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### FRIDAY, SEPT. 20 • 7 P.M. CT • LINCOLN, NEB. • MEMORIAL STADIUM • FIELDTURF

Nebraska opens Big Ten Conference play and finishes a four-game season-opening homestand on Friday night when the Huskers take on 24th-ranked Illinois at Memorial Stadium. The game will mark Nebraska's 400th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium, a streak which dates back to 1962. Aside from its traditional Black Friday game, Friday will also mark Nebraska's first weekday home game since 2001. FOX will provide the national television coverage and the game can be heard on the Huskers Radio Network and Huskers App.

The Huskers enter the game with a 3-0 record following a 34-3 victory over Northern Iowa on Saturday night in Lincoln. The Huskers limited the Panthers to just a first-quarter field goal and held a third straight opponent to 10 or fewer points. Offensively, Nebraska showed its explosiveness by averaging nearly nine yards per play and producing points on six of eight drives in the game. The Huskers were not forced to punt in the contest.

Illinois also enters Friday night's game at 3-0 following a 30-9 victory over Central Michigan last Saturday in Champaign. The Illini have relied on an opportunistic defense through three games, producing nine takeaways and a +8 turnover margin, which ranks second in the nation. Coach Bret Bielema's team allows just 277.3 yards and 8.7 points per game. Offensively, Illinois features a balanced attack, rushing for 153.3 yards per game, while producing 225.3 passing yards per contest.

Friday's contest is the Big Ten opener for both teams and marks the 12th straight year Nebraska and Illinois have met on the gridiron. The Huskers have won seven of the 11 meetings between the schools as conference foes, but the Illini have been victorious in their last two trips to Memorial Stadium.

#### THIS WEEK'S NUMBERS

400

Friday's game will mark the 400th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium. The sellout streak begin on Nov. 3, 1962, when Nebraska took on Missouri. The Huskers are 324-75 at Memorial Stadium during the sellout streak.

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Nebraska has allowed just 20 points through three games, its fewest since allowing 16 points through three games in 2005. It also marks the first time since 2009 the Huskers have held each of their first three opponents to 10 or fewer points.

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Nebraska is playing its Big Ten opener at home for the first time in seven seasons. Nebraska last opened conference play at Memorial Stadium in 2017, when the Huskers defeated Rutgers.

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Aug. 31	UTEP	FOX	W, 40-7	Huskers top 500 yards and 40 points in opener
Sept. 7	Colorado	NBC	W, 28-10	Defense dominates with six sacks, INT for TD
Sept. 14	Northern Iowa	BTN	W, 34-3	Offense averages 8.8 yards per play
Sept. 20	Illinois*	FOX	7 p.m.	400th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium
Sept. 28	at Purdue*	TBA	11 a.m.	4th meeting in West Lafayette in the last 6 years
Oct. 5	Rutgers*	TBA	TBA	Lone 2024 FBS game between former NFL head coaches
Oct. 19	at Indiana*	TBA	TBA	NU's 2nd trip to Bloomington since joining Big Ten
Oct. 26	at Ohio State*	TBA	TBA	2 of the last 4 meetings decided by 9 points or less
Nov. 2	UCLA*	TBA	TBA	NU ranked in 10 of the 13 all-time meetings
Nov. 16	at USC*	TBA	TBA	Only team NU has played more than once & not beaten
Nov. 23	Wisconsin*	TBA	TBA	Last 3 matchups all decided by 7 or fewer points
Nov. 29	at lowa*	NBC	6:30 p.m.	Huskers' 35th straight "Black Friday" game

All times Central; Home games in **bold**; \*Big Ten Conference game

#### **NEBRASKA**

• 2024 Record: 3-0, 0-0 • Last Game: Def. UNI. 34-3

• Streak: Won 3

• AP Rank: 22 • Coaches Rank: 22

• Head Coach: Matt Rhule

Nebraska Record: 8-7 (2nd year)
Collegiate Record: 55-50 (9th year)

• Record vs. Illinois: 1-0

#### **ILLINOIS**

• 2024 Record: 3-0, 0-0

• Last Game: def. Central Michigan, 30-9

Streak: Won 3AP Rank: 24Coaches Rank: RV

Head Coach: Bret Bielema
Illinois Record: 21-19 (4th year)
Career Record: 118-77 (16th year)

• Record vs. Nebraska: 4-2

#### **SERIES HISTORY**

• All-Time Series: Nebraska leads 14-6-1

At Lincoln: Nebraska leads 9-3
Last Game: Nebraska 20-7 (2023)

• Win Streak: Nebraska, 1 game

#### **TV INFORMATION**



Play-by-Play: Tim Brando Analyst: Devin Gardner Sidelines: Josh Sims Fox Sports App

#### **HUSKERS RADIO NETWORK**



Play-by-Play: Greg Sharpe Analysis: Damon Benning Sidelines: Jessica Coody Pre/Post-Game: Matt Coatney, Jessica Coody, Ben McLaughlin & Josh Banderas

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NEBRASKA VS. ILLINOIS-LAST 5 MEETINGS						
DATE	SITE	NEB RANK	ILL RANK	RESULT	SCORE	
9/21/2019	Champaign	NR	NR	Win	42-38	
11/21/2020	Lincoln	NR	NR	Loss	23-41	
8/28/2021	Champaign	NR	NR	Loss	22-30	
10/29/2022	Lincoln	NR	17	Loss	9-26	
10/7/2023	Champaign	NR	NR	Win	20-7	

#### SERIES HISTORY: NEBRASKAVS. ILLINOIS

Friday's meeting between Nebraska and Illinois will be the 22nd all-time matchup between the schools and the 12th consecutive season the teams have met on the gridiron. Nebraska has a 14-6-1 edge in the all-time series, including a 7-4 advantage since Nebraska joined the Big Ten.

- Nebraska won six of the first seven meetings as conference foes, before Illinois won three straight. Nebraska ended that streak with a 20-7 win last season in Champaign.
- Nebraska owns a 9-3 edge in games played in Lincoln, including 5-3 at Memorial Stadium.
- The Huskers won 54-35 in Lincoln in 2018, marking Nebraska's first 50-point outburst in a Big Ten Conference game.
- The only meetings between 1953 and 2013 came in 1985 and 1986 when Nebraska won both ends of a home-and-home series.
- Nebraska defeated Illinois and Red Grange, 14-0, in 1925, marking the only time in Grange's career he was held scoreless in a home game.

#### **BIG TEN FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS**

Nebraska will be playing on a Friday night early in the Big Ten season for the third consecutive year and the second straight year against Illinois. Nebraska played at Rutgers on a Friday night in 2022. Overall this is Nebraska's fifth Friday night conference game (non-Black Friday) since 2017, including three games against Illinois.

- Nebraska played Friday night road game at Illinois in 2017 and 2023, winning 28-6 in 2017 and 20-7 last season. Nebraska also won Friday night road games at Rutgers in 2020 and 2022.
- The Huskers do have a long history of playing on the Friday after Thanksgiving. Nebraska has played on Black Friday every year since 1990.
- Aside from its traditional Black Friday games, this Friday's home game is Nebraska's first weekday
  game in Memorial Stadium since a Sept. 20, 2001 game against Rice. The Rice contest was
  rescheduled from Saturday, Sept. 15, 2001, following the 9-11 terrorist attacks.

#### **HUSKERS HOPE TO CONTINUE TO SHINE UNDER THE LIGHTS**

Nebraska's matchup with Illinois is its third consecutive prime-time game at Memorial Stadium, following victories over Colorado and Northern Iowa.

- This marks just the third time in school history the Huskers have played three straight home night games. Nebraska also hosted three consecutive prime-time games in 2008 (New Mexico State, Virginia Tech, Missouri) and 2002 (Arizona State, Troy, Utah State).
- Nebraska has a strong history of success in night games in Lincoln. The Huskers are 52-10 in home night games at Memorial Stadium, including 2-0 this season.

#### **NEBRASKA SET TO CELEBRATE 400TH CONSECUTIVE SELLOUT**

Nebraska will celebrate its 400th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium on Friday night. The Huskers have sold out every game at Memorial Stadium for more than six decades, beginning with a game against Missouri on Nov. 3, 1962.

- During the sellout streak, Memorial Stadium has expanded several times and capacity has grown from 31,080 in 1962 to the current capacity of 82,841.
- Nebraska has been victorious in each of the milestone sellout games in the series, defeating Penn State, 42-17, in 1979 in sellout #100, knocking off second-ranked Colorado, 24-7, in 1994 in sellout #200, and shutting out Louisiana-Lafayette, 55-0, in 2009 in the 300th consecutive sellout.
- Nebraska has a record of 324-75 during the sellout streak. Friday's game against No. 24 Illinois is the 89th matchup against a ranked opponent during the sellout streak, with Nebraska owning a 47-39 mark in those games.

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Team	Overall	Big
Michigan State	3-0	1.

<u>Place</u>	Team	Overall	Big Ten
1.	Michigan State	3-0	1-0
	Indiana	3-0	1-0
3.	Illinois	3-0	0-0
	Nebraska	3-0	0-0
	Oregon	3-0	0-0
	Ohio State	2-0	0-0
	Penn State	2-0	0-0
	Rutgers	2-0	0-0
	USC	2-0	0-0
	lowa	2-1	0-0
	Michigan	2-1	0-0
	Minnesota	2-1	0-0
	Northwestern	2-1	0-0
	Washington	2-1	0-0
	Wisconsin	2-1	0-0
	Purdue	1-1	0-0
17.	Maryland	1-1	0-1
	UCLA	1-1	0-1

#### **PLAYER OF THE WEEK NOMINEES**

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**Bold indicates winner** 

#### **2024 HUSKER HONORS**

#### JACORY BARNEY JR., WR

• The Jet Award Watch List

#### **BRYCE BENHART, OL**

• Outland Trophy Watch List

#### **BRIAN BUSCHINI, P**

• Ray Guy Award Watch List

#### THOMAS FIDONE II, TE

• Mackey Award Watch List

#### ISAAC GIFFORD, DB

• Wuerffel Trophy Watch List

#### NASH HUTMACHER, DL

• Bednarik Award Watch List

#### ISAIAH NEYOR, WR

• Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award Watch List

#### DYLAN RAIOLA, QB

- Polynesian Player of the Year Watch List
- Shaun Alexander Award Watch List
- Big Ten Freshman of the Week (vs. UTEP)

#### BEN SCOTT, OL

• Rimington Trophy Watch List

#### 2024 GAME CAPTAINS

**UTEP:** OT Turner Corcoran, LS Camden Witucki, S DeShon Singleton, S Derek Branch

**CU:** OT Bryce Benhart, WR Jahmal Banks, DL Ty Robinson, CB Marques Buford Jr.

**UNI:** RB Rahmir Johnson, JACK M.J. Sherman, LB John Bullock, P Brian Buschini



LAST GAME					
NEBRASKA 34, U	JNI 3				
TEAM STATS	UNI	NU			
First Downs	18	22			
Rushes-Yards	39-139	22-142			
Passes	16-32-1	20-26-1			
Passing Yards	162	281			
Total Offense	301	423			
3rd Downs	6-of-16	4-of-7			
Turnovers	1	1			
Penalties	9-95	4-44			
Time of Possession	38:07	21:53			

#### **NU RUSHING LEADERS**

Dante Dowdell–6 carries, 55 yards Emmett Johnson–4 carries, 50 yards, TD

#### **NU PASSING LEADER**

Dylan Raiola-17-23-1, 247 yards, 2 TD

#### **NU RECEIVING LEADERS**

Carter Nelson-4 receptions, 48 yards, TD Jacory Barney Jr.-3 rec., 29 yards, Rush TD Isaiah Neyor-2 receptions, 35 yards, TD

#### **NU DEFENSIVE LEADERS**

Isaac Gifford–4 UT, 6 AT, 10 TT, 1.5 TFL John Bullock–9 tackles, sack, TFL, PBU DeShon Singleton–2 UT, 4 AT, 6 TT Stefon Thompson–6 tackles

#### **NU SPECIAL TEAMS LEADERS**

Tristan Alvano-2-2 FG, 4-4 PAT

#### **NOTING LAST WEEK'S GAME**

- Freshman quarterback Dylan Raiola completed 17-of-23 passes for 247 yards and two touchdowns, setting a career best in passing yards and tying his career high in touchdowns.
- Raiola connected on better than 70 percent of his passes for the third straight game. He is the first Husker quarterback to complete at least 70 percent of his passes in three straight games since Jeff Quinn in 1980.
- Freshman receiver Carter Nelson scored his first career touchdown on the game's opening series, catching a 24-yard pass from Raiola. Nelson finished the game with four receptions for 48 yards.
- The Raiola to Nelson touchdown pass marked the first TD connection for two Husker freshmen since Adrian Martinez threw a 28-yard TD pass to Maurice Washington at Iowa in 2018.
- True freshman **Jacory Barney Jr.** scored his first career touchdown on a 10-yard rush.
- Jaylen Lloyd had a 59-yard catch in the second quarter to set up a Husker touchdown. Lloyd's 59-yard catch was his second catch of 36 yards or more this season. Five of Lloyd's eight career receptions have covered at least 36 yards, including four catches of more than 50 yards.
- Safety Malcolm Hartzog Jr. intercepted a pass in the third quarter for his second INT of the season and the fifth of his career.
- Linebacker John Bullock had a career-high nine tackles, bettering his eight stops last season against Louisiana Tech.

LAST FIVE NEBRASKA BIG TEN OPENERS					
DATE	OPPONENT	NEB RANK	OPP RANK	RESULT	SCORE
9/21/2019	at Illinois	NR	NR	Win	42-38
10/24/2020	at Ohio State	NR	5	Loss	17-52
8/28/2021	at Illinois	NR	NR	Loss	22-30
8/27/2022	vs. Northwestern	* NR	NR	Loss	28-31
8/31/2023	at Minnesota	NR	NR	Loss	10-13
* Game played	in Dublin, Ireland				

#### **HUSKERS SET FOR BIG TEN OPENER**

After completing non-conference play with a 3-0 record, Nebraska is set to open Big Ten Conference action on Friday night. In an oddity, Nebraska had played its Big Ten opener in each of the four previous seasons in its first game of the season.

- Since joining the Big Ten in 2011, Nebraska is 6-7 in Big Ten openers. Nebraska was last victorious in its Big Ten opener in 2019 when the Huskers won 42-38 at Illinois. This is the sixth time Nebraska has opened Big Ten play against Illinois with the Huskers holding a 3-2 record in those games.
- Friday's game marks the first time Nebraska has opened Big Ten Conference play at home since 2017 against Rutgers. Each of Nebraska's last six Big Ten openers have come away from Lincoln. The Huskers are 4-0 in Big Ten openers played at Memorial Stadium.

#### **HUSKERS RETURN TO NATIONAL POLLS**

Nebraska is 3-0 after completing non-conference play undefeated for the first time since 2016. The Huskers returned to the national polls after their victory over Colorado and are ranked 22nd in both this week's Associated Press Poll and USA Today Coaches poll.

- The national ranking is Nebraska's first since 2019. The Huskers were ranked No. 25 in both polls after the 2019 season opener, but lost the following week at Colorado. The Huskers did not return to the rankings until this year's win over Colorado.
- The last time Nebraska was ranked higher than this week's No. 22 AP ranking was in 2016, when Nebraska was ranked 17th entering the regular-season finale at Iowa.
- With Illinois checking in at No. 24 in the AP poll and just outside of the top 25 in the coaches poll, Friday's game represents the first time Nebraska has played a game involving two ranked teams since Nov. 5, 2016 at Ohio State. It is the first AP ranked vs. ranked game at Memorial Stadium since No. 23 Nebraska hosted 16th-ranked UCLA on Sept. 14, 2013. The last five ranked vs. ranked teams involving Nebraska have been on the road or in a bowl game.
- Friday's game will be the first matchup of AP ranked Big Ten teams at Memorial Stadium since 2011 when 13th-ranked Nebraska defeated No. 9 Michigan State.
- The Huskers' most recent victory against a ranked team was a 35-32 victory over No. 22 Oregon on Sept. 17, 2016.

#### **NEBRASKA CONTROLLING GAMES FROM START TO FINISH**

Nebraska has controlled its first three games from start to finish. The Huskers have not trailed in any of their three games, and have out-scored the opposition by a total of 102-20.

- Nebraska has won each of its first three games by at least 18 points. It marks the first time NU has won three straight games by at least 18 points since the middle of the 2014 season, when the Huskers defeated Northwestern (21), Rutgers (18) and Purdue (21).
- Nebraska has scored on its opening drive in each of the first three games. Those scoring drives have covered 72, 49 and 75 yards.
- Nebraska out-scored UNI 14-0 in the second quarter. In three games this season, Nebraska has out-scored the opposition 51-0 in the second quarter. In 2023, Nebraska was out-scored 81-66 in the second quarter.
- Opponents have had very little success early in games. Dating back to 2023, Nebraska has allowed
  just one first-quarter touchdown in its past 10 games. Nebraska has not allowed an opening drive
  TD in 10 straight games and has allowed only one opening drive TD in the last 16 games.

#### **BLACKSHIRT DEFENSE OFF TO STRONG 2024 START**

The Nebraska defense was one of the nation's most improved units in 2023. The Blackshirts have opened the 2024 season with strong showings in three non-conference victories. Nebraska has allowed just 20 combined points through three games, the fewest through three games since NU allowed 16 points in the first three games in 2005. The Blackshirts have also racked up nine sacks and limited the opposition to 70.3 rushing yards per game.

- Nebraska has now held nine straight opponents to 24 or fewer points. This is the longest stretch Nebraska has limited the opposition to 24 points or less since a 14-game stretch spanning the 2009 and 2010 seasons.
- Nebraska has been even more stingy at home. The Huskers have held each of their past seven opponents at Memorial Stadium to 14 or fewer points. Since the start of the 2023 season, just one of 10 opponents at Memorial Stadium have scored more than 14 points.



BLACKSHIRT DEFENSE AT HOME UNDER HEAD COACH MATT RHULE							
OPPONENT	POINTS	RUSH D	PASS D	TOTAL D	RESULT		
2023							
NIU	11	26	123	149	W, 35-11		
LA TECH	14	46	292	338	W, 28-14		
MICH	45	249	187	436	L, 45-7		
NW	9	81	176	257	W, 17-9		
PURDUE	14	96	99	195	W, 31-14		
MARYLAND	13	101	283	384	L, 13-10		
IOWA	13	163	94	257	L, 13-10		
2023							
UTEP	7	56	149	205	W, 40-7		
COLORADO	10	16	244	260	W, 28-10		
UNI	3	139	162	301	W, 34-3		
AVERAGES	13.9	97.3	180.9	278.2			

- The Huskers held both UTEP (205 total yards) and Colorado (260 total yards) to less than 300 total yards, before UNI totaled 301 yards, including 98 yards in the final quarter. Dating back to last season, Nebraska has held 10 straight opponents to less than 400 total yards. The last time Nebraska had held 10 straight opponents to less than 400 yards was part of a 14-game stretch spanning the final three games of 2008 and first 11 contests of 2009.
- Nebraska held Colorado to just 16 rushing yards on 22 attempts, the fewest rushing yards by an
  opponent since Purdue had -2 rushing yards in 2020. NU opened the season by allowing just 56
  rushing yards against UTEP. In 15 games under Head Coach Matt Rhule, the Huskers have held
  the opponent to less than 100 rushing yards 10 times, including seven games with 75 yards or less.

#### **DEFENSE PUTTING POINTS ON THE BOARD**

While limiting the opposition to just 20 points through three games, the Husker defense has also scored on its own. In the season opener against UTEP, Nebraska recorded a safety and followed up with a pick-six by **Tommi Hill** against Colorado.

- The interception for a touchdown by Hill against the Buffs was Nebraska's first pick-six since Cam Taylor-Britt had a 38-yard interception for a touchdown against lowa in 2019. It was Nebraska's first defensive touchdown of any kind since Deontai Williams returned a fumble for a score against Penn State in 2020.
- In the 40-7 win over UTEP in the opener, defensive lineman **Ty Robinson** had a tackle for loss for a safety. It was Nebraska's first defensive safety since 2015.
- With scores in the first two games, it marked the first time the Husker defense scored in consecutive games since 2015, when Joshua Kalu had an interception return for a touchdown at Minnesota, and a week later the Huskers had a safety against Northwestern in Lincoln.

#### WINNING THE TURNOVER MARGIN

Nebraska's defense posted multiple takeaways in each of the first two games, gaining a pair of turnovers against both UTEP and Colorado, before having an interception against UNI. In turn, the Nebraska offense has just two turnovers in three games, giving Nebraska a +3 turnover margin. Last year, Nebraska posted a -17 turnover margin.

- The multiple takeaways in consecutive games marked the first time the Husker defense accomplished that since 2020 when Nebraska had multiple takeaways against Northwestern and Penn State.
- The first two games was the first time Nebraska had a positive turnover margin in consecutive games since the final two games of the 2022 season when the Huskers had a +1 (Wisconsin) and +3 (Iowa) turnover margin in consecutive games.

### **NEBRASKA SHOWING BALANCED OFFENSIVE ATTACK**

The Nebraska offense has been balanced and efficient through three games. In the seasonopening victory over UTEP, Nebraska posted its most explosive effort in the past two seasons, and the Huskers backed that up with impressive outings against Colorado and UNI, scoring three firsthalf offensive touchdowns in each of those victories.

- Nebraska's 40 points against UTEP were its most since scoring 42 against Georgia Southern in 2022, while the 33-point margin of victory was Nebraska's largest since a 56-7 victory over Northwestern in 2021. It was the Huskers' largest margin of victory in a season opener since a 43-10 win over Fresno State to open the 2016 season.
- The Huskers gained 507 yards of total offense against the Miners, the most by Nebraska since gaining 575 yards against Georgia Southern in 2022. The Huskers reached 339 yards before halftime, which was just 80 yards shy of last year's season high for total offense for a full game (419 vs. Louisiana Tech).
- Nebraska's 284 passing yards were its most since throwing for 354 yards at Purdue in 2022.
   Nebraska's season high in passing yards in 2023 was 199 vs. Michigan. Nebraska produced 281 passing yards in its 34-3 victory over UNI.

2024	OFFENSE	GAN	/IE-BY-G	AME
RUSHIN	IG			
GAME	ATT.	YDS.	TD	LONG
UTEP	47	223	3	42
CU	35 22	149	2	21
UNI	22	142	2	38
PUR				
RUT				
IND				
OSU				
UCLA				
USC				
WISC				
IOWA				
PASSIN	IG			
GAME	COM-ATT-INT	YDS	TD LG	SACKS
UTEP	25-36-0	284	2 59	1-6
CU	23-30-0	185	1 36	0-0
UNI	20-26-1	281	2 59	0-0
ILL PUR				
RUT				
IND				
OSU				
UCLA				
USC				
WISC				
IOWA				

#### 2024 DEFENSE GAME-BY-GAME

RUSHING DEFENSE						
GAME	ATT.	YDS.	TD	LONG		
UTEP	24	56	0	13		
CU	22	16	0	17		
UNI	39	139	0	11		
ILL						
PUR						
RUT						
IND						
OSU						
UCLA						
USC						
WISC						
IOWA						

#### **PASSING DEFENSE** GAME COM-ATT-INT YDS TD LG SACKS UTFP 16-26-2 149 38 2-9 1 CU 23-40-1 244 1 30 6-41 UNI 16-32-1 162 0 1-1 II I **PUR** RUT IND OSU **UCLA USC**

WISC

IOWA

SACKS/7	ΓFL			
GAME	SACKS	YARDS	TFL	YARDS
UTEP	2	9	9	28
CU	6	41	10	49
UNI	1	1	3	4
ILL				
PUR				
RUT				
IND				
OSU				
UCLA				
USC				
WISC				
IOWA				



#### **NATIONAL RANKINGS**

ASSOCIATED PRESS (SEPT. 15)				
RK.	TEAM (1ST)	RECORD	<b>POINTS</b>	
1.	Texas (35)	3-0	1,540	
2.	Georgia (23)	3-0	1,518	
3.	Ohio State	2-0	1,461	
4.	Alabama	3-0	1,358	
5.	Ole Miss	3-0	1,316	
6.	Tennessee	3-0	1,188	
7.	Missouri	3-0	1,127	
8.	Miami	3-0	1,094	
9.	Oregon	3-0	1,093	
10.	Penn State	2-0	1,050	
11.	USC	2-0	1,008	
12.	Utah	3-0	912	
13.	Kansas State	3-0	836	
14.	Oklahoma State	3-0	742	
15.	Oklahoma	3-0	649	
16.	LSU	2-1	537	
17.	Notre Dame	2-1	477	
18.	Michigan	2-1	447	
19.	Louisville	2-0	418	
20.	Iowa State	2-0	354	
21.	Clemson	1-1	291	
22.	Nebraska	3-0	266	
23.	Northern Illinois	2-0	151	
24.	Illinois	3-0	137	
25.	Texas A&M	2-1	82	

#### **USA TODAY COACHES (SEPT. 15)**

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RK.	TEAM (1ST)	RECORD	POINTS	
1.	Georgia (42)	3-0	1,358	
2.	Texas (10)	3-0	1,301	
3.	Ohio State (3)	2-0	1,293	
4.	Alabama	3-0	1,193	
5.	Ole Miss	3-0	1,153	
6.	Oregon	3-0	1,019	
7.	Tennessee	3-0	1,009	
8.	Penn State	2-0	968	
	Missouri	3-0	968	
10.	Utah	3-0	834	
11.	Miami	3-0	831	
12.	USC	2-0	808	
13.	Oklahoma	3-0	697	
14.	Kansas State	3-0	662	
15.	Oklahoma State	3-0	642	
16.	LSU	2-1	466	
17.	Michigan	2-1	439	
18.	Notre Dame	2-1	404	
19.	Clemson	1-1	340	
20.	Louisville	2-0	333	
21.	Iowa State	2-0	235	
22.	Nebraska	3-0	204	
23.	Memphis	3-0	176	
24.	Texas A&M	2-1	85	
25.	UNLV	3-0	78	

#### **HUSKERS IN THE 2024 POLLS**

DATE	AP	С	CFP	RESULT
Pre.	RV	RV		Def. UTEP, 40-7
9-3	RV	RV		Def. Colorado, 28-10
9-8	23	24		Def. UNI, 34-3
9-15	22	22		

- Nebraska added 223 rushing yards with 11 players having at least one carry. The win over UTEP marked the first time Nebraska topped 200 yards in both rushing and passing since 2022 against Georgia Southern.
- The Huskers were again balanced on offense against Colorado, rushing 35 times for 149 yards, while completing 23-of-30 passes for 185 yards. Against UNI, the Huskers had just 48 offensive plays, but averaged 8.8 yards per play and produced 423 total yards.
- The first three games have showcased Nebraska's many offensive weapons. Thirteen players have carried the ball through two games, while 15 Huskers have caught a pass. In the opener, Nebraska had 11 ball carriers and 11 receivers, the most in both categories in a single game since 2021.

#### **RAIOLA EFFICIENTLY GUIDING HUSKER OFFENSE**

True freshman quarterback **Dylan Raiola** has been impressive in leading Nebraska to a 3-0 start. In the season opener, Raiola completed 19-of-27 passes for 238 yards and two touchdowns, while playing just one series after halftime. Raiola became just the second true freshman Husker quarterback since World War II to start a season opener, joining Adrian Martinez in 2018. Raiola earned Big Ten Freshman of the Week honors for his play in the opener. He has backed that up by completing 23-of-30 passes for 185 yards and a touchdown vs. Colorado, and hitting on 17-of-23 passes for 247 yards and two touchdowns against UNI.

- Raiola has completed 73.8 percent of his passes in three games, and has connected on at least 70 percent in each of the first three games. He is the first Husker quarterback to complete at least 70 percent of his passes in three straight games since Jeff Quinn in 1980.
- On a national level, Raiola is the first true freshman since Marcus Mariota (2012, Oregon) to complete at least 70 percent of his passes in each of his first three games.
- Raiola was the first Husker freshman (redshirt or true) quarterback to win his first start since Taylor Martinez guided Nebraska to a victory over Western Kentucky in the 2010 season opener. Martinez won his first five starts of the 2010 season.
- The 232 yards of total offense by Raiola against UTEP compared favorably to the starting debuts of other Husker freshman quarterbacks over the past three decades.

Quarterback	Year	Opp./Result	Passing	Rushing
Tommie Frazier	1992	def. Missouri, 34-24	9-20, 157 yards	14-77-3 TD
Eric Crouch	1998	def. UAB, 38-7	11-17, 127 yards, TD	7-69-2 TD
Taylor Martinez	2010	def. W. Kentucky, 49-10	9-15, 136 yards	7-127-3 TD
Tommy Armstrong Jr.	2013	def. SDSU, 59-20	12-15, 169 yards, TD	5-38
Adrian Martinez	2018	lost to Colorado, 33-28	15-20, 187 yards, TD	15-117-2 TD
Dylan Raiola	2024	def. UTEP, 40-7	19-27, 238 yards, 2 TD	1-(-6)

#### **VETERAN RECEIVERS MAKING QUICK IMPACT**

Nebraska added a pair of veteran receivers through the transfer portal in the offseason. **Jahmal Banks** joined the Huskers from Wake Forest, while **Isaiah Neyor** came to Nebraska after previously playing at Texas and Wyoming. The two seniors each check in at 6-4 and 220 pounds, and have shown an immediate connection with quarterback Dylan Raiola.

- Neyor posted his fourth career 100-yard receiving game and first since 2021 with six receptions
  for 121 yards and a 59-yard touchdown against UTEP. Neyor's six catches matched his career
  high and his 121 yards were just five yards shy of a career high. Five of Neyor's receptions came
  before halftime. He added four catches for 31 yards against Colorado, and had a TD catch
  against UNI. Through three games, Neyor leads the Huskers with 12 catches for 187 yards and
  two touchdowns.
- Banks also made his mark in the opener with four catches for 61 yards, including a 21-yard touchdown catch just two seconds before halftime. He had a pair of catches against Colorado, and one against UNI.
- Both players have had productive collegiate careers before joining the Huskers. Banks now has 114 career catches for 1,480 yards and 14 career touchdowns. Neyor has 65 catches for 1,327 yards and 14 touchdowns in his career. Neyor averages an impressive 20.4 yards per catch in his career.

#### **HUSKERS POSSESS VETERAN OFFENSIVE LINE**

The most experienced unit on the Nebraska team is the offensive line. Husker offensive linemen combined to play in 224 career games with 153 career starts entering this season.

- According to research compiled by West Virginia's Mike Montoro, Nebraska's 168 combined offensive line starts ranks as the fifth most in the country.
- Bryce Benhart, a member of the Outland Trophy watch list, leads the way with 44 career starts, starting 44 of Nebraska's 47 games at right tackle the past four seasons. Benhart's 44 career starts are the most starts by an offensive lineman in program history.
- Turner Corcoran has started 34 games for the Huskers with 29 starts at left tackle, three starts at left guard and two starts at right tackle. Corcoran had started 30 consecutive games before suffering a season-ending injury against Northwestern last season.



2024 NEBRASKA FIRST-YEAR TRANSFERS WITH FBS EXPERIENCE				
PLAYER	POS.	SCHOOL(S)	GAMES	STARTS
Stefon Thompson	LB	Syracuse	39	22
Micah Mazzccua	OL	Baylor/Florida	33	23
Ceyair Wright	DB	USC	26	15
Isaiah Neyor	WR	Wyoming/Texas	24	16
Jahmal Banks	WR	Wake Forest	46	14
Dante Dowdell	RB	Oregon	9	1
6 FBS transfers		-	177	91

- Ben Scott is in his second season as Nebraska's starting center. A member of the Rimington
  Trophy watch list, Scott started 11 games for the Huskers last season, and he has made 42 career
  starts including his three seasons at Arizona State.
- Bolstering the line is the addition of transfer **Micah Mazzccua**. Mazzccua has started 23 games in his career, including 11 starts at right guard for Florida in 2023, 10 starts at Baylor in 2022, and the first two games for the Huskers this season.
- Justin Evans (8 starts), Henry Lutovsky (5 starts) and Joey Mancino (1 start) have also started at least one game on the Nebraska offensive line. Evans has been in the starting lineup for all three games this season.
- **Teddy Prochazka** has started 11 games for Nebraska, but he will miss the 2024 campaign after suffering an injury during fall camp. The injury marked the third time in four seasons that Prochazka has suffered a season-ending injury.

#### TRANSFERS ADD EXPERIENCE TO NEBRASKA ROSTER

Nebraska added 60 newcomers to its roster in 2024. That number includes a large freshman class of 48, but adding experience to the roster are 12 first-year transfers, including six FBS transfers.

- The group of six FBS transfers all came from Power Conference programs. The six players have combined for 177 games played and 91 starts in their careers.
- Stefon Thompson played in 36 games with 21 starts at linebacker for Syracuse. He entered the 2024 season with 169 career tackles, 20.0 tackles for loss and 10.5 sacks. Thompson owns the most tackles, TFLs and sacks of any Husker on the 2024 roster. He made his first career start at Nebraska against UNI and had six tackles.
- Micah Mazzccua started 21 games on the offensive lines at Baylor and Florida. In 2022 at Baylor, PFF ranked Mazzccua as the best run-blocker in the Big 12 and the nation's 15th-best run blocker.
- Ceyair Wright made 15 starts at cornerback for USC in 2022 and 2023. He totaled 41 tackles as a Trojan with 1.0 tackle for loss, one interception and five pass breakups.
- Isaiah Neyor has started 16 games in his career. He was a second-team All-Mountain West
  Conference selection in 2021 at Wyoming before spending two seasons at Texas. Neyor ranks
  second to fellow first-year transfer Jahmal Banks in career receptions, yards and touchdowns
  among Huskers.
- Jahmal Banks played in 43 games with 11 starts at Wake Forest before transferring to Nebraska.
   Banks totaled 107 receptions for 1,404 yards and 13 touchdowns as a Demon Deacon. He owns the most career receptions, receiving yards and receiving touchdowns of any current Husker.
- Dante Dowdell spent one season at Oregon before transferring to Nebraska. Dowdell had 17 carries for 90 yards and one touchdown in 2023 for a Duck team that ranked second nationally in total offense and scoring offense. Dowdell leads Nebraska with 184 rushing yards and three touchdowns this season, including a career-high 74 yards against Colorado.

### **NINE HUSKERS EARN SPOTS ON PRESEASON WATCH LISTS**

Nine Nebraska Cornhuskers made a preseason watch list for a major national award this summer.

- True freshman Jacory Barney Jr. was named to the watch list for The Jet Award, presented to the
  nation's top returner. The award is named after Husker Heisman Trophy winner Johnny Rodgers.
- Bryce Benhart was one of 75 linemen named to the preseason watch list for the Outland Trophy. Benhart was an honorable-mention All-Big Ten selection as Nebraska's starting right tackle in 2023. The Outland Trophy is presented annually to the nation's best interior lineman.
- Brian Buschini, the 2021 FCS Punter of the Year, was one of 33 punters named to the preseason watch list for the Ray Guy Award, which is presented annually to the nation's best punter.
- Thomas Fidone II was one of 48 tight ends named to the preseason watch list for the John Mackey Award, presented annually to the nation's best tight end. Fidone led Nebraska with four touchdown catches in 2024, the most by a Husker tight end since 2010.
- Isaac Gifford was honored for his work on the field and in the community with an appointment to the Allstate Wuerffel Trophy Watch List. Gifford led Nebraska with 86 tackles while earning honorable-mention All-Big Ten accolades. Off the field, he earned a Sam Foltz 27 Hero Leadership Award in 2024 and was named to both the Brook Berringer and Tom Osborne Citizenship teams.

#### NERRASKA FOOTRALL FACTS

NEBRASKA FOOTBALL FACTS
HISTORY
Season of Football135th
All-Time Games Played1,384
National Ranking in All-Time Wins8th
All-Time Bowl Appearances53
National Ranking in Bowl Appearances8th
CHAMPIONSHIPS
National Championships 5
Back-to-Back National Championships2
Undefeated Seasons11

Perfect Seasons ......9

Conference Championships......46

#### RECORD BREAKDOWN

RECORD BREAKDOWN	
All-Time Record	
All-Time Bowl Record	
Home Games	. 558-170-20
Memorial Stadium	. 435-150-13
Record in August	15-3-0
Record in September	186-55-6
Record in October	
Record in November	. 310-178-15
Record in December	24-15-0
Record in January	14-21-0
Record in February	1-0-0
In Overtime	8-7
At Night	107-48-3
When Scoring 35+ Points	
When Allowing 10 Points or Less	
vs. Big Ten Teams	130-130-9
» In Big Ten Play (since 2011)	50-62
» Home	27-28
» Away	23-32
» Neutral	0-2
vs. Ranked Teams	106-145-3
» Home	52-49-0
» Away	28-68-3
» Neutral	26-28-0
» vs. No. 1 Team	1-10-0
» as No. 1 Team	46-7-1

#### **STREAKS**

Consecutive Games Scoring a Point	.354
Consecutive Home Games Scoring a Point	. 368
Consecutive Home Sellouts	.399
Record in Sellout Streak324	4-75
» vs. Ranked Teams4	7-39

#### **INDIVIDUAL HONORS**

College Football Hall of Fame Players	20
College Football Hall of Fame Coaches	7
First-Team All-Americans	110
Unanimous All-Americans	
Academic All-Americans*	
NCAA Top Ten Award Winners*	9
Heisman Trophy Winners	
Walter Camp Award Winners	
Maxwell Trophy Winners	
Outland Trophy Winners*	
Lombardi Trophy Winners	5
Butkus Award Winners	
Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award Winner	
Davey O'Brien Award Winners	1
Rimington Award Winners	1
Bednarik Award Winners	
Nagurski Trophy Winners	
Retired Jerseys	25
First-Team All-Conference Selections	

\*Total leads the nation



#### NEBRASKA UNDER RHULF

Overall	8-7
vs. AP Ranked Teams	0-3
vs. AP Top-10 Teams	0-1
vs. Unranked Teams	8-4
Home	7-3
Road	1-4
Neutral	0-0
In August	1-1
In September	4-2
In October	3-0
In November	0-4
In December	0-0
In January	
Individual Has 100+ Rushing Yards	
Individual Has 100+ Receiving Yards	
When Rushing for 200 or More Yards	
When Rushing for 300 or More Yards	
When Passing for 200 or More Yards	
When Passing for 300 or More Yards	
When Scoring 30 or More Points	
When Scoring 40 or More Points	
When Allowing 10 or Fewer Points	
When Allowing 20 or Fewer Points	
When Committing Zero Turnovers	
When Winning Turnover Margin	
When Scoring First	
When Leading at Halftime	
When Trailing at Halftime	
When Tied at Halftime	
Games Decided by 11 Points or More	
Games Decided by 10 Points or Less	
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	
Overtime Games	0-1

#### **RHULE'S COLLEGE CAREER**

Overall vs. AP Ranked Teams vs. AP Top-10 Teams vs. Unranked Teams Home Road Neutral In August In September In October In November In December In January Individual Has 100+ Rushing Yards Individual Has 100+ Receiving Yards When Rushing for 200 or More Yards When Passing for 200 or More Yards When Passing for 300 or More Yards When Scoring 30 or More Points When Allowing 10 or Fewer Points When Allowing 20 or Fewer Points When Committing Zero Turnovers	3-19 0-10 52-31 32-21 21-25 2-4 3-2 17-15 18-12 14-17 0-1 21-3 19-12 24-6 4-0 33-31 33-31 13-14 31-5 14-3 23-0
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When Rushing for 200 or More Yards	24-6
When Rushing for 300 or More Yards	4-0
When Committing Zero Turnovers	
When Winning Turnover Margin	
When Scoring First	
When Leading at Halftime	
When Trailing at Halftime	
When Tied at Halftime	
Games Decided by 11 Points or More Games Decided by 10 Points or Less	
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	
Games Decided by 7 Points of Less	
Overtime Games	
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## • Nash Hutmacher was one of 90 players - and 37 defensive linemen - named to the preseason watch list for the Chuck Bednarik Award, presented annually to the outstanding defensive player in college football. Hutmacher was an honorable-mention All-Big Ten selection last season.

- Dylan Raiola was named to the Polynesian College Football Player of the Year watch list and the Shaun Alexander Award Watch list.
- Isaiah Neyor was one of 93 players named to the Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award watch list. The award is presented to the top offensive player who played high school or college football in Texas.
- Ben Scott, an honorable-mention All-Big Ten selection in 2023, was one of 40 centers named to the Rimington Trophy watch list. The Rimington Trophy named after former Husker center Dave Rimington is presented annually to the nation's top center.

#### NINE HUSKERS NAMED TO SENIOR BOWL WATCH LIST

A total of nine Huskers made the preseason watch list for the Reese's Senior Bowl. The Reese's Senior Bowl is widely regarded as the preeminent college football all-star game and the first stage in the NFL Draft process. The 2025 game will be played on Feb. 1 in Mobile, Ala.

- Five offensive players made the Senior Bowl watch list: wide receivers Jahmal Banks and Isaiah Neyor, tight end Thomas Fidone II and offensive linemen Micah Mazzccua and Ben Scott.
- Four defenders also made the Senior Bowl watch list: defensive linemen Nash Hutmacher and Ty Robinson and defensive backs Tommi Hill and DeShon Singleton.

#### SINGLE-DIGIT NUMBERS AWARDED TO 'TOUGHEST' HUSKERS

For the second straight season, single-digit jersey numbers were awarded to the team's "toughest" players. The single-digit honorees were chosen through a players-only vote and the players then got to choose which single-digit number they wanted.

• The tradition of single-digit numbers being reserved for the chosen few dates back to Rhule's time at Temple.

"I got really tired of having a guy in my program who had spent three years at like No. 47... wanted to wear No. 1 or No. 3, and he had earned it and we would give it to a recruit," Rhule said prior to the 2023 season. "What we decided was (numbers) 1-9, now 0-9, would go to the nine or now 10 'toughest' guys on the team. When I say 'toughest', we define that for the guys, but really the guys who best exemplify what it means to be a Cornhusker. To be accountable, to be dependable, to be tough, hard-working, competitive every single day."

 The 10 players listed below were selected by their teammates to be worthy of having a single-digit number this season.

#### NEBRASKA SINGLE-DIGIT JERSEY PLAYERS

- » No. 0 Nash Hutmacher, DL\*
- » No. 1 Jimari Butler, DL
- » No. 2 Isaac Gifford, DB\*
- » No. 3 Marques Buford Jr., DB
- » No. 4 Jahmal Banks, WR

- » No. 5 John Bullock, LB\*
- » No. 6 Tommi Hill, DB
- » No. 7 Malcolm Hartzog Jr., DB
- » No. 8 DeShon Singleton, DB\*
- » No. 9 Ty Robinson, DL\*

#### RHULE LOOKS FOR ANOTHER STRONG SECOND SEASON

Nebraska went 5-7 in Matt Rhule's first season. The Huskers aim to increase their win total this season, something Rhule has done at each of his previous two collegiate head coaching stops.

- In his first head coaching job at Temple, Rhule helped the Owls to a four-win improvement from his first season to his second. Then at Baylor, Rhule guided the Bears to a six-win improvement from year one to year two. That improvement ranked third nationally and was the largest win improvement of any Power Conference program that season.
- Rhule took on rebuilding jobs at Temple, Baylor and Nebraska, which contributed to an 8-28 combined record in his first season at each school. But excluding his first season at Temple, Baylor and Nebraska, Rhule boasts a 44-22 record with three 10-win seasons in five years.
- Rhule has a proven record as a program builder. He led both Temple and Baylor to the highest win totals in program history in his third season at each school.
- Rhule guided Temple to a pair of trips to the American Athletic Conference title game, the first two appearances in the league title game in school history. His 2016 Owl team won the school's first conference title in nearly 40 years.
- Rhule led Temple to back-to-back bowl appearances for the first time in school history in 2015 and 2016
- At Baylor, Rhule became the first head coach at a Power Conference school to take a team from 11 losses (1-11 in 2017) to 11 victories (11-3 in 2019) in two or fewer seasons.
- The 2019 Baylor team set a school record for wins with 11 and the Bears' 9-0 start was the best in school history.

<sup>\*</sup>also wore a single-digit jersey during the 2023 season



#### **MAJORITY OF STAFF RETURNS & RULE CHANGE BOLSTERS STAFF**

The Huskers returned eight of their 10 full-time assistants from last season, welcoming two new full-time assistants to the coaching staff. In addition to the two new assistants, an NCAA rule change has permitted additional staff members to provide on-field coaching.

- Donovan Raiola is in his third season at Nebraska in 2024 after being the lone assistant coach retained by Matt Rhule following the 2022 season.
- Other returning coaches on the offensive staff include offensive coordinator Marcus Satterfield (second season), running backs coach E.J. Barthel (second season) and wide receivers coach Garret McGuire (second season). The four returning offensive assistants helped the Huskers rank second in the Big Ten in rushing last season.
- **Glenn Thomas** is the lone new addition to the offensive staff, serving as Nebraska's quarterbacks coach and co-offensive coordinator. He came to Lincoln after one season as an offensive assistant with the Pittsburgh Steelers, helping the Steelers to a berth in the AFC playoffs in 2023.
- Thomas spent five seasons on Matt Rhule's coaching staffs at Temple and Baylor, serving as the offensive coordinator for the Owls in 2016 and as the co-offensive coordinator at Baylor from 2017 to 2019. Thomas also has recent experience as a quarterbacks coach and offensive coordinator at Arizona State (2022) and UNLV (2020-21).
- On defense, coordinator Tony White (second season) returns as does linebackers coach Rob Dvoracek (second season) and defensive line coach Terrance Knighton (second season). Last year, that trio helped Nebraska post its best scoring defense, total defense and rushing defense since the Huskers joined the Big Ten in 2011.
- John Butler is the only new defensive assistant, serving as the Huskers' secondary coach and pass game coordinator. Butler came to Nebraska after spending the previous six seasons as the defensive backs coach for the Buffalo Bills. Buffalo had a top-five pass defense rating in five of his six seasons, helping the Bills win four AFC North titles and make five playoff appearances.
- Special teams coordinator Ed Foley also returns for his second season in 2024. He helped Nebraska rank third nationally in blocked kicks in his first season last fall.
- With the removal of the NCAA rule limiting the number of on-field coaches, Matt Rhule has announced 10 more staff members who will provide additional on-field coaching this fall.

#### ADDITIONAL COACHING RESPONSIBILITIES

- Josh Bringuel (assistant linebackers)
- Ron Brown (fullbacks and returners)
- Aaron Coeling (assistant offensive line)
- Adam DiMichele (assistant secondary/safeties)
- Josh Martin (assistant special teams)
- Kevin McGarry (senior defensive analyst)
- Rashaan Melvin (assistant secondary/cornerbacks)
- Jamar Mozee (senior football assistant)
- Jack Potenza (JACK linebackers)
- Keith Williams (tight ends)

#### 19 PLAYING 2024 SEASON AS COLLEGE GRADUATES

Nineteen Huskers are playing this season as college graduates, including 15 players who earned their degrees from Nebraska and four players who joined the Husker program as graduate transfers. In addition to the 19 players who have already graduated, 11 Huskers are on track to earn their degrees in December.

#### NEBRASKA FOOTBALL RECENT ACADEMIC HIGHLIGHTS

- » 19 college graduates on the 2024 roster
- » 3.241 team grade-point average in 2024 spring semester (highest in team history)
- » 50 Academic All-Big Ten selections in 2023
- » 196 honor roll selections in the 2023-24 fall and spring semesters

#### **COLLEGE GRADUATES ON NEBRASKA'S ROSTER** • Jahmal Banks • Heinrich Haarberg • Bryce Benhart • Nash Hutmacher • Nate Boerkircher Rahmir Johnson John Bullock Maurice Mazzccua • Brian Buschini • Teddy Prochazka • Turner Corcoran • Ty Robinson • Gabe Ervin Jr. • Ben Scott • Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda • Camden Witucki • Isaac Gifford Javin Wright Jalyn Gramstad

#### **CHARTING THE HUSKERS**

ALL-TIME WINS				
RK.	SCHOOL	WINS		
1.	Michigan	1,006		
2.	Ohio State	967		
	Alabama	967		
4.	Texas	951		
5.	Notre Dame	950		
6.	Oklahoma	947		
7.	Penn State	932		
8.	Nebraska	920		

#### **CONFERENCE TITLES**

RK.	SCHOOL	TITLES
1.	Oklahoma	50
2.	Nebraska	46
3.	Michigan	45

#### **AP NATIONAL TITLES**

RK.	SCHOOL	TITLES
1.	Alabama	12
2.	Notre Dame	8
3.	Oklahoma	7
4.	Miami	5
	Ohio State	5
	USC	5
t-7.	Nebraska	4

#### **COACHES POLL NATIONAL TITLES**

RK.	SCHOOL	TITLES
1.	Alabama	11
2.	Oklahoma	6
3.	USC	5
t-4.	Nebraska	4

#### **BOWL APPEARANCES**

RK.	SCHOOL	APP.
1.	Alabama	71
2.	Texas	59
3.	Georgia	58
4.	Oklahoma	57
	Tennessee	57
6.	USC	56
7.	LSU	54
t-8.	Nebraska	53

#### **HEISMAN TROPHY WINNERS**

RK.	SCHOOL	WINNERS
1.	Notre Dame	7
	Ohio State	7
	Oklahoma	7
	USC	7
5.	Alabama	4
t-6.	Nebraska	3

#### **NFL DRAFT PICKS**

RK.	SCHOOL	PICKS
1.	Notre Dame	532
2.	USC	530
3.	Ohio State	489
4.	Oklahoma	417
5.	Michigan	415
6.	Alabama	411
7.	Penn State	389
8.	LSU	381
9.	Georgia	379
10.	Florida	373
11.	Nebraska	368



#### **CHARTING THE HUSKERS**

CONSECUTIVE HOME SELLOUTS			
RK.	SCHOOL	SELLOUTS	
1.	Nebraska	399	
2.	Oklahoma	155	

#### **NATIONAL TITLES SINCE 1970**

RK.	SCHOOL	TITLES
1.	Alabama	12
2.	Nebraska	5
	Miami	5

#### **WINS SINCE 1970**

RK.	SCHOOL	WINS
1.	Ohio State	513
2.	Oklahoma	512
3.	Alabama	505
4.	Michigan	489
5.	Georgia	487
6.	Nebraska	486

#### 9-WIN SEASONS

RK.	SCHOOL	SEASONS
1.	Alabama	54
2.	Nebraska	50
	Oklahoma	50

#### **10-WIN SEASONS**

RK.	SCHOOL	SEASONS
1.	Alabama	43
	Oklahoma	43
3.	Michigan	32
4.	Ohio State	31
5.	Nebraska	27

#### WEEKS RANKED IN AP POLL

RK.	SCHOOL	WEEKS
1.	Ohio State	985
2.	Michigan	922
3.	Oklahoma	901
4.	Alabama	876
	Notre Dame	876
6.	USC	816
7.	Texas	776
8.	Nebraska	732
9.	Penn State	698

#### WEEKS RANKED NO. 1 IN AP POLL

RK.	SCHOOL	WEEKS
1.	Alabama	140
2.	Ohio State	105
3.	Oklahoma	101
4.	Notre Dame	98
5.	USC	91
6.	Florida State	72
7.	Nebraska	70
8.	Miami	68

#### **NOTES FROM NEBRASKA'S 2023 SEASON**

Nebraska entered 2024 with a goal of making significant progress in Matt Rhule's second season. Despite finishing 5-7 in 2023, Nebraska made strides in many areas. Four of the seven losses were by three points with a fifth loss by a touchdown in overtime. Due to injuries, Nebraska used three different starting quarterbacks in its five one-score losses.

- Nebraska had the program's fewest penalty yards per game (42.8) since 1998.
- The Huskers ranked among the nation's 15 most-improved teams in rushing offense, rushing defense, total defense and scoring defense. NU had the nation's No. 2 most-improved rush defense, the No. 3 most-improved total defense and the No. 10 most-improved scoring defense. Offensively, the Huskers had the 14th most-improved rushing attack from 2022 to 2023.
- Nebraska posted its best statistical rushing defense, total defense and scoring defense since joining the Big Ten in 2011. The Huskers allowed their fewest points per game (18.3) since 2010, their fewest yards per game (303.5) since 2009 and their fewest rushing yards per game (92.9) since 1999
- NU ranked eighth nationally in rushing defense, 11th nationally in total defense and 13th nationally in scoring defense in 2023. The Huskers posted their highest national ranking in rushing defense since 1999 and best national ranking in total and scoring defense since 2010.
- Nebraska held eight opponents to 14 or fewer points in 2023, a first for the program since the 2009 season, when the Huskers led the nation in scoring defense.
- The Huskers held six of their 12 opponents in 2023 to fewer than 300 total yards, while also limiting eight of 12 opponents to fewer than 100 rushing yards.
- Nebraska totaled its most sacks (32) since 2014 and most tackles for loss (76) since 2016.
- Offensively, the Huskers ranked second in the Big Ten in rushing in 2023 (176.8 ypg).
- Nebraska also had one of the best big-play offenses in the Big Ten. The Huskers ranked second in the Big Ten with eight plays of 50 yards or longer in 2023 while leading the league in rushes of 40 yards or longer, 60 yards or longer and 70 yards or longer.
- From a special teams standpoint, Nebraska ranked third nationally with four blocked kicks in 2023. The Huskers recorded their most blocked kicks since 2014.

#### A LOOK AT NEBRASKA'S 2024 SCHEDULE

Nebraska completed non-league play at 3-0 and now moves into Big Ten action. NU plays nine Big Ten contests, including games against UCLA and USC, each of whom are in their first season as a Big Ten member. The 2024 season marks the first time since Nebraska joined the conference in 2011 that the Big Ten will not utilize a divisional format.

- Nebraska will play Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Ohio State, Purdue, Rutgers, UCLA, USC and Wisconsin.
   The Huskers will not play Maryland, Michigan, Michigan State, Minnesota, Northwestern, Oregon, Penn State or Washington.
- Nebraska opened the 2024 season at home against UTEP, marking the first season since 2019 that Nebraska played its first game of the season at home. It was also the first time since 2019 that the Huskers have opened the season against a non-conference opponent.
- The Huskers played their opener in August for the fourth straight season and for the fifth time in the past five full seasons (2020 excluded).
- Nebraska finishes a four-game homestand on Friday. The four straight home games to open the season marks the Huskers' longest season-opening homestand since 2013 (five games).
- The Huskers will play their third consecutive home night game on Friday. This is only the third time in program history (also 2002 and 2008) that Nebraska has had three straight night home games.
- The Big Ten opener against Illinois on Friday at Memorial Stadium marks Nebraska's NCAA-record 400th consecutive sellout. It is also the Huskers' first weekday home game since 2001, when Nebraska played Rice on Thursday, Sept. 20, in a game postponed five days due to the Sept. 11 attacks.

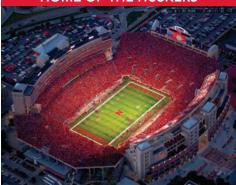
#### **NEBRASKA AMONG TOP ALL-TIME PROGRAMS**

Nebraska is playing its 135th football season this fall, and the Huskers have historically been one of the top programs in college football history.

- Nebraska ranks eighth in NCAA history with 919 wins and 53 all-time bowl game appearances.
- The Huskers have won five national titles. Nebraska's four Associated Press national championships (1970, 1971, 1994, 1995) rank seventh all-time and NU's four coaches poll titles (1971, 1994, 1995, 1997) rank fourth.
- Nebraska's 46 conference titles rank second in NCAA history.
- The success extends to the classroom as well. Nebraska football has produced more Academic All-Americans (108) and more NCAA Top 10 Award winners (9) than any other team in any sport in NCAA history.



#### HOME OF THE HUSKERS



Memorial Stadium celebrated its 100th year in 2023. In the fall of 1922, a drive for \$430,000 in stadium construction funds was undertaken by faculty, students, alumni and friends of the University.

The stadium was named Memorial Stadium to honor all Nebraskans who served in the Civil and Spanish-American Wars; the 751 Nebraskans who died in World War I; the 3,839 in World War II; the 225 in Korea; the 422 in Vietnam; and those in Iraq.

Construction was completed in a few more than 90 working days and Memorial Stadium was dedicated on Oct. 20, 1923, at the Homecoming game in which Nebraska was held to a scoreless tie by Kansas.

The field at Memorial Stadium was named Tom Osborne Field - after the Huskers' legendary Hall-of-Fame coach - in 1998, one year after Osborne's retirement following 25 years and 255 victories as head coach.

#### **TOP 10 HOME CROWDS**

RK.	DATE	OPPONENT	ATT.
1.	Sept. 20, 2014	Miami	91,585
2.	Sept. 14, 2013	UCLA	91,471
3.	Aug. 30, 2014	Fla. Atlantic	91,441
4.	Nov. 29, 2013	lowa	91,260
5.	Sept. 27, 2014	Illinois	91,225
6.	Nov. 22, 2014	Minnesota	91,186
7.	Aug. 31, 2013	Wyoming	91,185
8.	Nov. 2, 2013	Northwestern	91,140
9.	Nov. 1, 2014	Purdue	91,107
10.	Oct. 25, 2014	Rutgers	91,088

#### **TOP 5 SEASON ATTENDANCE**

RK.	YEAR	GAMES	TOTAL	AVG.
1.	2014	7	638,744	91,249
2.	2013	8	727,466	90,933
3.	2016	7	631,402	90,200
4.	2015	7	629,986	89,998
5.	2017	7	628,583	89,798

#### LONGEST HOME WIN STREAKS

RK.	BEGAN	ENDED	WINS
1.	Oct. 19, 1991	Oct. 31, 1998	47
2.	Sept. 28, 1901	Oct. 20, 1906	33
3.	Nov. 27, 1998	Nov. 2, 2002	26
4.	Sept. 27, 1969	Nov. 23, 1972	23
5.	Oct. 3, 1981	Nov. 17, 1984	21

All streaks at Memorial Stadium, except for the 33-game streak from 1901 to 1906.

## **2024 NEBRASKA SEASON NOTEBOOK**

#### SCHEDULE NOTES

- Nebraska's schedule consists of three nonconference games followed by nine Big Ten contests. The 2024 season marks the first time since Nebraska joined the conference in 2011 that the Big Ten will not utilize a divisional format.
- Nebraska will play Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Ohio State, Purdue, Rutgers, UCLA, USC and Wisconsin. The Huskers will not play Maryland, Michigan, Michigan State, Minnesota, Northwestern, Oregon, Penn State or Washington.
- Nebraska will play its first four games at home, markings the longest season-opening homestand since 2013 (five games).
- The Huskers are playing three straight home night games for only the third time in program history (also 2002 and 2008).
- The Big Ten opener against Illinois on Friday will mark the 400th sellout at Memorial Stadium. The game will also mark the first Friday night home game in school history while being the first weekday home game (excluding Black Friday) since 2001, when Nebraska played Rice on Thursday, Sept. 20, in a game postponed five days due to the Sept. 11 attacks.

#### **COACHING STAFF NOTES**

- Matt Rhule is in his second season at Nebraska in 2024. Rhule is in his 12th season as a head coach after previously leading programs at Temple (2013-16) and Baylor (2017-19) along with an NFL stint as head coach of the Carolina Panthers (2020-22).
- Rhule owns a career record of 55-50 in his eight seasons as a college head coach. He has a proven record as a program builder after taking on rebuilding projects at Temple, Baylor and Nebraska.
- Rhule's college teams have taken a step forward in his second season at each school. Temple improved by four wins in Rhule's second season in 2014 and Baylor improved by six wins in his second season in 2018, an improvement that led all power conference teams and ranked third in the FBS.
- Rhule then guided both the Owls and Bears to a school-record win total in his third season, when both teams also played in the conference championship game.
- Eight Husker assistants return from last season: Marcus Satterfield (offensive coordinator/tight ends), Tony White (defensive coordinator), Ed Foley (special teams coordinator), E.J. Barthel (running backs), Rob Dvoracek (linebackers), Terrance Knighton (defensive line), Garret McGuire (wide receivers) and Donovan Raiola (offensive line).
- John Butler (secondary/pass game coordinator) and Glenn Thomas (co-offensive coordinator/ quarterbacks) are in their first season at NU.

#### **ROSTER NOTES**

• Nebraska's roster features 152 players. A player's class reflects the fact that the 2020 season did not count as a year of eligibility.

#### **HUSKER ROSTER CLASS BREAKDOWN** TOTAL % OF POSTER

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True Freshmen	48	32%
Redshirt Freshmer	n 34	22%
Total Freshmen	81	54%
Sophomores	25	17%
Juniors	26	17%
Seniors	19	13%

- The roster features 91 returning players and 61 newcomers. Nebraska returns a total of 20 starters and 39 letterwinners.
- Nebraska has added 13 transfers and 48 true freshmen to its roster in 2024. Among the 13 transfers are seven FBS transfers, three junior college players, two FCS transfers and one NAIA transfer.
- All six of Nebraska's FBS transfers came from Power Conference programs (Florida, Oregon, Syracuse, Texas, USC and Wake Forest).
- The roster features players from 29 states and one foreign country (Germany).
- Nebraska has had a letterwinner from 47 of the 50 states in its history, missing only Idaho, New Hampshire and Rhode Island.
- States with multiple players on the Huskers' 2024 roster include: Nebraska (53), Texas (12), Iowa (8), Florida (7), Pennsylvania (7), California (6), New Jersey (5), Arizona (4), Colorado (4), Georgia (4), Missouri (4) Illinois (3), Louisiana (3), Maryland (3), Minnesota (3), New York (3), Tennessee (3), Hawaii (2), Kansas (2), Michigan (2), Mississippi (2), Montana (2) and South Dakota (2).
- The states of Alabama, North Carolina, Nevada, Utah, Washington and Wisconsin are each represented with one player on Nebraska's 2024 roster.
- The players who are wearing a single-digit jersey number (0-9) earned the right to wear that number through a team vote.

#### **ACADEMIC NOTES**

• A total of 19 Huskers are playing the 2024 season as graduates, including players who earned their degree at another institution before transferring to Nebraska.

#### **HUSKERS WHO HAVE EARNED DEGREES**

- » Jahmal Banks
- » Brvce Benhart
- » Nate Boerkircher
- » John Bullock
- » Brian Buschini
- » Turner Corcoran
- » Gabe Ervin Jr.
- » Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda
- » Isaac Gifford

- » Heinrich Haarberg
- » Nash Hutmacher
- » Rahmir Johnson
- » Maurice Mazzccua
- » Teddy Prochazka
- » Ty Robinson
- » Ben Scott
- » Camden Witucki
- » Javin Wright
- » Jalyn Gramstad



### SCOUTING THE ILLINOIS FIGHTING ILLINI



Illinois has started the 2024 campaign with a trio of home victories against Eastern Illinois, No. 19 Kansas and Central Michigan. The Illini is ranked No. 24 in this week's AP poll.

The Illini enter Friday night averaging 32.7 points and 378.7 yards per game, with 225.3 yards per game through the air and 153.3 yards per game on the ground. Luke Altmyer has completed 54-of-78 passes for 647 yards and six touchdowns. Pat Bryant leads Illinois with 15 receptions for 235 yards and four touchdowns, while Zakhari Franklin

8/29	Eastern Illinois	W, 45-0
9/7	No. 19 Kansas	W, 23-17
9/14	Central Michigan	W, 30-9
9/20	No. 23 Nebraska	7 p.m.
9/28	at Penn State	TBA
10/12	Purdue	TBA
10/19	Michigan	TBA
10/26	at Oregon	TBA
11/2	Minnesota	TBA
11/16	Michigan State	TBA
11/23	at Rutgers	TBA
11/30	at Northwestern	TBA

with 16 grabs for 193 yards. Kaden Feagin paces the Illinois rushing attack with 42 carries for 173 yards and three scores, while Ca'Lil Valentine has carried the ball 17 times for 96 yards.

Defensively, the Illini are allowing 8.7 points and 277.3 yards per game this season. Matthew Bailey leads the Illinois defense with a team-high 17 tackles, followed by Dylan Rosiek with 14 stops. Gabe Jacas has a team-high three tackles for loss, while Joe Barna leads the Illini with 1.5 sacks through three games. Illinois has forced nine turnovers which is fifth nationally.

#### **2024 ILLINOIS STAT LEADERS**

RUSHING	ΑT	гт. Υ	YDS	YPC	YPG	TD
Kaden Feagin	4	2	173	4.1	57.7	3
Ca'Lil Valentine	1	7	96	5.6	32.0	0
Aidan Laughery	1	4	89	6.4	44.5	0
PASSING	CMP-	ATT-INT	г рст	YDS	YPG	TD
Luke Altmyer	54-	78-0	69.2	647	215.7	6
RECEIVING	RE	C. '	YDS	YPC	YPG	TD
<b>RECEIVING</b> Pat Bryant			<b>YDS</b> 235	<b>YPC</b> 15.7	<b>YPG</b> 78.3	<b>TD</b> 4
	1	5				
Pat Bryant	1	5	235	15.7	78.3	4
Pat Bryant Zakhari Franklin	1	5	235 193	15.7 12.1	78.3 64.3	4
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<b>PUNT RET.</b> Hank Beatty Mac Resetich	<b>NO.</b> 4	<b>YDS</b> 49 43	12.3 10.8	0
KICK RET. Kenari Wilcher	<b>NO.</b> 1	<b>YDS</b> 20	<b>AVG</b> 20.0	
FIELD GOALS Caleb Griffin		<b>ATT</b> -5	<b>PCT</b> 80.0	
TACKLES	TAC	CK 1	FL	SCK
Matthew Bailey	17	7		
Dylan Rosiek	14	1		
Dennis Briggs J	r. 13	3 2	2.0	1.0
Miles Scott	13	3		
Gabe Jacas	12	2 :	3.0	1.0
Xavier Scott	12	2 '	1.0	1.0
Seth Coleman	11	1 2	2.0	

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NEB	NAT.	B1G	CATEGORY	B1G	NAT.	ILL
171.3	57th	9th	Rushing Offense	14th	73rd	153.3
250.0	52nd	7th	Passing Offense	10th	73rd	225.3
421.3	50th	9th	Total Offense	12th	79th	378.7
34.0	44th	6th	Scoring Offense	9th	54th	32.7
70.3	16th	6th	Rushing Defense	14th	59th	123.0
185.0	57th	11th	Pass Defense	6th	31st	151.7
255.3	23rd	5th	Total Defense	8th	33rd	274.7
6.7	8th	3rd	Scoring Defense	5th	14th	8.7
50.0%	23rd	3rd	3rd-Down Offense	13th	118th	32.2%
32.5%	46th	7th	3rd-Down Defense	13th	122nd	48.7%
78.6%	99th	15th	Red Zone Offense	14th	73rd	40.0%
60.0%	14th	4th	Red Zone Defense	11th	82nd	38.5%
36.56	107th	16th	Net Punting	13th	80th	38.18
7.17	79th	12th	Punt Returns	4th	40th	11.5
10.75	107th	14th	Punt Return Defense	10th	74th	7.33
22.0	41st	7th	Kickoff Returns	10th	58th	20.0
20.33	99th	15th	Kick Return Defense	9th	69th	18.4
6.33	71st	9th	Penalties	8th	63rd	6.0
61.33	84th	11th	Penalty Yards	7th	53rd	48.67
5	26th	5th	Turnovers Gained	2nd	5th	9
2	29th	8th	Turnovers Lost	3rd	6th	1
+1.00	23rd	7th	Turnover Margin	2nd	2nd	+2.67

#### **HEAD COACH INFORMATION**



## HEAD COACH BRET BIELEMA

- Fourth Season at Illinois (21-19 Record)
- 16th Career Season (118-77 Record)

Bret Bielema is in his fourth season as the head coach at Illinois. He led the Fighting Illini to a 5-7 mark last season after an 8-5 record in 2022.

Bielema came to Illinois after serving as a coach in the NFL for three years. He spent one year as the outside linebackers and senior asssistant coach for the New York Giants and two years as the defensive line coach and consultant to the head coach with the New England Patriots.

Bielema led Arkansas' football program from 2013-17, holding a 29-34 record. His first head coaching job came at Wisconsin where he finished 68-24 (2006-12).

Prior to serving as a head coach, Bielema served as an assistant coach at lowa (1996-2001), Kansas State (2002-03) and Wisconsin (2004-05).

#### **BIELEMA VS. NEBRASKA**

Bielema will face Nebraska for the seventh time as a head coach on Friday. Bielema holds a 4-2 record against the Huskers after Nebraska picked up a road victory at Illinois last season.

#### **ILLINOIS INFORMATION**

Illinois has fielded a football team since 1890 and the Fighting Illini have tallied nearly 640 wins as a program. UI has claimed five national titles and 15 Big Ten Conference Championships.

The Fighting Illini have made 20 bowl game appearances, claiming eight wins. Illinois' last bowl game appearance came in 2022 when the Fighting Illini took on Mississippi State in the ReliaQuest Bowl. Mississippi State came away with the 19-10 victory over Illinois.

• First Year: 1890

• All-Time Record: 635-625-51

• Bowl Record: 8-12

• Conference Titles: 15

• National Titles: 5

• Stadium: Memorial Stadium

• Capacity: 60,670

• Playing Surface: FieldTurf

• Location: Urbana-Champaign, Ill.

• Enrollment: 56,644

• Colors: Orange and Blue

#### **COACHING LEDGER**

#### NEBRASKA (2023-24)

• Head Coach

#### **CAROLINA PANTHERS (2020-22)**

• Head Coach

#### BAYLOR (2017-2019)

• Head Coach

#### TEMPLE (2013-16)

• Head Coach

#### **NEW YORK GIANTS (2012)**

• Assistant Coach (Assistant OL)

#### TEMPLE (2006-11)

- Offensive Coordinator (TE)/ Recruiting Coordinator (2011)
- Offensive Coordinator (QB) (2008-10)
- Assistant Coach (QB)/ Recruiting Coordinator (2007)
- Assistant Coach (DL) (2006)

#### WESTERN CAROLINA (2002-05)

- Assistant Head Coach (OL)/ Running Game Coordinator/ Special Teams (2005)
- Assistant Head Coach (Special Teams/LB) (2003-04)
- Assistant Coach (Special Teams/LB) (2002)

#### UCLA (2001)

• Assistant Coach (Assistant DL)

#### BUFFALO (1999-2000)

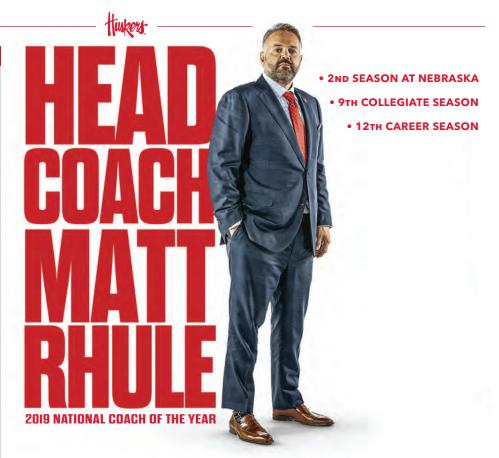
- Assistant Coach (DL) (2000)
- Assistant Coach (Assistant DL) (1999)

#### ALBRIGHT [PA.] COLLEGE (1998)

• Assistant Coach (LB)

#### **HEAD COACHING RECORDS**

YEAR 2013 2014 2015 2016 4 SEASC	TEAM (ROLE) Temple Temple Temple Temple Temple	2-10 6-6 10-4 10-3 28-23
2017	Baylor	1-11
2018	Baylor	7-6
2019	Baylor	11-3
3 SEASC	PNS	<b>19-20</b>
2020	Carolina Panthers	5-11
2021	Carolina Panthers	5-12
2022	Carolina Panthers	1-4
<b>2+ SEAS</b>	ONS	<b>11-27</b>
2023	Nebraska	5-7
2024	Nebraska	3-0
<b>2 SEASC</b>	<b>DNS</b>	<b>8-7</b>
	ER SEASONS GE SEASONS	66-77 55-50



Matt Rhule has a proven track record as a program builder. In his first two collegiate head coaching jobs at Temple (2013-16) and Baylor (2017-19), Rhule led both the Owls and the Bears to their most victories in school history in just his third season. He also took both teams to the conference championship game in year three.

Rhule took Temple from two wins in his first season to a school-record 10 victories in both his third and fourth seasons with an appearance in the conference championship game both seasons. He then took Baylor from one win in his first season to a school-record 11 victories in his third season and an appearance in the Big 12 Championship Game and the Sugar Bowl.

Before taking the Nebrasksa job, Rhule one won conference title, three division titles and produced three seasons with double-digit wins in a five-season span (2015-19).

#### TAKING TEMPLE TO NEW HEIGHTS

In his tenure at Temple from 2013 to 2016, Rhule took the Owls to new heights.

- In Rhule's second season in 2014, Temple posted the program's first win over an SEC team since 1938, its first win over a ranked opponent in 16 seasons and the program's largest margin of victory in nearly 50 years.
- Rhule won 10 games in both 2015 and 2016.
   He is responsible for two of the three 10-win seasons in Temple's 124-year history.
- He also took the Owls to back-to-back bowl games in 2015 and 2016, the first time Temple played in a bowl in consecutive seasons.
- In 2015, Rhule led Temple to the American Athletic Conference Championship Game, the first conference title game in program history.
- The next season, Rhule guided the Owls to their second conference title in program history and the first in nearly 40 years.
- Temple has spent a total of 16 weeks ranked in the 88-year history of the Associated Press top-25 poll. More than half of those top-25 rankings (9) came under Rhule in 2015 and 2016.

#### AN ENCORE AT BAYLOR

At Temple, Rhule led the Owls to their highest season win total in program history, their first conference championship game appearance and an impressive run in the national rankings. He produced an encore by repeating each of those same feats in three seasons at Baylor.

- Baylor finished with 11 losses in Rhule's first season in 2017 but two years later, he guided the Bears to 11 wins in 2019. Baylor became the first Power Conference program to go from 11 losses to 11 wins in two or fewer seasons
- Baylor won its final two games of the 2018 season and its first nine games of the 2019 campaign. The 11 straight victories marked the second-longest winning streak in school history, while Baylor's 9-0 start in 2019 was the best start in program history.
- In 2019, Rhule led Baylor to its most wins (11) in school history, the Bears advanced to their first Big 12 Championship Game and played in the Sugar Bowl for only the second time in program history.
- Baylor finished with a No. 13 ranking in 2019, the Bears' second-highest final ranking since 1951



## **NEBRASKA COACHING STAFF**



**2ND YEAR** 

#### MARCUS SATTERFIELD **OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR / TIGHT ENDS**

- 13th season as an offensive coordinator, plus two seasons as a collegiate head coach
- South Carolina had the 4th-highest scoring offense in school history in 2022



#### **TONY WHITE** ASSOC. HEAD COACH / DEFENSIVE COORD.

- 2022 and 2023 Broyles Award Nominee (Nation's Top Assistant Coach)
- Nebraska ranked in the top 15 nationally in rushing, scoring and total defense in 2023



2ND YEAR

#### E.J. BARTHEL **RUNNING BACKS**

- Helped Nebraska rank 2nd in the Big Ten in rushing in 2023
- Boasts Big Ten experience at Nebraska, Penn State and Rutgers



IST YEAR

#### JOHN BUTLER PASS GAME COORDINATOR / CORNERBACKS

- Came to Nebraska after 10 seasons as an NFL assistant coach
- The Buffalo Bills had a top-5 pass defense in five of his six seasons



2ND YEAR

#### **GARRET McGUIRE** WIDE RECEIVERS

- 84 percent of Nebraska's receiving yards in 2023 came from first-year Huskers
- Spent two seasons in the NFL prior to joining Nebraska



2ND YEAR

#### **ROB DVORACEK LINEBACKERS**

- Seven of his eight coaching seasons have been spent at a Power Conference team or in the NFL
- Helped Nebraska post its best statistical defense of the Big Ten era in 2023



**3RD YEAR** 

#### DONOVAN RAIOLA OFFENSIVE LINE

- Helped Nebraska rank 2nd in the Big Ten in rushing in 2023
- Has coached the offensive lines at Nebraska, Notre Dame and with the Chicago Bears



**2ND YEAR** 

#### TERRANCE KNIGHTON **DEFENSIVE LINE**

- Helped Nebraska rank 8th nationally in rushing defense in 2023
- Two seasons of NFL assistant coaching experience plus a 7-year NFL playing career



**IST YEAR** 

#### **GLENN THOMAS** CO-OFFENSIVE COORD. / QUARTERBACKS

- Has been an offensive coordinator at Nebraska, Arizona State and Baylor
- Boasts eight years of experience as an NFL assistant coach



**2ND YEAR** 

#### **ED FOLEY** SPECIAL TEAMS COORDINATOR

- Nebraska ranked 3rd nationally in blocked kicks
- His special teams have ranked in the top 25 nationally in four of his last six collegiate seasons



JOSH BRINGUEL **Assistant Linebackers** 



**Fullbacks & Returners** 



**AARON COELING** Asst. Offensive Line



ADAM DIMICHELE **Safeties** 



**JOSH MARTIN Asst. Special Teams** 



KEVIN McGARRY Sr. Defensive Analyst



Cornerbacks

**PASHAAN MFI VIN** 



JAMAR MOZEE Sr. Football Assistant



JACK POTENZA **JACK Linebackers** 



**KEITH WILIAMS Tight Ends** 



## THE LAST TIME AN INDIVIDUAL...

#### **OFFENSE**

#### **100 YARDS RUSHING**

Nebraska: Chubba Purdy (105) at Wisconsin (Nov. 18, 2023) Opponent: Kaleb Johnson (109), at Iowa (Nov. 25, 2022)

#### **200 YARDS RUSHING**

**Nebraska:** Ameer Abdullah (225), vs. Rutgers (Oct. 25, 2014) **Opponent:** Braelon Allen (228), at Wisconsin (Nov. 20, 2021)

#### **300 YARDS RUSHING**

Nebraska: Roy Helu Jr. (307), vs. Missouri (Oct. 30, 2010) Opponent: Melvin Gordon (408), at Wisconsin (Nov. 15, 2014)

#### **4 RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS**

Nebraska: Ameer Abdullah (4), at Northwestern (Oct. 18, 2014) Opponent: Melvin Gordon (4), at Wisconsin (Nov. 15, 2014)

#### **MORE THAN 4 RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS**

Nebraska: Calvin Jones (6), at Kansas (Nov. 9, 1991) Opponent: Chris Brown (6), at Colorado (Nov. 23, 2001)

#### **300 YARDS PASSING**

Nebraska: Casey Thompson (354), at Purdue (Oct. 15, 2022) Opponent: Shedeur Sanders (393), at Colorado (Sept. 9, 2023)

#### **400 YARDS PASSING**

Nebraska: Tanner Lee (431), at Purdue (Oct. 28, 2017)

Opponent: Kyle Vantrease (409), Georgia Southern (Sept. 10, 2022)

#### **500 YARDS PASSING**

Nebraska: Joe Ganz (510), vs. Kansas State (Nov. 10, 2007) Opponent: Tim Rattay (590), vs. Louisiana Tech (Aug. 29, 1998)

#### 30 COMPLETIONS

Nebraska: Tanner Lee (32), at Purdue (Oct. 28, 2017) Opponent: Shedeur Sanders (31), at Colorado (Sept. 9, 2023)

#### **40 COMPLETIONS**

Nebraska: Never Happened

Opponent: Clayton Thorson (41), at Northwestern (Oct. 13, 2018)

#### **4 PASSING TOUCHDOWNS**

Nebraska: Ryker Fyfe (4), at Purdue (Oct. 31, 2015)
Opponent: Aidan O'Connell (4), at Purdue (Oct. 15, 2022)

#### **MORE THAN 4 PASSING TOUCHDOWNS**

**Nebraska:** Joe Ganz (7), vs. Kansas St. (Nov. 10, 2007) **Opponent:** J.T. Barrett (5), vs. Ohio State (Oct. 14, 2017)

#### TD PASS BY A NON-QUARTERBACK

**Nebraska:** De'Mornay Pierson-El (WR), at Northwestern (Oct. 18, 2014) **Opponent:** Brayden Willis (TE), vs. Oklahoma (Sept. 17, 2022)

#### **10 RECEPTIONS**

Nebraska: Trey Palmer (10), vs. Oklahoma (Sept. 17, 2022) Opponent: Travis Hunter (10), vs. Colorado (Sept. 7, 2024)

#### 100 RECEIVING YARDS

Nebraska: Isaiah Neyor (121), vs. UTEP (Aug. 31, 2024) Opponent: Travis Hunter (110), vs. Colorado (Sept. 7, 2024)

#### 200 RECEIVING YARDS

Nebraska: Trey Palmer (237), at Purdue (Oct. 15, 2022)

Opponent: Jaxon Smith-Njigba (240), vs. Ohio State (Nov. 6, 2021)

#### **3 RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS**

Nebraska: Brandon Kinnie (3), at Oklahoma State (Oct. 23, 2010) Opponent: Dezmon Briscoe (3), at Kansas (Nov. 3, 2007)

#### **500 TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS**

Nebraska: Joe Ganz (521), at Colorado (Nov. 23, 2007) Opponent: Tim Rattay (568), vs. Louisiana Tech (Aug. 29, 1998)

#### **LONG OFFENSIVE PLAYS**

#### **60-69 YARD RUN**

Nebraska: Trey Palmer (60), at Purdue (Oct. 15, 2022) Opponent: Dillon Gabriel (61), vs. Oklahoma (Sept. 17, 2022)

#### **70-79 YARD RUN**

**Nebraska:** Josh Fleeks (74, TD), vs. Michigan (Sept. 30, 2023) **Opponent:** Braelon Allen (71, TD), at Wisconsin (Nov. 20, 2021)

#### **80-89 YARD RUN**

**Nebraska:** Zavier Betts (83, TD), vs. Northwestern (Oct. 2, 2021) **Opponent:** Jonathan Taylor (88, TD), at Wisconsin (Oct. 6, 2018)

#### **90-99 YARD RUN**

Nebraska: Taylor Martinez (92, TD), at UCLA (Sept. 8, 2012) Opponent: Ell Roberson (91, TD), vs. Kansas St. (Nov. 16, 2002)

#### 60-69 YARD PASS

**Nebraska:** Thompson to Palmer (64), at Purdue (Oct. 15, 2022) **Opponent:** Sullivan to Kirtz (66), vs. Northwestern (Oct. 21, 2023)

#### 70-79 YARD PASS

Nebraska: Haarberg to Lloyd (73, TD), vs. Purdue (Oct. 28, 2023) Opponent: Stroud to Smith-Njigba (75), vs. Ohio St. (Nov. 6, 2021)

#### 80-89 YARD PASS

**Nebraska:** Thompson to Palmer (87, TD), at Iowa (Nov. 25, 2022) **Opponent:** Plummer to Bell (89, TD), at Purdue (Dec. 5, 2020)

#### 90-99 YARD PASS

**Nebraska:** Armstrong Jr. to Enunwa (99, TD), vs. Georgia (Jan. 1, 2014) **Opponent:** Montez to Nixon (96, TD), at Colorado (Sept. 7, 2019)

#### **DEFENSE**

#### 15 TACKLES

Nebraska: Luke Reimer (15), vs. Northwestern (Aug. 27, 2022) Opponent: Dorian Hopkins (16), UTEP (Aug. 31, 2024)

#### **20 TACKLES**

Nebraska: Lee Kunz (23), at Oklahoma (Nov. 25, 1977)
Opponent: Ryan Greenhagen (31), Fordham (Sept. 4, 2021)\*
\*-opponent school record

opponent sensor record

#### 3.0 OR MORE SACKS

Nebraska: Randy Gregory (3.0), at Michigan (Nov. 9, 2013) Opponent: Mustaf Johnson (3.0), at Colorado (Sept. 7, 2019)

#### **5 OR MORE TFLs**

Nebraska: Ciante Evans (5), vs. Northwestern (Nov. 2, 2013) Opponent: A.J. Epenesa (5), Iowa (Nov. 29, 2019)

#### **5 PASS BREAKUPS**

Nebraska: Dicaprio Bootle (5), at Michigan (Sept. 22, 2018)

**Opponent:** Never Happened

#### **2 INTERCEPTIONS**

Nebraska: Tommi Hill (2), vs. Purdue (Oct. 28, 2023)

Opponent: Tarheed Still (2), and Dante Trader Jr. (2) vs. Maryland (Nov. 11, 2023)

#### **MORE THAN 2 INTERCEPTIONS**

Nebraska: Matt O'Hanlon (3), vs. Oklahoma (Nov. 7, 2009) Opponent: Anthony Brown (3), at Purdue (Oct. 31, 2015)

#### RETURNED AN INTERCEPTION FOR A TOUCHDOWN

**Nebraska:** Tommi Hill (7 yards), vs. Colorado (Sept. 7, 2024) **Opponent:** Jalen Graham (45 yards), Purdue (Oct. 30, 2021)

#### **RETURNED A FUMBLE FOR A TOUCHDOWN**

**Nebraska:** Deontai Williams (26 yards) vs. Penn State (Nov. 14, 2020) **Opponent:** Kyrdran Jenkins (55 yards) vs. Purdue (Oct. 28, 2023)



#### **SPECIAL TEAMS**

#### **PUNT RETURN TOUCHDOWN**

**Nebraska:** JD Spielman (76 yds), vs. South Alabama (Aug. 31, 2019) **Opponent:** Jayden Reed (62 yards), at Michigan State (Sept. 25, 2021)

#### KICKOFF RETURN TOUCHDOWN

Nebraska: JD Spielman (99 yds), vs. Arkansas St. (Sept. 2, 2017) Opponent: Stephen Bracey (91 yards), at Wisconsin (Nov. 20, 2021)

#### **BLOCKED PUNT**

**Nebraska:** Blaise Gunnerson (1), at Illinois (Oct. 6, 2022) **Opponent:** B.J. Green (1), vs. Colorado (Sept. 7, 2024)

#### **BLOCKED PUNT RETURNED FOR TOUCHDOWN**

**Nebraska:** Malcolm Hartzog (30 yards), vs. Indiana (Oct. 1, 2022) **Opponent:** Kyler Fisher (14 yds), vs. Iowa (Nov. 26, 2021)

#### **BLOCKED PUNT FOR A SAFETY**

Nebraska: Marquel Dismuke (1), vs. Illinois (Nov. 10, 2018) Opponent: Keandre Jones (1), vs. Ohio St. (Nov. 3, 2018)

#### **BLOCKED FIELD GOAL**

Nebraska: Ty Robinson (1) vs. Colorado (Sept. 7, 2024)

Opponent: Jalen McKie (1) & Antonio Jones-Davis (1), vs. NIU (Sept. 14, 2019)

#### **BLOCKED FG RETURNED FOR TOUCHDOWN**

Nebraska: Quinton Newsome (68 yards), vs. Purdue (Oct. 28, 2023)

**Opponent:** Never Happened

### THE LAST TIME A TEAM...

#### **OFFENSE**

#### **300 YARDS RUSHING**

**Nebraska:** vs. Louisiana Tech, Sept. 23, 2023 (312) **Opponent:** vs. Oklahoma, Sept. 17, 2022 (312)

#### **400 YARDS RUSHING**

Nebraska: vs. Northwestern, Oct. 2, 2021 (427) Opponent: at Minnesota, Nov. 11, 2017 (409)

#### **500 YARDS RUSHING**

**Nebraska:** at Baylor, Oct. 13, 2001 (641) **Opponent:** at Wisconsin, Nov. 15, 2014 (581)

#### **300 YARDS PASSING**

Nebraska: at Purdue, Oct. 15, 2022 (354)
Opponent: at Colorado, Sept. 9, 2023 (396)

#### **400 YARDS PASSING**

Nebraska: at Wisconsin, Oct. 6, 2018 (407) Opponent: Georgia Southern, Sept. 10, 2022 (409)

#### **500 YARDS PASSING**

Nebraska: vs. Kansas State, Nov. 10, 2007 (519) Opponent: Louisiana Tech, Aug. 29, 1998 (590)

#### **600 YARDS OF OFFENSE**

**Nebraska:** vs. Northwestern, Oct. 2, 2021 (657) **Opponent:** at Purdue, Oct. 15, 2022 (606)

#### 700 YARDS OF OFFENSE

Nebraska: vs. Florida Atlantic, Aug. 30, 2014 (784 yards)

**Opponent:** Never accomplished

#### **50 POINTS**

Nebraska: vs. Northwestern, Oct. 2, 2021 (Nebraska won, 56-7) Opponent: at Ohio State, Oct. 24, 2020 (Ohio State won 52-17)

#### **60 POINTS**

Nebraska: vs. Idaho State, Sept. 22, 2012 (Nebraska won, 73-7) Opponent: at Ohio State, Nov. 5, 2016 (Ohio State won 62-3)

#### **TWO 100-YARD RUSHERS**

Nebraska: vs. Louisiana Tech, Sept. 23, 2023 (Haarberg, Grant) Opponent: Illinois, Nov. 21, 2020 (Epstein, Brown)

#### **THREE 100-YARD RUSHERS**

Nebraska: vs. Minnesota, Oct. 20, 2018 (Ozigbo, Martinez, Washington)
Opponent: Wisconsin, Dec. 1, 2012 (Gordon, Ball, White)

#### **TWO 100-YARD RECEIVERS**

Nebraska: at Wisconsin, Nov. 20, 2021 (Allen, Toure) Opponent: at Ohio State, Oct. 24, 2020 (Wilson, Olave)

#### **DEFENSE**

#### **POSTED A SHUTOUT**

**Nebraska:** vs. Arizona, Dec. 30, 2009 (33-0) **Opponent:** at Arizona State, Sept. 21, 1996 (19-0)

#### RECORDED A DEFENSIVE SAFETY

Nebraska: vs. UTEP, Aug. 31, 2024 (40-7) Opponent: at Minnesota, Oct. 16, 2021 (23-30)

#### **2 DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS**

**Nebraska:** vs. South Alabama, Aug. 31, 2019 (1 IR, 1 fumble return) **Opponent:** Northern Illinois, Sept. 16, 2017 (2 interception returns)

#### **4 INTERCEPTIONS**

Nebraska: vs. Wyoming, Sept. 10, 2016 (5) Opponent: Maryland, Nov. 11, 2023 (4)

#### 15 TFLs

Nebraska: at Michigan, Nov. 9, 2013 (16) Opponent: at Michigan, Sept. 22, 2018 (15)

#### 7 OR MORE SACKS

Nebraska: vs. Northwestern, Oct. 21, 2023 (8) Opponent: at Michigan State, Sept. 25, 2021 (7)

#### **15 PASS BREAKUPS**

Nebraska: Kansas, Oct. 2, 2004 (17) Opponent: Never Happened

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

#### **SAFETY OF ANY KIND**

Nebraska: TFL in End Zone vs. UTEP (Aug. 31, 2024) Opponent: Sack in End Zone by Minnesota (Oct. 16, 2021)

#### WAS NOT PENALIZED

**Nebraska:** at Michigan State, Nov. 4, 2023 **Opponent:** Michigan, Sept. 30, 2023

#### OVERCAME A HALFTIME DEFICIT TO WIN

**Nebraska:** at Rutgers, Oct. 7, 2022 (trailed 13-0, won 14-13) **Opponent:** at Wisconsin, Nov. 18, 2023 (trailed 14-10, won 24-17, OT)

#### WON WHEN TRAILING AFTER 3 QUARTERS

**Nebraska:** at Rutgers, Oct. 7, 2022 (trailed 13-7, won 14-13) **Opponent:** vs. Maryland, Nov. 11, 2023 (trailed 10-7, won 13-10)

#### **OVERTIME GAME**

at Wisconsin, Nov. 18, 2023 (Wisconsin won, 24-17)

#### **NEBRASKA OVERTIME WIN**

at Iowa, Nov. 28, 2014 (Nebraska won 37-34)



## NUMERICAL ROSTER 2024 NEBRASKA FOOTBALL ROSTER

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NO.	NAME	POS.	NO.	NAME	POS.	HT. WI	Γ. YR.	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE)
0	Nash Hutmacher	DL	30 *	Alvano, Tristan	PK	6-1 20		Omaha, Neb. (Westside)
	Jimari Butler	DL	4	Banks, Jahmal	WR	6-4 220		Washington, D.C.
1				.,				(St. Frances Academy [Md.]/Wake Forest)
2	Isaac Gifford	DB	35 17	Barnes, D'Andre	DB	6-0 195 6-0 170	5 RFr.	Aurora, Colo. (Regis Jesuit)
3	Marques Buford Jr.	DB		Barney Jr., Jacory	WR	6-0 170	<u> </u>	Florida City, Fla. (Palmetto)
4	Jahmal Banks	WR	40	Bauer, Rowdy	RB	5-11 195	5 Fr.	Norfolk, Neb. (Norfolk)
5	John Bullock	LB	11	Bell, Demitrius	WR	6-0 185	5 RFr.	Nashville, Tenn. (McGavock)
6	Tommi Hill	DB	<b>54</b> **** 28		<b>OL</b> DB	<b>6-9 31</b> ! 5-11 200	<b>5 Sr.</b> 0 Fr.	Lakeville, Minn. (Lakeville North)
7	Malcolm Hartzog Jr.	DB	20 96	Benning, Caleb Black, Leslie	DL	5-11 200 6-6 270	0 Fr. 0 RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Westside) Statesboro, Ga. (Statesboro)
8	DeShon Singleton	DB	96 <b>87</b> **	Boerkircher, Nate	TE	6-5 25		Aurora, Neb. (Aurora)
9		DL	16 *	Bonner, Janiran	WR	6-2 22		Ellenwood, Ga. (Cedar Grove)
	Ty Robinson		43 *	Booker III, Michael	LB	6-1 22	5 Jr.	Grand Prairie, Texas (South Grand Prairie)
10	Heinrich Haarberg	QB	21 73	Bootle II, Dwight	DB	5-10 180	0 RFr.	Miami, Fla. (Palmetto)
10	Vincent Shavers Jr.	LB	73	Borchers, David	DL	6-4 300		Eldridge, Iowa (North Scott)
11	Demitrius Bell	WR	54	Bower, Jacob	LB	6-1 220	0 RFr.	Rancho Santa Margarita, Calif.
11	Cameron Lenhardt	DL	0.4	D 1 D 1	D.D.	E 44 40		(Santa Margarita Catholic) Lincoln, Neb. (Southeast)
11	Bode Soukup	QB	24	Branch, Derek	DB	5-11 195		Lincoln, Neb. (Southeast)
12	Jaidyn Doss	DB	78 <b>26 *</b>	Brandl, Jacob	OL <b>db</b>	6-3 30! <b>6-2 20</b> !	5 RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep) Omaha, Neb. (Westside)
12	Daniel Kaelin	QB		Bretz, Koby Brix, Grant	OL	6-6 310		Logan Jowa (Logan Magnelia)
13		Р	63 41	Brown, Elliott	WR	6-6 310 5-11 185	5 Jr.	Logan, Iowa (Logan-Magnolia) Omaha, Neb. (Elkhorn South)
	Brian Buschini		59	Buda, Grant	LB	6-0 22!	5 Jr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
13	Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda	WR	59 29 <b>3</b> **	Buford, Mario	DB	6-0 175	5 Fr.	Chicago, Ill. (DeSoto [Texas[)
14	Rahmir Johnson	RB	3 **		DB	5-11 190	0 Jr.	Chicago, III.
14	Kahmir Prescott	DB						(TrinityChristian/St.ThomasMore[Conn.]Prep)
14	Amare Sanders	DB	84 *	Bullock, Alex	WR	6-2 20	5 Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep)
15	Dylan Raiola	QB	5 ***	Bullock, John	LB	6-0 23	0 Sr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep)
15	Ceyair Wright	DB	13 **	Buschini, Brian	P	<b>6-1 22</b> : 6-1 22:	5 Sr.	Helena, Mont. (Capital/Montana) Omaha, Neb. (Elkhorn South)
16	Janiran Bonner	WR	50 <b>1</b> **	Bustard, Noah	LB	6-1 22	5 RFr.	Omana, Neb. (Elkhorn South)
				Butler, Jimari Charles, Jeremiah	<b>DL</b> DB	<b>6-5 26</b> 6-0 170	<b>0 Jr.</b> 0 RFr.	Mobile, Ala. (Murphy) Fort Worth, Texas (Arlington Martin)
16	Elijah Jeudy	DL	25 89	Clark, Quinn	WR	6-5 20!		Bozeman, Mont. (Gallatin)
17	Jacory Barney Jr.	WR	36	Closman, Blake	DB	5-9 19	5 Jr.	Elkhorn, Neb. (Millard North)
17	Luke Longval	QB	80 *	Coleman, Malachi	WR	5-9 195 <b>6-5 21</b> 0	0 So.	Lincoln, Neb. (East)
17	Willis McGahee IV	LB	98		DL	6-4 26	5 RFr.	Elkhorn, Neb. (Mount Michael Benedictine)
18	Isaiah Neyor	WR	69 ***	Connealy, Conor Corcoran, Turner	OL	6-6 310	0 Sr.	Lawrence, Kan. (Free State)
18	Princewill Umanmielen	LB	50	Davidson, Landen	OL	6-4 310	0 Fr.	Broomfield, Colo. (Broomfield)
19	Jalyn Gramstad	QB	97 45	Davis, Keona	DL	6-5 255 5-10 215	5 <u>F</u> r.	Tucson, Ariz. (Salpointe Catholic) Stromsburg, Neb. (Cross County)
19	Jaylen Lloyd	WR	45	Dickey, Izaac	FB	5-10 215	5 Fr.	Stromsburg, Neb. (Cross County)
			46	D'Onofrio, Thomas	DB	6-1 185	5 Fr.	Middleton, Wis. (Middleton)
21	Dwight Bootle II	DB	17	Doss, Jaidyn Dowdell, Dante	DB RB	6-0 195 6-2 225	5 RFr. 5 So.	Kansas City, Mo. (Raymore-Peculiar)
21	Emmett Johnson	RB	12 23 95 48	Duda, Ethan	LB	6-2 225 6-5 230	0 Fr.	Omaha Neh (Flkhorn South)
22	Gabe Ervin Jr.	RB	48	Echternach, Cayden	ΤĔ	6-4 250	0 II. 0 RFr.	Rennington Neb (Rellevue West)
22	Maverick Noonan	LB	22 *	Ervin Jr., Gabe	ŔB	6-1 22	0 Jr.	Picayune, Miss. (Picayune/Oregon) Omaha, Neb. (Elkhorn South) Bennington, Neb. (Bellevue West) Buford, Ga. (Buford)
23	Dante Dowdell	RB	<b>51</b> * 31	Evans, Justin	OL	6-1 31	5 So.	East Orange, N.J. (Irvington)
23	Blye Hill	DB	31	Evans, Ryker	WR	5-11 180	0 Fr.	East Orange, N.J. (Irvington) Elwood, Neb. (Hi-Line)
24	Derek Branch	DB	70	Fennessy, Nolan	OL	6-4 280	0 Fr.	Norfolk Neb. (Norfolk Catholic)
24	Thomas Fidone II	TE	24 *	Fidone II, Thomas	TE	6-6 25	5 Jr.	Council Bluffs, Iowa (Lewis Central)
25	Jeremiah Charles	DB	94	Flege, Aidan	LS	6-2 215	5 <u>J</u> r.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southeast/Iowa Western CC)
			47 13	Flynt, Ian Garcia-Castaneda, Isaiah	TE	6-4 25! 6-1 200	5 Fr. 0 Sr.	Katy, Texas (Taylor)
25	Kenneth Williams	RB	13	Garcia-Castaneda, Isalan	71 V V	0-1 200	0 31.	Twentynine Palms, Calif. (Twentynine Palms/ Saddleback College/New Mexico State)
26	Koby Bretz	DB	42 *	Gbayor, Mikai	LB	6-2 23	0 Jr.	Irvington, N.J. (Irvington)
26	Roman Mangini	WR	30	Genatone Vincent	LB	6-0 22	5 So.	North Platte, Neb. (North Platte/Montana)
28	Caleb Benning	DB	30 <b>2</b> ****	Gifford, Isaac	DB	6-1 20	5 Sr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southeast)
28	Kwinten Ives	RB	58	Goldman, Mason	DL	6-5 260	0 RFr.	Gretna, Neb. (Gretna)
29	Mario Buford	DB	77	Gottula, Gunnar	OL	6-6 30!	5 RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southeast)
29	Carter Nelson	WR	45	Gradney, Roger	LB	6-0 20!	5 Fr.	Lake Charles, La. (Rice Consolidated [Texas])
30	Tristan Alvano	PK	19 49	Gramstad, Jalyn	QB	6-0 200 6-1 200	0 <u>S</u> r.	Lester, Iowa (West Lyon/Northwestern College)
30	Vincent Genatone	LB	49 <b>10</b> *	Guthrie, Rex Haarberg, Heinrich	DB <b>QB</b>	6-1 200 <b>6-5 22</b>	0 Fr. <b>5 Jr.</b>	Littleton, Colo. (Heritage) Kearney, Neb. (Catholic)
				Hall, Dae'vonn	WR	6-2 190		Plattsmouth, Neb. (Bellevue West)
30	DJ Singleton	WR	83 <b>7</b> **	Hartzog Jr., Malcolm		5-9 18		Silver Creek, Miss. (Jefferson Davis County)
31	Ryker Evans	WR	88 23	Hausmann, Cooper	WR	5-11 195	5 So.	Roca, Neb. (Norris)
32	Braylen Prude	DB	23	Hill. Blve	DB	6-4 190	0 So.	Baltimore, Md. (Mount St. Joseph/St. Francis)
32	Rahmir Stewart	DB	<b>6</b> ** 53	Hill, Tommi	DB	<b>6-1 20</b> 6-7 25	5 <u>S</u> r.	Orlando, Fla. (Edgewater/Arizona State)
32	Trent Uhlir	FB	53	Hoffken, David	DL	6-7 255	5 Fr.	Kiel, Germany
33	Maurice Mazzccua Jr.	RB	90 71	Hohl, John	PK OL	6-0 180 6-8 350		Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest/Iowa Western CC)
33	Javin Wright	LB	0 ***	Hood, Jacob <b>Hutmacher, Nash</b>	DL DL	6-8 350 <b>6-4 31</b> 0		Nashville, Tenn. (Hillsboro/Georgia) Oacoma, S.D. (Chamberlain)
34	Barret Liebentritt	FB	82	Ingwerson, Eric	TE	6-6 250		Papillion, Neb. (Papillion-La Vista)
34	Preston Okafor	DB	28 55	lves. Kwinten	RB	6-3 210	0 11. 0 RFr.	Beverly, N.J. (Palmyra)
34		DB	55	Jackson, Vincent	ĎĹ	6-3 210 6-5 290	0 RFr.	Harrisburg, Pa. (Central Dauphin East)
	Larry Tarver Jr.		16 *	Jeudy, Elijah	DL	6-3 28	5 Jr.	Philadelphia, Pa. (Northeast/Texas A&M) Minneapolis, Minn. (Academy of Holy Angels)
34	Gage Wager	DB	21 *	Johnson, Emmett	RB	5-11 20		Minneapolis, Minn. (Academy of Holy Angels)
35	D'Andre Barnes	DB	14 ****	Johnson, Rahmir	RB	5-10 20	0 Sr.	Harlem, New York City, N.Y.
35	Mekhi Nelson	RB	27		D.D.	/ 4 40		(Bergen Catholic [N.J.])
36	Blake Closman	DB	37	Jones, Donovan	DB	6-1 195	5 Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (North)
37	Donovan Jones	DB	45 12	Jones, Mason Kaelin, Daniel	DB QB	5-11 200 6-3 220	0 RFr. 0 Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Burke) Elkhorn, Neb. (Bellevue West)
37	Kamdyn Koch	Р	49	King, Danny	TE	6-4 245	5 Fr.	Bloomington, Minn. (Jefferson)
37	Evan Taylor	DB	75 <b>*</b>	Knaak, Tyler	ΟĹ	6-6 32	5 So.	Cottonwood Heights, Utah (Brighton/Utah)
38	Cooper Wilson	DB	74	Knutson, Brock	ŎĹ	6-7 30!	5 RFr.	Scottsbluff, Neb. (Scottsbluff)
			37 92	Koch, Kamdyn	Р	6-2 20! 6-3 29!	5 Fr.	Scottsbluff, Neb. (Scottsbluff) Westminster, Md. (Winters Mill)
39	Taveon Thompson	DB		Lefotu, Sua	DL			Bellflower, Calif. (St. John Bosco) Staten Island, N.Y. (IMG [Fla.] Academy)
40	Rowdy Bauer	RB	11 *	Lenhardt, Cameron	DL	6-3 26	0 So.	Staten Island, N.Y. (IMG [Fla.] Academy)
40	Trevor Ruth	FB	34 * 44 *	Liebentritt, Barret	FB	6-0 23	5 Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (Skutt Catholic/Notre Dame)
40	Brice Turner	DB	44 * 19 *	Lindenmeyer, Luke	TE	6-3 25		La Vista, Neb. (Papillion-La Vista)
41	Elliott Brown	WR	17	<b>Lloyd, Jaylen</b> Longval, Luke	<b>WR</b> QB	<b>5-10 18</b> 0 6-2 210		Omaha, Neb. (Westside) Sioux City, Iowa (East/Iowa Western CC)
42	Mikai Gbayor	LB	59 **	Lutovsky, Henry	OL.	6-6 32		Crawfordsville, Iowa (Mount Pleasant)
			76	Maciejczak, Jason	OL	6-2 30		
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56		Mazzccua, Micah	OL	6-5	325	Sr.	(Neumann-Goretti/West Chester University) Philadelphia, Pa. (St. Frances Academy [Md.]/
17 88 81 57 29 35		McGahee IV, Willis McMorris, Isaiah Miller, Hayes Murphy, Ashton Nelson, Carter Nelson, Mekhi	LB WR WR DL WR RB	6-1 5-10 6-0 6-5 6-5 5-10	235 170 180 265 230 185	Fr. Fr. So. Fr. Fr. Fr.	Baylor/Florida) Miami, Fla. (Christopher Columbus) Omaha, Neb. (Bellevue West) Shawnee, Kan. (Mill Valley/Coffeyville CC) Elkhorn, Neb. (South) Ainsworth, Neb. (Ainsworth) Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
18 22 94 34 91		Neyor, Isaiah Noonan, Maverick Ochoa, Jordan Okafor, Preston Ottomanelli, Nico	WR LB LB DB PK	6-4 6-4 6-2 6-2	220 240 250 180 185	Sr. RFr. Fr. Fr. Fr.	Wilkes-Barre, Pa. (Wilkes-Barre/St. Thomas More [Conn.] Prep) FortWorth, Texas (Arlington Lamar/Wyoming/Texas) Omaha, Neb. (Elkhorn South) Castle Rock, Colo. (Castle View) Omaha, Neb. (Westside) Harrington Park, N.J. (Northern (Alley, Old Tappen)
99 51 58 14 <b>65</b> 32 72 15 <b>9</b> 52 <b>86</b> 73 40 14 46 <b>66</b> 79 10 <b>48</b>	** *** *	Parrott, Dylan Pasko, Danny Peters, Jake Prescott, Kahmir Prochazka, Teddy Prude, Braylen Pyle, Gibson Raiola, Dylan Robinson, Ty Rogers, Dylan Rollins, AJ Ruggeroli, Xander Ruth, Trevor Sanders, Amare Schutt, Connor Scott, Ben Seagren, Grant Shavers Jr., Vincent Sherman, MJ	DL LB OL DB OL DB OL DB LB TE OL FB DB TE OL LB LB	6-5 6-1 6-10 6-10 6-5 6-3 6-6 6-3 6-6 6-1 6-5 6-3	315 225 285 200 <b>315</b> 200 295 230 <b>310</b> 245 285 235 175 215 <b>310</b> 305 225 <b>245</b>	So. RFr. Fr. Fr. Fr. Sr. RFr. So. Fr. Sr.	(Northern Valley - Old Tappan) Eldridge, Iowa (North Scott) Chicago, Ill. (Lyons Township) Cedar Falls, Iowa (Cedar Falls) Philadelphia, Pa. (Neumann Goretti) Elkhorn, Neb. (South) Pearland, Texas (Shadow Creek) Houston, Texas (Klein Cain) Buford, Ga. (Buford) Gilbert, Ariz. (Higley) Cypress, Texas (Cypress Woods) Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep) Las Vegas, Nev. (Bishop Gorman) Seward, Neb. (Seward/Nebraska-Kearney) Miami, Fla. (Gulliver Prep) Wahoo, Neb. (Bishop Neumann) Honolulu, Hawaii (St. Louis/Arizona State) Oakland, Neb. (Oakland-Craig) Miami, Fla. (Miami Central) Baltimore, Md. (St. John's College [D.C.]/Georgia)
8	**	Singleton, DeShon	DB	6-3	210	Sr.	Greensburg, La.
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Michael Booker III

Luke Lindenmeyer

Riley Van Poppel

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PLAYER	'19	'20	'21	'22	'23	'24	ALL
Benhart	0	8	10	11	12	3	44
Scott	0~	4~	13~	11~	11	3	42
Corcoran	-	1	11	12	7	3	34
Mi. Mazzccu	a -	0+	0+	10+	11#	2	23
Neyor	0\$	1\$	12\$	0\$	0&	3	16
Banks	-	0*	0*	1*	10*	3	14
Boerkircher	-	0	0	4	7	1	12
Prochazka	-	-	2	3	6	0	11
Fidone II	-	-	0	0	8	3	11
R. Johnson	0	0	7	0	1	2	10
Evans	-	-	-	0	5	3	8
A. Bullock	-	-	0	0	8	0	8
Haarberg	-	-	0	0	8	0	8
GCastaned	a -	0^	7^	0	0	0	7
Coleman	-	-	-	-	6	0	6
E. Johnson	-	-	-	0	6	0	6
Lutovsky	-	-	0	2	2	1	5
Bonner	-	-	-	0	3	2	5
Lindenmeye	r -	-	-	0	5	0	5

~at Arizona State; ^at New Mexico State; \*at Wake Forest; +at Baylor; #at Florida; \$at Wyoming; &at Texas

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Ervin Jr.

Dowdell

Mancino

Raiola

Lloyd

	RTS -		

PLAYER	'19	'20	'21	'22	'23	'24	ALL
Robinson	0	7	4	12	10	3	36
Gifford	-	0	0	10	12	3	25
Thompson	-	7^	12^	1^	1^	1	22
Hartzog	-	-	-	8	10	3	21
Hutmacher	-	0	0	2	12	3	17
Buford Jr.	-	-	0	11	2	3	16
Hill	-	-	0*	5	8	3	16
C. Wright	-	-	0#	11#	4#	0	15
J. Bullock	0	0	0	0	10	3	13
Butler	-	-	0	0	6	2	8
Sherman	-	0	0	0	5	3	8
Singleton	-	-	-	0	5	3	8
Gbayor	-	-	0	0	4	2	6
Lenhardt	-	-	-	-	4	1	5
J. Wright	-	0	0	1	1	0	2
Umanmieler	۱ -	-	-	-	1	0	1

\*at Arizona State; ^at Syracuse; #at USC

#### **CAREER STARTS - SPECIAL TEAMS**

PLAYER	'20	'21	'22	'23	'24	ALL
Buschini	2*	13*	12	12	3	42
Alvano	-	-	-	12	3	15

\*at FCS Montana

#### **OFFENSIVE DEPTH CHART**

OFFE	ICE	VE DEP I II CHAK I				
LT	69 79	Turner Corcoran Grant Seagren	6-6 6-6	310 305	Sr. RFr.	Lawrence, Kan. Oakland, Neb.
		<u>-</u>				<u> </u>
	51	Justin Evans	6-1	315	So.	East Orange, N.J.
LG	75	Tyler Knaak	6-6	325	So.	Cottonwood Heights, Utah
	76	Jason Maciejczak	6-2	305	RFr.	Pierre, S.D.
С	66	Ben Scott	6-5	310	Sr.	Honolulu, Hawaii
	62	Sam Sledge	6-4	295	RFr.	Omaha, Neb.
DC.	59	Henry Lutovsky	6-6	320	Jr.	Crawfordsville, Iowa
RG	56	Micah Mazzccua	6-5	325	Sr.	Philadelphia, Pa.
БТ	54	Bryce Benhart	6-9	315	Sr.	Lakeville, Minn.
RT	77	Gunnar Gottula	6-6	305	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb.
	24	Thomas Fidone II	6-6	255	Jr.	Council Bluffs, Iowa
TE	87	Nate Boerkircher	6-5	250	Jr.	Aurora, Neb.
. –	44	Luke Lindenmeyer	6-3	250	So.	La Vista, Neb.
	16	Janiran Bonner	6-2	220	So.	Ellenwood, Ga.
SLOT	29	Carter Nelson	6-5	230	Fr.	Ainsworth, Neb.
0_0.	13	Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda	6-1	200	Sr.	Twentynine Palms, Calif.
	4	Jahmal Banks	6-4	220	Sr.	Washington, D.C.
WR	19	Jaylen Lloyd	5-10	180	So.	Omaha, Neb.
	80	Malachi Coleman	6-5	210	So.	Lincoln, Neb.
	18	Isaiah Neyor	6-4	220	Sr.	Fort Worth, Texas
WR	17	Jacory Barney Jr.	6-0	170	Fr.	Florida City, Fla.
	84	Alex Bullock	6-2	205	Jr.	Omaha, Neb.
	15	Dylan Raiola	6-3	230	Fr.	Buford, Ga.
QB	10	Heinrich Haarberg	6-5	225	Jr.	Kearney, Neb.
	12	Daniel Kaelin	6-3	220	Fr.	Elkhorn, Neb.
	14	Rahmir Johnson	5-10	200	Sr.	Harlem (NYC), N.YOR-
RB	23	Dante Dowdell	6-2	225	So.	Picayune, Miss.
ΚĎ	21	Emmett Johnson	5-11	200	So.	Minneapolis, MinnOR-
	22	Gabe Ervin Jr.	6-1	220	Jr.	Buford, Ga.

## DEFENSIVE DEPTH CHART 9 Ty Robinson

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DE	9	Ty Robinson	6-6	310	Sr.	Gilbert, Ariz.
	93	Kai Wallin	6-5	250	So.	Sacramento, Calif. <b>-OR-</b>
	44	Riley Van Poppel	6-5	290	So.	Argyle, Texas
NT	0 16 55	Nash Hutmacher Elijah Jeudy Vincent Jackson	6-4 6-3 6-5	310 285 290	Sr. Jr. RFr.	Oacoma, S.D. Philadelphia, PaOR- Harrisburg, Pa.
DE	1	Jimari Butler	6-5	260	Jr.	Mobile, Ala.
	11	Cameron Lenhardt	6-3	260	So.	Staten Island, N.Y.
	90	James Williams	6-6	250	So.	Parkville, Mo.
LB	5	John Bullock	6-0	230	Sr.	Omaha, Neb.
	10	Vincent Shavers Jr.	6-1	225	Fr.	Miami, Fla.
LB	42	Mikai Gbayor	6-2	230	Jr.	Irvington, N.J.
	56	Stefon Thompson	6-1	240	Jr.	Long Island, N.Y.
JACK	48	MJ Sherman	6-3	245	Sr.	Baltimore, Md.
	18	Princewill Umanmielen	6-5	245	So.	Austin, Texas
СВ	6	Tommi Hill	6-0	205	Sr.	Orlando, Fla.
	14	Amare Sanders	6-1	175	Fr.	Miami, Fla.
ROV	2	Isaac Gifford	6-1	205	Sr.	Lincoln, Neb.
	32	Rahmir Stewart	5-11	210	RFr.	Philadelphia, Pa.
S	7	Malcolm Hartzog Jr.	5-9	180	Jr.	Silver Creek, Miss.
	24	Derek Branch	5-11	195	Jr.	Lincoln, Neb.
S	8	DeShon Singleton	6-3	210	Sr.	Greensburg, La.
	26	Koby Bretz	6-2	205	Jr.	Omaha, Neb.
СВ	3	Marques Buford Jr.	5-11	190	Jr.	Chicago, III.
	15	Ceyair Wright	6-0	180	Jr.	Los Angeles, Calif.
	23	Blye Hill	6-4	190	So.	Baltimore, Md.

### **SPECIAL TEAMS DEPTH CHART**

PK	30	Tristan Alvano	6-1	205	So.	Omaha, Neb.
	90	John Hohl	6-0	180	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb.
P/H	13	Brian Buschini	6-1	225	Sr.	Helena, Mont.
	37	Kamdyn Koch	6-2	205	Fr.	Westminster, Md.
KO	90	John Hohl	6-0	180	RFr.	Lincoln, NebOR-
LS	96 94	Brian Buschini Camden Witucki Aidan Flege	6-1 6-2 6-2	225 230 215	Sr. Jr. Jr.	Helena, Mont. Grand Blanc, MichOR-Lincoln, Neb.
KR	17 14	Jacory Barney Jr. Rahmir Johnson	6-0 5-10	170 200	Fr. Sr.	Florida City, FlaOR- Harlem (NYC), N.Y.
PR	13	Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda	6-1	200	Sr.	Twentynine Palms, Calif.
	17	Jacory Barney Jr.	6-0	170	Fr.	Florida City, Fla.



## **2024 NEBRASKA GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS**

#### **OFFENSIVE STARTING LINEUPS**

OPPONENT	WR	WR	WR	TE	RT	RG	С	LG	LT	QB	RB	PK
UTEP	Banks	Bonner	Neyor	Fidone II	Benhart	Mi. Mazzccua	Scott	Evans	Corcoran	Raiola	R. Johnson	Alvano
Colorado	Banks	Boerkircher*	Neyor	Fidone II	Benhart	Mi. Mazzccua	Scott	Evans	Corcoran	Raiola	R. Johnson	Alvano
UNI	Banks	Bonner	Neyor	Fidone II	Benhart	Lutovsky	Scott	Evans	Corcoran	Raiola	Dowdell	Alvano
Illinois												
Purdue												
Rutgers												
Indiana												
Ohio St.												
UCLA												
USC												
Wisconsin												
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<sup>\*</sup>opened with two tight ends

#### **DEFENSIVE STARTING LINEUPS**

OPPONENT	DE	NT	DE	LB	LB	JACK	СВ	ROV	S	S	СВ	Р
UTEP	Robinson	Hutmacher	Butler	Gbayor	Bullock	Sherman	Hill	Gifford	Hartzog Jr.	Singleton	Buford Jr.	Buschini
Colorado	Robinson	Hutmacher	Butler	Gbayor	Bullock	Sherman	Hill	Gifford	Hartzog Jr.	Singleton	Buford Jr.	Buschini
UNI	Robinson	Hutmacher	Lenhardt	Thompson	Bullock	Sherman	Hill	Gifford	Hartzog Jr.	Singleton	Buford Jr.	Buschini
Illinois												
Purdue												
Rutgers												
Indiana												
Ohio St.												
UCLA												
USC												
Wisconsin												
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## 2024 NEBRASKA PLAYER PARTICIPATION

PLAYER, POS.	GP	<b>GS</b> 3 3 0
<u>Tristan Álvano, PK</u>	3	3
Jahmal Banks, WR	3	3
Jacory Barney Jr., WR	3	0
Jacory Barney Jr., WR D'Andre Barnes, DB	1	0 0 3 0
Rowdy Bauer, RB	1	0
Bryce Benhart, OL	3	3
Leslie Black, DL	1	0
Nate Boerkircher, TE	3	1
Janiran Bonner, WR	3	2
Dwight Bootle II, DB	1	0
Jacob Bower, LB	3	0
Derek Branch, DB	2	0
Koby Bretz, DB	3	0
Grant Brix, OL	1	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Elliott Brown, WR	1	0
Grant Buda, LB	1	<u> </u>
Mario Buford DB	3	
Mario Buford, DB Marques Buford Jr., DB	3	3
Alex Bullock, WR	3	3 0 3 3 0 2 0 0
John Bullock, LB	3	3
Brian Buschini, P	3	3
Noah Bustard, LB	1	0
Jimari Butler, DL	2	<u> </u>
Jeremiah Charles, DB	3	<u> </u>
Quinn Clark, WR	1	Ö
Blake Closman, DB	<del>- i</del>	<u> </u>
Turner Corcoran, OL	3	<del></del> 3
Landen Davidson, OL	1	<u>3</u> 0
Keona Davis, DL	<del></del> ;	<u> </u>
Jaidyn Doss, DB	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Dante Dowdell, RB	<del>'</del>	<del></del>
Cayden Echternach, TE	2	
Gabe Ervin Jr., RB	3	<u> </u>
Justin Evans, OL	3	<del></del> 3
Nolan Fennessy, OL	1	0
Thomas Fidone II, TE	3	3
Aidan Flege, LS	2	<u></u>
Aldair Fiege, L3		

PLAYER, POS.	GP	GS
lan Flynt, TE Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda, WR	. j	0
Mikai Gbayor, DL	<u>3</u>	2
Vincent Genatone, LB	3	
Isaac Gifford, DB	<u>3</u>	<del></del> 3
Mason Goldman, DL	2	<u></u>
Gunnar Gottula, OL	1	<u></u>
Jalyn Gramstad, QB	<u>i</u>	<u> </u>
Heinrich Haarberg, QB	2	<u> </u>
Malcolm Hartzog Jr., DB	3	3
Tommi Hill, DB	3	3
Tommi Hill, DB David Hoffken, DL	2	0
John Hohl, PK	3	0
Jacob Hood, OL	1	0
Nash Hutmacher, DL	3	3
Eric Ingwerson, TE	1	0
Kwinten Ives, RB	1	0
Vincent Jackson, DL	3	0
Elijah Jeudy, DB	3	0
Emmett Johnson, RB	3	0
Rahmir Johnson, RB	3	2
Donovan Jones, DB	11	0
Tyler Knaak, OL	3	0
Brock Knutson, OL	1	0
Danny King, TE	1	0
Cameron Lenhardt, DL	3	1
Barret Liebentritt, FB	3	0
Luke Lindenmeyer, TE	3	0
Jaylen Lloyd, WR	3	0 0 0 1
Henry Lutovsky, OL	2	1
Jason Maciejczak, OL	1	0
Joey Mancino, OL	2	0
Roman Mangini, WR	2	0
Maurice Mazzccua Jr., RB		0
Micah Mazzccua, OL		2
Willis McGahee IV, LB	3	0
Isaiah McMorris, WR	1	0

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PLAYER, POS.	GP	GS
Hayes Miller, WR	1	
Ashton Murphy, DL	1	0 0 0 0 3
Cartor Nolson MP	3	
Carter Nelson, WR Mekhi Nelson, RB	<u>J</u>	
Incide Nover M/D	<u> </u>	0
Isaiah Neyor, WR	<u> </u>	
Maverick Noonan, LB		0
Dylan Parrott, DL	3	
Gibson Pyle, OL	1	3 3 0
Dylan Raiola, QB	<u> </u>	3
Ty Robinson, DL	3 2 3	3
AJ Rollins, TE	2	0
Dylan Rogers, LB	3	
Xander Ruggeroli, OL	1	0
Amare Sanders, DB	3	0
Connor Schutt, TE	1	0
Ben Scott, OL	3	3 0 0
Grant Seagren, OL	2	0
Vincent Shavers Jr., LB	3	
MJ Sherman, LB	3	3 3 0 0
DeShon Singleton, DB	3 3 2 1	3
Sam Sledge, OL	2	0
Keelan Smith, WR	1	0
Ismael Smith Flores, LB	2	0 0 0 0 0 1 0
Gage Stenger, LB	3	ŏ
Rahmir Stewart, DB	<u>3</u>	<u> </u>
Brodie Tagaloa, DL	1	<u> </u>
Larry Tarver Jr., DB	1 2 3 2	$\frac{}{}$
Stefon Thompson, LB	3	<u>U</u>
Taveon Thompson, DB		
Dries Turner DD		0
Brice Turner, DB		0
Princewill Umanmielen, DL	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Riley Van Poppel, DL		<u> </u>
Kai Wallin, DL James Williams, DL	<u> </u>	0 0 0 0
James Williams, DL	3	0
Kenneth Williams, RB	1	0
Camden Witucki, LS	3 2 3 3 1 2	0
Ceyair Wright, DB	3	0





## TRISTAN ALVANO

6-1 | 205 | SO. | PK OMAHA, NEB.

#### CAREER HONORS

• 2-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **NEBRASKA RECORD**

• Longest Field Goal by a Freshman: 55 yards vs. Purdue (2023)

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Set Nebraska all-class records for field goals in a game (5 in 2022 state championship game) and in a season (16 in 2022)
- Made 27 field goals in his career, a Nebraska Class A state record
- Made five field goals in the 2022 state final, including a game-winning walk-off 50-yarder

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Made a 20-yard field goal and was perfect on all five PATs against UTEP
- Tied his career high with two field goals against Northern Iowa while setting a career high with nine points

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

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#### CAREER STATS YEAR G/S PAT FG PCT. PTS LG 12/12 27-27 9-15 60.0 54 55 3/3 12-12 3-4 75.0 21 31 TOTAL 15/15 39-39 12-19 63.2 75 55

KICKOFFS: 32 att., 14 touchbacks

CAREER HIGHS			
Field Goal Attempts	3 at Illinois (2023)		
Field Goals Made	2 twice		
Long Field Goal	55 vs. Purdue (2023)		
Points	9 vs. UNI (2024)		
PATs	5 twice		



6-4 | 220 | SR. | WR WASHINGTON, D.C.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Honorable-Mention All-ACC
  - (2022 at Wake Forest)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Spring 2024)

#### 2024 WATCH LIST

• Senior Bowl

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

• Earned his degree from Wake Forest in 2023

#### **CAREER NOTES**

• Had 107 catches for 1,404 yards and 13 touchdowns in four seasons at Wake Forest (2020-23) before transferring to Nebraska

#### **CAREER SUPERLATIVES**

- 100-Yard Receiving Games: 2
- Games with 2+ TD catches: 3

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- One of 10 Huskers to earn a single-digit number as one of the team's "toughest" players
- Started and caught four passes for 61 yards in his debut against UTEP, including a 21-yard touchdown with two seconds left in the first half
- Had a pair of catches against Colorado
- Made a 13-yard grab against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	REC.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	4	61	1	21
Colorado	2	2	0	4
Northern Iowa	1	13	0	13
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER RECEIVING STATS						
YEAR	G/S	REC.	YDS	Y/R	Y/G	TD
2020*	5/0	1	17	17.0	2.8	0
2021*	14/0	5	98	19.6	7.0	0
2022*	12/1	42	636	15.1	53.0	9
2023*	12/10	59	653	11.1	54.4	4
2024	3/3	7	76	10.9	25.3	1
TOTAL	46/14	114	1,543	13.5	33.5	14

\*at Wake Forest

RUSHING: 1 att., 7 yds vs. Pittsburgh (2023)

PASSING: 1-of-1, 17 yds, 0 TDs

CAREER HIGHS					
Receptions	8 twice*				
Receiving Yards	141 vs. Clemson (2022)*				
Receiving Touchdowns 2 three time					
Long Reception	48 vs. Missouri (2022)*				

\*at Wake Forest



6-0 | 170 | FR. | WR FLORIDA CITY, FLA.

#### 2024 WATCH LIST

• The Jet Award

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game and leads Nebraska with 216 all-purpose yards (38 rushing, 68 receiving and 110 kickoff return yards)
- Had a 10-yard reception in his debut against UTEP and returned three kickoffs for 75 yards, including a long return of 35 yards
- Had six catches for 29 yards vs. Colorado with two carries for 28 yards and two kickoff returns for 35 yards
- Totaled 92 all-purpose yards against the Buffs
- Had 39 yards from scrimmage against UNI with three catches for 29 yards and a 10-yard rush for his first career touchdown

#### RECEIVING GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	REC.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	1	10	0	10
Colorado	6	29	0	9
Northern Iowa	3	29	0	14
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

#### **CAREER RECEIVING STATS**

G/S REC. YDS Y/R 10 0 2024 3/0 68 6.8 22.7

KICK RETURNS: 5 ret., 110 yards, 0 TDs RUSHING: 3 att., 38 yards, 1 TD

CAREER HIGHS			
Receptions	6 vs. Colorado (2024)		
Receiving Yards	29 twice		
Receiving Touchdowns	s none		
Long Reception	14 vs. UNI (2024)		
Rushes	2 vs. Colorado (2024)		
Rushing Yards	28 vs. Colorado (2024)		
Rushing Touchdowns	1 vs. UNI (2024)		
Long Rush	21 vs. Colorado (2024)		
Kickoff Returns	3 vs. UTEP (2024)		
Kickoff Return Yards	75 vs. UTEP (2024)		

none

35 vs. UTEP (2024)

Kickoff Return Touchdowns

Long Kickoff Return





## BRYCE Benhart **\*54**

6-9 | 315 | SR. | OL LAKEVILLE, MINN.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Honorable-Mention All-Big Ten (2023)
- Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2022)
- 4-Time Academic All-Big Ten
- 10-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **NEBRASKA RECORD**

• Most Career Starts at Right Tackle: 44

#### **2024 WATCH LISTS**

- Outland Trophy
- Senior Bowl

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

• Earned his degree in criminal justice

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Was the 12th true freshman offensive lineman to play in a game in Nebraska history
- Has made 44 career starts at right tackle, the most starts by an offensive lineman in NU history

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has started every game at right tackle
- Started at right tackle against UTEP, breaking a tie for the most starts (42) by an offensive lineman in Nebraska history

#### **CAREER STATS**

• Games: 50

(3 in 2019; 8 in 2020; 12 in 2021; 12 in 2022, 12 in 2023; 3 in 2024)

• Starts: 44

(8 in 2020; 10 in 2021; 11 in 2022; 12 in 2023; 3 in 2024)

#### STARTS BY AN OFFENSIVE LINEMAN

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RK.	PLAYER	STARTS
1.	Bryce Benhart	44
2.	Jeremiah Sirles	41

#### STARTS BY A HUSKER RIGHT TACKLE

RK.	PLAYER	STARTS
1.	Bryce Benhart	44
2.	Dan Vili Waldrop	39



NATE **BOERKIRCHER \*87** 

6-5 | 250 | JR. | TE AURORA, NEB.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- 3-Time Academic All-Big Ten
- 7-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

• Earned his degree in finance

#### **CAREER NOTES**

• Former walk-on who was placed on scholarship in the spring of 2023

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game with one start
- Targeted once against UTEP but did not have a catch
- Started and had a career-long 25-yard reception against Colorado

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	REC.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	0	0	0	-
Colorado	1	25	0	25
Northern Iowa	0	0	0	-
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				



## JANIRAN **Bonner**

#16

6-2 | 220 | SO. | WR ELLENWOOD, GA.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Academic All-Big Ten (2023)
- 2-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **CAREER NOTES**

 Switched from tight end to fullback prior to 2023 and then from fullback to wide receiver prior to 2024

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game with two starts
- Started against UTEP and set career highs with three catches, 26 receiving yards and a careerlong 14-yard reception
- Had a five-yard reception against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	ATT.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	3	26	0	14
Colorado	0	0	0	-
Northern Iowa	1	5	0	5
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

#### **CAREER RECEIVING STATS** G/S REC. YDS Y/R YEAR Y/G TD 2020 Covid Season 2021\* 3/0 14 7.0 4.7 0 2022 12/4 6 52 8.7 4.3 1 2023 12/7 10.2 4.3 0 5 51 2024 3/1 0 1 25 25.0 8.3 TOTAL 30/12 14 142 4.7 10.1

\*Redshirt season

RUSHING: 1 att., 11 yds, 0 TDs

CAREER HIGHS			
Receptions	2 twice		
Receiving Yards	33 at Colorado (2023)		
Receiving Touchdowns	1 vs. No. Dakota (2022)		
Long Reception	25 vs. Colorado (2024)		

	CARE	ER RE	CEIVI	NG ST	ATS	
YEAR	G/S	REC.	YDS	Y/R	Y/G	TD
2022		F	Redshir	t		
2023	12/3	1	5	5.0	0.4	0
2024	3/2	4	31	7.8	10.3	0
TOTAL	15/5	5	36	7.2	2.4	0

RUSHING: 5 att., 9 yds, 1 TD

CAREER HIGHS				
Receptions	3 vs. UTEP (2024)			
Receiving Yards	26 vs. UTEP (2024)			
Receiving Touchdowns	none			
Long Reception	14 vs. UTEP (2024)			





### DEREK BRANCH

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5-11 | 195 | JR. | DB LINCOLN, NEB.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- 2-Time Academic All-Big Ten
- 5-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in two games and set career highs with three tackles and 0.5 TFLs
- Played in the second game of his career against UTEP, recording his second career tackle
- Made a career-high two tackles against Northern lowa, including a half tackle for loss for his first career TFL

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	PBU	INT
UTEP	1-0-1	0.0-0	0	0
Colorado	-D	id Not Pla	ay-	
Northern Iowa	0-2-2	0.5-1	0	0
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER TACKLE STATS							
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD	
2021	Redshirt						
2022	Did Not Play						
2023	1/0	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	
2024	2/0	1	2	3	0.5-1	0.0-0	
TOTAL	3/0	2	2	4	0.5-1	0.0-0	

CAI	REER	MISC	CELLA	NEOL	JS STAT	ΓS
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2021	0	0	0	0	0	0
2022	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023	0	0	0	0	0	0
2024	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS				
Tackles	2 vs. UNI (2024)			
TFLs	0.5 vs. UNI (2024)			
Sacks	none			
Breakups	none			
Interceptions	none			



## MARQUES **BUFORD JR.**

5-11 | 190 | JR. | DB CHICAGO, ILL.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- 2-Time Academic All-Big Ten
- 5-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

• His brother, Mario, is a freshman defensive back for the Huskers

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Suffered a major knee injury in November of 2022 that kept him out for nearly one year
- Began his career at safety before moving to cornerback this season

#### **CAREER SUPERLATIVES**

• Double-Digit Tackle Games: 1

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- One of 10 Huskers to earn a single-digit number as one of the team's "toughest" players
- Has started every game at cornerback
- Is tied for the team lead with two pass breakups
- Had three tackles and one pass breakup against UTEP
- Made three solo tackles against Colorado
- Had four tackles and broke up a pass against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	PBU	INT
UTEP	1-2-3	0.0-0	1	0
Colorado	3-0-3	0.0-0	0	0
Northern Iowa	2-2-4	0.0-0	1	0
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER TACKLE STATS						
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD
2021	12/0	1	2	3	0.0-0	0.0-0
2022	11/11	36	23	59	2.5-3	0.0-0
2023*	4/2	15	3	18	3.0-14	1.0-11
2024	3/3	6	4	10	0.0-0	0.0-0
TOTAL	30/16	58	32	90	5.5-17	1.0-11

CA	REER	MISC	CELLA	NEOL	JS STAT	rs
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2021	0	0	0	0	0	0
2022	1	0	3	2	1	0
2023	0	0	0	0	0	0
2024	0	0	2	0	0	0
TOTAL	1	0	5	2	1	0

<sup>\*</sup>Redshirt season

\*Redshirt season

	CAREER HIGHS
Tackles	10 at Wisconsin (2023)
TFLs	1.5 twice
Sacks	1.0 vs. Maryland (2023)
Breakups	1 five times
Interception	s 2 vs. Georgia Southern (2022)





### ALEX Bullock \*8

6-2 I 205 I JR. I WR OMAHA, NEB.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- 2-TimeAcademic All-Big Ten (2022)
- 5-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **CAREER NOTES**

 Former walk-on who was placed on scholarship during the fall of 2023

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

- His brother John is a Husker linebacker who also went from walk-on to scholarship player
- He and his brother both started at Colorado in 2023, marking the first time since 1987 that Nebraska had brothers start the same game on different sides of the ball

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game
- Had a 12-yard reception against UTEP

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	REC.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	1	12	0	12
Colorado	0	0	0	-
Northern Iowa	0	0	0	-
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER RECEIVING STATS								
YEAR	G/S	REC.	YDS	Y/R	Y/G	TD		
2021		F	Redshir	t				
2022	2/0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0		
2023	12/8	15	221	14.7	18.4	1		
2024	3/0	1	12	12.0	4.0	0		
TOTAL	17/8	16	233	14.6	13.7	1		

KICK RETURNS: 1 ret., 22 yds, 0 TDs PUNT RETURNS: 2 ret., 0 yds, 0 TDs

CAREER HIGHS					
Receptions	3 twice				
Receiving Yards	56 at Minnesota (2023)				
Receiving Touchdown	ns 1 at Minnesota (2023)				
Long Reception 34	at Minnesota [TD] (2023)				



## JOHN **BULLOCK**

6-0 | 230 | SR. | LB OMAHA, NEB.

#### CAREER HONORS

• 5-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **CAREER NOTES**

• Former walk-on who was placed on scholarship in the 2023 spring season

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

- His brother Alex is a Husker wide receiver who also went from walk-on to scholarship player
- He and his brother both started at Colorado in 2023, marking the first time since 1987 that Nebraska had brothers start the same game on different sides of the ball
- Earned his degree in psychology

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- One of 10 Huskers to earn a single-digit number as one of the team's "toughest" players
- Has started every game
- Tied for the team lead with 3.0 tackles for loss and two pass breakups and ranks second with 16 tackles and 1.0 sack
- Made two tackles against UTEP
- Had five tackles, a career-high 2.0 TFLs, one pass breakup and one hurry against Colorado
- Had a career-high nine tackles against Northern lowa with a sack and a pass breakup

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
0-2-2	0.0-0	0.0-0
4-1-5	2.0-5	0.0-0
2-7-9	1.0-1	1.0-1
	0-2-2 4-1-5	0-2-2 0.0-0 4-1-5 2.0-5

CAREER TACKLE STATS							
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD	
2019	19 Redshirt						
2020	Did Not Play						
2021	12/0	2	3	5	0.0-0	0.0-0	
2022	10/0	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	
2023	12/10	27	23	50	2.5-9	1.5-7	
2024	3/3	6	10	16	3.0-6	1.0-1	
TOTAL	37/13	36	36	72	5.5-15	2.5-8	

CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS							
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK	
2020	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2022	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2023	1	0	2	0	1	0	
2024	0	0	2	0	2	0	
TOTAL	1	0	4	0	3	0	

CAREER HIGHS					
Tackles	9 vs. UNI (2024)				
TFLs	2.0 vs. Colorado (2024)				
Sacks	1.0 twice				
Breakups	1 four times				





## BRIAN BUSCHINI

"R

6-1 | 225 | SR. | P HELENA, MONT.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- FCS Punter of the Year (2021 at Montana)
- FCS First-Team All-American (2021 at Montana)
- First-Team All-Big Sky (2021 at Montana)
- Campbell Trophy Semifinalist (2023)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2023)
- 5-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **2024 WATCH LIST**

• Ray Guy Award

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

- Married his wife Kellie in 2021
- Is NU's fourth all-time letterwinner from Montana
- Earned his bachelor's degree in criminal justice and his master's degree on engineering and management

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Spent three seasons at Montana (2019-21), where he was the 2021 FCS Punter of the Year
- Ranked 3rd in the FCS in punting average in 2021 with a school-record average of 46.0
- His 44.0-yard average in 2022 was the eighthhighest average in Nebraska history

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has started every game at punter and is averaging 50.1 yards per punt with four his seven punts inside the opponent's 20-yard line
- $\bullet\, Averaged\, 48.5\, yards\, on\, two\, punts\, against\, UTEP$
- Averaged 50.8 yards on five punts vs. Colorado
- Has also kicked off seven times with three touchbacks

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	NO.	AVG	120	LONG
UTEP	2	48.5	1	53
Colorado	5	50.8	3	60
Northern Iowa	0	0.0	0	-
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				



YEAR	NO.	AVG	LG	TB	120	50+	BLK
2019*		R	edshi	rt			
2020*	6	43.3	52	0	5	5	0
2021*	69	46.0	62	4	30	28	0
2022	68	44.0	74	6	14	16	0
2023	57	40.7	60	1	20	7	0
2024	7	50.1	60	0	4	2	0
TOTAL	207	44.0	74	11	73	58	0

\*at FCS Montana (2020 played in spring of 2021)

KICKOFFS: 111 att., 42 touchbacks

CAREER HIGHS							
8 vs. Indiana (2022)							
55.5 vs. Minnesota (2022)							
5 vs. Louisiana Tech (2023)							
5 vs. Minnesota (2022)							
74 vs. Wisconsin (2022)							



## JIMARI **BUTLER**

#"

6-5 | 245 | JR. | DL MOBILE, ALA.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Honorable-Mention All-Big Ten (2023)
- 3-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **CAREER NOTES**

Played only one season of high school football

 his senior year - after focusing on basketball
 beginning in the seventh grade

#### **TOP-25 FBS RANKINGS**

• Fumble Recoveries: 3rd (1)

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- One of 10 Huskers to earn a single-digit number as one of the team's "toughest" players
- Has started every game and has three tackles, 1.0 TFL, 1.0 sack and one fumble recovery
- Had one tackle against UTEP
- Posted two tackles against Colorado with a fumble recovery, a two-yard sack and two quarterback hurries
- Missed the Northern Iowa game

#### **BUTLER GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	1-0-1	0.0-0	0.0-0
Colorado	1-1-2	1.0-2	1.0-2
Northern Iowa	-D	id Not Pl	ay-
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ lowa			

CAREER TACKLE STATS								
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD		
2020 Covid Season								
2021*	2/0	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0		
2022	12/0	5	4	9	1.5-1	0.0-0		
2023	11/6	17	17	34	8.5-52	5.5-40		
2024	2/2	2	1	3	1.0-2	1.0-2		
TOTAL	27/8	24	22	46	11.0-55	6.5-42		

<sup>\*</sup>Redshirt season

CAI	REER	MISC	CELLA	NEOL	JS STAT	rs
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2020	0	0	0	0	0	0
2021*	0	0	0	0	0	0
2022	0	0	1	0	0	0
2023	1	0	2	0	1	0
2024	1	0	0	0	2	0
TOTAL	2	0	3	0	3	0

<sup>\*</sup>Redshirt season

	CAREER HIGHS
Tackles	6 vs. Northwestern (2023)
TFLs	1.5 three times
Sacks	1.0 five times
Breakups	1 three times





## TURNER #<mark>69</mark>

6-6 | 310 | SR. | OL LAWRENCE, KAN.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2024)
- 2-Time Academic All-Big Ten
- 6-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

• Earned his degree in criminal justice

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Started the 2020 season finale at Rutgers at left tackle, becoming the first Husker true freshman to ever start a game at left tackle
- Became just the sixth true freshman offensive lineman to start a game in Nebraska history
- Played in three games total in 2020, becoming the 15th true freshman offensive lineman to play in a game in Nebraska history

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has started every game at left tackle
- Returned from a 2023 season-ending injury to start at left tackle against UTEP

#### **CAREER STATS**

• Games: 37

(3 in 2020; 12 in 2021; 12 in 2022; 7 in 2023; 3 in 2024)

• **Starts:** 34

(1 in 2020; 11 in 2021; 12 in 2022; 7 in 2023; 3 in 2024)



JUSTIN **EVANS** 

**#51** 

6-1 | 315 | SO. | OL EAST ORANGE, N.J.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Academic All-Big Ten (2023)
- 2-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

• Has started every game at left guard

#### **CAREER STATS**

• Games: 15 (12 in 2023; 3 in 2024) • Starts: 8 (5 in 2023; 3 in 2024)



DANTE **23** 

6-2 | 225 | SO. | RB PICAYUNE, MISS.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

• Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Spring 2024)

#### **CAREER NOTES**

• Spent his freshman season at Oregon in 2023, rushing 17 times for 90 yards and one TD

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game with one start
- Leads Nebraska with 31 carries, 184 rushing yards and three touchdowns
- Had eight carries for 55 yards and one touchdown in his debut against UTEP, matching his then-career highs in carries, yards and TDs
- Set career highs with 17 carries, 74 rushing yards and two rushing touchdowns against Colorado, leading the Huskers in each of those categories
- Led NU with six carries and 55 rushing yards against Northern Iowa, including a career-long 38-yard rush

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	ATT.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	8	55	1	12
Colorado	17	74	2	14
Northern Iowa	6	55	0	38
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER RUSHING STATS							
YEAR	G/S	ATT.	NET	Y/A	Y/G	TD	
2023*	6/0	17	90	5.3	15.0	1	
2024	3/1	31	184	5.9	61.3	3	
TOTAL	9/1	48	274	5.7	30.4	4	
*at Ore	gon						

CAR	EER HIGHS
Attempts	17 vs. Colorado (2024)
Yards	74 vs. Colorado (2024)
Touchdowns	2 vs. Colorado (2024)
Long Rush	38 vs. UNI (2024)



GABE ERVIN JR.

**#22** 

6-0 | 220 | JR. | RB BUFORD, GA.

#### CAREER HONORS

• 2-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Started as a true freshman before suffering a season-ending knee injury
- Started the 2021 season opener at Illinois, becoming the first Nebraska true freshman running back to start a season opener in the modern era

#### **CAREER SUPERLATIVES**

• Games with Multiple Rushing Touchdowns: 2

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game, rushing 11 times for 34 yards and two touchdowns
- Ranks 2nd on the team with two rushing touchdowns
- Had six carries for 24 yards against UTEP and tied his career high with two touchdowns
- Carried twice for six yards against Colorado
- Had three carries for three yards against UNI

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	ATT.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	6	24	2	11
Colorado	2	6	0	5
Northern Iowa	3	3	0	4
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER RUSHING STATS						
YEAR	G/S	ATT.	NET	Y/A	Y/G	TD
2021*	4/2	37	124	3.4	31.0	2
2022	8/0	20	94	4.7	11.8	0
2023	3/2	38	196	5.2	65.3	1
2024	3/0	11	34	3.1	11.3	2
TOTAL	18/4	106	448	4.3	24.8	5

RECEIVING: 5 rec., 34 yds, 0 TDs

\*Redshirt season

CARE	ER HIGHS
Attempts	17 at Colorado (2023)
Yards	74 at Colorado (2023)
Touchdowns	2 twice
Long Rush	27 at Minnesota (2023)
Receptions	2 twice
Receiving Yards	20 vs. No. Illinois (2023)
Receiving Touchdow	none none
Long Reception	12 vs. No. Illinois (2023)





## THOMAS #24 FIDONE II

6-6 I 255 I JR. I TE COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- 2-Time Academic All-Big Ten
- 7-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **2024 WATCH LISTS**

- Mackey Award
- Senior Bowl

#### **CAREER NOTES**

 Has suffered two major knee injuries which limited his availability in his first two seasons at Nebraska after he was the nation's No. 1 tight end in the 2021 recruiting class

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has started every game at tight end
- Has caught six passes for 27 yards
- Had three catches against UTEP
- Made a 13-yard reception against Colorado
- Had two receptions for 13 yards against UNI

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	REC.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	3	1	0	2
Colorado	1	13	0	13
Northern Iowa	2	13	0	7
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

	CARE	ER RE	CEIVII	NG 51/	415	
YEAR	G/S	REC.	YDS	Y/R	Y/G	TD
2021*	1/0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0
2022		Dio	d Not P	lay		
2023	12/8	25	260	10.4	21.7	4
2024	3/3	6	27	4.5	9.0	0
TOTAL	16/11	31	287	9.3	17.9	4

<sup>\*</sup>Redshirt season

#### **CAREER HIGHS**

Receptions	4 vs. Northe	ern Illinois (2023)
<b>Receiving Yards</b>	43 at Mi	chigan St. (2023)
<b>Receiving Touch</b>	downs	1 four times
Long Reception	29 [TD] vs	. La. Tech (2023)



## GARCIA-CASTANEDA

6-1 I 200 I SR. I WR TWENTYNINE PALMS, CALIF.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Academic All-Big Ten (2023)
- 2-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

• Earned his degree in child, youth and family studies

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- New Mexico State transfer in his third year at NU
- Played in 12 games with six starts for the Aggies (2020-21), totaling 42 catches for 639 yards and four touchdowns

#### **CAREER SUPERLATIVES**

- 100-Yard Receiving Games: 2
- Games with 2+ TD Catches: 1

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game and leads Nebraska with six punt returns for 43 yards
- Returned the first three punts of his career against UTEP for 25 yards
- Had two punt returns for 16 yards vs. Colorado

#### **PUNT RETURN GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	RET.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	3	25	0	13
Colorado	2	16	0	12
Northern Iowa	1	2	0	2
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER RECEIVING STATS								
YEAR	G/S	REC.	YDS	Y/R	Y/G	TD		
2020*	2/0	5	61	12.2	30.5	0		
2021*	10/6	37	578	15.6	57.8	4		
2022	4/0	5	120	24.2	30.3	1		
2023	1/0	1	7	7.0	7.0	0		
2024	3/0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0		
TOTAL	20/6	48	767	16.0	38.3	5		

\*at New Mexico State

Note: 2020 season played in the spring of 2021

PUNT RETURNS: 6 ret. 43 yds, 0 TDs KICKOFF RETURNS: 3 ret. 31 yds, 0 TDs RUSHING: 1 att., 6 yds, 0 TDs PASSING: 1-for-2, 11 yards, 1 TD

#### **CAREER HIGHS**

Receptions	7 at San Jose St. (2021)*
Receiving Yards	120 vs. Northwestern (2022)
Receiving Touchdow	<b>vns</b> 2 at San Jose St. (2021)*
Long Reception 75	[TD] at New Mexico (2021)*
Punt Returns	3 vs. UTEP (2024)
Punt Return Yards	25 vs. UTEP (2024)
Long Punt Return	13 vs. UTEP (2024)
•	

\*New Mexico State



MIKAI **Gbayor** 

**#42** 

6-2 | 230 | JR. | LB IRVINGTON, N.J.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Academic All-Big Ten (2023)
- 4-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has started two games, missing a start against Northern lowa due to a first-half targeting suspension from the previous game
- Ranks 3rd on the team with 15 tackles and 2.5 TFLs
- Tied for the team lead and matched his career high with six tackles against Colorado
- Also added his first career pass breakup and a two-yard tackle for loss against the Buffs
- Played only the second half against Northern lowa and recorded four tackles

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	2-3-5	1.5-2	0.0-0
Colorado	3-3-6	1.0-2	0.0-0
Northern Iowa	0-4-4	0.0-0	0.0-0
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ Iowa			

CAREER TACKLE STATS							
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD	
2021 Redshirt							
2022			Di	d No	ot Play		
2023	12/4	11	13	24	3.0-17	0.5-3	
2024	3/2	5	10	15	2.5-4	0.0-0	
TOTAL	15/6	16	22	20	5 5 21	052	

## CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS

YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2021			Redshir	t		
2022		Di	d Not F	lay		
2023	0	0	0	0	1	0
2024	0	0	1	0	1	0
TOTAL	0	0	1	0	2	0

#### CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	6 twice
TFLs	1.5 vs. UTEP (2024)
Sacks	0.5 at Michigan St. (2023)
Breakups	1 vs. Colorado (2024)





## ISAAC

6-1 | 205 | SR. | DB LINCOLN, NEB.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Honorable-Mention All-Big Ten (2023)
- 3-Time Academic All-Big Ten
- 9-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### 2024 WATCH LIST

Wuerffel Trophy

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

- His brother Luke was a Husker linebacker (2014-18) who currently plays for the Tennessee Titans
- Earned his degree in management

#### **CAREER SUPERLATIVES**

• Double-Digit Tackle Games: 4

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- One of 10 Huskers to earn a single-digit number as one of the team's "toughest" players
- Has started every game at rover
- Leads the team with 17 tackles and has added 1.5 TFLs
- Had one tackle against UTEP
- Tied for the team lead with six tackles vs. Colorado
- Led Nebraska with 10 tackles against Northern Iowa, his fourth career game with double-digit tackles
- Added 1.5 TFLs against the Panthers

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	PBU	INT
UTEP	0-1-1	0.0-0	0	0
Colorado	2-4-6	0.0-0	0	0
Northern Iowa	4-6-10	1.5-2	0	0
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

#### **CAREER TACKLE STATS**

YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD
2020	8/0	2	2	4	0.0-0	0.0-0
2021	12/0	4	3	7	0.0-0	0.0-0
2022	12/10	43	27	70	5.0-18	1.0-7
2023	12/12	44	42	86	6.5-17	0.5-1
2024	3/3	6	11	17	1.5-2	0.0-0
TOTAL	47/25	99	85	184	13.0-37	1.5-8

#### **CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS**

YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2020	0	0	0	0	0	0
2021	0	0	1	0	0	0
2022	0	0	3	0	2	0
2023	0	0	8	1	0	0
2024	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	12	1	2	0

#### **CAREER HIGHS**

Tackles	11 twice
TFLs	2.0 twice
Sacks	1.0 vs. Illinois (2022)
Breakups	3 at Illinois (2023)
Interceptions	1 vs. La. Tech (2023)



AIDAN FLEGE

6-2 | 215 | JR. | LS LINCOLN. NEB.

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Spent two seasons at Iowa Western CC in 2021 and 2022
- Was a student at Nebraska in 2023 but did not join the football team until prior to the 2024 season

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

• Made his Husker debut by handling longsnapping duties for field goals and PATs against Northern Iowa

#### **CAREER STATS**

• Games: 3 (3 in 2024)



## HEINRICH

6-5 | 225 | JR. | QB **KEARNEY, NEB.** 

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- 2-Time Academic All-Big Ten
- 4-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

- His father, Rod, was a walk-on fullback at Nebraska in the early 1990s
- Earned his degree in finance

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in two games
- Saw action as the No. 2 quarterback against UTEP, completing all five of his passes for 35 yards while rushing for eight yards
- Completed 3-of-3 passes for 34 yards against Northern Iowa while also rushing three times for seven yards and catching an eight-yard pass

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	COMP-ATT	YDS	TD	INT		
UTEP	5-5	35	0	0		
Colorado	-Did Not Play-					
Northern Iowa	3-3	34	0	0		
Illinois						
@ Purdue						
Rutgers						
@ Indiana						
@ Ohio St.						
UCLA						
@ USC						
Wisconsin						
@ lowa						

#### **CAREER PASSING STATS**

YEAR	G/S	CIVIP-AT I	PCI	YDS	טו	IINI
2021		I	Redshir	t		
2022		Die	d Not F	lay		
2023	10/8	77-157	49.0	967	7	7
2024	2/0	8-8	100.0	69	0	0
TOTAL	12/8	85-165	50.6	1,036	7	7

RECEIVING: 3 rec., 20 yds, 0 TDs

TOTAL OFFENSE: 290 att., 1,518 yds, 12 TDs

#### **CAREER RUSHING STATS** YEAR G/S ATT. NET Y/A Y/G TD 2021 Redshirt 2022 Did Not Play 2023 10/8 120 477 4.0 47.7

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2024 2/0 15 3.0 7.5 TOTAL 12/8 125 492 3.9 41.0

#### **CAREER PASSING HIGHS** Attempts 28 at Michigan St. (2023) Completions 14 twice Yards 199 vs. Michigan (2023) Touchdowns 2 twice Long Pass 73 [TD] vs. Purdue (2023)

CAI	REER RUSHING HIGHS
Attempts	21 vs. Northern Illinois (2023)
Yards	157 vs. Louisiana Tech (2023)

Touchdowns 1 five times Long Rush 72 [TD] vs. La. Tech (2023)





## MALCOLM #7

5-9 | 180 | JR. | DB SILVER CREEK, MISS.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- B1G Freshman of the Week (10/3/22)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2023)
- 2-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

 Was the first Mississippi native to sign with Nebraska out of high school since 2004

#### **TOP-25 FBS RANKINGS**

• Interceptions: 5th (2)

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- In 2022, was NU's first true freshman starter at cornerback since 2016
- Switched from cornerback to safety this season

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- One of 10 Huskers to earn a single-digit number as one of the team's "toughest" players
- Has started every game and totaled 10 tackles while leading the team with two interceptions
- Tied for the team lead with five tackles vs. UTEP and had an interception
- Had three tackles and a breakup vs. Colorado
- Had two tackles and an interception against UNI

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	PBU	INT
UTEP	5-0-5	0.0-0	0	1
Colorado	2-1-3	0.0-0	1	0
Northern Iowa	0-2-2	0.0-0	0	1
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER TACKLE STATS							
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD	
2022	12/8	12	10	22	1.0-2	0.0-0	
2023	12/10	26	14	40	1.5-3	0.0-0	
2024	3/3	7	3	10	0.0-0	0.0-0	
TOTAL	27/21	45	27	72	2.5-5	0.0-0	

CA	REER	MISC	CELLA	NEOL	JS STAT	rs
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2022	0	0	2	3	0	0
2023	0	0	6	0	0	0
2024	0	0	1	2	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	9	5	0	0

C	AREER HIGHS
Tackles	6 at Colorado (2023)
TFLs	1.0 twice
Sacks	none
Breakups	1 nine times
Interceptions	1 five times
Punt Return TD	1 vs. Indiana [blocked] (2022)



## TOMMI **HILL**

6-0 | 205 | SR. | DB ORLANDO, FLA.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Honorable-Mention All-Big Ten (2023)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Spring 2023)

#### **2024 WATCH LIST**

• Senior Bowl

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Spent his freshman year (2021) at Arizona State
- Started the first five games of Nebraska's 2022 season at cornerback before switching to wide receiver
- Switched back to defensive back in 2023

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- One of 10 Huskers to earn a single-digit number as one of the team's "toughest" players
- Has started every game at cornerback, recording 12 tackles and one interception
- Had one tackle against UTEP
- Made six tackles against Colorado and added a seven-yard interception return for a touchdown
- His pick-six was the first for Nebraska since the 2019 season
- Totaled five tackles against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	PBU	INT
UTEP	0-1-1	0.0-0	0	0
Colorado	4-2-6	0.0-0	0	1
Northern Iowa	2-3-5	0.0-0	0	0
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER TACKLE STATS							
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD	
2021*	11/1	7	2	9	0.0-0	0.0-0	
2022	11/5	10	7	17	0.0-0	0.0-0	
2023	12/8	17	9	26	0.5-0	0.0-0	
2024	3/3	6	6	12	0.0-0	0.0-0	
TOTAL	37/17	40	24	64	0.5-0	0.0-0	

\*redshirt season

Note: Played WR in final 6 games of 2022 KICKOFF RETURNS: 22 att., 444 yds, 0 TD

CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS							
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK	
2021*	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2022	0	0	4	0	0	0	
2023	0	1	9	4	0	0	
2024	0	0	0	1	0	0	
TOTAL	0	1	13	5	0	0	

<sup>\*</sup>redshirt season

	CAREER HIGHS
Tackles	8 vs. Georgia Southern (2022)
TFLs	0.5 vs. Maryland (2023)
Sacks	none
Breakups	3 vs. Iowa (2023)
Interceptions	2 vs. Purdue (2023)



JOHN **HOHL** 

**\*90** 

6-0 I 180 I R-FR. I PK LINCOLN, NEB.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

• Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Spring 2024)

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Transferred to Nebraska after spending one season and redshirting at Iowa Western in 2023
- His brother, Jacob, was a punter at Nebraska in 2022 and 2023

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game and has handled 12 of Nebraska's 19 kickoffs
- Posted two touchbacks on seven kickoffs against UTEP while limiting the Miners to an average of just 16.0 yards on three kickoff returns
- Kicked off twice against Colorado and made one tackle
- Kicked off three times against Northern Iowa with one touchback while the two returns gained a total of only 10 yards
- Also attempted and made the first extra point of his Husker career against UNI

	CAREER STATS								
YEAR	G/S	PAT	FG	PCT.	PTS	LG			
2024	3/0	1-1	0-0	0.0	1	-			
кіско	KICKOFFS: 12 att., 3 touchbacks								





### NASH **HUTMACHER**

6-4 | 310 | SR. | DL OACOMA, S.D.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Honorable-Mention All-Big Ten (2023)
- 3-Time Academic All-Big Ten
- 9-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **2024 WATCH LISTS**

- Bednarik Award
- Senior Bowl

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

• Earned his degree in management

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Wrestled for Nebraska in 2023-24, finishing sixth at the Big Ten Championships and qualifying for the NCAA Championships as a heavyweight
- Was a four-time state champion wrestler with a 166-0 record at Chamberlain High School
- Won each of his final 73 matches by pin, the second-longest pin streak in the history of high school wrestling

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- One of 10 Huskers to earn a single-digit number as one of the team's "toughest" players
- Has started every game and recorded six tackles, 2.0 TFLs and 1.0 sack
- Had three tackles against UTEP, including a 1-yard tackle for loss
- Recorded three solo tackles against Colorado with an 11-yard sack

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	1-2-3	1.0-1	0.0-0
Colorado	3-0-3	1.0-11	1.0-11
Northern Iowa	0-0-0	0.0-0	0.0-0
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ lowa			



	CAREER IACRLE STATS							
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD		
2020*	1/0	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0		
2021	11/0	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0		
2022	12/2	5	10	15	0.5-1	0.0-0		
2023	12/12	14	26	40	8.0-37	4.5-30		
2024	3/3	4	2	6	2.0-12	1.0-11		

TOTAL 39/17 23 38 61 10.5-50 5.5-41

<sup>\*</sup>redshirt season

CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS						
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2020*	0	0	0	0	0	0
2021	0	0	0	0	0	0
2022	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023	0	0	2	0	4	1
2024	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	2	0	4	1

<sup>\*</sup>redshirt season

CA	REER HIGHS
Tackles	7 vs. Northwestern (2023)
TFLs	2.5 twice
Sacks	2.5 vs. Northwestern (2023)
Breakups	1 twice
Blocked Field Go	oals 1 vs. Iowa (2023)



ELIJAH **Jeudy** 

**#16** 

6-3 | 285 | JR. | DL PHILADELPHIA, PA.

#### CAREER HONORS

• 2-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **CAREER NOTES**

• Spent two seasons at Texas A&M (2021-22), playing in three games and recording one tackle

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game
- Had a half TFL against UTEP
- Recorded a solo tackle against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	0-1-1	0.5-2	0.0-0
Colorado	0-0-0	0.0-0	0.0-0
Northern Iowa	1-0-1	0.0-0	0.0-0
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ Iowa			

CAREER TACKLE STATS							
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD	
2021^*	1/0	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	
2022^	2/0	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	
2023	11/0	4	4	8	1.0-3	0.0-0	
2024	3/0	1	1	2	0.5-2	0.0-0	
TOTAL	17/0	5	6	11	1.5-5	0.0-0	

^at Texas A&M; \*redshirt season

CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS								
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK		
2021^*	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2022^	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2023	0	0	0	0	0	1		
2024	0	0	0	0	0	0		
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0	1		

^at Texas A&M; \*redshirt season

CA	REER HIGHS
Tackles	2 twice
TFLs	1.0 vs. Northwestern (2023)
Sacks	none
Breakups	none
Blocked Field Go	<b>al</b> 1 vs. Purdue (2023)





## EMMETT JOHNSON

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5-11 I 200 I SO. I RB MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Academic All-Big Ten (2023)
- 3-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game
- Ranks 2nd on the team with 124 rushing yards and 3rd with 13 carries
- Leads Nebraska's running backs with an average of 9.5 yards per cardry
- Has also caught four passes for 48 yards
- Had eight carries for 71 yards against UTEP, including a career-long 42-yard carry
- Also had a five-yard catch against the Miners
- Had one carry for three yards against Colorado
- Totaled 93 yards from scrimmage vs. UNI
- Had four carries for 50 yards, including a 36yard touchdown run
- Added three catches for 43 yards with a careerlong 24-yard reception

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	ATT.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	8	71	0	42
Colorado	1	3	0	3
Northern Iowa	4	50	1	36
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER RUSHING STATS							
YEAR	G/S	ATT.	NET	Y/A	Y/G	TD	
2022*	4/0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	
2023	12/6	90	411	4.6	34.3	2	
2024	3/0	13	124	9.5	41.3	1	
ΤΟΤΔΙ	19/6	103	535	5.2	28 2	3	

<sup>\*</sup>redshirt season

**RECEIVING:** 11 rec., 96 yds, 0 TDs **KICKOFF RETURNS:** 1 ret., 15 yds, 0 TDs

CAREER HIGHS					
17 vs. Maryland (2023)					
84 vs. Maryland (2023)					
1 three times					
42 vs. UTEP (2024)					
3 twice					
43 vs. UNI (2024)					
none					
24 vs. UNI (2024)					



## RAHMIR Johnson **\*1**4

5-10 | 200 | SR. | RB HARLEM (NYC), N.Y.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

• 4-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

Earned his degree in advertising and public relations

#### **CAREER SUPERLATIVES**

- Games with Multiple Rushing Touchdowns: 2
- 100-Yard Receiving Games: 1

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has started two games and ranks 2nd on the team with 22 carries and 3rd with 87 rushing vards
- Had 11 carries for 50 yards against UTEP
- Rushed nine times for 33 yards against Colorado and led Nebraska with eight catches and 49 receiving yards
- Totaled 82 yards from scrimmage against the Buffs and had an 18-yard touchdown reception
- Had four yards rushing and two catches for 28 yards against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	ATT.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	11	50	0	13
Colorado	9	33	0	11
Northern Iowa	2	4	0	2
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

CAREER RUSHING STATS							
YEAR	G/S	ATT.	NET	Y/A	Y/G	TD	
2019*	4/0	21	64	3.0	16.3	1	
2020	6/0	8	30	3.8	5.0	1	
2021	10/7	112	495	4.4	49.5	4	
2022	10/0	19	85	4.5	8.5	0	
2023	3/1	12	65	5.4	21.7	0	
2024	3/2	22	92	4.2	30.7	0	
TOTAL	36/10	194	826	4.3	22.9	6	

KICKOFF RETURNS: 9 ret., 194 yds, 0 TD

	CAREER RECEIVING STATS								
YEAR	G/S	REC.	YDS	Y/R	Y/G	TD			
2019*	4/0	1	12	12.0	3.0	0			
2020	6/0	6	33	5.5	5.5	0			
2021	10/7	16	197	12.3	19.7	2			
2022	10/0	1	7	7.0	0.8	0			
2023	3/1	3	9	3.0	3.0	0			
2024	3/2	10	78	7.8	26.0	1			
TOTAL	36/10	37	336	9.1	9.3	3			

\*redshirt season

\*redshirt season

CAREER HIGHS						
Rushing Attempts 1	9 at Michigan St. (2021)					
Rushing Yards	83 at Minnesota (2021)					
Rushing TDs	2 twice					
Long Rush	44 at Colorado (2023)					
Receptions	8 vs. Colorado (2024)					
Receiving Yards	105 vs. Michigan (2021)					
Receiving Touchdown	1 three times					
Long Reception	43 vs. Michigan (2021)					
Kickoff Returns	3 at Ohio St. (2020)					
Kickoff Return Yards	63 at Minnesota (2023)					
Long Kickoff Return	63 at Minnesota (2023)					





## CAMERON **\*] Lenhardt**

6-3 | 260 | SO. | DL STATEN ISLAND, N.Y.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Honorable-Mention Freshman All-American (2023)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2023)

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- First true freshman defensive lineman to start a Nebraska season opener in the modern era
- Just the 2nd true freshman defensive lineman to start a game for Nebraska in the modern era (Maliek Collins started the 2014 Gator Bowl at the end of his true freshman season)
- Started 4 games as a true freshman, more than all other true freshman defensive linemen at Nebraska combined in the modern era
- 1 of 9 true freshmen to start a season opener for Nebraska in the modern era (not counting punters and kickers)

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game with one start
- Had a half tackle for loss against UTEP
- Recorded three tackles with 1.5 tackles for loss and a half sack against Colorado
- Started and made three tackles against UNI

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	0-1-1	0.5-1	0.0-0
Colorado	2-1-3	1.5-1	0.5-0
Northern Iowa	0-3-3	0.0-0	0.0-0
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ Iowa			

CAREER TACKLE STATS								
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD		
2023	10/4	9	7	16	5.0-22	3.0-17		
2024	3/1	2	5	7	2.0-2	0.5-0		
TOTAL 13/5 11 12 23 7.0-24 3.5-17								

CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS							
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK	
2023	0	0	0	0	1	0	
2024	0	0	0	0	1	0	
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	2	0	

	CAREER HIGHS
Tackles	4 at Michigan St. (2023)
TFLs	2.0 at Colorado (2023)
Sacks	2.0 at Colorado (2023)
Breakups	none



JAYLEN **LLOYD** 

5-10 | 180 | SO. | WR OMAHA, NEB.

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Averaged 39.5 yards per catch as a true freshman in 2024 with three touchdown catches of at least 58 yards
- Competed in track and field for Nebraska in 2024, finishing fifth at the Big Ten Indoor Championships in the long jump and seventh in the triple jump
- Finished fourth in the long jump at the 2024 Big Ten Outdoor Championships and 12th in the triple jump

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game
- Caught a 36-yard pass against Colorado
- Had a 59-yard reception against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	REC.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	0	0	0	-
Colorado	1	36	0	36
Northern Iowa	1	59	0	59
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				



YEAR	G/S	REC.	YDS	Y/R	Y/G	TD
2023	10/1	6	237	39.5	23.7	3
2024	3/0	2	95	47.5	31.7	0
ΤΟΤΔΙ	13/1	8	332	41 5	25.5	3

RUSHING: 4 att., 11 yds, 0 TDs

#### CAREER HIGHS

CAREER HIGHS						
1 eight times						
73 vs. Purdue (2023)						
wns 1 three times						
73 [TD] vs. Purdue (2023)						
1 four times						
9 at Minnesota (2023)						
<b>ns</b> none						
9 at Minnesota (2023)						



HENRY LUTOVSKY <sup>#</sup>59

6-6 I 320 I JR. I OL CRAWFORDSVILLE, IOWA

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Academic All-Big Ten (2023)
- 5-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **CAREER NOTES**

 Played in two games in 2021, becoming the 17th true freshman offensive lineman to play in a game in Nebraska history

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

• Has played in two games with one start at right guard against Northern Iowa

#### **CAREER STATS**

• Games: 28

(2 in 2021; 12 in 2022; 12 in 2023; 2 in 2024)

• Starts: 5 (2 in 2022; 2 in 2023; 1 in 2024)



MCAH MAZZCCUA **\*56** 

6-5 | 325 | SR. | OL PHILADELPHIA, PA.

#### 2024 WATCH LIST

Senior Bowl

#### **CAREER NOTES**

• His brother, Maurice, is a senior running back for the Huskers

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Played at Baylor and Florida before transferring to Nebraska
- Played in 20 games at Baylor in 2021 and 2022 with 10 starts
- Played and started 11 games at Florida in 2022

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

• Has started two games at right guard

#### **CAREER STATS**

- Games: 33 (9 in 2021\*; 11 in 2022\*; 11 in 2023^; 2 in 2024)
- Starts: 23 (10 in 2022\*; 11 in 2023^; 2 in 2024)

\*at Baylor; ^at Florida





## WILLIS #17 McGAHEE IV

6-1 | 235 | FR. | LB MIAMI, FLA.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

• Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Spring 2024)

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game as a true freshman, totaling three tackles including 1.0 sack
- Recorded two solo tackles in the season opener against UTEP
- Had an eight-yard strip sack against Colorado resulting in a Husker takeaway

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	2-0-2	0.0-0	0.0-0
Colorado	1-0-1	1.0-8	1.0-8
Northern Iowa	0-0-0	0.0-0	0.0-0
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ Iowa			

CAREER TACKLE STATS								
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD		
2024	3/0	3	0	3	1.0-8	1.0-8		

#### CAREER MISCELL ANEOUS STATS

**YEAR FF FR PBU INT QBH BLK** 2024 1 0 0 0 1 0

	CAREER HIGHS
Tackles	2 vs. UTEP (2024)
TFLs	1.0 vs. Colorado (2024)
Sacks	1.0 vs. Colorado (2024)
Breakups	none

## CARTER **NELSON**

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6-5 | 230 | FR. | WR AINSWORTH, NEB.

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game as a true freshman
- Has caught seven passes for 69 yards and one touchdown
- Caught three passes for 21 yards in his debut against UTEP
- Set career highs with four receptions, 48 receiving yards and one touchdown against Northern lowa
- Opened the scoring with a career-long 24yard touchdown grab on NU's opening drive against UNI

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	REC.	YDS	TD	LONG
OFFONEINI	KEC.	נטז	טו	LONG
UTEP	3	21	0	14
Colorado	0	0	0	-
Northern Iowa	4	48	1	24
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

#### **CAREER RECEIVING STATS**

**YEAR G/S REC. YDS Y/R Y/G TD** 2024 3/0 7 69 9.9 23.0 1

CAREER HIGHS							
Receptions	4 vs.	UNI	(2024)				
Receiving Yards	48 vs.	UNI	(2024)				
Receiving Touchdowns	1 vs.	UNI	(2024)				
Long Reception	29 [TD] vs.	UNI	(2024)				



### ISAIAH **NEYOR**

#18

6-4 | 220 | SR. | WR FORT WORTH, TEXAS

#### **CAREER HONORS**

 Second-Team All-Mountain West (2021 at Wyoming)

#### **2024 WATCH LISTS**

- Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award
- Senior Bowl

#### **CAREER SUPERLATIVES**

- 100-Yard Receiving Games: 4
- Games with 2+ TD catches: 3

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has started every game and leads NU with 12 catches, 187 receiving yards and two TDs
- Caught six passes for 121 yards against UTEP, including a 59-yard touchdown
- Tied his career high with six catches while posting his fourth career 100-yard receiving game
- Made four catches for 31 yards vs. Colorado
- Had two catches for 35 yards against Northern lowa, including an 18-yard touchdown

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	REC.	YDS	TD	LONG
UTEP	6	121	1	59
Colorado	4	31	0	16
Northern Iowa	2	35	1	18
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				
lowa				

	CAREER RECEIVING STATS						
YEAR	G/S	REC.	YDS	Y/R	Y/G	TD	
2019*^	1/0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	
2020^	6/1	8	248	31.0	41.3	0	
2021^	13/12	44	878	20.0	67.5	12	
2022^		Dic	d Not P	lay			
2023+	1/0	1	14	14.0	14.0	0	
2024	3/3	12	187	15.6	62.3	1	
TOTAL	24/16	65	1,328	20.4	55.3	13	

\*redshirt season; ^at Wyoming; +at Texas

RUSHING: 13 att., 81 yds, 1 TD

CAI	REER HI	GHS	
Receptions			6 twice
Receiving Yards	126	at Boise St.	(2021)*
Receiving Toucho	lowns	2 thre	e times
Long Reception	74 [TD]	at Boise St.	(2021)*
*at Wyoming			





## DYLAN **RAIOLA**

"15

6-3 | 230 | FR. | QB BUFORD, GA.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

• Big Ten Freshman of the Week (Sept. 2)

#### **2024 WATCH LIST**

- Polynesian Player of the Year
- Shaun Alexander Freshman of the Year

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

- His father, Dominic, was an All-America center at Nebraska who went on to play in 219 games with 203 starts over 14 seasons for the Detroit Lions
- His godfather is NFL quarterback Matthew Stafford

#### **CAREER NOTES**

• 1 of 2 true freshmen quarterbacks (along with Adrian Martinez in 2018) to start a season opener for Nebraska since World War II

#### **TOP-25 FBS RANKINGS**

• Completion Percentage: 8th (73.8)

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has started every game at quarterback
- Has completed 59-of-80 passes for 670 yards, five touchdowns and one interception
- Is completing 73.8 percent of his passes
- Has added six carries for 14 yards
- Completed 19-of-27 passes for 238 yards and two touchdowns against UTEP while playing only three quarters
- Had a 59-yard touchdown pass and a 21-yard touchdown pass with two seconds remaining in the first half
- Led NU to five touchdowns in eight drives, including each of his final four drives
- Was honored as Big Ten Freshman of the Week
- Completed 23-of-30 passes for 185 yards and one touchdown against Colorado
- Completed 17-of-23 passes for a career-high 247 yards against Northern Iowa with two TDs
- Also added 13 rushing yards
- Led NU to points on five of his seven drives
- By completing 73.9 percent of his passes against UNI, became the first Husker quarterback since 1980 to have a 70 percent completion rate in three consecutive starts

#### **PASSING GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	COMP-ATT	YDS	TD	INT
UTEP	19-27	238	2	0
Colorado	23-30	185	1	0
Northern Iowa	17-23	247	2	1
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

### TOTAL OFFENSE GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	ATT.	PASS	RUSH	TOT.
UTEP	28	238	-6	232
Colorado	33	185	7	192
Northern Iowa	25	247	13	260
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

#### **CAREER SUPERLATIVES**

250-Yard Passing Games	1
300-Yard Total Offense Games	0
Games with 2+ TD Passes	2
Games with 3+ TD Passes	0
Games with 4+ TD Passes	0

#### **CAREER PASSING STATS**

**YEAR G/S CMP-ATT PCT YDS TD INT** 2024 3/3 59-80 73.8 670 5 1

#### **CAREER PASSING HIGHS**

Attempts	30 vs. Colorado (2024)
Completions	23 vs. Colorado (2024)
Yards	247 vs. UNI (2024)
Touchdowns	2 twice
Long Pass	59 twice

RAIOLA DRIVE CHART						
OPPONENT	PLAYS	YDS	RESULT			
UTEP*	12	72	TD			
UTEP*	7	34	Downs			
UTEP*	3	5	Punt			
UTEP*	7	47	Fumble			
UTEP*	2	59	TD			
UTEP*	8	63	TD			
UTEP*	9	59	TD			
UTEP^	11	73	TD			
8 DRIVES (5 T	Ds)					
Colorado*	7	49	TD			
Colorado*	4	8	Punt			
Colorado*	9	41	FG Miss			
Colorado*	9	86	TD			
Colorado*	3	4	Punt			
Colorado*	3	70	TD			
Colorado^	3	6	Punt			
Colorado^	4	15	Punt			
Colorado^	12	52	Punt			
Colorado^	3	-15	Punt			
Colorado^	6	11	Punt			
Colorado^	3	4	Game			
12 DRIVES (3	TDs)					
UNI*	8	75	TD			
UNI*	7	75	TD			
UNI*	4	80	TD			
UNI*	6	41	Downs			
UNI^	9	68	FG			
UNI^	6	33	FG			

UNI^ 1
7 DRIVES (3 TDs, 2 FGs)

INT

<sup>\*</sup>first-half drive; ^second-half drive





## TY **ROBINSON**

**\*9** 

6-6 | 310 | SR. | DL GILBERT, ARIZ.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Honorable-Mention All-Big Ten (2023)
- 5-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **2024 WATCH LIST**

• Senior Bowl

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

Earned his degree in nutrition and health sciences

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- One of 10 Huskers to earn a single-digit number as one of the team's "toughest" players
- Has started every game and has recorded six tackles while leading NU with 2.0 sacks, one blocked kick and one safety
- Also tied for the team lead with 3.0 TFLs and two pass breakups
- Started the 35th game of his career against UTEP and had 1.0 sack and 2.0 TFLs
- Had a 3-yard tackle for loss in the second quarter for a safety that marked Nebraska's first defensive safety since the 2009 season
- Added a five-yard sack in the third quarter
- Made two solo tackles with a nine-yard sack and a pass breakup against Colorado
- Also blocked a field goal against the Buffs, his second career blocked field goal
- Recorded two tackles against Northern Iowa with a pass breakup

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	2-0-2	2.0-8	1.0-5
Colorado	2-0-2	1.0-9	1.0-9
Northern Iowa	0-2-2	0.0-0	0.0-0
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			_
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ lowa			



	CARLER IACREE STATS							
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD		
2019*	3/0	0	0	0	0-0	0.0-0		
2020	8/7	5	12	17	2.0-3	0.0-0		
2021	12/4	13	14	27	4.0-23	2.0-20		
2022	12/12	14	10	24	4.0-17	2.0-14		
2023	12/11	7	22	29	4.0-21	1.0-12		
2024	3/3	4	2	6	3.0-17	2.0-14		
TOTAL	50/37	43	60	103	17.0-81	7.0-60		

<sup>\*</sup>redshirt season

CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS						
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2019*	0	0	0	0	0	0
2020	0	0	0	0	2	0
2021	0	0	1	0	1	0
2022	0	0	0	0	0	0
2023	0	1	6	0	11	1
2024	0	0	2	0	1	1
TOTAL	0	1	9	0	15	2

<sup>\*</sup>redshirt season

R HIGHS
7 vs. Maryland (2023)
2.0 vs. UTEP (2024)
1.0 six times
2 twice
1 twice
1 vs. UTEP (2024)



## AMARE **SANDERS**

#14

6-1 | 175 | FR. | DB MIAMI, FLA.

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game as a true freshman
- Has recorded two tackles land one pass breakup on the season
- Posted his first two career tackles against Northern lowa and also had his first career pass breakup

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

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OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	PBU	INT
UTEP	0-0-0	0.0-0	0	0
Colorado	0-0-0	0.0-0	0	0
Northern Iowa	1-1-2	0.0-0	1	0
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa				

### CAREER TACKLE STATS

**YEAR G/S UT AT TT TFL-YD SCK-YD** 2024 3/0 1 1 2 0.0-0 0.0-0

#### **CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS**

**YEAR FF FR PBU INT QBH BLK** 2024 0 0 1 0 0 0

CAREER HIGHS					
Tackles	2 vs. UNI (2024)				
TFLs	none				
Sacks	none				
Breakups	1 vs. UNI (2024)				





### BEN SCOTT

**\*66** 

6-5 I 310 I SR. I OL HONOLULU, HAWAII

#### **CAREER HONORS**

- Honorable-Mention All-Big Ten (2023)
- 3-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **2024 WATCH LISTS**

- Rimington Trophy
- Senior Bowl

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

 Earned his degree in biological sciences at Arizona State

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- First-year transfer who started 28 games at Arizona State from 2020-22
- Started 17 games at right tackle at ASU before his final 11 starts were at center

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has started every game at center
- Started against UTEP to mark his 40th career start

#### **CAREER STATS**

• Games: 43

(4 in 2020\*; 13 in 2021\*; 11 in 2022\*; 12 in 2023; 3 in 2024)

• Starts: 42

(4 in 2020\*; 13 in 2021\*; 11 in 2022\*; 11 in 2023; 3 in 2024)

\*at Arizona State



## VINCENT **\*10 SHAVERS JR.**

6-1 | 225 | FR. | LB MIAMI, FLA.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

• Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Spring 2024)

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game as a true freshman
- Has recorded five tackles
- Recorded three tackles in the season opener against UTEP
- Made two solo tackles against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	2-1-3	0.0-0	0.0-0
Colorado	0-0-0	0.0-0	0.0-0
Northern Iowa	2-0-2	0.0-0	0.0-0
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ lowa			

#### CAREER TACKLE STATS

**YEAR G/S UT AT TT TFL-YD SCK-YD** 2024 3/0 4 1 5 0.0-0 0.0-0

#### **CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS**

**YEAR FF FR PBU INT QBH BLK** 2024 0 0 0 0 0 0

	CAREER HIGHS
Tackles	3 vs. UTEP (2024)
TFLs	none
Sacks	none
Breakups	none



## SHERMAN #4

6-3 | 245 | SR. | LB BALTIMORE, MD.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

• Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Spring 2023)

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

• Earned his degree in child, youth and family studies

#### **CAREER NOTES**

- Transfer who played in 39 games at Georgia, recording 15 tackles, 1.0 TFL and 0.5 sacks
- Played in every game of Georgia's 2021 & 2022 national championship seasons

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has started every game
- Recorded a pair of solo tackles vs. UTEP
- Had a five-yard sack against Colorado and was also credited with three quarterback hurries
- Made one tackle and had a quarterback hurry against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	2-0-2	0.0-0	0.0-0
Colorado	1-0-1	1.0-5	1.0-5
Northern Iowa	0-1-1	0.0-0	0.0-0
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ Iowa			

CAREER TACKLE STATS								
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD		
2020*	9/0	2	0	2	0.0-0	0.0-0		
2021*	15/0	1	6	7	0.5-3	0.0-0		
2022*	15/0	4	1	5	0.5-5	0.5-5		
2023	12/5	7	9	16	1.5-14	1.5-14		
2024	3/3	3	1	4	1.0-5	1.0-5		
TOTAL	54/8	17	17	34	3.5-27	3.0-24		

\*at Georgia

CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS								
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK		
2020*	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2021*	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2022*	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2023	0	0	0	0	1	0		
2024	0	0	0	0	4	0		
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	5	0		

\*at Georgia

	CAREER HIGHS
Tackles	3 twice
TFLs	1.0 vs. Northern Illinois (2023)
Sacks	1.0 vs. Northern Illinois (2023)
Breakups	none





## DESHON #

6-3 | 210 | SR. | DB AMITE, LA.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

• 2-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

#### **2024 WATCH LIST**

Senior Bowl

#### **CAREER NOTES**

• In his third season at Nebraska after spending the 2021 season at Hutchinson (Kan.) CC

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- One of 10 Huskers to earn a single-digit number as one of the team's "toughest" players
- Has started every game and is 4th on the team with 14 tackles
- Returned from a season-ending injury in 2023 to start the season opener against UTEP and record two tackles
- Tied for the team lead with six tackles against Colorado
- Added six more tackles against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	PBU	INT
UTEP	1-1-2	0.0-0	0	0
Colorado	5-1-6	0.0-0	0	0
Northern Iowa	2-4-6	0.0-0	0	0
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ Iowa				

CAREER TACKLE STATS								
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD		
2022	12/0	1	2	3	0.0-0	0.0-0		
2023	5/5	8	11	19	2.5-3	0.0-0		
2024	3/3	8	6	14	0.0-0	0.0-0		
TOTAL	20/8	17	19	36	2.5-3	0.0-0		

CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS								
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK		
2022	0	0	0	0	0	0		
2023	0	0	1	0	0	0		
2024	0	0	0	0	0	0		
TOTAL	0	0	1	0	0	0		

	CAREER HIGHS
Tackles	7 twice
TFLs	1.5 vs. Louisiana Tech (2023)
Sacks	none
Breakups	1 at Minnesota (2023)



### RAHMIR Stewart #3

5-11 I 210 I R-FR. I DB PHILADELPHIA, PA.

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game, totaling four tackles and one interception
- Against UTEP, recorded his first two career tackles and first career interception, which he returned 18 yards
- Tied his career high with two tackles against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

GAIVIE-DI-GA	4141F			
OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	PBU	INT
UTEP	2-0-2	0.0-0	0	1
Colorado	0-0-0	0.0-0	0	0
Northern Iowa	0-2-2	0.0-0	0	0
Illinois				
@ Purdue				
Rutgers				
@ Indiana				
@ Ohio St.				
UCLA				
@ USC				
Wisconsin				
@ lowa		-		

### CAREER TACKLE STATS

YEAR	G/S	UΙ	ΑI	11	IFL-YD	SCK-YD
2023*	1/0	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
2024	3/0	2	2	4	0.0-0	0.0-0
TOTAL	4/0	2	2	4	0.0-0	0.0-0

\*redshirt season

#### **CAREER MISCELLANEOUS STATS**

YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2023*	0	0	0	0	0	0
2024	0	0	0	1	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0	1	0	0

\*redshirt season

CAREER HIGHS					
Tackles	2 twice				
TFLs	none				
Sacks	none				
Breakups	none				
Interceptions	1 vs. UTEP (2024)				



## STEFON #56 THOMPSON

6-1 I 240 I JR. I LB LONG ISLAND, N.Y.

#### **CAREER HONORS**

• Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Spring 2024)

#### **CAREER NOTES**

• Earned his degree in nutrition and health sciences

#### **CAREER SUPERLATIVES**

• Double-Digit Tackle Games: 1

#### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game, totaling eight tackles and one pass breakup
- Made two tackles and recorded his first career pass breakup in his Husker debut vs. UTEP
- Totaled six tackles against Northern Iowa

#### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	1-1-2	0.0-0	0.0-0
Colorado	0-0-0	0.0-0	0.0-0
Northern Iowa	0-6-6	0.0-0	0.0-0
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ lowa			

CAREER TACKLE STATS						
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD
2020*	10/7	25	12	37	7.5-31	3.0-18
2021*	12/12	48	31	79	8.0-40	6.0-34
2022*	1/1	1	2	3	0.5-2	0.0-0
2023*	13/1	27	26	53	4.0-22	1.5-15
2024	3/0	1	7	8	0.0-0	0.0-0

TOTAL 38/21 102 78 180 20.0-95 10.5-67

\*at Syracuse

CA	REER	MISC	CELLA	NEOL	JS STAT	S
EAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	В

YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2020*	0	1	0	0	2	0
2021*	0	2	0	0	5	0
2022*	0	0	0	0	1	0
2023*	0	1	0	0	3	0
2024	0	0	1	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	4	1	0	11	0

\*at Syracuse

	CAREER HIGHS
Tackles	10 vs. Pittsburgh (2021)*
TFLs	4.0 at Louisville (2020)*
Sacks	2.0 vs. Albany (2021)*
Breakups	1 vs. UTEP (2024)

\*at Syracuse





# PRINCEWILL #18 UMANMIELEN

6-5 | 245 | SO. | LB AUSTIN, TEXAS

### **CAREER HONORS**

- Second-Team Freshman All-American (2023)
- 2-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

### **PERSONAL NOTES**

• Has a brother, Princely, who is a defensive linemen at Ole Miss, and a brother, Prince, who was a defensive lineman at Tarleton State

### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in every game and recorded three tackles, 1.0 TFL and 0.5 sacks
- Recorded two tackles with a half tackle for loss in the season opener against UTEP
- Had a half sack for a five-yard loss against Colorado

### **GAME-BY-GAME**

OPPONENT	UT-AT-TT	TFL-YD	SACK-YD
UTEP	1-1-2	0.5-1	0.0-0
Colorado	1-0-1	0.5-6	0.5-6
Northern Iowa	0-0-0	0.0-0	0.0-0
Illinois			
@ Purdue			
Rutgers			
@ Indiana			
@ Ohio St.			
UCLA			
@ USC			
Wisconsin			
@ Iowa			

CAREER TACKLE STATS								
YEAR	G/S	UT	ΑT	TT	TFL-YD	SCK-YD		
2023	11/1	10	12	22	4.5-12	1.0-5		
2024	3/0	2	1	3	1.5-7	0.5-6		
TOTAL	14/1	12	13	25	6.0-19	1.5-11		

CA	REER	MISC	CELLA	NEOL	JS STAT	rs
YEAR	FF	FR	PBU	INT	QBH	BLK
2023	0	0	0	0	4	0
2024	0	0	0	0	2	0
ΤΟΤΔΙ	0	0	0	0	6	

	CAREER HIGHS
Tackles	7 vs. Northwestern (2023)
TFLs	2.0 vs. Northwestern (2023)
Sacks	1.0 vs. Northwestern (2023)
Breakups	none



# CAMDEN WITUCKI

6-2 | 230 | JR. | LS GRAND BLANC, MICH.

### **CAREER HONORS**

- Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2023)
- 3-Time Academic All-Big Ten
- 7-Time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll

### **PERSONAL NOTES**

• Earned his degree in management

### **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

- Has played in two games
- Handled all of Nebraska's long snapping duties the first two games of the season
- Was the long snapper for the punt unit against Northern Iowa, but the Huskers did not punt

### **CAREER STATS**

• Games: 2 (2 in 2024)



# 2024 NEBRASKA SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	SCORE	RECORD	CONFERENCE	TIME	ATTEND.
8/31/24	UTEP	W	40-7	1-0	0-0	3:18	86,072
9/7/24	Colorado	W	28-10	2-0	0-0	3:34	86,906
9/14/24	UNI	W	34-3	3-0	0-0	3:16	86,546

<sup>\*</sup>Big Ten Conference game

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	ОТ	TOTAL
Nebraska	28	51	13	10	0	102
Opponents	10	0	3	7	0	20

<b>TEAM STATIS</b>	STICS	
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TEAM STATISTICS Scoring	102	<b>OPP</b> 20
Points per game	34.0	6.7
Points Off Turnovers	17	0.7
First Downs	74	45
Rushing	28	14
Passing	34	27
Penalty	12	4
Rushing Yardage	514	211
Yards gained rushing	539	292
Yards lost rushing	25	81
Rushing attempts	104	85
Average per rush	4.9	2.5
Average per game	171.3	70.3
TDs Rushing	7	0
Passing Yardage	750	555
Comp-Att-Int	68-92-1	55-98-4
Average per pass	8.2	5.7
Average per catch	11.0	10.1
Average per game	250.0	185.0
TDs Passing	5	2
Total offense	1264	766
Total plays	196	183
Average per play	6.4	4.2
Average per game	421.3	255.3
Kick returns: #-Yards	5-110	9-183
Punt returns: #-Yards	6-43	4-43
Int returns: #-Yards	4-40	1-0
Kick return average	22.0	20.3
Punt return average	7.2	10.8
Int return average Fumbles-Lost	10.0 1-1	0.0 4-1
Penalties-Yards	19-184	4-1 27-275
	61.3	91.7
Average per game Punts-Yards	9-392	15-589
Average per punt	43.6	39.3
Net punt average	36.4	36.9
Kickoffs-Yards	19-1140	9-480
Average per kick	60.0	53.3
Net kick average	39.5	35.6
Time of possession / game	31:55	28:05
3rd-down conversion	18/36	13/40
3rd-down pct	50%	33%
4th-down conversion	0/3	3/7
4th-down pct	0%	43%
Sacks by-Yards	9-51	1-6
Misc Yards	0	0
Touchdowns scored	13	2
Field goals - attempts	3-4	2-4
On-Side kicks	0-0	0-0
Red-zone scores	(11-14) 79%	(3-5) 60%
Red-zone touchdowns	(8-14) 57%	(1-5) 20%
PAT-attempts	(13-13) 100%	(2-2) 100%
2-point conversion-attempts	(0-0) 0%	(0-0) 0%
Attendance	259524	0
Games / Avg per game	3/86508	0/0
Neutral site games	0/0	

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RUSHING	G	ATT	GAIN	LOSS	NET	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Dante Dowdell	3	31	190	6	184	5.9	3	38	61.3
Emmett Johnson	3	13	124	0	124	9.5	1	42	41.3
Rahmir Johnson	3	22	88	1	87	4.0	0	13	29.0
Jacory Barney Jr.	3	3	38	0	38	12.7	1	21	12.7
Gabe Ervin Jr.	3	11	34	1	33	3.0	2	11	11.0
Heinrich Haarberg	2	5	15	0	15	3.0	0	8	7.5
Dylan Raiola	3	6	27	13	14	2.3	0	15	4.7
Maurice Mazzccua Jr.	2	5	9	1	8	1.6	0	5	4.0
Kenneth Williams	1	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	5.0
Kwinten Ives	1	3	5	1	4	1.3	0	5	4.0
Mekhi Nelson	1	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	2.0
Jalyn Gramstad	1	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	2.0
Janiran Bonner	3	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Team	3	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.7
Total	3	104	539	25	514	4.9	7	42	171.3
Opponents	3	85	292	81	211	2.5	0	17	70.3

PASSING	G	EFFIC	COMP-ATT-INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LNG	AVG/G
Dylan Raiola	3	162.2	59-80-1	73.8	670	5	59	223.3
Heinrich Haarberg	2	172.5	8-8-0	100.0	69	0	24	34.5
Jalyn Gramstad	1	64.1	1-3-0	33.3	11	0	11	11.0
Team	3	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	3	158.2	68-92-1	73.9	750	5	59	250.0
Opponents	3	102.3	55-98-4	56.1	555	2	38	185.0

RECEIVING	G	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Isaiah Neyor	3	12	187	15.6	2	59	62.3
Rahmir Johnson	3	10	77	7.7	1	18	25.7
Jacory Barney Jr.	3	10	68	6.8	0	14	22.7
Jahmal Banks	3	7	76	10.9	1	21	25.3
Carter Nelson	3	7	69	9.9	1	24	23.0
Thomas Fidone II	3	6	27	4.5	0	13	9.0
Janiran Bonner	3	4	31	7.8	0	14	10.3
Emmett Johnson	3	4	48	12.0	0	24	16.0
Jaylen Lloyd	3	2	95	47.5	0	59	31.7
Nate Boerkircher	3	1	25	25.0	0	25	8.3
Alex Bullock	3	1	12	12.0	0	12	4.0
Heinrich Haarberg	2	1	8	8.0	0	8	4.0
Luke Lindenmeyer	3	1	12	12.0	0	12	4.0
Roman Mangini	2	1	11	11.0	0	11	5.5
Keelan Smith	1	1	4	4.0	0	4	4.0
Total	3	68	750	11.0	5	59	250.0
Opponents	3	55	555	10.1	2	38	185.0



# **2024 INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

PUNT RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda	6	43	7.2	0	13
Total	6	43	7.2	0	13
Opponents	4	43	10.8	0	29

KICK RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Jacory Barney Jr.	5	110	22.0	0	35
Total	5	110	22.0	0	35
Opponents	9	183	20.3	0	61

INTERCEPTIONS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Malcolm Hartzog Jr.	2	15	7.5	0	15
Tommi Hill	1	7	7.0	1	7
Rahmir Stewart	1	18	18.0	0	18
Total	4	40	10.0	1	18
Opponents	1	0	0.0	0	0

FUMBLE RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Jimari Butler	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	1	0	0.0	0	0

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	PCT	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	LG	BLK
Tristan Alvano	3-4	75.0	0-0	2-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	31	0
Total	3-4	75.0	0-0	2-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	31	0
Opponents	2-4	50.0	0-0	1-2	1-1	0-0	0-1	31	1

FG SEQUENCE	NEBRASKA	OPPONENTS
UTEP	(20)	-
Colorado	32	29,61,(27)
UNI	(31),(21)	(31)

Numbers in (parenthesis) indicate field goal was made

PUNTING	NO.	YDS	AVG	LONG	ТВ	FC	120	50+	BLK
Brian Buschini	7	351	50.1	60	0	2	4	3	0
Dylan Raiola	1	40	40.0	40	1	0	0	0	0
Team	1	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	9	392	43.6	60	1	2	4	3	1
Opponents	15	589	39.3	54	0	4	4	1	0

KICKOFFS	NO.	YDS	AVG	ТВ	ОВ	RET.	NET	YDLN
John Hohl	12	730	60.8	3	1			
Brian Buschini	7	410	58.6	3	0			
Total	19	1140	60.0	6	1	8	39.5	25
Opponents	9	480	53.3	3	0	6	35.6	29

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SCORING	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf	Pts
Tristan Alvano	-	3-4	12-12	-	-	-	-	-	21
Dante Dowdell	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Isaiah Neyor	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Gabe Ervin Jr.	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Rahmir Johnson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Jahmal Banks	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Tommi Hill	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Emmett Johnson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Jacory Barney Jr.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Carter Nelson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Ty Robinson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
John Hohl	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total	13	3-4	13-13	0	0	0	0	1	102
Opponents	2	2-4	2-2	0	0	0	0	0	20

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	PLAYS	RUSH	PASS	TOTAL	AVG/G
Dylan Raiola	3	86	14	670	684	228.0
Dante Dowdell	3	31	184	0	184	61.3
Emmett Johnson	3	13	124	0	124	41.3
Rahmir Johnson	3	22	87	0	87	29.0
Heinrich Haarberg	2	13	15	69	84	42.0
Jacory Barney Jr.	3	3	38	0	38	12.7
Gabe Ervin Jr.	3	11	33	0	33	11.0
Jalyn Gramstad	1	4	2	11	13	13.0
Maurice Mazzccua Jr.	2	5	8	0	8	4.0
Kenneth Williams	1	1	5	0	5	5.0
Kwinten Ives	1	3	4	0	4	4.0
Mekhi Nelson	1	1	2	0	2	2.0
Team	3	0	-2	0	-2	-0.7
Total	3	196	514	750	1264	421.3
Opponents	3	183	211	555	766	255.3

ALL PURPOSE	G	RUSH	REC	PR	KOR	IR	TOT	AVG/G
Jacory Barney Jr.	3	38	68	0	110	0	216	72.0
Isaiah Neyor	3	0	187	0	0	0	187	62.3
Dante Dowdell	3	184	0	0	0	0	184	61.3
Emmett Johnson	3	124	48	0	0	0	172	57.3
Rahmir Johnson	3	87	77	0	0	0	164	54.7
Jaylen Lloyd	3	0	95	0	0	0	95	31.7
Jahmal Banks	3	0	76	0	0	0	76	25.3
Carter Nelson	3	0	69	0	0	0	69	23.0
Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda	3	0	0	43	0	0	43	14.3
Gabe Ervin Jr.	3	33	0	0	0	0	33	11.0
Janiran Bonner	3	0	31	0	0	0	31	10.3
Thomas Fidone II	3	0	27	0	0	0	27	9.0
Nate Boerkircher	3	0	25	0	0	0	25	8.3
Heinrich Haarberg	2	15	8	0	0	0	23	11.5
Rahmir Stewart	3	0	0	0	0	18	18	6.0
Malcolm Hartzog Jr.	3	0	0	0	0	15	15	5.0
Dylan Raiola	3	14	0	0	0	0	14	4.7
Alex Bullock	3	0	12	0	0	0	12	4.0
Luke Lindenmeyer	3	0	12	0	0	0	12	4.0
Roman Mangini	2	0	11	0	0	0	11	5.5
Maurice Mazzccua Jr.	2	8	0	0	0	0	8	4.0
Tommi Hill	3	0	0	0	0	7	7	2.3
Kenneth Williams	1	5	0	0	0	0	5	5.0
Kwinten Ives	1	4	0	0	0	0	4	4.0
Keelan Smith	1	0	4	0	0	0	4	4.0
Mekhi Nelson	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
Jalyn Gramstad	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
Team	3	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-0.7
Total	3	514	750	43	110	40	1457	485.7
Opponents	3	211	555	43	183	0	992	330.7



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RUSHING	No-Yds/	TD UTE	P COLO	) UNI	ILL	PUR	RUT	IND	OSU	UCLA	USC	WIS	IOWA	B1G	BOWL
Dante Dowdell	31-184/3	8-55/		2 6-55/0											
Rahmir Johnson	22-87/0	11-50													
Emmett Johnson	13-124/1	8-71/	0 1-3/0	4-50/1											
Gabe Ervin Jr.	11-33/2	6-24/	2-6/0	3-3/0											
Dylan Raiola	6-14/0	16/	0 3-7/0	2-13/0											
Heinrich Haarberg	5-15/0	2-8/0	) DNP	3-7/0											
Maurice Mazzccua Jr.	5-8/0	5-8/0	) DNP												
Jacory Barney Jr.	3-38/1	-	2-28/	1-10/1											
Kwinten Ives	3-4/0	3-4/0	) DNP	DNP											
Kenneth Williams	1-5/0	1-5/(	) DNP	DNP											
Jalyn Gramstad	1-2/0	1-2/(		DNP											
Mekhi Nelson	1-2/0	1-2/(	) DNP	DNP											
Janiran Bonner	1-0/0	-	-	1-0/0											
RECEIVING	No-Yds/	TD UTE	P COLO	) UNI	ILL	PUR	RUT	IND	OSU	UCLA	USC	WIS	IOWA	B1G	BOWL
Isaiah Neyor	12-187/2	6-121	/1 4-31/	2-35/1	-										
Rahmir Johnson	10-77/1	-	8-49/	2-28/0											
Jacory Barney Jr.	10-68/0	1-10/	0 6-29/	3-29/0											
Jahmal Banks	7-76/1	4-61/													
Carter Nelson	7-69/1	3-21/		4-48/1											
Thomas Fidone II	6-27/0	3-1/(													
Emmett Johnson	4-48/0	1-5/0		3-43/0											
Janiran Bonner	4-40/0	3-26/		1-5/0											
Jaylen Lloyd	2-95/0	-	1-36/												
Nate Boerkircher	1-25/0	-	1-25/												
Luke Lindenmeyer	1-12/0	1-12/													
Alex Bullock	1-12/0	1-12/	'0 -												
Roman Mangini	1-11/0	1-11/	0 DNP	-											
Heinrich Haarberg	1-8/0	-	DNP	1-8/0											
Keelan Smith	1-4/0	1-4/0	DNP	DNP											
DACCING															
#15 Dylan Raiola		Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked						
UTEP		19	27	0	70.4	238	2	59	1-6	168.9					
Colorado		23	30	0	76.7	185	1	36	0-0	139.5					
UNI		17	23	1	73.9	247	2	59	0-0	184.1					
Totals		59	80	1	73.8	670	5	59	1-6	162.2	2				
#10 Heinrich Haarbe	erg	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked						
UTEP		5	5	0	100.0	35	0	12	0-0	158.8					
UNI Totals		3 <b>8</b>	3 <b>8</b>	0 <b>0</b>	100.0 100.0	34 <b>69</b>	0 <b>0</b>	24 <b>24</b>	0-0 <b>0-0</b>	195.2 <b>172.</b> 5					
#19 Jalyn Gramstad		Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic.					
UTEP		1	3	0	33.3	11	0	11	0-0	64.1					
Totals		1	3	0	33.3	11	0	11	0-0	64.1					

#19 Jalyn Gramstad	Co	mp A	tt	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic.					
UTEP	1	3		0	33.3	11	0	11	0-0	64.1					
Totals	1	3		0	33.3	11	0	11	0-0	64.1					
PUNT RETURNS	No-Yds/TD	UTEP	COLO	UNI	ILL	PUR	RUT	IND	OSU	UCLA	USC	WIS	IOWA	B1G	BOWL
Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda	6-43	3-25	2-16	1-2											

KO RETURNS	No-Yds/TD	UTEP	COLO	UNI	ILL	PUR	RUT	IND	OSU	UCLA	USC	WIS	IOWA	B1G	BOWL
Jacory Barney Jr	5-110	3-75	2-35	-											



#### **DEFENSIVE STATISTICS** |----TACKLES---|-SACKS-| |---PASS DEF---| |---FUMBLES---| INT-YDS BRUP QBH KICK SAF GP SOLO AST TOTAL **NO-YARDS** RCV-YDS FF NAME TFL-YDS 2 Isaac Gifford 1.5-2 6 11 17 3-6 1-1 John Bullock 3 6 10 16 42 Mikai Gbayor 5 10 15 2.5-4 8 DeShon Singleton 8 6 14 1-7 Tommi Hill 6 12 3 Marques Buford Jr. 3 6 4 10 2 2-15 Malcolm Hartzog Jr. 3 7 3 10 1 56 Stefon Thompson 8 1 2-5 0.5-3 11 Cameron Lenhardt 3 2 6 8 2 9 Ty Robinson 4 2 6 3-17 2-14 0 Nash Hutmacher 4 2 2-12 1-11 6 10 Vincent Shavers Jr. 3 4 5 48 MJ Sherman 3 3 4 1-5 1-5 4 1 58 Mason Goldman 4 1-4 1-4 2 3 32 Rahmir Stewart 4 1-18 2 2 1-2 1-2 1 Jimari Butler 2 3 1-0 1 24 Derek Branch 2 1 2 3 0.5-1 25 Jeremiah Charles 1-4 0.5-3 2 18 Princewill Umanmielen 3 3 17 Willis McGahee IV 3 3 1-8 1-8 1 29 Mario Buford 3 97 Keona Davis 3 2 0.5-2 16 Elijah Jeudy 3 1 1 50 Noah Bustard 2 2 93 Kai Wallin 90 James Williams 2 2 3 1 14 Amare Sanders 15 Ceyair Wright 3 26 Koby Bretz 3 1 59 Grant Buda 39 Taveon Thompson 2 1 99 Dylan Parrott 47 Gage Stenger 3 1 1 54 Jacob Bower 3 1 1-5 22 Maverick Noonan 52 Dylan Rogers 3 81 Ismael Smith Flores 2 1-4 94 Aidan Flege 2 1 90 John Hohl 3 1 37 Donovan Jones 1

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SPECIAL TEAM TACKLES	UA-A	UTEP	COLO	UNI	ILL	PUR		RUT	RUT IND	RUT IND OSU	RUT IND OSU UCLA	RUT IND OS <del>U UCLA USC</del>	RUT IND OSU UCLA USC WISIOWA
Isaac Gifford	0-2	-	0-2	-									
Gage Stenger	1-0	1-0	-	_									
Vincent Shavers Jr.	3-0	1-0	-	2-0									
Taveon Thompson	1-0	1-0	-	-									
Aidan Flege	1-0	1-0	-	_									
DeShon Singleton	1-0	-	1-0	_									
John Hohl	1-0	-	1-0	_									
Mikai Gbayor	1-0	-	1-0	_									
Jeremiah Charles	0-1	-	0-1	_									
Ceyair Wright	1-0	-	1-0	-									

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Totals

Dylan Rogers

Koby Bretz

Opponents

92

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9-51

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# **INDIVIDUAL DEFENSE GAME BY GAME**

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PLAYER	UA-A	TOTAL	UTEP	COLO	UNI
Isaac Gifford	6-11	17	0-1	2-4	4-6
John Bullock	6-10	16	0-2	4-1	2-7
Mikai Gbayor	5-10	15	2-3	3-3	0-4
DeShon Singleton	8-6	14	1-1	5-1	2-4
Tommi Hill	6-6	12	0-1	4-2	2-3
Malcolm Hartzog Jr.	7-3	10	5-0	2-1	0-2
Marques Buford Jr.	6-4	10	1-2	3-0	2-2
Cameron Lenhardt	2-6	8	0-1	2-2	0-3
Stefon Thompson	1-7	8	1-1	-	0-6
Nash Hutmacher	4-2	6	1-2	3-0	-
Ty Robinson	4-2	6	2-0	2-0	0-2
Vincent Shavers Jr.	4-1	5	2-1	-	2-0
MJ Sherman	3-1	4	2-0	1-0	0-1
Mason Goldman	3-1	4	2-0	DNP	1-1
Rahmir Stewart	2-2	4	2-0	-	0-2
Willis McGahee IV	3-0	3	2-0	1-0	-
Jimari Butler	2-1	3	1-0	1-1	DNP
Mario Buford	2-1	3	-	-	2-1
Keona Davis	2-1	3	-	1-0	1-1
Princewill Umanmielen	1-2	3	1-1	0-1	-
Derek Branch	1-2	3	1-0	DNP	0-2
Jeremiah Charles	1-2	3	0-1	0-1	1-0
Amare Sanders	1-1	2	-	-	1-1
Elijah Jeudy	1-1	2	0-1	-	1-0
James Williams	1-1	2	-	-	1-1
Noah Bustard	0-2	2	0-2	DNP	DNP
Kai Wallin	0-2	2	-	-	0-2
Ceyair Wright	1-0	1	-	1-0	-
Maverick Noonan	1-0	1	1-0	DNP	_
Koby Bretz	1-0	1	-	-	1-0
Taveon Thompson	1-0	1	1-0	-	DNP
Gage Stenger	1-0	1	1-0	-	
Ismael Smith Flores	1-0	1	1-0	DNP	
John Hohl	1-0	1	-	1-0	
Aidan Flege	1-0	1	1-0	DNP	_
Dylan Parrott	1-0	1	-	-	1-0
Donovan Jones	0-1	1	0-1	DNP	DNP
Dylan Rogers	0-1	1	-	0-1	
Jacob Bower	0-1	1	-	-	0-1
Grant Buda	0-1	1	0-1	DNP	DNP



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							11.00	6.0									
INDIVIDUAL	DEF	ENS	E G	AME	E BY	G/	<b>AME</b>										
TACKLES FOR LOSS	UA-A	TOTAL	UTEP	COLO	UNI	ILL	PUR	RUT	IND	OSU	UCLA	USC WIS	IOWA	B1G I	POST	POST	POST
John Bullock	3-0	3.0	-	2.0-5	1.0-1												
Ty Robinson	3-0	3.0	2.0-8	1.0-9													
Mikai Gbayor	2-1	2.5	1.5-2	1.0-2	_												
Nash Hutmacher	2-0	2.0	1.0-1	1.0-11													
Cameron Lenhardt	1-2	2.0	0.5-1	1.5-4													
Isaac Gifford	1-1	1.5	-	-	1.5-2												
Jimari Butler	1-0	1.0	-	1.0-2	DNP												
Willis McGahee IV	1-0	1.0	-	1.0-8													
Maverick Noonan	1-0	1.0	1.0-5	DNP													
MJ Sherman	1-0	1.0	-	1.0-5													
Mason Goldman	1-0	1.0	1.0-4	DNP													
Ismael Smith Flores	1-0	1.0	1.0-4	DNP													
Princewill Umanmielen	0-2	1.0	0.5-1	0.5-3													
Elijah Jeudy	0-1	0.5	0.5-2	-													
Derek Branch	0-1	0.5	-	DNP	0.5-1												

SACKS	UA-A	TOTAL	UTEP	COLO	UNI	ILL	PUR	RUT	IND	OSU	UCLA	USC	WIS	IOWA	B1G	POST	POST	POST
Ty Robinson	2-0	2	1-5	1-9														
Nash Hutmacher	1-0	1	-	1-11														
Jimari Butler	1-0	1	-	1-2	DNP													
John Bullock	1-0	1	-	-	1-1													
Willis McGahee IV	1-0	1	-	1-8	-													
MJ Sherman	1-0	1	-	1-5	_													
Mason Goldman	1-0	1	1-4	DNP	_													
Cameron Lenhardt	0-1	0.5	-	0.5-3	_													
Princewill Umanmielen	0-1	0.5	-	0.5-3	_													

INT RETURNS	NO-YDS	UTEP	COLO	UNI	ILL	PUR	RUT	IND	OSU	UCLA	USC	WIS	IOWA	B1G	POST POST	POST
Malcolm Hartzog	Jr. 2-15	1-0	-	1-15												
Rahmir Stewart	1-18	1-18	-	-												
Tommi Hill	1-7	-	1-7	_												

FORCED FUMBLES	NO	UTEP	COLO	UNI	ILL	PUR	RUT	IND	OSU	UCLA	USC WIS	IOWA	B1G POST	POST	POST	POST
Willis McGahee IV	1	-	1	-												

<b>FUMBLE RETURNS</b>	NO-YDS	UTEP	COLO	UNI	ILL	PUR	RUT	IND	OSU UCI	A USC	WIS IOWA	B1G	POST POST	POST
Jimari Butler	1-0	-	1-0	-										



TEAN	/ GAME	BY G	iAi	VII	E																	
DATE	OPPONENT	R NO.	USHIN YDS			F NO.	ECEIVI YDS	ING TD	 LG	PA: CMP-ATT-IN		TD			KICK YDS				PUNT YDS			TOTAL OFF.
8/31/2024	UTEP	47	223	3	42	25	284	2	59	25-36-0	284	2	59	3	75	0	35	3	25	0	13	507
9/7/2024	Colorado	35	149	2	21	23	185	1	36	23-30-0	185	1	36	2	35	0	19	2	16	0	12	334
9/14/2024	UNI	22	142	2	38	20	281	2	59	20-26-1	281	2	59	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	423
	Nebraska	104	514	7	42	68	750	5	59	68-92-1	750	5	59	5	110	0	35	6	43	0	13	1264
	Opponents	85	211	Ω	17	55	555	2	38	55-98-4	555	2	38	9	183	Ω	61	4	43	Ω	29	766

			TA	CKLES	;	-SACKS-	FU	JMBLE				BLKD	KICKS	XPTS		PTS	OFF
DATE	OPPONENT	SOL	AST	TOT	TFL-YDS	NO-YDS	FF	FR-YDS	INT-YDS	QBH	PBU	KICK	ATT-MAD	RUN	RĊV	SAF	TO
8/31/2024	UTEP	31	22	53	9.0-28	2-9	0	0-0	2-18	0	2	0	5-5	0	0	1	7
9/7/2024	Colorado	37	16	53	10.0-49	6-41	1	1-0	1-7	10	4	1	4-4	0	0	0	7
9/14/2024	UNI	24	52	76	3.0-4	1-1	0	0-0	1-15	6	6	0	4-4	0	0	0	3
	Nebraska	91	92	183	22.0-81	9-51	1	1-0	4-40	16	12	1	13-13	0	0	1	17
	Opponents	126	74	200	12.0-30	1-6	1	1-0	1-0	7	6	1	2-2	0	0	0	0

				F	PUNTI	NG					FIELD	GOAL	.S		K	ICKOFFS-		
DATE	OPPONENT	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	BLK	ТВ	FC	50+	120	ATT-MADE	LG	BLKD	NO	YDS	AVG	TB	ОВ
8/31/2024	UTEP	2	97	48.5	53	0	0	1	1	1	1-1	20	0	7	424	60.6	2	1
9/7/2024	Colorado	7	295	42.1	60	1	1	1	2	3	0-1	0	0	5	286	57.2	1	0
9/14/2024	UNI	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2-2	31	0	7	430	61.4	3	0
	Nebraska	9	392	43.6	60	1	1	2	3	4	3-4	31	0	19	1140	60.0	6	1
	Opponents	15	589	39.3	54	0	0	4	1	4	2-4	31	1	9	480	53.3	3	0



#### **OPPONENT GAME BY GAME** |----RUSHING-----| NO. YDS TD LG |-----RECEIVING-----| NO. YDS TD LG |-----PASSING-----| CMP-ATT-INT YDS TD LG |----KICK RET-----| NO YDS TD LG |----PUNT RET----| TOTAL NO YDS TD LG OFF OPPONENT DATE OFF. 8/31/2024 9/7/2024 UTEP 22 17 16-26-2 23-40-1 14 260 Colorado 9/14/2024 UNI 139 0 11 16-32-1 36 0 26 Opponents 85 211 0 55-98-4 183 0 61 Nebraska 104 514 7 42 68-92-1 110 0 35

			TA	CKLES	5	-SACKS-	Fl	JMBLE				BLKD	KICKS	XPTS		PTS	OFF
DATE	OPPONENT	SOL	AST	TOT	TFL-YDS	NO-YDS	FF	FR-YDS	INT-YDS	QBH	PBU	KICK	ATT-MAD	RUN	RCV	SAF	TO
8/31/2024	UTEP	52	42	94	3.0-8	1-6	1	1-0	0-0	2	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	0
9/7/2024	Colorado	45	18	63	7.0-18	0-0	0	0-0	0-0	4	2	1	1-1	0	0	0	0
9/14/2024	UNI	29	14	43	2.0-4	0-0	0	0-0	1-0	1	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	0
	Opponents	126	74	200	12.0-30	1-6	1	1-0	1-0	7	6	1	2-2	0	0	0	0
	Nebraska	91	92	183	22.0-81	9-51	1	1-0	4-40	16	12	1	13-13	0	0	1	17

				F	PUNTI	NG					FIELD (	SOAL	.S		K	ICKOFFS-		
DATE	OPPONENT	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	BLK	ТВ	FC	50+	120	ATT-MADE	LG	BLKD	NO	YDS	AVG	ТВ	ОВ
8/31/2024	UTEP	2	97	48.5	53	0	0	1	1	1	1-1	20	0	7	424	60.6	2	1
9/7/2024	Colorado	5	220	44.0	54	0	0	1	1	2	1-3	27	1	3	169	56.3	0	0
9/14/2024	UNI	4	134	33.5	36	0	0	1	0	1	1-1	31	0	2	130	65.0	2	0
	Opponents	15	589	39.3	54	0	0	4	1	4	2-4	31	1	9	480	53.3	3	0
	Nebraska	9	392	43.6	60	1	1	2	3	4	3-4	31	0	19	1140	60.0	6	1



TEAM C	TEAM COMPARISON										
OPPONENT	SCORE	1ST DNS (RUN/PASS/PEN.)	RUSHING	PASSING	PASS YDS	TOTAL OFFENSE	RET YDS	T/O			
UTEP	40-7	30/12 (11/5; 14/7; 5/0)	47-223/24-56	25-36-0 /16-26-2	284/149	83-507/50-205	118/77	1/2			
Colorado	28-10	22/15 (10/3; 7/11; 5/1)	35-149/22-16	23-30-0/23-40-1	185/244	65-334/62-260	58/113	0/2			
UNI	34-3	22 /18 (7/6; 13/9; 2/3)	22-142/39-139	20-26-1/16-32-1	281/162	48-423/71-301	17/36	1/1			
Totals	102-20	74/45 (28/14; 34/27; 12/4)	104-514/85-211	68-92-1/55-98-4	750/555	196-1264/183-766	193/226	2/5			

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format NEBRASKA/OPPONENT for each category

OPPONENT	3RD DOWN	4TH DOWN	TIME POSS	MARGIN	YDS/RUSH	YDS/PASS	YDS/PLAY	PUNTING	PENALTIES	SACKS
UTEP	11-17 / 3-10	0-2 / 0-0	38:32 / 21:28	17:04	4.7 / 2.3	7.9 / 5.7	6.1 / 4.1	2-48.5 / 6-39.2	3-35.0 / 9-76.0	2/1
Colorado	3-12 / 4-14	0-0 / 1-3	35:21 / 24:39	10:42	4.3 / 0.7	6.2 / 6.1	5.1 / 4.2	7-42.1 / 5-44.0	12-105.0 / 9-104.0	6/0
UNI	4-7 / 6-16	0-1 / 2-4	21:53 / 38:07	-16:14	6.5 / 3.6	10.8 / 5.1	8.8 / 4.2	0-0.0 / 4-33.5	4-44.0 / 9-95.0	1/0
Totals	18-36 / 13-40	0-3 / 3-7	95:46 / 84:14	11:32	4.9 / 2.5	8.2 / 5.7	6.4 / 4.2	9-43.6 / 15-39.3	19-184.0 / 27-275.0	9 / 1

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format NEBRASKA/OPPONENT for each category

### **NEBRASKA RED ZONE CHART**

### **NEBRASKA INSIDE OPPONENT RED-ZONE**

			TIMES	TIMES		TOTAL	. RUSH	PASS	FG	S	FAILE	ED TC	) SCORE	INSIDE	RZ
DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	IN RZ	SCORED	PTS	TDS	TDS	TDS	MADE	MISS	DOWNS	INT	FUMB	HALF	GAME
8/31/2024	UTEP	W, 40-7	5	4	24	3	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
9/7/2024	Colorado	W, 28-10	5	3	21	3	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
9/14/2024	UNI	W, 34-3	4	4	20	2	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
	Totals 11 of 14	4 (78.6%)	14	11	65	8	6	2	3	4	0	0	1	0	1

### **OPPONENT INSIDE NEBRASKA RED-ZONE**

			TIMES	TIMES		TOTAL	. RUSH	PASS	FG	S	FAILE	ED TO	) SCORE	INSIDE	RZ
DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	IN RZ	SCORED	PTS	TDS	TDS	TDS	MADE	MISS	DOWNS	INT	FUMB	HALF	GAME
8/31/2024	UTEP	W, 40-7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9/7/2024	Colorado	W, 28-10	3	2	10	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
9/14/2024	UNI	W, 34-3	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
	Totals 3 of 5 (6	0.0%)	5	3	13	1	0	1	2	3	1	0	0	0	0



# **NEBRASKA & OPPONENT LONG PLAYS & DRIVE INFORMATION**

LONG SEASON	LONG SEASON PLAYS (20 OR MORE YARDS)									
	[	NEBRA	ASKA-	]	[OPPONENT					
	RUSH	PASS	RET	TOT	RUSH	PASS	RET	TOT		
UTEP	1	2	2	5	0	2	1	3		
Colorado	1	2	0	3	0	4	2	6		
Northern Iowa	2	3	0	5	0	1	1	2		
TOTALS	4	7	2	13	0	7	4	11		

OPPO	OPPONENT LONG PLATS (TT: 0 KUNS; / PASSES; 4 KETUKNS)								
YDS	OPPONENT	PLAY	RESULT						
61	Colorado	KOR (Horn Jr.)	1st-10						
38	UTEP	Pass (Locklear-Thomas)	Touchdown_						
32	UNI	KOR (Pettinger)	1st-10						
30	Colorado	Pass (Sanders-Sheppard)	1st-goal						
29	UTEP	PR (Thomas)	1st-10						
28	Colorado	Pass (Sanders-Hunter)	1st-10						
21	UTEP	Pass (Locklear-Smith)	1st-10						
21	Colorado	Pass (Sanders-Hayden)	1st-10						
21	Colorado	Pass (Sanders-Hunter)	1st-10						
21	UNI	Pass (Schecklman-Morancy)	1st-10						
20	Colorado	KOR (Horn Jr.)	1st-10						

### LONG DRIVE SUPERLATIVES

	NEBRASKA	OPPONENT
Most Yards (Result)	86 vs. Colorado (TD)	63 vs. UTEP (TD); vs. Colo. (Miss FG)
Most Plays (Result)	17 vs. UTEP (FG)	16 vs. UNI (FG)
Most Time (Result)	9:26 vs. UTEP (FG)	10:08 vs. UNI (FG)

NEBRA	NEBRASKA LONG PLAYS (13; 4 RUNS; 7 PASSES; 2 RETURNS)									
YDS	OPPONENT	PLAY	RESULT							
59	UTEP	Pass (Raiola-Neyor)	Touchdown							
59	UNI	Pass (Raiola-Lloyd)	1st-10							
42	UTEP	Rush (E. Johnson)	1st-Goal							
38	UNI	Rush (Dowdell)	1st-10							
36	UNI	Rush (E. Johnson)	Touchdown							
36	Colorado	Pass (Raiola-Lloyd)	1st-Goal							
35	UTEP	KOR (Barney)	1st-10							
25	Colorado	Pass (Raiola-Boerkircher)	1st-10							
24	UNI	Pass (Raiola-Nelson)	Touchdown							
24	UNI	Pass (Haarberg-E. Johnson)	1st-10							
21	UTEP	Pass (Raiola-Banks)	Touchdown							
21	UTEP	KOR (Barney)	1st-10							
21	Colorado	Rush (Barney)	1st-10							

GAME-OPENING DRIVES									
[	-NEBRASKA	]	[	OPPONENT:	]				
PTS.	1ST DWN	YDS	PTS.	1ST DWN	YDS				
7	5	72	0	0	9				
7	4	49	0	0	-9				
7	5	75	3	4	62				
	[		[NEBRASKA] PTS. 1ST DWN YDS 7 5 72	[NEBRASKA] [ PTS. 1ST DWN YDS PTS. 7 5 72 0	[OPPONENT: PTS. 1ST DWN YDS PTS. 1ST DWN 7 5 72 0 0				

SECOND-HALF OPENING DRIVES										
	[	-NEBRASKA	]	[	OPPONENT:	]				
OPPONENT	PTS.	1ST DWN	YDS	PTS.	1ST DWN	YDS				
UTEP	7	6	73	0	2	16				
Colorado	0	0	6	3	2	49				
UNI	3	3	68	0	3	46				



# NEBRASKA & OPPONENT SCORING DRIVES, MISCELLANEOUS STATS

SCORING DRIVES										
	SCORING	[TIN	/IE]	[PL	AYS]					
GAME	DRIVES	TOT	AVG.	TOT	AVG.	5 OR LESS	1 OR 0			
UTEP	6	26:30	4:25	59	9.8	1	0			
Colorado	4	3:22	0:50	19	4.75	2	1			
Northern Iowa	6	20:08	3:21	42	7.00	1	0			
TOTAL	16	55:31	3:28	120	7.5	4	1			
OPPONENTS	4	12.21	3.22	33	83	1	0			

NEBRASKA POINTS OFF TURNOVERS									
GAME	TOs GAINED	TD	FG-FGA	PTS.	(NU FUM./LOST, INT)				
UTEP	2 (0/0 F/L, 2 INT)	1	0-0	7	1 (1/1 F/L, 0 INT)				
Colorado	2 (2/1 F/L, 1 INT)	1	0-0	7	0 (0/0 F/L, 0 INT)				
Northern Iowa	1 (2/0 F/L, 1 INT)	0	1-1	3	1 (0/0 F/L. 1 INT)				
TOTAL	5 (4/1 F/L, 4 INT)	2	1-1	17	2 (1/1 F/L, 1 INT)				
OPPONENTS	2 (1/1 F/L, 1 INT)	0	0-0	0	5 (4/1 F/L, 4 INT)				

PENALTY NUMBERS	NU PENYDS.	OPP. PENYDS
UTEP	3-35	9-76
Colorado	12-105	9-104
Northern Iowa	4-44	9-95
TOTALS (AVG/PENALTY)	19-184 (9.7)	27-275 (10.2)
AVG/GAME	6.3-61.3	9.0-91.7

STARTING FI	ELD POSITION*		
GAME	NU AVG. START	OPP. AVG. START	NU DIFF.
	(yards/drives/in 20/past 50)	(yards/drives/in 20/past 50)	
UTEP	35.4 (389/11/1/3)	24.5 (270/11/3/0)	10.9
Colorado	33.8 (406/12/3/3)	26.2 (340/13/2/1)	7.6
Northern Iowa	24.4 (220/9/3/1)	24.8 (223/9/1/0)	-0.4
TOTAL	31.7 (1015/32/7/7)	25.2 (833/33/6/1)	6.5

<sup>\*</sup>does not include drives with time of 0:00 (i.e. defensive and special teams touchdowns, end of half turnovers, overtime, etc.)

NEBRASKA SCORING DRIVES						
	[DRI	VE]				
OPPONENT	PLAYS	YDS	TIME	SCORE	QTR./TIME	PLAY
UTEP	12	72	5:54	7-0	1st/9:00	Dowdell 5-yd rush
UTEP	0	0	0:00	9-7	2nd/10:29	Robinson safety
UTEP	2	59	0:18	16-7	2nd/10:04	Neyer 59-yd pass from Raiola
UTEP	8	63	3:45	23-7	2nd/5:34	Ervin 2-yd rush
UTEP	9	59	2.03	30-7	2nd/0:02	Banks 21-yd pass from Raiola
UTEP	11	73	5:04	37-7	3rd/5:04	Ervin 1-yd rush
UTEP	17	87	9:22	40-7	4th/9:22	Alvano 20-yd FG
Colorado	7	49	3:22	7-0	1st/10:34	Dowdwll 12-yd rush
Colorado	0	0	0:00	14-0	1st/5:46	Hill 7-yd interception return
Colorado	9	86	4:46	21-0	2nd/6:44	Dowdell 1-yd rush
Colorado	3	70	0:45	28-0	2nd/0:40	Johnson 18-yd pass from Raiola
UNI	8	75	3:20	7-0	1st/11:40	Nelson 24-yd pass from Raiola
UNI	7	75	3:08	14-3	2nd/13:04	Neyor 18-yd pass from Raiola
UNI	4	80	2:05	21-3	2nd/6:51	Barney 10-yd rush
UNI	9	68	3:31	24-3	3rd/6:17	Alvano 32-yd FG
UNI	6	33	3:11	27-3	3rd/0:43	Alvano 21-yd FG
UNI	8	80	4:33	34-3	4th/4:31	E. Johnson 36-yd rush

OPPONENT SCORING DRIVES						
	[DRI	VE]				
OPPONENT	PLAYS	YDS	TIME	SCORE	QTR./TIME	PLAY
UTEP	3	63	0:42	7-7	1st/2:24	Thomas 38-yd pass from Locklear
Colorado	8	49	2:46	3-28	3rd/10:38	Mata 27-yd FG
Colorado	6	58	2:04	10-28	4th/8:45	Wester 5-yd pass from Sanders
UNI	16	62	10:08	3-7	1st/1:32	Palmer 31-yd FG



### **INDIVIDUAL CAREER/SEASON SUPERLATIVES**

SEASON AND CAR	EER, MOST PASSING Y	ARDS	SEASON AND CAR	EER, LONGEST PASS
PLAYER	2024	CAREER	2024	CAREER
Heinrich Haarberg	35 vs. UTEP	199 vs. Michigan, 2023	24 vs. UTEP (E. Johnson)	72* vs. Purdue, '23 (Lloyd)
Jaylin Gramstad	11 vs. UTEP	397-% at Mount Mary '23	11 vs. UTEP (Mangini)	69 vs. Keiser, '22
Dylan Raiola	247 vs. UTEP	Same	59*, 59 vs. UTEP (Neyor), UNI (L	loyd) Same
*-Indicates touchdown pass; 9	6-at Northwestern (Iowa)			·

SEASON AND CAREER	, MOST RECEIVING YA	RDS	SEASON AND CARE	EER, LONGEST CATCH
PLAYER	2024	CAREER	2024	CAREER
Jahmal Banks	61 vs. UTEP	141-@, vs Clemson	21* vs. UTEP (Raiola)	48-@, vs. Missouri, '22
Jacory Barney Jr.	29 vs. Colorado; UTEP	Same	14 vs. UNI (Raiola)	Same
Alex Bullock	12 vs. UTEP	56 at Minnesota, '23	12 vs. UTEP (Haarberg)	34 * at Minnesota (Sims)
Nate Boerkircher	25 vs Colorado	33 at Colorado, '23	25 vs Colorado (Raiola)	Same
Janiran Bonner	26 vs. UTEP	Same	14 vs. UTEP (Raiola)	Same
Malachi Coleman		44 vs. Northwestern, '23		44* vs. Northwestern (Haarberg)
Jaidyn Doss		16 vs. Purdue, '23		16 vs. Purdue (Haarberg)
Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda		120 at Northwestern, '22		75-& at New Mexico, 21
Gabe Ervin Jr.		20 vs. Northern Illinois, '23		12 vs. Northern Illinois (Haarberg)
Thomas Fidone III	13 vs. UNI	43 at Michigan State, '23	7 vs. UNI (Raiola)	29 * vs. La Tech (Haarberg)
Heinrich Haarberg	8 vs. UNI	10 at Minnesota, '23	8 vs. UNI (Raiola)	Same
Rahmir Johnson	49 vs. Colorado	105 Michigan, '21	18 vs. Colorado (Raiola)	43 Michigan, '21 (Martinez)
Emmett Johnson	43 vs. UNI	Same	24 vs vs. UNI (Haarberg)	Same
Luke Lindenmeyer	12 vs. UTEP	Same	12 vs. UTEP (Haarberg)	Same
Jaylen Lloyd	59 vs. UNI	73 vs. Purdue, '23	59 vs. UNI (Raiola)	73* vs. Purdue (Haarberg)
Roman Mangini	11 vs. UTEP	Same	11 vs. UTEP (Gramstad)	Same
Maurice Mazzccua	<u> </u>	13-! vs. Bloomsburg, '21		18-! vs. Bloomsburg, '21
Carter Nelson	48 vs. UNI	Same	24* vs. UNI (Raiola)	Same
Isaiah Neyor	121 vs. UTEP	126-^ vs. Boise State '21	59* vs. UTEP (Raiola)	74-^ vs. Boise State '21
Keelan Smith	4 vs. UTEP	Same	4 vs. UTEP (Haarberg)	Same
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<sup>\*-</sup>Indicates touchdown scored &-at New Mexico State; @-Wake Forest; ^-Wyoming; #-Oregon; !-at Mercyhurst

SEASON AND CARE	ER, MOST RUSHING YA	RDS	SEASON AND C	AREER, LONGEST RUN
PLAYER	2024	CAREER	2024	CAREER
Jahmal Banks		7-@ Pittburgh, '23		7-@ Pittburgh, '23
Jacory Barney Jr.	28 vs. Colorado	Same	21 vs. Colorado	Same
Janiran Bonner		5 vs. Michigan, '23		3 vs. Michigan, '23
Dante Dowdell	74 vs. Colorado	Same	38 vs. UNI	Same
Gabe Ervin Jr.	24 vs. UTEP	74 at Colorado, '23	11 vs. UTEP	27 at Minnesota, '23
Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda		6 vs. Kentucky, '21		6 & vs. Kentucky, '21
Jayln Gramstad	2 vs. UTEP	184 at Concordia, '22	2 vs. UTEP	71 at Concordia, '22
Heinrich Haarberg	8 vs. UTEP	157 vs. Louisiana Tech, '23	8 vs. UTEP	72 * vs. Louisiana Tech, '23
Tommi Hill		-5 vs. Northern Illinois, '23		-5 vs. Northern Illinois, '23
Kwinten Ives	4 vs. UTEP		5 vs. UTEP	Same
Emmett Johnson	71 vs. UTEP	84 vs. Maryland, '23	42 vs. UTEP	Same
Rahmir Johnson	50 vs. UTEP	83 at Minnesota, '21	13 vs. UTEP	44 at Colorado, '23
Daniel Kaelin				
Luke Lindenmeyer		-2 at Colorado, '23		-1 at Colorado, '23
Maurice Mazzccua	8 vs. UTEP	58-! at Mercyhurst, '21	5 vs. UTEP	51-! at Mercyhurst, '21
Jaylen Lloyd		9 at Minnesota, '23		9 at Minnesota, '23
Carter Nelson				
Mekhi Nelson	2 vs. UTEP	Same	2 vs. UTEP	Same
Isaiah Neyor		58-^ vs. New Mexico, '20		58-^ vs. New Mexico, '20
Dylan Raiola	13 vs. UNI	Same	15 vs. UNI	Same
Kenneth Williams	5 vs. UTEP		5 vs. UTEP	

<sup>\*-</sup>Indicates touchdown scored

 $<sup>\</sup>hbox{\it\&-New Mexico State; @-Wake Forest; $$^-$ Wyoming; $$\#-Oregon ; $$\%-at Northwestern (lowa); $$!-at Mercyhurst $$$$$ 



# **INDIVIDUAL CAREER/SEASON SUPERLATIVES**

SEASON AND	CAREER, MOST	TACKLES, TFLS AND S	ACKS			
PLAYER	TACKLES (2024)	CAREER	TFL (2024)	CAREER	SACKS (2024)	CAREER
Dwight Bootle		2 vs. No. Illinois, '23		none		none
Jacob Bower	1 vs. UNI	Same		none		none
Derek Branch	2 vs. UNI	Same	0.5 vs. UNI	none		none
Kody Bretz	1 vs. UNI	2 vs. Michigan, '23		none		none
Grant Buda	1 vs. UTEP	Same		none		none
Mario Buford	3 vs. UNI	Same		none		none
Marques Buford Jr.	4 vs. UNI	10 at Wisconsin, '23		1.5 at Wisconsin, '23		1.0 vs. Maryland, '23
John Bullock	9 vs. UNI	Same	2.0 vs. Colorado	Same	1.0 vs. UNI	1.0 at Illinois, '23; vs. UN
Noah Bustard	2 vs. UTEP	Same		none		none
Jimari Butler	2 vs. Colorado	6 vs. Northwestern, '23	1.0 vs. Colorado	1.5 3x last vs. Maryland, '23		1.0 5x last vs. Wis, '23
Jeremiah Charles	1 3x, last vs. UNI	Same		none		none
Keona Davis	2 vs. UNI	Same		none		none
Mikai Gbayor	6 vs. Colorado	6 at Colo., '23; vs. Colo. '24	1.5 vs. UTEP	Same		0.5 at Mich St., '23
Vincent Genatone		1-^ vs. Butler, '23		none		none
Isaac Gifford	10 vs. UNI	11 vs. Ga. So., '22; vs Iowa, 23	1.5 vs. UNI	2.0 vs. Indiana, '22; Purdue '23		1.0 vs. Illinois, '22
Mason Goldman	2 vs. UTEP; vs. UNI	Same	1.0 vs. UTEP	Same	1.0 vs. UTEP	Same
Malcolm Hartzog	5 vs. UTEP	6 at Colorado, '23		1.0 vs. Wis., '22; at Minn., '23		none
Blye Hill		4 vs. Duguesne, '23		1.0 vs. Merrimack, '23		none
Tommi Hill	6 vs. Colorado	8 vs. Ga. Southern, '22		none		0.5 vs. Maryland, '23
Nash Hutmacher	3 vs. UTEP; vs. Colorado	7 vs. Northwestern, '23	1.0 vs. UTEP, vs. Colorado	2.5 vs. No. Illinois '23; NW '23	1 vs. Colorado	2.5 vs. Northwestern, '23
Elijah Jeudy	1 vs. UTEP; vs. UNI	2 vs. La Tech; NW, '23	0.5 vs. UTEP	1.0 vs. Northwestern, '23		none
Donovan Jones	1 vs. UTEP	Same		none		none
Sua Lefotu		2 vs. Michigan, '23		none		none
Cameron Lenhardt	3 vs. Colorado; vs. UNI	4 at Michigan State, '23	1.5 vs. Colorado	2.0 at Colorado, '23	0.5 vs. Colorado	2.0 at Colorado, '23
Vincent Jackson	,	none		none		none
Willis McGahee IV	3 vs. UTEP	none	1.0 vs. Colorado	Same	1.0 vs. Colorado	Same
Maverick Noonan	1 vs. UTEP	none	1.0 vs. UTEP	Same		none
Dylan Parrott	1 vs. UNI	Same		none		none
Ty Robinson	2 3x, last vs. UNI	7 vs. Maryland, '23	2.0 vs. UTEP	Same	1.0 vs. UTEP; vs. Colorado	1 6x, last vs. Colo, '24
Dylan Rogers	1 vs. Colorado	Same		none	,	none
A.J. Rollins		4 vs. No. Illinois, '23		none		none
Amare Sanders	2 vs. UNI	none		none		none
Ismael Smith Flores	1 vs. UTEP	Same		none		none
Rahmir Stewart	2 vs. UTEP; vs. UNI	Same		none		none
MJ Sherman	2 vs. UTEP	3 at Minn., '23; at Illinois, '23	1.0 vs. Colorado	1.0 vs. No. III., '23; vs. Colo.	1.0 vs. Colorado	1.0 vs. NIU, '23; vs. Colo.
Vincent Shavers	3 vs. UTEP	Same		none		none
DeShon Singleton	6.vs. Colorado; vs. UNI	7 at Minn., '23; La Tech, '23		1.5 vs. Louisiana Tech, '23		none
Gage Stenger	1 vs. UTEP	Same		none		none
Stefon Thompson	6 vs. UNI	10-@ vs. Pittsburgh, '21		4.0-@ at Louisville, '20		2.0-@ vs. Albany, '21
Traveon Thompson	1 vs. UTEP	Same		none		none
Princewell Umanmeilen	2 vs. UTEP	7 vs. Northwestern, '23	0.5 vs. Colorado	2.0 vs. Northwestern, '23	0.5 vs. Colorado	1.0 NW, '23
Riley Van Poppel	-	1 4x, last vs, Maryland, '23		0.5 at Colorado, '23		0.5 at Colorado, '23
Kai Wallen	2 vs. UNI	Same		none		none
James Williams	2 vs. UNI	2 at MSU, '23; vs. UNI		1.0 vs. NW, '23; at MSU, '23		1.0 vs. NW; MSU, '23
Ceyair Wright	1 vs. Colorado	5-\$ vs. UCLA, '22		1.0-\$ vs. San Jose State, '23		None

 $<sup>\</sup>mbox{\ensuremath{\%-}Arizona State; \#-Georgia @-Syracuse; $-USC; $-Montana}$ 



#### **NEBRASKA STATISTICAL HIGHS AND LOWS** NEBRASKA TOTALS HIGHS LOWS 40 vs. UTEP 28 vs. Colo. Points Scored First Downs 30 vs. UTEP 22 vs. Colo.; vs. UNI 47 vs. UTEP 22 vs. UNI Rushing Attempts Rushing Yards 223 vs. UTEP 142 vs. UNI 36 vs. UTEP 26 vs. UNI Passes Attempted 25 vs. UTEP 20 vs. UNI Passes Completed Had Intercepted 1 vs. UNI 0 vs. UTEP; vs. Colo. 284 vs. UTEP Passing Yards 185 vs. Colo. Total Plays 83 vs. UTEP 48 vs. UNI. 507 vs. UTEP 334 vs. Colo. Total Yards 38:32 vs. UTEP Possession Time 21:53 vs. UNI Fumbles 1 vs. UTEP 0 vs. Colo.; vs. UNI 1 vs. UTEP 0 vs. Colo.; vs. UNI Fumbles Lost 1 vs. UTEP; vs. UNI 0 vs. Colo. Turnovers 0 vs. UNI Turnover Margin +2 vs. Colo. Penalties 12 vs. Colo. 3 vs. UTEP 104 vs. Colo. 35 vs. UTEP Yards Penalized Sacks By-Yards Lost 6-41 vs. Colo. 1-1 vs. UNI Team Tackles for Loss-Yards 10-49 vs. Colo. 3.0-4 vs. UNI

NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL OFFENSIVE HIGHS	
Most Rushing Attempts	17; Donte Dowdell vs. Colo.
Most Net Rushing Yards	74; Donte Dowdell vs. Colo.
Most Rushing TDs	2; Gabe Ervin Jr. vs. UTEP; Donte Dowdell vs. Colo.
Longest TD Run	36; Emmett Johnson vs. UNI
Longest Run, No TD	42; Emmett Johnson vs. UTEP
Most Pass Attempts	30; Dylan Raiola vs. Colo.
Most Completed Passes	23; Dylan Raiola vs. Colo.
Most Passing Yards	247; Dylan Raiola vs. UNI
Most Passing TDs	2; Dylan Raiola vs. UTEP
Longest TD Pass	59; Dylan Raiola to Isaiah Neyor vs. UTEP
Longest Pass, No TD	59; Dylan Raiola to Jaylen Lloyd vs. UNI
Most Pass Receptions	8; Rahmir Johson vs. Colo.
Most Receiving Yards	121; Isaiah Neyor vs. UTEP
Most TD Receptions	1; Isaiah Neyor and Jahmal Banks vs. UTEP; Rahmir Johnson vs. Colo.; Isaiah Neyor vs. UNI
Most Total Offense Attempts	33; Dylan Raiola vs. Colo. (30 rush, 2 pass)
Most Total Offense Yards	260; Dylan Raiola vs. UNI (13 rush, 247 passing)
Most All-Purpose Attempts	17; Donte Dowdell vs. Colo.
Most All-Purpose Yards	121; Isaiah Neyor vs. UTEP
Most Touchdowns Scored	2; Gabe Ervin Jr. vs. UTEP; Donte Dowdell vs. Colo.

NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL SPECIAL TEAMS HIGHS	
Most Field Goals Attempted	2; Tristan Alvano vs. UNI
Most Field Goals Made	2; Tristan Alvano vs. UNI
Longest Field Goal Made	31; Tristan Alvano vs. UNI
Longest Field Goal Attempted	32; Tristan Alvano vs. Colo.
Longest Punt Return, TD	None
Longest Punt Return, No TD	13; Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda vs. UTEP
Most Punt Return Yardage	25; Isaiah Garcia-Castaneda vs. UTEP
Longest Kickoff Return, TD	None
Longest Kickoff Return, No TD	35; Jacory Barney Jr. vs. UTEP
Most Kickoff Return Yardage	75; Jacory Barney Jr. vs. UTEP
Longest Blocked Punt, TD	None
Longest Blocked Field Goal Return	None
Most Punts	5; Brian Buschini vs. Colo. (50.8 avg)
Highest Punting Average	50.8; Brian Buschini vs. Colo. (5 punts)
Longest Punt	60; Brian Buschini vs. Colo.
Most Blocked Field Goals	1; Ty Robinson vs. Colo.
Most Blocked Punts	None
Most Blocked PAT	None

NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL DEFENSIVE HIGHS	
Most Total Tackles	10; Isaac Gifford. vs. UNI
Most Solo Tackles	5; Malcolm Hartzog Jr. vs. UTEP; DeShon Singleton vs. Colo.
Most Tackles for Loss	2.0; Ty Robinson vs. UTEP; John Bullock vs. Colo.
Most Yards Lost	11; Nash Hutmacher vs. Colo. (1.0 TFL)
Most Quarterback Sacks	1.0.; Eight players
Most Yards Lost	11; Nash Hutmacher vs. Colo. (1.0 sack)
Most Pass Breakups	1; Eight Times
Most Interceptions	1; Malcolm Hartzog Jr. and Rahmir Stewart vs. UTEP; Tommi Hill vs. Colo.; M. Hartzog vs. UNI
Longest Interception TD Return	7; Tommi Hill vs. Colo.
Longest Interception Return, No TD	18; Rahmir Stewart vs. UTEP
Longest Fumble TD Return	None
Longest Fumble Return, No TD	None



#### **OPPONENT STATISTICAL HIGHS AND LOWS** OPPONENT TOTALS HIGHS LOWS Points Scored 15 vs. Colo. 3 vs. UNI 18 vs. UNI First Downs 12 vs. UTEP Rushing Attempts 39 vs. UNI 22 vs. Colo. Rushing Yards 139 vs. UNI 16 vs. Colo. 26 vs. UTEP Passes Attempted 40 vs. Colo. Passes Completed 23 vs. Colo. 16 vs. UTEP Had Intercepted 2 vs. UTEP 1 vs. Colo.; vs. UNI 149 vs. UTEP Passing Yards 244 vs. Colo. Total Plays 71 vs. UNI 50 vs. UTEP Total Yards 301 vs. UNI 205 vs. UTEP Possession Time 38:07 vs. UNI 21:28 vs. UTEP 0 vs. UTEP Fumbles 2 vs. Colo.; vs. UNI 0 vs. UTEP; vs. UNI Fumbles Lost 1 vs. Colo. 2 vs. UTEP; vs. Colo. 2 vs. UTEP; vs. Colo. Turnovers 0 vs. UNI -2 vs. Colo. Turnover Margin Penalties 9 vs. UTEP; vs. Colo.; vs. UNI 9 vs. UTEP; vs. Colo. 104 vs. Colo. Yards Penalized 76 vs. UTEP Sacks By-Yards Lost 1-6 vs. UTEP 0-0 vs. Colo.; vs. UNI

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL HIGH	S
Most Yards Rushing	49; Aidan Dunne (UNI)
Most Rushing Attempts	11; Aidan Dunne and Amauri Pesek-Hickson (UNI)
Most Yards Passing	244; Shadeur Sanders (Colo.)
Most Passing Attempts	38; Shadeur Sanders (Colo.)
Most Pass Completions	23; Shadeur Sanders (Colo.)
Most Pass Receptions	10; Travis Hunter (Colo.)
Most Yards Receiving	110; Travis Hunter (Colo.)

2-4 vs. UNI

7-18 vs. Colo.

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL LONGEST PLAYS					
Rush	17; Dallan Hayden (Colo.)				
Pass	38; Skyler Locklear to Kam Thomas (UTEP)				
Field Goal	31; Caden Palmer (UNI)				
Punt Return	29; Kam Thomas (UTEP)				
Kickoff Return	61; Jimmy Horn Jr. (Colo.)				
Fumble Return	None				
Interception Return	0; Fletcher Marshall Jr. (UNI)				
Punt	54; Mark Vassett (Colo.)				

<sup>\*-</sup>Indicates touchdown scored

Team Tackles for Loss-Yards





### GAME 1

Aug. 31, 2024 Memorial Stadium Lincoln, Neb. **Attend**: 86,072 **TV**: FOX

UTEP (0-1)	7
NEBRASKA (1-0)	40

### **SCORING BY QUARTERS**

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	<u>Total</u>
UTEP	7	0	0	0	7
Nebraska	7	23	7	3	40

### SCORING SUMMARY

Qtr.	Time	Team	Scoring Play	
1st	09:00	NEB	Dowdell 5 yd rush (Alvano kick 12-72, 05:54	UTEP 0, NEB 7
1st	02:24	UTEP	Thomas 38 yd pass from Lockle 3-63, 00:42	ar (Flabiano kick) UTEP 7, NEB 7
2nd	10:29	NEB	Robinson SAFETY	UTEP 7, NEB 9
2nd	10:04	NEB	Neyor 59 yd pass from Raiola ( 2-59, 00:18	Alvano kick) UTEP 7, NEB 16
2nd	05:34	NEB	Ervin Jr. 3 yd rush (Alvano kick 8-63, 03:45	UTEP 7, NEB 23
2nd	00:02	NEB	Banks 21 yd pass from Raiola ( 9-59, 02:03	Alvano kick) UTEP 7, NEB 30
3rd	05:34	NEB	Ervin Jr. 1 yd rush (Alvano kick) 11-73, 05:04	UTEP 7, NEB 37
4th	09:22	NEB	Alvano 20 yd FG 17-87, 09:26	UTEP 7, NEB 40

### **TEAM STATISTICS**

	UTEP	NEB
FIRST DOWNS	12	30
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	24-56	47-223
PASSING-YARDS (NET)	149	284
Passes Att-Comp-Int	23-16-0	25-14-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	16-26-2	25-36-0
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-29	3-25
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-48	3-75
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-18
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-39.2	6-48.5
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	9-76	3-35
Possession Time	21:28	38:32
Third-Down Conversions	3-10	11-17
Fourth-Down Conversions	0-0	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-6	2-9

### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

RUSHING: UTEP: Jevon Jackson 10-32; Skyler Locklear 4-15; Cade McConnell 2-12; Corey Wren 4-2; Kam Thomas 1-2; Jaden Smith 1--1; Shay Smith 2--6. NEB: Emmett Johnson 8-71; Dante Dowdell 8-55; Rahmir Johnson 11-50; Gabe Ervin Jr. 6-24; Heinrich Haarberg 2-8; Maurice Mazzccua Jr. 5-8; Kenneth Williams 1-5; Kwinten Ives 3-4; Jalyn Gramstad 1-2; Mekhi Nelson 1-2; Dylan Raiola 1--6

**PASSING: UTEP:** Skyler Locklear 11-17-1-115-1; Cade McConnell 3-7-1-20-0; Shay Smith 2-2-0-14-0. **NEB**: Dylan Raiola 19-27-0-238-2; Heinrich Haarberg 5-5-0-35-0; Jalyn Gramstad 1-3-0-11-0; TEAM 0-1-0-0-0.

RECEIVING:UTEP: Kam Thomas 7-71; Jaden Smith 4-33; Trey Goodman 2-26; Joshua Dye 1-11; Marcus Vinson 1-5; Ashton Nickelberry 1-3. NEB: Isaiah Neyor 6-121; Jahmal Banks 4-61; Janiran Bonner 3-26; Carter Nelson 3-21; Thomas Fidone II 3-1; Luke Lindenmeyer 1-12; Alex Bullock 1-12; Roman Mangini 1-11; Jacory Barney Jr. 1-10; Emmett Johnson 1-5; Keelan Smith 1-4.

**INTERCEPTIONS: UTEP:** None. **NEB** Malcolm Hartzog Jr. 1-0; Rahmir Stewart 1-18.

FUMBLES: UTEP: None. NEB Dante Dowdell 1-1

**TACKLE LEADERS: UTEP:** Dorian Hopkins 6-10. **NEB** Malcolm Hartzog Jr. 5-0; Mikai Gbayor 2-3



### GAME 2

Sept. 7, 2024 Memorial Stadium Lincoln, Neb. **Attend**: 86,906 **TV**: NBC

COLORADO (1-1)	10
NEBRASKA (2-0)	28

### **SCORING BY QUARTERS**

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	<u>Total</u>
Colorado	0	0	3	7	10
Nebraska	14	14	0	0	28

### SCORING SUMMARY

Qtr.	Time	Team	Scoring Play	
1st	10:34	NEB	Dowdell 12 yd rush (Alvano kick 7-49, 03:22	CU 0, NEB 7
1st	05:46	NEB	Hill 7 yd interception return (Alv	ano kick) CU 0, NEB 14
2nd	06:44	NEB	Dowdell 1 yd rush (Alvano kick), 9-86, 04:46	CU 0, NEB 21
2nd	00:40	NEB	R. Johnson 18 yd pass from Raio 3-70, 00:45	a (Alvano kick) CU 0, NEB 28
3rd	10:38	CU	Mata 27 yd FG 8-49, 02:46	CU 3, NEB 28
4th	08:45	CU	Wester 5 yd pass from Sanders 6-58, 02:04	(Mata kick) CU 10, NEB 28

### TEAM STATISTICS

	CU	NER
FIRST DOWNS	15	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	22-16	35-149
PASSING-YARDS (NET)	244	185
Passes Att-Comp-Int	40-23-1	30-23-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	62-260	65-334
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-0
Punt Returns-Yards	3-14	2-16
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-99	2-35
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-7
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-44.0	5-42.1
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	9-104	12-105
Possession Time	24:39	35:21
Third-Down Conversions	4-14	3-12
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-3	0-0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-3	3-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	6-41

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### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: CU: Dallan Hayden 5-32; Isaiah Augustave 2-6; Charlie Offerdahl 4-4; Ryan Staub 3-4; Shedeur Sanders 8--30. NEB: Dante Dowdell 17-74; Rahmir Johnson 9-33; Jacory Barney Jr. 2-28; Dylan Raiola 3-7; Gabe Ervin Jr. 2-6; Emmett Johnson 1-3; TEAM 1--2

**PASSING: CU:** Shedeur Sanders 23-38-1-244-1; Ryan Staub 0-2-0-0. **NEB:** Dylan Raiola 23-30-0-185-1.

RECEIVING: CU: Travis Hunter 10-110; LaJohntay Wester 4-20; Will Sheppard 3-59; Jimmy Horn Jr. 3-26; Dallan Hayden 2-27; Sav'ell Smalls 1-2. NEB: Rahmir Johnson 8-49; Jacory Barney Jr. 6-29; Isaiah Neyor 4-31; Jahmal Banks 2-2; Jaylen Lloyd 1-36; Nate Boerkircher 1-25; Thomas Fidone II 1-13

INTERCEPTIONS: CU: None. NEB: Tommi HIII 1-0.

**FUMBLES: CU:** Jimmy Horn Jr. 1-0; Ryan Staub 1-1 . **NEB** None

TACKLE LEADERS: CU: Cam'Ron Silmon-Craig 11-0. NEB: DeShon Singleton 5-1; Tommi Hill 4-2; Mikai Gbayor 3-3; Isaac Gifford 2-4



### GAME 3

Sept. 14, 2024 Memorial Stadium Lincoln, Neb. **Attend**: 86,546

TV: BTN

NORTHERN IOWA (2-1)	3
NEBRASKA (3-0)	34

### **SCORING BY QUARTERS**

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Tota
Northern Iowa	3	0	0	0	3
Nebraska	7	14	6	7	34

### **SCORING SUMMARY**

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Qtr.	Time	Team	Scoring Play	
1st	11:40	NEB	Nelson 24 yd pass from Raiola ( 8-75, 03:20	(Alvano kick) UNI 0, NEB 7
1st	01:32	UNI	Palmer 31 yd FG 16-62, 10:08	UNI 3, NEB 7
2nd	13:04	NEB	Neyor 18 yd pass from Raiola (4 7-75, 03:28	Alvano kick) UNI 3, NEB 14
2nd	06:51	NEB	Barney Jr. 10 yd rush (Alvano ki 4-80, 02:05	ck) UNI 3, NEB 21
3rd	06:17	NEB	Alvano 31 yd FG 9-68, 03:31	UNI 3, NEB 24
3rd	00:43	NEB	Alvano 21 yd FG 6-33, 03:11	UNI 3, NEB 27
4th	04:31	NEB	E. Johnson 36 yd rush (Hohl kic 8-80, 04:33	k) UNI 3, NEB 34

#### **TEAM STATISTICS**

	UNI	NEB
FIRST DOWNS	18	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	39-139	22-142
PASSING-YARDS (NET)	162	281
Passes Att-Comp-Int	32-16-1	26-20-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	71-301	48-423
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	1-2
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-36	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	1-15
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-33.5	4-0
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	9-95	4-44
Possession Time	38:07	21:53
Third-Down Conversions	6-16	4-7
Fourth-Down Conversions	2-4	0-1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	1-1

### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

RUSHING: UNI: Aidan Dunne 11-49; Amauri Pesek-Hickson 11-39; Tye Edwards 10-37; Matthew Schecklman 2-10; Sergio Morancy 1-6; Harrison Bey-Buie 2-4; TEAM 2-6. NEB: Dante Dowdell 6-55; Emmett Johnson 4-50; Dylan Raiola 2-13; Jacory Barney Jr. 1-10; Heinrich Haarberg 3-7 Rahmir Johnson 2-4; Gabe Ervin Jr. 3-3; Janiran Bonner 1-0

**PASSING: UNI:** Aidan Dunne 13-25-1-117-0; Matthew Schecklman 3-7-0-45-0. **NEB**: Dylan Raiola17-23-1-247-2; Heinrich Haarberg 3-3-0-34-0.

RECEIVING: UMI: Amauri Pesek-Hickson 3-25; Desmond Hutson 3-24; Sergio Morancy 2-30; Jaiden Ellis-Lahey 2-29; Derek Anderson 2-24; Layne Pryor 2-10; JC Roque Jr. 1-16; Tye Edwards 1-4. NEB: Carter Nelson 4-48; Emmett Johnson 3-43; Jacory Barney Jr. 3-29; Isaiah Neyor 2-35; Rahmir Johnson 2-28; Thomas Fidone II 2-13; Jaylen Lloyd 1-59; Jahmal Banks 1-13; Heinrich Haarberg 1-8; Janiran Bonner 1-5

INTERCEPTIONS: UNI: Fletcher Marshall Jr. 1-0. NEB: Malcolm Hartzog Jr. 1-15

FUMBLES: UNI: Sergio Morancy 1-0. Team 1-0. NEB None

**TACKLE LEADERS: UNI:** Tucker Langenberg 5-1; JJ Dervil 3-3 **NEB:** Isaac Gifford 4-6