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Rocky Long : All-time winningest coach in Mountain West history SDSU finished 25th in both notional polls in 2016 Head Coach

• Three-Time Mountain West Coach of the Year

- Aztecs have won two of last four MW titles and three since 2012
- 18 players selected in the NFL Draft in his eight seasons as head coach



Zach Arnett

• Named defensive coordinator in January 2018 • Is in his ninth season at SDSU and sixth as asst. coach

Has worked with the SDSU linebackers all nine years

DC/Linebackers Coach Has coached an all-MW linebacker in seven straight years

**Has spent 12 years working/playing with Coach Long

DEFENSIVE END

Q Myles O Cheatum

6-2 • 265 • Sr.-2L CGP: 36; CGS: 18 Cedar Park, Texas (Cedar Park HS)

TOP NOTE: Entered the year as the only Aztec with a start on the d-line (11), while his 29 GP were 3 more than the rest of the DL 2-deep (26).

Notes: Current; Career; Person

Athletic, relentless defensive lineman with veteran leadership ... Has 18 caree storts and 36 games played ... 20 TCK, 5.0 TFL, 3.5 SCK in 7 S5 this year ... Career: 69 tackles, 11.5 TFL, 7.5 sacks, 2 FF & 1 FR ... 2018: Had 27 tackles, 3.5 TFL, 2 sacks, & 4 QBH in in 13 GP (3 GS) ... 2017: 18 stops, 3 TFL, 2 sacks,

BACKUP

58 Connor Mitchell

u-5 ▼ 26U ◆ So.-IL CGP: 20; CGS: 0

Island Lakes, III. (Wauconda HS)

Notes: Is the second-most experienced defensive lineman with 20 career games played ... Had eight tackles, including 1 TFL in 2018, playing all 13 games off the bench ... Redshirted in 2017 ... All-state at Waucondo HS in Island Lakes, Ill. ... Led HS league in sacks ... A communication major.

LINEBACKER (SAM)

Caden **+** McDonald

6-3 * 230 * So.-1L Haslet, Texas (Northwest HS)

TOP NOTE: Has four career starts (all this season), including the last three games.

Notes: Current; Career; Perso

Is coming off another solid spring, where he earned a starting role at the "Sam" linebacker and held that position through the fall camp... A physical linebacker, who continues to get bigger in the weight room... Has 18 tackles, 2.5 TFL, 0.5 sacks, 1 INT, 1 FR & 3 QBH in 7 GP (4 GS)... 1st FR tockies, Z-51Ft, O.5 socks, 1 IMT, 1 FR 2-3 QBH in 7 GP (4 GS)... 1 st FR utU.A... 1 st III of 15 JU... Recorded 2 tockles in 13 genues off the beach in 2018, working behind 3 year statter Ronley Lokaloka... Red-brited in 2017... Totaled a school-record 290 tackles over his 3 year career an Northwest HS in Husley, Texes.... Was Northwest High's defensive player of the year all 3 seasons... Was rated as the 10th-best 1 Be recurit in the tolent-rich steer of Texes... Also fortex & field stor, gualifying for state meet... A kinesiology major with an emphasis as fitness specialist.

BACKUP

12 Troy Cassidy

6-3 + 230 + Sr.-3L

CGP: 44; CGS: 27 Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad HS)

Smart, athletic player ... His 27 career starts are 2nd most among Aztec def. players (fairig Hompson, 33) ... Hes 28 models (2 TFL) 8.5 DBH ... 2018. 4.5 TGC, 4 TFL, 25 SGK in 1.3 GPL (265.) 2 2017.3 1 XGC ... 2016.1.1 GP. _. Career. 114 TGC, 8.5 TFL, 4 SGK ... 178 models (119 solo) w/ 10 sodes over his 3-yr career at CHS.

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

5 Cameron Thomas

6-5 * 260 * Fr.-RS Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad HS)

TOP NOTE: Entered the season with no playing time on the defensive line, but has started all seven games this year.

Notes: Current; Care

Young, athletic defensive lineman with a ton of potential ... An excellent Young, offheit defensive lineman with a ton of potential ... An excellent post rubher ... Is the lone projected freshman starter an defense... Has 29 tackles, S. 0.TFL and 2.5 sacks in 2019 ... Played in one game in 2018 as a true freshman, logging special teams play vs. Ohlo in the DXL Frisco Bowl... Was on the travel squarf for three games... Played his prep ball at Carlsbad High School, along with fellow Aztest. Tray Cassidy (starting will kill himobacks) and Zachary Homes (lockup) left fackle), and SDUI's all-time winningest quarterback Christian Chapman ... Had 88 tackles and 9.5 sacks over his final two sessons at Carlsbad High ... Older brother, actively compared to the control of the control of

BACKUP

66 Jonah Tavai

/TUH-vie/

6-0 • 315 • So.-TR CGP:7; CGS: Manhattan Beach, CA (Mira Costa HS/El Camino College) Manhattan Beach, CA (Mirra Costa HS/H Camuno College)
Mores: Bip body who continues to learn the defense. Jo Tkin 1s 17
gomes. ... All-league pick at ECC in 2018 ... 3-time all-league selection at
Mira Costa HS. ... Also a star rugby player ... lurns 19 on Dec. 13. .. Brother
Johloni, plays 18 for Derical Lines. Chier brother; Jouss, plays at Howei'i.

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LINEBACKER (MIKE)

Kyahva /Key-AH-va/ Tezino /Tuh-zeeno/

6-0 * 235 * Sr.-3L CGP: 42; CGS: 25 Los Angeles, Calif. (Salesian HS)

TOP NOTE: Has led the team (or tied for the team lead) in tackles in 17 of the 25 career games he has started.

On three watch lists (Bednarik Award, Nagurski Award & Butkus Award) ... Preseason 1st-team all-MW ... Explosive run-stopping ath-Lete. .. Hos 59 tockles, 5.5TFL, 2.0 SCK, 2FF, 11T, 2 PBU & 12 SBH ... MW
Def. PolW for 3rd time of his career at UCLA (9 TCK, 1.5 TFL, 1.0 SCK, 1 FF, 1 QBH) ... 13 TCK, 2.5 TFL, 1.0 SCK, 1 FF at CSU ... Had 127 TCK, 14.5 TFL, 108H). 13 TCK, 2.5 TR, 1.0 SCK, 1 FF of CSU ... The di 127 TCK, 1.4.5 TR, 5 SCK & 7 108H to year ... Was 154 mean 14M W. 8.5 DSV Parl ... 127 stops were 24 more than the 2 on the team. 62 more than the 3.8 Bith most 555U bistory ... 2017: 59 TCK, 6 TR, 2 SCK (3.6 TCK, 6 TR, 2 SCK over final 5 6P (1s) 5 starts) ... 17 tecls vs. Army in APB ... 2016: 5 TCK, 1.5 SCK ... 2015: KS, coming the team's def. scoot Parl ... __conegr. 250 TCK, 1.5 TCK, 1.5 SCK ... 2015: KS coming the team's def. scoot Parl ... __conegr. 250 TCK, 1.5 SCK ... 2015: KS coming the team's def. scoot Parl ... __conegr. 250 TCK, 1.5 SCK ... 2015 TCK, 2015 TCK,

BACKUP

6 Michael Shawcroft

6-2 + 225 + Fr.-HS CGP: 7; CGS: 0 San Diego, Calif. (Helix HS)

Notes: Impressed early, getting reps with the 2nd-string defense almost immediately in fall camp. ... Has great speed 8. tenacity. ... 2 stops ... Was the 2018 CIF San Diego Section Def. Pot? 8. 2-time all-CIF 1st-team at nearby Helbx It5 ... Majoring in physics w/ plans to become an astonomer.

DEFENSIVE END

7 Keshawn **Banks**

6-4 • 270 • So.-1L CGP: 19; CGS: 7 Rio Rancho, N.M. (Rio Rancho HS)

TOP NOTE: Had a great game at New Mexico State on Sept. 14, recording 5 tackles, 2.0 sacks & 2.0 TFL.

Notes: Current; Career; Personal
Talented, young defensive end who had a solid 2018 fall camp & played immediately as a true freshman, despite 4 seniors on the defensive line
... Emerged as a starter in the spring, which carried into fall camp ... Has
22 tackles (7.5 TFL), 3.0 sacks & 1 PBU in his first career 7 starts this 22 tacktes (7.5 TFL), 3.0 socks & I PBU in his hirst career 7 starts his year. Hod 7 tackke, including 11 TH, in 2 genes off the bench... Only missed the Nevedo game (nimy)... Played 810 nongs lest secson....tel kin Ranche High in the Albeuquerque (N.M.) area to a 13-0 record & state championship in 2016, & 6-9-3 mark in 2017... Hod 133 tackdes, 37 TH, 18 sacks, 8 78US, 3 forced fumbles, 3 fumble recoveries & on interception in his 3 secsors at 16 Ranche HS. Exemed all-state hones... Also played backethold & lettered in track & field ... Undecided on a major.

BACKUP

52 Jalil Lecky

/IAH-leel

6-5 + 240 + Ir.-RS 6-5 * 240 * Jr.-IcS

CGP: \$: CGS-6

Antioch, Calif. (Heritage HS/College of San Mateo)

Notes: Tall, athletic d-lineman... Has 4 toddes & a sock in 1st 5 GP his year

... RS in 2018, while working wy both the DL & IBs... Led the College of San

Mateos to a 18 S-read from 2016-17, induding a 11-2 mark & a span in the
2017 California JuGo championship game... Propped at Heritage HS.

LINEBACKER (WILL)

Q Q Andrew **O** Aleki /uh-LECK-ee/

6-3 • 230 • Jr.-2L CGP: 31; CGS: 4

Honolulu, Hawaii (Kamehameha HS

TOP NOTE: One of four Aztecs from the state of Hawai'i and the only one to log extensive snaps on either side of the ball.

Notes: Current; Career; Person Young, stout linebacker who has played since he was a true freshman in

Young, stout linebacker who has played since he was a true freshman in 1071. — Has played in 31 games with fros testos verb is creece, induding three this year ... Hod five tackles, 2.0 TFL and a sack in a stort at New Mexico State ... Played in 12 of the team's 13 games last year, storting the DXL Frisco Bowls. Vol. 100... Hod 22 tackles and one pass breakup ... Had 16 tackles and a fumble recovery in 12 games as a true freshman in 2017 ... Prepaped at Kamehameha High School in Honolulu ... Ranked as sixth-best recruit in Howali by 247-Sports and second-best outside line-backer in the stat by Scout... Full name is Andrew Ka'ee Aleki ... Majoring in nevcholory. in psychology.

BACKUP

Troy **L** Cassidy

6-3 + 230 + Sr.-3L CGP: 44; CGS: 27

Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad HS)

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Defensive Tidbits

* Zach Arnett is serving as the team's defensive coordinator for the second season at SDSU, but head coach Rocky Long will still call the game. Since long took over as the defensive coordinator in 2009, Son Diego State's defense ranks 8th nationally in rush avg. (3.6), 14th in total defense (341.9) and 16th in yards per touch (6.3).

The Aztecs have had five of the best defensive seasons nationally and are off to another good start this year. Below are total ranks of the last five-plus seasons:

	Scoring	Total	Pass	Rush
2014	13th	16th	19th	48th
2015	7th	5th	10th	7th
2016	17th	11th	42nd	7th
2017	21st	11th	15th	32nd
2018	32nd	22nd	66th	7th
2019	9th	8th	49th	3rd
2014-19	8th	6th	14th	5th
2015-19	10th	6th	16th	3rd

- The Aztecs have allowed just 96 through the first seven games of the season, which is the sixth-fewest points allowed through the first seven games in their DI history (since 1969).
- Opponents this year have had 81 drives where they have tried to score on SDSU's defense (excludes kneel downs to end half/game). The Azters have forced 3 and outs (or better) in 36 of those drives (44.4 pt.). SDSU is averaging 5.14 3 and outs per game.
- ◆ The Aztecs are allowing 270.3 yards (8th nationally) and 13.7 points (9th nationally) per game this season. In SDSU's opponents' other games, they are averaging 414.8 yards and games, mo, 30.0 points per game.
- ◆ SDSU ranks third in FBS play this year in both rushing yards allowed per game (62.6) and in defensive rush average (2.4). Over the last two years, San Diego State ranks second in def. RYPG (89.4) and in second in def. RYPC (2.8).
- The Aztecs went the first five games of the sesson last year without allowing a rush longer than 17 yards. San Diego State allowed only three rushes (out of 453, 0.66 pc.) for 20 or longer last year. This year opponents have rushed 183 times vs. SDU with only three attempts (1.64 pct.) longer than 20 yards.
- SDSU's opponents have converted just 14 of its last 49 attempts (.286) on fourth down against the Aztecs.
- \bullet The Aztecs have held an opponent to single digits 13 times since the beginning of the 2015 season (61 games).
- ◆ Since the beginning of 2015 (61 games), San Diego State's defense ranks first in interceptions (81) and tied for 10th interception TDs (10).

CORNERBACK

Luq /Luke/ Barcoo /BAR-koo/

6-1 • 175 • Sr.-1L CGP: 18; CGS: 7 San Diego, CA (Grossmont College/Castle Park HS) TOP NOTE: Was named the MW Defensive Player of the Week on Oct. 7 after his 3-interception game at CSU.

Notes: Current; Career; Perso A Jim Thorpe Award semifinalist ... Grossmorn College transfer who impressed in 2018 fall camp & mode the 2-deep ... Worked himself into a starter in the spring ... Has 1st 7 cares tstarts this year, making 29 tockles (27 solo), 30 TR, 5 INT 8 9 PBU ... ESS ranks: T-2nd in INT (5) & 2005056 defended (IVII & PBILL) (4) 6 TVY 3 UNIT in consention and 10010 (INT + PBU) (14) ... 6 TCK, 3 INT in consecutive snaps, 1 PBU at CSU ... 2018: 20 tackles, 4 PBUs & an INT in 11 games Gareer: 49 TCK, 3.0 TFL, 6 INT, 13 PBU ... Played both sides of the ball at Grossmont Coll.... In 2017, had 35 rec. for 767 yds (21.9 avg.) & 7 TD, while adding 3 INT in 2 yrs ... Played both ways at Castle Park HS in nearby Chula Vista.

BACKUP

2 Noten Harris

6-0 * 185 * Sr.-SQ CGP: 7; CGS: 0 San Diego, CA (SD Mesa College/Patrick Henry HS)

San Diego, CA ISD Mesa College/fathack Fenny FSS Notes: Logged first time on special teams in first seven games this year ... Is coming off a solid fall camp ... Old not play his first season at SDSU in 2018 ... Spent have sea-sons at San Diego Mesa College, leading the Olympians to an 11-2 record in 2017 and a Southern California Bowl title... Had a combined 44 badkes 11 pass breakups and an interception ... Prepped at local Patrick Henry HS.

FIELD WARRIOR

Tariq /toh-REEK/ **†** Thompson

6-0 • 200 • Jr.-2L CGP: 33; CGS: 33
San Diego, Calif. (St. Augustine HS)
TOP NOTE: Has started all 33 games since arriving to compus as a true freshman in 2017.

Computes of the firshmon in 2017.

On the Jim Thorpe Award Wortch List ... A presension 1s1-leam all-MW selection ... Ibu 8 acres IMITE-6th among active 85 players) in jet 33 6P. .. Has the most starts at 5500, despite inning 20 on Aug. 9. ... Has 5 10 KC (23 sold). 878U, 11MI 8 2 FR. ... Znd-leam all-MW in 2018 after making of the class of the control of the cont defense since CB Leon McFadden started at CSU on 0.24.09 detense since to Lean Mcroader started or CSU on U.24.VD (Cooth Long's 1st year as SDSU's DC) ... IMM Def. Pol'Ws. UMM (8 TCK, 2 INT, 2 PBU, 1 TFL) ... Career: 153 TCK, 9 TFL, 8 INT, 20 PBU, 3 FF, 4 FR ... Played both sides of the ball at local 51. Augustine HS under current sofelies cooch Richard Sanchez.

BACKUP

20Rashad Scott

6-2 • 195 • So.-1L CGP: 13; CGS: 0 San Diego, Calif. (Helix HS)

Notes: Young, mort player who returned from an injury which occurred during the summer to play two games on special teams ... Hold a tackle and a fumble recovery vs. Wyoming ... Hold one stop in 11 games on special teams in 2018 as a true freshman ... Led Helix HS to a 34-7 record in his three years (2015-17), including a state championship berth in 2017 ... Also a 18 f stat.

AZTEC

36 DWayne Johnson Jr.

6-2 • 215 • Jr.-2L CGP: 32; CGS: 8 Murrieta, Calif. (Vista Murrieta HS)

TOP NOTE: Had 12 tackles & 1.5 TFL in 2nd career start vs. Weber St. (entered with 16 career TCK in 25 GP).

Notes: Current; Career; Persona Hard-hitting safety, who took over for 3-year starter Parker

BACKUP

33 Patrick McMorris

6-0 • 180 • Fr.-HS CGP: 3; CGS: 0 Santa Ana, Calif. (Santa Ana HS)

Santa Ana, Calli. (Santa Ana H5)
Notes: Is coming off a good comp, voulling to No. 2 spot in the signature Aztec position in Long's 3-3-5 defense ... Pleyed 1 year of Sonto Ana Rhy, Bedding team to a 10-3 record in 2018 & 50 league mark ... Ron for 1,801 yerds & 23 Tb., while cotching 17 posses for 375 yeards & 2 Tb. ... Hed 99 stops on defense with 2 interceptions ... Prevously starred of Godinez H5.

BOUNDARY WARRIOR

O Thompson

6-2 • 200 • Jr.-2L CGP: 31; CGS: 9
Palm Springs, Calif. (Palm Springs HS) **TOP NOTE:** Has nine starts for his career, including last game at San Jose State for the first time this season.

Playmaker, who started eight times and played all 13 games last year at Boundary Warrior ... Has 19 stops this season in seven games (one start) ... Made 57 tackles las year with 2.0 TFL, 1.0 SCK, 2 PBUs, 1 INT & 1 FF ... 2017 year with 2.0 TFL, 1.0 SCK, 2 PBUS, 1 INT 8.1 Fr. ... 2017: Redshirled with ne todke in three gomes. ... 2016: Mode nine stops with a pass breakup as a true freshman ... Co-rear: 86 TCK, 2.0 TFL, 1.0 SCK, 1 INT, 3 PBU, 1 FF. ... Led PBUM Springs; High School to a C.4.3 GB99 record over his three years where he logged 219 tackles, seven TFL, four interceptions, six forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries and six blocked fists. ... Was high stool teammates with fellow Warrior Tayler Hawkins ... A social science major.

BACKUP

32 Tayler Hawkins

6-1 ◆ 205 ◆ Jr.-2L CGP: 30; CGS: 8 Palm Springs, Calif. (Palm Springs HS) Notes: Hord-hitting orthole, who has played the loat 30 games with 8 abrats ... Hos great technique ... Ots of 10 tackles 2.7 Hz of UCA ... Has 19 tackles 8.3 FH. this year in 7.6 PG 3.50. 2018. 35 facilities, 17 Hz. 5 FBUS ... 2017. 5 slops on special teams ... 2016. PS ... A 4-year letter winner at Polm Springs HS with fellow 5 Treation Thompson. ... Helped PSHs 10 4.3 reacred to WR, DB & P. IMLE 10. 77 Kyree Woods (6-0, 190, 5-31), and the size in the policy of the polic

CORNERBACK

🔿 Darren **OHall**

6-0 • 180 • So.-1L CGP: 20; CGS: 8 Pasadena, Calif. (Rancho Cucamonga HS) TOP NOTE: Came up with interceptions on his back-to-back snaps in 2018 vs. Eastern Michigan and Boise State.

Notes: Current; Career; Personal A ball hawk w/ good instincts ... Missed 1st game & most A boll howk w/ good instinct. ... Missed ist game & most of 22 ndv. VLQ. by his sourced led 5 nd 8 w/ 22 TCV, 2-5 TFL, 0.5 SCK, 9 PBU & 2 FF. ... MIV ranks: 2nd in passed elf. PG 1.150 Jk. T-4th in FF PG (0.33) ... Wes SDSU's C-Frosh of the Year w/ 45 tockles (34 solo), 2 INT, 3 PBU, a sock & a FF. ... Wes a 2 -time IAW Del, Powl (4 TCK, 1 INT in OT YS. EMU & 9 TCK, 1 SCK, 1 FF, 1 INT at S5), despite not starting either game ... RS in 2017 w/ 2 stops in 2 GP played. <u>Career:</u> 69 TCK, 4.5 TFL, 2.0 SCK, 2 INT, 12 PBU, 3 FF. <u>Led Rancho Cucamonga HS to a 12-1 record in 2016, earr</u> ing 1st-team all-league honors ... A comm. major.

BACKUP

17Eric Wilson

6-0 • 185 • Jr.-TR CGP: 1; CGS: 0
Oceanside, CA (Riverside City College/El Camino HS)

Notes: Worked himself into the two-deep after joining Notes: worked minser into the two-deep driet planing the Aztes in the fall ... Played 3 statless stops at CBU.
Totaled 69 tackles (50 solo) over his two seasons at Riverside CBY, College along with 4 FIT, 5 interceptions, 18 pass breakups & a blocked kick ... Errared all-California horse as a sophomore in 2018 & was a two-time all-league park ... Prepped at El Camino High ... Undecided on a major.

San Diego State Aztecs

2019 Record: 6-1, 3-1 MW Nine Straight Bowl Game Appearances MW Champions: 2016, 2015, 2012 | 21-Time Conference Champions



Jeff Horton

• Fifth season as offensive coordinator (ninth year at SDSU overall)

- SDSU has the second-fewest turnovers (61) under his watch (min. 50 GP)
- Also has head coaching stints at UNLV (1994-98) & Nevada (1993)
- Assoc. HC/Off. Coordinator/RB's Coach . Coached four years in the NFL (2006-08 at 5t. Louis, 2009 at Detroit). Started coaching career in 1984 as a GA at Minnesota under Lou Holtz.

LEFT TACKLE

Kvie

McKinleyville, Calif. (McKinleyville High) Started first seven games at LT ... Was recruited to SDSU as a TE, but moved to OL in the fall of 2017 ... Says that he is more comfortable at LT as he has practiced at that position more ... comortione at u. as ne nes procisce at mital position more ...
Physyd in all 3 games last year, starting final 3 at RT ... Physed
3 games in '17 logging 44 snaps ... RS in 2016 as at E... 08
McKlinleyville HS, throwing for 5,103 years & 54 ftD, & cushing
for 969 years & 2570 ... Also purted for Peruthers ... Wes
all-county & Iteum NVP ... Also played baseball & basketball
........Majoring in criminal justice.

7 Jacob **Capra**

6-5 • 315 • Jr.-TR CGP: Auburn, Calif. (Univ. or Oregon)

Versatile OL, who spent previous 3 yrs at Oregon under 3 dif-ferent OC's ... Joined SDSU for the '19 spring camp & hos 2 years left ... Started list 4 this year of RT ... Phyed 5T next 2 - Phyed 55 sangs at IT last week at SSD ... Has allowed just 2 sacks (0 this year) & 6 QBH for his career ... 15 GP; I SS at 2 states, of this year; a control in its clarer ... 1967; 1534 mg/s. Acad. HM pick. Eroduated from Oregon in June w/o degree in general social science & crime lowes obely. ... Working on his moster's in homeland security & conflict resolution. ... Other brother, Johnny, played at Utah, while younger brother, Joey, is TR-Fr. at SOSU.

LEFT GUARD

Daishawn

6-5 * 330 * Sr.-3L San Antonio, Texas (Wm. Howard Taft HS)

TOP NOTE: Is the most experienced Aztec on either side of the ball with 46 career games played.

Notes: Current; Career; Personal

Notes: Current; Career; Personal
Pronunciation: DAY-shawn... Played every snap this season... PFF Notional Team of the Week for his play at MMSU...
Big body who moves well (can pull)... Made 32 regular-season
straight starts at LG & played in 46 straight regular-season games ... 3rd-most snaps played on team in '18 (808) and '17 (819) ... Logged 34 offensive snaps in '16, the most among OL reserves ... That season he played in all 14 games, mostly Utestves. Interaction the puryea in all 14 games, mostly in PAT & Fo units... Redshired during the 15 compagin ... Represented the U.S. National Select Teom in a 20-15 vidroy over the IFAF World Teom on Jan. 31, 2015 at AT&T Stadum in Affington, Rews... Born Phoenix, propped in San Antonio.

BACKUP

C

64 Chris Martinez

6-4 * 305 * So.-SQ CGP: 0; CGS: 0 Turlock, Calif. (Pitman HS)

Has not played yet ... Redshirted in 2017 ... A three-time letterwinner at Pitman High in Turlock, Calif. ... A three-star prep recruit ... Twice named first-team all-Central California Conference ... Was born in San Jose, Calif.

CENTER

Keith

Oakland, Calif. (Sacred Heart Cathedral Prep)

TOP NOTE: One of only two players on the entire team to start every game he has played in (also Tariq Thompson).

Pronunciation: iz-MALE ... On two watch lists (Out-land for top interior lineman & Rimington for top center) ... All-MW preseason team ... Leader of the o-line... Last season he started 12 games (6 of C, 5 of RG and 1 at LG) ... Named 1st-team all-MW (2018) & 2nd-team all-MW (2017) ... Started all 13 games in 2017 (8 at C, 5 at RG) ... 1 of 2 non-senior 0-lineman to make the MW 1st or 2nd team (made 2nd) ... Was on the depth chart in 2016 at LG, but did not play & was able to maintain his RS ... Was a 1st-team all-league pick & a 2nd-team all-Metro selection as a Sr. at Sacred Heart Cathedral Prep ... Also played lax at SHCP ... An international & conflict resolution major.

BACKUP

56 Dominic Gudino

6-3 * 300 * Jr.-2L CGP: 22; CGS Chula Vista, Calif. (Olympian HS)

Pronunciation: GOO-deeno ... Started at RG at NMSU ... Started 8 times last year & has 15 career starts (10 at C, 5 at RG) ... Earned 3 letters at local Olympian HS in Chula Vista, captaining 2 yrs ... Was a Blue-Grey All-American ... A kinesiology major.

RIGHT GUARD

Chula Vista, Calif. (Eastlake High)

TOP NOTE: Nephew of Freddie Dunkle, who played at San Diego State from 2004-07.

Notes: Current; Career; Personal

A big, raw offensive lineman who enjoys contact ... Weighed 380 when he arrived on campus, currently listed at 350 ... Played every snap is his college debut and has played 453 snaps ugh seven weeks ... Has been named to the Pro Football Focus Mountain West Team of the Week twice this season ... Also started at UCLA, Utah State, at Colorado State, vs. Wyoming and at San Jose State ... Redshirred last year ... A three-year letter-winner and two-time captain at nearby Eastlake High in Chula Vista, Calif. ... His 2017 prep team finished 10-3 and was CIF runner-up ... Does not turn 20 until a month after the 2019 sec-

BACKUP

62 Jacob Jimenez

6-5 * 300 * Sr.-TR CGP: 16; CGS: 0 Pflugerville, Texas (Brigham Young Univ.) Saw action on special teams in week one ... Joined the Aztecs after spending four years at Brigham Young, playing in 15 games and 134 offensive snaps in three seasons

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RIGHT TACKLE

2 Zachary

6-5 + 300 + Ir.-1I Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad HS)

TOP NOTE: Started last three games, his first starts since tearing his ACL on Sept. 15, 2018 vs. Arizona State.

Notes: Current; Career; Persona A local lineman out of Carlsbad HS who was in the mix for playing time in 2018 after working as a reserve in 2017 ... Has solid technique ... Tore his ACL in the 3rd game of 2018 (his 2nd technique... Tore his ACI in the 2rd game of 2018 (his 2nd straight start). Raised all of the 2019 sping, seeson... Started the year as the bockup IT, but is now expected to start at right tackle for the 4th straight game his week... Played in 3 games in 2018 with § 2 start... Swo action in all 20 games of the beach in 2017... Redshirted in 2016... Alongside fellow 2016 recruit Troy (cssist), helped lead Carlshad HS to an Avecado West League chamipoinship. "Owagare braineship." Owagare forther. Cameron, is a starting defensive tockle as a redshirt freshman.

BACKUP

5 Desmond Bessent

6-7 • 310 • So.-SQ CGP: 2; CGS: 0 Tampa, Fla. (Sickles HS)

Pronunciation: BESS-ent ... On two-deep for 2nd straight season ... Played special teams in 2 gms in 2018 ... Utilized his redshirt season last year as a true freshman (2017) ... Played high school ball in Tampa ... Criminal justice major.

H-BACK / TE

O 🔿 Parker **O ∠** Houston

6-3 * 250 * Sr.-3L 6-3 * 250 * Sr.-3L CGP: 43; CGS: 30 Sparks, Nev. (Edward S. Reed High)

TOP NOTE: Is the most experienced receiver (WR, RB or TE) on the offensive side of the ball w/30 career starts (No. 2 has 14 career starts).

GP GS Art; YGS, Vay, TD Lg, 100+ No, YdS, Avg, TD Lg, 100+ No, YdS, Avg, TD Lg, 100+ No, YdS, Avg, TD Lg, 7 6 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 6 41 6.8 0 19 Notes: Current; Carreor, Personal Assistant HC/OC Jeff Horton calls him 'Our hockey goon' and syrs' he is the heart of our heam'. Played in 43 games with 30 starts (20 straight snapped to theweld CSSU). The Javipad 4970 of 259 snaps his year, Played 660 of feative anops lost season, most on his side of the holl among non-affersive losses. lineman ... Career numbers: 33 receptions, 307 yards, 3 TDs, 9.3 yac ... 2017: Started 7 w/ 6 rec. for 56 yards ... 2016: 5 rec. for 32 yds. & 1 TD as a true frosh, being named SDSU Co-Freshman of the Year (Juwan Washington) ... Al-1763), persignanted 2000 of reasonation to the control of the persignal of

TIGHT END

88 Daniel Bellinger

6-6 * 250 * So.-1L CGP: 16; CGS: 5 Las Vegas, Nev. (Palo Verde High)

Has 6 catches for 79 yards & 2 TD in 1st 5 starts ... Had a 2-yd TD catch at NMSU ... 2 rec., 40 yds, inc. 12-yd TD in GW drive vs. WYO ... Last season, he played in the final 9 games (59 snops) as a TR-Fr... Had 1 catch for 10 yds & was used primarily in big personnel packages ... A 2-way player in high school (TE & LB)... 1st-team all-state as a linebacker.

RUNNING BACK

O Juwan **49 Washington**

5-7 ◆ 190 ◆ Sr.-3L Fort Worth, Texas (Kennedale HS)

TOP NOTE: Ranks 10th in school history in both rushing yards (2,542) and all-purpose yards (3,837).

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5 Jordan Byrd

Albuquerque, N.M. Manzano HS

Speedster ... 118 yds., 2 TD at NMSU ... 2nd in MW in PR avg. (7.8) ... 2018: SDSU Co-Frosh of the Year w/ 297 AP yds & 1 TD ... Prepped as QB. OR

1 Chance Bell

CGP: 11; CGS: Burbank, Calif. John Burroughs HS

Tough runner ... 116 yds., 1 TD at NMSU ... 52 att., 256 yds, 1 TD in 2019 ... 2018: 40 att., 189 yds ... 2017: RS ... 4,525 yds, 59 TD at JBHS. OR

Chase **ZZ** Jasmin CGP: 33; CGS: 5-11 * 195 * Jr.-2L Agoura Hills, Calif. Westlake HS

Shifty RB ... 50-yd TD at SJSU ... 26 att., 144 yds, 2 TD in 2019 ... 2018: 138-582-1 (+1 rec. TD) ... 2017: 33-137-2 ... 2016: RS ... Competitive boxer as youth.

QUARTERBACK

Ryan Agnew

6-0 • 200 • Sr.-3L Southlake, Texas (Carroll HS)

TOP NOTE: Owns a 12-2 record as a starter with wins over nationally-ranked opponents Arizona State and Boise State (on the road).

GP GS Cmp. Att. Pct. Int. TD Yds. Rtg. 7 7 126 196 64.3 2 9 1,242 130.63 Notes: Current; Career; Personal

CH 293 yards at UCLA ... 16-for-20, 3 TD, 0 INT at CSU ... Has 7 TD since CH 293 yards at UCA. ... 16-for-20, 3 TD, 0 INT at CSU ... Has 7 TD since last INT vs. USU on 9/21 (CL 102 art.) ... 2018 SDSU Off. Player of the Year ... Athlefic, mobile 08 ... Storted 7 games for injured Christian Chapman last year, gaing 6-1 w/ 3 2nd-half come-from-behind victories ... Postad wins over 23/25 SAU (1st 6-08 to win starting debut vs. a ranked P5 team since 2009) 8. at rv/25 BSU ... 1,252 yds., 10 TD, 6 INT last year ... 283 yds, 3 TD at Nevada ... Just 1 INT in 149 career passes on the road ... 2017 - 41or-7 for 47 yds in 7 GP, rushing 52 times on 10 att. ... 2016: 2-for-2 for 29 yds ... 2015: RS (off. scoar player of the year) ... Passed for 6,967 yds. 8 56 TD at Carroll H5 in Texas ... Econ. major ... AS H2/OL 6ff flootage facts him so Clark Kent facts kind advanced. Asst. HC/OC Jeff Horton refers to him as Clark Kent for his calm demeanor.

BACKUP

3 Carson Baker

6-3 • 190 • Fr.-RS CGP: 0; CGS: 0 San Diego, Calif. (Helix HS)

Entered fall camp fourth on the depth chart but emerged as the backup at the position ... Redshirted in 2018, but did make the travel squad for Three road games ... felped lead his prep team, the Highlanders, to a 34-7 record and a state championship game appearance in his three years on the varsity ... One of three players (Rashad Scott and Michael Show-croft) to attend Helix High (located 3.0 miles from the SDSU campus).

E RECEIVER

1 Ethan Dedeaux

5-9 ◆ 185 ◆ So.-1L Las Vegas, Nev. (Liberty HS) CGP: 15; CGS: 10 GS ec. Yds. Avg. Long
3 26 8.7 12

Notes: Current; Career; P

Pronunciation: DAY-doh ... Has 3 catches for 26 yards in 5 GP (2 GS) ... Started 8 of 10 appearances, missing 3 games (1 with inj., 2 personal) last season ... Had 6 catches for 90 yards (15.0 avg.) vs. Sac State in last season's home opener (90 yards were most by an Aztec freshman since at least 1996) notine openic (30 years were miss by an incent mean last the mean in the control of the control

BACKUP

1 BJ Bushee

5-8 • 155 • So.-1L C Long Beach, Calif. (St. Anthony HS)

Promoudation. ButZ-bee. wilds now mide receiver who sow playing time last season... Played in final 11 games of the 2018 compaign... 8 rac. for 1.36 yards and a touchdown (Eastern Michigan) last season... 6 rec., 89 yds. (14.8 ray) last year in 267 ... 85 in 2016... Pepped at St. Authony High ... 3x first-team all-QE... A social science major

Offensive Tidbits

- Since Jeff Horton took over as offensive coordinator nince Jeth Horfoli took over as oftensive coordinator prior to the 2015 campaign, San Diego State is 14th na-tionally in rushing yards per game (219.4), 27th in rush-ing yards per carry (4.9) and 36th in rushing touchdowns (122).
- ◆ San Diego State is 43-2 the last 44 times it has rushed for at least 200 yards.
- SDSU has a 100-yard rusher has at least one in 28 of its last 47 games since 2016 (37, 100-yard rushers total) and 37 of the 61 games since Jeff Horton took over as the offensive coordinator in 2015 (49, 100-yard rushers
- San Diego State had two rushers at New Mexico State (Jordan Byrd - 118 and Chance Bell - 116) on Sept. 14 for the 30th time in program history. The Aztecs are 29-1 in those occasions, including a 16-0 mark in the Rocky Long era, and now have multiple 100-yard rushers nine times in the last 43 games.
- San Diego State has the fewest interceptions thrown since the 2015 season (22, min. 50 GP), four less than No. 2 (Georgia Southern and LSU, 26).
- ◆ The Aztecs are 35-4 the last 39 times they have scored at least 30 points and 47-9 in the Rocky Long era when scoring 30-plus points.
- ◆ Since Oct. 3, 2015, San Diego State is 40-7 when scoring at least 20 points. The Aztecs are 72-18 in the Rocky Long era when scoring just 20 points.
- ◆ Since the beginning of 2014, SDSU is 43-9 when committing one turnover or less and 9-13 when having two or more turnovers in the game. San Diego State has one turnover or less in 45 of the 61 games since the start of
- SDSU is 37-6 in the last 43 games when owning an edge in time of possession
- San Diego State threw for 293 yards at UCLA on Sept. 7. its most in the Jeff Horton Offensive Coordinator era (since 2015).

SPECIALISTS

PAT's/FG's: 2 Matt Araiza, 6-2, 195, Fr.-RS

Season/Career: FGs: 12-for-14 (.857) | Long: 47 | PATs: 16-for-16

Punts: 59 Brandon Heicklen, 6-0, 190, Sr. 2L

➤ Season: 40 | Avg.: 44.3 | Long: 59 | TB: 2 | 120: 17 | 50+: 15

➤ Career: 167 | Avg.: 41.2 | Long: 59 | TB: 6 | 120: 61 | 50+: 34

Kickoffs: 2 Matt Araiza, 6-2, 195, Fr.-RS

Season: 36 | Avg.: 62.0 | TB: 27 | OB: 0 | Avg. Opp. Start: 25 Short / Long Snapper: 50 Turner Bernard, 6-1, 225, Jr.-2L Holder: 59 Brandon Heicklen, 6-0, 190, Sr.-2L Kick Returns: 29 Juwan Washington & 22 Chase Jasmin • Washington (Career) - KR: 43 | Yds: 1,017 | Aug: 23.7 | TD: 3 | Long: 96

- ▶ Jasmin (Career) KR: 2 | Yds: 26 | Avg.: 13.0 | TD: 0 | Long: 20

 Punt Returns: 15 Jordan Byrd, 5-9, 170, So.-1L
- ▶ Byrd (Season) PR: 12 | Yds: 93 | Avg.: 7.8 | Long: 17
 ▶ Byrd (Career) PR: 15 | Yds: 100 | Avg.: 6.7 | Long: 17

ALSO: No. 26 Kaegun Williams (5-9, 190, So.-11) _ GF-1265:1 Z RECEIVER

X RECEIVER Kobe

6-2 + 190 + So.-1L CGP: 19; CGS: 6 Compton, Calif. (Junipero Serra HS)

GS
 Rec.
 Yds.
 Avg.
 Long

 34
 436
 12.8
 42

 Notes: Current; Career; Per

Is having a breakout season ... Has team-highs of 34 catches, 436 yards (12.8 avg.) & touchdowns (4) ... MW ranks: T-4th in receiving TD (4), 5th in receptions per game (4.9), & 9th in receiving yards per game (62.3)
... Already has more receiving TD (4) than SDSU's top receivers last year (3 apiece by Tim Wilson Jr. & Fred Trevillion ... 7 rec., 132 vds & 1st career TD at UCLA ... 7-102-1 vs. USU ... 7-101-2 at CSU ... <u>1st Aztec w/ b-t-b</u> 100-yd gms. since Ezell Rufffin in 2013 ... Saw action as a true freshman last season (2018)... 12 6P (2 65), w/9 rec. for 113 yds... 107 rec. for 1,689 yds & 13 TD at JSHS from 2016-17 ... Turned 19 in July.

BACKUP

3 Isaiah Richardson

6-1 • 190 • So.-SQ Palmdale, Calif. (Chaminade Prep) CGP: 8; CGS: 0

Parmdale, Calif. (Chammande Prep).
Speedy, thelife review with good home. 3 rec., 65 yds 8, 49 yd TD vs.
USU ... Burst onto the scene with 3 catches for 58 yds (19.3 org.) in his 1st
career game vs. Olioi in the DXI. Frisco Bowl ... Was on trovel squad 4 games
before bowl game ... Siz 10217. ... Played his high school had of Chaminade
Prep. ... Also played backetball 8 was on the trock 8 field team.

Jesse Mathews

6-0 • 190 • Fr.-RS San Diego, Calif. (Christian HS) CGP: 7; CGS: 5 2019 Stats: GS
 Rec.
 Yds.
 Avg.
 Long

 24
 246
 10.2
 25

 Notes: Current; Career; Pe

Made his 1st 5 career starts this season ... Is 2nd on team in both catches (24) & vards (246) ... Walked onto the team last year ... Had a great spring (24) & yatts (240) ... walked online the learn key year ... nead a glead year camp & brought that into the fall, where he was the most consistent wiedout ... Excellent zone route runner with good hands ... Arguably best vertical leap on team ... CH 6 rec., 73 yds. vs. WYO (5-65 in 2nd half) ... Named reap on realm ... An orea, 7.3 yes. N. WY O 1-63 in Jan Initing ... Was a first-fefensive scout player of the year (2018) after redshirting ... Was a first-team all-league & all-county performer in 2017 of nearby Christian III, when he had 57 catches for 888 yards (15.6 avg.) & 14 TD ... Also was a SS on the baseball team & a PG on the basketball squad ... A comm. major.

BACKUP

80 TJ Sullivan

6-0 • 195 • Fr.-RS

San Diego, Calif. (Mt. Carmel HS)

San Drego, Callir, (Mr. Carmel H5) Joined SDRI in He spring of 2018 Bert originally signing with the 2017 doss ... A speedster ... Started 1st coreer game played at CSU ... No coreer cotches ... Redshirted 2018 season ... A two-time of-leegue pick at Mr. Cormel H5, folding? I cathes for 13/29 yards (1.5 vog.) and 12 touch-downs ... A 5-time Palemar Leegue 18F champion ... Psychology major.