



UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS

2021 FOOTBALL GAME NOTES



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THE MATCHUP

GAME 8

Saturday, Oct. 30
2 p.m.
ESPN+

Hardy Graham Stadium
(7,500)
Martin, Tenn.

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



#12/13
UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS
(6-1, 2-0 OVC)

Head Coach: Jason Simpson
Alma Mater: Southern Miss, 1994
Career Record: 95-78 (16th season)
Record at UTM: Same

VS



AUSTIN PEAY GOVERNORS
(3-4, 1-1 OVC)

Head Coach: Scotty Walden
Alma Mater: Sul Ross State, 2012
Career Record: 12-11 (4th season)
Record at APSU: 7-9 (2nd season)

Passing Leader
Keon Howard 114-184, 1,409 Yards, 11 TDs
Rushing Leader
Peyton Logan 87/663 yards, 2 TDs
Receiving Leader
Colton Dowell 22/398 yards, 2 TDs
Defensive Leader
Deven Sims 50 Tkl's, 2.5 TFL, 2 PBU

Passing Leader
Draylen Ellis 247-273, 1709 Yards, 10 TDs
Rushing Leader
Ahmaad Tanner 119/602 yards, 9 TDs
Receiving Leader
Baniko Harley 39/623 yards, 6 TDs
Defensive Leader
Jack McDonald 49 Tkl's, 3.5 TFL, 1 INT

STAT COMPARISON

33.9	228.7	201.3	430.0		28.3	122.0	259.7	381.7
Scoring Offense	Rushing Yards/Gm	Passing Yards/Gm	Total Offense		Scoring Defense	Rushing Defense/Gm	Passing Defense/Gm	Total Defense
30.9	164.1	271.4	435.6		29.1	170.6	209.3	379.9

SETTING THE SCENE

» No. 12 ranked University of Tennessee at Martin football team puts its six-game winning streak to the test as the Skyhawks welcome Ohio Valley Conference rival Austin Peay this weekend to open the Sgt. York Trophy series. Kickoff from Hardy Graham Stadium is scheduled for 2 p.m. and will be broadcast on ESPN+.

» The Skyhawks (6-1, 2-0 OVC) are coming off a 38-30 win over Southeast Missouri last week. Following the victory, the Skyhawks rank 12th in the AFCA Coaches' Poll and 13th in the Stats Perform FCS Poll. Quarterback Keon Howard earned his third OVC Newcomer of the Week honor – bringing his total OVC accolades to five on the season – after compiling 241 yards of total offense and four touchdowns in the win. Running back Peyton Logan also posted a big day, racking up 159 yards on the ground to become just the ninth player in program history to eclipse 2,000 career rushing yards.

» UT Martin enters the contest riding the program's longest winning streak since 2006 while sitting as the only remaining unbeaten atop the OVC standings. The Skyhawks lead the OVC in 11 statistical categories including scoring offense (33.9 ppg), rushing offense (228.7 ypg), pass efficiency (140.6), interceptions (nine), PAT kicking percentage (100), sacks against (six), third-down conversions (46.2 percent), fourth-down conversions (54.5 percent), opponent fourth-down conversions (33.3 percent), on-side kicks (100 percent) and time of possession (33:54).

» Austin Peay (3-4, 1-1 OVC) is coming off a blowout win at Murray State last weekend by a score of 47-6. The Governors boast a potent offense which leads the league in total offense (441.4 ypg), passing offense (271.4 ypg) and first downs (22.6/game) while rankings second in scoring offense (30.9 ppg). Quarterback Draylen Ellis ranks second in the league in total offense (248.7 ypg) while running back Ahmaad Tanner (nine TDs) sits second in the OVC in rushing touchdowns.

» The contest serves as the first of three games in the coveted Sgt. York Trophy series for UT Martin. The series pits Tennessee members of the OVC in a battle for state supremacy and ownership of the traveling trophy between the Austin Peay, Tennessee State, Tennessee Tech and UT Martin. The Skyhawks have claimed at least a share of the Sgt. York Trophy eight times since 2007 – the most of any program – while owning a 29-13 mark in the series which ranks the best amongst the four programs.

» Saturday marks the 70th meeting between the two programs with UT Martin holding a 40-27-2 advantage in the all-time series. The Skyhawks have won their last six home games against the Governors while picking up a dramatic road win in their last meeting (March 21, 2021) with Tyler Larco kicking a 46-yard field goal as time expired to lift UT Martin to a 37-34 victory.

SERIES HISTORY

UTM leads series 40-27-2

Last Meeting	March 21, 2021
Game Result	W, 37-34
Streak	UTM W1
First Meeting	Nov. 14, 1930
UTM vs. APSU in Martin	18-13-1
UTM vs. APSU in Clarksville	22-14-1
Simpson vs. Austin Peay	12-3

2021 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

BREAKDOWN	OVERALL RECORD:	6-1
	OVC	2-0
	NON-CONFERENCE	4-1
	HOME	3-0
	AWAY	3-1

SEPTEMBER

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
2	THUR	at Western Kentucky	ESPN+	L, 59-21
11	SAT	SAMFORD	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	MURRAY STATE* (HC)	ESPN+	W, 48-24
16	SAT	at Eastern Illinois*	ESPN3	W, 28-17
23	SAT	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	ESPN+	W, 38-30
30	SAT	AUSTIN PEAY*	ESPN+	2 p.m.

NOVEMBER

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
6	SAT	TENNESSEE STATE*	ESPN3	2 p.m.
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
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Ticket Office Phone	731-881-7207

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Jason Simpson
Alma Mater	Southern Miss, 1995
Career Record	96-78 (16th)
Record at UT Martin	Same
OVC Record	74-46 (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	381-506-20
Division I Record	138-196
OVC Record	94-130
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 Oct. 25	Tuesday Oct. 26	Wednesday Oct. 27	Thursday Oct. 28	Friday Oct. 29	Saturday Oct. 30	Sunday Oct. 31
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	2 p.m. vs. Austin Peay ESPN+	OFF

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+	2 p.m.	40-27-2	
NOV 6	TENNESSEE STATE TIGERS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN3	2 p.m.	12-18	
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



AUSTIN PEAY GOVERNORS
(3-4, 1-1 OVC)

RUSHING		G	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Yds/G
Ahmaad Tanner		7	119	602	5.1	9	86.0
Brian Sneed		7	46	298	6.5	3	42.6
PASSING		G	Cmp-Att.	Pct.	Yds	TD	INT
Draylen Ellis		7	147-273	53.8	1709	10	8
Sheldon Layman		5	18-28	64.3	160	2	0
RECEIVING		G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Yds/G
Baniko Harley		7	39	623	16.0	6	89.0
D.J. Render		7	36	311	8.6	1	44.4
DEFENSE		G	Solo	Asst	Total	TFL	Other
Jack McDonald		7	19	30	49	3.5	1 INT
Koby Perry		7	29	16	45	4.5	1 FF
Troy Henderson		7	20	23	43	0.5	1 QBH

2021 SCHEDULE		
Date	Opponent	Result
9/2	at #18 Chattanooga	W, 30-20
9/11	at #20 Ole Miss	L, 54-17
9/18	MOREHEAD STATE	W, 59-35
9/25	at Eastern Kentucky	L, 35-27
10/2	TENNESSEE STATE	L, 24-22
10/9	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI*	L, 30-14
10/23	at Murray State*	W, 47-6
10/30	at UT Martin*	2 p.m.
11/6	EASTERN ILLINOIS*	2 p.m.
11/13	at Tennessee State*	2 p.m.
11/20	TENNESSEE TECH*	2 p.m.

QUICK HITS

PLAYER TO WATCH

PEYTON LOGAN

87
CARRIES

663
YARDS

7.6
YPC

Senior running back **Peyton Logan** became the ninth player in program history to eclipse 2,000 rushing yards in his career after tallying 159 yards in the win against SEMO. Logan averages 7.62 yards per carry which ranks second in the nation and has tallied 10 plays of 25 yards or more in 2021.

SKYHAWKS SOARING UP NATIONAL POLLS

» UT Martin is ranked nationally following five consecutive wins over Samford, Northwestern State, No. 9 Jacksonville State, Murray State and Eastern Illinois. While currently ranked 12th in the AFCA Coaches' Top 25 marking the team's highest ranking in the polls since the 2006 season.

Weekly Rankings

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

GOING STREAKING

» The Skyhawks are currently riding a six-game winning streak with wins over Samford, Northwestern State, No. 9 Jacksonville State, Murray State, Eastern Illinois and Southeast Missouri. This marks only the second six-game winning streak under head coach Jason Simpson and ranks second to the 2006 team which won eight games in a row en route to an OVC championship and a FCS playoff berth.

ALL-TIME WINNING STREAKS

2006.....8	1988.....8
1936.....8	2021.....6
1970.....6	1967.....6
1935.....5	1934.....5

HOWARD PUNCHES IT IN (TWICE) AGAIN

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

SGT. YORK TROPHY SERIES

» Saturday's contest marks the first 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.

» UT Martin has won or shared the Sgt. York Trophy in eight times in 2010, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019 and 2020. The Skyhawks hold a 29-13 all-time record in the series - the best mark of the four Tennessee OVC schools (Austin Peay, Tennessee State and Tennessee Tech).

OHIO VALLEY (RUSHING) CONFERENCE

» Four OVC players **Geno Hess** (Southeast Missouri), **Ahmaad Tanner** (Austin Peay), **Keon Howard** (UT Martin) and **Zak Wallace** (UT Martin) rank in the Top 12 nationally in rushing touchdowns. Hess is third with 12, Tanner is 10th with nine and Howard and Wallace are tied for 12th with eight. The OVC is the only conference with more than two players in the top 12 of those rankings (six other conferences have two players).

OVC SUPREMACY

» Since the 2006 season, UT Martin ranks as the winningest active member of the Ohio Valley Conference with 73 victories. After winning just 20 games in the team's first 14 years in the league, the Skyhawks are 73-46 since 2006 while sitting six wins above the closest program in Eastern Illinois (67-51) during that span. The Skyhawks have finished .500 or above in conference play in 13 of the last 15 seasons - including four top-two finishes during that span.

PROTECT THE POCKET

» One of the team's biggest areas of improvement has been on the offensive line. 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 0.86 per game which ranks eighth in the NCAA. Through the first seven games the Skyhawks have allowed just six sacks on the year.

ON THIS DAY...

OCTOBER

30

THE RECORD: 4-7
THE STREAK: L5
LAST TIME: 2010

DID YOU KNOW: The Skyhawks are looking to snap a spooky five-game losing streak on October 30.

ON THIS DATE IN UT MARTIN HISTORY

- » 1930 at Bethel (W, 31-0)
- » 1931 vs. Freed-Hardeman (W, 25-7)
- » 1954 vs. William-Carey College (L, 33-13)
- » 1965 vs. Northwestern State (W, 19-17)
- » 1971 at Jacksonville State (L, 30-10)
- » 1976 at North Alabama (W, 31-7)
- » 1982 at Troy (L, 54-10)
- » 1993 at No. 25 Eastern Kentucky (L, 30-0)
- » 1999 vs. Southeast Missouri (L, 36-7)
- » 2004 at Southeast Missouri (L, 35-7)
- » 2010 at No. 11 Southeast Missouri (L, 24-17)

SKYHAWKS RACKING UP OVC WEEKLY HONORS

» Through the first seven weeks of the season, UT Martin has garnered multiple Ohio Valley Conference Player of the Week honors six times. In total, the Skyhawks have claimed 16 weekly honors this season while claiming at least one selection in every category.

» The group of quarterback **Keon Howard** (Offensive & Newcomer), running backs **Peyton Logan** (Offensive) and **Zak Wallace** (Offensive & 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.

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 87 carries for 663 yards and two touchdowns, averaging 94.7 ypg which ranks second in the league. In the receiving game, he has snagged 16 receptions for 188 yards and two touchdowns.

» On his 103 touches this season, he is averaging 8.26 yards per play. Overall, Logan sits second nationally in rush yards per carry (7.62) and 12th in all-purpose yards (127.86/game).

RECORD WHEN...

Overall	6-1
vs. Ohio Valley Conference	2-0
Non-conference record	4-1
Home	3-0
Away	3-1
Day Games	4-0
Night Games	2-1

Offense

When scoring first	3-1
When the opponent scores first	3-0
When leading at halftime	4-0
When trailing at halftime	2-1
When tied at halftime	0-0
When leading after third quarter	4-0
When trailing after third quarter	2-1
When tied after third quarter	0-0
In overtime games	0-0
When scoring less than 20 points	0-0
When scoring 20+ points	6-1
When scoring 30+ points	5-0
When scoring 40+ points	1-0
When allowing less than 20 points	2-0
When allowing 20+ points	4-1
When allowing 30+ points	2-1
When rushing for < 100 yards	0-0
When rushing for 100+ yards	6-1
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	6-1

Defense

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

Tennessee State

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 45 games, he currently sits fifth all-time with 2,147 yards and just 38 yards behind Henry Williams (1975-78) for fourth.

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. Henry Williams	1975-78	2,185
5. Peyton Logan	2017-21	2,147
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 TIES QB RUSHING TD RECORD

» Graduate **Keon Howard** has been able to find the endzone in bunches this season, tallying eight rushing touchdowns through the first seven games. He tied the program's single-season touchdown record by a QB held by Leon Reed set in 1988 with a pair of scores against Southeast Missouri.

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

NO FLY ZONE

» The Skyhawks have set up an unofficial no fly zone in the secondary as the team ranks first in the OVC and 14th nationally with nine interceptions through the first seven games. Eight different individuals have tallied interceptions on the season with **John Ford** leading the team with a pair while the Skyhawks have tallied multiple interceptions in three contests. **Tevin Shipp** recorded the team's first defensive touchdown of the season with a 47-yard interception return against Murray State.

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 receiving touchdowns of 60 and 51 yards, respectively, along with rushing touchdowns of 53 and 75 yards. As a whole, he has tallied 10 plays totaling 25 yards or more while recording 55 in his career - including 10 touchdowns.

SIMPSON MOVES UP OVC LEADERBOARD

» With a win against Jacksonville State, Skyhawk head coach **Jason Simpson** moved into sole possession of fifth place on the OVC's all-time wins leaderboard, surpassing former Eastern Illinois coach Bob Spoo. Simpson currently has 96 career victories and sits three wins out of fourth place.

» Since taking over the Skyhawks in 2006, Simpson has been a pillar of consistency in the OVC. 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 96 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

Coach (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. Jason Simpson (UT Martin)	96	78	.551
6. Bob Spoo (Eastern Illinois)	92	82	.529
7. Don Wade (Tennessee Tech)	81	78	.509
8. Jack Crowe (Jacksonville State)	73	39	.652
9. Wilburn Tucker (Tennessee Tech)	70	66	.514
10. John Grass (Jacksonville State)	68	21	.764

» In OVC play alone, Simpson has a career mark of 74-46 through 16 seasons, more than doubling the program's 20-win total which stretched through 14 seasons before his tenure. His 74 conference wins rank third in OVC history.

Most Conference Wins In OVC History

Coach (Program)	W	L	%
1. Roy Kidd (Eastern Kentucky)	207	61	.768
2. Boots Donnelly (AP/MTSU)	102	52	.662
3. Jason Simpson (UTM)	74	46	.616
4. Charles Murphy (MTSU)	73	26	.733
5. Bob Spoo (EIU)	68	44	.607
6. Jimmy Feix (WKU)	67	28	.701
7. Don Wade (TTU)	60	52	.534
8. Jack Crowe (JSU)	59	20	.747
9. Dean Hood (EKU/MUR)	49	22	.690
10. Wilburn Tucker (TTU)	49	34	.588

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 8, Howard ranks 12th nationally and third in the OVC with eight rushing touchdowns while leading the OVC and ranking 11th nationally with 114 points responsible for. Overall, Howard has thrown for 11 touchdowns on the season while rushing for eight and is averaging 249.7 yards of total offense per game.

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.

QUICK HITS

BLOCK THAT KICK

» UT Martin has used its special teams units as an extension of its defense dating back to the 2020-21 spring season when the Skyhawks ranked first nationally with six blocked kicks. The Skyhawks currently rank 15th nationally in blocked punts and 18th in blocked kicks. The team blocked a field goal against Northwestern State before swatting a punt and returning it for a touchdown against Eastern Illinois.

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 Week 7 with eight rushing scores - including five in the last two games. He not only leads the team but ranks 11th nationally in rushing touchdowns and 15th in total touchdowns. With two more scores, he would reach double-digits and join the program's single-season rushing touchdowns top-10 leaderboard.

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.

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.

Player	Year	Yards
1. William Mackall	1985-88	2,494
2. Taurean Stephens	2002-06	2,148
3. Lenny Harris	1993-96	2,053
4. Charles Malone	1990-92	1,980
5. Jeremy Butler	2012-13	1,953
6. Stephen Shiver	2008-11	1,834
7. Quentin Sims	2011-12	1,804
8. Dwayne McKinney	1979-82	1,793
9. Colton Dowell	2017-21	1,760
10. Deumaine Reeder	1993-96	1,673

WALLACE SCORES TOUCHDOWN TRIFECTA

» Freshman running back **Zak Wallace** broke free against Murray State for three rushing touchdowns in the win. The power tailback averaged 4.8 yards per carry and scored touchdowns of 13, one and four yards. 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.

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.

RECIPE 34 YEARS IN THE MAKING

» After several near upsets, UT Martin finally found the winning ingredients to a road victory at Jacksonville State on Sept. 25, posting a 34-31 win. The Skyhawks posted a stretch which featured 21 unanswered points and resulted in the program's first win in Jacksonville since 1987.

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.

DOWN BUT NOT OUT

» After five turnovers in the first 16 minutes of the contest against Samford, UT Martin faced a 17-0 deficit in the first quarter. The Skyhawks would respond by outscoring the Bulldogs 33-3 until a late touchdown in the fourth quarter. The comeback victory marked the first rally of at least 14 points since 2015 against Murray State.

HONORS AND AWARDS

JAQUEZ AKINS (S)

Phil Steele Preseason All-OVC first team

MITCHELL APPLETON (OL)

2020-21 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll

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

BRANDON FLOYD (OL)

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)

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)

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

CADE RICHARDS (OL)

2020-21 OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll

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)

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

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 third in the state - including all Division I universities - in winning percentage at 53.9 percent. The Skyhawks are 18-7 against in-state foes since 2014.

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	Total (%)
Chattanooga	4-3	3-2	6-6	6-5	3-8	9-4	9-4	10-4	8-4	6-5	5-6	5-6	74-57 (56.5)
Memphis	4-4	8-3	12-2	8-6	10-3	8-5	9-4	10-3	3-9	4-8	2-10	1-11	79-68 (53.7)
UT Martin	6-1	3-4	7-5	2-9	6-5	7-5	7-4	5-6	7-5	8-3	5-7	6-5	69-59 (53.9)
Tennessee	4-4	3-7	8-5	5-7	4-8	9-4	9-4	7-6	5-7	5-7	6-7	7-5	72-71 (50.3)
Tennessee State	4-3	2-5	3-9	4-5	6-5	7-4	4-6	5-6	10-3	8-3	5-6	3-8	61-63 (49.2)
Middle Tennessee	3-4	3-6	4-8	8-6	7-6	8-5	7-6	6-6	8-5	8-4	2-10	6-7	70-73 (49.0)
ETSU	6-1	4-2	3-9	8-4	4-7	5-6	2-9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	32-38 (45.7)
Vanderbilt	2-6	0-9	3-9	6-7	5-7	6-7	4-8	3-9	9-4	9-4	6-7	2-10	55-87 (38.7)
Tennessee Tech	3-5	2-5	7-5	1-10	1-11	5-6	4-7	5-7	5-7	3-8	7-4	5-6	48-81 (37.2)
Austin Peay	3-4	4-5	11-4	5-6	8-4	0-11	0-11	1-11	0-12	2-9	3-8	2-9	39-94 (29.3)

NATIONAL POLLS

AFCA FCS COACHES POLL

TEAM (FIRST-PLACE VOTES)	RECORD	PTS
1. SAM HOUSTON (27)	6-0	675
2. NORTH DAKOTA STATE	7-0	642
3. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	6-1	603
4. VILLANOVA	6-1	599
5. JAMES MADISON	6-1	567
6. MONTANA STATE	7-1	511
7. EASTERN WASHINGTON	7-1	493
8. SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	6-1	489
9. UC DAVIS	7-1	445
10. KENNESAW STATE	6-1	433
11. MONTANA	5-2	359
12. UT MARTIN	6-1	357
13. SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	5-2	336
14. EAST TENNESSEE STATE	7-1	329
15. PRINCETON	6-0	270
16. JACKSON STATE	6-1	234
17. NORTHERN IOWA	4-3	207
18. VMI	5-2	183
19. EASTERN KENTUCKY	5-2	175
20. MISSOURI STATE	4-3	148
21. HARVARD	5-1	134
22. SOUTH DAKOTA	5-3	121
23. SACRAMENTO STATE	5-2	66
WEBER STATE	3-4	66
25. RHODE ISLAND	5-2	59

OTHERS (OVC ONLY): NONE



STATS PERFORM FCS POLL

TEAM (FIRST-PLACE VOTES)	RECORD	PTS
1. SAM HOUSTON (44)	6-0	1,244
2. NORTH DAKOTA STATE (6)	7-0	1,201
3. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	6-1	1,136
4. VILLANOVA	6-1	1,101
5. JAMES MADISON	6-1	1,023
6. MONTANA STATE	7-1	979
7. EASTERN WASHINGTON	7-1	963
8. SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA	6-1	909
9. UC DAVIS	7-1	814
10. SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	5-2	744
11. MONTANA	5-2	736
12. KENNESAW STATE	6-1	709
13. UT MARTIN	6-1	627
ETSU	7-1	627
15. SACRAMENTO STATE	5-2	525
16. NORTHERN IOWA	4-3	492
17. MISSOURI STATE	4-3	343
18. VMI	5-2	332
19. PRINCETON	6-0	310
20. JACKSON STATE	6-1	285
21. SOUTH DAKOTA	5-3	228
22. UIW	5-2	223
23. WEBER STATE	3-4	166
24. RHODE ISLAND	5-2	125
25. EASTERN KENTUCKY	5-2	105

OTHERS (OVC ONLY): NONE

QUICK HITS

UTM IN THE LEAGUE RANKINGS

» The Skyhawks enter their Week 8 matchup ranked in the top-two of the league standings in 11 statistical categories as a team and top-five in 22 individual categories.

Team Statistic	OVC Rank	Value
Scoring Offense	1st	33.9
Rushing Offense	1st	228.7
Pass Efficiency	1st	140.6
Interceptions	1st	9
PAT Kicking	1st	100%
Sacks Against	1st	0.83
3rd Down Conversions	1st	46.2%
4th Down Conversions	1st	54.5%
Opp 4th Down Conversion	1st	33.3%
On-side Kicks By	1st	100%
Time of Possession	1st	33:54
Total Offense	2nd	430.0
Rushing Defense	2nd	122.0
Red Zone Defense	2nd	81.2%
First Downs	2nd	20.7

Individual Statistic	Player	OVC Rank	Value
Rushing/Game	Logan	2nd	94.7
	Wallace	7th	54.4
	Howard	8th	48.4
	Howard	3rd	201.3
	Howard	2nd	140.6
Passing Avg/Game	Dowell	5th	3.7
Pass Efficiency	Odom	9th	2.5
Receptions/Game	Dowell	2nd	66.3
Receiving Yards/Game	R. Williams	10th	33.7
	Howard	1st	249.7
Total Offense	Logan	8th	94.7
	Howard	4th	48
	Wallace	4th	48
Scoring	Larco	7	43
	Howard	3rd	8
	Wallace	3rd	8
Scoring (TDs)	Logan	9th	5
	Larco	3rd	43
	Logan	1st	127.9
Scoring (Kick)	Dowell	9th	66.3
	Larco	5th	41.2
	Larco	5th	0.57
All-Purpose	Larco	1st	100%
	Sims	4th	7.1
	Anoma	2nd	3.5
Passes Defended	Akins	5th	3.0
	Baker	4th	6
	Stephens	10th	5
Interceptions	Ford	3rd	2
	8 Tied	9th	1
	5 Tied	5th	1
Fumbles Forced	3 Tied	4th	1
Fumble Recoveries			

NEW SKYHAWKS MAKE THEIR DEBUT

» 24 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.), **Jordan Castleberry** (RB, R-Fr.), **Fahreed Cheeks** (DB, R-Fr.), **Jadien 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.), **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.), **Tim Taylor** (RB, Grad.), **Airius Trice** (WR, Fr.), **Aaron Webb** (Rover, R-Fr.) and **Keion Willis** (DT, R-So.) have also debuted this season.

SKYHAWKS IN THE NATIONAL RANKINGS

» The Skyhawks rank in the top-25 in 12 different team categories and 10 individual categories. The squad sits amongst the nation's top 10 teams in blocked punts allowed (zero, 1st), time of possession (33:56, 7th), rushing offense (228.7, 8th), sacks allowed (0.86, 8th) and winning percentage (85.7%, 8th).

» Individually, **Peyton Logan** ranks second in the NCAA in rush yards per carry (7.62) and 12th in all-purpose yards (127.86) while **Keon Howard** sits amongst the nation's leaders in points responsible for (114, 11th), rushing touchdowns (8, 12th), points responsible for per game (16.3, 14th) and total touchdowns (8, 17th). Meanwhile **Zak Wallace** ranks 12th in rushing touchdowns (eight) and 17th in total touchdowns (eight).

Team Statistic	NCAA Rank	OVC Rank	Value
3rd Down Conversion Pct.	11	1	46.2%
4th Down Conversion Pct. Defense	15	1	33.3%
Blocked Kicks	18	1	2
Blocked Punts	15	1	1
Blocked Punts Allowed	1	1	0
Passes Intercepted	14	1	9
Rushing Offense	8	1	228.7
Sacks Allowed	8	1	0.86
Scoring Offense	19	1	33.9
Time of Possession	7	1	33:56
Total Offense	21	2	430.0
Winning Percentage	8	1	85.7

Individual Statistic	Player	NCAA Rnk	OVC Rnk	Value
All Purpose	Logan	12	1	127.86
Points Responsible For	Howard	11	1	114
Points Responsible For/Gm	Howard	14	1	16.3
Rush Yards/Carry	Logan	2	1	7.62
Rushing TDs	Howard	12	3	8
	Wallace	12	3	8
Rushing Yards	Logan	15	3	663
Rushing Yards Per Game	Logan	19	2	94.7
Total Touchdowns	Howard	17	3	8
	Wallace	17	3	8

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.

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 35 points on the season with three field goals and 26 PATs. In the punting game, he has averaged 43.5 yards per attempt in 24 opportunities - including a season-long 68-yard attempt against No. 9 Jacksonville State and a 67-yarder against WKU.

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.

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
	Hawai'i	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

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 Football Championship Subdivision level. UT Martin joined the NCAA Division I ranks in 1992 and compiled an overall record of 136-203 with one Ohio Valley Conference title (2006) and one NCAA Playoff appearance (2006) as a D-I program.

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.

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

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.

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**.

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.

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.

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 (1 career | 1 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
125	at Eastern Illinois	10/16/21	W, 28-17

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

Deven Sims (4 career | 2 in 2021)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
12	vs. #10 Jacksonville State	3/14/21	L, 37-20
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

SERIES HISTORY WITH AUSTIN PEAY



SERIES HISTORY

- Overall: 40-27-2
- In Martin: 18-13-1
- In Clarksville: 22-14-1
- Active Streak: W1
- Simpson vs. Austin Peay: 12-3
- McMillan vs. Scotty Walden: 1-0

LAST 10 MEETINGS (8-2)

Date	H/A/N	Result
11/14/30	A	W, 32-0
11/26/31	H	T, 0-0
11/5/32	A	T, 6-6
10/16/36	H	W, 19-0
11/13/36	A	W, 33-0
10/21/37	H	W, 20-12
10/22/38	A	L, 14-13
10/20/39	H	L, 7-0
10/18/40	A	L, 20-0
10/17/41	H	L, 13-0
10/12/46	A	L, 33-0
11/8/46	H	L, 14-6
11/15/47	A	L, 20-7
11/12/48	H	L, 39-0
11/21/59	A	W, 21-10
10/1/60	H	W, 13-7
9/30/61	A	W, 14-7
9/29/62	H	W, 16-0
11/23/63	A	L, 20-6
11/21/64	H	L, 35-0
11/20/65	A	L, 49-0
11/19/66	H	L, 17-13
11/23/67	A	W, 47-6
11/28/68	H	L, 9-7
9/13/69	A	W, 7-6
10/17/70	H	W, 22-21
10/16/71	A	W, 17-3
10/14/72	H	L, 18-6
10/27/73	A	W, 26-0
11/2/74	H	W, 31-26
11/1/75	A	W, 24-15
9/11/76	H	W, 24-20
9/10/77	A	W, 23-10
9/9/78	H	L, 21-14
9/8/79	A	L, 34-7
9/13/80	H	W, 24-20
11/21/81	A	L, 28-14
9/18/82	A	W, 17-14
9/10/83	H	L, 45-6
9/8/84	A	L, 13-10
9/14/85	H	L, 13-7
9/13/86	A	L, 36-0
9/12/87	H	W, 30-10
9/9/89	H	W, 21-0
9/8/90	A	W, 24-10
11/9/91	H	W, 34-28
11/21/92	A	L, 32-18
11/20/93	A	W, 39-33
11/19/94	H	L, 27-21
11/18/95	H	W, 31-28
11/23/96	A	L, 55-24
11/15/97	A	W, 36-26
8/28/03	H	W, 21-20
9/18/04	A	W, 31-14
9/30/06	A	W, 20-10
9/22/07	A	L, 17-14
9/20/08	A	W, 31-17
11/21/09	H	W, 48-38
11/6/10	A	W, 28-12
10/8/11	H	W, 61-23
9/22/12	A	W, 31-6
10/26/13	A	W, 38-14
10/25/14	H	W, 21-16
10/17/15	A	W, 44-14
10/8/16	H	W, 45-31
9/30/17	A	L, 7-0
9/22/18	H	W, 37-7
11/9/19	A	L, 38-24
3/21/21	A	W, 37-34

LAST MEETING MARCH 21, 2021



UT MARTIN AUSTIN PEAY

1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
7	13	7	10	37
7	13	14	0	34

March 21, 2021 | Fortera Stadium | Clarksville, Tenn. | 2 pm | Att: 1,530

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn. – The University of Tennessee at Martin football team turned to redshirt-freshman Tyler Larco and he cashed in for the third time in the contest, this time with a 46-yard field goal as time expired to lift the Skyhawks to a 37-34 road victory over Ohio Valley Conference rival Austin Peay on Sunday afternoon at Fortera Stadium.

The Skyhawks (2-2, 2-2 OVC) picked up their first win in Clarksville since 2015 on the steady leg of Larco who was perfect on the afternoon, booting three field goals from 30, 41 and most importantly from 46 yards to take an early advantage in the Sgt. York Trophy series.

In a contest which saw the lead become either tied or change hands 11 times, UT Martin outlasted Austin Peay on its home turf. The Skyhawks got on the board first as running back Peyton Logan found the endzone for the first time this season with a six-yard rushing touchdown late in the first quarter for his seventh career score. Austin Peay wasted very little time responding however, as Draylen Ellis found Eugene Minter for a 51-yard touchdown strike just 98 seconds later to tie up the contest right before the end of the quarter.

The second quarter saw plenty of offense with both teams combining for 26 points. Ellis would lead the Gobs down the field for a pair of touchdowns – finding Jay Parker for a 13-yard strike on the first drive of the period before hitting Minter again for a 27-yard pass in the final minutes. UT Martin scratched together some scoring drives of its own as John Bachus III found Donnell Williams in the corner of the endzone for a 16-yard touchdown for their second scoring connection this season while Larco added a pair of field goals from 30 and 41 yards. When everything was said and done, both teams would head into halftime tied at 20 points apiece.

Austin Peay struck quickly coming out of the half in the first 69 seconds on a 12-yard rush by Ahmaad Tanner. The Skyhawks later responded as Bachus found Rodney Williams II for their third touchdown completion of the season – this time a 19-yard strike – to tie the contest as 27-all. That equalizer would be short-lived however as the Gobs found the endzone once again just 32 seconds later as Ellis hit Deangelo Wilson for a 45-yard pass to give the home squad a 34-27 advantage heading into the fourth quarter.

UT Martin would still trail by seven until midway through the fourth when the Skyhawks marched down the field and overcame a devastating series of events. Quarterback Dresser Winn moved the Skyhawks into the redzone before suffering a severe injury and was carted off the field, bringing Bachus back into the game after being dinged up after an earlier hit. Needing a big play after the emotional sequence, Bachus found Richie Grigione III for a three-yard touchdown to tie the game at 34-34.

Following a big three-and-out stand by the Skyhawk defense, UT Martin got the ball back with 5:55 to play and the length of the field to go. The Skyhawks would put together a methodical 11-play, 41-yard drive to march down the field to take up every second under the direction of third-string quarterback Stewart Howell who made his collegiate debut. UT Martin got the ball down to the Austin Peay 29-yard line to set up the 46-yard field goal attempt as Larco split the uprights as time expired to give the Skyhawks the 37-34 victory.

STATISTICAL LEADERS

>> UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
LOGAN, Peyton	17	82	1	20
WALLACE, Zak	4	10	0	4
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
BACHUS, John	19-36-0	259	3	44
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
WILLIAMS, Donnell	3	85	1	44
DOWELL, Colton	6	77	0	36
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
FORD, John	2	6	8	0.5
SIMS, Deven	5	3	8	1.0 TFL

>> AUSTIN PEAY

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
TANNER, Ahmaad	14	105	1	30
EVANS, CJ	9	30	0	8
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
ELLIS, Draylen	16-31-0	305	4	51
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
WILSON, Deangelo	4	107	1	45
MINTER, Eugene	4	97	2	51
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
HENDERSON, Troy	4	5	9	1 QBH
GAYLE, Matthew	3	6	9	2.0 Sacks

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr-Time	Scoring play	P-Yds-TOP	Score
1st	02:04	UTM - LOGAN, Peyton 6 yd run (LARCO, Tyler kick),	6-62-3:21	7-0
1st	00:22	GOVERNOR - Minter,Eugene 51 yd pass from Ellis,Draylen (Deeds,Cole kick)	5-74-1:42	7-7
2nd	13:13	GOVERNOR - Parker,Jay 13 yd pass from Ellis,Draylen (Deeds,Cole kick)	6-58-1:32	7-14
2nd	09:05	UTM - WILLIAMS, Donne 16 yd pass from BACHUS, John (LARCO, Tyler kick)	10-75-4:08	14-14
2nd	05:32	UTM - LARCO, Tyler 30 yd field goal	5-45-2:19	17-14
2nd	03:03	GOVERNOR - Minter,Eugene 27 yd pass from Ellis,Draylen (Deeds,Cole kick blocked)	7-72-2:29	17-20
2nd	00:15	UTM - LARCO, Tyler 41 yd field goal	11-51-2:48	20-20
3rd	13:51	GOVERNOR - Tanner,Ahmaad 12 yd run (Deeds,Cole kick),	5-66-1:09	20-27
3rd	06:50	UTM - WILLIAMS, Rodne 19 yd pass from BACHUS, John (LARCO, Tyler kick)	9-61-4:22	27-27
3rd	06:18	GOVERNOR - Wilson,Deangelo 45 yd pass from Ellis,Draylen (Deeds,Cole kick)	2-75-0:32	27-34
4th	07:12	UTM - GRIGLIONE, Rich 3 yd pass from BACHUS, John (LARCO, Tyler kick)	7-49-2:25	34-34
4th	00:00	UTM - LARCO, Tyler 46 yd field goal	11-41-5:55	37-34

SKYHAWK DEPTH CHART



OFFENSE TWO-DEEP

Pos.	No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
QB	9	Keon Howard	6-1	215	Gr.
	16	Stewart Howell	6-1	200	R-Fr.
RB	23	Peyton Logan	5-8	190	Sr.
	21	Zak Wallace	6-0	220	R-Fr.
WR	11	Donnell Williams	6-3	205	Gr.
	0	Randy Fields, Jr.	6-1	195	R-So.
WR	80	Zoe Roberts	5-11	185	Fr.
	85	Jaden Gibbs	6-4	185	R-Fr.
WR	13	Marqwell Odom	5-8	165	Sr.
	89	Deray Lawrence	5-7	130	R-So.
TE	2	Rodney Williams	6-4	235	Gr.
	88	Richie Griglione III	6-5	235	So.
LT	66	Michael Shanahan	6-5	310	R-So.
	72	Jarod Russell	6-4	315	Fr.
LG	76	Chris Jackson	6-9	330	R-Sr.
	71	Brandon Floyd	6-4	290	R-Fr.
C	54	Matthan Hatchie	6-2	310	Jr.
	55	Reed Davis	6-3	270	R-Fr.
RG	79	Gavin Olson	6-4	290	So.
	73	Cru Birdyshaw	6-7	325	Gr.
RT	68	Malcolm Miller	6-3	315	Gr.
-or-	77	Lamar Morgan	6-5	305	So.



SPECIAL TEAMS TWO-DEEP

Pos.	No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
KO	37	Tyler Larco	5-9	155	R-Fr.
	48	Joshua Hernandez	5-8	185	Fr.
PK	37	Tyler Larco	5-9	155	R-Fr.
	48	Joshua Hernandez	5-8	185	Fr.
H	43	Chris McAbee	6-1	250	R-So.
P	37	Tyler Larco	5-9	155	R-Fr.



DEFENSE TWO-DEEP

Pos.	No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
DE	45	David DuBose	6-3	265	R-Sr.
	92	Daylan Dotson	6-3	280	Fr.
NT	47	Austin Pickett	6-1	270	Gr.
	99	Kenyonte Davis	6-5	290	R-So.
DT	95	Jay Rogers	6-3	290	R-So.
	8	Korbin Harmon	6-5	275	Gr.
JACK	1	Eyabi Anoma	6-6	270	R-So.
	24	Jamarius Landers	6-3	245	So.
LB	31	D'Carrious Stephens	6-0	225	Gr.
	35	Tevin Shipp	6-2	230	R-Fr.
LB	18	John Ford	6-3	230	Gr.
	5	Rob Hicks	6-1	235	Gr.
Rover	17	JaQuez Akins	5-9	185	Sr.
	20	Anthony Prospere	6-0	195	Fr.
DB	4	Jay Woods	5-11	185	Gr.
	28	Vincent Guy	6-0	180	R-Fr.
DB	10	Shawn Shamburger	5-11	190	Sr.
	9	Oshae Baker	5-10	195	Fr.
FS	30	Deven Sims	6-2	200	R-Jr.
	12	Carson Evans	6-1	185	R-Fr.
SS	3	Takeem Young	6-1	200	Gr.
	23	Antonio Jackson	6-1	185	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:** 96-78 (.552)
- **OVC Play:** 74-46 (.616) | **Non-OVC:** 21-31 (.404)
- **Home:** 55-25 | **Away:** 40-56
- **Conference Championships:** One (2006)
- **Postseason:** One (2006)



SIMPSON AT A GLANCE

Simpson's **96** wins lead all active head coaches in the OVC and marks the most wins in UT Martin history

96

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 96 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
- 96-78 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

- 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	6-1	.857	2-0	1.000	-	3-0	3-1	-
Total	96-78	.552	74-46	.616	-	55-25	40-56	

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 96-78 record (.552 winning percentage) and a 74-46 mark against OVC opponents (.616 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 96 career victories rank fifth in OVC history while his 74 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.....	12-3
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.....	8-6
Tennessee Tech.....	11-4
Union College.....	1-0
Urbana.....	1-0
Western Kentucky.....	0-1
Total.....	96-78

SKYHAWK ASSISTANT COACHES



CHRIS POLIZZI
Asst. Head Coach
Defensive Coordinator
Fourth Year



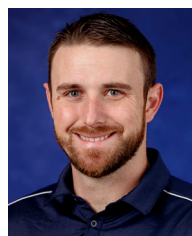
KEVIN BANNON
Offensive Coordinator
Offensive Line
10th Year



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:.....	55-25
Road Record:.....	40-56
OVC Overall:.....	74-46
OVC Home:.....	35-21
OVC Road:.....	35-26
Ranked opponents:.....	11-22
Record in August:.....	3-2
Record in September:.....	30-31
Record in October:.....	36-22
Record in November:.....	24-19
Record in February:.....	0-1
Record in March:.....	2-2
Record in April:.....	1-1
Scoring First.....	68-23
Leading at half:.....	76-15
Trailing at half:.....	15-56
Tied at half:.....	6-4
Scores <20 Points:.....	13-38
Scores >20 Points:.....	82-41
Scores 30+ Points:.....	61-15
Scores 40+ Points:.....	31-3
Opponent Scores <20 Points:.....	57-8
Opponent Scores >20 Points:.....	39-70
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)
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
-	Taeovinn 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	Jarius 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 Minnifee	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. (Bloomingdale 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)
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 Minnifee	JACK	6-3	250	R-Jr.	Nashville, Tenn. (Tennessee)
42	Jarius 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)
68	Malcolm Miller	OL	6-3	315	R-Jr.	Vicksburg, Miss. (Jones County JC)

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
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 Griglionne 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	Kenyon 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)
-	Terayon Sweet	RB	5-11	200	Fr.	San Bernardino, Calif. (Winner Circle Athletics)
-	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'Carrius Stephens	LB
91	Tyson Strickland	DT
-	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

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

Graduate Assistants

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

Support Staff

Director of Football Operations: Chris Bell	Sixth season
Head Coach for Strength & Conditioning Coach: Sam Medlock	1st season
Assistant Strength & Conditioning Coach: Shane McGough	1st season
Assistant Strength & Conditioning Coach: Tony Lester	10th season
Assistant Strength & Conditioning Coach: Dawson Moncrief	1st season
Equipment Manager: 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)
Kenyon Davis	(Ken-yawn-tay)
David DuBose	(Dew-Bows)
Ahmeen Dinzey	(Ahh-mean)
Jaden Gibbs	(Jay-den)
Richie Griglionne 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'Carrius 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	Peyton Logan	UT Martin
Sept. 19	Peyton Logan	UT Martin
	Draylen Ellis	Austin Peay
Sept. 26	Keon Howard	UT Martin
	Geno Hess	Southeast Missouri
Oct. 3	Jeremy Hickbottom	Tennessee State
Oct. 10	Keon Howard	UT Martin
	Geno Hess	Southeast Missouri
Oct. 17	Zak Wallace	UT Martin
	DJ Williams	Murray State
Oct. 24	Ahmaad Tanner	Austin Peay
Oct. 31	-	-
Nov. 7	-	-
Nov. 14	-	-
Nov. 21	-	-

OVC DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

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

OVC SPECIALIST OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Sept. 5	Tyler Larco	UT Martin
Sept. 12	Logen Neidhardt	Eastern Illinois
Sept. 19	Zach Haynes	Southeast Missouri
Sept. 26	Tyler Larco	UT Martin
	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	-	-
Nov. 7	-	-
Nov. 14	-	-
Nov. 21	-	-

OVC NEWCOMER OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Sept. 5	Keon Howard	UT Martin
Sept. 12	Keon Howard	UT Martin
Sept. 19	Rodell Rahmaan	Tennessee State
Sept. 26	Zoe Roberts	UT Martin
Oct. 3	Russell Dandy	Eastern Illinois
Oct. 10	Zak Wallace	UT Martin
Oct. 17	Zak Wallace	UT Martin
	DJ Williams	Murray State
Oct. 24	Keon Howard	UT Martin
Oct. 31	-	-
Nov. 7	-	-
Nov. 14	-	-
Nov. 21	-	-



OVC STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONF	PCT.	OVERALL	PCT.	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	STREAK
#13 UT Martin	2-0	1.000	6-1	0.857	3-0	3-1	0-0	W6
Tennessee State	2-1	0.667	4-3	0.571	2-0	2-1	0-2	W3
Southeast Missouri	2-1	0.667	2-6	0.250	1-2	1-4	0-0	L2
Austin Peay	1-1	0.500	3-4	0.429	1-2	2-2	0-0	W1
Tennessee Tech	1-2	0.333	3-5	0.375	2-2	1-3	0-0	W1
Eastern Illinois	1-2	0.333	1-7	0.125	0-3	1-4	0-0	L3
Murray State	0-2	0.000	3-4	0.429	2-1	1-3	0-0	L1



OVC SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Saturday, October 30

*Eastern Illinois at Southeast Missouri	1:00 p.m.	(ESPN+)
*Austin Peay at UT Martin	2:00 p.m.	(ESPN+)
*Murray State at Tennessee State	2:00 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 - Omar Drake 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



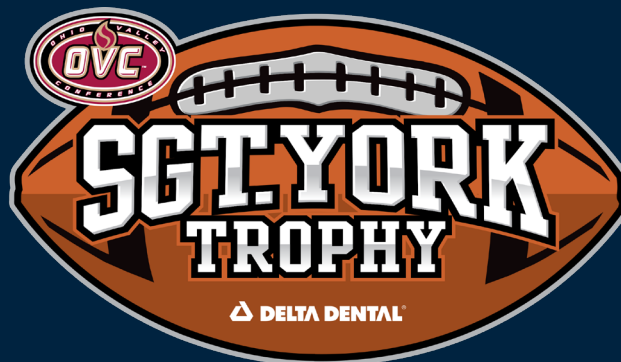
OVC PREDICTED ORDER

	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/-	4. UT Martin	38
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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
NOV. 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
NOV. 8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
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	15-27
Tennessee State	23-20
Tennessee Tech	18-25
UT Martin	29-13

UT Martin at home: 14-5
 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 Austin Peay at **UT Martin**
 Nov. 6 Tennessee State at **UT Martin**
 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

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

INDIVIDUAL

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



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	24	8	32	67
WALLACE, Zak	19	8	24	86
LOGAN, Peyton	24	2	24	87
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	1	8	21
TAYLOR, Tim	5	0	5	19
ODOM, Marqwell	1	0	1	1
ROBERTS, Zoe	1	0	1	2
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	0	1	3
TOTALS	82	19	96	299

1ST DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
LOGAN, Peyton	9	1	9	50
WALLACE, Zak	4	4	7	37
HOWARD, Keon	2	2	4	20
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	1	2	7
TAYLOR, Tim	1	0	1	8
ROBERTS, Zoe	1	0	1	1
ODOM, Marqwell	1	0	1	1
TOTALS	19	8	25	134

2ND DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
WALLACE, Zak	7	3	9	35
HOWARD, Keon	6	2	8	16
LOGAN, Peyton	8	0	8	28
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	4	0	4	9
TAYLOR, Tim	3	0	3	8
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	0	1	1
TOTALS	29	5	33	99

3RD DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
HOWARD, Keon	13	4	17	28
LOGAN, Peyton	7	1	7	9
WALLACE, Zak	6	1	6	11
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	2	0	2	5
TAYLOR, Tim	1	0	1	3
TOTALS	29	6	33	59

4TH DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
HOWARD, Keon	3	0	3	3
WALLACE, Zak	2	0	2	3
TOTALS	5	0	5	7

MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
DOWELL, Colton	16	2	16	22
WILLIAMS, Donnell	9	1	9	13
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	4	9	15
WILLIAMS, Rodney	8	2	8	13
ODOM, Marqwell	5	0	5	15
LOGAN, Peyton	4	2	4	16
GRIGLIONE, Richie	2	0	2	4
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	1	0	1	3
LAWRENCE, DeRay	1	0	1	4
TOTALS	53	11	55	114

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	5
ODOM, Marqwell	3	0	3	10
LOGAN, Peyton	2	0	2	8
LAWRENCE, DeRay	1	0	1	3
TOTALS	23	2	23	52

2ND DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
DOWELL, Colton	4	0	4	6
ROBERTS, Zoe	2	2	3	7
WILLIAMS, Donnell	3	0	3	3
WILLIAMS, Rodney	2	2	2	5
ODOM, Marqwell	1	0	1	4
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	1	0	1	1
GRIGLIONE, Richie	1	0	1	2
LOGAN, Peyton	1	1	1	6
TOTALS	15	5	16	37

3RD DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
WILLIAMS, Donnell	6	1	6	8
DOWELL, Colton	3	1	3	4
WILLIAMS, Rodney	2	0	2	3
ROBERTS, Zoe	0	1	1	1
ODOM, Marqwell	1	0	1	1
LOGAN, Peyton	1	1	1	2
GRIGLIONE, Richie	1	0	1	1
TOTALS	14	4	15	24

4TH DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
DOWELL, Colton	1	0	1	1
TOTALS	1	0	1	1



GAME-BY-GAME PARTICIPATION

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

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED...

- INDIVIDUAL -

Rushed for 100 yards -	159, Peyton Logan vs. Southeast Missouri, 10/23/21
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 -	47, Tevin Shipp vs. Murray State, 10/9/21
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 at Eastern Illinois, 10/16/21
Had 15+ tackles -	15, James Gilleylen vs. Tennessee Tech, 11/10/18
Multi-Sacks -	2.0, Eyabi Anoma at Eastern Illinois, 10/16/21
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 -	91 at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/21
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. -	184 at Tennessee Tech, 11/18/18
Held opponent without a TD -	vs. Clarion, 8/31/17
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 -	Korbin Harmon at Northwestern State, 9/18/21
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. Murray State, 10/9/21
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 17 vs. Samford, 9/11/21
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, 10/18/21
Last time ranked in the Coaches Poll Top 25 -	No. 13, 10/18/21

- 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, 10/23/13
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 -	61, Tyler Herring vs. Samford, 9/11/21
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 -	12, Bryce Norman vs. Southeast Missouri, 10/23/21
Had 15+ tackles -	15, Marcus McMeans vs. Tennessee Tech, 4/11/21
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 -	Robert Knowles vs. Eastern Kentucky, 9/29/12
Attempted 2-pt conversion -	vs. Eastern Illinois, 3/7/21
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)	33, 2x, vs. Murray State (10/9)	18 Samford (9/11)
• Rushing Yards	266 vs. Murray State (10/9)	171 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	211 vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	57 vs. Samford (9/11)
• Yards Per Rush	6.2 at Northwestern State (9/18)	4.2 vs. Samford (9/11)	7.3 vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	2.1 vs. Samford (9/11)
• Rushing Touchdowns	5 vs. Murray State (10/9)	1 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	2 vs. Murray State (10/9)	0, 2x, at Northwestern State (9/18)
• Pass Completions	20 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	12, 2x, at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	29 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	14 at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• Pass Attempts	43 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	18 vs. Murray State (10/9)	49 at Northwestern State (9/18)	25 vs. Murray State (10/9)
• Passing Yards	255 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	166 at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	478 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	139 at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• Yards Per Pass	10.6 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	4.5 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	13.3 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	5.0 at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• Passing Touchdowns	3 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	1, 3x, at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	8 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	1, 3x, vs. Murray State (10/9)
• Total Plays	87 vs. Samford (9/11)	65 at Northwestern State (9/18)	82 at Northwestern State (9/18)	56 vs. Samford (9/11)
• Yards Per Play	7.3 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	5.1 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	9.9 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	4.4 at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• Points	48 vs. Murray State (10/9)	21 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	59 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	10 at Northwestern State (9/18)
• Sacks	3 vs. Samford (9/11)	0, 3x, vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	2 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	0, 2x, vs. Murray State (10/9)
• 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 at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	3 vs. Samford (9/11)	0, 3x, vs. Murray State (10/9)
• Punts	6, 2x, vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	3, 2x, vs. Murray State (10/9)	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, 2x, vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	3 at Northwestern State (9/18)	1, 4x, vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)
• Long Punt Return	12 vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	-5 vs. Samford (9/11)	24 at Western Kentucky (9/2)	2 at Western Kentucky (9/2)

INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

	UT MARTIN	OPPONENT
• Rushes	21, Zak Wallace at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	18, Geno Hess vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)
• 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)	7, Jerreth Sterns at Western Kentucky (9/2)
• Receiving Yards	122, Peyton Logan vs. Samford (9/11)	107, Jerreth Sterns at Western Kentucky (9/2)
• 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	40, Tyler Larco at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)	38, Kenny Doak vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)
• Punts	6, Tyler Larco at Western Kentucky (9/2)	6, Logen Neidhardt at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• 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, Scotty Roblow at Northwestern State (9/18)
• Long Punt Return	12, Andrew Henley vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	24, Jerreth Sterns at Western Kentucky (9/2)
• Long Kickoff Return	27, DeVonte Tanksley vs. Samford (9/11)	45, 2x, last by Donovan Duvernay at Northwestern State (9/18)
• Tackles	12, John Ford at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	14, Jason Johnson at Eastern Illinois (10/16)
• Sacks	2.0, 2x, last by Eyabi Anoma at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	1.0, 4x, last by Sanders/Steele at #9 Jacksonville State (9/25)
• Tackles for Loss	2.0, 2x, last by Eyabi Anoma at Eastern Illinois (10/16)	3.5, Nathan East vs. Samford (9/11)
• Interceptions	1, 9x, last by Shawn Shamburger vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)	1, 5x, last by Trai Hodges vs. Southeast Missouri (10/23)

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*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov. 6	TENNESSEE STATE*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov. 13	at Tennessee Tech*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov. 20	at Southast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TEAM STATISTICS

UTM	OPP
SCORING	237
Points Per Game	33.9
Points Off Turnovers	55
FIRST DOWNS	145
Rushing	82
Passing	53
Penalty	9
RUSHING YARDAGE	1601
Yards gained rushing	1748
Yards lost rushing	147
Rushing Attempts	305
Average Per Rush	5.2
Average Per Game	228.7
TDs Rushing	19
PASSING YARDAGE	1409
Comp-Att-Int	114-184-5
Average Per Pass	7.7
Average Per Catch	12.4
Average Per Game	201.3
TDs Passing	11
TOTAL OFFENSE	3010
Total Plays	489
Average Per Play	6.2
Average Per Game	430.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	7-110
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	6-42
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	9-184
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	15.7
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	7.0
INT RETURN AVERAGE	20.4
FUMBLES-LOST	10-9
PENALTIES-Yards	47-399
Average Per Game	57.0
PUNTS-Yards	29-1195
Average Per Punt	41.2
Net punt average	37.1
KICKOFFS-Yards	41-2221
Average Per Kick	54.2
Net kick average	38.3
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	33:56
3RD-DOWN Conversions	48/104
3rd-Down Pct	46%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	6/11
4th-Down Pct	55%
SACKS BY-Yards	9-56
MISC YARDS	-52
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	32
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	4-9
ON-SIDE KICKS	1-1
RED-ZONE SCORES	(26-32) 81%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(23-32) 72%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(31-31) 100%
ATTENDANCE	15210
Games/Avg Per Game	3/5070
Neutral Site Games	0/0

SCORE BY QUARTER

1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
44	90	45	58	237
Opponents	47	51	55	198



OFFENSIVE STATISTICS

RUSHING

Name	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
LOGAN, Peyton	7	87	670	7	663	7.6	2	75	94.7
WALLACE, Zak	7	86	394	13	381	4.4	8	29	54.4
HOWARD, Keon	7	73	394	55	339	4.6	8	28	48.4
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	21	142	2	140	6.7	1	23	20.0
TAYLOR, Tim	5	19	88	6	82	4.3	0	18	16.4
ODOM, Marqwell	6	1	24	0	24	24.0	0	24	4.0
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	7	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	0.7
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	2	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
TEAM	5	11	0	64	-64	-5.8	0	0	-12.8
Total.....	7	305	1748	147	1601	5.2	19	75	228.7
Opponents.....	7	194	950	96	854	4.4	6	66	122.0

PASSING

Name	GP	Rating	Comp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
HOWARD, Keon	7	140.57	114-184-5	62.0	1409	11	60	201.3
Total.....	7	140.57	114-184-5	62.0	1409	11	60	201.3
Opponents.....	7	132.75	151-255-9	59.2	1818	16	73	259.7

RECEIVING

Name	GP	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
DOWELL, Colton	6	22	398	18.1	2	56	66.3
LOGAN, Peyton	7	16	188	11.8	2	60	26.9
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	15	183	12.2	4	54	26.1
ODOM, Marqwell	6	15	122	8.1	0	33	20.3
WILLIAMS, Rodney	7	13	236	18.2	2	51	33.7
WILLIAMS, Donnell	4	13	150	11.5	1	32	37.5
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	2	5	15	3.0	0	8	7.5
GRIGLIONE, Richie	7	4	34	8.5	0	14	4.9
LAWRENCE, DeRay	7	4	20	5.0	0	10	2.9
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	7	3	44	14.7	0	31	6.3
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	2	8	4.0	0	6	1.1
TAYLOR, Tim	5	1	8	8.0	0	8	1.6
WALLACE, Zak	7	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.4
Total.....	7	114	1409	12.4	11	60	201.3
Opponents.....	7	151	1818	12.0	16	73	259.7

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS



SPECIAL TEAMS STATISTICS

PUNT RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
HENLEY, Andrew	3	5	1.7	0	12
BAKER, Oshae	1	-5	-5.0	0	0
ODOM, Marqwell	1	-2	-2.0	0	0
DuBOSE, David	1	10	10.0	0	0
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	0	34	0.0	1	34
Total.....	6	42	7.0	1	34
Opponents.....	6	79	13.2	0	24

KICKOFF RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
LOGAN, Peyton	2	44	22.0	0	25
HENLEY, Andrew	1	11	11.0	0	11
BAKER, Oshae	1	0	0.0	0	0
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	1	27	27.0	0	27
ROBERTS, Zoe	1	15	15.0	0	15
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	13	13.0	0	13
Total.....	7	110	15.7	0	27
Opponents.....	20	425	21.2	0	45

FUMBLE RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents.....	2	52	26.0	1	46

INTERCEPTIONS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
FORD, John	2	83	41.5	0	66
YOUNG, Takeem	1	0	0.0	0	0
BAKER, Oshae	1	30	30.0	0	30
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	1	0	0.0	0	0
WOODS, Jay	1	0	0.0	0	0
SHAMBURGER, Shawn	1	0	0.0	0	0
SHIPP, Tevin	1	47	47.0	1	47
GUY, Vincent	1	24	24.0	0	24
Total.....	9	184	20.4	1	66
Opponents.....	5	97	19.4	1	61

PUNTING

Name	Punts	Yds	Avg	Lg	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
LARCO, Tyler	29	1195	41.2	68	2	13	6	7	0
Total.....	29	1195	41.2	68	2	13	6	7	0
Opponents.....	27	1073	39.7	60	0	13	11	4	1

KICKOFFS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
LARCO, Tyler	41	2221	54.2	9	3			
Total.....	41	2221	54.2	9	3	425	38.3	26
Opponents.....	39	2050	52.6	14	2	110	40.8	24

FIELD GOALS

Name	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg
LARCO, Tyler	4-9	44.4	0-0	2-3	1-3	1-3	0-0	40
Total.....	4	44.4	0	2	1	1	0	40

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)

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	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	48
HOWARD, Keon	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	48
LARCO, Tyler	0	4-9	31-31	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	43
LOGAN, Peyton	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
ROBERTS, Zoe	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
DOWELL, Colton	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
WILLIAMS, Rodney	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
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	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
SHIPP, Tevin	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
Total.....	32	4-9	31-31	0-1	0	0-0	0	1	237
Opponents.....	24	10-14	24-24	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	198

ALL-PURPOSE

Name	GP	Rush	Rec	PR	KR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
LOGAN, Peyton	7	663	188	0	44	0	895	127.9
DOWELL, Colton	6	0	398	0	0	0	398	66.3
WALLACE, Zak	7	381	3	0	0	0	384	54.9
HOWARD, Keon	7	339	0	0	0	0	339	48.4
WILLIAMS, Rodney	7	0	236	0	0	0	236	33.7
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	19	183	0	15	0	217	31.0
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	140	8	0	13	0	161	23.0
WILLIAMS, Donnell	4	0	150	0	0	0	150	37.5
ODOM, Marqwell	6	24	122	-2	0	0	144	24.0
TAYLOR, Tim	5	82	8	0	0	0	90	18.0
FORD, John	7	0	0	0	0	83	83	11.9
SHIPP, Tevin	6	0	0	0	0	47	47	7.8
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	7	0	44	0	0	0	44	6.3
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	2	0	15	0	27	0	42	21.0
GRIGLIONE, Richie	7	0	34	0	0	0	34	4.9
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	7	0	0	34	0	0	34	4.9
LAWRENCE, DeRay	7	5	20	0	0	0	25	3.6
BAKER, Oshae	7	0	0	-5	0	30	25	3.6
GUY, Vincent	7	0	0	0	0	24	24	3.4
HENLEY, Andrew	7	0	0	5	11	0	16	2.3
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	12	0	0	0	0	12	12.0
DuBOSE, David	7	0	0	10	0	0	10	1.4
TEAM	5	-64	0	0	0	0	-64	-12.8
Total.....	7	1601	1409	42	110	184	3346	478.0
Opponents.....	7	854	1818	79	425	97	3273	467.6

TOTAL OFFENSE

Name	GP	Plays	Rush	Pass	Tot	Avg/G
HOWARD, Keon	7	257	339	1409	1748	249.7
LOGAN, Peyton	7	87	663	0	663	94.7
WALLACE, Zak	7	86	381	0	381	54.4
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	21	140	0	140	20.0
TAYLOR, Tim	5	19	82	0	82	16.4
ODOM, Marqwell	6	1	24	0	24	4.0
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	2	19	0	19	2.7
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	3	12	0	12	12.0
LAWRENCE, DeRay	7	1	5	0	5	0.7
TEAM	5	11	-64	0	-64	-12.8
Total.....	7	489	1601	1409	3010	430.0
Opponents.....	7	449	854	1818	2672	381.7.2

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS



DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

No.	Player	GP-GS	ST	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int	PBU	QBH	FR-Yds	FF	Blk	Saf
30	SIMS, Deven	7-7	23	27	50	2.5-4	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.
18	FORD, John	7-7	22	20	42	3.5-13	0.5-2	2-83	2	3	.	.	.	.
3	YOUNG, Takeem	6-6	22	13	35	0.5-1	.	1-0	3	.	.	1	.	.
31	STEPHENS, D'Carrious	7-7	17	18	35	4.0-10	.	1-0	4	.	.	.	.	.
17	AKINS, JaQuez	7-6	14	13	27	4.5-17	3.0-13	.	1	1	.	1	.	1
9	BAKER, Oshae	7-5	17	8	25	.	.	1-30	5	1	1-0	.	.	.
47	PICKETT, Austin	7-6	6	13	19	3.0-15	1.0-9	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
45	DuBOSE, David	7-7	4	13	17	3.0-5	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.
4	WOODS, Jay	6-6	10	6	16	2.5-8	.	1-0	3	.	.	.	.	.
1	ANOMA, Eyabi	6-3	5	10	15	4.0-26	3.5-25	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
32	HUNTER, Chris	7-0	8	7	15	2.0-3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
12	EVANS, Carson	7-1	6	8	14	.	.	.	3	.	1-0	.	.	.
5	HICKS, Robert	4-0	6	6	12	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
8	HARMON, Korbin	7-4	1	10	11	0.5-1	.	.	2	2	.	.	1	.
24	LANDERS, Jamarius	7-4	6	4	10	1.5-1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
10	SHAMBURGER, Shawn	5-3	6	4	10	.	.	1-0	3	.	.	.	.	.
35	SHIPP, Tevin	6-0	5	4	9	1.5-3	.	1-47	.	1	.	1	.	.
95	ROGERS, Jay	7-4	5	3	8	2.5-5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
44	DAVIS, Giovanni	6-0	3	5	8	1.5-8	1.0-7	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
26	ANDRE, Alexander	4-0	6	1	7	.	.	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
90	WILLIS, Keion	7-0	1	6	7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
22	CHEEKS, Fahreed	5-0	4	3	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
36	WEIR, Shamari	7-0	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	DOTSON, Daylan	6-0	2	3	5	0.5-1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
28	GUY, Vincent	7-0	2	2	4	0.5-1	.	1-24	2	.	.	.	.	.
25	ABDULLAH, Isaiah	4-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
34	GOLDBOURNE, Dion	2-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	WEBB, Aaron	6-0	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
14	CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7-0	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93	JOHNSON, Jarid	5-0	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	PROSPERE, Anthony	6-1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3H	HOWARD, Xiere	4-0	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	DAVIS, Kenyonte	5-0	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
2	WILLIAMS, Rodney	7-7	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	MOTON, Wanya	3-0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
9	HOWARD, Keon	7-7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	ROBERTS, Zoe	7-5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
37	LARCO, Tyler	7-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
16	McCALL, Tamel	1-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	LUCAS, Jack	5-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total.....		7-0	216	227	443	38-122	9-56	9-184	32	26	3-0	5	2	1
Opponents.....		7-0	237	276	513	32.0-118	6-33	5-97	24	15	9-52	4	2	.

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
Total	9	5	14	3	9	12	-2

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
Total	9	184	20.4	1	66

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

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

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

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	7	87	670	7	663	7.6	2	75	94.7		45	347	2210	63	2147	6.2	10	79	47.7
WALLACE, Zak	7	86	394	13	381	4.4	8	29	54.4		18	135	565	43	522	3.9	9	29	29.0
HOWARD, Keon	7	73	394	55	339	4.6	8	28	48.4		7	73	394	55	339	4.6	8	28	48.4
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	21	142	2	140	6.7	1	23	20.0		7	21	142	2	140	6.7	1	23	20.0
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	6	1	24	0	24	24.0	0	24	4.0		25	5	53	1	52	10.4	0	24	2.1
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	7	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	0.7		24	1	5	0	5	5.0	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	5	11	0	64	-64	-5.8	0	0	-12.8										
Total	7	305	1748	147	1601	5.2	19	75	228.7										
Opponents	7	194	950	96	854	4.4	6	66	122.0										
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	7	140.57	114-184-5	62.0	1409	11	60	201.3			7	140.57	114-184-5	62.0	1409	11	60	201.3	
Total	7	140.57	114-184-5	62.0	1409	11	60	201.3											
Opponents	7	132.75	151-255-9	59.2	1818	16	73	259.7											
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		
LOGAN, Peyton	7	16	188	11.8	2	60	26.9				45	73	645	8.8	3	60	14.3		
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	15	183	12.2	4	54	26.1				9	18	185	10.3	4	54	20.6		
ODOM, Marqwell	6	15	122	8.1	0	33	20.3				25	38	369	9.7	1	66	14.8		
WILLIAMS, Rodney	7	13	236	18.2	2	51	33.7				47	83	1036	12.5	6	51	22.0		
WILLIAMS, Donnell	4	13	150	11.5	1	32	37.5				42	66	854	12.9	7	44	20.3		
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	2	5	15	3.0	0	8	7.5				2	5	15	3.0	0	8	7.5		
GRIGLIONE, Richie	7	4	34	8.5	0	14	4.9				12	6	56	9.3	2	19	4.7		
LAWRENCE, DeRay	7	4	20	5.0	0	10	2.9				24	4	20	5.0	0	10	0.8		
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	7	3	44	14.7	0	31	6.3				7	3	44	14.7	0	31	6.3		
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	2	8	4.0	0	6	1.1				7	2	8	4.0	0	6	1.1		
TAYLOR, Tim	5	1	8	8.0	0	8	1.6				5	1	8	8.0	0	8	1.6		
WALLACE, Zak	7	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.4				18	6	78	13.0	0	30	4.3		
Total	7	114	1409	12.4	11	60	201.3												
Opponents	7	151	1818	12.0	16	73	259.7												
Total Offense																			
	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g					g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g			
HOWARD, Keon	7	257	339	1409	1748	249.7					7	257	339	1409	1748	249.7			
LOGAN, Peyton	7	87	663	0	663	94.7					45	347	2147	0	2147	47.7			
WALLACE, Zak	7	86	381	0	381	54.4					18	135	522	0	522	29.0			
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	21	140	0	140	20.0					7	21	140	0	140	20.0			
TAYLOR, Tim	5	19	82	0	82	16.4					5	19	82	0	82	16.4			
ODOM, Marqwell	6	1	24	0	24	4.0					25	5	52	0	52	2.1			
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	7	1	5	0	5	0.7					24	1	5	0	5	0.2			
TEAM	5	11	-64	0	-64	-12.8													
Total	7	489	1601	1409	3010	430.0													
Opponents	7	449	854	1818	2672	381.7													

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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
HOWARD, Keon	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
WALLACE, Zak	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54
LARCO, Tyler	-	4-9	31-31	-	-	-	-	-	43	-	14-21	48-49	-	-	-	-	-	90
LOGAN, Peyton	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	90
ROBERTS, Zoe	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
DOWELL, Colton	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	13	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	80
WILLIAMS, Rodney	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
SHIPP, Tevin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WILLIAMS, Donnell	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
AKINS, JaQuez	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
McABEE, Chris	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	0
Total	32	4-9	31-31	0-1	-	-	-	1	237									
Opponents	24	10-14	24-24	-	-	-	-	-	198									

Punt Returns		no.	yds	avg	td	lg			no.	yds	avg	td	lg
HENLEY, Andrew		3	5	1.7	0	12			3	5	1.7	0	12
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
ODOM, Marqwell		1	-2	-2.0	0	0			3	0	0.0	0	2
STEPHENS, D'Carrious		0	34	0.0	1	34			0	34	0.0	1	34
Total		6	42	7.0	1	34							
Opponents		6	79	13.2	0	24							

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
ROBERTS, Zoe		1	15	15.0	0	15			1	15	15.0	0	15
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
TANKSLEY, DeVonte		1	27	27.0	0	27			1	27	27.0	0	27
BAKER, Oshae		1	0	0.0	0	0			1	0	0.0	0	0
Total		7	110	15.7	0	27							
Opponents		20	425	21.2	0	45							

Interceptions		no.	yds	avg	td	lg			no.	yds	avg	td	lg
FORD, John		2	83	41.5	0	66			4	158	39.5	1	66
SHAMBURGER, Shawn		1	0	0.0	0	0			1	0	0.0	0	0
WOODS, Jay		1	0	0.0	0	0			1	0	0.0	0	0
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
BAKER, Oshae		1	30	30.0	0	30			1	30	30.0	0	30
YOUNG, Takeem		1	0	0.0	0	0			5	48	9.6	0	36
SHIPP, Tevin		1	47	47.0	1	47			1	47	47.0	1	47
Total		9	184	20.4	1	66							
Opponents		5	97	19.4	1	61							

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	7	663	188	0	44	0	895	127.9	45	2147	645	5	1049	0	3846	85.5
DOWELL, Colton	6	0	398	0	0	0	398	66.3	36	3	1760	0	0	0	1763	49.0
WALLACE, Zak	7	381	3	0	0	0	384	54.9	18	522	78	0	0	0	600	33.3
HOWARD, Keon	7	339	0	0	0	0	339	48.4	7	339	0	0	0	0	339	48.4
WILLIAMS, Rodn	7	0	236	0	0	0	236	33.7	47	0	1036	0	41	0	1077	22.9
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	19	183	0	15	0	217	31.0	9	19	185	0	15	0	219	24.3
CASTLEBERRY,	7	140	8	0	13	0	161	23.0	7	140	8	0	13	0	161	23.0
WILLIAMS, Donn	4	0	150	0	0	0	150	37.5	42	0	854	0	0	0	854	20.3
ODOM, Marqwell	6	24	122	-2	0	0	144	24.0	25	52	369	0	34	0	455	18.2
TAYLOR, Tim	5	82	8	0	0	0	90	18.0	5	82	8	0	0	0	90	18.0
FORD, John	7	0	0	0	0	83	83	11.9	23	0	0	0	0	158	158	6.9
SHIPP, Tevin	6	0	0	0	0	47	47	7.8	13	0	0	0	0	47	47	3.6
FIELDS, Randy J	7	0	44	0	0	0	44	6.3	7	0	44	0	0	0	44	6.3
TANKSLEY, DeV	2	0	15	0	27	0	42	21.0	2	0	15	0	27	0	42	21.0
GRIGLIONE, Ric	7	0	34	0	0	0	34	4.9	12	0	56	0	0	0	56	4.7
STEPHENS, D'C	7	0	0	34	0	0	34	4.9	30	0	0	34	0	28	62	2.1
LAWRENCE, De	7	5	20	0	0	0	25	3.6	24	5	20	0	0	0	25	1.0
BAKER, Oshae	7	0	0	-5	0	30	25	3.6	12	0	0	-5	0	30	25	2.1
GUY, Vincent	7	0	0	0	0	24	24	3.4	11	0	0	0	0	24	24	2.2
HENLEY, Andre	7	0	0	5	11	0	16	2.3	9	0	2	5	11	0	18	2.0
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	12	0	0	0	0	12	12.0	1	12	0	0	0	0	12	12.0
DuBOSE, David	7	0	0	10	0	0	10	1.4	19	0	0	10	0	0	10	0.5
TEAM	5	-64	0	0	0	0	-64	-12.8								
Total	7	1601	1409	42	110	184	3346	478.0								
Opponents	7	854	1818	79	425	97	3273	467.6								

Field Goals	att	good	long	blkd	att	good	long	blkd
LARCO, Tyler	9	4	40	2	21	14	47	2
Total	9	4	40	2				
Opponents	14	10	38	1				

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk
LARCO, Tyler	29	1195	41.2	68	0	39	1613	41.4	68	0
Total	29	1195	41.2	68	0					
Opponents	27	1073	39.7	60	1					

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
LARCO, Tyler	41	2221	54.2	9	3	76	3844	50.6	13	5
Total	41	2221	54.2	9	3					
Opponents	39	2050	52.6	14	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	7	23	27	50	2.5	.	.	2	.	.	.	32	70	81	151	8.5	1.0	.	13	.	2	.
18	FORD, John	7	22	20	42	3.5	0.5	2	2	.	.	.	23	54	45	99	10.0	2.5	4	3	.	.	.
3D	YOUNG, Takeem	6	22	13	35	0.5	.	1	3	.	1	.	35	65	72	137	4.0	.	5	17	1	1	.
31	STEPHENS, D'Carrious	7	17	18	35	4.0	.	1	4	.	.	.	30	43	45	88	13.0	1.0	4	8	1	1	.
17	AKINS, JaQuez	7	14	13	27	4.5	3.0	.	1	.	1	.	26	86	71	157	13.0	3.0	1	11	4	5	.
9D	BAKER, Oshae	7	17	8	25	0.0	.	1	5	1	.	.	12	18	12	30	0.0	.	1	6	1	.	1
47	PICKETT, Austin	7	6	13	19	3.0	1.0	.	.	.	1	.	36	35	70	105	17.0	7.5	.	.	.	2	.
45	DuBOSE, David	7	4	13	17	3.0	.	.	.	.	.	1	19	10	27	37	6.5	1.0	.	1	.	.	1
4D	WOODS, Jay	6	10	6	16	2.5	.	1	3	.	.	.	13	28	11	39	4.5	.	1	12	1	.	.
1	ANOMA, Eyabi	6	5	10	15	4.0	3.5	.	.	.	.	.	6	5	10	15	4.0	3.5	.	.	.	.	.
32	HUNTER, Chris	7	8	7	15	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	14	18	20	38	7.0	1.5	.	.	.	.	1
12	EVANS, Carson	7	6	8	14	0.0	.	.	3	1	.	.	14	9	9	18	0.0	.	.	4	1	.	.
5	HICKS, Robert	4	6	6	12	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	6	6	12	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
8D	HARMON, Korbin	7	1	10	11	0.5	.	.	2	.	.	1	34	20	42	62	13.0	3.0	.	4	.	1	5
10	SHAMBURGER, Shaw	5	6	4	10	0.0	.	1	3	.	.	.	5	6	4	10	0.0	.	1	3	.	.	.
24	LANDERS, Jamarius	7	6	4	10	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	25	19	18	37	8.0	2.0	.	2	.	.	.
35	SHIPP, Tevin	6	5	4	9	1.5	.	1	.	.	1	.	13	10	12	22	2.5	.	1	1	.	1	.
95	ROGERS, Jay	7	5	3	8	2.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	5	3	8	2.5	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	DAVIS, Giovanni	6	3	5	8	1.5	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	13	7	13	20	5.0	2.0	.	.	1	.	.
90	WILLIS, Keion	7	1	6	7	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	1	6	7	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
26	ANDRE, Alexander	4	6	1	7	0.0	.	.	1	1	.	.	4	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	7	3	3	6	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	4	4	8	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	DOTSON, Daylan	6	2	3	5	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	2	8	10	1.5	.	.	1	.	.	1
28	GUY, Vincent	7	2	2	4	0.5	.	1	2	.	.	.	11	3	3	6	0.5	.	1	2	.	.	.
34	GOLDBOURNE, Dion	2	2	1	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
14	CASTLEBERRY, Jorda	7	1	2	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	1	2	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	ABDULLAH, Isaiah	4	2	1	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	3	3	6	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	WEBB, Aaron	6	1	2	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	2	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
2D	MOTON, Wanya	3	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	1	.	28	46	50	96	4.5	.	3	8	.	2	.
93	JOHNSON, Jarid	5	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
3H	HOWARD, Xiere	4	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	2	4	6	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	WILLIAMS, Rodney	7	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	47	4	1	5	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	DAVIS, Kenyonte	5	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	24	3	11	14	1.5	1.0	.	.	.	.	.
20	PROSPERE, Anthony	6	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
16	McCALL, Tamel	1	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	4	6	10	0.0	.	1	.	.	1	.
80	ROBERTS, Zoe	7	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	LUCAS, Jack	5	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	1	2	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	HOWARD, Keon	7	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
37	LARCO, Tyler	7	.	1	1	0.0	14	.	1	1	0.0
Total		7	216	227	443	38	9	9	32	3	5	2											
Opponents		7	237	276	513	32	6	5	24	9	4	2											

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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
TOTALS	184	114	5	62.0	1409	11	60	6	33	140.6

RUSHING

Name	No-Yds/TD	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
LOGAN, Peyton	87-663/2	7-75/0	9-47/0	14-179/1	12-67/0	14-78/0	16-58/0	15-159/1	-	-	-	-
WALLACE, Zak	86-381/8	6-14/0	15-59/1	7-19/1	9-63/1	14-67/3	21-125/2	14-34/0	-	-	-	-
HOWARD, Keon	73-339/8	12-44/2	16-66/1	9-39/2	6-40/0	9-98/1	11-32/0	10-20/2	-	-	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jo	21-140/1	4-43/0	6-24/0	6-38/0	-	1-6/1	-	4-29/0	-	-	-	-
TAYLOR, Tim	19-82/0	5-25/0	4-29/0	4-23/0	2-0/0	4-5/0	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
ODOM, Marqwell	1-24/0	DNP	1-24/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ROBERTS, Zoe	2-19/0	-	1-7/0	-	-	-	1-12/0	-	-	-	-	-
FRANKLIN, Sam	3-12/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	3-12/0	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
LAWRENCE, DeRay	1-5/0	-	-	-	1-5/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TANKSLEY, DeVon	1-0/0	-	1-0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
TEAM	11--64/0	DNP	4--16/0	2--38/0	4--4/0	DNP	-	1--6/0	-	-	-	-

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	-	-	-	-
WILLIAMS, Rodne	13-236/2	-	2-24/0	1-14/1	2-43/0	1-34/0	3-29/0	4-92/1	-	-	-	-
LOGAN, Peyton	16-188/2	2-0/0	4-122/2	2-3/0	3-7/0	-	3-41/0	2-15/0	-	-	-	-
ROBERTS, Zoe	15-183/4	-	2-18/0	2-12/0	4-73/2	3-19/1	1-44/0	3-17/1	-	-	-	-
WILLIAMS, Donne	13-150/1	7-80/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	3-30/1	3-40/0	-	-	-	-
ODOM, Marqwell	15-122/0	DNP	1-2/0	4-21/0	3-46/0	3-20/0	1--1/0	3-34/0	-	-	-	-
FIELDS, Randy	3-44/0	-	1-8/0	1-31/0	-	1-5/0	-	-	-	-	-	-
GRIGLIONE, Rich	4-34/0	-	1-7/0	1-4/0	-	-	-	2-23/0	-	-	-	-
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	-	-	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jo	2-8/0	1-6/0	-	-	1-2/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TAYLOR, Tim	1-8/0	-	1-8/0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
WALLACE, Zak	1-3/0	-	-	1-3/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



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TOTAL TACKLES

Name	UA-A	TOT	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
SIMS, Deven	23-27	50	6-4	2-3	2-3	4-2	3-7	4-2	2-6	-	-	-	-
FORD, John	22-20	42	1-2	4-3	3-2	1-5	2-5	9-3	2-0	-	-	-	-
STEPHENS, D'Carrious	17-18	35	6-2	2-3	3-2	0-4	0-4	4-2	2-1	-	-	-	-
YOUNG, Takeem	22-13	35	DNP	1-1	7-3	3-2	5-5	2-0	4-2	-	-	-	-
AKINS, JaQuez	14-13	27	1-1	2-1	-	3-2	3-4	3-1	2-4	-	-	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	17-8	25	2-2	2-0	2-1	5-1	1-2	2-0	3-2	-	-	-	-
PICKETT, Austin	6-13	19	1-1	1-2	3-1	0-3	0-2	0-3	1-1	-	-	-	-
DuBOSE, David	4-13	17	-	1-1	0-2	0-2	1-4	1-2	1-2	-	-	-	-
WOODS, Jay	10-6	16	1-0	2-1	2-1	0-2	DNP	1-1	4-1	-	-	-	-
ANOMA, Eyabi	5-10	15	-	1-3	DNP	0-2	0-3	4-0	0-2	-	-	-	-
HUNTER, Chris	8-7	15	2-1	1-2	3-2	0-1	2-1	-	-	-	-	-	-
EVANS, Carson	6-8	14	4-4	0-1	2-2	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-
HICKS, Robert	6-6	12	4-3	0-2	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	2-1	-	-	-	-
HARMON, Korbin	1-10	11	-	-	0-2	1-2	0-2	0-1	0-3	-	-	-	-
LANDERS, Jamari	6-4	10	1-0	0-1	0-1	3-1	1-0	1-0	0-1	-	-	-	-
SHAMBURGER, Shawn	6-4	10	1-1	DNP	DNP	1-0	0-1	2-0	2-2	-	-	-	-
SHIPP, Tevin	5-4	9	-	DNP	4-1	0-1	0-2	-	1-0	-	-	-	-
ROGERS, Jay	5-3	8	-	-	1-0	0-2	2-0	0-1	2-0	-	-	-	-
DAVIS, Giovanni	3-5	8	DNP	0-2	1-1	1-0	0-2	1-0	-	-	-	-	-
WILLIS, Keion	1-6	7	0-1	-	-	0-2	1-1	0-1	0-1	-	-	-	-
CHEEKS, Fahreed	4-3	7	-	-	3-0	1-1	0-2	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
ANDRE, Alexande	6-1	7	DNP	4-0	-	2-1	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
WEIR, Shamari	3-3	6	1-0	0-1	-	-	2-2	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOTSON, Daylan	2-3	5	1-0	DNP	0-1	0-1	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-
GUY, Vincent	2-2	4	-	1-1	-	-	1-0	0-1	-	-	-	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1-2	3	-	0-1	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WEBB, Aaron	1-2	3	-	0-1	-	0-1	DNP	1-0	-	-	-	-	-
ABDULLAH, Isaiah	2-1	3	-	DNP	1-0	0-1	1-0	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
GOLDBOURNE, Dion	2-1	3	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	1-1	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
PROSPERE, Anthony	1-1	2	1-1	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WILLIAMS, Rodney	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	0-1	1-0	-	-	-	-	-
JOHNSON, Jarid	0-2	2	0-1	-	-	0-1	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-
DAVIS, Kenyonte	0-2	2	-	DNP	0-2	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LARCO, Tyler	0-1	1	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LUCAS, Jack	0-1	1	DNP	DNP	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
McCALL, Tamel	0-1	1	0-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-

TACKLES FOR LOSS

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

SACKS

Name	UA-A	TOT	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
ANOMA, Eyabi	3-1	3.5	-	1.0-9	DNP	0.5-1	-	2.0-15	-	-	-	-	-
AKINS, JaQuez	3-0	3.0	-	2.0-9	-	1.0-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DAVIS, Giovanni	1-0	1.0	DNP	-	1.0-7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PICKETT, Austin	1-0	1.0	-	-	1.0-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FORD, John	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	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	5-5	-	1-1	1-1	1-1	-	1-1	1-1	-	-	-	-
ODOM, Marqwell	2-1	DNP	1-0	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-
HENLEY, Andrew	1-1	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	1-1	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WALLACE, Zak	1-1	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

FUMBLES FORCED

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

FUMBLES RECOVERED

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

INTERCEPTION RETURNS

Name	No-Yds	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
FORD, John	2-83	-	-	1-66	-	1-17	-	-	-	-	-	-
YOUNG, Takeem	1-0	DNP	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-
WOODS, Jay	1-0	1-0	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-
SHAMBURGER, Sha	1-0	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-
STEPHENS, D'Car	1-0	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	1-30	-	-	1-30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GUY, Vincent	1-24	-	1-24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SHIPP, Tevin	1-47	-	DNP	-	-	1-47	-	-	-	-	-	-



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	3-5	-	-	1--10	-	-	1-3	1-12	-	-	-	-
ODOM, Marqwell	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	-	-	-	-
ROBERTS, Zoe	1-15	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-15	-	-	-	-
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	4-9 (40)	0-1	1-2 (31)	0-0	2-2 (40)	0-1	0-2	1-1 (26)	-	-	-	-

PUNTING

Name	No-Yds-Avg	WKU	SAM	NSU	JSU	MUR	EIU	SEMO	AP	TSU	TTU	SEMO
LARCO, Tyler	29-1195-41.2	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	-	-	-	-

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
Totals		305	1601	19	75	114	1409	11	60	114-184-5	1409	11	60	7	110	0	27	6	42	1	34	3010
Opponent		194	854	6	66	151	1818	16	73	151-255-9	1818	16	73	20	425	0	45	6	79	0	24	2672

Games: 7 Avg/rush: 5.2 Avg/catch: 12.4 Pass effic: 140.57 KR avg: 15.7 PR avg: 7.0 All purpose avg/game: 478.0 Total offense avg/gm: 430.0

Date	Opponent	TACKLES				SACKS	FUMBLE		PASS DEFENSE			BLKD	PAT			OFF	
		Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds		FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	QBH	Brk		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
Totals		216	227	443	38.0-122	9.0-56	5	3-0	9-184	26	32	2	31-31	0	0	1	237
Opponent		237	276	513	32.0-118	6.0-33	4	9-52	5-97	15	24	2	24-24	0	0	0	198

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	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	
Totals		29	1195	41.2	68	0	2	13	7	6	9-4	40	2	41	2221	54.2	9	3	
Opponent		27	1073	39.7	60	1	0	13	4	11	14-10	38	1	39	2050	52.6	14	2	

OPPONENT 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	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
Opponent totals		194	854	6	66	151	1818	16	73	151-255-9	1818	16	73	20	425	0	45	6	79	0	24	2672
UT Martin		305	1601	19	75	114	1409	11	60	114-184-5	1409	11	60	7	110	0	27	6	42	1	34	3010

Games: 7 Avg/rush: 4.4 Avg/catch: 12.0 Pass effic: 132.75 KR avg: 21.2 PR avg: 13.2 All purpose avg/game: 467.6 Total offense avg/gm: 381.7

Date	Opponent	TACKLES				SACKS	FUMBLE		PASS DEFENSE			BLKD	PAT			OFF	
		Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds		FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	QBH	Brk		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
Opponent totals		237	276	513	32.0-118	6.0-33	4	9-52	5-97	15	24	2	24-24	0	0	0	198
UT Martin		216	227	443	38.0-122	9.0-56	5	3-0	9-184	26	32	2	31-31	0	0	1	237

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
Opponent totals		27	1073	39.7	60	1	0	13	4	11		14-10	38	1	39	2050	52.6	14	2
UT Martin		29	1195	41.2	68	0	2	13	7	6		9-4	40	2	41	2221	54.2	9	3

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%		
UT Martin			48-104	46.2%	10-29	34.5%	12-22	54.5%	13-24	54.2%	13-29	44.8%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents			29-85	34.1%	4-20	20.0%	12-25	48.0%	5-19	26.3%	8-21	38.1%	0-0	0.0%

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%		
UT Martin			6-11	54.5%	4-4	100.0%	1-3	33.3%	0-0	0.0%	1-4	25.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents			5-15	33.3%	0-0	0.0%	2-4	50.0%	2-3	66.7%	1-8	12.5%	0-0	0.0%

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	
UT Martin		Total	237:29	63:35	52:56	55:53	65:05	0:00
		Avg.	33:55	9:05	7:33	7:59	9:17	0:00
Opponents		Total	182:31	41:25	52:04	49:07	39:55	0:00
		Avg.	26:04	5:55	7:26	7:01	5:42	0:00

REDZONE STATISTICS

UT MARTIN INSIDE OPPONENT RED-ZONE

Date	Opponent	Score	Times		Total		Rush	Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
Sep 02	at WKU	L 21-59	3	2	14	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 11	Samford	W 33-27	4	3	17	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sep 18	at Northwestern St.	W 35-10	5	4	28	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sep 25	at Jacksonville St.	W 34-31	4	4	24	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Oct 09	Murray State	W 48-24	7	6	41	6	5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Oct 16	at Eastern Illinois	W 28-17	5	3	21	3	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Oct 23	Southeast Missouri	W 38-30	4	4	24	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			32	26	169	23	17	6	3	2	1	0	3	0	0
			26 of 32 (81.2%)												

UT MARTIN INSIDE OPPONENT RED-ZONE

Date	Opponent	Score	Times		Total		Rush	Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
Sep 02	at WKU	L 21-59	5	5	31	4	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 11	Samford	W 33-27	3	3	13	1	1	0	2	0	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	0
Sep 25	at Jacksonville St.	W 34-31	3	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Oct 09	Murray State	W 48-24	5	4	24	3	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
*Oct 16	at Eastern Illinois	W 28-17	3	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 23	Southeast Missouri	W 38-30	2	2	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			27	21	111	12	5	7	9	2	3	1	0	0	0
			21 of 27 (77.8%)												

LONGEST PLAYS

25-YARD PLUS PLAYS

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
*75	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	Southeast Missouri
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.
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
31	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	WKU
31	Pass	FIELDS, Randy Jr. from HOWARD, Keon	Northwestern St.
30	INT	BAKER, Oshae	Northwestern St.
29	Rush	WALLACE, Zak	Eastern Illinois
28	Rush	HOWARD, Keon	Murray State
28	Pass	DOWELL, Colton from HOWARD, Keon	Murray State
28	Rush	LOGAN, Peyton	WKU
*27	Pass	DOWELL, Colton from HOWARD, Keon	WKU
27	Pass	DOWELL, Colton from HOWARD, Keon	Jacksonville St.
27	KR	TANKSLEY, DeVonte	Samford
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	1	1
60-69	2	1
50-59	5	4
40-49	5	1
30-39	7	0
20-29	9	1

Long Plays By Type	No.	TD
Rushing	8	2
Passing	16	5
Punt returns	0	0
Kick returns	2	0
Interceptions	3	1
Fumble returns	0	0
Other	0	0
TOTAL	29	8

25-YARD PLUS BY PLAYER

Player	No.	TD	R	P	KR	PR	IR	FR
LOGAN, Peyton	10	4	6	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
ROBERTS, Zoe	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
SHIPP, Tevin	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
WALLACE, Zak	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
HOWARD, Keon	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
BAKER, Oshae	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
FIELDS, Randy Jr.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
WILLIAMS, Donnell	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
FORD, John	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
ODOM, Marqwell	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	29	8	8	16	2	0	3	0

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

66 FORD, John vs Northwestern State (9/18)

Fumble Return

None

Punt

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

Field Goal

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

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	STERNS, 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	STERNS, 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
STERNS	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 21-0.

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

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

	UTM	MSU
1ST	13	21
2ND	7	7
3RD	3	0
4TH	14	7

FINAL

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

FINAL

UTM	7	7	0	14
EIU	3	14	0	0

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

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