PENN STATE

**FOOTBALL** 

**819 Wins** 

(6th in nation)

(8th in nation)

**27 Bowl Wins** 

(3rd in nation)

95 1st Team

**All-America** 

Selections

## **GAME INFO**

TELEVISION: ESPN on ABC

Brad Nessler (p-by-p), Todd Blackledge (analyst), Holly Rowe (sideline); The game will air nationally on **ABC** stations

TV APPEARANCES: The Nittany Lions are appearing on television for the 205th time in their last 207 games. RADIO: Penn State Sports Network (60 stations):

Steve Jones (p-by-p) & Jack Ham (analyst) Local: 93.7 FM & 1450 AM; Sirius: CH 91; XM: CH 91

Crimson Tide Sports Network: Eli Gold (p-by-p), Phil Savage (analyst), Chris Stewart. Compass Media Networks: Drew Bontadelli

(p-by-p) and Curtis Conway (analyst) WEB: Gametracker & Audio at: GoPSUsports.com

ATTENDANCE: 108,000+ (sold out)

SERIES: The Nittany Lions and Crimson Tide are meeting for the 15th time, with Alabama leading 9-5 after its 2010 win...Alabama is playing in Happy Valley for the first time since 1989.

#### COACHES:

JOE PATERNO:

PENN STATE RECORD: 402-135-3 (74.7), 46th year

**OVERALL RECORD: Same VS. ΔΙ ΔΒΔΜΔ: 4-9** 

43 Bowl Games

NOTABLE: 62nd year on Penn State staff...all-time leader in career wins among FBS (1-A) coaches...300 wins faster than any coach in NCAA history...College Football Hall of Fame inductee (2007)

NICK SARAN:

ALABAMA RECORD: 39-11, 5th year OVERALL RECORD: 130-53-1, 16th year

VS. PENN STATE: 3-3

## PENN STATE (1-0; 0-0 Big Ten) vs. **ALABAMA (1-0; 0-0 SEC)**

SATURDAY, SEPT. 10, 2011 @ 3:30 P.M. (ET) • ABC BEAVER STADIUM (106.572) • UNIVERSITY PARK, PA.

#### **NITTANY LIONS HOST NO. 3/2 CRIMSON TIDE**

#### THIS WEEK

Penn State hosts No. 3/2 Alabama in the first meeting between the national powers in Beaver Stadium since 1989.

The Crimson Tide lead the series, 9-5, after posting a 24-3 win last year in Tuscaloosa. The teams played a spirited series from 1981-90 and met in three bowl games prior to 1981, including the 1979 Sugar Bowl for the national championship.

The Penn State-Alabama game is the only Big Ten-SEC regular season match-up this season. The conferences will be pitted in at least three 2011-12 bowl games.

The No. 25 Nittany Lions opened their 125th season with a 41-7 win over Indiana State. The Crimson Tide defeated Kent State, 48-7, in their opener last Saturday.

Penn State has a 59-19 (75.6) record since the start of the 2005 season, the nation's 11thbest winning percentage over the past seven seasons.

#### **NITTANY LIONS AND CRIMSON TIDE AMONG ELITE**

Penn State and Alabama are among just eight FBS teams nationally that have won 800 games all-time. In their 125th season, the Nittany Lions have an 819-357-42 record to rank sixth in victories. Alabama has an 803-319-3 record in its 120th season to rank eighth in wins.

Alabama's 58 bowl appearances and 33 bowl wins lead the nation, while Penn State is No. 3 with 27 bowl wins among its 43 appearances (8th). The Nittany Lions' 65.1 bowl winning percenrage (27-14-2) is second-best among schools with at least 20 bowl appearances.

#### **HIGHLY RATED VISITOR**

The last time Penn State hosted the nation's No. 1, 2 or 3 ranked team was when No. 1 Ohio State visited on October 27, 2007. The last No. 1, 2 or 3 ranked non-conference squad to travel to Beaver Stadium was No. 2 Miami (Fla.), which won the 2001 season opener.

## **PENN STATE**

Overall: 1-0 Big Ten: 0-0 Home: 1-0 Road: 0-0 N: 0-0					
Date	Opponent (rank)	Score/Time	TV	Attend.	
9-12	INDIANA STATE	41-7	BTN	96,461	
9-10	ALABAMA (3/2)	3:30	ABC	-	
9-17	at Temple	12:00	ESPN/2/U	-	
9-24	EASTERN MICHIGAN	TBA	TBA	-	
10-1	at Indiana	TBA	TBA	-	
10-8	IOWA	TBA	TBA	-	
10-15	PURDUE	12:00	TBA	-	
10-22	at Northwestern	7:00	BTN	-	
10-29	ILLINOIS	TBA	TBA	-	
11-12	NEBRASKA (10)	TBA	TBA	-	
11-19	at Ohio State (18)	TBA	TBA	-	
11-26	at Wisconsin (11)	TBA	TBA	-	

#### PENN STATE LEADERS

Silas Redd         12 for 104 yds (8.7), 2 TD           Curtis Dukes         6 for 47 yds (7.8), 0 TD           PASSING:         Matt McGloin         6 of 8, 77 yds, 0 TD, 0 INT           Rob Bolden         6 of 12, 37 yds, 0 TD, 0 INT           RECEIVING:         Derek Moye         4 for 57 yds, 0 TD           Joe Suhey         2 for 16 yds, 0 TD           Justin Brown         1 for 12 yds, 0 TD           SCORING:         Silas Redd         2 TD, 12 pts           TACKLES:         Mike Hull         7 tkls (1 solo), 0.5 TFL, 0 INT           Mike Hull         7 tkls (1 solo), 1.5 TFL, 0 INT           Jordan Hill         5 tkls (2 solo), 0.5 TFL, 0 INT	RUSHING:	
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#### STATISTICAL COMPARISON

	OFFENSE	
PENN STATE		ALABAMA
245.0	RUSHING/GAME	183.0
5.1	RUSHING/ATT.	5.2
12-20-0	PASSING	21-37-4
114.0	PASSING/GAME	299.0
359.0	TOTAL/GAME	482.0
5.3	TOTAL/ATT.	6.7
41.0	SCORING/GAME	48.0
+ 3.0	TURNOVER MARGIN	- 4.0

#### ALABAMA **ALABAMA LEADERS**

Overall: 1-0 SEC: 0-0 Home: 1-0 Road: 0-0 N: 0-0 Date Opponent (rank) Time/Score (2/2) KENT STATE 9-3 (3/2) at Penn State 3:30 ET 9-10

NORTH TEXAS 9-17 9-24 ARKANSAS at Florida 10-1 10-8 VANDERBILT 10-15 at Mississippi 10-22 TENNESSEE

11-5 LSU 11-12 at Mississippi State 11-19 GEORGIA SOUTHERN

11-26 at Auburn

All times Eastern: Rank: #AP/ESPN/USATODAY

RUSHING:	
Jalston Fowler	4 for 69 yds (17.2), 1 TD
Eddie Lacy	8 for 58 (7.2), 1 TD
PASSING:	
A.J. McCarron	14 of 23, 226 yds, 1 TD, 2 INT
Phillip Sims	7 of 14, 73 yds, 0 TD, 2 INT
RECEIVING:	
Marquis Maze	8 for 118 yds, 1 TD
DeAndrew White	4 for 44 yds, 0 TD
SCORING:	_
Trent Richardson	3 TD, 18 pts
TACKLES:	
Trey Depriest	10 tkls (3 solo), 0.5 TFL
Donta Hightower	7 tkls (4 solo), 0.5 TFL

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Courtney Upshaw

#### **DEFENSE**

PENN STATE		ALABAMA
65	RUSHING/GAME	- 9.0
2.2	RUSHING/ATT.	- 0.4
11-23-2	PASSING	20-47-1
105	PASSING/GAME	99.0
170	TOTAL/GAME	90.0
3.2	TOTAL/ATT.	1.3
7.0	SCORING/GAME	7.0

GAME 3: Sept. 17 at Temple, 12:00 p.m. in Lincoln Financial Field

TICKETS: 1-814-865-5555

TV/RADIO: ESPN, ESPN2 or ESPNU / Penn State Sports Network/www.GoPSUsports.com SERIES: Penn State leads, 36-3-1

#### 125th SEASON

#### 125TH SEASON OF GRIDIRON EXCELLENCE; ONE OF EIGHT WITH 800 WINS

Penn State is in its 125th season of intercollegiate football and owns an 819-357-42 record, to rank sixth nationally in all-time victories.

Penn State became just the sixth school in the nation to win 800 games with its victory over Michigan State in 2008, joining Michigan (885), Texas (851), Notre Dame (845), Nebraska (838) and Ohio State (820). Oklahoma (812) and Alabama (803) joined the 800-win club during the past two seasons.

## IN TOP 12 FOR WINS OVER LAST SEVEN SEASONS

Since the start of the 2005 season, the Nittany Lions are 59-19 (75.6), good for No. 11 in the nation in winning percentage over the past seven seasons.

The Nittany Lions have won 61 of their past 80 games overall (76.2 pct.) dating to the final two games of the 2004 season. Ohio State is the only Big Ten team with a better record than Penn State over the past 80 contests.

## **PENN STATE**

#### UNIVERSITY

NAME: The Pennsylvania State University

LOCATION: University Park, Pa.

FOUNDED: 1855 ENROLLMENT: 43,998 NICKNAME: Nittany Lions COLORS: Blue & White CONFERENCE: Big Ten DIVISION: NCAA Division I

STADIUM: Beaver Stadium (106,572)
STADIUM SURFACE: Natural Grass
PRESIDENT: Dr. Graham Spanier
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Tim Curley
HEAD COACH: Joe Paterno

**ASSOC. AD FOOTBALL ADMIN.:** Fran Ganter **DIRECTOR OF FOOTBALL OPS:** Tom Venturino

**FOOTBALL OFFICE:** 814-865-0412

**TICKET OFFICE:** 800-NITTANY / 814-865-5555

#### **FOOTBALL HISTORY**

FIRST YEAR: 1887

**ALL-TIME RECORD:** 819-357-42 (125th Season)

6th All-time in victories

ALL-TIME BOWL RECORD: 27-14-2 (65.1)

2nd in Bowl Winning Percentage

3rd in Bowl Victories

YEARS IN POST-SEASON PLAY: 43 8th All-time in Bowl Appearances BEAVER STADIUM RECORD: 248-61-0 (80.2)

#### **ASSISTANT COACHES**

**DICK ANDERSON:** (Penn State, '63) - 34th Season Offensive Line (Guards & Centers)

TOM BRADLEY: (Penn State, '79) - 33rd Season In Charge of Defense (Cornerbacks)

**KERMIT BUGGS:** (Norfolk State, '95) - 4th Season Safeties

**GALEN HALL:** (Penn State, '63) - 8th Season In Charge of Offense (Runningbacks)

LARRY JOHNSON: (Elizabeth City St., '73) - 16th Season Defensive Line

**BILL KENNEY:** (Norwich, '82) - 24th Season Offensive Line (Tackles & Tight Ends)

MIKE McQUEARY: (Penn State, '97) - 12th Season Wide Receivers

**JAY PATERNO:** (Penn State, '90) - 17th Season Quarterbacks

RON VANDERLINDEN: (Albion Coll., '78) - 11th Season

TERRELL GOLDEN & ELIJAH ROBINSON: Grad Assts.

## **ALABAMA GAME NOTES**

#### PENN STATE TO MARK 10TH ANNIVERSARY OF SEPTEMBER 11 AT GAME

Penn State will mark the 10th anniversary of the Sept. 11, 2001 attacks on the United States with pregame and halftime events at the Alabama game.

Before the 3:30 p.m. kickoff, a color guard of New York City firefighters will be on the field for the National Anthem, which the Penn State Blue Band will play with a special lead-in. Immediately following the National Anthem, there will be a stadium flyover of F-18 Hornets.

The Penn State Blue Band will play a patriotic half-time show, with tributes to those lost, those saved and those who have served. Five students will step forward onto the field, each representing one branch of military service and the more than 2,100 members of the University community who have served in Iraq and Afghanistan. The Blue Band also will lead the Beaver Stadium audience in the singing of "God Bless America."

#### **NON-CONFERENCE HOME WIN STREAK**

Penn State's 23-game non-conference home winning streak is tied for second-longest in the nation with Florida. LSU leads at 31. The Nittany Lions' last non-conference loss in Beaver Stadium was to Boston College on Sept. 6, 2003.

#### **NON-CONFERENCE SUCCESS**

Penn State has a 65-14 (82.3) record in non-conference games since starting Big Ten play in 1993, including wins against: Arizona, Auburn, Florida State, LSU, Louisville (2), Miami (Fla.), Maryland, Nebraska, Notre Dame, Oregon, Oregon State, Pittsburgh (3), South Florida, USC (3), Southern Miss (2), Tennessee (2), Texas, Texas A&M (2), Texas Tech, Virginia and UCF (2).

The Nittany Lions have won 19 of their last 22 non-conference games, with the lone losses coming to USC (2009 Rose Bowl), at Alabama (2010) and to Florida (2011 Outback Bowl).

#### **LIONS VS. SEC**

Penn State has a 17-18 record against current members of the Southeastern Conference; 14-16 under Joe Paterno. The Hall of Fame coach has an 8-5 mark vs. SEC teams in bowl games.

Florida was Penn State's last SEC opponent, with the Gators earning a 37-24 win in the 2011 Outback Bowl. The Nittany Lions' last win over an SEC team was over LSU in the 2010 Capital One Bowl.

Penn State is playing an SEC foe in Beaver Stadium for the first time since Alabama visited in 1989. South Carolina (1940), Vanderbilt (1957) and Kentucky (1975, '77) are the only other current SEC teams that have played in State College.

Arkansas, Ole Miss and Mississippi State are the only SEC schools Penn State has not played against on the gridiron.

#### Penn State vs. SEC Teams:

Alabama – UA leads, 9-5 Auburn - Tied, 1-1 Florida – UF leads, 3-0 Georgia – PSU leads, 1-0 Kentucky – PSU leads, 3-2 LSU – PSU leads, 3-2 South Carolina – PSU leads, 2-0 Tennessee – PSU leads, 3-2 Vanderbilt – VU leads, 1-0

#### **CRIMSON TIDE VS. BIG TEN**

Alabama has an 18-11 record against current Big Ten squads, with 14 of the contests vs. Penn State. The Crimson Tide's most recent game vs. a Big Ten team was a win over Michigan State in the 2011 Capital One Bowl.

#### **RARE SEC VISIT TO BIG TEN STADIUM**

Alabama played at Penn State in 1981, '83, '85, '87 and '89 when the Nittany Lions were independents, starting Big Ten competition in 1993.

The Crimson Tide's visit this week marks the third time since 1981 that a Big Ten team has hosted a team from the Southeastern Conference, excluding the previously annual Indiana-Kentucky series. In 1988, LSU visited Ohio State and in 2006, Vanderbilt visited Michigan.

Big Ten teams are 20-13-1 when hosting an SEC team since 1933. (research provided by the Big Ten Network).

#### IN THE POLLS

Penn State was ranked No. 25 in the USA Today Coaches pre-season poll and was second among teams receiving votes (No. 27) in the Associated Press poll. The Nittany Lions have finished in the Top 25 a total of 35 times under Joe Paterno, with 23 Top 10 finishes.

Alabama was ranked No. 2 in both pre-season polls.

#### "GREAT SHOW" = GREAT RESULTS

Penn State has won 39 of its last 45 home games dating to a Senior Day win over Michigan State in 2004. The Nittany Lions were 7-0 in Beaver Stadium in 2005 and 2008 and 6-1 in 2006 and '07.

Penn State has a 248-61 record (80.2) in Beaver Stadium since the facility was erected in 1960, includ-

#### **INJURY REPORT**

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WR Curtis Drake	leg	- doubtful
T Mike Farrell	knee	- doubtful
TE Garry Gilliam	knee	– out
DE Pete Massaro	knee	– out
RB Pat Zerbe	knee	- out

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## ALL-TIME COACHING VICTORIES

479	John Gagliardi (active)
408	Eddie Robinson
402	JOE PATERNO (active)
377	Bobby Bowden
323	Bear Bryant
319	Pop Warner
314	Roy Kidd
314	Amos Alonzo Stagg
305	Frosty Westering
300	Tubby Raymond

ing 15 unbeaten seasons. Beaver Stadium's capacity of 106,572 is the nation's second-largest.

The only setbacks over the past 45 home games have come to No. 4 Michigan in 2006, No. 1 Ohio State in 2007, Iowa in 2009, No. 15 Ohio State in 2009, Illinois and No. 10 Michigan State in 2010.

Penn State at home the past six seasons: 2005 (7-0), 2006 (6-1), 2007 (6-1), 2008 (7-0), 2009 (6-2) and 2010 (5-2).

The Nittany Lions have earned a 223-43 (83.8) home record under Joe Paterno since he became head coach in 1966, including 14 undefeated seasons

#### **NITTANY LIONS THUMP INDIANA STATE**

Penn State opened its 125th season by rolling past Indiana State, 41-7, on Saturday at Beaver Stadium. Penn State led throughout following Chaz Powell's 95-yard kick-off return touchdown to open the game.

The Nittany Lions improved to 39-7 in season openers under Joe Paterno, winning their 10th straight season debut.

Sophomore Silas Redd led the Nittany Lion ground game with a pair of touchdowns and 104 yards on 12 carries. The Penn State rushing attack gained 245 yards on the day.

Penn State out-gained Indiana State, 359-170, in total offense and earned 16 of its 21 first downs on the ground. The Nittany Lions did not turn the ball

over

The Penn State defense was sterling, holding ISU to just eight first downs with two interceptions, two sacks and a fumble recovery. The three turnovers were the most forced by the Nittany Lions since causing four last year against Temple. The NIttany Lions converted the turnovers into two touchdowns (13 points).

#### **SEASON OPENERS**

The Nittany Lions own an impressive 104-19-2 (84.0) record in the first contest of the season, winning their last 10 and 19 of the last 21. Penn State is 39-7 (84.8) in season openers under Joe Paterno and 112-12-1 in home openers overall.

#### **POWELL EARNS BIG TEN HONOR**

Penn State cornerback Chaz Powell has been selected Big Ten Co-Special Teams Player of the Week after returning the opening kickoff for a touchdown to help spark Penn State to a 41-7 win over Indiana State last Saturday.

A senior, Powell shares his first career conference honor with Nebraska kicker Brett Maher.

Powell's 95-yard kickoff return for a touchdown on the opening kick was the second of his career. He returned a kickoff 100 yards last year against Youngstown State on the opening kickoff of the second half—the last time that a kick had been returned for a touchdown by Penn State prior to last Saturday.

The former Susquehannock High School standout, Powell made one solo tackle to help the Nittany Lions force three turnovers and hold the Sycamores to eight first downs and 170 total yards.

## REDD CRACKS 100 YARDS TO LEAD PRODUCTIVE GROUND GAME

Making his first career start, sophomore tailback Silas Redd led the Nittany Lion ground game with a pair of touchdowns, tallying 104 yards on 12 carries (8.7) in the 41-7 win over Indiana State.

The Penn State rushing attack gained 245 yards, its highest total since gaining 260 yards vs. Northwestern last season. The Nittany Lions averaged 5.1 yards on their 48 carries and earned 16 first downs on the ground.

Redd earned his second career 100-yard rush-

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## **STANDINGS**

	BIG TEN		OVERALL	
LEADERS	W-L	%	W-L % vs	. Top 25
Penn State	0-0	0	1-0 1.000	0-0
Illinois	0-0	0	1-0 1.000	0-0
Ohio State	0-0	0	1-0 1.000	0-0
Purdue	0-0	0	1-0 1.000	0-0
Wisconsin	0-0	0	1-0 1.000	0-0
Indiana	0-0	0	0-1 .000	0-0
LEGENDS	W-L	%	W-L % vs	. Top 25
lowa	0-0	0	1-0 1.000	0-0
Michigan	0-0	0	1-0 1.000	0-0
Michigan State	0-0	0	1-0 1.000	0-0
Nebraska	0-0	0	1-0 1.000	0-0
Northwestern	0-0	0	1-0 1.000	0-0
Minnesota	0-0	0	0-1 .000	0-0

#### **BIG TEN SCHEDULE (ET):**

Alabama at PENN STATE, 3:30 (ESPN on ABC)
South Dakota State at Illinois, 12:00 (BTN)
lowa at Iowa State, 12:00 (FOX)
Florida Atlantic at Michigan State, 12:00 (ESPN2)
Toledo at Ohio State, 12:00 (BTN)
Oregon State at Wisconsin, 12:00 (ESPN)
New Mexico State at Minnesota, 3:30 (BTN)
Eastern Illinois at Northwestern, 3:30 (BTN)
Purdue at Rice, 3:30 (CBS Sports Network)
Virginia at Indiana, 7:00 (BTN)
Fresno State at Nebraska, 7:00 (BTN)
Notre Dame at Michigan, 8:00 (ESPN)

#### **BIG TEN MEDIA SERVICES:**

**BIG TEN RELEASE/STATISTICS**: The Big Ten Conference football release, with standings and statistics, is available at www.bigten.org.

**BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK** will be announced every Monday during the season.

#### **BIG TEN COACHES TELECONFERENCE**: The Big

Ten will conduct a football coaches teleconference every Tuesday during the season, from Aug. 30 to November 15. All 12 head coaches will be available to answer questions for 10 minutes. Please contact the Big Ten Communications staff (847-696-1010) for the phone numbers for the teleconference and 24-hour replay

#### **PENN STATE MEDIA SERVICES**

#### **SUNDAY:**

9 a.m.: Updated cumulative stats available. Posted to official Athletics website: www.GoPSUsports.com

#### **MONDAY:**

Penn State Weekly Release available by 10:00 p.m. Posted to: www.GoPSUsports.com

#### **TUESDAY:**

12:30 p.m.: Penn State weekly press conference: Joe Paterno and two players available for questions in person and via telephone on Tuesday, Sept. 6. To participate please contact the Athletic Communications Office at 814-865-1757 prior to 11 a.m. ET. Please contact Athletic Communications for FTP information for video/audio from the press conference

1:20 p.m.: Head coach Joe Paterno available on the Big Ten weekly teleconference

#### **TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY:**

Player Interviews: Selected players will be available via teleconference for interviews. For information, please contact Shirley Irvin at PSU Athletic Communications (ski1@psu.edu; 814- 865-1757).

#### THURSDAY:

6:05 p.m.: Penn State Football Show (Call-in)

#### **SATURDAY:**

Post-Game Joe Paterno and selected players will be available immediately following the game. Please contact Athletic Communications for FTP information

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
WEEKLY RELEASE Available	JOE PATERNO PRESS CONFERENCE 12:30 p.m.	PSU PLAYER TELECONFERENCES	"PENN STATE Football show"	No Coach/Player Availability	vs. ALABAMA	UPDATED STATS Available
by 10 p.m. on GoPSUsports.com	Big Ten Coaches Teleconference		6:05 p.m.		@ 3:30 p.m. ABC	9:00 a.m. GoPSUsports.com
	1:20 p.m. (ET) PSU PLAYER TELECONFERENCES	4 78	No Player Availability			

## **SERIES NOTES**

SERIES HISTORY: Alabama leads, 9-5 LAST GAME: Sept. 11, 2010: UA 24, PSU 3 LAST PENN STATE WIN: Oct. 27, 1990: PSU 9, UA 0

#### **BEST RUSHING PERFORMANCES:**

D.J. Dozier, PSU, 17 for 163, 1983 Blair Thomas, PSU, 35 for 160, 1989 Bobby Humphrey, UA, 36 for 220, 1987

#### **BEST PASSING PERFORMANCES:**

Doug Strang, PSU, 13 for 241 yds, 1983 Todd Blackledge, PSU, 20 of 36, 234, 1982 Walter Lewis, UA, 25 of 35, 336, 1983

#### **BEST RECEIVING PERFORMANCES:**

Ray Roundtree, PSU, 4 for 114, 1987 Jesse Bendross, UA, 8 for 145, 1983

## PENN STATE VS. NON-CONFERENCE TEAMS (SINCE 1993):

65-14, a winning percentage of 82.3

#### **PATERNO TEAMS IN SEPTEMBER:**

117-38 since 1966, a winning percentage of 75.5

#### **RANKINGS:**

Penn State was No. 25 in the USA Today Coaches preseason poll. Alabama was No. 2 in the Associated Press and USA Today Coaches preseason polls.

#### PENN STATE VS. ALABAMA SERIES

Alabama leads: 9-5 H: 2-3; A: 2-2; N: 1-4

Dec. 19, 1959: PSU 7, No. 10 UA 0

(Liberty Bowl; Phila.)

Dec. 31, 1975: No. 4 UA 13, No. 8 PSU 6

(Sugar Bowl)

Jan. 1, 1979: No. 2 UA 14, No. 1 PSU 7

(Sugar Bowl)

Nov. 14, 1981: No. 6 UA 31, at No. 5 PSU 16

Oct. 9, 1982: No. 4 UA 42, No. 3 PSU 21 (at Birmingham)

Oct. 8, 1983: at PSU 34, No. 3 UA 28

Oct. 13, 1984: at UA 6, PSU 0

Oct. 12, 1985: at No. 8 PSU 19, No. 10 UA 17 Oct. 25, 1986: No. 6 PSU 23, at No. 2 UA 3 Sept. 12, 1987: No. 19 LIA 24, at No. 11 PSU

Sept. 12, 1987: No. 19 UA 24, at No.11 PSU 13

Oct. 22, 1988: UA 8, PSU 3

(At Birmingham)

Oct. 28, 1989: No. 6 UA 17, at No. 14 PSU 16

Oct. 27, 1990: PSU 9, at UA 0

Sept. 11, 2010: at No. 1 UA 24, No. 14 PSU 3

ing game and had his first career multiple-touchdown game, scoring from nine and four yards out in the first half. Redd gained a career-high 131 yards vs. Northwestern last year.

Sophomore tailback Curtis Dukes had a career-long 30-yard rush in the third quarter, and a career-best 47 yards on his six carries vs. the Sycamores. Returning to the field after missing 2010 with a serious knee injury, junior Brandon Beachum gained 41 yards on just seven attempts, including a 22-yard burst.

Senior fullback Joe Suhey gained 29 yards on six carries and scored his first career rushing touchdown in the third quarter. Junior fullback Michael Zordich added 15 yards on five attempts and also scored on a one-yard run.

#### **DEFENSE HAS STRONG EFFORT IN OPENER**

The Penn State defense delivered a strong effort in the opener, holding Indiana State to just eight first downs and 170 yards. The Nittany Lions grabbed two interceptions, recorded seven tackles for loss, two sacks and a fumble recovery.

Penn State forced three turnovers, its highest total since causing four last year against Temple. The Nittany Lions converted the turnovers into two touchdowns (13 points).

Captain Drew Astorino set the tone by grabbing his fifth career interception in the first quarter and returning it 33 yards. Jordan Hill forced and recovered his first career fumble at the ISU 21-yard-line to set-up a one-yard run by Joe Suhey. Freshman CB Adrian Amos grabbed his first career interception in the fourth quarter to set-up another touchdown (see below).

In his first game on the field, linebacker Mike Hull led Penn State with seven tackles, including a 0.5 TFL. Junior linebacker Michael Yancich made a career-best six hits, including 1.5 TFL. Junior defensive tackle Jordan Hill made five stops, half a sack.

#### TRIO OF TRUE FRESHMAN MAKE DEBUT

Three Nittany Lion true freshmen made their debuts in the season opener: CB Adrian Amos, PK Sam Ficken and WR Allen Robinson.

Amos returned a fourth quarter interception 46 yards to the Indiana State 12-yard-line to set-up Shane McGregor's three-yard touchdown run. Amos made two tackles, also seeing action on special teams.

Ficken made his debut in the second half, connecting on a PAT attempt and kicking off once.

#### **QUARTET ELECTED CAPTAINS**

A quartet of senior standouts were elected captains of the 2011 Penn State football team.

Safety Drew Astorino (Edinboro), tackle Quinn Barham (Durham, N.C.), wide receiver Derek Moye (Rochester) and defensive tackle Devon Still (Wilmington, Del.) were selected by their teammates in voting the week of the season opener.

#### **COACH JOE PATERNO**

In his 46th season as head coach of the Nittany Lions and 62nd year on the coaching staff, Joe Paterno is the leader in all-time victories among major college coaches. A 1950 graduate of Brown University, Paterno owns a career record of 402-135-3 for a winning percentage of 74.7.

He ranks third in winning percentage among active Football Bowl Subdivision coaches with 10 or more years as a head coach.

Paterno is the longest serving head coach at one school in major college football history. Amos Alonzo Stagg served as head coach at the University of Chicago for 41 years (1892-1932) of his 57-year tenure as a head coach.

Paterno has led the Nittany Lions to two national championships (1982 and '86) and five undefeated seasons (1968, '69, '73, '86 and '94). Selected the AFCA National Coach of the Year an unprecedented five times, Paterno is the all-time leader in bowl wins with a record of 24-12-1.

He has guided Penn State to three Big Ten Championships and has been selected the Dave McClain Big Ten Coach of the Year three times, the award's second-highest total.

Paterno is one of only nine coaches in NCAA history (five in FBS) to win 300 games and reached the milestone faster than anyone (380 games). He also is the only FBS head coach with 300 victories at one school.

Paterno was inducted into the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in December 2007 and was among the first three active coaches to be inducted.

## NO. 3 IN WINNING PCT. AMONG ACTIVE COACHES

In addition to his record victories total, Joe Paterno ranks third in winning percentage (74.7) among active Football Bowl Subdivision coaches with 10 or more years as an FBS head coach.

Oklahoma's Bob Stoops leads the list with an 80.7 winning percentage, (130-31), followed by TCU's Gary Patterson (77.1, 98-29), Paterno, Georgia's Mark Richt (73.3, 96-35) and South Carolina's Steve Spurrier (71.7, 187-73-2).

#### PATERNO LONGEVITY AMAZING

Since Joe Paterno became head coach in 1966, there have been 885 head coaching changes in the Football Bowl Subdivision, an average of more than six changes per institution, including 25 changes after the 2010 season.

There have been 36 head coaches at the other Big Ten institutions since the Nittany Lions began conference play in 1993 (total does not include Big Ten newcomer Nebraska). Paterno is the dean of Big Ten coaches by six years over all his conference counterparts, with lowa's Kirk Ferentz second in longevity (started in 1999).

#### **PATERNO AMONG TRIO WITH 400 WINS**

Joe Paterno is the all-time wins leader among FBS coaches (402) and one of only three coaches in NCAA history to record 400 victories.

During the 2010 season, the Hall of Fame coach joined John Gagliardi (479-active) and Eddie Robinson (408) as the only coaches in NCAA history with 400 victories. Penn State rallied from a 21-0 deficit to defeat Northwestern, 35-21, on Nov. 6, 2010 to give Paterno his 400th win in the greatest home comeback of his legendary career.

Amos Alonzo Stagg's 578 games top all major college coaches. He is followed by Paterno (540), Bobby Bowden (522), Pop Warner (481) and Paul "Bear" Bryant (425).

Paterno's 46 years as head coach are the most at one institution all-time among major college coaches.

#### **ALABAMA COACH NICK SABAN**

Nick Saban is in his fifth season as head coach at Alabama and has earned a 39-11 record, including the 2009 BCS national championship. He also directed LSU to the 2003 BCS crown.

Saban was head coach at Michigan State from 1995-99, going 2-3 vs. Penn State. He is a 1973 and '75 graduate of Kent State University.

#### **SCOUTING THE CRIMSON TIDE**

Alabama visits Happy Valley for the first time since 1989 to complete a home-and-home series between the national powers. The teams were originally scheduled to meet during the 2004 and '05 seasons, but the series was postponed at Alabama's request in 2003.

Ranked No. 2 in the nation, Alabama embarked on its quest for a second national championship in three years last week, belting Kent State, 48-7, at Bryant-Denny Stadium.

The Alabama defense was superb, limiting Kent



## NATION'S TOP RECORDS

SINCE 2005			
1.	Boise State	71-9	.888
2.	TCU	66-12	.846
3.	Florida	66-15	.815
4.	Texas	64-15	.810
	USC	64-15	.810
6.	LSU	63-17	.788
7.	West Virginia	61-17	.782
8.	Virginia Tech	64-18	.782
9.	Oklahoma	63-19	.768
10.	Wisconsin	60-19	.759
11.	PENN STATE	59-19	.756

State to just six first downs and 90 total yards. The Crimson Tide recorded seven tackles for loss, with four sacks, to limit the Golden Flashes to minus-nine rushing yards on 23 carries. Alabama had eight pass break-ups and grabbed one interception.

The Crimson Tide offense amassed 482 yards, including 299 through the air, recorded 24 first downs, and tallied five rushing touchdowns versus the Golden Flashes.

Sophomore quarterback A.J. McCarron started the season opener, but he and freshman Phillip Sims both saw action. Each threw two interceptions but McCarron had the more productive day overall, completing 14-of-23 passes for 226 yards and a touchdown. Senior Marquis Maze stepped forward as the Tide's top receiving threat in game one, catching eight balls for 118 yards and one touchdown. Freshman DeAndrew White started opposite Maze, making four receptions for 44 yards in his first collegiate game.

The Alabama ground game is powered by junior running back Trent Richardson, who is on five preseason award watch lists. Playing with 2009 Heisman Trophy winner Mark Ingram in his first two seasons, Richardson rushed for 1,451 yards and 14 touchdowns averaging 5.6 yards per carry, the past two years. The Tide offensive line features two preseason All-American picks in Barrett Jones and William Vlachos.

Free safety Mark Barron and linebackers Dont'a Hightower and Courtney Upshaw headline the defense. Barron, who was named a first team preseason All-American by several different publications, recorded 75 total tackles and had three interceptions, two sacks, and one forced fumble in 2010. Hightower finished second on the team in tackles (69) a year ago while Upshaw led the Tide with 14.5 tackles for loss, seven sacks, and four forced fumbles.

Junior Jeremy Shelley and sophomore Cade Foster are listed atop the depth chart at kicker. In 2010, Foster handled the long distance field goals and the kickoffs while Shelley primarily attempted shorter distances and extra points. Cody Mandell is the punter. He averaged 39.2 yards per kick as a freshman last season.

#### **BOLDEN-ALABAMA TIE**

Penn State quarterback Rob Bolden's great uncle is former Alabama All-America cornerback Don McNeal. Bolden's maternal grandfather, Henry McNeal, is Don McNeal's brother.

In the epic 1979 Sugar Bowl between Penn Stateand Alabama, Don McNeal tackled Nittany Lion WR Scott Fitzkee after a completion just short of the goal linE on second-and-goal during the Crimson Tide's fourth quarter goal line stand, preserving Bama's 14-7 lead.

#### PREP TEAMMATES MEET:

A pair of former high school teammates will be opposite sidelines on Saturday:

- Penn State redshirt freshman DT Evan Hailes and Alabama redshirt freshman QB Phillip Sims attended Oscar F. Smith (Va.) High School.

#### **LAST MEETING**

Penn State turned the ball over three times inside the Alabama 30-yard-line and had four turnovers overall, and the No. 1 Crimson Tide posted a 24-3 win on Sept. 11, 2010 in Bryant-Denny Stadium.

In the first meeting between the national powers and old rivals since 1990, the Nittany Lions moved the ball against the Crimson Tide's Top 5 defense, but converted on only one of three Red Zone chances, getting a 36-yard field goal from Collin Wagner in the fourth quarter.

Alabama, which won its 16th consecutive game, led 17-0 at hafftime, But, in the second half, Penn State outgained the Tide, 152-121, had more first downs (10-6) and earned a slight edge in overall time of possession.

In his first road game, quarterback Rob Bolden was 13 of 29 for 144 yards, with two interceptions.

With Alabama leading 7-0 in the first quarter, Bolden connected with Derek Moye on a beautiful 31-yard strike to the UA 22. But, on third down, Bolden was hit as he threw and the Tide intercepted at the 3 to stop the drive and begin their own 97-yard scoring drive.

Sophomore WR Devon Smith set career-highs with five catches for 47 yards and Moye had a gamehigh 69 receiving yards on three catches. Bolden was not sacked for the second straight week.

Cornerback D'Anton Lynn made nine tackles, safety Nick Sukay had eight stops and DT Jordan Hill made a career-best seven hits. The Lions had three minus-yardage plays to Alabama's one.

#### **PENN STATE-ALABAMA SERIES HIGHLIGHTS:**

**0ct. 27, 1990** - The Penn State defense forced six Alabama turnovers as the Nittany Lions blanked the Crimson Tide, 9-0 on Oct. 27, 1990 in Bryant-Denny Stadium.

The Nittany Lions got all their points off the strong right foot of freshman kicker Craig Fayak. Fayak stuck field goals from 34, 50 and 34 yards, respectively. The Nittany Lions held the Tide to just six net yards rushing, the poorest output for an Alabama team since the football program had began in 1892.

Safety Darren Perry led the way for the Nittany Lions as he registered two interceptions. Penn State garnered just 201 yards of offense, but held Alabama to 141

Oct. 28, 1989 – Had it not been for Alabama's Thomas Rayam, the second largest crowd in Beaver Stadium history at the time would have left with nothing but fond memories of the clash between the No. 6 Crimson Tide and the No. 14 Nittany Lions. Rayan foiled an otherwise ideal finish by getting his hand on Ray Tarasi's fourth field goal try of the afternoon and the Penn State hopes were rejected as the Tide survived, 17-16. Penn State registered 296 yards of offense and additionally won the turnover battle, 4-2.

Oct. 22, 1988 – The Alabama defense smothered the Penn State offense and carried the Crimson Tide to an 8-3 victory in a game in which neither team scored a touchdown. Alabama linebacker Derrick Thomas registered eight tackles, twice dropped Lion runners behind the line of scrimmage, broke up a pair of pass attempts and sacked Penn State's Tony Saca three times, including once for a safety. With Thomas's disruptive play, the Nittany Lions failed to get any flow in their offense, which accounted for a season-low 169 yards of offense.

## **2011 HONORS**

#### **Drew Astorino, Safety**

Athlon Sports Second Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### **Quinn Barham, Tackle**

Athlon Sports Third Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### **Jack Crawford. Defensive End**

Phil Steele's Third Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### Anthony Fera, Punter

Athlon Sports Second Team pre-season All-Big Ten
Phil Steele's Third Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### **Gerald Hodges, Linebacker**

Phil Steele's Second Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### D'Anton Lynn, Cornerback

Phil Steele's Third Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### Michael Mauti, Linebacker

**Butkus Award Watch List** 

Nagurski Trophy Watch List

Athlon Sports First Team pre-season All-Big Ten

ESPN.com First Team pre-season All-Big Ten

Phil Steele's First Team pre-season All-Big Ten

Sporting News First Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### **Derek Moye, Wide Receiver**

Biletnikoff Award Watch List

Athlon Sports First Team pre-season All-Big Ten ESPN.com First Team pre-season All-Big Ten Phil Steele's First Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### **Chaz Powell, Cornerback/Kick Returner**

Big Ten Special Teams Player of Week vs. ISU (Co)

#### Silas Redd, Tailback

BTN Player of the Game vs. Indiana State
Athlon Sports Third Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### **Devon Smith, Punt Returner/Wide Receiver**

Athlon Sports Second Team pre-season All-Big Ten
Phil Steele's Second Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### **Devon Still, Defensive Tackle**

Athlon Sports Third Team pre-season All-Big Ten Phil Steele's Third Team pre-season All-Big Ten

#### **Nate Stupar, Linebacker**

Lowe's Senior CLASS Award candidate

#### **Nick Sukay, Safety**

Phil Steele's Third Team pre-season All-Big Ten



## **NATIONAL RANKINGS**

4D TOD OF		
AP TOP 25		
1 Oklahoma (32)	1-0	1448
2 LSU (17)	1-0	1415
3 Alabama (9)	1-0	1409
4 Boise State (2)	1-0	1310
5 Florida State	1-0	1196
6 Stanford	1-0	1154
7 Texas A&M	1-0	1033
8 Wisconsin	1-0	1031
9 Oklahoma State	1-0	981
10 Nebraska	1-0	947
11 Virginia Tech	1-0	906
12 South Carolina	1-0	843
13 Oregon	0-1	828
14 Arkansas	1-0	752
15 Ohio State	1-0	606
16 Mississippi State	1-0	594
17 Michigan State	1-0	530
18 Florida	1-0	382
19 West Virginia	1-0	357
20 Baylor	1-0	284
21 Missouri	1-0	242
22 South Florida	1-0	221
23 Penn State	1-0	147
24 Texas	1-0	135
25 TCU	0-1	130
Others: Arizona State	119,	Auburn

85, USC 69, Georgia 52, North-

western 40.

	USA TODAY/ESPN	TOP 2	5
1	Oklahoma (43)	1-0	1454
2	Alabama (9)	1-0	1412
3	LSU (7)	1-0	1366
4	Florida State	1-0	1198
5	Boise State	1-0	1197
6	Stanford	1-0	1180
7	Oklahoma State	1-0	1038
8	Texas A&M	1-0	997
9	Wisconsin	1-0	988
10	Nebraska	1-0	910
11	Virginia Tech	1-0	863
12	South Carolina	1-0	827
13	Arkansas	1-0	786
14	Oregon	0-1	752
15	Ohio State	1-0	686
16	Michigan State	1-0	584
17	Mississippi State	1-0	497
18	Florida	1-0	375
19	Missouri	1-0	309
20	Penn State	1-0	247
21	Texas	1-0	231
22	Auburn	1-0	197
23	Arizona State	1-0	189
24	West Virginia	1-0	185
25	TCU	0-1	140
Oth	hers: Baylor 117,	South	Florida
97	, Iowa 44, Utah 42	2, Geor	gia 35,
Но	uston 31, Northwe	estern 3	80,



## PENN STATE IN THE RANKINGSDateAPCOACHESPreseasonNR#25Sept. 6#23#20

# PENN STATE FOOTBALL STUDENT-ATHLETES EARN TOP 10% GRADUATION RATE AMONG FBS TEAMS

The Penn State football team produced another superb academic performance, according to the NCAA Graduation Rates Report, released in October 2010.

Penn State was among the top 10 percent nationally and owned the Big Ten Conference's No. 2 Graduation Success Rate (GSR), according to the NCAA.

Penn State football student-athletes that enrolled in the University from 2000-03 earned a Graduation Success Rate of 84 percent, tied for No. 12 among the nation's 120 Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) institutions. Penn State's 84 percent GSR was significantly higher than the 67 percent FBS average and was second to Northwestern among Big Ten Conference institutions, according to the NCAA.

Coach Joe Paterno's Nittany Lions earned the No. 8 GSR score among institutions that play in a Bowl Championship Series automatic qualifying conference.

Penn State football student-athletes that enrolled in the University from 2000-03 earned a four-year federal graduation rate of 77 percent, also No. 2 to Northwestern among Big Ten squads. The Nittany Lions' 77 percent graduation figure was 22 points above the 55 percent FBS average, according to the NCAA

The Graduation Success Rate data includes only student-athletes receiving athletic aid and is generated from four years of graduation data. The GSR data also includes student-athlete transfers to Penn State that receive athletic aid.

In 2009, the Penn State football team earned the highest GSR and federal graduation rate among teams ranked in the final 2009 Associated Press Top 25 poll.

Nittany Lion football student-athletes that enrolled in the University in the fall of 2002 earned a federal graduation rate of 89 percent, which was 34 points above the 55 percent FBS average, according to the NCAA.

The Nittany Lions also led all AP Top 25 teams with a program record 85 percent Graduation Success Rate. Penn State's 85 percent Graduation Success Rate was significantly higher than the 67 percent FBS average and was second to Northwestern among Big Ten Conference institutions, according to the NCAA.

Sept. 12, 1987 – Tailback Bobby Humphrey slashed through the Penn State defense for 220 yards, including a 73-yard touchdown to help No. 19 Alabama earn a 24-13 victory over No. 11 Penn State in Beaver Stadium. Penn State had streaks of 13 straight victories, 23 regular season triumphs and 15 wins in a row at home ended by the loss, the first for the Lions since the 1986 Orange Bowl. Penn State managed just 88 yards rushing in the game.

Oct. 25, 1986 – Quarterback John Shaffer was at his best along with the Penn State defense as the No. 6 Nittany Lions surprised previously-undefeated and second-ranked Alabama, 23-3, at Bryant-Denny Stadium. It was just the 13th loss for the Tide since the stadium opened in 1929.

Shaffer posted the best single-game completion percentage of his Penn State career as he hit 13 of 17 passes for 168 yards. D.J. Dozier and Blair Thomas scored the Lion touchdowns on 19 and three-yard runs, respectively.

**0ct. 12, 1985** – The No. 8 Nittany Lions clipped the No. 10 Crimson Tide, 19-17 in Beaver Stadium. Trailing 7-6 at halftime, Penn State was able to battle back and outscore Alabama, 13-10, in the second half to secure the narrow victory. The Nittany Lion offense accumulated 403 yards of offense, which was led by D.J. Dozier's 85 yards on the ground. Massimo Manca connected on field goals of 38, 44, 50 and 20 yards.

**0ct. 13, 1984** – In a game that featured superlative defensive play, the Crimson Tide captured a 6-0 victory in Tuscaloosa. With no scoring occurring in the first three quarters,

Alabama kicked field goals of 53 and 23 yards to lock down the win. Alabama was held to 55 yards on the ground while Penn State tallied just 40. Alabama won the turnover battle. 2-1.

**0ct. 8, 1983** – Penn State played near-perfect football for three quarters and then held off a furious Alabama rally in the final quarter to score a 34-28 upset over the No. 3- ranked

Crimson Tide in front of 85,614 Beaver Stadium fans.

The Lions held a commanding 31-7 lead after three quarters, but Alabama never gave up, as it had the ball on its own 49 with 2:56 remaining, trailing by six. Alabama moved the ball down to the 12-yard line after completing four straight passes. After the Tide pounded the ball down to the two-yard line, Greg Gattuso and Mark Fruehan stopped tailback Kerry Goode for no gain as time expired.

Oct. 9, 1982 – Penn State's hopes of an unbeaten season were dashed abruptly in a 3:14 period in the fourth quarter, as No. 4 Alabama earned a 42-21 victory at Legion Field in Birmingham, Ala. The Crimson Tide had taken a 21-7 half-time lead, but the No. 3 Nittany Lions marched back into contention with a pair of second half touchdowns to cut the lead to 24-21 with just under 14 minutes to play. However, a 47-yard field goal, a 7-yard run and a 31-yard interception return helped seal the win for Alabama. Penn State out gained the Tide, 429-334.

Penn State bounced back from the loss to win its last six regular season games and beat No. 1 Georgia in the Sugar Bowl to capture its first National Championship.

**Nov. 4, 1981** – No. 6 Alabama scored 17 points in the final six minutes of the second quarter to take a 31-16 victory in front of a record Beaver Stadium crowd of 85,133. Trailing 24-3 at halftime, No. 5 Penn State had a chance to cut into the lead. The Lions took the opening kickoff of the second half and drove to the Alabama one-yard line in 15 plays. Penn State had seven plays inside the four, but failed to score, helping to secure a victory for the Crimson Tide.

Jan. 1, 1979 – A goal-line stand by Alabama was the pivotal series of plays in depriving Penn State of its first national championship, in a 14-7 loss in the Sugar Bowl. The top-ranked Lions, who went 11-0 during the regular season, twice came up short from inside the one-yard line as No. 2 Alabama hung on to win the game and the national title. With Penn State trailing 7-0, Pete Harris intercepted a Jeff Rut-



#### NCAA LEADERS IN VICTORIES

1. Michigan	885	
2. Texas	851	
3. Notre Dame	845	
4. Nebraska	838	
5. Ohio State	820	
6. PENN STATE	819	
7. Oklahoma	812	
8. Alabama	803	

ledge pass to set up a Chuck Fusina 17-yard pass to Scott Fitzkee to tie the game in the third quarter. However, Alabama's Major Ogilvie's eight-yard TD run gave the Crimson Tide a 14-7 lead, which would be maintained for the remainder of the game.

**Dec. 31, 1975** – No. 8 Penn State and No. 4 Alabama made history in the first Sugar Bowl played in the newly-constructed Louisiana Superdome. The game was typical of the Nittany Lions' season, featuring outstanding defense and kicking. Alabama managed the only touchdown of the game, a 14-yard run by Mike Stock in the third quarter, to pull out a 13-6 victory. Penn State placekicker Chris Bahr accounted for all the Nittany Lions' scoring with a 42-yard field goal in the third period and a 37-yarder in the final quarter. The Lions gained just 214 yards of total offense.

**Dec. 19, 1959** – Penn State scored on a fake field goal play to upset No. 10 Alabama, 7-0, in the inaugural Liberty Bowl in Philadelphia. The play came in the final seconds of the first half with Galen Hall passing 18 yards to Roger Kochman for the score. Directed by quarterback Richie Lucas, the Maxwell Award winner and Heisman Trophy runner-up, the Nittany Lions' offense and defense were superb, as Penn State out-gained Coach Bear Bryant's team, 310-131.

#### **NINE GRADUATES ON ROSTER**

Penn State boasts nine players on the 2011 roster that have already graduated.

The nine Nittany Lions that have graduated are either enrolled in a second undergraduate degree or are taking graduate level courses.

The following Nittany Lions have graduated: safety Drew Astorino, tackle Quinn Barham, defensive end Eric Latimore, tackle Chima Okoli, linebacker Nate Stupar, running back Joe Suhey, safety Nick Sukay, tight end Andrew Szczerba and guard Johnnie Troutman.

#### **POSITION CHANGES**

Among the Penn State players who have changed position since last season are: Nate Cadogan (TE to T), Brian Irvin (DE to TE) and Evan Lewis (WR to PK).

#### **NEW NUMBERS**

Several Nittany Lions have changed numbers since last season, including: Shane McGregor (2),

#### **NUMEROUS BEAVER STADIUM IMPROVEMENTS AWAIT FANS**

Penn State fans will see several significant upgrades at Beaver Stadium that have taken place during the off-season.

#### The most significant changes to the venerable facility include:

- A new entry gate Gate F on the East side of the stadium near Gate A;
- More than 100 new locations for ADA patrons and companion seating on the East and West sides;
- Paving work on the field level concourse in the East, West and North sides of the stadium will provide a smoother and level surface for fans;
- A total of eight new restroom facilities, which are ADA-accessible, have been constructed in the East, West and North sides on the field level concourse;
- Improved drainage in seating areas

The changes and improvements to Beaver Stadium began as soon as the 2010 season ended and were completed in two phases, according to Associate Athletic Director Mark Bodenschatz. The first phase ended the week prior to the Blue-White Game and the second phase will wrap-up in time for Football Eve on Friday, Sept. 2 and the Nittany Lions' 125th season opener the next day.

The new entry - Gate F - is located near Gate A on the East side of the stadium. Designed to accommodate 6,000-8,000 patrons, Gate F will be a tremendous asset on gamedays, allowing some fans who sit on the East side and previously have entered at Gate E, a smoother entry into the stadium. Penn State students will continue to enter Beaver Stadium at Gate A.

The most noticeable changes inside the stadium have occurred in the lower sections of the East, West and North seating areas. In the East and West, the first three rows of seats from goal line to goal line were removed and replaced with five large, pre-cast sections that will permit additional ADA spectators and companions to watch the Nittany Lions from a great vantage point. The pre-cast sections are approximately eight feet wide, to allow spectator traffic flow with the new ADA and companion seating.

Also in the East and West stands, vomitory ramps have been improved to allow for increased and easier access by ADA patrons to the new seating areas.

Fans will also notice significant changes on the North side of the stadium. The Section NF vomitory ramp has been modified with a gentler slope to permit ADA spectators to enter the North field level seats from Section NF, rather than the visiting team tunnel. A total of eight new ADA-accessible restroom facilities have been constructed in the East, West and North sides on the field level concourse.

Bodenschatz said 101 new ADA seats, as well as 101 companion seats, will be available for the upcoming season. With the ADA improvements, the Beaver Stadium capacity for the 2011 season will be 106,572, to remain the nation's second-largest stadium.

Additional work has been done in a number of areas in the stadium, according to Bodenschatz. The work includes new storm water lines, allowing rain to be captured and re-directed at higher points in the stadium. Trenches, some 8-10 feet deep, were dug in the lower concourse to house the storm water drainage, as well as new water and sanitary lines. With the new lines in place, approximately 50 percent of the field level concourse surface area has been repaived since the end of last season.

Another completed stadium project includes consolidating the storage areas for the field maintenance staff and stadium concessions with new facilities in the North end of the stadium. Electrical work, painting of the east side seats in rows 1-60, new carpeting in the Penn State locker room and painting in the press box on the west side of the stadium also has been completed.

Bodenschatz also said that design and planning are underway for the installation of new video scoreboards to be In place for the 2012 season.

## PENN STATE RECORD WHEN:

Overall Record	1-0
Day Games	1-0
Night Games (6 p.m. or later)	0-0
TV Games	
ABC	0-0
ESPN	0-0
ESPN2	0-0
ESPNU	0-0
BTN	1-0
Scoring First	1-0
Opponent Scoring First	0-0
Leading at the Half	1-0
Trailing at the Half	0-0
Tied at the Half	0-0
Leading after Third Qt.	1-0
Trailing after Third Qt.	0-0
Tied after Third Qt.	0-0
Overtime Games	0-0
Scoring less than 20 pts	0-0
Scoring 20+ points	0-0
Scoring 30+ points	0-0
Scoring 40+ points	1-0
Allowing 10 points or less	1-0
Allowing 20 points or less	0-0
Allowing 21+ points	0-0
Allowing 30+ points	0-0
Rushing for less than 100 yds	0-0
Rushing for over 100 yds	0-0
Rushing for 200+ yds	1-0
Rushing for 300+ yds	0-0
Passing for less than 200 yds	1-0
Passing for 200 + yds	0-0
Passing for 300+ yds	0-0
Totaling less than 300 yds total offense	0-0
300+ yds of total offense	1-0
400+ yds of total offense	0-0
500+ yds of total offense	0-0
Allowing less than 100 yds rushing	1-0
Allowing more than 100 yds rushing	0-0
Allowing less than 300 yds total offense	1-0
Allowing 300+ yds total offense	0-0
Having a 100-yd rusher	1-0
Having two 100-yd rushers	0-0
Not having a 100-yd rusher	0-0
Opp. has a 100-yd rusher	0-0
No turnovers	1-0
Less than 3 turnovers	0-0
3+ turnovers	0-0
No takeaways	0-0
1 or more takeaways	0-0
3 or more takeaways	1-0
More than 30:00 of possession	1-0
Less than 30:00 of possession	0-0

#### WINS VS. LOSSES (AVG.)

TITLE TO LOUGED (ATO)					
PSU	Wins	Losses			
Points Scored	41	0			
Total Offense	359.0	0			
First Downs	21.0	0			
Rushing Yards	245.0	0			
Passing Yards	114.0	0			
Time of Possession	32:09	0			
3rd Down Conv. Pct.	2 of 10	0			
Points Allowed	7.0	0			
Yards Allowed	170.0	0			
Rushing Yds Allowed	65.0	0			
Passing Yds Allowed	105.0	0			



## **NEARLY 40 NITTANY LIONS** ON NFL ROSTERS AS OF AUG. 27

(PRO SEASON IN PARENTHESIS)

A total of 39 Penn State football alumni were populating the rosters of 23 NFL teams in training camps as of August 27. The Nittany Lions annually are in the top 15 nationally among schools in producing current NFL players.

The Miami Dolphins feature a league-high five former Nittany Lions on its roster, including All-Pros Larry Johnson and Cameron Wake, second-year players Jared Odrick and Mickey Shuler, and rookie Brett Brackett. Two NFL teams, the Oakland Raiders and the Seattle Seahawks, have three Penn Staters on their rosters.

Seven seniors from Penn State's 2010 squad are vying to make NFL squads as rookies, including draft choices Stefen Wisniewski (Oakland Raiders) and Evan Royster (Washington Redskins) and free agent signees Brackett, Chris Colasanti (Indianapolis Colts), Lou Eliades (Oakland Raiders), Bani Gbadyu (Oakland Raiders) and Ollie Ogbu (Indianapolis Colts).

Quarterback Kerry Collins signed with the Indianapolis Colts in August to add a new chapter to what is now a distinguished 17-year professional career. New York Giants offensive tackle Kareem McKenzie is entering his 11th season and Pittsburgh Steelers' tight end John Gilmore is in his 10th season. McKenzie has blocked for five NFL running backs that rushed for more than 1,000 yards in a season and won a Super Bowl ring in 2005.

More than 360 Nittany Lions have signed NFL contracts under Paterno's tutelage. The Hall of Fame coach has seen 247 of his players drafted by NFL squads, including 33 first round draft choices. Miami selected All-America defensive tackle Jared Odrick in the first round of the 2010 NFL Draft. Four Nittany Lions have been first round draft choices in the past six NFL drafts.

A total of 26 Penn State Football student-athletes have been drafted since 2006, including 13 in the first three

Penn State has had at least one alumnus on a Super Bowl team in 40 of 45 title games, including 2011 when Andrew Quarless won an NFL title in his rookie season with the Green Bay Packers. Thirty-three former Nittany Lions have earned a total of 49 Super Bowl rings.

#### Former Nittany Lions in 2011 NFL training camps (pro season in parentheses):

Arizona Cardinals - Levi Brown (5) Buffalo Bills - Bryan Scott (9)

Carolina Panthers - Dan Connor (4)

Chicago Bears - Anthony Adams (9), Robbie Gould (7)

Cleveland Browns - Jordan Norwood (3), Scott Paxson (4)

Dallas Cowboys - Sean Lee (2) Detroit Lions - Derrick Williams (3)

Green Bay Packers - Andrew Quarless (2)

Indianapolis Colts - Chris Colasanti (1), Kerry Collins (17),

Ollie Oabu (1)

Jacksonville Jaguars - Paul Posluszny (5)

Kansas City Chiefs - Tamba Hali (6)

Miami Dolphins - Brett Brackett (1), Larry Johnson (9),

Mickey Shuler (2), Cameron Wake (3), Jared Odrick (2) New England Patriots - Rich Ohrnberger (3)

New York Giants - Jimmy Kennedy (9),

Kareem McKenzie (11)

New York Jets - Dennis Landolt (2), Aaron Maybin (3) Oakland Raiders - Lou Eliades (1), Bani Gbadyu (1),

Stefen Wisniewski (1)

Philadelphia Eagles -  $\acute{A}$ .Q. Shipley (3)

Pittsburgh Steelers - Jeremy Kapinos (4), John Gilmore (11)

San Francisco 49ers - Navorro Bowman (2)

Seattle Seahawks - Jay Alford (5), Deon Butler (3),

Michael Robinson (6)

St. Louis Rams - Josh Hull (2), Justin King (4)

Tennessee Titans - Tim Shaw (5)

Washington Redskins - Evan Royster (1)

#### **SEVEN FORMER NITTANY LIONS ON NFL COACHING STAFFS**

Seven former Nittany Lions are patrolling the sidelines as part of NFL coaching staffs in 2011, including Mike Munchak, the first-year head coach of the Tennessee Titans.

The list of Penn Staters who are NFL assistant coaches includes: Gary Brown (Cleveland Browns), Sam Gash (Detroit Lions), Ron Heller (Jacksonville Jaguars), John McNulty (Arizona Cardinals), Darren Perry (Green Bay Packers), and Michael Zordich (Philadelphia Eagles).

Former six-year Penn State assistant Jim Caldwell is entering his third season as head coach of the Indianapolis Colts after leading the franchise to Super Bowl XLIV in his first year.

Stephen Obeng-Agaypong (7), Kevin Haplea (10), Garrett Venuto (14), Ryan Scherer (16), Ryan Keiser (23), Brad Bars (31), Nate Cadogan (70), Shawney Kersey (81), Brian Irvin (82).

#### **TOUGH IN TIGHT GAMES**

Penn State is 100-53-3 under Joe Paterno in games decided by seven points or less, winning 38 of 61 since starting Big Ten play in 1993.

#### LIONS LEAD NATION IN UNBEATEN **REGULAR SEASONS SINCE 1966**

Joe Paterno has led Penn State to seven unbeaten, untied regular seasons since becoming head coach in 1966, the most of any team in the

The Nittany Lions have earned five unbeaten, untied seasons under Paterno (1968, '69, '73, '86, '94), with two teams (1978, '85) losing in national championship bowl games.

#### 7 - PENN STATE

6 - Alabama, Miami (Fla.), Nebraska, Ohio St., Texas

5 - Oklahoma

#### **LIONS OWN NATION'S THIRD-BEST MARK SINCE 1950**

It should come as no surprise that Penn State has the nation's third-best record since Joe Paterno joined the coaching staff in 1950.

Ohio State is the leader with a 498-154-15 mark (75.8), followed by Oklahoma (532-166-12, 75.7), Penn State (506-183-7, 73.2), Nebraska (518-192-9, 72.6) and Texas (501-195-10, 71.6).

#### **SEVEN BOWL TEAMS ON SLATE**

The Nittany Lions will face seven teams that played in bowl games last year, including four at home. Among the teams coming to Beaver Stadium this fall are 2010 bowl teams: Alabama (Capital One), Iowa (Insight), Illinois (Texas) and Nebraska (Holiday). Penn State also will face three bowl teams on the road in Northwestern (Ticket City), Ohio State (Sugar) and Wisconsin (Rose).

#### **BIG TEN WELCOMES NEBRASKA**

Penn State's 19th season of Big Ten competition will bring the most significant changes in the conference's 116 years. Nebraska officially joined the Big Ten on July 1, 2011 and begins football play this fall, with the 12 institutions split into the Leaders and Legends Divisions.

The Nittany Lions are in the Leaders Division with Illinois, Indiana, Ohio State, Purdue and Wisconsin and will play their division foes every season, as well as protected crossover opponent Nebraska. Penn State will play two other teams from the Legends Division each season on a rotating basis, with Iowa and Northwestern set for the 2011 and '12 seasons. Michigan, Michigan State and Minnesota are the other Legends Division members, with the Wolverines and Golden Gophers rotating back onto to the Nittany Lions' schedule in 2013

Penn State leads the Nebraska series, 7-6, and the squads will be meeting for the first time since 2003. The Huskers last visited Beaver Stadium in 2002.

#### **BIG TEN DIVISIONS (FOOTBALL ONLY):**

Leaders Division: Illinois, Indiana, Ohio State, Penn State, Purdue and Wisconsin

Legends Division: Iowa, Michigan, Michigan State, Minnesota, Nebraska and Northwestern

#### **BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP GAME DEC. 3**

The winners of the Leaders and Legends Divisions will play in the inaugural Big Ten Championship Game in primetime on Saturday, Dec. 3 at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis. Fox Sports is the official television partner of the 2011-16 Big Ten Championship games. The contest will kick at 8:00 p.m. ET.

Lucas Oil Stadium, home of the NFL's Indianapolis Colts, will be the site for the 2011-16 Big Ten Championship Games.

The winner of the Big Ten Championship Game will either play in the Rose Bowl Game or Bowl Championship Series National Championship Game.

#### **STAGG-PATERNO CHAMPIONSHIP** TROPHY AWARDED TO BIG TEN WINNER

The winning team in the Big Ten Football Championship Game will earn the Stagg-Paterno Championship Trophy. The trophy pays homage to Paterno and Amos Alonzo Stagg, who won 199 games at University of Chicago when the Maroons were Big Ten members.

Paterno ranks fifth among Big Ten coaches all-time with 155 wins since the Nittany Lions began conference play in 1993. Stagg's win total is second-highest total in Big Ten history.

#### **NITTANY LIONS RETURN EXPERIENCED SQUAD**

It was a productive and challenging eight months for the Nittany Lions since concluding the 2010 season by falling to Florida in the Outback

Hall of Fame coach Joe Paterno is leading a squad that returned 15 starters and 41 letterwinners from last year, in addition to 16 players with starting experience. A total of 44 letterwinners returned, including TB Brandon Beachum, WR Curtis Drake and TE Andrew Szczerba, who missed the 2010 season with injuries.

Seven starters are back on offense and seven on defense, along with punter Alex Butterworth.

The 16 additional returning players that had made starts had a combined total of 83 amongst them entering the season.

#### **FIVE RETURNEES EARNED ALL-BIG TEN** RECOGNITION

Among the returnees are five Nittany Lions who earned honorable All-Big Ten recognition in 2010: senior safety Drew Astorino, senior tackle Quinn Barham, senior cornerback D'Anton Lynn, senior wide receiver Derek Moye and senior defensive tackle Devon Still.



#### **CLASS BREAKDOWN**

5th Year Seniors	8
4th Year Seniors	9
Juniors	27
Sophomores	34
Red-shirt Freshmen	18
True-Freshmen	29
Total Roster	116
Upperclassmen	44 (38%)
Underclassmen	72 (62%)

## NATION'S NO. 2 BOWL WINNING PERCENTAGE

The Nittany Lions are 27-14-2 overall in bowl games, with their 65.1 winning percentage second in the nation among schools that have at least 20 bowl appearances. Penn State trails only USC, which has a 32-16 (66.7) post-season mark.

Penn State ranks No. 3 in the nation with its 27 bowl wins and No. 8 with 43 appearances.

#### **BOWL LEADER AMONG BIG TEN TEAMS**

Penn State leads all Big Ten institutions in bowl victories (27), appearances (43) and winning percentage (65.1). The Nittany Lions are 10-4 in post-season contests since starting Big Ten competition in 1993, winning four of their last six bowl games, including three New Year's games (FedEx Orange, Outback, Capital One).

#### AMONG BEST IN BCS AND NEW YEAR'S BOWLS

Over the past six years, the Nittany Lions have won two Big Ten Championships, won four bowl games and played in five New Year's or Bowl Championship Series (BCS) games, the nation's third-highest total.

Joe Paterno has led Penn State to 25 New Year's or BCS contests, earning a 17-8 record.

## 15 OF TOP 20 HOME CROWDS LAST SIX YEARS

Penn State has drawn 15 of its top 20 all-time home crowds since 2005 to Beaver Stadium, which was expanded for the seventh time under Coach Joe Paterno prior to the 2001 season

The Nittany Lions have won 38 of their last 44 home games (86.4) since 2005, dating to the Senior Day win over Michigan State in 2004.

#### **FIVE BIG TEN NEW YEAR'S BOWL GAMES**

The Big Ten's post-season lineup for the 2010-13 seasons includes six bowl games to be featured annually on or around New Year's Eve and New Year's Day, including five contests on Jan. 1.

With New Year's Day falling on Sunday in 2012, five Big Ten bowls will be played on Monday, January 2, 2012.

In 2009, the conference announced four-year bowl extensions with the Capital One (vs. SEC), Outback (SEC) and Insight (Big 12) and new four-year bowl agreements with the Gator, Texas and TicketCty Classic. The Big Ten is in the midst of an eight-year extension with the Rose Bowl through the 2013 season. This Big Ten bowl lineup will run concurrently with the latest Bowl Championship Series contract.

The Big Ten's 2010-13 bowl lineup begins on December 30 with the Insight Bowl in Tempe against a Big 12 opponent, followed by six more post-season contests played on New Year's Eve and New Year's Day. The Meineke Care Care of Texas Bowl will be played on December 31, followed by five more conference bowl games over a roughly nine-hour period on Jan. 2, including the TicketCity Classic (vs. Big 12/Conference USA), Capital One Bowl, Outback Bowl,

## PENN STATE STUDENT-ATHLETES EARN RECORD 90 PERCENT GRADUATION SUCCESS RATE

Penn State Penn State student-athletes continue to graduate well above their peers nationwide, earning record-setting academic performances, according to statistical information released in October, 2010 by the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA).

The NCAA's annual study of institutions nationwide revealed that Penn State student-athletes at the University Park campus earned a record Graduation Success Rate (GSR) of 90 percent compared to a 79 percent average for all Division I institutions for students entering from 2000-01 through 2003-04. The 90 percent figure was second to Northwestern (97) among Big Ten Conference institutions. Penn State's previous record was 89 percent from the 2008 and 2009 NCAA reports.

This is the 20th release of institutional graduation rates since national "right-to-know" legislation was passed in 1990. In 2005, the NCAA Division I Committee on Academic Performance implemented the initial release of the team GSR data.

The GSR is the NCAA's more inclusive calculation of student-athlete academic success. The NCAA rate is more accurate than the federally mandated methodology because it includes incoming transfers and students enrolling in the spring semester who receive athletic aid and graduate and deletes from the calculation student-athletes who leave an institution and were academically eligible to compete. The federal rate does neither.

In addition to releasing each institution's overall four-year Graduation Success Rate, the NCAA also released the federal graduation rates for students and student-athletes as it has for the past 20 years.

The four-year federal graduation rate average for University Park student-athletes was 80 percent, significantly higher than the national average of 64 percent, and second to Northwestern (88) among Big Ten schools. The four-year average for University Park students was 85 percent, also far exceeding the 62 percent rate for all students nationwide.

Among the 2003-04 entering freshman class, 76 percent of Penn State student-athletes earned degrees within six years, well above than the 64 percent for all Division I institutions. Penn State's 76 percent figure was third-highest among Big Ten schools, trailing only Northwestern (91) and Michigan (80). The graduation rate for all Penn State students was 85 percent in the entering class of 2003-04.

The NCAA data revealed that student-athletes from 23 of Penn State's 25 teams (track/cross country teams combined) earned a Graduation Success Rate at or above the national GSR average of 79 percent. Eight Penn State squads earned a Graduation Success Rate of 100 percent and 20 of 25 Nittany Lion teams earned a GSR higher than or equal to the national average for their respective sport.

Other highlights from the NCAA Graduation Rates Report:

- Penn State's four-year federal graduation rate for African-American student-athletes was 75 percent, marking the 20th consecutive year the Nittany Lions topped the Division I national average (53 percent). The 87 percent GSR figure for Penn State African-American student-athletes was a school record and was 24 points higher than the national average.

- The Penn State Football (84 percent compared to 67), Nittany Lion Basketball (86 to 65 percent) and Lady Lion Basketball (100 to 83 percent) teams all earned four-year Graduation Success Rates higher than the national average for their sport. Coach Ed De Chellis' Nittany Lions ranked third in the Big Ten with their 86 percent GSR score. Coach Coquese Washington's Lady Lions were tied for first in the Big Ten with their 100 percent GSR average (see below).

The 84 percent GSR figure for Coach Joe Paterno's Nittany Lion football program was one point off last year's school record and second to Northwestern among all Big Ten Conference football teams. Penn State earned a 77 percent four-year federal graduation rate for student-athletes entering school in 2003-04, also second to Northwestern among Big Ten football teams.

and Gator Bowl (vs. SEC) and the Rose Bowl Game.

#### **SECOND IN BIG TEN VICTORIES SINCE 1993**

Penn State will be playing its 19th season as members of the Big Ten Conference this fall. Since 1993, the Nittany Lions are second in the Big Ten in overall victories with a 155-68 record. Penn State is 90-54 in conference contests, trailing only Ohio State and Michigan.

#### 92nd HOMECOMING GAME

Purdue will provide the opposition for Penn State's 92nd Homecoming Game on Oct. 15. The Nittany Lions have an impressive 65-21-5 record in front of the alumni audience, with a 39-6 Homecoming record under Joe Paterno.

#### **MOYE A BILETNIKOFF AWARD CANDIDATE**

Senior standout Derek Moye (Rochester) is on the Watch List for the Biletnikoff Award, presented to the nation's top wide receiver. Penn State All-American Bobby Engram was the inaugural winner of the Biletnikoff Award in 1994.

A pre-season first team All-Big Ten honoree, Moye led the Nittany Lions in 2010 with 53 catches for 885 yards and eight touchdowns, catching at least one scoring strike in seven of the last eight games. Moye was named 2010 honorable mention all-conference

after averaging 16.7 yards per catch, which was second highest in the Big Ten. His 68.1-yard per game was good for fifth in the league.

Moye enters the season ranked ninth in Penn State annals with 108 receptions and 10th with 1,798 receiving yards. The former Rochester High School all-stater needs 18 catches and 209 yards to move into the top five in each category. The 6-5 Moye is on schedule to graduate in December.

## MAUTI A CANDIDATE FOR BUTKUS AWARD & NAGURSKI TROPHY

Redshirt junior linebacker Michael Mauti (Mandeville, La.) will be among the primary leaders for the defense and is on the Watch Lists for the Butkus Award and the Bronko Nagurksi Trophy. Earning 2011 pre-season first-team All-Big Ten recognition, Mauti finished fifth on the team with 67 tackles last year despite missing all or parts of four games last year with injuries.

The "Linebacker U." standout started seven games last year, recording 5.5 tackles for loss and two sacks. Mauti recorded a career-high 11 tackles, with 3.0 TFL, in the historic comeback win over Northwestern to earn Big Ten Co-Defensive Player of the Week accolades. The former Mandeville High



## **JOE PATERNO**

HEAD COACH • BROWN '50

46TH SEASON AT PENN STATE (402-135-3)

46TH SEASON OVERALL (402-135-3)

#### FIVE-TIME AFCA NATIONAL COACH-OF-THE-YEAR

**AII-TIME FBS LEADER IN WINS (402)** 

**ALL-TIME LEADER IN BOWL WINS (24)** 

COLLEGE FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME

## PATERNO BY THE NUMBERS

- 139,000: Square feet in Paterno Library, which opened in 1999
- 1.077: Penn State lettermen since 1966
- 885: Number of coaching changes in FBS/Div. I-A since 1966
- 693: Games coached as Penn State assistant or head coach (missed three games)
- 540: Games as head coach (second all-time)
- 506: Wins as member of staff (696 games; 505-183-7)
- 402: Career Wins (first all-time among FBS coaches)
- 400: Earned 400th win vs. Northwestern (35-21) on Nov. 6, 2010
- 350: Earned 350th win at Illinois (63-10) on Oct. 22, 2005
- 324: Broke Division I-A career wins mark with 324th win vs. Ohio State (29-27) on October 27, 2001
- 300: Earned 300th win vs. Bowling Green (48-3) on September 12, 1998
- 260: Academic All-Big Ten selections (since 1993-most in conf.)
- 253: Nittany Lions who have made NFL rosters
- 250: Earned 250th win at Iowa (31-0) on Sept. 18, 1993
- 247: Nittany Lions drafted by NFL teams
- 223: Wins in Beaver Stadium as head coach (223-43)
- 200: Earned 200th win vs. Bowling Green (45-19) on September 5, 1987
- 155: Wins since Penn State joined Big Ten in 1993
- 150: Earned 150th win at Pittsburgh (48-14) on November 28, 1981
- 100: Earned 100th win vs. NC State (41-20) on Nov. 6, 1976
- 84: Graduation Success Rate (2010 NCAA report)
- 69: Length of his game-winning punt return for Brown vs. Holy Cross in '49.
- 66: Different stadiums coached in as head coach
- 65: First team All-Americans (78 selections)
- 62: Years on Penn State staff
- 55: Squad members that earned 3.0 GPA or higher in Fall, 2008 semester
- 50: Earned 50th win vs. Maryland (63-27) on Nov. 6, 1971
- 47: Academic All-Americans
- 46: Years as head coach
- 41: Shutouts by Penn State
- 37: First team Academic All-Americans
- 37: Bowl trips as head coach (all-time leader)
- 36: Jersey number as QB-DB at Brown
- 35: Teams ranked in the final top 25
- 33: First round NFL draft choices
- 31: Longest unbeaten streak (30-0-1; 1967-70)
- 26: Father-son combinations coached since 1966
- 24: Bowl victories (all-time leader)
- 23: Teams ranked in the final top 10
- 23: Winning streak from 1968-70
- 21: Number of teams with at least 10 wins
- 18: NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship winners
- 17: Grandchildren
- 17: New Year's Day bowl wins
- 16: National Football Foundation Hall of Fame Scholar-Athletes
- 14: Interceptions made as Brown DB
- 9: Number of U.S. presidents since he became coach in 1966
- 8: Number of his players in College Football Hall of Fame
- 7: Unbeaten, untied regular seasons
- 7: Years had a team ranked No. 1
- 7: Beaver Stadium expansions since '66
- 5: Children
- 5: Unbeaten, untied seasons
- 4: He and wife, Sue, have given more than \$4 million to Penn State to endow scholarships, professorships and assist in facilities projects
- 2: National Championships
- 1: First win was 15-7 over Maryland on Sept. 17, 1966 before a

  Beaver Stadium crowd of 40 911

#### **NOTING HEAD COACH JOE PATERNO**

- 46th season as Penn State head coach and 62nd year as a member of the PSU coaching staff,
   Paterno has been on the sideline for 693 Penn State games. His 46 years in Happy Valley are a
   record for longevity among major college coaches at one school.
- First all-time in career victories among Football Bowl Subdivision (Division I-A) coaches. Became first FBS
  coach with 400 wins with 35-21 win over Northwestern on Nov. 6, 2010, as PSU erased 21-0 deficit
- Owns a career record of 402-135-3. His winning percentage of 74.7 was third-best among
- active FBS coaches entering the 2011 season (minimum 10 years as a I-A coach).
   Broke the record for career wins by a major college coach, passing Paul "Bear" Bryant, with his
- 324th victory in a thrilling 29-27 win over Ohio State on Oct. 27, 2001.
- Re-gained the lead for career wins by a major college coach, breaking a tie with Bobby Bowden, with his 376th victory, 45-3 over Temple on Sept. 20, 2008.
- Ranks second all-time in games coached (540) among major college coaches.
- Was selected to be among the first three active coaches or players to be inducted into the National Football Foundation College Hall of Fame in December 2006 (induction delayed to 2007).
- One of just nine coaches in NCAA history to record 300 wins (five in FBS), reaching the milestone faster than anyone (380 games). He is the only FBS coach with 300 wins at one school.
- Has directed Penn State to five unbeaten seasons (1968, '69, '73, '86, '94) and
- Has directed Penn State to five unbeaten seasons (1968, '69, '73, '86, '9 two national championships (1982, '86).
- Is the all-time leader among coaches in bowl appearances (37) and post-season triumphs (24). His overall post-season record of 24-12-1 gives him a winning percentage of 66.2, to rank No. 3 among the bowl season's best of all-time. Paterno is the only coach to win the four traditional New Year's Day games - the Rose, Sugar, Cotton and Orange Bowls - and the Fiesta Bowl.
- Unprecedented five-time AFCA Coach-of-the-Year selection (1968, '78, '82, '86 and 2005).
- Has coached 78 first-team All-Americans, including nine in the past six seasons.
- Under Paterno, Penn State has produced 16 Hall of Fame Scholar-Athletes, 37 first-team
- Academic All-Americans (47 overall) and 18 NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship winners
- His teams have 23 finishes in the Top 10 of the national rankings, 35 in the Top 25.
   Posted 11 or more victories in a season 15 times and 10 or more 21 times.
- Has coached more than 250 players who have made NFL rosters, 33 of them first-round draft
- choices, including a school record four first-round selections in the 2003 NFL Draft.
   Has coached players who have won all of the major college awards Heisman, Maxwell, Walter Camp, Butkus, Bednarik, Lombardi, O'Brien, Outland, Doak Walker, Biletnikoff and Rimington
- Eight of his former players (John Cappelletti, Keith Dorney, Jack Ham, Ted Kwalick, Lydell Mitchell, Dennis Onkotz, Mike Reid and Curt Warner) have been enshrined in the National Football
- Foundation College Hall of Fame.

  Three of his former players (Jack Ham, Franco Harris & Mike Munchak) have been enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame.
- Penn State's 260 Academic all-conference selections since joining the Big Ten in 1993 are the most of any
  league school.
- A 1950 graduate of Brown University where he played quarterback and defensive back on the football team and two seasons on the basketball team.
- Recipient of the Amos Alonzo Stagg Award, the AFCA's highest honor.
- Honored with his image on the Wheaties box in 2003.
- Sports Illustrated Sportsman-of-the-Year in 1986. Featured on the cover of SI during 2005 season.
- First active coach ever to recieve the Distinguished American award from the National Football
   Foundation and College Football Hall of Fame.
  - Inaugural winner of the State Farm Eddie Robinson Coach-of-the-Year Award in 1998.
- He and his wife, Sue, have contributed more than \$4 million to Penn State University.
- ◆ The Paternos pledged \$1 million for a new wing at the Mount Nittany Medical Center in 2009
- The 135,000-square foot Paterno Library, dedicated in 1999, on the Penn State campus is named after the
  Paternos and they also made significant contributions to build the Pasquerilla Spiritual Center,
  dedicated in 2003.
- Signed a three-year contract extension in December 2008.

Since being named Penn State head coach in 1966, there have been 885 head coaching changes at FBS schools, an average of six per school (includes 25 after 2010 season).



#### **NOTES ON COACH JOE PATERNO**

#### **62 YEARS IN HAPPY VALLEY**

Joe Paterno is in his 62nd season as a member of the Penn State coaching staff. He came to Penn State with new head coach Rip Engle before graduating from Brown University in 1950. After 16 seasons as an assistant coach under Engle, Paterno was named the Nittany Lions' 14th head football coach on February 19, 1966. The Hall of Fame mentor is in his 46th season as head coach.

## ALL-TIME LEADER IN BOWL WINS AND APPEARANCES

Joe Paterno owns a post-season record of 24-12-1, a winning percentage of 66.2, including a 17-8 mark in New Year's bowl games. Paterno is the all-time leader in bowl wins and appearances (37) and his winning percentage is No. 3 all-time among coaches with at least 15 bowl appearances.

## PATERNO AMONG ELITE GROUP OF BIG TEN COACHES

Joe Paterno is one of just six coaches in Big Ten history to win at least 140 games at one institution, ranking No. 5.

Amos Alonzo Stagg, Chicago	243
Woody Hayes, Ohio State	205
Bo Schembechler, Michigan	194
Fielding Yost, Michigan	165
Joe Paterno, Penn State	155 (active)
Hayden Fry, Iowa	143

#### **540 AND COUNTING**

The Alabama game will be Joe Paterno's 541st as head coach.

Amos Alonzo Stagg's 578 games top all major college coaches. He is followed by Paterno (540), Bobby Bowden (522), Pop Warner (481) and Paul "Bear" Bryant (425).

Paterno made his head coaching debut on Sept. 17, 1966, earning a 15-7 win over Maryland before a Beaver Stadium crowd of 40,911.

#### **690 AND COUNTING**

The Alabama game will be the 694th contest Joe Paterno has coached in since joining the Nittany Lions' staff in 1950.

In his 62nd season as a member of the Penn State staff, Paterno followed Rip Engle from Brown to Penn State after graduating in 1950 and was involved in 155 games as an assistant coach from 1950-65. He was promoted to head coach in 1966.

Paterno has missed just three games in his career. As an assistant coach, he missed the 1955 game at Army when his father, Angelo, died. As head coach in 1977, Joe and Sue Paterno's son, David, was involved in a serious trampoline accident the day before the Lions' game at Syracuse and Paterno did not attend the contest.

Paterno missed the Nov. 11, 2006 game with Temple, which took place five days after he had surgery on his left leg, which was injured in a sideline collision at Wisconsin on Nov. 4, 2006.

Paterno's first game on the Penn State staff was Sept. 30, 1950, a 34-14 win vs. Georgetown. The Nittany Lions have earned a 506-183-7 record with Paterno on the staff, with their 73.3 winning percentage third-best nationally since 1950.

## LIONS EARN 500TH WIN WITH PATERNO ON STAFF

The 24-0 blanking of Kent State on Sept. 18, 2011 was Penn State's 500th victory since Joe Paterno joined the coaching staff in 1950.

In his 62nd year on the Penn State coaching staff, Paterno followed his coach at Brown University, Rip Engle, to Penn State as he was completing his degree at Brown. Engle compiled a 104-48-4 record from 1950-65, with Paterno being named head coach on February 19, 1966.

## PATERNO HAS COACHED 26 FATHER-SON COMBINATIONS

Including five current squad members, Joe Paterno has coached a total of 26 father-son combinations during his 46 seasons as head coach at Penn State. Some of the combinations include more than one son:

#### **Current (years lettered):**

Tom Hull (1971-73)/Mike Hull (2010-11)
Rich Mauti (1975-76)/Michael Mauti (2008-11)/
Patrick Mauti (2005-09):

Steve Stupar (1979)/Nate Stupar (2007-11); Matt Suhey (1976-79) /Joe Suhey (2007-11); Mike Zordich (1982-85)/Michael Zordich (2008-11);

#### Past (years lettered):

Frank Ahrenhold (1969-71)/Tyler Ahrenhold (played 2007-10); Rich Buzin (1966-67)/ Mike Buzin (1996, '98); Bob Campbell, stepfather (1966-68)/Ryan Pinckney (2002); Dan Delligatti (1983-84)/Nick Delligatti (played 2009-10); Fran Ganter (1968-70)/Chris (2002-04) and Jason Ganter (2005-07)

Mike Guman (1976-79)/Andrew Guman (2001-2004); Kevin Hart (1976)/Mike Hart (2004-06)

Pete Johnson (1967-69)/Tim Johnson (2003); Dave Joyner (1969-71)/Andy (played 1993-94) and Matt Joyner (1996-98);

John Kulka (1966-68)/Todd Kulka (1995);

Ed Lenda (1965-66)/Tyler Lenda (1999-2002); Charlie Pittman (1967-69)/Tony Pittman (1992-94);

Bob Rickenbach (1970-72)/Eric Rickenbach (2000, '02); Jerry Sandusky (1963-66)/E.J. (1991-92) and

Jon Sandusky (1998-99);

Mickey Shuler (1975-77)/Mickey Shuler (2007-09); Terry Smith, stepfather (1988-91)/Justin King (2005-07); Paul Suhev (1975-78)/Kevin Suhev (2006-07):

Victor Surma (1968-70)/Vic Surma (played 2002-05);

Tom Williams (1973-74)/Tom (2001) and Casey Williams (2002-03);

Tom Wise (1978-80)/Brent Wise (2003-05).

Leo Wisniewski (1979-81)/Stefen Wisniewski (2007-10)

#### **JOE PATERNO'S MILESTONE GAMES:**

1st game,	Sept. 17, 1966	W, 15-7	vs. Maryland
50th game,	Oct. 31, 1970	W, 42-8	vs. West Virginia
100th game	Nov. 28, 1974	W, 31-10	at Pittsburgh (Three Rivers Stadium)
150th game,	Sept. 15, 1979	W, 45-10	vs. Rutgers
200th game,	Sept. 17, 1983	L, 42-34	vs. Iowa
250th game,	Oct. 3, 1987	W, 27-13	vs. Temple
300th game,	Oct. 19, 1991	W, 37-17	vs. Rutgers
350th game,	Nov. 4, 1995	L, 21-10	at Northwestern
400th game,	Nov. 6, 1999	L, 24-23	vs. Minnesota
450th game,	Nov. 15, 2003	W, 52-7	vs. Indiana
500th game.	Dec. 29, 2007	W. 24-17	vs. Texas A&M. 2007 Alamo Bowl

## IN THE NCAA & BIG TEN STATISTICAL RANKINGS

CATEGORY	BIG TEN	NCAA	AVG.
Scoring Offense			
Scoring Defense			
Pass Offense			
Pass Defense			
Rushing Offense			
Rushing Defense			
Total Offense			
Total Defense			
Pass Efficiency			
Pass Efficiency Defense			
Kickoff Returns			
Punt Returns			
Net Punting			
Turnover Margin			
Turnovers Gained			
Penalties			
Yards Penalized			
Sacks By			
Sacks Against			
Third Down Conversions			
Opp 3rd Down Conversion	าร		
Punt Return Coverage			
Kickoff Return Coverage			
Time of Possession			
Red Zone Offense			
Red Zone Defense			

NCAA INDIVIDUAL	. Ranki	NGS	
CATEGORY	<b>BIG TEN</b>	NCAA	AVG.
Field Goals			

#### **BIG TEN INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS**

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CATEGORY	PLAYER	RANK	AVG.
Rushing	Silas Redd	3rd	104.0
Pass Efficiency	Matt McGloin	7th	155.9
Receptions	Derek Moye	T 7th	4.0
Receiving Yards	Derek Moye	10th	57.0
All-Purpose	Silas Redd	10th	104.0
Punt Return Avg.	Devon Smith	5th	5.5
	Justin Brown	6th	5.3
Scoring	Silas Redd	T 5th	12.0
Sacks	Gerald Hodges	T 4th	1.0
Tackles For Loss	Mike Yancich	T 13th	1.5
Passes Defended	Drew Astorino	1st	3.0
	D'Anton Lynn	T 2nd	2.0
Interceptions	Drew Astorino	T 1st	1.0
	Adrian Amos	T 1st	1.0

## PATERNO EARNS NCAA PRESIDENT'S GERALD FORD AWARD

Joe Paterno received the 2011 NCAA President's Gerald R. Ford Award from Mark Emmert at the NCAA Convention in January.

The NCAA President's Gerald R. Ford Award, named in recognition of former President Gerald Ford, honors an individual who has provided significant leadership as an advocate for intercollegiate athletics on a continuous basis over the course of their career.

Paterno is the ninth recipient of the Ford Award. Previous winners include former NCAA President Myles Brand, Billie Jean King, James Frank, Christine Grant, Birch Bayh, John Wooden, William Friday and Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh.



School All-American broke his career-high in tackles in three consecutive games last season, topped by the effort against the Wildcats in Coach Joe Paterno's 400th win.

Presented annually since 1985, "Linebacker U." All-Americans LaVar Arrington (1999) and Paul Posluszny (2005) are former winners of the Butkus Award. Nittany Lions Shane Conlan (1986), Andre Collins (1989), Brandon Short (1999), Posluszny (2006) and Dan Connor (2007) were Butkus Award finalists.

## DEFENSE AMONG NATION'S TOP FIVE SINCE 2004

Over the past seven seasons, Penn State is one of only three defensive units that rank among the top five in the nation in scoring defense (3rd, 16.4 ppg), total defense (5th, 298.7 ypg) and rushing defense (5th, 107.1 ypg) entering this season. Ohio State and TCU are the only other team ranks in the top five in the three categories.

Since the start of the 2004 campaign, the Nittany Lions have held 54 of their 89 opponents (60.6 pct.) to 17 points or less, including 10 foes in 2009 and nine in 2008. Three of Penn State's six bowl opponents have scored 17 points or less, including LSU in the 2010 Capital One Bowl.

Over the past six years, Penn State has limited 46 of 89 opponents (51.7 pct.) to 100 rushing yards or fewer, with eight foes failing to do so every year from 2006-09. Among the teams failing to crack 100 rushing yards against the Nittany Lions were bowl foes LSU, USC, Tennessee and Florida State.

#### **BIG TEN LEADS WAY ON ALL-TIME WINS LIST**

With Nebraska joining the Big Ten this year, the conference boasts four of the nation's top six all-time winningest programs in Michigan (1st, 885), Nebraska (4th, 838), Ohio State (5th, 820) and Penn State (6th, 819).

## SEVERAL ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA® CANDIDATES

The Penn State football team has had a least one Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-American® in each of the past nine seasons, including a school record five in 2008, with three more in 2009 and again in 2010.

Redshirt sophomore defensive end Pete Massaro earned first team Academic All-America® honors last year and was joined by 2010 seniors Chris Colasanti and Stefen Wisniewski. A finance student, Massaro owned a 3.84 cumulative GPA after the spring semester, but will not be eligible for 2011 Academic All-America® consideration after suffering a serious knee injury in spring practice that will sideline him for this season.

Junior guard John Urschel owned a perfect 4.00 GPA through the spring semester and will lead Penn State's 2011 Academic All-America® candidates. Senior linebacker Nate Stupar (3.64 GPA) also will be a strong Academic All-America® candidate. Stupar graduated in May.

Nominees for Capital One Academic All-America® consideration must have at least a 3.30 cumulative grade point average and be a starter or key reserve.

## 11 FIRST TEAM ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS® PAST THREE YEARS

For the third consecutive year, the Penn State Football program was at the head of the class in Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-America® selections. Guard Stefen Wisniewski became the first Penn State football student-athlete to earn Academic All-America® three times, with first-team nods in 2009 and 2010.

Senior linebacker Chris Colasanti and defensive end Pete Massaro also were first-team Academic All-Americans® in 2010.

Penn State has earned a nation's best 15 Academic All-Americans® over the past five years, with 13 first team honorees. A program record five Nittany Lions were selected to the 2008 Academic All-America® team.

During Joe Paterno's tenure, Penn State has had 47 Capital One Academic All-Americans®, with 37 earning first team honors. The Nittany Lions' 49 Academic All-Americans® all-time are No. 3 in the nation among Football Bowl Subdivision programs.

#### MORE THAN 30 FOOTBALL STUDENT-ATH-LETES EARN 3.0 GPA IN SPRING SEMESTER

The Penn State football team produced another outstanding academic performance during the Spring 2011 semester, with 33 squad members earning at least a 3.0 grade point average.

Among the 33 Nittany Lions, 16 – nearly half - earned Dean's List recognition by posting a 3.5 GPA or higher this past semester.

The superlative academic performance brings the number of returning Nittany Lion football student-athletes to 42 who had a cumulative 3.0 GPA through the spring semester.

Three Nittany Lions earned a perfect 4.0 GPA during the spring semester: defensive end Pete Massaro, kick snapper Jon Rohrbaugh and guard John Urschel. Massaro was a 2010 first-team Academic All-American®. Urschel brought a 4.0 cumulative GPA into his fifth semester as a Penn State studentablete.

Nine 2010-11 true freshmen earned a 3.0 GPA or higher last spring.

The Nittany Lions had 19 Academic All-Big Ten football honorees during the 2010 season, improving their conference-leading total to 260 since starting conference play in 1993.

## "CAPTAINS' LETTERS TO JOE" BOOK NOW AVAILABLE

At the 2010 State College Quarterback Club banquet, a special gift was given to Coach Joe Paterno, in honor of his Hall of Fame career, which includes more than 400 wins.

Knowing that Paterno already had an adequate collection of plaques and trophies, the Penn State Football Letterman's Club and the Quarterback Club created a unique gift. Their intention was to capture the impact Coach Paterno has on players' lives, long after they have passed through the Beaver Stadium tunnel for the final time

The Letterman's Club placed a call to the former captains of Coach Paterno back to his first team in 1966. The captains were asked to write a Letter To Joe, about the impact he and Penn State made on their lives. Some told stories, others revealed feelings long kept inside. Nearly all recounted the same, consistent lessons taught through the years. The letters were put into a single book and presented at the 2010 Senior Banquet. It was called, "Captains' Letters To Joe."

That gift to Coach Paterno is now being made available to the public, in an effort to raise funds for the Penn State Football Letterman's Club Scholarships, including one in the name of Joe and Sue Paterno. "Captains' Letters To Joe" includes 119 personalized letters to Joe Paterno from the leaders of each team he has coached.

The names of the players who wrote a letter for "Captains' Letters To Joe" is a litany of Penn State football legends, pro and college Hall of Famers, All-Americans, All-Big Ten performers and Academic All-Americans. The list begins with Mike Irwin and John Runnells in 1966 and goes to Brett Brackett and Ollie Ogbu from the 2010 season. The complete list can be found at: www.letterstojoe.org.

"Captains' Letters To Joe" can be purchased at Penn State and State College area retailers or at www.letterstojoe.org for \$39.95 plus shipping and handling.

Penn State fans can find out more about the "Captains' Letters To Joe" at www.letterstojoe.org. The website includes a listing of the State College area retail locations where the book is being sold. A schedule of autograph signings with former captains who authored letters will be added to the website during the season.

#### NITTANY LIONS' 1986 UNBEATEN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM TO BE HONORED AT IOWA CONTEST

The Nittany Lions' 1986 National Championship football team, one of the elite squads in Penn State's storied gridiron history, will be reunited at the Oct. 8 Big Ten home opener against Iowa in Beaver Stadium.

The 1986 Nittany Lions recorded an unblemished 12-0 record after defeating No. 1 Miami (Fla.) in a thrilling title clash en route to their second national championship in four years under Coach Joe Paterno. The 2011 season marks the 25th anniversary of Penn State's memorable championship run.

The 1986 season was capped by Penn State's epic 14-10, down to the wire, victory over Miami in the Fiesta Bowl. In the "Duel in the Desert" on January 2, 1987 in Tempe, Ariz., the Nittany Lions picked off Hurricanes' quarterback Vinny Testaverde five times to help secure the victory. Linebacker Pete Giftopoulos hauled in the final interception of the night inside the Penn State five-yard line as Testaverde took one last shot at the end zone on fourth and goal. Giftopoulos ran the ball out to the 10-yard line before falling to the ground with nine seconds left, securing the pulsating victory.

More than 70 million people watched the thrilling prime-time telecast on NBC, breaking the previous record for a college football telecast.

The 1986 Nittany Lions are one of five Paternoled teams that finished the season unbeaten, joining the 1968 (11-0), 1969 (11-0), 1973 (12-0) and 1994 (12-0) squads.

The 1986 season also was highlighted by a Nittany Lion defense that held nine opponents to 15 points or less, while also winning four games by six points or fewer. On Sept. 6, 1986, the Nittany Lions played the first night game at Beaver Stadium in the season opener against Temple. That year, Penn State finished the regular season by beating Maryland (17-15), Notre Dame (24-19) and Pitt (34-14). The Lions also defeated No. 2 Alabama, 23-3, just the third loss by the Crimson Tide at Bryant-Denny Stadium in 25 years.

The 1986 team produced many Penn State household names, including team captains, Shane Conlan, John Shaffer, Steve Smith and Bob White. The team also produced four All-Americans, as linebacker Conlan, tackle Chris Conlin, running back D.J. Dozier and defensive tackle Tim Johnson all were honored.

A program record 13 Nittany Lions were selected in the 1987 NFL Draft, led by first round picks Conlan (Buffalo) and Dozier (Minnesota).

## NITTANY LION STANDOUTS BROWN AND KWALICK HONORED WITH CONFERENCE TROPHIES

The Big Ten Conference announced last December it would initiate the presentation of 18 trophies following the 2011 season and will honor some of its all-time premier football student-athletes with the newly named trophies, including Penn State's Courtney Brown and Ted Kwalick.

The Big Ten will award the Smith-Brown Defensive Lineman of the Year beginning this year, recognizing the Nittany Lions' Brown and Michigan State's Bubba Smith, who recently passed away. Brown was a consensus first-team All-American in 1999, breaking school records in career tackles for loss (70), career



sacks (33) and season TFL (29). The 1999 Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year, he was a three-time all-conference selection. Brown was the first overall selection in the 2000 National Football League Draft by the Cleveland Browns.

Also starting this season, the conference will present the Kwalick-Clark Tight End of the Year, honoring Penn State's Kwalick and Iowa's Dallas Clark. Kwalick was a first All-American in 1967 and '68 and finished fourth in balloting for the 1968 Heisman Trophy. A first round draft choice by the National Football League's San Francisco 49ers, and a three-time All-Pro, Kwalick was inducted into the National Football Foundation College Hall of Fame in 1989.

## NUMEROUS NITTANY LIONS HAVE FAMILY TIES TO PENN STATE FOOTBALL

Nine returning squad members have ties to current or former Nittany Lion football team players, coaches or staff:

- Sophomore **Nate Cadogan's** brother, Gerald, lettered at tackle for the Nittany Lions from 2006-08;
- Junior kick snapper **Mike Furhman** is the son of Chet Fuhrman, former Penn State Football strength and conditioning coach;
- Redshirt freshman linebacker Mike Hull's father,
   Tom, lettered for the Nittany Lions from 1971-73;
- Rich Mauti was a letterman for the Nittany Lions in 1975 and '76 and played eight NFL seasons. One of his sons, **Michael Mauti**, is a redshirt junior linebacker and another son. Patrick, was a senior in 2009;
- Redshirt junior **Kenny Pollock's** great uncle, Ben Pollock, played at Penn State from 1937-40, earning letters his final two seasons:
- Wide receiver **Ryan Scherer's** father, Rip, was a graduate assistant football coach at Penn State in 1974 and '75. Ryan's grandfather, Rip, lettered for the Nittany Lions in 1948.
- Senior linebacker **Nate Stupar** comes from a family with multiple ties to Penn State, including his father, Steve, who was a lineman for Paterno in the late 1970's. Uncles Ron, Doug and Jeff Hostetler all played for the Nittany Lions in the late 1970's and early 1980's.
- Senior running back **Joe Suhey** is a member of the one the most prominent families in Penn State football history. His great grandfather, Bob Higgins, was Penn State's second All-American, in 1915, and earned All-America honors again in 1919. He served as head coach of the Nittany Lions from 1930-48. Suhey's grandfather, Steve Suhey, was a letterman in 1942 and again in 1946-47, earning All-America honors his senior season. He married one of Bob Higgins' daughters, Ginger. Three of their sons, Paul, Larry and Matt (Joe's father) played for Penn State in the 1970's. One of Joe's first cousins, Kevin Suhey, graduated in 2008 after playing for the Nittany Lions;
- Junior **Michael Zordich's** father, Michael, played at Penn State from 1982-85, earning first team All-America honors as a senior before embarking on a 12-year NFL career.

In addition, redshirt freshman Patrick Flanagan is the nephew of Nittany Lion Basketball head coach Patrick Chambers. Redshirt freshman Alex Kenney's sister, Lauren, is a member of the Penn State women's track and field team.

#### PENN STATE UPLIFTING ATHLETES "LIFT FOR LIFE" HITS RECORD \$100,000 TO BENEFIT KIDNEY CANCER ASSOCIATION

Contributions from the Ninth Annual Penn State Uplifting Athletes "Lift For Life" has boosted the 2011 total to a record total in excess of \$100,000 to benefit the Kidney Cancer Association.

The "Lift For Life" was held on July 8 in Holuba Hall and the initial total raised by the strength and conditioning event was \$94,410.09. Additional contributions lifted the total to \$100,930 raised for kidney cancer research and patients by Penn State Football student-athletes. The previous record was just over

\$98,000 in 2010.

More than \$600,000 has been raised in the battle against rare diseases by Penn State Uplifting Athletes since the inaugural "Lift For Life" was held in 2003.

Fans can make a "Lift For Life" donation by visiting the Penn State Uplifting Athletes donation page at: http://liftforlife.upliftingathletes.org/lfl2/

The 'Lift For Life" is an 11-event strength and conditioning competition, with 18 teams comprised of four Penn State Football student-athletes competing. The event was organized by members of the Nittany Lion Football team, with 15-20 squad members taking an active role in preparations for the event in Holuba Hall. Uplifting Athletes chapter officers provided the leadership, led by Mike Farrell (Pittsburgh), Eric Shrive (Scranton), Mike Yancich (Washington) and Ty Howle (Wake Forest, N.C.).

Shrive, a redshirt sophomore, led the squad by securing more than \$25,000 in "Lift for Life" donations. Farrell, a redshirt junior tackle, was second with donations totaling \$10,880.

Uplifting Athletes has grown to nine chapters, with Boston College, Colgate, Kent State, Maryland, North Carolina State, Northwestern, Ohio State and Princeton joining Penn State in the fight against rare diseases. Boston College, Maryland and Northwestern also conducted Lift for Life events this past summer.

For more information about Penn State Football Uplifting Athletes SM or the Penn State Football Lift for Life, or to make a tax-deductible contribution, please visit www.upliftingathletes.org or contact Deloris Brobeck at 814-865-1946 during business hours. Uplifting Athletes, Inc. is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization that operates as a national charter and serves as a uniting force to help change the perception of rare diseases.

#### PENN STATE AND PITT TO RENEW RIVALRY

Long-time rivals Penn State and Pitt will meet September 10, 2016 in Pittsburgh and September 16, 2017 in Beaver Stadium.

The Nittany Lions have met the Panthers more than any other opponent – 96 times - with Penn State owning a 50-42-4 series advantage. The teams first met in 1893 and played every season from 1900-31 and 1935-92, often in a compelling final game of the regular season.

The teams did not meet from 1993-96, when Penn State began play in the Big Ten Conference, and then played a four-game series from 1997-2000, with the Nittany Lions winning the first three games. The Panthers won the last meeting, 12-0, in Three Rivers Stadium 11 years ago.

## VIRGINIA, SYRACUSE AND RUTGERS ON FUTURE SCHEDULES

During the past five seasons, Penn State played Notre Dame in 2006 and '07 and renewed its rivalry with Syracuse in 2008 and '09. The Nittany Lions and Orange will open the 2013 season at the New Meadowlands Stadium and are tentatively scheduled to play in 2020 and '21.

Following the current series with Alabama, the Nittany Lions will play Virginia in 2012 and '13, Rutgers in 2014 and '15 and Pitt in 2016 and '17.

## BIG TEN MOVING TO NINE-GAME CONFERENCE SCHEDULE IN 2017

The Big Ten announced in August that conference football programs will move to a nine-game Big Ten schedule beginning with the 2017 season.

Three teams each from the Legends Division and Leaders Division will feature five conference home games during odd-numbered years, while the other three schools from each division will host five conference contests during even-numbered years.

The 2017 schedule will include five conference home outings for Iowa, Michigan State and Nebraska from the Legends Division and Illinois, Indiana and Ohio State from the Leaders Division. The 2018

schedule will feature five Big Ten home games for Michigan, Minnesota and Northwestern of the Legends Division and Penn State, Purdue and Wisconsin of the Leaders Division.

Penn State will play three home non-conference games during odd-numbered years, when the Nittany Lions are scheduled to play five Big Ten away games, for a total of seven games in Beaver Stadium.

During even-numbered years, when Penn State is scheduled to play five conference home games (starting in 2018), the Nittany Lions will play a total of seven or eight contests in Beaver Stadium.

The Big Ten will return to a full nine-game conference schedule for the first time since the 1983 and 1984 seasons, prior to Penn State joining the conference for the 1993 season.

## PENN STATE SPORTS NETWORK AIRS ALL NITTANY LION GAMES

All Penn State football and basketball games can be heard on the Penn State Sports Network, a property of Learfield Sports.

Fifty stations in six states carry the Nittany Lion broadcasts, which can also be heard on GoPSUsports.com, the official website of Penn State Athletics, and Sirius XM. Steve Jones and Jack Ham are in their 12th season together calling the action.

Football broadcasts on the Penn State Sports Network begin 90 minutes prior to kickoff with "The Penn State Tailgate Show presented by UnitedHealthcare."

For a complete listing of Penn State Sports Network affiliates, go to:

http://www.gopsusports.com/ot/radio-tv.html

#### BIG TEN NETWORK TO AIR MULTPLE PENN STATE GAMES AMONG ITS 40-PLUS FOOTBALL GAMES THIS SEASON

The Penn State-Indiana State contest was one of six football games televised by the Big Ten Network during the opening weekend of the season.

BTN will air 40-plus football games this season, with each school making a minimum of two appearances, including at least one conference game.

Penn State's Oct. 22 contest at Northwestern will air in primetime on BTN, with a 6 p.m. CT kick in Evanston. Additional Nittany Lion games are likely to air on BTN once the 12-day selection process begins.

BTN televised three Penn State football games in 2010 and four Nittany Lion contests in 2009.

The Big Ten Network is available to more than 80 million homes across the United States and Canada, and has agreements with more than 300 affiliates. The network, though, is not carried by Adams and Blue Ridge Cable in Pennsylvania. The network also is not available to Armstrong Cable customers in western Pennsylvania and in the Medina and Youngstown, Ohio areas. A combined total of approximately 35,000 Penn State alumni live in communities served by the three cable providers, in addition to thousands more fans and current Penn State students.

BTN will air its first football tripleheaders on Sept. 10 and 17.

The Big Ten Network will televise approximately 700 events in 2011-12, all in HD, including 40-45 football games, at least 110 men's basketball games, at least 55 women's basketball games, Olympic sport events and conference championships.

The Big Ten Network is available in more than 95 percent of the homes in the nine Big Ten states and 19 of the nation's top 20 markets.

The network is available to more than 80 million homes across the United States and Canada, and has agreements with more than 300 affiliates, including DirecTV, DISH Network, AT&T, Verizon FiOS, Atlantic Broadband, Beaver Valley Cable, Bright House, Cablevision, CATV Service, Inc., Charter, Comcast, Consolidated Communications, Cox (Arizona, Arkansas, Kansas, Las Vegas, Northern Virginia), Insight, Kuhn Communications, Mediacom, MetroCast, Midcontinent, Millneim TV, Nittany Media, RCN, Rogers Cable



(Canada), Service Electric Cable TV, Service Electric Cablevision, Service Electric Broadband Cable, Shaw Cable and Shaw Direct (Canada), Shen-Heights TV, Tele-Media, Time Warner Cable, Western Broadband, Windstream and WOW, Zampelli Electronics and Zito Media.

For more information on the Big Ten Network, including the Channel Finder feature, go to www.BTN.com.

#### GAMEDAY PARKING CHANGES IMPACT RVS, LOTS 9 & 13

Penn State fans should be aware of some changes in parking around Beaver Stadium. With the construction of new IM fields underway, Lot 13 along Park Ave. will not be available this season. However, with the completion of Nittany Lion Softball Park, Lot 9 will be available to its capacity for the 2011 season.

Fans with single game RV parking passes can no longer use Porter Road for entry into the lots. They will access the RV lots via Park Avenue (east or west) or Fox Hollow Road (from the north).

## "THE PENN STATE FOOTBALL STORY" SEEN NATIONWIDE EACH WEEK

The Emmy Award winning program, The Penn State Football Story, airs on outlets throughout the nation. The Penn State Football Story has captured "Outstanding Sports Series" honors at the Mid-Atlantic Region Emmy Awards several times in the past decade.

Critically acclaimed, The Penn State Football Story captures the closeness between players, coaches and staff that is vital in Penn State maintaining its position as one of the nation's premier football programs.

Every program this season will feature a profile on at least one member of the squad. The Penn State Football Story traveled to players' hometowns and interviewed family, friends and coaches to provide viewers more insight into some of their favorite players.

The program airs every week during the Nittany Lions' football season throughout Pennsylvania and regional sports cable networks and channels throughout the nation. Mind Over Media, a Pittsburgh-based production company, produces The Penn State Football Story. Mind Over Media has won six regional Emmys for its work on Penn State football and men's basketball programming produced in cooperation with Penn State Intercollegiate Athletics.

Among the Pennsylvania outlets carrying The Penn State Football Story are: WTAJ-TV, Ch. 10 (State College, Altoona, Johnstown); WPSU-TV, Ch. 3 (State College/Central Pa.); WLYH-TV, Ch. 15 (Harrisburg, Lancaster, York, Reading; WNEP-TV, Ch. 16 (Scranton/Wilkes-Barre); WFMZ-TV, Ch. 69 (Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton); WFXP-TV, Ch. 66 (Erie); FSN Pittsburgh and CSN-Philadelphia (Philadelphia/New Jersey/Delaware).

The Big Ten Network, YES (New York) and MASN (Baltimore-Washington, D.C.), are among the other networks carrying the program across the nation. The Penn State Football Story will air on BTN on Monday at 11:00 a.m. ET every week, starting Sept. 5.

A complete listing of stations and networks that carry The Penn State Football Story and Penn State football and basketball programming can be found on GoPSUsports.com at: http://www.gopsusports.com/ot/radio-tv.html

#### **TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR FOUR GAMES**

Tickets are available for four games during the Nittany Lions' blockbuster home schedule this fall. The Alabama and Nebraska games are sold out.

Penn State football tickets can be purchased at www.GoPSUsports.com/tickets or by calling 1-814-865-5555 weekdays from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

#### WEEK 3:

at Temple, Sept. 17, 12:00 p.m. ET

Penn State hits the road for the first time this season, visiting old rival Temple. The contest will be played at Lincoln Financial Field and will air on ESPN, ESPN2 or ESPNU.

The Nittany Lions lead the series, 36-3-1, winning 22-13 last year in Beaver Stadium.



## PENN STATE DEPTH CHART

## **OFFENSE**

#### **Wide Receiver**

6 \*Derek Moye (6-5, 210, Sr/Sr)85 Brandon Moseby-Felder (6-2, 191, Jr/So)

#### **Left Tackle**

67 \*Quinn Barham (6-3, 304, Gr/Sr) 70 Nate Cadogan (6-5, 277, Jr/So)

#### **Left Guard**

74 \*Johnnie Troutman (6-4, 314, Gr/Sr)
73 Mark Arcidiacono (6-4, 284, Jr/So)
75 Eric Shrive (6-6, 297, Jr/So)

#### Center

54 Matt Stankewitch (6-3, 299, Sr/Jr) 60 Ty Howle (6-0, 295, Jr/So)

65 Miles Dieffenbach (6-3, 291, So/Fr)

#### **Right Guard**

50 DeOn'tae Pannell (6-5, 310, Sr/Sr)64 John Urschel (6-3, 292, Jr/So)

62 Frank Figueroa (6-3, 294, Jr/So)

#### **Right Tackle**

52 \*Chima Okoli (6-4, 293, Gr/Sr)
 78 Mike Farrell (6-6, 290, Sr/Jr) OR
 58 Adam Gress (6-6, 304, Jr/So)

#### **Tight End**

80 \*Andrew Szczerba (6-6, 266, Gr/Sr)
10 Kevin Haplea (6-4, 251, So/So)
82 Brian Irvin (6-3, 249, Sr/Jr)

88 J.D. Mason (6-4, 247, Sr/Jr)

#### Quarterback

Rob Bolden (6-3, 216, So/So) OR
 Matt McGloin (6-1, 211, Sr/Jr)

2 Shane McGregor (6-1, 198, Sr/Jr)

#### **Running Back**

25 Silas Redd (5-10, 209, So/So) - TB

3 Brandon Beachum (6-0, 226, Sr/Jr) - TB

26 Curtis Dukes (6-1, 237, Jr/So) - TB

24 Derek Day (5-9, 199, Sr/Jr) - TB

37 \*Joe Suhey (6-1, 222, Gr/Sr) - RB

9 Michael Zordich (6-1, 241, Sr/Jr) – RB

40 Zach Zwinak (6-1, 233, So/Fr) - RB

#### **Wide Receiver**

19 Justin Brown (6-3, 214, Jr/Jr)20 Devon Smith (5-7, 155, Jr/Jr)

#### **Wide Receiver**

81 Shawney Kersey (6-1, 198, Jr/So)16 Ryan Scherer (5-8, 176, Sr/Jr)

17 Christian Kuntz (6-4, 214, Jr/So)

## **DEFENSE**

#### **Left End**

90 Sean Stanley (6-1, 246, Jr/Jr) OR

56 \*Eric Latimore (6-6, 277, Gr/Sr)

84 Kyle Baublitz (6-5, 275, So/Fr)

#### **Left Tackle**

47 Jordan Hill (6-1, 297, Jr/Jr)

93 James Terry (6-3, 318, Sr/Jr)

92 Anthony Alosi (6-4, 292, Fr/Fr)

#### **Right Tackle**

71 \*Devon Still (6-5, 310, Sr/Sr)

91 DaQuan Jones (6-3, 312, So/So)

97 Luke Graham (6-4, 283, So/Fr)

#### **Right End**

81 Jack Crawford (6-5, 273, Sr/Sr) 86 C.J. Olaniyan (6-3, 249, So/Fr)

#### **Outside Linebacker**

6 Gerald Hodges (6-2,234,Jr/Jr)43 Mike Hull (6-0, 220, So/Fr)

#### **Middle Linebacker**

40 Glenn Carson (6-3, 239, So/So)

11 Khairi Fortt (6-2, 234, So/So)

33 Michael Yancich (6-2, 237, Sr/Jr)

#### **Outside Linebacker**

42 Michael Mauti (6-2, 242, Sr/Jr)

34 \*Nate Stupar (6-1, 234, Gr/Sr)

54 Jamie Van Fleet (6-0, 228, Sr/Jr)

#### **Left Cornerback**

8 D'Anton Lynn (6-1, 208, Sr/Sr)

14 Mike Wallace (5-9, 193, Jr/So)

5 Derrick Thomas (6-0,181,Jr/So)

#### **Free Safety**

1 \*Nick Sukay (6-1, 219, Gr/Sr)

10 Malcolm Willis (5-11, 209, Jr/So)

23 Ryan Keiser (6-1, 206, So/Fr)

#### Hero

28 \*Drew Astorino (5-10,207,Sr/Sr)

7 Stephen Obeng-Agyapong

(5-10, 202, Jr/So)

27 Jake Fagnano (6-0, 207, Sr/Jr)

#### **Right Cornerback**

2 \*Chaz Powell (6-1,206,Sr/Sr)

12 Stephon Morris (5-8, 184, Jr/Jr)

15 Alex Kenney (6-0, 195, So/Fr)

## **SPECIAL TEAMS**

#### **Punter**

45 Alex Butterworth (5-10,206, So/So)

30 Anthony Fera (6-2, 215, Jr/So)

#### Kicker

4 Evan Lewis (5-10,181, Sr/Jr) OR

97 Sam Ficken (6-3, 177, Fr/Fr)

30 Anthony Fera (6-2, 215, Jr/So)

#### Holder

23 Ryan Keiser (6-1, 206, So/Fr)

30 Anthony Fera (6-2, 215, Jr/So)

#### **Kick Snapper**

60 Ty Howle (6-0, 295, Jr/So) (PAT/FG)

53 Jon Rohrbaugh (6-0, 215, Sr/Sr) (Punts)

57 Emery Etter (6-1, 211, Jr/So)

#### **Kickoff Returners**

2 \*Chaz Powell (6-1, 206, Sr/Sr)

20 Devon Smith (5-7, 155, Jr/Jr)

#### **Punt Returners**

19 Justin Brown (6-3, 214, Jr/Jr)

20 Devon Smith (5-7, 155, Jr/Jr)

\* Fifth-year senior

## **PRONUNCIATIONS**

Mark Arcidiacono Khiari Fortt Kevin Haplea Ty Howle D'Anton Lynn Michael Mauti

KIE-ree HAP-lee HOWL DAN-ton MAW-tee

MOY

Archie-D-ack-ano

Derek Moye Stephen Obeng-Agyapong

Chima Okoli DeOn'tae Pannell Devon Smith Matt Stankiewitch Nate Stupar Andrew Szczerba

Nick Sukay

Michael Yancich

O-bing AJAH-pong CHEE-ma OHH-coal-eee DEE-on-Tay Puh-nell

DEE-on-Tay Puh DAY-von Stan-CAV-itch STEW-par ZER-ba SUE-kay

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1	Bolden, Rob*	QB	So./So.	6-3	216	Orchard Lake St. Mary's/George Porritt	Orchard Lake, Mich.
1	Sukay, Nick **	Saf	Gr./Sr.	6-1	219	Greensburg Central Catholic/William Colosimo	Mt. Pleasant, Pa.
2	McGregor, Shane	QB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	198	Central Cambria/Ken Bussard	Ebensburg, Pa.
2	Powell, Chaz***	CB	Sr./Sr.	6-1	206	Susquehannock/Tom Waranavage	New Freedom, Pa.
3	Beachum, Brandon**	TB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	226	Cardinal Mooney/P.J. Fecko	Struthers, Ohio
4	Amos, Adrian	CB	Fr,/Fr.	6-0	205	Calvert Hall College/Donald Davis	Baltimore, Md.
4	Lewis, Evan	PK/WR	Sr./Jr.	5-10	173	Gettysburg/Sam Leedy	Gettysburg, Pa.
5	Belton, Bill	WR	Fr./Fr.	5-10	206	Winslow Township/Mike McBride	Sicklerville, N.J.
5	Thomas, Derrick	CB	Jr./So.	6-0	181	Eleanor Roosevelt/Tom Green	Greenbelt, Md.
6	Hodges, Gerald**	LB	Jr./Jr.	6-2	234	Paulsboro/Glenn Howard	Paulsboro, N.J.
6	Moye, Derek***	WR	Sr./Sr.	6-5	210	Rochester/Gene Matsook	Rochester, Pa.
7	Drake, Curtis*	WR	Jr./So.	5-11	173	West Philadelphia Catholic/Brian Fluck	Philadelphia, Pa.
7	Obeng-Agyapong, Stephen*	Saf	Jr./So.	5-10	202	John F. Kennedy/Alex Vega	Bronx, N.Y.
8	Lynn, D'Anton***	CB	Sr./Sr.	6-1	208	Celina/Butch Ford	Celina, Texas
8		WR		6-3	199		Southfield, Mich.
	Robinson, Allen		Fr./Fr.			Orchard Lane St. Mary's/George Porritt	
9	Zordich, Michael*	RB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	241	Cardinal Mooney/P.J. Fecko	Youngstown, Ohio
10	Haplea, Kevin*	TE	So./So.	6-4	251	North Hunterdon/John Mattes	Annandale, N.J.
10	Willis, Malcolm*	Saf	Jr./So.	5-11	209	Lackey/Doug Lamb	Marbury, Md.
11	Fortt, Khairi*	LB	So./So.	6-2	234	Stamford/Kevin Jones	Stamford, Conn.
11	McGloin, Matt*	QB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	211	West Scranton/Mike DeAntona	Scranton, Pa.
12	Cabot, John	QB	Fr./Fr.	6-4	204	Torrey Pines/Scott Ashby	San Diego, Calif.
12	Morris, Stephon**	CB	Jr./Jr.	5-8	184	Eleanor Roosevelt/Tom Green	Greenbelt, Md.
13	Buckley, Tim	Saf	Fr./Fr.	6-0	196	Cardinal Gibbons/Henry Travathan	Raleigh, N.C.
13	Jones, Paul	QB	So./Fr.	6-3	242	Sto-Rox/Jason Ruscitto	McKees Rocks, Pa.
14	Venuto, Garrett	QB	Jr./So.	6-0	218	Ithaca/Ed Redmond	Ithaca, N.Y.
14	Wallace, Mike	CB	Jr./So.	5-9	193	Good Counsel/Bob Milloy	Silver Spring, Md.
15	Flanagan, Patrick	WR	So./Fr.	5-8	147	Hill School/Marty Vollmuth	State College, Pa.
15	Kenney, Alex	CB	So./Fr.	6-0	195	State College Area/ Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
16	Scherer, Ryan	WR	Sr./Jr.	5-8	176	Avon Lake/Dave Dlugosz	Avon Lake, Ohio
17	Kuntz, Christian	WR	Jr/So.	6-4	214	Trinity/Jeff Boger	Camp Hill, Pa.
18	Barnes, Deion	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-4	245	Northeast/Chris Riley	Philadelphia, Pa.
18	Goodman, Andrew	WR	Sr./Jr.	6-0	197	George Washington/Ron Cohen	Philadelphia, Pa.
19	Brown, Justin**	WR	Jr./Jr.	6-3	214	Concord/George Kosanovich	Wilmington, Del.
20	Smith, Devon**	WR	Jr./Jr.	5-7	155	Westlake/Dom Zaccarelli	White Plains, Md.
21	Green, Stephfon***	TB	Sr./Sr.	5-10	193	John F. Kennedy/Alex Vega	Bronx, N.Y.
22	Rhattigan, T.J.	LB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	193	Neuqua Valley/Bryan Wells	Naperville, III.
23	Keiser, Ryan	Saf	So./Fr.	6-1	206	Selinsgrove/ Dave Hess	Selinsgrove, Pa.
23		WR	Jr./So.	6-1	196		Pittsburgh, Pa.
	Friend, Brian					Central Catholic/Terry Totten	
24	Day, Derek*	RB	Sr./Jr.	5-9	199	Central Dauphin/Glen McNamee	Bellefonte, Pa.
24	Duckett, Jonathan	Saf	So./Fr.	6-1	197	Bishop McDevitt/ Jeff Weachter	Harrisburg, Pa.
25	Redd, Silas*	TB	So./So.	5-10	209	King Low Heywood Thomas/Dan Gouin	Norwalk, Conn.
26	Dukes, Curtis	TB	Jr./So.	6-1	237	Indian River/Cory Marsell	Evans Mills, N.Y.
26	Lucas, Kyle	LB	Jr./So.	5-11	233	Bellefonte/Zac Wynkoop	Bellefonte, Pa.
27	Fagnano, Jacob*	Saf	Sr./Jr.	6-0	207	Williamsport/Tom Gravish	Williamsport, Pa.
27	Tongue, Tariq	WR	Jr./So.	5-8	165	Holy Cross/Tom Pugh	Flushing, N.Y.
28	Astorino, Drew***	Saf	Gr./Sr.	5-10	207	General McLane/Jim Wells	Edinboro, Pa.
29	Cully, Jeff	CB	So./Fr.	5-11	197	Hampton/Jacque Demattio	Allison Park, Pa.
30	Fera, Anthony*	P/PK	Jr./So.	6-2	215	St. Pius X/Robin Kirk	Cypress, Texas
31	Bars, Brad	LB	So./Fr.	6-3	226	Montgomery Bell Academy/Dan McGugin	Nashville, Tenn.
32	Royer, Dakota	LB	So./Fr.	6-1	233	Manheim Central/Mike Williams	Lancaster, Pa.
33	Dupree, Andre	FB	Jr./So.	5-10	253	North Point/Ken Lane	Waldorf, Md.
33	Yancich, Michael*	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-2	237	Trinity/Ed Dalton	Washington, Pa.
34	Stupar, Nate***	LB	Gr./Sr.	6-1	234	State College Area/Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
35	Zerbe, Pat	FB	Jr./So.	6-1	234	Wilson/Doug Dahms	West Lawn, Pa.
36	Thompson, Deron	RB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	189	Warwick/Bob Locker	Lititz, Pa.
37	Suhey, Joe***	RB	Gr./Sr.	6-1	222	Loyola Academy/John Holecek	Deerfield, III.
38	Kline, Ben	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-2	223	Dallastown/Kevin Myers	<u></u>
							York, Pa.
39	Della Valle, Jesse	CB	So./Fr.	6-1	187	Shaler Area/Neil Gordon	Pittsburgh, Pa.
40	Carson, Glenn*	LB	So./So.	6-3	239	Southern Regional/Charles Donohue Sr.	Manahawkin, N.J.
40	Zwinak, Zach	RB	So./Fr.	6-1	233	Linganore/Richard Conner	Frederick, Md.
41	Refice, J.R.	DT	Jr./So.	6-0	262	Valley View/George Howanitz	Jessup, Pa.
42	Mauti, Michael**	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-2	242	Mandeville/Guy LeCompte	Mandeville, La.

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44 45 45	Hull, Mike Fuhrman, Michael	LB	So,/Fr.	6-0	000	0 1111111 /0 11	
45 45	Fuhrman, Michael			0-0	220	Canon-McMillan/Guy Montecalvo	Canonsburg, Pa.
45 45		KS	Sr./Jr.	5-10	216	North Allegheny/Art Walker	Pittsburgh, Pa.
	Butterworth, Alex	Р	So./So.	5-10	206	Heritage Christian/Ron Qualls	Indianapolis, Ind.
	Byers, P.J.	FB	Jr./So.	6-0	247	Penn Trafford/ Art Tragesser	Harrison City, Pa.
40	Pollock, Kenny	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	194	Lake Lehman/Carl Kern	Dallas, Pa.
	Hill, Jordan**	DL	Jr./Jr.	6-1	297	Steel/Rob Deibler	Steelton, Pa.
48	Kerner, Jordan	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-4	241	Fairview/Jim Brinling	Fairview, Pa.
	Pannell, DeOn'tae***	G	Sr./Sr.	6-5	310	Groves/Brendan Flaherty	Southfield, Mich.
	Okoli, Chima*	T	Gr./Sr.	6-4	293	Salem/Robert Jackson	Virginia Beach, Va.
	Rohrbaugh, Jon	KS	Sr./Sr.	6-0	215	Howard/Bruce Strunk	Ellicott City, Md.
	Stankiewitch, Matt*	С	Sr./Jr.	6-3	299	Blue Mountain/Chuck Kutz	Orwigsburg, Pa.
	Van Fleet, James**	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	228	Loyalsock/Richard Delaney	Williamsport, Pa.
	Latimore, Eric***	DE	Gr./Sr.	6-6	277	Middletown/Mark Delpercio	Middletown, Del.
	Etter, Emery	KS	Jr./So.	6-1	211	Chambersburg Area/Dave Carruthers	Chambersburg, Pa.
	Gress, Adam	Т	Jr./So.	6-6	304	West Mifflin/Tim Brennan	West Mifflin, Pa.
59	Massaro, Pete*	DE	Sr./Jr.	6-4	264	Marple Newtown/Ray Gionta	Newtown Square, Pa.
	Howle, Ty	С	Jr./So.	6-0	295	Bunn/David Howle	Wake Forest, N.C.
	Figueroa, Frank	G	Jr./So.	6-3	294	Thomas Edison/Vaughn Lewis	San Antonio, Texas
	Urschel, John	G	Jr./So.	6-3	292	Canisius/Brandon Harris	Williamsville, N.Y.
	Dieffenbach, Miles	С	So./Fr.	6-3	291	Fox Chapel/Bryan Deal	Pittsburgh, Pa.
	Mangiro, Angelo	OL	Fr./Fr.	6-3	287	Roxbury/Cosmo Lorusso	Succasunna, N.J.
	Barham, Quinn*	T	Gr./Sr.	6-3	304	Hillside/Ray Harrison	Durham, N.C.
	Nowicki, Ryan	OL	Fr./Fr.	6-5	292	Cactus/Larry Fetkenheir	Glendale, Ariz.
	Cadogan, Nate	Т	Jr./So.	6-5	277	Portsmouth/Curt Clifford	Portsmouth, Ohio
	Still, Devon**	DT	Sr./Sr.	6-5	310	Howard/Dan Ritter	Wilmington, Del.
	Kolb, Khamrone	G	So./Fr.	6-5	317	Lake Braddock Secondary/Jim Poythress	Burke, Va.
	Arcidiacono, Mark	G	Jr./So.	6-4	284	St. Joseph's Prep/Gil Brooks	Holland, Pa.
74	Troutman, Johnnie**	G	Gr./Sr.	6-4	314	Pemberton Township High/John Rosnick	Brown Mills, N.J.
	Hailes, Evan	DT	So./Fr.	6-1	303	Oscar F. Smith/Richard Morgan	Chesapeake, Va.
75	Shrive, Eric	G	Jr./So.	6-6	297	West Scranton/Mike DeAntona	Scranton, Pa.
76	Smith, Donovan	Т	Fr./Fr.	6-5	313	Owings Mills/Steve Lurz	Owings Mills, Md.
77	Christie, Patrick	T	So./Fr.	6-5	301	Boiling Springs/Matt Heiser	Carlisle, Pa.
78	Farrell, Mike*	T	Sr./Jr.	6-6	290	Shady Side Academy/Dave Havern	Pittsburgh, Pa.
79	Blanchard, Kevin	OL	Fr./Fr.	6-7	282	Katy/Joseph Gray	Katy, Texas
80	Szczerba, Andrew**	TE	Gr./Sr.	6-6	266	Salesianum/Bill DiNardo	Wilmington, Del.
81	Crawford, Jack***	DE	Sr./Sr.	6-5	273	St. Augustine/Dennis Scuderi	Longport, N.J.
81	Kersey, Shawney*	WR	Jr./So.	6-1	198	Woodbury/Zack Valentine	Woodbury, N.J.
82	Irvin, Brian	TE	Sr./Jr.	6-3	249	Gettysburg/Sam Leedy	Orrtanna, Pa.
83	Zanellato, Matt	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-3	184	Lake Braddock Secondary/Jim Poythress	Burke, Va.
84	Baublitz, Kyle	DE	So./Fr.	6-5	275	Central York/Brad Livingston	York, Pa.
85	Moseby-Felder, Brandon	WR	Jr./So.	6-2	191	Oxon Hill/Kevin Wolfolk	Fort Washington, Md.
86	Olaniyan, C.J.	DE	So./Fr.	6-3	249	Warren Mott/Tom Milanov	Warren, Mich.
87	Carter, Kyle	TE	Fr./Fr.	6-3	243	William Penn/Bill Cole	Bear, Del.
88	Mason, J.D.	TE	Sr./Jr.	6-4	247	Philipsburg-Osceola/Jeff Vroman	Philipsburg, Pa.
89	Gilliam, Garry*	TE	Jr./So.	6-6	275	Milton Hershey/Bob Gayer	Carlisle, Pa.
90	Stanley, Sean**	DE	Jr./Jr.	6-1	246	Gaithersburg/Kreg Kephart	Rockville, Md.
91	Jones, DaQuan*	DL	So./So.	6-3	312	Johnson City Senior/Fred Deinhardt	Johnson City, N.Y.
	Alosi, Anthony	DT	Fr./Fr.	6-4	292	The Hun School/Cherokee/Dave Dudeck	Marlton, N.J.
93	Terry, James*	DT	Sr./Jr.	6-3	318	Brandywine/Steve Dent	New Castle, Del.
94	Oakman, Shawn	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-7	260	Penn Wood/Sam Mormando	Lansdowne, Pa.
	Castor, Cody	DT	Sr./Jr.	6-3	290	Uniontown Area/John Fortugna	Uniontown, Pa.
	Ficken, Sam	PK	Fr./Fr.	6-3	177	Valparaiso/Marlk Hoffman	Valparaiso, Ind.
91	Graham, Luke	DT	So./Fr.	6-4	283	Penn Trafford/Art Tragesser	Harrison City, Pa.
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4	Amos, Adrian	CB	Fr,/Fr.	6-0	205	Calvert Hall College/Donald Davis	Baltimore, Md.
73	Arcidiacono, Mark	G	Jr./So.	6-4	284	St. Joseph's Prep/Gil Brooks	Holland, Pa.
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18	Barnes, Deion	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-4	245	Northeast/Chris Riley	Philadelphia, Pa.
31	Bars, Brad	LB	So./Fr.	6-3	226	Montgomery Bell Academy/Dan McGugin	Nashville, Tenn.
84	Baublitz, Kyle	DE	So./Fr.	6-5	275	Central York/Brad Livingston	York, Pa.
3	Beachum, Brandon**	TB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	226	Cardinal Mooney/P.J. Fecko	Struthers, Ohio
5	Belton, Bill	WR	Fr./Fr.	5-10	206	Winslow Township/Mike McBride	Sicklerville, N.J.
79	Blanchard, Kevin	OL	Fr./Fr.	6-7	282	Katy/Joseph Gray	Katy, Texas
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19	Brown, Justin**	WR	Jr./Jr.	6-3	214	Concord/George Kosanovich	Wilmington, Del.
13	Buckley, Tim	Saf	Fr./Fr.	6-0	196	Cardinal Gibbons/Henry Travathan	Raleigh, N.C.
45	Butterworth, Alex	P	So./So.	5-10	206	Heritage Christian/Ron Qualls	Indianapolis, Ind.
45	Byers, P.J.	FB	Jr./So.	6-0	247	Penn Trafford/ Art Tragesser	Harrison City, Pa.
12	Cabot, John	QB	Fr./Fr.	6-4	204	Torrey Pines/Scott Ashby	San Diego, Calif.
70	Cadogan, Nate	T	Jr./So.	6-5	277	Portsmouth/Curt Clifford	Portsmouth, Ohio
40	Carson, Glenn*	LB	So./So.	6-3	239	Southern Regional/Charles Donohue Sr.	Manahawkin, N.J.
87	Carter, Kyle	TE	Fr./Fr.	6-3	243	William Penn/Bill Cole	Bear, Del.
96	Castor, Cody	DT	Sr./Jr.	6-3	290	Uniontown Area/John Fortugna	Uniontown, Pa.
77		T	So./Fr.	6-5	301	-	
	Christie, Patrick					Boiling Springs/Matt Heiser	Carlisle, Pa.
81	Crawford, Jack***	DE	Sr./Sr.	6-5	273	St. Augustine/Dennis Scuderi	Longport, N.J.
29	Cully, Jeff	CB	So./Fr.	5-11	197	Hampton/Jacque Demattio	Allison Park, Pa.
24	Day, Derek*	RB	Sr./Jr.	5-9	199	Central Dauphin/Glen McNamee	Bellefonte, Pa.
39	Della Valle, Jesse	CB	So./Fr.	6-1	187	Shaler Area/Neil Gordon	Pittsburgh, Pa.
65	Dieffenbach, Miles	С	So./Fr.	6-3	291	Fox Chapel/Bryan Deal	Pittsburgh, Pa.
7	Drake, Curtis*	WR	Jr./So.	5-11	173	West Philadelphia Catholic/Brian Fluck	Philadelphia, Pa.
24	Duckett, Jonathan	Saf	So./Fr.	6-1	197	Bishop McDevitt/ Jeff Weachter	Harrisburg, Pa.
26	Dukes, Curtis	TB	Jr./So.	6-1	237	Indian River/Cory Marsell	Evans Mills, N.Y.
33	Dupree, Andre	FB	Jr./So.	5-10	253	North Point/Ken Lane	Waldorf, Md.
57	Etter, Emery	KS	Jr./So.	6-1	211	Chambersburg Area/Dave Carruthers	Chambersburg, Pa.
27	Fagnano, Jacob*	Saf	Sr./Jr.	6-0	207	Williamsport/Tom Gravish	Williamsport, Pa.
78	Farrell, Mike*	T	Sr./Jr.	6-6	290	Shady Side Academy/Dave Havern	Pittsburgh, Pa.
30	Fera, Anthony*	P/PK	Jr./So.	6-2	215	St. Pius X/Robin Kirk	Cypress, Texas
97		PK		6-3	177		Valparaiso, Ind.
	Ficken, Sam		Fr./Fr.			Valparaiso/Marlk Hoffman	
62	Figueroa, Frank	G	Jr./So.	6-3	294	Thomas Edison/Vaughn Lewis	San Antonio, Texas
15	Flanagan, Patrick	WR	So./Fr.	5-8	147	Hill School/Marty Vollmuth	State College, Pa.
11	Fortt, Khairi*	LB	So./So.	6-2	234	Stamford/Kevin Jones	Stamford, Conn.
23	Friend, Brian	WR	Jr./So.	6-1	196	Central Catholic/Terry Totten	Pittsburgh, Pa.
44	Fuhrman, Michael	KS	Sr./Jr.	5-10	216	North Allegheny/Art Walker	Pittsburgh, Pa.
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97	Graham, Luke	DT	So./Fr.	6-4	283	Penn Trafford/Art Tragesser	Harrison City, Pa.
21	Green, Stephfon***	TB	Sr./Sr.	5-10	193	John F. Kennedy/Alex Vega	Bronx, N.Y.
58	Gress, Adam	T	Jr./So.	6-6	304	West Mifflin/Tim Brennan	West Mifflin, Pa.
75	Hailes, Evan	DT	So./Fr.	6-1	303	Oscar F. Smith/Richard Morgan	Chesapeake, Va.
10	Haplea, Kevin*	TE	So./So.	6-4	251	North Hunterdon/John Mattes	Annandale, N.J.
	Hill, Jordan**				297		Steelton, Pa.
47		DL	Jr./Jr.	6-1		Steel/Rob Deibler	
6	Hodges, Gerald**	LB	Jr./Jr.	6-2	234	Paulsboro/Glenn Howard	Paulsboro, N.J.
60	Howle, Ty	С	Jr./So.	6-0	295	Bunn/David Howle	Wake Forest, N.C.
43	Hull, Mike	LB	So,/Fr.	6-0	220	Canon-McMillan/Guy Montecalvo	Canonsburg, Pa.
82	Irvin, Brian	TE	Sr./Jr.	6-3	249	Gettysburg/Sam Leedy	Orrtanna, Pa.
91	Jones, DaQuan*	DL	So./So.	6-3	312	Johnson City Senior/Fred Deinhardt	Johnson City, N.Y.
13	Jones, Paul	QB	So./Fr.	6-3	242	Sto-Rox/Jason Ruscitto	McKees Rocks, Pa.
23	Keiser, Ryan	Saf	So./Fr.	6-1	206	Selinsgrove/ Dave Hess	Selinsgrove, Pa.
15	Kenney, Alex	СВ	So./Fr.	6-0	195	State College Area/ Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
48	Kerner, Jordan	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-4	241	Fairview/Jim Brinling	Fairview, Pa.
70	. willon, oordari		Jr./So.	6-1	198	Woodbury/Zack Valentine	Woodbury, N.J.
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81	Kersey, Shawney*	WR		6.2	200	Dallactown/Kovin Muore	Vorla Do
38	Kline, Ben	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-2	223	Dallastown/Kevin Myers	York, Pa.
38 72	Kline, Ben Kolb, Khamrone	LB G	Fr./Fr. So./Fr.	6-5	317	Lake Braddock Secondary/Jim Poythress	Burke, Va.
38	Kline, Ben	LB	Fr./Fr.				

## 2011 NITTANY LION FOOTBALL



NO.	NAME	POS.	CL./EL.	HT.	WT.	HIGH SCHOOL/COACH	HOMETOWN
4	Lewis, Evan	PK/WR	Sr./Jr.	5-10	173	Gettysburg/Sam Leedy	Gettysburg, Pa.
26	Lucas, Kyle	LB	Jr./So.	5-11	233	Bellefonte/Zac Wynkoop	Bellefonte, Pa.
8	Lynn, D'Anton***	CB	Sr./Sr.	6-1	208	Celina/Butch Ford	Celina, Texas
66	Mangiro, Angelo	OL	Fr./Fr.	6-3	287	Roxbury/Cosmo Lorusso	Succasunna, N.J.
88	Mason, J.D.	TE	Sr./Jr.	6-4	247	Philipsburg-Osceola/Jeff Vroman	Philipsburg, Pa.
59	Massaro, Pete*	DE	Sr./Jr.	6-4	264		Newtown Square, Pa.
42	Mauti, Michael**	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-2	242	Mandeville/Guy LeCompte	Mandeville, La.
11	McGloin, Matt*	QB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	211	West Scranton/Mike DeAntona	Scranton, Pa.
2	McGregor, Shane	QB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	198	Central Cambria/Ken Bussard	Ebensburg, Pa.
12	Morris, Stephon**	CB	Jr./Jr.	5-8	184	Eleanor Roosevelt/Tom Green	Greenbelt, Md.
85	Moseby-Felder, Brandon	WR	Jr./So.	6-2	191		ort Washington, Md.
6	Moye, Derek***	WR	Sr./Sr.	6-5	210	Rochester/Gene Matsook	Rochester, Pa.
68	Nowicki, Ryan	OL	Fr./Fr.	6-5	292	Cactus/Larry Fetkenheir	Glendale, Ariz.
94	Oakman, Shawn	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-7	260	Penn Wood/Sam Mormando	Lansdowne, Pa.
7	Obeng-Agyapong, Stephen*	Saf	Jr./So.	5-10	202	John F. Kennedy/Alex Vega	Bronx, N.Y.
52	Okoli, Chima*	Т	Gr./Sr.	6-4	293	Salem/Robert Jackson	Virginia Beach, Va.
86	Olaniyan, C.J.	DE	So./Fr.	6-3	249	Warren Mott/Tom Milanov	Warren, Mich.
50	Pannell, DeOn'tae***	G	Sr./Sr.	6-5	310	Groves/Brendan Flaherty	Southfield, Mich.
46	Pollock, Kenny	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	194	Lake Lehman/Carl Kern	Dallas, Pa.
2	Powell, Chaz***	CB	Sr./Sr.	6-1	206	Susquehannock/Tom Waranavage	New Freedom, Pa.
25	Redd, Silas*	TB	So./So.	5-10	209	King Low Heywood Thomas/Dan Gouin	Norwalk, Conn.
41	Refice, J.R.	DT	Jr./So.	6-0	262	Valley View/George Howanitz	Jessup, Pa.
22	Rhattigan, T.J.	LB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	193	Neuqua Valley/Bryan Wells	Naperville, III.
8	Robinson, Allen	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-3	199	Orchard Lane St. Mary's/George Porritt	Southfield, Mich.
53	Rohrbaugh, Jon	KS	Sr./Sr.	6-0	215	Howard/Bruce Strunk	Ellicott City, Md.
32	Royer, Dakota	LB	So./Fr.	6-1	233	Manheim Central/Mike Williams	Lancaster, Pa.
16	Scherer, Ryan	WR	Sr./Jr.	5-8	176	Avon Lake/Dave Dlugosz	Avon Lake, Ohio
75	Shrive, Eric	G	Jr./So.	6-6	297	West Scranton/Mike DeAntona	Scranton, Pa.
20	Smith, Devon**	WR	Jr./Jr.	5-7	155	Westlake/Dom Zaccarelli	White Plains, Md.
76	Smith, Donovan	Т	Fr./Fr.	6-5	313	Owings Mills/Steve Lurz	Owings Mills, Md.
54	Stankiewitch, Matt*	С	Sr./Jr.	6-3	299	Blue Mountain/Chuck Kutz	Orwigsburg, Pa.
90	Stanley, Sean**	DE	Jr./Jr.	6-1	246	Gaithersburg/Kreg Kephart	Rockville, Md.
71	Still, Devon**	DT	Sr./Sr.	6-5	310	Howard/Dan Ritter	Wilmington, Del.
34	Stupar, Nate***	LB	Gr./Sr.	6-1	234	State College Area/Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
37	Suhey, Joe***	RB	Gr./Sr.	6-1	222	Loyola Academy/John Holecek	Deerfield, III.
1	Sukay, Nick **	Saf	Gr./Sr.	6-1	219	Greensburg Central Catholic/William Colosimo	Mt. Pleasant, Pa.
80	Szczerba, Andrew**	TE	Gr./Sr.	6-6	266	Salesianum/Bill DiNardo	Wilmington, Del.
93	Terry, James*	DT	Sr./Jr.	6-3	318	Brandywine/Steve Dent	New Castle, Del.
5	Thomas, Derrick	CB	Jr./So.	6-0	181	Eleanor Roosevelt/Tom Green	Greenbelt, Md.
36	Thompson, Deron	RB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	189	Warwick/Bob Locker	Lititz, Pa.
27	Tongue, Tariq	WR	Jr./So.	5-8	165	Holy Cross/Tom Pugh	Flushing, N.Y.
74	Troutman, Johnnie**	G	Gr./Sr.	6-4	314	Pemberton Township High/John Rosnick	Brown Mills, N.J.
64	Urschel, John	G	Jr./So.	6-3	292	Canisius/Brandon Harris	Williamsville, N.Y.
54	Van Fleet, James**	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	228	Loyalsock/Richard Delaney	Williamsport, Pa.
14	Venuto, Garrett	QB	Jr./So.	6-0	218	Ithaca/Ed Redmond	Ithaca, N.Y.
14	Wallace, Mike	CB	Jr./So.	5-9	193	Good Counsel/Bob Milloy	Silver Spring, Md.
10	Willis, Malcolm*	Saf	Jr./So.	5-11	209	Lackey/Doug Lamb	Marbury, Md.
33	Yancich, Michael*	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-2	237	Trinity/Ed Dalton	Washington, Pa.
83	Zanellato, Matt	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-3	184	Lake Braddock Secondary/Jim Poythress	Burke, Va.
35	Zerbe, Pat	FB	Jr./So.	6-1	234	Wilson/Doug Dahms	West Lawn, Pa.
98	Zettel, Anthony	DT	Fr./Fr.	6-5	259	Ogemaw Heights/Andrew Pratley	West Branch, Mich.
9	Zordich, Michael*	RB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	241	Cardinal Mooney/P.J. Fecko	Youngstown, Ohio
40	Zwinak, Zach	RB	So./Fr.	6-1	233	Linganore/Richard Conner	Frederick, Md.



## PENN STATE CAREER HIGHS

#### **PASSING**

#### **ROB BOLDEN**

Att: 37 @lowa, Oct. 2, 2010 Comp: 20 @lowa, Oct. 2, 2010 & vs. YSU, Sept. 4, 2010 Yards 239 vs. YSU, Sept. 4, 2010 TD: 2 vs. YSU, Sept. 4, 2010 Long 80 (TD) vs. Illinois, Oct. 9, 2010 vs. Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010 & Int: 2 @ Alabama, Sept. 11, 2010

#### **MATT McGLOIN**

vs. Michigan St., Nov. 27, 2010 Att: 43 Comp: 23 vs. Michigan St., Nov. 27, 2010 Yards 315 vs. Indiana, Nov. 20, 2010 TD: 4 vs. Northwestern, Nov. 6, 2010 Long: 45 vs. Michigan St., Nov. 27, 2010 Int: vs. Florida (Outback), Jan. 1, 2011

#### RECEIVING

#### **JUSTIN BROWN**

vs. Michigan St., Nov. 27, 2010 Yards 106 vs. Michigan St., Nov. 27, 2010 TD 1 @Ohio State, Nov.13, 2010 Long 45 vs. Michigan St., Nov. 27, 2010

#### **CURTIS DRAKE**

No. 2 @ Michigan St., Nov. 21 2009 vs. Indiana, Nov. 15, 2009 Yards 34 vs. Indiana, Nov. 15, 2009 **TD** 0 Long 28 vs. Indiana, Nov. 15, 2009

#### **GARRY GILLIAM**

No. 1 vs. Temple, Sept. 19, 2010 Yards 21 vs. Temple, Sept. 19, 2010 **TD** 0

Long 21 vs. Temple, Sept. 19, 2010

#### STEPHFON GREEN

No. 5 vs. S. California, Jan. 1, 2009 Yards 80 vs. Michigan, Oct. 18, 2008 TD 1 vs. Michigan, Oct. 18, 2008 **Long** 80 vs. Michigan, Oct. 18, 2008

#### **KEVIN HAPLEA**

No. 1 @ Minnesota, Oct. 23, 2010 @lowa, Oct. 2, 2010 Yards 23 @lowa, Oct. 2, 2010

TD 0

Long 23 @lowa, Oct. 2, 2010

#### **DEREK MOYE**

No. 6 four times. last @ Northwestern, Oct. 31, 2009 Yards 138 vs. Akron, Sept. 5, 2009 TD 2 @ Minnesota Oct 23 2010 Long 80 (TD )vs. Illinois, Oct. 9, 2010

#### **BRANDON MOSEBY-FELDER**

No. 2 vs Indiana, Nov. 20, 2010 Yards 10 vs Indiana, Nov. 20, 2010 **TD** 0

Long 5 vs Indiana, Nov. 20, 2010

#### **CHAZ POWELL**

No. 7 vs. Akron, Sept. 5, 2009 Yards 96 vs. Iowa, Sept. 26, 2009 1 three times,

last vs. E. Illinois, Oct. 10, 2009 Long 79 (TD) vs. Iowa, Sept. 26, 2009

**SILAS REDD** 1 @lowa, Oct. 2, 2010 vs. Michigan, Oct. 20, 2010 vs. Florida, Jan. 1, 2011

Yards 16 vs. Florida, Jan. 1, 2011

Long 16 vs. Florida, Jan. 1, 2011

#### **DEVON SMITH**

No. 5 @lowa, Oct. 2, 2010 @ Alabama, Sept. 11, 2010 Yards 61 vs. Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010 vs. Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010 Long 48 (TD) vs. Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010

#### **JOE SUHEY**

 
 No.
 6
 vs. Northwestern, Nov. 6, 2010

 Yards
 67
 vs. Northwestern, Nov. 6, 2010

 TD
 1
 @ Michigan State, Nov. 21, 2009
 Long 30 @ Michigan State, Nov. 21, 2009

#### **MICHAEL ZORDICH**

No. 1 Four times: last, vs. Florida (Outback), Jan. 1, 2011 Yards 10 @ Minnesota, Oct. 23, 2010

Long 10 @ Minnesota Oct 23 2010

#### RUSHING

#### **BRANDON BEACHUM**

Carries 8 vs. CCU, Aug. 30, 2008 Yards 43 vs. CCU, Aug. 30, 2008 TD 1 at Northwestern, Oct. 31, 2009 vs. CCU, Aug. 30, 2008

Long 22 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011

#### **ROB BOLDEN**

Carries 6 @ Alabama, Sept. 11, 2010 Yards 33 vs Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010 1 vs Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010 Long 17 vs Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010

#### **CURTIS DUKES**

**Carries** 6 vs. ISU., Sept. 3, 2011 **Yards** 51 vs. ISU., Sept. 3, 2012 Long 30 vs. ISU., Sept. 3, 2011

#### MATT McGLOIN

**Carries** 4 vs Michigan, Oct. 20, 2010 **Yards** 7 vs Michigan, Oct. 20, 2010 1 vs Michigan, Oct. 20, 2010 Long 11 vs Michigan, Oct. 20, 2010

#### STEPHFON GREEN

Carries 13 @ Illinois, Oct. 3, 2009 Yards 132 vs. Temple, Sept. 20, 2008 vs. Coastal Carolina, Aug. 30, 2008 Long 69 vs. Temple, Sept. 20, 2008

#### **CHAZ POWELL**

Carries 2

vs. Coastal Carolina, Aug. 30, 2008

vs. Coastal Carolina, Aug. 30, 2008 1 twice; last: TD vs. Temple, Sept. 20, 2008

Long 55

vs. Coastal Carolina, Aug. 30, 2008

#### SILAS REDD

Carries 12 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011 Yards 131 vs. Northwestern, Nov. 6, 2010 2 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011 Long 30 vs. Northwestern, Nov. 6, 2010

#### **DEVON SMITH**

Carries 2 twice, vs Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010 **Yards** 18 vs. E. Illinois, Oct. 10, 2009

Long 18 vs. E. Illinois, Oct. 10, 2009

#### **JOE SUHEY**

Carries 6 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011 Yards 29 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011 TD 1 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011 **Long** 14 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011

#### **MICHAEL ZORDICH**

**Carries** 5 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011 **Yards** 15 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011 Four times; last, vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011 Long 8 vs. Temple, Sept. 19, 2010

#### **TACKLES**

#### **DEFENSIVE LINE**

#### JACK CRAWFORD

5 vs. Iowa, Sept. 26, 2009

#### **JORDAN HILL**

7 @ Alabama, Sept. 11, 2010

#### **DaQUAN JONES**

3 @ Ohio State, Nov. 13, 2010

#### **ERIC LATIMORE**

5 @ Illinois, Oct. 3, 2009

#### **PETE MASSARO**

twice, @ Ohio State, Nov. 13, 2010

#### **SEAN STANLEY**

5 vs. Youngstown St., Sept. 4, 2010

#### **DEVON STILL**

7 vs. Florida (Outback). Jan. 1. 2011

#### **JAMES TERRY**

3 vs. Illinois, Oct. 9, 2010 @lowa, Oct. 2, 2010

#### LINEBACKER

#### **GLENN CARSON**

6 vs. Indiana, Nov. 20, 2010

#### **KHAIRI FORTT**

10 vs. Illinois, Oct. 9, 2010

#### **GERALD HODGES**

vs. Florida (Outback), Jan. 1, 2011

#### MIKE HULL

vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011

#### MICHAEL MAUTI

11 vs. Northwestern, Nov. 6, 2010

#### **NATE STUPAR**

12 vs. Akron, Sept. 5, 2009

#### JAMES VAN FLEET

3 vs. Illinois, Oct. 9, 2010 vs. Youngstown St., Sept. 4, 2010

#### MICHAEL YANCICH

6 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011

#### **DEFENSIVE BACKS**

#### DREW ASTORINO

10 vs. Indiana, Nov. 15, 2009

#### **D'ANTON LYNN**

10 @ Minnesota, Oct. 23, 2010

#### **NICK SUKAY**

9 vs. Iowa, Sept. 26, 2009

#### **STEPHON MORRIS**

9 vs Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010

#### **STEPHEN OBENG-AGYAPONG**

3 vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 vs. Youngstown St., Sept. 4, 2010

#### **CHAZ POWELL**

4 vs. Indiana, Nov. 20, 2010

#### **DERRICK THOMAS**

2 vs Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010 **MALCOLM WILLIS** 9 @ Minnesota, Oct. 23, 2010



## LAST GAME RECAP

#### **LIONS DOWN INDIANA STATE** 41-7 IN SEASON OPENER

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.; Sept. 3, 2011 - Penn State opened its 125th season in style, rolling past Indiana State, 41-7, in Beaver Stadium. Penn State led throughout following a Chaz Powell 95-yard kick-off return touchdown to open

Sophomore Silas Redd led the Nittany Lion ground game with a pair of touchdowns and 104 yards. The Penn State rushing attack earned 245 yards on the day.

Penn State improved to 104-19-2 record in season openers. The Nittany Lions are 39-7 in season openers under Joe Paterno and 112-12-1 in home openers. Penn State has won 10 consecutive season openers.

On a day where Penn State out-gained Indiana State, 359-170, in total offense, the Nittany Lion rushing game proved decisive against the Sycamores. Penn State earned 16 of its 21 first downs on the ground.

The Penn State defense was sterling, holding ISU to just eight first downs with two interceptions, two sacks and a fumble recovery. Penn State forced three turnovers, the most forced by the Nittany Lions since causing four last year against Temple. The NIttany Lions converted the turnovers into two touchdowns (13 points).

Six seniors started on offense and six seniors started on defense for Penn

Penn State wasted no time scoring as Powell took the opening kick-off 95 yards to open a 7-0 lead just 13 seconds into the game, with Evan Lewis adding his first career PAT kick. The TD return by Powell was his second straight in a season opener, having returned a kickoff 100 yards for a score to open the second half against Youngstown State in 2010.

Redd delivered his second-career 100-yard rushing game and had his first career multiple-touchdown game with two rushing touchdowns. Tailback Curtis Dukes had a career-long 30-yard rush in the third quarter, and a career-best 47 vards on his six carries.

Co-captain Derek Moye had four catches, giving him 108 on his career. He moved into ninth place at Penn State, behind Terry Smith (109 catches). Moye's 57 receiving yards gave him 1,798 yards in his career, which is 10th place in the Penn State annals.

Redshirt linebacker Mike Hull had seven tackles in his first career action. Linebacker Michael Yancich notched a career-best six tackles.

Three Nittany Lion true freshmen made their debuts: CB Adrian Amos, PK Sam Ficken and WR Allen Robinson

After an Indiana State three-and-out on the Sycamores' first possession, the Nittany Lions rattled off a long drive led by starting quarterback Rob Bolden that resulted in a Redd nine-yard touchdown run on the 11th play of the drive, which totaled 77 yards. The march down the field was highlighted by a 16-yard run by Redd on the second play and a 14-yard scramble by Joe Suhey on the next play. The drive lasted a second shy of five minutes as PSU took a 14-0 lead with 8:20 left in the first quarter.

Co-captain Drew Astorino intercepted a third-down pass by ISU's Ronnie Fouch and ran it back 33 yards to the Indiana 22-yard line. But, Lewis missed a 38-yard field goal attempt.

Penn State opened the second quarter by embarking on another long touchdown drive. Penn State chipped away with Brandon Beachum while sprinkling in rushes of seven and three yards by Mike Zordich. Matt McGloin entered on the first offensive play in the second quarter and led three scoring drives.

#### **GAME STATISTICS**

#### **SCORE BY PERIODS**

	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
Indiana State	0	0	0	7	7
Penn State	14	14	6	7	41

#### **SCORING SUMMARY**

PSU - Powell 95yd kickoff return (Lewis kick)

PSU - Redd 9yd run (Lewis kick)

PSU - Zordich 1yd run (Lewis kick)

PSU - Redd 4yd run (Lewis kick)

PSU - Suhey 1yd run (Lewis kick failed)

PSU - McGregor 3yd run (Ficken kick)

ISU - Hilton 20yd pass from Fouch (Little kick)

#### **TEAM STATS**

	ISU	PSU
First Downs	8	21
Total Net Yards	170	359
Yards Rushing	65	245
Yards Passing	105	114
Pass (C-A-Int)	11-23-2	12-20-0
Punts-Average	8-40.8	3-38.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	4-30	7-45

#### **ATTENDANCE**

96,461

#### **INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS**

RUSHING	
Penn State - Redd 12 for 104 2 TD	

Dukes 6 for 47; Beachum 7 for 41; Suhey 6 for 29, 1 TD; Zordich 5 for 15, 1 TD

Indiana State - Bell 13 for 44; Fouch 6 for 11,

Cheeseborough 8 for 8

#### Penn State -

Bolden 6 of 12 for 37

McGloin 6 of 8 for 77

#### Indiana State -

Fouch 11 of 23 for 105, 1 TD

#### RECEIVING

Penn State - Moye 4 for 57;

Suhey 2 for 16; Brown 1 for 12

Indiana State - Hilton 5 for 45, 1 TD; Jones 2 for 33; Lough 2 for 5

## **2011** OPPONENT TRACKER

#### **INDIANA STATE**

gosycamores.com

RECORD: 0-1 THIS WEEK: vs. Butler

#### **ALABAMA**

rolltide.com

RECORD: 1-0 THIS WEEK: at PENN STATE

#### **TEMPLE**

owlsports.com RECORD: 1-0 THIS WEEK:

#### E. MICHIGAN

emueagles.com RECORD: 1-0

THIS WEEK: vs. Alabama State

#### INDIANA

iuhoosiers.com RECORD: 0-1 THIS WEEK:

#### **IOWA**

hawkeyesports.com RECORD: 1-0 THIS WEEK: at Iowa State

#### **PURDUE**

purduesports.com

RECORD: 1-0

THIS WEEK: at Rice

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#### **NORTHWESTERN**

nusports.com

RECORD: 1-0 THIS WEEK:

vs. Eastern Illinois

#### **ILLINOIS**

fightingillini.com

RECORD: 1-0 THIS WEEK:

at Akron

vs. South Dakota State

#### **NEBRASKA**

huskers.com RECORD: 1-0

THIS WEEK: vs.Fresno State

#### **OHIO STATE**

ohiostatebuckeyes.com RECORD: 1-0

THIS WEEK: vs. Toledo

vs. Virginia

#### **WISCONSIN**

uwbadgers.com

RECORD: 1-0 THIS WEEK:

vs. Oregon State



## THE LAST TIME

#### BY PENN STATE

100 Yards Rushing: 104, Silas Redd vs. Indiana State, 2011 150 Yards Rushing: 150, Evan Royster vs. Michigan, 2010. 200 Yards Rushing: 279, Larry Johnson vs. Michigan State, 2002. 300 Yards Rushing: 327, Larry Johnson at Indiana, 2002. 30 Rushing Attempts: 31, Tony Hunt vs. Tennessee, 2007 Outback. 35 Rushing Attempts: 37, Curtis Enis at Purdue, 1997

Three Touchdowns Rushing: Evan Royster vs. Oregon State, 2008. Four Touchdowns Rushing: Larry Johnson vs. Michigan State, 2002. Five Touchdowns Rushing: Ki-Jana Carter vs. Michigan State, 1994.

70-Yard Run: 76, A.J. Wallace vs. Youngstown State, 2006. 80-Yard Run: 84, Larry Johnson vs. Illinois, 2002.

90-Yard Run: 92, Blair Thomas vs. Syracuse, 1986. Two Players Rushing For 100 Yards: (Evan Royster (134) & Silas Redd (131) vs NU 2010

300 Yards Passing: 312, Matt McGloin vs. Michigan State, 2010.

350 Yards Passing: 353, Daryll Clark vs. Akron, 2009.

20 Pass Completions: 23, Matt McGloin vs. Michigan State, 2010.

25 Pass Completions: 29, Daryll Clark vs. Akron, 2009. 30 Pass Attempts: 31, Matt McGloin vs. Indiana, 2010.

40 Pass Attempts: 41, Matt McGloin vs. Florida, 2011 Outback Bowl.

50 Pass Attempts: 51, Rashard Casey vs. lowa, 2000.

Four Touchdown Passes: 4, Matt McGloin vs. Northwestern, 2010. Five Touchdown Passes: 5, Rashard Casey vs. Louisiana Tech, 2000.

Four Interceptions Thrown: 5, Matt McGloin vs. Florida, 2011 Outback Bowl 300 Yards Total Offense: 308, Matt McGloin (312 pass, -4 rush) vs. Michigan

350 Yards Total Offense: 358, Daryll Clark (253 pass, 5 rush) vs. Akron, 2009. 400 Yards Total Offense: 418, Zack Mills (280 pass, 118 rush) vs. Ohio State,

100 Yards Receiving: 106, Justin Brown vs. Michigan State, 2010. 150 Yards Receiving: 177, Chafie Fields at Miami (Fla.), 1999. 200 Yards Receiving: 216, Deon Butler vs. Northwestern, 2006.

Two Players With 100 Yards Receiving: Deon Butler (133) & Jordan Norwood (127) vs. Michigan State, 2008

Back-to-Back Games With 100 Yards Receiving: Jordan Norwood (113 vs. Syracuse and 116 vs. Oregon State), 2008

10 Receptions: 10, Derrick Williams vs. Purdue, 2007.

70-Yard Reception: 79, Chaz Powell from Daryll Clark vs. lowa, 2009. 80-Yard Reception: 80, Derek Moye from Rob Bolden vs. Illinois, Oct. 9, 2010

250 All-Purpose Yards: 289, Larry Johnson vs. Michigan State, 2002. 200 All-Purpose Yards: 241, Derrick Williams vs. Illinois, 2008.

150 All-Purpose Yards: 157, Evan Royster vs. Michigan, 2010 Three Touchdowns Receiving: 3, Graham Zug at Michigan, 2009 Four Touchdowns Receiving: 4, Bobby Engram vs. Minnesota, 1993.

Kickoff Return For Touchdown: 95, Chaz Powell vs. Indiana State, 2011. Rushing TD, Receiving TD & Kickoff Return For TD: Derrick Williams vs. IIlinois, 2008.

100-Yard Kickoff Return: 100, Chaz Powell vs. Youngstown State, 2010. Punt Return For Touchdown: 63, Derrick Williams at Wisconsin, 2008.

80-Yard Punt Return: 81, Bryant Johnson vs. Michigan State, 2002. Multiple Interceptions: 2, Nick Sukay vs. Temple, 2010.

Interception Return For Touchdown: 73, Navorro Bowman vs. Indiana, 2009 Fumble Return For Touchdown: 91, Navorro Bowman vs. E. Illinois, 2009

Blocked Field Goal: Jared Odrick at Northwestern, 2009

Blocked Punt: Andrew Dailey vs. Indiana, 2010

Blocked Punt For Touchdown: 21, Jamie VanFleet vs. Indiana, 2010 (A.Dailey block)

Safety: Devon Still, sack in end zone, at Minnesota, 2010 50-Yard Field Goal: 50, Kevin Kelly at Wisconsin, 2008

Four Field Goals: 4, Collin Wagner vs. LSU, 2010 Capital One Bowl

Five Field Goals: 5, Collin Wagner vs. Temple, 2010

#### BY OPPONENT

100 Yards Rushing: 118, Edwin Baker, Michigan State, 2010 150 Yards Rushing: 190, Dan Herron, Ohio State, 2010. 200 Yards Rushing: 203, BenJarvus Green-Ellis, Indiana, 2003. 35 Rushing Attempts: 44, Mike Hart, Michigan, 2007 (opponent record). Three Touchdowns Rushing: 3, Denard Robinson, Michigan, 2010. Four Touchdowns Rushing: 4, T.J. Duckett, Michigan State, 1999.

70-Yard Run: 79. Rashard Mendenhall, Illinois, 2006.

Two Players Rushing For 100 Yards: Josh Davis (179) & Jammal Lord Nebraska, 2003.

300 Yards Passing: 330, Drew Willy, Buffalo, 2007.

400 Yards Passing: 413, Mark Sanchez, USC, 2009 Rose Bowl. 25 Pass Completions: 26, Adam Weber, Minnesota, 2010.I

30 Pass Completions: 32, Ben Chappell, Indiana, 2009 35 Pass Completions: 35, Kyle Orton, Purdue, 2004.

40 Pass Attempts: 41, Ben Chappell, Indiana, 2010. 50 Pass Attempts: 51, Ben Chappell, Indiana, 2009

60 Pass Attempts: 61, Brian Hoyer, Michigan State, 2006.

Four Touchdown Passes: 4, Mark Sanchez, USC, 2009 Rose Bowl. Four Interceptions Thrown: 4, Drew Stanton, Michigan State, 2005.

400 Yards Total Offense: 429, Mark Sanchez (413 pass, 16 rush), USC, 2009

500 Yards Total Offense: 536, Tim Schade (478 pass, 59 rush), Minnesota, 1993

150 Yards Receiving: 162, Damian Williams, USC, 2009 Rose Bowl.

200 Yards Receiving: 285, Thomas Lewis, Indiana, 1993. 10 Receptions: 10, Damian Williams, USC, 2009 Rose Bowl

80-Yard Reception: 80, Dominique Barnes from Kurt Hess, Youngstown State, 2010.

90-Yard Reception: 99, Thomas Lewis from John Paci, Indiana, 1993. Three Touchdown Receptions: 3, Da'Jon McKnight, Minnesota, 2010

Kickoff Return For Touchdown: 98, Dorien Bryant, Purdue, 2007. 100-Yard Kickoff Return: 100, Derrick Mason, Michigan State, 1994. Punt Return For Touchdown: 87, Willie Reid, Florida State, 2006 Orange. 80-Yard Punt Return: 87. Willie Reid, Florida State, 2006 Orange,

Interception Return For Touchdown: 80, Ahmad Black, Florida, 2011 Outback Bowl

Fumble Return For Touchdown: 25, Tom Zbikowski, Notre Dame, 2006. Blocked Punt For Touchdown: 27, Lerentee McCray, Florida, 2011 Outback. Safety: team (fumble recovered by Penn State player in end zone), lowa, 2009.

Defensive Extra Point: 99, D.J. Johnson, Iowa, 2002. 50-Yard Field Goal: 50, Derek Dimke, Illinois, 2010.



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## **2011 TEAM OFFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS**

	ISU	Alabama	Temple East. Mich.	Indiana	lowa	Purdue	Northwestern	Illinois	Nebraska	Ohio State	Wisconsin
First Downs	21										
Rushing	16										
Passing	5										
Penalty	0										
Third-Down Conversions	2/10										
Fourth-Down Conversions	2/3										
Total Offensive Yards	359										
Plays	68										
Average Per Play	5.3										
Rushing Net Yards	245										
Rushing Attempts	48										
Average Per Rush	5.1										
Passing Net Yards	114										
Attempts	20										
Completions	12										
Interceptions	0										
Sacked/Yards Lost	3/23										
Punts/Average	3/38.0										
Penalties/Yards	7/45										
Fumbles/Fumbles Lost	0/0										
Total Points	41										
Touchdowns Rushing	5										
Touchdowns Passing	0										
Touchdown Returns	1										
Other Touchdowns	0										
Safeties	0										
Kick PAT/Attempts	5/6										
Two-Point PAT/Attempts	0/0										
Field Goals/Attempts	0/2										
Time of Possession	32:09										

#### **RED ZONE RECAP**

PENN STATE		OPPONENTS
Opponent Series Result	Pct.	Opponent Series Result
Indiana St. 6,5 TD, 1 MFG	83.3	Indiana St. 1 1 TD
Alabama		Alabama
@Temple		@Temple
Eastern Mich.		Eastern Mich.
@Indiana		@Indiana
lowa		lowa
Purdue		Purdue
@Northwestern		@Northwestern
Illinois		Illinois
Nebraska		Nebraska
@ Ohio State		@ Ohio State
@Wisconsin		@Wisconsin
TOTAL 5/6 5TD, 1 MFG,		TOTAL 1/1 1 TD
1000	83.3	

2011 OFFENSIVE STARTERS										
OPPONENT	WR	LT	LG	C RG	RT	TE	QB	TB	WR	WR
Indiana St.	Moye	Barham	Pannell Stankew	vicz Troutman	Okoli	Suhey (1)	Bolden	Redd	Brown	Kersey
Alabama										
@Temple										
Eastern Mich.										
@Indiana										
lowa										
Purdue										
@Northwestern										
Illinois										
Nebraska										
@Ohio State		16								
@Wisconsin										
(1) Opened with a	fullback;	(2) Opened	with four WR							



## **2011 TEAM DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS**

THE PERSON OF TH	ISU	Alabama	Temple East. Mich.	Indiana	lowa	Purd	ue	ue Northwester	ue Northwestern Illinois	ue Northwestern Illinois Nebraska	ue Northwestern Illinois Nebraska Ohio State
First Downs	8										10000000000
Rushing	2							- TP	- THEODE		Bu. "1900000000
Passing	5										
Penalty	1										
hird-Down Conversions	3/15								THE REAL PROPERTY.	**************************************	**************************************
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otal Offensive Yards	170									MOR HOUSE	NOT HOSSION
Plays	53										NT - DOM: SOIL
Average Per Play	3.2									- 1000000	1000000
Rushing Net Yards	65										
Rushing Attempts	30							à			
Average Per Rush	2.2										
assing Net Yards	105										
Attempts	23										
Completions	11										
Interceptions	2										
Sacked/Yards Lost	2/10										
Punts/Average	8/40.8										
Penalties/Yards	4/30										
Fumbles/Fumbles Lost	1/1										
Total Points	7										
Touchdowns Rushing	0										
Touchdowns Passing	1										
Touchdown Returns	0										
Other Touchdowns	0										
Safeties	0										
Kick PAT/Attempts	1/1										
Two-Point PAT/Attempts	0/0										
Field Goals/Attempts	0/1										
Time of Possession	27:51										

#### **CAREER STARTS**

Player	'08	'09'	'10	'11	Total
Astorino (Saf)	3	12	12	1	28
Lynn (CB)	-	13	13	1	27
Moye (WR)	-	12	13	1	26
Crawford (DE)	-	13	7	1	21
Sukay (Saf)	-	13	6	1	20
Troutman (G)	-	8	11	1	20
Still (DT)	-	1	12	1	15
Barham (T)	-	-	13	1	14
Powell (CB)	-	9 (o)	4	1	14
Morris (CB)	-	1	10	-	11
Massaro (DE)	-	-	11	-	11
Pannell (T/G)	-	7	2	1	10
Suhey (RB)	-	2	7	1	10
Bolden (QB)	-	-	8	1	9
Brown (WR)	-	-	8	1	9
Stupar (LB)	-	2	7	-	9
Okoli (T)	-	-	8	1	9
Latimore (DE)	-	5	3	-	8
Mauti (LB)	-	-	7	1	8

Player	<b>'08</b>	'09'	'10	'11	Total
Smith (WR)	-	-	6	-	6
Willis (S)	-	-	6	-	6
Hill (DT)	-	-	4	1	5
McGloin (QB)	-	-	5	-	5
Gilliam (TE)	-	-	3	-	3
Stanley (DE)	-	-	2	1	3
Haplea (TE)	-	-	3	-	3
Stankiewitch (C)	-	2	-	1	3
Hodges (LB)	-	-	1	1	2
Silas Redd (TB)	-	-	-	1	1
Shawney Kersey (W	R) -	-	-	1	1
Glenn Carson (LB)	-	-	-	1	1
Drake (WR)	-	1	-	-	1
Fortt (LB)	-	-	1	-	1
Farrell (T)	-	-	1	-	1
Terry (DT)	-	-	1	-	1

#### **KICKOFFS**

KO TB Returns Yds./R Kick Avg.

SEASON Player

Lewis	6	1	5	22.0	63.0
Ficken	1	0	1	27.0	64.0
Game	ко	ТВ	Returns	Yds./R	Avg.
ISU	7	1	6	22.8	66.0
Alabama					
@Temple					
East. Mich.					
@Indiana					
Iowa					
Purdue					
@NU					
Illinois					
Nebraska					
@Ohio Sta	ite				
@Wiscons	in				



## **2011 INDIVIDUAL OFFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS**

RUSHING	(Attempts-Yards-TD)	
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	ISU	Alabama	Temple	Eastern Mich.	Indiana	lowa	Purdue	Northwestern	Illinois	Nebraska	Ohio State	Wisconsin
Silas Redd	12-104-2											
Curtis Dukes	6-47-0											
Brandon Beachu	ım 7-41-0											
Joe Suhey	6-29-1											
Michael Zordich	5-15-1											
Derek Day	3-9-0											
Derek Moye	2-8-0											
Shane McGrego	r 1-3-1											
Zach Zwinak	1-1-0											
Rob Bolden	4-(-4)-0											
Matt McGloin	1-(-8)-0											

#### RECEIVING(Catches-Yards-TD)

	ISU	Alabama	Temple	Eastern Mich.	Indiana	Iowa	Purdue	Northwestern	Illinois	Nebraska	Ohio State	Wisconsin
Derek Moye	4-57-0											
Joe Suhey	2-16-0											
Justin Brown	1-12-0											
Shawney Kersey	1-9-0											
Brandon Beachum	1-8-0											
Ryan Scherer	1-7-0											
Andrew Szczerba	1-4-0											
Curtis Dukes	1-1-0											

#### **PASSING**

Rob	Bolden	

TIOD DOIGCII					
	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Int.	TD
Indiana State	12	6	37	0	0
Alabama					
@Temple					
Eastern Mich.					
@Indiana					
Iowa					
Purdue					
@Northwestern					
Illinois					
Nebraska					
@Ohio State					
@Wisconsin					

#### Matt McGloin

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Int.	TD
Indiana State	8	6	77	0	0
Alabama			THE		
@Temple					
Eastern Mich.					
@Indiana					
lowa					
Purdue					
@Northwestern					
Illinois					
Nebraska					
@Ohio State					
@Wisconsin					

#### **Shane McGregor**

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Int.	TD
Indiana State	0	0	0	0	0
Alabama					
@Temple					
Eastern Mich.					
@Indiana					
Iowa					
Purdue					
@Northwestern					
Illinois					
Nebraska					
@Ohio State					
@\Missonsin					



## **2011 INDIVIDUAL DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS**

	ISU	Alabama	Temple	Eastern Mich.	Indiana	lowa	Purdue	Northwester	Illinois	Nebraska	Ohio State	Wisconsin
Michael Mauti	1-0-1											
Drew Astorino	1-0-1							Maria .				
D'Anton Lynn	1-1-2											
Nate Stupar	0-3-3											
Stephen Morris	0-1-1											
Nick Sukay	1-0-1											
Devon Still	2-1-3											
Jordan Hill	2-3-5											
Khairi Fortt	1-1-2											
Jack Crawford	1-3-4											
Gerald Hodges	2-1-3											
Sean Stanley												
James Terry	1-1-2											
James Van Fleet	1-0-1							-				
S. Obeng Agyapon	ig 2-1-3											
Glenn Carson												
Eric Latimore	0-1-1											
Derrick Thomas	DNP											
Chaz Powell	1-0-1											
DaQuan Jones	0-2-2				Name of Street, or other Designation of the last of th							
Michael Yancich	1-5-6											
Mike Hull	1-6-7											
Derek Day	0-3-3											
Adrian Amos	1-1-2											
Michael Zordich	1-0-1											
Alex Kenney	1-0-1											
C.J. Olaniyan	1-0-1											
Ryan Keiser	0-1-1											
Kevin Haplea	0-1-1											

## **2011 TACKLES FOR LOSS (SACKS)**

	ISU	Alabama	Temple	Eastern Mich.	Indiana	lowa	Purdue	Northwestern	Illinois	Nebraska	Ohio State	Wisconsin
Michael Yancich	1.5											
Jack Crawford	1 (.5)											
Gerald Hodges	1 (1)											
Devon Still	1											
Khairi Fortt	1											
Michael Hull	.5											
Jordan Hill	.5 (.5)											



	2011 DEFENSIVE STARTERS										
OPPONENT	LE	LT	RT	RE	OLB	ILB	OLB	LCB	SAFETY	HERO	RCB
Indiana St.	Stanley	Hill	Still	Crawford	Hodges	Carson	Mauti	Lynn	Sukay	Astorino	Powell
Alabama								-			
Temple											
Eastern Mich.											
Indiana											
lowa											
Purdue											
Northwestern											
Illinois											
Nebraska											
Ohio State											
Wisconsin											
(1) Started in Ni	ckel package										

#### **2011 SEASON SUPERLATIVES**

#### **Penn State Individual**

Rushes: 12, Silas Redd vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011
Yards Rushing: 104, Silas Redd vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011
Rushing Touchdowns: 2, Silas Redd vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011
Longest Rush: 30, Curtis Dukes vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011
Pass Attempts: 12, Rob Bolden vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011
Pass Completions: 6, Bolden & McGloin vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011
Yards Passing: 77, Matt McGloin vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011
Touchdown Passes: 0

Longest Pass Play: 29, McGloin to Moye vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Receptions: 4, Derek Moye vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Yards Receiving: 57, Derek Moye vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Touchdown Receptions: 0

Longest Reception: 29, Derek Moye vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Field Goals: 0

Longest Field Goal: 0

Punts: 3, Alex Butterworth vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Punting Average: 38.0, Alex Butterworth vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Longest Punt: 45, Alex Butterworth vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Longest Punt Return: 13, Brown & Smith vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Longest Kickoff Return: 95 (TD), Chaz Powell vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Tackles: 7, Mike Hull vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Sacks: 1, Gerald Hodges vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Tackles For Loss: 1.5, Michael Yancich vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Interceptions: 1, Astorino & Amos vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

#### **Penn State Team Offensive Highs & Lows**

Lows

Highs 48, vs. Indiana State Rushes: Yards Rushing: 245, vs. Indiana State 5.1, vs. Indiana State **Rushing Average: Rushing Touchdowns:** 5, vs. Indiana State Pass Attempts: 20, vs. Indiana State Pass Completions: 12, vs. Indiana State **Passing Yards:** 114, vs. Indiana State Yards Per Completion: 9.5, vs. Indiana State Touchdown Receptions: 48, vs. Indiana State Total Offense: 359. vs. Indiana State **Total Plays:** 68, vs. Indiana State Yards Per Play: 5.3, vs. Indiana State Points: 41, vs. Indiana State Sacks Made: 2, vs. Indiana State 21, vs. Indiana State First Downs: Penalties: 7. vs. Indiana State Penalty Yards: 45, vs. Indiana State 0, vs. Indiana State Turnovers: Interceptions Made: 2, vs. Indiana State

#### **Opponent Individual**

Rushes: 13, Shakir Bell Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Yards Rushing: 43, Shakir Bell Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Rushing Touchdowns: 0

Longest Rush: 10, Ronnie Fouch Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Pass Attempts: 23, Ronnie Fouch Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Pass Completions: 11, Ronnie Fouch Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Yards Passing: 105, Ronnie Fouch Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Touchdown Passes: 1, Ronnie Fouch Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Longest Pass Play: 29, Fouch to Jones Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Receptions: 5, Justin Hilton Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Yards Receiving: 45, Justin Hilton Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Touchdown Receptions: 1, Justin Hilton Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Longest Reception: 29, Alex Jones Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Field Goals: 0 Longest Field Goal: 0

Punts: 8, Santino Davis Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Punting Average: 40.8, Santino Davis Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Longest Punt: 49, Santino Davis Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Longest Punt Return: 0

Longest Kickoff Return: 28, Riston & Cheeseborough Indiana State, Sept. 3,

Tackles: 10, Sewall & Washington Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Sacks: 1.0, three players, vs. Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011 Tackles For Loss: 1.0, 4 players, Indiana State, Sept. 3, 2011

Interceptions: 0

#### **Opponent Team Offensive Highs & Lows**

Lows

	Highs
Rushes:	30, vs. Indiana State
Yards Rushing:	65, vs. Indiana State
Rushing Average:	2.2, vs. Indiana State
Rushing Touchdowns:	0, vs. Indiana State
Pass Attempts:	23, vs. Indiana State
Pass Completions:	11, vs. Indiana State
Passing Yards:	105, vs. Indiana State
Yards Per Completion:	9.5, vs. Indiana State
Touchdown Receptions:	1, vs. Indiana State
Total Offense:	170, vs. Indiana State
Total Plays:	53, vs. Indiana State
Yards Per Play:	3.2, vs. Indiana State
Points:	7, vs. Indiana State
Sacks Made:	3, vs. Indiana State
First Downs:	8, vs. Indiana State
Penalties:	4, vs. Indiana State
Penalty Yards:	30, vs. Indiana State
Turnovers:	3, vs. Indiana State
Interceptions Made:	0, vs. Indiana State



## **2011 SCORING DRIVES**

Game P	lays	Yards	Time	Result	Otr.	Scoring Play
Indiana S	State (	5)				
	11	77	4:59	TD	1	Silas Redd 9yd Run
The same	11	75	5:20	TD	2	Michael Zordich 1yd Run
	6	77	2:50	TD	2	Silas Redd 2yd Run
	5	21	2:14	TD	3	Joe Suhey 1yd Run
	4	12	2:08	TD	4	Shane McGregor 3yd Run

Totals: 5 scoring drives (5TD, 0 FG, 1 Special Teams)

Special Teams Touchdown: 95-yard kickoff return by Chaz Powell vs. ISU

#### **LONGEST PENN STATE DRIVES BY:**

Plays: 11 (twice), both TDs, vs. Indiana State Yards: 77 (twice), both TDs, vs. Indiana State Time: 5:20 (11 plays, 75 yards, TD) vs. Indiana State

#### **OPPONENT DRIVES**

Totals: 1 scoring drives (1TD, 0 FG, 0 Special Teams) Special Teams Touchdown: 0

#### **LONGEST OPPONENT DRIVES BY:**

Plays: 11 (62 yards, 5:56, TD) vs. Indiana State Yards: 62 (11 plays, 5:56, TD) vs. Indiana State Time: 5:56 (11 plays, 62 yards, TD) vs. Indiana State

#### **LONG PLAYS FROM SCRIMMAGE**

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
30	Run	Curtis Dukes	Indiana State
29	Pass	McGloin to Moye	Indiana State
22	Run	Brandon Beachum	Indiana State

**Penn State Offense (3)** 2011 Game-High: 3 vs. Indiana State

Play	#	Long	Орр.
Passing:	1	29yd McGloin to Moye	Indiana State
Rushing:	2	30yd Curtis Dukes	Indiana State

#### **Opponents' Offense (2)**

2011 Game-High: 2 by Indiana State

Play	#	Long	Орр.
Passing:	2	29 yards, Fouch to Jones	Indiana State
Rushing:	-		



#### **TURNOVER CHART**

#### **PENN STATE: 3 GAINED**

## OPPONENT: 0 GAINED

			PLAYS/	FIRST		
TURNOVER	QTR	PLAYER	YDS	DOWNS	RESULT	
INDIANA STATE (3)						
INT	1st	Astorino of Fouch	4-1	0	missed FG	
Fumble	3rd	Hill by Shakir	5-21	1	TD	
INT	4th	Amos of Fouch	4-12	1	TD	
ALABAMA						

			PLAYS/	FIRST	
TURNOVER	QTR	PLAYER	YDS	DOWNS	RESULT
INDIANA STATE (	0)				
-					
ALABAMA					
-					

					GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICAL LEADERS						
GAME	RUSHING	PASSING	RECEIVING YARDS	RECEPTIONS	TACKLES						
Indiana St.	Redd (104)	McGloin (77)	Moye (57)	Moye (4)	Hull (7)						
Alabama	1000										
@Temple											
Eastern Mich.	150A										
@Indiana											
lowa	1050										
Purdue											
@Northwestern											
Illinois											
Nebraska											
@Ohio State											
@Wisconsin	700										