

NITTANY LION FOOTBALL

PENN STATE

GAME 9

PENN STATE FOOTBALL
720 Wins
 (12th in nation)
44 Bowl Games
 (8th in nation)
21 Bowl Wins
 (T-12th in nation)
96 1st Team All-America Selections

GAME INFO

TELEVISION: ESPNU
 Tom Hart (p-by-p), John Congemi (analyst) and Allison Williams (sideline).
TV APPEARANCES: The Nittany Lions are appearing on television for the 225th time in their last 227 games.
RADIO: Penn State Sports Network (60 stations): Steve Jones (p-by-p), Jack Ham (analyst), Loren Crispell (sideline).
 Local: 93.7 FM & 1450 AM.
 Purdue Radio Network: Tim Newton (p-by-p), Pete Quinn (analyst), Kelly Kitchel (sideline).
 Local: 96.5 FM
WEB: Gametracker & Audio at GoPSUsports.com
ATTENDANCE: 45,000+
SERIES: This is the 16th meeting between the Nittany Lions and the Boilermakers since first meeting in 1951. Penn State is playing at Purdue for the first time since 2008. The series is tied at 3-3-1 (8 wins vacated by PSU). Penn State has met Purdue five times since its last loss in the series in 2004.

COACHES:
BILL O'BRIEN:
PENN STATE RECORD: 5-3, 1st year
OVERALL RECORD: Same
VS. PURDUE: First Meeting
NOTABLE: Named Penn State's 15th head football coach on Jan. 6, 2012...Former New England Patriots offensive coordinator under Bill Belichick... Coached NFL MVP Tom Brady from 2009-11...Won first career game vs. Navy on Sept. 15, 2012.
DANNY HOPE:
PURDUE RECORD: 19-26, 4th year
OVERALL RECORD: 54-48, 9th year
VS. PENN STATE: 0-1

PENN STATE (5-3; 3-1 Big Ten) at PURDUE (3-5, 0-4 Big Ten)

SATURDAY, NOV. 3, 2012, 3:32 p.m. ET • ESPNU
 ROSS-ADE STADIUM (62,500) • WEST LAFAYETTE, IND.

LIONS VISIT PURDUE; SEEK THIRD CONSECUTIVE ROAD WIN

THIS WEEK

Penn State saw its five-game winning streak come to an end last week, but will look to get back on track when it travels to Purdue for a 3:30 p.m. kick on ESPNU. The Nittany Lions fell to No. 9 Ohio State, 35-23, on Saturday evening and Purdue is coming off of a 44-28 loss at Minnesota last week. The Nittany Lions are playing at Ross-Ade Stadium for the first time since 2008. The teams began playing annually in 2011 as Big Ten Leaders Division rivals. Matt McGloin continued to climb the career passing charts with two more passing touchdowns versus the Buckeyes to move his career total to 38. His career-high 327 passing yards marked the fourth time in his career he hit the 300-yard mark, tying him with Kerry Collins for the most in school history. Allen Robinson broke the school record for catches in a single season by a sophomore, hauling in five passes versus OSU to push his season total to 52. He sits just 11 grabs away from the single season school record held by O.J. McDuffie (1992) and Bobby Engram (1995). Purdue is scoring 30.9 points per game. Coach Danny Hope said Robert Marve will start at quarterback. He has thrown six touchdown passes and connected on 60 of 92 throws for 597 yards.

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PENN STATE

Overall: 5-3 Big Ten: 3-1 Home: 3-2 Road: 2-1 Ntrl: 0-0

Date	Opponent (rank)	Score/Time	TV	Attend.
9-1	OHIO	L, 14-24	ESPN	97,186
9-8	at Virginia	L, 16-17	ABC	56,087
9-15	NAVY	W, 34-7	ABC/ESPN2	98,792
9-22	TEMPLE	W, 24-13	ABC/ESPN2	93,680
9-29	at Illinois*	W, 35-7	ESPN	46,734
10-6	N'WESTERN* (24/22)	W, 39-28	ESPN	95,769
10-20	at Iowa*	W, 38-14	BTN	70,585
10-27	OHIO STATE* (7/-)	L, 23-35	ESPN	107,818
11-3	at Purdue*	3:30	ESPNU	
11-10	at Nebraska* (21/21)	3:30	ABC/ESPN2	
11-17	INDIANA*	TBA	TBA	
11-24	WISCONSIN*	TBA	TBA	

PURDUE

Overall: 3-5 Big Ten: 0-4 Home: 3-2 Road: 0-3 Ntrl: 0-0

Date	Opponent (rank)	Time/Score
9/01	EASTERN KENTUCKY	W, 48-6
9/08	at Notre Dame	L, 17-20
9/15	EASTERN MICHIGAN	W, 54-16
9/29	MARSHALL	W, 51-41
10/06	MICHIGAN*	L, 13-44
10/13	WISCONSIN*	L, 14-38
10/20	at Ohio State*	L, 22-29 (OT)
10/27	at Minnesota*	L, 28-44
11/03	PENN STATE*	3:30 p.m.
11/10	at Iowa*	TBA
11/17	at Illinois*	TBA
11/24	INDIANA*	TBA

PENN STATE LEADERS

RUSHING:
 Zach Zwinak 96 for 411 yds (4.3), 3 TD
 Bill Belton 59 for 259 yds (4.4), 3 TD
PASSING:
 Matt McGloin 189 of 304, 2,127 yds, 16 TD/3 INT
RECEIVING:
 Allen Robinson 52 for 631 yds (12.1), 8 TD
 Kyle Carter 35 for 441 yds (12.6), 2 TD
 Matt Lehman 15 for 184 yds (12.3), 3 TD
SCORING:
 Allen Robinson 8 TD, 48 pts
TACKLES:
 Michael Mauti 78 tkls (43 UA), 3.5 TFL, 3 INT
 Gerald Hodges 68 tkls (23 UA), 3.5 TFL, 1 sack
 Glenn Carson 47 tkls (22 UA), 2.5 TFL, 1 sack
 Deion Barnes 16 tkls (9 UA), 4.0 sacks, 2 FF

PURDUE LEADERS

RUSHING:
 Akeem Shavers 95 for 432 yds (4.5), 3 TD
 Akeem Hunt 34 for 328 yds (9.6), 2 TD
PASSING:
 Caleb TerBush 98 for 169, 995 yds, 11 TD/8 INT
 Robert Marve 60 for 92, 597 yds, 6 TD/2 INT
RECEIVING:
 Antavain Edison 38 for 432 yds (11.4), 6 TD
 O.J. Ross 38 for 299 yds (7.9), 1 TD
 Gary Bush 24 for 235 yds (9.8), 5 TD
SCORING:
 Antavain Edison 6 TD, 36 pts
TACKLES:
 Landon Feichter 49 tkls (34 UA), 4 INT, 3 PBU
 Will Lucas 41 tkls (32 UA), 3.5 TFL, 2 FF
 Kawann Short 25 tkls (22 UA), 9 TFL, 4 sacks

STATISTICAL COMPARISON

OFFENSE		
PENN STATE		PURDUE
134.6	RUSHING/GAME	161.2
3.4	YDS/RUSH	4.4
191-313-3	PASSING	176-291-11
265.9	PASSING/GAME	219.6
400.5	TOTAL OFF/GAME	380.9
5.1	YDS/PLAY	5.2
27.8	SCORING/GAME	30.8
+1.00	TURNOVER MARGIN	+0.12
DEFENSE		
PENN STATE		PURDUE
128.1	RUSHING/GAME	195.1
3.6	YDS/RUSH	4.9
154-264-7	PASSING	141-249-11
201.4	PASSING/GAME	213.9
329.5	TOTAL OFF/GAME	409.0
4.8	YDS/PLAY	5.8
18.1	SCORING/GAME	29.7

NEXT UP:

GAME 9: Nov. 10 at Nebraska, 2:30 pm CT
TICKETS: 1-800-NITTANY
TV/RADIO: ABC/ESPN2, Penn State Sports Network/www.GoPSUsports.com
SERIES: Nebraska leads, 7-6

* - Big Ten game All times Eastern Rank: #AP/ESPN USATODAY



LAST GAME RECAP

NITTANY LIONS DOWNED BY OHIO STATE, 35-23

UNIVERSITY PARK, PA.; October 27, 2012 -- After igniting an already boisterous crowd of 107,818 with a blocked punt for a touchdown to take the early lead, the Nittany Lions were unable to corral Braxton Miller and the No. 9-ranked Ohio State offense in the second half and fell, 35-23, in Beaver Stadium Saturday evening. After entering halftime tied at seven, the Buckeyes outscored the Nittany Lions, 28-16, in the second half to snap Penn State's five-game winning streak.

Penn State (5-3, 3-1 Big Ten) scored first thanks to a brilliant special teams play by Mike Hull (Canonsburg, Pa.), blocking Ben Buchanan's punt from inside his own 5-yard line, and senior Michael Yancich (Washington, Pa.) pounced on the loose ball in the end zone. It was the first blocked punt for a touchdown since 2010 for Penn State when Andrew Dailey blocked a punt and Jamie VanFleet recovered it for a touchdown against Indiana.

Matt McGloin (Scranton, Pa.) threw for a career-high 327 yards, completing 27-of-45 passes, to tie Kerry Collins for the most 300-yard passing games by a Penn State signal caller with four. The senior connected on a pair of touchdown passes - both to tight ends - and now has three straight games with at least two scoring tosses. He spread his 27 completions to nine different receivers and hooked up with Matt Lehman (Newport, Pa.) and Kyle Carter (Bear, Del.) for scores. The senior continued his climb through the Penn State record books, moving past Chuck Fusina (1975-78) into sixth in career touchdown passes with 38 and inched closer to breaking into the top five in career passing yards, becoming the seventh player in school history to reach the 5,000-yard mark, ending the night at 5,234.

Two more scoring drives of 80-plus yards give the Nittany Lions 10 such drives this season and they have had at least two such drives in each of their last three games. It was also the sixth time this season that a Penn State tight end hauled in a touchdown pass with Carter catching six passes against Ohio State for his third six-catch game this year.

Linebacker U. was on full display as Gerald Hodges (Paulsboro, N.J.) and Michael Mauti (Mandeville, La.) both reached double-digits in tackles, with 14 and 13, respectively. Mauti tied his career-high for tackles in a game, set last year against Alabama, while Hodges posted his first sack of the season. Sean Stanley (Rockville, Md.) added a career-best seven stops and senior Pete Massaro's (Newtown Square, Pa.) - who missed last season due to injury - sack of Braxton Miller to end the first quarter was his first sack since 2010.

It was the eighth time this season that Penn State tallied the opening score and each team turned the ball over once, but it was an interception for a touchdown to start the second half that sparked the Buckeyes' rally.

GAME STATISTICS

	SCORE BY PERIODS				TOTAL
	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	
Ohio State	0	7	21	7	35
Penn State	0	7	3	13	23

SCORING SUMMARY

PSU	06:15	Yancich 0yd blocked punt return (Ficken kick)	--
OSU	00:34	Hyde 1yd run (Basil kick)	12-75/5:32
OSU	13:41	Shazier 17yd interception return (Basil kick)	--
PSU	09:50	Ficken, Sam 27yd field goal	9-37/3:45
OSU	03:30	Miller 1yd run (Basil kick)	10-57/3:11
OSU	00:40	Miller 1yd run (Basil kick)	8-85/2:15
PSU	09:49	Lehman from McGloin 2yd pass (Belton rush failed)	18-80/5:45
OSU	06:11	Stoneburner from Miller 72yd pass (Basil kick)	6-92/3:32
PSU	01:41	Carter from McGloin 20yd pass (Ficken kick)	12-83/4:25

TEAM STATS

	PSU	OSU
First Downs	19	19
Rushing Yards	32	234
Passing Yards	327	143
Passing (C-A-Int)	27-46-1	7-19-1
Total Offense	359	377
Plays	74	72
Fumbles (#//Lost)	1/0	0/0
Penalties (#/-Yards)	9/85	7-75
Possession Time	27:53	32:07
3rd Down Conv.	5 of 17	8 of 16
Red-Zone	3-4	3-3
Touchdowns	2	3
Field goals	1	0

OTHER

Stadium	Beaver Stadium
Time of Game	3:10
Attendance	107,818
Ohio State	9-0, 5-0 Big Ten
Penn State	5-3, 3-1 Big Ten

INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS

RUSHING
Ohio State - Miller 25 for 134, 2 TD; Hyde 22 for 55, 1 TD; Smith 4 for 48.
Penn State - Zwinak 12 for 42; Belton 10 for 26; Zordich 1 for 3; McGloin 4 for -37.
PASSING
Ohio State - Miller 7 of 19 for 143, 1 TD, 1 INT.
Penn State - McGloin 27 of 45 for 327, 2 TD, 1 INT; Butterworth 0 of 1.
RECEIVING
Ohio State - Spencer 3 for 33; Stoneburner 2 for 86, 1 TD; Vannett 1 for 22; Hyde 1 for 2.
Penn State - Carter 6 for 77, 1 TD; Robinson 5 for 68; Belton 5 for 35; Moseby-Felder 4 for 70; Lehman 2 for 21, 1 TD; Zwinak 2 for 12; James 1 for 20; Gilliam 1 for 16; Williams 1 for 8.

2012 OPPONENT TRACKER

OHIO	VIRGINIA	NAVY	TEMPLE	ILLINOIS	NORTHWESTERN
ohiobobcats.com	virginiasports.com	navysports.com	owlsports.com	fightingillini.com	nusports.com
RECORD: 7-1	RECORD: 2-6	RECORD: 5-3	RECORD: 3-4	RECORD: 2-6, 0-4	RECORD: 7-2, 3-2
THIS WEEK:	THIS WEEK:	THIS WEEK:	THIS WEEK:	THIS WEEK:	THIS WEEK:
vs. Eastern Michigan	at North Carolina State	vs. FAU	at Louisville	at Ohio State	Idle
LAST WEEK:	LAST WEEK:	LAST WEEK:	LAST WEEK:	LAST WEEK:	LAST WEEK:
L, 20-23 at Miami (Ohio)	Idle	W, 56-28 at East Carolina	L, 17-47 at Pittsburgh	L, 17-31 vs. Indiana	W, 28-17 vs. Iowa
IOWA	OHIO STATE	PURDUE	NEBRASKA	INDIANA	WISCONSIN
hawkeyesports.com	ohiostatebuckeyes.com	purduesports.com	huskers.com	iuhoosiers.com	uwbadgers.com
RECORD: 4-4, 2-2	RECORD: 9-0, 5-0	RECORD: 3-5, 0-4	RECORD: 6-2, 3-1	RECORD: 3-5, 1-3	RECORD: 6-3, 3-2
THIS WEEK:	THIS WEEK:	THIS WEEK:	THIS WEEK:	THIS WEEK:	THIS WEEK:
at Indiana	vs. Illinois	vs. PENN STATE	at Michigan State	vs. Iowa	Idle
LAST WEEK:	LAST WEEK:	LAST WEEK:	LAST WEEK:	LAST WEEK:	LAST WEEK:
L, 17-28 at Northwestern	W, 35-23 at Penn State	L, 28-44 at Minnesota	W, 23-9 vs. Michigan	W, 31-17 at Illinois	L, 13-16 vs. Mich. St. (OT)



SERIES NOTES

SERIES HISTORY: Series Tied, 3-3-1

SERIES MEETINGS: 16th meeting

FIRST MEETING: 1951: Lost at Purdue, 28-0

HOME: 1-1-1

AWAY: 2-2

NEUTRAL: 0-0

NEXT MEETING: Nov. 16, 2013 at Beaver Stadium

SERIES RESULTS

Oct. 15, 2011 *	W	23-18	H
Oct. 4, 2008 *	W	20-6	A
Nov. 3, 2007 *	W	26-19	H
Oct. 28, 2006 *	W	12-0	A
Oct. 29, 2005 *	W	33-15	H
Oct. 9, 2004	L	20-13	H
Oct. 11, 2003	L	28-14	A
Sept. 30, 2000 *	W	22-20	H
Oct. 23, 1999 *	W	31-25	A
Oct. 17, 1998 *	W	31-13	H
Nov. 15, 1997	W	42-17	A
Oct. 12, 1996	W	31-14	H
Oct. 14, 1995	W	26-23	A
Sept. 27, 1952	T	20-20	H
Nov. 3, 1951	L	28-0	A

* - Wins vacated from 1998-2011, stats count

PENN STATE TOP PERFORMANCES

Rushing	Curtis Enis	37 for 186 yds ('97)
Passing	Wally Richardson	18 for 29, 281 yds ('95)
Receiving	Bobby Ingram	9 for 203 ('95)

PURDUE TOP PERFORMANCES

Rushing	Mike Alstott	24 for 149 ('95)
	Brandon Jones	29 for 149 ('03)
Passing	Drew Brees	31 for 48, 379 yds ('99)
	Drew Brees	39 for 58, 361 yds ('98)
Receiving	Vinny Sutherland	10 for 152 ('99)

PURDUE HEAD COACH DANNY HOPE

Danny Hope is in his fourth season as the head coach at Purdue and is 19-26 during his tenure with the Boilermakers. In nine years as a college head coach, Hope owns an overall record of 54-48 with a five-year stint as the sideline boss for Eastern Kentucky.

Hope was a Purdue assistant coach from 1997-2001 and in 2008. He is a 1981 graduate of Eastern Kentucky.

LAST GAME:

Minnesota's Philip Nelson threw three touchdown passes in the first half and the Golden Gophers earned their first Big Ten victory of the season by beating Purdue 44-28 last Saturday in Minneapolis.

Nelson led Minnesota to touchdowns on four straight possessions while the Gophers averaged almost 10 yards per play. He completed 12 straight passes in one stretch and had all 246 of his yards in the first half on the way to a 34-7 lead.

Purdue quarterback Robert Marve went 11 for 19 for 97 yards and two touchdowns in relief, helping the Boilermakers draw closer in the second half.

SCOUTING THE BOILERMAKERS

Through eight games, Purdue is averaging 30.9 points per game and allowing 29.8 points a contest.

Caleb TerBush has been the starting quarterback for most of the season and leads the squad with 995 yards on 98 of 169 passing. He has 11 touchdown passes and eight interceptions, scoring twice on the ground, as well.

Robert Marve is listed atop the depth chart at quarterback after taking over for TerBush last week at Minnesota. The sixth-year player has completed 60 of 92 passes for 597 yards in five games played this season with six touchdown passes and two interceptions.

Antavain Edison leads the team with 38 catches, six touchdown grabs and 432 receiving yards, while O.J. Ross has 299 yards receiving on 38 catches. Gary Bush has hauled in five touchdown passes and eight other Boilermaker receivers have caught one scoring pass in 2012.

The rushing attack is by a pair of Akeem Shavers and Akeem Hunt. Shavers has 95 carries for 432 yards and three scores. Hunt has piled up 328 yards on 34 carries and two scores, including an 81-yard scoring run against Wisconsin.

Eight players have rushed the ball 10 or more times this season for Purdue, while 14 have caught passes.

On the defensive side of the ball, Landon Feichter paces the squad with 49 tackles (34 solo) to go along with four of the team's 11 interceptions. Josh Johnson has three interceptions and a team-high nine pass breakups.

Kawann Short has nine tackles for loss and four of the squads 13 sacks and Ryan Russell has 5.5 tackles for loss and three sacks.

LAST MEETING:

The Nittany Lion defense generated a season-high three interceptions, as Purdue fell to No. 25 Penn State, 23-18, at Beaver Stadium on Oct. 15, 2011.

Silas Redd gained 131 yards on 28 rushing attempts and scored a touchdown. Curtis Dukes added his first touchdown of the season and Anthony Fera connected on all three of his field goal attempts.

Quarterbacks Rob Bolden and Matt McGloin each orchestrated a touchdown drive for the Nittany Lions. McGloin connected on 8-for-17 attempts for 145 yards. Justin Brown led the air attack with four catches for 86 yards.

The Nittany Lions out-gained the Boilermakers by a 367-344 margin and scored on four-of-five red-zone possessions.

Gerald Hodges led the Nittany Lions with eight tackles, including 3.0 for loss, while Sean Stanley recorded a sack. Nate Stupar and Nick Sukay recorded two and one interceptions, respectively.

NITTANY LIONS FROM INDIANA

Two players on the Nittany Lion roster hail from the Hoosier State, junior punter Alex Butterworth (Indianapolis) and sophomore placekicker Sam Ficken (Valparaiso).

Butterworth prepped at Heritage Christian School and his grandfather, Duff McKenzie (baseball), and uncle, John McKenzie (football), both played their respective sports at Purdue. He was an all-state kicker as a senior.

A standout at Valparaiso High School, Ficken was an all-state first team 5A pick as a senior. His cousin, Robbie Hummel, was an all-conference basketball player at Purdue.

PREP TEAMMATES MEET

- Penn State PK Sam Ficken and Purdue LS John Bednar played at Valparaiso HS;

- Penn State KS Michael Furhman and the Boilermaker C Robert Kugler played at North Allegheny HS;

- Nittany Lion PK Kevin DiSanto; RB Haffner and WR Alex Kenney and Purdue OT Jack DeBoef played at State College Area HS



TWENTY-NINE NITTANY LIONS ON NFL ROSTERS

Twenty-nine former Penn State players were on the rosters of 19 National Football League teams for Kickoff Week. Penn State traditionally is among the top 15 schools nationally in producing current NFL players.

The Oakland Raiders feature a league-high three former Nittany Lions on its roster, including second-year starting center Stefen Wisniewski and rookies Jack Crawford and Nate Stupar. Stupar is on the practice squad.

Six NFL teams have two former Nittany Lions on their opening day rosters: Arizona, Cleveland, Dallas, Indianapolis, Miami and the New York Jets.

Bryan Scott is the elder statesman of former Nittany Lions in the NFL, as the Buffalo Bills safety/outside linebacker is entering his 10th professional season. Originally a second round draft choice of the Atlanta Falcons, Scott then played with the New Orleans Saints for one year before spending the last five in Buffalo.

Chicago Bears All-Pro plackicker Robbie Gould is next among Penn Staters in NFL longevity, entering his eighth season.

Three former Nittany Lion offensive linemen made NFL rosters with new teams: Dennis Landolt (Jets), Rich Ohrnberger (Arizona) and A.Q. Shipley (Indianapolis).

A total of 329 Nittany Lions have been selected all-time in the NFL Draft, including 36 in the first round. In the 2012 NFL Draft, Penn State had at least four players selected for the 39th time in NFL Draft history.

Penn State has had at least one alumnus on a Super Bowl team for 41 of 46 title games. Thirty-four former Nittany Lions have earned a total of 51 Super Bowl rings as players, including tackle Kareem McKenzie and defensive tackle Jimmy Kennedy with the New York Giants for Super Bowl XLVI.

Penn State's Andrew Quarless helped the Green Bay Packers win Super Bowl XLV and former Nittany Lions Sean McHugh and Scott Paxson helped the Pittsburgh Steelers win Super Bowl XLIII.

Former Nittany Lions on 2012 NFL Season Kickoff rosters

Arizona Cardinals - Levi Brown (6), Rich Ohrnberger (4)
Buffalo Bills - Bryan Scott (10)
Chicago Bears - Robbie Gould (8)
Cincinnati Bengals - Devon Still (1)
Cleveland Browns - Jordan Norwood (4), Scott Paxson (5)
Dallas Cowboys - Dan Connor (5), Sean Lee (3)
Detroit Lions - Stephfon Green (1-p.s.)
Green Bay Packers - Andrew Quarless (3)
Indianapolis Colts - Justin King (5), A.Q. Shipley (4)
Jacksonville Jaguars - Paul Posluszny (6), Brett Brackett (1-injured reserve)
Kansas City Chiefs - Tamba Hali (7)
Miami Dolphins - Cameron Wake (4), Jared Odrick (3)
New York Jets - Dennis Landolt (3), Aaron Maybin (4)
Oakland Raiders - Jack Crawford (1), Nate Stupar (1-p.s.), Stefen Wisniewski (2)
San Diego Chargers - Johnnie Troutman (1-non injury reserve)
San Francisco 49ers - Navorro Bowman (3)
Seattle Seahawks - Michael Robinson (7)
St. Louis Rams - Josh Hull (3)
Tennessee Titans - Tim Shaw (6)
Washington Redskins - Evan Royster (2)

(Pro season as of Sept. 7. in parentheses)

SEVEN FORMER NITTANY LIONS ON NFL COACHING STAFFS

Seven former Nittany Lions are patrolling the sidelines as part of NFL coaching staffs in 2012, including Mike Munchak, the second-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), John McNulty (Arizona Cardinals), Jeff Nixon (Miami Dolphins), Darren Perry (Green Bay Packers), and Michael Zordich (Philadelphia Eagles).

Former Penn State assistant coach Greg Schiano (1991-95) is in his first season as head coach of the Tampa Bay Buccaneers and former Nittany Lion assistant coach Jim Caldwell (1986-92) is in his first year as quarterbacks coach for the Baltimore Ravens after serving as head coach of the Indianapolis Colts.

HEAD COACH BILL O'BRIEN

Bill O'Brien is 5-3 in his first season as the leader of the Penn State football program. He was named the 15th head coach in the Nittany Lions' 126 years of varsity football on January 6, 2012.

O'Brien was the offensive coordinator/quarterbacks coach with the New England Patriots during the 2011 season, helping the Patriots to their second Super Bowl during his five years on the coaching staff.

Like his predecessor, Hall of Fame coach Joe Paterno, O'Brien graduated from Brown University, where he played linebacker and defensive end from 1990-92. O'Brien coached at Brown (1993-94), Georgia Tech (1995-2002), Maryland (2003-04) and Duke (2005-06) before joining the Patriots' staff.

As a member of Bill Belichick's Patriots' staff, O'Brien coached the wide receivers in 2008 and was the quarterbacks coach his final three seasons. O'Brien was the Patriots' offensive coordinator in 2011 and was instrumental in New England leading the AFC in scoring (32.1 ppg) and ranking No. 2 in the NFL in total offense (428.0 ypg) and passing offense (317.8 ypg) en route to winning the AFC Championship and a berth in Super Bowl XLVI.

Born in Dorchester, Mass., O'Brien was raised in Andover, a Boston suburb. O'Brien and his wife, Colleen, have two sons, Jack and Michael.

BILL O'BRIEN COACHING EXPERIENCE:

Penn State, 2012

- Named 15th head coach on Jan. 6, 2012
- Earned first career victory, 34-7 over Navy on Sept. 15, 2012
- Earned first career Big Ten victory, 35-7 at Illinois on Sept. 29, 2012
- Earned first career victory over a ranked team, 39-28 over No. 24 Northwestern on Oct. 6, 2012

New England Patriots, 2007-11

- Super Bowls XLVII and XLIII
- Offensive coordinator/QB coach, 2011
- Quarterbacks coach, 2009-11
- Wide receivers coach, 2008
- Offensive coaching assistant, 2007

Duke, 2005-06

- Offensive coordinator/QB coach

Maryland, 2003-04

- Running backs coach, 2003-04

Georgia Tech, 1995-2002

- Assistant head coach, 2002
- Offensive coordinator/QB coach, 2001
- Running Backs coach, 1998-2000
- Graduate assistant coach (offense), 1995-97

Brown, 1993-94

- Inside Linebackers coach, 1994
- Tight Ends coach, 1993

O'BRIEN TIES CONSECUTIVE WINS RECORD FOR FIRST-YEAR HEAD COACH

With Penn State's fifth straight win, 38-14 at Iowa, Bill O'Brien became just the third Nittany Lion head coach to win five consecutive games in his first season.

O'Brien joined George Hoskins (1892) and Dick Harlow (1915) as the only first-year coaches to win a school record five consecutive games.

FIVE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP COACHES

Five members of the Penn State coaching staff have been members of national championship staffs, including three with Bowl Championship Series title teams in the past 10 years:

- Ted Roof, defensive coordinator – Auburn, 2010
- Mac McWhorter, offensive line – Texas, 2005
- Stan Hixon, assistant head coach – LSU, 2003
- Ron Vanderlinden, linebackers – Colorado, 1990
- Charlie Fisher, quarterbacks – Eastern Ky., 1982

COACHING STAFF CONNECTIONS

In addition to Bill O'Brien, seven assistant coaches are in their first season at Penn State. Among the 10 coaches on the staff, nine had previously worked with at least one other member of the 2012 Nittany Lion coaching staff prior to this season.

Among some of the coaching staff ties:

- O'Brien worked with Stan Hixon, Mac McWhorter and Ted Roof at Georgia Tech during O'Brien's eight-year tenure on the Yellow Jackets' staff (1995-2002);
- O'Brien worked with Charles London and John Strollo at Duke in 2005-06, when Ted Roof was the head coach;
- O'Brien also worked with Craig Fitzgerald, Director of Strength and Conditioning for Football, in 2003-04 when they were on the staff at Maryland;
- John Butler was an assistant coach at Minnesota from 2007-10, working with Ted Roof during the 2008 season. Butler also worked with Craig Fitzgerald at Harvard in 2005-06 and at South Carolina in 2011, helping the Gamecocks to 11 wins and their first-ever top 10 finish;
- Larry Johnson and Ron Vanderlinden have worked together as Penn State assistant coaches on the defensive side of the ball.

PENN STATE STAFF PARTICIPATES IN AFCA'S COACH TO CURE MD PROGRAM

Penn State coach Bill O'Brien and his staff were among the coaches across the nation on Sept. 29 that wore Coach to Cure MD patches to raise awareness and funding for Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy research.

Fans can donate online at www.CoachtoCureMD.org or donate \$5 by texting CURE to 90999.

PENNSYLVANIANS ON STAFF

Penn State quarterbacks coach Charlie Fisher is a native of Allenwood, Pa., 70 miles east of State College, and attended Nittany Lion games in his youth.

Secondary coach John Butler and Craig Fitzgerald attended LaSalle College High School in suburban Philadelphia at the same time, along with Keith Conlin, an All-Big Ten tackle for Penn State in 1995 and a starter for the Nittany Lions' 12-0 team in 1994.



126th SEASON

126TH SEASON OF GRIDIRON EXCELLENCE

Penn State is in its 126th season of intercollegiate football and owns a 720-364-42 record, to rank 12th nationally in all-time victories.

Penn State is one of just 14 schools with 700 wins, four of which are Big Ten members: Penn State, Michigan, Nebraska and Ohio State.

NO. 12 IN ALL-TIME VICTORIES

Penn State's 720 victories all-time rank No. 12 in the nation. The Lions are in their 126th season and own an all-time mark of 720-364-42.

PENN STATE

UNIVERSITY

NAME The Pennsylvania State University
LOCATION University Park, Pa.
FOUNDED 1855
ENROLLMENT 44,034
NICKNAME Nittany Lions
COLORS Blue & White
CONFERENCE Big Ten
DIVISION NCAA Division I
STADIUM Beaver Stadium (106,572)
STADIUM SURFACE Natural Grass
PRESIDENT Dr. Rodney Erickson
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FOOTBALL HISTORY

FIRST YEAR 1887
ALL-TIME RECORD 720-364-42 (126th Season)
 12th in Overall Victories
ALL-TIME BOWL RECORD 21-15-2 (57.9)
 T-12th in Bowl Victories
YEARS IN POST-SEASON PLAY 44
 8th in Bowl Appearances
BEAVER STADIUM RECORD 181-65-0 (.735)

ASSISTANT COACHES

STAN HIXON (Iowa State '79) - First Season
 Assistant Head Coach, Wide Receivers
TED ROOF (Georgia Tech '87) - First Season
 Defensive Coordinator
JOHN BUTLER (Catholic Univ. '95) - First Season
 Secondary
CHARLIE FISHER (Springfield '80) - First Season
 Quarterbacks
LARRY JOHNSON (Elizabeth City St. '73) - 17th Season
 Defensive Line
CHARLES LONDON (Duke '97) - First Season
 Running Backs, Recruiting Coordinator
MAC MCWHORTER (Georgia '74) - First Season
 Offensive Line
JOHN STROLLO (Boston College '76) - First Season
 Tight Ends
RON VANDERLINDEN (Albion '78) - 12th Season
 Linebackers
CRAIG FITZGERALD (Maryland '97) - First Season
 Director of Strength & Conditioning for Football

PURDUE GAME NOTES

NITTANY LION FOOTBALL TEAM POSTS RECORD 91 PERCENT NCAA GRADUATION RATE

The Penn State football team broke its program record for the second consecutive year with a Graduation Success Rate of 91 percent according to date released in October 2012 by the NCAA.

The Nittany Lions posted a Graduation Success Rate (GSR) of 91 percent, tied with Rutgers for the No. 7 graduation rate among all 120 Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) teams. The national average was 68 percent. The record 91 percent GSR figure was second-highest to Northwestern among all Big Ten gridiron teams.

The 2005-06 entering class for the Nittany Lion football team earned a record 93 percent graduation rate, which was No. 2 among Big Ten teams (Northwestern, 95%).

Penn State football student-athletes earned a four-year federal graduation rate of 84 percent, second in the Big Ten and No. 5 among all FBS teams.

The Nittany Lions posted a then-record 87 percent Graduation Success Rate in the NCAA's 2011 Graduation rates report.

The NCAA's annual study of institutions nationwide revealed that Penn State student-athletes at the University Park campus earned a Graduation Success Rate (GSR) of 88 percent compared to the 80 percent average for all Division I institutions for students entering from 2002-03 through 2005-06. The 88 percent figure was third to Northwestern (97) and Illinois (89) among Big Ten Conference institutions.

NITTANY LIONS STARTING FAST

Penn State has out-scored the opposition, 66-0, in the first quarter this season, and 117-30 in the first half. The Nittany Lions are the nation's only team to not allow any first quarter points (see below).

The Nittany Lions allowed just three, first half field goals in their first five games before Northwestern tallied a pair of touchdowns during the second quarter on Oct. 6. Ohio State scored a touchdown in the final seconds of the second quarter on Oct. 27.

The Nittany Lions have put points on the scoreboard in the first quarter of seven games, scoring a least one touchdown in the first quarter of their first five games. The Blue and White had a field goal versus Northwestern and had a pair of touchdowns against Navy, at Illinois and at Iowa.

The Nittany Lions scored touchdowns on their initial possessions vs. Virginia and Navy and saw their first drive vs. Ohio end with a fumble after marching 67 yards in 11 plays. Penn State scored a touchdown on its third possession vs. the Bobcats for a 7-0 first quarter lead. The Nittany Lions also scored on their third possession vs. Temple, as Matt McGloin hit Allen Robinson on a 41-yard scoring strike with :06 left in the opening period.

Penn State scored a touchdown on its second possession at Illinois and at Iowa and a 21-yard field goal by Ficken opened the scoring in the first quarter against Northwestern.

ALONE IN FIRST QUARTER SHUTOUT

Penn State enters the week as the only FBS team to not allow a point in the first quarter. Nittany Lions opponents have seen 10 of their 22 drives end in three-and-out fashion and one was stopped via Stephen Obeng-Agyapong forced and recovered fumble at Virginia.

A big reason for the solid opening quarter is the time of possession. Penn State controls the ball for an average of 9:20 in the initial quarter to just 5:40 for the opposition.

Behind the Blue and White are Alabama with three first quarter points allowed and Utah State with six points allowed.

Only 30 points have been scored on Penn State in the opening half and they have gone into the locker room after 30 minutes of play with the lead in six of their eight games.

In terms of first half scoring, Penn State's 30 total points allowed ranks second behind Boise State's 26. Alabama is third, with 31 first half points allowed this year.

GOING THE DISTANCE

The Nittany Lions have marched down the field on 14 scoring drives of 70-yards or longer in 2012. Ten of those scoring drives have covered 80-plus yards, including a pair of 90-yarders.

Thirteen of the 14 drives have ended in a touchdown, with Sam Ficken capping a 73-yard drive with a field goal versus Ohio State on Oct. 27.

On their third scoring drive versus Navy, Matt McGloin capped a 90-yard trek with a touchdown pass to Allen Robinson for the first 90-plus yard drive since the Nittany Lions went 99 yards against Indiana in 2010.

The Blue and White offense is closing in on the 2011 total of 16 scoring drives of longer than 70 yards, but still has some work to do if they are going to eclipse the 2010 total of 21, which included three, 90-plus yard scoring drives.

SACK ATTACK

Penn State's defense has hounded opposing quarterbacks and ranks second in the Big Ten with 23 sacks. Those 23 sacks are for a total loss of 146 yards, which is also second in the Big Ten.

The Nittany Lions have three or more sacks in six of their eight games and have put the quarterback down four times during each of the last two weeks. Penn State recorded three sacks at Virginia, vs. Temple and at Illinois. The Blue and White boasted four sacks against Navy, at Iowa and vs. Ohio State.

(SOPH)MORE CATCHES THAN ANY OTHER

With his second catch of the night versus Ohio State on Oct. 27, sophomore Allen Robinson set the Penn

INJURY REPORT

G	Mark Arcidiacono	foot	Out
TE	Kyle Carter	foot	Probable

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State sophomore record for catches in a season.

After catching just three passes as a true freshman, Robinson has emerged as one of the premier pass catchers in the country and his 19-yard reception in the second quarter against the Buckeyes broke the record of 48 that was held by Bobby Engram (1993) and Deon Butler (2006).

Robinson has 52 catches this season and now eyes the single season record for catches, held by Engram ('95) and O.J. McDuffie ('92) with 63 during their respective campaigns.

HODGES, MAUTI MAKE PENN STATE ONLY SCHOOL WITH TWO BUTKUS SEMI-FINALISTS

Senior standouts Gerald Hodges and Michael Mauti have been selected semifinalists for the 2012 Butkus Award, presented to the nation's top linebacker.

Penn State is the only school in the nation with multiple players selected among the 12 Butkus Award semifinalists.

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 finalists for the Butkus Award.

Hodges was selected a 2012 first-team pre-season All-American by Lindy's and recently was named a Mid-Season All-American by Phil Steele's College Football. He also is on the Watch Lists for Bednarik, Award and Nagurski Trophy. Hodges is 8th in the Big Ten with 68 tackles and has 3.5 TFL, one sack, one interception, one forced fumble, a fumble recovery and a team-high four pass break-ups. The former Paulsboro High School standout has started all 21 games the past two seasons.

Mauti recently was selected a 2012 second-team Mid-season All-American by SI.com and Phil Steele's College Football and also is a Bednarik Award candidate. He also was named ESPN.com, BTN.com and Athlon Sports' Mid-season Big Ten Defensive MVP.

A two-time Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week honoree this season (three career), Mauti leads the team with 78 tackles (43 solo). He also has 3.5 TFL, 2.5 sacks, a team-high three interceptions, two forced fumbles, one fumble recovery and two pass break-ups. The former Mandeville High School standout is No. 3 in Big Ten in tackles, is tied for No. 2 with two forced fumbles and three interceptions.

DEFENSE AMONG BIG TEN LEADERS

The Penn State defense has been stout, entering the ninth week of the season ranked fourth in the conference in scoring defense.

The Nittany Lions are 18th nationally in scoring defense at 18.1 ppg and are 22nd in total defense, allowing just 329.5 ypg. A big reason for the limited points per game is their Red Zone defense. The Blue and White have allowed opponents to convert just 65 percent (15 of 23) of their red zone chances this season, which leads the Big Ten and is No. 8 nationally.

Penn State also leads the conference in turnover margin (+1.00), is second in sacks (23) and third in time of possession (31:56). They also allow the fourth fewest first downs per game in the Big Ten.

NO. 2 in NATION IN FOURTH DOWN SUCCESS

Penn State is No. 4 in the nation on fourth down conversion percentage among teams that have run at least 20 fourth down plays.

The Nittany Lions are 16 of 27 (59.2%) on fourth down, just behind Louisiana-Monroe (73.9%), Navy (65%) and Nevada (60%) among teams that have attempted at least 20 fourth down plays.

Penn State's 16 successful fourth down conversions are second in the NCAA and are more than any other Big Ten team has attempted this season.

TURNOVER TURNAROUND: LIONS NO. 1 IN BIG TEN IN TURNOVER MARGIN

Penn State has made a dramatic turnaround in turnovers since losing three and not gaining any in the season opener vs. Ohio.

The Nittany Lions forced four turnovers against both Virginia and Navy and three turnovers at Illinois for 11 in a four game stretch. Penn State forced one turnover against Northwestern and Ohio State and three more at Iowa and now has 16 on the season (9 fumbles, 7 INT).

The Nittany Lions are atop the Big Ten with a +1.00 turnover margin (tied with Iowa), having gained 16 and lost eight through seven games. Penn State's 16 turnovers forced are No. 2 in the Big Ten (Purdue, 18).

McGLOIN LEADS BIG TEN IN PASSING; NEARS NO. 5 SPOT ON CAREER TD PASSES LIST

Senior Matt McGloin threw for a career-best 327



STANDINGS

LEADERS	BIG TEN			OVERALL		
	W-L	%		W-L	%	vs. T25
Ohio State	5-0	1.000		9-0	1.000	2-0
PENN STATE	3-1	.750		5-3	.625	1-1
Wisconsin	3-2	.600		6-3	.667	0-1
Indiana	1-3	.250		3-5	.375	0-1
Purdue	0-4	.000		3-5	.375	0-2
Illinois	0-4	.000		2-6	.250	0-1
LEGENDS	W-L	%		W-L	%	vs. T25
Nebraska	3-1	.750		6-2	.750	0-1
Michigan	3-1	.750		5-3	.625	0-2
Northwestern	3-2	.600		7-2	.778	0-0
Iowa	2-2	.500		4-4	.500	0-0
Michigan State	2-3	.400		5-4	.556	2-3
Minnesota	1-3	.250		5-3	.625	0-0

BIG TEN SCHEDULE (ET):

PENN STATE AT PURDUE, 3:30 (ESPNU)

Michigan at Minnesota, Noon (BTN)

Illinois at Ohio State, 3:30 (ESPN)

Iowa at Indiana, 3:30 (BTN)

Nebraska at Michigan State, 3:30 (ABC/ESPN2)

Idle: Wisconsin and Northwestern

PENN STATE MEDIA SERVICES

SUNDAY:

9 a.m.: 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: Bill O'Brien and two players available for questions in person and via telephone on Tuesdays. 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 Bill O'Brien 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 at Damon's Grill in State College (Radio call-in show)

SATURDAY:

Post-Game Bill O'Brien and selected players will be available immediately following the game. Please contact Athletic Communications for FTP information (home games only)

BIG TEN MEDIA SERVICES:

BIG TEN CONFERENCE 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. 28 to November 20. 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

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
WEEKLY RELEASE Available by 10 p.m. on GoPSUsports.com	PRESS CONFERENCE 12:30 p.m. BIG TEN COACHES TELECONFERENCE 1:20 p.m. (ET) PSU PLAYER TELECONFERENCE	PSU PLAYER TELECONFERENCE MEDIA AT START OF PRACTICE 4:50 p.m.	"PENN STATE FOOTBALL SHOW" 6:05 p.m. No Player Availability	No Coach/Player Availability	at PURDUE 3:30 p.m. ET ESPNU	UPDATED STATS Available 9:00 a.m. GoPSUsports.com



yards vs. Ohio State and has put together six straight 200-plus yard passing game to lead the Big Ten in passing yardage, passing average and completions, while sitting tied for the lead in touchdown passes.

McGloin is 189 for 304 (62.2) for 2,115 yards (career-best), with 16 touchdowns and just three interceptions, tied for fewest among the conference's Top 10 passers. He was the first Big Ten signal-caller to hit 1,000 passing yards this season and is averaging 264.4 ypg, more than 40 yards per-game more than the closest Big Ten passer.

Nebraska's Taylor Martinez is tied with McGloin with 16 TD passes. McGloin has set his single season career-high of 16 scoring strikes, having thrown 14 in 2010.

Versus Ohio State, McGloin threw for a career-best 327 yards and tossed two scoring strikes. He completed 27-of-45 passes and threw touchdown passes of 20 and two yards to Kyle Carter and Matt Lehman, respectively.

McGloin has 38 career touchdown passes, good for No. 6 at Penn State. Kerry Collins is fifth with 39. (see page 11 for Penn State season and career passing lists).

McGloin has had a hand in 21 of Penn State's 28 offensive touchdowns this season, as well as 26 of the 28 long plays from scrimmage (20 yards or longer).

McGloin threw for 289 yards on 26-of-38 passing with two touchdowns and no interceptions in the 38-14 win at Iowa. It marked the fifth time this season that McGloin threw for multiple touchdowns in a game. McGloin set a career-high with 26 rushing yards, giving him 315 yards of total offense vs. the Hawkeyes, the second-highest total of his career (331 vs. Temple on Sept. 22).

McGloin led Penn State to 504 yards of total offense at Iowa, its highest total since gaining 528 in a 2010 win over Northwestern.

The former West Scranton High School standout was 18 of 30 for 211 yards in the Big Ten opening win at Illinois and followed that up with a school-record 35 completions against No. 24 Northwestern in a 39-28 victory, with a pair of touchdown passes and a running score.

During the 2011 season, McGloin started the last five regular season games (played in all 12) and threw for 1,571 yards and eight touchdowns, completing 54 percent of his passes.

McGLOIN POSTS SIXTH CONSECUTIVE 200-YARD GAME; THIRD WITH 14 IN CAREER

Matt McGloin's career-high 327 passing yards vs. Ohio State was his fourth career 300-yard passing game, tying Kerry Collins for the Penn State career record.

The effort vs. the Buckeyes was McGloin's sixth consecutive 200-yard passing game, also tying Collins' school mark.

McGloin has 14 career 200-yard passing efforts to tie Darryl Clark for third place on the Penn State list. Kerry Collins and Zack Mills are the career leaders with 16 200-yard efforts.

ROBINSON No. 1 AMONG BIG TEN RECEIVERS; LEADS WITH EIGHT TD CATCHES

Sophomore WR Allen Robinson (Southfield, Mich.) has quickly established himself as one of the Big Ten's premier receivers and sits atop the conference charts in receptions and receiving touchdowns and is second in receiving yards.

The former Orchard Lake St. Mary's Prep standout has 52 receptions for a 12.1 average. Robinson's 631 receiving yards and 78.9 yards per game average are both second to Wisconsin's Jared Abbrederis (675, 84.4), but his eight touchdown catches are tops in the Big Ten.

A candidate for the Biletnikoff Award, the Penn State sophomore has already set the season receptions record by a sophomore and is closing in on the all-time season mark of 63 held by O.J. McDuffie (1992) and Ingram (1995). Ingram was the inaugural winner of the Biletnikoff Award in 1994.

Robinson's eight touchdown catches are good for a tie for No. 7 on the school season list (see page 8).

In the 34-7 win over Navy, Robinson posted his first career 100-yard receiving game with 136 yards, with three touchdowns grabs to re-write another career high. Robinson hauled in a pair of career-long 45-yard catches vs. the Mids.

Robinson's three touchdown receptions on the day marked the most for a Penn State receiver since Graham Zug grabbed three in a win at Michigan in 2009.

Robinson recorded his first career touchdown reception on a diving 30-yard grab from Matt McGloin early in the fourth quarter at Virginia, making 10 catches for 89 yards. He became the first Nittany Lion to post double-digit receptions in a game since Derrick Williams had 10 vs. Purdue in 2007.

ROBINSON'S GAME-BY-GAME

	No.	Yds	Yds/Rec.	TD	Long
vs. Ohio	(9)	(97)	(10.7)	-	(21)
at Virginia	(10)	89	8.9	(1)	(30)
vs. Navy	5	(136)	(27.2)	(3)	(45)
vs. Temple	5	82	16.4	1	41
at Illinois	3	35	11.7	-	15
vs. N'Western	9	85	9.4	2	18
at Iowa	6	39	6.5	1	10
vs. Ohio State	5	68	13.6	-	37

(#) - New Career High

TIGHT ENDS MAKING MAJOR IMPACT; LEAD NATION WITH 61 RECEPTIONS

Coach Bill O'Brien indicated before the season that the tight ends would play a vital role in the Penn State offense and they certainly have throughout the campaign.

Entering this week, Penn State leads nation with 61 receptions by tight ends. Stanford ranks No. 2 with 47 tight end catches. Among Big Ten teams, Michigan State is second with 30 receptions by its tight ends.

A tight end has caught a touchdown pass in six of the team's eight games thus far in 2012. Thirty-one percent of Penn State receptions have been made by tight ends and seven of the 16 receiving TDs have been hauled in by tight ends this season.

Redshirt freshman Kyle Carter ranks second on the team with 35 catches for 441 yards (12.6) and grabbed his first touchdown pass at Virginia. Carter re-set his career-high with 85 yards on six catches in the 38-14 win at Iowa to earn Big Ten Freshman of the Week honors.

Carter is in range of the Penn State season record for tight end receptions of 41, set by Andrew Quarless in 2009.

Junior Matt Lehman made a career-high five catches for 70 yards at Illinois, including a 21-yard touchdown pass. He is fourth on the team with 15 receptions for 184 yards, including four grabs of 20 yards or more and three touchdowns.

Junior Garry Gilliam has five catches for 52 yards and true freshman Jesse James had a career day at Iowa with three catches for 52 yards and a 31-yard touchdown grab to open the scoring. On the year, James has six catches for 74 yards (12.3) and two touchdowns.

BUTKUS AWARD SEMIFINALISTS HODGES AND MAUTI AMONG BIG TEN TACKLE LEADERS

Penn State senior linebackers Gerald Hodges (Paulsboro, N.J.) and Michael Mauti (Mandeville, La.) are two of the Big Ten's top defensive players and are among the conference's tackle leaders.

Both players are Butkus Award semifinalists.

The two-time Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 17 & Oct. 1), Mauti is tied for third in the Big Ten at 9.8 tackles per game. He also has 3.5 tackles for loss (minus-30) yards, 2.5 sacks (minus-25), three interceptions, two forced fumbles, a fumble recovery and two pass break-ups.

A first-team pre-season All-American, Hodges is eighth in the Big Ten with 8.5 stops per game. He also has 3.5 TFL, one sack, one interception, a forced and recovered fumble and owns four pass break-ups.

2012 HONORS

Bill O'Brien, Head Coach

- Athlon Sports Big Ten Mid-season Coach of Year
- BleacherReport B1G Mid-season Coach of Year
- ESPN.com Big Ten Mid-season Coach of the Year

Deion Barnes, Defensive End

- Big Ten Co-Freshman of the Week (9/17)

Kyle Carter, Tight End

- Big Ten Freshman of the Week (10/22)
- John Mackey Award Mid-Season Watch List

Jordan Hill, Defensive Tackle

- Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (10/22)
- Outland Trophy Watch List
- Rotary Lombardi Award Watch List

Gerald Hodges, Linebacker

- Butkus Award Semi-Finalist
- Phil Steele Midseason Fourth Team All-American
- Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (10/8)
- Lindy's First Team Pre-Season All-American
- Bednarik Award Watch List
- Butkus Award Watch List
- Nagurski Trophy Watch List
- Rotary Lombardi Award Watch List

Michael Mauti, Linebacker

- Butkus Award Semi-Finalist
- Phil Steele Midseason Second Team All-American
- SI.com Midseason Second Team All-American
- ESPN.com Big Ten Mid-season Defensive MVP
- Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (10/1)
- Walter Camp National Def. Player of Week (9/30)
- ESPN College Football Final Helmet Sticker (9/30)
- ESPN.com Big Ten Helmet Sticker (9/30)
- Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (9/17)
- Bednarik Award Watch List
- Butkus Award Watch List

Matt McGloin, Quarterback

- ESPN.com Big Ten Helmet Sticker (10/21)
- ESPN.com Big Ten Helmet Sticker (10/7)
- ESPN.com Big Ten Player of the Week (9/24)
- ESPN.com Big Ten Helmet Sticker (9/23)

Allen Robinson, Wide Receiver

- ESPN.com Big Ten Helmet Sticker (9/16)
- Biletnikoff Award Watch List

Matt Stankiewicz, Center

- Rimington Trophy Watch List





NATIONAL RANKINGS

AP TOP 25

1.	Alabama (60)	8-0	1500
2.	Oregon	8-0	1412
3.	Kansas State	8-0	1382
4.	Notre Dame	8-0	1344
5.	LSU	7-1	1216
6.	Ohio State	9-0	1158
7.	Georgia	7-1	1145
8.	Florida	7-1	1075
9.	Florida State	8-1	1046
10.	Clemson	7-1	914
11.	South Carolina	7-2	823
12.	Louisville	8-0	817
13.	Oregon State	6-1	762
14.	Oklahoma	5-2	758
15.	Stanford	6-2	627
16.	Texas A&M	6-2	580
17.	Mississippi State	7-1	559
18.	USC	6-2	418
19.	Boise State	7-1	406
20.	Texas Tech	6-2	388
21.	Nebraska	6-2	249
22.	Louisiana Tech	7-1	209
23.	West Virginia	5-2	126
24.	Arizona	5-3	106
25.	UCLA	6-2	103

Others Receiving Votes: Toledo 88, Rutgers 74, Oklahoma State 72, Texas 55, Kent State 33, Tulsa 17, Northern Illinois 12, Washington 8, **Northwestern 7, Ohio 4, Wisconsin 4**, Michigan 2, Louisiana-Monroe 1.

USA TODAY/ESPN TOP 25

1.	Alabama (59)	8-0	1475
2.	Oregon	8-0	1391
3.	Kansas State	8-0	1366
4.	Notre Dame	8-0	1307
5.	LSU	7-1	1225
6.	Georgia	7-1	1149
7.	Florida State	8-1	1121
8.	Florida	7-1	1024
9.	Clemson	7-1	976
10.	Louisville	8-0	888
11.	South Carolina	7-2	838
12.	Oklahoma	5-2	758
13.	Oregon State	6-1	684
14.	Boise State	7-1	634
15.	Stanford	6-2	626
16.	Texas A&M	6-2	592
17.	USC	6-2	583
18.	Mississippi State	7-1	569
19.	West Virginia	5-2	326
20.	Texas Tech	6-2	284
21.	Nebraska	6-2	283
22.	Texas	6-2	200
23.	Louisiana Tech	7-1	191
24.	Oklahoma State	5-2	166
25.	Rutgers	7-1	151

Others Receiving Votes: **Northwestern 77**, UCLA 61, Toledo 59, Northern Illinois 39, Kent State 26, Tulsa 19, **Wisconsin 15**, Arizona 14, Michigan 11, Louisiana-Monroe 10, **Ohio 9**, Cincinnati 8, Iowa State 6, Utah State 4, Western Kentucky 4, Ole Miss 3, Arizona State 2, Michigan State 1.

PENN STATE IN THE POLLS

Date	AP
Preseason	-
Sept. 4	-
Sept. 9	-
Sept. 16	-
Sept. 23	-
Sept. 30	-
Oct. 7	RV
Oct. 14	RV
Oct. 21	RV
Oct. 28	-

Bold Indicates 2012 Opponent

PENN STATE FOOTBALL STUDENT-ATHLETES TIED FOR TOP GRADUATION RATE AMONG TOP 25 BCS TEAMS

The Penn State football team was tied with Stanford for the top Graduation Success Rate (GSR) among teams ranked in the final 2011 Bowl Championship Series Top 25 rankings, according to data released by the NCAA in Oct. 2011.

Penn State football student-athletes that enrolled in the University from 2001-04 earned a superlative Graduation Success Rate of 87 percent, tied with Stanford for No. 10 overall among the nation's 120 Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) institutions.

Penn State's 87 percent GSR was significantly higher than the 67 percent FBS average and was second to Northwestern (94) among Big Ten institutions.

Penn State football student-athletes that enrolled in the University from 2001-04 earned a strong four-year federal graduation rate of 80 percent, also No. 2 to Northwestern (86) among Big Ten squads. The Nittany Lions' 80 percent graduation figure was 24 points above the 56 percent FBS average, according to the NCAA.

In the NCAA's 2009 graduation data, the Nittany Lions earned the highest GSR and federal graduation rate among teams ranked in the final Associated Press Top 25 poll.

The strong NCAA graduation rate data is the latest success in a long line of academic achievement for members of the Penn State football program, who consistently are near the top nationally in academic success:

- Penn State has had 15 CoSIDA Academic All-Americans® in the past six years to lead the nation, with 13 first-team selections.

- Penn State's all-time total of 49 Academic All-America® football players is third among all FBS institutions.

ROBINSON ASCENDS TOWARDS TOP OF RECEIVING CHARTS

Sophomore receiver Allen Robinson entered the 2012 campaign with a 9.7 yards per catch average, not to bad for a rookie, but the work sample was very limited. He had caught only three passes for 27 yards as a true freshman.

Enter a new head coach and a new offensive system and Robinson has become one of the top wideouts in the country. He is also writing his name into the Nittany Lion record books. The single season charts will soon add Robinson among names like Butler, Ingram, Jurevicius and McDuffie.

He has already put his name into seventh on the single season TD charts with eight scoring grabs and is tied with Bobby Ingram for fifth on the season receptions list with 52.

He has already broken the record for season catches by a sophomore, moving past Ingram and Deon Butler's 48 grabs.

If he can keep up his current receptions per game average of 6.5 he will blow away the Penn State record currently held by Bobby Ingram and O.J. McDuffie.

Robinson is just 30 catches shy of cracking the Big Ten single season record books for catches, with a four-person group of Jeremy Ebert (Northwestern, 2011), Travis Beckum (Wisconsin, 2007), John Standeford (Purdue, 2002) and Lee Evans (Wisconsin, 2001) all tied for 24th in conference history with 75 catches.

Season Receptions

1.	O.J. McDuffie (1992)	.63
	Bobby Ingram (1995)	.63
3.	Terry Smith (1991)	.55
	Derrick Williams (2007)	.55
5.	Allen Robinson (2012)	.52
	Bobby Ingram (1994)	.52
7.	Bryant Johnson (2001)	.51
8.	Bobby Ingram (1993)	.48
	Bryant Johnson (2002)	.48
	Deon Butler (2006)	.48
	Derek Moyer (2009)	.48

Season Receiving Yardage

1.	Bobby Ingram (1995)	1,084
2.	Bobby Ingram (1994)	1,029
3.	O.J. McDuffie (1992)	977
4.	Freddie Scott (1994)	973
5.	Bryant Johnson (2002)	917
6.	Derek Moyer (2010)	885
7.	Bobby Ingram (1993)	873
8.	Joe Jurevicius (1996)	869
9.	Bryant Johnson (2001)	866
10.	Terry Smith (1991)	846
--	Allen Robinson (2012)	631

Season Touchdown Receptions

1.	Bobby Ingram (1993)	13
2.	Bobby Ingram (1995)	11
3.	Joe Jurevicius (1997)	10
4.	O.J. McDuffie (1992)	9
	Freddie Scott (1994)	9
	Deon Butler (2005)	9
7.	Allen Robinson (2012)	8
	Terry Smith (1991)	8
	Derek Niye (2010)	8

Career Touchdown Receptions

1.	Bobby Ingram (1991-95)	31
2.	Kenny Jackson (1980-83)	25
3.	Deon Butler (2005-08)	22
4.	Derek Moyer (2008-11)	18
5.	O.J. McDuffie (1988-92)	16
6.	Terry Smith (1988-91)	15
7.	Joe Jurevicius (1994-97)	15
8.	Jordan Norwood (2005-08)	13
9.	Freddie Scott (1993-95)	11
	Tony Johnson (2000-03)	11
--	Allen Robinson (2011-Present)	8



NCAA LEADERS IN VICTORIES

1.	Michigan	900
2.	Texas	864
3.	Notre Dame	861
4.	Nebraska	852
5.	Ohio State	834
6.	Oklahoma	826
7.	Alabama	822
8.	Tennessee	797
9.	Southern California	785
10.	Georgia	754
11.	LSU	740
12.	PENN STATE	720
13.	Auburn	712
14.	West Virginia	706

PENN STATE CAPTAINS

The Nittany Lions have game captains and will elect captains prior to the Senior Day game with Wisconsin:

- Ohio** - RB Derek Day, DT Jordan Hill, QB Matt McGloin.
- at Virginia** - LB Gerald Hodges, LB Michael Mauti, RB Michael Zordich.
- Navy** - FB P.J. Byers, C Matt Stankiewitch and DE Sean Stanley.
- Temple** - T Mike Farrell, CB Stephon Morris and LB Michael Yancich.
- at Illinois** - Saf Jake Fagnano, QB Shane McGregor, DT James Terry.
- Northwestern** - WR Evan Lewis, DE Pete Massaro, DE Brian Irvin.
- at Iowa** - TE J.R. Refice, KS Michael Fuhrman and LB Jamie Van Fleet.
- Ohio State** - DL Jordan Hill, LB Gerald Hodges, LB Michael Mauti, QB Matt McGloin, C Matt Stankiewitch.

ONE OF NATION'S TOUGHEST HOME VENUES

The Nittany Lions own a superlative 181-65 (.735) all-time record in the nation's second-largest facility, which opened in 1960 and has a capacity of 106,572.

NUMBER CHANGES

Several Nittany Lions have changed their jersey number since the season began, including: Andree Dupree (30), Jack Haffner (32), Eugene Lewis (7), Evan Lewis (37), Jordan Lucas (14), Trevor Williams (21) and Zach Zwinak (28).

PENN STATE RECORD WHEN:

Overall Record	5-3
Day Games	4-3
Night Games (6 p.m. or later)	1-0
TV Games	5-3
ABC	2-1
ESPN	2-2
ESPN2	0-0
ESPNU	0-0
BTN	1-0
Scoring First	5-3
Opponent Scoring First	0-0
Leading at the Half	4-2
Trailing at the Half	1-0
Tied at the Half	0-1
Leading after Third Qtr.	4-0
Trailing after Third Qtr.	1-3
Tied after Third Qtr.	0-0
Overtime Games	0-0
Scoring less than 20 pts	0-2
Scoring 20+ points	2-1
Scoring 30+ Points	3-0
Scoring 40+ Points	0-0
Allowing 10 points or less	2-0
Allowing 20 points or less	4-1
Allowing 21+ points	1-1
Allowing 30+ points	0-1
Rushing for less than 100 yds	0-2
Rushing for over 100 yds	5-1
Rushing for 200+ yds	1-0
Rushing for 300+ yds	0-0
Passing for less than 200 yds	0-0
Passing for 200 + yds	4-2
Passing for 300+ yds	1-1
Totaling less than 300 yds total offense	0-0
300+ yds of total offense	1-3
400+ yds of total offense	3-0
500+ yds of total offense	1-0
Allowing less than 100 yds rushing	2-1
Allowing more than 100 yds rushing	3-2
Allowing less than 300 yds total offense	3-1
Allowing 300+ yds total offense	2-2
Having a 100-yd rusher	3-0
Having two 100-yd rushers	0-0
Not having a 100-yd rusher	2-3
Opp. has a 100-yd rusher	0-2
No turnovers	2-1
Less than 3 turnovers	3-2
3+ turnovers	0-1
No takeaways	1-1
1 or more takeaways	4-2
3 or more takeaways	3-1
More than 30:00 of possession	3-1
Less than 30:00 of possession	2-2

BEAVER STADIUM SEES IMPROVEMENTS

Penn State fans are enjoying several significant upgrades to Beaver Stadium during the past two years.

The most significant changes to the venerable facility include:

- WiFi is available throughout the stadium;
- Credit and debit cards will be accepted at all concession stands;
- Waterproofing of the south upper deck seating areas;
- A camera has been installed on the south goalpost for the in-house videoboards;
- 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 2011 Blue-White Game and the second phase wrapped up in time for Football Eve on Sept. 2, 2011, 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 is 106,572, 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 repaved 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.

WINS VS. LOSSES (AVG.)

PSU	Wins	Losses
Points Scored	34.0	17.7
Total Offense	432.6	347.0
First Downs	24.8	19.6
Rushing Yards	166.4	81.7
Passing Yards	266.2	265.3
Time of Possession	34:09	28:15
3rd Down Conv. Pct.	(16/66) 24%	(30/52) 58%
Points Allowed	13.8	25.3
Yards Allowed	293.0	390.3
Rushing Yds Allowed	116.8	147.0
Passing Yds Allowed	176.2	243.3



**CLASS BREAKDOWN**

5th Year Seniors	17
4th Year Seniors	6
Juniors	22
Sophomores	19
Redshirt Freshmen	17
True Freshmen	31
Total Roster	112
Upperclassmen	45 (40%)
Underclassmen	68 (60%)

STANDING TALL ON THIRD DOWN

After allowing their first two opponents to convert over 60-percent of their third down plays, the Nittany Lions defense was stout on third down during their five game winning streak. Ohio and Virginia combined to convert 22 of 36 third down plays, but during the five-game swining streak, the Blue and White defense left opponents Black and Blue on third down.

Penn State held their counterparts to just 16-for-66 on third down, a 24-percent conversion rate. No team converted more than four third downs in one game since the loss to Virginia and Penn State limited Iowa to just 2-for-12 on third down.

Northwestern started the game 0 for 6 on third down, while Illinois was 0 of 9 on third downs in the game before earning its first conversion late in the third quarter.

For the season, Nittany Lion opponents are 46 of 118 (39.0) on third down conversions.

PENN STATE NO. 5 IN HOME ATTENDANCE

Through nine weeks of the season, Penn State continues to rank as one of the nation's home attendance leaders, ranking No. 5 among the 120 Football Bowl Subdivision institutions.

A sellout, Penn State WhiteOut crowd of 107,818 fans created an electric atmosphere that is featured on the cover of the Nov. 5 issue of Sports Illustrated.

The Nittany Lions have drawn an average of 98,649 fans to Beaver Stadium during their five home games, three of which were non-conference contests. Indiana and Wisconsin will visit Penn State on the final two weeks of the season.

Penn State has finished in the Top 5 of the NCAA's annual home attendance survey every year since adding the 10,000-seat North deck for the 1991 season.

SIXTEEN NITTANY LIONS HAVE EARNED FIRST START THIS SEASON

Seven Nittany Lions earned their first career start vs. Ohio. RB Derek Day earned his first start at Virginia and RB Curtis Dukes and T Adam Gress started vs. Navy to increase the total to 10.

In the win over Temple, freshman TE Jesse James and DE C.J. Olaniyan earned their first career starts to push the total to 12. Freshman tight end Kyle Carter and junior tight end Matt Lehman each earned their first career starts at Illinois to move the total to 14.

Versus the Buckeyes, Alex Kenney and Trevor Williams each earned their first starts of the season to push the number of first-time starters to 16.

Penn State's 16 first-time starters this season are tied for No. 6 in the nation (through Oct. 27).

PLAYERS EARNING 1ST CAREER START IN 2012:

Offense (12) - RB Bill Belton, TE Kyle Carter, RB Derek Day, RB Curtis Dukes, G Miles Dieffenbach, T Adam Gress, TE Jesse James, WE Alex Kenney, TE Matt Lehman, T Donovan Smith, G John Urschel, WR Trevor Williams.

Defense (4) - DE Deion Barnes, DT DaQuan Jones, Saf Stephen Obeng-Agyapong, DE C.J. Olaniyan.

PENN STATE STUDENT-ATHLETES EARN 88 PERCENT GRADUATION SUCCESS RATE

Penn State student-athletes continue to graduate well above their peers nationwide, earning record-setting academic performances, according to statistical information released in October 2012 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 Graduation Success Rate (GSR) of 88 percent compared to the 80 percent average for all Division I institutions for students entering from 2002-03 through 2005-06. The 88 percent figure was third to Northwestern (97) and Illinois (89) among Big Ten Conference institutions.

The Penn State football team broke its program record for the second consecutive year with a Graduation Success Rate of 91 percent, tied with Rutgers for the No. 7 graduation rate among all 120 Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) teams. The national average was 68 percent.

The Nittany Lion basketball (92 percent) and Lady Lion basketball (100) teams also earned Graduation Success Rates at least 15 percent higher than the national average.

The superlative graduation data comes amidst a fall sports season that has four Penn State teams leading, or tied for the lead, in their respective Big Ten standings, with the women's soccer team having already clinched a 15th consecutive Big Ten Championship. Three teams are ranked in the Top 5 nationally: women's volleyball, women's soccer and field hockey.

This is the 22nd annual 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.

The four-year federal graduation rate average for University Park student-athletes was 78 percent, second to Northwestern (88) among Big Ten schools, and significantly above the 64 percent Division I average. The four-year average for University Park students was 85 percent, also far exceeding the 63 percent rate for all students nationwide.

Among the 2005-06 entering freshman class, 80 percent of Penn State student-athletes earned degrees within six years, the same as 2011, and well above the 65 percent average for all Division I institutions. The graduation rate for all Penn State students was 87 percent in the entering class of 2005-06.

The NCAA data revealed that student-athletes from five Penn State squads earned a Graduation Success Rate of 100 percent -- Lady Lion basketball, field hockey, softball, men's tennis and women's tennis -- and 10 additional teams were at 90 percent or higher for a total of 15. Nineteen of Penn State's 25 teams (track/cross country teams combined) earned a Graduation Success Rate at or above the national GSR average of 80 percent.

- The 2005-06 entering class for the Nittany Lion football team earned a record 93 percent graduation rate, which was No. 2 among Big Ten teams (Northwestern, 95%). The record 91 percent GSR figure for the Penn State football program also was second-highest to Northwestern among all Big Ten gridiron teams. Penn State football student-athletes earned a four-year federal graduation rate of 84 percent, second in the Big Ten and No. 5 among all FBS teams.

O'BRIEN, MAUTI AND HODGES EARN MID-SEASON NATIONAL & BIG TEN ACCOLADES

Head coach Bill O'Brien and senior linebackers Michael Mauti and Gerald Hodges earned several national and Big Ten honors during the first half of the season.

In his first season as head coach, O'Brien was selected Mid-season National Coach of the Year by BleacherReport.com, CBSsports.com (Dennis Dodd) and ESPN.com (Gene Wojciechowski). He also earned ESPN.com, BTN.com and Athlon Sports' Big Ten Coach of the Year.

O'Brien also is leading in Liberty Mutual Coach of the Year fan voting at coachoftheyear.com.

Mauti was selected a second-team Mid-season All-American by SI.com and Phil Steele's College Football. He also earned Big Ten Defensive MVP honors from ESPN.com, BTN.com and Athlon Sports. A 2011 first-team All-Big Ten selection, Hodges earned fourth-team All-America accolades from Phil Steele's College Football at the halfway point of the season.

Mauti (Sept. 17 & Oct. 1) and Hodges (Oct. 8) earned three Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week honors during a five-week span, giving both "LinebackerU." standouts three career weekly conference honors.

After six games, Mauti led the team and was No. 4 in the Big Ten with 57 tackles (32 solo). He'd recorded 2.5 tackles for loss, 1.5 sacks, two interceptions, two forced fumbles, one fumble recovery and two pass break-ups. Mauti grabbed two interceptions in the 35-7 win at Illinois,

returning one a school record 99 yards en route to Big Ten weekly honors.

A candidate for the Bednarik and Butkus Awards, Mauti was tied for first in the Big Ten with two forced fumbles and tied for second in interceptions after seven weeks.

A candidate for the Bednarik & Butkus Awards and the Nagurski Trophy, Hodges was second on the team and 10th in the Big Ten with 50 tackles through six games. The 2011 first-team All-Big Ten selection also had 2.5 tackles for loss, 1.5 sacks, one interception, one forced fumble, one fumble recovery and a team-high three pass break-ups at the midway point of 2012.

CARTER NAMED TO JOHN MACKEY AWARD MID-SEASON WATCH LIST

Redshirt freshman Kyle Carter was named to the Mid-season Watch List for the 2012 John Mackey Award, an honor presented annually to the nation's best collegiate tight end.

A product of Bear, Del., Carter is the only freshman among the 26 Mackey Award candidates. He is among four Big Ten players who are candidates.

Carter has played in every game this season for Coach Bill O'Brien's Nittany Lions. He is second on the team with 35 catches for 441 yards (12.6) and has two touchdowns. Carter made a season-high six receptions vs. Ohio (74 yds), at Iowa (85 yds) and against Ohio State (77 yds) and has at least three catches in seven of Penn State's eight games. He made five catches for 70 yards in



the win over Temple and made his first career touchdown catch at Virginia. Carter has four catches for 20 yards or longer.

The award, which is presented by the Nassau County Sports Commission, honors Pro Football Hall of Fame member John Mackey. In 10 NFL seasons with the Baltimore Colts (1963-71) and the San Diego Chargers (1972), Mackey revolutionized the tight end position. He twice compiled season averages of more than 20 yards a catch, and his 10-year career average of 15.8 is considered remarkable for a tight end. Mackey also was the first president of the NFLPA.

The award recipient is selected by vote of the John Mackey Award Selection Committee and the 2012 award winner will be announced live on ESPN on Dec. 6 at the Home Depot College Football Awards Show.

CARTER & HILL HONORED BY BIG TEN AFTER HELPING SPARK BIG WIN AT IOWA

Senior defensive tackle Jordan Hill (Steelton) and redshirt freshman tight end Kyle Carter (Bear, Del.) earned Defensive and Freshman of the Week, respectively, from the Big Ten Conference for their efforts in Penn State's 38-14 win at Iowa on Oct. 20.

Hill and Carter each earned their respective awards for the first times in their careers.

Hill's selection marked the fourth time in a six week span that a Nittany Lion was selected the conference's top defensive player. Senior linebacker Michael Mauti earned the honor after the wins over Navy (Sept. 15) and Illinois (Sept. 29) and senior linebacker Gerald Hodges was honored following the win over Northwestern (Oct. 6). Carter was the second Nittany Lion to earn Big Ten Freshman honors this season, joining defensive end Deion Barnes (Navy).

Hill led another stellar Penn State defensive performance in the thumping of the Hawkeyes, as he recorded a season-high nine tackles (seven solo), with 2.0 TFL, a sack for minus-nine yards and a quarterback hurry.

Hill led a Penn State defense that held Iowa to season-lows in total yards (209), rushing yards (20) and first downs (14). The Nittany Lions forced three turnovers and limited the Hawkeyes to 2 of 12 on third down and only 21:52 in time of possession.

Carter made his second career start in the win over Hawkeyes and responded by delivering a season-high 85 receiving yards and tying his season-high with six catches. He made a career-long 34-yard catch on a fourth down conversion in the first quarter to set-up Matt McGloin's touchdown pass to Allen Robinson.

DEFENSE SHUTS DOWN IOWA OFFENSE

Penn State's defense has been one of the toughest units to score on in the nation this season, as Iowa found out in a 38-14 prime time loss to the Nittany Lions.

The defense allowed just one offensive touchdown, which came with 4:11 left in the game and held the Hawkeyes offense to just 209 total yards of offense.

The 209 yards allowed was a season-low for the Blue and White's defensive unit and they held the Iowa ground game to just 20 yards rushing on 23 carries (0.9 ypc). The limited ground game was thanks in part to four sacks - which tied a season-high - for minus-23 yards.

Penn State didn't allow a rushing touchdown for the fourth time this season and forced three Iowa turnovers in the game (two INT, 1 fumble). The Blue and White limited the Hawkeyes to just 21:52 time of possession.

BELTON BREAKS OUT VERSUS HAWKEYES

The stars shine their brightest at night and on Oct. 20 at Iowa, sophomore Bill Belton showed his ability to shine with a 103-yard, three touchdown effort.

Belton entered the Iowa game with 133 rushing yards on 33 attempts for a 3.9 yards per carry average, but those carries were during three day games.

When the lights came on in Iowa City, Belton reeled off a career-high 103 yards on 16 carries, which tied his career-best effort, and averaged over six yards per carry.

The sophomore also scored his first career rushing touchdown versus the Hawkeyes, crossing the goal line three times in the game. It was the first three-TD effort by

MCGLOIN AMONG ELITE NITTANY LION PASSERS

Senior Matt McGloin has had his fair share of success under center for the Nittany Lions, but he is enjoying one of the finest seasons in Penn State history in 2012. A daunting task awaited McGloin when Bill O'Brien took over the program in January, 2011.

After three seasons in the same offensive system, McGloin would have to learn the complex playbook, new terminology and adjust to the pace of play in O'Brien's offense. The competitor in McGloin came out when faced with these obstacles and he has been one of the top quarterbacks in the Big Ten.

The senior became the 15th player to pass for 2,000 yards in a season and is tied with Kerry Collins for the most 300-yard passing game in a career (4). He already owns the school record for completions in a game and his assault on the record books continues with four games left in his career.

He is among the top ten in all four major career passing categories and his superb senior season has propelled him towards the single season charts, as well. He is within striking distance for the top spot on the career touchdown charts and has a chance to complete the most passes in a single season by a PSU passer.

ON THE PASSING CHARTS

Career Passing Touchdowns

1.	Daryll Clark (2006-09)	43
2.	Todd Blackledge (1980-82)	41
	Tony Sacca (1988-91)	41
	Zack Mills (2001-04)	41
5.	Kerry Collins (1991-94)	39
6.	Matt McGloin (2009-Present)	38
7.	Chuck Fusina (1975-78)	37
8.	Anthony Morelli (2004-07)	31
9.	Tom Shuman (1972-74)	28
10.	Wally Richardson (1992-96)	27

Career Passing Completions

1.	Zack Mills (2001-04)	606
2.	Anthony Morelli (2004-07)	460
3.	Daryll Clark (2006-09)	444
4.	Matt McGloin (2009-Present)	432
5.	Tony Sacca (1988-91)	401
6.	Wally Richardson (1992-96)	378
7.	Chuck Fusina (1975-78)	371
8.	Kerry Collins (1991-94)	370
9.	Todd Blackledge (1980-82)	341
10.	Kevin Thompson (1996-99)	263

Career Passing Attempts

1.	Zack Mills (2001-04)	1082
2.	Tony Sacca (1988-91)	824
3.	Anthony Morelli (2004-07)	821
4.	Zack Mills (2001-04)	814
5.	Matt McGloin (2009-Present)	752
6.	Daryll Clark (2006-09)	738
7.	Wally Richardson (1992 (94-96)	692
8.	Chuck Fusina (1975-78)	665
9.	Todd Blackledge (1980-82)	658
10.	Kerry Collins (1991-94)	657

Career Passing Yardage

1.	Zack Mills (2001-04)	7,212
2.	Tony Sacca (1988-91)	5,869
3.	Daryll Clark (2006-09)	5,742
4.	Chuck Fusina (1975-78)	5,382
5.	Kerry Collins (1991-94)	5,304
6.	Anthony Morelli (2004-07)	5,275
7.	Matt McGloin (2009-Present)	5,234
8.	Todd Blackledge (1980-82)	4,812
9.	Wally Richardson (1992-96)	4,419
10.	Kevin Thompson (1996-99)	3,710

Career 300-Yard Passing Games

1.	Matt McGloin (2009-Present)	4
	Kerry Collins (1991-94)	4
3.	Daryll Clark (2006-09)	3

Career 200-Yard Passing Games

1.	Kerry Collins (1991-94)	16
	Zack Mills (2001-04)	16
3.	Matt McGloin (2009-Present)	14
	Daryll Clark (2006-09)	14
5.	Chuck Fusina (1975-78)	11
	Tony Sacca (1988-1991)	11
	Anthony Morelli (2004-07)	11

Season Passing Touchdowns

1.	Daryll Clark (2009)	24
2.	Todd Blackledge (1982)	22
3.	Tony Sacca (1991)	21
	Kerry Collins (1994)	21
5.	Doug Strang (1983)	19
	Anthony Morelli (2007)	19
	Daryll Clark (2008)	19
8.	Wally Richardson (1995)	18
9.	Mike McQueary (1997)	17
	Zack Mills (2002)	17
	Michael Robinson (2005)	17
--	Matt McGloin (2012)	16

Season Passing Completions

1.	Anthony Morelli (2007)	234
2.	Daryll Clark (2009)	232
3.	Anthony Morelli (2006)	208
4.	Wally Richardson (1995)	193
5.	Daryll Clark (2008)	192
6.	Matt McGloin (2012)	189
7.	Zack Mills (2002)	188
8.	Kerry Collins (1994)	176
9.	Tony Sacca (1991)	169
10.	Rashard Casey (2000)	163

Season Passing Attempts

1.	Anthony Morelli (2007)	402
2.	Anthony Morelli (2006)	386
3.	Daryll Clark (2009)	381
4.	Wally Richardson (1995)	335
5.	Zack Mills (2002)	333
6.	Daryll Clark (2008)	321
7.	Michael Robinson (2005)	311
8.	Matt McGloin (2012)	304
9.	Todd Blackledge (1982)	292
	Tony Sacca (1991)	292

Season Passing Yardage

1.	Daryll Clark (2009)	3,003
2.	Kerry Collins (1994)	2,679
3.	Anthony Morelli (2007)	2,651
4.	Daryll Clark (2008)	2,592
5.	Tony Sacca (1991)	2,488
6.	Anthony Morelli (2006)	2,424
7.	Zack Mills (2002)	2,417
8.	Michael Robinson (2005)	2,350
9.	Chuck Fusina (1977)	2,221
10.	Todd Blackledge (1982)	2,218
--	Matt McGloin (2012)	2,115

Single Game Passing Touchdowns

1.	Tony Sacca vs. Georgia Tech (1991)	5
	Rashard Casey vs. Louisiana Tech (2000)	5
3.	Matt McGloin vs. Northwestern (2012)	4
	11 Other Times; Last Daryll Clark vs. Mich. St. (2008)	

Single Game Passing Completions

1.	Matt McGloin vs. Northwestern (2012)	35
2.	Wally Richardson vs. Wisconsin (1995)	33

Single Game Passing Attempts

1.	Kerry Collins at BYU (1992)	54
2.	Matt McGloin vs. Northwestern (2012)	51
	Rashard Casey vs. Iowa (2000)	51





a Lions running back since Evan Royster did so versus Oregon State in 2008.

ZWINAK JOINS ELITE 100-YARD RUSHING GROUP

Sophomore running back Zach Zwinak became the 85th Nittany Lion to rush for 100 yards in a game when he gained 100 yards on 19 carries and scored two touchdowns in the 35-7 win at Illinois.

The following week, in the 39-28 win over Northwestern, Zwinak joined an even more elite group, as he became just the eighth Nittany Lion to deliver his first two 100-yard rushing efforts in consecutive games.

Zwinak broke his career-high for the third consecutive game by rushing for 121 yards on a career-best 28 carries, including a one-yard touchdown run. He also set career-bests with six catches for 52 yards for a career-high 173 all-purpose yards, the highest total by a Nittany Lion this season.

Zwinak joined the following Nittany Lions with their first two 100-yard rushing efforts in consecutive games: Ki-Jana Carter (1993), Tom Donchez (1974), D.J. Dozier (1983), Curtis Enis (1995), Larry Johnson (2002), Buddy Torris (1961) and Wally Triplett (1948).

Dozier leads the group with his first four 100-yard rushing efforts occurring in consecutive games in 1983. Carter had three consecutive 100-yard efforts in 1993.

ZWINAK POSTS BACK-TO-BACK 100-YARD EFFORTS

Sophomore running back Zach Zwinak had gained just seven yards on three carries in his two seasons on campus. He suffered a torn ACL during his first season and racked up all seven yards versus Eastern Michigan in 2011.

This season, Zwinak has seen his workload gradually expand through the first six games. The Frederick, Md. native had just three carries over the first three games - all coming at Virginia - but due to injury found his role increased against Temple.

He piled up a then career-high 94 yards on 18 carries versus the Owls, but a week later he broke out for his first career 100-yard rushing effort. Versus the Illini he delivered his second consecutive career performance in the 35-7 win, gaining 100 yards on 19 carries and scoring twice.

Zwinak became the first Nittany Lion to eclipse 100 rushing yards since Silas Redd gained 137 yards vs. the Illini on Oct. 29, 2011.

Just seven day later, Zwinak again eclipsed his career mark for rushing yards in a game. The sophomore toted

the ball 28 times for 121 yards and a touchdown in the 39-28 victory over #24/22 Northwestern on Homecoming in Happy Valley.

His one-yard touchdown run gave the Nittany Lions a 10-0 lead in the second quarter, but his 46 yards in the fourth quarter that kept the Wildcats defense on the field and enabled the Blue and White to complete their comeback and collect the win.

OFFENSE ON RECORD PACE VERSUS WILDCATS

The record books needed some new ink after the Nittany Lions finished off their 39-28 victory over Northwestern on Oct. 6.

As a team, Penn State ran 99 offensive plays, matching a school record that was set on Oct. 22, 1966 in a 38-6 victory over West Virginia. The 99 plays are the second most run by a Big Ten team this season, just one behind Northwestern's 100-play afternoon versus Boston College on Sept. 15.

Penn State's 30 first downs versus Northwestern were the most for the Lions since posting 35 in a 44-14 victory over Minnesota in 2005. It marks only the Lions third game with 30 or more first downs since 1995. The school record for first downs in a game are 38 vs. West Virginia in '62.

Matt McGloin set a Penn State record with 35 pass completions, breaking the previous mark of 33 set by Wally Richardson in 1995 vs. Wisconsin. McGloin also had a career-high 51 pass attempts on the day tying Rashard Casey (51 vs. Iowa in 2000) for the second-most all-time at Penn State. Kerry Collins holds the record with 55 attempts at BYU in 1992.

HODGES EARNS BIG TEN DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK FOR WIN OVER NORTHWESTERN

Senior linebacker Gerald Hodges led a superlative defensive effort Oct. 6 in handing then No. 24 Northwestern its first loss and has earned his third career Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week honor.

A candidate for the Butkus and Bednarik Awards and the Nagurski Trophy, Hodges' selection marks the third time in the past four weeks a Nittany Lion has been selected the conference's top defensive player, with fellow linebacker Michael Mauti earning the honor after the Navy and Illinois games.

Hodges led another stellar defensive performance in the 39-28 comeback win over Northwestern. He recorded a season-high tying 11 tackles, with 1.5 TFL, a forced fumble and two pass break-ups. Hodges ended any comeback hopes by the Wildcats late in the game

by forcing a fumble that was recovered by freshman cornerback Da'Quan Davis.

Hodges led a Penn State defense that held the Wildcats to season-lows in total yards (247), rushing yards (112) and first downs (14), one week after the Wildcats logged a school record 704 yards of total offense. Led by Hodges, the Nittany Lions forced four straight Northwestern three-and-outs to start the game (six total) and the Wildcats went 4-of-13 on third down on the day. Penn State became the first team to keep Northwestern off the scoreboard in the first quarter this season.

Hodges previously earned the conference's weekly honor last season, earning consecutive Defensive Player of the Week accolades following the Northwestern and Illinois games.

MAUTI SELECTED WALTER CAMP & BIG TEN DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Senior linebacker Michael Mauti delivered a record-setting performance in Penn State's 35-7 win at Illinois and was selected the Walter Camp Football Foundation's National Defensive Player of the Week.

Mauti also was named Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week for the second time in three weeks and the third time in his career for his efforts versus the Illini.

A candidate for the Butkus and Bednarik Award, Mauti also earned a helmet sticker from ESPN's College Football Final program via fans on social media. West Virginia quarterback Geno Smith earned Walter Camp's offensive honor for Week 5.

Mauti led a dominant Penn State defensive performance, by recording two interceptions, six tackles (four solo) and combining on a sack. With the Illini threatening to become the first team to score a touchdown against Penn State in the first half, Mauti grabbed a Nathan Scheelhaase pass at the goal line and raced up the near sideline with a convoy of blockers. He avoided several would-be tacklers, but was tripped up at the Illinois one-yard-line. The 99-yard interception return broke the school record for longest interception return, a 98-yard effort by Wayne Berfield at Boston University in 1958.

Mauti made his second theft near midfield late in the third quarter to set-up a Zach Zwinak's second touchdown run of the game for a 35-7 lead early in the fourth quarter. Also in the third period, the former Mandeville High School All-American and defensive end Deion Barnes combined on a seven-yard sack of Scheelhaase.

Led by Mauti, the Nittany Lions forced three turnovers

TACKLE BREAKDOWNS

RUSHING TACKLES

Mauti, Michael	49
Hodges, Gerald	49
Hill, Jordan	39
Carson, Glenn	29
Willis, Malcolm	22
Stanley, Sean	19
Jones, DaQuan	14
Obeng-Agyapong, S.	12
Morris, Stephon	12
Amos, Adrian	11
Fagnano, Jacob	11
Zettel, Anthony	10
Hull, Mike	10
Olaniyan, C.J.	10
Barnes, Deion	9
Terry, James	7
Yancich, Michael	5
Kline, Ben	4
Massaro, Pete	3
Baublitz, Kyle	2
Della Valle, Jesse	2
Bars, Brad	2
Fuhrman, Michael	1
Lewis, Evan	1
Wartman, Nyeem	1
Lehman, Matt	1
TOTAL	335

PASSING TACKLES

Mauti, Michael	21
Amos, Adrian	19
Morris, Stephon	18
Hodges, Gerald	17
Carson, Glenn	17
Hull, Mike	11
Obeng-Agyapong, S.	10
Fagnano, Jacob	10
Willis, Malcolm	8
Yancich, Michael	5
Davis, Da'Quan	5
Kline, Ben	5
Terry, James	2
Olaniyan, C.J.	2
Stanley, Sean	2
Hill, Jordan	2
Massaro, Pete	1
Barnes, Deion	1
Keiser, Ryan	1
TOTAL	158

SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES Total (KO-Punt)

Ben Kline	5 (4-1)
Hull, Mike	5 (4-1)
Day, Derek	4 (3-1)
Fagnano, Jacob	4 (4-0)
Willis, Malcolm	4 (4-0)
Dukes, Curtis	3 (3-0)
Yancich, Michael	3 (3-0)
Zordich, Michael	2 (1-1)
Mauti, Michael	2 (0-2)
Della Valle, Jesse	1 (0-1)
Obeng-Agyapong, S.	1 (0-1)
Ficken, Sam	1 (1-0)
TOTALS	35 (27-8)



and held Illinois well below its season average of 26.5 ppg, 0 for 3 in the Red Zone, and an 0 of 9 start on third down conversions until late in the third quarter. Before the final Illini drive of the game, Penn State allowed just one of 13 Illinois drives to extend longer than six plays.

FOUR DIFFERENT LIONS LEAD RUSHING ATTACK TO OPEN 2012 SEASON

Penn State had a different rushing leader in each of the initial four games, with injuries giving five running backs an opportunity to carry the ball and bolster the team's depth.

Sophomore Bill Belton led the Nittany Lions with 53 yards on 13 carries in the opener vs. Ohio, but suffered a sprained ankle and has missed the last three games. Senior Derek Day earned his first career start at Virginia and gained 47 yards on 18 attempts, but suffered a shoulder injury and missed the next two contests.

Senior Michael Zordich, who had 15 carries in 2011, gained a team-high 50 yards on 11 carries in the win over Navy. Junior Curtis Dukes made his first career start and gained 47 yards on 11 attempts, but missed the Temple game after sustaining a thigh injury.

In the Sept. 22 win over Temple, sophomore Zach Zwinak set then-career-highs with 18 carries for 94 yards (5.2). Zordich re-wrote his career bests with 15 attempts for 75 yards (5.0), including a team season-long 16-yard run. He left the game after taking a hit to his left knee. Behind Zwinak and Zordich, Penn State gained a season-high 173 rushing yards on 42 carries (4.1) and also set season bests for first downs (27) and time of possession (36:52).

MAUTI & BARNES EARN BIG TEN HONORS

Senior linebacker Michael Mauti and redshirt freshman defensive end Deion Barnes were honored Sept. 17 by the Big Ten Conference for their efforts in Penn State's 34-7 win over Navy.

Mauti was selected Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week for the second time in his career and Barnes was named the conference's Co-Freshman of the Week for the first time.

At least one Penn State linebacker has earned Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week every season since 2004, including senior Gerald Hodges (Paulsboro, N.J.), who was honored for the Northwestern and Illinois games last year. Penn State two-time All-America linebacker Paul Posluszny is the conference's all-time leader in career weekly Defensive honors with five.

Mauti led a defensive effort that resulted in forcing four turnovers, including one defensive touchdown, and holding Navy to just seven points and 4 of 15 on third down conversions.

Mauti posted a game-high 12 tackles (seven solo) for his fifth career game with 10 or more tackles and second this season. The Butkus Award semifinalist also recorded his first sack of the season and had two tackles for loss (minus-26 yards). He led an effort that resulted in season highs of four sacks and nine TFL.

Playing in his third career game, Barnes shared his first Big Ten honor with Indiana quarterback Nate Sudfeld. Making his second start, Barnes made a season-high five tackles (three solo), including his third sack of the young season. He forced his second fumble of the year on a sack on a Navy fourth down play from the PSU 31-yard-line early in the third quarter with the Nittany Lions leading 20-0.

NITS AT NIGHT

The Nittany Lions defeated Iowa, 38-14, under the lights of Kinnick Stadium and fell to Ohio State at Beaver Stadium, 35-23, in their two night games this season.

Penn State played back-to-back night games for the first time since hosting Rutgers and visiting Maryland in consecutive games in 1993.

In October 2008, the Nittany Lions played a night game at Wisconsin, hosted Michigan in a 4:30 p.m. kick and played a night game at Ohio State.

Penn State has played at least one regular season night game in 13 consecutive seasons.

Penn State and Iowa played a night game for the third time in the past four years, with the 2010 contest in

Kinnick Stadium also in prime time.

The Lions' 22 night games over the past 13 seasons include: Iowa (2012); Northwestern (2011); Alabama, Iowa and Michigan (2010); Iowa (2009); Illinois, Wisconsin and Ohio State (2008); Notre Dame, Ohio State and Texas A&M (2007); Michigan (2006); Illinois, Ohio State and Florida State (2005); Minnesota and Boston College (2004); Nebraska (2002 and '03); Miami (Fla.) (2001) and Indiana (2000).

PENN STATE'S 20th BIG TEN SEASON

After 106 years as an independent in football, Penn State began play in the Big Ten Conference in 1993 and is playing its 20th year in the conference. The Nittany Lions were Big Ten Champions in 1994, beating Oregon to win the 1995 Rose Bowl, and played USC in the 2009 Rose Bowl.

The Nittany Lions will begin Big Ten play at Leaders Division foe Illinois on Sept. 29 and finish the regular season with home games against division rivals Indiana (Nov. 17) and Wisconsin (Nov. 24). Penn State also hosts Leaders Division foe Ohio State (Oct. 27) and visits Purdue (Nov. 3).

Penn State will annually play Nebraska (Nov. 10) from the Legends Division and also plays at Iowa (Oct. 20) and hosts Northwestern (Oct. 6 - Homecoming) from the Legends Division this year.

In 2013 and '14, Michigan and Minnesota will replace the Hawkeyes and Wildcats on the Nittany Lions' schedule. Michigan State and Iowa return to the Penn State slate in 2015.

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

SCHOOL RECORD 10 BOWL TEAMS ON SLATE

The Nittany Lions are facing a program record 10 teams that played in bowl games last year, with five games at home and all five games on the road.

Navy was 5-7 last year and had played in eight consecutive bowl games before missing by one win in 2011.

Among the teams coming to Beaver Stadium this fall are 2011 bowl teams: Ohio (Idaho Potato Bowl), Wisconsin (Rose), Ohio State (Gator), Northwestern (Meineke Car Care), Temple (New Mexico).

Penn State also will face bowl teams in all five road games: Virginia (Chick-Fil-A), Nebraska (Capital One), Iowa (Insight), Illinois (Kraft Fight Hunger), Purdue (Little Caesars).

NINE NITTANY LIONS ARE GRADUATES

Nine Nittany Lions had earned their degrees entering the 2012 season.

Pete Massaro and Michael Mauti graduated last December. Evan Lewis, Ty Howle, Matt McGloin and John Urschel, who graduated in three years with a perfect 4.0 grade-point average, joined them as graduates in May.

James Terry, Michael Yancich and Michael Zordich graduated in August.

FIVE TRUE FRESHMEN MAKE DEBUT VS. OHIO; BENCH BECOMES SIXTH TO PLAY

Five Penn State true freshmen made their debut against Ohio in the season opener: CB Da'Quan Davis, TE Jesse James, Saf Jordan Lucas, LB Nyeem Wartman and WR Trevor Williams.

Quarterback Steven Bench became the sixth true freshman to see action when he entered the Virginia game in the second quarter. Bench completed his first collegiate pass attempt with a 7-yard completion to Allen Robinson. He finished 2-of-7 for 12 yards on the day. Bench also gained 18 yards on three carries, including a 15-yard run for a first down.

Bench is the third true freshman to play at quarterback

for Penn State in the last eight years, joining Anthony Morelli (2004) and Rob Bolden (2010).

Wartman blocked an Ohio punt at the Bobcats' 25-yard-line in the second quarter that Penn State converted into a 14-yard touchdown pass from Matt McGloin to tight end Matt Lehman for a 14-3 lead. Wartman also had one solo tackle.

1982 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM RETURNS FOR TEMPLE GAME

The 1982 Nittany Lions, one of the outstanding teams in Penn State's glorious football history, were honored at halftime of the Temple game.

The '82 Nittany Lions won Penn State's first National Championship by defeating No. 1 Georgia, 27-23, in the Sugar Bowl. Penn State earned a last second 27-24 win over No. 2 Nebraska in late September and rebounded from a 42-21 loss at Alabama in early October to win its last six games and earn a shot at the unbeaten Bulldogs for the title.

More than 50 members of the 1982 squad are attended the Temple game, including one of the team captains, Ken Kelley. All-Americans Scott Radecic and Curt Warner, a member of the College Football Hall of Fame, also attended.

Among some of the other Nittany Lions who attended the team's 30th reunion are: Mark Battaglia, Bill Contz, Dean DiMidio, Dan Delligatti, Massimo Manca, Carmen Masciantonio, Mike McCloskey, Brian Siverling, Bob White and Mike Zordich, Sr.

THIRTY LETTERWINNERS RETURNED

Penn State returned 28 lettermen from last season - 12 on offense and 16 on defense. Two letterwinners from the 2010 season who were injured and did not play last year also return - tight end Garry Gilliam and defensive end Pete Massaro - bringing the total to 30 returnees.

Penn State returned six starters from the 2011 squad, along with 13 additional players who had made at least one start prior to this season. Two starters are back on offense (C Matt Stankewitch and QB Matt McGloin) and four on defense (LB Glenn Carson, DT Jordan Hill, LB Gerald Hodges, DE Sean Stanley).

Among the 13 additional returning players that had made starts prior to 2012, seven are on offense and six are on defense. The 13 players have a combined total of 56 career starts, led by CB Stephon Morris (13), DE Pete Massaro (11), LB Michael Mauti (11) and Saf Malcolm Willis (6).

NITTANY LIONS BEAT NAVY FOR O'BRIEN'S FIRST CAREER WIN

Penn State scored on its initial three possessions and kept Navy off the scoreboard until the fourth quarter to post a 34-7 victory on Sept. 15 and give Coach Bill O'Brien his first career victory.

Sophomore wide receiver Allen Robinson recorded career-highs with 136 receiving yards and three touchdowns on five receptions and senior quarterback Matt McGloin tied his career high with four touchdown passes. McGloin was 13 of 21 for 231 yards and was not intercepted for the second consecutive game, as he delivered his ninth career 200-yard passing game. Freshman tight end Jesse James' first career catch resulted in a two-yard touchdown catch to cap the Nittany Lions' opening drive of the game. The Nittany Lions did not have a turnover for the second straight week.

The Penn State defense forced four turnovers (three fumbles) for the second consecutive game, boosting the Nittany Lions to the Big Ten lead in turnover margin (+1.67 tpg).

Early in the fourth quarter, sophomore linebacker Mike Hull scooped up a fumble and sprinted 74 yards for a touchdown. The Nittany Lions also recorded season-highs with four sacks and nine tackles for loss. Senior linebacker Michael Mauti recorded a game-high 12 tackles to earn Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week accolades for the second time in his career.

Defensive end Deion Barnes forced a fumble for the second straight week and recorded his third sack in the past two games to earn Big Ten Co-Freshman of the





Week accolades.

TRIO OF RETURNEES EARNED 2011 ALL-BIG TEN RECOGNITION; ON 2012 WATCH LISTS

Among the returnees are three Nittany Lions who earned All-Big Ten recognition in 2011 and should be candidates for all-conference and national honors this year:

- Senior linebacker **Gerald Hodges** was selected first-team All-Big Ten and to the ESPN.com All-Big Ten team; 2012 Candidacy & Watch Lists: Lindy's pre-season first-team All-American, Bednarik Award, Nagurski Trophy, Butkus Award, Rotary Lombardi Award.

- Senior defensive tackle **Jordan Hill** was named honorable-mention All-Big Ten; 2012 Watch Lists: Outland Trophy, Rotary Lombardi Award.

- Senior linebacker **Michael Mauti** was a 2011 pre-season All-Big Ten choice, but suffered a season-ending knee injury in the fourth game last year; 2012 Watch Lists: Butkus Award.

HODGES NAMED PRE-SEASON FIRST-TEAM ALL-AMERICAN; CANDIDATE FOR SEVERAL NATIONAL HONORS

Senior linebacker Gerald Hodges was selected a 2012 pre-season first-team All-American by Lindy's and is a candidate for four national awards.

Hodges is on the Watch Lists for the: Bednarik Award, Butkus Award, Nagurski Trophy and Rotary Lombardi Award.

Hodges earned first team All-Big Ten honors from the coaches and ESPN.com in 2011. He was instrumental in Penn State having the nation's No. 5 scoring defense in 2011 and became the 22nd Nittany Lion to post at least 100 tackles in a season. Hodges led the team with 106 tackles (60 solo), ranking in the top 15 in the Big Ten in hits (eighth) and sacks (tied-14th with 4.5). Hodges also recorded 10.0 tackles for loss, forced two fumbles, broke-up four passes and made one critical interception and 63-yard return to set-up a touchdown in the win at Northwestern.

The former Paulsboro High School All-South Jersey standout was selected the Touchdown Club of Southern Jersey's 2011 Division I College Player of the Year.

HILL ON OUTLAND TROPHY AND ROTARY LOMBARDI AWARD WATCH LISTS

Senior defensive tackle Jordan Hill is a candidate for the Outland Trophy and the Rotary Lombardi Award.

Hill, a pre-season All-Big Ten candidate, will anchor a talented and deep defensive line in 2012. Last year, Hill led the D-line with 59 tackles, including eight tackles for loss and 3.5 sacks, earning honorable-mention All-Big Ten recognition. The former Steelton-Highspire High School standout also topped the team and was tied for second in the Big Ten with three fumble recoveries, had one forced fumble and two pass break-ups.

STANKIEWITCH ON RIMINGTON TROPHY WATCH LIST

Penn State senior Matt Stankiewitch is on the Watch List for the Rimington Trophy, presented to the nation's top center. All-American A.Q. Shipley won the 2008 Rimington Trophy.

A starter in every game last season, Stankiewitch will anchor the offensive line and is the unit's only returning starter. He was instrumental in helping Penn State lead the Big Ten in fewest sacks allowed last season (14 in 13 games) and gave Penn State a 1,000-yard rusher for the seventh consecutive season.

NUMEROUS NITTANY LIONS HAVE FAMILY TIES TO PENN STATE FOOTBALL

Six members on the 2012 squad have ties to current or former Nittany Lion football team players, coaches or staff:

- Junior **Nate Cadogan's** brother, Gerald, lettered at

tackle for the Nittany Lions from 2006-08;

- Senior kick snapper **Mike Furhman** is the son of Chet Furhman, former Penn State Football strength and conditioning coach;

- Redshirt sophomore 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 fifth-year senior linebacker and another son, Patrick, was a senior in 2009;

- Freshman **Jonathan Warner's** father, Curt, was a first-team All-America tailback in 1981 and '82, and was instrumental in the Nittany Lions winning their first National Championship in 1982. Curt Warner was inducted into the National Football Foundation College Hall of Fame in 2009;

- Senior **Michael's 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 sophomore **Patrick Flanagan** is the nephew of Nittany Lion Basketball head coach Patrick Chambers. Redshirt sophomore **Alex Kenney's** sister, Lauren, is a sophomore on the Penn State women's track and field team, placing fourth in the javelin at the 2012 NCAA Outdoor Track and Field Championships.

FULLBACK BYERS ACTIVE DUTY MEMBER OF NAVY OFFICER PROGRAM

Senior fullback P.J. Byers had a remarkable path en route to earning a spot on the Penn State squad as a walk-on in 2010. An active duty member of the United States Navy's officer program, Byers went 18 years between introductions with the late Joe Paterno. In 1992, his father, Patrick, Sr., interned under Paterno at the annual Big 33 Classic. Paterno signed a program for P.J., who was seven years old, with the inscription, "I'll be waiting."

A 2003 graduate of Penn Trafford High School, Byers enlisted in the Navy, but was put on delayed entry and enrolled at Marietta College. At Marietta, he played football and was a member of the track and field team in 2003-04 before heading to boot camp, where he hoped to launch his career as a Navy SEAL. But, Byers' eyesight did not pass the necessary requirements and he shifted his career to becoming a Navy dive specialist. After being stationed in Connecticut and Florida, Byers was assigned to the Pearl Harbor Naval Station, where he learned to do underwater submarine repairs and demolition of explosives, during his three years in Hawaii. He then spent two years in San Diego, where he continued his diving education, including training dolphins to find mines.

During his time at Pearl Harbor and in San Diego, Byers was able to continue his dream of playing football in military-sponsored leagues. When Byers was selected for the Navy's officer program, he was able to choose any college or university he wished to attend, in order to earn a degree, which is a requirement for the officer program. Having attending games in Beaver Stadium during his youth, becoming a Nittany Lion was his first choice.

Once Byers graduates, if pro football does not work out, he aspires to become a Navy Explosive Ordinance Disposal (EOD) officer, where he would be on the frontline, disarming explosive devices and disposing of them.

Byers made his Penn State debut last year with a carry against Eastern Michigan. He is on schedule to graduate in May 2013, owned a grade-point average above 3.0 following the spring semester and is a potential Academic All-Big Ten candidate.

PENN STATE FOOTBALL THEME DAYS AND GAMEDAY EVENTS SET

Every Penn State home gameday will feature new and returning Nittany Lion fan favorites in Beaver Stadium. With the Next Chapter of Penn State Football underway, numerous game themes and promotions are scheduled for Bill O'Brien's first season as head coach.

Special dates remaining this season are:

Ohio State, Oct. 27 - Primetime Penn State White Out

A Primetime Penn State White Out is slated for the Nittany Lions' 5:30 p.m. clash with Ohio State on Oct. 27. All fans are encouraged to wear white to the game against the Leaders Division rival Buckeyes. ESPN will televise the contest.

Wisconsin, Nov. 24 - Senior Day and THON Celebration Day

Penn State concludes its home schedule Nov. 24 with one of the special events of every season - Senior Day. The Nittany Lion seniors will be introduced one final time to the crowd prior to kickoff against Leaders Division foe Wisconsin. The contest also is THON celebration day.

SEVERAL ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA® CANDIDATES

The Penn State football team has had at least one Capital One Academic All-American® in nine of the past 10 seasons, including a school record five in 2008 and three more in 2009 and again in 2010.

Redshirt junior guard John Urschel graduated in May 2012 with a perfect 4.0 grade-point average in mathematics and is working on a master's in math. Urschel should be a strong candidate in the fall to become Penn State football's 50th CoSIDA Academic All-American®.

Fifth-year senior defensive end Pete Massaro earned first team Academic All-America® honors in 2010, but missed the 2011 season with a serious knee injury and was not eligible for consideration. Massaro earned a 3.85 undergraduate GPA, earning his degree in finance in December 2011.

Among the Nittany Lions' other potential Academic All-America® candidates are: redshirt sophomore defensive end Brad Bars, redshirt sophomore guard Miles Dieffenbach, senior tackle Mike Farrell, redshirt sophomore linebacker Mike Hull and senior center Matt Stankiewitch.

The Nittany Lions' 49 all-time Academic All-Americans® rank No. 3 in the nation among Football Bowl Subdivision programs.

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.

NEARLY 40 ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN HONOREES OVER PAST TWO YEARS

A total of 20 Penn State football student-athletes earned Academic All-Big Ten honors last fall for owning at least a 3.0 grade point average and being a letterwinner. A total of 280 Nittany Lions have earned Academic All-Big Ten honors since 1993, including 39 the past two years.

NEARLY 35 FOOTBALL STUDENT-ATHLETES EARN 3.0 GPA IN SPRING SEMESTER

The Penn State football team produced another outstanding academic performance during the spring 2012 semester, with 34 squad members earning at least a 3.0 grade-point average.

Among the 34 Nittany Lions above a 3.0 GPA, 15 earned Dean's List recognition by posting a 3.5 GPA or higher this past semester.

The superlative academic performance brought to 37 the total number of Penn State football student-athletes with a cumulative 3.0 or higher GPA through the spring semester.

Four additional Nittany Lions who are not using their fifth-year of eligibility also earned a 3.0 or higher during the spring semester: Andrew Goodman (Philadelphia), J.D. Mason (Philipsburg), Kenny Pollock (Dallas, Pa.) and Ryan Scherer (Avon Lake, Ohio). Goodman earned Dean's List recognition and graduated in May with Mason and Scherer. Pollock is on schedule to graduate in December.

Redshirt junior guard John Urschel (Williamsville, N.Y.) posted a perfect 4.0 GPA for the sixth consecutive semester and graduated in May, earning his degree in mathematics in three years. Urschel is enrolled in a master's degree program in math and should be a strong candidate in the fall to become Penn State football's 50th CoSIDA Academic All-American®.



Also earning 4.0 GPAs during the spring semester were senior tackle Mike Farrell (Pittsburgh) and senior wide receiver Evan Lewis (Gettysburg), who also graduated in May. A minimum 12 credit hours are required for Dean's List consideration.

Among the additional Nittany Lions on the Dean's List last spring were: defensive end Brad Bars (Nashville), cornerback Jess Della Valle (Pittsburgh), linebacker Mike Hull (Canonsburg), linebacker Ben Kline (Seven Valleys), tight end Matt Lehman (Newport) defensive end Pete Massaro (Newtown Square), quarterback Shane McGregor (Ebensburg) and center Matt Stankewich. Kline earned a 3.94 GPA during the spring semester and brought a 3.92 cumulative GPA in the summer academic sessions.

Five true freshmen earned Dean's List honors during the spring semester: Kevin Blanchard (Katy, Texas), Sam Ficken (Valparaiso, Ind.), Carl Nassib (Malvern), Deron Thompson (Lititz) and Kline.

UNIFORM CHANGES

The Penn State football team is wearing uniforms featuring a blue ribbon on the back of the helmet to support all victims of child abuse. Also, for the first time, the names of each football player adorn their jersey in recognition of their resolve and dedication to the team and the University.

"The Penn State community stands with all victims of child abuse," said Acting Athletic Director David Joyner. "Coach Bill O'Brien and his football team made it clear they want to support victims and bring more awareness to this issue, which affects so many."

"I'm proud that our players want to be part of the University's efforts to help victims of child abuse," O'Brien said. "We hope our fans join us in wearing blue ribbons to all Penn State home games. Together, we can make a difference in the lives of children everywhere."

Coach O'Brien says after speaking with some members of the team, they made the decision together to add names to the uniforms. Players indicated the names on their jerseys also mean they will hold each other accountable to uphold the traditions of Penn State football, both on and off the field.

"We want our fans to know and recognize these young men," O'Brien said. "They have stuck together during tough times, and I commend them for the leadership they have shown. Moving forward, I'm deeply committed to honoring Penn State's traditions, while building a bright future for our football program."

11 FIRST TEAM ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS@ PAST FOUR YEARS

For the third consecutive year, in 2010, the Penn State Football program was at the head of the class in Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-America@ selections.

All-America guard Stefan 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 six years, with 13 first team honorees. A program record five Nittany Lions were selected to the 2008 Academic All-America@ team.

The Nittany Lions' 49 Academic All-Americans@ all-time are No. 3 in the nation among Football Bowl Subdivision programs.

10th ANNUAL PENN STATE UPLIFTING ATHLETES "LIFT FOR LIFE" HITS RECORD \$110,000 TO BENEFIT KIDNEY CANCER ASSOCIATION

The 10th Annual Penn State Uplifting Athletes "Lift For Life" was a tremendous success on July 13 raising the 2012 total to a record total in excess of \$110,000 to benefit the Kidney Cancer Association.

Penn State football student-athletes have raised \$110,374.00 for kidney cancer patients and awareness

this year, with additional donations expected. The 2012 total breaks the chapter's previous record from the 2011 "Lift For Life," which netted \$100,930.00 for the Kidney Cancer Association.

More than \$700,000 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/112/>

This year's Penn State Lift For Life was held outside for the first time, as more than 2,500 fans attended at the new Penn State Lacrosse Field. The new format saw the offense defeat the defense, 176-136, securing the victory by winning all three tug of war competitions, good for 30 points, to conclude the event.

A total of 81 Penn State football student-athletes secured at least one donation for Lift For Life, led by junior guard Eric Shrive (Scranton), who raised \$31,868.00. Senior tackle Mike Farrell (Pittsburgh) was next with \$12,755 and fullback J.R. Refice (Jessup) was third.

"A big thank you to everyone who donated and supported the football team by attending Lift For Life," said Mike Farrell, president of Penn State's Uplifting Athletes chapter. "We really appreciate everyone who helped in the Penn State community, from Coach (Bill) O'Brien and Coach Fitz (Craig Fitzgerald), the team, Deloris Brobeck, Kevin Henry and all our great volunteers who helped make the event successful."

"I would like to thank everyone who supported this year's Lift For Life event," said Shrive, vice president of Penn State's Uplifting Athletes chapter. "With everyone's support and generosity this was the best Lift For Life yet. We Are!"

The team was broken into six groups, with two groups from each side of the ball competing against each other:

- offensive linemen vs. defensive linemen,
- running backs/tight ends vs. linebackers
- quarterbacks/wide receivers vs. defensive backs.

The competitions included pushing a 15-passenger van weighing approximately 6,400 pounds, flipping a 680-pound tire, a medicine ball toss over a goalpost, a weighted sled pull and push and relays that included stacking three 50-pound bags, carrying weights and the tug of war.

"It's a hard workout," said Fitzgerald, Director of Strength and Conditioning for Football. "It was a great day for Penn State and most importantly, for (beating) kidney cancer."

Founded by Penn State Football teammates Scott Shirley, Dave Costlow and Damone Jones in 2003, Lift For Life has continued to build awareness and raise funds for the Kidney Cancer Association. The event is organized by Penn State Football Uplifting Athletes, whose members are on the Penn State football team. They are led this year by officers Farrell, Shrive, senior linebacker Mike Yancich (Washington), who is the secretary, and junior center Ty Howle (Wake Forest, N.C.), who is head of operations.

Uplifting Athletes has grown to 13 chapters, with Boston College, Colgate, Kent State, Maryland, North Carolina State, Northwestern, Ohio State, Princeton, St. Francis, Notre Dame, Illinois and Fordham joining the Penn State chapter.

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 STUDENTS AGAIN SELL OUT 21,000 SEASON FOOTBALL SEATS

The anticipation for the 2012 Nittany Lion football season continues to build, with Penn State students purchasing more than 21,000 season tickets in June to again sellout the student section at Beaver Stadium.

Penn State students also pushed men's basketball student season ticket sales 10 percent ahead of last

year's total and joined the Student Nittany Lion Club during the sale.

Penn State's proud and enthusiastic student section in Beaver Stadium is the nation's second-largest full season student ticket section of any school, for any sport. ESPN's College Gameday and ESPN The Magazine ("The Nation's No. 1 Student section") are among the national media accolades for the Nittany Lions' loud and impactful student section.

"PENN STATE FOOTBALL 2012: THE NEXT CHAPTER" AIRS THROUGHOUT MID-ATLANTIC & NORTHEAST WEEKLY DURING SEASON

Penn State Athletics and Penn State Public Broadcasting are extending their partnership to produce "Penn State Football 2012 - The Next Chapter," a weekly program that chronicles the Nittany Lions' first season under head coach Bill O'Brien.

Penn State Public Broadcasting will produce the program, the program, which debuted Sunday, Sept. 2, and be televised on WPSU-TV, across the Commonwealth and in numerous markets in the Mid-Atlantic and Northeast. The program will include feature stories and highlights from the previous day's Penn State contest throughout the season, which begins Sept. 1 when the Nittany Lions host Ohio at 12 p.m.

The 30-minute program will provide a fast-paced, intimate look at Nittany Lion football and include exclusive interviews with Coach O'Brien, members of the football staff and team members and behind the scenes access from pre-season through the end of the season.

WPSU-TV also produces the Emmy Award-winning "Courtside With Coquese," chronicling the 2012 Big Ten Champion Lady Lion Basketball team, in partnership with Penn State Athletics.

"Penn State Football 2012 - The Next Chapter" airs every week during the Nittany Lions' football season throughout Pennsylvania and regional sports cable networks and channels in the Mid-Atlantic and Northeast.

Among the Pennsylvania outlets carrying "Penn State Football 2012 - The Next Chapter" are:

- WPSU-TV, Ch. 3 (State College/Central Pa.);
- WTAJ-TV, Ch. 10 (State College, Altoona, Johnstown);
- 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);
- Root Sports (Western Pa./Eastern Ohio/W. Va.);
- CSN-Philadelphia (Eastern Pa./New Jersey/Delaware).

MASN (Baltimore-Washington, D.C.) and NESN (New England) are among the other regional sports networks carrying "Penn State Football 2012 - The Next Chapter."

A complete listing of stations and networks that carry "Penn State Football 2012 - The Next Chapter," and Penn State football and basketball programming can be found on GoPSUsports.com at: <http://www.gopsusports.com/ot/radio-tv.html>.

BLUE-WHITE WEEKEND DATES SET FOR 2013

The dates for one of the highlights of the Penn State sports calendar, Blue-White Weekend, have been set for 2013.

Blue-White Weekend will be held April 19-21, 2013, with the Blue-White football game on Saturday, April 20 as the centerpiece for numerous activities throughout the weekend in and around Beaver Stadium.

Numerous events are held during Blue-White Weekend, including a carnival, fireworks, food vendors, live music and performances at the student entertainment stage, in addition to other Penn State athletic events.

The Nittany Lion Club will host its Blue-White Event on April 20, 2013 before the game. The NLC breakfast event features Coach Bill O'Brien and the Nittany Lion seniors and drew more than 1,300 to the Bryce Jordan Center this past April.





Blue-White Weekend has become the university's unofficial annual spring reunion. This year's scrimmage drew an estimated 60,000 fans, the nation's third-highest spring football game attendance. The Blue-White Game attracted record-breaking crowds in excess of 70,000 from 2007-09, topped by 76,500 at the 2009 contest.

BIG TEN NETWORK TO AIR MULTIPLE PENN STATE GAMES AMONG ITS 40-PLUS FOOTBALL GAMES THIS 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. 20 contest at Iowa will air in primetime on BTN, with a 7 p.m. CT kick in Iowa City. Additional Nittany Lion games will air on BTN once the 12-day selection process begins.

BTN televised three Penn State football games in 2011 and 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 more than 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 football triple-headers on Sept. 1, 8 and 15.

The Big Ten Network will televise approximately 800 events in 2012-13, 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.

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, Midcontinent, Millheim 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.

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.

More than 50 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 13th 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."

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

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

TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR HOME SLATE

Single game tickets are available for the Nittany Lions' contests with Indiana (Nov. 17) and Wisconsin (Nov. 24). Penn State football tickets can be purchased at www.GoPSUsports.com/tickets or by calling 1-800-NITTANY weekdays from 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

GAME 10: at Nebraska, Nov. 10; 3:30 (ABC/ESPN2)

Penn State play its final road game of the season when it travels to Lincoln, Neb to face the Cornhuskers. It will be the first trip to Nebraska for the Nittany Lions since falling 18-10 in 2003.



PENN STATE DEPTH CHART

OFFENSE

Left Tackle

- 76 Donovan Smith (6-5, 316, So/Fr)
- 70 Nate Cadogan (6-5, 293, Sr/Jr)

Left Guard

- 65 Miles Dieffenbach (6-3, 300, Jr/So)
- 60 Ty Howle (6-0, 298, Gr/Jr)
- 66 Angelo Mangiro (6-3, 291, So/Fr)
- 56 Anthony Alosi (6-4, 287, So/Fr)

Center

- 54 Matt Stankiewitch (6-3, 301, Sr/Sr)*
- 62 Frank Figueroa (6-3, 208, Sr/Jr)
- 55 Wendy Laurent (6-2, 278, Fr/Fr)

Right Guard

- 64 John Urschel (6-3, 307, Gr/Jr)
- 75 Eric Shrive (6-6, 305, Sr/Jr)

Right Tackle

- 78 Mike Farrell (6-6, 306, Sr/Sr)*
- 58 Adam Gress (6-6, 311, Sr/Jr)
- 75 Eric Shrive (6-6, 305, Sr/Jr)

Quarterback

- 11 Matt McGloin (6-1, 201, Gr/Sr)*
- 12 Steven Bench (6-2, 204, Fr/Fr)
- 2 Shane McGregor (6-1, 211, Sr/Sr)

Running Back

- 1 Bill Belton (5-10, 202, So/So)
- 28 Zach Zwinak (6-1, 232, Jr/So)
- 24 Derek Day (5-9, 193, Sr/Sr)
- 26 Curtis Dukes (6-1, 245, Sr/Jr)
- 22 Akeel Lynch (6-0, 209, Fr/Fr)

Fullback

- 9 Michael Zordich (6-1, 236, Gr/Sr)*
- 35 Pat Zerbe (6-1, 236, Sr/Jr)

Tight End - Y

- 89 Garry Gilliam (6-6, 262, Sr/Jr)
- 18 Jesse James (6-7, 264, Fr/Fr)
- 84 Matt Lehman (6-6, 258, Sr/Jr)

Tight End - F

- 87 Kyle Carter (6-3, 247, So/Fr)
- 82 Brian Irvin (6-3, 242, Sr/Sr)
- 83 Brent Wilkerson (6-3, 239, Fr/Fr)
- 84 Matt Lehman (6-6, 258, Sr/Jr)

Wide Receiver

- 8 Allen Robinson (6-3, 201, So/So)
- 80 Matt Zanellato (6-3, 198, So/Fr)
- 7 Eugene Lewis (6-1, 199, Fr/Fr)

Wide Receiver

- 85 Brandon Moseby-Felder (6-2, 195, Sr/Jr)
- 21 Trevor Williams (6-1, 186, Fr/Fr)
- 17 Christian Kuntz (6-4, 218, Sr/Jr)

Wide Receiver

- 15 Alex Kenney (6-0, 192, Jr/So)
- 37 Evan Lewis (5-10, 174, Gr/Sr)*
- 20 Malik Golden (6-1, 182, Fr/Fr) OR
- 88 Jonathan Warner (6-1, 198, Fr/Fr)

DEFENSE

End

- 18 Deion Barnes (6-4, 246, So/Fr)
- 59 Pete Massaro (6-4, 256, Gr/Sr)
- 98 Anthony Zettel (6-5, 253, So/Fr)

Tackle

- 91 DaQuan Jones (6-3, 324, Jr/Jr)
- 93 James Terry (6-3, 316, Gr/Sr)*
- 99 Austin Johnson (6-4, 297, Fr/Fr)

Tackle

- 47 Jordan Hill (6-1, 292, Sr/Sr)
- 84 Kyle Baublitz (6-5, 287, Jr/So)

End

- 90 Sean Stanley (6-1, 243, Sr/Sr)
- 86 C.J. Olaniyan (6-3, 248, Jr/So)
- 31 Brad Bars (6-3, 254, Jr/So)

Outside Linebacker

- 42 Michael Mauti (6-2, 232, Gr/Sr)*
- 38 Ben Kline (6-2, 224, So/Fr)

Middle Linebacker

- 40 Glenn Carson (6-3, 235, Jr/Jr)
- 33 Michael Yancich (6-2, 233, Gr/Sr)

Outside Linebacker

- 6 Gerald Hodges (6-2, 237, Sr/Sr)
- 43 Mike Hull (6-0, 228, Jr/So)

Cornerback

- 4 Adrian Amos (6-0, 205, So/So)
- 39 Jesse Della Valle (6-1, 190, Jr/So)
- 14 Jordan Lucas (6-0, 188, Fr/Fr)

Free Safety

- 10 Malcolm Willis (5-11, 209, Sr/Jr)
- 23 Ryan Keiser (6-1, 200, Jr/So)

Strong Safety

- 7 Stephen Obeng-Agyapong (5-10, 207, Sr/Jr)
- 27 Jake Fagnano (6-0, 206, Sr/Sr)

Cornerback

- 12 Stephon Morris (5-8, 186, Sr/Sr)
- 3 Da'Quan Davis (5-10, 161, Fr/Fr)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Punter

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

Kicker

- 97 Sam Ficken (6-3, 172, So/So)

Holder

- 23 Ryan Keiser (6-1, 200, Jr/So)
- 37 Evan Lewis (5-10, 174, Gr/Sr)*

Kick Snapper

- 60 Ty Howle (6-0, 298, Gr/Jr) (PAT/FG)
- 44 Michael Fuhrman (5-10, 213, Sr/Sr) (Punts)
- 57 Emery Etter (6-1, 221, Sr/Jr) (Punts)

Kickoff Returners

- 39 Jesse Della Valle (6-1, 190, Jr/So)
- 1 Bill Belton (5-10, 202, So/So)
- 15 Alex Kenney (6-0, 192, Jr/So)
- 4 Adrian Amos (6-0, 205, So/So)

Punt Returners

- 37 Evan Lewis (5-10, 174, Gr/Sr)*
- 39 Jesse Della Valle (6-1, 190, Jr/So)

* Fifth-year senior

PRONUNCIATIONS

Mark Arcidiacono	Archie-D-ack-ano
Nate Cadogan	Cuh-DOE-gun
Da'Quan Davis	DUH-quan
Jesse Della Valle	Della-a-VALLEY
Jacob Fagnano	Fan-YAWN-oh
Brain Gaia	GUY-uh
Ty Howle	HOWL
DaQuan Jones	DAY-quan
Wendy Laurent	Luh-RENT
Matt Lehman	LAY-man
Pete Massaro	Muh-SAR-oh
Michael Mauti	MAW-tee
Stephen Obeng-Agyapong	O-bing AJAH-pong
C.J. Olaniyan	Oh-LAWN-ee-YAN
J.R. Refice	REE-fiss
Matt Stankiewitch	Stan-CAV-itch
Nyeem Wartman	NIGH-eem
Michael Yancich	Yan-SICH
Matt Zanellato	Zan-uh-LOT-oh
Pat Zerbe	Zer-BEE





PENN STATE NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	CL./EL.	HT.	WT.	HIGH SCHOOL/COACH	HOMETOWN
1	Belton, Bill	RB	So./So.	5-10	202	Winslow Township/Mike McBride	Sicklerville, N.J.
2	McGregor, Shane	QB	Sr./Sr.	6-1	211	Central Cambria/Ken Bussard	Ebensburg, Pa.
2	Kiley, Jake	CB	Fr./Fr.	6-0	170	New Hampton/Ed Kiley	Plymouth, N.H.
3	Davis, Da'Quan	CB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	161	Calvert Hall College HS/ Davis	Baltimore, Md
4	Amos, Adrian*	CB	So./So.	6-0	205	Calvert Hall College/Donald Davis	Baltimore, Md.
5	Wartman, Nyeem	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-1	236	Valley View/George Howanitz	Jessup, Pa.
6	Hodges, Gerald***	LB	Sr./Sr.	6-2	237	Paulsboro/Glenn Howard	Paulsboro, N.J.
7	Obeng-Agyapong, Stephen**	Saf	Sr./Jr.	5-10	207	John F. Kennedy/Alex Vega	Bronx, N.Y.
7	Lewis, Eugene	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-1	199	Wyoming Valley West/Pat Keating	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
8	Robinson, Allen*	WR	So./So.	6-3	201	Orchard Lake St. Mary's/George Porritt	Southfield, Mich.
8	Wooten, Gary	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-2	230	Hialeah Senior/Marc Berman	Miami, Fla.
9	Zordich, Michael**	FB	Gr./Sr.	6-1	236	Cardinal Mooney/P.J. Fecko	Youngstown, Ohio
10	Willis, Malcolm**	Saf	Sr./Jr.	5-11	209	Lackey/Doug Lamb	Marbury, Md.
11	McGloin, Matt**	QB	Gr./Sr.	6-1	210	West Scranton/Mike DeAntona	Scranton, Pa.
12	Morris, Stephon***	CB	Sr./Sr.	5-8	186	Eleanor Roosevelt/Tom Green	Greenbelt, Md.
12	Bench, Steven	QB	Fr./Fr.	6-2	204	Cairo/Tom Fallaw	Bainbridge, Ga.
13	Lucas, Tyler	WR	So./Fr.	6-2	191	Bellefonte/Duffy Besch	Bellefonte, Pa.
14	Lucas, Jordan	Saf	Fr./Fr.	6-0	188	Worcester Academy (MA)	New Rochelle, N.Y.
14	Venuto, Garrett	QB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	219	Ithaca/Ed Redmond	Ithaca, N.Y.
15	Kenney, Alex	WR	Jr./So.	6-0	192	State College Area/ Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
15	Flanagan, Patrick	CB	Jr./So.	5-8	158	Hill School/Grey Simpson	State College, Pa.
16	Pryor, Devin	CB	Jr./So.	5-10	169	Alconbury (England)/ Jeffrey Black	San Bernardino, Calif.
17	Kuntz, Christian	WR	Sr./Jr.	6-4	218	Trinity/Jeff Boger	Camp Hill, Pa.
18	Barnes, Deion	DE	So./Fr.	6-4	246	Northeast/Chris Riley	Philadelphia, Pa.
18	James, Jesse	TE	Fr./Fr.	6-7	264	South Allegheny/Pat Monroe	Glassport, Pa.
20	Golden, Malik	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-1	182	Cheshire Academy/Dan O'dea	Hartford, Conn.
21	Williams, Trevor	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-1	186	Calvert Hall College HS/Donald Davis	Nottingham, Md.
21	Harper, Bryant	Saf	Fr./Fr.	5-10	188	McKeesport Area/George Smith	McKeesport, Pa.
22	Lynch, Akeel	RB	Fr./Fr.	6-0	209	St. Francis (N.Y.)/Jerry Smith	Toronto, Ontario, Canada
22	Rhattigan, T.J.	LB	So./Fr.	5-10	193	Neuqua Valley/Bryan Wells	Naperville, Ill.
23	Keiser, Ryan*	Saf	Jr./So.	6-1	200	Selinsgrove/ Dave Hess	Selinsgrove, Pa.
24	Day, Derek**	RB	Sr./Sr.	5-9	193	Central Dauphin/Glen McNamee	Harrisburg, Pa.
26	Dukes, Curtis	TB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	245	Indian River/Cory Marsell	Evans Mills, N.Y.
27	Fagnano, Jacob**	Saf	Sr./Sr.	6-0	206	Williamsport/Tom Gravish	Williamsport, Pa.
28	Zwinak, Zach	RB	Jr./So.	6-1	232	Linganore/Richard Conner	Frederick, Md.
28	Bryan, Colin	RB	Fr./Fr.	6-0	192	Windber/Matt Grohal	Windber, Pa.
29	Parthemore, Reynolds	P	Fr./Fr.	6-4	196	Cedar Cliff/Jim Cantifio	New Cumberland, Pa.
30	Dupree, Andre	FB	Sr./Jr.	5-10	246	North Point/Ken Lane	Waldorf, Md.
30	Idemudia, Charles	LB	Fr./Fr.	5-11	224	Grosse Pointe North/Frank Sumbera	Grosse Pointe, Mich.
31	Bars, Brad*	DE	Jr./So.	6-3	254	Montgomery Bell Academy/Dan McGugin	Nashville, Tenn.
32	Baker, Joe	P	Sr./Sr.	5-8	190	Unionville/Pat Clark	West Chester, Pa.
33	Yancich, Michael*	LB	Gr./Sr.	6-2	233	Trinity/Ed Dalton	Washington, Pa.
34	Salomone, Dominic	FB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	231	Northern/Rick Mauck	Dillsburg, Pa.
35	Zerbe, Pat	FB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	236	Wilson/Doug Dahms	West Lawn, Pa.
36	Thompson, Deron	RB	So./Fr.	5-10	192	Warwick/Bryan McCall	Lititz, Pa.
37	Lewis, Evan *	WR	Gr./Sr.	5-9	174	Gettysburg/Sam Leedy	Gettysburg, Pa.
37	Haffner, Jack	FB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	206	State College Area/Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
38	Kline, Ben	LB	So./Fr.	6-2	224	Dallastown/Kevin Myers	Silver Valley, Pa.
39	Della Valle, Jesse	CB	Jr./So.	6-1	190	Shaler Area/Neil Gordon	Pittsburgh, Pa.
40	Carson, Glenn**	LB	Jr./Jr.	6-3	235	Southern Regional/Charles Donohue Sr.	Manahawkin, N.J.
41	Refice, J.R.	FB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	246	Valley View/George Howanitz	Jessup, Pa.
42	Mauti, Michael***	LB	Gr./Sr.	6-2	232	Mandeville/Guy LeCompte	Mandeville, La.
43	Hull, Mike*	LB	Jr./So.	6-0	228	Canon-McMillan/Guy Montecalvo	Canonsburg, Pa.
44	Fuhrman, Michael	KS	Sr./Sr.	5-10	213	North Allegheny/Art Walker	Pittsburgh, Pa.
45	Butterworth, Alex	P	Jr./Jr.	5-10	206	Heritage Christian/Ron Qualls	Indianapolis, Ind.
45	Byers, P.J.	FB	Sr./Sr.	6-0	246	Penn Trafford/ Art Tragesser	Harrison City, Pa.
46	Cole, Adam	LB	Fr./Fr.	5-11	215	Belle Vernon Area/Aaron Krepps	Belle Vernon, Pa.
47	Hill, Jordan**	DT	Sr./Sr.	6-1	292	Steel/Rob Deibler	Steelton, Pa.
48	DiSanto, Kevin	PK	Jr./So.	5-10	175	State College Area/Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
49	Franklin, Brennan	LB	Fr./Fr.	5-11	220	Centennial/Richard Taylor	Peoria, Ariz.



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NO.	NAME	POS.	CL./EL.	HT.	WT.	HIGH SCHOOL/COACH	HOMETOWN
50	Stanko, Anthony	G	Fr./Fr.	6-4	307	Howland/Richard Angle	Warren, Ohio
51	Boyce, Drew	LB	So./Fr.	6-1	217	Northwest/Todd Dain	Olathe, Kan.
52	Smith, Brent	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-2	240	Hughesville/Rich Riechner	Hughesville, Pa.
53	Dowrey, Derek	DT	Fr./Fr.	6-3	311	John Handley/Tony Rayburn	Winchester, Va.
54	Stankewitch, Matt**	C	Sr./Sr.	6-3	301	Blue Mountain/Chuck Kutz	Orwigsburg, Pa.
55	Laurent, Wendy	C	Fr./Fr.	6-2	278	The Hun School/David Dudeck	Hamilton, N.J.
56	Alosi, Anthony	G/T	So./Fr.	6-4	287	The Hun School/Cherokee/Dave Dudeck	Marlton, N.J.
57	Etter, Emery	KS	Sr./Jr.	6-1	221	Chambersburg Area/Dave Carruthers	Chambersburg, Pa.
58	Gress, Adam	T	Sr./Jr.	6-6	311	West Mifflin/Tim Brennan	West Mifflin, Pa.
59	Massaro, Pete*	DE	Gr./Sr.	6-4	256	Marple Newtown/Ray Gionta	Newtown Square, Pa.
60	Howle, Ty*	C	Gr./Jr.	6-0	298	Bunn/David Howle	Wake Forest, N.C.
62	Figueroa, Frank	C	Sr./Jr.	6-3	298	Thomas Edison(TX)/Vaughn Lewis	Alexandria, Va.
63	Marvin, Joe	KS	Fr./Fr.	6-4	247	Gonzaga College HS/Aaron Brady	Potomac, MD
64	Urschel, John*	G	Gr./Jr.	6-3	307	Canisius/Brandon Harris	Williamsville, N.Y.
65	Dieffenbach, Miles	C	Jr./So.	6-3	300	Fox Chapel/Bryan Deal	Pittsburgh, Pa.
66	Mangiro, Angelo	G	So./Fr.	6-3	291	Roxbury/Cosmo Lorusso	Succasunna, N.J.
68	Davie, Bryan	G	Jr./So.	6-3	296	Eleanor Roosevelt/Tom Green	Bowie, Md.
70	Cadogan, Nate	T	Sr./Jr.	6-5	293	Portsmouth/Curt Clifford	Portsmouth, Ohio
72	Gaia, Brian	DT	Fr./Fr.	6-3	271	Gilman School/Biff Poggi	Pasadena, Md.
73	Arcidiacono, Mark	G	Sr./Jr.	6-4	293	St. Joseph's Prep/Gil Brooks	Holland, Pa.
75	Shrive, Eric	G	Sr./Jr.	6-6	305	West Scranton/Mike DeAntona	West Scranton, Pa.
76	Smith, Donovan	T	So./Fr.	6-5	316	Owings Mills/Steve Lurz	Owings Mills, Md.
78	Farrell, Mike**	T	Sr./Sr.	6-6	306	Shady Side Academy/Dave Havern	Pittsburgh, Pa.
79	Blanchard, Kevin	T	So./Fr.	6-7	311	Katy/Gary Joseph	Katy, Texas
80	Zanellato, Matt	WR	So./Fr.	6-3	198	Lake Braddock Secondary/Jim Poythress	Burke, Va.
82	Invin, Brian*	TE	Sr./Sr.	6-3	242	Gettysburg/Sam Leedy	Orrtanna, Pa.
83	Wilkerson, Brent	TE	Fr./Fr.	6-3	239	DeMatha Catholic/Bill McGregor	Clinton, Md.
84	Baublitz, Kyle*	DT	Jr./So.	6-5	287	Central York/Brad Livingston	York, Pa.
84	Lehman, Matt	TE	Sr./Jr.	6-6	258	Newport/Robert Folk	Newport, Pa.
85	Moseby-Felder, Brandon*	WR	Sr./Jr.	6-2	195	Oxon Hill/Kevin Wolfolk	Fort Washington, Md.
86	Olaniyan, C.J.	DE	Jr./So.	6-3	248	Warren Mott/Tom Milanov	Warren, Mich.
86	Wilson, Bryce	TE	So./Fr.	6-3	248	East Pennsboro/Todd Stuter	Camp Hill, Pa.
87	Carter, Kyle	TE	So./Fr.	6-3	247	William Penn/Bill Cole	Bear, Del.
88	Smith, Tyrone	DT	Jr./So.	6-4	251	Langlely/Kenny Wright	Pittsburgh, Pa.
88	Warner, Jonathan	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-1	198	Camas/Jon Eagle	Camas, Wash.
89	Gilliam, Garry*	TE	Sr./Jr.	6-6	262	Milton Hershey/Bob Guyer	Carlisle, Pa.
90	Stanley, Sean***	DE	Sr./Sr.	6-1	243	Gaithersburg/Kreg Kephart	Rockville, Md.
91	Jones, DaQuan**	DT	Jr./Jr.	6-3	324	Johnson City Senior/Fred Deinhardt	Johnson City, N.Y.
92	Hall, Albert	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-4	250	Warwick Valley/James Sciarra	Warwick, N.Y.
93	Terry, James**	DT	Gr./Sr.	6-3	316	Brandywine/Cordie Greenlea	New Castle, Del.
94	Schwan, Evan	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-6	223	Central Dauphin/Glen McNamee	Harrisburg, Pa.
95	Nassib, Carl	DE	So./Fr.	6-6	239	Malvern Prep/Kevin Pellegrini	West Chester, Pa.
96	Castor, Cody	DT	Sr./Sr.	6-3	295	Uniontown Area/John Fortugna	Uniontown, Pa.
97	Ficken, Sam	PK	So./So.	6-2	172	Valparaiso/Mark Hoffman	Valparaiso, Ind.
98	Zettel, Anthony	DE	So./Fr.	6-4	253	Ogemaw Heights/Andrew Pratley	West Branch, Mich.
99	Johnson, Austin	DT	Fr./Fr.	6-4	297	St. Augustine Prep/Dennis Scuderi	Galloway, N.J.
	Hailes, Evan	DT	Jr./So.	6-1	303	Oscar F. Smith/Richard Morgan	Chesapeake, Va.
	Kerner, Jordan	DE	So./Fr.	6-4	239	Fairview/Jim Brinling	Fairview, Pa.
	Van Fleet, Jamie***	LB	Sr./Sr.	6-0	219	Loyalsock/Richard Delaney	Williamsport, Pa.
	Wallace, Mike	CB	Sr./Jr.	5-9	195	Good Counsel/Bob Milloy	Silver Spring, Md.

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56	Alosi, Anthony	G/T	So./Fr.	6-4	287	The Hun School/Cherokee/Dave Dudeck	Marlton, N.J.
4	Amos, Adrian*	CB	So./So.	6-0	205	Calvert Hall College/Donald Davis	Baltimore, Md.
73	Arcidiacono, Mark	G	Sr./Jr.	6-4	293	St. Joseph's Prep/Gil Brooks	Holland, Pa.
32	Baker, Joe	P	Sr./Sr.	5-8	190	Unionville/Pat Clark	West Chester, Pa.
18	Barnes, Deion	DE	So./Fr.	6-4	246	Northeast/Chris Riley	Philadelphia, Pa.
31	Bars, Brad*	DE	Jr./So.	6-3	254	Montgomery Bell Academy/Dan McGugin	Nashville, Tenn.
84	Baublitz, Kyle*	DT	Jr./So.	6-5	287	Central York/Brad Livingston	York, Pa.
1	Belton, Bill	RB	So./So.	5-10	202	Winslow Township/Mike McBride	Sicklerville, N.J.
12	Bench, Steven	QB	Fr./Fr.	6-2	204	Cairo/Tom Fallaw	Bainbridge, Ga.
79	Blanchard, Kevin	T	So./Fr.	6-7	311	Katy/Gary Joseph	Katy, Texas
51	Boyce, Drew	LB	So./Fr.	6-1	217	Northwest/Todd Dain	Olathe, Kan.
28	Bryan, Colin	RB	Fr./Fr.	6-0	192	Windber/Matt Grohal	Windber, Pa.
45	Butterworth, Alex	P	Jr./Jr.	5-10	206	Heritage Christian/Ron Qualls	Indianapolis, Ind.
45	Byers, P.J.	FB	Sr./Sr.	6-0	246	Penn Trafford/ Art Tragesser	Harrison City, Pa.
70	Cadogan, Nate	T	Sr./Jr.	6-5	293	Portsmouth/Curt Clifford	Portsmouth, Ohio
40	Carson, Glenn**	LB	Jr./Jr.	6-3	235	Southern Regional/Charles Donohue Sr.	Manahawkin, N.J.
87	Carter, Kyle	TE	So./Fr.	6-3	247	William Penn/Bill Cole	Bear, Del.
96	Castor, Cody	DT	Sr./Sr.	6-3	295	Uniontown Area/John Fortugna	Uniontown, Pa.
46	Cole, Adam	LB	Fr./Fr.	5-11	215	Belle Vernon Area/Aaron Krepps	Belle Vernon, Pa.
68	Davie, Bryan	G	Jr./So.	6-3	296	Eleanor Roosevelt/Tom Green	Bowie, Md.
3	Davis, Da'Quan	CB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	161	Calvert Hall College HS/ Davis	Baltimore, Md
24	Day, Derek**	RB	Sr./Sr.	5-9	193	Central Dauphin/Glen McNamee	Harrisburg, Pa.
39	Della Valle, Jesse	CB	Jr./So.	6-1	190	Shaler Area/Neil Gordon	Pittsburgh, Pa.
65	Dieffenbach, Miles	C	Jr./So.	6-3	300	Fox Chapel/Bryan Deal	Pittsburgh, Pa.
48	DiSanto, Kevin	PK	Jr./So.	5-10	175	State College Area/Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
53	Dowrey, Derek	DT	Fr./Fr.	6-3	311	John Handley/Tony Rayburn	Winchester, Va.
26	Dukes, Curtis	TB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	245	Indian River/Cory Marsell	Evans Mills, N.Y.
30	Dupree, Andre	FB	Sr./Jr.	5-10	246	North Point/Ken Lane	Waldorf, Md.
57	Etter, Emery	KS	Sr./Jr.	6-1	221	Chambersburg Area/Dave Carruthers	Chambersburg, Pa.
27	Fagnano, Jacob**	Saf	Sr./Sr.	6-0	206	Williamsport/Tom Gravish	Williamsport, Pa.
78	Farrell, Mike**	T	Sr./Sr.	6-6	306	Shady Side Academy/Dave Havern	Pittsburgh, Pa.
97	Ficken, Sam	PK	So./So.	6-2	172	Valparaiso/Mark Hoffman	Valparaiso, Ind.
62	Figueroa, Frank	G/C	Sr./Jr.	6-3	298	Thomas Edison (TX)/Vaughn Lewis	Alexandria, Va.
15	Flanagan, Patrick	CB	Jr./So.	5-8	158	Hill School/Grey Simpson	State College, Pa.
49	Franklin, Brennan	LB	Fr./Fr.	5-11	220	Centennial/Richard Taylor	Peoria, Ariz.
44	Fuhrman, Michael	KS	Sr./Sr.	5-10	213	North Allegheny/Art Walker	Pittsburgh, Pa.
72	Gaia, Brian	DT	Fr./Fr.	6-3	271	Gilman School/Biff Poggi	Pasadena, Md.
89	Gilliam, Garry*	TE	Sr./Jr.	6-6	262	Milton Hershey/Bob Guyer	Carlisle, Pa.
20	Golden, Malik	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-1	182	Cheshire Academy/Dan O'dea	Hartford, Conn.
58	Gress, Adam	T	Sr./Jr.	6-6	311	West Mifflin/Tim Brennan	West Mifflin, Pa.
37	Haffner, Jack	FB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	206	State College Area/Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
	Hailes, Evan	DT	Jr./So.	6-1	303	Oscar F. Smith/Richard Morgan	Chesapeake, Va.
92	Hall, Albert	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-4	250	Warwick Valley/James Sciarra	Warwick, N.Y.
21	Harper, Bryant	Saf	Fr./Fr.	5-10	188	McKeesport Area/George Smith	McKeesport, Pa.
47	Hill, Jordan***	DT	Sr./Sr.	6-1	292	Steel/Rob Deibler	Steelton, Pa.
6	Hodges, Gerald***	LB	Sr./Sr.	6-2	237	Paulsboro/Glenn Howard	Paulsboro, N.J.
60	Howle, Ty*	C	Gr./Jr.	6-0	298	Bunn/David Howle	Wake Forest, N.C.
43	Hull, Mike*	LB	Jr./So.	6-0	228	Canon-McMillan/Guy Montecalvo	Canonsburg, Pa.
30	Idemudia, Charles	LB	Fr./Fr.	5-11	224	Grosse Pointe North/Frank Sumbera	Grosse Pointe, Mich.
82	Invin, Brian*	TE	Sr./Sr.	6-3	242	Gettysburg/Sam Leedy	Orrtanna, Pa.
18	James, Jesse	TE	Fr./Fr.	6-7	264	South Allegheny/Pat Monroe	Glassport, Pa.
99	Johnson, Austin	DT	Fr./Fr.	6-4	297	St. Augustine Prep/Dennis Scuderi	Galloway, N.J.
91	Jones, DaQuan**	DT	Jr./Jr.	6-3	324	Johnson City Senior/Fred Deinhardt	Johnson City, N.Y.
23	Keiser, Ryan*	Saf	Jr./So.	6-1	200	Selinsgrove/ Dave Hess	Selinsgrove, Pa.
15	Kenney, Alex	WR	Jr./So.	6-0	192	State College Area/ Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
	Kerner, Jordan	DE	So./Fr.	6-4	239	Fairview/Jim Brinling	Fairview, Pa.
2	Kiley, Jake	CB	Fr./Fr.	6-0	170	New Hampton/Ed Kiley	Plymouth, N.H.
38	Kline, Ben	LB	So./Fr.	6-2	224	Dallastown/Kevin Myers	Silver Valley, Pa.
17	Kuntz, Christian	WR	Sr./Jr.	6-4	218	Trinity/Jeff Boger	Camp Hill, Pa.
55	Laurent, Wendy	C	Fr./Fr.	6-2	278	The Hun School/David Dudeck	Hamilton, N.J.
84	Lehman, Matt	TE	Sr./Jr.	6-6	258	Newport/Robert Folk	Newport, Pa.



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NO.	NAME	POS.	CL./EL.	HT.	WT.	HIGH SCHOOL/COACH	HOMETOWN
7	Lewis, Eugene	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-1	199	Wyoming Valley West/Pat Keating	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
37	Lewis, Evan *	WR	Gr./Sr.	5-9	174	Gettysburg/Sam Leedy	Gettysburg, Pa.
14	Lucas, Jordan	Saf	Fr./Fr.	6-0	188	Worcester Academy (MA)	New Rochelle, N.Y.
13	Lucas, Tyler	WR	So./Fr.	6-2	191	Bellefonte/Duffy Besch	Bellefonte, Pa.
22	Lynch, Akeel	RB	Fr./Fr.	6-0	209	St. Francis (N.Y.)/Jerry Smith	Toronto, Ontario, Canada
66	Mangiro, Angelo	C/G	So./Fr.	6-3	291	Roxbury/Cosmo Lorusso	Succasunna, N.J.
63	Marvin, Joe	KS	Fr./Fr.	6-4	247	Gonzaga College HS/Aaron Brady	Potomac, Md.
59	Massaro, Pete*	DE	Gr./Sr.	6-4	256	Marple Newtown/Ray Gionta	Newtown Square, Pa.
42	Mauti, Michael***	LB	Gr./Sr.	6-2	232	Mandeville/Guy LeCompte	Tampany, La.
11	McGloin, Matt**	QB	Gr./Sr.	6-1	210	West Scranton/Mike DeAntona	Scranton, Pa.
2	McGregor, Shane	QB	Sr./Sr.	6-1	211	Central Cambria/Ken Bussard	Ebensburg, Pa.
12	Morris, Stephon***	CB	Sr./Sr.	5-8	186	Eleanor Roosevelt/Tom Green	Greenbelt, Md.
85	Moseby-Felder, Brandon*	WR	Sr./Jr.	6-2	195	Oxon Hill/Kevin Wolfolk	Fort Washington, Md.
95	Nassib, Carl	DE	So./Fr.	6-6	239	Malvern Prep/Kevin Pellegrini	West Chester, Pa.
7	Obeng-Agyapong, Stephen**	Saf	Sr./Jr.	5-10	207	John F. Kennedy/Alex Vega	Bronx, N.Y.
86	Olaniyan, C.J.	DE	Jr./So.	6-3	248	Warren Mott/Tom Milanov	Warren, Mich.
29	Parthemore, Reynolds	P	Fr./Fr.	6-4	196	Cedar Cliff/Jim Cantifio	New Cumberland, Pa.
6	Phillips, Shane	WR	So./Fr.	6-5	192	August Martin/Michael Sayer	St. Albans, N.Y.
16	Pryor, Devin	CB	Jr./So.	5-10	169	Alconbury (England)/ Jeffrey Black	San Bernardino, Calif.
41	Refice, J.R.	FB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	246	Valley View/George Howanitz	Jessup, Pa.
22	Rhattigan, T.J.	LB	So./Fr.	5-10	193	Neuqua Valley/Bryan Wells	Naperville, Ill.
8	Robinson, Allen*	WR	So./So.	6-3	201	Orchard Lake St. Mary's/George Porritt	Southfield, Mich.
34	Salomone, Dominic	FB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	231	Northern/Rick Mauck	Dillsburg, Pa.
94	Schwan, Evan	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-6	223	Central Dauphin/Glen McNamee	Harrisburg, Pa.
75	Shrive, Eric	G	Sr./Jr.	6-6	305	West Scranton/Mike DeAntona	West Scranton, Pa.
52	Smith, Brent	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-2	240	Hughesville/Rich Riechner	Hughesville, Pa.
76	Smith, Donovan	T	So./Fr.	6-5	316	Owings Mills/Steve Lurz	Owings Mills, Md.
88	Smith, Tyrone	DT	Jr./So.	6-4	251	Langley/Kenny Wright	Pittsburgh, Pa.
54	Stankiewitch, Matt**	C	Sr./Sr.	6-3	301	Blue Mountain/Chuck Kutz	Orwigsburg, Pa.
50	Stanko, Anthony	G	Fr./Fr.	6-4	307	Howland/Richard Angle	Warren, Ohio
90	Stanley, Sean***	DE	Sr./Sr.	6-1	243	Gaithersburg/Kreg Kephart	Rockville, Md.
93	Terry, James**	DT	Gr./Sr.	6-3	316	Brandywine/Cordie Greenlea	New Castle, Del.
36	Thompson, Deron	RB	So./Fr.	5-10	192	Warwick/Bryan McCall	Lititz, Pa.
64	Urschel, John*	G	Gr./Jr.	6-3	307	Canisius/Brandon Harris	Williamsville, N.Y.
	Van Fleet, Jamie***	LB	Sr./Sr.	6-0	219	Loyalsock/Richard Delaney	Williamsport, Pa.
14	Venuto, Garrett	QB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	219	Ithaca/Ed Redmond	Ithaca, N.Y.
	Wallace, Mike	CB	Sr./Jr.	5-9	195	Good Counsel/Bob Milloy	Silver Spring, Md.
88	Warner, Jonathan	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-1	198	Camas/Jon Eagle	Camas, Wash.
5	Wartman, Nyeem	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-1	236	Valley View/ George Howanitz	Jessup, Pa.
83	Wilkerson, Brent	TE	Fr./Fr.	6-3	239	DeMatha Catholic/Bill McGregor	Clinton, Md.
21	Williams, Trevor	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-1	186	Calvert Hall College HS/Donald Davis	Nottingham, Md.
10	Willis, Malcolm**	Saf	Sr./Jr.	5-11	209	Lackey/Doug Lamb	Marbury, Md.
86	Wilson, Bryce	TE	So./Fr.	6-3	248	East Pennsboro/Todd Stuter	Camp Hill, Pa.
8	Wooten, Gary	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-2	230	Hialeah Senior/Marc Berman	Miami, Fla.
33	Yancich, Michael*	LB	Gr./Sr.	6-2	233	Trinity/Ed Dalton	Washington, Pa.
80	Zanellato, Matt	WR	So./Fr.	6-3	198	Lake Braddock Secondary/Jim Poythress	Burke, Va.
35	Zerbe, Pat	FB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	236	Wilson/Doug Dahms	West Lawn, Pa.
98	Zettel, Anthony	DE	So./Fr.	6-4	253	Ogemaw Heights/Andrew Pratley	West Branch, Mich.
9	Zordich, Michael**	FB	Gr./Sr.	6-1	236	Cardinal Mooney/P.J. Fecko	Youngstown, Ohio
28	Zwinak, Zach	RB	Jr./So.	6-1	232	Linganore/Richard Conner	Frederick, Md.

* Letters won

**4 - ADRIAN AMOS, CB**

Is tied for sixth on team with 31 tackles (20 solo), has one interception, 1.5 TFL and one pass break-up. Has started every game this season. Made a career-high 10 tackles vs. Ohio. Made six stops (five solo) at Virginia, including a tackle for loss. Recorded three solo hits in the 34-7 win over Navy and two solo stops in win over Temple. Made three tackles - one solo - and added one-half a tackle for loss at Illinois. Made two hits in 38-14 win at Iowa. Grabbed his first interception of the season, made five tackles and had a pass break-up vs. Ohio State.

18 - DEION BARNES, DE

Candidate for Big Ten Freshman of the Year. Is tied for tied for No. 2 in the conference with two forced fumbles and is No. 11 in the Big Ten in sacks. (4.0). Has started six games this season, with first career start coming in season opener vs. Ohio. Leads the team in tackles for loss (5.0) and sacks (4.0) and has made 15 tackles. Recorded his first two career sacks at Virginia. Made career-high five tackles in the 34-7 win over Navy, including his third sack in two games. Was selected Big Ten Co-Freshman of the Week vs. Navy. Made two solo stops in the win over Temple and had 0.5 sacks and two stops in the 35-7 win at Illinois. Combined on a sack and had a pass break-up in the 39-28 win over Northwestern. Made three hits in 38-14 win at Iowa and one solo stop vs. Ohio State.

1 - BILL BELTON, RB

Was shifted from wide receiver to running back last spring. Playing in four games, has 259 rushing yards on 59 attempts (4.4), with three rushing touchdowns this season. Has the second-longest rush by a running back with a 23-yard effort in the win at Iowa. Made first career start in season opener vs. Ohio and led team with 53 rushing yards on 13 carries. Suffered a sprained ankle vs. the Bobcats and missed next three games. Started at tailback versus Illinois and set career-highs with 65 yards on 16 carries in the 35-7 win. Gained 12 yards on four carries in the 39-28 win over Northwestern. Gave Penn State a 100-yard rusher for the third consecutive game by gaining career-high 103 yards on 16 carries (6.4) and scoring his first three career rushing touchdowns in 38-14 win at Iowa. Had a season long 23-yard burst and had touchdown runs of 11, 3 and 5 yards vs. Hawkeyes. Became the 86th Nittany Lion all-time to rush for at least 100 yards in a game.

12 - STEVEN BENCH, QB

Is the third Penn State true freshman quarterback to play in the last eight years, joining Anthony Morelli (2004) and Rob Bolden (2010). Made his Penn State debut in second quarter at Virginia. Completed first career pass attempt, good for seven yards to Allen Robinson. Was 2-of-7 passing for 12 yards. Also gained 18 yards on three attempts vs. the Cavaliers, including a 15-yard run for a first down. Has not played in past six games. Is among six true freshmen to play this season.

45 - ALEX BUTTERWORTH, P

Has appeared in every game. Is averaging 36.6 yards on his 32 punts, with 15 kicks inside the 20 and only two touchbacks. Put three of his five punts inside the 20 against Ohio. Had a then season-long 52-yard boot and a 41.7 yard average on three kicks at Virginia. Punted three times for a 43.3-yard average in the win at Illinois. Dropped three of his five punts inside the 20 in the win over Northwestern and had a season-long 54-yard effort. Had best effort of season against Ohio State, dropping 4 of 5 punts inside the 20. Averaged 41.2 yards per punt and had a season-long 58-yard effort vs. the Buckeyes.

40 - GLENN CARSON, LB

Has started every game at middle linebacker. Is third on the team with 47 tackles. Also has 2.5 TFL, one sack and one pass break-up. Made season-high eight tackles (five solo), including a sack, vs. Ohio. Made nine stops and had a pass breakup in the 35-7 win at Illinois and had five hits in the win over No. 24 Northwestern. Made four stops (three solo) in 38-14 win at Iowa and four hits vs. Ohio State.

87 - KYLE CARTER, TE

Only freshman named to John Mackey Award Mid-season Watch list. Candidate for Big Ten Freshman of the Year. Named the conference's Freshman of the Week after win at Iowa. Has played in every game with two starts. Is second on the team with 35 receptions for 441 yards (12.6) and two touchdowns. Has made six catches of 20 yards or more, with a career-long 34-yard grab in 38-14 win at Iowa. Made six catches vs. Ohio and had four catches for 33 yards at Virginia, including an 8-yard touchdown catch. Made five catches for 70 yards in the win over Temple and had three catches for 45 yards win the 35-7 win at Illinois. Made four receptions for 44 yards in the 39-28 win over Northwestern. Broke his career-high with 85 yards and tied his personal high with six catches, all in the first half, en route to Big Ten Freshman of the Week accolades in win at Iowa. Made superlative 34-yard catch and run to the Iowa 11 to set-up a first quarter touchdown for 14-0 lead. Made a game-high six receptions for 77 yards and a touchdown vs. Ohio State. Made a 20-yard touchdown catch and had a 21-yard grab vs. the Buckeyes.

3 - DA'QUAN DAVIS, CB

Is among six true freshmen to play this season. Has played in every game and has five tackles, one fumble recovery and two pass break-ups. Made Penn State debut in the season opener vs. Ohio. Made one solo tackle at Virginia. Made two hits in the win over Temple. Made two stops and recovered a fumble late in the game to help secure 39-28 win over No. 24 Northwestern. Played in the win over Iowa and against Ohio State.

24 - DEREK DAY, RB

Playing in six games, has gained 109 yards on 33 carries, with a long rush of 14 yards. Has made four tackles (two solo). Earned his first career start at Virginia and ran a career-high 18 times for 47 yards. Suffered a shoulder injury vs. the Cavaliers and missed the next two games. Carried the ball

four times for 14 yards in the 35-7 win at Illinois. Had three carries for 12 yards in the 38-14 win at Iowa.

39 - JESSE DELLA VALLE, CB

Has appeared in every game on defense and special teams. Leads team and is No. 4 in the Big Ten with 11 returns for 5.7 average, including 29-yard return in the win over Temple. Also has two kickoff returns for 66 yards, including a 46-yard return to open the second half in win at Iowa. Has made three tackles. Made his first two career tackles against Ohio in the season opener. Had an assisted stop at Illinois.

65 - MILES DIEFFENBACH, G

Has started every game at left guard, earning his first career start in the season opener vs. Ohio. Owns a 3.52 grade-point average and was nominated for CoSIDA Academic All-America consideration.

26 - CURTIS DUKES, RB

Has gained 98 yards on 26 carries and is a strong contributor on special teams, making three tackles. Earned his first career start in the 34-7 win over Navy and contributed 47 yards on a career-high 11 carries. Suffered a minor thigh injury vs. the Mids and did not play vs. Temple. Carried the ball five times for 21 yards in the win at Illinois.

27 - JAKE FAGNANO, SAF

Has played in every game on defense and special teams. Is ninth on the team with 26 tackles (14 solo). Made a career-high nine tackles in the season opener vs. Ohio. Totaled six stops against Navy - three solo - and made two tackles in the 35-7 win at Illinois. Made three solo hits in 38-14 win at Iowa and two stops vs. Ohio State.

78 - MIKE FARRELL, T

Has started every game this season. Started first two contests at right tackle and started at left tackle in the wins over Navy, Temple and at Illinois. Returned to right tackle in the wins over No. 24 Northwestern and at Iowa and vs. Ohio State. Owns a 3.40 grade-point average and was nominated for CoSIDA Academic All-America consideration.

97 - SAM FICKEN, PK

Is 26-of-28 on extra points and 5 of 12 on field goals this season for 41 points. Has handled all of the kickoff duties. Has logged 42 kickoffs with 17 touchbacks for 2.0 average (40.0 net). Connected on a 21-yard field goal and was 4-of-4 on PAT attempts win over Northwestern. Made a season-long 34-yard field goal and was 5-of-5 on PAT attempts in 38-14 win at Iowa. Made only field goal attempt, 27 yards and was 2-of-2 on PAT attempts vs. Ohio State.

89 - GARRY GILLIAM, TE

Returned to the field for first time since a 2010 ACL injury at Iowa. Started the first four games of the season and five overall. Has five receptions for 52 yards, with one catch in the wins over Navy, Temple, Northwestern and Iowa. Made a season-long 16-yard catch vs. Ohio State.

**58 - ADAM GRESS, T**

Has played in every game. Started at right tackle in the wins over Navy, Temple and at Illinois, earning his first career start vs. the Mids.

47 - JORDAN HILL, DT

Is the team leader with 25 career starts, including all 21 games the past two seasons. Is fourth on team with 44 tackles, with 4.0 TFL (minus-23), 2.5 sacks, one interception, one forced fumble and a fumble recovery. Selected Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week for 38-14 win over Iowa. Made season high nine tackles (seven solo), with 2.0 TFL, one sack for minus-yards and one quartetback hurry. Had seven stops (three solo) against Temple. Made eight hits in 39-28 win over Northwestern, including 1.0 TFL. Made seven stops vs. Ohio State.

6 - GERALD HODGES, LB

Butkus Award semifinalist. First-team pre-season All-American. Named a fourth-team Mid-Season All-American by Phil Steele's College Football. On the Watch Lists for Bednarik, Butkus and Rotary Lombardi Awards and Nagurski Trophy. Is 8th in the Big Ten with 68 tackles and has 3.5 TFL, one sack, one interception, one forced fumble, a fumble recovery and team-high four pass break-ups. Has started all 21 games the past two seasons. Made a then season-high 11 tackles versus Ohio. Recovered a fumble at Virginia and grabbed an interception that led to a touchdown in the 34-7 win over Navy. Tied for team-high honors with nine tackles in 35-7 win at Illinois. Selected Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week for third time in his career after helping Penn State to 39-28 win over previously unbeaten Northwestern. Tied season-high with 11 tackles, made 1.5 TFL, two pass break-ups and forced a fumble late in game to end any NU comeback hopes. Made four tackles and had team-high fourth pass break-up in 38-14 win at Iowa. Helped team hold Hawkeyes to 209 yards, inc. just 20 rushing yards on 23 attempts, and 2 of 12 on third down conversions. Made season-high 14 tackles vs. Ohio State, with a 10-yard sack.

43 - MIKE HULL, LB

Has played in every game on defense and special teams. Is on all four punt and kickoff units. Is No. 8 on team with 29 tackles (19 solo) and is second with 3.0 sacks for minus-23 yards, a fumble return for a touchdown, an interception and two pass break-ups. Owns a 3.52 grade-point average and was nominated for CoSIDA Academic All-America consideration. Made six tackles (four solo) vs. Ohio. Had two solo stops, including a sack, at Virginia. Made five hits and grabbed a fumble and returned it 74 yards for a TD in the 34-7 win over Navy. Made three stops in wins over Temple and at Illinois. Made five hits with a pass break-up in 39-28 win over No. 24 Northwestern. Made two solo stops and grabbed an interception in 38-14 win at Iowa. Blocked his second career punt in the second quarter vs. Ohio State, which was recovered by Michael Yancich for a 7-0 lead. Hull also recorded a sack among his three solo tackles.

18 - JESSE JAMES, TE

Has played in every game this season, making six catches for 74 yards and two touchdowns. Made his Penn State debut in the season opener vs. Ohio. Caught his first career touchdown pass in the 34-7 win against Navy. Made his first career start in the 24-13 win over Temple. Started in 39-28 win over Northwestern and made one catch. Set season highs with three catches for 52 yards, including a touchdown, in 38-14 win at Iowa. Made a season-long 31-yard catch and dove into the end zone to give the Nittany Lions a 7-0 first quarter lead. Made one catch for 20 yards vs. Ohio State.

91 - DaQUAN JONES, DT

Has started every game this season. Has recorded 15 tackles with two tackle for loss and one-half sack, a fumble recovery and a pass break-up. Made one tackle and a pass break-up in the 39-28 win over No. 24 Northwestern. Recovered a fumble inside the Iowa red zone that led to a touchdown and a 24-0 second quarter lead in 38-14 win.

15 - ALEX KENNEY, WR

Has seen action in every game this season. Is fifth on the team with 12 catches for 129 yards. Also averaging 17.8 yards on four kickoff returns. Had career-high 50 yards on three receptions at Virginia, including a career-long 24-yard effort. Made a career-high four catches in the 35-7 win at Illinois. Returned three kickoffs 51 yards, with a long of 22 yards, in the 39-28 win over Northwestern. Earned first career start vs. Ohio State.

84 - MATT LEHMAN, TE

Has seen action in every game this season. Is fourth on team with 15 catches for 184 yards and his three touchdown catches are second-highest. Made a 14-yard touchdown catch vs. Ohio on his first career reception. Made two catches for 46 yards in the win over Temple. In the win at Illinois, made his first career start and caught a career-high five catches and 70 receiving yards, including a 21-yard touchdown pass. Made one catch for 11 yards in 38-14 win at Iowa. Made two catches for 21 yards vs. OSU, including a touchdown reception.

14 - JORDAN LUCAS, CB

Made his Penn State debut in the season opener vs. Ohio. Has played in every game this season.

59 - PETE MASSARO, DE

Has five tackles, with 1.0 TFL, 0.5 sack and one pass break-up. Made one tackle against Ohio and Virginia, starting vs. the Cavaliers. Suffered a shoulder injury at Virginia and missed the next three games with an injury. Returned in the win over No. 24 Northwestern, recording a pass break-up. Made one tackle in 38-14 win at Iowa and put pressure on quarterback several times in game. Made two stops with 0.5 sack vs. Ohio State. Was a 2010 first-team Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-American and nominated for 2012 National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete Fellowship. Owns

a 3.85 grade-point average and was nominated for CoSIDA Academic All-America consideration.

42 - MICHAEL MAUTI, LB

Butkus Award Semifinalist and a Bednarik Award candidate. Selected a second-team Mid-Season All-American by SI.com and Phil Steele's College Football. Named ESPN.com, BTN.com and Athlon Sports' Mid-season Big Ten Defensive MVP. Has started every game this season and leads the team with 78 tackles (43 solo). Is No. 3 in Big Ten in tackles, tied for No. 2 with two forced fumbles and tied for No. 2 with three interceptions. Leads the Big Ten with 125 interception return yards. Also has 3.5 TFL, 2.5 sacks (minus-25), one fumble recovery and two pass break-ups. Two-time Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (9/17 & 10/1) this season (3 career). Named Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week following 12 tackles in the win over Navy. Made six tackles and grabbed two interceptions in the 35-7 win at Illinois, including a school record 99-yard return. Was named the Walter Camp Defensive Player of the Week and Big Ten Defensive Player of the week following his efforts against the Illini. Made nine tackles (six solo), all in the second half, to help the Nittany Lions defeat previously unbeaten Northwestern, 39-28. Made eight hits, including a sack, and grabbed his third interception of season in 38-14 win at Iowa. Returned the interception 20 yards to inside the Iowa 20-yard-line on the Hawkeyes' first possession of the third quarter. Helped team hold Hawkeyes to 209 yards, inc. just 20 rushing yards on 23 attempts, and 2 of 12 on third down conversions. Tied his career-high with 13 tackles vs. Ohio State.

11 - MATT MCGLOIN, QB

Leads the Big Ten in passing average (264.4 ypg), completions (189) and is tied for first with 16 touchdown passes and for fewest interceptions (3) among conference's Top 10 passers. He has thrown only three interceptions in 304 attempts and leads the team with five rushing touchdowns. For the season, is 189 of 304 (62.2), for 2,115 yards, with 16 touchdowns and three interceptions. He has 38 career touchdown passes, good for No. 6 on the Penn State list. Has been a part of 26 of the team's 28 long plays from scrimmage this year (20 yards+). Has at least one TD pass in each game this year. Named ESPN.com Big Ten Player of the Week following the Navy win where he threw a season-high four touchdown passes. Completed two career-long 45-yard passes to Allen Robinson vs. the Mids. Threw for a then career-best 318 yards in the win against Temple and posted career-high 331 yards of total offense. Rushed for a pair of touchdowns versus Temple and at Illinois and the go-ahead score vs. Northwestern. Broke Penn State record with 35 completions to lead Nittany Lions from 11-point deficit in fourth quarter to a 39-28 win over No. 24 Northwestern. The previous mark was 33 by Wally Richardson vs. Wisconsin (1995). His 51 pass attempts were tied for second-highest in school history. He threw for 282 yards, his fourth straight game above 200 yards, and two touchdowns, with no interceptions. McGloin threw 8 and 6-yard touchdown passes to Allen





Robinson, the second one coming on 4th-and-4 to draw PSU within 28-25. He was 8 of 9 for 61 yards on the 18-play, 82-yard drive. McGloin gave Penn State a 32-28 lead with his five-yard touchdown run with 2:37 to play, completing 6 of 7 passes for 49 yards on the 15-play, 85-yard drive. McGloin led the Nittany Lions to 24-0 halftime lead en route to a 38-14 win at Iowa for team's fifth consecutive win. Was 26 of 38 for 289 yards, with two touchdowns and no interceptions. Also ran for career-high 26 yards on five attempts, giving him 315 yards of total offense, second-highest in career. Posted his fifth consecutive and 13th career 200-yard passing game in the win at Iowa. Threw for a career-high 327 yards vs. Ohio State, going 27 of 45 for two touchdowns, with one interception. Joined Kerry Collins as only Penn State players with four 300-yard passing games.

12 - STEPHON MORRIS, CB

Has started every game this season and his 21 career starts are No. 4 on the team. Is the most experienced player in the secondary. He is tied for sixth on the team with 31 tackles (20 solo) and has 2.5 TFL (minus-14), 0.5 sacks and three pass break-ups. Made four stops and had a pass break-up in 39-28 win over Northwestern. Made one solo tackle in helping hold Iowa to 209 yards in 38-14 win. Made two solo stops and one pass break-up vs. Ohio State.

85 - BRANDON MOSEBY-FELDER, WR

Has played in every game this season, starting the last five. He is third on the team with 19 receptions for 233 yards. Made a then career-high three catches in the 35-7 win at Illinois. Made a career-best five catches for 34 yards in the win over No. 24 Northwestern. Made a 13-yard yard reception to the NU 6 on 4th-and-2 to keep PSU's go-ahead touchdown drive alive. Gained a career-high 60 yards on four receptions in 38-14 win at Iowa. Hauled in career-long 42-yard catch on Penn State's first play of second half to set-up a short touchdown run for 31-0 lead. Broke his career-high for second consecutive game with 70 yards on four catches vs. Ohio State. Tied his career-long with a 42-yard catch and run for the second straight contest.

7 - STEPHEN OBENG-AGYAPONG, SAF

Has started at safety in every game this season, recording 24 total tackles. Has two tackles for loss (minus-six), a forced fumble and returned a fumble 20 yards at Virginia. Is tied for team lead with four pass break-ups. Made a career-high nine tackles in the 34-7 win over Navy. Made one solo stop and had a pass break-up in helping hold Iowa to 209 yards in 38-14 win. Made one stop and two pass break-ups vs. Ohio State.

8 - ALLEN ROBINSON, WR

A candidate for the Biletnikoff Award. Leads the Big Ten in catches (52), receptions per game (6.5) and touchdown catches (8) and is No. 2 in the conference at 78.9 ypg. Has Penn State sophomore record 52 receptions for 631 yards (12.1). Needs 11 catches to tie school season

receptions record. Leads team with 48 points. Has started every game. Robinson made a then career-high nine catches vs. Ohio and eclipsed total with 10 catches for 89 yards at Virginia, including a diving TD catch. Had five catches for career-high 136 yards and three touchdowns in the win against Navy, with a pair of career long 45 yard receptions. Made game-high nine catches for 85 yards and two touchdowns in 39-28 comeback win over No. 24 Northwestern. Made a 8-yard TD catch in third quarter and a diving 6-yard grab in back of the end zone in the fourth quarter to help erase 11-point deficit in final period. Made six catches for 39 yards in 38-14 win at Iowa, including eight-yard TD catch for 14-0 lead in first quarter. Made five catches for 68 yards vs. Ohio State, incl. 37-yard effort.

74 - DONOVAN SMITH, T

Was the starting left tackle for the first two games of the season, but suffered a sprained ankle at Virginia. He missed the Navy and Temple games and returned to the field in the 35-7 win at Illinois. Returned to the starting lineup in the 39-28 win over Northwestern and started in 38-14 win at Iowa and vs. Ohio State.

54 - MATT STANKIEWITZ, C

Has been the starting center in all 20 games the past two seasons and is second on team with 22 career starts. Is on the Watch List for the Rimington Trophy, presented to the nation's top center. Owns a 3.42 grade-point average and was nominated for CoSIDA Academic All-America consideration.

90 - SEAN STANLEY, DE

Has started seven games this season, missing the Temple contest with a minor back injury. He has 23 tackles, is second on team with 4.5 TFL (minus-18), 1.0 sack and a fumble recovery. Made a career-high seven tackles (four solo) vs. Ohio State, with 1.5 TFL and 0.5 sack.

64 - JOHN URSCHEL, G

Has started every game at right guard. Graduated in three years with a 4.00 grade-point average in mathematics and is working on a master's degree in math. Owns a 4.00 grade-point average and was nominated for CoSIDA Academic All-America consideration.

5 - NYEEM WARTMAN, LB

Made his Penn State debut in the season opener vs. Ohio. Blocked a punt at the Bobcats' 25-yard line in the second quarter that the Nittany Lions converted into a touchdown. Also had one solo tackle versus the Bobcats. Suffered a knee injury on the opening kickoff at Virginia and has not played in the past six games.

10 - MALCOLM WILLIS, SAF

Has started at safety every game this season. Is fifth on the team with 34 tackles (20 solo), with two pass breakups. Made three tackles in helping hold Iowa to 209 yards in 38-14 win. Made five hits vs. Ohio State.

21 - TREVOR WILLIAMS, WR

Made his Penn State debut in the season opener vs. Ohio and has played in every game. Has five receptions for 55 yards. Made his first career catch, good for 24 yards to the Navy 10-yard line, on fourth-and-12 in the 34-7 win over the Mids. Made one catch for nine yards in the win over Temple and had one grab for seven yards in the 39-28 win over Northwestern. Set season highs with two catches for 15 yards in 38-14 win at Iowa, including an 11-yard reception. Earned first career start vs. Ohio State and made one catch for 8 yards.

98 - ANTHONY ZETTEL, DE

Has seen action in every game this season. Has 13 tackles, including eight unassisted. Is tied for second on team with 3.0 sacks for minus-18 yards. He recorded two sacks for a loss of minus-15 yards in the 34-7 win over Navy. Made two hits, including a sack, in the 38-14 win at Iowa.

9 - MICHAEL ZORDICH, RB

Has started four games at fullback this season and played in every game. Has 49 rushes for a total of 194 yards (4.0), third on the team, and one touchdown, and 11 catches for 95 yards. Led team with then career bests of 50 yards on 11 carries in 34-7 win over Navy. Posted the longest run (16 yds) and longest catch (27 yds) of his career in the win over Temple. Re-wrote his career-bests with 15 carries for 75 yards and caught four balls for 39 yards versus the Owls. In the comeback win over No. 24 Northwestern, Zordich caught four passes for 31 yards and ran seven times for 32 yards, with a touchdown. His 25-yard burst late in the game was the Nittany Lions' longest rush this season and set-up his own three-yard scoring run for a 39-28 lead with 1:30 to play. Ran for 24 yards in helping Penn State thump Iowa, 38-14.

29 - ZACH ZWINAK, RB

Has played in all every game this season. Leads the team with 411 rushing yards on 96 carries (4.3) and has three rushing touchdowns. Also has 12 catches for 104 yards. Ran for a then-career high 94 yards on 18 carries and had one catch for 12 yards in the win over Temple. Broke his career-high with 100 yards on 19 carries and two touchdowns at Illinois. Became the 85th Nittany Lion all-time to rush for 100 yards in a game. Carried the ball five consecutive times for 31 yards, including a 14-yard burst, capped by his second one-yard TD run of the game, early in the fourth quarter vs. the Illini. In the 39-28 comeback win over No. 24 Northwestern, Zwinak broke his career-high for the third consecutive game, gaining 121 yards on a career-best 28 carries, with one touchdown. Zwinak became just the eighth Nittany Lion to earn his first two 100-yard games in consecutive contests. He hurtled into the end zone on a one-yard score for a 10-0 lead in the second quarter. Gained 52 yards on 16 carries and had two catches for 24 yards in 38-14 win at Iowa. Ran for 42 yards on 12 carries and made two catches vs. Ohio State.



PENN STATE CAREER HIGHS

PASSING

MATT MCGLOIN

Comp: 35 vs. N'western, Oct. 6, 2012
 Att: 51 vs. N'western, Oct. 6, 2012
 Yards 327 vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012
 TD: 4 vs. N'western, Nov. 6, 2010
 Long: 45 3x, last vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2011
 Int: 5 vs. Florida (Outback Bowl), Jan. 1, 2011

STEVEN BENCH

Att: 7 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 Comp: 2 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 Yards 12 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 TD: -
 Long: 7 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 Int: -

RUSHING

BILL BELTON

Carries 16 2x Last at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012
 Yards 103 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012
 TD 3 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012
 Long 23 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012

STEVEN BENCH

Carries 3 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 Yards 18 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 TD -
 Long 15 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012

GLENN CARSON

Carries 1 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 Yards 19 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 TD -
 Long 19 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012

DEREK DAY

Carries 18 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 Yards 47 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 TD -
 Long 14 vs. Ohio, Sept. 1, 2012

CURTIS DUKES

Carries 11 vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2012
 Yards 60 vs. Iowa, Oct. 8, 2011
 TD -
 Long 30 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011

MATT MCGLOIN

Carries 7 2x Last N'western, Oct. 6, 2012
 Yards 26 vs. Purdue, Oct. 15, 2011
 TD 2 2x, Last @Illinois, Sept. 29, 2012
 Long 11 2x Last at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012

MICHAEL ZORDICH

Carries 15 vs. Temple, Sept. 22, 2012
 Yards 75 vs. Temple, Sept. 22, 2012
 TD 1 5x, Last vs. N'western, Oct. 6, 2012
 Long 25 vs. N'western, Oct. 6, 2012

ZACH ZWINAK

Carries 28 vs. N'western, Oct. 6, 2012
 Yards 121 vs. N'western, Oct. 6, 2012
 TD 2 @Illinois, Sept. 29, 2012
 Long 16 vs. N'western, Oct. 6, 2012

RECEIVING

BILL BELTON

No. 5 vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012
 Yards 35 vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012
 TD 1 vs. Ohio, Sept. 1, 2012
 Long 11 vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012

KYLE CARTER

No. 6 3x Last vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012
 Yards 85 vs. Ohio, Oct. 20, 2012
 TD 1 3x Last vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012
 Long 34 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012

DEREK DAY

No. 1 2x, last at Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 Yards 17 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 TD -
 Long 17 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012

GARRY GILLIAM

No. 1 6x Last vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012
 Yards 21 vs. Temple, Sept. 19, 2010
 TD -
 Long 21 vs. Temple, Sept. 19, 2010

JESSE JAMES

No. 3 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012
 Yards 52 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012
 TD 1 2x Last at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012
 Long 31 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012

ALEX KENNEY

No. 4 @Illinois, Sept. 29, 2012
 Yards 50 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 TD -
 Long 24 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012

MATT LEHMAN

No. 5 @Illinois, Sept. 29, 2012
 Yards 70 @Illinois, Sept. 29, 2012
 TD 1 3x Last vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012
 Long 24 vs. Temple, Sept. 22, 2012

BRANDON MOSEBY-FELDER

No. 5 N'western, Oct. 6, 2012
 Yards 70 vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012
 TD -
 Long 42 2x Last vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012

ALLEN ROBINSON

No. 10 @Virginia, Sept. 8, 2012
 Yards 136 vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2012
 TD 3 vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2012
 Long 45 2x vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2012

TREVOR WILLIAMS

No. 2 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012
 Yards 15 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012
 TD -
 Long 11 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012

MICHAEL ZORDICH

No. 4 2x Last vs. N'western, Oct. 6, 2012
 Yards 39 vs. Temple, Sept. 22, 2012
 TD -
 Long 27 vs. Temple, Sept. 22, 2012

ZACH ZWINAK

No. 6 N'western, Oct. 6, 2012
 Yards 52 N'western, Oct. 6, 2012
 TD -
 Long 17 at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012

DEFENSE

DEFENSIVE LINE

DEION BARNES

Tkls 5 vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2012

BRAD BARS

Tkls 2 vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2012

KYLE BAUBLITZ

Tkls 2 vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2012

JORDAN HILL

Tkls 10 vs. Illinois, Oct. 29, 2011

DAQUAN JONES

Tkls 4 2x Last vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2012

PETE MASSARO

Tkls 5 2x Last @Ohio State, Nov. 13, 2010

C.J. OLANIYAN

Tkls 4 vs. Temple, Sept. 22, 2012

SEAN STANLEY

Tkls 7 vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012

JAMES TERRY

Tkls 3 2x Last vs. Illinois, Oct. 9, 2010

ANTHONY ZETTEL

Tkls 6 vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2012

LINEBACKERS

GLENN CARSON

Tkls 11 2x Last @Ohio State, Nov. 19, 2011

GERALD HODGES

Tkls 19 vs. Illinois, Oct. 29, 2011

MIKE HULL

Tkls 7 vs. ISU, Sept. 3, 2011

BEN KLINE

Tkls 3 2x Last @Illinois, Sept. 29, 2012

MICHAEL MAUTI

Tkls 13 2x Last vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27, 2012

NYEEM WARTMAN

Tkls 1 vs. Ohio, Sept. 1, 2012

MICHAEL YANCICH

Tkls 7 @Illinois, Sept. 29, 2012

DEFENSIVE BACKS

ADRIAN AMOS

Tkls 10 vs. Ohio, Sept. 1, 2012

DA'QUAN DAVIS

Tkls 2 2x Last vs. N'western, Oct. 6, 2012

JESSE DELLA VALLE

Tkls 2 vs. Ohio, Sept. 1, 2012

JACOB FAGNANO

Tkls 9 vs. Ohio, Sept. 1, 2012

STEPHON MORRIS

Tkls 9 vs. Kent State, Sept. 18, 2010

STEPHEN OBENG-AGYAPONG

Tkls 9 vs. Navy, Sept. 15, 2012

MALCOLM WILLIS

Tkls 9 @Minnesota, Oct. 23, 2010





THE LAST TIME...

BY PENN STATE

100 Yards Rushing:	103, Bill Belton at Iowa, 2012
150 Yards Rushing:	164, Silas Redd vs. Northwestern, 2011
200 Yards Rushing:	279, Larry Johnson vs. Michigan State, 2002
300 Yards Rushing:	327, Larry Johnson at Indiana, 2002
30 Rushing Attempts:	30, Silas Redd vs. Illinois, 2011
35 Rushing Attempts:	37, Curtis Enis at Purdue, 1997
Three Touchdowns Rushing:	Bill Belton at Iowa, 2012
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 Rush For 100 Yards:	E. Royster (134) & S. Redd (131) vs. Northwestern, 2010
300 Yards Passing:	327, Matt McGloin vs. Ohio State, 2012
350 Yards Passing:	353, Daryll Clark vs. Akron, 2009
20 Pass Completions:	23, Matt McGloin vs. Michigan State, 2010
25 Pass Completions:	27, Matt McGloin vs. Ohio State, 2012
35 Pass Completions:	35, Matt McGloin vs. Northwestern, 2012
30 Pass Attempts:	38, Matt McGloin at Iowa, 2012
40 Pass Attempts:	45, Matt McGloin vs. Ohio State, 2012
50 Pass Attempts:	51, Matt McGloin vs. Northwestern, 2012
Four Touchdown Passes:	4, Matt McGloin vs. Navy, 2012
Five Touchdown Passes:	5, Rashard Casey vs. Louisiana Tech, 2000
Four Interceptions Thrown:	4, Zack Mills at Boston College, 2004
300 Yards Total Offense:	315, Matt McGloin (289 P, 26 R) at Iowa, 2012
350 Yards Total Offense:	358, Daryll Clark (353 P, 5 R) vs. Akron, 2009
400 Yards Total Offense:	418, Zack Mills (280 P, 118 R) vs. Ohio State, 2001
100 Yards Receiving:	136, Allen Robinson vs. Navy, 2012
150 Yards Receiving:	158, Derek Moyer at Indiana, 2011
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 100 Yards Receiving Games:	Jordan Norwood (113 vs. Syracuse and 116 vs. Oregon State), 2008
10 Receptions:	10, Allen Robinson at Virginia, 2012
70-Yard Reception:	74, D. Moyer from M. McGloin at Indiana, 2011
80-Yard Reception:	80, D. Moyer from R. Bolden vs. Ill., Oct. 9, 2010
Three Touchdowns Receiving:	3, Allen Robinson vs. Navy, 2012
Four Touchdowns Receiving:	4, Bobby Engram vs. Minnesota, 1993
150 All-Purpose Yards:	173, Zach Zwinak vs. Northwestern, 2012
200 All-Purpose Yards:	241, Derrick Williams vs. Illinois, 2008
250 All-Purpose Yards:	289, Larry Johnson vs. Michigan State, 2002
Kickoff Return For Touchdown:	95, Chaz Powell vs. Indiana State, 2011
Rushing TD, Receiving TD & Kickoff Return For TD:	Derrick Williams vs. Illinois, 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, Michael Mauti at Illinois, 2012
90-Yard Interception Return:	99, Michael Mauti at Illinois, 2012
Interception Return For Touchdown:	73, N. Bowman vs. Indiana, 2009
Fumble Return For Touchdown:	74, Mike Hull vs. Navy, 2012
Blocked Field Goal:	Jared Odrick at Northwestern, 2009
Blocked Punt:	Mike Hull vs. Ohio State, 2012
Blocked Punt For Touchdown:	Michael Yancich vs. Ohio State, 2012 (Mike Hull 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:	134, Braxton Miller, Ohio State, 2012
150 Yards Rushing:	156, Montee Ball, Wisconsin, 2011
200 Yards Rushing:	203, BenJarvus Green-Ellis, Indiana, 2003
35 Rushing Attempts:	44, Mike Hart, Michigan, 2007 (OR)
Three Touchdowns Rushing:	3, Denard Robinson, Michigan, 2010
Four Touchdowns Rushing:	4, Montee Ball, Wisconsin, 2011
70-Yard Run:	79, Rashard Mendenhall, Illinois, 2006
Two Players Rushing For 100 Yards:	Josh Davis (179) & Jammal Lord (100), Nebraska, 2003
300 Yards Passing:	324, Tyler Tettleton, Ohio, 2012
400 Yards Passing:	413, Mark Sanchez, USC, 2009 ^
500 Yards Passing:	532, Case Keenum, Houston, 2012 (OR) *
25 Pass Completions:	25, Nate Scheelhaase, Illinois, 2012
30 Pass Completions:	31, Tyler Tettleton, Ohio, 2012
35 Pass Completions:	45, Case Keenum, Houston, 2012 (OR) *
30 Pass Attempts:	36, James Vandenberg, Iowa, 2012
40 Pass Attempts:	46, Nate Scheelhaase, Illinois, 2012
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 ^
Four Interceptions Thrown:	4, Drew Stanton, Michigan State, 2005
400 Yards Total Offense:	429, Mark Sanchez (413 P, 16 R), USC, 2009 ^
500 Yards Total Offense:	542, C. Keenum (532 P, 10 R), Houston, 2012 (OR) *
150 Yards Receiving:	162, Damian Williams, USC, 2009 ^
200 Yards Receiving:	228, Patrick Edwards, Houston, 2012 *
10 Receptions:	12, Patrick Edwards, Houston, 2012 *
70-Yard Reception:	72, J. Stoneburner from B. Miller, Ohio State, 2012
80-Yard Reception:	80, D. Barnes from K. 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:	92, Jordan Cotton, Iowa, 2012
90-Yard Kickoff Return:	92, Jordan Cotton, Iowa, 2012
100-Yard Kickoff Return:	100, Derrick Mason, Michigan State, 1994
Punt Return For Touchdown:	75, Venric Mark, Northwestern, 2012
70-Yard Punt Return:	75, Venric Mark, Northwestern, 2012
80-Yard Punt Return:	87, Willie Reid, Florida State, 2006 Orange
Interception Return For Touchdown:	17, Ryan Shazier, Ohio State, 2012
Fumble Return For Touchdown:	25, Tom Zbikowski, Notre Dame, 2006
Blocked Punt:	Deon Miller, Temple, 2011
Blocked Punt For Touchdown:	27, Lerentee McCray, Florida, 2011 \$
Blocked Field Goal:	Louis Trinca-Pasat, Iowa, 2012
Blocked Extra Point:	Henry Coley, Virginia, 2012
Safety:	Team, Iowa, 2009 (fumble recovered by Penn State player in end zone)
Defensive Extra Point:	99, D.J. Johnson, Iowa, 2002
50-Yard Field Goal:	50, Derek Dimke, Illinois, 2010

^ - Rose Bowl \$ - Outback Bowl * - TicketCity Bowl
(OR) - Opponent Record



2012 OFFENSIVE STARTERS

OPPONENT	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	QB	TB	FB	WR	WR
OHIO	D. Smith	Dieffenbach	Stankiewitch	Urschel	Farrell	Gilliam	McGloin	Belton	Zordich	Robinson	Kersey
@ Virginia	D. Smith	Dieffenbach	Stankiewitch	Urschel	Farrell	Gilliam	McGloin	Day	Zordich	Robinson	Kersey
NAVY	Farrell	Dieffenbach	Stankiewitch	Urschel	Gress	Gilliam	McGloin	Dukes	Zordich	Robinson	Moseby-Felder
TEMPLE	Farrell	Dieffenbach	Stankiewitch	Urschel	Gress	Gilliam	McGloin	James *	Zordich	Robinson	Moseby-Felder
@ Illinois	Farrell	Dieffenbach	Stankiewitch	Urschel	Gress	Carter	McGloin	Belton	Lehman *	Robinson	Moseby-Felder
N'WESTERN	D. Smith	Dieffenbach	Stankiewitch	Urschel	Farrell	Gilliam	McGloin	Belton	James *	Robinson	Moseby-Felder
@ Iowa	D. Smith	Dieffenbach	Stankiewitch	Urschel	Farrell	Carter	McGloin	Belton	Lehman *	Robinson	Moseby-Felder
OHIO STATE	D. Smith	Dieffenbach	Stankiewitch	Urschel	Farrell	Kenney ^	McGloin	Belton	Williams ^	Robinson	Moseby-Felder
@ Purdue											
@ Nebraska											
INDIANA											
WISCONSIN											

* Opened in Two Tight End Set ^ - Opened in Four Wide Receiver Set

2012 DEFENSIVE STARTERS

OPPONENT	DE	DT	DT	DE	OLB	MLB	OLB	LCB	SAFETY	SAFETY	RCB
OHIO	Barnes	D. Jones	Hill	Stanley	Mauti	Carson	Hodges	Amos	Willis	Obeng-Agyapong	Morris
@ Virginia	Massaro	D. Jones	Hill	Stanley	Mauti	Carson	Hodges	Amos	Willis	Obeng-Agyapong	Morris
NAVY	Barnes	D. Jones	Hill	Stanley	Mauti	Carson	Hodges	Amos	Willis	Obeng-Agyapong	Morris
TEMPLE	Barnes	D. Jones	Hill	Olanyian	Mauti	Carson	Hodges	Amos	Willis	Obeng-Agyapong	Morris
@ Illinois	Barnes	D. Jones	Hill	Stanley	Mauti	Carson	Hodges	Amos	Willis	Obeng-Agyapong	Morris
N'WESTERN	Barnes	D. Jones	Hill	Stanley	Mauti	Carson	Hodges	Amos	Willis	Obeng-Agyapong	Morris
@ Iowa	Barnes	D. Jones	Hill	Stanley	Mauti	Carson	Hodges	Amos	Willis	Obeng-Agyapong	Morris
OHIO STATE	Massaro	D. Jones	Hill	Stanley	Mauti	Carson	Hodges	Amos	Willis	Obeng-Agyapong	Morris
@Purdue											
@Nebraska											
INDIANA											
WISCONSIN											

CAREER STARTS

Player	'09	'10	'11	'12	Total	Player	'09	'10	'11	'12	Total
Hill (DT)	-	4	13	8	25	Obeng-Agyapong (Saf)	-	-	-	8	8
Stankiewitch (C)	2	-	13	8	23	Urschel (G)	-	-	-	8	8
Hodges (LB)	-	1	13	8	22	Zordich (FB)	-	-	2	4	6
Morris (CB)	1	10	2	8	21	Barnes (DE)	-	-	-	6	6
Carson (LB)	-	-	12	8	20	Belton (RB)	-	-	-	5	5
Mauti (LB)	-	7	4	8	19	D. Smith (T)	-	-	-	5	5
McGloin (QB)	-	5	5	8	18	Gress (T)	-	-	-	3	3
Stanley (DE)	-	2	6	7	15	Carter (TE)	-	-	-	2	2
Willis (Saf)	-	6	1	8	15	James (TE)	-	-	-	2	2
Massaro (LB)	-	11	-	2	13	Lehman (TE)	-	-	-	2	2
Gilliam (TE)	-	3	-	5	8	Day (RB)	-	-	-	1	1
Amos (DB)	-	-	1	8	9	Dukes (RB)	-	-	-	1	1
Farrell (T)	-	1	-	8	9	Kenney (WR)	-	-	-	1	1
Moseby-Felder (WR)	-	-	3	6	9	Olaniyan (DE)	-	-	-	1	1
Robinson (WR)	-	-	1	8	9	Terry (DT)	-	1	-	-	1
Dieffenbach (G)	-	-	-	8	8	Kenney (WR)	-	-	-	1	1
D. Jones (DT)	-	-	-	8	8	Williams (WR)	-	-	-	1	1





2012 PENN STATE GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

	OHIO	@Uva.	NAVY	TEMPLE	@ILL	NU	@IOWA	OSU	@PUR	@NEB	IND	WIS
First Downs	21	19	16	27	23	30	28	19				
Rushing	4	7	7	10	12	12	8	2				
Passing	16	11	9	15	9	16	17	13				
Penalty	1	1	-	2	2	2	3	4				
Net Yards Rushing	92	121	110	173	173	161	215	32				
Rushing Attempts	22	42	28	42	52	48	52	28				
Average Per Rush	4.2	2.9	3.9	4.1	3.3	3.4	4.1	1.1				
Rushing Touchdowns	-	-	-	2	4	3	3	-				
Yards Gained	93	140	117	184	212	181	218	72				
Yards Lost	1	19	7	11	39	20	3	40				
Net Yards Passing	260	209	231	318	211	282	289	327				
Attempts	27	21	13	24	18	35	26	27				
Completions	48	43	21	36	30	51	38	46				
Interceptions	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1				
Yards Per Attempt	5.4	4.9	11.0	8.8	7.0	5.5	7.6	7.1				
Yards Per Completion	9.6	10.0	17.8	13.2	11.7	8.1	11.1	12.1				
Passing Touchdowns	2	2	4	1	1	2	2	2				
Total Offensive Yards	352	330	341	491	384	443	504	359				
Plays	70	85	49	78	82	99	90	74				
Yards Per Play	5.0	3.9	7.0	6.3	4.7	4.5	5.6	4.9				
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	0-0	1-0	0-0	2-0	2-1	3-2	1-0				
Penalties-Yards	3-25	3-24	5-46	9-100	2-17	3-30	7-72	9-85				
Punts-Yards	5-179	3-125	3-106	5-152	3-130	5-184	3-88	5-206				
Yards Per Punt	35.8	41.7	35.3	30.4	43.3	36.8	29.3	41.2				
Net Yards Per Punt	35.8	35.0	34.0	21.8	41.0	21.8	29.3	41.2				
Inside 20	3	1	1	2	-	3	1	4				
50+ Yard Kicks	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1				
Touchbacks	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-				
Fair Catch	3	-	1	2	-	1	2	2				
Kickoffs-Yards	3-180	4-244	6-390	5-299	6-363	7-428	7-441	4-257				
Yards Per Kickoff	60.0	61.0	65.0	59.8	60.5	61.1	63.0	64.2				
Net Yards Per Kickoff	45.3	41.5	44.2	42.8	40.2	44.3	32.7	46.0				
Touchbacks	-	1	4	1	4	3	3	1				
Punt Returns	3	2	-	4	2	3	3	4				
Yards	6	4	-	39	30	9	7	15				
Touchdowns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1				
Yards Per PR	2.0	2.0	-	9.8	15.0	3.0	2.3	3.8				
Kickoff Returns	4	1	2	1	-	5	2	6				
Yards	65	27	38	-	-	91	57	83				
Touchdowns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Yards Per KR	16.2	27.0	19.0	-	-	18.2	28.5	13.8				
Interceptions	-	1	1	-	2	-	2	1				
Yards	-	9	-	-	105	-	20	-				
Touchdowns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Fumble Returns	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-				
Yards	-	20	74	-	-	-	-	-				
Touchdowns	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-				
Miscellaneous Yards	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Possession Times	25:05	31:47	23:33	36:52	232:55	39:17	38:08	27:53				
1st Quarter	10:19	10:23	6:34	10:44	9:50	12:00	8:53	5:53				
2nd Quarter	4:39	9:40	8:52	6:01	8:20	6:57	8:57	3:59				
3rd Quarter	6:26	5:44	3:59	9:50	8:10	8:35	9:54	8:20				
4th Quarter	3:41	6:00	4:08	10:17	6:35	11:45	10:24	9:41				
Third-Down Conversions	8-16	10-23	3-8	8-15	6-15	10-22	8-17	5-17				
Fourth-Down Conversions	2-3	3-4	1-2	1-1	1-4	5-6	1-3	2-4				
Red Zone Scoring	2-2	2-5	2-3	3-4	4-7	6-6	5-6	3-4				
Touchdowns	2	1	2	2	4	5	4	2				
Field Goals	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	1				
Sacks By/Yards	1-1	3-14	4-36	3-20	3-22	1-5	4-23	4-25				
PAT Kicks	2-2	1-2	4-5	3-3	5-5	4-4	5-5	2-2				
Field Goals	-	1-5	-	1-1	0-2	1-1	1-2	1-1				
Total Points	14	16	34	24	35	39	38	23				
Touchdowns Rushing	-	-	-	2	4	3	3	-				
Touchdowns Passing	2	2	4	1	1	2	2	2				
Touchdown Returns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Other Touchdowns	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1				
Safeties	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Kick PAT/Attempts	2/2	1/2	4/5	3/3	5/5	4/4	5/5	2/2				
2pt PAT/Attempts	-	-	-	-	-	1/1	-	-/1				
Field Goals/Attempts	-	1/5	-	1/1	0/2	1/1	1/2	1/1				



2012 OPPONENT GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

	OHIO	@UVa.	NAVY	TEMPLE	@ILL	NU	@IOWA	OSU	@PUR	@NEB	IND	WIS
First Downs	25	14	22	13	17	14	14	19				
Rushing	9	2	16	5	2	7	2	10				
Passing	15	11	5	6	15	6	9	5				
Penalty	1	1	1	2	-	1	3	4				
Net Yards Rushing	175	32	255	113	74	112	20	234				
Rushing Attempts	47	25	60	28	22	25	23	53				
Average Per Rush	3.7	1.3	4.2	4.0	3.4	4.5	0.9	4.4				
Rushing Touchdowns	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	3				
Yards Gained	180	63	305	134	98	120	50	263				
Yards Lost	5	31	50	21	24	8	30	29				
Net Yards Passing	324	263	136	124	292	135	189	143				
Attempts	31	23	13	13	29	21	17	7				
Completions	41	36	23	26	47	36	36	19				
Interceptions	-	1	1	-	2	-	2	1				
Yards Per Attempt	7.9	7.3	5.9	4.8	6.2	3.8	5.2	7.5				
Yards Per Completion	10.5	11.4	10.5	9.5	10.1	6.4	11.1	20.4				
Passing Touchdowns	2	2	-	1	1	1	1	1				
Total Offensive Yards	499	295	391	237	366	247	209	377				
Plays	88	61	83	54	69	61	59	72				
Yards Per Play	5.7	4.8	4.7	4.4	5.3	4.0	3.5	5.2				
Fumbles/Lost	-	3-3	3-3	2-0	1-1	1-1	4-1	0-0				
Penalties/Yards	5-35	10-70	7-41	6-36	8-69	3-40	3-30	7-75				
Punts/Yards	4-127	4-170	1-44	6-291	6-232	8-307	5-182	6-205				
Yards Per Punt	31.8	42.5	44.0	48.5	38.7	38.4	36.4	34.2				
Net Yards Per Punt	25.2	36.5	44.0	38.7	33.7	37.2	35.0	28.3				
Inside 20	2	1	-	1	1	2	1	1				
50+ Yard Kicks	1	1	-	3	1	1	-	1				
Touchbacks	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	1				
Fair Catch	-	-	1	-	-	3	2	1				
Kickoffs-Yards	5-342	4-260	2-119	4-211	2-130	5-285	2-120	6-359				
Yards Per Kickoff	68.4	65.0	59.5	52.8	65.0	57.0	60.0	59.8				
Net Yards Per Kickoff	51.4	39.5	40.5	37.8	40.0	38.8	31.5	46.0				
Touchbacks	1	3	-	3	2	-	-	-				
Punt Returns	-	1	2	1	3	1	-	-				
Yards	-	-	4	23	7	75	-	-				
Touchdowns	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-				
Yards Per PR	-	-	2.0	23.0	2.3	75	-	-				
Kickoff Returns	3	3	2	3	2	4	4	3				
Yards	44	58	45	65	22	58	152	53				
Touchdowns	0	-	-	-	-	-	1	-				
Yards Per KR	14.7	19.3	22.5	21.7	11.0	14.5	38.0	17.7				
Interceptions	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1				
Yards	1	-	-	(-5)	-	-	-	17				
Touchdowns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1				
Fumble Returns	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-				
Yards	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	-				
Touchdowns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Miscellaneous Yards	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Possession Times	33:10	28:13	36:23	23:08	27:05	20:43	21:52	32:07				
1st Quarter	4:41	4:37	8:22	4:16	5:10	3:00	6:07	9:07				
2nd Quarter	10:21	5:20	6:08	8:59	6:40	8:03	6:03	11:01				
3rd Quarter	8:34	9:16	11:01	5:10	6:50	6:25	5:06	6:40				
4th Quarter	9:34	9:00	10:52	4:43	8:25	3:15	4:36	5:19				
Third-Down Conversions	13-21	9-15	4-15	3-12	4-15	4-13	2-12	8-16				
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-1	-	5-8	0-1	1-3	0-1	0-3	-				
Red Zone Scoring	3-3	2-2	1-3	2-2	0-3	3-3	1-4	3-3				
Touchdowns	2	2	1	1	-	3	1	3				
Field Goals	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-				
Sacks/Yards	-	2-12	1-5	-	3-34	2-16	-	4-37				
PAT Kicks	3-3	2-2	1-1	1-1	1-1	4-4	2-2	5-5				
Field Goals	1-3	1-1	-	2-2	0-1	-	0-2	-				
Total Points	24	17	7	13	7	28	14	35				
Touchdowns Rushing	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	3				
Touchdowns Passing	2	2	-	1	1	1	1	1				
Touchdown Returns	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-				
Other Touchdowns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1				
Safeties	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Kick PAT/Attempts	3/3	-	1/1	1/1	1/1	4/4	2/2	5/5				
2pt PAT/Attempts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Field Goals/Attempts	1/1	1/3	-	2/2	0/1	-	0/2	-				





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RUSHING (Attempts-Yards-TD)

	OHIO	@UVa.	NAVY	TEMPLE	@ILL	NU	@IOWA	OSU	@PUR	@NEB	IND	WIS
Belton, Bill	13-53-0	INJ	INJ	INJ	16-65-0	4-12-0	16-103-3	10-26-0				
Bench, Steven	DNP	3-18-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Carson, Glenn	-	1-19-0	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Day, Derek	8-36-0	18-47-0	INJ	INJ	4-14-0	-	3-12-0	-				
Dukes, Curtis	-	10-30-0	11-47-0	-	5-21-0	-	-	-				
Jones, Paul	DNP	DNP	-	1-(-7)-0	-	-	-	-				
McGloin, Matt	-	4-3-0	6-13-0	6-13-2	7-(-29)-2	7-(-2)-1	5-26-0	4-(-37)-0				
Zordich, Michael	1-3-0	2-5-0	11-50-0	15-75-0	1-2-0	7-32-1	11-25-0	1-3-0				
Zwinak, Zach	-	3-2-0	-	18-94-0	19-100-2	28-121-1	16-52-0	12-42-0				

RECEIVING (Catches-Yards-TD)

	OHIO	@UVa.	NAVY	TEMPLE	@ILL	NU	@IOWA	OSU	@PUR	@NEB	IND	WIS
Belton, Bill	3-16-1	INJ	INJ	INJ	0-0-0	1-(-1)-0	-	5-35-0				
Carter, Kyle	6-74-0	4-33-1	1-13-0	5-70-0	3-45-0	4-44-0	6-85-0	6-77-1				
Day, Derek	1-3-0	1-17-0	INJ	INJ	0-0-0	-	-	-				
Gilliam, Garry	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-12-0	1-6-0	0-0-0	1-15-0	1-3-0	1-16-0				
James, Jesse	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-2-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	3-52-1	1-20-0				
Jones, Paul	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-7-0	0-0-0	-	-	-	-				
Kenney, Alex	2-21-0	3-50-0	0-0-0	3-34-0	4-24-0	-	-	-				
Kersey, Shawney	5-35-0	1-9-0	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Lehman, Matt	1-14-1	1-7-0	0-0-0	2-46-0	5-70-1	3-15-0	1-11-0	2-21-1				
Moseby-Felder, B.	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-12-0	2-20-0	3-37-0	5-34-0	4-60-0	4-70-0				
Robinson, Allen	9-97-0	10-89-1	5-136-3	5-82-1	3-35-0	9-85-2	6-39-1	5-68-0				
Williams, Trevor	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-24-0	1-9-0	DNP	1-7-0	2-15-0	1-8-0				
Zordich, Michael	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-25-0	4-39-0	0-0-0	4-31-0	1-0-0	-				
Zwinak, Zach	0-0-0	1-4-0	0-0-0	1-12-0	0-0-0	6-52-0	2-24-0	2-12-0				

PASSING

Matt McGloin

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Int.	TD
Ohio	48	27	260	1	2
@Virginia	35	19	197	-	2
Navy	21	13	231	-	4
Temple	36	24	318	1	1
@Illinois	30	18	211	-	1
N'western	51	35	282	-	2
@Iowa	38	26	289	-	2
Ohio State	45	27	327	1	2
@Purdue					
@Nebraska					
Indiana					
Wisconsin					

Steven Bench

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Int.	TD
Ohio		DNP			
@Virginia	7	2	12	0	0
Navy		DNP			
Temple		DNP			
@Illinois		DNP			
N'western		DNP			
@Iowa		DNP			
Ohio State		DNP			
@Purdue					
@Nebraska					
Indiana					
Wisconsin					



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TACKLES (UA-A)

	OHIO	@UVa.	NAVY	TEMPLE	@ILL	NU	@IOWA	OSU	@PUR	@NEB	IND	WIS
Amos, Adrian	6-4	5-1	3-0	2-0	1-2	-	1-1	2-3				
Barnes, Deion	-	2-0	3-2	2-0	0-2	0-1	1-2	1-0				
Bars, Brad	INJ	INJ	0-2	-	-	-	-	-				
Baublitz, Kyle	0-1	DNP	1-1	1-0	DNP	DNP	-	-				
Carson, Glenn	5-3	2-3	3-4	2-1	4-5	0-5	3-1	2-3				
Davis, Da'Quan	-	1-0	-	1-1	-	1-1	-	-				
Day, Derek	-	-	INJ	INJ	1-1	1-0	-	0-1				
Della Valle, Jesse	0-2	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-				
Dukes, Curtis	1-0	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	0-1				
Fagnano, Jacob	4-5	1-0	3-3	0-2	2-1	-	3-0	1-1				
Ficken, Sam	1-0	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-				
Furhman, Michael	0-1	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Hill, Jordan	1-3	1-2	0-3	3-4	1-2	2-6	7-2	2-5				
Hodges, Gerald	2-9	3-5	1-4	3-3	2-7	6-5	0-4	6-8				
Hull, Mike	4-2	2-0	3-2	2-1	2-1	1-4	2-0	-				
James, Jessie	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	3-0				
Jones, DaQuan	1-3	1-1	2-2	0-1	0-2	0-1	-	0-1				
Keiser, Ryan	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-				
Kline, Ben	1-1	1-0	2-1	1-0	2-1	0-1	1-1	0-1				
Lehman, Matt	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Lewis, Evan	DNP	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-				
Massaro, Pete	0-1	0-1	INJ	INJ	INJ	-	0-1	0-2				
Mauti, Michael	5-7	5-4	7-5	5-4	4-2	6-3	4-4	7-6				
Morris, Stephon	2-3	3-1	6-0	2-3	3-1	1-2	1-0	2-0				
Obeng-Agyapong, S.	1-4	1-3	5-4	1-0	2-0	1-0	1-0	0-1				
Olaniyan, C.J.	1-2	0-1	-	2-2	-	1-0	1-2	0-1				
Stanley, Sean	1-4	1-2	1-2	INJ	1-2	1-1	-	4-3				
Terry, James	0-1	-	1-1	0-1	0-2	0-1	0-1	1-1				
Wartman, Nyeem	1-0	-	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ				
Willis, Malcolm	4-2	3-2	1-2	3-1	1-2	4-1	1-2	3-2				
Yancich, Michael	-	1-0	4-0	-	3-4	-	0-1	-				
Zettel, Anthony	1-2	-	4-2	-	-	1-0	1-1	1-0				
Zordich, Michael	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	1-1	-				

2012 TACKLES FOR LOSS/SACKS

TACKLES (TFL (Sacks))

	OHIO	@UVa.	NAVY	TEMPLE	@ILL	NU	@IOWA	OSU	@PUR	@NEB	IND	WIS
Amos, Adrian	-	1.0 (-)	-	-	0.5 (0.5)	-	-	-				
Barnes, Deion	-	2.0 (2.0)	1.0 (1.0)	1.0 (-)	0.5 (0.5)	0.5 (0.5)	-	-				
Baublitz, Kyle	-	DNP	-	1.0 (1.0)	DNP	DNP	-	-				
Carson, Glenn	1.0 (1.0)	0.5 (-)	-	-	1.0 (-)	-	-	-				
Hill, Jordan	-	-	-	1.0 (1.0)	-	1.0 (0.5)	2.0 (1.0)	-				
Hodges, Gerald	-	-	1.0 (-)	-	-	1.5 (-)	-	1.0 (1.0)				
Hull, Mike	-	1.0 (1.0)	-	1.0 (1.0)	-	-	-	1.0 (1.0)				
Jones, DaQuan	-	-	1.5 (-)	-	0.5 (0.5)	-	-	-				
Massaro, Pete	-	0.5 (-)	INJ	INJ	INJ	-	-	0.5 (0.5)				
Mauti, Michael	-	-	2.0 (1.0)	-	0.5 (0.5)	-	1.0 (1.0)	-				
Morris, Stephon	-	1.0 (-)	-	-	1.5 (0.5)	-	-	-				
Obeng-Agyapong, S.	-	-	1.0 (-)	-	-	-	-	-				
Olaniyan, C.J.	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0 (1.0)	-				
Stanley, Sean	-	1.0 (-)	0.5 (-)	INJ	1.5 (0.5)	-	-	1.5 (0.5)				
Terry, James	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0 (1.0)				
Zettel, Anthony	-	-	2.0 (2.0)	-	-	-	1.0 (1.0)	-				





2012 INDIVIDUAL SPECIAL TEAMS GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

SEASON KICKOFFS

Game	KO	Total Yards	TB	OB	Kick Avg.	Rtrns	Rtn Yds	Yds/ Rtn
Ficken	42	2602	17	1	62.0	24	497	20.7
Game	KO	Total Yards	TB	OB	Kick Avg.	Rtrns	Rtn Yds	Yds/ Rtn
Ohio	3	180	0	-	60.0	3	44	14.7
@Virginia	4	244	1	-	61.0	3	58	19.3
Navy	6	390	4	-	65.0	2	45	22.5
Temple	5	299	1	1	59.8	3	65	21.7
@Illinois	6	363	4	-	60.5	2	22	11.0
N'western	7	428	3	-	61.1	4	58	14.5
@Iowa	7	441	3	-	63.0	4	152	38.0
Ohio State	4	257	1	-	64.2	3	53	17.7
@Purdue								
@Nebraska								
Indiana								
Wisconsin								

SEASON PUNTING

Game	No	Total Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	FC	50+	I20
Butterworth	32	1170	36.6	58	-	11	3	15
Game	No	Total Yds	Avg	Long	Blkd	FC	50+	I20
Ohio	5	179	35.8	39	-	3	-	3
@ Virginia	3	125	41.7	52	-	-	1	1
Navy	3	106	35.3	38	-	1	-	1
Temple	5	152	30.4	37	-	2	-	2
@ Illinois	3	130	43.3	47	-	-	-	-
N'western	5	184	36.8	54	-	1	1	3
@Iowa	3	88	29.3	34	-	2	-	1
Ohio State	5	206	41.2	58	-	2	1	4
@Purdue								
@Nebraska								
Indiana								
Wisconsin								

2012 SEASON SUPERLATIVES

Penn State Individual

Rushes:	28, Zach Zwinak, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
Rushing Yds:	122, Zach Zwinak, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
Rushing TDs:	3, Bill Belton, @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Longest Rush:	25, Michael Zordich, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
Pass Attempts:	51, Matt McGloin, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
Pass Completions:	35, Matt McGloin, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
Passing Yds:	327, Matt McGloin, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
TD Passes:	4, Matt McGloin, NAVY, Sept. 15
Longest Pass Play:	45, Matt McGloin, 2x Last NAVY, Sept. 15
Receptions:	10, Allen Robinson, @ Virginia, Sept. 8
Yds Receiving:	136, Allen Robinson, NAVY, Sept. 15
TD Receptions:	3, Allen Robinson, NAVY, Sept. 15
Longest Reception:	45, Allen Robinson, 2x Last NAVY, Sept. 15
Field Goals:	1, Sam Ficken, 4x Last OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Longest Field Goal:	34, Sam Ficken, @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Punts:	5, Alex Butterworth, 4x Last OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Punting Average:	41.7, Alex Butterworth, @Virginia, Sept. 8
Longest Punt:	58, Alex Butterworth, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Longest Punt Return:	29, Jesse Della Valle, TEMPLE, Sept. 22
Longest Kickoff Return:	46, Jesse Della Valle, @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Tackles:	14, Gerald Hodges, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Sacks:	2.0, Anthony Zettel, NAVY, Sept. 15
Tackles For Loss:	2.0, 4x Last by Jordan Hill, @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Interceptions:	2, Michael Mauti @ Illinois, Sept. 29

Opponent Individual

Rushes:	31, Beau Blankenship, OHIO, Sept. 1
Rushing Yds:	134, Braxton Miller, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Rushing TDs:	2, Braxton Miller, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Longest Rush:	50, Donovan Young, @ Illinois, Sept. 29
Pass Attempts:	41, Tyler Tettleton, OHIO, Sept. 1
Pass Completions:	31, Tyler Tettleton, OHIO, Sept. 1
Passing Yds:	324, Tyler Tettleton, OHIO, Sept. 1
TD Passes:	2, 2x Last by Michael Rocco, @ Virginia, Sept. 8
Longest Pass Play:	72, Braxton Miller, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Receptions:	7, 2x last by Ryan Lankford, @ Illinois, Sept. 29
Yards Receiving:	99, Jake McGee, @ Virginia, Sept. 8
TD Receptions:	1, 9x Last by Jake Stoneburner, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Longest Reception:	72, Jake Stoneburner, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Field Goals:	2, Brandon McManus, TEMPLE, Sept. 22
Longest Field Goal:	46, Drew Jarrett, @ Virginia, Sept. 8
Punts:	8, Brandon Williams, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
Punting Average:	48.5, Brandon McManus, TEMPLE, Sept. 22
Longest Punt:	64, Brandon Williams, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
Longest Punt Return:	75, Venric Mack, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
Longest Kickoff Return:	92, Jordan Cotton, at Iowa, Oct. 20
Tackles:	16, Damien Proby, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
Sacks:	2.0, 2x Last by Ryan Shazier, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Tackles For Loss:	2.5, Steve Greer, @ Virginia, Sept. 8
Interceptions:	1, 3x Last by Ryan Shazier, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27

PENN STATE TEAM OFFENSIVE HIGHS & LOWS

	Highs	Lows
Rushes:	52, @ Illinois, Sept. 29	22, OHIO, Sept. 1
Rushing Yds:	215, @ Iowa, Oct. 20	32, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Rushing Avg:	4.2, OHIO, Sept. 1	1.1, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Rushing TDs:	4, @ Illinois, Sept. 29	0, 4x Last OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Pass Attempts:	51, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6	21, NAVY, Sept. 15
Pass Completions:	35, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6	13, NAVY, Sept. 15
Passing Yds:	327, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27	209, @ Virginia, Sept. 8
Yds Per Completion:	17.7, NAVY, Sept. 15	8.1, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
TD Receptions:	4, NAVY, Sept. 15	1, 2x Last @ Illinois, Sept. 29
Total Offense:	504, @ Iowa, Oct. 20	330, @ Virginia, Sept. 8
Total Plays:	99, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6	49, NAVY, Sept. 15
Yds Per Play:	7.0, NAVY, Sept. 15	3.9, @Virginia, Sept. 8
Points:	39, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6	14, OHIO, Sept. 1
Sacks Made:	4, 3x Last OHIO STATE, Oct. 27	0, OHIO, Sept. 1
First Downs:	30, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6	16, NAVY, Sept. 15
Penalties:	9, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27	2, @ Illinois, Sept. 29
Penalty Yds:	100, TEMPLE, Sept. 22	17, @ Illinois, Sept. 29
Turnovers:	3, OHIO, Sept. 1	0, 3x Last @ Illinois, Sept. 29
Interceptions Made:	2, 2x Last @ Iowa, Oct. 20	0, 4x Last N'WESTERN, Oct. 6

OPPONENTS TEAM OFFENSIVE HIGHS & LOWS

	Highs	Lows
Rushes:	60, NAVY, Sept. 15	22, @ Illinois, Sept. 29
Rushing Yds:	245, NAVY, Sept. 15	20, @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Rushing Avg:	4.4, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27	0.9, @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Rushing TDs:	3, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27	0, 4x Last @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Pass Attempts:	47, @ Illinois, Sept. 29	19, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Pass Completions:	31, OHIO, Sept. 1	7, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27
Passing Yds:	324, OHIO, Sept. 1	124, TEMPLE, Sept. 22
Yds Per Completion:	20.4, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27	8.1, N'WESTERN, Oct. 6
TD Receptions:	2, 2x Last @ Virginia, Sept. 8	0, NAVY, Sept. 15
Total Offense:	499, OHIO, Sept. 1	209, @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Total Plays:	88, OHIO, Sept. 1	54, TEMPLE, Sept. 22
Yds Per Play:	5.7, OHIO, Sept. 1	3.5, @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Points:	35, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27	7, 2x @ Illinois, Sept. 29
Sacks Made:	4, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27	0, 3x, Last @ Iowa, Oct. 20
First Downs:	25, OHIO, Sept. 1	13, TEMPLE, Sept. 22
Penalties:	10, @ Virginia, Sept. 8	3, @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Penalty Yds:	75, OHIO STATE, Oct. 27	30, @ Iowa, Oct. 20
Turnovers:	4, 2x Last NAVY, Sept. 15	0, TEMPLE, Sept. 22
Interceptions Made:	1, 3x Last OHIO STATE, Oct. 27	0, 4x @ Iowa, Oct. 20



2012 SCORING DRIVES

Game	Plays	Yards	Time	Result	Qtr.
Scoring Play					
vs. Ohio	10	80	3:17	TD	1
<i>McGloin to Belton 6yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					
	3	18	0:55	TD	2
<i>McGloin to Lehman 14yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					
at Virginia	17	75	6:27	TD	1
<i>McGloin to Carter 8yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					
	5	45	1:43	TD	4
<i>McGloin to Robinson 30yd pass (kick blocked)</i>					
	4	3	1:23	FG	4
<i>Ficken 32yd field goal</i>					
vs. Navy	7	72	3:31	TD	1
<i>McGloin to James 2yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					
	4	57	2:12	TD	1
<i>McGloin to Robinson 45yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					
	14	90	6:52	TD	2
<i>McGloin to Robinson 2yd pass (kick missed)</i>					
	4	44	1:44	TD	3
<i>McGloin to Robinson 25yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					
vs. Temple	4	46	1:35	TD	1
<i>McGloin to Robinson 41yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					
	3	35	0:48	TD	2
<i>McGloin 1yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
	11	80	4:36	TD	3
<i>McGloin 2yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
	11	68	7:03	FG	4
<i>Ficken 21yd field goal</i>					
at Illinois	8	26	2:56	TD	1
<i>Zwinak 1yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
	8	60	2:28	TD	1
<i>McGloin 1yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
	8	72	2:52	TD	2
<i>Lehman 21yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					
	8	57	2:31	TD	3
<i>McGloin 1yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
	7	50	2:03	TD	4
<i>Zwinak 1yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
vs. Northwestern	13	33	5:56	FG	1
<i>Ficken 21yd field goal</i>					
	8	40	2:16	TD	2
<i>Zwinak 1yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
	12	80	5:23	TD	3
<i>McGloin to Robinson 8yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					
	18	82	5:55	TD	4
<i>McGloin to Robinson 6yd pass (Zordich rush)</i>					
	15	85	5:38	TD	4
<i>McGloin 5yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
	3	28	0:18	TD	4
<i>Zordich 3 yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					

Game	Plays	Yards	Time	Result	Qtr.
Scoring Play					
at Iowa	9	84	2:49	TD	1
<i>McGloin to James 31yd pass (Ficken Kick)</i>					
	9	69	2:53	TD	1
<i>McGloin to Robinson 8yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					
	12	63	3:46	FG	2
<i>Ficken 34yd field goal</i>					
	2	14	0:27	TD	2
<i>Belton 11yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
	2	45	0:27	TD	3
<i>Belton 3yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
	14	97	6:27	TD	4
<i>Belton 5yd run (Ficken kick)</i>					
vs. Ohio State	-	-	-	TD	1
<i>Yansich 0yd blocked punt return (Ficken Kick)</i>					
	9	73	3:45	FG	3
<i>Ficken 27yd field goal</i>					
	18	80	5:45	TD	4
<i>McGloin to Lehman 2yd pass (Belton rush failed)</i>					
	12	83	4:25	TD	4
<i>McGloin to Carter 20yd pass (Ficken kick)</i>					

2012 SCORING DRIVE SUMMARY

PENN STATE DRIVES

Totals: 33 scoring drives (28 TD, 5 FG)
Special Teams Touchdown: 2 1 vs. Navy; fumble return (Hull, 74 yds)
 1 vs. Ohio State; blocked punt return (Yansich, 0 yds)

LONGEST DRIVES BY:

Plays: 18, 2x vs. Northwestern, Oct. 6 & vs. Ohio State, Oct. 27
Yards: 97, at Iowa, Oct. 20, 2012
Time: 7:03, vs. Temple, Sept. 22, 2012

OPPONENT DRIVES

Totals: 19 scoring drives (16 TD, 4 FG)
Special Teams Touchdown: 3 1 vs. Northwestern; punt return (Mark, 75 yds)
 1 at Iowa; kick off return (Cotton, 92 yds)
 1 vs. Ohio State; interception return (R. Shazier)

LONGEST DRIVES BY:

Plays: 14, Ohio, Sept. 1, 2012
Yards: 93, Ohio, Sept. 1, 2012
Time: 6:42, Ohio, Sept. 1, 2012





LONG PLAYS FROM SCRIMMAGE

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
*45	Pass	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt	Navy
45	Pass	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt	Navy
42	Pass	Moseby-Felder, B. from McGloin, Matt	Ohio State
42	Pass	Moseby-Felder, B. from McGloin, Matt	@ Iowa
*41	Pass	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt	Temple
37	Pass	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt	Ohio State
34	Pass	Carter, Kyle from McGloin, Matt	@ Iowa
*31	Pass	James, Jesse from McGloin, Matt	@ Iowa
*30	Pass	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt	@ Virginia
29	Pass	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt	Temple
27	Pass	Zordich, Michael from McGloin, Matt	Temple
25	Rush	Zordich, Michael	Northwestern
*25	Pass	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt	Navy
24	Pass	Kenney, Alex from McGloin, Matt	@ Virginia
24	Pass	Williams, Trevor from McGloin, Matt	Navy
24	Pass	Lehman, Matt from McGloin, Matt	Temple
23	Pass	Kenney, Alex from McGloin, Matt	@ Virginia
23	Rush	Belton, Bill	@ Iowa
23	Pass	Lehman, Matt from McGloin, Matt	@ Illinois
22	Pass	Lehman, Matt from McGloin, Matt	Temple
22	Pass	Carter, Kyle from McGloin, Matt	Ohio
*21	Pass	Lehman, Matt from McGloin, Matt	@ Illinois
21	Pass	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt	Ohio
21	Pass	Carter, Kyle from McGloin, Matt	Ohio State
*20	Pass	Carter, Kyle from McGloin, Matt	Ohio State
20	Pass	Carter, Kyle from McGloin, Matt	Temple
20	Pass	James, Jesse from McGloin, Matt	Ohio State
20	Pass	Carter, Kyle from McGloin, Matt	Temple

* - touchdown scored on play

PENN STATE OFFENSE (28)

Play	#	Long	Play
Passing:	26	45	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt 2x vs. Navy
Rushing:	2	25	Zordich, Michael vs. Northwestern

PENN STATE BY GAME

Opp.	#	Long	Play	Type
OHIO	2	22	Carter, Kyle from McGloin Matt	Pass
@ Virginia	3	30	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt *	Pass
NAVY	4	45	2x Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt	Pass
TEMPLE	7	41	Robinson, Allen from McGloin, Matt *	Pass
@ Illinois	2	23	Lehman, Matt from McGloin, Matt	Pass
N'WESTERN	1	25	Zordich, Michael	Rush
@ Iowa	4	42	Moseby-Felder, B. from McGloin, Matt	Pass
OHIO STATE	5	42	Moseby-Felder, B. from McGloin, Matt	Pass
@ Purdue				
@ Nebraska				
INDIANA				
WISCONSIN				

OPPONENTS' OFFENSE (22)

Play	#	Long	Opp.
Passing:	19	72	Stoneburner, J. from Miller, B., vs. Ohio State
Rushing:	3	52	Donovonn Young, @Illinois

OPPONENT BY GAME

Opp.	#	Long	Play	Type
OHIO	5	43	Smith, Landon from Tettleton, Tyler *	Pass
@ Virginia	5	44	McGee, J. from Rocco, M.	Pass
NAVY	5	33	Lynch, Shawn from Bolena, Casey	Pass
TEMPLE	3	40	Harris, Montel from Coyer, Chris	Pass
@ Illinois	6	52	Young, Donovonn	Rush
N'WESTERN	-	-	-	-
@ Iowa	2	31	Davis, Keenan from Vandenberg, J.	Pass
OHIO STATE	4	72	Stoneburner, J. from Miller, B. *	Pass
@ Purdue				
@ Nebraska				
INDIANA				
WISCONSIN				

GAME-BY-GAME TEAM LEADERS

Opponent	Rushing Attempts	Rushing Yards	Receiving Yards	Receptions	All Purpose Yards	Tackles
OHIO	Belton - 13	Belton - 53	Robinson - 97	Robinson - 9	Belton - 114	Mauti - 12
@ Virginia	Day - 18	Day - 47	Robinson - 89	Robinson - 10	Robinson - 89	Mauti - 9
NAVY	Zordich - 11 Dukes - 11	Zordich - 50	Robinson - 136	Robinson - 5	Robinson - 136	Mauti - 12
TEMPLE	Zwinak - 18	Zwinak - 94	Robinson - 82	Robinson - 5 Carter - 5	Zordich - 114	Mauti - 9
at Illinois	Zwinak - 19	Zwinak - 100	Lehman - 70	Lehman - 5	Mauti - 105	Carson - 9 Hodges - 9
NORTHWESTERN	Zwinak - 28	Zwinak - 121	Robinson - 85	Robinson - 9	Zwinak - 173	Hodges - 11
@ Iowa	Belton - 16 Zwinak - 16	Belton - 103	Carter - 85	Carter - 6 Robinson - 6	Belton - 114	Hill - 9
OHIO STATE	Zwinak - 12	Zwinak - 42	Carter - 77	Carter - 6	Belton - 128	Hodges - 14
at Purdue						
at Nebraska						
INDIANA						
WISCONSIN						



RED ZONE RECAP

PENN STATE OFFENSE

Opponent	Series	Result	Pct.
Ohio	2	2 TD	100%
@Virginia	5	1 TD, 1 FG, 2 MFG, Downs	40%
Navy	3	2 TD, Downs	67%
Temple	4	2 TD, 1 FG, 1 INT	75%
@Illinois	7	4 TD, 1 MFG, 2 Downs	71%
Northwestern	6	5 TD, 1 FG	100%
@Iowa	6	4 TD, 1 FG, 1 FumLost	83%
Ohio State	4	2 TD, 1 FG, Downs	75%
@Purdue			
@Nebraska			
Indiana			
Wisconsin			
TOTAL	27/37	22 TD, 5 FG, 1 INT, 3MFG, 1 FumLost, 5 Downs	73%

PENN STATE DEFENSE

Opponent	Series	Result	Pct.
Ohio	3	2 TD, 1 FG	100%
@Virginia	2	2 TD	100%
Navy	3	1 TD, 1 INT, 1 Downs	33%
Temple	2	1 TD, 1 FG	100%
@Illinois	3	1 MFG, 1 INT, 1 End	0%
Northwestern	3	3 TD	100%
@Iowa	4	1 TD, 1 Downs, 1 MFG, INT	20%
Ohio State	3	3 TD	100%
@Purdue			
@Nebraska			
Indiana			
Wisconsin			
TOTAL	15/23	13 TD, 2 FG, 3 INT, 2 MFG, 2 Downs, 1 Game End	65%

TURNOVER CHART

PENN STATE: 16 GAINED

TYPE	QTR	PLAYER	PLAYS/ YDS	1st DWNS	RESULT
OHIO (-)					
None					
at VIRGINIA (4)					
Fumble	1	Obeng-A. by Freedman	4/(-6)	-	Missed FG
INT	2	Hill of Rocco	4/(-2)	-	Missed FG
Fumble	3	Hodges by Rocco	3/(-9)	-	Punt
Fumble	4	Mauti by Sims	4/3	-	FG
NAVY (4)					
INT	1	Hodges of Miller	14/90	8	TD
Fumble	2	Hill by Miller	8/24	1	Downs
Fumble	3	Stanley by Miller	6/15	1	Punt
Fumble	4	Hull by Copeland	74	-	TD
TEMPLE (-)					
None					
at ILLINOIS (3)					
Fumble	1	Fuhrman by Davis	8/26	2	TD
INT	2	Mauti of Scheelhaase	1/0	-	Missed FG
INT	3	Mauti of Scheelhaase	6/32	2	TD
NORTHWESTERN (1)					
Fumble	4	Hodges by Jones	1/(-1)	-	EOG
AT IOWA(3)					
Fumble	2	D. Jones by Vandenberg	2/14	-	TD
INT	3	Mauti of Vandenberg	5/14	1	Fumble
INT	4	Hull of Vandenberg	1/(-2)	-	EOG
OHIO STATE (1)					
INT	3	Amos of Miller	4/1	-	Downs

OPPONENT: 8 GAINED

TYPE	QTR	PLAYER	PLAYS/ YDS	1st DWNS	RESULT
OHIO (3)					
Fumble	1	Moore by Belton	3/9	0	Punt
Fumble	2	Lewis by Hodges	4/8	0	FG
INT	4	Woseley of McGloin	5/11	1	EOG
at VIRGINIA (-)					
None					
NAVY (-)					
None					
TEMPLE (1)					
INT	2	Young of McGloin	5/19	1	Punt
at ILLINOIS (-)					
None					
NORTHWESTERN (1)					
Fumble	2	VanHoose by Della Valle	3/17	1	TD
AT IOWA (2)					
Fumble	3	Gaglion by Zwinak	5/25	1	Punt
Fumble	4	Kirksey by Zwinak	4/37	1	TD
OHIO STATE (1)					
INT	3	Shazier of McGloin	17	-	TD



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Team Statistics	PSU	OPP
SCORING	223	145
Points Per Game	27.9	18.1
FIRST DOWNS	183	139
Rushing	62	52
Passing	106	74
Penalty	15	13
RUSHING YARDAGE	1077	1025
Yards gained rushing	1217	1223
Yards lost rushing	140	198
Rushing Attempts	314	283
Average Per Rush	3.4	3.6
Average Per Game	134.6	128.1
TDs Rushing	12	7
PASSING YARDAGE	2127	1611
Comp-Att-Int	191-313-3	154-264-7
Average Per Pass	6.8	6.1
Average Per Catch	11.1	10.5
Average Per Game	265.9	201.4
TDs Passing	16	9
TOTAL OFFENSE	3204	2636
Total Plays	627	547
Average Per Play	5.1	4.8
Average Per Game	400.5	329.5
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	21-361	24-497
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	21-110	8-109
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	7-134	3-13
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	17.2	20.7
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	5.2	13.6
INT RETURN AVERAGE	19.1	4.3
FUMBLES-LOST	11-5	14-9
PENALTIES-Yards	41-399	49-396
Average Per Game	49.9	49.5
PUNTS-Yards	32-1170	39-1558
Average Per Punt	36.6	39.9
Net punt average	31.9	35.1
KICKOFFS-Yards	42-2602	30-1826
Average Per Kick	62.0	60.9
Net kick average	49.2	41.3
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	31:56	28:03
3RD-DOWN Conversions	58/133	46/118
3rd-Down Pct	44%	39%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	16/27	7/17
4th-Down Pct	59%	41%
SACKS BY-Yards	23-146	12-104
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	30	19
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	5-12	4-9
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-1	0-1
RED-ZONE SCORES	(27-37) 73%	(15-23) 65%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(22-37) 59%	(13-23) 57%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(26-28) 93%	(19-19) 100%
ATTENDANCE	493245	173406
Games/Avg Per Game	5/98649	3/57802
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Penn State	66	51	38	68	0	223
Opponents	0	30	66	49	0	145

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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Zwinak, Zach	8	96	414	3	411	4.3	3	16	51.4
Belton, Bill	5	59	263	4	259	4.4	3	23	51.8
Zordich, M.	8	49	198	4	194	4.0	1	25	24.2
Day, Derek	6	33	111	2	109	3.3	0	14	18.2
Dukes, Curtis	8	26	101	3	98	3.8	0	10	12.2
Carson, Glenn	8	1	19	0	19	19.0	0	19	2.4
Bench, Steven	1	3	20	2	18	6.0	0	15	18.0
Jones, Paul	2	1	0	7	-7	-7.0	0	0	-3.5
TEAM	7	7	0	11	-11	-1.6	0	0	-1.6
McGloin, Matt	8	39	91	104	-13	-0.3	5	11	-1.6
Total	8	314	1217	140	1077	3.4	12	25	134.6
Opponents	8	283	1223	198	1025	3.6	7	52	128.1

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
McGloin, Matt	8	136.01	189-304-3	62.2	2115	16	45	264.4
Bench, Steven	1	42.97	2-7-0	28.6	12	0	7	12.0
TEAM	7	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Butterworth, A.	8	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	8	133.06	191-313-3	61.0	2127	16	45	265.9
Opponents	8	115.54	154-264-7	58.3	1611	9	72	201.4

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Robinson, Allen	8	52	631	12.1	8	45	78.9
Carter, Kyle	8	35	441	12.6	2	34	55.1
Moseby-Felder, B	8	19	233	12.3	0	42	29.1
Lehman, Matt	8	15	184	12.3	3	24	23.0
Kenney, Alex	8	12	129	10.8	0	24	16.1
Zwinak, Zach	8	12	104	8.7	0	17	13.0
Zordich, M.	8	11	95	8.6	0	27	11.9
Belton, Bill	5	9	50	5.6	1	11	10.0
James, Jesse	7	6	74	12.3	2	31	10.6
Williams, T.	8	6	63	10.5	0	24	7.9
Kersey, Shawney	3	6	44	7.3	0	13	14.7
Gilliam, Garry	8	5	52	10.4	0	16	6.5
Day, Derek	6	2	20	10.0	0	17	3.3
Jones, Paul	2	1	7	7.0	0	7	3.5
Total	8	191	2127	11.1	16	45	265.9
Opponents	8	154	1611	10.5	9	72	201.4

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Della Valle, J.	11	63	5.7	0	29
Lewis, Evan	6	27	4.5	0	26
Hodges, Gerald	2	-1	-0.5	0	0
Wartman, Nyeem	1	7	7.0	0	0
Hull, Mike	1	14	14.0	0	0
Yancich, M.	0	0	0.0	1	0
Total	21	110	5.2	1	29
Opponents	8	109	13.6	1	75

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Mauti, Michael	3	125	41.7	0	99
Amos, Adrian	1	0	0.0	0	0
Hill, Jordan	1	9	9.0	0	9
Hodges, Gerald	1	0	0.0	0	0
Hull, Mike	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	7	134	19.1	0	99
Opponents	3	13	4.3	1	17

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Belton, Bill	8	123	15.4	0	24
Amos, Adrian	4	73	18.2	0	27
Kenney, Alex	4	71	17.8	0	22
Della Valle, J.	2	66	33.0	0	46
Hodges, Gerald	1	12	12.0	0	12
McGregor, Shane	1	16	16.0	0	16
Jones, Paul	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	21	361	17.2	0	46
Opponents	24	497	20.7	1	92

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Hull, Mike	1	74	74.0	1	74
Obeng-Agyapong	1	20	20.0	0	20
Total	2	94	47.0	1	74
Opponents	1	45	45.0	0	45

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT			dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv pass			
Robinson, Allen	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
Ficken, Sam	-	5-12	26-28	-	-	-	-	41
McGloin, Matt	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Belton, Bill	4	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	24
Zwinak, Zach	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Lehman, Matt	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Carter, Kyle	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
James, Jesse	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Zordich, M.	1	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	8
Yancich, M.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Hull, Mike	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	30	5-12	26-28	1-2	-	-	-	223
Opponents	19	4-9	19-19	-	-	-	-	145

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
McGloin, Matt	8	343	-13	2115	2102	262.8
Zwinak, Zach	8	96	411	0	411	51.4
Belton, Bill	5	59	259	0	259	51.8
Zordich, M.	8	49	194	0	194	24.2
Day, Derek	6	33	109	0	109	18.2
Dukes, Curtis	8	26	98	0	98	12.2
Bench, Steven	1	10	18	12	30	30.0
Carson, Glenn	8	1	19	0	19	2.4
Jones, Paul	2	1	-7	0	-7	-3.5
TEAM	7	8	-11	0	-11	-1.6
Total	8	627	1077	2127	3204	400.5
Opponents	8	547	1025	1611	2636	329.5

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Ficken, Sam	5-12	41.7	0-1	3-4	2-3	0-4	0-0	34	2

FG Sequence	Penn State	Opponents
Ohio	-	(22),44,39
Virginia	40,38,20,(32),42	(46)
Navy	-	-
Temple	(21)	(33),(42)
Illinois	47,18	26
Northwestern	(21)	-
Iowa	(34),43	49,37
Ohio State	(27)	-

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Butterworth, A.	32	1170	36.6	58	2	11	15	3	0
Total	32	1170	36.6	58	2	11	15	3	0
Opponents	39	1558	39.9	64	4	7	9	8	2

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Ficken, Sam	42	2602	62.0	17	1			
Total	42	2602	62.0	17	1	20.7	40.0	25
Opponents	30	1826	60.9	9	0	17.2	41.3	23

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

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All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Robinson, Allen	8	0	631	0	0	0	631	78.9
Zwinak, Zach	8	411	104	0	0	0	515	64.4
Carter, Kyle	8	0	441	0	0	0	441	55.1
Belton, Bill	5	259	50	0	123	0	432	86.4
Zordich, M.	8	194	95	0	0	0	289	36.1
Moseby-Felder,	8	0	233	0	0	0	233	29.1
Kenney, Alex	8	0	129	0	71	0	200	25.0
Lehman, Matt	8	0	184	0	0	0	184	23.0
Della Valle, J.	8	0	0	63	66	0	129	16.1
Day, Derek	6	109	20	0	0	0	129	21.5
Mauti, Michael	8	0	0	0	0	125	125	15.6
Dukes, Curtis	8	98	0	0	0	0	98	12.2
James, Jesse	7	0	74	0	0	0	74	10.6
Amos, Adrian	8	0	0	0	73	0	73	9.1
Williams, T.	8	0	63	0	0	0	63	7.9
Gilliam, Garry	8	0	52	0	0	0	52	6.5
Kersey, Shawne	3	0	44	0	0	0	44	14.7
Lewis, Evan	7	0	0	27	0	0	27	3.9
Carson, Glenn	8	19	0	0	0	0	19	2.4
Bench, Steven	1	18	0	0	0	0	18	18.0
McGregor, Shan	1	0	0	0	16	0	16	16.0
Hull, Mike	8	0	0	14	0	0	14	1.8
Hodges, Gerald	8	0	0	-1	12	0	11	1.4
Hill, Jordan	8	0	0	0	0	9	9	1.1
Wartman, Nyee	2	0	0	7	0	0	7	3.5
TEAM	7	-11	0	0	0	0	-11	-1.6
McGloin, Matt	8	-13	0	0	0	0	-13	-1.6
Total	8	1077	2127	110	361	134	3809	476.1
Opponents	8	1025	1611	109	497	13	3255	406.9

Penn State Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Oct 27, 2012)
All games

##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot				int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
42	Mauti, Michael	8	43	35	78	3.5-30	2.5-25	3-125	2	.	1-0	2	.	.	
6	Hodges, Gerald	8	23	45	68	3.5-17	1.0-10	1-0	4	.	1-0	1	.	.	
40	Carson, Glenn	8	22	25	47	2.5-5	1.0-1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
47	Hill, Jordan	8	17	27	44	4.0-23	2.5-21	1-9	.	1	1-0	1	.	.	
10	Willis, Malcolm	8	20	14	34	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
4	Amos, Adrian	8	20	11	31	1.5-9	0.5-3	1-0	1	.	.	.	.	.
12	Morris, Stephon	8	20	11	31	2.5-14	0.5-4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
43	Hull, Mike	8	19	10	29	3.0-23	3.0-23	1-0	2	.	1-74	.	1	.	
27	Fagnano, Jacob	8	14	12	26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	Obeng-Agyapong	8	12	12	24	2.0-6	.	.	4	.	1-20	1	.	.	
90	Stanley, Sean	7	9	14	23	4.5-15	1.0-8	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	
18	Barnes, Deion	8	9	7	16	5.0-13	4.0-11	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	
91	Jones, DaQuan	8	4	11	15	2.0-6	0.5-3	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.	
38	Kline, Ben	8	8	6	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98	Zettel, Anthony	8	8	5	13	3.0-18	3.0-18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	Yancich, M.	8	8	5	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
86	Olaniyan, C.J.	8	5	8	13	1.0-10	1.0-10	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
93	Terry, James	8	2	8	10	1.0-3	1.0-3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
3	Davis, Da'Quan	8	3	2	5	.	.	.	2	.	1-0	.	.	.	
59	Massaro, Pete	5	.	5	5	1.0-5	0.5-3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
24	Day, Derek	6	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	Zordich, M.	8	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
39	Della Valle, J.	8	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8B	Baublitz, Kyle	5	2	1	3	1.0-3	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
26	Dukes, Curtis	8	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
31	Bars, Brad	6	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
84	Lehman, Matt	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1J	James, Jesse	7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	Fuhrman, M.	7	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
TM	TEAM	7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Ficken, Sam	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5	Wartman, Nyeem	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
37	Lewis, Evan	7	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
23	Keiser, Ryan	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		8	277	288	565	41-200	23-146	7-134	27	1	9-94	7	2	.	
Opponents		8	338	312	650	27-129	12-104	3-13	45	2	4-45	8	2	.	