UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS
2026 FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

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THE MATCHUP

GAME 12

Saturday, Nov. 21
1 pm | ESPN+

Houck Stadium
(10,000)
Cape Girardeau, Mo.

RADIO SKYHAWK SPORTS NETWORK

VIDEO ESPN+

UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS
(5-6, 4-2 OVC)

Head Coach: Jason Simpson
Alma Mater: Southern Miss, 1994
Career Record: 135-104 (21st season)
Record at UTM: Same

Passing Leader
Tate Surber 160-254 | 1,560 yards | 5 TD, 10 INT

Rushing Leader
Chris Franklin 150 carries | 715 yards | 7 TD

Receiving Leader
Makhia Sherrard 33 catches | 387 yards | 2 TD

Defensive Leader
Joel Castleberry 56 tackles | 4.0 TFL | 2 INT

VS

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI REDHAWKS
(7-4, 5-1 OVC)

Head Coach: Tom Matukewicz
Alma Mater: Fort Hayes State, 1997
Career Record: 75-75 (13th season)
Record at SEMO: 74-75 (13th season)

Passing Leader
Braylen Ragland 164-271 | 1733 yards | 8 TD, 11 INT

Rushing Leader
Khyair Spain 181 carries | 791 yards | 9 TD

Receiving Leader
John Anthony Jr 28 catches | 474 yards | 5 TD

Defensive Leader
Nehemiah Scott 62 tackles | 3.0 TFL | 1 INT

STAT COMPARISON

	SCORING OFFENSE	RUSHING YARDS/GM	PASSING YARDS/GM	TOTAL OFFENSE	SCORING DEFENSE	RUSHING DEFENSE/GM	PASSING DEFENSE/GM	TOTAL DEFENSE
UTM	23.9	174.2	165.3	339.5	31.8	168.7	237.0	405.7
SEMO	25.5	151.4	181.4	332.8	23.1	121.1	213.8	334.9

SERIES HISTORY

UTM leads series 21-20

Last Meeting	Sept. 27, 2025
Game Result	W, 34-10
Streak	W1
First Meeting	Oct. 8, 1966
UTM vs. SEMO in Martin	12-9
UTM vs. SEMO in Cape Girardeau	9-11
Simpson vs. Southeast Missouri	13-7

SETTING THE SCENE



PLAYER TO WATCH

Quarterback **Tate Surber** earned his second OVC Rookie of the Week honor after a strong game against Lindenwood.

Surber completed 19-of-28 pass attempts for 213 yards and a passing touchdown. He then added a seven-yard rushing touchdown to his stat line.

Surber ranks in the top-five in four statistical categories, including completion percentage, completions per game, passing yards per game and total offense.

›› Dating back to 2019, either UT Martin (2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024) or Southeast Missouri (2019, 2022, 2024) have won five of the last seven conference titles. With a win, SEMO claims the OVC regular season championship and autobid to NCAA Championship while a UT Martin victory (and Lindenwood win over Western Illinois) lifts the Skyhawks into the postseason.

›› UT Martin (5-6, 4-2 OVC) is hoping to build off its recent momentum following back-to-back impressive victories over Charleston Southern (20-10) and Lindenwood (38-31). Most recently, the Skyhawks overcame a pair of 14-point deficits to rally back to victory while racking up 474 yards of total offense – including a season-best 261 rushing yards. The running back tandem of Chris Franklin (104 yards) and Jaydon Peete (104 yards) both eclipsed 100 rushing yards while Brandon Sims booted three field goals in the victory. Defensively, safety Quincy Hamilton recorded a season-high 12 tackles to lead all players.

›› A pair of Skyhawks earned OVC Player of the Week honors for the second consecutive week. Sims earned his second OVC Special Teams Player of the Week honor after scoring 12 points for the Skyhawks – including three field goals and a trio of PATs. Meanwhile, quarterback Tate Surber earned his third OVC Rookie of the Week honor after throwing for 213 yards and a touchdown while adding another score on the ground.

›› The win over Lindenwood marked a monumental victory for UT Martin head coach Jason Simpson. With the win, Simpson picked up his 103 league victory to take sole possession of second place on the OVC's all-time wins leaderboard for conference contests. Simpson now only trails legendary former Eastern Kentucky head coach Roy Kidd. Since taking over the program in 2006, Simpson has finished .500 or better in conference play in 19 of the last 21 seasons while recording 10 top-two finishes.

›› Southeast Missouri (7-4, 5-1 OVC) enters the final weekend in control of its own destiny to return to the championship ranks. A win will give the Redhawks at least a tie of the 2026 OVC championship (regardless of league results) and the league's autobid to the playoffs. The Redhawks lean on an opportunistic defense which ranks fourth nationally in passes intercepted (14) and fifth in turnovers gained (21).

›› Saturday marks the 42nd all-time meeting between UT Martin and Southeast Missouri, with the Skyhawks holding a narrow 21-20 advantage in the series. UT Martin claimed the most recent meeting with a convincing 34-10 victory in Martin in 2025. However, the Skyhawks will look to reverse their recent fortunes in Cape Girardeau, where Southeast Missouri has won the last four meetings, including a thrilling 45-42 double-overtime contest in 2024.

›› The matchup also features the OVC's two longest-tenured head coaches in Simpson and Southeast Missouri's Tom Matukewicz. The two coaches have combined for eight OVC championships and 206 victories while establishing their respective programs among the league's premier contenders.

2026 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

BREAKDOWN	
OVERALL RECORD:	5-6
OVC	4-2
NON-CONFERENCE	1-4
HOME	3-2
AWAY	2-4

AUGUST

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TV	TIME (CT)
27	THUR	**CENTRAL ARKANSAS**	ESPN+	L, 36-24

SEPTEMBER

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TV	TIME (CT)
5	SAT	**CHICAGO STATE**	ESPN+	W, 42-7
12	SAT	at West Virginia	ESPN+	L, 52-7
19	SAT	at Memphis	ESPN+	L, 45-21
26	SAT	at #11/13 Austin Peay	ESPN+	L, 35-12

OCTOBER

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TV	TIME (CT)
10	SAT	at Tennessee State*	ESPN+	W, 42-28
17	SAT	**GARDNER-WEBB***	ESPN+	W, 17-6
24	SAT	at Western Illinois*	ESPN+	L, 55-24
31	SAT	**EASTERN ILLINOIS***	ESPN+	L, 45-16

NOVEMBER

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TV	TIME (CT)
7	SAT	at Charleston Southern*	ESPN+	W, 20-10
14	SAT	**LINDENWOOD***	ESPN+	W, 38-31
21	SAT	at Southeast Missouri*	ESPN+	1 pm

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UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location	Martin, Tenn.
Founded	1900; Senior College, 1951
Enrollment	8,253
Nickname	Skyhawks
Colors	Navy Blue & Orange
Stadium	Hardy M. Graham Stadium
Capacity	7,500
Surface	Field Turf
Affiliation	NCAA Division I (FCS)
Conference	OVC
Chancellor	Dr. Yancy Freeman
Athletics Director	Kurt McGuffin
Athletics Office	731-881-7660
Assistant AD/SWA	Danelle Fabianich
Ticket Office Phone	731-881-7207

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Jason Simpson
Alma Mater	Southern Miss, 1995
Career Record	135-104 (21st)
Record at UT Martin	Same
Conference Record	103-54 (21st)

TEAM INFORMATION

2025 Overall Record		6-6
	H: 4-1	A: 2-5
2025 OVC Record/Finish		6-2 (2nd)
	H: 4-0	A: 2-2

Basic Offense	Multiple
Basic Defense	Multiple

Starters Returning/Lost

Off: 5/7	Def: 3/9	S/T: 2/2	Total: 10/18

Players Returning

Off: 29	Def: 21	S/T: 2	Total: 56

Newcomers

Off: 25	Def: 25	S/T: 3	Total: 53

PROGRAM HISTORY

First Year of Football	1925
All-Time Record	422-532-20
Division I Record	177-229
OVC Record	123-136
OVC Championships	5 (2006, 21, 22, 23, 24)
FCS Playoff Appearances	3 (2006, 21, 24)

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SKYHAWKS IN PRINT

We are 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 27	CENTRAL ARKANSAS BEARS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	L, 36-24	5-10	Trey Cotton returned an interception 55-yards for a touchdown while Tommy Ansley punched in a pair of rushing touchdowns, but the Skyhawks could not overcome Central Arkansas in the season opener
SEPT 5	CHICAGO STATE COUGARS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 42-7	1-0	The Skyhawks scored 42 unanswered points while rushing for six touchdowns
SEPT 12	AT WEST VIRGINIA MOUNTAINEERS	Morgantown, W. Va.	ESPN+	L, 52-7	0-1	West Virginia racked up over 500 yards of total offense and seven touchdowns to pull away early and never look back.
SEPT 19	AT MEMPHIS TIGERS	Memphis, Tenn.	ESPN+	L, 45-21	4-10-1	The Skyhawks tallied their first touchdown receptions of the season, tallying three touchdowns overall against FBS foe Memphis
SEPT 26	AT #11 AUSTIN PEAY GOVERNORS	Clarksville, Tenn.	ESPN+	L, 35-12	41-28-2	After taking a 12-7 lead into halftime over Austin Peay, the Govs outscored the Skyhawks by 28 points in the second half for the team's third straight loss
OCT 10	AT TENNESSEE STATE* TIGERS	Nashville, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 42-28	18-18	The Skyhawks scored 28 unanswered points behind four forced turnovers to claim the program's 12th Sgt. York Trophy and give Simpson his 100th career conference victory
OCT 17	GARDNER-WEBB RUNNIN' BULLDOGS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 17-6	5-3	UT Martin held Gardner-Webb without an offensive touchdown while forcing three interceptions
OCT 24	AT WESTERN ILLINOIS* LEATHERNECKS	Macomb, Ill.	ESPN+	L, 55-24	3-2	The Skyhawks gave up a season-high 329 yards on the ground while dropping their first game to the Leathernecks since 2003.
OCT 31	EASTERN ILLINOIS* PANTHERS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	L, 45-19	16-16	The Panthers scored early and often to snap a seven-game losing streak to the Skyhawks on the way to the program's worst OVC home loss since 2013 - also against Eastern Illinois.
NOV 7	AT CHARLESTON SOUTHERN* BUCCANEERS	Charleston, S.C.	ESPN+	W, 20-10	5-0	The Skyhawks pitched a second half shutout to push past Charleston Southern with a 20-10 victory
NOV 14	LINDENWOOD* LIONS	Martin, Tenn.	ESPN+	W, 38-31	3-1	The Skyhawks overcame a pair of 14-point deficits, outscoring the Lions 31-10 over the final three quarters
NOV 21	AT SOUTHEAST MISSOURI* REDHAWKS	Cape Girardeau, Mo.	ESPN+	1 PM	21-20	

MEDIA INFORMATION

SKYHAWK WEEKLY MEDIA AVAILABILITY

›› UT Martin football coach Jason Simpson will appear on the Skyhawk Sports Talk podcast on Mondays from 6-7 p.m. during the season. The weekly podcast will be recorded live 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.

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

9:50-10:00 am	Chris Wilkerson, Eastern Illinois
10:10-10:20 am	Reggie Barlow, Tennessee State
10:30-10:40 am	Gabe Giardina, Charleston Southern
10:40-10:50 am	Jason Simpson, UT Martin
11:10-11:20 am	Pete Bennett, Gardner-Webb
11:20-11:30 am	Tom Matukewicz, Southeast Missouri
11:30-11:40 am	Jed Stugart, Lindenwood
11:40-11:50 am	Joe Davis, Western Illinois

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 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 in the lobby of the Hardy M. Graham Stadium Press Box. 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.

SKYHAWK SPORTS NETWORK

THIS WEEK'S **OPPONENT**

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI REDHAWKS
(7-4, 5-1 OVC)

RUSHING	G	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Yds/G
Khyair Spain	11	181	791	4.4	9	71.9
Tyrell Reed Jr.	9	113	506	4.5	1	56.2

PASSING	G	Cmp-Att.	Pct.	Yds	TD	INT
Braylen Ragland	11	164-271	60.5	1733	8	11

RECEIVING	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Yds/G
John Anthony Jr.	11	28	474	16.9	5	43.1
Jobe Bryant	11	38	365	9.6	2	33.2

DEFENSE	G	Solo	Asst	Total	TFL	Other
Nehemiah Scott	11	35	27	62	3.0	1 INT
DJ Delmore	11	30	25	55	4.5	4 INT
LJ Minner Jr.	11	18	33	51	5.5	2 FF

2026 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Result
8/29	at Indiana State	W, 23-21
9/5	at Iowa State	L, 38-10
9/12	at Southern Illinois	L, 34-20
9/19	Central Arkansas	W, 27-9
9/26	West Florida	L, 20-17
10/10	at Lindenwood*	W, 38-27
10/17	Western Illinois*	W, 40-30
10/24	at Eastern Illinois*	W, 20-10
10/31	Gardner-Webb*	L, 34-10
11/7	at Tennessee State*	W, 33-14
11/14	at Charleston Southern*	W, 43-17
11/21	UT Martin*	1 p.m.

QUICK **HITS**

SKYHAWKS VS REDHAWKS FOR TITLE

›› UT Martin and Southeast Missouri head into the final weekend looking to give the people exactly what they wanted as the preseason projections tabbed both teams to be competing for a championship. In one of the league's longest rivalries, the Skyhawks (47 points) were tabbed as the preseason favorite with six first place votes while the Redhawks (38 points) also earned a first place vote. Dating back to 2019, either UT Martin or Southeast Missouri have won five of the last seven conference titles. With a win, SEMO claims the OVC regular season championship and autobid to NCAA Championship while a UT Martin victory (and help) lifts the Skyhawks into the postseason.

Championship History

YEAR	CHAMPIONSHIPS
2019	**Southeast Missouri**/Austin Peay
2020	Jacksonville State
2021	**UT Martin**
2022	**UT Martin**/Southeast Missouri
2023	**UT Martin/Gardner-Webb**
2024	**UTM/SEMO**/TSU/TTU
2025	Tennessee Tech

OVC FOOTBALL AQ SCENARIOS

›› The 2026 regular season ends on Saturday ahead of the 24-team FCS Playoff field being announced on Sunday, November 22 at 11:00 a.m. CT on ESPNU. If multiple teams finish tied for first place, they will be declared co-champions. The OVC's tiebreaker policy will determine the automatic qualifier for the FCS Playoffs.

Scenarios

›› **If SEMO beats UT Martin,** the Redhawks finish 6-1 in league play and will either be outright champion (with a Western Illinois loss), or will earn the AQ in a head-to-head tiebreaker with the Leathernecks (if WIU beats Lindenwood).

›› **If Western Illinois beats Lindenwood** to finish at 6-1 in league play, and SEMO loses to UT Martin, the Leathernecks would be outright champions and earn the AQ.

›› **If Lindenwood** (vs. WIU) **and UT Martin** (vs. SEMO) **win,** there will be a four-way tie for first place (all teams 5-2). When comparing the four teams in the tie, SEMO and UTM would each have 2-1 composite records versus the other tied teams (LIN and WIU would have 1-2 records). The tiebreaker then shifts to a head-to-head tiebreaker between SEMO and UTM; UTM would have just beaten SEMO and would earn the AQ.

›› **Lindenwood** cannot earn the AQ.

CHAMPIONSHIP PEDIGREE

›› Regardless of conference affiliation, UT Martin has won or shared four of the last five conference championships. The Skyhawks won back-to-back OVC championships in 2021 and 2022 before picking up back-to-back league trophies in the OVC-Big South Football Association.

›› UT Martin is the just the fifth program to win four or more consecutive titles in the OVC's history and only trails a five-year run by Jacksonville State from 2014-18.

Consecutive Championships

TEAM	CHAMPIONSHIPS	TOTAL
Jacksonville State	2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018	5
UT Martin	**2021, 2022, 2023, 2024**	**4**
Eastern Kentucky	1981, 1982, 1983, 1984	4
Tennessee Tech	1958, 1959, 1960, 1961	4
Middle Tennessee	1956, 1957, 1958, 1959	4

SKYHAWKS OVER THE LAST SIX YEARS

›› UT Martin has seen unparalleled success for the program over the last six seasons dating back to 2021. During that stretch, the Skyhawks have racked four conference championship titles and posted a 31-8 record against league foes.



SIMS AND SURBER NAMED OVC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK (AGAIN)

›› Skyhawk place kicker **Brandon Sims** (Special Teams) and quarterback **Tate Surber** (Rookie) earned Ohio Valley Conference Player of the Week honors for the second consecutive week following strong performances against Lindenwood.

›› Sims made it back-to-back selections with an impressive performance against Lindenwood after scoring 12 points - including three field goals and three PATs. He booted field goals of 43, 33 and 44 yards, respectively, while converting all three of his PATs. He also averaged 60.1 yards per kickoff with three touchbacks.

›› A three-time OVC Rookie of the Week, Surber guided an offense which racked up 474 yards of total offense. He completed 19-of-28 pass attempts for 213 yards while throwing for one touchdown. He also used his feet, scrambling for a seven-yard rushing touchdown in the victory. Surber ranks second in the OVC with a 63.0 completion percentage.

ON THIS DAY...

NOVEMBER

21

THE RECORD: 8-5
THE STREAK: W2
LAST TIME: 2015

DID YOU KNOW: The last time that the Skyhawks played on Nov. 21, they picked up a 28-25 road victory at Southeast Missouri.

ON THIS DATE IN UT MARTIN HISTORY

›› 1930 vs. Jonesboro College	W, 38-6
›› 1931 at Jonesboro College	W, 46-0
›› 1941 vs. Bethel	W, 55-6
›› 1959 at Austin Peay	W, 21-10
›› 1964 vs. Austin Peay	L, 35-0
›› 1970 vs. West Alabama	W, 29-14
›› 1981 at Austin Peay	L, 28-14
›› 1987 vs. West Georgia*	W, 17-12
›› 1992 at Austin Peay*	L, 32-18
›› 1998 at UAB	L, 48-17
›› 2002 at Tennessee Tech	L, 68-7
›› 2009 vs. Austin Peay*	W, 48-38
›› 2015 at Southeast Missouri*	W, 28-25

OVC SUPREMACY

›› Since the 2006 season, UT Martin ranks as the winningest active member in the Ohio Valley Conference with 103 victories. After winning just 20 games in the team's first 14 years in the league, the Skyhawks are 103-54 since 2006 while sitting 25 wins above the closest program in Eastern Illinois (78-78) during that span. The Skyhawks have finished .500 or above in conference play in 19 of the last 21 seasons - including 10 top-two finishes.

Most Conference Wins Since 2006

	Coach (Program)	W	L	%
1.	**UT Martin**	**103**	**54**	**.656**
2.	Eastern Illinois	78	78	.500
3.	Southeast Missouri	74	82	.474
4.	Tennessee State	62	86	.419
5.	Gardner-Webb (Joined in 2023)	15	13	.536
5.	Lindenwood (Joined in 2022)	15	17	.469
6.	Western Illinois (Joined in 2024)	11	11	.500
7.	Charleston Southern (Joined in 2023)	6	22	.214

Most Conference Wins Since 2021

	Coach (Program)	W	L	%
1.	**UT Martin**	**31**	**8**	**.795**
2.	Southeast Missouri	26	13	.667
3.	Gardner-Webb (Joined in 2023)	15	13	.536
4.	Lindenwood (Joined in 2022)	15	17	.469
5.	Tennessee State	14	25	.359
6.	Eastern Illinois	12	27	.308
7.	Western Illinois (Joined in 2024)	11	11	.500
8.	Charleston Southern (Joined in 2023)	6	22	.214

RECORD WHEN...

Overall	***5-6***
vs. OVC	4-2
Non-conference record	1-4
Home	3-2
Away	2-4
Day Games	4-4
Night Games	1-2
Offense	
When scoring first	2-2
When the opponent scores first	3-4
When leading at halftime	3-1
When trailing at halftime	2-5
When tied at halftime	0-0
When leading after third quarter	5-0
When trailing after third quarter	0-6
When tied after third quarter	0-0
In overtime games	0-0
When scoring less than 20 points	1-3
When scoring 20+ points	4-3
When scoring 30+ points	3-0
When scoring 40+ points	2-0
When allowing less than 20 points	3-0
When allowing 20+ points	2-6
When allowing 30+ points	1-6
When rushing for < 100 yards	0-1
When rushing for 100+ yards	5-5
When rushing for 200+ yards	2-1
When passing for 200+ yards	1-1
When passing for 300+ yards	0-0
When totaling < 300 yds total offense	1-4
When gaining 300+ yds total offense	4-2
Defense	
When allowing < 100 yds rushing	5-0
When allowing 100+ yds rushing	0-6
When allowing 200+ yds rushing	0-5
When allowing < 200 yards passing	3-0
When allowing 200+ yards passing	2-6
When allowing 300+ yards passing	1-0
When allowing < 300 yds total offense	4-0
When allowing 300+ yds total offense	1-6

GAME **CAPTAINS**

CENTRAL ARKANSAS
Julian Calvez, Duston Chavis, Dolapo Egunjobi

CHICAGO STATE
Tommy Ansley, Joel Castleberry,

WEST VIRGINIA
Trey Cotton, Chris Franklin, Travis Gray

MEMPHIS
Kaleb Costner, Bryce Dailey, Cam Robertson, AJ Robinson Jr.

AUSTIN PEAY
Duston Chavis, Eric Lane, Makhia Sherrard

TENNESSEE STATE
Joel Castleberry, Garrett Smith, Kaleb Washington

GARDNER-WEBB
Malik Brown, Chris Franklin, Eric Lane

WESTERN ILLINOIS
Brylan Jordan, Garrett Smith, Chris Wilson

EASTERN ILLINOIS
Jaren Bowling, Logan Crouch, LaMarion Pierce

CHARLESTON SOUTHERN
Kennarius Chandler, Jaydon Peete, Andrew Smithberger

LINDENWOOD
Duston Chavis, Garrett Smith, Andrew Smithberger

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI
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QUICK **HITS**



SIMPSON AMONG ACTIVE FCS COACHES

›› UT Martin head coach **Jason Simpson** ranks second nationally among active FCS coaches in Division I victories with 135. He sits only behind Duquense's Jerry Schmitt (140) for the national lead in Division I victories at the FCS level.

Most FCS Division I Victories

	Coach (Program)	***W***	***L***	***%***
1.	Jerry Schmitt (Duquense)	140	96	.591
2.	***Jason Simpson (UT Martin)***	***135***	***104***	***.565***
3.	Brock Spack (Illinois State)	130	82	.613

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.	***Jason Simpson (UTM)***	***135***	***104***	***.565***

SKYHAWK TANDEM ECLIPSES 100 YARDS

›› The Skyhawks had two players each eclipse 100 rushing yards in the same game for the this season in the team's win over Lindenwood. The duo of Chris Franklin (104 yards) and Jaydon Peete (104 yards) both eclipsed the century mark in the victory. It marks just the second time since the 2024 season in which two players have reached 100 yards in the same game.

TURNING DEFENSE INTO OFFENSE

›› UT Martin currently leads the FCS in defensive touchdowns this season with five. **Trey Cotton** returned an interception 55 yards for a touchdown against Central Arkansas while **John Betts III** returned a fumble six yards for a touchdown against West Virginia. Then the Skyhawks added two against Tennessee State, including a 97-yard fumble return by **Farand Washington** and a 23-yard interception return by **Joel Castleberry**. The fifth touchdown of the season came against Charleston Southern when **LaMarion Pierce** returned an interception 57-yard for a touchdown.

OVERCOMING A DEFICIT

›› The Skyhawks overcame a pair of 14-point deficits in the team's win over Lindenwood before rallying for a 38-31 win. The game marked the first two-touchdown deficit that the Skyhawks have overcome since being down 18 against North Alabama in 2024.

Largest Margin Overcome for Victory

Points	***vs. Opponent***	***Date***
18	vs. North Alabama	9/14/2024
18	vs. Southeast Missouri	11/5/2005
17	vs. Samford	9/11/2021
16	vs. Austin Peay	10/30/2021
14	vs. Lindenwood	11/14/2026
14	at Tennessee Tech	11/4/2023
14	vs. Murray State	10/24/2015
14	vs. Tennessee State	10/10/2015

PEETE AND REPEAT

›› With five touchdowns on the season, **Jaydon Peete** is the first freshman to find the endzone five times in his debut season since legendary Skyhawk running back Don Chapman back in 2004. Peete has tallied 105 carries for 537 yards on the season - tallying a career-high 104 yards against Lindenwood.



SIMPSON CLIMBING OVC LEADERBOARD

›› UT Martin head coach Jason Simpson has further cement himself into OVC history. After becoming just the third coach in league history to eclipse 100 wins, he now ranks as the second winningest coach in conference history with 103 league victories. He now only trails legendary Eastern Kentucky head coach Roy Kidd (207 wins).

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)***	***101***	***52***	***.660***



PIERCE CLIMBS PASS DEFENSE BOARD

›› Fifth-year senior cornerback **LaMarion Pierce** has made an impact in the Skyhawk secondary for four years, ranking in the top-10 in both career passes defended (28) and pass breakups (21).

Career Passes Defended

Rank	***Player***	***No.***	***Year***
1.	JaMichael McGoy, Jr.	48	2021-25
2.	Oshae Baker	45	2020-24
3.	Don Jones	42	1969-71
4.	Mike Beeler	38	1968-71
5.	Jerry Reese	33	1982-84
6.	Wayne Jones	31	1969-70
7.	Trent Findley	30	1999-02
8.	Rayvon Sims	29	2003-06
	Dewayne Harper	29	1991-94
10.	**LaMarion Pierce**	**28**	**2022-26**

Career Passes Breakups

Rank	***Player***	***No.***	***Year***
1.	JaMichael McGoy, Jr.	42	2021-25
2.	Oshae Baker	36	2020-24
3.	Chris Jones	30	1996-97
4.	Don Jones	25	1969-71
5.	Wayne Jones	24	1969-70
6.	Jerry Reese	23	1981-84
	James Brown	23	1992-95
8.	**LaMarion Pierce**	**21**	**2022-26**
	Trent Findley	21	2003-06
	Rayvon Sims	21	2003-06

STALLING THE GROUND ATTACK

›› UT Martin has seen its defense flex its muscles against the ground attack at times this season. The Skyhawks have held back-to-back teams under 100-yard rushing against Charleston Southern (20) and Lindenwood (84). They have also limited three other teams under 100 rushing yards this season, coming against Chicago State (38), Tennessee State (15) and Gardner-Webb (20).

QUICK **HITS**

RUSH FOR 200

›› When UT Martin dominates with its ground attack, the Skyhawks have been elite over the past five seasons. Dating back to the 2021 campaign, the Skyhawks are 20-2 when rushing for over 200 yards.

Date	*Yards*	*vs. Opponent*	*Result*
10/29/22	346	at Houston Christian	W
9/24/22	343	vs. Lindenwood	W
11/11/23	314	vs. Southeast Missouri	W
11/13/21	313	at Tennessee Tech	W
10/12/24	306	at Western Illinois	W
11/6/21	298	vs. Tennessee State	W
11/8/25	292	vs. Tennessee State	W
10/9/21	266	vs. Murray State	W
11/14/26	261	vs. Lindenwood	W
9/18/21	260	at Northwestern State	W
9/1/22	260	vs. Western Illinois	W
10/18/25	244	at Gardner-Webb	W
9/27/25	243	vs. Southeast Missouri	W
9/11/21	240	vs. Samford	W
10/23/21	236	vs. Southeast Missouri	W
10/31/26	236	vs. Eastern Illinois	L
10/5/24	235	vs. Gardner-Webb	W
9/5/26	228	vs. Chicago State	W
10/8/22	228	at Murray State	W
10/16/21	227	at Eastern Illinois	W
10/17/26	218	vs. Gardner-Webb	W
10/26/24	212	vs. Eastern Illinois	W
9/2/21	201	at Western Kentucky	L

SIMS AND SURBER NAMED OVC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

›› Skyhawk place kicker **Brandon Sims** (Special Teams) and quarterback **Tate Surber** (Rookie) earned OVC Player of the Week honors following the team's road victory at Charleston Southern.

›› **Sims** played a big role in the Skyhawk's road victory, scoring eight of the team's 20 points courtesy of a perfect kicking afternoon. The Jacksonville, Ill. native made 2-of-2 field goal attempts and both point after attempts in the win. His second half field goals included his first 40-yard field goals of his collegiate career, knocking them in from 43 and 41 yards, respectively.

›› **Surber** was efficient at quarterback, completing 14-of-16 pass attempts for 88 yards without an interception while adding a four-yard rushing touchdown on the second drive of the game. His 87.5% completion percentage ranked as the third-best single-game performance in program history.

SURBER FINDS HIS WAY

›› Redshirt-freshman quarterback **Tate Surber** has adjusted to life at the Division I level and has progressively improved this season. Heading into the final week of the regular season, Surber has been named OVC Rookie of the Week three times - including back-to-back selections in November. Surber currently ranks among OVC leaders in completion percentage (63.0 percent, second), completions per game (16.0, second), passing yards per game (156.0 ypg, fifth) and total offense (169.1 ypg, fifth).

SKYHAWK DEBUTS

›› 44 different players have made their UT Martin debut this season. Included in that group are 17 players who debuted in the starting lineup, including tight end **Dawson Adams-Grenier**, linebacker **Reginal Allen Jr.**, outside linebacker **John Betts III,** outside linebacker **Malik Brown**, outside linebacker **Kennarius Chandler,** tight end **Kaleb Costner**, defensive lineman **Rasheen Duncan**, offensive tackle **Travis Gray**, tight end **Connie Hewitt II**, linebacker **Brylan Jordan**, offensive tackle **Santiago Macias**, wide receiver **Makhia Sherrard**, linebacker **Jamarcus Smith**, cornerback **Wendell Smith**, quarterback **Tate Surber**, cornerback **Farand Washington** and wide receiver **Kaleb Washington**.



SPECIAL PAIR NAMED ALL-AMERICANS

›› Skyhawk specialists **Max Zuluaga** (punter) and **Hayden King** (long snapper) garnered a pair of mid-season honors as they were named to the annual Phil Steele FCS Mid-Season All-American teams. Zuluaga earned a first team designation after leading the FCS in punting average (46.7 yards per punt) through the first half of the season. Meanwhile, King built upon his concensus preseason All-American honors with a second team selection.

FRANKLIN FINDS THE ENDZONE

›› Sophomore running back **Chris Franklin** recorded his third multi-touchdown rushing performance of the season with a pair of touchdown runs against Eastern Illinois last week. Franklin has found the endzone four games this season, while rushing for two touchdowns against Chicago State, Tennessee State and Eastern Illinois. Franklin is currently tied for first among OVC running backs with seven rushing touchdowns on the season.

THE DEUCE BREAKS LOOSE

›› Sophomore receiver Deuce Oliver racked up a career-high 119 yards against Western Illinois - including posting a Skyhawk season-long 79-yard reception early in the third quarter. It marked the first 100-yard receiving performance of his young career and first for a Skyhawk this season.

ZULUAGA PUNTS IT DEEP

›› Skyhawk specialist **Max Zuluaga** has been a big addition for the squad by flipping the field with booming punts. Throughout the season, ranks second in the FCS with 47.4 yards per punt while booting a pair of 70-yard punts. He boomed a 75-yard punt against Gardner-Webb (Oct. 17) to rank second in program history while adding a 74-yard punt against Memphis (Sept. 19).

Longest FCS Punts in 2026

	Distance	*Player*	*Date*
1.	84	Brian Mays Jr., Texas Southern	Sept. 12
2.	83	Max Pelham, South Dakota St.	Oct. 31
3.	80	Brett Gonda, Stetson	Oct. 17
4.	78	Landen Sturges, St. Thomas	Oct. 10
	78	Pharrell Harewood, Nicholls	Oct. 3
6.	77	Luke Armistead, Dartmouth	Oct. 10
	77	George Dixon, McNeese	Oct. 31
8.	**75**	**Max Zuluaga, UT Martin**	**Oct. 17**
	75	Caden Lesiewicz, Cornell	Sept. 26
	75	Dillon McDougal, SFA	Sept. 12

HONORS AND **AWARDS**

REGINALD ALLEN JR. (LB)
- OVC Defensive Player of the Week (9/7/26)

TOMMY ANSLEY (RB)
- OVC Offensive Player to Watch
- OVC Offensive Player of the Week (9/7/26)

KALEB COSTNER (TE)
- OVC Offensive Player to Watch

TREY COTTON (S)
- OVC Defensive Player to Watch
- Phil Steele Preseason All-Conference (3rd team)

CHRIS FRANKLIN (RB)
- OVC Offensive Player to Watch
- Phil Steele Preseason All-Conference (3rd team)

TRAVIS GRAY (OL)
- OVC Offensive Player to Watch
- Phil Steele Preseason All-Conference (2nd team)

HAYDEN KING (LS)
- Phil Steele FCS Mid-Season All-American (2nd team)
- OVC Defensive Player to Watch
- Phil Steele Preseason All-American (1st team)
- Phil Steele Preseason All-Conference (1st team)
- Stats Perform Preseason All-American (1st team)

DEUCE OLIVER (WR/PR)
- OVC Defensive Player to Watch
- Phil Steele Preseason All-Conference (3rd team)

JAYDON PEETE (RB)
- OVC Rookie of the Week (10/26/26)

BRANDON SIMS (PK)
- OVC Offensive Player to Watch
- OVC Special Teams Player of the Week (11/9/26)
- OVC Special Teams Player of the Week (11/16/26)

JAMARCUS SMITH (LB)
- OVC Defensive Player to Watch
- Phil Steele Preseason All-Conference (3rd team)

TATE SURBER (QB)
- OVC Rookie of the Week (9/28/26)
- OVC Rookie of the Week (11/9/26)
- OVC Rookie of the Week (11/16/26)

BRODERICK TOMMIE JR (DL)
- OVC Defensive Player to Watch

PHAIZON WILSON (WR)
- OVC Offensive Player to Watch
- Phil Steele Preseason All-Conference (3rd team)

MAX ZULUAGA (P)
- Phil Steele FCS Mid-Season All-American (1st team)
- OVC Defensive Player to Watch
- Phil Steele Preseason All-Conference (2nd team)

TOP PERFORMANCES

100-YARD RUSHING PERFORMANCES

Tommy Ansley (2 career | 1 in 2026)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
118	vs. Tennessee State	11/8/25	W, 26-7
118	vs. Chicago State	9/5/26	W, 42-7

Chris Franklin (2 career | 1 in 2026)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
111	vs. Tennessee State	11/8/25	W, 26-7
104	vs. Lindenwood	11/14/26	W, 38-31

Jaydon Peete (1 career | 1 in 2026)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
104	vs. Lindenwood	11/14/26	W, 38-31

MULTIPLE RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

Tommy Ansley (2 career | 2 in 2026)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
3	vs. Chicago State	9/5/26	W, 42-7
2	vs. Central Arkansas	8/27/26	L, 36-24

Chris Franklin (3 career | 3 in 2026)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
2	vs. Chicago State	9/5/26	W, 42-7
2	at Tennessee State	10/10/26	W, 42-28
2	vs. Eastern Illinois	10/31/26	L, 45-16

Jaydon Peete (1 career | 1 in 2026)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
2	at Western Illinois	10/24/26	L, 55-28

100-YARD RECEIVING PERFORMANCES

Deuce Oliver (1 career | 1 in 2026)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
119	at Western Illinois	10/24/26	L, 55-28

Phaizon Wilson (1 career | 0 in 2026)

Yds	Opponent	Date	Score
120	vs. Charleston Southern	11/15/25	W, 17-14

DOUBLE-DIGITAL TACKLE PERFORMANCES

Trey Cotton (1 career | 1 in 2026)

TK	Opponent	Date	Score
10	at West Virginia	9/12/26	L, 52-7

Zamaryion Farmer-McCray (1 career | 0 in 2026)

TK	Opponent	Date	Score
10	vs. Western Illinois	10/11/25	W, 32-31

Quincy Hamilton (1 career | 1 in 2026)

TK	Opponent	Date	Score
12	vs. Lindenwood	11/14/26	W, 38-31

Jamarcus Smith (1 career | 1 in 2026)

TK	Opponent	Date	Score
10	vs. Central Arkansas	8/27/26	L, 36-24

MULTI-SACK PERFORMANCES

Malik Brown (1 career | 1 in 2026)

TK	Opponent	Date	Score
2.0	at No. 11 Austin Peay	9/26/26	L, 35-12

NCAA LEADERS

SKYHAWKS IN THE NATIONAL RANKINGS

›› UT Martin ranks in the top-25 nationally in six different team and four individual categories.

NCAA Team Statistic	*NCAA Rank*	*OVC Rank*	*Value*
Defensive TDs	1	1	5
Time of Possession	6	1	32:52
Net Punting	10	1	40.49
Blocked Kicks	19	2	3
Passes Intercepted	20	3	11
Punt Returns	23	2	13.33

Individual Statistic	*Player*	*NCAA Rank*	*OVC Rank*	*Value*
Blocked Kicks	Wilson	2	1	2
Punting	Zuluaga	2	1	47.1
Fumbles Recovered	Castleberry	11	2	2
Field Goal Percentage	Sims	15	1	83.3

QUICK HITS



SGT. YORK TROPHY CHAMPIONS

›› For the 12th time in program history, UT Martin claimed the annual Sgt. York Trophy after picking up a 42-28 road win over Tennessee State. The contest marked the first head-to-head showdown in the 20th annual Sgt. York Trophy Series.

›› UT Martin has claimed the Sgt. York Trophy 12 times overall and boasts a 39-15 record in the series. The Skyhawks have won outright or shared the traveling trophy in 2010, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2026.

BATTLE FOR THE VOLUNTEER STATE

›› Football has been a storied part of the state of Tennessee's history for decades. Dating back to the 2021 season, UT Martin ranks third in the state (including all Division I universities) in winning percentage at 64.2 percent. The Skyhawks are 27-11 against in-state foes since 2014.

Best Winning Percentage in Tennessee Since 2021

Rank	*Team*	*Record*	*%*
1.	Tennessee	53-22	70.7
2.	Memphis	50-24	67.6
3.	**UT Martin**	**45-26**	**63.4**
4.	Austin Peay	41-28	59.4
5.	Chattanooga	40-30	57.1
6.	Tennessee Tech	38-31	55.1
7.	ETSU	38-32	54.3
8.	Tennessee State	29-39	42.6
9.	Vanderbilt	30-42	41.7
10.	Middle Tennessee	30-42	41.7

UT MARTIN PICKED TO WIN OVC

›› After winning four of the last five conference championships, the Skyhawks are tabbed to return to a championship level in 2026 after being picked to first in the OVC's annual preseason poll. The Skyhawks received 47 total points and six of eight first place votes.

Preseason Predicted Order of Finish

1. **UT Martin (6 first-place votes) - 47**
2. Southeast Missouri (1) - 38
3. Lindenwood (1) - 37
4. Gardner-Webb - 30
5. Charleston Southern - 26
6. Western Illinois - 23
7. Eastern Illinois - 14
8. Tennessee State - 9

TENNESSEE TOUGH, #MARTINMADE

›› 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 28-12 record against in-state foes - including a 27-9 record against in-state FCS opponents.

BACK IN THE OVC

›› This marks a return to the OVC identity for the football brand. The return to the OVC identity follows three successful years of partnership with the Big South Conference from 2023-2025.



PEETE NAMED OVC ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

›› Coming of a career-best performance against Western Illinois, freshman running back Jaydon Peete was named OVC Rookie of the Week. Peete scored a career-best two touchdowns on just eight total carries with tallying 15 rushing yards and adding a four-yard reception at Western Illinois.

CONFERENCE WIN NO. 100

›› After 21 seasons at the helm of the Skyhawks, UT Martin head coach Jason Simpson became just the third coach in Ohio Valley Conference history to reach 100 conference victories with the team's win over Tennessee State on Oct. 10. Simpson joins College Football Hall of Famers Roy Kidd (207) and Boots Donnelly (102) in this select company and sits just one conference win away from second place all-time.



BLOCK THAT KICK

›› After leading the FCS with eight blocked kicks in 2025, the Skyhawks picked up right where they left off by ranking 17th in the nation with three blocked kicks this season. **Chris Wilson** kicked off the season with two blocked kicks in the season opener against Central Arkansas to tie the program single game record with Toby Camp (2025) and Dean Wathen (2010) for most blocked kicks in a single game. Then against Gardner-Webb, **Andre Morris Jr.** blocked a PAT.

TOUGH ROAD STRETCH

›› After starting the season with back-to-back home games for the first time since 2002, UT Martin hit the road for a grueling four-game stretch. The Skyhawks traveled to Big 12 foe West Virginia (Sept. 5), Memphis (Sept. 12), Austin Peay (Sept. 26) and Tennessee State (Oct. 10), going 1-3 on the road trip. The four-game road trip was the longest regular season stretch since 1993.

INTERCEPTION TRIO (AGAIN)

›› For the second straight week, the Skyhawks defense forced the action with three interceptions against Gardner-Webb. **Jamal Mayers** recorded interceptions in back-to-back weeks while **Reginald Allen Jr.** and **Ant Fisher** added their first interceptions of the season in the home victory. This marked the first time that the Skyhawks had recorded three or more interceptions in back-to-back games in the program's Division I history.

QUICK **HITS**

MUSIC CITY COMEBACK

›› With UT Martin facing a two touchdown deficit in the first quarter, the Skyhawks rallied to score 28 unanswered points and take control of the game against Tennessee State. The Skyhawks used the ground attack to rush for four touchdowns while forcing four turnovers in the victory - including a pair of defensive touchdowns via a 97-yard fumble return by **Farand Washington** and a 23-yard interception return by **Joel Castleberry**.

POUNDING THE GROUND ATTACK

›› With rain sprinkling Nissan Stadium, the Skyhawks went ground and pound against Tennessee State. UT Martin rushed for 193 net yards while finding the endzone four times by three different individuals. **Chris Franklin** led the team with 93 yards and a pair of touchdowns while **Jaydon Peete** rushed for 79 yards in the win. **Makhia Sherrard** (34 yards) and **Tate Surber** (8 yards) also recorded rushing touchdowns.

WHAT CAN BROWN DO FOR YOU?

›› Junior outside linebacker **Malik Brown** put the Skyhawks on the board on the opening defensive drive against Austin Peay by recording a 13-yard sack in the endzone for a sack. While finishing with 2.0 sacks for a total of 22 yards against the Governors, Brown tallied the first defensive safety for the squad (omitting special teams), since 2024 against North Alabama.



SURBER NAMED OVC ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

›› Redshirt-freshman quarterback **Tate Surber** picked up his first weekly honor of his career by being named OVC Rookie of the Week after his performance against No. 11 ranked Austin Peay. He completed 20-of-27 pass attempts for 175 yars and a touchdown - including completing 11-of-12 pass attempts in the first half.

BETTS WITH THE SCOOP AND SCORE

›› Skyhawk outside linebacker **John Betts III** played a botched handoff perfectly against West Virginia, scooping up a fumble and returning it six yards for a touchdown. The fumble return marked the first returned for a touchdown since Daylan Dotson recovered a fumble in the endzone against Houston Christian in 2022.

DIPPING INTO THE TRANSFER PORTAL

›› The Skyhawks added to a veteran return group this offseason by dipping into the transfer portal and acquiring talent. UT Martin welcomes in 14 FBS/FCS transfers including **Dawson Adams-Grenier** (Campbell), **Ololade Adeduro** (Robert Morris), **Reginald Allen, Jr.** (Bryant), **Greg Ard** (Boise State), **Jamauri Brice** (Georgia Tech), **Ryan Donnelly** (Drake), **Rasheen Duncan** (Morgan State), **Ant Fisher** (NC Central), **Travis Gray** (New Mexico), **Connie Hewitt II** (Liberyt), **Justin Kowalak** (Ole Miss), **Porter Reynolds** (Northern Arizona), **Jamarcus Smith** (Illinois State) and **Bryan Wallace** (Southern).

SKYHAWKS RUSH FOR SIX TOUCHDOWNS

›› UT Martin had no problem finding the endzone in the team's win over Chicago State, pounding the ground game and punching in six rushing touchdowns in the 35-point victory. Trio of running backs Tommy Ansley (three), Chris Franklin (two) and Jaydon Peete (one) combined for the six scores. The game ranks tied for the fifth most rushing touchdowns in a single game.

Most Rushing TDs Scored

TDs	*Opponent*	*Date*
9	vs. Bethel	Sept. 7, 1995
7	vs. Murray State	Nov. 10, 2007
7	Concordia	Sept. 11, 2008
7	Kentucky Wesleyan	Sept. 13, 2001
6	at Murray State	Oct. 8, 2022
6	vs. Chicago State	Sept. 5, 2026
5	11 times	

RUSHING TOUCHDOWN TRIFECTA

›› Skyhawk running back **Tommy Ansley** found the endzone three times in the team's win over Chicago State. Ansley joins a list of 14 individuals in UT Martin's record book to tally three or more rushing touchdowns on 23 occasions.

Three Touchdown Performances

Player	*Times*	*Player*	*Times*
Don Chapman	6	Dwayne McKinney	1
Zak Wallace	3	Jason McNair	1
Sam Franklin	2	Patrick Smith	1
Miguel Barnes	2	Abou Toure	1
Tommy Ansley	**1**	Brady Wahlberg	1
Bobby Fowler*	1	Brandyn Young	1
Errol Hook	1	*According to available data	
Cedric Hosea	1		

ZULUAGA PEPPERS THE MOUNTAINEERS

›› Punter **Max Zuluaga** had a big day in the team's matchup against West Virginia by booting four punts for an average of 53.2 yards per punt. That average ranks as the third-highest single-game punt average in program history. His best attempt came on a booming 68-yard punt which ranked just outside the program's top-10.



DUO NAMED OVC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

›› After an impressive showing against Chicago State, the UT Martin duo of running back **Tommy Ansley** (Offensive) and linebacker **Reginald Allen Jr.** (Defensive) garnered respective OVC Player of the Week honors.

›› Ansley posted the best game of his Skyhawk career by tallying 16 carries while setting new career highs in rushing yards (118) and touchdowns (three). He became the 14th player in program history to rush for three or more touchdowns. in a contest and the first since 2024.

›› Allen has made a big impact by leading the Skyhawks with eight total tackles in the team's win over Chicago State, recording three solo stops. He also notched 1.5 tackles for loss.

OVC **LEADERS**

UTM IN THE LEAGUE RANKINGS

›› The Skyhawks enter their Week 10 matchup ranked in the top-three of the league standings in 17 statistical categories as a team and top-five in 15 individual categories.

Team Statistic	Rank	Value
Defensive Touchdowns	1	5
Net Punting	1	40.49
3rd Down Conversion Percentage	1	0.387
Time of Possession	1	32:52
Completion Percentage	2	0.612
Blocked Kicks	2	3
4th Down Conversion Percentage Defense	2	0.438
Punt Returns	2	13.33
Rushing Offense	2	174.2
Sacks Allowed	2	1.36
Tackles for Loss Allowed	2	4.45
Redzone Offense	3	0.833
Fewest Penalty Yards	3	591
Fewest Penalty Yards per Game	3	53.73
Passes Intercepted	3	11
Punt Return Defense	3	8.1
Total Offense	3	339.5

Individual Statistic	Player	Rank	Value
Punting	Zuluaga	1	47.1
Blocked Kicks	Wilson	1	2
Fumbles Recovered	Castleberry	2	2
Completion Percentage	Surber	2	0.630
Completions Per Game	Surber	2	16.0
Rush Yards Per Carry	Franklin	3	4.77
Rushing Yards	Franklin	3	715
Rushing Yards Per Game	Franklin	3	65.0
Rushing Touchdowns	Franklin	4	7
Field Goals Per Game	Sims	5	0.91
Passing Yards Per Game	Surber	5	156.0
Scoring	Sims	5	5.5
Total Offense	Surber	5	169.1
Total Points Scored	Sims	5	61
Total Touchdowns	Franklin	5	7

ACADEMIC **HONORS**

THE GRADUATES

›› Nine players on the 2026 UT Martin roster have already received bachelor's degrees:

- Julian Calvez
- Kaleb Costner
- Dolapo Egunjobi
- Travis Gray
- Keyshaun Pipkin
- AJ Robinson, Jr.
- Makhia Sherrard
- Garrett Smith
- Kaleb Washington

OVC MEDAL OF HONOR

›› Skyhawk running back **Tommy Ansley** became the first player to garner an OVC Medal of Honor award since 2020-21 after posting a perfect 4.00 grade point average for the 2025-26 season. Ansley was one of 33 Skyhawks to achieve the benchmark.

OVC COMMISSIONER'S HONOR ROLL

›› There were nine UT Martin representatives on the Ohio Valley Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll for the 2025-26 academic year, including current team members **Tommy Ansley**, **Joel Castleberry** (two-time), **Duston Chavis**, **Bryce Dailey**, **Eric Lane**, **Jordan Lee**, **AJ Robinson, Jr.** (two-time) and **Broderick Tommie, Jr.** Team members had to possess at least a 3.25 GPA for the previous school year to be eligible.

ALPHABETICAL **ROSTER**

No.	Name	Pos.
87	Dawson Adams-Grenier	TE
82	Ololade Adeduro	TE
22	Moses Adelowo	RB
98	Fungani Aho	DL
99	Baasel Al-Absi	DL
8	Reginald Allen, Jr.	LB
56	Khaleel Annunziata	OL
39	Tommy Ansley	RB
9	Greg Ard	RB
16	Jordan Beasley	RB
42	John Betts III	JACK
43	LaMarcus Blackman	RB
66	Aden Bonner	OL
29	Carter Boothe	CB
37	Braylen Bowling	LB
85	Jaren Bowling	TE
36	Jaden Boyd	CB
15	Jamauri Brice	WR
43	Malik Brown	JACK
18	Kannon Burroughs	QB
4	Julian Calvez	QB
11	Anthony Carter	WR
3	Joel Castleberry	S
46	Kennarius Chandler	LB
38	Cy Charles	CB
23	Duston Chavis	DL
13	CJ Cobbins	CB
0	Kaleb Costner	TE
5	Trey Cotton	S
75	Logan Crouch	OL
47	Patrick Crump, Jr.	LB
41	Bryce Dailey	JACK
24	Christopher Damron	WR
35	Braylin Dearmon	LB
86	Ryan Donnelly	TE
96	Rasheen Duncan	DL
19	Luke Dyer	QB
64	Dolapo Egunjobi	OL
40	Jorge Escobar-Moreno	S
73	Ethan Eubanks	OL
4	Zamaryion Farmer-McCray	S
14	Ant Fisher	CB
74	Hayes Formby	OL
2	Chris Franklin	RB
10	Aidan Glover	WR
40	Simeon Graham	LB
71	Travis Gray	OL
30	Jack Greenwood, Jr.	S
63	Matt Hagemann	OL
22	Quincy Hamilton	S
94	RJ Harrison	DL
88	Connie Hewitt II	TE
45	Tyson Hornbuckle	LB
89	Jack Irwin	WR
27	Cameron Jackson	WR
90	Jordyn Jackson	DT
52	Blaine Johnson	LS
95	Daveon Johnson	DT
62	Xavier Johnson	OL
79	Christopher Jones	OL
20	Brylan Jordan	LB
21	Demarie Jordan	LB
81	Donteze Joy	WR
50	Hayden King	LS
61	Jackson Kirby	OL
12	Justin Kowalak	QB
49	Carter Kolesar	K
55	Eric Lane	OL
21	Jordan Lee	S
78	Santiago Macias	OL
10	Jamal Mayers	CB
31	Trey McGaffee	CB
83	AJ McNeil	WR
80	Isaac Moore	WR

NUMERICAL **ROSTER**

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
0	Kaleb Costner	TE	6-3	245	Gr.	Daytona Beach, Fla. / Stetson
0	Jamarcus Smith	LB	6-1	225	R-Jr.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. / Illinois State
1	Deuce Oliver	WR	5-10	150	R-So.	Alabaster, Ala. / Thompson HS
2	LaMarion Pierce	CB	6-0	180	R-Sr.	Lewisburg, Tenn. / Marshall County HS
2	Chris Franklin	RB	5-11	195	R-Jr.	Little Rock, Ark. / Parkview HS
3	Joel Castleberry	S	6-0	180	R-Jr.	Cleveland, Ohio / St. Edward HS
3	Kaleb Washington	WR	6-1	200	Gr.	Charlotte, NC / Winston-Salem State
4	Julian Calvez	QB	6-3	195	Gr.	Orlando, Fla. / Grambling State
4	Zamaryion Farmer-McCray	S	6-0	180	R-So.	Ocala, Fla. / Vanguard HS
5	Trey Cotton	S	6-1	190	So.	Louisville, Ky. / Christian Academy of Louisville
5	Phaizon Wilson	WR	6-4	210	R-Sr.	Rochester, NY / Akron
6	Keyshaun Pipkin	WR	6-2	210	Gr.	Indianapolis, Ind. / Northern Illinois
7	Makhia Sherrard	WR	5-11	175	Gr.	Elizabethtown, Ky. / Lindsay Wilson
8	Reginald Allen, Jr.	LB	6-2	215	R-Jr.	Palatka, Fla. / Bryant
8	Tate Surber	QB	6-3	200	R-Fr.	McKenzie, Tenn. / McKenzie HS
9	Greg Ard	RB	5-10	185	R-Fr.	New Orleans, La. / Boise State
10	Aidan Glover	WR	6-4	210	R-So.	Olive Branch, Miss. / Northwest Mississippi CC
10	Jamal Mayers	CB	5-10	170	R-Jr.	Madison, Ala. / James Clemens HS
11	Anthony Carter	WR	6-0	170	R-So.	Lawrenceville, Ga. / South Gwinnett HS
11	Porter Reynolds	LB	6-1	230	R-So.	Queen Creek, Ariz. / Northern Arizona
12	Justin Kowalak	QB	6-0	205	R-Jr.	Crystal Lake, Ill. / Ole Miss
13	CJ Cobbins	CB	5-11	165	R-So.	Springfield, Tenn. / Springfield HS
14	Ant Fisher	CB	5-11	180	R-Jr.	Richmond, Va. / NC Central
15	Tre'Marcus Webb	CB	5-9	170	Jr.	Montgomery, Ala. / Northeast Mississippi CC
15	Jamauri Brice	WR	5-10	190	R-Fr.	Cartersville, Ga. / Georgia Tech
16	Jordan Beasley	RB	6-0	185	R-So.	Cedartown, Ga. / Bowdon HS
16	Farand Washington	CB	6-0	175	R-Jr.	St. Louis, Mo. / William Jewell College
17	Wendell Smith	CB	6-0	160	R-So.	Detroit, Mich. / Wayne State
18	Kannon Burroughs	QB	6-3	200	Fr.	Nashville, Tenn. / Green Hills HS
19	Luke Dyer	QB	6-2	200	R-Fr.	Mahomet, Ill. / Mahomet-Seymour HS
19	Nissi Mukulu	S	6-1	195	Jr.	Lawrenceville, Ga. / Mars Hill
20	Brylan Jordan	LB	6-1	215	Sr.	Birmingham, Ala. / Bethel
20	Jaydon Peete	RB	5-8	190	Fr.	Milan, Tenn. / Milan HS
21	Demarie Jordan	LB	6-0	205	Jr.	Griffin, Ga. / Georgia Military College
21	Jordan Lee	S	6-0	200	R-So.	Hendersonville, Tenn. / Beech HS
22	Moses Adelowo	RB	6-2	215	R-Fr.	Aubrey, Texas / Braswell HS
22	Quincy Hamilton	S	6-0	185	R-Jr.	Martin, Tenn. / Westview HS
23	Duston Chavis	DL	6-3	260	R-Jr.	Clarksville, Tenn. / Bethel
24	Christopher Damron	WR	5-10	170	Fr.	Martin, Tenn. / Westview HS
25	Cameron Powell	S	6-0	190	R-So.	Ocala, Fla. / Western Michigan
26	AJ Robinson, Jr.	S	5-10	190	Gr.	Memphis, Tenn. / Whitehaven HS
27	Cameron Jackson	WR	6-0	160	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. / Whitehaven HS
27	Jawell Rodgers	CB	6-0	180	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. / Lausanne Collegiate
28	Cam Robertson	S	6-1	205	R-Sr.	Memphis, Tenn. / Whitehaven HS
29	Carter Boothe	CB	5-11	165	Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. / Germantown HS
30	Jack Greenwood, Jr.	S	6-1	175	Fr.	Richmond, Texas / Fort Bend Travis HS
31	Trey McGaffee	CB	5-10	155	Fr.	Murfreesboro, Tenn. / Blackman HS
32	Stefan Ponder	LB	6-0	215	R-Jr.	Nashville, Tenn. / Father Ryan HS
34	Max Zuluaga	P	6-0	225	R-So.	Madison, Miss. / Trinity Valley CC
35	Braylin Dearmon	LB	6-4	215	Fr.	Huntingdon, Tenn. / Huntingdon HS
36	Jaden Boyd	CB	6-0	170	R-Fr.	Middleburg, Fla. / Middleburg HS
37	Braylen Bowling	LB	6-1	205	R-Fr.	Carmel, Ind. / Brebeuf Jesuit Prep
37	Brandon Sims	K/P	6-0	190	So.	Jacksonville, Ill. / Jacksonville HS
38	Cy Charles	CB	6-0	170	R-So.	Racine, Wis. / College of DuPage
38	Rory Rush	RB	5-9	185	So.	Millington, Tenn. / Millington HS
39	Tommy Ansley	RB	6-1	220	Jr.	Palm Desert, Calif. / College of the Desert
40	Jorge Escobar-Moreno	S	6-0	190	R-Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio / Lackawanna College
40	Simeon Graham	LB	6-4	220	Fr.	Jackson, Tenn. / South Side HS
41	Bryce Dailey	JACK	6-4	215	R-Sr.	Memphis, Tenn. / Christian Brothers HS
42	John Betts III	JACK	6-2	225	So.	Atlanta, Ga. / Coffeyville CC
43	LaMarcus Blackman	RB	5-9	185	R-So.	Clarksville, Tenn. / Kenwood HS
43	Malik Brown	JACK	6-3	240	R-So.	Birmingham, Ala. / Bethel
45	Tyson Hornbuckle	LB	6-1	220	R-Jr.	Paris, Tenn. / Bethel
46	Kennarius Chandler	LB	6-2	230	Jr.	Kankakee, Ill. / Olivet Nazarene
46	Stafford Roditis	K/P	5-11	180	R-So.	McKenzie, Tenn. / Bethel
47	Patrick Crump, Jr.	LB	6-0	205	Fr.	Corinth, Miss. / Corinth HS
48	Alex Nolen	K/P	5-10	175	R-Jr.	Alamo, Tenn. / Crockett County HS
49	Carter Kolesar	K	5-10	170	So.	Tehachapi, Calif. / Bakersfield College
50	Hayden King	LS	5-10	230	R-Jr.	Dickson, Tenn. / Creek Wood HS
51	Chris Wilson	DE	6-3	260	R-So.	Sylacauga, Ala. / B.B. Comer Memorial HS
52	Blaine Johnson	LS	6-2	200	Fr.	Franklin, Tenn. / Centennial HS
54	Andre Morris, Jr.	DL	6-4	305	R-Jr.	Tampa, Fla. / Iowa Central
55	Eric Lane	OL	6-3	315	R-Sr.	Mobile, Ala. / Coffeyville CC
56	Khaleel Annunziata	OL	6-6	285	R-Fr.	Atlanta, Ga. / Berkmar HS

NUMERICAL **ROSTER**

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
61	Jackson Kirby	OL	6-2	280	Fr.	Covington, Tenn. / Covington HS
62	Xavier Johnson	OL	6-5	340	Fr.	Nashville, Tenn. / East Nashville Magnet
63	Matt Hagemann	OL	6-5	315	R-Fr.	Lawrenceburg, Tenn. / Lawrence County HS
64	Dolapo Egunjobi	OL	6-5	320	Gr.	Winnipeg, Manitoba / North Dakota
66	Aden Bonner	OL	6-2	295	R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. / Memphis East HS
68	Garrett Smith	OL	6-3	305	Gr.	Portland, Tenn. / Portland HS
70	Andrew Smithberger	OL	6-5	290	Jr.	Tampa, Fla. / Tampa Bay Tech HS
71	Travis Gray	OL	6-6	325	Gr.	Aurora, Colo. / New Mexico
73	Ethan Eubanks	OL	6-7	275	R-Fr.	Oak Ridge, Tenn. / Oak Ridge HS
74	Hayes Formby	OL	6-4	270	Fr.	Tuscaloosa, Ala. / Northridge HS
75	Logan Crouch	OL	6-6	330	R-Sr.	Tullahoma, Tenn. / Tullahoma HS
76	Bryan Wallace	OL	6-6	335	R-So.	Miami, Fla. / Southern
77	Riley Turner	OL	6-5	310	R-So.	Tuscaloosa, Ala. / American Christian Academy
78	Santiago Macias	OL	6-6	315	So.	Chula Vista, Calif. / San Diego Mesa College
79	Christopher Jones	OL	6-5	295	So.	Washington, D.C. / Lackawanna College
80	Isaac Moore	WR	6-2	185	So.	Camden, Tenn. / Camden Central HS
81	Donteze Joy	WR	6-1	190	Fr.	Martin, Tenn. / Westview HS
82	Ololade Adeduro	TE	6-4	255	R-So.	Calabasas, Calif. / Robert Morris
83	AJ McNeil	WR	6-1	180	R-Fr.	Carrollton, Ga. / Carrollton HS
84	Jayden Phipps	WR	5-10	165	Fr.	Wellington, Fla. / Palm Beach Central HS
85	Jaren Bowling	TE	6-4	230	R-Jr.	Carmel, Ind. / Brebeuf Jesuit HS
86	Ryan Donnelly	TE	6-3	280	R-Fr.	Palatine, Ill. / Drake
87	Dawson Adams-Grenier	TE	6-4	240	R-Sr.	Redondo Beach, Calif. / Campbell
88	Connie Hewitt II	TE	6-3	250	R-So.	Murfreesboro, Tenn. / Liberty
89	Jack Irwin	WR	5-8	165	R-So.	Monroe, Wash. / Monroe HS
90	Jordyn Jackson	DT	6-3	270	R-Fr.	Hueytown, Ala. / Hueytown HS
91	Na'Devean Sears	DL	6-3	230	R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn. / Craigmont HS
93	Broderick Tommie, Jr.	NT	6-3	280	R-Jr.	Marietta, Ga. / Marietta HS
94	RJ Harrison	DL	6-5	225	R-Jr.	Washington, D.C. / Shippensburg
95	Daveon Johnson	DT	6-3	255	R-Fr.	Jackson, Tenn. / Jackson Central Merry HS
96	Rasheen Duncan	DL	6-3	315	So.	Millersville, Md. / Morgan State
98	Fungani Aho	DL	6-5	260	R-Fr.	Pelehake, Tonga / Donelson Christian Academy
99	Baasel Al-Absi	DL	6-2	265	Fr.	Trussville, Ala. / Hewitt-Trussville HS

ALPHABETICAL **ROSTER**

No.	Name	Pos.
54	Andre Morris, Jr.	DL
19	Nissi Mukulu	S
48	Alex Nolen	K/P
1	Deuce Oliver	WR
20	Jaydon Peete	RB
84	Jayden Phipps	WR
2	LaMarion Pierce	CB
6	Keyshaun Pipkin	WR
32	Stefan Ponder	LB
25	Cameron Powell	S
11	Porter Reynolds	LB
28	Cam Robertson	S
26	AJ Robinson, Jr.	S
27	Jawell Rodgers	CB
46	Stafford Roditis	K/P
38	Rory Rush	RB
91	Na'Devean Sears	DL
7	Makhia Sherrard	WR
37	Brandon Sims	K/P
68	Garrett Smith	OL
0	Jamarcus Smith	LB
17	Wendell Smith	CB
70	Andrew Smithberger	OL
8	Tate Surber	QB
93	Broderick Tommie, Jr.	NT
77	Riley Turner	OL
76	Bryan Wallace	OL
16	Farand Washington	CB
3	Kaleb Washington	WR
15	Tre'Marcus Webb	CB
51	Chris Wilson	DE
5	Phaizon Wilson	WR
34	Max Zuluaga	P

COACHING **STAFF**

Coaching Staff

Head Coach: Jason Simpson (Southern Miss, 1995), 21st season
Assoc. Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator: Kevin Bannon (UT Martin, 2009), 14th season
Asst. Head Coach/Co-Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Line: Rudy Griffin (Alabama, 2005), Third season
Co-Defensive Coordinator/Special Teams Coordinator/Inside Linebackers: TJ Jefferson (UT Martin, 2019), Sixth season
Co-Offensive Coordinator: Danny Modelski (Illinois College, 2017), Third season
Pass Game Coordinator/Wide Receivers: Nick Cochran (Alabama, 2017), Third season
Cornerbacks: Antonio Clifton (UT Martin, 2019), Eighth season
Offensive Line/Tight Ends: Nate Stout (Tennessee Tech, 2017), Third season
Safeties: Brandon Frase (Kent State, 2018), First season
Running Backs: Hunter Kendall (UT Martin, 2023), Fifth season
Quarterbacks: Dresser Winn (UT Martin, 2021), First season
Offensive Analyst/Assisting Offensive Line: Kevin Bradley (UT Martin, 2025), First season
Offensive Analyst/Assisting Running Backs: Bryse Carlton (Mississippi State, 2025), Second season
Offensive Analyst/Assisting Tight Ends: Ethan Piercy (South Carolina, 2022), First season
Defensive Analyst/Assisting Safeties & Special Teams: Jordan Castleberry (Akron, 2024), First season
Defensive Analyst/Assisting Linebackers: Chris Hunter, Jr. (UT Martin, 2024), First season
Defensive Analyst/Assisting Defensive Backs: George Steele (Northern Arizona, 2023), Second season

Support Staff

Chief of Staff: Chris Bell
Director of Player Personnel/Defensive Analyst: Lenon James
Head Coach for Strength & Conditioning: Tyson Gale
Asst. Strength & Conditioning: Tony Lester
Strength & Conditioning Graduate Assistant: Toby Camp
Associate Athletic Director for Sports Medicine: Bart Belew
Senior Associate Athletic Trainer: Nelson Davis
Associate Athletic Director for External Operations/Football SID: Alex Boggis
Equipment Manager: Josh Ferguson
Video Coordinator: Robbie Morgan
Director of Creative Content: Riley Thompson

PRONUNCIATION **GUIDE**

Ololade Adeduro ..... (oh-loh-LAH-day ah-day-DOO-roh)
Moses Adelowo ..... (Add-a-low-WHOA)
Fungani Aho ..... (foon-GAH-nee AH-ho)
Baasel Al-Absi ..... (Bass-ill All-obb-see)
Khaleel Annunziata ..... (Kuh-LEEL Ah-nun-ZEE-uh-tuh)
Duston Chavis ..... (Chay-viss)
Dolapo Egunjobi ..... (DOE-lop-O Egg-un-JOE-be)
Zamaryion Farmer-McCray ..... (Zuh-marr-E-on)
Aidan Glover ..... (A-den)
Matt Hagemann ..... (HAG-min)
Daveon Johnson ..... (Day-VEE-on)
Brylan Jordan ..... (Bry-lin)
Demarie Jordan ..... (Duh-mar-ee)
Donteze Joy ..... (Dawn-tezz)
Justin Kowalak ..... (Co-wall-ack)
Santiago Macias ..... (San-tee-ah-go Mah-see-us)
Nissi Mukulu ..... (NEE-see moo-KOO-loo)
LaMarion Pierce ..... (Luh-MAR-ee-on)
Stefan Ponder ..... (Steff-ann Pond-er)
Jawell Rodgers ..... (Jah-well)
Stafford Roditis ..... (Row-DIE-tiss)
Na'Devean Sears ..... (Nuh-DAY-vee-on)
Makhia Sherrard ..... (Muh-Ky-uh Sherr-ard)
Tate Surber ..... (Sir-burr)
Farand Washington ..... (Fair-and)
Phaizon Wilson ..... (Fay-ZAHN)
Max Zuluaga ..... (Zoo-loo-Ah-guh)

BY THE **NUMBERS**

- **Overall:** 135-104 (.565)
- **Conf. Play:** 103-54 (.656) **| Non-Conf:** 27-46 (.370)
- **Home:** 77-29 **| Away:** 58-76
- **Conference Titles:** Five (2006, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024)
- **Postseason:** Three (2006, 2021, 2024)

SIMPSON **AT A GLANCE**

Simpson's **135** wins lead all active head coaches in the OVC and marks the most wins in UT Martin history

135

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In his **21**st season at the helm of the Skyhawks, Jason Simpson is the longest tenured head coach in the OVC

Jason Simpson's 103 career conference victories rank **second** 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
- 135-104 in 21 seasons
- OVC Championship (2006, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024)
- Won Sgt. York Trophy 12 times (2010, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26)
- Finished in the top half of the league 13 times
- Posted three runner-up finishes
- 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, 2023, 2024

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 (1st Round)
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	3-4	-
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	0-6	-
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	5-3	FCS Playoffs (2nd Round)
2022*	7-4	.600	5-0	1.000	T-1st	3-1	3-3	-
2023*	8-3	.727	5-1	.833	T-1st	5-0	3-3	
2024*	9-5	.643	6-2	.750	T-1st	4-2	5-3	FCS Playoffs (2nd Round)
2025	6-6	.500	6-2	.750	2nd	4-1	2-5	
2026	5-6	.454	4-2	.667	-	3-2	2-4	-
Total	**135-104**	**.565**	**103-54**	**.656**	**-**	**77-29**	**58-76**	

Jason Simpson enters his 21st season at the helm of the UT Martin football program in 2026 after transforming the Skyhawks into one of the most consistent and accomplished programs in the Football Championship Subdivision.

Since taking over the program in 2006, Simpson has compiled a 133-102 overall record while posting a remarkable 101-52 mark in conference play. His 133 career victories rank third in Ohio Valley Conference history, while his 101 league wins also stand third all-time behind legendary coaches Roy Kidd and Boots Donnelly.

Under Simpson's leadership, UT Martin has captured five conference championships, earned three FCS playoff berths, produced 45 All-Americans and developed nearly 200 all-conference performers. The Skyhawks have also defeated a pair of Football Bowl Subdivision opponents, knocking off Memphis in 2012 and Kennesaw State in 2024.

Simpson's tenure has produced the most successful sustained stretch in UT Martin's Division I history.

The Skyhawks have claimed conference championships in 2006, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024, including an unprecedented run of four consecutive titles from 2021-24. UT Martin became just the fifth program in OVC history to win at least four straight conference championships.

Six of the program's 10 eight-win seasons have come during Simpson's tenure, including each of UT Martin's six such campaigns at the FCS level.

His teams have also reached the FCS playoffs three times. UT Martin earned its first Division I postseason berth under Simpson in 2006 before returning to the playoffs in 2021 and 2024. The Skyhawks recorded the first two FCS playoff victories in school history during the latter two appearances.

The historic run has earned Simpson recognition among the nation's top coaches. He is a four-time finalist for the Eddie Robinson FCS Coach of the Year Award and a two-time OVC Roy Kidd Coach of the Year, earning the league's top coaching honor in 2006 and 2021. Simpson was also selected as the AFCA Region 3 Coach of the Year following his debut season in 2006.

The success of the Simpson era has represented a dramatic shift in UT Martin's standing within its conference.

The Skyhawks have won 99 conference games during his tenure after the program recorded just 20 OVC victories over its first 14 seasons as a league member. Likewise, Simpson has coached 187 all-conference selections after UT Martin totaled only 33 during its first 15 seasons in the OVC.

His program has produced 44 All-Americans, along with 81 first-team all-conference selections, 84 second-team honorees and 20 all-newcomer selections.

Among the major individual award winners developed during Simpson's tenure are OVC Offensive Players of the Year Don Chapman and Keon Howard, along with defensive standouts John H. Ford II and Keyshawn Johnson, who earned conference Defensive Player of the Year honors.

Aidan Laros was named the inaugural Big South-OVC Football Association Special Teams Player of the Year in 2023, while Chapman, John Bachus III and Sam Franklin each earned OVC Freshman of the Year accolades during their Skyhawk careers.

Two Skyhawks have been selected in the NFL Draft during his tenure. Defensive tackle Montori Hughes was selected by the Indianapolis Colts in the fifth round, while wide receiver Colton Dowell was chosen by the Tennessee Titans in the seventh round of the 2023 NFL Draft. Numerous other Skyhawks have earned opportunities with NFL organizations, including Rodney Williams II, Dresser Winn, Jeremy Butler, Joe Gibbs, Quentin Sims, Jaylon Moore and others. The program enjoyed a particularly noteworthy moment in 2023 when Dowell, Williams and Winn simultaneously held spots on NFL active rosters.

UT Martin has also enjoyed tremendous success against its in-state conference rivals during Simpson's tenure. The Skyhawks have won or shared the Sgt. Alvin C. York Trophy 11 times since the award was established in 2007. UT Martin captured the trophy in 2010 and shared the honor in 2012, 2018, 2019 and 2020 before winning outright in 2014, 2015, 2016, 2021, 2022 and 2023. UT Martin has established the best record in Sgt. York Trophy competition with a 37-14 all-time mark.

Prior to earning his first collegiate head coaching opportunity at UT Martin, Simpson built an extensive résumé as an assistant coach throughout the Southeast. He came to Martin after serving as offensive coordinator at Chattanooga, where he helped engineer the resurgence of the Mocs' program. Chattanooga finished 6-5 in 2005, recording its first winning season since 1997.

Before his stint at Chattanooga, Simpson coached quarterbacks and wide receivers while serving as recruiting coordinator at Texas State. He helped the Bobcats to a 7-4 record in 2000, their first winning season in a decade. Simpson also spent three seasons at Jacksonville State from 1997-99, working with quarterbacks and receivers while serving as passing game coordinator and assistant special teams coordinator. He was part of a staff that engineered one of the largest turnarounds in Division I football during the 1997 and 1998 seasons.

His collegiate coaching career began at Delta State, where he worked as a graduate assistant with the defensive backs after earning his bachelor's degree from Southern Miss in 1994. He also spent time as an assistant football coach and head baseball coach at Collins High School in Mississippi.

A native of Ellisville, Mississippi, Simpson originally signed with Mississippi State as a quarterback and spent two seasons with the Bulldogs football program. A talented two-sport athlete, he also played baseball for legendary Mississippi State head coach Ron Polk before transferring to Southern Miss in 1992. Simpson became a two-time all-conference baseball selection for the Golden Eagles and served as team captain during his senior season before earning his bachelor's degree in 1994.

Simpson and his wife, Julie, have three children — Ty, Emma and Graham. Their oldest son, Ty, played quarterback at Alabama, serving as a team captain and guiding the Crimson Tide to the College Football Playoff quarterfinals before being selected 13th overall by the Los Angeles Rams in the first round of the 2026 NFL Draft.

SKYHAWK **ASSISTANT COACHES**



KEVIN BANNON
Associate Head Coach
Offensive Coordinator/OL
14th Year



RUDY GRIFFIN
Assistant Head Coach
Co-Defensive Coordinator/DL
Third Year



TJ JEFFERSON
Co-Defensive Coordinator/LB
Special Teams Coordinator
Sixth Year



DANNY MODELSKI
Co-Offensive Coordinator
Quarterbacks
Third Year



NICK COCHRAN
Pass Game Coordinator
Wide Receivers
Third Year



ANTONIO CLIFTON
Cornerbacks
Eighth Year



NATE STOUT
Offensive Line/Tight Ends
Third Year



BRANDON FRASE
Safeties
First Year



HUNTER KENDALL
Running Backs
Fifth Year



DRESSER WINN
Quarterbacks
First Year

SIMPSON **VS. ALL OPPONENTS**

Arkansas	0-1
Auburn	0-1
Austin Peay	13-4
Baker	1-0
Bethel	1-0
Boise State	0-2
Central Arkansas	1-3
Charleston Southern	4-0
Chattanooga	2-1
Chicago State	1-0
Cincinnati	0-1
Clarion	1-0
Concordia	1-0
Cumberland	1-0
Eastern Illinois	14-5
Eastern Kentucky	5-8
Florida	0-1
Gardner-Webb	4-1
Georgia	0-1
Georgia State	0-1
Hawaii	0-1
Houston Christian	2-0
Iowa Wesleyan	1-0
Jacksonville State	5-11
Kansas State	0-1
Kennesaw State	1-1
Kentucky	0-2
Lambuth	1-0
Lindenwood	3-1
Memphis	1-3
Middle Tennessee	0-1
Mississippi State	0-2
Missouri	0-1
Missouri State	2-5
Montana State	0-2
Murray State	13-4
New Hampshire	1-0
North Alabama	2-0
Northern Illinois	0-1
Northwestern State	2-0
Ohio	0-1
Oklahoma State	0-1
Ole Miss	0-2
Samford	3-1
South Alabama	0-1
South Florida	0-1
Southeast Missouri	13-7
Southeastern Louisiana	1-1
Southern Illinois	0-3
Southern Miss	0-1
Tennessee	0-2
Tennessee State	14-6
Tennessee Tech	14-5
Union College	1-0
Urbana	1-0
UTEP	0-1
West Virginia	0-1
Western Illinois	3-1
Western Kentucky	0-1
Total	**135-104**

RECORD WHEN...

Home Record:	77-29
Road Record:	58-73
Conference Overall:	103-54
Conference Home:	59-23
Conference Road:	49-31
Ranked opponents:	14-30
Record in August:	3-5
Record in September:	40-42
Record in October:	49-27
Record in November:	40-25
Record in December:	0-2
Record in February:	0-1
Record in March:	2-2
Record in April:	1-1
Scoring First	94-27
Leading at half:	104-19
Trailing at half:	24-76
Tied at half:	7-6
Scores <20 Points:	17-55
Scores >20 Points:	123-50
Scores 30+ Points:	89-18
Scores 40+ Points:	48-4
Opponent Scores <20 Points:	77-10
Opponent Scores >20 Points:	57-95
Opponent Scores 30+ Points:	24-71
Opponent Scores 40+ Points:	4-40
Overtime record:	1-5
Record after a loss:	61-32
Longest winning streak:	9 (2021)
Longest losing streak:	6 (2007)

SERIES HISTORY WITH **SOUTHEAST MISSOURI**

SERIES HISTORY

- **Overall:** 21-20
- **In Martin:** 12-9
- **In Cape Girardeau:** 9-11
- **Active Streak:** W1
- **Simpson vs. Cape Girardeau:** 13-7
- **Simpson vs. Tom Matukewicz:** 6-6

LAST 10 MEETINGS (5-5)

Date	H/A/N	Result
10/8/66	A	W, 17-14
9/30/67	H	W, 39-0
10/20/84	H	W, 21-7
9/21/85	A	L, 57-17
9/20/86	H	L, 37-29
9/19/87	A	W, 25-13
9/7/91	H	W, 36-29
10/31/92	A	L, 37-13
9/25/93	H	W, 17-14
9/24/94	A	L, 10-0
10/28/95	H	L, 38-17
11/2/96	A	W, 7-6
9/27/97	H	L, 42-7
9/19/98	A	L, 41-14
10/30/99	H	L, 36-7
10/28/00	A	L, 34-14
10/6/01	A	L, 45-30
10/12/02	H	L, 50-35
11/1/03	H	L, 20-7
10/30/04	A	L, 35-7
11/5/05	H	W, 24-21
11/4/06	A	W, 28-14
10/27/07	H	W, 55-20
11/15/08	A	W, 31-21
9/26/09	H	W, 29-22
10/30/10	A	L, 24-17
10/29/11	H	W, 38-30
10/20/12	A	W, 27-17
9/28/13	A	W, 17-7
9/27/14	H	L, 31-27
11/21/15	A	W, 28-25
11/12/16	H	W, 24-10
11/4/17	A	W, 16-14
10/27/18	H	L, 56-33
10/26/19	A	L, 17-10
4/3/21	H	L, 21-16
10/23/21	H	W, 38-30
11/20/21	A	L, 31-14
11/11/23	H	W, 41-14
9/7/24	A	L, 45-42 (2OT)
9/27/25	H	W, 34-10

LAST MEETING OCT. 4, 2025

	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	7	0	3	0	10
UT MARTIN	14	7	3	10	34

TIME: 6 PM | HARDY GRAHAM STADIUM | MARTIN, TENN. | ATT: 6,769

ST. CHARLES, Mo. – Four-time defending OVC-Big South Football Association champion University of Tennessee at Martin opened its league schedule with a commanding 34-10 triumph against Southeast Missouri in front of 6,769 fans at Hardy Graham Stadium.

The Skyhawk offense nearly doubled up the visiting Redhawks in total offense, gaining 468 yards to Southeast Missouri's 239 yards. UT Martin scored a pair of touchdowns – including a 75-yard pass play on the first play of the game – in the first 2:16 and never trailed throughout the contest.

Jase Bauer was responsible for four combined touchdowns (two passing, two rushing) and became the first Skyhawk quarterback to rush for over 100 yards since UT Martin Hall of Famer Brady Wahlberg on Oct. 15, 2005. The redshirt senior out of Ankeny, Iowa ran 15 times for 107 yards and completed 15 of his 22 passes for 225 yards.

Bryce Bailey established career-highs in receptions (seven), receiving yards (135) and touchdowns (two) while Tommy Ansley finished with 99 rushing yards on a game-high 16 carries in his first career start for the Skyhawks.

Defensively, Jacob Stevenson led the way with eight tackles while adding three pass breakups and one interception - the first of his Skyhawk career. Outside linebacker Keyshawn Johnson posted a big day in the backfield as he tallied seven tackles and a team-high 2.5 tackles for loss while recording 2.0 total sacks. A dazzling interception by LaMarion Pierce highlighted the stat sheet for the fourth of his career while lese Puni racked up seven tackles, 1.5 TFLs and one forced fumble to pace a UT Martin defense that conceded just three points over the final 46:52 of clock time.

Cade Hechter drilled field goals from 31 and 27 yards out as part of a 10-point effort (4-for-4 PAT's) for the Skyhawks. Jaren Van Winkle booted four punts for an average of 41.2 yards to cap off a successful outing for the UT Martin special teams unit.

Coming off a Football Championship Subdivision playoff berth a year ago, the Redhawks were limited to 30 rushing yards. Brandon Epton, Jr. scored Southeast Missouri's lone touchdown late in the first quarter while Johnny Weber (87 passing yards) and Kalvin Gilbert (53 yards on three catches) secured team-highs in their respective statistical categories. Landon Sylvie (11 tackles) and Slade Dollar (10 tackles) paced the Redhawk defense.

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Jase Bauer	15	107	2	50
Tommy Ansley	16	99	0	16

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Jase Bauer	15-22-0	225	2	75

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Bryce Bailey	7	135	2	75
Chris Franklin	2	31	0	16

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Jacob Stevenson	2	6	8	1 INT
Keyshawn Johnson	3	4	7	2.5 TFL

›› SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Brandon Epton Jr	13	18	1	8
Patrick Heitert	5	13	0	10

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Johnny Weber	9-18-0	87	0	19

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Kalvin Gilbert	3	53	0	31
Jobe Bryant	3	29	0	19

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Landon Sylvie	8	3	11	-
Slade Dollar	5	5	10	1.0 TFL

SCORING SUMMARY

Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Score
1st	14:49	UTM - Bailey,Bryce 75 yd pass from Bauer,Jase (Hechter,Cade kick) 1 plays, 75 yards, TOP 00:11	0-7
1st	12:44	UTM - Bauer,Jase 7 yd run (Hechter,Cade kick), 3 plays, 20 yards, TOP 01:26	0-14
1st	01:52	SEM - Epton, Jr.,Brandon 4 yd run (Keller,Justin kick), 7 plays, 46 yards, TOP 01:29	7-14
2nd	03:33	UTM - Bailey,Bryce 21 yd pass from Bauer,Jase (Hechter,Cade kick) 10 plays, 86 yards, TOP 05:13	7-21
3rd	09:50	UTM - Hechter,Cade 31 yd field goal 8 plays, 67 yards, TOP 03:48	7-24
3rd	06:33	SEM - Keller,Justin 38 yd field goal 8 plays, 47 yards, TOP 03:09	10-24
4th	12:39	UTM - Hechter,Cade 27 yd field goal 11 plays, 56 yards, TOP 06:02	10-27
4th	02:53	UTM - Bauer,Jase 2 yd run (Hechter,Cade kick), 9 plays, 46 yards, TOP 06:08	10-34

SKYHAWK **DEPTH CHART**

OFFENSE **TWO-DEEP**

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
QUARTERBACK				
8	Tate Surber	6-3	200	R-Fr.
4	Julian Calvez	6-3	195	Gr.
RUNNING BACK				
2	Chris Franklin	5-11	195	R-Jr.
20	Jaydon Peete	5-8	190	Fr.
WIDE RECEIVER				
1	Deuce Oliver	5-10	150	R-So.
5	Phaizon Wilson	6-4	210	R-Sr.
WIDE RECEIVER				
6	Keyshaun Pipkin	6-2	210	Gr.
3	Kaleb Washington	6-1	200	Gr.
WIDE RECEIVER				
7	Makhia Sherrard	5-11	175	Gr.
11	Anthony Carter	6-0	170	R-So.
TIGHT END				
0	Kaleb Costner	6-3	245	Gr.
88	Connie Hewitt II	6-3	250	R-So.
LEFT TACKLE				
78	Santiago Macias	6-6	315	So.
77	Riley Turner	6-5	310	R-So.
LEFT GUARD				
75	Logan Crouch	6-6	330	R-Sr.
55	Eric Lane	6-3	315	R-Sr.
CENTER				
68	Garrett Smith	6-3	305	Gr.
70	Andrew Smithberger	6-5	290	Jr.
RIGHT GUARD				
64	Dolapo Egunjobi	6-5	320	R-Sr.
73	Ethan Eubanks	6-7	275	R-Fr.
RIGHT TACKLE				
70	Andrew Smithberger	6-5	290	Jr.
56	Khaleel Annunziata	6-6	285	R-Fr.

DEFENSE **TWO-DEEP**

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
DEFENSIVE END				
51	Chris Wilson	6-3	260	R-So.
95	Daveon Johnson	6-3	255	R-Fr.
NOSE TACKLE				
93	Broderick Tommie, Jr.	6-3	280	R-Jr.
96	Rasheen Duncan	6-3	315	So.
DEFENSIVE TACKLE				
23	Duston Chavis	6-3	260	R-Jr.
54	Andre Morris Jr.	6-4	305	R-Jr.
OUTSIDE LINEBACKER				
41	Bryce Dailey	6-4	215	R-Sr.
43	Malik Brown	6-3	240	Jr.
LINEBACKER				
46	Kennarius Chandler	6-2	230	Jr.
0	Jamarcus Smith	6-1	225	R-Jr.
LINEBACKER				
20	Brylan Jordan	6-1	215	Sr.
32	Stefan Ponder	6-0	215	R-Jr.
DEFENSIVE BACK (L)				
17	Wendell Smith	6-0	160	R-So.
13	CJ Cobbins	5-11	165	R-So.
ROVER				
4	Zamaryion Farmer-McCray	6-0	180	R-So.
19	Nissi Mukulu	6-1	195	Jr.
TIGER				
22	Quincy Hamilton	6-0	185	R-Jr.
28	Cam Robertson	6-1	205	R-Sr.
FREE SAFETY				
3	Joel Castleberry	6-0	180	R-Jr.
25	Cam Powell	6-0	190	R-So.
DEFENSIVE BACK (R)				
2	LaMarion Pierce	6-0	180	R-Sr
16	Farand Washington	6-0	175	R-Jr.

SPECIAL TEAMS **TWO-DEEP**

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
KICKOFF				
37	Brandon Sims	6-0	190	So.
48	Alex Nolen	5-10	175	R-Jr.
PLACE KICKER				
37	Brandon Sims	6-0	190	So.
48	Alex Nolen	5-10	175	R-Jr.
HOLDER				
34	Max Zuluaga	6-0	225	R-So.
39	Tommy Ansley	6-1	220	Jr.
PUNTER				
34	Max Zuluaga	6-0	225	R-So.
37	Brandon Sims	6-0	190	So.

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year
LONG SNAPPER				
50	Hayden King	5-10	230	R-Jr.
52	Blaine Johnson	6-2	200	Fr.
PUNTER RETURN				
1	Deuce Oliver	5-10	150	R-So.
21	Jordan Beasley	6-0	185	R-So.
KICK RETURN				
83	AJ McNeil	6-1	180	R-Fr.
15	Tre'Marcus Webb	5-9	170	Jr.

OVC IN THE POLLS **WEEK-BY-WEEK**

	FCS STATS/COACHES							
	CSU	EIU	GWU	LIN	SEMO	TSU	UTM	WIU
PRESEASON	-	-	-	-	RV/RV	-	23/22	-
AUG. 31	-	-	-	-	RV/RV	-	RV/RV	-
SEPT. 7	-	-	-	-	RV/RV	-	-/RV	-
SEPT. 14	-	-	-	-	-/RV	-	-/RV	-
SEPT. 21	-	-	-	-	RV/RV	-	-	-
SEPT. 28	-	-	-	-	-/RV	-	-	-
OCT. 5	-	-	-	-	-/RV	-	-	-
OCT. 12	-	-	-	-	-/RV	-	-	-
OCT. 19	-	-	-	-	RV/RV	-	-	-
OCT. 26	-	-	-	-	RV/RV	-	-	-
NOV. 2	-	-	-	-	-/RV	-	-	RV/-
NOV. 9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NOV. 16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NOV. 23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

AFCA FCS **COACHES POLL**

	TEAM (FIRST-PLACE VOTES)	RECORD	PTS
1.	Tarleton St. (26)	11-0	650
2.	Montana St.	10-1	619
3.	South Dakota St.	9-2	601
4.	Stephen F. Austin	10-1	567
5.	Lamar	9-2	514
6.	South Dakota	8-3	501
7.	Mercer	9-2	478
8.	Youngstown St.	8-3	461
9.	Montana	8-3	396
10.	Northern Arizona	8-3	366
11.	North Dakota	7-4	355
12.	Tennessee Tech	9-2	338
13.	Illinois St.	8-3	336
14.	Austin Peay	8-3	330
15.	Lehigh	9-2	329
16.	Weber St.	7-4	261
17.	Harvard	8-1	243
18.	South Carolina St.	9-2	233
19.	Abilene Christian	6-5	163
20.	Monmouth (N.J.)	8-3	138
21.	Campbell	8-3	100
22.	UAlbany	7-4	99
23.	UC Davis	7-4	73
24.	UIW	7-4	57
25.	Idaho St.	6-5	46

Others (OVC Only): None

STATS PERFORM **FCS POLL**

	TEAM (FIRST-PLACE VOTES)	RECORD	PTS
1.	Tarleton State (46)	11-0	1413
2.	Montana State (5)	10-1	1358
3.	South Dakota State (6)	9-2	1331
4.	Lamar	9-2	1198
5.	Stephen F. Austin	10-1	1155
6.	Youngstown State	8-3	1081
7.	South Dakota	8-3	1080
8.	Montana	8-3	946
9.	Mercer	9-2	932
10.	North Dakota	7-4	912
11.	Illinois State	8-3	886
12.	Northern Arizona	8-3	883
13.	Tennessee Tech	9-2	708
14.	Austin Peay	8-3	689
15.	Weber State	7-4	656
16.	Lehigh	9-2	583
17.	Harvard	8-1	514
18.	Monmouth	8-3	353
19.	Abilene Christian	6-5	344
20.	South Carolina State	8-3	333
21.	UIW	7-4	268
22.	Campbell	8-3	249
23.	UC Davis	7-4	205
24.	Dayton	9-1	103
25.	Idaho State	6-5	86

Others (OVC Only): Southeast Missouri (2)

OHIO VALLEY **CONFERENCE**

OVC WEEKLY HONORS

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Aug. 31	Charles Kellom	Eastern Illinois
Sept. 7	**Tommy Ansley**	**UT Martin**
Sept. 14	Cole LaCrue	Eastern Illinois
Sept. 21	Brandon Paul	Tennessee State
	Kennedy McGill	Western Illinois
Sept. 28	Giovanni Adopte	Gardner-Webb
Oct. 5	Kennedy McGill	Western Illinois
Oct. 12	Cam Bulluck	Tennessee State
Oct. 19	Kennedy McGill	Western Illinois
Oct. 26	Kennedy McGill	Western Illinois
Nov. 2	Kennedy McGill	Western Illinois
Nov. 9	Khyair Spain	Southeast Missouri
Nov. 16	Kennedy McGill	Western Illinois
Nov. 23	-	-

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Aug. 31	DJ Delmore	Southeast Missouri
Sept. 7	**Reginald Allen Jr.**	**UT Martin**
Sept. 14	Tristan Lennon	Charleston Southern
	Ja'Wuan Nickson	Eastern Illinois
Sept. 21	Tre Yanez	Gardner-Webb
Sept. 28	Trey Weems	Gardner-Webb
Oct. 5	Tre Yanez	Gardner-Webb
Oct. 12	Steve Zayachkowsky	Charleston Southern
Oct. 19	DJ Delmore	Southeast Missouri
Oct. 26	Steve Zayachkowsky	Charleston Southern
Nov. 2	Jayden Hancock	Charleston Southern
Nov. 9	Tre Yanez	Gardner-Webb
Nov. 16	Robert Dover	Southeast Missouri
Nov. 23	-	-

SPECIALIST OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Aug. 31	Justin Keller	Southeast Missouri
Sept. 7	Will Graham	Lindenwood
Sept. 14	Matt Rolader	Charleston Southern
Sept. 21	Tyler Simpson	Gardner-Webb
	Khylen Harris-Norman	Southeast Missouri
Sept. 28	Teagan Cobb	Southeast Missouri
Oct. 5	Matt Rolander	Charleston Southern
	Luke Droegemueller	Western Illinois
Oct. 12	Quay Kindell	Charleston Southern
Oct. 19	Justin Keller	Southeast Missouri
Oct. 26	Steve Zayachkowsky	Charleston Southern
Nov. 2	Tyler Simpson	Gardner-Webb
Nov. 9	**Brandon Sims**	**UT Martin**
Nov. 16	**Brandon Sims**	**UT Martin**
Nov. 23	-	-

ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

Date	Player	Team
Aug. 31	Brenton Paul	Tennessee State
Sept. 7	Baxter Pearce	Charleston Southern
Sept. 14	Elijah Roy	Lindenwood
Sept. 21	Brenton Paul	Tennessee State
Sept. 28	**Tate Surber**	**UT Martin**
Oct. 5	Zalen Watkins	Gardner-Webb
Oct. 12	Davian Humphrey	Eastern Illinois
Oct. 19	Rymen Mosley	Tennessee State
Oct. 26	**Jaydon Peete**	**UT Martin**
Nov. 2	Lan Farmer	Gardner-Webb
Nov. 9	**Tate Surber**	**UT Martin**
Nov. 16	**Tate Surber**	**UT Martin**
Nov. 23	-	-

OVC STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONF	PCT	OVERALL	PCT.	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	STREAK
Southeast Missouri	5-1	.833	7-4	.636	2-2	5-2	0-0	W2
Western Illinois	5-1	.833	7-4	.636	5-1	2-3	0-0	W4
UT Martin	**4-2**	**.667**	**5-6**	**.455**	**3-2**	**2-4**	**0-0**	**W2**
Lindenwood	4-2	.667	5-5	.500	3-1	2-4	0-0	L1
Eastern Illinois	2-4	.333	3-8	.273	0-4	3-4	0-0	L2
Gardner-Webb	2-4	.333	3-8	.273	1-2	2-6	0-0	L2
Charleston Southern	1-5	.167	4-7	.364	2-4	2-3	0-0	L3
Tennessee State	1-5	.167	3-8	.273	2-4	1-4	0-0	W1

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Saturday, November 21

Charleston Southern at Eastern Illinois* | 12 pm | ESPN+
Tennessee State at Gardner-Webb* | 12:30 pm | ESPN+
UT Martin at Southeast Missouri* | 1 pm | ESPN+
Western Illinois at Lindenwood* | 2 pm | ESPN+

PRESEASON POLL AND PLAYERS TO WATCH

QUARTERBACK
Cole LaCrue (Jr.), Eastern Illinois
Cole Pennington (Sr.), Gardner-Webb
Daylin Lee (Sr.), Tennessee State
Cason Carswell (So.), Western Illinois

RUNNING BACK
Hakeem Watters (So.), Charleston So.
Charles Kellom (Sr.), Eastern Illinois
Carson Gresock (Sr.), Gardner-Webb
Steve Hall (R-Jr.), Lindenwood
Khyair Spain (Jr.), Southeast Missouri
Zack Simmons-Brown (So.), Tennessee State
Tommy Ansley (Jr.), UT Martin
Ihson Jackson-Anderson (Sr.), Western Illinois

WIDE RECEIVER
Mekhi Campfield (Sr.), Charleston So.
Landers Green (Sr.), Eastern Illinois
Jalile Bost (Jr.), Gardner-Webb
Jalen Smith (R-Jr.), Lindenwood
Jobe Bryant (So.), Southeast Missouri
Cam Bulluck (So.), Tennessee State
Phaizon Wilson (R-Sr.), UT Martin
Christian Anaya (Sr.), Western Illinois

TIGHT END
Kaden Strickland (Grad.), Charleston So.
Alex Ginnever (Sr.), Eastern Illinois
Collin Carroll (Jr.), Gardner-Webb
Aaron Duncan (So.), Tennessee State
Kaleb Costner (Grad.), UT Martin
David Hargro (Sr.), Western Illinois

OFFENSIVE LINE
Ethan Hunt (Grad.), Charleston So.
Rahfeeq Katumbusi (So.), Eastern Illinois
Will Fitzpatrick (Jr.), Gardner-Webb
Andrew Swingle (R-So.), Lindenwood
Rashad Turner (Sr.), Southeast Missouri
Breon Brown (So.), Tennessee State
Travis Gray (R-Sr.), UT Martin
James Durand (Jr.), Western Illinois

ALL-PURPOSE
Max Loveall (So.), Eastern Illinois
Anthony Taylor (So.), Tennessee State
Chris Franklin (R-Jr.), UT Martin
Kennedy McGill (Sr.), Western Illinois

DEFENSIVE LINE
CJ Landrum (Jr.), Charleston So.
Aidan Archibald (So.), Eastern Illinois
AJ Mebane (Jr.), Gardner-Webb
Andrew Zook (R-Jr.), Lindenwood
McCoy Casey (Sr.), Southeast Missouri
Bryce Gray (So.), Tennessee State
Broderick Tommie Jr. (R-Jr.), UT Martin
Keshawn Harrington-McKinney (Jr.), WIU

LINEBACKER
Steve Zayachkowsky (Sr.), Charleston So.
Ja'Wuan Nickson (Sr.), Eastern Illinois
Tre Yanez (Jr.), Gardner-Webb
Jacob Waller (R-Sr.), Lindenwood
Cole Dutkovich (Sr.), Southeast Missouri
Sammy Taylor (Jr.), Tennessee State
Jamarcus Smith (R-Jr.), UT Martin
Nick Reinicke (Jr.), Western Illinois

DEFENSIVE BACK
Anthony Paulk (R-So.), Charleston So.
Saipeti Maiava Jr. (Sr.), Eastern Illinois
Josiah Harris (Sr.), Gardner-Webb
Carter Johnson (So.), Lindenwood
Adrian Patterson (Sr.), Southeast Missouri
Syncere Safeeullah (Jr.), Tennessee State
Trey Cotton (So.), UT Martin
Don Paul Keith (So.), Western Illinois

PLACEKICKER
Drew Schiller (So.), Eastern Illinois
Andrew Bontekoe (So.), Gardner-Webb
Will Graham (R-Jr.), Lindenwood
Justin Keller (Sr.), Southeast Missouri
Brandon Sims (So.), UT Martin
Britton Watts (So.), Tennessee State

PUNTER
Aidan Bonde (Jr.), Gardner-Webb
Davion Moore (So.), Tennessee State
Max Zuluaga (R-So.), UT Martin
Luke Droegemueller (Sr.), Western Illinois

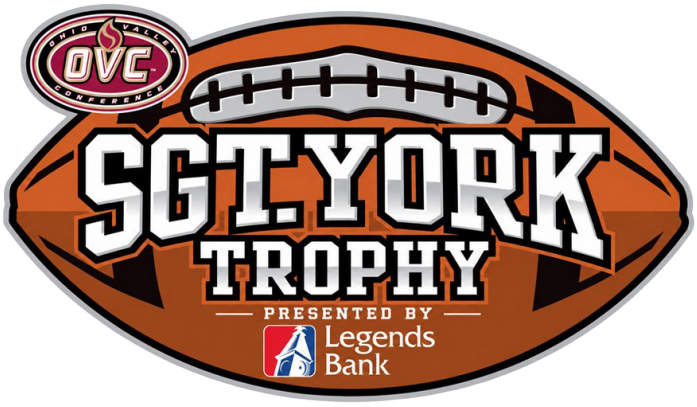
KICK RETURN SPECIALIST
Quay Kindell (R-Jr.), Charleston So.
Jacarre Fleming (So.), Eastern Illinois
CJ Bennett (So.), Lindenwood
Jaden Jones (So.), Tennessee State
Israel Hiraldo (So.), Western Illinois

PUNT RETURN SPECIALIST
Quay Kindell (R-Jr.), Charleston So.
Devin Whitlock (Jr.), Eastern Illinois
CJ Bennett (So.), Lindenwood
Jobe Bryant (So.), Southeast Missouri
Anthony Taylor (So.), Tennessee State
Deuce Oliver (R-So.), UT Martin

LONG SNAPPER
Ross Rambo (R-So.), Charleston So.
Jacob Mull (So.), Gardner-Webb
Steven Nelson (So.), Tennessee State
Hayden King (R-Jr.), UT Martin
Ben Bergfeld (Jr.), Western Illinois

Predicted Order of Finish

1.	**UT Martin (6 first-place votes)**	**47**
2.	Southeast Missouri (1)	38
3.	Lindenwood (1)	37
4.	Gardner-Webb	30
5.	Charleston Southern	26
6.	Western Illinois	23
7.	Eastern Illinois	14
8.	Tennessee State	9



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 two Ohio Valley Conference football-playing schools located in the state of Tennessee – Tennessee State University and the University of Tennessee at Martin.

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, Tennessee (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 Country. 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.

SGT. YORK TROPHY WINNERS

2007 - Tennessee State*, Austin Peay
2008 - Tennessee State
2009 - Tennessee Tech
2010 - UT Martin
2011 - Tennessee State*, Tennessee Tech
2012 - Tennessee State*, UT Martin
2013 - Tennessee State
2014 - UT Martin
2015 - UT Martin
2016 - UT Martin*, Tennessee State, Tennessee Tech
2017 - Austin Peay
2018 - Austin Peay*, Tennessee State, UT Martin
2019 - Austin Peay*, Tennessee State, UT Martin
2020 - Tennessee Tech*, UT Martin
2021 - UT Martin
2022 - UT Martin
2023 - UT Martin
2024 - Tennessee Tech
2025 - Tennessee Tech
2026 - UT Martin

*Took home the trophy due to winning the tiebreaker

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 10 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
Penalites:	19 - UT Martin vs. Tennessee State (10/19/13)
Penalty Yards:	167 - Tennessee State vs. Austin Peay (11/8/14)

INDIVIDUAL

Rushing Yards:	227 - Brian Snead, APSU vs. TSU (2/28/21)
Rushing Attempts:	35 - Don Chapman, UTM vs. TSU (11/17/07)
Rushing Touchdowns:	4 - Javarris Williams, TSU vs. UTM (11/17/07)
Longest Rush:	84 - Ladarius Vanlier, TTU vs. APSU (11/22/14) 84 - Ronald Butler, TSU vs. APSU (11/5/16)
Passing Yards:	422 - Derek Carr, UTM vs. TTU (11/10/12)
Passing Attempts:	58 - Tre Lamb, TTU vs. TSU (10/15/11)
Completions:	35 - Derek Carr, UTM vs. TTU (11/10/12)
Passing Touchdowns:	6 - Derek Carr, UTM vs. APSU (10/8/11)
Longest Pass:	99 - Daylin Lee, TSU vs. UTM (10/10/26)
Most Interceptions:	3 - Done 6 Times
Receiving Yards:	198 - Ben Axline, UTM vs. APSU (10/8/16)
Receptions:	13 - Jeremy Butler, UTM at TTU (11/10/12)
Receiving Touchdowns:	3 - Done 10 Times
Longest Reception:	99 - Cam Bulluck, TSU vs. UTM (10/10/26)
Field Goals Made:	5 - Jamin Godfrey, TSU vs. TTU (10/27/12)
Longest Field Goal:	57 - Lane Clark, TSU vs. UTM (10/1/16) 57 - Nick Madonia, TTU vs. TSU (11/12/16)
Punts:	10 - Jonathan King, TTU vs. UT Martin (10/3/15) 10 - Matt Rigney, APSU vs. TSU (2/28/21)
Longest Punt:	73 - James Satterfield, UTM vs. TTU (11/10/12)
Punt Return Yards:	107 - CJ Estelle, UTM vs. APSU (11/6/10)
Longest Punt Return:	76 - CJ Estelle, UTM vs. APSU (10/8/11)
Kick Return Yards:	243 - Terrence Holt, APSU vs. UTM (11/21/09)
Longest Kick Return:	100 - Weldon Garlington, TSU vs. APSU (10/1/11)
All-Purpose Yards:	312 - Terrence Holt, APSU vs. UTM (11/21/09)
Interceptions:	2 - Done Eight Times
Tackles:	20 - Corey Reed, TTU vs. UTM (10/16/08)
Sacks:	2.5 - Antonio Harper, TSU vs. TTU (10/15/11) 2.5 - Antonio Harper, TSU at UTM (10/19/13) 2.5 - Damani Taylor, UTM vs. TTU (10/3/15) 2.5 - Jaison Williams, APSU vs. UTM (9/30/17) 2.5 - TJ Jefferson, UTM at TTU (10/12/19)

ALL-TIME RECORD IN SGT. YORK TROPHY GAMES

UT Martin:	39-15
Tennessee State:	24-30
Tennessee Tech:	23-30
Austin Peay:	17-28

UT Martin at home: 19-6
UT Martin on the road: 20-10

LAST TIME **IT HAPPENED...**

SKYHAWK INDIVIDUAL

RUSHED FOR 100 YARDS	104, Chris Franklin/Jaydon Peete vs. Lindenwood, 11/14/2026
RUSHED FOR 200 YARDS	221, Sam Franklin at North Alabama, 9/23/2023
RUSHED FOR 250+ YARDS	259, Sam Franklin vs. Missouri State, 9/9/2023
HAD A 70-YARD RUN	75, Narkel LeFlore vs. Southeast Missouri, 11/11/2023
RUSHED FOR THREE TDS	3, Tommy Ansley vs. Chicago State, 9/5/2026
RUSHED FOR FOUR TDS	4, Zak Wallace at Houston Christian, 10/29/2022
PASSED FOR 300 YARDS	347, Kinkead Dent vs. HCU, 9/16/2023
PASSED FOR 400 YARDS	463, Dresser Winn at Murray State, 10/8/2022
PASSED FOR 500 YARDS	560, Derek Carr at Murray State, 10/13/2012
THREW THREE TD PASSES	3, Kinkead Dent at No. 25 Tennessee State, 11/9/2024
THREW FIVE+ TD PASSES	5, Kinkead Dent at Tennessee Tech, 11/4/2023
HAD 100 YARDS RECEIVING	119, Deuce Oliver at Western Illinois, 10/24/2026
HAD 150 YARDS RECEIVING	Tanksley (220) and Dowell (172) at Murray State, 10/8/2022
HAD 200 YARDS RECEIVING	220, DeVonte Tanksley at Murray State, 10/8/2022
HAD A 70-YARD RECEPTION	79, Deuce Oliver at Western Illinois, 10/24/2026
CAUGHT THREE TD PASSES	3, Jaylon Moore at No. 24 Austin Peay, 11/9/2019
RETURNED ONSIDE KICK FOR TD	43, Tae Martin vs. Tennessee Tech, 9/24/2016
RETURNED KICKOFF FOR TD	95, Narkel LeFlore vs. HCU, 9/16/2023
RETURNED PUNT FOR TD	65, Terry Williams vs. No. 18 Jacksonville State, 11/2/2019
RETURNED PUNT AT LEAST 75 YARDS	79, Londell Lee at Hawai'i, 9/10/2016
RETURNED INT FOR TD	23, Joel Castleberry at Tennessee State, 10/10/2026
RETURNED A FUMBLE FOR TD	97, Farand Washington at Tennessee State, 10/10/2026
MADE THREE+ FGS	3, Brandon Sims vs. Lindenwood, 11/14/2026
MADE A 50-YARD FG	50, Ryan Courtright at No. 24 Austin Peay, 11/9/2019
PUNT 55 YARDS OR LONGER	75, Max Zuluaga vs. Gardner-Webb, 10/17/2026
HAD 10-14 TACKLES	12, Quincy Hamilton vs. Lindenwood, 11/14/2026
HAD 15+ TACKLES	26, Rob Hicks vs. Kennesaw State, 11/5/2022
MULTI-SACKS	2.0, Malik Brown at No. 11 Austin Peay, 9/26/2026
MULTI-FORCED FUMBLES	2, Daylan Dotson at Houston Christian, 10/29/2022
MULTI-INTERCEPTIONS	2, Chris Hunter, Jr. at No. 25 Tennessee State, 11/9/2024

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL

RUSHED FOR 100 YARDS	112, Cole LaCrue vs. Eastern Illinois, 10/31/2026
RUSHED FOR 200 YARDS	210, Kennedy McGill at Western Illinois, 10/24/2026
RUSHED FOR 250+ YARDS	298, Kory Chapman at Jacksonville State, 10/11/2003
HAD A 70-YARD RUN	72, Jordan Thompson at Memphis, 9/19/2026
RUSHED FOR THREE TDS	3, Kennedy McGill at Western Illinois, 10/24/2026
RUSHED FOR FOUR TDS	5, Alex Collins at Arkansas, 10/31/2015
PASSED FOR 300 YARDS	376, Daylin Lee at Tennessee State, 10/10/2026
PASSED FOR 400 YARDS	424, Bailey Zappe at Western Kentucky, 9/2/2021
PASSED FOR 500 YARDS	537, Casey Brockman at Murray State, 10/13/2012
THREW THREE TD PASSES	4, Cole LaCrue vs. Eastern Illinois, 10/31/2026
THREW FIVE+ TD PASSES	6, Paxton DeLaurent at Southeast Missouri, 9/7/2024
HAD 100 YARDS RECEIVING	106, Jalen Smith vs. Lindenwood, 11/14/2026
HAD 150 YARDS RECEIVING	191, Cam Bulluck at Tennessee State, 10/10/2026
HAD 200 YARDS RECEIVING	216, Rashawn Cunningham vs. Charleston Southern, 11/15/2025
HAD A 70-YARD RECEPTION	99, Cam Bulluck at Tennessee State, 10/10/2026
CAUGHT THREE TD PASSES	3, Cam Bulluck at Tennessee State, 10/10/2026
RETURNED ONSIDE KICK FOR TD	N/A
RETURNED KICKOFF FOR TD	96, DeVon Johnson vs. #20 Tennessee State, 9/24/2017
RETURNED PUNT FOR TD	35, Wayne Parks at Middle Tennessee, 9/8/2018
RETURNED PUNT AT LEAST 75 YARDS	90, Chandler Smith at Samford, 11/18/2023
RETURNED INT FOR TD	Ta'Ron Haile at No. 11 Austin Peay, 9/26/2026
RETURNED A FUMBLE FOR TD	46, Jaylen Swain at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/2021
MADE THREE+ FGS	3, Jonah Dalmas at Boise State, 9/17/2022
MADE A 50-YARD FG	51, Ronan Culkin at Western Illinois, 10/24/2026
PUNT 55 YARDS OR LONGER	60, Jack Dawson at #9 Jacksonville State, 9/25/2021
HAD 10-14 TACKLES	10, Reinicke/Buckner at Western Illinois, 10/24/2026
HAD 15+ TACKLES	16, Ashtyn Williams vs. Central Arkansas, 8/27/2026
MULTI-SACKS	3.0, Wendell Gregory at Oklahoma State, 8/28/2025
MULTI-FORCED FUMBLES	N/A
MULTI-INTERCEPTIONS	3, Chance Gamble vs. Kennesaw State, 11/5/2022

TEAM

SHUTOUT AN OPPONENT	17-0 vs. Charleston Southern, 10/21/2023
SHUTOUT CONSECUTIVE OPPONENTS	3 vs. Milliken, SEMO and Jacksonville State, 1967
RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 300 YARDS	306 at Western Illinois, 10/12/2024
RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 400 YARDS	405 vs. Missouri State, 9/9/2023
PASSED FOR MORE THAN 300 YARDS	318 at Tennessee Tech, 11/4/2023
PASSED FOR MORE THAN 400 YARDS	437 vs. HCU, 9/16/2023
PASSED FOR MORE THAN 500 YARDS	560 at Murray State, 10/13/2012
MORE THAN 500 YARDS TOTAL OFF.	541 at Western Illinois, 10/12/2024
MORE THAN 600 YARDS TOTAL OFF.	707 vs. HCU, 9/16/2023
SCORED 50 POINTS	52 vs. Eastern Illinois, 10/26/2024
SCORED 60 POINTS	66 vs. HCU, 9/16/2023
SCORED 70 POINTS	84 vs. Bacone, 9/17/2016
FAILED TO RUSH FOR 100 YARDS	90 at Western Illinois, 10/24/2026
FAILED TO PASS FOR 100 YARDS	88 at Charleston Southern, 11/7/2026
HELD OPPONENT TO < 100 YARDS RUSHING	84 vs. Lindenwood, 11/14/2026
HELD OPPONENT TO < 100 YARDS PASSING	71 at New Hampshire, 11/30/2024
HELD OPPONENT TO < 100 YARDS TOTAL OFF.	74 vs. Iowa Wesleyan, 9/3/2009
HELD OPPONENT TO < 200 YARDS TOTAL OFF.	168 vs. Gardner-Webb, 10/17/2026
HELD OPPONENT WITHOUT OFFENSIVE TD	vs. Gardner-Webb, 10/17/2026
SCORED A SAFETY	Malik Brown at No. 11 Austin Peay, 9/26/2026
COMMITTED NO TURNOVERS	vs. Lindenwood, 11/14/2026
FORCED OPPONENT INTO FIVE TURNOVERS	7 at Houston Christian, 10/29/2022
NEVER HAD TO PUNT	at Tennessee State, 10/1/2016
BLOCKED A PUNT	Trey Cotton vs. Tennessee State, 11/8/2025
RETURNED BLOCKED PUNT FOR TD	Cam Robertson (40) vs. Tennessee Tech, 11/16/2024
BLOCKED A FIELD GOAL	Lebron Edmond vs. Western Illinois, 10/11/2025
RETURNED BLOCKED FG FOR TD	87, Jordan Landry at Austin Peay, 10/17/2015
BLOCKED TWO+ FIELD GOALS	2 vs. Tennessee State, 10/10/2015
BLOCKED FGS IN CONSECUTIVE WEEKS	1 at Lindenwood, 10/4/25; 1 vs. Western Illinois, 10/11/2025
BLOCKED A PAT	Andre Morris Jr. vs. Gardner-Webb, 10/17/2026
RETURNED PAT FOR 2 PTS	Thad Williams vs. Eastern Illinois, 10/6/2012
SCORED 2-PT CONVERSION	Connie Hewitt vs. Lindenwood, 11/14/2026
RECOVERED ON-SIDE KICK (KICKING TEAM)	vs. Western Illinois, 10/11/2025
RECOVERED ON-SIDE KICK (RECEIVING TEAM)	vs. Lindenwood, 9/24/2022
TWO W/ 100 YARDS RUSHING	104, Chris Franklin/104, Jaydon Peete vs. Lindenwood, 11/14/2026
TWO W/ 100 YARDS PASSING	Jarod Neal/Dylan Favre vs. Eastern Kentucky, 9/20/2014
TWO W/ 100 YARDS RECEIVING	DeVonte Tanksley/Colton Dowell at Murray State, 10/8/2022
WON OT GAME	27-20 at Eastern Illinois, 11/1/2025
LOST OT GAME	at Southeast Missouri (45-42, 2OT), 9/7/2024
RALLIED FROM DOWN 14 TO WIN	Down 14 vs. Lindenwood, 11/14/2026
BEAT RANKED FCS OPPONENT	at #16 New Hampshire, 11/30/2024
BEAT FCS TEAM RANKED IN TOP 15	at #10 Missouri State, 11/27/2021
BEAT FBS OPPONENT	at Kennesaw State (24-13), 9/28/2024
LAST TIME RANKED IN THE STATS PERFORM TOP 25	No. 23, Preseason 2026
LAST TIME RANKED IN THE COACHES POLL TOP 25	No. 22, Preseason 2026

TEAM

SHUTOUT AN OPPONENT	45-0 at No. 11 Florida, 9/7/2019
SHUTOUT CONSECUTIVE OPPONENTS	2 at Eastern Kentucky and Samford, 1993
RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 300 YARDS	329 at Western Illinois, 10/24/2026
RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 400 YARDS	at Jacksonville State, 10/11/2003
PASSED FOR MORE THAN 300 YARDS	376 at Southeast Missouri, 9/7/2024
PASSED FOR MORE THAN 400 YARDS	402 vs. Missouri State, 9/9/2023
PASSED FOR MORE THAN 500 YARDS	552 vs. Eastern Illinois, 10/31/2026
MORE THAN 500 YARDS TOTAL OFF.	552 vs. Eastern Illinois, 10/31/2026
MORE THAN 600 YARDS TOTAL OFF.	696 at #3 Tennessee, 10/22/2022
SCORED 50 POINTS	55 at Western Illinois, 10/24/2026
SCORED 60 POINTS	65 at #3 Tennessee, 10/22/2022
SCORED 70 POINTS	76 at Ole Miss, 9/5/2015
FAILED TO RUSH FOR 100 YARDS	84 vs. Lindenwood, 11/14/2026
FAILED TO PASS FOR 100 YARDS	71 at New Hampshire, 11/30/2024
HELD UTM TO FEWER THAN 100 YARDS RUSHING	90 at Western Illinois, 10/24/2026
HELD UTM TO FEWER THAN 100 YARDS PASSING	88 at Charleston Southern, 11/7/2026
HELD SKYHAWKS WITHOUT AN OFFENSIVE TD	at West Virginia, 9/12/2026
SCORED A SAFETY	at Murray State (Intentional Grounding), 10/8/2022
COMMITTED NO TURNOVERS	0 vs. Chicago State, 9/5/2026
FORCED OPPONENT INTO FIVE TURNOVERS	5 vs. Samford, 9/11/2021
NEVER HAD TO PUNT	at Memphis, 9/19/2026
BLOCKED A PUNT	Andrew Powdrell at West Virginia, 9/12/2026
RETURNED BLOCKED PUNT FOR TD	0, Taylor Lanigan vs. Murray State, 9/25/2010
BLOCKED A FIELD GOAL	Ty Leonard at Southeast Missouri, 11/20/2021
BLOCKED A PAT	Mason Burke vs. Lindenwood, 11/23/2024
RETURNED PAT FOR 2 PTS	Tre Bell vs. Lindenwood, 11/23/2024
ATTEMPTED 2-PT CONVERSION	at UTEP, 9/6/2025
RALLIED FROM DOWN 14 TO WIN	14 at Southeast Missouri, 9/7/2024

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: 49 - Don Chapman (2004-07)

Longest Rush from Scrimmage
Game: 98 - John Burch vs. Austin Peay (1987)

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: 93.8 (15-of-16) - Jase Bauer at Gardner-Webb (2025)
Season: 71.2 - Jase Bauer (2025)
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 - Eric Bradner at Valdosta State (1986)
5 - Brady Wahlberg vs. Samford (2005)
5 - Brady Wahlberg at Jacksonville State (2005)
5 - Dresser Winn vs. Kennesaw State (2022)
Season: 22 - Leon Reed (1988)
Career: 46 - Brady Wahlberg (2002-05)

Longest Pass Completion
Game: 98 -Leon Reed at Troy (1988)

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: 2,796 - Colton Dowell (2017-22)

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: 98 - William Mackall at Troy (1988)

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: 30 - Bobby Fowler vs. West Georgia (1957)
30 - Quentin Sims vs. Jacksonville State (2012)
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 - Keith Kasnic at Troy (1986)
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. Tennessee Tech (1970)
Season: 222 - 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: 13.5 - Keyshawn Johnson (2025)
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)
5 - JaMichael McGoy, Jr. vs. Eastern Illinois (2024)
Season: 21 - JaMichael McGoy, Jr. (18 PBU, 3 INT), 2024
Career: 48 - JaMichael McGoy, Jr. (42 PBU, 6 INT), 2021-25

Pass Breakups
Game: 5 - Kevin Barfield vs. Eastern Illinois (2013)
5 - Joe Este vs. Clarion (2017)
5 - JaMichael McGoy, Jr. vs. Eastern Illinois (2024)
Season: 18 - JaMichael McGoy, Jr. (2024)
Career: 42 - JaMichael McGoy, Jr. (2021-25)

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)

Longest Interception Return
Game: 100 - Jimmy Randolph vs. Morehead State (1977)

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

Most Returned for Touchdown
Season: 4 - Clay Blalack (1976)
Career: 4 - Clay Blalack (1975-76)

FUMBLES

Most Forced Fumbles
Game: 2 - 14 Tied
Season: 5 - Kevin Prather Jr. (2016)
Career: 9 - Markeseo Jackson (2003-06)

Most Fumble Recoveries
Game: 2 - 13 Tied
Season: 7 - Jon Swift (2006)
Career: 9 - Jon Swift (1996-97)

Most Return Yardage
Game: 97 - Farand Washington at Tennessee State (2026)
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: 6 - Chris Wilson at Tennessee State (2026)
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: 56.8 - Aidan Laros at Gardner-Webb (2023)
Season: 43.6 - Tyler Larco (2022)
Career: 41.6 - Tyler Larco (2019-22)

Most Punts Downed Inside 20
Game: 5 - Zane Cox vs. Tennessee State (2019)
Season: 24 - Zane Cox (2019)
Career: 48 - James Satterfield (2010-14)

Longest Punt
Game: 80 - Jade Stillings at Tennessee Tech (1997)

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)

Longest Punt Return
Game: 87 - Dewayne Harper vs. Charleston Southern (1994)

KICKOFF RETURN

Most Returns
Game: 9 - Darron Turner vs. Jacksonville State (1989)
9 - Darron Turner vs. Middle Tennessee (1990)
9 - Jessie Burton vs. Missouri State (2007)
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)

Highest Average Per Return
Game: 61.5 - Narkel LeFlore vs. Houston Christian (2023)
Season:
Career:

Longest Kick Return
Game: 100 - Tony Champion at West Georgia (1983)
100 - Darriell Ruffin vs. Murray State (1997)
100 - Jessie Burton at Southeast Missouri (2006)

BLOCKED KICKS

Most Blocked Kicks
Game: 2 - Chris Wilson vs. Central Arkansas (2026)
2 - Toby Camp at Lindenwood (2025)
2 - Dean Wathen at Murray State (2010)
Season: 3 - Toby Camp (2025)
3 - Korbin Harmon (2019)
3 - Andre Plummer (2005)
Career: 6 - Korbin Harmon (2018-21)

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: 5,249 - 2024

First Downs
Game: 35 at Murray State (2012)
Season: 255 - 14 games (2024)

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 - Murray State (2007)
7 - Concordia (2008)
7 - Kentucky Wesleyan (2001)
Season: 28 - 2007
28 - 2024

PASSING

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

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

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

Highest Passing Average Per Game
Season: 299.5 - 2012

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

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

DEFENSE

SCORING DEFENSE

Fewest Points Yielded
Season: 19 - 1934

Fewest Yards Allowed Rushing
Game: -22 - West Alabama (1988)
Season: 383 - 1967

Fewest Yards Allowed Passing
Game: 7 - West Alabama (1982)
Season: 734 - 1971

Most Defensive Touchdowns Scored
Game: 2 - at Murray State (2008)
Season: 8 - 2008

TACKLES

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

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

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

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

Most Blocked Kicks
Game: 3 - Murray State (2005)
Season: 9 - 2005

INTERCEPTIONS

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

Most Return Yardage
Game: 158 - Troy (1968)
Season: 485 - 1976

Most Returned For Touchdown
Season: 6 - 1976

FUMBLES

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

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

Most Returned For Touchdown
Season: 6 - 2008

SPECIAL TEAMS

PUNTING

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

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

PUNT RETURNS

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

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

KICKOFF RETURNS

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

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

KICKING

Most Field Goals Made
Game: 4 - Gardner-Webb (2006)
4 - Tennessee State (1976)
Season: 20 - 1988

Most Field Goals Attempted
Game: 5 - Tennessee State (1976)
Season: 26 - 1988

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

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

TEAM **GAME HIGHS/LOWS**

	UT MARTIN		OPPONENT	
	HIGH	LOW	HIGH	LOW
• Rushes	53 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	28 at Memphis (9/19)	51 at West Virginia (9/12)	15 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)
• Rushing Yards	261 vs. Lindenwood (11/14)	90 at Western Illinois (10/24)	329 at Western Illinois (10/24)	15 at Tennessee State (10/10)
• Yards Per Rush	7.4 vs. Eastern Illinois (10/31)	2.7 at Western Illinois (10/24)	8.8 vs. Eastern Illinois (10/31)	0.7 at Tennessee State (10/10)
• Rushing Touchdowns	6 vs. Chicago State (9/5)	0, 2x, at Austin Peay (9/26)	5 at Western Illinois (10/24)	0, 3x, vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)
• Pass Completions	22 at West Virginia (9/12)	10 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	28 at Memphis (9/19)	8 at West Virginia (9/12)
• Pass Attempts	37 at Western Illinois (10/24)	16 at Charleston Southern (11/7)	39 at Tennessee State (10/10)	12 at West Virginia (9/12)
• Passing Yards	276 at Western Illinois (10/24)	88 at Charleston Southern (11/7)	376 at Tennessee State (10/10)	148 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)
• Yards Per Pass	10.4 at Memphis (9/19)	3.7 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	17.4 at West Virginia (9/12)	4.6 vs. Chicago State (9/5)
• Passing Touchdowns	2 at Memphis (9/19)	0, 7x, at Charleston Southern (11/7)	5 at Memphis (9/19)	0 at Charleston Southern (11/7)
• Total Plays	78 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	57, 2x, at Memphis (9/19)	75 at Memphis (9/19)	52 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)
• Yards Per Play	7.5 vs. Chicago State (9/5)	4.0 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	8.3 at West Virginia (9/12)	3.2, 2x, vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)
• Points	42, 2x, at Tennessee State (10/10)	7 at West Virginia (9/12)	55 at Western Illinois (10/24)	6 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)
• Sacks	4 at Austin Peay (9/26)	0, 3x, vs. Eastern Illinois (10/31)	3, 2x, at Tennessee State (10/10)	0, 3x, at Charleston Southern (11/7)
• Penalties	13 vs. Chicago State (9/5)	2 vs. Central Arkansas (8/27)	10 vs. Chicago State (9/5)	2, 2x, at West Virginia (9/12)
• Penalty Yards	110 vs. Chicago State (9/5)	16 vs. Central Arkansas (8/27)	102 vs. Chicago State (9/5)	9 at West Virginia (9/12)
• Turnovers	3, 2x, at Western Illinois (10/24)	0, 2x, vs. Lindenwood (11/14)	4 at Tennessee State (10/10)	0 vs. Chicago State (9/5)
• Interceptions Thrown	2, 4x, vs. Eastern Illinois (10/31)	0, 4x, vs. Lindenwood (11/14)	3, 2x, vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	0, 4x, vs. Lindenwood (11/14)
• Punts	7 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	1 vs. Central Arkansas (8/27)	9 vs. Chicago State (9/5)	0 at Memphis (9/19)
• Net Punt Average	46.0 at Charleston Southern (11/7)	34. 0 vs. Central Arkansas (8/27)	54.0 at Western Illinois (10/24)	23.0 vs. Central Arkansas (8/27)
• Punts Inside 20	4 at Tennessee State (10/10)	0, 2x, vs. Chicago State (9/5)	2 vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	0, 4x, at Tennessee State (10/10)
• Long Punt Return	28 vs. Lindenwood (11/14)	0 vs. Central Arkansas (8/27)	36 at Austin Peay (9/26)	7 vs. Chicago State (9/5)

INDIVIDUAL **GAME HIGHS**

	UT MARTIN	OPPONENT
• Rushes	21, Chris Franklin at Tennessee State (10/10)	25, Kennedy McGill at Western Illinois (10/24)
• Rushing Yards	118, Tommy Ansley vs. Chicago State (9/5)	210, Kennedy McGill at Western Illinois (10/24)
• Rushing Touchdowns	3, Tommy Ansley vs. Chicago State (9/5)	3, Kennedy McGill at at Western Illinois (10/24)
• Longest Rush	58, Tate Surber vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	71, Michael Jr. at West Virginia (9/12)
• Pass Completions	20, Tate Surber at Austin Peay (9/26)	26, Marcus Stokes vs. Memphis (9/19)
• Pass Attempts	34, Tate Surber at Western Illinois (10/24)	37, Pops Battle vs. Lindenwood (11/14)
• Passing Yards	266, Tate Surber at Western Illinois (10/24)	288, Pops Battle vs. Lindenwood (11/14)
• Passing TDs	2, Tate Surber vs. Memphis (9/19)	4, 2x, last by Cole LaCrue vs. Eastern Illinois (10/31)
• Longest Pass	79, Tate Surber at Western Illinois (10/24)	64, Cole LaCrue vs. Eastern Illinois (10/31)
• Receptions	6, 3x, last by Makhia Sherrard vs. Lindenwood (11/14)	8, 2x, last by Jermane Hayes vs. Memphis (9/19)
• Receiving Yards	85, Makhia Sherrard at Austin Peay (9/26)	112, DJ Epps at West Virginia (9/12)
• Receiving TDs	1, 5x, last by Phaizon Wilson vs. Lindenwood (11/14)	3, Jalen Smith vs. Lindenwood (11/14)
• Longest Rec.	79, Deuce Oliver at Western Illinois (10/24)	67, Jacarre Fleming-Page vs. Eastern Illinois (10/31)
• Field Goals	3, Brandon Sims vs. Lindenwood (11/14)	2, Ronan Culkin at Western Illinois (10/24)
• Longest Field Goal	44, Brandon Sims vs. Lindenwood (11/14)	51, Ronan Culkin at Western Illinois (10/24)
• Punts	7, Max Zuluaga vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	8, Donovan Blair vs. Chicago State (9/5)
• Punting Average	53.2, Max Zuluaga at West Virginia (9/12)	45.3, Cade Cox vs. Eastern Illinois (10/31)
• Long Punt	75, Max Zuluaga vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)	53, Ronan Culkin at Western Illinois (10/24)
• Punts Inside 20	4, Max Zuluaga at Tennessee State (10/10)	2, Andrew Bontekoe vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)
• Long Punt Return	55, Deuce Oliver at Charleston Southern (11/7)	38, Denver Harper at Austin Peay (9/26)
• Long Kickoff Return	31, Makhia Sherrard vs. Central Arkansas (8/27)	86, Joshua George vs. Gardner-Webb (10/17)
• Tackles	12, Quincy Hamilton vs. Lindenwood (11/14)	16, Ashtyn Williams vs. Central Arkansas (8/27)
• Sacks	2.0, Malik Brown at Austin Peay (9/26)	1.0, 11x, last by Archibald/Vecchiarelli vs. Eastern Illinois (10/31)
• Tackles for Loss	2.0, Duston Chavis/Malik Brown at Austin Peay (9/26)	2.0, Ashton Woods at West Virginia (9/12)
• Interceptions	1, 11, last by Lamarion Pierce at Charleston Southern (11/7)	1, 12x, last by Addo-Boateng/Wilson vs. Eastern Illinois (10/31)

SKYHAWK **MONEY PLAYS**

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

MONEY **RUSHERS**

MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
FRANKLIN, Chris	30	7	34	150
PEETE, Jaydon	30	5	33	105
ANSLEY, Tommy	14	6	17	44
SURBER, Tate	8	3	11	46
CALVEZ, Julian	6	0	6	21
SHERRARD, Makhia	4	2	4	8
ARD, Greg	3	0	3	16
BEASLEY, Jordan	1	0	1	11
OLIVER, Deuce	1	0	1	3
TOTALS	**97**	**23**	**110**	**412**

1ST DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
FRANKLIN, Chris	8	2	10	79
PEETE, Jaydon	7	0	7	48
ANSLEY, Tommy	4	3	6	24
SHERRARD, Makhia	2	0	2	4
SURBER, Tate	1	1	2	15
TOTALS	**22**	**6**	**27**	**194**

2ND DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
FRANKLIN, Chris	12	5	14	52
PEETE, Jaydon	11	2	13	35
ANSLEY, Tommy	5	3	6	13
SURBER, Tate	3	1	4	17
ARD, Greg	3	0	3	7
CALVEZ, Julian	3	0	3	7
OLIVER, Deuce	1	0	1	2
TOTALS	**38**	**11**	**44**	**136**

3RD DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
PEETE, Jaydon	10	2	11	19
FRANKLIN, Chris	6	0	6	14
SURBER, Tate	4	1	5	14
ANSLEY, Tommy	3	0	3	5
CALVEZ, Julian	1	0	1	5
BEASLEY, Jordan	1	0	1	7
SHERRARD, Makhia	1	1	1	2
TOTALS	**26**	**4**	**28**	**68**

4TH DOWN MONEY RUSHERS	1st	TD	No.	Att
FRANKLIN, Chris	4	0	4	5
CALVEZ, Julian	2	0	2	2
PEETE, Jaydon	2	1	2	3
ANSLEY, Tommy	2	0	2	2
SHERRARD, Makhia	1	1	1	1
TOTALS	**11**	**2**	**11**	**14**

MONEY **RECEIVERS**

MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
SHERRARD, Makhia	16	2	17	33
OLIVER, Deuce	12	0	12	24
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	11	1	12	23
CARTER, Anthony	8	0	8	15
HEWITT, Connie	7	0	7	10
COSTNER, Kaleb	5	1	6	11
PIPKIN, Keyshaun	6	0	6	8
WILSON, Phaizon	4	1	4	12
FRANKLIN, Chris	4	0	4	17
ANSLEY, Tommy	3	0	3	6
BRICE, Jamauri	2	0	2	4
ADAMS-GRENIER, Dawson	2	0	2	3
McNEIL, AJ	1	0	1	1
PEETE, Jaydon	1	0	1	9
TOTALS	**82**	**5**	**85**	**180**

1ST DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
SHERRARD, Makhia	5	0	5	14
OLIVER, Deuce	4	0	4	9
HEWITT, Connie	3	0	3	4
COSTNER, Kaleb	1	1	2	5
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	2	0	2	9
ADAMS-GRENIER, Dawso	2	0	2	3
PEETE, Jaydon	1	0	1	6
WILSON, Phaizon	1	1	1	4
CARTER, Anthony	1	0	1	5
TOTALS	**20**	**2**	**21**	**67**

2ND DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	5	0	5	7
SHERRARD, Makhia	5	0	5	11
CARTER, Anthony	4	0	4	5
COSTNER, Kaleb	3	0	3	5
HEWITT, Connie	3	0	3	5
FRANKLIN, Chris	3	0	3	7
OLIVER, Deuce	2	0	2	4
WILSON, Phaizon	2	0	2	5
PIPKIN, Keyshaun	2	0	2	4
ANSLEY, Tommy	1	0	1	3
BRICE, Jamauri	1	0	1	3
TOTALS	**31**	**0**	**31**	**64**

3RD DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
SHERRARD, Makhia	6	2	7	8
OLIVER, Deuce	5	0	5	9
PIPKIN, Keyshaun	4	0	4	4
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	3	1	4	6
ANSLEY, Tommy	2	0	2	3
CARTER, Anthony	2	0	2	4
COSTNER, Kaleb	1	0	1	1
McNEIL, AJ	1	0	1	1
FRANKLIN, Chris	1	0	1	2
BRICE, Jamauri	1	0	1	1
WILSON, Phaizon	1	0	1	2
HEWITT, Connie	1	0	1	1
TOTALS	**28**	**3**	**30**	**44**

4TH DOWN MONEY RECEPTIONS	1st	TD	No.	Att
CARTER, Anthony	1	0	1	1
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	1	0	1	1
OLIVER, Deuce	1	0	1	2
TOTALS	**3**	**0**	**3**	**5**

GAME-BY-GAME **STARTERS**

Date	Opponent	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR/TE	TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
8/27	Central Arkansas	Calvez	Franklin	Washington	Sherrard	Costner	Smithberger	Macias	Lane	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Gray
9/5	Chicago State	Calvez	Ansley	Washington	Oliver	Sherrard	Costner	Macias	Lane	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Gray
9/12	at West Virginia	Calvez	Franklin	Washington	Carter	Costner	Hewitt	Macias	Lane	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Gray
9/19	at Memphis	Surber	Ansley	Washington	Oliver	Sherrard	Costner	Macias	Lane	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Gray
9/26	at Austin Peay	Surber	Franklin	Carter	Oliver	Sherrard	Costner	Macias	Lane	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Gray
10/10	at Tennessee State*	Surber	Franklin	Washington	Oliver	Sherrard	Costner	Macias	Lane	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Gray
10/17	Gardner-Webb*	Surber	Franklin	Washington	Sherrard	Costner	Adams-Grenier	Macias	Lane	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Gray
10/24	at Western Illinois*	Surber	Franklin	Carter	Oliver	Sherrard	Costner	Macias	Couch	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Gray
10/31	Eastern Illinois*	Surber	Franklin	Washington	Oliver	Sherrard	Costner	Macias	Lane	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Gray
11/7	at Charleston Southern*	Surber	Franklin	Carter	Oliver	Pipkin	Costner	Macias	Couch	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Smithberger
11/14	Lindenwood*	Surber	Franklin	Pipkin	Oliver	Sherrard	Costner	Macias	Couch	G. Smith	Egunjobi	Smithberger
11/21	at Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Date	Opponent	DE	NT	DT	OLB/S	ILB	ILB	CB	S	S	S	CB
8/27	Central Arkansas	Chavis	Tommie	C. Wilson	Betts III	J. Smith	Ponder	Mayers	Cotton	Farmer-McCray	Castleberry	Cobbins
9/5	Chicago State	Chavis	Duncan	C. Wilson	Betts III	Allen	Ponder	Mayers	Cotton	Hamilton	Castleberry	Cobbins
9/12	at West Virginia	Chavis	Tommie	C. Wilson	Brown	J. Smith	Allen	F. Washington	Cotton	Hamilton	Castleberry	Pierce
9/19	at Memphis	Chavis	Tommie	C. Wilson	Robinson	J. Smith	Jordan	F. Washington	Cotton	Farmer-McCray	Castleberry	W. Smith
9/26	at Austin Peay	Chavis	Tommie	C. Wilson	Brown	J. Smith	Jordan	F. Washington	Cotton	Mayers	Castleberry	W. Smith
10/10	at Tennessee State*	Chavis	Tommie	C. Wilson	Brown	J. Smith	Jordan	F. Washington	Chandler	Mayers	Castleberry	W. Smith
10/17	Gardner-Webb*	Chavis	Tommie	C. Wilson	Brown	J. Smith	Jordan	F. Washington	Mayers	Farmer-McCray	Castleberry	W. Smith
10/24	at Western Illinois*	Chavis	Tommie	C. Wilson	Brown	Reynolds	Jordan	F. Washington	Mayers	Farmer-McCray	Castleberry	W. Smith
10/31	Eastern Illinois*	Chavis	Tommie	C. Wilson	Dailey	J. Smith	Jordan	Pierce	Hamilton	Farmer-McCray	Castleberry	Cobbins
11/7	at Charleston Southern*	Chavis	Tommie	C. Wilson	Dailey	Chandler	Jordan	Pierce	Hamilton	Farmer-McCray	Castleberry	W. Smith
11/14	Lindenwood*	Chavis	Tommie	C. Wilson	Dailey	Chandler	Jordan	Pierce	Hamilton	Farmer-McCray	Castleberry	W. Smith
11/21	at Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Date	Opponent	KO	PK	P	H	LS	PR	KR	KR
8/27	Central Arkansas	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Sherrard	Ard
9/5	Chicago State	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Sherrard	Beasley
9/12	at West Virginia	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Webb	Beasley
9/19	at Memphis	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Webb	Beasley
9/26	at Austin Peay	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Webb	Beasley
10/10	at Tennessee State*	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Webb	Beasley
10/17	Gardner-Webb*	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Webb	Beasley
10/24	at Western Illinois*	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Webb	Beasley
10/31	Eastern Illinois*	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Webb	Beasley
11/7	at Charleston Southern*	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Webb	Beasley
11/14	Lindenwood*	Sims	Sims	Zuluaga	Zuluaga	King	Oliver	Moore	Ard
11/21	at Southeast Missouri*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

GAME-BY-GAME **BREAKDOWN**

Game	FINAL SCORE	SCORE BY QUARTER 1	2	3	4	OT	FIRST DOWNS RU	PA	PN	TOT	RUSHING ATT	YDS	TD	PASSING C-A-I	YDS	TD	OFFENSE ATT	YDS	PUNTING NO-AVG	FUMBLES NO-LOST	PENALTY NO-YDS	THIRD DOWNS	TOTAL TOP
vs. Central Arkansas	L, 36-24	7	10	0	7	0	10	6	0	16	33	149	2	13-24-2	147	0	57	296	1-48	0-0	2-16	3-11	29:42
vs. Chicago State	W, 42-7	0	21	0	21	0	11	11	3	25	38	216	6	17-26-1	261	0	64	477	3-150	2-1	13-110	5-9	29:19
at West Virginia	L, 52-7	0	0	0	7	0	7	11	0	18	37	148	0	22-33-1	170	0	70	318	5-213	1-1	6-59	7-16	34:44
at Memphis	L, 45-21	0	7	0	14	0	6	7	1	14	28	114	1	17-29-0	177	2	57	291	4-187	1-0	8-50	7-13	28:46
at #11 Austin Peay	L, 35-12	9	3	0	0	0	4	8	1	13	36	122	0	20-27-2	175	1	63	297	6-281	0-0	4-20	5-15	32:13
at Tennessee State	W, 42-28	0	14	14	14	0	9	6	4	19	45	193	4	15-21-0	114	0	66	307	5-198	2-2	10-105	3-14	34:22
vs. Gardner-Webb	W, 17-6	0	7	3	7	0	12	3	1	16	53	218	1	10-25-2	92	1	78	310	7-329	2-1	6-52	7-19	41:01
at Western Illinois	L, 55-24	0	10	7	7	0	4	11	5	20	33	90	3	19-37-2	276	0	70	366	4-205	2-1	4-28	5-13	29:47
vs. Eastern Illinois	L, 45-16	0	13	3	0	16	11	6	1	18	32	236	2	14-28-2	105	0	60	341	6-292	0-0	4-30	3-11	28:44
at Charleston Southern	W, 20-10	14	0	0	6	0	9	5	2	16	44	157	1	14-16-0	88	0	60	245	4-183	2-1	9-75	4-12	34:24
vs. Lindenwood	W, 38-31	0	17	6	15	0	14	9	1	24	48	261	3	19-28-0	213	1	76	474	2-78	2-0	5-46	9-17	38:32

GAME-BY-GAME **PARTICIPATION**

#	Name	GP/GS	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
87	ADAMS-GRENIER	9/1	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
82	ADEDURO, Ololado	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
8	ALLEN, Reginald	9/2	XXX	START	START	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	
56	ANNUNZIATA, Khaleel	4/-	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	
39	ANSLEY, Tommy	4/2	XXX	START	XXX	START	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
9	ARD, Greg	8/-	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
21	BEASLEY, Jordan	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
42	BETTS, John	10/2	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	
29	BOOTHE, Carter	3/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	
85	BOWLING, Jaren	6/-	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	
15	BRICE, Jamauri	6/-	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	
43	BROWN, Malik	11/5	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	
4	CALVEZ, Julian	5/3	START	START	START	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	
11	CARTER, Anthony	11/4	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	START	XXX	
3	CASTLEBERRY, Joel	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
46	CHANDLER, Kennarius	11/3	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	
38	CHARLES, Cy	4/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
23	CHAVIS, Duston	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
13	COBBINS, CJ	9/3	START	START	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	
0	COSTNER, Kaleb	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
5	COTTON, Trey	7/5	START	START	START	START	START	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	
75	CROUCH, Logan	6/3	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	START	XXX	START	START	
47	CRUMP, Patrick	4/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
41	DAILEY, Bryce	11/3	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	
24	DAMRON, Christopher	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
35	DEARMON, Braylin	4/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
86	DONNELLY, Ryan	4/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...	
96	DUNCAN, Rasheen	10/1	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	
64	EGUNJOBI, Dolapo	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
4	FARMER-MCCRAY	9/6	START	...	...	START	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	XXX	START	
14	FISHER, Ant	10/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
2	FRANKLIN, Chris	11/9	START	XXX	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
10	GLOVER, Aidan	3/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	...	
40	GRAHAM, Simeon	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	
71	GRAY, Travis	9/9	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	...	...	
30	GREENWOOD Jr., Jack	2/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	
63	HAGEMANN, Matt	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	
22	HAMILTON, Quincy	10/5	XXX	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	START	START	START	
88	HEWITT, Connie	10/1	...	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
45	HORNBUCKLE, Tyson	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
90	JACKSON, Jordyn	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
95	JOHNSON, Daveon	7/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	
20	JORDAN, Brylan	11/8	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
44	KING, Hayden	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
55	LANE, Eric	9/8	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	START	...	...	
78	MACIAS, Santiago	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
10	MAYERS, Jamal	6/6	START	START	...	...	START	START	START	START	...	...	...	
83	McNEIL, AJ	5/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	
80	MOORE, Isaac	8/-	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
54	MORRIS, Andre	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
19	MUKULU, Nissi	11/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	
1	OLIVER, Deuce	11/8	XXX	START	XXX	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	
20	PEETE, Jaydon	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
2	PIERCE, LaMarion	11/4	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	
6	PIPKIN, Keyshaun	5/2	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	
32	PONDER, Stefan	11/2	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
25	POWELL, Cameron	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
11	REYNOLDS, Porter	11/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	
28	ROBERTSON, Cam	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
26	ROBINSON, AJ	6/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	
27	RODGERS, Jawell	1/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	
7	SHERRARD, Makhia	11/10	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	START	
37	SIMS, Brandon	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
68	SMITH, Garrett	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
0	SMITH, Jamarcus	11/7	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	
17	SMITH, Wendell	9/7	...	...	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	
70	SMITHBERGER, A	11/3	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	
8	SURBER, Tate	10/8	...	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
93	TOMMIE, Broderick	11/10	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
77	TURNER, Riley	2/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	
76	WALLACE, Bryan	5/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	
16	WASHINGTON, Farand	11/6	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	
3	WASHINGTON, Kaleb	10/6	START	START	XXX	START	XXX	START	START	XXX	START	...	XXX	
15	WEBB, Tre'Marcus	10/-	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
51	WILSON, Chris	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
5	WILSON, Phaizon	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
34	ZULUAGA, Max	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	

TEAM **STATISTICS**

Date	Opponent	Site	Result	Attendance	Top Rusher	Top Passer	Top Receiver	Top Tackler
Aug. 27	Central Arkansas	Martin, Tenn.	L, 36-24	5,516	Ansley (10-61-2)	Calvez (13-24-147-0)	K. Washington (3-53-0)	J. Smith (10)
Sept. 5	Chicago State	Martin, Tenn.	W, 42-7	3,532	Ansley (16-118-3)	Surber (16-23-222-0)	Carter (3-62-0)	Allen (8)
Sept. 12	at West Virginia	Morgantown, W. Va.	L, 52-7	47,049	Franklin (12-85-0)	Surber (19-28-137-0)	Sherrard (3-36-0)	Cotton (10)
Sept. 19	at Memphis	Memphis, Tenn.	L, 45-21	30,840	Peete (6-38-0)	Surber (17-29-177-2)	Oliver (4-69-0)	Castleberry/Cotton (8)
Sept. 26	at Austin Peay	Clarksville, Tenn.	L, 35-12	7,981	Franklin (12-63-0)	Surber (20-27-175-1)	Sherrad (5-85-0)	Farmer-McCray/Smith (7)
Oct. 10	at Tennessee State*	Nashville, Tenn.	W, 42-28	670	Franklin (21-93-2)	Surber (15-21-114-0)	K. Washington (6-53-0)	B. Jordan (7)
Oct. 17	Gardner-Webb*	Martin, Tenn.	W, 17-6	4,077	Peete (18-73-1)	Surber (10-25-92-1)	Costner (2-33-0)	Farmer-McCray (6)
Oct. 24	at Western Illinois*	Macomb, Ill.	L, 55-24	3,243	Franklin (10-57-1)	Surber (18-34-266-0)	Pipkin (4-77-0)	Jordan (8)
Oct. 31	Eastern Illinois*	Martin, Tenn.	L, 45-16	5,168	Peete (11-99-0)	Surber (12-23-76-0)	Oliver (2-34-0)	3 Tied (6)
Nov. 7	at Charleston Southern*	Charleston, S.C.	W, 20-10	2,201	Peete (20-79-0)	Surber (14-16-88-0)	Sherrard (3-15-0)	2 Tied (6)
Nov. 14	Lindenwood*	Martin, Tenn.	W, 38-31	2,527	Franklin/Peete (104)	Surber (19-28-213-1)	Sherrard (6-82-0)	Hamilton (12)
Nov. 21	at Southeast Missouri*	Cape Girardeau, Mo.	-	-	-	-	-	-

TEAM STATISTICS	UTM	OPP
SCORING	263	350
Points Per Game	23.9	31.8
Points Off Turnovers	62	45
FIRST DOWNS	197	202
Rushing	97	80
Passing	82	112
Penalty	18	10
RUSHING YARDAGE	1916	1856
Yards gained rushing	2146	2053
Yards lost rushing	230	197
Rushing Attempts	427	347
Average Per Rush	4.5	5.3
Average Per Game	174.2	168.7
TDs Rushing	23	19
PASSING YARDAGE	1818	2607
Comp-Att-Int	180-294-12	191-332-11
Average Per Pass	6.2	7.9
Average Per Catch	10.1	13.6
Average Per Game	165.3	237.0
TDs Passing	5	26
TOTAL OFFENSE	3734	4463
Total Plays	721	679
Average Per Play	5.2	6.6
Average Per Game	339.5	405.7
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	16-318	21-525
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	12-146	19-152
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	11-242	12-94
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	19.9	25.0
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	12.2	8.0
INT RETURN AVERAGE	22.0	9.4
FUMBLES-LOST	14-7	10-4
PENALTIES-Yards	69-656	52-441
Average Per Game	59.6	40.1
PUNTS-Yards	47-2160	41-1579
Average Per Punt	46.0	38.5
Net punt average	40.6	33.5
KICKOFFS-Yards	54-3111	67-3879
Average Per Kick	57.6	57.9
Net kick average	38.2	39.7
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	32:52	27:08
3RD-DOWN Conversions	58/150	59/134
3rd-Down Pct	39%	44%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	14/26	6/15
4th-Down Pct	54%	40%
SACKS BY-Yards	12-91	15-101
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	33	47
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	10-12	8-11
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(30-36) 83%	(31-36) 86%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(23-36) 64%	(24-36) 67%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(31-32) 97%	(44-47) 94%
ATTENDANCE	20820	91984
Games/Avg Per Game	5/4164	6/15331
Neutral Site Games		0/0

BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	OT	TOTAL
UT Martin	30	102	33	98	-	263
Opponents	96	86	85	83	-	350

OFFENSIVE **STATISTICS**

RUSHING

Name	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
FRANKLIN, Chris	11	150	741	26	715	4.8	7	48	65.0
PEETE, Jaydon	11	105	560	23	537	5.1	5	50	48.8
ANSLEY, Tommy	4	44	239	5	234	5.3	6	28	58.5
SURBER, Tate	10	61	263	132	131	2.1	3	58	13.1
SHERRARD, Makhia	11	8	100	0	100	12.5	2	34	9.1
ARD, Greg	8	16	85	3	82	5.1	0	22	10.2
CALVEZ, Julian	5	21	96	23	73	3.5	0	23	14.6
BEASLEY, Jordan	11	11	38	1	37	3.4	0	8	3.4
OLIVER, Deuce	11	3	18	0	18	6.0	0	10	1.6
CARTER, Anthony	11	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	0.2
ZULUAGA, Max	11	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.2
GLOVER, Aidan	3	2	4	7	-3	-1.5	0	4	-1.0
TEAM	11	4	0	8	-8	-2.0	0	0	-0.7
Total.....	**11**	**427**	**2146**	**230**	**1916**	**4.5**	**23**	**58**	**174.2**
Opponents.....	**11**	**347**	**2053**	**197**	**1856**	**5.3**	**19**	**87**	**168.7**

PASSING

Name	GP	Rating	Comp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
SURBER, Tate	10	113.20	160-254-10	63.0	1560	5	79	156.0
CALVEZ, Julian	5	92.95	19-39-2	48.7	253	0	39	50.6
GLOVER, Aidan	3	142.00	1-1-0	100.0	5	0	5	1.7
Total.....	**11**	**110.62**	**180-294-12**	**61.2**	**1818**	**5**	**79**	**165.3**
Opponents.....	**11**	**142.71**	**191-332-11**	**57.5**	**2607**	**26**	**99**	**237.0**

RECEIVING

Name	GP	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
SHERRARD, Makhia	11	33	387	11.7	2	42	35.2
OLIVER, Deuce	11	24	336	14.0	0	79	30.5
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	10	23	212	9.2	1	33	21.2
FRANKLIN, Chris	11	17	91	5.4	0	14	8.3
CARTER, Anthony	11	15	163	10.9	0	46	14.8
WILSON, Phaizon	11	12	93	7.8	1	14	8.5
COSTNER, Kaleb	11	11	117	10.6	1	25	10.6
HEWITT, Connie	10	10	129	12.9	0	24	12.9
PEETE, Jaydon	11	9	57	6.3	0	18	5.2
PIPKIN, Keyshaun	5	8	117	14.6	0	47	23.4
ANSLEY, Tommy	4	6	44	7.3	0	16	11.0
BRICE, Jamauri	6	4	30	7.5	0	13	5.0
ADAMS-GRENIER, Dawso	9	3	25	8.3	0	12	2.8
BEASLEY, Jordan	11	2	4	2.0	0	4	0.4
ARD, Greg	8	2	3	1.5	0	2	0.4
McNEIL, AJ	5	1	10	10.0	0	10	2.0
Total.....	**11**	**180**	**1818**	**10.1**	**5**	**79**	**165.3**
Opponents.....	**11**	**191**	**2607**	**13.6**	**26**	**99**	**237.0**

INDIVIDUAL **STATISTICS**

SPECIAL TEAMS **STATISTICS**

PUNT RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
OLIVER, Deuce	10	146	14.6	0	55
HORNBUCKLE, Tyson	1	0	0.0	0	0
MOORE, Isaac	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total.....	**12**	**146**	**12.2**	**0**	**55**
Opponents.....	**19**	**152**	**8.0**	**0**	**38**

INTERCEPTIONS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	2	56	28.0	1	33
PIERCE, LaMarion	2	54	27.0	1	57
MAYERS, Jamal	2	44	22.0	0	44
ALLEN, Reginald	1	19	19.0	0	19
SMITH, Wendell	1	0	0.0	0	0
COTTON, Trey	1	55	55.0	1	55
PONDER, Stefan	1	14	14.0	0	14
FISHER, Ant	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total.....	**11**	**242**	**22.0**	**3**	**57**
Opponents.....	**12**	**94**	**7.8**	**0**	**46**

KICKOFF RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
WEBB, Tre'Marcus	10	177	17.7	0	28
McNEIL, AJ	3	75	25.0	0	30
SHERRARD, Makhia	3	66	22.0	0	31
Total.....	**16**	**318**	**19.9**	**0**	**31**
Opponents.....	**21**	**525**	**25.0**	**1**	**86**

FUMBLE RETURNS

Name	Ret	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
BETTS, John	1	6	6.0	1	6
WASHINGTON, Farand	1	97	97.0	1	97
Total.....	**2**	**103**	**51.5**	**2**	**97**
Opponents.....	**2**	**32**	**16.0**	**1**	**18**

FIELD GOALS

Name	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg
SIMS, Brandon	10-12	83.3	0-0	3-3	3-5	4-4	0-0	44

FIELD GOAL SEQUENCE BY GAME

	UT Martin	Opponents
Central Arkansas	(25),34	(32)
Chicago State	-	-
West Virginia	36	(35)
Memphis	-	(30)
Austin Peay	(24)	47
Tennessee St.	-	-
Gardner-Webb	(37)	54
Western Ill.	(22)	47,(28),(51)
Eastern Illinois	(39)	(36)
Charleston So.	(43),(41)	(33)
Lindenwood	(43),(33),(44)	(31)

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

PUNTING

Name	Punts	Yds	Avg	Lg	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
ZULUAGA, Max	46	2160	47.0	75	5	10	16	14	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total.....	**47**	**2160**	**46.0**	**75**	**5**	**10**	**16**	**14**	**1**
Opponents.....	**41**	**1579**	**38.5**	**53**	**3**	**16**	**6**	**4**	**0**

KICKOFFS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
SIMS, Brandon	54	3111	57.6	21	3			
Total.....	**54**	**3111**	**57.6**	**21**	**3**	**525**	**38.2**	**26**
Opponents.....	**67**	**3879**	**57.9**	**36**	**2**	**318**	**39.7**	**25**

MISCELLANEOUS **STATISTICS**

SCORING

Name	TD	FGs	PAT Kick	PAT Rush	PAT Rcv	PAT Pass	PAT DXP	Saf	Pts
SIMS, Brandon	0	10-12	31-32	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	61
FRANKLIN, Chris	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	42
ANSLEY, Tommy	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	36
PEETE, Jaydon	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
SHERRARD, Makhia	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
SURBER, Tate	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1-1	0	0	18
COTTON, Trey	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
BETTS, John	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
WILSON, Phaizon	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
COSTNER, Kaleb	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
WASHINGTON, Farand	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
PIERCE, LaMarion	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
TEAM	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	1	2
HEWITT, Connie	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	0	0	2
Total.....	**33**	**10-12**	**31-32**	**0-0**	**1**	**1-1**	**0**	**1**	**263**
Opponents.....	**47**	**8-11**	**44-47**	**0-0**	**0**	**0-0**	**0**	**0**	**350**

TOTAL OFFENSE

Name	GP	Plays	Rush	Pass	Tot	Avg/G
SURBER, Tate	10	315	131	1560	1691	169.1
FRANKLIN, Chris	11	150	715	0	715	65.0
PEETE, Jaydon	11	105	537	0	537	48.8
CALVEZ, Julian	5	60	73	253	326	65.2
ANSLEY, Tommy	4	44	234	0	234	58.5
SHERRARD, Makhia	11	8	100	0	100	9.1
ARD, Greg	8	16	82	0	82	10.2
BEASLEY, Jordan	11	11	37	0	37	3.4
OLIVER, Deuce	11	3	18	0	18	1.6
GLOVER, Aidan	3	3	-3	5	2	0.7
CARTER, Anthony	11	1	2	0	2	0.2
ZULUAGA, Max	11	1	-2	0	-2	-0.2
TEAM	11	4	-8	0	-8	-0.7
Total.....	**11**	**721**	**1916**	**1818**	**3734**	**339.5**
Opponents.....	**11**	**679**	**1856**	**2607**	**4463**	**405.7**

ALL-PURPOSE

Name	GP	Rush	Rec	PR	KR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
FRANKLIN, Chris	11	715	91	0	0	0	806	73.3
PEETE, Jaydon	11	537	57	0	0	0	594	54.0
SHERRARD, Makhia	11	100	387	0	66	0	553	50.3
OLIVER, Deuce	11	18	336	146	0	0	500	45.5
ANSLEY, Tommy	4	234	44	0	0	0	278	69.5
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	10	0	212	0	0	0	212	21.2
WEBB, Tre'Marcus	10	0	0	0	177	0	177	17.7
CARTER, Anthony	11	2	163	0	0	0	165	15.0
SURBER, Tate	10	131	0	0	0	0	131	13.1
HEWITT, Connie	10	0	129	0	0	0	129	12.9
COSTNER, Kaleb	11	0	117	0	0	0	117	10.6
PIPKIN, Keyshaun	5	0	117	0	0	0	117	23.4
WILSON, Phaizon	11	0	93	0	0	0	93	8.5
McNEIL, AJ	5	0	10	0	75	0	85	17.0
ARD, Greg	8	82	3	0	0	0	85	10.6
CALVEZ, Julian	5	73	0	0	0	0	73	14.6
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	11	0	0	0	0	56	56	5.1
COTTON, Trey	7	0	0	0	0	55	55	7.9
PIERCE, LaMarion	11	0	0	0	0	54	54	4.9
MAYERS, Jamal	6	0	0	0	0	44	44	7.3
BEASLEY, Jordan	11	37	4	0	0	0	41	3.7
BRICE, Jamauri	6	0	30	0	0	0	30	5.0
ADAMS-GRENIER, Dawso		9	0	25	0	0	025	2.8
ALLEN, Reginald	9	0	0	0	0	19	19	2.1
PONDER, Stefan	11	0	0	0	0	14	14	1.3
ZULUAGA, Max	11	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-0.2
GLOVER, Aidan	3	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-1.0
TEAM	11	-8	0	0	0	0	-8	-0.7
Total.....	**11**	**1916**	**1818**	**146**	**318**	**242**	**4440**	**403.6**
Opponents.....	**11**	**1856**	**2607**	**152**	**525**	**94**	**5234**	**475.8**

INDIVIDUAL **STATISTICS**

DEFENSIVE **STATISTICS**

No.	Player	GP-GS	ST	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int	PBU	QBH	FR-Yds	FF	Blk	Saf
3	CASTLEBERRY, Joel	11-11	31	25	56	4.0-17	1.0-14	2-56	5	1	2-0	.	.	.
0	SMITH, Jamarcus	11-7	15	41	56	4.0-10	0.5-2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
20	JORDAN, Brylan	11-8	18	28	46	4.5-19	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
51	WILSON, Chris	11-11	17	27	44	5.5-21	2.0-13	.	6	9	.	.	2	.
4	FARMER-MCCRAY, Z	9-6	24	16	40	1.5-5	1.0-4	.	3	2	.	.	.	.
5	COTTON, Trey	7-5	20	19	39	2.5-4	.	1-55	1	2	.	1	.	.
22	HAMILTON, Quincy	10-5	24	11	35	1.0-1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
23	CHAVIS, Duston	11-11	8	25	33	6.5-25	2.5-13	.	2	5	.	1	.	.
16	WASHINGTON, Farand	11-6	22	7	29	.	.	.	1	.	1-97	.	.	.
43	BROWN, Malik	11-5	11	18	29	4.0-36	3.5-33	.	1	6	.	.	.	.
8	ALLEN, Reginald	9-2	11	11	22	1.5-1	.	1-19	1	.	.	.	.	.
10	MAYERS, Jamal	6-6	15	5	20	1.5-11	.	2-44	6	.	.	.	.	.
46	CHANDLER, Kennarius	11-3	10	8	18	2.0-4	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.
2	PIERCE, LaMarion	11-4	12	6	18	.	.	2-54	6	.	.	.	.	.
93	TOMMIE, Broderick	11-10	3	14	17	3.0-7	.	.	3	3	.	1	.	.
19	MUKULU, Nissi	11-1	11	4	15	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96	DUNCAN, Rasheen	10-1	6	7	13	1.5-11	1.0-11	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
17	SMITH, Wendell	9-7	10	3	13	.	.	1-0	6	.	.	.	.	.
14	FISHER, Ant	10-0	9	3	12	.	.	1-0	4	.	.	.	.	.
11	REYNOLDS, Porter	11-1	3	9	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	PONDER, Stefan	11-2	6	5	11	.	.	1-14	.	3	.	.	.	.
95	JOHNSON, Daveon	7-0	2	9	11	1.0-1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
41	DAILEY, Bryce	11-3	6	3	9	0.5-1	0.5-1	.	.	8	.	.	.	.
13	COBBINS, CJ	9-3	5	4	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
28	ROBERTSON, Cam	11-0	3	4	7	1.0-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
54	MORRIS, Andre	11-0	2	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
42	BETTS, John	10-2	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	1	1-6	.	.	.
26	ROBINSON, AJ	6-1	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	POWELL, Cameron	11-0	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
50	KING, Hayden	11-0	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	DEARMON, Braylin	4-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
24	DAMRON, Christopher	11-0	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90	JACKSON, Jordyn	3-0	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	WEBB, Tre'Marcus	10-0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45	HORNBUCKLE, Tyson	11-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
21	BEASLEY, Jordan	11-0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM	TEAM	11-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Total.....	**11-0**	**326**	**340**	**666**	**46-179**	**12-91**	**11-242**	**50**	**48**	**4-103**	**4**	**3**	**1**
	Opponents.....	**11-0**	**391**	**414**	**805**	**50.0-187**	**15-101**	**12-94**	**41**	**32**	**7-32**	**7**	**1**	**.**

GIVEAWAYS/TAKEAWAYS

Game	Giveaways F	I	T	Takeaways F	I	T	Dif.
Central Arkansas	0	2	2	0	1	1	-1
Chicago State	1	0	1	1	0	0	-1
West Virginia	1	1	2	1	0	1	-1
Memphis	0	0	0	0	1	1	+1
Austin Peay	0	2	2	1	0	1	-1
Tennessee State	2	0	2	1	3	4	+2
Gardner-Webb	1	2	3	0	3	3	+0
Western Illinois	1	2	3	0	1	1	-2
Eastern Illinois	0	2	2	0	1	1	-1
Charleston Southern	1	0	1	0	1	1	+0
Lindenwood	0	0	0	1	0	1	+1
Southeast Missouri	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	**7**	**11**	**18**	**4**	**11**	**15**	**-3**

INTERCEPTIONS

Game	No.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
Central Arkansas	1	55	55.0	1	55
Chicago State	-	-	-	-	-
West Virginia	-	-	-	-	-
Memphis	1	33	33.0	-	33
Austin Peay	-	-	-	-	-
Tennessee State	3	64	21.3	1	44
Gardner-Webb	3	19	6.3	0	19
Western Illinois	1	14	14.0	0	14
Eastern Illinois	1	0	0.0	0	0
Charleston Southern	1	57	57.0	1	57
Lindenwood	-	-	-	-	-
Southeast Missouri	-	-	-	-	-
Total	**11**	**215**	**19.5**	**3**	**57**

OPENING OFFENSIVE DRIVE

Game	1st Half	2nd Half
Central Arkansas	Interception	Missed FG
Chicago State	Punt	Punt
West Virginia	Downs	Interception
Memphis	Downs	Punt
Austin Peay	Punt	Interception
Tennessee State	Fumble	Fumble
Gardner-Webb	Punt	Punt
Western Illinois	Punt	TOUCHDOWN
Eastern Illinois	Punt	Punt
Charleston Southern	Punt	Punt
Lindenwood	Downs	FIELD GOAL
Southeast Missouri	-	-

OPENING DEFENSIVE DRIVE

Game	1st Half	2nd Half
Central Arkansas	Punt	Touchdown
Chicago State	Touchdown	Punt
West Virginia	Touchdown	Touchdown
Memphis	Field Goal	Touchdown
Austin Peay	SAFETY	Touchdown
Tennessee State	INTERCEPTION	FUMBLE
Gardner-Webb	Punt	Punt
Western Illinois	Touchdown	Touchdown
Eastern Illinois	Touchdown	Touchdown
Charleston Southern	Punt	Punt
Lindenwood	Touchdown	Punt
Southeast Missouri	-	-

UNIFORM COMBINATIONS

Game	Helmet	Jersey	Pants
Central Arkansas	White	White	Navy
Chicago State	White	Navy	Navy
West Virginia	White	White	White
Memphis	White	Navy	White
Austin Peay	Navy	White	White
Tennessee State	Navy	White	Navy
Gardner-Webb	Navy	Grey	Grey
Western Illinois	Navy	White	Navy
Eastern Illinois	Navy	Navy	Navy
Charleston Southern	White	White	White
Lindenwood	White	Navy	White
Southeast Missouri	-	-	-

INDIVIDUAL **GAME-BY-GAME**

OFFENSIVE **GAME-BY-GAME**

PASSING

#4 CALVEZ, Julian	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic
Central Arkansas	24	13	2	54.2	147	0	36	0	0	88.9
Chicago State	3	1	0	33.3	39	0	39	0	0	142.5
West Virginia	4	2	0	50.0	28	0	24	0	0	108.8
Western Ill.	3	1	0	33.3	10	0	10	0	0	61.3
Eastern Illinois	5	2	0	40.0	29	0	29	0	0	88.7
TOTALS	**39**	**19**	**2**	**48.7**	**253**	**0**	**39**	**0**	**0**	**93.0**

#8 SURBER, Tate	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic
Chicago State	23	16	1	69.6	222	0	46	0	0	141.9
West Virginia	28	19	1	67.9	137	0	25	2	14	101.8
Memphis	29	17	0	58.6	177	2	46	1	2	132.6
Austin Peay	27	20	2	74.1	175	1	42	3	22	125.9
Tennessee State	21	15	0	71.4	114	0	26	3	23	117.0
Gardner-Webb	25	10	2	40.0	92	1	20	1	9	68.1
Western Ill.	34	18	2	52.9	266	0	79	2	14	106.9
Eastern Illinois	23	12	2	52.2	76	0	13	2	12	62.5
Charleston So.	16	14	0	87.5	88	0	14	0	0	133.7
Lindenwood	28	19	0	67.9	213	1	38	1	5	143.5
TOTALS	**254**	**160**	**10**	**63.0**	**1560**	**5**	**79**	**15**	**101**	**113.2**

#10 GLOVER, Aidan	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic
West Virginia	1	1	0	100.0	5	0	5	0	0	142.0
TOTALS	**1**	**1**	**0**	**100.0**	**5**	**0**	**5**	**0**	**0**	**142.0**

RUSHING

Name	No-Yds/TD	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
FRANKLIN, Chris	150-715/7	12-38/0	14-70/2	12-85/0	7-26/0	12-63/0	21-93/2	15-42/0	10-57/1	11-67/2	18-70/0	18-104/0	
PEETE, Jaydon	105-537/5	-	3-17/1	4-16/0	6-38/0	9-17/0	12-79/0	18-73/1	8-15/2	11-99/0	20-79/0	14-104/1	
ANSLEY, Tommy	44-234/6	10-61/2	16-118/3	8-21/0	10-34/1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
SURBER, Tate	61-131/3	DNP	1-3/0	4--9/0	4-14/0	7--11/0	7--9/1	10-61/0	8-15/0	6-55/0	5-10/1	9-2/1	
SHERRARD, Makhia	8-100/2	-	-	2-16/0	-	1-2/0	1-34/1	1-10/0	-	-	-	3-38/1	
ARD, Greg	16-82/0	-	DNP	-	DNP	4-37/0	DNP	5-23/0	3-9/0	-	-	4-13/0	
CALVEZ, Julian	21-73/0	9-37/0	4-20/0	3-14/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1--13/0	4-15/0	DNP	DNP	
BEASLEY, Jordan	11-37/0	1-3/0	-	-	-	3-14/0	1-3/0	3-10/0	3-7/0	-	-	-	
OLIVER, Deuce	3-18/0	1-10/0	-	2-8/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
CARTER, Anthony	1-2/0	-	-	-	1-2/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
ZULUAGA, Max	1--2/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1--2/0	-	
GLOVER, Aidan	2--3/0	DNP	DNP	2--3/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	DNP	
TEAM	4--8/0	-	-	-	-	-	3--7/0	1--1/0	-	-	-	-	

RECEIVING

Name	No-Yds/TD	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
SHERRARD, Makhia	33-387/2	3-46/0	3-50/0	3-25/0	4-53/1	5-85/0	2-4/0	2-18/1	1-2/0	1-7/0	3-15/0	6-82/0	
OLIVER, Deuce	24-336/0	-	2-43/0	6-25/0	4-69/0	1-8/0	2-13/0	-	3-119/0	2-34/0	2-13/0	2-12/0	
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	23-212/1	3-53/0	3-28/0	3-15/0	2-4/1	3-25/0	6-53/0	1-20/0	1-12/0	-	DNP	1-2/0	
CARTER, Anthony	15-163/0	-	3-62/0	-	1-9/0	2-20/0	1-9/0	2-15/0	1-11/0	2-15/0	1-11/0	2-11/0	
HEWITT, Connie	10-129/0	DNP	3-55/0	2-29/0	1-2/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-11/0	3-32/0	
PIPKIN, Keyshaun	8-117/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	4-77/0	1-5/0	2-7/0	1-28/0	
COSTNER, Kaleb	11-117/1	1-10/0	1-7/0	3-36/0	-	1-3/1	-	2-33/0	1-4/0	1-10/0	1-14/0	-	
WILSON, Phaizon	12-93/1	-	1-5/0	-	1-8/0	-	-	1-6/0	4-30/0	1-5/0	2-14/0	2-25/1	
FRANKLIN, Chris	17-91/0	3-22/0	1-11/0	1-4/0	-	5-19/0	1-7/0	1-0/0	1-5/0	1-5/0	1--3/0	2-21/0	
PEETE, Jaydon	9-57/0	-	-	1-2/0	1-13/0	2-10/0	2-24/0	1-0/0	1-4/0	1-4/0	-	-	
ANSLEY, Tommy	6-44/0	3-16/0	-	1-12/0	2-16/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
BRICE, Jamauri	4-30/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	1-5/0	-	DNP	-	2-19/0	1-6/0	DNP	
ADAMS-GRENIER	3-25/0	DNP	DNP	2-22/0	1-3/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
McNEIL, AJ	1-10/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	1-10/0	DNP	-	-	
BEASLEY, Jordan	2-4/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-4/0	-	-	1-0/0	-	-	
ARD, Greg	2-3/0	-	DNP	-	DNP	-	DNP	-	1-2/0	1-1/0	-	-	

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TOTAL TACKLES

Name	UA-A	TOT	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	31-25	56	4-3	1-1	2-3	7-1	4-2	1-5	1-1	2-4	2-2	4-2	3-1	
SMITH, Jamarcus	15-41	56	2-8	0-2	1-3	2-2	0-7	1-3	3-2	0-5	4-2	1-3	1-4	
JORDAN, Brylan	18-28	46	0-1	1-1	2-1	5-1	1-4	3-4	0-3	2-6	2-1	0-3	2-3	
WILSON, Chris	17-27	44	2-2	2-5	2-4	5-1	1-2	0-6	1-0	2-1	0-1	1-3	1-2	
FARMER-MCCRAY	24-16	40	1-1	DNP	DNP	5-0	5-2	0-2	5-1	2-4	1-1	3-3	2-2	
COTTON, Trey	20-19	39	4-5	3-2	4-6	6-2	1-0	DNP	0-2	2-2	DNP	DNP	DNP	
HAMILTON, Quincy	24-11	35	-	3-2	4-2	-	-	1-0	DNP	1-1	4-1	2-2	9-3	
CHAVIS, Duston	8-25	33	0-8	1-2	0-1	1-0	2-3	1-3	1-4	1-0	0-1	1-0	0-3	
BROWN, Malik	11-18	29	0-1	2-4	1-3	1-0	2-1	1-4	3-1	0-2	0-1	0-1	1-0	
WASHINGTON, Farand	22-7	29	2-0	2-3	2-0	-	2-0	4-1	2-1	1-1	5-1	-	2-0	
ALLEN, Reginald	11-11	22	3-2	3-5	2-1	1-1	-	DNP	-	DNP	1-2	1-0	-	
MAYERS, Jamal	15-5	20	8-1	1-1	DNP	DNP	4-2	2-0	-	0-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	
PIERCE, LaMarion	12-6	18	1-0	3-1	-	0-1	2-2	1-0	-	1-1	1-0	2-1	1-0	
CHANDLER, Kennarius	10-8	18	3-1	0-2	3-1	1-0	1-1	-	-	1-0	0-2	1-1	-	
TOMMIE, Broderick	3-14	17	1-5	0-2	-	-	-	1-3	-	0-2	1-1	0-1	-	
MUKULU, Nissi	11-4	15	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	2-0	2-0	4-2	2-1	-	
SMITH, Wendell	10-3	13	DNP	DNP	3-0	4-0	-	-	-	2-0	1-0	0-2	0-1	
DUNCAN, Rasheen	6-7	13	-	0-3	0-1	3-0	1-0	-	-	1-2	1-1	-	DNP	
REYNOLDS, Porter	3-9	12	-	0-5	0-2	0-1	-	-	1-1	2-0	-	-	-	
FISHER, Ant	9-3	12	3-2	-	2-0	-	1-0	DNP	-	-	2-0	1-1	-	
JOHNSON, Daveon	2-9	11	0-3	-	2-3	DNP	DNP	0-1	-	-	DNP	0-2	DNP	
PONDER, Stefan	6-5	11	0-1	3-1	-	0-1	-	1-0	-	2-0	0-2	-	-	
COBBINS, CJ	5-4	9	2-0	-	-	DNP	DNP	1-0	2-0	-	0-2	-	0-2	
DAILEY, Bryce	6-3	9	-	-	-	2-1	-	1-0	-	1-0	1-0	0-1	1-1	
ROBERTSON, Cam	3-4	7	-	0-1	-	0-1	-	1-0	0-1	-	1-0	1-0	0-1	
BETTS, John	3-3	6	1-2	-	1-1	-	-	-	1-0	-	DNP	-	-	
MORRIS, Andre	2-4	6	-	-	-	1-1	1-0	-	-	0-2	0-1	-	-	
ROBINSON, AJ	3-2	5	-	2-0	0-1	1-0	-	0-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
KING, Hayden	1-3	4	-	-	0-1	0-1	1-0	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	
POWELL, Cameron	1-3	4	-	0-1	1-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
DEARMON, Braylin	3-1	4	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	-	1-1	1-0	
DAMRON, Christo	0-3	3	-	0-1	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	
JACKSON, Jordyn	1-2	3	0-2	-	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
WEBB, Tre'Marcus	2-0	2	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	2-0	-	-	-	
HORNBUCKLE, Tyson	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0-1	1-0	
BEASLEY, Jordan	2-0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2-0	-	-	

DEFENSIVE **GAME-BY-GAME**

FUMBLE RETURNS

Name	Numbers	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
WASHINGTON, Farand	1-97	-	-	-	-	-	1-97	-	-	-	-		
BETTS, John	1-6	-	-	1-6	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	-		

FUMBLES LOST

Name	No-Lost	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
CALVEZ, Julian	4-3	-	2-1	1-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-1	-	DNP	DNP	
SURBER, Tate	4-2	DNP	-	-	-	-	2-2	1-0	1-0	-	-	-	
TEAM	3-0	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	2-0	
PEETE, Jaydon	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	
SHERRARD, Makhia	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	
MOORE, Isaac	1-0	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	1-0	-	

FUMBLES FORCED

Name	Number	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
COTTON, Trey	1	1	-	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	
HORNBUCKLE, Tyson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
CHAVIS, Duston	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
TOMMIE, Broderick	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	

FUMBLES RECOVERED

Name	Number	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
BETTS, John	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	
WASHINGTON, Farand	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	

DEFENSIVE **GAME-BY-GAME**

TACKLES FOR LOSS

Name	UA-A	TOT	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
CHAVIS, Duston	4-5	6.5	0.5-2	1.0-1	-	-	2.0-4	1.0-9	0.5-3	1.0-5	-	-	0.5-1	
WILSON, Chris	2-7	5.5	-	1.5-2	0.5-1	-	1.5-11	0.5-1	-	0.5-3	-	0.5-2	0.5-1	
JORDAN, Brylan	3-3	4.5	-	1.0-13	-	-	1.0-3	1.0-1	-	-	1.5-2	-	-	
BROWN, Malik	3-2	4.0	-	-	-	-	2.0-22	0.5-8	1.5-6	-	-	-	-	
SMITH, Jamarcus	2-4	4.0	1.5-4	0.5-2	-	-	0.5-0	-	1.0-3	-	-	0.5-1	-	
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	3-2	4.0	-	1.0-2	-	-	1.5-14	-	-	-	0.5-0	1.0-1	-	
TOMMIE, Broderick	1-4	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	2.0-3	-	0.5-3	-	0.5-1	-	
COTTON, Trey	2-1	2.5	-	1.0-2	0.5-1	1.0-1	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	
CHANDLER, Kennarius	1-2	2.0	1.0-2	-	-	-	0.5-1	-	-	-	0.5-1	-	-	
ALLEN, Reginald	1-1	1.5	-	1.5-1	-	-	-	DNP	-	DNP	-	-	-	
DUNCAN, Rasheen	1-1	1.5	-	-	-	1.0-11	-	-	-	-	0.5-0	-	DNP	
FARMER-MCCRAY	1-1	1.5	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-1	1.0-4	
MAYERS, Jamal	1-1	1.5	1.0-10	0.5-1	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	
JOHNSON, Daveon	0-2	1.0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	1.0-1	DNP	
HAMILTON, Quincy	1-0	1.0	-	1.0-1	-	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	
ROBERTSON, Cam	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-5	-	-	
DAILEY, Bryce	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-1	-	
MUKULU, Nissi	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-0	-	

SACKS

Name	UA-A	TOT	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
BROWN, Malik	3-1	3.5	-	-	-	-	2.0-22	0.5-8	1.0-3	-	-	-	-	
CHAVIS, Duston	2-1	2.5	-	1.0-1	-	-	-	0.5-7	-	1.0-5	-	-	-	
WILSON, Chris	1-2	2.0	-	0.5-1	-	-	1.0-10	-	-	-	-	0.5-2	-	
FARMER-MCCRAY	1-0	1.0	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-4	
DUNCAN, Rasheen	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1.0-11	-	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	1.0-14	-	-	-	-	-	-	
SMITH, Jamarcus	0-1	0.5	-	0.5-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
DAILEY, Bryce	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-1	-	

INTERCEPTION RETURNS

Name	Numbers	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	2-56	-	-	-	1-33	-	1-23	-	-	-	-	-	
MAYERS, Jamal	2-44	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	1-44	1-0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	
PIERCE, LaMarion	2-54	-	-	-	-	-	1--3	-	-	-	1-57	-	
COTTON, Trey	1-55	1-55	-	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	
FISHER, Ant	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	1-0	-	-	-	-	
PONDER, Stefan	1-14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-14	-	-	-	
ALLEN, Reginald	1-19	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	1-19	DNP	-	-	-	
SMITH, Wendell	1-0	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	

SPECIAL TEAMS **GAME-BY-GAME**

PUNT RETURNS

Name	No-Yds	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
OLIVER, Deuce	10-146	-	1-1	-	-	1-6	2-4	2-42	1--1	-	1-55	2-39	
HORNBUCKLE, Tyson	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	
MOORE, Isaac	1-0	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	1-0	-	

KICK RETURNS

Name	No-Yds	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
WEBB, Tre'Marcus	10-177	DNP	-	-	-	1-0	2-29	-	3-60	2-48	2-40	-	
McNEIL, AJ	3-75	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	-	3-75	
SHERRARD, Makhia	3-66	3-66	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

FIELD GOALS

Name	FG-FGA (LG)	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU	WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
SIMS, Brandon	10-12 (44)	1-2 (25)	-	0-1	-	1-1 (24)	-	1-1 (37)	1-1 (22)	1-1 (39)	2-2 (43)	3-3 (44)	

PUNTING

Name	No-Yds-Avg	UCA	CSU	WVU	MEM	APSU	TSU	GWU
ZULUAGA, Max	46-2160-47.0	1-48-48.0	3-150-50.0	4-213-53.2	4-187-46.8	6-281-46.8	5-198-39.6	7-329-47.0

WIU	EIU	CSU	LWU	SEMO
4-205-51.2	6-292-48.7	4-183-45.8	2-78-39.0	-

SEASON/CAREER **STATISTICS**

SEASON

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
FRANKLIN, Chris	11	150	741	26	715	4.8	7	48	65.0
PEETE, Jaydon	11	105	560	23	537	5.1	5	50	48.8
ANSLEY, Tommy	4	44	239	5	234	5.3	6	28	58.5
SURBER, Tate	10	61	263	132	131	2.1	3	58	13.1
SHERRARD, Makhia	11	8	100	0	100	12.5	2	34	9.1
ARD, Greg	8	16	85	3	82	5.1	0	22	10.2
CALVEZ, Julian	5	21	96	23	73	3.5	0	23	14.6
BEASLEY, Jordan	11	11	38	1	37	3.4	0	8	3.4
OLIVER, Deuce	11	3	18	0	18	6.0	0	10	1.6
CARTER, Anthony	11	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	0.2
ZULUAGA, Max	11	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.2
GLOVER, Aidan	3	2	4	7	-3	-1.5	0	4	-1.0
TEAM	11	4	0	8	-8	-2.0	0	0	-0.7
Total	11	427	2146	230	1916	4.5	23	58	174.2
Opponents	11	347	2053	197	1856	5.3	19	87	168.7

CAREER

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
FRANKLIN, Chris	35	257	1331	63	1268	4.9	11	66	36.2
PEETE, Jaydon	11	105	560	23	537	5.1	5	50	48.8
ANSLEY, Tommy	16	165	816	17	799	4.8	8	28	49.9
SURBER, Tate	10	61	263	132	131	2.1	3	58	13.1
SHERRARD, Makhia	11	8	100	0	100	12.5	2	34	9.1
ARD, Greg	8	16	85	3	82	5.1	0	22	10.2
CALVEZ, Julian	19	35	159	34	125	3.6	0	23	6.6
BEASLEY, Jordan	15	11	38	1	37	3.4	0	8	2.5
OLIVER, Deuce	23	4	22	0	22	5.5	0	10	1.0
CARTER, Anthony	16	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	0.1
ZULUAGA, Max	11	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.2
GLOVER, Aidan	3	2	4	7	-3	-1.5	0	4	-1.0

SEASON

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
SURBER, Tate	10	113.20	160-254-10	63.0	1560	5	79	156.0
CALVEZ, Julian	5	92.95	19-39-2	48.7	253	0	39	50.6
GLOVER, Aidan	3	142.00	1-1-0	100.0	5	0	5	1.7
Total	11	110.62	180-294-12	61.2	1818	5	79	165.3
Opponents	11	142.71	191-332-11	57.5	2607	26	99	237.0

CAREER

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
SURBER, Tate	10	113.20	160-254-10	63.0	1560	5	79	156.0
CALVEZ, Julian	19	100.21	39-72-2	54.2	403	1	39	21.2
GLOVER, Aidan	3	142.00	1-1-0	100.0	5	0	5	1.7

SEASON

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
SHERRARD, Makhia	11	33	387	11.7	2	42	35.2
OLIVER, Deuce	11	24	336	14.0	0	79	30.5
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	10	23	212	9.2	1	33	21.2
FRANKLIN, Chris	11	17	91	5.4	0	14	8.3
CARTER, Anthony	11	15	163	10.9	0	46	14.8
WILSON, Phaizon	11	12	93	7.8	1	14	8.5
COSTNER, Kaleb	11	11	117	10.6	1	25	10.6
HEWITT, Connie	10	10	129	12.9	0	24	12.9
PEETE, Jaydon	11	9	57	6.3	0	18	5.2
PIPKIN, Keyshaun	5	8	117	14.6	0	47	23.4
ANSLEY, Tommy	4	6	44	7.3	0	16	11.0
BRICE, Jamauri	6	4	30	7.5	0	13	5.0
ADAMS-GRENIER, Daw	9	3	25	8.3	0	12	2.8
BEASLEY, Jordan	11	2	4	2.0	0	4	0.4
ARD, Greg	8	2	3	1.5	0	2	0.4
McNEIL, AJ	5	1	10	10.0	0	10	2.0
Total	11	180	1818	10.1	5	79	165.3
Opponents	11	191	2607	13.6	26	99	237.0

CAREER

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
SHERRARD, Makhia	11	33	387	11.7	2	42	35.2
OLIVER, Deuce	23	31	390	12.6	0	79	17.0
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	10	23	212	9.2	1	33	21.2
FRANKLIN, Chris	35	34	190	5.6	0	20	5.4
CARTER, Anthony	16	16	168	10.5	0	46	10.5
WILSON, Phaizon	23	47	543	11.6	2	29	23.6
COSTNER, Kaleb	11	11	117	10.6	1	25	10.6
HEWITT, Connie	10	10	129	12.9	0	24	12.9
PEETE, Jaydon	11	9	57	6.3	0	18	5.2
PIPKIN, Keyshaun	5	8	117	14.6	0	47	23.4
ANSLEY, Tommy	16	24	186	7.8	1	25	11.6
BRICE, Jamauri	6	4	30	7.5	0	13	5.0
ADAMS-GRENIER, Daw	9	3	25	8.3	0	12	2.8
BEASLEY, Jordan	15	2	4	2.0	0	4	0.3
ARD, Greg	8	2	3	1.5	0	2	0.4
McNEIL, AJ	5	1	10	10.0	0	10	2.0

SEASON

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
SURBER, Tate	10	315	131	1560	1691	169.1
FRANKLIN, Chris	11	150	715	0	715	65.0
PEETE, Jaydon	11	105	537	0	537	48.8
CALVEZ, Julian	5	60	73	253	326	65.2
ANSLEY, Tommy	4	44	234	0	234	58.5
SHERRARD, Makhia	11	8	100	0	100	9.1
ARD, Greg	8	16	82	0	82	10.2
BEASLEY, Jordan	11	11	37	0	37	3.4
OLIVER, Deuce	11	3	18	0	18	1.6
CARTER, Anthony	11	1	2	0	2	0.2
GLOVER, Aidan	3	3	-3	5	2	0.7
ZULUAGA, Max	11	1	-2	0	-2	-0.2
TEAM	11	4	-8	0	-8	-0.7
Total	11	721	1916	1818	3734	339.5
Opponents	11	679	1856	2607	4463	405.7

CAREER

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
SURBER, Tate	10	315	131	1560	1691	169.1
FRANKLIN, Chris	35	257	1268	0	1268	36.2
PEETE, Jaydon	11	105	537	0	537	48.8
CALVEZ, Julian	19	107	125	403	528	27.8
ANSLEY, Tommy	16	165	799	0	799	49.9
SHERRARD, Makhia	11	8	100	0	100	9.1
ARD, Greg	8	16	82	0	82	10.2
BEASLEY, Jordan	15	11	37	0	37	2.5
OLIVER, Deuce	23	4	22	0	22	1.0
CARTER, Anthony	16	1	2	0	2	0.1
GLOVER, Aidan	3	3	-3	5	2	0.7
ZULUAGA, Max	11	1	-2	0	-2	-0.2

SEASON/CAREER **STATISTICS**

SEASON

Scoring	td	fg	PAT kick	PAT rush	PAT rcv	PAT pass	dxp	saf	pts
SIMS, Brandon	-	10-12	31-32	-	-	-	-	-	61
FRANKLIN, Chris	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42
ANSLEY, Tommy	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36
PEETE, Jaydon	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
SHERRARD, Makhia	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
SURBER, Tate	3	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	18
COTTON, Trey	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
PIERCE, LaMarion	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WASHINGTON, Farand	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WILSON, Phaizon	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
COSTNER, Kaleb	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
BETTS, John	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
HEWITT, Connie	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
TEAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Total	33	10-12	31-32	-	1	1-1	-	1	263
Opponents	47	8-11	44-47	-	-	-	-	-	350

CAREER

Scoring	td	fg	PAT kick	PAT rush	PAT rcv	PAT pass	dxp	saf	pts
SIMS, Brandon	-	10-12	31-32	-	-	-	-	-	61
FRANKLIN, Chris	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66
ANSLEY, Tommy	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54
PEETE, Jaydon	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
SHERRARD, Makhia	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
SURBER, Tate	3	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	18
COTTON, Trey	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
PIERCE, LaMarion	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WASHINGTON, Farand	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WILSON, Phaizon	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
COSTNER, Kaleb	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
BETTS, John	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
HEWITT, Connie	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
OLIVER, Deuce	10	146	14.6	0	55
MOORE, Isaac	1	0	0.0	0	0
HORNBUCKLE, Tyson	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	12	146	12.2	0	55
Opponents	19	152	8.0	0	38

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
OLIVER, Deuce	32	304	9.5	0	55
MOORE, Isaac	1	0	0.0	0	0
HORNBUCKLE, Tyson	1	0	0.0	0	0

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
WEBB, Tre'Marcus	10	177	17.7	0	28
McNEIL, AJ	3	75	25.0	0	30
SHERRARD, Makhia	3	66	22.0	0	31
Total	16	318	19.9	0	31
Opponents	21	525	25.0	1	86

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
WEBB, Tre'Marcus	10	177	17.7	0	28
McNEIL, AJ	3	75	25.0	0	30
SHERRARD, Makhia	3	66	22.0	0	31

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	2	56	28.0	1	33
PIERCE, LaMarion	2	54	27.0	1	57
MAYERS, Jamal	2	44	22.0	0	44
ALLEN, Reginald	1	19	19.0	0	19
SMITH, Wendell	1	0	0.0	0	0
COTTON, Trey	1	55	55.0	1	55
PONDER, Stefan	1	14	14.0	0	14
FISHER, Ant	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	11	242	22.0	3	57
Opponents	12	94	7.8	0	46

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	3	69	23.0	1	33
PIERCE, LaMarion	7	111	15.9	1	57
MAYERS, Jamal	3	44	14.7	0	44
ALLEN, Reginald	1	19	19.0	0	19
SMITH, Wendell	1	0	0.0	0	0
COTTON, Trey	1	55	55.0	1	55
PONDER, Stefan	1	14	14.0	0	14
FISHER, Ant	1	0	0.0	0	0

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
WASHINGTON, Farand	1	97	97.0	1	97
BETTS, John	1	6	6.0	1	6
Total	2	103	51.5	2	97
Opponents	2	32	16.0	1	18

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
WASHINGTON, Farand	1	97	97.0	1	97
BETTS, John	1	6	6.0	1	6

SEASON/CAREER **STATISTICS**

SEASON

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
FRANKLIN, Chri	11	715	91	0	0	0	806	73.3
PEETE, Jaydon	11	537	57	0	0	0	594	54.0
SHERRARD, Ma	11	100	387	0	66	0	553	50.3
OLIVER, Deuce	11	18	336	146	0	0	500	45.5
ANSLEY, Tomm	4	234	44	0	0	0	278	69.5
WASHINGTON,	10	0	212	0	0	0	212	21.2
WEBB, Tre'Marc	10	0	0	0	177	0	177	17.7
CARTER, Antho	11	2	163	0	0	0	165	15.0
SURBER, Tate	10	131	0	0	0	0	131	13.1
HEWITT, Connie	10	0	129	0	0	0	129	12.9
PIPKIN, Keyshau	5	0	117	0	0	0	117	23.4
COSTNER, Kale	11	0	117	0	0	0	117	10.6
WILSON, Phaizo	11	0	93	0	0	0	93	8.5
ARD, Greg	8	82	3	0	0	0	85	10.6
McNEIL, AJ	5	0	10	0	75	0	85	17.0
CALVEZ, Julian	5	73	0	0	0	0	73	14.6
CASTLEBERRY,	11	0	0	0	0	56	56	5.1
COTTON, Trey	7	0	0	0	0	55	55	7.9
PIERCE, LaMari	11	0	0	0	0	54	54	4.9
MAYERS, Jamal	6	0	0	0	0	44	44	7.3
BEASLEY, Jorda	11	37	4	0	0	0	41	3.7
BRICE, Jamauri	6	0	30	0	0	0	30	5.0
ADAMS-GRENIE	9	0	25	0	0	0	25	2.8
ALLEN, Reginald	9	0	0	0	0	19	19	2.1
PONDER, Stefan	11	0	0	0	0	14	14	1.3
ZULUAGA, Max	11	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-0.2
GLOVER, Aidan	3	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-1.0
TEAM	11	-8	0	0	0	0	-8	-0.7
Total	11	1916	1818	146	318	242	4440	403.6
Opponents	11	1856	2607	152	525	94	5234	475.8

CAREER

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
FRANKLIN, Chri	35	1268	190	0	15	0	1473	42.1
PEETE, Jaydon	11	537	57	0	0	0	594	54.0
SHERRARD, Ma	11	100	387	0	66	0	553	50.3
OLIVER, Deuce	23	22	390	304	0	0	716	31.1
ANSLEY, Tomm	16	799	186	0	0	0	985	61.6
WASHINGTON,	10	0	212	0	0	0	212	21.2
WEBB, Tre'Marc	10	0	0	0	177	0	177	17.7
CARTER, Antho	16	2	168	0	0	0	170	10.6
SURBER, Tate	10	131	0	0	0	0	131	13.1
HEWITT, Connie	10	0	129	0	0	0	129	12.9
PIPKIN, Keyshau	5	0	117	0	0	0	117	23.4
COSTNER, Kale	11	0	117	0	0	0	117	10.6
WILSON, Phaizo	23	0	543	0	0	0	543	23.6
ARD, Greg	8	82	3	0	0	0	85	10.6
McNEIL, AJ	5	0	10	0	75	0	85	17.0
CALVEZ, Julian	19	125	0	0	0	0	125	6.6
CASTLEBERRY,	41	118	0	0	10	69	197	4.8
COTTON, Trey	19	0	0	0	0	55	55	2.9
PIERCE, LaMari	47	0	0	0	0	111	111	2.4
MAYERS, Jamal	26	0	0	0	0	44	44	1.7
BEASLEY, Jorda	15	37	4	0	79	0	120	8.0
BRICE, Jamauri	6	0	30	0	0	0	30	5.0
ADAMS-GRENIE	9	0	25	0	0	0	25	2.8
ALLEN, Reginald	9	0	0	0	0	19	19	2.1
PONDER, Stefan	23	0	0	0	0	14	14	0.6
ZULUAGA, Max	11	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-0.2
GLOVER, Aidan	3	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-1.0

Field Goals	att	good	long	blkd
SIMS, Brandon	12	10	44	0
Total	12	10	44	0
Opponents	11	8	51	0

Field Goals	att	good	long	blkd
SIMS, Brandon	12	10	44	0

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk
ZULUAGA, Max	46	2160	47.0	75	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	1
Total	47	2160	46.0	75	1
Opponents	41	1579	38.5	53	0

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk
ZULUAGA, Max	46	2160	47.0	75	0

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
SIMS, Brandon	54	3111	57.6	21	3
Total	54	3111	57.6	21	3
Opponents	67	3879	57.9	36	2

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
SIMS, Brandon	108	6246	57.8	43	4

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
3	CASTLEBERRY, Joel	11	31	25	56	4.0	1.0	2	5	2	.	.	41	50	50	100	5.5	1.0	3	7	2	.	.
0	SMITH, Jamarcus	11	15	41	56	4.0	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	11	15	41	56	4.0	0.5	.	.	.	.	.
20	JORDAN, Brylan	11	18	28	46	4.5	.	.	1	.	.	.	11	18	28	46	4.5	.	.	1	.	.	.
51	WILSON, Chris	11	17	27	44	5.5	2.0	.	6	.	.	2	23	22	32	54	8.0	3.0	.	6	.	.	3
4	FARMER-MCCRAY, Z	9	24	16	40	1.5	1.0	.	3	.	.	.	21	50	29	79	4.0	2.0	.	6	.	1	.
5	COTTON, Trey	7	20	19	39	2.5	.	1	1	.	1	.	19	24	20	44	3.0	.	1	1	.	1	1
22	HAMILTON, Quincy	10	24	11	35	1.0	.	.	1	.	.	.	14	24	11	35	1.0	.	.	1	.	.	.
23	CHAVIS, Duston	11	8	25	33	6.5	2.5	.	2	.	1	.	23	12	39	51	8.5	3.0	.	2	.	1	.
43	BROWN, Malik	11	11	18	29	4.0	3.5	.	1	.	.	.	11	11	18	29	4.0	3.5	.	1	.	.	.
16	WASHINGTON, Farand	11	22	7	29	0.0	.	.	1	1	.	.	11	22	7	29	0.0	.	.	1	1	.	.
8	ALLEN, Reginald	9	11	11	22	1.5	.	1	1	.	.	.	9	11	11	22	1.5	.	1	1	.	.	.
10	MAYERS, Jamal	6	15	5	20	1.5	.	2	6	.	.	.	26	28	9	37	1.5	.	3	8	.	.	.
46	CHANDLER, Kennarius	11	10	8	18	2.0	.	.	2	.	.	.	11	10	8	18	2.0	.	.	2	.	.	.
2	PIERCE, LaMarion	11	12	6	18	0.0	.	2	6	.	.	.	47	70	40	110	2.5	0.5	7	21	.	.	.
93	TOMMIE, Broderick	11	3	14	17	3.0	.	.	3	.	1	.	31	3	20	23	3.0	.	.	3	.	1	.
19	MUKULU, Nissi	11	11	4	15	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	11	4	15	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	.
96	DUNCAN, Rasheen	10	6	7	13	1.5	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	10	6	7	13	1.5	1.0	.	.	.	.	.
17	SMITH, Wendell	9	10	3	13	0.0	.	1	6	.	.	.	9	10	3	13	0.0	.	1	6	.	.	.
14	FISHER, Ant	10	9	3	12	0.0	.	1	4	.	.	.	10	9	3	12	0.0	.	1	4	.	.	.
11	REYNOLDS, Porter	11	3	9	12	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	3	9	12	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	PONDER, Stefan	11	6	5	11	0.0	.	1	.	.	.	.	23	6	5	11	0.0	.	1	.	.	.	.
95	JOHNSON, Daveon	7	2	9	11	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	2	9	11	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	COBBINS, CJ	9	5	4	9	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.	19	10	6	16	0.0	.	.	2	.	.	.
41	DAILEY, Bryce	11	6	3	9	0.5	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	42	13	23	36	5.0	3.0	.	.	.	.	.
28	ROBERTSON, Cam	11	3	4	7	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	33	6	9	15	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
54	MORRIS, Andre	11	2	4	6	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	1	11	2	4	6	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	1
42	BETTS, John	10	3	3	6	0.0	.	.	.	1	.	.	10	3	3	6	0.0	.	.	.	1	.	.
26	ROBINSON, AJ	6	3	2	5	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	39	12	6	18	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
50	KING, Hayden	11	1	3	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	3	3	6	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	POWELL, Cameron	11	1	3	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	19	5	5	10	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.
35	DEARMON, Braylin	4	3	1	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	3	1	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
24	DAMRON, Christopher	11	.	3	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	.	3	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
90	JACKSON, Jordyn	3	1	2	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	2	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
1B	BEASLEY, Jordan	11	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	15	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	WEBB, Tre'Marcus	10	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
45	HORNBUCKLE, Tyson	11	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	1	.	11	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	1	.
8Q	SURBER, Tate	10	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
64	EGUNJOBI, Dolapo	11	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
1	OLIVER, Deuce	11	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	SHERRARD, Makhia	11	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
39	ANSLEY, Tommy	4	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	2	2	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
0O	COSTNER, Kaleb	11	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
5A	WILSON, Phaizon	11	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
3W	WASHINGTON, Kaleb	10	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
38	CHARLES, Cy	4	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
2P	PEETE, Jaydon	11	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
1W	BRICE, Jamauri	6	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM	TEAM	11	.	.	.	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.											
	Total	11	326	340	666	46	12	11	50	4	4	3											
	Opponents	11	391	414	805	50	15	12	41	7	7	1											

UT MARTIN **GAME-BY-GAME**

		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
Aug 27, 2026	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	33	149	2	24	13	147	0	36	13-24-2	147	0	36	3	66	0	31	0	0	0	0	296
Sep 05, 2026	CHICAGO STATE	38	228	6	28	17	261	0	46	17-26-1	261	0	46	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	489
Sep 12, 2026	at West Virginia	37	148	0	48	22	170	0	25	22-33-1	170	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	318
Sep 19, 2026	at Memphis	28	114	1	16	17	177	2	46	17-29-0	177	2	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	291
Sep 26, 2026	at Austin Peay	36	122	0	29	20	175	1	42	20-27-2	175	1	42	1	0	0	0	1	6	0	6	297
Oct 10, 2026	at Tennessee State	45	193	4	34	15	114	0	26	15-21-0	114	0	26	2	29	0	20	2	4	0	3	307
Oct 17, 2026	GARDNER-WEBB	53	218	1	58	10	92	1	20	10-25-2	92	1	20	0	0	0	0	2	42	0	24	310
Oct 24, 2026	at Western Ill.	33	90	3	34	19	276	0	79	19-37-2	276	0	79	3	60	0	25	1	-1	0	0	366
Oct 31, 2026	EASTERN ILLINOIS	32	236	2	50	14	105	0	29	14-28-2	105	0	29	2	48	0	28	0	0	0	0	341
Nov 07, 2026	at Charleston So.	44	157	1	18	14	88	0	14	14-16-0	88	0	14	2	40	0	24	3	55	0	55	245
Nov 14, 2026	LINDENWOOD	48	261	3	34	19	213	1	38	19-28-0	213	1	38	3	75	0	30	2	39	0	28	474
	Totals	**427**	**1916**	**23**	**58**	**180**	**1818**	**5**	**79**	**180-294-12**	**1818**	**5**	**79**	**16**	**318**	**0**	**31**	**12**	**146**	**0**	**55**	**3734**
	Opponent	**347**	**1856**	**19**	**87**	**191**	**2607**	**26**	**99**	**191-332-11**	**2607**	**26**	**99**	**21**	**525**	**1**	**86**	**19**	**152**	**0**	**38**	**4463**

Games: 11
Avg/rush: 4.5
Avg/catch: 10.1
Pass effic: 110.62
KR avg: 19.9
PR avg: 12.2
All purpose avg/game: 403.6
Total offense avg/gm: 339.5

		TACKLES				SACKS	FUMBLE		PASS DEFENSE			BLKD	PAT			OFF	
Date	Opponent	Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds	No-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	QBH	Brk	Kick	Att-Mad	Run	Rcv	Saf	Pts
Aug 27, 2026	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	37	50	87	4.0-18	0.0-0	1	0-0	1-55	2	5	2	3-3	0	0	0	24
Sep 05, 2026	CHICAGO STATE	27	46	73	9.0-25	2.0-4	0	0-0	0-0	9	7	0	6-6	0	0	0	42
Sep 12, 2026	at West Virginia	33	36	69	1.0-2	0.0-0	0	1-6	0-0	0	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	7
Sep 19, 2026	at Memphis	45	16	61	2.0-12	1.0-11	1	0-0	1-33	1	2	0	3-3	0	0	0	21
Sep 26, 2026	at Austin Peay	30	26	56	9.0-55	4.0-46	0	1-0	0-0	0	0	0	1-1	0	0	1	12
Oct 10, 2026	at Tennessee State	21	34	55	5.0-22	1.0-15	1	1-97	3-64	10	10	0	6-6	0	0	0	42
Oct 17, 2026	GARDNER-WEBB	24	18	42	3.0-12	1.0-3	0	0-0	3-19	8	6	1	2-2	0	0	0	17
Oct 24, 2026	at Western Ill.	28	36	64	2.0-11	1.0-5	0	0-0	1-14	5	4	0	3-3	0	0	0	24
Oct 31, 2026	EASTERN ILLINOIS	34	24	58	4.0-8	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-0	3	2	0	2-1	0	0	0	16
Nov 07, 2026	at Charleston So.	22	30	52	5.0-8	1.0-3	0	0-0	1-57	5	5	0	2-2	0	0	0	20
Nov 14, 2026	LINDENWOOD	25	24	49	2.0-6	1.0-4	1	1-0	0-0	5	7	0	3-3	0	1	0	38
	Totals	**326**	**340**	**666**	**46.0-179**	**12.0-91**	**4**	**4-103**	**11-242**	**48**	**50**	**3**	**32-31**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**263**
	Opponent	**391**	**414**	**805**	**50.0-187**	**15.0-101**	**7**	**7-32**	**12-94**	**32**	**41**	**1**	**47-44**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**350**

		PUNTING									FIELD GOALS			KICKOFFS				
Date	Opponent	No	Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	TB	FC	50+	I20	Att-Made	Lg	Blkd	No	Yds	Avg	TB	OB
Aug 27, 2026	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	1	48	48.0	48	0	0	0	0	0	2-1	25	0	5	320	64.0	4	0
Sep 05, 2026	CHICAGO STATE	3	150	50.0	54	0	1	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	7	420	60.0	3	1
Sep 12, 2026	at West Virginia	5	208	41.6	68	1	1	0	2	2	1-0	0	0	2	105	52.5	1	0
Sep 19, 2026	at Memphis	4	187	46.8	74	0	1	2	1	1	0-0	0	0	4	258	64.5	2	0
Sep 26, 2026	at Austin Peay	6	281	46.8	53	0	0	2	2	3	1-1	24	0	3	145	48.3	0	0
Oct 10, 2026	at Tennessee State	5	198	39.6	49	0	0	2	0	4	0-0	0	0	7	444	63.4	3	0
Oct 17, 2026	GARDNER-WEBB	7	329	47.0	75	0	0	0	2	1	1-1	37	0	4	233	58.2	1	0
Oct 24, 2026	at Western Ill.	4	205	51.2	68	0	1	1	2	0	1-1	22	0	5	296	59.2	3	0
Oct 31, 2026	EASTERN ILLINOIS	6	293	48.8	66	0	1	1	2	2	1-1	39	0	4	204	51.0	0	1
Nov 07, 2026	at Charleston So.	4	183	45.8	50	0	0	0	1	2	2-2	43	0	5	265	53.0	1	1
Nov 14, 2026	LINDENWOOD	2	78	39.0	42	0	0	2	0	1	3-3	44	0	8	421	52.6	3	0
	Totals	**47**	**2160**	**46.0**	**75**	**1**	**5**	**10**	**14**	**16**	**12-10**	**44**	**0**	**54**	**3111**	**57.6**	**21**	**3**
	Opponent	**41**	**1579**	**38.5**	**53**	**0**	**3**	**16**	**4**	**6**	**11-8**	**51**	**0**	**67**	**3879**	**57.9**	**36**	**2**

OPPONENT **GAME-BY-GAME**

		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
Aug 27, 2026	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	45	228	2	28	20	243	3	51	20-27-1	243	3	51	1	14	0	14	1	14	0	14	471
Sep 05, 2026	CHICAGO STATE	27	38	0	11	20	153	1	23	20-33-0	153	1	23	3	60	0	23	2	18	0	11	191
Sep 12, 2026	at West Virginia	51	395	4	87	8	209	3	59	8-12-0	209	3	59	0	0	0	0	1	9	0	9	604
Sep 19, 2026	at Memphis	40	299	1	72	28	273	5	30	28-35-1	273	5	30	2	45	0	23	1	7	0	7	572
Sep 26, 2026	at Austin Peay	33	107	3	66	17	254	1	30	17-21-0	254	1	30	1	37	0	37	2	38	0	38	361
Oct 10, 2026	at Tennessee State	21	15	0	16	20	376	4	99	20-39-3	376	4	99	4	61	0	18	1	2	0	2	391
Oct 17, 2026	GARDNER-WEBB	15	20	0	8	12	148	0	25	12-37-3	148	0	25	3	120	1	86	5	40	0	20	168
Oct 24, 2026	at Western Ill.	39	329	5	56	13	203	2	64	13-23-1	203	2	64	1	71	0	71	2	25	0	18	532
Oct 31, 2026	EASTERN ILLINOIS	32	284	2	58	20	269	4	67	20-31-1	269	4	67	1	17	0	17	1	0	0	0	553
Nov 07, 2026	at Charleston So.	23	57	1	19	13	191	0	33	13-37-1	191	0	33	3	73	0	37	3	-1	0	0	248
Nov 14, 2026	LINDENWOOD	21	84	1	11	20	288	3	50	20-37-0	288	3	50	2	27	0	16	0	0	0	0	372
	Opponent totals	**347**	**1856**	**19**	**87**	**191**	**2607**	**26**	**99**	**191-332-11**	**2607**	**26**	**99**	**21**	**525**	**1**	**86**	**19**	**152**	**0**	**38**	**4463**
	UT Martin	**427**	**1916**	**23**	**58**	**180**	**1818**	**5**	**79**	**180-294-12**	**1818**	**5**	**79**	**16**	**318**	**0**	**31**	**12**	**146**	**0**	**55**	**3734**

Games: 11
Avg/rush: 5.3
Avg/catch: 13.6
Pass effic: 142.71
KR avg: 25.0
PR avg: 8.0
All purpose avg/game: 475.8
Total offense avg/gm: 405.7

		TACKLES				SACKS	FUMBLE		PASS DEFENSE			BLKD	PAT			OFF	
Date	Opponent	Solo	Ast	Total	TFL-Yds	No-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	QBH	Brk	Kick	Att-Mad	Run	Rcv	Saf	Pts
Aug 27, 2026	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	24	46	70	2.0-4	0.0-0	0	0-0	2-10	1	6	0	5-3	0	0	0	36
Sep 05, 2026	CHICAGO STATE	25	50	75	3.0-12	0.0-0	1	1-0	1-0	1	3	0	1-1	0	0	0	7
Sep 12, 2026	at West Virginia	45	28	73	10.0-36	2.0-14	1	1-0	1-0	2	2	1	7-7	0	0	0	52
Sep 19, 2026	at Memphis	33	18	51	3.0-7	1.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	3	5	0	6-6	0	0	0	45
Sep 26, 2026	at Austin Peay	33	44	77	5.0-26	3.0-22	0	0-18	2-2	2	2	0	5-5	0	0	0	35
Oct 10, 2026	at Tennessee State	42	30	72	3.0-23	3.0-23	2	2-0	0-0	5	2	0	4-4	0	0	0	28
Oct 17, 2026	GARDNER-WEBB	36	56	92	5.0-22	1.0-9	1	1-0	2-36	8	4	0	1-0	0	0	0	6
Oct 24, 2026	at Western Ill.	37	30	67	4.0-20	2.0-14	1	1-14	2-0	3	7	0	7-7	0	0	0	55
Oct 31, 2026	EASTERN ILLINOIS	34	24	58	6.0-18	2.0-12	0	0-0	2-46	3	7	0	6-6	0	0	0	45
Nov 07, 2026	at Charleston So.	32	58	90	5.0-9	0.0-0	1	1-0	0-0	1	1	0	1-1	0	0	0	10
Nov 14, 2026	LINDENWOOD	50	30	80	4.0-10	1.0-5	0	0-0	0-0	3	2	0	4-4	0	0	0	31
	Opponent totals	**391**	**414**	**805**	**50.0-187**	**15.0-101**	**7**	**7-32**	**12-94**	**32**	**41**	**1**	**47-44**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**350**
	UT Martin	**326**	**340**	**666**	**46.0-179**	**12.0-91**	**4**	**4-103**	**11-242**	**48**	**50**	**3**	**32-31**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**263**

		PUNTING									FIELD GOALS			KICKOFFS				
Date	Opponent	No	Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	TB	FC	50+	I20	Att-Made	Lg	Blkd	No	Yds	Avg	TB	OB
Aug 27, 2026	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	1	43	43.0	43	0	1	0	0	0	1-1	32	0	7	344	49.1	0	0
Sep 05, 2026	CHICAGO STATE	9	260	28.9	45	0	0	4	0	0	0-0	0	0	2	80	40.0	0	0
Sep 12, 2026	at West Virginia	2	85	42.5	43	0	0	2	0	0	1-1	35	0	9	570	63.3	9	0
Sep 19, 2026	at Memphis	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-1	30	0	8	495	61.9	7	0
Sep 26, 2026	at Austin Peay	4	143	35.8	48	0	0	1	0	1	1-0	0	0	7	465	66.4	6	0
Oct 10, 2026	at Tennessee State	3	114	38.0	51	0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	5	244	48.8	0	1
Oct 17, 2026	GARDNER-WEBB	8	340	42.5	50	0	1	5	1	2	1-0	0	0	2	105	52.5	1	0
Oct 24, 2026	at Western Ill.	1	53	53.0	53	0	0	0	1	0	3-2	51	0	10	549	54.9	5	1
Oct 31, 2026	EASTERN ILLINOIS	3	136	45.3	52	0	0	3	1	1	1-1	36	0	8	510	63.8	6	0
Nov 07, 2026	at Charleston So.	6	249	41.5	47	0	1	1	0	2	1-1	33	0	3	186	62.0	1	0
Nov 14, 2026	LINDENWOOD	4	156	39.0	45	0	0	0	0	0	1-1	31	0	6	331	55.2	1	0
	Opponent totals	**41**	**1579**	**38.5**	**53**	**0**	**3**	**16**	**4**	**6**	**11-8**	**51**	**0**	**67**	**3879**	**57.9**	**36**	**2**
	UT Martin	**47**	**2160**	**46.0**	**75**	**1**	**5**	**10**	**14**	**16**	**12-10**	**44**	**0**	**54**	**3111**	**57.6**	**21**	**3**

LONGEST **PLAYS**

20-YARD PLUS PLAYS

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
*97	FR	WASHINGTON, Farand	Tennessee State
79	Pass	OLIVER, Deuce from SURBER, Tate	Western Ill.
58	Rush	SURBER, Tate	Gardner-Webb
*57	INT	PIERCE, LaMarion	Charleston So.
*55	INT	COTTON, Trey	Central Arkansas
55	PR	OLIVER, Deuce	Charleston So.
50	Rush	PEETE, Jaydon	Eastern Illinois
48	Rush	FRANKLIN, Chris	West Virginia
47	Pass	PIPKIN, Keyshaun from SURBER, Tate	Western Ill.
46	Pass	OLIVER, Deuce from SURBER, Tate	Memphis
46	Pass	CARTER, Anthony from SURBER, Tate	Chicago State
44	Rush	SURBER, Tate	Eastern Illinois
44	INT	MAYERS, Jamal	Tennessee State
42	Pass	SHERRARD, Makhia from SURBER, Tate	Austin Peay
39	Pass	OLIVER, Deuce from CALVEZ, Julian	Chicago State
38	Pass	SHERRARD, Makhia from SURBER, Tate	Lindenwood
36	Pass	SHERRARD, Makhia from CALVEZ, Julian	Central Arkansas
*34	Rush	SHERRARD, Makhia	Tennessee State
*34	Rush	FRANKLIN, Chris	Western Ill.
*34	Rush	PEETE, Jaydon	Lindenwood
33	INT	CASTLEBERRY, Joel	Memphis
33	Pass	WASHINGTON, Kaleb from CALVEZ, Julian	Central Arkansas
33	Rush	PEETE, Jaydon	Lindenwood
33	Rush	PEETE, Jaydon	Tennessee State
31	KR	SHERRARD, Makhia	Central Arkansas
30	Pass	SHERRARD, Makhia from SURBER, Tate	Chicago State
30	KR	McNEIL, AJ	Lindenwood
29	Rush	FRANKLIN, Chris	Austin Peay
29	Pass	OLIVER, Deuce from CALVEZ, Julian	Eastern Illinois
28	Rush	FRANKLIN, Chris	Lindenwood
*28	Rush	ANSLEY, Tommy	Chicago State
28	Pass	OLIVER, Deuce from SURBER, Tate	Western Ill.
28	PR	OLIVER, Deuce	Lindenwood
28	Pass	PIPKIN, Keyshaun from SURBER, Tate	Lindenwood
28	KR	WEBB, Tre'Marcus	Eastern Illinois
27	Rush	FRANKLIN, Chris	Chicago State
26	Pass	WASHINGTON, Kaleb from SURBER, Tate	Tennessee State
25	KR	WEBB, Tre'Marcus	Western Ill.
25	Pass	COSTNER, Kaleb from SURBER, Tate	West Virginia
24	PR	OLIVER, Deuce	Gardner-Webb
24	KR	WEBB, Tre'Marcus	Western Ill.
24	Rush	SHERRARD, Makhia	Lindenwood
24	KR	WEBB, Tre'Marcus	Charleston So.
*24	Rush	ANSLEY, Tommy	Central Arkansas
24	KR	McNEIL, AJ	Lindenwood
24	Pass	HEWITT, Connie from CALVEZ, Julian	West Virginia
*23	INT	CASTLEBERRY, Joel	Tennessee State
23	Rush	CALVEZ, Julian	Chicago State
22	Rush	ARD, Greg	Austin Peay
22	Pass	PIPKIN, Keyshaun from SURBER, Tate	Western Ill.
22	Pass	HEWITT, Connie from SURBER, Tate	Chicago State
21	KR	McNEIL, AJ	Lindenwood
20	KR	WEBB, Tre'Marcus	Eastern Illinois
*20	Rush	ANSLEY, Tommy	Chicago State
20	Pass	WASHINGTON, Kaleb from SURBER, Tate	Gardner-Webb
20	Pass	SHERRARD, Makhia from SURBER, Tate	Memphis
20	KR	WEBB, Tre'Marcus	Tennessee 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	0	0
70-79	1	0
60-69	0	0
50-59	5	2
40-49	7	0
30-39	13	3
20-29	30	4

Long Plays By Type	No.	TD
Rushing	18	6
Passing	20	0
Punt returns	3	0
Kick returns	10	0
Interceptions	5	3
Fumble returns	1	1
Other	0	0
TOTAL	**57**	**10**

20-YARD PLUS BY PLAYER

Player	No.	TD	R	P	KR	PR	IR	FR
SHERRARD, Makhia	8	1	2	5	1	0	0	0
OLIVER, Deuce	8	0	0	5	0	3	0	0
WEBB, Tre'Marcus	6	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
FRANKLIN, Chris	5	1	5	0	0	0	0	0
PEETE, Jaydon	4	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
ANSLEY, Tommy	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
PIPKIN, Keyshaun	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
WASHINGTON, Kaleb	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
McNEIL, AJ	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
CASTLEBERRY, Joel	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	0
HEWITT, Connie	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
SURBER, Tate	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
COTTON, Trey	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
PIERCE, LaMarion	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
WASHINGTON, Farand	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
MAYERS, Jamal	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
COSTNER, Kaleb	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
CARTER, Anthony	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
CALVEZ, Julian	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
ARD, Greg	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	**57**	**10**	**18**	**20**	**10**	**3**	**5**	**1**

LONGEST PLAYS OF THE YEAR

Rushing
58 SURBER, Tate vs Gardner-Webb (10/17/2026)

Rushing Touchdown
34 SHERRARD, Makhia vs Tennessee State (10/10/2026)
34 FRANKLIN, Chris vs Western Ill. (10/24/2026)
34 PEETE, Jaydon vs Lindenwood (11/14/2026)

Passing
79 OLIVER, Deuce from SURBER, Tate vs Western Ill. (10/24/2026)

Passing Touchdown
13 SHERRARD, Makhia from SURBER, Tate vs Gardner-Webb (10/17/2026)

Punt Return
55 OLIVER, Deuce vs Charleston So. (11/7/2026)

Kick Return
31 SHERRARD, Makhia vs Central Arkansas (8/27/2026)

Interception Return
57 PIERCE, LaMarion vs Charleston So. (11/7/2026)

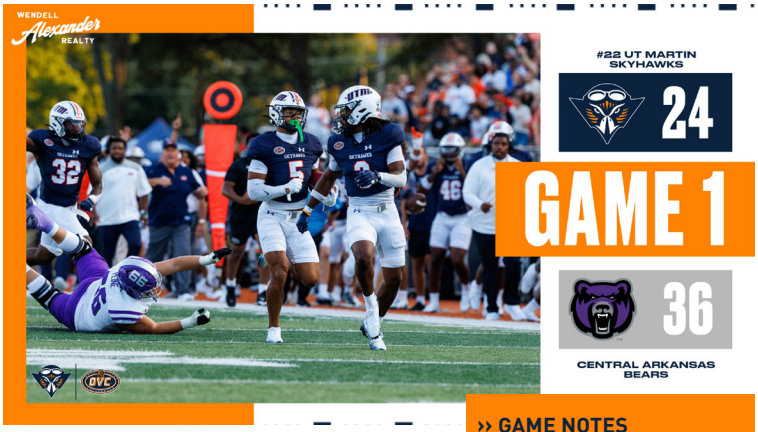
Fumble Return
6 BETTS, John vs West Virginia (9/12/2026)

Punt
75 ZULUAGA, Max vs Gardner-Webb (10/17/2026)

Field Goal
44 SIMS, Brandon vs Lindenwood (11/14/2026)

GAME ONE | CENTRAL ARKANSAS

Aug. 27 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.
6:30 pm | Att: 5,516



BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
Central Arkansas	6	13	7	10	36
#22 UT Martin	7	10	0	7	24

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UCA	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	23	16
Rushing	12	10
Passing	11	6
Penalty	0	0
NET YARDS RUSHING	228	149
Rushing Attempts	45	33
Average Per Rush	5.1	4.5
Rushing Touchdowns	2	2
Yards Gained Rushing	247	151
Yards Lost Rushing	19	2
NET YARDS PASSING	243	147
Completions-Attempts-Int	20-27-1	13-24-2
Average Per Attempt	9.0	6.1
Average Per Completion	12.1	11.3
Passing Touchdowns	3	0
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	471	296
Total offense plays	72	57
Average Gain Per Play	6.5	5.2
Fumbles: Number-Lost	2-0	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	2-20	2-16
PUNTS-YARDS	1-43	1-48
Average Yards Per Punt	43.0	48.0
Net Yards Per Punt	23.0	34.0
Inside 20	0	0
50+ Yards	0	0
Touchbacks	1	0
Fair catch	0	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	7-344	5-320
Average Yards Per Kickoff	49.1	64.0
Net Yards Per Kickoff	39.7	41.2
Touchbacks	0	4
Fair Catch Yards	69	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1-14-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	14.0	0.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	1-14-0	3-66-0
Average Per Return	14.0	22.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	2-10-0	1-55-1
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	30:18	29:42
1st Quarter	3:56	11:04
2nd Quarter	8:23	6:37
3rd Quarter	7:16	7:44
4th Quarter	10:43	4:17
Third-Down Conversions	10 of 15	3 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	3 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	2-3
Touchdowns	3-5	1-3
Field goals	1-5	1-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	0-0
PAT Kicks	3-5	3-3
Field Goals	1-1	1-2
Points off turnovers	0	7

›› GAME NOTES

Chris Wilson tied the school record with two blocked kicks - both coming on PATs

Trey Cotton recorded his first pick six of his college career, returning a first quarter interception 55 yards for a touchdown

Tommy Ansley tallied his first multi-touchdown performance in a Skyhawk uniform with a pair of rushing touchdowns against UCA

Jamal Mayers recorded three pass breakups in his first career start

Jamarcus Smith tallied 10 tackles in his first game in a Skyhawk uniform

NO. 22 UT MARTIN FALLS TO CENTRAL ARKANSAS IN 2026 FOOTBALL SEASON OPENER

MARTIN, Tenn. - The No. 22 ranked University of Tennessee at Martin football squad battled tonight in its season opener but fell by a 36-24 margin to Central Arkansas in front of 5,516 fans at Hardy Graham Stadium.

The Skyhawks led late in the second quarter before 16 unanswered points by Central Arkansas tilted the score in favor of the Bears. UT Martin pulled within five points with 9:49 to go in the contest but the Bears answered with the final touchdown of the contest six-plus minutes later.

Sophomore safety Trey Cotton opened the scoring with the Skyhawks' first pick-six since Oct. 26, 2024, taking Central Arkansas' first pass of its second drive 55 yards to the house in the opening quarter. Cotton also forced a fumble while Jamarcus Smith (10 tackles, team-best 1.5 tackles for loss) and Jamal Mayers (nine tackles, three pass breakups) each recorded double-digit stops to pace UT Martin defensively. Chris Wilson additionally blocked a pair of PAT's to tie a school record with Toby Camp (at Lindenwood in 2025) and Dean Wathen (at Murray State in 2010).

Tommy Ansley found the endzone twice out of the Skyhawk backfield, also topping the team with 61 rushing yards on 10 carries. Julian Calvez made his first UT Martin start under center, completing 13 of his 24 passes for 147 yards while adding 37 rushing yards on nine totes. Kaleb Washington tied for the team lead with three catches and tallied a team-best 53 receiving yards in his Skyhawk debut.

Brandon Sims converted a 25-yard field goal in the second quarter, went 3-for-3 in PAT opportunities and placed four of his five kickoff chances for touchbacks. Max Zuluaga also landed his only punt for 48 yards tonight to guide the UT Martin special teams.

"Central Arkansas has a good football team – we don't lose much at home so give them credit," Skyhawk head coach Jason Simpson said. "If you look at the stats, they were 10-of-15 on third downs and we were 3-of-11 and only snapped the ball 57 times. It's a long season and we'll know more about us as we go forward – tonight was some growing pains with 53 new players but we're not going to overreact. We're all in this together – we'll watch the tape, make some adjustments and find an identity for ourselves."

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
UTM	1st	08:05	COTTON, Trey 55 yd interception return	SIMS, Brandon kick			0-7
UCA	1st	05:42	Juniel,Kealen 8 yd pass from Omolo,Donovyn	Jones,Caleb kick blockd	6-81	2:18	6-7
UTM	2nd	13:47	SIMS, Brandon 25 yd field goal		13-59	6:48	6-10
UCA	2nd	06:53	Tillman,Que 3 yd run	Jones,Caleb kick	15-75	6:54	13-10
UTM	2nd	01:56	ANSLEY, Tommy 7 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	10-75	4:57	13-17
UCA	2nd	00:27	Lee,Arlie 19 yd pass from Omolo,Donovyn	Jones,Caleb kick blockd	8-75	1:29	19-17
UCA	3rd	12:04	Lee,Arlie 51 yd pass from Omolo,Donovyn	Jones,Caleb kick	6-75	2:56	26-17
UCA	4th	12:52	Jones,Caleb 32 yd field goal		14-66	6:28	29-17
UTM	4th	09:49	ANSLEY, Tommy 24 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	7-75	3:03	29-24
UCA	4th	03:38	Washington,Jale 27 yd run	Jones,Caleb kick	13-75	6:11	36-24

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Tommy Ansley	10	61	2	24
Chris Franklin	12	38	0	10

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Julian Calvez	13-24-2	147	0	36

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Kaleb Washington	3	53	0	33
Makhia Sherrard	3	43	0	36

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Jamarcus Smith	2	8	10	1.5 TFL
Jamal Mayers	8	1	9	3 PBU

›› CENTRAL ARKANSAS

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Donovyn Omolo	12	118	0	28
Jalen Washington	7	40	1	27

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Donovyn Omolo	20-27-1	243	3	51

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Ty Durham	8	68	0	19
Arlie Lee	2	70	2	51

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Ashtyn Williams	7	9	16	-
Kyle Vocque	4	6	10	1 PBU

GAME TWO | CHICAGO STATE

Sept. 5 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.
6 pm | Att: 3,532



BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
Chicago State	7	0	0	0	7
UT Martin	0	21	0	21	42

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UCA	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	9	26
Rushing	1	11
Passing	6	11
Penalty	2	4
NET YARDS RUSHING	38	228
Rushing Attempts	27	38
Average Per Rush	1.4	6.0
Rushing Touchdowns	0	6
Yards Gained Rushing	59	240
Yards Lost Rushing	21	12
NET YARDS PASSING	153	261
Completions-Attempts-Int	20-33-0	17-26-1
Average Per Attempt	4.6	10.0
Average Per Completion	7.7	15.4
Passing Touchdowns	1	0
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	191	489
Total offense plays	60	64
Average Gain Per Play	3.2	7.6
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	10-102	13-124
PUNTS-YARDS	9-260	3-150
Average Yards Per Punt	28.9	50.0
Net Yards Per Punt	28.8	37.3
Inside 20	0	0
50+ Yards	0	2
Touchbacks	0	1
Fair catch	4	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	2-80	7-420
Average Yards Per Kickoff	40.0	60.0
Net Yards Per Kickoff	40.0	40.7
Touchbacks	0	3
Fair Catch Yards	13	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	2-18-0	1-1-0
Average Per Return	9.0	1.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	3-60-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	20.0	0.0
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	30:41	29:19
1st Quarter	6:10	8:50
2nd Quarter	6:18	8:42
3rd Quarter	10:47	4:13
4th Quarter	7:26	7:34
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 15	5 of 9
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	5-6
Touchdowns	1-1	5-6
Field goals	0-1	0-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	2-4
PAT Kicks	1-1	6-6
Field Goals	0-0	0-0
Points off turnovers	0	0

›› GAME NOTES

The Skyhawks rushed for six touchdowns for the first time since 2022

Tommy Ansley was named OVC Offensive Player of the Week after rushing for 118 yards and three touchdowns

Reginald Allen Jr. was named OVC Defensive Player of the Week after leading the team with eight tackles and 1.5 tackles for loss

Chris Franklin also rushed for a career-high two touchdowns

UT Martin improved to 22-4 at home over the past five season

UT MARTIN CRUISES TO 42-7 VICTORY OVER CHICAGO STATE

MARTIN, Tenn. – Six rushing touchdowns paved the way for the University of Tennessee at Martin football squad's first triumph of the 2026 season, a 42-7 victory over Chicago State.

The six scores on the ground were the first time for the Skyhawks since Oct. 8, 2022 at Murray State. Tommy Ansley led the charge with 16 carries for 118 yards with three touchdowns, while Chris Franklin found the endzone twice. Jaydon Peete capped off the scoring with a rushing touchdown as UT Martin ended the contest with 42 unanswered points.

"It felt good to get a win," Skyhawk head coach Jason Simpson said. "We have a really good offensive line – we leaned on those guys and ran behind them tonight. Defensively, we were better tonight with only allowing 4-of-17 on third downs. We're still a work in progress – we'll use this nonconference season to get guys some experience and keep evaluating. We'll look different by the time we get to conference play."

The UT Martin offense piled up 477 yards of total offense (261 passing, 216 rushing) en route to the win. Redshirt freshman Tate Surber went 16-for-23 with 222 passing yards in his collegiate debut, while Julian Calvez added 39 passing yards in his second start of the season. Anthony Carter accumulated a team-high 62 receiving yards while tying three teammates (Connie Hewitt II, Makhia Sherrard and Kaleb Washington) with a team-best three catches.

The Skyhawks allowed only 191 yards of total offense as the swarming defensive unit combined for nine tackles for loss (including two sacks), five quarterback hurries and four pass breakups. Reginald Allen, Jr. corralled a team-high eight tackles with Chris Wilson (1.5 tackles for loss), Duston Chavis (one sack), LaMarion Pierce (two pass breakups) and Bryce Dailey (two quarterback hurries) additionally securing team-highs in their respective statistical categories.

On special teams, Brandon Sims was a perfect 6-for-6 in PAT attempts while also sending three of his seven kickoffs for touchbacks. Max Zuluaga averaged 50.0 yards over three punts.

Playing in its second game since debuting its program last week, Chicago State was led by Adrian Bowers' game-high 10 tackles. Ashton Pannell found De Armond Mathews for a 4-yard passing touchdown for the Cougars' only score midway through the first quarter, but the UT Martin defense conceded just 129 total yards over the final 45 minutes.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
CSU	1st	07:17	Mathews,De Armo 6 yd pass from Pannell,Ashton	Blair,Donovan kick	10-57	6:10	7-0
UTM	2nd	14:29	FRANKLIN, Chris 4 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	13-75	7:48	7-7
UTM	2nd	06:31	ANSLEY, Tommy 20 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	12-76	5:33	7-14
UTM	2nd	00:30	FRANKLIN, Chris 1 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	7-38	2:36	7-21
UTM	4th	14:54	ANSLEY, Tommy 28 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	3-65	0:57	7-28
UTM	4th	06:08	ANSLEY, Tommy 1 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	7-74	3:39	7-35
UTM	4th	01:01	PEETE, Jaydon 4 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	6-68	2:47	7-42

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Tommy Ansley	16	118	3	28
Chris Franklin	14	70	2	27

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Julian Calvez	1-3-0	39	0	39
Tate Surber	16-23-1	222	0	46

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Anthony Carter	3	62	0	46
Connie Hewitt II	3	55	0	22

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Reginald Allen Jr.	3	5	8	1.5 TFL
Chris Wilson	2	5	7	1.5 TFL

›› CHICAGO STATE

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Tre' Hartwell	6	19	0	11
Michael Dabney Jr.	9	16	0	6

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Ashton Pannell	20-33-0	153	1	23

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Kymari Gray	4	61	0	20
Mark Harris	3	22	0	23

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Adrian Bowers	4	6	10	-
Michael Johnson	2	6	8	1.0 TFL

GAME THREE | WEST VIRGINIA

Sept. 12 | Milan Puskar Stadium | Morgantown, W. Va.
1 pm | Att: 47,049



BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
UT Martin	0	0	0	7	7
West Virginia	21	7	17	7	52

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	WVU
FIRST DOWNS	9	26
Rushing	18	23
Rushing	7	15
Passing	11	7
Penalty	0	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	148	395
Rushing Attempts	37	51
Average Per Rush	4.0	7.7
Rushing Touchdowns	0	4
Yards Gained Rushing	180	404
Yards Lost Rushing	32	9
NET YARDS PASSING	170	209
Completions-Attempts-Int	22-33-1	8-12-0
Average Per Attempt	5.2	17.4
Average Per Completion	7.7	26.1
Passing Touchdowns	0	3
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	318	604
Total offense plays	70	63
Average Gain Per Play	4.5	9.6
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	5-111	2-9
PUNTS-YARDS	5-208	2-85
Average Yards Per Punt	41.6	42.5
Net Yards Per Punt	35.8	42.5
Inside 20	2	0
50+ Yards	2	0
Touchbacks	1	0
Fair catch	0	2
KICKOFFS-YARDS	2-105	9-570
Average Yards Per Kickoff	52.5	63.3
Net Yards Per Kickoff	40.0	38.3
Touchbacks	1	9
Fair Catch Yards	21	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	0-0-0	1-9-0
Average Per Return	0.0	9.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	0.0	0.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	1-6-1	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	34:44	25:16
1st Quarter	9:58	5:02
2nd Quarter	12:15	2:45
3rd Quarter	6:03	8:57
4th Quarter	6:28	8:32
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 16	8 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 3	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-2	3-3
Touchdowns	0-2	2-3
Field goals	0-2	1-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	2-14
PAT Kicks	1-1	7-7
Field Goals	0-1	1-1
Points off turnovers	7	14

›› GAME NOTES

John Betts III recovered a fumble and returned in six yards for a touchdown

Punter Max Zuluaga averaged 53.2 yards per punt - including a 68-yard punt

Trey Cotton (10) recorded his first double-digit tackle performance

Chris Franklin ripped a 48-yard carry

UT MARTIN FALLS AT BIG 12 CONFERENCE OPPONENT WEST VIRGINIA

MORGANTOWN, W. Va. - The University of Tennessee at Martin football squad took to the road today for the first time this season, falling by a 52-7 margin at Football Bowl Subdivision opponent West Virginia in front of 47,049 fans at Milan Puskar Stadium.

The Skyhawks (1-2) put together a trio of chunk plays in the opening quarter, averaging 7.3 yards over 20 plays. Julian Calvez hit Connie Hewitt II for a 24-yard pass on the first play of the game before Chris Franklin added a 48-yard run, setting the stage for an eventual UT Martin 1st-and-goal from the 5-yard line. Later in the period, Tate Surber found Kaleb Costner for a 25-yard reception.

At the halftime break, the Skyhawks gained 246 total yards compared to West Virginia's 254 while UT Martin held a 13-8 advantage in first downs. Five of the Skyhawks' seven first-half drives ventured into Mountaineer territory.

In the second half, UT Martin got on the scoreboard with a defensive score. John Betts III scooped up a fumble off a West Virginia read option and returned it across the goal line from six yards out with 3:25 to go in the contest.

Trey Cotton accounted for a game-high 10 tackles today as the Skyhawk defensive unit. Quincy Hamilton and Chris Wilson (0.5 tackles for loss, one pass breakup) also made six tackles apiece to pace UT Martin.

Franklin led the way for the Skyhawk offense today, managing 85 yards on 12 carries for an average of 7.1 yards per tote. Surber took a majority of the snaps at quarterback, going 19-of-28 for 137 yards. His favorite target today was Deuce Oliver, who hauled in a game-high six catches while Costner's 36 receiving yards led nine different UT Martin players who had at least one catch.

On special teams, Max Zuluaga pinned two of his four punts inside the 10-yard line, including a 68-yard boot in the third quarter. Overall, he averaged 53.3 yards per punt while Brandon Sims successfully converted the Skyhawk PAT in the fourth quarter.

The Mountaineers (2-0) was led by quarterback Michael Hawkins, Jr., who combined for four touchdowns while going 5-of-7 for 155 passing yards with 96 rushing yards on six carries. Isaiah Patterson topped the West Virginia defense with eight tackles.

"This was a learning experience for our players in a good environment," UT Martin head coach Jason Simpson said. "When you play a FBS opponent, if you handle it the right way – your team will get better with that experience. I thought our guys competed – we did some good things especially offensively in the first half but it wasn't a very clean game for us and the margin for error is very small."

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
WVU	1st	12:08	Epps,DJ 53 yd pass from Hawkins Jr.,Mic	Cassidy,Jack kick	3-53	0:59	0-7
WVU	1st	09:11	Cook,Cam 2 yd run	Cassidy,Jack kick	5-100	1:33	0-14
WVU	1st	05:27	Hawkins Jr.,Mic 71 yd run	Cassidy,Jack kick	4-95	1:24	0-21
WVU	2nd	11:30	Hawkins Jr.,Mic 5 yd run	Cassidy,Jack kick	5-0	1:44	0-28
WVU	3rd	12:57	Ward,Ryan 32 yd pass from Hawkins Jr.,Mic	Cassidy,Jack kick	6-75	2:03	0-35
WVU	3rd	09:56	Latimer,Amari 29 yd run	Cassidy,Jack kick	2-47	0:33	0-42
WVU	3rd	01:35	Cassidy,Jack 35 yd field goal		15-73	6:21	0-45
WVU	4th	07:07	Triplett,Kedric 27 yd pass from Hughley,Jyron	Flower,Nate kick	10-68	4:13	0-52
UTM	4th	03:25	BETTS, John 6 yd fumble recovery	SIMS, Brandon kick			7-52

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Chris Franklin	12	85	0	48
Tommy Ansley	8	21	0	9

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Tate Surber	19-28-1	137	0	25

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Deuce Oliver	6	25	0	10
Kaleb Costner	3	36	0	25

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Trey Cotton	4	6	10	0.5 TFL
Quincy Hamilton	4	2	6	-
Chris Wilson	2	4	6	0.5 TFL

›› WEST VIRGINIA

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Michael Hawkins Jr.	6	96	2	71
Cam Cook	10	52	1	14

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Michael Hawkins Jr.	5-7-0	155	2	59

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
DJ Epps	2	112	1	59
Armoni Weaver-Bomar	2	16	0	16

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Isaiah Patterson	4	4	8	0.5 TFL
Cam Torbor	3	2	5	-

GAME FOUR | MEMPHIS

Sept. 19 | Simmons Bank Liberty Stadium | Memphis, Tenn.
6 pm | Att: 30,840



UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS 21

GAME 4

MEMPHIS TIGERS 45

BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
UT Martin	0	7	0	14	21
Memphis	10	14	7	14	45

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	MEM
FIRST DOWNS	14	28
Rushing	6	13
Passing	7	14
Penalty	1	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	114	299
Rushing Attempts	28	40
Average Per Rush	4.1	7.5
Rushing Touchdowns	1	1
Yards Gained Rushing	118	310
Yards Lost Rushing	4	11
NET YARDS PASSING	177	273
Completions-Attempts-Int	17-29-0	28-35-1
Average Per Attempt	6.1	7.8
Average Per Completion	10.4	9.8
Passing Touchdowns	2	5
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	291	572
Total offense plays	57	75
Average Gain Per Play	5.1	7.6
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-0	1-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	8-50	3-15
PUNTS-YARDS	4-187	0-0
Average Yards Per Punt	46.8	0.0
Net Yards Per Punt	40.0	0.0
Inside 20	1	0
50+ Yards	1	0
Touchbacks	1	0
Fair catch	2	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	4-258	8-495
Average Yards Per Kickoff	64.5	61.9
Net Yards Per Kickoff	40.8	40.0
Touchbacks	2	7
Fair Catch Yards	0	25
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	0-0-0	1-7-0
Average Per Return	0.0	7.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	2-45-0
Average Per Return	0.0	22.5
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-33-0	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	28:46	31:14
1st Quarter	6:32	8:28
2nd Quarter	9:01	5:59
3rd Quarter	6:42	8:18
4th Quarter	6:31	8:29
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 13	9 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	6-7
Touchdowns	3-3	5-7
Field goals	0-3	1-7
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-11	1-2
PAT Kicks	3-3	6-6
Field Goals	0-0	1-1
Points off turnovers	7	0

›› GAME NOTES

Tate Surber tallied his first career touchdown pass, finding Makhia Sherrard for an 8-yard strike

Joel Castleberry notched his second career interception

Max Zuluaga booted a 74-yard punt in the first quarter, ranking as the third longest punt in program history

UT MARTIN DROPS IN-STATE MATCHUP TO MEMPHIS

MEMPHIS, Tenn. – The University of Tennessee at Martin football team scored a pair of fourth-quarter touchdowns but could not overcome an early deficit as Memphis claimed a 45-21 victory on Saturday evening at Simmons Bank Liberty Stadium.

Playing in front of 30,840 fans, UT Martin (1-3) finished with 291 yards of total offense and converted seven of its 13 third-down opportunities. The Skyhawks were particularly effective inside the 20-yard line, scoring touchdowns on all three of their red-zone possessions.

In his first career start, freshman quarterback Tate Surber posted a solid performance by completing 17 of 29 passes for 177 yards and two touchdowns while committing no turnovers. The tandem of Deuce Oliver and Makhia Sherrard paced the team with four receptions. Oliver paced the team with 69 receiving yards on the night – including a 46-yard over the shoulder catch to set up a scoring drive in the fourth quarter. Meanwhile, Sherrard scored the Skyhawks first receiving touchdown of the season by tip-toeing the endzone for a second quarter touchdown snag.

The offensive production continued in the fourth quarter for the Skyhawks as the team punched a pair of touchdowns into the endzone. A dazzling reception by Kaleb Washington resulted in a seven-yard touchdown while running back Tommy Ansley punctuated another scoring drive with a one-yard rush up the middle.

Defensively, Joel Castleberry recorded his second career interception and capped it off with a 33-yard return to set up a scoring drive in the fourth quarter while sharing the team-lead with eight tackles on the night. Sophomore safety Trey Cotton also recorded eight tackles in the contest – including a tackle for loss in the first quarter. Another highlight play came in the second quarter when Rasheen Duncan bull rushed the opposing center and sacked Memphis quarterback Marcus Stokes for an 11-yard loss.

A big play on special teams also flashed on the stat sheet when Max Zuluaga booted a 74-yard punt in the first quarter. The punt marked the third-longest punt in program history, trailing only an 80-yard blast by Jade Stillings in 1997 and a 75-yard punt by Tyler Larco in 2022.

Memphis (3-1) racked up 572 yards of total offense on the night with a balanced attack – including 299 yards on the ground and 273 yards through the air. Stokes provided stability under center, completing 26-of-32 pass attempts for 258 yards and four touchdowns. Meanwhile Jordan Thompson tallied 110 yards and a touchdown on the ground.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
MEM	1st	07:32	Laforge,Philipp 30 yd field goal		10-47	4:11	0-3
MEM	1st	03:08	Chapman,Tychaun 26 yd pass from Stokes,Marcus	Laforge,Philipp kick	7-70	2:59	0-10
MEM	2nd	12:35	Carter,Jaylin 17 yd pass from Stokes,Marcus	Laforge,Philipp kick	8-75	3:43	0-17
UTM	2nd	04:11	SHERRARD, Makhi 8 yd pass from SURBER, Tate	SIMS, Brandon kick	15-75	8:24	7-17
MEM	2nd	00:37	Harding,Jonatha 9 yd pass from Stokes,Marcus	Laforge,Philipp kick	11-76	3:27	7-24
MEM	3rd	11:09	Tipton,Hunter 7 yd pass from Stokes,Marcus	Laforge,Philipp kick	12-77	3:48	7-31
UTM	4th	11:26	WASHINGTON, Kal 7 yd pass from SURBER, Tate	SIMS, Brandon kick	5-32	2:48	14-31
MEM	4th	10:53	Joseph,Joshua 3 yd pass from Noland,Air	Laforge,Philipp kick	2-75	0:33	14-38
UTM	4th	07:46	ANSLEY, Tommy 1 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	6-75	3:07	21-38
MEM	4th	00:36	Thompson,Jordan 1 yd run	Laforge,Philipp kick	13-75	7:10	21-45

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Jaydon Peete	6	38	0	16
Tommy Ansley	10	34	1	11

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Tate Surber	17-29-0	177	2	46

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Deuce Oliver	4	69	0	46
Makhia Sherrard	4	53	1	20

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Joel Castleberry	7	1	8	1 INT
Trey Cotton	6	2	8	1.0 TFL
Chris Wilson	5	1	6	1 PBU

›› MEMPHIS

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Jordan Thompson	6	110	1	72
Dallan Hayden	11	85	0	38

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Marcus Stokes	26-32-0	258	4	30

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Jermane Hayes	8	57	0	14
Jemyri Davis	3	45	0	30

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Trey McDonald	3	2	5	-
JJ Clayton	2	2	4	0.5 TFL
Chauncey Logan Jr.	3	0	3	-

GAME FIVE | AUSTIN PEAY

Sept. 26 | Fortera Stadium | Clarksville, Tenn.
1 pm | Att: 7,981



BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
UT Martin	9	3	0	0	12
Austin Peay	7	0	21	7	35

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	AP
FIRST DOWNS	13	15
Rushing	4	4
Passing	8	11
Penalty	1	0
NET YARDS RUSHING	122	107
Rushing Attempts	36	33
Average Per Rush	3.4	3.2
Rushing Touchdowns	0	3
Yards Gained Rushing	148	171
Yards Lost Rushing	26	64
NET YARDS PASSING	175	254
Completions-Attempts-Int	20-27-2	17-21-0
Average Per Attempt	6.5	12.1
Average Per Completion	8.8	14.9
Passing Touchdowns	1	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	297	361
Total offense plays	63	54
Average Gain Per Play	4.7	6.7
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	4-20	5-35
PUNTS-YARDS	6-281	4-143
Average Yards Per Punt	46.8	35.8
Net Yards Per Punt	40.5	34.2
Inside 20	3	1
50+ Yards	2	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	2	1
KICKOFFS-YARDS	3-145	7-465
Average Yards Per Kickoff	48.3	66.4
Net Yards Per Kickoff	36.0	45.0
Touchbacks	0	6
Fair Catch Yards	50	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1-6-0	2-38-0
Average Per Return	6.0	19.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	1-0-0	1-37-0
Average Per Return	0.0	37.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	2-2-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-18-1
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	32:13	27:47
1st Quarter	9:48	5:12
2nd Quarter	9:26	5:34
3rd Quarter	5:32	9:28
4th Quarter	7:27	7:33
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 15	4 of 10
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	3-3
Touchdowns	1-2	3-3
Field goals	1-2	0-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	4-46	3-22
PAT Kicks	1-1	5-5
Field Goals	1-1	0-1
Points off turnovers	0	14

›› GAME NOTES

Malik Brown recorded the team's first safety of the season with a sack on the opening defensive drive

Malik Brown tallied 2.0 sacks

Joel Castleberry recovered a fumble - the first of his career

Kaleb Costner tallied his first touchdown as a Skyhawk

SKYHAWKS CAN'T SLOW SECOND HALF SURGE AGAINST NO. 11 AUSTIN PEAY

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn. - The University of Tennessee at Martin football team carried a five-point lead into halftime, but No. 11 ranked Austin Peay scored 28 unanswered points after the break to hand the Skyhawks a 35-12 setback Saturday at Fortera Stadium.

Big plays proved to be the difference in the game for both teams. The Skyhawks (1-4) struck first when Malik Brown sacked Austin Peay quarterback Chris Parson in the end zone for a safety on the opening defensive drive of the game. After a 66-yard Parson touchdown run put the Governors ahead, Tate Surber found Kaleb Costner for a 3-yard touchdown pass to give UT Martin a 9-7 lead late in the first quarter.

Brandon Sims added a 24-yard field goal with 3:29 left in the second quarter, sending the Skyhawks into the locker room up 12-7.

From there, the nationally ranked Governors took control. Austin Peay retook the lead on an 18-yard Parson run on its opening possession of the second half. Eight seconds later, Ta'Ron Haile returned an interception 18 yards for a touchdown. The Governors added another touchdown in the third quarter and one in the fourth to close out the scoring.

Surber completed 20 of 27 passes for 175 yards and a touchdown. Makhia Sherrard led UT Martin's receivers with five catches for 85 yards, including a 42-yard reception, while Chris Franklin rushed 12 times for 63 yards and caught five passes.

On the defensive side of the ball, Brown finished with two sacks, including the safety, as the Skyhawk defense totaled four sacks on the afternoon. Jamarcus Smith and Zamaryion Farmer-McCray shared the team lead with seven tackles apiece, and Joel Castleberry recorded six tackles, a sack and a fumble recovery.

"They have a good football team," UT Martin head coach Jason Simpson said. "The quarterback is a good player and they have some good weapons around him but I'll take this one. I was proud of the kids in the first half. They were really competitive and fought hard to take a 12-7 lead into halftime. It has to be coaching if we get outscored 28-0 in the second half. We've got to regroup, reassess what we do well, who does it well and see if we can coach it better heading into conference play."

Austin Peay was led by Parson who accounted for three touchdowns and 336 yards of total offense, including two touchdowns on the ground and one through the air. Marvin Sims also found the endzone twice via an eight-yard rush and an eight-yard reception.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
UTM	1st	11:38	TEAM safety				2-0
APSU	1st	06:45	Parson,Chris 66 yd run	DiBoyan,Hamilto kick	3-73	1:05	2-7
UTM	1st	03:51	COSTNER, Kaleb 3 yd pass from SURBER, Tate	SIMS, Brandon kick	6-75	2:54	9-7
UTM	2nd	03:29	SIMS, Brandon 24 yd field goal		9-43	4:57	12-7
APSU	3rd	10:58	Parson,Chris 18 yd run	DiBoyan,Hamilto kick	9-75	4:02	12-14
APSU	3rd	10:50	Haile,Ta'Ron 18 yd 18 yd	DiBoyan,Hamilto kick			12-21
APSU	3rd	06:27	Sims,Marvin 8 yd pass from Parson,Chris	DiBoyan,Hamilto kick	6-80	2:50	12-28
APSU	4th	10:19	Sims,Marvin 8 yd run	DiBoyan,Hamilto kick	1-8	0:06	12-35

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Chris Franklin	12	63	0	23
Greg Ard	4	37	0	22

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Tate Surber	20-27-2	175	1	42

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Makhia Sherrard	5	85	0	42
Chris Franklin	5	19	0	6

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Z. Farmer-McCray	5	2	7	-
Jamarcus Smith	0	7	7	0.5 TFL
Joel Castleberry	4	2	6	1.5 TFL

›› AUSTIN PEAY

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Chris Parson	14	82	2	66
Kaden Williams	4	24	0	12

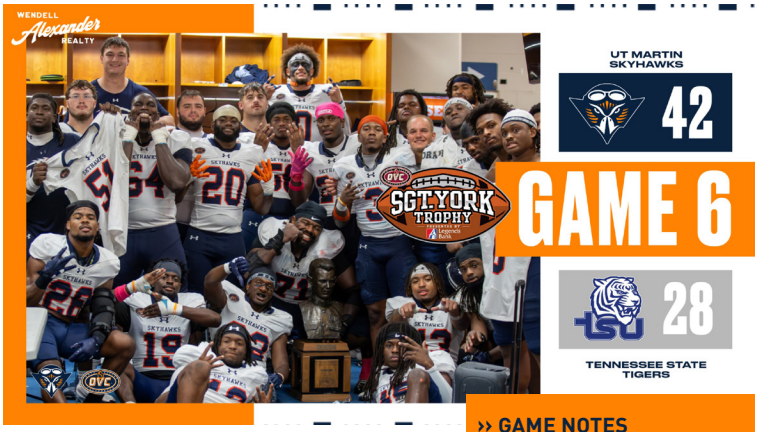
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Chris Parson	17-21-0	254	1	30

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Jaden Robinson	5	65	0	23
Marvin Sims	4	58	1	30

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Trevor Hardy	4	4	8	1.0 TFL
Canaan Williams	5	2	7	-
Eli Jones	2	5	7	-

GAME SIX | TENNESSEE STATE

Oct. 10 | Nissan Stadium | Nashville, Tenn.
2:30 pm | Att: 670



BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
UT Martin	0	14	14	14	42
Tennessee St.	14	7	0	7	28

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	TSU
FIRST DOWNS	18	17
Rushing	9	1
Passing	6	15
Penalty	3	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	193	15
Rushing Attempts	45	21
Average Per Rush	4.3	0.7
Rushing Touchdowns	4	0
Yards Gained Rushing	227	38
Yards Lost Rushing	34	23
NET YARDS PASSING	114	376
Completions-Attempts-Int	15-21-0	20-39-3
Average Per Attempt	5.4	9.6
Average Per Completion	7.6	18.8
Passing Touchdowns	0	4
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	307	391
Total offense plays	66	60
Average Gain Per Play	4.7	6.5
Fumbles: Number-Lost	2-2	1-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	10-105	8-53
PUNTS-YARDS	5-198	3-114
Average Yards Per Punt	39.6	38.0
Net Yards Per Punt	39.2	36.7
Inside 20	4	0
50+ Yards	0	1
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	2	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	7-444	5-244
Average Yards Per Kickoff	63.4	48.8
Net Yards Per Kickoff	44.0	43.0
Touchbacks	3	0
Fair Catch Yards	0	39
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	2-4-0	1-2-0
Average Per Return	2.0	2.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	2-29-0	4-61-0
Average Per Return	14.5	15.2
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	3-64-1	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	1-97-1	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	34:22	25:38
1st Quarter	9:15	5:45
2nd Quarter	8:54	6:06
3rd Quarter	9:52	5:08
4th Quarter	6:21	8:39
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 14	4 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	3 of 4	0 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	1-2
Touchdowns	3-4	1-2
Field goals	0-4	0-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-15	3-23
PAT Kicks	6-6	4-4
Field Goals	0-0	0-0
Points off turnovers	21	7

›› GAME NOTES

UT Martin claimed its 12th Sgt. York Trophy

Head coach Jason Simpson won his 100th OVC contest - becoming just the third coach in OVC history

The Skyhawks scored 28 unanswered points on the way to victory

UT Martin forced four turnovers in the game - including three interceptions and fumble recovery

Farand Washington set a school record with a 97-yard fumble return for a touchdown

Chris Franklin posted his second multi-touchdown rushing performance of the season

SKYHAWKS RALLY PAST TSU TO CAPTURE PROGRAM'S 12TH SGT. YORK TROPHY

NASHVILLE, Tenn. - Four forced turnovers, two defensive touchdowns and a second-half surge powered the University of Tennessee at Martin football team to a 42-28 victory over Tennessee State on Saturday at Nissan Stadium, securing the program's 12th Sgt. York Trophy and head coach Jason Simpson's 100th career Ohio Valley Conference victory.

The Skyhawks (2-4, 1-0 OVC) overcame a 21-7 second-quarter deficit and scored 28 unanswered points to take control of their conference opener. UT Martin outscored the Tigers 28-7 after halftime, using a 97-yard fumble return by Farand Washington and a 23-yard interception return by Joel Castleberry to help deliver the milestone victory behind a pair of defensive touchdowns.

The win added another championship to UT Martin's trophy-leading total in the Sgt. York Trophy series while giving Simpson his 100th career OVC victory in his 21st season leading the Skyhawks. The Skyhawks now improve to 39-15 in Sgt. York Trophy games while Simpson joins legendary coaches Roy Kidd (207) and Boots Donnelly (102) as the only coaches to eclipse 100 conference victories in OVC history.

UT Martin's defense intercepted three passes and recovered a fumble, turning Tennessee State's four turnovers into 21 points. LaMarion Pierce, Jamal Mayers and Castleberry each recorded an interception, while Broderick Tommie Jr. forced the fumble that Washington returned nearly the length of the field (97 yards) for the program's longest fumble return for a touchdown.

The Skyhawks also limited Tennessee State to just 15 rushing yards on 21 attempts and stopped the Tigers on all three of their fourth-down tries. Brylan Jordan and Chris Wilson shared the team lead with six tackles apiece, while Duston Chavis recorded 1.5 tackles for loss, including a half-sack.

Offensively, UT Martin generated 193 rushing yards and four touchdowns on the ground. Chris Franklin carried the ball 22 times for 82 yards and two scores, while Jaydon Peete added 79 yards on 12 attempts. Makhia Sherrard provided a 34-yard touchdown run, and quarterback Tate Surber also reached the end zone on the ground.

Surber completed 15 of 21 passes for 114 yards without an interception. Kaleb Washington paced the receiving corps with six catches for 53 yards, while Peete added two receptions for 24 yards to finish with 103 yards from scrimmage.

Tennessee State (1-5, 0-2 conference) built an early advantage behind quarterback Daylin Lee, who connected Cam Bullock for three of his four touchdown strikes on the afternoon. Lee finished the day completing 20-of-39 pass attempts for four touchdowns but threw three interceptions in his Nissan Stadium debut. Bullock finished a monster day with seven catches for 191 yards and three touchdowns while Aaron Duncan II added the team's first of four touchdowns on the day.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
TSU	1st	07:19	Duncan II,Aaron 21 yd pass from Lee,Daylin	Hurless,Preston kick	4-37	2:09	0-7
TSU	1st	02:50	Bulluck,Cam 99 yd pass from Lee,Daylin	Hurless,Preston kick	1-99	0:15	0-14
UTM	2nd	14:07	SURBER, Tate 8 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	7-68	3:37	7-14
TSU	2nd	10:19	Bulluck,Cam 20 yd pass from Lee,Daylin	Hurless,Preston kick	7-86	3:43	7-21
UTM	2nd	00:41	FRANKLIN, Chris 8 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	11-72	4:07	14-21
UTM	3rd	04:35	WASHINGTON, Farand 97 yd fumble recovery	SIMS, Brandon kick			21-21
UTM	3rd	00:04	SHERRARD, Makhia 34 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	8-54	3:36	28-21
UTM	4th	14:33	FRANKLIN, Chris 4 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	1-4	0:05	35-21
TSU	4th	08:12	Bulluck,Cam 29 yd pass from Lee,Daylin	Hurless,Preston kick	7-72	2:56	35-28
UTM	4th	02:02	CASTLEBERRY, Joel 23 yd interception return	SIMS, Brandon kick			42-28

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Chris Franklin	21	93	2	15
Jaydon Peete	12	79	0	33

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Tate Surber	15-21-0	114	0	26

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Kaleb Washington	6	53	0	26
Jaydon Peete	2	24	0	18

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Brylan Jordan	3	4	7	1.0 TFL
Joel Castleberry	1	5	6	1 INT
Chris Wilson	0	6	6	6 QBH

›› TENNESSEE STATE

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Zack Simmons-Brown	10	9	0	5
Daylin Lee	9	7	0	16

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Daylin Lee	20-39-3	376	4	99

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Cam Bulluck	7	191	3	99
Brock Montgomery	5	86	0	36

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Bryce Gray	4	4	8	1.0 TFL
Rymen Mosley	3	3	6	-
Jaylon Price	2	4	6	1 FF

GAME SEVEN | GARDNER-WEBB

Oct. 17 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.
2 pm | Att: 4,017



BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
Gardner-Webb	0	0	6	0	6
UT Martin	0	7	3	7	17

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	GWU	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	7	16
Rushing	1	12
Passing	6	3
Penalty	0	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	20	218
Rushing Attempts	15	53
Average Per Rush	1.3	4.1
Rushing Touchdowns	0	1
Yards Gained Rushing	32	241
Yards Lost Rushing	12	23
NET YARDS PASSING	148	92
Completions-Attempts-Int	12-37-3	10-25-2
Average Per Attempt	4.0	3.7
Average Per Completion	12.3	9.2
Passing Touchdowns	0	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	168	310
Total offense plays	52	78
Average Gain Per Play	3.2	4.0
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	5-34	6-52
PUNTS-YARDS	8-340	7-329
Average Yards Per Punt	42.5	47.0
Net Yards Per Punt	34.8	41.3
Inside 20	2	1
50+ Yards	1	2
Touchbacks	1	0
Fair catch	5	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	2-105	4-233
Average Yards Per Kickoff	52.5	58.2
Net Yards Per Kickoff	40.0	22.0
Touchbacks	1	1
Fair Catch Yards	14	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	5-40-0	2-42-0
Average Per Return	8.0	21.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	3-120-1	0-0-0
Average Per Return	40.0	0.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	2-36-0	3-19-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	18:59	41:01
1st Quarter	1:44	13:16
2nd Quarter	6:24	8:36
3rd Quarter	4:40	10:20
4th Quarter	6:11	8:49
Third-Down Conversions	0 of 12	7 of 19
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	3-4
Touchdowns	0-1	2-4
Field goals	0-1	1-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-9	1-3
PAT Kicks	0-1	2-2
Field Goals	0-1	1-1
Points off turnovers	0	0

›› GAME NOTES

The Skyhawks played their first game at home in 42 days

UT Martin tallied three interceptions for the second straight game

Max Zuluaga booted a career-long 75-yard punt

Jamal Mayers has recorded interceptions in back-to-back games

BIG DEFENSIVE EFFORT LIFTS SKYHAWKS TO FAMILY WEEKEND VICTORY OVER GARDNER-WEBB

MARTIN, Tenn. – The University of Tennessee at Martin football team leaned on a suffocating defensive performance and a punishing ground attack to secure a 17-6 victory over Ohio Valley Conference foe Gardner-Webb.

The Skyhawks (3-4, 2-0 OVC) returned home for their first game in 42 days and leaned on its homefield advantage and energetic Family Weekend crowd to support a gritty conference matchup. UT Martin excelled on defense by limiting the visitors from Gardner-Webb to just 168 yards of total offense – including 20 rushing yards – while tallying three interceptions and zero offensive points.

Efficiency was the name of the game for the Skyhawks on defense, limiting the Runnin' Bulldogs to 0-for-12 on third downs while surrendering just seven first downs in the contest. Offensively, UT Martin controlled the line of scrimmage with 218 rushing yards on 53 carries while dominating time of possession by a 41:01 to 18:59 margin. The Skyhawks finished with 310 yards of total offense and 16 first downs, including 12 on the ground.

Freshman running back Jaydon Peete paced the Skyhawk rushing attack with 73 yards and a touchdown on 18 carries while freshman quarterback Tate Surber added 61 rushing yards, highlighted by a 58-yard scamper. Surber also completed 10 passes for 92 yards and a touchdown.

Through the air, senior tight end Kaleb Costner led the Skyhawks with 33 receiving yards on two catches while Kaleb Washington hauled in a 20-yard reception. Senior wide receiver Makhia Sherrard added two receptions for 18 yards, including a 13-yard touchdown grab.

Defensively, sophomore Zamaryion Farmer-McCray paced the Skyhawks with six tackles while junior linebacker Jamarcus Smith and junior defensive lineman Duston Chavis each registered five stops. Junior linebacker Malik Brown made his presence felt with four tackles, 1.5 tackles for loss, a sack and three quarterback hurries.

The Skyhawk secondary also delivered several game-changing plays as Reginald Allen Jr., Jamal Mayers and Ant Fisher each recorded an interception. Allen returned his takeaway 19 yards while Mayers added two pass breakups.

Special teams also played a significant role in the contest as sophomore punter Max Zuluaga averaged 47.0 yards on seven punts, including a booming 75-yard effort. The punt ranked tied for the second-longest punt in program history – trying a 75-yard booming punt by Tyler Larco against Kennesaw State back in 2022. Sims accounted for five points with his 37-yard field goal and a pair of successful extra-point attempts.

Gardner-Webb was led offensively by quarterbacks Jared Doolittle and Lan Farmer, who combined to complete 12-of-37 passes for 148 yards and three interceptions. Kory Jones paced the receiving corps with three catches for 49 yards while linebacker Cahari Haynes registered a game-high 13 tackles.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
UTM	2nd	01:51	SHERRARD, Makhi 13 yd pass from SURBER, Tate	SIMS, Brandon kick	9-43	3:25	0-7
UTM	3rd	06:50	SIMS, Brandon 37 yd field goal		7-44	3:40	0-10
GWU	3rd	06:34	George,Joshua 86 yd kickoff return	Simpson,Tyler kick blockd			6-10
UTM	4th	05:55	PEETE, Jaydon 2 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	3-64	1:23	6-17

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Jaydon Peete	18	73	1	10
Tate Surber	10	61	0	58

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Tate Surber	10-25-2	92	1	20

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Kaleb Costner	2	33	0	19
Makhia Sherrard	2	18	1	13

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Z. Farmer-McCray	5	1	6	1 QBH
Jamarcus Smith	3	2	5	1.0 TFL

›› GARDNER-WEBB

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Christian Vann	8	8	0	8
Lan Farmer	5	5	0	3

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Jared Doolittle	8-25-1	74	0	16
Lan Farmer	4-12-2	74	0	25

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Kory Jones	3	49	0	21
Sean Brady	2	33	0	25

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Cahari Haynes	4	9	13	1 QBH
Tre Yanez	1	9	10	1 QBH

GAME EIGHT | WESTERN ILLINOIS

Oct. 24 | Hanson Field | Macomb, Ill.
3 pm | Att: 3,243



BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
UT Martin	0	10	7	7	24
Western Ill.	7	14	17	17	55

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	WIU
FIRST DOWNS	20	22
Rushing	4	14
Passing	11	8
Penalty	5	0
NET YARDS RUSHING	90	329
Rushing Attempts	33	39
Average Per Rush	2.7	8.4
Rushing Touchdowns	3	5
Yards Gained Rushing	130	342
Yards Lost Rushing	40	13
NET YARDS PASSING	276	203
Completions-Attempts-Int	19-37-2	13-23-1
Average Per Attempt	7.5	8.8
Average Per Completion	14.5	15.6
Passing Touchdowns	0	2
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	366	532
Total offense plays	70	62
Average Gain Per Play	5.2	8.6
Fumbles: Number-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	4-28	6-60
PUNTS-YARDS	4-205	1-53
Average Yards Per Punt	51.2	53.0
Net Yards Per Punt	40.0	54.0
Inside 20	0	0
50+ Yards	2	1
Touchbacks	1	0
Fair catch	1	0
KICKOFFS-YARDS	5-296	10-549
Average Yards Per Kickoff	59.2	54.9
Net Yards Per Kickoff	30.0	36.4
Touchbacks	3	5
Fair Catch Yards	16	17
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1--1-0	2-25-0
Average Per Return	-1.0	12.5
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	3-60-0	1-71-0
Average Per Return	20.0	71.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-14-0	2-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-14-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	29:47	30:13
1st Quarter	5:27	9:33
2nd Quarter	12:26	2:34
3rd Quarter	6:50	8:10
4th Quarter	5:04	9:56
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 13	4 of 8
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 3	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	3-4
Touchdowns	2-3	2-4
Field goals	1-3	1-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-5	2-14
PAT Kicks	3-3	7-7
Field Goals	1-1	2-3
Points off turnovers	7	10

›› GAME NOTES

Jaydon Peete was named OVC Rookie of the Week after rushing for two touchdowns

Chris Franklin ripped a 34-yard rushing touchdown

Tate Surber threw for a career-high 266 yards

Stefan Ponder tallied his first career interception

UT MARTIN FALLS ON THE ROAD TO WESTERN ILLINOIS

MACOMB, Ill. – The University of Tennessee at Martin football team could not slow down the high-powered offense of Western Illinois in the host's Homecoming matchup, falling on the road by a final 55-24 margin at Hanson Field.

UT Martin (3-5, 2-1 OVC) totaled 366 yards of offense and stayed within striking distance for much of the contest before Western Illinois (4-4, 2-1 OVC) closed the game with 17-point fourth quarter to seal the conference matchup.

The Skyhawks found some success through the air, as quarterback Tate Surber completed 18-of-34 pass attempts for a career-high 266 yards but also threw two turnovers to stall offensive drives. Keyshaun Pipkin paced the team with four receptions and 77 yards – including a 47-yard reception to set up a scoring drive early in the second quarter. Meanwhile, Deuce Oliver eclipsed the 100-yard receiving mark for the first time in his career with a game-high 119 yards – including a 79-yard pass reception – which led to a Skyhawk touchdown.

Western Illinois did a nice job of keeping the UT Martin rushing offense in check throughout the game, limiting the Skyhawks to a season-low 90 rushing yards. Despite the tough running lanes, Jaydon Peete found the endzone twice on the ground, tallying two touchdowns on eight carries for 15 yards. Meanwhile, Chris Franklin also found the endzone with a 34-yard rushing touchdown late in the third quarter.

The tandem of Joel Castleberry and Brylan Jordan paced the team with six tackles each while Duston Chavis, Chris Wilson and Broderick Tommie Jr. each had a sack. Stefan Ponder also got involved by hauling in a tipped pass from CJ Cobbins and returning his first career interception 14 yards.

On special teams, central Illinois product Brandon Sims nailed a 22-yard field goal while Max Zuluaga consistently flipped the field for the Skyhawks by tallied four punts for an average of 51.2 yards per attempt – including a game-long 68-yard punt.

Western Illinois leaned heavily on the shoulders of dual-threat quarterback Kennedy McGill who powers a high-scoring offense. McGill tallied 349 yards of total offense by rushing 25 times for 210 yards and three touchdowns while completing 12-of-22 pass attempts for 139 yards and a touchdown through the air. David Hargro also added two touchdowns for the Fighting Leathernecks, with one coming on the ground and one through the air.

The Leatherneck defense was led by Nick Reinicke with 10 tackles and an interception while Justin Buckner also added 10 tackles in the victory.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
WIU	1st	07:49	McGill,Kennedy 1 yd run	Culkin,Ronan kick	13-80	6:10	0-7
UTM	2nd	10:29	SIMS, Brandon 22 yd field goal		9-66	3:44	3-7
WIU	2nd	08:23	Hargro,David 24 yd pass from McGill,Kennedy	Culkin,Ronan kick	3-46	0:58	3-14
UTM	2nd	01:02	PEETE, Jaydon 2 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	16-75	7:21	10-14
WIU	2nd	00:43	McGill,Kennedy 25 yd run	Culkin,Ronan kick	1-25	0:07	10-21
WIU	3rd	13:16	McGill,Kennedy 56 yd run	Culkin,Ronan kick	4-75	1:44	10-28
UTM	3rd	12:10	PEETE, Jaydon 2 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	3-89	1:00	17-28
WIU	3rd	11:00	Hiraldo,Israel 64 yd pass from Anaya,Christian	Culkin,Ronan kick	4-75	1:10	17-35
WIU	3rd	03:41	Culkin,Ronan 28 yd field goal		8-46	5:01	17-38
UTM	4th	14:52	FRANKLIN, Chris 34 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	5-44	1:29	24-38
WIU	4th	12:23	Culkin,Ronan 51 yd field goal		5-42	2:29	24-41
WIU	4th	04:13	Hargro,David 9 yd run	Culkin,Ronan kick	8-49	5:33	24-48
WIU	4th	01:51	Bryce,Ethan 53 yd run	Lobas,Kacper kick	3-62	1:04	24-55

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Chris Franklin	10	57	1	34
Jaydon Peete	8	15	2	4

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Tate Surber	18-34-2	266	0	79

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Keyshaun Pipkin	4	77	0	47
Deuce Oliver	3	119	0	79

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Brylan Jordan	2	6	8	-
Joel Castleberry	2	4	6	1 PBU
Z. Farmer-McCray	2	4	6	1 PBU

›› WESTERN ILLINOIS

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Kennedy McGill	24	210	3	56
Ethan Bryce	3	62	1	53

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Kennedy McGill	12-22-1	139	1	24

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Israel Hiraldo	3	92	1	64
Ihson E. Jackson-Anderson	2	33	0	18

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Nick Reinicke	4	6	10	1 INT
Justin Buckner	2	8	10	2 QBH
LeBron Morgan	1	6	7	-

GAME NINE | EASTERN ILLINOIS

Oct. 31 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.
2 pm | Att: 5,168



BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
Eastern Illinois	14	10	7	14	45
UT Martin	0	13	3	0	16

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	EIU	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	26	16
Rushing	11	11
Passing	13	5
Penalty	2	0
NET YARDS RUSHING	283	236
Rushing Attempts	32	32
Average Per Rush	8.8	7.4
Rushing Touchdowns	2	2
Yards Gained Rushing	293	254
Yards Lost Rushing	10	18
NET YARDS PASSING	269	105
Completions-Attempts-Int	20-31-1	14-28-2
Average Per Attempt	8.7	3.8
Average Per Completion	13.4	7.5
Passing Touchdowns	4	0
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	552	341
Total offense plays	63	60
Average Gain Per Play	8.8	5.7
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	3-30	4-30
PUNTS-YARDS	3-136	6-292
Average Yards Per Punt	45.3	48.7
Net Yards Per Punt	45.3	45.3
Inside 20	1	1
50+ Yards	1	1
Touchbacks	0	1
Fair catch	3	1
KICKOFFS-YARDS	8-510	4-204
Average Yards Per Kickoff	63.8	51.0
Net Yards Per Kickoff	39.0	46.8
Touchbacks	6	0
Fair Catch Yards	0	41
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1-0-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	0.0	0.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	1-17-0	2-48-0
Average Per Return	17.0	24.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	2-46-0	1-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	31:16	28:44
1st Quarter	11:23	3:37
2nd Quarter	5:34	9:26
3rd Quarter	6:16	8:44
4th Quarter	8:03	6:57
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 11	3 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	5-5	3-3
Touchdowns	4-5	2-3
Field goals	1-5	1-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-12	0-0
PAT Kicks	6-6	1-2
Field Goals	1-1	1-1
Points off turnovers	0	6

›› GAME NOTES

Eastern Illinois snapped a seven-game losing streak to UT Martin

The Skyhawks dropped to 14-6 in Homecoming contests during the Jason Simpson era

SKYHAWKS DROP HOMECOMING MATCHUP TO EASTERN ILLINOIS

MARTIN, Tenn. - The University of Tennessee at Martin football team saw its Homecoming celebration spoiled Saturday afternoon as Eastern Illinois used an explosive offensive performance to claim a 45-16 victory at Hardy M. Graham Stadium.

The setback dropped the Skyhawks to 3-6 overall and 2-2 in conference play, while the Panthers improved to 3-6 on the season with an identical 2-2 league mark.

Eastern Illinois accumulated 552 yards of total offense, including 283 rushing yards and 269 passing yards. Panther quarterback Cole LaCrue proved difficult to contain, completing 20-of-31 passes for 269 yards and four touchdowns while rushing for another 112 yards and a score. Four different players hauled in receiving touchdowns for the Panthers while tallying a pair of interceptions in the road victory to snap a seven game losing streak to the Skyhawks.

Despite the final outcome, UT Martin found success on the ground, rushing for 236 yards and a pair of touchdowns. Junior running back Chris Franklin accounted for both Skyhawk touchdowns, finishing with 67 yards on 11 carries, while freshman Jaydon Peete paced the rushing attack with 99 yards on 11 attempts, including a 50-yard burst.

Defensively, the Skyhawks were led by Jamarcus Smith, Farand Washington and Nissi Mukulu, who each recorded six tackles. Sophomore defensive back Wendell Smith provided a takeaway with an interception, while the Skyhawks registered four tackles for loss.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
EIU	1st	11:06	Whitlock,Devin 14 yd pass from LaCrue,Cole	Schiller,Drew kick	8-65	3:54	7-0
EIU	1st	06:29	Kellom,Charles 5 yd run	Schiller,Drew kick	6-80	2:54	14-0
EIU	2nd	12:52	Schiller,Drew 36 yd field goal		16-70	6:43	17-0
UTM	2nd	05:04	FRANKLIN, Chris 8 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick blockd	9-98	4:39	17-6
UTM	2nd	01:04	FRANKLIN, Chris 14 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	5-71	3:00	17-13
EIU	2nd	00:13	Reeves,Jeremy 12 yd pass from LaCrue,Cole	Schiller,Drew kick	4-75	0:51	24-13
EIU	3rd	08:59	Evans,Eli 19 yd pass from LaCrue,Cole	Schiller,Drew kick	6-80	3:49	31-13
UTM	3rd	00:56	SIMS, Brandon 39 yd field goal		11-63	4:55	31-16
EIU	4th	12:52	LaCrue,Cole 50 yd run	Schiller,Drew kick	6-75	3:04	38-16
EIU	4th	08:34	Fleming-Page,Ja 67 yd pass from LaCrue,Cole	Schiller,Drew kick	4-76	2:18	45-16

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Jaydon Peete	11	99	0	50
Chris Franklin	11	67	2	15

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Tate Surber	12-23-2	76	0	13

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Deuce Oliver	2	34	0	29
Jamauri Brice	2	19	0	13

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Jamarcus Smith	4	2	6	1 QBH
Farand Washington	5	1	6	-

›› EASTERN ILLINOIS

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Cole Lacrue	12	112	1	50
Jacarre Fleming-Page	6	98	0	58

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Cole Lacrue	20-31-1	269	4	67

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Jacarre Fleming-Page	2	75	1	67
Eli Evans	4	49	1	19

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Ja'wuan Nickson	6	2	8	1.5
Jerry Addo-Boateng	4	2	6	1 INT

GAME 10 | CHARLESTON SOUTHERN

Nov. 7 | Buccaneer Field | Charleston, South Carolina
2 pm | Att: 2,201



BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
UT Martin	14	0	0	6	20
Charleston So.	3	7	0	0	10

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	UTM	CSU
FIRST DOWNS	16	14
Rushing	9	3
Passing	5	9
Penalty	2	2
NET YARDS RUSHING	157	57
Rushing Attempts	44	23
Average Per Rush	3.6	2.5
Rushing Touchdowns	1	1
Yards Gained Rushing	173	65
Yards Lost Rushing	16	8
NET YARDS PASSING	88	191
Completions-Attempts-Int	14-16-0	13-37-1
Average Per Attempt	5.5	5.2
Average Per Completion	6.3	14.7
Passing Touchdowns	0	0
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	245	248
Total offense plays	60	60
Average Gain Per Play	4.1	4.1
Fumbles: Number-Lost	2-1	2-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	8-74	6-53
PUNTS-YARDS	4-183	6-249
Average Yards Per Punt	45.8	41.5
Net Yards Per Punt	46.0	29.0
Inside 20	2	2
50+ Yards	1	0
Touchbacks	0	1
Fair catch	0	1
KICKOFFS-YARDS	5-265	3-186
Average Yards Per Kickoff	53.0	62.0
Net Yards Per Kickoff	33.4	40.3
Touchbacks	1	1
Fair Catch Yards	0	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	3-55-0	3--1-0
Average Per Return	18.3	-0.3
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	2-40-0	3-73-0
Average Per Return	20.0	24.3
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-57-1	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	34:24	25:36
1st Quarter	8:25	6:35
2nd Quarter	8:18	6:42
3rd Quarter	6:46	8:14
4th Quarter	10:55	4:05
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 12	2 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	2-2
Touchdowns	1-1	1-2
Field goals	0-1	1-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-3	0-0
PAT Kicks	2-2	1-1
Field Goals	2-2	1-1
Points off turnovers	7	0

›› GAME NOTES

Brandon Sims was named OVC Special Teams Player of the Week

Tate Surber was named OVC Rookie of the Week

LaMarion Pierce recorded his seventh career interception

Brandon Sims kicked a pair of career-long field goals of 43 yards and 41 yards

Tate Surber completed 14-of-16 passes, good for a completion percentage of 87.5, ranking as the third-best single-game performance in program history

SKYHAWKS RIDE STRONG DEFENSE AND KICKING GAME TO 20-10 ROAD VICTORY AT CHARLESTON SOUTHERN

CHARLESTON, S.C. – The University of Tennessee at Martin football team used a strong defensive performance, an early defensive touchdown and a pair of clutch fourth-quarter field goals to secure a 20-10 road victory over Charleston Southern on Saturday afternoon in Big South-Ohio Valley Football Association action.

The Skyhawks (4-6, 3-2 OVC) jumped out to a 14-3 first-quarter advantage before relying on a stingy defensive unit to keep the Buccaneers (4-6, 1-4) off the scoreboard throughout the second half. UT Martin limited Charleston Southern to just 57 rushing yards and held the hosts to a 2-of-13 conversion rate on third down while controlling the football for more than 34 minutes.

The victory was highlighted by a 57-yard interception return for a touchdown by senior defensive back LaMarion Pierce, a rushing score from freshman quarterback Tate Surber and two fourth-quarter field goals from sophomore kicker Brandon Sims from 43 and 41 yards, respectively.

With the win, UT Martin head coach Jason Simpson moves into a tie for second on the OVC's all-time wins list – tying former Austin Peay and Middle Tennessee head coach Boots Donnelly with 102 conference victories.

Offensively, UT Martin leaned heavily on its rushing attack, totaling 157 yards on 44 attempts. Freshman running back Jaydon Peete paced the Skyhawks with 79 yards on 20 carries, while junior Chris Franklin added 70 yards on 18 attempts.

Surber turned in an efficient performance under center, completing 14 of his 16 pass attempts for 88 yards without an interception while adding 10 rushing yards and a touchdown. The freshman signal caller distributed the football to nine different receivers, including senior Makhia Sherrard, who led the team with three receptions for 15 yards.

The Skyhawk defense played a pivotal role in the victory, holding Charleston Southern to just 248 yards of total offense while forcing six punts and a turnover on downs in the final minutes. Junior Joel Castleberry and sophomore Zamaryion Farmer-McCray tied for the team lead with six tackles apiece, while Jamarcus Smith, Quincy Hamilton and Chris Wilson each contributed four stops.

UT Martin's defensive front also made its presence felt, recording a sack and multiple quarterback pressures while limiting Charleston Southern's rushing attack to an average of just 2.5 yards per carry.

In addition to Pierce's interception return, the Skyhawks received a strong performance from their special teams unit. Oliver's 55-yard punt return set up the game's opening touchdown, while Sims finished a perfect 2-for-2 on field goal attempts and converted both extra-point opportunities. Sophomore punter Max Zuluaga averaged 45.8 yards on four punts, placing two inside the Charleston Southern 20-yard line.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
UTM	1st	09:03	SURBER, Tate 4 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	5-20	2:35	7-0
CSU	1st	07:07	Rolader,Matt 33 yd field goal		6-44	1:45	7-3
UTM	1st	00:56	PIERCE, LaMario 57 yd interception return	SIMS, Brandon kick			14-3
CSU	2nd	00:45	Wright,Dwayne 2 yd run	Rolader,Matt kick	8-37	3:19	14-10
UTM	4th	06:53	SIMS, Brandon 43 yd field goal		8-41	4:57	17-10
UTM	4th	03:29	SIMS, Brandon 41 yd field goal		7-39	2:12	20-10

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Jaydon Peete	20	9	0	18
Chris Franklin	18	70	0	12

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Tate Surber	14-16-0	88	0	14

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Makhia Sherrard	3	15	0	8
Kaleb Costner	1	14	0	14

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Joel Castleberry	4	2	6	1.0 TFL
Z. Farmer-McCray	3	3	6	0.5 TFL
Jamarcus Smith	1	3	4	0.5 TFL

›› CHARLESTON SOUTHERN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Hakeem Watters	15	14	0	6
Hunter Green	1	19	0	19

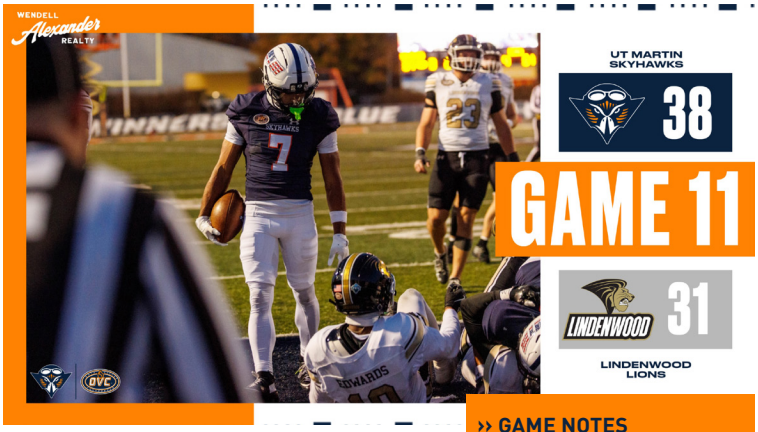
PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Jared Echols	6-12-1	100	0	28

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Quay Kindell	5	73	0	33
Kordell Lewis	1	28	0	28

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Tristan Lennon	3	8	11	1.0 TFL
Steve Zayachkowsky	4	5	9	1 FR
Jason Hertz	2	6	8	1.0 TFL

GAME 11 | LINDENWOOD

Nov. 14 | Hardy Graham Stadium | Martin, Tenn.
2 pm | Att: 2,527



BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL
Lindenwood	7	14	3	7	31
UT Martin	0	17	6	15	38

STATISTICAL LEADERS

	LWU	UTM
FIRST DOWNS	18	24
Rushing	5	14
Passing	12	9
Penalty	1	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	84	261
Rushing Attempts	21	48
Average Per Rush	4.0	5.4
Rushing Touchdowns	1	3
Yards Gained Rushing	91	284
Yards Lost Rushing	7	23
NET YARDS PASSING	288	213
Completions-Attempts-Int	20-37-0	19-28-0
Average Per Attempt	7.8	7.6
Average Per Completion	14.4	11.2
Passing Touchdowns	3	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	372	474
Total offense plays	58	76
Average Gain Per Play	6.4	6.2
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-1	2-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	2-30	5-46
PUNTS-YARDS	4-156	2-78
Average Yards Per Punt	39.0	39.0
Net Yards Per Punt	29.2	39.0
Inside 20	0	1
50+ Yards	0	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	0	2
KICKOFFS-YARDS	6-331	8-421
Average Yards Per Kickoff	55.2	52.6
Net Yards Per Kickoff	38.5	39.9
Touchbacks	1	3
Fair Catch Yards	5	60
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	0-0-0	2-39-0
Average Per Return	0.0	19.5
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	2-27-0	3-75-0
Average Per Return	13.5	25.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	21:28	38:32
1st Quarter	5:29	9:31
2nd Quarter	7:07	7:53
3rd Quarter	5:36	9:24
4th Quarter	3:16	11:44
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 13	9 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	2 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	5-5
Touchdowns	2-3	3-5
Field goals	1-3	2-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-5	1-4
PAT Kicks	4-4	3-3
Field Goals	1-1	3-3
Points off turnovers	0	0

›› GAME NOTES

Jason Simpson earned his 103rd career OVC victory, moving into sole possession of second place in league history

Brandon Sims (Special Teams) and Tate Surber (Rookie) earned OVC Player of the Week honors

Skyhawks overcame a pair of 14-point deficits for the first time since 2024 season

UT Martin improved to 20-2 when rushing for 200 yards or more since 2021

The Skyhawks improved to 18-2 against OVC foes at home since 2020

The tandem of Chris Franklin (104) and Jaydon Peete (104) became the first pair to rush for 100-yards in the same game this season

SKYHAWKS RALLY PAST LINDENWOOD FOR SENIOR DAY VICTORY

MARTIN, Tenn. – The University of Tennessee at Martin football team capped off its 2026 home schedule in dramatic fashion on Saturday afternoon, rallying from a 14-point deficit before scoring the game-winning touchdown in the final minutes to defeat Lindenwood, 38-31, at Hardy M. Graham Stadium.

The victory highlighted a memorable Senior Day and Military Appreciation Game while marking another historic milestone for longtime head coach Jason Simpson. With the victory, Simpson earned his 103rd career Ohio Valley Conference victory, moving into sole possession of second place on the league's all-time conference wins list.

The Skyhawks (5-6, 4-2 OVC) overcame an early 14-0 deficit and trailed by as much as two touchdowns on two occasions before outscoring the Lions 21-10 in the second half. The comeback marked the largest for the Skyhawks since overcoming an 18-point deficit back in 2024. UT Martin's offense produced 474 total yards – marking the highest total putout since Week 1 against Chicago State – including 261 yards on the ground and controlling possession for more than 38 minutes.

UT Martin received a balanced offensive performance as two Skyhawk running backs eclipsed the century mark for the first time this season. Junior Chris Franklin rushed for 104 yards on 18 carries while freshman Jaydon Peete matched that total with 104 yards and a touchdown on 14 attempts. Senior wide receiver Makhia Sherrard also celebrated Senior Day with a big afternoon, totaling 120 all-purpose offensive yards with six receptions for 82 yards and three carries for 38 yards, including the game-winning touchdown.

Freshman quarterback Tate Surber completed 19-of-28 passes for 213 yards and a touchdown while adding a rushing score. Senior wide receiver Phaizon Wilson hauled in a touchdown reception, while tight end Connie Hewitt II had timely catches – including a critical third-down reception and a two-point conversion off a tip-play.

Defensively, hometown safety Quincy Hamilton paced the Skyhawks with a game-high 12 tackles, including nine solo stops. Joel Castleberry and Brylan Jordan added five tackles apiece, while Tyson Hornbuckle forced a fumble that Castleberry recovered to seal the victory. Meanwhile in the secondary, Wendell Smith contributed three pass breakups in a stingy defensive second half.

On special teams, reining OVC Special Teams Player of the Week Brandon Sims had a big day for the second straight contest. With the Skyhawks trailing by two touchdowns, Sims capped off three of the next four scoring drives for the Skyhawks with a field goal. He matched his previous career-long with a 43-yard field goal in the second quarter before adding a pair of field goal attempts in the third quarter. He split the uprights with a 33-yard field goal with 10:21 to play in the third quarter before setting a new career-long nearly seven minutes later by booting a 44-yard field goal to give the Skyhawk their first lead of the game at 23-20.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Conversion	P-Yds	TOP	Score
LWU	1st	03:37	Smith,Jalen 32 yd pass from Battle,Pops	Graham,Will kick	12-83	4:41	7-0
LWU	2nd	12:59	Battle,Pops 5 yd run	Grahamll kick	7-77	2:49	14-0
UTM	2nd	11:12	SURBER, Tate 7 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	4-75	1:47	14-7
LWU	2nd	07:00	Smith,Jalen 11 yd pass from Battle,Pops	Graham,Will kick	10-75	4:12	21-7
UTM	2nd	02:43	SIMS, Brandon 43 yd field goal		9-50	4:17	21-10
UTM	2nd	00:22	WILSON, Phaizon 11 yd pass from SURBER, Tate	SIMS, Brandon kick	7-69	1:49	21-17
UTM	3rd	10:21	SIMS, Brandon 33 yd field goal		7-14	3:43	21-20
UTM	3rd	03:45	SIMS, Brandon 44 yd field goal		5-23	2:02	21-23
LWU	3rd	01:26	Graham,Will 31 yd field goal		8-62	2:19	24-23
UTM	4th	10:14	PEETE, Jaydon 34 yd run	HEWITT, Connie pass	12-76	6:04	24-31
LWU	4th	07:07	Smith,Jalen 23 yd pass from Battle,Pops	Graham,Will kick	8-75	3:07	31-31
UTM	4th	01:05	SHERRARD, Makhi 6 yd run	SIMS, Brandon kick	12-65	5:56	31-38

STATISTICAL LEADERS

›› UT MARTIN

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Chris Franklin	18	104	0	28
Jaydon Peete	14	104	1	34

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Tate Surber	19-28-0	213	1	38

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Makhia Sherrard	6	82	0	38
Connie Hewitt II	3	32	0	16

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Quincy Hamilton	9	3	12	-
Brylan Jordan	2	3	5	1 QBH

›› LINDENWOOD

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Jared Rhodes	10	32	0	8
Elijah Roy	3	17	0	10

PASSING	C-A-I	YDS	TD	LG
Pops Battle	20-37-0	288	3	50

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Jalen Smith	7	106	3	32
Drew Krobath	4	87	0	50

DEFENSE	S	A	TOT	OTHER
Jacob Waller	7	2	9	2.0 TFL
Caleb Jacobmeier	2	6	8	-