



UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS

2023 FOOTBALL GAME NOTES



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THE MATCHUP

GAME 8

Saturday, Oct. 28
12:30 pm CT | ESPN+

Spangler Stadium
(8,500)
Boiling Springs, NC

Radio

Video



#13/14 UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS
(6-1, 3-0 BIG SOUTH-OVC)

Head Coach: Jason Simpson
Alma Mater: Southern Miss, 1994
Career Record: 113-85 (18th season)
Record at UTM: Same

VS



GARDNER-WEBB RUNNIN' BULLDOGS
(3-4, 1-1 BIG SOUTH-OVC)

Head Coach: Tre Lamb
Alma Mater: Tennessee Tech, 2012
Career Record: 16-19 (4th season)
Record at GWU: Same

Passing Leader

Kinlead Dent 109-209, 1,282 yards, 13 TDs

Rushing Leader

Sam Franklin 139/940 yards, 8 TDs

Receiving Leader

DeVonte Tanksley 28/357 yards, 1 TD

Defensive Leader

Jaylon Sharpe 44 Tkls, 3.5 TFL

Passing Leader

Matthew Caldwell 101-177, 928 yards, 7 TDs

Rushing Leader

Narii Gaither 80/432 yards, 2 TDs

Receiving Leader

Ephraim Floyd 25/275 yards, 1 TD

Defensive Leader

William McRainey 65 Tkls, 4.5 TFL

STAT COMPARISON

30.4	246.4	196.0	442.4		20.6	85.1	285.4	370.6
Scoring Offense	Rushing Yards/Gm	Passing Yards/Gm	Total Offense		Scoring Defense	Rushing Defense/Gm	Passing Defense/Gm	Total Defense
23.3	150.6	181.6	332.1		33.1	124.0	231.1	355.1

SETTING THE SCENE

» The No. 13 ranked University of Tennessee at Martin football program will hit the road for a key Big South-OVC Football Association showdown against defending Big South champion Gardner-Webb on Saturday, Oct. 28. Kickoff from Spangler Stadium is slated for 12:30 p.m. CT on ESPN+.

» The Skyhawks (6-1, 3-0 Big South-OVC) have won six consecutive contests heading into the weekend and currently sit No. 13 in the AFCA Coaches' Poll and No. 14 in the Stats Perform FCS Top 25. The squad is one of nine FCS teams without a loss against a subdivision foe this season joining the likes of Delaware, Florida A&M, Furman, IUW, Lafayette, North Carolina Central, South Dakota and South Dakota State.

» A key reason for the team's winning streak has been its defense which has allowed just seven points in the second half of its last five games. UT Martin pitched defensive shutouts in the second half against Houston Christian, North Alabama, Tennessee State and Charleston Southern while allowing seven points in the fourth quarter against Eastern Illinois. Overall, the Skyhawks rank 22nd nationally with 20.6 points allowed while holding opponents to less than 100 rushing yards in four contests.

» UT Martin ranks in the top-25 nationally in 12 different team categories and 13 individual categories. The squad sits among the nation's top 10 teams in blocked kicks allowed (zero, first), blocked punts allowed (zero, first), winning percentage (85.7 percent, second), rushing offense (246.4 ypg, fifth), net punting (42.39, fifth), rushing defense (84.6 ypg, sixth), team tackles for loss (7.6, seventh) and total offense (442.4 ypg, 10th).

» In the association's preseason poll, Gardner-Webb was predicted to finish second in the league standings while UT Martin was slotted third. The Skyhawks have come out of the gates with an impressive start, posting six FCS victories while possessing a perfect 3-0 mark in league action. Following a win over Charleston Southern last week, the Skyhawks have won eight consecutive league contests – setting a new program record – while boasting a 14-1 record against conference opponents since the 2020-21 campaign. Conversely, the Runnin' Bulldogs dropped their association opener to Tennessee State before evening their record up with a win over Robert Morris.

» Running back Sam Franklin ranks as the nation's leading rusher in both rushing yards (940) and rushing yards per game (134.3 ypg). The sophomore needs 60 yards to become just the 12th player in program history to reach the 1,000-yard plateau for a single season. Meanwhile, defensive end Daylan Dotson ranks in the career top-10 in both sacks (15.5, third) and tackles for loss (28.5, ninth).

» Saturday's contest marks the fifth meeting between the two programs after each team split the first four matchups dating back to 2001. In the most recent matchups back in 2006, first-year head coach Jason Simpson and his squad picked up a 35-9 home victory.

SERIES HISTORY

Series tied 2-2

Last Meeting	Sept. 16, 2006
Game Result	W, 35-9
Streak	W2
First Meeting	Aug. 30, 2001
UTM vs. GWU in Martin	1-1
UTM vs. GWU in Boiling Springs	1-1
Simpson vs. Gardner-Webb	1-0

2023 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

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

SEPTEMBER

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
2	SAT	at #1 Georgia	ESPN+	L, 48-7
9	SAT	MISSOURI STATE	ESPN+	W, 38-31
16	SAT	HOUSTON CHRISTIAN	ESPN+	W, 66-7
23	SAT	at North Alabama	ESPN+	W, 37-21
30	SAT	TENNESSEE STATE*	ESPN+	W, 20-10

OCTOBER

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
7	SAT	at #25 Eastern Illinois	ESPN+	W, 28-27 ^(OT)
21	SAT	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN*	ESPN+	W, 17-0
28	SAT	at Gardner-Webb*	ESPN+	12:30 p.m.

NOVEMBER

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
4	SAT	at Tennessee Tech*	SECN	1:30 p.m.
11	SAT	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI*	ESPN+	2 p.m.
18	SAT	at Samford	ESPN+	Noon

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UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location	Martin, Tenn.
Founded	1900; Senior College, 1951
Enrollment	6,700
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. Yancy Freeman
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	113-85 (18th)
Record at UT Martin	Same
Conference Record	85-47 (18th)

TEAM INFORMATION

2022 Overall Record	7-4
	H: 4-1 A: 3-3
2022 OVC Record/Finish	5-0 (1st)
	H: 3-0 A: 2-0

Basic Offense	Multiple
Basic Defense	Multiple

Starters Returning/Lost

Off: 4/8 Def: 4/7 S/T: 2/1 Total: 10/16

Players Returning

Off: 4/8 Def: 4/7 S/T: 2/1 Total: 10/16

Newcomers

Off: 4/8 Def: 4/7 S/T: 2/1 Total: 10/16

PROGRAM HISTORY

First Year of Football	1925
All-Time Record	398-514-20
Division I Record	155-210
OVC Record	102-131
OVC Championships	3 (2006, 2021, 2022)
FCS Playoff Appearances	2 (2006, 2021)

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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.

SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TV	RESULT	SERIES	NOTES
SEPT 2	#1 GEORGIA BULLDOGS	Athens, Ga.	ESPN+	L, 48-7	0-1	The Skyhawks hung tough holding back-to-back FBS national champion Georgia to just 17 points in the first half and forced five punts
SEPT 9	MISSOURI STATE BEARS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 38-31	2-7	Sam Franklin put the Skyhawks on his back, rushing for 259 yards and three touchdowns as the squad never trailed Missouri State
SEPT 16	HOUSTON CHRISTIAN HUSKIES	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 66-7	2-0	The Skyhawks tallied 707 yards of total offense and forced four turnovers to cruise past HCU
SEPT 23	AT NORTH ALABAMA LIONS	Florence, Ala.	ESPN+	W, 37-21	13-19-1	UT Martin scored 27 unanswered points and shutout North Alabama in the second half on the way to a 16-point victory
SEPT 30	TENNESSEE STATE* TIGERS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 20-10	15-18	The Skyhawks overcame a double-digit deficit in the first half behind a defensive shutout in the second half to push past TSU
OCT 7	AT #25 EASTERN ILLINOIS* PANTHERS	Charleston, ILL.	ESPN+	W, 28-27	14-15	The Skyhawks used a second half comeback and an overtime stop on a two-point conversion to knock off #25 Eastern Illinois on the road
OCT 21	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN BUCCANEERS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 17-0	2-0	Skyhawks posted their first shutout victory since 2017 in front of a big Homecoming crowd
OCT 28	AT GARDNER-WEBB* RUNNIN' BULLDOGS	Boiling Springs, Ga.	ESPN+	12:30 p.m.	2-2	
NOV 4	AT TENNESSEE TECH* GOLDEN EAGLES	Cookeville, Tenn.	ESPN+	1:30 p.m.	20-22-2	
NOV 11	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI* REDHAWKS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	2 p.m.	19-19	
NOV 18	AT SAMFORD BULLDOGS	Birmingham, Ala.	ESPN+	Noon	4-15-1	

SKYHAWK WEEKLY MEDIA AVAILABILITY

» UT Martin football coach Jason Simpson will appear on the Skyhawk Sports Talk radio show and podcast on Mondays from 12 p.m. - 1 p.m. during the season at Zaxby's in Martin. The weekly radio show/podcast will be broadcast live on WUTM 90.3 FM "The Hawk" and later available on demand on UTMSports.com. 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.

BIG SOUTH-OVC WEEKLY CONTENT SESSION

» UT Martin football coach Jason Simpson will be made available for media virtually every Tuesday via Zoom from 10:40-10:50 a.m. please contact Kyle Schwartz in the OVC Office (615-690-6685 or kschwartz@ovc.org) for more info.

COACHES SCHEDULE

8:30-8:40 am	Tre Lamb, Gardner-Webb
9:50-10:00 am	Chris Wilkerson, Eastern Illinois
10:00-10:10 am	Bernard Clark, Robert Morris
10:30-10:40 am	Gabe Giardina, Charleston Southern
10:40-10:50 am	Jason Simpson, UT Martin
10:50-11:00 am	Chris Merritt, Bryant
11:10-11:20 am	Dewayne Alexander, Tennessee Tech
11:20-11:30 am	Tom Matukewicz, Southeast Missouri
11:30-11:40 am	Jed Stugart, Lindenwood
11:50-12:00 pm	Eddie George, Tennessee State

POSTGAME AVAILABILITIES

» Skyhawk head coach Jason Simpson and select players will be made available upon request for a press conference in the Bob Carroll Football Building Multi-Purpose Room at the conclusion of each home game. Reach out to Alex Boggis (dboggis@utm.edu) to request a player.

INTERVIEW POLICIES

» Media interviews with players and coaches are encouraged, and every effort will be made to accommodate media requests. In-person interviews are preferred. Telephone interviews can be arranged through the sports information office.

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.

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

» The Hardy M. Graham Stadium press box is located off University Street, directly above the bleacher seating area. Internet access is available in the press box. Media parking is located in the general parking lot in front of the main entrance.

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.

SKYHAWK SPORTS NETWORK

» The Skyhawks air every football game on the Skyhawk Sports Network and its flagship station Thunderbolt Broadcasting. Games are broadcast on WCMT "Talk and News You Can Use!" with simulcasts on 1410 AM, 100.5 FM, 92.7 FM, 96.1 FM, 99.7 FM and 103.3 FM. The program's weekly radio show with Jason Simpson will be broadcast on WUTM 90.3 FM.



THIS WEEK'S OPPONENT



GARDNER-WEBB RUNNIN' REBELS
(3-4, 1-1 BIG SOUTH-OVC)

RUSHING						
G	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Yds/G	
Narii Gaither	6	80	432	5.4	2	72.0
Jayden Brown	7	64	375	5.9	4	53.6
PASSING						
G	Cmp-Att.	Pct.	Yds	TD	INT	
Matthew Caldwell	5	101-177	57.1	928	7	3
Jaylen King	4	34-57	59.6	338	2	3
RECEIVING						
G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Yds/G	
Ephraim Floyd	7	25	275	11.0	1	39.3
Jonathan Burns	5	19	127	6.7	1	25.4
DEFENSE						
G	Solo	Asst	Total	TFL	Other	
William McRaney	7	31	34	65	4.5	1 INT
Jamari Brown	7	20	26	46	2.5	2 PBU

2023 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Result
9/2	at Appalachian State	L, 45-24
9/9	Elon	W, 34-27
9/16	at Tennessee State*	L, 27-25
9/23	at East Carolina	L, 44-0
10/7	Robert Morris*	W, 31-16
10/14	at Austin Peay	L, 41-14
10/21	Eastern Kentucky	W, 35-32
10/28	UT Martin*	1:30 p.m.
11/4	at Bryant*	1 p.m.
11/11	at Tennessee Tech*	2:30 p.m.
11/18	Charleston Southern*	1 p.m.

QUICK HITS

SKYHAWKS IN NATIONAL POLLS

» UT Martin spent the majority of the 2021 and 2022 campaigns ranked in both national polls on the way to back-to-back OVC championships - including an undefeated league slate in 2022. After five consecutive wins, the Skyhawks are back in both polls, sitting No. 13 in the AFCA Coaches Poll and No. 14 in the Stats Perform FCS Poll and.

Weekly Rankings

•Preseason	AFCA Coaches': RV	Stats Perform: RV
•Sept. 4	AFCA Coaches': -	Stats Perform: RV
•Sept. 11	AFCA Coaches': -	Stats Perform: RV
•Sept. 18	AFCA Coaches': -	Stats Perform: RV
•Sept. 25	AFCA Coaches': RV	Stats Perform: 22
•Oct. 2	AFCA Coaches': 23	Stats Perform: 18
•Oct. 9	AFCA Coaches': 19	Stats Perform: 17
•Oct. 16	AFCA Coaches': 19	Stats Perform: 17
•Oct. 23	AFCA Coaches': 13	Stats Perform: 14

FRANKLIN RUSHING UP CAREER LEADERBOARD

» Skyhawk running back **Sam Franklin** has quickly joined the program's best after take sole possession of 10th place on the school's career rushing touchdowns leaderboard with his 17th touchdown against Charleston Southern. Franklin needs one more touchdowns to reach Henry Williams for ninth.

Career Rushing Touchdowns

Rank	TD	Player	Years
1.	51	Bobby Fowler	1956-59
2.	49	Don Chapman	2004-07
3.	32	Zak Wallace	2019-22
4.	22	Jaimiee Bowe	2015-19
5.	21	DJ McNeil	2010-13
	21	Brandyn Young	2007-09
	21	Darrel Smith	1959-62
8.	20	Larry Shanks	1964-67
9.	18	Henry Williams	1975-78
10.	17	Sam Franklin	2021-23

SHUTOUT VICTORY

» UT Martin picked up a big shutout victory against Charleston Southern on Homecoming by a final score of 17-0. The shutout marked the first for the Skyhawks since the 2017 season when the squad picked up a 24-0 road win over Tennessee Tech. It also marked the first shutout at Hardy Graham Stadium since defeating Union College 63-0 in 2011.

TOUGHEST SCHEDULES

» While UT Martin has jumped out to a 6-1 record, the road has not been easy. To date, the Skyhawks' past opposition ranks as the second toughest strength of schedule in the FCS at 63.6 percent - sitting only behind South Dakota State. Meanwhile, the team's cumulative opposition ranks 13th at 54.8 percent. Both marks rank the highest in the Big South-OVC.

QUEST FOR THREE CONSECUTIVE LEAGUE CROWNS

» UT Martin enters 2023 looking for more after winning back-to-back OVC championships for the first time in school history. After notching the program's first league championship in 15 years in 2021, the Skyhawks cruised to an unbeaten record and its second straight OVC title in 2022. UT Martin is now the latest OVC program to win back-to-back titles since Jacksonville State reigned supreme from 2014-18.

DEFENSE HOLDS THE RUSHING ATTACK

» UT Martin's defense has made moving the ball on the ground difficult all season as the squad ranks sixth nationally in rushing defense at 84.6 yards allowed per game. Through the first seven games, the Skyhawks have limited opponents to fewer than 100 yards in four contests - including a season-low 32 yards against nationally ranked Eastern Illinois.

SECOND HALF DEFENSIVE SHUTOUTS

» The Skyhawks have limited opponents to just seven combined points in the second half of the last five contests. UT Martin pitched defensive shutouts in the second half against Houston Christian, North Alabama, Tennessee State and Charleston Southern while allowing seven points in the fourth quarter against Eastern Illinois.

SIMPSON ON OVC LEADERBOARD

» UT Martin head coach **Jason Simpson** currently ranks fourth in OVC history with 113 wins and trails Charles Murphy for third place by four. Now in his 18th season at UTM, Simpson ranks as the longest tenured coach in the league while sitting first among active OVC coaches in victories.

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. Jason Simpson (UT Martin)	113	85	.571
5. Jimmy Feix (WKU)	99	43	.690

» In OVC play alone, Simpson has a career mark of 85-47 through 18 seasons, more than quadrupling the program's 20-win total which stretched through 14 seasons before his tenure. His 85 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)	85	47	.644
4. Charles Murphy (MTSU)	73	26	.733
5. Bob Spoo (EIU)	68	44	.607



Sophomore specialist **Aidan Laros** was named Big South-OVC Specialist of the Week after a strong week against Charleston Southern. Laros scored five points for the Skyhawks while booming five punts for an average of 49.0 yards per attempt - including a 70-yard blast.

CONFERENCE WINNING STREAK

» With the team's win over Charleston Southern, the Skyhawks pushed their conference winning streak to eight games - marking a new program record. Outside of one loss at the end of the 2021 championship campaign, the Skyhawks have won 14 of their last 15 conferences games dating back to 2020.

OVC SUPREMACY

» Since the 2006 season, UT Martin ranks as the winningest active member in the Ohio Valley Conference with 85 victories. After winning just 20 games in the team's first 14 years in the league, the Skyhawks are 85-47 since 2006 while sitting 15 wins above the closest program in Eastern Illinois (68-60) during that span. The Skyhawks have finished .500 or above in conference play in 16 of the last 18 seasons - including six top-two finishes.

Most Conference Wins Since 2006

Coach (Program)	W	L	%
1. UT Martin	84	47	.644
2. Eastern Illinois	69	62	.523
3. Southeast Missouri	60	71	.454
4. Tennessee State	54	68	.442
5. Tennessee Tech	42	88	.321

RECORD WHEN...

Overall	6-1
vs. Big South-OVC Football Association	3-0
Non-conference record	3-1
Home	4-0
Away	2-1
Day Games	2-0
Night Games	4-1

Offense

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

Defense

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

GAME CAPTAINS

Georgia

Daylan Dotson | Gavin Olson | Tevin Shipp

Missouri State

Carson Evans | Lamar Morgan | Jay Rogers

Houston Christian

Giovanni Davis | Jack Lucas | Josiah Tingley

North Alabama

Drake Carroll | Jarid Johnson | DeVonte Tanksley

Tennessee State

Sam Franklin | Jaylon Sharpe | Vance Van Every

Eastern Illinois

Kinthead Dent | Chris Hunter Jr. | Trevonte Rucker

Charleston Southern

Oshae Baker | Daylan Dotson | Deray Lawrence

Gardner-Webb

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Tennessee Tech

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Southeast Missouri

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Samford

-

QUICK HITS



LAROS NAMED SPECIALIST OF THE WEEK (AGAIN)

» The Skyhawk kicker/punter Aidan Laros was named Big South-OVC Football Specialist of the Week after scoring five of the team's 17 points while flipping the field in the punt game with five punts which averaged 49.0 yards per attempt. While he had three punts of 50 yards or more, his best punt of the season came in the third quarter when launched a 70-yarder which ranked tied for the sixth longest in program history.

DOTSON IS ACTIVE IN THE BACKFIELD

» Skyhawk defensive end Daylan Dotson has been active in the defensive backfield throughout his career by racking up 28.5 tackles for loss - sitting ninth in program history - along with adding 15.5 sacks since the 2020-21 campaign. This season, Dotson has tallied 10.5 tackles for loss which leads the Big South-OVC Football Association.

Career Tackles for Loss

Rank	No.	Player	Year
1.	56.0	Emanuel McNeil	1985-88
2.	50.5	Josh Bey	2007-10
3.	45.0	Tony Bell	2011-14
4.	39.5	Kevin Prather Jr.	2015-18
5.	38.5	DJ Roberts	2009-13
6.	37.0	Anthony Strobrige	1994-97
7.	35.0	James Gilleylen	2014-18
8.	30.5	Andre Plummer	2001-05
9.	28.5	Daylan Dotson	2020-23
10.	27.5	Nick Stamper	1999-01

Career Sacks

Rank	No.	Player	Year
1.	22.5	Tony Bell	2011-14
2.	17.0	Emanuel McNeil	1985-88
3.	15.5	Daylan Dotson	2020-23
4.	15.0	Antonio Strobrige	1994-97
5.	14.0	Andre Plummer	2001-05
	14.0	Charles Gill	1995-97

FRANK THE TANK

» Running back Sam Franklin ranks first nationally in rushing yard per game (134.3 ypg) and rushing yards (940) after eclipsing the 100-yard rushing mark in five contests for the Skyhawks - including two 200-yard performances. His big games include a 259-yard performance against Missouri State before rushing for 221 yards against North Alabama. For his career, Franklin has eclipsed 100 rushing yards in seven contests while tallying 1,683 yards and 17 scores.

Single-Season 1,000-yard Rushers

Rank	Player	Year	Yards
1.	Don Chapman	2006	1,412
2.	Don Chapman	2005	1,396
3.	Abou Toure	2014	1,138
4.	Don Chapman	2007	1,125
5.	Peyton Logan	2021	1,121
6.	DJ McNeil	2013	1,092
7.	Don Chapman	2004	1,084
8.	Larry Washington	1976	1,058
9.	Bobby Fowler	1959	1,058
10.	Zak Wallace	2022	1,012
11.	John Burch	1988	1,002
	Sam Franklin	2023	940

ROLLING INTO THE DOG POUND

» In a battle of team mascots, the Skyhawks play their second of three Bulldog teams of the season with its matchup against the Gardner-Webb Runnin' Bulldogs. UT Martin previously squared off against the Georgia Bulldogs in the season opener before matching up against the Samford Bulldogs (Nov. 18) later this season.

HOME IS WHERE THE WINS ARE

» UT Martin has found success at Hardy Graham Stadium this season with a perfect 4-0 record. Additionally, the Skyhawks have won 20 of their last 23 contests at home since 2019 - including a 13-1 record over the past three seasons. Against Big South-OVC opponents, the Skyhawks have not lost a home contest since Apr. 3, 2020.

LAROS FLIPS THE FIELD

» Specialist Aidan Laros has been a big asset for the Skyhawks, consistently flipping the field with his punting ability. Laros ranks first nationally with 48.0 yards per punt while the team ranks fifth nationally in net punting with 42.6 yards. He has also booted 13 50+ yard punts - including a season-long 70-yard attempt against Charleston Southern which ranks as the sixth longest punt in program history. He has also pinned opponents inside the 20 yard line 10 times.

FRANKLIN IS PRIMED FOR A BIG PLAY

» With eight touchdowns in his career of 40 yards or more, sophomore Sam Franklin has shown his ability to make a big play. After scoring touchdowns of 89, 86 and 65 yards on the ground in 2022, he has added touchdowns of 43, 46, 49, 74 and 81 this season. As a whole, he has tallied 22 plays totaling 20 yards or more - including 11 touchdowns.

DOTSON STRIPS IT LOOSE

» With a forced fumble against Charleston Southern defensive end Daylan Dotson moved into a tie for fourth place all-time in career forced fumbles - matching Kevin Prather, Jr. and David Gilmore with six strips each. Dotson now trails the all-time leader Markeseo Jackson by three.

Career Forced Fumbles

Rank	No.	Player	Year
1.	9	Markeseo Jackson	2003-06
2.	7	Nick Stamper	1999-01
3.	7	Tony Bell	2011-14
4.	6	Daylan Dotson	2020-23
	6	Kevin Prather, Jr.	2015-18
	6	David Gilmore	2003-06

BAKER WITH THE PASS BREAKUP

» Defensive back Oshae Baker has started for the Skyhawks since he was a true freshman in 2020 and has soared up the program's record book for career pass breakups, tallying 24 breakups and six interceptions. He needs just six breakups to tie the program record of 30 breakups set by Chris Jones (1996-97).

Career Pass Breakups

Rank	No.	Player	Years
1.	30	Chris Jones	1996-97
2.	24	Oshae Baker	2020-23
3.	23	Jerry Reese	1981-84
	23	James Brown	1992-95
5.	21	Trent Findley	2003-06
	21	Rayvon Sims	2003-06

OFFENSE IS ROLLING

» The Skyhawks currently rank fifth nationally in rushing offense (246.4 ypg) and 10 in total offense (464.5 ypg).

QUICK HITS

OVERTIME VICTORY

» UT Martin picked up its first overtime victory in 20 years after going on the road and knocking off Eastern Illinois by a final score of 28-27. The victory marked just the third overtime victory in program history and first since Oct. 4, 2003 vs Tennessee Tech.

Overtime Contests

Date	Opponent	Decision
10/7/23	at Eastern Illinois	W, 28-27
11/17/18	at Tennessee State	L, 31-28
10/20/18	at Eastern Illinois	L, 24-21
10/4/03	vs. Tennessee Tech	W, 30-23
9/11/03	vs. East Tennessee State	L, 14-7
9/11/99	vs. Lambuth	W, 25-19
10/17/98	vs. Tennessee Tech	L, 31-24

TENNESSEE TOUGH, MARTIN MADE

» Under the direction of head coach **Jason Simpson**, the Skyhawks have taken pride in winning games against in-state opponents. Since 2014, the Skyhawks have posted a 24-8 record against in-state foes while possessing the second-best overall winning percentage of all Division I programs in the state (FBS and FCS) since 2010 at 56.4 percent.

RANKED SHOWDOWN IN THE LAND OF LINCOLN

» When the Skyhawks and Panthers squared off, it marked the first time that the two programs have gone head-to-head as nationally ranked opponents since the 2006 campaign. UT Martin entered the contest ranked 18th in the Stats Perform FCS Poll while Eastern Illinois sat 25th before the Skyhawks came out victorious with a 28-27 overtime victory.

» In the only other previously ranked matchup, the No. 12 ranked Skyhawks defeated the No. 14 ranked Panthers on Oct. 28, 2006 by a final score of 15-9 in a game which ultimately decided the conference championship bid. Despite both teams finishing with one loss in conference play, UT Martin received its first FCS playoff berth courtesy of the head-to-head victory.

NIGHT HAWKS

» The Skyhawks used their keen vision to find success during the month of September by playing all five of their games at night. During night games, UT Martin posted a 4-1 record - with the team's lone loss coming at FBS two-time defending national champion Georgia in the season opener.

DOWN BUT NOT OUT

» The Skyhawks faced first half double-digit deficits in back-to-back games against North Alabama and Tennessee State before finding a way to win. A big reason for the team's comeback success has been its defensive presence following three consecutive games in which the Skyhawks have shutout their opponent in the second half against HCU, North Alabama and Tennessee State.

SGT. YORK TROPHY SERIES

» UT Martin opened the 17th annual **Sgt. York Trophy** series on the right foot with a 20-10 victory over Tennessee State to take an early lead in the quest for the program's 11th trophy championship. The Sgt. York Trophy goes to the winner of the season football series between the Ohio Valley Conference schools located in the state of Tennessee - including Tennessee State, Tennessee Tech and UT Martin.

» UT Martin has claimed the Sgt. York Trophy every year since 2018 and 10 times overall. The Skyhawks boast a 35-13 record in the series - the best mark of the three school - and have won outright or shared the traveling trophy in 2010, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022.

RUSHING TOUCHDOWN TRIFECTA

» Skyhawk running back **Sam Franklin** found the endzone three times in a win against Missouri State in Week 2. Franklin has now tallied two games with three touchdowns in his career - joining a list of eight individuals during UT Martin's Division I era to record three touchdowns on 20 occasions.

Three Rushing Touchdowns	Times
Don Chapman	8
Zak Wallace	3
Sam Franklin	2
Brady Wahlbert	2
Miguel Barnes	2
Brandyn Young	1
Jason McNair	1
Abou Toure	1

BIG SOUTH-OVC FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION

» In February 2022 the Big South Conference and Ohio Valley Conference announced the creation of an association of their football member institutions, to begin with the 2023 NCAA Division I football season and have an initial term of at least four years.

» Schools in the association are Bryant, Charleston Southern, Eastern Illinois, Gardner-Webb, Lindenwood, Robert Morris, Southeast Missouri, Tennessee State, Tennessee Tech and UT Martin.

UT MARTIN PICKED TO FINISH THIRD IN BIG-SOUTH OVC FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION POLL

» After winning back-to-back OVC championships in 2021 and 2022, UT Martin has been picked to finish third in the inaugural Big South-OVC Football Association Preseason Poll. The Skyhawks received 85 total points and one first place vote from the association's head coaches.

1. Southeast Missouri (6 first place) - 96 points
2. Gardner-Webb (2) - 86
3. **UT Martin (1) - 85**
4. Tennessee Tech (1) - 58
5. Tennessee State - 57
6. Bryant - 48
7. Lindenwood - 45
8. Eastern Illinois - 33
9. Charleston Southern - 30
10. Robert Morris - 12

POUNDING THE GROUND ATTACK

» UT Martin put a heavy emphasis on the ground attack against Missouri State and racked up 405 rushing yards on 41 carries. The Skyhawks averaged 9.9 yards per rush and ranked as the most rushing yards since UT Martin ran for 531 yards against Murray State on Nov. 10, 2007 - a span of 171 games.

700 YARDS OF TOTAL OFFENSE

» UT Martin posted a dominating offensive performance against Houston Christian, racking up 707 yards of total offense. Not only did the yardage rank as a FCS single-game high this season, but ranked as the second-best yardage total in school history - sitting only behind a 821-yard performance against Murray State in 2007 - a stretch of 172 games.

SIX IS A SERIOUS NUMBER

» While the Skyhawks did not set a school record for passing touchdowns against HCU, the contest did mark the first time in program history that six different receivers caught touchdown passes with **DeVonte Tanksley, Trevonte Rucker, Shawn Hardy II, Ajay Smith, Marlon Cook, Jr.** and **Zoe Roberts** each finding the endzone.

TOP PERFORMANCES

300-YARD PASSING PERFORMANCES

Kinkead Dent (1 career | 1 in 2023)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
347	vs. Houston Christian	9/16/23	W, 66-7

100-YARD RUSHING PERFORMANCES

Sam Franklin (7 career | 5 in 2023)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
259	vs. Missouri State	9/9/23	W, 38-31
221	at North Alabama	9/23/23	W, 37-21
157	at Murray State	10/8/22	W, 45-16
139	at Houston Christian	10/29/22	W, 52-28
132	vs. Tennessee State	9/30/23	W, 20-10
127	vs. Houston Christian	9/16/23	W, 66-7
101	vs. Charleston Southern	10/21/23	W, 17-0

100-YARD RECEIVING PERFORMANCES

DeVonte Tanksley (2 career | 1 in 2023)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
220	at Murray State	10/8/22	W, 45-16
120	vs. Houston Christian	9/16/23	W, 66-7

DOUBLE-DIGITAL TACKLE PERFORMANCES

Oshae Baker (1 career | 1 in 2023)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
10	vs. Missouri State	9/9/23	W, 38-31

Daylan Dotson [2 career | 1 in 2023]

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
14	vs. Kennesaw State	11/5/22	L, 44-27
10	vs. Missouri State	9/9/23	W, 38-31

Carson Evans (1 career | 1 in 2023)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
14	vs. Missouri State	9/9/23	W, 38-31

MULTI-SACK PERFORMANCES

Daylan Dotson [6 career | 2 in 2023]

Tot	Opponent	Date	Score
2.0	at Boise State	9/17/22	L, 30-7
2.0	at Houston Christian	10/29/22	W, 52-28
2.0	vs. Charleston Southern	10/21/23	W, 17-0
1.5	vs. Lindenwood	9/24/22	W, 56-26
1.5	vs. Tennessee State	11/6/21	W, 41-20
1.5	vs. Houston Christian	9/16/23	W, 66-7

NATIONAL POLLS

AFCA FCS COACHES POLL

TEAM (FIRST-PLACE VOTES)	RECORD	PTS
1. South Dakota St. (26)	7-0	650
2. Montana St.	6-1	623
3. Furman	6-1	587
4. UIW	6-1	545
5. Montana	6-1	537
6. Delaware	6-1	510
7. Sacramento St.	5-2	475
8. Idaho	5-2	471
9. South Dakota	6-1	423
10. North Carolina Central	6-1	418
11. North Dakota St.	5-2	388
12. Southern Illinois	5-2	343
13. UT Martin	6-1	314
14. Florida A&M	6-1	304
15. Chattanooga	6-2	266
16. Western Carolina	5-2	253
17. North Dakota	4-3	198
18. Central Arkansas	5-2	197
19. Lafayette	6-1	120
20. Austin Peay	5-2	116
New Hampshire	4-3	116
22. Holy Cross	4-3	108
23. Harvard	5-1	87
24. William & Mary	4-3	83
25. UC Davis	4-3	82

Others (Big South-OVC Only): Eastern Illinois (1)



STATS PERFORM FCS POLL

TEAM (FIRST-PLACE VOTES)	RECORD	PTS
1. South Dakota State (56)	7-0	1,400
2. Montana State	6-1	1,342
3. Furman	6-1	1,266
4. South Dakota	6-1	1,133
5. Delaware	6-1	1,079
6. Sacramento State	5-2	1,074
7. Montana	6-1	1,056
8. UIW	6-1	1,038
9. Idaho	5-2	1,005
10. Western Carolina	5-2	829
11. Southern Illinois	5-2	768
12. North Dakota State	5-2	750
13. North Carolina Central	6-1	703
14. UT Martin	6-1	677
15. North Dakota	4-3	596
16. Florida A&M	6-1	497
17. Chattanooga	6-2	462
18. Central Arkansas	5-2	461
19. Villanova	5-2	319
20. Austin Peay	5-2	227
21. Lafayette	6-1	218
22. William & Mary	4-3	213
23. Northern Iowa	4-3	196
24. Youngstown State	4-3	181
25. UC Davis	4-3	164

Others (Big South-OVC Only): Tennessee State (6)

QUICK HITS

DENT AIRS IT OUT

» Skyhawk quarterback **Kinkead Dent** had a big day against Houston Christian after throwing five touchdowns in the victory. The contest marked the seventh time that a Skyhawk has thrown for five or more touchdowns, joining Derek Carr (3x), Jarod Neal (2x) and John Bachus III.

Player vs Opponent	Year	TDs
Derek Carr vs. Jacksonville State	2012	7
Derek Carr at Murray State	2012	7
Derek Carr vs. Austin Peay	2011	6
Jarod Neal vs. Bethel	2015	6
Kinkead Dent vs. Houston Christian	2023	5
John Bachus III at Tennessee Tech	2019	5
Jarod Neal vs. Murray State	2015	5

SKYHAWKS IN THE NATIONAL RANKINGS

» UT Martin ranks in the top-25 nationally in 12 different team categories and 13 individual categories. The squad sits among the nation's top 10 teams in blocked kicks allowed (zero, first), blocked punts allowed (zero, first), winning percentage (85.7 percent, second), rushing offense (246.4 ypg, fifth), net punting (42.39, fifth), rushing defense (84.6 ypg, sixth), team tackles for loss (7.6, seventh) and total offense (442.4 ypg, 10th).

NCAA Team Statistic	OVC Rank	Rank	Value
Blocked Kicks Allowed	1	1	0
Blocked Punts Allowed	1	1	0
Winning Percentage	2	1	.857
Rushing Offense	5	1	246.4
Net Punting	5	1	42.39
Rushing Defense	6	1	84.6
Team Tackles for Loss	7	1	7.6
Total Offense	10	1	442.4
4th Down Conversion Pct	13	1	.692
Kickoff Returns	18	3	22.92
Punt Return Defense	19	2	3.4
Scoring Defense	22	1	20.6

Individual Statistic	Player	NCAA Rnk	OVC Rnk	Value
All Purpose	Franklin	10	1	140.71
Kickoff Return TDs	LeFlore	4	1	1
Kickoff Returns	LeFlore	20	3	24.8
Passing TDs	Dent	21	1	13
Points Responsible For	Dent	22	1	90
Points Responsible/Gm	Dent	24	1	12.9
Punting	Laros	1	1	48.0
Rush Yards/Carry	Franklin	12	1	6.76
Rushing TDs	Franklin	12	1	8
Rushing Yards	Franklin	1	1	134.3
Rushing Yards/Gm	Franklin	1	1	134.3
Tackles for Loss	Dotson	13	2	1.5
Total Touchdowns	Franklin	19	1	8

DOTSON NAMED TO BUCK BUCHANAN AWARD PRESEASON WATCH LIST

» UT Martin defensive end Daylan Dotson has been named to the preseason watch list for the prestigious 2023 Buck Buchanan Award presented by FedEx Ground for the national defensive player of the year in college football's Division I subdivision. Dotson is one of 35 players announced to the preseason watch list. All 15 FCS conferences, which combine to form 13 leagues, are represented on the watch list, including 13 past finalists.

JUMPING ON THE LOOSE BALL

» Junior defensive end **Daylan Dotson** has had a knack for jumping on loose balls with four fumble recoveries in his career. With a fumble recovery against Missouri State, Dotson ranks tied for seventh in school history.

MOVE THE CHAINS

» Along with the team's 707 yards of total offense in the win over Houston Christian, the Skyhawks also set a new school record by racking up 32 first downs. The performance bested the program's previous record of 30 set against Bethel in 1995.

LAROS CONTINUES ATHLETIC FAMILY TREE

» Specialist **Aidan Laros** is keeping the athletic family tree going after his father, Adrian, played 14 seasons of Division I rugby in South Africa and three seasons of professional rugby in France. Additionally, his grandfather, Paul Ripchik, was a left-handed pitcher in the Canadian League in the late 1950s.

LEFLORE BREAKS LOOSE

» Newcomer **Narkel LeFlore** has tallied three kickoff returns of 20 yards or more this season but his big return came against Houston Christian when he opened the second half with a 95-yard touchdown. The scamper ranked as the first kickoff return for a touchdown since Peyton Logan also returned a kick 95 yards against ECU in 2017.

SCORING IN BUNCHES

» The Skyhawks put up points in bunches in the team's win over Houston Christian. UT Martin scored on its opening offensive drive of the game and never looked back on the way to nine touchdowns and 66 points. The team's 66 points ranked as the highest scoring output against a FCS opponent since a 66-59 victory at Murray State on Oct. 13, 2012.

BATTLE FOR THE VOLUNTEER STATE

Football has been a storied part of the state of Tennessee's history for decades. Dating back to the 2010 season, UT Martin ranks second in the state - including all Division I universities - in winning percentage at 56.7 percent. The Skyhawks are 24-8 against in-state foes since 2014.

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	Total (%)
Chattanooga	6-2	7-4	6-5	3-2	6-6	6-5	3-8	9-4	9-4	10-4	8-4	6-5	5-6	5-6	89-65 (57.8)
UT Martin	6-1	7-4	10-3	3-4	7-5	2-9	6-5	7-5	7-4	5-6	8-3	5-7	6-5	6-5	86-65 (57.0)
Memphis	5-2	7-6	6-6	8-3	12-2	8-6	10-3	8-5	9-4	10-3	3-9	4-8	2-10	1-11	93-78 (54.4)
Tennessee	5-2	11-2	7-6	3-7	8-5	5-7	4-8	9-4	9-4	7-6	5-7	5-7	6-7	7-5	91-77 (54.2)
Middle Tennessee	2-5	8-5	7-6	3-6	4-8	8-6	7-6	8-5	7-6	6-6	8-5	8-4	2-10	6-7	84-85 (49.7)
ETSU	2-5	3-8	11-2	4-2	3-9	8-4	4-7	5-6	2-9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	42-52 (44.7)
Tennessee State	5-2	4-7	5-6	2-5	3-9	4-5	6-5	7-4	4-6	5-6	10-3	8-3	5-6	3-8	71-75 (48.6)
Vanderbilt	2-6	5-7	2-10	0-9	3-9	6-7	5-7	6-7	4-8	3-9	9-4	9-4	6-7	2-10	62-104 (37.3)
Tennessee Tech	2-5	4-7	3-8	2-5	6-6	1-10	1-11	5-6	4-7	5-7	5-7	3-8	7-4	5-6	53-97 (35.3)
Austin Peay	5-2	7-4	6-5	4-5	11-4	5-6	8-4	0-11	0-11	1-11	0-12	2-9	3-8	2-9	54-101 (34.8)

QUICK HITS

FINAL CONTEST OF TWO-YEAR OVC-SOUTHLAND SCHEDULING ALLIANCE

» The team's Week 3 matchup against HCU marked the second and final matchup for the Skyhawks in the OVC-Southland Scheduling Alliance announced back in 2021 which paired the conferences head-to-head during the 2022 and 2023 campaigns. There have been 10 matchups on the schedule with OVC teams going 8-2 against Southland schools - including the Skyhawks sweeping their two matchups against HCU.

SKYHAWK DEBUTS

» 30 different players have made their UT Martin debut this season. Five Skyhawks made their debut as starters including **Drake Carroll** (OL), **Marlon Cook, Jr.** (WR), **Kinkead Dent** (QB), **Noah Hayes** (OL), and **Vance Van Every** (OL).

» Meanwhile, Ygenio Booker (WR), Taylor Burton (DL), Glover Cook III (RB), Logan Crouch (OL), Robert Daniel, Jr. (S), Jabaree Dawkins (OL), Na'Drian Dizadare (OLB), Max Dowling (TE), Ge'Mon Eaford (OLB), Jeremiah Edwards (WR), Davion Hampton (WR), Shawn Hardy II (WR), Corey Harris (RB), Josh Hastings (S), Celeycan Hill (S), Calvontay Key (DB), Aidan Laros (K/P), Narkel LeFlore (RB), Quincy Hamilton (S), Davonte Murray (DE), Colton Peoples (LS), AJ Robinson, Jr. (S), Trevonte Rucker (WR), Christian Stapleton (TE) and Asa Wondeh (WR) have also seen action this season.

SKYHAWKS IN THE NFL

» UT Martin currently has four alums with NFL ties heading into training camp while seven former assistant coaches hold current coaching positions throughout the league. Wide receiver **Colton Dowell** was selected in the seventh round of the 2023 NFL Draft by the Tennessee Titans. Dowell made the active roster for the Titans while former tight end **Rodney Williams** claimed a spot on the practice squad for the Pittsburgh Steelers and wide receiver **Jaylon Moore** is currently on injured reserve with the Jacksonville Jaguars. Former quarterback **Dresser Winn** signed an undrafted free agent contract with the Los Angeles Rams but was waived prior to the season.

Player	Team
Colton Dowell (WR)	Titans
Jaylon Moore (WR)	Jaguars
Rodney Williams (TE)	Steelers
Dresser Winn (QB)	Rams

Coach	Team
Will Burnham (Asst. S/T)	Texans
Demarcus Covington (DL)	Patriots
Keith Jones (Fellowship)	Patriots
Matt Jones (Asst. OL)	Titans
Clinton McMillan (Asst. DL)	Titans
Ryan Nielsen (DC)	Falcons
Justin Rascati (Asst. OL)	Vikings

FATHER AND SON COACHING DUO

» While there are family ties all throughout college football, UT Martin has formed a family reunion with a father and son coaching combination. Entering his first season as the team's assistant head coach and safeties coach, **Jerry Partridge** is the father of second-year pass-game coordinator **Travis Partridge**. The tandem's ties go beyond their current coaching ranks as Travis played quarterback (2009-13) for his father Jerry while he was the head coach at Missouri Western State (1997-2016).



DAYLAN DOTSON NAMED TO 2024 REESE'S SENIOR BOWL WATCH LIST

» Standout defensive end **Daylan Dotson** has been named to the prestigious 2024 Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List. The Reese's Senior Bowl is the nation's most prestigious college all-star game and it annually serves as the first step in the NFL Draft Process. He is one of only 50 FCS players named to the list while ranking as one of three members from the Big South-OVC Football Association - joining Gardner-Webb's Ty French and Southeast Missouri's Ryan Flournoy.

DIPPING INTO THE TRANSFER PORTAL

» The Skyhawks added to a veteran return group this offseason by dipping into the transfer portal and acquiring talent. The Skyhawks brought in seven graduate transfer in wide receiver **Ygenio Booker** (Tulane), wide receiver **Marlon Cook, Jr.** (Shepherd), safety **Robert Daniel, Jr.** (Eastern Michigan), quarterback **Kinkead Dent** (Ole Miss), outside linebacker **Na'Drian Dizadare** (Oklahoma State), outside linebacker **Ge'Mon Eaford** (Bethune Cookman), offensive guard **Noah Hayes** (Arkansas Pine Bluff) and cornerback **Calvontay Key** (Alcorn State).

» UT Martin also welcomes in running back Glover Cook III (Florida Atlantic), tight end Max Dowling (Kansas), wide receiver Shawn Hardy II (Nebraska), safety Josh Hastings (Memphis), specialist Aidan Laros (Charlotte), running back Narkel LeFlore (McKendree), defensive end Davonte Murray (Notre Dame College), outside linebacker Michael Pleas, Jr. (Jackson State), wide receiver Trevonte Rucker (Jackson State), wide receiver Keenan Speer-Johnson (Nevada), center Vance Van Every (Ohio) and wide receiver Asa Wondeh (Eastern New Mexico).

SIX SKYHAWKS NAMED BIG SOUTH-OVC PRESEASON PLAYERS TO WATCH LIST

» Six Skyhawk were named to the inaugural Big South-OVC Football Association Preseason Player to Watch List. The Skyhawk group includes five players on offense and one on defense running back **Sam Franklin**, wide receiver **DeVonte Tanksley**, tight end **DJ Nelson**, offensive lineman **Gavin Olson**, offensive lineman **Lamar Morgan** and defensive end **Daylan Dotson** making the list.

11 SKYHAWKS EARN SPOT ON PHIL STEELE PRESEASON ALL-CONFERENCE LIST

» A total of 11 UT Martin football players garnered spots on the annual Phil Steele Preseason All- Big South-OVC teams. UT Martin garnered six players on the first team led by **DeVonte Tanksley** (wide receiver), **DJ Nelson** (tight end), **Lamar Morgan** (offensive line), **Gavin Olson** (offensive line), **Daylan Dotson** (defensive end) and **Oshae Baker** (all-purpose). The second team was comprised of **Sam Franklin** (running back) and **Baker** (cornerback) while **Jay Rogers** (defensive tackle) and **Baker** (punt returner) were added to the third team. Rounding out the list was **Giovanni Davis** (defensive tackle), **Tevin Shipp** (linebacker) and **Carson Evans** (rover) on the fourth list.

HONORS AND AWARDS

OSHA BAKER (DB)

Phil Steele Preseason Big South-OVC Team
The Bluebloods Preseason Big South-OVC Team
HERO Sports Top-25 Returning FCS Safety (#25)

GIOVANNI DAVIS (DT)

Phil Steele Preseason Big South-OVC Team

DAYLAN DOTSON (DE)

Buck Buchanan Award Preseason Watch List
Stats Perform FCS Preseason All-American
Phil Steele FCS Preseason All-American
The Bluebloods FCS Preseason All-American
Big South-OVC Preseason Player to Watch
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The Bluebloods Preseason Big South-OVC Team
HERO Sports Top-25 Returning FCS DL (#13)
2024 Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List
2024 Shrine Bowl Watch List

MAX DOWLING (TE)

Big South-OVC Freshman of the Week (10/9)

CARSON EVANS (S)

Phil Steele Preseason Big South-OVC Team

SAM FRANKLIN (RB)

Big South-OVC Offensive Player of the Week (9/11)
TSWA Offensive Player of the Week (9/12)
Big South-OVC Offensive Player of the Week (9/25)
TSWA Offensive Player of the Week (9/19)
Big South-OVC Offensive Player of the Week (10/2)
CFPA FCS National Performer of the Week HM (9/10)
Big South-OVC Preseason Player to Watch
The Bluebloods Preseason Big South-OVC Team
Phil Steele Preseason Big South-OVC Team
HERO Sports Top-25 Returning FCS RB (#20)

CHRIS HUNTER JR (LB)

Big South-OVC Defensive Player of the Week (9/23)

AIDAN LAROS (K/P)

Big South-OVC Specialist of the Week (10/2)
Big South-OVC Specialist of the Week (10/23)

LAMAR MORGAN (OL)

Big South-OVC Preseason Player to Watch
Phil Steele Preseason Big South-OVC Team
The Bluebloods Preseason Big South-OVC Team

DJ NELSON (TE)

Phil Steele FCS Preseason All-American
Big South-OVC Preseason Player to Watch
The Bluebloods Preseason Big South-OVC Team
HERO Sports Top-25 Returning FCS TE (#10)

GAVIN OLSON (OL)

Phil Steele FCS Preseason All-American
Stats Perform FCS Preseason All-American
Big South-OVC Preseason Player to Watch
Phil Steele Preseason Big South-OVC Team
The Bluebloods Preseason Big South-OVC Team

JAY ROGERS (DT)

Phil Steele Preseason Big South-OVC Team
The Bluebloods Preseason Big South-OVC Team

TEVIN SHIPP (LB)

Phil Steele Preseason Big South-OVC Team

DEVONTE TANKSLEY (WR)

Big South-OVC Preseason Player to Watch
Phil Steele Preseason Big South-OVC Team
The Bluebloods Preseason Big South-OVC Team

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.
25	Isaiah Abdullah	LB
29	Kaleb Almo	S
74	Mitchell Appleton	OL
0	Oshae Baker	CB
35	Steven Ballard	LB
66	Adrian Barrett	OL
96	Emmanuel Belgrave	DE
43	Jaren Bowling	TE
85	Austin Bray	TE
95	Taylor Burton	NT
12	Cal Camp	QB
97	Toby Camp	DT
38	Grayson Campbell	P
65	Drake Carroll	OL
[24]	Joel Castleberry	CB
3	Jordan Castleberry	RB
60	Branson Conner	OL
9	Marlon Cook, Jr.	WR
15	Glover Cook III	RB
13	Jermaine Cooley	DT
71	Logan Crouch	OL
41	Bryce Dailey	OLB
21	Robert Daniel Jr.	S
8	Giovanni Davis	DT
73	Jabaree Dawkins	OL
8	Kinthead Dent	QB
16	Na'Drian Dizadare	OLB
1	Daylan Dotson	DE
94	Christian Dowell	NT
87	Max Dowling	TE
17	Ge'Mon Eaford	OLB
76	Jason Eaton	OL
84	Jeremiah Edwards	WR
75	Nick Edwards	OL
12	Carson Evans	S
88	Parker Floyd	TE
[37]	Chris Franklin	S
2	Sam Franklin	RB
80	Jaden Gibbs	WR
34	Wyatt Gilbert	S
19	Armar Gordon, Jr.	QB
[40]	Shaun Groves	CB
28	Vincent Guy	CB
61	Greg Gyenis	OL
27	Quincy Hamilton	S
81	Davion Hampton	WR
14	Shawn Hardy II	WR
21	Corey Harris, Jr.	RB
5	Josh Hastings	S
10	Brayden Hawkins	QB
78	Noah Hayes	OL
23	Celeycan Hill	S
7	Chris Hunter, Jr.	LB
70	Chris Hunter III	OL
[23]	Antonio Jackson	S
44	Jarid Johnson	NT
83	Jevon Johnson	WR
67	Ashton Kershner	OL
22	Calvontay Key	CB
40	Hayden King	LS
44	Brett Kuczynski	LS
48	Aidan Laros	K
89	Deray Lawrence	WR
7	Narkel LeFlore	RB
86	Robert Lilley-Sneed	WR
19	Jack Lucas	S
50	AJ Marquez	OL
42	Jamal Mayers	CB
20	JaMichael McGoy, Jr.	CB
77	Lamar Morgan	OL
[80]	Will Morris	WR
10	Davonte Murray	DE
[88]	Jaden Nash	WR
5	DJ Nelson	TE
[98]	Alex Nolen	K/P

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
0	Oshae Baker	CB	5-10	200	Jr.	Sanford, Fla. (Seminole HS)
1	Daylan Dotson	DE	6-3	255	Jr.	Savannah, Ga. (Jenkins HS)
2	Sam Franklin	RB	5-10	200	R-So.	Little Rock, Ark. (Central HS)
3	Jordan Castleberry	RB	5-8	180	R-Jr.	Cleveland, Ohio (Maryland)
4	DeVonte Tanksley	WR	5-10	160	R-Jr.	Belle Glade, Fla. (Catawba CC)
5	Josh Hastings	S	6-1	200	R-So.	Cordova, Tenn. (Memphis)
5	DJ Nelson	TE	6-5	230	R-So.	York, Ala. (Selma HS)
6	Zoe Roberts	WR	5-11	180	Jr.	Perry, Fla. (Taylor County HS)
6	Jay Rogers	DT	6-3	285	R-Sr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Northern Colorado)
7	Chris Hunter, Jr.	LB	6-1	235	R-Jr.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Army Prep)
7	Narkel LeFlore	RB	5-9	170	Jr.	Chicago, Ill. (McKendree)
8	Giovanni Davis	DT	6-3	255	Jr.	Miami Gardens, Fla. (Dr. Krop HS)
8	Kinthead Dent	QB	6-4	210	Gr.	Yazoo City, Miss. (Ole Miss)
9	Marlon Cook, Jr.	WR	6-2	200	Gr.	Malden, Mass. (Shepherd University)
9	Jaylon Sharpe	LB	6-2	230	R-Jr.	Charlotte, NC (Charlotte)
10	Brayden Hawkins	QB	6-3	210	R-Sr.	Charlotte, NC (Ferrum College)
10	Davonte Murray	DE	6-3	260	R-So.	Detroit, Mich. (Notre Dame College)
11	Tevin Shipp	LB	6-2	230	Gr.	Smyrna, Tenn. (Smyrna HS)
11	Kody Sparks	QB	6-5	220	R-So.	Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Bowling Green)
12	Cal Camp	QB	6-3	200	R-Fr.	Madison, Ga. (Morgan County HS)
12	Carson Evans	S	6-1	180	R-Jr.	Memphis, Tenn. (First Assembly Christian)
13	Jermaine Cooley	DT	6-2	255	Sr.	Dublin, Ga. (Dublin HS)
13	Trevonte Rucker	WR	6-1	175	Jr.	Ocala, Fla. (Jackson State)
14	Shawn Hardy II	WR	6-2	190	R-So.	Kingsland, Ga. (Nebraska)
15	Glover Cook III	RB	6-1	180	R-Jr.	Ocala, Fla. (Florida Atlantic)
16*	Na'Drian Dizadare	OLB	6-2	225	Gr.	Shreveport, La. (Oklahoma State)
17	Ge'Mon Eaford	OLB	6-2	230	Gr.	Deerfield Beach, Fla. (Bethune Cookman)
17*	Asa Wondeh	WR	6-0	170	Sr.	Vacaville, Calif. (Eastern New Mexico)
18	Ajay Smith	WR	6-4	190	Sr.	Detroit, Mich. (Independence CC)
19	Jack Lucas	S	6-0	175	R-Jr.	Louisville, Ky. (Louisville Male)
20	JaMichael McGoy, Jr.	CB	5-10	170	R-So.	Chattanooga, Tenn. (Boyd-Buchanan HS)
21	Robert Daniel Jr.	S	6-0	200	Gr.	Oak Park, Mich. (Eastern Michigan)
21	Corey Harris, Jr.	RB	6-0	180	Fr.	Lake Wales, Fla. (Lake Wales HS)
22	Calvontay Key	CB	6-2	170	Gr.	Belle Glade, Fla. (Alcorn State)
23	Celeycan Hill	S	6-4	165	Jr.	Brandon, Miss. (Holmes CC)
24	Airius Trice	S	6-1	170	R-So.	Shelbyville, Tenn. (Bethel)
25	Isaiah Abdullah	LB	6-3	215	R-Jr.	Los Angeles, Calif. (Wyoming)
26	AJ Robinson Jr.	S	5-10	180	R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Whitehaven HS)
27	Quincy Hamilton	S	6-0	180	Fr.	Martin, Tenn. (Westview HS)
28	Vincent Guy	CB	6-0	180	R-Jr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Whitehaven HS)
29	Kaleb Almo	S	6-0	200	So.	Memphis, Tenn. (PURE Youth Athletics Alliance)
30	Charles Perkins	DT	6-3	285	R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Memphis Aca. of Health Sciences HS)
31	LaMarion Pierce	CB	6-0	160	R-Fr.	Lewisburg, Tenn. (Marshall County HS)
32	Kobe Okeke	OLB	6-1	225	R-So.	Smyrna, Tenn. (Birmingham Sports Academy)
34	Wyatt Gilbert	S	5-11	180	R-So.	Fairfield, Ill. (Fairfield HS)
35	Steven Ballard	LB	6-1	200	R-So.	Milan, Tenn. (Milan HS)
36	Shamari Weir	LB	6-0	215	R-So.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Coconut Creek HS)
37	Ryan Young	K	6-1	150	R-Fr.	Nashville, Tenn. (Lipscomb Academy)
38	Grayson Campbell	P	5-11	170	R-Fr.	Lebanon, Tenn. (Lebanon HS)
39	Tyler Pugh	S	5-10	175	R-So.	Loganville, Ga. (Grayson HS)
40	Barrett Powers	LS	6-3	250	R-Fr.	Cornersville, Tenn. (Cornersville HS)
41	Bryce Dailey	OLB	6-4	240	R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Christian Brothers HS)
42	Jamal Mayers	CB	5-10	150	Fr.	Madison, Ala. (James Clemens HS)
42	Colton Peoples	LS	6-4	230	So.	Alexandria, Ky. (Notre Dame College)
43	Hayden Smith	LB	6-1	205	Fr.	Martin, Tenn. (Westview HS)
44	Jarid Johnson	NT	6-2	295	Gr.	Pascagoula, Miss. (Pearl River CC)
45	Christian Stapleton	TE	6-1	220	R-Fr.	Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Middle Tennessee)
48	Aidan Laros	K	6-2	210	R-So.	Cape Town, South Africa (Charlotte)
52	Brett Kuczynski	LS	6-0	235	R-So.	Lombard, Ill. (Louisville)
55	Vance Van Every	OL	6-2	290	Jr.	Hernando, Miss. (Ohio)
61	Greg Gyenis	OL	6-3	320	R-So.	Tampa, Fla. (Jesuit HS)
62	Josiah Tingley	OL	6-2	295	R-So.	Cordova, Tenn. (Evangelical Christian HS)
65	Drake Carroll	OL	6-2	300	Gr.	Alexandria, La. (East Central CC)
68	Garrett Smith	OL	6-3	290	R-Fr.	Portland, Tenn. (Portland HS)
71	Logan Crouch	OL	6-6	310	R-Fr.	Tullahoma, Tenn. (Tullahoma HS)
72	Zion Rucker	OL	6-4	250	R-So.	Smyrna, Tenn. (Smyrna HS)
73	Jabaree Dawkins	OL	6-4	280	Jr.	Eustis, Fla. (Garden City CC)
74	Mitchell Appleton	OL	6-5	300	Jr.	De Soto, Mo. (De Soto HS)
75	Nick Edwards	OL	6-5	320	R-So.	Clarksville, Tenn. (Tennessee)
76	Jason Eaton	OL	6-8	320	R-So.	Clarksville, Tenn. (Eastern Michigan)
77	Lamar Morgan	OL	6-5	320	Sr.	Detroit, Mich. (East Central CC)
78	Noah Hayes	OL	6-5	310	Gr.	Oxon Hill, Md. (Arkansas Pine Bluff)
79	Gavin Olson	OL	6-4	305	Sr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Memphis Harding Academy)
80	Jaden Gibbs	WR	6-4	190	R-Jr.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Farragut HS)
81	Davion Hampton	WR	6-1	175	Fr.	Marietta, Ga. (Kell HS)

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
84	Jeremiah Edwards	WR	5-10	145	R-Jr.	Nashville, Tenn. (Chattanooga)
85	Austin Bray	TE	6-6	250	So.	Venice, Fla. (Venice HS)
87	Max Dowling	TE	6-6	240	R-Fr.	Buffalo, NY (Kansas)
88	Parker Floyd	TE	6-5	250	R-Sr.	Gatesville, Texas (Incarnate Word)
89	Deray Lawrence	WR	5-7	130	Gr.	Germantown, Tenn. (Germantown HS)
91	Tyson Strickland	NT	6-2	280	R-So.	Cordova, Tenn. (Tennessee Valley Prep)
93	Broderick Tommie, Jr.	NT	6-3	300	Fr.	Marietta, Ga. (Marietta HS)
94	Christian Dowell	NT	6-2	300	Jr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Christian Brothers HS)
95	Taylor Burton	NT	6-2	270	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Whitehaven HS)
96	Emmanuel Belgrave	DE	6-3	275	R-Jr.	Miami, Fla. (Pitt)
97	Toby Camp	DT	6-3	275	R-So.	Attalla, Ala. (Etowah HS)
Not Currently Active/Injured						
2	Michael Pleas, Jr.	OLB	6-3	230	Jr.	Tallahassee, Fla. (Jackson State)
18*	Jacob Stevenson	S	5-11	175	Jr.	Gulfport, Miss. (Coahoma CC)
19	Armar Gordon, Jr.	QB	6-0	170	Fr.	Perry, Ga. (Perry HS)
23	Antonio Jackson	S	6-1	185	R-So.	Bessemer, Ala. (Hueytown HS)
24	Joel Castleberry	CB	6-0	170	Fr.	Cleveland, Ohio (St. Edward HS)
27	Terayon Sweet	RB	5-11	200	R-So.	San Bernardino, Calif. (Winner Circle Athletics Prep)
37	Chris Franklin	S	5-11	190	Fr.	Little Rock, Ark. (Parkview HS)
38	Cam Robertson	S	6-1	190	R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Whitehaven HS)
40	Hayden King	LS	5-10	245	Fr.	Charlotte, Tenn. (Creek Wood HS)
40	Shaun Groves	CB	6-0	145	Fr.	Cross Plains, Tenn. (East Robertson HS)
43	Jaren Bowling	TE	6-4	220	Fr.	Carmel, Ind. (Brebeuf Jesuit HS)
45	Adarion Patton	S	6-3	180	Fr.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Bearden HS)
47	Stefan Ponder	LB	6-0	210	Fr.	Nashville, Tenn. (Father Ryan HS)
48	Ansley Ware	LB	6-0	225	Fr.	Gallatin, Tenn. (Pope John Paul II HS)
49	Erin Parker	TE	6-3	250	R-So.	Memphis, Tenn. (Memphis Central HS)
49	Andy Westbrook	K/P	6-2	175	Fr.	Milan, Tenn. (Milan HS)
50	AJ Marquez	OL	6-6	285	R-So.	Port Charlotte, Fla. (Port Charlotte HS)
60*	Branson Conner	OL	6-7	310	R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Whitehaven HS)
66	Adrian Barrett	OL	6-4	350	R-Jr.	Bartow, Fla. (Independence CC)
67	Ashton Kershner	OL	6-6	290	Fr.	Martin, Tenn. (Westview HS)
70	Chris Hunter III	OL	6-5	250	Fr.	Knoxville, Tenn. (Karns HS)
80	Will Morris	WR	6-0	180	R-So.	Butler, Ala. (East Mississippi CC)
82	Keenan Speer-Johnson	WR	6-3	180	R-Fr.	Beaverton, Ore. (Nevada)
83	Jevon Johnson	WR	6-1	170	R-Fr.	Kennesaw, Ga. (Mississippi Prep)
86	Robert Lilley-Sneed	WR	5-9	170	R-Jr.	Nashville, Tenn. (Orange Coast College)
88	Jaden Nash	WR	5-9	185	R-So.	Jacksonville, Ark. (Ouachita Baptist)
98	Alex Nolen	K/P	5-10	165	Fr.	Alamo, Tenn. (Crocket County HS)
99	Jarel Savage	DE	6-3	235	R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. (Cordova HS)
99	Cason Totten	K	5-6	145	Fr.	Martin, Tenn. (Westview HS)
* injured						

FOOTBALL STAFF

Coaching Staff

Head Coach: Jason Simpson (Southern Miss, 1995)	18th season
Offensive Coordinator/Offensive Line: Kevin Bannon (UT Martin, 2009)	12th season
Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers: Brandon Butcher (Coastal Carolina, 2014)	Fourth season
Asst. Head Coach/Safeties: Jerry Partridge (Missouri Western State, 1986)	First season
Pass-Game Coordinator/Quarterbacks: Travis Partridge, (Missouri Western State, 2013)	Second season
Special Teams Coordinator/Outside Linebackers: TJ Jefferson (UT Martin, 2019)	Third season
Cornerbacks: Antonio Clifton (UT Martin, 2019)	Second season
Defensive Line: Devin Santana (Alabama State, 2020)	First season
Wide Receivers: Mason Petrino (Idaho, 2019)	First season
Running Backs: JaVaughn Craig (Austin Peay, 2020)	First season
Offensive Line Assistant: Mike Hudson (UTSA, 1994)	First season
Offensive Graduate Assistant/Tight Ends: TJ Minnifree (UT Martin, 2021)	Second season
Defensive Graduate Assistant: Brayden DeVault-Smith (Samford, 2022)	First season

Support Staff

Director of Operations: Chris Bell
Football Operations Graduate Assistant: Parker Kendall
Head Coach for Strength & Conditioning: Tyson Gale
Assistant Strength & Conditioning: Bradley Jennings
Assistant Strength & Conditioning: Tony Lester
Equipment Manager: Peyton Dailey
Offensive Analyst/Video Coordinator: Matthew Krawczyk
Offensive Student Assistant/Asst. Recruiting Coordinator: Lenon James
Defensive Student Assistant/Quarterbacks Assistant: Hunter Kendall
Offensive Student Assistant/Quarterbacks Assistant: Seth Edwards
Offensive Student Assistant: Ygenio Booker

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.
32	Kobe Okeke	JACK
79	Gavin Olson	OL
(49)	Erin Parker	TE
(45)	Adarion Patton	S
42	Colton Peoples	LS
30	Charles Perkins	DT
31	LaMarion Pierce	CB
(2)	Michael Pleas, Jr.	JACK
(47)	Stefan Ponder	LB
40	Barrett Powers	LS
(27)	Tyler Pugh	S
6	Zoe Roberts	WR
(38)	Cam Robertson	S
26	AJ Robinson Jr.	S
6	Jay Rogers	DT
13	Trevonte Rucker	WR
72	Zion Rucker	OL
(99)	Jarel Savage	DE
9	Jaylon Sharpe	LB
11	Tevin Shipp	LB
18	Ajay Smith	WR
68	Garrett Smith	OL
43	Hayden Smith	LB
11	Kody Sparks	QB
82	Keenan Speer-Johnson	WR
45	Christian Stapleton	TE
(18)	Jacob Stevenson	S
91	Tyson Strickland	NT
(27)	Terayon Sweet	RB
4	DeVonte Tanksley	WR
62	Josiah Tingley	OL
93	Broderick Tommie, Jr.	NT
(99)	Cason Totten	K
24	Airius Trice	S
55	Vance Van Every	OL
(48)	Ansley Ware	LB
36	Shamari Weir	LB
(49)	Andy Westbrook	K/P
17	Asa Wondeh	WR
37	Ryan Young	K

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Isaiah Abdullah	..... (Ab-dual-uh)
Kaleb Almo	..... (Al-mo)
Oshae Baker	..... (Oh-shay)
Giovanni Davis	..... (Gee-oh-vhon-ee)
Na'Drian Dizadare	..... (Ney-dree-an Diz-uh-dare)
Daylan Dotson	..... (Day-len)
Ge'Mon Eaford	..... (G-mon Ee-ford)
Jaden Gibbs	..... (Jay-den)
Greg Gyenis	..... (Guy-enn-iss)
Celeycan Hill	..... (Suh-lay-kin)
Brett Kuczynski	..... (Kuh-gin-ski)
Aidan Laros	..... (Luh-ROSS)
Kobe Okeke	..... (O-key-key)
Adarion Patton	..... (Uh-dare-ee-on)
LaMarion Pierce	..... (Luh-mar-ee-on)
Michael Pleas, Jr.	..... (Plez)
Tyler Pugh	..... (Pew)
Zoe Roberts	..... (Zo)
Trevonte Rucker	..... (Tray-von-tay)
Josiah Tingley	..... (Ting-lee)
Airius Trice	..... (Air-ee-us Tri-sss)
Shamari Weir	..... (Shuh-mar-ee Wear)
Asa Wondeh	..... (Ay-suh Won-day)



BY THE NUMBERS

- **Overall:** 113-85 (.571)
- **Conf. Play:** 85-47 (.644) | **Non-Conf:** 24-36 (.400)
- **Home:** 65-26 | **Away:** 47-62
- **Conference Championships:** Three (2006, 2021, 2022)
- **Postseason:** Two (2006, 2021)



SIMPSON AT A GLANCE

Simpson's **113** wins lead all active head coaches in the OVC and marks the most wins in UT Martin history

113**18**

In his **18th** season at the helm of the Skyhawks, Jason Simpson is the longest tenured head coach in the OVC

Jason Simpson's 113 career victories rank **fourth** in OVC history

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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
- 113-85 in 18 seasons
- Won Sgt. York Trophy (10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21)
- Finished in the top half of the league 12 times
- Posted three runner-up finishes
- OVC Championship (2006, 2021, 2022)
- OVC Roy Kidd Coach of the Year (2006, 2021)
- 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 CHAMPIONSHIPS

- 2006, 2021, 2022

COACHING HONORS

- OVC Coach of the Year (2006, 2021)
- Eddie Robinson FCS Coach of the Year Finalist (2006, 2012, 2016, 2021)
- AFCA Region 3 Coach of the Year (2006)



HEAD COACH JASON SIMPSON



YEAR-BY-YEAR HEAD COACHING RECORD

YEAR	OVERALL	CONFERENCE	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*	10-2 .833	5-1 .833	1st	5-0	5-2	FCS Playoffs (2nd Round)
2022*	7-4 .600	5-0 1.000	1st	3-1	3-2	-
2023	6-1 .857	3-0 1.000	-	3-0	2-1	-
Total	113-85 .571	85-47 .644	-	66-26	47-60	

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 18 years, Simpson has led UT Martin to an 107-85 record (.559 winning percentage) and an 82-47 mark against OVC opponents (.636 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 147 All-OVC players after the program tallied 33 such players in its first 15 seasons in the OVC.

Simpson's 107 career victories rank fourth in OVC history while his 82 conference wins sits in third place.

Four of the program's eight 8-win seasons have come under Simpson, including all four at the Football Championship Subdivision level. He is responsible for the program's only OVC championship teams in 2006, 2021 and 2022. The 2006 team ended the season ranked No. 13 nationally with a 9-3 record while the 2021 team won the playoff game in the Division I Era while finishing the campaign ranked No. 12 nationally with a 10-3 overall mark. The Skyhawks completed back-to-back league titles with a 2022 championship after going 7-4 overall while posting the program's first unbeaten conference slate with a 5-0 record.

Simpson is a four-time finalist for the Eddie Robinson FCS Coach of the Year Award in 2006, 2012, 2016 and 2021 while finishing fourth overall in 2006. He is also a two-time recipient of the OVC's Roy Kidd Coach of the Year award in 2006 and 2021 while being named the American Football Coaches Association Region 3 Coach of the Year in 2006, his debut season at UT Martin.

A total of 34 Skyhawks have been named an All-American under Simpson. A collection of those players include Alex Atkins (2006), Tony Bell (2013, 2014), Josh Bey (2009), Jessie Burton (2006), Jeremy Butler (2013), Don Chapman (2006), Daylan Dotson (2022), CJ Estelle (2011), John H. Ford II (2022), Joe Gibbs (2009), Matthan Hatchie (2021, 2022), Montori Hughes (2012), Ben Johnson (2013), Dontrell Miller (2008), Brock Powers (2022), Quentin Sims (2012), Ray Williams (2008), Rodney Williams II (2020), Terry Williams (2019) and Josh Yarbrough (2007).

Simpson has also overseen the development of six major award winners, 58 All-OVC first team honorees, 69 second team selections and 20 OVC All-Newcomer picks. The Skyhawks have had two OVC Offensive Players of the Year in Don Chapman (2006) and Keon Howard (2021) and one OVC Defensive Player of the Year with John H. Ford II (2022). They have also boasted three OVC Freshmen of the Year honorees in Don Chapman (2004), John Bachus III (2019) and Sam Franklin (2022).

Two Skyhawks have been drafted during the Simpson Era with wide receiver Colton Dowell (2023) and defensive tackle Montori Hughes (2012) hearing their names called on the final day of their respective drafts. Hughes was taken in the fifth round (139th pick) of the 2012 NFL Draft by the Indianapolis Colts while Dowell was selected in the seventh round (228th pick) in 2023 by the Tennessee Titans. 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), Corey Jordan (Jacksonville Jaguars), Caylon Weathers (Chicago Bears), Brett Thompson (Pittsburgh Steelers), Joe Este (Tennessee Titans), Jaylon Moore (Baltimore Ravens), Donnell Williams (Tennessee Titans and Washington Commanders), Rodney Williams II (Denver Broncos), Dowell (Tennessee Titans) and Dresser Winn (Los Angeles Rams) 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 - 10 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, 2016, 2021 and 2022. UT Martin owns a 34-13 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.

SKYHAWK ASSISTANT COACHES



KEVIN BANNON
Offensive Coordinator
Offensive Line
12th Year



BRANDON BUTCHER
Defensive Coordinator
Linebackers
Fourth Year



JERRY PARTIDGE
Assistant Head Coach
Safeties
First Year



TRAVIS PARTIDGE
Pass-Game Coordinator
Quarterbacks
Second Year



ANTONIO CLIFTON
Cornerbacks
Fifth Year



DEVIN SANTANA
Defensive Line
First Year



TJ JEFFERSON
Outside Linebackers
Special Teams Coordinator
Third Year



MASON PETRINO
Wide Receivers
First Year



JAVAUGHN CRAIG
Running Backs
First Year



MIKE HUDSON
Offensive Line Assistant
First Year



TJ MINNIFREE
Tight Ends
Second Year



BRAYDEN DEVAULT-SMITH
Defensive GA
First Year

SIMPSON VS. ALL OPPONENTS

Arkansas	0-1
Auburn	0-1
Austin Peay	13-3
Baker	1-0
Bethel	1-0
Boise State	0-2
Central Arkansas	1-2
Charleston Southern	1-0
Chattanooga	2-1
Cincinnati	0-1
Clarion	1-0
Concordia	1-0
Cumberland	1-0
Eastern Illinois	13-4
Eastern Kentucky	5-8
Florida	0-1
Gardner-Webb	1-0
Georgia	0-1
Georgia State	0-1
Hawaii	0-1
Houston Christian	2-0
Iowa Wesleyan	1-0
Jacksonville State	5-11
Kennesaw State	0-1
Kentucky	0-2
Lambuth	1-0
Lindenwood	1-0
Memphis	1-2
Middle Tennessee	0-1
Mississippi State	0-2
Missouri	0-1
Missouri State	2-3
Montana State	0-1
Murray State	13-4
North Alabama	1-0
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	11-6
Southeastern Louisiana	1-1
Southern Illinois	0-2
Southern Miss	0-1
Tennessee	0-2
Tennessee State	11-6
Tennessee Tech	13-4
Union College	1-0
Urbana	1-0
Western Illinois	1-0
Western Kentucky	0-1
Total	113-85

SIMPSON'S RECORD WHEN...

Home Record:	65-26
Road Record:	48-62
Conference Overall:	85-47
Conference Home:	42-21
Conference Road:	39-27
Ranked opponents:	13-25
Record in August:	3-2
Record in September:	36-34
Record in October:	42-23
Record in November:	29-22
Record in December:	0-1
Record in February:	0-1
Record in March:	2-2
Record in April:	1-1
Scoring First:	81-24
Leading at half:	89-16
Trailing at half:	18-61
Tied at half:	6-5
Scores <20 Points:	15-42
Scores >20 Points:	103-44
Scores 30+ Points:	74-16
Scores 40+ Points:	39-3
Opponent Scores <20 Points:	63-9
Opponent Scores >20 Points:	49-77
Opponent Scores 30+ Points:	21-57
Opponent Scores 40+ Points:	3-31
Overtime record:	1-5
Record after a loss:	51-25
Longest winning streak:	9 (2021)
Longest losing streak:	6 (2007)

BIG SOUTH-OVC FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION



OVC WEEKLY AWARDS

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Sept. 4	Jayden Brown	Gardner-Webb
Sept. 11	Sam Franklin	UT Martin
Sept. 18	Jeff Caldwell	Lindenwood
Sept. 25	Sam Franklin	UT Martin
Oct. 2	Sam Franklin	UT Martin
Oct. 9	Pierce Holley	Eastern Illinois
Oct. 16	Zevi Eckhaus	Bryant
Oct. 23	Pierce Holley	Eastern Illinois
Oct. 30	-	-
Nov. 6	-	-
Nov. 13	-	-
Nov. 20	-	-

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Sept. 4	Elijahwah Tolbert	Eastern Illinois
Sept. 11	James Green	Tennessee State
Sept. 18	Devon Edwards	Lindenwood
Sept. 25	Chris Hunter, Jr.	UT Martin
Oct. 2	Blake Ruffin	Eastern Illinois
	Monroe Beard III	Tennessee State
Oct. 9	Kobe McClendon	Lindenwood
Oct. 16	Terrell Allen	Tennessee State
Oct. 23	Terrell Allen	Tennessee State
Oct. 30	-	-
Nov. 6	-	-
Nov. 13	-	-
Nov. 20	-	-

SPECIALIST OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Sept. 4	Jeff Caldwell	Lindenwood
Sept. 11	Jeff Billingsley	Gardner-Webb
Sept. 18	James Lowery	Tennessee State
Sept. 25	Ethan Gettman	Bryant
	Stone Galloway	Eastern Illinois
Oct. 2	Aidan Laros	UT Martin
	Sam Babbush	Charleston Southern
Oct. 9	Spencer Redd	Lindenwood
Oct. 16	Patrick Turner	Lindenwood
Oct. 23	Aidan Laros	UT Martin
Oct. 30	-	-
Nov. 6	-	-
Nov. 13	-	-
Nov. 20	-	-

FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Sept. 4	Jacob Horvath	Eastern Illinois
Sept. 11	Leon Thomas	Charleston Southern
Sept. 18	MJ Flowers	Eastern Illinois
Sept. 25	MJ Flowers	Eastern Illinois
Oct. 2	MJ Flowers	Eastern Illinois
Oct. 9	Max Dowling	UT Martin
Oct. 16	Zolten Osborne	Charleston Southern
Oct. 23	Jordan Gant	Tennessee State
Oct. 30	-	-
Nov. 6	-	-
Nov. 13	-	-
Nov. 20	-	-



OVC STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONF	PCT	OVERALL PCT.	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	L10	STREAK
#13/14 UT Martin	3-0	1.000	6-1 .857	4-0	2-1	0-0	6-1	W6
Southeast Missouri	3-0	1.000	3-4 .429	2-1	1-3	0-0	3-4	W2
Tennessee State	1-1	.500	5-2 .714	3-0	1-2	1-0	5-2	W3
Bryant	1-1	.500	3-4 .429	2-1	1-3	0-0	3-4	L1
Charleston Southern	1-1	.500	3-4 .429	3-1	0-3	0-0	3-4	L1
Gardner-Webb	1-1	.500	3-4 .429	3-0	0-4	0-0	3-4	W1
Eastern Illinois	1-2	.333	5-3 .625	3-1	2-2	0-0	5-3	W1
Lindenwood	1-2	.333	3-4 .429	2-1	1-3	0-0	3-4	L1
Robert Morris	0-2	.000	2-5 .286	2-1	0-4	0-0	2-5	L3
Tennessee Tech	0-2	.000	2-5 .286	1-2	1-3	0-0	2-5	L1



CONFERENCE SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Saturday, October 28

Tennessee Tech at Robert Morris*	11 a.m.	ESPN+
UT Martin at Gardner-Webb*	12:30 p.m.	ESPN+
Southeast Missouri at Nicholls	2 p.m.	ESPN+
Lindenwood at Tennessee State*	2 p.m.	ESPN+
Bryant at Charleston Southern*	3 p.m.	ESPN+



PRESEASON POLL AND PLAYERS TO WATCH

Offense

QB - Zevi Eckhaus, Bryant
 QB - Draylen Ellis, Tennessee State
 QB - Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Missouri
 RB - Juwon Farri, Eastern Illinois
RB - Sam Franklin, UT Martin
 RB - Narii Gaither, Gardner-Webb
 RB - Geno Hess, Southeast Missouri
 RB - JD Moore, Charleston Southern
 WR - Ryan Flournoy, Southeast Missouri
 WR - Brennan McGuire, Gardner-Webb
 WR - Landon Ruggieri, Bryant
WR - DeVonte Tanksley, UT Martin
 WR - Justin Thomas, Eastern Illinois
 TE - Jihad Edmond, Bryant
TE - DJ Nelson, UT Martin
 OL - Zack Gieg, Southeast Missouri
 OL - Nathan Hodnett, Tennessee Tech
 OL - Ethan Johnson, Lindenwood
OL - Lamar Morgan, UT Martin
OL - Gavin Olson, UT Martin
 OL - Chad Strickland, Eastern Illinois
 OL - Gabe Thompson, Gardner-Webb
 OL - Gareth Warren, Lindenwood
 OL - Jamichael Watts, Bryant

Defense

DE - Terrell Allen, Tennessee State
 DE - Kail Dava, Tennessee Tech
DE - Daylan Dotson, UT Martin
 DE - Kenny Dyson, Bryant
 DE - Ty French, Gardner-Webb
 DE - Steven Lewis, Southeast Missouri
 DE - Kobe McClendon, Lindenwood
 LB - Ty Anderson, Gardner-Webb
 LB - Keandre Booker, Southeast Missouri
 LB - Joe Casale, Robert Morris
 LB - James Green, Tennessee State
 LB - Jacquez McGowan, Tennessee Tech
 LB - William McRaine, Gardner-Webb
 LB - Bryce Norman, Southeast Missouri
 LB - K'Vaughan Pope, Tennessee State
 LB - Jamar Shegog, Robert Morris
 LB - Elijahwah Tolbert, Eastern Illinois
 DB - Darion Bolden, Lindenwood
 DB - Jamari Brown, Gardner-Webb
 DB - Nick Coats, Eastern Illinois
 DB - Josh Green, Tennessee State
 DB - Jamel Johnson, Charleston Southern
 DB - Lawrence Johnson, Southeast Missouri
 DB - Ty Leonard, Southeast Missouri
 DB - Raequan Ousley, Gardner-Webb
 DB - Bryce Phillips, Tennessee State
 DB - AJ Thomas, Gardner-Webb

Predicted Order of Finish

1.	Southeast Missouri (6)	96
2.	Gardner-Webb (2)	86
3.	UT Martin (1)	85
4.	Tennessee Tech (1)	58
5.	Tennessee State	57
6.	Bryant	48
7.	Lindenwood	45
8.	Eastern Illinois	33
9.	Charleston Southern	30
10.	Robert Morris	12

Specialists

K - Stone Galloway, Eastern Illinois
 K - Ethan Gettman, Bryant
 K - Ian Sautler, Gardner-Webb
 K - Logan Seibert, Lindenwood
 P - Nick Bigelow, Tennessee Tech
 P - George Saunders III, Robert Morris
 KR/PR - Mark Aitken, Eastern Illinois
 KR/PR - Anthony Frederick - Bryant
 KR/PR - Dalyn McDonald - Southeast Missouri
 KR/PR - Cooper Willman, Eastern Illinois
 LS - Jack Valente, Eastern Illinois
 LS - Jamie Wilson, Gardner-Webb

SKYHAWK DEPTH CHART



OFFENSE TWO-DEEP

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
QUARTERBACK				
8	Kinkead Dent	6-4	210	Gr.
11	Kody Sparks	6-5	220	R-So.
RUNNING BACK				
2	Sam Franklin	5-10	195	R-So.
7	Narkel LeFlore	5-9	170	Jr.
-or- 3	Jordan Castleberry	5-8	180	R-Jr.
WIDE RECEIVER (L)				
13	Trevonte Rucker	6-1	175	Jr.
18	Ajay Smith	6-4	190	Sr.
WIDE RECEIVER (R)				
6	Zoe Roberts	5-11	185	Jr.
14	Shawn Hardy II	6-2	190	R-So.
WIDE RECEIVER (H)				
4	DeVonte Tanksley	5-10	160	R-Jr.
9	Marlon Cook, Jr.	6-2	200	Gr.
TIGHT END				
5	DJ Nelson	6-5	230	R-So.
85	Austin Bray	6-6	250	So..
LEFT TACKLE				
79	Gavin Olson	6-4	290	Sr.
76	Jason Eaton	6-8	320	R-So.
LEFT GUARD				
62	Josiah Tingley	6-2	290	R-So.
78	Noah Hayes	6-5	310	Gr.
CENTER				
55	Vance Van Every	6-2	290	Jr.
62	Josiah Tingley	6-2	290	R-So.
RIGHT GUARD				
65	Drake Carroll	6-2	300	Gr.
71	Logan Crough	6-6	310	R-Fr.
RIGHT TACKLE				
77	Lamar Morgan	6-5	305	Sr.
74	Mitchell Appleton	6-5	300	Jr.



SPECIAL TEAMS TWO-DEEP

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
KICKOFF				
48	Aidan Laros	6-2	210	R-So.
PLACE KICKER				
48	Aidan Laros	6-2	210	R-So.
37	Ryan Young	6-1	150	R-Fr.
PUNTER				
48	Aidan Laros	6-2	210	R-So.
38	Grayson Campbell	5-11	170	R-Fr.



DEFENSE TWO-DEEP

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
DEFENSIVE END				
1	Daylan Dotson	6-3	280	Jr.
30	Charles Perkin	6-3	285	R-Fr.
NOSE TACKLE				
44	Jarid Johnson	6-2	310	Gr.
94	Christian Dowell	6-2	280	Jr.
DEFENSIVE TACKLE				
6	Jay Rogers	6-3	290	R-Sr.
95	Taylor Burton	6-2	270	Fr.
OUTSIDE LINEBACKER				
8	Giovanni Davis	6-3	250	Jr.
41	Brynce Dailey	6-4	240	R-Fr.
LINEBACKER				
11	Tevin Shipp	6-2	230	Gr.
7	Chris Hunter	6-1	230	R-Jr.
LINEBACKER				
9	Jaylon Sharpe	6-2	230	R-Sr.
25	Isaiah Abdullah	6-3	215	R-Jr.
ROVER				
12	Carson Evans	6-1	185	R-Jr.
21	Robert Daniel, Jr.	6-0	200	Gr.
DEFENSIVE BACK (L)				
20	JaMichael McGoy, Jr.	5-10	170	R-So.
31	LaMarion Pierce	6-0	160	R-Fr.
FREE SAFETY				
19	Jack Lucas	6-0	180	R-Jr.
24	Airius Trice	6-1	170	R-So.
STRONG SAFETY				
5	Josh Hastings	6-1	200	R-So.
23	Celeycan Hill	6-4	165	Jr.
DEFENSIVE BACK (R)				
0	Oshae Baker	5-10	195	Jr.
22	Calvontay Key	6-2	170	Gr.



STUDENT-ATHLETE ACADEMICS

THE GRADUATES

» 11 players on the 2023 UT Martin roster have already received bachelor's degrees:

- Drake Carroll
- Marlon Cook, Jr.
- Robert Daniel
- Kinkead Dent
- Na'Drian Dizadare
- Ge'Mon Eaford
- Noah Hayes
- Jarid Johnson
- Calvontay Key
- Deray Lawrence
- Tevin Shipp

OVC COMMISSIONER'S HONOR ROLL

» There were eight UT Martin representatives on the Ohio Valley Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll for the 2022-23 academic year, including current team members **Austin Bray**, **Gavin Olson (two-time)**, **Tevin Shipp (two time)**, **Tyson Strickland** and **Josiah Tingley**. 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 32 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 2023 by current team members **Steven Ballard**, **Austin Bray**, **Cal Camp**, **Grayson Campbell**, **Drake Carroll**, **Marion Cook Jr.**, **Christian Dowell**, **Jason Eaton**, **Carson Evans**, **Parker Floyd**, **Wyatt Gilbert**, **Greg Gyenis**, **Noah Hayes**, **Brett Kuczynski**, **Tyler Mullins**, **Davonte Murray**, **Kobe Okeke**, **Gavin Olson**, **Zoe Roberts**, **AJ Robinson Jr.**, **Tevin Shipp**, **Garrett Smith**, **Jacob Stevenson**, **Josiah Tingley**, **Ronnie Van Every** and **Ryan Young**.



BIG SOUTH-OVC IN THE POLLS WEEK-BY-WEEK

	FCS STATS/COACHES									
	BU	CSU	EUU	GWU	LWU	RMU	SEMO	TSU	TTU	UTM
PRESEASON	-	-	-	25/24	-	-	12/11	-	-/RV	RV/RV
SEPT. 4	-	-	-	RV/RV	-	-	14/16	-	-	RV/-
SEPT. 11	-	-	-	RV/RV	-	-	13/15	-	-	RV/-
SEPT. 18	-	-	RV/-	RV/-	-	-	16/20	-	-	RV/-
SEPT. 25	-	-	RV/RV	-	-	-	RV/RV	-	-	22/RV
OCT. 2	-	-	RV/25	-	-	-	RV/-	-	-	18/23
OCT. 9	-	-	RV/RV	-	-	-	-	-	-	17/19
OCT. 16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	RV/-	-	17/19
OCT. 23	-	-	-/RV	-	-	-	-	RV/-	-	14/13
OCT. 30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NOV. 6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NOV. 13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NOV. 20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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*
2021 - UT Martin
2022 - UT Martin

*Took home the trophy due to winning the tiebreaker

SGT. YORK TROPHY CONTESTS**2022**

Oct. 1 @UT Martin 45, Tennessee Tech 28
 Oct. 15 Tennessee State 30, @Tennessee Tech 14
 Nov. 12 UT Martin 20, @Tennessee State 3

2023

Sept. 30 @UT Martin 20, Tennessee State 10
 Nov. 4 UT Martin at Tennessee Tech
 Nov. 18 Tennessee Tech at Tennessee State

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

Tennessee State 24-24
 Tennessee Tech 18-29
UT Martin 35-13

UT Martin at home: 18-5
UT Martin on the road: 17-8

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 - Javarri Williams, TSU vs. UTM (11/17/07)
Longest Rush: 86 - Sam Franklin, TTU vs. UTM (10/1/22)
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: 237 - Drae McCray, APSU vs. TTU (11/20/21)
Receptions: 13 - Jeremy Butler, UTM at TTU (11/10/12)
Receiving Touchdowns: 4 - Drae McCray, APSU vs. TTU (11/20/21)
Longest Reception: 84 - Calvin McNair, 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 Nine 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)

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 season football series between the Ohio Valley Conference football-playing schools located in the state of Tennessee – Tennessee State University, Tennessee Technological University and the University of Tennessee at Martin.

In 2014 Delta Dental of Tennessee became the presenting sponsor of the Trophy.

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, Tenn., 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.

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED...

- SKYHAWK INDIVIDUAL -

Rushed for 100 yards -	101, Sam Franklin vs. Charleston Southern, 10/21/23
Rushed for 200 yards -	221, Sam Franklin at North Alabama, 9/23/23
Rushed for 250+ yards -	259, Sam Franklin vs. Missouri State, 9/9/23
Had a 70-yard run -	74, Sam Franklin at North Alabama, 9/23/23
Rushed for three TDs -	3, Sam Franklin vs. Missouri State, 9/9/23
Rushed for four TDs -	4, Zak Wallace at Houston Christian, 10/29/22
Passed for 300 yards -	347, Kinkead Dent vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Passed for 400 yards -	463, Dresser Winn at Murray State, 10/8/22
Passed for 500 yards -	560, Derek Carr at Murray State, 10/13/12
Threw three TD passes -	5, Kinkead Dent vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Threw five+ TD passes -	5, Kinkead Dent vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Had 100 yards receiving -	120, DeVonte Tanksley vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Had 150 yards receiving -	Tanksley (220 and Dowell (172) at Murray State, 10/8/22
Had 200 yards receiving -	220, DeVonte Tanksley at Murray State, 10/8/22
Had a 70-yard reception -	70, DJ Nelson vs. Tennessee Tech, 10/1/22
Caught three TD passes -	3, Jaylon Moore at No. 24 Austin Peay, 11/9/19
Returned onside kickoff for TD -	43, Tae Martin vs. Tennessee Tech, 9/24/16
Returned conventional kickoff for TD -	95, Narkel LeFlore vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Returned punt for TD -	65, Terry Williams vs. No. 18 Jacksonville State, 11/21/19
Returned punt at least 75 yards -	79, Londell Lee at Hawai'i, 9/10/16
Returned INT for TD -	39, Ty Woods at Tennessee State, 11/12/22
Returned a fumble for TD -	0, Daylan Dotson at Houston Christian, 10/29/22
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 -	67, Aidan Laros at #25 Eastern Illinois, 10/7/23
Had 10-14 tackles -	14, Carson Evans vs. Missouri State, 9/9/23
Had 15+ tackles -	26, Rob Hicks vs. Kennesaw State, 11/5/22
Multi-Sacks -	2.0, Daylan Dotson at #25 Eastern Illinois, 10/7/23
Multi-Forced fumbles -	2, Daylan Dotson at Houston Christian, 10/29/22
Multi-Interceptions -	2, Shaun Lewis vs. Western Illinois, 9/1/22

- TEAM -

Shutout an opponent -	17-0 vs. Charleston Southern, 10/21/23
Shutout consecutive opponents -	3 vs. Milliken, SEMO and Jacksonville State, 1967
Rushed for more than 300 yards -	308 at North Alabama, 9/23/23
Rushed for more than 400 yards -	405 vs. Missouri State, 9/9/23
Passed for more than 300 yards -	437 vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Passed for more than 400 yards -	437 vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Passed for more than 500 yards -	560 at Murray State, 10/13/12
Had more than 500 yards total off. -	707 vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Had more than 600 yards total off. -	707 vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Scored 50 points -	66 vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Scored 60 points -	66 vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Scored 70 points -	84 vs. Bacone, 9/17/16
Failed to rush for 100 yards -	87 vs. Kennesaw State, 11/5/22
Failed to pass for 100 yards -	67 at Tennessee State, 10/18/14
Held opponent to < 100 yards rushing -	55 vs. Charleston Southern, 10/21/23
Held opponent to < 100 yards passing -	74 at Tennessee Tech, 11/13/21
Held opponent to < 100 yards total off. -	74 vs. Iowa Wesleyan, 9/3/09
Held opponent to < 200 yards total off. -	199 vs. Austin Peay, 10/30/21
Held opponent without a TD -	vs. Charleston Southern, 10/21/23
Scored a safety -	vs. Samford, 9/11/21 (Intentional Grounding Penalty)
Committed no turnovers -	vs. Charleston Southern, 10/21/23
Forced opponent into five turnovers -	7 at Houston Christian, 10/29/22
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 -	Jarid Johnson at #25 Eastern Illinois, 10/7/23
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 -	Ty Woods vs. Western Illinois, 9/1/22
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. Lindenwood, 9/24/22
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 -	DeVonte Tanksley/Colton Dowell at Murray State, 10/8/22
Won OT game -	at #25 Eastern Illinois (28-27), 10/7/23
Lost OT game -	at Eastern Illinois (24-21), 10/20/18
Rallied from down 14 to win -	Down 16 vs. Austin Peay, 10/30/21
Beat ranked FCS opponent -	at #25 Eastern Illinois, 10/7/23
Beat FCS team ranked in top 15 -	at #10 Missouri State, 11/27/21
Beat FBS opponent -	at Memphis (20-17), 9/1/12
Last time ranked in the STATS Top 25 -	No. 14, 10/23/23
Last time ranked in the Coaches Poll Top 25 -	No. 13, 10/23/23

- OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL -

Rushed for 100 yards -	110, George Holani at Boise State, 9/17/22
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, Xavier Shepherd vs. Kennesaw State, 11/5/22
Rushed for four TDs -	5, Alex Collins at Arkansas, 10/31/15
Passed for 300 yards -	359, Pierce Holley at #25 Eastern Illinois, 10/7/23
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 -	3, Noah Walters at North Alabama, 9/23/23
Threw five+ TD passes -	5, Jason Shelley at #5 Missouri State, 9/8/22
Had 100 yards receiving -	119, Eli Mirza at #25 Eastern Illinois, 10/7/23
Had 150 yards receiving -	155, Vernon Harrell at Houston Christian, 10/29/22
Had 200 yards receiving -	225, Adam Drake vs. Eastern Illinois, 11/23/13
Had a 70-yard reception -	88, Vernon Harrell at Houston Christian, 10/29/22
Caught three TD passes -	3, Tyrone Scott at #5 Missouri State, 9/8/22
Returned onside kickoff for TD -	N/A
Returned conventional kickoff for TD -	96, DeVon Johnson vs. #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 -	Kyron Jones (26) at Georgia, 9/2/23
Returned a fumble for TD -	46, Jaylen Swain at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/21
Made three+ FGs -	3, Jonah Dalmas at Boise State, 9/17/22
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, Rodney Dansby vs. HCU, 9/16/23
Had 15+ tackles -	19, Monroe Beard III vs. Tennessee State, 9/30/23
Multi-Sacks -	1.5, Josh Avery at No. 24 Southeast Missouri, 10/26/19
Multi-Forced fumbles -	N/A
Multi-Interceptions -	3, Chance Gamble vs. Kennesaw State, 11/5/22

- 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 -	402 vs. Missouri State, 9/9/23
Passed for more than 400 yards -	402 vs. Missouri State, 9/9/23
Passed for more than 500 yards -	501 vs. Eastern Illinois, 11/23/13
Had more than 500 yards total off. -	513 vs. Missouri State, 9/9/23
Had more than 600 yards total off. -	696 at #3 Tennessee, 10/22/22
Scored 50 points -	65 at #3 Tennessee, 10/22/22
Scored 60 points -	65 at #3 Tennessee, 10/22/22
Scored 70 points -	76 at Ole Miss, 9/5/15
Failed to rush for 100 yards -	55 vs. Charleston Southern, 10/21/23
Failed to pass for 100 yards -	at Tennessee Tech, 11/13/21
Held Skyhawks to fewer than 100 yards rushing -	87 vs. Kennesaw State, 11/5/22
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 -	at Murray State (Intentional Grounding), 10/8/22
Committed no turnovers -	0 at Georgia, 9/2/23
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 -	Ty Leonard at Southeast Missouri, 11/20/21
Blocked a PAT -	Eric Johnson at #10 Missouri State, 11/27/21
Attempted 2-pt conversion -	vs. Austin Peay, 10/30/21
Rallied from down 14 to win -	14 at Southern Illinois, 9/14/19

TEAM RECORDS

OFFENSE

SCORING OFFENSE

Most Points Scored

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

Most Touchdowns Scored

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

Total Offense

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

First Downs

Game: 32 - HCU (2023)
Season: 239 - 13 games (1988)

RUSHING

Most Attempts

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

Most Net Yards Gained

Game: 531 - Murray State (2007)
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: 32 - 2021

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: 5 - Houston Christian (2022)
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: 97 - Zak Wallace vs. Lindenwood (2022)

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: 2,594 - Colton Dowell (2018-22)

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: 35 - 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: 3 - Several Tied
 Season: 5 - Kevin Prather Jr. (2016)
 Career: 9 - Markeseo Jackson (2003-06)

Most Fumble Recoveries

Game: 2 - Daylan Dotson at Houston Christian (2022)
 2 - Jack Greenwood at Jacksonville State (2005)
 2 - Andre Plummer at Gardner-Webb (2002)
 2 - Marc Calixte at Eastern Kentucky (1999)
 2 - Jon Swift vs. Western Kentucky (1997)
 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 Harer (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: 6 - Korbin Harmon (2018-21)

TEAM GAME HIGHS AND LOWS

UT MARTIN

OPPONENT

	HIGH	LOW	HIGH	LOW
• Rushes	51 at North Alabama (9/23)	30 at Georgia (9/2)	36, 2x, at North Alabama (9/23)	25 vs HCU (9/16)
• Rushing Yards	405 vs Missouri State (9/9)	132 at Georgia (9/2)	159 at Georgia (9/2)	28 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)
• Yards Per Rush	9.9 vs Missouri State (9/9)	4.0 vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	5.3 at Georgia (9/2)	1.1 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)
• Rushing Touchdowns	4 at North Alabama (9/23)	0 at Georgia (9/2)	3 at Georgia (9/2)	0, 3x, vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)
• Pass Completions	27 vs HCU (9/16)	12 vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	31 at North Alabama (9/23)	12 vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)
• Pass Attempts	36 vs HCU (9/16)	25 vs. Tennessee State (9/30)	53 at North Alabama (9/23)	28 vs HCU (9/16)
• Passing Yards	437 vs HCU (9/16)	107 vs Missouri State (9/9)	402 vs Missouri State (9/9)	174 vs HCU (9/16)
• Yards Per Pass	12.1 vs HCU (9/16)	3.2 vs Missouri State (9/9)	14.9 vs Missouri State (9/9)	5.5 vs. Tennessee State (9/30)
• Passing Touchdowns	6 vs HCU (9/16)	1, 4x, vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	4 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	0 vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)
• Total Plays	85 vs HCU (9/16)	63 at Georgia (9/2)	89 at North Alabama (9/23)	53 vs HCU (9/16)
• Yards Per Play	8.3 vs HCU (9/16)	4.1 at Georgia (9/2)	8.0 at Georgia (9/2)	4.0 vs HCU (9/16)
• Points	66 vs HCU (9/16)	7 at Georgia (9/2)	48 at Georgia (9/2)	0 vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)
• Sacks	4, 3x, at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	0 at Georgia (9/2)	3 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	0, 2x, vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)
• Penalties	11 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	1 vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	7 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	2 vs Missouri State (9/9)
• Penalty Yards	141 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	15 vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	58 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	20 vs Missouri State (9/9)
• Turnovers	4 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	0, 2x, vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	4 vs HCU (9/16)	0 at Georgia (9/2)
• Interceptions Thrown	1, 4x, at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	0, 3x, vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	3 vs HCU (9/16)	0 at Georgia (9/2)
• Punts	9 at Georgia (9/2)	2 vs HCU (9/16)	8 vs HCU (9/16)	4 vs Missouri State (9/9)
• Net Punt Average	44.9 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	27.0 vs HCU (9/16)	47.0 vs Missouri State (9/9)	31.2 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)
• Long/Shortest Punt	70 vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	29 at Georgia (9/2)	53 at Georgia (9/2)	34 at Georgia (9/2)
• Punts Inside 20	4 at North Alabama (9/23)	0 vs HCU (9/16)	2, 3x, at North Alabama (9/23)	1 vs Missouri State (9/9)
• Long Punt Return	10 at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	0 at Georgia (9/2)	13 at Georgia (9/2)	0 vs HCU (9/16)

INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS


UT MARTIN


OPPONENT

• Rushes	32, Sam Franklin at North Alabama (9/23)	18, Jacardia Wright vs. Missouri State (9/9)
• Rushing Yards	259, Sam Franklin vs. Missouri State (9/9)	53, Kendall Milton at Georgia (9/2)
• Rushing Touchdowns	3, Sam Franklin vs. Missouri State (9/9)	1, 5x, last by Draylen Ellis vs. Tennessee State (9/30)
• Longest Rush	81, Sam Franklin vs. Missouri State (9/9)	37, Kendall Milton at Georgia (9/2)
• Pass Completions	20, Kinkead Dent vs. HCU (9/16)	30, Noah Walters at North Alabama (9/23)
• Pass Attempts	35, Kinkead Dent at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	52, Noah Walters at North Alabama (9/23)
• Passing Yards	347, Kinkead Dent vs. HCU (9/16)	359, Pierce Holley at Eastern Illinois (10/7)
• Passing TDs	5, Kinkead Dent vs. HCU (9/16)	3, 2x, last by Noah Walters at North Alabama (9/23)
• Longest Pass	52, Kinkead Dent vs. HCU (9/16)	63, Colby Suits vs. HCU (9/16)
• Receptions	6, 2x, last by DeVonte Tanksley vs. Tennessee State (9/30)	10, Eli Mirza at Eastern Illinois (10/7)
• Receiving Yards	120, DeVonte Tanksley vs. HCU (9/16)	142, Raylen Sharpe vs. Missouri State (9/9)
• Receiving TDs	2, Max Dowling at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	2, Justin Bowick at Eastern Illinois (10/7)
• Longest Rec.	52, Asa Wondeh vs. HCU (9/16)	62, Champ Dozier vs. HCU (9/16)
• Field Goals	2, Aidan Laros vs. Tennessee State (9/30)	2, Peyton Woodring at Georgia (9/2)
• Longest Field Goal	33, Aidan Laros vs. HCU (9/16)	38, Owen Rozanc vs. Missouri State (9/9)
• Punts	8, Aidan Laros at Georgia (9/2)	8, Wheeler Bowron vs. HCU (9/16)
• Punting Average	50.6, Aidan Laros at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	45.5, Grant Burkett vs. Missouri State (9/9)
• Long Punt	70, Aidan Laros vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	55, Grant Burkett vs. Missouri State (9/9)
• Punts Inside 20	2, 3x, last by Aidan Laros vs. Tennessee State (9/30)	2, Brett Thorson at Georgia (9/2)
• Long Punt Return	25, Oshae Baker vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	13, Mekhi Mews at Georgia (9/2)
• Long Kickoff Return	95, Narkel LeFlore vs. HCU (9/16)	31, Mekhi Mews at Georgia (9/2)
• Tackles	14, Carson Evans vs. Missouri State (9/9)	19, Monroe Beard III vs. Tennessee State (9/30)
• Sacks	2.0, Daylan Dotson at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	1.0, 6x, last by Barrows/Smith/Van Hyfte at Eastern Illinois (10/7)
• Tackles for Loss	4.0, Daylan Dotson at Eastern Illinois (10/7)	2.0, Ruperake Fuavai vs. HCU (9/16)
• Interceptions	1, 7x, last by Calvontay Key vs. Charleston Southern (10/21)	1, 3x, last by Nijhay Burt at Eastern Illinois (10/7)

SKYHAWK MONEY PLAYS

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

<div>  MONEY RUSHERS </div>				
MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
FRANKLIN, Sam	30	8	32	139
DENT, Kinkead	15	2	15	42
LeFLORE, Narkel	8	2	10	48
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	8	0	8	41
HARRIS, Corey	3	0	3	6
COOK, Glover	3	0	3	7
LAROS, Aidan	1	0	1	1
COOK, Marlon	0	1	1	1
TOTALS	68	13	73	296
1ST DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
FRANKLIN, Sam	8	4	9	72
DENT, Kinkead	4	0	4	13
COOK, Glover	1	0	1	4
LeFLORE, Narkel	1	0	1	30
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	0	1	16
TOTALS	15	4	16	144
2ND DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
FRANKLIN, Sam	11	3	12	44
LeFLORE, Narkel	6	2	8	17
DENT, Kinkead	6	0	6	13
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	3	0	3	16
HARRIS, Corey	2	0	2	3
COOK, Glover	1	0	1	2
TOTALS	29	5	32	98
3RD DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
DENT, Kinkead	8	1	8	20
DENT, Kinkead	5	2	5	15
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	3	0	3	8
LeFLORE, Narkel	1	0	1	1
HARRIS, Corey	1	0	1	1
COOK, Glover	1	0	1	1
COOK, Marlon	0	1	1	1
TOTALS	19	4	20	47
4TH DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
FRANKLIN, Sam	3	0	3	3
LAROS, Aidan	1	0	1	1
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	0	1	1
TOTALS	5	0	5	7

<div>  MONEY RECEIVERS </div>				
MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	18	1	18	28
RUCKER, Trevonte	17	2	18	22
ROBERTS, Zoe	9	2	9	16
WONDEH, Asa	7	0	7	9
COOK, Marlon	4	2	5	7
HARDY II, Shawn	4	1	4	7
NELSON, DJ	3	2	3	4
BRAY, Austin	1	1	2	2
SMITH, Ajay	2	1	2	2
DOWLING, Max	2	2	2	3
FRANKLIN, Sam	2	0	2	7
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	2	0	2	4
LeFLORE, Narkel	1	0	1	3
TOTALS	72	14	75	116
1ST DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
WONDEH, Asa	3	0	3	4
COOK, Marlon	2	2	3	4
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	3	0	3	8
HARDY II, Shawn	2	1	2	4
RUCKER, Trevonte	1	1	2	3
ROBERTS, Zoe	2	0	2	3
NELSON, DJ	1	1	1	1
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	0	1	3
SMITH, Ajay	1	1	1	1
DOWLING, Max	1	1	1	2
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	0	1	3
TOTALS	18	7	20	38
2ND DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
RUCKER, Trevonte	11	0	11	13
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	5	0	5	8
ROBERTS, Zoe	3	0	3	7
WONDEH, Asa	3	0	3	3
BRAY, Austin	1	1	2	2
HARDY II, Shawn	2	0	2	2
NELSON, DJ	1	0	1	2
COOK, Marlon	1	0	1	2
FRANKLIN, Sam	1	0	1	3
TOTALS	28	1	29	44
3RD DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	6	0	6	7
RUCKER, Trevonte	5	1	5	6
ROBERTS, Zoe	4	2	4	6
NELSON, DJ	1	1	1	1
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	0	1	1
COOK, Marlon	1	0	1	1
LeFLORE, Narkel	1	0	1	1
SMITH, Ajay	1	0	1	1
WONDEH, Asa	1	0	1	2
DOWLING, Max	1	1	1	1
TOTALS	22	5	22	29
4TH DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	4	1	4	5
TOTALS	4	1	4	5



GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Date	Opponent	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR	TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
9/2	at #1 Georgia	Dent	Franklin	Cook	Roberts	Tanksley	Nelson	Olson	Hayes	Van Every	Carroll	Morgan
9/9	Missouri State	Dent	Franklin	Rucker	Roberts	Tanksley	Nelson	Olson	Tingley	Van Every	Carroll	Morgan
9/16	Houston Christian	Dent	Franklin	Rucker	Roberts	Tanksley	Bray	Olson	Tingley	Van Every	Carroll	Morgan
9/23	at North Alabama	Dent	Franklin	Rucker	Roberts	Tanksley	Bray	Olson	Tingley	Van Every	Carroll	Morgan
9/30	Tennessee State*	Dent	Franklin	Rucker	Roberts	Tanksley	Nelson	Olson	Tingley	Van Every	Carroll	Appleton
10/7	at #25 Eastern Illinois*	Dent	Franklin	Rucker	Roberts	Tanksley	Nelson	Olson	Tingley	Van Every	Carroll	Morgan
10/21	Charleston Southern*	Dent	Franklin	Rucker	Roberts	Tanksley	Nelson	Olson	Tingley	Van Every	Carroll	Morgan
10/28	at Gardner-Webb*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/4	at Tennessee Tech*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/11	Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/18	at Samford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Date	Opponent	DE	NT	DT	OLB	LB	LB	LB/S	CB	S	S	CB
9/2	at #1 Georgia	Dotson	Johnson	Rogers	Davis	Shipp	Sharpe	Hunter	Baker	Evans	Lucas	McGoy
9/9	Missouri State	Dotson	Johnson	Rogers	Davis	Shipp	Sharpe	Hunter	Baker	Evans	Hastings	McGoy
9/16	Houston Christian	Dotson	Johnson	Rogers	Davis	Shipp	Sharpe	Almo	Baker	Evans	Lucas	McGoy
9/23	at North Alabama	Dotson	Johnson	Rogers	Davis	Shipp	Sharpe	Hastings	Baker	Evans	Lucas	McGoy
9/30	Tennessee State*	Dotson	Johnson	Rogers	Davis	Shipp	Sharpe	Hastings	Baker	Evans	Lucas	McGoy
10/7	at #25 Eastern Illinois*	Dotson	Johnson	Rogers	Davis	Shipp	Sharpe	Almo	Baker	Evans	Lucas	McGoy
10/21	Charleston Southern*	Dotson	Johnson	Rogers	Davis	Shipp	Sharpe	Hunter	Baker	Evans	Hastings	McGoy
10/28	at Gardner-Webb*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/4	at Tennessee Tech*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/11	Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/18	at Samford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Date	Opponent	KO	PK	P	H	LS	PR	KR	KR
9/2	at #1 Georgia	Laros	Laros	Laros	Sparks	Peoples	Baker	LeFlore	Castleberry
9/9	Missouri State	Laros	Laros	Laros	Sparks	Peoples	Baker	LeFlore	Castleberry
9/16	Houston Christian	Laros	Laros	Laros	Sparks	Peoples	Baker	LeFlore	Castleberry
9/23	at North Alabama	Laros	Laros	Laros	Sparks	Peoples	Baker	LeFlore	Castleberry
9/30	Tennessee State*	Laros	Laros	Laros	Sparks	Peoples	Baker	LeFlore	Castleberry
10/7	at #25 Eastern Illinois*	Laros	Laros	Laros	Sparks	Peoples	Baker	LeFlore	Castleberry
10/21	Charleston Southern*	Laros	Laros	Laros	Dent	Peoples	Baker	Rucker	Castleberry
10/28	at Gardner-Webb*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/4	at Tennessee Tech*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/11	Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11/18	at Samford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



GAME-BY-GAME BREAKDOWN

Game	FINAL	SCORE BY QUARTER					FIRST DOWNS				RUSHING			PASSING			OFFENSE		PUNTING	FUMBLES	PENALTY	THIRD	TOTAL
	SCORE	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 #1 Georgia	L, 48-7	0	0	0	7	0	15	6	7	2	30	132	0	18-33-1	128	1	63	260	9-431	1-0	10-72	2-14	29:35
Missouri State	W, 38-31	17	7	0	14	0	17	7	0	24	41	405	3	14-33-0	107	2	74	512	4-178	0-0	5-35	7-14	26:20
Houston Christian	W, 66-7	14	24	21	7	0	13	18	1	32	49	270	2	27-36-0	437	6	85	707	2-94	2-1	5-45	9-15	34:23
at North Alabama	W, 37-21	7	3	13	14	0	10	10	1	21	51	308	4	13-30-1	172	1	81	480	5-223	2-1	6-55	8-17	30:38
Tennessee State*	W, 20-10	0	14	3	3	0	9	13	3	25	49	253	1	16-25-1	230	1	74	483	4-185	1-0	6-60	5-12	35:35
at #25 Eastern Illinois*	W, 28-27	0	7	7	7	7	4	11	1	16	37	163	2	16-35-1	182	2	72	345	7-354	4-3	11-141	5-15	27:14
Charleston Southern*	W, 17-0	0	3	0	14	0	11	7	1	19	48	194	1	12-28-0	116	1	76	310	6-264	0-0	1-15	7-19	32:33
at Gardner-Webb*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
at Tennessee Tech*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
at Samford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



GAME-BY-GAME PARTICIPATION

#	Name	GP/GS	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
25	ABDULLAH, Isaia	6/-	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
29	ALMO, Kaleb	7/2	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	START	XXX				
74	APPLETON, Mitch	6/1	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX				
0D	BAKER, Oshae	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
35	BALLARD, Steven	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
0	BOOKER, Ygenio	2/-	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...
85	BRAY, Austin	7/2	XXX	XXX	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX				
95	BURTON, Taylor	6/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
97	CAMP, Toby	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
65	CARROLL, Drake	4/4	START	START	...	START	START	...	...		
3	CASTLEBERRY, Jo	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
15	COOK, Glover	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
9	COOK, Marlon	7/1	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
1C	COOLEY, Jermain	1/-	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	
71	CROUCH, Logan	2/-	XXX	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
41	DAILEY, Bryce	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
21	DANIEL, Robert	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
8D	DAVIS, Giovanni	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
73	DAWKINS, Jabare	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...		
8	DENT, Kinkead	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
16	DIZADARE, Na'dr	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
1	DOTSON, Daylan	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
94	DOWELL, Christi	4/-	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX				
87	DOWLING, Max	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
1E	Eaford, Ge'Mon	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
76	EATON, Jason	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
84	EDWARDS, Jeremi	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
75	EDWARDS, Nick	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
12	EVANS, Carson	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
88	FLOYD, Parker	2/-	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	XXX				
2	FRANKLIN, Sam	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
80	GIBBS, Jaden	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
34	GILBERT, Wyatt	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
28	GUY, Vincent	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...
27	HAMILTON, Quinc	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
81	HAMPTON, Davion	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
14	HARDY II, Shawn	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
2H	HARRIS, Corey	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
5D	HASTINGS, Josh	5/4	XXX	START	...	START	START	...	START				
78	HAYES, Noah	6/1	START	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
23	HILL, Celeycan	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
7D	HUNTER, Chris	7/3	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START				
44	JOHNSON, Jarid	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
22	KEY, Calvontay	5/-	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
48	LAROS, Aidan	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
89	LAWRENCE, Deray	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX				
7	LeFLORE, Narkel	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
19	LUCAS, Jack	7/5	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START				
20	McGOY, JaMichae	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
77	MORGAN, Lamar	4/3	START	START	...	START	XXX	...	...		
10	MURRAY, Davonte	6/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...				
5	NELSON, DJ	6/5	START	START	...	XXX	START	START	START				
32	OKEKE, Kobe	3/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	
79	OLSON, Gavin	5/5	START	START	...	START	START	START	...				
42	PEOPLES, Colton	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
30	PERKINS, Charle	6/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX				
31	PIERCE, LaMario	6/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
6	ROBERTS, Zoe	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
26	ROBINSON, AJ	6/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
6D	ROGERS, Jay	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
13	RUCKER, Trevont	7/6	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START				
9D	SHARPE, Jaylon	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
11	SHIPP, Tevin	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
18	SMITH, Ajay	6/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...				
68	SMITH, Garrett	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
1Q	SPARKS, Kody	6/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...				
45	Stapleton, Chris	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
91	STRICKLAND, Tys	3/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	
4	TANKSLEY, Devon	7/7	START	START	START	START	START	START	START				
62	TINGLEY, Josiah	4/3	XXX	START	...	START	START	...	...		
24	TRICE, Airius	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
55	VAN EVERY, Vanc	6/6	START	START	...	START	START	START	START				
36	WEIR, Shamari	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
17	WONDEH, Asa	4/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	

TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Site	Result	Attendance	Top Rusher	Top Passer	Top Receiver	Top Tackler
Sept. 2	#1 Georgia	Athens, Ala.	L, 48-7	92,746	Dent (6-47-0)	Dent (18-31-128-1)	Wondelh (4-42-0)	Sharpe (9)
Sept. 9	Missouri State	Martin, Tenn.	W, 38-31	6,104	Franklin (20-259-3)	Dent (14-33-107-2)	Tanksley (4-44-0)	Evans (14)
Sept. 16	Houston Christian	Martin, Tenn.	W, 66-7	3,102	Franklin (17-127-2)	Dent (20-27-347-5)	Tanksley (6-120-1)	Almo (7)
Sept. 23	North Alabama	Florence, Ala.	W, 37-21	8,836	Franklin (32-221-2)	Dent (13-30-172-1)	Rucker (4-60-0)	Lucas (9)
Sept. 30	Tennessee State*	Martin, Tenn.	W, 20-10	5,020	Franklin (20-132-0)	Dent (16-25-230-1)	Tanksley (6-93-0)	Sharpe/Shipp (7)
Oct. 7	#25 Eastern Illinois*	Charleston, Ill.	W, 28-27 (OT)	8,078	Franklin (9-54-1)	Dent (16-35-182-2)	Tanksley (4-36-0)	Dotson (7)
Oct. 21	Charleston Southern*	Martin, Tenn.	W, 17-0	5,718	Franklin (29-101-1)	Dent (12-28-116-1)	Rucker (5-52-0)	Shipp (9)
Oct. 28	Gardner-Webb*	Boiling Springs, NC	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov. 4	Tennessee Tech*	Cookeville, Tenn.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov. 11	Southeast Missouri*	Martin, Tenn.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov. 18	Samford	Birmingham, Ala.	-	-	-	-	-	-

TEAM STATISTICS	UTM	OPP
SCORING	213	144
Points Per Game	30.4	20.6
Points Off Turnovers	44	28
FIRST DOWNS	150	134
Rushing	68	28
Passing	72	94
Penalty	10	12
RUSHING YARDAGE	1725	596
Yards gained rushing	1844	772
Yards lost rushing	119	176
Rushing Attempts	305	211
Average Per Rush	5.7	2.8
Average Per Game	246.4	85.1
TDs Rushing	13	5
PASSING YARDAGE	1372	1998
Comp-Att-Int	116-219-4	153-281-7
Average Per Pass	6.3	7.1
Average Per Catch	11.8	13.1
Average Per Game	196.0	285.4
TDs Passing	14	13
TOTAL OFFENSE	3097	2594
Total Plays	524	492
Average Per Play	5.9	5.3
Average Per Game	442.4	370.6
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	12-275	11-218
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	13-73	10-34
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	7-56	4-26
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	22.9	19.8
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	5.6	3.4
INT RETURN AVERAGE	8.0	8.7
FUMBLES-LOST	10-5	9-3
PENALTIES-Yards	43-408	34-331
Average Per Game	58.3	47.3
PUNTS-Yards	37-1729	46-1840
Average Per Punt	46.7	40.0
Net punt average	42.6	38.4
KICKOFFS-Yards	40-2474	29-1671
Average Per Kick	61.8	57.6
Net kick average	40.8	39.5
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	30:30	30:28
3RD-DOWN Conversions	42/104	44/116
3rd-Down Pct	40%	38%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	9/13	5/9
4th-Down Pct	69%	56%
SACKS BY-Yards	15-97	9-58
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	28	19
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	6-9	4-11
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(22-26) 85%	(14-17) 82%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(16-26) 62%	(11-17) 65%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(27-28) 96%	(18-18) 100%
ATTENDANCE	19944	109660
Games/Avg Per Game	4/4986	3/36553
Neutral Site Games		0/0

SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	OT	TOTAL
UT Martin	38	58	44	66	7	213
Opponents	45	31	21	41	6	144



OFFENSIVE STATISTICS

RUSHING

Name	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
FRANKLIN, Sam	7	139	971	31	940	6.8	8	81	134.3
DENT, Kinkead	7	51	344	62	282	5.5	2	31	40.3
LeFLORE, Narkel	7	48	218	6	212	4.4	2	23	30.3
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	41	189	8	181	4.4	0	30	25.9
HARRIS, Corey	1	6	49	0	49	8.2	0	25	49.0
COOK, Glover	7	7	42	0	42	6.0	0	16	6.0
LAROS, Aidan	7	1	23	0	23	23.0	0	23	3.3
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	7	1	4	0	4	4.0	0	4	0.6
COOK, Marlon	7	1	4	0	4	4.0	1	4	0.6
SPARKS, Kody	6	2	0	3	-3	-1.5	0	0	-0.5
TEAM	7	8	0	9	-9	-1.1	0	0	-1.3
Total.....	7	305	1844	119	1725	5.7	13	81	246.4
Opponents.....	7	211	772	176	596	2.8	5	37	85.1

PASSING

Name	GP	Rating	Comp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
DENT, Kinkead	7	121.33	109-209-3	52.2	1282	13	52	183.1
SPARKS, Kody	6	158.60	7-10-1	70.0	90	1	32	15.0
Total.....	7	123.04	116-219-4	53.0	1372	14	52	196.0
Opponents.....	7	124.46	153-281-7	54.4	1998	13	63	285.4

RECEIVING

Name	GP	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	7	28	357	12.8	1	35	51.0
RUCKER, Trevonte	7	22	300	13.6	2	50	42.9
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	16	164	10.2	2	26	23.4
WONDEH, Asa	4	9	141	15.7	0	52	35.2
HARDY II, Shawn	7	7	121	17.3	1	43	17.3
COOK, Marlon	7	7	70	10.0	2	16	10.0
FRANKLIN, Sam	7	7	45	6.4	0	16	6.4
NELSON, DJ	6	4	40	10.0	2	15	6.7
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	4	29	7.2	0	16	4.1
LeFLORE, Narkel	7	3	21	7.0	0	10	3.0
DOWLING, Max	7	3	20	6.7	2	9	2.9
SMITH, Ajay	6	2	47	23.5	1	32	7.8
BRAY, Austin	7	2	14	7.0	1	11	2.0
BOOKER, Ygenio	2	1	2	2.0	0	2	1.0
LAWRENCE, Deray	5	1	1	1.0	0	1	0.2
Total.....	7	116	1372	11.8	14	52	196.0
Opponents.....	7	153	1998	13.1	13	63	285.4

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS



SPECIAL TEAMS STATISTICS

PUNT RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
BAKER, Oshae	13	73	5.6	0	25
Total.....	13	73	5.6	0	25
Opponents.....	10	34	3.4	0	13

INTERCEPTIONS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
HUNTER, Chris	2	26	13.0	0	15
GUY, Vincent	1	4	4.0	0	4
McGOY, JaMichael	1	5	5.0	0	5
BAKER, Oshae	1	0	0.0	0	0
KEY, Calvontay	1	21	21.0	0	21
PIERCE, LaMarion	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total.....	7	56	8.0	0	21
Opponents.....	4	26	6.5	1	26

KICKOFF RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
LeFLORE, Narkel	9	223	24.8	1	95
RUCKER, Trevonte	2	42	21.0	0	22
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	10	10.0	0	10
Total.....	12	275	22.9	1	95
Opponents.....	11	218	19.8	0	33

FUMBLE RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
DOTSON, Daylan	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total.....	1	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents.....	2	5	2.5	0	4

PUNTING

Name	Punts	Yds	Avg	Lg	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
LAROS, Aidan	35	1681	48.0	70	6	10	10	13	0
DENT, Kinkead	2	48	24.0	29	0	0	2	0	0
Total.....	37	1729	46.7	70	6	10	12	13	0
Opponents.....	46	1840	40.0	58	0	14	16	6	0

KICKOFFS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
LAROS, Aidan	40	2474	61.8	25	1			
Total.....	40	2474	61.8	25	1	218	40.8	24
Opponents.....	29	1671	57.6	10	1	275	39.5	25

FIELD GOALS

Name	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg
LAROS, Aidan	6-9	66.7	0-0	5-5	1-2	0-2	0-0	33

FIELD GOAL SEQUENCE BY GAME

	UT Martin	Opponents
Georgia	41	(23),(33)
Missouri State	46,(29)	48,(38)
HCU	(33)	-
North Alabama	(20)	50,28
Tennessee State	(23),(22)	(42)
Eastern Illinois	33	24,51,40
Charleston Southern	(26)	37

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
FRANKLIN, Sam	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	48
LAROS, Aidan	0	6-9	27-28	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	45
COOK, Marlon	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
LeFLORE, Narkel	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
DOWLING, Max	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
ROBERTS, Zoe	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
DENT, Kinkead	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
RUCKER, Trevonte	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
NELSON, DJ	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
BRAY, Austin	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
HARDY II, Shawn	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
SMITH, Ajay	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Total.....	28	6-9	27-28	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	213
Opponents.....	19	4-11	18-18	0-0	0	0-1	0	0	144

TOTAL OFFENSE

Name	GP	Plays	Rush	Pass	Tot	Avg/G
DENT, Kinkead	7	260	282	1282	1564	223.4
FRANKLIN, Sam	7	139	940	0	940	134.3
LeFLORE, Narkel	7	48	212	0	212	30.3
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	41	181	0	181	25.9
SPARKS, Kody	6	12	-3	90	87	14.5
HARRIS, Corey	1	6	49	0	49	49.0
COOK, Glover	7	7	42	0	42	6.0
LAROS, Aidan	7	1	23	0	23	3.3
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	7	1	4	0	4	0.6
COOK, Marlon	7	1	4	0	4	0.6
TEAM	7	8	-9	0	-9	-1.3
Total.....	7	524	1725	1372	3097	442.4
Opponents.....	7	492	596	1998	2594	370.6

ALL-PURPOSE

Name	GP	Rush	Rec	PR	KR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
FRANKLIN, Sam	7	940	45	0	0	0	985	140.7
LeFLORE, Narkel	7	212	21	0	223	0	456	65.1
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	7	4	357	0	0	0	361	51.6
RUCKER, Trevonte	7	0	300	0	42	0	342	48.9
DENT, Kinkead	7	282	0	0	0	0	282	40.3
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	181	29	0	10	0	220	31.4
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	0	164	0	0	0	164	23.4
WONDEH, Asa	4	0	141	0	0	0	141	35.2
HARDY II, Shawn	7	0	121	0	0	0	121	17.3
COOK, Marlon	7	4	70	0	0	0	74	10.6
BAKER, Oshae	7	0	0	73	0	0	73	10.4
HARRIS, Corey	1	49	0	0	0	0	49	49.0
SMITH, Ajay	6	0	47	0	0	0	47	7.8
COOK, Glover	7	42	0	0	0	0	42	6.0
NELSON, DJ	6	0	40	0	0	0	40	6.7
HUNTER, Chris	7	0	0	0	0	26	26	3.7
LAROS, Aidan	7	23	0	0	0	0	23	3.3
KEY, Calvontay	5	0	0	0	0	21	21	4.2
DOWLING, Max	7	0	20	0	0	0	20	2.9
BRAY, Austin	7	0	14	0	0	0	14	2.0
McGOY, JaMichael	7	0	0	0	0	5	50.7	
GUY, Vincent	3	0	0	0	0	4	41.3	
BOOKER, Ygenio	2	0	2	0	0	0	21.0	
LAWRENCE, Deray	5	0	1	0	0	0	10.2	
SPARKS, Kody	6	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-0.5
TEAM	7	-9	0	0	0	0	-9	-1.3
Total.....	7	1725	1372	73	275	56	3501	500.1
Opponents.....	7	596	1998	34	218	26	2872	410.3

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS



DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

No.	Player	GP-GS	ST	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int	PBU	QBH	FR-Yds	FF	Blk	Saf
9	SHARPE, Jaylon	7-7	24	20	44	3.5-9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
12	EVANS, Carson	7-7	24	20	44	2.0-3	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.
11	SHIPP, Tevin	7-7	17	22	39	2.0-4	.	.	4	4	.	.	.	.
7	HUNTER, Chris	7-3	16	17	33	3.5-6	.	2-26	1	1	.	.	.	.
0	BAKER, Oshae	7-7	24	9	33	4.5-13	.	1-0	6	2	.	1	.	.
1	DOTSON, Daylan	7-7	15	17	32	10.5-46	4.5-28	.	5	12	1-0	1	.	.
19	LUCAS, Jack	7-5	18	10	28	1.5-1	.	.	4	.	1-0	.	.	.
44	JOHNSON, Jarid	7-7	10	17	27	5.0-21	2.0-13	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
5	HASTINGS, Josh	5-4	16	7	23	1.5-2	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	.
8	DAVIS, Giovanni	7-7	5	16	21	5.0-21	2.5-17	.	2	2	.	.	.	.
29	ALMO, Kaleb	7-2	14	6	20	0.5-1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
20	McGOY, JaMichael	7-7	16	3	19	1.0-2	.	1-5	6	.	.	1	.	.
6	ROGERS, Jay	7-7	5	13	18	3.0-14	1.5-11	.	.	6	.	.	.	.
10	MURRAY, Davonte	6-0	5	6	11	1.5-6	0.5-3	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
41	DAILEY, Bryce	7-0	3	7	10	2.5-13	1.5-10	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
30	PERKINS, Charles	6-0	4	4	8	2.0-12	2.0-12	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
23	HILL, Celeycan	7-0	7	1	8	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
97	CAMP, Toby	7-0	2	4	6	0.5-3	0.5-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
34	GILBERT, Wyatt	7-0	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
22	KEY, Calvontay	5-0	2	3	5	0.5-0	.	1-21	3	.	.	.	.	.
94	DOWELL, Christian	4-0	2	2	4	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
95	BURTON, Taylor	6-0	1	3	4	1.0-2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
24	TRICE, Airius	7-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
36	WEIR, Shamari	7-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
48	LAROS, Aidan	7-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
31	PIERCE, LaMarion	6-0	2	.	2	.	.	1-0	1	.	.	.	.	.
42	PEOPLES, Colton	7-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	COOK, Glover	7-0	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	ABDULLAH, Isaiah	6-0	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	OKEKE, Kobe	3-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1E	Eaford,Ge'Mon	1-0	1	.	1	1.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
21	DANIEL, Robert	7-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	BALLARD, Steven	7-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	GUY, Vincent	3-0	1	.	1	.	.	1-4	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total.....		7-0	244	220	464	53-184	15-97	7-56	47	38	3-0	4	1	.
Opponents.....		7-0	246	294	540	35.0-119	9-58	4-26	27	34	5-5	7	.	.

UT MARTIN GIVEAWAYS/TAKEAWAYS							
Game	Giveaways			Takeaways			Dif.
	F	I	T	F	I	T	
Georgia	0	1	1	0	0	0	-1
Missouri State	0	0	0	1	1	2	+2
Houston Christian	1	0	1	1	3	4	+3
North Alabama	1	1	2	1	1	2	+0
Tennessee State	0	1	1	0	0	0	-1
Eastern Illinois	3	1	4	0	1	1	-3
Charleston Southern	0	0	0	0	1	1	+1
Gardner-Webb	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tennessee Tech	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southeast Missouri	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Samford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	5	4	9	3	7	10	+1

UTM ON OPENING OFFENSIVE DRIVE			
Game	1st Half	2nd Half	
Georgia	Punt	Punt	
Missouri State	TOUCHDOWN	Punt	
Houston Christian	TOUCHDOWN	TOUCHDOWN	
North Alabama	TOUCHDOWN	TOUCHDOWN	
Tennessee State	Punt	Punt	
Eastern Illinois	Punt	TOUCHDOWN	
Charleston Southern	Punt	Punt	
Gardner-Webb	-	-	
Tennessee Tech	-	-	
Southeast Missouri	-	-	
Samford	-	-	

UTM ON OPENING DEFENSIVE DRIVE			
Game	1st Half	2nd Half	
Georgia	Punt	Punt	
Missouri State	Touchdown	Missed FG	
Houston Christian	Punt	Interception	
North Alabama	Punt	Missed FG	
Tennessee State	Field Goal	Punt	
Eastern Illinois	Punt	Punt	
Charleston Southern	Missed FG	Punt	
Gardner-Webb	-	-	
Tennessee Tech	-	-	
Southeast Missouri	-	-	
Samford	-	-	

SKYHAWK UNIFORM COMBINATIONS							
Game	Jersey	Pants					
Georgia	White	White					
Missouri State	Navy	Navy					
Houston Christian	Grey	Grey					
North Alabama	White	Grey					
Tennessee State	Navy	White					
Eastern Illinois	White	White					
Charleston Southern	Navy	White					
Gardner-Webb	-	-					
Tennessee Tech	-	-					
Southeast Missouri	-	-					
Samford	-	-					

INTERCEPTIONS					
Game	No.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
Georgia	0	0	0	0	0
Missouri State	1	5	5.0	0	5
Houston Christian	3	4	1.3	0	4
North Alabama	1	11	11.0	0	11
Tennessee State	1	15	15.0	0	15
Eastern Illinois	1	21	21.0	0	21
Charleston Southern	-	-	-	-	-
Gardner-Webb	-	-	-	-	-
Tennessee Tech	-	-	-	-	-
Southeast Missouri	-	-	-	-	-
Samford	-	-	-	-	-
Total	7	56	8.0	0	21

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
FRANKLIN, Sam	7	139	971	31	940	6.8	8	81	134.3		20	231	1757	74	1683	7.3	17	89	84.2
DENT, Kinkead	7	51	344	62	282	5.5	2	31	40.3		7	51	344	62	282	5.5	2	31	40.3
LeFLORE, Narkel	7	48	218	6	212	4.4	2	23	30.3		7	48	218	6	212	4.4	2	23	30.3
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	41	189	8	181	4.4	0	30	25.9		31	99	502	19	483	4.9	1	30	15.6
HARRIS, Corey	1	6	49	0	49	8.2	0	25	49.0		1	6	49	0	49	8.2	0	25	49.0
COOK, Glover	7	7	42	0	42	6.0	0	16	6.0		7	7	42	0	42	6.0	0	16	6.0
LAROS, Aidan	7	1	23	0	23	23.0	0	23	3.3		7	1	23	0	23	23.0	0	23	3.3
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	7	1	4	0	4	4.0	0	4	0.6		19	5	33	0	33	6.6	0	13	1.7
COOK, Marlon	7	1	4	0	4	4.0	1	4	0.6		7	1	4	0	4	4.0	1	4	0.6
SPARKS, Kody	6	2	0	3	-3	-1.5	0	0	-0.5		17	2	0	3	-3	-1.5	0	0	-0.2
TEAM	7	8	0	9	-9	-1.1	0	0	-1.3										
Total	7	305	1844	119	1725	5.7	13	81	246.4										
Opponents	7	211	772	176	596	2.8	5	37	85.1										
Passing																			
	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g		gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g		
DENT, Kinkead	7	121.33	109-209-3	52.2	1282	13	52	183.1		7	121.33	109-209-3	52.2	1282	13	52	183.1		
SPARKS, Kody	6	158.60	7-10-1	70.0	90	1	32	15.0		17	158.60	7-10-1	70.0	90	1	32	5.3		
Total	7	123.04	116-219-4	53.0	1372	14	52	196.0											
Opponents	7	124.46	153-281-7	54.4	1998	13	63	285.4											
Receiving																			
	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g			gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g			
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	7	28	357	12.8	1	35	51.0			19	86	1025	11.9	2	69	53.9			
RUCKER, Trevonte	7	22	300	13.6	2	50	42.9			7	22	300	13.6	2	50	42.9			
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	16	164	10.2	2	26	23.4			29	53	462	8.7	7	54	15.9			
WONDEH, Asa	4	9	141	15.7	0	52	35.2			4	9	141	15.7	0	52	35.2			
HARDY II, Shawn	7	7	121	17.3	1	43	17.3			7	7	121	17.3	1	43	17.3			
COOK, Marlon	7	7	70	10.0	2	16	10.0			7	7	70	10.0	2	16	10.0			
FRANKLIN, Sam	7	7	45	6.4	0	16	6.4			20	20	102	5.1	0	18	5.1			
NELSON, DJ	6	4	40	10.0	2	15	6.7			21	27	313	11.6	8	70	14.9			
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	4	29	7.2	0	16	4.1			31	9	87	9.7	0	25	2.8			
LeFLORE, Narkel	7	3	21	7.0	0	10	3.0			7	3	21	7.0	0	10	3.0			
DOWLING, Max	7	3	20	6.7	2	9	2.9			7	3	20	6.7	2	9	2.9			
SMITH, Ajay	6	2	47	23.5	1	32	7.8			16	3	56	18.7	1	32	3.5			
BRAY, Austin	7	2	14	7.0	1	11	2.0			17	2	14	7.0	1	11	0.8			
BOOKER, Ygenio	2	1	2	2.0	0	2	1.0			2	1	2	2.0	0	2	1.0			
LAWRENCE, Deray	5	1	1	1.0	0	1	0.2			42	11	142	12.9	1	62	3.4			
Total	7	116	1372	11.8	14	52	196.0												
Opponents	7	153	1998	13.1	13	63	285.4												
Total Offense																			
	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g				g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g				
DENT, Kinkead	7	260	282	1282	1564	223.4				7	260	282	1282	1564	223.4				
FRANKLIN, Sam	7	139	940	0	940	134.3				20	231	1683	0	1683	84.2				
LeFLORE, Narkel	7	48	212	0	212	30.3				7	48	212	0	212	30.3				
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	7	41	181	0	181	25.9				31	99	483	0	483	15.6				
SPARKS, Kody	6	12	-3	90	87	14.5				17	12	-3	90	87	5.1				
HARRIS, Corey	1	6	49	0	49	49.0				1	6	49	0	49	49.0				
COOK, Glover	7	7	42	0	42	6.0				7	7	42	0	42	6.0				
LAROS, Aidan	7	1	23	0	23	3.3				7	1	23	0	23	3.3				
COOK, Marlon	7	1	4	0	4	0.6				7	1	4	0	4	0.6				
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	7	1	4	0	4	0.6				19	5	33	0	33	1.7				
TEAM	7	8	-9	0	-9	-1.3													
Total	7	524	1725	1372	3097	442.4													
Opponents	7	492	596	1998	2594	370.6													

SEASON/CAREER STATISTICS

SEASON

CAREER

Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass						kick	rush	rcv	pass			
FRANKLIN, Sam	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	102
LAROS, Aidan	-	6-9	27-28	-	-	-	-	-	45	-	6-9	27-28	-	-	-	-	-	45
LeFLORE, Narkel	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
COOK, Marlon	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
DOWLING, Max	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
NELSON, DJ	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
ROBERTS, Zoe	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
RUCKER, Trevonte	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
DENT, Kinkead	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
HARDY II, Shawn	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
BRAY, Austin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
SMITH, Ajay	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	28	6-9	27-28	-	-	-	-	-	213									
Opponents	19	4-11	18-18	-	-	0-1	-	-	144									

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
BAKER, Oshae	13	73	5.6	0	25	26	153	5.9	0	25
Total	13	73	5.6	0	25					
Opponents	10	34	3.4	0	13					

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
LeFLORE, Narkel	9	223	24.8	1	95	9	223	24.8	1	95
RUCKER, Trevonte	2	42	21.0	0	22	2	42	21.0	0	22
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	10	10.0	0	10	5	66	13.2	0	15
Total	12	275	22.9	1	95					
Opponents	11	218	19.8	0	33					

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
HUNTER, Chris	2	26	13.0	0	15	2	26	13.0	0	15
McGOY, JaMichael	1	5	5.0	0	5	1	5	5.0	0	5
GUY, Vincent	1	4	4.0	0	4	2	28	14.0	0	24
KEY, Calvontay	1	21	21.0	0	21	1	21	21.0	0	21
PIERCE, LaMarion	1	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
BAKER, Oshae	1	0	0.0	0	0	6	88	14.7	1	41
Total	7	56	8.0	0	21					
Opponents	4	26	6.5	1	26					

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
DOTSON, Daylan	1	0	0.0	0	0	2	3	1.5	1	3
Total	1	0	0.0	0	0					
Opponents	2	5	2.5	0	4					

SEASON/CAREER STATISTICS

SEASON

CAREER

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g		g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
FRANKLIN, Sam	7	940	45	0	0	0	985	140.7		20	1683	102	0	160	0	1945	97.2
LeFLORE, Narke	7	212	21	0	223	0	456	65.1		7	212	21	0	223	0	456	65.1
TANKSLEY, DeV	7	4	357	0	0	0	361	51.6		19	33	1025	7	27	0	1092	57.5
RUCKER, Trevo	7	0	300	0	42	0	342	48.9		7	0	300	0	42	0	342	48.9
DENT, Kinkead	7	282	0	0	0	0	282	40.3		7	282	0	0	0	0	282	40.3
CASTLEBERRY,	7	181	29	0	10	0	220	31.4		31	483	87	0	66	0	636	20.5
ROBERTS, Zoe	7	0	164	0	0	0	164	23.4		29	14	462	0	29	0	505	17.4
WONDEH, Asa	4	0	141	0	0	0	141	35.2		4	0	141	0	0	0	141	35.2
HARDY II, Shaw	7	0	121	0	0	0	121	17.3		7	0	121	0	0	0	121	17.3
COOK, Marlon	7	4	70	0	0	0	74	10.6		7	4	70	0	0	0	74	10.6
BAKER, Oshae	7	0	0	73	0	0	73	10.4		35	0	0	153	266	88	507	14.5
HARRIS, Corey	1	49	0	0	0	0	49	49.0		1	49	0	0	0	0	49	49.0
SMITH, Ajay	6	0	47	0	0	0	47	7.8		16	0	56	0	4	0	60	3.8
COOK, Glover	7	42	0	0	0	0	42	6.0		7	42	0	0	0	0	42	6.0
NELSON, DJ	6	0	40	0	0	0	40	6.7		21	0	313	0	0	0	313	14.9
HUNTER, Chris	7	0	0	0	0	26	26	3.7		38	0	0	0	8	26	34	0.9
LAROS, Aidan	7	23	0	0	0	0	23	3.3		7	23	0	0	0	0	23	3.3
KEY, Calvontay	5	0	0	0	0	21	21	4.2		5	0	0	0	0	21	21	4.2
DOWLING, Max	7	0	20	0	0	0	20	2.9		7	0	20	0	0	0	20	2.9
BRAY, Austin	7	0	14	0	0	0	14	2.0		17	0	14	0	0	0	14	0.8
McGOY, JaMich	7	0	0	0	0	5	5	0.7		21	0	0	0	0	5	5	0.2
GUY, Vincent	3	0	0	0	0	4	4	1.3		20	0	0	0	0	28	28	1.4
BOOKER, Ygeni	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	1.0		2	0	2	0	0	0	2	1.0
LAWRENCE, Der	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.2		42	16	142	0	0	0	158	3.8
SPARKS, Kody	6	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-0.5		17	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-0.2
TEAM	7	-9	0	0	0	0	-9	-1.3									
Total	7	1725	1372	73	275	56	3501	500.1									
Opponents	7	596	1998	34	218	26	2872	410.3									

Field Goals	att	good	long	blkd		att	good	long	blkd
LAROS, Aidan	9	6	33	0		9	6	33	0
Total	9	6	33	0					
Opponents	11	4	42	1					

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk		no.	yds	avg	lg	blk
LAROS, Aidan	35	1681	48.0	70	0		35	1681	48.0	70	0
DENT, Kinkead	2	48	24.0	29	0		2	48	24.0	29	0
Total	37	1729	46.7	70	0						
Opponents	46	1840	40.0	58	0						

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob		no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
LAROS, Aidan	40	2474	61.8	25	1		40	2474	61.8	25	1
Total	40	2474	61.8	25	1						
Opponents	29	1671	57.6	10	1						

SEASON/CAREER STATISTICS

SEASON													CAREER												
##	Defensive Leaders	gp	ua	a	total	tfl	sack	int	pbu	fr	ff	blk	gp	ua	a	total	tfl	sack	int	pbu	fr	ff	blk		
12	EVANS, Carson	7	24	20	44	2.0	.	.	4	.	.	.	38	55	79	134	4.0	.	1	12	3	.	.		
9D	SHARPE, Jaylon	7	24	20	44	3.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	24	27	51	4.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
11	SHIPP, Tevin	7	17	22	39	2.0	.	.	4	.	.	.	37	43	52	95	11.0	.	1	9	.	1	.		
7D	HUNTER, Chris	7	16	17	33	3.5	.	2	1	.	.	.	38	41	52	93	12.0	2.5	2	1	1	1	1		
0D	BAKER, Oshae	7	24	9	33	4.5	.	1	6	.	1	.	35	89	63	152	13.0	2.5	6	24	2	1	2		
1	DOTSON, Daylan	7	15	17	32	10.5	4.5	.	5	1	1	.	35	40	60	100	28.5	15.5	.	6	4	6	1		
19	LUCAS, Jack	7	18	10	28	1.5	.	.	4	1	.	.	34	23	22	45	2.0	.	.	4	1	.	.		
44	JOHNSON, Jarid	7	10	17	27	5.0	2.0	.	.	.	1	1	24	10	37	47	5.5	2.0	.	.	.	1	1		
5D	HASTINGS, Josh	5	16	7	23	1.5	.	.	8	.	.	.	5	16	7	23	1.5	.	.	8	.	.	.		
8D	DAVIS, Giovanni	7	5	16	21	5.0	2.5	.	2	.	.	.	36	22	49	71	15.0	6.0	1	3	1	1	.		
29	ALMO, Kaleb	7	14	6	20	0.5	.	.	1	.	.	.	16	14	7	21	0.5	.	.	1	.	.	.		
20	McGOY, JaMichael	7	16	3	19	1.0	.	1	6	.	1	.	21	22	14	36	1.0	.	1	7	.	1	.		
6D	ROGERS, Jay	7	5	13	18	3.0	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	31	23	43	66	10.5	4.0	.	.	2	1	.
10	MURRAY, Davonte	6	5	6	11	1.5	0.5	.	1	.	.	.	6	5	6	11	1.5	0.5	.	1	.	.	.		
41	DAILEY, Bryce	7	3	7	10	2.5	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	8	3	7	10	2.5	1.5	.	.	.	.	.
23	HILL, Celeycan	7	7	1	8	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.	7	7	1	8	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.		
30	PERKINS, Charles	6	4	4	8	2.0	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	8	4	4	8	2.0	2.0	.	.	.	.	.
97	CAMP, Toby	7	2	4	6	0.5	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	15	2	8	10	1.0	1.0	.	1	.	.	.
22	KEY, Calvontay	5	2	3	5	0.5	.	1	3	.	.	.	5	2	3	5	0.5	.	1	3	.	.	.		
34	GILBERT, Wyatt	7	1	4	5	0.0	.	.	.	1	.	.	8	1	4	5	0.0	.	.	.	1	.	.		
94	DOWELL, Christian	4	2	2	4	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	24	7	22	29	2.5	.	.	1	.	.	.
24	TRICE, Airius	7	3	1	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	15	3	1	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
95	BURTON, Taylor	6	1	3	4	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	3	4	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
36	WEIR, Shamari	7	2	1	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	25	8	6	14	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	PEOPLES, Colton	7	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	COOK, Glover	7	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	ABDULLAH, Isaiah	6	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	32	8	12	20	1.5	.	.	1	.	.	.
31	PIERCE, LaMarion	6	2	.	2	0.0	.	1	1	.	.	.	8	2	.	2	0.0	.	1	1	.	.	.		
48	LAROS, Aidan	7	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
1E	Eaford, Ge'Mon	1	1	.	1	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	OKEKE, Kobe	3	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	GUY, Vincent	3	1	.	1	0.0	.	1	.	.	.	.	20	8	6	14	1.5	.	2	2	.	.	.
21	DANIEL, Robert	7	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	BALLARD, Steven	7	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		7	244	220	464	53	15	7	47	3	4	1													
Opponents		7	246	294	540	35	9	4	27	5	7	.													

INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATS



OFFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

PASSING

#8 DENT, Kinkead	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic
Georgia	32	18	0	56.2	128	1	17	1	4	100.2
Missouri State	33	14	0	42.4	107	2	14	2	18	89.7
HCU	27	20	0	74.1	347	5	52	1	10	243.1
North Alabama	29	13	1	44.8	172	1	29	0	0	99.1
Tennessee State	25	16	1	64.0	230	1	35	2	11	146.5
Eastern Illinois	35	16	1	45.7	182	2	40	3	15	102.5
Charleston Southern	28	12	0	42.9	116	1	30	0	0	89.4
TOTALS	209	109	3	52.2	1282	13	52	9	58	121.3

#11 SPARKS, Kody	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic
Georgia	1	0	1	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	-200.0
HCU	9	7	0	77.8	90	1	32	0	0	198.4
TOTALS	10	7	1	70.0	90	1	32	0	0	158.6

RUSHING

Name	No-Yds/TD	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
FRANKLIN, Sam	139-940/8	12-46/0	20-259/3	17-127/1	32-221/2	20-132/0	9-54/1	29-101/1	-	-	-	-
DENT, Kinkead	51-282/2	6-47/0	8-48/0	5-8/1	8-37/0	8-48/1	11-50/0	5-44/0	-	-	-	-
LeFLORE, Narkel	48-212/2	3-10/0	6-33/0	5-18/0	7-22/1	11-53/0	10-45/1	6-31/0	-	-	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jo	41-181/0	8-31/0	6-66/0	8-29/0	2-1/0	5-20/0	6-14/0	6-20/0	-	-	-	-
HARRIS, Corey	6-49/0	DNP	DNP	6-49/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
COOK, Glover	7-42/0	-	-	6-42/0	-	-	1-0/0	-	-	-	-	-
LAROS, Aidan	1-23/0	-	-	-	1-23/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TANKSLEY, Devon	1-4/0	-	-	-	-	1-4/0	-	-	-	-	-	-
COOK, Marlon	1-4/1	-	-	-	1-4/1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SPARKS, Kody	2--3/0	-	-	1--2/0	-	1--1/0	-	DNP	-	-	-	-
TEAM	8--9/0	1--2/0	1--1/0	1--1/0	-	3--3/0	-	2--2/0	-	-	-	-

RECEIVING

Name	No-Yds/TD	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
TANKSLEY, Devonte	28-357/1	2-3/0	4-44/0	6-120/1	3-44/0	6-93/0	4-36/0	3-17/0	-	-	-	-
RUCKER, Trevont	22-300/2	3-17/1	3-20/0	3-65/1	4-60/0	2-40/0	2-46/0	5-52/0	-	-	-	-
ROBERTS, Zoe	16-164/2	1-6/0	1-7/0	2-14/1	4-44/1	4-54/0	3-35/0	1-4/0	-	-	-	-
WONDEH, Asa	9-141/0	4-42/0	-	5-99/0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
HARDY II, Shawn	7-121/1	-	1-2/0	2-50/1	1-15/0	1-15/0	1-9/0	1-30/0	-	-	-	-
COOK, Marlon	7-70/2	1-9/0	2-19/1	2-16/1	-	-	2-26/0	-	-	-	-	-
SMITH, Ajay	2-47/1	-	-	2-47/1	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-
FRANKLIN, Sam	7-45/0	2-18/0	-	3-14/0	1-9/0	-	-	1-4/0	-	-	-	-
NELSON, DJ	4-40/2	1-6/0	-	DNP	-	2-25/1	-	1-9/1	-	-	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jo	4-29/0	3-25/0	-	-	-	-	1-4/0	-	-	-	-	-
LeFLORE, Narkel	3-21/0	-	1-8/0	-	-	1-3/0	1-10/0	-	-	-	-	-
DOWLING, Max	3-20/2	-	1-4/0	-	-	-	2-16/2	-	-	-	-	-
BRAY, Austin	2-14/1	-	1-3/1	1-11/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BOOKER, Ygenio	1-2/0	1-2/0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
LAWRENCE, Deray	1-1/0	-	-	1-1/0	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-



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TOTAL TACKLES

Name	UA-A	TOT	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
EVANS, Carson	24-20	44	2-2	5-9	2-2	2-3	4-1	6-0	3-3	-	-	-	-
SHARPE, Jaylon	24-20	44	4-4	5-2	3-1	4-4	3-4	4-1	1-4	-	-	-	-
SHIPP, Tevin	17-22	39	3-0	1-2	1-3	3-4	1-6	4-2	4-5	-	-	-	-
HUNTER, Chris	16-17	33	5-2	3-1	2-0	3-3	1-4	2-4	0-3	-	-	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	24-9	33	5-0	5-5	1-0	4-3	3-1	6-0	-	-	-	-	-
DOTSON, Daylan	15-17	32	1-1	3-7	1-2	2-0	1-4	6-1	1-2	-	-	-	-
LUCAS, Jack	18-10	28	3-0	3-2	0-1	7-2	3-3	1-0	1-2	-	-	-	-
JOHNSON, Jarid	10-17	27	2-1	1-2	0-2	3-2	0-4	2-3	2-3	-	-	-	-
HASTINGS, Josh	16-7	23	5-0	6-2	DNP	1-1	1-0	DNP	3-4	-	-	-	-
DAVIS, Giovanni	5-16	21	2-3	1-3	0-2	1-2	0-4	1-2	-	-	-	-	-
ALMO, Kaleb	14-6	20	3-0	1-0	4-3	2-2	1-1	3-0	-	-	-	-	-
McGOY, JaMichae	16-3	19	1-0	0-2	3-0	4-0	4-1	2-0	2-0	-	-	-	-
ROGERS, Jay	5-13	18	-	0-3	0-1	2-6	1-0	1-1	1-2	-	-	-	-
MURRAY, Davonte	5-6	11	0-1	2-1	-	1-2	1-2	1-0	DNP	-	-	-	-
DAILEY, Bryce	3-7	10	-	0-1	1-0	1-1	0-2	0-1	1-2	-	-	-	-
HILL, Celeycan	7-1	8	3-0	1-0	2-0	-	0-1	1-0	-	-	-	-	-
PERKINS, Charle	4-4	8	-	0-1	2-0	-	DNP	1-0	1-3	-	-	-	-
CAMP, Toby	2-4	6	1-1	-	-	0-1	-	1-0	0-2	-	-	-	-
KEY, Calvontay	2-3	5	0-2	DNP	DNP	1-0	0-1	1-0	-	-	-	-	-
GILBERT, Wyatt	1-4	5	-	1-1	-	-	0-2	-	0-1	-	-	-	-
DOWELL, Christi	2-2	4	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	1-1	0-1	-	-	-	-
BURTON, Taylor	1-3	4	-	DNP	1-1	-	0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-
TRICE, Airius	3-1	4	-	1-0	1-1	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-
WEIR, Shamari	2-1	3	1-1	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COOK, Glover	0-2	2	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-
PEOPLES, Colton	1-1	2	1-0	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ABDULLAH, Isaia	0-2	2	0-1	0-1	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PIERCE, LaMario	2-0	2	1-0	DNP	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LAROS, Aidan	1-1	2	-	-	0-1	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-
GUY, Vincent	1-0	1	1-0	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
Eaford, Ge' Mon	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
DANIEL, Robert	1-0	1	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OKEKE, Kobe	1-0	1	-	DNP	-	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
BALLARD, Steven	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-



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INTERCEPTION RETURNS

Name	Number	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
HUNTER, Chris	2-26	-	-	-	1-11	-	1-15	-	-	-	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	1-0	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GUY, Vincent	1-4	-	-	1-4	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
McGOY, JaMichae	1-5	-	1-5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PIERCE, LaMario	1-0	-	DNP	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KEY, Calvontay	1-21	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	1-21	-	-	-	-

FUMBLES LOST

Name	No-Lost	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
DENT, Kinkead	3-1	-	-	-	1-0	1-0	1-1	-	-	-	-	-
FRANKLIN, Sam	3-2	-	-	1-0	1-1	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-
LeFLORE, Narkel	2-1	1-0	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jo	1-1	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COOK, Glover	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-

FUMBLES FORCED

Name	Number	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
BAKER, Oshae	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
McGOY, JaMichae	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOTSON, Daylan	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
JOHNSON, Jarid	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

FUMBLES RECOVERED

Name	Number	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
LUCAS, Jack	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOTSON, Daylan	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GILBERT, Wyatt	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

TACKLES FOR LOSS

Name	UA-A	TOT	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
DOTSON, Daylan	8-5	10.5	-	2.5-9	1.5-8	2.0-9	0.5-1	4.0-19	-	-	-	-	-
JOHNSON, Jarid	4-2	5.0	0.5-1	1.0-2	0.5-1	2.0-15	-	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	-
DAVIS, Giovanni	3-4	5.0	-	2.5-4	0.5-1	1.0-8	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-
BAKER, Oshae	4-1	4.5	1.0-4	1.5-2	-	-	1.0-2	1.0-5	-	-	-	-	-
SHARPE, Jaylon	3-1	3.5	0.5-1	1.0-1	1.0-5	-	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-
HUNTER, Chris	2-3	3.5	1.0-4	0.5-1	1.0-1	0.5-0	0.5-0	-	-	-	-	-	-
ROGERS, Jay	1-4	3.0	-	0.5-1	-	1.0-3	1.0-9	-	0.5-1	-	-	-	-
DAILEY, Bryce	1-3	2.5	-	-	1.0-7	-	0.5-2	-	1.0-4	-	-	-	-
EVANS, Carson	1-2	2.0	-	0.5-1	-	1.0-1	-	-	0.5-1	-	-	-	-
SHIPP, Tevin	1-2	2.0	-	-	1.0-1	-	-	-	1.0-3	-	-	-	-
PERKINS, Charle	2-0	2.0	-	-	1.0-4	-	DNP	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-
LUCAS, Jack	1-1	1.5	-	-	-	1.0-1	-	-	0.5-0	-	-	-	-
HASTINGS, Josh	1-1	1.5	-	1.0-1	DNP	-	-	DNP	0.5-1	-	-	-	-
MURRAY, Davonte	0-3	1.5	0.5-1	-	-	0.5-3	0.5-2	-	DNP	-	-	-	-
McGOY, JaMichae	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-
BURTON, Taylor	1-0	1.0	-	DNP	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eaford, Ge'Mon	1-0	1.0	DNP	DNP	1.0-4	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
CAMP, Toby	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-3	-	-	-	-
KEY, Calvontay	0-1	0.5	0.5-0	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ALMO, Kaleb	0-1	0.5	-	-	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOWELL, Christi	0-1	0.5	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	0.5-1	-	-	-	-

SACKS

Name	UA-A	TOT	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
DOTSON, Daylan	4-1	4.5	-	-	1.5-8	1.0-6	-	2.0-14	-	-	-	-	-
DAVIS, Giovanni	2-1	2.5	-	-	0.5-1	1.0-8	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-
PERKINS, Charle	2-0	2.0	-	-	1.0-4	-	DNP	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-
JOHNSON, Jarid	2-0	2.0	-	1.0-2	-	1.0-11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DAILEY, Bryce	1-1	1.5	-	-	1.0-7	-	-	-	0.5-3	-	-	-	-
ROGERS, Jay	1-1	1.5	-	-	-	0.5-2	1.0-9	-	-	-	-	-	-
MURRAY, Davonte	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	0.5-3	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-
CAMP, Toby	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-3	-	-	-	-



SPECIAL TEAMS GAME-BY-GAME

PUNT RETURNS

Name	No-Yds	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
BAKER, Oshae	13-73	-	2-4	2-14	1-0	3-10	2-10	3-35	-	-	-	-

KICK RETURNS

Name	No-Yds	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
LeFLORE, Narkel	9-223	1-7	3-41	2-123	-	2-42	1-10	-	-	-	-	-
RUCKER, Trevont	2-42	-	-	-	-	-	1-22	1-20	-	-	-	-
CASTLEBERRY, Jo	1-10	-	-	-	-	1-10	-	-	-	-	-	-

FIELD GOALS

Name	FG-FGA (LG)	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU	GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM
LAROS, Aidan	6-9 (33)	0-1	1-2 (29)	1-1 (33)	1-1 (20)	2-2 (23)	0-1	1-1 (26)	-	-	-	-

PUNTING

Name	No-Yds-Avg	UGA	MSU	HCU	UNA	TSU	EIU	CSU
LAROS, Aidan	35-1681-48.0	8-402-50.2	4-178-44.5	2-94-47.0	5-223-44.6	4-185-46.2	7-354-50.6	5-245-49.0
		GWU	TTU	SEMO	SAM			
		-	-	-	-			

UT MARTIN GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

		RUSHING				RECEIVING				PASSING				KICK RET				PUNT RET				Tot		
Date	Opponent	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Cmp	Att	Int	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	No	Yds	TD	Lg	Off
Sep 02, 2023	at Georgia	30	132	0	26	18	128	1	17	18	33	1	128	1	17	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	260
Sep 09, 2023	MISSOURI STATE	41	405	3	81	14	107	2	14	14	33	0	107	2	14	3	41	0	21	2	4	0	4	512
Sep 16, 2023	HCU	49	270	2	46	27	437	6	52	27	36	0	437	6	52	2	123	1	95	2	14	0	9	707
Sep 23, 2023	at North Alabama	51	308	4	74	13	172	1	29	13	29	1	172	1	29	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	480
Sep 30, 2023	TENNESSEE STATE	49	253	1	31	16	230	1	35	16	25	1	230	1	35	3	52	0	22	3	10	0	9	483
Oct 07, 2023	at Eastern Illinois	37	163	2	27	16	182	2	40	16	35	1	182	2	40	2	32	0	22	2	10	0	10	345
Oct 21, 2023	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN	48	194	1	20	12	116	1	30	12	28	0	116	1	30	1	20	0	20	3	35	0	25	310
	Totals	305	1725	13	81	116	1372	14	52	116	219	4	1372	14	52	12	275	1	95	13	73	0	25	3097
	Opponent	211	596	5	37	153	1998	13	63	153	281	7	1998	13	63	11	218	0	33	10	34	0	13	2594

Games: 7
Avg/rush: 5.7
Avg/catch: 11.8
Pass effic: 123.04
KR avg: 22.9
PR avg: 5.6
All purpose avg/game: 500.1
Total offense avg/gm: 442.4

Date	Opponent	TACKLES				SACKS	FUMBLE		PASS DEFENSE			BLKD	PAT			OFF	
		Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds	No-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	QBH	Brk	Kick	Att	Mad	Run	Rcv	Saf	Pts
Sep 02, 2023	at Georgia	45	20	65	4.0-11	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	3	0	1-1	0	0	0	7
Sep 09, 2023	MISSOURI STATE	40	46	86	11.0-22	1.0-2	1	1-0	1-5	6	10	0	5-5	0	0	0	38
Sep 16, 2023	HCU	27	20	47	10.0-35	4.0-20	1	1-0	3-4	11	5	0	9-9	0	0	0	66
Sep 23, 2023	at North Alabama	42	36	78	9.0-40	4.0-30	0	1-0	1-11	2	8	0	5-4	0	0	0	37
Sep 30, 2023	TENNESSEE STATE	24	44	68	6.0-20	1.0-9	0	0-0	0-0	7	9	0	2-2	0	0	0	20
Oct 07, 2023	at Eastern Illinois	45	16	61	8.0-42	4.0-30	0	0-0	1-15	5	4	1	4-4	0	0	0	28
Oct 21, 2023	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN	21	38	59	5.0-14	1.0-6	1	0-0	1-21	7	8	0	2-2	0	0	0	17
	Totals	244	220	464	53.0-184	15.0-97	4	3-0	7-56	38	47	1	28-27	0	0	0	213
	Opponent	246	294	540	35.0-119	9.0-58	7	5-5	4-26	34	27	0	18-18	0	0	0	144

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, 2023	at Georgia	9	431	47.9	66	0	1	4	4	3		1-0	0	0	2	130	65.0	1	0
Sep 09, 2023	MISSOURI STATE	4	178	44.5	48	0	0	0	0	2		2-1	29	0	7	445	63.6	4	0
Sep 16, 2023	HCU	2	94	47.0	48	0	2	0	0	0		1-1	33	0	11	680	61.8	8	0
Sep 23, 2023	at North Alabama	5	223	44.6	57	0	0	3	1	3		1-1	20	0	7	425	60.7	5	1
Sep 30, 2023	TENNESSEE STATE	4	185	46.2	55	0	0	1	2	2		2-2	23	0	5	325	65.0	4	0
Oct 07, 2023	at Eastern Illinois	7	354	50.6	67	0	2	2	3	1		1-0	0	0	4	248	62.0	1	0
Oct 21, 2023	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN	6	264	44.0	70	0	1	0	3	1		1-1	26	0	4	221	55.2	2	0
	Totals	37	1729	46.7	70	0	6	10	13	12		9-6	33	0	40	2474	61.8	25	1
	Opponent	46	1840	40.0	58	0	0	14	6	16		11-4	42	1	29	1671	57.6	10	1

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, 2023	at Georgia	30	159	3	37	26	400	2	56	26	40	0	400	2	56	1	31	0	31	2	19	0	13	559
Sep 09, 2023	MISSOURI STATE	36	111	1	22	27	402	3	40	27	48	1	402	3	40	3	45	0	16	3	15	0	7	513
Sep 16, 2023	HCU	25	39	0	18	12	174	1	63	12	29	3	174	1	63	2	60	0	33	0	0	0	0	213
Sep 23, 2023	at North Alabama	36	95	0	12	31	296	3	41	31	52	1	296	3	41	0	0	0	0	1	-1	0	0	391
Sep 30, 2023	TENNESSEE STATE	29	105	1	28	16	180	0	31	16	33	0	180	0	31	1	16	0	16	1	3	0	3	285
Oct 07, 2023	at Eastern Illinois	28	32	0	11	29	359	4	54	29	50	1	359	4	54	3	65	0	24	0	0	0	0	391
Oct 21, 2023	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN	27	55	0	12	12	187	0	31	12	29	1	187	0	31	1	1	0	1	3	-2	0	0	242
	Opponent totals	211	596	5	37	153	1998	13	63	153	281	7	1998	13	63	11	218	0	33	10	34	0	13	2594
	UT Martin	305	1725	13	81	116	1372	14	52	116	219	4	1372	14	52	12	275	1	95	13	73	0	25	3097

Games: 7
Avg/rush: 2.8
Avg/catch: 13.1
Pass effic: 124.46
KR avg: 19.8
PR avg: 3.4
All purpose avg/game: 410.3
Total offense avg/gm: 370.6

Date	Opponent	TACKLES				SACKS	FUMBLE		PASS DEFENSE			BLKD	PAT			OFF	
		Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds	No-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	QBH	Brk	Kick	Att	Mad	Run	Rcv	Saf	Pts
Sep 02, 2023	at Georgia	28	28	56	4.0-13	1.0-4	0	0-0	1-26	0	2	0	6-6	0	0	0	48
Sep 09, 2023	MISSOURI STATE	31	48	79	3.0-20	2.0-18	0	0-0	0-0	12	6	0	4-4	0	0	0	31
Sep 16, 2023	HCU	38	58	96	7.0-26	1.0-10	2	1-0	0-0	2	3	0	1-1	0	0	0	7
Sep 23, 2023	at North Alabama	35	40	75	7.0-23	0.0-0	1	1-5	1-0	7	3	0	3-3	0	0	0	21
Sep 30, 2023	TENNESSEE STATE	36	56	92	3.0-12	2.0-11	1	0-0	1-0	4	4	0	1-1	0	0	0	10
Oct 07, 2023	at Eastern Illinois	44	14	58	7.0-21	3.0-15	3	3-0	1-0	4	5	0	3-3	0	0	0	27
Oct 21, 2023	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN	34	50	84	4.0-4	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	5	4	0	0-0	0	0	0	0
	Opponent totals	246	294	540	35.0-119	9.0-58	7	5-5	4-26	34	27	0	18-18	0	0	0	144
	UT Martin	244	220	464	53.0-184	15.0-97	4	3-0	7-56	38	47	1	28-27	0	0	0	213

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, 2023	at Georgia	5	223	44.6	53	0	0	3	1	2	2-2	33	0	9	557	61.9	7	0	
Sep 09, 2023	MISSOURI STATE	4	182	45.5	55	0	0	2	1	1	2-1	38	0	6	314	52.3	1	0	
Sep 16, 2023	HCU	8	293	36.6	47	0	0	1	0	2	0-0	0	0	2	124	62.0	0	0	
Sep 23, 2023	at North Alabama	5	210	42.0	58	0	0	2	1	2	2-0	0	0	4	210	52.5	2	0	
Sep 30, 2023	TENNESSEE STATE	9	354	39.3	48	0	0	3	0	4	1-1	42	0	3	183	61.0	0	0	
Oct 07, 2023	at Eastern Illinois	8	260	32.5	48	0	0	2	0	1	3-0	0	1	4	220	55.0	0	1	
Oct 21, 2023	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN	7	318	45.4	54	0	0	1	3	4	1-0	0	0	1	63	63.0	0	0	
	Opponent totals	46	1840	40.0	58	0	0	14	6	16	11-4	42	1	29	1671	57.6	10	1	
	UT Martin	37	1729	46.7	70	0	6	10	13	12	9-6	33	0	40	2474	61.8	25	1	

BY-QUARTER STATISTICS

3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Sep 02	at #1 Georgia	L 7-48	2-14	14.3%	0-3	0.0%	0-3	0.0%	0-3	0.0%	2-5	40.0%		
Sep 09	Missouri State	W 38-31	7-14	50.0%	3-5	60.0%	4-6	66.7%	0-2	0.0%	0-1	0.0%		
Sep 16	HCU	W 66-7	9-15	60.0%	2-4	50.0%	3-4	75.0%	2-5	40.0%	2-2	100.0%		
Sep 23	at North Alabama	W 37-21	7-16	43.8%	2-4	50.0%	2-5	40.0%	3-5	60.0%	0-2	0.0%		
Sep 30	Tennessee State	W 20-10	5-12	41.7%	1-4	25.0%	3-4	75.0%	0-2	0.0%	1-2	50.0%		
Oct 07	at #25 Eastern Illinois	W 28-27	5-15	33.3%	1-4	25.0%	0-2	0.0%	1-4	25.0%	3-5	60.0%	0-0	0.0%
Oct 21	Charleston Southern	W 17-0	7-18	38.9%	1-5	20.0%	2-6	33.3%	1-3	33.3%	3-4	75.0%		
UT Martin			42-104	40.4%	10-29	34.5%	14-30	46.7%	7-24	29.2%	11-21	52.4%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents			44-116	37.9%	9-27	33.3%	13-34	38.2%	9-30	30.0%	13-25	52.0%	0-0	0.0%

4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Sep 02	at #1 Georgia	L 7-48	1-1	100.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	1-1	100.0%		
Sep 09	Missouri State	W 38-31	0-1	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-1	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%		
Sep 16	HCU	W 66-7	3-3	100.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-0	0.0%	2-2	100.0%	0-0	0.0%		
Sep 23	at North Alabama	W 37-21	2-3	66.7%	1-2	50.0%	0-0	0.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-0	0.0%		
Sep 30	Tennessee State	W 20-10	0-1	0.0%	0-1	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%		
Oct 07	at #25 Eastern Illinois	W 28-27	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%	0-0	0.0%
Oct 21	Charleston Southern	W 17-0	3-4	75.0%	1-2	50.0%	1-1	100.0%	0-0	0.0%	1-1	100.0%		
UT Martin			9-13	69.2%	3-6	50.0%	1-2	50.0%	3-3	100.0%	2-2	100.0%	0-0	0.0%
Opponents			5-9	55.6%	1-1	100.0%	0-1	0.0%	2-2	100.0%	2-5	40.0%	0-0	0.0%

TIME OF POSSESSION

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Sep 02	at #1 Georgia	L 7-48	28:12		7:59		5:38		4:42		9:53			
Sep 09	Missouri State	W 38-31	24:54		8:52		8:56		1:22		5:44			
Sep 16	HCU	W 66-7	34:23		8:15		9:09		5:50		11:09			
Sep 23	at North Alabama	W 37-21	30:38		9:41		6:34		9:06		5:17			
Sep 30	Tennessee State	W 20-10	35:35		8:32		7:43		7:19		12:01			
Oct 07	at #25 Eastern Illinois	W 28-27	27:14		5:39		6:19		5:43		9:33		0:00	
Oct 21	Charleston Southern	W 17-0	32:33		8:41		7:42		5:44		10:26			
UT Martin			Total	213:29	57:39		52:01		39:46		64:03		0:00	
			Avg.	30:29	8:14		7:25		5:40		9:09		0:00	
Opponents			Total	213:14	47:21		52:59		71:57		40:57		0:00	
			Avg.	30:27	6:45		7:34		10:16		5:51		0:00	

REDZONE STATISTICS

UT MARTIN INSIDE OPPONENT RED-ZONE

Date	Opponent	Score	Times		Total Pts	Rush		Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Scored		TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
Sep 02	at #1 Georgia	L 7-48	1	1	7	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 09	Missouri State	W 38-31	4	4	24	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 16	HCU	W 66-7	5	3	17	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Sep 23	at North Alabama	W 37-21	4	4	23	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Sep 30	Tennessee State	W 20-10	4	3	13	1	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
*Oct 07	at #25 Eastern Illinois	W 28-27	5	4	28	4	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Oct 21	Charleston Southern	W 17-0	3	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			26	22	129	16	6	10	6	1	1	0	1	1	0
			22 of 26 (84.6%)												

UT MARTIN INSIDE OPPONENT RED-ZONE

Date	Opponent	Score	Times		Total Pts	Rush		Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Scored		TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
Sep 02	at #1 Georgia	L 7-48	5	5	27	3	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 09	Missouri State	W 38-31	3	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 16	HCU	W 66-7	1	1	7	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 23	at North Alabama	W 37-21	3	2	14	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Sep 30	Tennessee State	W 20-10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Oct 07	at #25 Eastern Illinois	W 28-27	4	3	21	3	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Oct 21	Charleston Southern	W 17-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			17	14	86	11	4	7	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
			14 of 17 (82.4%)												

LONGEST PLAYS

20-YARD PLUS PLAYS

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
*95	KR	LeFLORE, Narkel	HCU
*81	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	Missouri State
*74	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	North Alabama
52	Pass	WONDEH, Asa from DENT, Kinkead	HCU
*50	Pass	RUCKER, Trevonte from DENT, Kinkead	HCU
*49	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	Missouri State
*46	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	HCU
*43	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	North Alabama
*43	Pass	HARDY II, Shawn from DENT, Kinkead	HCU
41	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	HCU
40	Pass	RUCKER, Trevonte from DENT, Kinkead	Eastern Illinois
35	Pass	TANKSLEY, DeVonte from DENT, Kinkead	Tennessee State
35	Pass	TANKSLEY, DeVonte from DENT, Kinkead	HCU
*34	Pass	TANKSLEY, DeVonte from DENT, Kinkead	HCU
*32	Pass	SMITH, Ajay from SPARKS, Kody	HCU
*31	Rush	DENT, Kinkead	Tennessee State
30	Pass	HARDY II, Shawn from DENT, Kinkead	Charleston Southern
30	Rush	CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	Missouri State
29	Pass	RUCKER, Trevonte from DENT, Kinkead	North Alabama
29	Pass	RUCKER, Trevonte from DENT, Kinkead	Tennessee State
28	KR	LeFLORE, Narkel	HCU
27	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	Eastern Illinois
26	Pass	ROBERTS, Zoe from DENT, Kinkead	North Alabama
26	Rush	DENT, Kinkead	Georgia
25	PR	BAKER, Oshae	Charleston Southern
25	Pass	ROBERTS, Zoe from DENT, Kinkead	Tennessee State
25	Rush	HARRIS, Corey	HCU
24	Pass	TANKSLEY, DeVonte from DENT, Kinkead	HCU
23	Rush	LeFLORE, Narkel	Tennessee State
23	Rush	LAROS, Aidan	North Alabama
22	KR	RUCKER, Trevonte	Eastern Illinois
22	KR	LeFLORE, Narkel	Tennessee State
21	Pass	TANKSLEY, DeVonte from DENT, Kinkead	Tennessee State
21	INT	KEY, Calvontay	Charleston Southern
21	KR	LeFLORE, Narkel	Missouri State
21	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	Tennessee State
21	Pass	RUCKER, Trevonte from DENT, Kinkead	Charleston Southern
*20	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	Missouri State
20	KR	LeFLORE, Narkel	Tennessee State
20	KR	RUCKER, Trevonte	Charleston Southern
20	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	Charleston Southern
20	Rush	FRANKLIN, Sam	Missouri State

* touchdown scored on play

LONGEST PLAYS BY THE NUMBERS

Long Plays By Yards	No.	TD
100+	0	0
90-99	1	1
80-89	1	1
70-79	1	1
60-69	0	0
50-59	2	1
40-49	6	4
30-39	7	3
20-29	24	1

Long Plays By Type	No.	TD
Rushing	17	7
Passing	16	4
Punt returns	1	0
Kick returns	7	1
Interceptions	1	0
Fumble returns	0	0
Other	0	0
TOTAL	42	12

20-YARD PLUS BY PLAYER

Player	No.	TD	R	P	KR	PR	IR	FR
FRANKLIN, Sam	11	6	11	0	0	0	0	0
RUCKER, Trevonte	7	1	0	5	2	0	0	0
LeFLORE, Narkel	6	1	1	0	5	0	0	0
TANKSLEY, DeVonte	5	1	0	5	0	0	0	0
HARDY II, Shawn	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
DENT, Kinkead	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
ROBERTS, Zoe	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
SMITH, Ajay	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
CASTLEBERRY, Jordan	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
HARRIS, Corey	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
LAROS, Aidan	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
KEY, Calvontay	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
WONDEH, Asa	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
BAKER, Oshae	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
TOTAL	42	12	17	16	7	1	1	0

LONGEST PLAYS OF THE YEAR

Rushing

81 FRANKLIN, Sam vs Missouri State (9/9/2023)

Rushing Touchdown

81 FRANKLIN, Sam vs Missouri State (9/9/2023)

Passing

52 WONDEH, Asa from DENT, Kinkead vs HCU (9/16/2023)

Passing Touchdown

50 RUCKER, Trevonte from DENT, Kinkead vs HCU (9/16/2023)

Punt Return

25 BAKER, Oshae vs Charleston Southern (10/21/2023)

Kick Return

95 LeFLORE, Narkel vs HCU (9/16/2023)

Interception Return

21 KEY, Calvontay vs Charleston Southern (10/21/2023)

Fumble Return

0 DOTSON, Daylan vs Missouri State (9/9/2023)

Punt

70 LAROS, Aidan vs Charleston Southern (10/21/2023)

Field Goal

33 LAROS, Aidan vs HCU (9/16/2023)

GAME ONE | #1 GEORGIA

Sept. 2 | Sanford Stadium | Athens, Ga.
6 pm | Att: 92,746



SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
UT Martin	0	0	0	7	7
Georgia	7	10	14	17	48

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	UGA
FIRST DOWNS	15	28
Rushing	6	7
Passing	7	17
Penalty	2	4
NET YARDS RUSHING	132	159
Rushing Attempts	30	30
Average Per Rush	4.4	5.3
Rushing Touchdowns	0	3
Yards Gained Rushing	143	162
Yards Lost Rushing	11	3
NET YARDS PASSING	128	400
Completions-Attempts-Int	18-33-1	26-40-0
Average Per Attempt	3.9	10.0
Average Per Completion	7.1	15.4
Passing Touchdowns	1	2
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	260	559
Total offense plays	63	70
Average Gain Per Play	4.1	8.0
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-0	1-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	10-72	5-42
PUNTS-YARDS	9-431	5-223
Average Yards Per Punt	47.9	44.6
Net Yards Per Punt	43.6	44.6
Inside 20	3	2
50+ Yards	4	1
Touchbacks	1	0
Fair catch	4	3
KICKOFFS-YARDS	2-130	9-557
Average Yards Per Kickoff	65.0	61.9
Net Yards Per Kickoff	37.0	41.7
Touchbacks	1	7
Fair Catch Yards	0	23
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	0-0-0	2-19-0
Average Per Return	0.0	9.5
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	1-7-0	1-31-0
Average Per Return	7.0	31.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-26-1
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	28:12	27:53
1st Quarter	7:59	7:01
2nd Quarter	5:38	9:22
3rd Quarter	4:42	6:23
4th Quarter	9:53	5:07
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 14	5 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	5-5
Touchdowns	1-1	3-5
Field goals	0-1	2-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	1-4
PAT Kicks	1-1	6-6
Field Goals	0-1	2-2
Points off turnovers	0	7

» GAME NOTES

Laros averaged 50.2 yards per punt attempt

Rucker scored the first touchdown of the season for the Skyhawks on a nine-yard reception from Dent

The Skyhawks played their 28th game against a FBS opponent

SKYHAWK FOOTBALL HANGS TOUGH BUT FALLS IN SEASON OPENER AT NO. 1 GEORGIA

The University of Tennessee at Martin battled throughout the evening against two-time defending Football Bowl Subdivision champion Georgia before falling 48-7 in front of a sellout crowd of 92,746 fans at Sanford Stadium.

The Skyhawk defense showed out in the first quarter, limiting the No. 1 ranked Bulldogs to seven points on just 59 total yards over three drives – including a pair of three-and-outs. Georgia scored 10 points in the second quarter to take a 17-0 halftime advantage. Following 21 unanswered Bulldog points, UT Martin got on the scoreboard with a touchdown with 6:39 remaining in the fourth quarter before Georgia registered 10 points over the final 2:09 to close out the contest.

The Skyhawks (0-1) committed only one turnover in the contest and allowed just one sack to a Bulldog (1-0) squad that won their school-record 18th consecutive game.

Graduate quarterback Kinkead Dent made his Skyhawk debut tonight, completing 18 passes for 128 yards and a touchdown. The Yazoo City, Miss. native also added a team-best 47 rushing yards on just six carries.

Trevonte Rucker made an acrobatic one-handed catch for UT Martin's touchdown, hauling in a nine-yard scoring reception. He was one of nine Skyhawks to catch a pass tonight as Eastern New Mexico transfer Asa Wondeh tallied team-highs of four receptions and 42 yards.

On the ground, Sam Franklin gained 46 yards on a team-best 12 carries while Jordan Castleberry checked in with 56 all-purpose yards (31 rushing, 25 receiving).

Defensively, UT Martin was led by Jaylon Sharpe's game-high eight tackles and 0.5 tackles for loss. Chris Hunter had a big performance with seven tackles (five solo) and a tackle for loss while Oshae Baker managed five solo stops with a tackle for loss and a forced fumble. Calvontay Key (0.5 tackles for loss), Josh Hastings (five solo tackles) and Kaleb Almo (three tackles) also had pass breakups for the Skyhawk secondary. Jarid Johnson and Davonte Murray additionally secured 0.5 tackles for loss on the UT Martin defensive line.

On special teams, Aidan Laros boomed eight punts for an average of 50.2 yards per boot, including a long of 66 yards. He consistently pinned Georgia deep in its own territory, placing two punts inside the 20-yard line with impressive hang time.

Georgia was paced by Carson Beck's 294 passing yards as he completed 21-of-31 passes with a touchdown. Brock Vandagriff also threw for a touchdown while Brock Bowers caught five passes for 77 yards to go along with a rushing score. Roderick Robinson II and Carson Beck both rushed for touchdowns while Mekhi Mews and Oscar Delp had touchdown receptions. Malaki Starks (eight tackles) and Kyron Jones (26-yard interception return for a touchdown) guided the Bulldog defense.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
UGA	1st/03:40	Bowers,Brock 3 yd run	Woodring,Peyton kick	10-76-4:39	0-7
UGA	2nd/04:29	Beck,Carson 4 yd run	Woodring,Peyton kick	7-68-2:43	0-14
UGA	2nd/00:03	Woodring,Peyton 23 yd field goal		12-75-2:14	0-17
UGA	3rd/08:29	Mews,Mekhi 54 yd pass from Beck,Carson	Woodring,Peyton kick	6-98-0:00	0-24
UGA	3rd/05:35	Robinson II,Rod 2 yd run	Woodring,Peyton kick	5-80-1:54	0-31
UGA	4th/11:36	Delp,Oscar 21 yd pass from Vandagriff,Broc	Woodring,Peyton kick	2-77-0:37	0-38
UTM	4th/06:39	RUCKER, Trevont 9 yd pass from DENT, Kinkead	LAROS, Aidan kick	12-75-4:57	7-38
UGA	4th/02:09	Woodring,Peyton 33 yd field goal		10-60-4:30	7-41
UGA	4th/01:59	Jones,Kyron 26 yd interception return	Woodring,Peyton kick		7-48

STATISTICAL LEADERS

» UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
DENT, KINKEAD	6	47	0	26
FRANKLIN, SAM	12	46	0	10
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
DENT, KINKEAD	18-32-0	128	1	17
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
WONDEH, ASA	4	42	17	0
CASTLEBERRY, JORDAN	3	25	0	16
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
SHARPE, JAYLON	4	4	8	0.5 TFL
HUNTER, CHRIS	5	2	7	1.0 TFL

» GEORGIA

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
MILTON, KENDALL	9	53	0	37
ROBINSON, RODERICK	8	50	1	23
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
BECK, CARSON	21-31-0	294	1	54
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
BOWERS,BROCK	5	77	0	23
MEWS,MEKHI	3	75	1	54
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
STARKS, MALAKI	3	5	8	1 PBU
SMITH, TYKEE	3	3	6	1.0 TFL

GAME TWO | MISSOURI STATE

Sept. 9 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.
6 pm | Att: 6,104



SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
Missouri State	7	0	7	17	31
UT Martin	17	7	0	14	38

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	MSU	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	26	24
Rushing	4	17
Passing	21	7
Penalty	1	0
NET YARDS RUSHING	111	405
Rushing Attempts	36	41
Average Per Rush	3.1	9.9
Rushing Touchdowns	1	3
Yards Gained Rushing	131	426
Yards Lost Rushing	20	21
NET YARDS PASSING	402	107
Completions-Attempts-Int	27-48-1	14-33-0
Average Per Attempt	8.4	3.2
Average Per Completion	14.9	7.6
Passing Touchdowns	3	2
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	513	512
Total offense plays	84	74
Average Gain Per Play	6.1	6.9
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	2-20	5-35
PUNTS-YARDS	4-182	4-178
Average Yards Per Punt	45.5	44.5
Net Yards Per Punt	44.5	40.8
Inside 20	1	2
50+ Yards	1	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	2	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	6-314	7-445
Average Yards Per Kickoff	52.3	63.6
Net Yards Per Kickoff	41.3	42.9
Touchbacks	1	4
Fair Catch Yards	45	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	3-15-0	2-4-0
Average Per Return	5.0	2.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	3-45-0	3-41-0
Average Per Return	15.0	13.7
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-5-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	35:06	24:54
1st Quarter	6:08	8:52
2nd Quarter	6:04	8:56
3rd Quarter	13:38	1:22
4th Quarter	9:16	5:44
Third-Down Conversions	10 of 21	7 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	3 of 3	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	4-4
Touchdowns	2-3	3-4
Field goals	1-3	1-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-18	1-2
PAT Kicks	4-4	5-5
Field Goals	1-2	1-2
Points off turnovers	0	3

» GAME NOTES

Sam Franklin opened game with 81-yard rushing touchdown

Franklin tallied 259 rushing yards, ranking second in program history

Franklin rushed for three touchdowns in the win, the second time in his career

Skyhawks rushed for 405 yards on 41 carries - ranking as the most since 2007

Daylan Dotson tallied the fourth fumble recovery of his career

Skyhawks improved to 16-2 in season openers under Jason Simpson

Franklin earned Big South-OVC Offensive Player of the Week honors

FRANKLIN RUNS WILD AS SKYHAWK FOOTBALL HOLDS OFF MISSOURI STATE, 38-31 IN HOME OPENER

A dominant rushing performance out of redshirt sophomore running back Sam Franklin set the tone for the University of Tennessee at Martin football team this evening as the Skyhawks defeated Missouri State by a 38-31 margin on Family Weekend at Hardy Graham Stadium.

UT Martin cruised to a 24-7 halftime advantage before the visiting Bears scored 17 unanswered points to even the score with 9:39 remaining. Both sides swapped touchdowns on their ensuing possessions before a Franklin touchdown from 20 yards out - his third score of the night - with 1:45 to go and one final defensive stand sealed the triumph. The victory increased the Skyhawks' record to 16-2 in home openers under head coach Jason Simpson.

Franklin ended his night with a career-best 259 rushing yards on 20 totes, averaging a whopping 13.0 yards per carry. The Little Rock, Ark. native ranked second in school history in single-game rushing yards, trailing only Don Chapman's 272 yards at Southeast Missouri on Oct. 30, 2004. Franklin took the opening play of the game 81 yards untouched for a rushing touchdown and also scored on a 49-yard scamper in the fourth quarter before his game-winning touchdown. This contest marked the second outing with three rushing touchdowns in his career - joining his performance against Lindenwood in 2022.

As a unit, the UT Martin (1-1) offensive line showed out to the tune of 405 yards on 41 carries tonight - averaging 9.9 yards per rush. That performance on the ground was the most by a Skyhawk team since UT Martin ran for 531 yards against Murray State on Nov. 10, 2007 - a span of 171 games.

Kinthead Dent passed for a pair of touchdowns this evening, hitting Austin Bray and Marlon Cook, Jr. for scores in the first half. Devonte Tanksley set team-highs with four receptions and 44 yards as eight different UT Martin receivers hauled in passes.

Defensively, Carson Evans tallied a career-high 14 tackles while Oshae Baker (two tackles for loss) accumulated a career-best 10 tackles. Daylan Dotson piled up 10 stops, a fumble recovery and a game-high four quarterback hurries while tying Giovanni Davis for the team lead with 2.5 tackles for loss. JaMichael McGoy came away with the first Skyhawk interception of the season while Jarid Johnson had a sack and forced fumble. The trio of Josh Hastings, Jack Lucas and Tevin Shipp registered two pass breakups apiece for UT Martin, who limited the Bears to 155 total yards in the opening half.

Aidan Laros continued the spectacular start to his Skyhawk career as the redshirt sophomore from Cape Town, South Africa booted four punts to a 44.5-yard average and made a 29-yard field goal. He also split the uprights on all five PAT attempts.

Missouri State (0-2) was led by quarterback Jacob Clark, who passed for 332 yards and three touchdowns. Raylen Sharpe posted seven receptions for 142 yards and a touchdown while Jacardia Wright (team-high 46 rushing yards), Jmariya Robinson and D'Vontae Key each found the endzone while Todric McGee amassed a game-high 15 tackles with three pass breakups.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr/Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds-TOP	Score
UTM	1st/14:43	FRANKLIN, Sam 81 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	1-81-0:11	0-7
MSU	1st/12:20	Sharpe, Raylen 33 yd pass from Clark, Jacob	Rozanc, Owen kick	6-75-2:23	7-7
UTM	1st/07:16	LAROS, Aidan 29 yd field goal		6-22-1:55	7-10
UTM	1st/02:28	BRAY, Austin 3 yd pass from DENT, Kinthead	LAROS, Aidan kick	10-66-3:28	7-17
UTM	2nd/06:15	COOK, Marlon 12 yd pass from DENT, Kinthead	LAROS, Aidan kick	13-85-4:28	7-24
MSU	3rd/05:29	Key, D'Vontae 24 yd pass from Clark, Jacob	Rozanc, Owen kick	10-82-3:30	14-24
MSU	4th/14:15	Rozanc, Owen 38 yd field goal		10-49-4:48	17-24
MSU	4th/09:39	Robinson, Jmariya 10 yd pass from Clark, Jacob	Rozanc, Owen kick	6-71-3:03	24-24
UTM	4th/09:04	FRANKLIN, Sam 49 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	3-60-0:35	24-31
MSU	4th/05:21	Wright, Jacardia 4 yd run	Rozanc, Owen kick	11-75-3:43	31-31
UTM	4th/01:45	FRANKLIN, Sam 20 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	8-76-3:29	31-38

STATISTICAL LEADERS

» UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
SAM FRANKLIN	20	259	3	81
JORDAN CASTLEBERRY	6	66	0	30
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
KINHEAD DENT	14-33-0	107	2	14
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
DEVONTE TANKSLEY	4	44	0	14
TREVONTE RUCKER	3	20	0	9
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
CARSON EVANS	5	8	13	0.5 TFL
DAYLAN DOTSON	3	7	10	2.5 TFL

» MISSOURI STATE

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
JACARDIA WRIGHT	18	46	1	22
JACOB CLARK	9	38	0	9
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
JACOB CLARK	23-42-0	332	3	40
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
RAYLEN SHARPE	7	142	1	33
HUNTER WOOD	7	74	0	28
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
TODRIC MCGEE	8	7	15	3 PBU
AVERY POWELL	8	2	10	1 PBU

GAME THREE | HOUSTON CHRISTIAN

Sept. 16 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.
6 pm | Att: 3,102



SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
HCU	7	0	0	0	7
UT Martin	14	24	21	7	66

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	HCU	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	8	32
Rushing	2	13
Passing	5	18
Penalty	1	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	39	270
Rushing Attempts	25	49
Average Per Rush	1.6	5.5
Rushing Touchdowns	0	2
Yards Gained Rushing	81	299
Yards Lost Rushing	42	29
NET YARDS PASSING	174	437
Completions-Attempts-Int	12-29-3	27-36-0
Average Per Attempt	6.0	12.1
Average Per Completion	14.5	16.2
Passing Touchdowns	1	6
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	213	707
Total offense plays	54	85
Average Gain Per Play	3.9	8.3
Fumbles: Number-Lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	4-40	5-30
PUNTS-YARDS	8-293	2-94
Average Yards Per Punt	36.6	47.0
Net Yards Per Punt	34.9	27.0
Inside 20	2	0
50+ Yards	0	0
Touchbacks	0	2
Fair catch	1	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	2-124	11-680
Average Yards Per Kickoff	62.0	61.8
Net Yards Per Kickoff	0.5	38.2
Touchbacks	0	8
Fair Catch Yards	0	14
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	0-0-0	2-14-0
Average Per Return	0.0	7.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	2-60-0	2-123-1
Average Per Return	30.0	61.5
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	3-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1--11-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	21:38	38:22
1st Quarter	6:45	8:15
2nd Quarter	5:51	9:09
3rd Quarter	5:11	9:49
4th Quarter	3:51	11:09
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 15	9 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	3 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	4-6
Touchdowns	1-1	3-6
Field goals	0-1	1-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-10	4-20
PAT Kicks	1-1	9-9
Field Goals	0-0	1-1
Points off turnovers	0	14

» GAME NOTES

The Skyhawks tallied 707 yards of total offense, ranking as the second-most yards in program history

Kinthead Dent tallied six total touchdowns, ranking as the most against a Division I opponent since 2012

UT Martin set a school record with 32 first downs

Six different receivers tallied touchdown receptions

Skyhawks held HCU to 39 rushing yards

Skyhawk defense forced three turnovers, including two interceptions and a fumble

Franklin recorded the fourth 100-yard rushing performance of his career

DeVonte Tanksley notched his second 100-yard receiving contest of career

SKYHAWK FOOTBALL COASTS TO DOMINANT 66-7 IN ONE-SIDED HOME ROUT OF HCU

All three phases shined for the University of Tennessee at Martin football squad this evening as the Skyhawks soared for a complete 66-7 triumph over Southland Conference opponent HCU at Hardy Graham Stadium.

UT Martin (2-1) outgained the visiting Huskies by a 707-213 margin in total offense as the Skyhawk offense posted 8.3 yards per play on the way to eight touchdowns (six passing, two rushing). The scoring performance were the most points for UT Martin against a Football Championship Subdivision opponent since a 66-59 victory at Murray State on Oct. 13, 2012.

Defensively, the Skyhawks held HCU to only seven first downs and 39 rushing yards (1.6 yards per carry). The Huskies (1-2) were limited to 3-for-15 on third down conversions as UT Martin recorded four sacks, 10 tackles for loss and forced three turnovers (two interceptions and a fumble recovery).

On special teams, Narkel LeFlore returned the opening kickoff of the second half 95 yards to the house for the Skyhawks' first kick return touchdown since Oct. 21, 2017 at Eastern Kentucky. Aidan Laros was a perfect 9-for-9 in PAT attempts and added a 33-yard field goal for UT Martin.

Kinthead Dent was on fire tonight as the graduate signal-caller from Yazoo City, Miss. was responsible for six combined scores. He completed 20 of his 27 pass attempts for 347 yards with five touchdowns, connecting with five different wide receivers for scores. The Ole Miss transfer also rushed for his first career touchdown to become the first UT Martin quarterback with six scores against a FCS opponent since Nov. 3, 2012. Kody Sparks came in with 6:45 to go in the third quarter and went 7-for-9 for 90 yards and his first career touchdown to give the Skyhawks 437 yards of passing offense.

Ten different UT Martin wide receivers hauled in a catch this evening as DeVonte Tanksley (team-highs of six receptions and 120 yards), Trevonte Rucker, Shawn Hardy II, Zoe Roberts, Marlon Cook, Jr. and Ajay Smith each reeled in touchdown catches. Asa Wondeh also had a big game with five receptions for 99 yards for the Skyhawks, who generated 247 yards after catch as a unit.

Sam Franklin paced the UT Martin rushing attack with 127 yards on 17 carries in addition to a touchdown. Corey Harris (six rushes for 49 yards) and Glover Cook, Jr. (six rushes for 42 yards) also performed well in the second half for the Skyhawks, who ran for 270 yards and 5.5 yards-per-carry behind another excellent performance by the offensive line.

Kaleb Almo made the most out of his first career start, racking up a team-best seven tackles out of the UT Martin secondary. Oshae Baker (interception) and LaMarion Pierce (interception), JaMichael McGoy (forced fumble) and Jack Lucas (fumble recovery, game-high two pass breakups) all had their hands in turnovers for the Skyhawks. Daylan Dotson came away with 1.5 sacks while Charles Perkins (one), Bryce Dailey (one) and Giovanni Davis (0.5) also amassed sacks to pace 11 different UT Martin players with tackles for loss. Tevin Shipp broke through the line for a game-high three quarterback hurries to cap off a thorough effort for the Skyhawk defense.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
UTM	1st	10:38	RUCKER, Trevont 50 yd pass from DENT, Kinthead	LAROS, Aidan kick	7-94	2:18	0 7
UTM	1st	07:11	TANKSLEY, Devon 34 yd pass from DENT, Kinthead	LAROS, Aidan kick	6-51	2:00	0 14
HCU	1st	05:40	McMillan, Deuce 10 yd pass from Suits, Colby	Fedor, Dillon kick	4-75	1:31	7 14
UTM	2nd	13:30	FRANKLIN, Sam 46 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	5-70	1:42	7 21
UTM	2nd	10:56	HARDY II, Shawn 43 yd pass from DENT, Kinthead	LAROS, Aidan kick	1-43	0:09	7 28
UTM	2nd	06:35	ROBERTS, Zoe 6 yd pass from DENT, Kinthead	LAROS, Aidan kick	7-52	3:19	7 35
UTM	2nd	03:12	LAROS, Aidan 33 yd field goal		6-53	2:50	7 38
UTM	3rd	14:47	LeFLORE, Narkel 95 yd kickoff return	LAROS, Aidan kick			7 45
UTM	3rd	10:38	DENT, Kinthead 9 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	11-45	3:59	7 52
UTM	3rd	08:24	COOK, Marlon 3 yd pass from DENT, Kinthead	LAROS, Aidan kick	2-55	0:52	7 59
UTM	4th	13:32	SMITH, Ajay 32 yd pass from SPARKS, Kody	LAROS, Aidan kick	5-60	2:02	7 66

STATISTICAL LEADERS

» UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
SAM FRANKLIN	17	127	1	64
COREY HARRIS	6	49	0	25
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
KINHEAD DENT	20-27-0	347	5	52
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
DEVONTE TANKSLEY	6	120	1	35
ASA WONDEH	5	99	0	52
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
KALEB ALMO	4	3	7	0.5 TFL
DAYLAN DOTSON	1	2	3	1.5 TFL

» HCU

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
SAM FRANKLIN	10	44	0	11
RJ SMITH	6	11	0	8
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
COLBY SUITS	10-24-2	142	1	63
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
CHAMP DOZIER	3	67	0	63
DERRION SHERFIELD	3	21	0	13
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
RODNEY DANSBY	2	10	12	-
ISAIAH CASH	7	2	9	-

GAME FOUR | NORTH ALABAMA

Sept. 23 | Braly Stadium | Florence, Ala.
 6 pm | Att: 8,836



SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
UT Martin	7	3	13	14	37
North Alabama	14	7	0	0	21

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	UNA
FIRST DOWNS	20	22
Rushing	10	6
Passing	9	14
Penalty	1	2
NET YARDS RUSHING	308	95
Rushing Attempts	51	36
Average Per Rush	6.0	2.6
Rushing Touchdowns	4	0
Yards Gained Rushing	328	132
Yards Lost Rushing	20	37
NET YARDS PASSING	172	296
Completions-Attempts-Int	13-29-1	31-52-1
Average Per Attempt	5.9	5.7
Average Per Completion	13.2	9.5
Passing Touchdowns	1	3
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	480	391
Total offense plays	80	88
Average Gain Per Play	6.0	4.4
Fumbles: Number-Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	6-55	4-35
PUNTS-YARDS	5-223	5-210
Average Yards Per Punt	44.6	42.0
Net Yards Per Punt	44.8	42.0
Inside 20	3	2
50+ Yards	1	1
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	3	2
KICKOFFS-YARDS	7-425	4-210
Average Yards Per Kickoff	60.7	52.5
Net Yards Per Kickoff	42.9	40.0
Touchbacks	5	2
Fair Catch Yards	20	48
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1-0-0	1--1-0
Average Per Return	0.0	-1.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	0.0	0.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-11-0	1-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	2-5-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	30:38	29:22
1st Quarter	9:41	5:19
2nd Quarter	6:34	8:26
3rd Quarter	9:06	5:54
4th Quarter	5:17	9:43
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 16	10 of 21
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	2 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	2-3
Touchdowns	3-4	2-3
Field goals	1-4	0-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	4-30	0-0
PAT Kicks	4-5	3-3
Field Goals	1-1	0-2
Points off turnovers	13	14

» GAME NOTES

The Skyhawks scored 27 unanswered points to pull out a road victory

UT Martin's defense pitched a shutout in the second half

Sam Franklin posted his second 200-yard rushing performance of the season

Chris Hunter, Jr. tallied his first career interception to seal a comeback victory

Franklin earned Big South-OVC Offensive Player of the Week honors

Hunter earned Big South-OVC Defensive Player of the Week honors

DEFENSE POSTS SECOND HALF SHUTOUT IN SKYHAWK FOOTBALL'S IMPRESSIVE 37-21 ROAD TRIUMPH AT NORTH ALABAMA

A swarming defensive unit set the tone this evening for the University of Tennessee at Martin football squad as the Skyhawks piled up 27 unanswered second-half points in a 37-21 nonconference victory at North Alabama.

UT Martin (3-1) rolled to its third straight win after mounting a memorable comeback in the final 30 minutes. Trailing 21-7 at the halftime break, the Skyhawk defense limited the host Lions to only 160 yards of total offense on 48 plays from that point forward – keeping North Alabama off the scoreboard in the process.

Meanwhile, the UT Martin offense dialed up four touchdowns in the final 19:46 to seize momentum and silence the crowd of 8,836 fans in Braly Municipal Stadium. Zoe Roberts caught the go-ahead touchdown with 1:53 remaining in the third quarter before Sam Franklin iced the game with scoring runs of 74 and 43 yards in the fourth stanza.

Jack Lucas wrapped up a team-best nine tackles (seven solo) for UT Martin with Jaylon Sharpe and Jay Rogers following closely behind with eight stops apiece. Chris Hunter, Jr. snagged his first career interception to stall a Lion drive in the fourth quarter while Jarid Johnson (two tackles for loss), Daylan Dotson (two tackles for loss) and Giovanni Davis each came away with sacks. In the secondary, Oshae Baker batted away three of the Skyhawks' eight pass breakups tonight.

Offensively, Franklin shouldered a heavy load with a career-high 32 carries for 221 yards. This evening's performance marked his second 200-plus yard rushing outing in three weeks for the redshirt sophomore out of Little Rock, Ark., who tied Bobby Fowler (1956-59) for the second-most 200-yard rushing games in school history in just his 17th career game.

Narkel LeFlore registered the first rushing touchdown of his young UT Martin career, finding the endzone on the opening drive of the game. Marlon Cook, Jr. capped off a 17-play drive with a rushing touchdown on a reverse to open the scoring in the second half.

Kinkead Dent completed 13 passes for 172 yards and the aforementioned touchdown to Roberts, also extending several drives with 37 rushing yards on eight carries. Remaining upright for the entire evening thanks to zero sacks allowed from the Skyhawk offensive line, Dent's favorite targets consisted of Trevonte Rucker (team-highs of four receptions and 60 yards), Roberts (four catches, 44 yards) and DeVonte Tanksley (three receptions for 44 yards).

On special teams, Aidan Laros split the uprights for a 20-yard field goal in the second quarter while additionally placing four of his five punts inside the Lions' 20-yard line. The redshirt sophomore from Cape Town, South Africa averaged 44.6 yards per punt and successfully converted four PAT's.

North Alabama (2-3) could only muster 95 yards of rushing on 36 carries. Noah Walters passed for 286 yards and three touchdowns while Kobe Warden posted 11 receptions for 106 yards and a touchdown. Takairee Kenebrew and Dakota Warfield additionally tallied catches for scores in the first quarter. Defensively, Edwin White Schultz secured a game-high 10 tackles and had a fumble recovery to guide the Lions.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
UTM	1st	11:26	LeFLORE, Narkel 3 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	9-75	3:34	7 0
UNA	1st	07:06	Kenebrew,Takair 5 yd pass from Walters,Noah	Contorno,Sam kick	7-21	2:40	7 7
UNA	1st	02:36	Warfield,Dakota 41 yd pass from Walters,Noah	Contorno,Sam kick	5-71	1:34	7 14
UTM	2nd	08:47	LAROS, Aidan 20 yd field goal		10-36	4:03	10 14
UNA	2nd	00:38	Warden,Kobe 11 yd pass from Walters,Noah	Contorno,Sam kick	8-39	1:09	10 21
UTM	3rd	04:46	COOK, Marlon 4 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	16-80	6:43	17 21
UTM	3rd	01:53	ROBERTS, Zoe 17 yd pass from DENT, Kinkead	LAROS, Aidan kick failed	3-19	0:46	23 21
UTM	4th	09:24	FRANKLIN, Sam 74 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	1-74	0:11	30 21
UTM	4th	01:21	FRANKLIN, Sam 43 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	2-46	0:57	37 21

STATISTICAL LEADERS

» UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
SAM FRANKLIN	32	221	2	74
KINKEAD DENT	8	37	0	14
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
KINKEAD DENT	13-30-1	172	1	29
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
TREVONTE RUCKER	4	60	0	29
ZOE ROBERTS	4	44	1	26
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
JACK LUCAS	7	2	9	1.0 TFL
JAYLON SHARPE	4	4	8	0.0 TFL

» NORTH ALABAMA

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
PARKER DRIGGERS	6	33	0	12
DEMARCUS LACEY	11	26	0	9
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
NOAH WALTERS	30-52-1	286	3	41
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
KOBE WARDEN	11	106	1	40
TAKAIREE KENEBREW	6	63	1	30
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
EDWIN WHITE SCHULTZ	6	4	10	1 FR
SHAUN MYERS	4	5	9	1.0 TFL

GAME FIVE | TENNESSEE STATE

Sept. 30 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.
6 pm | Att: 5,020



SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
Tennessee State	3	7	0	0	10
#22 UT Martin	0	14	3	3	20

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	TSU	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	16	24
Rushing	4	8
Passing	11	13
Penalty	1	3
NET YARDS RUSHING	105	253
Rushing Attempts	29	49
Average Per Rush	3.6	5.2
Rushing Touchdowns	1	1
Yards Gained Rushing	123	265
Yards Lost Rushing	18	12
NET YARDS PASSING	180	230
Completions-Attempts-Int	16-33-0	16-25-1
Average Per Attempt	5.5	9.2
Average Per Completion	11.2	14.4
Passing Touchdowns	0	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	285	483
Total offense plays	62	74
Average Gain Per Play	4.6	6.5
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	6-57	6-60
PUNTS-YARDS	9-354	4-185
Average Yards Per Punt	39.3	46.2
Net Yards Per Punt	38.2	45.5
Inside 20	4	2
50+ Yards	0	2
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	3	1
KICKOFFS-YARDS	3-183	5-325
Average Yards Per Kickoff	61.0	65.0
Net Yards Per Kickoff	43.7	41.8
Touchbacks	0	4
Fair Catch Yards	0	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1-3-0	3-10-0
Average Per Return	3.0	3.3
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	1-16-0	3-52-0
Average Per Return	16.0	17.3
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-0-0	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	24:25	35:35
1st Quarter	6:28	8:32
2nd Quarter	7:17	7:43
3rd Quarter	7:41	7:19
4th Quarter	2:59	12:01
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 16	5 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	3-4
Touchdowns	0-0	1-4
Field goals	0-0	2-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-11	1-9
PAT Kicks	1-1	2-2
Field Goals	1-1	2-2
Points off turnovers	0	0

» GAME NOTES

The Skyhawk defense pitched their third consecutive second half shutout

UT Martin improved to 12-1 inside Graham Stadium since 2021

Skyhawks improve to 24-8 against in-state foes since 2014

Franklin earned Big South-OVC Offensive Player of the Week honors

Laros earned Big South-OVC Specialist of the Week honors

NO. 22 UT MARTIN FOOTBALL SHINES IN BIG SOUTH-OVC DEBUT, POSTING SECOND-HALF SHUTOUT IN 20-10 TRIUMPH OVER TSU

The first-ever Big South-OVC Football Association contest for the No. 22 ranked University of Tennessee at Martin was a rousing success as the Skyhawks doubled up in-state rival Tennessee State, 20-10.

The UT Martin defense produced its third straight second-half shutout while the Skyhawk offense rolled to 20 unanswered points over the final 34-plus minutes. With the victory, UT Martin (4-1, 1-0 Big South-OVC) improved to 12-1 inside Hardy Graham Stadium in the last three years and 24-8 against in-state foes since 2014. The Skyhawks also won their fifth home game in a row against the Tigers (2-2, 1-1 Big South-OVC).

The air-tight Skyhawk defense held the Tigers to only 116 yards on 24 plays in the second half, including a paltry 23 yards on nine plays (2.6 yards per snap) in the fourth quarter. The UT Martin defensive unit combined for six tackles for loss, eight pass breakups and seven quarterback hurries.

Jaylon Sharpe and Tevin Shipp shared the team lead with seven tackles apiece while Jay Rogers broke through for a sack. Sharpe, JaMichael McGoy and Oshae Baker corralled tackles for loss while Carson Evans and Josh Hastings both batted away a game-high two pass breakups. Consistently applying pressure in the pocket throughout the evening was Daylan Dotson and Jarid Johnson, who each had a game-high two quarterback hurries for the Skyhawks.

Offensively, UT Martin gained 483 yards (253 rushing, 230 passing). Sam Franklin was responsible for his fourth consecutive 100-plus yard rushing game as the redshirt sophomore from Little Rock, Ark. gained 132 yards on 20 attempts. Kinkead Dent accumulated 278 yards of total offense and scored twice, throwing for 230 yards with a touchdown and rushing for 48 yards and the go-ahead score on a 31-yard scamper with 48 seconds remaining before the halftime break.

DeVonte Tanksley registered game-highs of six receptions and 93 yards for the Skyhawks while DJ Nelson caught his first touchdown of the 2023 campaign.

Aidan Laros split the uprights on 23- and 22-yard field goals in the second half while averaging 46.2 yards per punt this evening. He also made a pair of PAT's for eight total points.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
TSU	1st	11:27	Lowery, James 42 yd field goal		9-50	3:33	3 0
TSU	2nd	12:00	Ellis, Draylen 28 yd run	Lowery, James kick	11-96	3:11	10 0
UTM	2nd	04:26	NELSON, DJ 15 yd pass from DENT, Kinkead	LAROS, Aidan kick	4-30	2:08	10 7
UTM	2nd	00:48	DENT, Kinkead 31 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	6-65	2:13	10 14
UTM	3rd	02:55	LAROS, Aidan 23 yd field goal		8-82	3:37	10 17
UTM	4th	07:11	LAROS, Aidan 22 yd field goal		10-71	4:31	10 20

STATISTICAL LEADERS

» UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
SAM FRANKLIN	20	132	0	21
NARKEL LEFLORE	11	53	0	23
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
KINKEAD DENT	16-25-1	230	1	35
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
DEVONTE TANKSLEY	6	93	0	35
ZOE ROBERTS	4	54	0	25
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
JAYLON SHARPE	3	4	7	1.0 TFL
TEVIN SHIPP	1	6	7	1 PBU

» TENNESSEE STATE

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
DRAYLEN ELLIS	6	46	1	28
JORDAN GANT	10	33	0	13
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
DRAYLEN ELLIS	16-33-0	180	0	31
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
KARATE BRENSON	4	85	0	31
DAYRON JOHNSON	4	26	0	10
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
MONROE BEARD III	7	12	19	1 PBU
JEREMIAH JOSEPHS	6	5	11	1 PBU

GAME SIX | #25 EASTERN ILLINOIS

Oct. 7 | O'Brien Field | Charleston, Ill.
2 pm | Att: 8,078



SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	OT	TOTAL
#18 UT Martin	0	7	7	7	7	28
#25 Eastern Illinois	7	7	0	7	6	27

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	EIU
FIRST DOWNS	16	21
Rushing	4	2
Passing	11	16
Penalty	1	3
NET YARDS RUSHING	165	34
Rushing Attempts	38	27
Average Per Rush	4.3	1.3
Rushing Touchdowns	2	0
Yards Gained Rushing	185	74
Yards Lost Rushing	20	40
NET YARDS PASSING	162	339
Completions-Attempts-Int	18-35-1	27-50-1
Average Per Attempt	4.6	6.8
Average Per Completion	9.0	12.6
Passing Touchdowns	2	4
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	327	373
Total offense plays	73	77
Average Gain Per Play	4.5	4.8
Fumbles: Number-Lost	4-3	1-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	11-176	7-58
PUNTS-YARDS	6-293	9-199
Average Yards Per Punt	48.8	22.1
Net Yards Per Punt	42.2	21.0
Inside 20	0	1
50+ Yards	2	0
Touchbacks	2	0
Fair catch	2	2
KICKOFFS-YARDS	4-248	4-220
Average Yards Per Kickoff	62.0	55.0
Net Yards Per Kickoff	39.5	47.0
Touchbacks	1	0
Fair Catch Yards	0	14
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	2-10-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	5.0	0.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	2-32-0	3-65-0
Average Per Return	16.0	21.7
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-15-0	1-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	30:05	55:59
1st Quarter	5:39	9:21
2nd Quarter	6:19	8:41
3rd Quarter	8:34	3:59
4th Quarter	9:33	18:58
OT Quarter	0:00	15:00
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 15	6 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-6	3-4
Touchdowns	4-6	3-4
Field goals	0-6	0-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	4-30	3-15
PAT Kicks	4-4	3-3
Field Goals	0-1	0-3
Points off turnovers	7	7

» GAME NOTES

First matchup between the Skyhawks and Panthers when they were both ranked since 2006

The Skyhawks picked up their first overtime victory since 2003

Max Dowling picked up his first two career touchdowns in the win

The Skyhawks picked up their fifth straight win

UT Martin pushed its conference winning streak to seven games

The Skyhawks have defeated the Panthers in five straight matchups

NO. 18 UT MARTIN FOOTBALL REELS OFF FIFTH STRAIGHT VICTORY, OUTLASTING NO. 25 EASTERN ILLINOIS IN OVERTIME THRILLER

Today's matchup between two nationally ranked Football Championship Subdivision conference rivals came down to the final play as the University of Tennessee at Martin prevailed in an overtime thriller, 28-27 at Eastern Illinois.

The No. 18 ranked Skyhawks forced overtime after Jarid Johnson rose high above the crowd to block a potential game-winning 40-yard field goal try as time expired in regulation. UT Martin received the ball to open overtime and struck first as Kinkead Dent hit Max Dowling for a seven-yard scoring strike, the second touchdown of the game for the redshirt freshman tight end out of Buffalo, NY.

Entering the contest boasting their first national ranking of the season, the No. 25 Panthers pulled to within one with a touchdown on the ensuing possession. Eastern Illinois went for the win with a two-point conversion but the Skyhawk defense stood their ground as the pass attempt was no good thanks to a pass breakup from Carson Evans.

The blocked kick and overtime stand highlighted another stellar effort by the staunch UT Martin defense, who allowed only 32 rushing yards on 28 carries. Daylan Dotson was the star of the show as the junior defensive end out of Savannah, Ga. piled up game-highs of seven tackles, two sacks, four tackles for loss, a pair of pass breakups and two quarterback hurries. Chris Hunter, Jr. had a big interception to set up the Skyhawks' first scoring drive of the day while Giovanni Davis and Charles Perkins each recorded sacks.

UT Martin (5-1, 2-0 Big South-OVC) scored a pair of touchdowns on the ground and two through the air. Dowling's scoring receptions were the first of his collegiate career as he was the first Skyhawk to haul in multiple touchdowns in a game in over a calendar year (DJ Nelson against Tennessee Tech on Oct. 1, 2022).

DeVonte Tanksley posted a team-best four receptions while Trevonte Rucker accumulated a team-high 46 receiving yards. Sam Franklin (game-high 54 rushing yards on nine carries) and Narkel LeFlore (10 rushes, 45 yards) each found the endzone while Dent finished with 232 yards of total offense (182 passing, 50 rushing on a team-high 11 carries).

On special teams, Aidan Laros constantly faced swirling 14-mph winds to boom seven punts for an average of 50.6 yards – continually flipping the field for the Skyhawks.

The Panthers (4-2, 0-1 Big South-OVC) were led by Pierce Holley as the transfer from Georgetown threw for 359 yards and four touchdowns. Eli Mirza managed game-highs of 10 receptions, 119 receiving yards and a score while two of Justin Bowick's five catches went for touchdowns. Justin Thomas also caught a score while Russell Dandy tied Dotson with a game-high seven tackles to guide Eastern Illinois on the defensive side of the ball.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
EIU	1st	00:10	Bowick, Justin 13 yd pass from Holley, Pierce	Galloway, Stone kick	9-78	3:45	0 7
UTM	2nd	09:55	FRANKLIN, Sam 4 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	1-4	0:06	7 7
EIU	2nd	00:02	Mirza, Eli 10 yd pass from Holley, Pierce	Galloway, Stone kick	5-36	0:25	7 14
UTM	3rd	12:49	DOWLING, Max 9 yd pass from DENT, Kinkead	LAROS, Aidan kick	8-75	2:11	14 14
UTM	4th	07:39	LeFLORE, Narkel 2 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	17-73	7:48	21 14
EIU	4th	04:06	Bowick, Justin 14 yd pass from Holley, Pierce	Galloway, Stone kick	8-75	3:10	21 21
UTM	OT	15:00	DOWLING, Max 7 yd pass from DENT, Kinkead	LAROS, Aidan kick	4-25	0:00	28 21
EIU	OT	00:00	Thomas, Justin 21 yd pass from Holley, Pierce	Bowick, Justin pass failed	2-25	15:00	28 27

STATISTICAL LEADERS

» UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
SAM FRANKLIN	9	54	1	27
NARKEL LEFLORE	10	45	1	12
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
KINKEAD DENT	16-35-1	182	2	40
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
DEVONTE TANKSLEY	4	36	0	17
ZOE ROBERTS	3	35	0	19
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
DAYLAN DOTSON	6	1	7	4.0 TFL
OSHAE BAKER	6	0	6	1.0 TFL

» EASTERN ILLINOIS

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
MJ FLOWERS	12	25	0	6
KEVIN DANIELS	5	8	0	7
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
PIERCE HOLLEY	29-48-1	359	4	54
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
ELI MIRZA	10	119	1	33
JUSTIN BOWICK	5	67	2	23
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
RUSSELL DANDY	7	0	7	2 PBU
ELIJAWAH TOLBERT	4	3	7	1 FF

GAME SEVEN | CHARLESTON SOUTHERN

Oct. 21 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.
2 pm | Att: 5,718



SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
Charleston Southern	0	0	0	0	0
#17 UT Martin	0	3	0	14	17

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	CSU	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	13	19
Rushing	3	10
Passing	9	7
Penalty	1	2
NET YARDS RUSHING	55	194
Rushing Attempts	27	48
Average Per Rush	2.0	4.0
Rushing Touchdowns	0	1
Yards Gained Rushing	69	200
Yards Lost Rushing	14	6
NET YARDS PASSING	187	116
Completions-Attempts-Int	12-29-1	12-28-0
Average Per Attempt	6.4	4.1
Average Per Completion	15.6	9.7
Passing Touchdowns	0	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	242	310
Total offense plays	56	76
Average Gain Per Play	4.3	4.1
Fumbles: Number-Lost	3-0	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	5-64	1-15
PUNTS-YARDS	7-318	6-264
Average Yards Per Punt	45.4	44.0
Net Yards Per Punt	40.4	41.0
Inside 20	4	1
50+ Yards	3	3
Touchbacks	0	1
Fair catch	1	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	1-63	4-221
Average Yards Per Kickoff	63.0	55.2
Net Yards Per Kickoff	43.0	42.5
Touchbacks	0	2
Fair Catch Yards	0	19
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	3--2-0	3-35-0
Average Per Return	-0.7	11.7
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	1-1-0	1-20-0
Average Per Return	1.0	20.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-21-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	27:27	32:33
1st Quarter	6:19	8:41
2nd Quarter	7:18	7:42
3rd Quarter	9:16	5:44
4th Quarter	4:34	10:26
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 13	7 of 18
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	3 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	3-3
Touchdowns	0-1	2-3
Field goals	0-1	1-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	1-6
PAT Kicks	0-0	2-2
Field Goals	0-1	1-1
Points off turnovers	0	7

» GAME NOTES

NO. 17 SKYHAWK FOOTBALL SECURES FIRST SHUTOUT SINCE 2017 IN HOMECOMING VICTORY OVER CHARLESTON SOUTHERN

The vaunted University of Tennessee at Martin defense once again flexed its muscles this afternoon as the Skyhawks shut out Big South-OVC Football Association rival Charleston Southern for a 17-0 victory at Hardy Graham Stadium.

The shutout was UT Martin's first since Nov. 18, 2017 at Tennessee Tech (won 24-0). It marked the Skyhawks' first home shutout since Sept. 15, 2011 (63-0 against Union College) while UT Martin blanked its first home conference opponent since a 37-0 result against Tennessee State on Nov. 13, 2010.

The No. 17 ranked Skyhawks (6-1, 3-0 Big South-OVC) extended their winning streak to six games after limiting the visiting Buccaneers to 242 yards of total offense. That includes 55 rushing yards on 27 carries as UT Martin held its fourth opponent under 100 yards on the ground in 2023.

Tevin Shipp paced the Skyhawks with nine tackles (four solo), including one tackle for loss, a pass breakup and one quarterback hurry. Calvontay Key snagged his first interception in a UT Martin uniform and Josh Hastings corralled seven tackles with a pair of pass breakups. Bryce Dailey and Toby Camp teamed up for a sack while Daylan Dotson forced a fumble for the Skyhawks.

Both of the Skyhawk touchdowns came in the fourth quarter as Sam Franklin found paydirt from four yards out before Kinkead Dent hit DJ Nelson for a nine-yard scoring strike. UT Martin held a 3-0 lead through the first three quarters courtesy of an Aidan Laros 26-yard field goal with 14 seconds remaining before the halftime break.

Franklin produced his fifth 100-plus yard rushing performance of the season with 101 yards on 29 carries. Dent combined for 160 yards (116 passing, 44 rushing) while Trevonte Rucker hauled in five receptions for a team-best 52 yards.

On special teams, Laros booted five punts for an average of 49.0 yards – including a key season-long 70-yarder from his own endzone that completely flipped the field during a one-possession game in the third quarter.

Charleston Southern (3-4, 1-1 Big South-OVC) was led by reigning Big South-OVC Freshman of the Week Zoltan Osborne (187 passing yards). Jaden Scott tallied five catches for 81 yards while Omari Jenkins made a game-high 14 tackles for the Buccaneers.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
UTM	2nd	00:14	LAROS, Aidan 26 yd field goal		14-63	3:58	0 3
UTM	4th	11:18	FRANKLIN, Sam 4 yd run	LAROS, Aidan kick	12-90	5:17	0 10
UTM	4th	02:11	NELSON, DJ 9 yd pass from DENT, Kinkead	LAROS, Aidan kick	11-53	5:51	0 17

STATISTICAL LEADERS

» UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
SAM FRANKLIN	29	101	1	20
KINKEAD DENT	5	44	0	19
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
KINKEAD DENT	12-28-0	116	1	30
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
TREVONTE RUCKER	5	52	0	21
DEVONTE TANKSLEY	3	17	0	11
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
TEVIN SHIPP	4	5	9	1.0 TFL
JOSH HASTINGS	3	4	7	0.5 TFL

» CHARLESTON SOUTHERN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
TJ RUFF	16	44	0	7
JD MOORE	2	13	0	12
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
ZOLTEN OSBORNE	12-29-1	187	0	31
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
JADEN SCOTT	5	81	0	23
TJ RUFF	2	29	0	21
DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
OMARI JENKINS	7	7	14	0.5 TFL
TRAYSON FOWLER	4	5	9	-