

# Player Profiles

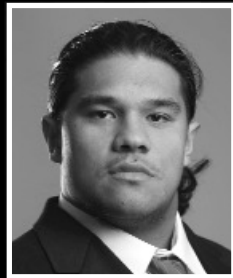
*Senior Peter Nelson is one of three returning starters on the offensive line.*



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**#67 Ikaika Aken-Moleta**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Senior - 1L**  
**6-2, 295**  
**Kapolei, Hawaii/Kapolei HS**

Entering his fifth year at SDSU, after earning a starting spot on the offensive line as a junior ... A top the two-deep at right guard following 2009 spring drills ... Played for the first time in



his Aztec career in 2007 as a reserve.

**2008:** Made his first starts at right guard in the team's 12 outings.

**2007:** Saw his first career action in the second half of the team's game versus Washington State ... A reserve in the Portland State, Air Force and BYU contests.

**2006:** Did not see any playing time as a redshirt freshman.

**2005:** Redshirted his first season at SDSU.

**High School:** A second-team all-state selection and first-team all-conference selection ... Earned three letters in track ... Bench pressed 355 pounds and ran a 5.1 time in the 40 as a prep ... Selected to participate in the prestigious Hawaii Union Builders Goodwill Football Classic ... Set a school record with 12 pancake blocks in one game.

**Personal:** Born Feb. 6, 1987, in Hawaii ... Son of Haunani Aken-Pagdila, a Kapolei school teacher, and Harry Mo-

leta, Jr., an employee of American Airlines ... Is a social science major.



**#44 Rob Andrews**  
**Linebacker**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-2, 225**  
**Pleasanton, Calif./Foothill HS**

A physical linebacker, who will look to earn playing time after redshirting his first year.

**2008:** Did not play as a true freshman.

**High School:** Ran for over 1,000 yards and recorded 94 tackles and eight sacks his senior campaign at Foothill High School ... Ranked fifth in the 2008 *Contra Costa Times* "Cream Of The Crop" list ... Was a first-team all-league pick on both offense (fullback) and defense (linebacker) in 2007 ... All-East Bay first team as a linebacker ... Had 104 tackles and added eight sacks and four forced fumbles his junior season to garner all-state underclassmen honors ... Had 750 yards rushing on 145 carries and scored 16 touchdowns in 2006 ... First-team all-conference on offense as a junior and second team on defense ... Foothill went 6-5 and earned a spot in the North Coast Section 4A playoffs his senior year ... As a junior, under head coach Matt Sweeney, the Falcons were league champions going 6-0, finishing 12-1 overall and earning a berth in the North Coast Section 4A championship game ... All-conference honoree for the Falcons' lacrosse team ... Named Fall Athlete of the Month for September by the Foothill Boosters Club.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 25, 1990, in San Jose, Calif. ... Son of Marge and Steve Andrews ... Sister, Carrie, plays soccer at Cal Poly and other sister, Cristen, played lacrosse at Cal ... Also considered California and UCLA ... Undecided on a major.



**#49 J.J. Autele**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - SQ**  
**6-1, 245**  
**Waipahu, Hawaii/Punahou HS**

One of five true freshmen to see playing time for the Aztecs in 2008 ... Played both defensive line and linebacker in high school ... Rated No. 9 prospect in the state of Hawaii.

**2008:** One of two true freshmen to earn a start on the D-Line for SDSU ... Made his SDSU debut against TCU ... Logged his first career start in his second career game vs. Air Force ... First career tackle against the Falcons ... Reserve at New Mexico, making one solo stop ... Came off the bench against CSU ... Had one tackle at Wyoming, before injuring his knee ... Missed rest of the year with a torn ACL and MCL.

**High School:** Played both linebacker and defensive line at Punahou School, earning three letters and serving as team captain as a senior ... Rated the No. 9 prospect regardless of position in the state of Hawaii by *Scout.com* ... A 2007 first-team all-state defensive tackle by the *Honolulu Star Bulletin* and all-state honorable mention choice as a linebacker by the *Honolulu Advertiser* ... Named to the Interscholastic League of Honolulu's All-Star second team in 2007 at linebacker ... Played in the HUB Classic Senior Bowl ... Garnered his team's most inspirational award.

**Personal:** Born Feb. 26, 1990, in Honolulu, Hawaii ... Son of Sina and Jerry Holi ... Is an only child ... Father, Jerry, played college football ... Attended the same high school as current SDSU center Trask Iosefa ... Also recruited by Hawai'i, UNLV, Oregon State and Washington ... Major is social science.

### AUTELE'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-A/T	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2008	4	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 1 at WYO (11/1/08), UNM (10/18/08), vs. Air Force (10/11/08).



**#54 Demetrius Barksdale**  
**Linebacker**  
**Sophomore - SQ**  
**6-3, 210**  
**San Diego, Calif./**  
**University City HS**

A local player, who continues to develop ... Did not play a year ago, but was named the scout team defensive player of the year ... Joined the Aztecs during fall camp in 2007.

**2008:** Did not see any action.

**2007:** Redshirted his first year at SDSU.

**High School:** Attended University City High School in San Diego where he played on both sides of the ball as a wideout and defensive lineman ... First-team all-league on defense as a senior and second team as a junior ... Also competed in basketball and track and field for the Centurions ... *San Diego Union-Tribune* all-academic honoree.

**Personal:** Born June 8, 1989, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Carla Carter and Terry Barksdale ... Went to the same high school as sophomore running back James Simon ... Majoring in social science.



**#58 Aaron Brewer**  
**Long Snapper**  
**Sophomore - 1L**  
**6-5, 215**  
**Fullerton, Calif./Troy HS**

A starter from the outset ... SDSU's long snapper on both punts and field goals in every game in 2008 ... Committed to the Aztecs during the summer of 2007 ... MWC all-academic pick.

**2008:** Played in all 12 contests as a true freshman.

**High School:** Named first team all-Freeway League as a linebacker his senior year at Troy High School, under coach Jim Burton ... Rated No. 3 long snapper in the country by *chris-sailerkicking.com* ... Team was 12-1 his junior season, advanced to the CIF southeast division semifinals and won a Freeway League title ... Member of the track team.

**Personal:** Born July 5, 1990, in Orange, Calif. ... Son of Viki Sue and David Brewer ... Brother, Vincent, played college water polo at Penn State Behrend ... Other brother, Nathan, played football at University of Puget Sound ... Also drew interest from Washington, California and Stanford ... Majoring in exercise and nutritional sciences with a focus in physical therapy.

and added five interceptions ... Rated as the 115th-best running back nationally by *Scouts, Inc.* ... Ranked as the 21st-best all-purpose running back by *Rivals.com* ... Rivals also had Brown No. 95 on the 2006 postseason California top 100.

**Personal:** Born Feb. 6, 1988 ... Son of Robert and Valencia Brown ... Also considered Colorado, Oregon, Oregon State and Washington State ... Major is criminal justice.

**D. BROWN'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	Rushing					Receiving			
	G	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
2007	9	12	20	1	1.7	0	0	0	0.0
2008	6	2	1	0	0.5	1	36	0	36.0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>36.0</b>

Kickoff Returns	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.	Long
2007	1	18	0	18.0	18
2008	6	104	0	17.3	28
<b>Totals</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17.4</b>	<b>28</b>

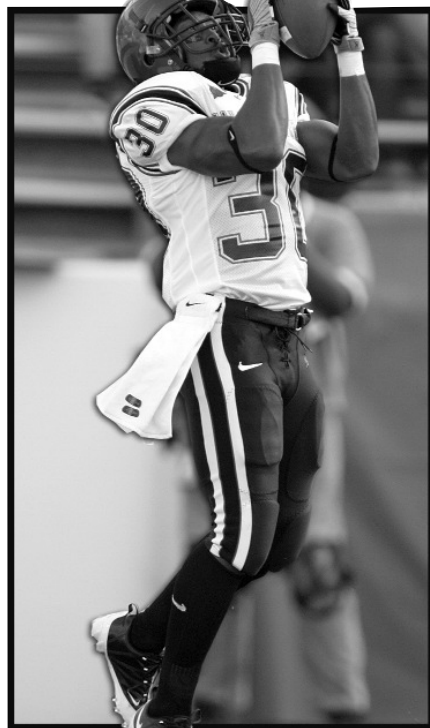
**Career Highs:** Carries: 3 at Air Force (11/17/07), vs. BYU (12/1/07); Rushing Yards: 12 at Air Force (11/17/07); Rushing TD: 1 vs. TCU (11/24/07); Long Rush: 7 at Air Force (11/17/07); Receptions: 1 vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); Receiving Yards: 36 vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); Long Reception: 36 vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); Long Kickoff Return: 28 at San Jose State (9/13/08).



**#30 Davon Brown**  
**Running Back**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**5-9, 180**  
**Torrance, Calif./South HS**

A speedy back who has seen action on both offense and special teams the last two seasons ... Used his redshirt season in 2006.

**2008:** Played in the first six games ... Made his first career reception against Cal Poly, hauling in a 36-yard pass to set up an Aztec touchdown ... Also had one carry against the Mustangs ...



Returned two kickoffs for 27 yards against Notre Dame ... Career-long 28-yard kickoff return at San Jose State ... Had a 25-yard kickoff return against Idaho ... Suffered a season-ending shoulder injury in the first half of the Idaho game.

**2007:** Played in the first nine games of his career ... Had 12 carries and scored his first career touchdown ... First game at Arizona State, carrying once for five yards ... Ran for eight yards on two carries versus Utah ... Rushed once against New Mexico, Wyoming and TCU ... Season-high three carries in the outings with Air Force and BYU ... Scored his first TD on a 3-yard run in the first quarter of the game with the Horned Frogs ... Logged one kickoff return for 18 yards against Cincinnati.

**2006:** Used his redshirt season ... Named the scout team player of the year on offense.

**High School:** Starred at South High School in Torrance, where he played running back and was also a standout free safety/cornerback ... Lettered four years in football

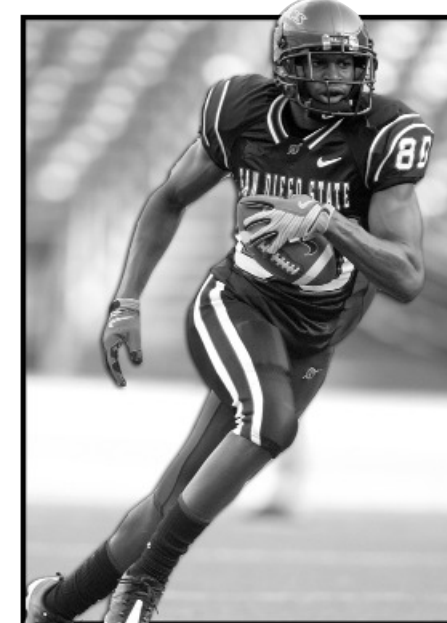
and three years in track ... Two-time all-league and all-area pick on offense ... As a junior, rushed for 1,272 yards and 20 touchdowns



**#80 Vincent Brown**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**6-0, 180**  
**Rancho Cucamonga, Calif./**  
**Rancho Cucamonga HS**

Has appeared in every game since coming to campus ... A returning starter, who has played at both wideout and in the return game ... SDSU's top returning receiver in both catches and yardage ... In 2007, was third in school season history in most receptions by a freshman and fourth in most receiving yards.

**2008:** Played and started all 12 contests ... Easily led the team in catches (64) and receiving yards (631) ... Started at the X receiver spot vs. Cal Poly, ending the game with seven catches for 98 yards and a 23-yard touchdown reception in the third quarter ... The 98 receiving yards



were a then career-best ...

Three catches as a starter vs. Notre Dame ... Pair of receptions at San Jose State ... Career-best 183 receiving yards and three touchdowns in the victory over Idaho ... His three scores came on catches of 41, 48 and 51 yards ... His 183 yards is the 34th-best receiving total in SDSU game history and ranked 23rd in the Bowl Subdivision in 2008 ... Team game-high six catches for 52 yards at TCU with a long of 27 yards ... Four receptions vs. Air Force and five at New Mexico ... Career-best 11 receptions vs. Colorado State, including a 10-yard touchdown ... 11 catches are the most by an Aztec since Jeff Webb had 13 at Hawai'i in Dec. 2005 ... Started at Wyoming, making one catch and returning a punt before leaving the game with a

concussion ... Team game-high seven catches for 52 yards at BYU ... Two receptions vs. Utah ... Logged his second-career 100-yard receiving game in the finale with UNLV, catching eight balls for 119 yards ... Became the 47th Aztec in school history to have at least two 100-yard receiving games in his career ... Fifth in the MWC and 46th nationally in receptions per game (5.3).

**2007:** Played in all 12 contests, starting eight of the final nine games ... Fourth on the team

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in receptions with 31 and in receiving yards with 349 ... Returned 25 kickoffs for 547 yards (21.9 ypr.) ... One of four true freshmen to see action in the opener with Washington State ... Returned six kickoffs for 146 yards with a long of 33 yards ... His 146 yards rank sixth in SDSU single-game history ... Logged his first two career receptions at ASU ... Also returned four kickoffs for 109 yards ... Scored his first career touchdown on a 62-yard reception against Portland St. ... Season-long 49-yard kickoff return to start the game with the Vikings ... Returned eight kickoffs to tie a school single-game record against No. 24 Cincinnati for 142 yards ... Three catches for 61 yards, including a long of 46 yards, in the win over CSU ... Career and team season-high nine catches against New Mexico for 58 yards ... Game-winning 27-yard TD reception with 1:06 left in the game against Wyoming ... Caught four passes for 52 yards versus the Cowboys ... Four receptions in the win at UNLV and two against TCU ... Logged a pair of catches in the season finale with BYU.

**High School:** Was a two-time all-Baseline League honoree at Rancho Cucamonga High under head coach Nick Baiz ... Had 42 catches for 530 yards and six touchdowns as a senior, earning his team's most valuable offensive player award ... Tallied 32 receptions for 430 yards and six scores in 2005 ... Also returned kicks for the Cougars and competed in track ... SDSU's first oral commitment in the class of 2007 ... Rated as the No. 18 receiver prospect in the state by *Scout.com*.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 25, 1989, in Upland, Calif. ... Son of Sheila and Vincent Brown, Sr. ... A scholar-athlete who received offers from Arizona and UTEP before committing to San Diego State ... Nickname is V.J. ... Majoring in philosophy.

## V. BROWN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	Receiving				
	G	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
2007	12	31	349	2	11.3
2008	12	64	631	5	9.9
<b>Totals</b>	24	95	980	7	10.3

**Career Highs:** Receptions: 12 vs. CSU (10/25/08); Receiving Yards: 183 vs. Idaho (9/27/08); Receiving TDs: 3 vs. Idaho (9/27/08); Longest Reception: 62 vs. PSU (9/22/07); Kickoff Returns: 8 vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07); Kickoff Return Yards: 146 vs. WSU (9/8/07); Longest Kickoff Return: 49 vs. PSU (9/22/07).

## V. BROWN GAME-BY-GAME

	Receiving			
	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
vs. Wash. St. (9/8/07)	0	0	0	0.0
at ASU (9/15/07)	2	19	0	9.5
PSU (9/22/07)	2	71	1	35.5
CINCINNATI (9/29/07)*	0	0	0	0.0
at CSU (10/6/07)*	3	61	0	20.3
at Utah (10/13/07)	0	0	0	0.0
UNM (10/20/07)*	9	58	0	6.4
WYO (11/3/07)*	4	52	1	13.0
at UNLV (11/10/07)*	4	34	0	8.5
at AFA (11/17/07)*	3	31	0	10.3
TCU (11/24/07)*	2	12	0	6.0
BYU (12/1/07)*	2	11	0	5.5
CAL POLY (8/30/08)*	7	98	1	14.0
at ND (9/6/08)*	3	19	0	6.3
at SJSU (9/13/08)*	2	15	0	7.5
IDAHO (9/27/08)*	8	183	3	22.9
at TCU (10/4/08)*	6	52	0	8.7
AFA (10/11/08)*	4	14	0	3.5
at UNM (10/18/08)*	5	15	0	3.0
CSU (10/25/08)*	11	40	0	3.6
at WYO (11/1/08)*	1	7	0	7.0
at BYU (11/8/08)*	7	52	0	7.4
UTAH (11/13/08)*	2	17	0	8.5
UNLV (11/22/08)*	8	119	0	14.9

\* = Game started



**#9 Miles Burreis**  
**Linebacker**  
**Sophomore - 1L**  
**6-2, 235**  
**Granite Bay, Calif./**  
**Granite Bay HS**

A hard-nosed player who always seems to be around the ball ... Team's defensive scout player of the year in 2007, while using his redshirt season ... SDSU scholar-athlete in the fall of 2007 and in 2008 ... 2008 President's Award for Highest Standards of Academic & Athletic Excellence ... 2008 MWC all-academic honoree ... Listed as a starter at one linebacker spot after 2009 spring drills.

**2008:** Saw his first playing time against Cal Poly and Notre Dame on special teams ... First career tackle at San Jose State ... Career-high three stops against Idaho ... Five tackles and his first TFL in his most extensive action on defense at TCU ... Career-best six stops as a reserve at New Mexico ... One solo tackle at Wyoming ... Two assisted stops and a half tackle for loss at BYU ... One solo effort in the win over UNLV.

**2007:** Tabbed for the scout team award for defense ... Redshirted the campaign.

**High School:** Was a two-time all-Metropolitan League selection and captured Granite Bay High School's defensive player of the year award following his junior and senior campaigns ... In 2006, he recorded 120 tackles and added 6.5 sacks to become Granite Bay's all-time leading tackler ... His junior season saw him tally 90 stops, including three sacks, and recover four fumbles ... Ranked as the nation's 30th-best inside linebacker prospect by *Rivals.com*.

**Personal:** Born June 27, 1988, in Roseville, Calif. ... Son of Jim and Donna Burreis ... Father played football at Oregon State ... Also considered Nevada, Boise State, Nebraska and Army ... Is a pre-business administration major.

## BURRIS' CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-AT-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2008	12	11-8-19	1.5-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 6 at UNM (10/18/08); TFL: 1.0 at TCU (10/4/08).





**#32 Vincent Camarda**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Sophomore - SQ**  
**6-2, 195**  
**San Diego, Calif./**  
**Cathedral Catholic HS**

Has yet to log field time as an Aztec ... Redshirted his first year on Montezuma Mesa in 2007 ... Listed as the back up at one of the Warrior positions after 2009 spring drills ... Prep team-mate of punter Brian Stahovich.

**2008:** Did not see action in his second year on campus.

**2007:** Used his redshirt year.

**High School:** Played three years on varsity at Cathedral High School under coach Sean Doyle ... Earned first-team all-CIF and second-team all-state accolades as a senior ... Posted 71 tackles and intercepted four passes in 2006 en route to being named the Western League's defensive player of the year and earning his team's MVP award ... A two-time first-team all-league selection and named to the *San Diego Union-Tribune* section first team ... Picked off four passes and registered 84 stops in 2005 ... Owns the school's career interception record with 15 and added 218 career tackles

**Personal:** Born Aug. 14, 1989, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Joe and Barbara Camarda ... Made visits to Utah, Colorado St., Oregon, Hawaii and UTEP before signing with SDSU ... Major is criminal justice.



**#13 Brandon Davis**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Sophomore - 1L**  
**6-2, 185**  
**Oakland, Calif./Castlemont HS**

Split time on both sides of the ball a year ago at wide receiver and defensive back ... A top the depth chart at one Warrior spot after 2009 spring drills ... Is a tall, physical presence in the defensive backfield ... Redshirted in 2007.

**2008:** Practiced on both offense and defense last year ... Played in the final 11 games, primarily on special teams ... First game as an Aztec at Notre Dame, tallying an assisted tackle ... Had two solo efforts against Idaho ... One tackle vs. Air Force and at BYU ... Ended the season with five stops to his credit ... Offensively, had two carries for five yards in the season-ending win over UNLV.

**2007:** Did not play as a true freshman.

**High School:** Coached by Amin Denny at Castlemont High School ... Ranked No. 8 in the *Contra Costa Times*' "Cream of the Crop" poll, which lists the top-20 football recruits in the East Bay ... *Rivals.com* rated him as the No. 59 safety prospect and a three-star recruit ... In 2006, was first-team all-city and all-East Bay in leading the Knights to an 8-3 mark ... Team MVP as a junior and second-team all-city selection.

**Personal:** Born April 16, 1989, in Oakland, Calif. ... Son of Elvina Moody and the late James Davis ... Is an urban studies major.



**DAVIS' CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2008	11	2-3-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 2 vs. Idaho (9/27/08).



**#17 Doug Deakin**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Junior - SQ**  
**6-0, 180**  
**Oak Park, Calif./Oak Park HS**

Began attending SDSU in fall 2006, but did not join the football squad until the spring of 2007 ... Scout team member in the fall of 2007, moving over to the offensive side of the ball as a wide receiver ... Earned the 2008 President's Award for Highest Standards of Academic & Athletic Excellence ... Went to the same high school as linebacker Logan Ketchum ... SDSU scholar-athlete.

**2008:** Did not see action as a sophomore, but had a strong spring practice period in 2009.  
**2007:** Moved to wide receiver, but did not see any playing time ... Made two catches during the Red-Black spring game.

**2006:** Participated in spring drills as a member of the Aztec secondary.

**High School:** Played football as a junior and senior at Oak Park High and lettered both years ... Team captain for one season ... Voted the Eagles' most valuable offensive player his junior year, earning a spot on the all-CIF second team as a quarterback ... Oak Park was the CIF section runner-up in 2004 ... Honorable mention all-academic pick in Ventura County ... First-team all-Tri-Valley as a senior ... Also played baseball, lettering his final two seasons ... On the honor roll all four years at Oak Park.

**Personal:** Born May 16, 1988, in Westlake Village, Calif. ... Son of Stan and Judy Deakin ... Majoring in business management.



**#41 Tony DeMartinis**  
**Tight End**  
**Senior - 3L**  
**6-5, 255**  
**Sun Valley, Calif./**  
**Notre Dame HS**

Was a backup at defensive end as a freshman and sophomore, before switching over to tight end for 2008 spring drills ... During 2008 fall camp, played both sides of the ball ... Starter at defensive end in the 2008 opener, before missing the remainder of the year due to injury ... Practiced exclusively at tight end for 2009 spring camp ... SDSU scholar-athlete.

**2008:** Was listed No. 1 on the two-deep at defensive end and No. 3 at tight end ... Started at defensive end against Cal Poly ... Registered his first career sack, before leaving the game due to injury ... Did not play for the remainder of the year after having knee surgery.

**2007:** Played in all 12 outings, posting 10 tackles ... Had one assisted tackle in the loss to WSU ... Two tackles at ASU ... One solo effort vs. Cincinnati ... Career-best three tackles in the win over CSU ... One stop in the wins over Wyoming and UNLV and vs. TCU.

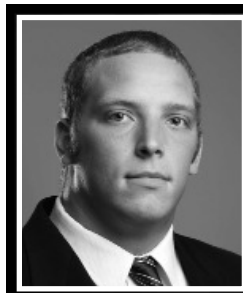
**2006:** Appeared in 10 games as a reserve ... First career games against UTEP, Wisconsin, Utah and San Jose State ... First career tackle was behind the line of scrimmage at BYU ... Two stops versus Air Force and TCU ... One solo effort in the win over Colorado St.

**2005:** Ended up redshirting as a true freshman, but impressed the coaching staff early in fall camp ... Listed as the backup behind Antwan Applewhite for the season-opener with UCLA ... Appeared on the depth chart for several early contests before ultimately redshirting.

**High School:** A first-team all-region pick by the *Los Angeles Times* and rated by *Rivals.com* as the nation's No. 31 prospect at weakside defensive end and one of the top 100 prep players in California ... A *SuperPrep* all-region selection ... Knights were three-time CIF champs and were ranked as high as 11th in the country during his senior season ... All-San Fernando Valley, *Los Angeles Daily News* all-area team and a first-team all-CIF selection ... Also earned two varsity letters in baseball ... An honor student and an academic all-CIF selection.

**Personal:** Born March 15, 1987, in Glendale, Calif. ... Son of Jack and Madeline DeMartinis ... Father played football at UCLA ... Brother, Sam, plays football at Cal ... Earned his bachelor's degree in business with a focus in real estate this past spring ... Will be working toward his master's degree in homeland security.

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**#60 Tommie Draheim**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - SQ**  
**6-4, 290**  
**Lakeside, Calif./El Capitan HS**

Missed the entire 2008 season due to injury ... Returned for 2009 spring drills, switching from center to tackle ... Redshirted in 2007 as a true freshman ... Finished 2008 spring drills as the starter at center ... Teammate of Ryan Lindley at El Capitan ... Enters fall camp in the No. 1 spot at left tackle.

**2008:** Suffered a shoulder injury during the summer and did not see any action.

**2007:** Did not play, utilizing his redshirt year.

**High School:** Played at center and defensive tackle as a senior at El Capitan High, helping the Vaqueros to 10-0 regular season record and a berth in the CIF section playoffs ... Was an all-CIF and all-state (medium schools) pick on offense in 2006 ... Second-team all-league as a junior ... Won two letters as a thrower on the track and field squad ... Honor roll student.

**Personal:** Born Dec. 23, 1988, in Kennewick, Wash. ... Son of Tamura and Damon Draheim ... Also considered New Hampshire, UNLV and Montana State during the recruiting process ... Majoring in business.



**#24 Kwincy Edwards**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Senior - 1L**  
**5-11, 175**  
**Palmdale, Calif./Palmdale HS**

Played primarily on special teams a year ago ... Rejoined the team for 2008 spring drills, after missing the 2007 campaign ... Ended 2009 spring practice as the starter at one cornerback spot.

**2008:** Appeared in his first nine career contests ... Had three tackles with one each against San Jose State, Idaho and New Mexico.

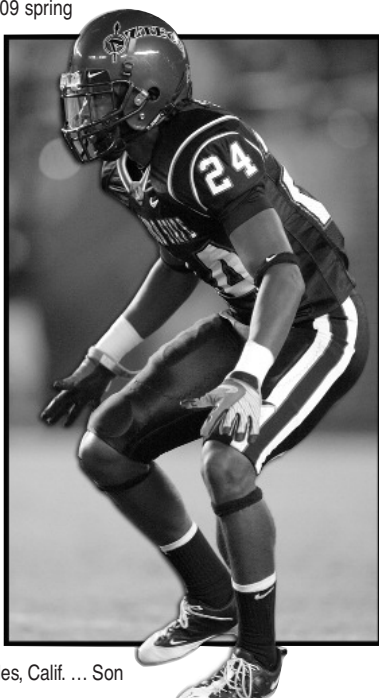
**2007:** Did not play for the Aztecs as a sophomore.

**2006:** Did not see any field time as a red-shirt freshman.

**2005:** Redshirted his first season on campus.

**High School:** A *SuperPrep* all-region selection at Palmdale High ... A first-team all-league and all-CIF selection as a senior ... Played on three league-championship teams ... Player of the year in the Golden League as a senior ... Caught 20 passes for 403 yards with five touchdowns and rushed for 141 yards and a score on just 17 carries ... Defensively, credited with 55 tackles and four interceptions ... Also blocked a punt and recovered a fumble ... A speedy player who also earned four letters in track.

**Personal:** Born Aug. 2, 1986, in Los Angeles, Calif. ... Son



of Darnell and Karen Edwards ... Played with linebacker Jerry Milling at Palmdale High School ... Majoring in social science.

## EDWARDS' CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-AFTT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2008	9	3-0-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 1 at San Jose State (9/13/08), vs. Idaho (9/27/08), at New Mexico (10/18/08).



**#68 Nik Embernate**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Freshman - HS**  
**6-4, 290**  
**Yucaipa, Calif./Yucaipa HS**

Part of the 2008 recruiting class, who enrolled at SDSU in time for the spring semester ... Competed in 2009 spring drills at right tackle.

**High School:** A two-time first-team all-county selection at Yucaipa High School under coach Scott Pearne ... Helped the Thunderbirds to a 7-4 overall record and a third-place league finish as a senior ... Anchored an offensive line that helped the team rush for over 240 yards in an outing in 2007 and advance to the playoffs for the second year in a row ... Citrus Belt all-league first-team honoree each of his final two seasons ... First-team all-area by the *Press Enterprise* in 2007 ... Two-time captain ... Member of the inland all-star team at last month's inaugural Southern California Bowl ... Also competed in track and field, throwing the shot put and discus ... League champ in the shot put as a junior.

**Personal:** Born November 3, 1990, in Fontana, Calif. ... Son of Mathew Embernate and Valerie Monroe ... Drew interest from Nevada ... Is a social science major.



**#11 Martrell Fantroy**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Junior - 1L**  
**6-1, 215**  
**Las Vegas, Nev./Bishop Gorman HS**

Athletic, physical secondary player, who missed last year due to injury ... Backup at free safety in 2007 ... Listed behind Nick Sandford at the Aztec position after 2009 spring drills.

**2008:** Moved back to free safety in the fall ... Did not play his sophomore campaign due to an injury.

**2007:** Came on in the last half of the season, playing all 12 contests ... Had 17 tackles and tied for second on the squad in interceptions with three ... Returned those three picks for a combined 100 yards ... Began the year primarily on special teams ... Saw his first extensive action in the secondary against Cincinnati, making his first two career tackles and logging his first career interception ... Second pick of the season against New Mexico, returning it 45 yards to set up an Aztec touchdown ... Also added two tackles against the Lobos ... Career-best three solos in the win over Wyoming ... First career touchdown in his hometown of Las Vegas, picking off a pass and returning it 55 yards for a score in the fourth quarter against UNLV ... Added a career-best six stops versus the Rebels ... Recovered a fumble against TCU ... Three stops in the final game with BYU.

**2006:** Used his redshirt year.

**High School:** Two-way player in high school, who played cornerback, wide receiver and tight end for Bishop Gorman as a senior ... Ended his career with 146 tackles, 12 tackles for loss, 15 passes broken up and eight interceptions ... In 2005, he had 59 tackles and five INTs ... Also a big-time basketball player.

**Personal:** Born May 12, 1988 ... Is an economics major.

**FANTROY'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-AFTT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2007	12	15-2-17	0-0	0-0	3-100	0	0	1-0

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 6 at UNLV (11/10/07); INT: 1 at UNLV (11/10/07), vs. UNM (10/27/07), vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07); FR: 1 vs. TCU (11/24/07).

**FANTROY GAME-BY-GAME**

	G	UA-AFTT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
vs. Wash. St. (9/8/07)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. ASU (9/15/07)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
PSU (9/22/07)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
CINCINNATI (9/29/07)	1	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	1-0	0	0	0
at CSU (10/6/07)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Utah (10/13/07)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UNM (10/20/07)	1	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	1-45	0	0	0
WYO (11/3/07)	1	3-0-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at UNLV (11/10/07)	1	6-0-6	0-0	0-0	1-55	0	0	0
at AFA (11/17/07)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
TCU (11/24/07)	1	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-0
BYU (12/1/07)	1	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

\* = Game started



**#73 Kellen Farr**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - 1L**  
**6-7, 300**  
**Mesa, Ariz./Red Mountain HS**

One of the Aztecs' promising young offensive linemen ... Switched to guard during 2008 fall camp ... Finished 2009 spring drills as a backup at right guard.



... Led the team in receiving his senior season, while also being credited with 111 tackles, three sacks and one interception ... Team captain his final two campaigns.

**2008:** Was the backup at left guard behind Emilio Rivera and at right guard behind Ikaika Aken-Moleta ... Saw his first career action as a reserve in 11 games, primarily on special teams.  
**2007:** Redshirted the season.  
**High School:** Played tight end and defensive tackle at Red Mountain ... Second-team all-region tight end in 2006 ... Team was 7-4 his senior campaign ... Was an honor roll student.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 11, 1989, in Shelburne, Vt. ... Son of Greg Farr ... Also considered Army, Northern Arizona, UNLV and Wyoming ... Is majoring in social science.



**#16 Bryan Finkel**  
**Linebacker**  
**Senior - SQ**  
**6-2, 220**  
**South Tahoe, Calif./Linfield College**

Saw his first action in 2008 on special teams ... SDSU scholar-athlete ... 2008 President's Award for Highest Standards of Academic & Athletic Excellence.

**2008:** Was a backup at weakside linebacker ... Made Aztec debut vs. Notre Dame on special

teams ... Played in the final two outings with Utah and UNLV, but did not record any stats.

**2007:** Redshirted his first season at SDSU.

**At Linfield:** Attended Linfield College in McMinnville, Ore., before transferring to SDSU ... Played in four games in 2006, recording a pair of tackles.

**High School:** Played on both sides of the ball at South Tahoe High School ... All-Sierra League pick as a defensive back his junior campaign ... An honor roll student, who also participated in basketball, baseball and track and field.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 21, 1987, in South Lake Tahoe, Calif. ... Son of Sandra and Larry Finkel ... Major is business management.



**#63 Larry Gibbs**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - HS**  
**6-0, 230**  
**Riverside, Calif./Riverside Ramona HS**

Joined the football program in time for 2009 spring drills ... Did not play right after high school.

**High School:** A four-year letterwinner at Ramona High School in Riverside, Calif., where he played on both sides of the ball ... All-league and all-county selection ... Led the team in receiving his senior season, while also being credited with 111 tackles, three sacks and one interception ... Team captain his final two campaigns.

**Personal:** Born May 1, 1989, in Orange, Calif. ... Son of Lorenzo and Alison Woods ... Is a business management major.



**#50 Chris Gordert**  
**Linebacker**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-0, 225**  
**Honolulu, Hawaii/Mira Mesa HS**

A walk-on, who joined the team last fall.

**2008:** Used his redshirt year.

**High School:** A two-time team captain at Mira Mesa High School in San Diego, Calif. ... Led the Marauders to the CIF semifinals his senior season, tallying 12 sacks ... Earned all-league accolades his final campaign ... Also lettered in lacrosse.

**Personal:** Born Feb. 8, 1990, in Honolulu, Hawaii ... Son of Kenneth and Evangiline Gordert ... Is a pre-business administration major.



**#75 Leo Grassilli**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - SQ**  
**6-3, 290**  
**Woodbridge, Va./Hyllton HS**

Saw his first action as an Aztec a year ago as a reserve ... Only member of the 2007 recruiting class not from the West ... Ended 2009 spring drills as a back up at left guard.

**2008:** Played in his first career contest against Idaho.

**2007:** Traveled for several games, but did not log any minutes, utilizing his redshirt campaign.

**High School:** Played on both lines as a prep for Hyllton High School under coach Lou Sorrentino ... Three-year varsity letterwinner and two-time all-district honoree ... All-region selection his final year ... Team was 8-2 his senior season and were 12-game winners in 2004 and 2005 ... Also competed in wrestling.

**Personal:** Born March 8, 1989, in Long Beach, Calif. ... Son of Daphne and Leo Grassilli ... Father, Leo, went to San Diego State ... Considered attending North Carolina and Stanford ... Full name is Leo Joseph Grassilli IV ... Major is economics.

# Player Profiles



**#1 Andy Gregorio**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Junior - SQ**  
**5-9, 190**  
**Rolling Hills, Calif./**  
**Palos Verdes HS**

Joined the team after the first week of fall camp in 2006 ... Slated to compete for playing time at one of the Warrior spots in the defensive backfield.

**2008:** Did not see any game action.

**2007:** Did not see any playing time in his second season on campus.

**2006:** Used his redshirt year as a true freshman.

**High School:** Lettered three years in football at Palos Verdes High School ... First team all-league selection and team MVP as a senior ... Played in the Lions all-star game ... All-league pick as a junior and was voted his team's underclassman of the year ... Defensive MVP his first two seasons ... Played baseball for two years and had a .600 batting average in 2003.

**Personal:** Born Aug. 8, 1988, in San Pedro, Calif. ... Son of Joe and Laura Gregorio ... Father, Joe, played football for the USFL's L.A. Express ... Brother, Robert, is a redshirt freshman running back with the Aztecs ... Enjoys board sports and golf ... Majoring in social science.



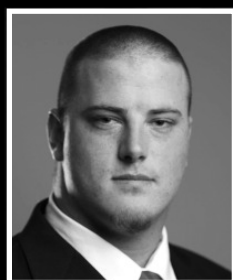
**#21 Robert Gregorio**  
**Running Back**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**5-10, 165**  
**Rolling Hills, Calif./**  
**Palos Verdes HS**

Practiced at both running back and wide receiver in 2008, before moving back to running back for 2009 spring drills ... Younger brother of Aztec junior defensive back Andy Gregorio.

**2008:** Redshirted his first season.

**High School:** Was a three-time letterwinner at Palos Verdes High School in Palos Verdes Estates, Calif. ... A second-team all-CIF and first-team all-league pick as a senior ... Offensive MVP his final season.

**Personal:** Born Aug. 13, 1990, in San Pedro, Calif. ... Son of Joe and Laura Gregorio ... Majoring in political science.



**#79 Kurtis Gunther**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - 1L**  
**6-8, 285**  
**Camarillo, Calif./**  
**Adolfo Camarillo HS**

Expected to see more playing time this season, after starting once a year ago at tackle ... Ended 2009 spring drills behind Peter Nelson at right tackle.

**2008:** Did not play in the opening three games ... First career action as a reserve vs. Idaho ... Did not see action at TCU ... First career start in place of Lance Louis against Air Force at right tackle ... Reserve at UNM ... Did not play against CSU, before returning to action vs. Wyoming, BYU, Utah and UNLV.

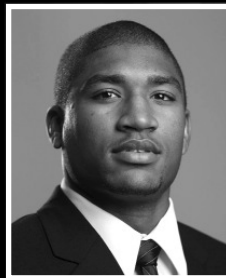
**2007:** Did not play, using his redshirt season.

**High School:** Earned first-team all-Pacific View League honors as a senior at Adolfo Camarillo



High ... Played at offensive tackle and defensive end as a prep under coach Dennis Reidmiller ... Three-star recruit by *Rivals.com* ... Honored with the team's captains award in 2006 ... Won two letters in basketball and three letters in volleyball, earning all-league and all-CIF honors.

**Personal:** Born May 5, 1989 ... Son of Keith and Tammy Gunther ... Brother, Kyle, played football at Utah and was the Utes' starting center ... Majoring in economics.



**#5 Dey Juan Hemmings**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**5-11, 190**  
**San Bernardino, Calif./**  
**Rialto HS**

A special teams standout the last two seasons ... Expected to see more time in the defensive



backfield in his third year at SDSU ... Ended 2009 spring drills second on the depth chart at one of the Warrior spots ... Will wear No. 5 this fall after playing in No. 39 in 2007-08.

**2008:** Appeared in all 12 games for the second consecutive season ... Played on special teams, but also got time on defense as a reserve ... Had 17 total tackles on the year with at least two stops on five occasions ... Had two tackles in the opener with Cal Poly ... One stop at Notre Dame ... Career-best five tackles at San Jose State, including four solos ... Logged a tackle in five of the final six games of the season ... Three tackles at New Mexico and two vs. Wyoming and UNLV.

**2007:** One of five true freshmen to earn a varsity letter in 2007 ... Played in all 12 contests, logging 10 special teams tackles ... Had three stops on two occasions against Portland State and Wyoming ... First tackle in his first career outing versus Washington State ... Also logged a stop against Cincinnati, UNLV and Air Force ... Forced a fumble

in the second quarter in the game with the Cowboys.



**High School:** Posted 76 tackles and two interceptions as a senior at Rialto High in Rialto, Calif., under coach Brad Hornback, earning first-team all-league and second-team all-county accolades ... Also saw action at running back for the Knights, gaining 350 yards rushing and 400 yards receiving ... Had 763 all-purpose yards as a junior ... Participated in track at Rialto.

**Personal:** Born April 25, 1989, in Riverside, Calif. ... Major is exercise and nutritional science with a concentration in physical education.

**HEMMINGS' CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2007	12	9-1-10	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1-0
2008	12	13-4-17	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>22-5-27</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1-0</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 5 at San Jose State (9/13/08); FF: 1 vs. WYO (11/3/07).



**#6 Atiyah Henderson**  
**Running Back**  
**Senior - 3L**  
**5-9, 185**  
**Rockledge, Fla./Rockledge HS**

Has seen starting time each of the last three seasons ... A speedster with great one-on-one moves ... Ranked 74th nationally in rushing yards per outing in 2006 as a redshirt freshman ... His 764 rushing yards is fourth in Aztec freshman single-season history ... 2006 MWC

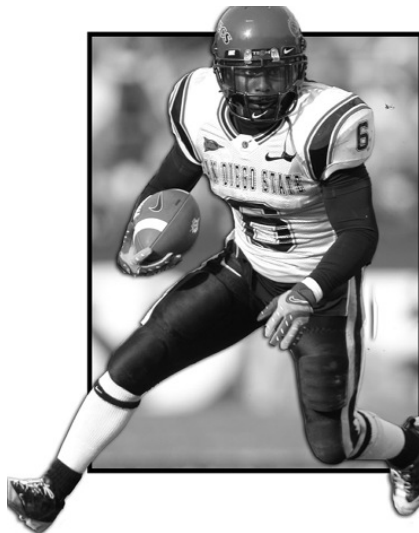
honorable mention ... Became the 21st Aztec player in the Division I era to record 1,000 career yards, doing so against Idaho in 2008 ... Four career 100-yard rushing games.

**2008:** Starter at tailback in eight of his 11 games ... Led the team in rushing with 490 on 120 attempts and four scores ... Also had the second-most catches with 36 for 228 yards ... Did not play against Cal Poly due to injury ... Returned against Notre Dame with four catches for 37 yards and two carries for 12 yards ... Two carries at San Jose State ... In his first start of the season, carrying 21 times for 100 yards and two scores vs. Idaho ... Season-long 39-yard run in the first half against the Vandals, while also adding three catches

for 18 yards ... Four carries and one catch at TCU ... Team's leading receiver against Air Force, catching a career-high seven balls for 41 yards, while also logging nine carries for 28 yards ... Eight carries (31 yards) and one catch at New Mexico ... Career-high 177 yards on 25 carries and two scores vs. Colorado State ... Career-long 72-yard rush for a score against the Rams, the longest run by an Aztec since 1999 ... Is the 22nd player in school history to have at least four career 100-yard rushing games ... Rushed nine times at both Wyoming and BYU ... Had four catches against the Cougars and two vs. the Cowboys ... 13 carries against Utah and a team-best six catches (29 yards) ... First career TD reception in the fourth quarter vs. UNLV ... Also had 18 carries for 64 yards in the season-ending win.

**2007:** Played in 10 games, rushing 44 times for 183 yards with one touchdown ... Tallied a career-best 27 receptions for 202 yards ... Three catches for 14 yards and two carries for 16 yards in the opener with Washington State ... Had 10 rushing yards on three carries and also had three receptions for 24 yards against Arizona State ... Ran for 22 yards on four carries in the win over PSU ... Three rushes for 23 yards and two catches, including one for 51 yards, in the loss to Cincinnati ... Season-high 10 carries for 46 yards, including a long of 26 yards at CSU ... Seven carries against New Mexico ... Started the final three games ... Scored his first touchdown of the year at Air Force ... Ran for 27 yards on eight carries versus the Falcons and also tallied a career-best six catches for 37 yards ... Had six receptions for the second game in a row vs. TCU ... Five catches for 26 yards in the finale with BYU.

**2006:** Mountain West Conference honorable mention pick ... Tabbed as the team's offensive player of the year ... Played in all 12 contests, starting seven times ... Made Aztec debut



versus UTEP logging one carry ... Outstanding performance against Utah, carrying 12 times for 98 yards, including a long of 40 ... First career start at San Jose State, recording 98 yards rushing for the second straight game on a then team season-high 24 carries ... Caught his first career pass for six yards against the Spartans ... Carried 21 times for 93 yards and caught two passes for 10 yards at BYU ... Career night in the win over Air Force, rushing for a career-best 142 yards on 25 carries ... Averaged 5.7 yards per carry with a long of 26 ... Set up SDSU's winning field goal with a 19-yard run on third and eight ... 60 yards rushing in the fourth quarter versus the Falcons ... Fifth straight game with 90 or more yards on the ground, logging a career-best 26 carries for 140 yards against Cal Poly ... Nine carries for 30 yards and a career-high three receptions at Wyoming ... Had 22 carries and three catches in the game with UNLV ... Four receptions, with a long of 11 yards, at TCU ... Had a 32-yard reception at New Mexico ... First career TD from three yards out in the finale with CSU ... Logged 11 carries for 58 yards versus the Rams.

**2005:** Redshirted as a true freshman.

**High School:** Played three years of football and ran three years of track and field at Rockledge High School ... Named all-state in football as a junior and senior ... Led the Raiders to a 9-2 overall record, including a perfect 4-0 mark in Class 3A-District 14 as a senior.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 20, 1987, in Rockledge, Fla. ... Son of Ann Henderson ... Is a social science major.

**HENDERSON'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	Rushing					Receiving			
	G	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
2006	12	174	764	1	4.4	18	78	0	4.3
2007	10	44	183	1	4.2	27	202	0	7.5
2008	11	120	490	4	4.1	36	228	1	6.3
<b>Totals</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>1,437</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6.3</b>

**Career Highs:** Carries: 26 vs. Cal Poly (10/28/06); Rushing Yards: 177 vs. CSU (10/25/08); Long Rush: 72 vs. CSU (10/25/08); Receptions: 7 vs. Air Force (10/11/08); Receiving Yards: 65 vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07); Long Reception: 51 vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07).

**HENDERSON GAME-BY-GAME**

	Rushing					Receiving		
	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
UTEP (8/31/06)	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
at Wisconsin (9/16/06)	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
UTAH (9/23/06)	12	98	0	2.5	0	0	0	0.0
at SJSU (9/30/06)*	24	98	0	4.1	1	6	0	6.0
at BYU (10/7/06)*	21	93	0	4.4	2	10	0	5.0
AFA (10/21/06)*	25	142	0	5.7	2	2	0	1.0
CAL POLY (10/28/06)*	26	140	0	5.4	0	0	0	0.0
at WYO (11/4/06)*	9	30	0	3.3	3	8	0	2.7
UNLV (11/11/06)*	22	62	0	2.8	3	0	0	0.0
at TCU (11/18/06)*	12	22	0	1.8	4	17	0	4.3
at UNM (11/25/06)	11	21	0	1.9	2	37	0	18.5
CSU (12/2/06)	11	58	1	5.3	1	-2	0	0.0
vs. WSU (9/8/07)	2	16	0	8.0	3	14	0	4.7
at ASU (9/15/07)	3	10	0	3.3	3	24	0	8.0
PSU (9/22/07)	4	22	0	5.5	1	15	0	15.0
CINCINNATI (9/29/07)	3	23	0	7.7	2	65	0	32.5
at CSU (10/6/07)	10	46	0	4.6	0	0	0	0.0
at Utah (10/13/07)	2	0	0	0.0	1	-4	0	0.0
UNM (10/20/07)	7	28	0	4.0	0	0	0	0.0
WYO (11/3/07)								DNP
at UNLV (11/10/07)								DNP
at AFA (11/17/07)*	8	27	1	3.4	6	37	0	6.2
TCU (11/24/07)*	4	10	0	2.5	6	25	0	4.2
BYU (12/1/07)*	1	1	0	1.0	5	26	0	5.2
CAL POLY (8/30/08)								DNP-INJ
at ND (9/6/08)	2	12	0	6.0	4	37	0	9.3
at SJSU (9/13/08)	2	1	0	0.5	0	0	0	0.0
IDAHO (9/27/08)*	21	100	2	4.8	3	18	0	6.0
at TCU (10/4/08)*	4	5	0	1.3	1	-4	0	0.0
AFA (10/11/08)*	9	28	0	3.1	7	41	0	5.6
at UNM (10/18/08)	8	31	0	3.9	1	5	0	5.0
CSU (10/25/08)*	25	177	2	7.1	3	6	0	0.5
at WYO (11/1/08)*	9	27	0	3.0	2	19	0	9.5
at BYU (11/8/08)*	9	10	0	1.1	4	23	0	5.6
UTAH (11/15/08)*	13	35	0	2.7	6	29	0	4.8
UNLV (11/22/08)*	18	64	0	3.6	5	54	1	10.8

\* = Game started

# Player Profiles



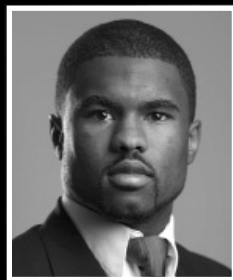
**#89 Hunter Hewitt**  
**Tight End**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-5, 235**  
**Lafayette, Calif./Acalanes HS**

Redshirted a year ago ... A tall target, who adds depth at the tight end position.

**2008:** Did not play his first season on campus and used his redshirt year.

**High School:** Lettered twice at Acalanes High School in Lafayette, Calif. ... Team captain his senior year ... Had 25 catches for 350 yards and two touchdowns in 2007 ... An all-league tight end his final season ... Also a two-year letterwinner and all-league selection in basketball.

**Personal:** Born Nov. 30, 1989, in Oakland, Calif. ... Son of Peter and Barbara Hewitt ... Father, Peter, played football at St. Lawrence University ... Is undecided on a major.



**#4 Romeo Horn**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**6-0, 190**  
**Fresno, Calif./Edison HS**

Signed a scholarship offer with the Aztecs in June 2007 ... Was the backup behind Aaron Moore at one cornerback position in 2007 and 2008 ... Ended 2009 spring drills running No. 1 at one of the Warrior positions.

**2008:** Participated in the first seven games ... Played on special teams vs. Cal Poly, making two tackles ... More special teams play against Notre Dame and San Jose State ... First career interception in the fourth quarter vs. Idaho, also adding one solo tackle ... One stop at TCU ... DNP in the final five outings.

**2007:** Played in every game, primarily on special teams ... Tallied seven tackles ... Made two stops in his collegiate debut against Washington State ... Outstanding game on special teams versus Portland State, logging three tackles ... One stop vs. Cincinnati and UNLV.

**High School:** Lettered two years in football, playing his final season at Edison High School ... Team captain as a senior ... Also played basketball in 2005 and 2006, garnering his team's defensive player of the year award.

**Personal:** Born Feb. 17, 1989, in Montreal, Quebec ... Son of Anna and Roamie Horn ... Father played football in college from 1980-83 ... Is a communications major.

## HORN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2007	12	5-2-7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2008	7	3-1-4	0-0	0-0	1-0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>8-3-11</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 3 vs. PSU (9/22/07); INT: 1 vs. Idaho (9/27/08).



**#97 Eric Ikonne**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Junior - 1L**  
**6-0, 250**  
**Dallas, Texas/  
 Newman Smith HS**

Continues to develop, entering his fourth year on campus ... Came on last year, seeing time at both end and tackle ... Played in one game in 2007,

after redshirting in 2006 ... Picked up football late during high school.

**2008:** Started twice, playing in 10 games ... Saw his most extensive playing time against Cal Poly, making his first career tackle ... Missed the Notre Dame and San Jose State contests with an ankle injury ... Returned to action vs. Idaho ... Reserve vs. TCU, making two solo tackles ... Career-best three stops a week later against Air Force ... Made his first collegiate start at New Mexico, recording a career-best four stops, including his first two behind the line of scrimmage ... Starter against CSU, tallying three stops with one for a loss of four yards ... One solo stop at Wyoming and two at BYU as a reserve ... Three tackles against Utah ... Ended the campaign on a high-note, tallying a career-best five stops, including 1.5 behind the line of scrimmage, against UNLV.

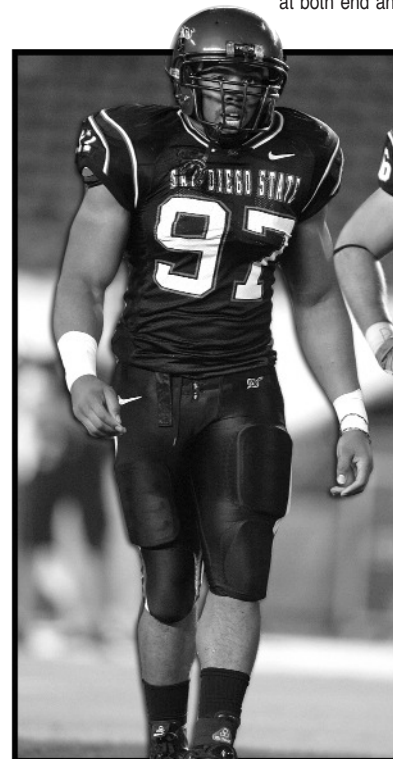
**2007:** Made his Aztec debut against Portland State, but did not log a tackle.

**2006:** Redshirted the season

**High School:** Played two years of football at Newman Smith High School in Carrollton, Texas ... Honorable mention all-district as a senior, recording 72

tackles, including eight for a loss, one sack and two caused fumbles.

**Personal:** Born Oct. 20, 1987, in Kansas City, Mo. ... Son of Bernard and Esther Ikonne ... Family is originally from Nigeria ... Majoring in exercise and nutritional sciences.



## IKONNE'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2007	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2008	10	17-7-24	4.5-10	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17-7-24</b>	<b>4.5-10</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 5 vs. UNLV (11/22/08); TFL: 2.0 at UNM (10/18/08).



**#50 Trask Iosefa**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**6-0, 290**  
**Ewa Beach, Hawaii/  
 Punahou HS**

Starter at center in 2007 and 2008 ... Joined the Aztecs during the spring semester 2006, after signing in February 2005 ... Participated in 2006 spring practices before red-shirting ... Named to the 2009 Spring Watch List for the Rimington Trophy.

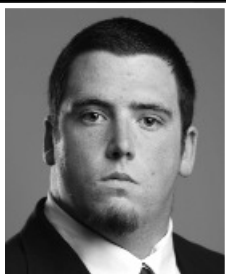
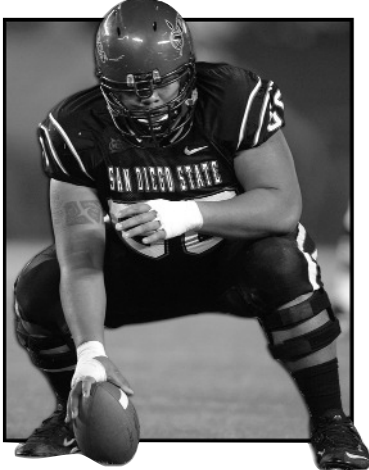
**2008:** Started every game at center as a sophomore ... Has now appeared in the starting line-up in 24 straight contests.

**2007:** Started his first 12 career games at center.

**2006:** Used his redshirt year.

**High School:** A first-team all-state selection and an all-region pick by *PrepStar* magazine ... Received recruiting attention on both sides of the ball ... Selected as first-team member of the Interscholastic League of Honolulu each of his last two prep seasons at Punahou School ... Excellent athlete who also earned varsity letters in basketball and track.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 2, 1987, in Honolulu, Hawaii ... Son of Kaleve Tufono-Iosefa and Alaisea Iosefa ... Full name is Trask Loimata Faalafi Iosefa ... Majoring in social science.



**#71 Alec Johnson**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-3, 300**  
**Denver, Colo./J.K. Mullen HS**

One of SDSU's top-rated recruits in 2008, who was ranked 21st in the nation at center and eighth overall in the state of Colorado by *Scouts, Inc.* ... Has since moved to left guard ... Prep teammate of fellow Aztec Jimmy Miller ... Tabbed an SDSU scholar-athlete.

**2008:** One of two backups at center with Damian Shankle ... Did not see action and used his redshirt season.

**High School:** Starred at J.K. Mullen High School, helping the Mustangs to a combined 25-2 overall record and a 14-0 mark in conference play his final two seasons, claiming a pair of Centennial League titles, under coach Dave Logan ... One of 20 offensive linemen named to the 2007-08 *Tacoma News Tribune* Western 100, a list of the top football recruits in the West ... 2007 *PrepColorado* all-state first team offense ... Team advanced to the state 5A championship game his first three years, winning the title his freshman campaign ... Mullen made it to the state semifinals his senior season when he served as team captain ... First team all-conference honors in 2006 and 2007, and honorable mention as a sophomore ... Academic all-state as a freshman and junior.

**Personal:** Born Feb. 26, 1990, in Aurora, Colo. ... Son of Nancy and Chris Johnson ... Received offers from ASU, Washington, Kansas, Utah and CSU ... Is a business major.



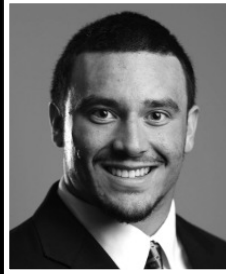
**#33 Ramon Judkins**  
**Running Back**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-0, 210**  
**Los Angeles, Calif./  
 Beverly Hills HS**

Was the lone running back in the 2008 signing class ... Did not see action a year ago ... Ended 2009 spring drills as the back up at fullback ... Prep teammate of fellow redshirt freshman Dominique Sandifer.

**2008:** Did not log any playing time and used his redshirt campaign.

**High School:** As a senior at Beverly Hills High School under coach Carter Paysinger, had 198 carries for 1,248 yards (6.3 ypc.) and 15 touchdowns ... Ran for 279 yards and three scores in a victory over Santa Monica in 2007 ... Six of 11 games with over 100 yards on the ground his senior year ... Rushed for 1,294 yards and 14 touchdowns in 2006 ... Also had 11 receptions for 259 yards and five touchdowns that same season ... An all-CIF first-team pick in 2006 and 2007 ... An all-Ocean League honoree his final three seasons ... Also competed in track and field, where he set a school record in the 100-meter dash as a junior.

**Personal:** Born March 9, 1990, in Los Angeles, Calif. ... Son of Cassandra Gibson and Ramon Judkins ... Has yet to decide on a major.



**#20 Matthew Kawulok**  
**Fullback**  
**Senior - 3L**  
**6-2, 235**  
**Boulder, Colo./Monarch HS**

Has been a part of the Aztec tight end rotation each of the past three seasons, playing in 30 career contests ... Moved to fullback during 2009 spring drills, but could still see time at tight end ... Redshirted in 2005, before starting six times in 2006 ... SDSU scholar-athlete and MWC all-academic selection.

**2008:** Logged his eighth career start in the opener and also played on special teams ... Posted a career-best three catches for 52 yards with a long of 22 yards ... Tripled his previous career

high with nine receptions against Notre Dame ... Also posted a career best with 60 receiving yards vs. the Irish ... Team's leading receiver at San Jose State, logging four receptions for 55 yards ... Recovered his first career fumble on a muffed punt against Idaho ... Made two tackles on special teams at TCU and one at UNM ... Caught three passes for 32 yards at Wyoming, including a long of 14 yards ... Did not play due to injury at BYU ... Returned against Utah, but did not have a catch ... Two receptions for 32 yards in the win over UNLV.

**2007:** Limited to seven games due to injury ... Played but did not log a catch against Washington State ... First reception of the year at ASU for two yards ... Saw field time in the team's four outings against Portland State, Cincinnati, Colorado State, Utah and New Mexico ... Started at Utah and logged one kickoff return for 10 yards ... Also returned a kickoff against New Mexico ... DNP in last five games (inj.) ... Received the President's Award for Highest Standards of Academic and Athletic Excellence at the team banquet.

**2006:** Played in all 12 games, starting six times ... Logged his first career reception, a 23-yarder, in his first career game against UTEP ... First career starts against Wisconsin, SJSU, Utah, BYU and Cal Poly ... One catch at SJSU ... Career-long 24-yard reception in the win over Air Force ... Returned a kickoff 15 yards at Wyoming ... One catch vs. UNLV and TCU.



# Player Profiles

**2005:** Did not play his first year on campus, utilizing his redshirt season.

**High School:** A standout linebacker and tight end at Monarch High School ... An all-conference, all-region and all-state pick in Colorado ... Played on an 11-1 team that reached the state quarterfinals ... Had 102 tackles, including 21 for loss, as a linebacker ... Had 10 receptions for 143 yards and two touchdowns on offense ... First-team all-conference selection on both offense and defense ... Also a member of the Coyotes basketball team ... An academic all-conference and all-state selection.

**Personal:** Born Aug. 21, 1987, in Boulder, Colo. ... Son of Ted and Kim Kawulok ... Brothers Chris and Michael played football at Colorado State ... Earned his bachelor's degree in business earlier this year ... Is taking classes toward his master's degree in public administration.

## KAWULOK'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	Receiving			Avg.
		No.	Yds.	TD	
2006	12	5	65	0	13.0
2007	7	1	2	0	2.0
2008	11	21	231	0	11.0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10.6</b>

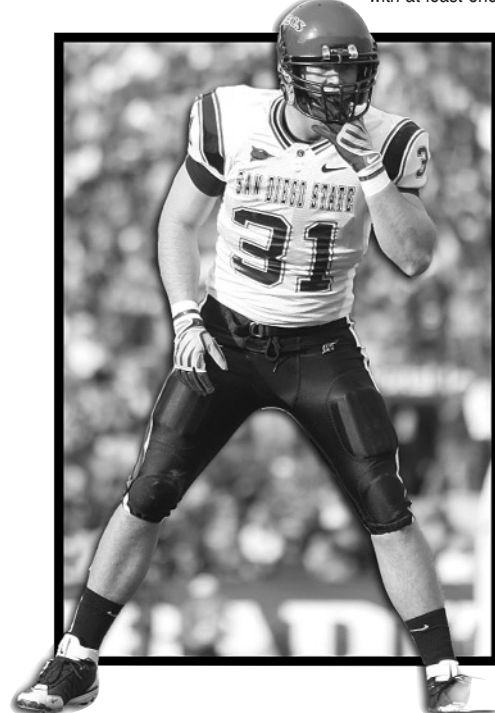
**Career Highs:** Receptions: 9 at Notre Dame (9/6/08); Receiving Yards: 60 at Notre Dame (9/6/08); Long Reception: 24 vs. Air Force (10/21/06).



**#31 Logan Ketchum**  
**Linebacker**  
**Sophomore - SQ**  
**6-3, 215**  
**Oak Park, Calif./Oak Park HS**

A promising, athletic young linebacker, who will contend for starting time ... Injury derailed him for most of 2008 ... Had a strong spring after redshirting in 2007 as a true freshman ... Attended same high school as wideout Doug Deakin ... SDSU scholar-athlete.

**2008:** Missed the first seven games due to injury before making his first appearance as an Aztec on special teams against Colorado State ... Played in each of the final five contests with at least one stop in every outing ... Two



tackles against the Rams and at BYU ... Career-best three tackles against Utah. **2007:** Redshirted the season.

**High School:** Played safety, receiver and linebacker at Oak Park High School ... Lettered three years for the Eagles, helping them to the CIF title game all three seasons ... A second-team all-state pick by *CalHiSports.com* as a senior ... Also tabbed all-CIF first team in 2006, as well as all-Ventura County football co-MVP as a defensive back ... First-team all-Tri-Valley League and picked for the all-county second team by the *Ventura County Star* ... Team's defensive MVP as a senior and defensive back of the year as a junior ... Team won 31

games from 2004-06, including a 12-2 mark in 2006 ... Was a linebacker as a sophomore, before playing both wideout and safety as a junior and senior ... As a senior, had 51 tackles and six picks, while making 37 receptions for 450 yards ... Also ran 14 times for 75 yards and had five TDs ... Career-best 65 tackles and added four picks and two caused fumbles in 2005.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 1, 1989, in Burbank, Calif. ... Son of Kevin and Marti Ketchum ... Also considered UCLA, where his brother Gavin is a wide receiver, Arizona, Colorado, Colorado State and Washington ... Is an English major.

## KETCHUM'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-AFTT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2008	5	5-4-9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 3 vs. Utah (11/15/08).



**#11 Brandon Kohn**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Senior - SQ**  
**5-11, 200**  
**Fairfield, Calif./**  
**Contra Costa College**

Came to San Diego State last fall as a quarterback ... Switched over to wide receiver prior to the start of 2009 spring drills.

**2008:** Did not see any action in his first year on campus.

**At Contra Costa:** Spent two seasons at Contra Costa Community College in San Pablo, Calif. ... An all-league selection at quarterback for the Comets ... Named to the dean's list both years on the squad in 2006 and 2007.

**High School:** A two-year letterwinner at Fairfield High School in Fairfield, Calif. ... Two-time team captain ... Was an all-league and all-city pick as a junior ... Missed his senior year due to injury ... Also competed on the track and field team.

**Personal:** Born July 8, 1987, in Jacksonville, Fla. ... Son of Harvey and Cheryl Queen ... A criminal justice major.



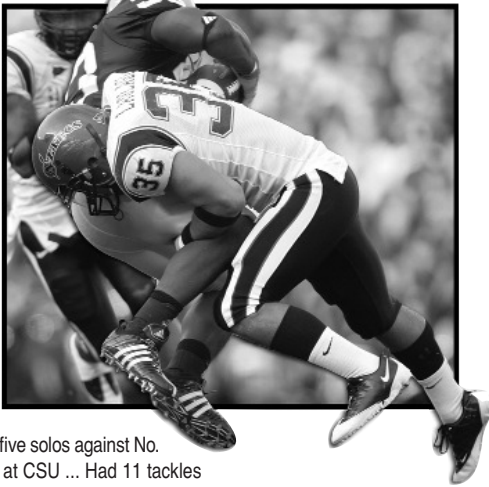
**#35 Luke Laolagi**  
**Linebacker**  
**Senior - 3L**  
**6-1, 225**  
**Reseda, Calif./**  
**Birmingham HS**

Starter at middle linebacker since spring drills in 2007 ... Played in each of the last 24 contests ... Appeared in 10 games in 2006, playing on both special teams and at linebacker ... Nine career games with 10 or more tackles.

**2008:** Played and started all 12 outings ... Third on the team in tackles with 99 ... Recorded seven stops, including five solos, against Cal Poly ... Matched his career best with a team game-high 13 stops vs. Notre Dame ... Forced and recovered a fumble at the three-yard line, while adding a tackle for a loss of four yards ... Second consecutive game with 10 or more tackles, ending up with exactly 10 at San Jose State ... Tied for the team lead with six tackles in the win over Idaho ... Third game with 10 or more stops in 2008, with 11 at TCU ... Also added a forced fumble which set up the Aztecs' lone score of the game and one tackle for a loss of six yards ... Fourth double-figure tackle game of the year with 10 against Air Force ... Four stops and a PBU in the loss to CSU ... Saw action at weakside linebacker at Wyoming, moving over with the injury to Andrew Preston ... Made six stops with one for a loss against the Cowboys ... Seven tackles at BYU and nine against Utah ... MWC co-defensive player of the week after his 12-stop performance in the win vs. UNLV ... Also had his career interception, a forced fumble and a PBU against the Rebels ... Ninth in the MWC in tackles per outing

(8.2) and fourth in fumbles forced (3).

**2007:** Started all 12 outings ... Had 94 tackles, including six for a loss ... Four games with 10 or more stops ... Named to *Phil Steele's* 2007 All-Mountain West Conference second team ... Notched his first start against Washington State, coming up with eight tackles and his first career PBU ... Five stops at Arizona State and added three, including one for loss, versus Portland State ... Seven tackles with five solos against No.



24 Cincinnati ... Five stops at CSU ... Had 11 tackles at Utah and a PBU ... Career-high for second straight outing against New Mexico, tallying a team game-high 13 stops to go with a TFL and a PBU ... Third straight outing with 10 or more tackles, logging 10 solos in the win over Wyoming ... Added a career-best 4.0 TFL and his first career sack to earn conference defensive player of the week honors ... Nine stops and a tackle for loss at Air Force ... Leading tackler, matching his career-best with 13, including 10 solos, against TCU ... Five stops and a breakup vs. BYU ... Ninth in the MWC in overall tackles (7.8/g) and eighth in league-only contests (8.9/g).

**2006:** Logged minutes in the first 10 games of the year ... Appeared in his first career contest versus UTEP but did not record a stat ... First career tackles against Wisconsin and San Jose State ... Made three stops at BYU ... Three solo tackles, with one for a loss of two yards, against Cal Poly ... Suffered a season-ending shoulder injury at TCU.

**2005:** Redshirted as a true freshman.

**High School:** One of the most decorated members of the 2005 recruiting class ... A first-team all-state (all classes) selection by *CalHiSports* and the 4A player of the year in Los Angeles as voted on by the coaches ... An all-region pick by the *Los Angeles Times* his last two seasons and a California top 100 prospect ... *SuperPrep* all-region selection ... League MVP ... Played in the Cali-Florida Bowl as well as the public schools vs. private schools Shrine Bowl ... Is Birmingham's all-time leading tackler with 412 stops ... A strong student who has had his No. 8 jersey retired by the school ... Birmingham was the Los Angeles city champ in 2002 and 2004 ... First-team all-conference player for three years ... Also a standout baseball player for the Patriots ... Earned all-conference and all-city honors as an underclassman.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 21, 1987, in Northridge, Calif. ... Son of Sam and Dana Laolagi ... Social science major.

**LAOLAGI'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-A/T	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2006	10	7-3-10	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2007	12	48-46-94	6.0-20	1.0-5	0-0	4	0	0
2008	12	54-45-99	4.0-13	0-0	1-3	2	3	1-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>109-94-203</b>	<b>11.0-35</b>	<b>1.0-5</b>	<b>1-3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1-0</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 13 at Notre Dame (9/6/08), vs. TCU (11/24/07), UNM (10/20/07); TFL: 4.0 vs. WYO (11/3/07); Sack: 1.0 vs. WYO (11/3/07); INT: 1 vs. UNLV (11/22/08); FF: 1 vs. UNLV (11/22/08), at TCU (10/4/08), at Notre Dame (9/6/08); FR: 1 at Notre Dame (9/6/08); PBU: 1 vs. UNLV (11/22/08), vs. CSU (10/25/08), BYU (12/11/07), at UNM (10/20/07), at Utah (10/13/07), vs. WSU (9/8/07).

**LAOLAGI GAME-BY-GAME**

	G	UA-A/T	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
UTEP (8/31/06)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Wisconsin (9/16/06)	1	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UTAH (9/23/06)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at SJSU (9/30/06)	1	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at BYU (10/7/06)	1	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
AFA (10/21/06)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
CAL POLY (10/28/06)	1	3-0-3	1.0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Wyoming (11/4/06)	1	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UNLV (11/11/06)	1	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at TCU (11/18/06)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at UNM (11/25/06)			DNP-INJ					
CSU (12/2/06)			DNP-INJ					
vs. Wash. St. (9/8/07)*	1	1-7-8	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
vs. ASU (9/15/07)*	1	2-3-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

PSU (9/22/07)*	1	1-2-3	0.5-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
CINCINNATI (9/29/07)*	1	5-2-7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at CSU (10/6/07)*	1	3-2-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Utah (10/13/07)*	1	3-8-11	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
UNM (10/20/07)*	1	6-7-13	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
WYO (11/3/07)*	1	10-0-10	4.0-11	1.0-5	0-0	0	0	0
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at AFA (11/17/07)*	1	3-6-9	1.0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
TCU (11/24/07)*	1	10-3-13	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
BYU (12/1/07)*	1	2-3-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
CAL POLY (8/30/08)*	1	5-2-7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at ND (9/6/08)*	1	8-5-13	1.0-4	0-0	0-0	0	1	1-0
at SJSU (9/13/08)*	1	4-6-10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
IDAHO (9/27/08)*	1	4-2-6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at TCU (10/4/08)*	1	5-6-11	1.0-6	0-0	0-0	0	1	0
AFA (10/11/08)*	1	5-5-10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at UNM (10/18/08)*	1	2-2-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
CSU (10/25/08)*	1	2-2-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
at WYO (11/1/08)*	1	4-2-6	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at BYU (11/8/08)*	1	4-3-7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UTAH (11/15/08)*	1	2-7-9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UNLV (11/22/08)*	1	9-3-12	1.0-2	0-0	1-3	1	1	0

\* = Game started



**#99 Ernie Lawson**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**6-3, 270**  
**Vallejo, Calif./**  
**St. Patrick-St. Vincent HS**

SDSU's opening game starter on the defensive line in 2008, who battled through injuries and illness ... Backup at defensive tackle in 2007 ... Redshirted in 2006 ... SDSU scholar-athlete in 2007 and 2008.

**2008:** Played in six contests, starting five times ... First career start at defensive tackle in the opener, but did not have a tackle ... Played on an injured ankle against Notre Dame, managing two stops with one behind the line of scrimmage ... Three assisted tackles with one for loss at San Jose State ... Missed three games due to illness, before returning at New Mexico, making an assisted tackle for a loss of one yard ... Injured his ankle against the Lobos, causing him to miss the CSU, Wyoming and BYU contests ... Returned against Utah, making two solo tackles ... Had a sack for a loss of seven yards in the win over UNLV.

**2007:** Tabbed the team's most inspirational player ... Appeared in all 12 outings, posting the first 17 tackles and two pass breakups of his career ... One stop against WSU, PSU, CSU and New Mexico ... Career-high four tackles at Utah ... First career PBUs against UNM and Portland St. ... One solo at UNLV ... Tied career-high with four tackles at Air Force ... Two stops vs. TCU and BYU.

**2006:** Missed entire season due to injury.

**High School:** Played both the defensive and offensive line for St. Patrick-St. Vincent High, garnering league defensive player-of-the-year honors as a senior ... All-region defensive pick by the *Times Herald* his final season ... Team's most inspirational and defensive lineman of the year in 2005 ... As a senior, he had 68 solo stops, 15 tackles for loss and five sacks ... Recorded 41 solo tackles and added seven tackles for loss and three sacks as a junior to earn second-team all-conference accolades.

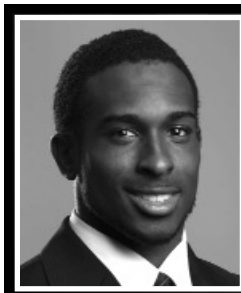
**Personal:** Born Sept. 27, 1988, in San Mateo, Calif. ... Son of Albert and Belinda Lawson ... Also looked at San Jose State during the recruiting process ... Is an exercise and nutritional sciences major.

**LAWSON'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-A/T	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2007	12	9-8-17	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0
2008	6	4-6-10	3.0-9	1.0-7	0-0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>13-14-27</b>	<b>3.0-9</b>	<b>1.0-7</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 4 at Air Force (11/17/07), at Utah (10/13/07); TFLs: 1.0 vs. UNLV (11/22/08), at Notre Dame (9/6/08); Sacks: 1.0 vs. UNLV (11/22/08).

# Player Profiles



**#30 Darryn Lewis**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Junior - 1L**  
**5-9, 155**  
**Elk Grove, Calif./Franklin HS**

Walk-on defensive back who joined the squad for 2007 fall practice ... Earned a varsity letter in 2008, after playing primarily on special teams.

**2008:** Participated in nine contests, beginning with the Idaho game, but did not log any tackles ... Made one stop against Air Force and had a season-best two tackles vs. Colorado State and BYU ... Recorded one solo effort in the loss to Utah.

**2007:** Did not play in his first season.

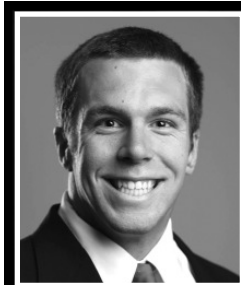
**High School:** Attended Franklin High School in Elk Grove, Calif. ... Played three years of football, serving as team captain as a senior ... Second-team all-league and honorable mention all-city his final campaign ... Also was a standout basketball player, lettering twice.

**Personal:** Born April 10, 1988, in Torrance, Calif. ... Son of Felicia and Mark Lewis ... Father, Mark, played football at UC Davis ... Has worked for both Caltrans and Apple Computers ... National Honor Roll member ... Majoring in biology.

## LEWIS' CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-ATT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2008	9	4-2-6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 2 at BYU (11/8/08), vs. Colorado State (10/25/08).



**#14 Ryan Lindley**  
**Quarterback**  
**Sophomore - 1L**  
**6-3, 205**  
**Alpine, Calif./El Capitan HS**

A strong-armed passer who made his Aztec debut in 2008 ... Just the second freshman in SDSU Division I history to start a season-opener ... Redshirt in 2007.

**2008:** Team offensive MVP ... Started 11 contests in his first year of competition ... Threw for 2,653 yards and 16 touchdowns ... Four games with 300+ yards passing ... Ranked 24th nationally in passing average and 42nd in total offense ... Became just the second freshman to start a season-opening game, joining Todd Santos ... Completed 27 of his 45 pass attempts for 352 yards and three touchdowns in his debut ... All numbers were the most by an Aztec freshman in his first career start ... A week later, attempted 59 passes against Notre Dame, tying for third in the SDSU single-game record book ... Also set an MWC freshman record and is tied for fifth overall in conference game history with his 59 attempts ... Completed 29 of those 59 attempts for 274 yards and a TD, while adding his first career rushing score to put the Aztecs up 7-0 ... Another record-setting performance, throwing for 433 yards (24-for-38) and four touchdowns in the victory against Idaho ... His 433 yards were the most by a freshman in the nation in 2008 and sixth overall ... Is the 14th player in school history to record a 400-yard passing game ... Named MWC offensive player of the week for his efforts ... Starter vs. TCU, but left the game due to a shoulder injury in the first quarter after completing four of his eight passes for 37 yards ... Missed the Air Force game due to injury ... Returned against New Mexico, throwing for 156 yards and a 15-yard TD ... Completed 24 of his 33 pass attempts for 166 yards and a 10-yard TD pass to Vincent Brown against CSU ... Attempted over 50 passes for the second time with 52 at Wyoming, throwing for 311 yards and a touchdown ... Threw for 160 yards and a touchdown at BYU ... Completed 23 passes for 247 yards and two TDs vs. No. 8 Utah ... Led SDSU to a win over UNLV by throwing for 387 yards and two scores ... Completed 35 of his 50 pass attempts with no interceptions ... His 35 completions tie for third in the SDSU single-game record book ... Became the 14th Aztec in school

history with three or more 300-yard passing games ... Set a new freshman game record vs. the Rebels for pass completions, surpassing the previous high of 29, that he posted against Notre Dame.

**2007:** Traveled but did not see action as a true freshman.

**High School:** Played two seasons of varsity football at El Capitan High School under coach Ron Burner ... As a senior, completed 61 percent of his passes (235-for-385) for 3,521 yards, including 35 touchdowns ... 2006 *CalHiSports* second-team all-state and first-team pick for Division III ... League, CIF, *San Diego Union-Tribune* and Breitbard Hall of Champions Offensive Player of the Year as a senior ... Russ Saunders Award recipient, given to the county's top senior student-athlete in football by the Hall of Champions ... Helped the Vaqueros to a league title and an 11-1 record in 2006, the best in school history ... Threw for 417 yards in a single game in 2006, the eighth-highest passing total in section history ... His junior season, threw for over 2,000 yards and tossed 14 TD passes ... Career totals include 5,741 yards passing and 49 touchdowns ... Two-time team captain ... Rated the 34th-best quarterback nationally and the No. 97 player overall in California by *Rivals.com* ... *Scout.com* listed him among the top 50 quarterback recruits in the nation and No. 6 in California ... Ranked No. 62 overall by *SuperPrep Magazine* in the state ... An honor student, who ranked in the top six percent of his class and garnered first-team all-academic honors by the *San Diego Union-Tribune* two straight years ... Also played baseball at El Cap.

**Personal:** Born June 22, 1989, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Tim and Kay Linn Lindley ... Father, Tim, played water polo at Occidental College ... Also visited Idaho during the recruiting process ... Major is social science teaching.



## LINDLEY'S CAREER STATISTICS

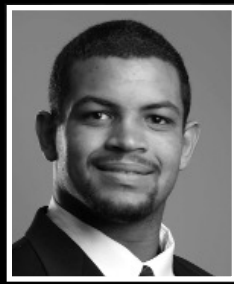
Career Statistics	G	Att.	Com.	INT	Yds.	TDs	Eff.	Tot. Off.
2008	11	427	242	9	2,653	16	117.01	2,591

**Career Highs:** Attempts: 59 at Notre Dame (9/6/08); Completions: 35 vs. UNLV (11/22/09); Passing Yards: 433 vs. Idaho (9/27/08); Long Pass: 51 vs. Idaho (9/27/08); TDs Passing: 4 vs. Idaho (9/27/08); TDs Rushing: 1 at Notre Dame (9/6/08).

## LINDLEY GAME-BY-GAME

	Passing					Rushing		
	Att.	Com.	INT	Yds.	TDs	Att.	Yds.	TDs
CAL POLY (8/30/08)*	45	27	2	352	3	6	-16	0
at ND (9/6/08)*	59	29	1	274	1	2	-6	1
at SJSU (9/13/08)*	29	10	0	140	0	6	-23	0
IDAHO (9/27/08)*	38	24	1	433	4	3	25	0
at TCU (10/4/08)*	8	4	0	37	0	3	-7	0
AFA (10/11/08)	DNP-INJ							
at UNM (10/18/08)*	37	18	1	156	1	2	-10	0
CSU (10/25/08)*	33	24	1	166	1	1	-4	0
at WYO (11/1/08)*	52	28	0	311	1	4	-18	0
at BYU (11/8/08)*	20	36	1	160	1	3	0	0
UTAH (11/15/08)*	41	23	2	247	2	0	0	0
UNLV (11/22/08)*	50	35	0	387	2	1	-3	0

\* = games started



**#94 Jerome Long**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - 1L**  
**6-5, 265**  
**Los Osos, Calif./Morro Bay HS**

Pressed into extensive duty as a true freshman in 2008 ... A talented player, who has added bulk to his 6-5 frame during the offseason ... Returning starter, who is slated to play defensive end.

**2008:** One of two true freshmen to log a start ... Started seven total contests and was a reserve in four others ... Compiled 37 tackles, two tackles for loss and a sack ... Saw action in the team's opener with Cal Poly as a reserve ... Made four tackles ... Injured his ankle vs. the Mustangs and played limited minutes at Notre Dame ... DNP at San Jose State ... Logged an assisted tackle in his first career start vs. Idaho ... Best performance of the season at TCU, making nine tackles ... Six assisted stops against Air Force ... Starter at UNM, making five tackles ... Had four tackles with his first career stop for a loss vs. CSU ... Starter again at Wyoming and had one tackle ... First career sack at BYU, recording seven total tackles on the afternoon.

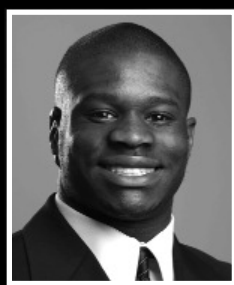
**High School:** Recorded 68 tackles, 4.5 sacks, a blocked punt and a fumble recovery as a senior at Morro Bay High School under coach John Andree ... 2007 first-team pick on the defensive line by *CalHISports.com* ... Named the Los Padres League Lineman of the Year in 2007 ... All-San Luis Obispo County first team defensive lineman and all-CIF-SS Northwest Division defensive team honors ... The Pirates had a 10-0 regular season record and won their first outright Los Padres League title since 1971 during his senior campaign ... Served as team captain in 2007 ... Also played tight end at Morro Bay, garnering first-team all-league accolades as a junior ... Member of the Pirates' wrestling team, earning three league titles and placing fourth at the CIF meet as a junior in the heavyweight division.

**Personal:** Born April 9, 1990, in Riverside, Calif. ... Son of Julie Long ... Also recruited by Cal Poly, Oregon and Washington ... Is a chemistry major.

**LONG'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-AT-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2008	11	14-23-37	2.0-8	1.0-7	0-0	0	0	0

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 9 at TCU (10/4/08); TFLs: 1.0 at BYU (11/8/08), vs. CSU (10/25/08); Sacks: 1.0 at BYU (11/8/08).



**#29 Derek Mack**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**5-7, 155**  
**Spring Valley, Calif./**  
**Otay Ranch HS**

Joined the team during the 2008 fall semester ... Local product, who will add depth to the defensive backfield.

**High School:** Played high school football at Otay Ranch High School in Chula Vista, Calif. ... Also participated in wrestling and track and field ... Graduated with honors.

**Personal:** Born Oct. 19, 1990, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Derek and Margarita Mack ... Majoring in engineering.



**#74 Mike Matamua**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - SQ**  
**6-4, 290**  
**Kapolei, Hawaii/Kapolei HS**

Was in the running for a starting spot at tackle, before suffering a season-ending injury during 2008 fall camp ... Was rated the No. 11 recruit coming out of high school in the state of Hawaii by *Rivals.com* ... Went to the same high school as fellow offensive lineman Ikaika Aken-Moleta.

**2008:** Missed the entire year due to injury.

**2007:** Dressed but did not see any field time in the 12 games.

**High School:** Played three years of varsity football for the Kapolei High School Hurricanes under head coach Darren Hernandez ... A *Star-Bulletin* all-state selection and an Oahu Interscholastic Association West Division pick as a senior ... Ranked 40th nationally by *Scout.com* and 61st by *Rivals.com* among high school offensive line prospects ... Rated as the No. 11 player overall in the state of Hawaii by *Rivals.com*.

**Personal:** Born July 3, 1989, in Honolulu, Hawaii ... Son of Jennifer and Failaua Matamua ... Also recruited by Hawai'i, UNLV and Utah ... Major is sociology.



**#2 Davion Mauldin**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Senior - 1L**  
**5-11, 165**  
**Compton, Calif./**  
**Cerritos College**

A junior college transfer, who had an immediate impact in the return game for the Aztecs in 2008 ... Expected to contend for starting time at cornerback as a senior ... Played 2007 campaign at Cerritos College in Norwalk, Calif., after attending Minot State in North Dakota in 2006.

**2008:** In his first year on campus, appeared in nine contests, earning one starting nod at cornerback ... Played on special teams against Cal Poly, returning two punts and a pair of kickoffs with a long of 37 yards ... Missed the Notre Dame, San Jose State and Idaho games with a



foot injury ... Returned at TCU, returning five kickoffs for 89 yards with a long of 24 yards ... Also tallied three stops with two of those on defense ...

Was a reserve against Air Force ... Returned three kickoffs for 57 yards with a long of 31 at UNM ... Scored his first career touchdown in his first career start ... Brought a kick off back 93 yards for a score in the second half against CSU, the eighth-longest kick off return in school history ... Also had a career-high seven solos and a tackle for loss as the starter at cornerback ... Returned four kickoffs for 98 yards, including a long

of 31, at Wyoming ... Brought back two punts and a kickoff at BYU ... Career-high six kickoff returns for 107 yards with a long of 26 vs. Utah ... Took back three punts and two kickoffs vs. UNLV.

**At Cerritos:** Played in 2007 at Cerritos College in Norwalk, Calif., after appearing in seven games at Minot State in North Dakota in 2006 ... In his lone season at Cerritos under coach Frank Mazzotta, had 56 tackles, including 2.5 for a loss, two interceptions, four pass break ups and a fumble recovery in nine games ... Also returned kicks for the Falcons, averaging 34.5 yards on kickoff returns and scoring one touchdown ... Had 482 all-purpose yards and was a unanimous all-conference pick as a kick returner and a second-team selection in the secondary ... 2007 *JC Athletic Bureau* Region IV first team as a kick returner.

**High School:** Attended Cimarron-Memorial High School in Las Vegas, Nev., playing football under coach Ron Smeltzer ... A two-way star for the Spartans as a quarterback and defensive

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back ... Second-team all-state as a defensive back in 2005 ... Had 90 tackles, including 68 solos, and five interceptions as a senior ... Passed for 352 yards and rushed for 489 yards and seven touchdowns at quarterback.

**Personal:** Born Sept. 30, 1988, in Compton, Calif. ... Son of Tracy Carr ... From same high school as SDSU defensive lineman Neil Spencer ... Also offered scholarships by Akron, Colorado State, Idaho State, Nevada, SMU and UTEP ... Majoring in social science.

## MAULDIN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-AFTT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2008	9	10-0-10	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Kickoff Returns	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.	Long
2008	26	588	1	22.6	93

Punt Returns	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.	Long
2008	9	12	0	1.3	10

**Career Highs:** KO Returns: 6 vs. Utah (11/15/08); KO Return Yards: 130 vs. CSU (10/25/08); Long KO Return: 93 vs. CSU (10/25/08); Punt Returns: 3 vs. UNLV (11/22/08); Punt Return Yards: 10 at Wyo. (11/1/08); Long Punt Return: 10 at Wyo. (11/1/08); Tackles: 7 vs. CSU (10/25/08); TFL: 1.0 vs. CSU (10/25/08).



**#78 Brian Milholland**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-6, 300**  
**San Diego, Calif./Helix HS**

Listed as the backup at left tackle behind Peter Nelson in 2008 ... A local product, who was a first-team all-CIF selection on the offensive line for the Helix Highlanders in 2007 ... Missed most of 2009 spring drills due to injury.

**2008:** Used his redshirt campaign.

**High School:** Played at Helix High School in La Mesa, Calif. ... *San Diego Union-Tribune* all-San Diego Section and all-CIF first team his final campaign ... Earned first-team honors in the Grossmont South League as a senior and was all-Southern California third team by *GoldenStatePreps.com* ... Helix advanced to the CIF semifinals this past season, finishing with an 8-2-1 record, including a 4-0 mark in league play ... Selected for the Navy Marine Corps All-Star Classic football game.

**Personal:** Born Dec. 7, 1989, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Brian Milholland and Jacqueline Monaghan ... Also recruited by USC, Penn State and California ... Has yet to declare his major.



**#51 Jimmy Miller**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-3, 290**  
**Denver, Colo./J.K. Mullen HS**

Ended 2009 spring drills third on the depth chart at right guard ... Redshirted as a true freshman in 2008 ... From the same high school as fellow offensive lineman Alec Johnson.

**2008:** Did not play, using his redshirt season.

**High School:** Rated the No. 40 offensive guard prospect in the nation by *Scouts, Inc.* out of J.K. Mullen High School in Denver ... A three-star recruit by *Rivals.com* ... 2007 *PrepColorado* All-State second team offense ... Second-team all-league his senior year ... Mustangs went a combined 25-2 and 14-0 in conference play his final two seasons under coach Dave Logan,

claiming a pair of Centennial League titles ... Team advanced to the state 5A championship game from 2004-06 and the state semifinals his senior season ... Competed in the throws events in track and field.

**Personal:** Born May 28, 1990, in Denver, Colo. ... Son of Lana and Jim Miller ... Mother was an all-state volleyball player in Nebraska, while his father competed in football and baseball at the University of Rhode Island ... Also offered by Air Force, Colorado State and Washington State ... Major is exercise and nutritional sciences.



**#34 Jerry Milling**  
**Linebacker**  
**Senior - 1L**  
**5-10, 215**  
**Palmdale, Calif./Palmdale HS**

Has seen his last two seasons limited by injury ... A hard-hitting player, who always seems to be around the ball ... Was the projected starter at linebacker during 2007 fall camp, before fracturing a bone in his left foot ... Played primarily on special teams in 2006 ... President's Award for Most Improved Scholastic Achievement in 2008 ... SDSU scholar-athlete.

**2008:** Played in four games, starting two of them, before missing the rest of 2008 ... Was a reserve against Cal Poly, making five tackles including one for a loss of two yards ... Made the most of his first career start at weakside linebacker vs. Notre Dame, tallying a career best and first double-figure tackle total with 11 stops ... Also recovered a fumble ... Second straight game with 10 or more tackles, ending up with exactly 10 in a starting role at San Jose State ... Reserve vs. Idaho, making a pair of tackles ... Missed the remainder of the year.

**2007:** Played in the final five games, tallying 15 tackles ... Injured his left foot during fall camp ... Returned to practice during the week of Oct. 22 ... Played on special teams versus Wyoming and UNLV ... Made one tackle against the Rebels ... Career-best three solos in his first playing time on defense at AFA ... Two stops in the loss to TCU ... Career-high nine tackles in the finale with BYU, including six solos.

**2006:** Made his SDSU debut, recording a solo tackle vs. UTEP ... Played on special teams in seven contests ... One assisted tackle versus San Jose State ... Missed three outings with a hand injury ... Made one tackle in the season finale with Colorado State.

**2005:** Utilized his redshirt season.

**High School:** Was an all-league, all-CIF and all-*Los Angeles Daily News* selection at Palmdale ... Had 90 tackles and four fumble recoveries as a senior ... Was an all-region selection by the *Los Angeles Times* ... Earned three varsity letters in football.

**Personal:** Born April 14, 1987, in Hampton, Va. ... Son of Jerry Milling and Stephanie Anthony ... Is a social science major.





**MILLING'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2006	9	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2007	5	12-3-15	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2008	4	12-16-28	1.5-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	1-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>26-20-46</b>	<b>1.5-3</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1-0</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 11 at Notre Dame (9/6/08); TFLs: 1.0 vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); PBU: 1 vs. Idaho (9/27/08); FR: 1 at Notre Dame (9/6/08).



**#21 Aaron Moore**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Senior - 3L**  
**6-0, 190**  
**Tampa, Fla./Jefferson HS**

An athletic defensive back who has extensive playing time in the last three years ... Redshirted in 2005 ... Has 24 career starts.

**2008:** Returning starter at corner ... Played all 12 outings, starting on 10 occasions ... Had 48 total stops and six PBUs on the year ... Made four tackles and had a career-best three PBUs against Cal Poly ... Three stops, including one for a loss of eight yards, and a PBU at Notre Dame ... Scored his first career touchdown at San Jose State, returning an interception 28 yards ... Also tallied a career-high nine stops and a tackle for loss vs. the Spartans ... Two solos as a reserve vs. Idaho ... Three stops at TCU ... Three solos against Air Force and four stops at UNM ... Six tackles, one stop for a loss and one PBU in the loss to CSU ... Four stops at Wyoming and five at BYU ... Three solos vs. Utah and two vs. UNLV.



**2007:** Played in every game, starting in 11 outings ... Tied for first on the team in interceptions with four ... Added 59 tackles, 4.5 tackles for loss and seven pass breakups ... Starter at one cornerback spot, making a career-high eight tackles and logging one PBU against Washington State ... Six stops versus Arizona State and Portland State ... Also had a career-best two PBUs in the win over the Vikings ... First career interception and also had three solo tackles against No. 24 Cincinnati ... Had a pick for the second game in a row at CSU ... Five tackles at Utah ... Third career interception against New Mexico ... Also had six tackles and a career-best 1.5 tackles for loss versus the Lobos ... Four tackles, two PBUs and his fourth pick of the year in the fourth quarter of the win over Wyoming ... Tied his career-best with eight stops in the win over UNLV ... Added a career-high 2.0 TFL vs. Rebels ... Two stops and a tackle for loss at Air Force ... Tallied six solos and a PBU vs. TCU ... Tied for 61st nationally and was third in the MWC in INTs per game (0.3).

**2006:** Participated in 10 games, starting on three occasions ... Played his first game as an Aztec against UTEP, logging a tackle ... Season-best two stops at Wisconsin ... A reserve against Utah ... Saw extensive playing time at San Jose State, recording six tackles, including one for loss, and a pass break-up ... Made his first career start at BYU, logging three tackles ... Did not play against Cal Poly ... Started at Wyoming, making three stops ... One solo stop in a starting role versus UNLV ... Logged four tackles coming off the bench at New Mexico.

**2005:** Redshirted as a true freshman ... Earned defensive scout team weekly honors prior to the New Mexico game.

**High School:** A first-team all-county selection and a second-team all-league choice at Jefferson ... Had nine interceptions over the last two seasons and returned one for a touchdown ... Recorded 46 tackles as a senior for a team that advanced to the state championship game and went 13-3 ... Also earned three letters in baseball, hitting .346 as a senior to help the Dragons to a 21-7 record and a trip to the regional finals.

**Personal:** Born Sept. 10, 1986, in Tampa, Fla. ... Son of Teneca and Edward Moore ... Majoring in social science.

**MOORE'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2006	10	15-5-20	1-0-4	0-0	0	1	0	0
2007	12	42-17-59	4.5-8	0-0	4-18	7	0	0
2008	12	32-16-48	3-0-11	0-0	1-28	6	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>89-38-127</b>	<b>8.5-23</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>5-46</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 9 at SJSU (9/13/08); TFLs: 2.0 at UNLV (11/3/07); INT: 1 at SJSU (9/13/08), vs. WYO (11/3/07), vs. UNM (10/20/07), at CSU (10/6/07), vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07); PBUs: 3 vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08).

**MOORE GAME-BY-GAME**

	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
UTEP (8/31/06)	1	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Wisconsin (9/16/06)	1	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UTAH (9/23/06)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at SJSU (9/30/06)	1	4-2-6	1-0-4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
at BYU (10/7/06)*	1	3-0-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
AFA (10/21/06)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
CAL POLY (10/28/06)			DNP-CD					
at Wyoming (11/4/06)*	1	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UNLV (11/11/06)*	1	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at TCU (11/18/06)			DNP-CD					
at UNM (11/25/06)	1	3-1-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
CSU (12/2/06)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Wash. St. (9/8/07)*	1	3-5-8	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
vs. ASU (9/15/07)*	1	4-2-6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
PSU (9/22/07)	1	4-2-6	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0
CINCINNATI (9/29/07)*	1	3-0-3	0-0	0-0	1-18	0	0	0
at CSU (10/6/07)*	1	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	1-0	0	0	0
at Utah (10/13/07)*	1	3-2-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UNM (10/20/07)*	1	5-1-6	1.5-4	0-0	1-0	0	0	0
WYO (11/3/07)*	1	2-2-4	0-0	0-0	1-0	2	0	0
at UNLV (11/10/07)*	1	7-1-8	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at AFA (11/17/07)*	1	1-1-2	1-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
TCU (11/24/07)*	1	6-0-6	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
BYU (12/1/07)*	1	3-0-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
CAL POLY (8/30/08)*	1	3-1-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	0	0
at ND (9/6/08)*	1	2-1-3	1-0-8	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
at SJSU (9/13/08)*	1	6-3-9	1-0-2	0-0	1-28	0	0	0
IDAHO (9/27/08)	1	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at TCU (10/4/08)*	1	1-2-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
AFA (10/11/08)*	1	3-0-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at UNM (10/18/08)*	1	2-2-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
CSU (10/25/08)*	1	3-3-6	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
at WYO (11/1/08)*	1	1-3-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at BYU (11/8/08)*	1	4-1-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
UTAH (11/18/08)*	1	3-0-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UNLV (11/22/08)	1	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

\* = Game started



**#48 Eron Moses**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - SQ**  
**6-4, 235**  
**Yorba Linda, Calif./**  
**Esperanza HS**

Has battled through injuries during his Aztec career ... Missed the entire 2007 campaign after undergoing surgery on his right foot to repair a broken toe.

**2008:** Did not log any game action for the second year in a row.

**2007:** Did not play due to injury, using his redshirt campaign.

**High School:** Played just two years of football at Esperanza High, under head coach Bill Pendleton ... Helped Esperanza to a 9-1 regular-season record and a Sunset League title as a senior ... Team advanced to the CIF finals in 2005, after claiming its first league championship in five years ... All-county selection in 2006 ... Also played basketball for the Aztecs.

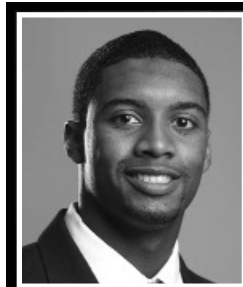
**Personal:** Born March 5, 1989, in Anaheim, Calif. ... Son of John and Jennifer Moses ... Majoring in social science.

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**#62 Peter Nelson**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Senior - 2L**  
**6-5, 295**  
**St. Charles, Ill./**  
**St. Charles North HS**

A great Aztec football success story ... A hard worker, who moved to the offensive line in the summer of 2008 ... Played on special teams and the defensive line in 2007 ... Served as a backup at defensive tackle in 2006 ... Made the travel squad several times as a true freshman, but ended up redshirting in 2005 ... One of six former walk-ons to earn a scholarship in 2007.  
**2008:** Made a quick transition to offensive line, earning the starting left tackle position in all 12 contests.  
**2007:** Played in 11 games, starting the first two ... Three tackles on the year ... Made the starting lineup against Washington State, recording two tackles, a career best ... Starter at ASU ... One solo effort as a reserve against Portland State ... Missed the Wyoming game before playing in the final four.  
**2006:** First career game at BYU, logging an assisted tackle ... His final contest of the year came against Cal Poly where he also had a stop.  
**2005:** Appeared on the Aztec two-deep at defensive tackle for several early contests, but ended up redshirting.  
**High School:** Two-time all-conference pick at St. Charles North High School ... Led the team to two Upstate Eight League titles ... Also played basketball for the North Stars, garnering all-conference honors.  
**Personal:** Born Feb. 14, 1987, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Anita and Greg Nelson ... Won three tournaments as a junior golfer in Seattle, Wash. ... Is majoring in business.



**#87 Javier Nicholas**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Sophomore - HS**  
**6-0, 190**  
**Oceanside, Calif./**  
**Oceanside HS**

Joined the Aztecs for 2009 spring drills ... Attended Fresno State, but did not play football ... Brother, Osmond, is a freshman wide receiver at SDSU.  
**High School:** Attended Oceanside High School, graduating in 2007 ... An all-Avocado League honorable mention pick his senior campaign ... Named his squad's special teams player of the year in 2006 ... Also was a standout on the basketball and track and field teams ... All-North County selection for track and field.  
**Personal:** Born Dec. 5, 1989, in Long Beach, Calif. ... Son of Javier, Sr. and Estela Nicholas ... Sister, Nadya, swam at Howard University ... Majoring in business.



**#10 Josh O'Brien**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Junior - SQ**  
**6-4, 215**  
**Del Mar, Calif./**  
**Santa Fe Christian HS**

Was a quarterback his first three years at San Diego State, before moving to the defensive side of the ball for 2009 spring drills ... Has earned scholar-athlete honors.  
**2008:** Traveled with the team, but did not see any playing time.  
**2007:** Did not see action in 2007.  
**2006:** Worked with the scout squad offense and used his redshirt season.  
**High School:** Lettered twice at Santa Fe Christian High School in Solana Beach, Calif., under current Aztec assistant coach Brian Sipe ... Served as team captain as a senior ... Santa Fe won the Coastal League title twice and claimed the CIF championship his junior year with a 12-1 record ... In 2004, was 6-0 as the team's starting quarterback, completing 34 of his 53 passes for 592 yards and five touchdowns ... Also ran for 112 yards on 21 carries and added four rushing TDs ... Lettered two times in basketball, where he helped the Eagles to the state championship game as a senior ... Earned all-academic accolades at Santa Fe Christian.  
**Personal:** Born Feb. 6, 1988, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Michael and Georgette O'Brien ... Mother attended SDSU ... Full name is Michael Josh O'Brien ... Majoring in business management.



**#15 Jose Perez**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Junior - 1L**  
**6-1, 180**  
**Oceanside, Calif./**  
**Oceanside HS**

A heavily decorated local product who signed a letter of intent with the Aztecs in 2003, but ended up playing professional baseball ... Picked in the seventh round of the 2003 MLB Draft by the New York Yankees ... Played three years of baseball, before coming to SDSU in 2006 ... Switched sides of the ball in the spring of 2007 going from wide receiver to cornerback.  
**2008:** Started twice, playing in his first 10 career contests ... Came in on special teams against Cal Poly in the opener ... Made two tackles at Notre Dame, logging minutes on both defense and special teams ... One stop at San Jose State ... First career start against Idaho, making his first interception ... Missed the TCU and Air Force games with a rotator cuff injury ... Returned to action at UNM and vs. CSU ... One solo tackle against the Rams and at Wyoming ... Second career interception vs. Utah and also tallied five tackles, a tackle for loss and a PBU ... Made a career-high five stops in the season finale with UNLV.  
**2007:** Did not play, after switching to the defensive side of the ball.  
**2006:** Came to campus for fall camp after playing professional baseball ... Redshirted his first season, practicing as a wide receiver.  
**High School:** A standout on Oceanside's CIF championship squad ... Caught more than 70 passes as a junior and 57 more as a senior ... Had 1,112 receiving yards during his final season and was named all-league, all-North County, all-county as well as all-CIF and Valley League offensive MVP.  
**Personal:** Born Sept. 15, 1985, in Cherry Point, N.C. ... Son of Martha and Jose Perez, Sr. ... Majoring in social science.

**PEREZ'S CAREER STATISTICS**

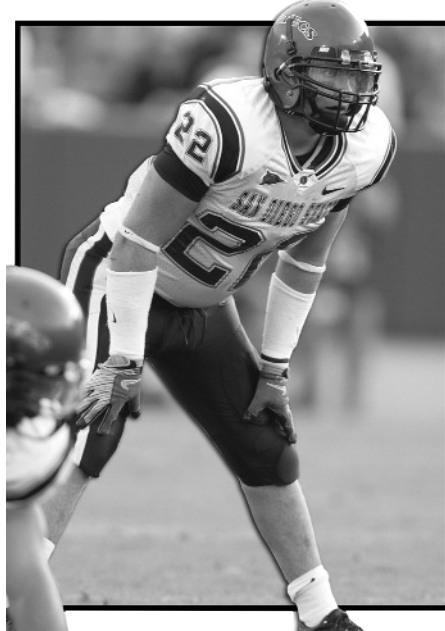
Career Statistics	G	UA-AT-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2008	10	7-9-16	1.0-1	0-0	2-9	2	0	0

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 5 vs. UNLV (11/22/08); INT: 1 vs. Utah (11/15/08), at Idaho (9/27/08); PBU: 1 vs. Utah (11/15/08), at Idaho (9/27/08).



**#22 Andrew Preston**  
**Linebacker**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**6-1, 215**  
**Centennial, Colo./**  
**Arapahoe HS**

Has started at weakside and strongside linebacker during his career ... Five career games with 10 or more tackles ... Starter at weakside linebacker and also played on special teams in 2007 ... Was the team's defensive scout player of the year in 2006.



**2008:** Played in all 12 games, starting 11 times ... Career-best 82 tackles ... Starter at weakside linebacker vs. Cal Poly, making four stops ... Moved to strongside LB against Notre Dame, recording five tackles ... Career-high 15 tackles, including two for a loss and a sack, at San Jose State ... Starter at weakside linebacker vs. Idaho, making five stops ... Six tackles, with one for a loss, and a pass breakup at TCU ... Career-high 18 tackles, including 12 solos, vs. Air Force ... His 12 solos tie for ninth in school history ... Blocked a field goal and added seven tackles at UNM ... Four stops vs. CSU ... Missed most of the Wyoming

game and his first start with a shoulder injury ... Returned as a starter at BYU, logging four stops ... Team-best 12 tackles vs. No. 8 Utah ... Forced a fumble in the finale with UNLV ... Was 18th in the MWC in stops per game (6.8).

**2007:** Appeared in 11 contests, starting nine times ... Fifth on the team in tackles with 72 and second in tackles for a loss with 7.0 ... Played in his first career game vs. Washington State, making three tackles ... Three stops, including first career TFL, at ASU ... First career start in the win over Portland State, tallying four tackles, including his first career sack ... Starter vs. Cincinnati, making seven tackles ... Team-best nine stops, including six solos, in the win over Colorado State ... Career-high 13 tackles at Utah ... Did not play due to injury against New Mexico ... Returned against Wyoming, making seven stops and logging one TFL ... Team-best nine tackles at UNLV, including two for a loss of seven yards ... Had 10 stops against Air Force ... Had seven solos, including two tackles for loss, versus TCU ... Was 14th in the MWC in tackles per league game (7.9/g).

**2006:** Redshirted his first season on campus.

**High School:** Named second-team all-state and first-team all-conference as both a linebacker and running back at Arapahoe High School ... Named team most valuable player and served as team captain his senior season ... Had two, four-touchdown games as a senior ... Enjoyed a stellar senior campaign in which he recorded more than 1,000 all-purpose yards, 21 touchdowns, 726 yards rushing, 156 yards receiving and averaged 33.5 yards per return ... On defense, he had 65 tackles, including 44 solo stops ... Added four interceptions, three fumble recoveries and nine PBUs ... Also an award winner in track.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 26, 1988, in Denver, Colo. ... Parents are Chris and Maureen Preston ... Is a communications major.

**PRESTON'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2007	11	40-32-72	7.0-23	1.0-7	0-0	0	0	0
2008	12	48-34-82	3.5-12	1.0-9	0-0	1	1	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>88-66-154</b>	<b>10.5-35</b>	<b>2.0-16</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 18 vs. Air Force (10/11/08); TFL: 2.0 at SJSU (9/13/08), at UNLV (11/10/07); Sacks: 1.0 at SJSU (9/13/08), vs. PSU (9/22/07); PBU: 1 at TCU (10/4/08); FF: 1 vs. UNLV (11/22/08).

**PRESTON GAME-BY-GAME**

	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
vs. Wash. St. (9/8/07)	1	0-3-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. ASU (9/15/07)	1	3-0-3	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
PSU (9/22/07)*	1	3-1-4	1.0-7	1.0-7	0-0	0	0	0
CINCINNATI (9/29/07)*	1	1-6-7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at CSU (10/6/07)*	1	6-3-9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Utah (10/13/07)*	1	4-9-13	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UNM (10/20/07)								
DNP-INJ								
WYO (11/3/07)*	1	4-3-7	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at UNLV (11/10/07)*	1	7-2-9	2.0-7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at AFA (11/17/07)*	1	5-5-10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
TCU (11/24/07)*	1	7-0-7	2.0-7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
BYU (12/1/07)*	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
CAL POLY (8/30/08)*	1	3-1-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at ND (9/6/08)*	1	2-3-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at SJSU (9/13/08)*	1	6-9-15	2.0-11	1.0-9	0-0	0	0	0
IDAHO (9/27/08)*	1	4-1-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at TCU (10/4/08)*	1	5-1-6	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
AFA (10/11/08)*	1	12-6-18	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at UNM (10/18/08)*	1	5-2-7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
CSU (10/25/08)*	1	2-2-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at WYO (11/1/08)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at BYU (11/8/08)*	1	1-3-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UTAH (11/15/08)*	1	7-5-12	0.5-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UNLV (11/22/08)*	1	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0

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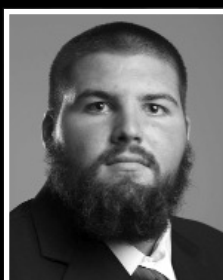
**#69 Erik Quinones**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-3, 290**  
**Canyon Lake, Calif./**  
**Temescal Canyon HS**

Looks to contend for playing time at guard after redshirting in 2008.

**2008:** Did not play and used his redshirt campaign.

**High School:** Rated the No. 20 center in the nation according to *Scouts, Inc.* ... Also played tackle and defensive line for head coach Mike Sands ... Named first-team all-CIF and all-Southwestern League as a senior ... Was a 2007 first-team all-Inland Valley pick by the *Los Angeles Times* ... Selected for the Southern California all-star bowl game ... An all-CIF all-league, all-valley, all-Riverside County selection in 2006 for the Titans ... Temescal Canyon advanced to the CIF finals his sophomore season and were semifinalists his junior campaign ... Two-time team offensive lineman of the year ... Also competed in track and field.

**Personal:** Born June 9, 1990, in Oceanside, Calif. ... Son of Charles and Barbie Quinones ... Considered California, Colorado, Nevada and Fresno State during the recruiting process ... Is a social science major.



**#72 Tom Rische**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Junior - SQ**  
**6-4, 290**  
**Fresno, Calif./Bullard HS**

Offensive lineman, who saw his first game action a year ago ... Was on the team's 2006 fall camp roster, but decided not to play during the season ... Returned to the team in time for 2007 spring drills ... Third on the depth chart at left tackle following 2009 spring practice.

**2008:** Saw his first playing time, appearing in four games ... Made his Aztec debut against Idaho ... Logged minutes as a reserve in three of the final four outings.

**2007:** Practiced, but did not see game action.

**2006:** Did not play his first season on campus.

**High School:** Attended Bullard High School in Fresno, lettering three times and serving as

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captain once.

**Personal:** Born Sept. 28, 1987, in Fresno, Calif. ... Parents are Bob and Barbara Rische ... Received his bachelor's degree in criminal justice earlier this year and is currently taking courses toward his master's in homeland security.



**#53 Emilio Rivera**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - 1L**  
**6-4, 295**  
**Sylmar, Calif./Sylmar HS**

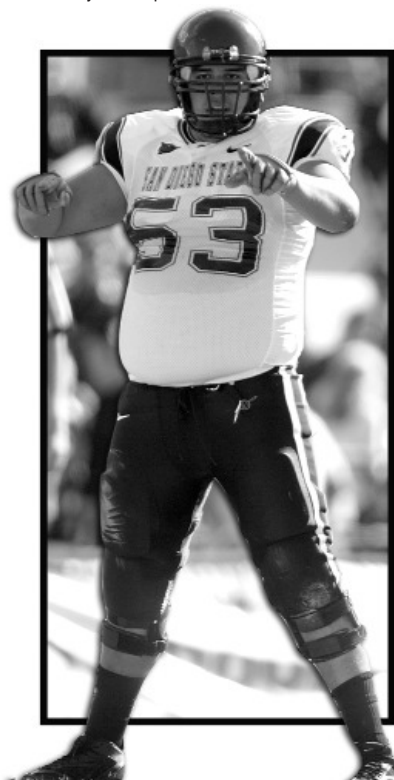
Will compete for starting time at left guard ... Played on special teams and started twice at guard in 2008 ... Did not play in 2007.

**2008:** Saw his first career action in the team's 12 games, primarily on special teams ... First career start at BYU and vs. Utah at left guard.

**2007:** Redshirted as a true freshman.

**High School:** Played on both sides of the ball for Sylmar High School under coach London Woodfin ... First-team all-city as an offensive lineman and his league's defensive lineman of the year as a senior ... As a senior, had 50 tackles in just eight games, ranking second on the squad ... Competed for the basketball team.

**Personal:** Born March 18, 1989, in Mission Hills, Calif. ... Son of Juan Jose and Rosa Rivera ... Plays the drums ... Also earned offers from Portland State and Utah State ... Major is criminal justice.



and kickoffs ... Did not play in the opener ... Returned his first two career punts and kickoffs at Notre Dame, including a long of 13 yards on a kickoff ... Made his first catch of 2008 at San Jose State for 20 yards ... One reception for nine yards and two kickoff returns for 40 yards in the win over Idaho ... Season-best two catches for 18 yards vs. Air Force ... Had a 16-yard catch at New Mexico ... Two grabs for 16 yards vs. CSU ... Two catches for the second game in a row for 14 yards at Wyoming, while also returning a kickoff 15 yards ... One catch for 12 yards vs. No. 8 Utah ... Scored his first TD since 2005, on a six-yard reception in the first quarter in the win over UNLV ... Also had two kickoff returns for 32 yards in the finale.

**2007:** Missed his second consecutive year recovering from injury.

**2006:** Did not play due to injury.

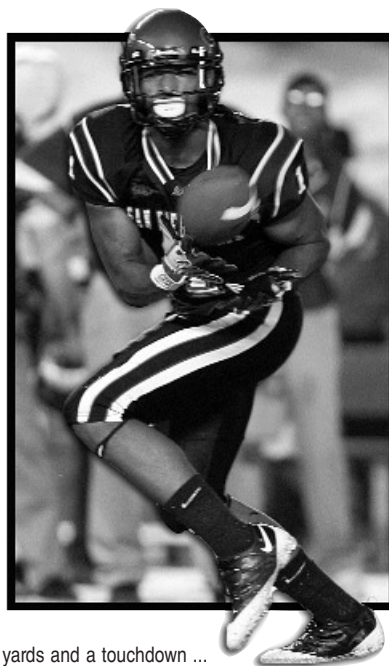
**2005:** Played in all 12 games ... Finished year with six receptions for 60 yards and a touchdown ...

Tallied six tackles on special teams ... Registered two tackles on special teams at Utah ... Credited with a solo tackle at UNLV and versus Wyoming ... First career touchdown reception, which went for 23 yards, in the win versus San Jose State ... Recorded a solo tackle at Ohio State ... Caught two passes for 15 yards at Air Force ... Had three catches for 22 yards in his SDSU debut vs. UCLA.

**2004:** Originally signed with SDSU in February of 2004 and enrolled in classes in January of 2005 ... Showed dramatic improvement during month-long spring drills and had two long TD receptions in the Red & Black Game.

**High School:** Electrifying high school player at Castle Park ... Earned *San Diego Union-Tribune* first-team honors... One of the county's leading scorers as a senior with 110 points ... Third-team all-state selection by *CalHi-Sports.com* ... One of the top 100 prospects (No. 97) in the Far West region according to *SuperPrep* as well as a top-100 prospect in California by *Rivals.com* ... Standout on both sides of the ball as well as on special teams.

**Personal:** Born Dec. 19, 1985, in Oakland, Calif. ... Son of Karen and DeMarco Sampson ... Is a social science major ... Mother's cousin is former NFL running back Icky Woods.



## SAMPSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	Receiving				
	G	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
2005	12	6	60	1	10.0
2008	11	11	111	0	10.1
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10.1</b>

**Career Highs:** Receptions: 3 vs. UCLA (9/3/05); Receiving Yards: 23 vs. San Jose State (9/24/05); Receiving TD: 1 vs. UNLV (11/22/08); vs. San Jose State (9/24/05); Long Reception: 23 vs. San Jose State (9/24/05).



**#1 DeMarco Sampson**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Senior - 2L**  
**6-2, 210**  
**Chula Vista, Calif./**  
**Castle Park HS**

Saw his first action since 2005, after missing the last two seasons with a left foot injury suffered during 2006 fall camp ... One of just two true freshmen to earn a letter in 2005 ... Only true freshman to appear in all 12 contests ... Scout team co-offensive player of the year in 2007.

**2008:** Was a reserve in 11 contests ... Backup at one receiver spot and also returned punts



**#42 Nick Sandford**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Senior - 3L**  
**6-2, 210**  
**Orange, Calif./El Modena HS**

A special teams standout, who earned a starting spot at safety as a junior ... Has two career double-figure tackles games ... Good student who was tabbed as one of the team's President's



Awards for Highest Standards of Academic and Athletic Excellence in 2006 ... Is an SDSU scholar-athlete ... Finished atop the two-deep at the Aztec position after 2009 spring drills.

**2008:** Played in nine games, starting seven times, before missing the last three due to injury ... Saw extensive playing time in the defensive backfield against Cal Poly, while also logging minutes on special teams ... Two tackles at Notre Dame ... First career start at free safety at San Jose State, more than tripling his previous career game-high in tackles with 10 ... Started at strong safety against Idaho, making a pair of solo stops ... Seven tackles as a starter at TCU and five vs. Air Force ... Made seven stops at UNM ... Just one tackle as a starter against Colorado State ... Bounced back with a 10-tackle effort at Wyoming ... Also had his first career tackles behind the line of scrimmage with two for a loss of seven against the Cowboys ... Did not play in the final three outings.

**2007:** Limited to just six games due to injury ... Made one special teams tackle on punt coverage vs. Washington State ... DNP vs. ASU due to an injury ... Returned to make three tackles against Portland State, tying his career high ... One solo effort vs. Cincinnati.

**2006:** Played in all 12 contests ... Earned the team's Iron Man Special Teams Player of the Year award along with Freddy Dunkle ... Made 12 tackles, including a career-best three at Wisconsin ... Tallied a pair of stops versus Utah and TCU.

**2005:** Redshirted as a true freshman.

**High School:** Played football and ran track at El Modena ... Played safety, linebacker and wide receiver for the Vanguard ... Unanimous first-team all-league as a senior, despite missing three games with a broken leg ... Team's second-leading tackler and averaged over 17 yards per catch at receiver with 23 catches for 394 yards and six touchdowns his senior campaign ... El Modena's offensive MVP, "Hit Man" award-winner, while serving as captain ... Nominee for the Brea Lions Club 46th Orange County Prep All-Star Football Game ... Scholar-athlete for football ... Ran the 100 and 200 meters in track, going undefeated in league competition in 2005 ... School record-holder in both events ... Three-time league champ and league sprinter of the year.

**Personal:** Born Sept. 15, 1986 ... Son of Paul and Nancy Sandford ... Is a business major.

**SANDFORD'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-AT-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2006	12	12-0-12	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2007	6	4-1-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2008	9	29-15-44	2.0-7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>45-16-61</b>	<b>2.0-7</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 10 at Wyoming (11/1/08), at SJSU (9/13/08).



**#4 Dominique Sandifer**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-0, 180**  
**Gardena, Calif./**  
**Beverly Hills HS**

A fleet-footed athlete, who utilized his redshirt season as a true freshman in 2008 ... Team-mates with Ramon Judkins at Beverly Hills High School.

**2008:** Did not see action in his first year on campus.

**High School:** Was the leading receiver at Beverly Hills High School his final two seasons, catching 54 passes for 877 yards and three scores in 2007, and recording 52 receptions for 814 yards and six touchdowns in 2006 ... All-CIF pick, who also played on the defensive side of the ball for Normans' head coach Carter Paysinger ... Won the 110 and 300 meter hurdles at the Ocean League championships as a member of the track team.

**Personal:** Born Oct. 6, 1989, in Joliet, Ill. ... Son of Cynthia Smith and Raymond Sandifer ... Also considered Oregon, Washington State and Nevada ... Major is child and family development.



**#96 Greg Scott**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-2, 265**  
**Torrance, Calif./**  
**Bishop Montgomery HS**

Walk-on, who joined the team in the fall of 2008 ... Will add depth on the defensive line.

**2008:** Redshirted as a true freshman.

**High School:** Played football at Bishop Montgomery High School.

**Personal:** Born April 26, 1990, in Lawndale, Calif. ... Son of Maureen and Gregory Scott ... Is majoring in exercise and nutritional sciences with a focus in athletic training.



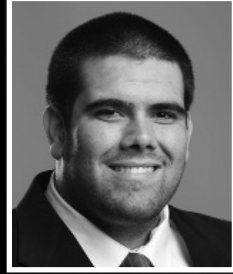
**#51 Isaac Sensabaugh**  
**Linebacker**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-0, 200**  
**Long Beach, Calif./**  
**Long Beach Poly HS**

Added to the roster this past spring ... Participated in spring drills, after not playing during the fall.

**High School:** A two-year letterwinner at Long Beach Poly High School in Long Beach, Calif. ... Earned the coaches award his senior year ... Also participated in track and field.

**Personal:** Born Oct. 27, 1990, in Torrance, Calif. ... Son of Jean Sensabaugh ... Is a comparative literature major.

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**#77 Damian Shankle**  
**Offensive Lineman**  
**Senior - SQ**  
**6-2, 295**  
**Laguna Niguel, Calif./**  
**Saddleback College**

Listed as a backup at center at the conclusion of 2008 and 2009 spring drills ... Saw his first action a year ago as a reserve ... Did not play in 2007 after transferring from Saddleback College ... High school teammate of quarterback Drew Westling at Aliso Niguel.



**2008:** Was No. 2 on the depth chart at center ... Played in five contests off the bench ... Did not play vs. Cal Poly, Notre Dame, San Jose State or TCU ... Made his Aztec debut as a reserve against Idaho and New Mexico ... Came in during the fourth quarter at BYU and vs. Utah and UNLV.

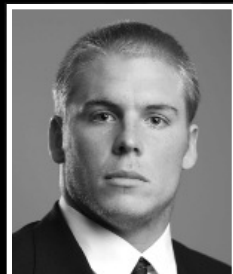
**2007:** Did not play after coming to SDSU from Saddleback.

**At Saddleback:** Played two years at Saddleback College in Mission Viejo, Calif., garnering first-team all-conference accolades at center in 2006 ... Gauchos were ranked third nationally by *J.C. Grid-Wire*, compiling an 11-1

record, with their only loss coming to eventual state champion El Camino College ... Honorable mention All-American by *J.C. Grid-Wire* his second season.

**High School:** Lettered three years and was team captain once at Aliso Niguel High School ... Two-time all-league pick as a junior and senior ... All-CIF Division VI honoree his final campaign ... Played baseball as a freshman.

**Personal:** Born April 12, 1986, in Mission Viejo, Calif. ... Son of Bob and Bianca Shankle ... Majoring in social science.



**#40 Zachary Shapiro**  
**Linebacker**  
**Senior - 1L**  
**6-2, 230**  
**Claremont, Calif./Nevada**

Joined the Aztecs in time for 2008 spring drills ... An aggressive player with good size ... Attended Mt. San Antonio College in 2007.

**2008:** Played in seven outings on special teams ... Made one tackle against Idaho.

**At Nevada:** Spent two seasons with the Wolf Pack ... Redshirted his first year out of high school in 2005.

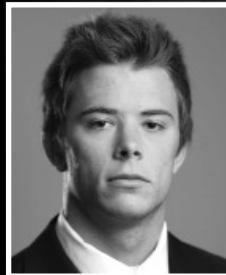
**High School:** Played football at Claremont High School, where he was a first-team all-league selection on both offense and defense ... Played linebacker and fullback ... Team won a Baseline League title ... Served as team captain twice, notching 96 tackles, 10 sacks and five forced fumbles in 2004 ... Squad's player of the game with 12 tackles, a sack and a forced fumble against Damien High School.

**Personal:** Born Nov. 5, 1987, in Claremont, Calif. ... Son of Arthur and Mary Jane Shapiro ... Majoring in social science.

## SHAPIRO'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2008	7	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Career Highs: Tackles: 1 vs. Idaho (9/27/08).



**#29 Bryan Shields**  
**Place-Kicker/Punter**  
**Junior - SQ**  
**6-1, 190**  
**Bonita, Calif./Utah State**

Was No. 2 on the depth chart at both place-kicker and punter following 2009 spring practice ... Came to SDSU in time for the 2007 spring semester, sitting out 2007 due to NCAA transfer rules ... Participated in 2007 spring drills after playing at Utah State in 2006.

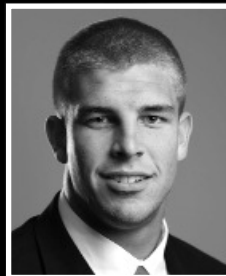
**2008:** Did not see any action.

**2007:** Sat out after transferring from Utah State.

**At Utah State:** Spent one season at Utah State ... Started eight games as a true freshman ... Made two of his four field-goal opportunities with a long of 46 against Hawai'i ... Converted a 31-yard field goal against Boise State ... Handled the Aggies' kickoffs, averaging 54.5 yards on 22 attempts.

**High School:** Prepped at Bonita Vista High School in Chula Vista, Calif. ... Lettered twice as the Barons won the Mesa League title his junior and senior campaigns ... In 2004, made seven of his 10 field-goal attempts, including a 43-yard effort ... All-league pick in 2005, breaking the school record for field goals made ... Had a 47-yard kick as a senior ... Also lettered in soccer his final two years at Bonita Vista.

**Personal:** Born Nov. 25, 1987, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Stacie Rogstad and Bobby Shields ... Has two brothers and three sisters ... Social science major.



**#85 D.J. Shields**  
**Tight End**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-4, 240**  
**Bonita, Calif./Bonita Vista HS**

A solid target at tight end, who redshirted a year ago ... Local product who finished third on the two-deep after 2009 spring drills ... From the same high school as place-kicker/punter Bryan Shields ... Earned scholar-athlete accolades for the 2008 fall semester.

**2008:** Did not see any playing time.

**High School:** Played at Bonita Vista High School under head coach Carl Parrick ... Rated 68th nationally among tight end recruits by *Scouts, Inc.* ... Mesa League's Offensive Player of the Year in 2007 and also earned first-team all-CIF recognition ... Hauled in 44 passes for 532 yards and seven touchdowns his final season ... 2007 third-team all-Southern California by *GoldenStatePreps.com* ... Played baseball and basketball for the Barons ... First-team all-league for basketball as a junior ... A standout student with over a 4.0 GPA ... *San Diego Union-Tribune* all-academic team captain, who scored 1,820 on the SAT.

**Personal:** Born March 4, 1990, in La Jolla, Calif. ... Son of Dave and Darcie Shields ... Full name is David John Shields ... Also recruited by New Mexico, UNLV, UTEP and Washington State ... Is an engineering major.

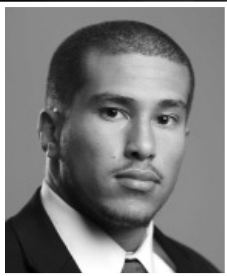


**#33 Colin Shumate**  
**Linebacker**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-2, 220**  
**Las Vegas, Nev./Las Vegas HS**

Another redshirt freshman, who will look for playing time on the defensive side of the ball.  
**2008:** Redshirted his first campaign on campus.

**High School:** Received defensive player-of-the-year honors in the all-Northeast Division in 2007 at Las Vegas High School ... Rated No. 47 as an inside linebacker by *Scouts, Inc.*, and the seventh-best recruit in the state of Nevada by *Scout.com* ... Awarded three stars and ranked 34th nationally as an inside linebacker on *Rivals.com* website ... Three-time first-team all-state pick ... First-team all-Sunrise Region and all-Northeast Division in 2005-07 ... A hard-hitting player, who had over 10 sacks and 200 tackles in his final two campaigns ... Recorded 94 tackles, eight sacks and two forced fumbles in 2006, when he was the first junior team captain in school history ... Team won the state 4A championship in 2005 and 2006, going a combined 26-3 ... Wildcats were Sunrise Region champions and advanced to the state semifinals his senior year under coach Chris Faircloth ... Member of the track team.

**Personal:** Born Oct. 30, 1989, in Rhinebeck, N.Y. ... Son of Colinda and William Shumate ... Also received interest from Arizona State, Boise State, Colorado State and Wyoming ... Majoring in television, film and new media production ... SDSU scholar-athlete.



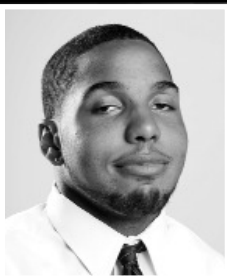
**#37 James Simon**  
**Running Back**  
**Sophomore - SQ**  
**5-7, 175**  
**San Diego, Calif./**  
**University City HS**

Practiced with the team a year ago, but did not see action ... Prep teammate of Aztec linebacker Demetrius Barksdale.

**2008:** Joined the squad during the fall ... Did not play in 2007.

**High School:** Attended University City High School in San Diego, graduating in June of 2007 ... Served as team captain his final season ... An all-league honorable mention pick as a senior ... Also competed in baseball and track and field for the Centurions.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 22, 1989, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of James, Sr. and Toni Simon ... Is an economics major.



**#95 Michael Snead**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - SQ**  
**6-4, 250**  
**Oakland, Calif./Skyline HS**

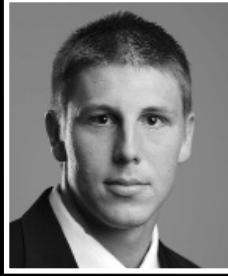
Big defensive end, who has yet to see playing time during his Aztec career ... Redshirted a year ago and was injured in 2008.

**2008:** Did not play due to injury.

**2007:** Was a redshirt in his first season at SDSU.

**High School:** Played defensive end and tight end at Skyline High School ... Rated the No. 13 recruit in the East Bay by the *Contra Costa Times* ... Honorable mention all-metro in 2006 ... Earned a preseason ranking of No. 8 in the state among defensive ends by *Scout.com* ... Listed as the top defensive lineman to watch prior to his senior year by the *San Francisco Chronicle* ... Missed several games as a junior due to injury, but still managed to record 25 tackles and five sacks.

**Personal:** Born May 15, 1989 ... Son of Stanley and Mildred Snead ... Brother, William, played football at UCLA ... Is an exercise and nutritional sciences major.



**#2 Kelsey Sokoloski**  
**Quarterback**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**6-2, 190**  
**Greenwood Village, Colo./**  
**Cherry Creek HS**

Enters his fourth season on The Mesa ... Has served as the team's holder on the field-goal unit each of the last two years ... A dual-threat QB, who redshirted in 2006.

**2008:** Appeared in all 12 games in 2008 on special teams ... Did not attempt a pass.

**2007:** Played in all 12 games, but in only four under center ... Saw his first career action at SDSU against Washington State ... Entered in the first half as a holder on both field goals and extra points ... Came in at QB in the fourth quarter, completing two of his three pass attempts for 12 yards ... Engineered the Aztecs' final scoring



drive versus Portland State, completing all three of his pass attempts for 31 yards ... Completed four of six passes for 59 yards and a 43-yard TD to Alston Umuolo versus Cincinnati ... Also had three carries for 22 yards against the Bearcats ... Special teams only against CSU, Utah, New Mexico, Wyoming and UNLV ... Played last series at Air Force on offense, completing a 17-yard pass to Mekell Wesley.

**2006:** Redshirted his first year on campus.

**High School:** Attended Cherry Creek High School in Englewood, Colo. ... Considered by many as the top quarterback prospect in Colorado ... Left as Cherry Creek's all-time passing leader ... Passed for 1,931 yards converting on 154-of-280 attempts and adding 10 touchdowns his senior season ... Led the Bruins to the 2004 5A championship game as a junior ... Threw for 2,055 yards and 21 TDs as a junior ... Two-time first-team all-Centennial League pick, all-state honorable mention selection and team captain ... Earned seven varsity letters during his four years, with three in basketball and two in baseball.

**Personal:** Born Aug. 21, 1987, in Denver, Colo. ... Son of Cory and Karla Sokoloski ... Also considered Hawai'i, New Mexico State and Wyoming ... Majoring in economics.

**SOKOLOSKI'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	Att.	Com.	INT	Yds.	TDs	Eff.	Tot. Off.
2007	12	15	10	1	119	1	142.0	139
2008	12	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>142.0</b>	<b>139</b>

**Career Highs:** Attempts: 6 vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07); Completions: 4 vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07); Passing Yards: 59 vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07); Passing TDs: 1 vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07); Long Pass: 43 vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07).



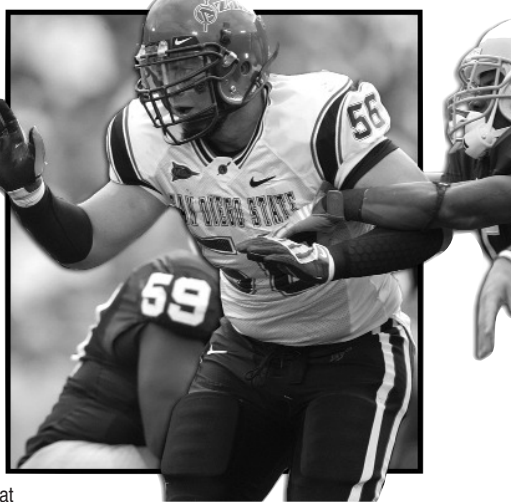
**#56 Jonathan Soto**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Senior - 3L**  
**6-3, 260**  
**West Covina, Calif./**  
**Bishop Amat HS**

Played in all 12 games the last two campaigns, after redshirting in 2006 ... One of two true freshmen to garner a varsity letter in 2005 ... Only true freshman to record a start in 2005 ... Starter at defensive end as a sophomore in 2007 ... Has started at both end and tackle ...

# Player Profiles

Received the department's Malik Award at the scholar-athlete awards banquet in April for having the highest GPA during the 2008 fall semester.

**2008:** Two-year starter on the defensive line ... Played both tackle and end, logging 57 tackles, 4.5 TFLs and 2.5 sacks ... Originally slated to move outside to end, but due to injuries on the defensive line, moved back inside during the first part of the year ... Starter vs. Cal Poly, making a career-best eight stops with 1.5 sacks and 2.0 tackles for loss ... Recorded four tackles at Notre Dame and five at



San Jose State ... Moved back to defensive end vs. Idaho, logging five tackles, including a sack for a loss of four yards ... Eight stops at TCU, matching his career best ... Started at defensive tackle against Air Force, forcing his second career fumble and adding five tackles ... Five stops in two straight games with UNM and CSU ... Six tackles, playing both defensive end and tackle, at Wyoming ... Two stops at BYU and one assisted tackle vs. Utah ... Ended the season with three tackles against UNLV.

**2007:** Logged field time in all 12 games, starting seven times, including in the final four ... Tied for second on the team with three sacks and also added 35 tackles and 4.5 TFLs ... Played in his first game since 2005, logging two stops against WSO ... First career sack at ASU for a loss of six yards ... Also tied his career best with five stops versus the Sun Devils ... Second career start and first of the year in the win over PSU, tallying three solo tackles and one for a loss ... Also forced a fumble vs. the Vikings ... Four solo stops against No. 24 Cincinnati ... Second sack of the year, while adding his first career PBU, at CSU ... Seven tackles, including a sack, and a pass break up versus UNM ... Four stops at Air Force ... Three tackles vs. TCU and BYU.

**2006:** Utilized his redshirt season.

**2005:** Played in 10 games as the backup at the nose tackle position ... Recorded 11 tackles on the year, with nine solo efforts ... First career start in place of the injured Jonathan Bailes against No. 20 TCU, making a then career-best five tackles ... Made SDSU debut against Air Force, tallying a tackle ... Played six of the last seven games, logging a tackle against San Jose State and Ohio State ... Career-best two stops versus New Mexico.

**High School:** Attended Bishop Amat High School in La Puente, Calif. ... A member of the all-Serra League on offense as well as defense ... An all-*Los Angeles Times* selection as well as an all-CIF southern selection as a defensive lineman ... Had 58 tackles and six sacks as a senior ... Was also an all-San Gabriel Valley selection for a Lancers team that went 7-5.

**Personal:** Born Feb. 13, 1987 ... Son of Ada and Elman Soto ... Majoring in public administration.

## SOTO'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-AE-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2005	10	9-2-11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2006		DNP-Redshirt						
2007	12	22-13-35	4.5-19	3.0-15	0-0	2	1	0
2008	12	27-30-57	4.5-14	2.5-10	0-0	0	1	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>58-45-103</b>	<b>9.0-33</b>	<b>5.5-25</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 8 at TCU (10/4/08), vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); TFL: 2.0 vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); Sacks: 1.5 vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); PBU: 1 vs. UNM (10/20/07), at CSU (10/6/07); FF: 1 vs. vs. Air Force (10/11/08), vs. PSU (9/22/07).

## SOTO GAME-BY-GAME

	G	UA-AE-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
UCLA (9/3/05)		DNP						
at Air Force (9/10/05)	1	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Ohio St. (9/17/05)	1	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0

San Jose St. (9/24/05)	1	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
BYU (10/1/05)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at UNLV (10/8/05)		DNP						
at Utah (10/15/05)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
UNM (10/22/05)	1	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
TCU (10/29/05)*	1	5-0-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at CSU (11/12/05)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
WYO (11/19/05)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Hawai'i (12/3/05)	1	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Wash. St. (9/8/07)	1	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at ASU (9/15/07)	1	5-0-5	1.0-6	1.0-6	0	0	0	0
PSU (9/22/07)*	1	3-0-3	1.0-2	0-0	0	0	1	0
CINCINNATI (9/29/07)	1	4-0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at CSU (10/6/07)	1	1-1-2	1.0-8	1.0-8	0	1	0	0
at Utah (10/13/07)*	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
UNM (10/20/07)*	1	3-4-7	1.5-3	1.0-1	0	1	0	0
WYO (11/3/07)	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at UNLV (11/10/07)*	1	0-2-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at AFA (11/17/07)*	1	0-4-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
TCU (11/24/07)*	1	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
BYU (12/1/07)*	1	3-0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
CAL POLY (8/30/08)*	1	4-4-8	2.0-9	1.5-6	0	0	0	0
at ND (9/6/08)*	1	1-3-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at SJSU (9/13/08)*	1	1-4-5	0.5-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
IDAHO (9/27/08)*	1	3-2-5	1.0-4	1.0-4	0	0	0	0
at TCU (10/4/08)*	1	4-4-8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
AFA (10/11/08)*	1	3-2-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0
at UNM (10/18/08)*	1	2-3-5	0.5-1	0-0	0	0	0	0
CSU (10/25/08)*	1	3-2-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at WYO (11/1/08)*	1	3-3-6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at BYU (11/8/08)*	1	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
UTAH (11/15/08)*	1	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
UNLV (11/22/08)*	1	2-1-3	0.5-0	0-0	0	0	0	0

\* = Game started



**#55 Neil Spencer**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Sophomore - 1L**  
**6-2, 265**  
**Las Vegas, Nev./**  
**Cimmarron-Memorial HS**

Returned for spring drills in 2009, after missing the entire 2008 season ... One of six true freshmen on the Aztec two-deep in 2007 ... Was the sixth-ranked recruit in the state of Nevada by *Rivals.com* ... Played both sides of the ball as a prep.

**2008:** Did not play, using his redshirt season.

**2007:** Played in all 12 games, earning his lone start at Wyoming ... Recorded 28 tackles on the year ... One stop in his first career game against Washington State ... Three tackles at Arizona State ... Three stops versus Cincinnati and Colorado State ... Two assisted efforts at Utah ... First career TFL against UNM ... Became just the second true freshman to log a start in 2007, earning a starting role against Wyoming and posting a pair of stops ... Career-high five tackles at UNLV ... Four stops against Air Force and two solos vs. Brigham Young.

**High School:** Played both the offensive and defensive line under coach Ron Smeltzer ... 2006 Northwest Division and Sunset Region defensive player of the year, recording 49 tackles, including 28 solos, and 20 quarterback hurries ... First-team all-division and all-region as an offensive tackle in 2006, helping his team average 353 yards rushing ... Eagles logged a perfect 10-0 regular-season record ... Recorded 76 tackles and three sacks as a junior, leading the Spartans to a 12-2 mark and the state semis ... First-team all-state accolades on offense and second team as a defensive tackle in 2005 ... All-division honors on both sides of the ball as a junior ... Sixth-ranked recruit in the state of Nevada by *Rivals.com* ... Also was a member of his schools' track and wrestling squads, ending up second in the state in the heavyweight division as a junior.



**Personal:** Born Aug. 15, 1988 ... Father, Greg, was one of his high school coaches ... Chose SDSU over scholarship offers from Utah, UNLV and Nevada ... Is a social science major.

**N. SPENCER'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-A/T	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2007	12	15-13-28	0.5-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 5 at UNLV (11/10/07); TFL: 0.5 vs. UNM (11/3/07).



**#86 Waika Spencer**  
**Tight End**  
**Senior - 3L**  
**6-4, 265**  
**Honolulu, Hawaii/  
 Kamehameha HS**

Logged his first career catches as a junior in 2008 ... Played in a career-high 10 contests in 2007 to earn his second varsity letter ... Appeared in seven games as a redshirt freshman in 2006 ... Gives the Aztecs another solid option at tight end ... SDSU scholar-athlete for fall 2006.

**2008:** Made his first two career catches as a reserve against Cal Poly ... Played but did not have a catch vs. Notre Dame, San Jose State, Idaho and TCU ... Career-long 20-yard reception against Air Force ... Made *SportsCenter's* top-10 plays with his one-handed grab at Wyoming for 16 yards ... Two receptions for 20 yards in his first career start at BYU ... Missed the final two outings due to injury.

**2007:** Played on offense and special teams, seeing the field in 10 outings.

**2006:** Saw action in seven games, but did not record a catch.

**2005:** Redshirted as a true freshman.

**High School:** Attended Kamehameha High School in Honolulu ... Knee injury cut his senior year short, but still managed to log 21 catches for 421 yards and seven touchdowns ... Warriors won the state title his senior season ... Was an all-Interscholastic League of Honolulu (ILH) selection ... A second-team all-state pick as a junior as well as an all-ILH honoree ... An all-West region selection by *PrepStar* magazine ... Also earned letters in baseball and track ... Voted as his high school's outstanding student-athlete three years ... An honor student all four years of high school.

**Personal:** Born Feb. 16, 1987, in Honolulu, Hawaii ... Son of Terry Malterre and Kaipo Spencer ... Mother was a standout volleyball player at Hawai'i and was part of a national championship team ... Is a sociology major.



**W. SPENCER'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	Receiving			Avg.
		No.	Yds.	TD	
2006	7	0	0	0	0.0
2007	10	0	0	0	0.0
2008	10	6	63	0	13.2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13.2</b>

**Career Highs:** Receptions: 2 at BYU (11/8/08), vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); Receiving Yards: 20 at BYU (11/8/08), vs. Air Force (10/22/08).



**#14 Brian Stahovich**  
**Punter/Place-kicker**  
**Sophomore - 1L**  
**6-0, 175**  
**Solana Beach, Calif/  
 Cathedral Catholic HS**

Earned the starting punting job as a true freshman ... Ranked the No. 5 punter in the nation by *Scout.com* ... SDSU's first oral commitment of the 2008 class ... Prep teammate of defensive back Vincent Camarda.

**2008:** Was the Aztecs' starting punter in all 12 contests ... Averaged 39.5 yards a punt with a long of 65 ... Had eight kicks of more than 50 yards and dropped 14 inside the 20-yard line ... Got off to a solid start, booting his first two career punts within the Cal Poly 20-yard line in the opener ... Punted four times, averaging 39.5 yards, with a long of 49 ... Career-high eight punts at Notre Dame for 267 yards ... Had his best performance of the year, booting three balls for over 50 yards at San Jose State, including a long of 65 yards ... Averaged 45.8 yards per kick vs. the Spartans and dropped one inside the 20 ... Dropped two of his four punts inside the 20 vs. Idaho ... His 10 punts at TCU tied for seventh in SDSU game history ... Seven punts with a long of 57 yards against Air Force ... Averaged over 40 yards on eight punts at New Mexico, including a long of 48 ... Punted three times against CSU with a long of 47 yards ... Best career punt average at Wyoming, kicking five times for 248 yards (49.6) with two inside the 20-yard line ... Had three punts of more than 50 yards, including one for 57 against the Cowboys ... Had four punts at BYU with one inside the 20 ... Averaged 43.2 yards on five punts vs. No. 8 Utah, including two inside the 20 and one for 50 yards ... Concluded his first season with four kicks vs. UNLV, averaging 42.2 yards.

**High School:** Ranked the No. 5 punter in the nation by *Scout.com* ... Was a member of the "Chris Sailer Kicking" top-12 list ... Eastern League Kicker of the Year and first-team all-league as a senior ... Had punts of 61 yards and two of 51 yards, as well as five extra point conversions and three touchdowns in a Cathedral Catholic win his senior year ... Cathedral won the CIF Div. III title in 2007 and ended up with a 10-2 record ... Had two tackles in the championship game as a defensive back ... Two-time *San Diego Union-Tribune* all-academic honoree ... Was the Dons' special teams player of the year as a sophomore and senior ... Also played lacrosse, garnering his team's most improved award in 2005.

**Personal:** Born April 14, 1990, in Oceanside, Calif. ... Son of Joseph and Marcia Stahovich ... Considered Virginia during the recruiting process ... Majoring in criminal justice.

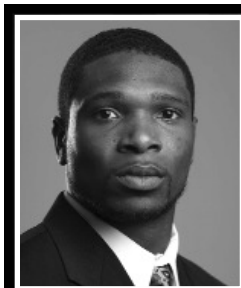
**STAHOVICH'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blk.
2008	12	71	2,807	39.5	65	6	19	14	1

**Career Highs:** Punts: 10 at TCU (10/4/08); Yards: 412 at San Jose State (9/13/08); Avg.: 49.6 (5-for-248) at Wyoming (11/1/08); Long: 65 at San Jose State (9/13/08).



# Player Profiles



**#23 Brandon Sullivan**  
**Running Back**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**5-11, 215**  
**Poway, Calif./Poway HS**

Atop the depth chart at tailback coming out of 2009 spring drills ... Has started seven times over the past two seasons ... Logged three starts at tail-



back as a redshirt freshman in 2007 ... Redshirted in 2006.

**2008:** Played in eight contests, logging 48 carries for 185 yards and a touchdown ... Had 21 catches for 205 yards with a long of 45 ... Starter at tailback versus Cal Poly, scoring a pair of touchdowns ... Career-high nine receptions for 64 yards, including a 16-yard TD ... Also carried a career-high 15 times for 43 yards and a 5-yard touchdown run ... Averaged 6.6 yards on 10 carries at Notre Dame and also caught two passes ... Then career-long 41-yard reception to go with six carries at San Jose St. ... Four catches and two carries as a reserve vs. Idaho ... One of his catches went for a career-best 45 yards and a touchdown in the second half ... One catch for three yards at TCU ... Three carries against Air Force ... Nine carries (39 yards) and three catches (28 yards)

at UNM ... DNP vs. CSU ... Three carries and one catch at Wyoming ... Did not play in the final three outings.

**2007:** Played in the first 11 games, starting in Aztec wins over Colorado State, Wyoming and UNLV ... Third-leading rusher with 220 yards on 58 carries ... Also tallied 18 catches for 119 yards ... Solid all-around game in his first as an Aztec against Washington State ... Had four carries for 23 yards and three receptions for 15 yards ... Also tallied a pair of kickoff returns for 34 yards ... Two carries for nine yards and added a pair of catches in the loss to ASU ... Also had two carries versus Portland State ... Four carries and a reception in the team's loss to Cincinnati ... First career start at CSU, logging six carries for 21 yards and catching two passes for 15 yards ... First career touchdown at Utah, scoring on a five-yard run ... Eight carries for 23 yards against UNM ... Second career TD from six yards out in his second career start in the win over Wyoming ... Had 10 carries for a season-high 70 yards and six receptions for 68 yards in the win over UNLV ... Career-best 11 carries at AFA ... Did not play against BYU.

**2006:** Did not see action, using his redshirt year.

**High School:** Went to Poway High School, where he rushed for 1,556 yards and 24 touchdowns on 221 carries (7.04 yards per carry) as a senior ... Named the Palomar League Offensive Player of the Year ... Tallied 60 tackles on defense ... As a junior, carried 143 times for 1,172 yards (8.2 ypc) and 12 TDs and caught 18 passes for 329 yards (18.3 ypc) ... Also returned 12 kickoffs for two touchdowns and a 40.8 yard average.

**Personal:** Born Dec. 23, 1987 ... Majoring in social science.

## SULLIVAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	Rushing					Receiving			
	G	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
2007	11	58	220	2	3.8	18	119	0	6.6
2008	8	48	185	1	3.9	21	205	2	9.8
<b>Totals</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8.3</b>

**Career Highs:** Carries: 15 vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); Rushing Yards: 70 at UNLV (11/10/07); Rushing TD: 1, three times; Long Rush: 25 at UNLV (11/10/07); Receptions: 9 vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); Receiving Yards: 68 at UNLV (11/10/07); Long Reception: 45 vs. Idaho (9/27/08); Long Kickoff Return: 17 vs. WSU (9/8/07).

## SULLIVAN GAME-BY-GAME

	Rushing				Receiving			
	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
vs. WSU (9/8/07)	4	23	0	5.8	3	15	0	5.0
at ASU (9/15/07)	2	9	0	4.5	2	4	0	2.0
PSU (9/22/07)	2	6	0	3.0	0	0	0	0.0
CINCINNATI (9/29/07)	4	9	0	2.3	1	5	0	5.0
at CSU (10/6/07)*	6	21	0	3.5	2	15	0	7.5
at Utah (10/13/07)	3	16	1	5.3	0	0	0	0.0
UNM (10/20/07)	8	23	0	2.9	1	-4	0	0.0
WYO (11/3/07)*	5	13	1	2.6	1	6	0	6.0
at UNLV (11/10/07)*	10	70	0	7.0	6	68	0	11.3
at AFA (11/17/07)	11	30	0	2.7	1	8	0	8.0
TCU (11/24/07)*	3	0	0	0.0	1	2	0	2.0
BYU (12/1/07)	DNP-INJ							
CAL POLY (8/30/08)*	15	43	1	2.9	9	64	1	7.1
at ND (9/6/08)*	10	66	0	6.6	2	7	0	3.5
at SJSU (9/8/08)*	6	22	0	3.7	1	41	0	41.0
IDAHO (9/27/08)	2	11	0	5.5	4	53	1	13.3
at TCU (10/4/08)	0	0	0	0.0	1	3	0	3.0
AFA (10/11/08)	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
at UNM (10/18/08)*	9	39	0	4.3	3	28	0	9.3
CSU (10/25/08)	DNP							
at WYO (11/1/08)	3	4	0	1.3	1	9	0	9.0
at BYU (11/8/08)	DNP-INJ							
UTAH (11/15/08)	DNP-INJ							
UNLV (11/22/08)	DNP-INJ							

\* = Game started



**#47 Jacob Tauanuu**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Junior - RS**  
**6-1, 240**  
**San Diego, Calif./UAB**

Eligible to play in 2009, after sitting out a year ago ... Attended Grossmont College from 2005-07, before transferring to UAB for one year ... Ended 2009 spring drills second on the depth chart at one defensive end spot.

**2008:** Redshirted after transferring from UAB.

**At UAB:** Spent the 2007 season at the University of Alabama-Birmingham, starting all 12 games for the Blazers ... Recorded 48 tackles and two sacks.

**At Grossmont:** Played at Grossmont Community College in El Cajon in 2006 ... Appeared in all 12 games, starting six ... Saw action at four positions (OLB, ILB, LS and FB).

**High School:** Three-year letterwinner at Helix High School in La Mesa, Calif., graduating in 2005 ... A two-year captain who was named first-team all-CIF selection in 2004 ... Two-time all-league pick.

**Personal:** Born July 16, 1987, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Tisha Young and Tuuese Tauanuu ... Is a history major, who earned scholar-athlete honors in 2008.



**#19 Jon Toledo**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Senior - 2L**  
**6-3, 215**  
**Encinitas, Calif./**  
**La Costa Canyon HS**

Athletic local talent who looks to be a factor on the team's receiving corps in his final campaign ... Caught one pass each of this first two years ... From same high school as former Aztec quarterback Kevin O'Connell and current freshman linebacker Jacob Driver.

**2008:** Played in only one game as a junior ... Entered the year as the backup at the W receiver spot behind Darren Mougey ... First action on special teams vs. San Jose State ... Did not play in the final nine games.

**2007:** Played in 10 games primarily on special teams ... Caught one pass for five yards against Washington St. ... Played but did not log a catch in the last 11 games ... Had one tackle against Cincinnati.

**2006:** Played the final five games of the season, with his first career catch against UNLV.

**2005:** Utilized his redshirt season at SDSU.

**High School:** Prepped at La Costa Canyon, where he had 73 catches covering 1,572 yards for the fifth-best single-season yardage total in CIF history as a senior ... Was the area's leading receiver ... Caught 13 touchdown passes as a senior ... Junior numbers included 25 catches for 473 yards ... First high school reception came on a pass from Kevin O'Connell ... Honors include all-Palomar League, CIF all-academic selection, all-North County, all-county and Palomar League offensive player of the year ... Also earned two varsity letters in basketball ... An all-region selection by *PrepStar* magazine ... Four-year honor student.

**Personal:** Born Sept. 21, 1986, in Omaha, Neb. ... Son of Chris and Katherine Toledo ... Brother, Joe, played at Washington and was picked in the fourth round of the 2006 NFL draft by the Miami Dolphins ... Graduated with his degree in public administration and is pursuing his master's in homeland security ... Is an SDSU scholar-athlete.

**TOLEDO'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	Receiving				
	G	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
2006	5	1	7	0	7.0
2007	10	1	5	0	5.0
2008	1	0	0	0	0.0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6.0</b>

**Career Highs:** Receptions: 1 vs. WSU (9/8/07), vs. UNLV (11/11/06); Receiving Yards: 7 vs. UNLV (11/11/06); Long Reception: 7 vs. UNLV (11/11/06).



**#91 Frederick Trujillo**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-1, 220**  
**Albuquerque, N.M./**  
**Highland HS**

A redshirt freshman defensive end, who joined the squad during the 2008 fall campaign.

**2008:** Used his redshirt season.

**High School:** Prepped at Highland High School in Albuquerque, N.M., where he was an all-district selection on both offense and defense ... Lettered four times and was team captain ... Team was ranked No. 2 in the 2006 state tournament ... A two-time all-state pick at defensive lineman ... Also a standout thrower on the track and field team, where he was sixth in state for javelin, second in the city for discus and third in the district for shot put.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 1, 1990, in Albuquerque, N.M. ... Son of Frederick Jones and Patricia Trujillo ... Majoring in business.



**#7 Alston Umuolo**  
**Tight End**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**6-4, 245**  
**Phoenix, Ariz./Centennial HS**

Likely to have more passes come his way in his third season on campus ... One of five true freshmen to see action in 2007 ... Was No. 1 on the two-deep after 2009 spring drills.

**2008:** Played in 10 outings, starting twice ... Had 14 catches for 110 yards ... Missed the first game of the season against Cal Poly, but returned to the field



vs. Notre Dame ... Had one catch against the Irish and another one a week later at San Jose State ... Played but did not have a reception vs. Idaho and TCU ... Tied a career-best with two receptions for 17 yards against Air Force ... First career start at UNM, making one catch for five yards ... Missed the Wyoming game due to injury ... Returned for the final three games, earning a start in the finale with UNLV ... Career-high eight receptions for 74 yards in the win over the Rebels.

**2007:** Played in all but one game, logging six catches for 67 yards and a TD ... Two catches for 47 yards, including a 43-yard touchdown versus Cincinnati ... One reception vs. ASU, CSU, UNLV and Air Force ... Recovered a fumble and returned it 10 yards for a score vs. PSU.

**High School:** Played one season at Centennial High School in Peoria, Ariz., under

Richard Taylor ... Spent first three years as a prep in the state of Washington ... Saw action as a quarterback, wide receiver, tight end, linebacker and defensive end ... Centennial was 14-0 overall and 7-0 in league in 2006, winning the school's first-ever 5A state title ... Second-team all-region as a defensive end and honorable mention as a wideout ... Accounted for 477 yards of offense and had 41 tackles, including five sacks ... Also lettered in basketball and track.

**Personal:** Born March 15, 1989, in Phoenix, Ariz. ... Son of Uche and DeeDee Umuolo ... Made a visit to Nevada during the recruiting process ... Social science major.

**UMUOLO'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	Receiving				
	G	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
2007	11	6	67	1	11.2
2008	10	14	110	0	7.9
<b>Totals</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8.9</b>

**Career Highs:** Receptions: 8 vs. UNLV (11/22/08); Receiving Yards: 74 vs. UNLV (11/22/07); Long Reception: 43 vs. Cincinnati (9/29/07).



**#17 Josh Wade**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-0, 180**  
**San Diego, Calif./Pt. Loma HS**

Local product, who will challenge for playing time at cornerback.

**2008:** Redshirted as a true freshman.

**High School:** First-team all-CIF as a defensive back in helping Point Loma High to the CIF Div. III title game in 2007 ... Rushed for 1,100 yards and 13 touchdowns and recorded three interceptions on defense as a senior under coach Mike Hastings ... *CalHiSports.com* all-state

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first-team pick on defense for the medium school division in 2007 ... Eastern League Offensive Player of the Year as a senior ... *San Diego Union-Tribune* all-San Diego Section first team his final campaign ... Had 20 tackles, two interceptions and a fumble recovery on defense in 2006 ... First-team all-league as a running back in 2006 ... Averaged more than 7.5 yards per carry as a running back in 2007 ... Also ran track for the Pointers.

**Personal:** Born Dec. 7, 1989, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Betty and Michael Wade ... Has yet to decide on his major.



**#18 Roberto Wallace**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Senior - 2L**  
**6-4, 225**  
**Oceanside, Calif./**  
**Oceanside HS**

A talented player, who will be one of the leaders in the wide receiving corps ... Played in all but one game in 2008, after logging minutes in nine outings in 2007 ... Missed 2005 and 2006 due to injury ... 2008 team most improved offensive player.

**2008:** Played in 11 games, earning the starting nod nine times ... Third on the team in receiving yards with 405 ... Made two catches, including one for his first career touchdown, in the opener with Cal Poly ... Career-best four catches for 40 yards with a long of 14 yards at Notre Dame ... One catch for seven yards at San Jose State ... Three catches for a career-best 47 yards with a long of 22 yards in the win over Idaho ... Career-long 34-yard catch at TCU and also attempted his first career pass ... DNP (inj.) vs. Air Force ... Returned vs. UNM, catching two passes for 27 yards ... Starter against CSU, making two catches for 30 yards ... Career bests in both catches (7) and receiving yards (66) at Wyoming ... Four catches at BYU and three for 47 yards vs. No. 8 Utah ... Made two receptions for 33 yards in the win over UNLV.

**2007:** A reserve in eight contests and a starter versus New Mexico ... Tallied the first six catches of his career for 72 yards ... Played in his first career outings against Washington State and ASU, but did not log a reception ... First career catch in the win over Portland State for nine yards ... First career start against New Mexico, finishing with a career-best three catches for 20 yards ... Two catches for a career-best 43 yards, including a long of 31, in the win over Wyoming ... Had one tackle at Air Force ... Missed the final two games.

**2006:** Did not play after having shoulder surgery.

**2005:** Redshirted his first year on campus.

**High School:** One of the top 50 receiving prospects in the country, according to *Rivals.com* ... Listed as the 59th-best prospect in the state of California, regardless of position ... *Scout.com* considered him the No. 63 player in California ... Was an all-region selection by *PrepStar* and *SuperPrep* magazine ... An all-league and all-CIF selection after catching 46

passes covering 867 yards with six touchdowns for the CIF champion Oceanside Pirates ... Averaged 18.8 yards per reception as a senior ... Had 23 catches for 353 yards as a junior.

**Personal:** Born May 10, 1986, in Panama City, Fla. ... Son of Roberto Wallace, Jr., and Elvia Wallace ... Legal guardian in U.S. was his aunt, Demaris Davis ... Grew up playing soccer and did not start playing football until his junior year at Oceanside after relocating to the U.S. from Panama in the 10th grade ... Is a social science major.

## WALLACE'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	Receiving				
	G	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
2007	9	6	72	0	12.0
2008	11	31	405	1	13.1
<b>Totals</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>477</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12.9</b>

**Career Highs:** Receptions: 7 at Wyo. (11/1/08); Receiving Yards: 66 at Wyo. (11/1/08); TD Reception: 1 vs. Cal Poly (8/30/08); Long Reception: 34 at TCU (10/4/08).



**#57 Willie Watters**  
**Linebacker**  
**Senior - SQ**  
**6-2, 225**  
**Englewood, Colo./**  
**Palomar College**

Joined the Aztecs a year ago, after playing at Palomar College in San Marcos ... Attended the same high school as quarterback Kelsey Sokoloski ... One of seven SDSU players from the state of Colorado.

**2008:** Appeared in one game as a reserve vs. Utah, but did not log any stats.

**At Palomar:** Played two seasons at Palomar College ... An all-conference honorable mention selection in 2007 ... The Comets finished the 2007 season ranked No. 26 in the nation by the *J.C. Grid-Wire* after finishing second in the American Division of the Mission Conference.

**High School:** A two-year letterwinner at Cherry Creek High School in Englewood, Colo. ... An all-Centennial league pick as a senior ... Also lettered twice in baseball.

**Personal:** Born June 25, 1987, in Englewood, Colo. ... Son of Danny and Kathy Watters ... Is a communications major.



**#3 Mekell Wesley**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Senior - 3L**  
**5-10, 180**  
**Chandler, Ariz./Hamilton HS**

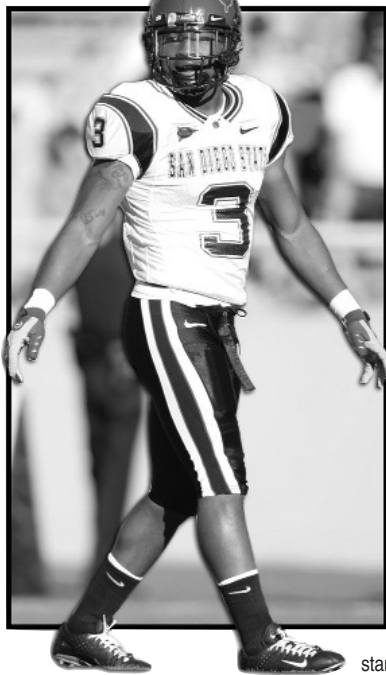
A speedster who can help the Aztecs on several fronts both on offense and special teams.

**2008:** Returned kickoffs and punts, while starting five games at wideout ... Played in 10 of 12 contests with 12 catches for 151 yards and 11 rushes for 42 yards ... Top punt returner, averaging nearly eight yards a return ... Returned one kickoff for 26 yards against Cal Poly and also logged one carry ... Did not play at Notre Dame ... One rush for seven yards and a first down at San Jose State ... Also returned two punts and a kickoff vs. the Spartans ... Career night as a starter at wideout vs. Idaho, catching six balls for 109 yards, including a long of 39 yards ... Became the 74th player in school history to eclipse the century mark in receiving yards ... Also returned four punts ... First career rushing TD at TCU, scoring from two yards out ... Also returned two kickoffs and a punt vs. the Horned Frogs ... Starter vs. Air Force, logging two catches for 12 yards, while also returning four kickoffs and two punts ... Season-best 34-yard kick off return against the Falcons ... Two receptions, returned two punts and brought back three kickoffs against New Mexico ... Two kickoff returns and a rush vs. CSU ... Missed the Wyoming game due to injury ... Five kickoff returns for 98 yards and a team sea-



son-long 21 yard punt return at BYU ... Also added four carries for 18 yards vs. the Cougars ... Two catches for 18 yards and two kick returns for 45 yards against No. 8 Utah ... Missed the season finale with UNLV due to injury.

**2007:** Played in all 12 contests, earning a starting nod versus Portland State ... Hauled in just one catch on the year ... Returned 26 kickoffs for 568 yards



(21.8 ypr) and also had a pair of punt returns for 43 yards ... Logged a pair of carries for 14 yards in his first start vs. PSU ... One carry vs. CSU and Utah ... First career kickoff returns against UNM, returning three for 60 yards ... Four kickoff returns for 81 yards vs. Wyoming ... MWC co-Player of the Week, after logging an 89-yard kick-off return for a TD at UNLV, SDSU's first since 1997 ... Averaged 35.6 on five returns for 178 yards ... 178 yards are second in school single-game history ... Returned three kickoffs for 65 yards and also his first two punts for 43 yards at Air Force ... Added a career-long 17-yard reception against the Falcons ... Five kickoff returns for 105 yards, including a 29-yarder versus TCU ... Recorded six kickoff returns in the finale with BYU.

**2006:** Played his first career game against UTEP, grabbing two passes for five yards ... Was in on several plays against Wisconsin and Utah, but did not log a catch ... First career rush for five yards at San Jose State ... First career start, carrying the ball 14 yards on the team's first offensive play at BYU ... Made the starting

lineup in the win over Air Force, catching one pass for eight yards ... One grab for five yards versus Cal Poly ... Did not play against Wyoming and UNLV due to injury ... Did not play at TCU, before returning against New Mexico ... Did not appear in the final game with Colorado State.

**2005:** Redshirted.

**High School:** Selected as a high school All-American by *PrepStar* magazine and a *SuperPrep* all-region selection ... Played on two 5A state championship teams at Hamilton that went 26-2 in 2003 and 2004 ... Southeast Valley player of the year ... Selected to the all-Arizona squad ... Set a school record with 1,087 receiving yards as a senior (on 57 catches) and set a single-game receptions record with 10 ... Also dangerous in the return game with nine career punts and kickoffs returned for scores ... Was a member of a state champion 4x100 relay team and earned four varsity letters in track ... *Rivals.com* listed him as the No. 67 receiving prospect in the country and one of the top 15 players in Arizona.

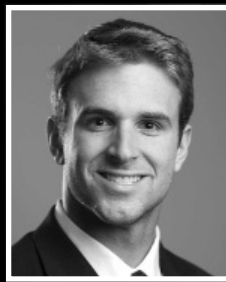
**Personal:** Born May 29, 1986, in Phoenix, Ariz. ... Son of Dwight and Kharlie Wesley ... Majoring in social science.

### WESLEY'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	Receiving				
	G	No.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
2006	8	4	18	0	4.5
2007	12	1	17	0	17.0
2008	10	12	151	0	12.6
<b>Totals</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10.9</b>

Kickoff Returns	Att.	Yds.	TD	Avg.	Long
	2007	26	568	1	21.8
2008	20	407	0	20.4	34
<b>Totals</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>21.2</b>	<b>89</b>

**Career Highs:** Receptions: 6 vs. Idaho (9/27/08); Rec. Yards: 109 vs. Idaho (9/27/08); Long Rec.: 39 vs. Idaho (9/27/08); Carries: 4 at BYU (11/8/08); Rush. Yards: 18 at BYU (11/8/08); Rushing TD: 1 at TCU (10/4/08); KO Returns: 6 vs. BYU (12/1/07); KO Return Yards: 178 at UNLV (11/10/07); Long KO Return: 89 at UNLV (11/10/07).



**#9 Drew Westling**  
**Quarterback**  
**Senior - 1L**  
**6-2, 210**  
**Mission Viejo, Calif./**  
**Southwestern College**

The No. 2 quarterback on the depth chart following 2009 spring drills ... A veteran player, who got to start one game a year ago ... Transferred to San Diego State in time to participate in 2008 spring drills.

**2008:** Played in four contests in his first season on The Mesa ... Threw for 206 yards ... Perfect 2-for-2 (12 yards) in his debut in the fourth quarter of the Idaho game ... Completed



six of his 17 passes for 61 yards at TCU with a long of 34 yards ... Made his first career start against Air Force, completing 18 of his 35 pass attempts for 128 yards, including a long of 20 ... First career rushing TD against the Falcons from a yard out ... Came in during the fourth quarter at UNM, attempting two passes ... Did not play in the final five games.

**At Southwestern:** Spent the 2007 season at Southwestern College in Chula Vista, Calif., under head coach Ed Carberry ... Completed over 53 percent of his passes for 2,087 yards and 14 touchdowns ... Named the Pacific Coast Conference athlete of the week on Nov. 11, after leading his team with 306 yards passing to a 20-17 victory over previously unbeaten Antelope Valley ... Rated a three-star recruit by *Rivals.com*.

**At Tulsa:** Originally signed with the University of Tulsa, redshirting as a true freshman, before seeing action in three games and completing his only pass attempt in 2006.

**High School:** A 2005 graduate of Aliso Niguel High School, lettering three years in football ... As a prep, was a three-year letterwinner, helping the Wolverines to a 10-2 record and a CIF quarterfinal appearance in 2004 ... Completed 216 of his 350 passes for 2,988 yards and 28 touchdowns to earn conference MVP honors his senior season ... Team captain as a senior.

**Personal:** Born July 2, 1987, in Newport Beach, Calif. ... Son of Kurt and Michelle Westling ... Father coaches football and basketball at Aliso Niguel High School ... Aunt, Donna Bell, works in the SDSU athletic business office ... National Football Foundation scholar-athlete ... Majoring in communications with a minor in sociology.

### WESTLING'S CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	Att.	Com.	INT	Yds.	TDs	Eff.	Tot. Off.
2008	4	56	27	2	206	0	71.97	180

**Career Highs:** Attempts: 35 vs. Air Force (10/11/08); Completions: 18 vs. Air Force (10/11/08); Passing Yards: 128 vs. Air Force (10/11/08); Long Pass: 34 at TCU (10/4/08).

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**#90 B.J. Williams**  
**Defensive Lineman**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**6-3, 240**  
**Aurora, Colo./Eaglecrest HS**

Gifted player, who can become a dominant force at defensive end ... Two-year returning starter ... Has a pair of career double-figure tackle games.

**2008:** Was a starter in 11 contests ... MWC honorable mention ... Team's most improved defensive player ... Notched a team-high 10.5 tackles for loss, ranking ninth in the MWC in overall games and eighth in league-only contests ... Career-high 74 tackles and two fumble recoveries ... Led the Aztecs in tackles as a starter at defensive end vs Cal Poly ... Tallied a career-best and team game-high nine stops, including eight solos ... Four tackles with one for a loss of three yards at Notre Dame ... Matched his career and season best with nine tackles at San Jose State, including a sack and two tackles for loss ... Four tackles and combined on a sack against Idaho ... Career-best 10 tackles, including a sack, at TCU ... Nine tackles and his first career fumble recovery against Air Force ... Missed the New Mexico game with a concussion ... Returned vs. CSU, starting and making one stop ... Eight tackles with one for a loss of four yards at Wyoming ... Career-game at BYU, logging 11 tackles, 4.0 TFLs, a sack and a recovered fumble ... Six tackles with one for a loss of yardage against No. 8 Utah ... Ended the season with three stops against UNLV.

**2007:** Started eight times and logged minutes as a reserve in the team's four other games ... Posted 45 tackles, 4.0 stops for a loss and 1.5 sacks ... Had a standout first game as an Aztec, tallying seven tackles and his first career start in the loss to WSU ... Starter at ASU, making four stops ... A reserve against Portland State, recording one tackle and a pass breakup ... In the starting lineup versus Cincinnati, making his first career tackle for a loss ... Matched his career best with seven stops at CSU ...

Three tackles at Utah and two vs. UNM ...

Matched his career-best with seven tackles and added two TFLs and a half sack in the win over Wyoming ... Three tackles with a sack for a loss of 13 yards at UNLV ... Two stops vs. AFA, TCU and BYU ... Earned the President's Award for Highest Standards of Academic and Athletic Excellence.

**2006:** Missed the majority of the year due to injury ... Used his redshirt season.

**High School:** Three-year letter-winner at Eaglecrest High in Centennial, Colo., under coach Tom Doherty ... Senior co-captain who was an unanimous first-team all-Centennial League pick and first-team defensive all-state Class 5A selection at defensive end ... Logged 60 tackles, 19 tackles for loss and 9.5 sacks his senior year ... Led a Raptor defense that allowed the fewest points in the state ... An all-league second-team pick as a linebacker and defensive end his junior season ... A multi-sport athlete who also played basketball and competed in track and field.



**Personal:** Born Aug. 7, 1988, in Denver, Colo. ... Son of Basil and Vickie Williams ... Full name is Basil James Williams, Jr. ... Majoring in communications.

## B.J. WILLIAMS' CAREER STATISTICS

Career Statistics	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2007	12	20-25-45	3.0-13	1.5-17	0-0	1	0	0
2008	11	36-38-74	10.5-31	3.5-19	0-0	0	0	2-10
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>56-63-119</b>	<b>13.5-44</b>	<b>5.0-36</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2-10</b>

**Career Highs:** Tackles: 11 at BYU (11/8/08); TFL: at BYU (11/8/08); Sack: 1.0 at BYU (11/8/08), TCU (10/4/08), at SJSU (9/13/08), at UNLV (11/10/07); PBU: 1 vs. PSU (9/22/07); FR: 1 at BYU (11/8/08), vs. Air Force (10/11/08).

## B.J. WILLIAMS GAME-BY-GAME

	G	UA-AF-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
vs. Wash. St. (9/8/07)*	1	3-4-7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at ASU (9/15/07)*	1	3-1-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
PSU (9/22/07)	1	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
CINCINNATI (9/29/07)*	1	1-4-5	1.0-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at CSU (10/6/07)*	1	3-4-7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Utah (10/13/07)*	1	1-2-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UNM (10/20/07)*	1	0-2-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
WYO (11/3/07)*	1	3-4-7	2.0-8	0.5-4	0-0	0	0	0
at UNLV (11/10/07)*	1	3-0-3	1.0-13	1.0-13	0-0	0	0	0
at AFA (11/17/07)	1	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
TCU (11/24/07)	1	0-2-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
BYU (12/1/07)	1	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
CAL POLY (8/30/08)*	1	8-1-9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at ND (9/6/08)*	1	1-3-4	1.0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at SJSU (9/13/08)*	1	1-8-9	2.0-4	1.0-4	0-0	0	0	0
IDAHO (9/27/08)*	1	1-3-4	0.5-4	0.5-4	0-0	0	0	0
at TCU (10/4/08)*	1	6-4-10	1.0-5	1.0-5	0-0	0	0	0
AFA (10/11/08)*	1	4-5-9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1-10
at UNM (10/18/08)		DNP-INJ						
CSU (10/25/08)*	1	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at WYO (11/1/08)*	1	4-4-8	1.0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at BYU (11/8/08)*	1	5-6-11	4.0-10	1.0-6	0-0	0	0	1-0
UTAH (11/15/08)*	1	5-1-6	1.0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
UNLV (11/22/08)*	1	1-2-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

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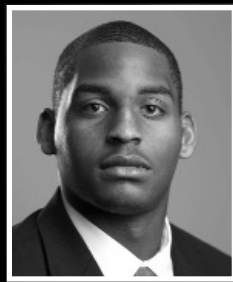
**#43 Ross Williams**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Freshman - RS**  
**6-3, 195**  
**Rancho Santa Margarita, Calif./**  
**Mission Viejo HS**

Moved from linebacker to defensive back during 2009 spring drills ... Older brother, Ryan, played for the Aztecs in 2008.

**2008:** Did not see any action and used his redshirt year.

**High School:** Played at Mission Viejo High School under coach Bob Johnson ... First-team all-league his junior year, helping the Diablos to a league title ... Team's defensive MVP in 2006 ... Missed most of his senior campaign due to injury ... Team captain in 2007 ... Also participated in track.

**Personal:** Born July 13, 1989, in Ohio ... Son of Stephanie and Wes Williams ... Father played college basketball in West Virginia ... Full name is Stephan Ross Williams ... Enjoys snowboarding ... Also looked at Colorado, San Jose State and UCLA ... Majoring in criminal justice.



**#52 Marcus Yarbrough**  
**Linebacker**  
**Junior - 2L**  
**6-2, 235**  
**San Diego, Calif./Eastlake HS**

Has worked hard to improve ... Listed as the backup at middle linebacker in 2007 and 2008 ... Physical linebacker, who can plug holes ... Father played offensive line for the Aztecs.

**2008:** Participated in 10 games, starting once ... Had a career-best 28 tackles ... Made one tackle in the opener with Cal Poly ... Did not play against



Notre Dame or San Jose State ... Saw his most extensive action, recording a career high and team game-high six stops in the win over Idaho ... Two assisted stops at TCU ... Reserve vs. Air Force ... Four tackles at New Mexico and three against CSU ... First career start, playing middle linebacker at Wyoming and making six tackles ... Three tackles at BYU ... One assisted stop vs. No. 8 Utah and two solos in the final game with UNLV.

**2007:** Played in all but one game as a red-shirt freshman on defense and special teams ... Collegiate debut versus Washington State ... First career stops at ASU, recording two solo and two assisted efforts ... Was in on three tackles against PSU ... Played but did not have a tackle vs. Cincinnati or Utah ... One tackle vs. CSU and UNM.

**2006:** Redshirted as a true freshman.  
**High School:** Was the 77th-ranked inside linebacker nationally by *Scouts, Inc.* ... A third-team all-state selection by *Cal-Hi Sports* ... Earned first-team all-county honors in 2005 at Eastlake High School ... As a senior, he had 131 tackles, eight sacks, three forced fumbles and an interception to garner Mesa League defensive player-of-the-year accolades for the second year in

a row ... Recorded 143 tackles, 11 sacks and two forced fumbles his junior campaign ... Only junior named to the *San Diego Union-Tribune All-San Diego* Section team ... First-team all-state

and all-league and second-team all-CIF in 2004 ... Participated in track and field, throwing the discus and shot put.

**Personal:** Born June 27, 1988, in San Diego, Calif. ... Son of Darryl and Selby Yarbrough ... Father was a four-year football letterwinner at San Diego State from 1978-81 as an offensive lineman ... Majoring in social science.

**YARBROUGH'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Statistics	G	UA-AT-TT	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	Int.	PBU	FF	FR
2007	11	4-5-9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2008	10	17-11-28	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>21-16-37</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

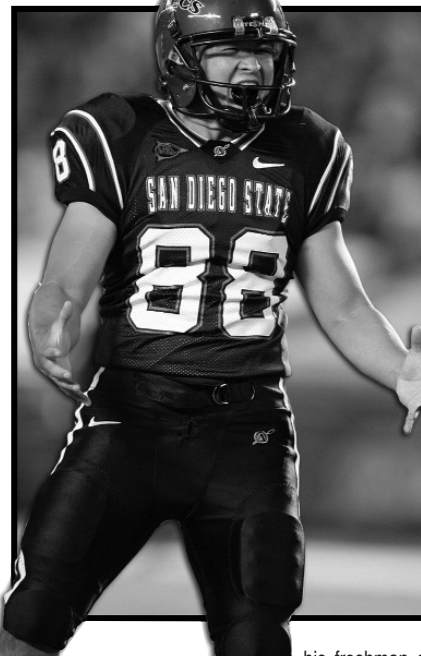
**Career Highs:** Tackles: 6 at Wyo. (11/1/08), vs. Idaho (9/27/08).



**#88 Lane Yoshida**  
**Place-Kicker**  
**Senior - 1L**  
**5-10, 190**  
**Pinole, Calif./Reedley College**

Handled the Aztecs' place-kicking and kick-off duties in 2008 ... Came to SDSU for the 2007 fall semester, but did not join the football team until 2008 spring drills ... Is an SDSU scholar-athlete.

**2008:** Did not make the original fall camp roster, but joined the Aztecs mid-way through and earned the starting place-kicker spot ... Played in all 12 contests, going 8-for-12 in field goals and 27-for-29 in extra-point attempts ... Perfect on his three extra-point attempts against Cal Poly ... Missed his first extra point vs. Notre Dame ... Connected on his first field goal from 36 yards in the third quarter against San Jose State ...



Made all six extra point attempts and also kicked a 26-yard field goal in the win over Idaho ... Converted his only extra point attempt at TCU ... Career-long 45-yard field goal vs. Air Force ... Missed his first field goal of the year from 34 yards later in the game ... Hit a 43-yard and 33-yard kick vs. CSU ... Made a 35-yard field goal at Wyoming, but had his 26-yard kick blocked ... Career-long 49-yard field goal and also had a 34-yarder at BYU ... Missed a 47-yarder against Utah and a 52-yarder vs. UNLV.

**At Reedley:** Played at Reedley Junior College in Reedley, Calif., under coach Michael White ... A first-team All-America and All-California Region II selection in 2005, by the California Community College Football Coaches Association, after leading the state in kick points ... Reedley was 10-1 overall and 5-0 in the Valley Conference

his freshman campaign ... Only loss was in the Northern California championship game ... First-team all-conference in 2006 ... Also competed in track and field at Reedley ... Graduated with honors from Reedley.

**High School:** Garnered first-team all-league accolades his final two seasons as a kicker at Pinole Valley High School ... Also played baseball.

**Personal:** Born Jan. 31, 1987, in Oakland, Calif. ... Son of Lynn and Clay Yoshida ... Is a business management major.

**YOSHIDA'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Career Stats	FGM-A	Pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg.	Blk.
2008	8-12	.667	0-0	1-2	4-5	3-4	0-1	49	1

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**#26 Marcus Andrews**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Freshman, 6-0, 175**  
**Los Angeles, Calif./Crenshaw HS**

Rated as the 84th-best cornerback nationally in the 2009 class by *Scout.com* ... A first-team all-area and all-city defensive selection who had six interceptions his senior year, while adding 45 tackles ... Earned all-Coliseum League honors with 36 tackles, five pass breakups, two picks and a fumble recovery during his 2007 junior season ... Also received a scholarship offer to play football at Washington.

**#47 Nat Berhe**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Freshman, 5-10, 160**  
**Colton, Calif./Colton HS**

Led the Yellow Jackets to four consecutive San Andreas League championships ... A team captain in 2008 ... A three-time first-team all-San Andreas League selection ... A two-time first-team *Press-Enterprise* selection ... All-CIF defensive team this past year ... A two-time all-county selection ... Rated the No. 47 cornerback nationally by Rivals and the No. 83 cornerback prospect in America by *Scout.com* ... Had 47 tackles (14 assisted) on the season and one interception as a senior ... Recorded a season-high 11 stops, including eight unassisted tackles against Cajon High ... Also had 32 rushes for 182 yards in 2008 ... A two-year letterwinner in track and field ... A member of the National Honor Society ... Brother, Tam, plays football at Redlands ... Received scholarship offers from Minnesota, New Mexico and UTEP

**#12 Jake Bernards**  
**Quarterback**  
**Freshman, 6-5, 200**  
**Valencia, Calif./West Ranch HS**

A 2008 team captain for West Ranch High ... An all-Foothill League selection after he passed for 1,695 yards on 136-of-264 attempts (51.5 percent) and connected for 13 touchdowns ... Also had 70 carries for 322 yards and two rushing scores in 2008 ... Threw for a season-high 348 yards on 26-of-46 passing against Beverly Hills ... An all-Foothill League pick as a junior after connecting on 83 of 149 attempts (55.7 completion percentage) for 952 yards and seven scores ... A three-year letterwinner and first-team all-league selection in baseball for the Wildcats ... Led the baseball team in home runs the past two seasons ... Member of the National Honor Society ... Plans on studying chemistry at San Diego State ... Also drew interest from Washington, Arizona and UC Davis.

**#38 Aarein Booker**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Freshman, 6-0, 185**  
**San Bernardino, Calif./San Bernardino HS**

Earned all-San Andreas League honors in 2007 and 2008 ... A two-way player for San Bernardino High, who earned the team's MVP award after the 2008 season ... Named team defensive player of the year as a junior (2007) ... Also saw time as a quarterback, passing for 76 yards on 7-of-12 attempts (58.3 percent) ... Rushed for 1,058 yards on 140 carries and one touchdown ... Grabbed 10 receptions for 127 yards ... A standout sprinter on the Cardinal track and field team who made it to the CIF finals in the 300-meter high-hurdles in the spring 2008 outdoor season ... Also was a member of the school's 4x100 relay team ...

Honored as San Bernardino High athlete of the year for 2007-08 by the San Bernardino City Unified School District ... Received interest from Arizona State, Colorado and Idaho.

**#46 Jacob Driver**  
**Linebacker**  
**Freshman, 6-2, 210**  
**Carlsbad, Calif./La Costa Canyon HS**

Led the Mavericks to the 2008 CIF San Diego Section Division I Championship title ... Selected as the 2008 San Diego section defensive player of the year by the *San Diego Union-Tribune*, *North County Times* and the San Diego Hall of Champions ... 2008 CIF defensive player of the year ... Also a two-time *San Diego Union-Tribune* Avocado League defensive player of the year ... A two-time first-team all-Avocado League selection (2007 and 2008) ... Earned a 2008 *North County Times* all-North County team (first-team linebacker) spot ... A 2008 *MaxPreps* football Division I all-state first team honoree ... Had an eye-popping 111 tackles, including 29 for loss, as a junior at La Costa Canyon ... Listed as one of the top 15 prospects in the San Diego area by *Rivals* ... Named to the *CalHiSports.com* all-state football defensive second team ... Rated the seventh-best inside linebacker in California by *Scouts.com* ... Led La Costa Canyon to four consecutive Avocado League championships ... Also competed in lacrosse ... Led lacrosse team to the 2008 CIF crown ... Recipient of the National Football Foundation scholar-athlete award ... Drew interest from Stanford, Air Force, Boise State, Nevada, UC Davis and Cal Poly.

**#88 Gavin Escobar**  
**Tight End**  
**Freshman, 6-6, 210**  
**Rancho Santa Margarita, Calif./S.M. Catholic HS**

A 2008 Trinity League second-team selection on offense after grabbing 37 receptions for 492 yards and six scores ... Listed as the No. 79 tight end nationally by *Scout.com* ... A preseason "Senior to Watch" by *ocvarsity.com* ... Named No. 20 on the "Top 20 O.C. Recruits for Class of 2009" list by *ocvarsity.com* ... Had seven receptions for 130 yards against St. Bonaventure, the eventual state Division III champion ... Named the player of the game for his performance ... As a junior, caught 11 passes for 163 yards (14.8 yards per catch) ... Also competed in basketball ... Committed to San Diego State early in the recruiting process ... Received interest from Utah and Boise State.

**#22 Ronnie Hillman**  
**Running Back**  
**Freshman, 5-10, 175**  
**La Habra, Calif./La Habra HS**

Led La Habra to the 2008 CIF Southern Section Southwest Division title after going 5-0 in the Freeway League and winning the 2008 Freeway League Championship ... A 2008 *Orange County Register* all-county first-team pick on special teams ... Dubbed the "Reggie Bush of Orange County" by Steve Fryer ... His prep team went 12-2 overall and ended the season on a nine-game win streak ... Selected as the 2008 Freeway League MVP ... Named a "Top 5 to Watch in 2008" by *ocvarsity.com* ... Named No. 9 of the "Top 20 O.C. Recruits for Class of 2009" by *ocvarsity.com*, after he carried 97 times for 1,251 yards and 14 touchdowns in 2008 ... Rushing and receiving, Hillman accounted for 2,104 yards and 27 touchdowns last season ... The 2007 Southeast Division offensive player of the year ... Helped the Highlanders to the 2007 CIF-SS Southwest Division Championship crown after amassing 1,615 yards and 20 touchdowns in 2007 ... Also visited Fresno State and Colorado State during the recruiting process ... Lettered in track and field and basketball ... Received scholarship offers from three Mountain West Conference schools.



**#81 Marven Jones**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Freshman, 6-4, 205**  
**San Diego, Calif./Kearny HS**

A 2008 City Conference first-team pick on offense ... A 2007 Central League second-team choice by the San Diego Hall of Champions ... Averaged 12.1 yards a reception as he caught 24 balls for 291 yards and five touchdowns in 2007 ... Listed as one of the top 15 football recruits in the San Diego area by *Rivals* ... A team captain ... Also a basketball and volleyball letterwinner at Kearny High ... A *San Diego Union-Tribune* all-academic athlete in football and basketball ... Also considered UCLA, Arizona State, Boise State and Hawaii.

**#31 Walter Kazee**  
**Running Back**  
**Freshman, 5-9, 175**  
**San Bernardino, Calif./Cajon HS**

Led Cajon High to the San Andreas League championship in 2008 ... The *San Bernardino County Sun's* prep football player of the year in 2008 ... A 2008 CIF Southern Section Central Division first-team offense selection after leading the Titans to the Pac-5 championship game ... Rushed for 1,692 yards on 184 carries for 29 touchdowns in 2008 ... Also grabbed 19 receptions for 269 yards and three scores ... A first-team all-San Andreas League selection in 2006 and a first-team all-county honoree by *The San Bernardino Sun* ... Named a first-team offense honoree by the CIF Southern Section Central Division and the *Press-Enterprise* for the San Bernardino area ... Played in the Inland Empire All-Star Football Classic after his senior season.

**#39 Preston King**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Freshman, 5-10, 175**  
**Rancho Santa Margarita, Calif./Tesoro HS**

A two-way star, he led the Titans to two South Coast League championships ... The CIF co-defensive player of the year in the Pac-5 Division after helping Tesoro reach the Pac-5 final against Long Beach Poly ... Named the *Orange County Register's* defensive player of the year and to the *Los Angeles Times* all-star football team as a wide receiver in 2008 ... A first-team all-state honoree by *CalHighSports.com* ... Caught 87 passes for 1,258 yards and 15 scores to be named the South Coast League MVP in 2008 ... Also had 65 tackles, nine interceptions and eight pass deflections in his senior season ... An *ESPN Mr. Football* State Player of the Year finalist ... One of 10 finalists for California "Mr. Football" *CalHiSports.com* Player of the Year ... Named to the *GoldenStatePreps.com* 2008 all-Southern California football team, the *MaxPreps.com* California all-state first team and *Rivals.com* Southern Section first-team offense ... *Los Angeles Times* has called him "perhaps the best two-way football player in the Southland last season" ... Named No. 11 of the "Top 20 O.C. Recruits for Class of 2009" by *ocvarsity.com* after leading Orange County in interceptions and receiving ... Selected to play in the North/South and Gridiron War all-star games at the conclusion of the 2008 season ... An all-South Coast League receiver in 2007 with 33 catches for 549 yards ... A South Coast League second-team selection in lacrosse in 2008 ... Also a letterwinner in basketball and baseball ... Voted captain of the football, basketball and baseball teams ... Also considered USC, Colorado, Hawaii, SMU, San Jose State and Washington.

**#23 Gabe Lemon**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Freshman, 5-10, 175**  
**Orange, Calif./Lutheran HS**

Named a "Top 5 to Watch in 2008" by *ocvarsity.com* ... A second-team CIF selection in 2008 ... A first-team defensive back choice for the *Orange County Register* all-Orange County team ... Had 12 interceptions in the last two seasons ... Named the most dedicated player of his team at Orange Lutheran High ... Selected as a second-team all-Trinity League pick in 2008 ... A CIF first-team selection in 2007 ... An all-county pick at defensive back after his junior season Trabuco Hills ... Named the defensive MVP of the Sea View League in 2007 ... Trinity League champion in the long jump in 2007... Also received recruiting interest from Washington and Boise State.

**#24 Colin Lockett**  
**Defensive Back**  
**Freshman, 6-0, 165**  
**Diamond Bar, Calif./Diamond Bar HS**

A three-year starter for coach John Marin ... Was an all-league pick on both offense (second-team wide receiver) and defense (first-team defensive back) in 2008 ... Named the Diamond Bar High defensive player of the year after recording 58 total tackles and five interceptions his senior season ... Grabbed 26 receptions for 367 yards (14.1 average) and two scores in 2008 ... Received a Sierra League honorable mention nod in 2007 ... Had 31 tackles and 13 pass breakups as a junior in 2007 ... Also competed in track and field ... A Sierra League third-place finisher in the 300-meter hurdles in 2008 ... A CIF first-round qualifier in the same event ... A scholar-athlete ... An all-league academic selection ... Also considered Oregon State ... Brother, Bret, plays football at UCLA.

**#82 Leon McFadden**  
**Wide Receiver**  
**Freshman, 5-10, 165**  
**Bellflower, Calif./St. John Bosco HS**

Recorded 32 receptions for an average of 16.3 yards per catch, including seven touchdowns in 2008 ... Was selected to the Trinity League first-team defense after he recorded 48 tackles and four interceptions in 2008 ... Caught a season-high seven passes for 108 yards against Lutheran High ... Also drew interest from BYU, Washington, Utah State, Idaho and Sacramento State.

**#32 Anthony Miller**  
**Running Back**  
**Freshman, 6-0, 220**  
**Dallas, Texas/Carter HS**

Rated as the 45th-best running back in the country by *Rivals* ... Rushed 131 times for 1,025 yards and 17 scores his senior season ... Led the Cowboys to three league championships ... Helped Carter High to the 2008 Texas Class 4A Division I Region II semifinal and a 12-1 overall record in 2008 ... A first-team offense selection ... Ran for 739 yards on 111 carries his junior season ... A two-way player, who earned all-district 11-5A first-team defense and second-team offense honors his junior season ... An honorable mention pick at linebacker his sophomore year ... A standout on the Carter High track and field team ... A member of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., and the National Honor Society ... Father was a starting linebacker for West Texas State in 1985 and 1986 ... His uncle, Charles Baker, played eight years for the NFL's St. Louis Cardinals ... Received scholarship offers from Oklahoma State, Louisiana Tech, Colorado State, Tulsa and UTEP

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## **#83 Osmond Nicholas**

**Wide Receiver**

**Freshman, 6-3, 195**

**Oceanside, Calif./Oceanside HS**

Had 37 receptions and five touchdowns for Oceanside High head coach John Carroll ... Selected to the second-team offense by the San Diego Hall of Champions ... Led Oceanside to four consecutive Division II San Diego Section championships ... Helped the Pirates to a 12-0-1 record and No. 19 national ranking in 2008 ... Also led the Pirates to the California State Division II Bowl Title in 2007, the first San Diego Section team to do so ... Brother also plays football for the Aztecs.

## **#7 Larry Parker**

**Defensive Back**

**Sophomore, 5-11, 175**

**San Diego, Calif./Grossmont College**

Only junior college signee in this past year's recruiting class ... Signed with SDSU in May 2009 ... Brings much needed experience in the defensive backfield ... Prepped at St. Augustine High School in San Diego ... Originally signed and redshirted at Sacramento State in 2007 ... Transferred to Grossmont College in El Cajon, playing in 2008 ... Had 38 tackles and three interceptions with the Griffins to earn honorable mention all-Southern Conference honors ... Has three years of eligibility remaining ... Also received scholarship offers from Louisville, Houston and Nevada.

## **#27 Eric Pinkins**

**Defensive Back**

**Freshman, 6-3, 180**

**Sacramento, Calif./Inderkum HS**

A 2008 all-Metro football second-team defense selection ... A honorable mention all-San Joaquin selection at defensive back by the Sacramento Chapter of the National Football Foundation ... He had 63 tackles, two interceptions and 12 deflections as a senior ... Also amassed 52 tackles, nine pass deflections, four blocked punts, three interceptions and a fumble recovery in 2007 ... Attended the National Underclassmen Combine and was named wide receiver MVP ... Also a member of the track and field team ... Drew interest from Fresno State, California, Utah and UNLV.

## **#45 Khalid Stevens**

**Defensive Back**

**Freshman, 5-11, 200**

**Pacific Palisades, Calif./Palisades HS**

A two-way standout who rushed for 1,090 yards on 132 carries and had 10 touchdowns in 2008 ... Also grabbed 14 catches for 205 yards and three scores ... On the other side of the ball, had 69 tackles on the season ... Western League Most Valuable Player in 2008 ... Posted four games with 10 or more tackles in 2008, including a season-high 12 against Palos Verdes Peninsula High ... Also received a scholarship offer from Army.

## **#36 Nick Tenhaeff**

**Linebacker**

**Freshman, 6-2, 205**

**Atascadero, Calif./Atascadero HS**

Set Atascadero High's single-season rushing touchdown record with 27 touchdowns and finished his career with 3,533 rushing yards ... Earned *The Tribune* player-of-the-year honors in 2008 ... Named the Pac-7 League MVP his senior season ... An all-CIF Southern Section tailback selection in 2008 ... The 2008 San Luis Obispo County MVP ... A first-team San Luis Obispo County tailback after his senior season ... Finished 2008 third on the team with 60 tackles and a sack ... As a junior, was named the Pac 7 League offensive back of the year and was a first-team offense selection ... Also recruited by Stanford, Cal Poly, Oregon State and USC.