

# THE UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE AT MARTIN



## **1989 FOOTBALL MEDIA GUIDE**

Defending Gulf South  
Conference Tri-Champions

NCAA Division II  
Quarterfinalists





1989 Schedule

Date	Opponent/Last Meeting	Site	Time
Sept. 2	Murray State (Pacers, 32-24)	Martin	7 p.m.
Sept. 9	Austin Peay State (Pacers, 30-10 in '87)	Martin	7 p.m.
Sept. 16	at Valdosta State* (Pacers, 13-9)	Valdosta, Ga.	12 noon
Sept. 23	Mississippi College* (MC, 24-21)	Martin	7 p.m.
Sept. 30	at Delta State* (Pacers, 15-3)	Cleveland, Miss.	2 p.m.
Oct. 7	North Alabama* (Pacers, 38-14)	Martin	2 p.m.
Oct. 14	Samford (Homecoming) (Pacers, 45-13)	Martin	2 p.m.
Oct. 21	at Jacksonville State* (Pacers, 31-24)	Jacksonville, Ala.	2 p.m.
Oct. 28	Troy State* (Pacers, 27-23)	Martin, Tenn.	2 p.m.
Nov. 4	at Livingston* (Pacers, 41-11)	Livingston, Ala.	1 p.m.
Nov. 11	West Georgia* (Pacers 38-12)	Martin	1 p.m.
Gulf South Conference Game		All Times Central	

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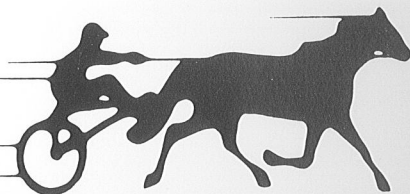
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About The Cover

The Pacers enter the '89 season with a major rebuilding chore following last season's banner showing. Veterans Todd White (74) and Michael Mathews (50) anchor the team's defensive front. Don McLeary was named 1988 GSC Coach of the year for his remarkable work with the program and will recharge the Pacer's record breaking run 'n shoot offense which will have a new cast, including receiver Todd Pope (5).



Pacer Football

UT Martin Quick Facts

Location: Martin, Tennessee 38238  
Founded: 1900, Senior College 1951  
Chancellor: Dr. Margaret N. Perry  
Enrollment: 4,800  
Men's Athletic Director: Don McLeary (Tennessee, 1970)  
Head Football Coach: Don McLeary (Tennessee, 1970)  
Sports Information Director: Lee Wilmot (Tennessee Tech, 1980)  
Nickname: Pacers  
School Colors: Royal Blue, Orange, and White  
Stadium: Pacer (7,000)  
Field: H.K. Grantham



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Pacer Football

Quick Pacer Football Facts:

**Statistical, Team Information**  
Primary Offense: Run and Shoot  
Primary Defense: 4-3  
Don McLeary's Career Record (Seasons): 29-24 (Five)  
Record at UT Martin (Seasons): 19-16 (Three)  
1988 Record: 11-2  
1988 Gulf South Conference Record (Finish): 7-1 (Tie First)  
1988 Division II Rankings: Eighth—NCAA Final Regular Season poll; Fifth—Football News and Gazette Final poll  
Lettermen Lost: 21  
Lettermen Returning: 22  
Offensive Lettermen Returning: 9  
1988 Offensive Starters Returning: 0  
Defensive Lettermen Returning: 11  
1988 Defensive Starters Returning: (4) Benny Thompson-defensive back; Michael Matthews-tackle; Todd White-tackle; \*Levon Johnson-safety (\*Injured, 1987 starter)  
1988 Specialists Returning: (2) Ki Tok Chu-kicker; Joey Elmore-punter  
1988 Returning Statistical Leaders:  
Passing: Mitch Lowery 29-50-2, 259 yards, 2 TD  
Receiving: Todd Pope, 21 catches, 231 yards, 1 TD  
Rushing: Scottie Mitchell, 71 attempts, 293 yards, 2 TD  
Defense: Benny Thompson, 42 total tackles, 4 interceptions  
Scoring: Ki Tok Chu, 97 points (37-39 PAT, 20-26 FG's)



**Staff**  
Head Football Coach: Don McLeary (Tennessee, 1970)  
Assistant Coaches (Alma mater-responsibilities):  
Larry Shanks (Tennessee-Martin, 1968-assistant head coach, defensive coordinator and line), Jerry Reese (Tennessee-Martin, 1986-defensive backs), Vincent White (Stanford, 1984-offensive coordinator and receivers), Bruce Scott (North-eastern Oklahoma State, 1984-offensive line), Jim Hughes (McNeese State, 1984-linebackers)  
Graduate Assistant Coaches: Donnie Etheridge (Tennessee-Martin, 1987), Doug Fouty (Tennessee-Martin, 1989)  
Equipment Manager: Butch Dowty (Memphis State, 1984)  
Trainer: Linda Barker (Ashland, Ohio)



Coach Don McLeary (center, kneeling), the reigning Gulf South Conference Coach of the Year, and his staff for the Pacers' '89 football season. Kneeling, from left, equipment manager Butch Dowty, offensive coordinator and receivers coach Vincent White, Coach McLeary, defensive backs coach Jerry Reese, and trainer Linda Barker. Back row, assistant head coach, defensive coordinator and line coach Larry Shanks, offensive line coach Bruce Scott, linebackers coach Jim Hughes, and graduate assistants Donnie Etheridge and Doug Fouty.

Pacer Traditions

**Nickname, Mascot**  
The term "Pacers" was selected as the official school nickname in 1970 symbolizing The University of Tennessee at Martin as a pacesetter institution. The symbol of the pacer horse, a proud and spirited breed, represents the feeling of strength and pride instilled by the University in the students who enroll and graduate with a quality education.  
Since the fall of 1981, a pacer horse, "Chuckie," with a driver and sulky, has been present at all home games. "Pacer Pete," a costumed-character, adds to the spirit with the Pacer cheerleaders.  
Prior to the 1970 athletic seasons, UT Martin sports teams were the Volunteers.

**School Colors, Uniforms**  
Royal blue, orange, and white are the school colors for The University of Tennessee at Martin. Orange and white were the school colors until royal blue was added in 1970, the same year the UT Martin nickname became the Pacers.  
The Pacer football team will wear blue jerseys at home, trimmed with orange and white numerals. On away games, the Pacers wear white jerseys with orange numerals and trimmed with royal blue. The game pants are white with an orange stripe and two blue stripes. This will mark the fourth season that the Pacers will wear white helmets with "Pacers" in blue script trimmed with orange.

Position Capsules

<b>Defensive Line</b> Will again be solid, even though of the three graduating seniors, two were selected in the NFL draft and another signed a free-agent contract. Todd White, Michael Matthews, and Tony Hamilton are all experienced at tackle. Incoming junior college transfers Clarence Robinson and Lenairdo Perry bring quickness along with size to the ends.	<b>Running Back</b> Scottie Mitchell is ready to step into a starting role after a season backing up NFL-bound John Burch. Mitchell is effective as an inside runner and receiver out of the backfield. A backup will try to be found at the position.
<b>Linebacker</b> Inexperienced overall as a group, but could form into a solid unit. At the "SAM," senior Austin Thompson made progress after being switched from offense during the course of last season. Greg Holmes brings an outstanding background to the "Mike" slot. The "Willie" spot is the major concern. Darrin Madison will look to gain last season's early-season form.	<b>Offensive Line</b> The major area of concern. Youth and inexperience will be two obstacles the unit will have to overcome. Junior college transfer Mike Randle could be an impact player. Tim Billings saw some playing time as did Tom Lawrence, who could serve in a swing role. Archie Austin is redshirt transfer who has made progress. The tackle spots are wide open.
<b>Secondary</b> An area which has the possibilities of being improved over last season. The return of a healthy Levon Johnson is a major reason. Four-year starter Benny Thompson will move from cornerback to strong safety. Roland Delaney is back at boundary cornerback and fleet-footed Ronnie Steele will play field corner. Depth is also present with Dana Florence, who could also play linebacker, and JC signee Eric Chalk.	<b>Quarterback</b> Two players, junior Mitch Lowery and JC transfer Smacky Brown, will be in a battle for the important vacated spot. Lowery saw much-needed game experience last season and Brown made adjustments to the "run 'n shoot" in the spring.
<b>Special Teams</b> Seniors Ki Tok Chu and Joey Elmore make the Pacers' kicking game solid. Elmore has been consistent throughout his career. Chu had a strong junior season, converting 20 of 26 field goals. Early season workouts will find a long snapper and kick returners.	<b>Receivers</b> Graduation forced a major reloading of the area. All four players are now in the pro ranks. This season, the area has promise with returning lettermen Kowalski Bynum, Todd Pope, and Clovis Wright. JC transfer Dwayne Calloway, a converted quarterback, is among the group as is senior Jeff Morrison and sophomore Anton Duke. Some late signees will also help.

Tentative Depth Chart

Defense	Offense
SLB-Austin Thompson, Rich Campbell DE-Clarence Robinson DT-Todd White, Tony Hamilton MLB-Ron Roberts, Todd Shanks, Greg Holmes DT-Michael Matthews, Phillip Robertson DE-Lenarido Perry, Dana Florence WLB-Tim Bacon, Enrique Plunkett, Darrin Madison FC-Ronnie Steele, Mitch Pollard SS-Benny Thompson, Eric Chalk FS-Levon Johnson, Joe Kyles BC-Roland Delaney P-Joey Elmore	HWR-Todd Pope, Andre Allen, Joe Robinette LT-Eric Mayer, Greg Swafford LG-Mike Randle, Tom Lawrence C-Tim Billings, Brain Ballard RG-Archie Austin RT-Jay McGee YWR-Dwayne Calloway, Darron Turner, Jeff Morrison XWR-Anton Duke, Kowalski Bynum QB-Mitch Lowery, Smacky Brown RB-Scottie Mitchell, Dwayne Hamlett, Corey Johnson ZWR-Clovis Wright PK-Ki Tok Chu, Randel Higdon, John Denton

Pronunciation Guide

Ahbrilundrick-Ah bril und rick  
Anton-An ton  
Ki Tok Chu-Kee To Chew  
Kowalski-Ko wal skee  
Mayer-May er  
Osawatomie-Os a wa to me  
Stiger-Sty ger

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**By State**  
Tennessee 38 Kentucky 2  
California 6 Florida 2  
Louisiana 3 Ohio 2  
Mississippi 3 Illinois 2  
Texas 3 Oklahoma 1  
Kansas 3 Washington 1  
(Does not include walk-ons)



# 1989 Outlook

A major rebuilding chore faces the UT Martin football team following its banner showing last fall.

The Pacers return one part-time starter on offense and just three on defense from the 1988 squad which was tri-champions of the Gulf South Conference, advanced to the quarterfinals of the NCAA Division II national playoffs, and finished with an 11-2 overall record.

From the team, an unprecedented four players were selected in the National Football League spring draft, three signed with Canadian Football League teams, and two others signed NFL free agent contracts.

However, Pacer Coach Don McLeary is used to the challenge. McLeary built the Pacers into a national power in just three seasons, inheriting a program 1-10 the year prior to his arrival.

"Inexperience is the word for us this season," said McLeary, who was named the 1988 GSC Coach of the Year by his peers. "We have some players who we believe have ability, but are certainly untested against the caliber of players we have to go against."

The Pacers will count on the return of 22 lettermen and a host of junior college signees to make the transition this fall.

## OFFENSE

A new cast will lineup in the Pacers' run 'n shoot offense. The players will try to carry on the tradition started which has seen the offense establish more than 40 school and several GSC records the past three seasons. The unit has seen the departure of several record breaking performers at the skill positions. All the graduated skill personnel were either drafted by the NFL or signed Canadian League contracts.

One of the battles will be for the crucial spot vacated by quarterback Leon Reed, the 1988 GSC Offensive Player of the Year.

Junior Mitch Lowery (6-1, 180) and junior college transfer Smacky Brown (5-10, 185) are the candidates for the position. Lowery gained some much-needed playing time in relief of Reed last fall while Brown made adjustment to the system in the spring.

"We will be capable at quarterback with Mitch and Smacky and we had some good competition during spring practice," said McLeary. "There is nothing like experience and we made the point to get Mitch game-time last fall. Mitch has the edge coming out of spring practice for the starting position."

Lowery begins his fourth season in the program and with the run n' shoot offense. Brown features very good quickness among his all-around athletic skills.

Scottie Mitchell (6-0, 190) after a solid year's work behind John Burch, is ready to step into the starting running back spot. Mitchell is a strong inside runner and will follow in Burch's steps as an all-purpose back, thanks to his receiving skills. Depth is a concern at the position with redshirt freshman Dwayne Hamlett (5-10, 180) a possibility.

"Scottie will be a very fine back for us the next three seasons, but we must establish a backup," said McLeary. "Our receivers will have several new faces, but I feel good overall about the group."

Quarterback Mitch Lowery (13) and running back Scottie Mitchell will be offensive keys.

The receiving corps has been a solid feature of the offensive unit under McLeary and graduation has forced a massive reloading of the unit.

Now in professional football are the GSC's all-time leading receiver William Mackall, Mark Guy, Ernest Jackson and Andre Langley who by-passed his final year of eligibility to join the pro ranks.

Clovis Wright (6-0, 180) saw some starting duty last season and is a very good technician with deceptive speed. Junior Kowalski Bynum (5-9, 165) has experience and good speed and came back from an early season injury.

Junior Todd Pope (5-6, 160) is the man being called upon to fill the void left by Mackall at the motion or h-back spot. Pope also has good speed and toughness and showed much improvement during the spring.

Dwayne Calloway (5-9, 165), a junior college transfer who was ineligible last season, signed with the Pacers to play quarterback, but was moved to receiver in the spring. He is helped by his quarterback background at the position.

Senior Jeff Morrison (5-8, 170) and All-GSC Academic performer Anton Duke (5-7, 155) are both possession-type receivers who will be solid role players. Redshirt freshman Joe Robinette (6-2, 190) also fits the category.

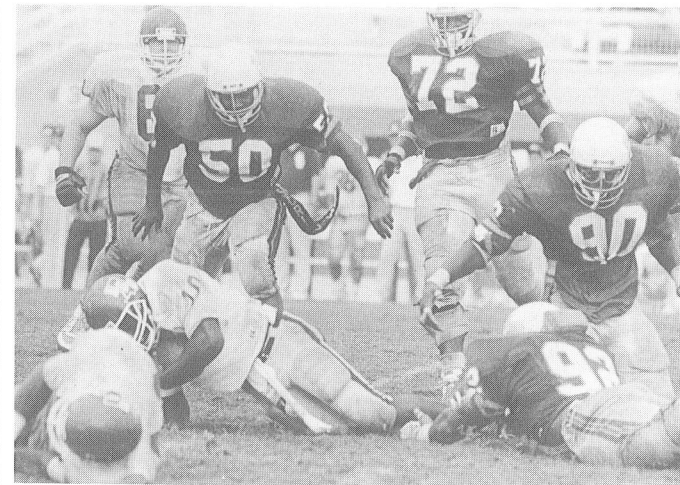
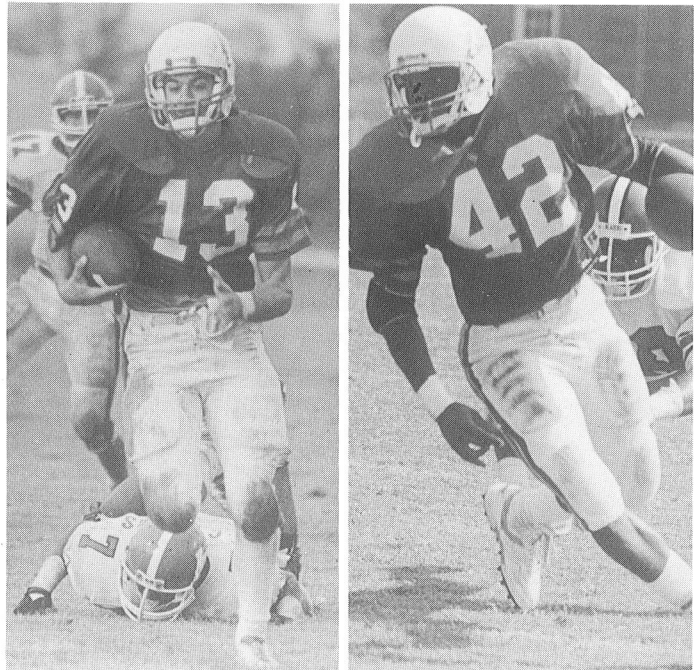
Several late junior college signees are expected to lend immediate help and good speed to the group.

The offensive line is the major area of concern on the team for McLeary. The youth and inexperience will be two obstacles that McLeary feels his team will have to overcome in becoming an upper division team in the league race.

"Our offensive line is a big question mark and we will have to have several questions answered for us to be an effective offensive team," said McLeary. "Depth will have to be provided by some of our freshmen signees."

Junior Tim Billings (6-1, 255) is expected to be steady at the center position. He will be helped by being tested in more game action.

Junior college transfer Mike Randle (6-2, 230), who sat out last fall, will be an impact player along the line. He and another JC transfer,



Archie Austin (6-1, 255), will be the guards. Austin has increased his size and strength since his arrival on campus.

The tackle positions are an area wide open, according to McLeary. Junior college signees Jay McGee (6-0, 250) and Eric Mayer (6-1, 245) are guard-type players who will play tackle. Senior Tom Lawrence (6-0, 265), who saw playing time at center last year, may also play some at tackle and could be the swing player among the linemen.

## DEFENSE

The Pacer defensive unit suffered heavy losses, but could rebound in a hurry with the return of some key players and the addition of players with outstanding credentials. The losses include Emanuel McNeil, the GSC Defensive Player of the Year and 10th round NFL pick, 11th round draftee Jerome Rinehart and NFL free agent Sam Dudley.

"Our defensive line will be experienced inside, and our incoming defensive ends have good athletic ability," said McLeary. "We should also have some depth up front."

The defensive line will feature quickness. Fifth-year senior Michael Matthews (5-10, 245) is an aggressive force at tackle. Junior Todd White (6-3, 245) could follow McNeil as a dominating player in the GSC.

Senior Tony Hamilton (6-0, 260) had a strong spring and will be a swing player. JC transfer Phillip Robertson (6-3, 270) will add size and depth upon his arrival.

Two new defensive ends, Clarence Robinson (6-3, 230) and Lenarido Perry (6-3, 220), are aggressive and very quick players. Depth may have to be provided by incoming freshmen.

The linebacking corps are the concern on defense where inexperience is again the rule.

"Our linebackers will have to make the adjustment quickly," said McLeary. "This will be an area of concentration on defense."

Greg Holmes (6-3, 240) is a junior college signee who could give the Pacers a premier middle linebacker. Holmes has all the elements for the spot. Senior Ron Roberts (6-0, 225) and redshirt freshman Todd Shanks (5-11, 205) should be solid backups.

Senior Austin Thompson (5-10, 195) converted to defense during the course of last fall and is a hard-nosed player. Thompson will play the strongside "Sam" position along with redshirt walk-on Rich Campbell (5-11, 205).

The weakside "Willie" position is a real question mark. Senior

Ki Tok Chu led the nation's Division II schools in field goals in 1988.

Senior Michael Matthews is a seasoned defensive tackle.

Darrin Madison (6-4, 225) started last season strong. Late signee Enrique Plunkett (6-1, 215) will get a good look.

The defensive secondary has the possibilities of being improved over last season.

"We have experience and players coming in who will be an impact in our secondary," said McLeary. "It also could be an area of depth for us."

The return of Levon Johnson (6-2, 215) at free safety is a major reason the unit is expected to be improved. Johnson missed last season with a knee injury suffered in the '88 spring game. McLeary hopes he will return to the form that makes him among the GSC's best.

Veteran Benny Thompson (6-1, 190), a three-year starter at cornerback, makes the switch to strong safety for his senior year. Thompson, among the elite in career interceptions, has great experience.

The field cornerback spot is expected to be in great shape with addition of the fleet-footed Ronnie Steele (5-10, 185). Steele was the MVP in the Mississippi Junior College All-Star game. Roland Delaney (5-10, 175) tied for the team leadership in interceptions and will be solid at the boundary corner.

Depth will be present in the secondary with senior Dana Florence (6-3, 215) who came on strong and also could play linebacker. Other secondary members are junior college transfer Eric Chalk (6-1, 200) and squad member Mitch Pollard (5-8, 160).

## SPECIALISTS

The kicking game promises to be in good shape with senior veterans Ki Tok Chu (5-8, 160) and Joey Elmore (6-2, 200).

"Both Ki Tok and Joey are experienced and they will be important for us this season," said McLeary.

Chu responded to the challenge after a sub-par season in '87 to establish new school and GSC standards. Chu made 20 of 26 field goals and scored 97 points.

Elmore returns for his fourth year as the team's punter. Elmore averaged better than 40 yards a punt as a freshman and has been among the league leaders every year.

With the versatile Mackall departed, several players will get a look as return specialists. Among the early hopefuls will be Todd Pope and Ronnie Steele.

The snapper for punts and field goals is a question. The specialty teams will get a large amount of attention during the early fall camp.





# Coach McLeary

## Head Football Coach, Men's Athletics Director

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

On July 1, McLeary assumed the additional duties as men's athletics director. He was named to the post in February.

Upon naming McLeary to his dual position, UT Martin Chancellor Dr. Margaret Perry said, "Don has instilled very high athletic and academic values in his program. For this, he is highly respected, not only at the University, but in the West Tennessee community as well."

A commitment to hard work, a strong emphasis on recruiting, plus the intangibles that play an important role in building a successful program is what McLeary has brought to the UT Martin program.

In 1988, the program enjoyed unprecedented success under McLeary in his third season as the Pacers' head coach. The school won its first-ever Gulf South Conference title and made its first appearance in the NCAA Division II national playoffs. The team finished with an overall record of 11-2, recording the most wins ever in a single season for a Pacer squad.

For his work, McLeary was named "GSC Coach of the Year" by his coaching peers in the league.

The 41-year old McLeary made a vow immediately upon taking the head coaching duties on the date of his birthday, Jan. 2, 1986, that the Pacers would play an exciting brand of football. With his version of the run 'n shoot offense, more than 40 school and 20 GSC records have fallen. McLeary followed with a plan to build the offense first in 1986 and then with a revamped defense which emerged on the scene in 1987.

Now a little more than three years later, the Pacers will seek to build upon the success and the foundation of the 1988 campaign.

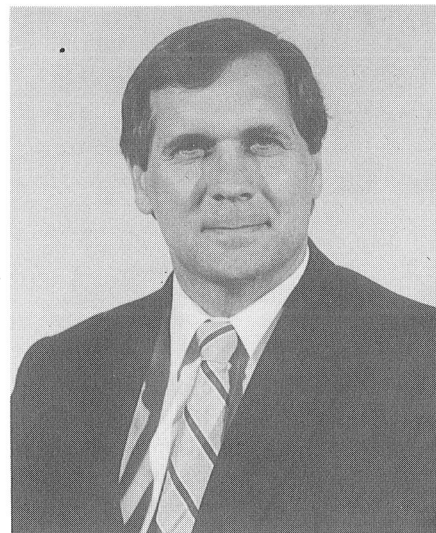
Don returned "home" to his native West Tennessee to assume the head coaching duties. He was born in Humboldt and went on to star as an All-American high school player at Jackson North Side High. He would also have a very successful collegiate career at The University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

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

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

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

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



**Coach Don McLeary**

### **Coaching Experience:**

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

Assistant Coach, Los Angeles Express, 1984-85

Head Coach, Tennessee Academy, 1983

Assistant Coach, Kansas, 1978-83

Head Coach, Ottawa (Kansas) University, 1976-78

Assistant Coach, Morehead State, 1973-76

Assistant Coach, Freshman Team, Tennessee, 1972-73

Assistant Coach, Memphis White Station High, 1971-72

### **College Education:**

B.S. Degree, Tennessee, 1970

M.S. Degree, Tennessee, 1972

### **High School:**

Jackson North Side, 1962-66

### **High School Athletics:**

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

### **College Athletics:**

Three-year varsity letterman as tailback on team which was winningest in nation over four-year period. Played in Cotton, Gator, and Sugar Bowls. Tied record for most TDs in Sugar Bowl.





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

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

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

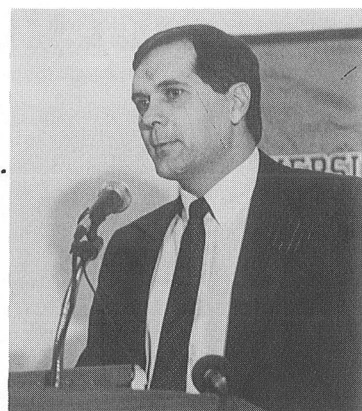
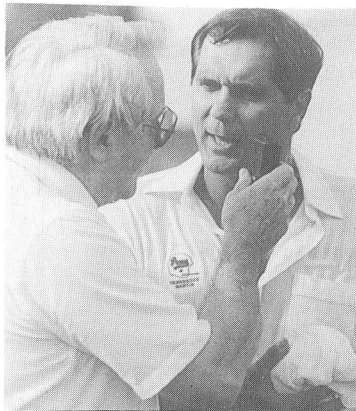
After graduating from high school, McLeary went on to an impressive and successful career for the Volunteer football team, playing for Coaches Doug Dickey and Bill Battle. With the Vols he was a member of two Southeastern Conference championship teams in 1967 and 1969. The Vols posted the best record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

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

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

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

Don is married to his high school sweetheart, the former Mary Carolyn Graves of Jackson who is a teacher at nearby Dresden Junior High School. They are the parents of three children: Matt 19, Stacy 17, and Holly 14.

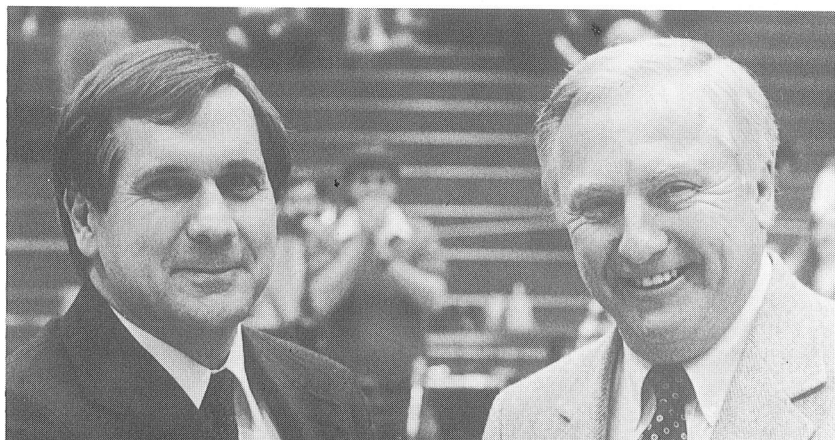


### **"Coach of the Year"**

Don McLeary receives his 1988 GSC "Coach of the Year" award from league commissioner Sonny Moran. The honor was voted to McLeary by his coaching peers.

**Above, insert:**

*Bottom; Coach McLeary with Col. Tom Elam, long-time chairman of the UT Athletics Board and the*





# Assistant Coaches



**Larry Shanks**

Assistant Head Coach,  
Defensive Coordinator, Line

Former UT Martin star football player Larry Shanks is the senior member on the Pacer football staff, beginning his eighth season at his alma mater.

Shanks has served as defensive coordinator ever since returning to UT Martin and his defense is coming off a banner season. He was given the additional duties as assistant head coach last winter.

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

Shanks, 44, answered a call and returned to UT Martin, entering the collegiate coaching ranks in 1982 as defensive coordinator for Coach Fred Pickard. He has also coached the defensive lineman all but one season.

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

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

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

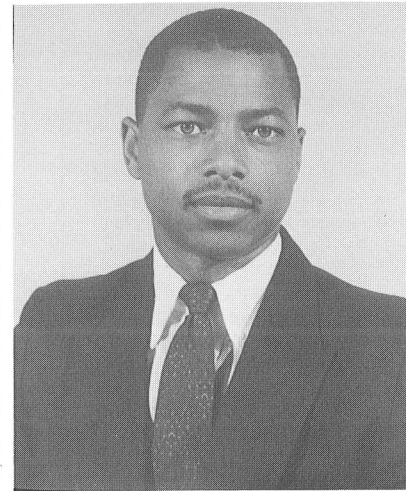
He began his head coaching career following graduation from college at nearby Fulton (Ky.) City High School for two years. He later moved to Houston County High School in Erin. He led Houston County's football program to prominence and his 1974 squad was 7-4 and eliminated in the state playoffs by eventual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

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

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

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

Larry is married to the former Lois Ann Stiles of McEwen and Andrews, N.C., who serves as a registered nurse in the intensive care section at a Fulton hospital. They are parents of three sons: Tim, 22, a senior at UTM; Todd, 18, a freshman member on the UTM football team; and Troy, 17, a senior at Union City High.



**Jerry Reese**

Defensive Secondary

Jerry Reese, a former Pacer standout defensive back, is in his second season as the defensive secondary's fulltime coach.

Reese has been a key part of the football program since his arrival on campus in 1981. He served as a student assistant for one year and as a graduate assistant for two seasons before assuming his new role in June, 1988.

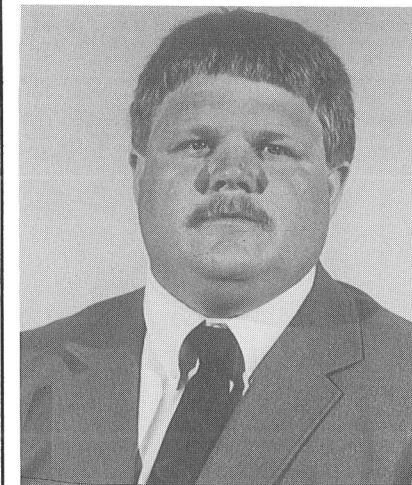
He completed his playing career in 1984. He gained the reputation of being one of the hardest hitters in the Gulf South Conference, despite playing in the 160-pound range. He is high on the Pacer all-time career list in interceptions with 12 career and still holds several punt return records.

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

The 25-year old Reese came to UT Martin following a standout prep career at Lake County High in his hometown of Tiptonville. He was an all-state selection as both a quarterback and defensive back. The team played for the state championship in three of the seasons and he led the Falcons to the Tennessee Class A state title in 1980, defeating Meigs County 21-7 in the final game. He passed for more than 900 yards and 13 TD's as a quarterback. He also was a starter in basketball and baseball.

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

Jerry was married to the former Gwen Moore of Brighton, last December. She works as an admission's counselor for the University.



**Bruce Scott**

Offensive Line

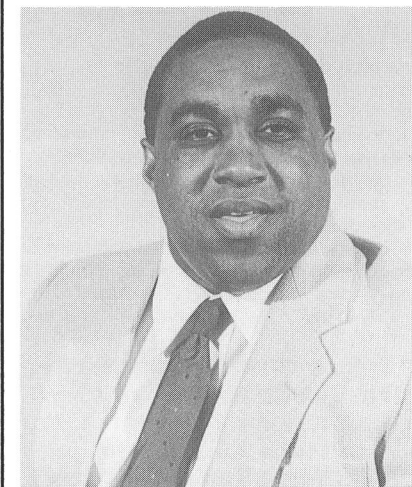
Bruce Scott is in his second season as a fulltime coach and will begin his first campaign as the program's offensive line coach.

He previously coached the Pacers' running backs for the past two years. He joined UT Martin for the 1987 season.

Scott, 29, came to UT Martin from the staff of Northeastern Oklahoma A & M Junior College. He coached the offensive line for the NEO team which won the national junior college championship team in 1986. He also has been on the staff at Pratt (Kansas) Junior College, where he was line coach and recruiting coordinator. He also worked as a graduate assistant at Kansas State.

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

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



**Vincent White**

Offensive Coordinator  
Receivers

Vincent White brings outstanding credentials both as a player and coach to the Pacer program. He will be the offensive coordinator along with coaching the receivers.

The 28-year old White comes to UT Martin from the successful Oregon Tech program. While directing the NAIA Division II school's run 'n shoot offense, the team established 47 school records and tied six others.

The school led its division nationally in both total offense and

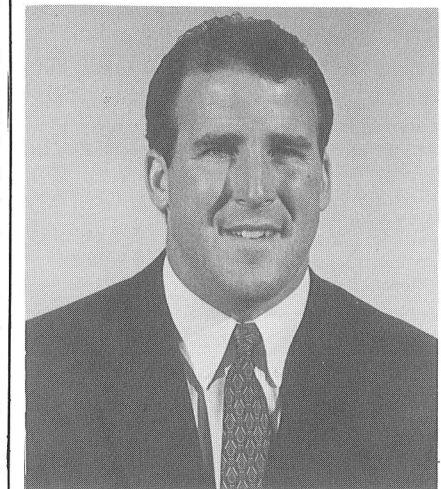
scoring this past season, averaging 43 points a game. Tech advanced to the semi-finals of the national playoffs.

White played collegiate football at Stanford University, earning first team United Press All-America, All-Pac 10 Conference, and first team All-West Coast honors. He was also named to the prestigious Academic All-America squad. White played running back and then receiver in the collegiate ranks. He was the nation's leading receiver in Division I football with 69 catches for the Cardinal.

He was sixth-round draft choice of the New York Jets in 1983 spring draft. He played three seasons as receiver in his hometown of Denver with the United States Football League Denver Gold.

He was a high school All-American and twice the "Colorado Player of the Year" at Mullin Prep. As a senior he rushed for more than 2,000 yards and 30 touchdowns in leading his team to the Colorado Class AAA state championship. He also was a high school academic All-American.

Vince enjoys participating in various sports. He is single.



**Jim Hughes**

Linebackers

Jim Hughes was appointed to the Pacer staff as linebackers' coach last winter. Hughes served as graduate assistant at Texas A & M the past two seasons, working with the outside linebackers and with the Aggies' famed 12th-man kickoff coverage unit.

He was the defensive ends coach at his alma mater, McNeese State, for the 1985-86 seasons. He served as a graduate assistant in 1984.

As a player at McNeese, he was a four-year letterman and a two-year starting linebacker. He was named to the Southland Conference All-Academic team, an honorable mention all-league pick, and was the team's defensive MVP his junior year. He was elected captain his senior season by his Cowboy teammates.

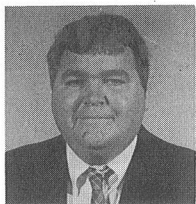
He graduated from Archbishop Rummel High in New Orleans in 1980. He was named to the All-New Orleans team as a linebacker.

His father, Ed, is a 30-year veteran of the National Football League ranks. He is on the staff of Mike Ditka as an offensive assistant with the Chicago Bears.

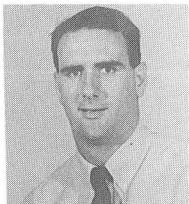
Jim enjoys jogging, racquetball, and golf. He is single.



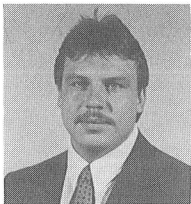
Staff



Butch Dowty



Jim Tero



Doug Fouty



Vickie Reynolds



Linda Barker



Col. Bill Kaler



Lee Wilmot

Equipment Manager  
Wallace "Butch" Dowty

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

As equipment manager, Dowty is responsible for overseeing the purchase of football equipment and supervising student managers with the Pacer football program. He also handles the general up-keep of Pacer Stadium.

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

Dowty is a native of Ripley, graduating from Ripley High in 1974. He also attended Dyersburg State, earning an associate degree in criminal justice.

Butch is married to the former Pam Sutton of Ripley.

Graduate Assistant  
Jim Tero

Jim Tero is a late addition to the Pacer staff, accepting a graduate assistant position August 2.

Tero comes to UT Martin from the staff of Tulane where he was working with the inside linebackers. He also served as a grad assistant at his alma mater, Oklahoma State prior to joining the Green Wave.

Doug Fouty  
Graduate Assistant

Doug Fouty, 27, will be a graduate assistant after two years of being a student coach. He will continue to work with the Pacers' linebacking corps.

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

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

Fouty was a standout at Columbia Central High in his hometown of Brooklyn, Mich. He was twice named All-Michigan and was a second team prep All-American as a senior. Doug recently completed his bachelor's degree in physical education and has begun work on his master's degree.

Student Coaches



Orlando Miles



Grady Andrews



Richard Farris



Willie Ng

Vickie Reynolds  
Football Secretary

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

A resident of Martin for most of her life, Vickie has been employed at the University since 1981. She worked in the office of admissions before transferring to the football office in 1987.

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

Trainer  
Linda Barker

Linda Barker is the athletics trainer for all intercollegiate sports at UT Martin. She assumed the additional duties of the men's programs along with the Lady Pacers' team, a position she had held since August, 1982.

Barker's responsibilities include the treatment and prevention of injuries for all UTM athletes. She is also responsible for supervising a staff of student athletic trainers.

She is a graduate of Ashland (Ohio) College where she participated in four sports. She compiled a perfect 4.0 grade point average obtaining her master's degree in sports medicine at the United States Sports Academy in Mobile, Ala.

Linda served as a trainer at the Pan Am Games in 1987 and also has been a staff member at Cramer Athletic Camps.

Academic Coordinator  
Col. Bill Kaler

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

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

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

Sports Information Director  
Lee Wilmot

Lee Wilmot is completing his sixth year as UT Martin sports information director.

As SID, he is responsible for UTM's sports information program through the Office of University Relations for men's and women's intercollegiate athletics programs. The duties include press releases, publications, media host, event operations, and other areas.

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

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

Sports information publications have received 10 national awards from the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) the past four years.

Administration



Chancellor  
Dr. Margaret N. Perry

Dr. Margaret N. Perry became the first woman chief administrator of a four-year public college in Tennessee when she assumed the role of chancellor at UT Martin in July, 1986. Dr. Perry joined the UT System from Tennessee Technological University where she served as associate vice president of Academic Affairs.

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

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

From 1973 to 1979, she served as Dean for Graduate Studies at UTK. During these years Dr. Perry developed a peer review program for doctoral programs and was administrator for approximately 7,000 graduate students. While at UTK, Dr. Perry also served on numerous boards and committees including the Board of Directors for the University of Tennessee Faculty Club, Board of Directors for the Knoxville Early Childhood Development Center, and the University of Tennessee Alumni Board of Governors. She led program sessions for the National Meeting of Council of Graduate Schools in Phoenix, New Orleans, and Orlando and chaired a seminar on Careers in Science for Women.

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

Dr. Perry and her husband Dr. Randy Perry, who joined UT Martin as Dean of Engineering Technology and Engineering from the engineering faculty at Tennessee Tech, are the parents of two sons, Paul 19 and Sam 18.



Ray Mears  
Athletics Director Emeritus

Ray Mears officially retired as men's athletics director at UT Martin effective July 1, but remains at the University in the role of Athletics Director Emeritus.

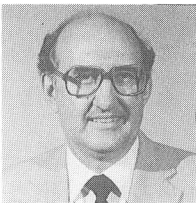
Mears will assist new men's AD and football coach Don McLeary in various development and promotional activities. All of UTM's men's athletics programs have been nationally-ranked at times during Mears' tenure. He came to Martin in March, 1980 after an illustrious basketball coaching career at UT Knoxville.

Mears is credited with helping the UT Martin athletics department grow and excel in many areas. He is widely-known for his promotional and motivational skills.

As UT Knoxville's basketball coach, he led the Vols into basketball prominence rolling up 278 wins to only 112 losses in 15 seasons. Combined with 121-23 record which included a national championship at Wittenberg, his record as a coach was 399-125 for a .747 winning percentage ranking him 13th on the all-time collegiate basketball coaching honor roll.

He has been inducted into the Tennessee Sports Hall of Fame, Wittenberg Hall of Honor, and the Knoxville Sports Hall of Fame.

Coach and wife, Dana, are the parents of three sons; Steve 32, Mike 30, and Matt 22.



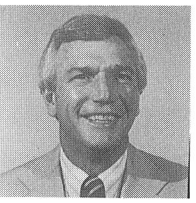
Faculty Representative  
Dr. Ernie Blythe

Dr. Ernie Blythe, a 20-year professor of geology at The University of Tennessee at Martin, serves as chairman of UT Martin's Athletics Board and has been a faculty representative to the board since 1979.

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

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

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



Pacer Club Director  
Robert Carroll

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

The Pacer Club has played a major role in the growth of UT Martin's athletic program under Carroll's leadership. Annual givings to the University through the Pacer Club have reached more than \$100,000 annually. He also has organized several fund-raising projects for the athletics department.

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

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

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



1989 Pacer Football Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Hometown (High School/Junior College)
61	Archie Austin	OL	6-1	255	Jr.	Winters, Tex. (Ranger JC)
47	Tim Bacon	LB	6-0	210	Sr.	Aurora, Ill. (Paducah Tilghman)
79	Keith Burnett	OL	6-1	250	Fr.	Covington
56	Tim Billings	OL	6-1	255	Jr.	Memphis (East)
1	Smacky Brown	QB	5-10	185	Jr.	St. Petersburg, Fla. (Ariz. Western JC)
23	Dick Butler	P	5-11	165	So.	Memphis (Prep)
8	Kowalski Bynum	WR	5-9	165	Jr.	Humboldt
9	Dwayne Calloway	WR	5-9	165	Jr.	Pacioma, Cal. (Taft JC)
45	Rich Campbell	LB	5-11	205	Fr.	Decatur, Ill. (MacArthur)
11	Ki Tok Chu	PK	5-8	160	Sr.	Nashville (Glenciff)
30	Roland Delaney	DB	5-10	175	Sr.	Akron, Ohio (Ariz. Western JC)
98	John Denton	PK	6-3	185	Fr.	Milan
87	Anton Duke	WR	5-7	155	So.	Collierville
22	Joey Elmore	P	6-2	200	Sr.	Humboldt
99	Dana Florence	LB	6-3	215	Sr.	Compton, Cal. (El Camino CC)
17	Joel Gray	QB	6-3	210	So.	Memphis (South Side)
75	Tony Hamilton	DL	6-0	260	Sr.	Paducah, Ky. (Tilghman)
43	Dwayne Hamlett	RB	5-10	180	Fr.	St. Augustine, Fla.
85	Randel Higdon	PK	5-9	140	So.	Bruceton (Central)
40	Corey Johnson	RB	5-8	185	Fr.	Memphis (White Station)
3	Levon Johnson	DB	6-2	215	Sr.	Columbus, Ohio (Ariz. Western JC)
83	Narutoshi Kaibuchi	PK	5-7	145	Fr.	Tokoyo, Japan
32	Joe Kyles	DB	6-0	190	Jr.	Memphis (Whitehaven)
67	Chris Langley	OL	5-10	200	Fr.	Brownsville (Haywood Co.)
51	Tom Lawrence	OL	6-0	265	Sr.	Slidell-Lincoln (Copiah-Lincoln, Miss.)
13	Mitch Lowery	QB	6-0	180	Jr.	Jackson (North Side)
68	Roy Lowrance	OL	6-1	215	Fr.	Gleason
95	Darrin Madison	LB	6-4	225	Sr.	Gardena, Cal. (El Camino CC)
50	Michael Matthews	DL	5-10	245	Sr.	Covington
77	Eric Mayer	OL	6-1	245	Jr.	Wheaton, Ill. (Coll. of DuPage)
65	Jay McGee	OL	6-0	250	Jr.	Deer Park, Tex. (Ranger JC)
97	Eric McCoy	WR	6-6	190	So.	Clifton
42	Scottie Mitchell	RB	6-0	190	So.	Bells (Crockett Co.)
26	Jeff Morrison	WR	5-8	170	Sr.	Martin (Westview)

55	Lenarido Perry	DL	6-3	220	Jr.	Slidell, La. (Copiah-Lincoln, Miss.)
24	Mitch Pollard	DB	5-8	160	Fr.	Memphis (Hillcrest)
5	Todd Pope	WR	5-6	160	Jr.	Memphis (Christian Brothers)
60	Mike Randle	OL	6-2	230	Jr.	Wichita, Kan. (Coffeyville JC)
46	Ron Roberts	LB	6-0	225	Sr.	Visalia, Cal. (Coll. of Sequoias)
88	Joe Robinette	WR	6-2	190	Fr.	Knoxville (Doyle)
89	Clarence Robinson	DL	6-3	230	Jr.	Osawatomie, Kan. (Coffeyville JC)
41	Todd Shanks	LB	5-11	205	Fr.	Union City
52	William Stiger	LB	5-10	205	Fr.	Memphis (Wooddale)
34	Austin Thompson	LB	5-10	195	Sr.	Ripley
31	Benny Thompson	DB	6-1	190	Sr.	Somerville, N.J.
74	Todd White	DL	6-3	245	Jr.	Ripley
82	Anthony Williams	DL	6-1	215	Jr.	Memphis (Whitehaven)
21	Clovis Wright	WR	6-0	180	Sr.	Meridian, Miss. (East Miss. JC)

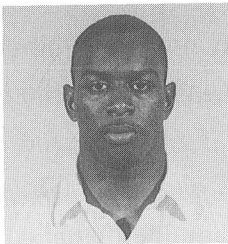
Pacer Numerical Roster

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1	Smacky Brown	QB	46	Ron Roberts	LB	61	Archie Austin	OL
2	Scott Stidham	WR	47	Tim Bacon	LB	62	Roger Brown	OL
3	Levon Johnson	DB	48	Greg Holmes	LB	63	Brian Ballard	OL
4	Tom Ruban	WR	49	Enrique Plunkett	LB	64	Jeremy Burd	OL
5	Todd Pope	WR	50	Michael Matthews	DL	65	Jay McGee	OL
8	Kowalski Bynum	WR	51	Tom Lawrence	OL	66	Greg Swafford	OL
9	Dwayne Calloway	WR	52	William Stiger	LB	67	Chris Langley	OL
11	Ki Tok Chu	PK	54	Steve Daniels	OL	68	Roy Lowrance	OL
13	Mitch Lowery	QB	55	Lenarido Perry	DL	72	Phillip Robertson	DL
16	Andre Allen	WR	56	Tim Billings	OL	74	Todd White	DL
17	Joel Gray	QB	60	Mike Randle	OL	75	Tony Hamilton	DL
18	Darron Turner	WR				77	Eric Mayer	OL
21	Clovis Wright	WR				79	Keith Burnett	OL
22	Joey Elmore	P				81	William Pope	WR
23	Dick Butler	P				82	Anthony Williams	DL
24	Mitch Pollard	DB				83	Narutoshi Kaibuchi	PK
25	Eric Chalk	DB				84	Brent Feathers	DL
26	Jeff Morrison	WR				85	Randel Higdon	PK
30	Roland Delaney	DB				86	Scott King	WR
31	Benny Thompson	DB				87	Anton Duke	WR
32	Joe Kyles	DB				88	Joe Robinette	WR
40	Corey Johnson	RB				89	Clarence Robinson	DL
41	Todd Shanks	LB				90	Joe Keating	DL
42	Scottie Mitchell	LB				92	Alan Parks	DL
43	Dwayne Hamlett	RB				95	Darrin Madison	LB
44	Ronnie Steele	DB				97	Eric McCoy	WR
45	Rich Campbell	LB				98	John Denton	PK
						99	Dana Florence	LB



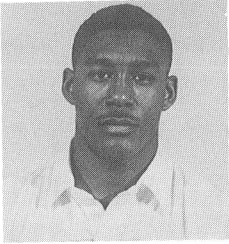


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1 Smacky Brown

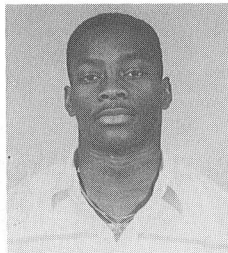
QB, 5-10, 185, Jr.  
St. Petersburg, Fla.



5 Todd Pope

WR, 5-6, 160, Jr.  
Memphis, Tenn.

Smacky participated in spring drills after becoming a mid-year junior college signee. Will be in a battle for a starting job. Spent spring practice learning the Pacers' run 'n shoot offense and will continue to progress with the system in the fall. Has very good athletic skills, capable of making things happen once he is comfortable with offense. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Played two seasons at Arizona Western Junior College. Named to the all-conference and All-Junior College Region I squad. Team was ranked as high as third-nationally in his tenure. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played prep sports at Lakewood High in his hometown of St. Petersburg. First-team all-state, conference, regional, district, and all-metro in leading his team to a 10-0 record and conference championship. Lettered all four years and three in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Given first name is Ahbrilundrick. Majoring in communications. Father and two uncles were collegiate athletes at Florida A & M. Favorite athlete is his friend, Ernest Givins. Son of Mrs. Patrice A. Brown. Born 1-13-68.

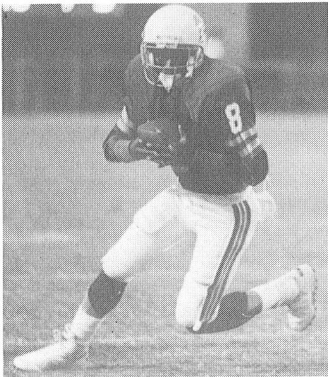
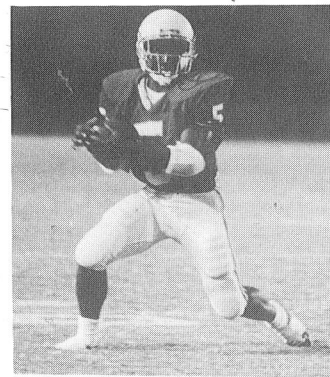


3 Levon Johnson

DB, 6-2, 215, Sr.  
Columbus, Ohio

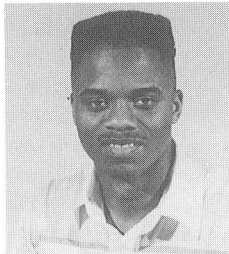
Levon makes his welcome return to the field after missing all of last season going through knee rehabilitation. Will play free safety. Suffered a severe injury early in the '88 spring game. Has gone through rehabilitation process and is geared for his senior year. Regarded as one of the top defensive backs in the league as voted to the pre-season All-GSC team despite being on the sidelines a year. **UTM:** Had three interceptions and ranked third on team with 76 total tackles in '87. A second team All-GSC pick that season. He played both the strong and free safety spots. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** All-conference at Arizona Western JC. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Three-time All-Ohio choice at Columbus Walnut Ridge High. Team was state runnerup his senior year. Also played basketball and ran track. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Son of John and Juanita Morton. Born 5-30-67.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	Int/Yds	Pbu	T/Los
1987	44	32	76	3/26	3	2/6



Todd is the player counted on to step into the h-back position. Has good speed and toughness and made a lot of improvement to carry into a focal point in the run 'n shoot. Also could see duty as a return specialist. **UTM:** Saw duty in a backup role, grabbing 21 catches for 231 yards. Had 28-yard scoring pass on first play from scrimmage in third quarter and had season long reception of 45 yards later in the game. Had team-high six catches in relief of the injured William Mackall in playoff win over Butler. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Two-year All-Memphis pick and honorable mention all-state AAA pick at Christian Brothers High. Team advanced to state semi-final senior season. Scored five TD's and rushed for 284 yards in CBC's 35-28 win over traditional state power Germantown. Also ran the short races on track team. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in accounting and hopes to own retail business chain. Favorite movies are Vision Quest and Rocky I. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Major Payne. Born 5-14-69.

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1987	2	9	4.5	0	10
1988	21	231	11.0	1	45
Totals	23	240	10.4	1	45

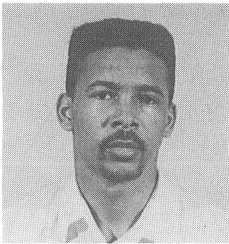


8 Kowalski Bynum

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

Kowalski is ready to step into a full-time starting spot after gaining two years experience. Will look for healthy season after being slowed by injuries early last year and as a true freshman which forced a redshirt year. Has excellent speed and will play an outside receiver. **UTM:** Made nine catches as a sophomore after grabbing 11 as a freshman. Had two catches for 45 yards, including a 20-yard TD in the third quarter at West Georgia. Also had other career TD catch as a freshman vs. West Georgia. Had a career long 53-yard catch in key comeback 27-26 win over Livingston in 1987. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Enjoyed outstanding prep career at Humboldt High. Played tailback earning All-Tennessee Class AA honors and Jackson Sun All-West Tennessee. Rushed for five TD's and 315 yards in game with Lexington. MVP of Union City Civitan Bowl in final high school game. Anchored relay teams, including '86 state champion 880-relay team. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Would like a career in military following graduation. Uncle, Tony Champion is his favorite athlete and former Pacer now playing with Hamilton in the Canadian Football League. Son of Mrs. Nell Lovelady. Born 1-18-68.

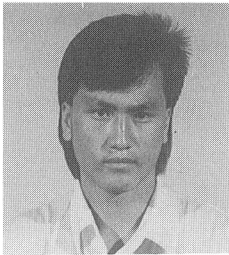
Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1987	11	156	14.2	1	53
1988	9	112	12.4	1	25
Totals	20	268	13.4	2	53



9 Dwayne Calloway

WR, 5-9, 165, Jr.  
Pacioma, Cal.

Dwayne was switched to receiver in the spring to bolster the area. Signed with UTM as a quarterback. Will play the "Y" receiver. Has very good field awareness thanks to his quarterback skills. Sat out last season after signing in the spring of '88. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Quarterbacked Taft Junior College in the '87 national championship game in junior college. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-state selection at San Fernando High in suburban Los Angeles. All-metro LA in basketball. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Enjoys fishing and Mexican food. Son of Raymond and Mary Calloway. Born 4-17-68.

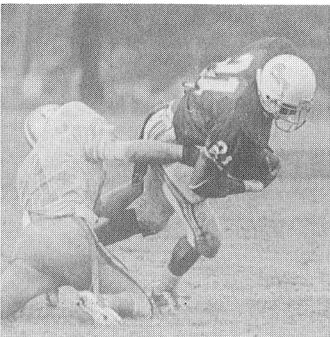
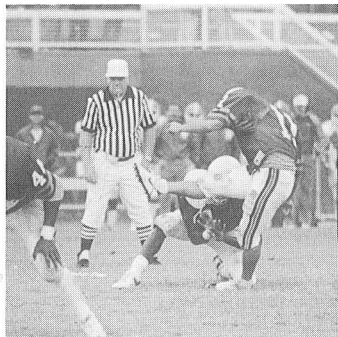


11 Ki Tok Chu

PK, 5-8, 160, Sr.  
Nashville

Ki Tok met the challenge in '88 to have a super season. Bounced back from his sophomore season to set school and GSC kicking marks. Effective final collegiate campaign will be a key in Pacers' rebuilding season. Pre-season all-GSC choice after being overlooked on year's end team. **UTM:** Made a school and GSC record 20 field goals in 1988 out of 26 attempts. Second in Division II national stats. His 97 points scored is also a new school scoring mark for a season. Enters the season four shy of establishing UTM mark for career field goals. Booted three field goals twice in '88, in season-opener at Murray State and in playoff win over Butler. Season-long kick of 49-yards kept in driving rain on final play of first half in playoff victory. Second team All-GSC freshman year. Made a pair of consecutive 52 yarders that season. **HIGH SCHOOL:** One of top kickers in Tennessee High School football history. Holds state record with 58-yard field goal his junior season at Nashville Glenclyff High. First team Tennessee Class AAA as a junior and second team as a senior. All-district four years. Played two seasons in Kentucky at Ft. Campbell, earning several honors. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in business management. Solid student, making Dean's List several times. Born in Seoul, South Korea, moving to the U.S. in 1980. Enjoys golf. Son of Yong-Suk Henton. Born 10-19-66.

Kicking	PAT's	FG's	Lg	Pts
1986	20-25	8-15	52	44
1987	22-24	6-19	47	40
1988	37-39	20-26	49	97
Career	79-88	34-60	52	181

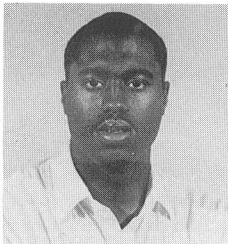


13 Mitch Lowery

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

After three years in the program, Mitch is ready to contend for the starting quarterback position. Knows the system well and will be a capable field general. Redshirted freshman season and saw first collegiate play last year in relief of Leon Reed. Benefited greatly by his game action. **UTM:** Worked in eight games in '88. Completed 29 of 50 passes for 259 yards and a pair of scores. Completed first collegiate pass in 33-0 win over Henderson State, going on to complete 14 of 16 passes for 131 yards and a TD. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Former prep standout at Jackson North Side High. Madison County Athlete of the Year and team MVP his senior year. Also North Side's Athlete of the Year, the high school alma mater of Coach Don McLeary. All-district pick. Also three-year letterman in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Mitch is majoring in pre-optometry. Has two younger brothers. Enjoys hunting and fishing. Son of Ron and Sandra Lowery. Born 3-31-68.

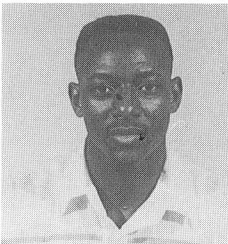
Passing	Att	Comp	Int	Yds	Pct.	TD	Lg
1988	50	29	22	259	58.0	2	45



17 Joel Gray

QB, 6-3, 210, So.  
Memphis, Tenn.

Joel is a walk-on candidate. Third on the depth chart at quarterback. Worked with scout team last fall. Transfer from Southern University. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played prep football at South Side High in Memphis. Quarterbacked team to Division title in District 16 AAA. Earned "Mr. Scrapper" Award. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Nicknamed "Rifleman." Son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack A. Gray. Born 11-7-69.



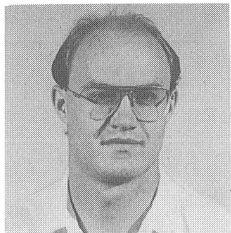
21 Clovis Wright

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

Clovis is a possession-type receiver. Displays good technique and had deceptive speed. Will play the "Z" receiver. Saw extensive playing time in a rotation role. **UTM:** Saw action in all 13 games, catching 17 balls for 237 yards. Had season-long 40-yard reception to set up go-ahead TD in 38-14 win at North Alabama. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Signed with the Pacers out of East Mississippi Junior College in Scooba. Named to the All-Mississippi Junior College All-State team as a sophomore. Had 30 receptions for 459 yards and three TD's. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played his prep sports at Southeast Lauderdale. All-conference, All-Lauderdale county, and team MVP in senior year of 1985. Scored winning TD in district title game. Also played basketball, a regular on the state runnerup team, and ran track. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in communications. A Dean's List student last fall. Would like a career as a sportscaster. Performed national anthem before '88 spring game and enjoys singing gospel music. Received several honors in high school including minority award, Glenn Hand Memorial Award, and "Best of the Class" honors as a senior. Third youngest of 12 children. Brother, Chris, plays at Mississippi College. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Wright, Sr. Born 12-14-68.

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1988	17	237	13.9	0	40



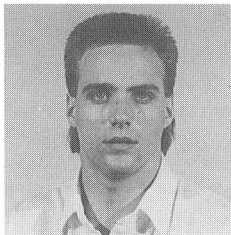


22 Joey Elmore

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

Joey is ready for his final collegiate season. Has been a steady punter. Closing in on several career marks. Experience and ability to nail opponents deep in their own territory will be two critical areas for team's success this season. Keeps balls high, as indicated by an average of just better than two yards a punt returned. **UTM:** Missed three games near the mid-way point of the season after undergoing scope surgery on his knee. Finished with a 37.7 average despite not being at full strength. Broke season record of 40.2 as a freshman and career long of 60 yards that season. Had 57 yard boot against Henderson State in '88. Has all-around athletic abilities and could also play in the defensive backfield. Was 2-2 in passing out of punt formation. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-West Tennessee punter three years and tight end two years. Co-MVP as a senior. Returned punt 70 yards to win homecoming game with less than a minute remaining. Alternate in Kentucky-Tennessee high school all-star game. Two-time district MVP in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in biology. Would like a shot at pro ranks and then become a marine biologist once playing days are over. Married, wife's name is Kim. Enjoys playing and following golf. Collects marine animals. Favorite athletes are Walter Payton and Ray Guy. Son of Linda Elmore. Born 2-26-68.

Punting	No	Yds	Avg	Lg
1986	56	2249	40.2	60
1987	64	2418	37.8	54
1988	62	2340	37.7	57
Career	182	7007	38.5	60

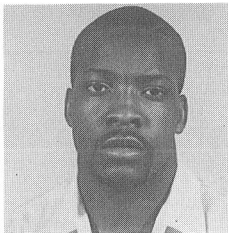


23 Dick Butler

P, 5-11, 165, So.  
Memphis, Tenn.

Dick punted in three games in relief of the injured Joey Elmore. Will again serve as the backup punter. **UTM:** Had a 52-yard effort against Samford and punted six times for a 34-yard average in 31-24 win over previously unbeaten Jacksonville State. Also threw a pass to spur a TD drive in Samford win. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Twice All-Shelby County and All-Tennessee Class A as a punter in '85 and as defensive back in '87. Male Scholar Athlete of the Year in Memphis, '88. Also all-region basketball player. **PERSONAL:** Outstanding student, possesses a 4.0 G.P.A. as a pre-dentistry major. High school valedictorian. Member of University Scholars and Kappa Alpha Order. Enjoys playing the keyboard and drums. Favorite athlete is Roger Staubach. Son of Drs. Richard and Dorothy Butler. Born 12-1-69.

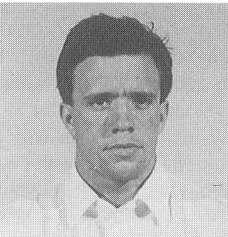
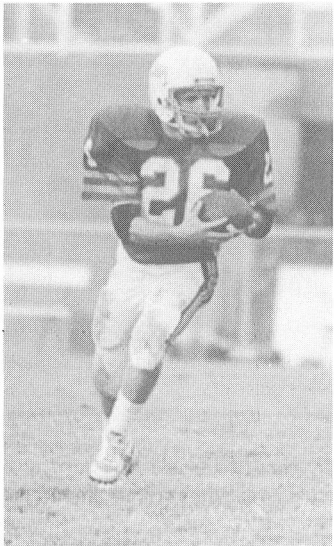
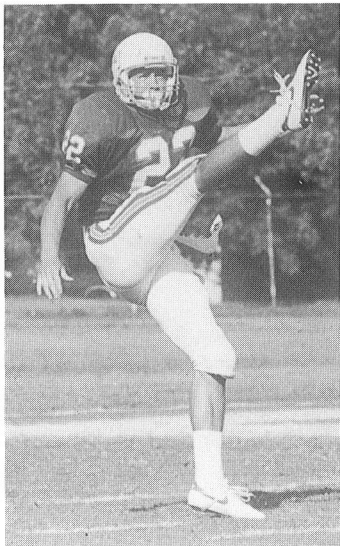
Punting	No	Yds	Avg	Lg
1988	15	504	33.6	57



24 Mitch Pollard

DB, 5-8, 160, Fr.  
Memphis, Tenn.

Mitch has made enough progress in a redshirt year to earn a spot as a backup at the field cornerback. Has good instincts for a young player. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Member of Tennessee Class AAA state champion Hillcrest team as sophomore in '85. Team won district twice more. All-district. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in business administration. Class president as a senior and a Boys' State delegate. Brother, Greg, played at MTSU. Member of Omega Psi Phi and Foot Frat. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pollard. Born 8-4-70.

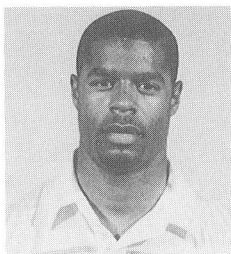


26 Jeff Morrison

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

Jeff has worked hard since signing with program. A solid team player who will add depth in the receiving corps. A possession-type receiver who will operate most of the time at the h-back. **UTM:** Made one catch for 34 yards against Henderson State last fall. Saw action in six games. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Enjoyed outstanding prep career as a hometown player for Martin Westview. All-Conference running back and defensive back as senior and wide receiver, junior season. Team MVP, rushing for 970 yards and 12 TD's. Rushed for 216 yards, TD's and threw two halfback option passes for TD's against Dyer Co. senior year. Had 70-yard TD punt return as a junior. Westview twice won West-Tenn. title. All-district baseball player, leading team in hitting twice. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Has a younger brother and sister. Favorite actor is Bruce Willis and actress is Kim Basinger. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Morrison. Born 7-2-67.

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1987	1	11	11.0	0	11
1988	1	34	34.0	0	34
Career	2	45	22.5	0	34

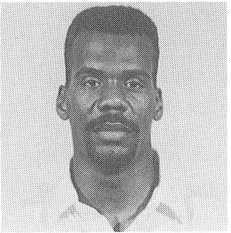


30 Roland Delaney

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

Roland is a consistent and fundamentally sound player. Has good instincts and has proven to be a "game-player." Saw extensive action last season and will start at boundary cornerback. **UTM:** Tied for the team leadership with five interceptions. Had two interceptions in game at North Alabama, the first preceding the Pacers' go-ahead TD march. Named team's defensive player of the week against Delta State, with five solo tackles, an interception, and pass breakup. Second among the returnees with 56 total tackles. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Played at Arizona Western JC. Had 24 solo and assisted tackles in '87. Named most improved defensive back. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Doubled as a receiver and defensive back at Akron North High. Played in the Ohio All-Star game. Also returned punts, one for a 73-yard TD. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Nickname is "Dee-Ice." Father, Roland, was a pro boxer. Member of Omega Psi Phi. Favorite athletes are Mike Haynes and Marcus Allen. Son of Roland and Betty Delaney. Born 10-14-66.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Tot	Int/Yds	Pbu
1988	38	18	56	5/28	2

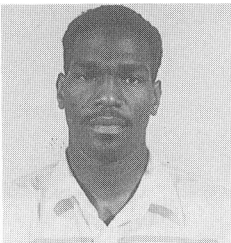
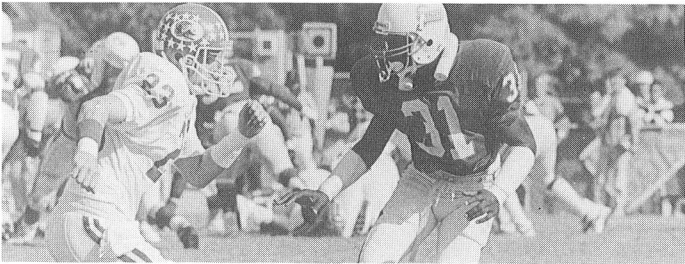


31 Benny Thompson

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

Benny is a solid and experienced player. Will be the only four-year starter on the team. Will be counted on to provide leadership. Leads by example. Also has excelled on Pacer special teams and will once again be a mainstay in the area. Ranks among all-time career leaders in interceptions. **UTM:** Career started off in a very big way in 1986, blocking a punt, recovering it for a TD and having two pass interceptions in 57-11 win over Lane, earning GSC Player of the Week honors. As a junior, had 33 tackles solo and 47 total tackles, third most of any returning player. Had four interceptions in '88, including game-clincher in the end zone as time expired at defending national champion Troy State. Had three interceptions sophomore season. One interception set up TD in win over Austin Peay and another stopped SEMO threat the following week. Tied with his secondary coach, Jerry Reese, with 12 interceptions going into final collegiate year. Had two catches for 36 yards in '88 out of punt formation. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Member of New Jersey Division II state title team at Somerville High. Twice All-New Jersey and team captain. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Member of Foot Frat Fraternity. Enjoys working with children. Son of Benjamin L. Thompson, Sr. and Cora E. Thompson. Born 1-9-68.

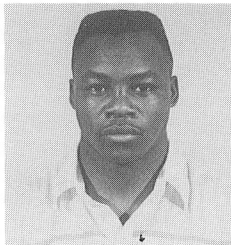
Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	Int/Yds	Pbu	TD
1986	30	16	46	5/39	5	1
1987	28	19	47	3/0	2	0
1988	33	14	47	4/10	5	0
Totals	91	49	140	12/49	12	1



32 Joe Kyles

DB, 6-0, 195, Jr.  
Memphis, Tenn.

Joe is a redshirt freshman walk-on who has worked his way into projected playing time. Will be a valuable member on special teams. Very good hitter. Attended Carson-Newman as a freshman. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played middle linebacker and running back at Whitehaven High. Had 15 solo tackles and two interceptions in top game. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in political science. Member of Kappa Alpha Psi. Son of Shirley Green. Born 3-29-69.



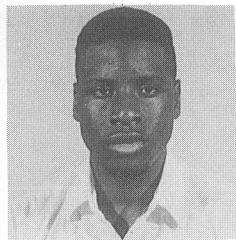
34 Austin Thompson

LB, 5-10, 195, Sr.  
Ripley, Tenn.

Austin was switched to linebacker during the course of last season after playing his prior Pacer career as a reserve running back. Will be in contention for a starting job at the "SAM" position. Showed a lot of improvement in spring practice and is a hard-nosed player with a lot of heart. **UTM:** Made 11 solo among his 19 total tackles and had one stop for six-yard loss (West Georgia) after he was moved to defense. Was used primarily in short-yardage situations as a running back. Blocked a punt which was later recovered for a TD in his freshman season at nationally-ranked Troy State. Highlight of offensive career came when he scored winning TD in Pacers' 7-3 win over unbeaten North Alabama freshman season. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Named the Jackson Sun's West Tennessee Player of the Year in 1985. Started in Tennessee-Kentucky summer all-star game and named to the Tennessee Super 24 prospect list. Also named Associated Press AAA All-State. Team won two district titles and advanced to state quarterfinals senior season. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in business management. Outstanding boxer in Golden Gloves, winning national title in his division in 1983 which was televised nationally on ESPN. Received Outstanding Young Man honor in '85. Desires to be a mortician. Enjoys motorcycles and horseback riding. Son of Verner-dean Thompson and the late Austin Thompson, Sr. Born 3-27-68.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	T/Los
1988	11	8	19	1/6

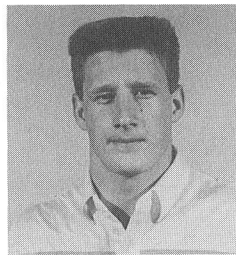




## 40 Corey Johnson

RB, 5-8, 185, Fr.  
Memphis, Tenn.

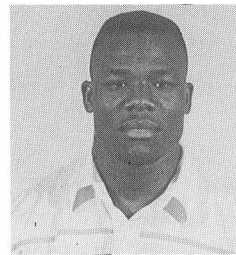
Corey is a redshirt freshman. Attempting to earn his way up depth chart at running back. Ran with the scout team offense last fall. Had a neck injury, but recovered for spring practice. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Three-year letterman at White Station High. Earned team MVP honors. Led squad in both receiving and interceptions playing running back and linebacker. Team played in Jaycee Bowl and Lions Sight Bowl. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in political science. Desires a career in the military. Member of Alpha Phi Alpha. Favorite athlete is Kareem Abdul-Jabbar. Son of Curtis D. and Daphine L. Johnson. Born 12/13/69.



## 41 Todd Shanks

LB, 5-11, 205, Fr.  
Union City, Tenn.

Todd is a redshirt freshman who has shown great progress since arriving on campus. Will look to add depth to the middle linebacker slot and will look for major contributions down the road to the program. Gained weight and strength since high school days. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-district linebacker and recipient of headhunter's award his senior season at nearby Union City High. Played linebacker and offensive guard. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in economics and international business. Father, Larry, is Pacers' assistant head coach, defensive coordinator and a member of the UTM Athletics Hall of Fame for his playing days. Mother, Lois, and brother, Tim, also attended UTM. Son of Larry and Lois Shanks. Born 2-18-70.



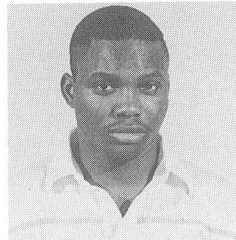
## 42 Scottie Mitchell

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

Scottie is ready to step into the starting running back slot after a solid season as a backup to NFL-bound John Burch. Has worked in off-season program and position should be solid for the next three seasons. Strong inside runner who will also be valuable as a receiver in run 'n shoot. **UTM:** Gained 293 yards on 71 carries and scored twice. Also had a five-yard scoring catch at North Alabama among his nine receptions. Rushing TD's were an eight-yard TD at West Georgia and a six-yard TD in playoff win over Butler. Earned special teams' player of week against Miss. College. Was redshirted in '88, working as a receiver before being moved to running back. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Earned All-West Tennessee honors as a running back at Crockett County High in Alamo. Also named MVP of West Tennessee Conference title game. Also played in secondary and returned kicks. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in nutrition. Turned down pro baseball contract offer by Pittsburgh Pirates following high school graduation to attend UTM. Member of Foot Frat. Favorite athlete is Darryl Strawberry. Son of Charlotte and Charles Clayton. Born 3-7-69.

Rushing	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1988	71	293	4.1	2	18

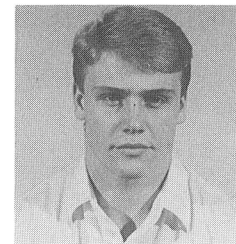
Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1988	9	75	8.3	1	17



## 43 Dwayne Hamlett

RB, 5-10, 180, Fr.  
St. Augustine, Fla.

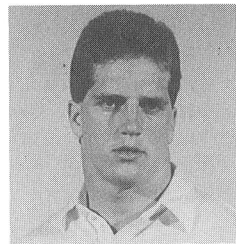
Dwayne is a player the Pacers' staff hopes will progress into a backup role this season. Redshirted last season. Brings good credentials from the high school ranks. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Broke several career records held by former Pacer standout John Burch at St. Augustine High. Rushed for 1,032 yards as a senior and became school's all-time leading rusher. All-county and all-conference running back and also all-conference champion in weight lifting. Member of honor roll. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in communications. Member of Omega Psi Phi fraternity. Favorite athlete is Hershel Walker. Nicknamed "Beeper". Son of Mrs. Debra Wilder. Born 6-29-69.



## 45 Rich Campbell

LB, 5-11, 205, Fr.  
Decatur, Ill.

Rich is a walk-on player. Was on the squad last fall as a redshirt freshman. Will add depth at the "Sam" linebacker. **HIGH SCHOOL:** An All-Big 12 Conference, Decatur Herald & Review All-City team, defensive player of the year, and lineman of the year at Douglas MacArthur High. Led Big 12 in solo and assists. Played linebacker and offensive guard. **PERSONAL:** An undeclared major. Youngest of four children. Favorite movie is "The Blues Brothers." Son of Mrs. Evelyn Campbell. Born 8-29-70.

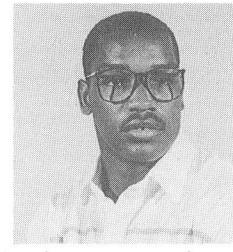


## 46 Ron Roberts

LB, 6-0, 225, Sr.  
Visalia, Cal.

Ron enters fall camp as the starting middle "Mike" linebacker. Had a very good spring practice. Has very good instincts and intelligence. **UTM:** A late signee with the Pacers last summer. Saw action as reserve, making eight total stops and breaking up one pass. Received the weekly "Big-hit" award for a crucial stop on a fourth and inches play against Valdosta State that preceded Pacers' game-winning march. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Two-time all-conference selection at College of Sequoias JC. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Earned several all-star honors at Golden West High. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in sociology. Would like to have a career working for federal government. Favorite athlete is Harry Carson. Son of Ken and Sharon Roberts. Born 10-8-67.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	Pbu
1988	4	4	8	1

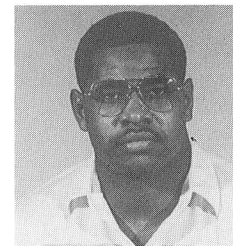


## 47 Tim Bacon

LB, 5-11, 210, Sr.  
Aurora, Ill.

After three seasons of seeing primarily reserve playing time, Tim is being counted upon to make significant contributions to the defense. Will play the weakside "Willie" linebacker. Also plays on most special teams. **UTM:** Made seven solo and two assisted tackles as a junior. Saw a lot of game action as a freshman. Injured most of sophomore year. Has good all-around athletic ability and has improved technique. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Climaxed career by helping former UTM quarterback Allan Cox's Paducah Tilghman team to the Kentucky state title in 1985. Selected All-Kentucky junior and senior seasons. Played tight end on offense. MVP of 1984 Purchase Bowl. Played basketball and was in field events in track. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Would like a career in law enforcement. Brother, Pedro, played at Western Kentucky. Family now lives in Illinois. Son of Mrs. Marva Bell. Born 7-15-67.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	Pbu
1986	10	16	26	0
1987	0	0	0	0
1988	7	2	9	1
Career	17	18	35	1

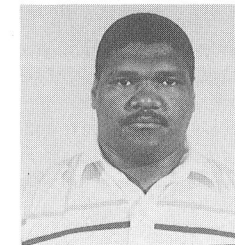
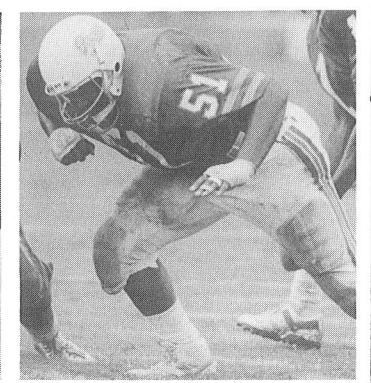
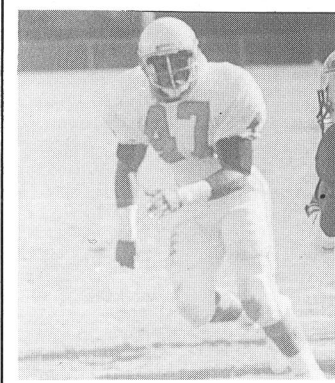


## 50 Michael Matthews

DL, 5-10, 245, Sr.  
Mason, Tenn.

Michael will be a mainstay of the defensive line. Experienced and a player with a lot of ability. Will be looking for a healthy year in his final collegiate season. One of the team's strongest players who has been slowed by injuries in his years with the program. A fifth-year senior who has been in the program longer than any other Pacer player. **UTM:** Has started games during the course of every season. Latest in the line of injuries was a shoulder problem last year. Ranked 11th on the team with 44 total tackles. Had two of his three quarterback sacks at Samford where he was named team's defensive player of the week. Had hamstring problems in '87, coming after a knee injury in the third game in '86 which forced him to have a hardship redshirt year. **HIGH SCHOOL:** An Associated Press Class AAA All-State pick at Covington High. Two-time All-District 13 AAA pick and earned 13AAA MVP honors his senior season. Played linebacker and fullback. Threw shot and discus in track. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in business management. 1987-88 President of Football Frat. Was Covington's Boys' State delegate in '84. Driving force in starting the Demetres Brown Memorial Scholarship fund. Has a twin brother, Mitchell. Nicknamed "Crisco" for his cooking endeavors. Collects "oldies" music. Son of Marvel and Walter Maclin. Born 4-6-67.

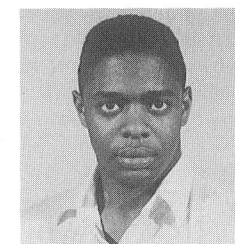
Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	T/FL	Sacks
1985	11	4	15	1/2	0
1986	9	3	12	1/1	0
1987	17	12	29	3/14	0
1988	20	24	44	0	3/24
Career	57	43	100	5/17	3/24



## 51 Tom Lawrence

OL, 6-0, 265, Sr.  
Slidell, La.

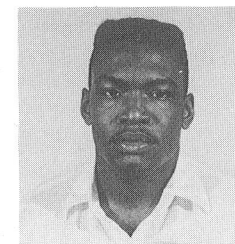
Tom played a swing role for the Pacers last season, but will probably play strictly center this fall. Saw extensive action as the season progressed. Has two years of junior college experience and last season under his belt on the collegiate level. Has great upper body strength. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Named to the Mississippi Junior College All-Star team as a player at Copiah-Lincoln where he was a two-year starter. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Participated in Louisiana High All-Star game. Captained Slidell High as a senior as his team won conference title. Also won parrish title three seasons. Defeated arch-rival Covington three of four years. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in physical education with a desire to enter coaching. Nicknamed "Heathcliff." Enjoys reading and fishing. Favorite actor is Burt Reynolds. Has 10 brothers and sisters. Son of Vera Lawrence. Born 11-1-66.



## 52 William Stiger

LB, 5-10, 205, Fr.  
Memphis, Tenn.

William is a redshirt freshman walk-on candidate. Worked with the scout team at linebacker last fall. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Named most valuable defensive player at Memphis Wooddale High. Also threw shot in track. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in business management. Enjoys jazz music. Son of William and Mary Stiger. Born 11-19-69.

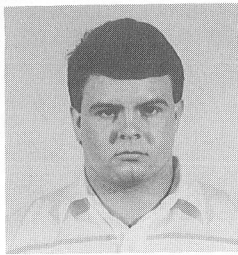


## 55 Lenarido Perry

DL, 6-3, 220, Jr.  
Slidell, La.

Lenarido brings outstanding credentials to the program. Has the potential to be an outstanding defensive end with his size and quickness. Was a mid-year signee who participated in spring practice. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** First-team All-Mississippi Junior College selection in '88. JC and high school teammate of Tom Lawrence. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-Louisiana selection at Slidell High. Led team to state finals in '86. Played nose guard in high school. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Son of Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Perry. Born 8-31-68.

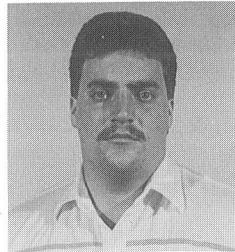
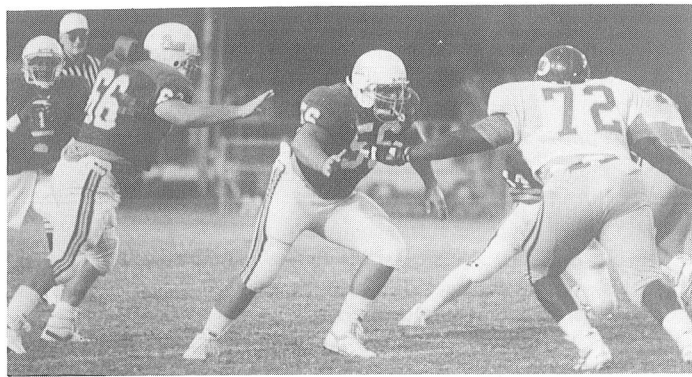




## 56 Tim Billings

OL, 6-1, 255, Jr.  
Memphis, Tenn.

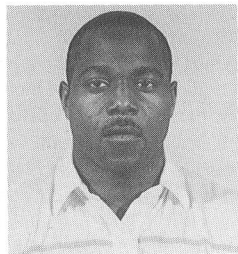
Tim gained a starting job in '88, but had an ankle injury early in the third game against Valdosta State. Came back to make contributions. Has very good quickness. Expected to start at center, but could swing over to play guard if needed. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Three-year all-district performer at Memphis East High. Also awarded school's best offensive lineman three straight years. Played center and defensive tackle, winning four letters. East was sub-state runnerup in '83, Memphis City champs the following year, and district titlists in his senior year of '85. Rates triple overtime against MUS in second round of playoffs as highlight. Also three-year letterman in track. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in communications. Enjoys other sports. Son of James D. Billings and Betty Billings. Born 11-4-67.



## 65 Jay McGee

OL, 6-0, 250, Jr.  
Deer Park, Texas

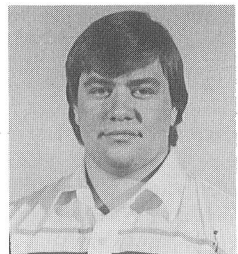
Jay was a mid-year JC signee. Picked up system well in spring practice. May have to play at a tackle, but natural position is guard. Respected by teammates. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Played two seasons at Kilgore JC in tough Texas JC League. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-district two years and most valuable lineman at Deer Park High. Team won district championship as a junior. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Father, Ed, played at Texas A & M. Rates playing in Astrodome in high school as a thrill. Favorite actor is Clint Eastwood. Enjoys country music. Son of Ed and Marie McGee. Born 12-2-68.



## 60 Mike Randle

OL, 6-2, 230, Jr.  
Wichita, Kansas

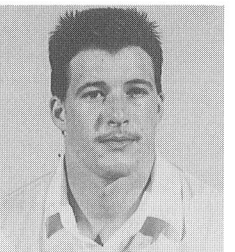
Mike is being looked upon to be an impact player in the trenches. Sat out last season to meet eligibilty requirements coming out of junior college. Has speed and strength and the ability to pick up system quickly. Expected to play guard. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** All-conference and lineman of the year as a sophomore at Coffeyville JC. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Double All-Kansas pick as a defensive player and guard at Wichita Southeast High. Played on Kansas West Shrine team. Two-time All-Wichita pick. Also wrestled in heavyweight division. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Favorite athlete is Wilbur Marshall. Son of Elizabeth Randle. Born 11-3-67.



## 61 Archie Austin

OL, 6-1, 255, Jr.  
Winters, Tex.

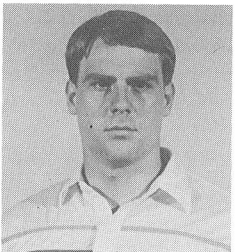
Archie is set to step into a lineup after a redshirt season. Has added strength and size. Has a great desire and attitude according to Pacer staff. Comes out of spring practice as a starting guard. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Honorable mention all-conference selection at Ranger JC. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Named to All-West Texas team and all-district offense and defense for Winters High. Voted District 13 AA's top offensive lineman. Team went to playoffs in '83 and was district runnerup in '85. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in secondary education-math. Dean's list student. Member of Phi Theta Kappa honor fraternity and named to Who's Who among American JC's. Member of UTM's student government Congress and a member of National Dean's List. Enjoys fishing, pool, old movies, and drawing. Son of Archie Ralph and Barbara Austin. Born 8-15-68.



## 67 Chris Langley

OL, 5-10, 200, Fr.  
Brownsville, Tenn.

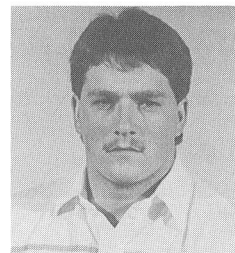
Chris is a walk-on player who was squad member last season. Will continue to work on increasing size and will look to make game contributions down the road. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-district linebacker, captain's award, most valuable lineman and most dedicated as senior at Haywood County High. Teams twice won district title. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in chemical engineering. Dean's list student. Member of several honor societies. Enjoys all music. Son of Larry and Kay Langley. Born 10-6-69.



## 68 Roy Lowrance

OL, 6-1, 215, Fr.  
Gleason, Tenn.

Roy walked-on with the program and has grown tremendously in size. Played high school quarterback, but is an offensive lineman prospect with the Pacers. Needs to continue increasing in size and strength to play at collegiate level. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-Reelfoot Conference quarterback leading team to 8-3 record and conference title. All-conference as linebacker and punter his junior season. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in business management. Favorite athlete is John Elway. Son of George Lowrance. Born 5-30-70.

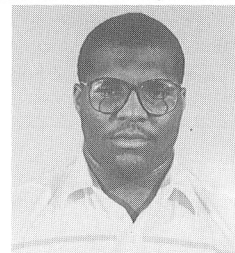


## 74 Todd White

DL, 6-3, 245, Jr.  
Ripley, Tenn.

Todd enters his junior season with an opportunity to become a dominating player, much like the NFL-bound Emanuel McNeil in the GSC. Has come on strong since his redshirt freshman season and the Pacers are looking for good things from him the next two seasons. Highly competitive and aggressive in the trenches. Has seen starting duty in each of his first two seasons. **UTM:** Missed some games last season because of injuries, but came back down the stretch. Made 29 total tackles and had two stops for losses and one quarterback sack. Had quarterback sack for 10-yard loss as a sophomore. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-district, All-Tennessee, AP All-State and member of Tennessee's Super 24 as a senior at Ripley High. Led team in tackles as a lineman. Team posted best season ever in school, going 12-1. Also caught seven TD passes as tight end. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Sister Kelly Ann also attended UTM. Enjoys water sports. Favorite athlete is Randy White. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott White, Jr. Born 6-26-68.

Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	T/Los	Sacks	FR	Pbu
1987	7	6	13	0	1/10	0	0
1988	10	19	29	2/2	1/4	0	1
Career	17	25	42	2/2	2/14	0	1

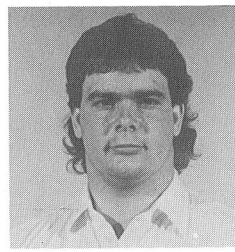


## 75 Tony Hamilton

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

Tony gave indications he is ready for a strong final collegiate season with a very good spring. Will battle for a starting spot at tackle and could also see time at end if needed. Has come on strong and his presence will again be a key for the Pacers' defensive front. **UTM:** Saw time in a reserve role and missed some games because of a shoulder injury. Had a pair of sacks for 21 yards. Started as a freshman for the Pacers at age 17. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Product of strong Tilghman High program coached by former UTM quarterback Allen "Buck Wheat" Cox. First team all-conference and All-Kentucky in 1985 as Blue Tornado won state title. Played on Kentucky All-Star team vs. Tennessee All-Stars prior to coming to UTM. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity. Enjoys writing and swimming. Favorite athlete is Dick Butkus. Son of Bobbie and Bennie Hamilton. Born 9-6-68.

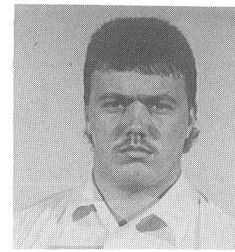
Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	T/Los	Sacks	Pbu	FR
1986	17	46	63	4/11	0	0	1
1987	8	20	28	0/0	0	1	0
1988	10	5	15	0/0	2/11	1	0
Career	35	71	106	4/11	2/211	2	1



## 77 Eric Mayer

OL, 6-1, 245, Jr.  
Wheaton, Ill.

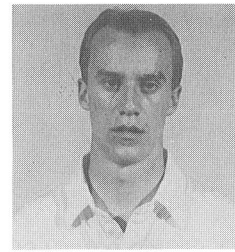
A junior college signee at semester break. Participated in spring practice. Will be among those considered at a tackle spot. Has good upper body strength, but must adjust to caliber of play in the GSC. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Transferred from College of DuPage. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played at Glenbard South High. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Son of Robert and Gloria Mayer. Born 2-20-69.



## 79 Keith Burnett

OL, 6-1, 250, Fr.  
Covington, Tenn.

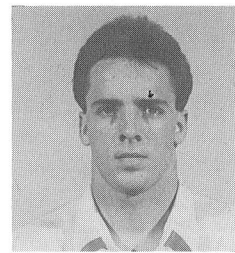
Keith, another of young offensive linemen who have spent a year in the program. Has potential to help the Pacers in the coming years. Will continue to benefit from weight program. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-district performer at Covington High as an offensive tackle. Played nose guard on defense. Team won district title. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in business finance. Favorite athlete is Bill Fralic. Son of Jimmy and Linda Burnett. Born 6-21-70.



## 85 Randel Higdon

K, 5-9, 140, So.  
Bruceton, Tenn.

Randel is a walk-on seeking duty as a kicker. Made several road trips last season as a backup, but has yet to see action. Will again be a backup this season. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Named to the Jackson Sun's All-West Tennessee team as a kicker. Also played wide receiver and safety for Central team which annually makes trip to state playoffs. Earned most valuable offensive player for team. Scored six TD's, made four field goals and had eight interceptions. Also twice MVP in baseball. **PERSONAL:** Major is agricultural business. Graduated in Central's Top 10 as an honor student. Received United States Army Athlete-Scholar Award. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Higdon. Born 4-15-69.



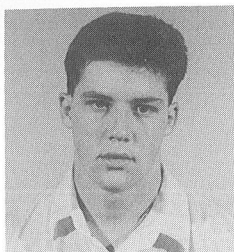
## 87 Anton Duke

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

Anton earned playing time as a walk-on and redshirt freshman and made contributions to the team in '88. Intelligent player who is a possession-type receiver. Will again add depth in receiving corps. **UTM:** Saw action in nine games as a freshman. Scored first collegiate TD in first game on a 13-yard reception against Henderson State in home opener. Had six other catches during the course of the season. Named to the 1988 All-GSC Academic team. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played receiver and defensive back at Collierville High. Received best defensive back award and Memphis Chapter Hall of Fame award. **PERSONAL:** An outstanding student, he has a perfect 4.0 G.P.A. after three years college work. Has yet to declare a major. Salutatorian and president of senior class. Involved in University Scholar's program and active in Baptist Student Union. Enjoys contemporary gospel music. Favorite athlete is Tony Dorsett. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary J. Duke. Born 10-5-68.

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg
1988	7	46	6.6	1	13

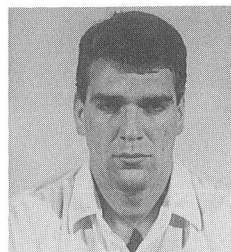




## 88 Joe Robinette

WR, 6-2, 190. Fr.  
Knoxville, Tenn.

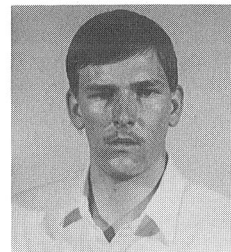
Joe is a redshirt freshman who could break into playing time this season. Worked primarily at the "Y" receiver during spring practice. One of receivers who fits mold as a possession-type at the position. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-Knoxville Interscholastic League at Doyle High. Also All-East Tennessee and honorable mention all-state as a senior. Played four positions. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in animal science. Outstanding student, posting 4.0 grade point average in first college semester. Desires a career as a veterinarian. Father, Lewis, played basketball at UT Knoxville under UTM athletics director emeritus Ray Mears. Enjoys horseback riding and camping. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis P. Robinette. Born 7-23-70.



## 97 Eric McCoy

WR, 6-6, 190, So.  
Clifton, Tenn.

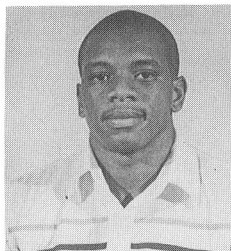
Walk-on candidate as a receiver. Learning game and needs continued work as he did not play high school football. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played basketball at Clifton High on district title team. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in economics. Nicknamed "Oz." Son of Larry and Nancy McCoy. Born 8-15-67.



## 98 John Denton

PK, 6-3, 185, Fr.  
Milan, Tenn.

John is a freshman walk-on candidate as a kicker. Made progress during redshirt season and will vie for playing time in the future. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Product of Milan High program where he was twice an all-district pick and All-West Tennessee as a junior. Once kicked a field goal in overtime to beat district rival Union City. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in communications. Wants to become a sports journalist. Coaches Little League baseball in summer. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Denton. Born 1-19-70.

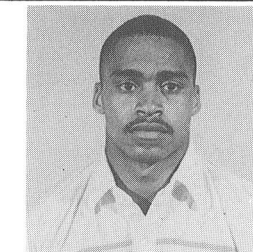
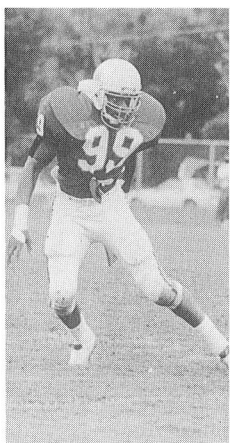
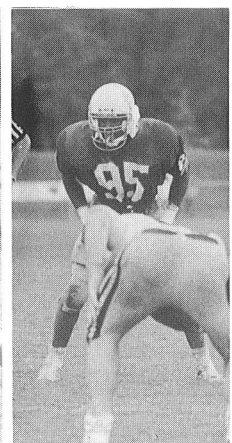
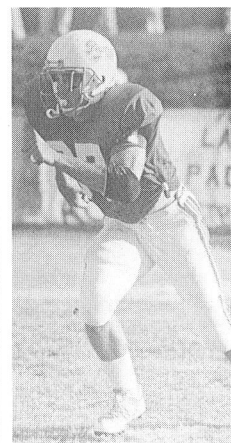


## 99 Dana Florence

DB, 6-3, 215, Sr.  
Compton, Cal.

Dana worked hard in the off-season and had an excellent spring, demonstrating the type of play that the coaching staff knew he was competent of. Capable of playing a variety of defensive positions which will be a bonus. **UTM:** Made 17 total tackles and broke up a pair of passes. Gained more time as the season progressed. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Member of national champion El Camino JC team. Played linebacker. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Enjoyed outstanding prep career at Leuzinger High. Also lettered in track and basketball. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in criminal justice. Nicknamed "Great Dane." Son of Mrs. Shirley Johnson and Mr. Jim Britt. Born 5-1-68.

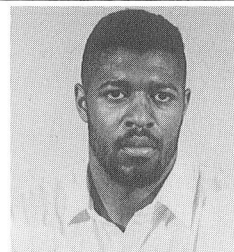
Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	T/Los	Pbu
1988	9	8	17	1/2	1



## 89 Clarence Robinson

DL, 6-3, 230, Jr.  
Osawatomie, Kansas

Clarence is a junior college transfer who brings talent and experience at defensive end. Has very good quickness and plays with aggressiveness. Had very good spring practice with the Pacers. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** All-conference at Coffeyville Community College where he played two years. Led his team to Jayhawk Bowl title. President of student government. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Helped lead Osawatomie High to '85 Kansas state championship. Earned All-Kansas honors his senior year and was twice all-league. Also lettered every year in basketball, wrestling, and track. **PERSONAL:** Majoring in communications' theatre. Favorite actor is James Dean and enjoys country music. One of eight children. Two brothers played at Pittsburg (Kan.). Son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Robinson. Born 1-15-69.



## 95 Darrin Madison

LB, 6-4, 225, Sr.  
Gardena, Cal.

Darrin is counted on to have a strong senior season at the weakside "Willie" linebacker. Started season on strong note. All-around athlete who, if he reaches his potential, could be a great boost to the defense. **UTM:** Saw extensive playing time last season. Top returning tackler with 101 total hits. Had interception in playoff win over Butler. Had a 31-yard interception return for a TD at Samford nullified because of a called penalty. Team's defensive player of the week at Miss. College with 11 tackles. **JUNIOR COLLEGE:** Member of El Camino team which won JC national championship in '87. Honorable mention All-America. As an outside linebacker had 117 tackles and seven quarterback sacks. Played tight end as a freshman, catching 27 passes. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Named to one publication's All-California team and named to the All-Bay Area squad at North Torrance. Also excelled in basketball, earning All-Ocean League honors. **PERSONAL:** Major is undecided. Nicknamed "Hitman." Enjoys keeping his skills in basketball. Favorite athletes are Lawrence Taylor and Magic Johnson. Son of Allen McCarty and Shirley McCarty. Born 9-13-67.

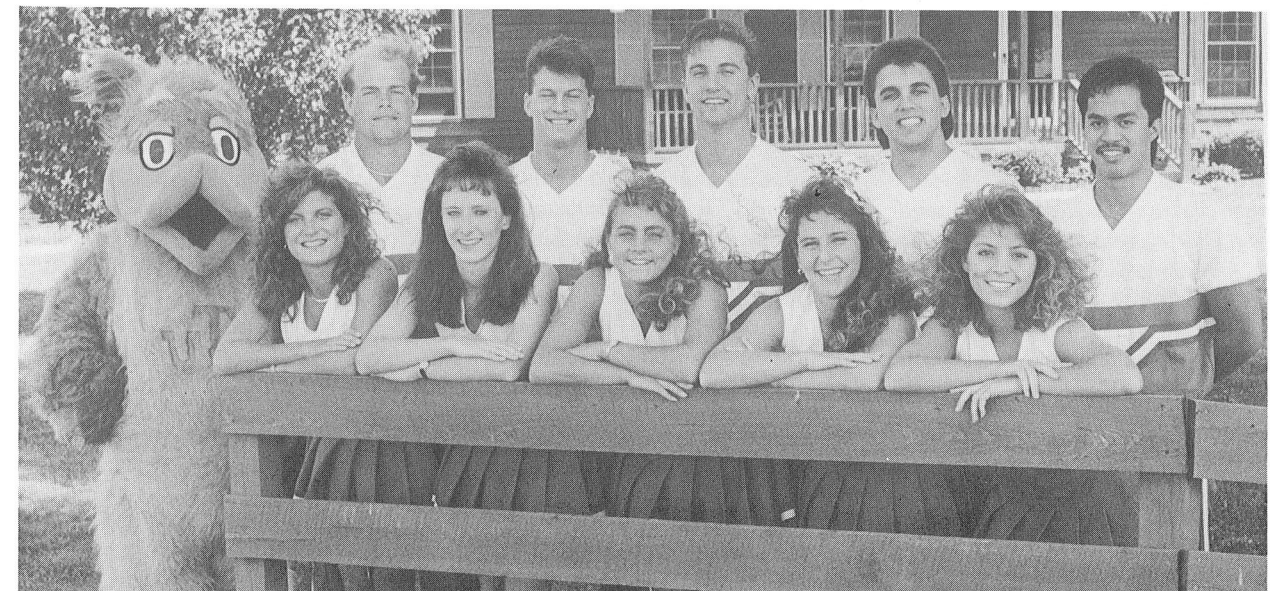
Defense	Solo	Asst	Total	Int	T/Los	Pbu
1988	53	48	101	1/0	3/5	5

# Pacer Spirit



## 1989-90 Pacer Hostesses

The Pacer hostesses serve the UT Martin football program in meeting new recruits on campus. The hostesses begin their fourth season as a part of the program.

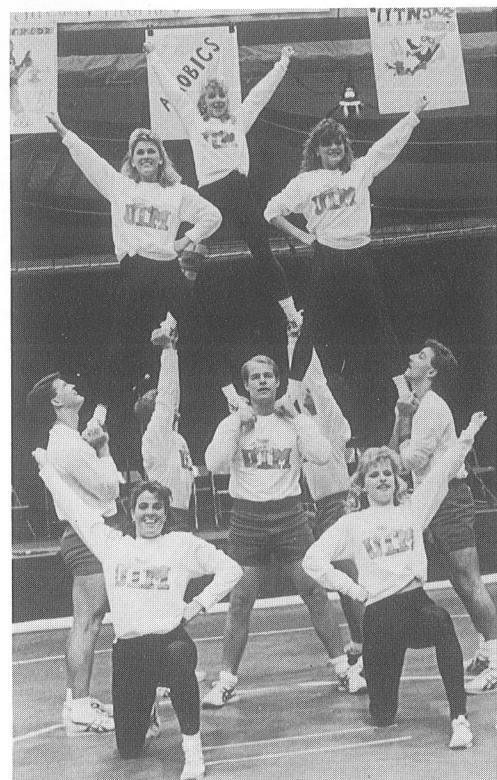


## 1989-90 Pacer Cheerleaders

Leading the cheers for the 1988 Pacer football team are front row, from left; Lisa Geurin (Paris), Linda Meador (Rossville), Karren Everett (Jackson), Angie Cox (Humboldt), and Lori Fortune (Millington). Back row; Pacer Pete, Becky Nance (Gibson), Wade Riggins (Springfield), Phillip Stubblefield (Paris), Alex Haley (Millington), Tom Rainey (Collierville), and Joel Aqcanas (Memphis).



# The Campus That Cares



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

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

UT Martin offers programs of study lead-

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

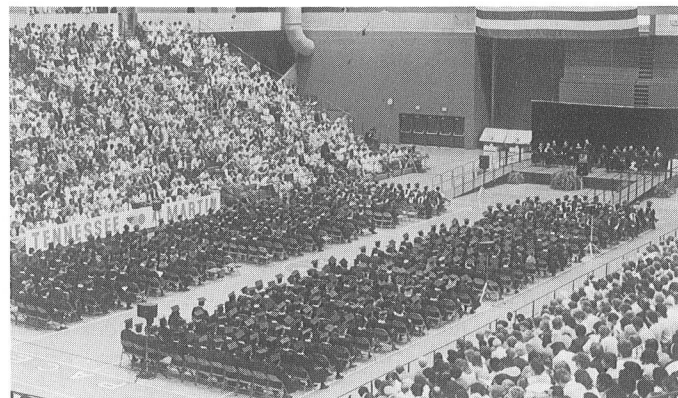
The University's programs for students with skills' proficiencies—the qualified admissions program and the Student Learning Center—have become national models. A new program for the University's academically talented students, the University's Scholars Program, offers interdisciplinary inquiry and individual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

The UT Martin campus is called the

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

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

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



# Pacer Stadium, Facilities

## The Stadium

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## Stadium Renovation Project

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

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

## Football Complex

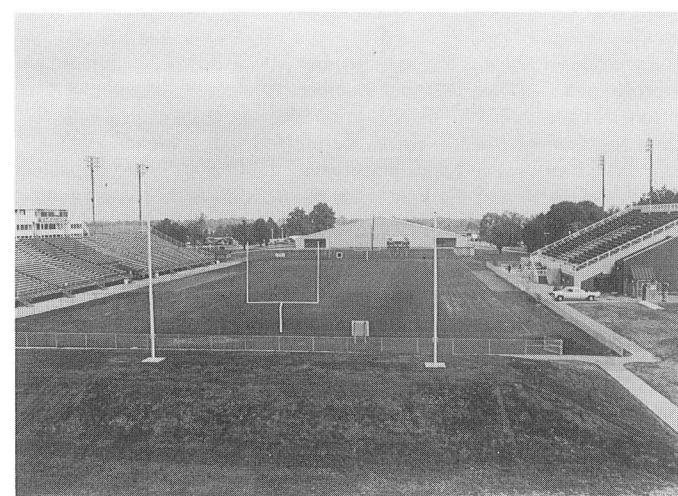
The UT Martin football operation is housed in a building complex which totals more than 25,000 square feet. A significant portion of the building is a large work-out area of about 5,000 square feet. The surface is a Parkway wood floor.

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

There is a newly remodeled weight room in the west end of the building's lower level. The 3,300-square foot room has an extensive variety of weight machines and equipment and will continue to grow. The air-conditioned locker room has space for about 100 athletes and new lockers were built prior to the '89 season. Training room and equipment room areas are on the lower level.

## Physical Education Complex

In case of inclement weather, the Pacers workout in the Physical Education Complex which covers 58,000 square feet on the campus' west end. The Pacer Arena portion of the complex seats 7,000 for basketball games.



## Practice Field

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

## Pacer Stadium Records Since 1964

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



1988 Review

The Pacers’ success in the 1988 football season surprised a lot of people, but coach Don McLeary sent out an early warning in all of his pre-season talks about the coming season.

Breaking away from the usual down-play of a season in which many coaches speak about, McLeary had glowing predictions about his team’s goals in 1988.

“Have a winning season, win the conference championship, and compete for the Division II national championship,” were the goals McLeary had for his team.

Media folks enjoyed McLeary’s honesty. It was a vast change from coaches who would rather remain silent about a team that had potential for achievement.

It was also bold for a third-year coach of a program who had not even posted a winning season in 11 years. But, McLeary knew where he was in his rebuilding plan.

And the rest as they say, to borrow a cliché, is history.

The Pacers did not let their head coach’s pre-season talk prove untrue. All sorts of precedents were set as the team posted that long-awaited winning season, won a share of the school’s first ever Gulf South Conference championship, and were in the hunt for the national title, advancing past the first round into the quarterfinals before being hit by elimination, posting an overall 11-2 record.

“We had a great season,” McLeary would say following the year, but not gloating over his summer predictions. “We had a lot of players who made this possible and hopefully we can build upon this for years to come at UT Martin.”

The season of 1988 was one to remember. The season did a lot more for the program and University than numbers could tell. Excitement and exposure that goes with a winner was at a peak.

The Pacers enjoyed all the awards surrounded with a winner. Every UT Martin fan’s heart swelled with pride when the “Pacers” logo appeared nationally on ESPN. And the honors for the individuals that would follow added to the success of what the team accomplished.

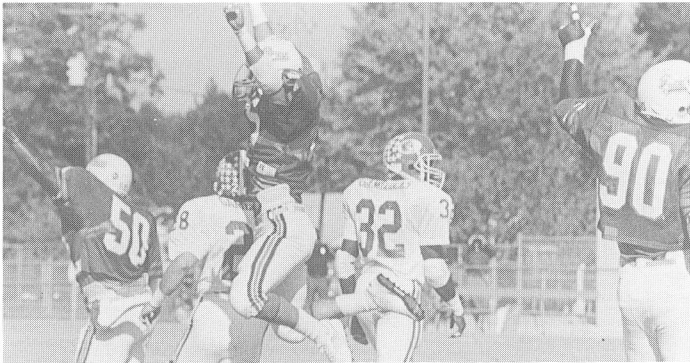
The players who would form the unit became very popular. The “five horsemen” and their durability became a favorite of Pacer followers. The athletic ability and big play potential of the Pacer skill people made fans aware that excitement could take place on any given play. The unsung heroes of the team who labored in the trenches to make the unit complete. So many individuals that were unique in different ways to a team. Players who played both ways, unheard in college football these days, but a must for a team which because of numbers would play less than 40 players a game.

And with all the honors-both individual and team, were not matched by the feeling of 19 players-the seniors. Especially, 10 who had endured a 1-10 freshman year just three seasons ago.

The season got off to a fast start. On a pleasant and clearing Saturday evening in Murray, Ky. the Pacers had built a 22-0 lead before many people had settled in their seats. The Pacers hung on to beat regional rival Murray State 32-24.

The home opener came the following week at Pacer Stadium against the Reddies from Henderson State. UT Martin rolled to a 33-0 win over the nation’s 17th-ranked NAIA team.

The “real season” began the following week. Valdosta State, a team the Pacers had never beaten, came to Martin for the GSC opener. For the first 59



minutes, the Blazers looked as if it would be five in a row. But, heroes emerged as quarterback Leon Reed led a last-minute drive in the defensive struggle. He fired two strikes totaling 53 yards to Ernest Jackson and then the game winner from 11 yards out in the end zone to Mark Guy with 48 seconds showing on the Pacer Stadium clock to net a 13-9 win.

No Pacer will ever forget the loss at Mississippi College. The Pacers had a fierce comeback stopped in the final minutes on a ruled interception and fumble recovery. The hosts would hang on to win 24-21, the only blemish in the regular season.

The Pacers would bounce back to shut down Delta State 15-3 on a rainy homecoming afternoon in Pacer Stadium. The sun finally broke through at the time John Burch ran for a game-clinching TD in the final minutes.

A team trademark of big second quarters would begin the following week at North Alabama. After spotting the Lions a 7-0 lead, UTM would score the game’s next 38 points in spoiling the Lions’ homecoming, 38-14.

The Pacers’ express continued the following week in Birmingham, Ala. The Pacers would score 21 second-half points again and gain close to 500 yards in offense in a 45-13 win.

The Pacers’ streak set the stage for one of the most exciting games to ever be played in Martin. Jacksonville State came to town with an unbeaten streak and a national ranking of third on the line.

McLeary called the afternoon “a game of wills” as two champions slugged it out for 60 minutes. The Pacer offense and defense each came through at the crucial time and the result was a 31-24 Pacer win, to the delight of the enthusiastic crowd. The game’s biggest play came on a short Reed pass to speedster Andre Langley who broke past Jax State defenders for a 67-yard game-winning play early in the fourth period. The Pacer defense then held its ground.

A trip to play the defending national champions was the task facing the Pacers the next week. Troy State jumped to a 17-0 lead, but the combination of Reed and William Mackall stepped in. Mackall took three of Reed’s passes for three second quarter TD’s as UTM roared to take a 24-17 halftime lead on its way to a 27-23 win over the Trojans. Mackall also had a 98-yard reception among seven catches for 283 yards. The Pacers’ defensive line, hobbled by injuries, had four players go all 80 plays against TSU’s wishbone attack.

The Pacers would score on their first play from scrimmage and settle the issue in a rainy and chilly game with the Livingston Tigers. Reed threw 73 yards to Langley and Mackall also had an 80-yard kickoff return in the 41-11 victory.

With all that had been worked for riding on the outcome at West Georgia, the Pacers scored the game’s first 38 points in the 38-12 win. The Pacers scored 21 second-half points and a good following was on hand to witness the team claim at least a share of the GSC title.

The first-ever NCAA Division II playoff game followed the next week. Enthusiasm was at a high and the only thing to dampen the spirit was heavy rain.

Still, almost 5,000 Pacer faithful fans braved the weather and cheered the team to a decisive 23-6 win over Butler University from Indianapolis. The Pacer defense did not yield against the nation’s top rusher. Ki Tok Chu booted three crucial field goals in the win.

All good things must end and for UTM, it came at Kingsville, Texas. Host Texas A & I put together a perfect game and ran past the Pacers 34-0.

The awards and honors would come for months to come following the final game. UTM won all the major GSC honors. McLeary was named “GSC Coach of the Year” for his masterful work with the program. Leon Reed was the “Offensive Player of the Year.” Tackle Emanuel McNeil was the “Defensive Player of the Year.”

McNeil became the school’s first All-American in 18 years when he was named to the Associated Press Little All-America team. McNeil, one of the most popular players to ever don a Pacer uniform, would also be named the Football News and Football Gazette’s “National Defensive Player of the Year.” Mackall would be a first-team All-America on the squad and Reed would be a second-team choice.

And there were other honors. Mackall would shatter most all the career GSC receiving marks to go along with several single game records. Burch would be the first player in GSC history to rush for more than 2,000 yards and have 1,000 receiving yards. Reed would also establish several career standards, despite the fact he played less than two full seasons with the team.

Success stayed with the team well into the spring. Four players, McNeil, Burch, Mackall, and defensive end Jerome Rinehart, all heard their names

called in the NFL draft, a precedent four players from a college division school selected in a draft. Three more would sign Canadian contracts and two others would sign NFL free agent pacts.

The season of ‘88 is a memory now. But the effects and the memory will continue to last.

1988 Pacer Honor Roll

1988 NCAA DIVISION II POLL (Thru Regular Season Only)	FOOTBALL NEWS & GAZETTE POLL (Includes All Playoff Games)
1. North Dakota State 2. West Chester State 3. Texas A & I 4. Portland State 5. Winston-Salem State 6. Mississippi College 7. Jacksonville State 8. Butler 9. TENNESSEE-MARTIN 10. Sacramento State 11. Millersville (Pa.) 12. Albany State 13. California-Davis 14. Indiana-Pa. 15. East Texas State 16. St. Cloud State North Carolina Central 18. Augustana (S.D.) 19. Northern Michigan Bowie State (Md.)	1. North Dakota State 2. Portland State 3. Texas A & I 4. Jacksonville State 5. TENNESSEE-MARTIN 6. So. Dakota State 7. Northern Michigan 8. Sacramento State 9. Angelo State 10. Millersville (Pa.) 11. Indiana (Pa.) 12. West Chester State 13. Virginia Union 14. Mississippi College 15. North Dakota 16. Butler 17. Cal-Poly SLO 18. Savannah State 19. Central Florida 20. Augustana (S.D.)
Associated Press Little All-America Emanuel McNeil, DT	
Harlon Hill Finalist Emanuel McNeil, DT	Football News and Gazette All-America *Emanuel McNeil, DT William Mackall, WR @Leon Reed, QB @@Grady Andrews, OL *Player of the Year @Second Team @@Honorable Mention
All-Gulf South Conference Grady Andrews, OL *Leon Reed, QB William Mackall, WR William Mackall, RS **Emanuel McNeil, DL @John Burch, RB @James Monds, LB @Greg Watkins, DB	Players of the Week National Emanuel McNeil, 9-3 Leon Reed, 10-22
GSC Coach of the Year Don McLeary	
All-Academic GSC Grady Andrews, OL Anton Duke, WR Willie Ng, DB	Regional Emanuel McNeil, 9-17, 10-1, 11-19 Leon Reed, 11-12, 11-19 William Mackall, 10-29



1988 Game Capsules

Game 1  
Sept. 3

Pacers 32 Murray State 24

MURRAY, Ky. — The Pacers roared out of the gates and fought off a second-half rally and stunned the Division I-AA Racers in the '88 season opener.

The visiting Pacers built a 22-3 lead and increased it to 32-3 before the Racers began their comeback before 6,648 at Roy Stewart Stadium.

"I am really proud of this team," said third-year Pacer coach Don McLeary following the game. "They were against the odds and they had a lot of fight, a lot of heart and this is a great victory for us to begin the season."

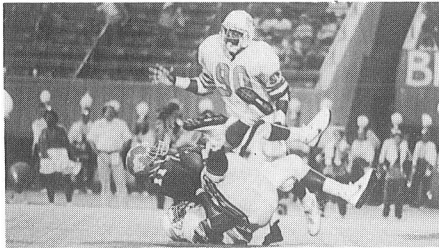
The Pacers took the opening kickoff and drove 77 yards to score. Running back John Burch, who wound up with 116 yards on 24 carries, had two 21-yard runs on the drive. Quarterback Leon Reed threw six yards to William Mackall for the TD.

After defensive back Willie Ng recovered a MSU fumble at the Pacer 25, Reed hit Mackall with a 60-yard strike to the Racer 5. Reed scored from a yard out on the first play of the second quarter. Ki Tok Chu kicked a 41-yard field goal to make the score 17-0 at the 8:31 mark. Then the Pacers' Jerome Rinehart and Emanuel McNeil sacked Racer quarterback Michael Proctor, causing him to fumble in the end zone. Proctor was ruled to recover his own fumble for a safety to make the score 19-0. Following the free kick, the Pacers had to settle for a 24-yard field goal by Chu to make the score 22-0. MSU got on the board with a 22-yard field goal with 34 seconds left in the half.

Chu booted a 48 yard field goal and Reed threw 35 yards to Ernest Jackson to swell the lead. The Pacers lack of depth began to show as MSU mounted its comeback. MSU, as an Division I-AA member, is allotted 25 more scholarships than the Pacers. Proctor threw for two TD's as MSU pulled to within eight with 4:45 left in game. However, the Pacers stopped Murray twice on consecutive four-down series and took over the ball on downs at the MSU 16 and ran out the clock with 25 seconds remaining.

McNeil was named the National Player of the Week for seven tackles, two caused fumbles and two quarterback sacks. Reed was 11 of 20 for 230 yards.

The victory gave the Pacers possession of The Mare's Shoe, one of the nation's newest travelling trophies. The trophy points out that both schools have related nicknames and that each institution's chief executive is a woman.



Score By Quarters

Tennessee-Martin	7	15	10	0—32
Murray State	0	3	13	8—24

Scoring Summary

UTM—William Mackall 14-pass from Leon Reed, Ki Tok Chu. UTM—Reed 1-run, Chu kick. UTM—FG Chu 41. UTM—Safety, Michael Proctor recovered fumble in end zone. UTM—FG, Chu 24. MS—FG, Hayung Kohler 22. UTM—FG, Chu 48. UTM—Ernest Jackson 35-pass from Reed. MS—Glen Arterburn 56-pass from Proctor, Kohler kick. MS—James Burr 11-pass, pass fail. MS—Rick Miller 1-pass from Proctor, Kenny Flag run.

Team Statistics	UTM	MSU
First Downs . . . . .	12	18
Rushes-Yards . . . . .	33-126	38-56
Yards Passing . . . . .	230	336
Att-Comp-Int . . . . .	20-11-2	40-19-0
Punts/Avg . . . . .	7-37.1	4-33.5
Fumbles/Lost . . . . .	1-0	6-3
Penalties/Yards . . . . .	12-100	6-56
Poss. Time . . . . .	30:30	29:30

Attendance: 6,488  
Temperature: 71  
Weather: Clearing, pleasant

Game 2  
Sept. 10

Pacers 33 Henderson State 0

MARTIN—UT Martin's football team recorded its first shutout win since 1984 by rolling over the visiting Reddies from Arkadelphia, Ark., the nation's 17th ranked NAIA team, in the Pacers' home opener.

The Pacers accounted for 441 yards in total offense. The UTM defense limited the Reddies to 171 yards total offense, including just 28 rushing yards in 30 attempts. A crowd of more than 5,300 was in attendance at Pacer Stadium.

"Our defensive line played very well and took pressure off our secondary and linebackers," said Pacer coach Don McLeary. "Our offensive unit had some good individual performances, but we were inconsistent, especially in the second half."

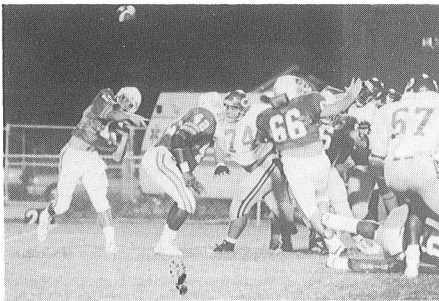
Pacer quarterback Leon Reed threw for 208 of his 215 yards in the first half. Reed completed 20-34-1 for two touchdowns and ran from 11 yards out for the Pacers' second TD. Redshirt sophomore Mitch Lowery relieved Reed in the third quarter and was 14-16-1 for 131 yards, completing his first collegiate pass in the game.

A total of 12 receivers caught passes for the Pacers. Senior William Mackall became the Gulf South Conference's all-time leading receiver in the game.

The Pacer defense set the tone early. End Jerome Rinehart tackled the Reddies' Cal Goshen for a safety at the 4:46 mark of the first quarter. UTM would strike again 13 seconds later as Reed completed a 38-yard TD pass to Mark Guy following the free kick. Reed scored his TD on an option play and Ki Tok Chu booted a 27-yard field goal as time expired in the first half.

Freshman Anton Duke was on the receiving end of a 13-yard Reed pass for the Pacers' first point in the second half. Lowery threw to junior Andre Langley from six yards out in the final minute of play.

The Pacer defensive unit sacked HSU quarterback John Lindgren seven times. Joey Elmore punted eight times for a 44.5 average and had punts downed at the six and one-yardlines which led to the team's first points. Emanuel McNeil and Rinehart each had three sacks. Free safety Greg Watkins had two interceptions. The Reddies came closest to scoring on the last play of the game on a long pass play to the Pacers' 26.



Score By Quarters

Henderson State	0	0	0	0—0
Tennessee-Martin	9	10	7	7—33

Scoring Summary

UTM—Safety, Cal Goshen tackled by Jerome Rinehart. UTM—Mark Guy 38-pass from Leon Reed, Ki Tok Chu kick. UTM—Reed 11-run Chu kick. UTM—FG Chu 27. UTM—Anton Duke 13-pass from Reed, Chu kick. UTM—Andre Langley 6-pass from Mitch Lowery, Chu kick.

Team Statistics	UTM	HSC
First Downs . . . . .	25	6
Rushes-Yards . . . . .	26-95	30-28
Yards Passing . . . . .	346	145
Att-Comp-Int . . . . .	50-34-2	33-12-3
Punts/Avg. . . . .	8-44.5	12-39.8
Fumbles/Lost . . . . .	3-2	1-0
Penalties/Yards . . . . .	9-75	3-25
Poss. Time . . . . .	33:40	26:20

Attendance: 5,350  
Temperature: 79  
Weather: Partly cloudy, pleasant, winds SE, 5 mph.

Game 3  
Sept. 17

Pacers 13 Valdosta State 9

MARTIN—Quarterback Leon Reed threw an 11-yard touchdown pass to Mark Guy with 48 seconds remaining to lead UT Martin's comeback win over Valdosta State in a Gulf South Conference defensive struggle.

The victory marked the first time since UT Martin's Tangerine Bowl Championship team of 1967 that the squad opened a season with three wins. It also marked the Pacers' first win over the Blazers in five meetings.

UT Martin's defensive unit limited the Blazers to only three field goals despite staying on the field for almost 38 minutes. The Blazers had 215 total yards to UTM's 180.

"I can't remember being in a game either as a player or coach where both defenses played so well," said UTM coach Don McLeary. "I thought with both teams being so evenly matched that it would come down to the kicking game and our mistake almost gave them the game."

With the score tied 6-6 early in the fourth quarter, a center snap sailed over punter Joey Elmore's head. Elmore recovered, but VSC had the ball at UTM's 15. The Pacer defense yielded only two yards in three Blazer attempts and VSC had to settle for Jack McTyre's third field goal of the game, a 30-yarder.

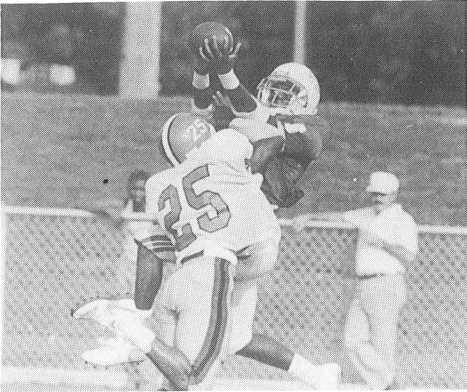
UT Martin turned the ball over twice in the fourth quarter on interceptions before the game-winning drive. The big play came following the second VSC interception deep in the Pacers' territory.

On a fourth and inches play from the 22, VSC quarterback Tye Cottle attempted a quarterback sneak. The Pacer defensive line surged and with Michael Matthews and Ron Roberts making the primary hit, knocked Cottle for a loss.

With VSC then falling into a prevent defense, the Pacers got a pass interference call on a second down play to put the ball at the UTM 36. Then Reed and senior Ernest Jackson hooked up on pass plays of 24 and 29 yards that gave the Pacers the ball at VSC's 11.

The Pacers wasted little time as Reed threw to Guy who made the catch in the left corner of the end zone despite being interfered with by the Blazer defender.

The victory was sealed on the first play from scrimmage as senior cornerback Sidney Carter intercepted a deflected Cottle pass at UTM's 46. The Pacers got 13 tackles from Emanuel McNeil, the GSC's Player of the Week, and 12 from end Sam Dudley.



Score By Quarters

Valdosta State	0	3	3	3—9
Tennessee-Martin	3	3	0	7—13

Scoring Summary

UTM—FG Ki Tok Chu 36. UTM—FG Chu 35. VSC—FG Jack McTyre 30. VSC—McTyre 37. VSC—FG McTyre 30. UTM—Mark Guy 11-pass from Leon Reed, Chu kick.

Team Statistics	UTM	VSC
First Downs . . . . .	15	10
Rushes-Yards . . . . .	24-18	51-97
Yards Passing . . . . .	162	118
Att-Comp-Int . . . . .	36-17-3	16-8-2
Punts/Avg. . . . .	6-33.7	7-35.9
Fumbles/Lost . . . . .	2-0	2-0
Penalties/Yards . . . . .	4-25	7-73
Poss. Time . . . . .	22:05	37:55

Attendance: 4,825  
Temperature: 75  
Weather: Partly cloudy, clearing

Game 4  
Sept. 24

Mississippi College 24 Pacers 21

CLINTON, Miss.—UT Martin had a late comeback stopped by a controversial call and host Mississippi College held on to hand the Pacers their only regular season loss.

The Pacers had rallied from a 17-0 deficit to have an opportunity to defeat the eighth-ranked Choctaws. However, a Leon Reed pass was ruled an interception and then a fumble recovery at the Choctaw 12 with 49 seconds remaining and the Pacers trailing by three points.

"Our players fought their hearts out and came back and I hate to see an opportunity to win or at least tie the game taken away from us," said Pacer coach Don McLeary. "We did not play well in the first half, but we responded in the second half."

The Pacers were faced with a third down and eight from the Chocs' 30. Reed threw for Ernest Jackson, but MC defender Donnie Milloy broke in front of Jackson. The ball was loose from the two players and an MC defender jumped on the ball and it was ruled a fumble recovery.

The game was a battle of two halves. MC dominated play in the opening 30 minutes, rolling to a 17-0 lead before the Pacers' Ki Tok Chu hit a 22-yard field goal as time expired in the first half.

The Pacers came out in the second half and took control. Reed passed for 200 of his season-high 309 yards in the final half. Chu hit a 25-yard field goal to pull UTM to 17-6 going into the final period.

Reed threw 27 yards to Mark Guy down the sideline and a two-point conversion pass to John Burch to pull UTM to 17-14 with 13:33 left. MC had their only sustained drive of the second half after Reed was sacked and fumbled at his own 47. Nate Bolton scored on a 22-yard run to increase the lead back to 10 with 7:27 remaining.

The Pacers came back quickly. Reed had pass completions of 33 and 22 yards to Guy and then a 16-yarder to William Mackall. Reed scored from two yards out to pull UTM to within three with 5:25 on the clock.

The Pacers' Roland Delaney intercepted a Wally Henry pass at the UTM 38 to give the Pacers one last shot. Reed ran for 17 yards and threw a 13-yard pass to Andre Langley prior to the ruled interception.

Safety Greg Watkins had 13 tackles and linebacker Darrin Madison had 11 for UT Martin's defense.



Score By Quarters

Tennessee-Martin	0	3	3	15—21
Mississippi College	3	14	0	7—24

Scoring Summary

MC—FG Shane Stewart 31. MC—Robert Taylor 3-run, Stewart kick. MC—Earl Lee 10-run, Stewart kick. UTM—FG Ki Tok Chu 22. UTM—FG Chu 25. UTM—Mark Guy 27-pass from Leon Reed, John Burch pass from Reed. MC—Nate Bolton 22-run, Stewart kick. UTM—Reed 2-run, Chu kick.

Team Statistics	UTM	MC
First Downs . . . . .	20	13
Rushes-Yards . . . . .	26-39	59-257
Yards Passing . . . . .	309	31
Att-Comp-Int . . . . .	45-26-2	9-4-1
Punts/Avg. . . . .	4-35.2	4-41.0
Fumbles/Lost . . . . .	5-3	4-2
Penalties/Yards . . . . .	3-41	6-54
Poss. Time . . . . .	25:02	34:58

Attendance: 4,860  
Temperature: 75  
Weather: Fair, light winds



Game 5  
Oct. 1

Pacers 15 Delta State 3



Score By Quarters

Delta State	0	0	3	0—3
Tennessee-Martin	3	6	0	6—15

Scoring Summary

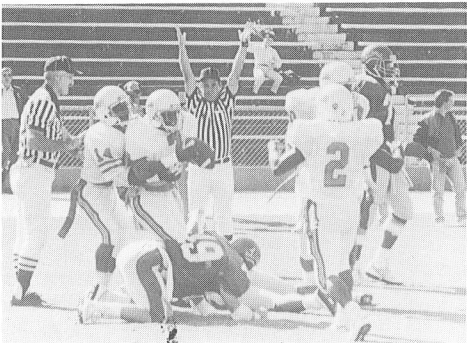
UTM—FG Ki Tok Chu 31. UTM—John Burch 3-run, kick blocked. DS—FG Ozden Karakurt 38. UTM—Burch 21-run, pass fail.

Team Statistics	UTM	DSU
First Downs	15	7
Rushes-Yards	43-165	50-154
Yards Passing	123	18
Att-Comp-Int	26-13-3	11-3-1
Punts/Avg.	6-37.2	8-35.1
Fumbles/Lost	2-1	3-1
Penalties/Yards	5-50	4-20
Poss. Time	29:45	30:15

Attendance: 5,950  
Temperature: 68  
Weather: Mostly cloudy, rain 2¼ inches before kickoff

Game 6  
Oct. 8

Pacers 38 North Alabama 14



Score By Quarters

Tennessee-Martin	0	21	7	10—38
North Alabama	7	0	0	7—14

Scoring Summary

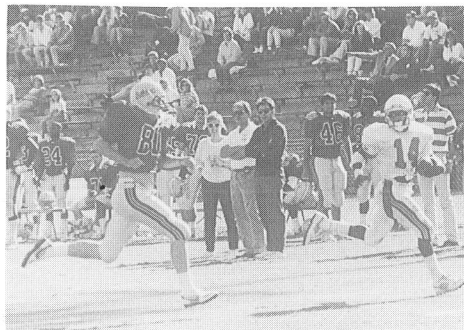
UNA—Troy Nelson 36-pass from Tommy Compton, J.D. Lane kick. UTM—Leon Reed 2-run, Ki Tok Chu kick. UTM—William Mackall 11-pass from Reed, Chu kick. UTM—Ernest Jackson 3-pass from Reed, Chu kick. UTM—Mackall 14-pass from Reed, Chu kick. UTM—Scottie Mitchell 5-pass from Mitch Lowery, Chu kick. UTM—FG Chu 32. UNA—Eric Harris 4-run, Lane kick.

Team Statistics	UTM	UNA
First Downs	17	14
Rushes-Yards	41-105	37-132
Yards Passing	251	154
Att-Comp-Int	34-19-2	33-14-5
Punts/Avg.	6-31.6	6-40.6
Fumbles/Lost	2-0	5-1
Penalties/Yards	8-50	5-56
Poss. Time	30:36	29:24

Attendance: 4,600  
Temperature: 77  
Weather: Mostly sunny.

Game 7  
Oct. 15

Pacers 45 Samford 13



Score By Quarters

Tennessee-Martin	7	21	14	3—45
Samford	7	0	0	6—13

Scoring Summary

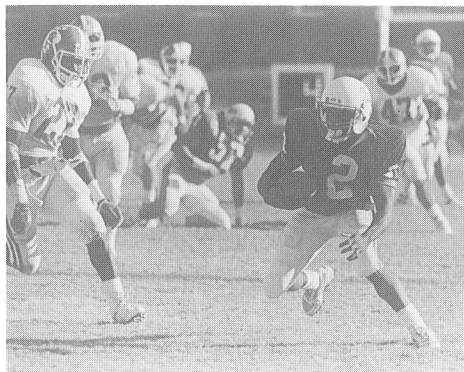
UTM—John Burch 15-run, Ki Tok Chu. SU—Shorty Smith 7-run, Engel kick. UTM—Leon Reed 11-run, Chu kick. UTM—Andre Langley 34-run, Chu kick. UTM—William Mackall 34-pass from Reed. UTM—Todd Pope 28-pass from Reed, Chu kick. UTM—Burch 1-run, Chu kick. SU—Rory 2-run, kick blocked. UTM—FG Chu 24.

Team Statistics	UTM	SU
First Downs	21	17
Rushes-Yards	32-132	44-134
Yards Passing	353	188
Att-Comp-Int	38-20-2	33-14-1
Punts/Avg.	3-36.7	9-42.2
Fumbles/Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties/Yards	11-94	6-60
Poss. Time	25:56	34:04

Attendance: 5,000  
Temperature: 65  
Weather: Sunny, wind SE 5-10 mph.

Game 8  
Oct. 22

Pacers 31 Jacksonville State 24



Score By Quarters

Jacksonville State	0	14	10	0—24
Tennessee-Martin	10	7	7	7—31

Scoring Summary

UTM—FG Ki Tok Chu 32. UTM—Leon Reed 2-run, Chu kick. JSU—Shawn Johnson 7-run, Ashley Kay kick. UTM—John Burch 2-run, Chu kick. JSU—David Gullledge 2-run, Kay kick. UTM—Andre Langley 17-pass from Reed, Chu kick. JSU—Steve Patrick 25-pass from Gullledge, Kay kick. JSU—FG Kay 25. UTM—Langley 67-pass from Reed, Chu kick.

Team Statistics	UTM	JSU
First Downs	23	21
Rushes-Yards	36-106	49-223
Yards Passing	329	142
Att-Comp-Int	39-24-0	21-9-0
Punts/Avg.	6-34.0	5-32.9
Fumbles/Lost	3-2	4-3
Penalties/Yards	10-113	5-50
Poss. Time	31:24	28:36

Attendance: 7,000  
Temperature: 62  
Weather: Sunny, light NW wind.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—Tennessee-Martin clinched its first winning season since 1977 with a 45-13 rout of Division I-AA host Samford on a warm Saturday afternoon.

The non-conference win gave the Pacers a 6-1 record setting the stage for the following week's showdown with unbeaten Jacksonville State.

Leon Reed completed 15-26-2 passes for 270 yards and three TD's and ran for 49 yards and another TD. Receiver William Mackall had a 34-yard scoring reception and returned six punts for 137 yards, including a third quarter return of 57 yards to set up a touchdown. Mackall also had an 80-yard punt return for a TD nullified because of a clipping call. Running back John Burch scored a pair of TD's for the second time in the season.

"I am very happy for our seniors to get that winning season," said Pacer coach Don McLeary. "It was a good win on the road and I am happy that we were able to get several of our players game time. I thought we played well in spurts after overcoming a period where we did not tackle well and made some mistakes to help them."

The Pacers had a season-high 485 yards total offense against the Bulldogs. Reed and sophomore Mitch Lowery hooked up with nine different receivers.

The game was tied 7-7 after the first period of play. For the second straight week, UTM exploded for 21 second-quarter points and scored 35 unanswered points. Along with the nullification of Mackall's return, a 30-yard interception return by linebacker Darrin Madison was called back.

Mackall returned a punt to the SU 25 to set up the first score on a 15-yard option pitch to Burch. An interception set up a 45-yard Bulldog scoring drive.

The Pacers scored all their second quarter points in the final seven minutes. Clovis Wright recovered a muffed punt at the SU 26. Reed scored two plays later from the 11. UTM added scores on a 34-yard pass play to Andre Langley and a 34-yard screen play to Mackall. The final score came following a fake punt from freshman walkon Dick Butler to defensive back Benny Thompson.

The Pacers added third quarter scores on a 28-yard scoring pass to Todd Pope and a one-yard plunge by Burch. Ki Tok Chu booted a 24-yard field goal early in the fourth period. Samford kept possession almost seven minutes following the field goal.

Defensive back Greg Watkins had his fifth interception in the game. Tackle Michael Matthews had two sacks totaling 16 yards.

MARTIN—Andre Langley turned a short pass into the game's biggest play to lift The University of Tennessee at Martin Pacers to one of their top wins ever, 31-24, over Division II third-ranked and previously unbeaten Jacksonville State.

The game, which had received billing as the top college division matchup in the nation, was played on a perfect fall afternoon before a Pacer partisan crowd of almost 7,000. The Pacers did not send the enthusiastic following away disappointed on the big day.

With the score tied 24-24 early in the fourth period, Langley caught a Leon Reed pass just beyond his line of scrimmage. The junior speedster spun loose from a Gamecock defender and raced the distance down the sideline for the 67-yard scoring play.

The Pacer defense then had to hold Jacksonville twice deep inside UTM territory in the fourth quarter to preserve the win. The game more than lived up to its billing as the Gulf South Conference's game of the year, according to McLeary.

"It was a game of wills and neither team lost theirs," said McLeary. "You cannot measure the amount of importance that this win does for our football program. It was a total team win and the main thing is that we never panicked and came through with the big plays in the fourth quarter."

UT Martin grabbed a 10-0 after the first period on a 32-yard field goal by Ki Tok Chu and a Reed two-yard keeper following a James Monds fumble recovery at JSU's 37. A John Burch fumble at the Gamecock eight killed the chance for more points.

Shawn Johnson's 7-yard run concluded a 50-yard JSU march in the second period. UTM increased the lead back to 10 as Burch dove in from the two. Quarterback David Gullledge scored on a keeper to cut the halftime score to 17-14.

Reed and Langley hooked up for the first time on a 17-yard TD play. Reed scrambled loose on a third-and-two play to hit the wide-open receiver in the end zone. JSU tied the game as Gullledge threw 25 yards to Steve Patrick and Ashley Kay was true on a 25-yard field goal with six seconds left in the third period.

The Reed-to-Langley play came just three plays after Kay's tying field goal. The Pacers had regained their lead for good with 13:18 remaining.

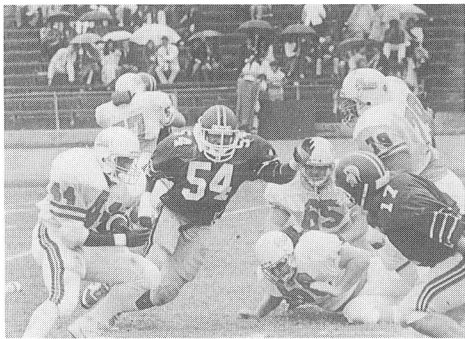
UTM's defense then took over. Emanuel McNeil's second fumble recovery stopped one threat at UTM's 25. After taking over at the UTM 39 following a punt, Jerome Rinehart and McNeil sacked the Gamecock for a loss to force a punt.

UTM took over at its own nine with 3:16 remaining and kept the ball away, making three first downs. In the showdown of quarterbacks Reed was 24 of 39 passing for a season-high 329 yards. John Burch led all rushers with 95 yards. Linebackers Darrin Madison had 12 and Monds 10 tackles for the Pacers.



Game 9  
Oct. 29

Pacers 27 Troy State 23



Score By Quarters

Tennessee-Martin	3	21	0	3—27
Troy State	7	10	6	0—23

Scoring Summary

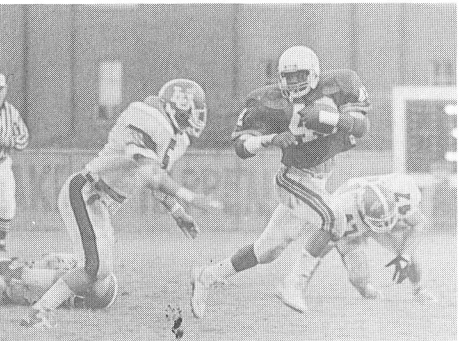
TS—Doug Mims 79-interception return, Bob Wilson kick. UTM—FG Ki Tok Chu 41. TSU—FG Wilson 25. TSU—Bob Godsey 9-run, Wilson kick. UTM—William Mackall 49-pass from Leon Reed, Chu kick. UTM—Mackall 47-pass from Reed, Chu kick. UTM—Mackall 32-pass from Reed, Chu kick. TSU—FG Wilson 25. TSU—FG Wilson 33. UTM—FG Chu 41.

Team Statistics	UTM	TSU
First Downs	18	18
Rushes-Yards	38-186	53-194
Yards Passing	343	151
Att-Comp-Int	29-12-2	27-12-2
Punts/Avg.	7-35.1	7-41.1
Fumbles/Lost	1-1	3-1
Penalties/Yards	16-121	4-35
Poss. Time	26:45	33:15

Attendance: 10,200  
Temperature: 66  
Weather: Cloudy, drizzle.

Game 10  
Nov. 5

Pacers 41 Livingston 11



Score By Quarters

Livingston	0	3	8	0—11
Tennessee-Martin	14	10	10	7—41

Scoring Summary

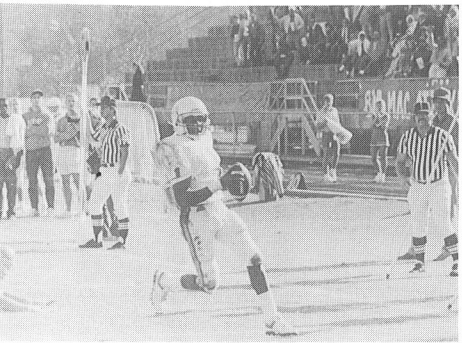
UTM—Andre Langley 73-pass from Leon Reed, kick fail. UTM—John Burch 10-pass from Reed, Burch run. UTM—FG Ki Tok Chu 33. LU—FG Anthony Armstrong 41. UTM—Burch 9-run, Chu kick. UTM—William Mackall 80-kickoff return, Chu kick. LU—Brad Shaw 19-pass from Jon Gant, Shaw pass from Gant. UTM—FG Chu 29. UTM—Mitch Lowery 18-run, Chu kick.

Team Statistics	UTM	LU
First Downs	22	12
Rushes-Yards	36-152	23-(-22)
Yards Passing	279	173
Att-Comp-Int	46-26-1	40-20-1
Punts/Avg.	4-32.2	9-37.9
Fumbles/Lost	2-2	3-2
Penalties/Yards	11-91	5-60
Poss. Time	32:16	27:44

Attendance: 3,000  
Temperature: 54  
Weather: Rain, winds gusty S-SW 20-22 mph.

Game 11  
Nov. 12

Pacers 38 West Georgia 12



Score By Quarters

Tennessee-Martin	3	21	14	0—38
West Georgia	0	0	0	12—12

Scoring Summary

UTM—FG Ki Tok Chu 23. UTM—Leon Reed 2-run, Chu kick. UTM—Reed 7-run. UTM—John Burch 3-pass from Leon Reed, Chu kick. UTM—Scottie Mitchell 8-run, Chu kick. UTM—Kowalski Bynum 20-pass from Reed, Chu kick. WG—Nick Neal 47-pass from Huel Medders, kick fail. WG—Steve Palmer recovers Mitch Lowery fumble in end zone, pass fail.

Team Statistics	UTM	WGA
First Downs	24	7
Rushes-Yards	40-146	40-107
Yards Passing	266	91
Att-Comp-Int	38-22-4	16-6-0
Punts/Avg.	3-34.1	12-35.2
Fumbles/Lost	3-2	3-1
Penalties/Yards	9-75	9-83
Poss. Time	31:17	28:43

Attendance: 3,670  
Temperature: 60  
Weather: Partly-cloudy

Game 12  
Nov. 19

NCAA Division II Playoffs  
Pacers 23 Butler 6



Score By Quarters

Butler	0	0	0	6—6
Tennessee-Martin	0	13	3	7—23

Scoring Summary

UTM—Andre Langley 34-pass from Leon Reed, Ki Tok Chu kick. UTM—FG Chu 44. UTM—FG Chu 49. UTM—FG Chu 31. UTM—Scottie Mitchell 6-run, Chu kick. BU—John Barron 23-pass Ron Kiolbassa, kick blocked.

Team Statistics	UTM	BU
First Downs	16	9
Rushes-Yards	34-49	31-35
Yards Passing	240	154
Att-Comp-Int	44-23-0	23-12-4
Punts/Avg.	9-37.3	10-34.2
Fumbles/Lost	3-2	4-2
Penalties/Yards	10-75	5-45
Poss. Time	31:19	28:41

Attendance: 5,000  
Temperature: 62  
Weather: Rain, winds light

CARROLLTON, Ga.—The Pacers clinched a share of the school's first-ever Gulf South Conference championship with a 38-12 win over West Georgia on the Braves' home field.

The Pacers finished the regular season at 10-1 and were notified the following afternoon of a berth to the NCAA Division II playoffs.

"This team has made a great accomplishment that it can be proud of achieving," said Pacer coach Don McLeary. "We wanted to settle the issue early and the players showed much determination in fulfilling one of our goals."

The Pacers took command of the game in the second quarter, scoring 21 points in the period for the fourth time this season.

UT Martin had taken a 3-0 lead after the game's first possession. The Pacers drove from their own 20 to WGA's six before settling for a 23-yard field goal by Ki Tok Chu.

With the wind in the second period, the Pacers put the game out of reach. Leon Reed scored on a two-yard run set up on a 46-yard pass from Reed to Mackall, who was later injured in the game. Reed ended a 60-yard drive with a seven-yard run. The first half scoring ended after Mark Guy blocked a Mike Lilly punt at the Braves' 20 and returned it to the three. Reed threw to John Burch on the next play to make the score 24-0 with 2:15 remaining in the half.

UT Martin led 38-0 after the completion of three quarters. Reserve running back Scottie Mitchell scored on an 8-yard run and Reed fired a 20-yard scoring strike to Kowalski Bynum to close out the scoring.

WGA got on the board on a 47-yard pass from Huel Medders to Nick Neal. The other score came when Mitch Lowery was sacked and fumbled the ball in the end zone and Steve Palmer recovered for the TD.

UT Martin had 412 total yards offense to West Georgia's 166. The Pacers had six turnovers to the Braves one. The Pacer defensive unit was balanced among its tacklers.

Burch became the first player in GSC history to have 2,000 yards rushing and 1,000 yards in receiving during the game. Reed was named the GSC Player of the Week for his play.

A good Pacer following was on hand to see UT Martin put the finishing touches on its banner regular season.

MARTIN--UT Martin was successful in its first-ever NCAA Division II playoff appearance, defeating visiting Butler University 23-6 in a rain-soaked contest Saturday afternoon.

A crowd of almost 5,000 braved the inclement weather to cheer the Pacers in the historic contest. A steady rain fell throughout the game on the Pacer Stadium turf which had been soaked by more than five inches of rain the past 24 hours.

The Pacer defense held the nation's Division II leading rusher and scorer Steve Roberts to 70 yards on 25 attempts. Butler was limited to 35 net rushing yards as a team and 189 yards in total offense.

"Our defense took control of the game and set the tempo," said Pacer coach Don McLeary. "We kept them in check except for a few pass plays."

UT Martin came up with four pass interceptions and recovered two Butler fumbles. The Pacers were guilty of losing two fumbles, one which came on a return of a blocked punt.

"I was pleased that we did not turn the ball over more than we did," said McLeary. "The rain affected our play, but we had some big offensive drives."

After a scoreless first quarter, UTM posted a strong second period which has become a trademark of the team. Quarterback Leon Reed fired a 34-yard TD pass to Andre Langley, who made a spectacular catch in the end zone. Ki Tok Chu added field goals of 44 and connected from 49 yards out in the rain as the first half expired.

Chu added a 31-yard field goal as UTM drove to the Bulldogs' 14 in the third. Reserve running back Scottie Mitchell capped off a 55-yard drive on a pitch from Reed with 10:28 left in the fourth.

The only Butler points came following a fumble by reserve quarterback Mitch Lowery at his own 23. John Barron caught a pass from backup Ron Kiolbassa on the next play with 3:32 remaining. The PAT was blocked.

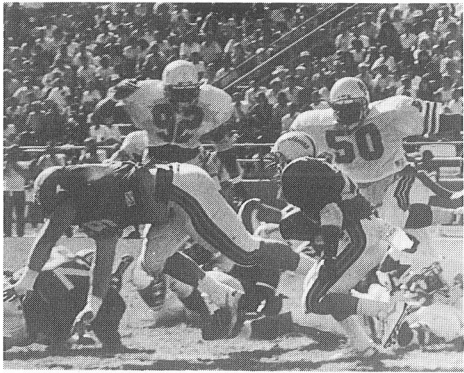
Reed finished the afternoon 23-40-0 for 240 yards. Langley had five catches for 82 yards, but would be lost for the next game with a knee injury. Leading receiver William Mackall saw very little action because of an ankle injury received the week before.

Linebacker Tim Felter had 10 tackles. Emanuel McNeil had nine tackles and two quarterback sacks totaling 23 yards in losses.



Game 13  
Nov. 26

NCAA Division II Playoffs  
Texas A & I 34 Pacers 0



Score By Quarters

Tennessee-Martin	0	0	0	0—0
Texas A & I	14	7	0	13—34

Scoring Summary

A & I—Heath Sherman 2-run, Jason Curlee kick. A & I—Sherman 26-run, Curlee kick. A & I—Sherman 13-run, Curlee kick. A & I—Johnny Bailey 8-run, Curlee kick. A & I—Sherman 12-run, run fail.

Team Statistics	UTM	A & I
First Downs	12	19
Rushes-Yards	33-129	59-278
Yards Passing	132	108
Att-Comp-Int	33-13-2	17-8-0
Punts/Avg.	9-39.7	9-41.8
Fumbles/Lost	6-3	2-0
Penalties/Yards	4-25	9-66
Poss. Time	25:45	34:15
Attendance: 12,000		
Temperature: 95		
Weather: Sunny		

1988 GAME SUPERLATIVES

Individual

LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE: John Burch vs. Troy State, 48 yards  
LONGEST PASS RECEPTION: William Mackall vs. Troy State, 98 yards  
LONGEST PUNT RETURN: William Mackall vs. Samford, 57 yards  
LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN: William Mackall vs. Livingston, 80 yards  
LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN: Greg Watkins vs. N. Alabama, 38 yards  
LONGEST PUNT: Joey Elmore vs. Henderson State, 57 yards  
LONGEST FIELD GOAL: Ki Tok Chu vs. Butler, 49 yards  
LONGEST FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTED: Ki Tok Chu vs. N. Alabama, 57 yards  
MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS: John Burch vs. Murray State, 24  
MOST RUSHING YARDS: John Burch vs. Troy State, 135 yards  
MOST PASS ATTEMPTS: Leon Reed vs. Mississippi College, 45  
MOST PASS COMPLETIONS: Leon Reed vs. Miss. College, 25  
MOST YARDS PASSING: Leon Reed vs. Troy State, 343  
MOST YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE: Leon Reed vs. Troy State, 390  
MOST PASSES CAUGHT: William Mackall vs. Miss. College, 12  
MOST YARDS RECEIVING: William Mackall vs. Troy State, 283  
MOST POINTS SCORED: William Mackall vs. Troy State, 18  
MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED: Ki Tok Chu vs. Butler, 4  
MOST FIELD GOALS MADE: Ki Tok Chu vs. Murray State, Butler, 3  
MOST PUNTS: Joey Elmore vs. Butler, Texas A & I, 9  
MOST UNASSISTED TACKLES: Sam Dudley vs. North Alabama, 12  
MOST ASSISTED TACKLES: Sam Dudley vs. Valdosta State, 10  
MOST TOTAL TACKLES: Sam Dudley vs. North Alabama, 17

Team

Offensive Best/Worst

First Downs; 25 vs. Henderson State/12 vs. Murray State  
by Rushing; 10 vs. Delta State/3 vs. Valdosta State  
by Passing; 17 vs. Jax State/5 vs. Delta State  
by Penalty; 4 vs. Valdosta State/0 vs. MSU, HSU

Rushing Yards; 186 vs. Troy State/18 vs. Valdosta State  
Passing Yards; 353 vs. Samford/123 vs. Valdosta State  
Total Offense; 529 vs. Troy State/180 vs. Valdosta State  
Offensive Plays; 82 vs. Livingston/53 vs. Murray State  
Rushing Attempts; 43 vs. Delta State/24 vs. Valdosta State  
Passing Attempts; 50 vs. Henderson State/20 vs. Murray State  
Passes Completed; 34 vs. Henderson State/11 vs. Murray State  
Passes Had Intercepted; 0 vs. Jax State, Butler/4 vs. West Georgia  
Fumbles Lost; 0 vs. MSU, VSC, UNA/3 vs. Miss. College  
Penalties; 3 vs. Miss. College/16 vs. Troy State  
Yards Penalized; 25 vs. Valdosta State/121 vs. Troy State  
Points Scored; 45 vs. Samford/13 vs. Valdosta State

Defensive Best/Worst

First Downs; 6 vs. Henderson State/21 vs. Jax State  
by Rushing; 1 vs. Hend.St., Livingston/15 vs. Texas A&I  
by Passing; 0 vs. Delta State/13 vs. Murray State  
by Penalty; 0 vs. DSU, SU, BU, A&I/4 vs. Jax State  
Rushing Yards; -22 vs. Livingston/278 vs. Texas A&I  
Passing Yards; 18 vs. Delta State/336 vs. Murray State  
Total Offense; 147 vs. Livingston/392 vs. Murray State  
Offensive Plays; 54 vs. Butler/80 vs. Troy State  
Rushing Attempts; 23 vs. Livingston/59 vs. Miss. College  
Passing Attempts; 9 vs. Miss. College/40 vs. Mur.St., Livingston  
Passes Intercepted; 5 vs. North Alabama/0 vs. MSU, JSU, WGA, A&I  
Fumbles Recovered; 3 vs. Murray State/0 vs. Henderson St., A&I  
Points Scored; 0 vs. Henderson State/34 vs. Texas A&I

1988 Statistics

1988 Pacer Results

Date	Opponent	Attendance	UTM-OPP
Sept. 3	Murray State (A)	6,488	32-24
Sept. 10	Henderson State (H)	5,350	33-0
Sept. 17	Valdosta State (H)	4,825	13-9
Sept. 24	Mississippi College (A)	4,860	21-24
Oct. 1	Delta State (HC)	5,950	15-3
Oct. 8	North Alabama (A)	4,600	38-14
Oct. 15	Samford (A)	5,000	45-13
Oct. 22	Jacksonville State (H)	7,000	31-24
Oct. 29	Troy State (A)	10,200	27-23
Nov. 5	Livingston (H)	3,000	41-11
Nov. 12	West Georgia (A)	3,670	38-12
Nov. 19	Butler (H)*	5,000	23-6
Nov. 26	Texas A & I (A)*	12,000	0-34

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Team Stats

UTM	OPP
239	TOTAL FIRST DOWNS
90	By Rushing
133	By Passing
16	By Penalty
443	RUSHING ATTEMPTS
1865	Yards Gained Rushing
417	Yards Lost Rushing
1448	Net Yards Rushing
111.4	Rushing/Yards Game
3.3	Avg. Rushing Gain
17	Rushing TDs
478	PASSES ATTEMPTED
260	Passes Completed
25	Interceptions Thrown
3363	Net Yards Passing
258.7	Pass Yards Per Game
12.9	Avg. Passing Gain
24	Passing TDs
921	TOTAL OFF PLAYS
4811	Total Offense
370.1	Total Yards Per Game
72/191	Yards Per Play
26/30	3rd Down Conversion
78	4th Down Conversion
2833	NUMBER OF PUNTS
36.3	Yards Punted
0	Punting Average
41	Punts Had Blocked
335	PUNTS RETURNED
8.2	Yards Punts Returned
41	Average Punt Return
833	KICKOFFS RETURNED
20.3	Yards Kickoff Returned
112/935	Average Kickoff Return
32/17	Penalties/Yards
20	Fumbles/Lost
204	INTERCEPTIONS MADE
42	Interception Return Yardage
37/39	TOUCHDOWNS
2/3	Extra Points (Kick) M/Att.
20/26	2 Point Conversion M/Att.
2	F.G.M.A.
357	Safeties
27.5	TOTAL POINTS
	Average Points Per Game

SCORE/QUARTERS—	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	TOT
UT MARTIN	59	151	75	72	357
OPPONENTS	38	54	43	62	197

Individual Stats

G	TD	EP	FG	TP	PPG
13	0	37	20	97	7.5
13	8	0	0	48	3.7
13	8	0	0	48	3.7
13	8	2	0	52	4.0
11	6	0	0	36	3.3
13	3	0	0	18	1.4
13	3	0	0	18	1.4
13	2	0	0	12	0.9
9	1	0	0	6	0.7
8	1	0	0	6	0.8
9	1	0	0	6	0.7
13	1	0	0	6	0.5

RUSHING	G	Att	YdG	YdL	Net	Av/R	Av/G	Lg	TD
Burch	13	195	1027	25	1002	5.1	77.1	48	6
Mitchell	13	71	300	7	293	4.1	22.5	18	2
Reed	13	141	450	274	176	1.2	13.5	22	8
Mackall	13	4	24	8	16	4.0	1.2	11	0
Thompson	133	2	4	0	4	2.0	0.4	3	
Guy	13	1	0	1	-1	-1.0	-1.1	-1	0
Morrison	8	3	5	8	-3	-1.0	-0.5	5	0
Jackson	13	6	5	13	-8	-1.3	-0.7	4	0
Lowery	8	20	49	81	-32	-1.6	-4.0	18	1

PASSING	G	Att	Comp	Int	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Long
Reed	13	424	228	22	53.8	3051	20	98
Lowery	8	50	29	2	58.0	259	2	45
Butler	3	1	1	0	100.0	21	0	21
Elmore	9	2	2	0	100.0	32	0	17
Mitchell	12	1	0	1	0.0	0	0	0

TOTAL OFF	G	Att	YdR	YdP	Total	Yds/G	Yds/P
Reed	13	565	176	3051	3227	248.2	5.7
Lowery	8	70	-32	259	227	28.3	3.2

RECEIVING	G	No.	Yds	TD	Yd/C	Long	CPG
Mackall	13	66	1026	7	15.5	98	5.1
Burch	13	45	419	2	9.3	38	3.5
Langley	11	35	553	6	15.8	73	3.2
Jackson	13	26	326	2	12.5	38	2.0
Guy	13	18	247	3	13.7	38	1.4
Wright	13	17	237	0	13.9	40	1.3
Pope	13	21	231	1	11.0	45	1.6
Bynum	10	9	112	1	12.4	25	0.9
Mitchell	13	9	75	1	8.3	17	0.7
Duke	9	7	46	1	6.6	13	0.8
Lamar	2	3	21	0	7.0	10	1.5
Morrison	8	1	34	0	34.0	34	0.2
B. Thompson	13	2	36	0	18.0	21	0.2

KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Mackall	28	621	22.2	1	80
Guy	10	140	14.0	0	24
Burch	3	72	24.0	0	29

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Mackall	32	265	8.3	0	57
Watkins	7	48	6.9	0	10
Guy	1	22	22.0	0	22
A. Thompson	1	3	3.0	0	3

PUNTING	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long
Elmore	62	2340	37.7	57
Butler	15	504	33.6	52
Team	1	-11	-11.0	-11

FIELD GOALS  
Good Kicks  
Chu 41, 24, 48, 27, 36, 35, 22, 31, 25, 31, 32, 57, 51, 24, 32, 41, 44, 41, 33, 29, 23, 32, 33, 44, 49, 31

TIME OF POSSESSION: UTM 376:20 OPPONENTS 403:40



# 1988 Senior Focus

## Pacer Seniors of '88—A Unique Group. . .

### UTM Football Reaps Benefit From Unprecedented Draft, Signees

Enthusiasm remained high into the summer months since the spring day that set a precedent for The University of Tennessee at Martin's football program as a representative of a college division collegiate program.

The Pacers had four players enter into the ranks of the National Football League draft, believed to be a first for any program below the NCAA Division I level to have that many players selected into a single draft. In addition, three players have signed contracts to play in the Canadian Football League, and two others have since signed NFL free agent contracts.

"This is great for our program and is a great boost to us to have this many players from a Division II school to have a chance to play professional football," said UTM coach Don McLeary. "We are very excited for the young men and the positive effects that it has for everyone connected with our program."

As an NCAA Division II school, the Pacers are allotted a total of 40 scholarships. UT Martin posted an 11-2 overall record and was tri-champions of the Gulf South Conference along with advancing to the Division II quarterfinals in 1988.

"To have that large a percentage of our senior class and total amount of our scholarship players either be drafted or signed is truly amazing," said McLeary. "This is great exposure and proves that a deserving player can have the opportunity to play professional football if he attends our school."

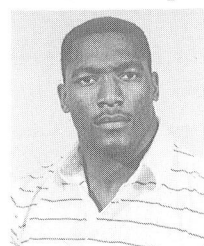
The Pacer draftees began working early with their respective clubs. Running back John Burch went to the Phoenix Cardinals in the eighth round, wide receiver William Mackall to the Indianapolis Colts in the ninth, defensive tackle Emanuel McNeil to the New England Patriots in the 10th, and defensive end Jerome Rinehart to the New York Giants as a linebacker in the 11th.

The two players to have since signed free agent contracts are defensive end Sam Dudley and wide receiver Andre Langley. Dudley inked with Seattle Seahawks. Langley had a year of eligibility remaining, but as a fifth year senior opted to enter the pro ranks, signing with the Cardinals.

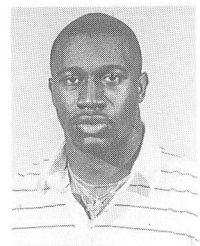
The CFL-bound players include quarterback Leon Reed and receivers Mark Guy and Ernest Jackson. Reed and Jackson signed with the Winnipeg Blue Bombers and Guy with the Saskatchewan Rough Riders.

The banner group of players join three other former Pacers in the professional ranks who are playing in the CFL. Romel Andrews is a standout defensive tackle with the Blue Bombers. Tony Champion has been an all-CFL receiver with Hamilton Tiger-Cats, and linebacker Paul Randolph will begin his first active season with the Blue Bombers.

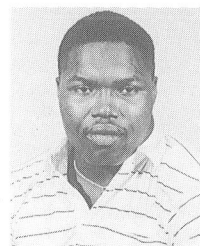
UT Martin and quarterfinal opponent Texas A & I were the only two schools below the Division I level to have more than one player drafted. The Javelinas had two players selected from its junior-filled team.



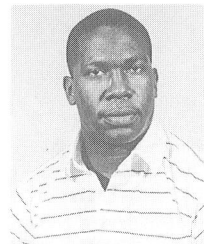
John Burch



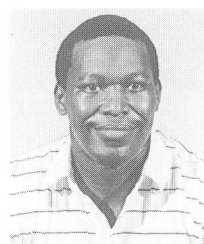
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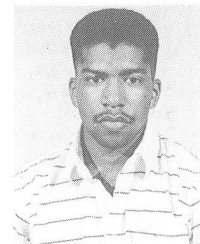
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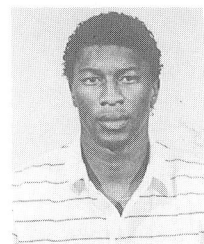
Jerome Rinehart



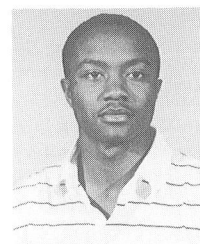
Sam Dudley



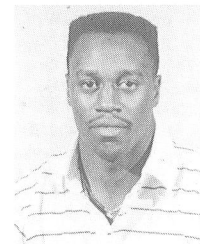
Andre Langley



Leon Reed



Mark Guy



Ernest Jackson

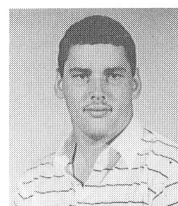
## Pacer Senior Class Also Wins Big In Classroom

While The University of Tennessee at Martin football team enjoyed an outstanding season, the Pacer football seniors are also proved to be winners in the classroom.

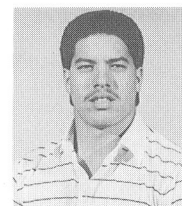
All 19 seniors on the 1988 Gulf South Conference tri-championship and NCAA Division II quarter-finalist team have graduated or on target to graduate within the next two years. The feat is quite an accomplishment for what has been a unique group of Pacer football players.

"The first thing we tell an athlete is that he is coming to our University to earn a college degree," said Pacer Coach Don McLeary. "I am so proud of our seniors for what accomplished, but I am more proud in that they are working toward graduation. This is a special group that I will always have fond memories of."

The Pacer seniors were the background of the team which posted many firsts in posting the



Grady Andrews



Willie Ng

school's first winning season in 11 years and represented the University in its first-ever trip to the Division II playoffs.

Several of the seniors made the Dean's List during their tenure at the University. Two of the players, senior All-GSC guard Grady Andrews of Dickson and starting defensive back Willie Ng were two-time All-GSC Academic.

### 1988 Pacer Seniors

Leon Reed, quarterback, Senatobia, Miss.  
Mark Guy, wide receiver, Olive Branch, Miss.  
Ernest Jackson, wide receiver, Jackson  
William Mackall, wide receiver, Panama City, Fla.  
Willie Ng, defensive back, Picher, Okla.  
Greg Watkins, defensive back, Cincinnati, Ohio  
Sidney Carter, defensive back, Concord  
John Burch running back, St. Augustine, Fla.  
Charles Laster, offensive lineman, Burns  
Tim Felter, linebacker, Tiffin, Ohio  
James Monds, linebacker, Ft. Pierce, Fla.  
Grady Andrews, offensive lineman, Dickson  
David Boland, offensive lineman, Jacksonville, Fla.  
Travis Jones, offensive lineman, Henderson  
Sam Dudley, defensive lineman, Daytona Beach, Fla.  
Tony Burton, offensive lineman, Richmond, Va.  
Richard Farris, defensive lineman, Columbia  
Jerome Rinehart, defensive lineman, Norristown, Pa.  
Emanuel McNeil, defensive lineman, Highland Springs, Va.

# Pacers on the Air

## The Pacer Radio Network

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

Bill Haney, the color commentator for Pacer football, is coordinating this year's network. Haney has been quickly reestablishing the network as one of the largest in Division II football.

Haney and play-by-play announcer Tom Britt have more than 50 years of combined experience in the broadcast field and are the voices of UT Martin athletics. The popular duo return for another year of Pacer football on the radio and will assume the additional duties of handling the tape-delayed television broadcasts.

Britt enters his ninth year as play-by-play man for football broadcasts and is regarded as one of the state's top broadcasters. He calls the color commentary during basketball season. Britt serves as sports and news director for WMXX-FM and WDXI-AM radio in Jackson.

Haney is a 34-year veteran of West Tennessee radio. He is in his tenth year with the network and calls the play-by-play for Pacer basketball games. He was one of the forerunners of establishing high school, college, and professional sports broadcast in the area. He is county executive in Gibson County.

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

### The Pacer Radio Network (Tentative stations)

WCMT-FM & AM Martin	WDSG-AM Dyersburg
WHZZ-FM Huntingdon	WDXL-FM Lexington
WWHY-AM Milan	WCTA-AM Alamo
WKBL-FM Covington	WLOT-FM Trenton
WTGS-AM Jackson	KMIS-FM Portageville, Mo.

include special halftime features and halftime and post-game comments from Coach McLeary.

## Pacer Television Replays

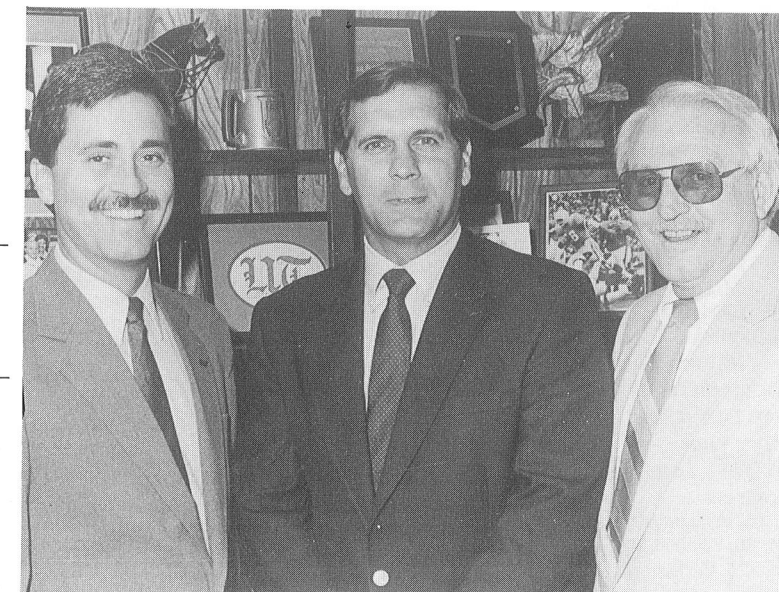
The University of Tennessee at Martin works in association with Public Broadcasting station, WLJT-TV, Channel 11, to carry all 11 Pacer football games.

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

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

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

Bill Haney and Tim Britt, the veteran radio voices of Pacer football and basketball, will also handle the television side this fall.



Coach McLeary (center) with veteran Pacer announcers Tom Britt (right) and Bill Haney.



Gulf South Conference



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

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

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

In 1971, the league became the Gulf South Conference and admitted two schools, Southeastern Louisiana and Nicholls State (La.). Current member

Mississippi College joined the league in 1972 along with Northwestern Louisiana. Northwestern left two years later followed by the remaining Louisiana schools in 1979.

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

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

### The GSC Family

Delta State University—Cleveland, Miss.  
Jacksonville State University—Jacksonville, Ala.  
Livingston University—Livingston, Ala.  
Mississippi College—Clinton, Miss.  
Troy State University—Troy, Ala.  
University of North Alabama—Florence, Ala.  
**THE UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE AT MARTIN—Martin, Tenn.**  
Valdosta State College—Valdosta, Ga.  
West Georgia College—Carrollton, Ga.

GSC Football Records Held By UT Martin\*

<b>Team</b>	
<b>Most Pass Completions</b>	
Game: 37 vs. Troy State (54 attempts)	1986
Season: 260 (478 attempts)	1988
<b>Most Pass Attempts</b>	
Season: 478 (260 completions)	1988
<b>Passes Had Intercepted</b>	
Game: 6 vs. Austin Peay and Valdosta State	1986
Season: 25 (280 attempts, 115 completions)	1983
<b>Most TD Passes</b>	
Season: 133	1988
<b>Most Passes Without an Interception</b>	
Game: 46 vs. Livingston (Tied with JSU)	1986
<b>Most Punts</b>	
Game: 14 vs. Nicholls State	1975
<b>Most Field Goals Made</b>	
Game: 4 vs. Tennessee State	1976
4 vs. Troy State	1985
Season: 20 (26 attempts)	1988
<b>Yards on Interception Returns</b>	
Season: 485 (24 returns)	1976
<b>Interceptions Returned for TD</b>	
Season: 6	1976
<b>Individual</b>	
<b>Most Passing Attempts</b>	
Game: 54, Trey Sikes vs. Troy State (37 comp., 324 yards)	1986
Season: 424, Leon Reed (228 comp., 3,051 yards)	1988
<b>Most Completions</b>	
Game: 37, Trey Sikes vs. Troy State (54 attempts, 324 yards)	1986
Season: 228, Leon Reed (424 attempts, 3,051 yards)	1988
<b>Most Touchdown Passes</b>	
Season: 22, Leon Reed (tie with two)	1988
<b>Most Passing Yards</b>	
Season: 3,051, Leon Reed	1988
<b>Most Receptions</b>	
Game: 16, William Mackall vs. Delta State	1987
Season: 90, William Mackall	1987
Career: 225, William Mackall	1985-88
<b>Best Completion Percentage</b>	
Season: 63.7, (174-273) Leon Reed	1987
<b>Most Interceptions Thrown</b>	
Game: 5, Eric Bradner vs. Austin Peay and Valdosta State	1986

<b>Most Punts</b>	
Game: 14, David Brown vs. Nicholls State	1975
<b>Most Total Offense</b>	
Season: 3,227 yards, Leon Reed (3,051 pass, 176 rush)	1988
<b>Most Total Offense</b>	
Plays: 565 Leon Reed (141 rushes, 424 passes)	1988
<b>Most Points</b>	
Game: 24, Dwayne McKinney vs. Morris Brown (Tied with 16)	1980
<b>Field Goals Made</b>	
Game: 4, Mickey Hamilton vs. Tennessee State	1976
4, Keith Kasnic vs. Troy State	1985
Season: 20, Ki Tok Chu (26 attempts)	1988
<b>Consecutive Field Goals Made</b>	
Career: 14, Keith Kasnic	1982-83
<b>Most Field Goals Attempted</b>	
Season: 26, Ki Tok Chu (made 20)	1988
<b>Most Punt Returns</b>	
Game: 7, Jerry Reese vs. Fort Valley State (43 yards) (tied with 5)	1982
<b>Most Points Scored By Kicking</b>	
Season: 97, Ki Tok Chu	1988
<b>Most Kickoff Returns</b>	
Season: 39, Henry Allen	1986
<b>Yards Returned</b>	
Season: 759, Henry Allen	1986
Career: 70, William Mackall	1988
<b>Most Interceptions</b>	
Game: 4, Ernest Jackson vs. Livingston (tied with Terry Stephens, JSU)	1986
<b>Interception Yards Returned</b>	
Game: 100, Jimmy Randolph vs. Morehead State (tied with three)	1977
Season: 269, Clay Blaylack (8 int)	1976
Career: 344, Clay Blaylack (10 int)	1975-77
<b>Interception Touchdowns</b>	
Season: 4, Clay Blaylack	1976
<b>Longest Rush From Scrimmage</b>	
Game: 98, John Burch vs. Austin Peay	1987
<b>Long Kickoff Return</b>	
Game: 100, Tony Champion vs. West Georgia (tied with 5)	1983
<b>Long Interception Returns</b>	
Game: Jimmy Randolph vs. Morehead State	1976

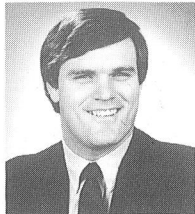
1988 GSC Statistics

1988 GSC Standings				PASSING OFFENSE						TOTAL DEFENSE							
Team	W-L-T	Overall		Team	PA	PC	HI	YDS	TDS	AVG	Team	G	PLAYS	YDS	AVG		
Tennessee-Martin	7-1-0	10-1-0		UTM	401	224	23	2991	23	271.9	JSU	10	592	2360	236.0		
Jacksonville State	7-1-0	9-1-0		VSC	265	144	14	2001	21	200.1	UTM	11	763	2903	263.9		
Mississippi College	7-1-0	9-2-0		LU	397	197	22	1991	5	181.0	MC	11	730	2914	264.9		
Valdosta State	4-3-1	6-3-1		DSU	258	126	8	1656	10	150.5	LU	11	745	3239	294.5		
Troy State	3-5-0	4-6-0		UNA	232	117	29	1487	7	148.7	DSU	11	716	3275	297.7		
West Georgia	3-5-0	4-6-0		TSU	170	77	15	1012	7	101.2	TSU	10	662	3044	304.4		
Delta State	2-5-1	4-6-1		MC	147	72	7	836	4	76.0	VSC	10	690	3074	307.4		
North Alabama	2-6-0	2-8-0		WGC	119	58	8	673	4	67.3	WGC	10	650	3363	336.3		
Livingston	0-8-0	0-11-0		JSU	101	47	4	658	4	65.8	UNA	10	690	3468	346.8		
SCORNG OFFENSE				RUSHING OFFENSE						PASSING DEFENSE							
Team	G	Pts	AVG	Team	ATT	GAIN	LOSS	NET	TDS	AVG	Team	PA	PC	HI	YDS	TDS	AVG
UTM	11	334	30.4	JSU	588	3008	289	2719	31	271.9	DSU	194	101	13	1160	3	105.5
JSU	10	291	29.1	TSU	542	2577	264	2313	12	231.3	LU	215	99	7	1330	10	120.9
VSC	10	234	23.4	MC	528	2495	265	2230	20	202.7	WGC	223	125	13	1398	8	139.8
TSU	10	215	21.5	WGC	472	1936	257	1679	11	167.9	UTM	289	121	16	1547	6	140.6
DSU	11	213	19.4	UNA	435	1853	242	1611	13	161.1	MC	283	150	17	1555	7	141.4
MC	11	212	19.3	DSU	482	1991	284	1707	16	155.3	VSC	242	112	14	1450	5	145.0
UNA	10	173	17.3	VSC	407	1743	284	1459	8	145.9	UNA	222	114	10	1518	14	151.8
WGC	10	130	13.0	UTM	376	1603	333	1270	16	115.5	JSU	252	131	13	1528	7	152.8
LU	11	127	11.5	LU	375	1111	351	760	10	69.1	TSU	286	137	20	1872	15	187.2
TOTAL OFFENSE				SCORING DEFENSE						RUSHING DEFENSE							
Team	G	PLAYS	YDS	AVG	Team	G	Pts	AVG	Team	ATT	GAIN	LOSS	NET	TDS	AVG		
UTM	11	777	4361	387.4	JSU	10	105	10.5	JSU	340	1113	281	832	6	83.2		
VSC	10	672	3460	346.0	MC	11	153	13.9	UTM	474	1758	402	1356	10	123.2		
JSU	10	689	3373	337.3	UTM	11	157	14.3	MC	447	1686	327	1359	9	123.6		
TSU	10	714	3325	332.5	TSU	10	184	18.4	TSU	565	1583	323	1260	7	126.0		
UNA	10	687	3098	309.8	DSU	11	214	19.5	VSC	448	1971	347	1624	21	162.4		
DSU	11	740	3363	305.7	VSC	10	200	20.0	LU	540	2247	338	1909	20	173.5		
MC	11	675	3066	278.7	WGC	10	208	20.8	DSU	522	2498	383	2115	23	192.3		
LU	11	772	2761	251.0	LU	11	287	26.1	UNA	468	2174	224	1950	20	195.0		
WGC	10	591	2352	235.2	UNA	10	282	28.2	WGC	427	2175	210	1965	19	196.5		

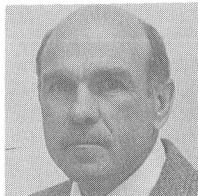
INDIVIDUAL PASSING								INDIVIDUAL TOTAL OFFENSE								
PLAYER, SCHOOL	G	PA	PC	HI	YDS	TDS	COMP/GAME	PLAYER, SCHOOL	G	PLAYS	RUSH	PASS	TOTAL	AVG		
Leon Reed, UTM	11	349	192	20	2679	21	17.5	Leon Reed, UTM	11	467	175	2679	2854	259.5		
Tye Cottle, VSC	10	202	143	13	1960	20	14.3	Tye Cottle, VSC	10	334	9	1960	1969	196.9		
Kenneth Jones, LU	10	266	139	15	1363	2	13.9	Tommy Compton, UNA	10	363	934	941	1875	187.5		
Alton Marshall, DSU	11	252	124	8	1641	10	11.3	Alton Marshall, DSU	11	262	73	1641	1714	155.8		
Bob Godsey, TSU	10	153	75	13	965	7	7.5	David Gulledege, JSU	10	262	822	638	1460	146.0		
INDIVIDUAL PASS RECEIVING								INDIVIDUAL RUSHING OFFENSE								
PLAYER, SCHOOL	G	PC	YDS	TDS	CATCHES/GAME			PLAYER, SCHOOL	G	ATT	GAIN	LOSS	NET	TDS	YPC	AVG
William Mackall, UTM	11	66	1020	7	6.0			Tommy Compton, UNA	10	205	1038	104	934	9	4.6	93.4
Randy Fisher, VSC	10	52	864	7	5.2			Terry Thomas, JSU	10	191	898	1	897	8	4.7	89.8
Troy Nelson, UNA	10	39	441	2	3.9			Brooks Benton, WGC	10	196	863	7	856	3	4.4	85.6
Kevin Lacastro, DSU	11	41	611	5	3.7			David Gulledege, JSU	10	173	1045	223	822	14	4.8	82.2
Brad Shaw, LU	11	36	223	2	3.3			Ramon Allen, VSC	10	155	821	41	780	6	5.0	78.0
John Burch, UTM	11	35	332	2	3.2			John Burch, UTM	11	168	881	23	858	6	5.1	78.0
INDIVIDUAL PUNT RETURNS								INDIVIDUAL PUNTING								
PLAYER, SCHOOL	RET	YDS			AVG			PLAYER, SCHOOL	PUNTS	YDS			AVG			
Nicky Edmondson, JSU	13	133			10.2			Wally Henry, MC	67	2809			41.9			
Edward Jackson, VSC	10	100			10.0			Craig Bryant, UNA	34	1322			38.9			
William Mackall, UTM	29	250			8.6			Joey Elmore, UTM	44	1663			37.8			
Ken Watson, LU	33	280			8.5			Mike Lilly, WGC	68	2568			37.8			
Kenny Eddenfield, TSU	11	77			7.0			Glenn Klava, TSU	52	1946			37.4			
								Keith Shumaker, DSU	64	2392			37.4			
INDIVIDUAL KICKOFF RETURNS								INTERCEPTIONS								
PLAYER, SCHOOL	RET	YDS			AVG			PLAYER, SCHOOL	INT	YDS						
Donnie Harrell, VSC	11	258			23.5			Doug Mims, TSU	8	165						
William Mackall, UTM	28	621			22.2			Kendall Simmons, WGC	6	68						
Troy Nelson, UNA	33	721			21.8			Roland Delaney, UTM	5	28						
Alfred Banks, LU	12	258			21.5			Donnie Milloy, MC	5	144						
Titus Dixon, TSU	21	451			21.5			Deon Searcy, VSC	5	11						
INDIVIDUAL SCORING								Greg Watkins, UTM								
PLAYER, SCHOOL	G	TDS	Ep1	Ep2	FG	TP	AVG									
David Gulledege, JSU	10	14	0	0	0	84	8.4									
Ki Tok Chu, UTM	11	0	35	0	17	86	7.8									
Ashley Kay, JSU	10	0	36	0	9	63	6.3									
Brian Wilson, TSU	10	0	18	0	14	59	5.9									
Jack McTyre, VSC	10	0	28	0	10	58	5.8									



1989 Opponents



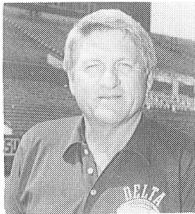
Mike Mahoney  
Murray State



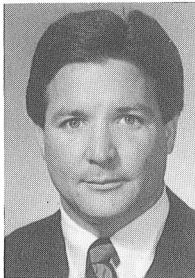
Paul Brewster  
Austin Peay



Mike Cavan  
Valdosta State



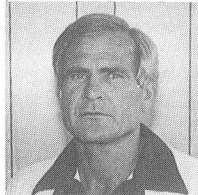
Don Skelton  
Delta State



Terry Bowden  
Samford



Robert Maddox  
Troy State



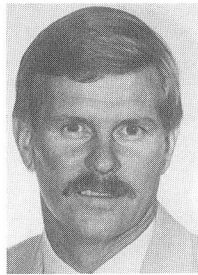
John Williams  
Miss. College



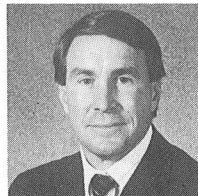
Bobby Wallace  
North Alabama



Bill Burgess  
Jacksonville St.



Sam McCorkle  
Livingston



Mac McWhorter  
West Georgia

Game 1

Murray State

Sept. 2, (Pacer Stadium)



7 p.m.

**Full Name:** Murray State University  
**Location:** Murray, Ky. 42071  
**Founded:** 1922  
**Enrollment:** 7,300  
**President:** Dr. Kala M. Stroup  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** Michael D. Strickland (Georgia Southern)  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division I-AA  
**Conference Affiliation:** Ohio Valley Conference  
**Nickname:** Racers  
**Colors:** Blue and Gold  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Roy Stewart Stadium (16,800)  
**Surface:** Artificial Turf  
**Head Coach:** Mike Mahoney (Southern Connecticut, 1974)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** 10-11 (2)  
**at Murray State (Seasons):** 10-11 (2)  
**1988 Record:** 4-6  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** 4-2 (tie-second)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Charlie Carpenter (Offensive Line), Rob Christophel (Quarterbacks), Ron Cooper (Defensive Coordinator, Secondary), Glynn Jones (Inside Linebackers), Bob Larson (Offensive Coordinator, Running Backs), Eric Roark (Receivers), "Rock" Roggemen (Defensive Ends)  
**Primary Offense:** Multiple  
**Primary Defense:** Wide Tackle Six  
**Lettermen Returning:** 44  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 8  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 5  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 41-0, 1971  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 24-0, 1979  
**Series Record:** UTM trails 13-8-1

1989 Schedule

Sept 2 at Tennessee-Martin  
Sept. 9 Western Kentucky  
Sept. 16 at North Texas  
Sept. 23 Southern Illinois  
Sept. 30 at Tennessee Tech  
Oct. 7 Morehead State  
Oct. 14 Tennessee-State\*  
Oct. 21 Akron  
Oct. 28 at Eastern Kentucky  
Nov. 11 at Middle Tennessee  
Nov. 18 Austin Peay

1988 Results

MSU	OPP
24 Tennessee-Martin	32
13 Southeast Missouri	16
21 Western Kentucky	28
13 Tennessee Tech	16
29 at Morehead State	22
22 Tennessee State	7
24 Eastern Kentucky	31
23 Middle Tennessee	22
19 Austin Peay	3

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Game 2

Austin Peay State

Sept. 9, (Pacer Stadium)



7 p.m.

**Full Name:** Austin Peay State University  
**Location:** Clarksville, Tenn. 37044  
**Founded:** 1927 Enrollment: 5,200  
**President:** Dr. Oscar C. Page  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** Tim Weiser  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division I-AA  
**Conference Affiliation:** Ohio Valley  
**Nickname:** Governors  
**Colors:** Red and White  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Municipal (10,000)  
**Surface:** Astro turf  
**Head Coach:** Paul Brewster (East Tennessee, 1958)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** 3-8 (1)  
**at Austin Peay State:** 3-8 (1)  
**1988 Record:** 3-8  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** 2-4 (tie-third)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Vic Shealey (offensive coordinator, backs), Everett Withers (defensive coordinator and secondary), Charles Coiner (defensive line), Al Starnes (inside linebackers), Chris Johannsen (offensive line)  
**Primary Offense:** Multiple one-back  
**Primary Defense:** Multiple fronts  
**Lettermen Returning:** 43  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 9  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 9  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 47-6, 1967  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 49-0, 1965  
**Series Record:** UTM Leads 16-15

1989 Schedule

Sept. 2 Eastern Illinois  
Sept. 9 at Tennessee-Martin  
Sept. 16 at Indiana State  
Sept. 23 Southwest Missouri  
Sept. 30 at Western Kentucky  
Oct. 7 at Eastern Kentucky  
Oct. 21 at Middle Tennessee  
Oct. 28 Morehead State  
Nov. 4 at Tennessee-State  
Nov. 11 Tennessee Tech  
Nov. 18 at Murray State

1988 Results

APS	OPP
20 Kentucky State	14
0 Eastern Illinois	44
7 Cincinnati	52
3 Western Kentucky	28
10 Eastern Kentucky	56
14 Toledo	38
0 Middle Tennessee	36
6 Morehead State	43
10 Tennessee Tech	6
3 Murray State	19

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Game 3

Valdosta State

Sept. 16, (Valdosta, Ga.)



12 noon, CDT

**Full Name:** Valdosta State College  
**Location:** Valdosta, Ga. 31698  
**Founded:** 1906  
**Enrollment:** 6,950  
**President:** Dr. Hugh C. Bailey  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** Mike Cavan (Georgia, 1972) and Tommy Thomas  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division II  
**Conference Affiliation:** Gulf South Conference  
**Nickname:** Blazers  
**Colors:** Red and Black  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Cleveland Field (11,738)  
**Surface:** Natural Grass  
**Head Coach:** Mike Cavan (Georgia, 1972)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** 21-9-1 (3)  
**at Valdosta State:** 21-9-1 (3)  
**1988 Record:** 6-3-1  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** 4-3-1 (fourth)  
**Assistant Coaches:** David McKnight (Asst. head coach, offensive coordinator), George Collins (Offensive Line), Bill Hyde (Defensive Coordinator), Greg McMahon (Secondary), David Elsenrath (Tight Ends), David Napert (Defensive Line)  
**Primary Offense:** "I"  
**Primary Defense:** Multiple  
**Lettermen Returning:** 31  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 6  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 8  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 13-9, 1988  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 38-6, 1984  
**Series Record:** UTM trails 4-1

1989 Schedule

Sept. 2 at Georgia Southern  
Sept. 9 at Central Florida  
Sept. 16 Tennessee-Martin  
Sept. 23 at Jacksonville State  
Sept. 30 Troy State  
Oct. 7 at Livingston  
Oct. 14 West Georgia  
Oct. 28 at Mississippi College  
Nov. 4 Delta State  
Nov. 11 at North Alabama

1988

VSC	Results	OPP
14 Fort Valley State	13	
9 Tennessee-Martin	13	
21 Jacksonville State	31	
21 Troy State	16	
20 Livingston	7	
17 West Georgia	14	
48 Central Florida	19	
21 Mississippi College	31	
28 Delta State	28	
35 North Alabama	28	

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Game 4

Mississippi College

Sept. 23, (Pacer Stadium)



7 p.m.

**Full Name:** Mississippi College  
**Location:** Clinton, Miss. 31698  
**Founded:** 1826  
**Enrollment:** 3,600  
**President:** Dr. Lewis Nobles  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** John M. Williams (Mississippi College, 1957)  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division II  
**Conference Affiliation:** Gulf South Conference  
**Nickname:** Choctaws  
**Colors:** Navy and Old Gold  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Robinson-Hale (9,000)  
**Surface:** Natural Grass  
**Head Coach:** John Williams (MC, 1957)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** 102-73-4 (17)  
**at Mississippi College (Seasons):** 102-73-4 (17)  
**1988 Record:** 9-3  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** 7-1 (tie-first)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Terry McMillan (Offensive Coordinator & Asst. Head Coach), Ricky Herzog (Defensive Line), Joel "Hap" Hudson (Defensive Line and Trainer), Charlie Coles (Defensive Coach), Laurin Collins (Receiver Coach)  
**Primary Offense:** Multiple  
**Primary Defense:** Multiple  
**Lettermen Returning:** 37  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 6  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 8  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 36-14, 1976  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 38-0, 1985  
**Series Record:** UTM trails 10-5

1989 Schedule

Sept. 2 at McNeese State  
Sept. 9 North Alabama  
Sept. 16 at Southeast Missouri  
Sept. 23 at Tennessee-Martin  
Sept. 30 Jacksonville State  
Oct. 7 at Troy State  
Oct. 14 Livingston (HC)  
Oct. 21 at West Georgia  
Oct. 28 Valdosta State  
Nov. 4 open  
Nov. 11 at Delta State

1988 Results

MC	Results	OPP
2 McNeese State	6	
42 North Alabama	35	
41 Southeast Missouri	13	
24 Tennessee-Martin	21	
0 Jacksonville State	10	
18 Troy State	12	
21 Livingston	10	
10 West Georgia	8	
31 Valdosta State	21	
16 Lamar	14	
7 Delta State	3	
15 Texas A & I	39	

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Game 5

Delta State

Sept. 30, (Cleveland, Miss.)



2 p.m.

**Full Name:** Delta State University  
**Location:** Cleveland, Miss. 38733  
**Founded:** 1924  
**Enrollment:** 3,700  
**President:** Dr. Kent Wyatt  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** Dr. Jim Jordan (South Carolina, 1964)  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division II  
**Conference Affiliation:** Gulf South Conference  
**Nickname:** Statesmen  
**Colors:** Green and White  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Travis E. Parker Field (8,000)  
**Surface:** Natural Grass  
**Head Coach:** Don Skelton (Delta State, 1963)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** 4-6-1 (1)  
**at Delta State (Seasons):** 4-6-1 (1)  
**1988 Record:** 4-6-1  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** 2-4-1 (sixth)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Todd Knight (Offensive Line), Clifton Ealy (Secondary), Ray Bridges, (Outside linebackers), Britt Stender (Wide Receivers), Joe Don Samples (Running backs)  
**Primary Offense:** Multiple  
**Primary Defense:** 50  
**Lettermen Returning:** 38  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 6  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 5  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 46-7, 1977  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 47-0, 1982  
**Series Record:** UTM trails 20-11

1989 Schedule

Sept. 9 at Southern Arkansas  
Sept. 16 at Nicholls State  
Sept. 23 at North Alabama  
Sept. 30 Tennessee-Martin  
Oct. 7 at Jacksonville State  
Oct. 14 Troy State  
Oct. 21 at Livingston  
Oct. 28 West Georgia  
Nov. 4 at Valdosta State  
Nov. 11 Mississippi College

1988 Results

DSU	OPP
15 Southern Illinois	28
28 Southern Arkansas	10
31 Henderson State	10
24 Delta State	27
17 Jacksonville State	24
24 Troy State	21
12 Livingston	11
28 West Georgia	33
28 Valdosta State	28
3 Mississippi College	7

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Game 6

North Alabama

Oct. 7 (Pacer Stadium)



2 p.m.  
**Full Name:** University of North Alabama  
**Location:** Florence, Ala. 35632  
**Founded:** 1872  
**Enrollment:** 5,000  
**President:** Dr. Robert Guillot  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** Bill Jones (UNA, 1958)  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division II  
**Conference Affiliation:** Gulf South Conference  
**Nickname:** Lions  
**Colors:** Purple and Gold  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Braly Municipal (14,500)  
**Surface:** Natural Grass  
**Head Coach:** Bobby Wallace (Mississippi State, 1976)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** 2-8 (1)  
**at North Alabama (Seasons):** 2-8 (1)  
**1988 Record:** 2-8  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** 2-6 (eighth)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Glenn Davis (Defensive backs), Ikey Fowler (Offensive Line), Randy Campbell (Quarterbacks), Bob Harris (Linebackers)  
**Primary Offense:** Multiple  
**Primary Defense:** 50  
**Lettermen Returning:** 37  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 4  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 7  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 35-7, 1970  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 51-7, 1969  
**Series Record:** UTM trails 16-12-1

**1989 Schedule**  
Sept. 2 at Alabama A & M  
Sept. 9 at Mississippi College  
Sept. 16 Albany State  
Sept. 23 Delta State  
Sept. 30 Central Florida  
Oct. 7 at Tennessee-Martin  
Oct. 14 Jacksonville State  
Oct. 21 at Troy State  
Oct. 28 Livingston  
Nov. 4 at West Georgia  
Nov. 11 Valdosta State

1988 Results	
UNA	OPP
16 Alabama A & M	17
35 Mississippi College	42
27 Delta State	24
33 Central Florida	35
14 Tennessee-Martin	38
3 Jacksonville State	38
7 Troy State	30
10 Livingston	7
0 West Georgia	16
28 Valdosta State	35
17 Valdosta State	16

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Game 7

Samford

Oct. 14 (Homecoming)



2 p.m.  
**Full Name:** Samford University  
**Location:** Birmingham, Ala. 35229  
**Founded:** 1841  
**Enrollment:** 4,100  
**President:** Dr. Thomas E. Corts  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** Steve Allgood (Samford)  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division I-AA  
**Conference Affiliation:** Independent  
**Nickname:** Bulldogs  
**Colors:** Crimson and Blue  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Seibert Stadium (6,700)  
**Surface:** Natural Grass  
**Head Coach:** Terry Bowden (West Virginia, 1978)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** 34-20 (4)  
**Record at Samford (Seasons):** 14-7 (2)  
**1988 Record:** 5-6  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** Independent  
**Assistant Coaches:** Jeff Bowden (Offensive Coordinator), Jack Hines (Defensive Coordinator), John Lee Armstrong (Running Backs), Todd Stroud (Defensive Line/Strength), Bob Stinchcomb (TBA), Tony Ierulli (TBA), (Linebackers), Mike Howard (TBA)  
**Primary Offense:** Pro I  
**Primary Defense:** Multiple 50  
**Lettermen Returning:** 34  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 6  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 7  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 45-13, 1988  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 14-13, 1959  
**Series Record:** Series tied 1-1-1

**1989 Schedule**  
Sept. 2 Jacksonville State  
Sept. 9 at McNeese State  
Sept. 16 Tennessee Tech  
Sept. 23 at Livingston  
Oct. 7 West Georgia  
Oct. 14 at Tennessee-Martin  
Oct. 28 Georgia Southern  
Nov. 4 at The Citadel  
Nov. 11 at Nicholls State  
Nov. 18 East Tennessee State

1988 Results	
SU	OPP
6 Jacksonville State	34
17 Nicholls State	43
19 Tennessee Tech	9
41 Livingston	20
18 Morehead State	17
14 West Georgia	17
13 Tennessee-Martin	45
30 Mars Hills	13
19 Emory & Henry	21
21 Georgia Southern	49
34 Miles	6

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Game 8

Jacksonville State

Oct. 21 (Jacksonville, Ala.)



2 p.m.  
**Full Name:** Jacksonville State University  
**Location:** Jacksonville, Ala. 36265  
**Founded:** 1883  
**Enrollment:** 7,500  
**President:** Dr. Harold McGee  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** Jerry Cole (Jacksonville State)  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division II  
**Conference Affiliation:** Gulf South Conference  
**Nickname:** Gamecocks  
**Colors:** Red and White  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Paul Snow Memorial (15,000)  
**Surface:** Natural Grass  
**Head Coach:** Bill Burgess (Auburn, 1963)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** 23-16-3 (4)  
**Record At Jacksonville State (Seasons):** 23-16-3 (4)  
**1988 Record:** 10-2  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** 7-1 (tied-first)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Eddie Carfinkle (Defensive Coordinator), Charlie Maniscalco (Offensive Coordinator), Roland Houston (Offensive Line), Mark Fleetwood (Running Backs), David Saunders (Secondary), Jay Brown (Tackles)  
**Primary Offense:** Wishbone  
**Primary Defense:** Eight-man front  
**Lettermen Returning:** 49  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 7  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 9  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 38-0, 1967  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 50-7, 1973  
**Series Record:** UTM trails 18-4

**1989 Schedule**  
Sept. 2 at Samford  
Sept. 9 Alabama A & M  
Sept. 16 at West Georgia  
Sept. 23 Valdosta State  
Sept. 30 at Mississippi College  
Oct. 7 Delta State  
Oct. 14 at North Alabama  
Oct. 21 Tennessee-Martin  
Nov. 4 at Troy State  
Nov. 11 Livingston

1988 Results	
JSU	OPP
34 Samford	6
24 Alabama A & M	14
30 West Georgia	0
31 Valdosta State	21
10 Mississippi College	0
24 Delta State	17
38 North Alabama	3
24 Tennessee-Martin	31
31 Troy State	3
45 Livingston	10
63 West Chester	24
13 Portland State	20

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Game 9

Troy State

Oct. 28, (Pacer Stadium)



2 p.m.  
**Full Name:** Troy State University  
**Location:** Troy, Ala. 36082  
**Founded:** 1887  
**Enrollment:** 12,000  
**President:** Ralph W. Adams  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** Robert E. Stewert (Ole Miss, 1964)  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division II  
**Conference Affiliation:** Gulf South Conference  
**Nickname:** Trojans  
**Colors:** Cardinal, Gray and Black  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Memorial (12,000)  
**Surface:** Natural Grass  
**Head Coach:** Robert Maddox (Troy State, 1977)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** 4-6 (1)  
**at Troy State (Seasons):** (1)  
**1988 Record:** 4-6  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** 3-5 (sixth)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Willie Slater, Johnny Williams, Mike O'Toole, George Fuller, David Stapleton, Clint McCrory, Mike Turk, Greg Stewart  
**Primary Offense:** Wishbone  
**Primary Defense:** 50-Overshift  
**Lettermen Returning:** 42  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 8  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 5  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 30-7, 1966  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 54-10, 1982  
**Series Record:** Series tied 12-12

**1989 Schedule**  
Sept. 9 at Livingston  
Sept. 16 Central Florida  
Sept. 23 West Georgia  
Sept. 30 at Valdosta State  
Oct. 7 Mississippi College  
Oct. 14 at Delta State  
Oct. 21 North Alabama  
Oct. 28 at Tennessee-Martin  
Nov. 4 Jacksonville State

1988 Results	
TSU	OPP
26 Southeast Missouri	13
28 Livingston	14
18 Central Florida	26
38 West Georgia	3
16 Valdosta State	21
12 Mississippi College	18
21 Delta State	24
30 North Alabama	7
23 Tennessee-Martin	27
3 Jacksonville State	31

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Game 10

Livingston

Nov. 4, (Livingston, Ala.)



1 p.m.  
**Full Name:** Livingston University  
**Location:** Livingston, Ala. 35470  
**Founded:** 1835  
**Enrollment:** 1,700  
**President:** Dr. Asa N. Green  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** Dr. Jim Pate (Delta State, 1964)  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division II  
**Conference Affiliation:** Gulf South Conference  
**Nickname:** Tigers  
**Colors:** Red and White  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Tiger Stadium (8,500)  
**Surface:** Natural Grass  
**Head Coach:** Sam McCorkle (Livingston 1973)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** 14-29-1, (4)  
**Record at Livingston: (Seasons):** 14-29-1, (4)  
**1988 Record:** 0-11  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** 0-8 (ninth)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Tim Moore (Defensive coordinator and line), Eric Shuman (Secondary), Harold Wells (Quarterbacks and receivers), Butch Caldwell (Offensive line)  
**Primary Offense:** Vanderbilt Passing Game  
**Primary Defense:** 4-4  
**Lettermen Returning:** 40  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 6  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 6  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 33-0, 1961  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 41-6, 1985  
**Series Record:** UTM Leads 13-10-1

**1989 Schedule**  
Sept. 2 East Texas State\*  
Sept. 9 Troy State  
Sept. 16 Elon  
Sept. 23 Samford  
Sept. 30 at West Georgia  
Oct. 7 Valdosta State  
Oct. 14 at Mississippi College  
Oct. 21 Delta State  
Oct. 28 at North Alabama  
Nov. 4 Tennessee-Martin  
Nov. 11 at Jacksonville State  
\*Mobile

1988 Results	
LU	OPP
14 East Texas State	25
14 Troy State	28
23 Elon	31
20 Samford	41
0 West Georgia	13
7 Valdosta State	20
10 Mississippi College	21
11 Delta State	12
7 North Alabama	10
11 Tennessee-Martin	41
10 Jacksonville State	45

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Game 11

West Georgia

Nov. 11, (Pacer Stadium)



1:00 p.m.\*  
**Full Name:** West Georgia College  
**Location:** Carrollton, Ga. 30118  
**Founded:** 1933  
**Enrollment:** 6,150  
**President:** Dr. Maurice Townsend  
**Athletic Director (Alma Mater):** Dr. Tom Virgets (SE Louisiana)  
**National Affiliation:** NCAA Division II  
**Conference Affiliation:** Gulf South Conference  
**Nickname:** Braves  
**Colors:** Red and Blue  
**Stadium: (Capacity):** Grisham (6,500)  
**Surface:** Natural Grass  
**Head Coach:** Mac McWhorter (Georgia, 1974)  
**Career Record (Seasons):** First season  
**1988 Record:** 4-6  
**1988 Conference Record (Finish):** 3-5 (tie-fifth)  
**Assistant Coaches:** Don Jacobs (Offensive Coordinator), Gary Otten (Offensive line), Barry Russell (Running backs), Ron Jurney (Defensive Coordinator), Ron Wright (Defensive Line), Cleve Pounds (Linebackers)  
**Primary Offense:** Multiple  
**Primary Defense:** Multiple  
**Lettermen Returning:** 33  
**Offensive Starters Returning:** 10  
**Defensive Starters Returning:** 4  
**Biggest UTM Win:** 59-6, 1957  
**Biggest UTM Loss:** 33-16, 1984  
**Series Record:** UTM Trails 3-4

**1989 Schedule**  
Sept. 2 at Wofford  
Sept. 9 at Georgia Southern  
Sept. 16 Jacksonville State  
Sept. 23 at Troy State  
Sept. 30 Livingston  
Oct. 7 at Samford  
Oct. 14 at Valdosta State  
Oct. 21 Mississippi College  
Oct. 28 at Delta State  
Nov. 4 North Alabama  
Nov. 11 at Tennessee-Martin

1988 Results	
WGC	OPP
14 Central Florida	33
0 Jacksonville State	30
3 Troy State	38
13 Livingston	0
17 Samford	14
14 Valdosta State	17
8 Mississippi College	10
33 Delta State	28
16 North Alabama	0
12 Tennessee-Martin	38

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UT Martin Football Records

Team Records

SCORING

Most Points Scored  
Game: 70 vs Millikin  
Season: 387 (1967)

Most Touchdowns Scored  
Game: 10 vs Millikin  
Season: 46 (1967)

TOTAL OFFENSE

Game: 543 vs Morris Brown (1980), 529 vs. Troy State (1988)  
Season: 4,428 (1977)

RUSHING

Most Net Yards Rushing  
Game: 390 vs North Alabama (1976)  
Season: 3,013 (1977)

Highest Rushing Average Per Game  
Season: 273.9 (1977)

Most Attempts  
Season: 678 (1977)

Most Yards Lost Rushing  
Season: 563 (1975)

PASSING

Most Net Yards  
Game: 362 vs Jacksonville State (1986)  
Season: 3,363 (1988, 13 games), 2,856 (1986)

Most Attempts  
Game: 54 vs Troy State (1986)  
Season: 478 (1988, 13 games), 447 (1986)

Most Completions  
Game: 37 vs Troy State (1986)  
Season: 251 (1986)

Most Passes Had Intercepted  
Game: 6 vs Austin Peay, Valdosta State (1986)  
Season: 26 (1985), 25 (1968, 1983)

Highest Passing Average Per Game  
Season: 259.6 (1986)

Most Touchdown Passes  
Game: 4 vs Delta State (1983), 4 vs North Alabama (1988)  
3 vs Livingston (1987) Livingston, West Georgia (1986), Jacksonville State, Mississippi College, Delta State (1981), Tennessee Tech (1980), Missouri Mines (1962, 63), Southeast Missouri (1967), Livingston (1964), Northwood (1968), Pensacola Navy '969), Arkansas State (1967), Millikin (1967)  
Season: 18 (1988)

PUNTING

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

Most Yards Punting  
Game: 455 vs Nicholls State (1974)  
Season: 3,241 (1983)

PUNT RETURNS

Most Returns  
Season: 43 (1976)

Most Return Yardage  
Game: 180 vs Bradley (1966)  
Season: 618 (1967)

KICKOFF RETURNS

Most Returns  
Game: 9 vs Jacksonville State (1973), Southeast Missouri (1986)  
Season: 52 (1986)

Most Return Yardage  
Game: 172 vs Southeast Missouri (1987)  
171 vs Bradley (1966)  
Season: 1,063 (1986)

INTERCEPTIONS

Game: 8 vs Troy State (1968)  
Season: 26 (1968)

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

Most Returned for Touchdowns  
Season: 6 (1976)

FUMBLES

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

DEFENSIVE MISCELLANEOUS

Fewest Points Yielded  
Season: 48 (1958)

Fewest Yards Allowed Rushing  
Game: -22 vs Livingston (1988)  
Season: 383 (1967)

Fewest Yards Allowed Passing  
Game: 7 Livingston (1982)  
Season: 734 (1971)

Individual Records

RUSHING

Most Attempts  
Game: 33, Bobby Fowler vs Harding (1956)  
Season: 225, Bobby Fowler (1959)  
Career: 703, Bobby Fowler (1956-59)

Most Yards Gained  
Game: 250, Bobby Fowler vs West Georgia (1957)  
Season: 1,058, Larry Washington (1976)  
1,054, Bobby Fowler (1959)  
Career: 4,033, Bobby Fowler (1956-59)

Most Touchdowns Scored  
Game: 5, Bobby Fowler vs West Georgia (1957)  
Season: 19, Bobby Fowler (1957) post-1960 9 Larry Shanks (1967)  
Career: 47, Bobby Fowler (1956-59)

PASSING

Most Attempts  
Game: 54, Trey Sikes vs Troy State (1986)  
Season: 424, Leon Reed (1988)  
Career: 745, Trey Sikes (1984-87)

Most Completions  
Game: 37, Trey Sikes vs Troy State (1986)  
Season: 228, Leon Reed (1988)  
Career: 402, Leon Reed (1987-88)

Most Yards Gained  
Game: 359, Leon Reed vs Mississippi College (1987)  
Season: 3,051, Leon Reed (1988)  
Career: 4,842, Leon Reed (1987-88)

Most Interceptions Thrown

Game: 5, Kelly Coker vs Livingston (1970)  
5, Eric Bradner vs Austin Peay and Valdosta State (1986)  
Season: 22, Leon Reed (1988); 20, Trey Sikes (1985)  
Career: 44, Trey Sikes (1984-87)

Best Completion Percentage

Season: Leon Reed 63.7 (174-273, 1987)  
Career: Leon Reed 57.7 (402-697, 1987-88)

Most Touchdown Passes

Game: 3, Vernon Prather vs Missouri Mines (1962), Allan Cox vs Southeast Missouri (1967), Billy Watson vs Missouri Mines (1967), Charles Wynn vs Livingston (1964), Errol Hook vs Northwood (1968), Kelly Coker vs Pensacola Navy (1969), Tommy Overton vs Tennessee Tech and Mississippi College (1980), Delta State (1981), David Carter vs Delta State (1983), Trey Sikes vs Livingston and West Georgia (1986), Leon Reed vs Livingston (1987), Troy State and North Alabama (1988)  
Season: 22, Leon Reed (1988)  
Career: 32, Leon Reed (1987-88); 27, Allan Cox (1965-68)

PASS RECEIVING

Most Receptions:

Game: 16, William Mackall vs Delta State (1987)  
Season: 90, William Mackall (1987)  
Career: 225, William Mackall (1985-88)

Most Yards Gained

Game: 283, William Mackall vs Troy State (1988)  
Season: 1,026, William Mackall (1988)  
Career:

Most Touchdown Receptions

Game: 3, William Mackall vs Troy State (1988)  
Season: 8, Dwayne McKinney (1980), Ronald George (1977)  
Career: 16, William Mackall (1985-88)

TOTAL OFFENSE

Game: 390, Leon Reed vs Troy State (1988)  
389, Leon Reed vs Mississippi College (1987)  
Season: 3,227, Leon Reed (1988)  
Career: 5,333, Leon Reed (1987-88)

Most Touchdowns Responsible For

Game: 5, Bobby Fowler vs West Georgia (1957)  
Season: 30, Leon Reed (1988)  
Career: 47, Bobby Fowler (1956-59); 44, Leon Reed (1987-88)

Most Points Responsible For

Game: 33, Bobby Fowler vs West Georgia (1957)  
26, Wilbur Edmiston vs Missouri Mines (1961)  
Season: 180, Leon Reed (1988)  
Career: 309, Bobby Fowler, (1956-59)

Most Plays Responsible For

Season: 565, Leon Reed (1988); 395, Leon Reed (1987)  
Career: 960, Leon Reed (1987-88)

PUNTING

Most Punts

Game: 14, David Brown vs Nicholls State (1975)  
Season: 86, David Brown (1973)  
Career: 207, Mark Williams (1978-81)

Most Yards Punting

Game: 455, Jim Valdes vs Nicholls State (1974)  
Season: 3,044, David Brown (1973)  
Career: 7,555, Mark Williams (1978-81)

Highest Punting Average

Game: 50.0, Gary Davis vs Delta State (1977)  
Season: 40.2, Joey Elmore (1986)  
Career: 39.1, David Carter (1982-83), 39.2, Jim Valdes (1971-74)

SCORING

Most Touchdowns

Game: 5, Bobby Fowler vs West Georgia (1957)  
Season: 19, Bobby Fowler (1959)  
Career: 47, Bobby Fowler (1956-59)

Most Extra Points Kicked

Game: 10, Lee Mayo vs Millikin (1967)  
Season: 40, Lee Mayo (1967)  
Career: 79, Ki Tok Chu (1986-A)

Most Extra Points Attempted

Game: 10, Lee Mayo vs Millikin (1967)  
Season: 43, Lee Mayo (1967)  
Career: 88, Ki Tok Chu (1986-A)

Field Goals Made

Game: 4, Mickey Hamilton vs Tennessee State (1976)  
Season: 20, Ki Tok Chu (1988)  
Career: 37, Keith Kasnic (1982-85)

Field Goals Attempted

Game: 5, Mickey Hamilton vs Tennessee State (1976)  
Season: 26, Ki Tok Chu (1988)  
Career: 60, Ki Tok Chu (1986-A)

Most Points Scored by Kicking

Game: 14, Mickey Hamilton vs Tennessee State (1976)  
Season: 97, Ki Tok Chu (1988)  
Career: 181, Ki Tok Chu (1986-A)

Consecutive Field Goals Made: 14, Keith Kasnic (1982-83)

PUNT RETURNS

Game: 7, Jerry Reese vs Fort Valley State (1982)  
Season: 32, William Mackall (1988)  
Career: 77, Jerry Reese (1981-84)

Most Return Yardage

Game: 180, Jim Wiggins vs Bradley (1966)  
Season: 509, Jim Wiggins (1967)  
Career: 872, Jim Wiggins (1966-68)

Highest Average Per Return

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

KICKOFF RETURNS

Most Returns

Game: 6, Henry Allen vs Southeast Missouri State (1986)  
6, Edmond Harris vs North Alabama (1974)  
Season: 39, Henry Allen (1986)  
Career: 56, William Mackall (1985-88)

Most Return Yardage

Game: 172, William Mackall vs Southeast Missouri (1987)  
171, Jim Wiggins vs Bradley (1966)  
Season: 759, Henry Allen (1986)  
Career: 1,623, William Mackall (1985-88)

INTERCEPTIONS

Game: 4, Mike Beeler vs Jacksonville State (1970)  
4, Ernest Jackson vs Livingston (1986)  
Season: 8, Clay Blalack (1976), Mike Beeler (1970), Don Jones (1969)  
7, Jerry Reese (1981)  
Career: 18, Mike Beeler (1968-71)  
18, Don Jones (1968-71)

Most Return Yardage

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

Most Returned for Touchdowns

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

TACKLES

Most Total Tackles

Game: 25, Terry Giltner vs McNeese State (1970)  
Season: 255, Terry Giltner (1970)  
Career: 401, Terry Giltner (1969-70)

Most Unassisted Tackles

Season: 168, Terry Giltner (1970)  
Career: 281, Terry Giltner (1969-70)

Most Assisted Tackles

Season: 87, Terry Giltner (1970)  
Career: 184, Emanuel McNeil (1985-88)



Career Leaders, Annual Leaders

Offensive

Total Offense

- 1. Leon Reed (1987-88) .....5,465
- 2. Trey Sikes (1984-87) .....4,497
- 3. Alvin Smalls (1975-78) .....4,116
- 4. Bobby Fowler (1956-59) .....4,033
- 5. Trey Sikes (1984-A) .....3,924
- 6. Allen Cox (1965-68) .....3,265
- 7. Tommy Overton (1979-81) .....2,566
- 8. Vernon Prather (1960-62) .....2,399
- 9. Henry Williams (1975-78) .....2,185
- 10. David Carter (1980-83) .....2,159
- 11. Kelly Coker (1969-71) .....2,034
- 12. Larry Shanks (1964-68) .....2,005

Rushing

- 1. Bobby Fowler (1956-59) .....4,033
- 2. John Burch (1985-88) .....2,454
- 3. Henry Williams (1975-78) .....2,185
- 4. Larry Shanks (1964-67) .....2,005
- 5. Nate Holmes (1969-72) .....2,004
- 6. Darrel Smith (1960-62) .....1,813
- 7. Larry Washington (1974-76) ....1,724
- 8. Bobby Hayes (1964-67) .....1,611
- 9. Wilbur Edmiston (1960-62) .....1,454
- 10. Everett DeVeaux (1979-81) .....1,390
- 11. Richard Giebeig (1975-78) .....1,301

Passing

- 1. Leon Reed (1987-88) .....4,842
- 2. Trey Sikes (1984-87) .....4,258

- 3. Allan Cox (1965-68) .....2,934
- 4. Alvin Smalls (1975-77) .....2,886
- 5. Tommy Overton (1979-81) .....2,449
- 6. Vernon Prather (1960-62) .....2,323
- 7. David Carter (1980-83) .....2,128
- 8. Kelly Coker (1969-71) .....1,835
- 9. Jimmy Wash (1979-80) .....1,557
- 10. Eric Bradner (1985-86) .....1,346
- 11. Shelton Zenon (1972-73) .....1,143

Career Receptions

- 1. William Mackall (1985-88) .....225
- 2. John Burch (1985-88) .....128
- 3. Joey Morris (1983-86) .....104
- 4. Trace Overton (1980-83) .....101
- 5. Dwayne McKinney (1979-82) ....100
- 6. Ronald George (1974-77) .....89
- 7. Dana Whitten (1969-72) .....77
- 8. Henry Allen (1986-87) .....76
- 9. Tony Champion (1981-84) .....72
- 10. Kenny Williams (1979-81) .....67
- 11. James Lane (1982-85) .....57
- 12. Grady Maddox (1970-73) .....56

Yards Receiving

- 1. William Mackall (1985-88) .....2,494
- 2. Dwayne McKinney (1979-82) ....1,793
- 3. Tony Champion (1981-84) .....1,531
- 4. Ronald George (1974-77) .....1,522
- 5. Joey Morris (1983-86) .....1,347
- 6. Trace Overton (1980-83) .....1,320
- 7. Dana Whitten (1969-72) .....1,288

- 8. John Burch (1985-88) .....1108
- 9. Antonio Perry (1984-88) .....901
- 10. Scott Boehring (1962-64) .....890
- 11. James Lane (1982-85) .....874
- 12. Henry Allen (1986-87) .....715
- 13. Kenny Williams (1979-81) .....711

Scoring

- 1. Bobby Fowler (1956-59) .....309
- 2. Ki Tok Chu (1986-A) .....181
- 3. William Mackall (1985-88) .....164
- 4. Keith Kasnic (1982-85) .....152
- 5. Wilbur Edmiston (1960-62) .....157
- 6. John Burch (1985-88) .....134
- 7. Mickey Hamilton (1973-76) .....131
- 8. Larry Shanks (1964-67) .....126
- 9. Henry Williams (1975-78) .....116
- 10. Dewayne McKinney (1979-82) ....114
- 11. Lee Mayo (1966-67) .....113
- 12. Michael Poteete (1977-80) .....112

Top Ten Interceptions

- 1. Mike Beller (1968-71) .....18
- 2. Don Jones (1969-71) .....17
- 3. Benny Thompson (1986-A) .....12
- 4. Jerry Reese (1981-84) .....12
- 5. Mark Carroll (1975-78) .....11
- 6. Clay Blalack (1975-77) .....10
- 7. David Williams (1975-77) .....9
- 8. Greg Watkins (1987-88) .....9
- 9. Randy Giltner (1972-73) .....8
- 10. Ernest Jackson (1984-88) .....8
- 11. Terry Butcher (1968-69) .....7

Total Offense Leaders			Annual Total Rushing Leaders			Annual Passing Leaders			Annual Receptions		
Name	Yards	Year	Name	Yards	Year	Name	Yards	Year	Name	Catches	Years
Bobby Fowler	1,054	1959	Bobby Fowler	1,054	1959	Vernon Prather	597	1960	Jim Love	20	1961
Vernon Prather	742	1961	Darrel Smith	582	1960	Vernon Prather	742	1961	Wally Bielewicz	16	1962
Vernon Prather	1,060	1962	Darrel Smith	700	1961	Vernon Prather	984	1962	Scott Boehringer	17	1963
Billy Watson	605	1963	Darrel Smith	523	1962	Vernon Prather	984	1962	Scott Boehringer	15	1964
Chuck Lewis	491	1964	Gene Brodie	399	1963	Charles Wynn	300	1964	Mack Moody	28	1965
Sandy Smith	621	1965	Chuck Lewis	484	1964	Sandy Smith	551	1965	Mack Moody	20	1966
Allan Cox	694	1966	Bobby Hayes	388	1965	Allan Cox	516	1966	Larry Shanks	15	1967
Allan Cox	1,233	1967	Larry Shanks	638	1966	Allan Cox	1,216	1967	Steve Allison	26	1968
Allan Cox	836	1968	Jim Wiggins	627	1966	Allan Cox	836	1968	Barry Reeves	25	1969
Glenn Lowe	635	1969	Larry Shanks	823	1967	Glenn Lowe	597	1969	Dana Witten	24	1970
Kelly Coker	750	1970	Duff Maki	375	1968	Kelly Coker	609	1970	Dana Witten	33	1971
Kelly Coker	926	1971	Nate Moore	654	1969	Kelly Coker	850	1971	Dana Witten	18	1972
Shelton Zenon	714	1972	Nate Holmes	707	1970	Shelton Zenon	630	1972	Grady Maddox	35	1973
Danny Walker	860	1973	Nate Holmes	767	1971	Danny Walker	762	1973	Ronald George	19	1974
Bill Staehs	963	1974	Nate Holmes	609	1972	Bill Staehs	567	1974	Ronald George	17	1975
Alvin Smalls	660	1975	Randy Cousar	633	1973	Alvin Smalls	1,006	1976	Ronald George	22	1976
Alvin Smalls	1,495	1976	Larry Washington	379	1974	Alvin Smalls	1,379	1977	Ronald George	31	1977
Alvin Smalls	1,961	1977	Henry Williams	575	1975	Sammy Bryant	274	1978	Ricky Murphy	12	1978
Sammy Bryant	964	1978	Larry Washington	1,058	1976	Sammy Bryant	274	1978	Freddie Hudson	16	1979
Evertt DeVeaux	703	1979	Henry Williams	683	1977	Jimmy Wash	467	1979	Dwayne McKinney	37	1980
Jimmy Wash	1,059	1980	Sammy Bryant	690	1978	Jimmy Wash	946	1980	Dwayne McKinney	11	1981
Tommy Overton	1,636	1981	Evertt DeVeaux	703	1979	Tommy Overton	1,636	1981	Tim Jackson	25	1982
Chris Ford	759	1982	Bart Dilday	411	1980	Chris Ford	706	1982	Tony Champion	39	1983
David Carter	1,240	1983	Evertt DeVeaux	296	1981	David Carter	1,193	1983	Joey Morris	27	1984
Kenny Golden	922	1984	Stanley Ladd	439	1982	Kenny Golden	627	1984	James Lane	31	1985
Trey Sikes	1,504	1985	Stanley Ladd	371	1983	Trey Sikes	1,466	1985	William Mackall	63	1986
Trey Sikes	1,554	1986	Stanley Ladd	303	1984	Trey Sikes	1,554	1986	William Mackall	90	1987
Leon Reed	2,106	1987	Cedric Hosea	388	1985	Eric Bradner	1,163	1986	William Mackall	67	1988
Leon Reed	3,359	1988	John Burch	530	1986	Leon Reed	1,791	1987			
			John Burch	796	1987	Leon Reed	3,051	1988			
			John Burch	1,002	1988						
Top Seasons			Top Seasons			Top Seasons			Top Seasons		
1. Leon Reed	3,359	1988	1. Larry Washington	1,058	1976	1. Leon Reed	3,051	1988	1. William Mackall	90	1987
2. Leon Reed	2,106	1987	2. Bobby Fowler	1,054	1959	2. Leon Reed	1,791	1987	2. William Mackall	67	1988
3. Alvin Smalls	1,961	1977	3. John Burch	1,002	1988	3. Tommy Overton	1,636	1981	3. William Mackall	63	1986
4. Tommy Overton	1,636	1981	4. Larry Shanks	823	1967	4. Larry Shanks	823	1967	4. Henry Allen	48	1987
5. Trey Sikes	1,554	1986	5. John Burch	796	1987	5. John Burch	796	1987	5. John Burch	47	1987
6. Trey Sikes	1,504	1985	6. Nate Holmes	767	1971	6. Nate Holmes	767	1971	6. John Burch	45	1988
7. Alvin Smalls	1,495	1976	7. Darrel Smith	708	1961	7. Darrel Smith	708	1961	7. Tony Champion	39	1983
8. David Carter	1,240	1983	8. Nate Holmes	707	1970	8. Nate Holmes	707	1970	8. Dwayne McKinney	37	1980
9. Allan Cox	1,233	1967	9. Evertt DeVeaux	703	1979						
10. Vernon Prather	1,060	1962									
11. Jimmy Wash	1,059	1980									

- 9. Andre Langley 35 1988
- 10. Grady Maddox 35 1973
- 11. Dana Witten 33 1971
- 12. John Burch 32 1986
- 13. Ronald George 31 1977
- 14. James Lane 31 1985
- 15. Mack Moore 28 1965

Annual Receiving Yards			Annual Scoring		
Name	Yards	Years	Name	Points	Year
Jim Love	288	1961	Wilbur Edmiston	64	1961
Wally Bielewiz	296	1962	Darrel Smith	39	1962
Scott Boehringer	332	1963	Gene Brodie	24	1963
Scott Boehringer	304	1964	Scott Boehringer	24	1963
Mack Moody	378	1965	Howard Finley	24	1963
Mack Moody	179	1966	Kenny Dixon	24	1964
Steve Allison	243	1967	Mack Moody	30	1965
Steve Allison	261	1968	Lee Mayo	37	1966
Barry Reeves	457	1969	Lee Mayo	76	1967
Dana Witten	409	1970	Tom Baker	36	1968
Dana Witten	516	1971	Nate Moore	42	1969
Dana Witten	352	1972	Nate Holmes	48	1970
Grady Maddox	400	1973	Nate Holmes	38	1971
Ronald George	320	1974	Shelton Zennon	24	1972
Ronald George	216	1975	Johnny Brundige	21	1973
Ronald George	363	1976	Larry Washington	24	1974
Ronald George	623	1977	Mickey Hamilton	34	1975
Ricky Murphy	154	1978	Mickey Hamilton	71	1976
Freddie Hudson	234	1979	Mike Poteete	49	1977
Dwayne McKinney	829	1980	Sammy Bryant	42	1978
Dwayne McKinney	548	1981	Bart Dilday	42	1979
Tony Champion	334	1982	Dwayne McKinney	72	1980
Tony Champion	768	1983	Dwayne McKinney	30	1981
Joey Morris	363	1984	Keith Kasnic	50	1982
James Lane	534	1985	Tony Champion	42	1983
William Mackall	655	1986	Keith Kasnic	34	1984
William Mackall	792	1987	Keith Kasnic	43	1985
William Mackall	1,026	1988	William Mackall	62	1986
			William Mackall	42	1987
			Ki Tok Chu	97	1988

Top Seasons			Top Seasons		
1. William Mackall	1,026	1988	1. Ki Tok Chu	97	1988
2. Dwayne McKinney	829	1980	2. Lee Mayo	76	1967
3. William Mackall	792	1987	3. Dwayne McKinney	72	1980
4. Tony Champion	768	1983	4. Mickey Hamilton	71	1976
5. William Mackall	655	1986	5. Wilbur Edmiston	64	1961
6. Ronald George	623	1977	6. John Burch	52	1988
7. Joey Morris	591	1986	7. Keith Kasnic	50	1982
8. Henry Allen	561	1987	8. Mike Poteete	49	1977
9. Dwayne McKinney	548	1981	9. Nate Holmes	48	1970
10. Andre Langley	553	1988	William Mackall	48	1988
			Leon Reed	48	1988

Annual Interceptions and Yards				Annual Leader Tackles, Assists, Total			
Name	Interceptions	Yards	Year	Name	Tackles	Assists	Total
Tommy Baker	7	---	1966	Terry Giltner	113	33	146
Robbie Smith	5	---	1967	Terry Giltner	168	87	255
Terry Butcher	5	---	1968				
Mike Beeler	5	---	1972				
Don Jones	8	62	1969				
Mike Beeler	8	59	1970	Mike Peebles	91	61	152
Don Jones	5	163	1971	Danny Watkins	79	64	143
Bob Schweter	4	11	1972	Gary Ihnen	46	52	98
Randy Giltner	4	162		Greg Magee	49	61	110
Randy Giltner	4	58	1973	Jerry Reese	44	55	99
Hunter Carter	4	0		Charles Cavaness	43	61	101
Brian Arquist	3	9	1974	Paul Randolph	55	69	124
Gary Guthrie	4	4	1975	Emanuel McNeil	54	76	130
Clay Blalack	8	269	1976	Emanuel McNeil	74	47	121
Jimmy Randolph	4	154	1977				
Charlie Williams	3	85	1978				
Kevin Lamb	2	39	1979				
Mike Chinn	2	25					
Barry Dixon	2	5					
Russ Greer	2	18	1980				
Billy Wilkins	2	0					
Barry Joyce	4	30	1981				
Jerry Reese	7	75	1982				
Fred Tharpe	2	17	1983				
Paul Williams	2	18					
Ernest Jackson	2	90	1984				
Charles Caveness	2	53					
Several Tied	1		1985				
Ernest Jackson	5	23	1986				
Benny Thompson	5	39	1986				
Greg Watkins	4	32	1987				
Paul Randolph	4	27	1987				
Greg Watkins	5	101	1988				
Roland Delaney	5	28	1988				





Statistic Superlatives

100-Yard Rushing Games

\*Since 1966 as available, list incomplete some years, does not include school-record performance of Bobby Fowler 250 vs. West Georgia in 1958.

197	John Burch vs. West Georgia, 1987
173	John Burch vs. Austin Peay, 1987
164	Nate "Nat" Moore vs. McNeese State, 1969
162	Larry Washington vs. Delta State, 1976
158	Nate Holmes vs. Austin Peay, 1971
156	Jim Wiggins vs. North Alabama, 1966
153	Bobby Hayes vs. Jacksonville State, 1967
148	Larry Washington vs. Tennessee State, 1976
145	Everett DeVeaux vs. Livingston, 1979
142	Jim Wiggins vs. Middle Tennessee, 1967
140	Larry Washington vs. North Alabama, 1976
135	John Burch vs. Troy State, 1988
137	Larry Shanks vs. Jacksonville State, 1967
136	Nate "Nat" Moore vs. Parson, 1969
134	Larry Shanks vs. Southeast Missouri, 1967
131	Larry Shanks vs. North Alabama, 1967
131	Alvin Smalls vs. Murray State, 1976
128	Alvin Schomaker vs. North Alabama, 1970
127	Michael Gipson vs. Jacksonville State, 1977
126	Nate Holmes vs. Delta State, 1971
125	Larry Shanks vs. Austin Peay, 1966

UTM's Longest Plays

Rushing Play

98 yards	John Burch vs. Austin Peay, 1987
86 yards	Bobby Fowler vs. Delta State, 1958
80 yards	Nate "Nat" Moore vs. Parsons, 1969
78 yards	Jim Wiggins vs. Bradley, 1966

Pass Play

98 yards	Leon Reed to William Mackall vs. Troy State, 1988
80 yards	Vernon Prather to Wilbur Edmiston vs. North Alabama, 1960
	Trey Sikes to Antonio Perry vs. Lane, 1985

Punt

69 yards	Gene Sides vs. West Chester State, 1967
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Field Goal

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

Punt Return

88 yards	Mike Beeler vs. Tennessee Tech, 1971
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Kickoff Return

100 yards	Tony Champion vs. West Georgia, 1983
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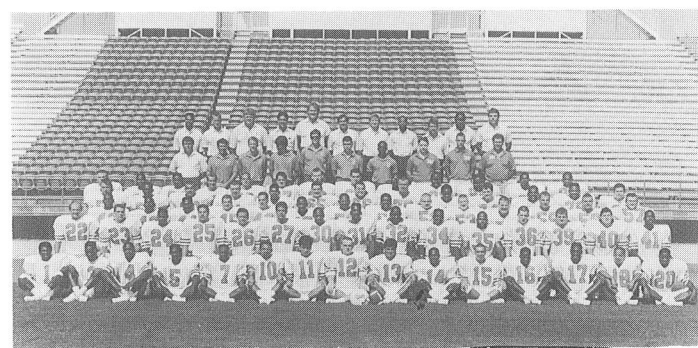
Interception Return

100 yards	Jimmy Randolph vs. Morehead State, 1977
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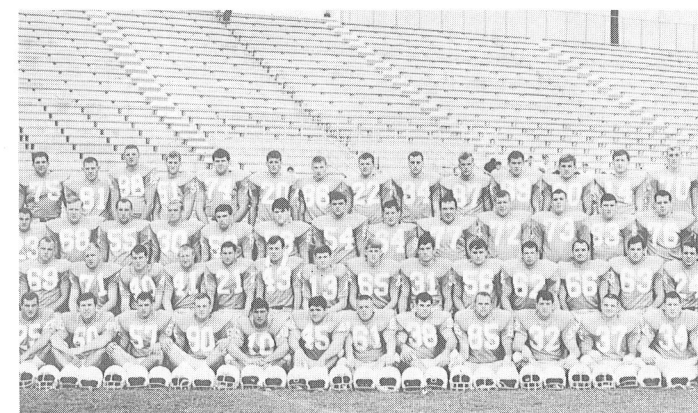
121	Larry Shanks vs. Troy State, 1966
121	Jim Wiggins vs. Troy State, 1967
118	Ron Schomaker vs. Livingston, 1970
116	John Burch vs. Murray State, 1988
115	Larry Shanks vs. Bradley, 1966
113	Jim Wiggins vs. Bradley, 1966
112	John Burch vs. Delta State, 1986
112	George Dominguez vs. North Alabama, 1972
110	Larry Shanks vs. Delta State, 1967
110	Stanley Ladd vs. Murray State, 1982
108	Bart Dilday vs. Delta State, 1979
108	Larry Washington vs. Nicholls State, 1976
106	Mike Ray vs. Austin Peay, 1982
106	Larry Washington vs. Jacksonville State, 1976
104	Nate Holmes vs. Delta State, 1970
104	Larry Shanks vs. Murray State, 1966
103	Larry Shanks vs. Arkansas College, 1967

UTM's 300-yard Passing Games

359	Leon Reed vs. Mississippi College, 1987
353	Trey Sikes vs. Jacksonville State, 1986
350	Trey Sikes vs. Livingston, 1986
347	Leon Reed vs. Livingston, 1987
343	Leon Reed vs. Troy State, 1988
329	Leon Reed vs. Jacksonville State, 1988
324	Trey Sikes vs. Troy State, 1986
309	Tommy Overton vs. Livingston, 1981
309	Leon Reed vs. Mississippi College, 1988



1988 Gulf South Conference Tri-Champions  
NCAA Division II Quarterfinalists



1967 Tangerine Bowl, College Division Atlantic Coast Champions

Results

1952 (3-4-0)	James Henson
Itawamba . . . . .	W 14-7
Bethel . . . . .	W 19-13
Union . . . . .	L 7-38
NW Mississippi JC . . . . .	L 13-33
Fort Campbell . . . . .	W 0-27
NE Mississippi JC . . . . .	W 21-13
Tennessee Wesleyan . . . . .	L 7-20

1953 (2-5-0)	James Henson
Itawamba . . . . .	L 0-13
Sewanee B . . . . .	W 6-0
NE Mississippi JC . . . . .	L 14-26
NW Mississippi JC . . . . .	W 19-7
Memphis Navy . . . . .	L 0-33
Little Rock JC . . . . .	W 7-38
Tennessee Wesleyan . . . . .	L 7-20

1954 (2-6-0)	James Henson
Scooba . . . . .	W 7-0
Itawamba . . . . .	L 0-14
Tennessee Wesleyan . . . . .	W 19-13
NW Mississippi JC . . . . .	L 13-19
William Carey . . . . .	L 13-33
Little Rock JC . . . . .	L 7-39
NE Mississippi JC . . . . .	L 16-32
Memphis Navy . . . . .	L 6-23

1955 (2-5-1)	James Henson
Columbia Military . . . . .	W 9-6
NE Mississippi JC . . . . .	L 6-19
Memphis State B . . . . .	L 6-26
Tennessee Wesleyan . . . . .	T 6-6
NW Mississippi JC . . . . .	L 13-14
Baylor-Chattanooga . . . . .	L 7-13
Sewanee B . . . . .	W 33-10
Memphis Navy . . . . .	L 6-13

1956 (4-4-0)	James Henson
Baylor-Chattanooga . . . . .	L 0-34
NE Mississippi JC . . . . .	L 7-31
Columbia Military . . . . .	W 35-0
NW Mississippi JC . . . . .	W 20-12
Arkansas State B . . . . .	L 12-20
Redstone Arsenal . . . . .	W 41-21
Memphis State B . . . . .	W 27-14
Memphis Navy . . . . .	L 6-13

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

1958 (7-0-1)	Bob Carroll
Georgetown . . . . .	W 33-7
Arkansas Teachers . . . . .	W 7-6
Tennessee Tech B . . . . .	W 20-0
Hendrix . . . . .	W 34-0
Ozark . . . . .	W 32-7
Howard . . . . .	T 14-14
Delta State . . . . .	W 14-0
Memphis Navy . . . . .	W 16-14

1959 (4-4-0)	Bob Carroll
Arkansas Teachers . . . . .	L 0-13
Livingston . . . . .	W 14-4
Delta State . . . . .	L 0-33
Harding . . . . .	W 33-13
Howard . . . . .	L 13-14
Georgetown . . . . .	L 14-23
Memphis Navy . . . . .	W 26-6
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 21-10

1960 (7-3-0)	Bob Carroll
Memphis Navy . . . . .	W 35-0
Arkansas Teachers . . . . .	L 6-19
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 13-7
Missouri Mines . . . . .	W 20-12

Livingston . . . . .	W 14-12
Millsaps . . . . .	W 55-6
Delta State . . . . .	L 8-34
Carson Newman . . . . .	W 26-21
Troy State . . . . .	W 21-16
Florence State . . . . .	L 20-21

1961 (4-5-0)	Bob Carroll
Arkansas Teachers . . . . .	L 8-15
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 14-7
Missouri Mines . . . . .	W 55-22
Murray State . . . . .	L 15-25
Livingston . . . . .	W 33-0
Delta State . . . . .	L 8-22
Carson Newman . . . . .	L 8-10
Troy State . . . . .	W 22-8
Florence State . . . . .	L 14-17

1962 (6-3-0)	Bob Carroll
Arkansas Teachers . . . . .	W 13-6
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 16-0
Missouri Mines . . . . .	W 26-18
Murray State . . . . .	L 12-15
Livingston . . . . .	L 12-15
Delta State . . . . .	W 19-18
Carson Newman . . . . .	W 22-0
Troy State . . . . .	W 27-6
Florence State . . . . .	L 8-31

1963 (5-5-0)	Bob Carroll
Harding . . . . .	W 19-7
Arkansas Teachers . . . . .	L 6-13
MTSU . . . . .	L 14-21
Missouri Mines . . . . .	W 32-7
Livingston . . . . .	W 9-7
Murray State . . . . .	L 8-19
Delta State . . . . .	L 8-21
Troy State . . . . .	W 7-0
Florence State . . . . .	L 27-2
Austin Peay . . . . .	L 2-20

1964 (4-5-1)	Bob Carroll
Harding . . . . .	W 28-0
Arkansas Teachers . . . . .	L 0-7
MTSU . . . . .	T 0-0
Missouri Mines . . . . .	W 26-6
Livingston . . . . .	W 26-14
Murray State . . . . .	L 14-32
Delta State . . . . .	L 0-17
Troy State . . . . .	W 12-9
Florence State . . . . .	L 0-8
Austin Peay . . . . .	L 0-35

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

1966 (5-5-0)	Bob Carroll
Arkansas Teachers . . . . .	L 14-17
MTSU . . . . .	L 3-10
Delta State . . . . .	L 3-7
Southeast Missouri . . . . .	W 17-14
Northwest Louisiana . . . . .	L 7-26
Bradley . . . . .	W 40-0
Murray State . . . . .	W 16-12
Troy State . . . . .	W 30-7
Florence State . . . . .	W 24-18
Austin Peay . . . . .	L 13-17

1967 (10-1-0)	Bob Carroll
Murray State . . . . .	W 16-9
Millikin . . . . .	W 70-0
Southeast Missouri . . . . .	W 39-0
Jacksonville State . . . . .	W 38-0
Delta State . . . . .	L 18-19

MTSU . . . . .	W 44-36
Troy State . . . . .	W 20-12
Florence State . . . . .	W 22-0
Arkansas Teachers . . . . .	W 48-14*
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 47-6
West Chester State* . . . . .	W 25-6

\*Tangerine Bowl  
NCAA College Division Atlantic Coast Champions

1968 (3-5-1)	Bob Carroll
Murray State . . . . .	T 7-7
McNeese State . . . . .	L 0-16
Mich.-Northwood . . . . .	W 64-0
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 12-16
Delta State . . . . .	W 29-20
MTSU . . . . .	L 18-24
Troy State . . . . .	W 12-3
Florence State . . . . .	L 17-36
Austin Peay . . . . .	L 7-9

1969 (3-6-0)	Bob Carroll
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 7-6
Quantico Marines . . . . .	L 14-29
McNeese State . . . . .	L 15-17
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 20-22
Parsons . . . . .	W 31-6
Delta State . . . . .	L 6-28
Pensacola Navy . . . . .	W 25-9
Troy State . . . . .	L 13-23
Florence State . . . . .	L 7-51

1970 (7-3-0)	Bob Carroll
MTSU . . . . .	L 7-28
McNeese State . . . . .	W 10-7
Tennessee Tech . . . . .	L 6-17
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 14-16
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 22-21
Delta State . . . . .	W 17-13
Pensacola Navy . . . . .	W 30-0
Troy State . . . . .	W 23-9
Florence State . . . . .	W 35-7
Livingston . . . . .	W 29-14

1971 (5-5-0)	Bob Carroll
MTSU . . . . .	W 28-0
McNeese State . . . . .	L 20-24
Tennessee Tech . . . . .	L 7-10
Murray State . . . . .	W 41-0
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 17-3
Delta State . . . . .	W 17-12
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 10-30
Troy State . . . . .	L 0-21
Florence State . . . . .	W 20-7
Livingston . . . . .	L 7-28

1972 (1-9-0)	Bob Carroll
MTSU . . . . .	L 3-30
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 6-20
Tennessee Tech . . . . .	L 10-13
Murray State . . . . .	L 7-14
Austin Peay . . . . .	L 6-18
Delta State . . . . .	L 12-24
Nicholls State . . . . .	L 15-18
Troy State . . . . .	L 23-28
Florence State . . . . .	W 21-16
Livingston . . . . .	L 6-35

1973 (2-8-1)	Bob Carroll
Nicholls State . . . . .	L 0-7
MTSU . . . . .	L 0-7
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 7-50
Tennessee Tech . . . . .	L 9-16
Murray State . . . . .	L 10-21
Eastern Kentucky . . . . .	L 14-16
Delta State . . . . .	L 10-28
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 26-0
Troy State . . . . .	L 0-30
Florence State . . . . .	W 17-16
Livingston . . . . .	T 7-7

1974 (2-9-0)	Bob Carroll
Nicholls State . . . . .	L 14-16
Southeast Louisiana . . . . .	L 13-44
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 0-17
Mississippi College* . . . . .	W 7-23
Murray State . . . . .	L 6-14
Eastern Kentucky . . . . .	L 9-24
Delta State . . . . .	L 0-29
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 31-26
Troy State . . . . .	L 35-47
North Alabama . . . . .	L 10-42
Livingston . . . . .	L 7-28

\*UTM won by forfeit.

1975 (2-8-0)	George MacIntyre
Nicholls State . . . . .	L 0-23
Southeast Louisiana . . . . .	W 23-7
Mississippi College . . . . .	L 10-14
Murray State . . . . .	L 10-17
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 3-11
Delta State . . . . .	L 3-13
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 24-15
Troy State . . . . .	L 0-17
North Alabama . . . . .	L 20-30
Livingston . . . . .	L 7-17

1976 (8-3-0)	George MacIntyre
Southeast Louisiana . . . . .	L 12-28
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 24-20
MTSU . . . . .	W 38-3
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 3-24
Mississippi College . . . . .	W 36-14
Murray State . . . . .	W 24-0
Nicholls State . . . . .	L 0-3
Delta State . . . . .	W 42-25
North Alabama . . . . .	W 31-7
Tennessee State . . . . .	W 26-21
Morehead State . . . . .	W 40-0

1977 (8-3-0)	George MacIntyre
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 23-10
MTSU . . . . .	W 27-0
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 13-36
Mississippi College . . . . .	L 24-27
Murray State . . . . .	W 31-20
Nicholls State . . . . .	W 34-0
Delta State . . . . .	W 46-7
North Alabama . . . . .	W 31-13
Tennessee State . . . . .	L 7-55
Morehead State . . . . .	W 49-7
Livingston . . . . .	W 26-10

1978 (2-8-0)	Vester Newcomb
Austin Peay . . . . .	L 14-21
MTSU . . . . .	W 28-17
Jacksonville State . . . . .	L 15-44
Mississippi College . . . . .	L 7-21
Murray State . . . . .	L 7-21
Morehead State . . . . .	W 23-9
Delta State . . . . .	L 14-42
North Alabama . . . . .	L 17-38
Nicholls State . . . . .	L 3-7
Livingston . . . . .	L 17-21

1979 (5-5-0)	Vester Newcomb
Austin Peay . . . . .	L 7-34
MTSU . . . . .	W 31-23
Jacksonville State . . . . .	W 15-14
Mississippi College . . . . .	W 13-10
Murray State . . . . .	L 0-24
Morehead State . . . . .	L 0-7
Delta State . . . . .	L 27-28
North Alabama . . . . .	W 10-9
Nicholls State . . . . .	L 7-15
Livingston . . . . .	W 23-18

1980 (4-7-0)	Lynn Amedee
Arkansas State . . . . .	L 9-29
Austin Peay . . . . .	W 24-20
Troy State . . . . .	L 0-38
Livingston . . . . .	L 6-7
Tennessee Tech . . . . .	L 28-30



Results, Records

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Murray State, Morris Brown, Mississippi College, North Alabama, Jacksonville State, Delta State.

1981 (4-7-0) Lynn Amedee. Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Troy State, MTSU, Livingston, Tennessee Tech, Murray State, Southeast Louisiana, Mississippi College, North Alabama, Jacksonville State, Delta State, Austin Peay.

1982 (5-6-0) Fred Pickard. Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Fort Valley State, Austin Peay, Livingston, Tennessee Tech, Murray State, North Alabama, Mississippi College, Troy State, Jacksonville State, Delta State, Kentucky State.

1983 (4-7-0) Fred Pickard. Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Arkansas State, Austin Peay, MTSU, Livingston, West Georgia, North Alabama, Mississippi College, Troy State, Jacksonville State, Delta State, Lane.

1984 (2-8-1) Fred Pickard. Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Austin Peay, Arkansas State, Valdosta State, Mississippi College, Delta State, North Alabama, Southeast Missouri, Jacksonville State, Troy State, Livingston, West Georgia.

1985 (1-10) Fred Pickard. Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Lane, Austin Peay, Southeast Missouri, Valdosta State, Mississippi College, Delta State, North Alabama, Jacksonville State, Troy State, Livingston, West Georgia.

1986 (3-8) Don McLeary. Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Lane, Austin Peay, Southeast Missouri, Valdosta State, Mississippi College, Delta State, North Alabama, Jacksonville State, Troy State, Livingston, West Georgia.

1987 (5-6) Don McLeary. Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Murray State, Austin Peay, Southeast Missouri, Valdosta State, Mississippi College, Delta State, North Alabama, Jacksonville State, Troy State, Livingston, West Georgia.

1988 (11-2) Don McLeary. Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Murray State, Henderson State, Valdosta State, Miss. College, Delta State (HC), North Alabama, Samford, Jacksonville State, Troy State, Livingston, West Georgia, Butler, Texas A & I, Gulf South Conference Tri-Champions.

Pacers Against Opponents\*

Table with 5 columns: Team, Wins, Losses, Ties. Rows include Arkansas State B, Arkansas State, Arkansas Teachers, Austin Peay, Baylor-Chattanooga, Bethel, Bradley, Butler, Carson Newman, Columbia Military, Delta State, East Mississippi JC, Eastern Kentucky, Fort Campbell, Fort Valley State, Georgetown, Harding, Henderson State, Hendrix, Itawamba, Jacksonville State, Kentucky State, Lane, Little Rock JC, Livingston, McNeese State, Marion Institute, Memphis Navy, Memphis State B, Michigan-Northwood, Millikin, Millsaps, Mississippi College, Missouri Mines, Morehead State, Morris Brown, Middle Tennessee State, Murray State, Nicholls State, North Alabama\*\*, Northeast Mississippi JC, Northwest Louisiana, Northwest Mississippi JC, Ozaik, Parsons, Pensacola Navy, Quantico Marines, Redstone Arsenal, Samford, Scooba, Sewanee B, Southeast Louisiana, Southeast Missouri State, Tennessee State, Tennessee Tech B, Tennessee Tech, Tennessee Wesleyan, Texas A & I, Troy State, Union, Valdosta State, West Chester State, West Georgia, William Carey.

\*RECORDS AS A FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION \*\*Known as Florence State Prior to 1974

UT Martin's Biggest. . .

Table with 5 columns: Wins, Losses, Team, Year. Rows include Millikin, Michigan-Northwood, West Georgia, Lane, Millsaps, Morehead State, Murray State, Austin Peay, Morehead State, Bradley, Southeast Missouri, Delta State, Hendrix (Ark.), Jacksonville State, Middle Tennessee.

Football Personnel Inducted in UT Martin Athletics Hall of Fame

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

Table with 4 columns: Name, Year. Rows include Robert Carroll, Bobby Fowler, H. Kirk Grantham, Frank Taylor, Hugh Lashlee, Clifton Pritchett, Paul Reddick, Lionel Barrett, Gordon Lambert, Ralph Rutland, George Horton, Marvin Long, Mark Luttrell, Darrel Smith, Elmer Vaughn, T.H. "Skeeter" Ellis, Bobby Hayes, Vernon Prather, Larry Shanks, Wilbur Edmiston, Nate Holmes, Jim Love, Roland McMackin, Gary Doble, Charles G. Gordon, Ron Lewellen, Halliday T. Short, Joe Taffoni.

Pacer Captains

Table with 2 columns: Year, Captain(s). Rows include 1952-1970 and 1971-1988.

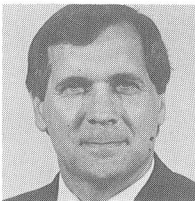
Pacers in the Pros

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

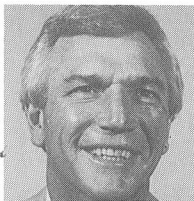
Table with 4 columns: Player, Pos., Team, Years. Rows include Romel Andrews, John Burch, Hunter Carter, Tony Champion, Ed Cochran, Mike Crangle, Sam Dudley, Bobby Fowler, Ronald George, Mark Guy, Mickey Hamilton, Bobby Hayes, Nate Holmes, Cedric Hosea, Ernest Jackson, Gordon Lambert, Andre Langley, Ron Lewellen, William Mackall, Emanuel McNeil, Paul Manard, Julian Nunamaker, Terry Peppers, Jimmy Randolph, Paul Randolph, Leon Reed, Jerome Rinehart, Gene Sides, Joe Taffoni, Jim Thornhill, Larry Washington, David Watkins, David Williams, Dana Witten.

Assistant Coaches

Table with 2 columns: Year, Coach(s). Rows include 1947-53, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957-58, 1959-64, 1965-68, 1969-74, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988.



Don McLeary



Bob Carroll

Career Coaching Records

Table with 4 columns: Coach, Year, Wins, Losses. Rows include Don McLeary, Fred Pickard, Lynn Amedee, Vester Newcomb, George MacIntyre, Bob Carroll, James Henson.



Honors

UT Martin All-Americans

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

All-Gulf South Conference

1971	Nate Holmes, RB Terry Peppers, C Dana Witten, E Mike Beeler, DB	1977	Alvin Smalls, QB David Williams, DB Larry Newcomb, OT* Danny Watkins, LB* Jack Chaney, DE* Ronald George, WR*		Matt Klaren, DE Terry Meardith, DT Randy Warren, OG* David Valletto, DB*	1987	William Mackall, WR Emanuel McNeil, DT Paul Randolph, LB Grady Andrews, OL* Levon Johnson, DB* Leon Reed, QB*
1972	Randy Barnes, PK Jay Johnson, DE			1982	Tony Champion, WR* Keith Kasnic, PK* Jerry Reese, DB* Gary Ihnen, LB* Matt Klaren, DE*		
1973	Eddie Cox, OG	1978	Henry Williams, RB* Jack Chaney, DE*			1988	Grady Andrews, OG William Mackall, WR William Mackall, RS Emanuel McNeil, DT# Leon Reed, QB# John Burch, RB* James Monds, LB* Greg Watkins, DB*
1974	Johnny Wright, OT	1979	Matt Klaren, DE Terry Meardith, DT Henry Aaron, TE* Charlie Walker, DB* Perry Murphy, DE* Glen Wilson, DT*	1983	Keith Kasnic, PK Greg Magee, LB David Carter, P*		
1975	David Williams, DB Gar Guthrie, DB* Danny Watkins, LB* Danny Rogers, DT*			1984	Jerry Reese, DB*		
1976	Larry Washington, RB Jon Gentry, C Mickey Hamilton, PK David Williams, DB Clay Blalack, DB Danny Watkins, LB Alvin Small, QB* Dana Pecor, OG*	1980	Gary Hawkinson, OG Kenny Williams, TE Terry Meardith, DT Matt Klaren, DE*	1985	Keith Kasnic, PK*		Coach of the Year 1988, Don McLeary
		1981	Kenny Williams, DE Dwayne McKinney, WR	1986	Tony Burton, OT* Ki Tok Chu, PK* William Mackall, WR* Orlando Miles, LB* Paul Randolph, LB*		#Player of the Year *Second Team

Pacer Club



Col. George Freeman  
President

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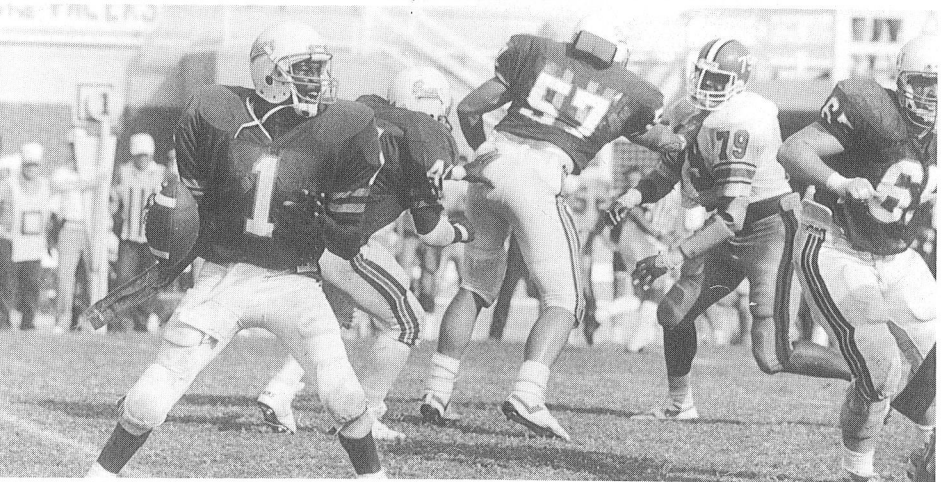
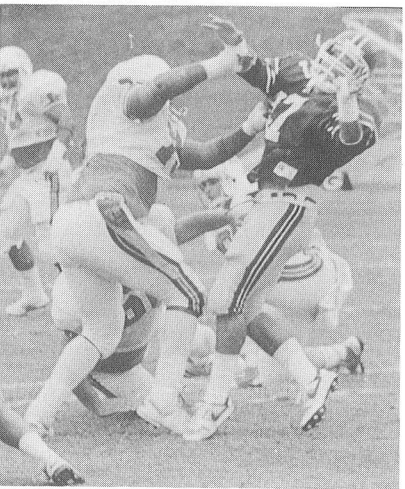
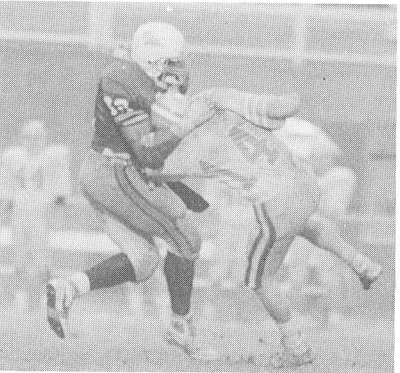
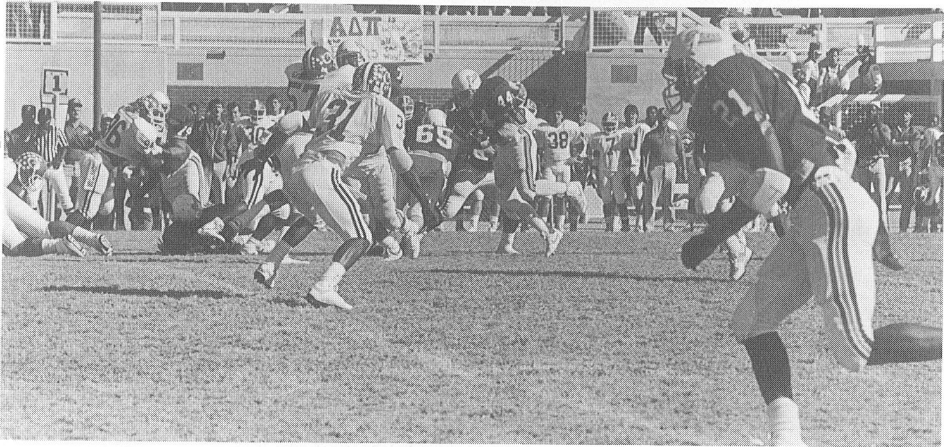
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Composite Schedule, Travel, Polls

1989 Composite Schedule		Pre-Season GSC Coaches' Poll
<b>September 2</b> Murray State at UT Martin East Texas State at Livingston (Mobile) Jacksonville State at Samford Troy State at Alabama State Mississippi College at McNeese State North Alabama vs. Alabama A & M (B'ham) Valdosta State at Georgia Southern West Georgia at Wofford	<b>October 7</b> North Alabama at UT Martin Delta State at Jacksonville State Valdosta State at Livingston Mississippi College at Troy State West Georgia at Samford	1. Jacksonville State (8) 64 2. Mississippi College (1) 54 3. Valdosta State 49 4. Troy State 42 5. Tennessee-Martin 32 6. Delta State 31 7. West Georgia 25 8. North Alabama 18 9. Livingston 9
<b>September 9</b> Austin Peay at UT Martin Alabama A & M at Jacksonville State Troy State at Livingston Southern Arkansas at Delta State North Alabama at Mississippi College West Georgia at Georgia Southern Valdosta State at Central Florida	<b>October 14</b> Samford at UT Martin Troy State at Delta State Jacksonville State at North Alabama Livingston at Mississippi College West Georgia at Valdosta State	<b>Pre-Season GSC SID's Poll</b> 1. Jacksonville State (8) 64 2. Mississippi College (1) 56 3. Valdosta State 46 4. Troy State 45 5. Delta State 34 6. Tennessee-Martin 28 7. North Alabama 21 8. West Georgia 20 9. Livingston 10
<b>September 16</b> UT Martin at Valdosta State Delta State at Nicholls State Jacksonville State at West Georgia Elon at Livingston Mississippi College at Southeast Missouri Central Florida at Troy State Albany State at North Alabama	<b>October 21</b> UT Martin at Jacksonville State Delta State at Livingston Mississippi College at West Georgia North Alabama at Troy State	<b>1989 NCAA DIVISION II PRE-SEASON POLL</b> 1. North Dakota State 2. Texas A & I 3. Jacksonville State 4. Portland State 5. Sacramento State 6. Winston-Salem State 7. Mississippi College 8. Millersville (Pa.) 9. California-Davis 10. N.C. Central 11. Butler 12. West Chester State 13. St. Cloud State 14. Indiana (Pa.) 15. Pittsburg (Kan.) 16. Savannah State 17. East Texas State 18. Tennessee-Martin 19. Albany State 20. Santa Clara
<b>September 23</b> Mississippi College at UT Martin Delta State at North Alabama Valdosta State at Jacksonville State Samford at Livingston West Georgia at Troy State	<b>October 28</b> Troy State at UT Martin West Georgia at Delta State Livingston at North Alabama Valdosta State at Mississippi College	
<b>September 30</b> UT Martin at Delta State Jacksonville State at Mississippi College Livingston at West Georgia Troy State at Valdosta State Central Florida at North Alabama	<b>November 4</b> UT Martin at Livingston Jacksonville State at Troy State North Alabama at West Georgia Delta State at Valdosta State	
	<b>November 11</b> West Georgia at UT Martin Mississippi College at Delta State Livingston at Jacksonville State Valdosta State at North Alabama	
	<b>November 19</b> First Round, NCAA Division II Playoffs	
Pacer Travel Plans		
<b>at Valdosta State</b> <b>Sept. 16</b> Thurs., Sept. 14, Leave University Center, 12 noon via chartered bus. Dinner in Chattanooga 6 p.m. EDT. Arrive Atlanta Holiday Inn South, 9 p.m. (404) 761-4000. Fri., Sept. 15, Depart at 12 noon. Arrive at Valdosta Holiday Inn, 5 p.m. (912) 242-3881 Sat., Sept. 16, Depart for Martin immediately after game, arrival app. 5 a.m., Sept. 17	<b>at Jacksonville State</b> <b>Oct. 21</b> Fri., Oct. 20, 12:15 p.m., Leave University Center via chartered bus. Arrive at Anniston/Oxford, Ala., Holiday Inn, 7:15 p.m. (205) 831-3470. Sat., Oct. 21, depart for Martin immediately following game with app. arrival at 12 midnite.	
<b>at Delta State</b> <b>Sept. 30</b> Fri., Sept 29, 12:15 p.m., Leave University via chartered bus. Arrive Cleveland, Miss. Holiday Inn., 5:15 p.m. (601) 846-1411. Saturday, Depart for Martin immediately following game with arrival in Martin, app. 11 p.m.	<b>at Livingston</b> <b>Nov. 4</b> Fri., Nov 3, 12:15 p.m., Leave University Center via chartered bus for Meridian, Miss. Arrive Meridian Holiday Inn South 6:30 p.m. Phone (TBA). Sat., Nov. 4, Depart Meridian for Livingston, Ala. 9:30 a.m. arriving at 10:20 a.m. Depart for Martin immediately following game with arrival, app. 11:30 p.m.	



# 1989 Pacer Football Schedule

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DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Sept. 2	Murray State	Martin	7 p.m.
Sept. 9	Austin Peay State	Martin	7 p.m.
Sept. 16	*Valdosta State	Valdosta, Ga.	12 Noon
Sept. 23	*Mississippi College	Martin	7 p.m.
Sept. 30	*Delta State	Cleveland, Miss.	2 p.m.
Oct. 7	*North Alabama	Martin	2 p.m.
Oct. 14	Samford Univ. (HC)	Martin	2 p.m.
Oct. 21	*Jacksonville State	Jacksonville, Ala.	2 p.m.
Oct. 28	*Troy State	Martin	2 p.m.
Nov. 4	*Livingston Univ.	Livingston, Ala.	1 p.m.
Nov. 11	*West Georgia	Martin	1 p.m.

\*Gulf South Conference Game

(HC)—Homecoming

All Times Are Central

