

# SOUTH CAROLINA GAMECOCKS



## FOOTBALL - 2023



#21 N. Carolina  
Sept. 2  
7:30 pm ET  
ABC  
L, 17-31

Furman  
Sept. 9  
7:30 pm ET  
ESPN+/SECN+  
W, 47-21

at #1 Georgia  
Sept. 16  
3:30 pm ET  
CBS  
L, 14-24

Miss State  
Sept. 23  
7:30 pm ET  
SECN  
W, 37-30

at #21 Tennessee  
Sept. 30  
7:30 pm ET  
SECN  
L, 20-41

Florida  
Oct. 14  
3:30 pm ET  
SECN  
L, 39-41

at #20 Missouri  
Oct. 21  
3:30 pm ET  
SECN  
L, 12-34

at Texas A&M  
Oct. 28  
Noon  
ESPN  
L, 17-30

Jacksonville St.  
Nov. 4  
Noon  
ESPNU  
W, 38-28

Vanderbilt  
Nov. 11  
Noon  
SECN  
W, 47-6

Kentucky  
Nov. 18  
7:30 pm ET  
SECN  
W, 17-14

RV Clemson  
Nov. 25  
7:30 pm ET  
SECN

### ON THE AIR

#### TELEVISION

Network..... SEC Network  
Play-by-Play..... Taylor Zarzour  
Analyst..... Matt Stinchcomb  
Sideline..... Alyssa Lang

#### RADIO

##### Gamecock Sports Network

Play-by-Play..... Todd Ellis  
Analyst..... Tommy Suggs  
Sideline..... Chet Tucker

##### Satellite Radio

Sirius/XM..... Channel 106 or 190

### QUICK FACTS

Location..... Columbia, S.C.  
Founded..... 1801  
Enrollment..... 36,200

### COACHING STAFF

Head Coach..... Shane Beamer  
Alma Mater..... Virginia Tech (1999)  
Overall Record..... 20-17 (3rd year)  
Record at South Carolina..... 20-17 (3rd year)  
Defensive Backs..... Torrian Gray\*  
Running Backs..... Montario Hardesty  
Assoc. HC/Special Teams Coord..... Pete Lembo  
Offensive Coord./QBs..... Dowell Loggains\*  
Outside LBs/Defensive Ends..... Sterling Lucas  
Defensive Line..... Travian Robertson  
Wide Receivers..... Justin Stepp  
Offensive Line..... Lonnie Teasley  
Defensive Coord./Inside LBs..... Clayton White  
Tight Ends..... Jody Wright  
Director of Strength & Conditioning..... Luke Day  
Head Football Athletic Trainer..... Clint Haggard

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### RV/RV Clemson Tigers (7-4, 4-4 ACC)

at

### South Carolina Gamecocks (5-6, 3-5 SEC)

Saturday, Nov. 25, 2023 ♦ 7:30 pm ET  
Williams-Brice Stadium (77,559) ♦ Columbia, S.C.

**QUICKLY:** The South Carolina Gamecocks (5-6, 3-5 SEC) wrap up their 2023 regular season when they host the Clemson Tigers (7-4, 4-4 ACC) on Saturday, Nov. 25, in the Palmetto Bowl. Game time is set for 7:30 pm ET and the contest will be televised on the SEC Network. Both teams come into the contest riding a three-game winning streak. The Gamecocks need a win to become bowl-eligible for the third time in as many years under head coach Shane Beamer. Both teams are un-ranked, but the Tigers are receiving votes in both national polls.



**PLAYING FOR A POINT:** A win in the Palmetto Bowl is worth another point in the Palmetto Series, sponsored by the South Carolina Education Lottery. Carolina has won the Palmetto Series trophy in each of the five years it's been contested. South Carolina leads this year's competition 2.5-1.5. South Carolina earned wins in volleyball and women's basketball, while Clemson took a point in men's soccer. The women's soccer teams battled to a scoreless tie.

**OVER THE AIRWAVES:** This week's contest will be televised on the SEC Network. Taylor Zarzour will provide the play-by-play while Matt Stinchcomb adds the color commentary. Carolina grad Alyssa Lang will handle the sideline duties for the Network. The Gamecock Sports Radio Network features a pair of Gamecock Great quarterbacks in Todd Ellis (32nd season) and Tommy Suggs (51st season) in the booth. Chet Tucker is in his first season as the sideline reporter.

**SENIOR SALUTE:** South Carolina will recognize its senior football players prior to this week's contest. The seniors expected to participate in the pregame ceremony (*NOTE: subject to change*) include Mario Anderson, Ahmarean Brown, Terrell Dawkins, Marcellas Dial, Nick Gargiulo, DeAngelo Gibbs, B.J. Gibson, Tonka Hemingway, Alex Herrera, Tyreek Johnson, Dakereon Joyner, Trey Knox, Xavier Legette, Eddie Lewis, Isaiiah Norris, Spencer Rattler, Ben Rollins, Jesse Sanders, David Spaulding, Jordan Strachan and D.J. Twitty.

**GAMECOCK REWIND:** The Gamecocks are 5-6 overall in 2023. Four of their six losses came to teams ranked in the AP Top-25 while five of the six losses have come away from Williams-Brice Stadium. South Carolina opened the season falling to No. 21 North Carolina in the Duke's Mayo Classic in Charlotte, before posting a convincing win over FCS nationally-ranked Furman. The Gamecocks dropped their SEC opener at Georgia but evened their mark at 2-2 with a home win over Mississippi State. The Gamecocks dropped their next four, all conference games, losing at No. 21 Tennessee, surrendering a 10-point fourth quarter lead in a home loss to Florida, then dropping decisions at No. 20 Missouri and at Texas A&M. Carolina has rebounded with three-straight wins over Jacksonville State, Vanderbilt and Kentucky to keep its bowl hopes alive. The Gamecocks have been led all season by **Spencer Rattler** and **Xavier Legette**. Rattler has completed 259-of-367 passes for 3,074 yards with 19 touchdowns and seven interceptions. He ranks fourth in the SEC and 16th in the nation with 279.5 passing yards per game and is fourth in the SEC and eighth in the country with a 70.6 percent completion rate. Legette has caught 65 passes for 1,187 yards, averaging 107.9 yards per game and 18.3 yards per catch with seven touchdowns. He ranks second in the league and seventh among all FBS players in receiving yards per game and is fifth in the SEC and 23rd in the country in yards per reception.



**CLEMSON**

**7-4 Overall; 4-4 ACC**

Head Coach..... Dabo Swinney  
 Alma Mater ..... Alabama (1993)  
 Clemson Record..... 168-43 (16th year)  
 Career Record..... 168-43 (16th year)  
 Football Contact..... Ross Taylor  
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**Tigers Schedule**

Sept. 4 at Duke\* ..... L, 7-28  
 Sept. 9 vs Charleston Southern..... W, 66-17  
 Sept. 16 vs Florida Atlantic..... W, 48-14  
 Sept. 23 vs Florida State\*..... L (OT), 24-31  
 Sept. 30 at Syracuse\*..... W, 31-14  
 Oct. 7 vs Wake Forest\*..... W, 17-12  
 Oct. 21 at Miami (Fla.)\*..... L (2OT), 20-28  
 Oct. 28 at NC State\*..... L, 17-24  
 Nov. 4 vs Notre Dame..... W, 31-23  
 Nov. 11 vs Georgia Tech\*..... W, 42-21  
 Nov. 18 vs North Carolina\*..... W, 31-20  
**Nov. 25 at South Carolina..... 7:30 pm**

\*-ACC Game

**Series Capsule**

Series History..... CU leads 72-43-4  
 In Columbia..... CU leads 53-32-3  
 In Clemson ..... CU leads 19-11-1  
 At Neutral..... Never met  
 First Meeting..... SC 12, CU 6  
 (11/12/1896 in Columbia)  
 Last Meeting..... SC 31, CU 30  
 (11/26/22 in Clemson)  
 Last Meeting in Columbia..... CU 30, SC 0  
 (11/27/2021 in Columbia)  
 Last SC win in Columbia..... SC 31, CU 17  
 (11/30/2013 in Columbia)  
 Beamer vs. Clemson ..... 1-1  
 Swinney vs. South Carolina..... 8-6

**Series Superlatives**

Most Points - South Carolina ..... 56 (1975)  
 Most Points - Clemson ..... 63 (2003)  
 Most Points - Combined ..... 91 (2018)  
 CU 56, SC 35  
 Biggest Margin Victory - SC..... 36 (1975)  
 SC 56, CU 20  
 Biggest Margin Victory - CU..... 51 (1900)  
 CU 51, SC 0  
 Longest Winning Streak - SC..... 5 (2009-13)  
 Longest Winning Streak - CU ..... 7 twice  
 (1934-40) & (2014-21)  
 Current Streak..... SC has won 1 in a row



**CAROLINA VERSUS CLEMSON:** This is the 120th meeting between these two Palmetto State schools in a rivalry that dates back to 1896. The teams met every year from 1909 - 2019, making the Carolina-Clemson series the second-longest running consecutively-played series in college football behind only Minnesota - Wisconsin before the series was interrupted in 2020 due to COVID. The Tigers hold a 72-43-4 lead in the all-time series, including a 53-32-3 advantage in Columbia and a 19-11-1 mark in Clemson. South Carolina snapped a Clemson seven-game winning streak last year in Tigertown by a 31-30 score.



**THE LAST TIME THEY MET:** The Gamecocks overcame a 14-point deficit to defeat Clemson, 31-30 in the final regular season game of the 2022 season on Nov. 26 in Clemson. **Spencer Rattler** completed 25-of-39 passes for 360 yards and two touchdowns, **Antwane Wells Jr.** had nine catches for 131 yards and two scores and **Mitch Jeter** hit the go-ahead field goal with just under 11 minutes left in the contest. **Marcellas Dial** was the SEC Defensive Player of the Week after recording an interception and three pass breakups. He allowed just one catch for 11 yards while being targeted 11 times. But the star of the game may have been Carolina punter **Kai Kroeger**, who averaged 53.7 yards on seven punts, pinning the Tigers deep in their own territory several times. The Carolina defense held Clemson to just 336 yards of offense, including 99 through the air, and forced three turnovers.

**STREAK BUSTERS:** South Carolina broke a number of Clemson streaks with its 31-30 victory over the Tigers last November:  
 ♦ Ended Clemson's 40 consecutive home games dating to the 2016 season, tied for the eighth longest home winning streak in FBS college history and the longest by since 1991-98 (Nebraska-47). It ended the fourth-longest home winning streak in college football history by one coach.  
 ♦ Ended Clemson's 34-game home winning streak against Power-5 Conference schools.  
 ♦ Ended Clemson's 26-game home non-conference winning streak. South Carolina has the victory at both ends of that streak, having beaten the Tigers at Death Valley in 2012.  
 ♦ Ended Clemson's streak of 72-consecutive wins when gaining at least 200 yards rushing. The streak dated to the 2009 season.  
 ♦ Ended Clemson's 67-game winning streak when leading going into the fourth quarter.  
 ♦ Ended Clemson's 63-game winning streak when recording more first downs.

**THE LAST TIME THEY MET HERE:** Will Shipley ran for 128 yards and a touchdown, BT Potter booted three field goals, and the Clemson defense pitched a shutout in a 30-0 Tiger win in Columbia on Nov. 27, 2021.

**THEY ONCE WORE ORANGE:** Carolina wide receivers coach **Justin Stepp** served as a Clemson graduate assistant from 2009-11. Gamecocks' Director of High School Relations, **Clyde Wrenn**, worked as the football recruiting coordinator at Clemson for 11 seasons.

**By the Numbers**

	CU	SC
Record	7-4	5-6
Points/Game	30.4	27.7
Opp. Points/Game	21.1	27.3
Rushing Attempts	439	345
Yards Rushing/Game	176.7	87.6
Yards Per Rush	4.4	2.8
Opp. Rushing Attempts	349	416
Opp. Yards Rush/Game	121.9	143.1
Opp. Yards/Rush	3.8	3.8
Passes Attempted	406	380
Passes Completed	257	267
Yards Pass/Game	236.8	293.1
Opp. Passes Attempted	341	374
Opp. Passes Completed	180	230
Opp. Yards Pass/Game	166.7	259.5
Total Plays	845	725
Total Offense	4549	4188
Avg. Yards/Game	413.5	380.7
Avg. Yards/Play	5.4	5.8
Opp. Total Plays	690	790
Opp. Total Offense	3175	4429
Opp. Total Yards/Game	288.6	402.6
Opp. Total Yards/Play	4.6	5.6
3rd Down Conv.	41%	35%
Opp. 3rd Down Conv.	33%	43%
4th Down Conv.	12-25	7-20
Opp. 4th Down Conv.	8-19	14-23
Avg. Poss. Time/Game	32:45	28:51

**Carolina vs. Clemson**

**CAROLINA TEAM HIGHS**

Rushes ..... 72, 1969  
 Rushing Yards..... 458, 1975  
 Pass Attempts ..... 50, 2018  
 Pass Completions..... 32, 2018  
 Passing Yards..... 510, 2018  
 Touchdown Passes..... 5, 1975 & 2018  
 Total Offense..... 616, 1975  
 Touchdowns Scored ..... 8, 1975  
 Interceptions..... 4, 1968

**CAROLINA INDIVIDUAL HIGHS**

Rushes ..... 33, Earl Clary, 1933  
 Rushing Yards..... 256, Steve Wadiak, 1950  
 Pass Attempts ..... 50, Jake Bentley, 2018  
 Pass Completions..... 32, Jake Bentley, 2018  
 Passing Yards..... 510, Jake Bentley, 2018  
 Touchdown Passes..... 5, Jeff Grantz, 1975  
 5, Jake Bentley, 2018  
 Passes Had Intercepted .. 6, Glenn Morris, 1971  
 Receptions..... 10, Deebo Samuel, 2018  
 Receiving Yards ..... 210, Deebo Samuel, 2018

**CAROLINA LONG PLAYS**

Rush..... 77, Spencer Clark, 1977  
 Pass..... 77, Todd Ellis to Ryan Bethea, 1987  
 KO Return ..... 94, B. Bennett/R. Richardson, 1994  
 Punt Return ..... 84, Carroll McClain, 1955  
 Interception Return..... 80, Crip Rhame, 1929  
 Field Goal..... 54, Scott Hagler, 1985

**MOST GAMES PLAYED VS. SOUTH CAROLINA**

<b>Clemson</b> .....	<b>119</b>
Georgia .....	76
North Carolina .....	60
North Carolina State.....	58
Wake Forest .....	56

## 2023 SEC Standings

### EASTERN DIVISION

	SEC	PCT	PF	PA	ALL	PCT	PF	PA
Georgia#	8-0	1.000	302	135	11-0	1.000	444	166
Missouri	5-2	.714	239	171	9-2	.818	361	254
Tennessee	3-4	.429	147	197	7-4	.636	330	240
Kentucky	3-5	.375	198	233	6-5	.545	305	267
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>3-5</b>	<b>.375</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>5-6</b>	<b>.455</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>300</b>
Florida	3-5	.375	244	269	5-6	.455	326	307
Vanderbilt	0-7	.000	111	269	2-9	.182	250	386

### WESTERN DIVISION

	SEC	PCT	PF	PA	ALL	PCT	PF	PA
Alabama#	7-0	1.000	239	137	10-1	.919	402	191
Ole Miss	5-2	.714	208	208	9-2	.818	401	261
LSU	5-2	.714	301	234	8-3	.727	515	303
Texas A&M	4-3	.571	210	143	7-4	.636	380	214
Auburn	3-4	.429	175	168	6-5	.545	303	236
Miss. State	1-6	.143	94	223	5-6	.455	255	302
Arkansas	1-6	.143	146	210	4-7	.364	305	287

#-Clinched Division Title

## Last Week in the SEC

\*South Carolina 17, Kentucky 14

\*Georgia 38, Tennessee 10

\*Missouri 33, Florida 31

Alabama 66, UT Chattanooga 10

Ole Miss 35, UL Monroe 3

Mississippi State 41, Southern Miss 20

Texas A&M 38, Abilene Christian 10

New Mexico State 31, Auburn 10

Arkansas 44, Florida International 20

LSU 56, Georgia State 14

## This Week in the SEC

November 23

\*Ole Miss at Mississippi State, 7:30 pm

November 24

\*Missouri at Arkansas, 4 pm

November 25

Clemson at South Carolina, 7:30 pm

\*Texas A&M at LSU, Noon

Kentucky at Louisville, Noon

\*Vanderbilt at Tennessee, 3:30 pm

\*Alabama at Auburn, 3:30 pm

Florida State at Florida, 7 pm

Georgia at Georgia Tech, 7:30 pm

## Next Week in the SEC

December 2

SEC Championship Game

Georgia vs. Alabama, 4 pm

All times Eastern

\*-SEC Game



## A South Carolina win over Clemson would...

- ◆ Send the Gamecocks to a bowl game for the third-straight year under head coach Shane Beamer.
- ◆ Extend the Gamecocks' winning streak to four games, their longest of the season and matching the longest in the Shane Beamer Era at South Carolina.
- ◆ Give the Gamecocks back-to-back wins over Clemson for the first time since they won five in a row from 2009-13.
- ◆ Allow Carolina to finish the regular season .500 or better in three straight years for the first time since 2016-18.
- ◆ Allow Carolina to finish the 2023 season with a 6-1 home record. The last time it won that many games at home in a season was in 2013 (7-0).
- ◆ Allow Carolina to post a perfect 4-0 record in November for the first time since 2013.

**A LITTLE HISTORY:** 2023 marks the 130th season of intercollegiate football at the University of South Carolina, dating back to 1892. It is the 117th-consecutive year in which South Carolina has competed on the gridiron. The University did not field a team in either 1893 or 1906. Carolina owns an all-time record of 634-612-44, a .509 winning percentage. Since the start of the 21st century, Carolina is 168-130, a .564 mark.

**SCHEDULING QUIRK:** South Carolina played its final road game of the regular season in the last week of October at Texas A&M. The Gamecocks' final four games were all scheduled for Williams-Brice Stadium in Columbia during the month of November. South Carolina is the only school in the FBS to have each of its final four games of the 2023 regular season at home.

**THEY REMEMBER NOVEMBER:** The Gamecocks are 3-0 in the month of November, have won their last five games in November dating back to last season and are 8-3 in November during the Shane Beamer Era at South Carolina. The last time South Carolina went 4-0 in the month of November was in 2013.

**WILLY-B IS SPECIAL AT NIGHT:** The Gamecocks are 11-2 and have won eight in a row when playing a night game at Williams-Brice Stadium under head coach Shane Beamer. The two losses both came during the 2021 season to Kentucky and Clemson.

**BATTLE TESTED:** South Carolina has faced one of the toughest schedules in the nation, including four ranked opponents in the first seven games. The Gamecocks opened the 2023 season playing No. 21 North Carolina before falling at top-ranked Georgia two weeks later. The gauntlet continued at No. 21 Tennessee to close out September and a game at No. 20 Missouri two weeks later. The opponents that Carolina has played are a combined 77-44, a .636 winning percentage. Removing games involving FCS teams, South Carolina's opponents played are 71-39, a .645 winning percentage, tying for the fifth-best mark in the FBS. Nine of its 12 regular season opponents own a record of .500 or better. Eight of their opponents are bowl-eligible with only Vanderbilt winning fewer than five games. Going back to last season, seven of South Carolina's last 14 opponents were ranked in the AP Top-25 at the time of the game.

**IT JUST MEANS MORE:** The Gamecocks are 42-14 in their last 56 non-conference games, a .750 winning percentage, with seven of the 14 losses in that stretch coming against Clemson. The Gamecocks are 2-1 in non-conference games this season, losing to North Carolina in the season opener in Charlotte, then defeating Furman and Jacksonville State at home.

**PROTECT THIS HOUSE:** Carolina is 38-6 in its last 44 home games against non-conference foes. The Gamecocks put together a school-record 22-straight home wins against non-conference teams before dropping the final two games of the 2015 season. The Gamecocks have won each of their last five home non-conference games.

**THE LAST TIME OUT: Spencer Rattler** connected with **Xavier Legette** on a pair of TD passes, the second one coming midway through the fourth quarter, and the Carolina defense held Kentucky to 293 yards of offense and forced three turnovers in a 17-14 Gamecock win over the Wildcats last Saturday night in Columbia. **Jordan Strachan** earned SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week honors after his two-sack performance. It marked Carolina's third-straight win and kept their bowl hopes alive.

**SPENCER FOR HIRE:** With five 300-yard passing games in 2023, **Spencer Rattler** ranks fifth for the most passing yards in a single season in school history. He needs 133 yards to move into second place on the all-time list. Rattler and Todd Ellis are the only QBs on this list twice.

### 3,000-YARD SINGLE-SEASON PASSERS

1. Dylan Thompson (2014).....	3,564
2. Todd Ellis (1987).....	3,206
3. Jake Bentley (2018).....	3,171
4. Steve Taneyhill (1995).....	3,094
<b>5. Spencer Rattler (2023).....</b>	<b>3,074</b>
6. Stephen Garcia (2010).....	3,059
7. Spencer Rattler (2022).....	3,026
8. Todd Ellis (1986).....	3,020

**XAVIER IS LEGIT: Xavier Legette**, who was named one of 10 semifinalists for the Biletnikoff Award, has 65 catches for 1,187 yards and seven TDs on the season, moving into second place on the school's all-time list for receiving yards. He owns six 100-yard receiving games in 2023, tying Sidney Rice's 2005 mark for second in the record books.

### 1,000-YARD SINGLE-SEASON RECEIVERS

1. Alshon Jeffery (2010).....	1,517
<b>2. Xavier Legette (2023).....</b>	<b>1,187</b>
3. Sidney Rice (2005).....	1,143
4. Pharoah Cooper (2014).....	1,136
5. Sterling Sharpe (1986).....	1,106
6. Sidney Rice (2006).....	1,090

### SINGLE-SEASON 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

1. Alshon Jeffery (2010).....	8
2. Sidney Rice (2005).....	6
<b>Xavier Legette (2023).....</b>	<b>6</b>

**THEY COME IN BUNCHES:** After recovering just one fumble through the first eight games, the Gamecocks have recovered six fumbles in the last three contests and lead the SEC with seven fumble recoveries. Carolina forced just seven turnovers through the first eight games but have forced nine turnovers in the last three contests. The Gamecocks have forced 63 turnovers over the past three seasons - 24 in 2021, 23 in 2022 and 16 in 2023.





## National Polls

### Associated Press

1.	Georgia (61)	11-0	1549
2.	Ohio State (1)	11-0	1447
3.	Michigan	11-0	1440
4.	Washington	11-0	1367
5.	Florida State	11-0	1324
6.	Oregon	10-1	1219
7.	Texas	10-1	1180
8.	Alabama	10-1	1138
9.	Louisville	10-1	1017
10.	Missouri	9-2	964
11.	Penn State	9-2	894
12.	Ole Miss	9-2	878
13.	Oklahoma	9-2	766
14.	LSU	8-3	748
15.	Oregon State	8-3	714
16.	Arizona	8-3	625
17.	Notre Dame	8-3	503
18.	Tulane	10-1	499
19.	Kansas State	8-3	418
20.	Iowa	9-2	332
21.	Oklahoma State	8-3	329
22.	Liberty	11-0	229
23.	Toledo	10-1	118
24.	James Madison	10-1	75
25.	Tennessee	7-4	72

### AFCA Coaches

1.	Georgia (61)	11-0	1571
2.	Ohio State (1)	11-0	1460
3.	Michigan (1)	11-0	1458
4.	Florida State	11-0	1375
5.	Washington	11-0	1367
6.	Oregon	10-1	1234
7.	Texas	10-1	1193
8.	Alabama	10-1	1174
9.	Louisville	10-1	1035
10.	Missouri	9-2	981
11.	Penn State	9-2	908
12.	Ole Miss	9-2	863
13.	Oklahoma	9-2	840
14.	LSU	8-3	726
15.	Oregon State	8-3	684
16.	Arizona	8-3	568
17.	Notre Dame	8-3	536
18.	Tulane	10-1	493
19.	Iowa	9-2	447
20.	Kansas State	8-3	424
21.	Oklahoma State	8-3	299
22.	Liberty	11-0	158
23.	Tennessee	7-4	109
24.	NC State	8-3	97
25.	SMU	9-2	84

**FAST STARTS:** Carolina has scored a touchdown on its opening drive five times this season. They have tallied a first-quarter touchdown in 10 of 11 games after doing so in just six of 13 games in 2022. The Gamecocks have scored more points in the first quarter (83) than any other quarter. Carolina has held a lead in 13 of their last 14 games, the lone exception being the loss at Missouri.

**START ME UP:** Twenty players, including five true freshmen, have made their first start as a Gamecock this season:

**North Carolina (6):** OT Sidney Fugar, OG Nick Gargiulo, OT Cason Henry, TE Trey Knox, DE Bryan Thomas Jr. and LB Stone Blanton.

**Furman (2):** TE Joshua Simon and S Jalon Kilgore.

**Georgia (2):** OL Tree Babalade and DE Drew Tuazama.

**Mississippi State (2):** WR O'Mega Blake and DT T.J. Sanders.

**Tennessee (3):** OG Trovon Baugh, RB Mario Anderson and DE Tyreek Johnson.

**Florida (1):** DE Elijah Davis.

**Texas A&M (2):** WR Nyck Harbor, CB Judge Collier.

**Vanderbilt (2):** DT Nick Barrett, LB Bam Martin-Scott.

**ON THE JOB TRAINING:** The Gamecocks have started five true freshmen this season. Defensive back **Jalon Kilgore** was the first member of the 2023 recruiting class to earn a start when he moved into the starting lineup in Week 2. He has made 10 starts. Left tackle **Tree Babalade** has made eight starts, while right guard **Trovon Baugh** has made seven-straight starts on the offensive line. Only four schools have more freshmen starts along the offensive line than Carolina. Wide receiver **Nyck Harbor** and CB **Judge Collier** made their initial starts at Texas A&M.

**STARTING NOTES:** Six Gamecocks have started all 11 games this season. The list includes OL **Nick Gargiulo**, WR **Xavier Legette** and QB **Spencer Rattler** on offense and LB **Stone Blanton**, CB **Marcellas Dial** and LB **Debo Williams** on defense. In all, 40 players have been among the 22 starters on offense and defense this season.

**THEY COME TO SEE THE GAMECOCKS PLAY:** The Gamecocks have played in front of a sold-out stadium seven times this season. Carolina has sold out four of its six home games, drawing 78,281 in the home opener against Furman, 78,311 in the SEC home opener versus Mississippi State, a season-high 79,247 against Florida for Homecoming and 77,788 last week against Kentucky. The Gamecocks rank 17th in the country in average home attendance at 77,443 and have announced a sellout in 11 of its last 14 home games. The Gamecocks also played in front of sold-out crowds of 92,746 at Georgia, 101,915 at Tennessee and 62,621 at Missouri this season. The second-largest attended game of 95,297 at Texas A&M was not a sellout.

**TOTING THE SHEEPSKIN:** Twenty-two Gamecocks had their degrees in hand when the 2023 season began. Sixteen have earned a diploma from the University of South Carolina, including **Ahmarean Brown**, **Terrell Dawkins**, **Marcellas Dial**, **B.J. Gibson**, **Alex Herrera**, **Tyreek Johnson**, **Trai Jones**, **Dakereon Joyner**, **Xavier Legette**, **Bam Martin-Scott**, **Jakai Moore**, **Jaylen Nicholls**, **David Spaulding**, **Jordan Strachan**, **D.J. Twitty** and **Tyshawn Wannamaker**. **Nick Gargiulo** (Yale), **DeAngelo Gibbs** (Tennessee), **Trey Knox** (Arkansas), **Eddie Lewis** (Memphis), **Joshua Simon** (Western Kentucky) and **Drew Tuazama** (UAB) have degrees from other four-year institutions.

**LOOKING AHEAD TO 2024:** The Gamecocks will host LSU, Ole Miss, Missouri and Texas A&M at Williams-Brice Stadium in 2024, and will travel to Alabama, Kentucky, Oklahoma and Vanderbilt. The non-conference portion of the 2024 slate includes home games against Old Dominion (Aug. 31), Akron (Sept. 21) and Wofford (Nov. 23) and a road game at Clemson (Nov. 30).

## Offense

**NEW LOOK OFFENSE:** **Dowell Loggains** is in his first season as the Gamecocks' offensive coordinator/quarterbacks coach. Loggains spent the past two seasons as the tight end coach at Arkansas. Previously, he logged 16 years in the NFL with six different organizations, including seven seasons as an offensive coordinator. Behind the outstanding performance of quarterback **Spencer Rattler**, the Gamecocks rank third in the SEC and 15th in the country in passing offense at 293.1 yards per game. Carolina has not averaged over 300 yards passing per game since the 1995 season when they finished at 306.6 passing yards per contest behind the efforts of Steve Taneyhill.

**QB1: Spencer Rattler** is the unquestioned leader of the team. The senior QB has completed 259-of-367 passes (70.6 pct.) for 3,074 yards and 19 touchdowns with seven picks. Rattler, a transfer from Oklahoma, is 28-13 in 41 career starts including a 13-11 mark in 24 starts at Carolina.

**WHERE HE RANKS NATIONALLY:** Despite being pressured a ton this season (the Gamecocks are 13th in the SEC and 121st in the country in sacks allowed) **Spencer Rattler** continues to play at a high level. He ranks fifth in the SEC and 22nd in the country in total offense per game (287.5), fourth in the SEC and 16th in the nation in passing yards per game (279.5), seventh in the SEC and 25th overall in passing efficiency (154.2) and fourth in the SEC and eighth in the land in completion percentage (70.6).

**WHERE HE RANKS IN CAROLINA HISTORY: Spencer Rattler** is having one of the best single seasons on record in Carolina history.

### PASSING YARDS

1.	Dylan Thompson (2014)	3,564
2.	Todd Ellis (1987)	3,206
3.	Jake Bentley (2018)	3,171
4.	Steve Taneyhill (1995)	3,094
5.	<b>Spencer Rattler (2023)</b>	<b>3,074</b>

### PASS ATTEMPTS

1.	Dylan Thompson (2014)	451
2.	Todd Ellis (1987)	432
	Stephen Garcia (2009)	432
4.	Ryan Hilinski (2019)	406
5.	Spencer Rattler (2022)	399
6.	Jake Bentley (2017)	394
7.	Todd Ellis (1988)	391
8.	Steve Taneyhill (1995)	389
9.	Jake Bentley (2018)	388
10.	Steve Taneyhill (1994)	367
	<b>Spencer Rattler (2023)</b>	<b>367</b>

### PASS COMPLETIONS

1.	Dylan Thompson (2014)	270
2.	Spencer Rattler (2022)	264
3.	Steve Taneyhill (1995)	261
4.	<b>Spencer Rattler (2023)</b>	<b>259</b>
5.	Steve Taneyhill (1994)	257

### COMPLETION PERCENTAGE

(Min. 100 attempts)

1.	<b>Spencer Rattler (2023)</b>	<b>70.6 (259 of 367)</b>
2.	Connor Shaw (2012)	67.5 (154 of 228)
3.	Steve Taneyhill (1995)	67.1 (261 of 389)

## Career Start Chart

Player	'18	'19	'20	'21	'22	'23	All
Xavier Legette	-	3	6	4	7	11	31
Marcellas Dial	-	JC	JC	7	10	11	28
Jakai Moore	-	2	6	3	8	8	27
Vershon Lee	-	-	1	9	7	9	26
Spencer Rattler	-	OK	OK	OK	13	11	24
Nick Emmanwori	-	-	-	-	12	10	22
DQ Smith	-	-	-	-	11	10	21
Jaylen Nichols	-	4	0	7	7	0	18
Tonka Hemingway	-	-	3	0	9	5	17
T. Wannamaker	-	-	RS	7	4	4	15
Dakereon Joyner	RS	0	2	7	1	4	14
Alex Huntley	-	-	RS	0	3	10	13
Debo Williams	-	-	D	0	2	11	13
Stone Blanton	-	-	-	-	0	11	11
O'Donnell Fortune	-	-	RS	0	2	9	11
Nick Garguilo	-	Y	Y	Y	Y	11	11
Jordan Strachan	GS	GS	GS	0	2	9	11
Jalon Kilgore	-	-	-	-	-	10	10
Ahmarean Brown	-	GT	GT	1	2	6	9
Trey Knox	-	A	A	A	A	9	9
Antwane Wells Jr.	-	-	JM	JM	6	3	9
Tree Babalade	-	-	-	-	-	8	8
Luke Doty	-	-	2	4	0	2	8
Mario Anderson	-	NE	NE	NE	NE	7	7
Trovon Baugh	-	-	-	-	-	7	7
David Spaulding	-	RS	GSO	5	2	0	7
Trai Jones	-	-	RS	0	3	3	6
T.J. Sanders	-	-	-	RS	0	6	6
Bryan Thomas Jr	-	-	-	-	0	6	6
Mohamed Kaba	-	RS	3	0	2	0	5
Juju McDowell	-	-	-	2	2	1	5
O'Mega Blake	-	-	-	RS	0	4	4
Sidney Fugar	-	-	-	WI	WI	4	4
Nyck Harbor	-	-	-	-	-	4	4
Keenan Nelson Jr.	-	-	-	-	1	3	4
Joshua Simon	-	WK	WK	WK	WK	4	4
Tyreek Johnson	RS	0	RS	0	0	3	3
Judge Collier	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
Bam Martin-Scott	-	DC	DC	RS	0	2	2
Nick Barrett	-	-	-	0	0	1	1
Elijah Davis	-	-	-	JC	JC	1	1
B.J. Gibson	-	N	N	0	1	0	1
Cason Henry	-	-	-	-	RS	1	1
Drew Tuazama	-	UAB	UAB	UAB	UAB	1	1

Note: South Carolina Starts Only  
 RS-Redshirt JM-James Madison  
 JC-Junior College N-Navy  
 A-Arkansas NE-Newberry  
 DC-Dodge City CC OK-Oklahoma  
 D-Delaware UAB-UAB  
 GSO-Georgia Southern WI-Western Illinois  
 GS-Georgia State WK-Western Kentucky  
 GT-Georgia Tech Y-Yale

### PASSING TOUCHDOWNS

1. Steve Taneyhill (1995)	29
2. Jake Bentley (2018)	27
3. Dylan Thompson (2014)	26
4. Connor Shaw (2013)	24
5. Todd Ellis (1986)	20
Steve Taneyhill (1994)	20
Stephen Garcia (2010)	20
<b>8. Spencer Rattler (2023)</b>	<b>19</b>
9. Anthony Wright (1997)	18
Jake Bentley (2017)	18
Spencer Rattler (2022)	18

**GOOD HOME COOKIN':** Spencer Rattler has been outstanding in the friendly confines of Williams-Brice Stadium this season. In six home games he

has completed 140-of-178 passes, 78.7 percent, for 1,903 yards (317.2 per game) with 17 touchdowns and three interceptions.

**SEEING HIM IN 6K:** Spencer Rattler has passed for 6,100 yards in 24 games in a Gamecock uniform. He became the 10th passer to notch 5,000 career passing yards and the sixth to reach 6,000 yards in Carolina history. He is the only one on the list to complete more than 67 percent of his pass attempts. His 523 completions rank fifth, his 766 pass attempts rank eighth and his 37 touchdown passes rank ninth in school history.

No.	PLAYER	YEARS	COM-ATT	INT	PCT.	YDS
1.	Todd Ellis	1986-89	747-1350	73	55.3	9,953
2.	Steve Taneyhill	1992-95	753-1245	37	60.5	8,782
3.	Stephen Garcia	2008-11	589-1021	41	57.7	7,597
4.	Jake Bentley	2016-19	626-1002	32	62.5	7,527
<b>5.</b>	<b>Spencer Rattler</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>523-766</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>68.3</b>	<b>6,100</b>
6.	Connor Shaw	2010-13	480-733	16	65.5	6,074

**COMPLETING A 10K:** Including his stint at Oklahoma, Spencer Rattler has thrown for over 10,000 yards in his collegiate career. He has completed 884-of-1,281 passes for 10,695 yards with 77 touchdowns and 31 interceptions in 47 contests.

**THE 300 MARK:** Spencer Rattler has thrown for more than 300 yards five times this season, one shy of Steve Taneyhill's school record. The 353-yard effort against North Carolina was the third-highest season-opening game posted in school history, while the 399-yard performance against Jacksonville State was the eight-best single-game mark in Carolina history. With eight career 300-yard passing games, he is tied for second on the school's all-time list with Taneyhill behind only Todd Ellis, who recorded 10 over a four-year period from 1986-89.

**HOT FROM THE START:** Spencer Rattler has come out on fire in every game this season. In the first quarter this season he has completed 77-of-92 passes (83.7 pct.) for 920 yards and five touchdowns. He completed his last four first-quarter passes against North Carolina, then went 10-for-10 in the first quarter against both Furman and Georgia and was 5-for-5 versus Mississippi State, extending his first quarter streak to 29-consecutive completions, before missing on his first attempt at Tennessee. He competed his first 15 passes against Furman, his first 10 at Georgia, his first 17 versus Mississippi State and his first 10 against Florida. He threw for 166 first-quarter yards against Vanderbilt.

**CAPTAIN, MY CAPTAIN:** Spencer Rattler was one of the five permanent team captains for the 2022 season and is the only one who returned in 2023. The Gamecocks select game captains each week and Rattler has been selected to represent Carolina at the coin toss in eight of the 11 games.

**SUPER MARIO:** Mario Anderson was a First-Team Division II All-American last season at Newberry where he rushed for over 1,500 yards with 19 touchdowns. Through the first three games this season he logged just eight carries for 41 yards as he made the adjustment to the Division I level. Over the last eight games he has 122 carries for 631 yards and three scores, averaging 78.9 yards per game. He went for 101 on just 10 carries at Tennessee, including a 75-yard scoring burst and logged 102 on just nine touches against Vanderbilt including a 72-yard burst. He's had a pair of 100-yard rushing games this season and is aver-

aging 5.2 yards per carry. He was the Gamecocks' nomination for the Burlsworth Award, given to a player who started his career as a walk-on. He joins a group of Steve Wadiak (1950), Carl Brazell (1955), Ben Garrto (1965) and Mike Davis (2013) as the only players in school history to have a pair of 70+-yard runs in the same season.

**TAKING ONE FOR THE TEAM:** Versatile performer Dakereon Joyner moved to the running backs room for his final campaign and earned the starting role in the first four games. Joyner began his career as a quarterback, then spent the bulk of his time at wide receiver before making the transition to running back in the spring. He has rushed 49 times for 115 yards this season and owns five of the team's 13 rushing TDs. He also has 21 catches for 117 yards and has four kick returns for 64 yards. He has missed the last two games with an injury.

**ALL THE RIGHT MOVES:** Dakereon Joyner has pledged to donate money to a non-profit organization or a charity for every touchdown he scores this season. He hopes to use his platform to give back, inspire others and make a difference in people's lives. He leads the team with five rushing TDs.

**TRIPLE THREAT:** Dakereon Joyner has thrown for 430 yards and two touchdowns on 29-of-42 passing, rushed for 440 yards and nine scores on 113 carries and has caught 66 passes for 559 yards and three TDs in his career. He has completed his last 12 pass attempts for 261 yards and two scores.

**X MARKS THE SPOT:** Senior wide receiver Xavier Legette has been outstanding since having a breakthrough game in the 2022 TaxSlayer Bowl. This season he has six 100-yard receiving games, including a career-high 217-yard, 2-touchdown effort against Jacksonville State. He began the year with a nine-catch, 178-yard outing against North Carolina, the top performance in the country in Week 1. He has also gone over the 100-yard mark against Furman (118), Mississippi State (189), Florida (110) and Vanderbilt (120). He had 35 career receptions for 345 yards and three touchdowns through his first 40 games but has 72 catches for 1,265 yards and nine scores in his last 12 games.

Opponent	Rec	Yds	TD	LONG
vs #21 Notre Dame	7	78	2	42
vs #21 North Carolina	9	178	0	37
Furman	6	118	1	53
at #1 Georgia	7	71	0	35
Mississippi State	5	189	2	76
at #21 Tennessee	5	50	0	32
Florida	5	110	0	46
at #20 Missouri	1	20	0	20
at Texas A&M	3	20	0	19
Jacksonville State	9	217	2	65
Vanderbilt	9	120	0	39
Kentucky	6	94	2	28
<b>Last 12 games</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>1265</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>76</b>
<b>First 40 games</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Career Totals</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>1,610</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>76</b>

**AWARD WORTHY:** Senior wide receiver Xavier Legette was named one of 10 semifinalists for the Biletnikoff Award this week. He was previously named a Midseason Second-Team All-American by the Associated Press. Legette ranks second in the SEC and seventh in the country in receiving yards per game at 107.9, fourth in the league and 28th in the nation with 5.9 catches per game, fifth in the conference and 23rd in the land in yards per catch at 18.3 and is third in the SEC and 22nd in the country with 122.9 all-purpose yards per game.



**THE FREAK:** True freshman **Nyck Harbor** landed the No. 1 spot on Bruce Feldman's annual "Freaks List." Feldman wrote, "In two decades of doing this, I don't think I've ever had a true freshman No. 1, but this player is different. What makes Harbor 'different' is the combination of his large size and unadulterated speed. He stands at 6-foot-5, 241 pounds. Add onto that the five-star signee's 10.2-second 100m time and you get freakish." Harbor caught his first pass against Furman, a seven-yard touchdown reception, hauled in a 45-yard reception against Florida and had a pair of receptions for 50 yards at Missouri. He was targeted a game-high eight times, recording six receptions for a season-high 59 yards at Texas A&M. He has 12 catches for 195 yards this season.

**SCHOOL OF HARD KNOX:** Graduate transfer **Trey Knox** has become more of a focal point in the Carolina offense. The Arkansas transfer who played for Dowell Loggains with the Razorbacks, is second on the squad with 36 receptions for 312 yards and a touchdown. He has 30 receptions for 252 yards in his last six contests after logging just six catches for 60 yards through three contests.

**SIMON SEZ:** When Trey Knox was sidelined with an injury, **Joshua Simon** made his presence felt. The grad transfer tight end has been targeted 20 times and has caught 14 passes for 137 yards over the last three games. Prior to that he had just a dozen receptions for 97 yards through eight contests.

## 2023 Carolina Rankings

Category	Avg./No.	SEC	NCAA
Scoring Offense	27.7	9	64
Rushing Offense	87.6	14	126
Passing Offense	293.1	3	15
Passing Efficiency	156.08	7	23
Total Offense	380.7	9	68
Scoring Defense	27.3	10	78
Rushing Defense	143.1	8	50
Passing Defense	259.5	13	116
Pass Eff. Defense	134.93	7	77
Total Defense	402.6	12	96
Kickoff Returns	16.42	13	116
Opp. Kickoff Returns	18.91	5	53
Punt Returns	8.90	14	62
Opp. Punt Returns	4.10	4	21
Net Punting	41.07	6	23
Fumbles Recovered	7	1	37
Fumbles Lost	4	4	21
Passes Intercepted	9	8	55
Passes Had Intercepted	7	7	32
Turnovers Gained	16	3	50
Turnovers Lost	11	5	19
Turnover Margin	0.45	2	23
Sacks	1.82	12	91
Sacks Allowed	3.55	13	121
Tackles for Loss	4.5	14	115
Tackles for Loss Allowed	7.82	14	123
3rd Down Percentage	.354	11	101
Opp. 3rd Down Pct.	.428	11	100
4th Down Percentage	.350	11	116
Opp. 4th Down Pct.	.609	12	107
Penalties/Game	7.45	12	117
Penalty Yards/Game	57.82	12	93
Time of Possession	28:51	9	90

**O-LINE FINDS STABILITY:** After using a different combination of starters along the offensive line for the first nine games (the only team in the country to accomplish that feat), Carolina has used the same starting offensive linemen in each of their last three contests. The Gamecocks have started three left tackles, three left guards, two centers, two right guards and four right tackles this season. Here's how they've lined up from left to right:

- UNC:** Fugar-Gargiulo-Lee-Moore-Henry
- FUR:** Fugar-Gargiulo-Lee-Moore-Wannamaker
- UGA:** Babalade-Gargiulo-Lee-Moore-Fugar
- MSU:** Babalade-Gargiulo-Lee-Moore-Wannamaker
- TENN:** Babalade-Gargiulo-Lee-Baugh-Wannamaker
- FLA:** Babalade-Jones-Gargiulo-Baugh-Lee
- MIZ:** Babalade-Jones-Gargiulo-Baugh-Fugar
- A&M:** Moore-Jones-Gargiulo-Baugh-Wannamaker
- JSU:** Babalade-Moore-Gargiulo-Baugh-Lee
- VANDY:** Babalade-Moore-Gargiulo-Baugh-Lee
- UK:** Babalade-Moore-Gargiulo-Baugh-Lee

**ELI'S COMING:** The offensive line has been bolstered by the addition of Yale graduate **Nick Gargiulo**. Gargiulo, the only offensive lineman to start every game, has shown why he was the lone captain of Team 149 at Yale, as his leadership and toughness quickly made him a leader up front. He is the only O-lineman to start every game in 2023.

**IF A TREE STARTS ON THE LINE:** True freshman left tackle **Tree Babalade** has taken over at the left tackle position. He made his first start at Georgia and more than held his own. He finished the afternoon with a 90 PFF pass-blocking grade in 61 snaps, which was the fourth-best grade among all college football offensive tackles in Week 3. Babalade did not allow a sack and only surrendered a single pressure. He was named 247Sports' True Freshman of the Week for Week 3.

## Defense

**SANDERS IS FINGER-LICKIN' GOOD:** Defensive tackle **T.J. Sanders** leads the team with 4.5 sacks among his 8.5 tackles for loss and 38 stops along with four pass breakups and four QB hurries. He had a career-high nine tackles at Georgia with a pair of tackles for loss and a sack, earning co-SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week accolades.

**ALEX HUNTS THEM DOWN:** **Alex Huntley** has a pair of sacks and 4.0 TFLs among his 29 stops this season from his defensive tackle position. Both sacks came in the Gamecocks' win over Mississippi State, earning him SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week accolades. He also scored a touchdown on a pass reception against Vanderbilt. Huntley is known for his leadership, having served as his high school's student body president.

**SACK ATTACK:** The Gamecocks have 20 sacks this season. Here are the 2023 and career totals:

SACKS	2023	CAREER
Jordan Strachan	4.0	18.5
T.J. Sanders	4.5	5.5
Tonka Hemingway	1.5	5.5
Drew Tuazama	0.0	5.0
Terrell Dawkins	0.0	4.5
Jatius Geer	0.0	3.5
Alex Huntley	2.0	3.0
Debo Williams	1.0	2.5
Bam Martin-Scott	2.0	2.0
Tyreek Johnson	1.5	1.5
DQ Smith	0.5	1.5
Stone Blanton	1.0	1.0
Marcellas Dial	1.0	1.0
Bryan Thomas Jr.	1.0	1.0

**BIG MAN TOUCHDOWNS:** A defensive lineman has scored an offensive touchdown in two of the last three games. **Tonka Hemingway** had a two-yard run for six versus Jax State while **Alex Huntley** caught a one-yard TD pass in the win over Vandy.

**DEBO IF YOU DO:** **Debo Williams** leads the squad with 102 tackles including a team-high 9.0 tackles for loss. He collected a career-best 14 stops against North Carolina, the most recorded in Week 1 in the SEC, and 14 again at Missouri. He has been in double figures in tackles six times and ranks third in the SEC at 9.27 tackles per game. He is the first Gamecock to register more than 100 tackles in a season since T.J. Brunson had 106 in 2018.

**BAM WAS THE MAN:** Linebacker **Bam Martin-Scott** has started each of the last two games as Carolina opened in a 3-3-5 look. The former JUCO transfer recorded a game-high 13 tackles including a sack and a pass break up in the win over Vanderbilt and added five tackles and a QB hurry versus Kentucky. Prior to that he had just 10 tackles on the season.

**STONE TO THE HOUSE:** With the game in the balance and just two minutes remaining on the clock, **Stone Blanton** stepped in front of a Jacksonville State pass for his first career interception and returned it 88 yards to paydirt to seal the South Carolina win. Blanton's 88-yard return was the ninth-longest interception return in school history.

**SODA CITY SECONDARY:** The Gamecock secondary has a local feel to it as **Nick Emmanwori** and **DQ Smith** are Columbia products from Irmo and Spring Valley High Schools respectively. Reserve safety **King-Demenian Ford** is from the metro area as well (Blythewood), while cornerback **O'Donnell Fortune** is from nearby Sumter.

**DBU ON SPEED DIAL:** Senior cornerback **Marcellas Dial** is next in line to follow in the footsteps of some great former Carolina and current NFL defensive backs that includes Stephon Gilmore, Jaycee Horn, Israel Mukuamu, Cam Smith and Darius Rush. Dial picked off three passes and recorded a dozen pass breakups a year ago. He leads the team and is tied for third in the league with 10 passes defended this season. He also recorded his first career sack at Texas A&M.

**PICK THIS:** The Gamecocks have nine interceptions in 2023. **O'Donnell Fortune** leads the way with two this year and with and four in his career.

INTERCEPTIONS	2023	CAREER
O'Donnell Fortune	2	4
David Spaulding	1	4
Marcellas Dial	0	3
DQ Smith	1	3
Kajuan Banks	1	1
Nick Barrett	0	1
Stone Blanton	1	1
Nick Emmanwori	1	1
Jalon Kilgore	1	1
Bam Martin-Scott	0	1
Xzavier McLeod	1	1
Jordan Strachan	0	1

**NICK AT NITE:** Sophomore safety **Nick Emmanwori**, a Freshman All-American in 2022, suffered a hamstring injury on his first play in the season-opener against North Carolina and did not play against Furman but has come back with 63 tackles over the last nine games to rank 14th in the SEC with 6.4 tackles per game, including a season-high 10 stops at Georgia and again versus Jax State.



## Preseason Accolades

### Mario Anderson

Burlsworth Trophy Nominee

### Marcellas Dial

3rd Team All-SEC (SEC Coaches)

3rd Team All-SEC (Phil Steele)

4th Team All-SEC (Athlon)

### Nick Emmanwori

2nd Team All-SEC (Athlon)

Bronko Nagurski Award Watch List

### Grayson Howard

1st Team True Freshman All-America (On3)

### Tonka Hemingway

3rd Team All-SEC (SEC Coaches)

3rd Team All-SEC (SEC Media)

3rd Team All-SEC (Phil Steele)

3rd Team All-SEC (Athlon)

Outland Trophy Watch List

### Mitch Jeter

1st Team All-SEC (KOS) (SEC Coaches)

1st Team All-SEC (KOS) (SEC Media)

3rd Team All-SEC (PK) (Athlon)

Lou Groza Award Watch List

### Dakereon Joyner

3rd Team All-SEC (All-Purpose) (SEC Coaches)

3rd Team All-SEC (All-Purpose) (SEC Media)

4th Team All-SEC (All-Purpose) (Athlon)

Wuerffel Award Nominee

Premier Players Nominee

### Mohamed Kaba

4th Team All-SEC (Athlon)

### Trey Knox

HM All-America (CollegeFootballNews)

3rd Team All-SEC (SEC Coaches)

3rd Team All-SEC (SEC Media)

4th Team All-SEC (Athlon)

John Mackey Award Watch List

### Kai Kroeger

1st Team All-America (ESPN)

1st Team All-America (Walter Camp)

2nd Team All-America (Associated Press)

2nd Team All-America (Phil Steele)

2nd Team All-America (Athlon)

2nd Team All-America (CollegeFootballNews)

2nd Team All-America (CollegeFootballNetwork)

1st Team All-SEC (SEC Coaches)

1st Team All-SEC (SEC Media)

1st Team All-SEC (Phil Steele)

1st Team All-SEC (Athlon)

1st Team All-SEC (CollegeFootballNews)

Ray Guy Award Watch List

Campbell Trophy Semifinalist

### Vershon Lee

AFC A Good Works Team Nominee

### Xavier Legette

4th Team All-SEC (KR) (Phil Steele)

4th Team All-SEC (KR) (Athlon)

Biletnikoff Award Watch List

### Spencer Rattler

4th Team All-SEC (Athlon)

Manning Award Watch List

Johnny Unitas Watch List

Maxwell Award Watch List

25 on Top-30 SEC Players (CollegeFootballNews)

### Hunter Rogers

3rd Team All-SEC (Phil Steele)

Patrick Mannelly Award Watch List

### Jordan Strachan

1st Team All-SEC (CollegeFootballNews)

### Antwane Wells Jr.

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1st Team All-SEC (Phil Steele)

23 on Top-30 SEC Players (CollegeFootballNews)

**FRESHMAN SENSATION:** True freshman **Jalon Kilgore** was pressed into early action when Nick Emmanwori went down early in Game 1 and has remained in the starting lineup since. He is second on the team with 74 tackles, including a dozen stops against North Carolina, a season-high 15 stops at Tennessee, along with his first career interception and 11 more stops against Florida. He ranks ninth in the SEC with 6.73 tackles per game which is sixth in the FBS among all freshmen. He was one of 14 players named as a semifinalist for the Shaun Alexander Freshman of the Year Award.

## Special Teams

**BEAMER BALL 2.0:** The Gamecocks have blocked 14 kicks in the last three years, four this season and six in 2022, after logging eight blocks over the previous five years (2016-20) combined. The four blocks is tied for second in the country. They got their first of the season against Florida when **Tyreek Johnson** blocked a field goal attempt, and added two at Texas A&M, as **Joshua Simon** partially blocked a punt and **Alex Huntley** deflected a field goal try. **Keenan Nelson Jr.** blocked a punt and returned it 18 yards for a score in the win over Vanderbilt. It was the first special teams touchdown of the season after recording five a year ago.

**KAI CAN KICK:** Senior **Kai Kroeger** has punted 54 times for a 43.3-yard average with a long of 60 this season. He owns a net of 41.1 yards per punt. Nineteen of the punts have been downed inside the 20 with eight traveling 50 yards or more. Op-

ponents have returned 10 punts for just 41 yards.

**KAI CAN PASS:** **Kai Kroeger** is 1-for-2 on the season passing for 32 yards. He was 4-for-4 passing the ball in 2022, two on fake punts and two on fake field goals. In his career, Kroeger is 7-for-8 passing for 205 yards and three touchdowns and a gaudy 426.5 career quarterback rating.

**HE'S MADE A CAREER OF IT:** **Kai Kroeger** has handled the punting duties since his arrival in Columbia. He has booted 210 punts for 9,238 yards, an average of 44.0-yards per punt, second in school history. Of his 210 punts, 47 (22.4 pct) have traveled 50+ yards, while 79 (37.6 pct.) have been marked inside the 20 with just 13 touchbacks.

**RESPECT FOR JETER:** **Mitch Jeter** came into 2022 following in the footsteps left by Parker White, the school's all-time leading scorer. Jeter responded with 53- and 51-yard field goals on his first two attempts. He is the only player in school history to boom a pair of 50-yard field goals in the same game. He finished the 2022 season 11-for-11 in field goal tries. He is 12-for-14 this season with both misses coming from 50 or beyond. He connected on a career-high four field goals at Missouri earlier this season, including a season-long 51-yarder. He is 23-for-25 (92.0 pct.) in his career.

**ALMOST AUTOMATIC:** Dating back to 2021 when Parker White handled the field goal duties, the Gamecocks have successfully converted 39 of their last 42 field goal attempts (92.9 pct.).

## 2023 Award Winners

Xavier Legette	Senior Bowl Stock Up Player of the Week.....	North Carolina (Sept. 2)
Spencer Rattler	SEC Offensive Player of the Week.....	Furman (Sept. 9)
Tree Babalade	247Sports True Freshman of the Week.....	Georgia (Sept. 16)
T.J. Sanders	Co-SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week.....	Georgia (Sept. 16)
Spencer Rattler	Co-SEC Offensive Player of the Week.....	Mississippi State (Sept. 23)
Alex Huntley	Co-SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week.....	Mississippi State (Sept. 23)
Spencer Rattler	East-West Shrine Bowl Monday Morning QB.....	Mississippi State (Sept. 23)
Spencer Rattler	Davey O'Brien Award's Great 8.....	Mississippi State (Sept. 23)
Xavier Legette	Associated Press Midseason Second-Team All-America	
Xavier Legette	Reese's Senior Bowl Midseason All-America Team	
Xavier Legette	PFF Midseason College Football All-Prospect Team	
Xavier Legette	College Football Network Midseason Honorable Mention All-American	
Marcellas Dial	College Football Network Midseason Second-Team All-SEC	
Xavier Legette	College Football Network Midseason Second-Team All-SEC	
Trey Knox	College Football Network Midseason Honorable Mention All-SEC	
Kai Kroeger	College Football Network Midseason Honorable Mention All-SEC	
Jalon Kilgore	Shaun Alexander Freshman of the Year Semifinalist	
Xavier Legette	Reese's Senior Bowl Co-Offensive Player of the Week.....	Jacksonville State (Nov. 4)
Xavier Legette	Biletnikoff Semifinalist	
Jordan Strachan	SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week.....	Kentucky (Nov. 18)

## Tracking the 2023 Opponents

Opponent (Date vs. SC)	2023	Last Week (Nov. 18)	This Week (Nov. 23-25)
vs North Carolina (9/2)	8-3	L, 31-20 at Clemson	at NC State
vs Furman (9/9)	9-2	L, 19-13 at Wofford	FCS Playoffs (12/2)
at Georgia (9/16)	11-0	W, 38-10 at Tennessee	at Georgia Tech
vs Mississippi State (9/23)	5-6	W, 41-20 vs Southern Miss	vs Ole Miss (11/23)
at Tennessee (9/30)	7-4	L, 38-10 vs Georgia	vs Vanderbilt
vs Florida (10/14)	5-6	L, 33-31 at Missouri	vs Florida State
at Missouri (10/21)	9-2	W, 33-31 vs Florida	at Arkansas (11/24)
at Texas A&M (10/28)	7-4	W, 38-10 vs Abilene Christian	at LSU
vs Jacksonville State (11/4)	8-3	W, 56-17 vs Louisiana Tech	at New Mexico State
vs Vanderbilt (11/11)	2-9	OPEN	at Tennessee
vs Kentucky (11/18)	6-5	<b>L, 17-14 at South Carolina</b>	at Louisville
vs Clemson (11/25)	7-4	W, 31-20 vs North Carolina	<b>at South Carolina</b>



## Media Services

### Weekly Press Conference:

Head Coach Shane Beamer conducts a weekly press conference at 1:30 pm ET on Tuesdays. The University of South Carolina communications office will make Coach Beamer's weekly press conference available for the media via an FTP site.

### Weekly Teleconference:

Head Coach Shane Beamer conducts a weekly teleconference at 6:15 pm ET on Sundays. Please contact Steve Fink at finksc@mailbox.sc.edu for the phone number and passcode to participate.

### SEC Teleconference:

The Southeastern Conference will host a weekly press teleconference each Wednesday from Aug. 30 through Nov. 15. The teleconference, open to the media, will feature the head coach from each team every week. Coach Beamer's scheduled time is 12:10 pm ET. Contact the SEC Media Relations office for the number and passcode.

### Carolina Calls:

Carolina Calls with Head Coach Shane Beamer is on the airwaves on most Thursdays throughout the season. Hosted by the voice of Carolina Football and Gamecock Hall of Famer, Todd Ellis, the show will originate from Backstreets Grill, located at 2400 Devine Street in Columbia. The show airs from 6-7 pm ET and is carried on the flagship station of the Gamecocks, WNKT-FM, across the Palmetto State on the Gamecock Radio Network and over the internet at GamecocksOnline.com.

### Television Show:

The Gamecock Football with Shane Beamer show airs at 11:30 am and 6:30 pm on Sundays on Bally Sports SE and locally on WACH-FOX at 10:30 pm on Sundays.

## Gamecocks in the NFL

Name	Team	Position
Nate Adkins	Denver Broncos	Tight End
Zach Bailey*	Los Angeles Chargers	Offensive Guard
Jalen Brooks	Dallas Cowboys	Wide Receiver
Jadeveon Clowney	Baltimore Ravens	Defensive End
Dennis Daley#	Arizona Cardinals	Offensive Tackle
Rico Dowdle	Dallas Cowboys	Running Back
Kingsley Enagbare	Green Bay Packers	Edge
Rashad Fenton#	Arizona Cardinals	Cornerback
Stephon Gilmore	Dallas Cowboys	Cornerback
Jovaughn Gwyn	Atlanta Falcons	Offensive Guard
Kevin Harris*	New England Patriots	Running Back
Jaycee Horn	Carolina Panthers	Cornerback
Hayden Hurst	Carolina Panthers	Tight End
Ernest Jones	Los Angeles Rams	Linebacker
Javon Kinlaw	San Francisco 49ers	Defensive Tackle
Chris Lammons	Indianapolis Colts	Cornerback
Israel Mukuamu	Dallas Cowboys	Defensive Back
Nick Muse	Minnesota Vikings	Tight End
Keisean Nixon	Green Bay Packers	Cornerback
Zacch Pickens	Chicago Bears	Defensive Tackle
Adam Prentice	New Orleans Saints	Fullback
Darius Rush	Pittsburgh Steelers	Cornerback
Deebo Samuel	San Francisco 49ers	Wide Receiver
Cam Smith	Miami Dolphins	Cornerback
Shi Smith*	Tennessee Titans	Wide Receiver
Taylor Stallworth#	Tennessee Titans	Defensive Tackle
D.J. Wonnum	Minnesota Vikings	Defensive End

\*-Practice Squad #-Reserve/Injured

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Aiken/Augusta	WYBO-FM	92.9	Myrtle Beach	WSEA-FM	100.3
Allendale	WDOG-FM	93.5	Newberry	WKDK-AM	1240
Camden	WCAM-AM	1590	Rock Hill/		
Charleston	WTMZ-FM	98.9	Lancaster	WRHM-FM	107.1
Chesterfield	WVSZ-FM	107.3	Seneca	WSNW-AM	1150
Columbia	WNKT-FM	107.5	Seneca	WSNW-FM	94.1
Florence	WFRK-FM	95.3	Spartanburg	WSPG-AM	1400
Gaffney	WZZQ-AM	1500	Spartanburg	WSPG-FM	98.3
Gaffney	WZZQ-FM	104.3	Sumter	WIBZ-FM	95.5
Greenville	WROO-FM	104.9	Union	WBCU-AM	1460
Greenwood	WCZZ-AM	1090	Union	WBCU-FM	103.5
Lake City	WHYM-AM	1260			

## Weekly South Carolina Football Media Availability

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Practice is scheduled for 6 pm. Head coach Shane Beamer holds a teleconference at 6:15 p.m. ET. No player availability. Deadline for Tuesday's player interview requests is 5 pm.	The team is scheduled for its NCAA-mandated off day. No media availability for coaches or players.	Practice is scheduled for 9:30 am. A limited number of requested and approved players will be available following practice beginning around 12:10 pm. Coach Beamer holds a weekly 1:30 pm press conference.	Practice is scheduled for 9:30 am. Coach Beamer is on the SEC conference call at 12:10 p.m. ET. The South Carolina coordinators hold a weekly press conference beginning at 12:20 pm.	Practice is scheduled for 9:30 am. There is no post-practice availability. Coach Shane Beamer's weekly radio show is from 6-7 p.m. ET from Backstreets Grill on Devine Street.	Head coach Shane Beamer, OC Dowell Loggains, DC Clayton White and selected players are available for network television only.	Head coach Shane Beamer and selected players will be available in person following the game. The Gamecocks' locker room is closed.





No.	Name	POS.	HT	WT	CL	EXP	Hometown (High/Last School)
85	CJ Adams	WR	6-2	215	FR	HS	Mableton, Ga. (Pebblebrook)
24	Mario Anderson	RB	5-9	208	R-SR	TR	Summerville, S.C. (Stratford/Newberry)
58	Markee Anderson	OL	6-4	302	FR	HS	Roebuck, S.C. (Dorman)
48	Peyton Argent	PK/P	6-2	203	FR	HS	Hoover, Ala. (Hoover)
51	Tree Babalade	OL	6-5	338	FR	HS	Hyattsville, Md. (DeMatha Catholic)
15	Tanner Bailey	QB	6-1	215	R-FR	SQ	Gordo, Ala. (Gordo)
13	Kajuan Banks	DB	5-10	173	SO	1L	Tallahassee, Fla. (Godby)
93	Nick Barrett	DT	6-3	327	JR	2L	Goldsboro, N.C. (Eastern Wayne)
78	Trovon Baugh	OL	6-4	337	FR	HS	Atlanta, Ga. (Pace Academy)
30	Jace Blackshear	DB	5-8	168	R-FR	SQ	Hilton Head, S.C. (Hilton Head Christian Academy)
89	O'Mega Blake	WR	6-2	180	R-SO	SQ	Rock Hill, S.C. (South Pointe)
52	Stone Blanton	LB	6-2	232	SO	1L	Jackson, Miss. (Madison-Ridgeland Academy)
23	Djay Braswell	RB	5-11	204	FR	HS	Sandersville, Ga. (Washington County)
10	Ahmarean Brown	WR	5-9	169	S-SR	2L	Tampa, Fla. (Jefferson/Georgia Tech)
44	Maurice Brown II	TE	6-4	237	FR	HS	Upper Marlboro, Md. (C.H. Flowers)
73	Ryan Brubaker	OL	6-6	304	R-FR	SQ	Stevens, Pa. (Cocalico)
45	Colin Bryant	LB	6-3	225	R-SO	SQ	Mt. Pleasant, S.C. (Wando/Alabama)
43	Joseph Byrnes	DB	6-0	193	R-SO	SQ	Camden, S.C. (Camden)
14	Elijah Caldwell	WR	6-1	191	FR	HS	Rock Hill, S.C. (Northwestern)
41	Andrew Colasurdo	LB	6-1	237	R-SO	SQ	Inman, S.C. (Chapman)
20	Judge Collier	DB	6-1	193	FR	HS	Rock Hill, S.C. (Legion Collegiate Academy)
18	Connor Cox	TE	6-5	235	FR	HS	Jacksonville, Fla. (The Bolles School)
11	Elijah Davis	DL	6-3	289	JR	JC	Wagener, S.C. (Wagener-Salley/East Mississippi C.C.)
4	Terrell Dawkins	EDGE	6-4	251	R-SR	SQ	Concord, N.C. (Cox Mill/NC State)
6	Marcellas Dial	DB	6-0	195	R-SR	2L	Woodruff, S.C. (Woodruff/Georgia Military)
9	Luke Doty	QB	6-1	209	R-JR	2L	Myrtle Beach, S.C. (Myrtle Beach)
32	Bradley Dunn	RB	5-9	203	R-JR	SQ	Columbia, S.C. (Hammond School)
84	Nick Elksnis	TE	6-6	251	R-SO	TR	Jacksonville, Fla. (Episcopal/Florida)
21	Nick Emmanwori	DB	6-3	220	SO	1L	Irmo, S.C. (Irmo)
8	Emory Floyd	DB	6-1	181	R-FR	SQ	Marietta, Ga. (Hillgrove)
27	King-Demenian Ford	DB	6-2	209	R-JR	1L	Blythewood, S.C. (Blythewood)
3	O'Donnell Fortune	DB	6-1	185	R-JR	2L	Sumter, S.C. (Sumter)
49	Jordan Franke	LS	5-11	205	FR	HS	Verona, Wis. (Verona)
77	Sidney Fugar	OL	6-5	327	R-SO	TR	Waldorf, Md. (St. Thomas More Academy/Western Illinois)
69	Nick Gargiulo	OL	6-5	327	GR	TR	Yorktown Heights, N.Y. (Somers/Yale)
4	Colten Gauthier	QB	6-3	208	R-SO	SQ	Bethlehem, Ga. (Hebron Christian Academy)
12	Jatius Geer	EDGE	6-6	243	R-SO	TR	Anderson, S.C. (Belton-Honea Path/Syracuse)
17	DeAngelo Gibbs	DB	6-1	225	GR	TR	Oxford, Ga. (Grayson/Tennessee)
36	B.J. Gibson	DB	6-4	219	R-SR	1L	Marietta, Ga. (Walton/Navy)
26	Landon Grier	DB	5-9	161	R-JR	SQ	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (St. Thomas Aquinas)
8	Nyck Harbor	WR	6-5	241	FR	HS	Washington, D.C. (Archbishop Carroll)
26	Nathan Harris-Waynick	RB	5-10	200	R-SO	SQ	Sumter, S.C. (Sumter)
88	Will Helmadollar	TE	6-3	225	FR	HS	Columbia, S.C. (Ben Lippen)
91	Tonka Hemingway	DT	6-3	285	SR	3L	Conway, S.C. (Conway)
83	Kelton Henderson	WR	6-0	165	FR	HS	Lehigh Acres, Fla. (Lehigh Senior)
75	Cason Henry	OL	6-6	300	R-FR	SQ	Marietta, Ga. (Walton)
40	Alex Herrera	PK/P	6-0	189	R-SR	2L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
50	Felix Hixon	WR	6-3	309	R-FR	SQ	Jackson, Ga. (Jackson)
20	Kylic Horton	DT	6-4	199	R-FR	SQ	Santee, S.C. (Clarendon Hall)
5	Krayson Howard	LB	6-4	241	FR	HS	Jacksonville, Fla. (Andrew Jackson)
79	Jaxon Hughes	OL	6-6	297	R-SR	TR	Greensboro, N.C. (Northern Guilford/Charlotte)
95	Alex Huntley	DT	6-4	298	R-JR	2L	Blythewood, S.C. (Hammond School)
98	Mitch Jeter	PK	5-10	194	SR	3L	Salisbury, N.C. (Cannon School)
10	Tyreek Johnson	EDGE	6-3	270	R-SR	2L	Sumter, S.C. (Lakewood)
72	Trai Jones	OL	6-2	318	R-JR	2L	Abbeville, S.C. (Abbeville)
45	William Joyce	P	6-3	223	R-SO	SQ	Spartanburg, S.C. (Spartanburg)
5	Dakereon Joyner	RB	6-1	229	S-SR	4L	N. Charleston, S.C. (Fort Dorchester)

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32	Mohamed Kaba	LB	6-2	242	R-JR	2L	Clinton, N.C. (Clinton)
24	Jalon Kilgore	DB	6-1	204	FR	HS	Eatonton, Ga. (Putnam County)
1	Trey Knox	TE	6-5	240	GR	TR	Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Blackman/Arkansas)
39	Kai Kroeger	P	6-4	212	SR	3L	Lake Forest, Ill. (Lake Forest)
53	Vershon Lee	OL	6-4	319	R-JR	2L	Woodbridge, Va. (Freedom)
17	Xavier Legette	WR	6-3	227	S-SR	4L	Mullins, S.C. (Mullins)
42	Daniel Lester	PK	6-2	218	R-FR	SQ	Land O' Lakes, Fla. (Sunlake)
11	Eddie Lewis	WR	6-0	188	GR	TR	Harlem, N.Y. (Mater Dei/Memphis)
57	Grayton Mains	OL	6-5	296	R-FR	SQ	Cumming, Ga. (Lambert)
13	Payton Mangrum	WR	6-0	198	R-JR	2L	Greenville, S.C. (Eastside)
61	Ni Mansell	OL	6-3	306	R-JR	TR	Anderson, S.C. (Westside/Mercer)
99	D'Andre Martin	DT	6-4	306	R-FR	SQ	Durham, N.C. (Life Christian Academy)
22	Bam Martin-Scott	LB	6-2	226	R-SR	1L	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Snider/Dodge City C.C.)
35	Chase McCracken	RB	5-10	197	R-FR	SQ	Hilton Head, S.C. (Hilton Head Island)
0	Juju McDowell	RB	5-9	180	JR	2L	Bainbridge, Ga. (Lee County)
86	Reid Mikeska	TE	6-6	225	FR	HS	Cypress, Texas (Bridgeland)
55	Jakai Moore	OL	6-6	318	R-SR	3L	Nokesville, Va. (Patriot)
64	JonDarius Morgan	OL	6-3	319	R-SO	SQ	Birmingham, Ala. (Huffman)
87	Joseph Morris	WR	6-0	189	R-SO	SQ	Camden, S.C. (Camden/N. Greenville)
81	Aaron Morton	WR	5-8	169	R-SO	SQ	Cincinnati, Ohio (Loveland)
18	Keenan Nelson Jr.	DB	6-1	195	R-FR	SQ	Philadelphia, Pa. (St. Joseph's Prep)
52	Jaylen Nichols	OL	6-5	318	S-SR	4L	Charlotte, N.C. (Myers Park)
23	Isaiah Norris	DB	5-11	183	R-SR	SQ	Anderson, S.C. (T.L. Hanna/Georgia Military)
40	Ronnie Porter	LB	6-1	241	R-SO	SQ	Columbia, S.C. (Heathwood Hall)
46	Cole Rasmussen	LS	5-11	225	R-JR	SQ	Fort Mill, S.C. (Fort Mill/Charleston So.)
7	Spencer Rattler	QB	6-1	217	R-SR	1L	Phoenix, Ariz. (Pinnacle/Oklahoma)
12	Eriq Rice	WR	6-1	197	R-SO	SQ	Columbia, S.C. (A.C. Flora)
34	Jamian Risher Jr.	LB	6-2	213	R-FR	HS	Varnville, S.C. (Wade Hampton)
36	Hunter Rogers	LS	6-1	202	R-JR	2L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
19	Ben Rollins	WR	5-9	162	R-JR	SQ	Inman, S.C. (Chapman)
21	Tyshawn Russell	WR	6-0	174	FR	HS	Harrisburg, Pa. (Bishop McDevitt)
82	Landon Samson	WR	6-0	191	R-FR	SQ	Southlake, Texas (Southlake Carroll)
90	T.J. Sanders	DT	6-5	298	R-SO	1L	Marion, S.C. (Marion)
33	Kamron Sandlin	RB	6-3	214	FR	HS	Anniston, Ala. (Anniston)
25	Zahbari Sandy	DB	6-2	215	FR	HS	Washington, D.C. (St. John's College)
16	LaNorris Sellers	QB	6-3	245	FR	HS	Florence, S.C. (South Florence)
50	Jatavius Shivers	OL	6-6	315	FR	HS	Villa Rica, Ga. (Villa Rica)
22	Zavier Short	WR	6-2	212	R-FR	SQ	Chapin, S.C. (Chapin)
6	Joshua Simon	TE	6-4	240	GR	TR	Dalzell, S.C. (Crestwood/Western Kentucky)
1	DQ Smith	DB	6-1	214	SO	1L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
29	David Spaulding	DB	6-1	198	R-SR	2L	Riceboro, Ga. (Bradwell Institute/Georgia Southern)
7	Jordan Strachan	EDGE	6-5	243	S-SR	1L	Kingsland, Ga. (Camden County/Georgia State)
16	Vicari Swain	DB	6-1	183	FR	HS	Carrollton, Ga. (Central)
67	Chase Sweigart	OL	6-6	298	R-FR	SQ	Chapin, S.C. (Chapin)
46	Bryan Thomas Jr.	EDGE	6-3	235	SO	1L	Windermere, Fla. (Foundation Academy)
19	Drew Tuazama	EDGE	6-5	275	GR	TR	Raleigh, N.C. (Knightdale/UAB)
27	D.J. Twitty	RB	6-0	221	S-SR	SQ	Inman, S.C. (Chapman/E. Tenn. State)
9	Desmond Umeozulu	EDGE	6-6	246	FR	HS	Upper Marlboro, Md. (C.H. Flowers)
68	Campbell Vandiver	OL	6-7	267	FR	HS	Brentwood, Tenn. (Lipscomb Academy)
80	Lukas Vozeh	TE	6-4	256	FR	HS	Franklin Lakes, N.J. (IMG Academy)
66	Mac Walters	OL	6-6	290	R-FR	SQ	Myrtle Beach, S.C. (Myrtle Beach)
62	Tyshawn Wannamaker	OL	6-3	290	R-JR	2L	St. Matthews, S.C. (Calhoun County)
3	Antwane Wells Jr.	WR	6-1	208	SR	1L	Richmond, Va. (Highland Springs/James Madison)
15	Donovan Westmoreland	EDGE	6-1	234	SO	1L	Griffin, Ga. (Griffin)
54	Jamaal Whyce	DT	6-3	323	R-FR	SQ	Miami, Fla. (Florida Christian)
0	Debo Williams	LB	6-1	232	R-JR	2L	Smyrna, Del. (Smyrna/Delaware)
31	Peyton Williams	DB	6-0	198	R-FR	SQ	Heath, Texas (Rockwall-Heath)
14	Jaron Willis	LB	6-2	225	R-FR	TR	Leesburg, Ga. (Lee County/Ole Miss)



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1	Trey Knox	TE	6-5	240	GR	TR	Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Blackman/Arkansas)
1	DQ Smith	DB	6-1	214	SO	1L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
3	Antwane Wells Jr.	WR	6-1	208	SR	1L	Richmond, Va. (Highland Springs/James Madison)
3	O'Donnell Fortune	DB	6-1	185	R-JR	2L	Sumter, S.C. (Sumter)
4	Terrell Dawkins	EDGE	6-4	251	R-SR	SQ	Concord, N.C. (Cox Mill/NC State)
4	Colten Gauthier	QB	6-3	208	R-SO	SQ	Bethlehem, Ga. (Hebron Christian Academy)
5	Dakereon Joyner	RB	6-1	229	S-SR	4L	N. Charleston, S.C. (Fort Dorchester)
5	Grayson Howard	LB	6-4	241	FR	HS	Jacksonville, Fla. (Andrew Jackson)
6	Joshua Simon	TE	6-4	240	GR	TR	Dalzell, S.C. (Crestwood/Western Kentucky)
6	Marcellas Dial	DB	6-0	195	R-SR	2L	Woodruff, S.C. (Woodruff/Georgia Military)
7	Jordan Strachan	EDGE	6-5	243	S-SR	1L	Kingsland, Ga. (Camden County/Georgia State)
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11	Eddie Lewis	WR	6-0	188	GR	TR	Harlem, N.Y. (Mater Dei/Memphis)
11	Elijah Davis	DL	6-3	289	JR	JC	Wagener, S.C. (Wagener-Salley/East Mississippi C.C.)
12	Jatius Geer	EDGE	6-6	243	R-SO	TR	Anderson, S.C. (Belton-Honea Path/Syracuse)
12	Eriq Rice	WR	6-1	197	R-SO	SQ	Columbia, S.C. (A.C. Flora)
13	Payton Mangrum	WR	6-0	198	R-JR	2L	Greenville, S.C. (Eastside)
13	Kajuan Banks	DB	5-10	173	SO	1L	Tallahassee, Fla. (Godby)
14	Jaron Willis	LB	6-2	225	R-FR	TR	Leesburg, Ga. (Lee County/Ole Miss)
14	Elijah Caldwell	WR	6-1	191	FR	HS	Rock Hill, S.C. (Northwestern)
15	Donovan Westmoreland	EDGE	6-1	234	SO	1L	Griffin, Ga. (Griffin)
15	Tanner Bailey	QB	6-1	215	R-FR	SQ	Gordo, Ala. (Gordo)
16	LaNorris Sellers	QB	6-3	245	FR	HS	Florence, S.C. (South Florence)
16	Vicari Swain	DB	6-1	183	FR	HS	Carrollton, Ga. (Central)
17	Xavier Legett	WR	6-3	227	S-SR	4L	Mullins, S.C. (Mullins)
17	DeAngelo Gibbs	DB	6-1	225	GR	TR	Oxford, Ga. (Grayson/Tennessee)
18	Keenan Nelson Jr.	DB	6-1	195	R-FR	SQ	Philadelphia, Pa. (St. Joseph's Prep)
18	Connor Cox	TE	6-5	235	FR	HS	Jacksonville, Fla. (The Bolles School)
19	Drew Tuazama	EDGE	6-5	275	GR	TR	Raleigh, N.C. (Knightdale/UAB)
19	Ben Rollins	WR	5-9	162	R-JR	SQ	Inman, S.C. (Chapman)
20	Kylic Horton	WR	6-4	199	R-FR	SQ	Santee, S.C. (Clarendon Hall)
20	Judge Collier	DB	6-1	193	FR	HS	Rock Hill, S.C. (Legion Collegiate Academy)
21	Nick Emmanwori	DB	6-3	220	SO	1L	Irmo, S.C. (Irmo)
21	Tyshawn Russell	WR	6-0	174	FR	HS	Harrisburg, Pa. (Bishop McDevitt)
22	Bam Martin-Scott	LB	6-2	226	R-SR	1L	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Snider/Dodge City C.C.)
22	Zavier Short	WR	6-2	212	R-FR	SQ	Chapin, S.C. (Chapin)
23	Isaiah Norris	DB	5-11	183	R-SR	SQ	Anderson, S.C. (T.L. Hanna/Georgia Military)
23	Djay Braswell	RB	5-11	204	FR	HS	Sandersville, Ga. (Washington County)
24	Mario Anderson	RB	5-9	208	R-SR	TR	Summerville, S.C. (Stratford/Newberry)
24	Jalon Kilgore	DB	6-1	204	FR	HS	Eatonton, Ga. (Putnam County)
25	Zahbari Sandy	DB	6-2	215	FR	HS	Washington, D.C. (St. John's College)
26	Landon Grier	DB	5-9	161	R-JR	SQ	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (St. Thomas Aquinas)
26	Nathan Harris-Waynick	RB	5-10	200	R-SO	SQ	Sumter, S.C. (Sumter)
27	D.J. Twitty	RB	6-0	221	S-SR	SQ	Inman, S.C. (Chapman/E. Tenn. State)
27	King-Demenian Ford	DB	6-2	209	R-JR	1L	Blythewood, S.C. (Blythewood)
29	David Spaulding	DB	6-1	198	R-SR	2L	Riceboro, Ga. (Bradwell Institute/Georgia Southern)

No.	Name	POS.	HT	WT	CL	EXP	Hometown (High/Last School)
30	Jace Blackshear	DB	5-8	168	R-FR	SQ	Hilton Head, S.C. (Hilton Head Christian Academy)
31	Peyton Williams	DB	6-0	198	R-FR	SQ	Heath, Texas (Rockwall-Heath)
32	Mohamed Kaba	LB	6-2	242	R-JR	2L	Clinton, N.C. (Clinton)
32	Bradley Dunn	RB	5-9	203	R-JR	SQ	Columbia, S.C. (Hammond School)
33	Kamron Sandlin	RB	6-3	214	FR	HS	Anniston, Ala. (Anniston)
34	Jamian Risher Jr.	LB	6-2	213	R-FR	HS	Varnville, S.C. (Wade Hampton)
35	Chase McCracken	RB	5-10	197	R-FR	SQ	Hilton Head, S.C. (Hilton Head Island)
36	B.J. Gibson	DB	6-4	219	R-SR	1L	Marietta, Ga. (Walton/Navy)
36	Hunter Rogers	LS	6-1	202	R-JR	2L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
39	Kai Kroeger	P	6-4	212	SR	3L	Lake Forest, Ill. (Lake Forest)
40	Alex Herrera	PK/P	6-0	189	R-SR	2L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
40	Ronnie Porter	LB	6-1	241	R-SO	SQ	Columbia, S.C. (Heathwood Hall)
41	Andrew Colasurdo	LB	6-1	237	R-SO	SQ	Inman, S.C. (Chapman)
42	Daniel Lester	PK	6-2	218	R-FR	SQ	Land O' Lakes, Fla. (Sunlake)
43	Joseph Byrnes	DB	6-0	193	R-SO	SQ	Camden, S.C. (Camden)
44	Maurice Brown II	TE	6-4	237	FR	HS	Upper Marlboro, Md. (C.H. Flowers)
45	Colin Bryant	LB	6-3	225	R-SO	SQ	Mt. Pleasant, S.C. (Wando/Alabama)
45	William Joyce	P	6-3	223	R-SO	SQ	Spartanburg, S.C. (Spartanburg)
46	Cole Rasmussen	LS	5-11	225	R-JR	SQ	Fort Mill, S.C. (Fort Mill/Charleston So.)
46	Bryan Thomas Jr.	EDGE	6-3	235	SO	1L	Windermere, Fla. (Foundation Academy)
48	Peyton Argent	PK/P	6-2	203	FR	HS	Hoover, Ala. (Hoover)
49	Jordan Franke	LS	5-11	205	FR	HS	Verona, Wis. (Verona)
50	Felix Hixon	DT	6-3	309	R-FR	SQ	Jackson, Ga. (Jackson)
50	Jatavius Shivers	OL	6-6	315	FR	HS	Villa Rica, Ga. (Villa Rice)
51	Tree Babalade	OL	6-5	338	FR	HS	Hyattsville, Md. (DeMatha Catholic)
52	Jaylen Nichols	OL	6-5	318	S-SR	4L	Charlotte, N.C. (Myers Park)
52	Stone Blanton	LB	6-2	232	SO	1L	Jackson, Miss. (Madison-Ridgeland Academy)
53	Vershon Lee	OL	6-4	319	R-JR	2L	Woodbridge, Va. (Freedom)
54	Jamaal Whyce	DT	6-3	323	R-FR	SQ	Miami, Fla. (Florida Christian)
55	Jakai Moore	OL	6-6	318	R-SR	3L	Nokesville, Va. (Patriot)
57	Grayson Mains	OL	6-5	296	R-FR	SQ	Cumming, Ga. (Lambert)
58	Markee Anderson	OL	6-4	302	FR	HS	Roebuck, S.C. (Dorman)
61	Ni Mansell	OL	6-3	306	R-JR	TR	Anderson, S.C. (Westside/Mercer)
62	Tyshawn Wannamaker	OL	6-3	290	R-JR	2L	St. Matthews, S.C. (Calhoun County)
64	JonDarius Morgan	OL	6-3	319	R-SO	SQ	Birmingham, Ala. (Huffman)
66	Mac Walters	OL	6-6	290	R-FR	SQ	Myrtle Beach, S.C. (Myrtle Beach)
67	Chase Sweigart	OL	6-6	298	R-FR	SQ	Chapin, S.C. (Chapin)
68	Campbell Vandiver	OL	6-7	267	FR	HS	Brentwood, Tenn. (Lipscomb Academy)
69	Nick Gargiulo	OL	6-5	327	GR	TR	Yorktown Heights, N.Y. (Somers/Yale)
72	Trai Jones	OL	6-2	318	R-JR	2L	Abbeville, S.C. (Abbeville)
73	Ryan Brubaker	OL	6-6	304	R-FR	SQ	Stevens, Pa. (Cocalico)
75	Cason Henry	OL	6-6	300	R-FR	SQ	Marietta, Ga. (Walton)
77	Sidney Fugar	OL	6-5	327	R-SO	TR	Waldorf, Md. (St. Thomas More Academy/Western Illinois)
78	Trovon Baugh	OL	6-4	337	FR	HS	Atlanta, Ga. (Pace Academy)
79	Jaxon Hughes	OL	6-6	297	R-SR	TR	Greensboro, N.C. (Northern Guilford/Charlotte)
80	Lukas Vozeh	TE	6-4	256	FR	HS	Franklin Lakes, N.J. (IMG Academy)
81	Aaron Morton	WR	5-8	169	R-SO	SQ	Cincinnati, Ohio (Loveland)
82	Landon Samson	WR	6-0	191	R-FR	SQ	Southlake, Texas (Southlake Carroll)
83	Kelton Henderson	WR	6-0	165	FR	HS	Lehigh Acres, Fla. (Lehigh Senior)
84	Nick Elksnis	TE	6-6	251	R-SO	TR	Jacksonville, Fla. (Episcopal/Florida)
85	CJ Adams	WR	6-2	215	FR	HS	Mableton, Ga. (Pebblebrook)
86	Reid Mikeska	TE	6-6	225	FR	HS	Cypress, Texas (Bridgeland)
87	Joseph Morris	WR	6-0	189	R-SO	SQ	Camden, S.C. (Camden/N. Greenville)
88	Will Helmadollar	TE	6-3	225	FR	HS	Columbia, S.C. (Ben Lippen)
89	O'Mega Blake	WR	6-2	180	R-SO	SQ	Rock Hill, S.C. (South Pointe)
90	T.J. Sanders	DT	6-5	298	R-SO	1L	Marion, S.C. (Marion)
91	Tonka Hemingway	DT	6-3	285	SR	3L	Conway, S.C. (Conway)
93	Nick Barrett	DT	6-3	327	JR	2L	Goldsboro, N.C. (Eastern Wayne)
95	Alex Huntley	DT	6-4	298	R-JR	2L	Blythewood, S.C. (Hammond School)
98	Mitch Jeter	PK	5-10	194	SR	3L	Salisbury, N.C. (Cannon School)
99	D'Andre Martin	DT	6-4	306	R-FR	SQ	Durham, N.C. (Life Christian Academy)



Offense

Table of offensive players including WR, LT, LG, OC, RG, RT, TE, QB, and RB with their jersey numbers, names, heights, weights, positions, and hometowns.

Defense

Table of defensive players including DE, DT, OLB, MLB, WLB, NICK, CB, SS, FS, and CB with their jersey numbers, names, heights, weights, positions, and hometowns.

Pronunciation Guide

Pronunciation guide table listing player names and their corresponding pronunciations.

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**SHANE**  
**BEAMER**

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**HEAD COACH**

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**(VIRGINIA TECH, 1999)**  
**THIRD YEAR AT SOUTH CAROLINA**

A rising star in the head coaching ranks, Shane Beamer begins his third season leading the South Carolina program. He was named the Gamecocks' 36th head football coach on Dec. 6, 2020. In his first two seasons he has defeated three coaches who have won national championships - Jimbo Fisher, Dabo Swinney and Mack Brown.

Beamer had a successful first season in Columbia, improving the Gamecocks by 3.5 games, from a 2-8 mark in 2020 to a 7-6 campaign in 2021, including a convincing win over North Carolina in the Duke's Mayo Bowl. He tied the school record for wins by a first-year head coach, doubled the preseason's expected win total and surpassed the win total of the two previous seasons combined, earning him a share of the Steve Spurrier First-Year Coach of the Year Award, presented by the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA). Safety Jaylan Foster earned All-America honors and three players were selected in the NFL Draft following his inaugural season.

In 2022, the team again exceeded expectations by recording eight wins, including three wins over ranked opponents. The Gamecocks won eight games for just the 15th time in 129 seasons and for the first time since 2017. The Gamecocks were ranked 23rd in the country in the final AP and USA Today Coaches' polls. It marked the first time since 2013 that the Gamecocks finished the season ranked in the top-25 and the 10th time Carolina has finished the season ranked in the final AP poll. The Gamecocks defeated No. 5 Tennessee and No. 7 Clemson in the final two games of the regular season, the first time Carolina has posted back-to-back wins over top-10 teams and just the seventh time in history that a school has defeated AP Top-10 opponents in consecutive weeks as an unranked team, the first since 2003. Punter Kai Kroeger earned All-America honors, leading a special teams unit ranked No. 1 in the country.

With a 15-11 mark, Beamer matched Joe Morrison, Steve Spurrier and Will Muschamp for the most wins by a head football coach in his first two seasons at Carolina.

Prior to his first head coaching stint, Beamer had been an assistant coach at seven Football Bowl Subdivision schools for 21 seasons. During his career as an assistant, he coached in 17 bowl games, including a College Football Playoff National Championship Game, posted 18 non-losing seasons, six of those with double-digit victories, and his teams won 63 percent of its games. He has coached all three phases of the game - offense, defense and special teams.

Beamer is not new to Carolina. The Charleston, S.C. native, served as an assistant coach with the Gamecocks for four seasons from 2007-10 under head coach Steve Spurrier. In 2007, he served as the outside linebackers coach and co-special teams coordinator. He mentored the cornerbacks in 2008, then coached the Spurs and strong safeties and was the special teams coordinator and recruiting coordinator in 2009 and 2010, setting the foundation for the most successful run in school history.

In 2009 at South Carolina, Beamer was nominated for the Frank Broyles Award. His special teams' units recorded five blocked kicks, tying for the SEC lead and for the eighth-highest total in the nation. He also helped coach a defensive unit that ranked third in the SEC and 15th in the country in total defense, and second in the league and eighth in the country in passing defense.

As the Gamecocks' recruiting coordinator, his 2009 class was ranked 12th-best in the country, and the 2010 and 2011 classes were ranked in the Top 25.

### The Beamer File

<b>Born:</b>	March 31, 1977
<b>Hometown:</b>	Blacksburg, Va.
<b>Wife:</b>	Emily
<b>Children:</b>	Sutton, Olivia and Hunter

During his tenure as recruiting coordinator, nine Gamecocks were selected in the NFL Draft, including first round selection Stephen Gilmore (Buffalo) and second round picks Alshon Jeffery (Chicago) and D.J. Swearinger (Houston).

The Gamecocks all-time winningest quarterback, Connor Shaw, and rushing touchdown leader, Marcus Lattimore, were also in the 2010 class.

Beamer has been a part of building programs throughout his career. He has been on three coaching staffs where the head coach was in his first or second season at the school. He joined Sylvester Croom's staff at Mississippi State in his first season, Kirby Smart's program at Georgia in his first season, and Lincoln Riley's unit at Oklahoma in his second season.

Beamer came to Carolina from Oklahoma, where he served as the assistant head coach for offense and mentored the tight ends and H-backs for three highly-successful seasons. In 2020, Oklahoma ranked sixth in the country in scoring (43.0), 11th in total offense (494.7) and 14th in passing offense (315.0). In 2019, the Sooners led the nation in yards per play (8.0) and ranked third in total offense (537.6) and fourth in passing efficiency rating (187.0). Oklahoma led the nation in total offense (570.3), scoring offense (48.4) and yards per play (FBS-record 8.6), and ranked second in passing efficiency rating (194.9) in 2018.

Prior to his arrival in Norman, Beamer spent two seasons on the staff at Georgia as tight ends coach and special teams coordinator under Kirby Smart. The Bulldogs posted a 21-7 combined record with Beamer on staff. In 2017, the Bulldogs won the SEC Championship and finished second in the nation, falling in the CFP title game to Alabama in overtime. His special teams ranked eighth nationally in net punting (41.7), and 20th in kickoff returns (23.5) while blocking four kicks.

The son of Hall of Fame coach, Frank Beamer, he worked with his father as the associate head coach and running backs coach at Virginia Tech from 2011-15. In his first year, he coached David Wilson, who broke the Tech single-season rushing record and was named All-American and ACC Player of the Year and went on to become a first-round NFL draft selection by the New York Giants. Shane served as the Hokies' acting head coach in the 2014 Military Bowl win while his father watched from the press box following throat surgery.

Beamer's first full-time coaching position was at Mississippi State, joining the Bulldogs in 2004 as cornerbacks coach and recruiting coordinator. In his first two seasons at State, he guided three defensive backs to SEC All-Freshman Team accolades. He maintained the recruiting coordinator title but made the move to running backs coach in the spring of 2006 where he tutored running back Anthony Dixon to SEC All-Freshman honors.

Beamer spent three seasons (2001-03) as a graduate assistant at Tennessee, helping with the cornerbacks and assisting in all special teams areas. He also oversaw game opponent scouting while earning a master's degree in sport management in December 2003.

Before joining the staff at UT, he worked one season (2000) as a graduate assistant at Georgia Tech, helping with the Yellow Jacket quarterbacks and wide receivers.

A December 1999 graduate of Virginia Tech, Beamer was a member of five bowl teams (1995-99 seasons) and three Big East Conference championship squads on the Hokie football team as a long snapper and wide receiver. He was a long snapper on the 1999 Virginia Tech team that played for the BCS National Championship.

Beamer and his wife, Emily, are the parents of three children - two daughters, Sutton and Olivia, both born in Columbia, and a son, Hunter, born in Blacksburg, Va.



### Beamer Through the Years

Year	School	Position	Record	Conf.	Head Coach	Bowl Game
1995	Virginia Tech	WR/Long Snapper	10-2	6-1	Frank Beamer	Sugar
1996	Virginia Tech	WR/Long Snapper	10-2	6-1	Frank Beamer	Orange
1997	Virginia Tech	WR/Long Snapper	7-5	5-2	Frank Beamer	Gator
1998	Virginia Tech	WR/Long Snapper	9-3	5-2	Frank Beamer	Music City
1999	Virginia Tech	WR/Long Snapper	11-1	7-0	Frank Beamer	Sugar
2000	Georgia Tech	Graduate Assistant	9-3	6-2	George O'Leary	Peach
2001	Tennessee	Graduate Assistant	11-2	7-1	Phillip Fulmer	Citrus
2002	Tennessee	Graduate Assistant	8-5	5-3	Phillip Fulmer	Peach
2003	Tennessee	Graduate Assistant	10-3	6-2	Phillip Fulmer	Peach
2004	Mississippi State	Cornerbacks/RC	3-8	2-6	Sylvester Croom	-
2005	Mississippi State	Cornerbacks/RC	3-8	1-7	Sylvester Croom	-
2006	Mississippi State	Running Backs/RC	3-9	1-7	Sylvester Croom	-
2007	South Carolina	OLB/Co-ST Coord.	6-6	3-5	Steve Spurrier	-
2008	South Carolina	Cornerbacks	7-6	4-4	Steve Spurrier	Outback
2009	South Carolina	Spurs/SS/STC/RC	7-6	3-5	Steve Spurrier	Papajohns.com
2010	South Carolina	Spurs/SS/STC/RC	9-5	5-3	Steve Spurrier	Chick-fil-A
2011	Virginia Tech	AHC/Running Backs	11-3	7-1	Frank Beamer	Sugar
2012	Virginia Tech	AHC/Running Backs	7-6	4-4	Frank Beamer	Russell Athletic
2013	Virginia Tech	AHC/Running Backs	8-5	5-3	Frank Beamer	Sun
2014	Virginia Tech	AHC/Running Backs	7-6	3-5	Frank Beamer	Military
2015	Virginia Tech	AHC/Running Backs	7-6	4-4	Frank Beamer	Independence
2016	Georgia	Tight Ends/STC	8-5	4-4	Kirby Smart	Liberty
2017	Georgia	Tight Ends/STC	13-2	7-1	Kirby Smart	Rose (CFP)/ CFP Championship
2018	Oklahoma	AHC/TE/H-Backs	12-2	8-1	Lincoln Riley	Orange (CFP)
2019	Oklahoma	AHC/TE/H-Backs	12-2	8-1	Lincoln Riley	Peach (CFP)
2020	Oklahoma	AHC/TE/H-Backs	9-2	6-2	Lincoln Riley	Cotton
2021	South Carolina	Head Coach	7-6	3-5	Shane Beamer	Duke's Mayo
2022	South Carolina	Head Coach	8-5	4-4	Shane Beamer	TaxSlayer Gator
2023	South Carolina	Head Coach	5-6	3-5	Shane Beamer	
<b>TOTALS</b>						
1995-99	Virginia Tech	Player	47-13	29-6		
2000	Georgia Tech	Graduate Assistant	9-3	6-2		
2001-03	Tennessee	Graduate Assistant	29-10	18-6		
2004-06	Mississippi State	Assistant Coach	9-25	4-20		
2007-10	South Carolina	Assistant Coach	29-23	15-17		
2011-15	Virginia Tech	Assistant Coach	40-26	23-17		
2016-17	Georgia	Assistant Coach	21-7	11-5		
2018-20	Oklahoma	Assistant Coach	33-6	22-4		
2021-23	South Carolina	Head Coach	20-17	10-14		
<b>1995-99 TOTAL</b>	<b>Player</b>		<b>47-13</b>	<b>29-6</b>		
<b>2000-03 TOTAL</b>	<b>Graduate Assistant</b>		<b>38-13</b>	<b>24-8</b>		
<b>2004-20 TOTAL</b>	<b>Assistant Coach</b>		<b>132-87</b>	<b>75-63</b>		
<b>2021-23 TOTAL</b>	<b>Head Coach</b>		<b>20-17</b>	<b>10-14</b>		
<b>OVERALL</b>			<b>237-130</b>	<b>138-91</b>		



### Under Beamer

	2023	All
Overall	5-6	20-17
Home	5-1	15-5
Road	0-4	4-10
Neutral	0-1	1-2
August	0-0	0-0
September	2-3	7-7
October	0-3	4-6
November	3-0	8-3
December	0-0	1-1
January	0-0	0-0
Leading after 1st Quarter	4-3	14-5
Tied after 1st Quarter	1-1	2-1
Trailing after 1st Quarter	0-2	4-11
Leading at Halftime	5-1	16-2
Tied at Halftime	0-0	2-0
Trailing at Halftime	0-5	2-15
Leading after 3rd Quarter	2-0	14-0
Tied after 3rd Quarter	2-0	3-1
Trailing after 3rd Quarter	1-6	3-16
When Scoring First	4-2	16-4
When Opp. Scores First	1-4	4-13
Largest Halftime Lead	13	29
Largest Halftime Deficit	21	31
> Come From Behind Win	7	14
Score 20-plus Points	4-2	19-6
Score 30-plus Points	4-1	14-3
Opponents Score 20 or less	2-0	12-1
Decided by 3 or less	1-1	4-2
Decided by 7 or less	2-1	7-4
Decided by 8 or less	2-1	7-4
Decided by 10 or less	3-2	10-5
Rush for 100-plus Yards	3-2	15-3
Rush for 150-plus Yards	0-1	8-2
Pass for 200-plus Yards	5-5	15-10
Pass for 300-plus Yards	3-2	6-3
Total 400-plus Yards	4-1	13-2
Opp. Rush 100 yards or less	2-1	5-1
Opp. Pass 200 yards or less	3-1	11-6
Opp. Total 300 yards or less	2-0	6-0
Commit More Turnovers	0-4	3-11
Commit Fewer Turnovers	4-2	11-5
Commit Equal Turnovers	1-0	6-1
Lead in Time of Possession	4-2	13-4
Trail in Time of Possession	1-4	7-13
Games with a Def. Score	1-0	5-1
Games with a Blocked Kick	1-2	6-4

### Beamer in Bowl Games

Year	School	Opponent	Bowl Game	Result
1995	Virginia Tech	Texas	Sugar	W, 28-10
1996	Virginia Tech	Nebraska	Orange	L, 21-41
1997	Virginia Tech	North Carolina	Gator	L, 3-42
1998	Virginia Tech	Alabama	Music City	W, 38-7
1999	Virginia Tech	Florida State	Sugar	L, 29-46
2000	Georgia Tech	LSU	Peach	L, 14-28
2001	Tennessee	Michigan	Citrus	W, 45-17
2002	Tennessee	Maryland	Peach	L, 3-30
2003	Tennessee	Clemson	Peach	L, 14-27
2008	South Carolina	Iowa	Outback	L, 10-31
2009	South Carolina	UConn	Papajohns.com	L, 7-20
2010	South Carolina	Florida State	Chick-fil-A	L, 17-26
2011	Virginia Tech	Michigan	Sugar	L, 20-23
2012	Virginia Tech	Rutgers	Russell Athletic	W, 13-10
2013	Virginia Tech	UCLA	Sun	L, 12-42
2014	Virginia Tech	Cincinnati	Military	W, 33-17
2015	Virginia Tech	Tulsa	Independence	W, 55-52
2016	Georgia	TCU	Liberty	W, 31-23
2017	Georgia	Oklahoma	Rose (CFP)	W, 54-48
		Alabama	CFP Championship	L, 23-26
2018	Oklahoma	Alabama	Orange (CFP)	L, 34-45
2019	Oklahoma	LSU	Peach (CFP)	L, 28-63
2021	South Carolina	North Carolina	Duke's Mayo	W, 38-21
2022	South Carolina	Notre Dame	TaxSlayer Gator	L, 38-45





## Beamer vs. All Opponents

Arkansas.....	0-1	Kentucky.....	2-1
Auburn.....	1-0	Mississippi State.....	1-0
Charlotte.....	1-0	Missouri.....	0-3
Clemson.....	1-1	North Carolina.....	1-1
East Carolina.....	1-0	Notre Dame.....	0-1
Eastern Illinois.....	1-0	South Carolina State.....	1-0
Florida.....	1-2	Tennessee.....	1-2
Furman.....	1-0	Texas A&M.....	1-2
Georgia.....	0-3	Troy.....	1-0
Georgia State.....	1-0	Vanderbilt.....	3-0
Jacksonville State.....	1-0	<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>20-17</b>

## Beamer vs. the SEC

Alabama.....	0-0	Mississippi.....	0-0
Arkansas.....	0-1	Mississippi State.....	1-0
Auburn.....	1-0	Missouri.....	0-3
Florida.....	1-2	Tennessee.....	1-2
Georgia.....	0-3	Texas A&M.....	1-2
Kentucky.....	2-1	Vanderbilt.....	3-0
Louisiana State.....	0-0	<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>10-14</b>

## Gamecock Single-Game Superlatives Under Beamer

### Most Points Scored

1.	63	Tennessee.....	11/19/22
2.	56	vs Charlotte.....	09/24/22
3.	50	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
4.	47	vs Furman.....	09/09/23
47		vs Vanderbilt.....	11/11/23

### Fewest Points Allowed

1.	0	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
2.	10	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
3.	14	vs Georgia State.....	09/03/22
14		at Kentucky.....	10/08/22
14		vs Kentucky.....	11/18/23

### Most First Downs

1.	35	vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22
2.	28	vs Charlotte.....	09/24/22
3.	27	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
4.	25	vs Furman.....	09/09/23
5.	23	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
23		at Arkansas.....	09/10/22
23		vs Florida.....	10/14/23

### Fewest First Downs Allowed

1.	9	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
2.	12	at East Carolina.....	09/11/21
3.	13	vs Florida.....	11/06/21
13		vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
5.	14	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
14		vs Georgia State.....	09/03/22

### Most Rushing Attempts

1.	51	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
2.	47	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
47		vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
4.	42	vs Florida.....	11/06/21
42		at Kentucky.....	10/08/22

### Opp. Fewest Rushing Attempts

1.	22	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
2.	23	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
3.	26	vs Florida.....	11/06/21
4.	27	vs Kentucky.....	11/18/23
5.	28	vs Texas A&M.....	10/22/22
28		vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22

### Most Rushing Yards

1.	301	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
2.	295	vs Charlotte.....	09/24/22
3.	284	vs Florida.....	11/06/21
4.	254	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
5.	208	at Vanderbilt.....	11/05/22

### Fewest Rushing Yards Allowed

1.	31	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
2.	32	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
3.	71	vs Florida.....	10/14/23
4.	79	vs Charlotte.....	09/24/22
5.	80	vs Furman.....	09/09/23

### Most Passes Attempted

1.	49	vs Notre Dame.....	12/30/22
2.	42	vs Clemson.....	11/27/21
42		at Georgia.....	09/16/23
4.	40	at Missouri.....	10/21/23
5.	39	at Arkansas.....	09/10/22
39		at Clemson.....	11/26/22
39		vs North Carolina.....	09/02/23
39		vs Jacksonville State.....	11/04/23

### Opponents Fewest Pass Attempts

1.	18	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
2.	19	vs Clemson.....	11/27/21
3.	21	vs Vanderbilt.....	10/16/21
21		vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
21		at Arkansas.....	09/10/22

### Most Passes Completed

1.	32	vs Furman.....	09/09/23
2.	31	vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22
31		vs Notre Dame.....	12/30/22
4.	30	vs North Carolina.....	09/02/23
5.	28	vs Vanderbilt.....	11/11/23

### Opponents Fewest Passes Completed

1.	7	vs Georgia State.....	09/03/22
7		vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
3.	8	at Clemson.....	11/26/22
4.	9	vs Clemson.....	11/27/21
5.	11	vs Vanderbilt.....	10/16/21

### Most Passing Yards

1.	463	vs Furman.....	09/09/23
2.	453	vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22
3.	399	vs Jacksonville State.....	11/04/23
4.	377	at Arkansas.....	09/10/22
5.	360	at Clemson.....	11/26/22

### Opponents Fewest Passing Yards

1.	75	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
2.	78	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
3.	99	vs Clemson.....	11/27/21
99		at Clemson.....	11/26/22
5.	102	vs Kentucky.....	09/25/21

### Most Yards Total Offense

1.	606	vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22
2.	571	vs Furman.....	09/09/23
3.	545	vs Charlotte.....	09/24/22
4.	543	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
5.	492	at Vanderbilt.....	11/05/22

### Opponents Fewest Yards Total Offense

1.	109	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
2.	220	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
3.	234	vs Vanderbilt.....	11/11/23
4.	268	at East Carolina.....	09/11/21
5.	292	vs Charlotte.....	09/24/22

### Best Punting Average (Min. 3 Punts)

1.	56.8	vs Vanderbilt.....	10/16/21
2.	53.7	at Clemson.....	11/26/22
3.	53.6	at Vanderbilt.....	11/05/22
4.	49.1	vs Georgia State.....	09/03/22
5.	49.0	vs Texas A&M.....	10/22/22

### Most Time of Possession

1.	39:02	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
2.	38:58	vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22
3.	36:18	vs Florida.....	11/06/21
4.	35:16	vs Georgia State.....	09/03/22
5.	34:40	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21

### Longest Scoring Drive: By Yards

1.	99	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
2.	98	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
3.	95	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
95		vs Vanderbilt.....	11/11/23
4.	93	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21

### Longest Scoring Drive: By Time

1.	7:50	at Missouri.....	11/13/21
2.	7:15	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
3.	7:03	at Tennessee.....	10/09/21
4.	7:02	vs Florida.....	11/06/21
5.	7:01	at Kentucky.....	10/08/22

### Longest Scoring Drive: By Plays

1.	16	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
2.	15	vs Troy.....	10/02/21
15		at Tennessee.....	10/09/21
4.	14	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
14		at Kentucky.....	10/08/22





**DOWELL LOGGAINS**

**Offensive Coordinator/  
Quarterback Coach**

- ◆ First year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Spent the past two seasons as the tight ends coach at Arkansas.
- ◆ Logged 16 years in the NFL (2005-2020) with six different organizations, primarily as a quarterbacks coach, including seven seasons as an OC.
- ◆ Walked-on at Arkansas where he became a four-year letterwinner.



**CLAYTON WHITE**

**Defensive Coordinator/  
Inside Linebackers Coach**

- ◆ Third year at South Carolina.
- ◆ A four-time nominee for the Broyles Award including 2021.
- ◆ Mentored three defensive players who were NFL Draft picks in 2023.
- ◆ Most recently served as the DC at Western Kentucky.
- ◆ An NC State grad who logged three seasons in the NFL.



**MONTARIO HARDESTY**

**Running Backs Coach**

- ◆ Third year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Had two players invited to the NFL Combine in 2022.
- ◆ Previously served as the wide receivers coach at Charlotte.
- ◆ Running back who played his collegiate ball at Tennessee.
- ◆ Was a second-round pick by the Cleveland Browns in the 2010 NFL Draft.
- ◆ A native of New Bern, N.C.



**TORRIAN GRAY**

**Defensive Backs Coach**

- ◆ Third year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Mentored safety Nick Emmanwori to Freshman All-America honors in 2022.
- ◆ Most recently worked as the cornerbacks coach at Florida.
- ◆ Boasts NFL coaching experience with Washington and Chicago.
- ◆ Coached at Virginia Tech, his alma mater, for 10 years following his NFL career.



**JUSTIN STEPP**

**Wide Receivers Coach**

- ◆ Third year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Previously served as the wide receivers coach at Arkansas.
- ◆ Was a finalist for the 2017 FootballScoop Wide Receivers Coach of the Year award.
- ◆ Local product who was raised in the Columbia area and attended Pelion High School.
- ◆ Twin brother, Josh, is an assistant coach at Cincinnati.



**STERLING LUCAS**

**Outside Linebackers/  
Defensive Ends Coach**

- ◆ Second year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Orangeburg, S.C. native who joined the staff in January of '22.
- ◆ Spent 2021 as an assistant defensive line coach for the Jacksonville Jaguars.
- ◆ Logged five seasons (2016-20) with the Baltimore Ravens.
- ◆ Began his coaching career at his alma mater, NC State.



**LONNIE TEASLEY**

**Offensive Line Coach**

- ◆ Third year at South Carolina.
- ◆ First year as the full-time offensive line coach.
- ◆ Served as the O-line coach in 2022 on an interim basis.
- ◆ Previously worked as a Gamecock offensive analyst.
- ◆ Served as the offensive line coach at Tennessee Tech (2017), Arkansas-Pine Bluff (2018) and North Carolina Central (2019-20).



**TRAVIAN ROBERTSON**

**Defensive Line Coach**

- ◆ First year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Most recently was at Tulane where he helped the Green Wave to a Cotton Bowl victory over Southern California.
- ◆ Previously logged three years at Georgia State.
- ◆ 2011 graduate of South Carolina.
- ◆ Named a team captain as a senior.
- ◆ Played for three teams over four seasons in the NFL.



**JODY WRIGHT**

**Tight Ends Coach**

- ◆ Second year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Spent the prior two seasons with the New York Football Giants.
- ◆ Also worked in the NFL for the Cleveland Browns.
- ◆ Last worked at the collegiate level in 2018 at UAB.
- ◆ Owns four national championship rings in two stints at Alabama under Nick Saban.
- ◆ Played at Jacksonville State.



**PETE LEMBO**

**Associate Head Coach/  
Special Teams Coordinator**

- ◆ Third year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Semifinalist for the Broyles Award, a finalist for Football Scoop's Special Teams Coach of the Year, and Phil Steele's Special Teams Coach of the Year in 2022.
- ◆ Led by All-America punter Kai Kroeger, his special teams units ranked No. 1 in the nation in 2022.
- ◆ Head coach at three stops.



	SC	OPP
<b>SCORING</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>300</b>
Points Per Game	27.7	27.3
Points Off Turnovers	54	31
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>236</b>
Rushing	57	93
Passing	133	123
Penalty	15	17
<b>RUSHING YARDAGE</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>1574</b>
Yards gained rushing	1389	1850
Yards lost rushing	425	276
Rushing Attempts	345	416
Average Per Rush	2.8	3.8
Average Per Game	87.6	143.1
TDs Rushing	16	19
<b>PASSING YARDAGE</b>	<b>3224</b>	<b>2855</b>
Comp-Att-Int	267-380-7	230-374-9
Average Per Pass	8.5	7.6
Average Per Catch	12.1	12.4
Average Per Game	293.1	259.5
TDs Passing	21	16
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE</b>	<b>4188</b>	<b>4429</b>
Total Plays	725	790
Average Per Play	5.8	5.6
Average Per Game	380.7	402.6
<b>KICK RETURNS: #-Yards</b>	<b>19-312</b>	<b>11-208</b>
<b>PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards</b>	<b>10-89</b>	<b>10-41</b>
<b>INT RETURNS: #-Yards</b>	<b>9-129</b>	<b>7-27</b>
<b>KICK RETURN AVERAGE</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>18.9</b>
<b>PUNT RETURN AVERAGE</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>4.1</b>
<b>INT RETURN AVERAGE</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>3.9</b>
<b>FUMBLES-LOST</b>	<b>12-4</b>	<b>17-7</b>
<b>PENALTIES-Yards</b>	<b>82-636</b>	<b>61-490</b>
Average Per Game	57.8	44.5
<b>PUNTS-Yards</b>	<b>54-2339</b>	<b>47-2016</b>
Average Per Punt	43.3	42.9
Net punt average	41.1	39.7
<b>KICKOFFS-Yards</b>	<b>61-3792</b>	<b>62-3899</b>
Average Per Kick	62.2	62.9
Net kick average	39.6	40.6
<b>TIME OF POSSESSION/Game</b>	<b>28:52</b>	<b>31:06</b>
<b>3RD-DOWN Conversions</b>	<b>52/147</b>	<b>71/166</b>
3rd-Down Pct	35%	43%
<b>4TH-DOWN Conversions</b>	<b>7/20</b>	<b>14/23</b>
4th-Down Pct	35%	61%
<b>SACKS BY-Yards</b>	<b>20-109</b>	<b>39-276</b>
<b>TOUCHDOWNS SCORED</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS</b>	<b>12-14</b>	<b>16-20</b>
<b>ON-SIDE KICKS</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0-1</b>
<b>RED-ZONE SCORES</b>	<b>(34-38) 89%</b>	<b>(37-45) 82%</b>
<b>RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS</b>	<b>(25-38) 66%</b>	<b>(28-45) 62%</b>
<b>PAT-ATTEMPTS</b>	<b>(33-34) 97%</b>	<b>(34-35) 97%</b>
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>	<b>464657</b>	<b>352579</b>
Games/Avg Per Game	6/77443	4/88145
Neutral Site Games		1/68723

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
South Carolina	89	71	60	85	-	305
Opponents	62	103	72	63	-	300

RUSHING	G	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Mario Anderson	11	130	701	29	672	5.2	3	75	61.1
Dakereon Joyner	9	49	122	7	115	2.3	5	16	12.8
Spencer Rattler	11	90	370	282	88	1.0	4	28	8.0
Juju McDowell	10	26	74	11	63	2.4	2	17	6.3
LaNorris Sellers	3	5	51	0	51	10.2	1	36	17.0
Djay Braswell	5	11	30	6	24	2.2	0	9	6.0
Nyck Harbor	11	2	10	0	10	5.0	0	9	0.9
Bradley Dunn	5	3	12	4	8	2.7	0	9	1.6
Tonka Hemingway	11	1	2	0	2	2.0	1	2	0.2
DJ Twitty	3	3	3	3	0	0.0	0	2	0.0
Ahmarean Brown	8	2	1	1	0	0.0	0	1	0.0
Luke Doty	11	1	0	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-0.1
Nathan Harris-Waynick	1	1	0	3	-3	-3.0	0	0	-3.0
Tanner Bailey	1	1	0	7	-7	-7.0	0	0	-7.0
Xavier Legette	11	8	13	21	-8	-1.0	0	7	-0.7
TEAM	11	12	0	50	-50	-4.2	0	0	-4.5
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>1389</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>87.6</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>1850</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>1574</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>143.1</b>

PASSING	G	Effic	Comp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Spencer Rattler	11	154.20	259-367-7	70.6	3074	19	76	279.5
Luke Doty	11	85.70	2-4-0	50.0	17	0	11	1.5
LaNorris Sellers	3	445.60	4-4-0	100.0	86	2	50	28.7
Kai Kroeger	11	184.40	1-2-0	50.0	32	0	32	2.9
Colten Gauthier	1	113.00	1-2-0	50.0	15	0	15	15.0
TEAM	11	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>156.08</b>	<b>267-380-7</b>	<b>70.3</b>	<b>3224</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>293.1</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>134.93</b>	<b>230-374-9</b>	<b>61.5</b>	<b>2855</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>259.5</b>

RECEIVING	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Xavier Legette	11	65	1187	18.3	7	76	107.9
Trey Knox	9	36	312	8.7	2	22	34.7
Joshua Simon	11	26	234	9.0	2	33	21.3
Ahmarean Brown	8	25	256	10.2	1	44	32.0
Dakereon Joyner	9	21	117	5.6	0	27	13.0
O'Mega Blake	11	19	250	13.2	2	41	22.7
Mario Anderson	11	19	151	7.9	1	20	13.7
Nyck Harbor	11	12	195	16.2	1	45	17.7
Luke Doty	11	12	123	10.2	1	36	11.2
Juju McDowell	10	11	105	9.5	1	27	10.5
Eddie Lewis	7	9	120	13.3	0	46	17.1
Tyshawn Russell	9	4	77	19.2	1	50	8.6
Antwane Wells	3	3	37	12.3	1	17	12.3
Payton Mangrum	11	2	31	15.5	0	19	2.8
Djay Braswell	5	2	28	14.0	0	30	7.0
Alex Huntley	11	1	1	1.0	1	1	0.1
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>3224</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>293.1</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>2855</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>259.5</b>

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Jalon Kilgore	6	40	6.7	0	15
Eddie Lewis	3	28	9.3	0	22
Ahmarean Brown	1	3	3.0	0	3
Keenan Nelson	0	18	0.0	1	18
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
O'Donnell Fortune	2	5	2.5	0	5
Kajuan Banks	1	17	17.0	0	17
Nick Emmanwori	1	0	0.0	0	0
DQ Smith	1	16	16.0	0	16
David Spaulding	1	0	0.0	0	0
Stone Blanton	1	88	88.0	1	88
Jalon Kilgore	1	0	0.0	0	0
Xzavier McCloud	1	3	3.0	0	3
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>88</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>28</b>



KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Xavier Legette	9	173	19.2	0	28
Dakereon Joyner	4	64	16.0	0	26
Juju McDowell	4	62	15.5	0	23
Tyshawn Russell	1	12	12.0	0	12
Grayson Mains	1	1	1.0	0	1
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>29</b>

FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Tonka Hemingway	2	-3	-1.5	0	0
Judge Collier	1	25	25.0	0	25
DQ Smith	1	0	0.0	0	0
Debo Williams	1	0	0.0	0	0
Alex Huntley	1	0	0.0	0	0
Jamaal Whyce	1	0	0.0	0	0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

SCORING	TD	FGs	PATs				DXP	Saf	Points
			Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass			
Mitch Jeter	0	12-14	32-33	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	68
Xavier Legette	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	42
Dakereon Joyner	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
Spencer Rattler	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Mario Anderson	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Juju McDowell	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
O'Mega Blake	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Trey Knox	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Joshua Simon	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
LaNorris Sellers	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Luke Doty	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Alex Huntley	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Nyck Harbor	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Antwane Wells	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Keenan Nelson	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Stone Blanton	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Ahmarean Brown	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Tyshawn Russell	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Tonka Hemingway	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
TEAM	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	1	2
Alex Herrera	0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	1
Kai Kroeger	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-4	0	0	0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>12-14</b>	<b>33-34</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>305</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>16-20</b>	<b>34-35</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>300</b>

FIELD GOALS	M-A	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Lg	Blk
Mitch Jeter	12-14	85.7	0-0	5-5	3-3	3-3	1-3	51	0

FG SEQUENCE	South Carolina	Opponents
North Carolina	(26)	(37)
Furman	50	
Georgia	-	(31),28,43
Mississippi St.	(35)	(49),(23),(47)
Tennessee	(36),(47)	(24),(33)
Florida	(27)	(48),(44),(28),(54),48
Missouri	51,(51),(41),(38),(21)	(21),(53)
Texas A&M	(49)	(26),(24),(52),35
Jacksonville St.	(26)	-
Vanderbilt	-	-
Kentucky	(23)	-

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
Kai Kroeger	54	2339	43.3	60	4	19	19	8	0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>2339</b>	<b>43.3</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>42.9</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2</b>

KICKOFFS	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
Mitch Jeter	61	3792	62.2	39	2			
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>3792</b>	<b>62.2</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>39.6</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>3899</b>	<b>62.9</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>40.6</b>	<b>24</b>

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Spencer Rattler	11	457	88	3074	3162	287.5
Mario Anderson	11	130	672	0	672	61.1
LaNorris Sellers	3	9	51	86	137	45.7
Dakereon Joyner	9	49	115	0	115	12.8
Juju McDowell	10	26	63	0	63	6.3
Kai Kroeger	11	2	0	32	32	2.9
Djay Braswell	5	11	24	0	24	6.0
Luke Doty	11	5	-1	17	16	1.5
Colten Gauthier	1	2	0	15	15	15.0
Nyck Harbor	11	2	10	0	10	0.9
Bradley Dunn	5	3	8	0	8	1.6
Tonka Hemingway	11	1	2	0	2	0.2
Nathan Harris-Waynick	1	1	-3	0	-3	-3.0
Tanner Bailey	1	1	-7	0	-7	-7.0
Xavier Legette	11	8	-8	0	-8	-0.7
TEAM	11	13	-50	0	-50	-4.5
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>3224</b>	<b>4188</b>	<b>380.7</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>790</b>	<b>1574</b>	<b>2855</b>	<b>4429</b>	<b>402.6</b>

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Xavier Legette	11	-8	1187	0	173	0	1352	122.9
Mario Anderson	11	672	151	0	0	0	823	74.8
Trey Knox	9	0	312	0	0	0	312	34.7
Dakereon Joyner	9	115	117	0	64	0	296	32.9
Ahmarean Brown	8	0	256	3	0	0	259	32.4
O'Mega Blake	11	0	250	0	0	0	250	22.7
Joshua Simon	11	0	234	0	0	0	234	21.3
Juju McDowell	10	63	105	0	62	0	230	23.0
Nyck Harbor	11	10	195	0	0	0	205	18.6
Eddie Lewis	7	0	120	28	0	0	148	21.1
Luke Doty	11	-1	123	0	0	0	122	11.1
Tyshawn Russell	9	0	77	0	12	0	89	9.9
Stone Blanton	11	0	0	0	0	88	88	8.0
Spencer Rattler	11	88	0	0	0	0	88	8.0
Djay Braswell	4	24	28	0	0	0	52	13.0
LaNorris Sellers	3	51	0	0	0	0	51	17.0
Jalon Kilgore	11	0	0	40	0	0	40	3.6
Antwane Wells	3	0	37	0	0	0	37	12.3
Payton Mangrum	11	0	31	0	0	0	31	2.8
Keenan Nelson	10	0	0	18	0	0	18	1.8
Kajuan Banks	11	0	0	0	0	17	17	1.5
DQ Smith	11	0	0	0	0	16	16	1.5
Bradley Dunn	5	8	0	0	0	0	8	1.6
O'Donnell Fortune	10	0	0	0	0	5	5	0.5
Xzavier McCloud	2	0	0	0	0	3	3	1.5
Tonka Hemingway	11	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.2
Alex Huntley	11	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.1
Grayson Mains	8	0	0	0	1	0	1	0.1
Nathan Harris-Waynick	1	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-3.0
Tanner Bailey	1	-7	0	0	0	0	-7	-7.0
TEAM	11	-50	0	0	0	0	-50	-4.5
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>3224</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>4718</b>	<b>428.9</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1574</b>	<b>2855</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>4705</b>	<b>427.7</b>





No. PLAYER	GP	Tackles			TFL/Yds	Sacks		Pass Def		QBH	Fumbles		Blkd	
		Solo	Ast	Total		No-Yards	Int-Yds	BrUp	Rcv-Yds		FF	Kick	Saf	
0 Debo Williams	11	58	44	102	9.0-27	1.0-11	.	2	3	1-0	.	.	.	
24 Jalon Kilgore	11	45	29	74	1.5-4	.	1-0	6	.	.	1	.	.	
1 DQ Smith	11	33	33	66	1.5-6	0.5-2	1-16	1	.	1-0	1	.	.	
21 Nick Emmanwori	10	41	23	64	.	.	1-0	8	1	.	.	.	.	
52 Stone Blanton	11	27	19	46	1.0-6	1.0-6	1-88	3	3	.	1	.	.	
90 TJ Sanders	11	24	14	38	8.5-34	4.5-23	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	
6 Marcellas Dial	11	24	10	34	1.0-8	1.0-8	.	10	.	.	.	.	.	
3 O'Donnell Fortune	10	26	7	33	.	.	2-5	5	.	.	.	.	.	
91 Tonka Hemingway	11	18	13	31	4.5-15	1.5-6	.	6	6	2-3	.	.	.	
95 Alex Huntley	11	16	13	29	4.0-14	2.0-10	.	2	1	1-0	.	1	.	
22 Bam Martin-Scott	9	19	9	28	3.0-14	2.0-13	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	
46 Bryan Thomas Jr	11	12	10	22	2.0-11	1.0-6	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	
7 Jordan Strachan	11	14	5	19	7.0-27	4.0-16	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	
5 Grayson Howard	10	9	8	17	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	
10 Tyreek Johnson	10	5	9	14	2.5-12	1.5-8	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	
20 Judge Collier	11	9	1	10	.	.	.	.	.	1-25	.	.	.	
12 Jatius Geer	8	4	6	10	1.0-3	.	.	1	4	.	1	.	.	
93 Nick Barrett	11	2	8	10	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
18 Keenan Nelson	10	5	4	9	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	
9 Desmond Umeozulu	11	3	5	8	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	
29 David Spaulding	9	5	2	7	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	
13 Kajuan Banks	11	5	1	6	.	.	1-17	.	.	.	.	.	.	
11 Elijah Davis	11	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
43 Joseph Byrnes	3	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
36 B.J. Gibson	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
98 Mitch Jeter	11	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
41 Andrew Colasurdo	11	1	2	3	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
26 Landon Grier	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
36 Hunter Rogers	11	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
40 Ronnie Porter	11	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
54 Jamaal Whyce	5	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	
14 Jaron Willis	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	
16 Vicari Swain	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
8 Emory Floyd	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
99 D'Andre Martin	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
19 Drew Tuazama	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
8 Nyck Harbor	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
17 Xavier Legette	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
44 Maurice Brown	10	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
64 Xzavier McCloud	4	.	1	1	.	.	1-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TM TEAM	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
6S Joshua Simon	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>718</b>	<b>49-185</b>	<b>20-109</b>	<b>9-129</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>7-22</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>86-386</b>	<b>39-276</b>	<b>7-27</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>4-0</b>	<b>4</b>	.	.	



<b>TOTAL TACKLES</b>	<b>UA-A</b>	<b>TOT</b>	<b>UNC</b>	<b>FUR</b>	<b>UGA</b>	<b>MSU</b>	<b>TENN</b>	<b>FLA</b>	<b>MIZZ</b>	<b>TAMU</b>	<b>JSU</b>	<b>VANDY</b>	<b>UK</b>	<b>CU</b>
Debo Williams	58-44	102	8-6	4-0	7-4	1-1	1-4	7-2	4-10	8-3	9-4	3-8	6-2	
Jalon Kilgore	45-29	74	5-7	5-1	3-2	3-1	8-7	7-4	5-3	3-0	3-0	0-2	3-2	
DQ Smith	33-33	67	3-8	1-1	5-4	4-1	3-9	4-2	5-3	2-1	2-0	3-3	1-1	
Nick Emmanwori	41-23	64	1-0	DNP	4-6	4-1	7-2	5-1	0-5	4-1	7-3	2-2	7-2	
Stone Blanton	27-19	46	4-6	2-0	3-1	3-1	3-3	2-1	0-3	5-1	2-1	1-1	2-1	
TJ Sanders	24-14	38	0-3	3-0	8-1	1-0	-	1-2	1-5	5-1	4-1	0-1	1-0	
Marcellas Dial	24-10	34	-	1-1	4-4	1-1	2-1	3-1	3-1	5-0	-	3-1	2-0	
O'Donnell Fortune	26-7	33	4-2	3-2	2-1	5-1	1-0	5-0	1-1	-	2-0	3-0	DNP	
Tonka Hemingway	18-13	31	0-1	2-0	3-0	4-0	1-4	1-3	-	2-0	1-3	3-2	1-0	
Alex Huntley	16-13	29	0-1	1-0	3-1	3-0	0-2	2-0	0-3	2-2	4-2	1-1	0-1	
Bam Martin-Scott	19-9	28	DNP	0-1	DNP	1-0	1-0	1-0	1-1	-	3-1	7-6	5-0	
Bryan Thomas Jr	12-10	22	1-3	-	3-1	2-1	1-2	1-2	0-1	1-0	2-0	1-0	-	
Jordan Strachan	14-5	19	0-2	2-0	1-0	3-0	2-0	2-0	0-2	-	2-1	-	2-0	
Grayson Howard	9-8	17	DNP	3-1	-	1-0	1-2	1-0	1-1	0-3	0-1	1-0	1-0	
Tyreek Johnson	5-9	14	0-2	0-1	DNP	-	0-1	-	0-1	3-4	2-0	-	-	
Judge Collier	9-1	10	-	1-0	1-0	3-0	-	-	1-0	-	1-0	-	2-1	
Jatius Geer	4-6	10	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	1-0	0-2	2-1	-	1-1	0-2	-	
Nick Barrett	2-8	10	0-1	-	-	1-0	0-2	-	0-2	0-2	1-0	0-1	-	
Keenan Nelson	5-4	9	2-2	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	2-0	1-2	-	-	
Desmond Umeozulu	3-5	8	-	1-2	-	-	0-1	0-1	-	1-0	1-0	0-1	-	
David Spaulding	5-2	7	1-0	DNP	2-1	1-0	DNP	-	-	1-0	-	0-1	-	
Kajuan Banks	5-1	6	2-0	2-0	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	1-0	-	-	
Elijah Davis	3-2	5	-	-	1-0	1-0	1-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Joseph Byrnes	3-1	4	DNP	2-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	-	
Andrew Colasurdo	1-2	3	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	0-1	-	
Ronnie Porter	2-1	3	-	-	-	-	1-0	0-1	-	-	-	1-0	-	
Mitch Jeter	1-2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	0-1	1-0	
Landon Grier	3-0	3	-	3-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	
Hunter Rogers	2-1	3	-	-	-	1-0	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	1-0	
B.J. Gibson	3-0	3	1-0	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	
Vicari Swain	2-0	2	-	2-0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Jamaal Whyce	1-1	2	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-1	-	DNP	1-0	DNP	
Emory Floyd	2-0	2	DNP	1-0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	
Jaron Willis	2-0	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	2-0	-	-	
D'Andre Martin	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	-	
Drew Tuazama	1-0	1	-	-	1-0	-	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Nyck Harbor	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	
Maurice Brown	1-0	1	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	
Xzavier McCloud	0-1	1	DNP	0-1	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Xavier Legette	1-0	1	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	



Team	1st		Rushing	Passing	Total Offense	Punts	Fumbles	Penalties	KO Ret.	Punt Ret.	Int. Ret.	3rd	Time of
	Score	Downs	No-Yds-TD	C-A-I-Yds-TD	Play-Yds-TD	No-Avg	No-Lost	No-Yds	No-Yds	No-Yds	No-Yds	Dns	Poss
UNC	31	21	39-168-2	24-32-2-269-2	71-437-4	2-42.5	0-0	7-49	1-16	0-0	0-0	8-13	32:37
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>31-(-2)-2</b>	<b>30-39-0-353-0</b>	<b>70-351-2</b>	<b>5-48.4</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>6-35</b>	<b>2-43</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2-22</b>	<b>4-14</b>	<b>27:23</b>
Furman	21	16	31-80-1	20-34-1-243-2	65-323-3	7-45.0	0-0	6-53	0-0	1-0	0-0	6-16	28:07
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>39-108-2</b>	<b>32-38-0-463-5</b>	<b>77-571-7</b>	<b>4-44.5</b>	<b>2-1</b>	<b>8-60</b>	<b>2-36</b>	<b>2-9</b>	<b>1-3</b>	<b>9-15</b>	<b>31:53</b>
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>16-53-1</b>	<b>22-42-2-256-1</b>	<b>58-309-2</b>	<b>5-37.8</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>11-73</b>	<b>1-15</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>5-13</b>	<b>22:47</b>
Georgia	24	29	44-190-3	27-35-0-269-0	79-459-3	3-37.0	0-0	6-45	1-15	0-0	2-0	5-13	37:13
Miss. State	30	20	23-32-2	30-48-1-487-1	71-519-3	3-44.3	2-1	5-48	1-14	2-19	0-0	5-14	28:18
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>47-144-2</b>	<b>18-20-0-288-3</b>	<b>67-432-5</b>	<b>4-48.0</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>4-35</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1-22</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>5-13</b>	<b>31:42</b>
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>27-132-2</b>	<b>25-36-1-201-0</b>	<b>63-333-2</b>	<b>5-45.8</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>5-35</b>	<b>1-20</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2-16</b>	<b>2-15</b>	<b>30:15</b>
Tennessee	41	24	40-238-3	21-32-2-239-1	72-477-4	3-49.0	2-0	7-58	1-21	3-24	1-28	7-15	29:45
Florida	41	28	33-71-1	30-48-0-423-3	81-494-4	2-37.0	0-0	6-48	1-16	1-5	1-0	4-15	32:44
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>33-152-1</b>	<b>23-30-1-313-4</b>	<b>63-465-5</b>	<b>4-41.5</b>	<b>2-1</b>	<b>9-82</b>	<b>4-27</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>5-10</b>	<b>27:16</b>
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>29-69-0</b>	<b>24-40-1-217-0</b>	<b>69-286-0</b>	<b>4-46.8</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>6-35</b>	<b>4-64</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>3-14</b>	<b>31:08</b>
Missouri	34	22	40-213-3	15-25-0-205-1	65-418-4	3-49.3	1-0	6-55	1-25	0-0	1-0	7-13	28:52
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>28-33-1</b>	<b>20-33-0-176-1</b>	<b>61-209-2</b>	<b>5-40.4</b>	<b>3-1</b>	<b>8-46</b>	<b>3-65</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>5-16</b>	<b>23:30</b>
Texas A&M	30	19	40-105-2	20-30-0-249-1	70-354-3	4-33.8	2-0	2-15	1-17	1-0	0-0	7-19	36:30
Jax State	28	22	57-225-1	13-27-2-196-3	84-421-4	7-45.4	2-2	7-57	0-0	0-0	1-1	10-19	27:07
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>38-89-2</b>	<b>27-39-1-399-2</b>	<b>77-488-4</b>	<b>7-40.7</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>10-100</b>	<b>1-27</b>	<b>3-15</b>	<b>2-88</b>	<b>4-14</b>	<b>32:53</b>
Vanderbilt	6	17	42-130-0	13-28-0-104-1	70-234-1	8-40.1	4-2	2-10	3-62	0-0	1-0	6-16	32:47
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>24-136-3</b>	<b>28-36-1-351-3</b>	<b>60-487-6</b>	<b>3-39.0</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>6-40</b>	<b>1-15</b>	<b>3-42</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>5-10</b>	<b>27:13</b>
Kentucky	14	17	27-122-1	17-34-1-171-1	61-293-2	5-45.8	3-2	7-52	1-22	1-7	0-0	6-13	28:21
<b>S. Carolina</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>33-50-0</b>	<b>19-27-0-207-2</b>	<b>60-257-2</b>	<b>8-44.0</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>9-95</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1-15</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>5-14</b>	<b>31:39</b>
Clemson													
<b>S. Carolina</b>													

## South Carolina Game-by-Game Starters

### Offense

POS	UNC	FURMAN	GEORGIA	MISS ST	TENN	FLORIDA	MIZZOU	TAMU	JAX ST	VANDY	KENTUCKY	CLEMSON
WR	Legette	Legette	Legette	Legette	Legette	Legette	Legette	Legette	Legette	Legette	Legette	
WR	Wells Jr.	Wells Jr.	Wells Jr.	Blake	Blake	Blake	Blake	Harbor	Harbor	Harbor	Harbor	
WR	A. Brown	Simon (TE)	Doty	Simon (TE)	A. Brown	A. Brown	A. Brown	Doty	McDowell(RB)	A. Brown	A. Brown	
TE	Knox	Knox	Knox	Knox	Knox	Knox	Knox	Knox	Simon	Simon	Knox	
LT	Fugar	Fugar	Babalade	Babalade	Babalade	Babalade	Babalade	Moore	Babalade	Babalade	Babalade	
LG	Gargiulo	Gargiulo	Gargiulo	Gargiulo	Gargiulo	Jones	Jones	Jones	Moore	Moore	Moore	
C	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Gargiulo	Gargiulo	Gargiulo	Gargiulo	Gargiulo	Gargiulo	
RG	Moore	Moore	Moore	Moore	Baugh	Baugh	Baugh	Baugh	Baugh	Baugh	Baugh	
RT	Henry	Wannamaker	Fugar	Wannamaker	Wannamaker	Lee	Fugar	Wannamaker	Lee	Lee	Lee	
QB	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	
RB	Joyner	Joyner	Joyner	Joyner	Anderson	Anderson	Anderson	Anderson	Anderson	Anderson	Anderson	

### Defense

POS.	UNC	FURMAN	GEORGIA	MISS ST	TENN	FLORIDA	MIZZOU	TAMU	JAX ST	VANDY	KENTUCKY	CLEMSON
DE	Strachan	Strachan	Strachan	Strachan	Strachan	Strachan	Strachan	Strachan	Strachan	-	-	
DT	Huntley	Huntley	Huntley	Huntley	Huntley	Huntley	Huntley	Huntley	Huntley	Barrett	Huntley	
DT	Hemingway	Hemingway	Hemingway	Sanders	Sanders	Hemingway	Hemingway	Sanders	Sanders	Sanders	Sanders	
DE	Thomas Jr.	Thomas Jr.	Tuazama	Thomas Jr.	Johnson	Davis	Thomas Jr.	Thomas Jr.	Thomas Jr.	Johnson	Johnson	
LB	Blanton	Blanton	Blanton	Blanton	Blanton	Blanton	Blanton	Blanton	Blanton	Blanton	Blanton	
LB	Williams	Williams	Williams	Williams	Williams	Williams	Williams	Williams	Williams	Williams	Williams	
LB	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Martin-Scott	Martin-Scott	
NIK	Nelson Jr.	Nelson Jr.	D. Smith	D. Smith	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	Kilgore	Kilgore	Kilgore	Kilgore	Kilgore	
CB	Dial	Dial	Dial	Dial	Dial	Dial	Dial	Dial	Dial	Dial	Dial	
S	D. Smith	D. Smith	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	D. Smith	D. Smith	D. Smith	D. Smith	Nelson Jr.	D. Smith	D. Smith	
S	Emmanwori	Kilgore	Kilgore	Kilgore	Kilgore	Kilgore	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	
CB	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune	Collier	Fortune	Fortune	Collier	

## South Carolina Game-by-Game Captains

UNC	FURMAN	GEORGIA	MISS ST	TENN	FLORIDA	MIZZOU	TAMU	JAX ST	VANDY	KENTUCKY	CLEMSON
Hemingway	Dial	Doty	Gargiulo	Huntley	Fortune	Gargiulo	Doty	Anderson	Jeter	Huntley	
Huntley	Legette	Kroeger	Huntley	Knox	Hemingway	Huntley	Huntley	Blanton	Rattler	Lee	
Joyner	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	Rattler	Joyner	Rattler	Joyner	Emmanwori	Simon	Rattler	
Rattler	Williams	D. Smith	D. Smith	Williams	Lee	D. Smith	D. Smith	McDowell	Williams	D. Smith	





## Individual Rushing (Att-Yds/TD)

PLAYER	TOTAL	UNC	FUR	UGA	MSU	TENN	FLA	MIZ	TAMU	JSU	VANDY	UK	CLEM
Mario Anderson	130-672/3	-	6-32/0	2-9/0	26-88/1	10-101/1	20-98/0	12-68/0	16-72/0	16-75/0	9-102/1	13-27/0	
Dakereon Joyner	49-115/5	12-23/1	11-42/1	5-10/1	10-24/1	2-1/0	3-6/0	1-1/0	2-5/1	3-3/0	DNP	DNP	
Spencer Rattler	90-88/4	13-(-22)/0	3-8/1	8-35/0	8-43/0	11-19/1	7-46/0	13-(-15)/0	6-(-40)/0	9-(-11)/1	2-1/1	10-24/0	
Juju McDowell	26-63/2	5-(-1)/1	6-15/0	-	-	3-4/0	1-17/1	2-6/0	2-(-3)/0	6-23/0	1-2/0	DNP	
LaNorris Sellers	5-51/1	DNP	2-6/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-36/1	2-9/0	
Djay Braswell	11-24/0	DNP	4-17/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0/0	5-4/0	1-3/0	
Nyck Harbor	2-10/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-9/0	1-1/0	-	-	-	
Bradley Dunn	3-8/0	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	3-8/0	-	
Tonka Hemingway	1-2/1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-2/1	-	-	
DJ Twitty	3-0/0	DNP	3-0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	DNP	
Ahmarean Brown	2-0/0	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	2-0/0	
Luke Doty	1-(-1)/0	-	1-(-1)/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nathan Harris-Waynick	1-(-3)/0	DNP	1-(-3)/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Tanner Bailey	1-(-7)/0	DNP	1-(-7)/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Xavier Legette	8-(-8)/0	1-(-2)/0	1-(-1)/0	1-1/0	-	1-7/0	-	-	-	-	-	4-(-11)/0	
TEAM	12-(-50)/0	-	-	-	3-(-11)/0	-	2-(-15)/0	-	1-(-2)/0	2-(-3)/0	3-(-17)/0	1-(-2)/0	

## Individual Passing (Cmp-Att-Int-Yds-TD)

	RATTLER	DOTY	SELLERS	BAILEY	GAUTHIER	KROEGER
N. CAROLINA	30-39-0-353-0	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
FURMAN	25-27-0-345-3	2-4-0-17-0	4-4-0-86-2	0-0-0-0-0	1-2-0-15-0	0-0-0-0-0
GEORGIA	22-42-2-256-1	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
MISS STATE	18-20-0-288-3	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
TENN	24-35-1-169-0	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-1-0-32-0
FLORIDA	23-30-1-313-4	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
MISSOURI	23-40-1-217-0	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
TEXAS A&M	20-30-0-176-1	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
JAX STATE	27-38-1-399-2	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-1-0-0-0
VANDY	28-36-1-351-3	0-0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
KENTUCKY	19-27-0-207-2	0-0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
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## Individual Receiving (Rec-Yds/TD)

PLAYER	TOTAL	UNC	FUR	UGA	MSU	TENN	FLA	MIZ	TAMU	JSU	VANDY	UK	CLEM
Xavier Legette	65-1187/7	9-178/0	6-118/1	7-71/0	5-189/2	5-50/0	5-110/0	1-20/0	3-20/0	9-217/2	9-120/0	6-94/2	
Trey Knox	36-312/2	2-14/0	1-15/0	3-31/0	4-53/1	7-51/0	8-50/1	5-32/0	2-31/0	DNP	DNP	4-35/0	
Ahmarean Brown	25-256/1	3-44/0	6-42/0	DNP	DNP	2-47/0	1-1/0	3-21/0	DNP	3-27/0	3-44/1	4-30/0	
O'Mega Blake	19-250/2	-	1-7/1	5-86/0	2-13/0	2-20/0	2-34/0	3-44/0	-	1-10/0	3-36/1	-	
Joshua Simon	26-234/2	4-20/0	2-7/0	-	-	2-11/0	1-33/1	1-13/0	2-13/1	7-64/0	6-65/0	1-8/0	
Nyck Harbor	12-195/1	-	1-7/1	-	-	-	1-45/0	2-50/0	6-59/0	-	1-16/0	1-18/0	
Mario Anderson	19-151/1	-	-	-	1-10/0	2-8/0	2-23/1	3-6/0	3-33/0	4-40/0	1-9/0	3-22/0	
Luke Doty	12-123/1	3-41/0	1-36/1	3-14/0	1-4/0	2-3/0	-	-	1-11/0	-	1-14/0	-	
Eddie Lewis	9-120/0	-	6-89/0	1-23/0	2-8/0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Dakereon Joyner	21-117/0	5-13/0	4-53/0	1-(-1)/0	2-6/0	2-4/0	1-11/0	3-22/0	3-9/0	-	DNP	DNP	
Juju McDowell	11-105/1	3-31/0	-	-	-	-	2-6/1	2-9/0	-	3-41/0	1-18/0	DNP	
Tyshawn Russell	4-77/1	DNP	2-65/1	DNP	1-5/0	1-7/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Antwane Wells	3-37/1	-	1-5/0	2-32/1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Payton Mangrum	2-31/0	1-12/0	1-19/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Djay Braswell	2-28/0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	2-28/0	-	
Alex Huntley	1-1/1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1/1	-	

## Game-by-Game Leaders

Opponent	Rushing	Passing	Receiving (No.)	Receiving (Yds.)	Tackles
N. CAROLINA	Joyner 12-23-1	Rattler 30-39-0-353-0	Legette 9-178-0	Legette 9-178-0	D. Williams 8-6-14
FURMAN	Joyner 11-42-1	Rattler 25-27-0-345-3	Three with 6	Legette 6-118-1	Kilgore 5-1-6
GEORGIA	Rattler 8-35-0	Rattler 22-42-2-256-1	Legette 7-71-0	Blake 5-86-0	D. Williams 7-4-11
MISS STATE	Anderson 26-88-1	Rattler 18-20-0-288-3	Legette 5-189-2	Legette 5-189-2	Fortune 5-1-6
TENN	Anderson 10-101-1	Rattler 24-35-1-169-0	Knox 7-51-0	Knox 7-51-0	Kilgore 8-7-15
FLORIDA	Anderson 20-98-0	Rattler 23-30-1-313-4	Knox 8-50-1	Legette 5-110-0	Kilgore 7-4-11
MISSOURI	Anderson 13-68-0	Rattler 23-40-1-217-0	Knox 5-32-0	Harbor 2-50-0	D. Williams 4-10-14
TEXAS A&M	Anderson 16-72-0	Rattler 20-33-0-176-1	Harbor 6-59-0	Harbor 6-59-0	D. Williams 8-3-11
JAX STATE	Anderson 16-75-0	Rattler 27-38-1-399-2	Legette 9-217-2	Legette 9-217-2	D. Williams 9-4-13
VANDY	Anderson 9-102-1	Rattler 28-36-1-351-3	Legette 9-120-0	Legette 9-120-0	Martin-Scott 7-6-13
KENTUCKY	Anderson 13-27-0	Rattler 19-27-0-207-2	Legette 9-94-2	Legette 9-94-2	Emmanwori 7-2-9
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South Carolina

North Carolina	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Joyner 4-yard run	1	8	75	3:21	TD
McDowell 1-yard run	2	5	72	1:42	TD
Jeter 26-yard field goal	4	12	62	4:55	FG

Furman	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Joyner 3-yard run	1	7	72	2:21	TD
Rattler 1-yard run	2	10	75	3:31	TD
Doty 36-yard pass from Rattler	2	10	74	3:48	TD
Blake 7-yard from Rattler	2	3	75	0:20	TD
Legette 42-yard pass from Rattler	3	4	90	1:30	TD
Russell 50-yard pass from Sellers	3	5	67	2:01	TD
Harbor 7-yard pass from Sellers	4	6	38	2:24	TD

Georgia	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Wells Jr. 17-yard pass from Rattler	1	10	65	5:04	TD
Joyner 2-yard run	2	5	80	2:27	TD

Mississippi State	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Legette 76-yard pass from Rattler	1	6	98	2:18	TD
Knox 17-yard pass from Rattler	2	16	99	7:15	TD
Joyner 3-yard run	2	13	75	6:24	TD
Legette 75-yard pass from Rattler	3	1	75	0:10	TD
Jeter 35-yard field goal	4	10	58	4:25	FG
Anderson 9-yard run	4	4	22	1:43	TD

Tennessee	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Jeter 36-yard field goal	1	8	57	3:41	FG
Rattler 6-yard run	1	6	29	2:52	TD
Anderson 75-yard run	3	1	75	0:13	TD
Jeter 47-yard field goal	4	9	45	4:07	FG

Florida	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Knox 6-yard pass from Rattler	1	7	75	2:58	TD
McDowell 17-yard run	1	5	75	2:06	TD
Anderson 20-yard pass from Rattler	2	6	75	3:16	TD
Jeter 27-yard field goal	3	10	66	4:34	FG
McDowell 3-yard pass from Rattler	4	10	72	3:42	TD
Simon 33-yard pass from Rattler	4	5	69	2:21	TD

Missouri	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Jeter 51-yard field goal	2	10	42	1:19	FG
Jeter 41-yard field goal	3	10	54	4:16	FG
Jeter 38-yard field goal	3	5	14	1:44	FG
Jeter 21-yard field goal	4	9	72	3:11	FG

Texas A&M	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Joyner 1-yard run	1	13	65	6:41	TD
Jeter 49-yard field goal	2	10	43	3:58	FG
Simon 2-yard pass from Rattler	4	7	77	2:44	TD

Jacksonville State	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Hemingway 2-yard run	1	5	62	2:38	TD
Rattler 1-yard run	1	5	70	1:41	TD
Legette 5-yard pass from Rattler	2	4	49	0:30	TD
Legette 65-yard pass from Rattler	3	1	65	0:11	TD
Jeter 26-yard field goal	4	10	48	3:58	FG

Vanderbilt	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Huntley 1-yard pass from Rattler	1	5	46	2:44	TD
Rattler 1-yard run	2	10	95	4:35	TD
A. Brown 24-yard pass from Rattler	3	9	85	3:39	TD
Anderson 72-yard run	3	2	82	0:44	TD
Blake 26-yard pass from Rattler	4	5	39	2:45	TD
Sellers 36-yard run	4	4	44	2:02	TD

Kentucky	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Legette 13-yard pass from Rattler	1	11	69	5:11	TD
Jeter 23-yard field goal	1	12	51	6:32	FG
Legette 17-yard pass from Rattler	4	9	74	5:32	TD

Opponents

North Carolina	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Huzzie 1-yard run	1	9	70	3:55	TD
Coe 37-yard field goal	2	13	42	6:20	FG
Paysour 34-yard pass from Maye	2	5	75	2:26	TD
Hampton 1-yard run	3	6	53	2:43	TD
Copenhaver 18-yard pass from Maye	3	8	55	3:25	TD

Furman	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Roberto 1-yard run	1	6	68	2:49	TD
Shiflett 4-yard pass from Huff	2	11	66	5:04	TD
Chappell 16-yard pass from Jones	4	1	16	0:08	TD

Georgia	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Woodring 31-yard field goal	1	15	62	6:20	FG
Edwards 7-yard run	3	6	75	2:40	TD
Bell 3-yard run	3	9	49	3:20	TD
Jones 13-yard run	4	8	61	3:49	TD

Mississippi State	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Griffin 65-yard pass from Rogers	2	2	65	0:14	TD
Marks 7-yard run	2	3	68	1:05	TD
Ferrie 49-yard field goal	2	6	44	0:38	FG
Wright 1-yard run	3	9	75	4:24	TD
Ferrie 23-yard field goal	3	9	39	5:12	FG
Ferrie 47-yard field goal	4	13	68	2:42	FG

Tennessee	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Wright 42-yard run	1	9	94	3:02	TD
Small 2-yard run	1	4	75	1:21	TD
Campbell 24-yard field goal	2	8	63	2:14	FG
Warren 6-yard pass from Milton	3	12	75	4:19	TD
Campbell 33-yard field goal	4	7	23	4:03	FG
Sampson 6-yard rush	4	9	75	4:26	TD

Florida	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Etienne 3-yard run	1	9	66	4:07	TD
Smack 48-yard field goal	1	8	45	3:41	FG
Smack 44-yard field goal	2	10	49	3:23	FG
Jackson 7-yard pass from Mertz	2	5	82	2:23	TD
Smack 28-yard field goal	2	5	45	1:21	FG
Smack 54-yard field goal	3	6	39	3:02	FG
Boardingham 4-yard pass from Mertz	4	14	75	4:31	TD
Pearsall 21-yard pass from Mertz	4	9	75	1:56	TD

Missouri	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Burden 42-yard pass from Cook	1	5	67	2:30	TD
Schrader 10-yard run	1	7	59	3:26	TD
Cook 17-yard run	2	10	87	4:02	TD
Mevis 21-yard field goal	2	9	82	3:48	FG
Mevis 53-yard field goal	4	10	26	4:35	FG
Schrader 11-yard run	4	9	67	3:34	TD

Texas A&M	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Owens 14-yard run	2	6	55	3:03	TD
Daniels 1-yard run	2	10	48	6:19	TD
Smith 42-yard pass from Johnson	2	1	42	0:13	TD
Bond 26-yard field goal	3	13	75	6:26	FG
Bond 24-yard field goal	4	8	49	3:56	FG
Bond 52-yard field goal	4	4	-2	2:04	FG

Jacksonville State	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Brown 15-yard pass from Webb	1	8	62	2:26	TD
Lewis 4-yard run	2	9	75	2:47	TD
Brown 13-yard pass from Smothers	3	8	73	3:20	TD
Carter 54-yard pass from Webb	3	3	62	1:16	TD

Vanderbilt	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Skinner Jr. 19-yard pass from Seals	4	12	75	5:17	TD

Kentucky	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Brown 7-yard pass from Leary	2	12	75	4:15	TD
Davis 31-yard run	3	9	92	5:20	TD

**Running Plays (12+ Yards)**

No.	Yds	Rusher	Opponent	Qtr	Play Result	Drive Result
1.	15	Rattler	North Carolina	3	First Down	Punt
2.	12	Rattler	North Carolina	3	First Down	FG
3.	16	Joyner	Furman	1	First Down	Missed FG
4.	13	Rattler	Georgia	4	First Down	Downs
5.	25	Rattler	Miss. State	2	First Down	TD
6.	28	Rattler	Miss. State	4	First Down	FG
7.	17	Rattler	Tennessee	1	First Down	Punt
8.	12	Rattler	Tennessee	2	Fourth Down	Punt
9.	75	Anderson	Tennessee	3	TD	TD
10.	30	Anderson	Florida	1	First Down	TD
11.	12	Anderson	Florida	1	First Down	TD
12.	17	McDowell	Florida	1	TD	TD
13.	26	Rattler	Florida	3	First Down	TD
14.	13	Anderson	Florida	3	First Down	TD
15.	14	Anderson	Missouri	3	First Down	FG
16.	14	Anderson	Missouri	3	First Down	FG
17.	17	Anderson	Missouri	4	First Down	INT
18.	16	Rattler	Missouri	4	First Down	INT
19.	29	Anderson	Texas A&M	2	First Down	TD
20.	40	Anderson	Jax State	1	First Down	TD
21.	72	Anderson	Vanderbilt	3	TD	TD
22.	36	Sellers	Vanderbilt	4	TD	TD
23.	12	Rattler	Kentucky	1	First Down	TD
24.	14	Rattler	Kentucky	1	First Down	FG

**Passing Plays (18+ Yards)**

No.	Yds	Connection	Opponent	Qtr	Play Result	Drive Result
1.	37	Rattler-Legette	N. Carolina	1	First Down	TD
2.	29	Rattler-Legette	N. Carolina	2	First Down	TD
3.	20	Rattler-Brown	N. Carolina	2	First Down	TD
4.	22	Rattler-McDowell	N. Carolina	2	First Down	TD
5.	19	Rattler-Brown	N. Carolina	2	First Down	Punt
6.	33	Rattler-Legette	N. Carolina	4	First Down	FG
7.	24	Rattler-Legette	N. Carolina	4	First Down	Downs
8.	24	Rattler-Doty	N. Carolina	4	First Down	Downs
9.	20	Rattler-A. Brown	Furman	1	First Down	TD
10.	27	Rattler-Joyner	Furman	1	First Down	TD
11.	36	Rattler-Doty	Furman	2	TD	TD
12.	53	Rattler-Legette	Furman	2	First Down	TD
13.	46	Rattler-Lewis	Furman	3	First Down	TD
14.	42	Rattler-Legette	Furman	3	TD	TD
15.	50	Sellers-Russell	Furman	3	TD	TD
16.	19	Sellers-Mangrum	Furman	3	First Down	TD
17.	35	Rattler-Legette	Georgia	2	First Down	TD
18.	18	Rattler-Knox	Georgia	2	First Down	TD
19.	23	Rattler-Lewis	Georgia	3	First Down	Punt
20.	41	Rattler-Blake	Georgia	4	First Down	INT
21.	22	Rattler-Simon	Georgia	4	First Down	INT
22.	76	Rattler-Legette	Miss. State	1	TD	TD
23.	75	Rattler-Legette	Miss. State	3	TD	TD
24.	44	Rattler-Brown	Tennessee	1	First Down	FG
25.	32	Kroeger-Legette	Tennessee	2	First Down	Downs
26.	20	Rattler-Knox	Tennessee	4	First Down	FG
27.	45	Rattler-Harbor	Florida	1	First Down	TD
28.	41	Rattler-Legette	Florida	2	First Down	TD
29.	20	Rattler-Anderson	Florida	2	TD	TD
30.	46	Rattler-Legette	Florida	3	First Down	FG
31.	20	Rattler-Knox	Florida	3	First Down	TD
32.	24	Rattler-Blake	Florida	4	First Down	TD
33.	33	Rattler-Simon	Florida	4	TD	TD
34.	20	Rattler-Legette	Missouri	1	First Down	Missed FG
35.	22	Rattler-Harbor	Missouri	3	First Down	FG
36.	28	Rattler-Harbor	Missouri	4	First Down	FG
37.	29	Rattler-Blake	Missouri	4	First Down	FG
38.	18	Rattler-Anderson	Texas A&M	1	First Down	TD
39.	18	Rattler-Knox	Texas A&M	3	First Down	FG
40.	23	Rattler-Harbor	Texas A&M	3	First Down	TD
41.	19	Rattler-Legette	Texas A&M	4	First Down	Downs
42.	18	Rattler-Legette	Jax State	1	First Down	TD
43.	19	Rattler-Brown	Jax State	1	First Down	Punt
44.	52	Rattler-Legette	Jax State	1	First Down	TD
45.	27	Rattler-McDowell	Jax State	2	First Down	Downs
46.	44	Rattler-Legette	Jax State	2	First Down	TD
47.	65	Rattler-Legette	Jax State	3	TD	TD
48.	18	Rattler-Anderson	Jax State	4	First Down	FG
49.	20	Rattler-Simon	Jax State	4	First Down	End of half
50.	18	Rattler-McDowell	Vanderbilt	1	First Down	Punt
51.	39	Rattler-Legette	Vanderbilt	1	First Down	TD
52.	24	Rattler-Simon	Vanderbilt	1	First Down	TD
53.	30	Rattler-Braswell	Vanderbilt	1	First Down	TD
54.	18	Rattler-Legette	Vanderbilt	3	First Down	TD
55.	24	Rattler-Brown	Vanderbilt	3	TD	TD
56.	26	Rattler-Blake	Vanderbilt	4	TD	TD
57.	18	Rattler-Harbor	Kentucky	1	First Down	FG
58.	28	Rattler-Legette	Kentucky	4	First Down	TD
59.	22	Rattler-Knox	Kentucky	4	First Down	TD

**Kick Returns (30+ yards)**

No.	Yds	Returner	Opponent	Qtr	Drive Result
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**Punt Returns (20+ yards)**

No.	Yds	Returner	Opponent	Qtr	Drive Result
1.	22	Lewis	Miss. State	3	Fumble

**INT/Fumble Returns (20+ yards)**

No.	Yds	Returner	Opponent	Qtr	Play	Drive Result
1.	25	Collier	Miss. State	4	Fumble	TD
2.	88	Blanton	Jax State	4	INT	TD

**Special Teams/Defensive Scores**

No.	Yds	Player	Opponent	Qtr	Play
1.	88	Blanton	Jax State	4	INT Return
2.	18	Nelson	Vanderbilt	4	Blocked Punt

**2023 Drive Chart Summary****South Carolina**

Opp.	Drives	TD	FG	MissFG	Punt	Downs	Fum	INT	SAF	Half	3-Out
UNC	12	2	1	0	5	4	0	0	0	0	4
FUR	13	7	0	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	3
UGA	10	2	0	0	5	1	0	2	0	0	2
MSU	12	5	1	0	4	0	1	0	0	1	4
TENN	13	2	2	0	5	3	0	1	0	0	5
FLA	12	5	1	0	4	0	0	1	0	1	1
MIZZ	11	0	4	1	4	1	0	1	0	0	2
TAMU	12	2	1	0	5	2	1	0	0	1	6
JSU	16	4	1	0	7	2	0	1	0	1	3
VANDY	13	6	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	2	2
KENT	12	2	1	0	8	0	0	0	0	1	6
CLEM											
<b>TOT</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>38</b>

**Opponents**

Opp.	Drives	TD	FG	MissFG	Punt	Downs	Fum	INT	SAF	Half	3-Out
UNC	12	4	1	0	2	1	0	2	0	2	1
FUR	14	3	0	0	7	1	0	1	0	2	5
UGA	11	3	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	2	1
MSU	12	3	3	0	3	1	1	1	0	0	1
TENN	13	4	2	0	3	0	0	2	0	2	3
FLA	12	4	4	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
MIZZ	12	4	2	0	3	1	0	0	0	2	3
TAMU	12	3	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	2
JSU	17	4	0	0	7	1	2	2	0	1	8
VANDY	13	1	0	0	8	2	2	0	0	0	4
KENT	12	2	0	0	5	1	2	1	0	1	4
CLEM											
<b>TOT</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>32</b>





### Carolina Team Game Highs

Rushes	47	vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Yards Rushing	152	vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Yards Per Rush	5.7	vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
TD Rushes	3	vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
Pass attempts	42	at Georgia (Sep 16, 2023)
Pass completions	32	vs Furman (Sep 09, 2023)
Yards Passing	463	vs Furman (Sep 09, 2023)
Yards Per Pass	14.4	vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
TD Passes	5	vs Furman (Sep 09, 2023)
Total Plays	77	vs Furman (Sep 09, 2023)
		vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
Total Offense	571	vs Furman (Sep 09, 2023)
Yards Per Play	8.1	vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
Points	47	vs Furman (Sep 09, 2023)
		vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
Sacks By	4	vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
First Downs	25	vs Furman (Sep 09, 2023)
Penalties	11	at Georgia (Sep 16, 2023)
Penalty Yards	100	vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
Turnovers	2	at Georgia (Sep 16, 2023)
		vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Interceptions By	2	vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
		at Tennessee (Sep 30, 2023)
		vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
Punts	8	vs Kentucky (Nov 18, 2023)
Punting Avg	48.4	vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
Long Punt	60	vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
Punts inside 20	3	vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
		vs Kentucky (Nov 18, 2023)
Long Punt Return	25	vs Furman (Sep 09, 2023)

### Carolina Individual Game Highs

Rushes	26	Mario Anderson vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Yards Rushing	102	Mario Anderson vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
TD Rushes	1	16 with 1
Long Rush	75	Mario Anderson at Tennessee (Sep 30, 2023)
Pass attempts	42	Spencer Rattler at Georgia (Sep 16, 2023)
Pass completions	30	Spencer Rattler vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
Yards Passing	399	Spencer Rattler vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
TD Passes	4	Spencer Rattler vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Long Pass	76	Spencer Rattler vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Receptions	9	Xavier Legette vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
		Xavier Legette vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
		Xavier Legette vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
Yards Receiving	217	Xavier Legette vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
TD Receptions	2	Xavier Legette vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
		Xavier Legette vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
		Xavier Legette vs Kentucky (Nov 18, 2023)
Long Reception	76	Xavier Legette vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Field Goals	4	Mitch Jeter at Missouri (Oct 21, 2023)
Long Field Goal	51	Mitch Jeter at Missouri (Oct 21, 2023)
Punts	8	Kai Kroeger vs Kentucky (Nov 18, 2023)
Punting Avg	48.4	Kai Kroeger vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
Long Punt	60	Kai Kroeger vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
Punts inside 20	3	Kai Kroeger vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
		Kai Kroeger vs Kentucky (Nov 18, 2023)
Long Punt Return	22	Eddie Lewis vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Long Kickoff Return	28	Xavier Legette vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
Tackles	15	Jalon Kilgore at Tennessee (Sep 30, 2023)
Sacks	2.0	Alex Huntley vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
		Jordan Strachan vs Kentucky (Nov 18, 2023)
Tackles For Loss	3.5	Debo Williams vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Interceptions	1	9 with 1

### Opponent Team Game Highs

Rushes	57	vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
Yards Rushing	238	at Tennessee (Sep 30, 2023)
Yards Per Rush	5.9	at Tennessee (Sep 30, 2023)
TD Rushes	3	at Georgia (Sep 16, 2023)
		at Tennessee (Sep 30, 2023)
		at Missouri (Oct 21, 2023)
Pass attempts	48	vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
		vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Pass completions	30	vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
		vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Yards Passing	487	vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Yards Per Pass	10.1	vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
TD Passes	3	vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
		vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
Total Plays	84	vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
Total Offense	519	vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Yards Per Play	7.3	vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Points	41	at Tennessee (Sep 30, 2023)
		vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Sacks By	9	vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
First Downs	29	vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Penalties	7	vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
		vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
		vs Kentucky (Nov 18, 2023)
Penalty Yards	56	vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
Turnovers	4	vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
Interceptions By	2	at Georgia (Sep 16, 2023)
Punts	8	vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
Punting Avg	49.3	at Missouri (Oct 21, 2023)
Long Punt	64	at Missouri (Oct 21, 2023)
Punts inside 20	5	vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
Long Punt Return	16	at Tennessee (Sep 30, 2023)

### Opponent Individual Game Highs

Rushes	26	Cody Schrader, at Missouri (Oct 21, 2023)
Yards Rushing	159	Cody Schrader, at Missouri (Oct 21, 2023)
TD Rushes	2	Omarion Hampton, vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
		Cody Schrader, at Missouri (Oct 21, 2023)
Long Rush	42	Jaylen Wright, at Tennessee (Sep 30, 2023)
Pass attempts	48	Will Rogers, vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
		Graham Mertz, vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Pass completions	30	Will Rogers, vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
		Graham Mertz, vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Yards Passing	487	Will Rogers, vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
TD Passes	3	Graham Mertz, vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Long Pass	65	Will Rogers, vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Receptions	10	Ricky Pearsall, vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Yards Receiving	256	Tulu Griffin, vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
TD Receptions	1	9 players tied
Long Reception	65	Tulu Griffin, vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Field Goals	4	Trey Smack, vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Long Field Goal	54	Trey Smack, vs Florida (Oct 14, 2023)
Punts	7	Ryan Leavy, vs Furman (Sep 09, 2023)
		Jack Dawson, vs Jacksonville St. (Nov 04, 2023)
		Matt Hayball, vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
Punting Avg	49.3	Luke Bauer, at Missouri (Oct 21, 2023)
Long Punt	64	Luke Bauer, at Missouri (Oct 21, 2023)
Punts inside 20	5	Matt Hayball, vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
Long Punt Return	16	Dee Williams, at Tennessee (Sep 30, 2023)
Long Kickoff Return	29	Jayden McGowan, vs Vanderbilt (Nov 11, 2023)
Tackles	14	Jett Johnson, vs Mississippi St. (Sep 23, 2023)
Sacks	2.0	6 players tied
Tackles For Loss	5.5	Kaimon Rucker, vs North Carolina (Sep 02, 2023)
Interceptions	1	7 players tied



## The Last Time South Carolina...

**SHUT OUT AN OPPONENT:**

46-0, vs Eastern Illinois (9/4/21)

**WAS SHUT OUT:**

30-0, vs. Clemson (11/27/21)

**SCORED ON A SAFETY:**

vs. Florida (10/14/23)

**ALLOWED A SAFETY:**

at Clemson (11/26/22)

**FORCED 4+ TURNOVERS:**

4, vs. Jacksonville State (11/4/23)

**FORCED 5+ TURNOVERS:**

5, vs. Michigan (1/1/18)

**FORCED 6+ TURNOVERS:**

6, vs. Clemson (11/30/13)

**RETURNED A KICKOFF FOR A TD:**

Xavier Legette, 100 yards vs. Texas A&M (10/22/22)

**ALLOWED KICK RET. FOR A TD:**

Trey Palmer, 93 yards vs. LSU (10/24/20)

**ALLOWED 2 KICK RET. FOR TDs:**

Darrius Sims at Vanderbilt, 91 and 100 yards (9/20/14)

**RETURNED A PUNT FOR A TD:**

Ace Sanders, 63 yards vs. Michigan (1/1/13)

**ALLOWED A PUNT RET. FOR A TD:**

Ainias Smith, 95 yards at Texas A&M (10/23/21)

**RETURNED AN INT FOR A TD:**

Stone Blanton, 88 yards vs. Jacksonville State (11/4/23)

**ALLOWED AN INT FOR A TD:**

Kamal Hadden, Tennessee, 28 yards (9/39/23)

**RETURNED A FUMBLE FOR A TD:**

Jabari Ellis, Florida, 18 yards (11/6/21)

**ALLOWED FUMBLE RET. FOR A TD:**

Trajan Jeffcoat, Missouri, 0 yards (11/13/21)

**HAD A DEFENSIVE PLAYER SCORE TWO TOUCHDOWNS IN A GAME:**

Melvin Ingram at Georgia, 68-yard fake punt & 5-yard fumble recovery (9/10/11)

**SCORED THREE DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS IN A GAME:**

vs. Arkansas (10/7/17)

**HAD A PLAYER RUSH, PASS AND RECEIVE A TD IN A GAME:**

Pharoh Cooper, vs. Tennessee (11/1/14)

**HAD A FAKE PUNT FOR A TD:**

Kai Kroeger to Dakereon Joyner, 48 yards, at Florida (11/12/22)

**HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 300+ YDS:**

351, Spencer Rattler vs. Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

**HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 350+ YDS:**

351, Spencer Rattler vs. Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

**HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 400+ YDS:**

438, Spencer Rattler vs. Tennessee (11/19/22)

**HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 450+ YDS:**

510, Jake Bentley, at Clemson (11/24/18)

**HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 500+ YDS:**

510, Jake Bentley, at Clemson (11/24/18)

**HAD A PLAYER COMP. 30+ PASSES:**

30, Spencer Rattler vs. North Carolina (9/2/23)

**HAD A PLAYER ATT. 40+ PASSES:**

40, Spencer Rattler vs. Missouri (10/21/23)

**HAD A PLAYER ATT. 50+ PASSES:**

57, Ryan Hilinski, vs. Appalachian State (11/9/19)

**HAD A PLAYER RUSH FOR 150+ YDS:**

169, MarShawn Lloyd vs. Charlotte (9/24/22)

**HAD A PLAYER RUSH FOR 200+ YDS:**

210, Kevin Harris vs. Kentucky (12/5/20)

**HAD A PLAYER RUSH FOR 250+ YDS:**

278, Brandon Bennett, vs. East Tennessee State (10/5/91)

**HAD TWO PLAYERS RUSH FOR 100+ YARDS:**

Kevin Harris (128) and ZaQuandre White (111) vs. Florida (11/26/21)

**HAD A PLAYER WITH 150+ YARDS RECEIVING:**

217, Xavier Legette vs. Jacksonville State (11/4/23)

**HAD A PLAYER WITH 200+ YARDS RECEIVING:**

217, Xavier Legette vs. Jacksonville State (11/4/23)

**HAD TWO PLAYERS WITH 100 YARDS RECEIVING:**

Deebo Samuel (210) and Shi Smith (109) at Clemson (11/24/18)

**HAD TWO PLAYERS WITH 10+ RECEPTIONS:**

Bruce Ellington (10) and Mike Davis (10), at Missouri (10/26/13)

**HAD A PLAYER WITH 500+ YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE:**

512, Steve Taneyhill vs. Mississippi State (10/14/95)

**HAD A PLAYER RUSH AND PASS FOR 100 YARDS EACH:**

Lorenzo Nuñez, vs. UCF, 123 rush, 184 pass (09/26/15)

**HAD A PLAYER SCORE 4+ TDs:**

5, Kevin Harris, at Ole Miss (11/14/20)

**HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 4 TDs:**

4, Spencer Rattler, vs. Florida (10/14/23)

**HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 5 TDs:**

5, Jake Bentley, at Clemson (11/24/18)

**HAD A PLAYER RUSH FOR 3 TDs:**

3, MarShawn Lloyd, vs Charlotte (9/24/22)

**HAD A PLAYER CATCH 3+ TDs:**

3, Deebo Samuel at Clemson (11/24/18)

**HAD A PLAYER CATCH 4+ TDs:**

5, Sidney Rice vs. Fla. Atlantic (9/23/06)

**HAD A PLAYER CATCH 5+ TDs:**

5, Sidney Rice vs. Fla. Atlantic (9/23/06)

**HAD A PLAYER ACCOUNT FOR 4+ TDs:**

5, 243, Kevin Harris, at Ole Miss (11/14/20)

**HAD A PLAYER KICK 4 FGs:**

4, Mitch Jeter vs. Missouri (10/21/23)

**HAD A PLAYER KICK 5+ FGs:**

5, Spencer Lanning at Georgia (9/12/09)

**HAD A PLAYER WITH 2 INTs:**

2, Jaylan Foster at Georgia (9/18/21)

**HAD A PLAYER WITH 3 INTs:**

3, Israel Mukuamu at Georgia (10/12/19)

**BLOCKED A FIELD GOAL ATT.:**

Alex Huntley vs Texas A&M (10/29/23)

**RETURNED A BLOCKED FIELD GOAL ATTEMPT FOR A TD:**

Captain Munnerlyn at Kentucky, 81 yards, (10/11/08)

**BLOCKED A PAT:**

Kingsley Enagbare vs. Chattanooga (11/17/18)

**RETURNED AN EXTRA POINT FOR A DEFENSIVE PAT:**

Victor Hampton at Florida (10/20/12)

**BLOCKED A PUNT:**

Keenan Nelson vs Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

**BLOCKED TWO PUNTS IN A GAME:**

Debo Williams vs. E. Illinois (9/4/21)

**RETURNED A BLOCKED PUNT FOR A TD:**

Keenan Nelson vs Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

**BLOCKED A PUNT AND FIELD GOAL IN THE SAME GAME:**

at Texas A&M (10/28/23)

**HAD A PUNT BLOCKED:**

at Tennessee (10/26/19)

**HAD A FIELD GOAL BLOCKED:**

vs. Michigan (1/1/13)

**HAD A PAT BLOCKED:**

vs. Texas A&M (10/22/22)

**ALLOWED PAT TO BE RETURNED FOR 2 POINTS:**

Denzil Ware, vs. Kentucky (9/12/15)

**MISSED A PAT:**

vs. Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

**FAILED A PAT ATTEMPT:**

vs Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

**MADE A 2-PT CONVERSION:**

Hemingway rush, vs S.C. State (9/29/22)

**MADE A PAIR OF 2-PT CONVERSIONS:**

vs. Georgia State (9/3/22)

**ATTEMPTED A 2-PT CONVERSION:**

vs. Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

**RECOVERED OWN ONSIDE KICK:**

vs. North Carolina (9/2/23)

**HAD LESS THAN 50 YDS RUSHING:**

33, vs. Texas A&M (10/28/23)

**HAD 300+ YARDS RUSHING:**

301, vs. North Carolina (12/30/21)

**HAD 600+ TOTAL NET YARDS:**

606, vs Tennessee (11/19/22)

**HAD A 50+ YARD RUN:**

72, Mario Anderson vs. Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

**HAD A 50+ YARD RECEPTION:**

65, Spencer Rattler to Xavier Legette, vs Jacksonville State (11/4/23)

## The Last an Opponent Had...

**TEAM...**

**LESS THAN 50 YARDS RUSHING:**

32, vs. Mississippi State (9/23/23)

**300+ YARDS RUSHING:**

374, at Florida (11/12/22)

**LESS THAN 100 YARDS PASSING:**

99, at Clemson (11/26/22)

**400+ YARDS PASSING:**

423, vs. Florida (10/14/23)

**LESS THAN 200 TOTAL NET YARDS:**

109, vs. Eastern Illinois (9/4/21)

**500+ TOTAL NET YARDS:**

519, vs. Mississippi State (9/23/23)

**600+ TOTAL NET YARDS:**

708, at Ole Miss (11/14/20)

**INDIVIDUAL...**

**350+ YARDS PASSING:**

423, Graham Mertz, Florida (10/14/23)

**400+ YARDS PASSING:**

423, Graham Mertz, Florida (10/14/23)

**150+ YARDS RUSHING:**

159, Cody Schrader, Missouri (10/21/23)

**200+ YARDS RUSHING:**

209, Tyler Badie, at Missouri (11/13/21)

**200+ YARDS RUSHING:**

321, Darren McFadden, Ark. (11/3/07)

**300+ YARDS RUSHING:**

321, Darren McFadden, Ark. (11/3/07)

**200+ YARDS RECEIVING:**

256, Lideatrick Griffin, Miss. State (9/23/23)

**50+ YARD RUN:**

85, Trevor Etienne, Florida (11/12/22)

**50+ YARD RECEPTION:**

54, Zion Webb to Perry Carter, Jacksonville State (11/4/23)

**MADE 4+ FIELD GOALS:**

4, Trey Smack, Florida (10/14/23)

**RUSHED FOR 4+ TOUCHDOWNS:**

4, Chad Jasmin, Clemson (11/21/03)

**PASSED FOR 4+ TOUCHDOWNS:**

4, Matt Corral, Ole Miss (11/14/20)

**TWO PLAYERS WITH...**

**100+ YARDS RUSHING:**

at Florida, Montrell Johnson (161) and Trevor Etienne (100), (11/12/22)

**100+ YARDS RECEIVING:**

Ole Miss, Elijah Moore (225) & Braylon Sanders (141), (11/14/20)



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**CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP)** — Heisman Trophy hopeful Drake Maye threw for 269 yards and two touchdowns, North Carolina's upstart defense had nine sacks and the 21st-ranked Tar Heels beat border rival South Carolina 31-17 on Saturday night in a neutral-site game.

British Brooks ran for 103 yards and Omarion Hampton added two short TD runs for the Tar Heels.

Maye, who grew up in the Charlotte suburb of Huntersville, led scoring drives on five of North Carolina's first six possessions, excluding a kneel down at the end of the first half.

The redshirt sophomore made NFL-type throws — back-shoulder fades, deep outs and sidearm tosses under pressure — while repeatedly keeping alive plays with his feet. He wasn't perfect, with two interceptions in the game's final 18 minutes as the Tar Heels were trying to put the game away.

But Maye didn't need to be perfect on this day.

The Tar Heels got an unexpected lift from Gene Chizik's defense, which struggled most of last season. The Tar Heels had just 17 sacks all of 2022 and surrendered 30.8 points and 436.5 yards per game.

North Carolina moved the ball at will in the first half.

Maye hit Kobe Paysour in stride with a 34-yard touchdown strike along the right sideline to give the Tar Heels a 17-14 lead just before at halftime. North Carolina could have scored more had it not been for two drive-killing drops by wide receiver Gavin Blackwell in South Carolina territory, including one on fourth down.

Blackwell was pressed into a bigger role with starting wideouts Devontez Walker (ineligible) and Nate McCollum (lower body injury).

The Gamecocks appeared to gain momentum when they pulled one out of the Sean Payton playbook and recovered an onside kick to start the second half. But UNC smothered the drive before it began, forcing the Gamecocks to turn the ball over on downs.

The Tar Heels capitalized with Blackwell redeeming himself with a sliding 37-yard catch at the South Carolina 1 to set up Hampton's second touchdown. Maye then connected on an 18-yard completion with tight end John Copenhaver, who made a one-handed grab in the end zone to put the Tar Heels up 31-14.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

**North Carolina:** It was expected that Maye would play well, but UNC's defensive pressure turned some heads with Amari Gainer recording two sacks and Cedric Gray and Beau Atkinson combining for three. The Tar Heels made quality stops at key times, particularly in the second half.

**South Carolina:** The offensive line is going to need some big time help if the Gamecocks are to make some noise in the SEC. They gave up nine sacks to a defense that wasn't very good season and didn't give QB Spencer Rattler enough of a chance to make plays. Rattler threw for 353 yards on 30-of-39 passing.

<b>North Carolina</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>31</b>
<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>17</b>

**SCORING SUMMARY**

1st	9:50	UNC	Huzzie 1-yard run (Coe kick) (9-70-3:55)	0-7
1st	6:29	SC	Joyner 4-yard run (Jeter kick) (8-75-3:21)	7-7
2nd	7:05	UNC	Coe 37-yard field goal (13-42-6:20)	7-10
2nd	5:16	SC	McDowell 1-yard run (Jeter kick) (5-72-1:42)	14-10
2nd	2:50	UNC	Paysour 34-yard pass from Maye (Coe kick) (5-75-2:26)	14-17
3rd	11:35	UNC	Hampton 1-yard run (Coe kick) (6-53-2:43)	14-24
3rd	6:29	UNC	Copenhaver 18-yard pass from Maye (Coe kick) (8-55-3:25)	14-31
4th	12:19	SC	Jeter 26-yard field goal (12-62-4:55)	17-31

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	<b>UNC</b>	<b>SC</b>
First Downs	21	20
Rushing	9	4
Passing	12	14
Penalty	0	2
Net Yards Rushing	168	-2
Rushing Attempts	39	31
Net Yards Passing	269	353
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	24-32-2	30-39-0
Total Offense Yards	437	351
Total Offense Plays	71	70
Fumbles: No.-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties: No.-Yards	7-49	6-35
Punts-Yards	2-85	5-242
Avg. Yards Per Punt	42.5	48.4
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	1-16	2-43
Interceptions: No.-Yards	0-0	2-22
Possession Time	32:37	27:23
Third Down Conversions	8-13	4-14
Fourth Down Conversions	1-2	0-4
Red Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	3-5
Sacks By: No.-Yards	9-65	0-0
PAT Kicks	4-4	2-2
Field Goals	1-1	1-1

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: UNC:** Brooks 15-103; Hampton 16-37; Maye 4-25; Chapman 1-7; Team 3-(-4). **SC:** Joyner 12-23; McDowell 5-(-1); Legette 1-(-2); Rattler 13-(-22).

**PASSING: UNC:** Maye 24-32-2-269. **SC:** Rattler 39-39-0-353.

**RECEIVING: UNC:** Paysour 7-66; Copenhaver 3-52; Morales 3-46; Nesbit 3-22; Brooks 3-18; Jones 2-24; Blackwell 1-37; Chapman 1-4; Pettaway 1-0. **SC:** Legette 9-178; Joyner 5-13; Simon 4-20; A. Brown 3-44; Doty 3-41; McDowell 3-31; Knox 2-14; Mangrumn 1-12.

**PUNT RETURNS: UNC:** None. **SC:** None.

**KICKOFF RETURNS: UNC:** Pettaway 1-16. **SC:** Legette 2-43.

**INTERCEPTION RETURNS: UNC:** None. **SC:** Fortune 1-5; Banks 1-17.

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**South Carolina 47**  
**Furman 21**



**September 9, 2023**  
**Williams-Brice Stadium**  
**Columbia, S.C.**  
**78,281**



**COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP)** — South Carolina quarterback Spencer Ratter completed 25 of 27 passes for 345 yards and three touchdowns and ran for another TD to lead the Gamecocks to a 47-21 win over Furman on Saturday night.

Ratter, who returned to South Carolina (1-1) after an up-and-down 2022, is reminding people why he was a Heisman contender at Oklahoma before imploding, being benched and transferring.

Rattler hit long bombs, short slants and throws where he had to patiently find a third or fourth choice. He's averaging 348 yards passing in his past five games after throwing for just 198 yards a game in his first 10 outings for the Gamecocks.

Perhaps most important, Ratter was not sacked Saturday a week after North Carolina sacked him nine times.

There were still some concerns for South Carolina against the Football Championship Subdivision Paladins (1-1). The Gamecocks ran for just less than 3 yards a play behind an inexperienced and banged up offensive line. Both their two-point attempts failed.

Furman, ranked sixth in FCS, had a couple of long touchdown drives. Tyler Huff was 14-of-25 passing for 129 yards, while Joshua Harris caught six passes for 73 yards.

When South Carolina needed something, Rattler and Xavier Legette delivered. The game turned late in the second quarter when Furman punted with 23 seconds left and the Gamecocks up 20-14.

Rattler only needed 20 seconds to drive the Gamecocks 75 yards for a touchdown, the big play a 53-yard strike to Legette, who caught six passes for 118 yards.

The backups got some work too. LaNorris Sellers completed all four of his passes for 86 yards and two touchdowns for the Gamecocks, including a 50-yard pin-point TD to Tyshawn Russell.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

**Furman:** The Paladins take \$500,000 back to Greenville. The Huff-to-Harris passing combination proved it can work even against the likely best team on Furman's schedule.

**South Carolina:** Just getting a win was critical for a South Carolina team who lost its opener to North Carolina and still has No. 1 Georgia and No. 9 Tennessee later in September with Mississippi State in between.

<b>Furman</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>47</b>

**SCORING SUMMARY**

1st	7:27	FUR	Roberto 1-yard run (Lepvreau kick) (6-68-2:49)	0-7
1st	4:59	SC	Joyner 3-yard run (Jeter kick) (7-72-2:21)	7-7
2nd	11:57	FUR	Shiflett 4-yard pass from Huff (Williams kick) (11-66-5:04)	7-14
2nd	8:26	SC	Rattler 1-yard run (Jeter kick) (10-75-3:31)	14-14
2nd	0:43	SC	Doty 36-yard pass from Rattler (pass failed) (10-74-3:48)	20-14
2nd	0:03	SC	Blake 7-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (3-75-0:20)	27-14
3rd	8:36	SC	Legette 42-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (4-90-1:30)	34-14
3rd	0:09	SC	Russell 50-yard pass from Sellers (pass failed) (5-67-2:01)	40-14
4th	10:40	SC	Harbor 7-yard pass from Sellers (Herrera kick) (6-38-2:24)	47-14
4th	4:41	FUR	Chappell 16-yard pass from Jones (Lepvreau kick) (1-16-0:08)	47-21

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	<b>FUR</b>	<b>SC</b>
First Downs	16	25
Rushing	6	4
Passing	10	19
Penalty	0	2
Net Yards Rushing	80	108
Rushing Attempts	31	39
Net Yards Passing	243	463
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	20-35-1	32-38-0
Total Offense Yards	323	571
Total Offense Plays	66	77
Fumbles: No.-Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties: No.-Yards	6-53	8-60
Punts-Yards	7-315	4-178
Avg. Yards Per Punt	45.0	44.5
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	1-0	2-9
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	2-36
Interceptions: No.-Yards	0-0	1-3
Possession Time	28:07	31:53
Third Down Conversions	6-16	9-15
Fourth Down Conversions	1-2	1-1
Red Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	4-4
Sacks By: No.-Yards	1-1	3-11
PAT Kicks	3-3	5-5
Field Goals	0-0	0-1

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: FUR:** Smith 8-30; Roberto 9-20; Huff 8-15; Anderson Jr. 1-11; Robinson 4-5; Team 1-(-1). **SC:** Joyner 11-42; Anderson 6-32; Braswell 4-17; McDowell 6-15; Rattler 3-8; Sellers 2-6; Twitty 3-0; Legette 1-(-1); Doty 1-(-1); Harris-Waynick 1-(-3); Bailey 1-(-7).

**PASSING: FUR:** Huff 14-25-1-129; Jones 5-9-0-63; Harris 1-1-0-51. **SC:** Rattler 25-27-0-345; Sellers 4-4-0-86; Doty 2-4-0-17; Gauthier 1-2-0-15; Team 0-1-0-0.

**RECEIVING: FUR:** Harris 6-73; Hinton 3-53; Shiflett 2-9; Hughes 2-7; Dean 1-51; Ferguson 1-17; Chappell 1-16; Roberto 1-6; Bell 1-5; Pine 1-3; Anderson Jr. 1-3. **SC:** Legette 6-118; Lewis 6-89; A. Brown 6-42; Joyner 4-53; Russell 2-65; Simon 2-7; Doty 1-36; Mangrum 1-19; Knox 1-15; Blake 1-7; Harbor 1-7; Wells Jr. 1-5.

**PUNT RETURNS: FUR:** Harris 1-0. **SC:** Lewis 1-6; A. Brown 1-3.

**KICKOFF RETURNS: FUR:** None. **SC:** Legette 1-24; Russell 1-12.

**INTERCEPTION RETURNS: FUR:** None. **SC:** McLeod 1-3.





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**#1/1 Georgia 24**  
**South Carolina 14**



**September 16, 2023**  
**Sanford Stadium**  
**Athens, Ga.**  
**92,746**



**ATHENS, GA. (AP)** — Carson Beck passed for 269 yards, Daijun Edwards, Dillon Bell and Cash Jones ran for second-half touchdowns, and No. 1 Georgia rallied from 11 points down to beat South Carolina 24-14 on Saturday.

The two-time reigning national champion Bulldogs won their 20th consecutive game in uncharacteristic fashion, trotting off to a smattering of boos from their home fans and facing their biggest halftime deficit in nearly three years.

But Georgia (3-0, 1-0 Southeastern Conference) played like a champ after the teams returned to the field on a soggy, gloomy day between the hedges.

The defense totally shut down Spencer Rattler and the Gamecocks (1-2, 0-1), who couldn't build on their 14-3 lead at the break. They managed just 129 yards over the final two quarters, with Rattler held to 6 of 24 passing for 104 yards with two interceptions. The Beck-led offense came out from the break nearly perfect, scoring touchdowns on three of its first four possessions — the only blip being a drive that ended with a missed field goal. Beck finished 27 of 35 passing.

Edwards, who missed the first two games with a lingering knee injury, rushed for 118 yards on 20 carries.

Georgia took the second-half kickoff and quickly drove 75 yards in six plays, scoring its first TD of the day on Edwards' 7-yard touchdown.

After South Carolina went three-and-out, the Bulldogs ripped off a 49-yard drive that ended with Bell, a receiver who has been getting extended time at running back, taking it in from the 3 to give Georgia its first lead of the game before the third quarter was halfway done.

Finally, Georgia finished off the Gamecocks when Cash sauntered in from 13 yards out with just over 9 minutes remaining.

The first half was a stunner, as Rattler carved up the Bulldogs by completing 16 of 18 for 152 yards, including a 17-yard touchdown to Antwane Wells Jr. on a third-and-16 screen.

It was the first time Georgia has trailed since last year's playoff semifinal victory over Ohio State in the Peach Bowl.

The Bulldogs answered with Peyton Woodring's 31-yard field goal, but the Gamecocks tacked on another TD with just a minute left in the half after Woodring missed a chip shot from 28 yards.

Rattler guided South Carolina on a five-play, 80-yard drive that was capped by Dakereon Joyner powering in from the 2 off a direct snap to push the margin to double-digits.

Rattler completed two passes for 53 yards and scrambled twice for 20 yards on the lightning-quick possession, which was helped along by a 15-yard facemask penalty on Georgia's Warren Brinson.

The final play of the half summed it up for the Bulldogs: Beck was sacked near midfield as the clock ran out with Georgia facing its largest halftime deficit since the Bulldogs trailed Florida 38-21 in the Cocktail Party rivalry on Nov. 7, 2020.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

**South Carolina:** The Gamecocks have shown a lot of promise under coach Shane Beamer, and their performance over the first two quarters against the nation's top-ranked team was certainly impressive. But the second-half meltdown demonstrated they're not quite ready for prime time in the SEC.

**Georgia:** The Bulldogs' running game got a big boost from the return of Edwards, who provided the sort of explosiveness they'd been missing. But Georgia appears to have a problem in its kicking game, which has traditionally been one of its strongest areas. Woodring is just 3 of 6 on the year, including two misses from inside of 30 yards. He also was wide right on a 43-yarder against the Gamecocks.

<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Georgia</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>24</b>

**SCORING SUMMARY**

1st	9:56	SC	Wells Jr. 17-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (10-65-5:04)	7-0
1st	2:02	UGA	Woodring 31-yard field goal (15-62-6:20)	7-3
2nd	1:00	SC	Joyner 2-yard run (Jeter kick) (5-80-2:27)	14-3
3rd	12:20	UGA	Edwards 7-yard run (Woodring kick) (6-75-2:40)	14-10
3rd	7:40	UGA	Bell 3-yard run (Woodring kick) (9-49-3:20)	14-17
4th	9:10	UGA	Jones 13-yard run (Woodring kick) (8-61-3:49)	14-24

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	<b>SC</b>	<b>UGA</b>
First Downs	17	29
Rushing	4	14
Passing	12	13
Penalty	1	2
Net Yards Rushing	53	190
Rushing Attempts	16	44
Net Yards Passing	256	269
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	22-42-2	27-35-0
Total Offense Yards	309	459
Total Offense Plays	58	79
Fumbles: No.-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties: No.-Yards	11-73	6-45
Punts-Yards	5-189	3-111
Avg. Yards Per Punt	37.8	37.0
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	1-15	1-15
Interceptions: No.-Yards	0-0	2-0
Possession Time	22:47	37:13
Third Down Conversions	5-13	5-13
Fourth Down Conversions	1-2	2-2
Red Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	4-6
Sacks By: No.-Yards	2-12	3-15
PAT Kicks	2-2	3-3
Field Goals	0-0	1-3

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: SC:** Rattler 8-35; Joyner 5-10; Anderson 2-9; Legette 1-(-1). **UGA:** Edwards 20-118; Milton 7-25; Bell 7-23; Jones 2-20; Beck 5-2; Robinson II 1-1; Bowers 1-1; Team 1-0.

**PASSING: SC:** Rattler 22-42-2-256. **UGA:** Beck 27-35-0-269.

**RECEIVING: SC:** Legette 7-71; Blake 5-86; Knox 3-31; Doty 3-14; Wells Jr. 2-32; Lewis 1-23; Joyner 1-(-1). **UGA:** Lovett 7-56; Bowers 7-54; Rosemy-Jacksaint 6-71; Thomas 2-42; Bell 1-16; Jones 1-11; C.J. Smith 1-7; Delp 1-7; A. Smith 1-5.

**PUNT RETURNS: SC:** None. **UGA:** None.

**KICKOFF RETURNS: SC:** Legette 1-15. **UGA:** Bell 1-15.

**INTERCEPTION RETURNS: SC:** None. **UGA:** Jackson 1-0; T. Smith 1-0.

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**South Carolina 37**  
**Mississippi State 30**



**September 23, 2023**  
**Williams-Brice Stadium**  
**Columbia, S.C.**  
**78,311**



**COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP)** — Spencer Rattler went 18-of-20 passing for 288 yards and three touchdowns to lead South Carolina to a 37-30 win over Mississippi State on Saturday night.

Rattler's favorite target, Xavier Legette, caught five passes for 189 yards, including touchdowns of 76 and 75 yards for the Gamecocks (2-2, 1-1 Southeastern Conference).

South Carolina tried to establish the ground game — the Gamecocks attempted 47 rushes — but when they needed something, they turned to Rattler, the Oklahoma transfer who in his past seven games has finally shown why he was once one of the Sooners most highly touted recruits.

Rattler also ran eight times for 43 yards. Mario Anderson was the Gamecocks' leading rusher with 88 yards on 26 carries.

After three weeks of pounding the ball on the ground with inconsistent results, Mississippi State (2-2, 0-2) returned to the kind of Air Raid passing attack the Bulldogs used under coach Mike Leach, who died in December.

Will Rogers threw for a career best 487 yards on 30-of-48 passing with a touchdown and an interception. The senior vaulted from sixth to third on the SEC all-time passing list with 11,668 yards, passing Peyton Manning of Tennessee, Chris Leak of Florida and David Greene of Georgia.

Lideatrick Griffin set a school record with 256 yards receiving on seven catches.

But Rogers had an interception in the red zone and a fumble in a game where both defenses struggled to get stops. South Carolina had 99- and a 98-yard touchdown drives to open the game.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

**Mississippi State:** The loss put the Bulldogs in a hole in the SEC. They will need to find two SEC wins somewhere to continue their streak of 13 straight seasons going to a bowl. Maybe getting back to passing is the answer? Mississippi State gained 519 yards, by far their best against a Football Bowl Subdivision team this season.

**South Carolina:** The Gamecocks needed a win in a tough September and got it. With Clemson left on the non-conference schedule, South Carolina could need four SEC wins to get to a bowl. And if Rattler continues to play at this high of a level, that is well in reach.

<b>Mississippi St.</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>37</b>

**SCORING SUMMARY**

1st	9:46	SC	Legette 76-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (6-98-2:18)	7-0
2nd	14:53	SC	Knox 17-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (16-99-7:15)	14-0
2nd	14:39	MSU	Griffin 65-yard pass from Rogers (Ferrie kick) (2-65-0:14)	14-7
2nd	7:02	MSU	Marks 7-yard run (Ferrie kick) (3-68-1:05)	14-14
2nd	0:38	SC	Joyner 3-yard run (Kroeger pass failed) (13-75-6:24)	20-14
2nd	0:00	MSU	Ferrie 49-yard field goal (6-44-0:38)	20-17
3rd	14:50	SC	Legette 75-yard pass from Rattler (1-75-0:10)	27-17
3rd	10:26	MSU	Wright 1-yard run (Ferrie kick) (9-75-4:24)	27-24
3rd	2:00	MSU	Ferrie 23-yard field goal (9-39-5:12)	27-27
4th	12:35	SC	Jeter 35-yard field goal (10-58-4:25)	30-27
4th	9:36	SC	Anderson 9-yard run (Jeter kick) (4-22-1:03)	37-27
4th	2:13	MSU	Ferrie 47-yard field goal (13-68-2:42)	37-30

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	<b>MSU</b>	<b>SC</b>
First Downs	20	19
Rushing	1	8
Passing	18	9
Penalty	1	2
Net Yards Rushing	32	144
Rushing Attempts	23	47
Net Yards Passing	487	288
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	30-48-1	18-20-0
Total Offense Yards	519	432
Total Offense Plays	71	67
Fumbles: No.-Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties: No.-Yards	5-48	4-35
Punts-Yards	3-133	4-192
Avg. Yards Per Punt	44.3	48.0
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	2-19	1-22
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	1-14	0-0
Interceptions: No.-Yards	0-0	1-0
Possession Time	28:18	31:42
Third Down Conversions	5-14	5-13
Fourth Down Conversions	2-3	1-1
Red Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	4-4
Sacks By: No.-Yards	4-24	3-16
PAT Kicks	3-3	4-4
Field Goals	3-3	1-1

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: MSU:** Marks 12-27; Griffin 1-9; Rogers 6-0; Wright 3-(-2); Pittman 1-(-2). **SC:** Anderson 26-88; Rattler 8-43; Joyner 10-24; Team 3-(-11).

**PASSING: MSU:** Rogers 30-48-1-487. **SC:** Rattler 18-20-0-288.

**RECEIVING: MSU:** Griffin 7-256; Robinson 6-91; Thomas 5-56; Marks 5-15; Whittemore 2-17; Pittman 2-13; Moseley 1-19; Roberson 1-11; Harmon 1-9. **SC:** Legette 5-189; Knox 4-53; Blake 2-13; Lewis 2-8; Joyner 2-6; Anderson 1-10; Russell 1-5; Doty 1-4.

**PUNT RETURNS: MSU:** Thomas 2-19. **SC:** Lewis 1-22.

**KICKOFF RETURNS: MSU:** Thomas 1-14. **SC:** None.

**INTERCEPTION RETURNS: MSU:** None. **SC:** Spaulding 1-0.



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**#21/19 Tennessee 41**  
**South Carolina 20**

**September 30, 2023**  
**Neyland Stadium**  
**Knoxville, Tenn.**  
**101,915**



**KNOXVILLE, TENN. (AP)** — The mission for No. 21 Tennessee on Saturday night against South Carolina was to dictate the game from the trenches.

The domination ultimately paved the way, with Joe Milton throwing for 239 yards and Tennessee sacking Spencer Rattler six times in a 41-20 victory.

Jaylen Wright ran for 123 yards and a touchdown for the Volunteers (4-1, 1-1 Southeastern Conference) in their first game against the Gamecocks (2-3, 1-2) since a meltdown last season that cost them a spot in the College Football Playoffs.

“This was a line of scrimmage game,” Tennessee coach Josh Heupel said. “We challenged (the players on offense and defense) all week. They had to own it.”

Vols defensive lineman James Pearce Jr. had two sacks. “We had to play together and play relentless,” Pearce said. “(Heupel) was preaching all week that we’ve got to take over the game.”

South Carolina struggled on third down (2 of 14) and fourth down (2 of 5).

“When you (struggle on third and fourth down) you make it tough on yourself,” Gamecocks coach Shane Beamer said.

Kamal Hadden returned an interception 28 yards for a touchdown to give Tennessee a 24-10 lead at halftime.

“I trust Spencer in that situation,” Beamer said. Rattler threw for 164 yards and Mario Anderson ran for 101 yards, with a 75-yarder for a score.

“We just didn’t find a rhythm all night,” Rattler said. “We’re 2-3, but it doesn’t feel like 2-3. It’s their Super Bowl. Congrats to them.”

Milton targeted slot receiver Squirrel White nine times and he caught all nine for 104 yards, including an amazing 50-yarder that set up a touchdown.

“I didn’t even see the ball,” White said about the pass that came with a defender draped in front of his face. “I felt the ball hit my hands and just held onto it.”

**ODDS & ENDS**

Tennessee’s Cooper Mays, generally regarded as one of the top centers in the SEC, saw his first action of the season. Midway through preseason camp, Mays underwent an unspecified medical procedure. At the time, he was expected to be ready for the start of the season. Five weeks later, he finally made his debut. ... A special guest of the Vols was former quarterback Hendon Hooker. Now a rookie with the Detroit Lions, Hooker was able to visit because the Lions played Thursday night. It was the South Carolina game last year when Hooker suffered a torn ACL, which derailed his Heisman Trophy campaign. ... Vols receiver Bru McCoy, a red-shirt senior transfer from Southern California, was taken from the field on a stretcher after a right leg injury midway through the second quarter.

**POLL IMPLICATIONS**

Still smarting from a frustrating loss to Florida a couple weeks ago, Tennessee is slowly climbing its way back up the ladder. The victory over the Gamecocks added a bit more credibility than the conquest of UTSA, but the Vols’ next couple opponents — Texas A&M and Alabama — would be very impressive.

<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Tennessee</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>41</b>

**SCORING SUMMARY**

1st	9:28	UT	Wright 42-yard run (Campbell kick) (9-94-3:02)	0-7
1st	5:47	SC	Jeter 36-yard field goal (8-57-3:41)	3-7
1st	2:03	SC	Rattler 6-yard run (Jeter kick) (6-29-2:52)	10-7
1st	0:42	UT	Small 2-yard run (Campbell kick) (4-75-1:21)	10-14
2nd	8:50	UT	Campbell 24-yard field goal (8-63-2:14)	10-17
2nd	0:47	UT	Hadden 28-yard interception return (Campbell kick)	10-24
3rd	10:41	UT	Warren 6-yard pass from Milton (Campbell kick) (12-75-4:19)	10-31
3rd	10:28	SC	Anderson 75-yard run (Jeter kick) (1-75-0:13)	17-31
4th	12:42	UT	Campbell 33-yard field goal (7-23-4:03)	17-34
4th	8:35	SC	Jeter 47-yard field goal (9-45-4:07)	20-34
4th	4:09	UT	Sampson 6-yard run (Campbell kick) (9-75-4:26)	20-41

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	<b>SC</b>	<b>UT</b>
First Downs	11	24
Rushing	5	13
Passing	5	11
Penalty	1	0
Net Yards Rushing	132	238
Rushing Attempts	27	40
Net Yards Passing	201	239
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	25-36-1	21-32-2
Total Offense Yards	333	477
Total Offense Plays	63	72
Fumbles: No.-Lost	0-0	2-0
Penalties: No.-Yards	5-35	7-58
Punts-Yards	5-229	3-147
Avg. Yards Per Punt	45.8	49.0
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	3-24
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	1-20	1-21
Interceptions: No.-Yards	2-16	1-28
Possession Time	30:15	29:45
Third Down Conversions	2-15	7-145
Fourth Down Conversions	2-5	1-1
Red Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	5-5
Sacks By: No.-Yards	1-6	6-27
PAT Kicks	2-2	5-5
Field Goals	2-2	2-2

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: SC:** Anderson 10-101; Rattler 11-19; Legette 1-7; McDowell 3-4; Joyner 2-1. **UT:** Wright 16-123; Small 11-59; Sampson 9-49; White 1-5; Milton 2-4, Team 1-(-2).

**PASSING: SC:** Rattler 24-35-1-169; Kroeger 1-1-0-32. **UT:** Milton 21-32-2-239.

**RECEIVING: SC:** Knox 7-51; Legette 5-50; A. Brown 2-47; Blake 2-20; Simon 2-11; Anderson 3-8; Joyner 2-4; Doty 2-3; Russell 1-7. **UT:** White 9-104; Warren 3-26; Sampson 2-42; Keyton 2-25; McCoy 2-21; Castles 2-11; Nimrod 1-10.

**PUNT RETURNS: SC:** None. **UT:** Williams 3-24.

**KICKOFF RETURNS: SC:** Legette 1-20. **UT:** Seldon 1-21.

**INTERCEPTION RETURNS: SC:** Smith 1-16; Kilgore 1-0. **UT:** Hadden 1-28.

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**Florida 41**  
**South Carolina 39**



**October 14, 2023**  
**Williams-Brice Stadium**  
**Columbia, S.C.**  
**79,247**



**COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP)** — Graham Mertz threw for a career-best 423 yards and three touchdowns, the last a 21-yard throw to Ricky Pearsall with 47 seconds left, and Florida rallied from 10 points down in the fourth quarter to beat South Carolina 41-39 on Saturday.

The Gators (5-2, 3-1 Southeastern Conference) looked finished when Spencer Rattler connected for his fourth TD to Joshua Simon for a 37-27 lead with 9:11 to play.

But Mertz followed with a pair of 75-yard touchdown drives to pull off the comeback. He hit tight end Arlis Boardingham on a 4-yard scoring pass to cut the lead to 37-34 with 4:40 left.

The Gators forced a punt on South Carolina's next series and Mertz was off to the races once more. Pearsall caught a 26-yard pass on fourth-and-10, then Eugene Wilson III collected a pass that bounced off a teammate's hand to reach the Gamecocks' 16.

Mertz gave a shoulder fake on the game-winning throw and Pearsall was wide open for the catch.

Safety Miguel Mitchell picked off Rattler on South Carolina's final possession. The Gators took a safety with 4 seconds left for their second straight SEC win.

The comeback ruined a brilliant performance by South Carolina's Rattler, who passed for 313 yards and four touchdowns.

The Gamecocks (2-4, 1-3) have lost two straight and three of their last four.

The Gamecocks trailed 27-24 on the last of four Trey Smack field goals midway through the third quarter. Two series later, Rattler led the go-ahead drive that included his 27-yard run into Florida territory and a 20-yard scoring toss to Trey Knox for a 31-27 lead.

Rattler was at it again the next time he got the ball, finishing a 70-yard drive with a 33-yard scoring toss to tight end Joshua Simon.

The first half was a classic shootout with the teams trading long drives and big plays. The teams combined for 521 yards and 26 first downs in a half where neither defense could make a stop.

Florida scored on four of its five first-half possessions and Smack's fourth field goal, from 28 yards, sent the team into halftime ahead 24-21.

Rattler connected with four different receivers on his touchdowns, including a 20-yard toss to tailback Mario Anderson where the Division II transfer leaped over safety Miguel Mitchell to reach the end zone.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

**Florida:** The Gators pulled off the comeback behind Mertz, who came into the game second in the nation in pass completion percentage (80 percent). They shook off a lackluster first 20 minutes of the second half and got hot when it counted most.

**South Carolina:** During their bye week, the Gamecocks had hoped they could fix what went wrong in a 41-20 loss at Tennessee two weeks ago. It looked they had solved some problems before their pass rush got caught flat-footed at the end and let Mertz and the Gators pull off an unexpected rally.

<b>Florida</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>39</b>

**SCORING SUMMARY**

1st	10:47	UF	Etienne 3-yard run (Smack kick) (9-66-4:07)	0-7
1st	7:49	SC	Knox 6-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (7-75-2:58)	7-7
1st	4:08	UF	Smack 48-yard field goal (8-45-3:41)	7-10
1st	2:02	SC	McDowell 17-yard run (Jeter kick) (5-75-2:06)	14-10
2nd	13:39	UF	Smack 44-yard field goal (10-49-3:23)	14-13
2nd	8:13	UF	Jackson 7-yard pass from Mertz (Hansen pass from Etienne) (5-82-2:23)	14-21
2nd	4:57	SC	Anderson 20-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (6-75-3:15)	21-21
2nd	0:03	UF	Smack 28-yard field goal (5-45-1:21)	21-24
3rd	10:26	SC	Jeter 27-yard field goal (10-66-4:34)	24-24
3rd	7:24	UF	Smack 54-yard field goal (6-39-3:02)	24-27
4th	14:55	SC	McDowell 3-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (10-72-3:42)	31-27
4th	9:31	SC	Simon 33 yard pass from Rattler (run failed) (5-69-2:21)	37-27
4th	4:40	UF	Boardingham 4-yard pass from Mertz (Smack kick) (14-75-4:31)	37-34
4th	0:47	UF	Pearsall 21-yard pass from Mertz (Smack kick) (9-75-1:56)	37-41
4th	0:04	SC	Team Safety	39-41

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	<b>UF</b>	<b>SC</b>
First Downs	28	23
Rushing	8	8
Passing	17	13
Penalty	3	2
Net Yards Rushing	71	152
Rushing Attempts	33	33
Net Yards Passing	423	313
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	30-48-0	23-30-1
Total Offense Yards	494	465
Total Offense Plays	81	63
Fumbles: No.-Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties: No.-Yards	6-48	9-82
Punts-Yards	2-74	4-166
Avg. Yards Per Punt	37.0	41.5
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	1-5	0-0
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	1-16	4-27
Interceptions: No.-Yards	1-0	0-0
Possession Time	32:44	27:16
Third Down Conversions	4-15	5-10
Fourth Down Conversions	3-4	0-0
Red Zone Scores-Chances	5-5	5-5
Sacks By: No.-Yards	2-11	4-29
PAT Kicks	3-3	4-4
Field Goals	4-5	1-1

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: UF:** Johnson Jr. 11-50; Etienne 9-49; Wilson III 3-10; Mertz 6-(-7); Team 4-(-31). **SC:** Anderson 20-98; Rattler 7-46; McDowell 1-17; Joyner 3-6; Team 2-(-15).

**PASSING: UF:** Mertz 30-48-0-423. **SC:** Rattler 23-30-1-313.

**RECEIVING: UF:** Pearsall 10-166; Wilson III 6-83; Boardingham 5-55; Johnson Jr. 3-23; Jackson 2-52; Hansen 2-27; Burke 1-14; Etienne 1-3. **SC:** Knox 8-50; Legette 5-110; Blake 2-34; Anderson 2-23; McDowell 2-6; Harbor 1-45; Simon 1-33; Joyner 1-11; Brown 1-1.

**PUNT RETURNS: UF:** Pearsall 1-5. **SC:** None.

**KICKOFF RETURNS: UF:** Sapp 1-16. **SC:** Legette 1-15; Mains 1-1; McDowell 1-9; Joyner 1-2.

**INTERCEPTION RETURNS: UF:** Mitchell 1-0. **SC:** None.





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**#20/20 Missouri 34**  
**South Carolina 12**



**October 21, 2023**  
**Memorial Stadium**  
**Columbia, Mo.**  
**62,621**



**COLUMBIA, MO. (AP)** — Cody Schrader ran for 159 yards and two touchdowns and No. 20 Missouri sacked Spencer Rattler six times in a 34-12 victory over South Carolina on Saturday.

Missouri (7-1, 3-1 Southeastern Conference) has seven victories in its first eight games for the first time since 2013.

Brady Cook completed 15 of 25 passes for 205 yards and a touchdown and ran for another score, and Luther Burden III caught five passes for 97 yards and a TD.

Rattler completed 23 of 40 passes for 217 yards, and South Carolina kicker Mitch Jeter converted four of five field goals.

After South Carolina (2-5, 1-4) cut it to 24-12 with 10:31 left on Jeter's goal, Schrader sealed it with an 11-yard touchdown run with 2:46 to go.

Cook capped an 87-yard drive with a 17-yard rushing touchdown, and Harrison Mevis hit a 21-yard field goal in the second quarter to give Missouri a 24-0 lead. Jeter spoiled the shutout with a 51-yard field goal with 31 seconds left in the half.

Schrader had 10-yard touchdown run to give the Tigers a 14-0 lead with 46 seconds remaining in the first quarter.

Missouri took a 7-0 lead when Cook threaded a 42-yard touchdown pass to Burden through double coverage with 6:31 remaining in the first.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

**South Carolina:** Needs to win four of its last five games to become bowl eligible, but it is not slated to face any opponents currently in the Top 25 after facing ranked foes in four of its first seven contests.

**Missouri:** The Tigers did not allow a touchdown for the first time since beating Vanderbilt 41-0 on Nov. 28, 2020.

**TROPHY STAYING PUT**

Missouri is keeping the Mayor's Cup trophy given to the winner of the matchup between the two schools in cities named Columbia.

**POLL IMPLICATIONS**

Missouri is poised to rise at least a spot or two and will likely have its highest ranking since being ranked 14th at the 2014 season.

<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Missouri</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>34</b>

<b>SCORING SUMMARY</b>					
1st	6:31	MU	Burden 42-yard pass from Cook (Mevis kick) (5-67-2:30)		0-7
1st	0:46	MU	Schrader 10-yard run (Mevis kick) (7-59-3:@6)		0-14
2nd	8:21	MU	Cook 17-yard run (Mevis kick) (10-87-4:02)		0-21
2nd	1:50	MU	Mevis 21-yard field goal (9-82-3:48)		0-24
2nd	0:31	SC	Jeter 51-yard field goal (10-42-1:19)		3-24
3rd	10:37	SC	Jeter 41-yard field goal (10-54-4:16)		6-24
3rd	7:07	SC	Jeter 38-yard field goal (5-14-1:44)		9-24
4th	13:42	MU	Mevis 53-yard field goal (10-26-4:35)		9-27
4th	10:31	SC	Jeter 21-yard field goal (9-72-3:11)		12-27
4th	2:46	MU	Schrader 11-yard run (Mevis kick) (9-67-3:34)		12-34

<b>TEAM STATISTICS</b>		
	<b>SC</b>	<b>MU</b>
First Downs	20	22
Rushing	6	12
Passing	11	10
Penalty	3	0
Net Yards Rushing	69	213
Rushing Attempts	29	40
Net Yards Passing	217	205
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	23-40-1	15-25-0
Total Offense Yards	286	418
Total Offense Plays	69	65
Fumbles: No.-Lost	2-0	1-0
Penalties: No.-Yards	6-35	6-55
Punts-Yards	4-187	3-148
Avg. Yards Per Punt	46.8	49.3
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	1-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	4-64	1-25
Interceptions: No.-Yards	0-0	1-0
Possession Time	31:08	28:52
Third Down Conversions	3-14	7-13
Fourth Down Conversions	0-1	0-1
Red Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	4-4
Sacks By: No.-Yards	0-0	5-44
PAT Kicks	0-0	4-4
Field Goals	4-5	2-2

<b>INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS</b>	
<b>RUSHING:</b>	<b>SC:</b> Anderson 12-68; Harbor 1-9; McDowell 2-6; Joyner 1-1; Rattler 13-(-15). <b>MU:</b> Schrader 26-159; Cook 9-64; Burden 2-3; Team 2-(-2); Bauer 1-(-11).
<b>PASSING:</b>	<b>SC:</b> Rattler 23-40-1-217. <b>MU:</b> Cook 15-25-0-205.
<b>RECEIVING:</b>	<b>SC:</b> Knox 5-32; Blake 3-44; Joyner 3-22; A. Brown 3-21; Anderson 3-6; Harbor 2-50; McDowell 2-9; Legette 1-20; Simon 1-13. <b>MU:</b> Cooper 6-57; Burden 5-97; Wease 2-40; Schrader 2-11.
<b>PUNT RETURNS:</b>	<b>SC:</b> Lewis 1-0. <b>MU:</b> None.
<b>KICKOFF RETURNS:</b>	<b>SC:</b> Joyner 2-36; Legette 1-14; McDowell 1-14. <b>MU:</b> Johnson 1-25.
<b>INTERCEPTION RETURNS:</b>	<b>SC:</b> None. <b>MU:</b> Carlies 1-0.

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**Texas A&M 30**  
**South Carolina 17**



**October 218 2023**  
**Kyle Field**  
**College Station, Texas**  
**95,297**



**COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS (AP)** — Max Johnson threw for 249 yards and a touchdown and Texas A&M snapped a two-game skid with a 30-17 win over South Carolina Saturday.

The game was tied late in the second quarter before the Aggies (5-3, 3-2 Southeastern Conference) scored two touchdowns in less than a minute to take a 21-7 lead into halftime.

The Gamecocks cut it to 21-10 on a 49-yard field goal early in the third quarter.

Spencer Rattler threw a 23-yard pass to Nyck Harbor on third-and-9 before a 29-yard run by Mario Anderson got South Carolina to the 2. Rattler then found Joshua Simon in the back of the end zone for a touchdown on the first play of the fourth quarter that cut the lead to 24-17.

But South Carolina (2-6, 1-5) couldn't get anything done on offense after that as the team lost a fourth straight game.

Texas A&M extended the lead to 27-17 on a 24-yard field goal with 11 minutes remaining.

South Carolina went for it on fourth-and-1 on the next drive and Rattler fumbled a low snap. He recovered it but was tackled for a loss of 2 on the play to give the Aggies the ball back.

They added a 52-yard field goal to extend the lead to 30-17 with about 7 1/2 minutes to go.

Rattler entered the game averaging 277 yards passing a game but managed just 176 yards and a touchdown Saturday against Texas A&M's tough defense. The Aggies hurried and harassed Rattler all day, and he was called for three intentional grounding on consecutive drives in the second quarter while trying to escape the rush.

Ainias Smith had 118 yards receiving and a 42-yard touchdown reception for his second 100-yard game this season to help the Aggies to the win.

Dakeron Joyner took a direct snap and ran 1-yard for a touchdown that put South Carolina up 7-0 with about two minutes left in the first quarter.

The Aggies tied it when Rueben Owens got great blocking and ran 14 yards for a touchdown with nine minutes remaining in the second.

A 1-yard touchdown run by Amari Daniels put Texas A&M up 14-7 less than two minutes before halftime. Johnson kept that drive going with a sneak on fourth-and-1 before a 26-yard reception by Smith on third-and-5 set up the score.

Rattler had his third intentional grounding penalty of the quarter on South Carolina's next drive and was sacked on the next play to force a punt.

Texas A&M needed just one play to extend the lead as Smith evaded multiple defenders on his 42-yard catch-and-run TD that made it 21-7 with 52 seconds to go in the half.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

**South Carolina:** Rattler will have to limit his mistakes and more efficiently move the offense if South Carolina hopes to finish the season on a high note.

**Texas A&M:** The Aggies played well at times but will need to play more consistently if they hope to continue to win in SEC play with tougher opponents coming in the next few weeks.

<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>Texas A&amp;M</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>30</b>

**SCORING SUMMARY**

1st	2:04	SC	Joyner 1-yard run (Jeter kick) (13-65-6:41)	7-0
2nd	9:00	TAMU	Owens 14-yard run (Bond kick) (6-55-3:03)	7-7
2nd	1:44	TAMU	Daniels 1-yard run (Bond kick) (10-48-6:19)	7-14
2nd	0:52	TAMU	Smith 42-yard pass from Johnson (Bond kick) (1-42-0:13)	7-21
3rd	10:58	SC	Jeter 49-yard field goal (10-43-3:58)	10-21
3rd	2:46	TAMU	Bond 26-yard field goal (13-75-6:26)	10-24
4th	14:56	SC	Simon 2-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (7-77-2:44)	17-24
4th	11:05	TAMU	Bond 24-yard field goal (8-69-3:56)	17-27
4th	7:39	TAMU	Bond 52-yard field goal (4-(-)2:04)	17-30

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	<b>SC</b>	<b>TAMU</b>
First Downs	12	19
Rushing	3	8
Passing	9	9
Penalty	0	2
Net Yards Rushing	33	105
Rushing Attempts	28	40
Net Yards Passing	176	249
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	20-33-0	20-30-0
Total Offense Yards	209	354
Total Offense Plays	61	70
Fumbles: No.-Lost	3-1	2-0
Penalties: No.-Yards	8-46	2-15
Punts-Yards	5-202	4-135
Avg. Yards Per Punt	40.4	33.8
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	1-0
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	3-65	1-17
Interceptions: No.-Yards	0-0	0-0
Possession Time	23:30	36:30
Third Down Conversions	5-16	7-19
Fourth Down Conversions	1-3	4-4
Red Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	4-6
Sacks By: No.-Yards	3-18	4-43
PAT Kicks	2-2	3-3
Field Goals	1-1	3-4

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: SC:** Anderson 16-72; Joyner 2-5; Harbor 1-1; McDowell 2-(-3); Rattler 6-(-40); TEAM 1-(-2). **TAMU:** Daniels 13-68; Owens 18-40; Smith 1-1; Johnson 8-(-4).

**PASSING: SC:** Rattler 20-33-176-0. **TAMU:** Johnson 20-30-0-249.

**RECEIVING: SC:** Harbor 6-59; Anderson 3-33; Legette 3-20; Joyner 3-9; Knox 2-31; Simon 2-13; Doty 1-11. **TAMU:** Smith 6-118; Stewart 6-55; Johnson 2-20; Thomas 2-16; Wright 2-9; Walker 1-26; Owens 1-5.

**PUNT RETURNS: SC:** None. **TAMU:** McCall 1-0.

**KICKOFF RETURNS: SC:** McDowell 2-39; Joyner 1-26. **TAMU:** Owens 1-17.

**INTERCEPTION RETURNS: SC:** None. **TAMU:** None.



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**South Carolina 38**  
**Jacksonville State 28**

**November 4, 2023**  
**Williams-Brice Stadium**  
**Columbia, S.C.**  
**75,348**



**COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP)** — Xavier Legette caught nine passes for 217 yards and two touchdowns to lead South Carolina to a 38-28 win Saturday over Jacksonville State.

Spencer Rattler was 27-of-38 passing for 399 yards but outside of the two best players on the field, the game didn't increase hopes for fans of South Carolina (3-6, 1-5 Southeastern Conference) that the team can win three more in a row and make a bowl.

Jacksonville State (7-3, 5-1 Conference USA) committed four turnovers and the biggest mistake — a pass that South Carolina's Stone Blanton stepped in front of and ran back 88 yards for a touchdown with 2:02 left — finally did in their hopes for a first win over a SEC school since beating Ole Miss in 2010.

A Ron Wiggins fumble early in the fourth quarter led to South Carolina breaking a 28-all tie and Logan Smothers lost a fumble on a snap with 53 seconds left in the second quarter. Two completions to Leggette later, South Carolina took a 21-14 lead into the locker room.

Jacksonville State's last hope ended with a O'Donnell Fortune interception with 1:42 left in the game.

South Carolina came into the game averaging 86.1 yards a game rushing, fifth-worse in the country. They gained 89 yards on 38 carries Saturday, 40 of that on Mario Anderson's first carry of the game.

The only rushing TD came when 6-foot-3, 285-pound defensive lineman Tonka Hemingway rumbled over right end with his first-ever carry for a 2-yard score.

The offense load fell mostly to Rattler and Legette, who came into Saturday averaging 94.5 yards a game, the 11th-best total in the country.

Jacksonville State is in its final season transitioning from FCS to FBS and can play in a bowl game if not enough teams get the six wins needed to fill 82 spots. They failed to eliminate South Carolina from contention Saturday.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

**Jacksonville State:** It had plenty of chances to pick up a program defining win, but the mistakes were killers. Jacksonville State ran for 225 yards, the 27th straight game the team has gained over 100 yards.

**South Carolina:** A win is a win, especially when about to teeter out of bowl eligibility, but the lack of a running game, and the insistence to keep trying even when it fails, raises questions. South Carolina threw the ball 39 times for 399 yards and ran it 38 times for 89 yards on Saturday.

Jacksonville St.	7	7	14	0	28
South Carolina	14	7	7	10	38

**SCORING SUMMARY**

1st	11:07	SC	Hemingway 2-yard run (Jeter kick) (5-62-2:38)	7-0
1st	3:44	JSU	Brown 15-yard pass from Webb (Karajic kick) (8-62-2:26)	7-7
1st	2:03	SC	Rattler 1-yard run (Jeter kick) (5-70-1:41)	14-7
2nd	14:16	JSU	Lewis 4-yard run (Karajic kick) (9-75-2:47)	14-14
2nd	0:23	SC	Legette 5-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (4-4-0:30)	21-14
3rd	11:50	JSU	Brown 13-yard pass from Smothers (Karajic kick) (8-73-3:02)	21-21
3rd	5:30	JSU	Carter 54-yard pass from Webb (Karajic kick) (3-62-1:16)	21-28
3rd	1:29	SC	Legette 65-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (1-65-0:11)	28-28
4th	5:51	SC	Jeter 26-yard field goal (10-48-3:58)	31-28
4th	2:02	SC	Blanton 88-yard interception return (Jeter kick)	38-28

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	JSU	SC
First Downs	22	20
Rushing	12	4
Passing	7	15
Penalty	3	1
Net Yards Rushing	225	89
Rushing Attempts	57	38
Net Yards Passing	196	399
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	13-27-2	27-39-1
Total Offense Yards	421	488
Total Offense Plays	84	77
Fumbles: No.-Lost	2-2	0-0
Penalties: No.-Yards	7-57	10-100
Punts-Yards	7-318	7-285
Avg. Yards Per Punt	45.4	40.7
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	3-15
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	1-27
Interceptions: No.-Yards	1-(-1)	2-88
Possession Time	27:07	32:53
Third Down Conversions	10-19	4-14
Fourth Down Conversions	0-1	0-2
Red Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	4-5
Sacks By: No.-Yards	3-22	1-6
PAT Kicks	4-4	5-5
Field Goals	0-0	1-1

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: JSU:** Wiggins 17-88; Webb 16-65; Lewis 11-36; Smothers 7-19; Jackson 3-9; Dawson 1-9; Carter 1-1; Team (1-(-2)). **SC:** Anderson 16-75; McDowell 6-23; Joyner 1-3; Hemingway 1-2; Braswell 1-0; Team 2-(-3); Rattler 9-(-11).

**PASSING: JSU:** Webb 12-23-1-183; Smothers 1-4-1-13. **SC:** Rattler 27-38-1-399; Kroeger 0-1-0-0.

**RECEIVING: JSU:** Carter 5-106; Brown 2-28; Lane 2-9; Wells 1-29; Wiggins 1-15; Jones 1-6; Lewis 1-3. **SC:** Legette 9-217; Simon 7-64; Anderson 4-40; McDowell 3-41; A. Brown 3-27; Blake 1-10.

**PUNT RETURNS: JSU:** None. **SC:** Kilgore 3-15.

**KICKOFF RETURNS: JSU:** None. **SC:** Legette 1-27.

**INTERCEPTION RETURNS: JSU:** Dawson 1-(-1). **SC:** Blanton 1-88; Fortune 1-0.

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**South Carolina 47**  
**Vanderbilt 6**



**November 11, 2023**  
**Williams-Brice Stadium**  
**Columbia, S.C.**  
**75,682**



**COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP)** — Spencer Rattler threw 351 yards and three touchdowns as South Carolina won its 15th straight over Vanderbilt, 47-6, on Saturday.

The Gamecocks (4-6, 2-5 Southeastern Conference) took control early to open a 27-0 lead and break a four-game SEC losing streak.

Rattler, who also ran for a score, finished 28 of 36 and was looking for the end zone with the game well in hand as he connected with O'Mega Blake on a 26-yard TD with less than six minutes left to put South Carolina up 40-6.

It was another disheartening performance for Vanderbilt (2-9, 0-7), which must go to No. 14 Tennessee — the Vols won that matchup 56-0 a year ago — to avoid a second winless SEC season in coach Clark Lea's three years.

Rattler and the Gamecocks came out firing despite the rainy, cold air and consistently found his favorite target this season in Xavier Legette.

Legette's 39-yard catch to the Vanderbilt 1 bailed out a scrambling Rattler and defensive tackle Alex Huntley caught the TD pass a play later.

Rattler hit all seven of his passes on the next drive, which he ended with a 1-yard TD run.

Mario Anderson had a 72-yard touchdown burst after escaping a wall of Vanderbilt defenders to put South Carolina ahead 27-0 in the third quarter. Anderson finished with 102 yards rushing.

Gamecocks freshman Keenan Nelson Jr. blocked a Matthew Hayball punt and ran it back 18 yards for a touchdown.

Legette, who had nine catches for 120 yards, became the fifth South Carolina receiver ever to surpass 1,000 yards in a season with 1,093. It was his fourth game with over 100 yards in pass catches this season.

The biggest drama after halftime was whether South Carolina would post its first shutout over an SEC team since 2006. But Ken Seals' 19-yard scoring pass to Quincy Skinner Jr. to start the fourth quarter took care of that.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

**Vanderbilt:** The Commodores showed early on they wouldn't have enough offensively to make a dent in South Carolina's defense on a soggy, dank afternoon. Vanderbilt's best starting position came at the SC 35 after an interception. But it managed only 2 yards the next four plays to give the ball back to the Gamecocks.

**South Carolina:** It was the second-straight win for South Carolina in the month of November and, with four wins and two games remaining, the Gamecocks still have a chance to get bowl-eligible. They host Kentucky and Clemson in their final two games of the season to send coach Shane Beamer to a bowl game for the third time in as many seasons.

<b>Vanderbilt</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>47</b>

**SCORING SUMMARY**

1st	6:37	SC	Huntley 1-yard pass from Rattler (Kreoeger pass failed) (5-46-2:44)	6-0
2nd	14:16	SC	Rattler 1-yard run (Jeter kick) (10-95-4:35)	13-0
3rd	7:09	SC	A. Brown 24-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (9-85-3:39)	20-0
3rd	5:12	SC	Anderson 72-yard run (Jeter kick) (2-82-0:44)	27-0
4th	14:55	VU	Skinner Jr., 19-yard pass from Seals (Borcila kick failed) (12-75-5:17)	27-6
4th	11:20	SC	Nelson Jr. 18-yard blocked punt return (Jeter kick)	34-6
4th	5:53	SC	Blake 26-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick failed) (5-39-2:45)	40-6
4th	2:20	SC	Sellers 36-yard run (Jeter kick) (4-44-2:02)	47-6

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	<b>VU</b>	<b>SC</b>
First Downs	17	21
Rushing	9	4
Passing	6	17
Penalty	2	0
Net Yards Rushing	130	136
Rushing Attempts	42	24
Net Yards Passing	104	351
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	13-28-0	28-36-1
Total Offense Yards	234	487
Total Offense Plays	70	60
Fumbles: No.-Lost	3-2	1-0
Penalties: No.-Yards	2-10	6-40
Punts-Yards	8-321	3-117
Avg. Yards Per Punt	40.1	39.0
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	3-42
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	3-62	1-15
Interceptions: No.-Yards	1-0	0-0
Possession Time	32:47	27:13
Third Down Conversions	6-16	5-10
Fourth Down Conversions	0-2	1-2
Red Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	2-2
Sacks By: No.-Yards	0-0	1-7
PAT Kicks	0-1	5-6
Field Goals	0-0	0-0

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: VU:** Newberry 12-38; Taylor 6-38; Alexander 11-34; Smith 4-23; Seals 5-12; McGowan 1-4; Gillespie 1(-4); Team 2(-15). **SC:** Anderson 9-102; Sellers 1-36; Dunn 3-8; Braswell 5-4; McDowell 1-2; Rattler 2-1; Team 3(-17).

**PASSING: VU:** Seals 13-28-0-104. **SC:** Rattler 28-36-1-351.

**RECEIVING: VU:** Humphreys 3-33; Skinner Jr. 2-22; Kyle 2-20; Alexander 2-9; Johnson 1-6; Sheppard 1-6; Sherrill 1-5; McGowan 1-3. **SC:** Legette 9-120; Simon 6-65; A. Brown 3-44; Blake 3-36; Braswell 2-28; McDowell 1-18; Harbor 1-16; Doty 1-14; Anderson 1-9; Huntley 1-1.

**PUNT RETURNS: VU:** None. **SC:** Kilgore 2-10; Nelson 1-32.

**KICKOFF RETURNS: VU:** McGowan 3-62. **SC:** Legette 1-15.

**INTERCEPTION RETURNS: VU:** Russell 1-0. **SC:** None.





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**South Carolina 17**  
**Kentucky 14**

**November 18, 2023**  
**Williams-Brice Stadium**  
**Columbia, S.C.**  
**77,788**



**COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP)** — Spencer Rattler completed 19 of 27 passes for 207 yards and two touchdowns and Xavier Legette caught nine of those passes for 94 yards as South Carolina beat Kentucky 17-14 on Saturday night.

When the Gamecocks (5-6, 3-5 Southeastern Conference) needed something after six straight drives that went nowhere, the senior quarterback found the senior receiver on 3rd-and-15 deep in their territory early in the fourth quarter to keep alive what turned out to be the winning drive.

“That was huge, just to get us going,” South Carolina coach Shane Beamer said. “We hit a big play. Spencer to Xay.”

The Gamecocks started November in a big hole, but three straight wins have left them on the cusp of a bowl bid if they can beat bitter rival Clemson next week.

“Right now it’s like the playoffs,” said South Carolina defensive back Nick Emmanwori who had an end zone interception. “We have to win or stay home.”

The Wildcats (6-5, 3-5) have lost five of six since starting the season 5-0.

“It’s not a good recipe to win on the road with critical penalties and turnovers,” said Kentucky coach Mark Stoops, whose team turned the ball over three times and had seven penalties for 52 yards.

South Carolina took a 10-0 lead, but went stagnant, gaining just 25 yards on its next six drives.

Then came the Rattler-to-Legette completion for their first third-down conversion in over two quarters. Seven plays later, Rattler found Legette again for a 17-yard TD that gave South Carolina a 17-14 lead.

Ray Davis, the SEC’s second leading rusher, ran 12 times for 61 yards for Kentucky. Devin Leary was 17-of-34 passing for 171 yards with a touchdown.

The turnovers by the Wildcats included Emmanwori’s interception and a strip by Jordan Strachan of Leary that Tonka Hemingway grabbed at midfield with 1:59 left.

“That’s a very difficult loss for us right there. We didn’t do a better job of putting them in position to be successful,” Stoops said.

Down to just two running backs, South Carolina rushed for just 50 yards. Rattler was the team’s second leading rusher.

“We kept playing the field position game and punting and our defense kept making stops, which was huge,” Beamer said.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

**Kentucky:** Remember when the Wildcats were 5-0 and heading for a SEC East leading showdown with No. 1 Georgia? It’s been all downhill since that 51-13 loss to the Bulldogs. Kentucky can dash their in-state rival Louisville’s slim playoff hopes next weekend.

**South Carolina:** The Gamecocks often maligned defense held Kentucky to 296 yards, but even more importantly forced three turnovers and held Kentucky to its fewest points this season outside of Georgia. It’s been a slog at times, but what Beamer has called “a November to remember” and a bowl bid is within reach if they can knock off Clemson. That seemed like a tall task after losing 30-17 to Texas A&M on Oct. 28 to fall to 2-6.

<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>

**SCORING SUMMARY**

1st	7:27	SC	Legette 13-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (11-69-5:11)	7-0
1st	0:13	SC	Jeter 23-yard field goal (12-51-6:32)	10-0
2nd	10:52	UK	Brown 7-yard pass from Leary (Raynor kick) (12-75-4:15)	10-7
3rd	8:42	UK	Davis 31-yard run (Raynor kick) (9-92-5:20)	10-14
4th	7:44	SC	Legette 17-yard pass from Rattler (Jeter kick) (9-74-5:32)	17-14

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	<b>UK</b>	<b>SC</b>
First Downs	17	17
Rushing	4	7
Passing	10	9
Penalty	3	1
Net Yards Rushing	122	50
Rushing Attempts	27	33
Net Yards Passing	171	207
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	17-34-1	19-27-0
Total Offense Yards	293	257
Total Offense Plays	61	60
Fumbles: No.-Lost	3-2	1-0
Penalties: No.-Yards	7-52	9-95
Punts-Yards	5-229	8-352
Avg. Yards Per Punt	45.8	44.0
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	1-(-7)	1-15
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	1-22	0-0
Interceptions: No.-Yards	0-0	1-0
Possession Time	28:21	31:39
Third Down Conversions	6-13	5-14
Fourth Down Conversions	0-1	0-0
Red Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	3-3
Sacks By: No.-Yards	2-24	2-4
PAT Kicks	2-2	2-2
Field Goals	0-0	1-1

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: UK:** Davis 12-61; Jefferson 6-50; Leary 4-8; Robinson 1-6; Sumo-Kamgbaye 2-5; Team 1-(-1); Sheron 1-(-7).. **SC:** Anderson 13-27; Rattler 10-24; Sellers 2-9; Braswell 1-3; A. Brown 2-0; Team 1-(-2); Legette 4-(-11).

**PASSING: UK:** Leary 17-34-1-171. **SC:** Rattler 19-27-0-207.

**RECEIVING: UK:** Key 4-51; Brown 4-30; Cummings 3-43; Robinson 3-29; Brown-Stephens 1-14; Davis 1-7; Sumo-Kamgbaye 1-3. **SC:** Legette 6-94; Knox 4-35; A. Brown 4-30; Anderson 3-22; Harbor 1-18; Simon 1-8

**PUNT RETURNS: UK:** Robinson 1-(-7). **SC:** Kilgore 1-15.

**KICKOFF RETURNS: UK:** Brown 1-22. **SC:** None.

**INTERCEPTION RETURNS: UK:** None. **SC:** Emmanwori 1-0.

**0 - JUJU McDOWELL (RB)**

**5-9, 180, Jr., 2L (Bainbridge, Ga.)**

- ◆ Will miss the remainder of the season following an injury sustained against Vanderbilt.
- ◆ Has now played in 35 career games with five starts.

RUSHING	RUSH	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	5	-1	1	2
FURMAN	6	15	0	6
GEORGIA	0	0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0	0	0
TENNESSEE	3	4	0	3
FLORIDA	1	17	1	17
MISSOURI	2	6	0	4
TEXAS A&M	2	-3	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	6	23	0	7
VANDERBILT	1	2	0	2
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>35</b>

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	3	31	0	22
FURMAN	0	0	0	0
GEORGIA	0	0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0	0	0
TENNESSEE	0	0	0	0
FLORIDA	2	6	1	3
MISSOURI	2	9	0	5
TEXAS A&M	0	0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	3	41	0	27
VANDERBILT	1	18	0	18
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>65</b>

KICK RETURNS	KR	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0	0	0
FURMAN	0	0	0	0
GEORGIA	0	0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0	0	0
TENNESSEE	0	0	0	0
FLORIDA	1	9	0	9
MISSOURI	1	14	0	14
TEXAS A&M	2	39	0	23
JACKSONVILLE STATE	0	0	0	0
VANDERBILT	0	0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>63</b>

**MCDOWELL'S HIGHS**

Carries ..... 12, Eastern Illinois, 2021  
 Yards Rushing ..... 71, East Carolina, 2021  
 Long Rush ..... 35, North Carolina, 2021  
 Rushing TDs ..... 1, six times:  
 .....last: Florida, 2023  
 Receptions ..... 4, Charlotte, 2022  
 Yards Receiving ..... 65, Clemson, 2022  
 Long Reception ..... 65, Clemson, 2022  
 Receiving TDs ..... 1, twice:  
 ..... Tennessee, 2022 & Florida, 2023  
 Kickoff Returns ..... 3, 4 times  
 .....last, S.C. State, 2022  
 Kickoff Return Yards ..... 81, Tennessee, 2021  
 Long Kickoff Return ..... 63, East Carolina, 2021

**1 - TREY KNOX (TE)**

**6-5, 240, Gr., TR (Murfreesboro, Tenn.)**

- ◆ Returned from a two-game hiatus and was able to haul in all four of his targets for 35 yards in Saturday's win over Kentucky.
- ◆ Tied a career high in receptions with eight against Florida for 50 yards and one touchdown, his most receptions in a Gamecock uniform.
- ◆ Ranks second on the team in receptions (36), receiving yards (312) and touchdowns (2).
- ◆ Has now played in 54 career games and has 38

starts to his credit - having started in each of his nine appearances this season.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	2	14	0	14
FURMAN	1	15	0	15
GEORGIA	3	31	0	18
MISSISSIPPI STATE	4	53	1	17
TENNESSEE	7	51	0	20
FLORIDA	8	50	1	20
MISSOURI	5	32	0	13
TEXAS A&M	2	31	0	18
KENTUCKY	4	35	0	22
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>ARK TOTALS</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>49</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>1204</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>49</b>

**KNOX'S HIGHS**

Receptions ..... 8, twice:  
 ..... San Jose State, 2019 & Florida, 2023  
 Yards Receiving ..... 90, Colorado State, 2019  
 Long Reception ..... 49, Ole Miss, 2019  
 Receiving TDs ..... 2, Liberty, 2022  
 Carries ..... 1, Missouri, 2022

**3 - ANTWANE WELLS, JR. (WR)**

**6-1, 208, Sr., 1L (Richmond, Va.)**

- ◆ Has been sidelined for each of the last eight games for Carolina, nursing an injury that popped up during the offseason.
- ◆ Played just one drive against Georgia, hauling in two catches for 32 yards and his first touchdown of the season.
- ◆ Has 12 career games with over 100-yards receiving, including four as a Gamecock.
- ◆ Has now appeared in 38 career games with 27 starts to his credit.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0	0	0
FURMAN	1	5	0	5
GEORGIA	2	32	1	17
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>965</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>72</b>
<b>JMU TOTALS</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>1853</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>73</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>2818</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>73</b>

**WELLS' HIGHS**

Receptions ..... 11, Tennessee, 2022  
 Yards Receiving ..... 189, Arkansas, 2022  
 Long Reception ..... 73, Maine, 2021  
 Receiving TDs ..... 3, twice:  
 ..... Towson, 2021 & SE Louisiana, 2021  
 100-Yard Receiving Games ..... 12  
 Carries ..... 1, Tennessee, 2022  
 Yards Rushing ..... 3, Tennessee, 2022  
 Longest Rush ..... 3, Tennessee, 2022  
 Rushing TDs ..... 1, Tennessee, 2022

**5 - DAKEREON JOYNER (RB)**

**6-1, 229, S-Sr., 4L (North Charleston, S.C.)**

- ◆ Has now missed back-to-back games following an injury sustained against Jacksonville State.
- ◆ Is responsible for five of the team's 16 rushing touchdowns this season.
- ◆ Has appeared in 54 career games with 14 starts.

RUSHING	RUSH	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	12	23	1	6
FURMAN	11	42	1	16
GEORGIA	5	10	1	7
MISSISSIPPI STATE	10	24	1	7
TENNESSEE	2	1	0	1
FLORIDA	3	6	0	4
MISSOURI	1	1	0	1
TEXAS A&M	2	5	1	4
JACKSONVILLE STATE	3	3	0	3
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>47</b>

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	5	13	0	9
FURMAN	4	53	0	27
GEORGIA	1	-1	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	2	6	0	6
TENNESSEE	2	4	0	8
FLORIDA	1	11	0	11
MISSOURI	3	22	0	10
TEXAS A&M	3	9	0	4
JACKSONVILLE STATE	0	0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>48</b>

PASSING	C-A-I	Yds	TD	LG
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>0-0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>29-42-0</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>69</b>

**JOYNER'S HIGHS**

Carries ..... 12, North Carolina, 2023  
 Yards Rushing ..... 64, North Carolina, 2021  
 Long Rush ..... 47, Vanderbilt, 2020  
 Rushing TDs ..... 2, Tennessee, 2022  
 Receptions ..... 5, twice:  
 ..... East Carolina, 2021 & North Carolina, 2023  
 Yards Receiving ..... 73, Florida, 2022  
 Long Reception ..... 48, Florida, 2022  
 Receiving TDs ..... 1, three times  
 .....last: Florida, 2022  
 Pass Attempts ..... 12, Georgia, 2019  
 Pass Completions ..... 9, North Carolina, 2021  
 Passing Yards ..... 160, North Carolina, 2021  
 Passing TDs ..... 1, twice  
 .....North Carolina, 2021 & Vanderbilt, 2022  
 Long Pass ..... 69, North Carolina, 2021  
 Kickoff Returns ..... 2, five times:  
 .....last: Missouri, 2023  
 Kickoff Return Yards ..... 75, Kentucky, 2020  
 Long Kickoff Return ..... 52, Kentucky, 2020

**6 - JOSHUA SIMON (TE)**

**6-4, 240, Gr., TR (Dalzell, S.C.)**

- ◆ Was able to come down with one reception for eight yards in Saturday's triumph over Kentucky.
- ◆ Has now brought in at least one reception in each of the last seven games.
- ◆ Hauled in all six of his targets in the win over Vanderbilt, accumulating a season-best 65 receiving yards in his fourth start as a Gamecock.
- ◆ Turned in a career game in the win over Jacksonville State with a career high seven receptions for 64 yards.
- ◆ Blocked a punt in the outing against Texas A&M, his first blocked punt of his collegiate career.
- ◆ Now ranks third on the team in receptions (26) and is fifth in receiving yards (234).
- ◆ Scored his first touchdown in a Gamecock uniform in the outing against Florida - turning a screen pass into a 33-yard touchdown grab.
- ◆ Appeared in all 11 games this season, starting in four contests.
- ◆ Has played in 51 career games with 30 career starts under his belt.



RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	4	20	0	9
FURMAN	2	7	0	9
GEORGIA	0	0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0	0	0
TENNESSEE	2	11	0	6
FLORIDA	1	33	1	33
MISSOURI	1	13	0	13
TEXAS A&M	2	13	1	11
JACKSONVILLE STATE	7	64	0	20
VANDERBILT	6	65	0	24
KENTUCKY	1	8	0	8
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>WKU TOTALS</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>1146</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>77</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>1380</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>77</b>

**SIMON'S HIGHS**

Receptions.....7, Jacksonville State, 2023  
 Yards Receiving....105, Western Michigan, 2019  
 Long Reception.....77, Louisville, 2019  
 Receiving TDs.....2, twice:  
 .....UT Martin, 2021 & Auburn, 2022  
 Blocked Punts.....1, Texas A&M, 2023

**7 - SPENCER RATTLER (QB)**

**6-1, 217, R-Sr., 1L (Phoenix, Ariz.)**

◆ Despite only throwing for 207 yards, he was still effective against Kentucky, completing 19-of-27 passes with two touchdowns and orchestrated the game-winning drive midway through the fourth quarter.

◆ Threw for a season high 399 yards in the win over Jacksonville State, completing 27-of-38 passes with two touchdowns - his 399 yards rank eighth most in a single game in program history.

◆ Threw a pair of 70+ yard touchdown receptions to Xavier Legette against Mississippi State, including a career long 76-yard connection.

◆ Just passed Connor Shaw (6,074) for fifth all-time in career passing yards in a Gamecock uniform with 6,100 yards following his outing against Kentucky.

◆ Ranks first all-time in Gamecock single-season history for completion percentage, having completed .706 percent (259-of-367) of his passes this season for 3,074 yards.

◆ His 3,074 passing yards this season ranks fifth all time in a single season - needing 133 yards to leap all the way into second all time.

◆ Also sits atop the Gamecock chart in career completion percentage at .683 (523-of-766).

◆ Currently ranks fifth all-time in career completions (523) at Carolina - 67 completions to pass Stephen Garcia (589) for fourth all time.

◆ Currently has 37 career passing touchdowns in a Gamecock uniform - needs two to pass Anthony Wright and Blake Mitchell for seventh all time in Gamecock history.

◆ Ranks fourth in the SEC and 15th in the NCAA in total passing yards (3,074).

◆ Has eight 300-yard passing games in a Gamecock uniform, including five 300-yard performances this season - tied for second most 300-yard games in program history.

◆ Has played in 47 career games with 41 starts and is 28-13 all-time as a starter, including 13-11 in a Gamecock uniform.

PASSING	C-A-I	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	30-39-0	353	0	37
FURMAN	25-27-0	345	3	53
GEORGIA	22-42-2	256	1	41
MISSISSIPPI STATE	18-20-0	288	3	76
TENNESSEE	24-35-1	169	0	44
FLORIDA	23-30-1	313	4	46
MISSOURI	23-40-1	217	0	29
TEXAS A&M	20-33-0	176	1	23
JACKSONVILLE ST.	27-38-1	399	2	65
VANDERBILT	28-36-1	351	3	39
KENTUCKY	19-27-0	207	2	28
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>259-367-7</b>	<b>3074</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>76</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>523-766-19</b>	<b>6100</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>76</b>
<b>OU TOTALS</b>	<b>361-515-12</b>	<b>4595</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>61</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>884-1281-31</b>	<b>10695</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>76</b>

RUSHING	Rush	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	13	-22	0	15
FURMAN	3	8	1	4
GEORGIA	8	35	0	13
MISSISSIPPI STATE	8	43	0	28
TENNESSEE	11	19	1	17
FLORIDA	7	46	0	26
MISSOURI	13	-15	0	16
TEXAS A&M	7	-42	0	2
JACKSONVILLE STATE	9	-11	1	6
VANDERBILT	2	1	1	1
KENTUCKY	10	24	0	14
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>OU TOTALS</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>28</b>

**RATTLER'S HIGHS**

Pass Attempts.....46, Notre Dame, 2022  
 Pass Completions.....30, four times:  
 .....last; North Carolina, 2023  
 Passing Yards.....438, Tennessee, 2022  
 Passing TDs.....6, Tennessee, 2022  
 Long Pass.....76, Mississippi State, 2023  
 Carries.....14, Texas, 2020  
 Rushing Yards.....51, Texas, 2020  
 Long Rush.....28, Mississippi State, 2023  
 Rushing TDs.....1, 14 times  
 .....last; Tennessee, 2023  
 Receptions.....1, Tennessee, 2022  
 Yards Receiving.....15, Tennessee, 2022  
 Long Reception.....15, Tennessee, 2022

**8 - NYCK HARBOR (WR)**

**6-5, 241, Fr., HS (Washington, D.C.)**

◆ Started for the fourth consecutive game, this time against Kentucky and was able to record one reception for 18 yards in the win.

◆ Has at least one catch in six of the 11 games he has played in this season.

◆ Brought in a career high six receptions for a career best 59 yards in his first career start at Texas A&M.

◆ Ranks sixth on the team in receiving yards with 195, doing so on 12 catches.

◆ Has appeared in all 11 games this season with four starts to his credit.

◆ Has one touchdown during his freshman campaign, a seven-yard strike from LaNorris Sellers in the win over Furman in Carolina's home opener.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0	0	0
FURMAN	1	7	1	7
GEORGIA	0	0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0	0	0
TENNESSEE	0	0	0	0
FLORIDA	1	45	0	45
MISSOURI	2	50	0	28
TEXAS A&M	6	59	0	23
JACKSONVILLE STATE	0	0	0	0
VANDERBILT	1	16	0	16
KENTUCKY	1	18	0	18
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>45</b>

**HARBOR'S HIGHS**

Receptions.....6, Texas A&M, 2023  
 Yards Receiving.....59, Texas A&M, 2023  
 Long Reception.....45, Florida, 2023  
 Receiving Touchdowns.....1, Furman, 2023  
 Rushing Attempts.....1, twice:  
 .....Missouri & Texas A&M, 2023  
 Rushing Yards.....9, Missouri, 2023

**9 - LUKE DOTY (QB)**

**6-1, 209, R-Jr., 2L (Myrtle Beach, S.C.)**

◆ Appeared in the win over Kentucky but was not able to record a stat.

◆ Set career highs against both North Carolina and Georgia with three receptions, racking up 41 yards against the Tar Heels.

◆ Recorded his first collegiate receiving touchdown in the win over Furman, a 36-yard connection from fellow quarterback Spencer Rattler.

◆ Also threw four passes against the Paladins, completing two for a total of 17 yards.

◆ Redshirt-junior that has played in 29 career games with seven starts.

PASSING	C-A-I	Yds	TD	LG
FURMAN	2-4-0	17	0	11
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>2-4-0</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>141-232-8</b>	<b>1543</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>82</b>

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	3	41	0	24
FURMAN	1	36	1	36
GEORGIA	3	14	0	9
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	4	0	4
TENNESSEE	2	3	0	3
FLORIDA	0	0	0	0
MISSOURI	0	0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	1	11	0	11
JACKSONVILLE STATE	0	0	0	0
VANDERBILT	1	14	0	14
KENTUCKY	0	0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>36</b>

**DOTY'S HIGHS**

Pass Attempts.....34, Troy, 2021  
 Pass Completions.....20, Troy, 2021  
 Passing Yards.....255, Troy, 2021  
 Passing TDs.....2, Vanderbilt, 2021  
 Long Pass.....82, Vanderbilt, 2021  
 Rushing Attempts.....15, Georgia, 2020  
 Rushing Yards.....59, Missouri, 2020  
 Long Rush.....23, Tennessee, 2021  
 Rushing TDs.....1, S.C. State, 2022  
 Receptions.....3, twice  
 .....North Carolina, 2023 & Georgia, 2023  
 Yards Receiving.....41, North Carolina, 2023  
 Long Reception.....36, Furman, 2023  
 Receiving TDs.....1, Furman, 2023

**10 - AHMAREAN BROWN (WR)**  
**5-9, 169, S-Sr., 2L (Tampa, Fla.)**

- ◆ Brought in four of his five targets for 30 yards in Saturday's win over Kentucky - also carried the ball twice for his first two carries of the season, netting zero yards.
- ◆ Currently sitting at four consecutive games with at least three receptions following Saturday's win over the Wildcats.
- ◆ Recorded his first career touchdown in a Gamecock uniform in the win over Vanderbilt, a 24-yard strike from Rattler.
- ◆ Has appeared in eight games this season and has recorded at least three receptions in six of the eight games played.
- ◆ Hauled in a career-high six catches for 42 yards in the win over Furman earlier this year.
- ◆ Has started in six of the eight games he has played in this year.
- ◆ Ranks third on the team in receiving yards (256) and fourth in receptions with 25.
- ◆ Has appeared in 53 career games with 26 starts to his credit.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	3	44	0	20
FURMAN	6	42	0	20
TENNESSEE	2	47	0	44
FLORIDA	1	1	0	1
MISSOURI	3	21	0	9
JACKSONVILLE STATE	3	27	0	19
VANDERBILT	3	44	1	24
KENTUCKY	4	30	0	13
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>GT TOTALS</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>59</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>1127</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>59</b>

RUSHING	RUSH	Yds	TD	LG
KENTUCKY	2	0	0	1
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>34</b>
<b>GT TOTALS</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>34</b>

PUNT RETURNS	PR	Yds	TD	LG
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>37</b>
<b>GT TOTALS</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>37</b>

**BROWN'S HIGHS**

Receptions.....	6, Furman, 2023
Yards Receiving.....	75, Boston College, 2020
Long Reception.....	59, Virginia, 2019
Receiving TDs.....	2, NC State, 2019
Carries.....	3, Tennessee, 2022
Rushing Yards.....	39, Tennessee, 2022
Long Rush.....	34, Tennessee, 2022
Punt Returns.....	1, Louisville, 2020
Pass Completions.....	1, Louisville, 2020
Passing Yards.....	9, Louisville, 2020
Passing Touchdowns.....	1, Louisville, 2020
Kick Returns.....	2, Clemson, 2019
Kick Return Yards.....	33, NC State, 2019
Long Kick Return.....	33, NC State, 2019
Punt Returns.....	5, USF, 2019
Punt Return Yards.....	33, Clemson, 2022
Long Punt Return.....	37, Clemson, 2022
Punt Return TDs.....	1, Georgia State, 2022

**11 - EDDIE LEWIS (WR)**  
**6-0, 188, Gr., TR (Harlem, N.Y.)**

- ◆ Appeared in the first seven games this season but has now missed four consecutive games.
- ◆ Has not received a target in each of the last

three outings he has played in.

- ◆ Tied a career high six catches in the win over Furman, racking up 89 yards in the process.
- ◆ Has appeared in 48 career games with 20 starts to his credit.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0	0	0
FURMAN	6	89	0	46
GEORGIA	1	23	0	23
MISSISSIPPI STATE	2	8	0	9
TENNESSEE	0	0	0	0
FLORIDA	0	0	0	0
MISSOURI	0	0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>46</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>46</b>
<b>MEM TOTALS</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>952</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>RU TOTALS</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>1281</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>75</b>

PUNT RETURNS	PR	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0	0	0
FURMAN	1	6	0	6
GEORGIA	0	0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	22	0	22
TENNESSEE	0	0	0	0
FLORIDA	0	0	0	0
MISSOURI	1	0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>MEM TOTALS</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>60</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>60</b>

**LEWIS' HIGHS**

Receptions.....	6, four times: last, Furman, 2023
Yards Receiving.....	94, Tulane, 2022
Long Reception.....	75, East Carolina, 2021
Receiving Touchdowns.....	2, Utah State, 2022
Carries.....	1, twice: UCF, 2022 & North Alabama, 2022
Rushing Yards.....	11, North Alabama, 2022
Long Rush.....	11, North Alabama, 2022
Punt Returns.....	7, Tulsa, 2022
Punt Return Yards.....	80, Tulsa, 2022
Long Punt Return.....	60, North Alabama, 2022

**16 - LANORRIS SELLERS (QB)**  
**6-3, 245, Fr., HS (Florence, S.C.)**

- ◆ Saw action in the Kentucky win on Saturday, carrying the ball twice for nine yards - did not attempt a pass for the second consecutive game.
- ◆ Appeared in the win against Vanderbilt and recorded his first rushing touchdown of his young career, a 36-yard scamper.
- ◆ Made his first collegiate appearance in the win over Furman.
- ◆ Was a perfect 4-for-4 for 86 yards and two touchdowns against the Paladins, including a 50-yard bomb to fellow freshman Tyshawn Russell.
- ◆ Has made three appearances as a true freshman.

PASSING	C-A-I	Yds	TD	LG
FURMAN	4-4-0	86	2	50
VANDERBILT	0-0-0	0	0	0
KENTUCKY	0-0-0	0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>4-4-0</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>50</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>4-4-0</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>50</b>

RUSHING	RUSH	Yds	TD	LG
FURMAN	2	6	0	4
VANDERBILT	1	36	1	36
KENTUCKY	2	9	0	5
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>36</b>

**SELLERS' HIGHS**

Pass Attempts.....	4, Furman, 2023
Pass Completions.....	4, Furman, 2023
Passing Yards.....	86, Furman, 2023
Passing TDs.....	2, Furman, 2023
Long Pass.....	50, Furman, 2023
Carries.....	2, twice: Furman & Kentucky, 2023
Rushing Yards.....	36, Vanderbilt, 2023
Long Rush.....	36, Vanderbilt, 2023
Rushing TDs.....	1, Vanderbilt, 2023

**17 - XAVIER LEGETTE (WR)**  
**6-3, 227, S-Sr., 4L (Mullins, S.C.)**

- ◆ Hauled in six of his nine targets in the win on Saturday, resulting in 94 yards and tying a career high with two touchdowns.
- ◆ Now has three games this season with multiple receiving touchdowns, including two in the last three weeks.
- ◆ Became the fifth player in program history to eclipse 1,000 yards receiving in a single season after his 120-yard performance against Vanderbilt.
- ◆ Has 1,187 receiving yards this season, ranking second all time in program history - needing 331 yards to pass Alshon Jeffery for first all time.
- ◆ Turned in a career game against Jacksonville State with a career high 217 yards, while tying career highs in both receptions (9) and receiving touchdowns (2).
- ◆ His 217 receiving yards was the second most in program history, just 16 yards shy of tying Pharoah Cooper (2014) for the program record.
- ◆ Has eclipsed 100 receiving yards on six occasions this season.
- ◆ Has recorded at least five receptions in nine of the 11 games this season.
- ◆ Just passed Bryan Edwards (64) for the 10th-most receptions in a single season, currently sitting at 65 catches.
- ◆ Currently sits second in the SEC and seventh in the NCAA in receiving yards (1,187) and receiving yards per game (107.9).
- ◆ Has appeared in 52 collegiate games with 31 starts to his credit.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	9	178	0	37
FURMAN	6	118	1	53
GEORGIA	7	71	0	35
MISSISSIPPI STATE	5	189	2	76
TENNESSEE	5	50	0	32
FLORIDA	5	110	0	46
MISSOURI	1	20	0	20
TEXAS A&M	3	20	0	19
JACKSONVILLE STATE	9	217	2	65
VANDERBILT	9	120	0	39
KENTUCKY	6	94	2	28
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>1187</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>76</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>1610</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>76</b>

KICK RETURNS	KR	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	2	43	0	28
FURMAN	1	24	0	24
GEORGIA	1	15	0	15
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0	0	0
TENNESSEE	1	20	0	20
FLORIDA	1	15	0	15
MISSOURI	1	14	0	14
TEXAS A&M	0	0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	1	27	0	27
VANDERBILT	1	15	0	15
KENTUCKY	0	0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100</b>





**LEGETTE'S HIGHS**

Receptions..... 9, three times:  
 .....last: Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Yards Receiving.....217, Jacksonville St., 2023  
 Long Reception.....76, Mississippi State, 2023  
 Receiving TDs.....2, four times:  
 .....last: Kentucky, 2023  
 Carries .....4, Kentucky, 2023  
 Rushing Yards.....28, Vanderbilt, 2022  
 Long Rush.....19, Vanderbilt, 2022  
 Kickoff Return Yards.....100, Texas A&M, 2022  
 Long Kickoff Return.....100, Texas A&M, 2022  
 Kickoff Return TDs.....1, Texas A&M, 2022

**21 - TYSHAWN RUSSELL (WR)  
 6-0, 174, Fr., HS (Harrisburg, Pa.)**

- ◆ Appeared for the ninth time this season following the win against Kentucky but was not credited with a target.
- ◆ True freshman wide out that has played in nine games and has four catches on the year, his last coming against Tennessee on Sept. 30.
- ◆ Saw significant playing time against Furman, finishing the game with two catches for 65 yards, including a 50-yard touchdown strike.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
FURMAN	2	65	1	50
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	5	0	5
TENNESSEE	1	7	0	7
FLORIDA	0	0	0	0
MISSOURI	0	0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	0	0	0	0
VANDERBILT	0	0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>50</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>50</b>

**RUSSELL'S HIGHS**

Receptions.....2, Furman, 2023  
 Yards Receiving.....65, Furman, 2023  
 Long Reception.....50, Furman, 2023  
 Receiving TDs.....1, Furman, 2023

**23 - DJAY BRASWELL (RB)  
 5-11, 204, Fr., HS (Sandersville, Ga.)**

- ◆ Made his fourth appearance of the season in the win over Kentucky, carrying the ball once for three yards.
- ◆ Was strong in the receiving game against Vanderbilt with two receptions for 28 yards.

RUSHING	RUSH	Yds	TD	LG
FURMAN	4	17	0	9
JACKSONVILLE STATE	1	0	0	0
VANDERBILT	5	4	0	2
KENTUCKY	1	3	0	3
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
FURMAN	0	0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	0	0	0	0
VANDERBILT	2	28	0	30
KENTUCKY	0	0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>

**BRASWELL'S HIGHS**

Carries .....5, Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Yards Rushing.....17, Furman, 2023  
 Long Rush.....9, Furman, 2023  
 Receptions.....2, Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Yards Receiving.....28, Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Long Reception.....30, Vanderbilt, 2023

**24 - MARIO ANDERSON (RB)  
 5-9, 208, R-Sr., TR (Summerville, S.C.)**

- ◆ Logged 27 rushing yards and 22 receiving yards against a stout defensive front in the win over Kentucky on Saturday.
- ◆ Has eclipsed 100 rushing yards twice this season, most recently with a season-best 102 yards in the win over Vanderbilt.
- ◆ Posted a career game in the receiving category against Jacksonville State with a career high four receptions for a career best 40 receiving yards.
- ◆ Has eclipsed 70 rushing yards in five of the seven games since taking over as the featured back.
- ◆ Had a strong performance against Florida with 98 rushing yards and 23 receiving yards, including his first collegiate touchdown reception.
- ◆ Leads the squad in carries (130) and rushing yards (672).
- ◆ Ranks ninth in the SEC in rushing yards per attempt at 5.17 yards per carry.
- ◆ Has played in all 11 games this season and has started in seven consecutive games.

RUSHING	RUSH	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0	0	0
FURMAN	6	32	0	9
GEORGIA	2	9	0	7
MISSISSIPPI STATE	26	88	1	9
TENNESSEE	10	101	1	75
FLORIDA	20	98	0	30
MISSOURI	12	68	0	17
TEXAS A&M	16	72	0	29
JACKSONVILLE STATE	16	75	0	40
VANDERBILT	9	102	1	72
KENTUCKY	13	27	0	11
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>NC TOTALS</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>3301</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>643</b>	<b>3973</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>75</b>

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0	0	0
FURMAN	0	0	0	0
GEORGIA	0	0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	10	0	10
TENNESSEE	2	8	0	6
FLORIDA	2	23	1	20
MISSOURI	3	6	0	7
TEXAS A&M	3	33	0	18
JACKSONVILLE STATE	4	40	0	18
VANDERBILT	1	9	0	9
KENTUCKY	3	22	0	11
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>NC TOTALS</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>

**ANDERSON'S HIGHS**

Carries .....33, Mars Hill, 2022  
 Yards Rushing.....246, Catawba College, 2022  
 Rushing TDs .....4, Catawba College, 2022  
 Receptions.....4, Jacksonville State, 2023  
 Yards Receiving.....40, Jacksonville State, 2023  
 Long Reception.....20, Florida, 2023  
 Receiving TDs.....1, Florida, 2023

**51 - TREE BABALADE (OL)  
 6-5, 338, Fr., HS (Hyattsville, Md.)**

- ◆ Started for the eighth time in 10 appearances, including his eighth start in the last nine outings.
- ◆ Started at left tackle against Kentucky on Saturday, appearing at left tackle in each of the 10 appearances so far this season.

**53 - VERSHON LEE (OL)  
 6-4, 319, R-Jr., 2L (Woodbridge, Va.)**

- ◆ Started at right tackle in the win over Kentucky, earning his ninth start in nine appearances.
- ◆ Started the first five games at center for Carolina but has transitioned to right tackle in each of the last four outings.
- ◆ Has appeared in 37 career games, including 26 starts to his name.
- ◆ Has shown his versatility this season, not missing a beat when asked to transition to the tackle spot - can also play guard if needed.

**55 - JAKAI MOORE (OL)  
 6-6, 318, R-Sr., 3L (Nokesville, Va.)**

- ◆ Earned the starting nod at left guard in Saturday's 17-14 triumph over Kentucky.
- ◆ Has now appeared in six consecutive games since missing action against Tennessee.
- ◆ In his 10 games played, he has started eight times - four at right guard, three at left guard and one at left tackle.
- ◆ Has appeared in 43 career games with 27 starts to his credit.

**62 - TYSHAWN WANNAMAKER (OL)  
 6-3, 290, R-Jr., 2L (St. Matthews, S.C.)**

- ◆ Made a reserve role appearance in Saturday's win over Kentucky for his 10th appearance of the season.
- ◆ Has started four games this season, all four at the right tackle spot - most recently at Texas A&M on Oct. 28.
- ◆ Has seen action in 10 of the team's 11 games this season with four starts and six reserve appearances.
- ◆ Has appeared in 30 career games, making 15 career starts all at right tackle.

**69 - NICK GARGIULO (OL)  
 6-5, 327, Gr., TR (Yorktown Heights, N.Y.)**

- ◆ Has started each of the 11 games in his first season with the Gamecocks, starting the first five games at left guard.
- ◆ Has shifted to playing center and has held the position for each of the last six outings now.
- ◆ Has now played in 37 career games, including 26 when he was with Yale.

**72 - TRAI JONES (OL)  
 6-2, 318, R-Jr., 2L (Abbeville, S.C.)**

- ◆ Has missed three consecutive games since sustaining an injury at Texas A&M.
- ◆ Had started three consecutive games at left guard before leaving early against Texas A&M with an injury.
- ◆ Fourth-year offensive lineman who has played in eight of the nine games this year.
- ◆ Played in 29 career games with six starts to his credit.

**75 - CASON HENRY (OL)  
 6-6, 300, R-Fr., SQ (Marietta, Ga.)**

- ◆ Has made two appearances this season: North Carolina in week one and Jacksonville State in week nine.
- ◆ Has been sidelined for most of the season with an injury.
- ◆ Started the game against North Carolina at the right tackle position, later leaving with an injury.

- ◆ Had missed seven consecutive games prior to appearing in the win over the Gamecocks.
- ◆ Has competed in four career games.

**77 - SIDNEY FUGAR (OL)**  
**6-5, 327, R-So., TR (Waldorf, Md.)**

- ◆ Did not appear in Saturday's win against Kentucky.
- ◆ Western Illinois transfer who has appeared in 10 games this season with four starts - including starting in each of the first three games.
- ◆ Returned to the starting lineup at right tackle against Missouri, replacing an injured Vershon Lee
- ◆ In his four starts this season, he has played two at the left tackle spot and three at right tackle.
- ◆ Has played in 20 career games and has 13 career starts to his name.

**78 - TROVON BAUGH (OL)**  
**6-4, 337, Fr., HS (Atlanta, Ga.)**

- ◆ Has held steady at the right guard position for Carolina, garnering seven consecutive starts following Saturday's win over Kentucky.
- ◆ Has made 10 appearances during his true freshman season, with seven starts to his name.

**84 - NICK ELKSNIS (TE)**  
**6-6, 251, R-So., TR (Jacksonville, Fla.)**

- ◆ Made his second consecutive appearance following Saturday's win over Kentucky.
- ◆ Has appeared in six games this season, five of which have been against SEC foes.
- ◆ Has appeared in 14 collegiate games, including six with the Gamecocks.

**89 - O'MEGA BLAKE (WR)**  
**6-2, 180, R-So., SQ (Rock Hill, S.C.)**

- ◆ Appeared in the win against Kentucky but was not credited with a target.
- ◆ Reeled in all three of his targets in the win over Vanderbilt, including a 26-yard corner dime from Spencer Rattler for a touchdown late in the fourth quarter.
- ◆ Has two touchdown receptions on the season now and has posted six outings with multiple receptions after entering the season with one collegiate catch.
- ◆ Hauled in a career high five catches for a career best 86 yards against Georgia in week 3.
- ◆ Is fourth in the Gamecocks receiving core with 250 yards on the season.
- ◆ Recorded his first collegiate touchdown in the win over Furman earlier this season, a seven-yard touchdown strike.
- ◆ Has appeared in 15 career games, with four career starts.

BLAKE'S HIGHS	
Receptions.....	5, Georgia, 2023
Yards Receiving.....	86, Georgia, 2023
Long Reception.....	41, Georgia, 2023
Receiving Touchdowns.....	1, twice: Furman & Vanderbilt, 2023
Carries.....	1, North Carolina, 2021

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0	0	0
FURMAN	1	7	1	7
GEORGIA	5	86	0	41
MISSISSIPPI STATE	2	13	0	11
TENNESSEE	2	20	0	13
FLORIDA	2	34	0	24
MISSOURI	3	44	0	29
TEXAS A&M	0	0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	1	10	0	10
VANDERBILT	3	36	1	26
KENTUCKY	0	0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>41</b>



**0 - DEBO WILLIAMS (LB)**  
**6-1, 232, R-Jr., 2L (Smyrna, Del.)**

- ◆ Has now officially eclipsed the century mark in tackles this season with 102, following an eight-tackle performance in the win over Kentucky.
- ◆ Was two tackles shy of extending his double-digit tackle streak to an impressive five consecutive games.
- ◆ Has six double-digit tackle outings this season and sits at 102, the first Gamecock with 100 tackles since T.J. Brunson (106) in 2018.
- ◆ Recorded his first collegiate fumble recovery earlier this month in the win over Jacksonville State.
- ◆ Tied his career high in tackles with 14 against Missouri on Oct. 21.
- ◆ Put together a strong game against Florida where he recorded his first sack of the season and also concluded the game with a career high 3.5 tackles for loss.
- ◆ Leads the team in total tackles with 102 and sits atop the squad in tackles for loss with 9.0 - also ranks third in the SEC in tackles.
- ◆ Tallied a career-high and a game-high 14 tackles in the season opener against North Carolina, including recording one tackle for loss.
- ◆ Has now played in 37 career games for the Gamecocks with 12 career starts - starting all 11 games this season.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	14	1.0	0.0	0
FURMAN	4	0.0	0.0	1
GEORGIA	11	1.5	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	2	1.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	5	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	9	3.5	1.0	0
MISSOURI	14	0.0	0.0	2
TEXAS A&M	11	1.0	0.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	13	0.0	0.0	0
VANDERBILT	11	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	8	1.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>7</b>

**D. WILLIAMS' HIGHS**

Tackles.....14, twice:  
 .....North Carolina, 2023 & Missouri, 2023  
 Sacks.....1.5, Florida, 2022  
 Tackles for Loss.....3.5, Florida, 2023  
 QB Hurries.....2, Missouri, 2023  
 Pass Breakups.....1, four times:  
 .....last: Kentucky, 2023  
 Forced Fumbles.....1, Vanderbilt, 2022  
 Fumble Recoveries...1, Jacksonville St., 2023  
 Blocked Punts.....2, Eastern Illinois, 2021

**1 - DQ SMITH (DB)**  
**6-1, 214, So., 1L (Columbia, S.C.)**

- ◆ Came away with two tackles in Saturday's win over Kentucky and also scooped up his first career fumble recovery.
- ◆ Sits third on the team in total tackles with 66.
- ◆ Posted a career game against Tennessee with 12 tackles, one forced fumble and hauling in his first interception of the season.
- ◆ Has posted two double-digit tackling performances this season, including 11 tackles in the season opener against North Carolina.
- ◆ Has started in 10 of the 11 games that the Gamecocks have competed in this campaign.
- ◆ Has now appeared in 24 career games with 21 starts to his credit.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
NORTH CAROLINA	11	0.0	0	1
FURMAN	2	0.5	0	0
GEORGIA	9	0.0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	5	0.0	0	0
TENNESSEE	12	0.0	1	0
FLORIDA	6	0.0	0	0
MISSOURI	8	0.0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	3	0.0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	2	1.0	0	0
VANDERBILT	6	0.0	0	0
KENTUCKY	2	0.0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>

**SMITH'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....12, Tennessee, 2023  
 Tackles for Loss.....1.0, twice:  
 .....Vanderbilt, 2022 & Jacksonville State, 2023  
 Sacks.....1.0, Vanderbilt, 2022  
 Interception.....1, three times:  
 .....last: Tennessee, 2023  
 Pass Breakups.....2, Texas A&M, 2022  
 Forced Fumbles.....1, twice:  
 .....Vanderbilt, 2022 & Tennessee, 2023  
 Fumble Recoveries.....1, Kentucky, 2023  
 QB Hurries.....1, twice:  
 .....Texas A&M & Florida, 2022

**3 - O'DONNELL FORTUNE (DB)**  
**6-1, 185, R-Jr., 2L (Sumter, S.C.)**

- ◆ Did not appear in the win against Kentucky on Saturday.
- ◆ Finished with three tackles and a career high two pass breakups in the win over Vanderbilt.
- ◆ Returned to the starting lineup against Jacksonville State, finishing with two tackles and a key interception late in the fourth quarter to ice the win.
- ◆ Leads the Gamecocks with two interceptions on the season.
- ◆ Posted career high tackles (6) against both North Carolina and Mississippi State.
- ◆ Recorded his first interception of the season in the opener against North Carolina.
- ◆ Has played in 30 career games with 10 career starts for the Gamecocks - having started nine of the 10 games this season.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
NORTH CAROLINA	6	0.0	1	0
FURMAN	5	0.0	0	0
GEORGIA	3	0.0	0	1
MISSISSIPPI STATE	6	0.0	0	0
TENNESSEE	1	0.0	0	0
FLORIDA	5	0.0	0	1
MISSOURI	2	0.0	0	1
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	2	0.0	1	0
VANDERBILT	3	0.0	0	2
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>

**FORTUNE'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....6, twice:  
 .....North Carolina & Mississippi State, 2023  
 Interceptions.....1, three times:  
 .....last: North Carolina, 2023  
 Pass Breakups.....2, Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Forced Fumbles.....1, Vanderbilt, 2022  
 Fumble Recoveries.....1, Georgia, 2021

**4 - TERRELL DAWKINS (EDGE)**  
**6-4, 251, R-Sr., SQ (Concord, N.C.)**

- ◆ Has missed five consecutive games following Saturday's win over Kentucky.
- ◆ Has yet to record a stat but was able to tip the ball at the line of scrimmage that resulted in a Gamecock interception in the win over Furman.
- ◆ Has appeared in 34 career games with six career starts, including eight appearances for the Gamecocks.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0.0	0.0	0
FURMAN	0	0.0	0.0	0
GEORGIA	0	0.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	0	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	0	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>NCSU TOTALS</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>2</b>

**DAWKINS' HIGHS**

Tackles.....9, Duke, 2020  
 Sacks.....1.0, 4 times  
 .....last: Florida State, 2020  
 Tackles for Loss.....2.0, twice:  
 .....North Carolina, 2020 & Florida State, 2020

**5 - GRAYSON "PUP" HOWARD (LB)**  
**6-4, 241, Fr., HS (Jacksonville, Fla.)**

- ◆ Came off the bench in the win against Kentucky and finished with one tackle - his 10th appearance of the season.
- ◆ Forced his first career fumble in the win over Vanderbilt on Nov. 11.
- ◆ Saw his consecutive game streak of at least one tackle end at six games after failing to record a tackle against the Commodores.
- ◆ Has recorded at least one tackle in eight of the 10 games he has played in this season.
- ◆ Posted a season best four tackles in his collegiate debut against Furman on Sept. 9.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	PBU
FURMAN	4	0.0	0.0	0
GEORGIA	0	0.0	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	0.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	3	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	1	0.0	0.0	0
MISSOURI	2	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	3	0.0	0.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	1	0.0	0.0	0
VANDERBILT	0	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	1	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>

**HOWARD'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....4, Furman, 2023  
 Forced Fumbles.....1, Vanderbilt, 2023

**6 - MARCELLAS DIAL (DB)**  
**6-0, 195, R-Sr., 2L (Woodruff, S.C.)**

- ◆ Was credited with two tackles and one pass breakup in Saturday's victory over Kentucky.
- ◆ Leads the team in pass breakups with 10.
- ◆ Has recorded multiple tackles in nine of the 11 games this season.
- ◆ Posted a season high eight tackles against Georgia, just one tackle shy of his career high.
- ◆ Has started all 11 games this season.
- ◆ Has appeared in 37 games with 28 career starts for the Gamecocks, accounting for 112 tackles, three interceptions and 28 pass breakups.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0.0	0	0
FURMAN	2	0.0	0	2
GEORGIA	8	0.0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	2	0.0	0	2
TENNESSEE	3	0.0	0	0
FLORIDA	4	0.0	0	1
MISSOURI	4	0.0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	5	1.0	0	2
JACKSONVILLE STATE	0	0.0	0	2
VANDERBILT	4	0.0	0	0
KENTUCKY	2	0.0	0	1
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>28</b>

**DIAL'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....9, Tennessee, 2022  
 Tackles for Loss.....1.0, twice:  
 .....S.C. State, 2022 & Texas A&M, 2023  
 Sacks.....1.0, Texas A&M, 2023  
 Interceptions.....1, three times  
 .....last: Clemson, 2022  
 Pass Breakups.....3, twice  
 .....Georgia State & Clemson, 2022

**7 - JORDAN STRACHAN (EDGE)**  
**6-5, 245, 5th, 1L (Kingsland, Ga.)**

- ◆ Came off the bench for the second consecutive game and made his impact felt with a season-best two sacks and forced a critical strip sack late in the fourth quarter.
- ◆ Has multiple tackles in eight of the 11 games he has played in this year.
- ◆ Has now forced two fumbles this season, both coming late in the fourth quarter to help the Gamecocks secure the win.
- ◆ Has now played in 49 career games with 26 starts, including 26 games and 11 starts with the Gamecocks.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	2	0.0	0.0	1
FURMAN	2	1.0	1.0	0
GEORGIA	1	0.0	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	3	2.0	0.0	1
TENNESSEE	2	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	2	1.0	1.0	0
MISSOURI	2	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	3	1.0	0.0	0
VANDERBILT	0	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	2	2.0	2.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>GSU TOTALS</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>31.5</b>	<b>18.5</b>	<b>12</b>

**STRACHAN'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....6, twice  
 .....Appalachian State, 2020; Arkansas, 2022  
 Sacks.....2.5, Troy, 2020  
 Tackles for Loss.....3.0, twice:  
 .....Troy, 2020; South Alabama, 2020  
 Interceptions.....1, Vanderbilt, 2021  
 Forced Fumbles.....1, twice:  
 .....Mississippi State & Kentucky, 2023  
 Fumble Recoveries.....2, Troy, 2020

**9 - DESMOND UMEOZULU (EDGE)**  
**6-6, 246, Fr., HS (Upper Marlboro, Md.)**

- ◆ Appeared in the win against Kentucky but did not come away with a stat, ending his three-game tackle streak.
- ◆ Has posted eight tackles this season, including a career high three against Furman in his collegiate debut.
- ◆ Has appeared in each of the last 10 games.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
FURMAN	3	0.0	0.0	0
GEORGIA	0	0.0	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	1	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	1	0.0	0.0	1
MISSOURI	0	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	1	0.0	0.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	1	0.0	0.0	1
VANDERBILT	1	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	0	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2</b>

**UMEOZULU'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....3, Furman, 2023  
 QB Hurries.....1, twice:  
 .....Florida & Jacksonville State, 2023

**10 - TYREEK JOHNSON (EDGE)**  
**6-3, 270, R-Sr., 2L (Sumter, S.C.)**

- ◆ Earned the start against Kentucky, his fourth start of the campaign - did not record a stat.
- ◆ Came off the bench against Texas A&M and turned in a career game with seven tackles and 1.0 tackles for loss - besting his previous career high of three tackles.
- ◆ Blocked his first career field goal against Florida in the fourth quarter.
- ◆ Has now seen playing time in 25 career games for the Garnet & Black.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	2	0.0	0.0	0
FURMAN	1	0.5	0.5	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	1	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	0	0.0	0.0	0
MISSOURI	1	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	7	1.0	0.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	2	1.0	1.0	2
VANDERBILT	0	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	0	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2</b>

**JOHNSON'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....7, Texas A&M, 2023  
 Sacks.....1.0, Jacksonville State, 2023  
 Tackles for Loss.....1.0, four times:  
 .....last: Jacksonville State, 2023  
 QB Hurries.....2, Jacksonville State, 2023  
 Fumble Recovery.....1, Florida, 2022  
 Blocked Kick.....1, Florida, 2023

**11 - ELIJAH DAVIS (DL)**  
**6-3, 289, Jr., TR (Wagener, S.C.)**

- ◆ Appeared for the 11th consecutive game following Saturday's win but was not credited with a stat.
- ◆ Started in one game this season, doing so against Florida.
- ◆ Recorded a season-best three tackles against Tennessee, posting at least one tackle in three consecutive outings prior to the Florida contest.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0.0	0.0	0
FURMAN	0	0.0	0.0	0
GEORGIA	1	0.0	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	0.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	3	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	0	0.0	0.0	0
MISSOURI	0	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	0	0.0	0.0	1
VANDERBILT	0	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	0	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>EMCC TOTALS</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>7</b>

**DAVIS' HIGHS**

Tackles.....3, Tennessee, 2023  
 QB Hurries.....1, Jacksonville State, 2023

**12 - JATIUS GEER (EDGE)**  
**6-6, 243, R-So., TR (Anderson, S.C.)**

- ◆ Made his eighth appearance in a Gamecock uniform following Saturday's win - was not credited with a stat.
- ◆ Recorded his first career forced fumble in the win over Jacksonville State on Nov. 4.
- ◆ Had his best game as a Gamecock at Missouri, finishing with a season-high three tackles against the Tigers.
- ◆ Missed the first three games of the season due to an injury but has now made eight consecutive appearances.
- ◆ Has appeared in 22 career games with 12 starts.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	1	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	2	0.5	0.0	2
MISSOURI	3	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	2	0.0	0.0	1
VANDERBILT	2	0.5	0.0	1
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>SU TOTALS</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>10</b>

**GEER'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....5, N.C. State, 2022  
 Sacks.....1.5, N.C. State, 2022  
 Tackles for Loss.....1.5, N.C. State, 2022  
 Forced Fumbles.....1, Jacksonville State, 2023  
 QB Hurries.....3, Virginia, 2022

**13 - KAJUAN BANKS (DB)**  
**5-10, 173, So., 1L (Anderson, S.C.)**

- ◆ Defensive back who has appeared in a reserve role and on the special teams squad through each game this season.
- ◆ Did not record any stats in the win over Kentucky on Saturday.
- ◆ Tied his career high in tackles with two in the first two games.
- ◆ Recorded his first career interception against the Tar Heels, returning the interception 17 yards.
- ◆ Has now appeared in 24 consecutive games for the Gamecocks.





DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
NORTH CAROLINA	2	0.0	1	0
FURMAN	2	0.0	0	0
GEORGIA	0	0.0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0.0	0	0
TENNESSEE	0	0.0	0	0
FLORIDA	1	0.0	0	0
MISSOURI	0	0.0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	1	0.0	0	0
VANDERBILT	0	0.0	0	0
KENTUCKY	0	0.0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

**BANKS' HIGHS**

Tackles..... 2, four times:  
 ..... last: Furman, 2023  
 Interceptions..... 1, North Carolina, 2023  
 Pass Breakups..... 1, Georgia State, 2022

**18 - KEENAN NELSON, JR. (DB)  
 6-1, 195, R-Fr., SQ (Philadelphia, Pa.)**

- ◆ Appeared in the win against Kentucky but did not record a tackle.
- ◆ Blocked his first career punt in the fourth quarter against Vanderbilt and housed it for an 18-yard touchdown
- ◆ Put together a strong outing against Jacksonville State, credited with three tackles in the win over the Gamecocks, including his first career tackle for loss.
- ◆ Has appeared in all 11 games this season with three starts to his credit.
- ◆ Tied his career high with four tackles in the season opener against North Carolina.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
NORTH CAROLINA	4	0.0	0	0
FURMAN	0	0.0	0	0
GEORGIA	0	0.0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0.0	0	0
TENNESSEE	0	0.0	0	0
FLORIDA	0	0.0	0	0
MISSOURI	0	0.0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	2	0.0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	3	1.0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>

**NELSON, JR'S HIGHS**

Tackles..... 4, twice:  
 .....Notre Dame, 2022 & North Carolina, 2023  
 Tackles for Loss..... 1.0, Jacksonville St., 2023  
 Pass Breakups..... 1, Notre Dame, 2022  
 Blocked Punt..... 1, Vanderbilt, 2023

**19 - DREW TUAZAMA (EDGE)  
 6-5, 275, Gr., TR (Raleigh, N.C.)**

- ◆ Has appeared in five games for the Gamecocks this season but has now missed each of the last five outings.
- ◆ Has one start to his credit this season, doing so against Georgia while recording his first tackle in a Gamecock uniform.
- ◆ Has competed in 35 career games at the collegiate level, accumulating 75 career tackles.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0.0	0.0	0
FURMAN	0	0.0	0.0	0
GEORGIA	1	0.0	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	0	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	0	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>UAB TOTALS</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>EMCC TOTALS</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>SU TOTALS</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>3</b>

**TUAZAMA'S HIGHS**

Tackles..... 5, Georgia Southern, 2022  
 Sacks..... 1.0, four times:  
 ..... last: Louisiana Tech, 2022  
 Tackles for Loss..... 2.0, twice  
 ..... North Carolina, 2020 & LA Tech, 2022  
 Forced Fumbles..... 1, Louisiana Tech, 2022  
 Fumble Recovery..... 1  
 QB Hurries..... 1, three times  
 ..... last: Miami (Ohio), 2022  
 Pass Breakups..... 1, four times  
 ..... last: Miami (Ohio), 2022  
 Blocked Punt..... 1, Clemson, 2020

**20 - JUDGE COLLIER (DB)  
 6-1, 195, Fr., 1L (Rock Hill, S.C.)**

- ◆ Tied a career high in tackles against Kentucky, coming away with three stops in his 11th appearance of the season.
- ◆ Turned in a career game in the win over Mississippi State on Sept. 23, finishing the game with three tackles and one fumble recovery.
- ◆ Made his first collegiate start at Texas A&M on Oct. 28 but was not able to record a tackle.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
NORTH CAROLINA	0	0.0	0	0
FURMAN	1	0.0	0	0
GEORGIA	1	0.0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	3	0.0	0	0
TENNESSEE	0	0.0	0	0
FLORIDA	0	0.0	0	0
MISSOURI	1	0.0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	1	0.0	0	0
VANDERBILT	0	0.0	0	0
KENTUCKY	3	0.0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**COLLIER'S HIGHS**

Tackles..... 3, twice:  
 .....Mississippi State & Kentucky, 2023  
 Fumble Recovery..... 1, Mississippi State, 2023

**21 - NICK EMMANWORI (DB)  
 6-3, 220, So., 1L (Irmo, S.C.)**

- ◆ Led the defensive effort in Saturday's win over Kentucky with a team-high nine tackles and also pulled down his first collegiate interception - a leaping catch in the end zone to stall a Wildcat drive.
- ◆ Finished the win over Vanderbilt with four tackles and tied a career high in pass breakups with two.
- ◆ Has recorded a season high 10 tackles twice this year: Georgia and Jacksonville State.
- ◆ Went through a span of four consecutive games where he recorded at least five tackles and one pass breakup.
- ◆ Sits fourth on the team in total tackles with 64 and ranks second on the squad in pass breakups with eight.

◆ Has appeared in 23 games for the Gamecocks and has started in 22 outings.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
NORTH CAROLINA	1	0.0	0	0
GEORGIA	10	0.0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	5	0.0	0	0
TENNESSEE	9	0.0	0	1
FLORIDA	6	0.0	0	2
MISSOURI	5	0.0	0	1
TEXAS A&M	5	0.0	0	1
JACKSONVILLE STATE	10	0.0	0	0
VANDERBILT	4	0.0	0	2
KENTUCKY	9	0.0	1	1
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>

**EMMANWORI'S HIGHS**

Tackles..... 14, Georgia, 2022  
 Tackles for Loss..... 1.0, Missouri, 2022  
 Interceptions..... 1, Kentucky, 2023  
 Fumble Recovery..... 1, Clemson, 2022  
 QB Hurries..... 1, three:  
 ..... last: Florida, 2023  
 Pass Breakups..... 2, twice:  
 ..... Florida & Vanderbilt, 2023

**22 - BAM MARTIN-SCOTT (LB)  
 6-2, 226, R-Sr., 1L (Fort Wayne, Ind.)**

- ◆ Recorded five tackles and one quarterback hurry in Saturday's win over Kentucky.
- ◆ Posted a career best 13 tackles in the previous week in the win over Vanderbilt, besting his previous career high of four.
- ◆ Was also credited with his second career sack and his third career pass breakup in the win over the Commodores.
- ◆ Has 28 total tackles on the season, 22 of which have come in the last three games.
- ◆ Has now appeared in nine games this season, including a eighth consecutive appearance following his second consecutive start.
- ◆ Has appeared in 26 career games for the Garnet & Black.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
FURMAN	1	0.0	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	0.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	1	1.0	1.0	0
FLORIDA	1	0.0	0.0	0
MISSOURI	2	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0.0	1
JACKSONVILLE STATE	4	1.0	0.0	0
VANDERBILT	13	1.0	1.0	0
KENTUCKY	5	0.0	0.0	1
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>3</b>

**MARTIN-SCOTT'S HIGHS**

Tackles..... 13, Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Tackles for Loss..... 1.0, four times:  
 ..... last: Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Sacks..... 1.0, twice:  
 ..... Tennessee & Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Interception..... 1, S.C. State, 2022  
 Forced Fumbles..... 1, Florida, 2022  
 QB Hurries..... 1, three times:  
 ..... last: Kentucky, 2023  
 Pass Breakups..... 1, three times:  
 ..... last: Vanderbilt, 2023

**24 - JALON KILGORE (DB)  
 6-1, 204, Fr., HS (Eatonton, Ga.)**

- ◆ Coming off his 10th consecutive start and was credited with five tackles, one pass breakup and his first collegiate forced fumble in the win over Kentucky.

- ◆ Has posted multiple tackles in each of his 11 appearances as a true freshman.
- ◆ Turned in a career high 15 tackles against Tennessee, also recording his first collegiate interception.
- ◆ Followed the Tennessee performance with 11 tackles against Florida, bringing his double-digit tackling performance to three on the season.
- ◆ Ranks second on the team in total tackles with 74.
- ◆ Ranks eighth in the SEC in total tackles with 74.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
NORTH CAROLINA	12	0.0	0	0
FURMAN	6	0.0	0	0
GEORGIA	5	0.5	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	4	0.0	0	0
TENNESSEE	15	0.0	1	1
FLORIDA	11	0.0	0	1
MISSOURI	8	1.0	0	2
TEXAS A&M	3	0.0	0	1
JACKSONVILLE STATE	3	0.0	0	0
VANDERBILT	2	0.0	0	0
KENTUCKY	5	0.0	0	1
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>

**KILGORE'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....	15, Tennessee, 2023
Tackles for Loss.....	1.0, Missouri, 2023
Interception.....	1, Tennessee, 2023
Pass Breakups.....	2, Missouri, 2023
Forced Fumbles.....	1, Kentucky, 2023
Punt Returns.....	3, Jacksonville St., 2023
Punt Return Yards.....	15, twice
.....	Jacksonville St. & Kentucky, 2023
Long Punt Return.....	15, Kentucky, 2023

**29 - DAVID SPAULDING (DB)**  
**6-1, 198, R-Sr., 2L (Riceboro, Ga.)**

- ◆ Made his ninth appearance of the season and sixth consecutive, but was not credited with a stat against Kentucky.
- ◆ Has one takeaway on the season, a sideline interception in the red zone against Mississippi State.
- ◆ Turned in a season best three tackles in the performance in Athens.
- ◆ Appeared in 34 career games with seven starts, including 25 games in a Gamecock uniform.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
NORTH CAROLINA	1	0.0	0	0
GEORGIA	3	0.0	0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	0.0	1	0
FLORIDA	0	0.0	0	0
MISSOURI	0	0.0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	1	0.0	0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	0	0.0	0	0
VANDERBILT	1	0.0	0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>SC TOTALS</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>GS TOTALS</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>

**SPAULDING'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....	5, twice:
.....	Troy, 2021; Kentucky, 2022
Interceptions.....	1, four times:
.....	last: Mississippi State, 2023
Pass Breakups.....	2, Texas A&M, 2022
Forced Fumbles.....	1, twice:
.....	Kentucky, 2021; Kentucky, 2022

**46 - BRYAN THOMAS, JR. (EDGE)**  
**6-2, 232, So., 1L (Windermere, Fla.)**

- ◆ Came off the bench in the win over Kentucky on Saturday but was not credited with a stat.
- ◆ Saw his three game starting streak come to an end following the Vanderbilt contest, but was credited with one tackle and one quarterback hurry in the reserve role against Vanderbilt.
- ◆ Had recorded at least one tackle in eight consecutive games prior to Kentucky.
- ◆ Against Texas A&M, he recorded his first collegiate sack and also forced his first career fumble.
- ◆ Set career highs in tackles against North Carolina and Georgia, finishing both games with four stops.
- ◆ Has now competed in 21 games for Carolina with six starts - all six starts coming this season.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	4	0.0	0.0	0
FURMAN	0	0.0	0.0	0
GEORGIA	4	0.0	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	3	1.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	3	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	3	0.0	0.0	0
MISSOURI	1	0.0	0.0	1
TEXAS A&M	1	1.0	1.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	2	0.0	0.0	0
VANDERBILT	1	0.0	0.0	1
KENTUCKY	0	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>4</b>

**THOMAS, JR'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....	4, North Carolina, 2023
Tackles for Loss.....	1.0, twice:
.....	Mississippi State & Texas A&M, 2023
Sacks.....	1.0, Texas A&M, 2023
QB Hurries.....	2, Charlotte, 2022
Forced Fumble.....	1, Texas A&M, 2023

**52 - STONE BLANTON (LB)**  
**6-2, 232, So., 1L (Jackson, Miss.)**

- ◆ Was credited with three tackles in Saturday's win over Kentucky.
- ◆ Finished with three tackles in the win over Jacksonville State and housed an 88-yard interception with two minutes remaining to put the Gamecocks up by 10 - his first career interception and first career touchdown.
- ◆ Has recorded multiple tackles in all 11 games this season.
- ◆ Ranks fifth on the team in total tackles with 46.
- ◆ Was all over the field in the win over Mississippi State, recording four tackles, one forced fumble and one pass breakup.
- ◆ Logged a career high 10 tackles in the season opener against North Carolina.
- ◆ Has now played in 23 games for Carolina, with 11 consecutive starts.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	10	0.0	0.0	0
FURMAN	2	0.0	0.0	0
GEORGIA	4	1.0	1.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	4	0.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	6	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	3	0.0	0.0	1
MISSOURI	3	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	6	0.0	0.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	3	0.0	0.0	0
VANDERBILT	2	0.0	0.0	2
KENTUCKY	3	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>3</b>

**BLANTON'S HIGHS**

Tackles.....	10, North Carolina, 2023
Tackles for Loss.....	1.0, twice:
.....	S.C. State, 2022 & Georgia, 2023
Sacks.....	1.0, Georgia, 2023
Interceptions.....	1, Jacksonville State, 2023
QB Hurries.....	2, Vanderbilt, 2023
Forced Fumble.....	1, Mississippi State, 2023
Pass Breakups.....	1, three times:
.....	last: Jacksonville State, 2023

**90 - T.J. SANDERS (DL)**  
**6-5, 298, R-So., 1L (Marion, S.C.)**

- ◆ Credited with one tackle and one pass breakup in his fourth consecutive start, this time against Kentucky on Saturday.
- ◆ Turned in five tackles in the win over Jacksonville State following his fourth start of the season.
- ◆ Ranks second on the team in tackles for loss (8.5).
- ◆ Has at least 1.0 tackle for loss in six of the 11 games he has played this year.
- ◆ Leads the Gamecocks in sacks this season with 4.5.
- ◆ Posted a career high nine tackles against Georgia, while also recording 2.0 tackles for loss and 1.0 sack.
- ◆ Appeared in 25 career games over three seasons in a Gamecock uniform.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	3	0.0	0.0	0
FURMAN	3	2.0	1.0	0
GEORGIA	9	2.0	1.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	1.0	1.0	1
TENNESSEE	0	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	3	1.5	1.5	0
MISSOURI	6	1.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	6	1.0	0.0	2
JACKSONVILLE STATE	5	0.0	0.0	0
VANDERBILT	1	0.0	0.0	1
KENTUCKY	1	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>6</b>

**SANDERS' HIGHS**

Tackles.....	9, Georgia, 2023
Tackles for Loss.....	2.0, twice:
.....	Furman, 2023 & Georgia, 2023
Sacks.....	1.5, Florida, 2023
QB Hurries.....	2, Texas A&M, 2023
Pass Breakups.....	1, five times:
.....	last: Kentucky, 2023

**91 - TONKA HEMINGWAY (DL)**  
**6-3, 285, Sr., 3L (Conway, S.C.)**

- ◆ Was only credited with one tackle but had a big fourth quarter in Saturday's win over the Wildcats - scooped up his fourth career fumble late in the quarter and then batted down Kentucky's final 4th-down attempt to seal the win for the Gamecocks.
- ◆ Was very disruptive in the win over Vanderbilt, finishing the game with a career-high tying five tackles and also batted down three passes for a new career high in breakups.
- ◆ Had an all around game in the win over Jacksonville State, finishing with four tackles, 1.0 tackles for loss, one fumble recovery and one pass breakup.
- ◆ Also rushed for two yards and his first career rushing touchdown to open the game against the Gamecocks.
- ◆ Has recorded eight multi-tackle games this season.



◆ Has appeared in all 47 games over the last four seasons with 17 starts.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	1	0.0	0.0	1
FURMAN	2	0.0	0.0	1
GEORGIA	3	0.0	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	4	1.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	5	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	4	1.5	0.5	2
MISSOURI	0	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	2	1.0	1.0	1
JACKSONVILLE STATE	4	1.0	0.0	0
VANDERBILT	5	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	1	0.0	0.0	1
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>13</b>

**HEMINGWAY'S HIGHS**

Tackles..... 5, three times:  
 .....last: Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Tackles for Loss..... 2.0, Missouri, 2022  
 Sacks..... 1.5, Kentucky, 2022  
 QB Hurries..... 2, Florida, 2023  
 Pass Breakups..... 3, Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Fumbles Recovered..... 1, four times:  
 .....last: Kentucky, 2023

**93 - NICK BARRETT (DL)**  
**6-3, 327, Jr., 2L (Goldsboro, N.C.)**

- ◆ Made his 11th consecutive appearance of the season but was unable to record a stat in Saturday's win over Kentucky.
- ◆ Saw his four game streak of at least one tackle come to an end following the win over Kentucky.
- ◆ Currently has 10 tackles on the year, having recorded at least one tackle in seven of the games so far.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	1	0.0	0.0	0
FURMAN	0	0.0	0.0	0
GEORGIA	0	0.0	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	0.0	0.0	0
TENNESSEE	2	0.0	0.0	0
FLORIDA	0	0.0	0.0	0
MISSOURI	2	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	2	0.0	0.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	1	0.0	0.0	0
VANDERBILT	1	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	0	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1</b>

**BARRETT'S HIGHS**

Tackles..... 3, Notre Dame, 2022  
 QB Hurries..... 1, Notre Dame, 2022  
 Pass Breakups..... 1, Florida, 2023  
 Interceptions..... 1, Notre Dame, 2022

**95 - ALEX HUNTLEY (DL)**  
**6-4, 298, R-Jr., 2L (Blythewood, S.C.)**

- ◆ Earned the starting nod on the line against Kentucky and finished the game with one tackle.
- ◆ Began the Vanderbilt game by scoring a touchdown, but from the offensive side of the ball - hauled in a one-yard touchdown pass for the early lead for his first collegiate reception.
- ◆ Was also credited with two tackles, 1.0 tackle for loss and was able to come away with his second career fumble recovery - both fumble recoveries have come against Vanderbilt.
- ◆ Turned in a career high six tackles in the win over Jacksonville State to begin November.
- ◆ Saw his eight game multi-tackle streak come to an end following just the one tackle on Saturday.

- ◆ Turned in a career high 2.0 sacks in the win over Mississippi State, his only two sacks of the season.
- ◆ His 2.0 tackles for loss against the Bulldogs set a new career high - as did his two pass breakups.
- ◆ Has appeared in 36 career outings with 13 starts to his credit - including starting 10 of the 11 games this season.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
NORTH CAROLINA	1	0.0	0.0	0
FURMAN	1	0.0	0.0	0
GEORGIA	4	0.0	0.0	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	3	2.0	2.0	0
TENNESSEE	2	0.0	0.0	1
FLORIDA	2	0.0	0.0	0
MISSOURI	3	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	4	1.0	0.0	0
JACKSONVILLE STATE	6	0.0	0.0	0
VANDERBILT	2	1.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	1	0.0	0.0	0
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>1</b>

**HUNTLEY'S HIGHS**

Tackles..... 6, Jacksonville State, 2023  
 Tackles for Loss..... 2.0, Mississippi State, 2023  
 Sacks..... 2.0, Mississippi State, 2023  
 QB Hurries..... 1, Tennessee, 2023  
 Pass Breakups..... 2, Mississippi State, 2023  
 Fumble Recovery..... 1, twice:  
 .....Vanderbilt, 2022 & Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Receptions..... 1, Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Yards Receiving..... 1, Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Long Reception..... 1, Vanderbilt, 2023  
 Receiving TDs..... 1, Vanderbilt, 2023

**36 - HUNTER ROGERS (LS)**  
**6-1, 202, R-Jr., 2L (Columbia, S.C.)**

- ◆ Has handled the long snapping duties in each game during the 2023 campaign - having been credited with three tackles this season as well.
- ◆ Local product who has appeared in 29 career games in a Gamecock uniform.

**ROGERS' HIGHS**

Carries.....	1, Georgia State, 2022
Yards Rushing.....	5, Georgia State, 2022
Longest Rush.....	5, Georgia State, 2022

**39 - KAI KROEGER (P)**  
**6-4, 212, Sr., 3L (Lake Forest, Ill.)**

- ◆ Punted a season high eight times for a season best 352 yards (44.0 avg.) in the win over Kentucky on Saturday.
- ◆ His eight punts tied a career high of eight set against East Carolina in 2021.
- ◆ Averaged 44.0 yards per punt against the Wildcats and downed Kentucky inside their own 20 yard line three times.
- ◆ Threw his first career incompletion in the win over Jacksonville State.
- ◆ Best game of the season (on average) came in the season opener, punting the ball five times for 242 yards, averaging 48.4 yards per punt against North Carolina.
- ◆ Booted a season-long punt of 60 yards against the Tar Heels.
- ◆ Is now 7-for-8 in career passes with three touchdowns to his credit - with his most recent completion coming against Tennessee with a first down throw to Xavier Legette.
- ◆ Has appeared in 47 career games and is averaging 44.0 yards per punt, the second-best mark in program history behind Joseph Charlton (45.5).

PUNTING	No.	YDS	AVG	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	5	242	48.4	60
FURMAN	4	178	44.5	57
GEORGIA	5	189	37.8	45
MISSISSIPPI STATE	4	192	48.0	51
TENNESSEE	5	229	45.8	48
FLORIDA	4	166	41.5	57
MISSOURI	4	187	46.8	49
TEXAS A&M	5	202	40.4	49
JACKSONVILLE STATE	7	285	40.7	53
VANDERBILT	3	117	39.0	47
KENTUCKY	8	352	44.0	54
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>2339</b>	<b>43.3</b>	<b>60</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>9238</b>	<b>44.0</b>	<b>79</b>

**KROEGER'S HIGHS**

Punts.....	8, twice
.....East Carolina, 2021 & Kentucky, 2023	
Punting Average.....	56.8, Vanderbilt, 2021
Longest Punt.....	79, Georgia State, 2022
Most Punt Yards.....	376, Clemson, 2022
Pass Completions.....	1, seven times:
.....last; Tennessee, 2023	
Pass Attempts.....	1, eight times:
.....last; Jacksonville State, 2023	
Passing TDs.....	1, three times:
.....last; Notre Dame, 2022	
Longest Pass.....	48, Florida, 2021

**98 - MITCH JETER (PK)**  
**5-10, 194, Sr., 3L (Salisbury, N.C.)**

- ◆ Was able to knock in a 23 yard field goal in the win over Kentucky on Saturday and also finished 2-for-2 in PATs.
- ◆ Also handled all four kickoffs for the Gamecocks, kicking three touchbacks and averaging 64.2 yards per kick.

- ◆ His five made PATs against Vanderbilt tied a season high in successful tries, doing so now in back-to-back weeks for Carolina.
- ◆ Was a bright spot for the Gamecocks against Missouri, connecting on a career best four field goals in a career high five attempts - including a season long 51 yard field goal before halftime.
- ◆ Is now 32-for-33 in extra points this season and 72-of-75 in PATs for his career.
- ◆ Is 12-for-14 in field goal attempts this season, and 22-of-24 for his collegiate career.
- ◆ Has handled all 61 kickoffs this season for 3730 yards and 39 touchbacks.
- ◆ Is a perfect 1-for-1 in onside kick attempts this season, recovering his own kick against North Carolina.

KICKING	FGM	FGA	PAT	LG
NORTH CAROLINA	1	1	2-2	26
FURMAN	0	1	4-4	0
GEORGIA	0	0	2-2	0
MISSISSIPPI STATE	1	1	4-4	35
TENNESSEE	2	2	2-2	47
FLORIDA	1	1	4-4	27
MISSOURI	4	5	0-0	51
TEXAS A&M	1	1	2-2	49
JACKSONVILLE STATE	1	1	5-5	26
VANDERBILT	0	0	5-6	0
KENTUCKY	1	1	2-2	23
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>32-33</b>	<b>51</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>72-75</b>	<b>53</b>

KICKOFFS	No.	YDS	AVG	TB
NORTH CAROLINA	3	175	58.3	1
FURMAN	8	519	64.9	6
GEORGIA	3	195	65.0	2
MISSISSIPPI STATE	7	373	53.3	5
TENNESSEE	5	322	64.4	3
FLORIDA	7	426	60.9	4
MISSOURI	5	316	63.2	4
TEXAS A&M	4	260	65.0	3
JACKSONVILLE STATE	7	452	64.6	5
VANDERBILT	8	435	54.4	3
KENTUCKY	4	257	64.2	3
<b>2023 TOTALS</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>3730</b>	<b>61.1</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>14116</b>	<b>61.4</b>	<b>140</b>

**JETER'S HIGHS**

Field Goals.....	4, Missouri, 2023
FGA.....	5, Missouri, 2023
Long Field Goal.....	53, Georgia State, 2022
PAT.....	9, Tennessee, 2022
PAT Attempts.....	9, Tennessee, 2022
Kickoffs.....	10, Tennessee, 2022
Kickoff Yards.....	632, Tennessee, 2022
Kickoff Average.....	65.7, Clemson, 2021
Touchbacks.....	7, North Carolina, 2021