingston built a 17-0 first half lead as the Pacers turned the ball over four times and had a shanked punt which set up the Tigers' first score. A late Leon Reed one-yard sneak with 46 seconds left in the half gave the Pacers hope and the halftime score

A determined UTM team came out in the second half and marched 75 yards on its first possession and moved downfield only to miss a field goal. However, the Pacers made good on the next had a run of 53 yards and catch for 50 yards in the possession as Reed threw for a 26-yard TD to William Mackall, LU increased the lead to 23-14. the big play a controversial roughing the quarterback call on a third down play at the Tigers' 2. The PAT was no good, but LU had a 23-14 lead.

Reed threw to freshman Kowalski Bynum for 53 yards to put the Pacers back near LU's goal. Reed threw a short pass to John Burch to bring the Pacers to within two.

LU made a field goal to expand the lead to five. The Pacers failed on a 48-yard field goal attempt and got the ball back with 2:05 for one last chance. Reed and Mackall had two first down pass plays to key the drive. Reed scrambled for a crucial third down conversion and gave the Pacers a first and goal with 30 seconds left. Reed then fired to Henry Allen for the game winner with 19 seconds showing on the clock. The Pacer defense then stopped LU's last second bomb to preserve the win.

Mackall was named the GSC player of the week for his 14 catches for 175 yards and TD catch.

Attendance: 4.000

Temperature: 70

Weather: Sunny Clear Skies/Light Winds

Team Statistics	UTM		LU
First Downs	16		10
Rushes-Yards	89		130
Yards Passing	347		20
Att-Comp-Int	49-32-2		32-17-
Total Offense	436		338
Punts/Avg	5-34.4		7-31.
Fumbles/Lost	7-2		2-
Penalties	7-62		4-5
Poss. Time	27:56		32:0
UTM 0	7 7	13	2
LU 14	3. 6	3	2

Leading Rushers:

UTM: Cedric Hosea (12-51 yards) LU: Lorenzo Graham (14-41 vards)

Leading Passers:

UTM: Leon Reed (49-32-2, 347 yards) LU: Kenneth James (32-17-1, 208 yards)

Leading Receivers:

UTM: William Mackall (14-175 yards) LU: Lorenzo Graham (6-92 yards)

Leading Tackles:

UTM: Paul Randolph (12 total) LU: Steve Hyche (8 total) LU: Mike Young (8 total)

Game 11 Nov. 19

Pacers 17 West Georgia 12

MARTIN—The Pacers had their highest output of the season in total offense with 511 yards, but had to battle for the win over the stubborn Braves in the season finale

UT Martin was hurt by five turnovers and also by the fact that West Georgia kept possession of the football more than 37 minutes featuring a ground attack which included 62 rushing plays.

Junior running back John Burch was named GSC player of the week for the second time during the season. Burch rushed for 187 yards on 22 attempts and had eight pass receptions for 136 yards. Burch

The Pacers turned the ball over four times and were stopped on downs once in Brave territory and also missed field goals of 24 and 46 yards. Two turnovers at the UTM 28 and 37 set up fourth quarter West Georgia TD's to make the game in

UTM's Sam Dudley came up with a fumble recovery at his team's 43 with less than three minutes remaining, the Pacers worked the clock and Ki Tok Chu broke a consecutive miss streak of 11 field goals with a 29-varder with 41 second

Leon Reed established a new single season total offense record in the third guarter and William Mackall ended the season with 90 receptions. One was 38-yard TD reception in the opening period. Reed also threw a 35-yard scoring pass to freshman Kowalski Bynum in the second period to give the Pacers a 14-0 halftime lead.

The game marked the end of the career for 18 seniors who were recognized before the start of the contest.

Attendance: 2,550 Temperature: 51

Weather: Sunny Clear Skies/Winds from Northwest

eam Statistics	UTM	WGC
irst Downs	19	14
ushes-Yards	276	182
ards Passing	235	114
att-Comp-Int	23-16-2	8-7-0
otal Offense	511	296
unts/Avg	2-44.0	7-37.7
umbles/Lost	4-3	6-3
enalties	6-60	3-15
oss. Time	22:34	37:26
JTM 7	0 7	3 17
VGC	0 0	12 12

Leading Rushers:

UTM: John Burch (22-197 yards) WGC: Stevie Young (16-68 yards)

Leading Passers:

UTM: Leon Reed (23-16-2, 235 yards) WGC: Huel Medders (8-7-0, 114 yards)

Leading Receivers:

UTM: John Bürch (8-135 yards) WGC: Nick Neal (2-65 yards)

Leading Tackles:

UTM: Emanuel McNeil (13 total) WGC: Benard Willis (8 total)

1987 All-Gulf South **Conference Team**

First Team Offense

OB: Mike Turk, Troy State RB: Londale Bankston, Delta State RB: Stevie Young, West Georgia WR: Randy Fisher, Valdosta State WR: William Mackall, Tennessee-Martin TE: Brent Roe, Troy State OT: Miles Hallberg, Mississippi College OT: Darrell Potts, Delta State OG: Joe Billingsley, Jacksonville State

Defense

DL: Ricky Barner, Mississippi College

DL: Ronnie Glanton, Livingston

OG: Deron Huerkamp, Livingston

C: Steve Campbell, Troy State

PK: Ted Clem, Troy State

RS: Titus Dixon, Troy State

DL: Emanuel McNeil, Tennessee-Martin

LB: Darrell Hopkins, Mississippi College LB: Gerrick Pimienta, Trov State

LB: Paul Randolph, Tennessee-Martin LB: Troy Smith, Jacksonville State

DB: Willie Greene, Delta State

DB: Wendell Phillips, North Alabama

DB: Freddie Thomas, Trov State

DB: Kenneth Watson, Livingston P: Scott DeMott, North Alabama

Second Team Offense

QB: Leon Reed, Tennessee-Martin RB: Lorenzo Graham, Livingston RB: Marvin Marsh, North Alabama WR: Greg Harris, Troy State WR: Kevin Locastro, Delta State TE: Bennie Jennings, North Alabama OL: Grady Andrews, Tennessee-Martin OL: Lance Christ, Delta State OL: Henry Johnson, West Georgia OL: Greg Tenney, Livingston

Defense

DL: Harold Greene, North Alabama DL: Shawn Lee, North Alabama

C: Allen Hickman, Mississippi College

RS: Darrell Malone, Jacksonville State

DL: Jason Meadows, Jacksonville State

LB: Jimmy Brookins, Valdosta State LB: Tony Campbell, North Alabama

LB: Trent Hattaway, West Georgia

LB: Steve Hyche, Livingston

DB: Levon Johnson, Tennessee-Martin DB: Doug Parris, Troy State

DB: Rodney Quinn, Valdosta State

DB: Bernard Willis, West Georgia

P: Garey Waiters, Jacksonville State

Coach of the Year: **Rick Rhoades, Troy State**





Gulf South Conference



Sonny Moran

The Gulf South Conference continues to solidify the claim as the strongest and most balanced NCAA Division II athletic conference in the nation

The conference has boasted 19 national champions in sports since 1971 and has annually placed teams and individuals in the championship tournaments of virtually every respective sport in NCAA competition.

The University of Tennessee at Martin is a charter member of the conference which now has nine member institutions and was born in

the summer of 1970 in Birmingham, Ala. Representatives from six institutions—Delta State University, Florence State University (now North Alabama), Jacksonville State University, Livingston State University (now Livingston University), Troy State University, and The University of Tennessee at Martin convened to form the Mid-South Conference, and scheduling problems allowed only a league football schedule to be played the first season.

In 1971, the league became the Gulf South Conference and admitted two schools, Southeastern Louisiana and Nicholls State (La.). Current member Mississippi College joined the league in 1972 along with Northwestern Louisiana. Northwestern left two years later followed by the remaining Louisiana schools in 1979.

The league continued with seven members until 1981 when the league's presidents voted to admit Valdosta State (Ga.) College. West Georgia became the newest member in June, 1983.

The GSC sponsors championships in football, baseball, tennis, basketball, golf, cross country, and rifle for men and basketball, volleyball, tennis, softball, and cross country for women.



The commissioner of the Gulf South Conference is G.E. "Sonny" Moran, named in the Fall of 1987, succeeding Ralph McFillen. Dr. Hugh Bailey, Valdosta State president, is the GSC president for 1986-88. Bryan Arnold is the league's sports information director.

The office is located at 4 Office Park Circle, Suite 218 in Birmingham. The phone number is (205) 870-9750.

The GSC Family

Delta State University—Cleveland, Miss.
Jacksonville State University—Jacksonville, Ala.
Livingston University—Livingston, Ala.
Mississippi College—Clinton, Miss.
Troy State University—Troy, Ala.
University of North Alabama—Florence, Ala.

THE UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE AT MARTIN—Martin, Tenn.

Valdosta State College—Valdosta, Ga. West Georgia College—Carrollton, Ga.

GSC Football Records Held By UT Martin*

Team
Most Completions
Game: 37 vs. Troy State (54 attempts)
Season: 250 (447 attempts)
Passes Had Intercepted
Game: 6 vs. Austin Peay and Valdosta State 1986
Season: 25 (280 attempts, 115 completions) 1983
Most Passes Without an Interception
Game: 46 vs. Livingston (Tied with JSU)
Most Punts
Game: 14 vs. Nicholls State
Most Field Goals Made
4 vs. Tennessee State
4 vs. Troy State (tied four occasions)
Yards on Interception Returns Season: 485 (24 returns)
Season: 485 (24 returns)
Interceptions Returned for TD Season: 6
Season: 6 1970
Individual
Most Passing Attempts
Game: 54, Trey Sikes vs. Troy State (37 comp., 324 yards) 1986
Most Completions
Game: 37, Trey Sikes vs. Troy State (54 attempts, 324 yards) 1986
Most Receptions
Game: 16, William Mackall vs. Delta State
Season: 90, William Mackall
Best Completion Percentage Season: 63.7, (174-273) Leon Reed
Most Interceptions Thrown Game: 5, Eric Bradner vs. Austin Peay and Valdosta State 1986
(Tied with two others)
Most Punts
Game: 14, David Brown vs. Nicholls State
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Most Points
Game: 24, Dwayne McKinney vs. Morris Brown (Tied with 16) 1980
Field Goals Made
Game: 4, Mickey Hamilton vs. Tennessee State
4, Keith Kasnic vs. Troy State
Career: 14, Keith Kasnic
Most Punt Returns
Game: 7, Jerry Reese vs. Fort Valley State (43 yards) 1982
(tied with 5)
Most Kickoff Returns
Season: 39, Henry Allen
Yards Returned
Season: 759, Henry Allen
Most Interceptions
Game: 4, Ernest Jackson vs. Livingston
(tied with Terry Stephens, JSU)
Interception Yards Returned
Game: 100, Jimmy Randolph vs. Morehead State 1977
(tied with three)
Season: 269, Clay Blaylack (8 int)
Career: 344, Clay Blaylack (10 int)
Interception Touchdowns Season: 4, Clay Blaylack
Longest Rush From Scrimmage
Game: 98, John Burch vs. Austin Peay
Long Kickoff Return
Game: 100, Tony Champion vs. West Georgia (tied with 5) 1983
Long Interception Returns
Game: Jimmy Randolph vs. Morehead State 1976
(tied with N. Strickland, LU)
*From 1971-87

1988 GSC Statistics

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Team	W-L-T		Team		PC	HI	YDS	TDS	AVG	Team		G	PLAYS	YDS		VG
Troy State	8-0-0	9-1-1	UTM	400	244	19	2431	16	221.0	LU		11	737	2811	2	55.5
Mississippi College	5-3-0	6-5-0	DSU	284	132	13	2151	14	195.5	UNA		11	723	2924	2	65.8
North Alabama	4-3-1	5-5-1	LU	347	166	19	1943	7	176.6	TSU		11	699	3137	2	85.1
Valdosta State	4-4-0	6-4-0	VSC	180	99	12	1473	14	147.3	MC		11	699	3154	2	86.7
Delta State	3-4-1	6-4-1	TSU	193	95	9	1588	11	144.4	VSC		10	701	3114	. 3	11.4
acksonville State	3-4-1	5-4-1	UNA	253	123	10	1452	6	132.0	JSU		10	673	3268		26.8
Livingston	3-4-1	5-5-1	WGC	236	115	17	1364	10	124.0	UTM		11	791	3807		46.1
UT Martin	3-5-0	5-6-0	MC	178	89	9	1056	4	96.0	DSU		11	806	3879		52.6
West Georgia	1-7-0	2-9-0	ISU	153	71	5	875	2		WGC		11				
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TSU 11	360	32.7	ISU	492		216	2017	21	201.7	MC	245	125		1407	8	127.9
VSC 10	231	23.1	MC		2410	287	2123	23	193.0	LU	266	117		1432	6	130.2
DSU 11	227	20.6	VSC		2071	248	1823	16	182.3	JSU	227	121		1434	5	143.4
MC 11	223	20.3														
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UNA 11	191	17.4	UTM	373	1867	381	1486	10	135.1	TSU	294	148	12	1891	10	171.9
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JSU 10 645	2892	289.2	UTM		11		221		20.1	DSU	525	2355	366	1989	18	180.8
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Rodney Jones, UNA	16	151	9.4						iters, JSU	57		2273		39.9		
Donnie Milloy, MC	8	71	8.9						va, TSU	35		1359		38.8		
Kevin Locastro, DSU																
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Darrell Malone, JSU	9	352	28.0					,	nam, DSU	6		65				
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The 1988 Opponents



Mike Mahoney Murray State



"Sporty" Carpenter Henderson State



Mike Cavan Valdosta State



Don Skelton



Delta State

Terry Bowden Samford



Robert Maddox Troy State





Iohn Williams Miss. College



Bobby Wallace North Alabama



Bill Burgess lacksonville St.



Sam McCorkle Livingston



Frank Vohun West Georgia

Game 1

Murray State

Sept. 3, (Murray, Ky.)

Full Name: Murray State University Location: Murray, Ky. 42071

Founded: 1922 Enrollment: 7.300

President: Dr. Kala M. Stroup

Athletic Director (Alma Mater): Michael D. Strickland (Georgia Southern) National Affiliation: NCAA Division

Conference Affiliation: Ohio Valley Conference

Nickname: Racers Colors: Blue and Gold

Stadium (Capacity): Roy Stewart Stadium (16,800)

Surface: Artificial Turf Head Coach: Mike Mahoney (Southern Connecticut,

Career Record (Seasons): 6-5 (1) at Murray State (Seasons): 6-5 (1)

1987 Record: 6-5

1987 Conference Record (Finish): 3-3 (fourth)

Assistant Coaches: Charlie Carpenter (Offensive Line), Rob Christophel (Quarterbacks), Ron Cooper (Defensive Coordinator, Secondary), Glynn Iones (Inside Linebackers), Bob Larson (Offensive Coordinator, Running Backs), Eric Roark (Receivers), "Rock" Roggemen (Defensive Ends), Albert Starnes (Outside Linebackers)

Primary Offense: Multiple

Primary Defense: Wide Tackle Six

Lettermen Returning: 29

Offensive Starters Returning: 5

Defensive Starters Returning: 4

Biggest UTM Win: 41-0, 1971 Biggest UTM Loss: 24-0, 1979

Series Record: UTM trails 13-7-1

1988 Schedule

Sept 3 Tennessee-Martin Sept. 10 at Southeast Missouri

Sept. 17 at Southern Illinois

Sept. 24 at Nevada-Reno

Oct 1 Tennessee Tech

Oct. 8 at Morehead State

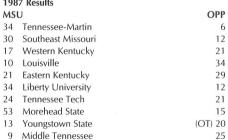
Oct 15 Tennessee State

Oct. 29 Eastern Kentucky

Nov. 12 Middle Tennessee Nov. 19 at Austin Peay State

1987 Results

40 Austin Peay



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Game 2

Henderson State



Sept. 10, (Pacer Stadium)

Full Name: Henderson State University

Location: Arkadelphia, Ark. 71923 Founded: 1890 Enrollment: 3,000

President: Dr. Charles Dunn

Athletic Director (Alma Mater): Iim Mack Sawyer (Henderson State)

National Affiliation: NAIA-I

Conference Affiliation: Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference (AIC)

Nickname: Reddies

Colors: Red and Grav

Stadium (Capacity): Haygood Stadium (9,600)

Surface: Natural Grass

Head Coach: Ralph "Sporty" Carpenter (Henderson State,

Career Record (Seasons): 108-67-2 (17)

at Henderson State: 108-67-2 (17) 1987 Record: 5-5

1987 Conference Record (Finish): 3-3 (third)

Assistant Coaches: George Baker (Defensive Coordinator), Bill Massey (Offensive Coordinator), Charles Thomas (Secondary)

Primary Offense: Pro-I Primary Defense: "53"

Lettermen Returning: 25

Offensive Starters Returning: 7

Defensive Starters Returning: 7 Series Record: First Meeting

1988 Schedule

Sept. 10 at Tennessee-Martin

Sept. 17 Delta State

Oct. 1 at Northeastern Okla, State

Oct. 8 East Central Oklahoma

Oct. 15 Arkansas Tech

Oct. 22 at Harding

Oct. 29 at Southern Arkansas

Nov. 5 Arkansas-Monticello

Nov 12 at Central Arkansas

Nov. 19 Ouachita Baptist

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	7	Texas Lutheran	
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6	28	Arkansas Tech	
2	10	Harding	
1	16	Southern Arkansas	- 1
4	20	Arkansas-Monticello	1
9	16	Central Arkansas	- 1
2	7	Ouachita Baptist	1
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Valdosta State

Mississippi College

Sept. 24, (Clinton, Miss.)

Full Name: Valdosta State College Location: Valdosta, Ga. 31698

Founded: 1906 Enrollment: 6,800

President: Dr. Hugh C. Bailey

Athletic Director (Alma Mater): Mike Cavan (Georgia, 1972) and Tommy Thomas

National Affiliation: NCAA Division II

Sept. 17. (Pacer Stadium)

Conference Affiliation: Gulf South Conference

Nickname: Blazers

Colors: Red and Black

Stadium (Capacity): Cleveland Field (11,738)

Surface: Natural Grass

Head Coach: Mike Cavan (Georgia, 1972) Career Record (Seasons): 15-6 (2)

at Valdosta State: 15-6 (2)

1987 Record: 6-4

1987 Conference Record (Finish): 4-4 (Fourth) Assistant Coaches: David Russell (Defensive Coordinator). George Collins (Offensive Line), Peter Thurmond (Secondary), Buck Belue (Receivers), David Elsenrath (Tight Ends), David Naper (Defensive Line), Jay Walls (Outside Linebackers)

Primary Offense: Multiple Primary Defense: Multiple Lettermen Returning: 36

Offensive Starters Returning: 8 **Defensive Starters Returning:** 9 Biggest UTM Win: None

1988 Schedule Sept. 10 at Fort Valley State Sept. 17 at Tennessee-Martin

Biggest UTM Loss: 38-6, 1984

Series Record: UTM trails 4-0

Sept. 24 Jacksonville State Oct. 1 at Troy State Oct. 8 Livingston

Oct. 15 at West Georgia Oct. 22 Central Florida

Oct. 29 Mississippi College Nov. 5 at Delta State

Nov. 12 North Alabama

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19	Livingston	9
24	Tennessee-Martin	10
27	Jacksonville State	10
7	Troy State	44
49	West Georgia	14
35	Savannah State	16
12	Mississippi College	20
21	Delta State	24
16	North Alabama	17

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Game 4

Full Name: Mississippi College Location: Clinton, Miss, 31698

Founded: 1826

Enrollment: 3 600

President: Dr. Lewis Nobles Athletic Director (Alma Mater): John M. Williams (Missis-

sippi College, 1957) National Affiliation: NCAA Division II

Conference Alliliation: Gulf South Conference

Nickname: Choctaws Colors: Navy and Old Gold

Stadium (Capacity): Robinson-Hale (9.000)

Surface: Natural Grass

Head Coach: John Williams (MC, 1957) Career Record (Seasons): 196-91-9 (28)

at Mississippi College (Seasons): 93-70-4 (16) 1987 Record: 6-5

1987 Conference Record (Finish): 5-3 (second) Assistant Coaches: Terry McMillan (Offensive Coordinator

& Asst. Head Coach), Ricky Herzog, (Defensive Line), Joel "Hap" Hudson (Defensive Line and Trainer), Charlie Coles

(Defensive Coach), Laurin Collins, (Receiver Coach) Primary Offense: Multiple Primary Defense: Multiple

Lettermen Returning: 32 Offensive Starters Returning: 9 **Defensive Starters Returning:** 8

Biggest UTM Win: 36-14, 1976 Biggest UTM Loss: 38-0, 1985 Series Record: UTM trails 10-4

1988 Schedule

Sept. 3 at McNeese State Sept. 10 at North Alabama

Sept. 17 Southeast Missouri

Sept. 24 Tennessee-Martin Oct. 1 at lacksonville State

Oct. 8 Troy State Oct. 15 at Livingston

Oct. 22 West Georgia Oct. 29 at Valdosta State

Nov. 5 at Lamar Nov. 12 Delta State

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20	North Alabama	24
28	West Texas State	16
34	Tennessee-Martin	24
15	Jacksonville State	13
21	Troy State	48
7	Livingston 8 37 West Georgia	7
20	Valdosta State	12
28	Southeast Missouri	30
13	Delta State	7

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Game 5

Delta State

Oct. 1, (Homecoming)

Full Name: Delta State University Location: Cleveland, Miss. 38733

Founded: 1924 Enrollment: 3,600

President: Dr. Kent Wyatt

Athletic Director (Alma Mater): Dr. Jim Jordan (South Carolina, 1964)

National Affiliation: NCAA Division II Conference Affiliation: Gulf South Conference

Nickname: Statesmen

Colors: Green and White

Stadium (Capacity): Travis E. Parker Field (8,000) Surface: Natural Grass

Head Coach: Don Skelton (Delta State, 1963)

Career Record (Seasons): 0-0 (lst)

1987 Record: 6-4-1 1987 Conference Record (Finish): 3-4-1 (tie 5th) Assistant Coaches: Todd Knight (Offensive Line), Clifton

Ealy (Secondary), Ray Bridges, (TBA), Britt Stender (TBA) Primary Offense: Multiple

Primary Defense: 50

Lettermen Returning: 33 Offensive Starters Returning: 6 **Defensive Starters Returning: 10 Biggest UTM Win: 46-7, 1977**

Biggest UTM Loss: 47-0, 1982

Series Record: UTM trails 20-10

1988 Schedule Sept. 3 at Arkansas State Sept. 10 Southern Arkansas Sept. 17 at Henderson State Sept. 24 North Alabama

Oct. 1 at Tennessee-Martin Oct. 8 Tacksonville State Oct. 15 at Troy State

Oct. 22 Livingston Oct. 29 at West Georgia Nov 5 Valdosta State

Nov. 12 at Mississippi College 1987 Results

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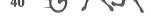
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Oct. 8. (Florence, Ala.)

Full Name: University of North Alabama

Location: Florence, Ala. 35632

Founded: 1872

Enrollment: 5.000

President: Dr. Robert Guillot

Athletic Director (Alma Mater): Bill Jones (UNA, 1958)

National Affiliation: NCAA Division II

Conference Affiliation: Gulf South Conference

Nickname: Lions

Colors: Purple and Gold

Stadium (Capacity): Braly Municipal (14,500)

Surface: Natural Grass

Head Coach: Bobby Wallace (Mississippi State, 1967)

Career Record (Seasons): (lst)

1987 Record: 5-5-1

1987 Conference Record (Finish): 4-3-1 (third)

Assistant Coaches: Steve Carter (Defensive Line), Glen Davis (Defensive backs), Ikey Fowler (Offensive Line), Ruffin McNeill (Inside Linebackers), Jeff Webb (Quarterbacks), Randy Campbell (Wide Receivers)

Primary Offense: Multiple

Primary Defense: 50

Lettermen Returning: 33

Offensive Starters Returning: 4

Defensive Starters Returning: 6

Biggest UTM Win: 35-7, 1970

Biggest UTM Loss: 51-7, 1969

Series Record: UTM trails 16-11-1

1988 Schedule

Sept. 3 Alabama A & M

Sept. 10 Mississippi College

Sept. 24 at Delta State Oct. 1 at Central Florida

Oct. 8 Tennessee-Martin

Oct. 15 at Jacksonville State

Oct. 22 Troy State

Oct. 29 at Livingston

Nov 5 West Georgia

Nov. 12 at Valdosta State

1987 Results

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3 Tennessee-Martin

10 Jacksonville State 3 Troy State

10 Livingston 13 West Georgia

17 Valdosta State *Forfeit Losses

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Game 7

Samford

Oct. 15. (Birmingham, Ala.)

Full Name: Samford University Location: Birmingham, Ala. 35229

Founded: 1841

Enrollment: 4 000

President: Dr. Thomas E. Corts

Athletic Director (Alma Mater): Steve Algood (Samford)

National Affiliation: NCAA Division I-AA

Conference Affiliation: Independent

Nickname: Bulldogs Colors: Crimson and Blue

Stadium (Capacity): Seibert Stadium (6,000)

Surface: Natural Grass

Head Coach: Terry Bowden (West Virginia, 1978)

Career Record (Seasons): 29-14 (4)

Record at Samford (Seasons): 9-1 (l)

1987 Record: 9-1 (NCAA III)

1987 Conference Record (Finish): Independent

Assistant Coaches: Jeff Bowden (Offensive Coordinator) lack Hones, (Defensive Coordinator), John Lee Armstrong (Running Backs), Todd Stroud (Defensive Line/Strength), Bob Stinchcomb (TBA), Tony Ierullo (TBA), Rip Ingle (Linebackers), Jimbo Fisher (Quarterbacks)

Primary Offense: Pro I

Primary Defense: Multiple 50

Lettermen Returning: 31

Offensive Starters Returning: 5

Defensive Starters Returning: 7

Biggest UTM Win: None

Biggest UTM Loss: 14-13, 1959 Series Record: UTM trails 0-1-1

1988 Schedule

Sept. 3 at Jacksonville State

Sept. 10 Nicholls State Sept. 17 at Tennessee Tech

Sept. 24 Livingston

Oct. 1 at Morehead State

Oct. 8 at West Georgia

Oct 15 Tennessee-Martin

Oct. 29 Mars Hill

Nov. 5 Emory and Henry

Nov. 12 at Georgia Southern

Nov 19 Miles

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Game 8



Oct. 22, (Pacer Stadium)

Fullname: lacksonville State University Location: lacksonville, Ala. 36265

Founded: 1883

Enrollment: 7 000

President: Dr. Harold McGee

Athletic Director (Alma Mater): lerry Cole (lacksonville

National Affiliation: NCAA Division II Conference Affiliation: Gulf South Conference

Nickname: Gamecocks

Colors: Red and White

Stadium (Canacity): Paul Snow Stadium (15.000)

Surface: Natural Grass Head Coach: Bill Burgess (Auburn, 1963)

Career Record (Seasons): 13-14-1 (3 years) Record At Jacksonville State (Seasons): 13-14-1 (3 years)

1987 Record: 5-4-1

1987 Conference Record (Finish): 3-4-1 (Tie-fifth)

Assistant Coaches: Eddie Carfinkle (Defensive Coordinator). Charlie Maniscalco (Offensive Coordinator). Roland Houston (Offensive Line), Mark Fleetwood, (Running Backs). Richard Koehler (Outside Linebackers). David Saunders (Secondary), Jay Brown (Tackles)

Primary Offense: Wishbone

Primary Defense: Split 4

Lettermen Returning: 44

Offensive Starters Returning: 5 **Defensive Starters REturning:** 9

Biggest UTM Win: 38-0, 1967

Biggest UTM Loss: 50-7, 1973

Series Record: UTM trails 18-3

1988 Schedule

Sept. 3 Samford

Sept. 10 Alabama A & M (Birmingham)

Sept. 17 West Georgia

Sept. 24 at Valdosta State

Oct. 1 Mississippi College

Oct. 8 at Delta State

Oct. 15 North Alabama Oct. 22 at Tennessee-Martin

Nov. 5 Troy State

Nov. 12 at Livingston

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Game 9

Founded: 1887

Miss 1964)

Enrollment: 12,000

Nickname: Trojans

Surface: Natural Grass

Mike Turk, Greg Stewart

Lettermen Returning: 39

1988 Schedule

Primary Offense: Wishbone

Primary Defense: 50-Overshift

Offensive Starters Returning: 3

Defensive Starters Returning: 9

Biggest UTM Loss: 54-10, 1982

Series Record: UTM trails 12-11

Sept. 3 Southeast Missouri

Sept. 17 at Central Florida

Sept. 24 at West Georgia

Oct. 8 at Mississippi College

Oct. 22 at North Alabama

Oct. 29 Tennessee-Martin

17 Southeast Missouri

17 Nicholls State

44 West Georgia

44 Valdosta State

38 Delta State

38 North Alabama

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NCAA Div. II plays-offs

45 Winston-Salem

31 Central Florida

31 Portland State

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24 Livingston

45 West Texas State

Nov. 5 at Jacksonville State

Sept. 10 Livingston

Oct. 1 Valdosta State

Oct. 15 Delta State

1987 Results

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Biggest UTM Win: 30-7, 1966

Trov State

Oct. 29, (Troy, Ala.)

Location: Troy, Ala. 36082

President: Ralph W. Adams

National Affiliation: NCAA Division II

Stadium (Capacity): Memorial (12,000)

Colors: Cardinal Gray and Black

Career Record (Seasons): (1st)

Conference Affiliation: Gulf South Conference

Head Coach: Robert Maddox (Troy State, 1977)

Assistant Coaches: Willie Slater, Johnny Williams, Mike

O'Toole, George Fuller, David Stapleton, Clint McCrory,

1987 Record: 12-1-1 (National champions)

1987 Conference Record (Finish): 8-0 (First)

Full Name: Troy State University

Athletic Director (Alma Mater): Robert E. Stewert (Ole

Game 10

Founded: 1835

Enrollment: 1.650

Nickname: Tigers

Colors: Red and White

Surface: Natural Grass

1987 Record: 5-5-1

Primary Defense: 4-4

1988 Schedule

Sept. 17 at Elon

Sept. 24 Samford

Oct. 1 West Georgia

Oct. 8 at Valdosta State

Oct. 22 at Delta State

8 Fast Texas State

9 Valdosta State

17 Troy State

34 Miles College

14 West Georgia

7 Delta State

12 North Alabama

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26 Tennessee-Martin

19 Jacksonville State

14 Western Kentucky

8 Mississippi College

1987 Results

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Oct. 29 North Alabama

Oct. 15 Mississippi College

Nov. 5 at Tennessee-Martin

Nov. 12 Jacksonville State

Lettermen Returning: 39

Sent 3 Fast Texas State

Sept. 10 at Troy State

Offensive Starters Returning: 5

Defensive Starters Returning: 9

Biggest UTM Win: 33-0, 1961

Riggest UTM Loss: 41-6, 1985

Series Record: UTM Leads 12-10-1

Livingston

Nov. 5, (Pacer Stadium)

Full Name: Livingston University

Location: Livingston, Ala, 35470

National Affiliation: NCAA Division II

Stadium (Capacity): Tiger Stadium (8.500)

Career Record (Seasons): 14-18-1, (3)

Conference Affiliation: Gulf South Conference

Head Coach: Sam McCorkle (Livingston 1973)

1987 Conference Record (Finish): 3-4-1 (Tie fifth)

Assistant Coaches: Ken Jones, Bill Patterson, John Wind-

ham, Tim Moore, Leon Carlyle, Tony Oglesby, Scott King

Record at Livingston (Seasons): 14-18-1, (3)

Primary Offense: Vanderbilt Passing Game

Athletic Director (Alama Mater): Dr. lim Pate (Delta State.

President: Dr. Asa N. Green

Game 11

West Georgia

Nov. 12, (Carrollton, Ga.)

Full Name: West Georgia College Location: Carrollton, Ga. 30118

Founded: 1933 Enrollment: 6.150

President: Dr. Maurice Townsend

Athletic Director (Alma Mater): Dr. David Duncan

Braves

(Georgia)

National Affiliation: NCAA Division II Conference Affiliation: Gulf South Conference

Nickname: Braves

Colors: Red and Blue

Stadium (Capacity): Grisham (6,500)

Surface: Natural Grass Head Coach: Frank Vohun, (Florida State 1970)

Career Record (Seasons): 11-21, (3)

Record at West Georgia (Seasons): 11-21, (3)

1987 Record: 2-9 1987 Conference Record (Finish): 1-7 (Ninth)

Assistant Coaches: Don Jacobs (Offensive Coordinator), Bubba May (Offensive Line), Mike Pack (Defensive Coor-

dinator), Ron Wright (Defensive Line) Primary Offense: Multiple Primary Defense: Multiple 40

Lettermen Returning: 35 Offensive Starters Returning: 8 **Defensive Starters Returning: 10**

Biggest UTM Win: 59-6, 1957 Biggest UTM Loss: 33-16, 1984 Series Record: UTM Trails 2-4

1988 Schedule

Sept. 10 at Central Florida

Sept. 17 at Jacksonville State Sept. 24 Troy State Oct. 1 at Livingston

Oct. 8 Samford Oct. 15 Valdosta State

Oct. 22 at Mississippi College Oct. 29 Delta State Nov. 5 at North Alabama

Nov. 12 Tennessee-Martin

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UT Martin Football Records

Team Records

SCORING

Most Points Scored

70 vs Millikin Game: 387 (1967) Season:

Most Touchdowns Scored Game: 10 vs Millikin

Season: 46 (1967)

Total Offense

Game: 543 vs Morris Brown (1980)

4,428 (1977) Season:

RUSHING

Most Net Yards Rushing

390 vs North Alabama (1976)

3.013 (1977) Season:

Highest Rushing Average Per Game

Season: 273.9 (1977)

Most Attempts

Season: 678 (1977) Most Yards Lost Rushing **Season:** 563 (1975)

PASSING

Most Net Yards

362 vs Jacksonville State (1986) Game:

2,856 (1986) Season:

Most Attempts

54 vs Troy State (1986) Game:

447 (1986) Season:

Most Completions

37 vs Troy State (1986) Game:

251 (1986) Season:

Most Passes Had Intercepted

6 vs Austin Peay, Valdosta State (1986) Game:

26 (1985), 25 (1968, 1983) Season:

Highest Passing Average Per Game

Season: 259.6 (1986)

Most Touchdown Passes Game:

4 vs Delta State (1983)

3 vs Livingston (1987) Livingston, West Georgia (1986), Jacksonville State, Mississippi College, Delta State (1981), Tennessee Tech (1980), Missouri Mines (1962, 63), Southeast Missouri (1967), Livingston (1964), Northwood (1968), Pensacola

Navy (1969), Arkansas State (1967), Millikin (1967)

Season: 18 (1967)

PUNTING

Most Punts

14 vs Nicholls State (1975) Game: 86 (1973) Season:

Most Yards Punting

455 vs Nicholls State (1974) Game:

3,241 (1983) Season:

PUNT RETURNS

Most Returns

Season: 43 (1976)

Most Return Yardage

Game: 180 vs Bradley (1966)

Season: 618 (1967)

KICKOFF RETURNS

Most Returns

Season:

9 vs Jacksonville State (1973), Southeast Missouri (1986)

52 (1986) Season:

Most Return Yardage

172 vs Southeast Missouri (1987)

171 vs Bradley (1966)

1,063 (1986)

INTERCEPTIONS

8 vs Trov State (1968) Game:

Most Return Yardage

Game: 158 vs Troy State 485 (1976)

26 (1968)

Most Returned for Touchdowns

Season: 6 (1976)

FUMBLES

Most Recovered

5 vs Parsons (1969), Austin Peay (1974) Game:

25 (1974) Season:

DEFENSIVE MISCELLANEOUS

Fewest Points Yielded

48 (1958)

Fewest Yards Allowed Rushing

Game: 6 vs Bradley (1966) 383 (1967)

Fewest Yards Allowed Passing

7 Livingston (1982) Game:

734 (1971) Season:

LONGEST SINGLE PLAYS

98 yards, John Burch vs Austin Peay (1987)

80 yards, Nate Moore vs Parsons (1969)

78 yards, Jim Wiggins vs Bradley (1966)

80 yards, Vernon Prather to Wilbur Edmiston vs Florence State

(1960), Trey Sikes to Antonio Perry vs Lane (1985)

69 yards, Gene Sides vs West Chester (1967) Punt:

53 yards, Mickey Hamilton vs Tennessee State and Delta State Field Goal:

(1976), Randy Barnes vs Nicholls State (1972)

Punt Return: 88 yards, Mike Beeler vs Tennessee Tech (1971)

Kickoff Return:

100 yards, Tony Champion vs West Georgia (1983)

Interception

Rush:

Pass:

100 yards, Jimmy Randolph vs Morehead State (1977) Return:

Individual Records

RUSHING

Most Attempts

33, Bobby Fowler vs Harding (1956)

225, Bobby Fowler (1959) Season:

703, Bobby Fowler (1956-59)

Most Yards Gained

250, Bobby Fowler vs West Georgia (1957) Game:

1,058, Larry Washington (1976)

1,054, Bobby Fowler (1959) 4,033, Bobby Fowler (1956-59) Career:

Most Touchdowns Scored

Game: 5, Bobby Fowler vs West Georgia (1957)

19, Bobby Fowler (1957) post-1960 9 Larry Shanks (1967) Season:

47, Bobby Fowler (1956-59) Career:

PASSING

Most Attempts

Game: 54, Trey Sikes vs Troy State (1986)

289, Tommy Overton (1981) Season: 745, Trev Sikes (1984-87) Career:

Most Completions

37, Trey Sikes vs Troy State (1986) Game:

Season: 174, Leon Reed (1987)

377, Trey Sikes (1984-87) Career:

Most Yards Gained

359, Leon Reed vs Mississippi College (1987) Came

1,791, Leon Reed (1987)

4,258, Trey Sikes (1984-87) Career:

Most Interceptions Thrown

5, Kelly Coker vs Livingston (1970)

5, Eric Bradner vs Austin Peay and Valdosta State (1986)

20, Trey Sikes (1985) Season: Career: 44, Trey Sikes (1984-87)

Best Completion Percentage

Leon Reed 63.7 (174-273, 1987) Career: Trey Sikes 50.6 (377-745, 1984-87)

Most Touchdown Passes

3, Vernon Prather vs Missouri Mines (1962), Allan Cox vs Game: Southeast Missouri (1967), Billy Watson vs Missouri Mines (1967), Charles Wynn vs Livingston (1964), Errol Hook vs

Northwood (1968), Kelly Coker vs Pensacola Navy (1969), Tommy Overton vs Tennessee Tech and Mississippi College (1980), Delta State (1981), David Carter vs Delta State (1983),

Trey Sikes vs Livingston and West Georgia (1986), Leon Reed

vs Livingston (1987)

13. Allan Cox (1967) Season: 27, Allan Cox (1965-68) Career:

PASS RECEIVING

Most Receptions: 16. William Mackall vs Delta State (1987)

90, William Mackall (1987) Season:

158, William Mackall (1985-A) Career:

Most Yards Gained

181, Tony Champion vs Troy State (1983) Game:

829, Dwayne McKinney (1980) 1,793, Dwayne McKinney (1979-82) Career:

Most Touchdown Receptions

2. By Several Players Game:

8, Dwayne McKinney (1980), Ronald George (1977)

15, Dwayne McKinney (1979-82)

14, Tony Champion (1981-84)

Total Offense

Career:

389, Leon Reed vs Mississippi College (1987)

2,106, Leon Reed (1987) Season: 4,258, Trey Sikes (1984-87)

Most Touchdowns Responsible For

5, Bobby Fowler vs West Georgia (1957)

19. Alvin Smalls (1977)

19, Bobby Fowler (1957) 17. Allan Cox (1967)

Career: 47, Bobby Fowler (1956-59)

Most Points Responsible For

33, Bobby Fowler vs West Georgia (1957) 26, Wilbur Edmiston vs Missouri Mines (1961)

117, Bobby Fowler, (1957) **Career:** 309, Bobby Fowler, (1956-59)

Most Plays Responsible For

395, Leon Reed (1987) Season: 939, Alvin Smalls, (1975-77) Career:

Most Punts

14, David Brown vs Nicholls State (1975) Game:

PUNTING

86, David Brown (1973) Season: 207, Mark Williams (1978-81) Career:

Most Yards Punting

455, Jim Valdes vs Nicholls State (1974) Game:

3,044, David Brown (1973) Season: 7,555, Mark Williams (1978-81)



Season: 168, Terry Giltner (1970)

Career: 281, Terry Giltner (1969-70)

Most Assisted Tackles

Season:

87, Terry Giltner (1970)

Career:



Highest Punting Average

50.0, Gary Davis vs Delta State (1977) Game:

Season: 40.2, Joey Elmore (1986)

39.1, David Carter (1982-83), 39.2, Jim Valdes (1971-74)

SCORING

Most Touchdowns

Career:

5. Bobby Fowler vs West Georgia (1957) Game:

19, Bobby Fowler (1959) Season:

47, Bobby Fowler (1956-59) Career:

Most Extra Points Kicked

Game: 10, Lee Mayo vs Millikin (1967)

20, Lee Mayo (1967) Season: Career: 59. Lee Mayo (1967-68)

Most Extra Points Attempted

10, Lee Mayo vs Millikin (1967) Game:

Field Goals Made

4, Mickey Hamilton vs Tennessee State (1976) Game:

Season: 20, Mickey Hamilton (1976) 37. Keith Kasnic (1982-85) Career:

Field Goals Attempted

5. Mickey Hamilton vs Tennessee State (1976) Game:

20, Mickey Hamilton (1976) 53, Keith Kasnic (1982-85) Career: Most Points Scored by Kicking

14, Mickey Hamilton vs Tennessee State (1976) Game: 76, Lee Mayo (1967), 71, Mickey Hamilton (1976) Season:

152. Keith Kasnic (1982-85), 131. Mickey Hamilton (1973-76) Consecutive Field Goals Made: 14, Keith Kasnic (1982-83)

Punt Returns

7, Jerry Reese vs Fort Valley State (1982) Game: Season: 30, Jerry Reese (1982), 30, Jim Wiggins (1967)

Career: 77, Jerry Reese (1981-84) Most Return Yardage

Game: 180, Jim Wiggins vs Bradley (1966) Season: 509, lim Wiggins (1967)

872, Jim Wiggins (1966-68) Career: Highest Average Per Return

Season: 17.0, Jim Wiggins (1967) **Career:** 14.1, Jim Wiggins (1966-68)

KICKOFF RETURNS Most Returns

6, Henry Allen vs Southeast Missouri State (1986) Game: 6, Edmond Harris vs North Alabama (1974)

Career: 43, Jim Wiggins (1966-68)

Season:

Season:

Most Return Yardage

172, William Mackall vs Southeast Missouri (1987) Game:

39. Henry Allen (1986)

171, Jim Wiggins vs Bradley (1966) Season:

759, Henry Allen (1986) 1,002, William Mackall (1985-A) Career:

INTERCEPTIONS 4. Mike Beeler vs Jacksonville State (1970) Game:

> 4, Ernest Jackson vs Livingston (1986) 8, Clay Blalack (1976), Mike Beeler (1970), Don Jones (1969)

7, Jerry Reese (1981) 18, Mike Beeler (1968-71)

Career: 18, Don Jones (1968-71)

Most Returned for Touchdowns

Most Return Yardage 100, Jimmy Randolph vs Morehead State (1977)

Season: 269, Clay Blalack (1976) **Career:** 344, Clay Blalack (1975-77)

Season: 4, Clay Blalack Career: 4, Clay Blalack

TACKLES Most Total Tackles 25, Terry Giltner vs McNeese State (1970) Game:

23, Terry Giltner vs Parsons (1969), 255, Terry Giltner (1970) 401, Terry Giltner (1969-70) **Most Unassisted Tackles**

158, Charles Cavaness (1982-85)

45

Career Leaders

- 1						
	Offe	ensive	3.	Alvin Smalls (1975-77) 2,886	8.	Antonio Perry (1984-A) 901
1			4.	Tommy Overton (1979-81) 2,449	9.	Scott Boehring (1962-64) 890
1		l Offense	5.	Vernon Prather (1960-62) 2,323	10.	James Lane (1982-85) 874
1	1.	Trey Sikes (1984-87) 4,497	6.	David Carter (1980-83) 2,128	11.	Henry Allen (1986-87) 715
1	2.	Alvin Smalls (1975-78) 4,116	7.	Kelly Coker (1969-71) 1,835	12.	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
1	3.	Bobby Fowler (1956-59) 4.033	8.	Leon Reed (1987-A) 1,791	13.	John Burch (1985-A) 689
	4.	Trey Sikes (1984-A) 3,924	9.	Jimmy Wash (1979-80) 1,557		
İ	5.	Allen Cox (1965-68) 3,265	10.	Eric Bradner (1985-A) 1,346	Sco	ring
1	6.	Tommy Overton (1979-81) 2,566	11.	Shelton Zenon (1972-73) 1,143	1.	Bobby Fowler (1956-59) 309
	7.	Vernon Prather (1960-62) 2,399			2.	Keith Kasnic (1982-85) 162
	8.	Henry Williams (1975-78) 2,185	Care	er Receptions	3.	Wilbur Edmiston (1960-62) 157
	9.	David Carter (1980-83) 2,159	1.	William Mackall (1985-A) 158	4.	Mickey Hamilton (1973-76) 131
	10.	Leon Reed (1987-A) 2,106	2.	Joey Morris (1983-86)	5.	Larry Shanks (1964-67) 126
	11.	Kelly Coker (1969-71) 2,034	3.	Trace Overton (1980-83) 101	6.	William Mackall (1985-A) 116
	12.	Larry Shanks (1964-68) 2,005	4.	Dwayne McKinney (1979-82) 100	7.	Henry Williams (1975-78) 116
			5.	Ronald George (1974-77) 89	8.	Dewayne McKinney (1979-82) 114
	Rush	ning	6.	John Burch (1985-A)83	9.	Lee Mayo (1966-67) 113
	1.	Bobby Fowler (1956-59) 4,033	7.	Dana Whitten (1969-72)	10.	Michael Poteete (1977-80) 112
	2.	Henry Williams (1975-78) 2,185	8.	Henry Allen (1986-87) 76	11.	Alvin Smalls (1975-77) 108
	3.	Larry Shanks (1964-67) 2,005	9.	Tony Champion (1981-84) 72		
	4.	Nate Holmes (1969-72) 2,004	10.	Kenny Williams (1979-81) 67	Top	Ten Interceptions
	5.	Darrel Smith (1960-62) 1,813	11.	James Lane (1982-85) 57	1.	Mike Beller (1968-71)
	6.	Larry Washington (1974-76) 1,724	12.	Grady Maddox (1970-73) 56	2.	Don Jones (1969-71)
	7.	Bobby Hayes (1964-67) 1,611			3.	Mark Carroll (1975-78) 11
	8.	Wilbur Edmiston (1960-62) 1,454	Yard	s Receiving	4.	Clay Blalack (1975-77) 10
	9.	John Burch (1985-A)1,452	1.	Dwayne McKinney (1979-82) 1,793	5.	Jerry Reese (1982-84) 10
	10.	Everett DeVeaux (1979-81) 1,390	2.	Tony Champion (1981-84) 1,531	6.	David Williams (1975-77) 9
	11.	Richard Giebeig (1975-78) 1,301	3.	Ronald George (1974-77) 1,522	7.	Randy Giltner (1972-73) 8
			4.	William Mackall (1985-A) 1,468	8.	Ernest Jackson (1984-A)8
	Pass	ing	5.	Joey Morris (1983-86)	9.	Terry Butcher (1968-69)
	1.	Trey Sikes (1984-87) 4,258	6.	Trace Overton (1980-83) 1,320	10.	Wayne Jones (1969-70)
		Allan Cox (1965-68) 2,934	7.	Dana Whitten (1969-72) 1,288		

Annual Leaders

Aimuai Leadeis														
Total Offense Leaders				Annual Total Rush	ning Lead	lers	10.	Henry Williams	683	1977	8.	Allan Cox	1,116	1967
Name	Yards	Year	Nam	e	Yards	Year	11.	Nate Moore	654	1969	9.	Alvin Smalls	1,006	1976
Bobby Fowler	1,054	1959	Bobb	y Fowler	1,054	1959					10.	Vernon Prather	984	1962
Vernon Prather	742	1961	Darre	el Smith	582	1960		Annual Pas	ssing Leaders	6	11.	Jimmy Wash	946	1980
Vernon Prather	1,060	1962	Darre	el Smith	700	1961	Nan	ne	Yards	Year				
Billy Watson	605	1963	Darre	el Smith	523	1962	Veri	non Prather	597	1960		Annual Rec		
Chuck Lewis	491	1964	Gene	e Brodie	399	1963	Veri	non Prather	742	1961	Nan	ie	Catches	Years
Sandy Smith	621	1965	Chuc	ck Lewis	484	1964	Veri	non Prather	984	1962	Jim	Love	20	1961
Allan Cox	694	1966	Bobb	y Hayes	388	1965	Billy	Watson	700	1963	Wal	y Bielewicz	16	1962
Allan Cox	1,233	1967	Larry	Shanks	638	1966		rles Wynn	300	1964		t Boehringer	17	1963
Allan Cox	836	1968	Jim '	Wiggins	627	1966	San	dy Smith	551	1965	Scot	t Boehringer	15	1964
Glenn Lowe	635	1969	Larry	Shanks	823	1967		n Cox	516	1966		k Moody	28	1965
Kelly Coker	750	1970	Duff	Maki	375	1968	Alla	n Cox	1,216	1967		k Moody	20	1966
Kelly Coker	926	1971	Nate	Moore	654	1969	Alla	n Cox	836	1968		e Allison		
Shelton Zenon	714	1972	Nate	Holmes	707	1970		nn Lowe	597	1969		/ Shanks	15	1967
Danny Walker	860	1973	Nate	Holmes	767	1971		y Coker	609	1970	II.	e Allison	26	1968
Bill Staehs	963	1974	Nate	Holmes	609	1972	Kell	y Coker	850	1971		y Reeves	25	1969
Alvin Smalls	660	1975	Ranc	ly Cousar	633	1973	She	Iton Zenon	630	1972		a Witten	24	1970
Alvin Smalls	1,495	1976	Larry	Washington	379	1974		nny Walker	762	1973		a Witten	33	1971
Alvin Smalls	1,961	1977	Hen	ry Williams	575	1975	Bill	Staehs	567	1974		a Witten	18	1972
Sammy Bryant	964	1978	Larry	Washington	1,058	1976	Alvi	n Smalls	481	1975	Grad	dy Maddox	35	1973
Evertt DeVeaux	703	1979	Hen	ry Williams	683	1977	Alvi	n Smalls	1,006	1976		ald George	19	1974
Jimmy Wash	1,059	1980	Sam	my Bryant	690	1978	Alvi	n Smalls	1,379	1977	Ron	ald George	17	1975
Tommy Overton	1,636	1981	Ever	tt DeVeaux	703	1979	San	nmy Bryant	274	1978		ald George	22	1976
Chris Ford	759	1982	Bart	Dilday	411	1980	Jimi	my Wash	467	1979		ald George	31	1977
David Carter	1,240	1983		tt DeVeaux	296	1981	Jimi	my Wash	946	1980		y Murphy	12	1978
Kenny Golden	922	1984	Stan	ley Ladd	439	1982	Ton	nmy Overton	1,636	1981	Fred	die Hudson	16	1979
Trey Sikes	1,504	1985	Stan	ley Ladd	371	1983		is Ford	706	1982		ayne McKinney	37	1980
Trey Sikes	1,554	1986	Stan	ley Ladd	303	1984		vid Carter	1,193	1983		ayne McKinney	11	1981
Leon Reed	2,106	1987	Ced	ric Hosea	388	1985		ny Golden	627	1984		Jackson	25	1982
Top Ten S	easons		, -	Burch	530	1986		y Sikes	1,466	1985		y Champion	39	1983
 Leon Reed 	2,106	1987	John	Burch	796	1987		y Sikes	1,554	1986		Morris	27	1984
2. Alvin Smalls	1,961	1977		Top Ten So	easons			Bradner	1,163	1986	,	es Lane	31	1985
3. Tommy Overton	1,636	1981	1.	Larry Washington	1,058	1976	Leo	n Reed	1,791	1987		iam Mackall	63	1986
4. Trey Sikes	1,554	1986	2.	Bobby Fowler	1,054	1959		Top Te	en Seasons		Will	iam Mackall	90	1987
5. Trey Sikes	1,504	1985	3.	Larry Shanks	823	1967	1.	Leon Reed	1,791	1987		Top Ten S	easons	
6. Alvin Smalls	1,495	1976	4.	John Burch	796	1987	2.			1981	1.	William Mackall	90	1987
David Carter	1,240	1983	5.	Nate Holmes	767	1971	3.		1,554	1986	2.	William Mackall	63	1986
8. Allan Cox	1,233	1967	6.	Darrel Smith	708	1961	4.		1,466	1985	3.	Henry Allen	48	1987
9. Vernon Prather	1,060	1962	7.	Nate Holmes	707	1970	5.	Alvin Smalls	1,379	1977	4.	John Burch	47	1987
10. Jimmy Wash	1,059	1980	8.	Evertt DeVeaux	703	1979	6.	David Carter	1,193	1983	5.	Tony Champion	39	1983
11. Sammy Bryant	964	1978	9.	Sammy Bryant	690	1978	7.	Eric Bradner	1,163	1986	6.	Dwayne McKinne	y 37	1980

7. Grady Maddox	35	1973	10. Dana Witten	516	1971				al Punting Leaders		w
Dana Witten John Burch	33 32	1971 1986	 Antonio Perry Barry Reeves 	496 457	1986 1969	Name Gene Brodie		Punts 26	Yards 858	Avg.	Year 1961
10. Ronald George	31	1977	13. Dana Witten	409	1970	Wilbur Edmiston		23	791	33.0 34.3	1961
James Lane	31	1985	14. Henry Allen	402	1987	Gene Brodie		65		33.2	1963
2. Mack Moore	28	1965	15. Grady Maddox	400	1973	Steve Allison		40	1,305	32.8	1964
3. Henry Allen	28	1986	Tot Grady Triadeon			Tommy Baker		32	1,253	39.1	1965
4. Joey Morris	27	1984	Annual So	coring		Tommy Baker		56	2,007	36.2	1966
15. Steve Allison	26	1968	Name	Points	Year	Gene Sides		39	1,432	36.7	1967
			Wilbur Edmiston	64	1961	Gene Sides		61	2,211	36.3	1968
Annual Receiv	ving Yards	fi.	Darrel Smith	39	1962	Jim Alston		71	2,708	38.1	1969
Name	Yards	Years	Gene Brodie	24	1963	Jim Alston		57	2,253	39.5	1970
im Love	288	1961	Scott Boehringer	24	1963	Jim Valdes		30	1,134	37.8	1971
Wally Bielewiz	296	1962	Howard Finley	24	1963	Jim Stephens		30	1,022	34.0	
Scott Boehringer	332	1963	Kenny Dixon	24	1964	John Collins		76	2,638	34.7	1972
Scott Boehringer	304	1964	Mack Moody	30	1965	David Brown		86	3,004	34.9	1973
Mack Moody	378	1965	Lee Mayo	37	1966	Jim Valdes		57	2,280	40.0	1974
Mack Moody	179	1966	Lee Mayo	76	1967	David Brown		57	2,051	36.0	1975
teve Allison	243	1967	Tom Baker	36	1968	David Brown		56	2,175	38.8	1976
Steve Allison	261	1968	Nate Moore	42	1969	Gary Davis		47	1,876	39.9	1977
Barry Reeves	457	1969	Nate Holmes	48	1970	Mark Williams		44	1,595	36.3	1978
Dana Witten	409	1970	Nate Holmes	38	1971	Mark Williams		38	1,308	34.4	1979
Dana Witten	516	1971	Shelton Zennon	24	1972	Mark Williams		57	2,016	35.4	1980
Dana Witten	352	1972	Johnny Brundige	21	1973	Mark Williams		68	2,636	38.8	1981
Grady Maddox	400	1973	Larry Washington	24	1974	Peter Lutz		72	2,717	30.7	1982
Ronald George	320	1974	Mickey Hamilton	34	1975	David Carter		56	2,217	39.6	1983
Ronald George	216	1975	Mickey Hamilton	71	1976	Jimmy Sides		68	2,490	36.6	1984
Ronald George	363	1976	Mike Poteete	49	1977	Ray Pearce		71	2,300	32.4	1985
Ronald George	623	1977	Sammy Bryant	42	1978	Joey Elmore		56	2,249	40.2	1986
Ricky Murphy	154	1978	Bart Dilday	42	1979	Joey Elmore		64	2,418	37.8	1987
reddie Hudson	234	1979	Dwayne McKinney	72	1980						
Dwayne McKinney	829	1980	Dwayne McKinney	30	1981				Top Ten		
Owayne McKinney	548	1981	Keith Kasnic	50	1982	Punts			Yards		
Tony Champion	334	1982	Tony Champion	42	1983	1. David Brown	86	1973	1. David Brown	3,004	1973
Tony Champion	768	1983	Keith Kasnic	34	1984	2. John Collins	76	1972	2. Peter Lutz	2,717	1982
oey Morris	363	1984	Keith Kasnic	43	1985	Peter Lutz	72	1982	3. Jim Alston	2,709	1969
ames Lane	534	1985	William Mackall	62	1986	4. Jim Alston	71	1969	4. John Collins	2,638	1977
William Mackall	655	1986	William Mackall	42	1987	5. Ray Pearce	71	1985	5. Mark Williams	2,636	1981
William Mackall	792	1987				6. Mark Williams	68	1981	6. Joey Elmore	2,418	1987
			Top Ten Scorers			7. Jimmy Sides	68	1984	7. Jimmy Sides	2,490	1984
Top Ten Seasons			1. Lee Mayo	76	1967	8. Gene Brodie	65	1963	8. Ray Pearce	2,300	1985
1. Dwayne McKinney	y 829	1980	2. Dwayne McKinney	y 72	1980	9. Joey Elmore	64	1987	9. Jim Valdes	2,286	1974
2. William Mackall	792	1987	3. Mickey Hamilton	71	1976	10. Gene Sides	61	1968	10. Jim Alston	2,253	1970
3. Tony Champion	768	1983	4. Wilbur Edmiston	64	1961	11. Several Tied	57		11. Joey Elmore	2,249	1986
4. William Mackall	655	1986	5. William Mackall	62	1986						
5. Ronald George	623	1977	6. Keith Kasnic	50	1982	Top Punting Average C	Over 40.0				
6. Joey Morris	591	1986	7. Mike Poteete	49	1977	1. Joey Elmore	40.2	1986			
7. Henry Allen	561	1987	8. Nate Holmes	48	1970	2. Jim Valdes	40.0	1974			
8. Dwayne McKinney	y 548	1981	9. Keith Kasnic	43	1985						
9. James Lane	534	1985	10. Five Tied	42							
	,	Annual Interceptio	ns and Yards				A	ınnual Lea	der Tackles, Assists, To	ital	
Name		Interceptions	Yards	Year		Name		Tackles	Assists	Total	Year
Tommy Baker		7		1966		Terry Giltner		113	33	146	1969
Robbie Smith		5		1967		Terry Giltner		168	87	255	1970
erry Butcher		5		1968							1971
Mike Beeler		5									1972
Oon Jones		8	62	1969			L				1973
∕like Beeler		8	59	1970		Mike Peebles		91	61	152	1974
Oon Jones		5	163	1971		Danny Watkins		79	64	143	1975
Bob Schweter		4	11	1972							1976
Randy Giltner		4	162								1977
Randy Giltner		4	58	1973							1978
Hunter Carter		4	0								1979
Brian Arquist		3	9	1974		•					1980
Gary Guthrie		4	4	1975							1981
Clay Blalack		8	269	1976		Gary Ihnen		46	52	98	1982
		4	154	1977		Greg Magee		49	61	110	1983
		3	85	1978		Jerry Reese		44	55	99	1984
		2	39	1979		Charles Cavaness		43	61	101	1985
Charlie Williams Kevin Lamb		2	25			Paul Randolph		55	69	124	1986
Charlie Williams Kevin Lamb Mike Chinn						Emanuel McNeil		54	76	130	1987
Charlie Williams Kevin Lamb Mike Chinn Barry Dixon		2	5								
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Charlie Williams Kevin Lamb Mike Chinn Barry Dixon Russ Greer		2 2 2		1980							
Charlie Williams Kevin Lamb Mike Chinn Barry Dixon Russ Greer Billy Wilkins		2 2 2 4	18	1980 1981							
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Benny Thompson Greg Watkins Paul Randolph



Statistic Superlatives

100-Yard Rushing Games

*Since 1966 as available, list incomplete some years, does not include school-record performance of Bobby Fowler 250 vs. West Georgia in

- 197 John Burch vs. West Georgia, 1987
- 173 John Burch vs. Austin Peay, 1987
- 164 Nate "Nat" Moore vs. McNeese State, 1969
- 162 Larry Washington vs. Delta State, 1976
- 158 Nate Holmes vs. Austin Peay, 1971
- 156 Jim Wiggins vs. North Alabama, 1966
- 153 Bobby Hayes vs. Jacksonville State, 1967
- 148 Larry Washington vs. Tennessee State, 1976
- 145 Everett DeVeaux vs. Livingston, 1979
- 142 Jim Wiggins vs. Middle Tennessee, 1967
- 140 Larry Washington vs. North Alabama, 1976
- 137 Larry Shanks vs. Jacksonville State, 1967
- 136 Nate "Nat" Moore vs. Parson, 1969
- 134 Larry Shanks vs. Southeast Missouri, 1967
- 131 Larry Shanks vs. North Alabama, 1967
- Alvin Smalls vs. Murray State, 1976
- 128 Alvin Schomaker vs. North Alabama, 1970
- 127 Michael Gipson vs. Jacksonville State, 1977

- 126 Nate Holmes vs. Delta State, 1971
- Larry Shanks vs. Austin Peay, 1966
- 121 Larry Shanks vs. Troy State, 1966
- Jim Wiggins vs. Troy State, 1967
- 118 Ron Schomaker vs. Livingston, 1970
- Larry Shanks vs. Bradley, 1966
- Jim Wiggins vs. Bradley, 1966
- John Burch vs. Delta State, 1986
- George Dominguez vs. North Alabama, 1972
- Larry Shanks vs. Delta State, 1967
- Stanley Ladd vs. Murray State, 1982
- Bart Dilday vs. Delta State, 1979
- Larry Washington vs. Nicholls State, 1976
- 106 Mike Ray vs. Austin Peay, 1982
- Larry Washington vs. Jacksonville State, 1976
- Nate Holmes vs. Delta State, 1970
- Larry Shanks vs. Murray State, 1966
- 103 Larry Shanks vs. Arkansas College, 1967

UTM's Longest Plays

Rushing Play

98 yards John Burch vs. Austin Peay, 1987 86 yards Bobby Fowler vs. Delta State, 1958

80 yards Nate "Nat" Moore vs. Parsons, 1969

78 yards Jim Wiggins vs. Bradley, 1966

Pass Play

80 yards Vernon Prather to Wilbur Edmiston vs. North

Alabama, 1960

Trey Sikes to Antonio Perry vs. Lane, 1985

69 yards Gene Sides vs. West Chester State, 1967

Field Goal

53 yards Mickey Hamilton vs. Tennessee State, 1976

Mickey Hamilton vs. Delta State, 1976 Randy Barnes vs. Nicholls State, 1972

Punt Return

88 yards Mike Beeler vs. Tennessee Tech, 1971

Kickoff Return

100 yards Tony Champion vs. West Georgia, 1983

Interception Return

100 yards Jimmy Randolph vs. Morehead State, 1977

UTM's 300-yard Passing Games

- Leon Reed vs. Mississippi College, 1987
- 353 Trey Sikes vs. Jacksonville State, 1986
- 350 Trey Sikes vs. Livingston, 1986
- Leon Reed vs. Livingston, 1987
- 324 Trey Sikes vs. Troy State, 1986
- 309 Tommy Overton vs. Livingston, 1981



1967 Tangerine Bowl, College Division Atlantic Coast Champions



BethelW UnionL NW Mississippi JCL 13-33 Fort Campbell L NE Mississippi JC W Tennessee Wesleyan . . . L

Results

ItawambaW

1952 (3-4-0)

1953 (2-5-0) James	Henson
ItawambaL	0-13
Sewanee B W	6-0
NE Mississippi JC L	14-26
NW Mississippi JC W	19-7
Memphis Navy L	0-33
Little Rock IC L	7-38

Tennessee Wesleyan . . . L

Memphis NavyL

Baylor-Chattanooga L

Sewanee B W

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954 (2-6-0)	James	Henson
cooba	W	7-0
awamba	L	0-14
ennessee Wesleyan .	W	19-13
W Mississippi JC	L	13-19
Villiam Carey	L	13-33
ittle Rock JC	L	7-39
E Mississippi JC	L	16-32

1955 (2-5-1) James	Henso
Columbia Military W	9-
NE Mississippi JC L	6-1
Memphis State B L	6-2
Tennessee Wesleyan T	6-
NW Mississippi JC L	13-1

Mempins rary	0 .
1956 (4-4-0) James	Henso
Baylor-Chattanooga L	0-3
NE Mississippi JC L	7-3
Columbia Military W	35-
NW Mississippi JCW	20-1
Arkansas State B L	12-2
Redstone Arsenal W	41-2
Memphis State B W	27-1

Memphis Navy	L 6-13
1957 (6-1-0)	Bob Carroll
Marion Institute	W 32-6
Arkansas State B	W 26-18
Hendrix	W 39-0
NW Mississippi JC	W 26-0
West Georgia	W 59-6
Baylor-Chattanooga	L 13-31
Memphis Navy	.W 25-20

1958 (7-0-1)	Bob	Carro
Georgetown	W	33-
Arkansas Teachers	W	7-
Tennessee Tech B	W	20-
Hendrix	W	34-
Ozark	W .	32-
Howard	T	14-1
Delta State	.W	14-
Memphis Navy		16-1

1959 (4-4-0) Bob	Carroll
Arkansas TeachersL	0-13
LivingstonW	14-4
Delta State L	0-33
HardingW	33-13
HowardL	13-14
Georgetown L	14-23
Memphis NavyW	26-6
Austin PeayW	21-10

1960 (7-3-0)		Bob	Carroll
	Memphis Navy	.W	35-0
	Arkansas Teachers		6-19
	Austin Peay		13-7
	Missouri Mines		20-12
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LivingstonW	14-12
MillsapsW	55-6
Delta State L	8-34
Carson Newman W	26-21
Troy StateW	21-16
Florence State L	20-21

1961 (4-5-0)	Bob Carroll
Arkansas Teachers	.L 8-15
Austin Peay	.W 14-7
Missouri Mines	.W 55-22
Murray State	.L 15-25
Livingston	
Delta State	.L 8-22
Carson Newman	.L 8-10
Troy State	.W 22-8
Florence State	.L 14-17

1962 (6-3-0) Bob	Carr
Arkansas Teachers W	13
Austin PeayW	16
Missouri Mines W	26-
Murray State L	12-
Livingston L	12-
Delta State W	19-
Carson NewmanW	22
Troy StateW	27
Florence State L	8-

Bob Carrol

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1963 (5-5-0) Bob	Carroll
HardingW	19-7
Arkansas TeachersL	6-13
MTSUL	14-21
Missouri MinesW	32-7
LivingstonW	9-7
Murray State L	8-19
Delta State L	8-21
Troy StateW	7-0
Florence State L	27-2

Austin Peay L

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Arkansas Teachers				. L
MTSU				.T
Missouri Mines				.W
Livingston				.W
Murray State				·L
Delta State				. L
Troy State				.W
Florence State				·L
Austin Peay				. L
1965 (4-5-0)				R

1965 (4-5-0)	ROD Carroll
Arkansas State	L 14-15
MTSU	L 14-24
Delta State	L 17-24
Murray State	W 17-7
Bradley	W 34-25
Northwest Louisiana '	W 19-17
Troy State	W 20-6
Florence State	L 14-17
Austin Peay	L 0-49
1966 (5-5-0)	Bob Carroll

Arkansas Teachers .	L	14-17
MTSU	L	3-10
Delta State	L	3-7
Southeast Missouri .	W	17-14
Northwest Louisiana	L	7-26
Bradley	W	40-0
Murray State	W	16-12
Troy State	W	30-7
Florence State	W	24-18
Austin Peay	L	13-17

1967 (10-1-0)	Bob	Carr
Murray State	.W	16
Millikin	.W	70
Southeast Missouri	.W	39
Jacksonville State	.W	38
Dolta State	- 1	18-

MTSUW Troy StateW Florence State W Arkansas TeachersW Austin Peay W West Chester State* . . . W

*Tangerine Bowl

NCAA College Division Atlantic Coast Champions

1968 (3-5-1) Bob	Carro
Murray State T	7-7
McNeese StateL	0-16
MichNorthwoodW	64-0
Jacksonville State L	12-10
Delta State W	29-20
MTSUL	18-24
Troy StateW	12-3
Florence State L	17-3
Austin Peay L	7-9

1969 (3-6-0) Bob	Carr
Austin PeayW	7
Quantico MarinesL	14-
McNeese State L	15-
Jacksonville State L	20-
Parsons W	31
Delta State L	6-
Pensacola Navy W	25
Troy State L	13-
Florence State L	7-

Bob Carroll

17-3

17-12

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20-7

7-28

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0 - 30

17-16

1970 (7-3-0)

MISUL	1-2
McNeese StateW	10
Tennessee Tech L	6-1
Jacksonville State L	14-1
Austin PeayW	22-2
Delta State W	17-1
Pensacola Navy W	30-
Troy StateW	23
Florence State W	35
Livingston W	29-1
1971 (5-5-0) Bob	Carro
MTSUW	28
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Tennessee Tech L

Murray State W

Austin PeayW

Delta State W

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Troy State					. L
Florence State	ŧ				.W
Livingston		•	•	•	. L
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Jacksonville State					. L
Tennessee Tech .					.L
Murray State					.L
Austin Peay					. L
Delta State					· L
Nicholls State		100			» Î

Troy State L

Troy State L

Florence State W

Florence State W	21-16
LivingstonL	6-35
1973 (2-8-1) Bob	Carroll
Nicholls State L	0-7
MTSUL	0-7
Jacksonville State L	7-50
Tennessee Tech L	9-16
Murray State L	10-21
Eastern Kentucky L	14-16
Delta State L	10-28
Austin Peav W	26-0

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1974 (2-9-0)	Bob Carroll
Nicholls State	L 14-16
Southeast Louisiana	L 13-44
Jacksonville State	L 0-17
Mississippi College*	W 7-23
Murray State	L 6-14
Eastern Kentucky	L 9-24
Delta State	L 0-29
Austin Peay	W 31-26
Troy State	L 35-47
North Alabama	L 10-42
Livingston	

*UTM won by forfeit.

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licholls State			0-2
outheast Louisiana	ı .	W	23-
Aississippi College		L	10-1
Aurray State		L	10-1
acksonville State .		L	3-1
Delta State		L	3-1.
ustin Peay		W	24-1.
roy State		L	0-1
lorth Alabama		L	20-3
ivingston		L	7-1

1976 (8-3-0)	G	eoı	rge M	acInty
Southeast Louisiana				12-2
Austin Peay			.W	24-2
MTSU			.W	38
Jacksonville State .			. L	3-2
Mississippi College			.W	36-1
Murray State			.W	24
Nicholls State			.L	0
Delta State			.W	42-2
North Alabama			.W	31
Tennessee State			.W	26-2
Morehead State			.W	40

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Austin Peay				.W	23-1
MTSU				.W	27
Jacksonville State .				. L	13-3
Mississippi College				.L	24-2
Murray State				.W	31-2
Nicholls State				.W	34
Delta State				.W	46
North Alabama				.W	31-
Tennessee State				.L	7-
Morehead State				.W	49
Livingston				.W	26-

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acksonville State .		L	15-4
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Aurray State		L	7-2
Norehead State		W	23-
Delta State		L	14-4
North Alabama		L	17-3
Nicholls State		L	3-

1979 (5-5-0) Ves	ster Nev	vcomb
Austin Peay	. L	7-34
MTSU	.W	31-23
Jacksonville State	.W	15-14
Mississippi College	.W	13-10
Murray State	.L	0-24
Morehead State	. L	0-7
Delta State	. L	27-28
North Alabama	.W	10-9
Nicholls State	. L	7-15

LivingstonW

80 (4-7-0)	Lynn Amedee
kansas State	L 9-29
ıstin Peay	W 24-20
oy State	L 0-38
ingston	L 6-7
nnessee Tech	L 28-30

Results, Records

Murray State L 6-20 Morris Brown W 49-21 Mississippi College . W 30-27 North Alabama . L 17-26 Jacksonville State . L 14-19 Delta State . W 9-0
1981 (4-7-0) Lynn Amedee Troy State W 19-7 MTSU L 3-6 Livingston L 16-28 Tennessee Tech W 24-21 Murray State L 7-10 Southeast Louisiana L 10-13 Mississispipi College W 29-28 North Alabama L 10-37 Jacksonville State L 7-44 Delta State W 34-25 Austin Peay L 14-28
1982 (5-6-0) Fred Pickard Fort Valley State W 14-6 Austin Peay W 17-14 Livingston L 14-27 Tennessee Tech W 35-21 Murray State W 10-7 North Alabama L 10-33 Mississispipi College L 9-16 Troy State L 10-54 Jacksonville State L 13-41 Delta State L 0-47 Kentucky State W 20-0
1983 (4-7-0) Fred Pickard Arkansas State L 0-31 Austin Peay L 0-31 MTSU L 3-39 Livingston W 17-16 West Georgia L 18-20 North Alabama L 7-35 Mississippi College L 0-28 Troy State W 17-14 Jacksonville State L 19-31 Delta State W 34-16 Lane W 22-7
1984 (2-8-1) Fred Pickard Austin Peay L 10-13 Arkansas State L 14-72

Valdosta State L	6-38	
Mississippi College L	10-28	
Delta State L	7-27	_
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Delta State	. L	7-2
North Alabama	. T	10-1
Southeast Missouri	.W	21-
Jacksonville State	.L	16-2
Troy State		7-3
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1985 (1-10)	Fred	Pickard
Lane	.W	12-6
Austin Peay	. L	7-13
Southeast Missouri	·L	17-57
Valdosta State	. L	7-31
Mississippi College	· L	0-38
Delta State	·L	3-16
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Livingston L	6-4
West Georgia L	14-2
1986 (3-8) Don	McLear
LaneW	57-1
Austin Peay L	0-3
Southeast Missouri L	29-3
Valdosta State L	24-49
Mississippi College L	3-28
Delta State L	19-38
North AlabamaW	7-:
Jacksonville State L	20-30

Troy StateL

Jacksonville State L

Troy StateL

HOY State L	30-30
LivingstonW	48-25
West Georgia L	33-39
1987 (5-6) Don /	McLeary
Murray State L	6-34
Austin PeayW	30-10
Southeast Missouri W	25-13
Valdosta State L	10-24
Mississippi College L	24-34
Delta State L	14-17
North Alabama L	0-3
Jacksonville State W	28-17
Troy State L	21-31
LivingstonW	27-26
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West GeorgiaW 17-12

UT Martin's Biggest Wins

/0-0	Millikin	196/
64-0	Michigan-Northwood	1968
59-6	West Georgia	1957
57-11	Lane	1986
55-6	Millsaps	1960
49-7	Morehead State	1977
41-0	Murray State	1971
47-6	Austin Peay	1967
40-0	Morehead State	1976
40-0	Bradley	1966
39-0	Southeast Missouri	1967
46-7	Delta State	1977
39-0	Hendrix (Ark.)	1957
38-0	Jacksonville State	1967
38-3	Middle Tennessee	1976

UT Martin's Biggest Losses

14-72	Arkansas State	1984
0-49	Austin Peay	1965
7-55	Tennessee State	1977
0-47	Delta State	1982
10-54	Troy State	1982
7-51	North Alabama	1969
7-50	Jacksonville State	1973
17-57	Southeast Missouri	1985
6-45	Austin Peay	1983
0-38	Troy State	1980

Career Coaching Records

Don McLeary	1986-A	8-14-0	.363
Fred Pickard	1982-85	12-31-1	.295
Lynn Amedee	1980-81	8-14-0	.360
Vester Newcomb	1978-79	7-13-0	.350
George MacIntyre	1975-77	18-14-0	.560
Bob Carroll	1957-74	84-82-4	.510
James Henson	1952-56	13-24-1	.340

Pacers Against Opponents*

	Wins	Losses	Ties		Wins	Losses	Ties
Arkansas State B	1	1	0	Mississippi College	5	9	0
Arkansas State	4	12	0	Missouri Mines	5	0	0
Arkansas Teachers	3	7	0	Morehead State	3 🐐	1	0
Austin Peay	16	15	0	Morris Brown	1	0	0
Baylor-Chattanooga	0	3	0	MTSU	6	9	. 1
Bethel	1	0	0	Murray State	7	13	1
Bradley	2	0	0	Nicholls State	1	7	0
Carson Newman	2	1	0	North Alabama**	11	16	1
Columbia Military	2	0	0	Northeast Mississippi JC	1	3	0
Delta State	10	19	0	Northwest Louisiana	1	1	0
East Mississippi JC	0	1	0	Northwest Mississippi JC	3	3	0
Eastern Kentucky	0	2	0	Ozark	1	0	0
Fort Campbell	0	1	0	Parsons	1	0	0
Fort Valley State	1	0	0	Pensacola Navy	2	0	0
Georgetown	€ 1	1	0	Quantico Marines	0	1	0
Harding	3	0	0	Redstone Arsenal	1	0	0
Hendrix	2	0	0	Scooba	1	0	0
Howard	0	1	1	Sewanee B	2	1	0
Itawamba	1	2	0	Southeast Louisiana	1	3	0
Jacksonville State	3	18	0	Southeast Missouri State	4	2	0
Kentucky State	1	0	0	Tennessee State	. 1	1	0
Lane	3	0	0	Tennessee Tech B	1	0	0
Little Rock JC	0	2	0	Tennessee Tech	2	5	0
Livingston	12	10	1 -	Tennessee Wesleyan	1	2	1
McNeese State	1	3	0	Troy State	12	12	0
Marion Institute	1	0	0	Union	0	1	0
Memphis Navy	4	4	0	Valdosta State	0	4	0
Memphis State B	1	1	0	West Chester State	1	0	0
Michigan-Northwood	1	0	0	West Georgia	2	4	0
Millikin	1	0	0	William Carey	0	1	0
Millsaps	1	0	0				
*RECORDS AS A FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION	**Known as	Florence State Pr	ior to 1974				

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Football Personnel Inducted in UT Martin Athletics Hall of Fame

(P) Player, (C) Coach, Year Inducted

Robert Carroll, (P), (C) 1983 Bobby Fowler, (P) 1983 H. Kirk Grantham, (C) 1983 Frank Taylor, (C) 1983 Hugh Lashlee, (P) 1984 Clifton Pritchett, (P) 1984 Paul Reddick, (P) 1984 Lionel Barrett, (P) 1985 Gordon Lambert, (P) 1985 Ralph Rutland, (P) 1985 George Horton, (P) 1986 Marvin Long, (P) 1986 Mark Luttrell, (P) 1986 Darrel Smith, (P) 1986 Elmer Vaughn, (P) 1986 T.H. "Skeeter" Ellis, (P) 1987 Bobby Hayes, (P) 1987 Vernon Prather, (P) 1987 Larry Shanks, (P) 1987 Wilbur Edmiston, (P) 1988 Nate Holmes, (P) 1988 Jim Love, (P) 1988 Roland McMackin, (P) 1988

Pacer Captains

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1952	Ted Welch, Robert L. Carroll, Earl Thompson	1970	Terry Giltner, Barry Reeves, Carl Summers
1953	Robert L. Carroll, Alfred Rogers, William Holloway	1971	Carl Summers, Mike Beeler, Mike O'Brien
1954	Harold Lile, Billy Campbell	1972	John Justice, Dana Witten, Nate Holmes
1955	Clint Edmiston, Mack Johnson	1973	Randy Giltner, Hunter Carter, Joe Bruner, Ed Taylor
1956	Clarence Johnson, Hugh Lashlee	1974	Seniors
1957	Hugh Lashlee, Bobby Kenrick	1975	Seniors
1958	Bobby Fowler, Buddy Long	1976	Larry Washington, Danny Watkins, Randy Latta
1959	Bobby Fowler, Monte Bayless, Howard Caughron	1977	Danny Watkins
1960	Ralph Rutland	1978	Jon Gentry, Gerald Hall
1961	Ralph Rutland, Darrell Smith	1979	Mickey Marley, Kevin Lamb, Glen Mollman
1962	Darrell Smith, Vernon Prather, Butch Dean	1980	Gary Hawkinson, Curtis Williams
1963	Butch Dean, Gene Brodie	1981	Barry Joyce, Kenny Williams
1964	Deslonde Collins, Scott Boehringer, Kenny Dickson	1982	Matt Klaren, Buddy Tarver
1965	Lorry Ruth, Jim Hammonds, Sandy Smith	1983	Rick Delgado, Darwin Guererri
1966	Joe Taffoni, Ray Geddings	1984	Mike Maginn, Freddie Moore
1967	Larry Shanks, Bobby Hayes, Gary Doble	1985	None elected
1968	Seniors	1986	Orlando Miles, Joey Morris, Paul Randolph, Trey Sikes
1969	Duff Maki, Bill Powell, Tom McKelvy	1987	Wayne Hoffman, William Mackall, Emanuel McNeil, Paul Randolph

Pacers in the Pros

Player	Pos.	Team	Years	Player	Pos.	Team	Years
Romel Andrews	DE	Hamilton Tiger-Cats (C)	1986-87	Ron Lewellen	DT	Oakland Raiders	1967
Hunter Carter	LB	Jacksonville Sharks (W)	1974	Paul Manard	LB	Houston Oilers	1973
Tony Champion	WR	Hamilton Tiger-Cats (C)	1985-88	*Julian Nunamaker	DT	Buffalo Bills	1968-72
' '		San Diego Chargers	1987	Terry Peppers	C	Dallas Cowboys	1972
Ed Cochran	OG	Miami Dolphins	1969	Jimmy Randolph	DB	Pittsburgh Steelers	1978
*Mike Crangle	DE	New Orleans Saints	1973	Paul Randolph	LB	Kansas City Chiefs	1988
*Bobby Fowler	RB	Chicago Bears	1960	Gene Sides	Р	Houston Oilers	1968
1		New York Jets	1960-64	*Joe Taffoni	OG	Cleveland Browns	1967-73
Ronald George	WR	New Orleans Saints	1978	Jim Thornhill	DT	Cleveland Browns	1972
Mickey Hamilton	PK	Pittsburgh Steelers	1977	Larry Washington	RB	Edmonton Eskimos (C)	1977-80
Bobby Hayes	RB	Denver Broncos	1968	David Watkins	LB	Oakland Raiders	1978
Nate Holmes	RB	Miami Dolphins	1973	*David Williams	DB	Atlanta Falcons	1978
Cedric Hosea	RB	Seattle Seahawks	1988	Dana Witten	WR	Pittsburgh Steelers	1973
*Gordon Lambert	DE	Denver Broncos	1968-69				

*Draft selections, others signed as free agents (C) Canadian Football League (W) World Football League

Assistant Coaches

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١	1947-53	Vincent Vaughan		"Tex" Staehs
I	1954	Vincent Vaughan, Gilbert Boyd	1979	Fred Pickard, Don Wiggins, Charlie Newton, Jim Taubert,
١	1955	Vincent Vaughan		Terry Giltner, Jim Graves
I	1956	Vincent Vaughan, Robert L. Carroll	1980	Fred Pickard, Jim Graves, Jim Taubert, Terry Giltner, Charlie
١	1957-58	Guy D. Penny		Newton
١	1959-64	Ross Elder, Grover Page	1981	Fred Pickard, Donny Sherman, Jim Graves, Jim Taubert,
I	1965-68	Ross Elder, Grover Page, Jack Beeler		Mickey Marley, Jim Hardegree
ı	1969-74	Ross Elder, Grover Page, Jack Beeler, Vernon Prather	1982	Jim Graves, Jim Hardegree, Mickey Marley, Larry Shanks,
١	1975	Ron McCrone, Vester Newcomb, Billy Ware, Fred Pickard,		Bill "Tex" Staehs
ı		Jim Marshall, David Lee	1983	Jim Graves, Jim Hardegree, Mickey Marley, Larry Shanks,
١	1976	Ron McCrone, Vester Newcomb, Billy Ware, Fred Pickard,		Bill "Tex" Staehs
١		David Lee, Don Wiggins	1984	Jim Graves, Jim Hardegree, Mickey Marley, Larry Shanks,
ı	1977	Ron McCrone, Vester Newcomb, Fred Pickard, Billy Ware,		Bill "Tex" Staehs
١		Don Wiggins, Monty Crook, Bill "Tex" Staehs, Gary Guthrie,	1985	Jim Graves, Jim Hardegree, Mickey Marley, Larry Shanks,
١		Randy Latta		Bill "Tex" Staehs
١	1978	Fred Pickard, Jim Marshall, Don Wiggins, Charles Newton,	1986	Todd Berry, Jeremiah Davis, Denver Johnson, Larry Shanks
١		Randy Latta, Gary Guthrie, Clay Blalack, Ralph Ervin, Bill	1987	Todd Berry, Jeremiah Davis, Denver Johnson, Larry Shanks



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Pacer Honors

UT Martin All-Americans

Hugh Lashlee, NIC All-American, 1957 - an offensive and defensive end originally from Camden, Tenn. He was co-captain of the 1957 team which lost only one game. Majored in Business Administration and now resides in Ft. Worth, Texas. His daughter, Shari, was a 1983 UT Martin graduate and a Pacer cheerleader.

Buddy Long, NAIA All-American, 1958 — an offensive and defensive end originally from Brunswick, Ga. He was co-captain of the 1958 team which went 7-0-1. He majored in education at UT

Bobby Fowler, NAIA All-American, 1959 — a fullback originally from Ridgely, Tenn. He was captain of the 1958 and 1959 teams. All-time leading ground gainer with UT Martin having accumulated 4,003 career yards rushing. Gained 1,045 yards in 1959 for an average of 130.6 yards a game. First and only UT Martin athlete to have his jersey number (33) retired. Was drafted by the Chicago Bears. Holds numerous Pacer football records and was a charter member of the UT Martin Athletics Hall of Fame.

Ralph Rutland, Williamson All-American, 1960 and 1961 — a tackle originally from Cherokee, Ala. Was the captain of the 1960 and 1961 Pacer teams. Majored in liberal arts at UT Martin.

Darrell Smith, Williamson All-American, 1962 — a fullback originally from Atoka, Tenn. Co-captain of the 1961 and captain of the 1962 Pacer teams. Majored in liberal arts and has served as a pilot with Northwest Orient Airlines.

Jim Love, Williamson All-American, 1962 — a wide receiver originally from South Bend, Ind. Majored in education and has served as a football coach in South Bend.

Iulian Nunamaker, NCAA College Division All-American 1968 — a defensive tackle originally from Manning, S.C. Credited with 90 unassisted tackles, 34 assisted tackles, and 28 blocked passes in 1968. Started in four all-star games following his senior year including the North-South Bowl, the Coaches All-American Game, the Senior Bowl Game, and the College All-Star Game that pitted college seniors against the world champion New York Jets. Third round draft choice of the Buffalo Bills. Charter member of the UT Martin Athletics Hall of Fame

Terry Giltner, Associated Press All-American, 1970 — a linebacker originally from Humboldt. Holds the school record for the number of unassisted tackles in a game, in a season, and in a career. First team All-Mid South selection and twice selected as the AP Defensive Player-of-the-Week.

Nate Holmes, Associated Press All-American, 1971 — a tailback originally from Decatur, Ala. Alternate captain of the 1972 team. Rushed for 767 yards in 185 carries as the second-leading rusher in the GSC in 1972. Only back in the conference to receive unanimous selection to the all-conference team. Rushed for 1,395 yards in 329 carries and scored 14 touchdowns in two years. Signed by the Miami Dolphins.

Harris Prichett, Academic All-American, 1960 — a center originally from Munford. Owns Prichett Angus Farm in Dresden. Majored in agriculture at UT Martin.

Randy West, Academic All-American, 1974 — a defensive end originally from Memphis. First team All-GSC Academic selection in 1974.

All-Gulf South Conference

1971	Nate Holmes, RB
	Terry Peppers, C
	Dana Witten, E
	Mike Beeler, DB

- 1972 Randy Barnes, PK Jay Johnson, DE
- 1973 Eddie Cox, OG
- 1974 Johnny Wright, OT
- 1975 David Williams, DB Gar Guthrie, DB* Danny Watkins, LB* Danny Rogers, DT*
- 1976 Larry Washington, RB Jon Gentry, C Mickey Hamilton, PK David Williams, DB Clay Blalack, DB Danny Watkins, LB Alvin Small, QB* Dana Pecor, OG*

- 1977 Alvin Smalls, QB David Williams, DB Larry Newcomb, OT* Danny Watkins, LB* Jack Chaney, DE* Ronald George, WR*
- 1978 Henry Williams, RB* Jack Chaney, DE*
- 1979 Matt Klaren, DE Terry Meardith, DT Henry Aaron, TE* Charlie Walker, DB* Perry Murphy, DE* Glen Wilson, DT*
- 1980 Gary Hawkinson, OG Kenny Williams, TE Terry Meardith, DT Matt Klaren, DE*
- 1981 Kenny Williams, DE Dwayne McKinney, WR

- Matt Klaren, DE Terry Meardith, DT Randy Warren, OG* David Valletto, DB*
- 1982 Tony Champion, WR* Keith Kasnic, PK* Jerry Reese, DB* Gary Ihnen, LB* Matt Klaren, DE*
- 1983 Keith Kasnic, PK Greg Magee, LB David Carter, P*
- 1984 Jerry Reese, DB*
- 1985 Keith Kasnic, PK*
- 1986 Tony Burton, OT* Ki Tok Chu, PK* William Mackall, WR* Orlando Miles, LB* Paul Randolph, LB*

1987 William Mackall, WR Emanuel McNeil, DT Paul Randolph, LB Grady Andrews, OL* Levon Johnson, DB* Leon Reed, QB*



*Second Team

Pacer Club



Col. George Freeman President

A team is only as good as the people behind it, and the University of Tennessee at Martin has a number of good people on a team that isn't exactly an athletics team. "The team behind the teams" is the PACER CLUB, composed of the alumni and the friends of the University who are financial supporters of the athletics program.

In technical terms, the PACER CLUB is a non-profit organization designed to provide Pacer athletics with financial assistance. The primary goals of the PACER CLUB are to provide aid to athletics, to promote UT Martin and its programs, to sponsor special events, and to help

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The road to the top of collegiate athletics is not an easy one, but UT Martin has made strides upward. The PACER CLUB has been instrumental in helping take those strides. In 1974-75, the PACER CLUB's first year, \$24,000 was raised—more than doubling the amount donated to UT Martin the previous year. The annual amount has steadily increased: \$34,500 in 1975-76; \$45,000 in 1976-77; and \$50,000 annually in 1977-78, 1978-79, and 1979-80. The past four years, the financial support to the University through the PACER CLUB has reached more than \$100,000 annually.

The growth of the PACER CLUB has been remarkable and has made a difference in the growth of the UT Martin athletics program. However, spiraling costs of operating a first-class athletics program have made intensifying all efforts a necessity.

NCAA Division II colleges often do not receive financial support from television contracts, bowl appearances by conference members, and big gate receipts that larger colleges enjoy. That makes the PACER CLUB a necessity on covering costs the money obtained through gate receipts, student activity fees, and state appropriations cannot cover. It gives Pacer athletics and UT Martin itself the chance to continue making strides toward the top.

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September 10

Henderson State at UT Martin, 7:00 *Jacksonville St. vs. Alabama A & M. 7:00 Miss. College at North Alabama, 7:00 Livingston at Troy State, 7:00 #Valdosta State vs. Fort Valley State, 6:30 West Georgia at Central Florida, 6:00 Southern Arkansas at Delta State, 7:00 Nicholls State at Samford, 1:30 Murray State at Southeast Missouri, 7:30 p.m. *Legion Field, Birmingham #Brunswick, Ga.

September 17

Valdosta State at UT Martin, 2:00 Livingston at Elon College, 1:00 West Georgia at Jacksonville St., 2:00 Troy State at Central Florida, 6:00 Delta State at Henderson State, 7:00 Southeast Missouri at Miss. College, 7:00 Samford at Tennessee Tech, 7:30 Murray State at So. Illinois, 1:30

September 24

UT Martin at Miss. College, 7:00 North Alabama at Delta State, 7:00 Troy State at West Georgia, 1:00 Livingston at Samford, 1:00 Jacksonville St. at Valdosta State, 12:00 Murray State at Nevada-Reno, 3:00

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Delta State at UT Martin, (HC) 2:00 Miss. College at Jacksonville St., 2:00 North Alabama at Central Florida, 6:00 West Georgia at Livingston, 7:00 Valdosta State at Troy State, 7:00 Henderson State at NE Oklahoma, 7:00 Samford at Morehead State, 1:30 Tennessee Tech at Murray State, 2:00

October 8

UT Martin at North Alabama, 2:00 Livingston at Valdosta State, 12:00 Jacksonville St. at Delta State, 2:00

Samford at West Georgia, 1:00 Troy State at Miss. College, 7:00 E. Central Ok. at Henderson State, 7:00 Murray State at Morehead State, 12:30

October 15

UT Martin at Samford, 1:30 Valdosta State at West Georgia, 1:00 Miss. College at Livingston, 3:00 North Alabama at Jacksonville St., 2:00 Delta State at Troy State, 7:00 Arkansas Tech at Henderson State, 7:00 Tennessee State at Murray State, 1:30

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UT Martin at Troy State, 2:00 Miss. College at Valdosta State, 12:00 Delta State at West Georgia, 12:30 North Alabama at Livingston, 7:00 Henderson State at Southern Ark., 2:00 Mars Hill at Samford, 1:30 East. Ky. at Murray State, 1:30

November 5

Livingston at UT Martin, 1:00 West Georgia at North Alabama, 1:00 Valdosta State at Delta State, 2:00 Troy State at Jacksonville St., 7:00 Miss. College at Lamar, 7:00 Ark.-Monticello at Henderson State, 2:00 Emory & Henry at Samford, 1:30

November 12

UT Martin at West Georgia, 1:00 North Alabama at Valdosta State, 12:00 Jacksonville St. at Livingston, 1:00 Delta State at Miss. College, 5:00 Henderson State at Central Ark., 2:00 Samford at Ga. Southern, 1:30 Middle Tenn. at Murray State, 1:30

November 19

First Round, NCAA Division II Playoffs Ouachita Bap. at Henderson State, 2:00 Miles at Samford, 1:30 Murray State at Austin Peay, 2:00

Pre-Season **Predictions**

Coaches' Poll				SID's Poll			
1.	Troy State (6)	62	1.	Troy State (6)	61		
2.	Miss. College (1)	51	2.	Miss. College (2)	56		
3.	Jacksonville St. (1)	47	3.	Jacksonville St. (1)	48		
4.	Tennessee-Martin (1)	41	4.	Tennessee-Martin	39		
5.	Livingston	35	5.	Valdosta State	35		
6.	Valdosta State	34	6.	Livingston	27		
7.	Delta State	24	7.	Delta State	26		
8.	North Alabama	22	8.	North Alabama	24		
9.	West Georgia	8	9.	West Georgia	8		
1st place votes in () Participants do not vote for own school.							



1988 PACER SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	*
Sept. 3	Murray State	Murray, Ky.	7:30 p.m.	
Sept. 10	Henderson State	Martin	7:00 p.m.	
Sept. 17	Valdosta State.*	Martin	2:00 p.m.	
Sept. 24	Mississippi College*	Clinton, Miss.	7:00 p.m.	
Oct. 1	Delta State (HOMECOMING)*	Martin	2:00 p.m.	
Oct. 8	North Alabama* '	Florence, Ala.	2:00 p.m.	
Oct. 15	Samford	Birmingham, Ala.	1:30 p.m.	
Oct. 22	Jacksonville State*	Martin	2:00 p.m.	
Oct. 29	Troy State*	Troy, Ala.	2:00 p.m.	
Nov. 5	Livingston*	Martin	1:00 p.m.	
Nov. 12	West Georgia*	Carrollton, Ga.	1:00 p.m.	
	*Gulf South Conference	All Times Are Cen	tral	

