NEVADA WOLF PACK 2025 FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

14 BOWL GAMES IN PAST 19 YEARS 14 CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS 53 ALL-AMERICANS

TRACK THE PACK

TELEVISION

CBS/Paramount+

- Brad Nessler (Play-By-Play)
- Gary Danielson (Analyst)
 - · Jenny Dell (Sideline)

ON RADIO

Wolf Pack Radio Network - KOZZ 105.7 FM

- John Ramey (Play-By-Play)
 - Mike Edwards (Analyst)

ONLINE

NevadaWolfPack.com

- Live statistics & postgame coverage
 - **SOCIAL MEDIA**
- Football Instagram: @nevadafootball
- Football Twitter: @NevadaFootball

2025 SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 30	at #2/3 Penn State (CBS)	12:30 p.m.
Sept. 6	. Sacramento State (MW	N) 2 p.m.
Sept. 13	. Middle Tennessee (MW	/N) 2 p.m.
Sept. 20	at Western Kentucky (ESF	PN Platforms)4 p.m.
Oct. 4	at Fresno State* (CBSSN)	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 11	. San Diego State* (CBSS	SN)7:30 p.m.
Oct. 18	at New Mexico* (Fox Net	tworks) TBA
Oct. 24	. Boise State* (CBSSN)	7 p.m.
Nov. 8	at Utah State* (CBSSN)	4:30 p.m.
Nov. 15	. San José State* (CBSSN	l)12:30 p.m.
Nov. 22	at Wyoming* (MWN)	11 a.m.
Nov. 29	. UNLV* (CBSSN)	6 p.m.
*Mountain	West game All times F	Pacific

MOUNTAIN WEST STANDINGS

	Conf.	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Hawai'i	0-0	.000	1-0	.000
UNLV	0-0	.000	1-0	.000
Nevada	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
Air Force	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
Boise State	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
Colorado State	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
New Mexico	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
San Diego State	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
San José State	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
Utah State	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
Wyoming	0-0	.000	0-0	.000
Fresno State	0-0	.000	0-1	.000

GAME NOTES | NEVADA AT #2/3 PENN STATE | GAME |

Game Information	on
Date:	Saturday, Aug 30, 2025
Kickoff:	12:30 p.m. PT
Stadium: .West Sho	ore Home Field at Beaver Stadium
Location:	University Park, Pa.
Capacity:	106,572
Surface:	FieldTurf
Series:	N/A
Last Meeting:	N/A
TV:	CBS
	.Wolf Pack Radio Network (KOZZ 105.7 FM)
	(KOZZ 105.7 FIVI)

Nevada Wolf Pack
Record 0-0
Ranking (AP/Coaches)/
StreakL6
Last resultL, 38-14 at UNLV
Head CoachJeff Choate
Record at Nevada3-10
No. 3/2 Donn State Nittany Lions



ı	No. 2/3 Penn State Nittany Lions
	Record0-0
ı	Ranking (AP/Coaches) 2/3
ı	Streak L1
ı	Last result L, 24-27 vs. Notre Dame Head Coach James Franklin
ı	Head Coach James Franklin
ı	Record at Penn State 101-42
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NEVADA OPENS 2025 CAMPAIGN AT NO. 2/3 PENN STATE

Nevada opens the 2025 campaign with a cross-country trek to Happy Valley, taking on No. 2/3 Penn State Saturday at 12:30 p.m. PT. Saturday's contest will be broadcast on CBS and streamed on Paramount+, with Brad Nessler (play-by-play), Gary Danielson (analyst), and Jenny Dell (sideline) on the call.

The Wolf Pack Radio Network will call the game on KOZZ 105.7 FM in Northern Nevada, online at www.thevarsitynetwork.com and on the Varsity Network app. John Ramey (play-by-play) and Mike Edwards (analyst) will be in the booth, with the 60-minute pregame show to begin at 11:30 a.m. PT.

	NEVADA DEPTH CH
LT	55 Jack Foster 6-6 298 R-Jr.
	52Trenton Scott6-664
LG	56 Hadine Diaby 6-3 301Jr.
	73Tyler Miller6-2 6-2 8-Fr.
c	78 Andrew Madrigal 6-3 321R-Sr.
	58Ethan Lowell6-36-3282R-Fr.
RG	54 Josh Grabowski 6-3 307R-Sr.
	70Snoop Leota-Amaama 6-4331R-So.
RT	76 Zach Cochnauer 6-5 306 5Y
	66Henry Sellards6-4300R-Fr.
WR-X	【 18 Marcus Bellon 5-7 178R-Sr.
	12Nate Burleson II6-2166R-So.
	3 Charles Brown5-10.168R-Sr.
WR-F	l 85 Jett Carpenter 6-3 258 6Y
	0Nathaneal Floyd6-1 6Y
TE-Y	11 Jace Henry 6-3 270 6Y
	82Jayden O'Rourke6-9262 Jr.
WR-Z	'. 1 Jordan Brown 5-10 193 6Y
	86Zedekiah Anahu-Ambrosio.5-9176Fr.
RB	2 Herschel Turner 5-9 196 So.
	25Ky Woods 5-9 173 R-Jr.
	20Caleb Ramseur5-9201Sr.
QB	13 Chubba Purdy 6-1 205 6Y
	10AJ Bianco6-3217 R-Jr.
	6 Carter Jones 6-3 197 Fr.

	AT PENN STATE
X	9Jonathan Maldonado 6-6 233R-Jr.
	19 Sam Cook6-46Y
DT	99 Thomas Witte6-3 2756Y
	10 Logologo Va'a6-3329R-Jr.
DT	43 Nelson Ropati6-3 291Sr.
	96 Tanner Vaughan6-3270 R-Sr.
JACK	32 Dylan LaBarbera6-1 248 Jr.
	3 Kameron Brown6-2249 Fr.
WILL	.2EJ Smith6-0 243 Jr.
	44 Austin Harnetiaux6-2228 R-Jr.
MIKE	33 Stone Combs6-1 227R-Jr.
	0 Nakian Jackson6-1237R-Jr.
STAF	R 8 Kasen Kinchen5-9 1826Y
	18 Aiden Walker5-10180 Fr.
LCB	4 Edward Rhambo6-1 191 R-Jr.
	18 Aiden Walker 5-10 180 Fr.
S	55-11.2025Y
	26 Isaiah Jordan6-0200 Fr.
S	15Bishop Turner5-10 . 188 R-So.
-or-	22 Hayden McDonald5-8 177 R-Sr.
	25 Austin Ambush6-11986Y
RCB	1 AJ Odums5-10 . 1785Y
	18 Aiden Walker 5-10 180 Fr.
K	84Joe McFadden5-9 180 R-Sr.
P	39 Bailey Ettridge5-11 . 207 Fr.
KR	20 Caleb Ramseur5-9 201 Sr.
	25Ky Woods5-9 173R-Jr.
PR	18 Marcus Bellon5-7 178 R-Sr.
	15-101936Y

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2025 NEVADA WOLF PACK FOOTBALL — MEDIA INFORMATION



QUICK FACTS

Location	Reno, Nev.
Founded	1874
Enrollment	21,657
Nickname	Wolf Pack (two words)
Colors	Navy Blue & Silver
Conference	Mountain West
President	Brian Sandoval
Director of Athletics	Stephanie Rempe
Athletic Dept. Phone	(775) 784-6900
Stadium	Mackay Stadium
Capacity (Surface)	30,000 (FieldTurf)
Press Box Phone	(775) 784-6545
Head CoachJe	eff Choate (Montana Western '93)
Nevada Record	3-10 (Second Season)
Career Record	31-32 (Five seasons)

Football Information

2024 Record	3-10 Overall, 0-7 MW
Basic Offense; Defense	Multiple, Multiple
Starters Ret. (Off/Def/Kickers)	10 (5/5/0)
Lettermen Ret	34
First Year of Football	1896
All-Time Record	580-532-33
All-Time FBS Record	204-196
All-Time Mountain West Record	43-60
Bowl Appearances	19
Last Bowl Game	. 2021 Quick Lane Bowl

Coaching Staff

Payam Saadat (Second Season)Assistant HC/Interior DL David Gilbertson (Second Season)..Off. Coordinator/QB Kane Ioane (Second Season)......Defensive Coordinator Parker Henry (Second Season) Special Teams Coord./LB Joey Thomas (Second Season) Passing Game Coord./Secondary Virgil Green (Second Season; 4th overall)..... Nico Johnson (Second Season) Matt Wade (First Season)Senior Off. Analyst Mike Lynch (Second Season)..... Rob Christoff (First Season)......Senior Def. Analyst Tevis Bartlett (Second Season)Assistant DL Jim Mastro (First Season, 12th Overall)RB James Price (Second Season)WR BJ RobertsonSenior ST Analyst Ron Crook.....Senior Analyst Jason Loscalzo (Second Season) Strength & Conditioning

Support Staff

Bobby Merritt	General Manager
Eli Miller	Dir. of Football Operations
Brittney Patera	Director of Nutrition, Football
Kyle Nyce	Head Athletic Trainer, Football
Gabbie Garlow	Head Football Equipment Manager
Dennis Eck	Assistant On-Campus Coordinator
Garrett Becker.Asst.	. AD, Creative Services//FB Video Coordinator
Kate Brown	FB Creative Video Coordinator
Nicole Talton	Administrative Assistant
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INTERVIEW POLICY

All interview arrangements must be made through the Nevada Communications office. Please check with the athletic communications office for any changes to the weekly schedule, including practice times.

Head coach Jeff Choate will be available on a weekly basis at a press conference on Mondays at 11:30 a.m., located on the ground level of Cashell Fieldhouse.

Generally, the Nevada Communications office will live-stream the Monday press conference via the Mountain West Network (www.themw.com/watch) and archives will be available shortly after the conclusion of the press conference.

Requests for student-athletes for the post-practice interviews during the week must be submitted no later than 12 p.m. on Mondays to the Nevada Communications office.

Post-practice interviews take place in the lobby of the Cashell Fieldhouse.

CREDENTIALS

All requests for media access at Mackay Stadium, and seating in the Mackay Stadium press box, must be made by 5 p.m. two days before gameday. Please submit to Aaron Juarez (aaronjuarez@unr. edu). Those receiving accommodation will be notified later that evening.

LIVE STATISTICS

In-game statistics will be provided by Sidearm Stats this season, and will be available to the media during games at the following link: www.nevadawolfpack.com/sidearmstats/football/summary

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WEEKLY RADIO SHOW

Jeff Choate's weekly radio show with John Ramey is live on Wednesdays from 6-7 p.m. at Brew Brothers, located inside the Eldorado Casino Hotel & Casino, during the season. It is available in Northern Nevada on KHIT 94.5, 1450 AM, and the Varsity Network app.

POSTGAME INTERVIEWS

In general, no coaches or student-athletes are available to media on the field or en route to the locker room, with the exception of the live, originating television broadcast if pre-arranged. Nevada's locker room is closed to the media.

Interview requests should be submitted to Aaron Juarez of the Nevada Communications office no later than the five-minute mark of the fourth quarter. Assistant coaches are not available after games. Generally, the Nevada Communications office will live-stream postgame press conferences following home games via the Mountain West Network and archives will be available shortly after the conclusion of the press conference.

Postgame press conferences for home contests will take place in in the media room on the ground level of Cashell Fieldhouse, with head coach Jeff Choate and selected players. Postgame pressers for road contests will be subject to the current protocols of the game location. Please submit interview requests to Aaron Juarez via text (208-982-0040) no later than the five-minute mark of the fourth quarter.

MEDIA WORK AREA

The Paul R. Stuart Press Box in Mackay Stadium has wireless, ethernet and phone lines available during the game and after the conclusion of each game.

PARKING

Media parking permits for gameday are available via the Nevada Communications Office are generally for levels five and six of the West Stadium Parking Complex. Local television satellite trucks have designated parking near the main (southwest) entrance to the stadium. These trucks must be in place at least two hours before game time and cannot leave while crowds are present outside the stadium.

POSTGAME ESCORT

For all media members covering the Wolf Pack this season who would like to be escorted back to their vehicle when leaving Mackay Stadium, please contact Aaron Juarez.

CLEAR BAG POLICY

The University of Nevada, in an effort to provide a safer environment for the public and to expedite entry into the athletic venues, has implemented a new policy limiting the size and type of bag allowed for all events.

Approved Bags:

- Clear plastic, vinyl, or PVC tote bags that do not exceed 12" x 6" x 12"
 - One-gallon clear plastic storage bags
- Small Clutch Purses 4.5" X 6.5" or smaller

Exceptions: An exception will be made for medically necessary items and diaper bags after proper inspection. These bags will be tagged to inform venue security that the bag has been cleared by the gate inspection member and to limit any disturbance to the patron once inside the stadium. Accredited media may bring bags for working purposes into the facility but must enter at the press box elevator or gate 2 on the west side of the stadium and make bags available for search.





HEAD COACH JEFF CHOATE



Jeff Choate begins his second season as Nevada head football coach in 2025. Choate was named the 28th head coach of the Nevada football program Dec. 4, 2023.

In his first season in Reno, Choate produced six All-Mountain West selections, including honorable mention safety Kitan Crawford who went on to be selected in the seventh round of the 2025 NFL Draft by the Arizona Cardinals. In his first full season as a starter at safety, Crawford led Nevada with 76 tackles, picked off two passes (one of which was returned for a touchdown) and broke up seven more.

Choate's debut season with the Wolf Pack featured a memorable 42-37 victory over Oregon State on Oct. 12, the University of Nevada's 150th Birthday. In that contest, the Wolf Pack showed Choate's vision, a hard-nosed, run-the-ball team that churned out 353 rushing yards and five scores on the ground. It would be one of two 300-yard rushing games for the Wolf Pack in 2024, and one of four in which it eclipsed the 200-yard mark. For the year, the Wolf Pack rushed for 163.5 yards per game and 21 touchdowns, far out-pacing its numbers from previous seasons.

Choate came to Nevada from Texas, where he served as the co-defensive coordinator and inside linebackers coach since 2021. Under Choate's tutelage, the Longhorn defense topped the Big XII in rushing defense (80.8 ypg, third in the country), red-zone defense (71.4 percent, fourth in the country), scoring defense (17.5 points per game, 13th in the country), and total defense (321.7 yards per game, 23rd in the country), as the Longhorns earned a spot in the College Football Playoff, finishing the season 12-2 with a Big XII title.

Prior to his time in Austin, Choate served four seasons (2016-19) as head coach at Montana State. There, he led the Bobcats to a combined 19-9 record over his final two seasons, making consecutive appearances in the FCS playoffs with a run to the semifinals in 2019.

Since starting as a graduate assistant at Utah State in 2002, Choate's stops have included champion-ship and top-10 programs as Boise State (2006-11), Montana State (2016-20), and Texas. In the 2024 Sugar Bowl, the Longhorns faced No. 2 Washington, where Choate spent two seasons (2014-15) as an assistant under Chris Petersen, and his resume includes two Fiesta Bowl titles (Boise State, 2007 and 2010).

At Texas, Choate helped guide Jaylan Ford to one of the finest years for a linebacker in program history in 2022. Ford earned All-American honors and All-Big 12 Conference accolades after totaling a career-high 119 tackles (61 solo), 10 tackles for loss, two sacks, three forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries and four interceptions. The 119 tackles were the most for a Longhorn since 2014 and his four interceptions tied the single-season record for a Texas linebacker, last accomplished by Derrick Johnson in 2002 and 2003.

Over his four seasons at the Montana State helm, the Bobcats improved dramatically in many statistical categories. By his final season (2019), Montana State ranked in the FCS top 25 in rushing offense (8th/258.1 ypg), turnover margin (13th/+0.87 tpg), rushing defense (18th/121.2 ypg), scoring defense (23rd/22.1 ppg), and total offense (25th/426.5 ypg), along with sacks allowed (7th/0.93 spg), sacks (20th/2.73 spg), tackles for loss allowed (11th/4.67 tpg) and net punting (14th/39.17 ypp). Two Bobcats earned second-team FCS All-America honors, including OL Mitch Brott and DL Bryce Sterk. Along with those two, a total of 13 Montana State players received All-Big Sky Conference recognition, including first-team linebackers Troy Andersen and Josh Hill and third-team linebacker Amandre Williams. Montana State finished the season 11-4, winning six of its last seven games with the only loss coming to No. 1 North Dakota State in the playoff semifinals. The 11 wins are the second-highest single-season total in program history and included a fourth-straight win over Montana for the first time since 1977.

From 2006-2011, Choate was an assistant at Boise State in several roles. He served as special teams coordinator all six years and also spent time coaching running backs (2006-08), linebackers (2009) and nickel backs (2010-11). During that time, the Broncos posted a 73-6 overall record, winning four Western Athletic Conference Championships and two Fiesta Bowl Championships and finishing ranked in the top 11 five times (2006, '08-11), including two in the top five (2006, 2009).

Working with the linebackers in 2009, the Broncos were 14th nationally in total defense (300.2 ypg) and scoring defense (17.1 ppg). The team led the WAC in six defensive statistical categories that year, including passing efficiency defense, total defense, scoring defense, pass defense, tackles for loss and sacks. The team completed its season 14-0 with its second Fiesta Bowl win by defeating TCU.

As running backs coach, he was instrumental in the development of lan Johnson, who at the time set a WAC record with 58 rushing touchdowns, which is still the second-best mark following 59 by Colin Kaepernick. Johnson amassed 4,183 yards in a Bronco uniform, second all-time in school history. He led the nation in rushing touchdowns (25) and scoring (152 points) in 2006. That year, the Broncos finished 13-0 including a win over Oklahoma in the Fiesta Bowl.

Choate earned his bachelor's degree from Montana Western in 1993, where he played linebacker. He and his wife, Janet, have one son, Jory, and a daughter, Jacy.

THE CHOATE FILE

COLLEGE COACHING EXPERIENCE		
2024-PrHead Coacl	า	
2016-20 Montana State Head Coacl	ı	
2021-23Texas		
Co-Defensive Coordinator/ILI	3	
2014-15Washington DL/Special Team	S	
2013FloridaLB/Special Team	S	
2012Ll	3	
2006-11Boise State		
Special Teams Coordinato	r	
Linebackers (2009-11)	
Running Backs (2006-08)	
2005 Eastern Illinois Special Team	S	
2002-04Utah State		
Safeties/Special Teams (2003-04)	4)	
Graduate Assistant (2002)	
1992-93Ll	3	

Montana Western, 1993 RECORD AS HEAD COACH

EDUCATION

YearW-L Conf PlacePost
Nevada (2024-Present)
2024 3-10 12th
Montana State (2016-20)
2020*

2019......11-4.....6-2......T-3rd......Semi 2018.....8-5.....5-3.....T-4th......Rd. 2 2017....5-6....5-3....T-6th.....-2016....4-7....2-6....T-9th.....-

* Montana State did not play in the 2020-21 COVID-19 pandemic season

Overall.. 31-32 (Sixth season)
Conference.. 19-20

FCS Playoffs

- FCS Semifinal (2019)
- FCS Second Round (2018)

CFP/NY6 BOWLS

Texas (2021-23) 2023SugarWashington	L, 31-37
Boise State (2006-11) 2006FiestaOklahoma 2009FiestaTCU	W, 43-42 (OT) W, 17-10





NEVADA STAT RANKINGS (MW/FBS)

STATISTICNEV (MW/FBS)
Total Off (-/-)
Rushing Off (-/-)
Passing Off (-/-)
Scoring Off (-/-)
Total Def (-/-)
Rushing Def (-/-)
Passing Def (-/-)
Scoring Def (-/-)
Takeaways (-/-)
Turnover Margin (-/-)
3rd Down Conv(-/-)
4th Down Conv (-/-)
3rd Down Def. Conv (-/-)
4th Down Def. Conv (-/-)
First Downs Off (-/-)
First Downs Def (-/-)
Red Zone Off (-/-)
Red Zone Def (-/-)
Sacks Per Game (-/-)
TFL Per Game (-/-)
Interceptions (-/-)
Fumbles Recovered (-/-)
Net Punting (-/-)
Punt Returns/Avg (-/-)
Punt Return Def (-/-)
Kickoff Returns/Avg (-/-)
Kickoff Return Def (-/-)
Fewest Penalty YPG (-/-)
TOP/PG (-/-)

GAME NOTES | NEVADA AT #2/3 PENN STATE | GAME I

Г	NEVADA WOLF PACK (0-0)	No. 2/3 PENN STATE NITTANY LIONS (0-0)
L	ocation:Reno, Nev.	Location:University Park, Pa.
F	ounded:1874	Founded: 1855
	Conf.:Mountain West	Conf.:B1G
F	Ranking (AP/Coaches):/-	Ranking (AP/Coaches):2/3
A	All-Time Record:580-531-33	Head Coach:James Franklin
E	Bowl Appearances:19 (7-12)	at Penn State 101-42 (12th Season)
ŀ	Head Coach: Jeff Choate	Career Record: 125-57
la	at Nevada:3-10 (Second Season)	
	Career Record: 31-32 (Sixth Season)	
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SERIES HISTORY

Saturday's season opener will be the first meeting between Nevada and Penn State. The Nittany Lions' rank of No. 2 in the Associated Press Poll makes them the highest-ranked team Nevada has ever faced. The previous highest-ranked school faced by the Wolf Pack, in either poll, was No. 3/3 Boise State in 2010 (Nevada won, 34-31, in overtime).

ABOUT PENN STATE

Penn State comes into the 2025 campaign with a preseason ranking of No. 2 in the Associated Press Poll and No. 3 in the Coaches Polls. The Nittany Lions, with James Franklin in his 12th season at the helm, finished 13-3 last season and reached the CFP semifinals, where they fell, 27-24, to Notre Dame in the Capital One Orange Bowl.

Penn State returns plenty of its key playmakers on offense, led by quarterback Drew Allar (3,327 passing yards, 24 touchdowns, 66.5 completion pct. in 2024). Including Allar's 302 rushing yards and six touchdowns last year, the Nittany Lion rushing attack which led the B1G and ranked 17th in the country with 202.3 yards per game benefits from the return of each of its 1,000-yard performers in Kaytron Allen (1,108 yards, eight touchdowns) and Nicholas Singleton (1,099 yards, 12 touchdowns).

On defense, Penn State ranked eighth in the country in 2024, allowing just 16.3 points per game, and was seventh in total defense (294.8 yards allowed per game). Safety Zakee Wheatley (96 tackles, three INT in 2024) and defensive end Dani Dennis-Sutton (42 tackles, 8.5 sacks, 13.0 tackles-for-loss in 2024) lead the unit.

AGAINST THE B1G

Nevada is 2-6 against the B1G, with its three most recent meetings with a B1G squad taking place since 2019. The Pack suffered 27-0 losses at Minnesota (2024) and Iowa (2022), and in 2019 overcame a 17-point, second-half deficit to beat Purdue, 34-31, in Reno on Brandon Talton's 56-yard field goal as time expired.

2025 Nevada Football Coaching Staff (game day locations) FIELD

Jeff Choate - Head Coach
Payam Saadat - Associate Head Coach/DL
Kane Ioane - Defensive Coordinator
Parker Henry - Special Teams Coordinator/Nickels
Joey Thomas - Passing Game Coordinator/Secondary
Virgil Green - TE
Nico Johnson - ILB
Jim Mastro - RB
James Price - WR
Mike Lynch - OL

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David Gilbertson - Offensive Coordinator





PURDY TAKES THE REINS AT QB

Purdy is set to take the reins of the Nevada offense in 2025, after appearing in seven games with one start for the Wolf Pack a season ago. The dual-threat quarterback went 13-for-18 for 155 yards and a touchdown while rushing for 41 yards in the start at Hawai'i on Oct. 26, and for the season completed 72.0 percent of his passes.

Prior to his arrival in Reno, Purdy split four years at Florida State (2020-21) and Nebraska (2022-23). With the Huskers, he appeared in 12 games with four starts, throwing for 382 yards and two touchdowns, while rushing for 180 yards and another score for the Huskers in 2023. At Florida State (2020-21), he became just the fifth true freshman in FSU history to start at quarterback, passing for 181 yards and two scores in that start against N.C. State.

MASTRO BACK TO OVERSEE RBs

One of the few changes to the coaching staff from 2024 to 2025 is Jim Mastro, a highly-respected coach in the collegiate ranks and along with legendary Wolf Pack head coach Chris Ault one of the innovators of the Pistol offense which carried Nevada to some of its greatest heights, returns to the sidelines in 2025 to coach the program's running backs.

Over his 31 seasons of coaching college football, Mastro has spent 28 overseeing running backs. During his 11 previous seasons at Nevada (2000-10), he and Ault successfully developed the Pistol offense into one of the most potent in college football at the time. Nevada claimed a pair of WAC championships (2005, 2010), appeared in seven bowl games, and finished in the top five in the country in both rushing and total offense in each of his final three seasons in Reno (2008-10).

A Wolf Pack running back led the WAC in rushing five times and five Nevada running backs produced a combined nine 1,000-yard seasons over that span.

The 2009 Wolf Pack offense remains the only one in history with three 1,000-yard rushers in the same season, as running backs Vai Taua (1,345 yards) and Luke Lippincott (1,034), and guarterback Colin Kaepernick (1,183) accomplished the feat.

VIRGIL GREEN INTO NEVADA ATHLETICS HALL OF FAME x2

Nevada tight ends coach Virgil Green will be honored twice by the University this October. The standout Wolf Pack tight end (2006-10) will be inducted twice into the Nevada Athletics Hall of Fame--first on the merits of his playing career, and also as part of the 2010 Nevada Football Team which went 13-1, won WAC and Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl titles, and finished the season ranked 11th in the Associated Press Poll.

Green, entering his third season overseeing the Wolf Pack tight ends and fourth overall on staff, was a two-time All-WAC selection at tight end, being named to the Second Team in 2009 and to the First Team in 2010. Green, a member of the historic 2010 Wolf Pack squad, finished his career with 72 catches for 939 yards and 11 touchdowns and was a key blocker in Nevada's famed run game which became the first in NCAA history to produce three 1,000-yard rushers in 2009, and produced

2025 Nevada Football Coaching Staff Connections To Jeff Choate

Payam Saadat - Texas Special Assistant to Head Coach (2023)
Kane Ioane - Montana State Defensive Coordinator (2019)
Parker Henry - Player, Washington State (2012)
Mike Lynch - Utah State Staff (2002-04); Eastern Illinois Staff (2005)
Joey Thomas - Texas Senior Defensive Analyst (2022-23)
David Gilbertson - Player, Washington State (2012)
Nico Johnson - Texas Defensive Graduate Assistant (2022-23)

NEVADA WHEN		
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At home	2 025	Choate
On road	0-0	1-5
In overtime	0-0	0-0
Coming off a loss	0-0	3-6
Coming off a winComing off a bye	0-0 0-0	0-3 0-1
On grass field.	0-0	0-0
On artificial surface	0-0	3-10
Playing a Top 25 team	0-0	0-2
Playing during dayPlaying at night (5 p.m. & later)	0-0 0-0	2-3 1 ₋ 7
When on		
-CBS Sports Network	0-0	1-4
-FOX	0-0	0-1
-FS1 -truTV/Max	0-0 0-0	0-1 0-2
-NSN		
-Spectrum Sports	0-0	0-1
-ESPN+	0-0	1-0
-B1G Network		
Scoring first Opponent scores first	0-0 0-0	1- 4
Leading after first	0-0	1-3
Trailing after first	0-0	1-5
Tied after first	0-0	1-2
Leading at halftime Trailing at halftime	0-0 0-0	1-2 2-6
Tied at halftime	0-0	0-2
Leading after third	0-0	2-2
Trailing after third	0-0	1-7
Tied after thirdLeading in rushing yards	0-0	0-1
Opponent leads in rushing	0-0 0-0	0-5
Producing a 100-vard rusher	0-0	3-1
Allowing a 100-yard rusher	0-0	2-5
Leading in passing yards	0-0	2-5
Opponents leads in passing Producing a 300-yard passer	0-0 0-0	ا 1-5 ا ۱-۵
Allowing a 300-yard passer	0-0	1-1
Leading in total yards Opponent leads in total yards	0-0	2-3
Opponent leads in total yards	0-0	1-7
More takeawaysLess takeaways	0-0 0-0	1-2 0-5
Tied in takeaways		
Winning time of possession	0-0	1-7
Committing more penalties	0-0	2-6
Committing fewer penalties Committing the same # of penalties	0-0	0-0
Game decided by 1-3 points	0-0 0-0	1- 4 1
Game decided by 4-7 points	0-0	1-3
Game decided by more than 7 pts	.0-0	1-4
Scoring 0-19 points	0-0	0-5
Scoring 20-29 points Scoring 30-39 points	0-0 0-0	1− 4 0_1
Scoring 40-plus points	0-0	2-0
Allowing 0-19 points	0-0	1-0
Allowing 20-29 points Allowing 30-39 points	0-0	1-6
Allowing 30-39 points Allowing 40-plus points	0-0	1-4
Scoring a TD via defense/ST	0-0 0-0	1-0
Allowing a TD via defense/ST		
Uniforms (Helmet/Jersey/Pants)		
White/White/White	0-0	1-4
White/White/Silver White/White/Blue	0-0 0-0	0-0
White/Blue/White	0-0	1-0
 Blue/Blue/Silver 	0-0	0-0
Blue/Blue/Blue	0-0	0-0
Blue/White/White Blue/White/Blue	0-0	0-0
Blue/White Blue/Blue/White	0-0 0-0	0-0
 Blue/Black/Black 	0-0	0-0
 Silver/Black/Black 	0-0	0-0
 Silver/Blue/Silver 	0-0	0-3
Silver/Blue/White Silver/Blue/Blue		
Silver/Blue/BlueSilver/White/Silver	0-0	1-2
Silver/White/Blue		

NEVADA WUE





MILESTONE GAMES

100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

200-YARD RUSHING GAMES

100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

200-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

300-YARD PASSING GAMES (Comp.-Att.-Int.)

400-YARD PASSING GAMES (Comp.-Att.-Yards)

MULTI-INTERCEPTION GAMES

DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS

OVERTIME

Nevada is 8-8 all-time in its FBS history when it comes to overtime games. The school's history in overtime games includes being part of the first-ever overtime game in FBS (I-A) history – the 1995 Las Vegas Bowl.

Nevada's Overtime History (FBS)

Nevada's Overtime History (FBS)					
Nov. 19, 2021 vs. Air Force (3 OT)L, 39-41					
Oct. 24, 2020 vs. Wyoming					
Nov. 30, 2019 vs. UNLVL, 33-30					
Dec. 29, 2018 vs. Arkansas State# W, 16-13					
Sept. 2, 2016 vs. Cal Poly					
Nov. 14, 2015 vs. San Jose State W, 37-34					
Nov. 15, 2014 at Air ForceL, 45-38					
Oct. 4, 2013 vs. San Diego StateL, 51-44					
Oct. 20, 2012 vs. San Diego StateL, 39-38					
Oct. 6, 2012 vs. Wyoming					
Nov. 26, 2010 vs. Boise State					
Oct. 14, 2007 at Boise StateL, 69-67 (4OT)					
Dec. 24, 2005 vs. UCF*					
Oct. 23, 2004 vs. Tulsa					
Oct. 20, 2001 at RiceL, 33-30					
Dec. 14, 1995 vs. Toledo ^L, 40-37					
* Hawai`i Bowl; ^ Las Vegas Bowl;					
# Arizona Bowl					

292.2 rushing yards per game (6.1 per carry) in 2010.

Green went on to be selected in the seventh round of the 2011 NFL Draft by the Denver Broncos. Over a 10-year NFL career with the Broncos (2011-17) and Los Angeles Chargers (2018-20), he appeared in two Super Bowls with the Broncos (XLVIII and 50), claiming a ring with a victory in Super Bowl 50. Green played in 137 games, making 102 catches for 1,145 yards and seven touchdowns.

NEVADA TIGHT ENDS LEARN FROM THE BEST

Nevada tight ends will learn from one of the best in Virgil Green, the 10-year NFL veteran, Super Bowl 50 champion, and Nevada Athletics Hall of Famer. Green, who was well-respected for his run-blocking and special teams play in addition to his pass-catching ability in both college and the NFL, shares his knowledge with a group that includes sixth-year veterans Jace Henry and Jett Carpenter, along with third-year tight end Jayden O'Rourke and Oklahoma State transfer Luke McEndoo.

True to Green's skill, the Nevada tight ends will be expected to play a large role in run-blocking and pass protection—Henry, playing in the first four games last season before a season-ending injury at Minnesota (Sept. 14), helped Nevada's rush attack to 161.8 yards per game, including two of its for 200+-yard games, pre-injury.

NEW, BUT EXPERIENCED, FACES IN THE SECONDARY

Passing Game Coordinator/Secondary coach Joey Thomas turned a relatively inexperienced group into a formidable outfit in 2024. Michael Coats Jr. picked off a team-best four passes and broke up 10 more, as the secondary made 10 of the Wolf Pack's 11 interceptions.

While every defensive back who made a pick in 2024 is now gone, either due to graduation or transfer, Thomas brings in a group of new, but very experienced faces. Among the veteran newcomers in the Wolf Pack secondary in 2025 are team captain safety Murvin Kenion (12 starts, 51 tackles, two interceptions, nine passes defended, and 1.5 tackles-for-loss at Sacramento State in 2024), and cornerbacks AJ Odums (34 games played, 27 starts, two INT, 17 PBUs, 108 tackles at UTEP and New Mexico from 2021-24), FCS All-American and Buck Buchanan Award finalist Hayden McDonald (139 tackles with six interceptions and 18 passes defended at Columbia from 2022-24), and Edward Rhambo (two INTs at Bowling Green and Northern Arizona from 2022-24).

NFL PLAYING EXPERIENCE ON THE COACHING STAFF

One added benefit to multiple Nevada position units is the opportunity to learn from coaches who played in the NFL. Three of the Wolf Pack units are led by an NFL veteran: tight ends (Virgil Green), the secondary (Joey Thomas), and inside linebackers (Nico Johnson).

Among this group, Green played 137 NFL games, is a Super Bowl 50 champion (Denver Broncos), and was a seventh-round draft pick who played his way onto the Bronco roster and went on to make 102 catches for 1,145 yards and seven touchdowns.

Thomas was a third-round pick (70th overall) of the Green Bay Packers in the 2004 draft, and went on to play in 31 games for three teams (Green Bay, New Orleans, Miami) from 2004-08. Over his career, Thomas broke up four passes, forced a fumble, and made 39 tackles.

Johnson, out of Alabama, was selected in the fourth round (99th overall) of the 2013 NFL Draft by the Kansas City Chiefs. He played six games with one start for the Chiefs as a rookie, and went on to play in 18 contests over three seasons (2013-15) with stops with the Cincinnati Bengals (2014) and New York Giants (2015) on his resume.





2010 NEVADA FOOTBALL TEAM INDUCTED INTO HALL OF FAME

Recognized as one of the greatest football teams in Nevada history, and among the top all-time squads in recent college football history, the 2010 Football Team will be inducted into the Nevada Athletics Hall of Fame as part of the Class of 2025 this October.

Running head coach Chris Ault's famed "Pistol" offense, the 2010 Wolf Pack finished the campaign with a 13-1 record, a WAC title, a Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl victory over Boston College, and a final ranking of No. 11 in the Associated Press Poll, the highest in the program's FBS history. Nicknamed "The Dream Team" for its historic accomplishments, the 2010 team captured a share of the Western Athletic Conference championship with a 7-1 record and capped off the season with a 20-13 win over Boston College in the Kraft Fight Hunger Bowl in San Francisco, which was attended by an overwhelmingly Nevada total of 41,063 fans.

Among the players from the 2010 team who went on to star in the NFL were tight end and current Nevada tight ends coach Virgil Green, drafted by the Denver Broncos and a future Super Bowl 50 Champion. Quarterback Colin Kaepernick was selected in the second round of the 2011 Draft by the San Francisco 49ers and went on to lead them to a Super Bowl XLVII appearance in 2012. Joel Bitonio, a redshirt freshman in 2010, would go on to be a second-round pick of the Cleveland Browns in 2014, and the seven-time Pro Bowler will enter his 12th season with the Browns in 2025.

NEVADA AGAINST RANKED TEAMS

Saturday will mark Nevada's 40th game against a Top-25 team since the Wolf Pack moved up to the FBS level in 1992. In Saturday's case, Penn State's No. 2 ranking in the Associated Press Poll makes it the highest-ranked opponent Nevada has ever faced.

Nevada is 5-34 against Top-25 teams, with its last such win coming on Nov. 9, 2019, a 17-13 victory at No. 24 San Diego State.

PRESEASON ACCOLADES

Preseason prognosticators laid some early laurels on a good number of Wolf Pack players over the past month. Marcus Bellon was voted by media onto the conference's Preseason All-Mountain West Team at punt returner, while seven Nevada players earned eight spots on Phil Steele's Preseason All-Mountain West Teams and eight claimed a total of nine spots on Athlon Sports' teams.

Bellon was named to all three teams, as in addition to his conference honor he was named to the Second Team of both Phil Steele and Athlon Sports at wide receiver, while getting a first-team nod at punt returner from Athlon and a second-team selection from Phil Steele.

Also named to both Phil Steele and Athlon Sports teams were guard Josh Grabowski (both Second Team), and defensive newcomers in safety Murvin Kenion III (Phil Steele Third Team, Athlon Sports Fourth Team) cornerback AJ Odums (both Fourth Team).

Phil Steele Preseason All-Mountain West Team Second Team

Marcus Bellon - WR & PR Josh Grabowski - OL

Third Team

Murvin Kenion - S Nahji Logan - LB Nelson Ropati - DL

CAREER ACTIVE LEADERS

Offense
CategoryTotal (Total at Nevada)
Rushing yards
Herschel Turner
Chubba Purdy
Caleb Ramseur283 (110)
Ashton Hayes 135 (121)
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Rushing attempts
Herschel Turner
Ashton Hayes
Caleb Ramseur57 (32)
Duching touch down
Rushing touchdowns
Herschel Turner
Chubba Purdy
Caleb harriseur
Passing attempts
Chubba Purdy188 (25)
AJ Bianco
A3 Diarico 100
Passing completions
Chubba Purdy103 (18)
AJ Bianco61
Passing yards
Chubba Purdy1,085 (239)
AJ Bianco
7.5 5.4.1.60
Passing touchdowns
Chubba Purdy7 (1)
AJ Bianco5
7.5 5.0.1.65
Receiving yards
Marcus Bellon700 (522)
Jordan Brown427 (0)
Jace Henry
34cc (1cm)
Receptions
Marcus Bellon54 (39)
Jordan Brown
Jace Henry30 (7)
,
Receiving touchdowns
Marcus Bellon5 (4)
Jace Henry4 (2)
Dakota Thomas2 (0)
Total offense
Chubba Purdy1,460 (299)
AJ Bianco977
Herschel Turner405 (0)
All-purpose yards
Marcus Bellon1,005 (633)
Jordan Brown
Caleb Ramseur
Herschel Turner476 (0)
T-4-1 t-4
Total points scored Joe McFadden96 (0)
Keaton Emmett
Marcus Bellon36 (24)
Field goals made
Joe McFadden19 (0)
Keaton Emmett
Neaton Lininett12 (0)
Total touchdowns scored
Marcus Bellon6 (4)
Herschel Turner
Chubba Purdy
(0)





CAREER ACTIVE LEADERS*

Defense/Special Teams
CategoryTotal (Total at Nevada) Kick Returns
Marquis Ashley
Ky Woods 10
Kick Return Yards
Jordan Brown
Ky Woods240
Marquis Ashley237
Punt Returns
Marcus Bellon
Jordan Brown3 (0)
Punt Return Yards
Marcus Bellon
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Punt Touchdowns Marcus Bellon1 (0)
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Interceptions Murvin Kenion III6 (0)
Hayden McDonald6 (0)
Edward Rhambo
AJ Odums2 (0)
Total Tackles
Hayden McDonald
AJ Odums108 (0)
Murvin Kenion III103 (0)
Tackles For Loss
Sam Cook
Thomas Witte
DJ Warnell5.0 (0.0)
Sacks
Sam Cook
Jonathan Maldonado
Fumbles Forced Murvin Kenion III1 (0)
Dylan LaBarbera1
Tanner Vaughan1 (0)
Fumbles Recovered
Thomas Witte
Nahji Logan1 (0)
Jonathan Maldonado1
Chris Smalley 1 Tanner Vaughan 1 (0)
Pass Breakups
AJ Odums
Hayden McDonald12 (0)
Edward Rhambo
DJ Warnell4 (0)

Fourth Team

Jace Henry - TE AJ Odums - CB

Athlon Sports Preseason All-Mountain West Team

First Team

Marcus Bellon - PR

Second Team

Marcus Bellon - WR Josh Grabowski - OL Andrew Madrigal - OL

Third Team

Stone Combs - LB Herschel Turner - RB Thomas Witte - DL

Fourth Team

Murvin Kenion - S AJ Odums - CB

WR Marcus Bellon

Paul Hornung Award Watch List Preseason All-Mountain West Team (PR) Phil Steele Preseason All-Mountain West Second Team Athlon Sports Preseason All-Mountain West Second Team

OL Josh Grabowski

East-West Shrine Bowl 1000 Watch List

DL Nelson Ropati

Polynesian College Player of the Year Award Watch List

NEWCOMERS READY TO MAKE AN IMPACT

Nevada's newcomers from the transfer portal will have plenty of opportunity to make a quick impact in 2025. Two of the Wolf Pack's transfers have already caught the eye of preseason publications, as safety Murvin Kenion III (51 tackles, two INTs, nine passes defended at Sacramento State in 2024) and AJ Odums (51 tackles, 12 pass breakups, one INT over 16 games at UTEP from 2023-24) were tabbed to Preseason All-Mountain West Teams of both Phil Steele and Athlon Sports.

On offense, wide receiver Jordan Brown (36 catches, 414 yards, one TD in 29 games at Texas Tech) and Athlon Sports Preseason All-Mountain West Third Team running back Herschel Turner (25 carries, 94 yards, one TD in three games as a freshman at Utah State in 2024) are among those that bring instant playmaking ability.

STAFF CONTINUITY FOR YEAR TWO

Another advantage for the Wolf Pack heading into Year Two of the Choate Era is the continuity on the coaching staff from 2024 to 2025.

David Gilbertson, last year's QB/WR coach, steps up to the Offensive Coordinator mantle with the plus of having worked closely with quarterbacks Chubba Purdy and AJ Bianco in 2024.

The only "new" member of the position coaches group is in fact a familiar face to





WOLF PACK RADIO COVERS THE SILVER STATE

The Wolf Pack Radio Network has additional affiliates throughout the state with a 60-minute football pre-game show this season. Fans can also tune in for free by downloading the Varsity Network app. The show will break down the day's game, featuring interviews with Choate, Wolf Pack players and analysis of the Wolf Pack's opponents. Nevada play-by-play voice John Ramey will host the pre-game show and will be joined by analyst Mike Edwards.

Wolf Pack radio can be heard on the following stations:

- Reno KOZZ, 105.7 FM
- Carson City KUUB, 94.3 FM
- Elko KEAU, 104.7 FM
- Las Vegas KXST, 1140 AM
- Winnemucca KHYX, 102.7 FM

Varsity Network App

the Wolf Pack sidelines as Jim Mastro, creator of the "Pistol" offense with Chris Ault on the legendary Nevada teams of the first decade of the 2000s, moves from his General Manager role to overseeing the running backs.

On defense, Kane loane returns for his second year as defensive coordinator, with Payam Saadat overseeing the interior defensive line for a second season. Passing Game Coordinator/Secondary Coach Joey Thomas, who lifted Nevada's secondary to one of the best in the Mountain West in 2024, returns for year two with another talented incoming group to mold. Alabama national champion Nico Johnson moves from coaching EDGEs to inside linebackers, his college position, while Parker Henry will coach nickels in addition to his role as Special Teams Coordinator.

On offense, Mike Lynch moves from the running backs room to the offensive line, helping oversee The Union. James Price, familiar with the Mountain West as a standout wide receiver at Wyoming from 2015-18 moves full-time into coaching the Wolf Pack wideouts. Wolf Pack legend Virgil Green enters his third season overseeing his old position, tight ends.

Finally, each side of the ball has been bolstered by the addition of an experienced senior analyst--Matt Wade, previously quarterbacks coach at Fresno State, on offense, and Rob Christoff, former San José State linebackers coach (2021-23), on defense.

LOCAL FLAIR TO THE PACK ROSTER

The 2025 Wolf Pack roster features 15 players from Northern Nevada and Truckeearea high schools.

- OL Mataio Aiono Reed HS (Reno)
- WR Marcus Bellon Truckee HS (Calif.)
- RB Joe Birnbaum Truckee HS (Calif.)
- WR Marshaun Brown Bishop Manogue HS (Reno)
- LB Colin Combs Incline HS (Incline Village)
- TE Carter Eck Bishop Manogue HS (Reno)
- WR Trace Estes Douglas HS (Minden)
- DL Andoni Fesenmaier Elko HS (Elko)
- RB Ashton Hayes McQueen HS (Reno)
- LB Colson Kermode Galena HS (Reno)
- P/K Tyler Manship Incline HS (Incline Village)
- OL Tyler Miller Galena HS (Reno)
- OL Jackson Ramsey Bishop Manague HS (Reno)
- EDGE Chris Smalley Douglas HS (Minden)
- LS Cian Stack Bishop Manogue HS (Reno)

MW PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Listed below are the Old Trapper Mountain West Players of the Week, with Nevada players bolded.

- Offensive Micah Alejado, QB, Hawai'i Defensive Kilinahe Mendiola-Jensen, S, Haw Special Teams Kansei Matsuzawa, K, Hawai'i Freshman N/A S. Hawai'i

- Offensive
 Defensive
- Special Teams Freshman -

Week 2

- Offensive -Defensive
- Special Teams Freshman -

Week 3

- Offensive -
- Defensive -• Special Teams -• Freshman -

Week 4

- Offensive -Defensive
- Special Teams -• Freshman -

Week 5

- Offensive -
- Defensive Special Teams Freshman -

- Offensive
- Defensive
- Special Teams • Freshman -

Week 7

- Offensive -Defensive
- Special Teams -• Freshman -

- Week 8 Offensive -
- Defensive -• Special Teams -• Freshman -

- Offensive Defensive
- cial Teams Special TeaFreshman

Week 10

- Offensive
 Defensive
- Special Teams Freshman -

Week 11 Offensive

- Defensive -• Special Teams -• Freshman -

Week 12

- Offensive -Defensive
- Special Teams -• Freshman -

EXPLOSIVE PLAYS

Explosive plays are defined as rushes of at least 15 yards and pass completions of at least 20 yards.

Date Game Result Explosive Plays
8/30 at 2/3 Penn State
9/6 Sacramento State
9/13 Middle Tennessee
9/20 Western Kentucky
10/4 at Fresno State
10/11 San Diego State
10/18at New Mexico
10/24Boise State
11/8 at Utah State
11/15 San José State
11/22at Wyoming
11/29UNLV
TOTAL







THE BITONIO FAMILY STRENGTH & CONDITIONING CENTER

On April 21, 2023, Nevada Athletics received one of its largest donations to date, thanks to Joel and Courtney Bitonio's generous gift of \$1 million to support the football program. The donation funded the new football weight room, named The Bitonio Family Strength & Conditioning Center, and will support student-athletes in Nevada's pursuit to build a championship-caliber athletic department.

As a former Nevada player, NFL pro bowler, and offensive lineman for the Cleveland Browns, Bitonio recognizes the value of a strong football program in shaping the lives of young athletes and providing opportunities for success.

"I'm honored to be able to give back to the university that helped shape me into the person I am today," said Joel Bitonio. "I know firsthand the impact that a strong football program can have on student-athletes. The weight room has always been more than just a place to train; it is where teams build character, develop discipline, and learn the importance of teamwork. I'm





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"Joel and Courtney's gift is a transformational statement about the importance the University of Nevada plays in the lives of our student-athletes," said Athletic Director Stephanie Rempe. "This gift will significantly impact our football program and the momentum we are creating within our athletics program. I am personally so grateful to Joel and Courtney for their generous gift and their leadership, and hope it encourages others in the Wolf Pack community to support our efforts to build a championship-caliber athletics program."

The University of Nevada and Nevada Athletics are grateful for the Bitonio family's commitment to supporting the success of the Wolf Pack's football program. A thriving athletics program contributes to the success of the entire institution, and Nevada Athletics hopes that the Bitonio family's gift will inspire others to support.



2025 NEVADA WOLF PACK FOOTBALL — DEPTH CHART



Offense					
Pos.	#	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Class
LT	55	Jack Foster	6-6	298	R-Jr.
	52	Trenton Scott	6-6	365	6Y
LG	56	Hadine Diaby	6-3	301	Jr.
	73	Tyler Miller	6-2	302	R-Fr.
C	78	Andrew Madrigal	6-3	321	R-Sr.
	58	Ethan Lowell	6-3	282	R-Fr.
RG	54	Josh Grabowski	6-3	307	R-Sr.
	70	Snoop Leota-Amaama	6-4	331	R-So.
RT	76	Zach Cochnauer	6-5	306	5Y
	66	Henry Sellards	6-4	300	R-Fr.
WR-X	18	Marcus Bellon	5-7	178	R-Sr.
	12	Nate Burleson II	6-2	166	R-So.
	3	Charles Brown	5-10	168	R-Sr.
WR-H	85	Jett Carpenter	6-3	258	6Y
	0	Nathaneal Floyd	6-1	187	6Y
TE-Y	11	Jace Henry	6-3	270	6Y
	82	Jayden O'Rourke	6-9	262	Jr.
WR-Z	1	Jordan Brown	5-10	193	6Y
	86	Zedekiah Anahu-Ambrosio	5-9	176	Fr.
RB	2	Herschel Turner	5-9	196	So.
	25	Ky Woods	5-9	173	R-Jr.
	20	Caleb Ramseur	5-9	201	Sr.
QB	13	Chubba Purdy	6-1	205	6Y
	10	AJ Bianco	6-3	217	R-Jr.
	6	Carter Jones	6-3	197	Fr.

Defense					
Pos.	#	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Class
X	9	Jonathan Maldonado	6-6	233	R-Jr.
	19	Sam Cook	6-4	233	6Y
DT	99	Thomas Witte	6-3	275	6Y
	10	Logologo Va'a	6-3	329	R-Jr.
DT	43	Nelson Ropati	6-3	291	Sr.
	96	Tanner Vaughan	6-3	270	R-Sr.
JACK	32	Dylan LaBarbera	6-1	248	Jr.
	3	Kameron Brown	6-2	249	Fr.
WILL	2	EJ Smith	6-0	243	Jr.
	44	Austin Harnetiaux	6-2	228	R-Jr.
MIKE	33	Stone Combs	6-1	227	R-Jr.
	0	Nakian Jackson	6-1	237	R-Jr.
STAR	8	Kasen Kinchen	5-9	182	6Y
	18	Aiden Walker	5-10	180	Fr.
LCB	4	Edward Rhambo	6-1	191	R-Jr.
	18	Aiden Walker	5-10	180	Fr.
S	5	Murvin Kenion	5-11	202	5Y
	26	Isaiah Jordan	6-0	200	Fr.
S	15	Bishop Turner	5-10	188	R-So.
-or-	22	Hayden McDonald	5-8	177	R-Sr.
	25	Austin Ambush	6-1	198	6Y
RCB	1	AJ Odums	5-10	178	5Y
	18	Aiden Walker	5-10	180	Fr.

Specialists

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Pos.	#	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Class
PK	84	Joe McFadden	5-9	180	R-Sr.
	97	Keaton Emmett	6-0	198	So.
КО	84	Joe McFadden	5-9	180	R-Sr.
	97	Keaton Emmett	6-0	198	So.
Р	39	Bailey Ettridge	5-11	207	Fr.
	84	Joe McFadden	5-9	180	R-Sr.
KR	20	Caleb Ramseur	5-9	201	Sr.
	25	Ky Woods	5-9	173	R-Jr.
PR	18	Marcus Bellon	5-7	178	R-Sr.
	1	Jordan Brown	5-10	193	6Y
LS/SS	40	Cian Stack	6-0	268	Fr.
	85	Jett Carpenter	6-3	258	6Y
	83	Carter Eck	6-2	245	R-Fr.
Н	18	Marcus Bellon	5-7	178	R-Sr.
	10	AJ Bianco	6-3	217	R-Jr.



2025 NEVADA WOLF PACK FOOTBALL — NUMERICAL ROSTER



NoName	Pos	. Ht	Wt	Yr	Ехр	Hometown (Previous School)
0 Nathaneal Floyd	WR	6-1	187	6Y	SQ Co	llege Station, Texas (A&M Consolidated HS / Texas Tech)
0 Nakian Jackson	LB	6-1	237	R-Jr	TR	Stockton, Calif. (Edison HS / Sacramento State)
1 Jordan Brown	WR	5-10	193	6Y	TR	Dallas, Texas (DeSoto HS / Kansas / Texas Tech)
1 AJ Odums	CB	5-10	178	5Y	TR	Houston, Texas (Westfield HS / New Mexico / UTEP)
2 Herschel Turner	RB	5-9	196	So	TR	Concord, Calif. (Mt. Diablo HS / Utah State)
2 EJ Smith	LB	6-0	243	Jr	TR	Downey, Calif. (Warren HS / Cerritos College)
3 Charles Brown	WR	5-10	168	R-Sr	1VGr	and Prairie, Texas (Arlington HS / Montana State / Texas State)
3 Kameron Brown	EDGE	6-2	249	Fr	HS	Norco, Calif. (Norco HS)
4 Carter Jackson	RB	5-9	190	Fr	HS	Folsom, Čalif. (Folsom HS) as Vegas, Nev. (Palo Verde HS / Northern Arizona / Bowling Green)
4 Edward Rhambo	DB	6-1	191	R-Jr	TRLa	as Vegas, Nev. (Palo Verde HS / Northern Arizona / Bowling Green)
5 Dakota Thomas	WR	6-0	212	6Y	TR	Snellville, Ga. (Shiloh HS / Western Kentucky / Copiah-Lincoln CC / So. Miss.)
5 Murvin Kenion	DB	5-11	202	<u>5</u> Y	TR v	/allejo, Calif. (St. Patrick-St. Vincent HS / Idaho / Sacramento State)
6 Carter Jones	QB	6-3	197	Fr	HS	Lancaster, Texas (Lancaster HS)
6 Cooper Wilson	DB	6-2	186	R-So	TR	Suquamish, Wash. (Bonney Lake HS / Nebraska)
7 Marquis Ashley	WR	5-8	175	R-Sr	<u>1</u> V	Los Angeles, Calif. (Norco HS / Riverside CC)
7 Nahji Logan	LB	6-3	228	6Y	TR	Horsham, Pa. (Hatboro-Horsham HS / UMASS / Indiana)
8 Daijon Calimon	WR	6-2	190	R-Fr	RS	Lawndale, Calif. (Leuzinger HS)
8 Kasen Kinchen	DB	5-9	182	6Y	SQ .Lal	ke Stevens, Wash. (Lake Stevens HS / Washington / Washington State)
9 Marshaun Brown	WR	6-4	198	R-So	<u>SQ</u>	Reno, Nev. (Bishop Manogue HS)
9 Jack MacKinnon	LB	6-4	239	R-So	TR	Sarasota, Fla. (Cardinal Mooney HS / Michigan)
9 Jonathan Maldonado	LB	6-6	233	R-Jr	2V	Monrovia, Calif. (Arcadia HS)
10 AJ Bianco	QB	6-3	217	R-Jr	<u>1</u> V	Lahaina, Hawaii (Saint Louis HS) American Samoa (Bishop Garcia HS / UTEP)
10 Logologo Va'a	<u>DL</u>	6-3	329	R-Jr	TR	American Samoa (Bishop Garcia HS / UTEP)
11 Jace Henry	TE	6-3	270	6Y	SQ	Fairbanks, Alaska (Lathrop HS / Dartmouth)
11 Jackson Barton	DB	5-11	185	R-Fr	RS	Phoenix, Ariz. (Sandra Day O'Connor HS)
12 Nate Burleson II	WR	6-2	166	R-So	1V	Newcastle, Wash. (Ramapo HS (N.J.))
12 Bryson Snelling	DB	6-2	190	So	TR	
13 Chubba Purdy	OB	6-1	205	6Y	1V	.Oueen Creek, Ariz. (Perrv HS / Florida State / Nebraska)
13 Nehemiah Burleson	EDGE	6-4	236	R-Fr	RS	Newcastle, Wash. (Ramapo HS (N.J.))
14 Gerick Robinson	WR	5-7	178	R-Sr	<u>SQ</u> .	Las Vegas, Nev. (Centennial HS / Colorado State) ckinson, Texas (Dickinson HS / UCLA / Arizona / Indiana)
14 DJ Warnell	DB	6-2	208	6Y	TR Dic	ckinson, Texas (Dickinson HS / UCLA / Arizona / Indiana)
15 Kola Babalola	WR	6-2	215	R-Jr	1V	Modesto, Calif. (James C. Enochs HS)
15 Bishop Turner	<u>S</u>	5-10	188	R-So	1V	Altadena, Calif. (Charter Oak HS)
16 DJ Asiasi	TE	6-2	248	<u>F</u> r	HS	Concord, Calif. (De La Salle HS)
17 Kaden Martirano	QB	6-2	214	Fr	HS	Salem, Ore. (West Albany HS)
17 Zavien Abercrombie	CB	5-9	166	R-Fr	TR	Salem, Ore. (West Albany HS)Arlington, Texas (Martin HS / Weber State)
18 Marcus Bellon	WR	5-7	178	<u>R</u> -Sr	1V	Truckee, Calif. (Truckee HS / UTEP)Round Rock, Texas (Round Rock HS)Lancaster, Calif. (St. Bonaventure HS)
18 Aiden Walker	DB	5-10	180	<u>F</u> r	HS	Round Rock, Texas (Round Rock HS)
19 Anthony Wolter	QB	5-11	203	R-Fr	<u>RS</u>	Lancaster, Calif. (St. Bonaventure HS)
19 Sam Cook	LB	6-4	233	6Y	IR	Neosho, Mo. (Neosho HS / Western Illinois / SEMO)
20 Caleb Ramseur	KB	5-9	201	<u>S</u> r	1VE	lk Grove, Calif. (Monterey Trail HS / Butte College (Calif.) / Morehead State)
20 Cody Wells	LB	6-2	210	<u>F</u> r	HS	Scottsdale, Ariz. (Notre Dame Prep)
22 Dominic Kelley	RB	5-10	202	<u>F</u> r	<u>HS</u>	Concord, Calif. (De La Salle HS)
22 Hayden McDonald	DB	5-8	177	R-Sr	IR	Seattle, Wash. (O'Dea HS / Columbia)
23 Dorian Hoze	RB	5-6	205	<u>F</u> r	HS	Murrieta, Calif. (Murrieta Valley HS)
						Stockton, Calif. (Edison HS)
24 Justin Wyatt Jr	DB	6-2	169	<u>F</u> r	HS	Bakersfield, Calif. (Highland HS)
25 Ky Woods	RB	5-9	173	R-Jr	<u>1</u> V	League City, Texas (Clear Springs HS / Texas)
25 Austin Ambush	DB	6-1	198	6Y	IR	Gaithersburg, Md. (Damascus HS / Maine / Jax State)
26 Ashton Hayes	RB	6-0	200	<u>R</u> -Jr	1V	Reno, Nev. (McQueen HS / California)
26 Isaiah Jordan	DB	6-0	200	<u>-</u> r	HS	Sacramento, Calif. (Christian Brothers HS)
28 Joe Birnbaum	RB	5-10	182	<u>F</u> r	HS	Truckee, Calif. (Truckee HS)
28 Mykel Ford	DB	5-10	168	<u>F</u> r	HS	Oklahoma City, Okla. (Putnam City West HS)
29 Chris Champion	EDGE	6-1	237	R-Fr	RS	West Hills, Calif. (Chaminade Prep)
30 Jake Silverman	LB	6-0	215	r	HS	Torrance, Calif. (Torrance HS)
32 Dylan LaBarbera	DL	6-1	248	Jr	1V	Redding, Calif. (Foothill HS / Butte College)
						Park City, Utah (Park City HS)
36 Isaiah Reed	LB	6-1	218	Fr	HS	Meridian, Idaho (Rocky Mountain HS)
37 Tyler Manship	P/K	6-0	187	R-Jr	RS	Incline Village, Nev. (Incline HS / El Camino College) Lara Football Club)
39 Bailey Ettridge	P	5-11	207	Fr	TR	Lara, Australia (Lara Football Club)
40 Cian Stack	LS	6-0	268	Fr	HS	Reno, Nev. (Bishop Manogue HS) Reno, Nev. (Galena HS)
42 Colson Kermode	LB	6-1	212	Fr	HS	Reno, Nev. (Galena HS)
43 Nelson Ropati	DL	6-3	291	Sr	1V	San Francisco, Calif. (Balboa HS / CCSF)
44 Austin Harnetiaux	LB	6-2	228	R-Jr	1V	Seattle, Wash. (Seattle Prep / Washington)
45 Chris Smalley	LB	6-5	221	Sr	3V	Seattle, Wash. (Seattle Prep / Washington) Gardnerville, Nev. (Douglas HS)
46 Colin Combs	LB	6-3	225	Fr	HS	Incline Village, Nev. (Incline HS)
47 Luke McEndoo	FB	6-0	265	R-Sr	TR	Incline Village, Nev. (Incline HS) Stillwater, Okla. (Stillwater HS / Oklahoma State)
50 Zaiden Wallace	DL	6-4	285	R-Fr	RS	Ewa Beach, Hawaii (James Campbell HS)
52 Trenton Scott	OL	6-6	365	6Y	TR	Luling, Texas (Luling HS / Texas State)
53 Jojo James	OL	6-2	265	Fr	HS	Victorville, Čalif. (Oak Hills HS) Manteca, Calif. (East Union HS / Modesto JC)



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NoName	Pos	Ht	Wt	Yr	Ехр.	Hometown (Previous School)
55 Jack Foster	OL	6-6	298	R-Jr	TR	Boise, Idaho (Bishop Kelly HS / Idaho)
56 Hadine Diaby	OL	6-3	301	Jr	TR	Loganville, Ga. (Grayson HS / Tennessee State)
56 Bryce Echols	DL	6-5	273	R-So	TR	Las Vegas, Nev. (Coronado HS (Nev.) / Arizona)
57 Dylan Lopez	OL	6-2	303	R-Jr	SQ	Boise, Idaho (Bishop Kelly HS / Idaho) Loganville, Ga. (Grayson HS / Tennessee State) Las Vegas, Nev. (Coronado HS (Nev.) / Arizona) Eastvale, Calif. (IMG Academy (Fla.)) Blko, Nev. (Elko HS) Modesto, Calif. (Joseph Gregori HS) Reno, Nev. (Bishop Manogue HS) Kalispell, Mont. (Glacier HS) San Luis Obispo, Calif. (Mission College Prep) Reno, Nev. (Reed HS) Kearns, Utah (Skyridge HS / Virginia) Spring Creek, Nev. (Spring Creek HS) Warm Beach, Wash. (Lakewood HS / Washington State) Reno, Nev. (Galena HS) Farmington, Minn. (Farmington Senior HS / Central Arkansas)
57 Andoni Fesenmaier	DL	6-3	273	R-Jr	SQ	Elko, Nev. (Eĺko HS)
58 Ethan Lowell	OL	6-3	282	R-Fr	RS	Modesto, Calif. (Joseph Gregori HS)
64 Jackson Ramsey	OL	6-3	305	Fr	HS	Reno, Nev. (Bishop Manogue HS)
66 Henry Sellards	OL	6-4	300	R-Fr	RS	Kalispell, Mont. (Glacier HS)
67 RJ Esmon	OL	6-6	303	R-So	SQ	San Luis Obispo, Calif. (Mission College Prep)
68 Mataio Aiono	OL	6-1	255	Fr	HS	Reno, Nev. (Reed HS)
70 Snoop Leota-Amaama	OL	6-4	331	R-Jr	1V	Kearns, Utah (Skyridge HS / Virginia)
71 Colin Banning	OL	6-2	304	Fr	HS	Spring Creek, Nev. (Spring Creek HS)
72 Jakobus Seth	OL	6-3	291	R-Jr	1V	Warm Beach, Wash. (Lakewood HS / Washington State)
73 Tyler Miller	OL	6-2	302	R-Fr	RS	Reno, Nev. (Galena HS)
76 Zach Cochnauer	OL	6-5	306	Sr	TR	Farmington, Minn. (Farmington Senior HS / Central Arkansas)
77 John Bolles	OL	6-4	269	R-Sr	1V	Daly City, Calif. (Jefferson HS / College of San Mateo)
78 Andrew Madrigal	OL	6-3	321	R-Jr	2V	Daly City, Calif. (Jefferson HS / College of San Mateo)Norco, Calif. (Norco HS)Honolulu, Hawaii (Kamehameha Kapalama HS)
79 Ailama Morton	OL	6-3	283	Fr	HS	
80 Mack Kump	WR	5-9	183	Fr	HS	Phoenix, Ariz. (Sunnyslope HS)
80 Johnathan Correa	DL	6-2	236	So	TR	
81 Trace Estes	WR	6-4	220	R-Fr	RS	Minden, Nev. (Douglas HS)
82 Jayden O'Rourke	TE	6-9	262	Jr	2V	Tweed Heads, Australia (Lindisfarne Grammar School)
83 Carter Eck	TE	6-2	245	R-Fr	RS	Reno, Nev. (Bishop Manogue HS)
84 Joe McFadden	K	5-9	180	R-Sr	TR	Grapevine, Texas (Southlake-Carroll HS / UCONN)
85 Jett Carpenter	TE	6-3	258	6Y	TR	. Medford, Ore. (North Medford HS / Eastern Washington)
86 Zedekiah Anahu-Ambrosio	WR	5-9	176	Fr	HS	Provo, Utah (Timpview HS)
88 Mason Johnson	WR	6-0	195	Fr	HS	Provo, Utah (Timpview HS) Roseville, Calif. (West Park HS)
88 Keegan Perea	EDGE .	6-1	255	Fr	HS	Cherry Creek, Colo. (Cherry Creek HS)
89 Drew Deese	WR	6-0	180	Fr	HS	La Palma, Calif. (Crean Lutheran HS)
90 Jason Hemphill II	DL	5-10	325	Fr	HS	Cypress, Texas (Cypress Woods HS)
92 Myles Williams	LB	6-3	242	R-Sr	TR	Mission Hills, Calif. (Bishop Alemany HS)
96 Tanner Vaughan	DL	6-3	270	R-Sr	1V	Las Vegas, Nev. (Palo Verde HS / University of Mary)
97 Keaton Emmett	K	6-0	198	So	TR	Las Vegas, Nev. (Palo Verde HS / University of Mary) Lake Oswego, Ore. (Lakeridge HS)
98 David Paine Jr	DI	6-1	273	R-Fr	RS	Forney Texas (North Forney HS)
99 Thomas Witte	DT	6-3	275	6Y	3V	

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach – Jeff Choate (Second season at Nevada, sixth overall)

Associate Head Coach/Interior Defensive Line – Payam Saadat (Second season)

Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks - David Gilbertson (Second season)

Defensive Coordinator – Kane loane (Second season)

Special Teams Coordinator/Nickels – Parker Henry (Second season)

Passing Game Coordinator/Secondary – Joey Thomas (Second season)

Tight Ends – Virgil Green (Third season)

Inside Linebackers – Nico Johnson (Second season)

Senior Offensive Analyst - Matt Wade (First season)

Offensive Line – Mike Lynch (Second season)

Senior Defensive Analyst - Rob Christoff (First season)

Assistant Defensive Line – Tevis Bartlett (Second season)

Running Backs - Jim Mastro (First season, 12th season overall at Nevada)

Wide Receivers – James Price (Second season)

Head Strength & Conditioning – Jason Loscalzo (Second season)

Coach Pronunciations

Jeff Choate CHOAT (Rhymes with "Boat")

Payam Saadat PIE-um Sah-DOT

EYE-ohn Kane Ioane

General

NEVADA Nuh-VAD-uh MACKAY Stadium MACK-ee

Player Pronunciations

Zavien Abercrombie ZAY-vee-en Mataio Aiono Mah-TAY-o EYE-o-no

Zedekiah Anahu-Ambrosio Zeh-duh-KY-uh Ah-NAH-hoo Am-BRO-see-o

DJ Asiasi Ah-see-ah-see

Kola Babalola Ko-lah BAH-bah-lo-lah

Marcus Bellon BELL-on

John Bolles **Bo-less**

Daijon Calimon DAY-zhon CAL-ih-mon

Zach Cochnauer COKE-un-hour

Hadine Diaby Huh-DEEN DEE-ah-bee

Bryce Echols ECK-ulz Bailey Ettridge ETT-ridge

Andoni Fesenmaier An-DOH-nee FES-en-my-ur

Mykel Ford My-KELL Austin Harnetiaux HAR-nuh-toe Nakian Jackson nuh-KY-in Murvin Kenion KEN-yin Colson Kermode Kur-MODE Dylan LaBarbera La Bar-BER-uh

Snoop Leota Ama'ama Lee-O-tah Ah-muh-ah-muh

Andrew Madrigal MAH-jree-gahl Luke McEndoo MACK-en-doo Ailama Morton EYE-lah-mah Keegan Perea Puh-RAY-uh Chubba Purdy CHUB-uh Gerick Robinson **Jerrick** Nelson Ropati Ro-PAT-ee Jakobus Seth Jah-KO-bus Cian Stack KEE-an Tajean Stallworth TAY-zhon

Logologo Va'a Lo-go-lo-go VAH-ah

Thomas Witte

Witty





THE LAST TIME IT HAPPENED... Team

	NEVADA	Opponent
Scored more than 60 points	72 vs. Portland State, 8-31-18	USC (66) 9-2-23
Scored 50-59 points	52 at Colorado State, 11-27-21	Incarnate Word (55), 9-10-22
Scored 40-49 points	42, vs. Oregon State, 10-12-24	Wyoming (42), 11-25-23
Rushed for 200-299 yards	227, vs. Georgia Southern, 9-7-24	Boise State (274), 11-9-24
		UNLV (351), 11-30-24
Rushed for 400 or more yards	408 vs. UNLV, 11-29-14	Air Force (461), 9-23-22
Passed for 400-499 yards	417 vs. UNLV, 10-29-21	USC (453), 9-2-23
Passed for 500 or more yards	508 at Colorado State, 10-14-17	Hawai'i (512), 9-28-19
Had 500-599 yards of total offense	534 vs Eastern Washington, 9-21-24	UNLV (516), 10-14-23
Had 600-699 yards of total offense	636 vs. Colorado State, 11-10-18	USC (668), 9-2-23
Had 700+ yards of total offense	844 vs. Idaho, 11-6-10 (school record)	San José State (849), 11-10-01
		SMU, 8-24-25
		at Minnesota, 27-0, 9-14-24
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Nevada played a ranked team	at No. 21/21 UNLV, 11-30-24	
Nevada had a sellout	vs. UNLV, 10-29-21	-

Individual

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	NEVADA	Opponent
Returned a kickoff for a TD	Elijah Mitchell (96) vs. Colorado State, 12-29-15	.Sean Tyler (100), Western Michigan, 12-27-21
Returned a punt for a TD	Romeo Doubs (80) vs. Portland State, 8-31-18	R. Penny (70), San Diego State, 11-18-17
	Kitan Crawford (52) vs. Oregon State, 10-12-24	
	Daiyan Henley (56), vs. San Jose State, 11-6-21	
	Dom Peterson vs. Incarnate Word, 9-10-22	
Blocked a field goal	Ahki Muhammad vs. SJSU, 11-14-15	Kaonohi Kaniho, Boise State, 11-12-22
	Marquese Allen-Patmon (1) at UNLV, 11-26-22	
	Patrick Garwo III vs. Eastern Washington, 9-21-24	
	Savion Red (4) vs Oregon State, 10-12-24	
Two players rushed for 100 yards	Brendon Lewis (151) and Savion Red (137)	lai'Den Thomas (135) and Haii-Malik Williams (104)
Two players rushled for 100 yards	vs. Oregon State 10-12-24	at LINLV 11-30-24
Rushed for 100-109 yards	Brendon Lewis (109) vs. Colorado State 11-2-24	lai/Den Thomas (135) and Haii-Malik Williams (104)
rasilea for 100 199 yaras		2+ LINLV 11-20-24
Rushed for 200 or more yards	Kelton Moore (216) vs. Hawai'i, 10-7-17	Achton Joanty (200) at Roice State 11-0-24
	Carson Strong (34) at San Diego State, 11-13-21	
Completed 40 or more passes	Carson Strong (34) at San Diego State, 11-13-21 Carson Strong (49) at Fresno State, 10-23-21	Lustin Hagner (41) France State, 10-29-22
Completed 40 or more passes	Carson Strong (49) at Fresho State, 10-23-21	Connect area Litab State, 12-3-20
	Carson Strong at San Diego State, 11-13-21	
	Carson Strong at Colorado State, 11-27-21	
	Carson Strong (6) vs. New Mexico State, 10-9-21	
	Nate Cox (302) vs. Incarnate Word, 9-10-22	
	Carson Strong (417) vs. UNLV, 10-29-21	
	Patrick Garwo III (3) vs Eastern Washington, 9-21-24.	
Scored four or more IDs	Savion Red (4) vs. Oregon State, 10-12-24	Brayden Schager (4), at Hawai'i, 10-26-24
Made a two-point conversion	Jaden Smith (pass), at Troy 8-31-24	Jamari Person, Colorado State 11-2-24
Caught 10 or more passes	Romeo Doubs (11) vs. Air Force, 11-19-21	Stefan Cobbs (10), Boise State, 10-2-21
	Cortez Braham Jr. (110), Jaden Smith (103)	
	vs. Georgia Southern (9-7-24)	Fresno State, 12-5-20
Had 100-199 yards receiving	Cortez Braham Jr. (123) vs Air Force 11-23-24	Devonte Ross (103), Troy, 8-31-24
	Romeo Doubs (203) at Fresno State, 10-23-21	
	Nate Burleson (326) at San Jose State, 11-10-01	
	Tory Horton (3) vs. Fresno State, 12-5-20	
	Brandon Talton at UNLV, 11-26-22	
Kicked four FGs	Brandon Talton vs. New Mexico, 10-28-23	J. Hoyland, Wyoming, 10-24-20
Kicked five or more FGs	Damon Fine (5) vs. Rice, 10-21-01	*
	Brandon Talton (52) vs. New Mexico, 10-28-23	
Kicked a FG of 60 yards or longer	*	Jordan Noyes (60), Colorado State, 11-2-24
Kicked a 70-79-vard punt	Matt Freem (70) vs. Incarnate Word, 9-10-22	Ricardo Chavez (70), Idaho, 9-9-23
	Michael Coats Jr. vs. Oregon State, 10-12-24	
Intercepted three or more passes.	Dameon Baber (3) vs. San Jose State, 11-11-17	W. Derting (3), Washington State, 8-31-02
Recorded 100 or more return vard	s.Bentlee Sanders (131) vs. Boise State, 11-12-22	Sean Tyler (128), Western Michigan, 12-27-21
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^{* –} Has not happened since Nevada joined the NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision (I-A) in 1992.



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Team Results

	Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conf	Time	Attend
	08/24/2024	SMU	L	24-29	0-1	0-0	3:32	20263
	08/31/2024	at Troy	W	28-26	1-1	0-0	3:13	27412
	09/07/2024	Ga. Southern	L	17-20	1-2	0-0	3:21	16245
	09/14/2024	at Minnesota	L	0-27	1-3	0-0	3:00	44534
	09/21/2024	Eastern Wash.	W	49-16	2-3	0-0	3:08	16399
*	10/05/2024	at San Jose St.	L	31-35	2-4	0-1	3:17	17099
	10/12/2024	Oregon St.	W	42-37	3-4	0-1	3:28	21541
*	10/18/2024	Fresno St.	L	21-24	3-5	0-2	3:14	18319
*	10/26/2024	at Hawaii	L	13-34	3-6	0-3	3:21	12006
*	11/02/2024	Colorado St.	L	21-38	3-7	0-4	3:25	16019
*	11/09/2024	at Boise St.	L	21-28	3-8	0-5	3:12	37143
*	11/23/2024	Air Force	L	19-22	3-9	0-6	3:10	12228
*	11/30/2024	at UNLV	L	14-38	3-10	0-7	3:10	40122



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	09/07/2024	Ga. Southern	L	17-20	16245
	09/14/2024	at Minnesota	L	0-27	44534
	09/21/2024	Eastern Wash.	w	49-16	16399
*	10/05/2024	at San Jose St.	L	31-35	17099
	10/12/2024	Oregon St.	w	42-37	21541
*	10/18/2024	Fresno St.	L	21-24	18319
*	10/26/2024	at Hawaii	L	13-34	12006
*	11/02/2024	Colorado St.	L	21-38	16019
*	11/09/2024	at Boise St.	L	21-28	37143
*	11/23/2024	Air Force	L	19-22	12228
*	11/30/2024	at UNLV	L	14-38	40122

Rushing

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Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Brendon Lewis	12	157	977	202	775	4.9	8	67	64.6
Savion Red	12	119	725	38	687	5.8	8	69	57.3
Patrick Garwo III	9	55	249	3	246	4.5	5	25	27.3
Sean Dollars	11	47	187	22	165	3.5	0	26	15.0
Caleb Ramseur	12	32	121	11	110	3.4	0	33	9.2
Chubba Purdy	7	13	73	13	60	4.6	0	19	8.6
Marcus Bellon	13	9	37	0	37	4.1	0	9	2.8
Deston Hawkins	12	6	32	0	32	5.3	0	22	2.7
Ky Woods	13	7	31	6	25	3.6	0	8	1.9
Ashton Hayes	11	3	19	0	19	6.3	0	9	1.7
AJ Bianco	5	6	17	10	7	1.2	0	9	1.4
Matthew Killam	10	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
Cortez Braham	13	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
Kitan Crawford	13	1	0	4	-4	-4.0	0	0	-0.3
Guy Gillespie	13	2	0	22	-22	-11.0	0	0	-1.7
Team	13	3	0	14	-14	-4.7	0	0	-1.1
Total	13	462	2470	345	2125	4.6	21	69	163.5
Opponents	13	496	2715	208	2507	5.1	31	80	192.8

Passing

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Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Brendon Lewis	12	141.7	211-312-7	67.6	2290	16	62	190.8
Chubba Purdy	7	157.5	18-25-1	72.0	239	1	63	34.1
AJ Bianco	5	141.0	16-24-0	66.7	173	1	21	34.6
Marcus Bellon	13	399.8	1-2-0	50.0	44	1	44	3.4
Jaden Smith	13	251.2	1-1-0	100.0	18	0	18	1.4
Team	13	0.0	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	13	143.7	247-366-8	67.5	2764	19	63	212.6
Opponents	13	129.0	210-347-11	60.5	2582	13	71	198.6

Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Jaden Smith	13	62	849	13.7	7	62	65.3
Cortez Braham	13	56	724	12.9	4	57	55.7
Marcus Bellon	13	39	522	13.4	4	63	40.2
Savion Red	12	16	74	4.6	0	20	6.2
Patrick Garwo III	9	11	48	4.4	0	13	5.3
Sean Dollars	11	11	74	6.7	0	17	6.7
Caleb Ramseur	12	8	106	13.3	1	44	8.8
Jace Henry	4	7	49	7.0	2	17	12.3
Deston Hawkins	12	7	33	4.7	0	9	2.8
Andrew Savaiinaea	12	6	35	5.8	0	10	2.9
Marshaun Brown	8	5	62	12.4	0	24	7.8
Ky Woods	13	3	8	2.7	0	5	0.6
Marquis Ashley	9	3	21	7.0	0	11	2.3
Nate Burleson II	9	3	71	23.7	1	46	7.9
Oliver Stuart	8	3	21	7.0	0	9	2.6
Chubba Purdy	7	2	10	5.0	0	11	1.4
Nathaneal Floyd	5	2	23	11.5	0	19	4.6
Kitan Crawford	13	1	6	6.0	0	6	0.5
Brendon Lewis	12	1	18	18.0	0	18	1.5
Ashton Hayes	11	1	10	10.0	0	10	0.9
Total	13	247	2764	11.2	19	63	212.6
Opponents	13	210	2582	12.3	13	71	198.6

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	3-10	2-5	1-5	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-7	0-3	0-4	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	3-3	2-2	1-1	0-0

Team Statistics

Team Statistics	NEVADA	OPP
First Downs	253	297
Rushing	114	135
Passing	117	126
Penalty	22	36
Rushing Yardage	2125	2507
Rushing attempts	462	496
Average per rush	4.6	5.1
Average per game	163.5	192.8
TDs Rushing	21	31
Passing Yardage	2764	2582
Comp-Att-Int	247-366-8	210-347-11
Average per pass	7.6	7.4
Average per catch	11.2	12.3
Average per game	212.6	198.6
TDs Passing	19	13
Total offense	4889	5089
Average per play	5.9	6.0
Average per game	376.1	391.5
Kick returns: #-Yards	34-612	28-545
Punt returns: #-Yards	10-74	7-37
Int returns: #-Yards	11-91	8-56
Fumbles-Lost	16-7	11-2
Penalties-Yards	99-935	70-639
Punts-Avg	48-40.4	41-41.0
Time of possession / game	30:52	28:58
3rd-down conversion	75/168	87/166
4th-down conversion	15/29	7/11
PAT-attempts	(37-38) 97%	(39-39) 100%
2-point conversion-attempts	(1-4) 25%	(3-8) 38%

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Michael Coats Jr.	4	0	0.0	0	0
Kitan Crawford	2	67	33.5	1	52
Tori Daffin	2	24	12.0	0	22
Drue Watts	1	0	0.0	0	0
Chad Brown	1	0	0.0	0	0
Keyshawn Cobb	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	11	91	8.3	1	52
Opponents	8	56	7.0	0	39





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Field Goals									
Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Matthew Killam	3-6	50.0	0-0	2-2	1-1	0-3	0-0	36	1
Kian Afrookhteh	2-2	100.0	0-0	2-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	27	0
Opponents	17-20	85.0	2-2	5-5	4-4	3-4	3-5	60	0

Punting									
Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Guy Gillespie	46	1856	40.3	72	3	17	20	5	0
AJ Bianco	2	81	40.5	44	1	0	1	0	0
Total	48	1937	40.4	72	4	17	21	5	0
Opponents	41	1683	41.0	79	3	16	14	4	0

Scoring

			PAT						
Player	td	fg	kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
Brendon Lewis	8	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	48
Savion Red	8	-	-	-	-	-	- [-	48
Jaden Smith	7	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	44
Matthew Killam	-	3-6	28-29	-	-	-	-	-	37
Patrick Garwo III	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Marcus Bellon	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Cortez Braham	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Kian Afrookhteh	-	2-2	9-9	-	-	-	-	-	15
Jace Henry	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Kitan Crawford	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Caleb Ramseur	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Nate Burleson II	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	41	5-8	37-38	0	1	1	0	0	300
Opponents	46	17-20	39-39	2	1	1	0	1	374

Player	no.	vds	avg	td	lg
Marcus Bellon	9	74	8.2	0	32
Marquis Ashley	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	10	74	7.4	0	32
Opponents	7	37	5.3	0	16

Score by Periods								
Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	ОТ	тот		
Nevada	70	71	73	86	0	300		
Opponents	89	109	69	107	0	374		

Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Marquis Ashley	11	237	21.5	0	43
Ky Woods	10	240	24.0	0	48
Sean Dollars	4	29	7.3	0	13
Charles Brown	2	43	21.5	0	20
Ashton Hayes	2	18	9.0	0	17
Kitan Crawford	1	19	19.0	0	19
Adam Weynand	1	7	7.0	0	7
Austin Harnetiaux	1	-18	-18.0	0	0
Chris Smalley	1	12	12.0	0	12
Bryson Parker	1	25	25.0	0	25
Total	34	612	18.0	0	48
Opponents	28	545	19.5	0	38

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Jaden Smith	13	0	849	0	0	0	849	65.3
Brendon Lewis	12	775	18	0	0	0	793	66.1
Savion Red	12	687	74	0	0	0	761	63.4
Cortez Braham	13	1	724	0	0	0	725	55.8
Marcus Bellon	13	37	522	74	0	0	633	48.7
Patrick Garwo III	9	246	48	0	0	0	294	32.7
Ky Woods	13	25	8	0	240	0	273	21.0
Sean Dollars	11	165	74	0	29	0	268	24.4
Marquis Ashley	9	0	21	0	237	0	258	28.7
Caleb Ramseur	12	110	106	0	0	0	216	18.0
Kitan Crawford	13	-4	6	0	19	67	88	6.8
Nate Burleson II	9	0	71	0	0	0	71	7.9
Chubba Purdy	7	60	10	0	0	0	70	10.0
Deston Hawkins	12	32	33	0	0	0	65	5.4
Marshaun Brown	8	0	62	0	0	0	62	7.8
Jace Henry	4	0	49	0	0	0	49	12.3
Ashton Hayes	11	19	10	0	18	0	47	4.3
Charles Brown	11	0	0	0	43	0	43	3.9
Andrew Savaiinaea	12	0	35	0	0	0	35	2.9
Bryson Parker	1	0	0	0	25	0	25	25.0
Tori Daffin	13	0	0	0	0	24	24	1.8
Nathaneal Floyd	5	0	23	0	0	0	23	4.6
Oliver Stuart	8	0	21	0	0	0	21	2.6
Chris Smalley	11	0	0	0	12	0	12	1.1
Adam Weynand	12	0	0	0	7	0	7	0.6
AJ Bianco	5	7	0	0	0	0	7	1.4
Matthew Killam	10	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.1
Austin Harnetiaux	13	0	0	0	-18	0	-18	-1.4
Guy Gillespie	13	-22	0	0	0	0	-22	-1.7
Total	13	2125	2764	74	612	91	5666	435.8
Opponents	13	2507	2582	37	545	56	5727	440.5

Tatal	Offense
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Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Brendon Lewis	12	469	775	2290	3065	255.4
Savion Red	12	119	687	0	687	57.3
Chubba Purdy	7	38	60	239	299	42.7
Patrick Garwo III	9	55	246	0	246	27.3
AJ Bianco	5	30	7	173	180	36.0
Sean Dollars	11	47	165	0	165	15.0
Caleb Ramseur	12	32	110	0	110	9.2
Marcus Bellon	13	11	37	44	81	6.2
Deston Hawkins	12	6	32	0	32	2.7
Ky Woods	13	7	25	0	25	1.9
Ashton Hayes	11	3	19	0	19	1.7
Jaden Smith	13	1	0	18	18	1.4
Matthew Killam	10	1	1	0	1	0.1
Cortez Braham	13	1	1	0	1	0.1
Kitan Crawford	13	1	-4	0	-4	-0.3
Guy Gillespie	13	2	-22	0	-22	-1.7
Total	13	828	2125	2764	4889	376.1
Opponents	13	843	2507	2582	5089	391.5



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Team Defense

				Та	ckles		Sacks	Pass	defen	se	Fumbl	es	blk	d
##	Player	gp	ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds		qbh		_	kick	saf
4	Kitan Crawford	13	42	34	76	3-4		2-67	7	1	1-8	1		
7	Drue Watts	9	39	26	65	4.5-15	1-4	1-0	3					
36	Tongiaki Mateialona	9	31	30	61	9-53	1.5-4		2					
33	Stone Combs	13	23	35	58	2.5-12	1-6				1-0			
28	Tori Daffin	13	37	19	56			2-24						
24	Chad Brown	13	31	16	47	4.5-11	•	1-0	6					
46	Aedan Seiuli	13	30	15	45	2-13	1-9			1				
44	Austin Harnetiaux	13	21	23	44	1.5-4	•			1		1		
0	Henry Ikahihifo	13	21	22	43	7.5-36	3.5-15			3				
3	Michael Coats Jr.	13	29	12	41	0.5-0	•	4-0	13					
99	Thomas Witte	13	11	23	34	1.5-3				1				
32	Dylan Labarbera	11	16	15	31	2-6	•	•				1		
8	Kris Ross	13	14	15	29	5.5-15	2.5-7		2	3				
10	KK Meier	12	19	8	27	1-2			3					
5	Keyshawn Cobb	11	15	12	27	1-12	1-12	1-0	3					
1	Caine Savage	13	13	9	22	•	•	•	4					
43	Nelson Ropati	13	9	10	19	1.5-2								
2	Kaden Johnson	8	5	12	17	0.5-2			1	1				
95	Jonathan Maldonado	12	8	9	17	3-7	1.5-5		1					
9	Mackavelli Malotumau	12	3	11	14	•	•			1				
90	Ike Nnakenyi	10	6	4	10	1-3	•			1				
96	Tanner Vaughan	13	2	5	7	•	•		1					
52	Kitione Tau	11	2	5	7	1-3				3				
45	Chris Smalley	11	5		5		•							
72	Jakobus Seth	12	3	1	4									
14	Devin Gunter	8	2	1	3		•							
1	Jaden Smith	13	2		2		•							
88	Nick Barcelos	13	1	1	2									
3	Charles Brown	11		2	2									
22	Hezekiah Anahu-Ambrosio	11	2		2									
5	Patrick Garwo III	9	1		1									
17	Zach Beagle	6	1		1									
16	Kasen Kinchen	3	1		1									
18	Matthew Killam	10	1		1									
56	Adam Weynand	12		1	1									
47	Hunter Kaupiko	8		1	1									
6	Savion Red	12	1		1									
25	Ky Woods	13	1		1									
8	Cortez Braham	13	1		1									
34	Malcolm McClure	6		1	1									
22	Deston Hawkins	12	1		1									
15	Bishop Turner	13		1	1									
48	Jason Douglas Jr.	1	1		1	1-2	1-2							
20	Denon Fagan	2		1	1									
88	Hayden George	1	1		1									
	Totals	13	452	380	832	54-205	14-64	11-91	46	16	2-8	3	0	0
	Opponents	13	476	402	878	71-339	28-199	8-56	41	22	7-22	8	1	1





Team Statistics

	NEVADA	OPF
Scoring	300	374
Points per game	23.1	28.8
Points Off Turnovers	42	23
First Downs	253	297
Rushing	114	135
Passing	117	126
Penalty	22	36
Rushing Yardage	2125	2507
Yards gained rushing	2470	2715
Yards lost rushing	345	208
Rushing attempts	462	496
Average per rush	4.6	5.1
Average per game	163.5	192.8
TDs Rushing	21	31
Passing Yardage	2764	2582
Comp-Att-Int	247-366-8	210-347-11
Average per pass	7.6	7.4
Average per catch	11.2	12.3
Average per game	212.6	198.6
TDs Passing	19	13
Total offense	4889	5089
Total plays	828	843
Average per play	5.9	6.0
Average per game	376.1	391.5
Kick returns: #-Yards	34-612	28-545
Punt returns: #-Yards	10-74	7-37
Int returns: #-Yards	11-91	8-56
Kick return average	18.0	19.5
Punt return average	7.4	5.3
Int return average	8.3	7.0
Fumbles-Lost	16-7	11-2
Penalties-Yards	99-935	70-639
Average per game	71.9	49.2
Punts-Yards	48-1937	41-1683
Average per punt	40.4	41.0
Net punt average	37.9	37.9
Kickoffs-Yards	58-3460	73-4524
Average per kick	59.7	62.0
Net kick average	38.0	40.1
Time of possession / game	30:52	28:58
3rd-down conversion	75/168	87/166
3rd-down pct	45%	52%
4th-down conversion	15/29	7/11





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	NEVADA	OPP
4th-down pct	52%	64%
Sacks by-Yards	14-64	28-199
Misc Yards	0	0
Touchdowns scored	41	46
Field goals - attempts	5-8	17-20
On-Side kicks	1-4	1-3
Red-zone scores	(34-38) 89%	(48-55) 87%
Red-zone touchdowns	(29-38) 76%	(36-55) 65%
PAT-attempts	(37-38) 97%	(39-39) 100%
2-point conversion-attempts	(1-4) 25%	(3-8) 38%
Attendance	121014	178316
Games / Avg per game	7/17288	6/29719
Neutral site games	-	0/0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	ОТ	ТОТ
Nevada	70	71	73	86	0	300
Opponents	89	109	69	107	0	374



Rushing

Nushing													
Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g				
Brendon Lewis	12	157	977	202	775	4.9	8	67	64.6				
Savion Red	12	119	725	38	687	5.8	8	69	57.3				
Patrick Garwo III	9	55	249	3	246	4.5	5	25	27.3				
Sean Dollars	11	47	187	22	165	3.5	0	26	15.0				
Caleb Ramseur	12	32	121	11	110	3.4	0	33	9.2				
Chubba Purdy	7	13	73	13	60	4.6	0	19	8.6				
Marcus Bellon	13	9	37	0	37	4.1	0	9	2.8				
Deston Hawkins	12	6	32	0	32	5.3	0	22	2.7				
Ky Woods	13	7	31	6	25	3.6	0	8	1.9				
Ashton Hayes	11	3	19	0	19	6.3	0	9	1.7				
AJ Bianco	5	6	17	10	7	1.2	0	9	1.4				
Matthew Killam	10	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1				
Cortez Braham	13	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1				
Kitan Crawford	13	1	0	4	-4	-4.0	0	0	-0.3				
Guy Gillespie	13	2	0	22	-22	-11.0	0	0	-1.7				
Team	13	3	0	14	-14	-4.7	0	0	-1.1				
Total	13	462	2470	345	2125	4.6	21	69	163.5				
Opponents	13	496	2715	208	2507	5.1	31	80	192.8				

Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Brendon Lewis	12	141.7	211-312-7	67.6	2290	16	62	190.8
Chubba Purdy	7	157.5	18-25-1	72.0	239	1	63	34.1
AJ Bianco	5	141.0	16-24-0	66.7	173	1	21	34.6
Marcus Bellon	13	399.8	1-2-0	50.0	44	1	44	3.4
Jaden Smith	13	251.2	1-1-0	100.0	18	0	18	1.4
Team	13	0.0	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	13	143.7	247-366-8	67.5	2764	19	63	212.6
Opponents	13	129.0	210-347-11	60.5	2582	13	71	198.6

Receiving

Receiving											
Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g				
Jaden Smith	13	62	849	13.7	7	62	65.3				
Cortez Braham	13	56	724	12.9	4	57	55.7				
Marcus Bellon	13	39	522	13.4	4	63	40.2				
Savion Red	12	16	74	4.6	0	20	6.2				
Patrick Garwo III	9	11	48	4.4	0	13	5.3				
Sean Dollars	11	11	74	6.7	0	17	6.7				
Caleb Ramseur	12	8	106	13.3	1	44	8.8				
Jace Henry	4	7	49	7.0	2	17	12.3				
Deston Hawkins	12	7	33	4.7	0	9	2.8				
Andrew Savaiinaea	12	6	35	5.8	0	10	2.9				
Marshaun Brown	8	5	62	12.4	0	24	7.8				
Ky Woods	13	3	8	2.7	0	5	0.6				
Marquis Ashley	9	3	21	7.0	0	11	2.3				
Nate Burleson II	9	3	71	23.7	1	46	7.9				
Oliver Stuart	8	3	21	7.0	0	9	2.6				
Chubba Purdy	7	2	10	5.0	0	11	1.4				
Nathaneal Floyd	5	2	23	11.5	0	19	4.6				
Kitan Crawford	13	1	6	6.0	0	6	0.5				
Brendon Lewis	12	1	18	18.0	0	18	1.5				
Ashton Hayes	11	1	10	10.0	0	10	0.9				
Total	13	247	2764	11.2	19	63	212.6				
Opponents	13	210	2582	12.3	13	71	198.6				

Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Marcus Bellon	9	74	8.2	0	32
Marquis Ashley	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	10	74	7.4	0	32
Opponents	7	37	5.3	0	16

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Michael Coats Jr.	4	0	0.0	0	0
Kitan Crawford	2	67	33.5	1	52
Tori Daffin	2	24	12.0	0	22
Drue Watts	1	0	0.0	0	0
Chad Brown	1	0	0.0	0	0
Keyshawn Cobb	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	11	91	8.3	1	52
Opponents	8	56	7.0	0	39

Kick Returns

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Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg					
Marquis Ashley	11	237	21.5	0	43					
Ky Woods	10	240	24.0	0	48					
Sean Dollars	4	29	7.3	0	13					
Charles Brown	2	43	21.5	0	20					
Ashton Hayes	2	18	9.0	0	17					
Kitan Crawford	1	19	19.0	0	19					
Adam Weynand	1	7	7.0	0	7					
Austin Harnetiaux	1	-18	-18.0	0	0					
Chris Smalley	1	12	12.0	0	12					
Bryson Parker	1	25	25.0	0	25					
Total	34	612	18.0	0	48					
Opponents	28	545	19.5	0	38					

Fumbles Recovered

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Kitan Crawford	1	8	8.0	0	8
Stone Combs	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	2	8	4.0	0	8
Opponents	7	22	3.1	2	22





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Scoring

				PAT	•				
Player	td	fg	kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp	saf	pts
Brendon Lewis	8	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	48
Savion Red	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
Jaden Smith	7	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	44
Matthew Killam	-	3-6	28-29	-	-	-	-	-	37
Patrick Garwo III	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Marcus Bellon	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Cortez Braham	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Kian Afrookhteh	-	2-2	9-9	-	-	-	-	-	15
Jace Henry	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Kitan Crawford	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Caleb Ramseur	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Nate Burleson II	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	41	5-8	37-38	0	1	1	0	0	300
Opponents	46	17-20	39-39	2	1	1	0	1	374

Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg b	οlk
Matthew Killam	3-6	50.0	0-0	2-2	1-1	0-3	0-0	36	1
Kian Afrookhteh	2-2	100.0	0-0	2-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	27	0
Opponents	17-20	85.0	2-2	5-5	4-4	3-4	3-5	60	0

FG Sequence

r o sequence	:	:
Team Name	Nevada	Opponents
SMU	(36)	(52),(43),51
Troy	48	(30),(19)
Ga. Southern	(27)	(30),(48)
Minnesota	42	(52),(21),50
Eastern Wash.		(19)
San Jose St.	(25)	
Oregon St.		(22)
Fresno St.		(44)
Hawaii	46	(27),(30)
Colorado St.		(60),,(21),(35)
Boise St.		
Air Force	(27),(26)	47
UNLV		(26)

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made

Total Offense

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Brendon Lewis	12	469	775	2290	3065	255.4
Savion Red	12	119	687	0	687	57.3
Chubba Purdy	7	38	60	239	299	42.7
Patrick Garwo III	9	55	246	0	246	27.3
AJ Bianco	5	30	7	173	180	36.0
Sean Dollars	11	47	165	0	165	15.0
Caleb Ramseur	12	32	110	0	110	9.2
Marcus Bellon	13	11	37	44	81	6.2
Deston Hawkins	12	6	32	0	32	2.7
Ky Woods	13	7	25	0	25	1.9
Ashton Hayes	11	3	19	0	19	1.7
Jaden Smith	13	1	0	18	18	1.4
Matthew Killam	10	1	1	0	1	0.1
Cortez Braham	13	1	1	0	1	0.1
Kitan Crawford	13	1	-4	0	-4	-0.3
Guy Gillespie	13	2	-22	0	-22	-1.7
Team	13	0	-14	0	-14	-1.1
Total	13	828	2125	2764	4889	376.1
Opponents	13	843	2507	2582	5089	391.5

Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Guy Gillespie	46	1856	40.3	72	3	17	20	5	0
AJ Bianco	2	81	40.5	44	1	0	1	0	0
Total	48	1937	40.4	72	4	17	21	5	0
Opponents	41	1683	41.0	79	3	16	14	4	0

Kickoffs

Player	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Matthew Killam	44	2698	61.3	21	1			
Kian Afrookhteh	14	762	54.4	0	0			
Total	58	3460	59.7	21	1	28	38	26
Opponents	73	4524	62.0	36	2	31	40.1	24



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All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Jaden Smith	13	0	849	0	0	0	849	65.3
Brendon Lewis	12	775	18	0	0	0	793	66.1
Savion Red	12	687	74	0	0	0	761	63.4
Cortez Braham	13	1	724	0	0	0	725	55.8
Marcus Bellon	13	37	522	74	0	0	633	48.7
Patrick Garwo III	9	246	48	0	0	0	294	32.7
Ky Woods	13	25	8	0	240	0	273	21.0
Sean Dollars	11	165	74	0	29	0	268	24.4
Marquis Ashley	9	0	21	0	237	0	258	28.7
Caleb Ramseur	12	110	106	0	0	0	216	18.0
Kitan Crawford	13	-4	6	0	19	67	88	6.8
Nate Burleson II	9	0	71	0	0	0	71	7.9
Chubba Purdy	7	60	10	0	0	0	70	10.0
Deston Hawkins	12	32	33	0	0	0	65	5.4
Marshaun Brown	8	0	62	0	0	0	62	7.8
Jace Henry	4	0	49	0	0	0	49	12.3
Ashton Hayes	11	19	10	0	18	0	47	4.3
Charles Brown	11	0	0	0	43	0	43	3.9
Andrew Savaiinaea	12	0	35	0	0	0	35	2.9
Bryson Parker	1	0	0	0	25	0	25	25.0
Tori Daffin	13	0	0	0	0	24	24	1.8
Nathaneal Floyd	5	0	23	0	0	0	23	4.6
Oliver Stuart	8	0	21	0	0	0	21	2.6
Chris Smalley	11	0	0	0	12	0	12	1.1
Adam Weynand	12	0	0	0	7	0	7	0.6
AJ Bianco	5	7	0	0	0	0	7	1.4
Matthew Killam	10	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.1
Austin Harnetiaux	13	0	0	0	-18	0	-18	-1.4
Guy Gillespie	13	-22	0	0	0	0	-22	-1.7
Team	13	-14	0	0	0	0	-14	-1.1
Total	13	2125	2764	74	612	91	5666	435.8
Opponents	13	2507	2582	37	545	56	5727	440.5



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Team Defense

				Ta	ckles		Sacks	Pass	defen	se	Fumble	blkd	
##	Player	gp	ua	а	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick saf
4	Kitan Crawford	13	42	34	76	3-4		2-67	7	1	1-8	1	
7	Drue Watts	9	39	26	65	4.5-15	1-4	1-0	3				
36	Tongiaki Mateialona	9	31	30	61	9-53	1.5-4		2				
33	Stone Combs	13	23	35	58	2.5-12	1-6				1-0		
28	Tori Daffin	13	37	19	56			2-24					
24	Chad Brown	13	31	16	47	4.5-11		1-0	6				
46	Aedan Seiuli	13	30	15	45	2-13	1-9			1			
44	Austin Harnetiaux	13	21	23	44	1.5-4				1		1	
0	Henry Ikahihifo	13	21	22	43	7.5-36	3.5-15			3			
3	Michael Coats Jr.	13	29	12	41	0.5-0		4-0	13				
99	Thomas Witte	13	11	23	34	1.5-3				1			
32	Dylan Labarbera	11	16	15	31	2-6						1	
8	Kris Ross	13	14	15	29	5.5-15	2.5-7		2	3			
10	KK Meier	12	19	8	27	1-2			3				
5	Keyshawn Cobb	11	15	12	27	1-12	1-12	1-0	3				
1	Caine Savage	13	13	9	22				4				
43	Nelson Ropati	13	9	10	19	1.5-2							
2	Kaden Johnson	8	5	12	17	0.5-2			1	1			
95	Jonathan Maldonado	12	8	9	17	3-7	1.5-5		1			_	
9	Mackavelli Malotumau	12	3	11	14					1			
90	Ike Nnakenyi	10	6	4	10	1-3				1			
96	Tanner Vaughan	13	2	5	7				1				
52	Kitione Tau	11	2	5	7	1-3				3			
45	Chris Smalley	11	5		5								
72	Jakobus Seth	12	3	1	4								
14	Devin Gunter	8	2	1	3								
88	Nick Barcelos	13	1	1	2								
1	Jaden Smith	13	2		2								
3	Charles Brown	11		2	2								
22	Hezekiah Anahu-Ambrosio	11	2		2								
88	Hayden George	1	1		1								
20	Denon Fagan	2		1	1								
48	Jason Douglas Jr.	1	1		1	1-2	1-2						
17	Zach Beagle	6	1		1								
15	Bishop Turner	13		1	1								
5	Patrick Garwo III	9	1		1								
16	Kasen Kinchen	3	1		1								
22	Deston Hawkins	12	1		1								
34	Malcolm McClure	6		1	1								
8	Cortez Braham	13	1		1								
18	Matthew Killam	10	1		1								





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			Tackles			Sacks Pass defense			Fumble	blkd				
##	Player	gp	ua	а	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
56	Adam Weynand	12		1	1									
25	Ky Woods	13	1		1									
6	Savion Red	12	1		1									
47	Hunter Kaupiko	8		1	1									
	Totals	13	452	380	832	54-205	14-64	11-91	46	16	2-8	3	0	0
	Opponents	13	476	402	878	71-339	28-199	8-56	41	22	7-22	8	1	1





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	Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conf	Time	Attend
	08/24/2024	SMU	L	24-29	0-1	0-0	3:32	20263
	08/31/2024	at Troy	W	28-26	1-1	0-0	3:13	27412
	09/07/2024	Ga. Southern	L	17-20	1-2	0-0	3:21	16245
	09/14/2024	at Minnesota	L	0-27	1-3	0-0	3:00	44534
	09/21/2024	Eastern Wash.	W	49-16	2-3	0-0	3:08	16399
*	10/05/2024	at San Jose St.	L	31-35	2-4	0-1	3:17	17099
	10/12/2024	Oregon St.	W	42-37	3-4	0-1	3:28	21541
*	10/18/2024	Fresno St.	L	21-24	3-5	0-2	3:14	18319
*	10/26/2024	at Hawaii	L	13-34	3-6	0-3	3:21	12006
*	11/02/2024	Colorado St.	L	21-38	3-7	0-4	3:25	16019
*	11/09/2024	at Boise St.	L	21-28	3-8	0-5	3:12	37143
*	11/23/2024	Air Force	L	19-22	3-9	0-6	3:10	12228
*	11/30/2024	at UNLV	L	14-38	3-10	0-7	3:10	40122

			First Do	owns		Rushing	Passing		Total Offense	Return	Turn-
Opponent	Score	Total	Rush	Pass	Pen	Number-Yards	Comp-AttInt	Yards	Plays-Yards	Yards	Overs
SMU	24-29	16 / 23	5 / 6	6 / 14	5/3	43-148 / 34-100	15-28-0 / 21-35-1	150 / 308	71-298 / 69-408	68 / 97	0/1
Troy	28-26	16 / 23	8 / 11	8 / 10	0/2	34-214 / 36-191	18-21-0 / 20-30-0	179 / 200	55-393 / 66-391	84 / 52	0/0
Ga. Southern	17-20	26 / 20	12 / 5	10 / 11	4 / 4	42-227 / 19-42	23-35-0 / 23-37-0	271 / 243	77-498 / 56-285	-8 / 30	1/0
Minnesota	0-27	10 / 20	5/8	4/9	1/3	31-58 / 32-195	15-22-3 / 16-26-1	114 / 191	53-172 / 58-386	16 / 53	3/1
Eastern Wash.	49-16	27 / 21	16/9	9 / 10	2/2	45-320 / 33-170	18-24-1 / 21-30-1	214 / 178	69-534 / 63-348	70 / 84	1/1
San Jose St.	31-35	23 / 27	11/8	10 / 16	2/3	36-190 / 27-114	23-31-1 / 23-42-0	226 / 327	67-416 / 69-441	76 / 60	1/0
Oregon St.	42-37	20 / 35	15 / 13	5 / 17	0/5	42-353 / 43-214	6-13-0 / 27-42-4	69 / 348	55-422 / 85-562	74 / 26	0/4
Fresno St.	21-24	16 / 16	7/7	6/9	3/0	39-84 / 38-126	16-25-0 / 13-20-1	211 / 190	64-295 / 58-316	80 / 0	0/1
Hawaii	13-34	21 / 26	9 / 11	10/9	2/6	29-94 / 42-242	26-39-1 / 14-25-1	286 / 153	68-380 / 67-395	79 / 39	2/1
Colorado St.	21-38	22 / 15	10/8	11/6	1/1	38-189 / 36-170	20-28-0 / 9-16-0	252 / 157	66-441 / 52-327	78 / 57	2/0
Boise St.	21-28	13 / 21	4 / 13	8/6	1/2	30-87 / 47-274	18-27-0 / 9-20-1	232 / 119	57-319 / 67-393	75 / 57	2/2
Air Force	19-22	21 / 22	7 / 20	14/0	0/2	25-94 / 67-318	22-35-1 / 0-3-1	268 / 0	60-362 / 70-318	58 / 39	1/1
UNLV	14-38	22 / 28	5 / 16	16/9	1/3	28-67 / 42-351	27-38-1 / 14-21-0	292 / 168	66-359 / 63-519	35 / 66	2/1
Totals	300-374	253 / 297	114 / 135	117 / 126	22 / 36	462-2125 / 496-2507	247-366-8 / 210-347-11	2764 / 2582	828-4889 / 843-5089	785 / 660	15 / 13

