



# UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS

## 2021 FOOTBALL GAME NOTES



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### THE MATCHUP

## GAME 10

**Saturday, Nov. 13**  
**1:30 p.m.**  
**ESPN+**

Tucker Stadium  
(16,500)  
Cookeville, Tenn.

Video: ESPN+  
Radio: WCMT 1410 AM / 100.5 FM



**#10**  
**UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS**  
**(8-1, 4-0 OVC)**

**Head Coach:** Jason Simpson  
**Alma Mater:** Southern Miss, 1994  
**Career Record:** 98-78 (16th season)  
**Record at UTM:** Same

VS



**TENNESSEE TECH GOLDEN EAGLES**  
**(3-6, 1-3 OVC)**

**Head Coach:** Dewayne Alexander  
**Alma Mater:** Tennessee Tech, 1989  
**Career Record:** 53-60 (11th season)  
**Record at TTU:** 12-27 (4th season)

#### Passing Leader

Keon Howard 140-239, 1,670 Yards, 13 TDs

#### Rushing Leader

Peyton Logan 112/816 yards, 2 TDs

#### Receiving Leader

Colton Dowell 22/398 yards, 2 TDs

#### Defensive Leader

Deven Sims 65 Tkl, 3.5 TFL, 2 PBU

#### Passing Leader

Willie Miller 47-101, 591 Yards, 5 TDs

#### Rushing Leader

David Gist 144/759 Yards, 8 TDs

#### Receiving Leader

Quinton Cross 38/505 yards, 2 TDs

#### Defensive Leader

Josh Reliford 60 Tkl, 4.0 TFL, 5 PBU

### STAT COMPARISON

<b>32.8</b>	<b>229.6</b>	<b>185.6</b>	<b>415.1</b>		<b>26.0</b>	<b>116.1</b>	<b>237.9</b>	<b>354.0</b>
Scoring Offense	Rushing Yards/Gm	Passing Yards/Gm	Total Offense		Scoring Defense	Rushing Defense/Gm	Passing Defense/Gm	Total Defense
<b>19.9</b>	<b>136.9</b>	<b>158.9</b>	<b>295.8</b>		<b>28.9</b>	<b>124.9</b>	<b>217.8</b>	<b>342.7</b>

### SETTING THE SCENE

» After a highly successful three-game homestand which saw the No. 10 ranked University of Tennessee at Martin football team cap off the home portion of the schedule with a perfect slate, the Skyhawks will close out the regular season on the road beginning with an Ohio Valley Conference matchup at Tennessee Tech on Saturday, Nov. 13.

» Saturday's contest serves as the third and final matchup in the annual Sgt. York Trophy series for the Skyhawks in a battle for in-state bragging rights. UT Martin currently boast a 2-0 record in the series this season while Tennessee Tech is just 0-1. After both teams posted 2-1 marks during the 2020-21 spring campaign, Tech was awarded the traveling trophy due to a tiebreaker. While the Skyhawks have claimed at least a share of the trophy six times in the last seven years and hold the best record of the four participating teams with a record of 31-13 – the physical trophy has not taken up residency in west Tennessee since 2016.

» The Skyhawks (8-1, 4-0 OVC) enter the contest as one of the hottest teams in the country riding the second-longest active winning streak in FCS with a program record-tying eight straight victories. Ranked 10th in the AFCA FCS Coaches' Poll, UT Martin ranks in the top-25 nationally in 13 team categories and 12 individual statistics. Most impressively, the Skyhawks sit amongst the nation's top-10 in winning percentage (88.9 percent, second), sacks allowed per game (0.78, fourth), time of possession (33:53, fifth), rushing offense (229.6 yards per game, eighth) and third-down conversion percentage (46.7 percent, eighth). Meanwhile in the OVC, the team leads the league in scoring offense (32.8 ppg) and rushing defense (116.1 ypg) while sitting second in total offense (415.1 ypg).

» UT Martin clinched an unbeaten home schedule for just the 12th time in program history with a 41-20 win over Tennessee State last week to be named the Stats Perform FCS National Team of the Week. The Skyhawks ran right past the league's top defense en route to a season-high 298 rushing yards – ranking as the highest single-game production since 2016. The duo of running back Zak Wallace (OVC Offensive Player of the Week) and Keon Howard (OVC Newcomer of the Week) did most of the damage offensively, combining for 319 yards of total offense and five touchdowns on their way to respective OVC weekly honors.

» A big key for the Skyhawks on both sides of the ball have been the play of the linemen. On offense, UT Martin ranks first in the OVC and fourth nationally with just seven sacks allowed this season. Meanwhile on defense, the Skyhawks lead the OVC in both sacks (15) and tackles for loss (55) while Eyabi Anoma sits atop the individual leaderboard with 6.0 sacks and ranks second with 9.5 TFLs.

» Tennessee Tech (3-6, 1-3 OVC) posted a late comeback attempted before ultimately dropping its most recent contest at Murray State by a score of 32-27. The Golden Eagles rank second in the OVC in total defense – allowing 342.7 yards per game – while sitting tied with the Skyhawks for the league lead with 15 sacks on the season. Offensively, running back David Gist sits fourth in the OVC with 759 yards and eight touchdowns while Quinton Cross sits third in receptions (38) and receiving yards (505).

» The contest serves as the 43rd meeting between the two programs in a series which dates back to 1926. While Tennessee Tech holds a 22-18-2 advantage in the all-time series, UT Martin has won the last eight contests by an average of 22.0 points per game since 2013.

### SERIES HISTORY

TTU leads series 22-18-2

Last Meeting	April 11, 2021
Game Result	W, 40-7
Streak	UTM W8
First Meeting	Oct. 22, 1926
UTM vs. TTU in Martin	10-9-2
UTM vs. TTU in Cookeville	8-13
Simpson vs. Tennessee Tech	11-4

### 2021 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

<b>BREAKDOWN</b>	<b>OVERALL RECORD:</b>	<b>8-1</b>
	<b>OVC</b>	<b>4-0</b>
	<b>NON-CONFERENCE</b>	<b>4-1</b>
	<b>HOME</b>	<b>5-0</b>
	<b>AWAY</b>	<b>3-1</b>

### SEPTEMBER

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
2	THUR	at Western Kentucky	ESPN+	L, 59-21
11	SAT	<b>SAMFORD</b>	ESPN+	W, 33-27
18	SAT	at Northwestern State	ESPN+	W, 35-10
25	SAT	at #9 Jacksonville State	ESPN+	W, 34-31

### OCTOBER

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
9	SAT	<b>MURRAY STATE*</b> (HC)	ESPN+	W, 48-24
16	SAT	at Eastern Illinois*	ESPN3	W, 28-17
23	SAT	<b>SOUTHEAST MISSOURI</b>	ESPN+	W, 38-30
30	SAT	<b>AUSTIN PEAY*</b>	ESPN+	W, 17-16

### NOVEMBER

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
6	SAT	<b>TENNESSEE STATE*</b>	ESPN3	W, 41-20
13	SAT	at Tennessee Tech*	ESPN+	1:30 p.m.
20	SAT	at Southeast Missouri*	ESPN+	1 p.m.

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## UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location	Martin, Tenn.
Founded	1900; Senior College, 1951
Enrollment	6,850
Nickname	Skyhawks
Colors	Navy Blue & Orange
Stadium	Hardy M. Graham Stadium
Capacity	7,500
Surface	Field Turf
Affiliation	NCAA Division I (FCS)
Conference	Ohio Valley
Chancellor	Dr. Keith Carver
Athletics Director	Kurt McGuffin
Athletics Office	731-881-7660
Assistant AD/SWA	Danelle Fabianich
Ticket Office Phone	731-881-7207

## COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Jason Simpson
Alma Mater	Southern Miss, 1995
Career Record	98-78 (16th)
Record at UT Martin	Same
OVC Record	76-46 (16th)

## TEAM INFORMATION

2020 Overall Record	3-4
	H: 2-2 A: 1-2
2020 OVC Record/Finish	3-4 (5th)
	H: 2-2 A: 1-2
Basic Offense	Multiple
Basic Defense	4-2-5
Starters Returning/Lost	
Off: 9/2 Def: 9/2 S/T: 2/0	Total: 20/4
Players Returning	
Off: 36 Def: 38 S/T: 3	Total: 78
Newcomers	
Off: 22 Def: 12 S/T: 2	Total: 36

## PROGRAM HISTORY

First Year of Football	1925
All-Time Record	383-506-20
Division I Record	140-196
OVC Record	96-130
OVC Championships	1 (2006)
FCS Playoff Appearances	1 (2006)

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## SKYHAWKS IN PRINT

The name of our institution is the **University of Tennessee at Martin** and if abbreviated, should be referred to as **UT Martin**. The **University of Tennessee at Martin** should be used as the first reference in a news story. **UT Martin** should be used in subsequent references and **UTM** is acceptable in headlines.

**Tennessee-Martin, UT-Martin, UT or Martin** should **NEVER** be used. The description **Skyhawks** should be used to represent all **UT Martin** athletic teams. **Hawks** should never be used.

## WEEKLY TEAM/MEDIA SCHEDULE

Monday Nov. 8	Tuesday Nov. 9	Wednesday Nov. 10	Thursday Nov. 11	Friday Nov. 12	Saturday Nov. 13	Sunday Nov. 14
Noon Coach Jason Simpson Weekly Press Conference	10:40-10:50 a.m. Coach Jason Simpson Weekly Media Availability	4 p.m. Practice	4 p.m. Practice	TBA Walk Through	1:30 p.m. at Tennessee Tech	OFF
7 p.m. Practice	4 p.m. Practice				ESPN+	

## SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TV	RESULT	SERIES	NOTES
SEPT 2	at WESTERN KENTUCKY HILLTOPPERS	Bowling Green, Ky.	ESPN+	L, 59-21	0-5	Keon Howard scored three touchdowns in his Skyhawk debut while Bailey Zappe led the Hilltoppers with 424 yards and seven touchdowns.
SEPT 11	SAMFORD BULLDOGS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 33-27	4-15-1	After falling behind 17-0 early, the Skyhawks outscored the Bulldogs 33-3 over the next two quarters - including 26 unanswered points
SEPT 18	at NORTHWESTERN STATE DEMONS	Natchitoches, La.	ESPN+	W, 35-10	3-1	Recorded largest margin of victory against a non-conference opponent since 2006 after holding the Demons to just one offensive score while tallying three turnovers and a blocked field goal
SEPT 25	at #9 JACKSONVILLE STATE GAMECOCKS	Jacksonville, Ala.	ESPN+	W, 34-31	9-34	Scored 21 unanswered points en route to a comeback victory before knocking off No. 9 Jacksonville State on the road for the first time since 1987
OCT 9	MURRAY STATE RACERS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 48-24	22-38-1	The Skyhawks scored on the opening drive and never looked back, ultimately scoring 35 unanswered points to post their fourth straight victory
OCT 16	at EASTERN ILLINOIS PANTHERS	Charleston, Ill.	ESPN3	W, 28-17	11-15	Scored 21 unanswered points and held Eastern Illinois scoreless in final 37 minutes of the game. Wallace tallied two touchdowns while Stephens returned a blocked punt 34 yards for a TD
OCT 23	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI REDHAWKS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 38-30	19-18	Snapped a three-game losing streak to the Redhawks while Peyton Logan became the ninth player in school history to reach the 2,000 yard rushing plateau
OCT 30	AUSTIN PEAY GOVERNORS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 17-16	41-27-2	After facing 16-0 deficit at halftime, Skyhawks scored 17 unanswered points - including game-winning touchdown with 35 seconds remaining
NOV 6	TENNESSEE STATE TIGERS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN3	W, 41-20	13-18	The Skyhawks led from start to finish, pulling away late with two touchdowns in the final 92 seconds of the contest
NOV 13	at TENNESSEE TECH GOLDEN EAGLES	Cookeville, Tenn.	ESPN+	1:30 p.m.	18-22-2	
NOV 20	at SOUTHEAST MISSOURI REDHAWKS	Cape Girardeau, Mo.	ESPN+	1 p.m.	18-18	

## MEDIA INFO

### SKYHAWK WEEKLY PRESS CONFERENCE

» UT Martin football coach Jason Simpson is available for a weekly press conference every Monday at noon in the Hardy Graham Stadium Press Box. Simpson is also available for media virtually every Tuesday via Zoom from 10:40-10:50 a.m. For those wishing to interview coach Simpson or members of the Skyhawk football program outside of those two availability windows, please contact a member of the UT Martin sports information staff for further accommodations.

### POSTGAME AVAILABILITIES

» Skyhawk head coach Jason Simpson and select players will be made available upon request for a postgame virtual interview via zoom at the conclusion of each home game. Reach out to Alex Boggis (dboggis@utm.edu) for login information to the postgame press conference or to request a player. After the contest, a full stat package will be available on UTMSports.com.

### INTERVIEW POLICIES

» Media interviews with players and coaches are encouraged, and every effort will be made to accommodate media requests. In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, phone or virtual interviews are recommended for the 2021 season. In-person interviews will be allowed on a case-by-case basis. Reach out through the sports information office to set up an interview with head coach Jason Simpson and Skyhawk student-athletes.

### SKYHAWK RADIO NETWORK

» The flagship station for Skyhawk football is Thunderbolt Broadcasting with its games broadcast on WCMT 1410 AM, 100.5 FM, 92.7 FM, 96.1 FM, 99.7 FM and 103.3 FM.

### GAMEDAY DOCUMENTS/STATS/NOTES/ROSTERS

» Media will be provided hard copies of roster flipcards, game notes and final statistics. Live stats, courtesy of StatBroadcast are available at UTMStats.com while full game materials are available online at www.UTMSports.com/FootballMediaCenter.

### PRESS BOX

» Because of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, limited members of the media will be allowed access to the press box or inside the fence that surrounds the playing field of Hardy M. Graham Stadium during the 2021 season. For photography purposes, members of the media may shoot from the stands or outside the black fence/restricted areas that surrounds the playing field. UT Martin Athletics will have a pool photographer present and will provide photos upon request.

### CREDENTIALS

» Media credentials are required for all Skyhawk home games and can be obtained through the sports information office. Please notify assistant sports information director Alex Boggis at least 24 hours in advance of home games and at least 72 hours in advance of road games. Passes may be picked up in advance at the Sports Information Office or on game day at the will call window at Hardy M. Graham Stadium. Media parking is located in the lot just behind the Graham Stadium press box. Parking passes must be requested with media passes.

### SKYHAWK NEWS ONLINE

» A wealth of resources for the UT Martin sports information department can be found at www.UTMSports.com, powered by SIDEARM Sports. The site features updated schedules, rosters, player information, game notes and statistics.

# THIS WEEK'S OPPONENT



TENNESSEE TECH GOLDEN EAGLES  
(3-6, 1-3 OVC)

RUSHING		G	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Yds/G
David Gist		9	144	759	5.3	8	84.3
Willie Miller		9	69	262	3.8	2	29.1
PASSING		G	Cmp-Att.	Pct.	Yds	TD	INT
Willie Miller		9	47-101	46.5	591	5	6
Davis Shanley		6	38-80	47.5	363	1	6
RECEIVING		G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Yds/G
Quinton Cross		9	38	505	13.3	2	56.1
David Gist		9	27	185	6.9	1	20.6
DEFENSE		G	Solo	Asst	Total	TFL	Other
Josh Reliford		9	32	28	60	4.0	5 PBU
Seth Carlisle		9	25	32	57	1.5	1 INT
Jack Warwick		9	22	21	43	3.0	1 FR

2021 SCHEDULE		
Date	Opponent	Result
9/2	at Samford	L, 52-14
9/11	FURMAN	L, 26-0
9/18	at Tennessee	L, 56-0
9/25	EASTERN ILLINOIS*	L, 28-14
10/2	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI*	W, 28-17
10/9	at NC Central	W, 27-16
10/16	at Tennessee State*	L, 20-13 (OT)
10/23	VIRGINIA-LYNCHBURG	W, 56-13
11/6	at Murray State*	L, 32-27
11/13	UT MARTIN*	1:30 p.m.
11/20	AUSTIN PEAY#	2 p.m.

## QUICK HITS

**PLAYER TO WATCH**

**ZAK WALLACE**

**113** CARRIES    **543** YARDS    **11** TDs

Redshirt-freshman **Zak Wallace** has used 2021 as a breakout campaign, second in the OVC and 10th nationally with 11 rushing touchdowns while tallying 543 yards on the season. Wallace has had multiple rushing touchdowns in three contests this season - including a pair against Tennessee State in his last outing.

### SKYHAWKS SOARING UP NATIONAL POLLS

» UT Martin is ranked nationally following seven consecutive wins - including four non-conference FCS victories. While currently ranked 10th in the AFCA Coaches' Top 25 marking the team's highest ranking in the polls since the 2006 season.

#### Weekly Rankings

•Sept. 27	AFCA Coaches': 24	Stats Perform: 23
•Oct. 4	AFCA Coaches': 21	Stats Perform: 21
•Oct. 11	AFCA Coaches': 16	Stats Perform: 17
•Oct. 18	AFCA Coaches': 13	Stats Perform: 13
•Oct. 25	AFCA Coaches': 12	Stats Perform: 13
•Nov. 1	AFCA Coaches': 11	Stats Perform: 15
•Nov. 6	AFCA Coaches': 10	Stats Perform: 13

### GOING STREAKING

» The Skyhawks are currently riding an eight-game winning streak with wins over Samford, Northwestern State, No. 9 Jacksonville State, Murray State, Eastern Illinois, Southeast Missouri, Austin Peay and Tennessee State. This ties the longest winning streak in program history and matches head coach Jason Simpson's first season in 2006 in which the team won eight games in a row en route to an OVC championship and a FCS playoff berth. The team's winning streak ranks as the second longest active streak in the nation.

#### ALL-TIME WINNING STREAKS

2021.....8	2006.....8
1988.....8	1936.....8

#### FCS ACTIVE WINNING STREAKS

Sam Houston.....19
<b>UT Martin.....8</b>
Montana State.....8

### LEADING THE GROUND ATTACK

» UT Martin has produced a strong ground attack this season, eclipsing 200 rushing yards in seven of its nine games. The Skyhawks lead the league and rank eighth nationally with 229.6 rushing yards per game. The squad also boasts three of the top eight rushers in the league in **Peyton Logan** (90.7/gm, 2nd), **Zak Wallace** (60.3/gm, 7th) and **Keon Howard** (49.4/gm, 9th).

### SGT. YORK TROPHY SERIES

» Saturday's contest marks the final matchup in the annual Sgt. York Trophy series which pits Tennessee members of the Ohio Valley Conference in a battle for state supremacy and ownership of the traveling trophy. The Skyhawks and Golden Eagles shared the trophy in 2020-21 but was awarded to Tech.

» UT Martin has claimed at least a share of the Sgt. York Trophy eight times since 2007. The Skyhawks hold a 31-13 all-time record in the series - the best mark of the four Tennessee OVC schools.

### OVC SUPREMACY

» Since the 2006 season, UT Martin ranks as the winningest active member in the Ohio Valley Conference with 76 victories. After winning just 20 games in the team's first 14 years in the league, the Skyhawks are 76-46 since 2006 while sitting nine wins above the closest program in Eastern Illinois (67-54) during that span. The Skyhawks have finished .500 or above in conference play in 14 of the last 16 seasons - including four top-two finishes during that span.

### QUEST FOR NINE WINS

» With two games to play in the regular season, the Skyhawks enter Week 10 with a record of 8-1. If the squad can reach the nine win mark, they will join an exclusive group in the program's 92-year history which features only three previous teams winning at least nine games. After posting the team's eighth win, they became the ninth in UT Martin history to reach the benchmark - including four during head coach Jason Simpson's tenure (2006, 2008, 2012 and 2021).

#### ALL-TIME EIGHT-PLUS WIN SEASONS

1988.....11	1967.....10
2006.....9	<b>2021.....8</b>
2012.....8	2008.....8
1977.....8	1976.....8
1936.....8	

## ON THIS DAY...

### NOVEMBER

**13**

**THE RECORD:** 6-6  
**THE STREAK:** W2  
**LAST TIME:** 2010

**DID YOU KNOW:** The Skyhawks have posted three shutouts on this date over the years, including in 1936, 1993 and 2010.

### ON THIS DATE IN UT MARTIN HISTORY

- » 1931 at Caruthersville JC (W, 20-14)
- » 1936 at Austin Peay (W, 33-0)
- » 1954 at Northeast Mississippi CC (L, 32-16)
- » 1965 vs. North Alabama (L, 17-14)
- » 1971 vs. North Alabama (W, 20-7)
- » 1982 at Delta State (L, 47-0)
- » 1993 at Morehead State (W, 17-0)
- » 1999 at Missouri State (L, 62-7)
- » 2003 vs. Murray State (L, 41-26)
- » 2004 at Murray State (L, 38-0)
- » 2007 vs. Samford (W, 31-21)
- » 2010 vs. Tennessee State (W, 37-0)

### WALLACE AND HOWARD JOIN SINGLE-SEASON RUSHING TOUCHDOWN TOP-10 LEADERBOARD

» While pounding the ground this season, the Skyhawk pair of running back **Zak Wallace** and quarterback **Keon Howard** have not been shy about finding the endzone. With a pair of touchdowns each against Tennessee State, both Wallace and Howard moved into the program's single-season top-10 for rushing touchdowns with Wallace (11) sitting tied for sixth while Howard (10) ranks ninth.

Player	Year	Yards
1. Bobby Fowler	1957	19
2. Don Chapman	2005	16
3. Don Chapman	2006	15
4. Miguel Barnes	2009	12
Brandyn Young	2008	12
6. <b>Zak Wallace</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>11</b>
Don Chapman	2007	11
Wilbur Edmiston	1960	11
9. <b>Keon Howard</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>10</b>
Marcus Dawson	2007	10
Tim Beattie	1998	10
Larry Shanks	1967	10

### OHIO VALLEY (RUSHING) CONFERENCE

» Three OVC players **Geno Hess** (Southeast Missouri), **Zak Wallace** (UT Martin) and **Keon Howard** (UT Martin) rank in the Top 14 nationally in rushing touchdowns. Hess is second with 13, Wallace is tied for 10th with 11 while Howard ranks 14th with 10.



## RECORD WHEN...

<b>Overall</b> .....	8-1
vs. Ohio Valley Conference .....	4-0
Non-conference record .....	4-1
Home .....	5-0
Away .....	3-1
Day Games .....	6-0
Night Games .....	2-1

### Offense

When scoring first .....	4-1
When the opponent scores first .....	4-0
When leading at halftime .....	5-0
When trailing at halftime .....	3-1
When tied at halftime .....	0-0
When leading after third quarter .....	5-0
When trailing after third quarter .....	3-1
When tied after third quarter .....	0-0
In overtime games .....	0-0
When scoring less than 20 points .....	1-0
When scoring 20+ points .....	7-1
When scoring 30+ points .....	6-0
When scoring 40+ points .....	2-0
When allowing less than 20 points .....	3-0
When allowing 20+ points .....	5-1
When allowing 30+ points .....	2-1
When rushing for < 100 yards .....	0-0
When rushing for 100+ yards .....	7-1
When rushing for 200+ yards .....	5-0
When passing for 200+ yards .....	3-0
When passing for 300+ yards .....	0-0
When totaling < 300 yds total offense .....	0-0
When gaining 300+ yds total offense .....	7-1

### Defense

When allowing < 100 yds rushing .....	3-0
When allowing 100+ yds rushing .....	4-1
When allowing 200+ yds rushing .....	1-0
When allowing < 200 yards passing .....	2-0
When allowing 200+ yards passing .....	4-1
When allowing 300+ yards passing .....	1-1
When allowing < 300 yds total offense .....	2-0
When allowing 300+ yds total offense .....	5-1

## GAME CAPTAINS

### Western Kentucky

David DuBose, Chris Jackson, Donnell Williams and Rodney Williams

### Samford

Colton Dowell, Keon Howard, D'Carrious Stephens

### Northwestern State

Richie Griglione, Korbin Harmon, Mathan Hatchie

### Jacksonville State

JaQuez Akins, Marqwell Odom, Jay Woods

### Murray State

Peyton Logan, Chris Jackson, D'Carrious Stephens

### Eastern Illinois

Gavin Olson, Shawn Shamburger, Tevin Shipp

### Southeast Missouri

Eyabi Anoma, Michael Shanahan, Deven Sims

### Austin Peay

Matthan Hatchie, D'Carrious Stephens, Keon Howard

### Tennessee State

David DuBose, Austin Pickett, Chris Jackson, D'Carrious Stephens, Donnell Williams, Rodney Williams II

### Tennessee Tech

### Southeast Missouri

## QUICK HITS



### LOGAN JOINS 2,000 YARD CLUB

» Senior running back **Peyton Logan** joined an exclusive club last week by becoming the ninth player in UT Martin history to eclipse 2,000 career rushing yards against Southeast Missouri. Through 46 games, he currently sits fourth all-time with 2,228 yards and 226 yards behind John Burch (1985-88) for third.

Player	Year	Yards
1. Don Chapman	2004-07	5,017
2. Bobby Fowler	1956-59	4,033
3. John Burch	1985-88	2,454
4. <b>Peyton Logan</b>	<b>2017-21</b>	<b>2,228</b>
5. Henry Williams	1975-78	2,185
6. Jason McNair	2009-12	2,081
7. DJ McNeil	2010-13	2,031
8. Larry Shanks	1964-67	2,005
9. Nate Holmes	1969-72	2,004

### HOWARD SETS QB RUSHING TD RECORD

» Graduate **Keon Howard** has been able to find the endzone in bunches this season, tallying 10 rushing touchdowns through the first nine games. That mark set a new program single-season touchdown record by a QB, surpassing Leon Reed's previous mark of eight set in 1988.

Player	Year	TDs
<b>Keon Howard</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>10</b>
Leon Reed	1988	8
Alvin Smalls	1976	7
Jarod Neal	2014	6
Brady Wahlberg	2002	6

### ANOMA FLOODS THE BACKFIELD

» Former 5-star prospect **Eyabi Anoma** has found his groove since the start of OVC play. Anoma currently leads the league in both tackles for loss (7.0) and sacks (3.5) against conference opponents - including an explosive performance against Austin Peay in which he tallied 4.5 TFL and 1.5 sacks in the victory. He also recorded sacks on back-to-back plays to end the first half against Eastern Illinois.

### PROTECT THE POCKET

» With four returners back from the spring, the Skyhawks have found needed stability on the front line and vastly reduced its sacks allowed which saw the team allow 2.29 per game during the spring season (ranked 63rd nationally) all the way down to 0.78 per game which ranks fourth in the NCAA. The Skyhawks have allowed just seven sacks on the year.

### HOWARD PUNCHES IT IN (TWICE) AGAIN

» **Keon Howard** has tallied four games with a pair of rushing touchdowns against WKU, Northwestern State, Southeast Missouri and Tennessee State. He is the first quarterback to tally multiple rushing touchdown performances in a single season in program history.

### SKYHAWKS RACKING UP OVC WEEKLY HONORS

» UT Martin has garnered multiple Ohio Valley Conference Player of the Week honors eight times this season while claiming 20 weekly honors in total.

» The group of quarterback **Keon Howard** (Offensive & Newcomer), running backs **Peyton Logan** (Offensive) and **Zak Wallace** (Offensive & Newcomer), jack **Eyabi Anoma** (Defensive & Newcomer), along with linebacker **D'Carrious Stephens** (Defensive) and kicker/punter **Tyler Larco** (Specialist) have each garnered multiple weekly honors this season while linebacker **John Ford** (Defensive) and **Zoe Roberts** (Newcomer) have also been recognized.

### 100-YARD RUNNING BACKS

» After not producing a single 100-yard rushing performance during the abbreviated seven-game 2020-21 spring campaign, the Skyhawks have flipped the script in just six months. Through the first nine games of this season, the running back pair of **Peyton Logan** and **Zak Wallace** were able to string together four 100-yard games. Logan produced a pair of 100+ yard performances against Northwestern State (179) and Southeast Missouri (159) while Wallace recorded his first 100-yard contest in the road win at Eastern Illinois (125) and another against TSU (123).

### DOWN BUT NOT OUT

» The Skyhawks have shown the ability to overcome a slow start to a contest this season after rallying from at least two-touchdown deficits against Samford (-17), Jacksonville State (-14) and Austin Peay (-16) to date. During each of those games, the Skyhawks would respond with a run of their own to take control of the contest and never look back.

### Biggest Comebacks

• Samford	Biggest Deficit: 17-0	Best Run: 33-3
• Jacksonville St.	Biggest Deficit: 17-3	Best Run: 31-7
• Eastern Ill.	Biggest Deficit: 17-7	Best Run: 21-0
• Austin Peay	Biggest Deficit: 16-0	Best Run: 17-0

### DUAL THREAT QUARTERBACK

» Graduate quarterback **Keon Howard** has quickly acclimated to life in a Skyhawk uniform while sitting amongst the league's elite. Heading into Week 10, Howard ranks 14th nationally and third in the OVC with 10 rushing touchdowns while leading the OVC and ranking 19th nationally with 138 points responsible for. Overall, Howard has thrown for 13 touchdowns on the season while rushing for 10 and is averaging 235.0 yards of total offense per game.

### ROAD WARRIORS

» UT Martin has proven its ability to go on the road and hold its own. The Skyhawks have won three straight road matchups against Northwestern State, Jacksonville State and Eastern Illinois which ranks as the longest road winning streak since 2013 when the team picked up road wins against Southeast Missouri, Tennessee Tech and Austin Peay.

# QUICK HITS

## SIMPSON MOVES UP OVC LEADERBOARD

» With a win against Jacksonville State, Skyhawk head coach **Jason Simpson** moved into fifth place on the OVC's all-time wins leaderboard. With 98 career victories, Simpson sits one win out of fourth place behind WKU's Jimmy Feix.

» Now in his 16th season at UTM, Simpson ranks as the longest tenured coach in the league while ranking first among active OVC coaches with 98 wins and is just the sixth head coach to spend at least 15 years at the same institution - joining Roy Kidd (EKU), Boots Donnelly (Middle Tennessee), Charles Murphy (Middle Tennessee), Bob Spoo (EIU) and Don Wade (TTU).

### Most Wins In OVC History

Coch (Program)	W	L	%
1. Roy Kidd (Eastern Kentucky)	315	123	.715
2. Boots Donnelly (AP/MTSU)	154	94	.620
3. Charles Murphy (MTSU)	117	53	.683
4. Jimmy Feix (WKU)	99	43	.690
5. <b>Jason Simpson (UT Martin)</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>.556</b>

» In OVC play alone, Simpson has a career mark of 76-46 through 16 seasons, more than tripling the program's 20-win total which stretched through 14 seasons before his tenure. His 75 conference wins rank third in OVC history.

### Most Conference Wins In OVC History

Coch (Program)	W	L	%
1. Roy Kidd (Eastern Kentucky)	207	61	.768
2. Boots Donnelly (AP/MTSU)	102	52	.662
3. <b>Jason Simpson (UTM)</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>.622</b>
4. Charles Murphy (MTSU)	73	26	.733
5. Bob Spoo (EIU)	68	44	.607

## NO FLY ZONE

» The Skyhawks rank second in the OVC and 21st nationally with 10 interceptions. **John Ford** leads the team with three interceptions while seven other Skyhawks have tallied interceptions on the season. **Tevin Shipp** recorded the team's first defensive touchdown of the season with a 47-yard interception return against Murray State while Ford returned a season-long 75-yard interception for a touchdown against TSU.

## WALLACE HAS NOSE FOR THE ENDZONE

» After scoring just one touchdown last season, freshman running back **Zak Wallace** has been no stranger to the endzone in 2021 as he enters the final two weeks of the season with 11 rushing scores. He not only leads the team but ranks 10th nationally in rushing touchdowns and 14th in total touchdowns.

## HOME FIELD ADVANTAGE

» UT Martin capped off the home portion of the 2021 regular season with a perfect record after knocking off Samford, Murray State, Southeast Missouri, Austin Peay and Tennessee State. After going 5-0 at home, the Skyhawks became just the 12th team in the program's 92-year history to have gone unbeaten at Graham Stadium.

## ANOMA NAMED STATS PERFORM FCS

### NATIONAL DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

» Skyhawk edge rusher Eyabi Anoma was named the Stats Perform FCS National Defensive Player of the Week along with earning a pair of OVC honors (OVC Defensive Player of the Week and Newcomer of the Week) after Saturday's dominating performance against Austin Peay.

» Anoma set career-highs with eight tackles - including five solo stops - while notching 4.5 tackles for loss totaling 23 yards. He also was credited with 1.5 sacks on the afternoon. Arguably his biggest play was a block on the Gobs potential go-ahead field goal attempt in the final seconds. His TFLs were the most by a UTM player since 2013 and in the OVC since 2018.

## LOGAN IS PRIMED FOR A BIG PLAY

» With four touchdowns this season of 50 yards or more, senior **Peyton Logan** has once again shown his ability to make a big play. This season Logan has scored touchdowns of 75, 60, 53 and 51 yards either on the ground or through the air. As a whole, he has tallied 12 plays totaling 25 yards or more while recording 57 in his career - including 10 touchdowns.

## SIMS TACKLES IN BULK

» Junior safety **Deven Sims** has ranked near the top of the OVC for the past two seasons in total tackles - tallying 125 stops scattered over the last 16 games. Sims earned All-OVC first team honors last year after ranking fourth in total tackles (60) in seven games. This season he has kept up that pace, tallying 65 stops in nine games - including three double-digit tackle performances.

## BATTLE FOR THE VOLUNTEER STATE

Football has been a storied part of the state of Tennessee's history for decades. Dating back to the 2010 season, UT Martin ranks second in the state - including all Division I universities - in winning percentage at 54.6 percent. The Skyhawks are 20-7 against in-state foes since 2014.

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	Total (%)
Chattanooga	6-3	3-2	6-6	6-5	3-8	9-4	9-4	10-4	8-4	6-5	5-6	5-6	76-57 (57.1)
<b>UT Martin</b>	<b>8-1</b>	<b>3-4</b>	<b>7-5</b>	<b>2-9</b>	<b>6-5</b>	<b>7-5</b>	<b>7-4</b>	<b>5-6</b>	<b>7-5</b>	<b>8-3</b>	<b>5-7</b>	<b>6-5</b>	<b>71-59 (54.6)</b>
Memphis	5-4	8-3	12-2	8-6	10-3	8-5	9-4	10-3	3-9	4-8	2-10	1-11	80-68 (54.1)
Tennessee	5-4	3-7	8-5	5-7	4-8	9-4	9-4	7-6	5-7	5-7	6-7	7-5	73-71 (50.7)
Tennessee State	5-4	2-5	3-9	4-5	6-5	7-4	4-6	5-6	10-3	8-3	5-6	3-8	62-64 (49.2)
Middle Tennessee	4-5	3-6	4-8	8-6	7-6	8-5	7-6	6-6	8-5	8-4	2-10	6-7	71-74 (49.0)
ETSU	7-1	4-2	3-9	8-4	4-7	5-6	2-9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	33-38 (46.5)
Vanderbilt	2-7	0-9	3-9	6-7	5-7	6-7	4-8	3-9	9-4	9-4	6-7	2-10	55-88 (38.2)
Tennessee Tech	3-6	2-5	7-5	1-10	1-11	5-6	4-7	5-7	5-7	3-8	7-4	5-6	48-82 (36.9)
Austin Peay	4-5	4-5	11-4	5-6	8-4	0-11	0-11	1-11	0-12	2-9	3-8	2-9	40-95 (29.6)

# HONORS AND AWARDS

## JAQUEZ AKINS (S)

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC first team

## EYABI ANOMA (JACK)

OVC Defensive Player of the Week (10/31/21)

OVC Newcomer of the Week (10/31/21)

Stats Perform FCS National Defensive Player of the Week (11/1/21)

## CRU BIRDYSHAW (OL)

2020-21 OVC Medal of Honor (4.0 GPA)

2020-21 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll

## DAYLAN DOTSON (NT)

2020-21 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll

## COLTON DOWELL (WR)

Preseason All-OVC

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC first team

2020-21 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll

## DAVID DUBOSE (DE)

2020-21 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll

## JOHN FORD (LB)

OVC Defensive Player of the Week (9/19/21)

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC third team

## MATTHAN HATCHIE (OL)

Preseason All-OVC

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC second team

## KEON HOWARD (QB)

CFPA FCS National Performer of the Year Midseason Watch List

OVC Newcomer of the Week (9/5/21)

OVC Newcomer of the Week (9/12/21)

OVC Offensive Player of the Week (9/26/21)

OVC Offensive Player of the Week (10/10/21)

OVC Newcomer of the Week (10/24/21)

OVC Newcomer of the Week (11/7/21)

## CHRIS JACKSON (OL)

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC third team

## TYLER LARCO (K/P)

OVC Specialist of the Week (9/5/21)

OVC Specialist of the Week (9/26/21)

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC second team

2020-21 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll

## PEYTON LOGAN (RB)

OVC Offensive Player of the Week (9/12/21)

OVC Offensive Player of the Week (9/19/21)

## CHRIS MCABEE (LS)

2020-21 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll

## GAVIN OLSON (OL)

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC second team

## AUSTIN PICKETT (NT)

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC second team

## BROCK POWERS (LS)

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC third team

## ZOE ROBERTS (WR)

OVC Newcomer of the Week (9/26/21)

## DEVEN SIMS (S)

Preseason All-OVC

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC first team

## D'CARRIOUS STEPHENS (LB)

OVC Defensive Player of the Week (9/12/21)

OVC Defensive Player of the Week (10/17/21)

## ZAK WALLACE (RB)

OVC Newcomer of the Week (10/10/21)

OVC Offensive Player of the Week (10/17/21)

OVC Newcomer of the Week (10/17/21)

OVC Offensive Player of the Week (11/7/21)

## DONNELL WILLIAMS (WR)

Preseason All-OVC

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC first team

## RODNEY WILLIAMS II (TE)

Stats Perform FCS Preseason All-America second team

Preseason All-OVC

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC first team

HERO Sports Best Returning TEs (Ninth)

## DRESSER WINN (QB/P)

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC second team

## JAY WOODS (DB)

Preseason All-OVC

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC second team

## TAKEEM YOUNG (S)

2020-21 OVC Medal of Honor (4.0 GPA)

2020-21 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll

## NATIONAL POLLS

## AFCA FCS COACHES POLL

TEAM (FIRST-PLACE VOTES)	RECORD	PTS
1. SAM HOUSTON (28)	8-0	700
2. JAMES MADISON	8-1	668
3. MONTANA STATE	8-1	631
4. UC DAVIS	8-1	561
5. KENNESAW STATE	8-1	539
6. NORTH DAKOTA STATE	8-1	532
7. SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	7-2	525
8. EASTERN WASHINGTON	7-2	498
9. MONTANA	7-2	489
10. UT MARTIN	8-1	464
11. VILLANOVA	7-2	435
12. EAST TENNESSEE STATE	8-1	391
13. SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	7-2	373
14. MISSOURI STATE	6-3	333
15. JACKSON STATE	8-1	272
16. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	6-3	258
17. SOUTH DAKOTA	6-3	247
18. SACRAMENTO STATE	7-2	217
19. CHATTANOOGA	6-3	147
20. VMI	6-3	112
21. UIW	7-2	105
22. PRINCETON	7-2	88
23. DARTMOUTH	7-1	77
24. NORTHERN IOWA	5-4	69
25. EASTERN KENTUCKY	6-3	51

OTHERS (OVC ONLY): NONE



## STATS PERFORM FCS POLL

TEAM (FIRST-PLACE VOTES)	RECORD	PTS
1. SAM HOUSTON (50)	8-0	1,250
2. JAMES MADISON	8-1	1,180
3. MONTANA STATE	8-1	1,168
4. SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	7-2	1,045
5. NORTH DAKOTA STATE	8-1	1,015
6. UC DAVIS	8-1	1,005
7. EASTERN WASHINGTON	7-2	889
8. VILLANOVA	7-2	872
9. MONTANA	7-2	799
10. KENNESAW STATE	8-1	778
11. ETSU	8-1	723
12. SACRAMENTO STATE	7-2	624
13. UT MARTIN	8-1	622
14. SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	7-2	613
15. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	6-3	603
16. MISSOURI STATE	6-3	596
17. UIW	7-2	516
18. JACKSON STATE	8-1	385
19. SOUTH DAKOTA	6-3	338
20. NORTHERN IOWA	5-4	257
21. VMI	6-3	173
22. CHATTANOOGA	6-3	160
23. DARTMOUTH	7-1	160
24. PRAIRIE VIEW A&M	7-1	109
25. WILLIAM & MARY	6-3	79

OTHERS (OVC ONLY): NONE

## QUICK HITS

## SKYHAWKS IN THE NATIONAL RANKINGS

» The Skyhawks rank in the top-25 in 13 different team categories and 12 individual categories. The squad sits amongst the nation's top 10 teams in blocked punts allowed (zero, 1st), winning percentage (88.9, 2nd), sacks allowed (0.78, 4th), time of possession (33:53, 5th), third-down conversion percentage (46.7, 8th) and rushing offense (229.6, 8th).

» Individually, **Peyton Logan** ranks fifth in the NCAA in rush yards per carry (7.29) and 18th in all-purpose yards (120.1) while **Keon Howard** sits amongst the nation's leaders in rushing touchdowns (10, 14th) and points responsible for (138, 19th). Meanwhile **Zak Wallace** ranks 10th in rushing touchdowns (11) and 14th in total touchdowns (11).

Team Statistic	NCAA Rank	OVC Rank	Value
3rd Down Conversion Pct.	8	1	46.7%
4th Down Conversion Pct. Defense	13	1	33.3%
Blocked Kicks	14	1	3
Blocked Punts	18	1	1
Blocked Punts Allowed	1	1	0
Defensive TDs	18	2	2
Passes Intercepted	21	2	10
Rushing Defense	24	1	116.1
Rushing Offense	8	1	229.6
Sacks Allowed	4	1	0.78
Scoring Offense	22	1	32.8
Time of Possession	5	1	33:53
Winning Percentage	2	1	88.9%

Individual Statistic	Player	NCAA Rnk	OVC Rnk	Value
All Purpose	Logan	18	1	120.1
Passes Defended	Woods	25	2	1.1
Points Responsible For	Howard	19	1	138
Points Responsible For/Gm	Howard	21	1	15.3
Punt Return TDs	Stephens	2	1	1
Rush Yards/Game	Logan	5	1	7.29
Rushing TDs	Wallace	10	2	11
	Howard	14	3	10
Rushing Yards	Logan	14	2	816
Rushing Yards/Game	Logan	19	2	90.7
Total Touchdowns	Wallace	14	2	11
	Howard	21	3	10

## BLOCK THAT KICK

» After ranking first nationally with six blocked kicks in the spring, UT Martin is back at it this fall. The Skyhawks currently rank 10th nationally in blocked kicks (three) and 16th in blocked punts (one). The team blocked field goals against Northwestern State and Austin Peay (a game-winning 49-yard attempt) along with swatting a punt and returning it for a touchdown against Eastern Illinois.

## LOGAN RUNNING FREE

» After being named an All-OVC second team selection in 2019, senior running back **Peyton Logan** looks to be back to his old ways. Logan has tallied 100 carries for 744 yards and two touchdowns, averaging 93.0 ypg which ranks second in the league. In the receiving game, he has snagged 19 receptions for 199 yards and three touchdowns.

» On his 119 touches this season, he is averaging 7.9 yards per play. Overall, Logan sits third nationally in rush yards per carry (7.44) and 14th in all-purpose yards (123.38/game).

## AKINS SHOWS SIGN OF FORCE (FUMBLES)

» Senior rover **JaQuez Akins** has made opponents remember his name because of his hard-hitting reputation on the field but also for his knack for stripping the ball carrier. For his career, Akins has forced five fumbles in three seasons at UT Martin to rank sixth in school history.

Player	No.	Years
1. Markeseo Jackson	9	2003-06
2. Tony Bell	7	2011-14
Nick Stamper	7	1999-01
4. Kevin Prather Jr.	6	2015-18
David Gilmore	6	2003-06
6. JaQuez Akins	5	2019-21
4 Tied	5	-

## YOUNG MOVES INTO CAREER TOP-10 FOR PBU

» Senior safety **Takeem Young** has been a mainstay in the Skyhawk secondary serving as a starter since 2019 while playing in 36 games for his career. During that time he has accumulated 18 career pass breakups to rank tied for ninth place with Joe Este on the program's career top-10 leaderboard.

## SUCCESS IN NON-CONFERENCE PLAY

» UT Martin posted its best nonconference slate in its Division I history by going 4-1 while posting four FCS victories. The Skyhawks compiled three nonconference victories in as many weeks for the first time since joining the NCAA Division I FCS ranks in 1992 while their four wins marked the most since the 1988 season.

## DOWELL MOVES UP CAREER TOP-10

» Junior wide receiver **Colton Dowell** has moved himself into the conversation of some of the all-time greats after securing his spot in the all-time receiving yards top-10 list. Dowell enters Saturday's matchup with 1,760 career receiving yards in 36 games to rank ninth in program history. He trails Dwayne McKinney in eighth place by 33 yards.

## WALLACE SCORES TOUCHDOWN TRIFECTA

» Freshman running back **Zak Wallace** broke free against Murray State for three rushing touchdowns in the win. Wallace joined select company, becoming the first Skyhawk to rush for three or more touchdowns in a single game since Abou Toure accomplished the feat against Murray State in 2014 while joining a list of just seven players in the program's Division I history who have combined to do it 13 times.

## LARCO PROVES SPECIAL

» Freshman **Tyler Larco** has carried a heavy load for the team's special teams unit serving as the team's primary place kicker, punter and kickoff specialist. The 2020-21 All-OVC honoree has already earned a pair of OVC Specialist of the Week honors this season - bringing his career total to four - while scoring 53 points on the season with five field goals and 38 PATs. In the punting game, he has averaged 41.4 yards per attempt in 37 opportunities - including a season-long 68-yard attempt against No. 9 Jacksonville State and a 67-yarder against WKU.



# QUICK HITS



## TAKEEM YOUNG RECEIVES PRESTIGIOUS OVC SCHOLAR-ATHLETE AWARD

» The Ohio Valley Conference has selected senior safety **Takeem Young** as one of six individuals to receive its prestigious Scholar-Athlete Award for 2021-22. The award is the highest individual honor that can be earned by OVC student-athletes and is given annually to three men and three women student-athletes for their accomplishments in both the classroom and athletic arena, and because of their leadership qualities. The six winners were selected from a group of 16 finalists by a vote of OVC Faculty Athletics Representatives. Honorees must have performed athletically with distinction, earned at least a 3.5 Grade Point Average and conducted themselves in a manner which has brought credit to the student-athlete, his or her institution, intercollegiate athletics and the OVC. The award is based on academic and athletic criteria/accomplishments achieved during the 2020-21 school year.

» A native of Greeneville, Tenn., Young is currently competing in his fifth season with the Skyhawk football team where he plays strong safety and serves as a team captain. Throughout his career, Young has played in 36 games while earning 26 starts over the past three seasons in the secondary. Athletically, he has compiled 142 career tackles while defending 23 passes – including 18 pass breakups to rank ninth in program history – while tallying five interceptions. He has also added a forced fumble and a fumble recovery to his career stat line. In the classroom, Young has earned a 3.88 grade point average in exercise science and wellness with a minor in nutrition. Along with being a 2020-21 OVC Medal of Honor recipient – recognizing individuals with a perfect 4.0 GPA – he is a four-time OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll winner. He also has garnered multiple UT Martin Chancellor's Honor Roll and Athletic Director's Honor Roll selections. Young is a member of Phi Eta Sigma National Honor Society and has vast volunteer experience with Special Olympics and Shape Club. He also helped with voter registration on campus and collecting food items for Captain's Pantry to help alleviate food insecurities for students at UT Martin.

## HARMON THROWS BLOCK PARTY

» Graduate defensive tackle **Korbin Harmon** has been a dynamic force on special teams throughout his Skyhawk career. With a blocked field goal against Northwestern State, Harmon tallied his fifth blocked kick of his career to take sole possession of the program's all-time record for blocked kicks.

## KNOCKING OFF SOME OF THE NATION'S BEST

» With the team's 34-31 road victory at No. 9 Jacksonville State, UT Martin picked up its first win over a top-10 nationally ranked program since defeating No. 7 Central Arkansas in 2013. The Skyhawks have picked up wins over nationally ranked foes 15 times since becoming a Division I program in 1992 – including three wins against, No. 7 Central Arkansas (2013), No. 9 Jacksonville State (2021) and No. 10 Middle Tennessee (1993) which ranked in the top-10.

## NEW SKYHAWKS MAKE THEIR DEBUT

» 26 different players have made their UT Martin debut this season. 15 made their debut in the opener against Western Kentucky while **Keon Howard** (quarterback), **DeVonte Tanksley** (wide receiver), **Lamar Morgan** (right tackle) and **Eyabi Anoma** (jack) each earned their first career starts. Meanwhile, **Alexander Andre** (DB, Fr.), **Ethan Boyd** (OL, So.), **Jordan Castleberry** (RB, R-Fr.), **Fahreed Cheeks** (DB, R-Fr.), **Jaden Deaton** (S, Fr.), **Christian Dowell** (NT, Fr.), **Randy Fields Jr.** (WR, R-So.), **Sam Franklin** (RB, Fr.), **Dion Goldbourne** (Jack, R-Sr.), **Rob Hicks** (LB, Grad.), **Antonio Jackson** (DB, Fr.), **Jarid Johnson** (DE, So.), **Hunter Kendall** (TE, Fr.), **JaMichael McGoy** (DB, Fr.), **D.J. Nelson** (TE, Fr.), **Jay Rogers** (DE, R-So.), **Shawn Shamburger** (DB, Sr.), **Elijah Smoot** (WR, So.), **Tim Taylor** (RB, Grad.), **Airius Trice** (WR, Fr.), **Aaron Webb** (Rover, R-Fr.) and **Keion Willis** (DT, R-So.) have also debuted this season.

## OVC AND SOUTHLAND ANNOUNCE SCHEDULING ALLIANCE FOR 2022 AND 2023

» The **Ohio Valley Conference** and **Southland Conference** has announced plans for a football scheduling alliance between the two FCS leagues in the 2022 and 2023 seasons. The planned collaboration will allow institutions from each conference to fill available non-conference dates on schedules in the next two years with a focus toward competitive balance and travel.

## BACK TO YOUR REGULARLY SCHEDULE PROGRAM

» After playing the entire 2020 season in the spring of 2021, the Skyhawks and much of FCS is looking forward to returning to its traditional fall schedule. The Ohio Valley Conference added another twist, playing every game – outside of Easter weekend – on Sunday afternoons instead of a traditional Saturday-only schedule.

## DOWELL APPROACHING SCORING TOP-10

» Junior wide receiver **Colton Dowell** is sitting just outside the Skyhawk record books with 13 career touchdown receptions. With 13 scores, he needs one more to move into a six-way tie for 10th place on the program's career touchdown receptions leaderboard while Lenny Harris sits in sole possession of ninth with 15.

# TOP PERFORMANCES

## 300-YARD PASSING PERFORMANCES

**Dresser Winn** (3 career | 0 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
355	at Middle Tennessee	9/8/18	L, 61-37
331	at Murray State	9/29/18	L, 45-38
300	vs. Chattanooga	9/15/18	L, 34-24

## 100-YARD RUSHING PERFORMANCES

**Peyton Logan** (6 career | 2 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
179	at Northwestern State	9/18/21	W, 35-10
159	vs. Southeast Missouri	10/23/21	W, 38-30
149	vs. Northwestern State	8/29/19	W, 42-20
112	at Eastern Kentucky	10/5/19	W, 38-28
109	vs. Eastern Illinois	10/19/19	W, 27-18
107	at Tennessee Tech	10/12/19	W, 55-14

**Zak Wallace** (2 career | 2 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
125	at Eastern Illinois	10/16/21	W, 28-17
123	vs. Tennessee State	11/6/21	W, 41-20

## 100-YARD RECEIVING PERFORMANCES

**Colton Dowell** (6 career | 1 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
154	at Tennessee Tech	10/12/19	W, 55-14
117	vs. #18 Jacksonville State	11/2/19	W, 22-17
111	at #24 Austin Peay	11/9/19	L, 38-24
105	vs. Tennessee Tech	4/11/21	W, 40-7
104	at Southeast Missouri	10/26/19	L, 17-10
102	at Western Kentucky	9/2/21	L, 59-21

**Donnell Williams** (2 career | 0 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
108	vs. #10 Jacksonville State	3/14/21	L, 37-20
101	vs. Southeast Missouri	4/3/21	L, 21-16

## DOUBLE-DIGITAL TACKLE PERFORMANCES

**JaQuez Akins** (3 career | 0 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
12	at Southern Illinois	9/14/19	L, 28-14
11	at #11 Florida	9/7/19	L, 45-0
10	vs. Tennessee State	11/16/19	W, 28-17

**John Ford** (1 career | 1 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
12	at Eastern Illinois	10/16/21	W, 28-17
12	vs. Tennessee State	11/6/21	W, 11/6/21

**Rob Hicks** (1 career | 1 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
10	vs. Austin Peay	10/30/21	W, 17-16

**Deven Sims** (5 career | 3 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
12	vs. #10 Jacksonville State	3/14/21	L, 37-20
11	vs. Austin Peay	10/30/21	W, 17-16
10	at Tennessee State	3/28/21	L, 26-24
10	at Western Kentucky	9/2/21	L, 59-21
10	vs. Murray State	10/8/21	W, 48-28

**Takeem Young** (3 career | 2 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
10	vs. Southeast Missouri	4/3/21	L, 21-16
10	at Northwestern State	9/18/21	W, 35-10
10	vs. Murray State	10/9/21	W, 48-28

## MULTI-INTERCEPTION PERFORMANCES

**Takeem Young** (1 career | 0 in 2021)

Tot	Opponent	Date	Score
2	vs. Tennessee Tech	4/11/21	W, 40-7

## OVC STATISTICAL LEADERS

### UTM IN THE LEAGUE RANKINGS

» The Skyhawks enter their Week 10 matchup ranked in the top-two of the league standings in 17 statistical categories as a team and top-five in 21 individual categories.

Team Statistic	OVC Rank	Value
Scoring Offense	1	32.8
Rushing Offense	1	229.6
Rushing Defense	1	116.1
Sacks Allowed	1	0.78
Team Sacks	1	1.67
Team Tackles for Loss	1	6.1
Time of Possession	1	33:53
Winning Percentage	1	88.9
Third-Down Conversion	1	46.7%
Fourth-Down Conversion Defense	1	33.3%
Tackles for Loss Allowed	1	4.78
Blocked Kicks	1	3
Blocked Punts	1	1
Blocked Punts Allowed	1	0
Completion Percentage	1	58.6%
Total Offense	2	415.1
Scoring Defense	2	26.0
Defensive Touchdowns	2	2
First Downs (Offense)	2	180
Interceptions	2	10
Team Pass Efficiency	2	129.36
Fourth-Down Conversion	2	52.9%

Individual Statistic	Player	OVC Rank	Value
All-Purpose	Logan	1	120.1
Completion Percentage	Howard	1	58.6%
Completions/Game	Howard	2	15.56
Field Goal Percentage	Larco	5	50.0%
Field Goals Per Game	Larco	6	0.56
Fumbles Recovered	4 Tied	5	1
Interceptions/Game	Ford	2	0.3
Passes Defended	Woods	2	1.1
Passing Efficiency	Howard	2	129.4
Passing Touchdowns	Howard	1	13
Passing Yards	Howard	3	1670
Passing Yards/Game	Howard	3	185.6
Passing Yards/Completion	Howard	5	11.93
Points Responsible For	Howard	1	139
	Wallace	5	66
Points Responsible For/Gm	Howard	1	15.3
	Wallace	6	7.3
Punt Return TD	Stephens	1	1
Punting	Larco	2	41.14
Receiving TDs	Roberts	4	4
	Logan	6	3
Rush Yards/Carry	Logan	1	7.29
	Howard	4	4.89
	Wallace	5	4.81
Rushing TDs	Wallace	2	11
	Howard	3	10
Rushing Yards	Logan	2	816
	Wallace	7	543
	Howard	99	445
Rushing Yards/Game	Logan	2	90.7
	Wallace	7	60.3
	Howard	9	49.4
Sacks	Anoma	1	0.75
	Akins	6	0.38
Scoring	Wallace	3	7.3
	Howard	4	6.7
	Larco	8	5.9
Tackles for Loss	Anoma	1	1.2
Total Offense	Howard	2	235.0
	Logan	9	90.7
Total Tackles	Sims	6	7.2
Total Touchdowns	Wallace	2	11
	Howard	3	10
Yards per Pass Attempt	Howard	2	6.99
Yards/Reception	R. Williams	6	15.05

## QUICK HITS

### DIPPING INTO THE TRANSFER PORTAL

» The Skyhawks added to a veteran return group this offseason by dipping into the transfer portal and acquiring talent from several FBS programs. The Skyhawks brought in three graduate transfer in quarterback **Keon Howard** (Tulane), running back **Tim Taylor** (Memphis) and linebacker **Rob Hicks** (Louisville).

» UT Martin also welcomes in former 5-star defensive end **Eyabi Anoma** (Alabama/Houston) along with defensive back **Shawn Shamburger** (Tennessee), wide receiver **Randy Fields Jr.** (West Virginia), defensive tackle **Keion Willis** (Missouri), defensive end **Jay Rogers** (Northern Colorado) and running back **Jordan Castleberry** (Maryland/Michigan).

### TAKING IT UP A NOTCH

» UT Martin has been no stranger to playing competition from the Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) over the years. The Skyhawks have played 24 different FBS games since 2006, including a stretch from 2011-16 in which UT Martin played at least two FBS games per year. The Skyhawks are 1-24 in games against FBS opponents under the direction of head coach Jason Simpson

Year	Opponent	Result
2021	Western Kentucky	L, 59-21
2019	Florida	L, 45-0
	Kentucky	L, 50-7
2018	Missouri	L, 51-14
	Middle Tennessee	L, 61-37
2017	Ole Miss	L, 45-23
2016	Cincinnati	L, 28-7
	Hawaii	L, 41-36
	Georgia State	L, 31-6
2015	No. 15 Ole Miss	L, 76-3
	Arkansas	L, 63-28
2014	Kentucky	L, 59-14
	No. 1 Mississippi State	L, 45-16
2013	Boise State	L, 63-14
	Memphis	L, 21-6
2012	Memphis	W, 20-17
	Northern Illinois	L, 35-7
2011	Mississippi State	L, 55-17
	South Alabama	L, 33-30
2010	Tennessee	L, 50-0
2009	Memphis	L, 41-14
2008	No. 19 South Florida	L, 56-7
	Auburn	L, 37-20
2007	Southern Miss	L, 35-13
2006	Ohio	L, 29-3

### DOWELL ECLIPSES THE CENTURY MARK

» All-OVC wide receiver **Colton Dowell** stepped up on the big stage against WKU in the season opener. Dowell tallied six catches for 102 yards and a touchdown. The contest marked the sixth 100-yard receiving performance of his career.

### SEASON 92

» The 2021 campaign is UT Martin's 92nd season of football despite suspending play during Great Depression (1933) and World War II (1942-45). The Skyhawks are in their 30th season at the NCAA Division I FCS level. UT Martin joined the NCAA Division I ranks in 1992 and compiled an overall record of 140-203 with one Ohio Valley Conference title (2006) and one NCAA Playoff appearance (2006) as a D-I program.

### RODNEY WILLIAMS II PICKS UP PRESEASON ALL-AMERICAN HONORS

» UT Martin senior tight end **Rodney Williams II** has garnered preseason All-American honors from State Perform (second team) after claiming a pair of postseason All-American honors from Stats Perform and HERO Sports.

» Williams used his 2020 campaign to breakout as a one of the nation's top tight ends after tallying 30 receptions, 327 yards and four touchdowns.

### UT MARTIN PICKED TO FINISH FOURTH

» The Ohio Valley Conference announced its preseason polls and all-conference performers in conjunction with the league's Football Media Day. UT Martin was picked to finish fourth in the preseason poll as voted on by the league's head coaches and sports information directors as well as the Preseason Media Poll. The Skyhawks tallied 38 overall points.

1. Murray State (7)
2. Austin Peay (4)
3. Southeast Missouri (3)
4. UT Martin
5. Tennessee State
6. Tennessee Tech
7. Eastern Illinois

### SIX SKYHAWKS NAMED PRESEASON ALL-OVC

» A total of six Skyhawk football standouts were honored by the Ohio Valley Conference as Preseason All-OVC performers by the league's head coaches and sports information directors.

» The Skyhawk group includes four players on offense and two on defense. Joining the list is wide receiver **Colton Dowell**, wide receiver **Donnell Williams**, tight end **Rodney Williams II**, offensive lineman **Matthan Hatchie**, cornerback **Jay Woods** and safety **Deven Sims**.

### FORMER SKYHAWK JAYLON MOORE SIGNS CONTRACT WITH BALTIMORE RAVENS

» After spending the entire 2020 season on the Baltimore Ravens practice squad, former Skyhawk wide receiver **Jaylon Moore** has signed another practice squad contract for the 2021 campaign.

### 14 SKYHAWKS EARN SPOT ON PHIL STEELE PRESEASON ALL-OVC LIST

» A total of 14 UT Martin football players garnered spots on the annual Phil Steele Preseason All-Ohio Valley Conference teams. The group of **Colton Dowell** (wide receiver), **Donnell Williams** (wide receiver), **Rodney Williams II** (tight end), **Jaquez Akins** (safety) and **Deven Sims** (safety) earned first team honors. The second team was highlighted by **Matthan Hatchie** (offensive line), **Gavin Olson** (offensive line), **Austin Pickett** (defensive line), **Jay Woods** (cornerback), **Tyler Larco** (place kicker) and **Dresser Winn** (punter) while **Chris Jackson** (offensive line), **John Ford** (linebacker) and **Brock Powers** (long snapper) were tabbed to the third team.



# SKYHAWK DEPTH CHART



## OFFENSE TWO-DEEP

Pos.No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
<b>QUARTERBACK</b>				
9	Keon Howard	6-1	215	Gr.
16	Stewart Howell	6-1	200	R-Fr.
<b>RUNNING BACK</b>				
23	Peyton Logan	5-8	190	Sr.
21	Zak Wallace	6-0	220	R-Fr.
<b>WIDE RECEIVER (X)</b>				
0	Randy Fields, Jr.	6-1	195	R-So.
85	Jaden Gibbs	6-4	185	R-Fr.
<b>WIDE RECEIVER (Z)</b>				
11	Donnell Williams	6-3	205	Gr.
83	Andrew Henley	5-9	165	Fr.
<b>WIDE RECEIVER (H)</b>				
13	Marqwell Odom	5-8	165	Sr.
89	Deray Lawrence	5-7	130	R-So.
<b>TIGHT END</b>				
2	Rodney Williams	6-4	235	Gr.
88	Richie Griglione III	6-5	235	So.
<b>LEFT TACKLE</b>				
66	Michael Shanahan	6-5	310	R-So.
72	Jarod Russell	6-4	315	Fr.
<b>LEFT GUARD</b>				
76	Chris Jackson	6-9	330	R-Sr.
71	Brandon Floyd	6-4	290	R-Fr.
<b>CENTER</b>				
54	Matthan Hatchie	6-2	310	Jr.
55	Reed Davis	6-3	270	R-Fr.
<b>RIGHT GUARD</b>				
79	Gavin Olson	6-4	290	So.
73	Cru Birdyshaw	6-7	325	Gr.
<b>RIGHT TACKLE</b>				
68	Malcolm Miller	6-3	315	Gr.
77	Lamar Morgan	6-5	305	So.



## SPECIAL TEAMS TWO-DEEP

Pos.No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
<b>KICKOFF</b>				
37	Tyler Larco	5-9	155	R-Fr.
48	Joshua Hernandez	5-8	185	Fr.
<b>PLACE KICKER</b>				
37	Tyler Larco	5-9	155	R-Fr.
48	Joshua Hernandez	5-8	185	Fr.
<b>HOLDER</b>				
43	Chris McAbee	6-1	250	R-So.
16	Stewart Howell	6-1	200	R-Fr.
<b>PUNTER</b>				
37	Tyler Larco	5-9	155	R-Fr.
48	Joshua Hernandez	5-8	185	Fr.



## DEFENSE TWO-DEEP

Pos.No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
<b>DEFENSIVE END</b>				
45	David DuBose	6-3	265	R-Sr.
92	Daylan Dotson	6-3	280	Fr.
<b>NOSE TACKLE</b>				
47	Austin Pickett	6-1	270	Gr.
99	Kenyon Davis	6-5	290	R-So.
<b>DEFENSIVE TACKLE</b>				
95	Jay Rogers	6-3	290	R-So.
8	Korbin Harmon	6-5	275	Gr.
<b>JACK</b>				
1	Eyabi Anoma	6-6	270	R-So.
24	Jamarius Landers	6-3	245	So.
<b>LINEBACKER</b>				
31	D'Carrious Stephens	6-0	225	Gr.
35	Tevin Shipp	6-2	230	R-Fr.
<b>LINEBACKER</b>				
18	John Ford	6-3	230	Gr.
5	Rob Hicks	6-1	235	Gr.
<b>ROVER</b>				
17	JaQuez Akins	5-9	185	Sr.
20	Anthony Prospere	6-0	195	Fr.
<b>DEFENSIVE BACK</b>				
4	Jay Woods	5-11	185	Gr.
16	Tamel McCall	6-0	175	R-So.
<b>DEFENSIVE BACK</b>				
10	Shawn Shamburger	5-11	190	Sr.
22	Fahreed Cheeks	5-8	155	R-Fr.
<b>FREE SAFETY</b>				
30	Deven Sims	6-2	200	R-Jr.
19	Jack Lucas	6-0	180	R-Fr.
<b>STRONG SAFETY</b>				
9	Oshae Baker	5-10	195	Fr.
12	Carson Evans	6-1	185	R-Fr.



## STUDENT-ATHLETE ACADEMICS

### SKYHAWKS SHATTER GPA RECORD

» For the second straight semester, UT Martin student-athletes shattered a record for Grade Point Average as the Skyhawks combined for a 3.29 GPA for the 2021 spring term.

### THE GRADUATES

» 15 players on the 2021 UT Martin roster have already received bachelor's degrees:

- Cru Birdyshaw
- David DuBose
- John Ford
- Korbin Harmon
- Rob Hicks
- Keon Howard
- Chris Jackson
- Malcolm Miller
- Austin Pickett
- D'Carrious Stephens
- Tim Taylor
- Donnell Williams
- Rodney Williams
- Dresser Winn
- Jay Woods

### OVC COMMISSIONER'S HONOR ROLL

» There were 12 UT Martin representatives on the Ohio Valley Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll for the 2020-21 season, including current team members **Mitchell Appleton, Cru Birdyshaw, Daylan Dotson, Colton Dowell, David DuBose, Brandon Floyd, Tyler Larco, Chris McAbee, Cade Richards** and **Takeem Young**. Team members had to possess at least a 3.25 GPA for the previous school year to be eligible.

### ATHLETIC DIRECTOR'S HONOR ROLL

» The Skyhawk football team was responsible for the most Athletic Director's Honor Roll recipients, placing 39 student-athletes on the prestigious list. Student-athletes earning a spot on the AD Honor Roll had to compiled at least a 3.0 GPA or higher for the spring semester. Football was represented in the spring of 2021 by current team members **Alexander Andre, Mitchell Appleton, Cru Birdyshaw, Ethan Boyd, Giovanni Davis, Kareem Dinzey, Daylan Dotson, Carson Evans, Brandon Floyd, Isaiah Gibbs, Wyatt Gilbert, David Green, Korbin Harmon, Chris Jackson, Jarious Johnson, Hunter Kendall, Deray Lawrence, Jack Lucas, Chris McAbee, Malcolm Miller, Kobe Okeke, Austin Pickett, Campbell Puckett, Cade Richards, Tevin Shipp, Tyson Strickland, Shamari Weir, Donnell Williams** and **Takeem Young**.

### SKYHAWKS POST PERFECT GPAs

» Two UT Martin football players posted perfect years in the classroom during an unconventional academic year. **Cru Birdyshaw** and **Takeem Young** each posted perfect 4.0 Grade Point Averages during the 2020-21 year.



## BY THE NUMBERS

- **Overall:** 98-78 (.557)
- **OVC Play:** 76-46 (.623) | **Non-OVC:** 21-31 (.404)
- **Home:** 57-25 | **Away:** 40-56
- **Conference Championships:** One (2006)
- **Postseason:** One (2006)



## SIMPSON AT A GLANCE

Simpson's **98** wins lead all active head coaches in the OVC and marks the most wins in UT Martin history

**98**

**16**

In his **16th** season at the helm of the Skyhawks, Jason Simpson is the longest tenured head coach in the OVC

Jason Simpson's 97 career victories rank **fifth** in OVC history

**5th**



## GET TO KNOW SIMPSON

### EDUCATION

- Undergraduate: Southern Miss, 1994

### PLAYING CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Mississippi State - Football (1990-92)
- Southern Miss - Baseball (1992-94)
- 1993 All-Metro second team selection

### CAREER HISTORY

#### UT MARTIN (2006-PRESENT)

- Head Coach
- 98-78 in 16 seasons
- Won Sgt. York Trophy (10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20)
- Finished in the top half of the league 11 times
- Posted three runner-up finishes
- OVC Championship (2006)
- OVC Roy Kidd Coach of the Year (2006)
- AFCA Region 3 Coach of the Year (2006)

#### CHATTANOOGA (2003-05)

- Offensive Coordinator

#### TEXAS STATE (2000-03)

- Quarterback Coach

#### BLINN JUNIOR COLLEGE (2000)

- Quarterback Coach / Wide Receivers Coach

#### JACKSONVILLE STATE (1997-99)

- Quarterback Coach

#### DELTA STATE (1995)

- Defensive Graduate Assistant

### CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### OVC CHAMPIONSHIP

- 2006

### COACHING HONORS

- OVC Coach of the Year (2006)
- Eddie Robinson FCS Coach of the Year Finalist (2006, 2012, 2016)
- AFCA Region 3 Coach of the Year (2006)



## HEAD COACH JASON SIMPSON



## YEAR-BY-YEAR HEAD COACHING RECORD

YEAR	OVERALL		OVC		FINISH	H	A	POSTSEASON
2006	9-3	.750	6-1	.857	1st	4-1	5-2	FCS Playoffs
2007	4-7	.363	4-4	.500	6th	3-2	1-5	-
2008	8-4	.667	6-2	.750	2nd	4-2	4-2	-
2009	5-6	.454	4-4	.500	4th	4-1	1-5	-
2010	6-5	.545	5-3	.625	4th	4-1	2-4	-
2011	5-6	.454	4-4	.500	5th	4-1	1-5	-
2012	8-3	.727	6-2	.750	2nd	4-1	4-2	-
2013	7-5	.583	5-3	.625	3rd	2-3	5-2	-
2014	6-6	.500	5-3	.625	3rd	3-2	2-4	-
2015	7-4	.636	6-2	.750	3rd	3-2	4-2	-
2016	7-5	.583	6-2	.750	2nd	5-0	2-5	-
2017	6-5	.545	4-4	.500	4th	3-2	3-3	-
2018	2-9	.181	2-6	.250	8th	2-3	0-7	-
2019	7-5	.583	6-2	.750	3rd	5-2	2-5	-
20-21	3-4	.428	3-4	.428	5th	2-2	1-2	-
2021	8-1	.889	4-0	1.000	-	5-0	3-1	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>98-78</b>	<b>.557</b>	<b>76-46</b>	<b>.623</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>57-25</b>	<b>40-56</b>	

The longest tenured head football coach in the Ohio Valley Conference is Jason Simpson, who has transformed the University of Tennessee at Martin program into one of the winningest teams in the OVC since his first season in 2006.

In 16 years, Simpson has led UT Martin to an 97-78 record (.554 winning percentage) and a 75-46 mark against OVC opponents (.620 winning percentage). That comes after the program had won 20 OVC games in its first 14 seasons in the league. He also has presided over 102 All-OVC players after the program tallied 33 such players in its first 15 seasons in the OVC.

Simpson's 97 career victories rank fifth in OVC history while his 75 conference wins sits in third place.

Three of the program's seven 8-win seasons have come under Simpson, including all three at the Football Championship Subdivision level. He was responsible for the program's first-ever OVC championship team in 2006, as that team ended the season with a national No. 13 ranking after finishing 9-3.

Simpson is a three-time finalist for the Eddie Robinson FCS Coach of the Year Award in 2006, 2012 and 2016 while finishing fourth overall in 2006. He won the OVC's Roy Kidd Coach of the Year award and the American Football Coaches Association Region 3 Coach of the Year accolade in 2006, his debut season at UT Martin.

A total of 16 Skyhawks have been named an All-American under Simpson. Those include Alex Atkins (2006), Don Chapman (2006), Jessie Burton (2006), Josh Yarbrough (2007), Dontrell Miller (2008), Ray Williams (2008), Joe Gibbs (2009), Josh Bey (2009), CJ Estelle (2011), Montori Hughes (2012), Quentin Sims (2012), Jeremy Butler (2013), Ben Johnson (2013), Tony Bell (2013, 2014), Rodney Williams II (2020) and Terry Williams (2019).

In April 2012, Hughes became the 12th UT Martin player and first since 1996 to be selected in the NFL Draft. Hughes was picked by the Indianapolis Colts in the fifth round (139th overall). Since 2011, Gibbs (St. Louis Rams, Green Bay Packers), Sims (Atlanta Falcons, New England Patriots),

Derek Carr (New York Giants), Johnson (Kansas City Chiefs), Butler (Baltimore Ravens), DJ Roberts (Baltimore Ravens), Abou Toure (Indianapolis Colts), Charles Sweeton (Kansas City Chiefs), Bell (Tennessee Titans) and Corey Jordan (Jacksonville Jaguars) have all received opportunities with NFL teams.

Simpson also coached Chapman for two seasons, who became just the 14th Division-I player to rush for 1,000 yards in four consecutive seasons. He was named the program's first-ever OVC Offensive Player of the Year in 2006.

The Skyhawks have won or shared the Sgt. Alvin C. York Trophy - which was established in 2007 and is given annually to the best of the four OVC teams located in Tennessee - eight times. The Skyhawks won the trophy in 2010 and shared it in 2012, 2018, 2019 and 2020 while claiming the trophy outright in 2014, 2015 and 2016. UT Martin owns a 29-13 all-time record in the Sgt. York Trophy series, which is the best mark out of the four OVC schools.

Prior to accepting his first head coaching job at UT Martin, Simpson was the offensive coordinator at the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga. He was instrumental in the resurgence of the UTC football program. In 2005, Chattanooga posted a 6-5 campaign, the school's first winning season since 1997.

Before Chattanooga, Simpson coached at Texas State University, a member of the Southland Football League. He coached quarterbacks, receivers and served as the team's recruiting coordinator. In 2000, Texas State posted a 7-4 record, the school's first winning season in 10 years.

Simpson served as an assistant coach from 1997-1999 at Jacksonville State University. He coached quarterbacks and was the team's passing game coordinator. He also coached receivers and served as an assistant special teams coordinator. He was a member of the Jacksonville State staff responsible for the third best turnaround in Division I football for the 1997 and 1998 seasons.

An Ellisville, Miss. native, Simpson signed as a quarterback with Mississippi State and played for two seasons for the Bulldogs. He also played baseball for Ron Polk at Mississippi State before transferring to Southern Miss in 1992. At Southern Miss, Simpson was a two-time all-conference selection in baseball and was team captain his senior season.

After earning a bachelor's degree in 1994 from Southern Miss, he spent the next year as a graduate assistant football coach at Delta State, where he coached defensive backs. In the spring of 1995, Simpson served as an assistant football and head baseball coach at Collins High School in Mississippi.

Simpson and his wife, the former Julie Wilkerson, have two sons and a daughter: Ty, Emma and Graham. The family lives in Martin and attends First Baptist Church.

## SIMPSON VS. ALL OPPONENTS

Arkansas.....	0-1
Auburn.....	0-1
Austin Peay.....	13-3
Baker.....	1-0
Bethel.....	1-0
Boise State.....	0-1
Central Arkansas.....	1-2
Chattanooga.....	2-1
Cincinnati.....	0-1
Clarion.....	1-0
Concordia.....	1-0
Cumberland.....	1-0
Eastern Illinois.....	11-4
Eastern Kentucky.....	5-8
Florida.....	0-1
Gardner-Webb.....	1-0
Georgia State.....	0-1
Hawaii.....	0-1
Iowa Wesleyan.....	1-0
Jacksonville State.....	5-11
Kentucky.....	0-2
Lambuth.....	1-0
Memphis.....	1-2
Middle Tennessee.....	0-1
Mississippi State.....	0-2
Missouri.....	0-1
Missouri State.....	0-2
Murray State.....	12-4
Northern Illinois.....	0-1
Northwestern State.....	2-0
Ohio.....	0-1
Ole Miss.....	0-2
Samford.....	3-0
South Alabama.....	0-1
South Florida.....	0-1
Southeast Missouri.....	11-5
Southeastern Louisiana.....	1-1
Southern Illinois.....	0-2
Southern Miss.....	0-1
Tennessee.....	0-1
Tennessee State.....	9-6
Tennessee Tech.....	11-4
Union College.....	1-0
Urbana.....	1-0
Western Kentucky.....	0-1
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>98-78</b>

## SKYHAWK ASSISTANT COACHES



**CHRIS POLIZZI**  
Asst. Head Coach  
Defensive Coordinator  
Fourth Year



**KEVIN BANNON**  
Offensive Coordinator  
Offensive Line  
10th Year



**MATT JONES**  
Off. Run-Game Coordinator  
Tight Ends & Tackles  
Third Year



**JAY MACINTYRE**  
Pass-Game Coordinator  
Recruiting Coordinator/WRs  
Second Year



**BRANDON BUTCHER**  
Linebackers  
Second Year



**GEORGE FRAZIER**  
Defensive Line  
Second Year



**DREW TATE**  
Quarterbacks  
First Year



**DEVONTE HOWARD**  
Running Backs  
First Year



**SHELDON DAWSON**  
Cornerbacks  
First Year



**TJ JEFFERSON**  
Jacks/Special Teams  
Second Year

## SIMPSON'S RECORD WHEN...

Home Record:.....	57-25
Road Record:.....	40-56
OVC Overall:.....	76-46
OVC Home:.....	37-21
OVC Road:.....	35-26
Ranked opponents:.....	11-22
Record in August:.....	3-2
Record in September:.....	30-31
Record in October:.....	37-22
Record in November:.....	25-19
Record in February:.....	0-1
Record in March:.....	2-2
Record in April:.....	1-1
Scoring First.....	69-23
Leading at half:.....	77-15
Trailing at half:.....	16-56
Tied at half:.....	6-4
Scores <20 Points:.....	14-38
Scores >20 Points:.....	89-41
Scores 30+ Points:.....	62-15
Scores 40+ Points:.....	32-3
Opponent Scores <20 Points:.....	58-8
Opponent Scores >20 Points:.....	40-70
Opponent Scores 30+ Points:.....	17-51
Opponent Scores 40+ Points:.....	3-28
Overtime record:.....	0-5
Record after a loss:.....	46-24
Longest winning streak:.....	8 (2006 & 2021)
Longest losing streak:.....	6 (2007)



## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.
25	Isaiah Abdullah	LB
17	Jaquez Akins	S
97	TJ Alexander	P
26	Alexander Andre	DB
1	Eyabi Anoma	DL
74	Mitchell Appleton	OL
9	Oshae Baker	DB
-	Stephen Ballard	LB
73	Cru Birdyshaw	OL
75	Ethan Boyd	OL
90	Toby Camp	DL
14	Jordan Castleberry	RB
-	Jerry Chandler	WR
22	Fahreed Cheeks	DB
38	Jermaine Cooley	JACK
46	Will Crabtree	LB
-	Taeovin Cunningham	RB
44	Giovanni Davis	JACK
99	Kenyon Davis	DT
55	Reed Davis	OL
39	Jaden Deaton	S
29	Ahmeen Dinzey	DB
-	Kareem Dinzey	DB
92	Daylan Dotson	NT
94	Christian Dowell	NT
15	Colton Dowell	WR
45	David DuBose	DE
7	Blake Durham	WR
12	Carson Evans	S
0	Randy Fields, Jr.	WR
71	Brandon Floyd	OL
18	John Ford	LB
29	Sam Franklin	RB
47	Jackson Gay	TE
34	Isaiah Gibbs	RB
85	Jaden Gibbs	WR
27	Wyatt Gilbert	ROVER
34	Dion Goldbourne	JACK
97	David Green	DT
88	Richie Grigione III	TE
-	Steve Guy	S
28	Vincent Guy	DB
60	Greg Gyenis	OL
8	Korbin Harmon	DT
54	Matthan Hatchie	OL
83	Andrew Henley	WR
48	Joshua Hernandez	K
5	Rob Hicks	LB
9	Keon Howard	QB
16	Stewart Howell	QB
32	Chris Hunter	LB
23	Antonio Jackson	S
76	Chris Jackson	OL
48	Lenon James, Jr.	TE
93	Jarid Johnson	DE
42	Jarious Johnson	RB
34	Hunter Kendall	TE
24	Jamarius Landers	JACK
37	Tyler Larco	K/P
89	Deray Lawrence	WR
23	Peyton Logan	RB
19	Jack Lucas	DB
18	Josh Lundy	QB
65	AJ Marquez	OL
43	Chris McAbee	LS
16	Tamel McCall	DB
27	JaMichael McGoy	WR
-	Delvontae Mclean	DB
98	Traquan McNair	NT
68	Malcolm Miller	OL
41	TJ Minnifree	JACK
10	William Mitchell	QB
77	Lamar Morgan	OL
6	AJ Moss	S
67	Matthew Needham	OL
81	DJ Nelson	TE

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
0	Randy Fields, Jr.	WR	6-1	195	R-So.	Newark, Del. (West Virginia)
1	Eyabi Anoma	JACK	6-6	270	R-So.	Baltimore, Md. (Houston)
2	Rodney Williams II	TE	6-4	235	Grad.	Memphis, Tenn. (Germantown HS)
3	Dresser Winn	QB	6-3	215	Grad.	Dresden, Tenn. (Dresden HS)
3	Takeem Young	S	6-1	200	R-Sr.	Greeneville, Tenn. (Greeneville HS)
4*	DeVonte Tanksley	WR	5-10	160	So.	Gainesville, Fla. (Catawba CC)
4	Jay Woods	DB	5-11	185	Grad.	Pinson, Ala. (South Alabama)
5	Rob Hicks	LB	6-1	235	Grad.	Miami, Fla. (Louisville)
6	AJ Moss	S	6-2	170	Fr.	Tampa, Fla. (Bloomington HS)
7*	Blake Durham	WR	6-2	190	Fr.	Pike Road, Ala. (Pike Road HS)
7	Aaron Webb	ROVER	6-0	175	R-Fr.	St. Louis, Mo. (Iowa Western CC)
8	Korbin Harmon	DT	6-5	275	Grad.	Oxford, Miss. (Pearl River CC)
8	Tim Taylor	RB	5-10	215	Grad.	Memphis, Tenn. (Memphis)
9	Oshae Baker	DB	5-10	195	Fr.	Sanford, Fla. (Seminole HS)
9	Keon Howard	QB	6-1	215	Grad.	Laurel, Miss. (Tulane)
10*	William Mitchell	QB	6-3	215	Fr.	Saco, Maine (St. Thomas More)
10	Shawn Shamburger	DB	5-11	190	Sr.	Mobile, Ala. (Tennessee)
11	Donnell Williams	WR	6-3	205	Grad.	St. Louis, Mo. (Gateway Tech HS)
12	Carson Evans	S	6-1	185	R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (First Assembly Christian)
13	Marqwell Odom	WR	5-8	165	Sr.	Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Independence CC)
14	Jordan Castleberry	RB	5-8	185	R-Fr.	Lakewood, Ohio (Maryland)
15*	Colton Dowell	WR	6-3	215	R-Jr.	Lebanon, Tenn. (Wilson Central HS)
16	Stewart Howell	QB	6-1	200	R-Fr.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Christian Academy of Knoxville)
16	Tamel McCall	DB	6-0	175	R-So.	Riverview, Fla. (Riverview HS)
17	Jaquez Akins	ROVER	5-9	185	Sr.	Starkville, Miss. (East Mississippi CC)
18	John Ford	LB	6-3	230	Grad.	Nashville, Tenn. (John Overton HS)
18*	Josh Lundy	QB	6-3	190	Fr.	Hoover, Ala. (Hoover HS)
19	Jack Lucas	DB	6-0	180	R-Fr.	Louisville, Ky. (Louisville Male)
20	Anthony Prospere	ROVER	6-0	195	Fr.	Deerfield Beach, Fla. (Deerfield Beach HS)
21	Zak Wallace	RB	6-0	220	R-Fr.	Benton, Ark. (Benton HS)
22	Fahreed Cheeks	DB	5-8	155	R-Fr.	St. Louis, Mo. (Iowa Western CC)
23	Antonio Jackson	S	6-1	185	Fr.	Bessemer, Ala. (Hueytown HS)
23	Peyton Logan	RB	5-8	190	Sr.	Horn Lake, Miss. (Horn Lake HS)
24	Jamarius Landers	JACK	6-3	245	So.	Deerfield Beach, Fla. (Deerfield Beach HS)
25	Isaiah Abdullah	LB	6-3	220	R-Fr.	Los Angeles, Calif. (Wyoming)
26	Alexander Andre	DB	5-11	175	Fr.	Orlando, Fla. (Bishop Moore HS)
26*	Tyler Pugh	S	5-10	170	Fr.	Loganville, Ga. (Grayson HS)
27*	Wyatt Gilbert	ROVER	5-11	180	Fr.	Fairfield, Ill. (Fairfield HS)
27	JaMichael McGoy	DB	5-10	170	Fr.	Chattanooga, Tenn. (Boyd-Buchanan HS)
28	Vincent Guy	DB	6-0	180	R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Whitehaven HS)
29*	Ahmeen Dinzey	DB	6-1	175	Fr.	Kissimmee, Fla. (Samford)
29	Sam Franklin	RB	5-10	195	Fr.	Little Rock, Ark. (Central HS)
30	Deven Sims	S	6-2	200	R-Jr.	Smyrna, Tenn. (Smyrna HS)
31	D'Carrious Stephens	LB	6-0	225	Grad.	Union City, Tenn. (Union City HS)
32	Chris Hunter	LB	6-1	230	R-Fr.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Army Prep)
34*	Isaiah Gibbs	RB	5-9	185	R-Fr.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Farragut HS)
34	Dion Goldbourne	JACK	6-4	235	R-Sr.	Delray Beach, Fla. (Maryland)
35	Tevin Shipp	LB	6-2	230	R-Fr.	Smyrna, Tenn. (Smyrna HS)
36	Shamari Weir	LB	6-0	220	Fr.	Coconut Creek, Fla. (Coconut Creek HS)
37	Tyler Larco	K/P	5-9	155	R-Fr.	Miami, Fla. (Miami Palmetto)
38	Jermaine Cooley	JACK	6-2	240	So.	Dublin, Ga. (Dublin HS)
39*	Jaden Deaton	S	6-0	200	Fr.	New Albany, Miss. (Northeast Mississippi CC)
39	Terayon Sweet	RB	5-11	200	Fr.	San Bernardino, Calif. (Winner Circle Athletics)
40	Brock Powers	LS	6-2	230	Jr.	Cornersville, Tenn. (Cornersville HS)
41*	Hunter Kendall	TE	5-11	210	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Memphis University School)
41	TJ Minnifree	JACK	6-3	250	R-Jr.	Nashville, Tenn. (Tennessee)
42*	Jarious Johnson	RB	6-2	225	R-So.	Decherd, Tenn. (Franklin County HS)
42*	Kobe Okeke	LB	6-1	220	Fr.	Smyrna, Tenn. (Birmingham Sports Academy)
43	Chris McAbee	LS	6-1	250	R-So.	Kingston, Tenn. (Roane County HS)
44	Giovanni Davis	JACK	6-3	250	Fr.	Miami Gardens, Fla. (Dr. Krop HS)
45	David DuBose	DE	6-3	265	Grad.	Huntsville, Ala. (Columbia HS)
46*	Will Crabtree	LB	6-0	205	Fr.	Hendersonville, Tenn. (Beech HS)
47*	Jackson Gay	TE	6-2	235	Fr.	Panama City, Fla. (Bozeman HS)
47	Austin Pickett	NT	6-1	270	Grad.	Lake Minneola, Fla. (Lake Minneola HS)
48	Joshua Hernandez	K	5-8	185	Fr.	Houston, Texas (J. Frank Dobie HS)
48*	Lenon James, Jr.	TE	6-1	275	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Memphis Central HS)
49	Erin Parker	TE	6-3	245	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Memphis Central HS)
54	Matthan Hatchie	OL	6-2	310	Jr.	Haleiwa, Hawaii (Garden City CC)
55	Reed Davis	OL	6-3	270	R-Fr.	Booneville, Miss. (Booneville HS)
56*	Campbell Puckett	OL	6-2	280	Fr.	Tiptonville, Tenn. (Lake County HS)
60*	Greg Gyenis	OL	6-3	305	Fr.	Tampa, Fla. (Jesuit HS)
61*	Eli Patrick	OL	6-0	225	Fr.	Covington, Tenn. (Covington HS)
62	Josiah Tingley	OL	6-2	290	Fr.	Cordova, Tenn. (Evangelical Christian HS)
65*	AJ Marquez	OL	6-6	285	Fr.	Port Charlotte, Fla. (Port Charlotte HS)
66	Michael Shanahan	OL	6-5	310	R-So.	Orlando, Fla. (First Academy HS)
67	Matthew Needham	OL	6-6	315	R-Fr.	Germantown, Tenn. (Houston HS)

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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
68	Malcolm Miller	OL	6-3	315	Gr.	Vicksburg, Miss. (Jones County JC)
70	Cade Richards	OL	6-5	265	Fr.	Clearwater, Fla. (Clearwater Central Catholic)
71	Brandon Floyd	OL	6-4	290	R-Fr.	Festus, Mo. (Jefferson HS)
72	Jarod Russell	OL	6-4	315	Fr.	Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Riverdale HS)
73*	Cru Birdyshaw	OL	6-7	325	Grad.	Jasper, Ala. (Jones County JC)
74*	Mitchell Appleton	OL	6-5	300	Fr.	De Soto, Mo. (De Soto HS)
75*	Ethan Boyd	OL	6-5	295	So.	Crystal Springs, Miss. (Hinds CC)
76	Chris Jackson	OL	6-9	330	Grad.	Lexington, Ky. (Lexington Catholic HS)
77	Lamar Morgan	OL	6-5	305	So.	Detroit, Mich. (East Central CC)
78*	Kobe Perkins	OL	6-3	340	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Memphis Central HS)
79	Gavin Olson	OL	6-4	290	So.	Memphis, Tenn. (Memphis Harding Academy)
80	Zoe Roberts	WR	5-11	185	Fr.	Perry, Fla. (Taylor County HS)
81	DJ Nelson	TE	6-4	215	Fr.	York, Ala. (Selma HS)
82	Airius Trice	WR	6-1	160	Fr.	Shelbyville, Tenn. (Bethel)
83	Andrew Henley	WR	5-9	165	Fr.	Miami, Fla. (Hallandale HS)
84	Elijah Smoot	WR	6-1	180	So.	Beggs, Okla. (Northeastern Oklahoma A&M)
85	Jaden Gibbs	WR	6-4	185	R-Fr.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Farragut HS)
86*	James Shephard	WR	6-2	210	Fr.	West Memphis, Ark. (West Memphis HS)
87*	Aron Whittle	WR	5-9	180	Fr.	Newbern, Tenn. (Dyer County HS)
88	Richie Griglion III	TE	6-5	235	So.	Truro, Iowa (Iowa Western CC)
89	Deray Lawrence	WR	5-7	130	R-So.	Germantown, Tenn. (Germantown HS)
89*	Desmond Nokes	WR	6-0	165	Fr.	Smithville, Tenn. (DeKalb County HS)
90*	Toby Camp	DE	6-3	250	Fr.	Attalla, Ala. (Etowah HS)
90	Keion Willis	DT	6-1	265	R-So.	St. Louis, Mo. (Missouri)
91*	Tyson Strickland	DT	6-2	270	Fr.	Cordova, Tenn. (Tennessee Valley Prep)
92	Daylan Dotson	NT	6-2	280	Fr.	Savannah, Ga. (Jenkins HS)
93	Jarid Johnson	DE	6-2	310	So.	Poplarville, Miss. (Pearl River CC)
94	Christian Dowell	NT	6-2	280	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Christian Brothers HS)
95	Jay Rogers	DE	6-3	290	R-So.	Memphis, Tenn. (Northern Colorado)
96*	Zion Rucker	OL	6-4	300	Fr.	Smyrna, Tenn. (Smyrna HS)
97*	TJ Alexander	P	6-3	170	Fr.	DeKalb, Tenn. (DeKalb County HS)
97*	David Green	DT	6-3	255	Fr.	Fort Pierce, Fla. (Centennial HS)
98*	Traquan McNair	NT	6-1	320	R-Fr.	DeLand, Fla. (DeLand HS)
99	Kenyonte Davis	DT	6-5	290	R-So.	Columbia, Tenn. (Columbia Central HS)
-	Stephen Ballard	LB	6-1	190	Fr.	Milan, Tenn. (Milan HS)
-	Jerry Chandler	WR	5-10	170	Fr.	De Soto, Mo. (De Soto HS)
-	Taevion Cunningham	RB	5-9	175	Fr.	Sherwood, Ark. (Sylvan Hills HS)
-	Kareem Dinzey	DB	6-1	175	Fr.	Kissimmee, Fla. (Tohopekaiga HS)
-	Steve Guy	S	5-11	170	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Southwind HS)
-	Delvontae Mclean	WR	6-0	180	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Whitehaven HS)
-	Connor Ott	K	6-0	190	R-Fr.	Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Morehead State)
-	Maverick Rodriguez	S	5-8	165	Fr.	Nashville, Tenn. (Christ Presbyterian Academy)
-	Orlandis Williamson	DB	5-10	170	Fr.	Milan, Tenn. (Milan HS)

\*expected to be inactive for this week's game

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.
89	Desmond Nokes	WR
13	Marqwell Odom	WR
42	Kobe Okeke	LB
79	Gavin Olson	OL
-	Connor Ott	K
49	Erin Parker	TE
61	Eli Patrick	OL
78	Kobe Perkins	OL
47	Austin Pickett	DL
40	Brock Powers	LS
20	Anthony Prospere	ROVER
56	Campbell Puckett	OL
26	Tyler Pugh	S
70	Cade Richards	OL
80	Zoe Roberts	WR
-	Maverick Rodriguez	S
95	Jay Rogers	DE
96	Zion Rucker	OL
72	Jarod Russell	OL
10	Shawn Shamburger	DB
66	Michael Shanahan	OL
86	James Shephard	WR
35	Tevin Shipp	LB
30	Deven Sims	S
84	Elijah Smoot	WR
31	D'Carrious Stephens	LB
91	Tyson Strickland	DT
39	Terayon Sweet	RB
4	DeVonte Tanksley	WR
8	Tim Taylor	RB
62	Josiah Tingley	OL
82	Airius Trice	WR
21	Zak Wallace	RB
7	Aaron Webb	S
36	Shamari Weir	LB
87	Aron Whittle	WR
11	Donnell Williams	WR
2	Rodney Williams II	TE
-	Orlandis Williamson	DB
90	Keion Willis	DT
3	Dresser Winn	QB
4	Jay Woods	DB
3	Takeem Young	S

## FOOTBALL STAFF

### Coaching Staff

<b>Head Coach:</b> Jason Simpson   Southern Miss, 1995	16th season
<b>Asst. Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator/Secondary:</b> Chris Polizzi   Lake Forest, 2005	Fourth season
<b>Offensive Coordinator/Offensive Line:</b> Kevin Bannon   UT Martin, 2009	10th season
<b>Run-Game Coordinator/Tight Ends &amp; Tackles:</b> Matt Jones   Eastern Illinois, 2008	Third season
<b>Pass-Game Coordinator/Recruiting Coordinator/Wide Receivers Coach:</b> Jay MacIntyre   Colorado, 2018	Second season
<b>Defensive Line:</b> George Frazier   Colorado, 2016	Second season
<b>Linebackers:</b> Brandon Butcher   Coastal Carolina, 2014	Second season
<b>Quarterbacks:</b> Drew Tate   Iowa, 2008	First season
<b>Running Backs:</b> Devonte Howard   UT Martin, 2018	First season
<b>Cornerbacks:</b> Sheldon Dawson   UT Martin, 2018	First season
<b>Jacks/Special Teams Assistant:</b> TJ Jefferson   UT Martin, 2019	Second season

### Graduate Assistants

<b>Asst. Recruiting Coordinator/Offensive/Special Teams Graduate Assistant:</b> Brandon Butcher   Virginia Tech	First season
<b>Defensive Graduate Assistant/Rovers:</b> Antonio Clifton   UT Martin, 2019	Third season

### Support Staff

<b>Director of Football Operations:</b> Chris Bell	Sixth season
<b>Head Coach for Strength &amp; Conditioning Coach:</b> Sam Medlock	1st season
<b>Assistant Strength &amp; Conditioning Coach:</b> Shane McGough	1st season
<b>Assistant Strength &amp; Conditioning Coach:</b> Tony Lester	10th season
<b>Assistant Strength &amp; Conditioning Coach:</b> Dawson Moncrief	1st season
<b>Equipment Manager:</b> Houston Downey	Third season

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Isaiah Abdullah	(Ab-dual-uh)
JaQuez Akins	(Jah-Qwezz Ache-inns)
Eyabi Anoma	(E-ah-Bee Uh-no-muh)
Oshae Baker	(Oh-shay)
Cru Birdyshaw	(Bird-ee-shaw)
Giovanni Davis	(Gee-oh-vhon-ee)
Kenyonte Davis	(Ken-yawn-tay)
David DuBose	(Dew-Bows)
Ahmeen Dinzey	(Ahh-mean)
Jaden Gibbs	(Jay-den)
Richie Griglion III	(Grig-lee-own)
Matthan Hatchie	(May-then Hotch-ee)
Jamarius Landers	(Juh-mar-ee-us)
Traquan McNair	(Trey-qwan)
TJ Minnifee	(Min-ee-fee)
Marqwell Odom	(Marr-kwell)
Zoe Roberts	(Zo)
D'Carrious Stephens	(Dee-Care-ee-us)
Shamari Weir	(Shuh-mar-ee Wee'r)
Takeem Young	(Tuh-kheem)

# OHIO VALLEY CONFERENCE



## OVC WEEKLY AWARDS

### OVC OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Sept. 5	Preston Rice	Murray State
Sept. 12	<b>Peyton Logan</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
Sept. 19	<b>Peyton Logan</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	Draylen Ellis	Austin Peay
Sept. 26	<b>Keon Howard</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	Geno Hess	Southeast Missouri
Oct. 3	Jeremy Hickbottom	Tennessee State
Oct. 10	<b>Keon Howard</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	Geno Hess	Southeast Missouri
Oct. 17	<b>Zak Wallace</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	DJ Williams	Murray State
Oct. 24	Ahmaad Tanner	Austin Peay
Oct. 31	Jeremy Hickbottom	Tennessee State
Nov. 7	<b>Zak Wallace</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	Draylen Ellis	Austin Peay
Nov. 14	-	-
Nov. 21	-	-

### OVC DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Sept. 5	Johnathon Edwards	Austin Peay
Sept. 12	<b>D'Carrious Stephens</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
Sept. 19	<b>John Ford</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	Jack McDonald	Austin Peay
Sept. 26	Jordan Miles	Eastern Illinois
Oct. 3	Russell Dandy	Eastern Illinois
Oct. 10	Brandon Mincey	Southeast Missouri
Oct. 17	<b>D'Carrious Stephens</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
Oct. 24	James Green	Tennessee State
	Devin Squires	Tennessee Tech
Oct. 31	<b>Eyabi Anoma</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	Koby Perry	Austin Peay
Nov. 7	Johnathon Edwards	Austin Peay
	Marcis Floyd	Murray State
Nov. 14	-	-
Nov. 21	-	-

### OVC SPECIALIST OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Sept. 5	<b>Tyler Larco</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
Sept. 12	Logen Neidhardt	Eastern Illinois
Sept. 19	Zach Haynes	Southeast Missouri
Sept. 26	<b>Tyler Larco</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	Kenny Doak	Southeast Missouri
Oct. 3	Aaron Baum	Murray State
Oct. 10	Hayden Olsen	Tennessee Tech
Oct. 17	Malik Honeycutt	Murray State
Oct. 24	Kenny Doak	Southeast Missouri
Oct. 31	Zach Haynes	Southeast Missouri
Nov. 7	Aaron Baum	Murray State
Nov. 14	-	-
Nov. 21	-	-

### OVC NEWCOMER OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Sept. 5	<b>Keon Howard</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
Sept. 12	<b>Keon Howard</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
Sept. 19	Rodell Rahmaan	Tennessee State
Sept. 26	<b>Zoe Roberts</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
Oct. 3	Russell Dandy	Eastern Illinois
Oct. 10	<b>Zak Wallace</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
Oct. 17	<b>Zak Wallace</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	DJ Williams	Murray State
Oct. 24	<b>Keon Howard</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
Oct. 31	<b>Eyabi Anoma</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	Jeremy Hickbottom	Tennessee State
Nov. 7	<b>Keon Howard</b>	<b>UT Martin</b>
	Drae McCray	Austin Peay
Nov. 14	-	-
Nov. 21	-	-



## OVC STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONF	PCT.	OVERALL	PCT.	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	STREAK
#10 UT Martin	4-0	1.000	8-1	0.889	5-0	3-1	0-0	W8
Southeast Missouri	3-1	0.750	3-6	0.333	2-2	1-4	0-0	W1
Tennessee State	3-2	0.600	5-4	0.556	3-0	2-2	0-2	L1
Austin Peay	2-2	0.500	4-5	0.444	2-2	2-3	0-0	W1
Murray State	1-3	0.250	4-5	0.444	3-1	1-4	0-0	W1
Tennessee Tech	1-3	0.250	3-6	0.333	2-2	1-4	0-0	L1
Eastern Illinois	1-4	0.200	1-9	0.100	0-3	1-6	0-0	L5



## OVC SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

### Saturday, November 13

*Southeast Missouri at Murray State	1 p.m.	ESPN3
*UT Martin vs. Tennessee Tech	1:30 p.m.	ESPN+
*Austin Peay vs. Tennessee State	2 p.m.	ESPN+



## PRESEASON ALL-OVC

### Preseason Offensive Player of the Year

Draylen Ellis, Austin Peay

#### Offense

QB - Preston Rice, Murray State  
 QB - Draylen Ellis, Austin Peay  
 RB - Devon Starling, Tennessee State  
 RB - Geno Hess, Southeast Missouri  
 FB - Benjamin Johnson, Tennessee State  
 WR - Zack Smith, Southeast Missouri  
**WR - Colton Dowell, UT Martin**  
 WR - LaMarte Brooks, Murray State  
**WR - Donnell Williams, UT Martin**  
 WR - Cam Wyche, Tennessee State  
 WR - Jacob Bell, Murray State  
**TE - Rodney Williams II, UT Martin**  
 OL - Cam Durley, Tennessee State  
 OL - Bucky Williams, Austin Peay  
 OL - Jaden Rosenthal, Southeast Missouri  
 OL - Levi Nesler, Murray State  
 OL - Jacob Vance, Murray State  
 OL - Shyron Rodgers, Southeast Missouri  
**OL - Matthan Hatchie, UT Martin**  
 OL - Colby McKee, Austin Peay  
 OL - Seth Johnson, Austin Peay

### Preseason Defensive Player of the Year

Kordell Jackson (NB), Austin Peay

#### Defense

DT - Bryson Donnell, Southeast Missouri  
 DT - Davoan Hawkins, Tennessee State  
 DE - Chris Tucker, Tennessee Tech  
 DE - Ethan Edmondson, Murray State  
 OLB - Omarick Douglas, Southeast Missouri  
 OLB - Scotty Humpich, Murray State  
 OLB - James Green, Tennessee State  
 ILB - Eric Samuta, Murray State  
 ILB - Jason Johnson, Eastern Illinois  
 ILB - Jack McDonald, Austin Peay  
 CB - Marcis Floyd, Murray State  
**CB - Jay Woods, UT Martin**  
**S - Deven Sims, UT Martin**  
 S - Josh Reliford, Tennessee Tech  
 S - Josh Green, Tennessee State  
 NB - Kordell Jackson, Austin Peay

#### Specialists

K - Antonio Zita, Tennessee State  
 P - Zach Haynes, Southeast Missouri  
 KR - Matt Judd, Eastern Illinois  
 PR - Malik Honeycutt, Murray State

## OVC IN THE POLLS WEEK-BY-WEEK



## OVC PREDICTED ORDER

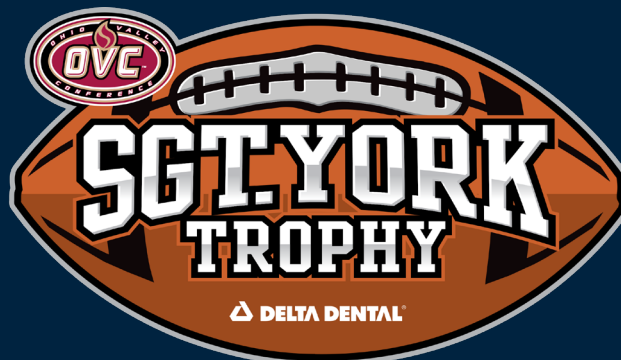
	AP	UIU	MUR	SEMO	TSU	TTU	UTM	Predicted Order of Finish	
PRESEASON	20/25	-/-	RV/RV	RV/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	1. Murray State (7)	64
SEPT. 6	17/18	-	RV/RV	-	-	-	-	2. Austin Peay (4)	60
SEPT. 13	19/21	-	RV/RV	-	-	-	-	Southeast Missouri (3)	60
SEPT. 20	19/20	-	RV/RV	-	-	-	RV/-	<b>4. UT Martin</b>	<b>38</b>
SEPT. 27	RV/RV	-	RV/RV	-	-	-	23/24	5. Tennessee State	32
OCT. 4	-/RV	-	RV/RV	-	-	-	21/21	6. Tennessee Tech	28
OCT. 11	-	-	-	-	-	-	17/16	7. Eastern Illinois	12
OCT. 18	-	-	-	-	-	-	13/13		
OCT. 25	-	-	-	-	-	-	12/13		
NOV. 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	15/11		
NOV. 8	-	-	-	-	-	-	13/10		
NOV. 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
NOV. 22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
FINAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		



## SGT. YORK TROPHY WINNERS

2007 - Tennessee State\*, Austin Peay  
 2008 - Tennessee State  
 2009 - Tennessee Tech  
 2010 - UT Martin  
 2011 - Tennessee State\*, Tennessee Tech  
 2012 - UT Martin, Tennessee State\*  
 2013 - Tennessee State  
 2014 - UT Martin  
 2015 - UT Martin  
 2016 - UT Martin\*, Tennessee State, Tennessee Tech  
 2017 - Austin Peay  
 2018 - UT Martin, Austin Peay\*, Tennessee State  
 2019 - UT Martin, Austin Peay\*, Tennessee State  
 2020 - UT Martin, Tennessee Tech\*

\*Took home the trophy due to winning the tiebreaker



## ALL-TIME RECORD IN SGT. YORK TROPHY GAMES

Austin Peay	15-28
Tennessee State	23-21
Tennessee Tech	18-25
UT Martin	31-13

UT Martin at home: 16-5  
 UT Martin on the road: 15-8

## SGT. YORK TROPHY CONTESTS

### 2020-21

Feb. 21 at Tennessee Tech 27, Austin Peay 21  
 Feb. 28 at Austin Peay 27, Tennessee State 20  
 March 21 UT Martin 37 at Austin Peay 34  
 March 28 at Tennessee State 26, UT Martin 24  
 April 3 at Tennessee Tech 24, Tennessee State 10  
 April 11 Tennessee Tech at UT Martin

### 2021

Oct. 16 @Tennessee State 20, Tennessee Tech 13 (OT)  
 Oct. 30 @UT Martin 17, Austin Peay 16  
 Nov. 6 @UT Martin 41, Tennessee State 20  
 Nov. 13 Austin Peay at Tennessee State  
 UT Martin at Tennessee Tech  
 Nov. 20 Tennessee Tech at Austin Peay

In July 2007, the Nashville Sports Council and the Ohio Valley Conference announced the creation of the Sergeant York Trophy which goes to the winner of the quadrangular season football series between the four Ohio Valley Conference schools located in the state of Tennessee – Austin Peay State University, University of Tennessee at Martin, Tennessee State University and Tennessee Technological University.

The award is the only traveling trophy that involves four teams in college sports; there are three others that involve three teams, including the Commander in Chief's Trophy which has been contested between Air Force, Army and Navy annually since 1972.

The award is presented by Delta Dental of Tennessee.

In a close race, Tennessee State and Austin Peay shared the inaugural award, finishing with identical 2-1 records in 2007. Tennessee State took the trophy home with it thanks to a one-point victory in overtime over the Governors; that game was decided by a blocked extra point by NFL First Round Draft Pick Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie.

The award is named in honor of Alvin C. York, the most noted Soldier of World War I. As a corporal in the 2nd battalion, 328th Infantry, in the Battle of the Meuse River-Argonne (Oct. 8, 1918), York and seven other soldiers captured 132 prisoners, was promoted to sergeant and received the Distinguished Service Cross, the French Croix de Guerre, the French Legion of Honor, the Croce di Guerra of Italy and the War Medal of Montenegro. Upon his return to the United States in 1919, he was bestowed the Congressional Medal of Honor.

Following the war York returned his home in Pall Mall, Tenn. (located in north central Tennessee, 55 miles northeast of Cookeville) where he dedicated his life to improving education and facilitating educational opportunities for children in the state of Tennessee. In 1927 he established the Alvin C. York Institute after spending several years raising money for the school which opened as a private institution. That school was established, in part, to provide educational opportunities denied to the boys and girls of Fentress County. In 1937, the Institute became a state special school after an appeal to the Tennessee State Legislature. The school, located in Jamestown, Tennessee, is still in operation today.

York died on Sept. 2, 1964 and the foundation which he helped establish in 1920 – The Sergeant York Patriotic Foundation – was dormant for many years. The Foundation was re-established by Lipscomb Davis, Jr. in 1992 and is currently run by Sgt. York's grandson Gerald (U.S. Army Colonel, Retired). York's papers are archived by Michael E. Birdwell, Ph.D., who is an associate professor of history at Tennessee Technological University, one of the four institutions that will compete for the yearly honor.

After the completion of the football season, the Sergeant York Trophy is awarded to the institution with the best head-to-head record in the match-ups with their fellow Tennessee schools. In the event of a tie, the award is shared; however, the previous winner will retain the trophy if they are part of the tie. If the tie is between two other institutions, the trophy will go to the institution that has gone the most seasons without winning the trophy.

## SGT. YORK GAME RECORDS

### TEAM

<b>Points:</b>	61 - UT Martin vs. Austin Peay (10/8/11)
<b>Total Offensive Yards:</b>	644 - Austin Peay vs. Tennessee State (11/5/16)
<b>First Downs:</b>	36 - Tennessee Tech vs. Tennessee State (10/15/11)
<b>Rushing Yards:</b>	423 - Austin Peay vs. Tennessee Tech (11/4/17)
<b>Rushing Attempts:</b>	63 - Tennessee State vs. Austin Peay (9/15/07)
<b>Rushing Touchdowns:</b>	6 - Austin Peay vs. Tennessee State (10/6/18)
<b>Passing Yards:</b>	422 - UT Martin vs. Tennessee Tech (11/10/12)
<b>Passing Attempts:</b>	58 - Tennessee Tech vs. Tennessee State (10/15/11)
<b>Passing Touchdowns:</b>	6 - UT Martin vs. Austin Peay (10/8/11)
<b>Completions:</b>	35 - UT Martin vs. Tennessee Tech (11/10/12)
<b>Interceptions:</b>	3 - Done 9 Times
<b>INT Return Yards:</b>	92 - Tennessee State vs. Tennessee Tech (10/31/09)
<b>Fumbles Lost:</b>	4 - Tennessee State vs. Austin Peay (10/6/18)
<b>Fumble Recoveries:</b>	4 - Tennessee State vs. Austin Peay (10/6/18)
<b>Sacks:</b>	8 - UT Martin vs. Tennessee Tech (10/3/15)
<b>Turnovers Committed:</b>	5 - Done 4 Times
<b>Penalties:</b>	19 - UT Martin vs. Tennessee State (10/19/13)
<b>Penalty Yards:</b>	167 - Tennessee State vs. Austin Peay (11/8/14)

### INDIVIDUAL

<b>Rushing Yards:</b>	227 - Brian Snead, APSU vs. TSU (2/28/21)
<b>Rushing Attempts:</b>	35 - Don Chapman, UTM vs. TSU (11/17/07)
<b>Rushing Touchdowns:</b>	4 - Javarris Williams, TSU vs. UTM (11/17/07)
<b>Longest Rush:</b>	84 - Ladarius Vanlier, TTU vs. APSU (11/22/14) 84 - Ronald Butler, TSU vs. APSU (11/5/16)
<b>Passing Yards:</b>	422 - Derek Carr, UTM vs. TTU (11/10/12)
<b>Passing Attempts:</b>	58 - Tre Lamb, TTU vs. TSU (10/15/11)
<b>Completions:</b>	35 - Derek Carr, UTM vs. TTU (11/10/12)
<b>Passing Touchdowns:</b>	6 - Derek Carr, UTM vs. APSU (10/8/11)
<b>Longest Pass:</b>	84 - Jeremy Perry, TSU vs. TTU (10/23/10)
<b>Most Interceptions:</b>	3 - Done 5 Times
<b>Receiving Yards:</b>	198 - Ben Axline, UTM vs. APSU (10/8/16)
<b>Receptions:</b>	13 - Jeremy Butler, UTM at TTU (11/10/12)
<b>Receiving Touchdowns:</b>	3 - Done 10 Times
<b>Longest Reception:</b>	84 - Calvin McNairI, TSU vs. TTU (10/23/10)
<b>Field Goals Made:</b>	5 - Jamin Godfrey, TSU vs. TTU (10/27/12)
<b>Longest Field Goal:</b>	57 - Lane Clark, TSU vs. UTM (10/1/16) 57 - Nick Madonia, TTU vs. TSU (11/12/16)
<b>Punts:</b>	10 - Jonathan King, TTU vs. UT Martin (10/3/15) 10 - Matt Rigney, APSU vs. TSU (2/28/21)
<b>Longest Punt:</b>	73 - James Satterfield, UTM vs. TTU (11/10/12)
<b>Punt Return Yards:</b>	107 - CJ Estelle, UTM vs. APSU (11/6/10)
<b>Longest Punt Return:</b>	76 - CJ Estelle, UTM vs. APSU (10/8/11)
<b>Kick Return Yards:</b>	243 - Terrence Holt, APSU vs. UTM (11/21/09)
<b>Longest Kick Return:</b>	100 - Weldon Garlington, TSU vs. APSU (10/1/11)
<b>All-Purpose Yards:</b>	312 - Terrence Holt, APSU vs. UTM (11/21/09)
<b>Interceptions:</b>	2 - Done Eight Times
<b>Tackles:</b>	20 - Corey Reed, TTU vs. UTM (10/16/08)
<b>Sacks:</b>	2.5 - Antonio Harper, TSU vs. TTU (10/15/11) 2.5 - Antonio Harper, TSU at UTM (10/19/13) 2.5 - Damani Taylor, UTM vs. TTU (10/3/15) 2.5 - Jaison Williams, APSU vs. UTM (9/30/17) 2.5 - TJ Jefferson, UTM at TTU (10/12/19)

# SERIES HISTORY WITH TENNESSEE TECH



## SERIES HISTORY

- Overall: 18-22-2
- In Martin: 10-9-2
- In Cookeville: 8-13
- Active Streak: W8
- Simpson vs. Tennessee Tech: 11-4
- Simpson vs. DeWayne Alexander: 3-0

### LAST 10 MEETINGS (8-2)

Date	H/A/N	Result
10/22/26	A	L, 12-0
11/24/27	H	T, 0-0
11/23/28	A	L, 13-12
11/7/31	A	L, 26-7
10/7/32	H	T, 0-0
10/3/70	H	L, 17-6
10/2/71	A	L, 10-7
9/30/72	H	L, 13-10
9/29/73	A	L, 16-9
10/4/80	H	L, 30-28
10/3/81	A	W, 24-21
10/2/82	H	W, 35-21
10/5/91	H	W, 24-16
9/26/92	A	L, 17-13
10/16/93	A	L, 20-3
10/15/94	H	W, 20-10
9/30/95	H	W, 36-31
10/5/96	H	L, 21-14 (20T)
10/18/97	A	L, 33-2
10/17/98	H	L, 31-24 (OT)
10/2/99	H	L, 45-9
9/30/00	A	L, 46-6
11/15/01	H	L, 41-7
11/21/02	A	L, 68-7
10/4/03	H	W, 30-23 (OT)
10/2/04	A	L, 49-20
10/8/05	H	W, 46-16
10/5/06	A	W, 35-16
9/27/07	H	L, 13-10
10/16/08	A	W, 35-7
10/10/09	H	L, 35-28
9/20/10	A	W, 27-24
10/1/11	H	L, 34-31
11/10/12	A	L, 45-44
10/10/13	A	W, 28-17
10/18/14	H	W, 17-10
10/3/15	A	W, 31-17
9/24/16	H	W, 44-23
11/18/17	A	W, 24-0
11/10/18	H	W, 38-13
10/12/19	A	W, 55-14
4/11/21	H	W, 40-7

### LAST MEETING APRIL 11, 2021



## TENNESSEE TECH UT MARTIN

1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
0	0	0	7	7
13	7	17	3	40

April 11, 2021 | Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn. | 3 pm | Att: 1,500

**MARTIN, Tenn.** – The University of Tennessee at Martin football team saved its best for last, posting season highs in several categories in its regular season finale to knock off Ohio Valley Conference foe Tennessee Tech 40-7 and claim a piece of the highly contested Sergeant York Trophy.

The Skyhawks finished the 2020-21 campaign battered and bruised but not broken, putting every phase of the game together for a thrilling victory. While the team has been ravaged by injuries and narrow defeats over the past several weeks, the squad did not opt-out but rather came together for its best all-around showing of the abbreviated season in the regular season finale.

UT Martin posted season-highs in total points (40), total offense (436 yards) and passing yards (327) while eclipsing the 100-yard rushing mark for the second time this season and equaling its season-highs in both total touchdowns (four) and passing touchdowns (three). The Skyhawks also forced three turnovers for only the second time this season while tallying their sixth blocked kick this year which leads the nation.

With the win, UT Martin claimed a piece of the Sgt. York Trophy for the eighth time in series history. Overall, the Skyhawks have either won the trophy outright or shared a piece of the trophy in 2010, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018 and 2019 while improving their overall record to 29-13 in the all-time series – the best mark of the four programs.

Quarterback John Bachus III played a big part in the team's success by completing 71 percent of his pass attempts (22-of-31) for 265 yards and three touchdowns on the afternoon. Bachus found seven different receivers and completed 10 passes of 10 yards or more, including touchdown passes totaling 50, 19 and 34 yards, respectively.

Junior wide receiver Colton Dowell led the pack with six catches for 105 yards and one touchdown – including a 50-yard touchdown late in the first quarter. Senior tight end Rodney Williams also caught six passes totaling 67 yards. Peyton Logan, Kevin Butler and Richie Griglione III each contributed in the passing game with touchdown receptions while redshirt-freshman Zak Wallace paced the ground attack with 10 carries for 48 yards and his first career rushing touchdown.

Tyler Larco capped off a promising start to his career by adding to his scoring total with a pair of field goals. Larco booted attempts from 29 and 36 yards in the second half while converting 4-of-5 PAT tries to bring his season scoring total to 47.

Linebacker John Ford paced the Skyhawk defensive effort with eight tackles on the afternoon while safety Deven Sims tallied seven tackles. Fellow safety Takeem Young made an impact all over the field, tallying six tackles on the afternoon while notching a pair of interceptions – along with 42 return yards – while also breaking up two passes.

### STATISTICAL LEADERS

#### » UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
WALLACE, Zak	10	48	1	8
YOUNG, Lamaricus	6	23	0	10

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
BACHUS, John	22-31-0	265	3	50

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
DOWELL, Colton	6	105	1	50
WILLIAMS, Rodney	6	67	0	19

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
FORD, John	5	3	8	-
SIMS, Deven	3	4	7	-

#### » TENNESSEE TECH

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
MILLER, Willie	6	19	0	9
TAYLOR JR., Kurt	7	15	0	6

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
MILLER, Willie	21-44-2	211	1	22

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
CROSS, Quinton	8	101	1	22
SHIVER, Tanner	3	27	0	15

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
McMEANS, Marcus	6	9	15	1.5 TFL
RELIFORD, Josh	2	6	8	-

### SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr-Time	Scoring play	P-Yds-TOP	Score
1st	08:54	UTM - LOGAN, Peyton 39 yd pass from HENLEY, Andrew (LARCO, Tyler kick failed)	9-76-3:39	0-6
1st	01:48	UTM - DOWELL, Colton 50 yd pass from BACHUS, John (LARCO, Tyler kick)	2-50-0:14	0-13
2nd	12:18	UTM - WALLACE, Zak 1 yd run (LARCO, Tyler kick)	4-42-1:58	0-20
3rd	09:50	UTM - GRIGLIONE, Rich 19 yd pass from BACHUS, John (LARCO, Tyler kick)	1-19-0:04	0-27
3rd	01:10	UTM - LARCO, Tyler 29 yd field goal	13-71-6:37	0-30
3rd	00:00	UTM - BUTLER, Kevin 34 yd pass from BACHUS, John (LARCO, Tyler kick)	1-34-0:05	0-37
4th	07:45	UTM - LARCO, Tyler 36 yd field goal	11-38-5:05	0-40
4th	00:55	TTU - CROSS, Quinton 22 yd pass from MILLER, Willie (OLSEN, Hayden kick)	9-80-2:18	7-40



## SKYHAWK MONEY PLAYS

Money plays are defined as plays resulting in a first down or a touchdown.

MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
HOWARD, Keon	32	10	41	84
LOGAN, Peyton	29	2	29	112
WALLACE, Zak	24	11	29	113
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	1	8	26
TAYLOR, Tim	5	0	5	19
ODOM, Margwell	2	0	2	3
ROBERTS, Zoe	1	0	1	2
DuBOSE, David	1	0	1	1
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	0	1	3
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>379</b>

1ST DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
LOGAN, Peyton	10	1	10	63
WALLACE, Zak	4	4	7	47
HOWARD, Keon	2	2	4	23
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	1	2	10
ODOM, Margwell	1	0	1	2
ROBERTS, Zoe	1	0	1	1
TAYLOR, Tim	1	0	1	8
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>166</b>

2ND DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
WALLACE, Zak	11	5	13	50
LOGAN, Peyton	11	0	11	36
HOWARD, Keon	9	3	11	21
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	4	0	4	10
TAYLOR, Tim	3	0	3	8
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	0	1	1
ODOM, Margwell	1	0	1	1
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>130</b>

3RD DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
HOWARD, Keon	17	5	22	36
LOGAN, Peyton	8	1	8	13
WALLACE, Zak	7	2	7	13
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	2	0	2	6
TAYLOR, Tim	1	0	1	3
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>74</b>

4TH DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
HOWARD, Keon	4	0	4	4
WALLACE, Zak	2	0	2	3
DuBOSE, David	1	0	1	1
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>

MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
DOWELL, Colton	16	2	16	22
WILLIAMS, Donnell	13	1	13	18
WILLIAMS, Rodney	10	2	10	20
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	4	9	15
LOGAN, Peyton	5	3	6	20
ODOM, Margwell	6	0	6	18
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	4	1	4	6
GRIGLIONE, Richie	3	0	3	5
LAWRENCE, DeRay	1	0	1	4
WALLACE, Zak	1	0	1	4
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>140</b>

1ST DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
DOWELL, Colton	8	1	8	11
ROBERTS, Zoe	5	1	5	7
WILLIAMS, Rodney	4	0	4	6
ODOM, Margwell	3	0	3	10
LOGAN, Peyton	2	0	2	10
LAWRENCE, DeRay	1	0	1	3
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>56</b>

2ND DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
WILLIAMS, Donnell	4	0	4	4
DOWELL, Colton	4	0	4	6
ROBERTS, Zoe	2	2	3	7
WILLIAMS, Rodney	2	2	2	9
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	2	0	2	2
LOGAN, Peyton	1	2	2	7
ODOM, Margwell	2	0	2	7
GRIGLIONE, Richie	2	0	2	3
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>49</b>

3RD DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
WILLIAMS, Donnell	9	1	9	12
WILLIAMS, Rodney	4	0	4	5
DOWELL, Colton	3	1	3	4
LOGAN, Peyton	2	1	2	3
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	1	1	1	3
WALLACE, Zak	1	0	1	1
ODOM, Margwell	1	0	1	1
ROBERTS, Zoe	0	1	1	1
GRIGLIONE, Richie	1	0	1	1
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>33</b>

4TH DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	1	0	1	1
DOWELL, Colton	1	0	1	1
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>



## GAME-BY-GAME PARTICIPATION

#	Name	GP/GS	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
25	ABDULLAH, Isaia	5/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	...
17	AKINS, JaQuez	8/7	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	...	START	...	...
26	ANDRE, Alexandre	5/-	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	...
1	ANOMA, Eyabi	8/4	START	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	XXX	...	...
9D	BAKER, Oshae	9/7	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	...
73	BIRDYSHAW, Cru	4/-	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...
75	BOYD, Ethan	1/-	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...
14	CASTLEBERRY, Jo	9/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	...	...
22	CHEEKS, Fahreed	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
38	COOLEY, Jermain	6/-	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...
44	DAVIS, Giovanni	8/1	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	...	...
99	DAVIS, Kenyonte	7/-	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...
55	DAVIS, Reed	1/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	DEATON, Jaden	1/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
92	DOTSON, Daylan	8/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...
94	DOWELL, Christi	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...
15	DOWELL, Colton	6/6	START	START	START	START	START	START	...	...	...	...	...
45	DuBOSE, David	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
12	EVANS, Carson	9/1	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
0	FIELDS, Randy	9/2	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	...
71	FLOYD, Brandon	2/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
18	FORD, John	9/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	START	...
29	FRANKLIN, Sam	1/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
85	GIBBS, Jaden	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
34	GOLDBOURNE, Dio	4/-	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
88	GRIGLIONE, Rich	9/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
28	GUY, Vincent	9/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
8D	HARMON, Korbin	9/5	START	START	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	...
54	HATCHIE, Mattha	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
83	HENLEY, Andrew	9/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
5	HICKS, Robert	6/1	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	START	XXX	...	...
9	HOWARD, Keon	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
39	HOWARD, Xiere	4/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1Q	HOWELL, Stewart	2/-	...	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
32	HUNTER, Chris	9/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
2J	JACKSON, Antoni	1/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
76	JACKSON, Chris	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
93	JOHNSON, Jarid	6/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	...	...
42	JOHNSON, Jariou	2/-	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	KENDALL, Hunter	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	LANDERS, Jamari	9/4	XXX	START	START	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
37	LARCO, Tyler	9/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
89	LAWRENCE, DeRay	9/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
23	LOGAN, Peyton	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
19	LUCAS, Jack	7/-	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
43	McABEE, Chris	8/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	...
16	McCALL, Tamel	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	McGOY, JaMichae	2/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	XXX	...
98	McNAIR, Traquan	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
68	MILLER, Malcolm	8/2	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	XXX	START	XXX
77	MORGAN, Lamar	8/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	...	START	...	...
6	MOSS, AJ	1/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
2D	MOTON, Wanya	3/-	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
67	NEEDHAM, Matthe	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX
81	NELSON, DJ	1/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	ODOM, Margwell	8/7	...	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	...
79	OLSON, Gavin	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
47	PICKETT, Austin	9/8	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
40	POWERS, Brock	9/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
20	PROSPERE, Antho	8/1	XXX	START	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
80	ROBERTS, Zoe	7/5	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	...	...	...	...
95	ROGERS, Jay	9/5	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	...
10	SHAMBURGER, Sha	7/5	XXX	...	...	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
66	SHANAHAN, Micha	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
35	SHIPP, Tevin	8/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
30	SIMS, Deven	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
84	SMOOT, Elijah	2/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	...
31	STEPHENS, D'Car	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
4	TANKSLEY, DeVon	2/2	START	START	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	TAYLOR, Tim	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
82	TRICE, Airius	2/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	...
21	WALLACE, Zak	9/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
7	WEBB, Aaron	8/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
36	WEIR, Shamari	9/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
11	WILLIAMS, Donne	6/4	START	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	START	START
2	WILLIAMS, Rodne	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
90	WILLIS, Keion	9/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
4D	WOODS, Jay	8/8	START	START	START	START	...	START	START	START	START	START	START
3D	YOUNG, Takeem	7/7	...	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	...	...





## GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Date	Opponent	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR	TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
9/2	at Western Kentucky	Howard	Logan	Dowell	D. Williams	Tanksley	R. Williams	Shanahan	C. Jackson	Hatchie	Olson	Morgan
9/11	SAMFORD	Howard	Logan	Dowell	Tanksley	Odom	R. Williams	Shanahan	C. Jackson	Hatchie	Olson	Morgan
9/18	at Northwestern State	Howard	Logan	Dowell	Roberts	Odom	R. Williams	Shanahan	C. Jackson	Hatchie	Olson	Morgan
9/25	at Jacksonville State	Howard	Logan	Dowell	Roberts	Odom	R. Williams	Shanahan	C. Jackson	Hatchie	Olson	Morgan
10/9	MURRAY STATE*	Howard	Logan	Dowell	Roberts	Odom	R. Williams	Shanahan	C. Jackson	Hatchie	Olson	Morgan
10/16	at Eastern Illinois*	Howard	Logan	Dowell	Roberts	Odom	R. Williams	Shanahan	C. Jackson	Hatchie	Olson	Morgan
10/23	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	Howard	Logan	D. Williams	Roberts	Odom	R. Williams	Shanahan	C. Jackson	Hatchie	Olson	Miller
10/30	AUSTIN PEAY*	Howard	Logan	D. Williams	Fields	Odom	R. Williams	Shanahan	C. Jackson	Hatchie	Olson	Miller
11/6	TENNESSEE STATE*	Howard	Logan	Castleberry	D. Williams	Fields	R. Williams	Shanahan	C. Jackson	Hatchie	Olson	Miller
11/13	at Tennessee Tech*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/20	at Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Date	Opponent	DE	NT	DT	JACK	LB	LB	ROVER	DB	DB	FS	SS
9/2	at Western Kentucky	DuBose	Pickett	Harmon	Anoma	Ford	Stephens	Akins	Woods	Baker	Sims	Evans
9/11	SAMFORD	DuBose	Pickett	Harmon	Landers	Ford	Stephens	Prospere	Woods	Baker	Sims	Young
9/18	at Northwestern State	DuBose	Pickett	Harmon	Landers	Ford	Stephens	Akins	Woods	Baker	Sims	Young
9/25	at Jacksonville State	DuBose	Rogers	Harmon	Landers	Ford	Stephens	Akins	Woods	Baker	Sims	Young
10/9	MURRAY STATE*	DuBose	Pickett	Rogers	Landers	Ford	Stephens	Akins	Shamburger	Baker	Sims	Young
10/16	at Eastern Illinois*	DuBose	Pickett	Rogers	Anoma	Ford	Stephens	Akins	Woods	Shamburger	Sims	Young
10/23	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	DuBose	Pickett	Rogers	Anoma	Ford	Stephens	Akins	Woods	Shamburger	Sims	Young
10/30	AUSTIN PEAY*	DuBose	Pickett	Rogers	Anoma	Hicks	Stephens	Baker	Woods	Shamburger	Sims	Young
11/6	TENNESSEE STATE*	DuBose	Pickett	Harmon	G. Davis	Hicks	Stephens	Akins	Woods	Shamburger	Sims	Prospere
11/13	at Tennessee Tech*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/20	at Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Date	Opponent	KO	PK	P	H	LS	PR	KR	KR
9/2	at Western Kentucky	Larco	Larco	Larco	McAbee	Powers	Baker	Tanksley	Logan
9/11	SAMFORD	Larco	Larco	Larco	McAbee	Powers	Baker	Tanksley	Logan
9/18	at Northwestern State	Larco	Larco	Larco	McAbee	Powers	Baker	Castleberry	Logan
9/25	at Jacksonville State	Larco	Larco	Larco	McAbee	Powers	Baker	Castleberry	Logan
10/9	MURRAY STATE*	Larco	Larco	Larco	McAbee	Powers	Henley	Castleberry	Logan
10/16	at Eastern Illinois*	Larco	Larco	Larco	McAbee	Powers	Henley	Castleberry	Logan
10/23	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	Larco	Larco	Larco	McAbee	Powers	Henley	Castleberry	Logan
10/30	AUSTIN PEAY*	Larco	Larco	Larco	McAbee	Powers	Henley	Castleberry	Logan
11/6	TENNESSEE STATE*	Larco	Larco	Larco	McAbee	Powers	Henley	Castleberry	Logan
11/13	at Tennessee Tech*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/20	at Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



## GAME-BY-GAME BREAKDOWN

Game	FINAL SCORE	SCORE BY QUARTER					FIRST DOWNS				RUSHING			PASSING			OFFENSE		PUNTING	FUMBLES	PENALTY	THIRD	TOTAL
		1	2	3	4	OT	RU	PA	PN	TOT	ATT	YDS	TD	C-A-I	YDS	TD	ATT	YDS	NO-AVG	NO-LOST	NO-YDS	DOWNS	TOP
at Western Kentucky	L, 59-21	7	7	0	7	0	9	9	4	22	34	201	2	20-43-1	195	1	77	396	6-278	1-1	9-79	10-19	33:30
SAMFORD	W, 33-27	0	24	7	2	0	16	7	1	25	57	240	2	18-30-3	229	2	87	469	4-168	3-2	5-40	8-17	43:23
at Northwestern State	W, 35-10	14	7	7	7	0	11	6	0	17	42	260	4	16-23-0	172	1	65	432	4-172	2-2	7-63	6-14	30:07
at Jacksonville State	W, 34-31	3	7	10	14	0	11	8	2	21	34	171	1	19-24-0	255	3	58	426	3-158	1-1	6-46	4-11	30:40
MURRAY STATE*	W, 48-28	13	21	7	7	0	15	5	0	20	45	266	5	12-18-0	171	1	63	437	3-138	0-0	8-49	6-12	31:02
at Eastern Illinois*	W, 28-17	7	7	0	14	0	13	6	1	20	49	227	2	12-21-0	166	1	70	393	4-129	2-2	6-64	7-16	33:44
SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	W, 38-30	0	17	14	7	0	7	12	1	20	44	236	3	17-25-1	221	2	69	457	5-152	1-1	6-58	7-15	34:55
AUSTIN PEAY*	W, 17-16	0	0	7	10	0	7	9	1	17	40	167	1	15-32-2	137	1	72	304	6-244	1-0	6-65	7-17	34:29
TENNESSEE STATE*	W, 41-20	0	21	0	20	0	13	4	1	18	41	298	4	11-23-0	124	1	64	422	2-92	3-1	6-47	8-14	32:59
at Tennessee Tech*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
at Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

# LAST TIME IT HAPPENED...

## - INDIVIDUAL -

Rushed for 100 yards -	123, Zak Wallace vs. Tennessee State, 11/6/21
Rushed for 200 yards -	234, Abou Toure at Murray State, 11/1/14
Rushed for 250+ yards -	272, Don Chapman at Southeast Missouri, 10/30/04
Had a 70-yard run -	75, Peyton Logan vs. Southeast Missouri, 10/23/21
Rushed for three TDs -	3, Zak Wallace vs. Murray State, 10/9/21
Rushed for four TDs -	4, Brandyn Young vs. Eastern Illinois, 10/9/08
Passed for 300 yards -	306, John Bachus III at Tennessee State, 3/29/21
Passed for 400 yards -	420, Jarod Neal vs. Murray State, 10/24/15
Passed for 500 yards -	560, Derek Carr at Murray State, 10/13/12
Threw three TD passes -	3, Keon Howard at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/21
Threw five+ TD passes -	5, John Bachus III at Tennessee Tech, 10/12/19
Had 100 yards receiving -	122, Peyton Logan vs. Samford, 9/11/21
Had 150 yards receiving -	198, Ben Axline vs. Austin Peay, 10/8/16
Had 200 yards receiving -	283, William Mackall vs. Troy State, 10/29/88
Had a 70-yard reception -	73, Colton Dowell at Tennessee Tech, 10/12/19
Caught three TD passes -	3, Jaylon Moore at No. 24 Austin Peay, 11/9/19
Returned inside kickoff for TD -	43, Tae Martin vs. Tennessee Tech, 9/24/16
Returned conventional kickoff for TD -	95, Peyton Logan at Eastern Kentucky, 10/21/17
Returned punt for TD -	65, Terry Williams vs. No. 18 Jacksonville State, 11/2/19
Returned punt at least 75 yards -	79, Londell Lee at Hawai'i, 9/10/16
Returned INT for TD -	75, John Ford vs. Tennessee State, 11/6/21
Returned a fumble for TD -	44, TJ Jefferson at Eastern Kentucky, 10/5/19
Made three+ FGs -	3, Tyler Larco at Austin Peay, 3/21/21
Made a 50-yard FG -	50, Ryan Courtright at No. 24 Austin Peay, 11/9/19
Punt 55 yards or longer -	68, Tyler Larco at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/21
Had 10-14 tackles -	12, John Ford vs. Tennessee State, 11/6/21
Had 15+ tackles -	15, James Gilleylen vs. Tennessee Tech, 11/10/18
Multi-Sacks -	1.5, Daylan Dotson vs. Tennessee State, 11/6/21
Multi-Forced fumbles -	2, Kevin Prather, Jr. at No. 24 Eastern Illinois, 11/5/12
Multi-Interceptions -	2, Takeem Young vs. Tennessee Tech, 4/11/21

## - TEAM -

Shutout an opponent -	24-0 at Tennessee Tech, 11/18/18
Shutout consecutive opponents -	3 vs. Milliken, SEMO and Jacksonville State, 1967
Rushed for more than 300 yards -	364 vs. Eastern Kentucky, 10/29/16
Rushed for more than 400 yards -	402 at Murray State, 11/1/14
Passed for more than 300 yards -	327 vs. Tennessee Tech, 4/11/21
Passed for more than 400 yards -	420 vs. Murray State, 10/24/15
Passed for more than 500 yards -	560 at Murray State, 10/13/12
Had more than 500 yards total off. -	553 at Tennessee Tech, 10/12/19
Had more than 600 yards total off. -	661 vs. Murray State, 10/24/15
Scored 50 points -	55 at Tennessee Tech, 10/12/19
Scored 60 points -	84 vs. Bacone, 9/17/16
Scored 70 points -	84 vs. Bacone, 9/17/16
Failed to rush for 100 yards -	95 vs. Southeast Missouri, 4/3/21
Failed to pass for 100 yards -	67 at Tennessee State, 10/18/14
Held opponent to < 100 yards rushing -	96 vs. Tennessee State, 11/6/21
Held opponent to < 100 yards passing -	91 at Tennessee State, 3/29/21
Held opponent to < 100 yards total off. -	74 vs. Iowa Wesleyan, 9/3/09
Held opponent to < 200 yards total off. -	199 vs. Austin Peay, 10/30/21
Held opponent without a TD -	at Tennessee Tech, 11/18/17
Scored a safety -	vs. Samford, 9/11/21 (Intentional Grounding Penalty)
Committed no turnovers -	vs. Murray State, 10/9/21
Forced opponent into five turnovers -	5 vs. Eastern Illinois, 10/28/17
Never had to punt -	at Tennessee State, 10/1/16
Blocked a punt -	David DuBose at Eastern Illinois, 10/16/21
Returned blocked punt for TD -	D'Carrious Stephens (34) at Eastern Illinois, 10/16/21
Blocked a field goal -	Eyabi Anoma vs. Austin Peay, 10/30/21
Returned blocked FG for TD -	87, Jordan Landry at Austin Peay, 10/17/15
Blocked two+ field goals -	2 vs. Tennessee State, 10/10/15
Blocked FGs in consecutive weeks -	1 at SEMO, 11/4/17; 1 vs. No. 2 Jacksonville St, 11/11/17
Blocked a PAT -	Daylan Dotson at Austin Peay, 3/21/21
Returned PAT for 2 pts -	Thad Williams vs. Eastern Illinois, 10/6/12
Scored 2-pt conversion -	Joe Hudson at No. 10 Jacksonville State, 11/3/18
Recovered on-side kick (kicking team) -	vs. Chattanooga, 9/15/18
Recovered on-side kick (receiving team) -	vs. Tennessee State, 11/6/21
Two w/ 100 yards rushing -	DJ McNeil/Trent Garland at Chattanooga, 8/29/13
Two w/ 100 yards passing -	Jarod Neal/Dylan Favre vs. Eastern Kentucky, 9/20/14
Two w/ 100 yards receiving -	Caylon Weathers/William Tanner at Eastern Kentucky, 11/7/15
Won OT game -	vs. Tennessee Tech (W, 30-23 OT), 10/4/03
Lost OT game -	at Eastern Illinois (L, 24-21 OT), 10/20/18
Rallied from down 14 to win -	Down 16 vs. Austin Peay, 10/30/21
Beat ranked FCS opponent -	at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/21
Beat FCS team ranked in top 15 -	at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/21
Beat FBS opponent -	at Memphis (20-17), 9/1/12
Last time ranked in the STATS Top 25 -	No. 13, 11/8/21
Last time ranked in the Coaches Poll Top 25 -	No. 10, 11/8/21

## - INDIVIDUAL -

Rushed for 100 yards -	137, Geno Hess vs. Southeast Missouri, 10/23/21
Rushed for 200 yards -	207, Arkee Whitlock at Southern Illinois, 11/25/06
Rushed for 250+ yards -	298, Kory Chapman at Jacksonville State, 10/11/03
Had a 70-yard run -	70, Eugene Brazley at Ole Miss, 9/5/15
Rushed for three TDs -	3, Kentel Williams at No. 24 Austin Peay, 11/9/19
Rushed for four TDs -	5, Alex Collins at Arkansas, 10/31/15
Passed for 300 yards -	424, Bailey Zappe at Western Kentucky, 9/2/21
Passed for 400 yards -	424, Bailey Zappe at Western Kentucky, 9/2/21
Passed for 500 yards -	537, Casey Brockman at Murray State, 10/13/12
Threw three TD passes -	7, Bailey Zappe at Western Kentucky, 9/2/21
Threw five+ TD passes -	7, Bailey Zappe at Western Kentucky, 9/2/21
Had 100 yards receiving -	107, Jerreth Sterns at Western Kentucky, 9/2/21
Had 150 yards receiving -	171, Emanuel Hall at Missouri, 9/1/18
Had 200 yards receiving -	225, Adam Drake vs. Eastern Illinois, 11/23/13
Had a 70-yard reception -	73, Daewood Davis at Western Kentucky, 9/2/21
Caught three TD passes -	3, Marcus Kemp at Hawai'i, 9/10/16
Returned inside kickoff for TD -	N/A
Returned conventional kickoff for TD -	96, DeVon Johnson vs. No. 20 Tennessee State, 9/24/17
Returned punt for TD -	35, Wayne Parks at Middle Tennessee, 9/8/18
Returned punt at least 75 yards -	91, Dontrell Johnson at Murray State, 9/25/10
Returned INT for TD -	Koby Perry (75)/Isaiah Norman (8) vs. Austin Peay, 10/30/21
Returned a fumble for TD -	46, Jaylen Swain at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/21
Made three+ FGs -	3, Kenny Doak vs. Southeast Missouri, 10/23/21
Made a 50-yard FG -	51, Antonio Zita at Tennessee State, 3/29/21
Punt 55 yards or longer -	60, Jack Dawson at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/21
Had 10-14 tackles -	11, Cory Rahman vs. Tennessee State, 11/6/21
Had 15+ tackles -	16, Koby Perry vs. Austin Peay, 10/30/21
Multi-Sacks -	1.5, Josh Avery at No. 24 Southeast Missouri, 10/26/19
Multi-Forced fumbles -	N/A
Multi-Interceptions -	2, BJ Clay at Georgia State, 10/22/16

## - TEAM -

Shutout an opponent -	45-0 at No. 11 Florida, 9/7/19
Shutout consecutive opponents -	2 at Eastern Kentucky and Samford, 1993
Rushed for more than 300 yards -	338 at Ole Miss, 9/5/15
Rushed for more than 400 yards -	at Jacksonville State, 10/11/03
Passed for more than 300 yards -	478 at Western Kentucky, 9/2/21
Passed for more than 400 yards -	478 at Western Kentucky, 9/2/21
Passed for more than 500 yards -	501 vs. Eastern Illinois, 11/23/13
Had more than 500 yards total off. -	587 at Western Kentucky, 9/2/21
Had more than 600 yards total off. -	662 at Ole Miss, 9/5/15
Scored 50 points -	59 at Western Kentucky, 9/2/21
Scored 60 points -	63 at Arkansas, 10/31/15
Scored 70 points -	76 at Ole Miss, 9/5/15
Failed to rush for 100 yards -	91 at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/21
Failed to pass for 100 yards -	91 at Tennessee State, 3/29/21
Held Skyhawks to fewer than 100 yards rushing -	95 vs. Southeast Missouri, 4/3/21
Held Skyhawks to fewer than 100 yards passing -	67 at Tennessee State, 10/18/14
Held Skyhawks without a TD -	at No. 11 Florida, 9/7/19
Scored a safety -	vs. Eastern Illinois (Blocked Punt through endzone), 3/7/21
Committed no turnovers -	0 at Tennessee State, 3/29/21
Forced opponent into five turnovers -	5 vs. Samford, 9/11/21
Never had to punt -	at Tennessee Tech, 11/21/02
Blocked a punt -	DeAirious Smith vs. Eastern Illinois, 3/7/21
Returned blocked punt for TD -	0, Taylor Lanigan vs. Murray State, 9/25/10
Blocked a field goal -	Maurice Green vs. Murray State, 10/9/21
Blocked a PAT -	Davaon Hawkins vs. Tennessee State, 11/6/21
Attempted 2-pt conversion -	vs. Austin Peay, 10/30/21
Rallied from down 14 to win -	14 at Southern Illinois, 9/14/19

# TEAM RECORDS

## OFFENSE

### SCORING OFFENSE

#### Most Points Scored

Game: 97 - Bethel (1995)  
Season: 448 - 2008

#### Most Touchdowns Scored

Game: 14 - Bethel (1995)  
Season: 61 - 2008

#### Total Offense

Game: 821 vs. Murray State (2007)  
Season: 5,125 - 2014

#### First Downs

Game: 30 - Bethel (1995)  
Season: 239 - 13 games (1988)

### RUSHING

#### Most Attempts

Game: 69 - Lambuth (2000)  
Season: 678 - 1977

#### Most Net Yards Gained

Game: 416 - Bethel (1995)  
Season: 3,013 - 1977

#### Highest Rushing Average Per Game

Season: 273.9 - 1977

#### Most Rushing Touchdowns

Game: 7 - Concordia (2008)  
7 - Kentucky Wesleyan (2001)  
Season: 28 - 2007

### PASSING

#### Most Completions

Game: 44 - at Jacksonville State (2003)  
Season: 287 - 1995

#### Most Attempts

Game: 65 - at Jacksonville State (2003)  
Season: 478 - 13 games (1988)

#### Most Passing Yards

Game: 560 - at Murray State (2012)  
Season: 3,363 - 13 games (1988)

#### Highest Passing Average Per Game

Season: 299.5 - 2012

#### Most Passing Touchdowns

Game: 7 - Bethel (2015)  
7 - Jacksonville State (2012)  
7 - at Murray State (2012)  
7 - Lane College (1990)  
Season: 31 - 2015

#### Most Interceptions Thrown

Game: 6 - Austin Peay (1986)  
6 - Valdosta State (1986)  
Season: 28 - 1998

## DEFENSE

### SCORING DEFENSE

#### Fewest Points Yielded

Season: 19 - 1934

#### Fewest Yards Allowed Rushing

Game: -22 - West Alabama (1988)  
Season: 383 - 1967

#### Fewest Yards Allowed Passing

Game: 7 - West Alabama (1982)  
Season: 734 - 1971

#### Most Defensive Touchdowns Scored

Game: 2 - at Murray State (2008)  
Season: 8 - 2008

### TACKLES

#### Most Tackles

Game: 117 - at Samford (2000)  
Season: 925 - 1998

#### Most Tackles for Loss

Game: 15.0 - Tennessee Tech (2003)  
15.0 - Tennessee Tech (2006)  
15.0 - Eastern Kentucky (2010)  
15.0 - Concordia (2008)  
15.0 - Austin Peay (2018)  
Season: 96.0 - 2008

#### Most Sacks

Game: 9.0 - Concordia (2008)  
Season: 31.0 - 2008

#### Most Pass Breakups

Game: 11 - Eastern Illinois (2013)  
Season: 58 - 2019

#### Most Blocked Kicks

Game: 3 - Murray State (2005)  
Season: 9 - 2005

### INTERCEPTIONS

#### Most Interceptions

Game: 8 - Troy (1968)  
Season: 25 - 1968

#### Most Return Yardage

Game: 158 - Troy (1968)  
Season: 485 - 1976

#### Most Returned For Touchdown

Season: 6 - 1976

### FUMBLES

#### Most Recovered

Game: 5 - Parsons (1969)  
5 - Austin Peay (1974)  
Season: 25 - 1974  
25 - 1969

#### Most Forced

Game: 4 - Lambuth (2010)  
Season: 15 - 2012

#### Most Returned For Touchdown

Season: 6 - 2008

## SPECIAL TEAMS

### PUNTING

#### Most Punts

Game: 14 - Nicholls (1975)  
14 - Eastern Kentucky (1993)  
Season: 93 - 1997

#### Most Yards Punting

Game: 455 - Nicholls (1974)  
Season: 3,539 - 1997

### PUNT RETURNS

#### Most Returns

Game: 7 - at Murray State (2006)  
7 - Eastern Kentucky (2004)  
7 - Eastern Kentucky (2004)  
Season: 48 - 1994

#### Most Return Yardage

Game: 187 - Charleston Southern (1994)  
Season: 618 - 1967

### KICKOFF RETURNS

#### Most Returns

Game: 10, vs. Jacksonville State, 1989  
10, vs. Middle Tennessee, 1990  
10, vs. Tennessee State, 1999  
10, vs. Murray State, 1999  
10, Samford, 2003  
10, Missouri State, 2007  
Season: 69 - 2003

#### Most Return Yardage

Game: 256 - Samford (2003)  
Season: 1,452 - 2003

### KICKING

#### Most Field Goals Made

Game: 4 - Gardner-Webb (2006)  
4 - Tennessee State (1976)  
Season: 20 - 1988

#### Most Field Goals Attempted

Game: 5 - Tennessee State (1976)  
Season: 26 - 1988

#### Most PATs Made

Game: 12 - Concordia (2008)  
12 - Bacone College (2016)  
Season: 53 - 2008

#### Most PATs Attempted

Game: 12 - Concordia (2008)  
12 - Bacone College (2016)  
Season: 57 - 2008



# INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

## RUSHING

### Most Attempts

Game: 47 - Don Chapman vs. Murray State (2005)  
 Season: 302 - Don Chapman (2005)  
 Career: 1,046 - Don Chapman (2004-06)

### Most Yards Gained

Game: 272 - Don Chapman at Southeast Missouri (2004)  
 Season: 1,412 - Don Chapman (2006)  
 Career: 5,017 - Don Chapman (2004-07)

### Most Touchdowns Scored

Game: 5 - Bobby Fowler vs. West Georgia (1957)  
 Season: 19 - Bobby Fowler (1957)  
 Career: 51 - Bobby Fowler (1956-59)

### Longest Rush from Scrimmage

Game: 94 - Bradyn Young vs. Eastern Illinois (2008)

## PASSING

### Most Completions

Game: 44 - Brady Wahlberg at Jacksonville State (2003)  
 Season: 264 - Derek Carr (2012)  
 Career: 665 - Derek Carr (2008-12)

### Most Attempts

Game: 65 - Brady Wahlberg at Jacksonville State (2003)  
 Season: 424 - Leon Reed (1988)  
 Career: 1,110 - Derek Carr (2008-12)

### Best Completion Percentage

Game: 91.3 (42-of-46) - Derek Carr (2012)  
 Season: 65.8 - Dresser Winn (2018)  
 Career: 60.4 - Cade Thompson (2007-09)

### Most Yards Gained

Game: 560 - Derek Carr at Murray State (2012)  
 Season: 3,276 - Derek Carr (2012)  
 Career: 8,428 - Derek Carr (2008-12)

### Most Touchdown Passes

Game: 7 - Derek Carr vs. Jacksonville State (2012)  
 7 - Derek Carr at Murray State (2012)  
 Season: 31 - Derek Carr (2012)  
 Career: 69 - Derek Carr (2008-12)

### Most Interceptions Thrown

Game: 5 - Kelly Coker vs. Livingston (1970)  
 5 - Eric Bradner vs. Austin Peay (1986)  
 5 - Brady Wahlberg vs. Samford (2005)  
 5 - Brady Wahlberg at Jacksonville State (2005)  
 Season: 22 - Leon Reed (1988)  
 Career: 46 - Brady Wahlberg (2002-05)

### Longest Pass Completion

Game: 92 - Brady Wahlberg vs. Kentucky Wesleyan (2002)

## RECEIVING

### Most Receptions

Game: 16 - William Mackall vs. Delta State (1987)  
 Season: 90 - William Mackall (1987)  
 90 - Jeremy Butler (2013)  
 Career: 225 - William Mackall (1985-88)

### Most Yards Gained

Game: 283 - William Mackall vs. Troy (1988)  
 Season: 1,203 - Jeremy Butler (2013)  
 Career: 2,494 - William Mackall (1985-88)

### Most Touchdown Receptions

Game: 5 - Quentin Sims vs. Jacksonville State (2012)  
 Season: 16 - Quentin Sims (2012)  
 Career: 26 - Quentin Sims (2011-12)

### Longest Pass Reception

Game: 92 - Troy Phillips vs. Kentucky Wesleyan (2002)

## TOTAL OFFENSE

### Most Yards

Game: 560 - Derek Carr at Murray State (2012)  
 Season: 3,325 - Jardon Neal (2015)  
 Career: 8,484 - Derek Carr (2008-12)

### Most Touchdown Responsible For

Game: 7 - Derek Carr vs. Jacksonville State (2012)  
 7 - Derek Carr at Murray State (2012)  
 Season: 32 - Derek Carr (2012)  
 Career: 72 - Derek Carr (2008-12)

### Most Points Responsible For

Game: 33 - Bobby Fowler vs. West Georgia (1957)  
 Season: 180 - Leon Reed (1988)  
 Career: 316 - Brady Wahlberg (2002-05)

## SCORING

### Most Touchdowns

Game: 5 - Bobby Fowler vs. West Georgia (1957)  
 5 - Quentin Sims vs. Jacksonville State (2012)  
 Season: 19 - Bobby Fowler (1959)  
 Career: 51 - Bobby Fowler (1956-59)

### Most Extra Points Made

Game: 12 - Tom Hansen vs. Concordia (2008)  
 12 - Mitch Mersman vs. Bacone College (2016)  
 Season: 53 - Tom Hansen (2008)  
 Career: 128 - Tom Hansen (2007-09)

### Most Extra Points Attempted

Game: 12 - Tom Hansen vs. Concordia (2008)  
 12 - Mitch Mersman vs. Bacone College (2016)  
 Season: 57 - Tom Hansen (2008)  
 Career: 137 - Tom Hansen (2007-09)

### Field Goals Made

Game: 4 - Mickey Hamilton vs. Tennessee State (1976)  
 4 - Taylor Brown vs. Gardner-Webb (2006)  
 Season: 20 - Ki Tok Chu (1988)  
 Career: 43 - Ki Tok Chu (1986-89)

### Field Goals Attempted

Game: 5 - Mickey Hamilton vs. Tennessee State (1976)  
 5 - Mitch Mersman at Southeast Missouri (2017)  
 Season: 26 - Ki Tok Chu (1988)  
 Career: 73 - Ki Tok Chu (1986-89)

### Most Points Scored

Game: 30 - Quentin Sims vs. Jacksonville State (2012)  
 Season: 96 - Quentin Sims (2012)  
 Career: 306 - Bobby Fowler (1956-59)

### Most Points Scored by Kicking

Game: 15 - Taylor Brown vs. Gardner-Webb (2006)  
 15 - Tom Hansen vs. Concordia (2008)  
 Season: 97 - Ki Tok Chu (1988)  
 Career: 233 - Jackson Redditt (2004-07)

### Consecutive Field Goals Made

Game: 14 - Keith Kasnic (1982-83)

## TACKLES

### Most Total Tackles

Game: 30 - Terry Giltner vs. McNeese State (1970)  
 Season: 255 - Terry Giltner (1970)  
 Career: 426 - Danny Watkins (1975-77)

### Most Unassisted Tackles

Game: 23 - Terry Giltner vs. Parsons (1969)  
 Season: 168 - Terry Giltner (1970)  
 Career: 281 - Terry Giltner (1969-70)

### Most Assisted Tackles

Season: 87 - Terry Giltner (1970)  
 Career: 184 - Ben Johnson (2011-13)  
 184 - Emanuel McNeil (1985-88)

### Most Sacks

Game: 4.5 - Tony Bell vs. Murray State (2013)  
 Season: 13.0 - Emanuel McNeil (1988)  
 Career: 22.5 - Tony Bell (2011-14)

### Most Tackles for Loss

Game: 5.5 - Montori Hughes at Eastern Illinois (2011)  
 Season: 24.0 - Emanuel McNeil (1988)  
 Career: 56.0 - Emanuel McNeil (1985-88)

## PASSES DEFENDED

### Passes Defended

Game: 5 - Kevin Barfield vs. Eastern Illinois (2013)  
 5 - Joe Este vs. Clarion (2017)  
 Season: 17 - Chris Jones (15 PBU, 2 INT), 1996  
 Career: 32 - Chris Jones (30 PBU, 2 INT), 1996-97

### Pass Breakups

Game: 5 - Kevin Barfield vs. Eastern Illinois (2013)  
 5 - Joe Este vs. Clarion (2017)  
 Season: 16 - Don Jones (1969)  
 Career: 30 - Chris Jones (1996-97)

### Most Interceptions

Game: 5 - Kelly Coker vs. West Alabama (1970)  
 Season: 8 - Clay Blalack (1976)  
 8 - Mike Beeler (1970)  
 8 - Don Jones (1969)  
 Career: 18 - Mike Beeler (1968-71)  
 18 - Don Jones (1968-71)

### Most Return Yardage

Game: 100 - Jimmy Randolph vs. Morehead State (1977)  
 Season: 269 - Clay Blalack (1976)  
 Career: 344 - Clay Blalack (1975-77)

### Most Returned for Touchdown

Season: 4 - Clay Blalack (1976)  
 Career: 4 - Clay Blalack (1975-76)

## FUMBLES

### Most Forced Fumbles

Game: 2 - Several Tied  
 Season: 5 - Kevin Prather Jr. (2016)  
 Career: 9 - Markeseo Jackson (2003-06)

### Most Fumble Recoveries

Game: 2 - Jack Greenwood at Jacksonville State (2005)  
 2 - Jon Swift vs. Western Kentucky (1997)  
 2 - Marc Calixte at Eastern Kentucky (1999)  
 2 - Andre Plummer at Gardner-Webb (2002)  
 Season: 7 - Jon Swift (2006)  
 Career: 9 - Jon Swift (1996-97)

### Most Return Yardage

Game: 95 - Marc Calixte (1999)  
 Season: 164 - Dontrell Miller (2008)  
 Career: 164 - Dontrell Miller (2006-08)

### Most Returned for Touchdown

Season: 3 - Dontrell Miller (2008)  
 Career: 3 - Dontrell Miller (2006-08)

## QUARTERBACK HURRIES

### Most Quarterback Hurries

Game: 4 - five tied  
 Season: 13 - Montori Hughes (2012)  
 Career: 31 - DJ Roberts (2009-13)

## PUNTING

### Most Punts

Game: 14 - David Brown vs. Nicholls (1975)  
 14 - Budda Beasley vs. Eastern Kentucky (1993)  
 Season: 90 - Jade Stillings (1997)  
 Career: 257 - Joey Elmore (1986-89)

### Most Yards Punting

Game: 502 - Jay Holmes at Missouri State (1999)  
 Season: 3,481 - Jade Stillings (1997)  
 Career: 9,784 - Joey Elmore (1986-89)

### Highest Punting Average

Game: 52.7 - James Satterfield at Austin Peay (2013)  
 Season: 42.6 - James Satterfield (2012)  
 Career: 41.4 - James Satterfield (2010-14)

### Most Punts Downed Inside 20

Game: 5 - Zane Cox vs. Tennessee State (2019)  
 Season: 24 - Zane Cox (2019)  
 Career: 48 - James Satterfield (2010-14)

## PUNT RETURNS

### Most Returns

Game: 7 - Jerry Reese vs. Fort Valley State (1982)  
 7 - Jessie Burton at Murray State (2006)  
 Season: 48 - Dewayne Harper (1994)  
 Career: 93 - Dewayne Harper (1991-94)

### Most Return Yardage

Game: 183 - Dewayne Harper vs. Charleston Southern (1994)  
 Season: 564 - Dewayne Harper (1994)  
 Career: 955 - Dewayne Harper (1991-94)

### Highest Average Per Return

Game: 46.5 - Jamaal Akbar vs. Baker (2008)  
 Season: 19.5 - EJ Daniel (2006)  
 Career: 17.57 - EJ Daniel (2006-08)

## KICKOFF RETURN

### Most Returns

Game: 9 - Jessie Burton vs. Missouri State (2007)  
 9 - Darron Turner vs. Jacksonville State (1989)  
 9 - Darron Turner vs. Middle Tennessee (1990)  
 Season: 39 - Henry Allen (1986)  
 Career: 89 - Jason Coleman (2002-05)

### Most Return Yardage

Game: 248 - Darron Turner vs. Middle Tennessee (1990)  
 Season: 825 - Jessie Burton (2007)  
 Career: 1,842 - Jason Coleman (2002-05)

### Kick Return Touchdowns

Season: 2 - Jessie Burton (2006)  
 Career: 3 - Jessie Burton (2006-07)

## BLOCKED KICKS

### Most Blocked Kicks

Game: 2 - Dean Wathen at Murray State (2010)  
 Season: 3 - Korbin Harmon (2019)  
 3 - Andre Plummer (2005)  
 Career: 5 - Korbin Harmon (2018-21)

## TEAM GAME HIGHS AND LOWS

	UT MARTIN		OPPONENT	
	HIGH	LOW	HIGH	LOW
• Rushes	57 vs. Samford (9/11)	34, 2x, at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	42 vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	18 Samford (9/11)
• Rushing Yards	298 vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	167 vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	211 vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	57 vs. Samford (9/11)
• Yards Per Rush	7.3 vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	4.2, 2x, vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	7.3 vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	2.1 vs. Samford (9/11)
• Rushing Touchdowns	5 vs. Murray State (10/9)	1, 2x, vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	2 vs. Murray State (10/9)	0, 3x, vs. Austin Peay (10/30)
• Pass Completions	20 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	11 vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	29 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	11 vs. Austin Peay (10/30)
• Pass Attempts	43 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	18 vs. Murray State (10/9)	49 at Northwestern State (9/18)	19 vs. Austin Peay (10/30)
• Passing Yards	255 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	124 vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	478 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	104 vs. Austin Peay (10/30)
• Yards Per Pass	10.6 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	4.3 vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	13.3 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	5.0 at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• Passing Touchdowns	3 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	1, 5x, vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	8 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	0 vs. Austin Peay (10/30)
• Total Plays	87 vs. Samford (9/11)	64 vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	82 at Northwestern State (9/18)	56 vs. Samford (9/11)
• Yards Per Play	7.3 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	4.2 vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	9.9 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	3.3 vs. Austin Peay (10/30)
• Points	48 vs. Murray State (10/9)	17 vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	59 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	10 at Northwestern State (9/18)
• Sacks	4 vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	0, 3x, vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	2 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	0, 3x, vs. Tennessee State (11/6)
• Penalties	9 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	5, 2x, vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	8 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	1 at Northwestern State (9/18)
• Penalty Yards	79 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	40 vs. Samford (9/11)	69 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	15 at Northwestern State (9/18)
• Turnovers	5 vs. Samford (9/11)	0 vs. Murray State (10/9)	3 at Northwestern State (9/18)	1, 2x, at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)
• Interceptions	2, 3x, vs. Murray State (10/9)	0, 2x, vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	3 vs. Samford (9/11)	0, 4x, vs. Tennessee State (11/6)
• Punts	6, 3x, vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	2 vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	7 at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	1 at Western Kentucky (9/2)
• Net Punt Average	52.7 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	28.6 vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	44.4 vs. Samford (9/11)	29.3 at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• Long/Shortest Punt	68 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	4 at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	60 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	-10 at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• Punts Inside 20	2 vs. Samford (9/11)	0, 3x, vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	3, 2x, vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	1, 4x, vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)
• Long Punt Return	12 vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	-5 vs. Samford (9/11)	30 vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	2 at Western Kentucky (9/2)

## INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

	UT MARTIN	OPPONENT
• Rushes	21, Zak Wallace at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	21, Brian Snead vs. Austin Peay (10/30)
• Rushing Yards	179, Peyton Logan at Northwestern State (9/18)	137, vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)
• Rushing Touchdowns	3, Zak Wallace vs. Murray State (10/9)	2, Damonta Witherspoon vs. Murray State (10/9)
• Longest Rush	75, Peyton Logan vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	66, Geno Hess vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)
• Pass Completions	20, Keon Howard at Western Kentucky (9/2)	28, 2x, last by Kaleb Fletcher at Northwestern State (9/18)
• Pass Attempts	43, Keon Howard at Western Kentucky (9/2)	47, Kaleb Fletcher at Northwestern State (9/18)
• Passing Yards	255, Keon Howard at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	424, Bailey Zappe at Western Kentucky (9/2)
• Passing TDs	3, Keon Howard at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	7, Bailey Zappe at Western Kentucky (9/2)
• Longest Pass	60, Keon Howard vs. Samford (9/11)	73, Bailey Zappe at Western Kentucky (9/2)
• Receptions	7, Donnell Williams at Western Kentucky (9/2)	12, Devon Starling vs. Tennessee State (11/6)
• Receiving Yards	122, Peyton Logan vs. Samford (9/11)	117, Devon Starling vs. Tennessee State (11/6)
• Receiving TDs	2, 2x, last by Zoe Roberts at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	2, 2x, last by Johnny King vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)
• Longest Rec.	60, Peyton Logan vs. Samford (9/11)	73, Daewood Davis at Western Kentucky (9/2)
• Field Goals	2, Tyler Larco at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	3, Kenny Doak vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)
• Longest Field Goal	42, Tyler Larco vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	38, Kenny Doak vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)
• Punts	6, 2x, last by Tyler Larco vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	6, 2x, last by Matt Rigney vs. Austin Peay (10/30)
• Punting Average	52.7, Tyler Larco at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	44.0, John Haggerty III at Western Kentucky (9/2)
• Long Punt	68, Tyler Larco at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	60, 2x, last by Logen Neidhardt at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• Punts Inside 20	2, Tyler Larco vs. Samford (9/11)	3, 2x, last by Matt Rigney vs. Austin Peay (10/30)
• Long Punt Return	12, Andrew Henley vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	30, Dayron Johnson vs. Tennessee State (11/6)
• Long Kickoff Return	27, DeVonte Tanksley vs. Samford (9/11)	45, 2x, last by Donovan Duvernay at Northwestern State (9/18)
• Tackles	12, 2x, last by John Ford vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	14, Jason Johnson at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• Sacks	2.0, 2x, last by Eyabi Anoma at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	1.0, 5x, last by Terrell Allen vs. Austin Peay (10/30)
• Tackles for Loss	4.5, Eyabi Anoma vs. Austin Peay (10/30)	3.5, Nathan East vs. Samford (9/11)
• Interceptions	1, 10x, last by John Ford vs. Tennessee State (11/6)	1, 7x, last by Koby Perry/Isaiah Norman vs. Austin Peay (10/30)



# TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Site	Result	Attendance	Top Rusher	Top Passer	Top Receiver	Top Tackler
Sept. 2	at Western Kentucky	Bowling Green, Ky.	L, 58-21	16,236	Howard (12-44-2)	Howard (20-43-195-1)	Dowell (6-102-1)	Sims (10)
Sept. 11	SAMFORD	Martin, Tenn.	W, 33-27	5,869	Howard (16-66-1)	Howard (18-30-229-2)	Logan (4-122-2)	Ford (7)
Sept. 18	at Northwestern State	Natchitoches, La.	W, 35-10	9,146	Logan (14-179-1)	Howard (16-23-172-1)	Dowell (4-84-0)	Young (10)
Sept. 25	at #9 Jacksonville State	Jacksonville, Ala.	W, 34-31	18,648	Logan (12-67-0)	Howard (19-24-255-3)	Dowell (6-84-1)	Baker/Sims (6)
Oct. 9	MURRAY STATE*	Martin, Tenn.	W, 48-28	7,111	Howard (9-98-1)	Howard (12-18-171-1)	Dowell (3-86-0)	Young/Sims (10)
Oct. 16	at Eastern Illinois*	Charleston, Ill.	W, 28-17	3,189	Wallace (21-125-2)	Howard (12-21-166-1)	D. Williams (3-30-1)	Ford (12)
Oct. 23	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	Martin, Tenn.	W, 38-30	2,230	Logan (15-159-1)	Howard (17-25-221-2)	R. Williams (4-92-1)	Sims (8)
Oct. 30	AUSTIN PEAY*	Martin, Tenn.	W, 17-16	2,117	Logan (13-81-0)	Howard (15-32-137-1)	Odom (3-38-0)	Sims (11)
Nov. 6	TENNESSEE STATE*	Martin, Tenn.	W, 41-20	3,712	Wallace (14-123-2)	Howard (11-23-124-1)	R. Williams (5-43-0)	Ford (12)
Nov. 13	at Tennessee Tech*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov. 20	at Southast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TEAM STATISTICS	UTM	OPP
SCORING	295	234
Points Per Game	32.8	26.0
Points Off Turnovers	69	68
FIRST DOWNS	180	164
Rushing	102	50
Passing	66	97
Penalty	11	17
RUSHING YARDAGE	2066	1045
Yards gained rushing	2267	1203
Yards lost rushing	201	158
Rushing Attempts	386	262
Average Per Rush	5.4	4.0
Average Per Game	229.6	116.1
TDs Rushing	24	7
PASSING YARDAGE	1670	2141
Comp-Att-Int	140-239-7	182-309-10
Average Per Pass	7.0	6.9
Average Per Catch	11.9	11.8
Average Per Game	185.6	237.9
TDs Passing	13	17
TOTAL OFFENSE	3736	3186
Total Plays	625	571
Average Per Play	6.0	5.6
Average Per Game	415.1	354.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	7-110	26-499
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	8-46	11-118
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	10-259	7-180
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	15.7	19.2
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	5.8	10.7
INT RETURN AVERAGE	25.9	25.7
FUMBLES-LOST	14-10	7-4
PENALTIES-Yards	59-511	42-379
Average Per Game	56.8	42.1
PUNTS-Yards	37-1531	36-1460
Average Per Punt	41.4	40.6
Net punt average	37.1	39.3
KICKOFFS-Yards	52-2737	47-2495
Average Per Kick	52.6	53.1
Net kick average	37.8	40.6
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	33:53	26:07
3RD-DOWN Conversions	63/135	43/116
3rd-Down Pct	47%	37%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	9/17	6/18
4th-Down Pct	53%	33%
SACKS BY-Yards	15-85	7-41
MISC YARDS	-52	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	40	28
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	5-10	13-19
ON-SIDE KICKS	1-1	1-3
RED-ZONE SCORES	(30-36) 83%	(26-32) 81%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(27-36) 75%	(14-32) 44%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(38-39) 97%	(27-27) 100%
ATTENDANCE	21039	47219
Games/Avg Per Game	5/4208	4/11805
Neutral Site Games		0/0

SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
UT Martin	44	111	52	88	295
Opponents	53	64	58	59	234

## OFFENSIVE STATISTICS

RUSHING	Name	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
	LOGAN, Peyton	9	112	832	16	816	7.3	2	75	90.7
	WALLACE, Zak	9	113	563	20	543	4.8	11	36	60.3
	HOWARD, Keon	9	91	517	72	445	4.9	10	28	49.4
	CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	9	26	155	6	149	5.7	1	23	16.6
	TAYLOR, Tim	5	19	88	6	82	4.3	0	18	16.4
	ODOM, Marqwell	8	3	46	0	46	15.3	0	24	5.8
	DuBOSE, David	9	1	29	0	29	29.0	0	29	3.2
	ROBERTS, Zoe	7	2	19	0	19	9.5	0	12	2.7
	FRANKLIN, Sam	1	3	12	0	12	4.0	0	8	12.0
	LAWRENCE, DeRay	9	2	6	0	6	3.0	0	5	0.7
	TANKSLEY, DeVonte	2	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
	TEAM	7	13	0	81	-81	-6.2	0	0	-11.6
Total.....		9	386	2267	201	2066	5.4	24	75	229.6
Opponents.....		9	262	1203	158	1045	4.0	7	66	116.1

PASSING	Name	GP	Rating	Comp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
	HOWARD, Keon	9	129.36	140-239-7	58.6	1670	13	60	185.6
Total.....		9	129.36	140-239-7	58.6	1670	13	60	185.6
Opponents.....		9	128.78	182-309-10	58.9	2141	17	73	237.9

RECEIVING	Name	GP	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
	DOWELL, Colton	6	22	398	18.1	2	56	66.3
	WILLIAMS, Rodney	9	20	301	15.1	2	51	33.4
	LOGAN, Peyton	9	20	221	11.1	3	60	24.6
	WILLIAMS, Donnell	6	18	233	12.9	1	32	38.8
	ODOM, Marqwell	8	18	160	8.9	0	33	20.0
	ROBERTS, Zoe	7	15	183	12.2	4	54	26.1
	FIELDS, Randy Jr.	9	6	73	12.2	1	31	8.1
	GRIGLIONE, Richie	9	5	42	8.4	0	14	4.7
	TANKSLEY, DeVonte	2	5	15	3.0	0	8	7.5
	LAWRENCE, DeRay	9	4	20	5.0	0	10	2.2
	WALLACE, Zak	9	4	8	2.0	0	4	0.9
	CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	9	2	8	4.0	0	6	0.9
	TAYLOR, Tim	5	1	8	8.0	0	8	1.6
Total.....		9	140	1670	11.9	13	60	185.6
Opponents.....		9	182	2141	11.8	17	73	237.9

# INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS



## SPECIAL TEAMS STATISTICS

### PUNT RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
HENLEY, Andrew	5	9	1.8	0	12
DuBOSE, David	1	10	10.0	0	0
BAKER, Oshae	1	-5	-5.0	0	0
ODOM, Marqwell	1	-2	-2.0	0	0
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	0	34	0.0	1	34
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>34</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>

### KICKOFF RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
LOGAN, Peyton	2	44	22.0	0	25
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	13	13.0	0	13
BAKER, Oshae	1	0	0.0	0	0
HENLEY, Andrew	1	11	11.0	0	11
ROBERTS, Zoe	1	15	15.0	0	15
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	1	27	27.0	0	27
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>45</b>

### FUMBLE RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
	0	0	0.0	0	0
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>26.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>46</b>

### INTERCEPTIONS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
FORD, John	3	158	52.7	1	75
SHAMBURGER, Shawn	1	0	0.0	0	0
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	1	0	0.0	0	0
WOODS, Jay	1	0	0.0	0	0
SHIPP, Tevin	1	47	47.0	1	47
GUY, Vincent	1	24	24.0	0	24
BAKER, Oshae	1	30	30.0	0	30
YOUNG, Takeem	1	0	0.0	0	0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>25.7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>75</b>

### PUNTING

Name	Punts	Yds	Avg	Lg	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
LARCO, Tyler	37	1531	41.4	68	2	14	7	8	0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1531</b>	<b>41.4</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1460</b>	<b>40.6</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>

### KICKOFFS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
LARCO, Tyler	52	2737	52.6	11	4			
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>2737</b>	<b>52.6</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>2495</b>	<b>53.1</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>40.6</b>	<b>24</b>

### FIELD GOALS

Name	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg
LARCO, Tyler	5-10	50.0	0-0	2-3	1-3	2-4	0-0	42

### FIELD GOAL SEQUENCE BY GAME

	UT Martin	Opponents
WKU	28	(30)
Samford	(31),49	(26),(36)
Northwestern State	-	24,32,(27)
Jacksonville State	(26),(40)	51,(33),52
Murray State	30	(24)
Eastern Illinois	45,39	(33)
Southeast Missouri	(26)	(31),(37),(38)
Austin Peay	(42)	(33),49
Tennessee State	-	(28),41,(26)

Numbers in parentheses indicate field goal was made.



## MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

### SCORING

Name	TD	FGs	PAT Kick	PAT Rush	PAT Rcv	PAT Pass	PAT DXP	Saf	Pts
WALLACE, Zak	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	66
HOWARD, Keon	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	60
LARCO, Tyler	0	5-10	38-39	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	53
LOGAN, Peyton	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
ROBERTS, Zoe	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
WILLIAMS, Rodney	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
DOWELL, Colton	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
WILLIAMS, Donnell	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
SHIPP, Tevin	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
FORD, John	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
AKINS, JaQuez	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	1	2
McABEE, Chris	0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>5-10</b>	<b>38-39</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>295</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>13-19</b>	<b>27-27</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>234</b>

### ALL-PURPOSE

Name	GP	Rush	Rec	PR	KR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
LOGAN, Peyton	9	816	221	0	44	0	1081	120.1
WALLACE, Zak	9	543	8	0	0	0	551	61.2
HOWARD, Keon	9	445	0	0	0	0	445	49.4
DOWELL, Colton	6	0	398	0	0	0	398	66.3
WILLIAMS, Rodney	9	0	301	0	0	0	301	33.4
WILLIAMS, Donnell	6	0	233	0	0	0	233	38.8
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	19	183	0	15	0	217	31.0
ODOM, Marqwell	8	46	160	-2	0	0	204	25.5
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	9	149	8	0	13	0	170	18.9
FORD, John	9	0	0	0	0	158	158	17.6
TAYLOR, Tim	5	82	8	0	0	0	90	18.0
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	9	0	73	0	0	0	73	8.1
SHIPP, Tevin	8	0	0	0	0	47	47	5.9
GRIGLIONE, Richie	9	0	42	0	0	0	42	4.7
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	2	0	15	0	27	0	42	21.0
DuBOSE, David	9	29	0	10	0	0	39	4.3
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	9	0	0	34	0	0	34	3.8
LAWRENCE, DeRay	9	6	20	0	0	0	26	2.9
BAKER, Oshae	9	0	0	-5	0	30	25	2.8
GUY, Vincent	9	0	0	0	0	24	24	2.7
HENLEY, Andrew	9	0	0	9	11	0	20	2.2
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	12	0	0	0	0	12	12.0
TEAM	7	-81	0	0	0	0	-81	-11.6
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2066</b>	<b>1670</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>4151</b>	<b>461.2</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1045</b>	<b>2141</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>3983</b>	<b>442.6</b>

### TOTAL OFFENSE

Name	GP	Plays	Rush	Pass	Tot	Avg/G
HOWARD, Keon	9	330	445	1670	2115	235.0
LOGAN, Peyton	9	112	816	0	816	90.7
WALLACE, Zak	9	113	543	0	543	60.3
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	9	26	149	0	149	16.6
TAYLOR, Tim	5	19	82	0	82	16.4
ODOM, Marqwell	8	3	46	0	46	5.8
DuBOSE, David	9	1	29	0	29	3.2
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	2	19	0	19	2.7
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	3	12	0	12	12.0
LAWRENCE, DeRay	9	2	6	0	6	0.7
TEAM	7	13	-81	0	-81	-11.6
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>2066</b>	<b>1670</b>	<b>3736</b>	<b>415.1</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>1045</b>	<b>2141</b>	<b>3186</b>	<b>354.0</b>

# INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS



## DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

No.	Player	GP-GS	ST	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int	PBU	QBH	FR-Yds	FF	Blk	Saf
30	SIMS, Deven	9-9	30	35	65	3.5-11	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.
18	FORD, John	9-8	26	29	55	4.0-13	0.5-2	3-158	3	3	.	.	.	.
31	STEPHENS, D'Carrious	9-9	21	29	50	4.0-10	.	1-0	4	1	.	.	.	.
9D	BAKER, Oshae	9-7	24	17	41	2.0-5	1.0-2	1-30	7	1	1-0	.	.	.
3D	YOUNG, Takeem	7-7	23	17	40	0.5-1	.	1-0	4	.	.	1	.	.
5	HICKS, Robert	6-1	10	18	28	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
17	AKINS, JaQuez	8-7	14	13	27	4.5-17	3.0-13	.	1	1	.	1	.	1
1	ANOMA, Eyabi	8-4	11	14	25	9.5-53	6.0-40	.	.	3	.	.	1	.
47	PICKETT, Austin	9-8	7	17	24	4.5-19	1.0-9	.	.	4	.	1	.	.
4D	WOODS, Jay	8-8	13	10	23	4.5-13	.	1-0	8	.	.	.	.	.
12	EVANS, Carson	9-1	9	13	22	.	.	.	3	.	1-0	.	.	.
10	SHAMBURGER, Shawn	7-5	10	10	20	0.5-1	.	1-0	4	.	.	.	.	.
45	DuBOSE, David	9-9	5	15	20	3.5-7	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.
8D	HARMON, Korbin	9-5	2	14	16	0.5-1	.	.	2	2	.	.	1	.
32	HUNTER, Chris	9-0	9	7	16	2.0-3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
44	DAVIS, Giovanni	8-1	4	8	12	2.5-10	1.0-7	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
24	LANDERS, Jamarious	9-4	6	6	12	1.5-1	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
95	ROGERS, Jay	9-5	6	5	11	3.0-10	0.5-5	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
35	SHIPP, Tevin	8-0	5	4	9	1.5-3	.	1-47	.	1	.	1	.	.
92	DOTSON, Daylan	8-0	4	4	8	2.0-6	1.5-5	.	.	1	1-0	.	.	.
90	WILLIS, Keion	9-0	1	7	8	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
22	CHEEKS, Fahreed	5-0	4	3	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
26	ANDRE, Alexander	5-0	6	1	7	.	.	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
36	WEIR, Shamari	9-0	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	GUY, Vincent	9-0	2	3	5	0.5-1	.	1-24	2	.	.	.	.	.
99	DAVIS, Kenyonte	7-0	.	4	4	0.5-2	0.5-2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
25	ABDULLAH, Isaiah	5-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
14	CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	9-1	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	WEBB, Aaron	8-0	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
34	GOLDBOURNE, Dion	4-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
37	LARCO, Tyler	9-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	WILLIAMS, Rodney	9-9	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3H	HOWARD, Xiere	4-0	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93	JOHNSON, Jarid	6-0	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	PROSPERE, Anthony	8-1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2D	MOTON, Wanya	3-0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
21	WALLACE, Zak	9-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	DOWELL, Christian	5-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
16	McCALL, Tamel	1-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	ROBERTS, Zoe	7-5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	LUCAS, Jack	7-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	HOWARD, Keon	9-9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Total.....</b>		<b>9-0</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>594</b>	<b>55-187</b>	<b>15-85</b>	<b>10-259</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>4-0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>		<b>9-0</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>43.0-149</b>	<b>7-41</b>	<b>7-180</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>10-52</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>.</b>

### UT MARTIN GIVEAWAYS/TAKEAWAYS

Game	Giveaways			Takeaways			Dif.
	F	I	T	F	I	T	
Western Kentucky	1	1	2	0	1	1	-1
Samford	2	3	5	0	2	2	-3
Northwestern State	2	0	2	1	2	3	+1
Jacksonville State	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
Murray State	0	0	0	0	2	2	+2
Eastern Illinois	2	0	2	0	1	1	-1
Southeast Missouri	1	1	2	1	1	2	0
Austin Peay	0	2	2	0	0	0	-2
Tennessee State	1	0	1	1	1	2	+1
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>-3</b>

### INTERCEPTIONS

Game	No.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
Western Kentucky	1	0	0.0	0	0
Samford	2	24	12.0	0	24
Northwestern State	2	96	48	0	66
Jacksonville State	-	-	-	-	-
Murray State	2	64	32.0	1	47
Eastern Illinois	1	0	0.0	0	0
Southeast Missouri	1	0	0.0	0	0
Austin Peay	0	0	0	0	0
Tennessee State	1	75	75.0	1	75
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>75</b>

### UTM ON OPENING OFFENSIVE DRIVE

Game	1st Half	2nd Half
Western Kentucky	TOUCHDOWN	Punt
Samford	Punt	TOUCHDOWN
Northwestern State	TOUCHDOWN	Punt
Jacksonville State	Fumble	Punt
Murray State	TOUCHDOWN	TOUCHDOWN
Eastern Illinois	Fumble	Missed FG
Southeast Missouri	Punt	TOUCHDOWN
Austin Peay	Punt	Punt
Tennessee State	Punt	Punt

### UTM ON OPENING DEFENSIVE DRIVE

Game	1st Half	2nd Half
Western Kentucky	INTERCEPTION	Touchdown
Samford	Punt	Punt
Northwestern State	Punt	Touchdown
Jacksonville State	Touchdown	Punt
Murray State	Field Goal	INTERCEPTION
Eastern Illinois	Punt	Punt
Southeast Missouri	Field Goal	Touchdown
Austin Peay	Punt	Punt
Tennessee State	Punt	Punt

### SKYHAWK UNIFORM COMBINATIONS

Game	Jersey	Pants
Western Kentucky	Navy	White
Samford	Grey	Grey
Northwestern State	White	White
Jacksonville State	White	White
Murray State	Navy	Navy
Eastern Illinois	White	White
Southeast Missouri	Navy	White
Austin Peay	Grey	Grey
Tennessee State	Navy	Navy



## SEASON/CAREER STATISTICS

## SEASON

## CAREER

Rushing																			
	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g		gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
LOGAN, Peyton	9	112	832	16	816	7.3	2	75	90.7		47	372	2372	72	2300	6.2	10	79	48.9
WALLACE, Zak	9	113	563	20	543	4.8	11	36	60.3		20	162	734	50	684	4.2	12	36	34.2
HOWARD, Keon	9	91	517	72	445	4.9	10	28	49.4		9	91	517	72	445	4.9	10	28	49.4
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	9	26	155	6	149	5.7	1	23	16.6		9	26	155	6	149	5.7	1	23	16.6
TAYLOR, Tim	5	19	88	6	82	4.3	0	18	16.4		5	19	88	6	82	4.3	0	18	16.4
ODOM, Marqwell	8	3	46	0	46	15.3	0	24	5.8		27	7	75	1	74	10.6	0	24	2.7
DuBOSE, David	9	1	29	0	29	29.0	0	29	3.2		21	1	29	0	29	29.0	0	29	1.4
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	2	19	0	19	9.5	0	12	2.7		9	2	19	0	19	9.5	0	12	2.1
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	3	12	0	12	4.0	0	8	12.0		1	3	12	0	12	4.0	0	8	12.0
LAWRENCE, DeRay	9	2	6	0	6	3.0	0	5	0.7		26	2	6	0	6	3.0	0	5	0.2
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	2	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0		2	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
TEAM	7	13	0	81	-81	-6.2	0	0	-11.6										
Total	9	386	2267	201	2066	5.4	24	75	229.6										
Opponents	9	262	1203	158	1045	4.0	7	66	116.1										
Passing																			
	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g		gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g		
HOWARD, Keon	9	129.36	140-239-7	58.6	1670	13	60	185.6		9	129.36	140-239-7	58.6	1670	13	60	185.6		
Total	9	129.36	140-239-7	58.6	1670	13	60	185.6											
Opponents	9	128.78	182-309-10	58.9	2141	17	73	237.9											
Receiving																			
	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g			gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g			
DOWELL, Colton	6	22	398	18.1	2	56	66.3			36	110	1760	16.0	13	73	48.9			
WILLIAMS, Rodney	9	20	301	15.1	2	51	33.4			49	90	1101	12.2	6	51	22.5			
LOGAN, Peyton	9	20	221	11.1	3	60	24.6			47	77	678	8.8	4	60	14.4			
WILLIAMS, Donnell	6	18	233	12.9	1	32	38.8			44	71	937	13.2	7	44	21.3			
ODOM, Marqwell	8	18	160	8.9	0	33	20.0			27	41	407	9.9	1	66	15.1			
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	15	183	12.2	4	54	26.1			9	18	185	10.3	4	54	20.6			
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	9	6	73	12.2	1	31	8.1			9	6	73	12.2	1	31	8.1			
GRIGLIONE, Richie	9	5	42	8.4	0	14	4.7			14	7	64	9.1	2	19	4.6			
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	2	5	15	3.0	0	8	7.5			2	5	15	3.0	0	8	7.5			
LAWRENCE, DeRay	9	4	20	5.0	0	10	2.2			26	4	20	5.0	0	10	0.8			
WALLACE, Zak	9	4	8	2.0	0	4	0.9			20	9	83	9.2	0	30	4.2			
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	9	2	8	4.0	0	6	0.9			9	2	8	4.0	0	6	0.9			
TAYLOR, Tim	5	1	8	8.0	0	8	1.6			5	1	8	8.0	0	8	1.6			
Total	9	140	1670	11.9	13	60	185.6												
Opponents	9	182	2141	11.8	17	73	237.9												
Total Offense																			
	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g				g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g				
HOWARD, Keon	9	330	445	1670	2115	235.0				9	330	445	1670	2115	235.0				
LOGAN, Peyton	9	112	816	0	816	90.7				47	372	2300	0	2300	48.9				
WALLACE, Zak	9	113	543	0	543	60.3				20	162	684	0	684	34.2				
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	9	26	149	0	149	16.6				9	26	149	0	149	16.6				
TAYLOR, Tim	5	19	82	0	82	16.4				5	19	82	0	82	16.4				
ODOM, Marqwell	8	3	46	0	46	5.8				27	7	74	0	74	2.7				
DuBOSE, David	9	1	29	0	29	3.2				21	1	29	0	29	1.4				
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	2	19	0	19	2.7				9	2	19	0	19	2.1				
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	3	12	0	12	12.0				1	3	12	0	12	12.0				
LAWRENCE, DeRay	9	2	6	0	6	0.7				26	2	6	0	6	0.2				
TEAM	7	13	-81	0	-81	-11.6													
Total	9	625	2066	1670	3736	415.1													
Opponents	9	571	1045	2141	3186	354.0													

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Scoring			PAT									PAT						
	td	fg	kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts	td	fg	kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
WALLACE, Zak	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72
HOWARD, Keon	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60
LARCO, Tyler	-	5-10	38-39	-	-	-	-	-	53	-	15-22	55-57	-	-	-	-	-	100
LOGAN, Peyton	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	96
ROBERTS, Zoe	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
WILLIAMS, Rodney	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36
DOWELL, Colton	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	13	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	80
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
SHIPP, Tevin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WILLIAMS, Donnell	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42
FORD, John	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
AKINS, JaQuez	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
McABEE, Chris	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	0
Total	40	5-10	38-39	0-1	-	-	-	1	295									
Opponents	28	13-19	27-27	0-1	-	-	-	-	234									

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
HENLEY, Andrew	5	9	1.8	0	12	5	9	1.8	0	12
ODOM, Marqwell	1	-2	-2.0	0	0	3	0	0.0	0	2
DuBOSE, David	1	10	10.0	0	0	1	10	10.0	0	0
BAKER, Oshae	1	-5	-5.0	0	0	1	-5	-5.0	0	0
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	0	34	0.0	1	34	0	34	0.0	1	34
Total	8	46	5.8	1	34					
Opponents	11	118	10.7	0	30					

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
LOGAN, Peyton	2	44	22.0	0	25	41	1049	25.6	2	95
BAKER, Oshae	1	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	1	27	27.0	0	27	1	27	27.0	0	27
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	13	13.0	0	13	1	13	13.0	0	13
HENLEY, Andrew	1	11	11.0	0	11	1	11	11.0	0	11
ROBERTS, Zoe	1	15	15.0	0	15	1	15	15.0	0	15
Total	7	110	15.7	0	27					
Opponents	26	499	19.2	0	45					

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
FORD, John	3	158	52.7	1	75	5	233	46.6	2	75
BAKER, Oshae	1	30	30.0	0	30	1	30	30.0	0	30
GUY, Vincent	1	24	24.0	0	24	1	24	24.0	0	24
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	1	0	0.0	0	0	4	28	7.0	1	26
SHIPP, Tevin	1	47	47.0	1	47	1	47	47.0	1	47
SHAMBURGER, Shawn	1	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
YOUNG, Takeem	1	0	0.0	0	0	5	48	9.6	0	36
WOODS, Jay	1	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	10	259	25.9	2	75					
Opponents	7	180	25.7	3	75					

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0					
Opponents	2	52	26.0	1	46					

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All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
LOGAN, Peyton	9	816	221	0	44	0	1081	120.1	47	2300	678	5	1049	0	4032	85.8
WALLACE, Zak	9	543	8	0	0	0	551	61.2	20	684	83	0	0	0	767	38.3
HOWARD, Keon	9	445	0	0	0	0	445	49.4	9	445	0	0	0	0	445	49.4
DOWELL, Colton	6	0	398	0	0	0	398	66.3	36	3	1760	0	0	0	1763	49.0
WILLIAMS, Rodn	9	0	301	0	0	0	301	33.4	49	0	1101	0	41	0	1142	23.3
WILLIAMS, Donn	6	0	233	0	0	0	233	38.8	44	0	937	0	0	0	937	21.3
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	19	183	0	15	0	217	31.0	9	19	185	0	15	0	219	24.3
ODOM, Marqwell	8	46	160	-2	0	0	204	25.5	27	74	407	0	34	0	515	19.1
CASTLEBERRY,	9	149	8	0	13	0	170	18.9	9	149	8	0	13	0	170	18.9
FORD, John	9	0	0	0	0	158	158	17.6	25	0	0	0	0	233	233	9.3
TAYLOR, Tim	5	82	8	0	0	0	90	18.0	5	82	8	0	0	0	90	18.0
FIELDS, Randy J	9	0	73	0	0	0	73	8.1	9	0	73	0	0	0	73	8.1
SHIPP, Tevin	8	0	0	0	0	47	47	5.9	15	0	0	0	0	47	47	3.1
GRIGLIONE, Ric	9	0	42	0	0	0	42	4.7	14	0	64	0	0	0	64	4.6
TANKSLEY, DeV	2	0	15	0	27	0	42	21.0	2	0	15	0	27	0	42	21.0
DuBOSE, David	9	29	0	10	0	0	39	4.3	21	29	0	10	0	0	39	1.9
STEPHENS, D'C	9	0	0	34	0	0	34	3.8	32	0	0	34	0	28	62	1.9
LAWRENCE, De	9	6	20	0	0	0	26	2.9	26	6	20	0	0	0	26	1.0
BAKER, Oshae	9	0	0	-5	0	30	25	2.8	14	0	0	-5	0	30	25	1.8
GUY, Vincent	9	0	0	0	0	24	24	2.7	13	0	0	0	0	24	24	1.8
HENLEY, Andre	9	0	0	9	11	0	20	2.2	11	0	2	9	11	0	22	2.0
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	12	0	0	0	0	12	12.0	1	12	0	0	0	0	12	12.0
TEAM	7	-81	0	0	0	0	-81	-11.6								
Total	9	2066	1670	46	110	259	4151	461.2								
Opponents	9	1045	2141	118	499	180	3983	442.6								

Field Goals	att	good	long	blkd	att	good	long	blkd
LARCO, Tyler	10	5	42	2	22	15	47	2
Total	10	5	42	2				
Opponents	19	13	38	2				

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk
LARCO, Tyler	37	1531	41.4	68	0	47	1949	41.5	68	0
Total	37	1531	41.4	68	0					
Opponents	36	1460	40.6	60	1					

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
LARCO, Tyler	52	2737	52.6	11	4	87	4360	50.1	15	6
Total	52	2737	52.6	11	4					
Opponents	47	2495	53.1	19	2					



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##	Defensive Leaders	gp	ua	a	total	tfl	sack	int	pbu	fr	ff	blk	gp	ua	a	total	tfl	sack	int	pbu	fr	ff	blk
30	SIMS, Deven	9	30	35	65	3.5	.	.	2	.	.	.	34	77	89	166	9.5	1.0	.	13	.	2	.
18	FORD, John	9	26	29	55	4.0	0.5	3	3	.	.	.	25	58	54	112	10.5	2.5	5	4	.	.	.
31	STEPHENS, D'Carrious	9	21	29	50	4.0	.	1	4	.	.	.	32	47	56	103	13.0	1.0	4	8	1	1	.
9D	BAKER, Oshae	9	24	17	41	2.0	1.0	1	7	1	.	.	14	25	21	46	2.0	1.0	1	8	1	.	1
3D	YOUNG, Takeem	7	23	17	40	0.5	.	1	4	.	1	.	36	66	76	142	4.0	.	5	18	1	1	.
5	HICKS, Robert	6	10	18	28	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	10	18	28	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	AKINS, JaQuez	8	14	13	27	4.5	3.0	.	1	.	1	.	27	86	71	157	13.0	3.0	1	11	4	5	.
1	ANOMA, Eyabi	8	11	14	25	9.5	6.0	.	.	.	.	1	8	11	14	25	9.5	6.0	.	.	.	.	1
47	PICKETT, Austin	9	7	17	24	4.5	1.0	.	.	.	1	.	38	36	74	110	18.5	7.5	.	.	.	2	.
4D	WOODS, Jay	8	13	10	23	4.5	.	1	8	.	.	.	15	31	15	46	6.5	.	1	17	1	.	.
12	EVANS, Carson	9	9	13	22	0.0	.	.	3	1	.	.	16	12	14	26	0.0	.	.	4	1	.	.
45	DuBOSE, David	9	5	15	20	3.5	.	.	.	.	.	1	21	11	29	40	7.0	1.0	.	1	.	.	1
10	SHAMBURGER, Shaw	7	10	10	20	0.5	.	1	4	.	.	.	7	10	10	20	0.5	.	1	4	.	.	.
32	HUNTER, Chris	9	9	7	16	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	19	20	39	7.0	1.5	.	.	.	.	1
8D	HARMON, Korbin	9	2	14	16	0.5	.	.	2	.	.	1	36	21	46	67	13.0	3.0	.	4	.	1	5
24	LANDERS, Jamarius	9	6	6	12	1.5	.	.	1	.	.	.	27	19	20	39	8.0	2.0	.	3	.	.	.
44	DAVIS, Giovanni	8	4	8	12	2.5	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	15	8	16	24	6.0	2.0	.	.	1	.	.
95	ROGERS, Jay	9	6	5	11	3.0	0.5	.	.	.	1	.	9	6	5	11	3.0	0.5	.	.	.	1	.
35	SHIPP, Tevin	8	5	4	9	1.5	.	1	.	.	1	.	15	10	12	22	2.5	.	1	1	.	1	.
90	WILLIS, Keion	9	1	7	8	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	1	7	8	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	DOTSON, Daylan	8	4	4	8	2.0	1.5	.	.	1	.	.	14	4	9	13	3.0	1.5	.	1	1	.	1
26	ANDRE, Alexander	5	6	1	7	0.0	.	.	1	1	.	.	5	6	1	7	0.0	.	.	1	1	.	.
22	CHEEKS, Fahreed	5	4	3	7	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.	5	4	3	7	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.
36	WEIR, Shamari	9	3	3	6	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	4	4	8	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	GUY, Vincent	9	2	3	5	0.5	.	1	2	.	.	.	13	3	4	7	0.5	.	1	2	.	.	.
25	ABDULLAH, Isaiah	5	3	1	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	4	3	7	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	WEBB, Aaron	8	1	3	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	1	3	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	DAVIS, Kenyonte	7	.	4	4	0.5	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	26	3	13	16	2.0	1.5	.	.	.	.	.
14	CASTLEBERRY, Jorda	9	1	3	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	1	3	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
34	GOLDBOURNE, Dion	4	2	1	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	2	1	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	PROSPERE, Anthony	8	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
3H	HOWARD, Xiere	4	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	2	4	6	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
2D	MOTON, Wanya	3	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	1	.	28	46	50	96	4.5	.	3	8	.	2	.
2	WILLIAMS, Rodney	9	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	49	4	1	5	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
93	JOHNSON, Jarid	6	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
37	LARCO, Tyler	9	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
16	McCALL, Tamel	1	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	4	6	10	0.0	.	1	.	.	1	.
21	WALLACE, Zak	9	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	20	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	HOWARD, Keon	9	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	ROBERTS, Zoe	7	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	DOWELL, Christian	5	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	LUCAS, Jack	7	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	1	2	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		9	271	323	594	55	15	10	43	4	6	3											
Opponents		9	287	364	651	43	7	7	35	10	7	3											

## INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATS



## OFFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

## PASSING

#9 HOWARD, Keon	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic
WKU	43	20	1	46.5	195	1	32	1	7	87.6
Samford	30	18	3	60.0	229	2	60	0	0	126.1
Northwestern St.	23	16	0	69.6	172	1	56	1	4	146.7
Jacksonville St.	24	19	0	79.2	255	3	54	2	7	209.7
Murray State	18	12	0	66.7	171	1	49	0	0	164.8
Eastern Illinois	21	12	0	57.1	166	1	44	1	6	139.3
Southeast Missouri	25	17	1	68.0	221	2	51	1	9	160.7
Austin Peay	32	15	2	46.9	137	1	28	1	8	80.6
Tennessee State	23	11	0	47.8	124	1	30	0	0	107.5
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>58.6</b>	<b>1670</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>129.4</b>

## RUSHING

Name	No-Yds/TD	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
LOGAN, Peyton	112-816/2	7-75/0	9-47/0	14-179/1	12-67/0	14-78/0	16-58/0	15-159/1	13-81/0	12-72/0	-	-
WALLACE, Zak	113-543/11	6-14/0	15-59/1	7-19/1	9-63/1	14-67/3	21-125/2	14-34/0	13-39/1	14-123/2	-	-
HOWARD, Keon	91-445/10	12-44/2	16-66/1	9-39/2	6-40/0	9-98/1	11-32/0	10-20/2	10-31/0	8-75/2	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jo	26-149/1	4-43/0	6-24/0	6-38/0	-	1-6/1	-	4-29/0	2--1/0	3-10/0	-	-
TAYLOR, Tim	19-82/0	5-25/0	4-29/0	4-23/0	2-0/0	4-5/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
ODOM, Marqwell	3-46/0	DNP	1-24/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-18/0	1-4/0	-	-
DuBOSE, David	1-29/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-29/0	-	-
ROBERTS, Zoe	2-19/0	-	1-7/0	-	-	-	1-12/0	-	DNP	DNP	-	-
FRANKLIN, Sam	3-12/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	3-12/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
LAWRENCE, DeRay	2-6/0	-	-	-	1-5/0	-	-	-	-	1-1/0	-	-
TANKSLEY, DeVon	1-0/0	-	1-0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
TEAM	13--81/0	DNP	4--16/0	2--38/0	4--4/0	DNP	-	1--6/0	1--1/0	1--16/0	-	-

## RECEIVING

Name	No-Yds/TD	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
DOWELL, Colton	22-398/2	6-102/1	2-19/0	4-84/0	6-84/1	3-86/0	1-23/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
WILLIAMS, Rodne	20-301/2	-	2-24/0	1-14/1	2-43/0	1-34/0	3-29/0	4-92/1	2-22/0	5-43/0	-	-
WILLIAMS, Donne	18-233/1	7-80/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	3-30/1	3-40/0	2-34/0	3-49/0	-	-
LOGAN, Peyton	20-221/3	2-0/0	4-122/2	2-3/0	3-7/0	-	3-41/0	2-15/0	3-11/1	1-22/0	-	-
ROBERTS, Zoe	15-183/4	-	2-18/0	2-12/0	4-73/2	3-19/1	1-44/0	3-17/1	DNP	DNP	-	-
ODOM, Marqwell	18-160/0	DNP	1-2/0	4-21/0	3-46/0	3-20/0	1--1/0	3-34/0	3-38/0	-	-	-
FIELDS, Randy	6-73/1	-	1-8/0	1-31/0	-	1-5/0	-	-	2-16/0	1-13/1	-	-
GRIGLIONE, Rich	5-42/0	-	1-7/0	1-4/0	-	-	-	2-23/0	1-8/0	-	-	-
LAWRENCE, DeRay	4-20/0	-	3-13/0	-	-	1-7/0	-	-	-	-	-	-
TANKSLEY, DeVon	5-15/0	4-7/0	1-8/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
WALLACE, Zak	4-8/0	-	-	1-3/0	-	-	-	-	2-8/0	1--3/0	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jo	2-8/0	1-6/0	-	-	1-2/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TAYLOR, Tim	1-8/0	-	1-8/0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-



## DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

### TOTAL TACKLES

Name	UA-A	TOT	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
SIMS, Deven	30-35	65	6-4	2-3	2-3	4-2	3-7	4-2	2-6	5-6	2-2	-	-
FORD, John	26-29	55	1-2	4-3	3-2	1-5	2-5	9-3	2-0	0-1	4-8	-	-
STEPHENS, D'Car	21-29	50	6-2	2-3	3-2	0-4	0-4	4-2	2-1	1-7	3-4	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	24-17	41	2-2	2-0	2-1	5-1	1-2	2-0	3-2	5-4	2-5	-	-
YOUNG, Takeem	23-17	40	DNP	1-1	7-3	3-2	5-5	2-0	4-2	1-4	DNP	-	-
HICKS, Robert	10-18	28	4-3	0-2	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	2-1	2-8	2-4	-	-
AKINS, JaQuez	14-13	27	1-1	2-1	-	3-2	3-4	3-1	2-4	DNP	-	-	-
ANOMA, Eyabi	11-14	25	-	1-3	DNP	0-2	0-3	4-0	0-2	5-3	1-1	-	-
PICKETT, Austin	7-17	24	1-1	1-2	3-1	0-3	0-2	0-3	1-1	1-2	0-2	-	-
WOODS, Jay	13-10	23	1-0	2-1	2-1	0-2	DNP	1-1	4-1	2-2	1-2	-	-
EVANS, Carson	9-13	22	4-4	0-1	2-2	-	-	-	0-1	0-4	3-1	-	-
DuBOSE, David	5-15	20	-	1-1	0-2	0-2	1-4	1-2	1-2	1-1	0-1	-	-
SHAMBURGER, Sha	10-10	20	1-1	DNP	DNP	1-0	0-1	2-0	2-2	3-3	1-3	-	-
HARMON, Korbin	2-14	16	-	-	0-2	1-2	0-2	0-1	0-3	1-1	0-3	-	-
HUNTER, Chris	9-7	16	2-1	1-2	3-2	0-1	2-1	-	-	-	1-0	-	-
DAVIS, Giovanni	4-8	12	DNP	0-2	1-1	1-0	0-2	1-0	-	1-1	0-2	-	-
LANDERS, Jamari	6-6	12	1-0	0-1	0-1	3-1	1-0	1-0	0-1	0-2	-	-	-
ROGERS, Jay	6-5	11	-	-	1-0	0-2	2-0	0-1	2-0	1-0	0-2	-	-
SHIPP, Tevin	5-4	9	-	DNP	4-1	0-1	0-2	-	1-0	-	-	-	-
DOTSON, Daylan	4-4	8	1-0	DNP	0-1	0-1	1-1	-	-	-	2-1	-	-
WILLIS, Keion	1-7	8	0-1	-	-	0-2	1-1	0-1	0-1	-	0-1	-	-
CHEEKS, Fahreed	4-3	7	-	-	3-0	1-1	0-2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
ANDRE, Alexande	6-1	7	DNP	4-0	-	2-1	-	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	-
WEIR, Shamari	3-3	6	1-0	0-1	-	-	2-2	-	-	-	-	-	-
GUY, Vincent	2-3	5	-	1-1	-	-	1-0	0-1	-	-	0-1	-	-
WEBB, Aaron	1-3	4	-	0-1	-	0-1	DNP	1-0	-	-	0-1	-	-
DAVIS, Kenyonte	0-4	4	-	DNP	0-2	DNP	-	-	-	0-1	0-1	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jo	1-3	4	-	0-1	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-
ABDULLAH, Isaia	3-1	4	-	DNP	1-0	0-1	1-0	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	-	-
GOLDBOURNE, Dio	2-1	3	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	1-1	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
PROSPERE, Antho	1-1	2	1-1	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
JOHNSON, Jarid	0-2	2	0-1	-	-	0-1	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	-	-
LUCAS, Jack	0-1	1	DNP	DNP	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
McCALL, Tamel	0-1	1	0-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
DOWELL, Christi	1-0	1	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	1-0	-	-

### TACKLES FOR LOSS

Name	UA-A	TOT	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
ANOMA, Eyabi	8-3	9.5	-	1.0-9	DNP	0.5-1	0.5-1	2.0-15	-	4.5-23	1.0-4	-	-
WOODS, Jay	4-1	4.5	1.0-4	-	1.5-4	-	DNP	-	-	1.0-2	1.0-3	-	-
AKINS, JaQuez	4-1	4.5	-	2.0-9	-	1.5-6	-	-	1.0-2	DNP	-	-	-
PICKETT, Austin	3-3	4.5	-	0.5-1	1.0-9	-	0.5-1	-	1.0-4	1.5-4	-	-	-
STEPHENS, D'Car	3-2	4.0	-	1.5-5	-	-	0.5-1	1.0-1	1.0-3	-	-	-	-
FORD, John	2-4	4.0	1.5-8	-	-	0.5-2	1.0-2	0.5-1	-	-	0.5-0	-	-
DuBOSE, David	2-3	3.5	-	1.5-4	-	-	0.5-0	-	1.0-1	0.5-2	-	-	-
SIMS, Deven	1-5	3.5	0.5-3	0.5-1	0.5-0	-	0.5-0	-	0.5-0	1.0-7	-	-	-
ROGERS, Jay	2-2	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-1	2.0-4	-	0.5-5	-	-
DAVIS, Giovanni	2-1	2.5	DNP	-	1.0-7	-	0.5-1	-	-	1.0-2	-	-	-
DOTSON, Daylan	1-2	2.0	-	DNP	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-	1.5-5	-	-
HUNTER, Chris	0-4	2.0	-	1.0-1	0.5-1	-	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	2-0	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-3	1.0-2	-	-
SHIPP, Tevin	1-1	1.5	-	DNP	1.0-2	-	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-	-
LANDERS, Jamari	1-1	1.5	-	0.5-0	-	-	-	1.0-1	-	-	-	-	-
YOUNG, Takeem	0-1	0.5	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-1	-	DNP	-	-
GUY, Vincent	0-1	0.5	-	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SHAMBURGER, Sha	0-1	0.5	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-1	-	-
HARMON, Korbin	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DAVIS, Kenyonte	0-1	0.5	-	DNP	-	DNP	-	-	-	0.5-2	-	-	-

### SACKS

Name	UA-A	TOT	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
ANOMA, Eyabi	5-2	6.0	-	1.0-9	DNP	0.5-1	-	2.0-15	-	1.5-11	1.0-4	-	-
AKINS, JaQuez	3-0	3.0	-	2.0-9	-	1.0-4	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	-
DOTSON, Daylan	1-1	1.5	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5-5	-	-
DAVIS, Giovanni	1-0	1.0	DNP	-	1.0-7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-2	-	-
PICKETT, Austin	1-0	1.0	-	-	1.0-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FORD, John	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	0.5-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ROGERS, Jay	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-5	-	-
DAVIS, Kenyonte	0-1	0.5	-	DNP	-	DNP	-	-	-	0.5-2	-	-	-





## DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

### FUMBLES LOST

Name	No-Lost	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
HOWARD, Keon	7-5	-	1-1	1-1	1-1	-	1-1	1-1	1-0	1-0	-	-
ODOM, Margwell	2-1	DNP	1-0	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-
WALLACE, Zak	1-1	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TEAM	1-0	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	1-0	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	1-1	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HENLEY, Andrew	1-1	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WILLIAMS, Rodne	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-

### FUMBLES FORCED

Name	Number	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
PICKETT, Austin	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MOTON, Wanya	1	DNP	-	1	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
YOUNG, Takeem	1	DNP	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	DNP	-	-
SHIPP, Tevin	1	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
AKINS, JaQuez	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	-
ROGERS, Jay	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-

### FUMBLES RECOVERED

Name	Number	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
BAKER, Oshae	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EVANS, Carson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
ANDRE, Alexande	1	DNP	-	1	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	-
DOTSON, Daylan	1	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-

### INTERCEPTION RETURNS

Name	No-Yds	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
FORD, John	3-158	-	-	1-66	-	1-17	-	-	-	1-75	-	-
SHIPP, Tevin	1-47	-	DNP	-	-	1-47	-	-	-	-	-	-
WOODS, Jay	1-0	1-0	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-
YOUNG, Takeem	1-0	DNP	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	DNP	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	1-30	-	-	1-30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SHAMBURGER, Sha	1-0	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-
STEPHENS, D'Car	1-0	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GUY, Vincent	1-24	-	1-24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



## SPECIAL TEAMS GAME-BY-GAME

### PUNT RETURNS

Name	No-Yds	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
DuBOSE, David	1-10	-	-	-	-	-	1-10	-	-	-	-	-
HENLEY, Andrew	5-9	-	-	1--10	-	-	1-3	1-12	1-2	1-2	-	-
ODOM, Margwell	1--2	DNP	1--2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	1--5	-	1--5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

### KICK RETURNS

Name	No-Yds	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
LOGAN, Peyton	2-44	2-44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TANKSLEY, DeVon	1-27	-	1-27	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
ROBERTS, Zoe	1-15	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-15	DNP	DNP	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jo	1-13	1-13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HENLEY, Andrew	1-11	-	1-11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	1-0	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

### FIELD GOALS

Name	FG-FGA (LG)	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
LARCO, Tyler	5-10 (42)	0-1	1-2 (31)	0-0	2-2 (40)	0-1	0-2	1-1 (26)	1-1 (42)	-	-	-

### PUNTING

Name	No-Yds-Avg	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
LARCO, Tyler	37-1531-41.4	6-278-46.3	4-168-42.0	4-172-43.0	3-158-52.7	3-138-46.0	4-12-32.2	5-152-30.4	6-244-40.7	2-92-46.0	-	-

# TEAM GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	RUSHING				RECEIVING				PASSING				KICK RET				PUNT RET				Tot Off
		No.	Yds	TD	Lg	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Cmp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	
Sep 02, 2021	at WKU	34	201	2	31	20	195	1	32	20-43-1	195	1	32	4	57	0	25	0	0	0	0	396
Sep 11, 2021	SAMFORD	57	240	2	24	18	229	2	60	18-30-3	229	2	60	2	38	0	27	2	-7	0	0	469
Sep 18, 2021	at Northwestern St.	42	260	4	53	16	172	1	56	16-23-0	172	1	56	0	0	0	0	1	-10	0	3	432
Sep 25, 2021	at Jacksonville St.	34	171	1	23	19	255	3	54	19-24-0	255	3	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	426
Oct 09, 2021	MURRAY STATE	45	266	5	28	12	171	1	49	12-18-0	171	1	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	437
Oct 16, 2021	at Eastern Illinois	49	227	2	29	12	166	1	44	12-21-0	166	1	44	0	0	0	0	2	47	1	34	393
Oct 23, 2021	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	44	236	3	75	17	221	2	51	17-25-1	221	2	51	1	15	0	15	1	12	0	12	457
Oct 30, 2021	AUSTIN PEAY	40	167	1	32	15	137	1	28	15-32-2	137	1	28	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	304
Nov 06, 2021	TENNESSEE STATE	41	298	4	38	11	124	1	30	11-23-0	124	1	30	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	422
<b>Totals</b>		<b>386</b>	<b>2066</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>1670</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>140-239-7</b>	<b>1670</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>3736</b>
<b>Opponent</b>		<b>262</b>	<b>1045</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>2141</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>182-309-10</b>	<b>2141</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>3186</b>

Games: 9   Avg/rush: 5.4   Avg/catch: 11.9   Pass effic: 129.36   KR avg: 15.7   PR avg: 5.8   All purpose avg/game: 461.2   Total offense avg/gm: 415.1

		TACKLES				SACKS	FUMBLE		PASS DEFENSE			BLKD	PAT			OFF	
Date	Opponent	Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds	No-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	QBH	Brk	Kick	Att-Mad	Run	Rcv	Saf	Pts
Sep 02, 2021	at WKU	33	25	58	3.0-15	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-0	1	0	0	3-3	0	0	0	21
Sep 11, 2021	SAMFORD	26	32	58	9.0-31	3.0-18	1	0-0	2-24	5	6	0	4-4	0	0	1	33
Sep 18, 2021	at Northwestern St.	38	28	66	6.0-24	2.0-16	2	1-0	2-96	1	7	1	5-5	0	0	0	35
Sep 25, 2021	at Jacksonville St.	28	42	70	3.0-10	2.0-7	1	1-0	0-0	2	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	34
Oct 09, 2021	MURRAY STATE	27	52	79	5.0-8	0.0-0	0	0-0	2-64	5	7	0	6-6	0	0	0	48
Oct 16, 2021	at Eastern Illinois	36	18	54	5.0-19	2.0-15	0	0-0	1-0	5	4	1	4-4	0	0	0	28
Oct 23, 2021	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	28	30	58	7.0-15	0.0-0	1	1-0	1-0	7	4	0	5-5	0	0	0	38
Oct 30, 2021	AUSTIN PEAY	31	50	81	11.0-45	2.0-13	0	0-0	0-0	2	4	1	2-2	0	0	0	17
Nov 06, 2021	TENNESSEE STATE	24	46	70	6.0-20	4.0-16	1	1-0	1-75	3	7	0	6-5	0	0	0	41
Totals		271	323	594	55.0-187	15.0-85	6	4-0	10-259	31	43	3	39-38	0	0	1	295
Opponent		287	364	651	43.0-149	7.0-41	7	10-52	7-180	25	35	3	27-27	0	0	0	234

		PUNTING										FIELD GOALS			KICKOFFS				
Date	Opponent	No	Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	TB	FC	50+	I20	Att-Made	Lg	Blkd	No	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	
Sep 02, 2021	at WKU	6	278	46.3	67	0	0	4	3	1	1-0	0	0	4	209	52.2	0	0	
Sep 11, 2021	SAMFORD	4	168	42.0	49	0	0	2	0	2	2-1	31	1	5	280	56.0	2	1	
Sep 18, 2021	at Northwestern St.	4	172	43.0	57	0	0	2	1	1	0-0	0	0	6	287	47.8	0	0	
Sep 25, 2021	at Jacksonville St.	3	158	52.7	68	0	2	0	2	0	2-2	40	0	7	413	59.0	1	0	
Oct 09, 2021	MURRAY STATE	3	138	46.0	54	0	0	1	1	1	1-0	0	1	8	467	58.4	3	2	
Oct 16, 2021	at Eastern Illinois	4	129	32.2	43	0	0	3	0	1	2-0	0	0	4	182	45.5	1	0	
Oct 23, 2021	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	5	152	30.4	41	0	0	1	0	0	1-1	26	0	7	383	54.7	2	0	
Oct 30, 2021	AUSTIN PEAY	6	244	40.7	49	0	0	1	0	1	1-1	42	0	4	214	53.5	1	1	
Nov 06, 2021	TENNESSEE STATE	2	92	46.0	51	0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	7	302	43.1	1	0	
Totals		37	1531	41.4	68	0	2	14	8	7	10-5	42	2	52	2737	52.6	11	4	
Opponent		36	1460	40.6	60	1	0	14	4	16	19-13	38	2	47	2495	53.1	19	2	

# OPPONENT GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

		RUSHING				RECEIVING				PASSING				KICK RET				PUNT RET				Tot		
Date	Opponent	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Cmp	Att	Int	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	Off
Sep 02, 2021	at WKU	25	109	0	21	29	478	8	73	29	36	1	478	8	73	4	98	0	45	2	31	0	24	587
Sep 11, 2021	SAMFORD	18	37	1	13	22	217	1	27	22	38	2	217	1	27	2	14	0	10	1	8	0	8	254
Sep 18, 2021	at Northwestern St.	33	174	0	24	28	249	1	35	28	49	2	249	1	35	3	78	0	45	0	0	0	0	423
Sep 25, 2021	at Jacksonville St.	25	91	1	25	24	318	2	36	24	39	0	318	2	36	5	117	0	35	0	0	0	0	409
Oct 09, 2021	MURRAY STATE	33	112	2	11	19	213	1	51	19	35	2	213	1	51	2	46	0	28	2	31	0	19	325
Oct 16, 2021	at Eastern Illinois	31	120	1	50	14	151	1	24	14	30	1	151	1	24	2	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	271
Oct 23, 2021	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	29	211	1	66	15	192	2	36	15	28	1	192	2	36	2	57	0	32	1	9	0	9	403
Oct 30, 2021	AUSTIN PEAY	42	95	0	15	11	104	0	30	11	19	0	104	0	30	1	14	0	14	3	9	0	5	199
Nov 06, 2021	TENNESSEE STATE	26	96	1	20	20	219	1	31	20	35	1	219	1	31	5	60	0	41	2	30	0	30	315
	Opponent totals	262	1045	7	66	182	2141	17	73	182	309	102	141	17	73	26	499	0	45	11	118	0	30	3186
	UT Martin	386	2066	24	75	140	1670	13	60	140	239	7	1670	13	60	7	110	0	27	8	46	1	34	3736

Games: 9 Avg/rush: 4.0 Avg/catch: 11.8 Pass effic: 128.78 KR avg: 19.2 PR avg: 10.7 All purpose avg/game: 442.6 Total offense avg/gm: 354.0

		TACKLES				SACKS	FUMBLE		PASS DEFENSE			BLKD	PAT			OFF	
Date	Opponent	Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds	No-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	QBH	Brk	Kick	Att-Mad	Run	Rcv	Saf	Pts
Sep 02, 2021	at WKU	38	22	60	5.0-20	1.0-7	0	1-0	1-23	3	6	0	8-8	0	0	0	59
Sep 11, 2021	SAMFORD	39	60	99	5.0-16	0.0-0	1	2-0	3-72	3	4	1	3-3	0	0	0	27
Sep 18, 2021	at Northwestern St.	26	48	74	3.0-29	1.0-4	1	2-0	0-0	1	3	0	1-1	0	0	0	10
Sep 25, 2021	at Jacksonville St.	30	28	58	6.0-18	2.0-7	1	1-46	0-0	0	3	0	4-4	0	0	0	31
Oct 09, 2021	MURRAY STATE	35	34	69	3.0-6	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	2	1	3-3	0	0	0	24
Oct 16, 2021	at Eastern Illinois	44	26	70	6.0-15	1.0-6	1	2-6	0-0	4	4	0	2-2	0	0	0	17
Oct 23, 2021	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	25	58	83	4.0-14	1.0-9	0	1-0	1-2	3	2	0	3-3	0	0	0	30
Oct 30, 2021	AUSTIN PEAY	23	56	79	5.0-17	1.0-8	1	0-0	2-83	5	5	0	1-1	0	0	0	16
Nov 06, 2021	TENNESSEE STATE	27	32	59	6.0-14	0.0-0	2	1-0	0-0	5	6	1	2-2	0	0	0	20
	Opponent totals	287	364	651	43.0-149	7.0-41	7	10-52	7-180	25	35	3	27-27	0	0	0	234
	UT Martin	271	323	594	55.0-187	15.0-85	6	4-0	10-259	31	43	3	39-38	0	0	1	295

Date	Opponent	PUNTING									FIELD GOALS			KICKOFFS				
		No	Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	TB	FC	50+	I20	Att-Made	Lg	Blkd	No	Yds	Avg	TB	OB
Sep 02, 2021	at WKU	1	44	44.0	44	0	0	0	0	1	1-1	30	0	10	512	51.2	2	0
Sep 11, 2021	SAMFORD	5	215	43.0	51	0	0	2	1	1	2-2	36	0	7	370	52.9	2	0
Sep 18, 2021	at Northwestern St.	4	161	40.2	47	0	0	3	0	3	3-1	27	1	2	82	41.0	0	1
Sep 25, 2021	at Jacksonville St.	3	128	42.7	60	0	0	1	1	2	3-1	33	0	6	365	60.8	5	0
Oct 09, 2021	MURRAY STATE	4	155	38.8	41	0	0	4	0	1	1-1	24	0	3	170	56.7	2	0
Oct 16, 2021	at Eastern Illinois	7	252	36.0	60	1	0	2	2	2	1-1	33	0	4	221	55.2	1	1
Oct 23, 2021	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	3	118	39.3	44	0	0	1	0	1	3-3	38	0	7	330	47.1	2	0
Oct 30, 2021	AUSTIN PEAY	6	260	43.3	48	0	0	0	0	3	2-1	33	1	4	210	52.5	2	0
Nov 06, 2021	TENNESSEE STATE	3	127	42.3	46	0	0	1	0	2	3-2	28	0	4	235	58.8	3	0
	<b>Opponent totals</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1460</b>	<b>40.6</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19-13</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>2495</b>	<b>53.1</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>UT Martin</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1531</b>	<b>41.4</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10-5</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>2737</b>	<b>52.6</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>



# BY-QUARTER STATISTICS

## 3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Sep 02	at WKU	L 21-59	10-19	52.6%	2-6	33.3%	2-3	66.7%	2-4	50.0%	4-6	66.7%		
Sep 11	Samford	W 33-27	8-17	47.1%	1-5	20.0%	2-2	100.0%	4-5	80.0%	1-5	20.0%		
Sep 18	at Northwestern St.	W 35-10	6-14	42.9%	2-4	50.0%	1-4	25.0%	1-3	33.3%	2-3	66.7%		
Sep 25	at Jacksonville St.	W 34-31	4-11	36.4%	1-4	25.0%	0-1	0.0%	1-3	33.3%	2-3	66.7%		
Oct 09	Murray State	W 48-24	6-12	50.0%	2-3	66.7%	1-3	33.3%	1-2	50.0%	2-4	50.0%		
Oct 16	at Eastern Illinois	W 28-17	7-16	43.8%	1-3	33.3%	2-4	50.0%	3-5	60.0%	1-4	25.0%		
Oct 23	Southeast Missouri	W 38-30	7-15	46.7%	1-4	25.0%	4-5	80.0%	1-2	50.0%	1-4	25.0%		
Oct 30	Austin Peay	W 17-16	7-17	41.2%	0-4	0.0%	1-3	33.3%	3-5	60.0%	3-5	60.0%		
Nov 06	Tennessee State	W 41-20	8-14	57.1%	2-5	40.0%	4-4	100.0%	1-3	33.3%	1-2	50.0%		
<b>UT Martin</b>			<b>63-135</b>	<b>46.7%</b>	<b>12-38</b>	<b>31.6%</b>	<b>17-29</b>	<b>58.6%</b>	<b>17-32</b>	<b>53.1%</b>	<b>17-36</b>	<b>47.2%</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Opponents</b>			<b>43-116</b>	<b>37.1%</b>	<b>6-27</b>	<b>22.2%</b>	<b>19-36</b>	<b>52.8%</b>	<b>6-25</b>	<b>24.0%</b>	<b>12-28</b>	<b>42.9%</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>

## 4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Sep 02	at WKU	L 21-59	1-1	100.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%		
Sep 11	Samford	W 33-27	1-2	50.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-1	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%		
Sep 18	at Northwestern St.	W 35-10	1-3	33.3%	1-1	100.0%	0-1	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-1	0.0%		
Sep 25	at Jacksonville St.	W 34-31	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%		
Oct 09	Murray State	W 48-24	1-1	100.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%		
Oct 16	at Eastern Illinois	W 28-17	2-3	66.7%	0-0	0.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-0	0.0%	1-2	50.0%		
Oct 23	Southeast Missouri	W 38-30	0-1	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-1	0.0%		
Oct 30	Austin Peay	W 17-16	2-3	66.7%	0-1	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	1-1	100.0%	1-1	100.0%		
Nov 06	Tennessee State	W 41-20	1-3	33.3%	1-2	50.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-1	0.0%		
<b>UT Martin</b>			<b>9-17</b>	<b>52.9%</b>	<b>5-7</b>	<b>71.4%</b>	<b>1-3</b>	<b>33.3%</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>2-6</b>	<b>33.3%</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Opponents</b>			<b>6-18</b>	<b>33.3%</b>	<b>0-2</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>2-4</b>	<b>50.0%</b>	<b>2-3</b>	<b>66.7%</b>	<b>2-9</b>	<b>22.2%</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>

## TIME OF POSSESSION

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
Sep 02	at WKU	L 21-59	33:30	9:33	7:08	5:39	11:10	
Sep 11	Samford	W 33-27	43:23	11:43	8:07	12:15	11:18	
Sep 18	at Northwestern St.	W 35-10	30:07	10:07	7:03	6:17	6:40	
Sep 25	at Jacksonville St.	W 34-31	30:40	8:40	3:51	7:25	10:44	
Oct 09	Murray State	W 48-24	31:02	7:35	8:31	5:22	9:34	
Oct 16	at Eastern Illinois	W 28-17	33:44	6:58	6:52	12:13	7:41	
Oct 23	Southeast Missouri	W 38-30	35:03	8:59	11:24	6:42	7:58	
Oct 30	Austin Peay	W 17-16	34:29	8:18	5:15	10:16	10:40	
Nov 06	Tennessee State	W 41-20	32:59	11:03	6:11	9:49	5:56	
<b>UT Martin</b>			<b>304:57</b>	<b>82:56</b>	<b>64:22</b>	<b>75:58</b>	<b>81:41</b>	<b>0:00</b>
			<b>Avg.</b>	<b>9:12</b>	<b>7:09</b>	<b>8:26</b>	<b>9:04</b>	<b>0:00</b>
<b>Opponents</b>			<b>235:03</b>	<b>52:04</b>	<b>70:38</b>	<b>59:02</b>	<b>53:19</b>	<b>0:00</b>
			<b>Avg.</b>	<b>5:47</b>	<b>7:50</b>	<b>6:33</b>	<b>5:55</b>	<b>0:00</b>

## REDZONE STATISTICS

## UT MARTIN INSIDE OPPONENT RED-ZONE

Date	Opponent	Score	Times	Times	Total	Rush	Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Scored	Pts				FGA	Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
Sep 02	at WKU	L 21-59	3	2	14	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sep 11	Samford	W 33-27	4	3	17	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Sep 18	at Northwestern St.	W 35-10	5	4	28	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Sep 25	at Jacksonville St.	W 34-31	4	4	24	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Oct 09	Murray State	W 48-24	7	6	41	6	5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
*Oct 16	at Eastern Illinois	W 28-17	5	3	21	3	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
Oct 23	Southeast Missouri	W 38-30	4	4	24	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Oct 30	Austin Peay	W 17-16	2	2	14	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Nov 06	Tennessee State	W 41-20	2	2	14	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>			<b>36</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>30 of 36 (83.3%)</b>														

## UT MARTIN INSIDE OPPONENT RED-ZONE

Date	Opponent	Score	Times	Times	Total	Rush	Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Scored	Pts				FGA	Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
Sep 02	at WKU	L 21-59	5	5	31	4	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 11	Samford	W 33-27	3	3	13	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 18	at Northwestern St.	W 35-10	6	1	3	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	0	0
Sep 25	at Jacksonville St.	W 34-31	3	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Oct 09	Murray State	W 48-24	5	4	24	3	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
*Oct 16	at Eastern Illinois	W 28-17	3	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 23	Southeast Missouri	W 38-30	2	2	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
*Oct 30	Austin Peay	W 17-16	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Nov 06	Tennessee State	W 41-20	4	4	20	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>			<b>32</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>26 of 32 (81.2%)</b>														

# LONGEST PLAYS

## 25-YARD PLUS PLAYS

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
*75	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	Southeast Missouri
*75	INT	FORD, John	Tennessee State
66	INT	FORD, John	Northwestern St.
*60	Pass	LOGAN, Peyton from HOWARD, Keon	Samford
56	Pass	DOWELL, Colton from HOWARD, Keon	Northwestern St.
*54	Pass	ROBERTS, Zoe from HOWARD, Keon	Jacksonville St.
*53	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	Northwestern St.
*51	Pass	WILLIAMS, Rodney from HOWARD, Keon	Southeast Missouri
*51	Pass	LOGAN, Peyton from HOWARD, Keon	Samford
49	Pass	DOWELL, Colton from HOWARD, Keon	Murray State
*47	INT	SHIPP, Tevin	Murray State
45	Pass	WILLIAMS, Rodney from HOWARD, Keon	Jacksonville St.
44	Pass	ROBERTS, Zoe from HOWARD, Keon	Eastern Illinois
41	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	Northwestern St.
38	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	Tennessee State
*36	Rush	WALLACE, Zak	Tennessee State
35	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	Northwestern St.
34	Pass	WILLIAMS, Rodney from HOWARD, Keon	Murray State
33	Pass	ODOM, Marqwell from HOWARD, Keon	Jacksonville St.
32	Pass	WILLIAMS, Donnell from HOWARD, Keon	WKU
32	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	Austin Peay
31	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	WKU
31	Pass	FIELDS, Randy Jr. from HOWARD, Keon	Northwestern St.
30	Pass	WILLIAMS, Donnell from HOWARD, Keon	Tennessee State
30	INT	BAKER, Oshae	Northwestern St.
29	Rush	DuBOSE, David	Tennessee State
29	Rush	WALLACE, Zak	Eastern Illinois
28	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	WKU
28	Rush	HOWARD, Keon	Murray State
28	Pass	DOWELL, Colton from HOWARD, Keon	Murray State
28	Pass	ODOM, Marqwell from HOWARD, Keon	Austin Peay
27	KR	TANKSLEY, DeVonte	Samford
*27	Pass	DOWELL, Colton from HOWARD, Keon	WKU
27	Pass	DOWELL, Colton from HOWARD, Keon	Jacksonville St.
26	Pass	LOGAN, Peyton from HOWARD, Keon	Eastern Illinois
25	KR	LOGAN, Peyton	WKU

\* touchdown scored on play

## LONGEST PLAYS BY THE NUMBERS

Long Plays By Yards	No.	TD
100+	0	0
90-99	0	0
80-89	0	0
70-79	2	2
60-69	2	1
50-59	5	4
40-49	5	1
30-39	11	1
20-29	11	1

Long Plays By Type	No.	TD
Rushing	12	3
Passing	18	5
Punt returns	0	0
Kick returns	2	0
Interceptions	4	2
Fumble returns	0	0
Other	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>10</b>

## 25-YARD PLUS BY PLAYER

Player	No.	TD	R	P	KR	PR	IR	FR
LOGAN, Peyton	12	4	8	3	1	0	0	0
DOWELL, Colton	5	1	0	5	0	0	0	0
WILLIAMS, Rodney	3	1	0	3	0	0	0	0
FORD, John	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	0
WALLACE, Zak	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
ROBERTS, Zoe	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
WILLIAMS, Donnell	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
ODOM, Marqwell	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
SHIPP, Tevin	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
BAKER, Oshae	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
HOWARD, Keon	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
DuBOSE, David	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>

## LONGEST PLAYS OF THE YEAR

### Rushing

75 LOGAN, Peyton vs Southeast Missouri (10/23)

### Rushing Touchdown

75 LOGAN, Peyton vs Southeast Missouri (10/23)

### Passing

60 LOGAN, Peyton from HOWARD, Keon vs Samford (9/11)

### Passing Touchdown

60 LOGAN, Peyton from HOWARD, Keon vs Samford (9/11)

### Punt Return

12 HENLEY, Andrew vs Southeast Missouri (10/23)

### Kick Return

27 TANKSLEY, DeVonte vs Samford (9/11)

### Interception Return

75 FORD, John vs Tennessee State (11/6/2021)

### Fumble Return

None

### Punt

68 LARCO, Tyler vs Jacksonville St. (9/25)

### Field Goal

42 LARCO, Tyler vs Austin Peay (10/30/2021)



# GAME ONE | WESTERN KENTUCKY

Sept. 2 | Houchens-Smith Stadium | Bowling Green, Ky.  
7 pm | Att: 16,236



## STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	WKU
FIRST DOWNS	22	25
Rushing	9	6
Passing	9	18
Penalty	4	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	201	109
Rushing Attempts	34	25
Average Per Rush	5.9	4.4
Rushing Touchdowns	2	0
Yards Gained Rushing	219	117
Yards Lost Rushing	18	8
NET YARDS PASSING	195	478
Completions-Attempts-Int	20-43-1	29-36-1
Average Per Attempt	4.5	13.3
Average Per Completion	9.8	16.5
Passing Touchdowns	1	8
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	396	587
Total offense plays	77	61
Average Gain Per Play	5.1	9.6
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	9-79	8-69
PUNTS-YARDS	6-278	1-44
Average Yards Per Punt	46.3	44.0
Net Yards Per Punt	41.2	44.0
Inside 20	1	1
50+ Yards	3	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	4	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	4-209	10-512
Average Yards Per Kickoff	52.2	51.2
Net Yards Per Kickoff	27.8	40.5
Touchbacks	0	2
Fair Catch Yards	0	90
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	0-0-0	2-31-0
Average Per Return	0.0	15.5
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	4-57-0	4-98-0
Average Per Return	14.2	24.5
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-0-0	1-23-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	33:30	26:30
1st Quarter	9:33	5:27
2nd Quarter	7:08	7:52
3rd Quarter	5:39	9:21
4th Quarter	11:10	3:50
Third-Down Conversions	10 of 19	4 of 6
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-3	5-5
Touchdowns	2-3	4-5
Field goals	0-3	1-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	1-7
PAT Kicks	3-3	8-8
Field Goals	0-1	1-1
Points off turnovers	0	14

## » GAME NOTES

It was the fifth meeting between UT Martin and Western Kentucky while marking the first matchup since 2000. UT Martin is now 0-5 in the series.

The Skyhawks moved to 1-29 all-time against FBS foes.

15 different players made their Skyhawk debut in the season-opener

The Skyhawks tallied 200 rushing yards, marking the second-most yards on the ground since the 2019 season

With the two touchdowns, Keon Howard became the first Skyhawk quarterback to tally a pair of rushing scores since 2007 against Samford.

Tyler Larco booted a 67-yard punt in the second quarter to mark the 10th longest in program history.

Junior receiver Colton Dowell posted his sixth career 100-yard receiving game with six catches for 102 yards and a touchdown. The touchdown marked the 12th of his career.

Graduate cornerback Jay Woods tallied the first interception of his Skyhawk career on the first defensive drive of the contest.

## UT MARTIN FOOTBALL COMES UP SHORT IN OFFENSIVE SHOOTOUT AT WKU 59-21

**BOWLING GREEN, Ky.** – The University of Tennessee at Martin football team showed glimpses of an explosive offensive unit but could not outmatch a gunslinging Western Kentucky squad, dropping the season opener on the road by a score of 59-21.

The Skyhawks (0-1) jumped out to an early lead with a strong scoring drive on the opening possession followed up by an impressive interception on the Tops first drive to give fans a glimpse of the team's potential. After the early score, WKU settled down and found its groove in a big way behind its star quarterback before rattling off 59 points – including eight passing touchdowns.

UT Martin began the season by tallying 396 yards of total offense while posting a strong ground attack with 201 rushing yards. The Skyhawks averaged 5.9 yards per carry on the team's 34 rush attempts while the passing game saw the squad throw for 195 yards while tossing one touchdown.

While the offensive day would have ranked as the second-best outing during the shortened 2020 campaign, it was no match for the explosive Hilltopper offense. WKU made easy work of the UT Martin defense after its opening drive, tallying 587 yards of total offense while 478 of those yards came through the air. With the nation's passing leader in Bailey Zappe playing his first game in a Tops uniform, he picked up where he left off at Houston Baptist with over 10,000 passing yards by completing 28-of-35 pass attempts for 424 yards and seven touchdowns.

Graduate transfer quarterback Keon Howard led the Skyhawk offense on the gridiron with a strong debut. Howard completed 20-of-43 pass attempts while throwing for 195 yards and one touchdown. He also used his mobility to rattle off 44 yards on the ground while punching in a pair of rushing touchdowns from two and nine yards out, respectively. With his day, he became the first Skyhawk quarterback to rush for two touchdowns in a game since Dexter Anoka accomplished the feat on Oct. 13, 2007 against Samford.

Other top contributors on the offensive end was Peyton Logan who made the most of his seven carries by scampering for 75 yards on the afternoon, highlighted by a big 31-yard carry. In the passing game, the team's two All-OVC receivers in Colton Dowell and Donnell Williams posted nice season debuts. Dowell tallied his sixth career 100-yard receiving game with 102 yards and his 12th career touchdown. Williams led the team with seven catches while tallying 80 yards – including a 32-yard one-handed snag.

Defensively, All-OVC graduate cornerback Jay Woods left an early impression by snagging his first career interception on the opponent's first offensive drive. Meanwhile, another All-OVC selection in Deven Sims continued his trend after leading the team with tackles last season by recording a game-high 10 stops. The pair of Carson Evans and D'Carrious Stephens also posted nice individual efforts with eight tackles while Louisville transfer Robert Hicks tallied seven of his own.

On special teams, All-OVC specialist Tyler Larco posted a big night in the punting game by averaging 46.3 yards per punt. His best punt came in the second quarter when he flipped the field inside the team's own 20 by booting a career-long 67-yard attempt which ranks as the 10th longest punt in program history. He also made three PATS for three total points.

## SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
UTM	1st-11:04	HOWARD, Keon 2 yd run	LARCO kick	10-75-3:56	7-0
WKU	1st-04:09	DAVIS, D. 73 yd pass from ZAPPE, B.	NARVESON, kick	2-75-0:41	7-7
WKU	2nd-14:56	TINSLEY, M. 10 yd pass from ZAPPE, B.	NARVESON, kick	6-55-2:36	7-14
WKU	2nd-09:31	STERNES, JERR 22 yd pass from ZAPPE, B.	NARVESON, kick	6-59-2:40	7-21
WKU	2nd-01:43	CORLEY, M. 8 yd pass from ZAPPE, B.	NARVESON, kick	12-79-4:58	7-28
UTM	2nd-00:10	DOWELL, Colton 27 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO kick	6-85-1:27	14-28
WKU	3rd-12:51	STERNES, JERR 7 yd pass from ZAPPE, B.	NARVESON, kick	5-53-2:09	14-35
WKU	3rd-11:10	SIMON, J. 45 yd pass from ZAPPE, B.	NARVESON, kick	2-47-0:48	14-42
WKU	3rd-03:02	NARVESON, B. 30 yd field goal	-	12-68-5:06	14-45
WKU	4th-14:17	SIMON, J. 3 yd pass from ZAPPE, B.	NARVESON, kick	4-57-2:01	14-52
UTM	4th-07:22	HOWARD, Keon 9 yd run	LARCO kick	14-75-6:54	21-52
WKU	4th-05:36	BURT JR, C. 54 yd pass from BAKER, C.	NARVESON, kick	3-65-1:41	21-59

## STATISTICAL LEADERS

### » UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
LOGAN	7	75	0	31
HOWARD	12	44	2	11

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON	20-43-1	195	1	32

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
D. WILLIAMS	7	80	0	32
DOWELL	6	102	1	27

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
SIMS	6	4	10	0.5 TFL
STEPHENS/EVANS	6/4	2/4	8	-

### » WESTERN KENTUCKY

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
ROBICHAUX	9	44	0	10
COFIELD	10	40	0	10

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
ZAPPE	28-35-1	424	7	73

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
STERNES	7	107	2	36
TINSLEY	5	58	1	21

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
KINCADE	5	2	7	-
3 TIED	-	-	5	-

## GAME TWO | SAMFORD

Sept. 11 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.  
6 pm | Att: 5,869



### STATISTICAL LEADERS

	SAM	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	11	25
Rushing	1	16
Passing	9	7
Penalty	1	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	37	240
Rushing Attempts	18	57
Average Per Rush	2.1	4.2
Rushing Touchdowns	1	2
Yards Gained Rushing	57	268
Yards Lost Rushing	20	28
NET YARDS PASSING	217	229
Completions-Attempts-Int	22-38-2	18-30-3
Average Per Attempt	5.7	7.6
Average Per Completion	9.9	12.7
Passing Touchdowns	1	2
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	254	469
Total offense plays	56	87
Average Gain Per Play	4.5	5.4
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-0	3-2
Penalties: Number-Yards	6-46	5-40
PUNTS-YARDS	5-215	4-168
Average Yards Per Punt	43.0	42.0
Net Yards Per Punt	44.4	40.0
Inside 20	1	2
50+ Yards	1	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	2	2
KICKOFFS-YARDS	7-370	5-280
Average Yards Per Kickoff	52.9	56.0
Net Yards Per Kickoff	40.3	43.2
Touchbacks	2	2
Fair Catch Yards	60	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1-8-0	2--7-0
Average Per Return	8.0	-3.5
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	2-14-0	2-38-0
Average Per Return	7.0	19.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	3-72-1	2-24-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	22
Possession Time	16:37	43:23
1st Quarter	3:17	11:43
2nd Quarter	6:53	8:07
3rd Quarter	2:45	12:15
4th Quarter	3:42	11:18
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 12	8 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	3-4
Touchdowns	1-3	2-4
Field goals	2-3	1-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	3-18
PAT Kicks	3-3	4-4
Field Goals	2-2	1-2
Points off turnovers	17	3

### » GAME NOTES

It was the 20th meeting between UT Martin and Samford while marking the first matchup since 2007. UTM is now 4-15-1 in the series

The Skyhawks overcame their first deficit of greater than 14 points since 2015 after trailing by 17 in the first quarter

UT Martin scored 26 unanswered points after trailing 20-7

JaQuez Akins tallied the team's first safety since 2016 after forcing an intentional grounding penalty on the offense in their endzone

The Skyhawks improved to 14-2 in home openers under head coach Jason Simpson

Three players earned OVC Player of the Week honors following the contest with Peyton Logan (Offensive), D'Carrious Stephens (Defensive) and Keon Howard (Newcomer) receiving honors

UT Martin accumulated 469 yards of total offense, ranking as the highest single-game output since 2019

Peyton Logan tallied a pair of receiving touchdowns, sprinting down the left sideline for scores of 60 and 51-yards

## BIG COMEBACK EFFORT LEADS SKYHAWKS TO WIN IN HOME OPENER OVER SAMFORD 33-27

**MARTIN, Tenn.** – A large first quarter deficit proved to be surmountable for the University of Tennessee at Martin football team on Saturday evening as the squad overcame an early 17-point hole before picking up a 33-27 non-conference victory in the home opener.

The Skyhawks (1-1) stumbled out of the gates by compounding mistakes which led to five first half turnovers and 17 unanswered points by the visiting Bulldogs. With Samford visiting Graham Stadium for the first time since 2007 when both teams were members of the Ohio Valley Conference, UT Martin turned to its home crowd of 5,869 fans and big plays to spark its rally.

While a quick look at a box score can be deceiving, the Skyhawks were dominant during large stretches. As a whole, UT Martin tallied 469 yards of total offense along with four total touchdowns while the defense limited an explosive Samford team to just 254 yards – including 37 yards on the ground. With the win, the Skyhawks recorded their first victory after trailing by 14 points or more since 2015.

After being held scoreless for the first quarter, UT Martin wasted little time getting on the board in the opening minutes of the second. The Skyhawks needed just two plays to find the endzone as quarterback Keon Howard connected with Peyton Logan with a screen pass on the left side before the running back broke free and scampered 60 yards down the sideline for a touchdown. Following another scoring drive – this time punctuated by a seven-yard rushing touchdown by Howard – the tandem connected again on a nearly identical play as Logan tip-toed down the sideline and into the endzone to give the Skyhawks their first lead of the night at 21-20.

With a new game at hand, UT Martin went into halftime holding a 24-20 advantage after a 31-yard field goal by Tyler Larco split the uprights as time expired in the second quarter.

UT Martin added to its margin in the second half as Zak Wallace polished a long 14-play scoring drive which eclipsed eight minutes by punching in a touchdown from two yards out with 5:13 to play in the third. The team tallied their final points with 9:54 to play in the game as JaQuez Akins got to the quarterback for a sack and a safety in the endzone.

The game took another dramatic turn in the fourth quarter as Samford saw the home team score 19 unanswered points. Wanting to find a final push, the Bulldogs traveled 87 yards over 2:15 before Liam Welch found Montrell Washington for a 24-yard touchdown. With the contest back down to a six-point margin, the Bulldogs hoped for a late comeback but an interception by D'Carrious Stephens with 1:29 to play sealed the victory for UT Martin.

### SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
SAM	1st-12:21	DeMarcus Ware 4 yd run	Zach Williams kick	1-9-0:13	7-0
SAM	1st-08:55	Zach Williams 26 yd field goal	-	6-21-1:43	10-0
SAM	1st-01:45	Ty Herring 61 yd interception return	Zach Williams kick	-	17-0
UTM	2nd-12:33	LOGAN, Peyton 60 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	2-52-0:43	17-7
SAM	2nd-09:56	Zach Williams 36 yd field goal	-	8-57-2:37	20-7
UTM	2nd-04:25	HOWARD, Keon 7 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	10-75-5:31	20-14
UTM	2nd-02:13	LOGAN, Peyton 51 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	3-59-1:15	20-21
UTM	2nd-00:00	LARCO, Tyler 31 yd field goal	-	4-29-0:33	20-24
UTM	3rd-05:13	WALLACE, Zak 2 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	14-57-8:20	20-31
UTM	4th-09:54	AKINS, JaQuez safety	-	-	20-33
SAM	4th-03:36	M. Washington 24 yd pass from Liam Welch	Zach Williams kick	11-87-2:15	27-33

### STATISTICAL LEADERS

#### » UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON	16	66	1	11
WALLACE, ZAK	15	59	1	16

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON	18-30-3	229	2	60

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
LOGAN, PEYTON	4	122	2	60
LAWRENCE, DERAY	3	13	0	10

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
FORD, JOHN	4	3	7	1 PBU
STEPHENS, D'CARR	2	3	5	1 INT

#### » SAMFORD

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
WELCH, LIAM	9	19	0	13
STANTON, JAY	5	14	0	7

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
WELCH, LIAM	22-38-2	217	1	27

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
WASHINGTON, M.	5	72	1	27
WATSON, KENDALL	5	59	0	26

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
EAST, NATHAN	7	6	13	3.5 TFL
TURNER, S.	4	5	9	-



# GAME THREE | NORTHWESTERN STATE

Sept. 18 | Turpin Stadium | Natchitoches, La.  
6 pm | Att: 9, 146





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UT MARTIN [2-1]  
**SKYHAWKS**

VS

NORTHWESTERN STATE [0-3]  
**DEMONS**

**FINAL**

UTM	14	7	7	7
NSU	0	3	7	0

## STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	NSU
FIRST DOWNS	17	26
Rushing	11	8
Passing	6	16
Penalty	0	2
NET YARDS RUSHING	260	174
Rushing Attempts	42	33
Average Per Rush	6.2	5.3
Rushing Touchdowns	4	0
Yards Gained Rushing	302	193
Yards Lost Rushing	42	19
NET YARDS PASSING	172	249
Completions-Attempts-Int	16-23-0	28-49-2
Average Per Attempt	7.5	5.1
Average Per Completion	10.8	8.9
Passing Touchdowns	1	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	432	423
Total offense plays	65	82
Average Gain Per Play	6.6	5.2
Fumbles: Number-Lost	2-2	2-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	7-63	1-15
PUNTS-YARDS	4-172	4-161
Average Yards Per Punt	43.0	40.2
Net Yards Per Punt	43.0	42.8
Inside 20	1	3
50+ Yards	1	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	2	3
KICKOFFS-YARDS	6-287	2-82
Average Yards Per Kickoff	47.8	41.0
Net Yards Per Kickoff	34.8	41.0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair Catch Yards	5	24
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1--10-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	-10.0	0.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	3-78-0
Average Per Return	0.0	26.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	2-96-0	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	13	0
Possession Time	30:07	29:53
1st Quarter	10:07	4:53
2nd Quarter	7:03	7:57
3rd Quarter	6:17	8:43
4th Quarter	6:40	8:20
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 14	6 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 3	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	1-6
Touchdowns	4-5	0-6
Field goals	0-5	1-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-16	1-4
PAT Kicks	5-5	1-1
Field Goals	0-0	1-3
Points off turnovers	14	0

## » GAME NOTES

Jason Simpson earned his 92nd career victory to move into a tie for 5th place on the OVC all-time wins list

Two players earned OVC Player of the Week honors following the contest with Peyton Logan (Offensive) and John Ford (Defensive) receiving honors

Peyton Logan set a new career-high with 179 rushing yards while averaging 12.8 yards per carry

John Ford tallied a 66-yard interception return

Keon Howard recorded his third straight game with a rushing touchdown

The Skyhawks won their first back-to-back non-conference contests since 2008

Keon Howard tallied three total touchdowns for the third straight game

Oshae Baker recorded his first career interception

Korbin Harmon registered his fifth career blocked kick on a field goal attempt

The Skyhawks held the Demons to just 1-of-6 on scoring chances from within their redzone

## SKYHAWKS DISMANTLE NORTHWESTERN STATE FOR BIG 35-10 NON-CONFERENCE ROAD VICTORY

**NATCHITOCHES, La.** – The University of Tennessee at Martin football squad never trailed in a dominating road effort this evening, chalking up a 35-10 triumph against Northwestern State at Turpin Stadium.

The Skyhawks (2-1) scored the first 21 points of the contest and never let the host Demons get within single-digits over the final three quarters. Offensively, UT Martin ran 65 plays for 432 yards, featuring 260 rushing yards on 42 attempts. The vaunted Skyhawk defense conceded just 10 points, forced Northwestern State into three turnovers and held the Demons to 1-of-6 scoring opportunities in the redzone (only conceding a field goal).

Two-time Ohio Valley Conference Newcomer of the Week Keon Howard accounted for three total touchdowns (two rushing, one passing), completing 16 of his 23 passes for 172 yards. Peyton Logan dialed up a career-best 179 yards on 14 totes for a remarkable 12.8 yards-per-carry average, capping off the win after a 53-yard score with under 90 seconds to go. Colton Dowell paced eight UT Martin players who had a reception, snaring four passes for 84 yards while Rodney Williams hauled in his fifth career touchdown.

Takeem Young equaled a career-high with 10 tackles (seven solo) tonight while Oshae Baker and John Ford each came away with momentum-changing interceptions. Jay Woods (team-best 1.5 tackles for loss), Austin Pickett (sack, forced fumble), Carson Evans (game-high three pass breakups), Alexander Andre (fumble recovery), Giovanni Davis (sack) and Korbin Harmon (fifth career blocked kick) all made big plays for the Skyhawks.

On special teams, Tyler Larco was a perfect 5-for-5 in PAT opportunities and also boomed four punts for a 43.0-yard average, including a long of 57 yards.

Tonight's victory moved UT Martin head coach Jason Simpson into fifth place for the most wins in OVC history. It was his 92nd career victory, tying him with longtime Eastern Illinois head coach Bob Spoo.

The Skyhawks wasted little time establishing their dominance, marching downfield for 75 yards on 13 plays during the opening drive of the game. Howard found Williams for an 14-yard touchdown strike to make the score 7-0 at the 9:23 mark of the first quarter.

Howard found paydirt on a six-yard rush at the 55-second mark of the first quarter to extend UT Martin's advantage out to 14-0.

After leading the nation last season in blocked kicks, Harmon was up to his old tricks in the second quarter. He rose above the crowd to block a 24-yard field goal try with 12:23 remaining before the halftime break.

Larco pinned the Demons back at their own 15-yard line to start the next drive and Baker snagged his first career pick on the first play after the possession change. Getting the ball on the Northwestern State two-yard line, Howard leapt in for a quarterback sneak to pad UT Martin's lead out to 21-0 at the 1:59 mark of the second quarter.

Zak Wallace tallied his first touchdown of the season on a five-yard score while Logan punctuated the big road win with a 53-yard score with 1:24 to play in the contest.

## SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
UTM	1st-09:23	WILLIAMS, Rodne 14 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	13-75-5:37	7-0
UTM	1st-00:55	HOWARD, Keon 6 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	6-85-3:00	14-0
UTM	2nd-01:59	HOWARD, Keon 1 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	3-2-1:22	21-0
NSU	2nd-00:00	Godina, Eddie 27 yd field goal	-	10-65-1:58	21-3
NSU	3rd-12:20	Griffin, Jay 21 yd pass from Fletcher, Kaleb	Godina, Eddie kick	6-65-2:31	21-10
UTM	3rd-04:01	WALLACE, Zak 5 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	6-33-2:55	28-10
UTM	4th-01:24	LOGAN, Peyton 53 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	4-92-1:01	35-10

## STATISTICAL LEADERS

### » UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
LOGAN, PEYTON	14	179	1	53
HOWARD, KEON	9	39	2	19

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON	16-23-0	172	1	56

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
DOWELL, COLTON	4	84	0	56
ODOM, MARQWELL	4	21	0	12

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
YOUNG, TAKEEM	7	3	10	1 PBU
FORD, JOHN	3	2	5	1 INT

### » NORTHWESTERN STATE

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
FLETCHER, KALEB	16	71	0	24
ADAMS, SCOOTER	11	57	0	24

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
FLETCHER, KALEB	28-47-2	249	1	35

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
ADAMS, SCOOTER	6	36	0	15
LANDRY, GAVIN	5	55	0	20

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
DAIGLE, JOHN	1	7	8	-
MOORE, KYLE	4	1	5	-



# GAME FOUR | #9 JACKSONVILLE STATE

Sept. 25 | Burgess-Snow Field at JSU Stadium | Jacksonville, Ala.  
3 pm | Att: 18,648



## STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	JSU
FIRST DOWNS	21	20
Rushing	11	4
Passing	8	13
Penalty	2	3
NET YARDS RUSHING	171	91
Rushing Attempts	34	25
Average Per Rush	5.0	3.6
Rushing Touchdowns	1	1
Yards Gained Rushing	183	101
Yards Lost Rushing	12	10
NET YARDS PASSING	255	318
Completions-Attempts-Int	19-24-0	24-39-0
Average Per Attempt	10.6	8.2
Average Per Completion	13.4	13.2
Passing Touchdowns	3	2
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	426	409
Total offense plays	58	64
Average Gain Per Play	7.3	6.4
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	6-46	7-65
PUNTS-YARDS	3-158	3-128
Average Yards Per Punt	52.7	42.7
Net Yards Per Punt	39.3	42.7
Inside 20	0	2
50+ Yards	2	1
Touchbacks	2	0
Fair catch	0	1
KICKOFFS-YARDS	7-413	6-365
Average Yards Per Kickoff	59.0	60.8
Net Yards Per Kickoff	38.7	40.0
Touchbacks	1	5
Fair Catch Yards	0	22
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	0.0	0.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	5-117-0
Average Per Return	0.0	23.4
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-46-1
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	30:40	29:20
1st Quarter	8:40	6:20
2nd Quarter	3:51	11:09
3rd Quarter	7:25	7:35
4th Quarter	10:44	4:16
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 11	5 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	3-3
Touchdowns	3-4	2-3
Field goals	1-4	1-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-7	2-7
PAT Kicks	4-4	4-4
Field Goals	2-2	1-3
Points off turnovers	3	7

## » GAME NOTES

Jason Simpson earned his 93rd career victory to move into sole possession of 5th place on the OVC all-time wins list

Three players earned OVC Player of the Week honors following the contest with Keon Howard (Offensive), Tyler Larco (Specialist) and Zoe Roberts (Newcomer) receiving honors

First time for three consecutive nonconference victories in as many weeks in UT Martin's Division I FCS history (since 1992)

The win marked the first in Jacksonville since 1997

First win against a top-10 ranked opponent since 2013

Tyler Larco's 68-yard punt ranked as the 9th longest in program history

Keon Howard's three touchdowns adds to his OVC leading total of 12

Second time this season the Skyhawks have limited their opponent to fewer than 100 yards rushing

## UT MARTIN UPENDS NO. 9 JACKSONVILLE STATE FOR THIRD STRAIGHT NONCONFERENCE VICTORY

**JACKSONVILLE, Ala.** – For the first time in 34 years, the University of Tennessee at Martin football team strolled into Burgess-Snow Field at JSU Stadium and emerged victorious as the Skyhawks dialed up a gigantic 34-31 triumph over the No. 9 ranked Jacksonville State Gamecocks today.

The win marked the first UT Martin victory in Jacksonville since 1987 and the first nonconference road win over a top-15 squad since defeating Chattanooga on Sept. 16, 2017. The win improved the Skyhawks to 3-1 on the 2021 campaign, compiling three nonconference victories in as many weeks for the first time since joining the NCAA Division I Football Championship Subdivision ranks in 1992.

The Skyhawks had to come from behind today, trailing by as many as 14 points before nabbing their first lead of the contest with 10:34 remaining in the fourth quarter. The Keon Howard to Zoe Roberts connection proved to be pivotal late as those two linked up for the go-ahead and eventual game-winning touchdown scores over a 3:38 stretch.

Howard ended his day by completing 79.2 percent (19-for-24) of his pass attempts for 255 yards and three touchdowns. He also added 40 yards on six carries as UT Martin outgained the host Gamecocks by a 426-409 margin in yards.

Peyton Logan (game-high 67 yards) and Zak Wallace (63 rushing yards on nine rushes, one touchdown) helped the Skyhawks gain 171 yards on the ground.

Six different Skyhawks caught a pass today as Colton Dowell registered six receptions for 84 yards and a touchdown. Roberts, a freshman from Perry, Fla., enjoyed a breakout day with four catches, 73 yards and two touchdowns on five targets.

Defensively, JaQuez Akins came away with a team-high five tackles (three solo), 1.5 tackles for loss and a sack. Oshae Baker (six tackles, two pass breakups, one fumble recovery) and Takeem Young (five tackles, one forced fumble) guided a swarming UT Martin secondary against its former Ohio Valley Conference foe Jacksonville State, who had one of the biggest FCS wins of the season after knocking off Florida State on Sept. 11.

After falling behind 17-3 in the second quarter, UT Martin later went on to score 21 unanswered points over the course of eight minutes to erase an 11-point margin in the third quarter and take a double-digit lead at 34-24 in the fourth.

Specialist Tyler Larco made a pair of field goals from 26 and 40 yards out while averaging 52.7 yards per punt on three attempts. His best came on a 68-yard punt which ranked tied for the ninth longest in program history.

## SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
JSU	1st-13:05	SWAIN, Jaylen 46 yd fumble recovery	KARAJIC, Alen kick	-	0-7
JSU	1st-07:39	EDWARDS, Ahmad 9 yd pass from Cooper, Zerrick	KARAJIC, Alen kick	7-60-3:29	0-14
UTM	1st-02:51	LARCO, Tyler 26 yd field goal	-	8-66-4:48	3-14
JSU	2nd-08:04	KARAJIC, Alen 33 yd field goal	-	11-64-5:31	3-17
UTM	2nd-05:55	WALLACE, Zak 17 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	4-75-2:09	10-17
UTM	3rd-04:36	LARCO, Tyler 40 yd field goal	-	4-49-2:00	13-17
JSU	3rd-02:57	WELLS, PJ 30 yd pass from Cooper, Zerrick	KARAJIC, Alen kick	5-70-1:39	13-24
UTM	3rd-00:55	DOWELL, Colton 14 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	6-75-2:02	20-24
UTM	4th-10:34	ROBERTS, Zoe 4 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	7-82-3:40	27-24
UTM	4th-06:56	ROBERTS, Zoe 54 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	3-65-1:30	34-24
JSU	4th-05:34	COOPER, Zerrick 2 yd run	KARAJIC, Alen kick	5-67-1:02	34-31

## STATISTICAL LEADERS

### » UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
LOGAN, PEYTON	12	67	0	12
WALLACE, ZAK	9	63	1	17

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON	19-24-0	255	3	54

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
DOWELL, COLTON	6	84	1	27
ROBERTS, ZOE	4	73	2	54

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
BAKER, OSHAE	5	1	6	1 FR
FORD, JOHN	1	5	6	0.5 TFL

### » JACKSONVILLE STATE

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
COOPER, ZERRICK	10	45	1	25
WIGGINS, RON	5	29	0	20

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
COOPER, ZERRICK	24-39-0	318	2	36

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
WELLS, PJ	6	93	1	30
EDWARDS, AHMAD	6	87	1	31

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
BENTON, MARKAIL	3	5	8	-
CLARK, MARSHALL	4	3	7	1 PBU

# GAME FIVE | MURRAY STATE

Oct. 9 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.  
2 pm | Att: 7,111






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UT MARTIN (4-1, 1-0 OVC)

#21 SKYHAWKS

MURRAY STATE (2-3, 0-1 OVC)

RACERS

FINAL

UTM	13	21	7	7
MSU	3	0	14	7

## STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	MSU
FIRST DOWNS	18	20
Rushing	7	15
Passing	8	5
Penalty	3	0
NET YARDS RUSHING	112	266
Rushing Attempts	33	45
Average Per Rush	3.4	5.9
Rushing Touchdowns	2	5
Yards Gained Rushing	120	272
Yards Lost Rushing	8	6
NET YARDS PASSING	213	171
Completions-Attempts-Int	19-35-2	12-18-0
Average Per Attempt	6.1	9.5
Average Per Completion	11.2	14.2
Passing Touchdowns	1	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	325	437
Total offense plays	68	63
Average Gain Per Play	4.8	6.9
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	4-48	8-49
PUNTS-YARDS	4-155	3-138
Average Yards Per Punt	38.8	46.0
Net Yards Per Punt	38.8	35.7
Inside 20	1	1
50+ Yards	0	1
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	4	1
KICKOFFS-YARDS	3-170	8-467
Average Yards Per Kickoff	56.7	58.4
Net Yards Per Kickoff	40.0	43.2
Touchbacks	2	3
Fair Catch Yards	23	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	2-31-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	15.5	0.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	2-46-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	23.0	0.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	2-64-1
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	-87
Possession Time	28:58	31:02
1st Quarter	7:25	7:35
2nd Quarter	6:29	8:31
3rd Quarter	9:38	5:22
4th Quarter	5:26	9:34
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 13	6 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 4	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	6-7
Touchdowns	3-5	6-7
Field goals	1-5	0-7
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	0-0
PAT Kicks	3-3	6-6
Field Goals	1-1	0-1
Points off turnovers	0	14

## » GAME NOTES

The Skyhawks scored 35 unanswered points against the OVC's top rated defense

Jason Simpson earned his 73rd career OVC victory to move into a tie for third place on the league's conference-only leaderboard

Two players earned OVC Player of the Week honors following the contest with Keon Howard (Offensive) and Zak Wallace (Newcomer) receiving honors

The Skyhawks are riding their seventh four-game winning streak in the Simpson Era

Zak Wallace became the first Skyhawk to record three rushing touchdowns since 2014 against Murray State

Colton Dowell moved into ninth place on the program's career receiving yards top-10

Keon Howard recorded his sixth rushing touchdown of the season which ranks tied for the third most rushing touchdowns by a quarterback in a single season in program history

The Skyhawks improved to 10-5 in Homecoming contests under Simpson

## THREE TOUCHDOWN DAY BY WALLACE LIFTS NO. 21 SKYHAWKS TO 48-24 HOMECOMING WIN OVER MURRAY STATE

**MARTIN, Tenn.** – An eventful week filled with Homecoming activities on the UT Martin campus was capped off by an explosive showing on the gridiron as the No. 21 ranked football team surged pasted OVC rival Murray State in the league opener with a 48-24 triumph at Hardy M. Graham Stadium.

The Skyhawks (4-1, 1-0 OVC) pushed their winning streak to four games with a statement victory. After playing the last two games on the road prior to the team's bye week, UT Martin responded well to its first home contest in 28 days by scoring on its opening drive and never looking back before eventually scoring 35 unanswered points against the OVC's top-ranked defense.

UT Martin played at or above its season averages in several categories while setting season-highs in total points (48), rushing yards (266), rushing touchdowns (five), tackles (79), quarterback hurries (five) and interceptions (two). Meanwhile, the Skyhawks limited the Racers to just 325 yards of total offense while forcing two turnover on downs and a pair of interceptions.

One of the top contributors for the Skyhawks came on the shoulders of power running back Zak Wallace. The freshman from Benton, Ark. made the most of his 14 carries by eating up 67 yards and scoring a career-high three rushing touchdowns. His afternoon marked the first three-touchdown rushing performance by a Skyhawk since 2014.

UT Martin scored a total of seven touchdowns – including five on the ground. Graduate quarterback Keon Howard led a high-powered offense by completing 67 percent of his pass attempts (12-of-18) while throwing for 171 yards and one touchdown. The dual-threat quarterback also notched nine carries for 98 yards while scoring his sixth rushing touchdown of the season on a 10-yard scamper.

The day will also serve as a lifelong memory for freshman transfer Jordan Castleberry who punched in his first career touchdown on a six-yard carry in the first quarter.

In the receiving game, junior Colton Dowell hauled in three catches for 86 yards – including a 49-yard reception. With his strong day, Dowell brings his career receiving yards total to 1,731 yards which elevates him to eighth place on the program's all-time leaderboard by surpassing Deumaine Reeder (1,673 yards). Freshman Zoe Roberts tallied three receptions – including a two-yard touchdown reception which marked his third in the last two games.

Freshman Tevin Shipp tallied his first career interception and returned it 47 yards down the right sideline for a touchdown – the team's first defensive touchdown of the season. The Skyhawks would later tally another interception as graduate John Ford snatched his second interception of the season on the first play of the second half and returned it 17 yards to set up yet another scoring drive.

The safety duo of Takeem Young and Deven Sims led the game with 10 tackles and one pass breakup each. Hard-hitting rover Jaquez Akins and Ford weren't too far behind with seven tackles each while David DuBose finished with five stops on the afternoon. As a team, the Skyhawks combined for 5.0 tackles for loss split between nine players while Shawn Shamburger paced the squad with two pass breakups.

## SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
UTM	1st-13:03	WALLACE, Zak 13 yd run	McABEE rush failed	4-75-1:57	0-6
MUR	1st-07:11	BAUM, Aaron 24 yd field goal	-	12-59-5:52	3-6
UTM	1st-02:49	CASTLEBERRY, Jo 6 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	11-75-4:22	3-13
UTM	2nd-13:50	WALLACE, Zak 1 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	6-64-2:26	3-20
UTM	2nd-13:30	SHIPP, Tevin 47 yd interception return	LARCO, Tyler kick	-	3-27
UTM	2nd-09:33	HOWARD, Keon 10 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	6-70-2:30	3-34
UTM	3rd-13:17	ROBERTS, Zoe 2 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	3-7-1:27	3-41
MUR	3rd-05:28	WITHERSPOON, Da 7 yd run	BAUM, Aaron kick	7-50-3:50	10-41
MUR	3rd-01:31	WITHERSPOON, Da 4 yd run	BAUM, Aaron kick	9-52-3:57	17-41
UTM	4th-09:19	WALLACE, Zak 4 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	11-75-7:12	17-48
MUR	4th-03:17	SHIELDS, Taylor 7 yd pass from Williams, DJ	BAUM, Aaron kick	9-70-2:41	24-48

## STATISTICAL LEADERS

### » UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON	9	98	1	28
WALLACE, ZAC	14	67	3	21

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON	12-18-0	171	1	4

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
DOWELL, COLTON	3	86	0	49
ROBERTS, ZOE	3	19	1	12

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
YOUNG, TAKEEM	5	5	10	1 PBU
SIMS, DEVEN	3	7	10	0.5 TFL

### » MURRAY STATE

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
WITHERSPOON, DAM.	17	64	2	9
WILLIAMS, DJ	4	28	0	11

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
WILLIAMS, DJ	13-22-0	182	1	51

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
SAATHOFF, JAKE	4	36	0	16
CASTILLE, RODNEY	4	29	0	26

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
DAILEY, JAMARI	6	2	8	-
SAMUTA, ERIC	5	2	7	1.0 TFL



## GAME SIX | EASTERN ILLINOIS

Oct. 16 | O'Brien Field | Charleston, Ill.  
2 pm | Att: 3,189



**28 - 17**

UT MARTIN (5-1, 2-0 OVC) #16 SKYHAWKS vs EASTERN ILLINOIS (1-6, 1-1 OVC) PANTHERS

**FINAL**

UTM	7	7	0	14
EIU	3	14	0	0

### STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	EIU
FIRST DOWNS	20	16
Rushing	13	4
Passing	6	7
Penalty	1	5
NET YARDS RUSHING	227	120
Rushing Attempts	49	31
Average Per Rush	4.6	3.9
Rushing Touchdowns	2	1
Yards Gained Rushing	246	139
Yards Lost Rushing	19	19
NET YARDS PASSING	166	151
Completions-Attempts-Int	12-21-0	14-30-1
Average Per Attempt	7.9	5.0
Average Per Completion	13.8	10.8
Passing Touchdowns	1	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	393	271
Total offense plays	70	61
Average Gain Per Play	5.6	4.4
Fumbles: Number-Lost	2-2	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	6-64	2-24
PUNTS-YARDS	4-129	7-252
Average Yards Per Punt	32.2	36.0
Net Yards Per Punt	32.2	29.3
Inside 20	1	2
50+ Yards	0	2
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	3	2
KICKOFFS-YARDS	4-182	4-221
Average Yards Per Kickoff	45.5	55.2
Net Yards Per Kickoff	35.5	49.0
Touchbacks	1	1
Fair Catch Yards	0	13
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	2-47-1	0-0-0
Average Per Return	23.5	0.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	2-15-0
Average Per Return	0.0	7.5
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-0-0	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-6-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	33:44	26:16
1st Quarter	6:58	8:02
2nd Quarter	6:52	8:08
3rd Quarter	12:13	2:47
4th Quarter	7:41	7:19
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 16	3 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	2 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-5	3-3
Touchdowns	3-5	2-3
Field goals	0-5	1-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-15	1-6
PAT Kicks	4-4	2-2
Field Goals	0-2	1-1
Points off turnovers	7	7

### » GAME NOTES

The Skyhawks scored 21 unanswered points - holding the Panthers scoreless in the second half

Jason Simpson earned his 74th career OVC victory to move into third place on the league's conference-only leaderboard

Two players earned OVC Player of the Week honors following the contest with Zak Wallace (Offensive and Newcomer) and D'Carrious Stephens (Defensive) receiving honors

The victory extended the team's winning streak to five games - marking the longest winning streak since 2006.

With two touchdowns in the contest, Zak Wallace has scored five touchdowns in the last two games

UT Martin picked up its first win in Charleston since 2016

Eyabi Anoma recorded sacks on back-to-back plays to end the first half

The Skyhawks tallied their fifth game with at least 200 rushing yards this season

D'Carrious Stephen's 34-yard touchdown following a blocked punt marked the first for the team since 2017 against Tennessee State

The win marked the first time UT Martin has won three straight road games since the 2013 season

## DEFENSE CARRIES NO. 16 SKYHAWK FOOTBALL TO FIFTH STRAIGHT VICTORY, SOARING PAST EASTERN ILLINOIS BY A 28-17 MARGIN

**CHARLESTON, ILL. –** A second-half shutout by the No. 16 ranked UT Martin football team directly resulted in a 28-17 OVC road triumph over Eastern Illinois.

With the win, the Skyhawks won their fifth straight game – their longest winning streak since 2006. UT Martin is now 5-1 overall and 2-0 in OVC play heading into a three-game homestand.

UT Martin led at the end of the first quarter but trailed for over 29 minutes of clock time until a pair of fourth-quarter touchdowns. The Skyhawk defense did not allow a point over the final 37-plus minutes, conceding just 271 yards of total offense – 111 in the second half – on 61 plays overall.

John Ford posted 12 tackles (nine solo) and a pair of quarterback hurries while David DuBose (blocked punt), D'Carrious Stephens (blocked punt touchdown return), Eyabi Anoma (two sacks) and Takeem Young (interception) also made game-changing plays for the stout UT Martin defense.

Offensively, Zak Wallace continued his hot stretch with career-highs in carries (21) and rushing yards (125). The redshirt freshman running back from Benton, Ark. found the endzone twice after three touchdown rushes last week against Murray State.

Keon Howard threw for 166 yards and rushed for 32 more, hooking up with Donnell Williams for his first touchdown reception of the 2021 campaign and seventh of his Skyhawk career.

The UT Martin defense kept the Panthers (1-6, 1-1 OVC) off the scoreboard in their first three drives, accounting for a defensive score for the second straight week. With under six minutes to go in the first quarter, DuBose broke through the wedge to block an Eastern Illinois punt. Stephens scooped up the loose ball and scampered 34 yards down the right sideline to give the Skyhawks a 7-0 lead following a Tyler Larco kick on the extra-point try.

The Panthers scored on their ensuing possession as UT Martin held Eastern Illinois to a 33-yard field goal with 3:24 to go in the first quarter. Then four plays in to the second quarter, the Panthers scored on a quarterback sneak on 4th-and-goal from the 1-yard line to make the score 10-7.

Eastern Illinois added another touchdown on its next possession, capping off a 10-play, 79-yard drive with a six-yard pass. The Panthers went ahead 17-7 but ultimately that was the final time that they would score.

The Skyhawks answered with a huge drive of their own, marching 75 yards on 12 plays in 6:12 to get within three points before the halftime break. Wallace had a 20-yard run on 3rd-and-3 before punching it in from three yards out, making the score 17-14 at the 1:37 mark of the second quarter.

Statistically, UT Martin dominated the third quarter but had nothing to show for it after a pair of missed field goal attempts. In the third quarter, the Skyhawks outgained Eastern Illinois in yards 176 to 16, possessing the ball for 12:13. After converting zero first downs in the quarter, the Panthers held on to take a 17-14 advantage into the fourth quarter.

It didn't take long for UT Martin to tally the go-ahead score as Howard hit Williams with an 11-yard touchdown strike on the third play of the fourth quarter.

Following Young's fifth career pick with 6:22 to go in the fourth quarter, Wallace broke a 29-yard run on 4th-and-2 to set up the final score of the contest. On the next play, Wallace found the endzone from two yards out to make it a two-score game – 28-17.

### SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
UTM	1st-05:36	STEPHENS, D'Car 34 yd blocked punt return	LARCO, Tyler kick	-	7-0
EIU	1st-03:24	GALLOWAY, Stone 33 yd field goal	-	7-60:2:12	7-3
EIU	2nd-13:21	KUHNS, Otto 1 yd run	GALLOWAY, Stone kick	5-31-2:35	7-10
EIU	2nd-07:48	SMITH, DeAirious 6 yd pass from KUHNS, Otto	GALLOWAY, Stone kick	10-79-4:52	7-17
UTM	2nd-01:37	WALLACE, Zak 3 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	12-75-6:11	14-17
UTM	4th-14:06	WILLIAMS, Donne 11 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	9-82-3:48	21-17
UTM	4th-02:35	WALLACE, Zak 2 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	7-57-3:47	28-17

### STATISTICAL LEADERS

#### » UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
WALLACE, ZAC	21	125	2	29
LOGAN, PEYTON	16	58	0	13

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON	12-21-0	166	1	44

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
LOGAN, PEYTON	3	41	0	26
WILLIAMS, DONNELL	3	30	1	15

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
FORD, JOHN	9	3	12	2 QBH
STEPHENS, D'CARRIOUS	4	2	6	1 TD

#### » EASTERN ILLINOIS

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
BEY-BUIE, HARRISON	17	99	0	50
KATRENICK, CHRIS	2	13	0	8

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
KUHNS, OTTO	13-29-1	145	1	24

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
FOULKES, ARRON	5	32	0	10
JUDD, MATT	3	34	0	22

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
JOHNSON, JASON	9	5	14	0.5 TFL
BOHANEK, COLIN	2	6	8	2.0 TFL

# GAME SEVEN | SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Oct. 23 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.  
2 pm | Att: 2,230



## STATISTICAL LEADERS

	SEMO	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	16	20
Rushing	8	7
Passing	8	12
Penalty	0	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	211	236
Rushing Attempts	29	44
Average Per Rush	7.3	5.4
Rushing Touchdowns	1	3
Yards Gained Rushing	223	258
Yards Lost Rushing	12	22
NET YARDS PASSING	192	221
Completions-Attempts-Int	15-28-1	17-25-1
Average Per Attempt	6.9	8.8
Average Per Completion	12.8	13.0
Passing Touchdowns	2	2
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	403	457
Total offense plays	57	69
Average Gain Per Play	7.1	6.6
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	5-53	6-58
PUNTS-YARDS	3-118	5-152
Average Yards Per Punt	39.3	30.4
Net Yards Per Punt	35.3	28.6
Inside 20	1	0
50+ Yards	0	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	1	1
KICKOFFS-YARDS	7-330	7-383
Average Yards Per Kickoff	47.1	54.7
Net Yards Per Kickoff	37.9	39.4
Touchbacks	2	2
Fair Catch Yards	24	20
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1-9-0	1-12-0
Average Per Return	9.0	12.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	2-57-0	1-15-0
Average Per Return	28.5	15.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-2-0	1-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	24:57	35:03
1st Quarter	6:01	8:59
2nd Quarter	3:36	11:24
3rd Quarter	8:18	6:42
4th Quarter	7:02	7:58
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 11	7 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	4-4
Touchdowns	0-2	3-4
Field goals	2-2	1-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-9	0-0
PAT Kicks	3-3	5-5
Field Goals	3-3	1-1
Points off turnovers	7	14

## » GAME NOTES

The Skyhawks scored 24 unanswered points - holding the Redhawks scoreless for over 21 minutes

With 159 yards and his sixth career 100-yard rushing performance, Peyton Logan became the ninth member to eclipse 2,000 career rushing yards

The victory extended the team's winning streak to six games - marking the longest winning streak since 2006.

Keon Howard set a pair of single-season records by a quarterback for multiple rushing touchdown performances (three) and rushing touchdowns (eight)

UT Martin ended a three-game losing streak to SEMO

Shawn Shamburger tallied his first interception as a Skyhawk

The Skyhawks tallied their sixth game with at least 200 rushing yards this season

With the victory UT Martin recorded its fourth non-conference win of the season - marking the most in a single campaign since 1988

Logan's 75-yard touchdown scamper in the fourth quarter marked the team's longest play from scrimmage this season and proved to be the game-winner.

## LOGAN'S MILESTONE DAY EXTENDS WIN STREAK TO SIX AS NO. 13 UT MARTIN HOLDS OFF SEMO, 38-30

**MARTIN, Tenn. –** On the same day in which he eclipsed 2,000 rushing yards for his career, senior running back Peyton Logan's 75-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter proved to be the difference as the No. 13 University of Tennessee at Martin football team extended its winning streak to six games after knocking off Southeast Missouri, 38-30, at Hardy M. Graham Stadium on Saturday afternoon.

The Skyhawks improved their record to 6-1 on the season after picking up a non-conference win against their Ohio Valley Conference foe Southeast Missouri. The win snapped a three-game losing streak to the Redhawks while the Skyhawks hold a slight 19-18 series advantage.

With the victory UT Martin recorded its fourth non-conference win of the season - marking the most in a single campaign since 1988. The Skyhawks also stretched their winning streak out to six games which ranks as the second-longest of its kind in program history, only trailing a pair of eight-game winning streaks during championship campaigns in 1988 and 2006.

Entering the contest, Logan needed just 12 yards to eclipse 2,000 rushing yards for his career. That total was met and then some as he rattled off 159 yards on 15 carries while tallying one touchdown. With his sixth career 100-yard rushing performance, he became the ninth member to join the 2,000-yard rushing list at UT Martin while jumping all the way up to fifth place with 2,147 yards. While he was highly efficient on the day by totaling 174 all-purpose yards and averaging 10.2 yards per touch, it was his 75-yard touchdown scamper in the fourth quarter which marked the team's longest play from scrimmage this season and proved to be the game-winner.

Quarterback Keon Howard led the offensive unit to 457 yards of total offense on the day while keeping the defense off the field as the Skyhawks controlled the time of possession for nearly 35 minutes of the contest. Howard completed 17-of-25 pass attempt for 221 yards while throwing for two touchdowns. He also had 10 carries for 20 net yards while scoring two rushing touchdowns. With his work on the ground, Howard set a pair of single-season records by a quarterback for multiple rushing touchdown performances (three) and rushing touchdowns (eight).

Six different receivers were involved in the pass game while tight end Rodney Williams II led the group with a season-high 92 yards along with hauling in a 51-yard touchdown reception. Zoe Roberts tallied his fourth touchdown reception of the season on an eight-yard strike at the end of the first half.

The Skyhawks forced a pair of turnovers in the contest for the fourth time this season. Senior transfer Shawn Shamburger tallied his first interception of his Skyhawk career in the first quarter which later set up a scoring drive. Then during a span in which the defense kept the Redhawks off the scoreboard for over 21 minutes, the Skyhawks forced another turnover on the opening kickoff of the second half as Carson Evans jumped on a loose ball for a fumble recovery.

Senior safety Deven Sims led the team with eight tackles on the day while classmates Takeem Young and JaQuez Akins both tallied six tackles each. Seven players contributed to the team's 7.0 tackles for loss while Jay Rogers paced the squad with 2.0 individual TFLs. Meanwhile in the secondary, Oshae Baker led the unit with two pass breakups while both Shamburger and Young notched breakups of their own.

## SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
SEMO	1st-11:22	DOAK, Kenny 31 yd field goal	-	7-26-2:53	3-0
UTM	2nd-11:25	HOWARD, Keon 1 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	13-73-6:44	3-7
SEMO	2nd-10:07	HESS, Geno 66 yd run	DOAK, Kenny kick	3-75-1:18	10-7
UTM	2nd-03:31	LARCO, Tyler 26 yd field goal	-	12-66-6:36	10-10
UTM	2nd-00:34	ROBERTS, Zoe 8 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	6-60-1:13	10-17
UTM	3rd-12:37	HOWARD, Keon 5 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	5-39-2:15	10-24
UTM	3rd-08:11	WILLIAMS, Rodne 51 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	4-81-2:08	10-31
SEMO	3rd-04:02	DOAK, Kenny 37 yd field goal	-	9-45-4:09	13-31
SEMO	3rd-03:25	KING, Johnny 31 yd pass from OGBONNA, CJ	DOAK, Kenny kick	2-41-0:31	20-31
SEMO	4th-12:15	DOAK, Kenny 38 yd field goal	-	10-50-4:05	23-31
UTM	4th-12:03	LOGAN, Peyton 75 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	1-75-0:12	23-38
SEMO	4th-06:00	KING, Johnny 29 yd pass from OGBONNA, CJ	DOAK, Kenny kick	2-65-0:30	30-38

## STATISTICAL LEADERS

### » UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
LOGAN, PEYTON	15	159	1	75
WALLACE, ZAK	14	34	0	6

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON	17-25-1	221	2	51

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
WILLIAMS, RODNEY	4	92	1	51
WILLIAMS, DONNELL	3	40	0	19

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
SIMS, DEVEN	2	6	8	0.5 TFL
YOUNG	4	2	6	1 PBU

### » SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
HESS, GENO	18	137	1	66
OGBONNA, CJ	7	50	0	15

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
OGBONNA, CJ	13-24-0	194	2	36

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
JESTER, TERRELL	5	61	0	29
KING, JOHNNY	3	96	2	36

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
NORMAN, BRYCE	4	10	14	-
MORRISSEY, J.	3	5	8	1.0 SACK



## GAME EIGHT | AUSTIN PEAY

Oct. 30 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.  
2 pm | Att: 2,117



### STATISTICAL LEADERS

	APSU	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	12	17
Rushing	5	7
Passing	7	9
Penalty	0	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	95	167
Rushing Attempts	42	40
Average Per Rush	2.3	4.2
Rushing Touchdowns	0	1
Yards Gained Rushing	132	194
Yards Lost Rushing	37	27
NET YARDS PASSING	104	137
Completions-Attempts-Int	11-19-0	15-32-2
Average Per Attempt	5.5	4.3
Average Per Completion	9.5	9.1
Passing Touchdowns	0	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	199	304
Total offense plays	61	72
Average Gain Per Play	3.3	4.2
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	4-37	6-65
PUNTS-YARDS	6-260	6-244
Average Yards Per Punt	43.3	40.7
Net Yards Per Punt	43.0	39.2
Inside 20	3	1
50+ Yards	0	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	0	1
KICKOFFS-YARDS	4-210	4-214
Average Yards Per Kickoff	52.5	53.5
Net Yards Per Kickoff	40.0	43.8
Touchbacks	2	1
Fair Catch Yards	23	20
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	3-9-0	1-2-0
Average Per Return	3.0	2.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	1-14-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	14.0	0.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	2-83-2	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	25:31	34:29
1st Quarter	6:42	8:18
2nd Quarter	9:45	5:15
3rd Quarter	4:44	10:16
4th Quarter	4:20	10:40
Third-Down Conversions	8 of 18	7 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	2 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	2-2
Touchdowns	0-1	2-2
Field goals	1-1	0-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-8	2-13
PAT Kicks	1-1	2-2
Field Goals	1-2	1-1
Points off turnovers	13	0

### » GAME NOTES

The Skyhawks scored 17 unanswered points - holding the Governors scoreless in the second half

UT Martin tallied a season-high 11 tackles for loss

Eyabi Anoma recorded 4.5 tackles for loss - ranking as the best individual performance by a Skyhawk since 2013

Keon Howard found Peyton Logan for a five-yard touchdown with 35 seconds to play to take the team's first lead of the game

Peyton Logan moved into fourth place on the program's career rushing leaderboard with 2,228 yards

The victory extended the team's winning streak to seven games - marking the longest winning streak since 2006

UT Martin extended its home winning streak against Austin Peay to eight games dating back to 1995

This marked the first time the Skyhawks have held an opponent without an offensive touchdown since the final game of the 2017 season against Tennessee Tech.

Head coach Jason Simpson earned his 97th career victory.

UT Martin improved to 30-13 all-time in the Sgt. York Trophy series

## NO. 12 UT MARTIN USES STINGY DEFENSE AND IMPRESSIVE SECOND HALF TO RALLY PAST AUSTIN PEAY FOR 17-16 VICTORY

**MARTIN, Tenn.** – Despite facing a 16-point deficit in the first half, the 12th ranked University of Tennessee at Martin football team locked it down in the second half to not only shutout rival Austin Peay but mount a rally to score 17 unanswered points, including the team's eventual game-winning touchdown with 35 seconds to play, to secure a 17-16 victory and remain unbeaten in Ohio Valley Conference play.

After giving up a pair of pick-six interceptions and a field goal in the first half, UT Martin went into halftime facing a 16-0 deficit with just 62 yards of total offense to its credit. With adjustments in hand, the Skyhawks not only held the Governors scoreless in the second half but outgained them 242-104 in the final 30 minutes and strung together three lengthy scoring drives. None of those were more critical than the team's game-winning 20-play, 96-yard drive on the final possession which resulted with a five-yard touchdown pass from Keon Howard to Peyton Logan with 35 seconds to play.

By overcoming the slow start, the Skyhawks (7-1, 3-0 OVC) extended the team's winning streak to seven games – its second-longest streak in program history. The win also gave UT Martin an early advantage in its quest for the annual Sgt. York Trophy, giving the team a 1-0 mark in its first of three contests while improving their overall record to 30-13 all-time in the series.

While it took UT Martin's short-handed offense some time to get in the right gear with the loss of some key components, the team's defense carried a heavy load throughout the contest. In a game billed to be a high-scoring affair between the OVC's top two scoring offenses and yardage leaders, the Skyhawks held the league's top offensive producers to a season-low 199 yards of total offense – nearly 237 yards below their season average. Additionally, with the Gobs two touchdowns coming on the defensive side of the ball off interception returns – the visitors were limited to just three offensive points in the contest. It marked the first time the Skyhawks have held an opponent without an offensive touchdown since the final game of the 2017 against Tennessee Tech.

Highlighting the defensive side of the ball was the team's ability to get stops in the backfield as UT Martin recorded a season-high 11 tackles for loss. Explosive edge rusher Eyabi Anoma played a big part in that total as he recorded a career-high with eight total tackles while notching 4.5 tackles for loss totaling 23 yards – including 1.5 sacks. Another newcomer in graduate transfer Rob Hicks posted his best game in a Skyhawk uniform by tallying 10 tackles while forcing a quarterback hurry in his first start. Meanwhile veteran safety Deven Sims led the pack with 11 stops and 1.0 TFL.

Offensively, Howard completed 15-of-32 passes for 137 yards and one touchdown while throwing two interceptions. He also rushed 10 times for 31 net yards. Logan led the ground attack with 13 carries for 81 yards – averaging 6.2 yards per carry – while tallying three catches for 11 yards and a touchdown. With his big afternoon, Logan moved into sole possession of fourth place on the program's all-time rushing leaderboard with 2,228 career rushing yards – surpassing Henry Williams. Fellow tailback Zak Wallace also had 13 carries for 39 yards and one touchdown.

### SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
APSU	1st-02:42	PERRY, Koby 75 yd interception return	GOODMAN rush failed	-	6-0
APSU	2nd-10:10	TRUJILLO, Maddu 33 yd field goal	-	15-49-5:45	9-0
APSU	2nd-06:31	NORMAN, Isaiah 8 yd interception return	TRUJILLO, Maddu kick	-	16-0
UTM	3rd-06:20	WALLACE, Zak 7 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	8-62-4:06	16-7
UTM	4th-12:51	LARCO, Tyler 42 yd field goal	-	13-53-5:56	16-10
UTM	4th-00:35	LOGAN, Peyton 5 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	20-96-8:28	16-17

### STATISTICAL LEADERS

#### » UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
LOGAN, PEYTON	13	81	0	32
WALLACE, ZAK	13	39	1	8

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON	15-32-2	137	1	28

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
ODOM, MARQWELL	3	380	0	28
LOGAN, PEYTON	3	11	1	5

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
SIMS, DEVEN	5	6	11	1.0 TFL
ANOMA, EYABI	5	3	8	4.5 TFL

#### » AUSTIN PEAY

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
SNEAD, BRIAN	21	62	0	14
TANNER, AHMAAD	13	38	0	15

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
LAYMAN, SHELDON	11-18-0	104	0	30

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
HARLEY, BANIKO	4	23	0	11
EVANS JR, CJ	2	24	0	30

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
PERRY, KOBY	4	12	16	1 INT
HENDERSON, TROY	4	4	8	-

## GAME NINE | TENNESSEE STATE

Nov. 6 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.

2 pm | Att: 3,712



## STATISTICAL LEADERS

	TSU	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	20	18
Rushing	7	13
Passing	11	4
Penalty	2	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	96	298
Rushing Attempts	26	41
Average Per Rush	3.7	7.3
Rushing Touchdowns	1	4
Yards Gained Rushing	121	325
Yards Lost Rushing	25	27
NET YARDS PASSING	219	124
Completions-Attempts-Int	20-35-1	11-23-0
Average Per Attempt	6.3	5.4
Average Per Completion	10.9	11.3
Passing Touchdowns	1	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	315	422
Total offense plays	61	64
Average Gain Per Play	5.2	6.6
Fumbles: Number-Lost	2-1	3-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	5-22	6-47
PUNTS-YARDS	3-127	2-92
Average Yards Per Punt	42.3	46.0
Net Yards Per Punt	41.7	31.0
Inside 20	2	0
50+ Yards	0	1
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	1	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	4-235	7-302
Average Yards Per Kickoff	58.8	43.1
Net Yards Per Kickoff	40.0	31.0
Touchbacks	3	1
Fair Catch Yards	23	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	2-30-0	1-2-0
Average Per Return	15.0	2.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	5-60-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	12.0	0.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-75-1
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	27:01	32:59
1st Quarter	3:57	11:03
2nd Quarter	8:49	6:11
3rd Quarter	5:11	9:49
4th Quarter	9:04	5:56
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 13	8 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	2-2
Touchdowns	2-4	2-2
Field goals	2-4	0-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	4-16
PAT Kicks	2-2	5-6
Field Goals	2-3	0-0
Points off turnovers	3	14

## » GAME NOTES

The victory extended the team's winning streak to eight games - tying the program record and marking the second-longest active streak in the nation

Head coach Jason Simpson earned his 98th career victory.

UT Martin improved to 31-13 all-time in the Sgt. York Trophy series

Became just the ninth team in the program's 92-year history to reach the eight-win plateau

Posted a perfect 5-0 record at home - becoming just the 12th team in program history to go undefeated at home

Recorded a season-high 298 rushing yards

Keon Howard tallied his fourth game with multiple rushing touchdowns - a program record for a quarterback

Both Zak Wallace (11) and Keon Howard (10) moved into the program's single-season top-10 for rushing touchdowns

David DuBose ran 29 yards on a fake punt-direct snap for a first down

John Ford tallied his fifth career interception and second career pick-six

Eyabi Anoma recorded his OVC-leading sixth sack

Howard has tallied three or more total touchdowns in six of nine games this season

## NO. 11 UT MARTIN USES TOTAL TEAM EFFORT TO KNOCK OFF TSU 41-20; TIE PROGRAM RECORD WITH EIGHTH STRAIGHT WIN

**MARTIN, Tenn.** – The No. 11 ranked University of Tennessee at Martin football team protected its home turf of Hardy Graham Stadium on Saturday afternoon, knocking off Ohio Valley Conference foe Tennessee State to not only cap off the home portion of the 2021 schedule with an unblemished record but tie the program's longest winning streak with its eighth consecutive victory by a final score of 41-20.

With the win, the Skyhawks (8-1, 4-0 OVC) remained atop the league standings as the only unbeaten program for another week while picking up their eighth win of the season – becoming just the ninth team in the program's 92-year history to accomplish the feat. The victory also tied other historic teams (1936, 1988 and 2006) by winning eight straight games – a streak which ranks as the second-longest active winning streak in FCS.

UT Martin also took a big step in returning the coveted Sgt. York Trophy back to Martin. After sharing the trophy last season with Tennessee Tech, the Golden Eagles claimed the physical trophy due to tie-breaker rules. With wins over Austin Peay and Tennessee State, the Skyhawks now hold a 2-0 record in this season's York series heading into next week's matchup against Tech.

In a matchup which featured the OVC's top offense (UT Martin) against the league's top defense (Tennessee State), the Skyhawks lived up to their billing on both sides of the ball. Entering the contest, the Skyhawks led the league and ranked ninth in the country with their rushing attack and followed that up by recording a season-high with 298 yards on the ground while scoring four touchdowns – well above the Tigers 155.3 yards allowed per game.

While the Skyhawks did not garner top billing in the league's defensive statistics but rather ranking second in several major categories, the team showed their grit by holding the Tigers to just six points through the first three quarters while forcing a pair of turnovers – including an interception returned for a touchdown in the closing seconds. UT Martin especially flexed in the run game where it held its fourth opponent below 100 yards on the ground this season, limiting the Tigers to just 96 yards on 26 carries.

Running back Zak Wallace continued his breakout season for the Skyhawks by tallying 14 carries for 123 yards while scoring two touchdowns. The redshirt-freshman averaged 8.8 yards per carry while scoring on touchdown runs of 22 and 36 yards, respectively. His two-touchdown performance pushed his season total up to 11 and into the program's single-season top-10 – tying Don Chapman (2007) and Wilbur Edmiston (1960) for sixth place.

Quarterback Keon Howard also cemented his spot in the UT Martin record books with his three-touchdown performance on Saturday. On the same day in which he was honored pregame as one of 18 graduating players, Howard showed his dual-threat ability by compiling 199 yards of total offense while scoring three touchdowns – including two rushing and one passing. With his two rushing touchdowns, he not only set the program's single-season rushing touchdown record for quarterbacks with his 10th – surpassing Leon Reed's previous record of eight set in 1988 – but joined Wallace in the program's overall single-season top-10 by joining Larry Shanks (1967), Marcus Dawson (2007) and Tim Beattie (1998) in a tie for ninth place.

Defensively, the Skyhawks were led individually by linebacker John Ford who equaled his career-high with 12 tackles while tallying a pass breakup and his team-best third interception of the season – returning it 75 yards for his second career pick-six. Fellow linebacker D'Carrius Stephens and safety Oshae Baker ranked second on the team with seven tackles each while Daylan Dotson paced the team with 1.5 sacks and a fumble recovery. Meanwhile, reigning FCS National Defensive Player of the Week Eyabi Anoma added to his OVC-leading sack total with his sixth of the campaign.

## SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
UTM	2nd-14:09	FIELDS, Randy 13 yd pass from HOWARD, Keon	LARCO, Tyler kick	9-69-4:44	0-7
TSU	2nd-06:59	ZITA, Antonio 28 yd field goal	-	11-45-7:00	3-7
UTM	2nd-02:35	HOWARD, Keon 1 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	9-75-4:24	3-14
UTM	2nd-01:21	WALLACE, Zak 22 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	3-26-0:56	3-21
TSU	3rd-06:14	LOWERY, James 26 yd field goal	-	5-18-1:59	6-21
TSU	4th-11:08	STARLING, Devon 5 yd run	LOWERY, James kick	8-69-2:57	13-21
UTM	4th-06:23	HOWARD, Keon 21 yd run	kick blocked	9-75-4:45	13-27
TSU	4th-01:48	JOHNSON, Dayron 12 yd pass from HICKBOTTOM	LOWERY, James kick	10-65-4:30	20-27
UTM	4th-01:32	WALLACE, Zak 36 yd run	LARCO, Tyler kick	2-44-0:15	20-34
UTM	4th-00:11	FORD, John 75 yd interception return	LARCO, Tyler kick	-	20-41

## STATISTICAL LEADERS

» UT MARTIN						» TENNESSEE STATE					
RUSHING		ATT	YDS	TD	LG	RUSHING		ATT	YDS	TD	LG
WALLACE, ZAK		14	123	2	36	STARLING, DEVON		16	78	1	20
HOWARD, KEON		8	75	2	21	HICKBOTTOM, GEREY		8	10	0	15
PASSING		C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG	PASSING		C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
HOWARD, KEON		11-23-0	124	1	30	HICKBOTTOM, GEREY		20-35-1	219	1	31
RECEIVING		NO.	YDS	TD	LG	RECEIVING		NO.	YDS	TD	LG
WILLIAMS, RODNEY		5	43	0	16	STARLING, DEVON		12	117	0	23
WILLIAMS, DONNELL		3	49	0	30	RAHMAAN, RODELL		3	24	0	12
DEFENSE		S	A	TOT	OTHER	DEFENSE		S	A	TOT	OTHER
FORD, JOHN		4	8	12	1 INT	RAHMAN, CORY		6	5	11	1 PBU
BAKER, OSHAE		2	5	7	2 PBU	GREEN, JAMES		6	3	9	1.5 TFL