

KENTUCKY FOOTBALL

2019

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2019 SCHEDULE

 TOLEDO 08.31	 EASTERN MICHIGAN 09.07	 FLORIDA 09.14	 AT MISSISSIPPI STATE 09.21	 AT SOUTH CAROLINA 09.28	 ARKANSAS 10.12	 AT GEORGIA 10.19	 MISSOURI 10.26	 TENNESSEE 11.09	 AT VANDERBILT 11.16	 UT MARTIN 11.23	 LOUISVILLE 11.30
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GENERAL INFORMATION

Location:	Lexington, Ky.
Founded:	1865
Enrollment:	30,000
Nickname:	Wildcats
Colors:	Blue (PMS 286) and White
Conference:	Southeastern (Eastern Division)
President:	Dr. Eli Capilouto
Athletics Director:	Mitch Barnhart
Faculty Representative:	Joseph L. Fink III
Website:	UKathletics.com

MEDIA INFORMATION

COVERING PRACTICE

Spring practices are closed to the media and public unless otherwise noted.

COVERING THE SPRING GAME

Credentials are required for media covering the Spring Game on Friday, April 12 at 6 p.m. ET. Tickets are free to the public. All requests for credentials must be submitted by sports editors/directors to Stephanie Guy at Stephanie.guy@uky.edu. Parking is first-come, first-serve. The deadline for requesting spring game credentials is March 29.

INTERVIEWS

Head coach Mark Stoops will meet with media after select practices. Assistant coaches and players may also be available upon request after practice on designated days.

Please note: Some players may be unable to participate in interviews on specific days due to class schedules.

PHOTOGRAPHERS/VIDEOGRAPHERS

Cameras are permitted only during interview sessions unless otherwise noted.

PRACTICE DATES/TIMES

Practices will typically be held in the mornings from 7:30-9:30 a.m. ET. Please check e-mail daily for updates.

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PRACTICE LOCATION

Practices will be held at the Joe Craft Football Training Center (295 Alumni Dr.) unless noted otherwise.

Parking is available in the Blue Lot off Alumni Drive by Gate 11. You must have a valid UK parking permit to park on campus. To receive a parking pass, go to 206E of the Matthews Building (606 South Limestone Street) and see Lori Adams (Lori.Adams@uky.edu; 859.257.1754). She will give you a card-sized application to fill out and will give you further instructions. Her office hours are M-F, 7 a.m.-4 p.m.

Media should gather in the lobby of the FTC and register requests with UK Athletics Communications & Public Relations staff by the interview request deadline. A member of the UKCPR staff will escort you to the practice fields at the conclusion of practice. Interviews will be conducted outside. In case of inclement weather we will move the interviews inside.

UKATHLETICS.COM

Spring practice interviews, photos and practice releases will be posted on the official athletics website for the University of Kentucky at ukathletics.com. UK's official Twitter and Instagram is @ukfootball.



2019 MARCH / APRIL PRACTICE CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
MARCH 3	MARCH 4 Practice #1 	MARCH 5 Practice #2 	MARCH 6	MARCH 7 Practice #3 	MARCH 8	MARCH 9
March 8-17 is UK's spring break, therefore there is no Spring Practice	MARCH 18	MARCH 19 Practice #4 	MARCH 20	MARCH 21 Practice #5 	MARCH 22 PRO DAY 9 a.m. Nutter Field House	MARCH 23 Practice #6 
MARCH 24	MARCH 25	MARCH 26 Practice #7 	MARCH 27	MARCH 28 Practice #8 	MARCH 29	MARCH 30 Practice #9 
MARCH 31	APRIL 1	APRIL 2 Practice #10 	APRIL 3	APRIL 4 Practice #11 	APRIL 5	APRIL 6 Practice #12 
APRIL 7	APRIL 8	APRIL 9 Practice #13 	APRIL 10	APRIL 11 Practice #14 	APRIL 12 BLUE/WHITE SPRING GAME Kroger Field 6 p.m. ET SEC Network	APRIL 13



QUICK FACTS

KROGER FIELD

Capacity:	approx. 61,000
Kroger Field opened:	Sept. 15, 1973 (UK 31, Virginia Tech 26) Expanded in 1999 and remodeled in 2015 Renamed Kroger Field in 2017
Surface:	UBU Speed Series synthetic turf
Record at Kroger Field:	162-133-4 (54.9) (26-17 under Stoops)

HISTORY

First year of football:	1881 (Nov. 12)
All-time record:	616-621-44 (.498) 128 seasons
All-time SEC record:	175-382-12 (.314) (17-29 under Stoops)
National Championships:	1 (1950)
SEC Championships:	2 (1950, 1976)
Bowl appearances:	18 (last in 2018)
Bowl record:	9-9 (.500)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach:	Mark Stoops (Entering 7th season)
Assistant Coaches:	<p>Steve Clinkscale, defensive backs</p> <p>Eddie Gran, assistant head coach offense/ running backs</p> <p>Dean Hood, special teams coordinator, defensive backs</p> <p>Darin Hinshaw, co-offensive coordinator, QBs</p> <p>Derrick LeBlanc, defensive line</p> <p>Vince Marrow, tight ends, recruiting coord.</p> <p>John Schlarman, offensive line</p> <p>Michael Smith, wide receivers</p> <p>Jon Sumrall, inside linebackers</p> <p>Brad White, defensive coordinator, outside linebackers</p>

FOOTBALL SUPPORT STAFF

Quality Control:	<p>Josh Estes-Waugh, quality control</p> <p>Louie Matsakis, quality control</p> <p>Dillon Sanders, quality control</p> <p>Joe Scola, quality control</p> <p>Walt Wells, quality control</p>
Graduate Assistants:	<p>Courtney Love, defense</p> <p>Evan McKissack, offense</p> <p>Maxwell Smith, offense</p>
Director of Performance:	Corey Edmond
Director of Performance/Head Strength Coach:	Mark Hill
Assistant Strength Coaches:	<p>Deonte Mack</p> <p>Tyler Malone</p>
Director of Performance Science:	Chris Morris Tyler Lindon, graduate assistant
Registered Dietician:	<p>Monica Fowler MS, RD</p> <p>SJalyn Mason, MS, RD</p> <p>Nicole Bianco, RD</p> <p>Taylor Tuszyński</p>
Director of Football Operations:	Frank Buffano
Director of Recruiting Operations:	<p>Dan Berezowitz</p> <p>Jacob Noger, Creative Coordinator</p> <p>Ian Kalinowski, GA</p> <p>Chase Heuke, GA</p>
Director of Player Development:	Freddie Maggard
Director of Player Personnel:	Josh Pruitt
Director of Sports Medicine/Head Football	
Athletic Trainer:	Gabe Amponsah
Senior Athletic Trainer:	Alex Green
Asst. Athletic Trainer:	Thomas Kidd
Graduate Assistant Athletic Trainers:	Evan Griskowitz and Olivia Szallai
Equipment Manager:	Tom Kalinowski
Assistant Equipment Manager:	Allen Belcher
Director of Equipment Operations:	Jon Denio
Video Productions Coordinator:	Greg Gorham
Feature Editor/Producer:	Kirk Hanselmann
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Dir. of SEC Network Production Operations:	Michael Cappetto
Administrative Staff:	<p>Abby Stover</p> <p>Melissa Tomlinson</p> <p>Misty Conrad (athletic training)</p> <p>Kim Spencer (insurance coord.)</p>

TEAM INFORMATION

2018 Record:	10-3 overall, 5-3 (second) SEC Eastern Division
Basic Offense:	Spread
Basic Defense:	3-4, 4-3

PLAYERS RETURNING

Lettermen Returning:	45
19 offense, 19 defense (three specialists)	
Starters Returning:	10
4 offense, 4 defense (two specialists)	
Offensive Starters Returning:	4
LG Logan Stenberg, C Drake Jackson, WR Lynn Bowden, QB Terry Wilson	

Defensive Starters Returning:	4
DE Calvin Taylor, NG Quinton Bohanna, SLB Jamar "Boogie" Watson, MLB Kash Daniel	
Specialist Starters Returning:	2
SNAP Blake Best; P Max Duffy	

PLAYERS LOST

Lettermen Lost:	24
12 offense, 10 defense (two special teams)	
Starters Lost:	16
7 offense, 7 defense (two special teams)	
Offensive Starters Lost:	7
RT George Asafo-Adjei, WR Dorian Baker, TE C.J. Conrad, LT E.J. Price, RG Bunchy Stallings, RB Benny Snell Jr., WR Tavin Richardson	
Defensive Starters Lost:	7
LB Josh Allen, DT Adrian Middleton, WLB Jordan Jones, CB Derrick Baity, S Mike Edwards, FS Darius West CB, Lonnie Johnson	
Specialist Starters Lost	2
K Miles Bulter, SNAP Tristan Yeomans	

**2019 NUMERICAL ROSTER**

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl-Exp.	Hometown (High School/Previous College)
1	Lynn Bowden Jr.	WR	6-1	199	Jr-2L	Youngstown, Ohio (Warren Harding)
3*	Jordan Griffin	S	6-0	194	Sr-3L	Riverdale, Ga. (Jonesboro)
3*	Terry Wilson	QB	6-3	203	Jr-1L	Oklahoma City, Okla. (Garden City CC/Oregon/Del City)
4	Joshua Paschal	DL	6-3	284	Jr-2L	Olney, Md. (Our Lady of Good Counsel)
6	Jared Casey	OLB	6-1	232	Fr-HS	Louisville, Ky. (Ballard)
9	Davonte Robinson	S	6-2	197	Jr-2L	Lexington, Ky. (Henry Clay)
10	Asim "A.J." Rose	RB	6-1	210	Jr-2L	Cleveland, Ohio (Garfield Heights)
11	Moses Douglass	DB	6-2	204	Fr-HS	Springfield, Ohio (Springfield)
12*	Gunnar Hoak	QB	6-4	212	Jr-Sq	Dublin, Ohio (Dublin Coffman)
12*	Chance Poore	K	6-2	216	Fr-RS	Anderson, S.C. (Westside)
14	Ahmad Wagner	WR	6-5	234	Sr-1L	Huber Heights, Ohio (Iowa/Wayne)
15*	Kolbe Langhi	QB	6-4	235	So-Sq	Hopkinsville, Ky. (Christian County)
15*	Jordan Wright	OLB	6-5	242	So-1L	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Dillard)
17	Walker Wood	QB	6-0	189	So-Sq	Lexington, Ky. (Lafayette)
18	Clevan Thomas Jr.	WR	5-11	209	So-1L	Miami, Fla. (Charles W. Flanagan)
19	Akeem Hayes	WR	5-8	165	Fr-RS	Hollywood, Fla. (Chaminade-Madonna)
20	Kavosiey Smoke	RB	5-9	225	Fr-RS	Wetumpka, Ala. (Wetumpka)
21	Quandre Mosely	DB	6-2	180	Jr-JC	Brunswick, Ga. (Glynn Academy/Eastern Arizona CC)
22	Chris Oats	LB	6-3	227	So-1L	Cincinnati, Ohio (Winton Woods)
23	Tyrell Ajian	S	6-0	194	So-1L	Mansfield, Ohio (Madison Comprehensive)]
24	Christopher Rodriguez Jr.	RB	5-11	224	Fr-RS	McDonough, Ga. (Ola)
25	Brett Slusher	WR	6-2	193	Sr-1L	Fort Mitchell, Ky. (Beechwood)
26	Brandin Echols	DB	5-11	174	Jr-JC	Southaven, Miss. (Southaven/Northwest Mississippi CC)
27	Cedrick Dort Jr.	DB	5-11	176	So-1L	Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. (Dwyer)
28	Zach Johnson	S	5-10	187	Sr-2L	Cincinnati, Ohio (Colerain)
29*	Zac Berezowitz	S	5-11	164	So-Sq	Lexington, Ky. (Henry Clay)
29*	Yusuf Corker	S	6-0	192	So-1L	McDonough, Ga. (Woodland)
30*	Donald Smith	RB	5-6	173	Jr-Sq	Harrodsburg, Ky. (Mercer County)
30*	Taj Dodson	DB	6-1	190	Fr-HS	Union Grove, Ga. (Creekside)
31*	Darren Edmond	WR	5-11	185	So-Sq	Norman, Okla. (Paul Laurence Dunbar - KY)
31*	Jamar Watson	OLB	6-3	242	Jr-2L	Forestville, Md. (Bishop McNamara)
32*	Jamari Brown	DB	6-1	195	Fr-RS	Sunrise, Fla. (Blanche Ely)
32*	Tyler Markray	RB	5-10	214	Fr-RS	West Bloomfield, Mich. (Walled Lake Central)
35	John Daido	WR	6-5	174	Jr-Sq	Vienna, Va. (Oakton)
36	Patrick Henschen	TE	6-6	232	Jr-Sq	Newport, Ky. (Newport Central Catholic)
37*	Tyler Beisner	WR	5-9	152	So-Sq	Goshen, Ky. (North Oldham)
37*	Stanley Garner	CB	6-1	186	Fr-RS	Parkway, Fla. (Dillard)
38	William Nalty	LB	6-0	210	Jr-Sq	Metairie, La. (Metairie Park Country Day)
39	Elijah Barnett	OLB	6-3	236	Sr-Sq	Lexington, Ky. (Henry Clay)
40	Jackson High	LB	5-11	240	Jr-Sq	Union, Ky. (Ryle)
43	DeAndre Square	LB	6-1	204	So-1L	Detroit, Mich. (Cass Tech)
44	Jamin Davis	LB	6-4	224	So-1L	Ludowici, Ga. (Long County)
45*	Manny Harper	WR	5-8	170	So-Sq	Louisville, Ky. (Waggener)
45*	Jaylen Scott	DB	5-10	195	Jr-Sq	Clarksville, Tenn. (Kenwood/ASA College Miami)
46	Drew Schlegel	TE/FB	5-11	218	Sr-1L	Parker, Colo. (Regis Jesuit)
47	Harold Lacy	LB	6-2	243	So-Tr	Memphis, Tenn. (Middle Tennessee/Cordova)
48	Tra Wilkins	LB	6-0d	215	Fr-HS	Stone Mountain, Ga. (Stephenson)
49	Shawn Lawson	DE	6-3	214	So-Sq	Jonesboro, Ga. (Jonesboro)
50	Marquan McCall	DL	6-3	376	Fr-1L	Detroit, Mich. (Oak Park)
52	Drake Jackson	C	6-2	313	Jr-2L	Versailles, Ky. (Woodford County)
53	Blake Best	LS	6-1	215	Sr-3L	Duluth, Ga. (Peachtree Ridge)



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55	Davoan Hawkins	DL	6-2	286	Fr-RS	Lauderhill, Fla. (Chaminade-Madonna)
56	Kash Daniel	LB	6-1	221	Sr-3L	Paintsville, Ky. (Paintsville)
58	Alex King	OLB	6-3	249	So-1L	Mason, Ohio (William Mason)
59	Kordell Looney	DT	6-3	297	Jr-2L	Springfield, Ohio (Springfield)
60	Quintin Wilson	C	6-1	291	Fr-RS	Cincinnati, Ohio (Turpin)
61	Austin Dotson	OT	6-6	331	So-1L	Belfry, Ky. (Belfry)
62	Tyler Couch	OL	6-1	276	So-Sq	Paintsville, Ky. (Paintsville)
66	Naasir Watkins	OL	6-5	310	So-1L	Laurel, Md. (Our Lady of Good Counsel)
67	Landon Young	OT	6-7	324	Jr-2L	Lexington, Ky. (Lafayette)
68	Kenneth Horsey	OL	6-3	307	Fr-RS	Sanford, Fla. (Sanford Seminole)
69	Collin Hartmann	DE	6-4	288	So-Sq	Somerset, Ky. (Somerset)
70	Darian Kinnard	OL	6-5	324	So-1L	Knoxville, Tenn. (St. Ignatius - Ohio)
71	Logan Stenberg	OG	6-6	322	Sr-3L	Madison, Ala. (James Clemens)
73	Matthew Napier	OT	6-6	334	So-Sq	Nicholasville, Ky. (East Jessamine)
75	Eli Cox	OL	6-4	300	Fr-HS	Nicholasville, Ky. (West Jessamine)
77	Mason Wolfe	OT	6-6	323	Sr-2L	Henderson, Ky. (Henderson County)
78	Nick Lewis	OT	6-9	367	Fr-RS	Jacksonville, Fla. (The Bolles School)
79	Luke Fortner	OT	6-6	304	Jr-2L	Sylvania, Ohio (Sylvania Northview)
80	Brenden Bates	TE	6-4	250	So-Sq	Cincinnati, Ohio (Archbishop Moeller)
81	Isaiah Epps	WR	6-2	187	Jr-2L	Jenks, Okla. (Jenks)
82	Josh Ali	WR	6-0	188	Jr-2L	Hollywood, Fla. (Chaminade-Madonna)
83	Justin Rigg	TE	6-6	263	So-1L	Springboro, Ohio (Springboro)
84	B.J. Alexander	WR	6-3	189	Fr-RS	Miami Gardens, Fla. (Chaminade-Madonna)
85	Bryce Oliver	WR	6-1	211	Fr-RS	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Dillard)
86*	DeMarcus Harris	WR	6-0	173	Fr-HS	Vero Beach, Fla. (Vero Beach)
86*	Grant McKinniss	P	6-1	204	Sr-2L	Findlay, Ohio (Findlay)
88	Keaton Upshaw	TE	6-5	244	Fr-RS	Lima, Ohio (Lima Senior)
89	Allen Dailey Jr.	WR	6-3	206	So-1L	Pinson, Ala. (Pinson Valley)
90	T.J. Carter	DE	6-4	289	Sr-3L	Mableton, Ga. (Whitefield Academy)
91	Calvin Taylor Jr.	DE	6-9	310	Sr-2L	Augusta, Ga. (Augusta Christian)
92	Phil Hoskins	DL	6-5	306	Sr-2L	Toledo, Ohio (Highland CC/Whitmer)
93*	Max Duffy	P	6-1	186	Jr-1L	Perth, Australia (Curtin Univ./Kent Street)
93*	Jerquavion Mahone	DL	6-3	308	Fr-RS	Jordan City, Ga. (Manchester)
94*	Colin Goodfellow	P	6-2	218	Jr-Sq	Cleveland, Ohio (St. Ignatius)
94*	Abule Abadi-Fitzgerald	DT	6-6	292	So-Sq	Lakeland, Fla. (Victory Christian Academy)
95	Quinton Bohanna	NG	6-4	361	Jr-2L	Cordova, Tenn. (Cordova)
96*	Matt Ruffolo	K	5-11	216	Jr-Sq	Centerville, Ohio (Archbishop Alter)
96*	Isaiah Gibson	DL	6-3	300	Fr-HS	Springfield, Ohio (Springfield)

NOTES: * denotes duplicate numbers ... Class is eligibility for 2019 season ... #L = number of letters earned ... Tr = transfer from a four-year school ... JC = junior college ... Sq = squad member who has not earned a varsity letter ... RS = redshirt ... HS = high school

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Abule (ah-BOO-lay) Abadi (ah-BODY) Fitzgerald
 Tyrell Ajian (a-jun)
 Zac Berezowitz: Berezowitz (BREZ-o-wits)
 Lynn Bowden (BO-den – long “o sound”)
 Yusuf (YOU-suf) Corker
 Jamin (JAY-min) Davis

John Daido (DAY-doe)
 Taj Dodon - same as “Taj Mahal”
 Patrick Henschen (HEN-chen)
 Jerquavion (jer-QUAY-vee-on) Mahone
 Quandre Mosely – “QUAN-dray”
 Kavosiey (kah-VAH-see-ay) Smoke

Drew Schlegel (SHLAY-gul)
 Clevan (clee-VAN – like the van you drive) Thomas
 Naasir (nah-SEER) Watkins
 Tra Wilkins – “trey”

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68	Kenneth Horsey	OL	6-3	307	Fr-RS	Sanford, Fla. (Sanford Seminole)
92	Phil Hoskins	DL	6-5	306	Sr-2L	Toledo, Ohio (Highland CC/Whitmer)
52	Drake Jackson	C	6-2	313	Jr-2L	Versailles, Ky. (Woodford County)
28	Zach Johnson	S	5-10	187	Sr-2L	Cincinnati, Ohio (Colerain)
58	Alex King	OLB	6-3	249	So-1L	Mason, Ohio (William Mason)
70	Darian Kinnard	OL	6-5	324	So-1L	Knoxville, Tenn. (St. Ignatius - Ohio)
47	Harold Lacy	LB	6-2	243	So-Tr	Memphis, Tenn. (Middle Tennessee/Cordova)
15*	Kolbe Langhi	QB	6-4	235	So-Sq	Hopkinsville, Ky. (Christian County)



No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl-Exp.	Hometown (High School/Previous College)
49	Shawn Lawson	DE	6-3	214	So-Sq	Jonesboro, Ga. (Jonesboro)
78	Nick Lewis	OT	6-9	367	Fr-RS	Jacksonville, Fla. (The Bolles School)
59	Kordell Looney	DT	6-3	297	Jr-2L	Springfield, Ohio (Springfield)
93*	Jerquavion Mahone	DL	6-3	308	Fr-RS	Jordan City, Ga. (Manchester)
32*	Tyler Markray	RB	5-10	214	Fr-RS	West Bloomfield, Mich. (Walled Lake Central)
50	Marquan McCall	DL	6-3	376	Fr-1L	Detroit, Mich. (Oak Park)
86*	Grant McKinniss	P	6-1	204	Sr-2L	Findlay, Ohio (Findlay)
21	Quandre Mosely	DB	6-2	180	Jr-JC	Brunswick, Ga. (Glynn Academy/Eastern Arizona CC)
38	William Nalty	LB	6-0	210	Jr-Sq	Metairie, La. (Metairie Park Country Day)
73	Matthew Napier	OT	6-6	334	So-Sq	Nicholasville, Ky. (East Jessamine)
22	Chris Oats	LB	6-3	227	So-1L	Cincinnati, Ohio (Winton Woods)
85	Bryce Oliver	WR	6-1	211	Fr-RS	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Dillard)
4	Joshua Paschal	DL	6-3	284	Jr-2L	Olney, Md. (Our Lady of Good Counsel)
12*	Chance Poore	K	6-2	216	Fr-RS	Anderson, S.C. (Westside)
83	Justin Rigg	TE	6-6	263	So-1L	Springboro, Ohio (Springboro)
9	Davonte Robinson	S	6-2	197	Jr-2L	Lexington, Ky. (Henry Clay)
24	Christopher Rodriguez Jr.	RB	5-11	224	Fr-RS	McDonough, Ga. (Ola)
10	Asim "A.J." Rose	RB	6-1	210	Jr-2L	Cleveland, Ohio (Garfield Heights)
96*	Matt Ruffolo	K	5-11	216	Jr-Sq	Centerville, Ohio (Archbishop Alter)
46	Drew Schlegel	TE/FB	5-11	218	Sr-1L	Parker, Colo. (Regis Jesuit)
45*	Jaylen Scott	DB	5-10	195	Jr-Sq	Clarksville, Tenn. (Kenwood/ASA College Miami)
25	Brett Slusher	WR	6-2	193	Sr-1L	Fort Mitchell, Ky. (Beechwood)
30*	Donald Smith	RB	5-6	173	Jr-Sq	Harrodsburg, Ky. (Mercer County)
20	Kavosiey Smoke	RB	5-9	225	Fr-RS	Wetumpka, Ala. (Wetumpka)
43	DeAndre Square	LB	6-1	204	So-1L	Detroit, Mich. (Cass Tech)
71	Logan Stenberg	OG	6-6	322	Sr-3L	Madison, Ala. (James Clemens)
91	Calvin Taylor Jr.	DE	6-9	310	Sr-2L	Augusta, Ga. (Augusta Christian)
18	Clevan Thomas Jr.	WR	5-11	209	So-1L	Miami, Fla. (Charles W. Flanagan)
88	Keaton Upshaw	TE	6-5	244	Fr-RS	Lima, Ohio (Lima Senior)
14	Ahmad Wagner	WR	6-5	234	Sr-1L	Huber Heights, Ohio (Iowa/Wayne)
66	Naasir Watkins	OL	6-5	310	So-1L	Laurel, Md. (Our Lady of Good Counsel)
31*	Jamar Watson	OLB	6-3	242	Jr-2L	Forestville, Md. (Bishop McNamara)
48	Tra Wilkins	LB	6-0d	215	Fr-HS	Stone Mountain, Ga. (Stephenson)
3*	Terry Wilson	QB	6-3	203	Jr-1L	Oklahoma City, Okla. (Garden City CC/Oregon/Del City)
60	Quintin Wilson	C	6-1	291	Fr-RS	Cincinnati, Ohio (Turpin)
77	Mason Wolfe	OT	6-6	323	Sr-2L	Henderson, Ky. (Henderson County)
17	Walker Wood	QB	6-0	189	So-Sq	Lexington, Ky. (Lafayette)
15*	Jordan Wright	OLB	6-5	242	So-1L	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Dillard)
67	Landon Young	OT	6-7	324	Jr-2L	Lexington, Ky. (Lafayette)

NOTES: * denotes duplicate numbers ... Class is eligibility for 2018 season ... #L = number of letters earned ... Tr = transfer from a four-year school ... JC = junior college ... Sq = squad member who has not earned a varsity letter ... RS = redshirt ... HS = high school

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Abule (ah-BOO-lay) Abadi (ah-BODY) Fitzgerald
 Tyrell Ajian (a-jun)
 Zac Berezowitz: Berezowitz (BREZ-o-wits)
 Lynn Bowden (BO-den – long “o sound”)
 Yusuf (YOU-suf) Corker
 Jamin (JAY-min) Davis

John Daido (DAY-doe)
 Taj Dodon - same as “Taj Mahal”
 Patrick Henschen (HEN-chen)
 Jerquavion (jer-QUAY-vee-on) Mahone
 Quandre Mosely – “QUAN-dray”
 Kavosiey (kah-VAH-see-ay) Smoke

Drew Schlegel (SHLAY-gul)
 Clevan (clee-VAN – like the van you drive) Thomas
 Naasir (nah-SEER) Watkins
 Tra Wilkins – “trey”

**OFFENSIVE PLAYERS BY POSITION**(Note: this is not a depth chart, it is an alphabetical list of players by position; 2018 starters in **bold**)**QUARTERBACKS**

RETURNING (4)	NOTES
Gunnar Hoak, QB, 6-4, 212, Jr-Sq	13-26-1 for 167 yards and 2 TDs in five games
Kolbe Langhi, 6-4, 235, So-Sq	
Terry Wilson, QB, 6-3, 203, Jr-1L	180-268-8 for 1,889 yards and 11 TDs; Team's leading returning rusher with 547 yards on 135 carries, 4 TDs in 13 games
Walker Wood, QB, 6-0, 189, So-Sq	

SPRING ADDITIONS (0)**LETTERMEN LOST (0)****RUNNING BACKS**

RETURNING (5)	NOTES
Tyler Markray, 5-10, 224, Fr-RS	
Christopher Rodriguez, 5-11, 224, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018
Asim "A.J." Rose, 6-1, 210, Jr-2L	Team's third-leading rusher, 442 yards on 71 carries with five TDs in '18; Played in all 13 games
Kavosiey Smoke, 5-9, 225, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018
Donald Smith, 5-6, 173, Jr-Sq	

SPRING ADDITIONS (0)**LETTERMEN LOST (2)**

Sihiem King, 5-9, 172, Sr-3L	12 carries for 58 yards in '18
Benny Snell Jr., 5-11, 223, Jr-3L	UK's all-time leading rusher; 289 carries for 1,449 yards, 16 TDs in 13 starts in '18

WIDE RECEIVERS

RETURNING (15)	NOTES
B.J. Alexander, 6-3, 189, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018
Josh Ali, 6-0, 188, Jr-2L	10 receptions for 115 yards, 1 TD
Tyler Beisner, 5-9, 152, So-Sq	
Lynn Bowden Jr., 6-1, 199, Jr-2L	Team's leading receiver from '18, 67 receptions for 745 yards, 5 TDs
John Daido, 6-5, 174, Jr-Sq	
Allen Dailey, 6-3, 206, So-1L	2 receptions for 38 yards, 1 TD
Darren Edmond, 5-11, 185, So-Sq	
Isaiah Epps, 6-2, 187, Jr-2L	8 receptions for 76 yards
Manny Harper, 5-8, 170, So-Sq	
Akeem Hayes, 5-8, 165, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018
Bryce Oliver, 6-1, 211, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018
Brett Slusher, 6-2, 193, Sr-1L	Saw action in 10 games
Clevan Thomas Jr., 5-11, 209, Fr-RS	1 reception for 4 yards
Ahmad Wagner, 6-5, 234, Sr, 1L	Saw action in 11 games

SPRING ADDITIONS (1)

DeMarcus Harris, 6-1, 173, Fr-HS	Mid-year enrollee
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LETTERMEN LOST (3)

Dorian Baker, 6-3, 208, Sr-4L	13 receptions for 133 yards in '18
David Bouvier, 5-9, 168, Sr-1L	16 receptions for 209 yards, 2 TDs
Tavin Richardson, 6-3, 207, Jr-3L	13 receptions for 114 yards

TIGHT ENDS

RETURNING (5)	NOTES
Brenden Bates, 6-4, 250, So-Sq	
Patrick Henschen, 6-6, 228, Jr-Sq	
Justin Rigg, 6-6, 263, So-1L	4 receptions for 45 yards in '18
Drew Schlegel, 5-11, 218, Sr-1L	Saw action in 11 games
Keaton Upshaw, 6-5, 244, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018

SPRING ADDITIONS (0)**LETTERMEN LOST (1)**

C.J. Conrad, 6-5, 252, Sr-4L	30 receptions for 745 yards, 5 TDs
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OFFENSIVE TACKLES

RETURNING (5)	NOTES
Darian Kinnard, 6-5, 324, So-1L	Saw action in nine games in '18
Nick Lewis, 6-9, 365, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018
Matthew Napier, 6-6, 334, So-Sq	
Naasir Watkins, 6-5, 310, So-1L	Saw action in 11 games in '18
Landon Young, 6-7, 324, Jr-2L	Missed the '18 season due to a knee injury; Had nine starts in '17

SPRING ADDITIONS (0)**LETTERMEN LOST (2)**

George Asafo-Adjei, 6-5, 315, Sr-4L	Started in 12 games at RT in '18
E.J. Price, 6-6, 305, So-TR	Started in 11 games at LT in '18

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RETURNING (5)	NOTES
Austin Dotson, 6-6, 331, So-1L	Saw action in seven games
Luke Fortner, 6-6, 304, Jr-2L	Played in 11 of 13 games
Kenneth Horsey, 6-3, 307, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018
Logan Stenberg, 6-6, 322, Sr-3L	Has 26 consecutive starts at LG
Mason Wolfe, 6-6, 323, Sr-2L	Saw action in 11 games in '18

SPRING ADDITIONS (1)

Eli Cox, 6-4, 300, Fr-HS	Mid-year enrollee
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LETTERMEN LOST (1)

Bunchy Stallings, 6-3, 305, Sr-2L	Started in four games at center and the final eight games at RG
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CENTERS

RETURNING (2)	NOTES
Tyler Couch, 6-1, 276, So-Sq	
Drake Jackson, 6-2, 313, Jr-2L	Has 20 consecutive starts at center
Quintin Wilson, 6-1, 291, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018

SPRING ADDITIONS (0)**LETTERMEN LOST (1)**

Bunchy Stallings, 6-3, 305, Sr-3L	All-American; Played in 41 career games with 26 starting assignments
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KICKERS

RETURNING (2)	NOTES
Chance Poore, 6-2, 216, Fr-RS	Redshirted the 2018 season
Matt Ruffolo, 5-11, 216, Jr-Sq	

LETTERMEN LOST (1)

Miles Butler, 5-9, 165, Sr-2L	Hit 7-of-11 FGs and 43-43 PATs in '18
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PUNTERS

RETURNING (1)	NOTES
Collin Goodfellow, 6-2, 218, Jr-Sq	
Max Duffy, 6-1, 186, So-TR	Australian punter who is rated as the No. 1 punting prospect in the class of 2018 by Ray Guy's ProKicker.com
Grant McKinniss, 6-1, 204, Jr-1L	Avg. 39.2 yds per punt in 2016, 10 i20, 4 punts over 50+ yards

SPRING ADDITIONS (0)**LETTERMEN LOST (0)****LONG SNAPPERS**

RETURNING (1)	NOTES
Blake Best, 6-1, 215, Sr-3L	Snapper for FGs and PATs

LETTERMEN LOST (1)

Tristan Yeomans, 6-2, 208, Sr-3L	
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DEFENSIVE PLAYERS BY POSITION

(Note: this is not a depth chart, it is an alphabetical list of players by position; 2018 starters in **bold**)

DEFENSIVE LINE

RETURNING (11)	NOTES
Abule Abadi-Fitzgerald, 6-6, 292, So-Sq	
Quinton Bohanna, 6-4, 361, Jr-2L	17 tackles, 4.0 TFL, 1.0 sacks, 1 FF, 1 FR in 12 games, seven starts
T.J. Carter, 6-4, 289, Jr-2L	16 tackles, 2.5 TFL, 1.0 sacks, 3 BPU, 4 QBH in 13 games with four starts
Collin Hartmann, 6-4, 288, So-Sq	
Davoan Hawkins, 6-2, 286, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018
Phil Hoskins, 6-5, 306, Sr-2L	21 tackles, 3.5 TFL, 3.0 sacks, 1 QBH, 1 FF in 13 games
Kordell Looney, 6-3, 297, Jr-2L	15 tackles, 1.0 TFL, 2 QBH, 1 PBU in 13 games
Marquan McCall, 6-3, 376, Fr-1L	Saw action in eight games; 5 tckls
Jerquavion Mahone, 6-3, 301, Fr-RS	Redshirt in 2018
Josh Paschal, 6-3, 284, Jr-2L	3 tackles, 1.0 TFL in three games; missed most of the season after being diagnosed with melanoma on the bottom of his right foot
Calvin Taylor Jr., 6-9, 310, Sr-2L	26 tackles, 6.0 TFL, 1.0 sacks, 1 PBU, 1 FR; Played in 13 games with nine starts

SPRING ADDITIONS (1)

Isaiah Gibson, 6-4, 300, Fr-HS Mid-year enrollee

LETTERMEN LOST (2)

Tymere Dubose, 6-5, 315, Sr-4L	13 tackles, 1.5 TFL, 2 QBH in 12 games played
Adrian Middleton, 6-3, 298, Sr-4L	10 tackles, 3.5 TFL, 2.0 sacks in 13 starts

OUTSIDE LINEBACKERS

RETURNING (5)	NOTES
Elijah Barnett, 6-3, 236, Sr-Sq	
Jamar "Boogie" Watson, 6-3, 242, Jr-2L	24 tackles, 5.0 TFL, 5.0 sacks, 3 PBU, 2 QBH, 1 FF in 12 games with seven starts
Alex King, 6-3, 249, So-1L	Played in nine games
Shawn Lawson, 6-3, 214, So-Sq	
Jordan Wright, 6-5, 242, So-1L	4 tackles, 1 PBU, 2 QBH in nine games

SPRING ADDITIONS (2)

Jared Casey, 6-3, 232, Fr-HS	Mid-year enrollee
Marquez Bembry, 6-3, 217, So-JC	Transfer from Jones County CC, 36 tackles in '18

LETTERMEN LOST (1)

Josh Allen, 6-5, 260, Sr-4L	UK's all-time sacks leader; Led UK with 88 tackls, 21.5 TFL, 17.0 sacks, 7 QBH, 5 FF, 4 PBU, 1 Blocked kick
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INSIDE LINEBACKERS

RETURNING (7)	NOTES
Kash Daniel, 6-1, 221, Sr-3L	Leading returning tackler; 84 tackles, 7.5 TFL, 1.0 sacks, five QBH, 1 BPU in 13 games with 12 starts
Jamin Davis, 6-4, 224, So-1L	10 tackles, 1 INT, 1 PBU in 13 games
Jackson High, 5-11, 240, So-Sq	
Harold Lacy, 6-2, 243, So-Tr	
William Nalty, 6-0, 210, Jr-Sq	
Chris Oats, 6-3, 227, So-1L	27 tackles, 3.0 TFL, 2.0 sacks, 2 FR, 1 FF in 13 games with one start

DeAndre Square, 6-1, 204, So-1L 35 tackles, 3.5 TFL, 1.0 sacks, 3 QBH, 1 PBU, 1 FF in 13 games with one start

SPRING ADDITIONS (1)

Tra Wilkins, 6-0, 215, Fr-HS Mid-year enrollee

LETTERMEN LOST (1)

Jordan Jones, 6-2, 218, Sr-4L **68 tackles, 5.5 TFL, 1.5 sacks, 4 PBU, 2 QBH, 1 FF, 1 FR in 12 games played**

CORNERBACKS

RETURNING (3)	NOTES
Cedrick Dort Jr., 5-11, 181, So-1L	Redshirted in 2018
Stanley Garner, 6-2, 186, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018
Jamari Brown, 6-1, 195, Fr-RS	Redshirted in 2018

SPRING ADDITIONS (3)

Quandre Mosley, 6-2, 185, Jr-JC	Transfer from Eastern Arizona CC; 50 tackles, 6 INT, 1 FR
Brandin Echols, 6-0, 174, Jr-JC	Transfer from Northwest Mississippi CC, 48 tackles, 12 PBU in '18
Taj Dodson, 6-2, 190, Fr-HS	Mid-year enrollee

LETTERMEN LOST (4)

Derrick Baity, 6-3, 188, Sr-4L	38 tackles, 2.5 TFL, team-high 7 PBU, 1 INT, 1 QBH, 1 FF in 13 games with 12 starts
Lonnie Johnson, 6-3, 206, Sr-2L	23 tackles, 4 PBU, 1 INT, 1 FF in 13 starts
Michael Nesbitt, 6-0, 196, Fr-RS	3 tackles in 10 games
Chris Westry, 6-4, 197, Sr-4L	34 tackles, 0.5 TFL, 2 PBU, 1 FF

SAFETIES

RETURNING (5)	NOTES
Tyrell Aijan, 6-0, 194, So-1L	10 tackles, 1 INT, 3 PBU in 13 games
Zac Berezowitz, 5-11, 164, So-Sq	Switched from WR to safety
Yusuf Corker, 6-0, 192, So-1L	8 tackles in 13 games
Jordan Griffin, 6-0, 194, Jr-2L	Can also play the nickel position; 13 tackles, 3 PBU in 12 games with four starts
Zach Johnson, 5-10, 187, Sr-2L	Moved from RB to safety; Former walk-on who earned a scholarship prior to the '18 season
Davonte Robinson, 6-2, 197, Jr-2L	Can also play the nickel position; Leading returning tackler at the safety position; 42 tackles 3.0 TFL, 4 PBU, 2 FR in 13 games with three starts
Jaylen Scott, 5-10, 195, Jr-Sq	

SPRING ADDITIONS (1)

Moses Douglass, 6-2, 204, Fr-HS Mid-year enrollee

LETTERMEN LOST (2)

Mike Edwards, 6-0, 201, Sr-4L	Team's fourth-leading tackler in '18, 82 tackles, 9.0 TFL, 6 PBU, 2 INT, 1 QBH, 1 FF, 1 FR in 13 starts
Darius West, 6-0, 210, Sr-4L	Team's second-leading tackler in '18; 86 tackles, 1.0 TFL, 3 INT, 6 PBU, 1 FR, 1 blocked kick in 13 games with 12 starts



POSITIONAL BREAKDOWN

RETURNING LETTERMEN (45)

OFFENSE (19)

QUARTERBACKS (1)

Terry Wilson

RUNNING BACKS (1)

Asim "A.J." Rose

WIDE RECEIVERS (7)

Josh Ali
Lynn Bowden Jr.
Allen Dailey
Isaiah Epps
Brett Slusher
Clevan Thomas Jr.
Ahmad Wagner

TIGHT ENDS (2)

Justin Rigg
Drew Schlegel

OFFENSIVE LINEMEN (8)

Austin Dotson
Luke Fortner
Drake Jackson
Darian Kinnard
Logan Stenberg
Naasir Watkins
Mason Wolfe
Landon Young

DEFENSE (19)

DEFENSIVE LINEMEN (7)

Quinton Bohanna
T.J. Carter
Phil Hoskins
Kordell Looney
Marquan McCall
Josh Paschal
Calvin Taylor Jr.

OUTSIDE LINEBACKERS (3)

Alex King
Jamar "Boogie" Watson
Jordan Wright

INSIDE LINEBACKERS (4)

Kash Daniel
Jamin Davis
Chris Oats
DeAndre Square

CORNERBACKS (2)

Tyrel Aijan
Cedrick Dort Jr.

SAFETIES (2)

Jordan Griffin
Davonte Robinson

SPECIAL TEAMS (3)

SPECIALISTS (3)

Blake Best (SNAP)
Max Duffy (P)
Grant McKinnis (P)

LOST LETTERMEN (24)

OFFENSE (12)

George Asafo-Adjei (OT)
Dorian Baker (WR)
Brayden Berezowitz (WR)
Bryan Berezowitz (WR)
David Bouvier (WR)
C.J. Conrad (TE)
Zy'Aire Hughes (WR)
Sihiem King (RB)
E.J. Price (OL)
Tavin Richardson (WR)
Benny Snell Jr. (RB)
Bunchy Stallings (OG)

DEFENSE (10)

Josh Allen (LB)
Derrick Baity (DB)
Kengera Daniel (LB)
Tymere Dubose (DT)
Mike Edwards (S)
Lonnie Johnson Jr. (DB)
Jordan Jones (LB)
Adrian Middleton (DT)
Darius West (S)
Chris Westry (DB)

SPECIALISTS (2)

Miles Butler (K)
Tristian Yoemans (SNAP)

RETURNING STARTERS (19)

OFFENSE (4)

Logan Stenberg (LG)

Drake Jackson (C)
Lynn Bowden Jr. (WR)
Terry Wilson (QB)

DEFENSE (4)

Calvin Taylor (DE)
Quinton Bohanna (NG)
Jamar "Boogie" Watson (SLB)
Kash Daniel (MLB)

SPECIALISTS (2)

Blake Best (SNAP)
Max Duffy (P)

LOST STARTERS (16)

OFFENSE (7)

George Asafo-Adjei (RT)
Dorian Baker (WR)
C.J. Conrad (TE)
E.J. Price (LT)
Bunchy Stallings (RG)
Benny Snell Jr. (RB)
Tavin Richardson (WR)

DEFENSE (7)

Josh Allen (LB)
Adrian Middleton (DT)
Jordan Jones (WLB)
Derrick Baity (CB)
Mike Edwards (S)
Darius West (FS)
Lonnie Johnson (CB)

SPECIALISTS (2)

Miles Bulter (K)
Tristan Yeomans (SNAP)





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No. 1, Mark Stoops, Kentucky

Kentucky might have gone bowling last year [2017], but absolutely no one outside of the biggest blue die-hards could've seen what was coming ... Stoops put together a masterpiece. Ten wins, a victory over Florida for the first time since 1986, a 46-point blowout over Louisville, and a Citrus Bowl win over Penn State – it was a special coaching job.

So wrote Pete Fiutak of CollegeFootballNews.com, who put Mark Stoops atop his list of the nation's best coaching performances of the 2018 season.

Early on, one could sense that the '18 campaign could be special when Stoops' troops won at Florida -- the Wildcats' first victory over the Gators in 32 years -- resulting in UK being named the National Team of the Week by the Football Writers Association of America.

Kentucky went on to win five Southeastern Conference games, including a 28-7 win over No. 14-ranked Mississippi State and a miraculous comeback at Missouri, as Stoops posted UK's first winning SEC record in 41 years.

The regular season concluded with a 56-10 win at in-state rival Louisville, the largest margin of victory in the history of the Governor's Cup series.

A season that featured five victories considered upsets by the experts was fittingly finished with the finale -- a 27-24 triumph over favored, No. 12-ranked Penn State in the VRBO Citrus Bowl.

All totaled, the 10-3 record was Kentucky's best season in 41 years and only the third 10-win season in school history. UK was No. 11 in the final USA Today coaches' poll and No. 12 in the final Associated Press tabulation, the school's first appearance in the final rankings since 1984.

Stoops was well-recognized for Kentucky's breakthrough season. In addition to the No. 1 listing from CollegeFootballNews.com, he was named SEC Coach of the Year by the league coaches, Athlon Sports and The Associated Press. His name also appeared on watch lists for National Coach of the Year honors.

Stoops' individual accolades also extended to his players. Linebacker Josh Allen earned three National Defensive Player of the Year Awards and was a unanimous first-team All-American.



STOOPS AND CO. MAKING A HIT IN RECRUITING

In six seasons at the helm of the Kentucky football program, head coach Mark Stoops and his staff have been making noise on the recruiting trail. Kentucky's six classes under Stoops have ranked in the top 50 by all four major recruiting services. Below is a look at UK's recruiting success under Stoops and Co.

Outlet	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Rivals	#29	#17	#35	#29	#26	#30	#30
ESPN	#36	#20	#43	#34	#30	#36	#36
247Sports	#41	#23	#38	#34	#29	#38	#34
Scout.com	#38	#21	#45	#39	#35	#44	#34

Offensive guard Bunchy Stallings also was a first-team All-American and running back Benny Snell earned second-team All-America while becoming UK's all-time leading rusher.

The 2018 season continued a remarkable trend – since Stoops took over as coach of the Cats in 2013, UK is the only school in the nation that has tied or improved its win total in each of the last six seasons.

That steady progression has culminated in multiple achievements:

- From 2016-18, UK won at least seven games and finished at least .500 in the Southeastern Conference each season. It's the first time UK won seven games and finished at least .500 in the league in three consecutive seasons since 1949-51.
- The Wildcats placed second in the SEC Eastern Division in 2016 and 2018, the team's best finishes since the league split into divisions in 1992.
- UK's 2016-17-18 bowl appearances are only the third time in school history that the Cats have advanced to a bowl in at least three consecutive seasons.
- UK won three road games in both 2017 and '18. It's the first time UK has won three road games in back-to-back seasons since 1949-50.

How has Stoops accomplished all of this? The coach would tell you that there's been nothing magical about the process.

True to his blue-collar roots in Youngstown, Ohio, the methodical advancement made by Stoops' teams is a reflection of the coach's rock-steady work ethic, tireless recruiting, and ability to adapt.

Stoops' ability to adjust when necessary shone its brightest at the beginning of the 2016 season. After losing the first two games of the schedule, and seeing his starting quarterback out for the season with an injury, and seeing his defense struggle in the early stages, Stoops didn't retreat. The Wildcat

coach chose determination over despair and went back to work, revising the offense for a new QB while becoming more involved in helping coach the defense.

The results? The Wildcats went 7-3 in the last 10 regular-season games, topped by a win at No. 11-ranked Louisville. Stoops was named 2016 SEC Coach of the Year runner-up by Athlon Sports. That was the beginning of a turnaround which resulted in three straight bowl games and culminated in the VRBO Citrus Bowl victory – representing UK's first New Year's Day bowl game in 20 years.

Stoops came to Kentucky from Florida State, where he was defensive coordinator from 2010-12. He inherited a unit a unit ranked 108th in the nation in total defense and turned it into one of the nation's best. In the 2012 season, the Seminoles were second in the nation in total defense, allowing 254.1 yards per game, and sixth nationally in scoring defense at 14.7 points per game. Playing well against the run and the pass, FSU was third in the country in rushing defense and led the nation in pass defense. FSU led the ACC in seven defensive categories. Stoops also coached the defensive backs under head coach Jimbo Fisher.

Eight Seminoles on defense earned 2012 All-ACC honors, including four first-team selections, highlighted by one of the nation's top defensive end duos in Bjoern Werner and Corneliuss Carradine, who combined for 24 sacks and 31 tackles for loss. Werner was a finalist for the 2012 Bronko Nagurski Award as the National Defensive Player of the Year and was among the national leaders in sacks with 13. Stoops also coached cornerback Ronald Darby to ACC Defensive Rookie of the Year.

The Seminoles' prowess was a continuation of the 2011 season, when Stoops' defenders led the nation in fewest yards allowed per carry (2.3), ranked fourth in the nation in total defense (275 yards per game),

second in rushing defense (82.7 ypg), fourth in scoring defense (15.1 points per game), and eighth in tackles for loss (8.6 per game) and quarterback sacks (3.1 per game). FSU led the ACC in eight defensive categories.

Stoops overhauled the Florida State defense in 2010, his first season as defensive coordinator. The Seminoles gave up 19.6 points per game, third-best in the ACC and 20th nationally. FSU ranked 42nd nationally in total defense that season; in contrast, the team was 108th nationally in total defense and 94th in scoring defense in 2009, the year before Stoops' arrival. FSU improved its overall defense by more than 80 yards per game, primarily by limiting opponents to 75 fewer rushing yards per game. The Seminoles ranked third in the nation in quarterback sacks and were 21st in tackles for loss. In the secondary, Stoops coached Xavier Rhodes to ACC Defensive Rookie of the Year honors and National Defensive Freshman of the Year accolades.

During Stoops' three seasons, FSU went 10-4, 9-4 and 12-2, including wins over South Carolina in the 2010 Chick-fil-A Bowl, Notre Dame in the 2011 Champs Sports Bowl and Northern Illinois in the 2013 Orange Bowl.

Stoops was defensive coordinator and DBs coach at Arizona from 2004-09, working for his brother, Mike, who was head coach of the Wildcats. During Mark's time there, Arizona's records improved steadily, going 3-8, 3-8, 6-6, 5-7, 8-5 and 8-5. The Wildcats advanced to the Las Vegas Bowl and Holiday Bowl during the last two years. Mark and Mike are also brothers of Bob Stoops, who retired in 2017 after 18 years as the Oklahoma head coach. The eldest Stoops brother, Ron Jr., is special teams coordinator at Youngstown State.

Stoops inherited an Arizona unit that was 109th in the nation in total defense and 107th in scoring defense in 2003, the year



before he arrived. By the end of his term at Arizona, the Wildcats ranked in the nation's top 25 in total defense his final two seasons and ranked as high as 33rd in scoring defense.

Prior to Arizona, Stoops coached the defensive backs three years at Miami (Fla.). The 2001 national champion Hurricanes led the nation in pass efficiency defense, scoring defense and turnover margin. That team also established a school record with 27 interceptions and 45 total takeaways.

Stoops' 2002 secondary led the nation in pass defense and pass efficiency defense. Despite having to replace all four starters in the defensive backfield, the 2003 team led the nation in pass defense. In his three seasons, Miami went 35-3, including the 12-0 Rose Bowl title campaign, plus appearances in the Fiesta and Orange bowls. Ten Miami defensive backs who played at least one season under Stoops were eventually selected in the National Football League draft – seven in the first round.

Stoops got his first experience in leading a defense as co-defensive coordinator at Houston in the 2000 season. He coached the secondary at Wyoming from 1997-99 and the Cowboys notched three straight winning seasons. A highlight of his time there was a school-record 24 interceptions in the '97 season. His first full-time coaching job was in 1996 at South Florida, helping USF in the start-up of its program before the Bulls had their first kickoff in '97.

Most Wins By A Head Coach, School History

1. 60 Paul "Bear" Bryant (1946-1953)
2. 47 Fran Curci (1973-1981)
3. 41 Jerry Claiborne (1982-1989)
4. 41 Blanton Collier (1954-1961)
5. 39 Rich Brooks (2003-2009)
- 6. 36 Mark Stoops (2013-Present)**
7. 32 Harry Gamage (1927-1933)
8. 26 Bill Curry (1990-1996)

Most Wins By A Head Coach At Kroger Field

1. 32 Jerry Claiborne (1982-1989)
2. 29 Fran Curci (1973-1981)
- 3. 26 Mark Stoops (2013-Present)**
- 25 Rich Brooks (2003-2009)
5. 21 Bill Curry (1990-1996)

Stoops has recruited and developed numerous outstanding defensive backs, many of whom went on to National Football League careers. Among the notables are Antoine Cason and Michael Johnson at Arizona, Miami's Philip Buchanon, Kelly Jennings, Brandon Meriweather, Ed Reed, Antrel Rolle, Mike Rumph and Sean Taylor and Wyoming's Brian Lee.

Stoops was raised in Youngstown, Ohio. As did brothers Bob and Mike, Mark played in the secondary at the University of Iowa for Hall of Fame coach Hayden Fry. He participated in four bowl games as a player. Fry hired Stoops as a graduate assistant coach at Iowa in the 1990 and '91 seasons. The Hawkeyes won the 1990 Big Ten title and played in the Rose Bowl, duplicating feats Stoops also achieved as a player. Stoops went on to coach four years in high school before entering the collegiate ranks.

STOOPS VS. ALL OPPONENTS

Opponent	Record
Alabama	0-2
Alabama State	1-0
Auburn	0-1
Austin Peay	1-0
Central Michigan	1-0
Charlotte	1-0
Eastern Kentucky	2-0
Eastern Michigan	1-0
Florida	1-5
Georgia	0-6
Georgia Tech	0-1
Louisiana-Lafayette	1-0
Louisiana-Monroe	1-0
Louisville	2-4
LSU	0-1
Miami (Ohio)	1-0
Middle Tennessee	1-0
Mississippi State	2-4
Missouri	4-2
Murray State	1-0
New Mexico State	1-0
Northwestern	0-1
Ohio	1-0
Ole Miss	0-1
Penn State	1-0
South Carolina	5-1
Southern Miss	1-1
Tennessee	1-5
Tennessee-Martin	1-0
Texas A&M	0-1
Vanderbilt	4-2
Western Kentucky	0-1
Totals:	36-39

Mark and his wife, Chantel, have two sons, Will and Zack.





THE MARK STOOPS COACHING FILE

Year	School	Position	W-L	Bowl
1990	Iowa	Graduate Assistant	8-4	Rose
1991	Iowa	Graduate Assistant	10-1-1	Holiday
1992-95	Nordonia HS	Defensive Backs		
1996	South Florida	Defensive Backs	0-0	
1997	Wyoming	Defensive Backs	7-6	
1998	Wyoming	Defensive Backs	8-3	
1999	Wyoming	Defensive Backs	7-4	
2000	Houston	Co-Defensive Coord., Safeties	3-8	
2001	Miami (Fla.)	Defensive Backs	12-0	Rose
2002	Miami (Fla.)	Defensive Backs	12-1	Fiesta
2003	Miami (Fla.)	Defensive Backs	11-2	Orange
2004	Arizona	Defensive Coordinator, DBs	3-8	
2005	Arizona	Defensive Coordinator, DBs	3-8	
2006	Arizona	Defensive Coordinator, DBs	6-6	
2007	Arizona	Defensive Coordinator, DBs	5-7	
2008	Arizona	Defensive Coordinator, DBs	8-5	Las Vegas
2009	Arizona	Defensive Coordinator, DBs	8-5	Holiday
2010	Florida State	Defensive Coordinator, DBs	10-4	Chick-fil-A
2011	Florida State	Defensive Coordinator, DBs	9-4	Champs Sports
2012	Florida State	Defensive Coordinator, DBs	12-2	Orange
2013	Kentucky	Head Coach	2-10	
2014	Kentucky	Head Coach	5-7	
2015	Kentucky	Head Coach	5-7	
2016	Kentucky	Head Coach	7-6	TaxSlayer
2017	Kentucky	Head Coach	7-6	Music City
2018	Kentucky	Head Coach	10-3	Citrus



ASSISTANT COACHES



STEVE CLINKSCALE DEFENSIVE BACKS

Clinkscale has a huge rebuilding process during spring practice following the departure of the top five defensive backs from last season, including all four starters. Safeties Davonte Robinson, Jordan Griffin, Tyrell Ajan and Yusuf Corker all have game experience.

2001-06	Ashland	Defensive Backs
2007	Ashland	Linebackers
2008	Western Carolina	Defensive Backs
2009	Toledo	Cornerbacks
2010-11	Toledo	Special Teams Coordinator, Cornerbacks
2012	Illinois	Cornerbacks
2013-14	Cincinnati	Defensive Backs
2015	Cincinnati	Co-Defensive Coordinator, Defensive Backs
2016-present	Kentucky	Defensive Backs



Brad White



EDDIE GRAN ASSISTANT HEAD COACH FOR OFFENSE/RUNNING BACKS

UK has had more than 2,000 rushing yards and 2,000 passing yards in all three seasons under Gran, the first time in school history that has been accomplished. However, only four starters return on the UK attack, and all-time leading rusher Benny Snell must be replaced.

1987-88	California Lutheran	Wide Receivers
1989	Southeast Missouri	Running Backs
1989	East Carolina	Graduate Assistant
1990-91	Miami (Fla.)	Graduate Assistant
1992-93	Cincinnati	Wide Receivers
1994	Idaho State	Wide Receivers
1995-98	Ole Miss	Special Teams Coordinator, Running Backs
1999-2008	Auburn	Special Teams Coordinator, Running Backs
2009	Tennessee	Special Teams Coordinator, Running Backs
2010-12	Florida State	Associate Head Coach, Offensive Coordinator, Running Backs
2013-15	Cincinnati	Offensive Coordinator, Running Backs
2016-present	Kentucky	Assistant Head Coach for Offense, Running Backs



Eddie Gran

DARIN HINSHAW CO-OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR/ QUARTERBACKS



Hinshaw has worked with Eddie Gran on an offense that has generated 2,000 rushing yards and 2,000 passing yards in three consecutive seasons, the first time in school history that has been accomplished. Under Hinshaw's guidance Terry Wilson helped lead the Wildcats to 10 wins last season, a school record for a first-year starting quarterback.

1999	Central Florida	Graduate Assistant
2000	Central Florida	Quarterbacks
2001-02	Middle Tennessee	Running Backs
2003-05	Middle Tennessee	Co-Offensive Coordinator
2006	Georgia Southern	Offensive Coordinator, Quarterbacks
2007-09	Memphis	Wide Receivers
2010-11	Tennessee	Quarterbacks
2012	Tennessee	Wide Receivers
2013-15	Cincinnati	Passing Game Coordinator, Quarterbacks
2016-present	Kentucky	Co-Offensive Coordinator, Quarterbacks

DEAN HOOD

SPECIAL TEAMS COORDINATOR/ DEFENSIVE BACKS



During Hood's two seasons, UK special teams have turned in solid -- and often spectacular -- performances. Kick return ace Lynn Bowden, punter Max Duffy and kicker Chance Poore return this season. On defense, Hood will work with Steve Clinkscale to help rebuild a secondary that lost its top five players.

1987-88	Fairmont (W.Va.)	Secondary Coach
1989	Colgate	Assistant Secondary Coach
1990-93	Glenville State (W.Va.)	Defensive Coordinator/Assistant Head Coach
1994-96	Eastern Kentucky	Secondary Coach
1997-98	Eastern Kentucky	Defensive Coordinator/ Secondary Coach
1999-2000	Ohio	Secondary Coach
2001-07	Wake Forest	Defensive Coordinator/Secondary Coach
2008-15	Eastern Kentucky	Head Coach
2016	Charlotte	Assistant Head Coach/Special Teams Coordinator/Tight Ends
2017	Kentucky	Special Teams Coord./Outside Linebackers
2018-present	Kentucky	Special Teams Coord./Defensive Backs



COACHES & STAFF



DERRICK LeBLANC

DEFENSIVE LINE

LeBlanc's maturing defensive line totaled 23.5 tackles for loss and 9.5 quarterback sacks last season, well up from 2017. A deep rotation was the strength of the unit last season, and returning for this year are noseguard Quinton Bohanna and Marquan McCall, tackle Phil Hoskins and ends Calvin Taylor, T.J. Carter and Kordell Looney.

2000	LSU	Defensive Graduate Assistant/ Defensive Line
2001-04	Henderson State	Defensive Line
2005	Arkansas Tech	Defensive Line
2006-07	Missouri State	Defensive Line
2008-11	LSU	Assistant Strength & Conditioning Coord.
2012	Wyoming	Defensive Line
2013-14	Southern Miss	Defensive Line
2016	North Texas	Defensive Line
2017-present	Kentucky	Defensive Line



VINCE MARROW

ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH/TIGHT ENDS/RECRUITING COORDINATOR

For the first time since 2014, Marrow goes into the season without the services of reliable tight end C.J. Conrad. However, Marrow is excited about long-time backup Justin Rigg and talented freshmen Brenden Bates and Keaton Upshaw.

2005-06	Berlin (NFL Europe)	Tackles, Tight Ends
2006-07	Rhein (NFL Europe)	Tackles, Tight Ends
2008	Toledo	Tight Ends
2009	Holland HS	Head Coach
2010	Omaha (United Football League)	Tight Ends
2011-12	Nebraska	Graduate Assistant / Tight Ends
2013	Kentucky	Tight Ends
2014-18	Kentucky	Tight Ends, Recruiting Coordinator
2019-present	Kentucky	Associate Head Coach/Tight Ends



JOHN SCHLARMAN

OFFENSIVE LINE

Schlarmann's line paved the way for the Wildcats to win 10 games and help Benny Snell become UK's all-time leading rusher. Three starters have departed, including All-America guard Bunchy Stallings, but senior guard Logan Stenberg, junior center Drake Jackson and junior tackle Landon Young (injured in '18) are back to lead the way.

1998-99	Bourbon County HS	Defensive Line
2000-01	Kentucky	Graduate Assistant / Offensive Line
2002	Kentucky	Graduate Assistant / Tight Ends, Offensive Line
2003-04	Campbell County HS	Head Coach
2005-06	Newport HS	Head Coach
2007-09	Troy	Offensive Line
2010-12	Troy	Offensive Line, Running Game Coordinator
2013-present	Kentucky	Offensive Line



MICHAEL SMITH

WIDE RECEIVERS

In Smith's first year at Kentucky, he helped develop Lynn Bowden into one of the best wide receivers in the SEC. He caught 67 passes and was named All-SEC as an all-purpose player. Young receivers must emerge in the spring to add variety to the receiver corps.

1993	Kansas State	Student Assistant
1995-96	Kansas State	Graduate Assistant
1997-2005	Kansas State	Running Backs
2006	Rice	Running Backs
2007	Arizona	Running Backs
2008	Arizona	Inside Wide Receivers
2009-12	Kansas State	Wide Receivers
2013-17	Arkansas	Wide Receivers
2018-present	Kentucky	Wide Receivers



JON SUMRALL

INSIDE LINEBACKERS

Jon Sumrall returns to his alma mater to coach the inside linebackers. Sumrall inherits senior Kash Daniel, who is expected to lead the unit from middle linebacker. A pair of sophomores showed great potential last season, Chris Oats and DeAndre Square, and they will be expected to vie for the starting weakside job and back up Daniel in the middle.

2005-06	Kentucky	Graduate Assistant
2007-09	San Diego	Defensive Line, Recruiting Coordinator
2010	San Diego	Defensive Coordinator, Linebackers
2011	San Diego	Asst. Head Coach, Defensive Coordinator, Linebackers
2012-13	Tulane	Defensive Line
2014	Tulane	Assistant Linebackers
2015-17	Troy	Special Teams Coordinator, Linebackers
2018	Ole Miss	Linebackers
2019-present	Kentucky	Inside Linebackers



BRAD WHITE

DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR/ OUTSIDE LINEBACKERS

White was promoted to defensive coordinator in February and faces a big challenge with only four starters returning from last season. In his first year at UK, White developed Josh Allen into UK's all-time leading pass rusher and winner of three National Defensive Player of the Year honors - Bednarik Award, Nagurski Award and Lott Trophy.

2007-08	Wake Forest	Defensive Graduate Assistant
2009	Murray State	Safeties
2010-11	Air Force	Inside Linebackers
2012-13	Indianapolis (NFL)	Defensive Quality Control
2014	Indianapolis (NFL)	Assistant Linebackers
2015-17	Indianapolis (NFL)	Outside Linebackers
2018	Kentucky	Outside Linebackers
2019	Kentucky	Defensive Coordinator/Outside Linebackers



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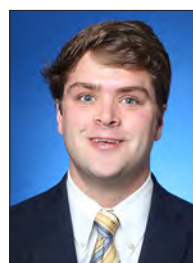
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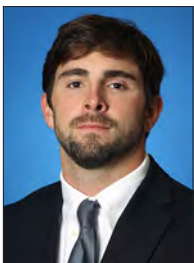
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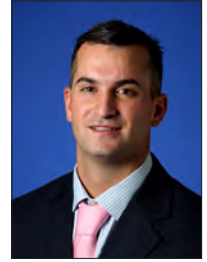
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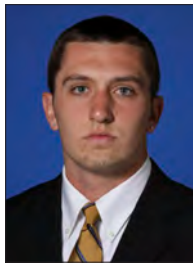
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DR. ELI CAPILOUTO, PRESIDENT



Dr. Eli Capilouto became the 12th President of the University of Kentucky July 1, 2011. Under his leadership, the Commonwealth's flagship and land grant research university has grown from \$2.7 billion to \$3.9 billion in total operations and has gained significant momentum in fulfilling its multi-faceted mission of teaching, research, service, and health care.

President Capilouto has led a seven-year, \$2.3 billion transformation of the campus, aimed at enriching the living-learning experience of UK's students, ensuring their success; strengthening the University's research infrastructure dedicated to solving Kentucky's most intractable health and economic challenges; and expanding UK HealthCare's capacity to teach, heal, and serve.

Through partnerships with the private sector, increased philanthropy, and effective financial management, UK is self-financing the vast majority of this aggressive infrastructure development. Over the last seven years, the University has opened:

- * The \$201 million Bill Gatton Student Center;

- * The \$112 Jacobs Science Building (financed, in-part, through a \$65 million partnership with UK Athletics);
- * The \$65 million renovated and expanded Gatton College of Business and Economics building;
- * 20 new dining facilities;
- * 14 new residence halls;
- * A new \$15 million home for the School of Art and Visual Studies;
- * A \$126 million revitalized Kroger Field (funded entirely with Athletics revenue);
- * And nearly \$550 million since 2011 in the continued construction and fit-out of the new Chandler Hospital.

In fall 2018, the University will open the new \$265 million multi-disciplinary health sciences research facility and, in fall 2019, the renovated and expanded College of Law building, both in partnership with donors and the state.

This re-imagination and innovation of the campus has resulted in:

- * Enrolling more than 30,500 students, thanks to strong first-year enrollment and record retention rates;
- * Conferring nearly 6,000 undergraduate, graduate, and professional degrees in May and August, reflective of a record graduation rate;
- * Treating nearly 40,000 patients in UK HealthCare;
- * Earning more than \$331 million in research awards;
- * Being nationally-recognized for efforts to be a diverse and welcoming community;
- * Remaining in a strong financial position, reflected by a strong and stable bond rating; and
- * Negotiating a transformative partnership with the city of Lexington to strengthen economic development, improve career prospects for our graduates, and provide better pedestrian safety for our community.

The progress on the campus is resulting in a high-quality workforce for Kentucky, with dramatic increases in the number of science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) degrees; and more than 77 percent of all UK graduates staying in Kentucky, with average earnings of more than 25 percent above the national average. UK is



Dr. Eli Capilouto is enhancing UK's multi-faceted mission of teaching, research, service and health care.

Kentucky's indispensable economic partner, with dozens of partnerships to provide research expertise to private business owners and internship opportunities for UK students; spending \$3.7 billion with Kentucky companies since 2011; owning over 600 patent assets; and employing more than 13,500 people paying over \$100 million in state and local taxes.

A native of Montgomery, Alabama, Dr. Capilouto previously served as Provost of the University of Alabama-Birmingham (UAB) and Dean of the UAB School of Public Health -- a period of remarkable growth and transformation at one of the leading academic and health sciences institutions in the South.

Dr. Capilouto holds several undergraduate and graduate degrees from schools within the University of Alabama system, a Doctorate of Dental Medicine from UAB, and a Doctorate in Health Policy and Management from Harvard University. He and his wife, Dr. Mary Lynne Capilouto (D.M.D.) a former Dean of the UAB School of Dentistry, have one daughter.30 2018.



(from left) Athletics Director Mitch Barnhart, Coach Mark Stoops and President Eli Capilouto are shown here at Coach Stoops' introductory news conference.



MITCH BARNHART, DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS



Singularly committed to the development of Wildcat students and to building the department he leads into one of the nation's elite, Mitch Barnhart is in his 17th year as University of Kentucky athletics director.

Named NCAA Division I Athletics Director of the Year by his peers in 2015, Barnhart has cast a bold vision for UK Athletics and continually raised the bar as the department has progressed under his guidance. In 2017-18, UK posted a 17th-place finish in the Learfield Directors' Cup – the third best in school history and the seventh straight in the top 30 of the national all-sports standings – while tallying its 11th and 12th consecutive semesters with a 3.0 cumulative grade-point average. That comes on the heels of a 2016-17 school year in which the department came in 10th in Directors' Cup standings with 21 of 22 teams contributing to the school record finish.

UK is currently in pursuit of Barnhart's Elite 1-3-5 initiative, which directs UK Athletics to reach unprecedented heights once more. The aim is for each UK team to be No. 1 by winning a conference or national championship, sustain a department-wide 3.0 GPA and rank in the top five of the Directors' Cup standings by 2022. It's an ambitious undertaking, but UK students, coaches and staff have proven themselves capable of unmatched achievement. With a rifle national championship and volleyball Southeastern Conference championship in 2017-18, four UK teams have won championships towards Elite 1-3-5.

The 2014-15 season marked the successful completion of the 15 by 15 by 15 Plan, which was set forth by Barnhart in 2008. The 15 by 15 by 15 Plan called on UK Athletics to rank among the nation's top 15 athletics programs and win 15 conference or national championships by 2015. At the same time, Barnhart set goals of a 3.0 composite grade-point average for Wildcat students and an even greater commitment to community service.

The academic goal was first achieved in the spring semester of 2010, with grades hitting a peak in spring 2014 with a school-record 3.218 composite GPA. Community service has risen to more than 4,000 hours annually and includes outreach to the Lexington area, the Commonwealth of Kentucky and as far away as Ethiopia, the Dominican Republic and Panama.

The Directors' Cup objective was reached a year early when UK checked in at a school-record No. 11 in the 2013-14 national all-sports standings.

The final goal was reached when UK men's basketball claimed the 2015 SEC Tournament title, the 15th championship won by Wildcat athletes since 2008. In addition to being one of four NCAA Division I Athletics Directors of the Year in 2015, Barnhart also was one of four finalists for the Athletics Director of the Year as chosen by the SportsBusiness Journal and he received the Sports Business Award from the Bluegrass Sports Commission that year.

In addition to attaining the 15 by 15 by 15 Plan, championship performance also has been reached in other levels of measurement. In Barnhart's term at UK, the Wildcats have won SEC titles for the first time in baseball, men's golf and women's tennis. More league crowns have been won by teams that hadn't done so in decades. National championships have been claimed in men's basketball and, for the first time, in rifle.

With team success growing, individual accolades have naturally followed. In addition to numerous individual national championships and All-America honors, UK Athletics also had an athlete win the Elite 90 (previously Elite 89) award in five consecutive years after Danielle Galyer won it in swimming and diving for the second straight season in 2016-17. Previous UK winners include Chelsea Oswald (track and field, 2012-13), Sam Malone (men's basketball, 2013-14) and Aldila Sutjiadi (women's tennis, 2014-15 & 2015-16). Galyer also was named an NCAA Today's Top 10 Award winner just two years after Kendra Harrison (track and field) won the same prestigious honor. Joining them in receiving national recognition are Paul Sime (men's soccer), named the Arthur Ashe Jr. Male Sports Scholar of the Year in 2017 and Courtney Love (football), winner of the 2017 Wuerffel Trophy for his outstanding commitment to community service.

The groundwork for recent successes has been steadily laid since Barnhart's arrival, beginning by providing funds for full coaching staffs and scholarship allotments for all 22 UK sports.

Staying true to his pledge to provide resources to match expectations, Barnhart has strategically invested in improvements to UK Athletics' facilities. Investments in new construction and renovation to facilities total more than \$300 million and include the Joe Craft Center; new stadiums for track and field, softball and soccer; the UK Golf House; and the Wildcat Coal Lodge dormitory. The home of Kentucky football, Kroger Field, underwent a \$126 million renovation completed in 2015 and the \$45 million Joe Craft Football Training Facility opened a year later. A new \$49 million baseball stadium is set to open in fall of 2018 and a new men's basketball locker room opened in 2017. Next on the docket are upgrades to Memorial Coliseum and the construction of a new indoor tennis facility.

Additional milestones have occurred under Barnhart's guidance. UK athletes have set records for graduation rates and maintained a perfect mark in the 14-year history of the NCAA Academic Progress Rate.

Even with the department's growth and the increasingly competitive nature of college sports, UK Athletics has remained financially self-sufficient under Barnhart's management, operating with a balanced budget and with the help of no state or University funds. Seeing pressing facility needs on campus as well, Barnhart has made a \$65 million commitment for athletics to fund nearly two-thirds of the new Don & Cathy Jacobs Science Building on campus. He also directs an annual \$1.7-million contribution to the University's scholarship program. Millions more dollars from the athletics budget stay on campus each year through athletic scholarship payments, administrative support payments, merchandise royalties and other avenues. Additionally, UK has also completely phased out the athletics fee previously paid by students as part of their tuition.

Barnhart's leadership extends to the national level. Already having served on numerous committees and boards for the NCAA and the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (NACDA), Barnhart completed his second year as a member of the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Committee in 2018, which brings responsibility for selecting, seeding and bracketing teams, along with administration of the NCAA's highest-profile event.

With his extensive previous experience on the NCAA

Division I Council, as chair of the NCAA Competition Oversight Committee and as a member of the NCAA Division I Baseball Committee, in addition to several other leadership groups, Barnhart has proven himself well suited for the task.

On a league level, Barnhart – the longest-tenured athletics director in the conference – was named chair of the SEC Athletics Directors in 2017, the latest instance of his active involvement in SEC projects. Of recent note is his work with the SEC Compliance Committee and the SEC Network Content Committee, which helped the highly successful launch of the largest new cable channel in television history.

Barnhart's legacy at UK includes helping develop administrators who have gone on to become athletics directors at nationally prominent universities, including Greg Byrne of Alabama, Mark Coyle at Minnesota, Rob Mullens at Oregon, Scott Stricklin at Florida and John Cohen at Mississippi State.

Barnhart arrived at UK from Oregon State, where he served four successful years (1998-2002) as athletics director. Before OSU, he worked in athletics administration posts at Tennessee (1986-98), Southern Methodist University (1983-86), Oregon (1983) and San Diego State (1982-83).

Barnhart is a native of Kansas City, Kansas. He earned his bachelor's degree from Ottawa University (Kansas) in 1981 and a master's in sports administration from Ohio University.

In addition to the extraordinary achievements of his work world, reaching new heights is also a theme of his personal life. An avid mountain climber, Barnhart has scaled Mount Kilimanjaro, the highest mountain in Africa, along with two of the most challenging peaks in the United States, Mount Rainier in Washington and the Grand Tetons in Wyoming. He has also twice performed tandem parachute jumps with the Army Golden Knights. Impactful in community service, Barnhart has taken part in mission trips and was on the national advisory board of K-Love Radio.

Barnhart and his wife, Connie, also actively serve and support the Christian Student Fellowship and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes on campus in an effort to minister to young people. The Barnharts have three children, Blaire, Scott, and Kirby Willoughby; Kirby's husband, McKenzie; grandsons, Cooper and Reece; and Scott's wife Cassie.

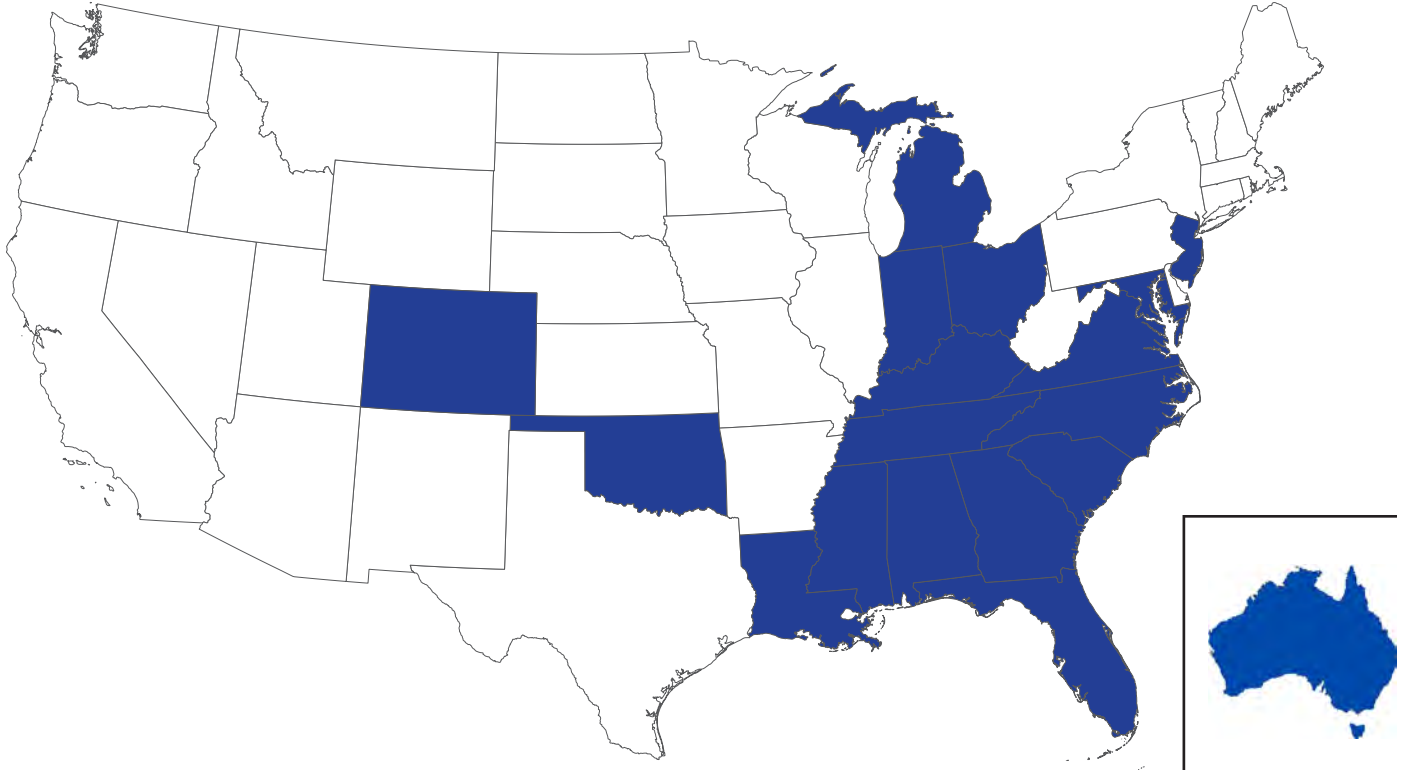


Mitch Barnhart has led UK Athletics to seven consecutive top-30 finishes in the Directors' Cup national all-sports standings.



CATS ON THE MAP

The 2019 spring football roster is comprised of 17 different states and Australia



Alabama (3)

Madison	Logan Stenberg
Pinson	Allen Dailey
Wetumpka	Kavosiey Smoke

Colorado (1)

Parker	Drew Schlegel
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Florida (16)

Fort Lauderdale	Bryce Oliver
	Jordan Wright
Hollywood	Josh Ali
	Akeem Hayes
Jacksonville	Nick Lewis
Lakeland	Abule Abadi-Fitzgerald
Lauderhill	Davoan Hawkins
Miami	Clevan Thomas Jr.
Miami Gardens	B.J. Alexander
Palm Beach	Cedrick Dort Jr.
Parkway	Stanley Garner
Sanford	Kenneth Horsey
Sunrise	Jamari Brown

Georgia (11)

Augusta	Calvin Taylor Jr.
Duluth	Blake Best
Jordan City	Jerquavion Mahone
Ludowici	Jamin Davis
Mableton	T.J. Carter
Riverdale	Jordan Griffin
McDonough	Yusuf Corker
	Christopher Rodriguez Jr.

Kentucky (27)

Belfry	Austin Dotson
Bowling Green	Adrian Middleton
Fort Mitchell	Brett Slusher

Harrodsburg	Donald Smith
Henderson	Mason Wolfe
Hopkinsville	Kolbe Langhi
Lexington	Elijah Barnett
	Zac Berezowitz
	David Bouvier
	Davonte Robinson
	Walker Wood
	Landon Young
Newport	Patrick Henschen
Nicholasville	Matthew Napier
Paintsville	Tyler Couch
	Kash Daniel
Somerset	Collin Hartman
Union	Jackson High
Versailles	Drake Jackson

Louisiana (2)

Metairie	William Nalty
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Maryland (3)

Forestville	Jamar "Boogie" Watson
Laurel	Naasir Watkins
Olney	Josh Paschal

Michigan (3)

Detroit	Marquan McCall
	DeAndre Square
West Bloomfield	Tyler Markray

Ohio (26)

Cincinnati	Brenden Bates
	Colin Goodfellow
	Zach Johnson
	Chris Oats
	Quintin Wilson

Centerville	Matt Ruffolo
Cleveland	Asim "A.J." Rose
Dublin	Gunnar Hoak
Findlay	Grant McKinniss
Huber Heights	Ahmad Wagner
Lima	Keaton Upshaw
Mansfield	Tyrell Ajian
Mason	Alex King
Springfield	Kordell Looney
Springsboro	Justin Rigg
Sylvania	Luke Fortner
Toledo	Phil Hoskins
Youngstown	Lynn Bowden Jr.

Virginia (1)

Vienna	John Daido
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Oklahoma (3)

Jenks	Isaiah Epps
Norman	Darren Edmond
Oklahoma City	Terry Wilson

South Carolina (2)

Anderson	Chance Poore
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Tennessee (3)

Cordova	Quinton Bohanna
Knoxville	Darian Kinnard

AUSTRALIA (1)

Perth	Max Duffy
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2019 PLAYER BIOGRAPHIES

Breakdown by Class

Seniors (14)

Elijah Barnett
Blake Best
T.J. Carter
Kash Daniel
Jordan Griffin
Phil Hoskins
Zach Johnson
Grant McKinniss
Drew Schlegel
Brett Slusher
Logan Stenberg
Calvin Taylor Jr.
Ahmad Wagner
Mason Wolfe

Juniors (26)

Josh Ali
Quinton Bohanna
Lynn Bowden Jr.
John Daido
Max Duffy
Brandin Echols
Isaiah Epps
Luke Fortner
Colin Goodfellow
Patrick Henschen
Jackson High
Gunnar Hoak
Drake Jackson
Kordell Looney
Quandre Mosley
William Nalty
Joshua Paschal
Davonte Robinson
Asim "A.J." Rose
Matt Ruffolo
Jaylen Scott
Donald Smith
Clevan Thomas Jr.
Jamar "Boogie" Watson
Terry Wilson
Landon Young

Sophomores (24)

Abule Abadi-Fitzgerald
Tyrell Ajian
Brenden Bates
Tyler Beisner
Marquez Bembry
Zac Berezowitz
Yusuf Corker
Tyler Couch
Jamin Davis
Cedrick Dort Jr.
Austin Dotson
Darren Edmond
Manny Harper
Collin Hartman
Alex King
Darian Kinnard
Harold Lacy
Kolbe Langhi

Matthew Napier
Justin Rigg
DeAndre Square
Naasir Watkins
Walker Wood
Jordan Wright

r-Freshmen (19)

B.J. Alexander
Jamari Brown
Allen Dailey Jr.
Stanley Garner
Davoan Hawkins
Akeem Hayes
Kenneth Horsey
Darian Kinnard
Nick Lewis
Jerquavion Mahone
Tyler Markray
Marquan McCall
Chris Oats
Bryce Oliver
Chance Poore
Chris Rodriguez Jr.
Kavosiey Smoke
Keaton Upshaw
Quinton Wilson

Freshmen (7)

Jared Casey
Eli Cox
Taj Dodson
Moses Douglass
Isaiah Gibson
DeMarcus Harris
Tra Wilkins



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ABULE
**ABADI-
FITZGERALD**
DEFENSIVE TACKLE

6-6 • 292 • Sophomore-Sq
Lakeland, Fla. (Victory Christian Academy)

2018 - r-Freshman

- Practiced with the team
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Recorded 39 tackles, including nine TFL, two sacks and 13 quarterback hurries in 2016 for coach Tommy Lewis at Victory Christian Academy
- Also had two forced fumbles, a fumble recovery and an interception
- Named second-team All-Polk County by the *Lakeland Ledger* and Florida AP All-State Class 2A honorable mention as a senior in helping the Storm finish 13-2 overall
- Member of the 2014 State Championship team
- Named to the Southeast Super-Region Team by the National Christian School Athletic Association
- Transferred to Victory Christian in 2016 after playing at Dade Christian
- Also a star player on the basketball court and competed in the shot put, discus and 400 meters
- School-record holder and back-to-back regional champion in the shot put
- Named second-team All-Dade as a junior
- Averaging 23.0 points and 13.0 rebounds as a senior, compiling over 1,400 career points
- Chose Kentucky over Florida, Florida Atlantic and Florida International

Personal

- Name is pronounced "Abule (ah-BOO-lay) Abadi (ah-BODY)"
- Originally from Yenagoa, Nigeria
- Moved to Florida at the age of 12
- Son of Steve and Teri Fitzgerald
- Major is communications

Abule Says

- His nickname is "A.B." or "A-Bizzle"
- He chose Kentucky because it's a great place with good people who care about you and want to make you great
- One word to describe him on the field is "Lion"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a successful business man
- What he most looks forward to this season is getting better as a player and as a student



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TYRELL
AJIAN
SAFETY

6-0 • 194 • Sophomore-1L
Mansfield, Ohio (Madison Comprehensive)

2018 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in all 13 games
- Finished the season with 10 tackles, three PBUs and one INT
- Made his first career interception and also had a pass breakup in Kentucky's 28-7 win over Mississippi State
- With MSU threatening to tie the game early in the fourth quarter, his third-down pass breakup forced a punt
- On the next possession, with MSU again threatening to tie, he intercepted a pass and returned it 35 yards
- His long return set up a touchdown run on the next play, giving UK a two-TD lead
- Recorded two tackles vs. Murray State, his first career action

2017 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Combination athlete in high school, playing defensive back, wide receiver and quarterback
- Four-star prospect by 247Sports, Rivals and ESPN
- Rivals ranks him the No. 10 overall prospect in the state of Ohio and the No. 23 athlete in the class of 2017
- ESPN has him as the No. 8 safety in the country
- Four-year letter winner and three-year starter for Coach Jamie Masi at Madison Comprehensive
- First-team OCC All-Conference and honorable mention second-team All-Northwest Ohio in 2016 after averaging 9.0 tackles per game
- Nominated for the 2017 U.S. Army All-American Bowl
- Had three interceptions and 54 tackles as a junior, along with 783 receiving yards, 551 rushing yards and 19 touchdowns
- OCC Offensive Player of the Year and first-team Offense All-Northwest Ohio in 2015
- Also excelled on the basketball court, becoming a member of Madison's 1,000-point club during his senior season
- Chose Kentucky over Michigan, Michigan State, and West Virginia

Personal

- Name is pronounced "Ajian (a-jun)"
- Born in Ashland, Ohio
- Son of Nikki Ajian and Burton Hester
- Major is undecided



Tyrell Says

- His nickname is "Ty"
• He chose Kentucky because it felt like home
• One word to describe him on the field is "playmaker"
• Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a pharmacologist
• His passion in life is to impact other people's lives

AJIAN'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Table with columns: Opponent, Tackles, Sacks, TFL-Y, FC, PBU, Int., QBH. Rows include games vs. Central Mich., at Florida, vs. Murray State, vs. Miss. State, vs. South Carolina, at TAMU, at Missouri, vs. Georgia, at Tennessee, vs. MTSU, at Louisville, vs. Penn State, and Totals.

AJIAN'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 3, at Tennessee, Nov 10, 2018
Interceptions: 1, vs Mississippi State, Set 22, 2018 (1-35)
PBU: 1, three times, last at Louisville, Nov 25, 2018



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MARVIN "B.J." ALEXANDER

WIDE RECEIVER

6-3 • 189 • Freshman-RS
Miami Gardens, Fla. (Chaminade-Madonna)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- One of the nation's top-100 wide receivers by Rivals.com and a national top-125 wideout by 247sports
• Helped lead Chaminade-Madonna Prep to the Florida Class AAA state championship, winning its last 10 games en route to an 11-2 record
• As a senior, caught 37 passes for 585 yards and eight touchdowns ... Named first-team All-County
• Coached by Dameon Jones
• Chose Kentucky over Wisconsin, Syracuse, Central Florida and others
• Teammates with fellow signees Davoan Hawkins and Akeem Hayes
• Rejoined former high school teammates Josh Ali at UK

Personal

- Born in Miami, Florida
• Son of Marvin Alexander Sr., Paula Alexander and Natasha Alexander
• Major is family science

B.J. Says

- His nickname is "B.J."
• Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a college football coach
• The most influential person in his life is his father because he showed him what hard work looks like
• The one trip he would like to take in his lifetime is a trip to Hawaii



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JOSH ALI

WIDE RECEIVER

6-0 • 188 • Junior -2L
Hollywood, Fla. (Chaminade-Madonna)

2018 - Sophomore

- Saw action in 12 of 13 games
• Had 10 catches for 115 yards and one TD
• Caught a season-high three passes and his first collegiate TD with a season-long 32-yard reception at Louisville
• Caught two passes for 22 yards in the win at Missouri

2017 - Freshman

- Saw action in nine games
• Caught three passes for 25 yards

High School

- Three-star prospect by all major recruiting services
• Scout.com ranks him the No. 32 wide receiver in the talent-rich state of Florida
• Scout says "He glides and moves effortlessly when navigating the open field and does a good job of sticking his foot in the dirt when getting into his breaks and making cuts, and really keeps defenders on their toes by not giving away his route"
• Four-year starter and letter winner for Coach Dameon Jones at Chaminade
• Caught 43 passes for 805 yards and five receiving TDs in 2016 in helping lead the Lions to a 10-5 overall record and an appearance in the Class 3A state championship game
• Named first-team All-County and All-State
• Also had one kickoff return for a touchdown
• Hauled in 56 passes for 896 yards and 15 scores as a junior at University School in Ft. Lauderdale
• High school teammate of fellow 2017 signee Chris Whittaker
• Chose Kentucky over Central Florida and Utah

Personal

- Born in Miami, Fla.
• Son of Katrina Gray and Faheem Ali

- Dad, Faheem, was a wide receiver at Louisiana Tech
• Major is community and leadership development

Josh Says

- He chose Kentucky to put UK Football on the map
• One word to describe him on the field is "Smooth"
• Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a real estate agent
• The one thing he likes most about football is the brotherhood
• His passion in life is to be the best person he can be

ALI'S CAREER STATISTICS

Table with columns: Year, Pos., G-GS, Rec., Yds., Avg., TD, Long. Rows for 2017, 2018, and Totals.

ALI'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Table with columns: Opponent, Rec., Yds., TD, Long. Rows include games vs. Central Michigan, at Florida, vs. Murray State, vs. Miss. State, vs. South Carolina, at TAMU, vs. Vanderbilt, at Missouri, vs. Georgia, at Tennessee, vs. MTSU, at Louisville, vs. Penn State, and Totals.

ALI'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Table with columns: Opponent, Rec., Yds., TD, Long. Rows include games at Southern Miss, vs. E. Michigan, vs. Missouri, at Miss. State, vs. Tennessee, vs. Ole Miss, at Vanderbilt, at Georgia, vs. Northwestern, and Totals.

ALI'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Receptions: 3, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018
Receiving yards: 59, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018 (3 receptions)
Long reception: 32, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018



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ELIJAH
BARNETT

LINEBACKER

6-3 • 236 • Senior-SQ
Lexington, Ky. (Henry Clay)

2018 - Junior

- Practiced with the team
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team

2016 - r-Freshman

- Practiced with the team

2015 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Two-year starter at DE for Coach Sam Simpson
- Totaled 37.5 tackles, including 14 tackles for loss and 7.5 sacks as a senior at Henry Clay
- Forced two fumbles in helping lead the Blue Devils to a 7-3 record in his senior year
- Named Defensive Lineman of the Year and earned team's academic award three straight seasons
- Was a first-team all-city selection by the *Herald-Leader*
- Member of the JROTC as a Cadet First Lieutenant
- Earned the JROTC's Presidential Physical Fitness Award and two National Fitness awards
- Chose Kentucky over offers from Lindsey Wilson and Union College

Personal

- Born in Santa Clara, Calif.
- Son of Oliver and Tia Barnett
- Dad, Oliver, played at UK from 1986 to 1989 and finished as the Cats' all-time sacks leader, a record that stood until Nov. 17, 2018 when Josh Allen broke it
- Oliver went on to play in the NFL from 1990-95 for the Atlanta Falcons, Buffalo Bills and San Francisco 49ers
- Major is communications

Elijah Says

- His nickname is "EB"
- When he's not on the field, he enjoys drawing
- He came to Kentucky because it's a family legacy
- His sports hero is his dad because he taught him everything he knows and he is the G.O.A.T.
- The last time he was starstruck was when he met Tim Couch



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BRENDEN
BATES

TIGHT END

6-4 • 250 • Sophomore-Sq
Cincinnati, Ohio (Archbishop Moeller)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- One of the nation's top-20 tight ends by Rivals
- Noted for his receiving ability, a difficult skill to find among tight ends in the high school ranks
- Caught 17 passes for 305 yards with 11 touchdowns as a senior at Archbishop Moeller in Cincinnati
- Totaled 250 yards receiving on 14 catches with five scores as a junior
- Two-time first-team All-Greater Catholic League selection
- Accepted an invitation to the 2018 Team USA Under-19 National Team for International Bowl IX
- Coached by John Rodenberg
- Also three-year letter winner in track in the 200-meters and discus throw and was a power forward/center for two seasons on the basketball team
- Was a member of the Improv Club
- Received offers from the Southeastern Conference, Big Ten, Big 12 and Atlantic Coast Conference, including schools such as Vanderbilt, Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, West Virginia, Louisville and Pittsburgh

Personal

- Born in Cincinnati Ohio
- Son of Doug and Kelly Bates
- Comes from a family of athletes as father played football at Indiana, mother played volleyball at Morehead State, brother, Doug, is currently a tight end at Cincinnati, and grandfather, Gene Neff, played basketball at Kentucky under Coach Adolph Rupp from 1951-52
- Major is marketing

Brenden Says

- His nickname is "Batesy Boy"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a fireman
- The most influential person in his life is his father because he made him into the person he is today
- His favorite quote he likes to live by is "it's not how hard you get hit, but it's about how hard you can get hit and keep moving forward"
- He is really good at doing the worm



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TYLER
BEISNER

WIDE RECEIVER

5-9 • 152 • Sophomore-Sq
Goshen, Ky. (North Oldham)

2018 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

- Two-year starter at wide receiver for the Mustangs at North Oldham High School
- Coached by Joe Gamsky
- Participated in the 2018 Blue Grey All-American game and the Kentucky vs. Tennessee Border Bowl
- Named to the 2017 All-Resilient team, which honors student-athletes from Kentucky high schools who have overcome adversity to participate and excel in sports each year
- Also played baseball
- Chose to attend Kentucky over Florida Atlantic, Central Florida and Troy

Personal

- Born in Canton, Ohio
- Son of Monique and Thomas Beisner
- Left-handed
- Major is physical therapy

Tyler Says

- His nickname is "Ty"
- One thing most people don't know about him is that during his sophomore year in high school, doctors told him he could not play football again due to asthma and severe breathing problems
- Hobbies include fishing, camping and four-wheeling
- His biggest accomplishment to date is earning a spot on the UK football team
- His favorite quote he likes to live by is "if people don't laugh at your goals, they aren't set high enough"



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ZAC
BEREZOWITZ

WIDE RECEIVER

5-11 • 180 • Sophomore-Sq
Lexington, Ky. (Henry Clay)

2018 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team



High School

- Four-year letter winner and three-year starter at wide receiver and defensive back for Henry Clay
- Helped the Blue Devils win two district championships and two regional championships
- Scored 25 career touchdowns
- Coached by Sam Simpson
- Member of the National Honors Society and graduated in the top one percent of his class

Personal

- Born in Austin, Texas
- Son of Dan and Janet Berezowitz
- Dad and grandfather played quarterback at Wisconsin-Whitewater
- Major is economics

Zac Says

- His dream job is to become a surgeon
- He chose Kentucky because it was close to home
- The one thing he likes most about football is schemes and finding weaknesses in opponents
- His sports hero is Kyrie Irving



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BLAKE BEST

LONG SNAPPER

6-1 • 215 • Senior-3L
Duluth, Ga. (Peachtree Ridge)

2018 - Junior

- Started in all 13 games as the long snapper for field goals and PATs
- Perfect on all snaps (9 field goals, 43 extra points)
- Second-Team 2018 Google Cloud Academic All-American®
- 2018 Google Cloud Academic All-District® Football Team
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll
- Dean's List (Fall 2018) with a perfect 4.0 GPA

2017 - Sophomore

- Started in 13 games as the long snapper for field goals and PATs
- Perfect on all snaps (13 field goals, 32 extra points)
- Named to the Fall SEC Academic Honor Roll
- Dean's List (Fall 2017)

2016 - r-Freshman

- Started in 13 games as the long snapper for field goals and PATs
- Perfect on all snaps (19 field goals, 45 extra points)
- Integral part of setting up kicker Austin MacGinnis to hit two game-winning field goals (51-yarder vs. Mississippi State and a 47-yarder at No. 11 Louisville)
- Named to the Fall SEC Academic Honor Roll
- Dean's List (Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017)

2015 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

- Dean's List (Fall 2015)

High School

- Three-year starter at long snapper and offensive line, helping the Lions chart a 7-4 record in his senior season
- Also was a two-year letter winner in baseball at Peachtree Ridge
- Earned a National Merit Scholarship to Kentucky
- Named to the All-Academic first team in 2014 with a 4.1 grade point average
- Founder of MENToring, a mentoring group for freshman student-athletes
- Also a member of the Student-Athlete Leadership Team at PRHS
- Coached by Mark Fleetwood
- Applied only to Kentucky but had interest from Clemson, Southern Methodist and Princeton

Personal

- Born in Dallas, Texas
- Son of Tom and Lynne Best
- Tom played football at Princeton from 1985-88, while uncle, Paul Gunsallus, played baseball at Louisiana Tech and his brother, Billy Best, played baseball at Greater Gwinnett College
- Graduated in December with a double major in economics and finance with a perfect 4.0 GPA

Community Cats

- Stayed after practice to spend time with the Special Olympics (2015)

Blake Says

- He chose Kentucky because his mom is an alumna and it was a great opportunity to play for a great school
- One word to describe him on the field is "consistent"
- He couldn't live without his dogs and family
- His favorite part of game day is running out of the tunnel
- His sports hero is any long snapper because they are living his dream



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QUINTON BOHANNA

NOSE GUARD

6-4 • 361 • Junior-2L
Cordova, Tenn. (Cordova)

2018 - Sophomore

- Started in seven of 12 games played, including the final six
- Totaled 17 tackles, 1.0 sacks, 4.0 TFL, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery
- Got his first career sack in the win over MTSU
- Started in the Florida game before leaving early with an ankle injury
- Did not play vs. Murray State with injury

2017 - Freshman

- Played in 12 of 13 games, starting the last five at nose guard
- Totaled 14 tackles and one PBU

High School

- Three-star prospect by all the major recruiting services
- Ranks as the No. 45 defensive tackle in the 2017 class
- Rivals says "His explosive power is impressive, as are his first couple of steps. He gets off the ball with the kind of quickness you rarely see in an interior defensive lineman of his size, at his age, and he is very fast in pursuit"
- A three-time member of the Tennessee Sports Writers Association Class 6A All-State team
- Named 2016 American Family Insurance All-USA Tennessee Football First-Team Defense
- Picked for the Autozone Liberty Bowl High School All-Star game
- 2016 Class 6A Mr. Football finalist
- Had an impressive 91 tackles (52 solo) his senior season with 24 tackles for loss and 19 sacks in helping lead Cordova to a 12-2 overall record and an appearance in the TSSAA 6A semifinals
- Had 79 tackles and 12 sacks as a junior
- Coached by Anthony Jones
- Chose Kentucky after offers from Ole Miss, Louisville and Memphis

Personal

- Born in Memphis, Tenn.
- Son of Estella Bohanna and Courtney Harris
- Brother, Joseph Bohanna, played football at Lincoln University while an uncle, Brian Ingram, played at Tennessee and went on to play for the New England Patriots and the San Diego Chargers
- Major is pre-information communication technology

Quinton Says

- His nickname is "Big Bo"
- He chose Kentucky because it was a great fit and it felt like family
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to take care of his mom and grandmother
- His favorite movie is *Blue Hill Avenue*
- Most people don't know that he is also a good basketball player

BOHANNA'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tackles	Sacks-Yds.	TFL-Yds.	FF	FR	PBU	QBH
2017	NG	12-5	14	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0
2018	NG	12-7	17	1.0-8	4.0-16	1	1	0	0
Totals		23-11	31	1.0-8	4.0-16	1	1	1	0

BOHANNA'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FC/FR	QBH	Int.	PBU
vs. Central Mich.	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Florida*	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State		DNP	(Injury)				
vs. Miss. State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at TAMU	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	1	0-0	1.0-1	1/1	0	0	0
at Missouri*	2	0-0	1.0-4	0/0	0	0	0





BOHANNA'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

vs. Georgia*	3	0-0	0.5-1	0/0	0	0	0
at Tennessee*	1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. MTSU*	3	1.0-8	1.0-8	0/0	0	0	0
at Louisville*	1	0-0	1.0-2	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State*	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0	0
Totals	17	1.0-8	4.0-16	1/1	0	0	0

BOHANNA'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FC	QBH	Int.	PBU
at Southern Miss	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. ECU	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Florida	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. E. Michigan	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Miss. State	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Tennessee	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Ole Miss*	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Vanderbilt*	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Georgia*	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Louisville*	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1
vs. Northwestern*	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	0-0	0.0-0	0	0	0	1

BOHANNA'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 3, four times, last vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018 (1-2)
Sacks: 1.0, vs Middle Tennessee, Nov 17, 2018 (8 yards)
TFL: 1.0, 4x, last at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018 (2 yards)
PBU: 1, vs Louisville, Nov 25, 2017
Forced Fumble: 1, vs Vanderbilt, Oct 20, 2018
Fumble Recovery: 1, vs Vanderbilt, Oct 20, 2018



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**LYNN
BOWDEN JR.**

WIDE RECEIVER

**6-1 • 199 • Junior-2L
Youngstown, Ohio (Warren Harding)**

2018 • Sophomore

- Started in all 12 of 13 games played
- Led the team in catches (67), receiving yards (745) and TD catches (5)
- His 67 catches broke the school record for most by a sophomore in school history ... Derek Abney had 66 catches as a sophomore in 2001
- His 67 receptions were the most for a Wildcat since Randall Cobb had 84 in 2010
- Had returned 25 kickoffs for an average of 21.6 yards
- Had two punt returns for TDs on just five total returns, a 58-yard punt return for a TD in the first quarter vs. Penn State and 67-yarder at Missouri
- One of just three players nationally with two punt returns for a TD
- Named to the All-Bowl Team by the AP and USA Today after catching five passes for 84 yards and returning a punt for a TD in the win over Penn State in the Citrus Bowl ... Marked the first punt

return for a TD in the Citrus Bowl since 1992 and UK's first punt return for a touchdown in a bowl game in school history

- Second-Team All-SEC All-Purpose Performer (Coaches, Athlon)
- Ranked tied for fifth in the SEC in receptions per game (5.2) and fifth in kick return average (22.5)
- Caught six balls for 86 yards and a career-high two touchdowns in the win at Louisville
- Named SEC Special Teams Player of the Week after setting career highs with 13 catches for 166 yards in Kentucky's 15-14 win at Missouri ... the 13 receptions tied for the second-most in school history ... His 166 receiving yards is ninth-best in school history and most for a Wildcat since 2010 ... Caught two passes on UK's game-winning drive late in the fourth quarter ... Also had a 67-yard punt return for a touchdown ... Totaled a career-high 229 all-purpose yards against the Tigers
- Made all three of UK's pass receptions in the win over Vanderbilt
- Caught three passes for 55 yards and one touchdown at Texas A&M ... His 54-yard TD reception in the first quarter tied his career long, which came earlier this year at Florida
- Hauled in a 54-yard bomb for a third-quarter touchdown at Florida, his first career TD
- Third-Team Offense & Run Specialist Preseason All-SEC (Coaches)
- Third-Team All-Purpose Preseason All-SEC (Athlon Sports)
- Paul Hornung Award Preseason Watch List

2017 • Freshman

- Coaches' All-SEC Freshman Team
- Played in all 13 games
- Caught 17 passes for 210 yards
- Set the UK freshman records for most kickoff returns in a season (37), game (7 vs. Louisville on Nov. 25) and most kickoff yards in a season (869)
- His seven kick returns vs. Louisville ranks tied for fifth in the SEC history books for most kickoff returns in a game
- His 37 kick returns in 2017 ranks seventh in the SEC for most kickoff returns in a season
- His 869 kickoff return yards ranks eighth for most yards returned in SEC history
- Averaged 23.5 yards per kick return
- The former quarterback completed 3-of-4 pass attempts for 92 yards
- Had a career-high 192 all-purpose yards in the win over Vanderbilt
- Had a 93-yard kickoff return against the 'Dores, UK's longest since 2009, to set up a touchdown
- Also caught three passes for a career-high 79 yards ... All three receptions were good for first downs, two of which came on touchdown drives
- Named SEC Freshman of the Week (Oct. 9) after leading UK with 128 all-purpose yards in the Wildcats' 40-34 win over Missouri
- Caught three passes for 49 yards vs. the Tigers ... All three catches went for first downs on UK scoring drives
- In the fourth quarter, he caught a pass in the flat and apparently was tackled for no gain when he broke the tackle, zig-zagged all the way across the field, and broke another tackle before finally being stopped for a 20-yard gain

High School

- Considered to be one of the most dynamic playmakers in the country
- A four-star prospect by all the major recruiting services
- Ranked one of the top 100 players in the 2017 class by ESPN and Scout
- Ranked as the nation's No. 5 athlete by 247Sports
- Scout lists him as the No. 60 overall prospect in the class
- Drawing comparisons to former UK athlete Randall Cobb as he played quarterback in high school but can also play wide receiver and several other positions on offense and special teams
- Ended his senior season throwing for 1,366 yards, rushing for 2,277 yards and accounting for 57 total TDs
- Named the 2016 Division II Offensive Player of the Year, the Northeast Ohio Inland District Offensive Player of the Year and Trumbull County Player of the Year
- Runner-up for Mr. Football in Ohio
- Named the 2017 Male Athlete of the Year by *The Vindicator*
- Helped lead the Raiders to an 11-2 overall record and a trip to the Division II Regional Championship
- Owens or shares 16 school records and is Ohio's sixth all-time rusher with 7,387 yards and 10th in rushing touchdowns with 91
- Also excelled in basketball, averaging 24.0 points, 6.0 rebounds and 7.0 assists per game as a senior
- Named to the Special Mention team in Division I by the Ohio Associated Press
- Picked Kentucky after offers from Penn State, Indiana, Michigan State, Michigan and Nebraska

Personal

- Name is pronounced "Bowden (BO-den)"
- Son of Melissa Phillips and Lynn Bowden Sr.
- Has a son, Lynn Bowden III
- Major is community leadership and development

Lynn Says

- His nickname is "Six"
- He chose Kentucky because he felt it was the right place with a great coaching staff and the most comfortable place for himself and his family
- When he's not on the field he enjoys playing basketball
- One word to describe him on the field is "calm"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to manage his own business

BOWDEN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G-GS	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2017	13-0	12	37	3.1	0	9	17	210	12.4	0	35
2018	13-12	9	25	2.8	0	12	67	745	11.1	5	54
Totals	26-12	21	62	3.0	0	12	84	955	11.4	5	54

BOWDEN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	KOR	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long	PR	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
2017	37	869	23.5	0	93	0	0	0	0	0
2018	25	539	21.6	0	42	5	146	29.2	67	2
Totals	62	1408	22.7	0	93	5	146	29.2	67	2





BOWDEN'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Table with columns: Opponent, Att, Yds, TD, Rec, Yds, TD, Lg, KR, Yds, TD, PR, Yds, TD. Rows include games vs. CMU, UF, MSU, MSST, USC, TAMU, Vandy, Mizzou, UGA, UT, MTSU, UofL, PSU, and Totals.

BOWDEN'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Table with columns: Opponent, Att, Yds, TD, Rec, Yds, TD, KR, Yds, TD, Pass Att./Comp/Yds. Rows include games at So. Miss, vs. EKU, at USC, vs. Florida, vs. EMU, vs. Mizzou, at Miss. St., vs. UT, vs. UM, at Vandy, at Georgia, vs. UofL, vs. NW, and Totals.

BOWDEN'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Passes attempted: 1, four times, last vs Louisville, Nov 24, 2018
Passes completed: 1, three times, last vs. Ole Miss, Nov 4, 2017
Passing yards: 36 vs Tennessee, Oct 28, 2017
Rush attempts: 3, at South Carolina, Sept 16, 2017
Rush yards: 13, vs Florida, Sept 23, 2017 (2 carries)
Rush TDs: n/a
Long rush: 9, vs Florida, Sept 23, 2017
Receptions: 13, at Missouri, Oct 27, 2018
Receiving yards: 166, at Missouri, Oct 27, 2018 (13 receptions)
Receiving TDs: 2, 3x, last at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018
Long reception: 54, twice, last at Texas A&M, Oct 7, 2018
Kick returns: 7, vs Louisville, Nov 24, 2017
Kick return yards: 123, vs Tennessee, Oct 28, 2017
Long kick return: 93, at Vanderbilt, Nov 11, 2017
Punt returns: 2, twice, last vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2018
Punt return yards: 68, vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2018
Long punt return: 67, vs Missouri, Oct 27, 2018
Punt return TD: 1, twice, last vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2019
All-purpose yards: 229, at Missouri, Oct 27, 2018



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JAMARI BROWN

DEFENSIVE BACK

6-1 • 195 • Freshman-RS
Sunrise, Fla. (Blanche Ely)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Tall cornerback received offers from every Power 5 conference in the nation
• One of the nation's top-100 cornerbacks according to the 247 Sports composite ranking
• Missed time with injuries during his senior season but still had an interception, eight pass breakups, a fumble recovery and returned a kickoff for a touchdown
• Also saw playing time as a wide receiver
• Coached by Calvin Davis
• His numerous offers included, among others, Auburn, Mississippi State, South Carolina, Illinois, Oregon, Louisville, North Carolina State and Pittsburgh

Personal

- Born in Fort Lauderdale, Florida
• Son of LaKiesha Owens
• Major is sociology

Jamari Says

- His nickname is "Mario"
• Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to work with computers
• If he could learn to do anything he would learn to fix computers
• He chose to play football at Kentucky because he fell in love with it the very first day



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T.J. CARTER

DEFENSIVE END

6-4 • 289 • Senior-3L
Mableton, Ga.
(Whitefield Academy)

2018 - Junior

- Played in all 13 games with four starts
• Totaled 16 tackles, 2.5 TFL, four QBH and three pass breakups
• Totaled two tackles, one pass breakup and one QB hurry in the win at Florida

2017 - Sophomore

- Started in 12 of 13 games
• Totaled 18 tackles, 3.0 TFL, 3.0 sacks, 3 QBH and one PBU
• Had a career-high four tackles, including his first career sack for a loss of 11 yards vs. Tennessee
• Had a sack and a QBH in the win at Vanderbilt
• Recorded two tackles in the season opener at Southern Miss, vs. EKU and at Mississippi State

2016 - Freshman

- Saw action in 11 games
• Recorded a career-high three tackles vs. Austin Peay

High School

- Earned first-team All-South Region 6-A and first-team All-Cobb County honors as a senior playing defensive end and offensive tackle at Whitefield Academy
• Four-year letter winner and three-year starter
• Totaled 68 tackles, including 10 for loss as a senior
• Also charted six sacks and 18 quarterback hurries
• Was the Wolfpack's sack leader as a sophomore and junior
• Named Defensive Player of the Game vs. Walker after recording six tackles for loss and a sack in addition to four pancake blocks on the offensive line as a junior
• Coached by Quinn Gray
• Chose UK over Memphis, Samford and Wyoming

Personal

- Born in Atlanta, Ga.
• Son of Jacqueline and Jerald Carter
• Major is information communication technology

T.J. Says

- One word to describe him on the field is "intense"
• His favorite movie is Star Wars
• His sports heroes are LeBron James and Reggie White
• Most people don't know that he used to be involved in the sport of fencing
• Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a video game tester

CARTER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Table with columns: Year, Pos., G-GS, Tackles, TFL-Yds, Sacks-Yds, FC/FR, QBH, PBU. Rows include 2016, 2017, 2018, and Totals.

CARTER'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Table with columns: Opponent, Tackles, Sacks, TFL-Y, FC/FR, QBH, PBU. Rows include games vs. Central Mich., at Florida, vs. Murray State, vs. Miss. State, vs. South Carolina, at TAMU, vs. Vanderbilt, at Missouri, vs. Georgia.



CARTER'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME							
at Tennessee	4	0-0	1.5-3	0	1	0	
vs. MTSU	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	
at Louisville	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. Penn State	3	1.0-4	1.0-4	0	1	1	
Totals	16	1.0-4	2.5-7	0	4	3	

CARTER'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME							
Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FC	QBH	PBU	
at Southern Miss*	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. EKU*	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
at South Carolina*	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	
vs. Florida*	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	
vs. E. Michigan*	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. Missouri*	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
at Miss. State*	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. Tennessee*	4	1.0-11	1.0-11	0	0	0	
vs. Ole Miss*	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
at Vanderbilt*	1	1.0-3	1.0-3	0	1	0	
at Georgia*	1	1.0-3	1.0-3	0	0	0	
vs. Louisville*	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. Northwestern	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
Totals	18	3.0-17	3.0-17	0	2	1	

CARTER'S 2016 GAME-BY-GAME							
Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FC	QBH	PBU	
vs. Southern Miss	DNP						
at Florida	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. New Mexico St.	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. South Carolina	DNP						
at Alabama	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. Vanderbilt	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. Mississippi State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
at Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. Georgia	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
at Tennessee	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. Austin Peay	3	0-0	0.5-0	0	0	0	
at Louisville	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	
vs. Georgia Tech	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	
Totals	11	0-0	0.5-0	0	0	1	

CARTER'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS	
Tackles: 4, twice, last at Tennessee, Nov 10, 2018	
Sacks: 1.0, four times, last vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2019	
TFLs: 1.5, at Tennessee, Nov 18, 2018	
PBU: 1, four times, last vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2019	
QBH: 1, six times, last vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2019	



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YUSUF
CORKER II

SAFETY

6-0 • 192 • Sophomore-1L
McDonough, Ga. (Woodland)

2018 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in all 13 games, totaling eight total tackles

2017 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Four-star defensive back and receiver at Woodland High School in Stockbridge, Ga., where he was coached by Steve Davenport
- The nation's No. 26 cornerback by ESPN and Scout
- Named an ESPN Top 150 player
- The No. 1 cornerback in Georgia by Scout.com
- A four-year starter who totaled 105 tackles, 82 solo, with 15 interceptions and two forced fumbles in his career
- As a senior, made 40 tackles, including 23 solo, along with five interceptions, two fumble recoveries and two blocked punts
- Offensively, had 20 receptions for 447 yards and four touchdowns for a 23.0 yards per reception average
- Helped lead his team to a 10-3 overall record and the 4-5A playoffs as a senior, earning him first-team All-State honors
- Two-time member of the *Atlanta Journal Constitution's* All-Metro Team
- Named to the AJC's All-State Defensive Team as senior and was a first-team All-County selection by the *Henry Herald*
- Also a two-year letterwinner in track and field in the 200 and 400-meters
- Chose Kentucky over Tennessee and Michigan State

Personal

- Name is pronounced "Yusuf (YOU-suf)"
- Born in Atlanta, Ga.
- Son of Robin Meadows-Ragin and Yusuf Corker
- Uncle, Anthony Mitchell, played college football at Tuskegee and went on to spend nine seasons in the NFL, while cousin, Raymond Sanders, was a running back at UK from 2010-13
- Major is economics

Yusuf Says

- His nickname is "Deuce"
- He chose Kentucky because it was the best fit
- One word to describe him on the field is "ballhawk"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a pediatric surgeon
- His sports hero is Richard Sherman because he's a ballhawk, too

CORKER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tkls	Int.-Yds.	Sacks	TFL-Y	FC/FR	QBH	PBU
2018	S	13-0	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
Totals		13-0	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0

CORKER'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FC	PBU	Int.	QBH
vs. Central Mich.	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
at Florida	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
vs. Murray State	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
vs. Miss. State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
vs. South Carolina	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
at TAMU	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
at Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
vs. Georgia	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
at Tennessee	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
vs. MTSU	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
at Louisville	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
vs. Penn State	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0
Totals	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0

CORKER'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 2, twice, last at Louisville, Nov 14, 2018



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TYLER
COUCH

OFFENSIVE LINEMAN

6-1 • 276 • Sophomore-Sq
Paintsville, Ky. (Paintsville)

2018 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team
- Earned a 3.25 GPA in the fall semester

High School

- Two-year starter for the Tigers
- Totaled 41 total tackles in his senior year, helping Paintsville finish 11-2 overall as the regional runner-up in Division 1A
- Coached by Joe Chirico
- Chose Kentucky over Centre and Georgetown

Personal

- Born in Lexington, Ky.
- Son of Marsha Couch and the late Joey Couch, who was an All-SEC defensive tackle at Kentucky from 1988-91 ... Grandfather, E.A. Couch, played for the UK men's basketball team from 1956-58
- Major is sociology

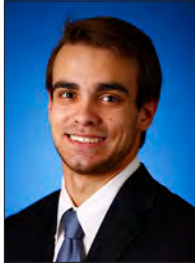
Tyler Says

- His nickname is "Tee"
- His hobbies outside of football are fishing, hunting and basketball





- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a dermatologist
- The most famous person in his cell phone is Tim Couch
- His favorite movie is Shawshank Redemption



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JOHN DAIDO

WIDE RECEIVER

6-5 • 213 • Sophomore-SQ
Vienna, Va. (Oakton)

2018 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team
- Named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

- Three-year starter at wide receiver and tight end at Oakton High School in Vienna, Va.
- Totaled 34 catches for 635 yards and four touchdowns as a senior and 25 catches for 450 yards and two scores during his junior season
- Named All-District in 2016
- Coached by Jason Rowley
- Four-year letter winner on the lacrosse team where he was named All-State, All-Region and All-District
- Led Oakton to the 2017 6A State Lacrosse Championship title
- Chose Kentucky over Syracuse, Ole Miss and NC State after scholarship offers to play lacrosse on the Division I level

Personal

- Born in Herndon, Va.
- Son of David and Lisa Daido
- Father played football at Western Kentucky from 1983-86
- Major is political science

Jon Says

- His nickname is "Johnny"
- He chose Kentucky because it's a great place to be
- One word to describe him on the field is "athletic"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be in the CIA
- Most people don't know he speaks fluent Russian



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ALLEN DAILEY JR.

WIDE RECEIVER

6-3 • 195 • Freshman-HS
Pinson, Ala. (Pinson Valley)

2017 - Freshman

- Saw action in all 13 games, mostly on special teams
- Made his first collegiate catches, two receptions for 38 yards and a touchdown vs. Murray State

High School

- Three-star prospect by all the major recruiting services
- No. 178 overall wide receiver and No. 36 overall prospect in the state of Alabama by 247sports
- Caught 80 passes for 1,441 yards and 23 receiving touchdowns as a senior in helping Pinson Valley finish 15-0 and win the 2017 Class 6A championship over Wetumpka
- His 23 receiving touchdowns tied for second in Alabama High School Athletic Association single-season history
- His 1,441 receiving yards also ranks among the state's top-10 single seasons in AHSAA history
- Added his 24th touchdown of the season was on an interception return
- Named to the 2017 AL.com Super All-State Football Team
- Earned Class 6A first-team All-State honors by the Alabama Sports Writers Association
- Coached by Patrick Nix
- Caught 33 passes for 445 yards and three touchdowns as a junior
- Also an excellent basketball player
- Chose UK over Louisville, UAB and Arkansas State
- Goes by the first name "Allen" instead of his given name "LiAllen"

Personal

- Born in Fort Lauderdale, Florida
- Son of Allen and Marilyn Dailey
- Major is undecided

Allen Says

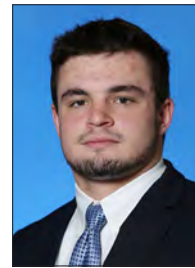
- His nickname is "Dee"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a sports analyst
- If he could learn to do anything he would learn to sing and dance
- The most influential person in his life is his mother because she's his biggest fan

DAILEY'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
vs. Central Mich.	0	0	0	0
at Florida	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	2	38	1	23
vs. Miss. State	0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	0	0	0	0
at Texas A&M	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	0	0	0	0
vs. MTSU	0	0	0	0
at Louisville	0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State	0	0	0	0
Totals	2	38	1	23

DAILEY'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Receptions: 2, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
 Receiving yards: 38, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018 (2 receptions)
 Receiving TDs: 1, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
 Long reception: 23, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018



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KASH DANIEL

LINEBACKER

6-1 • 242 • Junior-2L
Paintsville, Ky. (Paintsville)

2018 - Junior (Team Captain)

- Started in 12 of 13 games played
- Played with a broken left hand sustained against Vanderbilt on Oct. 20 ... Had surgery on Oct. 22 to insert two screws
- Ended the season third on the team in total tackles (84) and tackles for loss (7.5)
- Ranked tied for 24th in the SEC in tackles per game (6.3)
- Got his first career sack in the win over Penn State in the Citrus Bowl
- Second on the team with five quarterback hurries
- Had double-digit tackles in three games (Central Michigan, Florida and Vanderbilt)
- Led the Wildcat defense against Louisville with eight tackles and a career-high three tackles for loss
- Had a career-high tying 11 tackles at Florida and vs. Central Michigan

2017 - Sophomore

- Played in all 13 games
- Totaled seven tackles
- Rushed six yards on a fake punt to give the Wildcats a first down during a crucial part of the fourth quarter vs. Missouri ... The first down led to a 53-yard field goal by Austin MacGinnis, the eventual game winner
- Had two tackles in the win at South Carolina



2016 - Freshman

- Saw action in all 13 games, mostly on special teams, and recorded 19 tackles
- Had a career-high seven tackles vs. Austin Peay
- Graduated high school a semester early and enrolled at Kentucky in January of 2016

High School

- U.S. Army All-American, named a team captain for the West squad, and helped the West win the game, 37-9
- Named Kentucky's Mr. Football and Kentucky Gatorade Player of the Year
- Named first-team all-state by the *Courier-Journal* and the Associated Press
- A 2015 *Herald-Leader* "Class of the Commonwealth" honoree
- Winner of the Paul Hornung Award, honoring the top player in the state
- A two-way star as a quarterback and linebacker at Paintsville, helping the Tigers compile a 13-1 record and advance to the Class 1A semifinals
- Rushed and passed for 2,245 combined yards (1,319 passing) and a 36 combined touchdowns as a senior (22 rushing TDs)
- Defensively in 2015, he had 158 tackles, four fumble recoveries and four interceptions, returning a pair for touchdowns
- Coached by Joe Chirico
- Rated as a three-star recruit by all major recruiting services
- Also lettered in baseball and basketball at Paintsville
- Picked UK over Michigan, Louisville, Marshall, Ohio, Purdue, South Carolina and Illinois

Personal

- Son of Scott Daniel and Lela Layne
- Dad, Scott, was a former professional bass fisherman
- Dad played baseball and basketball at East Tennessee State
- Mother, Lela, was inducted into Betsy Layne High School Hall of Fame for basketball
- Member of UK's bass fishing club team
- Major is communications

Community Cats

- Visited with sick children at Wolfson Children's Hospital at the TaxSlayer Bowl in Jacksonville, Fla. (2016)

Kash Says

- He chose to play at Kentucky because he wanted to play for Coach Stoops and play in the SEC
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a federal officer
- When he's not playing football he loves to bass fish
- His life's theme song is "Hells Bells" by AC/DC
- The best advice he's ever received is "no matter what, don't quit"

KA. DANIEL'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tackles	TFL-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.	FR	QBH	PBU
2016	LB	13-0	19	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2017	LB	13-0	7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2018	LB	13-12	84	7.5-23	0-0	0	5	1
Totals		39-12	110	7.5-23	0-0	0	5	1

KA. DANIEL'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FF/FR	QBH	PBU
vs. Central Mich.*	11	0-0	0-0	0/0	2	0
at Florida*	11	0-0	0.5-1	0/0	1	0
vs. Murray State*	3	0-0	1.0-2	0/0	1	0
vs. Miss. State*	7	0-0	0-0	0/0	1	0
vs. South Carolina*	5	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
at TAMU	4	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt*	10	0-0	1.0-3	0/0	0	0
at Missouri*	3	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	1
vs. Georgia*	4	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
at Tennessee*	2	0-0	1.0-3	0/0	0	0
vs. MTSU*	8	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
at Louisville*	8	0-0	3.0-6	0/0	0	0
vs. Penn State*	8	1.0-7	2.0-8	0/0	0	0
Totals	76	0-0	5.5-15	0/0	5	1

KA. DANIEL'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FF/FC	QBH	Int.
at Southern Miss	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. EKU	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at South Carolina	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Florida	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. E. Michigan	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Miss. State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Tennessee	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Ole Miss	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Vanderbilt	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Georgia	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Louisville	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Northwestern	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

KA. DANIEL'S 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FC	QBH	Int.
vs. Southern Miss	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Florida	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. New Mexico St.	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Alabama	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Mississippi State	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Austin Peay	7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
at Louisville	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia Tech	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	19	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

KA. DANIEL'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 11, twice, last at Florida, Sept 8, 2018 (4-7)
Sacks: 1, vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2019 (7 yards)
TFLs: 3.0, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018 (6 yards)
QBH: 2, vs Central Michigan, Sept 1, 2018 (5-6)
PBU: 1, vs Missouri, Oct 27, 2018



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JAMIN DAVIS

LINEBACKER

6-4 • 224 • Freshman-RS
 Ludowici, Ga. (Long County)

2018 - Freshman-RS

- Saw action in all 13 games, finishing with 10 tackles, an interception and a PBU
- Made a career-high four tackles and claimed his first career interception and added a pass breakup vs. Murray State

2017 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- Graduated a semester early and enrolled at Kentucky in January of 2017
- Totaled a team-high eight tackles, including 1.0 TFL, in the spring game last season for the White team

High School

- Considered one of the nation's top 50 outside linebackers by 247Sports
- Has been clocked running a 4.65 40-yard dash, and has a 38-inch vertical leap
- Finished his senior season with 126 tackles, with an impressive 89 solo tackles
- Averaged 14.0 tackles per contest (nine games)
- Also had four tackles for loss, a sack, a hurry and a fumble recovery which he returned to the opponent's three-yard line
- Forced two fumbles and blocked both a punt and a field goal
- Offensively, he had 11 carries for 50 yards, along with 12 receptions for 151 yards and three scores
- Had 131 tackles as a junior and 45 tackles as a sophomore, totaling 302 career tackles in his prep career
- Just the second player in Long County High School history to sign with a Division I football program
- A four-year letter winner and three-year starter at Long County for coach Eric McNair
- Named Class AAA All-State honorable mention by the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*
- Three-time All-Region II selection, earning first-team honors in 2015 and 2016
- Chose UK over Louisville, Georgia Tech, Purdue and N.C. State

Personal

- Born in Honolulu, Hawaii
- Son of Tanga Davis and James Davis
- Father, James, played football at Bethune-Cookman, while a cousin, Attiyah Henderson, played football at San Diego State
- Major is community and leadership development

Jamin Says

- His nickname is "Shadow"
- He chose Kentucky because it felt like home





- His sports hero is LaDanian Tomlinson because he always put his team first
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a mechanical engineer
- His favorite part of game day is putting on his uniform because he feels like a knight putting on his armor

DAVIS' CAREER STATISTICS

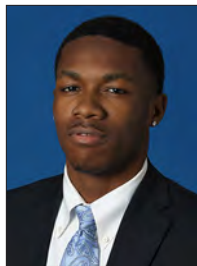
Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tackles	Sacks-Yds.	TFL-Yds.	FC/FR	INT	PBU
2018	LB	13-0	10	0	0	0	1-18	1
Totals		13-0	10	0	0	0	1-18	1

DAVIS' 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FC/FR	QBH	Int.
vs. Central Mich.	1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
at Florida	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. Murray State	4	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	1-18
vs. Miss. State	1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
at Texas A&M	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
at Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. Georgia	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
at Tennessee	1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. MTSU	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
at Louisville	1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. Penn State	1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
Totals	10	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	1-18

DAVIS' SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 4, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018 (2-2)
 Interceptions: 1, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
 PBUs: 1, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018



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CEDRICK DORT JR.

CORNERBACK

5-11 • 176 • Sophomore-1L
Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. (Dwyer)

2018 - Sophomore

- Redshirt season

2017 - Freshman

- Has played in nine games
- Totaled six tackles
- Graduated a semester early and enrolled at Kentucky in January of 2017

High School

- Rated a three-star recruit by 247sports, ESPN and Scout as the No. 42 cornerback in the 2017 class
- As a senior, named first-team All-Area by the Palm Beach Post and first-team All-County by the

Sun Sentinel after recording 40 tackles, 14 pass breakups and six interceptions, returning one for a touchdown

- Played a key role in helping Dwyer finish 10-1 overall in 2016 with its second-straight appearance in the Class 7A regional semifinals
- Did not allow a TD pass, a first down pass or a pass over five yards during the regular season
- Did not miss a tackle all season and battled against six receivers who were expected to sign Division I scholarships
- Named one of ESPN 106.3's top seniors in Palm Beach County and the Treasure Coast
- Was All-Area honorable mention in 2015 after helping lead the Panthers to an 11-2 overall record, a district championship title and a berth in the 7A regional semifinal
- Helped Dwyer shut out two opponents and held six others to 14 points or less
- A three-year letter winner in basketball as a combo guard
- Has a huge upside as he played only two years of high school football
- Coached by Jack Daniels
- Chose UK over Wisconsin, Virginia Tech, Minnesota, Colorado and USF

Personal

- Born in Palm Beach, Fla.
- Son of Clevette Wiggins and Cedrick Dort Sr.
- Major is community and Leadership development

Cedrick Says

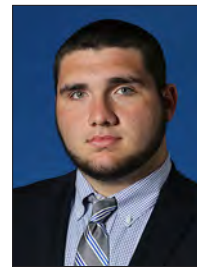
- His nickname is "Young Boy"
- He chose Kentucky to help change the program
- One word to describe him on the field is "smart"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a sports agent
- Most people don't know he's a snare drummer

DORT'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FC/FR	PBU	Int.-Yds
at Southern Miss	0	0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. E. Michigan	0	0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. Missouri	1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
at Miss. State	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. Tennessee	2	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. Ole Miss	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
at Georgia	1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. Louisville	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
vs. Northwestern	2	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0
Totals	6	0-0	0.0	0/0	0	0-0

DORT'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 2, twice, last vs Northwestern, Dec 29, 2017



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AUSTIN DOTSON

OFFENSIVE TACKLE

6-6 • 322 • Freshman-RS
Belfry, Ky. (Belfry)

2018 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in seven games

2017 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- A three-star prospect by ESPN and 247Sports
- Ranks as the No. 2 offensive tackle in the Commonwealth by ESPN
- A three-year starter for Coach Phillip Haywood, who said, "He's a very physical blocker. He's one of these guys who would really get after you and stay after you until the whistle blows. And if we score a touchdown, he'd be the first one down there in the end zone patting the guy on the back or tossing him in the air. He just loves playing on the line"
- Named to *The Courier-Journal's* 2016 All-State Football Team as a first-team selection after being a second-team member as a junior
- Also named to the AP All-State First Team
- Member of four straight championship teams (2013-16)
- Played right tackle on a massive offensive line that helped the Pirates finish 14-1 as a senior and average 347.1 rushing yards and 44.1 points per game
- Helped Belfry win its sixth overall, including fourth straight Class 3-A State championship with a 52-31 win over Central in 2016
- Member of the Kentucky squad in the Best of the Bluegrass All-Star Game
- Also a four-year letterwinner in baseball as a pitcher and first baseman
- Chose Kentucky over Charlotte, Eastern Kentucky, Florida Atlantic and Marshall

Personal

- Born in Pikeville, Ky.
- Son of Sherry and Derrick Dotson
- Major is sociology

Austin Says

- His nickname is "Big A"
- He chose Kentucky because it's home and it feels like home
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a physical therapist
- When he's not on the field, he enjoys fishing, hunting and eating with friends





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MAX
DUFFY

PUNTER

6-1 • 194 • Sophomore-TR
Perth, Australia (Curtin/Kent Street)

2018 - Sophomore

- Totaled 60 punts for 2,687 yards for an average of 44.8 yards per punt
- His average ranks third-highest in UK history for a single season, trailing only Glenn Pakulak's 2002 campaign when he averaged 45.58 yards per kick and Tim Masthay's 45.23 average in 2008
- Ranked sixth in the SEC and 13th nationally in punting yards per game (44.8)
- Ray Guy Award Watch List
- Ray's 8 Player of the Week nominee (Week 5 and Week 11)
- Had his season long with a 67-yarder in the first quarter, pinning Penn State on the five-yard line ... Helped set up Bowden's punt return TD, as the UK defense posted a three-and-out, and Bowden made the scoring runback
- Also had his second-longest punt of the season, a 65-yarder at the end of the quarter ... Finished with a 44.8-yard average
- Did not punt in the Louisville game, tying the Governor's Cup record for fewest punts set by Louisville in 2017
- Punted a season-high 10 times for 487 yards (48.7 average) at Texas A&M ... The 48.7 average set the school records for best average per punt in a game (min. 8 and min. 10) ... Three punts were inside the opponent 20-yard line ... Had a long punt of 63 yards
- Punted four times against South Carolina for a 47.5-yard average, with all four punts inside the opponent 20-yard line
- South Carolina's average starting field position after his punts was its own 14-yard line
- South Carolina did not score on any of its possessions after Duffy's pinning punts
- Outstanding in his first game as a Wildcat against Central Michigan, punting four times for a 50-yard average ... Landed two inside the 20-yard-line and the team's net punting average was 49.8 yards per punt

Australia

- Australian punter who was rated as the No. 1 punting prospect in the class of 2018 by Ray Guy's ProKicker.com
- Averaged 48 yards per punt with an average hangtime of 4.42 seconds, according to ProKicker
- Grew up playing basketball and soccer, he switched to Australian football at age 15
- Played for Fremantle in the Australian Football League
- Worked with Prokick Australia under the guidance of coaches Nathan Chapman and John Smith

- Will be the second year in a row that an Aussie punter will be on the Wildcat roster, following in the footsteps of former punter Matt Panton
- Has three years of eligibility

Personal

- Born in Perth, Australia
- Son of John and Julie Duffy
- Currently 25 years old, the oldest player on the team ... Will be 26 in April
- Major is psychology

Max Says

- He chose Kentucky because of the opportunity to play in an elite environment
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a head coach in the Australian Football League
- The biggest difference he's seen between America and Australia is the language barrier and how most people can't understand him
- The most influential person in his life is his father because he pushes him to be the best and has taught him good morals and values
- His favorite quote he likes to live by is "the standard you walk past is the standard you accept"

DUFFY'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	Punts	Yds.	Avg.	TBs	FC	Inside 20	Long	50+
2018	12	60	2687	44.8	2	14	30	67	17
Totals	12	60	2687	44.8	2	14	30	67	17

DUFFY'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Punts	Yds.	Avg.	Long	Inside 20
vs. Central Mich.*	4	200	50.0	54	2
at Florida*	4	157	39.2	43	2
vs. Murray State*	1	54	54.0	54	1
vs. Miss. State*	5	221	44.2	49	2
vs. South Carolina*	4	190	47.5	52	4
at TAMU*	10	487	48.7	63	3
vs. Vanderbilt*	5	215	43.0	51	2
at Missouri*	5	177	35.4	44	2
vs. Georgia*	4	194	48.5	56	3
at Tennessee*	7	322	46.0	56	4
vs. MTSU*	2	67	33.5	47	0
at Louisville*	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	51	2284	44.8	63	25

DUFFY'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Punts: 10, at TAMU, at Oct 6, 2018
 Punt Yards: 487 at TAMU, at Oct 6, 2018
 Single-game Avg: 54.0, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018 (1)
 Long: 63, at TAMU, at Oct 6, 2018



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DARREN
EDMOND

WIDE RECEIVER

5-11 • 185 • Sophomore-Sq
(Paul Laurence Dunbar - KY)

2018 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

- A three-year starter at wide receiver for head coach Chris Mullins at Paul Laurence Dunbar
- Led the Bulldogs in receiving as a senior with 156 yards and three touchdowns on 20 catches ... Also ran for 63 yards and a score

Personal

- Born in Norman, Okla.
- Son of Laurie and Corey Edmond
- Dad, Corey, is the director of performance for UK Football ... Sister, Leah, is a senior and All-American outside hitter for UK's volleyball team
- Major is digital media and design

Darren Says

- His nickname is "Lil Ed"
- Hidden talents are that he can sing and play the piano
- The celebrity he often gets mistaken for is Steve Urkel
- The person who has most influenced him is his dad because of his work ethic
- His dream job is to be a graphic designer



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ISAIAH
EPPS

WIDE RECEIVER

6-2 • 187 • Junior-2L
Jenks, Okla. (Jenks)

2018 - Sophomore

- Played in all 13 games with two starts vs. Georgia and Tennessee
- Caught eight passes for 76 yards
- Had a career-high three catches vs. MTSU

2017 - Freshman

- Played in all 13 games
- Totaled four catches for 55 yards
- One of seven true freshmen to see action in the season opener at Southern Miss





High School

- A big, talented wide receiver who had a breakout senior season for Coach Allan Trimble at Jenks
- Set a Jenks receiving record with 1,209 yards in 2016 with 59 catches and 12 touchdowns, along with 10 rushes for 76 yards and a score
- Helped lead the Trojans to an 11-1 overall record with their only loss coming in the 6A1 semifinal playoff game
- Earned District 6A-1 Offensive Player of the Year
- Named third-team All-State by The Oklahoman
- Rivals listed him as a three-star wide receiver and ranked him as the 21st-best wide receiver in Oklahoma
- Also lettered in basketball (2014-16) and track & field (2015) at Jenks
- Excelled in the classroom, earning a spot on the Principal's Honor Roll
- Chose Kentucky over offers from Tulsa, Southern Methodist, Illinois, Western Michigan

Personal

- Born in Tulsa, Okla.
- Son of Michael and LaQuisha Epps
- Older brother, Carson, was a receiver a Iowa State and cousin, Denver Johnson, currently is a junior wide receiver for the Cyclones
- Major is psychology

Isaiah Says

- His nickname is "Zay"
- When he's not on the field he enjoys playing golf and frisbee golf
- His favorite part of game day is running out of the tunnel and seeing all the fans
- His passions in life are playing football and volunteering
- One word to describe him on the field is "relentless"

EPPS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2017	WR	13-0	4	55	13.8	0	28
2018	WR	13-2	8	76	9.5	0	18
Totals		26-2	12	131	10.9	0	28

EPPS' 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
vs. Central Mich.	0	0	0	0
at Florida	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	1	8	0	8
vs. Miss. State	0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	1	11	0	11
at TAMU	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia*	2	29	0	18
at Tennessee*	1	4	0	4
vs. MTSU	3	24	0	14
at Louisville	0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	52	0	18

EPPS' 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
at Southern Miss	1	6	0	6
vs. EKV	0	0	0	0
at South Carolina	0	0	0	0
vs. Florida	0	0	0	0
vs. E. Michigan	1	18	0	18
vs. Missouri	0	0	0	0
at Miss. State	0	0	0	0
vs. Tennessee	0	0	0	0
vs. Ole Miss	2	31	0	28
at Vanderbilt	0	0	0	0
at Georgia	0	0	0	0
vs. Louisville	0	0	0	0
vs. Northwestern	0	0	0	0
Totals	4	55	0	28

EPPS' SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Receptions: 3, vs Middle Tennessee, Nov 17, 2018
 Receiving yards: 31, vs Ole Miss, Nov 4, 2017 (2 receptions)
 Receiving TDs: n/a
 Long reception: 28, vs Ole Miss, Nov 4, 2017



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LUKE
FORTNER
 OFFENSIVE GUARD

6-6 • 304 • Junior-2L
 Sylvania, Ohio
 (Sylvania Northview)

2018 -Sophomore

- Played in 11 of 13 games
- Blocked for All-SEC running back, Benny Snell Jr., UK's all-time leading rusher and the first player in school history to rush for 1,000 yards in three straight seasons
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in eight games
- Blocked for All-SEC running back, Benny Snell Jr., the first player in school history to rush for 1,000 yards in consecutive seasons
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2016 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- Dean's List (Fall 2016, Spring 2017)
- SEC First-year Academic Honor Roll (2016-17)

High School

- A three-star offensive tackle by ESPN, Rivals and 247sports
- Rated as the 69th best offensive lineman nationally and the 36th best prospect in Ohio by 247sports
- Also played guard and center
- Four-year starter for Coach Doug Downing

- Named team captain as a senior
- Scout says, "Physical player - does a great job of getting and maintaining leverage once engaged with defender. Majority of the time plays under control and balanced, showing the ability to beat a defender on own. Played tackle and center in high school. We feel he's got the raw talent to work with but a year in a college system will help him with his footwork and learning more about pass protection. Solid pick up for the Wildcats as Fortner is a player who will benefit from a season or two in the college game"
- Earned third-team All-Ohio for Division II
- Named second-team All-Northwest Ohio in 2014 and 2015
- Dual-sport athlete as he also was a center on the Northview basketball team
- Honor-roll student and member of the National Honor Society
- Earned President's Education Award
- Chose UK over Akron, Cincinnati, Marshall, Maryland, Toledo and Western Michigan

Personal

- Born in Cleveland, Ohio
- Son of John and Nancy Fortner
- Uncle, Don Svec, played football at Youngstown State
- Major is mechanical engineering

Community Cats

- Volunteer for Habitat for Humanity (2016)

Luke Says

- He chose Kentucky because he loved the atmosphere
- Most people don't know that he played soccer until the eighth grade
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a football coach
- His sports hero is Joe Thomas because he's consistent and good at what he does
- If he had to be stranded on an island with a teammate he would choose Drake Jackson



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STANLEY
GARNER
 CORNERBACK

6-1 • 186 • Freshman-RS
 Parkway, Fla. (Dillard)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Four-star recruit by Rivals.com, which evaluates him as the No. 35 cornerback in the nation
- All-Broward County selection
- Was invited to play in the prestigious Broward County vs. Dade County All-Star Game, but was





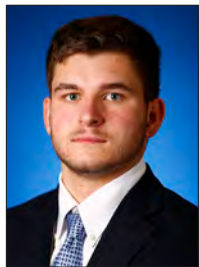
- unable to participate because of his enrollment at UK
- Was a standout two-way player, as he also played wide receiver on offense
- Coached by Rick Hemingway at Dillard High School
- Helped lead Dillard to the district championship
- Rejoins former Dillard teammate Jordan Wright at Kentucky
- Teammates with fellow signee Bryce Oliver
- Entertained dozens of Division I offers, from every Power 5 conference, including Auburn, Clemson, Florida, Florida State, Louisville, Miami (Fla.), Michigan and many others

Personal

- Born in Parkway, Fla.
- Son of Margaret Pegues
- Majoring in communications

Stanley Says

- His nickname is "Sniper Gang"
- He chose Kentucky because he felt it was the best fit
- One word to describe him on the field is "mysterious"
- The most influential person in his life is his mother because she is a single parent and she has worked hard to raise four boys
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to make music/beats



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COLIN
GOODFELLOW

PUNTER

6-2 • 218 • Junior-SQ
Cleveland, Ohio
(St. Ignatius)

2018 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll
- Dean's List (Fall 2018)

2017 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team
- Dean's List (Fall 2017)

High School

- Three-year letter winner and starter at punter for St. Ignatius in Cleveland
- Averaged 41.1 yards per punt as a senior, helping the Wildcats finish 13-2
- Kept nine punts inside the 20-yard line and allowed only three touchbacks
- Also handled kickoffs, sending 61-of-87 to the end zone
- Named to Cleveland.com's 2016 all-star football team
- Was a two-time first-team All-County and two-time All-State selection
- Coached by Chuck Kyle

- Also a two-year letter winner as a guard on the basketball team
- Member of the National Honor Society
- 1st Honors (2016 and 2015), 2nd Honors (2014 and 2013)
- Chose Kentucky over Penn State and Pittsburgh

Personal

- Born in Cleveland, Ohio.
- Son of Kathy and Don
- Father, Don, played basketball at Case Western
- Sister, Christina, played soccer at Duquesne
- Major is pre-nursing

Colin Says

- His nickname is "Goody"
- He chose Kentucky because it would allow him to study nursing and play football
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a certified registered nurse anesthetist
- The most influential person in his life is his mother because she influenced him to follow his dream of being in a medical career while pursuing football
- His one guilty pleasure is eating meals in bed



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JORDAN
GRIFFIN

SAFETY

6-0 • 194 • Senior-3L
Riverdale, Ga.
(Jonesboro)

2018 - Junior

- Played in 12 of 13 games
- Did not see action vs. Miss. State with injury
- Totaled 13 tackles and three PBUs
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Sophomore

- Played in all 13 games with one start
- Had 22 tackles, three PBUs and one INT
- Got his first career interception in the win over Vanderbilt
- Charted a career-high six tackles vs. Missouri with one PBU
- Had two tackles and a PBU in the opener at Southern Miss ... Also had two tackles at South Carolina and vs. Eastern Michigan
- Earned his first career start vs. Eastern Michigan
- Fall SEC Academic Honor Roll

2016 - Freshman

- Saw action in eight games, totaling six tackles
- SEC First-year Academic Honor Roll (2016-17)

High School

- A four-star prospect by Rivals, which rated him as the 15th best cornerback in the nation and the 16th best prospect in talent-laden Georgia, 191st nationally

- ESPN tabbed him as the 23rd corner in the nation and the 34th best player in Georgia
- Ranked by 247sports as a three-star recruit, as the nation's No. 37 cornerback and the 32nd best prospect in Georgia
- Scout ranked him as a three-star prospect and the 46th best cornerback overall, third-best in Georgia
- Named First-team All-State by the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*
- At corner, he totaled 18 tackles and three interceptions in helping lead the Cardinals to the regional championship title ... Also forced one fumble and had one fumble recovery
- An excellent wide receiver as he caught 68 passes for 1,008 yards and 11 touchdowns in helped lead the Cardinals to an 11-2 overall record as a senior
- Also played basketball, winning back-to-back state titles, and ran track
- Excelled in the classroom and was a member of the National Honor Society, Future Business Leaders of America and the Beta Club
- Chose UK over Auburn, Clemson and Stanford

Personal

- Born in Riverdale, Calif.
- Son of Judy and Lawrence Griffin
- Brother, Jason, played football at Fort Valley State
- Major is community and leadership development
- Representative for UK Football's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC)

Jordan Says

- His nickname is "J.G."
- He chose Kentucky because it was the best place for him to pursue his dreams
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a college coach
- His sports heroes are his dad, brother and high school coach because they have taught him everything he knows
- One word to describe him on the field is "electrifying"

GRIFFIN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tackles	TFL-Y	Int.-Yds.	PBU	FR	FC	QBH
2016	DB	8-0	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
2017	DB	13-1	22	0-0	1-2	3	0	0	0
2018	DB	12-4	13	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	0
Totals		33-5	41	0-0	1-2	6	0	0	0

GRIFFIN'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FR	FC	PBU	Int.
vs. Central Mich.*	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Florida*	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State*	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0
vs. Miss. State		DNP	(Injury)				
vs. South Carolina*	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0
at TAMU	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. MTSU	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Louisville	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0





GRIFFIN'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

vs. Penn State	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	0-0	0.0	0	0	3	0

GRIFFIN'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FR	FC	PBU	Int.
at Southern Miss.	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0
vs. EKU	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at South Carolina	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Florida	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. E. Michigan*	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Missouri	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0
at Miss. State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Ole Miss	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	-
at Vanderbilt	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1-2
at Georgia	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Louisville	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Northwestern	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	0-0	0.0	0	0	3	1-2

GRIFFIN'S 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FR	FC	PBU	Int.
vs. New Mexico St.	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Alabama	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Miss. State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Austin Peay	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Louisville	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia Tech	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Totals	6	0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0

GRIFFIN'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 6, vs Missouri, Oct 7, 2016 (5-1)
Pass breakups: 1, five times, last vs South Carolina, Sept 29, 2018
Interceptions: 1, at Vanderbilt, Nov 11, 2017



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MANNY HARPER

WIDE RECEIVER

5-8 • 170 • Sophomore-SQ
Louisville, Ky. (Waggener)

2018 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

- Was a two-way standout for head coach Jordan Johnson at Waggener Traditional
- Three-year starter and team captain at wide receiver

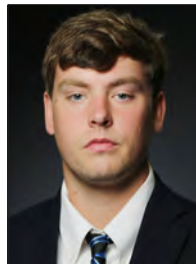
- Caught 43 passes for 678 yards and 11 touchdowns and also had 34 tackles and three interceptions on defense just seven into his senior year
- Suffered a major season-ending knee injury mid-way through his senior year
- Named All-District in 2017
- Also excelled in the classroom as he was named a 2017 Governor's Scholar with a 4.2 GPA
- Elected president of Omega Psi Phi Men of Quality
- Chose Kentucky over Harvard, Dartmouth, UofL, EKU, Murray State

Personal

- Born in Louisville, Ky.
- Son of Larry Harper and Latoya Harper
- Older brother, Larry Harper III, is going into his junior year as a quarterback at Georgetown College
- Major is English

Manny Says

- He chose Kentucky because it was the best opportunity and it was close to home
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a collegiate football coach
- One word to describe him on the field is shifty
- The best advice he's ever received is "everyone has a time to thrive, so prepare for yours. Keep God first and anything is possible."



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COLLIN HARTMANN

DEFENSIVE END

6-4 • 288 • Sophomore-SQ
Somerset, Ky. (Somerset)

2018 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

- Rated a three-star prospect by 247Sports, Rivals and ESPN
- Two-year starter at defensive end for head coach Robby Lucas
- Totaled 240 tackles and 25 sacks in two seasons for the Briar Jumpers
- Named AP and Courier-Journal All-State honorable mention in 2017
- Earned Kentucky Defensive Player of the Game after totaling 10 tackles and three sacks in the 2017 Best of the Bluegrass All-Star game, which matches some of Kentucky's top high school players against each other
- Also invited to play in the Kentucky/Tennessee All-Star game
- Didn't start playing football until his junior year of high school because he was a basketball player and didn't know if he would like football
- Chose Kentucky over Western Kentucky

Personal

- Born in Somerset, Ky.
- Son of Von and Jon Mick and Randy Hartmann
- Major is pre-management

Collin Says

- He chose Kentucky because it's family
- His hobbies outside of football are playing video games and fishing
- The person who has most influenced him in his life is his mother
- The one TV show he cannot miss is Supernatural



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DAVOAN HAWKINS

DEFENSIVE LINEMAN

6-2 • 286 • Freshman-RS
Lauderhill, Fla. (Chaminade-Madonna)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Another recruit from the pipeline of Chaminade-Madonna to Kentucky
- Coached by Dameon Jones
- Rejoins former high school teammates Josh Ali and Chris Whittaker at UK
- Teammates with fellow signees B.J. Alexander Jr. and Akeem Hayes
- Played both offense (guard) and defense
- Team won the 3A state championship in 2017, the school's first football state title since 2005
- On defense registered 65 total tackles, 21 tackles for loss and 12 sacks as a senior
- Three-time first-team All-County selection
- Student ambassador
- Rated a three-star prospect by 247Sports, Rivals and ESPN
- Chose Kentucky over Miami and Oklahoma

Personal

- Name is pronounced Davoan (day-VEE-on)
- Born in Lauderhill, Florida
- Son of Sherria Hicks and Earnest Hawkins
- Major is undecided

Davoan Says

- His nickname is "Day Day"
- He chose Kentucky because he wanted to help change the program
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to make music
- His hobbies outside of football are rapping, writing songs and dancing
- He has 14 siblings



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AKEEM
HAYES

WIDE RECEIVER

5-8 • 165 • Freshman-RS
Hollywood, Fla. (Chaminade-Madonna)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

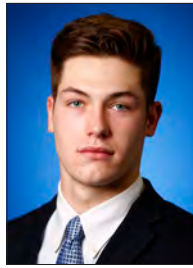
- Part of a pipeline from Chaminade-Madonna to Kentucky that includes 2017 signees Chris Whittaker and Josh Ali
- Teammates with fellow signees Davoan Hawkins and B.J. Alexander Jr.
- Rated as a three-star recruit by 247Sports, Rivals and ESPN
- Caught 25 passes for 401 yards and six touchdowns as a senior at Chaminade-Madonna, which won Florida's 3A state championship, the school's first football state title since 2005
- Hauled in a 44-yard TD pass in the title game
- Coached by Dameon Jones
- Caught 35 passes for 750 yards and six touchdowns as a junior
- Chose Kentucky over Louisville

Personal

- Born in Hollywood, Florida
- Son of Otis Blocker
- Cousin of WR Antonio Brown (Pittsburgh Steelers) and WR Marquise Brown (Oklahoma Sooners)
- Major is undecided

Akeem Says

- His nickname is "Keemey"
- He chose Kentucky because he loved the environment
- Most people would be surprised to know he's only been playing wide receiver for three years
- The most influential person in his life is his brother, Bernerd Scott, the most humble person he's ever known
- He collects prayers



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PATRICK
HENSCHEN

TIGHT END

6-6 • 232 • Junior-SQ
Newport, Ky.
(Newport Central Catholic)

2018 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team

2017 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

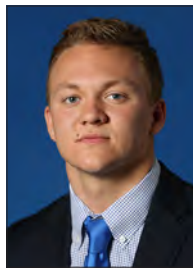
- Four-year letter winner at quarterback for Newport Central Catholic in Newport, Ky.
- Coached by Dan Wagner
- Also lettered as a senior for the Thoroughbreds' basketball team
- Chose Kentucky over Cincinnati

Personal

- Born in Cincinnati, Ohio
- Son of Roger and Jamie Henschen
- Major is pre-communications

Patrick Says

- His nickname is "Pat"
- He chose Kentucky because he loves Lexington and the Big Blue Nation
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to work in sales and business management
- The most influential person in Patrick's life is his grandpa because he taught him hard work and his grandpa said he will always be proud of him
- One thing most people would be shocked to know is that he doesn't eat anything that swims



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JACKSON
HIGH

LINEBACKER

5-11 • 240 • Junior-SQ
Union, Ky.
(Ryle)

2018 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team

2017 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

- Three-year letter winner at linebacker for Coach Mike Engler at Ryle High School
- As a senior, recorded 111 tackles (74 solo), six tackles for loss, three sacks, three quarterback hurries and one fumble recovery for a score
- Named second team All-State by the AP
- As a junior, led the team with 77 tackles, three sacks, two forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries, four quarterback hurries and one fumble recovery for a TD in helping the Raiders go 10-0 during the regular season for the first time in school history
- Two-time U.S.A. National Football Team selection as a linebacker
- Recorded nine tackles, including four TFL in a win over the IFAF World Team in 2015
- In 2016, had five tackles and one TFL in a win over Canada in the International Bowl
- Football University "Top Gun" selection
- Invited to Nike Football 'The Opening' regionals
- Member of the Raider Council, FBLA, Chess Club and Honor Roll
- Chose Kentucky over Valparaiso and Morehead State

Personal

- Born in Louisville, Ky.
- Son of Jason and Kendall High
- Major is pre-computer science

Jackson Says

- His nickname is "Jack"
- He chose Kentucky because it's a great place to be
- The thing he most loves about football is the family that comes along with playing
- When he's not on the field, he enjoys fishing and playing basketball
- His favorite part of game day is winning



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GUNNAR
HOAK

QUARTERBACK

6-4 • 212 • Junior-SQ
Dublin, Ohio (Dublin Coffman)

2018 - Sophomore

- Saw action in five games, completing 13 of 26 passes for 167 yards and two scores
- Was 3-of-8 for 27 yards in the win over Missouri
- Entered late in the second quarter against Central Michigan for his first collegiate action ... Drove the Wildcats to a touchdown on his first possession, capped by a 24-yard scoring strike to David Bouvier ... Finished the day 4-of-9 for 50 yards
- Completed 4 of 5 passes for 77 yards and a touchdown vs. Murray State, the second TD pass of his career

2017 - r-Freshman

- Practiced with the team





2016 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- Graduated a semester early and enrolled at Kentucky in January of 2016
- Connected on 4-of-5 passes in the 2016 Blue/White Spring Game for 57 yards and one score

High School

- Tabbed by ESPN as a four-star prospect, ranking No. 14 among quarterbacks nationally and No. 12 among prospects in Ohio
- All-Central District Division I special mention in 2015
- Ranked by Rivals and 247sports as a three-star prospect, as the No. 37 pro-style quarterback in the nation and as the 36th best prospect in Ohio
- Had 1,798 yards through the air and 14 touchdowns with only six interceptions during his senior season
- Was named Central District Player of the Year as a junior
- Threw for 2,584 yards with 30 touchdowns and just three interceptions as a junior, leading the Shamrocks to an 11-1 record
- Coached by Mark Crabtree at Dublin Coffman, which has produced seven Division I QBs since 2003
- Choose UK over Bowling Green, Buffalo, Cincinnati, Kent State, Syracuse and Toledo

Personal

- Born in Columbus, Ohio
- Son of Frank and Holly Hoak
- Dad, Frank, uncle Fred Pagac and cousin, Fred Pagac Jr., played football at Ohio State
- Fred Pagac Sr., is the former linebackers coach for the Denver Broncos
- Major is agricultural economics

Gunnar Says

- One word to describe him on the field is "poised"
- His sports hero is Peyton Manning because he's the greatest quarterback of all time
- Most people don't know Gunnar is his real name
- Other than playing football he also enjoys playing basketball and golfing
- His favorite meal is pizza

HOAK'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G-GS	Rush	Yds	TD	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Long
2018	5-0	0	0	0	13	26	1	50.0	167	2	40
Totals	5-0	0	0	0	13	26	1	50.0	167	2	40

HOAK'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Comp-Att.-Int.	Yds.	TD	Long	Rush	Yds.	TD	Long
vs. Central Mich.	4-9-0	50	1	24	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	4-5-0	77	1	40	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	3-8-0	27	0	28	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	2-4-1	13	0	8	0	0	0	0
at Louisville	0-0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	13-26-1	167	2	40	0	0	0	0

HOAK'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Pass attempts: 9, vs Central Michigan, Sept 1, 2018
 Pass completions: 4, twice, last vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
 Pass yards: 77 vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
 Pass TDs: 1, twice, last vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
 Long pass: 40, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
 Total offense plays: 9, vs Central Michigan, Sept 1, 2018 (9 pass)
 Total offense yards: 77, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018



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KENNETH HORSEY

OFFENSIVE LINEMAN

6-3 • 307 • Freshman-RS
Sanford, Fla. (Sanford Seminole)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Rated a three-star recruit by 247Sports and Rivals
- Ranked as the No. 58 offensive guard in the nation
- Recruited primarily as an offensive guard
- Helped lead his team to a 9-3 record and district championship as a senior
- Coached by Don Stark
- Also a two-year letter winner in the shot put
- Excelled in the classroom as he touted a 3.6 GPA and scored 1220 on his SAT
- Chose Kentucky over Mississippi State, South Florida and Central Florida

Personal

- Born in Orlando, Florida
- Son of Shari and Ken Horsey
- Major is pre-management

Kenneth Says

- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a football coach
- One thing most people don't know about him is that he participated in martial arts for 14 years and had open-heart surgery in April of 2018
- His guilty pleasure is watching "Scandal"
- He chose to play football at Kentucky because he loved the place, the coaches and the SEC



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PHIL HOSKINS

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

6-5 • 306 • Senior-2L
Toledo, Ohio (Whitmer/Highland CC)

2018 - Junior

- Played in all 13 games
- Totaled 21 tackles, 3.5 TFL, 3.0 sacks and one QBH
- Charted a career-high four tackles with one QB sack at Texas A&M
- Totaled two tackles and a sack for a loss of nine yards in the win over Florida

2017 - Sophomore

- Played in seven games and totaled two tackles

Junior College

- Was a three-star recruit by all of the major recruiting services out of Highland Community College (Kansas)
- Ranked 17th overall and the No. 5 defensive tackle by 247Sports, while ESPN ranked him the top 300 2016 redshirt season
- Had 25 tackles his freshman season at Highland with eight TFL and four sacks in playing multiple positions along the defensive line

High School

- Named Three Rivers Athletic Conference (TRAC) All-Conference honorable mention as a senior in 2014 at Whitmer, playing for coach Jerry Bell
- Totaled 63 tackles, eight sacks and two forced fumbles as a senior
- Has a wing span of 84 inches
- Chose Kentucky over Arkansas, Baylor, Mississippi State and Oklahoma State

Personal

- Born in Toledo, Ohio
- Son of Alicia Evans and Anthony Hoskins
- Major is community, leadership and development

Phil Says

- His nickname is "Big Phil"
- He chose Kentucky because he felt something special that he didn't feel anywhere else
- His pre-game routine consists of praying and visualizing himself making plays
- If he had a hashtag to describe himself it would be #rosegrownoutofthepavement
- His sports heroes are Reggie White and Lawrence Taylor because they were physical and dominant

HOSKINS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tackles	TFL-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.	FC	FR	QBH
2017	DT	7-0	2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1
2018	DT	13-0	21	3.5-25	3.0-24	1	0	1
Totals	DT	20-0	23	3.5-25	3.0-24	1	1	2

HOSKINS' 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Y	Sacks-Y	PBU	FF	FR	Int.	QBH
vs. Central Mich.	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Florida	2	1.0-9	1.0-9	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Miss. State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at TAMU	4	1.0-7	1.0-7	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	2	0.5-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	1
at Missouri	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. MTSU	2	1.0-8	1.0-8	0	1	0	0	0
at Louisville	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	3.5-25	3.0-24	0	1	0	0	1



HOSKINS' 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Y	Sacks-Y	PBU	FF	FR	Int.	QBH
vs. E. Mich.	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0
vs. Ole Miss	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Vanderbilt	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1
at Georgia	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Louisville	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Northwestern	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	1

HOSKINS' SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 4, at Texas A&M, Oct 6, 2018 (2-2)
Sacks: 1.0, 3x, last vs MTSU, Nov 17, 2018 (8 yards)
TFL: 1.0, 3x, last vs MTSU, Nov 17, 2018 (8 yards)
QBH: 1, twice, last vs Vanderbilt, Oct 20, 2018
Forced Fumble: 1, vs MTSU, Nov 17, 2018
Fumble Recovery: 1 vs Missouri, Oct 7, 2017



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DRAKE JACKSON

CENTER

6-2 • 313 • Junior-2L
 Versailles, Ky. (Woodford County)

2018 - Sophomore

- Started at center in all 13 games, giving him 20 consecutive starts
- Blocked for All-SEC running back, Benny Snell Jr., Kentucky's all-time leading rusher and the first player in school history to rush for 1,000 yards in three straight seasons

2017 - r-Freshman

- Played in 10 games and earned the starting center spot for the final seven games of the season
- Blocked for All-SEC running back, Benny Snell Jr., the first player in school history to rush for 1,000 yards in consecutive seasons

2016 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- Graduated high school a semester early and enrolled at Kentucky in January of 2016

High School

- U.S. Army All-American, named a team captain for the West squad
- Helped the West win the game, 37-9
- Two-time first-team all-state selection by the *Courier-Journal* and the Associated Press
- A 2015 *Herald-Leader* "Class of Commonwealth" honoree
- A four-star prospect by all four major recruiting services who is tabbed by Scout as the nation's top center recruit
- Invited to Nike's The Opening – the most prestigious football recruiting camp of the 2015 summer – and the Rivals 100 Five-Star Challenge

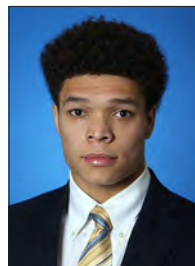
- The nation's second-best center, according to 247sports, which also ranks him as the second-best prospect in the state and the 140th best in the nation
- Ranked as the second-best center and the second-best prospect in the state by Rivals after recording 163 pancake blocks as a senior
- ESPN ranked him the third-best center and No. 2 overall in the state ... Rated by Scout as the 83rd best prospect in the nation
- Coached by former UK All-SEC defensive end Dennis Johnson
- The four-year letter winner picked UK over Alabama, Florida, Mississippi State, Ohio State, Penn State, South Carolina, Tennessee and LSU

Personal

- Born in Lexington
- Son of Brian and Candy Jackson
- Brian played football at Purdue
- Major is agricultural economics

Drake Says

- He chose UK because he wanted to do something special for the school he grew up rooting for
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a high school or college coach
- One word to describe him is "cerebral"
- His favorite part of game day is the bus ride to the stadium with his brothers
- Most people don't know that if he wasn't playing football he would be an astronaut



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ZACH JOHNSON

SAFETY

5-10 • 187 • Senior-2L
 Cincinnati, Ohio (Colerain)

2018 - Junior

- Had eight tackles in 13 games on special teams, most of them highlight-reel worthy
- Earned a full scholarship in the 2018 fall camp
- Dean's List (Fall 2018)

2017 - Sophomore

- Saw action in eight games on special teams
- Had two kick returns for 35 yards

2016 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

- A two-year starter and three-year letter winner at Colerain for head coach Tom Bolden
- Helped the Cardinals compile a 44-8 overall record and four conference championships in his four seasons, including a 12-2 record as a senior
- Averaged 8.0 yards per carry
- Ran for 142 yards and a TD as a junior
- Named first-team All-Conference as a senior

- Honor-roll student
- Chose UK over Georgetown Univ., Navy and Army

Personal

- Born in Cincinnati, Ohio
- Son of Aubrey Johnson and the late Cindy Johnson
- Major is kinesiology

Zach Says

- He chose Kentucky because he wanted to help change the culture
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a physical therapist
- His favorite part of game day is walking out of the tunnel
- If he had a hashtag to describe himself it would be #work
- His sports hero is Marshawn Lynch because of his work ethic

JOHNSON'S KOR CAREER STATISTICS

Year	KOR	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2017	2	35	17.5	0	20
Totals	2	35	17.5	0	20

JOHNSON'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD	KR	Yds	TD	Tkls
vs. Central Mich.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
at Florida	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
vs. Murray State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Miss. State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
vs. USC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
at TAMU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
vs. MTSU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8

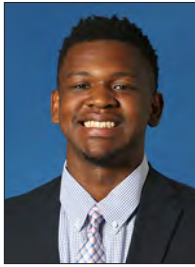
JOHNSON'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD	KR	Yds	TD
vs. E. Michigan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Miss. State	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	15	0
vs. Tennessee	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Ole Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Vanderbilt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Georgia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Northwestern	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	20	0
Totals	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	35	0

JOHNSON'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Kick returns: 1, twice, last vs Northwestern, Dec 29, 2017
Kick return yards: 20 vs Northwestern, Dec 29, 2017
Long kick return: vs Northwestern, Dec 29, 2017
Tackles: 2 vs Central Michigan, Sept 1, 2018





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ALEX KING

LINEBACKER

6-3 • 249 • Sophomore-1L
Mason, Ohio (William Mason)

2018 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in nine games

2017 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Known as one of the most explosive pass rushers off the edge in the Midwest
- A three-star prospect by all four major recruiting services
- Rivals.com ranks King as the No. 19 prospect from Ohio, while Scout.com ranks him as the No. 2 defensive end from Ohio
- Second in tackles with 40, including six sacks
- Also had one forced fumble and one fumble recovery
- Ranked third overall in sacks in the Greater Miami Conference which earned him a first-team All-Southwest Ohio and first-team All-GMC selection, his third-straight All-GMC first-team honor
- Scout's scouting report says, "(King) is a great athlete who runs well and chases down quarterbacks and ball carriers with his speed. Gets off the ball well, has the agility to change direction and in with finesse as a pass rusher. Can still get stronger and improve his general pass rush technique, but athletically, he has the goods"
- Head coach was Brian Castner
- Helped lead Mason to a 7-5 overall record and the second round of the Division 1 playoffs in 2016
- Nominee for the 2017 U.S. Army All-American Bowl
- Also a talented basketball player and shot-putter on the track team
- Picked Kentucky after considering Michigan, Michigan State, Tennessee and Wisconsin

Personal

- Born in Atlanta, Ga.
- Son of Andrea and Aaron King
- Mom, Andrea, ran track at Bowling Green
- Major is family science

Alex Says

- He chose Kentucky because it was close to home and because of the coaches love of defense
- One word to describe him on the field is "monster"
- His sports hero is Von Miller because he plays so hard
- Most people don't know he started playing football after he saw pictures of his mom on a youth league football team when she was young



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DARIAN KINNARD

OFFENSIVE LINEMAN

6-5 • 324 • Sophomore-1L
Knoxville, Tenn. (St. Ignatius - Ohio)

2018 - Freshman

- Played in nine games, starting two of the last three at left tackle
- Helped lead a Kentucky offensive line that blocked for numerous season highs this season
- UK set season highs with 56 points, 601 yards total offense, 29 first downs and 340 rushing yards at Louisville ... Graded at 84 percent ... Had no penalties or missed assignments and did not allow any quarterback sacks ... Credited with 16 blocks at the point of attack, including three long touchdown runs – Benny Snell's 24-yard TD, A.J. Rose's 75-yard untouched TD dash, and Kavosiey Smoke's 37-yard TD

High School

- Rated the 101st best player in the country and No. 16 offensive tackle as a four-star recruit by 247Sports
- Rated a four-star by ESPN and a three-star by Rivals
- Rivals rated him the No. 21 recruit in prospect-laden Ohio
- 247Sports rated him one of the Top 20 offensive tackles in the country
- Played at the powerhouse St. Ignatius program in Cleveland, which has won 11 state championships and three national championships under the direction of legendary coach Chuck Kyle
- Massive player at 6-foot-5, 357 pounds
- Selected to play in the U.S. Army All-American game
- All-State honoree in Ohio
- Was the first offensive lineman to join Kentucky's 2018 recruiting class
- Chose Kentucky over Penn State, UCLA and Tennessee

Personal

- Born in Youngstown, Ohio
- Son of Mandy Headrick
- Major is kinesiology

Darian Says

- His nickname is "Dai Dai"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a physical therapist
- If he could learn to do one thing it would be to speak Chinese or Japanese
- He chose to play football at Kentucky because of the possibilities it provided
- Most people don't know that he is related to Dolly Parton



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HAROLD LACY

LINEBACKER

6-2 • 243 • Sophomore-TR
Memphis, Tenn. (Middle Tennessee/Cordova)

2018 - r-Freshman

- Sat out due to NCAA transfer rules

2017 - Freshman (Middle Tennessee)

- Practiced with the team

High School

- Led the team in rushing with over 1,000 yards
- Set the school record for career total touchdowns with 47
- Helped the Wolves finish 12-2 in his senior year with an appearance in the state semifinals
- Coached by Anthony Jones
- Chose Kentucky over Middle Tennessee and Memphis
- Also a member of the track & field team

Personal

- Born in Memphis, Tenn.
- Son of Tormeka Washington and Marvell Lacy
- Major is sociology

Harold Says

- His nickname is "Lucky"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a real estate agent
- If he could learn to do one thing it would be to sing
- He chose to play football at Kentucky for an opportunity to better himself
- One word to describe him on the field is physical



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KOLBE LANGHI

QUARTERBACK

6-4 • 235 • Sophomore-SQ
Hopkinsville, Ky. (Christian County)

2018 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

- Preferred walk-on
- A three-star recruit by most of the major recruiting services
- Rated the 18th-best player out of Kentucky by 247Sports.com



- Coached by Steve Lovelace
- The lefty is Christian County's all-time leading passer with 9,002 career yards and 101 total TDs
- Threw 81 total touchdown passes and added 20 more on the ground
- Completed 56-percent of his passes
- Helped the Colonels post a 32-16 record in his four years as the signal caller
- Earned All-Western Kentucky Conference honors all four years
- Participated in the 2017 Best of the Bluegrass All-Star Football Game
- Also played basketball and baseball and was a member of the Future Business Leaders of America

Personal

- Born in Nashville, Tenn.
- Son of Dawn and Donnie Langhi
- Major is undecided

Kolbe Says

- The person who has influenced him most in life is his grandpa because he was the perfect role model
- His hobbies are anything outdoors such as hunting and fishing
- If he could take a trip anywhere he would visit Wyoming
- His favorite movie is Tombstone



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SHAWN
LAWSON
DEFENSIVE END

6-3 • 214 • Sophomore-SQ
Jonesboro, Ga. (Jonesboro)

2018 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

- A two-way player as an offensive lineman and defensive end for head coach Detimothy Floyd at Jonesboro
- Named to the All-Clayton County Football Second Team in 2017 as a top-graded offensive lineman for run-first offense
- Earned the Chick-Fil-A Leadership Award as a senior
- Teammate of CB Jordan Griffin
- Two-year letterwinner in wrestling and basketball
- Finished first in the area and 10th in sectionals as a senior wrestler
- National Honor Society
- Graduated in the top 10 percent of his class, earning a Red Cross Scholarship
- Chose Kentucky over Georgia State and Mississippi State

Personal

- Born in Atlanta, Ga.
- Son of Christine Lawson and John Lawson
- Major is undecided

Shawn Says

- His nickname is "Little Man"
- His hobbies include drawing, reading, playing video games and chess
- His favorite movie is ATL
- If he could learn to do one thing it would be to swim
- He chose Kentucky because of the people and it felt like home



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NICK
LEWIS
OFFENSIVE TACKLE

6-9 • 367 • Freshman-RS
Jacksonville, Fla. (The Bolles School)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Three-star prospect by all the major recruiting services
- No. 53 offensive tackle nationally and the 111th-ranked prospect in the state of Florida by 247sports
- Helped the Bolles Bulldogs finish 8-4 in 2017 under first-year head coach Wayne Belger
- In 2016, under long-time head coach Corky Rogers, the Bulldogs went undefeated in the regular season and advanced to the state championship game
- Named first-team All-State and All-District
- Member of the Black Student Union
- Also played power forward and center on the basketball team
- Held 22 scholarship offers before ultimately choosing UK over Washington State

Personal

- Born in Jacksonville, Florida
- Son of Earl and Yashika Lewis
- Major is undecided

Nick Says

- His nickname is "Big Nick"
- He's also a talented basketball player
- If he could trade places with Coach Stoops for one day he would let the offensive line run the ball
- His favorite quote he likes to live by is "there has never been a person who gave his all and regretted it"
- He chose to play football at Kentucky because it had a great atmosphere and it's a great program



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KORDELL
LOONEY
DEFENSIVE TACKLE

6-3 • 297 • Junior-2L
Springfield, Ohio
(Springfield)

2018 - Sophomore

- Totaled 15 tackles, two QBHs and a PBU in 13 games
- Had a career-high tying three tackles three times, the last in the win over Vanderbilt

2017 - Freshman - RS

- Played in 11 games, totaling 10 tackles
- Charted a career-high three tackles along with a tackle for loss vs. Louisville
- Had two tackles in the season opener vs. Southern Miss and at Mississippi State

High School

- A three-star recruit who was rated the No. 57 defensive tackle nationally and No. 42 player in Ohio by 247sports
- Rated No. 36 by Rivals
- Totaled 93 tackles and seven sacks in just two seasons of varsity football
- Didn't start playing varsity football until his junior year of high school
- Two-time first-team All-Greater Western Ohio Conference honoree
- Second-team AP Southwest All-District as a senior
- Blue-Grey All-American Bowl Watch List
- Two-sport athlete at Springfield as he also played basketball
- Coached by Maurice Douglass
- Chose UK over Louisville, Illinois and Pittsburgh

Personal

- Born in Springfield, Ohio
- Son of La'Rese Watkins, Rudolph Looney and Debra Stout
- Major is sociology

Kordeell Says

- His nickname is "Loon"
- He chose Kentucky because he loves the people, the school and the coaching staff
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be an accountant
- One word to describe him on the field is "hungry"
- His favorite meal is chicken Alfredo

LOONEY'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tackles	TFL-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.	FC/FR	QBH	PBU
2017	DT	11-0	10	1.0-1	0.0-0	0	0	0
2018	DT	13-0	15	1.0-3	0.0-0	0	2	1
Totals	DT	24-0	25	2.0-4	0.0-0	0	2	1





LOONEY'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Table with columns: Opponent, Tkl., TFL-Y, Sacks-Y, PBU, FF, FR, PBU, QBH. Rows include games vs. Central Mich., at Florida, vs. Murray State, vs. Miss. State, vs. South Carolina, at TAMU, vs. Vanderbilt, at Missouri, vs. Georgia, at Tennessee, vs. MTSU, at Louisville, vs. Penn State, and Totals.

LOONEY'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Table with columns: Opponent, Tkl., TFL-Y, Sacks-Y, PBU, FF, FR, Int., QBH. Rows include games at Southern Miss, vs. EKU, at South Carolina, vs. Florida, vs. E. Michigan, vs. Missouri, at Miss. State, vs. Tennessee, vs. Ole Miss, at Vanderbilt, at Georgia, vs. Louisville, vs. Northwestern, and Totals.

LOONEY'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 3, three times, last vs Vanderbilt, Oct 20, 2018 (0-3)
Tackles for loss: 1.0, twice, last vs MTSU, Nov 17, 2018 (3 yards)
QBH: 1, twice, last vs Mississippi State, Sept 22, 2018
PBU: 1, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018



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JERQUAVION MAHONE

DEFENSIVE LINEMAN

6-3 • 308 • Freshman-RS
Jordan City, Ga. (Manchester)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Late pickup for the early signing period out of Manchester High School in Georgia
Late bloomer who burst onto the recruiting scene late
Coached by Evan Hochstetler

- Four-year starter who played both offensive and defensive line
Also a four-year letter winner in basketball, advancing to the state finals
MaxPreps credited him with 64 tackles, 22.0 tackles for loss and 7.0 sacks as a senior
Helped lead the Blue Devils to a regional championship
Also credited with 31 tackles, 5.0 tackles for loss and 1.0 sack as a junior
Chose Kentucky over Tennessee

Personal

- Name is pronounced "Jerquavion (jer-QUAY-vee-on) Mahone"
Born in Columbus, Georgia
Son of Kimberly Pollard
Major is undecided

Jerquavion Says

- His nickname is "Qua"
He's also a talented basketball player and loves to make music
He chose to play football at Kentucky because the staff was loyal
Most people would be shocked to know he likes to put syrup on his spaghetti
If he could learn to do one thing it would be to play the piano



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TYLER MARKRAY

RUNNING BACK

5-10 • 214 • Freshman-RS
West Bloomfield, Mich. (Walled Lake Central)

2018 - Sophomore

- Redshirt season

High School

- Transferred to Walled Lake Central in Walled Lake, Mich., for his senior season, playing both running back and linebacker
In just five games, totaled 79 carries, 720 yards and 10 touchdowns before a knee injury sidelined him for the remainder of the season
Won three state titles at St. Mary's High School
2017 Detroit Free Press' All-North honorable mention
A three-year starter at running back
Coached by Bob Meyer
Chose Kentucky over Oregon
Also a four-year letter winner in basketball as a point guard
Honor Roll student

Personal

- Born in Detroit
Son of Terri Markray and Triando Markray
Father played football at Michigan
Major is pre-management

Tyler Says

- His nickname is "Ty"
Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to own his own sports agency
One thing most people don't know about him is that he used to play ice hockey
One word to describe him on the field is "tenacious"
His sports heroes are Tiki Barber and LaDainian Tomlinson



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MARQUAN MCCALL

DEFENSIVE LINEMAN

6-3 • 376 • Sophomore-1L
Detroit, Mich. (Oak Park)

2018 - Freshman

- Saw action in eight games and totaled five tackles, 1.5 TFL and a forced fumble
Totaled three tackles, a quarterback sack, another one-half tackle for loss, and a forced fumble vs. Murray State
His QB sack caused a fumble
Combined on a one-yard tackle for loss in a series that ended with a punt

High School

- One of Kentucky's highest-rated recruits in the 2018 class
A four-star recruit by 247Sports, Rivals and ESPN
Rivals rated him the No. 4 offensive guard in the nation
247Sports also listed him as the No. 4 offensive guard in the nation, as well as the top player in Michigan and No. 135 overall player in the Class of 2018
Named first-team All-State by the Detroit Free Press and the Associated Press
Helped Oak Park reach the Division 2 regional final
Can play both offensive and defensive line at the collegiate level as he also played defensive tackle and clogged up the middle of the defensive line
All-State player and rated the No. 1 offensive guard in the Midwest
Regarded as a tremendous technician on the offensive line
Played for Greg Carter at Oak Park High School in Oak Park, Mich.
Carter said "For a guy his size, 325 pounds, he's extremely quick and athletic and has great hands"
Chose Kentucky over Michigan, Michigan State, Ole Miss, Penn State, Pitt, Wisconsin, Missouri and Minnesota

Personal

- Born in Detroit, Michigan
Son of Marenthia McCall
Major is undecided

Marquan Says

- His nickname is "Bully"



- He chose to play football at Kentucky because of the coaching staff's loyalty
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a sign language interpreter
- If he could learn to do one thing it would be sign language
- The most influential person in his life is his grandmother because she's always positive and she keeps him on the right track

MCCALL'S CAREER STATISTICS								
Year	G-GS	Tackles	TFL-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.	PD	FF	FR	QBH
2018	8-0	5	1.5-2	1.0-1	0	1	0	1
Totals	8-0	5	1.5-2	1.0-1	0	1	0	1

MCCALL'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME									
Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Y	Sacks-Y	PBU	FF	FR	Int.	QBH	
at Florida	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	3	1.5-2	1.0-1	0	1	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. MTSU	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Louisville	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	1.5-2	1.0-1	0	1	0	0	0	0



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GRANT
MCKINNISS

PUNTER

6-1 • 204 • Senior-2L
Findlay, Ohio
(Findlay)

2018 - Junior

- Handled all kickoffs for the Wildcats
- Charted 66 kickoffs for 4,069 yards and 36 touchbacks (61.7)
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2016 - Freshman

- Was a nominee for the Ray Guy Award given to the nation's top punter
- Ranked third among SEC freshman punters, averaging 39.2 yards per punt on the season
- Had 10 punts inside the 20-yard line
- Boomed a career-long 61-yard punt in the second quarter at Alabama
- For the game at Alabama, averaged 44.7 yards on six punts, besting his previous high average of 43.4 versus Florida on Sept. 8
- SEC First-year Academic Honor Roll (2016-17)

High School

- A four-star recruit who is rated the nation's No. 4 punter according to Scout
- Earned Three Rivers Athletic Conference first-team honors as a placekicker four straight seasons and was a first-team selection as a punter three seasons in a row
- Two-time first-team All-Northwest Ohio honoree
- Converted 38 of 40 PAT kicks and 10 of 11 field goals, including a season-long 52-yarder as a senior
- Averaged 39.4 yards on punts and put 11 of 32 kicks inside the 20-yard line
- As a junior, averaged 40.8 yards on 41 punts, dropping 12 punts inside the 20-yard line
- Converted 40 of 42 PAT attempts and was 5-for-8 in FG attempts, including a school-record 53-yarder
- While kicking off in 2014, had 44 of his 60 kickoff downs for touchbacks
- Earned second-team All-State honors as a junior, marking his second consecutive year honored
- Named MaxPreps 2012 Freshman All-American First Team
- Also earned third team All-Ohio Division I as a freshman
- For his career, connected on 148 of 159 PAT attempts and 29 field goals
- His 235 points ties him for the sixth-highest total for points by a kicker in the Ohio prep football record books
- One of the Elite 88 high school seniors selected to compete in the 10th annual Offense-Defense All-American Bowl and the 2016 Ohio High Football Coaches Association North-South All-Star Classic
- Also letter three seasons as a guard on the basketball team
- Chose Kentucky over Toledo, Clemson, Penn State, Purdue and Michigan State

Personal

- Born in Findlay, Ohio
- Son of Angie and Patrick McKinniss
- Major is psychology

Grant Says

- One word to describe him on the field is "determined"
- His sport hero is Kobe Bryant because he's a legend
- When he's not playing football he enjoys spending time with family and friends
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a sports psychologist

MCKINNISS' 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Punts	Avg.	Long	Inside 20
vs. Southern Miss	4	36.8	45	2
at Florida	5	43.4	53	1
vs. New Mexico St.	3	41.7	48	0
vs. South Carolina	5	40.8	53	0
at Alabama	6	44.7	61	0
vs. Vanderbilt	5	36.2	44	2
vs. Mississippi State	3	34.3	37	1
at Missouri	5	35.8	41	0
vs. Georgia	7	40.0	59	1
at Tennessee	5	41.6	47	1
vs. Austin Peay	3	38.7	47	0
at Louisville	4	35.8	44	1
vs. Georgia Tech	3	34.0	37	1
Totals	58 (2273)	39.2	61	10

MCKINNISS' SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Punts: 7, vs Georgia, Nov 5, 2016
 Single-game Avg: 44.7, at Alabama, Oct 1, 2016
 Long: 61, at Alabama, Oct 1, 2016
 Kickoffs: 9, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
 Touchbacks: 8, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018



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WILLIAM
NALT

LINEBACKER

6-0 • 210 • Junior-SQ
Metairie, La. (Metairie Park Country Day)

2018 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team

High School

- Three-year letterwinner and starter at linebacker for head coach Joe Chango at Metairie Park Country Day
- Totaled 63 tackles, including 10 sacks as a senior, helping the Cajuns compile a 9-4 overall record
- Also had one forced fumble and one fumble recovery
- Earned All-District honors
- Had 53 tackles and two forced fumbles as a junior
- Member of the United States Saddle Seat Team who captured the Gold Medal in the 2014 US Saddle Seat Equitation World Cup
- Also a member of the junior team from 2012-13
- Competed in his first equestrian show at the age of five
- Chose UK over North Carolina

Personal

- Born in Metairie, La.





- Son of Donald J. Nalty Jr. (dad) and Holly (mom) and James Nichols (stepdad)
- Dad, Donald, played football at Tulane from 1982-86
- Major is pre-management

William Says

- His nickname is "Nalty"
- He chose Kentucky because it's a great area with great people
- When he's not on the field he enjoys riding horses and meeting new people
- His life's theme song is "Live Like You Were Dying" by Tim McGraw
- One word to describe him on the field is "persistent"



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MATTHEW
NAPIER

OFFENSIVE TACKLE

6-6 • 334 • Sophomore-SQ
Nicholasville, Ky. (East Jessamine)

2018 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team

High School

- Practiced with the team
- Four-year letterwinner and starter at left tackle for head coach Mike Bowlin at East Jessamine
- Helped lead the Jaguars to a 7-3 overall record in both his junior and senior season
- Earned All-State honorable mention honors in 2017 by the Courier Journal
- Participated in the 2017 Blue-Grey All-American Bowl in Dallas
- Also a member of the basketball and track & field teams

Personal

- Born in Lexington, Ky.
- Son of Angel and DeWayne Napier
- Major is animal sciences

Matthew Says

- His nickname is "Napalm"
- He chose Kentucky because it's home
- Besides playing football, he loves fishing on the weekends and working with kids
- The most famous person he's ever met is Anthony Davis



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CHRIS
OATS

LINEBACKER

6-5 • 227 • Sophomore-1L
Cincinnati, Ohio (Winton Woods)

2018 - Freshman

- Totaled 27 tackles, 3.0 TFL, 2.0 sacks, a forced fumble and two fumble recoveries in 13 career games
- Posted a career-high five tackles and had his second quarterback sack of the season at Louisville
- Earned his first collegiate start at Texas A&M, charting his first collegiate sack in the second quarter ... Ended the game with four tackles, including 1.5 for loss
- Also had four tackles in the win over South Carolina
- Recorded his first career tackle in the win over No. 14 Mississippi State

High School

- Four-star linebacker by all the major recruiting services
- Ranked the No. 22 outside linebacker in the 2018 class by 247sports
- Led Winton Woods to a 13-2 overall record and an appearance in the Division II state championship game as a senior
- Coached by Andre Parker
- Named the Division II Defensive Player of the Year and first-team All-Ohio by the Ohio Prep Sportswriters Association
- Totaled 79 tackles during the regular season and in five playoff games, had 60 tackles, including three interceptions and two touchdowns
- Reunites with high school teammate Mike Edwards
- Also a four-year letter winner in basketball as a center
- Chose Kentucky over Ole Miss, Oklahoma, Michigan State and Ohio State

Personal

- Born in Cincinnati, Ohio
- Son of Kemberly Gamble
- Major is undecided

Chris Says

- His nickname is "Duece Duece"
- If he could trade places with Coach Stoops for one day he would help his mom retire
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a sports analyst
- He chose to play football at Kentucky because it was the best fit and he believes the Wildcats are building something special
- The one TV show he can't miss is "SportsCenter"

OATS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tkls.	TFL-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.	Blks	FF/FR	QBH
2018	LB	13-1	27	3.0-11	2.0-9	0	1/2	0
Totals		13-1	27	3.0-11	2.0-9	0	1/2	0

OATS' 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Y	Sacks-Y	PBU	FF/FR	Blks	Int.	QBH
vs. Central Mich.	0	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
at Florida	0	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	1	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Miss. State	1	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	4	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
at TAMU*	4	1.5-3	1.0-2	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	1	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
at Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	3	0.5-1	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	4	0-0	0-0	0	1/1	0	0	0
vs. MTSU	1	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
at Louisville	5	1.0-7	1.0-7	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State	3	0-0	0-0	0	0/1	0	0	0
Totals	27	3.0-11	2.0-9	0	1/2	0	0	0

OATS' SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 5, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018 (2-3)
 TFLs: 1.5, at Texas A&M, Oct 6, 2018 (3 yards)
 Sacks: 1.0, twice, last at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018 (7 yards)
 Forced fumble: 1, at Tennessee, Nov 10, 2018
 Fumble recovery: 1, twice, last vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2019



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BRYCE
OLIVER

WIDE RECEIVER

6-1 • 211 • Freshman-RS
Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Dillard)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Dual-sport athlete, also a star basketball player
- Three-star prospect by all major recruiting services
- Helped lead the Panthers to a district championship in 2016, catching 76 passes for 1,112 yards and five touchdowns
- Coached by Lorenzo Davis
- Rejoins former teammate Jordan Wright at UK
- Teammates with fellow signee Stanley Garner
- Chose Kentucky over UCF and Louisville

Personal

- Born in Plantation, Florida
- Son of Theresa Oliver
- Major is undecided



Bryce Says

- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a physical therapist
- The celebrity he sometimes gets mistaken for is Russell Westbrook
- The most famous person he's ever met is Lil Wayne
- The last time he was moved to tears was when his father passed away
- The one place he would love to visit is Africa



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JOSHUA PASCHAL

DEFENSIVE END

6-3 • 278 • Sophomore-2L
Olney, Md. (Our Lady of Good Counsel)

2018 - Sophomore

- Redshirt season
- Played in three games with one starting assignment vs. Middle Tennessee
- In July of 2018, was diagnosed with malignant melanoma on the bottom of his right foot ... underwent three surgeries, followed by ongoing monthly immunotherapy treatments
- Recovered sufficiently to play against Middle Tennessee ... started the game and saw occasional action throughout
- In the second quarter, made a tackle on a third down play that forced a punt ... When his name was called as the tackler, the Kroger Field crowd gave him a rousing ovation while his teammates swarmed him with congratulations
- Named SEC co-Defensive Player of the Week (11/19)
- Had two tackles and a TFL at Louisville
- Named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Freshman

- Played in all 13 games with one start
- Earned his first career start vs. Northwestern in the Music City Bowl
- Totaled 17 tackles, 4.5 TFL, 3.5 sacks, 3 QBH and 1 blocked kick
- Recorded a career-high three tackles along with a sack in the win over Tennessee and Vanderbilt
- Named SEC Special Teams Player of the week for his game-changing blocked punt vs. EMU
- First UK player to block a punt since Josh Forrester vs. Alabama State in 2013
- With UK clinging to a 17-14 lead in the fourth quarter, Paschal deftly broke through the line and punter shield, also deducing the correct place and time to block a running rugby punt
- The blocked punt went for an 18-yard loss back to the EMU 12-yard line, setting up Benny Snell's 12-yard TD run on the next play
- On the play before the blocked punt, forced a third-down incomplection with a quarterback hurry
- Finished the EMU game with a tackle and a QB hurry, and shared a quarterback sack

- Athlon Sports Preseason SEC All-Freshman Third Team

Personal

- Born in Washington, D.C.
- Son of Clayton and LaTauna Paschal
- Older brother, Travaughn, was a linebacker for the Wildcats from 2011-14
- Major is family science with a minor in coaching

Josh Says

- He chose Kentucky because of the family environment
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to own his own gym and be a personal trainer
- One word to describe him on the field is "relentless"
- The thing he's most looking forward to this season is playing against the best competition in the country and competing for a championship

PASCHAL'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tkls.	TFL-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.	Blks	FF/FR	QBH
2017	LB	13-1	17	4.5-26	3.5-23	1	0/0	3
2018	LB	3-1	3	1.0-2	0-0	0	0	0
Totals		16-2	20	5.5-28	3.5-23	1	0/0	3

PASCHAL'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Y	Sacks-Y	PBU	FF/FR	Blks	Int.	QBH
vs. MTSU*	1	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
at Louisville	2	1.0-2	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
Totals	3	1.0-2	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0

PASCHAL'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Y	Sacks-Y	PBU	FF/FR	Blks	Int.	QBH
at Southern Miss	1	1.0-3	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. EKV	0	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
at South Carolina	1	0.5-2	0.5-2	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Florida	1	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. E. Michigan	1	0.5-2	0.5-2	0	0/0	1	0	1
vs. Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
at Miss. State	2	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Tennessee	3	0.5-3	0.5-3	0	0/0	0	0	1
vs. Ole Miss	0	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
at Vanderbilt	3	1.0-7	1.0-7	0	0/0	0	0	0
at Georgia	0	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Louisville	2	0-0	0-0	0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Northwestern*	3	1.0-9	1.0-9	0	0/0	0	0	1
Totals	17	4.5-26	3.5-23	0	0/0	1	0	3

PASCHAL'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 3, three times, last vs Northwestern, Dec 29, 2017
Sacks: 1.0, three times, last vs Northwestern, Dec 29, 2017
Tackles for loss: 1.0, three times, last vs Northwestern, Dec 29, 2017
QBH: 1, three times, last vs Northwestern, Dec 29, 2017
Blocks: 1, last vs Eastern Michigan, Sept 30, 2017 (punt)



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CHARLEY LEWIS POORE III

KICKER

6-2 • 216 • Freshman-RS
Anderson, S.C. (Westside High School)

2018 - Freshman

- Saw action in three games, his first collegiate game was at Missouri
- Hit 2 of 4 field goal attempts

High School

- Rated as the No. 1 punter/kicker in the 2018 class by Prokicker.com
- Handled punts, field goals and kickoffs for the Rams
- Named South Carolina 5A Specialist of the Year after hitting 8 of 11 field goals and 26 of 27 PATs as a senior
- Prokicker.com's Rick Sang said "A very talented athlete who dominates his position and has shown great work ethic. He is already capable of launching NFL caliber kickoffs and punts"
- As a junior, converted 16 of 20 field goals with a long of 48, made all 44 extra-point attempts and had 63 percent of his kickoffs go for touchbacks
- Averaged 37.1 yards per punt in 2016 with 11 inside the 20-yard line
- Earned the top prospect award for 2017 at the Ray Guy Prokicker.com Kicking Camp
- Selected to play in the prestigious Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas game, pitting the top seniors from North and South Carolina against one another
- Member of two regional title teams coached by Scott Earley
- Also a lettered in soccer and tennis
- Picked Kentucky early and never really considered other offers

Personal

- Born in Anderson, S.C.
- Son of Lewis and Jodi Poore
- Major is undecided

Chance Says

- His nickname is "Chance"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a camera man
- The person who has most influenced him in life is his dad because he pushed him to be the man he is today
- His most memorable moment as a football player is hitting six field goals in one game

POORE'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	FG	Points	Long FG
2018	2-4	6	34
Totals	2-4	6	34



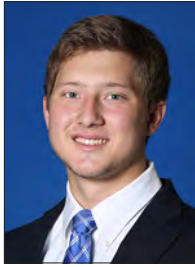


POORE'S FIELD GOALS BY DISTANCE

Year	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total	Long
2018	0-0	0-0	2-3	0-0	0-1	2-4	0
Totals	0-0	0-0	2-3	0-0	0-1	2-4	0

POORE'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Points scored: 3, twice, last vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018
 Points by kicking: 3, twice, last vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018
 Field goals made: 1, twice, last vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018
 Field goal attempts: 1, at Tennessee, Nov 10, 2018
 Longest field goal: 34, vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018
 Consecutive FGs made: n/a



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JUSTIN RIGG

TIGHT END

6-6 • 263 • So-1L
 Springboro, Ohio
 (Springboro)

2018 - r-Freshman

- Played in all 13 games with two starts
- Had four catches for 45 yards
- Earned his first career start vs. MTSU and had a 29-yard catch, the longest of his career
- Has two catches for 12 yards this season

2017 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- Played in two games before suffering a rib injury during the third week of the season
- Returned to practice for the bowl game but did not see action
- SEC First-year Academic Honor Roll (2016-17)

High School

- A 3-star tight end who is rated the No. 47 tight end and No. 43 player in Ohio by 247sports
- Voted team captain his senior season and hauled in 35 catches for 394 yards and a touchdown
- Helped Springboro finish 11-3 and advance to the second round of the Division I, Region 2 playoffs
- Named Greater Western Ohio All-Conference
- Earned an invitation to the 2016 Ohio High Football Coaches Assoc. North-South All-Star Classic
- Coached by Ryan Wilhite
- Also a letter winner and team captain on the basketball team at Springboro, averaging 9.4 points and 8.0 rebounds per game as a senior
- Excelled in the classroom as he was a three-time Basketball Scholar Athlete and earned the United States Marine Corps' Distinguished Athlete Award
- Picked UK over Bowling Green, Cincinnati, West Virginia, Eastern Michigan, Miami (Ohio), Ohio, Pittsburgh, Toledo and Wake Forest

Personal

- Born in Dayton, Ohio
- Son of Jay and Robin Rigg

- Grandfather, Joe Miko, played football at Ohio, while brother, Jordan, is currently a redshirt senior on the offensive line at Miami (Ohio) and brother, Jake, played at Walsh University
- Major is agriculture economics

Justin Says

- His nickname is "Rigg"
- He chose Kentucky because of the education, the football and the relationships
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a veterinarian
- One word to describe him on the field is "aggressive"
- He couldn't live without his dogs

RIGG'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2016	TE	2-0	0	0	0	0	0
2017	TE	13-0	3	40	13.3	0	18
2018	TE	13-2	4	45	11.2	0	29
Totals		28-2	7	85	12.1	0	29

RIGG'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
vs. Central Michigan	0	0	0	0
at Florida	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	1	5	0	5
vs. Miss. State	0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	0	0	0	0
at TAMU	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	1	7	0	7
vs. Georgia	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	0	0	0	0
vs. MTSU*	1	29	0	29
at Louisville*	1	4	0	4
vs. Penn State	0	0	0	0
Totals	4	45	0	29

RIGG'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
at South Carolina	1	6	0	6
vs. Northwestern	2	34	0	18
Totals	3	40	0	18

RIGG'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Receptions: 2, vs Northwestern, Dec 29, 2017
 Receiving yards: 34, vs Northwestern, Dec 29, 2017 (2 receptions)
 Long reception: 29, vs Middle Tennessee, Nov 17, 2018



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DAVONTE ROBINSON

SAFETY

6-2 • 197 • Junior-2L
 Lexington, Ky.
 (Henry Clay)

2018 - Sophomore

- Saw action in all 13 games with three starts
- Totaled 42 tackles, 3.0 TFL, four PBUs and two fumble recoveries
- Recorded a career-best nine tackles vs. Georgia, including a two-yard tackle for loss
- Totaled seven tackles with 1.0 TFL and one PBU in the win over Vanderbilt
- Had three tackles and a PBU in the win over No. 14 Mississippi State
- Recovered a Feleipe Franks fumble after he was sacked by Josh Allen and returned it 30 yards for a touchdown on the final play of the game at Florida sealing the win

2017 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in all 13 games
- Totaled 19 tackles, including a career-high five tackles in the win over Vanderbilt

2016 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- On top of being one of the best cornerbacks in the state as a senior, he also was a running back, using his speed to score seven touchdowns (four rushing, two receiving and one 91-yard kickoff return)
- As a junior he rushed for 492 yards on 35 carries and six touchdowns, while recording 32 tackles and two interceptions, including one for a touchdown on defense
- Led the team in tackles three straight seasons, including a team-high 100 tackles and one interception in 2015
- Named Defensive Player of the Year and first-team all-city by the Lexington Herald-Leader as a senior
- A 2015 Herald-Leader "Class of Commonwealth" honoree
- Helped the Blue Devils advance to the second round of the playoffs with a 7-5 record in 2015
- Four-year letterwinner in track, helping the Blue Devils win the 2015 and 2016 state title
- Class 3A state track champion in the 100 meters (10.85) as a sophomore
- Finished second in the state in 2015 in the 4x400 relay
- Winner of the 400-meter dash and second in the 100 meters at the 2015 Fayette County Public Schools Track and Field Championships
- Picked UK over Georgia, Louisville, Notre Dame and Ohio State

Personal





- Born in Lexington, Ky.
- Son of Laura Lancaster and Derek Robinson
- Grandfather, Tony Lancaster, played football at Murray State
- Major is kinesiology

Davonte Says

- His nickname is "D-Rob."
- He chose Kentucky because it's in his hometown and he bleeds blue
- One word to describe him on the field is "exciting"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a coach/trainer
- His sports hero is Deion Sanders

ROBINSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G-GS	Tackles	TFL-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.	PD	FF	FR	QBH
2017	13-0	19	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
2018	13-3	42	3.0-5	0-0	4	0	2	0
Totals	26-3	61	3.0-5	0-0	4	0	2	0

ROBINSON'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	PBU	FR	FF	QBH
vs. Central Mich.	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Florida	1	0-0	0-0	0	1-30	0	0
vs. Murray State	1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
vs. Miss. State	3	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at TAMU	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	7	1.0-1	0-0	1	0	0	0
at Missouri	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia*	9	1.0-2	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee*	4	1.0-2	0-0	1	0	0	0
vs. MTSU	5	0-0	0-0	0	1-0	0	0
at Louisville	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State*	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Totals	42	3.0-5	0-0	4	2-30	0	0

ROBINSON'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Yds.	Sacks	PBU	FR	FF	QBH
at Southern Miss	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. ECU	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at South Carolina	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Florida	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. E. Michigan	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Missouri	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Miss. State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Tennessee	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Ole Miss	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Vanderbilt	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
at Georgia	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Louisville	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
vs. Northwestern	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Totals	19	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0

ROBINSON'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 9, vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018 (5-4)
TFL: 1.0, three times, last at Tennessee, Nov 10, 2018 (2)
Fumble Recovery: 1, twice, last vs MTSU, Nov 17, 2018 (0 yds)
TD: 1, at Florida, Sept 8, 2018 (FR)
PBU: 1, four times, last at Tennessee, Nov 10, 2018



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CHRISTOPHER
RODRIGUEZ
JR.

RUNNING BACK

5-11 • 224 • Freshman-RS
McDonough, Ga. (Ola)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- Saw action in three games
- Appeared in his first collegiate game vs. Murray State and bulldozed two carries for 43 yards

High School

- A three-star prospect by all the major recruiting services
- Played on both sides of the ball as a running back and strong safety
- Ran for 1,669 yards on 233 carries with 25 touchdowns as a senior
- Averaged 7.2 yards per carry
- Named Henry County Offensive Player of the Week in November after running for 236 yards and five touchdowns in a win over Union Grove
- Rushed for 1,401 yards and 15 touchdowns with eight separate games of 100-plus yards rushing as a sophomore
- Increased his numbers to 1,660 yards rushing and 26 touchdowns as a junior
- Earned All-State, All-Region and All-County honors
- Named the Ola 2015 Player of the Year by MaxPreps
- Coached by Jared Zito
- Also lettered in basketball and track
- Chose UK over offers from Ole Miss and Mississippi State

Personal

- Born in Riverdale, Georgia
- Son of Stephanie Thornton and Chris Rodriguez
- Doesn't turn 18 until Sept. 26 and is the youngest player on the team
- Major is undecided

Chris Says

- His nickname is "Chris"
- He chose to play football at Kentucky because of the great coaching staff and players
- The person who has most influenced him in life is his mom
- His favorite quote to live by is "if you don't stand for something, you'll fall for anything"
- His most memorable moment as a football player is making three tackles on one play

RODRIGUEZ'S CAREER STATISTICS

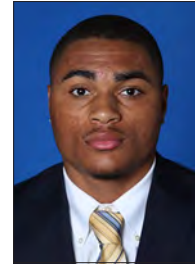
Year	G-GS	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2018	3-0	2	43	21.5	0	27	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3-0	2	43	21.5	0	27	0	0	0	0	0

RODRIGUEZ'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
vs. Murray State	2	43	0	27	0	0	0	0
vs. MTSU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	2	43	0	27	0	0	0	0

RODRIGUEZ'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Rush attempts: 2, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
Rush yards: 43 vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018 (2 carries)
Long rush: 27, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018



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ASIM "A.J."
ROSE

RUNNING BACK

6-1 • 210 • Junior-2L
Cleveland, Ohio
(Garfield Heights)

2018 - Sophomore

- Played in all 13 games
- For the season, rushed 86 times for 479 yards with five touchdowns
- Third on the team in rushing behind RB Benny Snell Jr. and QB Terry Wilson, averaging 6.2 yards per carry
- Ran 10 times for 112 yards at Louisville, including a career-long 75-yard touchdown dash that is also the longest run by a Wildcat of the season
- Caught four passes for 59 yards vs. Georgia, all career highs, including a 31-yard catch-and-run for his first collegiate receiving TD
- Rushed seven times for 38 yards, including an outstanding 24-yard touchdown run in the win over South Carolina
- Rushed a career-high tying nine times for 47 yards in the win over No. 14 Mississippi State
- Rushed eight times for a career-high 104 yards and career-high two touchdowns in the season opener vs. Central Michigan ... Had a career-long 55-yard run for a touchdown in the first quarter

2017 - r-Freshman

- Played in seven games, rushing 15 times for 37 yards
- Had a career-high nine carries for 26 yards at Mississippi State
- Was hampered by an ankle injury in fall camp
- Recorded his first carry in the ECU game

2016 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- A 3-star, versatile athlete who is rated the No. 34 athlete in Ohio by 247sports
- Stepped in for an injured teammate at quarterback and passed for 616 yards and 10 touchdowns, while running 94 times for 770 yards and 12 scores





- Earned an invitation to the 2016 Ohio High Football Coaches Association North-South All-Star Classic
- Named to the Northeast Ohio Conference All-Lake Division first team as a junior after leading his team to a conference championship and a Division II playoff appearance
- Picked UK over Indiana, Iowa and Minnesota

Personal

- Born in Raleigh, N.C.
- Son of Shauna Scott-Rose, Asim Rose Sr.
- Major is community and leadership development
- Earned an Eagle Scout in 2014, the highest achievement or rank attainable in the Boy Scouting program of the Boy Scouts of America
- Only four percent of Boy Scouts are granted this rank after a lengthy review process

A.J. Says

- He chose Kentucky because of the coaching staff, the academics and the campus
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be an undercover police officer or a coach
- If he had a hashtag to describe himself it would be #Run10
- His passions in life are playing football and being around family
- Most people don't know that he's an Eagle Scout

ROSE'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G-GS	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2017	7-0	15	37	2.5	0	9	1	1	1.0	0	1
2018	13-0	71	442	6.2	5	75	8	82	10.2	1	31
Totals	20-0	86	479	5.6	5	75	9	83	9.2	1	31

ROSE'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
vs. CMU	8	104	2	55	0	0	0	0
at Florida	4	23	0	31	0	0	0	0
vs. MSU	5	23	1	13	0	0	0	0
vs. MSST	9	49	0	14	0	0	0	0
vs. USC	7	44	1	24	0	0	0	0
at TAMU	3	6	0	6	1	3	0	3
vs. Vandy	5	17	0	7	0	0	0	0
at Mizzou	5	11	0	11	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	2	-1	0	3	4	59	1	31
at Tennessee	2	9	0	5	1	4	0	4
vs. MTSU	7	48	0	31	0	0	0	0
at UofL	10	112	1	75	2	16	0	9
vs. Penn St.	4	9	0	9	0	0	0	0
Totals	71	442	5	75	8	82	1	31

ROSE'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long	KR	Yds	TD
at SM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	0
vs. EKU	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at USC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Florida				DNP							
vs. EMU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Missouri				DNP							
at Miss. St.	9	26	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. UT				DNP							

vs. Ole Miss	DNP										
at Vanderbilt	3	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Georgia	DNP										
vs. Louisville	DNP										
vs. NW	2	5	0	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	15	37	0	9	1	1	0	1	1	9	0

ROSE'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Rush attempts: 10, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018
 Rush yards: 112, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018 (10 carries)
 Long rush: 75, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018
 Rushing TDs: 2, vs Central Michigan, Sept 1, 2018
 Receptions: 4, vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018
 Receiving yards: 59, vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018
 Long reception: 31, vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018
 All-purpose yards: 128, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018
 Kick returns: 1, at Southern Miss, Sept 2, 2017
 Kick return yards: 9, at Southern Miss, Sept 2, 2017 (1 return)
 Long kick return: 9, at Southern Miss, Sept 2, 2017



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MATT RUFFOLO

KICKER

5-11 • 216 • Junior-SQ
Centerville, Ohio
(Archbishop Alter)

2018 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team
- Dean's List (Fall 2017)

High School

- Two-year starter and letter winner at kicker for Archbishop Alter
- Coached by Ed Domsitz
- Did not miss an extra point for two straight seasons (2016 and 2015)
- Ranks second all-time in Ohio for consecutive PATs made with 103
- Hit 4 of 5 field goals, 79 of 79 PATs, 73 of 85 kicks were touchbacks and averaged 40.0 yards per punt as a senior
- Helped the Knights finish as conference champs and state runner-up with a 13-1 record in 2016
- Named to the All-Greater Catholic League First Team and was named to the Miami Valley Football Coaches Association (MVFCA) All-Star Team
- Honorable mention Southwest Ohio
- Member of the National Honors Society, graduating with honors
- Member of the Student Council, Key Club, University Club and German Club
- Chose UK over Dayton, Ball State and Toledo

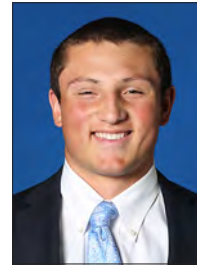
Personal

- Born in Dayton, Ohio
- Son of John and Susie Ruffolo
- Sister, Kara, played soccer at Loyola

- Brother, Michael, played football at Dayton
- Major is pre-finance

Matt Says

- His nickname is "Big Foot"
- He played soccer competitively until age 18
- Other than playing for the NFL he says his dream job is to be a CFO of a company
- Actor Mark Ruffalo, better known as The Hulk, is his fourth cousin
- His favorite place on Earth is Hawaii



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DREW SCHLEGEL

TIGHT END

5-11 • 218 • Senior-1L
Parker, Colo.
(Regis Jesuit)

2018 - Junior

- Saw action in 11 games and totaled four tackles on special teams
- Named to Fall SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2016 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team
- Dean's List (Spring 2017)

High School

- Three-year starter and team captain at Regis Jesuit for Coach Mark Nolan
- Charted 115 tackles, including 83 solo tackles, 16 tackles for loss, five sacks, three interceptions and two defensive touchdowns as a senior
- Totaled 100 tackles in his junior season
- Also lettered two seasons as a back for the rugby team, leading the Raiders to a state championship his senior season
- Picked UK over Wyoming, Colorado State and San Diego for football and Army West Point for rugby

Personal

- Born in Conifer, Colo.
- Son of Mike and Angela Schlegel
- Mike was a tackle and team captain at Kentucky from 1992-95
- Majoring in pre-finance

Drew Says

- His nickname is "IC3"
- He chose Kentucky because his dad played at UK and his dream was to play for the Wildcats
- His sports hero is Isaiah Canaan because he's the greatest player of all time and he overcame adversity
- Other than playing for the NFL he says his dream job is to be a professional rugby player or boxer



- Most people don't know he likes to wear jean shorts



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JAYLEN
SCOTT

DEFENSIVE BACK

5-10 • 195 • Junior-SQ
Clarksville, Tenn.
(Kenwood/ASA College Miami)**2018 - Sophomore**

- Practiced with the team

2017 - r-freshman

- Redshirt season

2016 - Freshman (ASA College Miami)

- Practiced with the team

High School

- Two-year starter as a running back at Kenwood for Coach Brian Beaubien
- Member of the National Honor Society

Personal

- Born in Clarksville, Tenn.
- Son of Cassandra Scott and Tommy Scott
- Majoring in kinesiology

Jaylen Says

- His nickname is "Rundact"
- He chose Kentucky because it was closer to home and for a better opportunity
- His sports hero is De'Anthony Thomas
- Other than playing for the NFL his dream job is to be a musical engineer
- Most people don't know he used to rap and create beats



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BRETT
SLUSHER

WIDE RECEIVER

6-2 • 193 • Senior-1L
Fort Mitchell, Ky. (Beechwood)**2018 - Junior**

- Played in 10 games on special teams
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Sophomore

- Practiced with the team

- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll
- Dean's List (Fall 2017)

2016 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team
- Dean's List (Fall 2016, Spring 2017)

High School

- Three-year starter at both wide receiver and linebacker at Beechwood High School
- Ended his illustrious prep career as the all-time leading receiver
- Made nearly 300 career tackles and recovered eight fumbles in his final three seasons
- Recorded 59 receptions for 1,150 yards and 20 touchdowns as a senior ... Also had 56 carries for 488 yards and 10 more TDs on the ground
- Defensively, he totaled 115 tackles as a senior, including 14.0 tackles per loss with four defensive touchdowns
- Helped Beechwood finish 13-2 in 2015 with a regional championship and an appearance in the state Class A title game
- Named District 1A Player of the Year by the NKCAA and *The Enquirer* Northern Kentucky
- Kentucky Mr. Football nominee in 2015
- Selected to Kentucky's Best of the Bluegrass All-Star game
- Named first-team All-State by the *Herald-Leader* and *Courier-Journal* on both sides of the ball in 2015
- Elected one of four team captains as a senior
- An excellent student who graduated with a 4.1 GPA
- Earned the prestigious "The Brian Williams That's My Boy Award" by the Greater Cincinnati Chapter of The National Football Foundation
- Also a NFF National High School Scholar-Athlete Top 25 Finalist
- Coached by Noel Rash
- A talented athlete who also excelled in baseball and track and field at Beechwood
- Four-year letter winner in baseball as a center fielder and pitcher who helped Beechwood win the 2016 and 2014 All "A" State titles
- Named first-team NKAC, first-team All-NKY Class A (Enquirer), first-team all-9th region, District 35 all-tournament team and honorable mention all -state
- Won the 2016 Class A 55m state championship in indoor track
- Named 2016 Greater Cincinnati Athlete of the Year

Personal

- Born in Fort Mitchell, Ky.
- Son of Brad and Shelli Slusher
- Comes from an athletic family as brother, Brandon, played baseball at Northern Kentucky, other brother, Brady, played football at Eastern Kentucky and grandfather, Wayne, played baseball and football at Michigan
- Double major in marketing and finance

Brett Says

- His nickname is "Slush"
- He chose Kentucky because he wanted to play for his home state
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to own his own business or be a professional poker player
- One word to describe him on the field is "savage"
- His sports hero is Brett Favre, who he is named after



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DONALD
SMITH

RUNNING BACK

5-6 • 173 • Junior-SQ
Harrodsburg, Ky.
(Mercer County)**2018 - Sophomore**

- Practiced with the team
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Freshman

- Practiced with the team
- Dean's List (Fall 2017)

High School

- Four-year letter winner at Mercer County
- Coached by David Buchanan
- Two-time All-State selection as a defensive back
- Member of 2015 District Championship team
- Five-year letter winner in track and also played basketball
- Helped Mercer County win two team state championships in track, running the 4x100 relay
- Graduated with a 4.0 GPA, earning Academic All-State all four years of his prep career
- Member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Key Club, Beta Club, Music Club, Pep Club (President), and was a Youth Salute participant
- Chose Kentucky over Center College and Louisville

Personal

- Born in Lexington, Ky.
- Son of Donald and Colette Smith
- Father played football at Western Kentucky
- Major is pre-finance

Donald Says

- His nickname is "D"
- He chose Kentucky because he loved the atmosphere
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a financial advisor
- One word to describe him on the field is "leader"
- He wears No. 30 because his dad wore it

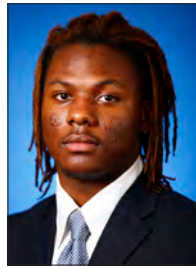


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KAVOSIEY SMOKE

RUNNING BACK

5-9 • 225 • Freshman-RS
Wetumpka, Ala. (Wetumpka)



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DEANDRE SQUARE

LINEBACKER

6-1 • 204 • Sophomore-1L
Detroit, Mich. (Cass Tech)

SQUARE'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tackles	Sacks-Yds.	TFL-Yds.	FC/FR	QBH	PBU
2018	LB	13-0	35	1.0-6	3.5-10	1/0	3	1
Totals		13-0	35	1.0-6	3.5-10	1/0	3	1

SQUARE'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Y	Sacks-Y	PBU	FF	FR	Int.	QBH
vs. Central Mich.	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1
at Florida	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	2	0.5-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0
vs. Miss. State	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1
at TAMU	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1
vs. Vanderbilt	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	5	1.0-2	0-0	0	1	0	0	0
vs. MTSU	2	1.0-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Louisville	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	9	0
vs. Penn State*	6	1.0-6	1.06	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	2.5-4	0-0	1	1	0	0	3

SQUARE'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 6, twice, last vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2019 (3-3)
TFLs: 1.0, 3x, last vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2019 (6 yards)
PBUs: 1, twice, last vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2019
QBH: 1, three times, last at Texas A&M, Oct 6, 2018
Forced fumble: 1, at Tennessee, Nov 10, 2018

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- Saw action in two games vs. Louisville and Penn State and totaled four carries for 45 yards and a score
- Got his first collegiate carries at Louisville, rushing four times for 45 yards, including a 37-yard scoring dash

High School

- A three-star recruit by all the major recruiting services
- Ranked the 29th-best running back in the nation by Rivals
- Four-year starter for the Indians
- Selected to play in the 31st annual Alabama-Mississippi Football All-Star Classic
- Helped Wetumpka advance to the 6A Alabama state championship game for the first time in the school's 115-year history
- Finished his senior season with 1,508 rushing yards and 28 touchdowns
- Earned Class 6A second-team All-State honors by the Alabama Sports Writers Association
- Rushed for 1,300 yards and 23 scores as a junior for the Indians, who finished 8-3
- Chose UK over offers from South Carolina, Auburn, North Carolina, Georgia Tech, Missouri, Florida and Virginia Tech
- Also a four-year starter as a small forward/power forward on the basketball team
- Coached by Tim Perry

Personal

- Name is pronounced "Kavosiey (kah-VAH-see-ay) Smoke"
- Born in Montgomery, Alabama
- Son of Helen Smoke
- Major is undecided

Kavosiey Says

- His nickname is "Smoke"
- Most people don't know he's part Native American
- He chose to play football at Kentucky because it's a great program
- The most influential person in his life is his mother because she works hard to make sure her kids are taken care of
- The celebrity he sometimes gets mistaken for is Leonard Fournette

2018 - Freshman

- Played in all 13 games with one start vs. Penn State
- Earned Freshman All-SEC honors by the league coaches after totaling 35 tackles, 3.5 TFL, three QBHs, one PBU and one forced fumble
- In his first collegiate start vs. Penn State in the VRBO Citrus Bowl, tied his career-high of six tackles, including a six-yard quarterback sack
- Posted a career-high six tackles and QBH at TAMU
- Had a tackle and a QBH in the win over South Carolina
- Charted three tackles in his collegiate debut and has two tackles at Florida

High School

- A hard-hitting linebacker at powerhouse Cass Tech
- Rated a four-star player and No. 20 outside linebacker nationally
- Played both sides for head coach Thomas Wilcher
- Had 94 tackles, two interceptions and forced four fumbles to help Cass Tech advance to the Division 1 state semifinals as a senior
- Named first-team All-State by the Michigan High School Football Coaches Association and the Associated Press
- Played in the Offensive-Defense All-American Bowl in New Orleans, charting eight tackles
- Helped his team capture the Division I state title with a perfect 14-0 record in 2016, the first undefeated season in program history
- Won the 2014 and 2016 conference championship
- Coach Wilcher said, "He's fast, quick and tough and would do whatever was asked of him without question and then do it at a high level"
- Chose Kentucky after considering LSU, Michigan State, Purdue, Wisconsin and Cincinnati

Personal

- Born in Detroit
- Son of Florence Square and Tyrone Square
- Majoring in kinesiology

DeAndre Says

- His nickname is "D Square"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a coach or athletic trainer
- He chose Kentucky because it was the best place for him to play and he loved the atmosphere and the fans
- The most influential person in his life is his mother because he has seen how hard she has worked to provide for their family
- One word to describe him on the field is "fast"



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LOGAN STENBERG

OFFENSIVE GUARD

6-6 • 322 • Senior-3L
Madison, Ala. (James Clemens)

2018 - Junior

- Started in all 13 games at left guard, giving him 26 consecutive starts
- Blocked for UK's all-time leading rusher, Benny Snell Jr., the first player in school history to rush for 1,000 yards in three straight seasons
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Sophomore

- Started in all 13 games at left guard
- Blocked for All-SEC running back, Benny Snell Jr., the first player in school history to rush for 1,000 yards in consecutive seasons

2016 - r-Freshman

- An integral part of the offensive line who were named semifinalists for the Joe Moore Award which recognizes the nation's Most Outstanding Offensive Line
- Blocking for Boom Williams and Benny Snell, UK was the only team in the SEC with two 1,000-yard rushers



- Had 37 knockdown blocks and had only one missed assignment all season
- Allowed only one quarterback pressure all season
- Had a season-high eight knockdowns when UK rolled up 443 rushing yards at Tennessee, most in history for the Wildcats against an SEC opponent

2015 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- First-Year SEC Academic Honor Roll

High School

- A three-star offensive line prospect by all four major recruiting services
- Scout ranks him the second-best offensive tackle in the state of Alabama
- ESPN lists Stenberg as the 42nd-best prospect in the state of Alabama and the 134th-best offensive tackle in the nation
- Behind his strong blocking his high school team rushed for nearly 2,000 yards last season while totaling over 3,300 yards of total offense
- Named second-team all-state in 2014 by Alabama Sports Writers Association
- Cleared the way for his running back to rush for over 1,300 yards in 2014 and earn first-team all-state honors by the Alabama Sports Writers Association
- Totaled 34 pancake blocks for the season
- Had two quarterback sacks and forced two fumbles on defense
- Played in the Alabama-Mississippi All-Star Game in 2014 and impressed there
- Four-year starter
- Coached by Wade Waldrop
- Chose Kentucky over offers from Southern Miss and Troy

Personal

- Born in Madison, Ala.
- Son of Kimberly Stenberg and David Stenberg
- Major is integrated strategic communications

Community Cats

- Stayed after practice to spend time with the Special Olympics (2015)

Logan Says

- His nickname is "Stenny"
- One word to describe him on the field is "nasty"
- His favorite part of game day is the Cat Walk
- He chose Kentucky because of Coach John Schlarman and for the opportunity to make UK great
- His favorite movie is *Forrest Gump*



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CALVIN TAYLOR JR.

DEFENSIVE END

6-9 • 310 • Senior-2L
Augusta, Ga. (Augusta Christian)

2018 - Junior

- Saw action all 13 games, starting the last nine games at defensive end
- Had a season-high four tackles vs. Penn State, Middle Tennessee and Georgia
- Had two tackles and PBU in the win over South Carolina
- Had two tackles and a sack in the win over No. 14 Mississippi State

2017 - Sophomore

- Played in 11 games, earning his first career start vs. Northwestern in the Music City Bowl
- Totaled 22 tackles, 1.0 TFL and 1 QBH
- Recorded three tackles and a sack vs. Northwestern
- Charted a career-high six tackles at Miss. State
- Had a QB hurry in the win over Missouri
- Recorded a career-high four tackles in the win over Southern Miss

2016 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in three games, making one tackle

2015 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Three-year starter at Augusta (Ga.) Christian HS
- Played defensive end and left tackle on offense
- Named to the All-Central Savannah River Area team as a senior
- Senior year defensive stats featured 46 tackles, seven tackles for loss, two quarterback sacks and one fumble recovery
- Coached by Keith Walton
- Four-year letterman in basketball
- Team won state championship his junior year
- All-state and all-region in basketball
- Member of the Spanish Club and Quiz Bowl team

Personal

- Born in Orangeburg, S.C.
- Son of Deborah Nickens and Calvin Taylor Sr.
- Set to graduate in December with a degree in agricultural economics

Community Cats

- Stayed after practice to spend time with the Special Olympics (2015)

Calvin Says

- His favorite home-cooked meal is anything his mom cooks

- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to own a sports complex
- His favorite thing about football is how it gives you a chance to step outside your comfort zone
- The best advice he's ever received is "surround yourself with positive people"

TAYLOR'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tackles	TFL-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.	FC	FR	PBU
2016	DE	3-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2017	DE	11-1	22	1.0-2	1.0-2	0	0	0
2018	DE	13-9	26	6.0-16	1.0-10	0	1	1
Totals	DE	27-10	49	7.0-18	2.0-12	0	1	1

TAYLOR'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Y	Sacks-Y	PBU	FF	FR	Int.	QBH
vs. Central Mich.	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Florida	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Miss. State	2	1.0-10	1.0-10	0	0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina*	2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0
at TAMU*	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt*	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Missouri*	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia*	4	1.0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee*	3	2.0-3	0-0	0	0	1	0	0
vs. MTSU*	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Louisville*	1	1.0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State*	4	1.0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	26	6.0-16	1.0-10	1	0	1	0	0

TAYLOR'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tkls.	TFL-Y	Sacks-Y	PBU	FF	FR	Int.	QBH
at Southern Miss	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. ECU	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at South Carolina			DNP					
vs. Florida			DNP					
vs. E. Michigan	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1
at Miss. State	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Tennessee	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Ole Miss	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Vanderbilt	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
at Georgia	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Louisville	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Northwestern*	3	1.0-2	1.0-2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	1.0-2	1.0-2	0	0	0	0	1

TAYLOR'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 6, at Mississippi State, Oct 21, 2017 (1-5)
Sacks: 1.0, 3x, last at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018 (1 yard)
TFLs: 1.0, 2x, last vs Penn State, Jan 1, 2019 (1 yard)
QBH: 1, vs Missouri, Oct 7, 2017





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CLEVAN THOMAS JR.

WIDE RECEIVER

5-11 • 209 • Sophomore-1L
Miami, Fla. (Charles W. Flanagan)

2018 - Sophomore

- Redshirt season
- Saw action in three games early
- Caught two passes for a career-high 51 yards vs. Murray State
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Freshman

- Saw action in eight games
- One of seven true freshmen to see action in the opening game vs. Southern Miss and had his first career catch for four yards
- Graduated a semester early and enrolled at Kentucky in January of 2017

High School

- Three-star recruit who ranked as one of the nation's top 100 receivers by every major scouting service
- Contributed at several positions for the District 12-8A champions and regional semifinalist Falcons, playing defensive back, wide receiver and tight end
- Named to the Broward Football 8A-6A Offense First Team as a receiver
- Caught nine TD passes as a junior in helping lead the Falcons win the 2015 Class 8A state championship
- A three-year letter winner and starter for coach Stanford Samuels Jr.
- Father, Clevan Thomas, was a defensive back at Florida State in the 1990s
- Chose UK over Michigan, Louisville and Syracuse

Personal

- Born in Miami, Fla.
- Son of Yera and Clevan Thomas
- Major is community and leadership development

Clevan Says

- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be in the FBI
- One word to describe him on the field is "physical"
- If he had a hashtag to describe himself it would be #GodFirst
- His sports hero is his dad, who he grew up watching and learning from
- Most people don't know he can draw

THOMAS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2017	WR	9-0	1	4	4.0	0	4
2018	WR	3-0	3	63	21.0	0	40
Totals		11-0	4	67	16.8	0	40

THOMAS' 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

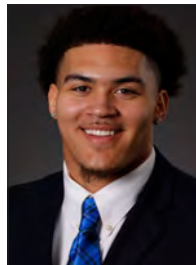
Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
vs. Central Mich.	1	12	0	12
at Florida	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	2	51	0	40
Totals	3	63	0	40

THOMAS' 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Long
at Southern Miss	1	4	0	4
vs. ECU	0	0	0	0
at South Carolina	0	0	0	0
vs. Florida	0	0	0	0
vs. E. Michigan	0	0	0	0
vs. Missouri	0	0	0	0
at Miss. State	0	0	0	0
vs. Tennessee	0	0	0	0
vs. Ole Miss		DNP		
at Vanderbilt	0	0	0	0
at Georgia		DNP		
vs. Louisville		DNP		
vs. Northwestern		DNP		
Totals	1	4	0	4

THOMAS' SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Receptions: 2, vs. Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
 Receiving yards: 51, vs. Murray State, Sept 15, 2018 (2 receptions)
 Long reception: 40, vs. Murray State, Sept 15, 2018



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KEATON UPSHAW

TIGHT END

6-6 • 247 • Freshman-RS
Lima, Ohio (Lima Senior)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- A three-star tight end in most of the major recruiting services
- Rated as the 25th-best tight end in the 2018 class
- A three-year starter who earned first-team All-Northwest Ohio District and second-team All-State honors by Three Rivers Athletic Conference after totaling 786 receiving yards on 46 catches with four touchdowns as a senior
- Also was a third-team Division II Ohio Prep Sportswriters Association (OPSWA) All-Ohio selection
- Caught 48 passes for 758 yards and four touchdowns as a junior, earning him a spot on the All-Northwest Ohio and TRAC first team
- Also named second-team All-Ohio
- Coached by Andre Griffin

- Also an excellent basketball player, lettering three seasons as a power forward
- Lettered one season in track & field, participating in the 4x400, 4x200 and the high jump
- Picked Kentucky over offers from Louisville, West Virginia, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Auburn

Personal

- Born in Lima, Ohio
- Son of Jessica Kahle
- Major is undecided

Keaton Says

- His nickname is "Keat"
- Besides football, he is also a talented bowler and corn hole player
- He chose to play football at Kentucky because he trusted the coaches and he wants to get better on and off the field
- The most influential person in his life is his mother because she pushes him everyday
- The celebrity he sometimes gets mistaken for is Klay Thompson



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AHMAD WAGNER

WIDE RECEIVER

6-5 • 238 • Senior-1L
Huber Heights, Ohio (Iowa/Wayne)

2018 - Junior

- Saw action in 11 games
- Was a target for QB Terry Wilson four times which drew three defensive pass interference calls

Iowa (Basketball)

- Played the last three seasons (2015-18) on the basketball team at Iowa for head coach Fran McCaffery
- Saw action in 96 career games with 25 starting assignments
- Scored double figures in six games and led the team in steals eight times and blocked shots six times in three years
- Averaged 3.1 points and 2.6 rebounds per game, and shot at a 50 percent clip or better all three seasons
- Totaled 70 assists, 43 steals and 29 blocks in his three-year career
- Earned the team's Most Improved Player Award and the inaugural Kenny Arnold Hawkeye Spirit Award as a sophomore

High School

- Played just one season of football at Wayne High School for head coach Jay Minton
- In 15 games as a senior, compiled 1,028 yards on 58 catches with 17 touchdowns.
- Earned first-team all-conference, all-state, and all-division accolades and helped lead the Warriors to the state championship game



- Was a four-time team captain on the basketball team, averaging 15 points and 11 rebounds, while earning all-state and first-team all-conference and all-division honors as a senior
- Just as he did on the football field, helped lead Wayne to the Ohio Division I state championship game as senior
- Also played on the All-Ohio Red AAU squad and played overseas in Italy his sophomore year
- Also ran the anchor leg of the 4x100 relay team who placed fourth at the 2015 Ohio state track meet
- Excelled in the classroom by maintaining a GPA above 3.5

Personal

- Born in East Haven, Ohio
- Son of Lee and Teresa Wagner
- Comes from a family of athletes as his mother ran track and father played football at Jackson State ... Brother, Ameer, played football at Texas Southern
- Major is pre-communications
- Has two years of eligibility

Ahmad Says

- He chose to play football at Kentucky because he liked the coaches and his teammates
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a coach or athletic director
- Most people would be surprised to know that he's a talented singer
- He's a closet country music fan



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NAASIR
WATKINS

OFFENSIVE TACKLE

6-5 • 310 • Sophomore-1L
Laurel, Md. (Our Lady of Good Counsel)

2018 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in 11 games and earned his first career start at left tackle in the season opener vs. Central Michigan
- Missed the Texas A&M game with injury

2017 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- A three-star offensive line prospect by all four major recruiting services
- Played tackle and tight end in high school as he possesses an uncommon level of athleticism for a high school lineman
- Ranks as the No. 19 recruit in the state of Maryland and the No. 92 overall offensive tackle in his class according to 247 Sports
- ESPN.com lists Watkins as 94th-best offensive tackle in the nation
- ESPN.com's scouting report says, "Watkins is a prospect with some raw ability and upside."

Good height and bulk with a frame and build that can still be reworked some to carry and better maximize more mass. Displays good strength though room to improve and while good sized he still looks to have youthful type build"

- Earned second-team All-Sentinel by The Sentinel Newspapers
- Named second-team All-Conference defense by the Washington Catholic Athletic Conference (WCAC)
- Coached by Bill Milloy
- Chose Kentucky over offers from Baylor, Temple and Old Dominion
- High school teammate of fellow 2017 signee Josh Paschal

Personal

- Name pronounced "Naasir (nah-SEAR)"
- Born in Bowie, Md.
- Son of Michelle Owens and Kevin Watkins
- Father, Kevin, played football at Norfolk State, while an uncle, Bryan Watkins, played at Pitt and another uncle, Randal Henry, played at Navy
- Major is pre-economics

Naasir Says

- His nickname is "Nas"
- He chose Kentucky because of the hospitality and the competition
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to teach football to children
- His passion in life is finding inner peace and happiness
- One word to describe him on the field is "woah"



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JAMAR "BOOGIE"
WATSON

LINEBACKER

6-3 • 242 • Junior-2L
Forestville, Md.
(Bishop McNamara)

2018 - Sophomore

- Saw action 12 of 13 games with seven starting assignments
- Totaled 24 tackles, 5.0 sacks, 5.0 tackles for loss, three PBUs and one forced fumble
- Second on the team behind National Defensive Player of the Year Josh Allen in sacks with 5.0 ... Ranked 19th overall in the SEC
- Had a quarterback sack vs. Vanderbilt, becoming the first Wildcat with a sack in four straight games since Josh Allen began the 2017 season with a sack in the first six games
- In the win over South Carolina, had two tackles, a sack, a forced fumble and a PBU
- Recorded four tackles in the win over No. 14 Mississippi State, including a sack
- Had a career-best six tackles and a pass breakup in his first career start vs. Central Michigan

2017 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in all 13 games, totaling seven tackles and 2.0 sacks
- Got his first career sack in the win over Tennessee
- Recorded a career-high three tackles and also had a sack in the Vanderbilt win
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2016 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- SEC First-year Academic Honor Roll (2016-17)

High School

- A three-star recruit who ranked as a top 100 outside linebacker by Scout despite not playing football until his junior year of high school
- Dual sport athlete in basketball and football
- Came on the recruiting scene after a great junior season which saw him chart 74 tackles and a 75-yard interception return for a touchdown
- As a senior, helped lead the Mustangs to the Washington Catholic Athletic Conference playoff berth for the first time in five years with 59 tackles, including five sacks and two interceptions, one he returned 68 yards for a touchdown
- Coached by Keith Goganious
- As standout basketball player, also received several college scholarship offers after averaging 11.4 points during his junior year
- Earned back-to-back MVP honors at Bishop McNamara in basketball
- Chose UK after receiving football offers from Old Dominion, Miami (Ohio), Boston College, Hampton, Virginia and Rutgers

Personal

- Born in Alexandria, Va.
- Son of Bridgette and Jerry Watson
- Majoring in sociology with a minor in criminology

Jamar Says

- His nickname is "Boogie"
- He chose Kentucky because he wanted to compete in the SEC
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a U.S. Marshal
- Most people don't know about him that he is great tap dancer

WATSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tkls	TFL-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.	FC/FR	PBU	QBH	INT
2017	LB	13-0	7	2.0-14	2.0-14	1/0	1	0	0
2018	LB	11-7	22	5.0-39	5.0-39	1/0	2	1	0
Totals		24-7	29	7.0-53	7.0-53	2/0	3	1	0





WATSON'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Table with columns: Opponent, Tkl., TFL-Yds., Sacks-Yds., FC, FR, Int., PBU, QBH. Rows include games vs. CMU, Florida, Murray St., Miss. State, USC, TAMU, Vanderbilt, Missouri, Georgia, Tennessee, MTSU, and Louisville.

WATSON'S 2017 GAME-BY-GAME

Table with columns: Opponent, Tkl., TFL-Yds., Sacks-Yds., FC, FR, Int., PBU, QBH. Rows include games at Southern Miss, ECU, South Carolina, Florida, E. Michigan, Missouri, Miss. State, Tennessee, Ole Miss, Vanderbilt, Georgia, Louisville, and Northwestern.

WATSON'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 6, vs Central Michigan, Sept 1, 2018 (5-1)
Sacks: 1.0, 7x, last vs Middle Tennessee, Nov 17, 2018 (1.0-11)
TFLs: 1.0, 7x, last vs Middle Tennessee, Nov 17, 2018 (1.0-11)
PBU: 1, three times, last vs South Carolina, Sept 29, 2018 (1.0-7)
QBH: 1, at Texas A&M, Oct 6, 2018
Forced fumble: 1, twice, last vs. South Carolina, Sept 29, 2018



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QUINTIN WILSON

CENTER

6-1 • 291 • Freshman-RS
Cincinnati, Ohio (Turpin)

2018 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
Dean's List (Fall 2018)
Played in one game vs. Louisville

High School

- Considered one of the top offensive line prospects in Ohio
Rated as the nation's No. 5 center by Rivals and No. 9 center by 247sports in the Class of 2018
A three-star prospect by all the major recruiting services
Played three seasons at Walnut Hills High School before transferring to Turpin his senior season
Earned first-team Division II OPSWA All-Ohio honors in 2017
Coached by Kent McCullough at Turpin
Excelled in the classroom, graduating cum laude and as a Ohio All-Academic First Team member
Chose Kentucky over offers from Virginia, Boston College, Cincinnati, Minnesota and Duke

Personal

- Born in Cincinnati, Ohio
Son of Terri and Lloyd Johnson
Major is pre-management

Quinton Says

- His nickname is "Q"
He chose to play football at Kentucky because it's a family environment
Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a sports executive
The most influential person in his life is his mother because she's his rock
Most people would be surprised to know he didn't start playing football until his freshman year of high school



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TERRY WILSON

QUARTERBACK

6-3 • 203 • Junior-11
Oklahoma City, Okla.
(Garden City CC/Oregon/Del City)

2018 - Sophomore

- Started in all 13 games at quarterback, leading UK to its first 10-win season since 1977
Completed 180 of 268 passes (67.2) with 11 TDs and just eight interceptions
Became the first Wildcat player with at least 1,500 passing yards and 500 net rushing yards in the same season
Completed at least 60 percent of his passes in 11 of 13 games
Ranked second on the team in rushing yards (547) and attempts (135) behind All-American Benny Snell Jr.
Among Power Five schools, Terry Wilson & Benny Snell Jr., had the second-most combined rushing yards for a quarterback/running back duo (1,996)
2,072 Trace McSorley/Miles Sanders, Penn State
1,996 Terry Wilson/Benny Snell, Kentucky
1,847 TaQuon Marshall/Tobias Oliver, Georgia Tech
Received the Howard Schnellenberger Award as the Most Valuable Player of the winning team in

- The Governor's Cup ... Completed 17 of 23 passes for 261 yards and a career-high three touchdown passes ... Rushed for 79 yards and a touchdown ... Had career highs with 340 yards total offense and four total touchdowns
Became the first UK quarterback to win his first five career starts since Bill Ransdell in 1984
Completed 79.3 percent of his passes vs. Georgia, the highest percentage for a UK quarterback with at least 25 attempts since Patrick Towles vs. Missouri in 2015 ... It was a UK quarterback's best completion percentage against a top-10 team since Mike Hartline vs. Auburn in 2010
Completed at least 70 percent of his passes in consecutive SEC games (Missouri and Georgia), the first UK player to do so since Mike Hartline in 2010
Had five SEC games with at least 65 percent completions, first UK quarterback to do so since Andre' Woodson in 2006
Completed 66.3 percent of his passes in UK's four SEC road games, 67 of 101 ... the second-highest single-season completion percentage in SEC road games in school history ... record is 67.9 percent by Tim Couch in his 1998 SEC road games
Set season highs by completing 22 of 31 passes for 267 yards in the win at Missouri ... Hit C.J. Conrad with a two-yard touchdown pass on the final play of the game
In the win over South Carolina, completed 13 of 20 passes for 132 yards and rushed 9 times for 59 yards, including a one-yard touchdown run
Earned Manning Award Player of the Week and was named to the Davey O'Brien Award's Great 8 list for his performance vs. No. 25 Florida
Completed 11 of 16 passes for 151 yards and his first two UK touchdown passes in his first major-college road game, directing Kentucky to a 27-16 win at Florida ... Accounted for 256 yards and three touchdowns
Rushed for 105 yards, his first 100-yard game as a Wildcat, becoming the first UK quarterback to break the century mark since Jalen Whitlow ran for 101 vs. Alabama State in 2013
Also became the first UK quarterback to rush and throw for at least 100 yards since Whitlow vs. Alabama State in 2013
Averaged 10.5 yards per rush vs. the Gators
Led UK to an average of 8.0 yards per offensive play, most vs. an SEC opponent since 2010
Against Central Michigan in the season opener, became the first player to start his first UK game at quarterback since Jared Lorenzen in 2000
Manning Award Player of the Week (9/13)
Manning Award "Stars of the Week" (9/10)
Davey O'Brien Award's Great 8 List (9/10)

Junior College

- Rated the No. 5 overall junior college player by ESPN
Redshirted the 2016 season at Oregon
Transferred to Garden City Community College in Garden City, Kansas for the 2017 season
Completed 57.6 percent of his passes for 2,133 yards, 26 touchdowns and 11 interceptions while rushing for 518 yards and five touchdowns on 126 carries at Garden City
Named the Jayhawk Offensive Player of the Year ... Finished the regular season second in the Jayhawk Conference in passing yards, first in touchdown passes and first in efficiency





- Ranked sixth in the nation in touchdown passes ... Garden City head coach Jeff Sims said "He's a dual-threat quarterback that's very intelligent, dynamic, fast. He's an accurate thrower"
- Chose UK over Florida and Nebraska

High School

- Completed 154 of 281 passes for 2,406 yards and 25 touchdowns as a senior at Del City High School to go along with 709 rushing yards (8.5 avg.) and 11 scores
- Threw for 2,856 yards and 24 TDs as a junior, accounting for 14.3 points a game
- Played in the Semper Fidelis All-American Bowl, where he led the West team by completing 10-19 passes for 111 yards and rushed for an additional 46 yards
- Also played in the Oklahoma Coaches Association All-State football game
- Named *The Oklahoman's* All-Midlands Region recipient and was chosen to PrepStar Super 30 listing of the state's top recruits
- Ranked as Oklahoma's No. 2 prospect in the state (*Tulsa World* and *The Oklahoman*) coming out of high school
- Two-time all-state honorable mention selection

Personal

- Born in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
- Son of Louise Wilson
- Major is community and leadership development
- Will have three years of eligibility remaining

Terry Says

- His nickname is "Terry Touchdown"
- He chose Kentucky because of the opportunity to play at a great place and in a great conference
- Most people would be surprised that he hasn't had a hair cut since the eighth grade
- The most influential person in his life is mother because she pushes him to be the best version of himself

WILSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

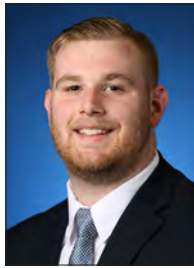
Year	G-GS	Rush	Yds	TD	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Long
2018	13-13	135	547	4	180	268	8	67.2	1889	11	54
Totals	13-13	135	547	4	180	268	8	67.2	1889	11	54

WILSON'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Comp.-Att.-Int.	Yds.	TD	Long	Rush	Yds.	TD	Long
vs. CMU*	11-18-2	78	0	21	9	38	0	13
at Florida*	11-16-1	151	2	54	10	105	1	31
vs. Murray State*	19-25-0	163	0	25	13	80	1	42
vs. Miss. State*	8-14-0	71	0	23	11	18	0	12
vs. South Carolina*	13-20-1	132	0	21	9	59	1	16
at TAMU*	13-20-0	108	1	54	14	4	0	6
vs. Vanderbilt*	3-9-0	18	1	11	12	97	0	23
at Missouri*	22-31-1	267	1	45	10	11	0	9
vs. Georgia*	23-29-0	226	1	31	12	12	0	0
at Tennessee*	21-34-1	172	1	20	10	-6	0	19
vs. MTSU*	10-14-0	121	1	17	5	27	0	12
at Louisville*	17-23-1	261	3	32	10	79	1	40
vs. Penn State*	9-15-0	121	0	54	10	43	0	15
Totals	180-268-8	1889	11	54	135	547	4	42

WILSON'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Pass attempts: 34, at Tennessee, Nov 10, 2018
 Pass completions: 23, vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018
 Pass yards: 261, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018
 Pass TDs: 3, at Louisville, Nov 24, 2018
 Long pass: 54, twice, last at Texas A&M, Oct 6, 2018
 Total offense plays: 44, at Tennessee, Nov 10, 2018 (10 rush, 34 pass)
 Total offense yards: 238, vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018 (12 rush, 226 pass)
 Rush attempts: 14, at Texas A&M, Oct 6, 2018
 Rush yards: 105, at Florida, Sept 8, 2018 (10 carries)
 Long rush: 31, at Florida, Sept 8, 2018
 Consecutive completions: 10, vs Georgia, Nov 3, 2018



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MASON WOLFE

OFFENSIVE GUARD

6-6 • 323 • Senior-2L
 Henderson, Ky. (Henderson County)

2018 - Junior

- Saw action in 12 games
- Dean's List (Fall 2018)
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2017 - Sophomore

- Saw action in 11 games
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2016 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in two games
- Named to SEC Academic Honor Roll

2015 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- First-Year SEC Academic Honor Roll

High School

- A three-star prospect by Rivals, Scout, 247sports.com and ESPN
- Helped his team to the state playoffs all four years of high school
- Scout ranked him the No. 1 offensive tackle in the state of Kentucky and sixth-best overall in KY
- Rivals ranks him the fifth-best player in the state
- His blocking helped Henderson County rush for 1,592 yards his senior season with 23 rushing TDs
- Helped the Colonels rush for 1,863 yards his junior season and 26 rushing touchdowns
- Named first-team all-state by The Associated Press and *Louisville Courier-Journal* in 2014
- A 2014 *Herald-Leader* Class of the Commonwealth honoree
- Three-year starter in the off. and def. lines
- Coached by Tony Lewis
- Picked Kentucky over California, Louisville, Missouri and Purdue

Personal

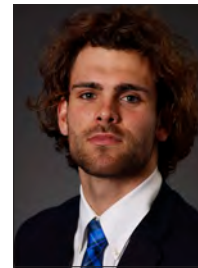
- Born in Evansville, Ind.
- Son of Ron and Julie Wolfe
- Major is sociology with a minor in criminology

Community Cats

- Stayed after practice to spend time with the Special Olympics (2015)

Mason Says

- His favorite meal is chicken and dumplings
- One word to describe him on the field is "smart"
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to coach and teach
- His favorite movie is *The Longest Yard*
- When he's not playing football he enjoys boating and fishing



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WALKER WOOD

QUARTERBACK

6-0 • 189 • Sophomore-SQ
 Lexington, Ky. (Lafayette)

2018 - r-Freshman

- Practiced with the team

2017 - Freshman

- Redshirt season
- Graduated a semester early and enrolled at Kentucky in January of 2017

High School

- Three-star recruit by every major recruiting service
- Rated as the No. 24 dual-threat quarterback in the 2017 class by Rivals
- Completed 203 of 321 passes (63.2 percent) for 3,047 yards and 30 touchdowns in leading the Lafayette Generals to a 13-2 overall record and an appearance in the Class 6-A championship game for the second straight year
- Also rushed for 1,321 yards and 31 touchdowns and averaged 6.6 yards per carry
- Received the Paul Hornung Award, given by the Louisville Quarterback Club to the state's top player and was a first-team All-State selection by the *Courier-Journal*
- Lexington's Player of the Year by the *Herald-Leader*
- Earned All-USA Kentucky Football Offensive Player of the Year and First Team honors by USA Today
- Candidate for Kentucky's Mr. Football award
- Named third-team All-State by *The Courier-Journal* as a junior after totaling 43 touchdowns (22 rushing, 21 passing) and leading Lafayette to the Class 6-A state final
- Saw varsity action as a freshman and finished his career with 8,230 passing yards and 74 touchdowns, along with 4,199 rushing yards and 73 touchdowns
- Elected team captain as a junior and senior
- Four-year starter for coach Eric Shaw
- High school teammate of current UK offensive lineman Landon Young
- Chose UK over Louisville, Ohio and Wake Forest

Personal





- Born in Lexington, Ky.
- Son of Tom and Wesley Wood
- Major is agriculture economics

Walker Says

- His nickname is "Walk"
- He chose UK because he believes in what Coach Stoops has started and the culture he has created
- When he's not on the field he enjoys skateboarding
- His life's theme song is "Party in the U.S.A." by Miley Cyrus
- If he had a hashtag to describe himself it would be #TakeIt2TheLennieHouse



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JORDAN WRIGHT

LINEBACKER

6-5 • 242 • Sophomore-1L
Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Dillard)

2018 - r-Freshman

- Saw action in nine games, totaling four tackles
- Charted a career-high three tackles vs. Murray State, along with a pass breakup and QBH
- Also had a QBH in the win over Vanderbilt

2017 - Freshman

- Redshirt season

High School

- Dual-sport standout in football and basketball
- A three-star football recruit
- Rivals ranks him as the 25th-best defensive end and the 80th-best prospect in Florida, while 247Sports has him as the No. 28 weakside defensive end in the country and the No. 67 player in the state of Florida
- Is the 46th-best defensive end in the class of 2017 by ESPN who says, "Wright is a tall, lean defender with some good tools and upside, especially as pass rusher"
- Coached by Lorenzo Davis
- Compiled 25 sacks as a senior
- Doubled as a tight end in the red zone, catching six touchdowns, including a critical score against Boynton Beach in the District 15-6A three-team tiebreaker to lead Dillard to the district title
- Earned *Sun Sentinel's* All-Broward first-team defensive honors in helping the Panthers finish 6-4 overall
- As a shooting guard, was a back-to-back preseason Fab Five selection and was an All-County pick
- Led the Panthers' hoops team to a Class 6A state title as a junior
- Named Mr. Dillard High School
- Chose Kentucky over offers from Miami, Arkansas and Florida

Personal

- Born in Lauderhill, Fla.
- Son of Wanda Burns-Wright and Louis Wright
- Comes from an athletic family as older sister, Kayla, currently plays basketball at Nova Southeastern,

while cousin, RaiQuan Gray, plays basketball at Florida State, and another cousin, Kenneth Ruff, plays football at Syracuse

- Majoring in community and leadership development

Jordan Says

- His nickname is "Jay Dub"
- He chose Kentucky because it was a perfect fit for himself and his family, and it felt like home
- His sports heroes are his parents because they push him to be the best he can be
- Other than play in the NFL, his dream job is to be a sports trainer
- One word to describe him on the field is "beast"

WRIGHT'S CAREER STATISTICS

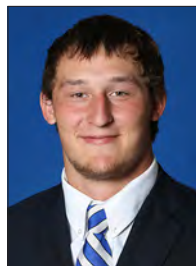
Year	Pos.	G-GS	Tackles	TFL-Y	Int.-Yds.	PBU	FF/FR	QBH
2018	LB	9-0	4	0-0	0	1	0	2
Totals		9-0	4	0	0	1	0	2

WRIGHT'S 2018 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Tackles	Sacks	TFL-Y	FR/FC	PBU	Int.	QBH
vs. Murray State	3	0-0	0-0	0/0	1	0	1
vs. Miss. State	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0	0
at TAMU	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0	1
at Missouri	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0	0
at Louisville	1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State	0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0	0	0
Totals	3	0-0	0-0	0/0	1	0	2

WRIGHT'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Tackles: 3, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
Pass breakups: 1, vs Murray State, Sept 15, 2018
QBHs: 1, twice, last vs Vanderbilt, Oct. 20, 2018



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LONDON YOUNG

OFFENSIVE TACKLE

6-7 • 324 • Junior-2L
Lexington, Ky. (Lafayette)

2018 - Junior

- Redshirt season
- Suffered a left knee injury during practice on Aug. 24 that required surgery and has not seen action

2017 - Sophomore

- Played in all 13 games with six starting assignments at left tackle
- Helped running back Benny Snell Jr., become the first player in school history to rush for 1,000 yards in back-to-back seasons

2016 - Freshman

- An integral part of the offensive line who were named semifinalists for the Joe Moore Award which recognizes the nation's Most Outstanding Offensive Line
- As a team, UK averaged a school-record 5.4 yards per rushing attempt and tied the school record for most rushing touchdowns in a season with 30
- Blocking for Boom Williams and Benny Snell, UK was the only team in the SEC with two 1,000-yard rushers ... Snell broke or tied six school records
- Had 27 knockdown blocks
- SEC First-year Academic Honor Roll (2016-17)

High School

- A five-star recruit by Rivals and 247Sports
- No. 1 prospect in Kentucky and No. 12 overall prospect in the nation by 247Sports
- Named top offensive lineman in the U.S. Army All-American Game for the West squad who won, 37-9
- Helped Lafayette average 36.7 points per game and advance to the Class 6A state title game
- Two-time first-team all-state selection by the *Courier-Journal* and The Associated Press
- 2015 *Herald-Leader* "Class of Commonwealth" Six-year letterwinner in wrestling and four-year letter winner in track and field in the shot and discus
- Won the 2016 KHSAA state wrestling title, finished his senior year with a 19-0 record on the mat
- Ranked as the state's top wrestler at 285 after finishing fourth in the state as a junior
- Three-time Class 3-A champion in the discus
- Won the 2015 state shot up title and finished second in 2016
- Named the 2014 Gatorade Kentucky Boys Track and Field Athlete of the Year
- 2013 USATF National Junior Olympics Track and Field Championships runner-up in both the shot put and discus
- Coached in football by Eric Shaw
- Member of the National Honor Society
- President of Lafayette's Future Farmers of America chapter and also a member of the Beta Club and Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- Chose UK over offers from Alabama and Auburn

Personal

- Born in Grayson County, Ky.
- Son of Angela and Randall Young
- Majoring in animal sciences with plans to become a veterinarian

Community Cats

- Volunteer for Read Across America event at Fayette Mall (2017)
- Guest speaker at Broadway Christian Church (2017)
- Guest speaker a local elementary school (2017)
- Visited a nursing home for a pre-Super Bowl party to give joy to the residents (2017)
- Volunteered for Read Across America event at Fayette Mall (2017)
- Habitat for Humanity volunteer (2016)

Landon Says

- He chose Kentucky because he wants to help start a legacy
- Other than playing in the NFL, his dream job is to be a veterinarian
- His favorite movie is *O Brother, Where Art Thou?*
- Most people don't know that he's learning to play the banjo
- When he's not playing football he enjoys hunting, fishing and farming



2019 SIGNEES



M.J.
DEVONSHIRE

CORNERBACK

5-11 • 180 • Freshman-HS
Aliquippa, Pa. (Aliquippa)

High School

- Four-start prospect by Rivals
- A talented receiver and defensive back at Aliquippa for head coach Mike Warfield ... Also returned kicks
- Helped lead the Quips win the 2018 WPIAL Championship and the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association Class 3A Championship title
- Offensively, totaled 327 rushing yards and scored 24 touchdowns four different ways ... The average length of those scores was 42.2 yards
- Had nine scoring plays of 50 yards or more
- Averaged 21.1 receiving yards on 27 catches
- On defense, totaled eight interceptions, including three in the PIAA championship game
- Was a huge threat on special teams as he posted eight punt returns for touchdowns, one short of the national record
- Had five returns for touchdowns called back because of penalties
- Named the 2018 WPIAL co-Player of the Year by the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette
- Chose Kentucky over Pittsburgh, Penn State and Ohio State



MARQUEZ
BEMBRY

OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

6-3 • 240 • Sophomore-JC
Stone Mountain, Ga.
(Mount Vernon Presbyterian/Jones County JC)

- Mid-year enrollee
- Will not participate in spring practice due to knee surgery
- Will have three years of eligibility remaining

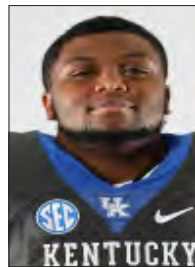
Junior College

- Played for head coach Steve Buckley at Jones County Junior College in Ellisville, Mississippi

- Recorded 36 tackles during his redshirt freshman season in 2018, helping the Bobcats finish 10-2 overall and 6-0 in conference play
- Advanced to the MACJC State Championship ... Led Jones to a 27-7 win over Eastern Arizona in the Mississippi Bowl on Dec. 2, highlighted by his six tackles, including 4.5 TFLs, one QB sack, one forced fumble and a fumble recovery

High School

- Rated a three-star pass-rushing specialist out of high school by each of the major recruiting services
- Graduated from Jones in December as a two-time Dean's List member
- Played for head coach Wayne Babbs at Mount Vernon Presbyterian High School
- Chose Kentucky over Ole Miss and Tennessee



CAVON
BUTLER

DEFENSIVE LINEMAN

6-3 • 300 • Freshman-HS
Toledo, Ohio (Whitmer)

High School

- A three-star recruit, who is considered a top-50 interior defensive lineman by Rivals.com and 247sports.com and No. 29 player in Ohio by Rivals
- Named Three Rivers Athletic Conference defensive player of the year and was selected first-team All-Northwest District and second-team All-Ohio in Division I (largest classification)
- Helped the Panthers to a 21-4 overall record and two Division I playoff appearances
- Had 71 tackles as a senior, including nine for loss, along with 7.5 sacks
- Caused four fumbles, recovered five fumbles, and scored two touchdowns in helping Whitmer compile a 9-3 overall record in 2018
- As a junior, had 91 tackles (nine for loss) and 12 sacks
- Coached by Ken Winters
- Comes from same high school as current Wildcat Phil Hoskins
- An all-around athlete who also plays basketball and throws the shot put
- Recruiting finalists were Michigan State and Ohio State before tabbing the Wildcats



JARED
CASEY

OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

6-3 • 230 • Freshman-HS
Louisville, Ky. (Ballard)

- Mid-year enrollee

High School

- A four-star prospect by all of the major recruiting services
- Rivals.com ranks him as the No. 15 outside linebacker nationally
- As a senior, totaled 70 tackles, 15.5 TFLs, three sacks and one forced fumble in 11 games for head coach Adrian Morton
- Played two seasons at Trinity before transferring to Ballard
- Chose UK over Oregon and Louisville



ELI
COX

OFFENSIVE LINE

6-4 • 300 • Freshman-HS
Nicholasville, Ky. (West Jessamine)

- Mid-year enrollee

High School

- A three-star recruit by 247sports.com and Rivals.com
- Ranked as the No. 14 Kentucky prospect in the class of 2019 by 247Sports
- Has the versatility to play at either offensive guard or tackle
- Has been instrumental in West Jessamine improving its win total each season of his prep career
- Named to the Blue-Grey All-American Bowl watch list
- Represented West Jessamine at the Louisville vs. Bluegrass Senior All-Star Game
- Coached by John Gilliam
- Chose UK over Cincinnati, Marshall, Ohio and Toledo



TAE TAE
CRUMES

WIDE RECEIVER

6-2 • 180 • Freshman-HS
Louisville, Ky. (Butler)

High School

- A quality in-state prospect that is ranked as one of the top 10 players in the Commonwealth of Kentucky by Rivals.com and 247sports.com
- An incredible senior season at Butler with 42 receptions for 877 yards
- Averaged 73.1 receiving yards per game, which was fourth most among all Class 6A players while his 14 receiving touchdowns were third most in the division
- Had 30 receptions for 779 yards and 14 touchdowns his junior season
- Finished his high school career with 35 touchdowns and 2,021 receiving yards
- Was named to the 2018 Lexington Herald-Leader Class of the Commonwealth and was also tabbed an all-state honoree and all-Louisville metro performer this season
- Speedy wide receiver that has been timed at 4.3 in the 40-yard dash
- Coached by Gary Wheeler
- Chose Kentucky over Louisville, Michigan, Michigan State, Oregon and Pitt



MOSES
DOUGLASS

DEFENSIVE BACK

6-2 • 200 • Freshman-HS
Springfield, Ohio (Springfield)

- Mid-year enrollee

High School

- Four-star recruit and one the nation's top-30 safety prospects by Rivals.com and 247sports.com
- The No. 7 prospect in Ohio and one of the nation's top 300 players by Rivals
- As a senior, helped lead Springfield HS to a 9-3 record and second round of the state playoffs
- First-team All-Ohio in Division I (largest classification)
- Coached by his father, Maurice, at Springfield
- Maurice was a defensive back at Kentucky in 1984-85 and went on to an 11-year NFL career with the Chicago Bears and New York Giants

- Chose Kentucky over Georgia Tech, Louisville and Michigan State.



BRANDIN
ECHOLS

DEFENSIVE BACK

6-0 • 180 • Junior-JC
Southaven, Miss.
(Southaven/Northwest Mississippi CC)

- Mid-year enrollee
- Will have two years of eligibility remaining.

Junior College

- Went to junior college as a receiver but switched to defense back in his freshman season and found his niche
- A three-star recruit who ranks as the fifth-best cornerback among junior college recruits by Rivals.com
- Earned NJCAA second- team All-America honors
- Named first-team All-MACJC and All-Region 23 NJCAA in 2018 after leading the MACJC and ranking second in the NJCAA with six interceptions
- His 12 pass breakups ranked fourth in the country
- Added 49 tackles, a forced fumble and blocked kick in helping lead Northwest to an 8-2 record and a No. 8 national ranking in the NJCAA
- Coached by Benjy Parker

High School

- Played for head coach Ed Rich at Southaven High School
- Totaled 11 total tackles, two sacks and an interception as a senior
- Offensively, caught 29 passes for 406 yards and four touchdowns and rushed for 906 yards and eight touchdowns
- Added 604 return yards with four touchdowns
- Also played basketball and ran track as a senior, earning a spot on Clarion-Ledger's All-State boys' track team after winning the state championship in the long jump
- Chose Kentucky over offers from Ole Miss, Houston and Memphis



JALEN
GEIGER

DEFENSIVE BACK

6-1 • 190 • Freshman-HS
Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)

High School

- Last name is pronounced "GI-ger"
- A three-star defensive back by 247sports.com
- Considered the No. 9 overall recruit and No. 2 corner in the state of South Carolina by Rivals.com
- Competed in the 82nd Annual Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas and finished with four tackles, including two solo
- Recorded 71 tackles, three interceptions, four PBUs
- Helped the Vikings finish 11-2 with a playoff berth as a junior in 2017
- Coached by Robin Bacon
- Transferred to Spring Valley after playing two seasons at Cardinal Newman
- Also a basketball player
- Chose Kentucky over South Carolina, Virginia and North Carolina



ISAIAH
GIBSON

DEFENSIVE BACK

6-4 • 300 • Freshman-HS
Springfield, Ohio (Springfield)

- Mid-year enrollee

High School

- Consensus choice as one of the nation's top-50 defensive tackles and one of the top 33 players in Ohio by all the major recruiting services
- Rated as high as the No. 32 DT by 247sports.com and No. 17 in Ohio by ESPN.com
- As a senior, helped lead Springfield HS to a 9-3 record and second round of the state playoffs
- First-team All-Ohio in Division I (largest classification)
- Coached by Maurice Douglass
- Maurice was a defensive back at Kentucky in 1984-85 and went on to an 11-year NFL career with the Chicago Bears and New York Giants





**AMANI
GILMORE**

QUARTERBACK

**6-2 • 200 • Freshman-HS
Amite, La. (Amite)**

High School

- A three-star dual-threat quarterback
- 247Sports.com ranks him as the No. 42 pro-style quarterback nationally in the class of 2019
- Led his team to the 2018 Louisiana 2A State Championship, the Warriors' first championship in 14 years and just the fifth title in team history
- Named the game's Most Outstanding Player after accounting for a remarkable 366 of the team's 442 yards total yards and six touchdowns
- Completed 11-of-17 passes for 286 yards while rushing 23 times for a team-high 80 yards
- Totaled over 2,000 total yards in his senior year, including 1,000 rushing yards, while also averaging 40.0 points per game
- Dual-sport athlete as he also excels on the baseball diamond as a left-handed pitcher and outfielder
- Amite head coach Zephaniah Powell said "Throws the ball very well, is very accurate. Can stay in the pocket, can beat you with his arm from the pocket and also can beat you with his legs from out of the pocket. Very good high IQ when it comes to football. He is a gym rat, loves to lift, loves to work out."... Chose UK over Tennessee



**DEMARCUS
HARRIS**

WIDE RECEIVER

**6-1 • 180 • Freshman-HS
Vero Beach, Fla. (Vero Beach)**

- Mid-year enrollee

High School

- Considered one of the nation's top 150 receivers
- A three-star recruit according to 247sports.com and ESPN.com
- Became Treasure Coast's career record holder with 2,864 receiving yards
- Only Treasure Coast player to register back-to-back 1,000-yard receiving seasons
- Had 1,582 receiving yards with 73 receptions and 16 touchdowns as a senior

- Had eight games with at least 100 receiving yards, including a season-high 238 receiving yards on five catches vs. Treasure Coast High School on Oct. 12
- Averaged 131.8 receiving yards per game for the Indians in 2018, helping them finish 11-1 with the loss coming in the 8-A regional final
- Recorded 43 catches for 1,001 yards and 11 scores in 2017 and led Vero Beach to the regional finals
- Earn first-team all-area and all-state honors
- 2017 Class 8A Player of the Year candidate
- Head coach Lenny Jankowski said "He's the total package when it comes to the wide receiver position. As far as wide receivers go, he has a great combination of size and athleticism. His hands have improved to where he's capable of catching all kinds of different balls all kinds of different ways. He's really good when the balls not in his hands, too."
- An all-around athlete who also excels in basketball and track and field
- Chose Kentucky over Syracuse, Purdue and UCF



**SHAWN'KEL
KNIGHT-GOFF**

LINEBACKER

**6-2 • 220 • Freshman-HS
Louisville, Ky. (Doss Magnet Career Academy)**

High School

- Ranks as one of the top 10 players in the state of Kentucky
- A three-star prospect by both Rivals.com and 247Sports.com
- 247Sports.com ranks him as one of the 50 best weakside defensive ends in the nation
- Had 66 tackles, nine sacks, three fumbles forced and one fumble recovered as a senior
- Also was a led the team in receiving with 16 catches for 180 yards as a senior
- Posted 50 tackles as a junior with a fumble recovery and interception as a junior
- Was named an all-state performer as a senior and tabbed to the Louisville all-metro first team
- Coached by Phillip Hawkins
- Chose Kentucky over Louisville and Purdue



**K.D.
MCDANEIL**

OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

**6-2 • 240 • Freshman-HS
Tifton, Ga. (Tift County)**

High School

- Consensus pick as one of the nation's top-40 outside linebackers and one of the top-61 players in Georgia by Rivals, 247sports and ESPN
- First-team all-region as a junior and senior, with this year's all-state teams yet to be selected by signing day
- Helped lead Tift County to the state playoff quarterfinals in Class AAAAAA (largest classification) as both a junior and senior
- Coached by Ashley Anders
- Chose Kentucky over Ole Miss, Tennessee and South Carolina



**QUANDRE
MOSELY**

DEFENSIVE BACK

**6-2 • 180 • Junior-JC
Brunswick, Ga.
(Glynn Academy/Eastern Arizona CC)**

- Mid-year enrollee
- First name pronounced "QUAN-dray"

Junior College

- Signed with Eastern Arizona Community College out of high school in 2016
- As a sophomore in 2018, totaled 50 tackles, a league-high six interceptions, one for a touchdown, and a fumble recovery as a safety for the Monsters
- Earned 2018 All-WSFL All-League honors
- Helped Eastern Arizona win the Salt City Bowl game
- Chose Kentucky over Utah and Oregon

High School

- Former wide receiver in high school
- Helped Glynn Academy go 11-2 as a senior in 2016, including undefeated in region play
- Named GHSA Region 2-6A All-State Honorable Mention as a wide receiver
- Played for head coach Rocky Hidalgo





NIK
OGNEVIC

TIGHT END

6-5 • 250 • Freshman-HS
Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Cardinal Gibbons)

High School

- Last name pronounced "Oh-GIN-oh-vick"
- A three-star prospect by all of the major recruiting experts and considered one of the nation's top tight ends
- Caught 11 passes for 170 yards and one touchdown as a senior in helping Cardinal Gibbons win the program's first state title in Class 5A
- As a junior, caught eight passes for 57 yards and a score
- The pair teamed together to win the Adidas 7-on-7 National Championship with South Florida Express in the spring of 2018
- Coached by Matt DuBuc
- Also a talented basketball player
- Chose Kentucky over Pitt, Boston College and Louisville
- High school teammate of fellow signee Nik Scalzo



JAKE
POPE

OFFENSIVE LINE

6-7 • 290 • Freshman-HS
Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (St. Thomas Aquinas)

High School

- A three-star tackle by all of the major recruiting services
- Listed as one of Florida's top 100 players
- Helped lead perennial powerhouse St. Thomas Aquinas to a 13-2 overall record, a district championship and the 7A state championship runner-up title in 2018
- Selected to play in the Blue-Grey All American Bowl on Jan. 5, 2019 in Tampa, Florida
- Coached by Roger Harriott
- Chose Kentucky over Michigan State and N.C. State



NIK
SCALZO

QUARTERBACK

6-0 • 175 • Freshman-HS
Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Cardinal Gibbons)

High School

- A three-star prospect by all of the major recruiting services
- Rated one of Florida's top-10 quarterbacks
- A dual-threat passer who led Cardinal Gibbons to a combined 32-6 record in his three seasons as a starter
- Completed 59.6 percent of his passes (522 for 876) for 6,471 yards with 74 touchdowns to only 23 interceptions in three seasons
- Also rushed for 613 yards on 147 carries with four scores in his career
- Helped lead the Chiefs to their first Florida 5A state championship as a senior, completing 173-of-279 passes for 2,185 yards and 24 touchdowns before injury sidelined him in the regional semifinal
- Earned first-team All-State and first-team All-County honors by the Sun Sentinel
- As a junior, completed 175-of-307 passes for 2,065 yards and 23 touchdowns in leading the Chiefs to an 11-2 overall record and his second straight FHSAA Class 5A playoff appearance
- As a sophomore, threw for 2,221 yards and 27 touchdowns in leading the Chiefs' Air-Raid offense to a 9-2 season and regional semifinal appearance
- High school teammate of fellow signee Nik Ognenovic
- The pair teamed together to win the Adidas 7-on-7 National Championship with South Florida Express in the spring of 2018
- Coached by Matt DuBuc



TRAVIS
TISDALE

RUNNING BACK

5-9 • 175 • Freshman-HS
Valdosta, Ga. (Lowndes)

High School

- A four-star recruit and one of the nation's top-300 players by ESPN

- The nation's No. 18 running back by ESPN and the No. 11 all-purpose back nationally by Rivals
- Rated as high as the No. 33 prospect in Georgia
- Region Player of the Year as a senior as he rushed for 1,903 yards and 21 touchdowns, with all-state teams yet to be announced
- Led Lowndes HS to a 10-4 record and a berth in the Class AAAAAA (largest classification) state playoff semifinals
- "Dynamic all-purpose back with difference-maker speed and quickness" according to ESPN
- Senior season was highlighted by 413 yards and six touchdowns – both of which are school records – against crosstown rival Valdosta High School
- Also a 1,000-yard rusher as a sophomore, he set the LHS career record for touchdowns
- Coached by Randy McPherson
- Dad serves in United States Air Force
- Chose Kentucky over Nebraska, Ole Miss and Penn State



J.J.
WEAVER

OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

6-5 • 240 • Freshman-HS
Louisville, Ky. (Moore Traditional)

High School

- One of the nation's best linebacker prospects, ranking as the 213th best player in the nation according to Rivals
- The site also has Weaver as the 14th best player in the class at his position and the fourth-best prospect in the state of Kentucky
- Rated as a four-star prospect by Rivals and 247sports
- Recorded 70 tackles, 10 sacks, three interceptions and a fumble recovery this season
- His strong performance helped Moore win 11 games and advance to the quarterfinals of the state championships
- Also played tight end in high school and caught six passes for 102 yards and three touchdowns last season
- Was named to the 2018 Lexington Herald-Leader Class of the Commonwealth
- An all-state honoree
- Coached by Carlo Stallings
- Chose Kentucky over Louisville, Miami and Purdue



TRA
WILKINS

LINEBACKER

6-0 • 215 • Freshman-HS
Stone Mountain, Ga. (Stephenson)

- Mid-year enrollee

High School

- Highly recruited linebacker who chose Kentucky over Louisville, Arkansas and South Carolina
- The nation's No. 46 inside linebacker by 247sports and No. 69 outside linebacker by ESPN
- One of the top-100 players in the talent-rich state of Georgia by both selectors
- Helped lead Stephenson HS to a 9-2 record and berth in the Class AAAAAA playoffs as a senior
- All-state and all-region teams yet to be announced as this was written
- Coached by Ron Gartrell
- Comes from an athletic family as his cousins include linebacker Sam Maxwell, who helped take Kentucky to four straight bowl games from 2006-09 and was an All-SEC linebacker as a senior, and current Georgia wide receiver/kick returner Mecole Hardman.



KENTUCKY WILDCATS (10-3, 5-3 SEC)

9/1	CENTRAL MICHIGAN [ESPN]	W, 35-20
9/8	at #25 Florida* [SECN]	W, 27-16
9/15	MURRAY STATE [SECN-A]	W, 48-10
9/22	#14 MISS. STATE* [ESPN2]	W, 28-7
9/29	SOUTH CAROLINA* [SECN]	W, 24-10
10/6	at Texas A&M* [ESPN]	L, 14-20 (OT)
10/20	VANDERBILT* [SECN]	W, 14-7
10/27	at Missouri* [SECN]	W, 15-14
11/3	#6 GEORGIA* [CBS]	L, 17-34
11/10	at Tennessee* [SECN]	L, 7-24
11/17	MIDDLE TENNESSEE [SECN-A]	W, 34-23
11/24	at Louisville [ESPN2]	W, 56-10

VRBO Citrus Bowl (Orlando, Fla.)

1/1/19 vs. #12 Penn State [ABC] W, 27-24

All times ET; *SEC game; Home games in bold

SEC STANDINGS

EASTERN DIVISION

Team	SEC	Pct.	All	Pct.
Georgia	7-1	.875	11-2	.846
KENTUCKY	5-3	.625	10-3	.769
Florida	5-3	.625	10-3	.769
South Carolina	4-4	.500	7-6	.538
Missouri	4-4	.500	8-5	.615
Vanderbilt	3-5	.400	6-7	.462
Tennessee	2-6	.250	5-7	.417

WESTERN DIVISION

Team	SEC	Pct.	All	Pct.
Alabama	8-0	1.000	14-1	.933
Texas A&M	5-3	.625	9-4	.692
LSU	5-3	.625	10-3	.769
Miss. State	4-4	.500	8-5	.615
Auburn	3-5	.400	8-5	.615
Ole Miss	1-7	.125	5-7	.417
Arkansas	0-8	.000	2-10	.167



2018 HIGHLIGHTS

- UK finished 10-3, the most regular-season win since 1977 (10).
- It's just the third time the Cats reached 10 wins, also doing so in 1950 and 1977.
- At 5-3, UK posted a winning record in the SEC for the first time since 1977.
- UK tied for second in the SEC Eastern Division. Along with the 2016 season, it is the highest finish for the Wildcats since the league split into division in 1992.
- UK has at least four SEC wins in three straight seasons for the first time in school history.
- UK has 13 SEC wins over the last three seasons, tying the school record for most conference victories over a three-year period.
- UK went .500 or better in the SEC for three straight seasons, first time that has been accomplished since 1953-56.
- Kentucky made its first appearance in the VRBO Citrus Bowl and fourth-ever on New Year's Day, defeating Penn State 27-24 in front of nearly 60,000 fans at Camping World Stadium.
- UK has been to three straight bowl games, the first time it has done that since going to five straight from 2006-2010.
- Kentucky went 3-1 this season vs. teams that were ranked at the time of the game, with wins over Florida, Mississippi State and Penn State. The last time UK won three games vs. ranked opponents in one season was 1977.
- The Cats won five games against eight-win teams and defeated seven bowl participants.
- Coach Mark Stoops was named SEC Coach of the Year by the Associated Press, SEC Coaches and Athlon Sports. He is the first UK coach to win the award since Jerry Claiborne in 1983.
- Kentucky senior linebacker Josh Allen, senior offensive guard Bunchy Stallings and junior running back Benny Snell Jr. were named All-Americans by various media outlets.
- All three of those players, plus wide receiver/return specialist Lynn Bowden Jr., earned places on various All-Bowl teams. Allen was a unanimous selection by ESPN, USA Today, Associated Press and Sports Illustrated.
- Allen completed his Wildcat career as one of the most decorated Kentucky athletes of all time. His lists of awards this season include: Bronko Nagurski Award, Chuck Bednarik Award, Ronnie Lott IMPACT Trophy, First-Team All-America by Walter Camp Football Foundation, Sports Illustrated, TheAthletic.com, ESPN, Associated Press, College Football News, Football Writers Association of America, Sporting News, USA Today, CBS, Athlon Sports and the American Football Coaches Association, along with being named SEC Defensive Player of the Year by both the AP, Coaches, and Athlon Sports.
- Allen's 17 sacks are the most by any SEC player since they became an official statistic 2000. The previous high had been 15 by three different players. The total is the seventh-highest in FBS over that time.
- Snell's 1,449 rushing yards and 16 TDs were among the national leaders in both categories. He joined Herschel Walker as the only two players in SEC history to rush for at least 1,000 yards and 12 touchdowns in each of their first three seasons. He continued his onslaught on the UK record books this season and has broken or tied 14 school records during his career. He became the the Wildcats' all-time leading rusher in the Citrus Bowl. He was named second-team All-America by Walter Camp Football Foundation, College Football News, USA Today, American Football Coaches Association and third-team All-America by AP and Athlon Sports.
- Stallings was responsible for only one-half quarterback sack all year. He totaled 192 blocks at the point of attack and had





57 knockdown blocks. His blocking efficiency helped Snell reach his third consecutive 1,000-yard season. He was a first-team All-America choice by AP and The Athletic and a second-team choice by Sports Illustrated, Athlon Sports and USA Today.

- UK has compiled more than 2,000 rushing yards and 2,000 passing yards in three straight seasons. Prior to Coach Eddie Gran's arrival, this had been accomplished in only two seasons total in school history.
- UK has averaged at least 25.5 points per game in three straight seasons, only the third time in school history UK averaged at least 25.5 in three straight years.
- The senior class (2015-18) compiled 29 total wins, the second-most of any senior class since freshmen became eligible in 1972. Only the 2009 class, which won 30 games, has more.
- The Cats ranked sixth nationally in scoring defense, allowing just 16.8 points per game. They also ranked 23rd nationally and fourth in the SEC in total defense yards per game (338.2), 36th nationally in team passing efficiency defense (119.06 rating points), and 18th in pass yards allowed (186.3).
- UK allowed 16.8 points per game, the fewest since 1979 (13 points per game).
- UK allowed more than 24 points in a game just once.
- UK ranked 23rd nationally and fourth in the SEC in red zone defense (0.778).
- Allen was a huge reason for the defensive success. He ranked sixth in the nation and led the SEC with 21.5 tackles for loss. His 17 quarterback sacks ranked second nationally. Twelve of his 14 sacks came in the second half, including eight in the fourth quarter.

Five of his fourth-quarter sacks were key plays in close games, including two sack/fumble/UK recovery plays on the opponent's final possession.

- Allen set the school record for career sacks (31.5) and single-season sacks (17).
- Three-time All-SEC safety Mike Edwards had 10 career interceptions and ranked ninth nationally in career INTs among active players. His two career pick-sixes ranked third among all active players. He also became just the second DB in school history to chart 300 or more career tackles.
- UK was one of just six teams in FBS to have a pair of 100-yard rushers in three separate games. The other schools to accomplish the feat include Mississippi State, Louisiana, Pittsburgh, Connecticut and Wyoming.
- Mark Stoops has 36 wins at Kentucky for sixth place in school history.
- This is the first time since 1976 that UK had two winning streaks of at least three games in the same season. UK had two streaks of four wins in 1976. UK had streaks of five and three wins this season. However, if you only count "on the field" victories (UK lost a game that eventually became a forfeit win during the first four-game win streak in '76), you have to go back to the 1949 season to find a Wildcat campaign with two three-game win streaks.
- Offensive line coach John Schlarman was a candidate for the Orange Bowl-FWAA Courage Award. Schlarman was diagnosed with cancer in the summer of 2018 and has not missed a practice or game while going through chemotherapy.
- Since 2016, UK has a 11-5 record in close games -- i.e., games decided by one possession (eight points or less). That's been a key factor in spurring the Wildcats to three-straight seasons of bowl eligibility.

CATS RANKED IN NATIONAL POLLS, CFB PLAYOFF POLL

- Kentucky ended the season ranked 11th in the Coaches Poll and 12th in the Associated Press poll.
- Kentucky entered the national polls on Sept. 23 after defeating Mississippi State, the Cats' first appearance in the polls since the 2007 season.
- UK was ranked 12 consecutive weeks for the first time in program history. Previously, the 1977 team appeared in the polls 10 consecutive weeks from Oct. 3 through the final AP poll of the season on Jan. 3, 1978.
- The Cats ended the regular season No. 16 in the Associated Press poll and No. 15 in the coaches' poll.
- The Cats were ranked ninth in the first College Football Playoff poll released on Oct. 30 and remained in the top 18, ending at No. 14 in the final 2018 CFP rankings.

HONORING THE CATS IN 2018

KENTUCKY

Reveal Suits National Team of the Week (9/10)

JOSH ALLEN

- Consensus First-Team All-American (Walter Camp Football Foundation, Sports Illustrated, TheAthletic.com, ESPN, Associated Press, College Football News, Football Writers Association of America, Sporting News, USA Today, CBS, American Football Coaches Association, Athlon)
- SEC Defensive Player of the Year (AP, Coaches, Athlon, ESPN)
- First-Team All-SEC (AP, Coaches, Athlon, ESPN)
- Bronko Nagurski Award winner, National Defensive Player of the Year
- Chuck Bednarik Award winner, National Defensive Player of the Year
- Ronnie Lott IMPACT Trophy winner, National Defensive Player of the Year
- Jack Lambert Award winner, National Linebacker of the Year
- Birmingham Monday Morning Quarterback Club SEC Lineman of the Year
- Butkus Award finalist
- Walter Camp Player of the Year finalist
- Ted Hendricks Award finalist
- Maxwell Award semifinalist
- Lombardi Award semifinalist
- Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week (10/28)
- Four-time SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week (9/10, 9/24, 10/1, 10/29)
- Unanimous All-Bowl Team selection (ESPN, USA Today, Associated Press and Sports Illustrated)
- Lott IMPACT Trophy Player of the Week three times, first player to win the POW award three times since Manti Te'o of Notre Dame in 2012
- Walter Camp Football Foundation National Defensive Player of the Week
- SEC Defensive Player of the Week four times after wins over Florida, Mississippi State, South Carolina and Missouri
- Midseason All-America Team (ESPN, Sporting News)
- First-Team Preseason All-SEC (Coaches)
- First-Team Preseason All-SEC (Street and Smith's)
- Second-Team Preseason All-SEC (Media, Phil Steele, Lindy's)
- Third-Team Defense Preseason All-SEC (Athlon Sports)

GEORGE ASAFO-ADJEI

- SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (10/1, 10/22)

DERRICK BAITY

- Preseason Third-Team All-SEC (Lindy's)

BLAKE BEST

- Second-Team Google Cloud Academic All-America (CoSIDA)
- DAVID BOUVIER
- Burlsworth Trophy nominee
 - Google Cloud Academic All-District® (CoSIDA)



HONORING THE CATS IN 2018

LYNN BOWDEN JR.

- Second-Team All-SEC All-Purpose (Coaches, Athlon)
• SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (10/29)
• Third-Team All-Purpose and Return Specialist Preseason All-SEC (Coaches)
• Third-Team All-Purpose Preseason All-SEC (Athlon Sports)

MILES BUTLER

- First-Team Google Cloud Academic All-America (CoSIDA)
• Campbell Award semifinalist

C.J. CONRAD

- Pop Warner National College Football Award winner
• SEC Community Service Team
• Third-Team Preseason All-SEC (Coaches)
• Third-Team Preseason All-SEC (Media)
• Second-Team Preseason All-SEC (Athlon Sports, Phil Steele, Lindy's)

MIKE EDWARDS

- Second-Team All-SEC (AP)
• Third-Team All-SEC (Athlon)
• First-Team Preseason All-SEC (Coaches, Athlon Sports, Street and Smith's, Lindy's)
• Second-Team Preseason All-SEC (Media)

JOSH PASCHAL

- SEC Co-Defensive Player of the Week (11/19)

BENNY SNELL JR.

- Doak Walker Award semifinalist
• Maxwell Trophy semifinalist
• Second-Team All-America (Walter Camp Football Foundation, College Football News, USA Today, AFCA)
• Third-Team All-America (AP, Athlon)
• First-Team All-SEC (AP, Coaches, Athlon, ESPN)
• First-Team Preseason All-SEC (Coaches, Media, Athlon Sports, Phil Steele, Street and Smith's, Lindy's)
• MVP of the VRBO Citrus Bowl
• Midseason All-America Team (CBS Sports; AP, The Athletic, second team)
• Walter Camp Player of the Year Watch List
• College Football Performance Awards - Player of the Year Watch List
• College Football Performance Awards - Performer of the Week - Honorable Mention
• 2018 CFPA National Performer of the Year Trophy Watch List

DEANDRE SQUARE

- SEC All-Freshman Team (Coaches)

BUNCHY STALLINGS

- First-Team All-America (AP, The Athletic)
• Third-Team All-America (Athlon)
• Second-Team All-America (Sports Illustrated, USA Today, Athlon)
• First-Team All-SEC (AP, Coaches, Athlon, ESPN)
• All-Bowl Team selection (ESPN)

CATS TIE/IMPROVE WIN TOTAL FIVE STRAIGHT SEASONS

- The Wildcats have either matched or exceeded the previous season's win total in all six seasons of the Mark Stoops era.
• UK is the only school in the nation that has tied or improved its win total every year since 2013.
2012: two wins
2013: two wins (first season under Stoops)
2014: five wins
2015: five wins
2016: seven wins
2017: seven wins
2018: 10 wins

SENIOR SALUTE

Table listing 16 seniors and junior Benny Snell Jr. with their names, positions, numbers, and hometowns.



ALLEN WINS THREE NATIONAL DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR AWARDS; EARNS FIRST-TEAM ALL-AMERICA HONORS AND SEC DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

- Senior Josh Allen will need to build a rather large trophy case to house the hardware he brought home in December. The linebacker was named the winner of three national Defensive Player of the Year awards in the Chuck Bednarik Award, the Bronko Nagurski Trophy and the Lott IMPACT Trophy. He also won the Jack Lambert Award for the national linebacker of the year. In addition, he was a finalist for the Butkus Award (top linebacker), the Ted Hendricks Award (defensive end of the year) and the Walter Camp Player of the Year.
• Allen was named the SEC Defensive Player of the Year by the AP, Coaches and Athlon Sports and was first-team All-SEC by AP, Coaches, Athlon and ESPN.
• His first-team All-America honors are by Walter Camp Football Foundation, Sports Illustrated, TheAthletic.com, ESPN, Associated Press, College Football News, Football Writers Association of America, Sporting News, USA Today, CBS, Athlon Sports and American Football Coaches Association.



- Allen has been a pass rush terror this season. With 31.5 career sacks and 17 sacks in 2018, he now holds UK's career and single-season records.
- Allen's 17 sacks are the most by any SEC player since they became an official statistic 2000. The previous high had been 15 by three different players. The total is the seventh-highest in FBS over that time.
- His 11 career forced fumbles tie former Wildcat and current Chicago Bear Danny Trevathan for UK's career mark (forced fumbles stats available since 1988).
- He led the team with 88 tackles and paces the SEC in sacks (17), tackles for loss (21.5) and forced fumbles (5). He also ranks among the NCAA leaders in sacks, TFL and forced fumbles.
- Thirteen of his 17 sacks have come in the second half of games, including nine in the fourth quarter. In six of UK's 10 wins this season, Allen had a sack in the fourth quarter that was crucial to the Wildcat victory.

SNELL AND STALLINGS EARN ALL-AMERICA AND ALL-SEC HONORS

- Junior running back Benny Snell Jr., garnered second-team All-America honors by Walter Camp, The Associated Press, CollegeFootballNews.com and the American Football Coaches Association. He was third-team by the AP and Athlon Sports.
- He was also a first-team All-SEC selection by the AP, Coaches, Athlon Sports and ESPN.
- Senior offensive guard Bunchy Stallings earned first-team All-America honors from the AP and TheAthletic.com and second-team All-America by Sports Illustrated, Athlon Sports and USA Today. He also was a first-team All-SEC selection by the AP, Coaches, Athlon Sports and ESPN.

SNELL DECLARES FOR NFL DRAFT

- Prior to the VRBO Citrus Bowl vs. Penn State, junior running back announced he would be declaring for the NFL Draft but would continue to play for the Wildcats in the final game of the season.
- During the game vs. Penn State, Snell became UK's all-time leading rushing, setting the career record with 3,873 yards, despite playing only three seasons. He also accomplished the following:
- Had two of the top four single-season rushing totals in school history
- Set UK single season and career records for most touchdowns and most rushing touchdowns
- Ranks third in SEC history in career rushing touchdowns, trailing only Tim Tebow and Herschel Walker, despite playing only three seasons

- Set the UK career record for most 100-yard games
- In 2018, his 1,449 rushing yards and 16 TDs are among the national leaders in both categories. He joined Herschel Walker as the only two players in SEC history to rush for at least 1,000 yards and 12 touchdowns in each of his first three seasons. He continued his onslaught on the UK record books this season and has broken or tied 14 school records during his career.

STOOPS NAMED SEC COACH OF THE YEAR

- Head coach Mark Stoops was named SEC Coach of the Year by the AP and Coaches, becoming the first UK coach to earn Coach of the Year honors since Jerry Claiborne in 1983.
- The Wildcats won 10 regular-season games for the first time in 41 years, including seven over bowl-eligible teams and five over squads that won eight or more.
- UK's 5-3 mark in SEC play also was the team's first winning league record since 1977.
- The Cats won at Florida, ending a three-decade-old dry spell against the Gators, and the recorded the most-lopsided win in the history of the Governor's Cup series against Louisville.
- Stoops was a semifinalist for the George Munger Coach of the Year and was on the watch list for the Paul "Bear" Bryant Coach of the Year.

CONRAD NAMED 2018 POP WARNER COLLEGE FOOTBALL AWARD WINNER

- Senior tight end C.J. Conrad was named the winner of the 2018 Pop Warner College Football Award, which recognizes a college graduating senior who has made a difference on the field, in the classroom and in his community, and serves as a role model to Pop Warner's young student-athletes.
- Prior to the 2018 season, Conrad created a program called "Tuesdays with C.J." where he visits the Kentucky Children's Hospital each Tuesday to hang out with the patients and brighten their day.
- Conrad was chosen to participate in a one-week service trip to the Dominican Republic in 2017 where he interacted with residents of impoverished communities, visited an orphanage, constructed park benches in a sugar cane village, distributed food to the hungry, visited a nursing home and spent time with special needs children at a local daycare.
- Conrad has also been a guest speaker at several local schools and organizations and in his hometown of LaGrange, Ohio, talking about leadership. Conrad's mission is to educate and help provide opportunities to young children from small towns like himself, the chance to succeed on and off the field by using the game of football.

HONORING THE CATS IN 2018

- Midseason All-America Team - ESPN
- SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (9/10), (9/24)
- Third-Team Preseason All-SEC (Athlon Sports)

TERRY WILSON

- Manning Award QB of the Week (9/13)
- Manning Award "Stars of the Week" (9/10)
- Davey O'Brien Award's Great 8 List (9/10)
- Howard Schnellenberger Award

COACH MARK STOOPS

- SEC Coach of the Year (AP, Coaches, Athlon)
- Paul "Bear" Bryant Coach of the Year candidate
- George Munger Collegiate Coach of the Year semifinalist

DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR MATT HOUSE

- Broyles Award candidate

OFFENSIVE LINE COACH JOHN SCHLARMAN

- Orange Bowl-FWAA Courage Award candidate

OFFENSIVE LINE

- Joe Moore Award candidate

2018 STAT LEADERS

PASSING	
UK	COMP-ATT-INT-YDS-TD
Terry Wilson	180-268-8-1889-11
RUSHING	
UK	ATT-YDS-TD
Benny Snell Jr.	289-1449-16
Terry Wilson	135-547-4
A.J. Rose	71-442-5
RECEIVING	
UK	REC-YDS-TD
Lynn Bowden Jr.	67-745-5
C.J. Conrad	30-318-3
TACKLES	
UK	TACKLES
Josh Allen	88-21.5 TFL-17.0 Sacks-5 FF- 2 FR
Darius West	86-3 INT, FR, TD
Kash Daniel	84-7.5 TFL-1.0 sack
Mike Edwards	82-9 TFL, 6 PBU, 2 INT, FF, FR





- In the classroom, Conrad, a member of the 2017 SEC Academic Honor Roll and Dean's List, graduated on Dec. 14 with a degree in communications.

BUTLER, BEST EARN ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA

- Sparked by 4.0 grade-point averages, Kentucky senior kicker Miles Butler earned first-team Google Cloud Academic All-America honors and junior long snapper Blake Best was second-team Academic All-American by the College Sports Information Directors of America.
- Butler, a senior from Paducah, Ky., has graduated with a double major in finance and accounting. He is the team's second-leading scorer this season with 52 points, making five field goals and all 37 of his extra-point tries. His season was highlighted on Senior Day when he made 2-of-2 field goals in the win over Middle Tennessee, including a clutch 32-yarder with four minutes remaining in the game that gave the Wildcats a two-score lead.
- Best, a junior from Duluth, Ga., also graduated Friday with a double major in economics and finance. He has been a three-year starter as the long snapper for field goals and extra points, playing an important role in Butler's success this season and the record-setting career of former kicker Austin MacGinnis.
- In addition to this season's Academic All-America honors, Butler and Best have been regulars on the Southeastern Conference Academic Honor Roll and the UK Dean's List.
- This year marks the fifth time in school history that UK has had at least two members on the CoSIDA Academic All-America team, and the first time since 2015, when punter Landon Foster (first team) and offensive tackle Jordan Swindle (second team) made the squad.

PASCHAL OVERCOMES CANCER, RETURNS TO THE FIELD

- In an extremely emotional moment for everyone associated with Kentucky football, sophomore linebacker Josh Paschal returned to action against Middle Tennessee on Nov. 17, 2018.
- In July of 2018, Paschal was diagnosed with malignant melanoma on the bottom of his right foot. He underwent three surgeries, followed by ongoing monthly immunotherapy treatments.
- Paschal recovered sufficiently to play against Middle Tennessee. He started the game and saw occasional action throughout.
- In the second quarter, he made a tackle on a third down play that forced a punt. When his name was called as the tackler, the Kroger Field crowd gave him a roar of approval and rousing ovation.

- Teammate Kash Daniel offered this unique perspective of what Paschal means to the Cats: *"You ever like look at a living room and you look at one piece of furniture, like a carpet, and you're like, 'Wow, that really ties the room together.' That's what Josh does to this team, and Josh ties this team together. It's a funny way to put it, but seriously, that guy's the heartbeat of this team."*

WHITE NAMED DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR, MARROW ADDS ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH, SUMRALL NAMED INSIDE LINEBACKERS COACH

- Outside linebackers coach Brad White was elevated to defensive coordinator to replace Matt House who was named linebackers coach for the Kansas City Chiefs.
- Former middle linebacker, Jon Sumrall was then hired as the inside linebackers coach/. Sumrall was a three-year letter winner at middle linebacker at Kentucky from 2002-04. He started every game in 2004, leading the Wildcats with 72 tackles. He also excelled off the field as he was named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll and was selected to the Frank G. Ham Society of Character. After earning his degree in finance in 2005, Sumrall served as a graduate assistant for the Wildcats during the 2005 and 2006 seasons under head coach Rich Brooks. He previously coached at Ole Miss, Tulane, Troy and San Diego, respectively.
- Vince Marrow added associate head coach to his title in the offseason. He also serves as the tight ends coach, recruiting coordinator and the NFL liaison.
- Kentucky's seven recruiting classes under the current staff are UK's seven highest-rated groups in the history of the Rivals.com evaluation. Marrow, a native of Youngstown, Ohio, has played a key role in those efforts, spearheaded with numerous signees who hail from the Buckeye State.

remaining, while defensive back Quandre Mosely transferred from Eastern Arizona Community College and will have two years of eligibility left.

UK WELCOMES 10 MID-YEAR ENROLLEES

- UK welcomed 10 new Wildcats who joined the Wildcat football program in January.
- Seven of the mid-year enrollees are high school standouts who graduated in December – outside linebacker Jared Casey, offensive lineman Eli Cox, defensive back Taj Dodson, defensive back Moses Douglass, defensive lineman Isaiah Gibson, wide receiver DeMarcus Harris and linebacker Tra Wilkins.
- Three Wildcats are transfers, including sophomore outside linebacker Marquez Bemby transferred to UK from Jones County Junior College and will have three years of eligibility remaining. Junior defensive back Brandin Echols transferred from Northwest Mississippi Community College and will two years of eligibility



2018 GAME RECAPS

KENTUCKY 35, CENTRAL MICHIGAN 20

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SEPT. 1, 2018 • LEXINGTON, KY
KROGER FIELD (49,138)



Looking ripe for an upset because it kept coughing up the football, Kentucky eventually tightened its grip on it as well as Central Michigan.

The Wildcats' depth on both sides of the ball also helped them avoid a potential disaster.

A.J. Rose and Benny Snell, Jr. each rushed for two touchdowns, Gunnar Hoak came off the bench to throw the go-ahead TD pass and Kentucky overcame four first-half turnovers to beat Central Michigan 35-20 in its season opener.

For a while the upset-minded Chippewas seemed poised to make the Wildcats their third Power Five victim in as many

seasons by building a 17-7, second-quarter lead and scoring all their points off two interceptions and two fumbles. Kentucky rallied with two TDs over the final four minutes of the half, including Hoak's 24-yard scoring pass to David Bouvier for a 21-20 edge with 14 seconds remaining.

Kentucky shut out CMU from there, limiting the Mid-American Conference team to 97 second-half yards while outgaining them 427-255 overall to improve to 7-0 in the series.

The Wildcats' offense in particular used strength in numbers to overcome those self-inflicted setbacks.

Snell had TD runs of 52 and 11 yards to finish with 125 yards rushing on 20 attempts. Rose, a sophomore, rushed for TDs of 55 and 4 yards on the way to 104 on eight carries and his first career 100-yard game as Kentucky dominated the ground game 299-118.

Hoak meanwhile demonstrated why it's good to have an able backup with a gutsy bailout after starter Terry Wilson left the game with a shoulder injury sustained while throwing his second interception. The sophomore led Kentucky 71 yards in 41 seconds and hit Bouvier down the middle for his first career TD that shifted momentum for good.

Stoops sidestepped a question about using both QBs next week at Florida but stressed the importance of having them ready after seeing it pay off when Kentucky needed it.

SCORING SUMMARY

Central Michigan	3	17	0	0	-	20
Kentucky	7	14	7	7	-	35

- 1st 03:16 CMU - ARMSTRONG, M. 26 yd field goal, 7-41 2:57 3 - 0
01:20 UK - Asim Rose 55 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 4-76 1:49 3 - 7
- 2nd 05:51 CMU - GWILLY, K. 4 yd run (ARMSTRONG, M. kick), 14-80 7:03 10 - 7
05:33 CMU - REED, Devonni 20 yd fumble rec (ARMSTRONG, M. kick) 17 - 7
04:00 UK - Benny Snell 52 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 6-76 1:24 17 - 14
01:01 CMU - ARMSTRONG, M. 22 yd field goal, 4-6 0:28 20 - 14
00:14 UK - David Bouvier 24 yd pass from Gunnar Hoak (Miles Butler kick), 6-71 0:41 20 - 21
- 3rd 04:01 UK - Benny Snell 11 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 3-40 1:16 20 - 28
- 4th 14:53 UK - Asim Rose 4 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 6-58 2:10 20 - 35

TEAM STATISTICS

	CMU	UK
First Downs	11	27
Rush Att./Net Rush	39/118	43/299
Passing C/A/I	17/27/0	15/27/2
Offensive Plays	66	70
Total Offense	255	427
Fumbles/Lost	1/0	5/2
Penalties/Yards	12/106	3/40
Punts/Average	9/46.7	4/50.0
Third-Down Conv.	6 of 18	7 of 13
Time of Possession	31:52	28:08

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

CMU - Poljan 16-47, Ward 11-36, Gwilly 10-26-1
UK - Snell 20-125-2, Rose 8-104-2

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

CMU - 17-27-0-137-0
UK - Wilson 11-18-2-78-0, Hoak 4-9-0-50-1

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

CMU - Cole 4-51, Childress 2-23, Gwilly 2-16, Sabbagh 2-11, Raimann 2-11, Cossou 2-10
UK - Bowden 5-17, Bouvier 3-48, Conrad 3-9

TACKLES

CMU - Reed 14, Apsey 7
UK - Daniel 11, Allen 10

KENTUCKY 27, #25 FLORIDA 16

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SEPT. 8, 2018 • GAINESVILLE, FLA.
BEN HILL GRIFFIN STADIUM (80,651)



Benny Snell, Jr. rushed for 175 yards as Kentucky ended a 31-year losing streak against Florida, topping the Gators 27-16 in Gainesville.

QB Terry Wilson completed 11 of 16 passes for 151 yards and a pair of touchdowns, while also rushing for 105 yards and a score.

The win was Kentucky's first over Florida since 1986, and the Cats' first win in Gainesville since 1979.

After the Kentucky defense forced Florida to punt on the opening possession of the game, the Wildcats got on the board. The Cats covered 91 yards in nine plays, capped by a 29-yard touchdown pass from Wilson to David Bouvier. Miles Butler nailed the point after and Kentucky led 7-0 with 5:07 left in the first quarter.

Florida answered with a scoring drive of its own, but the UK defense kept the Gators out of the end zone. Florida was on the UK three-yard line, but a sack by Phil Hoskins and a third-down stop forced the Gators to attempt a 29-yard field goal, which Evan McPherson converted, cutting the UK lead to 7-3.

After Kentucky was forced to punt, Florida went 63 yards in just four plays, scoring on an 18-yard pass from Feleipe Franks to Moral Stephens, giving the Gators a 10-7 lead.

Kentucky would get into Florida territory twice more in the first half, but both drives ended in turnovers. The Cats defense would hold on both occasions, and the Gators held a 10-7 halftime lead.

The Cats took the second-half kickoff and put together an impressive scoring drive. Leaning on Snell, Kentucky drove 90 yards in 10 plays, with Snell covering 36 of those yards. Wilson had a pair of big plays in the drive, with a 19-yard run on third down, and the drive capper, a 24-yard designed run for a touchdown. Butler's PAT was good and Kentucky led 14-10 with 9:49 left in the third quarter.

After a Florida punt, Kentucky struck again. This time, the Cats went 78 yards in just five plays, with Wilson connecting with Lynn Bowden, Jr. for a 54-yard touchdown. The PAT was good and Kentucky led 21-10 with 4:11 left in the third quarter.

Late in the fourth quarter, Franks hit Freddie Swain with a touchdown pass to cut Kentucky's lead to 21-16, after a two-point conversion failed.

The scoring ended when Davonte Robinson recovered a fumble and returned it 30 yards for a score on the game's final play.

SCORING SUMMARY

Kentucky	7	0	14	6	-	27
Florida	0	10	0	6	-	16

- 1st 05:07 UK - David Bouvier 29 yd pass from Terry Wilson (Miles Butler kick), 9-91 4:33 7 - 0
- 2nd 14:03 UF - McPherson, E. 29 yd field goal, 11-69 6:00 7 - 3
08:27 UF - Stephens, M. 18 yd pass from Franks, F. (McPherson, E. kick), 4-63 2:08 7 - 10
- 3rd 09:49 UK - Terry Wilson 24 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 10-90 5:06 14 - 10
04:11 UK - Lynn Bowden 54 yd pass from Terry Wilson (Miles Butler kick), 5-78 2:24 21 - 10
- 4th 03:34 UF - Swain, F. 4 yd pass from Franks, F. (Franks, F. pass failed), 15-99 5:22 21 - 16
00:00 UK - D. Robinson 30 yd fumble recovery 27 - 16

TEAM STATISTICS

	UK	UF
First Downs	20	24
Rush Att./Net Rush	41/303	29/128
Passing C/A/I	11/16/1	17/38/1
Offensive Plays	57	67
Total Offense	454	360
Fumbles/Lost	1/1	2/1
Penalties/Yards	12/114	6/55
Punts/Average	4/39.2	3/36.3
Third-Down Conv.	9 of 13	7 of 13
Time of Possession	31:10	28:50

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Snell 27-175, Wilson 10-105-1, Rose 4-23
UF - Franks 11-44, Perine 4-34, Scarlett 7-25, Davis 4-15, Toney 2-10

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 11-16-1-151-2
UF - Franks 17-38-1-232-2

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Bowden 4-79-1, Bouvier 2-43-1, Snell 2-8, Conrad 2-3, Richardson 1-18
UF - Swain 3-30-1, Toney 2-35, Scarlett 2-34, Jefferson 2-31, Davis 2-25, Cleveland 2-21

TACKLES

UK - Daniel 11, West 8, Edwards 6, Jones 6
UF - Jackson 9, Joseph 8, Stiner 8, Gardner 8





2018 GAME RECAPS

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SEPT. 15, 2018 • LEXINGTON, KY
KROGER FIELD (48,217)



Coach Mark Stoops wasn't worried about his team overlooking Murray State following a 27-16 win at Florida.

Despite a slow start, the Wildcats (3-0) outscored the Racers 31-7 in the second half and rolled to a 48-10 victory Saturday. Murray had trouble stopping Kentucky quarterback Terry Wilson, who threw for 163 yards and rushed for 80 more to keep the Wildcats perfect on the season.

Coming off an 11-point victory over the Gators that ended a 31-game losing streak in their Southeastern Conference opener, the Wildcats (3-0) showed no signs of a letdown and overwhelmed the Racers from start to finish. Leading 17-3 at

the break, Kentucky pulled way in the second half.

Traditionally the Wildcats have struggled against FCS opponents and needed overtime to fend off Ohio Valley Conference member Eastern Kentucky in a 34-27 win in 2015. The task was much easier this time for Kentucky.

Paced by Wilson, the Wildcats used a balanced offense to defeat the Racers, amassing 528 yards of offense, including 245 on the ground. Wilson targeted nine different receivers, mainly Lynn Bowden, Jr., who caught eight passes for 89 yards. Wilson and backup Gunnar Hoak threw for 240 yards and one touchdown.

Benny Snell, Jr. collected 75 yards on 15 carries and added a score. In limited action in the second half, Snell had just four carries as A.J. Rose and Sihiem King collected a bulk of the carries in the second half.

In a surprise trick play, Snell completed a shovel pass to Wilson, who then handed the ball off to Zy'Aire Hughes for a 49-yard score to end the third quarter. Snell's block downfield created a wide-open path to the end zone for Hughes in his first career touchdown.

Murray avoided the shutout on Gabriele Vicente's 29-yard field goal at the end of the first half. Racers quarterback Drew Anderson competed 15-of-32 passes for 118 yards. Backup signal caller Preston Rice scored Murray's lone touchdown with a 21-yard run with 30 seconds remaining.

Overall, Stoops was pleased with the win and likes the where his team stands following the first three weeks of the regular season.

SCORING SUMMARY

Murray State	0	3	0	7	-	10
Kentucky	7	10	17	14	-	48

- 1st 11:09 UK - Terry Wilson 42 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 8-91 3:51 0 - 7
- 2nd 11:29 UK - Miles Butler 40 yd field goal, 7-16 3:22 0 - 10
- 01:43 UK - Benny Snell 7 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 14-64 6:47 0 - 17
- 00:00 MUR - VICENTE, Gabriele 29 yd field goal, 8-64 1:43 3 - 17
- 3rd 07:19 UK - Miles Butler 38 yd field goal, 16-56 6:42 3 - 20
- 03:07 UK - Asim Rose 3 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 7-72 2:46 3 - 27
- 00:05 UK - Zy'Aire Hughes 49 yd pass from Benny Snell (Miles Butler kick), 3-56 1:26 3 - 34
- 4th 10:16 UK - Allen Dailey 23 yd pass from Gunnar Hoak (Miles Butler kick), 4-80 1:53 3 - 41
- 03:38 UK - Danny Clark 2 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 8-55 3:59 3 - 48
- 00:30 MUR - RICE, Preston 21 yd run (VICENTE, Gabriele kick), 9-75 3:08 10 - 48

TEAM STATISTICS

	MUR	UK
First Downs	17	28
Rush Att./Net Rush	21/122	43/245
Passing C/A/I	20/41/1	24/31/0
Offensive Plays	62	74
Total Offense	302	528
Fumbles/Lost	1/0	2/0
Penalties/Yards	8/60	7/67
Punts/Average	5/39.8	1/54.0
Third-Down Conv.	9 of 16	6 of 12
Time of Possession	24:05	35:55

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Wilson 13-80, Snell 15-75, Rodriguez 2-43, King 6-26, Rose 5-19, Clark 1-2
MUR - Castille 8-58, Penick 7-27, Rice 2-25, Nichols 3-7, Anderson 1-1, Feggins 0-4

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 19-25-0-163-0, Hoak 4-5-0-77-1, Snell 1-1-0-43-1
MUR - Anderson 15-32-0-118-0, Bentley 4-6-1-25-0, Rice 1-3-0-37-0

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Bowden 8-89, Baker 4-25, Conrad 3-24, Thomas 2-51, Dailey 2-38
MUR - Honeycutt 4-76, Hayes 4-35, Gray 3-14

TACKLES

UK - Edwards 5, Baity 4, West 4, Davis 4, Allen 4
MUR - Sanford 7, Koclanakis 7, Catis 7

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SEPT. 22, 2018 • LEXINGTON, KY
KROGER FIELD (60,037)



Benny Snell, Jr. rushed for four touchdowns to break a Kentucky career record, including two in the fourth quarter, and the Wildcats held No. 14 Mississippi State to 56 yards rushing for a 28-7 upset Saturday night.

After Tyrell Ajian's 35-yard interception return to the Bulldogs 36, Snell broke left and down the left sideline for his third score with 8 minutes remaining to break Randall Cobb's previous mark of 37 total touchdowns.

The junior wasn't done and added a 23-yard TD run on the next possession for 21-point cushion the Wildcats (4-0, 2-0 Southeastern Conference) preserved for their second win over

a ranked school this month. Kentucky beat then-No. 25 Florida two weeks ago to break a 31-game losing streak to the Gators.

Snell also had TD runs of 1 and 2 yards to finish with 165 on 25 carries, his 15th career 100-yard game. His four rushing TDs also matched a school record he shares with Don Phelps. Kentucky rushed for 229 overall and outgained the Bulldogs 300-201 under a steady drizzle.

MSU (3-1, 0-1) was held nearly 256 rushing yards below its SEC-leading average of 311.7 coming in. The Bulldogs only managed Nick Fitzgerald's 1-yard TD run midway through the second quarter.

SCORING SUMMARY

Mississippi State	0	7	0	0	-	7
Kentucky	0	7	7	14	-	28

- 2nd 08:42 MS - Nick Fitzgerald 1 yd run (Jace Christmann kick), 15-80 8:17 7 - 0
- 00:50 UK - Benny Snell 2 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 6-47 1:25 7 - 7
- 3rd 06:03 UK - Benny Snell 1 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 11-92 5:35 7 - 14
- 4th 08:00 UK - Benny Snell 36 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 1-36 0:09 7 - 21
- 03:45 UK - Benny Snell 23 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 5-40 2:54 7 - 28

TEAM STATISTICS

	MSU	UK
First Downs	11	18
Rush Att./Net Rush	28/56	47/229
Passing C/A/I	16-32-1	8-14-1
Offensive Plays	60	61
Total Offense	201	300
Fumbles/Lost	0/0	0/0
Penalties/Yards	16/139	5/42
Punts/Average	8/37.6	5/39.6
Third-Down Conv.	7 of 17	3 of 10
Time of Possession	29:03	30:57

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Snell 25-165-4, Rose 9-47-0, Wilson 11-18-0
MSU - Williams 8-22-0, Fitzgerald 16-20-2, Hill 4-14-0

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 8-14-1-71-0
MSU - Fitzgerald 16-32-1-145-0

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Bowden 3-15, Conrad 2-22, Baker 1-23, Ali 1-6, Richardson 1-5
MSU - Mitchell 6-65, Hill 3-19, Guidry 2-36, Johnson 2-13, Williams 2-4, Williams 1-8

TACKLES

UK - West 9, Jones 8, Daniel 7, Edwards 6, Allen 6
MSU - Thompson 7, Abram 6, Dantzier 6, Simmons 6, Sweat 6, McLaurin 6



2018 GAME RECAPS

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KENTUCKY 24, SOUTH CAROLINA 10

SEPT. 29, 2018 • LEXINGTON, KY
KROGER FIELD (63,081)



For one half, No. 17 Kentucky's offense showed the intensity that helped earn its first Top 25 in nearly 11 years. When things sputtered afterward against South Carolina, the Wildcats' defense rose to the challenge with clutch plays to ensure their new-found status ended on a high note.

Their strong start was certainly critical, too.

Benny Snell, Jr. ran for 99 yards and one of Kentucky's three consecutive first-half touchdowns and the Wildcats held on for a 24-10 victory over South Carolina on Saturday night.

Kentucky (5-0, 3-0 Southeastern Conference) quashed initial concerns about a letdown following their first ranking since November 2007 by scoring on four straight drives to lead 24-3 at halftime. The Wildcats ended up needing that cushion to offset a scoreless second half and Jake Bentley's 58-yard, third quarter TD pass to Deebo Samuel that kept the Gamecocks (2-2, 1-2) within striking distance.

Mike Edwards' interception with 3:47 remaining snuffed one chance by the Gamecocks before they turned the ball over on downs in the final minute. Those defensive stands sealed Kentucky's fifth consecutive series win and continued its best SEC start since 1977.

The Wildcats registered four turnovers, including interceptions by Derrick Baity, Darius West and Edwards. They scored 10 points off a fumble and interception before West and Edwards picked off Bentley and preserved a second consecutive SEC win by double digits.

And it's still a work in progress.

Snell's rushing yardage on 28 carries also made him the third Wildcat to break 3,000 in a career. His 4-yard score with 4:53 remaining in the second quarter extended his TD record to 40. Quarterback Terry Wilson and A.J. Rose ran for TDs from 1 and 24 yards as Kentucky edged South Carolina 327-321 in yardage.

SCORING SUMMARY

South Carolina	3	0	7	0	-	10
Kentucky	3	21	0	0	-	24

- 1st 10:06 UK - Miles Butler 29 yd field goal, 4-4 2:00 0 - 3
05:07 SC - Parker White 29 yd field goal, 13-72 4:55 3 - 3
- 2nd 14:21 UK - Terry Wilson 1 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 11-75 5:46 3 - 10
09:15 UK - Asim Rose 24 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 7-80 3:16 3 - 17
04:53 UK - Benny Snell 4 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 6-61 3:23 3 - 24
- 3rd 07:37 SC - Deebo Samuel 58 yd pass from Jake Bentley (Parker White kick), 4-75 1:44 10 - 24

TEAM STATISTICS

	USC	UK
First Downs	20	19
Rush Att./Net Rush	35/128	46/195
Passing C/A/I	17/34/3	13/20/1
Offensive Plays	69	66
Total Offense	321	327
Fumbles/Lost	3/1	0/0
Penalties/Yards	11/94	11/115
Punts/Average	3/56.3	4/47.5
Third-Down Conv.	5 of 15	3 of 11
Time of Possession	25:16	34:44

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Snell 28-99-1, Wilson 9-59-1, Rose 7-38-1
USC - Dowdle 13-44, Bentley 8-37, Turner 5-33, Denson 7-32, Scarnecchia 2-(-18)

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 13-20-1-132-0
USC - Bentley 12-28-3-148-1, Scarnecchia 4-6-0-45-0

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Bowden 4-18, Conrad 3-31, Baker 2-29, Bouvier 1-21, Snell 1-14, Epps 1-11, Ali 1-8
USC - Smith 4-40, Edwards 3-25, Samuel 2-61, Dowdle 2-29, Vann 2-20, Turner 2-12, Pollard 2-6

TACKLES

UK - West 9, Allen 8, Edwards 5, Daniel 5, Jones 5
USC - Nixon 8, Brunson 8, Montac 7, Sterling 6

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TEXAS A&M 20, KENTUCKY 14 (OT)

OCT. 6, 2018 • COLLEGE STATION, TX
KYLE FIELD (99,829)



Despite a valiant effort by its defense, No. 13 Kentucky suffered its first loss of the season, falling 20-14 to Texas A&M in overtime at Kyle Field.

The Wildcats' offense struggled all night against a stout Aggies' defense. Kentucky managed just 178 yards of total offense, with star running back Benny Snell, Jr. held to a season-low 60 yards rushing. Quarterback Terry Wilson passed for 108 yards and a touchdown in the game.

But it was the defense that allowed Kentucky to stay close. Darius West had a huge game with 10 tackles, an interception and a fumble recovery for a 40-yard touchdown that tied the game late in regulation. Mike Edwards had nine tackles, including three

tackles for loss.

The game was scoreless until late in the first quarter, when Kentucky got the scoring going. Wilson connected with Lynn Bowden, Jr. on a 54-yard touchdown toss/pass and Miles Butler's extra point gave the Cats a 7-0 lead with 1:10 left in the period. That would be the score after one quarter of play.

It stayed that way until just before halftime, when Texas A&M drove 70 yards in 13 plays, finishing with a three-yard touchdown pass from Kellen Mond to Quartney Davis, tying the game at 7-7 with 1:14 to go in the half. The game would be tied at that score at the break.

Neither team scored in the third quarter, but in the fourth period, momentum seemed to shift in Kentucky's favor. An interception by West gave Kentucky the ball near midfield, setting the Cats up for a potential go-ahead score. But Kentucky went three-and-out, and Rashad Hall returned the ensuing punt to the Kentucky 46, giving A&M the momentum back.

The Aggies took immediate advantage, with the help of a lucky bounce. On the second play after the punt return, Mond's pass, intended for Camron Buckley, glanced off of Buckley's hands and into the arms of Jace Sternberger, who took it 46 yards for a touchdown, giving A&M a 14-7 lead with 10:13 to play in the game.

Inside the final five minutes of regulation, A&M appeared to be ready to put the game away. On a third down and one, Derrick Baity, Jr. forced a Mond fumble, which was recovered by West, who returned it 40 yards for a touchdown. Butler's PAT tied the game at 14-14 with 4:17 to play in regulation.

The teams would be tied 14-14 at the end of regulation, forcing overtime. Kentucky's offensive possession stalled, and Butler's 43-yard field goal hit the crossbar, coming up just short. A&M would need just four plays to score, capped by a Trayveon Williams 10-yard touchdown run to win the game.

SCORING SUMMARY

Kentucky	7	0	0	7	0	-	14
TAMU	0	7	0	7	6	-	20

- 1st 01:10 UK - Lynn Bowden 54 yd pass from Terry Wilson (Miles Butler kick), 5-68 2:22 7 - 0
- 2nd 01:14 TAMU - Quartney Davis 3 yd pass from Kellen Mond (Seth Small kick), 13-70 4:43 7 - 7
- 4th 10:13 TAMU - J. Sternberger 46 yd pass from Kellen Mond (Seth Small kick), 2-48 0:54 7 - 14
04:17 UK - Darius West 40 yd fumble recovery (Miles Butler kick) 14 - 14
- OT 15:00 TAMU - T. Williams 10 yd run, 4-25 0:00 14 - 20

TEAM STATISTICS

	UK	TAMU
First Downs	8	21
Rush Att./Net Rush	30/70	45/164
Passing C/A/I	13/20/0	18/30/1
Offensive Plays	50	75
Total Offense	178	390
Fumbles/Lost	3/0	3/1
Penalties/Yards	8/52	6/25
Punts/Average	10/48.7	5/59.6
Third-Down Conv.	2 of 13	7 of 17
Time of Possession	34:58	34:58

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Snell 13-60-0, Rose 3-6-0, Wilson 14-4-0
TAMU - Williams 24-138-1, Corbin 4-22-0, Mond 16-15-0

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 13-20-0-108-1
TAMU - Mond 18-29-1-226-2

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Snell 4-18, Bowden 3-55, Conrad 3-25, Ali 1-5, Rose 1-3, Baker 1-2
TAMU - Williams 6-72, Sternberger 5-95, Davis 3-24, Rogers 2-13, Corbin 1-15, Buckley 1-7

TACKLES

UK - West 10, Edwards 9, Square 6, Baity 5
TAMU - Wilson 12, Alaka 6, Keke 5, Durham 5





2018 GAME RECAPS

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KENTUCKY 14, VANDERBILT 7

OCT. 20, 2018 • LEXINGTON, KY
KROGER FIELD (54,269)



Kentucky's hope of winning with style coming out of an off week quickly evolved into doing whatever it could to get past Vanderbilt.

The No. 14 Wildcats eventually succeeded behind the reliable combination of running back Benny Snell, Jr. and a fierce, opportunistic defense that wouldn't break.

Snell rushed for 169 yards, including the go-ahead 7-yard run with 8:04 remaining that helped Kentucky pull away for a 14-7 victory over Vanderbilt.

The Wildcats clinched bowl eligibility for a third consecutive season and stayed in contention in the East division with their third straight victory over the Commodores (3-5, 0-4). But it took nose guard Quinton Bohanna to force Jamauri Wakefield's fourth-down fumble that he recovered at the 20 midway through the fourth quarter to jump-start Kentucky from game-long inconsistency.

Snell took control from there, rushing 10 times for 74 yards on the drive that ended with his ninth TD run. The junior rushed 32 times for his 16th career 100-yard game on a blustery night that Kentucky had to work hard to outgain Vanderbilt 298-284.

The SEC's rushing leader also factored big in Kentucky's game-tying scoring drive by carrying eight times for 39 yards, including a 3-yard run to the Commodores' 5. Quarterback Terry Wilson capped it with a short TD pass to Lynn Bowden on the next play, but Snell set the tone.

Bohanna's play was one of four forced four fumbles with two recoveries, the second by Mike Edwards with 1:04 left that sealed the outcome. The Wildcats also recorded four sacks.

"We pride ourselves on being the best team out there and making big plays," said linebacker Josh Allen, who had two sacks among eight tackles.

Vanderbilt played without leading rusher Ke'Shawn Vaughn, who did not make the trip after getting hurt last week against Florida. The Commodores converted a first-quarter takeaway into Kyle Shurmur's 29-yard TD pass to C.J. Bolar, but that was their only lead as they rushed for just 68 yards.

Vanderbilt coach Derek Mason said his decision to go for the first down instead of kicking a field goal in the fourth quarter was based on an earlier missed kick.

SCORING SUMMARY

Vanderbilt	7	0	0	0	-	7
Kentucky	0	7	0	7	-	14

1st 06:54 VANDY - C.J. Bolar 29 yd pass from Kyle Shurmur (Ryley Guay kick), 6-44 3:31 7 - 0
2nd 06:28 UK - Lynn Bowden 5 yd pass from Terry Wilson (Miles Butler kick), 11-48 5:31 7 - 7
4th 08:04 UK - Benny Snell 7 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 12-80 5:39 7 - 14

TEAM STATISTICS

	VANDY	UK
First Downs	12	17
Rush Att./Net Rush	31/112	53/280
Passing C/A/I	15/23/0	3/9/0
Offensive Plays	54	62
Total Offense	284	298
Fumbles/Lost	4/2	3/2
Penalties/Yards	5/25	4/35
Punts/Average	7/41.1	5/43.0
Third-Down Conv.	4 of 13	7 of 13
Time of Possession	28:53	31:07

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Snell 32-169-1, Wilson 12-91, Rose 5-17, Bowden 2-5
Vandy - Wakefield 19-74, Marlow 2-17, Crawford 2-5, Blasingame 3-3, Lipscomb 1(-1), Shurmur 4(-34), Reagan 0-4

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 3-9-0-18-1
Vandy - Shurmur 15-23-0-216-1

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Bowden 3-18-1
Vandy - Lipscomb 5-28, Pinkney 3-44, Blasingame 3-40, Bolar 2-78-1, Tennyson 1-20, Wakefield 1-6

TACKLES

UK - Daniel 10, Edwards 9, Allen 8, D. Robinson 7
Vandy - Griffin 18, Wiley 11, Moore 7

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KENTUCKY 15, MISSOURI 14

OCT. 27, 2018 • COLUMBIA, MO.
MEMORIAL STADIUM (53,397)



Terry Wilson threw a 2-yard touchdown pass to C.J. Conrad on the final play to give No. 12 Kentucky a 15-14 victory over Missouri.

Kentucky took over on its own 19 with 1:24 left. With 4 seconds left, Wilson threw toward Ahmad Wagner in the back left corner of the end zone. Wagner caught the ball out of bounds, but Missouri cornerback DeMarkus Acy was called for pass interference, giving Kentucky an untimed down that it turned into the winning score.

Lynn Bowden Jr. returned a punt 67 yards for a touchdown with 5:18 left to pull the Wildcats (7-1, 5-1 Southeastern

Conference) to 14-9.

Kentucky held Missouri without a first down on eight second-half possessions.

Wilson, who was replaced by backup Gunnar Hoak for part of the second half, completed 22 of 31 passes for 267 yards. Bowden had 13 catches for 166 yards. Benny Snell, who entered the game as the nation's fourth-leading rusher, gained just 67 yards on 19 carries.

Missouri opened a 14-3 halftime lead with two 10-play touchdown drives. Damarea Crockett scored on a 2-yard run early in the second quarter, and Larry Rountree added a 1-yard TD run just before halftime.

Missouri's Drew Lock completed 15 of 27 passes for 165 yards.

Kentucky appeared to have squandered its last chance to get back in the game when A.J. Rose was stuffed on a fourth-and-goal run from the 2-yard line with 7:31 left. It was the third failed fourth-down conversion of the game for the Wildcats. But a few minutes later, Bowden returned the punt for a touchdown and the comeback was on.

SCORING SUMMARY

Kentucky	3	0	0	12	-	15
Missouri	0	14	0	7	-	14

1st 11:12 UK - Chance Poore 31 yd field goal, 7-62 3:48 3 - 0
2nd 14:01 MU - Crockett, Damar 2 yd run (McCann, Tucker kick), 10-73 4:00 3 - 7
00:49 MU - Rountree, Larry 1 yd run (McCann, Tucker kick), 10-51 3:15 3 - 14
4th 05:18 UK - Lynn Bowden 67 yd punt return (Lynn Bowden pass failed) 9 - 14
00:00 UK - C.J. Conrad 2 yd pass from Terry Wilson, 8-81 1:24 15 - 14

TEAM STATISTICS

	UK	MISSOURI
First Downs	21	13
Rush Att./Net Rush	35/112	35/113
Passing C/A/I	25/39/1	15/27/0
Offensive Plays	74	62
Total Offense	385	249
Fumbles/Lost	0/0	2/0
Penalties/Yards	5/31	8/69
Punts/Average	5/35.4	9/48.4
Third-Down Conv.	3 of 14	5 of 16
Time of Possession	31:52	28:08

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Snell 19-67, Wilson 10-11, Rose 5-11, Clark 1-2
Missouri - Crockett 11-46-1, Rountree 14-45-1, Badie 5-14, Knox 1(-7), Lock 4(-14)

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 22-31-1-267-1, Hoak 3-8-0-27-0
Missouri - Lock 15-27-0-165-0

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Bowden 13-166, Bouvier 2-43, Snell 2-28, Ali 2-22, Conrad 2-12-1, Richardson 2-8, Baker 1-8, Rigg 1-7
Missouri - Johnson 4-71, Crockett 3-20, Knox 3-12, Okwuegbunam 2-20, Scott 1-32, Badie 1-9, Scales 1-1

TACKLES

UK - Allen 11, Jones 10, West 8
Missouri - Garrett 14, Hall 7, Gillespie 6



2018 GAME RECAPS

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#6 GEORGIA 34, KENTUCKY 17

NOV. 3, 2018 • LEXINGTON, KY
KROGER FIELD (63,543)



Terry Wilson connected on 23 of 29 passes for 226 yards and a touchdown, but the 11th-ranked Kentucky Wildcats fell to sixth-ranked Georgia 34-17 at Kroger Field.

Georgia got on the board first, using a 65-yard punt return by Mecole Hardman to get great field position at the Kentucky 23-yard line. From there, the Bulldogs needed just four plays to get in the end zone. Quarterback Jake Fromm hit Isaac Nauta on a four-yard touchdown pass to give UGA a 7-0 lead.

At the beginning of the second quarter, Kentucky mounted its best drive of the game, to that point, taking the ball inside the Georgia 10 yard line, but a penalty and a sack forced the Cats into a 34-yard field goal attempt by Chance Poore. The kick was good, and Kentucky cut the deficit to 7-3 with 8:23 left in the half.

Georgia would answer on the ensuing drive, going 75 yards in 14 plays, culminating with a 20-yard touchdown rush from D'Andre Swift. Blankenship's extra point was good, and the Bulldogs took a 14-3 lead with 2:28 left in the first half.

UGA appeared to be ready to add to its lead late in the half, but Fromm fumbled at the UK 29 yard line, and Allen recovered again, thwarting the threat. Georgia led 14-3 at the break.

On the first drive of the second half, Georgia marched 78 yards in nine plays, ending with an Elijah Holyfield four-yard touchdown run. Blankenship connected on the PAT, giving the Bulldogs a 21-3 lead with 10:20 left in the third quarter.

After a Kentucky punt, Swift struck again, this time carrying 83 yards for the touchdown. Blankenship's PAT gave Georgia a 28-3 lead with 7:56 left in the third quarter.

The Cats would not go away, turning the next possession into a scoring drive. Kentucky covered 75 yards in nine plays, ending with a Benny Snell, Jr. touchdown. Poore's PAT was good, and Kentucky cut the Georgia lead to 28-10 with 3:45 left in the third quarter. On that rush, Snell eclipsed the 1,000-yard rushing mark this season, becoming the first running back in school history to accomplish that feat.

Georgia led 28-10 after three quarters, and the Bulldogs added a field goal early in the fourth quarter to lead 31-10. But Kentucky went on another scoring drive, covering 75 yards in just seven plays and 2:43, ending with a spectacular 31-yard touchdown catch by A.J. Rose. Poore's PAT cut the Georgia lead to 31-17 with 9:01 remaining in the game.

The Bulldogs would add a field goal to provide the final margin of victory.

SCORING SUMMARY

Georgia	7	7	14	6	-	34
Kentucky	0	3	7	7	-	17

- 1st 10:37 UGA - Isaac Nauta 4 yd pass from Jake Fromm (R. Blankenship kick), 4-23 2:04 7 - 0
- 2nd 08:23 UK - Chance Poore 34 yd field goal, 15-50 7:57 7 - 3
- 02:28 UGA - D'Andre Swift 20 yd run (R. Blankenship kick), 14-75 5:55 14 - 3
- 3rd 10:20 UGA - E. Holyfield 4 yd run (R. Blankenship kick), 9-78 4:36 21 - 3
- 07:56 UGA - D'Andre Swift 83 yd run (R. Blankenship kick), 2-85 0:53 28 - 3
- 03:45 UK - Benny Snell 9 yd run (Chance Poore kick), 9-75 4:11 28 - 10
- 4th 11:44 UGA - R. Blankenship 23 yd field goal, 13-57 6:55 31 - 10
- 09:01 UK - Asim Rose 31 yd pass from Terry Wilson (Chance Poore kick), 7-75 2:43 31 - 17
- 03:32 UGA - R. Blankenship 38 yd field goal, 10-54 5:29 34 - 17

TEAM STATISTICS

	UGA	UK
First Downs	25	21
Rush Att./Net Rush	50/331	35/84
Passing C/A/I	14/20/0	23/29/1
Offensive Plays	113	226
Total Offense	444	310
Fumbles/Lost	2/2	2/2
Penalties/Yards	4/45	6/64
Punts/Average	1/55.0	4/48.5
Third-Down Conv.	7 of 12	7 of 13
Time of Possession	31:25	28:35

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Snell 20-73-1, Wilson 12-12, Bowden 1-0, Rose 2-(-1)
UGA - Swift 16-156-2, Holyfield 18-115-1, Stanley 1-34, Fields 6-26, Herrien 2-7, Fromm 4-2

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 23-29-0-226-1 UGA - Fromm 14-20-0-113-1

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Bowden 6-52, Rose 4-59-1, Conrad 3-22, Bouvier 3-15, Epps 2-29, Richardson 2-26, Hughes 1-14
UGA - Holloman 4-39, Ridley 3-37, Swift 3-18, Godwin 2-12

TACKLES

UK - Edwards 11, Robinson 9, Jones 9, Baity 6
UGA - Rice 8, Ledbetter 6, LeCounte 5

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TENNESSEE 24, KENTUCKY 7

NOV. 10, 2018 • KNOXVILLE, TENN.
NEYLAND STADIUM (95,258)



Benny Snell, Jr. rushed for 81 yards and caught a career-high six passes, but No. 12 Kentucky was upset by Tennessee, 24-7 at Neyland Stadium.

Terry Wilson completed 21 of his 34 passes for 172 yards and a touchdown, with an interception. Lynn Bowden, Jr. caught six passes for 57 yards in the game.

Tennessee got on the board first after driving 55 yards in eight plays. But the Kentucky defense stood tall, holding the Vols to a 19-yard Brent Cimaglia field goal which was good, giving Tennessee a 3-0 lead with 5:09 left in the first quarter. That would be the score after one period.

In the second quarter, Kentucky had a 15-play drive, but the Wildcats did not score. Freshman Chance Poore, attempting his first career field goal from beyond 50 yards, missed wide right from 51 yards out, keeping the score 3-0 with 12:49 to go in the half.

After the teams exchanged punts, Tennessee got into the end zone at the end of a six-play, 81-yard drive. Tim Jordan capped the drive with a three-yard touchdown run, and Cimaglia's PAT was good, giving Tennessee a 10-0 lead with 2:05 left in the half.

The Cats went three-and-out on the ensuing drive, and Tennessee got the ball back with 1:00 left in the half. The Vols got into UK territory, and on the final play of the half, quarterback Jarrett Guarantano connected with Marquez Calloway on a 39-yard Hail Mary touchdown pass. The PAT made it 17-0 Vols at the half.

Tennessee added a touchdown in the third quarter to go up 24-0 before Kentucky was able to get on the board. The Wildcats did so on a five-play, 60-yard drive that ended with a 19-yard Wilson touchdown pass to tight end C.J. Conrad. Poore's extra point was good, and Kentucky cut the lead to 24-7, which would be the score after three quarters.

In the fourth quarter, Kentucky drove into Tennessee territory before the drive stalled. Poore tried a 30-yard field goal that was blocked. But the Cats got the ball back when freshman linebacker Chris Oats forced and recovered a fumble with 10:04 left in the game. But the Cats were unable to cash in on the turnover, giving the ball back on a Wilson fumble.

SCORING SUMMARY

Kentucky	0	0	7	0	-	7
Tennessee	3	14	7	0	-	24

- 1st 05:09 UT - Cimaglia, B. 19 yd field goal, 8-55 3:25 0 - 3
- 2nd 02:05 UT - Jordan, T. 3 yd run (Cimaglia, B. kick), 6-81 2:48 0 - 10
- 00:00 UT - Callaway, M. 39 yd pass from Guarantano, J. (Cimaglia, B. kick), 5-72 1:00 0 - 17
- 3rd 07:49 UT - Wood-Anderson 2 yd pass from Guarantano, J. (Cimaglia, B. kick), 8-85 4:14 0 - 24
- 01:56 UK - C.J. Conrad 19 yd pass from Terry Wilson (Chance Poore kick), 5-60 2:04 7 - 24

TEAM STATISTICS

	UK	UT
First Downs	19	16
Rush Att./Net Rush	35/77	40/215
Passing C/A/I	23/38/2	12/20/0
Offensive Plays	73	60
Total Offense	262	412
Fumbles/Lost	1/1	2/2
Penalties/Yards	3/20	4/30
Punts/Average	7/46.0	7/38.4
Third-Down Conv.	6 of 17	4 of 12
Time of Possession	29:50	30:10

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Snell 20-86, Rose 2-9, Bowden 2-1, Wilson 10-(-6)
UT - Chandler 16-89, Jordan 15-63-1, Murphy 1-59, Fils-Aime 2-6, London 1-3, Guarantano 3-0

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 21-34-1-172-1, Hoak 2-4-1-13-0
UT - Guarantano 12-20-0-197-2

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Bowden 6-57, Snell 6-25, Richardson 4-37, Bouvier 3-19, Conrad 2-39-1, Rose 1-4, Epps 1-4
UT - Wood-Anderson 4-18-1, Callaway 2-56-1, Jordan 2-41, Murphy 1-38, Palmer 1-25, Jennings 1-11, Wolf 1-8

TACKLES

UK - Edwards 6, West, 6, Allen 6, Square 5, Jones 5
UT - Bituli 8, Taylor 7, Abernathy 7, Phillips 6, Johnson Jr. 5





2018 GAME RECAPS

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KENTUCKY 34, MIDDLE TENNESSEE 23

NOV. 17, 2018 • LEXINGTON, KY
KROGER FIELD (47, 535)



Benny Snell, Jr. rushed 26 times for 116 yards and a pair of touchdowns, and Kentucky won its eighth game of the season, topping Middle Tennessee 34-23 at Kroger Field.

Josh Allen had two sacks, breaking a pair of school records in the process. Allen set UK's career record for sacks with 26.5, while also breaking the UK single-season record with 13. Allen registered a career-high 15 tackles in the game.

UK got on the board first, when Mike Edwards picked off a Brent Stockstill pass and returned it 66 yards for a score, the second of Edwards' career. Miles Butler converted the PAT and UK led 7-0 with 13:33 left in the first quarter.

After Edwards caused a MT fumble, which was recovered by Davonte Robinson, UK drove 50 yards in eight plays. Snell finished the drive with a seven-yard TD run and Butler's PAT gave the Cats a 14-0 lead with 8:36 still remaining in the first quarter.

UK added to its lead with 10-play, 34-yard drive that ended with a 38-yard Butler field goal, giving the Cats a 17-0 lead with 1:35 still left in the first period.

Middle Tennessee scored early in the second quarter to cut Kentucky's lead to 17-7 with 11:20 left in the first half. UK quickly answered with an 11-yard Terry Wilson touchdown pass to C.J. Conrad in the back of the end zone.

Late in the first half, MT added a 33-yard Holt field goal to make it 24-10 with 1:04 left in the half.

In the third, Snell got his second touchdown of the game, this one from six yards out, giving UK a 31-10 lead with 10:30 left in the third quarter.

Middle Tennessee cut into the lead later with a Ty Lee 10-yard touchdown catch. The PAT missed, and the Cats led 31-16 with 4:32 left in the quarter.

Early in the fourth, the Blue Raiders struck again, mounting an 11-play, 65-yard drive that ended with Stockstill's third touchdown pass of the game, this one to Patrick Smith from five yards out. Holt's PAT was good, and UK's lead was cut to 31-23 with 13:18 to go.

UK extended its lead with 4:01 left in the game on a 32-yard Butler field goal, giving the Cats a 34-23 advantage.

SCORING SUMMARY

Middle Tennessee	0	10	6	7	-	23
Kentucky	17	7	7	3	-	34

- 1st 13:33 UK - Mike Edwards 66 yd interception return (Miles Butler kick) 0 - 7
- 08:36 UK - Benny Snell Jr. 7 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 8-50 3:33 0 - 14
- 01:35 UK - Miles Butler 38 yd field goal, 10-34 5:13 0 - 17
- 2nd 11:20 MT - MOBLEY, Chaton 6 yd pass from STOCKSTILL, B. (HOLT, Crews kick), 11-94 5:15 7 - 17
- 08:40 UK - C.J. Conrad 11 yd pass from Terry Wilson (Miles Butler kick), 5-75 2:33 7 - 24
- 01:04 MT - HOLT, Crews 33 yd field goal, 5-19 1:26 10 - 24
- 3rd 10:30 UK - Benny Snell Jr. 6 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 9-83 4:25 10 - 31
- 04:32 MT - LEE, Ty 10 yd pass from STOCKSTILL, B. (HOLT, Crews kick failed), 11-99 5:58 16 - 31
- 4th 13:18 MT - SMITH, Patrick 5 yd pass from STOCKSTILL, B. (HOLT, Crews kick), 11-65 5:03 23 - 31
- 04:01 UK - Miles Butler 32 yd field goal, 10-47 5:31 23 - 34

TEAM STATISTICS

	MT	UK
First Downs	26	15
Rush Att./Net Rush	38/170	40/203
Passing C/A/I	30/33/1	10/14/0
Offensive Plays	71	54
Total Offense	463	324
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	2/0
Penalties/Yards	6/52	6/51
Punts/Average	2/32.0	2/31.5
Third-Down Conv.	4 of 12	4 of 10
Time of Possession	33:22	26:38

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Snell 26-116-2, Rose 7-48, Wilson 5-27, Bowden 1-12
MT - Mobley 19-145, West 5-25, Dobson 1-3, Thomas 1-3, Stockstill 12(-6)

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 10-14-0-121-1
MT - Stockstill 30-33-1-293-3

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Conrad 4-51-1, Epps 3-24, Rigg 1-29, Bowden 1-9, Richardson 1-8
MT - Lee 7-85, Thomas 7-31, Smith 6-38, Mobley 5-62, Dobson 2-46, Casey 1-11, West 1-11, Upton 1-9

TACKLES

UK - Allen 15, Edwards 12, Daniel 8, West 8
MT - Bush 12, Blankenship 10

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KENTUCKY 56, LOUISVILLE 10

NOV. 24, 2018 • LOUISVILLE, KY
CARDINAL STADIUM (49,988)



With room to run and time to throw against Louisville, Kentucky quarterback Terry Wilson had it easy in living up to his nickname as "Terry Touchdown."

Wilson accounted for 340 yards and four touchdowns, Benny Snell, Jr. rushed for two scores and the No. 17 Wildcats blew out archrival Louisville 56-10 in the Governor's Cup.

The Wildcats (9-3) scored TDs on all five first-half drives and never trailed in posting their first nine-win regular season since 1977, scoring TDs on all five first-half drives. Wilson's 3-yard scoring run provided a 14-0 lead before he tossed TD passes of 28 and 13 yards to Lynn Bowden, Jr. for a 35-10 cushion late in the second quarter. The sophomore transfer threw a 32-yard TD to Josh Ali in the third to make it 42-10.

Wilson completed 17 of 23 passes for 261 yards and rushed for 79 in his biggest game with Kentucky. Snell rushed for TDs of 7 and 24 yards and 100 yards; A.J. Rose ran for 122 with a 75-yard score; and Kavosiey Smoke had a 37-yard TD run as Kentucky posted its most lopsided series win over the Cardinals (2-10) since '98 (68-34).

The Wildcats outgained Louisville 601-305, a season high with Wilson doing much of his damage by halftime.

"It was huge for us," said Wilson, who was named the game's Most Valuable Player. "It was a mindset for us that we need to go out there and show everybody how explosive we are as an offense. We just came out humming, ready to go. Ready to make plays. I thought it was contagious."

Malik Cunningham's 75-yard TD run brought Louisville to 14-7, but the Cardinals lost their ninth in a row and allowed 50 points for the seventh time this season. They failed to beat a Power Five conference school.

SCORING SUMMARY

Kentucky	14	21	0	21	-	56
Louisville	7	3	0	0	-	10

- 1st 09:03 UK - Benny Snell 7 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 8-53 4:05 7 - 0
- 02:05 UK - Terry Wilson 3 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 9-84 4:16 14 - 0
- 01:50 LOU - Cunningham, Mal 75 yd run (Creque, Bla. kick), 1-75 0:15 14 - 7
- 2nd 13:03 UK - Benny Snell 24 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 7-77 3:47 21 - 7
- 08:51 LOU - Creque, Bla. 32 yd field goal, 9-60 4:12 21 - 10
- 04:08 UK - Lynn Bowden 28 yd pass from Terry Wilson (Miles Butler kick), 8-75 4:43 28 - 10
- 00:31 UK - Lynn Bowden 13 yd pass from Terry Wilson (Miles Butler kick), 7-67 1:35 35 - 10
- 4th 14:04 UK - Josh Ali 32 yd pass from Terry Wilson (Miles Butler kick), 9-57 4:04 42 - 10
- 11:09 UK - Asim Rose 75 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 2-73 1:17 49 - 10
- 04:40 UK - Kavosiey Smoke 37 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 4-45 2:21 56 - 10

TEAM STATISTICS

	UK	UOFL
First Downs	29	10
Rush Att./Net Rush	46/340	30/226
Passing C/A/I	17/24/2	8/16/0
Offensive Plays	70	46
Total Offense	601	305
Fumbles/Lost	0/0	0/0
Penalties/Yards	6/63	12/134
Punts/Average	0/0	6/39.0
Third-Down Conv.	4 of 8	2 of 11
Time of Possession	33:57	26:03

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)

UK - Rose 10-112-1, Snell 18-100-2, Wilson 10-79-1, Smoke 4-45-1, Bowden 2-7
UoFl - Cunningham 5-89-2, Smith 13-76, Wilson 2-34, Hall 6-31

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)

UK - Wilson 17-23-1-261-3, Bowden 0-1-1-0-0
UoFl - McCormack 3-8-0-15-0, Cunningham 5-8-0-64-0

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)

UK - Bowden 6-86-2, Ali 3-59-1, Conrad 2-59, Baker 2-21, Rose 2-16, Bouvier 1-16, Rigg 1-4
UoFl - Smith 2-31, Dawkins 2-24, Crum 1-9, Fitzpatrick 1-8, Hall 1-4, Peete 1-3

TACKLES

UK - Daniel 8, Oats 5, Allen 4, Jones 4
UoFl - Smith 8, Pass 7, Avery 7, Caban 7





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KENTUCKY 27, PENN STATE 24

JAN. 1, 2018 • ORLANDO, FLA.
CAMPING WORLD STADIUM (59,167)



Winning 10 games, beating Penn State on New Year's Day, and finishing in the Top 20 is no small deal for the Kentucky Wildcats. So when Mark Stoops took a seat on the podium flanked by linebacker Josh Allen and running back Benny Snell Jr. after Tuesday's 27-24 victory in the Citrus Bowl, the coach understandably was beyond excited.

"It was extremely important to this team, to all of us, to come home with some hardware, to come home with a trophy," Stoops said.

Snell ran for 144 yards and two touchdowns to become Kentucky's career rushing leader and helped the 16th-ranked Wildcats end their best season in more than four decades on a winning note.

"There's no question that these guys changed the culture," Stoops said. "They've done so much and meant so much to this team and this program that it was very important to finish, to collect the trophy, win 10 games and win a game on New Year's Day. Believe me, we had a great belief that we didn't have to do anything special (to win), just be us."

Snell scored on runs of 2 and 12 yards in the second half, then carried for a couple of crucial first downs to help Kentucky (10-3) run out the clock after Penn State's Trace McSorley trimmed a 27-7 deficit to three points despite playing with a foot injury.

McSorley threw for 246 yards and two touchdowns, and the Nittany Lions' career passing and wins leader also rushed for a team-high 75 yards and one TD.

"The same thing that troubled us throughout the season troubled us here again today. Dropped balls, missed opportunities. That's really kind of the story of the game," said Penn State coach James Franklin, whose team started slowly on offense, missed one field goal and had another blocked.

Lynn Bowden Jr. scored on a 58-yard punt return for Kentucky. Allen, the Southeastern Conference defensive player of the year, had three of the Wildcats' six sacks.

"The three guys we knew we needed to stop were Bowden, Snell and Allen. All three of them showed up today," Franklin said.

"They've built their program around those guys, they built their season around those guys," Franklin added. "They made plays. That's what great players do."

Penn State (9-4) trailed 27-7 entering the fourth quarter, but McSorley's wasn't finished. His 1-yard TD run capped a 75-yard drive, and he followed with an 18-yard TD pass to Pat Friermuth to cut Kentucky's lead to six.

The Nittany Lions marched to the Kentucky 14 on their next possession and pulled within 27-24 with 4:12 left.

Thanks to Snell, a junior who already has declared for the NFL draft, McSorley didn't get the ball back until just one second was left on the clock.

Franklin declined to discuss specifics of McSorley's injury.

"We don't typically get into specifics. ... Obviously Trace was experiencing some discomfort. The doctors felt like he could go, but it really just came down to Trace on how Trace felt," Franklin said.

McSorley, who was to undergo further evaluation, said he hadn't received "definitive information" on whether his foot was broken.

"I've been through too much, the team has been through too much. ... They told me it was a matter of if I could deal with the discomfort," the quarterback said. "If I could do that, I was going to play."

HISTORIC SEASON

Kentucky finished with its first 10-win season since 1977 -- when the Wildcats went 10-1 -- and just the third time in program history. The school also did it in 1950. Snell, meanwhile, broke Sonny Collins' career rushing record on his 12-yard TD run that made it 27-7 late in the third quarter. Collins rushed for 3,835 yards from 1972-75.

SCORING SUMMARY

Kentucky	10	0	17	0	-	27
Penn State	0	0	0	17	-	24

- 1st 12:23 UK - Miles Butler 28 yd field goal, 5-24 1:52 3 - 0
- 00:45 UK - Lynn Bowden 58 yd punt return (Miles Butler kick) 10 - 0
- 2nd 13:56 PSU - Bowers, Nick 1 yd pass from McSorley, Trace (Pinegar, Jake kick), 5-75 1:49 10 - 7
- 3rd 12:38 UK - Benny Snell 2 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 6-65 2:22 17 - 7
- 03:48 UK - Miles Butler 28 yd field goal, 11-65 6:05 20 - 7
- 01:35 UK - Benny Snell 12 yd run (Miles Butler kick), 2-66 0:57 27 - 7
- 4th 13:37 PSU - McSorley, Trace 1 yd run (Pinegar, Jake kick), 10-75 2:58 27 - 14
- 09:00 PSU - Friermuth, Pat 18 yd pass from McSorley, Trace (Pinegar, Jake kick), 6-60 2:24 27 - 21
- 04:12 PSU - Pinegar, Jake 32 yd field goal, 12-61 3:34 27 - 24

TEAM STATISTICS	UK	PSU
First Downs	16	20
Rush Att./Net Rush	42/176	41/161
Passing C/A/I	9/15/0	17/35/1
Offensive Plays	57	76
Total Offense	297	407
Fumbles/Lost	1/0	1-1
Penalties/Yards	3/27	3/24
Punts/Average	9/44.8	5/37.6
Third-Down Conv.	3 of 14	4 of 14
Time of Possession	30:42	29:18

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING (ATT.-YD.-TD)
 PSU - McSorley 19-75-1, Sanders 13-51, Slade 4-27, Hamler 1-11, Brown 1-4, Thomas 1-0, Clifford 1-(-4)
 UK - Snell 26-144-2, Wilson 10-29, Rose 4-9, Bowden 1-0, Richardson 1-(-6)

PASSING (COMP-ATT-INT-YARDS-TD)
 PSU - McSorley 17-33-1-246-2, Clifford 0-2-0-0-0
 UK - Wilson 9-15-121-0-0

RECEIVING (REC-YARDS-TD)
 PSU - Thompkins 4-74, Bowers 3-32-1, Friermuth 2-38-1, Shorter 2-17, Johnson 2-13, Sanders 2-7, Hamler 1-41, Dotson 1-24
 UK - Bowden 5-84, Richardson 2-12, Conrad 1-21, Bouvier 1-4

TACKLES
 PSU - Parsons 14, Garrett 10, Miller 8, Scott 6, Johnson 6
 UK - West 10, Daniel 8, Square 6, Robinson 5, Edwards 5





2018 KENTUCKY FOOTBALL STATISTICS

RECORD	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	10-3-0	6-1-0	3-2-0	1-0-0
CONFERENCE	5-3-0	3-1-0	2-2-0	0-0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	5-0-0	3-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTENDANCE
Sep 1, 2018	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	W	35-20	49138
* Sep 08, 2018	at #25 Florida	W	27-16	80651
Sep 15, 2018	MURRAY STATE	W	48-10	48217
* Sep 22, 2018	#14 MISSISSIPPI STATE	W	28-7	60037
* Sep 29, 2018	SOUTH CAROLINA	W	24-10	63081
* Oct 06, 2018	at Texas A&M	LOT	14-20	99829
* Oct 20, 2018	VANDERBILT	W	14-7	54269
* Oct 27, 2018	at Missouri	W	15-14	53397
* Nov 03, 2018	#6 GEORGIA	L	17-34	63543
* Nov 10, 2018	at Tennessee	L	7-24	95258
* Nov 17, 2018	MIDDLE TENNESSEE	W	34-23	47535
* Nov 24, 2018	at Louisville	W	56-10	49988
Jan 1, 2019	vs. #12 Penn State	W	27-24	59167

RUSHING	GP	ATT	GAIN	LOSS	NET	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Benny Snell Jr.	13	289	1484	35	1449	5.0	16	52	111.5
Terry Wilson	13	135	742	195	547	4.1	4	42	42.1
Asim Rose	13	71	472	30	442	6.2	5	75	34.0
Sihiem King	2	12	58	0	58	4.8	0	11	29.0
Kavosiey Smoke	2	4	45	0	45	11.2	1	37	22.5
Chris Rodriguez Jr.	3	2	43	0	43	21.5	0	27	14.3
Lynn Bowden Jr.	13	9	36	11	25	2.8	0	12	1.9
Danny Clark	2	2	4	0	4	2.0	1	2	2.0
Total	13	536	2884	292	2592	4.8	27	75	199.4
Opponents	13	461	2362	398	1964	4.3	12	83	151.1

PASSING	G	EFFIC	CMP-ATT-INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LNG	AVG/G
Terry Wilson	13	133.95	180-268-8	67.2	1889	11	54	145.3
Gunnar Hoak	5	121.65	13-26-1	50.0	167	2	40	33.4
Lynn Bowden Jr.	13	-200.00	0-1-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Benny Snell Jr.	13	791.20	1-1-0	100.0	43	1	0	3.3
Team	7	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	13	133.96	194-296-10	65.5	2099	14	54	161.5
Opponents	13	119.06	216-376-9	57.4	2422	14	58	186.3

RECEIVING	G	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Lynn Bowden Jr.	13	67	745	11.1	5	54	57.3
C.J. Conrad	13	30	318	10.6	3	32	24.5
Benny Snell Jr.	13	17	105	6.2	0	28	8.1
David Bouvier	13	16	209	13.1	2	29	16.1
Dorian Baker	12	13	133	10.2	0	23	11.1
Tavin Richardson	13	13	114	8.8	0	20	8.8
Josh Ali	12	10	115	11.5	1	32	9.6
Asim Rose	13	8	82	10.2	1	31	6.3
Isaiah Epps	13	8	76	9.5	0	18	5.8
Justin Rigg	13	4	45	11.2	0	29	3.5
Clevan Thomas Jr.	3	3	63	21.0	0	40	21.0
Allen Dailey Jr.	13	2	38	19.0	1	23	2.9
Zy'Aire Hughes	7	1	63	63.0	1	14	9.0
Akeem Hayes	1	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-1.0
Terry Wilson	13	1	-6	-6.0	0	0	-0.5
Total	13	194	2099	10.8	14	54	161.5
Opponents	13	216	2422	11.2	14	58	186.3

PUNTING	NO.	YDS	AVG	LONG	TB	FC	I20	+50	BLKD
Max Duffy	60	2687	44.8	67	2	14	30	17	0

TEAM STATISTICS	UK	OPP
FIRST DOWNS	258	228
Rushing	139	105
Passing	96	102
Penalty	23	21
RUSHING YARDAGE	2592	1964
Rushing Attempts	536	461
Average Per Rush	4.8	4.3
Average Per Game	199.4	151.1
TDs Rushing	27	12
PASSING YARDAGE	2099	2422
Comp-Att-Int	194-296-10	216-376-9
Average Per Pass	7.1	6.4
Average Per Catch	10.8	11.2
Average Per Game	161.5	186.3
TDs Passing	14	14
TOTAL OFFENSE	4691	4386
Average Per Play	5.6	5.2
Average Per Game	360.8	337.4
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	26-539	23-419
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	15-198	20-236
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	9-204	10-57
FUMBLES-LOST	20-8	23-11
PENALTIES-Yards	79-721	101-858
PUNTS-AVG	60-44.8	70-44.1
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME	30:40	29:20
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	64/161	71/186
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	9/15	7/19

INTERCEPTIONS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Darius West	3	51	17.0	0	19
Mike Edwards	2	79	39.5	1	66
Tyrell Ajian	1	35	35.0	0	35
Jamin Davis	1	18	18.0	0	18
Derrick Baity	1	-3	-3.0	0	0
Lonnie Johnson Jr.	1	24	24.0	0	24

PUNT RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
David Bouvier	10	52	5.2	0	21
Lynn Bowden Jr.	5	146	29.2	2	67
Total	15	198	13.2	2	67
Opponents	20	236	11.8	0	65

KICK RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Lynn Bowden Jr.	25	539	21.6	0	42
Brenden Bates	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	26	539	20.7	0	42
Opponents	23	419	18.2	0	38

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	PCT	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	LG	BLK
Miles Butler	7-11	63.6	0-0	3-3	3-5	1-3	0-0	40	0
Chance Poore	2-4	50.0	0-0	0-0	2-3	0-0	0-1	34	1





SCORING	TD	FGS	PATS				DXP	SAF	PTS
			KICK	RUSH	RCV	PASS			
Benny Snell Jr.	16	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	96
Miles Butler	0	7-11	40-40	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	61
Lynn Bowden Jr.	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-1	0	0	42
Asim Rose	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	36
Terry Wilson	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
C.J. Conrad	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
David Bouvier	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Chance Poore	0	2-4	3-3	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	9
Kavosiey Smoke	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Allen Dailey Jr.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Mike Edwards	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Darius West	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Josh Ali	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Zy'Aire Hughes	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
D. Robinson	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Total	46	9-15	43-43	0-0	0	0-1	0	0	346
Opponents	27	11-18	24-25	0-0	0	0-1	0	0	219

SCORE BY QUARTER	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	OT	TOTAL
Kentucky	75	90	83	98	0	346
Opponents	30	99	34	50	6	219

ALL PURPOSE	G	RUSH	REC	PR	KOR	IR	TOT	AVG/G
Benny Snell Jr.	13	1449	105	0	0	0	1554	119.5
Lynn Bowden Jr.	13	25	745	146	539	0	1455	111.9
Terry Wilson	13	547	-6	0	0	0	541	41.6
Asim Rose	13	442	82	0	0	0	524	40.3
C.J. Conrad	13	0	318	0	0	0	318	24.5
Total	13	2592	2099	198	539	204	5632	433.2
Opponents	13	1964	2422	236	419	57	5098	392.2

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	PLAYS	RUSH	PASS	TOTAL	AVG/G
Terry Wilson	13	403	547	1889	2436	187.4
Benny Snell Jr.	13	290	1449	43	1492	114.8
Asim Rose	13	71	442	0	442	34.0
Gunnar Hoak	5	26	0	167	167	33.4
Sihem King	2	12	58	0	58	29.0
Total	13	832	2592	2099	4691	360.8
Opponents	13	837	1964	2422	4386	337.4

DEFENSIVE LEADERS	GP-GS	TACKLES					PASS DEF		QBH	FUMBLES		BLKD KICK	SAF
		SOLO	AST	TOTAL	TFL/YDS	SACKS NO-YARDS	INT-YDS	BRUP		RCV-YDS	FF		
41 Josh Allen	13-13	56	32	88	21.5-118	17.0-107	.	4	7	2-0	5	1	.
25 Darius West	13-12	47	39	86	1.0-2	.	3-51	6	.	1-40	.	1	.
56 Kash Daniel	13-12	42	42	84	7.5-23	1.0-7	.	1	5	.	.	.	.
7 Mike Edwards	13-13	56	26	82	9.0-25	.	2-79	6	1	1-0	1	.	.
34 Jordan Jones	12-12	31	37	68	5.5-32	1.5-18	.	4	2	1-0	1	.	.
9 Davonte Robinson	13-3	28	14	42	3.0-5	.	.	4	.	2-20	.	.	.
8 Derrick Baity	13-12	27	11	38	2.5-5	.	1--3	7	1	.	1	.	.
43 DeAndre Square	13-1	15	20	35	3.5-10	1.0-6	.	1	3	.	1	.	.
22 Chris Oats	13-1	17	10	27	3.0-11	2.0-9	.	.	.	2-0	1	.	.
91 Calvin Taylor Jr.	13-9	19	7	26	6.0-16	1.0-10	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
31 Jamar Watson	12-7	15	9	24	5.0-39	5.0-39	.	3	2	.	1	.	.
6 Lonnie Johnson Jr.	13-13	17	6	23	.	.	1-24	4	.	.	1	.	.
21 Chris Westry	13-1	19	2	21	1.0-11	1.0-11	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
92 Phil Hoskins	13-0	9	12	21	3.5-25	3.0-24	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
9Q Quinton Bohanna	12-7	8	9	17	4.0-16	1.0-8	.	.	.	1-0	1	.	.
90 T.J. Carter	13-4	9	7	16	2.5-7	1.0-4	.	3	4	.	.	.	.
59 Kordell Looney	13-0	6	9	15	1.0-3	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
98 Tymere Dubose	12-5	3	10	13	1.5-5	0.5-4	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
36 Jordan Griffin	12-4	8	5	13	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
44 Jamin Davis	13-0	6	4	10	.	.	1-18	1	.	.	.	.	.
99 Adrian Middleton	13-13	7	3	10	3.5-20	2.0-17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
23 Tyrell Ajian	13-0	5	5	10	.	.	1-35	3	.	.	.	.	.
28 Zach Johnson	13-0	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29 Yusuf Corker	13-0	4	4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
50 Marquan Mccall	8-0	3	2	5	1.5-2	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
15 Jordan Wright	9-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
46 Drew Schlegel	11-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20 Kengera Daniel	3-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
87 C.J. Conrad	13-12	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1 Lynn Bowden Jr.	13-12	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4 Joshua Paschal	3-1	2	1	3	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2N Michael Nesbitt	10-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
83 Justin Rigg	13-2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42 Tristan Yeomans	13-0	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
71 Logan Stenberg	13-13	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
82 Josh Ali	12-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
86 Grant McKinniss	13-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
64 George Asafo-Adjei	12-12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM Team	7-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
11 Tavin Richardson	13-12	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93 Max Duffy	12-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
89 Allen Dailey Jr.	13-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total	13-0	487	340	827	87-377	38-265	9-204	55	32	11-60	15	2	.
Opponents	13-0	471	412	883	78.0-290	28-175	10-57	31	23	8-20	13	1	.





2018 TEAM GAME HIGHS

KENTUCKY TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	53	vs Vanderbilt (Oct 20, 2018)
Yards Rushing	340	at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Yards Per Rush	7.4	at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
TD Rushes	5	at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Pass attempts	39	at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Pass completions	25	at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Yards Passing	294	at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Yards Per Pass	10.9	at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
TD Passes	3	at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Total Plays	74	vs Murray State (Sep 15, 2018) at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Total Offense	601	at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Yards Per Play	8.6	at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Points	56	at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Sacks By	7	vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
First Downs	29	at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Penalties	12	at Florida (Sep 08, 2018)
Penalty Yards	115	vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
Turnovers	4	vs Central Michigan (Sep 01, 2018)
Interceptions By	3	vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
Punts	10	at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
Punting Avg	54.0	vs Murray State (Sep 15, 2018)
Long Punt	67	vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
Punts inside 20	5	vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
Long Punt Return	67	at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)

OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	50	vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
Yards Rushing	331	vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
Yards Per Rush	7.5	at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
TD Rushes	3	vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
Pass attempts	41	vs Murray State (Sep 15, 2018)
Pass completions	30	vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
Yards Passing	293	vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
Yards Per Pass	9.9	at Tennessee (Nov 10, 2018)
TD Passes	3	vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
Total Plays	75	at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018) vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
Total Offense	463	vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
Yards Per Play	6.9	at Tennessee (Nov 10, 2018)
Points	34	vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
Sacks By	6	at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
First Downs	26	vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
Penalties	16	vs #14 Mississippi St. (Sep 22, 2018)
Penalty Yards	139	vs #14 Mississippi St. (Sep 22, 2018)
Turnovers	4	vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
Interceptions By	2	vs Central Michigan (Sep 01, 2018) at Tennessee (Nov 10, 2018) at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Punts	9	vs Central Michigan (Sep 01, 2018) at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Punting Avg	59.6	at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
Long Punt	82	at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
Punts inside 20	5	at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Long Punt Return	65	vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)



2018 INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

KENTUCKY INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	32	Benny Snell Jr. vs Vanderbilt (Oct 20, 2018)
Yards Rushing	175	Benny Snell Jr. at Florida (Sep 08, 2018)
TD Rushes	4	Benny Snell Jr. vs #14 Mississippi St. (Sep 22, 2018)
Long Rush	75	Asim Rose at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Pass attempts	34	Terry Wilson at Tennessee (Nov 10, 2018)
Pass completions	23	Terry Wilson vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
Yards Passing	267	Terry Wilson at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
TD Passes	3	Terry Wilson at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Long Pass	54	Terry Wilson at Florida (Sep 08, 2018)
		Terry Wilson at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
		Terry Wilson vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
Receptions	13	Lynn Bowden Jr. at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Yards Receiving	166	Lynn Bowden Jr. at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
TD Receptions	2	Lynn Bowden Jr. at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Long Reception	54	Lynn Bowden Jr. at Florida (Sep 08, 2018)
		Lynn Bowden Jr. at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
		Lynn Bowden Jr. vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
Field Goals	2	Miles Butler vs Murray State (Sep 15, 2018)
		Miles Butler vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
		Miles Butler vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
Long Field Goal	40	Miles Butler vs Murray State (Sep 15, 2018)
Punts	10	Max Duffy at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
Punting Avg	54.0	Max Duffy vs Murray State (Sep 15, 2018)
Long Punt	67	Max Duffy vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
Punts inside 20	5	Max Duffy vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
Long Punt Return	67	Lynn Bowden Jr. at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Long Kickoff Return	42	Lynn Bowden Jr. vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
		Lynn Bowden Jr. at Louisville (Nov 24, 2018)
Tackles	15	Josh Allen vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
Sacks	3.0	Josh Allen vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
		Josh Allen vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
Tackles For Loss	4.0	Josh Allen vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
Interceptions	1	Darius West at Florida (Sep 08, 2018)
		Jamin Davis vs Murray State (Sep 15, 2018)
		Tyrell Ajian vs #14 Mississippi St. (Sep 22, 2018)
		Mike Edwards vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
		Derrick Baity vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
		Darius West vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
		Darius West at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
		Mike Edwards vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
		Lonnie Johnson Jr. vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	24	T. Williams, at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
Yards Rushing	156	D'Andre Swift, vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
TD Rushes	2	D'Andre Swift, vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
Long Rush	83	D'Andre Swift, vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
Pass attempts	38	Franks,F., at Florida (Sep 08, 2018)
Pass completions	30	STOCKSTILL, B., vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
Yards Passing	293	STOCKSTILL, B., vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
TD Passes	3	STOCKSTILL, B., vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
Long Pass	58	Jake Bentley, vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
Receptions	7	LEE, Ty, vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
		THOMAS, Tavares, vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
Yards Receiving	95	J. Sternberger, at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
TD Receptions	1	Swain,F., at Florida (Sep 08, 2018)
		Stephens,M., at Florida (Sep 08, 2018)
		Deebo Samuel, vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
		Quartney Davis, at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
		J. Sternberger, at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
		C.J. Bolar, vs Vanderbilt (Oct 20, 2018)
		Isaac Nauta, vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
		Callaway,M., at Tennessee (Nov 10, 2018)
		Wood-Anderson, at Tennessee (Nov 10, 2018)
		LEE, Ty, vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
		SMITH, Patrick, vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
		MOBLEY, Chaton, vs Middle Tennessee (Nov 17, 2018)
		Bowers, Nick, vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
		Freiermuth, Pat, vs Penn State (Jan 1, 2019)
Long Reception	58	Deebo Samuel, vs South Carolina (Sep 29, 2018)
Field Goals	2	ARMSTRONG, M., vs Central Michigan (Sep 01, 2018)
		R. Blankenship, vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
Long Field Goal	38	R. Blankenship, vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
Punts	9	SHELDON, Jack, vs Central Michigan (Sep 01, 2018)
		Fatony, Corey, at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Punting Avg	59.6	Braden Mann, at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
Long Punt	82	Braden Mann, at TAMU (Oct 06, 2018)
Punts inside 20	5	Fatony, Corey, at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Long Punt Return	65	Mecole Hardman, vs Georgia (Nov 03, 2018)
Long Kickoff Return	38	Badie, Tyler, at Missouri (Oct 27, 2018)
Tackles	18	Jordan Griffin, vs Vanderbilt (Oct 20, 2018)
Sacks	4.0	Taylor,D., at Tennessee (Nov 10, 2018)
Tackles For Loss	4.0	Taylor,D., at Tennessee (Nov 10, 2018)
Interceptions	2	Osborne,M., at Tennessee (Nov 10, 2018)



2018 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

Game	Score	First Downs	Time of Possession	Rushing (No-Yds-TD)	Passing (Cmp-Att-Int-Yds-TD)	Total Offense (Plays-Yds-TD)	3rd Down Conversions	Fumbles-Lost
KENTUCKY vs. Central Michigan	35-20	27-11	28:08-31:52	43-299-4	15-27-2-128-1	70-427-5	7-of-13	5-2
KENTUCKY at Florida	27-16	20-24	31:10-28:50	41-303-1	11-16-1-151-2	57-454-3	9-of-13	1-1
KENTUCKY vs. Murray State	48-10	28-17	35:55-24:05	43-245-4	24-31-0-283-2	74-528-6	6-of-12	2-0
KENTUCKY vs. Mississippi State	28-7	18-11	30:57-29:03	47-229-4	8-14-1-71-0	61-300-4	3-of-10	0-0
KENTUCKY vs. South Carolina	24-10	19-20	34:44-25:16	46-195-3	13-20-1-132-0	66-327-3	3-of-11	0-0
KENTUCKY at Texas A&M	14-20	8-21	25:02-34:58	30-70-0	13-20-0-108-1	50-178-1	2-of-13	3-0
KENTUCKY vs. Vanderbilt	14-7	17-12	31:07-28:53	53-280-1	3-9-0-18-1	62-298-2	7-of-13	3-2
KENTUCKY at Missouri	15-14	21-13	31:52-28:08	35-91-0	25-39-1-294-1	74-385-1	3-of-14	0-0
KENTUCKY vs. Georgia	17-34	21-25	28:35-30:25	35-84-1	23-29-0-226-1	64-310-2	7-of-13	2-2
KENTUCKY at Tennessee	7-24	19-16	29:50-30:10	35-77-0	23-38-2-185-1	3-262-1	6-of-17	1-1
KENTUCKY vs. Middle Tennessee	34-23	15-26	26:38-33:22	40-203-2	10-14-0-121-1	54-324-3	4-of-10	2-0
KENTUCKY at Louisville	56-10	29-10	33:57-26:03	46-340-5	17-24-2-261-3	70-601-8	4-of-8	0-0
KENTUCKY vs. Penn State	27-24	16-20	30:42-29:18	42-176-2	9-15-0-121-0	57-297-2	3-of-14	1-0

GAME-BY GAME RUSHING

(No-Yds-TD)	Clark	Hoak	King	Rose	Rodriguez	Snell	Wilson
vs. Central Michigan	0-0-0	0-0-0	6-32-0	8-104-2	0-0-0	20-125-2	9-38-0
at Florida	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	4-23-0	0-0-0	27-175-0	10-105-1
vs. Murray State	1-2-1	0-0-0	6-26-0	5-19-1	2-43-0	15-75-1	13-80-1
vs. Mississippi State	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	9-47-0	0-0-0	25-165-4	11-18-0
vs. South Carolina	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	7-38-1	0-0-0	28-99-1	9-59-1
at Texas A&M	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	3-6-0	0-0-0	13-60-0	14-4-0
vs. Vanderbilt	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	5-17-0	0-0-0	32-169-1	12-91-0
at Missouri	1-2-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	5-11-0	0-0-0	19-67-0	10-11-0
vs. Georgia	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-(-1)-0	0-0-0	20-73-1	12-12-0
at Tennessee	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-9-0	0-0-0	20-81-0	10-(-6)-0
vs. Middle Tennessee	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	7-48-0	0-0-0	26-116-2	5-27-0
at Louisville	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	10-112-1	0-0-0	18-100-2	10-79-1
vs. Penn State	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	4-9-0	0-0-0	26-144-2	10-49-0

GAME-BY GAME RECEIVING

(Rec-Yds-TD)	Ali	Baker	Bouvier	Bowden	Conrad	Dailey	Epps	Hayes	Hughes	Richardson	Rigg	Snell	Thomas
vs. Central Michigan	1-14-0	1-21-0	3-48-1	5-17-0	3-9-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-7-0	1-12-0
at Florida	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-43-1	4-79-1	2-3-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-18-0	0-0-0	2-8-0	0-0-0
vs. Murray State	1-1-0	4-25-0	0-0-0	8-89-0	3-24-0	2-38-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-49-1	0-0-0	1-5-0	0-0-0	2-51-0
vs. Mississippi St.	1-6-0	1-23-0	0-0-0	3-15-0	2-22-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-5-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
vs. South Carolina	1-8-0	2-29-0	1-21-0	4-18-0	3-31-0	0-0-0	1-11-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-14-0	0-0-0
at Texas A&M	1-5-0	1-2-0	0-0-0	3-55-1	3-25-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	4-18-0	0-0-0
vs. Vanderbilt	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	3-18-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
at Missouri	2-22-0	1-8-0	2-43-0	13-166-0	2-12-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-8-0	1-7-0	2-28-0	0-0-0
vs. Georgia	0-0-0	1-4-0	3-15-0	6-52-0	3-22-0	0-0-0	2-29-0	0-0-0	1-14-0	2-26-0	0-0-0	1-5-0	0-0-0
at Tennessee	0-0-0	0-0-0	3-19-0	6-57-0	2-39-1	0-0-0	1-4-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	4-37-0	0-0-0	6-25-0	0-0-0
vs. Middle Tenn.	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-9-0	4-51-1	0-0-0	3-24-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-8-0	1-29-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
at Louisville	3-59-1	2-21-0	1-16-0	6-86-2	2-59-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-4-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
vs. Penn State	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-4-0	5-84-0	1-21-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-12-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0





GAME-BY-GAME PASSING

(Cmp-Att-Int-Yds-TD)	Hoak	Wilson
vs. Central Michigan	4-9-0-50-1	11-18-2-78-0
at Florida	0-0-0-0-0	11-16-1-151-2
vs. Murray State	4-5-0-77-1	19-25-0-163-0
vs. Mississippi St.	0-0-0-0-0	8-14-1-71-0
vs. South Carolina	0-0-0-0-0	13-20-1-132-0
at Texas A&M	0-0-0-0-0	13-20-0-108-1
vs. Vanderbilt	0-0-0-0-0	3-9-0-18-1
at Missouri	3-8-0-27-0	22-31-1-267-1
vs. Georgia	0-0-0-0-0	23-29-0-226-1
at Tennessee	2-4-1-13-0	21-34-1-172-1
vs. Middle Tenn.	0-0-0-0-0	10-14-0-121-1
at Louisville	0-0-0-0-0	17-23-1-261-3
vs. Penn State	0-0-0-0-0	9-15-0-121-0

GAME-BY-GAME PUNTING

(No-Yds-Avg-LG-In20)	Duffy
vs. Central Michigan	4-200-50.0-54-2
at Florida	4-157-39.2-43-2
vs. Murray State	1-54-54.0-54-1
vs. Mississippi State	5-221-44.2-49-2
vs. South Carolina	4-190-47.5-52-4
at Texas A&M	10-487-48.7-63-3
vs. Vanderbilt	5-215-43.0-51-2
at Missouri	5-177-35.4-44-2
vs. Georgia	4-194-48.5-56-3
at Tennessee	7-322-46.0-56-4
vs. Middle Tennessee	2-67-33.5-47-0
at Louisville	-
vs. Penn State	9-403-44.8-67-5

GAME-BY-GAME FIELD GOALS

FG Made (Miss)	Butler	Poore
vs. Central Michigan	-	-
at Florida	-	-
vs. Murray State	40, 38	-
vs. Mississippi State	(36)	-
vs. South Carolina	29, (43)	-
at Texas A&M	(43)	-
vs. Vanderbilt	(39)	-
at Missouri	-	31
vs. Georgia	-	34
at Tennessee	-	(51, 30)
vs. Middle Tennessee	38, 32	-
at Louisville	-	-
vs. Penn State	28, 28	-

GAME-BY-GAME DEFENSIVE LINE (Tackles-Tackles-For-Loss-Sacks)

Game	Allen	Bohanna	Carter	Ke. Daniel	Dubose	Hoskins	Looney	McCall	Middleton	Taylor
vs. Central Mich.	10-3-0-1	2-0-0	2-0-0	1-0-0	3-1-1	3-0-0	3-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	3-0-0
at Florida	5-0-5-1-0	0-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-1-1	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0
vs. Murray State	4-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	3-0-0	2-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	3-1.5-1	0-0-0	1-0-0
vs. Miss. State	6-2-1	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	2-1-1
vs. South Carolina	8-4-3	2-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	3-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-0-0
at Texas A&M	4-0-0	2-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	4-1-1	2-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-5-0	1-0-0
vs. Vanderbilt	8-2-2	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-5-0	2-0-5-0	3-0-0	1-0-0	1-1-1	1-0-0
at Missouri	11-2-2	2-1-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0
vs. Georgia	3-0-0	3-0-5-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	1-1-0
at Tennessee	6-1-1	1-0-0	4-2-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	3-2-0
vs. Middle Tenn.	15-2-2	3-1-1	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-1-1	1-1-0	0-0-0	2-1-1	4-0-0
at Louisville	4-1-1	1-1-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-1-0
vs. Penn State	4-3-3	0-0-0	3-1-1	0-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	4-1-0

GAME-BY-GAME LINEBACKERS (Tackles-Tackles-For-Loss-Sacks-Pass Breakups)

Game	Ka. Daniel	Davis	Jones	Oats	Square	Watson	Wright
vs. Central Mich.	11-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	8-1.5-1-0	0-0-0-0	3-0-0-0	6-0-0-1	0-0-0-0
at Florida	11-0-5-0-0	0-0-0-0	6-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
vs. Murray State	3-1-0-0-0	4-0-0-1	2-0-0-4	1-0-0-0	2-0-5-1-0	0-0-0-0	3-0-0-1
vs. Miss. State	7-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	8-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	4-1-1-0	0-0-0-0
vs. South Carolina	5-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	5-1-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	2-1-0-1-0-1	0-0-0-0
at Texas A&M	4-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	2-1-1-0	4-1.5-1-0-0	6-0-0-0	4-1-0-1-0-0	0-0-0-0
vs. Vanderbilt	11-2-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	5-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	2-1-0-1-0-0	0-0-0-0
at Missouri	3-0-0-1	0-0-0-0	10-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
vs. Georgia	4-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	9-0-5-0-0	3-0-5-0-0	1-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
at Tennessee	2-1-0-0	1-0-0-0	5-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	5-1-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
vs. Middle Tenn.	8-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	2-1-0-0	1-1-1-0	0-0-0-0
at Louisville	8-3-0-0	1-0-0-0	4-2-0-0	5-1-1-0	3-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	1-0-0-0
vs. Penn State	8-2-1-0	1-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	3-0-0-0	6-1-1-0	2-0-0-1	0-0-0-0

GAME-BY-GAME DEFENSIVE BACKS (Tackles-Pass Breakups-Int.)

Game	Ajian	Baity	Corker	Edwards	Griffin	L. Johnson	Z. Johnson	Nesbitt	Robinson	West	Westry
vs. Central Mich.	0-0-0	2-0-0	2-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	3-0-0	7-0-0	1-0-0
at Florida	0-0-0	3-2-0	0-0-0	6-1-0	4-0-0	3-1-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	8-0-1	1-0-0
vs. Murray State	2-0-0	4-0-0	1-0-0	5-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	1-1-0	4-1-0	2-0-0
vs. Miss. State	0-1-1	3-1-1	0-0-0	6-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	3-1-0	9-2-0	1-0-0
vs. South Carolina	0-0-0	3-0-1	1-0-0	5-0-1	1-1-0	3-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	9-2-1	1-0-0
at Texas A&M	1-1-0	5-2-0	1-0-0	9-0-0	3-0-0	3-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	10-0-1	2-0-0
vs. Vanderbilt	0-0-0	0-1-0	0-0-0	9-1-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	7-1-0	3-0-0	1-0-0
at Missouri	0-0-0	3-1-0	0-0-0	4-1-0	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	8-1-0	2-0-0
vs. Georgia	1-0-0	6-0-0	0-0-0	11-1-0	1-0-0	4-1-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	9-0-0	2-0-0	5-0-0
at Tennessee	3-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	6-0-0	0-0-0	1-1-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	4-1-0	6-0-0	0-1-0
vs. Middle Tenn.	0-0-0	3-0-0	0-0-0	12-0-1	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	5-0-0	8-0-0	2-0-0
at Louisville	1-1-0	1-1-0	2-0-0	2-0-0	1-1-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	2-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0
vs. Penn State	1-0-0	3-0-0	1-0-0	5-0-0	1-0-0	4-1-1	1-0-0	0-0-0	5-0-0	10-0-0	3-1-0





2018 GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

(Note: Returning players in bold)

OFFENSIVE STARTERS

	TE/WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	WR	WR/TE	WR	RB	QB
vs. Central Mich.	Conrad	Watkins	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Baker	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
at Florida	Conrad	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Baker	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
vs. Murray State	Conrad	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjeu	Baker	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
vs. Miss. State	Conrad	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Baker	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
vs. South Carolina	Conrad	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Baker	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
at Texas A&M	Bouvier	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Baker	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
vs. Vanderbilt	Conrad	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Baker	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
at Missouri	Conrad	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Baker	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
vs. Georgia	Conrad	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Epps	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
at Tennessee	Conrad	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Epps	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
vs. Middle Tenn.	Conrad	Kinnard	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Baker	Rigg	Bouvier	Snell	Wilson
at Louisville	Conrad	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Kinnard	Bowden	Rigg	Richardson	Snell	Wilson
vs. Penn State	Conrad	Price	Stenberg	Jackson	Stallings	Asafo-Adjei	Baker	Bowden	Richardson	Snell	Wilson

DEFENSIVE STARTERS

	OLB	DE	NG/NICK	DT	SLB/NICK	WLB	MLB	CB	SS	FS	CB
vs. Central Mich.	Allen	Carter	Griffin	Middleton	Watson	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
at Florida	Allen	Carter	Bohanna	Middleton	Griffin	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
vs. Murray State	Allen	Carter	Dubose	Middleton	Griffin	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
vs. Miss. State	Allen	Carter	Dubose	Middleton	Watson	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
vs. South Carolina	Allen	Taylor	Dubose	Middleton	Griffin	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
at Texas A&M	Allen	Taylor	Dubose	Middleton	Watson	J. Jones	Oats	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
vs. Vanderbilt	Allen	Taylor	Dubose	Middleton	Watson	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
at Missouri	Allen	Taylor	Bohanna	Middleton	Watson	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
vs. Georgia	Allen	Taylor	Bohanna	Middleton	D. Robinson	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Westry	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
at Tennessee	Allen	Taylor	Bohanna	Middleton	Watson	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	D. Robinson	L. Johnson
vs. Middle Tenn.	Allen	Taylor	Bohanna	Middleton	Paschal	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
at Louisville	Allen	Taylor	Bohanna	Middleton	Watson	J. Jones	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson
vs. Penn State	Allen	Taylor	Bohanna	Middleton	D. Robinson	Square	Ka. Daniel	Baity	Edwards	West	L. Johnson





2018 SCORING DRIVE ANALYSIS

GAME-BY-GAME SCORING DRIVES

Game	Plays/Yards	Time (Poss.)	Qtr./Clock	Res.	Scoring Play
CMU	4/76	1:49	1/1:20	TD	Rose 55 yd rush
CMU	6/76	1:24	2/4:00	TD	Snell 52 yd rush
CMU	6/71	0:41	2/0:14	TD	Bouvier 24 yd pass from Hoak
CMU	3/40	1:16	3/4:01	TD	Snell 11 yd rush
CMU	6/58	2:10	4/14:53	TD	Rose 4 yd rush
UF	9/91	4:33	1/5:07	TD	Bouvier 29 yd pass from T. Wilson
UF	10/90	2:08	2/8:27	TD	T. Wilson 24 yd rush
UF	5/78	2:24	3/4:11	TD	Bowden 54 yd pass from T. Wilson
MSU	8/91	3:51	1/11:09	TD	T. Wilson 42 yd rush
MSU	7/16	3:22	2/11:29	FG	Butler 40 yd FG
MSU	14/64	6:47	2/1:43	TD	Snell 7 yd rush
MSU	16/56	6:42	3/7:19	FG	Butler 38 yd FG
MSU	7/72	2:46	3/3:07	TD	Rose 3 yd rush
MSU	3/56	1:26	3/0:05	TD	Hughes 49 yd TD rush
MSU	4/80	1:53	4/10:16	TD	Dailey 23 yd TD pass from Hoak
MSU	8/55	3:59	4/3:38	TD	Clark 2 yd rush
MSST	6/47	1:25	2/0:50	TD	Snell 2 yd rush
MSST	11/92	5:35	3/6:03	TD	Snell 1 yd rush
MSST	1/36	0:09	4/8:00	TD	Snell 36 yd rush
MSST	5/40	2:54	4/3:45	TD	Snell 23 yd rush
SC	4/4	2:00	1/10:06	FG	Butler 29 yd FG
SC	11/75	5:46	2/14:21	TD	Wilson 1 yd rush
SC	7/80	3:16	2/9:15	TD	Rose 24 yd rush
SC	6/61	3:23	2/4:53	TD	Snell 4 yd rush
TAMU	5/68	2:22	1/1:10	TD	Bowden 54 yd pass from T. Wilson
VU	11/48	5:31	2/6:28	TD	Bowden 5 yd pass from T. Wilson
VU	12/80	5:39	4/8:04	TD	Snell 7 yd rush
MU	7/62	3:48	1/11:12	FG	Poore 31 yd FG
MU	8/81	1:24	4/0:00	TD	Wilson 2 yd pass from Conrad
UGA	15/50	7:57	2/8:23	FG	Poore 34 yd FG
UGA	9/75	4:11	3/3:45	TD	Snell 9 yd rush
UGA	7/75	2:43	4/9:01	TD	Rose 31 yd pass from T. Wilson
UT	5/60	2:04	3/1:56	TD	Conrad 19 yd pass from T. Wilson
MT	8/50	3:33	1/8:36	TD	Snell 7 yd rush
MT	10/34	5:13	1/1:35	FG	Butler 38 yd FG
MT	5/75	2:33	2/8:40	TD	Conrad 11 yd pass from T. Wilson
MT	9/83	4:25	3/10:30	TD	Snell 6 yd rush
MT	10/47	5:31	4/4:01	FG	Butler 32 yd FG
UL	8/53	4:05	1/9:03	TD	Snell 7 yd rush
UL	9/84	4:16	1/2:05	TD	T. Wilson 3 yd rush
UL	7/77	3:47	2/13:03	TD	Snell 24 yd rush
UL	8/75	4:43	2/4:08	TD	Bowden 28 yd pass from T. Wilson
UL	7/67	1:35	2/0:31	TD	Bowden 13 yd pass from T. Wilson
UL	9/57	4:04	4:14:04	TD	Ali 32 yd pass from T. Wilson
UL	2/73	1:17	4/11:09	TD	Rose 75 yd rush
UL	4/45	2:21	4/4:40	TD	Smoke 37 yd rush
PSU	5/24	1:52	1/12:23	FG	Butler 28 yd FG
PSU	6/65	2:22	3/12:38	TD	Snell 2 yd rush
PSU	11/65	6:05	3/3:48	FG	Butler 28 yd FG
PSU	2/66	0:57	3/1:35	TD	Snell 12 yd rush

GAME-BY-GAME TD DRIVES

Yds	TD	Drive	Poss. Time	TDs	Plays	TDs
0-9	17	0	00:00-00:59	3	1	1
10-19	5	0	01:00-01:59	9	2	2
20-29	8	0	02:00-02:59	10	3	2
30-39	4	1	03:00-03:59	6	4	3
40-49	2	5	04:00-04:59	7	5	5
50-59	4	6	05:00-05:59	5	6	6
60-69	0	7	06:00-06:59	1	7	5
70-79	1	12	07:00-07:59	-	8	6
80-89	0	6	08:00-08:59	-	9	5
90-99	0	4	09:00-09:59	-	10	1
Total	41	41	10:00-10:59	-	11	3
			11:00-11:59	-	12	1
			12:00-12:59	-	13	-
			13:00-13:59	-	14	1
			14:00-14:59	-	15	-
			15:00 - +	-	16	-

GAME OPENING DRIVES

Game	KENTUCKY		OPPONENT	
	Res/Pts	Yds	Res/Pts	Yds
vs. Central Michigan	Punt/0	5	Punt/0	6
at Florida	TD/7	91	Punt/0	41
vs. Murray State	TD/7	91	Punt/0	28
vs. Mississippi State	Punt/0	17	Punt/0	-4
vs. South Carolina	Punt/0	5	Punt/0	1
at Texas A&M	Punt/0	19	Punt/0	16
vs. Vanderbilt	Fumble/0	29	Punt/0	17
at Missouri	FG/3	62	MFG/0	50
vs. Georgia	Punt/0	15	TD/7	23
at Tennessee	Punt/0	20	Punt/0	19
vs. Middle Tennessee	TD/7	0	INT/0	26
at Louisville	TD/7	53	Punt/0	-3
vs. Penn State	FG/3	24	Downs/0	8
Total/Avg	34/2.6	431/33.1	7/0.5	228/17.5

2ND HALF OPENING DRIVES

Game	KENTUCKY		OPPONENT	
	Res/Pts	Yds	Res/Pts	Yds
vs. Central Michigan	Punt/0	4	Punt/0	22
at Florida	TD/7	90	Punt/0	25
vs. Murray State	FG/3	56	Punt/0	-2
vs. Mississippi State	TD/7	92	Punt/0	8
vs. South Carolina	MFG/0	50	TD/7	75
at Texas A&M	Punt/0	12	MFG/0	52
vs. Vanderbilt	Punt/0	3	MFG/0	45
at Missouri	Punt/0	39	Punt/0	1
vs. Georgia	Punt/0	8	TD/7	78
at Tennessee	Punt/0	6	Punt/0	-2
vs. Middle Tennessee	TD/7	83	TD/6	99
at Louisville	INT/0	23	Punt/0	10
vs. Penn State	TD/7	65	Punt/0	8
Total/Avg	31/2.4	531/40.1	20/1.5	419/32.2

DRIVE ANALYSIS

Game	Total Drive	TD	FG	MFG	P	TO	4DN
vs. Central Michigan	15	5	0	0	4	4	0-1
at Florida	9	3	0	0	4	2	0-0
vs. Murray State	10	6	2	0	1	0	3-3
vs. Mississippi State	12	4	0	1	5	1	1-1
vs. South Carolina	12	3	1	1	4	1	1-1
at Texas A&M	12	1	0	1	10	0	0-0
vs. Vanderbilt	12	2	0	1	5	2	0-0
at Missouri	12	1	1	0	5	1	0-3
vs. Georgia	10	2	1	0	4	2	0-1
at Tennessee	13	1	0	2	7	3	1-1
vs. Middle Tennessee	10	3	2	0	2	0	0-1
at Louisville	11	8	0	0	0	2	3-3
vs. Penn State	13	2	2	0	9	0	0-0
Totals	151	41	9	6	60	18	9-15





MISCELLANEOUS STATS

TURNOVERS

Opponent	FORCED BY KENTUCKY					FORCED BY OPPONENT			
	Fum	Int	Tot	Margin	UK Pts Off	Fum	Int	Tot	Opp Pts Off
vs. Central Michigan	0	0	0	-4	0	2	2	4	20
at Florida	1	1	2	0	6	1	1	2	0
vs. Murray State	0	1	1	+1	7	0	0	0	0
vs. Mississippi State	0	1	1	0	7	0	1	1	0
vs. South Carolina	1	3	4	+3	10	0	1	1	0
at Texas A&M	1	1	2	+2	7	0	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	2	0	2	0	7	2	0	2	7
at Missouri	0	0	0	-1	0	0	1	1	0
vs. Georgia	2	0	2	0	3	2	0	0	0
at Tennessee	2	0	2	-1	0	1	2	3	0
vs. Middle Tennessee	1	1	2	+2	14	0	0	0	0
at Louisville	0	0	0	-2	0	0	2	2	0
vs. Penn State	1	1	2	+2	7	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	11	9	20	+2	68	8	10	16	27

KENTUCKY BIG PLAYS

Opponent	RUSHING					PASSING				SPECIAL TEAMS	
	15+	20+	30+	40+	50+	20+	30+	40+	50+	Block	Return for TD
vs. Central Michigan	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
at Florida	5	4	1	1	0	2	1	1	1	0	0
vs. Murray State	5	3	1	1	0	6	2	2	0	0	0
vs. Mississippi State	4	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	4	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
at Texas A&M	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Missouri	1	0	0	0	0	4	2	2	0	1	1
vs. Georgia	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Middle Tennessee	3	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
at Louisville	4	4	3	2	1	6	3	0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State	3	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1
TOTALS											

OPPONENT BIG PLAYS

Opponent	RUSHING					PASSING				SPECIAL TEAMS	
	15+	20+	30+	40+	50+	20+	30+	40+	50+	Block	Return for TD
vs. Central Michigan	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1
at Florida	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
vs. Murray State	3	2	1	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0
vs. Mississippi State	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
vs. South Carolina	3	1	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	0
at Texas A&M	5	1	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0
vs. Vanderbilt	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	1	0	0	0
at Missouri	1	1	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
vs. Georgia	6	4	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee	3	3	1	1	1	4	3	0	0	0	0
vs. Middle Tennessee	6	4	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
at Louisville	4	3	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
vs. Penn State	2	1	0	0	0	6	1	1	0	0	0
TOTALS											

DRIVE CHART STATISTICS

Opponent	No.	Avg Plays	Avg Yds	Avg Time	For TD	Avg Plays	Avg Yds	Avg Time
vs. Central Michigan	15	4.6	28.4	1:52	5	5.0	64.2	1:28
at Florida	9	6.3	50.4	3:28	3	8.0	86.3	4:01
vs. Murray State	10	7.4	52.8	3:25	6	7.3	69.6	3:27
vs. Mississippi State	12	5.0	25.0	2:34	4	5.7	53.7	2:28
vs. South Carolina	12	5.5	27.2	2:54	3	8.0	72.0	4:08
at Texas A&M	12	4.1	14.8	2:05	1	5.0	68.0	2:22
vs. Vanderbilt	12	5.1	24.8	2:35	2	11.5	64.0	5:35
at Missouri	12	6.2	32.1	2:39	1	8.0	81.0	1:24
vs. Georgia	10	6.4	31.0	2:51	2	8.0	75.0	3:27
at Tennessee	13	5.6	20.2	2:18	1	5.0	60.0	2:04
vs. Middle Tennessee	10	5.4	32.4	2:39	3	7.3	69.3	3:30
at Louisville	11	6.3	54.6	3:05	8	6.7	66.3	3:16
vs. Penn State	13	4.4	22.8	2:21	2	2.0	65.5	1:39



EXPLOSIVE PLAYS

RUNS 15+

Rodriguez, 16 yards
 Rodriguez, 27 yards
(2 rush for 43 yards, 21.5 avg., 0 TD)
 Rose, 55 yards*
 Rose, 24 yards*
 Rose, 31 yards
 Rose, 75 yards*
(4 rush for 185 yards, 46.2 avg., 3 TD)
 Smoke, 37 yards
(1 rush for 37 yards, 37.0 avg., 1 TD)
 Snell, 52 yards*
 Snell, 44 yards
 Snell, 20 yards
 Snell, 17 yards
 Snell, 22 yards
 Snell, 20 yards
 Snell, 18 yards
 Snell, 36 yards*
 Snell, 23 yards*
 Snell, 16 yards
 Snell, 15 yards
 Snell, 22 yards
 Snell, 15 yards
 Snell, 19 yards
 Snell, 17 yards
 Snell, 24 yards*
 Snell, 16 yards
 Snell, 32 yards
(18 rush for 428 yards, 23.7 avg., 4 TD)
 Wilson, 31 yards
 Wilson, 19 yards
 Wilson, 24 yards*
 Wilson, 42 yards*
 Wilson, 21 yards
 Wilson, 16 yards
 Wilson, 15 yards
 Wilson, 22 yards
 Wilson, 23 yards
 Wilson, 19 yards
 Wilson, 36 yards
 Wilson, 40 yards
 Wilson, 15 yards
(13 rush for 323 yards, 24.8 avg., 2 TD)
Total: 38 rush for 1,018 yards, 26.7 avg, 10 TD

RECEIVING 20+

Ali, 20 yards
 Ali, 32 yards*
(3 rec. for 52 yards, 26.0 avg., 1 TD)
 Baker, 21 yards
 Baker, 23 yards
 Baker, 20 yards
(3 rec. for 64 yards, 21.3 avg., 0 TD)
 Bouvier, 24 yards*
 Bouvier, 29 yards*
 Bouvier, 21 yards
 Bouvier, 27 yards
(4 rec. for 101 yards, 25.2 avg., 2 TD)
 Bowden, 54 yards*
 Bowden, 25 yards
 Bowden, 24 yards
 Bowden, 20 yards
 Bowden, 54 yards*
 Bowden, 45 yards
 Bowden, 43 yards
 Bowden, 32 yards
 Bowden, 28 yards*
(9 rec. for 325 yards, 36.1 avg., 3 TD)
 Conrad, 23 yards
 Conrad, 27 yards
 Conrad, 32 yards
 Conrad, 21 yards
(4 rec. for 103 yards, 25.8 avg., 0 TD)
 Dailey, 23 yards*
(1 rec. for 23 yards, 23.0 avg., 1 TD)
 Hughes, 49 yards*
(1 rec. for 49 yards, 49.0 avg., 1 TD)
 Richardson, 20 yards
(1 rec. for 20 yards, 20.0 avg., 0 TD)
 Riggs, 29 yards
(1 rec. for 29 yards, 29.0 avg., 0 TD)
 Rose, 31 yards*
(1 rec. for 31 yards, 31.0 avg., 0 TD)
 Snell, 28 yards
(1 rec. for 28 yards, 28.0 avg., 0 TD)
 Thomas, 40 yards
(1 rec. for 40 yards, 40.0 avg., 0 TD)
Total: 29 rec. for 865 yards, 39.8 avg., 8 TD

KICK RETURNS 30+

Bowden, 42 yards
 Bowden, 36 yards
(2 return for 78 yards, 39.0 avg.)
Total: 2 return for 78 yards, 39.0 avg, 0 TD

PUNT RETURNS 20+

Bouvier, 21 yards
(1 return for 21 yards, 21.0 avg.)
 Bowden, 67 yards*
 Bowden, 58 yards*
(2 return for 125 yards, 62.5 avg., 2 TD)
Total: 3 return for 146 yards, 48.6 avg., 2 TD

DEFENSIVE RETURNS 20+

Edwards, 66 yards*
(1 return for 66 yards, 66.0 avg.)
 L. Johnson, 24 yards
(1 return for 24 yards, 24.0 avg.)
 D. Robinson, 20 yards*
(1 return for 20 yards, 20.0 avg.)
 D. West, 40 yards*
(1 return for 40 yards, 40.0 avg.)
Total: 4 returns for 150 yards, 37.5 avg., 3 TD

Total: 76 plays for 2,257 yards, 29.7 avg.

* denotes a touchdown scoring play

UK LONG PLAYS (20+) BY THE NUMBERS

20+ Plays By Yards	No.	TD
100+	0	0
90-99	0	0
80-89	0	0
70-79	1	1
60-69	2	2
50-59	4	5
40-49	9	3
30-39	12	5
20-29	33	8
TOTAL	61	24

20+ Plays By Type	No.	TD
Rushing	24	10
Passing	28	9
Punt returns	3	2
Kick returns (30+)	2	0
Interceptions	2	1
Fumble returns	2	2
TOTAL	61	24

OPPONENT BIG PLAYS

Total:
 Run (15+) 36 for 1,023 yds
 Receiving (20+) 34 for 1,019 yds
 Kick Returns (30+) 0 for 0 yds
 Punt Returns (20+) 3 for 133 yds
 Defensive Returns (20+) 2 for 56 yds
TOTAL: 75 for 2,231 yards (29.7 avg.)



2019 OPPONENT INFORMATION

TOLEDO

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	7-6 (5-3, MAC)
Head Coach	Jason Candle
Record at School, Years	28-13 (5th year)
Career Record, Years	28-13 (5th year)
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Series Record vs. UK	First Meeting

EASTERN MICHIGAN

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	7-6 (5-3, MAC)
Head Coach	Chris Creighton
Record at School, Years	22-40 (6th year)
Career Record, Years	22-40 (6th year)
Stadium, Capacity	Rynearson Stadium (30,200)
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Series Record vs. UK	UK leads 1-0

FLORIDA

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	4-7 (3-5, SEC)
Head Coach	Dan Mullen
Record at School, Years	10-3 (2nd year)
Career Record, Years	79-49 (10 years)
Stadium, Capacity	Ben Hill Griffin Stadium (88,548)
Football SID	Steve McClain
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Series Record vs. UK	UF leads 51-18

AT MISSISSIPPI STATE

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	8-5 (4-4, SEC)
Head Coach	Joe Moorhead
Record at School, Years	8-5 (2nd Year)
Career Record, Years	8-5 (2nd year)
Stadium, Capacity	Davis Wade Stadium (61,337)
Football SID	Bill Martin
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Athletics Website	HailState.com
Series Record vs. UK	Series Tied 23-23

AT SOUTH CAROLINA

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	7-6 (4-4, SEC)
Head Coach	Will Muschamp
Record at School, Years	22-17 (4th year)
Career Record, Years	50-38 (7 years)
Stadium, Capacity	Williams-Brice Stadium (80,250)
Football SID	Steve Fink
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Athletics Website	GamecocksOnline.com
Series Record vs. UK	USC leads 17-12-1

ARKANSAS

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	2-10 (0-8, SEC)
Head Coach	Chad Morris
Record at School, Years	2-10 (2nd year)
Career Record, Years	16-33 (4 years)
Stadium, Capacity	Razorback Stadium (76,000)
Football SID	Kyle Parkinson
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Athletics Website	ArkansasRazorbacks.com
Series Record vs. UK	UK leads 4-3

GEORGIA

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	11-3 (7-1, SEC)
Head Coach	Kirby Smart
Record at School, Years	32-10 (4th year)
Career Record, Years	32-10 (4th year)
Stadium, Capacity	Sanford Stadium (92,746)
Football SID	Claude Felton
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Series Record vs. UK	UGA leads 58-12-2

MISSOURI

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	8-5 (4-4, SEC)
Head Coach	Barry Odom
Record at School, Years	19-19 (4th year)
Career Record, Years	19-19 (4th year)
Stadium, Capacity	Faurot Field/Memorial Stadium (68,174)
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Athletics Website	MUTigers.com
Series Record vs. UK	UK leads 6-3

TENNESSEE

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	5-7 (2-6, SEC)
Head Coach	Jeremy Pruitt
Record at School, Years	5-7 (2nd year)
Career Record, Years	5-7 (2nd year)
Stadium, Capacity	Neyland Stadium (102,455)
Football SID	Zach Stipe
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Athletics Website	UTSports.com
Series Record vs. UK	UT leads 80-25-9

AT VANDERBILT

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	6-7 (3-5, SEC)
Head Coach	Derek Mason
Record at School, Years	24-38 (6th year)
Career Record, Years	24-38 (6th year)
Stadium, Capacity	Vanderbilt Stadium (40,350)
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Athletics Website	VUCommodores.com
Series Record vs. UK	UK leads 45-42-4

TENNESSEE MARTIN

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	2-9 (2-6, OVC)
Head Coach	Jason Simpson
Record at School, Years	78-59 (13th year)
Career Record, Years	78-59 (13th year)
Stadium, Capacity	Hardy Graham Stadium (7,500)
Football SID	Alex Boggis
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Athletics Website	UTMSports.com
Series Record vs. UK	UK leads 1-0

LOUISVILLE

2018 Record (Overall, Conf.)	2-10 (0-8, ACC)
Head Coach	Scott Satterfield
Record at School, Years	0-0 (1st year)
Career Record, Years	0-0 (1st year)
Stadium, Capacity	Cardinal Stadium (65,000)
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Series Record vs. UK	UK leads 16-15