

personal tackle total again in the season finale against Arkansas in which he made 10 stops, two pass breakups and one interception.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (1998)

Played in all 11 games and started four at right cornerback ... Starts came vs. Mississippi State, at Ole Miss, vs. Alabama, at Notre Dame (Games 7-10 of season) ... LSU's seventh-leading tackler and third-leading tackler among defensive backs ... Made 49 tackles, including 35 solos ... High tackle game of 10 at Ole Miss ... Made six tackles each at Auburn, vs. Kentucky ... Had five tackles vs. Idaho, and Mississippi State, and at Notre Dame ... Broke up a pass in win over Mississippi State ... Made his first career start against Mississippi State, replacing Damien Woods ... Saw action on 403 defensive plays from scrimmage ... Also saw special teams action on kickoff, punt, punt return and PAT/FG block teams ... Redshirted as a true freshman in 1997.

HIGH SCHOOL

Ranked No. 7 in Superprep Louisiana 26 ... Helped lead Evangel to a perfect 15-0 record in 1996, including the 3A State Championship and the District 1-3A title with 63 receptions for 1,300 yards and 20 touchdowns ... Also recorded 60 carries for 500 yards and 8 rushing touchdowns his senior season ... Transferred to Evangel after leading Logansport to the 1995 1A State Championship where he caught 5 touchdowns in the Finals ... Coached by Dennis Dunn.

PERSONAL

Full name is Robert Lee Davis, Jr. ... Parents are Robert and Ernestine Davis ... Born on May 25, 1978 in Shreveport, La. ... Is an arts & sciences major.

Robert Davis Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
1998 Fr.	11/4	35	14	49	0	0	0	0
1999 So.	10/5	30	12	42	0	0	0	2
2000 Jr.	10/3	22	8	30	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	31/12	87	34	121	0	0	0	2



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Byron Dawson
Defensive Tackle
 6-2, 298, Jr., 2VL
 Shreveport, La.
 Evangeli Academy

Byron Dawson gives LSU an experienced and quality backup at defensive tackle ... Serves as Muskingum Barnes backup at left defensive



tackle.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (2000)

Saw action in eight games while starting three times ... Recorded the first sack of his career on Nov. 4 against Alabama ... notched 14 tackles on the season ... Came up with four-tackle performances against both UAB and Florida ... Posted a season-high three solo tackles against Florida.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (1999)

A solid performer on the defensive line for the Tigers ... He started the first three games and participated in all but two games, vs. Ole Miss and Alabama ... Split the noseguard duties with Muskingum Barnes for majority of the season ... Made 23 tackles, including two tackles behind the line for losses of two yards on the year ... Had career-high four tackles against Houston despite facing double teams the entire game ... Redshirted true freshman season of 1998.

HIGH SCHOOL

Class 3A All-State, 3A Defensive MVP, Shreveport Times All-City Defensive MVP, Member of The Advocate Super Dozen, Tiger Rag Dirty Dozen, Purple & Gold's Great Eight ... Recorded 81 tackles, 38 for losses, 11 sacks, eight passes broken up and three fumble recoveries as a senior ... Helped lead Evangel to a 15-0 record, 3A State Title and No. 17 national ranking ... Coached in high school by Dennis Dunn.

PERSONAL

Full name is Byron Tremain Dawson ... Born on Feb. 9, 1980 in Shreveport, La. ... Majoring in sociology.

Byron Dawson Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
1999 Fr.	9/3	10	13	23	2-2	0	0	0
2000 So.	8/3	7	7	14	2-7	1-6	0	0
TOTALS	17/6	17	20	37	4-9	1-6	0	0



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Mikey Diodene
Wide Receiver
 5-10, 175, So., Sq.
 Plaquemine, La.
 Episcopal HS

Enters second season with the Tigers after walking on to the team last season ... Gives LSU depth at the wide receiver position ... Will participate on the scout squad this season.

HIGH SCHOOL

Three sport letterwinner at Episcopal High School ... Helped lead football team to the 1996 7-2A district title and to a runner-up finish in the state playoffs ... Track team won 2A state title in 1999 ... Led football team with 107 tackles as a senior and had six interceptions for his career.

PERSONAL

Full name is Alonzo Nelson Diodene III ... Born Aug. 29, 1980 in New Orleans ... Parents are Alonzo and Jeanelle Diodene ... Has one sister, Paula ... Majoring in general business.



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Joe Domingaux
Tight End
 6-5, 266, Sr., 3VL
 Crowley, La.
 Crowley HS

Member of LSU's talented tight end corps that is considered one of the best in the nation ... Has been a part-time starter in his previous three years with the Tigers ...



Player Profiles

Outstanding blocker who also lines up in the backfield in short-yardage and goalline situations ... Missed the entire 1998 season with a torn ACL after starting seven games as a freshman ... Redshirted the 1998 campaign ... Graduated in May of 2001 with a degree in kinesiology ... Name is pronounced the same as baseball Hall of Famer Joe DiMaggio.

JUNIOR SEASON (2000)

Talented tight end who played in all 12 games for the Tigers ... Started against Western Carolina and Tennessee when the Tigers opened the game in a two tight end set ... Caught one pass for the year, an 11-yard touchdown grab vs. Houston.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (1999)

LSU's starting tight end for the second half of the 1999 season ... One of the Tigers' starting tight ends in the double tight formation ... Made four starts and played in 10 games ... Was relied on heavily for his blocking ability ... Caught seven passes for 62 yards on the season, including a long reception of 12 yards ... Had his best game against North Texas where he grabbed two passes for 21 yards ... Equaled his season-high in catches with two against Ole Miss and Houston ... Played in every game except at Georgia.

FRESHMAN SEASON (1997)

Started seven and played in all 11 games ... Got first career start vs. Akron in place of the injured Furnell Hankton ... Also started at Vanderbilt, vs. Florida, at Kentucky and vs. Arkansas as LSU opened with two tight ends ... Got start as only TE starter at Alabama and vs. Notre Dame ... Caught his first career TD pass against Akron.

HIGH SCHOOL

Member of The Advocate Super Dozen '97, the Times-Picayune Top 20 Blue Chip List, and the Tiger Rag Dirty Dozen ... Member of Atlanta Journal Constitution Super Southern 100 ... Ranked No. 9 in Superprep Louisiana 26 ... Class 4A All-State selection ... Recorded 31 receptions for 446 yards and six touchdowns while leading Crowley to the 4A State Finals his senior season ... Caught 15 passes for 350 yards his junior year ... Coached by Lewis Cook.

PERSONAL

Full name is Joseph Allen Domingeaux ... Parents are Joe and Georgianna Domingeaux ... Born on Jan. 15, 1979 in Oakland, Calif. ... Graduated in May 2001 with a degree in kinesiology.

Joe Domingeaux Career Statistics - Receiving

SEASON	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
1997 Fr.	11/7	3	21	7.0	1	11
1998	-- Did not play - injured --					
1999 So.	10/4	7	62	8.9	0	12
2000 Jr.	11/2	1	11	11.0	1	11
TOTALS	32/13	11	94	8.5	2	12



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Michael Dupuis

Offensive Tackle
6-3, 258, So., Sq.
Lafayette, La.
Acadiana HS

In his third year with the Tigers after walking on to the squad in the fall of 1999 ... Provides depth to the Tiger offensive line ... Redshirted true freshman season of 1999 and was a squad member in 2000.

HIGH SCHOOL

Was honorable mention all-district 3-5A ... Lettered his senior season in football ... Was coached in high school by Bill Dodson.

PERSONAL

Full name is Michael Nike Dupuis .. Parents are Michael and Debra Dupuis ... Born May 1, 1979 in Lafayette, La. ... Majoring in mechanical engineering.



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Barrett Dupuy

Linebacker
6-2, 214, So., Trf.
Prairieville, La.
East Ascension HS

Transfer from Millsaps College in Jackson, Miss., who enters his first season with the Tigers ... Participated in spring drills ... Will give LSU some much-needed depth at linebacker.

HIGH SCHOOL

Earned two letters in football at East Ascension High School ... Honorable mention all-district selection as a defensive end and was an academic all-state selection ... Had 70 tackles and three sacks as a senior ... Coached in high school by Billy Beasley.

PERSONAL

Full name is Barrett Paul Dupuy ... Born Oct. 18, 1981 in Baton Rouge ... Parents are Raymond and Roxiann Dupuy ... Has one sister, Desirae ... Majoring in pre-law.



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Eric Edwards

Tight End
6-5, 248, So., 1VL
Monroe, La.
Ouachita Christian

Another member of LSU's talented tight end group ... Player that combines size, quickness and good hands ... Sat out most of the spring with a knee injury ... Will be at full strength once practice starts in August ... Came to LSU after earning Parade All-America honors as a senior at Ouachita Christian.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (2000)

Saw his first action for the Tigers after red-shirting as a true freshman in 1999 ... Played in 10 games with no starts ... Has deceptive speed as well as excellent hands ... Caught five passes for 127 yards and two touchdowns ... Made tough over-the-shoulder grab for a career-best 34-yard reception vs. Kentucky ... Also caught a 25-yard TD pass against Kentucky for his first career score ... Bullied over an Ole Miss defender at the goalline for 32-yard TD reception against the Rebels ... Had a 19-yard reception vs. Western Carolina in season opener and had a 17-yard grab against Tennessee that set up a Tiger score two plays later for a 24-6 first-half advantage over the Vols.

HIGH SCHOOL

Two-time Class 2A All-State selection ... Three-time All-District 2A selection ... A Parade Magazine All American ... 1998 Gatorade Player of the Year for the state of Louisiana ... Ranked No. 5 on The Sporting News Top 100 ... Member of the Atlanta Journal-Constitution's Super Southern 100, The Dallas Morning News' National 100, The Advocate's Super Dozen, the Times Picayune Top 20 Blue Chip List, Three-time member of the Monroe News-Star All Northeast Team, Tiger Rag's Dirty Dozen, Purple & Gold's Great Eight, Louisiana Magazine's All-Louisiana Team ... Senior year had 36 receptions for 720 yards and five TDs ... Led Ouachita Christian to a second place finish in District 2-2A and a regional finish in the Class 2A playoffs ... Coached in high school by Steve Fitzhugh.

PERSONAL

Full name is Timothy Eric Edwards ... Born on Aug. 4, 1980 ... Majoring in general business.

Eric Edwards' Career Statistics - Receiving

SEASON	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2000 Fr.	9/0	5	127	25.4	2	34
TOTALS	9/0	5	127	25.4	2	34



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Stephen Englehardt

Defensive Back
5-8, 180, So., Trf.
Covington, La.
St. Paul's HS

In his first season with the Tigers after walking on to the team during the off-season ... Participated in spring drills ... Transferred to LSU from Rhodes College.

HIGH SCHOOL

Three sport letterwinner at St. Paul's High School in Covington ...Earned four letters in both football and wrestling and one letter in golf ... Team won both the wrestling and golf state titles ... Earned four all-district honors in football and was also the team captain ... Coached in high school by Ken Sears.

PERSONAL

Full name is Stephen Thomas Englehardt ... Born Dec. 17,1981 in Concord,Calif. ... Parents are John and Valerie Englehardt ... Has five brothers - Greg, Mike, Eric, Mark and David and one sister, Mary ... Majoring in mechanical engineering.



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Treverance Faulk

Linebacker
6-3, 225, Jr., 2VL
Lafayette, La.
Lafayette HS

- 2000 All-SEC, First Team (Football News, College Sports-Southeast, Rivals.com)
- 2000 All-SEC, Second Team (AP, SEC Coaches)
- 2000 Louisiana Defensive Player of the Year (Louisiana Sports Writer's Association)
- 2000 SEC Academic Honor Roll
- 2000 Verizon Academic All-District Team
- 1999 Freshman All-American, second team (The Sporting News)
- 1999 Freshman All-SEC (Knoxville News Sentinel)
- 1999 Freshman All-SEC (SEC Coaches)

Enters junior season as the nation's No. 1 rated inside linebacker and a first team pre-season All-America according to The Sporting News ...Combines with fellow junior Bradie James to give the Tigers one of the best 1-2 punches at linebacker in the nation ... A hard-hitting linebacker that is equally effective stopping the run or the pass ... Has a knack for finding the ball ...Has outstanding speed and strength ... Ranked second in the SEC last year with 113 total tackles ...A per-

Trev Faulk's Career Game-by-Game Stats

1999	UT	AS	TOT	TBL	SCK	INT	PD	FR
San Jose State	2	0	2	1-4	0	0	0	0
North Texas	2	2	4	1-1	0	0	0	0
Auburn	1	2	3	0	0	0	1	0
at Georgia	5	5	10	0	0	0	0	0
Florida	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	1
at Kentucky	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
at Miss. State	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	0
Ole Miss	5	4	9	0	0	0	1	0
at Alabama	10	6	16	0	0	0	0	0
Houston	3	4	7	0	0	0	1	0
Arkansas	4	2	6	1-1	0	0	0	0

2000	UT	AS	TOT	TBL	SCK	INT	PD	FR
Western Carolina	1	6	7	0	0	0	0	0
Houston	15	3	18	2-5	0	0	0	0
at Auburn	7	2	9	1-7	0	1	1	1
UAB	7	5	12	1-4	0	0	1	1
Tennessee	10	3	13	1-1	0	0	0	0
at Florida	4	4	8	0	0	0	0	0
Kentucky	9	4	13	1-2	1	0	0	1
Miss. State	3	4	7	0	0	0	1	0
Alabama	8	1	9	2-2	1	0	0	0
at Ole Miss	6	2	8	1-3	0	0	0	0
at Arkansas	7	2	9	0	0	0	0	0
Ga. Tech (Peach)	4	4	8	1-2	0	0	0	0

fectionist who goes all out on every drill in practice and in every play in a game ...In a vote of the team in April, was selected as one of three team captains, the second-straight year in which he's been named a captain ... Recipient of the Mike Miley Leadership Award at the conclusion of spring drills last April ...Enters the 2001 season riding a string of starting 20 straight games,a streak that dates back to the fourth games of his freshman season ... Has not had a redshirt season.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (2000)

One of the top linebackers in the Southeastern Conference ... Named first team All-SEC by the Football News,College Sports-Southeast and Rivals.com and was a second team selection by the Associated Press and the SEC Coaches ...Member of the SEC Academic Honor Roll as well as the Verizon/CoSIDA Academic All-District team ... Posted the most tackles by a Tiger since Shawn Burks in 1985 (113), recording a team-leading 113 tackles, including 77 solos and nine for losses ... Ranked second in the SEC in tackles ... Posted double figures in tackles in four games - career-best 18 vs.Houston, 13 vs. Tennessee and Kentucky and 12 vs. UAB ... Named LSU's Defensive Player of the Week a team-high three times - vs. Western Carolina, Tennessee and Kentucky ... Recovered four fumbles on the season with the Tigers converting on three of them for 17 points ... His nine tackles for loss tied with Howard Green for the team lead in the cate-

gory ... Recorded the first two sacks of his career in 2000, picking up sacks against Kentucky and Alabama ... Posted nine tackles on three occasions - vs.Auburn,Alabama and Arkansas ...Started all 11 regular-season games and the Peach Bowl ...Recorded eight tackles, including one for minus two yards and forced a fumble vs. Georgia Tech in the Peach Bowl ... Started the 2000 season on the Butkus Award Watch List, a list of the top 70 linebackers in the nation.

FRESHMAN SEASON (1999)

A second team Freshman All-America choice in 1999 by The Sporting News ...Emerged as a rising star on the defensive side of the ball ... Made his first career start the fourth game of the year and did not lose the position, starting the final eight games of the year ... Finished the season with 68 tackles, four for a loss (-8) yards, three pass breakups,five quarterback hurries and one fumble recovery ... Had his best game of the year at Alabama ... He made 16 tackles, including 10 solo stops ... Made double-digit tackles at Georgia with 10 ... Named to the Coaches' All-SEC Team, Knoxville News-Sentinel SEC All-Freshman Team and the Sporting News Freshman All-America Team.

HIGH SCHOOL

Member of the Atlanta Journal-Constitution's Super Southern 100,The Advocate's Super Dozen, the Times Picayune's Top 20 Blue Chip List, Tiger Rag's Dirty Dozen, Louisiana Football Magazine's All-Louisiana Team ... Led Lafayette to Class 5A playoff wildcard berth ...Senior year had 600 yards rushing on offense and made 80 tackles on defense ... Coached in high school by Bobby Green.

PERSONAL

Majoring in business administration ... Is a cousin of Kevin Faulk,LSU's all-time leading rusher.

Treverance Faulk Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
1999 So.	11/8	40	28	68	4-8	0	1	0
2000 So.	11/11	77	36	113	9-24	2-3	4	0
TOTALS	22/19	117	64	181	13-32	2-3	5	0



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Randall Gay

Defensive Back
6-0, 185, So., Sq.
Brusly, La.
Brusly HS

Randall Gay enters his second season for the Tigers after seeing action in five games last

Player Profiles

year as a true freshman ... Had an outstanding spring season and was one of four Tigers to receive the Alvin Roy Fourth Quarter Award at the conclusion of spring drills ... Talented player who gives the Tigers a quality backup at the right cornerback spot.

TRUE FRESHMAN SEASON (2000)

A true freshman that saw action in five games in 2000 - vs. Western Carolina, Houston, Florida, Kentucky and Mississippi State ... Registered two tackles from the defensive back position ... Originally came to LSU as a running back ... One of seven true freshmen to see action on the Tiger defense.

PERSONAL

Full name is Randall Jerome Gay, Jr. ... Born on May 5, 1982 in Baton Rouge ... Is a pre-dentistry major.

Randall Gay's Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
2000 Fr.	5/0	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0
TOTALS	5/0	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0



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Howard Green

Defensive Tackle

6-2, 310, Sr., 1VL

Donaldsonville, La.

Donaldsonville/SW Miss JC

Enters his second and final season with the Tigers after transferring from Southwest Mississippi Junior College ... Made an immediate impact last year, playing in 10 games with eight starts during the regular season ... Imposing figure on the defensive line ... Is the cousin of Jarvis and Jason Green, who are also seniors on this year's LSU team.

JUNIOR SEASON (2000)

Played in 10 games during the regular-season with eight starts ... Also played in the Peach Bowl ... Registered 39 tackles (18 solo), including nine for losses ... The nine tackles for losses tied for team-high honors with Trev Faulk ... Recorded one sack ... Had back-to-back six-tackle performances against Houston and Auburn in September ... Also picked up a fumble recovery in the Houston game ... His lone sack of the season was a critical one against Tennessee.

HIGH SCHOOL

Class 3A All-State as both a junior and a senior, Advocate All-Metro Small Schools selection, PrepStar Pre-season Dream Team Member, Advocate Second Dozen, Purple & Gold's Great Eight ... Recorded 105 tackles and 10 sacks as a senior ... Was All-State as



an offensive lineman in 1996 and also had 72 tackles and eight sacks as an all-district performer on defense ... 370 pound bench, 500 pound squat ... Played every play except kick-offs and returns in high school ... Coached in high school by Jimmy Dykes.

PERSONAL

Full name is Howard Green, Jr. ... Born on Jan. 12, 1979 ... Parents are Howard and Veronica Green ... Has two sisters, Ursula and Robin ... Majoring in arts & sciences.

Howard Green's Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
2000 Jr.	10/8	18	21	39	9-16	1-2	1	0
TOTALS	10/8	18	21	39	9-16	1-2	1	0



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Jarvis Green

Defensive End

6-3, 259, Sr., 3VL

Donaldsonville, La.

Donaldsonville HS

- 1998 Freshman All-American (The Football News)
- 1998 Freshman All-SEC (Knoxville News Sentinel)

Outstanding pass rusher who ranks seventh in LSU history with 16 career sacks ... Set an LSU freshman record with eight sacks in 1998 ... Enters his fourth season as a starter at defensive end for the Tigers ... Battled through injuries last year, but will be at full strength when August camp starts ... Is the twin brother of teammate Jason Green and the cousin of teammate Howard Green.

JUNIOR SEASON (2000)

Battled through injuries to see action in nine

games during the regular season with eight of those being starts ... Also started the Peach Bowl for the Tigers ... Recorded 31 tackles (13 solos), including three for loss ... Had three tackles and one sack for minus seven-yards vs. Georgia Tech in Peach Bowl ... Had one sack during the regular-season, which ran his career total to 16 ... The 16 career sacks rank seventh in school history ... His one sack came in 20-9 road win over Ole Miss ... Registered a season-high seven tackles, including four solos, against Auburn in September ... Broke up two passes ... Posted four tackles against both Florida and Ole Miss ... Missed the Kentucky and Mississippi State games due to an injury.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (1999)

The Tigers' best pass rusher in 1999 ... Started nine games on the year ... Started five games at defensive end (North Texas, Auburn, Georgia, Florida, Kentucky) and four at rush linebacker (the first and last three: San Jose State, Alabama, Houston, Arkansas) ... Did not play at Miss. State due to injury ... Provided a much needed threat off the end for the Tigers ... Finished with 51 tackles, 12 for losses totaling 52 yards, seven sacks for minus 42 yards, three forced fumbles, two pass breakups, two fumble recoveries, one quarterback hurry, and one blocked kick ... He led the team in sacks, fumble recoveries and forced fumbles ... Against San Jose State, he had nine tackles, four for a loss (-12) yards and two sacks ... At Kentucky, he made six tackles, including two sacks for a loss of 18 yards ... Made at least one tackle for a loss in six of the 10 games he played in last season.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (1998)

Had standout freshman season ... Set LSU freshman record for quarterback sacks with eight, which tied for best on the team in 1998 with Anthony McFarland ... Led team in quarterback "hurries" with nine ... Started first 10 games at defensive end, missing only the season finale at Arkansas due to injury ... Sixth on team in tackles with 50 stops, including 36 solos ... Second on team in tackles behind the line with 17 ... High tackle game of 11 vs. Alabama, which was team high that game ... Seven tackles vs. Kentucky, six tackles at Ole Miss ... Five tackles vs. Arkansas State, Idaho, Georgia, Mississippi State ... Made impressive collegiate debut in win over Arkansas State: five tackles, three behind the line, two QB sacks, one pass deflection ... Recorded two QB sacks each vs. Arkansas State, at Florida ... One QB sack each vs. Idaho, vs. Georgia, vs. Mississippi State, at Ole Miss ... Made three tackles behind the line on three occasions: vs. Arkansas State, vs. Idaho, vs. Mississippi



Jarvis Green's Career Game-by-Game Stats

1998	UT	AS	TOT	TBL	SCK	INT	PBU	FR
Arkansas State	2	3	5	3-17	2-13	0	1	0
at Auburn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	4	1	5	3-6	1-3	0	1	0
Georgia	4	1	5	2-11	1-2	0	0	0
at Florida	3	0	3	2-17	2-17	0	0	0
Kentucky	5	2	7	2-5	0	0	0	0
Miss. State	3	2	5	3-11	1-6	0	0	0
at Ole Miss	5	1	6	1-5	1-5	0	0	0
Alabama	9	2	11	1-1	0	0	0	0
at Notre Dame	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0

1999	UT	AS	TOT	TBL	SCK	INT	PD	FR
San Jose State	7	2	9	4-12	2-10	0	0	0
North Texas	5	2	7	1-1	0	0	0	0
Auburn	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	1
at Georgia	3	4	7	0	0	0	0	0
Florida	1	2	3	0	0	0	1	1
at Kentucky	3	3	6	2-18	2-18	0	0	0
Ole Miss	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
at Alabama	4	2	6	1-8	1-8	0	1	0
Houston	3	2	5	2-3	1-3	0	0	0
Arkansas	1	1	2	2-10	1-6	0	0	0

2000	UT	AS	TOT	TBL	SCK	INT	PD	FR
Western Carolina	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Houston	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
at Auburn	4	3	7	0	0	0	0	0
UAB	1	2	3	0	0	0	1	0
Tennessee	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
at Florida	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0
Miss. State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alabama	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
at Ole Miss	3	1	4	3-10	1-8	0	0	0
at Arkansas	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	0
Ga. Tech (Peach)	2	1	3	1-7	1-7	0	0	0

State ... Saw action on 536 defensive plays from scrimmage ...Also saw special teams action on punt return and PAT/FG block teams ...Redshirted as a true freshman in 1997.

HIGH SCHOOL

Member of Atlanta Journal Constitution

Super Southern 100 ...SuperPrep All-American ... Superprep Southwest Defensive Player of the Year ... No. 11 ranked defensive lineman in the nation ...Named to The Advocate Super Dozen '97 and the Times-Picayune Top 20 Blue-Chip List ...No. 5 in SuperPrep Louisiana 26 ...Class 3A Defensive MVP ... Recorded 136 tackles (103 solo),with 42 for a loss, and 16 sacks his senior year ...As a junior, totaled 83 tackles, seven sacks, and 21 tackles for a loss as a junior ... Donaldsonville finished with a 10-4 record his senior year advancing to the Class 3A Semifinals against St. James H.S. ... Coached by Jimmy Dykes.

PERSONAL

Full name is Jarvis Pernell Green ...Born on Jan. 12, 1979 in Thibodaux, La.... Father is Pernell Green and mother is Marion L. Ceaser Green ... Has four siblings - Aaron, Shannon, Shannah,and Jason ...Majoring in construction management.

Jarvis Green's Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
1998 Fr.	2/0	2	1	3	1-1	0	0	0
1998 Fr.	10/10	36	14	50	17-73	8-46	0	0
1999 So./10/9	30	21	51	12-52	7-42	2	0	0
2000 Jr.	9/8	13	18	31	3-10	1-8	0	0
TOTALS	29/27	79	53	132	32-135	16-96	2	0



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Jason Green

Linebacker
6-1, 229, Sr., 1VL
Donaldsonville, La.
Donaldsonville HS

In his senior season with the Tigers ...Serves as a backup at the SAM linebacker position ... Is also a key contributor on the Tiger special teams ... Twin brother of teammate Jarvis Green and the cousin of teammate Howard Green.

JUNIOR SEASON (2000)

Played in one game in 2000, the season-opener against Western Carolina ...Did not record any statistics.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (1999)

Key reserve and special team player ... Played in every game on the year for the Tigers ... Saw considerable action on third down and passing situations ... Made seven tackles, including a sack (-8 yards),two quarterback hurries and a forced fumble on the year ... Had a season-high three tackles against Ole Miss.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (1998)

Played in two games in 1998,vs.Arkansas

State and Idaho ...Saw action on 13 plays from scrimmage on defense ... Made three tackles, including one behind the line ... Redshirted as a true freshman in 1997.

HIGH SCHOOL

Played first two games of his senior year with a broken jaw before a doctor wired it shut, confining him to a liquid only diet for six weeks ...All-District selection as a guard his junior year ... Team posted an overall record of 10-4 his senior season,advancing to the Class 3A Semifinals against St. James H.S. ... Coached by Jimmy Dykes.

PERSONAL

Full name is Jason Wendell Green ... Born on Jan. 12,1979 in Thibodaux, La.... Father is Pernell Green and mother is Marion L. Ceaser Green ... Has four siblings - Aaron, Shannon, Shannah,and Jason ...Majoring in management.

Jason Green's Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR
1998 Fr.	2/0	2	1	3	1-1	0	0
1999 So.	11/0	2	5	7	1-8	1-8	0
2000 Jr.	1/0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	14/0	4	6	10	2-9	1-8	0



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Kaylam Guidry

Cornerback
5-9, 167, So., Sq.
Lafayette, La.
West Minister HS

Enters second season with the Tigers after joining the club in the spring of 2000 ... Played a key role on LSU's scout team last season ... Gives the Tigers depth at the cornerback position.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (2000)

Did not see any game action.

HIGH SCHOOL

First team All-state,All-district,All-Parish ... Made the Louisiana All-Star team in 1998 ... Made 65 tackles, seven interceptions and 19 pass breakups during his senior season ... In his first two years of football, he led his team to a combined 20-0 record ... Played one year of NAIA football at Evangel University where he led his team to a 8-2 record and a Bowl game victory ... Coached in high school by David Barham.

PERSONAL

Full name is Kaylam James Guidry ... Born on April 28,1980 in Lafayette, La.... Parents are Anthony and Mary Guidry ...Has one broth-

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er, Michael, and one sister, Aileen ... Majoring in management.



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Chuy Guitierrez

Placekicker
5-10, 185, Fr., HS
Austin, Texas
Lake Travis HS

Joined the Tigers during the off-season and went through spring drills last April ... Gives the Tigers depth at the placekicking position.

HIGH SCHOOL

Earned letters in football and soccer at Lake Travis High School in Austin, Texas ... As a senior, converted 13 of 15 field goals and was a perfect 27 of 27 on PATs ... Led soccer team to district title in 2000 ... Coached in high school by Jim Shewmake .

PERSONAL

Full name is Jesus Guitierrez ... Goes by Chuy (like Chewy) ... Born Dec. 16, 1981 in Austin, Texas ... Parents are Jose and Dora Guitierrez ... Has two sisters - Wendy and Dora ... Wendy was a four-year letterwinner for the LSU Soccer team ... Majoring in marketing.



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Guy Harper

Wide Receiver
5-9, 170, Fr., RS
Shreveport, La.
Byrd HS

Walk-on who joined the Tigers during the off-season ... Participated in spring drills and will be a key member of the scout squad.

HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered in football, baseball and soccer at Byrd High School in Shreveport ... Helped team to district titles in football and baseball in 1998 ... Named all-district in football in 2000 ... Caught 20 passes for 400 yards and six touchdowns as a senior ... Also returned an interception for a score as a senior.

PERSONAL

Full name is Guy Cappel Harper ... Born on Feb. 16, 1982 in Dallas, Texas ... Parents are Ted and Beth Harper ... Has one sister, Mary ... Majoring in accounting.



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Devery Henderson

Running Back
6-0, 187, So., 1VL
Opelousas, La.
Opelousas HS

Talented running back who is a nice compliment to starting tailback LaBrandon Toefield ... Gives LSU a back with break away speed on the outside ... Can also run between the tackles ... Has outstanding speed and quickness ... Also has good hands out of the backfield ... Member of LSU's 2001 National Champion Indoor Track and Field team ... Was an NCAA qualifier for the 4 x 100 relay team ... Ran the second-fastest 60-meters in school history with a 6.72 last spring, a time that trails only current NFL player Chris Cummings.

TRUE FRESHMAN SEASON (2000)

Played in 11 games, including the Peach Bowl, with no starts ... Rushed for 116 yards on just 23 carries for an average of 5.0 yards an attempt ... Scored a pair of touchdowns, including a 32-yarder in his collegiate debut against Western Carolina in the season opener ... The 32-yard TD run was just the second carry of his collegiate career ... Scored on an eight-yard end-around run against Kentucky ... Rushed for 26 yards on four carries, including a 22-yard run, vs. Ole Miss ... Had 18 yards on three carries in a win over Miss. State ... Returned one kickoff 21 yards.

HIGH SCHOOL

Atlanta-Journal Constitution Super Southern 100 ... Rated the No. 4 running back in the South by Superprep ... Member of The Advocate Super Dozen, Times Picayune Top 24 Blue Chip List, Tiger Rag Dirty Dozen and Purple & Gold's 2nd Team ... Member of Prepstar Dream Team ... Class 4A All-State ... Rushed for 1,322 yards on 196 carries (6.7 yard average) and 20 touchdowns ... Caught five touchdown passes and also threw two more ... Had seven carries of 50 yards or more ... Defending Class 4A state 100 and 200 meter champion with times of 10.3 and 21.1 ... His junior season he rushed for 1,497 yards and 13 touchdowns ... Runs the 40 in 4.3 ... Coached in high school by Lynn Amedee.

PERSONAL

Full name is Devery Vaughn Henderson IV ... Born on March 26, 1982 in Lafayette, La. ... Father is Devery Henderson and mother is Cheryl Lemon ... Has one sister, LaKeitha ... Cousin of current LSU teammate Lionel Thomas ... Majoring in education.

Devery Henderson's Career Statistics - Rushing

SEASON	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2000 Fr.	10/0	23	116	5.0	2	32
TOTALS	10/0	23	116	5.0	2	32

D. Henderson's Career Game-by-Game Stats

	ATT	GN	LS	NET	TD	LG
Western Carolina	5	42	3	39	1	32
Houston	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Auburn	0	0	0	0	0	0
UAB	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tennessee	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Florida	3	15	0	15	0	8
Kentucky	7	24	6	18	1	8
Mississippi State	3	18	0	18	0	8
Alabama	1	0	0	0	0	0
at Ole Miss	4	32	6	26	0	22
Ga. Tech (Peach)	1	8	0	8	0	8

Devery Henderson's Career Highs

RUSHING YARDS:

39 vs. W. Carolina, Sept. 2, 2000

RUSHING ATTEMPTS:

7 vs. Kentucky, Oct. 14, 2000

RUSHING TDS:

1 vs. Kentucky, Oct. 14, 2000

LONG RUN:

32 vs. W. Carolina, Sept. 2, 2000



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Chris Henry

Offensive Line
6-5, 295, Fr., RS
Houston, Texas
Jones HS

Made the move from defensive line to offensive line during the spring ... Had progress slowed by a broken toe mid-way through the spring session ... Missed the Spring Game with the injury ... Redshirted as a true freshman last year.

HIGH SCHOOL

Rated as the No. 23 offensive lineman in the Southwest ... All-State Honorable Mention ... All Metro ... A three-year starter on the defensive line ... He finished his senior season with 68 tackles, including 12 1/2 sacks ... Runs the 40 in 4.8 ... Coached in high school by Roland Rogers.

PERSONAL

Full name is Christopher Stephan Henry ... Born Feb. 19, 1981 ... Mother is Brigitte ... Is undecided on a major.



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Derek Hinds

Linebacker
6-1, 210, Fr., RS
Orange, Texas
Little Cypress HS

In his first fall with the Tigers ... Joined LSU during the off-season and participated in spring drills ... Player who will contribute on the scout squad.

HIGH SCHOOL

Football and soccer letterwinner at Little Cypress ... Played linebacker, defensive end and tight end in high school ... Named All-Orange County, All-Orange Leader and All-District as a senior ... Had 105 tackles and eight sacks as a senior ... Coached by David Williams

PERSONAL

Full name is Derek Dewayne Hinds ... Born Nov. 1, 1981 in Port Arthur, Texas ... Parents are Doyle and Janis Hinds ... Has one sister, Kristin and one brother, Ethan ... Majoring in pre-medicine.



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Drew Hixon

Wide Receiver
5-11, 176, Fr., RS
Kennesaw, Ga.
Harrison HS

Talented redshirt freshman who will be counted on for playing time this season ... Grew up in a coaches family as his father, Stan, is LSU's wide receivers coach ... Runs good routes and has excellent hands.

HIGH SCHOOL

Caught 54 passes for 750 yards and 13 touchdowns last year and totaled 76 catches for 1,100 yards and 19 TDs in his career ... Earned Best Offensive Player honors from his Harrison High team where he lettered four years in football and three in track as a sprinter ... All-County in 1999 and Metro All-Star ... Led team to region championship in each of his junior and sophomore season ... Son of Tiger receivers coach Stan Hixon ... Runs the 40 in 4.5 ... Coached in high school by Bruce Cobleigh.

PERSONAL

Full name is Kenneth Andrew Hixon ... Born May 7, 1982 in Morehead, Ky. ... Parents are Stan and Rebecca Hixon ... Had two siblings - Adele and Avis ... Majoring in marketing.



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Demetrius Hookfin

Cornerback
5-11, 172, Jr., 2VL
Kentwood, La.
Kentwood HS

Heads into fall camp in a battle for playing time at the right cornerback spot with Robert Davis ... Came out of spring practice listed as the No. 2 cornerback on the right side ... Gives LSU a quality backup with a great deal of experience ... Played in 11 of LSU's 12 games in 2000 with starts in seven contests.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (2000)

Started first seven games of the season for the Tigers at right cornerback ... In all, played in 11 of LSU's 12 games ... Finished with 24 tackles (17 solo) ... Had one tackle for loss ... Came up with the first interception of his career in the Tigers' victory over Alabama ... Posted a career-high six tackles against Houston, including five solos ... Notched five tackles in the Tigers' victory over Tennessee ... Credited with one forced fumble and three passes broken up ... Had one forced fumble and broke up one pass in win over Georgia Tech in the Peach Bowl.

FRESHMAN SEASON (1999)

Was relied on during the season to provide depth for the Tigers' secondary when injuries and attrition hit late in the year ... Played in every game, either in the Tiger secondary or on special teams ... A key player on special teams ... Recorded only one tackle on the season against North Texas.

**HIGH SCHOOL**

Three-time Class 1A All-State selection ... 6-1A All-District selection ... Ranked No. 63 on The Sporting News Top 100 ... Member of the Atlanta Journal Constitution's Super Southern 100, The Advocate's Super Dozen, the Times Picayune Top 20 Blue Chip List, Tiger Rag's Dirty Dozen, Purple & Gold's Great Eight, Louisiana Football Magazine's All-Louisiana Team ... Had three interceptions and one fumble recovery as a senior ... On offense, had 23 receptions for 459 yards with four TDs ... On special teams, returned two punts for TDs ... Helped lead Kentwood to 1A state titles in 1997 and 1998 ... State champion in long jump as a sophomore and junior and state runner-up in the hurdles as a junior ... Coached in high school by David Carrier.

PERSONAL

Full name is Demetrius Marquis Hookfin ... Born on Sept. 15, 1979 in Independence, La. ... Mother is Elizabeth Hookfin ... Has four siblings - Terrel, Quentin, Tiffany, Keron ... Majoring in education.

Demetrius Hookfin Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
1999 Fr.	11/0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
2000 So.	10/7	17	7	24	1-5	0	0	1
TOTALS	21/7	18	7	25	1-5	0	0	1



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Jack Hunt

Wide Receiver
6-0, 188, So., 1VL
Ruston, La.
Ruston HS

Talented receiver with great hands and the knack for running precise routes ... One of four players to earn the Alvin Roy fourth Quarter Award during the spring ... Will once again see plenty of playing time at the flanker position.

TRUE FRESHMAN SEASON (2000)

Played in all 12 games for the Tigers, which included a start against Auburn in a four-wideout set to open the contest ... Finished the year with three catches for 32 yards ... Caught two passes for 20 yards in collegiate debut vs. Western Carolina in season-opener ... Had the biggest catch of his young career against Alabama with a 12-yard reception on a third-and-five situation midway through the fourth quarter that kept alive a Tiger drive to pull LSU to within 21-20 four plays later.

HIGH SCHOOL

Honorable mention 5A All-State ... District Offensive Co-MVP ... All-Northeast Selection

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... Member of The Advocate Second Dozen and Times Picayune Top 24 Blue Chip List ... Excellent all-around athlete ... Mostly played wingback his senior season ... Had 55 carries for 487 yards and 10 touchdowns ... Also made 11 catches for 281 yards and two touchdowns ... Led his team to a 11-3 record ... Runs the 40 in 4.5 ... Coached in high school by Tommy Reeder.

PERSONAL

Full name is Jack Morgan Hunt ... Born Nov. 30, 1981 in Ruston, La.... Parents are Trott and Karen Hunt ... Has three siblings - Trotter, Jessie and Cass ... Majoring in pre-medicine.

Jack Hunt's Career Statistics - Receiving

SEASON	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2000 Fr.	11/1	3	32	10.7	0	12
TOTALS	11/1	3	32	10.7	0	12



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Memuda Ifabiyi

Defensive Tackle
5-10, 310, Fr., RS
Monroe, La.
Wossman HS

Enters second season with the Tigers after joining the team for spring drills in 2000 ... Gives LSU depth at the defensive tackle position ... Redshirted as a true freshman last year.

HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered his senior year of high school at defensive tackle ... Was coached in high school by Lonnie Calahan.

PERSONAL

Full name is Memudu Robert Kayode Ifabiyi ... Born Dec.23, 1980 in Austin, Texas ... Parents are Kayode Ifabiyi and Brenda Ifabiyi ... Has one sister, Lydia ... Majoring in marketing.



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Bradie James

Linebacker
6-3, 228, Jr., 2VL
West Monroe, La.
West Monroe HS

- 2000 All-SEC, Second Team (SEC Coaches, The Sporting News)
- Most Outstanding Defensive Player vs. Georgia Tech, 2000 Peach Bowl
- 1999 Freshman All-SEC (Knoxville News Sentinel)
- 1999 Freshman All-SEC (SEC Coaches)

Teams with Trev Faulk to give LSU one of the most talented pair of linebackers in the nation ... Ranked second on the squad and third in the SEC with 110 total tackles ... Like Faulk, has a knack for making big plays ... Named Most Outstanding Defensive Player in the 2000 Peach Bowl after registering six tackles and recovering two fumbles in the 28-14 win ... Played and starred in the Peach Bowl despite joining the team a day prior to the game due to the death of his father ... For the second straight season was awarded the Toby Caston Spring Performance Award for the improvement he showed during spring drills in 2001.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (2000)

Played in all 12 games with 11 starts ... Finished second on the squad and third in the SEC with 110 total tackles (56 solo) ... Led LSU with five sacks, which totaled minus 25 yards ... Recorded double-figure tackles five times during the regular-season - career-high 17 vs. Tennessee and Kentucky, 11 vs. Auburn, 10 vs. UAB and Houston ... Played perhaps the best game of collegiate career vs. Georgia Tech in the Peach Bowl as he registered six tackles, two for losses, one sack and recovered a pair of fumbles in the 28-14 Tiger victory ... Named Most Outstanding Defensive Player of the Peach Bowl for his efforts ... Had a pair of sacks in 34-0 win over Kentucky ... Started first game of career vs. Western Carolina in season-opener ... Only game in which he didn't start came against Houston when Tigers opened the contest in a dime package ... He entered the game on the second play from scrimmage.

FRESHMAN SEASON (1999)

A major contributor on the Tigers' defense ... Played all but one game for the Tigers ... Was the third linebacker in a two-man rotation ... A key player on special teams ... Finished with 41 tackles, including seven for losses of minus 36 yards, three sacks for minus 28

yards, three quarterback hurries, two pass breakups, one forced fumble, one fumble recovery and one interception ... One of two Tiger defenders to register a stat in seven different defensive categories ... Had a career-high nine tackles against Auburn, including one for a loss of one yard ... Best all-around performance was at Georgia where he made six stops, including a sack for minus 15 yards on elusive Quincy Carter, one pass breakup and a fumble recovery ... Was named Coaches' SEC All-Freshman Team and the Knoxville News-Sentinel SEC All-Freshman Team.



Bradie James' Career Game-by-Game Stats

1999	UT	AS	TOT	TBL	SCK	INT	PD	FR
San Jose State	2	0	2	1-4	0	0	0	0
North Texas	3	1	4	1-2	0	0	0	0
Auburn	6	3	9	1-1	0	0	0	0
at Georgia	5	1	6	1-15	1-15	1	1	
Florida	6	1	7	0	0	0	0	0
at Kentucky	2	1	3	1-5	1-5	0	0	0
at Miss. State	2	1	3	0	0	1	0	0
Ole Miss	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
at Alabama	2	1	3	1-8	1-8	0	1	0
Houston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arkansas	Did not play							
2000	UT	AS	TOT	TBL	SCK	INT	PD	FR
W. Carolina	1	4	5	0	0	0	0	0
Houston	7	3	10	1-7	1-7	0	0	0
at Auburn	9	2	11	2-3	0	0	0	0
UAB	4	6	10	0	0	0	0	0
Tennessee	1	16	17	2-17	2-17	0	0	0
at Florida	6	3	9	1-1	1-1	0	0	0
Kentucky	8	9	17	1-4	0-0	0	0	0
Miss. State	3	5	8	0	0	0	0	0
Alabama	6	3	9	1-0	1-0	0	0	0
at Ole Miss	4	5	9	1-1	0	0	0	0
at Arkansas	3	6	9	0	0	0	0	0
Ga. Tech (Peach)	4	2	6	1-10	1-10	0	2-2	

HIGH SCHOOL

Class 5A All-State selection ... Class 5A Defensive MVP ... District 2-5A defensive MVP ... Parade Magazine All-American ... Member of the Atlanta Journal-Constitution's Super Southern 100, The Advocate's Super Dozen, the Times Picayune's Top 20 Blue Chip List, Tiger Rag's Dirty Dozen, Louisiana Football Magazine's All-Louisiana Team ... Senior year had 136 tackles, 10 for loss, five sacks, and three fumble recoveries ... Led team to 1998 Class 5A state title ... Coached in high school by Don Shows.

PERSONAL

Full name is Bradie Gene James ... Born Jan. 17, 1981 in Monroe, La. ... Has three siblings - Chadwick, Chastidy and Christopher ... Majoring in marketing.

Bradie James' Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
1999 Fr.	10/0	31	10	41	7-36	3-28	1	1
2000 So.	11/10	56	54	110	8-32	5-25	0	0
TOTALS	21/10	87	64	151	15-68	8-53	1	1



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Damien James

Cornerback
5-11, 183, Jr., 2VL
Carencro, La.
Carencro HS

Outstanding athlete who makes big plays ... Had a pair of fourth quarter interceptions that preserved win over Houston last season ... Was LSU's starting nickel back in 2000 and enters the 2001 season listed as the Tigers' No. 2 free safety behind All-America candidate Ryan Clark.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (2000)

Had an outstanding sophomore season as he developed into a key member in the Tiger secondary ... LSU's starting nickel back ... Played in all 12 games with starts against Houston and Kentucky ... Finished the year with 47 tackles (28 solo) and two interceptions ... Also had four PBUs, forced one fumble and had one tackle for a loss ... Had outstanding game vs. Houston as he picked off two passes in the final minutes of the game, the second of which he ran back 56 yards for the game-clinching touchdown in the Tigers 28-13 victory ... For his efforts he was named LSU's Defensive Player of the Week following the Houston game ... Posted a career-high 13 tackles in the Tigers' victory over Kentucky ... Opened the season with a seven-tackle performance against Western Carolina (five solos) and followed that with eight tackles against Houston.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (1999)

A key reserve in the secondary and on special teams ... Gave the Tigers added depth at both safety positions ... Played in eight games in 1999 for the Tigers ... Made four tackles and one pass breakup on the year ... Had a season-high in tackles against Arkansas with two ... Did not play in three-game stretch vs. Auburn, Georgia and Florida due to injury ... Redshirted as a true freshman in 1998.

HIGH SCHOOL

Member of The Advocate Super Dozen, PrepStar Dream Team, Atlanta Journal-Constitution Super Southern 100, Dallas Morning News Top 100, Tiger Rag Dirty Dozen and Purple & Gold's Great Eight ... Rated the 13th best prospect in the nation by SuperPrep magazine and its No. 2 skilled athlete ... As a senior he rushed 165 times for 1,612 yards and 17 TD's; he passed for 618 yards and four TD's ... Class 5A All-State and 5A Offensive MVP ... Led Carencro to the state semi-finals ... As a junior he rushed for over 1,800 yards and passed for over 1,000 more, accounting for 32 total touchdowns ... Coached in high school by Mac Barousse.

PERSONAL

Born March 5, 1979 ... Mother is Gloria ... Majoring in kinesiology.

Damien James' Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
1999 Fr.	8/0	3	1	4	0	0	0	0
2000 So.	11/2	28	19	47	1-4	0	0	2
TOTALS	19/2	31	20	51	1-4	0	0	2



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LaVar Johnson

Wide Receiver
6-1, 181, Sr., 1VL
Galena Park, Texas
North Shore HS

A senior who has made his name as standout on LSU's special teams ... Has excelled on LSU's punt coverage team ... Also plays wide receiver ... Originally signed as a running back but moved to wide receiver in 1999.

JUNIOR SEASON (2000)

Developed into a special teams standout ... Played in nine games during the regular-season as well as the Peach Bowl ... Saw majority of his action on special teams ... Did not record any statistics on offense ... Named



LSU's Special Teams Player of the Week against UAB after recovering a fumble on a punt in the third quarter ... Also recovered a fumble on punt team coverage vs. Kentucky ... Had two tackles on special teams - one vs. Florida and one against Mississippi State ... Forced a fumble vs. Georgia Tech in the Peach Bowl.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (1999)

Saw action in the last game of the season against Arkansas but did not record any stats.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (1998)

Played in two games as a backup tailback ... Rushed seven times for 30 yards ... Saw action vs. Arkansas State and Idaho ... Played in nine plays from scrimmage and four plays on special teams.

HIGH SCHOOL

No. 66 in Superprep Texas 102 ... Rushed for 2,202 yards and 23 touchdowns while leading North Shore to the 5A Division I semi-finals ... As a junior, had 161 carries for 1,350 yards and 14 touchdowns, while catching two passes, both touchdowns for 107 yards ... First team All-District as a junior ... Coached in high school by David Aymond.

PERSONAL

Born March 9, 1978 in Houston, Texas ... Parents are Larry Johnson Sr. and LaVera Johnson ... Has one brother, Larry ... Majoring in finance.

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Donnie Jones

Punter

6-3, 217, So., 1VL
Baton Rouge, La.
Catholic HS

- 2000 Freshman All-SEC
(SEC Coaches, Knoxville News-Sentinel)
- 2000 SEC Academic Honor Roll

Donnie Jones enters fall camp in a battle for the starting punting duties with senior Ryan Miles ... Served as LSU's starting punter last year as a redshirt freshman ... Named to the Knoxville News Freshman All-SEC team last year after averaging 38.1 per punt ... Also earned a spot on the SEC Academic Honor Roll.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (2000)

LSU's starting punter for every game of the season ... The top-rated freshman punter in the SEC with a 38.1 average on 57 punts ... Credited with 17 punts inside the 20 as well as nine fair catches and three touchbacks ... Named LSU's Special Teams Player of the Week against Kentucky after punting four times for a 43.0 average with a long kick of 51 yards ... Also credited with two punts inside the 20 vs. Kentucky and also had a pair of his punts fumbled vs. the Wildcats ... Boomed a career-long punt of 69 yards against UAB ... Had five punts inside the 20 against Houston.

Donnie Jones' Career Game-by-Game Stats

2000	NO.	YDS	AVG	LG	I-20
W. Carolina	1	44	44.0	44	0
Houston	7	280	40.0	59	5
at Auburn	6	220	36.7	48	0
UAB	7	329	47.0	69	1
Tennessee	6	237	39.5	50	0
at Florida	5	203	40.6	47	1
Kentucky	4	172	43.0	51	2
Miss. State	4	145	36.3	40	1
Alabama	7	206	29.4	41	3
at Ole Miss	3	95	31.7	39	1
at Arkansas	7	243	34.7	53	3
Ga. Tech (Peach)	8	326	40.8	49	1

Donnie Jones' Career Highs

PUNTS:

8 vs. Ga. Tech, Dec. 29, 2000

PUNTING YARDS:

329 vs. UAB, Sept., 23, 2000

PUNTING AVERAGE:

47.0 vs. UAB, Sept. 23, 2000

LONG PUNT:

69 vs. UAB, Sept. 23, 2000

HIGH SCHOOL

Class 5A All-State selection ... 4-5A All-District selection ... Two-time member of the Baton Rouge Advocate All-Metro ... Senior year averaged 43.4 yards per punt on 26 attempts ... Also an outstanding student in the classroom ... Led team to second place finish in District 4-5A and a semifinal berth in the Class 5A playoffs before losing to eventual state champion West Monroe ... Coached in High School by Dale Weiner.

PERSONAL

Full name is Donald Scott Jones, Jr. ... Parents are Don and Amanda Jones ... Has one sister, Mandy ... Born on July 5, 1980 in Baton Rouge ... Majoring in business administration.

Donnie Jones' Career Statistics - Punting

SEASON	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	I20	TB	FC
2000 Fr.	11/11	57	2174	38.1	69	17	3	9
TOTALS	11/11	57	2174	38.1	69	17	3	9



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Kris Kessler

Placekicker

6-1, 188, Sr., Sq.
Longwood, Fla.
Lake Mary HS

- 2000 SEC Academic Honor Roll
- 1999 SEC Academic Honor Roll
- 1998 SEC Academic Honor Roll

A three-time member of the SEC Academic Honor Roll, Kris Kessler will contend for action at placekicker in 2001 ... LSU's kicker on kickoffs for the first five games of the year ... The brother of NCAA punting record holder Chad Kessler who averaged an all-time high 50.3 yards per punt for the Tigers in 1997 ... His grandfather played in the New York Yankees organization.

JUNIOR SEASON (2000)

Played in five games for the Tigers ... Handled kickoffs for LSU against Western Carolina, Houston, Auburn, Tennessee and Florida ... Converted only extra-point attempt of the season against Western Carolina in season opener ... Did not attempt any field goals ... Named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll for the third straight year.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (1999)

Did not see game action ... Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (1998)

Played in three games handling kickoff duties for the Tigers vs. Arkansas State, Idaho and Georgia ... Saw action on five plays on special

teams ... Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll ... Redshirted as a true freshman in 1997.

HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered twice in football, three times in soccer and once in baseball at Lake Mary High ... Member of the National Honor Society ... Two-time all-district and all-conference as a placekicker ... 90 percent of his kickoffs went into the endzone his senior season as he went 10 of 11 in field goal tries and was perfect in 16 PAT tries ... For his career, hit 16 of 19 field goals and all 30 of his PAT attempts ... Never missed a field goal attempt inside 42 yards in high school and kicked six game-winning field goals ... Was all-state as a soccer player ... Also played in the outfield for his high school baseball team ... Football coach was Doug Peters.

PERSONAL

Full name is Kristopher John Kessler ... Born on Sept. 29, 1978 in Orlando, Fla. ... Parents are Stephen and Susan Kessler ... Has two brothers, Chad and Kyle ... Majoring in Zoology.



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Kyle Kippis

Defensive End

6-4, 261, Sr., 3VL
Lafayette, La.
Comeaux HS

- 2000 SEC Academic Honor Roll
- 1998 Freshman All-SEC
(Knoxville News Sentinel)

Team player who moved to defensive side of the football after his sophomore season due to lack of defensive linemen ... Made an impact on the Tiger defense last year despite playing on the defensive line for the first time at the collegiate level ... Has developed into a solid defender and enters the fall as LSU's No. 2 defensive end behind Kenderick Allen ... Was LSU's starting tight end as a redshirt freshman in 1998 and for three games during the 1999 campaign ... Missed final eight games of the 1999 season with a back injury.

JUNIOR SEASON (2000)

Made a strong transition from tight end to defensive end, seeing action in all 11 regular-season games as well as the Peach Bowl ... Started seven times during the regular-season ... Finished with 24 tackles (eight solo) and one sack ... Came up with the first sack of his defensive career against Alabama ... Had season highs in tackles with five against both Tennessee and Florida ... Posted four tackles



for losses including two against Western Carolina in the Tigers' season-opening victory.

SOPHOMORE SEASON (1999)

The Tigers' starting tight end to begin the season, he suffered a back injury off the field that forced him to miss the final eight games of the year after starting the first three contests ... Made four catches for 45 yards, including one touchdown in those first three games ... Against North Texas, he caught one pass for a 28-yard touchdown ... Caught a season-high two passes against San Jose St. for 11 yards.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON (1998)

A pleasant surprise for the Tigers in 1998, Kipps became a valuable offensive weapon as a freshman ... Played and started in 10 games, missing only the Florida game due to injury ... Made 16 catches for 180 yards and three touchdowns ... Won starting tight end job after returning starter Joe Domingeaux suffered season-ending knee injury during spring drills ... Became only the third LSU tight end to catch at least two touchdown passes in a season since 1987 ... After starting first four games, missed Florida game due to ankle injury ... Made three catches vs. Georgia (22 yards, 1 TD) and vs. Alabama (34 yards, 1 TD) ... Made two catches each at Auburn (21 yards, 1 TD), vs. Kentucky (20 yards), at Notre Dame (16 yards) and at Arkansas (32 yards) ... Scored one touchdown each at Auburn, vs. Georgia, vs. Alabama ... Saw action on 485 offensive plays from scrimmage ... Also saw special teams play, seeing action on kickoff return and PAT/FG protection teams.

HIGH SCHOOL

Selected to the 5A All-State team, Lafayette Advertiser All-Acadiana team, The Advocate Super Dozen Honorable Mention Team, and to the All-District 3-5A Team ... As a senior, recorded 553 yards receiving on 34 receptions, including three touchdowns ... Caught 15 passes for 265 yards and a touchdown as a junior ... Recorded 130 tackles, seven sacks and caused seven fumbles on defense ... Coached by Bobby Green.

PERSONAL

Full name is Kyle Allen Kipps ... Born on Oct. 10, 1978 in Richmond, Va. ... Parents are Rex and Carol Kipps ... Majoring in management ... Father, Rex, is a former assistant football coach at the collegiate level.

Kyle Kipps Career Statistics - Receiving

SEASON	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
1998 Fr.	10/10	16	180	11.3	3	23
1999 So.	3/3	4	45	11.2	1	28
TOTALS	13/13	20	225	11.3	4	28

Kyle Kipps' Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
2000 Jr.	11/7	8	16	24	4-17	1-6	0	0
TOTALS	11/7	8	16	24	4-17	1-6	0	0



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Chad Lavalais

Defensive Tackle
6-3, 291, So., 1VL
Marksville, La.
Marksville HS

- 2000 Freshman All-American, Third Team (The Sporting News)

Talented defender who made an impact in his first season with the Tigers ... Played in all 12 games as a true freshman with three starts ... Did all of this despite sitting out the last two years ... Originally signed with the Tigers in 1998 ... Finally enrolled in school in August of 2000 ... Continues to get better with each practice ... One of two players to earn the 2001 Toby Caston Spring Performance Award, which goes to the player who demonstrates the most improvement during spring drills ... Heads into fall camp listed as LSU's starter at right defensive tackle.

TRUE FRESHMAN SEASON (2000)

A true freshman who burst on to the scene in the second half of the season to become a defensive stalwart ... Made the first start of his career against Alabama and immediately responded with eight tackles while coming up with his first career sack ... For his efforts against Alabama he was named LSU's

Defensive Player of the Week along with Lionel Thomas ... Started the final three games of the regular-season as well as the Peach Bowl ... In all, played in 12 games with four starts ... Finished the year with 22 tackles including three for losses ... Registered two tackles, both for losses and a sack to go with one fumble recovery vs. Georgia Tech in the Peach Bowl ... Named a Third-Team Freshman All-American by The Sporting News.

HIGH SCHOOL

Class 3A All-State as a tight end his senior year of 1997 ... All-District on offense and defense ... All-Parish Defensive MVP ... All-District Defensive MVP his senior season ... Member of The Advocate Super Dozen and Purple & Gold's Great Eight ... Rated as the South's 16th best linebacker according to PrepStar magazine ... He made 76 tackles, including 10 behind the line of scrimmage, two interceptions (one for a TD), one fumble recovery and one blocked punt ... On offense, he grabbed 12 receptions for 331 yards and five touchdowns ... He also rushed for 301 yards and five touchdowns ... Averaged 34.5 yards per kickoff return and had 14 punts for a 36.7 yard average ... District champion in javelin and shot put ... Led Marksville to an 8-2 record in 1997 ... Runs the 40 in 4.8 ... Coached in high school by Benny Brouillette.

PERSONAL

Full name is Chad Douglas Lavalais ... Born on Aug. 15, 1979 in Marksville, La. ... Mother is Carol Lavalais ... Has one brother, Petey ... Majoring in education.

Chad Lavalais' Career Statistics - Defense

SEASON	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TBL	SCK	FR	INT
2000 Fr.	11/3	16	6	22	3-3	1-0	0	0
TOTALS	11/3	16	6	22	3-3	1-0	0	0



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Jeremy Lawrence

Linebacker
6-2, 230, Jr., 2VL
Ferriday, La.
Ferriday HS

- 1999 Freshman All-SEC (SEC Coaches)

One of the unsung heroes of the defense, Lawrence played a significant role in the Tigers' linebacking corps while living in relative anonymity ... Returns as LSU's starter at SAM linebacker after starting 10 of 12 games in 2000 ... Is a fierce hitter and has good speed from the edge.