



IOWA QUARTERBACKS

An All-Big Ten Tradition

The University of Iowa established itself as the premier offensive team of the Big Ten Conference during the 1980s under the direction of three of the league's most talented quarterbacks. That tradition has continued through the 1990's and into the 2000's.

Current senior Drew Tate earned first team all-Big Ten honors in 2004 after leading the Hawkeyes to their second Big Ten title in three seasons. Tate led Iowa to wins in its final eight games, including a dramatic 30-25 win over LSU in the 2005 Capital One Bowl when he connected with Warren Holloway on a 56-yard touchdown pass on the final play of the game. That win over the defending national champions is one of the all-time great games in Iowa football history.

In 2002, Iowa's Brad Banks was a first team selection while also being named the Big Ten's Offensive Player of the Year and Most Valuable Player. Matt Rodgers was the all-Big Ten quarterback in 1990 and 1991 and Matt Sherman earned all-Big Ten recognition in 1996. Nine times since 1983 the all-Big Ten quarterback has been an Iowa Hawkeye.

Banks, in his first season as a starter with the Hawkeyes, led Iowa to a perfect 8-0 Big Ten record in 2002 and the Hawkeyes finished the season with an 11-2 mark and Orange Bowl invitation. Banks, who led the nation in passing efficiency, earned the Davey O'Brien award as the top quarterback in the nation. He was the Associated Press Player of the Year and finished second in the balloting for the Heisman Trophy. Behind Banks, Iowa's high-powered offense led the Big Ten in scoring for the second consecutive season.

Tate took over the Iowa offense in 2004 as a sophomore. He passed for 2,786 yards while completing 62% of his passes in his first season as Iowa won the Big Ten title. Tate tossed 20 touchdown passes in his first year as a starter, none more dramatic than his last pass of the season in the Capital One Bowl. As a junior a year ago, Tate led the Hawkeyes to their fourth straight January bowl game. With a more balanced offensive attack, Tate completed 219-352 passes (62.2%) for 2,828 yards and 22 touchdowns, while reducing his interception total to seven.

These former Iowa quarterbacks played an important role in the success of Iowa's offense as the Hawkeyes set the tone for offensive football in the Big Ten Conference.

CHUCK LONG: All-American

Chuck Long, consensus all-America and runner-up to Bo Jackson in the balloting for the 1985 Heisman Trophy, was the Detroit Lion's No. 1 pick in the 1985 NFL Draft. A three-time all-Big Ten selection and Big Ten Athlete of the Year, Long passed for 10,461 yards and 74 touchdowns in leading the Hawkeyes to four straight bowl appearances, including the 1986 Rose Bowl. The Wheaton, Illinois native also ranked high on two all-time NCAA charts: third in career passing efficiency and sixth in career passing yards.

Long as a senior was the winner of the Maxwell Trophy, which goes to the College Football Player of the Year as chosen by the Maxwell Club of Philadelphia, the Seattle Golden Helmet Club's and Football News' College Player of the Year awards, and the Davey O'Brien Award from the Fort Worth Club as the nation's top quarterback. Long is a member of the College Football Hall of Fame.

Career Totals: Chuck Long

Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds	TDs
1,203.....	782.....	.650.....	10,461	74

BRAD BANKS: A Year to Remember

Heading into the 2002 season, one of the biggest questions marks was the quarterback position, where senior Brad Banks, a junior college transfer who shared playing time in 2001 with Kyle McCann, was the only Hawkeye quarterback with game experience.

Those questions marks turned to exclamation points from the very beginning of the season, as Banks stepped right in and led Iowa to the Big Ten title with a perfect 8-0 record. Banks and his teammates earned Iowa's first-ever invitation to a BCS bowl, as the Hawkeyes earned an invitation to the 2003 Orange Bowl.

After leading Iowa to a 3-1 non-conference record, Banks stepped into the national spotlight in his first conference game, leading Iowa to a 42-35 overtime win at Penn State. Sharp from the very beginning, Banks led Iowa to a 17-0 advantage in the first quarter and a 35-13 margin in the second half. After Penn State rallied, Banks connected with C.J. Jones in overtime to give Iowa the win.

His magic continued the following week as he led his teammates on a game-winning drive in the final minutes of a 31-28 home win over Purdue. Banks engineered the 87-yard, eight-play drive that ended with a seven-yard touchdown pass to TE Dallas Clark on fourth down with just 67 seconds left in the game.

Later in the season Iowa earned a key 34-9 win at Michigan, and it was Banks who led the way. He completed 18-29 passes for 222 yards and three scores and ran for 53 yards. For the year, Banks threw for 26 touchdowns, with just five interceptions.

Banks reaped the benefits of his final college season. He was first team all-Big Ten and was also named Offensive Player of the Year and Big Ten Most Valuable Player.

On the national scene, he placed second in the voting for the Heisman Trophy, while earning the Davey O'Brien Award as the top quarterback in the nation. He was the Associated Press Player of the Year and a Walter Camp first team all-American.

Career Totals: Brad Banks

Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	TDs
362.....	213.....	.588.....	3,155	30

MARK VLASIC: Patience Pays Off

Mark Vlasic studied for years behind Chuck Long before having his opportunity to direct the Iowa offense. For both Vlasic and the Hawkeyes the wait was worthwhile. The Monaca, Pennsylvania native was the NCAA's top passer for much of the 1986 season before being sidelined with a shoulder injury. Vlasic, however, was back in the starter's position when the Hawkeyes lined up in the Holiday Bowl in San Diego, a game in which he earned MVP honors. Vlasic guided Iowa to victory on the strength of 18 completions for 222 yards and two touchdowns. Vlasic's 1986 season totals were impressive -- 108 completions, 1,456 yards and 11 touchdowns -- and his talents recognized by the management of the San Diego Chargers, who made the academic all-Big Ten selection their fourth round pick in the 1987 NFL Draft.

Career Totals: Mark Vlasic

Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yards	TDs
236.....	134.....	.568.....	1,939	14

CHUCK HARTLIEB: Taking the Tradition to Another Level

Chuck Hartlieb will probably never forget the fall of 1987. The Woodstock, Illinois native enjoyed more success in eight games after being tabbed Iowa's No. 1 quarterback than most of the nation's field generals experienced in the full season. One of six Hawkeyes named to all-Big Ten and all-America teams, Hartlieb completed 65 percent of his attempts for 3,092 yards and 19 touchdowns while leading the 1987 Hawkeyes to a then school record-tying 10 victories. Five times he threw for more than 300 yards, including Iowa's game against Northwestern, in which the academic all-American enjoyed an afternoon of Heisman proportions. Against the Wildcats he completed 25 of 32 passes for a school record 471 yards and a Big Ten record seven touchdowns. In 1988, Iowa's Big Ten Medal of Honor recipient continued his excellence by breaking Chuck Long's school records for completion in a season with 288 and yards in a season with 3,738. Hartlieb completed his career as only the second player in NCAA history to throw for more than 3,000 yards in two consecutive seasons and second only to Miami's Vinny Testaverde in NCAA career pass efficiency.

Career Totals: Chuck Hartlieb

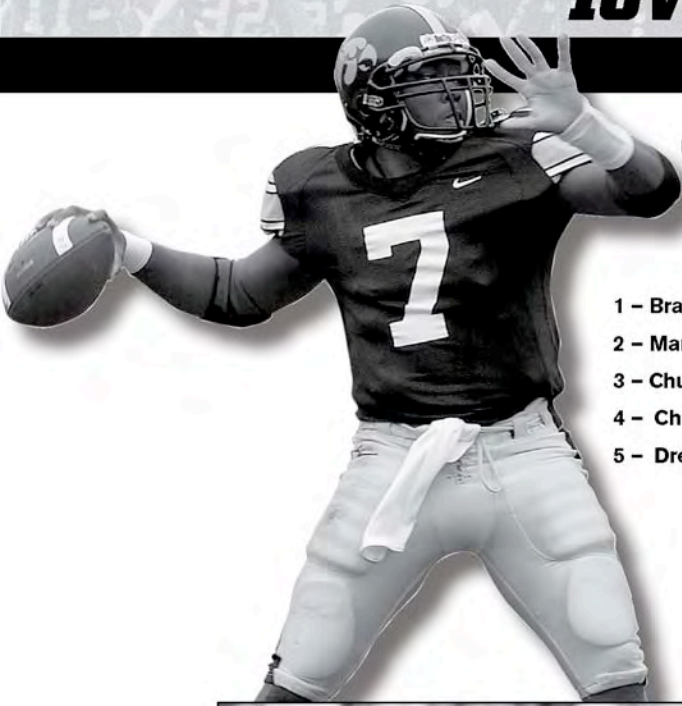
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DREW TATE: Iowa's Dramatic Leader

Drew Tate took over as Iowa's starting quarterback as a sophomore in 2004. In two seasons, Tate has worked his way onto just about every list of game, season and career records possible. But even more than numbers, Tate has led the Hawkeyes to victories. In his first season as the starter, Tate and the Hawkeyes fought through some early season injuries to win their final eight games of the year, posting a 7-1 Big Ten Conference record to win the league for the second time in three seasons. After opening conference play with a loss at Michigan, Iowa won its last seven conference games to share the title. A clinching win over Wisconsin in the home finale gave Iowa its third straight January bowl bid as the Hawkeyes were selected to meet defending national champion LSU in the 2005 Capital One Bowl.

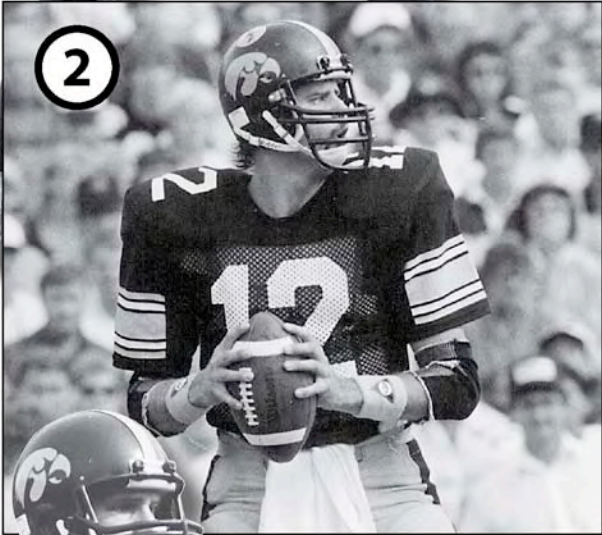
After a late LSU rally left Iowa trailing with 46 seconds left in the game, Tate connected with senior WR Warren Holloway on what many call the biggest pass play in Hawkeye history. Tate hit Holloway for a 56-yard touchdown pass on the final play, giving Iowa a 30-25 victory.

Iowa featured a much more balanced offense last season, and Tate was even better as the Hawkeyes earned a second trip to Tampa in the past three years to face Florida in the 2006 Outback Bowl. Tate threw for over 2,800 yards and 22 touchdowns, completing over 60% of his pass attempts for the second straight year while tossing just seven interceptions.

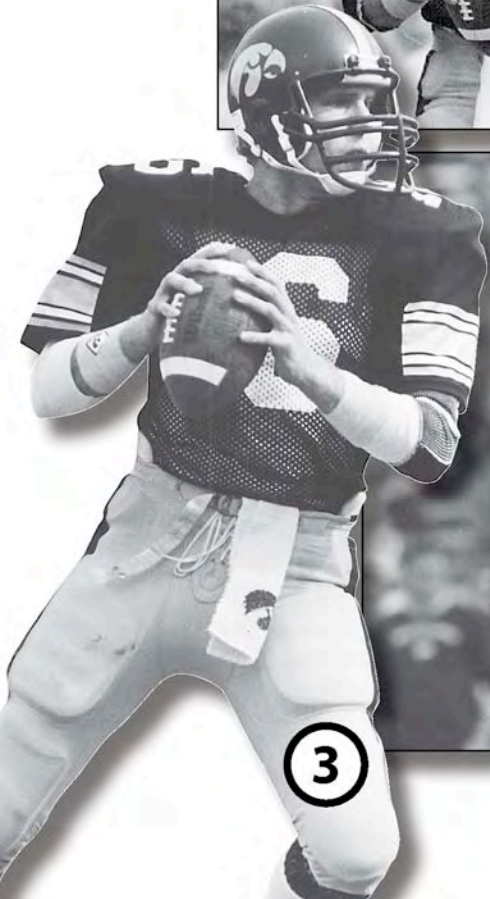
Heading into his final season, Tate ranks second in career touchdown passes, third in completion percentage, fourth in completions and fifth in attempts, yards and total offense.

Career Totals: Drew Tate

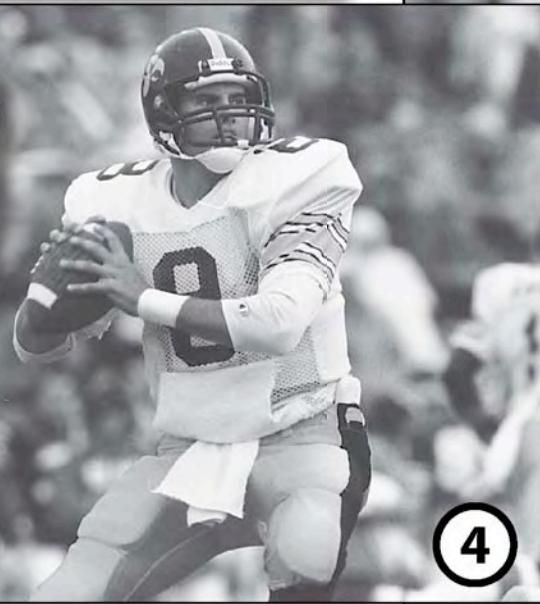
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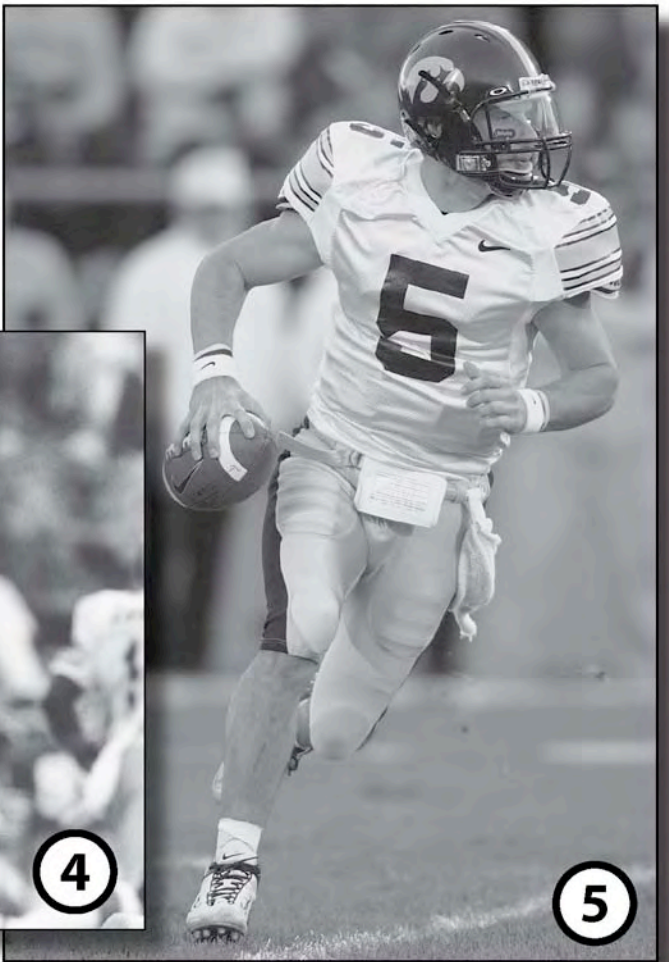
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IOWA RUNNING BACKS

Leaders of the Iowa Rushing Attack

From Dennis Mosley in 1979 to Fred Russell in 2003, Iowa's running backs over the last quarter-century who have rushed for over 1,000 yards in a season have proven to be very durable, very versatile, and very well liked by the National Football League.

The latest in Iowa's line of 1,000 yard rushers is Albert Young, who burst on the scene a year ago, leading Iowa with 1,334 rushing yards in his sophomore season. Young set an Iowa record by rushing for over 100 yards in seven straight games and he led the Big Ten in rushing yards per game (125.2) in league games.

For the season he averaged 111.2 rushing yards and 146.7 all-purpose yards per outing. Young, who missed the majority of two seasons with injuries, proved to be a pass catching threat as well with 24 receptions for 244 yards. He also averaged 15.2 yards on kickoff returns.

Young earned second team all-Big Ten honors in becoming the first Iowa running back to lead the Big Ten in rushing since Dennis Mosley in 1979. He is just the fourth sophomore in school history to rush for over 1,000 yards.

Led by Ronnie Harmon, a first round selection in the 1986 NFL Draft, eight Iowa running backs have been selected in the first five rounds of the NFL Draft in the last 26 years. Under the leadership of Coach Hayden Fry and Coach Kirk Ferentz, the Iowa running game has included several individuals who have moved near the top of Iowa's rushing charts for single game, season and career performances.

With Young's breakout season a year ago, Iowa has had a 1,000-yard running back in five of the last six seasons. Fred Russell rushed for 1,264 yards in 2002 and 1,355 yards in 2003. Russell earned first team all-Big Ten honors in 2002 as Iowa shared the Big Ten title with an 8-0 league record. In 2003 Russell earned second team all-conference honors while becoming just the third Iowa running back to rush for over 1,000 in more than one season.

From Mosley, Iowa's first 1,000-yard rusher, to Young, the most recent, nine of the 11 Hawkeyes who have rushed for over 1,000 yards in a single season, have accomplished that feat while under the direction of Carl Jackson, Iowa's current running backs coach.

In Fry's first year as Iowa's head coach, the Hawkeyes followed the lead of Mosley, who rushed for 1,267 yards to become Iowa's first player to rush for over 1,000 yards in a single season. Mosley had a solid career heading into his senior season before Coach Fry gave the native of Youngstown, OH the ball in Mosley's final season. Mosley ended his career with 2,133 rushing yards before being drafted by the Minnesota Vikings. He had a career-best of 229 rushing yards in a 1979 win over Iowa State.

Iowa's drive to the 1981 Big Ten title and appearance in the 1982 Rose Bowl no doubt played a key role in the recruitment of Ronnie Harmon, who joined the program as a wide receiver and left as the second leading rusher in school history.

Harmon led Iowa's rushing attack with 1,166 in 1985 as the Hawkeyes won the Big Ten and again advanced to the Rose Bowl. Showing his versatility, Harmon in 1985 also had 60 pass receptions for 699 yards. He ranks as one of just two players in the history of Iowa football to lead the team in rushing and receiving in the same season.

Harmon, who joined the Iowa program from Laurelton, NY, completed his Hawkeye career with 2,271 rushing yards and 2,045 receiving yards. He currently ranks third in career receiving yards, seventh in career rushing and eighth in career scoring with 192 points. He was selected by Buffalo in the first round of the NFL Draft following his senior season.

Tony Stewart, a native of Vauxhall, NJ, made an immediate impact on the Iowa program, leading the team in rushing as a sophomore in 1988 with 1,036 yards, becoming the first Iowa sophomore to gain over 1,000 yards. Despite a

major knee injury during his career, Stewart gained 2,562 yards as a Hawkeye and was a senior leader when the Hawkeyes won the 1990 Big Ten title.

Coach Fry recruited a large number of Texans during his tenure as the Iowa head coach, and one of the best was Sedrick Shaw from Austin. Shaw surpassed 1,000 yards rushing as a sophomore in 1994 and went on to become the only Iowa running back with three seasons of over 1,000 yards rushing.

And, if college football fans didn't know about Shaw in 1994, they certainly learned his name in 1995. That season he rushed for 178 yards vs. Iowa State, 214 yards against Wisconsin and a career-best 250 yards in a win at Michigan State. Shaw ended the season with 135 rushing yards in a Sun Bowl win over Washington as he rushed for 1,477 yards, the second-best single season total ever at Iowa.

Shaw enjoyed another outstanding season as a senior, leading Iowa's rushing attack with 1,116 yards as the Hawkeyes ended the year with an impressive Alamo Bowl win over Texas Tech. Shaw is Iowa's career rushing leader with 4,156 career yards and he is tied for sixth in career scoring with 214 points. Shaw was selected in the third round of the NFL Draft by the New England Patriots.

Tavian Banks, an Iowa native, joined the Iowa program following a prolific high school career at Bettendorf HS. Despite playing in the shadow of Shaw, Banks proved early in his career that he was a big play threat. Banks scored on several long running plays throughout his career and his touchdown runs of 89 yards (1996) and 82 yards (1997) against Iowa State rank as two of the longest rushing plays in Iowa history.

As a senior in 1997 Banks wasted no time in getting the season started, racing 63 yards for a touchdown on Iowa's first offensive play of the season. Banks led the nation in rushing for nearly half of the 1997 season and ended the year with 1,691 yards, the best single-season total in Iowa football history. Banks gained a school-record 314 yards in a 1997 win over Tulsa and he ranks second in career rushing with 2,977 yards. His 5.9 average per carry ranks third best in Iowa history and he ranks fourth in career scoring with 218 points.

Betts, in 2001, became the first Iowa player to lead the team in rushing for four straight seasons, and he surpassed 1,000 yards in both 2001 (1,060 yards) and 2000 (1,090 yards). After a redshirt season, the native of Blue Springs, MO rushed for 679 yards in 1998 and 857 yards in 1999. Showing his leadership, Betts paved the way for Iowa's Alamo Bowl appearance in 2001.

Proving to be one of the most durable Iowa running backs, Betts ranks second in career rushing attempts (831) and second in rushing yards (3,686). He ranks third in career rushing touchdowns and 11th in career scoring. Betts was in the starting line-up in his final 41 games at Iowa and 43 of the 46 games he played overall.

Following his final season, Betts also impressed the coaches and scouts in the NFL. He was selected in the second round of the 2002 NFL Draft by Washington and has had a productive career with the Redskins.

Russell served as Iowa's offensive catalyst as the Hawkeyes won 11 games (and shared the Big Ten title) in 2002 and 10 games in 2003, the best back-to-back seasons in Iowa football history. The native of Inkster, MI burst on the scene during his sophomore season in 2002, leading Iowa to the 2003 Orange Bowl. Russell rushed 220 times for 1,264 yards that season, despite missing all of two games and parts of others due to injury.

Fully healthy throughout the 2003 season, Russell was even better. He played in every game, rushing 282 times for 1,355 yards, the third best single season ever at Iowa. Russell was at his best at the end of the year, rushing for 150 yards in a 37-17 Outback Bowl win over Florida. He was the MVP of the Outback Bowl and later earned team MVP accolades at the Hula Bowl. Russell signed with the Miami Dolphins following his Hawkeye career.

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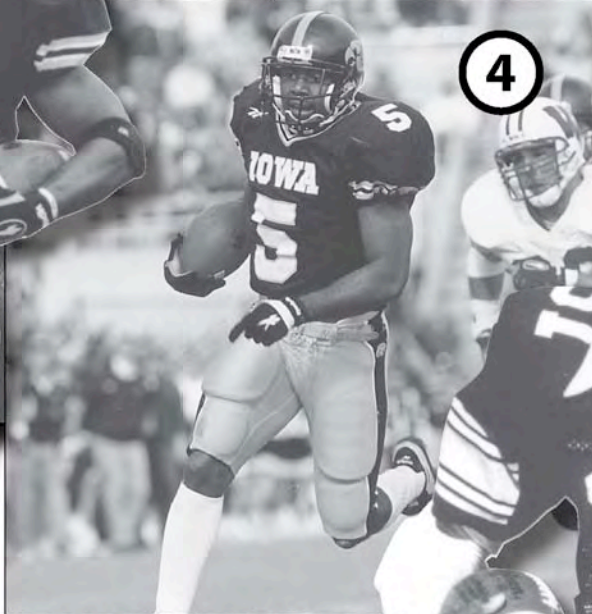
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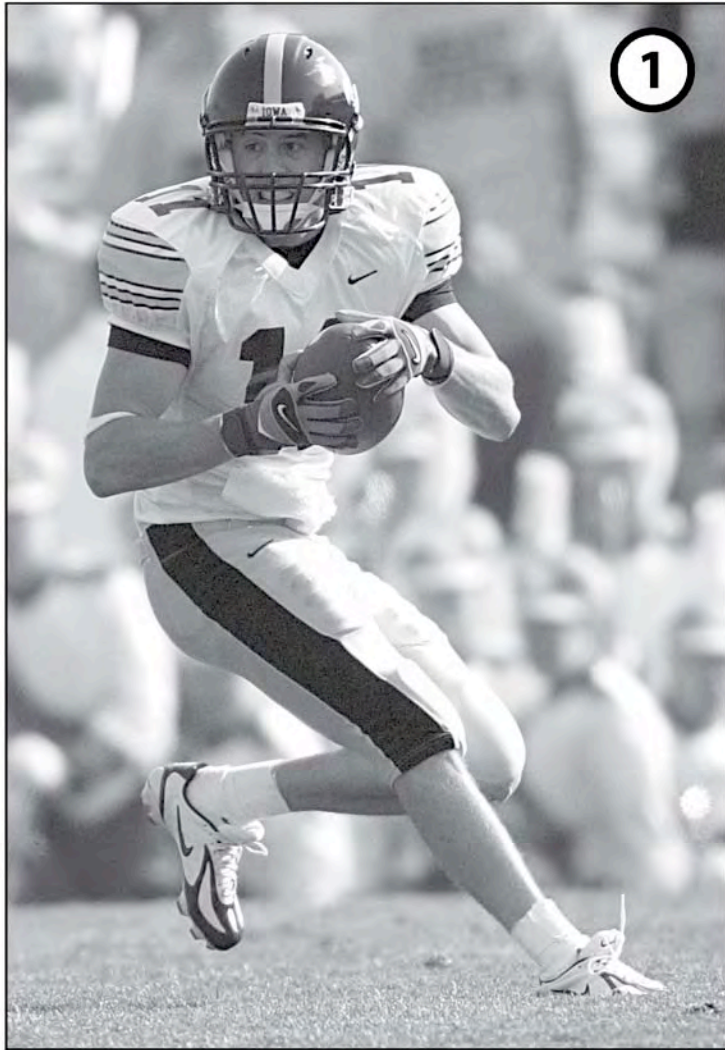
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IOWA WIDE RECEIVERS

Iowa's Receivers Have Proven Versatility

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The Iowa football program has been known for its outstanding quarterbacks. While nine Hawkeye quarterbacks have been all-Big Ten since 1983, those honors have been earned with a great cast of wide receivers playing a very supporting role.

The list of outstanding receivers has included highly recruited speedsters to walk-ons who have their efforts result in the reward of a scholarship, to multi-sport athletes who have also excelled in a second sport during their Hawkeye career.

The most recent name added to the list is Ed Hinkel, who completed his career a year ago. The native of Erie, PA was a steady and dependable receiver throughout his four-year career and he also was a key player on Iowa's highly-regarded special teams.

Hinkel's value was magnified last season when he was injured in a win at Purdue and forced to miss three games. Hinkel was unable to compete when the Hawkeyes dropped narrow decisions to Michigan (in overtime) and Northwestern. With Hinkel back in action, Iowa won at Wisconsin and closed the season with a home win over Minnesota to earn a fourth straight January bowl invitation. In his final home game, Hinkel had career bests of seven catches for 151 yards while matching a school record with four touchdown receptions.

Hinkel's career numbers include 135 receptions for 1,588 yards and 15 touchdowns. He also recorded a rushing and punt return touchdown. He ranks 14th in career receiving yards and his 15 scoring receptions tie as the third-highest total in Iowa history. Hinkel ranks 23rd in career scoring with 102 points.

Quinn Early, a native of Great Neck NY, put his name in the Iowa record book in both football and track and field. Early led Iowa in receiving in 1987 with 63 catches for 1,004 yards and he completed his career with 1,845 yards and 13 scoring receptions.

His best season in 1987 came just after he had gained attention while competing in track and field. Early in 1986 won the Big Ten Conference long jump title with a leap of 24-feet, 11-inches, a jump that remains today as one of the best in school history.

Because of his speed and leaping ability, Early earned the attention of NFL scouts. He was drafted in the third round of the 1988 NFL Draft by San Diego and competed in the NFL for over 10 years.

Danan Hughes is another outstanding two-sport star who joined the Iowa program from Bayonne, NJ. Hughes, who played centerfield for the Iowa baseball team, played professional baseball in the Milwaukee Brewers organization prior to his senior football season at Iowa.

Hughes ranks second in career receptions and receiving yards as his career totals include 146 receptions for 2,216 yards. Hughes led Iowa in receiving in both 1990 and 1991 as the Hawkeyes earned the Big Ten title in 1990 and posted a 10-1-1 overall record in 1991 while placing second in the Big Ten.

Choosing a professional career in football over baseball, Hughes was drafted by Kansas City in the 1992 NFL Draft and enjoyed a lengthy professional career with the Chiefs before his retirement.

Iowa City native Tim Dwight burst on the scene early in his career, in both football and track and field. An outstanding performer at Iowa City HS, Dwight led the Hawkeyes in receiving for three consecutive seasons after playing running back as a freshman. He is Iowa's all-time leader in receiving yards and ranks fourth in career catches, as his career numbers include 139 receptions for 2,271 yards. He averaged 16.3 yards per catch and his 21 scoring receptions tops the Iowa career list.

Dwight also stood out as a special teams player, earning consensus all-America honors in 1997 as a return specialist. He finished seventh in the Heisman Trophy voting following his senior year. He holds three of the top 10 punt returns in school history.

Dwight's track and field accomplishments are equally as impressive. He earned numerous all-America honors while competing in individual sprint events and Iowa relay teams. He was named the Athlete of the Meet at the 1999 Big Ten Conference outdoor championships in his final season.

Kevin Kasper is Iowa's latest example of a walk-on wide receiver who had his hard work pay off with an NFL contract. The native of Burr Ridge, IL led Iowa in receiving as both a junior and senior.

Kasper enjoyed a record-setting season as a senior with 82 receptions for 1,010 yards. The 82 receptions established a single-season mark for reception and the 1,010 yards ranks as the second highest single-season total at Iowa. His career numbers include a school-record 157 receptions for 1,974 yards.

Following his senior year Kasper was rewarded by being drafted by the Denver Broncos. He averaged 26.6 yards on kickoff returns for the Broncos in 2001, he led both Denver and Arizona in KO returns in 2002 and played for the Cardinals in 2003. Kasper concluded the 2004 season with the Super Bowl champion New England Patriots and heads into the 2006 season with Seattle.

In 2002 and 2003, a pair of Florida natives, C.J. Jones and Maurice Brown, led Iowa's receivers. Jones had 38 receptions for 468 yards as a senior in 2002 and he opened the 2003 Orange Bowl with a 100-yard kickoff return. Jones now plays in the NFL with the Seattle Seahawks.

Brown totaled 81 receptions for 1,473 yards in his final two years, despite missing five games in 2003 due to injury. Brown signed a professional contract with the New Orleans Saints.

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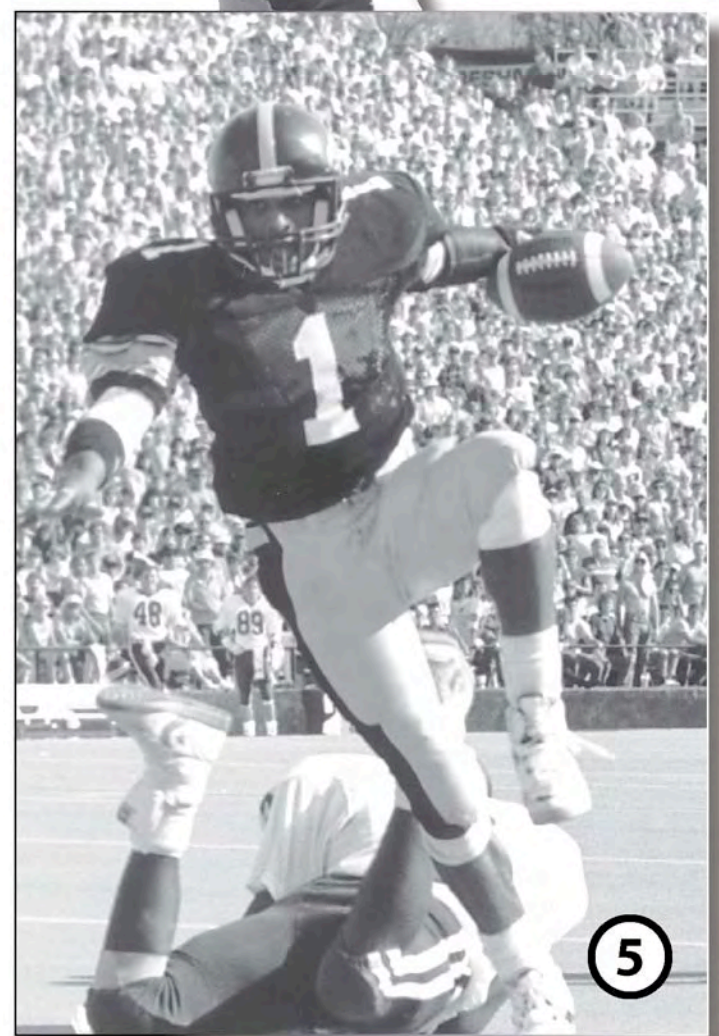
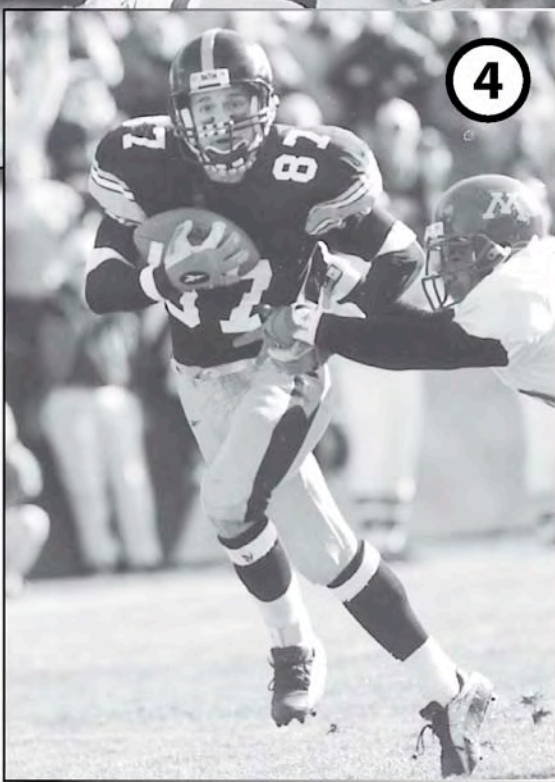
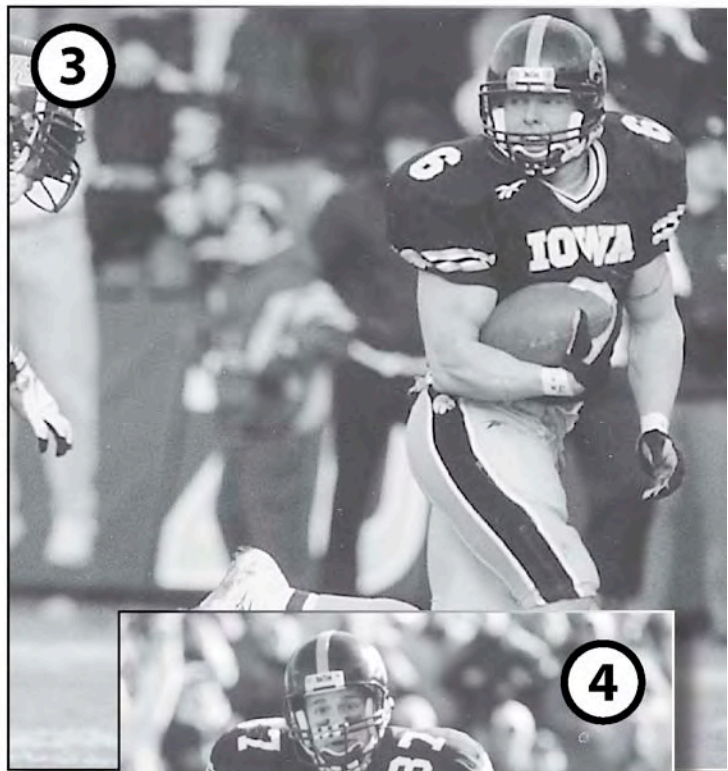
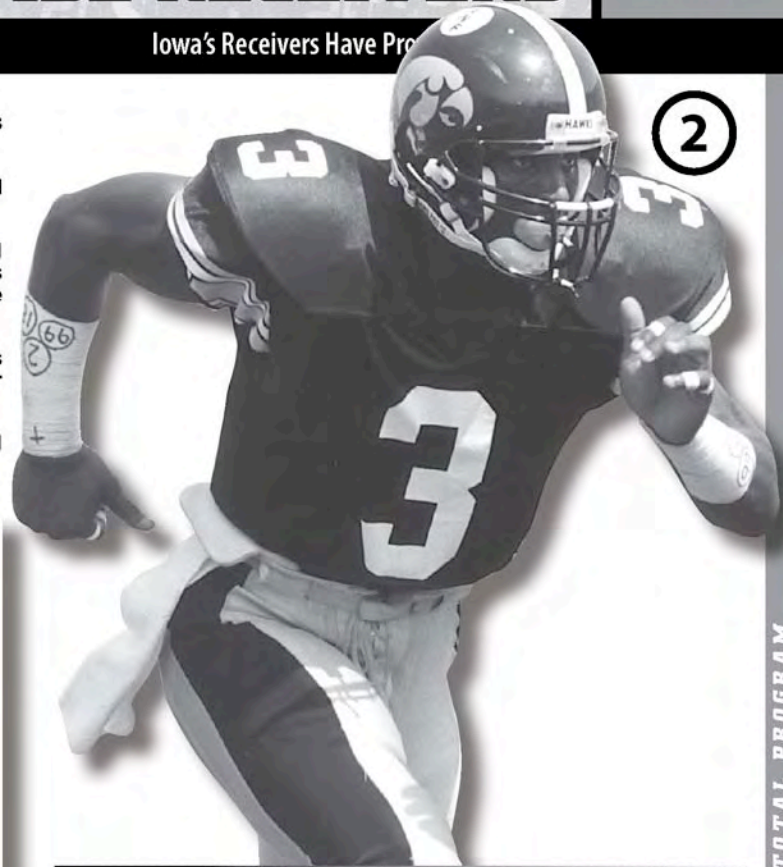
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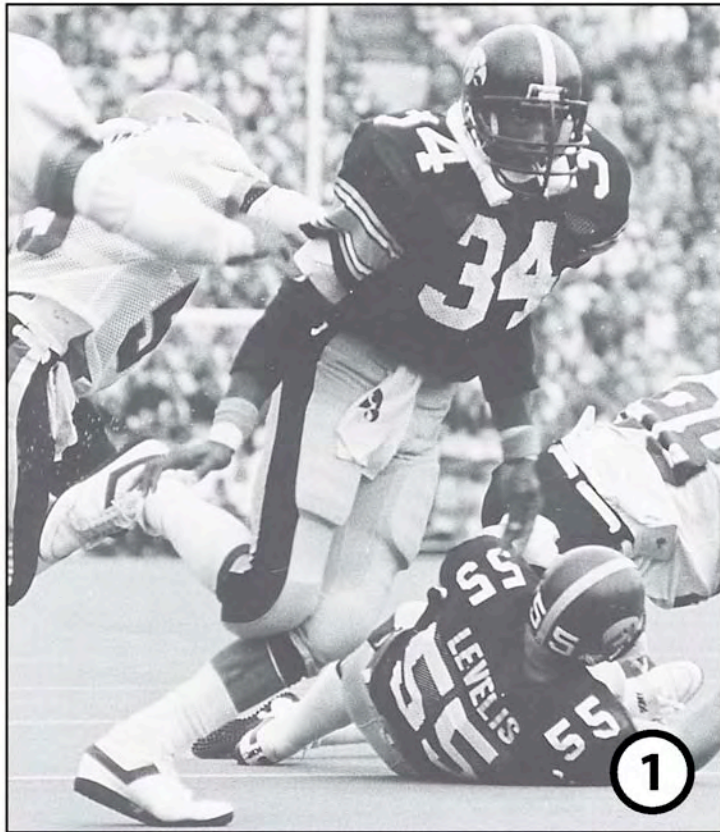
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IOWA TIGHT ENDS

Earn Big Ten Recognition

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If you stand 6-feet-plus, can carry out a block on a linebacker as easily as slip past and around a defensive back, and have hands soft enough to take in a delicate 15-yard spiral and arms strong enough to hold your own against a 275-pound defensive lineman, you may have what it takes to follow in the footsteps of the likes of Jonathan Hayes, Marv Cook, Michael Titley, Alan Cross, Scott Slutzker and Dallas Clark - all tight ends who enjoyed outstanding careers for the University of Iowa.

A tradition that began under the watchful eye of Hall of Fame Coach Hayden Fry, is continuing under current Hawkeye Coach Kirk Ferentz. That tradition includes the Hawkeyes having an outstanding tight end.

While standouts such as Hayes, Cook, Titley, Cross and Slutzker excelled under Fry, Ferentz in the past seven seasons has seen Austin Wheatley, Zeron Flemister, Dallas Clark, Erik Jensen and Tony Jackson move from Iowa to the NFL. Current senior Scott Chandler led the Hawkeyes in receptions last season with 47 catches for 552 yards and two scores.

Flemister has been in the NFL for six seasons, first with Washington and later with New England and Oakland. Clark was a first round selection of the Indianapolis Colts in the 2003 NFL Draft after earning consensus all-America honors with the Hawkeyes in 2002. He had 29 catches in 10 games as a rookie and last season had 37 receptions for 488 yards and four touchdowns.

Flemister is a native of Sioux City, Iowa who was a high school sprint champion. Despite battling injuries throughout his Hawkeye career, Flemister (6-5, 240) had the size and speed that NFL scouts look for in tight end prospects. Flemister signed an NFL contract with Washington following his senior season. Flemister saw considerable action for the Redskins for three seasons and was a part-time starter for Oakland a year ago.

Clark, an Iowa native, joined the Iowa program as a walk-on as well. Moving to tight end from linebacker, Clark had two outstanding years at Iowa before heading to the NFL following his junior season. As a junior Clark helped Iowa earn the Big Ten title with a perfect 8-0 record. Along with earning consensus all-America honors while being named to no fewer than seven first team all-America squads, Clark earned the John Mackey Award as the top tight

end in the nation. In his final year Clark had 43 receptions for 742 yards, raising his two-year career totals to 81 receptions for 1,281 yards and eight touchdowns.

Jackson started all 12 games during Iowa's 2004 championship season. He is a solid blocker with soft hands and he was drafted by the Seattle Seahawks in the 2005 NFL draft.

Jensen, a steady performer throughout his career, was known more for his blocking than his receiving. That reputation, and the respect NFL teams have for the Iowa system, made Jensen a fifth round draft choice of the St. Louis Rams in the 2004 NFL draft. Jensen was a member of the Super Bowl champion Pittsburgh Steelers a year ago.

Hayes, an athletic 6-foot-5, 245-pound native of South Fayette, PA, paid his dues for three seasons before coming into his own during Iowa's 1984 Freedom Bowl campaign. Hayes had 42 receptions for 512 yards and six touchdowns. After completing his Iowa career with 53 catches, seven touchdowns and all-Big Ten and all-America honors, Hayes, one of five team captains of the 1984 Hawkeyes, was drafted in the second round by Kansas City. He was a fixture in the Chief offense for several seasons and competed in Super Bowl XXX for the Pittsburgh Steelers.

"I'm not fast, I'm not strong, I'm not quick. I just try to get open," Marv Cook, the next in the line of outstanding Iowa tight ends, told *Sports Illustrated* prior to the 1988 college football season. Cook got open a lot during his Iowa career. So much, in fact, that he led the Big Ten in receiving his senior season with 63 receptions for 767 yards and three touchdowns.

And, he received almost as many post-season honors as spirals. Cook was named to first team all-America squads selected by United Press International, Gannett News Service, Kodak, *Football News* and the *Chicago Tribune*. He was also named to Associated Press' second-team all-America squad. Cook was a third-round selection of the New England Patriots who earned team MVP and all-Pro honors during his career.

Cook's career totals were indeed legendary: 126 receptions, 1,825 yards, and six touchdowns. He played on two Rose Bowl squads and was on the receiving end of one of the biggest pass completions in Iowa football history - a 28-yard touchdown with no time remaining that gave the Hawkeyes a 29-27 victory at Ohio State and snapped a 12-game losing streak for Iowa in Columbus that dated back to the 1961 season.

Iowa's tradition of quality tight ends continued with Scott Slutzker, who was all-Big Ten as a senior in 1995. Slutzker had 39 catches for 575 yards as a senior, ranking fifth nationally in receiving yards and 6th in catches among tight ends in the nation.

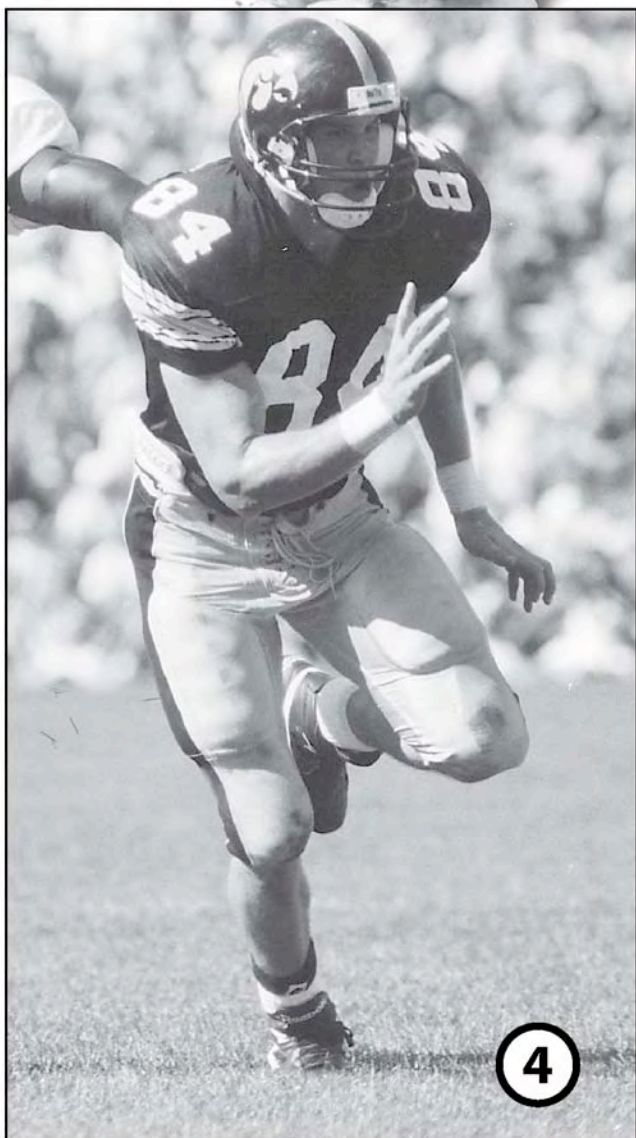
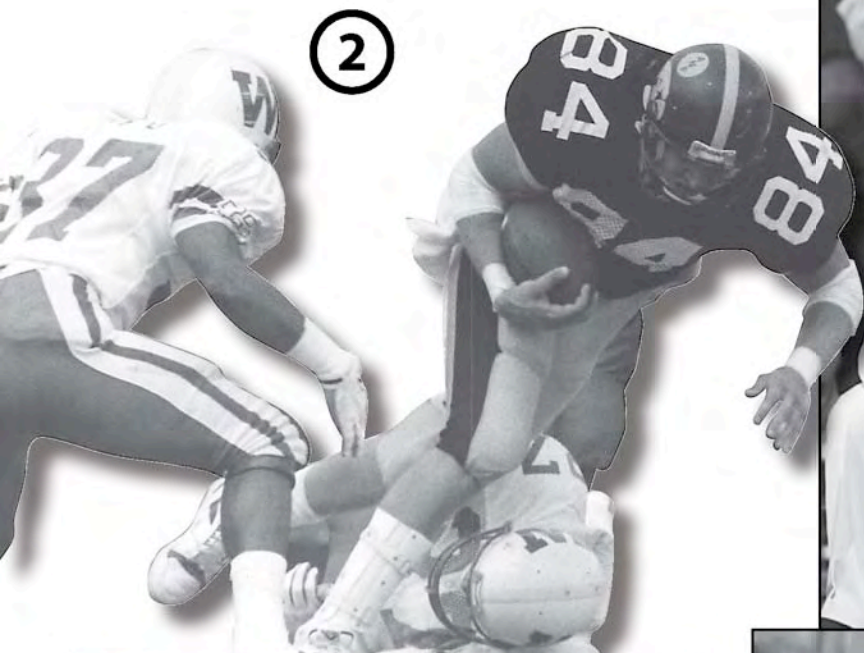
Slutzker was a third round selection of the Indianapolis Colts in the 1996 NFL Draft. Slutzker was a three-year starter who also earned all-Big Ten recognition as a sophomore. He totaled 1,261 receiving yards in his career, ranking fourth among tight ends in career receiving yards.

- 1 - Jonathan Hayes enjoyed an NFL career with the Kansas City Chiefs and Pittsburgh Steelers after being a second round selection in 1984.
- 2 - Following his all-American career as a Hawkeye, Marv Cook earned all-Pro honors in the NFL.
- 3 - Now a member of the Oakland Raiders, Zeron Flemister visits with Iowa Coach Kirk Ferentz during a return visit to the Iowa campus.
- 4 - Scott Slutzker ranks third among Iowa tight ends with 1,261 career receiving yards.
- 5 - Dallas Clark was a first round selection of the Indianapolis Colts after earning consensus first team all-America honors in 2002.

IOWA TIGHT ENDS



Earn Big Ten Recognition



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It isn't listed as an official major in the catalogue, but playing a position in the offensive line for the Hawkeye football team while earning a degree from the University of Iowa has certainly helped a large number of Iowa football graduates earn a job after college – a high-profile, well-paying job in the National Football League.

The success of Iowa's offensive linemen, both on the college and professional level, is well documented. Under the director of Hayden Fry and current Coach Kirk Ferentz, 23 Hawkeye offensive linemen have been drafted by NFL teams. That list included five players being selected in the first six rounds in the last four years.

The most recent example of excellence is Robert Gallery, Iowa's left tackle in 2003 and the second player selected in the 2004 NFL Draft. Gallery's selection by Oakland capped an outstanding senior year in which Gallery was awarded the Outland Trophy as the best lineman in the nation while earning consensus all-American honors.

Gallery is the third Iowa lineman to earn the Outland Trophy and he became the fifth offensive player to earn the Big Ten Lineman of the Year award. An Iowa player has earned the Big Ten honor in two of the last four seasons, as guard Eric Steinbach claimed the honor after helping Iowa post a perfect 8-0 Big Ten record in 2002.

Following the 2005 season, center Brian Ferentz signed an NFL contract with the Atlanta Falcons. Ferentz started 20 consecutive games over the last two years and had 26 career starts. He helped the Hawkeyes earn the Big Ten title in 2004 and last year keyed an offensive line that led the way for RB Albert Young to rush for over 1,300 yards and QB Drew Tate to pass for over 2,800 yards.

Tackle Pete McMahon, a former walk-on, followed Gallery's footsteps following the 2004 season. Starting every game in the offensive line, McMahon was rewarded for his play by being drafted in the sixth round - - also by the Oakland Raiders. McMahon is now a member of the Cleveland Browns.

Kirk Ferentz has played a major role in the careers of many Iowa offensive linemen. As Iowa's offensive line coach from 1981-89, Ferentz molded many of the players who went on to enjoy successful careers in the NFL.

Iowa's drive to an undefeated Big Ten campaign in 2002, which included an overall record of 11-2 and an Orange Bowl invitation, was driven by outstanding play from the interior line on both offense and defense. While Steinbach was the Big Ten Offensive Lineman of the Year, center Bruce Nelson and tackle David Porter earned all-conference honors. Steinbach (second round), Nelson (second round) and guard Ben Sobieski (fifth round) were all selected in the 2003 NFL Draft, while Porter signed an NFL contract with Green Bay.

Iowa's list of offensive linemen who have enjoyed success in the NFL has included John Alt, who enjoyed a 13-year career with the Kansas City Chiefs, Mike Haight, who enjoyed a seven-year NFL career, Ross Verba, a 1997 first round selection, Mark Bortz (Chicago), Joe Devlin (Buffalo), Jay Hilgenberg (Chicago) and Joel Hilgenberg (New Orleans). Joel Hilgenberg was recently inducted into the New Orleans Saints Hall of Fame.

Center Casey Wiegmann, who earned all-Big Ten recognition in 1995, signed an NFL contract in the first few days following the 1996 draft. Wiegmann started the majority of games for the Chicago Bears in 1998 and has started 79 straight games for Kansas City over the past five seasons.

Verba, a starter at left tackle throughout his Iowa career, earned a starting spot at left tackle in his first year with the Packers and earned all-Rookie honors. Mike Goff, a first team all-Big Ten selection in 1997, was a third round selection of the Cincinnati Bengals in the 1998 NFL Draft, the second offensive guard taken. Goff has recently signed a long-term contract with the San Diego Chargers and Verba is a member of the Detroit Lions.

"I owe all of my success at the University of Iowa and in the NFL to Coach Ferentz and Coach Fry. Kirk was an excellent technician, teacher and motivator. His knowledge of the game, and especially of offensive line play, was a great benefit to me and my career, and his expertise will assure future success for Iowa's offensive linemen."

JOHN ALT

Former Iowa Hawkeye | Former All-Pro Lineman | Kansas City Chiefs

IOWA'S BIG TEN OFFENSIVE LINEMEN OF THE YEAR

2003	Robert Gallery
2002	Eric Steinbach
1992	Mike Devlin
1986	Dave Croston
1985	Mike Haight

1 - Robert Gallery earned the 2003 Outland Trophy as the best lineman in the nation. Gallery was the second player drafted in the 2004 NFL Draft.

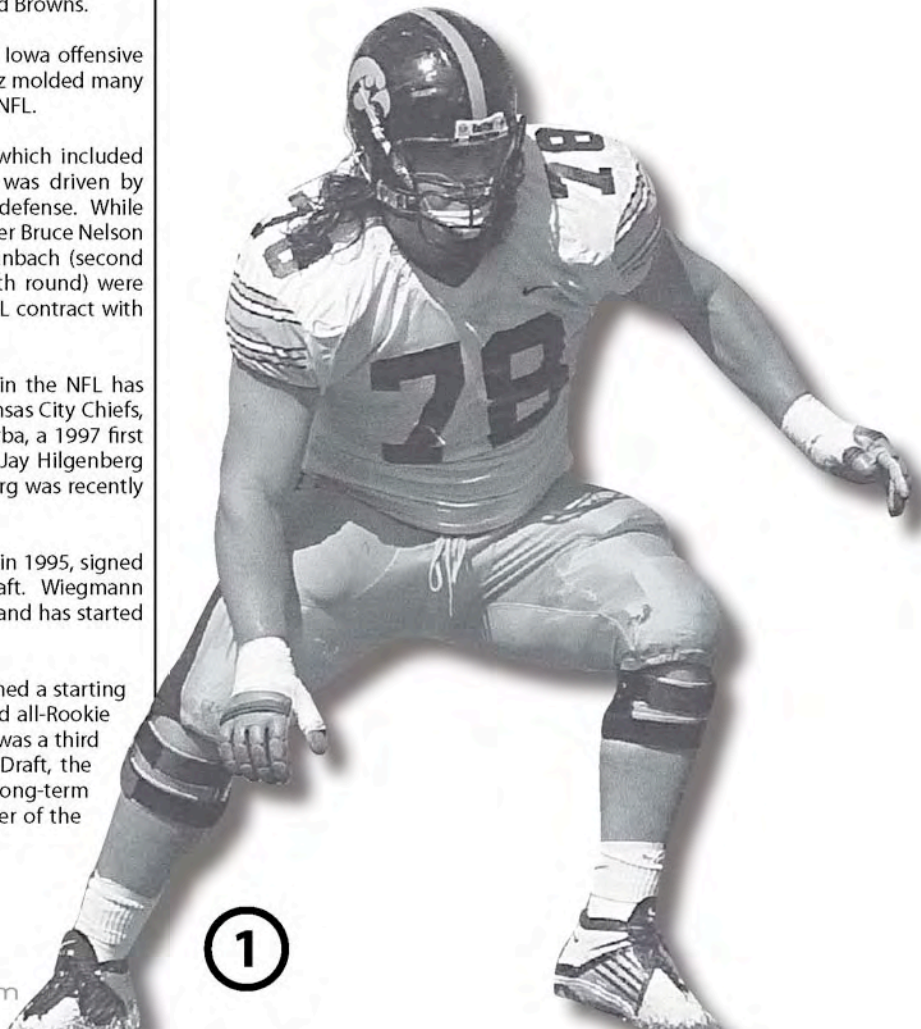
2 - Eric Steinbach was Lineman of the Year in the Big Ten in 2002 and was the first player selected in the second round of the 2003 NFL Draft.

3 - Center Bruce Nelson started every game during his four-year career at Iowa. After joining the program as a walk-on, Nelson was a second round draft selection of the Carolina Panthers in the 2003 NFL Draft.

4 - Center Mike Devlin was Big Ten Offensive Lineman of the Year in 1992 and earned first team all-American honors.

5 - Mike Haight (79) was named Big Ten Lineman of the Year in 1985 as Iowa won the Big Ten title.

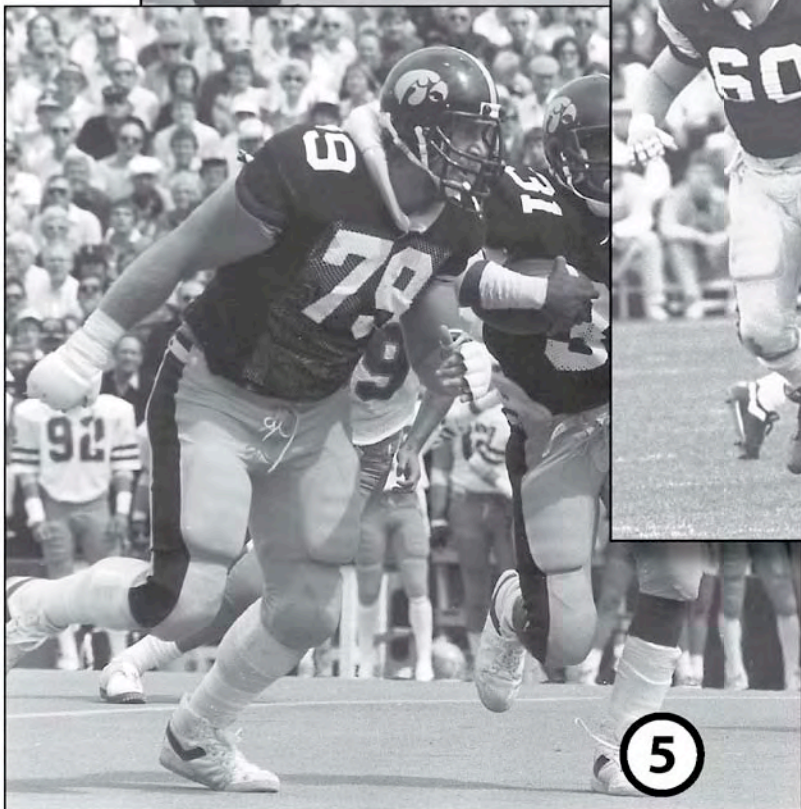
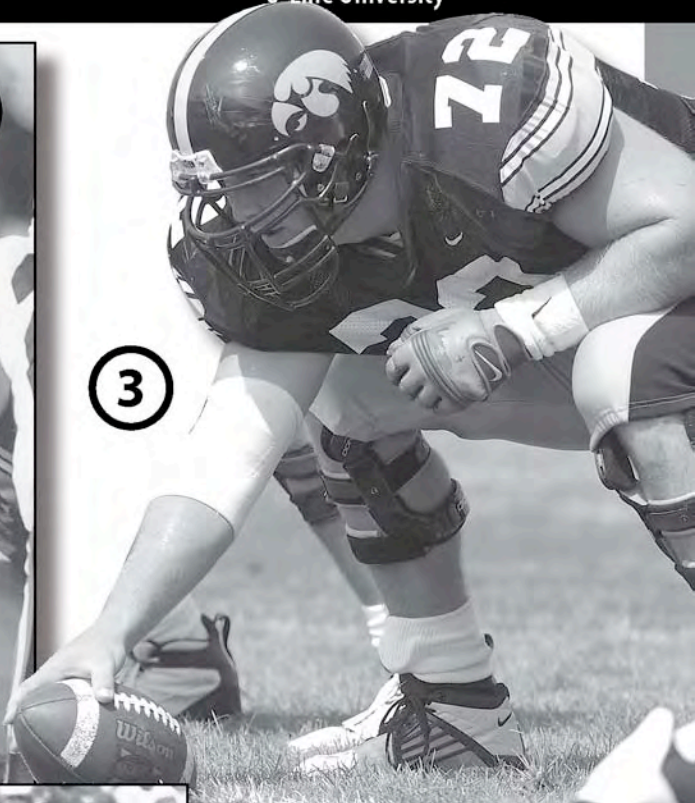
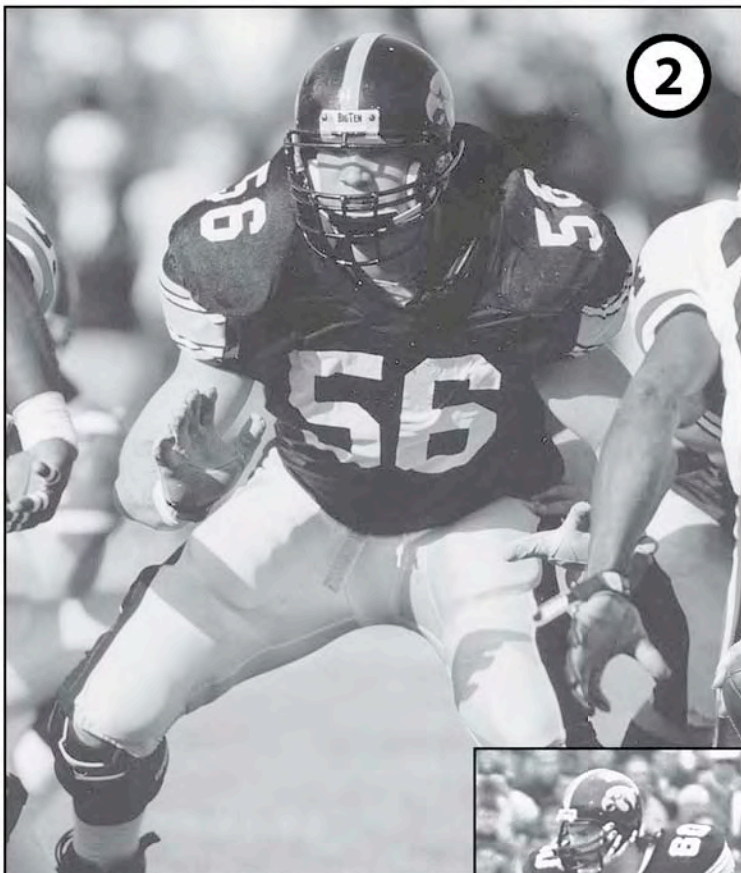
6 - Center Brian Ferentz started all 12 games in 2005 and signed a free agent contract with the Atlanta Falcons.



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IOWA DEFENSIVE LINEMEN

Follow a Great Tradition

When talk centers on the success of the Iowa football program over the past 25 years, the conversation has to include the play of the guys in the trenches -- the defensive linemen. In doesn't matter if its Hawkeye fans who have seen their team win five Big Ten titles, or professional coaches and scouts talking about playing in the NFL, the conversation usually includes Iowa Hawkeyes.

Iowa's success along the defensive front is well documented. For example, when the Big Ten Conference initiated its Big Ten Lineman of the Year Award in 1984, it did so by honoring the Hawkeyes' Paul Hufford. Dave Haight, Leroy Smith, and Jared DeVries have followed in the footsteps of Hufford, all being named the best in the Big Ten Conference.

Iowa's defensive line led the way in 2004 when the Hawkeyes won their second Big Ten title in three seasons while posting a 10-2 record. Four seniors, Matt Roth, Jonathan Babineaux, Tyler Luebke and Derreck Robinson, started all 12 games, leading the way for the best defense in the Big Ten. Iowa led the Big Ten and ranked fifth in the nation in rushing defense. Roth and Babineaux were both second round selections in the most recent NFL draft, while Luebke and Robinson signed NFL contracts the first day following the draft.

Roth joined the Iowa program as a linebacker before moving to defensive end early in his career. So dominant was Roth as a senior, he was the only defensive player in the Big Ten in 2004 to be a unanimous first team selection on the all-conference team voted on by league coaches.

Iowa's 10-3 season record in 2003 was due, in large part, to the play of the defense. There was a reason Iowa linebackers Abdul Hodge and Chad Greenway finished first and third, respectively, in the league in tackles. That reason was the play of the defensive line.

In 2003, tackle Jared Clauss and end Howard Hodges keyed a defensive front that did the dirty work. Creating havoc amongst opponent offensive linemen, Iowa's defensive front kept blockers off the linebackers, leaving them free to step up and make tackles. The Hawkeyes led the Big Ten Conference in scoring defense and ranked seventh nationally. Iowa was also second in the league and eighth in the nation in rushing defense.

Iowa's drive to an undefeated Big Ten campaign in 2002 included an overall record of 11-2 and an Orange Bowl invitation.

Tackle Colin Cole was a first team all-Big Ten selection who earned second team all-America honors. Three of Iowa's four interior defensive linemen, who helped Iowa rank fifth nationally in rushing defense in 2002, earned all-conference honors. Cole played for the Packers last season, recording 40 tackles while playing in all 16 games.

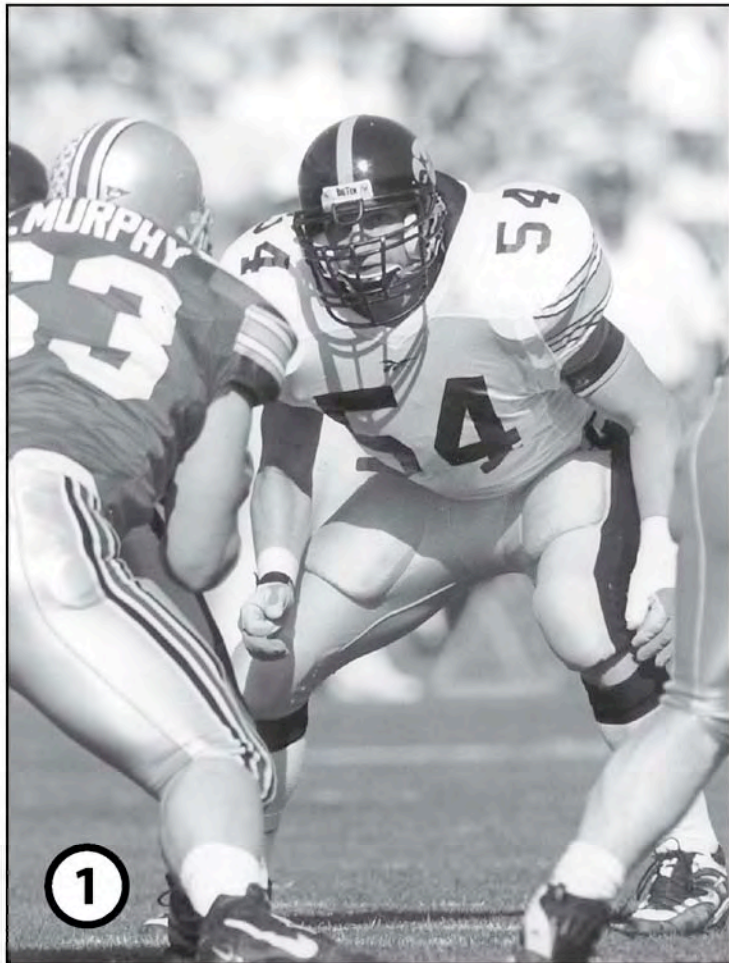
Fifteen of Iowa's defensive linemen, including 14 in the last 12 years, have been drafted by NFL teams since 1981. Included in that group are Mark Bortz (Chicago) and Andre Tippett (New England). Bortz, after a standout career on defense at Iowa, became an offensive lineman in the NFL and played a key role for Chicago when the Bears won the 1986 Super Bowl.

Tippett was a second round selection in the 1982 draft after helping Iowa win the 1981 Big Ten title. He enjoyed an all-Pro career with the Patriots and is currently a member of New England's administrative staff.

Joining the Iowa program as a quarterback, Leroy Smith had no trouble moving to defensive end. Smith played a key roll as Iowa won the 1990 Big Ten title and posted a 10-win season in 1991. He was the 1991 Big Ten Defensive Lineman of the Year. Smith continues to hold Iowa records for QB sacks in a game (5), tackles for loss in a game (6) and QB sacks in a season (18).

Mike Wells, a two-time first team all-Big Ten defensive tackle for the Hawkeyes, was selected in the fourth round of the 1994 NFL Draft by the Minnesota Vikings and played several seasons for the Lions and Bears.

Earning all-America honors for three straight seasons, DeVries was the Defensive Lineman of the Year in the Big Ten in 1997. He was previously named the Most Valuable Lineman in the 1995 Sun Bowl and the defensive MVP in the 1996 Builders Square Alamo Bowl.



Defensive lineman Aaron Kampman was selected in the fifth round of the 2002 NFL Draft by the Green Bay Packers. Kampman has played well in four seasons with the Packers. Playing well at the end of the 2003 season, Kampman totaled 14 solo tackles in Green Bay's two playoff games that season. A year ago, Kampman started all 16 games for the Packers, recording a career-high 105 tackles.

Iowa's Big Ten Defensive Linemen of the Year

1997	Jared DeVries
1991	LeRoy Smith
1987	Dave Haight
1984	Paul Hufford

1 - Aaron Kampman, a key player in the defensive line throughout his Hawkeye career, is in the midst of a standout career in the NFL with the Green Bay Packers.

2 - DE Matt Roth (31) and DT Jonathan Babineaux (45) led Iowa's defense in 2004 and both were second round selections in the 2005 NFL Draft. Iowa's defense in 2004 led the Big Ten and ranked fifth in the nation in rushing defense.

3 - When Dave Haight was honored as Big Ten Lineman of the Year in 1987 it marked the fourth straight year an Iowa lineman won the award.

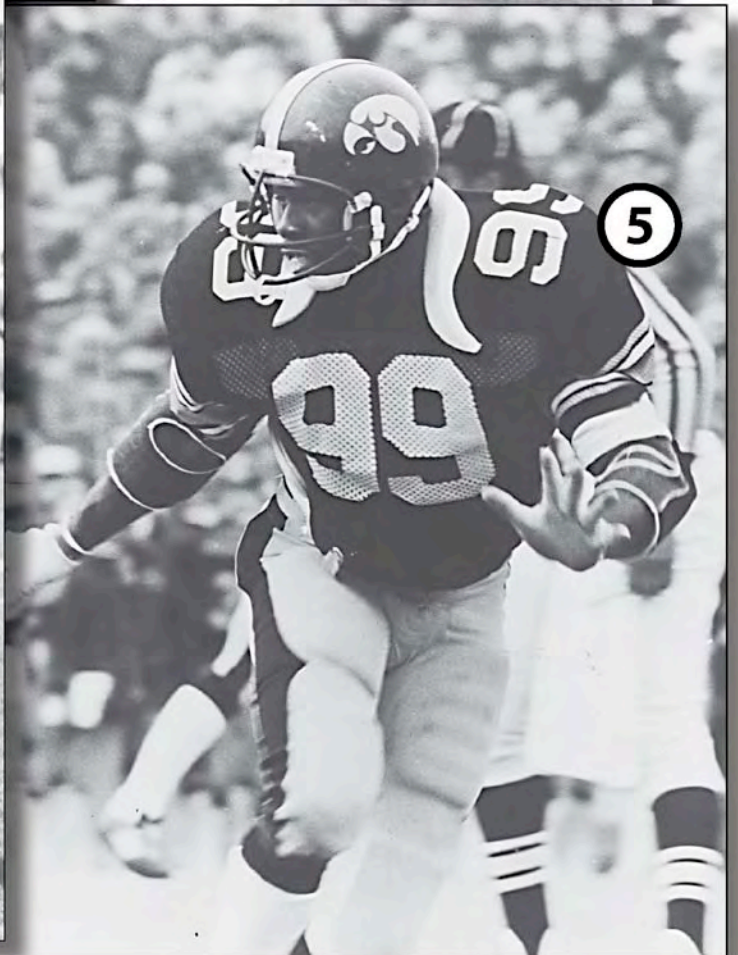
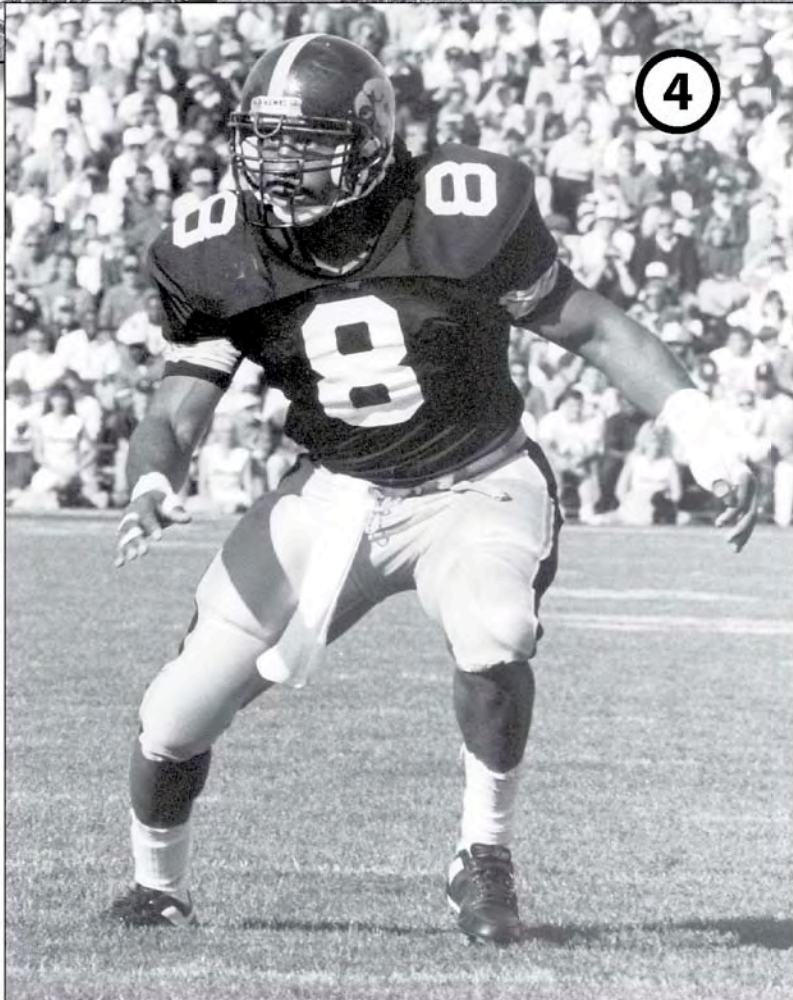
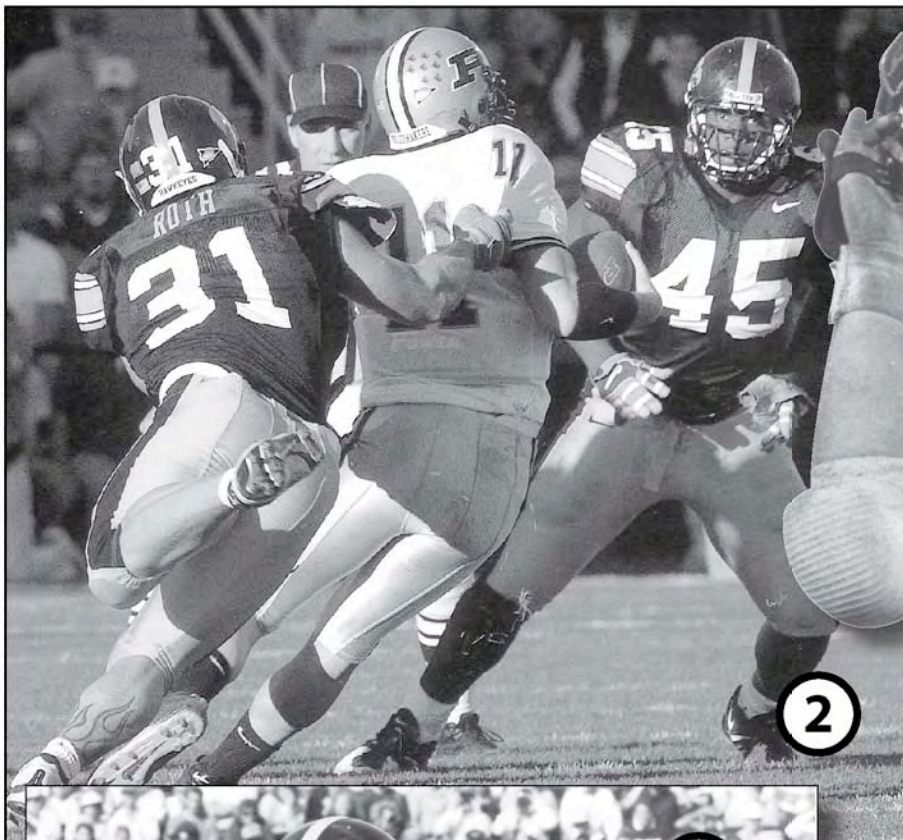
4 - Defensive end Leroy Smith was a consensus all-American in 1991 after being named Big Ten Defensive Lineman of the Year.

5 - Andre Tippett was the leader of Iowa's defense as the Hawkeyes won the 1981 Big Ten title and he later earned all-Pro honors with the New England Patriots.



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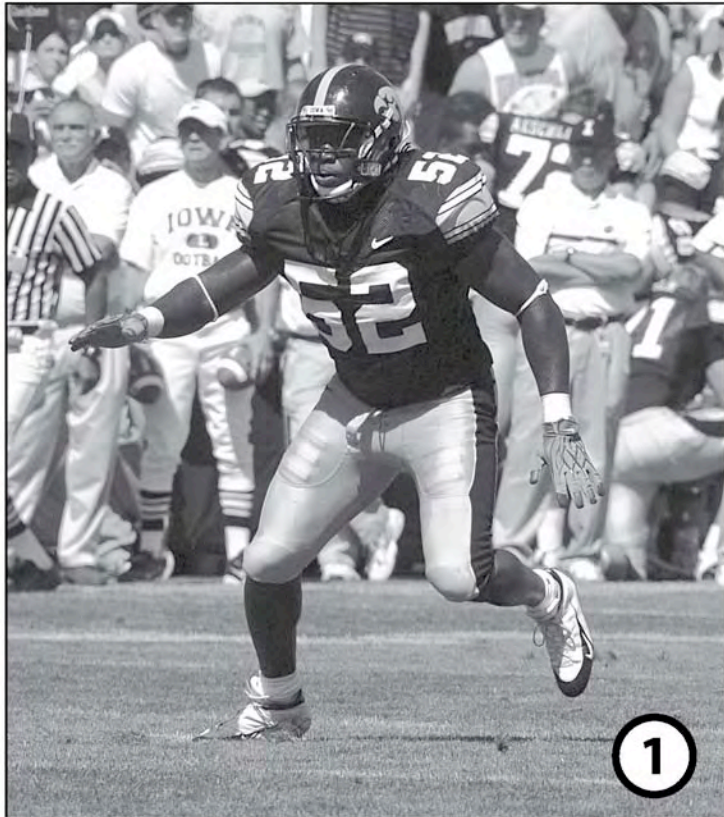


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IOWA LINEBACKERS

Are Defensive Leaders



Station, who patrolled the Hawkeye defense from 1982 to 1985, was a consensus all-American. He helped guide the Hawkeyes to four post-season bowl games, including the 1986 Rose Bowl.

A starter in 42 straight games, Station is Iowa's all-time tackles leader with 492 stops. He led the team in tackles in three of his four seasons. Station also set new standards of excellence in the classroom, where he excelled and was recognized for those achievements by being named academic all-America.

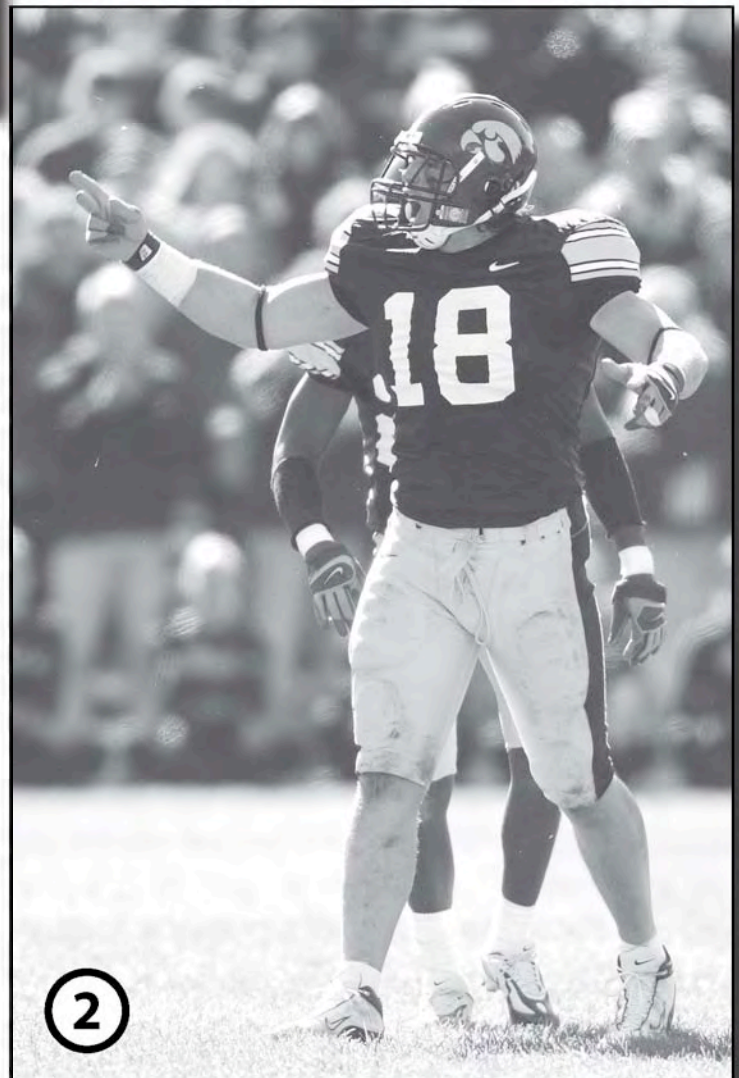
When Station left the Iowa program after being selected by the Pittsburgh Steelers in the 1986 NFL Draft, his position was filled by another linebacking legend at Iowa, Brad Quast.

Quast was a delight for the coaching staff at Iowa. He was big. He was fast. He was agile. And he was smart -- a necessity in Iowa's system.

Quast also was a leader who burst on the scene as one of the top freshman linebackers in the country, according to *The Sporting News*. He later overcame a neck injury to earn all-America honors.

A two-time first-team all-Big Ten selection, Quast completed his career at Iowa as one of just three Hawkeyes to total more than 400 tackles in a career. He now ranks fourth in career stops. Like Station, he left Iowa City with an opportunity to pursue a career in professional football. Quast was selected by the New York Jets in the 1990 NFL Draft.

Foster and Derby -- two more all-Big Ten linebackers at Iowa -- followed in the footsteps of Station and Quast.



Defensive players looking for a challenge should consider playing linebacker for the Iowa Hawkeyes. Iowa ranks among the Big Ten's best in total defense over the past two decades, and a major reason for that ranking is the outstanding play of the Hawkeye linebackers throughout the years.

From Larry Station and Brad Quast in the 1980's, to John Derby, Melvin Foster and Bobby Diaco in the 1990's, to LeVar Woods, Fred Barr, Grant Steen, Abdul Hodge and Chad Greenway in the 2000's, Iowa's linebackers rank among the best in the Big Ten and the nation.

Iowa's defense the past three seasons has ranked among the best in the nation, and a big reason has been the play of 2005 seniors Hodge and Greenway. Both earned all-Big Ten and all-America recognition over the past three seasons.

During the last four seasons, Greenway and Hodge have been part of Iowa teams that have won two Big Ten titles and earned invitations to four straight January bowl games. Hodge (158) led the Big Ten in tackles last season, while Greenway ranked second (156). They ranked third and fourth, respectively, in the nation in tackles per game.

Hodge, from Fort Lauderdale, FL, also led the Big Ten in tackles in 2003 with 141 stops. He was first team all-Big Ten as a sophomore and junior, second team as a senior. Hodge ranks third on Iowa's career tackle chart with 453 tackles and he holds the record for tackles in a game for both the Capital One Bowl and the Outback Bowl. He was selected by Green Bay in the third round of the NFL draft.

Greenway, from Mt. Vernon, SD, earned first team all-conference honors as a junior and senior and was an all-America selection in his final year. His 416 tackles ranks fifth on Iowa's career chart and he had 10 or more tackles in 25 games throughout his career. He was a first round selection of the Minnesota Vikings in the most recent NFL draft.

While Hodge and Greenway were learning the ropes, they were able to learn from a veteran in Grant Steen. After joining the team as a walk-on, Steen started at outside linebacker for three straight seasons, helping the Hawkeyes to three straight bowl games and 21 victories in his last two seasons. Steen signed an NFL contract with New England following his Hawkeye career.

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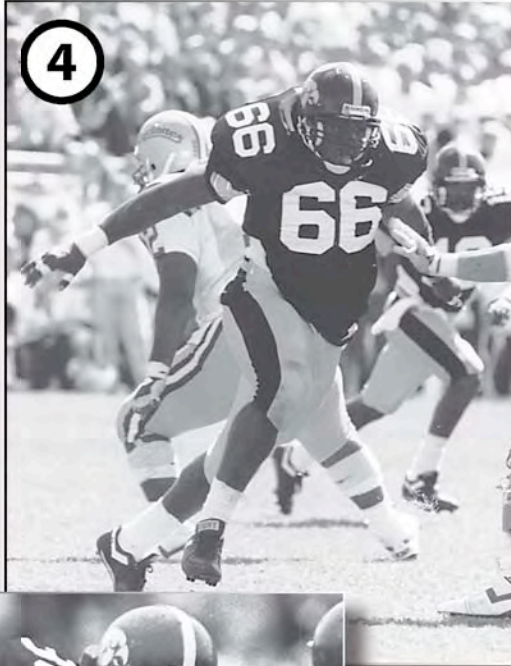


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Foster, a hard-hitting mountain of a man from Houston, led Iowa in tackles his last two seasons as a Hawkeye. As a junior Foster started all 11 games while collecting a team-high 116 tackles, including 17 against Tulsa and 14 against Michigan. As a senior Foster had 107 tackles and earned first team all-Big Ten honors while leading Iowa to a berth in the 1991 Rose Bowl.



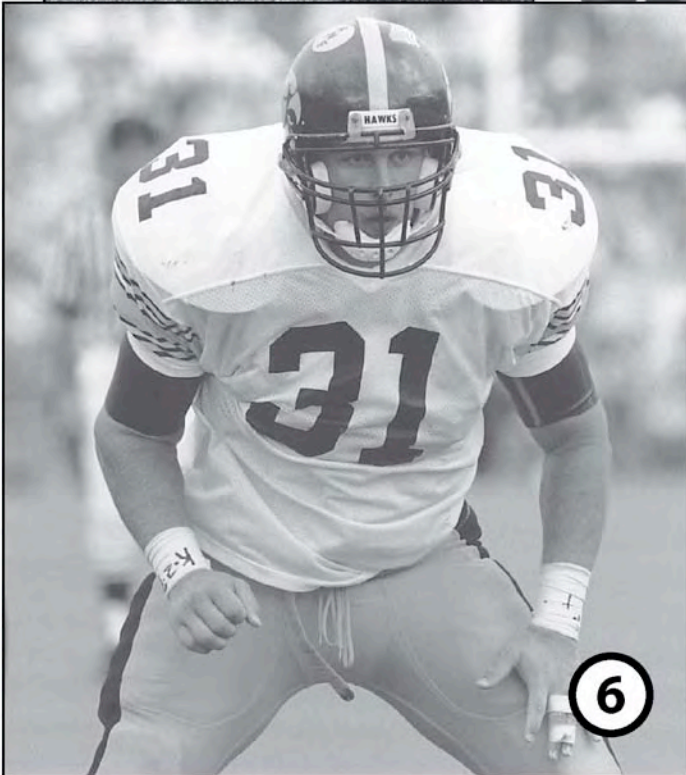
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Derby, as a junior, teamed with Foster to lead the Hawkeyes to a berth in the 1991 Rose Bowl, intercepting a pass in the closing seconds of an upset win at Michigan. In his final season Derby started all 12 games, collecting a team-high 69 solo tackles and 107 tackles total. Iowa tied a then school record with 10 wins and earned a trip to the 1991 Holiday Bowl as the Big Ten runner-up.

The list of outstanding Iowa linebackers continued with Bobby Diaco, who led the team in tackles in 1994 and 1995 while earning all-Big Ten recognition.

Matt Hughes, a senior co-captain in 1998, led the Hawkeyes in tackles for two seasons and ended his career with 354 career stops, a figure that ranks eighth best at Iowa.

As the Kirk Ferentz era began at Iowa, one of the leaders was OLB LeVar Woods. Woods led the team in tackles in 2000, helping set the foundation for an Iowa defense that has ranked among the best in the nation the last four seasons. Woods signed an NFL contract with the Arizona Cardinals, where he played four seasons before joining the Detroit Lions.



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Fred Barr, a senior who led Iowa in tackles in 2002, earned first team all-Big Ten honors as Iowa posted an 8-0 record in league play while earning the Big Ten title. Barr ended his career with 376 career tackles and now ranks sixth on Iowa's career list. His steady career began in his rookie season when he was recognized by *The Sporting News* as a third team Freshman all-American for his play during the 1999 campaign. Barr signed an NFL contract with the Tennessee Titans following the 2003 NFL Draft.

- 1 - Abdul Hodge
- 2 - Chad Greenway
- 3 - LeVar Woods
- 4 - Melvin Foster
- 5 - Larry Station
- 6 - John Derby

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IOWA DEFENSIVE BACKS

Reflect Hard Hitting Action



The University of Iowa's success on the football field has been built on a hard-hitting, aggressive style of play, especially on defense. When the Hawkeyes won three Big Ten championships between 1980 and 1990, the play of the defense was a major reason for the success.

That was the case in 2002 and 2004, as the Hawkeyes have won Big Ten titles in two of the past four seasons. Iowa posted a perfect 8-0 Big Ten record (11-2 overall) in 2002 and a 7-1 league mark record in 2004, winning its final seven league games. Iowa ranked second in the Big Ten in rushing defense in both 2002 and 2003 and led the league in 2004. Iowa's run defense ranked fifth nationally in 2002 and 2004 and seventh in 2003.

While Iowa has featured strong play in all phases of its defense, the hard-hitting style of play displayed by the Hawkeye secondary often sets the tone for Iowa's success. Tough, physical play, displayed by the likes of Merton Hanks, Tom Knight, Damien Robinson, Kerry Cooks, Matt Bowen, Derek Pagel, Sean Considine and Jovon Johnson helped build Iowa's defensive reputation.

But, when talking about Iowa's defense under Kirk Ferentz, you have to begin with Bob Sanders. Lightly recruited out of Erie, PA, Sanders had an immediate impact on the Iowa defense. Moving into the starting line-up for the final four games of his freshman season, Sanders made an impact as the Hawkeyes defeated Penn State and Northwestern in two of the final three games.

That success carried over to his next three seasons, as Iowa won the Alamo Bowl in 2001, earned a bid to the 2003 Orange Bowl after winning the 2002 Big Ten title and posted a 10-3 record in 2003, including a win in the 2004

Outback Bowl. From the time Sanders was first in Iowa's starting line-up, through the 2003 season, the Hawkeyes posted a 30-12 record. Sanders joined the Indianapolis Colts in the NFL, earning all-Pro honors and a spot in the Pro Bowl in 2005 in just his second season.

Like Sanders, Johnson is a native of Erie, PA who was lightly recruited. And again, the Hawkeye coaching staff was rewarded for having faith in a tough, hard-nosed player. Johnson earned his way into the starting line-up in his first season and started 38 games in his four seasons. His 17 career interceptions ranks third on Iowa's career list, just one shy of career leaders Nile Kinnick and Devon Mitchell. He earned first team all-Big Ten honors as a senior.

An understudy to Sanders early in his career, Considine, a walk-on, learned his lessons well. A great special teams player throughout his career, Considine had his best season as a senior in 2004 as a part of Iowa's veteran defense. Along with being a solid defender, Considine continued his solid play on special teams, concluding his career with a touchdown return of a blocked punt in the 2005 Capital One Bowl.

As the first player selected by Philadelphia in the fourth round of the 2005 NFL draft, Considine became the fourth Iowa safety under Kirk Ferentz to be selected in the NFL draft.

Hanks joined the Iowa program from Dallas, TX and developed into an all-Big Ten and all-America performer in 1990 as Iowa won the Big Ten title. Along with his standout play in the secondary, Hanks developed a knack for blocking kicks. He holds the Iowa record with seven blocked kicks in his career.

Hanks was a fifth round selection in the 1991 NFL Draft and he went on to earn all-Pro honors with the San Francisco 49ers. Hanks was a member of the San Francisco team that won the 1995 Super Bowl.

Knight came to Iowa from Marlton, NJ and immediately earned a spot in the starting line-up. Knight holds two of the longest interception returns in Iowa history, a 60-yard scoring return vs. Indiana in 1995 to seal Iowa's Homecoming win and a 57-yard touchdown return vs. Indiana the following year in a win at Bloomington.

Knight was selected in the first round of the 1997 NFL Draft by the Arizona Cardinals, the ninth player selected overall. Knight spent five seasons with the Cardinals before joining the Baltimore Ravens for the conclusion of his career.

During his standout career, Damien Robinson became one of the biggest hitters to play in the Iowa secondary. Robinson, like Hanks a native of Dallas, TX, started seven games as a redshirt freshman and nine games as a sophomore.

By the time he was a senior, Robinson was a well-known hit man from his safety position. He had five interceptions as a junior in 1995 and six pass thefts the following year as a senior. The six interceptions in a season ties the sixth highest single-season total at Iowa.

Robinson earned first team all-Big Ten honors as a senior in 1996 and his total of 291 career tackles ranks 15th on Iowa's career list. After being selected in the fourth round of the 1997 NFL Draft, Robinson found a home with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers. Robinson started 16 games in Tampa Bay in 1999 as the Buccaneers advanced to the NFC championship game before losing to Super Bowl champion St. Louis. Robinson started in the secondary for the New York Jets in 2001 and 2002 before joining the Seattle Seahawks.

After joining the Iowa program as a quarterback, Matt Bowen successfully made the switch to the defensive secondary. Bowen came to Iowa from Glen Ellyn, IL, and led the team in tackles in both of his final two seasons. His 70-yard interception for a touchdown against Indiana in 1997 ranks as the sixth longest in Iowa history.

Bowen ended his Hawkeye career with 222 tackles. He was selected in the sixth round of the 2000 NFL Draft by the St. Louis Rams. After one season in St. Louis, he moved on to the Green Bay Packers in 2001 and 2002. After starting six games during the 2002 season, Bowen signed a multi-year contract with

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the Washington Redskins and started all 16 games during the 2003 season. Bowen started the first five games of the 2004 season in Washington before a knee injury ended his season. He has joined the Buffalo Bills for the 2006 season.

Pagel is an Iowa native who joined the Iowa program as a walk-on. Working his way up the ranks early in his career, Pagel came on strong his final two seasons. Pagel started the final five games of his junior year and all 13 games during Iowa's 2002 championship season.

After earning second team all-Big Ten honors in his final season, Pagel was selected by the New York Jets in the fifth round of the 2003 NFL draft.

1 - Bob Sanders earned first team all-Big Ten honors for three consecutive seasons.

2 - Merton Hanks was an all-America performer at Iowa and an all-Pro selection in the NFL.

3 - Jovon Johnson, a senior in 2005, ranks third on Iowa's career list with 17 interceptions.

4 - Matt Bowen made the move from quarterback to defensive back and led Iowa in tackles in both of his final two seasons.

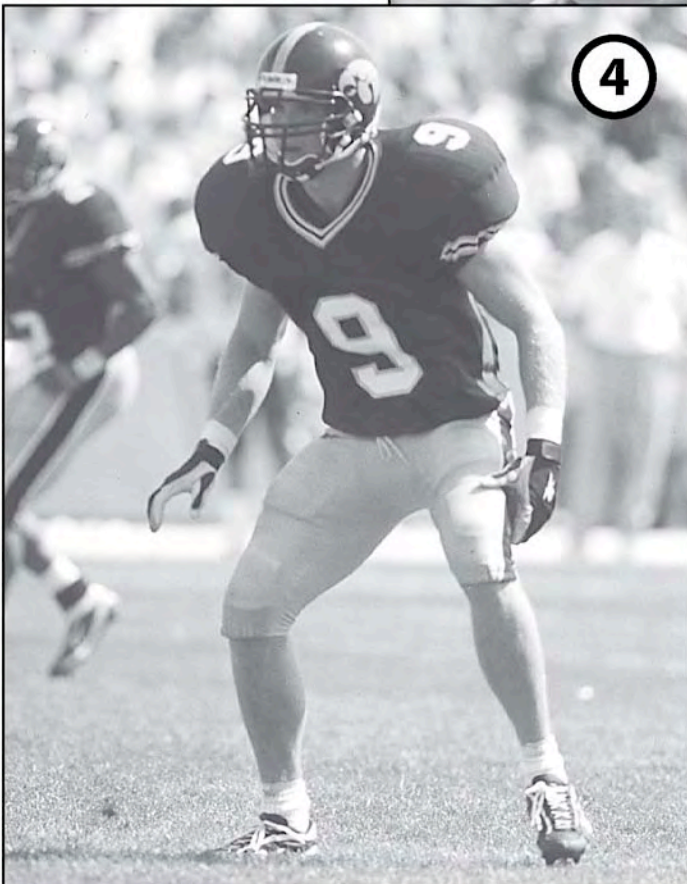
5 - Sean Considine, scoring on a blocked punt vs. LSU, moved from walk-on to NFL draft pick during his Iowa career, being the first player selected in the fourth round of the 2005 NFL draft.



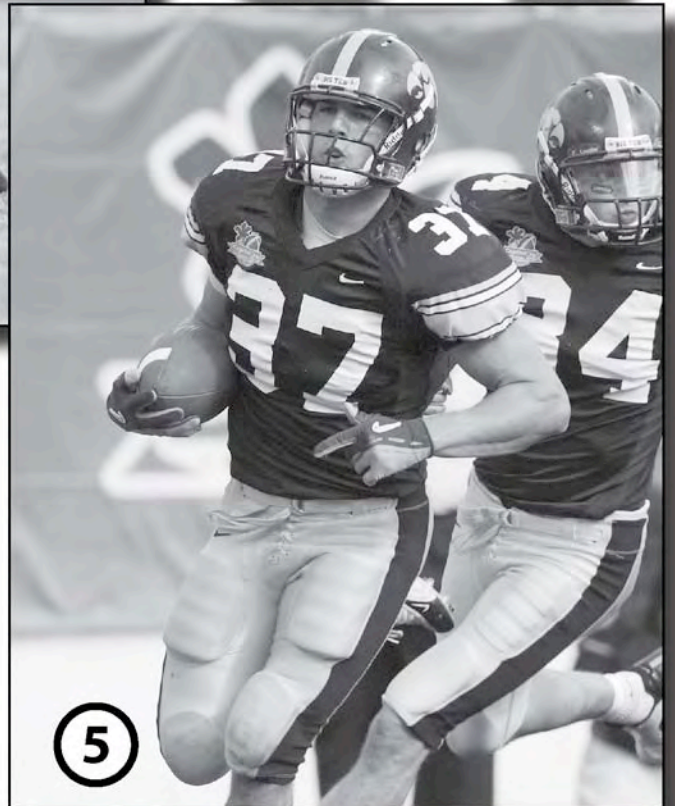
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IOWA KICKERS

The Importance of Special Teams



The success of the Iowa football program throughout the last 25 years has depended on balance. A balanced offense, featuring a solid running game and an efficient passing attack. A balanced defense, equally efficient in stopping the run and defending the pass. And, great special teams play.

Iowa's punt and kickoff return teams throughout the years have featured all-America speedsters who have excelled in helping the Iowa offense take the field with better than average field position, and those return teams have featured a number of role players who have taken great pride in their play on special teams.

Still, when people talk about the success of Iowa football and the play of Hawkeye special teams, the names of outstanding kickers such as Reggie Roby, Tom Nichol, Rob Houghtlin, Nick Gallery, Jason Baker, Nate Kaeding and Kyle Schlicher come to mind. Above all, the Iowa kicking game has almost always included outstanding kickers.

Schlicher, a senior, is the latest in Iowa's long line of outstanding placekickers. He was a second team all-Big Ten selection a year ago and has earned recognition as one of the top kickers in the nation for 2006. He led Iowa in scoring with 94 points last season, ranking third in the Big Ten in kicking points and sixth in overall scoring. He also led the league in field goal percentage (.810).

Schlicher has scored 189 career points, ranking 10th on Iowa's career scoring chart. He is 37-46 in career field goals and 70-74 on PATs. His 21 field goals in 2004 tied Iowa's single season record for three-pointers.

Roby, a Waterloo native, was one of the first key in-state recruits signed by Coach Hayden Fry, as he was a member of Coach Fry's first recruiting class. Roby paid off immediately, earning the punting job and becoming a favorite for Hawkeye fans when he trotted on the field.

His punting numbers, some 20 years following the completion of his career, still rank among the all-time best ever. He averaged 55.8 yards in a 10-7 win over Nebraska in 1981. He averaged 49.8 yards per kick in 1981 and his career average stands at 45.4 yards per punt. Roby, at one time, held NCAA records for punting average in a game, season and career.

Roby earned nearly every honor possible during his Hawkeye career. He twice earned first team all-America honors and he was a consensus selection in 1981. He was all-Big Ten as a junior and senior and was selected in the sixth

round of the NFL Draft following his final season. Roby punted in the NFL from 1983-1998. In 2000, he was named to the Walter Camp Foundation all-Decade College Football Team.

Tom Nichol joined the Iowa program from Green Bay, WI, and handled Iowa's placekicking for four straight years from 1981-84. He became an immediate Hawkeye hero as a freshman in 1981, kicking three field goals in a 9-7 win at Michigan as the Hawkeyes went on to win their first Big Ten title under Coach Hayden Fry.

Nichol ranks third in career scoring at Iowa with 277 points, and he connected on 45 field goals and 142-149 PATs in four seasons. Nichol held Iowa record for career PATs and career PAT attempts before those records were broken by Kaeding in 2003.

Rob Houghtlin handled Iowa's placekicking duties from 1985-87, stepping in for Nichol without missing a beat. He was Iowa's all-time leading scorer until being surpassed by Kaeding in 2003. Houghtlin early in his Hawkeye career developed a flair for the dramatic, connecting on several game-winning kicks as time was running out.

None were more dramatic than his fourth field goal against Michigan in 1985, as his 29-yard kick as time expired lifted No. 1 Iowa to a 12-10 win over the second-ranked Wolverines in Kinnick Stadium, and in front of a national television audience. The Hawkeyes won the Big Ten and represented the league in the 1986 Rose Bowl. In 1986 he helped win games against Minnesota and San Diego State with field goals in the final seconds, with the kick against San Diego State leading Iowa to victory in the Holiday Bowl.

A native of Glenview, IL, Houghtlin earned all-Big Ten honors in 1985 and 1987. He shares the Iowa record for field goals in a season (21).

Nick Gallery joined the Iowa program from East Buchanan HS and handled Iowa's punting duties from 1993-96, earning all-Big Ten honors as both a junior and senior. Gallery averaged over 40 yards per punt in each of his four seasons, including a 45.3 average as a junior and a 45.2 average as a senior. Gallery, in the 1996 Alamo Bowl, set a bowl record with a 59-yard kick in Iowa's win over Texas Tech.

Following Gallery, Jason Baker stepped in to handle the Iowa punting from 1997 through 2000. The Ft. Wayne, IN, native signed an NFL contract with San Francisco for the 2001 season and handled all of the 49'er punting duties during his rookie season. He later joined Kansas City and handled all punting duties for the Chiefs in 2003. Baker joined Carolina for the 2005 season, averaging 43.3 yards per kick as the Panthers advanced to the NFC championship game.

Baker averaged 42.3 yards per punt as a junior and 42.5 yards per kick as a senior. He holds Iowa records for punts in a career (272) and career punting yardage (11,304) and set a Sun Bowl record with a 76-yard punt vs. Arizona State in the 1997 Sun Bowl.

Kaeding is Iowa's most recent all-American kicker. He earned the Lou Groza award in 2002 as the top placekicker in the nation and was a consensus all-American in 2003. While earning first team all-America honors for his kicking ability, Kaeding also earned honors as a District VII first team academic all-American.

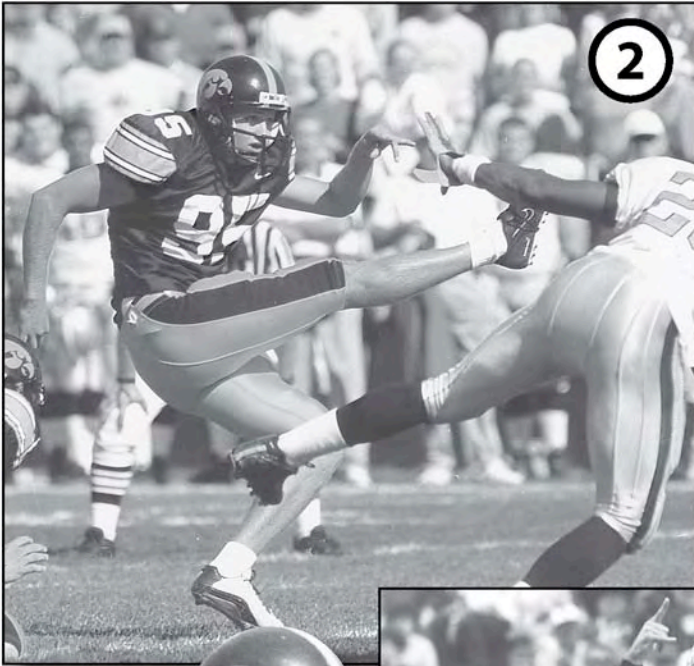
Kaeding ended his Hawkeye career as Iowa's record holder in 14 statistical categories. In addition, he shares the Big Ten Conference record for career kick scoring with 367 points. He converted 167-169 career PATs and 67-83 career field goals while scoring 373 career points (he rushed for one touchdown as well).

Kaeding was selected by the San Diego Chargers in the third round of the 2004 NFL Draft and handled all of the San Diego placement duties the past two seasons. Last season, he connected on all 49 of his PAT attempts and made 21-24 field goals.



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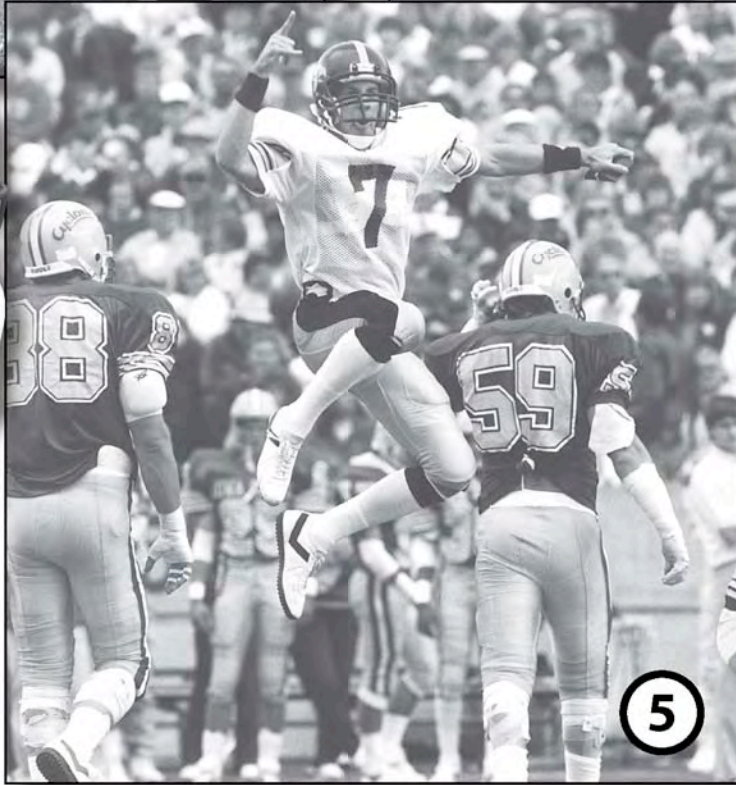
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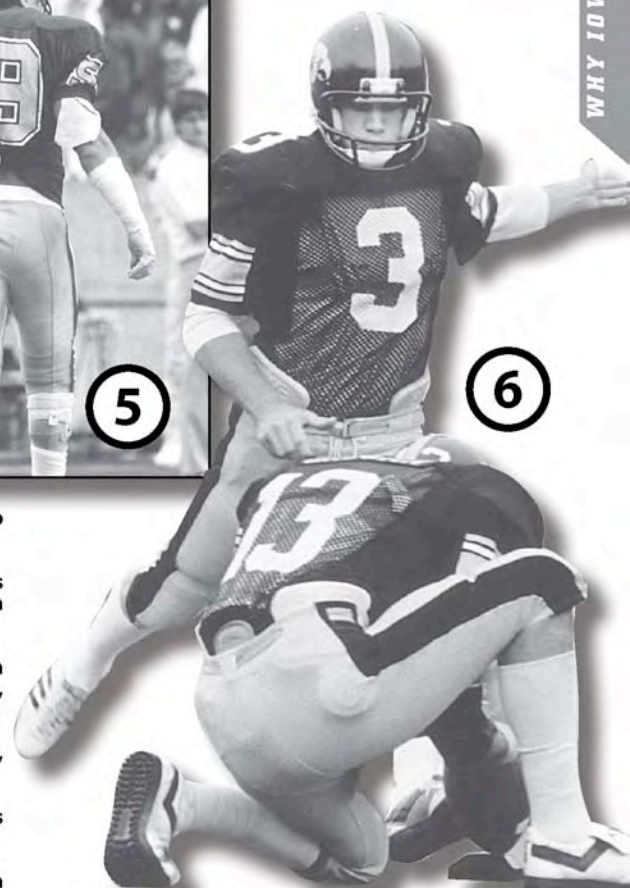
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1 - Kyle Schlicher heads into his senior season at Iowa as one of the top kickers in the nation.

2 - Nate Kaeding was a consensus all-American in 2003. He holds 14 kicking and scoring records and was a third round selection (San Diego) in the 2004 NFL draft.

3 - After averaging over 42 yards per punt as a junior and senior, Jason Baker handled all of the punting duties for San Francisco in 2001, Kansas City in 2003 and Carolina in 2005.

4 - Reggie Roby held NCAA records for punting average in a game, season and career and played in the NFL from 1983-98.

5 - Rob Houghtlin was known at Iowa for his game-winning field goals in the final seconds of key Iowa victories.

6 - Tom Nichol's three field goals lifted Iowa to a 9-7 win at Michigan in 1981 as the Hawkeyes earned the Big Ten title that season.

WHY IOWA - A TOTAL PROGRAM



IOWA WALK-ONS

A Key to Iowa's Success



When the Iowa football program had five players drafted in the first five rounds of the 2003 NFL Draft, the Iowa walk-on program became unique in the success enjoyed by former walk-on athletes. Three of the five players selected, including TE Dallas Clark, C Bruce Nelson and DB Derek Pagel, joined the Iowa program as a walk-on before eventually earning a scholarship. That trio helped the Hawkeyes post an 8-0 record in the Big Ten during the 2002 season before hearing their name called on draft day.

In the last seven years, 46 of 54 seniors who have been starters, have advanced to NFL training camps, either by being drafted or signing NFL contracts following the draft. Ten of those players, including TE Dallas Clark, center Bruce Nelson and

DB Derek Pagel in 2002 and DB Sean Considine and OL Pete McMahon in 2004, joined the Iowa football program as walk-ons.

Clark (first round), Nelson (second) and Pagel (fifth) were all selected in the first five rounds of the 2003 NFL Draft. Considine (fourth) and McMahon (sixth) were taken in the 2005 draft and DL Tyler Luebke, another 2004 senior and former walk-on, signed an NFL contract with Washington following the 2005 draft.

Based on an unofficial survey of major college conferences, Iowa is the only football program to have three former walk-on student-athletes drafted in the same NFL draft.

Not all student-athletes are first team high school all-Americans. Many develop into team leaders later during their collegiate careers after they have successfully "walked-on" a program. That statement could not be more true, as each year a number of players who joined the Iowa program as walk-ons play vital roles in the success of Iowa football.

At the University of Iowa, the walk-on football player is welcomed by every member of the coaching staff, starting at the very top with Head Coach Kirk Ferentz. It is a policy that has rewarded the Hawkeyes handsomely over the years.

"There's no question about the importance of walk-ons to this program. It's been that way since I first arrived on campus in 1981. The walk-ons at Iowa are very talented and always get a serious look and evaluation from our entire staff. Iowa's success in football, over the years, wouldn't have been nearly so impressive without the contributions of walk-ons."

Along with the three players selected in the 2003 NFL Draft, we had great examples of that on our 2004 squad with such players as defensive back Sean Considine, offensive lineman Pete McMahon and defensive lineman Tyler Luebke. Conversely, some of our most important walk-ons are the ones you never hear or read about. They're the players that show up everyday for practice, for four or five years, and do everything in their power to make us a better team. Those are the athletes you've got to be really proud of. They're very special to me as a coach."

I fully expect our success with student-athletes who join our program as walk-ons to continue. With the reduction in scholarships over the past few years, walk-on players have more opportunity to impact our program than ever.

Joining the University of Iowa football team as a walk-on gives a young player the chance to grow and mature as an athlete, as well as an opportunity to earn an education from an outstanding institution of higher education."

KIRK FERENTZ

Head Coach | The University of Iowa



During Iowa's rise as one of the top football programs in the nation over the past 25 years, a large number of walk-ons have made major contributions to Iowa's success. Over 45 former walk-ons have earned starting positions for the Hawkeye football team, nine have served as team captains and at least five have gone on to be voted Most Valuable Player.

Dallas Clark, drafted by Indianapolis in the first round (24th pick) of the 2003 NFL Draft, is an Iowa native who joined the program as a walk-on. Clark moved from linebacker to tight end earlier in his career and in 2002 earned the John Mackey Award as the top tight end in America while earning consensus all-America honors.

"Coming out of high school, if you are overlooked, the Iowa football program is the place. Everyone involved in the program has the same philosophy, its equal opportunity for everyone, they're going to put the best 11 players on the field."

It takes a lot of hard work and sacrifice, you have to be ready to work hard every day. It's not always fun, but the values you learn with the experiences and rewards, it's priceless."

DALLAS CLARK

2002 John Mackey Award | University of Iowa

"It was a privilege to play football at the University of Iowa. The entire experience was so rewarding. Frankly, there's not a better place to play college football."

ROB HOUGHTLIN

three-time letterman and former walk-on | Glenview, Illinois

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"I regard Iowa's program as one of the most successful walk-on programs in major college football and Coach Ferentz is continuing the tradition that Hayden Fry established. As a walk-on, I had every opportunity that any player had, all players were treated the same."

The University of Iowa prepared me well, throughout my time as an undergraduate and through law school. I was able to establish a great foundation to my career while playing football and earning my degree's at Iowa."

BRAD WEBB

Four-time letterman and former walk-on
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"I joined the Iowa football program under Coach Fry, but nothing changed when Coach Ferentz and his staff came in. It was always the same philosophy. It was equal opportunity, and the best players will play. No one on the coaching staff looks at scholarship players and walk-ons as being any different. You can join the program as a walk-on, work hard to improve, and get your scholarship later."

BRUCE NELSON

2002 All-American
Second round draft selection, Carolina Panthers

"Iowa had every necessary ingredient I needed. A great head coach and a coaching staff that was very helpful throughout the entire process. When you add the outstanding strength and conditioning staff, the facilities, there is nothing missing. My experiences at Iowa, on and off the playing field, the education, you're not going to find a better situation. I would not trade my experiences at the University of Iowa for anything."

DEREK PAGEL

Fifth round selection by New York Jets
2003 NFL Draft

WALK-ON SUCCESS CONTINUES IN HAWKEYE PROGRAM

The recent streak of successful former walk-ons certainly continued in 2004, as three former walk-ons played key roles in Iowa's run to the 2004 Big Ten title. OL Pete McMahon and DT Tyler Luebke started all 12 games, while DB Sean Considine started 10 games, missing two contests due to injury.

Considine played a key role in the Iowa secondary and on special teams throughout his career. He started all 13 games in 2003, ranking fourth on the team with 64 tackles. As a senior Considine had three interceptions and, despite being a key defensive starter, continued his outstanding play on special teams. Considine was rewarded with a touchdown in his final game, returning a blocked punt for a score in the 30-25 win over LSU in the 2005 Capital One Bowl.

McMahon and Luebke are former prep players from the state of Iowa. McMahon started all 25 games in his final two seasons and was drafted in the sixth round by the Oakland Raiders.

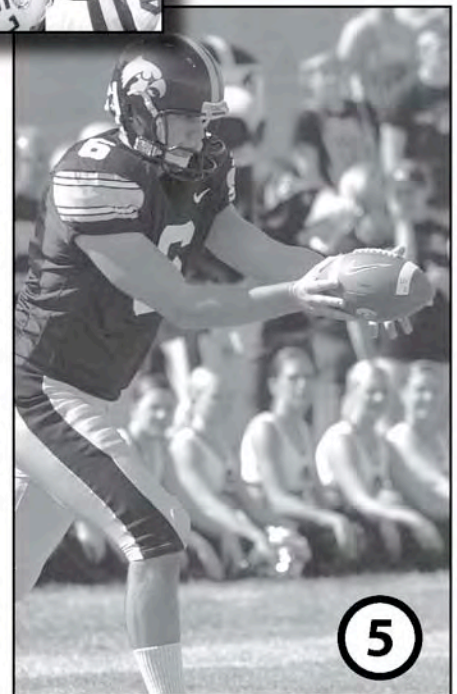


Luebke, who prepped at West HS in Iowa City, came on late in his junior season, starting the final two games and playing a key role as the Hawkeyes ended the season with three straight wins over Minnesota, Wisconsin and Florida, three ranked opponents. As a senior he started all 12 games as Iowa won its second Big Ten title in the past three seasons.

Walk-on athletes made key contributions in 2005 as Iowa earned its fourth straight January bowl invitation. Andy Fenstermaker earned the punting job and averaged 38.5 yards per punt. He returns for his senior season in 2006.

In addition, RB Sam Brownlee returns for his final season after leading Iowa in rushing in 2004. Senior linebacker Zach Gabelmann has earned his way onto the depth chart after developing into one of Iowa's top special teams players a year ago.

Additional players on the pre-season depth chart who began their careers as walk-ons include offensive lineman Rob Bruggeman; DBs Ma'quan Dawkins and Devon Moylan.



1 - Dubuque native Pete McMahon started every game in the offensive line in 2003 and 2004 and was a sixth round NFL draft selection following his senior season.

2 - Dallas Clark earned the John Mackey Award as the best tight end in the nation in 2002 and was a consensus all-American.

3 - Brad Webb joined the Iowa program as a walk-on and was a key member of Iowa's 1980 team that earned the Big Ten title and Rose Bowl berth. As a senior in 1981 Webb served as a team captain.

4 - RB Sam Brownlee started the final six games of the 2004 season and led the team in rushing yards in 2004.

5 - Senior Andy Fenstermaker is a former walk-on who handled the majority of Iowa's punting duties in 2005.

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