

VANDERBILT GAME NOTES



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VANDERBILT-KENTUCKY INFO

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SIMS NAMED SEC SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Sophomore **Darrius Sims** was named the SEC Special Teams Player of the Week Monday after putting together one of the most remarkable performances by a kick returner in league history.

Sims returned kicks for touchdowns of 91 and 100 yards against South Carolina, becoming the first SEC player ever to accomplish the feat.

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LOOKING TO A ROAD WIN

The Commodores are looking for their third straight road victory in SEC play journey to Lexington. Vanderbilt ended the 2013 regular season with wins at Florida and Tennessee.

SUCCESS DURING THE DAY

Vanderbilt hopes to continue its recent success in day games vs. Kentucky. In 2013, the 'Dores were 5-1 in day games.

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2014 SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Date	Opponent	Site	Result	Notes
8/28	Temple	Nashville	L, 7-37	Seven Commodore turnovers too much to overcome
9/6	Ole Miss *	Nashville	L, 3-41	Commodores drop conference opener to No. 15 Rebels
9/13	UMASS	Nashville	W, 34-31	Mason's first coaching win comes in exciting fashion
9/20	So. Carolina *	Nashville	L, 34-48	'Dores can't hold off comeback by No. 14 Gamecocks
9/27	Kentucky *	Lexington	11 am	'Cats were idle Saturday after overtime loss at Florida
10/4	Georgia *	Athens	3 pm, SECN	No. 13 Bulldogs dominate Troy in 66-0 home victory
10/11	Charleston So.	Nashville	TBA	CSU moves to 4-0 with 20-18 victory at The Citadel
10/25	Missouri *	Columbia	TBA	3-1 Tigers fall from unbeaten ranks with loss to Indiana
11/1	Old Dominion	Nashville	TBA	3-1 Monarchs register wild 45-42 C-USA win over Rice
11/8	Florida *	Nashville	TBA	2-1 Gators lose to No. 3 Alabama 42-21 on the road
11/22	Miss. State *	Starkville	TBA	4-0 Bulldogs impressive at LSU, register 31-29 road win
11/29	Tennessee *	Nashville	TBA	Vols idle last week after dropping decision at Oklahoma

All kick times are CT.

COMMODORES MAKE FIRST ROAD TRIP, SEARCH FOR WIN AT KENTUCKY

Key Storylines for Game 5

- ★ Youth movement: Vanderbilt lineup features 33 first-time contributors, 21 new starters and a nation-leading 31 freshmen participants. - Pages 2, 4
- ★ Vanderbilt and Kentucky enter this weekend looking to break a 41-41-4 tie in the overall series. - Page 3
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VANDERBILT, KENTUCKY QUICK FACTS



Location
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Enrollment
Conference
Nickname
Colors
Home Field
Capacity
Field Surface
Head Coach
Record at School
Career Record
Coach's Twitter
Official Twitter
Website

VANDERBILT

Nashville, Tenn.
1873
6,796
Southeastern
Commodores
Black & Gold
Vanderbilt Stadium
40,350
artificial
Derek Mason (1st)
1-3 (.250)
1-3 (.250)
@CoachDerekMason
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KENTUCKY

Lexington, KY.
1865
29,000
Southeastern
Wildcats
Blue & White
Commonwealth Stadium
67,942
natural grass
Mark Stoops (2nd)
4-11 (.267)
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DEREK MASON ERA UNDERWAY ON VANDERBILT CAMPUS

Derek Mason became the 28th head coach in Vanderbilt gridiron history after serving a superb four-year tenure as a key assistant at Stanford where he helped guide the Cardinal to a 45-8 overall record and four straight BCS postseason games from 2010-13, including appearances in the last two Rose Bowls.

Named as Vanderbilt's head coach on Jan. 17, the former Cardinal Associate Head Coach and Willie Shaw Director of Defense directed his first game on the sidelines in Nashville when the Commodores hosted Temple on Aug. 28 and captured his initial Vanderbilt victory in comeback style against UMass on Sept. 13.

The 44-year-old Mason is one of 20 new head coaches in NCAA FBS college football this season.

He is one of just five FBS coaches entering their first year as a head coach.

Regarded as one of the nation's leading defensive minds while at Stanford, Mason quickly went to work in Nashville. Within three weeks of getting the position, Mason secured signatures from 22 prep standouts on National Signing Day from across the nation. Since then, Mason has attracted a stellar coaching staff, and installed new schemes during a busy Spring Practice. He's also worked diligently to build strong relationships in the Vanderbilt and Nashville communities.

VU FIRST-YEAR COACHING RECORDS SINCE WORLD WAR II

Coach	Year	Record
Derek Mason	2014	1-3
James Franklin	2011	6-7
Robbie Caldwell	2010	2-10
Bobby Johnson	2002	2-10
Woody Widenhofer	1997	3-8
Rod Dowhower	1995	2-9
Gerry DiNardo	1991	5-6
Watson Brown	1986	1-10
George MacIntyre	1979	1-10
Fred Pancoast	1975	7-4
Steve Sloan	1973	5-6
Bill Pace	1967	2-7-1
Jack Green	1963	1-7-2
Art Guepe	1953	3-7
Bill Edwards	1949	5-5

NEW HEAD COACHES IN FBS

School	2014 Head Coach	Former Coach
Vanderbilt	Derek Mason	James Franklin
Arkansas State	Bryan Harsin	Blake Anderson
Army	Rich Ellerson	Jeff Monken
Boise State	Chris Petersen	Bryan Harsin
Bowling Green	Dino Babers	Dave Clawson
Connecticut	Bob Diaco	Paul Pasqualoni
Eastern Michigan	Chris Creighton	Ron English
Florida Atlantic	Charlie Partridge	Carl Pelini
Louisville	Bobby Petrino	Charlie Strong
Massachusetts	Mark Whipple	Charley Molnar
Miami (Ohio)	Chuck Martin	Don Treadwell
Penn State	James Franklin	Bill O'Brien
Texas	Charlie Strong	Mack Brown
UAB	Bill Clark	Garrick McGee
USC	Steve Sarkisian	Lane Kiffin
Wake Forest	Dave Clawson	Jim Grobe
Washington	Chris Petersen	Steve Sarkisian
Western Kentucky	Jeff Brohm	Bobby Petrino
Wyoming	Craig Bohl	Dave Christensen

FIRST-TIME HEAD COACHES IN NCAA FBS THIS YEAR

Coach	School	Former Position	2014 Record
Derek Mason	Vanderbilt	Stanford (AHC/DC)	1-3
Blake Anderson	Arkansas State	North Carolina (OC)	2-2
Jeff Brohm	Western Kentucky	Western Ky. (OC)	1-2
Bob Diaco	Connecticut	Notre Dame (DC)	1-3
Charles Partridge	Florida Atlantic	Arkansas (AHC/DL)	1-3

SIMS' STUNNING RETURN PERFORMANCE RANKS AMONG FINEST IN SEC HISTORY

Darrius Sims produced one of the most remarkable return performances in NCAA and SEC history on Sept. 20 vs. South Carolina.

Sims, a sophomore from Memphis, became the first SEC player – and only the 18th in NCAA FBS history – to return two kickoffs for touchdowns in the same game. He went virtually untouched for 91 yards on the opening kickoff,

then took South Carolina's initial kick of the second half for a 100-yard score. The second score matched the longest in team history earlier set by **Preston Brown** (at Ole Miss, Oct. 22, 1977).

Sims became the first NCAA FBS player to notch two kickoff return TDs in a game since Reggie Dunn (Utah) and Quincy McDuffie (Central Florida) accomplished the feat against different foes on Oct. 27, 2012.

Sims' 36.5-yard average ranks first in the SEC and T-4th in the NCAA.

ALL-TIME VU KICKOFF RETURNS FOR TDS

Date	Returner	Opponent	Yards
9/20/2014	Darrius Sims	vs. So. Carolina	91
9/20/2014	Darrius Sims	vs. So. Carolina	100
10/15/2011	Andre Hal	vs. Georgia	96
10/31/2009	Warren Norman	vs. Georgia Tech	80
10/24/2009	Warren Norman	at So. Carolina	99
10/10/2009	Warren Norman	at Army	76
11/13/1998	Jimmy Williams	at Kentucky	96
9/12/1992	Tony Jackson	vs. Duke	97
10/3/1987	Mark Johnson	at Tulane	92
10/22/1977	Preston Brown	at Ole Miss	100
10/2/1971	Doug Nettles	at Virginia	95
10/29/1955	Jack Hudson	vs. Virginia	94
10/15/1949	Lee Nalley	at Florida	96

VANDERBILT TOPS NATION WITH 31 PARTICIPATING FRESHMEN

Head Coach Derek Mason kept true to his word that several freshmen would play this season. The coach hasn't wasted any time either, putting 31 freshmen, including 12 true freshmen, onto the field in the first four games of the season.

Vanderbilt's total of participating freshmen leads the nation. Other teams across the nation playing an abundance of freshmen are LSU (27), Tennessee (25), Oregon (22), Florida (22) and Memphis (21).

Three Commodores – **Trey Ellis** (PR, Fr.), **Wade Freebeck** (QB, Fr.) and **DeAndre Woods** (WR, R-Fr.) – were the latest freshmen to play when he saw action in the team's win over UMass.

Vanderbilt's dozen true freshmen seeing action also ranks among the leaders, trailing only Tennessee (22), LSU (17) and NC State (13).

Other true freshmen besides Ellis and Freebeck to play this year are **Tre Herndon**, **Hayden Lekacz**, **Nifae Lealao**, **Hawkins Mann**, **Dallas Rivers**, **Caleb Scott**, **Trent Sherfield**, **Emmanuel Smith**, **Tre Tarpley** and **Ladarius Wiley**.

Only 16 true and redshirt freshmen saw playing time during the entire 2013 campaign.

PLAYING FRESHMEN

OFFENSE:

Delando Crooks (OG, R-Fr.)
Chandler Dorrell (WR, R-Fr.)
Sean Dowling (OT, R-Fr.)
C.J. Duncan (WR, R-Fr.)
Wade Freebeck (QB, Fr.)
Nathan Marcus (TE, R-Fr.)
Johnny McCrary (QB, R-Fr.)
Dallas Rivers (RB, Fr.)
Caleb Scott (WR, Fr.)
Trent Sherfield (WR, Fr.)
Ralph Webb (RB, R-Fr.)
Ryan White (DB, R-Fr.)
DeAndre Woods (WR, R-Fr.)

DEFENSE

Jalen Banks (CB, R-Fr.)
Tre Bell (CB, R-Fr.)
Nigel Bowden (MLB, R-Fr.)
Oren Burks (safety, R-Fr.)
Zach Cunningham (ILB, R-Fr.)
Taurean Ferguson (CB, R-Fr.)
Tre Herndon (CB, Fr.)
Nifae Lealao (DT, Fr.)
Hawkins Mann (ILB, Fr.)
Emmanuel Smith (safety, Fr.)
Tre Tarpley (CB/safety, Fr.)
Ladarius Wiley (CB, Fr.)
Ryan White (CB, R-Fr.)
Jay Woods (DL, R-Fr.)
Jonathan Wynn (OLB, R-Fr.)

SPECIALISTS

Trey Ellis (PR, Fr.)
Hayden Lekacz (PK, Fr.)
Tommy Openshaw (PK, R-Fr.)

THE KENTUCKY SERIES

THE VANDERBILT-KENTUCKY SERIES

- ★ Meeting between schools: 87th
- ★ Series record: Vanderbilt and Kentucky are tied, 41-41-4
- ★ Vanderbilt record in Nashville: 27-18-2
- ★ Vanderbilt record in Kentucky: 14-23-2
- ★ Last game in Lexington: Vanderbilt 40-Kentucky 0 (2012)
- ★ Last meeting: Vanderbilt 22-Kentucky 6 (2013)
- ★ First meeting: Vanderbilt 6-Kentucky 0 (1896)
- ★ Vanderbilt record in last 5 games of series: 3-2
- ★ Longest Vanderbilt win streak: 9

MORE NOTES ON THE KENTUCKY SERIES

This is the 87th meeting between the Commodores and Wildcats in a series that dates to 1896. Vanderbilt has played only two teams more than Kentucky – Tennessee (108) and Ole Miss (88).

The all-time series record between the schools is tied 41-41-4.

Vanderbilt's current three-game win streak is the team's first over the Wildcats since a five-game Vanderbilt streak from 1991-95.

Vanderbilt captured the last game played in Lexington (2012) and has won two of the last three played on the UK campus.

VANDERBILT-KENTUCKY YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

Year	Site	W/L	Score	Year	Site	W/L	Score	Year	Site	W/L	Score
2013	Nashville	W	22-6	1984	Lexington	L	18-27	1955	Nashville	W	34-0
2012	Lexington	W	40-0	1983	Nashville	L	8-17	1954	Lexington	L	7-19
2011	Nashville	W	38-8	1982	Lexington	W	23-10	1953	Nashville	L	14-40
2010	Lexington	L	20-38	1981	Nashville	L	10-17	1948	Lexington	W	26-7
2009	Nashville	L	13-24	1980	Lexington	L	10-31	1947	Nashville	L	0-14
2008	Lexington	W	31-24	1979	Nashville	L	10-29	1946	Lexington	L	7-10
2007	Nashville	L	20-27	1978	Lexington	L	3-52	1945	Nashville	W	19-6
2006	Lexington	L	26-38	1977	Nashville	L	6-28	1942	Lexington	W	7-6
2005	Nashville	L	43-48	1976	Lexington	L	0-14	1941	Lexington	W	39-15
2004	Lexington	L	13-14	1975	Nashville	W	13-3	1940	Nashville	T	7-7
2003	Nashville	W	28-17	1974	Lexington	L	12-38	1939	Nashville	L	13-21
2002	Lexington	L	21-41	1973	Nashville	L	17-27	1938	Lexington	W	14-7
2001	Nashville	L	30-56	1972	Lexington	L	13-14	1937	Nashville	W	12-0
2000	Lexington	W	24-20	1971	Nashville	L	7-14	1928	Nashville	W	14-7
1999	Nashville	L	17-19	1970	Lexington	W	18-17	1927	Nashville	W	34-6
1998	Lexington	L	17-55	1969	Nashville	W	42-6	1922	Nashville	W	9-0
1997	Nashville	L	10-21	1968	Lexington	W	6-0	1921	Lexington	W	21-14
1996	Lexington	L	0-25	1967	Nashville	L	7-12	1920	Nashville	W	20-0
1995	Nashville	W	14-10	1966	Lexington	L	10-14	1919	Lexington	T	0-0
1994	Lexington	W	24-6	1965	Nashville	L	0-34	1918	Nashville	W	33-0
1993	Nashville	W	12-7	1964	Lexington	L	21-22	1917	Lexington	W	5-0
1992	Lexington	W	20-7	1963	Nashville	T	0-0	1916	Lexington	W	45-0
1991	Nashville	W	17-7	1962	Lexington	L	0-7	1911	Nashville	W	18-0
1990	Lexington	L	21-28	1961	Nashville	L	3-16	1907	Nashville	W	40-0
1989	Nashville	L	11-15	1960	Lexington	L	0-27	1906	Nashville	W	28-0
1988	Lexington	L	13-14	1959	Nashville	W	11-6	1901	Nashville	W	22-0
1987	Nashville	W	38-29	1958	Lexington	T	0-0	1897	Nashville	W	50-0
1986	Lexington	L	22-34	1957	Nashville	W	12-7	1896	Nashville	W	6-0
1985	Nashville	W	31-24	1956	Lexington	L	6-7				

TWO KENTUCKY RESIDENTS ON 'DORE ROSTER

A pair of second-year players – **Ryan White** (DB) and **David Holtgrave** (PK) – are the only Vanderbilt student-athletes who hail from the state of Kentucky.

This season, White ranks among the Commodore defensive leaders while playing at nickel back. He ranks second with 3.5 tackles for loss and is tied for second with 13 solo tackles and 20 total tackles.

White hails from Louisville, having played at powerful Trinity H.S. He helped the school to three straight Kentucky 6A state titles and a three-year varsity record of 41-2.

Holtgrave graduated from Kentucky Country Day in Louisville where former Vanderbilt letterwinner **Dr. Tim Green** serves as athletic director.

LAST TIME VS. KENTUCKY

'DORES REACH BOWL ELIGIBILITY; EARN 3RD STRAIGHT WIN OVER 'CATS

NASHVILLE (AP) – The Vanderbilt Commodores just keep making history, and this time they've become eligible for a third straight bowl game for the first time ever.

Just don't expect a big celebration right now. That's not how these Commodores work.

The bowl-clinching win was the Commodores' third against a Southeastern Conference team. Now the Commodores (6-4 overall) have won two with two games remaining in the regular season, and bowl eligibility means they will have a chance to match last year's 9-4 record that was their best since 1915.

The victory also left the all-time Kentucky series tied at 41-41-4.

Quarterback Austyn Carta-Samuels, returning to action and playing with a torn knee ligament, was efficient in his return, completing 19 of 24 for 184 yards. All-conference wide receiver Jordan Matthews had 12 catches for 141 yards.

The Commodores sealed the win by scoring 14 points in the fourth quarter.

SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
KENTUCKY	6	0	0	0	6	2-8, 0-6
VANDERBILT	9	0	0	13	22	6-4, 3-4

1st: UK: Kemp 2-yd. run (Mansour kick blocked), 12-75 4:13.

VANDY: Clarke PAT return. **VANDY:** Kimbrow 21-yd. run (Spear kick), 3-26 1:16.

4th: **VANDY:** Spear 26-yd. FG, 10-65 4:18. **VANDY:** Spear 38-yd FG, 8-74 4:14.

VANDY: Kentera 13-yd. pass from Robinette (Spear kick), 10-55 4:37.

STATISTICS

	KENTUCKY	VANDERBILT
FIRST DOWNS	17	14
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	40-142	37-116
PASSING YDS (NET)	120	197
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	28-14-4	25-20-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	68-262	62-313
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	2-9	1-(-2)
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	1-13	2-30
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	4-14
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	5-34.6	5-46.4
FUMBLES-LOST	2-0	2-0
PENALTIES-YARDS	10-85	9-74
POSSESSION TIME	27:28	32:32
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	7 of 16	4 of 15
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	0 of 2	2 of 3
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	1-1	3-4
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	3-21	1-5

RUSHING: UK–Jalen Whitlow 17-69; Raymond Sanders 14-60; Jojo Kemp 7-20; Jared Leet 1-(-2); Dem. Robinson 1-(-5). **VANDERBILT**–Jerron Seymour 21-77; Jordan Matthews 2-31; Brian Kimbrow 10-27; Patton Robinette 1-2; Austyn Carta-Samuels 3-(-21).

PASSING: UK–Jalen Whitlow 14-28-4-120; D. Robinson 0-0-0-0.

VANDERBILT–Carta-Samuels 19-24-0-184; Robinette 1-1-0-13.

RECEIVING: UK–Dem. Robinson 4-49; Javess Blue 4-44; Jeff Badet 2-17; Raymond Sanders 2-(-3); Ryan Timmons 1-8; Jojo Kemp 1-5.

VANDERBILT–J. Matthews 12-141; B. Kimbrow 2-12; J. Seymour 2-5; Trent Pruitt 1-17; Kris Kentera 1-13; Trey Wilkins 1-5; Jordan Cunningham 1-4.

YOUTH MOVEMENT: 33 FIRST-TIME CONTRIBUTORS EARLY THIS SEASON

Thirty-three newcomers, including 31 true or redshirt freshmen, have contributed for the Commodores in the first four games.

The three newest first-time players to contribute – **Trey Ellis** (Fr., PR), **Wade Freebeck** (Fr., QB) and **DeAndre Woods** (R-Fr., WR) – saw their first action in Vanderbilt's comeback victory over UMass on Sept. 13.

One week earlier vs. Ole Miss, six first-time players contributed – **Jalen Banks** (R-Fr., DB), **Delando Crooks** (R-Fr., OG), **Chandler Dorrell** (R-Fr., WR), **Tommy Openshaw** (R-Fr., kicker), **Trent Sherfield** (Fr., WR) and **Emmanuel Smith** (Fr., safety).

Twelve of the Commodore newcomers are true freshmen.

Thirteen of the 33 newcomers have played on the Vanderbilt offensive unit, including three transfers: Dorrell, **Stephen Rivers** (Grad., QB) and **David Dudchock** (Grad., TE).

Rivers is one of three first-time players at quarterback. Freebeck started the UMass game and **Johnny McCrary** (R-Fr.) participated in a limited role against Temple.

A pair of freshman running backs, **Ralph Webb** (R-Fr.) and **Dallas Rivers** (Fr.), have joined Freebeck, McCrary and in the backfield. Webb ranks as the team's leading rusher with 378 yards.

Four newcomers have participated in the wide receiving corps: **C.J. Duncan** (R-Fr.), **Caleb Scott** (Fr.), Sherfield and Dorrell. Duncan holds the team lead among wideouts with 138 receiving yards. Dorrell has three catches. Scott also has one reception.

Dudchock and **Nathan Marcus** (R-Fr.) have seen their first action at tight end. Dudchock has three catches on the season.

Crooks and **Sean Dowling** (R-Fr., OT) are offensive linemen new to the field this year.

On defense, 17 'Dores have witnessed their first action.

Nigel Bowden (R-Fr.) has seen the most action of any newcomer in the linebacking corps, leads the team with 27 total tackles as an inside linebacker. **Jonathan Wynn** (R-Fr.) has two starts at outside linebacker. **Zach Cunningham** (R-Fr.), **Landon Stokes** (R-Fr.) and **Hawkins Mann** (Fr.) have also contributed.

On the defensive front, **Jay Woods** (R-Fr.) has earned a start against Temple and contributed 14 total tackles. **Nifae Lealao** (Fr.) has five total tackles as a reserve nose tackle.

The defensive backfield has featured nine first-year players contributing, including starters **Tre Bell** (R-Fr., CB), **Oren Burks** (R-Fr., safety) and **Ryan White** (R-Fr., NB). Tarpley and Smith have seen action at safety.

Openshaw and **Hayden Lekacz** (Fr.) have handled the kicking duties for the Commodores: Openshaw against UMass, Ole Miss and South Carolina; Lekacz vs. Temple.

COMMODORES MORE SETTLED AT QB

Though the Commodores have utilized four quarterbacks early in the year, the position looks more stable entering midseason with the emergence of **Patton Robinette** (R-So.) and **Wade Freebeck** (Fr.).

Both Robinette and Freebeck are coming off promising performances against South Carolina, combining to complete 15-of-25 passes for 223 yards and two touchdowns.

Robinette started against the Gamecocks, with Freebeck playing the final three quarters.

Earlier in the year, **Stephen Rivers** (Grad.) and **Johnny McCrary** (R-Fr.) earned snaps at the position.

TWENTY-TWO FIRST-TIME 'DORE STARTERS

Nathan Marcus (TE, R-Fr.) became the 22nd Commodore this season to earn their first collegiate start when he appeared in a multiple-tight end set on the team's first possession against South Carolina on Saturday. He did not post a reception during the contest.

One week earlier, three 'Dores – **Davis Dudchock** (TE, Grad.), **Wade Freebeck** (QB, Fr.), and **Jonathan Wynn** (OLB, R-Fr.) witnessed their first collegiate starts in a win over UMass.

FIRST-TIME VANDERBILT STARTERS

- **Caleb Azubike** (DE, Jr.)
- **Nigel Bowden** (MLB, R-Fr.)
- **Colby Cooke** (Punter, So.)
- **C.J. Duncan** (WR, R-Fr.)
- **Will Holden** (OT, R-So.)
- **Nathan Marcus** (TE, R-Fr.)
- **Latevius Rayford** (WR, So.)
- **Stephen Weatherly** (OLB, So.)
- **Ryan White** (DB, R-Fr.)
- **Kellen Williams** (FB, Sr.)
- **Jay Woods** (DL, R-Fr.)
- **Tre Bell** (CB, R-Fr.)
- **Oren Burks** (Safety, R-Fr.)
- **Davis Dudchock** (TE, Grad.)
- **Wade Freebeck** (QB, Fr.)
- **Hayden Lekacz** (PK, Fr.)
- **Tommy Openshaw** (PK, R-Fr.)
- **Stephen Rivers** (QB, Grad.)
- **Ralph Webb** (RB, R-Fr.)
- **Trey Wilkins** (WR, Sr.)
- **Andrew Williamson** (Safety, Jr.)
- **Jonathan Wynn** (OLB, R-Fr.)

WEBB PERFORMING WELL IN TEAM'S FEATURED RUNNING BACK ROLE

Ralph Webb (R-Fr., RB) is quickly becoming the featured running back in Vanderbilt's offense.

The Gainesville (Fla.) H.S. product again was among the Commodores' top weapons last week, rushing for 97 yards on 19 carries against South Carolina.

On Sept. 13, Webb rushed for a career-high 116 yards and the game-winning touchdown against UMass. Webb's rushing total vs. UMass was the highest by a Commodore freshman since **Warren Norman** had 119 rushing yards in a victory at Rice in 2009. It was also the fourth highest rushing total by a Commodore freshman in the last 12 years.

Webb's 26 carries vs. UMass were the most by a Commodore back since **Zac Stacy** had 27 attempts vs. Auburn in 2012.

Through four games, Webb is the SEC's top freshman rusher with 378 yards. He ranks sixth overall in the league.

Webb is 56 yards shy of entering the team's all-time Top Ten for single-season rushing totals by a freshman.

RECENT VANDERBILT FRESHMEN WITH EFFORTS OF 100+ RUSHING YARDS

Freshman	Game	Rush Yards
Ralph Webb	UMass, 2014	116
Brian Kimbrow	Presbyterian, 2012	107
Warren Norman	Rice, 2009	119
Zac Stacy	W. Carolina, 2009	133
Warren Norman	W. Carolina, 2009	105
Kwane Doster	Kentucky, 2002	111
Kwane Doster	Connecticut, 2002	109
Kwane Doster	Georgia, 2002	119
Kwane Doster	Ole Miss, 2002	101
Rodney Williams	Duke, 1998	106
Rodney Williams	Western Mich., 1998	156
Rodney Williams	TCU, 1998	115
Rodney Williams	Ole Miss, 1998	112

SINGLE-SEASON LEADERS: FRESHMEN RUSHERS

Freshmen	Yards
1. Kwane Doster, 2002	798
2. Warren Norman, 2009	783
3. Carl Woods, 1983	644
4. Rodney Williams, 1998	608
5. Cliff Deese, 1992	538
6. Jimmy Williams, 1997	527
7. Jared McGrath, 1997	491
8. Zac Stacy, 2009	478
9. Dean Davidson, 1947	461
10. Everett Crawford, 1984	434
Ralph Webb, 2014	378

VANDERBILT RECORD WHEN...

Playing at home	1-3	Opp has more passing yards	1-1
Playing on the road	0-0	VU has more turnovers	0-2
Playing at night	0-2	Opp has more turnovers	0-0
Playing during the day	1-1	Teams have equal turnovers	1-1
VU scores on first possession	0-1	VU has more penalties	1-2
Opp scores on first possession	1-1	Opp has more penalties	0-0
VU scores first	0-1	Teams have equal penalties	0-1
Opp scores first	1-2	VU has more time of possession	1-1
VU leads after 1st quarter	0-1	Opp has more time of possession	0-2
Opp leads after 1st quarter	1-2	VU has 100-yard rusher	1-0
Teams are tied after 1st quarter	0-0	Opp has 100-yard rusher	0-0
VU leads at halftime	0-0	VU has 250-yard passer	0-0
Opp leads at halftime	1-3	Opp has 250-yard passer	0-1
Teams are tied at halftime	0-0	VU has 100-yard receiver	0-0
VU leads after 3rd quarter	0-0	Opp has 100-yard receiver	0-2
Opp leads after 3rd quarter	1-3	VU scores at least 20 points	1-1
Teams are tied after 3rd quarter	0-0	Opp scores at least 20 points	1-3
VU has more total yards	0-0	Playing on natural grass	0-1
Opp has more total yards	1-3	Playing on artificial surface	1-2
VU has more rushing yards	1-0	Vanderbilt defense scores	1-0
Opp has more rushing yards	0-3	Opponent defense scores	0-3
VU has more passing yards	0-2	Vanderbilt special teams score	1-2

MASON TIES TO COORDINATORS DATE TO PLAYING DAYS, EARLY COACHING ROLES

Coordinators **Karl Dorrell** and **David Kotulski** played influential roles in the early coaching development of **Derek Mason**.

The relationship between Mason and Dorrell dates to the early 1990s when both were at Northern Arizona University – Mason as a cornerback practicing daily against NAU receivers coached by Dorrell.

Much of Mason's experience on the 3-4 defensive scheme dates to 1999-2000 when Kotulski hired him to coach defensive backs at Bucknell University. More than a decade later, Mason repaid Kotulski by bringing him to Palo Alto to mentor Stanford inside linebackers.

Mason also has long ties with new offensive assistants **Gerry Gdowski** and **Keven Lightner**. Ten years ago, Mason, Gdowski and Lightner were members of the offensive staff at New Mexico State, then joined Frank Solich's Ohio University staff for the 2005-06 seasons.

MAXIE GOES FROM TITANS TO 'DORES

Defensive secondary coach **Brett Maxie** joined Mason's staff without leaving Nashville. Maxie, who played 13 years as a safety in the NFL, spent the last two years mentoring Tennessee Titans' defensive backs. After spending 16 years in the NFL coaching ranks, this marks Maxie's first season as a collegiate coach.

PREP TEAMMATES ON COMMODORE SQUAD

The Vanderbilt roster features several players who competed on the same high school team, then followed each other to Nashville.

- **Josh Grady** (Jr., WR) and **Kevin McCoy** (So., OL) both attended Armwood H.S. in Tampa, Fla.
- **Darreon Herring** (Jr., ILB), **Jonathan Wynn** (R-Fr., OLB) and **Dallas Rivers** (Fr., RB) are products of Stephenson H.S. just east of Atlanta.
- **Nathan Marcus** (R-Fr., TE) and **Hayden Lekacz** (Fr., PK) attended Glenbard West H.S. in suburban Chicago.

NOTES FROM THE SOUTH CAROLINA GAME

• Vanderbilt's 34-point total was its highest scoring output ever against South Carolina, topping a 28-point total from 2005.

• Vanderbilt's first two touchdowns – a 91-yard kickoff return by **Darius Sims** (So.) and 8-yard touchdown catch by **C.J. Duncan** (R-Fr., WR) – marked the Commodores initial points this season in the first quarter.

The Commodores were outscored 31-0 by their first three opponents prior to the South Carolina game.

• **Jahmel McIntosh** (R-Jr.) earned his first start of the season at strong safety. He finished the game with four tackles and a pass defended.

• **Patton Robinette** (R-So., QB) performed well prior to leaving the game after the first quarter. Robinette completed 4-of-5 passes for 55 yards, including an 8-yard touchdown to **C.J. Duncan** (R-Fr., WR), and had a 10-yard rush that gave the 'Dores a first down deep in SC territory.

• Vanderbilt's 10-play, 88-yard scoring drive in the third quarter, capped by a 25-yard FG by **Tommy Openshaw** (R-Fr., PK), was the team's longest scoring drive of the season.

• **Steven Scheu** (R-Jr., TE) set a career high with 83 receiving yards including a career-long, 44-yard grab in the fourth quarter.

• **Colby Cooke** (So., punter) averaged 48.2 yards on three punts. His first punt was a 53-yarder to the SC 12-yard line. He also added a season-long 62-yarder.

• **Ralph Webb** (R-Fr., RB) was the Commodores' leading rusher for the fourth consecutive game. He finished with 97 yards on 19 carries.

• A pair of redshirt freshmen, **Nigel Bowden** (ILB) and **Ryan White** (DB), paced the Commodore defensive effort with eight total tackles. White added a tackle for loss and forced fumble.

• Subbing for starter Patton Robinette, **Wade Freebeck** (Fr., QB) played the best game of his young career.

Freebeck displayed a strong arm, going 11-of-20 for 168 yards. He also threw his first collegiate touchdown – a 7-yarder to **Kris Kentera** (R-Jr., WR). Freebeck settled down in the second half, completing 9-of-15 passes for 153 yards.

Freebeck's 168 passing yards is the most by a Commodore true freshman since **John Gromos** threw for 317 yards vs. Virginia Tech on Nov. 16, 1985.

• **Trent Sherfield** (Fr., WR) made the most of his first collegiate touch, gaining 25 yards on a reverse.

• **Torren McGaster** (R-So., DB) enjoyed the finest game of his career, contributing seven total tackles, a forced fumble and a pass defended.

• The defensive line corps of **Vince Taylor** (Sr., DT), **Adam Butler** (R-So., DE), **Jay Woods** (R-Fr., DE), **Barron Dixon** (R-Sr., DT), and **Nifae Lealao** (Fr., DT) combined for 15 total tackles.

Butler and Woods topped the unit with four tackles each. Butler also contributed his first quarterback sack.

• **David Dudchock** (Grad., TE) hauled in his longest pass as a Commodore – a 29-yard reception from Robinette in the first quarter.

• Openshaw was 2-of-3 on field goals, hitting from 25 and 30 yards. His 47-yard attempt was blocked by a SC rusher.

Openshaw is 3-of-4 on field goals and 6-of-6 on extra points as a first-year kicker.

• **Jerron Seymour** (R-Jr., RB) enjoyed his best game of the season, contributing 32 yards on six carries. He also crossed the 1,000-yard mark in his career, and now stands at 1,031 rushing yards.

• Vanderbilt's 379 yards of total offense (156 rushing, 223 passing) was the team's best output of the season. The unit also converted all four trips into the red zone and is 7-for-7 in the last two games.

• Vanderbilt had three scoring drives of 60 yards or longer in the game

• Thirty-five of Vanderbilt's 69 total tackles were made by freshmen.

TEAMMATES SELECT THREE CAPTAINS: EAST, TOWNSEND, WOESTMANN ELECTED

Returning starters **Joe Townsend** (Sr., center), **Kyle Woestmann** (Sr., outside linebacker) and **Andrew East** (Sr., snapper) have been elected co-captains for the upcoming season.

Coach Derek Mason announced the team's new captains on Aug. 18.

The staff will announce a fourth Commodore to join East, Townsend and Woestmann prior to each game of the 2014 season.

East (Indianapolis, Ind.) will serve as special teams' captain for the second consecutive season. This marks the first year that either Townsend (Hendersonville, Tenn.) or Woestmann (Marietta, Ga.) have served as a Commodore captain.

Mason said East, Townsend and Woestmann were elected in a ballot by Vanderbilt teammates. "I'm pleased for all three of these players. These men stepped forward as team leaders during the summer workouts and in (preseason) camp," the head coach said.

East is a three-year starter for the Commodores, and regarded as one of the nation's most versatile snappers. He has handled virtually every snap on conversion and punt units since arriving on campus.

East also stands out off the field. He graduated with a civil engineering degree last May and is currently enrolled in postgraduate studies at Vanderbilt's Owen School of Management. He is one of the team's most active participants in community service efforts around Nashville.

Townsend has 26 total starts, most among active Commodores. All of his starts have come at the center position.

Woestmann, who started every game last year at end, has three starts this season at outside linebacker in the 3-4 defensive alignment.

Woestmann ranks second among active Commodores with 17.5 tackles for loss and 12 quarterback sacks.

BANKINS: LONE COACHING HOLDOVER

Charles Bankins, responsible for some of the most impressive special teams in Vanderbilt program history, is the lone holdover on Derek Mason's Commodore staff. Bankins also serves as Mason's running backs coach in 2014 after working with Commodore tight ends from 2011-13.

THREE TRANSFERS ADD TO TEAM DEPTH

Vanderbilt's overall depth has improved to the recent transfers of three student-athletes, all eager to help the team this season.

Davis Dudchock (Grad., TE) and **Chandler Dorrell** (R-Fr., WR) both transferred to Vanderbilt from Stanford. **Stephen Rivers** (Grad., QB) enrolled in graduate courses at Vanderbilt after graduating from LSU.

Dorrell has three catches for 34 yards while Dudchock has three receptions for 49 yards.

Rivers is 18-of-50 passes for 246 yards in two appearances.

NEW INDOOR FACILITY BENEFITING COMMODORES THIS SEASON

The \$31 million indoor facility and multipurpose center that opened last November near McGugin Athletics Center and Vanderbilt's outdoor practice facilities virtually assures that Derek Mason will not lose any practices this season to inclement weather.

Head Coach Derek Mason also used the indoor facility for several preseason practices.

JOE TOWNSEND HAS 25 CAREER STARTS; CENTER HAS MOST AMONG ACTIVE PLAYERS

Joe Townsend, a senior from Hendersonville, Tenn., has the most starts of any active Commodores.

The center has 26 career starts. Two other linemen – **Jake Bernstein** (OG) and **Spencer Pulley** (OG) – have 21 starts each.

OT **Wesley Johnson**, a senior in 2013, holds team records with 51 career starts and 51 consecutive career starts.

MOST ACTIVE STARTS

Player	Career Starts
Joe Townsend (Sr., center)	26
Jake Bernstein (Jr., OG)	21
Spencer Pulley (Jr., OG)	21
Andrew Bridges (Sr., OT)	18
Steven Scheu (Jr., TE)	18
Darreon Herring (Jr., LB)	17
Kyle Woestmann (Sr., DE/OLB)	16
Vince Taylor (Sr., DT)	14
Andrew Jelks (So., OT)	13

PENALTIES HURTING THE COMMODORES

Through four games, Vanderbilt has received more than twice as many penalties as its opponents.

The Commodores are averaging 67.8 penalty yards on 30 infractions. Vanderbilt opponents have been flagged just 14 times, and are averaging just 25.8 penalty yards.

Penalties also have resulted in eight opponent first downs.

VANDERBILT PENALTIES

Stat Category	VU Game Avg.	SEC Rank
Penalties	7.5	12th
Penalty Yards	67.8	13th

VANDERBILT ACTIVE CAREER STATISTICAL LEADERS

Category	Team Leaders	Career Totals
Total Offense	J. Seymour/P. Robinette	1,265/1,120
Total TDs	J. Seymour/P. Robinette	19/8
Rushing Yards	J. Seymour/R. Webb	1,031/378
Rushing Attempts	J. Seymour/R. Webb	258/77
Rushing TDs	J. Seymour/P. Robinette	18/8
Passing Yards	P. Robinette/S. Rivers	882/246
Pass Attempts	P. Robinette/S. Rivers	120/50
Completions	P. Robinette/S. Rivers	69/18
Passing TDs	P. Robinette/W. Freebeck	6/1
Receiving Yards	S. Scheu/K. Kentera	352/262
Receptions	S. Scheu/J. Seymour	29/28
Receiving TDs	K. Kentera-S. Scheu (tie)	4 ea.
Punt Return Yards	D. Sims/T. Ellis	26/24
Kick Return Yards	D. Sims/B. Kimbrow	936/678
Total Tackles	D. Herring/K. Woestmann	132/82
Solo Tackles	D. Herring/K. Woestmann	74/46
Tackles for Loss	C. Azubike/K. Woestmann	19/17.5
Quarterback Sacks	C. Azubike-K. Woestmann (tie)	12 ea.
Interceptions	Head/A. Williamson	3/2
Forced Fumbles	Woestmann/Sealand-Williamson (tie)	6/2 ea.
Fumble Recoveries	Taylor/Azubike-Williamson-Butler (tie)	3/2 ea.
Passes Defended	D. Herring/P. Head	13/4
Career Starts	J. Townsend/Bernstein-Pulley (tie)	26/21 ea.
Consec. Starts	Townsend/Herring-Pulley-Woestmann (tie)	24/17 ea.

LEADERSHIP, PRODUCTION EXPECTED FROM VETERAN OFFENSIVE LINE CORPS

A strength for the Commodores should be an offensive line unit that features four returning starters and a fifth player with previous starting experience.

The corps features four returning starters: senior center **Joe Townsend**, junior guards **Jake Bernstein** and **Spencer Pulley**, and sophomore tackle **Andrew Jelks**. Also back is senior **Andrew Bridges**, who has 18 career starts at right tackle.

Collectively, the Commodore offensive line has 102 career starts, third highest total in the SEC behind only South Carolina (110) and Texas A&M (108).

Last spring, new position coach **Keven Lightner** named Jelks to replace departed left tackle **Wesley Johnson**, the All-SEC performer who finished his career by setting team records with 51 career and consecutive starts. With Jelks at left tackle, Bridges and redshirt sophomore **Will Holden** have both started at right tackle this season.

With Townsend, Bernstein and Pulley, the Commodores are veteran interior blockers who have experienced plenty of success. The trio has combined for 68 career starts at center and guard.

JERRON SEYMOUR BACK IN ACTION

The Commodore offense got their active career rusher back when **Jerron Seymour** (R-Jr.) saw his first action of the season vs. UMass on Sept. 13.

On Sept. 20 vs. South Carolina, Seymour went over 1,000 rushing yards for his career with 32 yards on six carries. He now has 1,031 career yards.

Seymour rushed for 716 yards and tied a team record with 14 rushing touchdowns last year.

ALL NEW STARTERS IN SECONDARY

Vanderbilt's new-look defensive secondary features new starters are every position.

Andrew Williamson (Jr.) have started every game at free safety. **Oren Burks** (R-Fr.) and **Jahmel McIntosh** (Jr.) are new starters at strong safety. Burks ranks sixth among Commodores with 18 total tackles, and has a team-high four defended passes. Williamson has contributed a team-high 14 solo stops and 19 total tackles.

At cornerback, **Tre Bell** (R-Fr.), **Torren McGaster** (So.) and **Paris Head** (So.) have earned starting assignments. Only Head, with a lone start in 2014, has starting gexperience.

Bell's 12 solo tackles ranks third on the defense. He ranks eighth overall with 16 total tackles. McGaster has 20 total tackles.

Another youngster, **Ryan White** (R-Fr.), is the team's top nickel back. White ranks second on the team with 13 solo tackles, 20 total tackles and 3.5 tackles for loss.

'DORES SEEKING .500 ALL-TIME RECORD

Vanderbilt looks to get closer to a .500 all-time record when it faces Kentucky.

The Commodores, in their 125th year of organized football, have an all-time program record of 583-585-50 entering this weekend.

VANDERBILT PLAYER PARTICIPATION

Player	Pos.	2014		Career		Consec. Career Starts
		Games Played	2014 Starts	Games Played	Career Starts	
Torey Agee	DT	2	-	10	-	-
Caleb Azubike	DE/OLB	3	3	26	3	3
Jalen Banks	DB	3	-	3	-	-
Tre Bell	CB	4	4	4	4	4
Jake Bernstein	OL	4	4	28	21	5
Nigel Bowden	LB	4	4	4	4	4
Andrew Bridges	OL	4	1	32	18	-
Oren Burks	S	3	3	3	3	-
Adam Butler	DT	4	4	16	10	5
Colby Cooke	PK	4	4	9	6	6
Jordan Cunningham	WR	3	1	16	7	-
Zach Cunningham	LB	4	-	4	-	-
Barron Dixon	DT	2	-	35	1	-
Chandler Dorrell	WR	3	-	3	-	-
Sean Dowling	OL	4	-	4	-	-
Davis Dudchock	TE	4	2	4	2	2
C.J. Duncan	WR	4	2	4	2	-
Andrew East	SN	4	-	43	-	-
Trey Ellis	PR	2	-	2	-	-
Taurean Ferguson	CB	4	-	4	-	-
Wade Freebeck	QB	2	1	2	1	-
Blake Fromang	OL	4	-	14	-	-
Barrett Gouger	OL	4	-	15	1	-
Josh Grady	QB	2	-	18	-	-
Josh Gregory	DB	4	-	14	-	-
Paris Head	CB	2	1	15	3	-
Harding Harper	LB	2	-	15	-	-
Tre Herndon	CB	4	-	4	-	-
Darreon Herring	LB	4	4	30	17	17
Will Holden	OL	4	3	16	3	3
Taylor Hudson	P	-	-	12	11	-
Casey Hughes	LB	3	-	29	-	-
Andrew Jelks	OL	4	4	16	13	5
Kris Kentera	TE	4	-	29	3	-
Brian Kimbrow	RB	1	-	25	-	-
Derek King	RB	1	-	17	-	-
Nifae Lealao	DT	4	-	4	-	-
Hayden Lekacz	PK	4	1	4	1	-
Nathan Marcus	TE	4	1	4	1	1
Hawkins Mann	LB	2	-	2	-	-
Kevin McCoy	OL	-	-	3	-	-
Torren McGaster	CB	4	2	17	4	2
Jahmel McIntosh	S	4	1	29	2	1
Johnny McCrary	QB	1	-	1	-	-
Tommy Openshaw	PK	3	3	3	3	3
Spencer Pulley	OL	4	4	29	21	17
Latevius Rayford	WR	4	2	10	2	-
Dallas Rivers	RB	4	-	4	-	-
Stephen Rivers	QB	2	1	2	1	-
Patton Robinette	QB	3	3	13	6	2
Steven Scheu	TE	4	4	28	18	5
Caleb Scott	WR	4	-	4	-	-
Jake Sealand	LB	4	-	24	6	-
Jerron Seymour	RB	2	-	27	8	-
Trent Sherfield	WR	3	-	3	-	-
Darrius Sims	CB	4	-	17	-	-
Emmanuel Smith	S	2	-	2	-	-
Jimmy Stewart	DE	4	-	17	-	-
Landon Stokes	OLB	2	-	2	-	-
Vince Taylor	DT	4	4	39	14	3
Ja'kari Thomas	LB	4	-	17	-	-
Joe Townsend	OL	4	4	34	26	24
Tre Tarpley	S	4	-	4	-	-
Dillon van der Wal	TE	4	-	38	-	-
Stephen Weatherly	LB	4	2	16	2	-
Ralph Webb	RB	4	4	4	4	4
Ryan White	CB	4	1	4	1	-
Ladarius Wiley	CB	1	-	1	-	-
Trey Wilkins	WR	4	2	13	2	1
Kellen Williams	FB	4	2	22	2	-
Andrew Williamson	S	4	4	31	4	4
Kyle Woestmann	LB	3	3	41	16	-
DeAndre Woods	WR	1	-	1	-	-
Jay Woods	DT	4	2	4	2	1
Jonathan Wynn	LB	4	2	4	2	2

VANDERBILT SPECIAL TEAM UNITS PRODUCING TOUCHDOWNS

Remarkably, Vanderbilt special teams are responsible for four of the team's 10 touchdowns through four games.

The Commodores' third & fourth special team touchdowns came against

South Carolina on Sept. 20 when **Darrius Sims** (So.) set new Vanderbilt and Southeastern Conference records – and matched a NCAA mark – by returning two kickoffs for scores.

Vanderbilt's other special team scores came on opponent punts – a poor snap recovered by **Oren Burks** (R-Fr., safety) in the Temple end zone and a block and 11-yard return by **Stephen Weatherly** (R-So., OLB) vs. UMass.

SPECIAL TEAM TOUCHDOWNS

Opponent	Touchdown
Temple	Oren Burks, fumbled punt snap
UMass	Stephen Weatherly punt block
So. Carolina	Darrius Sims, 91-yard kick return
So. Carolina	Sims, 100-yard kick return

RECEIVING CORPS PRODUCTION INCREASES

The Commodore receiving corps enters the Kentucky game off its most productive outing.

Led by **Steven Scheu** (R-Jr., TE), Vanderbilt receivers combined for 14 receptions and 219 yards against South Carolina. Scheu topped the unit with three catches, good for 84 yards.

One week earlier, **C.J. Duncan** (R-Fr., WR) led the unit with four catches for 70 yards in a win over UMass.

The Commodores are without their top two receivers from a year ago, SEC career record holder **Jordan Matthews** and **Jonathan Krause**.

VU LEADING RECEIVERS

Receiver	Catches	Yards
Steven Scheu	12	181
C.J. Duncan	7	138
Latevius Rayford	9	79
Trey Wilkins	5	46
Chris Kentera	4	64

VANDERBILT IN NON-CONFERENCE PLAY

Vanderbilt's win over UMass was the ninth in its last 10 games against non-Southeastern Conference opponents.

Since the 2011 opener, Vanderbilt is 12-2 against non-SEC teams in regular season action, and 14-3 overall against non-SEC foes overall. In the last decade, the 'Dores are 26-13 against non-SEC teams.

The Commodores had an eight-game win streak against non-SEC teams end Aug. 28 when Vanderbilt fell to Temple in the opener. Before the Temple game, the 'Dores had defeated Presbyterian, UMass and Wake Forest in 2012-13, Austin Peay, UAB, N.C. State in the 2012 Music City Bowl and Houston in the 2013 BBVA Compass Bowl since an early-season loss at Northwestern in 2012.

VANDERBILT RESULTS VS. NON-SEC OPPONENTS

Year	Non-SEC Opponents (W/L)
2014	Temple (L), UMass (W), Charleston So., Old Dominion
2013	Austin Peay (W), UMass (W), UAB (W), Wake Forest (W), Houston (W)
2012	Northwestern (L), Presbyterian (W), UMass (W), Wake Forest (W)
2011	Elon (W), UConn (W), Army (W), Wake Forest (W), Cincinnati (L)
2010	Northwestern (L), UConn (L), E. Michigan (W), Wake Forest (L)
2009	Western Carolina (W), Rice (W), Army (L), Ga. Tech (L)
2008	Miami OH (W), Rice (W), Duke (L), Wake Forest (L), Boston Coll. (W)
2007	Richmond (W), E. Michigan (W), Miami OH (W), Wake Forest (L)
2006	Michigan (L), Tennessee State (W), Temple (W)
2005	Wake Forest (W), Richmond (W), Middle Tennessee (L)

SEC NETWORK "SEC STORIED" 'IT'S TIME' ON GAINES, MULLINS DEBUTS SEPT. 4

The SEC Network debuted the "SEC Storied" series episode "It's Time" Sept. 4. The 70-minute documentary chronicles the incredible relationship that developed between former Vanderbilt fullback Brad Gaines and the late former Ole Miss defensive back Chucky Mullins.

The emotional episode premiered on the Vanderbilt campus on Sept. 2, with Gaines, former Ole Miss head coach Billy Brewer and several of Mullins' Ole Miss teammates in the audience.

"It's Time" depicts the aftermath of a bruising hit by Mullins on Gaines during the Vanderbilt-Ole Miss game on Oct. 28, 1989. During the play near the Ole Miss goal line, Mullins suffered a broken neck, leaving him a quadriplegic. But in that heartbreaking moment, a friendship was born that lasted another two years, until Mullins died of a blood clot in a Memphis hospital room, with Gaines at his side.

The tragedy took a tremendous toll on Gaines, who befriended Mullins and his family, and Mullins' coaches and teammates at Ole Miss. Each year, Gaines attends a spring banquet on the Oxford campus when one Ole Miss player is honored to wear Mullins' No. 38 jersey the following year. Gaines also continues to care for Mullins' gravesite in Russellville, Ala.

Gaines, several members of the Gaines family, and former Commodore quarterback John Gromos, the current color analyst for Vanderbilt football games who threw the pass intended for Gaines, are interviewed in the film. Interviews with Mullins' guardians, former *Tennessean* sportswriter Larry Woody, Coach Billy Brewer and several Rebel teammates also are included in the production.



SEC NETWORK 'SEC NATION' SHOW AIRED FROM NASHVILLE'S LP FIELD SEPT. 6

The SEC Network's two-hour Saturday morning college football show, *SEC Nation*, aired from the grounds of LP Field in Nashville prior to the Ole Miss-Vanderbilt game.

SEC Nation is the SEC Network's live pre-game show designed similar to ESPN's highly popular *College GameDay* production.

The show broadcast from 9-11 a.m. CT from LP Field. The set The *SEC Nation* set also was next to Vandyville, Vanderbilt's official tailgate location for the game, just outside the south gates of LP Field.

SEC Nation will feature ESPN play-by-play announcer Joe Tessitore hosting the stage with several prominent SEC Network and Southeastern Conference football personalities, including 2007 Heisman Trophy winner Tim Tebow, former LSU and Dallas Cowboys defensive lineman Marcus Spears, sports talk provocateur Paul Finebaum.

SEC Network premiered *SEC Nation* August 28 before the Texas A&M-South Carolina. They also produced the show just outside Jordan-Hare Stadium Aug. 30 prior to the Arkansas-Auburn game.



COMMODORE NOTES

SEVERAL COMMODORE COACHES OWN NFL EXPERIENCE

Five coaches with National Football League experience are among the impressive 10-person staff assembled by first-year Vanderbilt head coach **Derek Mason**.

Mason also brings NFL experiences to the Commodore staff. Prior to

joining Jim Harbaugh's Stanford staff in 2010, Mason worked three years as a defensive backs assistant coach in Minnesota, helping the Vikings to NFC North titles in 2008 and 2009.

Defensive secondary coach **Brett Maxie** has the most pro experience. Maxie joined Mason's staff after a two-year run as defensive backs coach with the cross-town Tennessee Titans. Prior to the Titans' role, Maxie coached 14 years in the NFL, with stops in Dallas, Miami, Atlanta, San Francisco and Carolina.

Offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach **Karl Dorrell** has spent nine total years in the NFL, as well as serving as head coach at UCLA from 2003-07. In 2012-13, Dorrell coached quarterbacks in Houston. From 2008-11, he worked as a wide receivers and quarterbacks coach in Miami. Dorrell's first NFL experience came as a receivers coach in Denver from 2000-02.

Marc Lubick coached with Dorrell as an offensive assistant for the last two years in Houston. Lubick also spent the 2003-04 seasons in St. Louis' scouting department.

Charles Bankins developed much of his knowledge on special teams during his time as an assistant with the St. Louis Rams in 2005.

Bill Hughan has worked on the sport performance staffs of three NFL clubs: New York Jets, Atlanta Falcons and Oakland Raiders.

COACHES WITH NFL EXPERIENCE		
Coach	Position	NFL Years
Derek Mason	Head Coach	3
Karl Dorrell	Off. Coordinator/QBs	9
Charles Bankins	Special teams/RBs	1
Marc Lubick	WRs	6
Brett Maxie	Secondary	16
Bill Hughan	Sports Performance	8

'DORES ARE 17-7 IN LAST 24 GAMES; TIED FOR SEC'S FIFTH BEST RECORD

Vanderbilt sports an 17-7 overall record since October 2012.

The 'Dores' 17-7 overall record in its last 23 games dating back to a victory over Auburn on Oct. 20, 2012.

Vanderbilt's 17-7 stretch includes a season-ending five-game win streak in 2013 and seven-game win streak in 2012.

Among SEC teams, the Commodores' record during the span is tied for fifth with Missouri behind Alabama (22-2), South Carolina (19-5), Texas A&M (19-5) and LSU (18-6).

Twelve of the victories have come against power conference affiliates: Auburn, Kentucky (twice), Ole Miss, Tennessee (twice), Georgia and Florida from the SEC, Wake Forest (twice) and N.C. State from the ACC, and Houston from the American Athletic Conference.

SEC RECORDS: LAST 23 GAMES	
Coach	Year
Alabama	22-2
South Carolina	19-5
Texas A&M	19-5
LSU	18-6
VANDERBILT	17-7
Auburn	17-7
Missouri	17-7
Georgia	16-8
Ole Miss	15-9
Florida	14-10
Mississippi State	13-11
Arkansas	9-15
Tennessee	9-15
Kentucky	5-19

VANDERBILT'S 2014 SEC, NCAA RANK

Team Category	Avg.	SEC	NCAA	
Scoring Offense	19.5	14	110	
Total Offense	283.5	14	118	
Rushing Offense	119.2	14	102	
Pass Offense	164.2	13	109	
Scoring Defense	39.2	14	112	
Total Defense	423.2	13	89	
Rushing Defense	156.0	11	70	
Pass Defense	267.2	11	998	
Pass Efficiency	99.1	14	117	
Defensive Pass Efficiency	144.9	13	101	
Net Punting	39.2	T-10	45	
Punt Returns	8.4	12	70	
Kick Returns	25.3	6	19	
Turnover Margin	-1.5 (-6)	14	117	
Penalties	7.5 (30)	12	T-90	
Penalty Yards	67.8	13	100	
3rd Down Conv. % 16/49 (33%)	14	106		
3rd Down Conv. % (Defense)	27/61 (44%)	12	93	
Red Zone Offense 8-11 (73%)	13	T-106		
Red Zone Defense	18-20 (90%)	T-9	83	
QB Sacks	2.0 (8)	T-5	T-62	
QB Sacks Allowed	1.8 (7)	T-11	T-58	
Tackles for Loss	6.3 (25)	8	52	
Tackles for Loss Allowed	3.8 (15)	T-5	T-20	
Interceptions	0	14	T-120	
Interceptions Thrown	1.5 (6)	14	T-109	
First Downs	14.2	14	T-110	
First Downs Allowed	23.8	13	T-113	
Time of Possession	27:39	13	108	
Active Individuals	Avg.	SEC	NCAA	
Patton Robinette	Pass efficiency	155.5	8	-
Ralph Webb	Rushing yards	94.5	T-6	T-36
Colby Cooke	Punting	44.3	3	24
Trey Ellis	Punt returns	8.0	7	T-51
Darrius Sims	Kick returns	36.5	1	4
Caleb Azubike	QB sacks	1.3 (4)	T-3	T-8
	Tackles for loss	1.7 (5)	5	T-19
Nigel Bowden	Total tackles	6.8 (27)	T-16	-
Oren Burks	Passes defended	1.3 (4)	T-8	T-41
Stephen Weatherly	Total tackles	6.7 (20)	T-19	-
Ryan White	Tackles for loss	0.9 (3.5)	T-15	-

ACTIVE VANDERBILT RECIPIENTS OF SEC PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARDS

DARRIUS SIMS (Return Specialist)

SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK – SO. CAROLINA, Sept. 20, 2014

Sims was recognized after setting a SEC record by returning two kickoffs for touchdowns against the Gamecocks.

PARIS HEAD (Cornerback)

CO-FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK – TENNESSEE, Nov. 23, 2013

Forced into the lineup due to injuries, Head responded by picking off two UT passes. One of Head's picks came on a UT fake FG deep in Vanderbilt territory.

CALEB AZUBIKE (Defensive End)

DEFENSIVE LINEMAN OF THE WEEK – FLORIDA, Nov. 9, 2013

Azubike earned SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week honors after registering two QB sacks, four tackles and a pair of hurries in Vandy's 34-17 win over Florida. It was Azubike's first SEC weekly recognition.

JOE TOWNSEND (Center)

OFFENSIVE LINEMAN OF THE WEEK – AUBURN, Oct. 22, 2012

Townsend becomes the first VU sophomore O-lineman honored by the SEC since 2011 after recording 10 knockdown blocks in 17-13 win over Auburn.

EAST NAMED TO ALLSTATE, AFCA 2014 GOOD WORKS TEAM

Fourth-year starting snapper **Andrew East** has been named to the Allstate-American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) Good Works Team.

East, a first-year graduate student from Indianapolis, becomes the second Commodore recently named to the prestigious Allstate-AFCA Good Works Team. Former placekicker **Carey Spear** was recognized last year in 2013. The 11-member NCAA FBS Good Works Team includes three other players from the SEC.

A two-time team captain, East has been on numerous spring break and church-led mission trips as a Vanderbilt undergraduate, including working with youth in Mexico, Peru and Haiti. East also has frequently visited with ailing kids at Monroe Carell Jr. Children's Hospital at Vanderbilt, mentored elementary school students, and been involved in numerous local community service efforts, including Room at the Inn and Seven Bridges Ministry in the Nashville area.

East graduated in engineering in May 2014, and is enrolled in graduate courses at Vanderbilt's Owen School of Management.

TEAM'S TOP RETURNING SACK SPECIALISTS ATTACKING QBS FROM NEW POSITION

Defensive scheme changes have resulted in Vanderbilt's top three sack specialists from a year ago attacking opposing quarterbacks from a new position this year.

Derek Mason's highly regarded defense at Stanford offered opposing offenses multiple looks out of a 3-4 base formation.

Senior **Kyle Woestmann** and redshirt sophomore **Stephen Weatherly**, two of the team's three top sack specialists from 2013, have shifted from defensive end to outside linebackers in the new scheme.

A third standout from the 2013 squad, junior **Caleb Azubike**, has seen action both as a defensive end and outside linebacker, and ranks among SEC leaders in four QB sacks.

VANDERBILT DEFENSIVE STAT LEADERS			
QB Sacks	2014	2013	
Kyle Woestmann	-	6.0	
Caleb Azubike	4.0	4.0	
Stephen Weatherly	-	3.5	
Tackles for Loss	2014	2013	
Caleb Azubike	5.0	9.5	
Kyle Woestmann	2.5	7.0	

SIX COMMODORES WILL FACE PREP TEAMMATES SATURDAY IN LEXINGTON

Six Commodore players will face prep teammates when Vanderbilt and Kentucky this Saturday in Nashville.

- **Kyle Woestmann** (R-Sr., OLB) was a standout at Walton H.S. in Marietta, Ga. The school also produced UK's **Daron Blaylock** (Jr., safety) and **Zack Blaylock** (R-So., safety).

- **Kellen Williams** (Sr., FB) attended West Orange H.S. in Winter Garden, the same school that produced Kentucky's **Garrett Johnson** (Fr., WR).

- A trio of **Commodores** – **Darreon Herring** (Jr., ILB), **Jonathan Wynn** (R-Fr., OLB) and **Dallas Rivers** (Fr., RB) – played at Stephenson (Ga.) H.S. east of Atlanta with three Wildcats: **Jabari Johnson** (Jr., DE), **Ronnie Shields** (Sr., TE) and **Jared Tucker** (Fr., CB).

- **Ryan White** (R-Fr., DB) was teammates at powerful Trinity H.S. in Louisville with UK's **Max Strong** (So., PK), **Jason Hatcher** (So., DE) and **Thaddeus Kazunas** (R-Fr., TE).

THREE GRADUATE STUDENTS ON VANDERBILT ROSTER

The Commodore roster includes three student-athletes currently enrolled in graduate courses at Vanderbilt: **Davis Dudchuck** (TE, Oak Mountain, Ala.), **Andrew East** (snapper, Indianapolis) and **Stephen Rivers** (QB, Athens, Ala.).

The 2013 Vanderbilt roster did not include a single graduate student.

East, one of three captains on the 2014 squad, earned a degree in civil engineering last May from Vanderbilt. He is enrolled in classes at Vanderbilt's Owen School of Management.

East enters his fourth season as a starter as the Commodores' primary snapper.

Dudchuck and Rivers are both first-year contributors. Dudchuck is working toward a master's in higher education administration from the Peabody College after graduating from Stanford last spring. Rivers graduated from LSU in May, and is taking postgraduate courses at Vanderbilt's Divinity School.

Rivers earned his first start at quarterback in the Ole Miss loss. He has completed 18 of 50 passes for 246 yards. Dudchuck has three catches for 49 yards.

STATUS OF FORMER COMMODORES IN THE NFL

Player	NFL Team	Years	Notes
Jay Cutler, QB	Chicago	9th	Cutler was 23-of-38 for 225 yards and TDs, helping the Bears to a 27-19 road win over Jets Monday.
Andre Hal, CB	Houston	R	Reserve rookie CB did not register a defensive stat in Texans' 30-17 road loss to N.Y. Giants
Casey Hayward, CB	Green Bay	3rd	Hayward registered two tackles, including one for a loss, in Packers' 19-7 road loss at Detroit.
Wesley Johnson, OL	Pittsburgh	R	A 5th-round pick, Johnson was among the inactive for Pittsburgh's Sunday night game vs. Carolina.
Kenny Ladler, safety	Buffalo	R	Rookie safety was released Aug. 30 by Bills, then added back to Buffalo practice squad Aug. 31.
Jordan Matthews, WR	Philadelphia	R	Matthews had best game of brief career – 8 catches, 59 yards, 2 TDs – in win over Washington.
Sean Richardson, safety	Green Bay	3rd	Reserve safety did not register defensive stat in Green Bay's road loss to divisional rival Detroit.
Ryan Seymour, OL	Cleveland	2nd	Second-year OG was added to Cleveland Browns practice squad on Sept. 11.
Zac Stacy, RB	St. Louis	2nd	Starting RB amassed 121 total yards– 67 rushing & 54 receiving – in Rams' 34-31 loss to Dallas.
Chris Williams, OG	Buffalo	7th	Williams started his third straight game at left guard in Bills' 22-10 home loss to San Diego.
Jonathan Krause, WR	Cleveland		Rookie free agent receiver was placed on injury list by the Browns on Aug. 23.
Brandon Barden, TE	Jacksonville		Barden became a free agent Sept. 4 after reaching an injury settlement with the Jaguars.

COMMODORE NOTES

VU-KY STATISTICAL COMPARISON

	VANDY	KENTUCKY
2014 RECORD	1-3	2-1
SCORING	78	109
Points Per Game	19.5	36.3
FIRST DOWNS	57	71
Rushing	23	29
Passing	31	35
Penalty	3	7
RUSHING YARDAGE	477	547
Yards gained rushing	560	625
Yards lost rushing	83	78
Rushing Attempts	124	113
Average Per Rush	3.8	4.8
Average Per Game	119.2	182.3
TDs Rushing	2	7
PASSING YARDAGE	657	961
Comp.-Att.-INT	53-107-6	63-109-3
Average Per Pass	6.1	8.8
Average Per Catch	12.4	15.3
Average Per Game	164.2	320.3
TDs Passing	3	5
TOTAL OFFENSE	1134	1508
Total Plays	231	222
Average Per Play	4.9	6.8
Average Per Game	283.5	502.7
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	23-583	3-75
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	9-76	8-72
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	0-0	3-56
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	25.3	25.0
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	8.4	9.0
INT RETURN AVERAGE	0.0	18.7
FUMBLES LOST	9-5	1-0
FUMBLES RECOVERED	9-5	5-4
PENALTIES-Yards	30-271	18-165
Average Per Game	67.8	55.0
PUNTS-Yards	23-1020	12-509
Average Per Punt	44.3	42.4
Net punt average	39.2	40.2
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	27:39	29:30
3RD-DOWN Conversions	16/49	23/50
3rd-Down Pct.	33%	46%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	0/3	2/4
4th-Down Pct.	0%	50%
SACKS BY-Yards	8-51	7-33
SACKS ALLOWED-Yards	7-49	6-47
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	10	13
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	3-5	6-10
RED-ZONE SCORES	(8-11) 73%	(8-10) 80%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(5-11) 45%	(6-10) 60%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	7-7	13-13

VANDERBILT NOW A NOVEMBER TEAM; WON LAST NINE GAMES IN THE MONTH

Vanderbilt has become a superb late-season team.

Dating back to the 2011 finale, the 'Dores have notched nine consecutive November wins. The win streak continues into 2014 when Vanderbilt hosts Old Dominion Nov. 1.

Vanderbilt's 9-win November streak is a rarity for the program. It was last accomplished in the 1903-05 seasons.

From 2001-10, Vanderbilt was 3-32 in games played during November.

VANDERBILT RESULTS IN NOVEMBER GAMES

Date	Opponent	Result
11/30/2013	Wake Forest	23-21
11/23/2013	@Tennessee	14-10
11/16/2013	Kentucky	22-6
11/9/2013	@Florida	34-17
11/26/2012	@Wake Forest	55-21
11/19/2012	Tennessee	41-23
11/12/2012	@Ole Miss	27-26
11/5/2012	@Kentucky	40-0
11/26/2011	@Wake Forest	41-7

TAYLOR, BUTLER TOP DEFENSIVE LINE

Vanderbilt's defensive front will build around a pair of linemen who return with starting experience from a year ago: **Vince Taylor** (Sr.) and **Adam Butler** (R-So.).

Taylor, who enjoyed 10 starts at tackle last year, has played well this season at nose tackle. Recognized as Tim Tebow's "Freak of the Week" for his strength on Sept. 6, Taylor has contributed 13 tackles, a quarterback sack and two fumble recoveries this year after registering 18 total tackles in 2013. Butler earned six starts at tackle as a redshirt freshman, and has 15 tackles this year after registering 25 tackles last year.

The duo is supported by **Barron Dixon** (Sr.), **Jay Woods** (R-Fr.) and versatile DE/OLB **Caleb Azubike** (Jr.). Azubike has four QB sacks and five tackles for loss in three games. Woods and Dixon have added 14 and seven tackles, respectively.

D-LINE CAREER STARTS

Player	Total Starts
Vince Taylor	13
Adam Butler	10
Caleb Azubike	2
Jay Woods	2
Barron Dixon	1

COMMODORES NOW 3-6 ALL-TIME PLAYING ON THURSDAY NIGHTS

Vanderbilt opened its third straight season with a Thursday night home game on national television.

The loss to Temple also marked the Commodores' third straight loss in a season opener.

In 2013, the Commodores fell to Ole Miss 39-35 in what ESPN eventually ranked as one of the season's most exciting games.

In 2012, the 'Dores nearly defeated No. 9 South Carolina.

It also marked the fourth time since 2008 that Vanderbilt has opened the season on a Thursday night. That year, the Commodores opened with a win at Miami (Ohio).

The Temple game was Vanderbilt's ninth Thursday night appearance, dating back to a 1996 home stint against nationally ranked Notre Dame.

THURSDAY NIGHT RESULTS

Year	Opponent	W/L	Score
2014	Temple	L	7-37
2013	Ole Miss	L	35-39
2012	South Carolina	L	13-17
2008	South Carolina	W	24-17
2008	Miami (Ohio)	W	34-13
2005	Wake Forest	W	24-20
2001	at MTSU	L	28-37
1997	Alabama	L	0-20
1996	Notre Dame	L	7-14

VANDERBILT RECORD VS. 2014 OPPONENTS

Opponent	Date	Series Record	Last Game (Result)
Temple	Aug. 28	VU trails, 2-1	L, 7-37 (2014)
Ole Miss	Sept. 6	VU trails, 38-49-2	L, 3-41 (2014)
UMass	Sept. 13	VU leads, 3-0	W, 34-31 (2014)
South Carolina	Sept. 20	VU trails, 4-20	L, 34-48 (2014)
Kentucky	Sept. 27	Series tied, 41-41-4	W, 22-6 (2013)
Georgia	Oct. 4	VU trails, 19-53-2	W, 31-27 (2013)
Charleston Southern	Oct. 11	1st game in series	n/a
Missouri	Oct. 25	VU trails, 2-3-1	L, 56-24 (2013)
Old Dominion	Nov. 1	1st game in series	n/a
Florida	Nov. 8	VU trails, 10-35-2	W, 34-17 (2013)
Mississippi State	Nov. 22	VU trails, 7-12-2	L, 3-15 (2009)
Tennessee	Nov. 29	VU trails, 30-73-5	W, 14-10 (2013)

VANDERBILT COACH'S SHOW BACK ON NASHVILLE TV MARKET

The Vanderbilt Coach's Show is returning to Nashville television each Sunday evening of the season.

The show, featuring Head Coach Derek Mason and long-time Commodore play-by-play announcer Joe Fisher as the co-host, airs on each Sunday after a game at 10:30 p.m. CT on Nashville's FOX-17.

The Vanderbilt highlights show also will continue through Commodore men's basketball season on FOX-17.

Vanderbilt Athletics has been without a local weekly highlights show since the 2009-10 season.

Each episode will feature video highlights from Vanderbilt's previous game, and Mason's thoughts on the team's upcoming opponent, and two-minute features on an array of Commodore student-athletes.

The show will be re-aired without charge during the week on Vanderbilt Athletics' official website, vucommODORES.com.

VANDERBILT RADIO NETWORK: FOUR SIGNALS IN NASHVILLE

Vanderbilt football and men's basketball games are carried on one of the nation's strongest radio signals in Nashville's **NewsRadio WLAC AM-1510**.



Starting with the Vanderbilt opener, all Commodore football and men's basketball games will air on WLAC 1510, a station that boasts one of the nation's most powerful evening signals. WLAC can be heard across middle America, from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico.

The Vanderbilt Radio Network will also provide a live broadcast this season. In past years, a slight delay in the broadcast impacted the ability to merge Joe Fisher's call to the TV broadcast.

The Vanderbilt Radio Network also includes three other Nashville stations: WSNR AM-560 and WSNR 95.9-FM, and WALT 98.3-FM.

Vanderbilt Radio Network

NewsRadio 1510 WLAC *	Nashville
WALT 98.3 FM	Nashville
WNSR AM-560	Nashville
WNSR 95.9 FM	Nashville
WPLZ 106.9 FM	Chattanooga
WEKR AM-1240	Fayetteville
WJJM AM-1490	Lewisburg
WMSR AM-1320	Manchester
WMPS AM-1210	Memphis
WDUC 93.9 FM	Tulahoma

*Vanderbilt Radio Network flagship

MEDIA INFORMATION

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

PLAYERS

Caleb Azubike (**ah-ZOO-bah-KAY**) Sekou (**SAY-koo**) Clark
 Davis Dudchock (**Due-chuck**) Bailey Granier (**gren-yah**)
 Barrett Gouger (**Gow-gurr**) Nifae (**Knee-FY**) Lealao (**Lee-AL-O**)
 Steven Scheu (**SHOY**) Jerron (**jah-RON**) Seymour
 Ja'karri (**jah-CAR-ee**) Thomas Riley Tindol (**TEN-doll**)
 Kyle Woestmann (**West-man**)

COACHES

Gerry (**Jerry**) Gdowski (**Guh-DOW-ski**)
 David Kotulski (**Kuh-TOLL-ski**)
 Frank Maile (**My-leh**)

VANDERBILT POSTGAME INTERVIEWS

Coach Mason's post-game press conference after the Kentucky game will be held after he addresses the team. Only properly credentialed media will be allowed into the press conference room.

Mason's remarks will be held in the Visiting Team Press Conference Room, which is next to the Vanderbilt player locker room on the west side of Commonwealth Stadium.

The Vanderbilt Locker Room is closed. Up to five players will be made available for post-game interviews. These interviews will be conducted in the same room as Coach Mason's remarks. The players will enter when the head coach concludes.

GAME WEEK INTERVIEW POLICY

All interview requests for Coach Mason and Vanderbilt student-athletes MUST go through the Vanderbilt Athletic Communications staff.

Coach Mason will be available to media members at the conclusion of practice on Wednesdays. Vanderbilt student-athletes and assistant coaches will also be available to media after the Wednesday sessions.

Media outlets are permitted to shoot the first 30 minutes of Wednesday practices; afterwards sessions are closed.

WEEKLY PRESS CONFERENCE ON TUESDAYS

Coach Mason will conduct a weekly press conference for local media on Tuesdays at 12 noon CT. It is held in the McGugin Center. Interviews with selected student-athletes will follow Mason's remarks.

The conference is archived and available at vucommODORES.com, each Tuesday by 2:30 p.m., CT. A transcript is provided usually by 3 p.m.

SEC COACHES TELECONFERENCE: WED., 10:30 AM

Coach Mason is available each Wednesday morning to media outlets as part of the Southeastern Conference Coaches' Teleconference.

Mason's 10-minute segment starts at 10:30 a.m., CT.

To participate, call the SEC SID Office at (205) 458-3010.

COACH'S RADIO SHOW ON MONDAYS, 7 PM

The Commodore Call-In Show with Coach Mason, a regular weekly feature of Nashville radio flagship NewsRadio 1510 WLAC, is scheduled each Monday after a Vanderbilt game. It starts at 7 p.m., in the Holiday Inn's Commodore Grille on West End Avenue. The one-hour show, hosted by Vanderbilt announcer Joe Fisher, gives fans an opportunity to ask questions about the program and upcoming opponents.

The first show this season is scheduled Monday, Aug. 25.

DEPTH CHART [SEPT. 22]

OFFENSE

WR	19	C.J. Duncan	5-11, 195, R-Fr.	Montgomery, Ala.
	18	Chandler Dorrell	6-0, 190, R-Fr.	Nashville, Tenn.
	7	Josh Grady	5-11, 200, R-Jr.	Tampa, Fla.
	15	DeAndre Woods	6-3, 215, R-Fr.	Clay, Ala.
WR	86	Latevius Rayford	6-1, 192, So.	Memphis, Tenn.
	85	Trey Wilkins	5-11, 210, Sr.	Cordova, Tenn.
	82	Kris Kentera	6-4, 220, Jr.	Colorado Sprgs., Colo.
	4	Caleb Scott	6-1, 180, Fr.	Suwanee, Ga.
	10	Trent Sherfield	6-0, 190, Fr.	Danville, Ill.
QB	4	Patton Robinette	6-4, 212, R-So.	Maryville, Tenn.
<i>-or-</i>	12	Wade Freebeck	6-4, 212, Fr.	Davie, Fla.
RB	26	Ralph Webb	5-10, 196, R-Fr.	Gainesville, Fla.
	3	Jerron Seymour	5-7, 196, R-So.	Hialeah, Fla.
	28	Dallas Rivers	6-1, 225, Fr.	Stone Mtn., Ga.
FB	42	Kellen Williams	6-1, 230, Sr.	Winter Garden, Fla.
TE	81	Steven Scheu	6-5, 250, Jr.	Evansville, Ind.
	80	Davis Dudchock	6-4, 245, Grad.	Birmingham, Ala.
	89	Dillon van der Wal	6-6, 252, Sr.	Woodland Hills, Calif.
	83	Nathan Marcus	6-5, 238, R-Fr.	Glen Ellyn, Ill.
OT	50	Andrew Jelks	6-6, 305, R-So.	Paris, Tenn.
	72	Sean Dowling	6-5, 288, R-Fr.	Fallbrook, Calif.
OG	53	Jake Bernstein	6-3, 305, Jr.	Lake in the Hills, Ill.
	64	Delando Crooks	6-5, 312, R-Fr.	Atlanta, Ga.
C	57	Joe Townsend	6-4, 312, Sr.	Hendersonville, Tenn.
	56	Barrett Gouger	6-4, 305, R-So.	Soddy Daisy, Tenn.
OG	77	Spencer Pulley	6-4, 300, R-Jr.	Germantown, Tenn.
	78	Kevin McCoy	6-5, 295, R-So.	Tampa, Fla.
OT	74	Will Holden	6-7, 310, R-So.	Green Cove Sprgs., Fla.
	52	Andrew Bridges	6-6, 285, Sr.	Atlanta, Ga.

SPECIALISTS

P	16	Colby Cooke	6-3, 220, So.	Goochland, Va.
	29	Taylor Hudson	6-3, 220, R-Jr.	Powell, Ohio
PK	17	Tommy Openshaw	6-2, 185, R-Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla.
	99	Hayden Lekacz	6-1, 175, Fr.	Glen Ellyn, Ill.
H	29	Taylor Hudson	6-3, 220, R-Jr.	Powell, Ohio
	82	Kris Kentera	6-4, 220, Jr.	Colorado Sprgs., Colo.
SN	34	Andrew East	6-2, 230, Sr.	Indianapolis, Ind.
	37	Wilson Johnson	6-2, 210, So.	Nashville, Tenn.
KO	99	Hayden Lekacz	6-1, 175, Fr.	Glen Ellyn, Ill.
	16	Colby Cooke	6-3, 220, So.	Goochland, Va.
KOR	6	Darrius Sims	5-9, 182, So.	Memphis, Tenn.
	28	Dallas Rivers	6-1, 225, Fr.	Stone Mtn., Ga.
PR	36	Trey Ellis	5-9, 165, Fr.	Charlotte, N.C.
	19	C.J. Duncan	5-11, 195, R-Fr.	Montgomery, Ala.

DEFENSE

DT	69	Adam Butler	6-5, 305, R-So.	Duncanville, Texas
	44	Barron Dixon	6-4, 290, Sr.	Alpharetta, Ga.
	94	Torey Agee	6-4, 286, R-So.	Opelika, Ala.
NT	53	Vince Taylor	6-2, 312, Sr.	Hattiesburg, Miss.
	77	Nifae Lealao	6-5, 314, Fr.	Sacramento, Calif.
DT	55	Caleb Azubike	6-4, 255, Jr.	Nashville, Tenn.
	74	Jay Woods	6-3, 288, R-Fr.	Jackson, Ga.
OLB	92	Kyle Woestmann	6-3, 250, Sr.	Marietta, Ga.
<i>-or-</i>	49	Jonathan Wynn	6-5, 244, R-Fr.	Stone Mtn., Ga.
	22	Casey Hughes	6-1, 220, Sr.	Reading, Pa.
ILB	35	Darreon Herring	6-1, 232, Jr.	Stone Mtn., Ga.
	41	Zach Cunningham	6-4, 230, R-Fr.	Pinson, Ala.
	40	Ja'karri Thomas	6-1, 230, R-So.	Tallahassee, Fla.
ILB	52	Nigel Bowden	6-1, 245, R-Fr.	Macon, Ga.
	13	Jake Sealand	6-2, 232, Jr.	Tucker, Ga.
OLB	45	Stephen Weatherly	6-5, 255, R-So.	Snellville, Ga.
	54	Jimmy Stewart	6-4, 240, Jr.	Cape Coral, Fla.
	99	Landon Stokes	6-4, 235, R-Fr.	Orlando, Fla.
CB	21	Paris Head	6-0, 185, So.	Lawrenceville, Ga.
	31	Tre Herndon	6-1, 172, Fr.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
	4	Tre Bell	5-11, 174, R-Fr.	Union, N.J.
SS	27	Jahmel McIntosh	6-1, 205, Jr.	Cleveland, Miss.
	2	Tre Tarpley	6-0, 195, Fr.	Pittsburgh, Pa.
FS	32	Andrew Williamson	6-1, 208, Jr.	San Antonio, Texas
	7	Emmanuel Smith	6-2, 205, Fr.	Murfreesboro, Tenn.
CB	5	Torren McGaster	6-0, 192, So.	Daphne, Ala.
	3	Taurean Ferguson	5-9, 185, R-Fr.	Jonesboro, Ga.
NB	14	Ryan White	5-9, 188, R-Fr.	Louisville, Ky.
	6	Darrius Sims	5-9, 182, So.	Memphis, Tenn.

COACHES

Name	Position	Gamedays
Derek Mason	Head coach	
Karl Dorrell	Off. coordinator/QBs	booth
David Kotulski	Def. coordinator/ILBs	booth
Charles Bankins	Special teams/RBs	sidelines
Gerry Gdowski	Tight ends	sidelines
Kenwick Thompson	Outside linebackers	sidelines
Keven Lightner	Offensive line	sidelines
Marc Lubick	Wide receivers	booth
Brett Maxie	Defensive secondary	sidelines
Frank Maile	Defensive line	sidelines
Ryan Anderson	Defensive graduate assistant	sidelines
A.J. Haase	Offensive graduate assistant	booth
Chandler Henley	Offensive graduate assistant	sidelines
Johnell Thomas	Defensive graduate assistant	sidelines

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YEAR	VL	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL	NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YEAR	VL	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL
94	Torey Agee	DL	6-4	286	So.	1L	Opelika, Ala./Opelika HS	77	Nifae Lealao	DL	6-5	314	Fr.	HS	Sacramento, Calif./Capital Christian HS
55	Caleb Azubike	OLB	6-4	260	Jr.	2L	Nashville, Tenn./McGavock HS	30	Bryce Lewis	CB	6-0	175	Fr.	HS	Lilburn, Ga./Parkview HS
24	Jalen Banks	S	5-11	190	R-Fr.	RS	Markham, Ill./Thornton Township HS	43	Hawkins Mann	LB	6-3	225	Fr.	HS	Burbank, Calif./Burroughs HS
96	Gaither Barker	SN	6-1	230	So.	SQ	Dunlap, Tenn./Sequatchie HS	83	Nathan Marcus	TE	6-5	238	R-Fr.	RS	Glen Ellyn, Ill./Glenbard West HS
4	Tre Bell	CB	5-11	174	R-Fr.	RS	Union, N.J./St. Peter's Prep	41	Chris Martin	FB	6-0	234	Jr.	SQ	Princeton, N.J./Princeton HS
53	Jake Bernstein	OL	6-4	305	Jr.	2L	Lake in the Hills, Ill./Crystal Lake South HS	78	Kevin McCoy	OL	6-5	295	So.	1L	Tampa, Fla./Armwood HS
23	Khari Blasingame	S	6-1	205	Fr.	HS	New Market, Ala./Buckhorn HS	2	Johnny McCrary	QB	6-4	230	R-Fr.	RS	Decatur, Ga./Cedar Grove HS
52	Nigel Bowden	ILB	6-1	245	R-Fr.	RS	Macon, Ga./Central HS	5	Torren McGaster	CB	6-0	192	So.	1L	Daphne, Ala./Daphne HS
52	Andrew Bridges	OL	6-6	285	Sr.	3L	Atlanta, Ga./Westminster HS	27	Jahmel McIntosh	S	6-1	205	Jr.	2L	Cleveland, Miss./Cleveland HS
79	Ryan Brockway	OL	6-4	275	Sr.	SQ	Rolling Hills, Calif./Loyola HS	8	Ronald Monroe	WR	6-2	185	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas/Fort Bend Bush HS
20	Oren Burks	S	6-3	212	R-Fr.	RS	Fairfax Station, Va./South County HS	97	Reid Nelson	P	6-2	215	Fr.	HS	Hueytown, Ala./Hueytown HS
69	Adam Butler	DL	6-5	305	So.	1L	Duncanville, Texas/Duncanville HS	17	Tommy Openshaw	PK	6-2	185	R-Fr.	RS	Jacksonville, Fla./Creekside HS
11	Rashad Canty	WR	6-3	212	Fr.	HS	Riverdale, Ga./Riverdale HS	88	Mitch Parsons	TE	6-3	250	Fr.	HS	Parker, Colo./Chaparral HS
90	Sekou Clark	DL	6-3	260	Fr.	HS	Denton, Texas/Ryan HS	77	Spencer Pulley	OL	6-4	300	Jr.	2L	Germantown, Tenn./Evangelical HS
16	Colby Cooke	P	6-3	220	So.	1L	Goochland, Va./Goochland HS	86	Latevius Rayford	WR	6-1	192	So.	1L	Memphis, Tenn./Central HS
64	Delando Crooks	OL	6-5	312	R-Fr.	RS	Atlanta, Ga./Carver HS	61	Bruno Reagan	OL	6-3	315	Fr.	HS	Clarksville, Tenn./Clarkville HS
41	Zach Cunningham	ILB	6-4	230	R-Fr.	RS	Pinson, Ala./Pinson Valley HS	28	Dallas Rivers	RB	6-1	225	Fr.	HS	Stone Mountain, Ga./Stephenson HS
48	Jalen Dansby	WR	5-11	190	Fr.	HS	Wildwood, Mo./Lafayette HS	17	Stephen Rivers	QB	6-7	235	Grad.	TR	Athens, Ala./Athens HS/LSU
44	Barron Dixon	DL	6-4	290	Sr.	3L	Alpharetta, Ga./Chattahoochee HS	4	Patton Robinette	QB	6-4	212	So.	1L	Maryville, Tenn./Maryville HS
18	Chandler Dorrell	WR	6-0	190	R-Fr.	TR	Nashville, TN/St. Thomas Aquinas/Stanford	81	Steven Scheu	TE	6-5	250	Jr.	2L	Evansville, Ind./Reitz Memorial HS
72	Sean Dowling	OL	6-5	288	R-Fr.	RS	Fallbrook, Calif./Fallsbrook Union HS	60	Jacob Schultz	SN	6-4	220	So.	SQ	Murfreesboro, Tenn./Siegel HS
80	Davis Dudchuck	TE	6-4	245	Grad.	TR	Birmingham, Ala./Oak Mtn. HS/Stanford	9	Caleb Scott	WR	6-1	180	Fr.	HS	Suwanee, Ga./North Gwinnett HS
19	C.J. Duncan	WR	5-11	195	R-Fr.	RS	Montgomery, Ala./St. James School	6	Darius Sims	CB	5-9	182	So.	1L	Memphis, Tenn./Whitehaven HS
34	Andrew East	OLB	6-2	230	Grad.	3L	Indianapolis, Ind./North Central HS	13	Jake Sealand	ILB	6-2	232	Jr.	2L	Tucker, Ga./Tucker HS
36	Trey Ellis	WR	5-9	165	Fr.	HS	Charlotte, N.C./Kell H.S.	3	Jerron Seymour	RB	5-7	196	Jr.	2L	Hialeah, Fla./Hialeah HS
3	Taurean Ferguson	CB	5-9	185	R-Fr.	RS	Jonesboro, Ga./Jonesboro HS	10	Trent Sherfield	WR	6-0	190	Fr.	HS	Danville, Ill./Danville HS
12	Wade Freebeck	QB	6-5	212	Fr.	HS	Davie, Fla./St. Thomas Aquinas HS	7	Emmanuel Smith	S	6-2	205	Fr.	HS	Murfreesboro, Tenn./Oakland HS
87	Blake Fromang	TE	6-7	288	So.	1L	Orlando, Fla./Lake Highland Prep	10	Shawn Stankavage	QB	6-2	182	Fr.	HS	Durham, N.C./Cardinal Gibbons HS
56	Barrett Gouger	OL	6-4	305	So.	1L	Soddy Daisy, Tenn./Baylor HS	54	Jimmy Stewart	OLB	6-4	240	Jr.	2L	Cape Coral, Fla./Island Coast HS
7	Josh Grady	WR	5-11	200	Jr.	2L	Tampa, Fla./Armwood HS	99	Landon Stokes	OLB	6-4	235	R-Fr.	RS	Orlando, Fla./Lake Highland Prep
75	Bailey Granier	OL	6-6	345	Fr.	HS	Galliano, La./South Lafourche HS	2	Tre Tarpley	S	6-0	195	Fr.	HS	Pittsburgh, Pa./Central Catholic HS
16	Curtis Graves	WR	6-1	185	So.	SQ	Alpharetta, Ga./Alpharetta HS	53	Vince Taylor	DL	6-1	310	Sr.	3L	Hattiesburg, Miss./Oak Grove HS
81	Alex Grecco	WR	5-10	175	Jr.	SQ	Warwick, R.I./Bishop Hendricken HS	40	Ja'kari Thomas	ILB	6-1	230	So.	1L	Tallahassee, Fla./Godby HS
49	Josh Gregory	S	5-11	170	Sr.	1L	Goodlettsville, Tenn./Davidson Academy	95	Riley Tindol	DL	6-5	275	Fr.	HS	Billingsley, Ala./Autauga Academy
60	Cole Hardin	OL	6-4	305	Fr.	HS	Florence, Ala./Florence HS	57	Joe Townsend	OL	6-4	312	Sr.	3L	Hendersonville, Tenn./Hendersonville HS
11	Harding Harper	ILB	6-2	240	So.	1L	Montgomery, Ala./Carver HS	89	Dillon van der Wal	TE	6-6	252	Sr.	2L	Woodland Hills, Calif./Oaks Christian HS
21	Paris Head	CB	6-0	185	So.	1L	Lawrenceville, Ga./Buford HS	65	Campbell Vise	OL	6-4	285	Fr.	HS	Flowood, Miss./Jackson Prep
31	Tre Herndon	CB	6-1	172	Fr.	HS	Chattanooga, Tenn./East Hamilton HS	45	Stephen Weatherly	OLB	6-5	255	So.	1L	Snellville, Ga./Shiloh HS
35	Darreon Herring	ILB	6-1	232	Jr.	2L	Stone Mountain, Ga./Stephenson HS	26	Ralph Webb	RB	5-10	196	R-Fr.	RS	Gainesville, Fla./Gainesville HS
45	Joseph Hoffman	FB	6-0	220	Jr.	SQ	Scarsdale, N.Y./Edgemont HS	14	Ryan White	DB	5-9	188	R-Fr.	RS	Louisville, Ky./Trinity HS
74	Will Holden	OL	6-7	310	So.	1L	Green Cove Springs, Fla./Clay HS	15	Ladarius Wiley	DB	6-1	192	Fr.	HS	Los Angeles, Calif./Cathedral HS
91	David Holtgrave	PK	5-10	190	So.	SQ	Louisville, Ky./Country Day	85	Trey Wilkins	WR	5-11	210	Sr.	2L	Cordova, Tenn./St. Benedict HS
29	Taylor Hudson	P	6-3	220	Jr.	1L	Powell, Ohio/Olentangy Liberty HS	42	Kellen Williams	FB	6-1	230	Sr.	2L	Winter Garden, Fla./West Orange HS
22	Casey Hughes	OLB	6-1	220	Sr.	2L	Reading, Pa./Governor Mifflin HS	32	Andrew Williamson	S	6-1	208	Jr.	2L	San Antonio, Texas/Stevens HS
38	Alex Hysong	CB	5-10	180	Sr.	SQ	Bethesda, Md./Whitman HS	51	Davis Winkie	SN	6-4	250	Fr.	HS	Cumming, Ga./South Forsyth HS
50	Andrew Jelks	OL	6-6	305	So.	1L	Paris, Tenn./Henry County HS	92	Kyle Woestmann	OLB	6-3	250	Sr.	3L	Marietta, Ga./Walton HS
37	Wilson Johnson	SN	6-2	210	So.	SQ	Nashville, Tenn./Montgomery Bell Acad.	15	DeAndre Woods	WR	6-3	215	R-Fr.	RS	Clay, Ala./Clay-Chalkville HS
82	Kris Kentera	WR	6-4	220	Jr.	2L	Colorado Springs, Colo./Pine Creek HS	74	Jay Woods	DL	6-3	288	R-Fr.	RS	Jackson, Ga./Jackson HS
25	Brian Kimbrow	RB	5-8	185	Jr.	2L	Memphis, Tenn./East HS	47	Charles Wright	OLB	6-3	230	Fr.	HS	Irvine, Calif./Beckman HS
33	Derek King	RB	5-11	205	Jr.	2L	Nashville, Tenn./Brentwood Academy	49	Jonathan Wynn	OLB	6-5	244	R-Fr.	RS	Stone Mountain, Ga./Stephenson HS
99	Hayden Lekacz	PK	6-1	175	Fr.	HS	Glen Ellyn, Ill./Glenbard West HS								

VANDERBILT NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	NO.	NAME	POS.	NO.	NAME	POS.	NO.	NAME	POS.	NO.	NAME	POS.
2	Johnny McCrary	QB	16	Colby Cooke	P	35	Darreon Herring	ILB	53	Vince Taylor	DL	81	Steven Scheu	TE
2	Tre Tarpley	S	16	Curtis Graves	WR	36	Trey Ellis	WR	54	Jimmy Stewart	OLB	82	Kris Kentera	WR
3	Taurean Ferguson	CB	17	Tommy Openshaw	PK	37	Wilson Johnson	SN	55	Caleb Azubike	OLB	83	Nathan Marcus	TE
3	Jerron Seymour	RB	17	Stephen Rivers	QB	38	Alex Hysong	CB	56	Barrett Gouger	OL	85	Trey Wilkins	WR
4	Tre Bell	CB	18	Chandler Dorrell	WR	40	Ja'kari Thomas	ILB	57	Joe Townsend	OL	86	Latevius Rayford	WR
4	Patton Robinette	QB	19	C.J. Duncan	WR	41	Zach Cunningham	ILB	60	Cole Hardin	OL	87	Blake Fromang	TE
5	Torren McGaster	CB	20	Oren Burks	S	41	Chris Martin	FB	60	Jacob Schultz	SN	88	Mitch Parsons	TE
6	Darius Sims	CB	21	Paris Head	CB	42	Kellen Williams	FB	61	Bruno Reagan	OL	89	Dillon van der Wal	TE
7	Josh Grady	WR	22	Casey Hughes	OLB	43	Hawkins Mann	LB	64	Delando Crooks	OL	90	Sekou Clark	DL
7	Emmanuel Smith	S	23	Khari Blasingame	S	44	Barron Dixon	DL	65	Campbell Vise	OL	91	David Holtgrave	PK
8	Ronald Monroe	WR	24	Jalen Banks	S	45	Joseph Hoffman	FB	69	Adam Butler	DL	92	Kyle Woestmann	OLB
9	Caleb Scott	WR	25	Brian Kimbrow	RB	45	Stephen Weatherly	OLB	72	Sean Dowling	OL	94	Torey Agee	DL
10	Trent Sherfield	WR	26	Ralph Webb	RB	47	Charles Wright	OLB	74	Will Holden	OL	95	Riley Tindol	DL
10	Shawn Stankavage	QB	27	Jahmel McIntosh	S	48	Jalen Dansby	WR	74	Jay Woods	DL	96	Gaither Barker	SN
11	Rashad Canty	WR	28	Dallas Rivers	RB	49	Josh Gregory	S	75	Bailey Granier	OL	97	Reid Nelson	P
11	Harding Harper	ILB	29	Taylor Hudson	P	49	Jonathan Wynn	OLB	77	Nifae Lealao	DL	99	Hayden Lekacz	PK
12	Wade Freebeck	QB	30	Bryce Lewis	CB	50	Andrew Jelks	SN	77	Spencer Pulley	OL	99	Landon Stokes	OLB
13	Jake Sealand	ILB	31	Tre Herndon	CB	51	Davis Winkie	OL	78	Kevin McCoy	OL			
14	Ryan White	DB	32	Andrew Williamson	S	52	Nigel Bowden	ILB	79	Ryan Brockway	OL			
15	Ladarius Wiley	DB	33	Derek King	RB	52	Andrew Bridges	OL	80	Davis Dudchuck	TE			
15	DeAndre Woods	WR	34	Andrew East	OLB	53	Jake Bernstein	OL	81	Alex Grecco	WR			

2014 STATISTICS

SCORE (QUARTER)	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	OT	TOTAL
VANDERBILT	14	27	10	27	0	78
OPPONENTS	31	51	51	24	0	157

TEAM STATISTICS

	<u>VANDERBILT</u>	<u>OPPONENTS</u>
SCORING	78	157
Points Per Game	19.5	39.2
FIRST DOWNS	57	95
Rushing	23	37
Passing	31	50
Penalty	3	8
RUSHING YARDAGE	477	624
Yards gained rushing	560	741
Yards lost rushing	83	117
Rushing Attempts	124	168
Average Per Rush	3.8	3.7
Average Per Game	119.2	156.0
TDs Rushing	2	8
PASSING YARDAGE	657	1069
Att-Comp-Int	107-53-6	143-91-0
Average Per Pass	6.1	7.5
Average Per Catch	12.4	11.7
Average Per Game	164.2	267.2
TDs Passing	3	8
TOTAL OFFENSE	1134	1693
Total Plays	231	311
Average Per Play	4.9	5.4
Average Per Game	283.5	423.2
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	23-583	9-223
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	9-76	7-39
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	0-0	6-149
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	25.3	24.8
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	8.4	5.6
INT RETURN AVERAGE	0.0	24.8
FUMBLES-LOST	9-5	9-5
PENALTIES-Yards	30-271	15-103
Average Per Game	67.8	25.8
PUNTS-Yards	23-1020	16-589
Average Per Punt	44.3	36.8
Net punt average	39.2	30.8
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	27:39	32:21
3RD-DOWN Conversions	16/49	27/61
3rd-Down Pct	33%	44%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	0/3	5/8
4th-Down Pct	0%	62%
SACKS BY-Yards	8-51	7-49
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	10	19
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	3-5	8-10
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-1	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	8-11 73%	18-20 90%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	5-11 45%	12-20 60%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	7-7 100%	19-19 100%
ATTENDANCE	142818	0
Games/Avg Per Game	4/35704	0/0

2014 GAME RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L SCORE	OVERALL	CONF.	TIME	ATTN.
8/28	Temple	L, 37-7	0-1	0-0	3:22	31,731
9/6	Ole Miss	L, 41-3	0-2	0-1	3:12	43,260
9/13	UMass	W, 34-41	1-2	0-1	3:48	33,386
9/20	S. Carolina	L, 48-34	1-3	0-2	3:36	34,441
9/27	at Kentucky					
10/4	at Georgia					
10/11	Charleston So.					
10/25	at Missouri					
11/1	Old Dominion					
11/8	Florida					
11/22	at Miss. State					
11/29	Tennessee					

PASSING

	GP	EFF.	ATT-COMP-INT	PCT	YARDS	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Stephen Rivers	2	69.33	18-50-2	36.0	246	0	30	123.0
P. Robinette	3	155.50	23-32-0	71.9	240	2	36	80.0
Wade Freebeck	2	116.65	12-22-2	54.5	171	1	44	85.5
Johnny McCrary	1	133.33	0-3-2	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	4	99.15	53-107-6	49.5	657	3	44	164.2
Opponents	4	144.89	91-143-0	63.6	1069	8	53	267.2

RUSHING

	GP	ATT	GAIN	LOSS	NET	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Ralph Webb	4	77	387	9	378	4.9	1	28	94.5
Jerron Seymour	2	11	47	0	47	4.3	0	13	23.5
Dallas Rivers	4	10	39	0	39	3.9	0	10	9.8
Trent Sherfield	2	1	25	0	25	25.0	0	25	12.5
P. Robinette	3	13	50	26	24	1.8	1	18	8.0
C.J. Duncan	4	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	0.5
Wade Freebeck	2	3	3	5	-2	-0.7	0	3	-1.0
Brian Kimbrow	1	1	0	6	-6	-6.0	0	5	-6.0
TEAM	3	3	0	8	-8	-2.7	0	0	-2.7
Stephen Rivers	2	4	7	29	-22	-5.5	0	5	-11.0
Total	4	124	560	83	477	3.8	2	28	119.2
Opponents	4	168	741	117	624	3.7	8	70	156.0

RECEIVING

	GP	No.	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Steven Scheu	4	12	181	15.1	1	44	45.2
L. Rayford	4	9	79	8.8	0	15	19.8
C.J. Duncan	4	7	138	19.7	1	36	34.5
Trey Wilkins	4	5	46	9.2	0	19	11.5
Kris Kentera	4	4	64	16.0	1	39	16.0
J. Cunningham	3	4	27	6.8	0	8	9.0
Davis Dudchock	4	3	49	16.3	0	29	12.2
C. Dorrell	3	3	34	11.3	0	13	11.3
Ralph Webb	4	3	13	4.3	0	7	3.2
D. van der Wal	4	1	12	12.0	0	12	3.0
Caleb Scott	4	1	9	9.0	0	9	2.2
Kellen Williams	4	1	5	5.0	0	5	1.2
Total	4	53	657	12.4	3	44	164.2
Opponents	4	91	1069	11.7	8	53	267.2

2014 STATISTICS

TOTAL OFFENSE

	GP	PLAYS	RUSH	PASS	TOTAL	Avg/G
Ralph Webb	4	77	378	0	378	94.5
P. Robinette	3	45	24	240	264	88.0
Stephen Rivers	2	54	-22	246	224	112.0
Wade Freebeck	2	25	-2	171	169	84.5
Jerron Seymour	2	11	47	0	47	23.5
Dallas Rivers	4	10	39	0	39	9.8
Trent Sherfield	2	1	25	0	25	12.5
C.J. Duncan	4	1	2	0	2	0.5
Brian Kimbrow	1	1	-6	0	-6	-6.0
TEAM	3	3	-8	0	-8	-2.7
Total	4	231	477	657	1134	283.5
Opponents	4	311	624	1069	1693	423.2

ALL-PURPOSE

	GP	RUSH	REC	PR	KOR	RET	TOTAL	Avg
Ralph Webb	4	378	13	0	0	0	391	97.8
Darrius Sims	4	0	0	26	365	0	391	97.8
C.J. Duncan	4	2	138	0	69	0	209	52.2
Steven Scheu	4	0	181	0	0	0	181	45.2
Dallas Rivers	4	39	0	0	49	0	88	22.0
L. Rayford	4	0	79	0	0	0	79	19.8
Tre Herndon	4	0	0	0	78	0	78	19.5
Kris Kentera	4	0	64	0	0	0	64	16.0
Davis Dudchock	4	0	49	0	0	0	49	12.2
Jerron Seymour	2	47	0	0	0	0	47	23.5
Trey Wilkins	4	0	46	0	0	0	46	11.5
C. Dorrell	3	0	34	0	0	0	34	11.3
J. Cunningham	3	0	27	0	0	0	27	9.0
S.Weatherly	4	0	0	26	0	0	26	6.5
Trent Sherfield	2	25	0	0	0	0	25	12.5
P. Robinette	3	24	0	0	0	0	24	8.0
Trey Ellis	2	0	0	24	0	0	24	12.0
Nathan Marcus	4	0	0	0	22	0	22	5.5
D. van der Wal	4	0	12	0	0	0	12	3.0
Caleb Scott	4	0	9	0	0	0	9	2.2
Kellen Williams	4	0	5	0	0	0	5	1.2
Wade Freebeck	2	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-1.0
Brian Kimbrow	1	-6	0	0	0	0	-6	-6.0
TEAM	3	-8	0	0	0	0	-8	-2.7
Stephen Rivers	2	-22	0	0	0	0	-22	-11.0
Total	4	477	657	76	583	0	1793	448.2
Opponents	4	624	1069	39	223	149	2104	526.0

FIELD GOALS

	FGM-FGA	%	1-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Lg	Blk
Hayden Lekacz	0-1	0.0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0	0
Tommy Openshaw	3-4	75.0	2-2	1-1	0-1	0-0	30	1

PUNTING

	No.	Yds	Avg	LONG	TB	FC	I-20	Blk
Colby Cooke	23	1020	44.3	62	4	4	8	0
Total	23	1020	44.3	62	4	4	8	0
Opponents	16	589	36.8	58	1	3	2	1

SCORING

	TDs	FGs	PATs					SAF	Pts
			KICK	RUSH	REC	PASS	DXP		
Tommy Openshaw	0	3-4	6-6	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	15
Darrius Sims	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
C.J. Duncan	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	0	0	8
S.Weatherly	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Adam Butler	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Ralph Webb	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Steven Scheu	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Oren Burks	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
P. Robinette	1	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	1-1	0	0	6
Kris Kentera	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Hayden Lekacz	0	0-1	1-1	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	1
D. van der Wal	0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	0
Total	10	3-5	7-7	0-2	1	1-1	0	0	78
Opponents	19	8-10	19-19	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	157

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
Darrius Sims	10	365	36.5	2	100
C.J. Duncan	4	69	17.2	0	19
Tre Herndon	3	78	26.0	0	38
Nathan Marcus	3	22	7.3	0	12
Dallas Rivers	3	49	16.3	0	24
Total	23	583	25.3	2	100
Opponents	9	223	24.8	0	74

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
Darrius Sims	5	26	5.2	0	14
Trey Ellis	3	24	8.0	0	16
S.Weatherly	1	26	26.0	1	11
Total	9	76	8.4	1	16
Opponents	7	39	5.6	0	24

FIELD GOAL SEQUENCE

	VANDERBILT	OPPONENT
Temple	40	(19), (28), 22, (25)
Ole Miss	(26)	(31), (25)
UMass	-	(32), 22
South Carolina	(25),46,(30)	(45),(43)
at Kentucky		
at Georgia		
Charleston Southern		
at Missouri		
Old Dominion		
Florida		
at Miss. State		
Tennessee		

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate successful field goals.

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PASSING

	Com-Att-Yds-TD-Int			
	P. Roinette	S. Rivers	J. McCrary	W. Freebeck
Temple	4-6-38-0-0	12-25-186-0-1	0-3-0-0-2	
Ole Miss	DNP	6-25-60-0-1	DNP	
UMass	15-21-147-1-0	DNP	DNP	1-2-3-0-1
S. Carolina	4-5-55-1-0	DNP	DNP	11-20-168-1-1
at Kentucky				
at Georgia				
Charleston So.				
at Missouri				
Old Dominion				
Florida				
at Miss. State				
Tennessee				
TOTALS	23-32-240-2-0	18-50-246-0-2	0-3-0-0-2	12-22-171-1-2

TOP INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES OF 2014

Category	Player. Opponent
RUSHING YARDS	116, Ralph Webb (UMass)
RUSH ATTEMPTS	26, Ralph Webb (UMass)
PASSING YARDS	181, Stephen Rivers (Temple)
PASS COMPLETIONS	15, Patton Robinette (UMass)
RECEPTIONS	4, 2x last C.J. Duncan (UMass)
RECEIVING YARDS	83, Steven Scheu (South Carolina)
TDS SCORED	2, Darrius Sims (South Carolina)
TOTAL TACKLES	8, 6x Ryan White, Nigel Bowden (South Carolina)
SOLO TACKLES	6, Jahmel McIntosh (Ole Miss)
QB SACKS	2.0, 2x Caleb Azubike (UMass)
TACKLES FOR LOSS	3.0, Caleb Azubike (UMass)
LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN	100, Darrius Sims (South Carolina)
INTERCEPTIONS	None

RUSHING

	#-Yds/TD	TEM	MISS	UMASS	SC	UK	UGA	CSU	MIZZ	ODU	UF	MSTATE	UT
Ralph Webb	77-378/1	14-70/0	18-95/0	26-116/1	19-97/0								
Jerron Seymour	11-47/0	DNP	DNP	5-15/0	6-32/0								
Dallas Rivers	10-39/0	5-16/0	5-23/0	-	-								
Trent Sherfield	1-25/0	DNP	-	DNP	1-25/0								
P. Robinette	13-24/1	5-(-14)/0	DNP	6-35/1	2-3/0								
C.J. Duncan	1-2/0	-	1-2/0	-	-								
Wade Freebeck	3--2/0	DNP	DNP	2-(-5)/0	1-3/0								
Brian Kimbrow	1-(-6)/0	1-(-6)/0	DNP	DNP	DNP								
TEAM	3-(-8)/0	1-(-3)/0	DNP	1-(-1)/0	1-(-4)/0								
Stephen Rivers	4-(-22)/0	3-(-9)/0	1-(-13)/0	DNP	DNP								

RECEIVING

	#-Yds/TD	TEM	MISS	UMASS	SC	UK	UGA	CSU	MIZZ	ODU	UF	MSTATE	UT
Steven Scheu	12-181/1	3-45/0	3-34/0	3-19/1	3-83/0								
C.J. Duncan	7-138/1	2-58/0	-	4-72/0	1-8/1								
L. Rayford	9-79/0	4-43/0	-	2-20/0	3-16/0								
Kris Kentera	4-64/1	-	1-13/0	1-5/0	2-46/1								
Davis Dudchock	3-49/0	1-19/0	-	-	2-30/0								
Trey Wilkins	5-46/0	1-19/0	-	3-15/0	1-12/0								
C. Dorrell	3-34/0	DNP	-	1-10/0	2-24/0								
J. Cunningham	4-27/0	3-19/0	1-8/0	-	DNP								
Ralph Webb	3-13/0	-	-	2-9/0	1-4/0								
D. van der Wal	1-12/0	1-12/0	-	-	-								
Caleb Scott	1-9/0	1-9/0	-	-	-								
Kellen Williams	1-5/0	-	1-5/0	-	-								

PUNT RETURNS

	#-Yds	TEM	MISS	UMASS	SC	UK	UGA	CSU	MIZZ	ODU	UF	MSTATE	UT
S.Weatherly	1-26	-	-	1-26	-								
Darrius Sims	5-26	5-26	-	-	-								
Trey Ellis	3-24	DNP	DNP	2-24	1-0								

KICK RETURNS

	#-Yds	TEM	MISS	UMASS	SC	UK	UGA	CSU	MIZZ	ODU	UF	MSTATE	UT
Darrius Sims	10-365	4-72	-	3-76	3-217								
Tre Herndon	3-78	3-78	-	-	-								
C.J. Duncan	4-69	-	4-69	-	-								
Dallas Rivers	3-49	-	-	1-13	2-36								
Nathan Marcus	3-22	-	-	1-9	2-13								

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DEFENSIVE STATS

#	Name	GP	Tackles			Sacks		Pass Def			Fumbles		Blocked		Saf
			Solo	Ast	Total	TFL/Yds	No-Yards	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Rcv-Yds	FF	Kick		
52	Nigel Bowden	4-4	11	16	27	1.0-5	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
14	Ryan White	4-1	13	7	20	3.5-14	0.5-1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	
45	S.Weatherly	4-2	10	10	20	1.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
5	Torren McGaster	4-3	11	9	20	1.5-5	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	
32	A. Williamson	4-4	14	5	19	1.0-1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
20	Oren Burks	3-3	8	10	18	.	.	4	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	
35	Darreon Herring	4-4	7	10	17	1.0-1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
4	Tre Bell	4-4	12	4	16	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
55	Caleb Azubike	4-3	8	8	16	5.0-26	4.0-25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	Jahmel McIntosh	4-1	9	6	15	1.0-2	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
69	Adam Butler	4-4	6	9	15	3.0-12	1.5-9	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.	
74	Jay Woods	4-2	5	9	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
53	Vince Taylor	4-3	7	6	13	1.5-9	1.0-8	.	1	.	2-3	.	.	.	
92	Kyle Woestmann	3-3	7	5	12	2.5-8	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	
41	Zach Cunningham	4-0	5	6	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
49	Jonathan Wynn	4-2	4	6	10	1.0-8	1.0-8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	Barron Dixon	2-0	6	1	7	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
43	Hawkins Mann	2-0	2	5	7	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
77	Nifae Lealao	4-0	2	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
2	Tre Tarpley	4-0	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
31	Tre Herndon	4-0	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	Jake Sealand	4-0	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	Torey Agee	2-0	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
22	Casey Hughes	3-0	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3	T. Ferguson	4-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	Kellen Williams	4-2	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
82	Kris Kentera	4-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
34	Andrew East	4-0	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
21	Paris Head	2-1	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	Landon Stokes	3-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
40	Ja'karri Thomas	3-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
81	Steven Scheu	4-4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	Emmanuel Smith	2-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Total	4-0	169	160	329	25-95	8-51	.	12	7	5-3	5	1	.	
	Opponents	4-0	114	152	266	15.0-60	7-49	6-149	19	6	5-55	4	1	.	

INDIVIDUAL DEFENSIVE STATS

INTERCEPTIONS/RET.	No.-Yds	TEM	MISS	UMASS	SC	UK	UGA	CSU	MIZZ	ODU	UF	MSTATE	UT
0-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

QB SACKS	UA-A-TOTAL	TEM	MISS	UMASS	SC	UK	UGA	CSU	MIZZ	ODU	UF	MSTATE	UT
Caleb Azubike	4-0-4.0	-	2.0-9	2.0-16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Adam Butler	1-1-1.5	0.5-0	-	-	1.0-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vince Taylor	1-0-1.0	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jonathan Wynn	1-0-1.0	-	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ryan White	0-1-0.5	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TACKLES

	<u>SOLO-ASSISTED-TOTAL</u>	<u>TEM</u>	<u>MISS</u>	<u>UMASS</u>	<u>SC</u>	<u>UK</u>	<u>UGA</u>	<u>CSU</u>	<u>MIZZ</u>	<u>ODU</u>	<u>UF</u>	<u>MSTATE</u>	<u>UT</u>
Nigel Bowden	11-16-27	4-1	0-7	4-3	3-5								
Ryan White	13-7-20	4-1	3-0	3-1	3-5								
S.Weatherly	10-10-20	4-4	3-3	2-3	1-0								
Torren McGaster	11-9-20	3-2	3-1	1-3	4-3								
A. Williamson	14-5-19	4-1	3-1	2-2	5-1								
Oren Burks	8-10-18	4-2	3-4	1-4	DNP								
Darreon Herring	7-10-17	1-1	2-6	3-2	1-1								
Tre Bell	12-4-16	4-1	3-3	5-0	-								
Caleb Azubike	8-8-16	-	3-4	4-3	1-1								
Jahmel McIntosh	9-6-15	1-1	6-2	1-0	1-3								
Adam Butler	6-9-15	1-2	1-3	2-2	2-2								
Jay Woods	5-9-14	2-2	1-3	1-1	1-3								
Vince Taylor	7-6-13	3-3	3-2	-	1-1								
Kyle Woestmann	7-5-12	3-0	3-5	1-0	DNP								
Zach Cunningham	5-6-11	0-1	4-2	1-0	0-3								
Jonathan Wynn	4-6-10	1-1	0-1	3-3	0-1								
Barron Dixon	6-1-7	3-1	DNP	DNP	3-0								
Hawkins Mann	2-5-7	2-2	0-3	DNP	DNP								
Nifae Lealao	2-4-6	1-1	0-1	0-1	1-1								
Tre Tarpley	3-3-6	1-2	-	-	2-1								
Tre Herndon	3-2-5	1-1	-	1-0	1-1								
Jake Sealand	1-4-5	0-2	0-1	1-0	0-1								
Torey Agee	0-4-4	0-3	0-1	DNP	DNP								
Casey Hughes	1-3-4	1-1	0-1	0-1	DNP								
T. Ferguson	3-1-4	-	2-0	-	1-1								
Kellen Williams	2-2-4	1-1	-	0-1	1-0								
Kris Kentera	2-1-3	-	1-0	1-1	-								
Andrew East	1-2-3	0-1	1-0	0-1	-								
Paris Head	2-1-3	DNP	1-1	DNP	1-0								
Landon Stokes	1-1-2	DNP	0-1	1-0	-								
Ja'karri Thomas	1-0-1	-	DNP	-	1-0								
Steven Scheu	1-0-1	1-0	-	-	-								
Emmanuel Smith	1-0-1	DNP	-	DNP	1-0								

FUMBLES

	<u>FF/FR</u>	<u>TEM</u>	<u>MISS</u>	<u>UMASS</u>	<u>SC</u>	<u>UK</u>	<u>UGA</u>	<u>CSU</u>	<u>MIZZ</u>	<u>ODU</u>	<u>UF</u>	<u>MSTATE</u>	<u>UT</u>
Zach Cunningham	1/-	-	1/-	-	-								
Tre Tarpley	1/-	1/-	-	-	-								
Kyle Woestmann	1/-	1/-	-	-	-								
Torren McGaster	1/-	-	-	-	1/-								
Ryan White	1/-	-	-	-	1/-								
Oren Burks	-/1	-/1	-	-	-								
Vince Taylor	-/2	-	-/1	-	-/1								
Jake Sealand	-/1	-/1	-	-	-								
Adam Butler	-/1	-	-	-/1	-								

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STARTERS (OFF.)

	WR	WR	WR/TE/FB	TE	QB	RB	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
Temple	J.Cunningham	Wilkins	Williams (FB)	Scheu	Robinette	Webb	Jelks	Bernstein	Townsend	Pulley	Bridges
Ole Miss	Duncan	Rayford	Williams (FB)	Scheu	Rivers	Webb	Jelks	Bernstein	Townsend	Pulley	Holden
UMass	Duncan	Rayford	Dudchock (TE)	Scheu	Freebeck	Webb	Jelks	Bernstein	Townsend	Pulley	Holden
South Carolina	Wilkins	Marcus (TE)	Dudchock (TE)	Scheu	Robinette	Webb	Jelks	Bernstein	Townsend	Pulley	Holden
at Kentucky											
at Georgia											
Charleston Southern											
at Missouri											
Old Dominion											
Florida											
at Miss. State											
Tennessee											

STARTERS (DEF.)

	OLB	DT	NT	DT	ILB	ILB	OLB	CB	SS	FS	CB
Temple	Woestmann	Butler	J. Woods	White (NB)	Herring	Bowden	Weatherly	Bell	Burks	Williamson	McGaster
Ole Miss	Woestmann	Butler	Taylor	Azubike	Herring	Bowden	Weatherly	Bell	Burks	Williamson	Head
UMass	Woestmann	Butler	Taylor	Azubike	Herring	Bowden	Wynn	Bell	Burks	Williamson	McGaster
South Carolina	Azubike	Butler	Taylor	J. Woods	Herring	Bowden	Wynn	Bell	McIntosh	Williamson	McGaster
at Kentucky											
at Georgia											
Charleston Southern											
at Missouri											
Old Dominion											
Florida											
at Miss. State											
Tennessee											

GAME-BY-GAME TEAM COMPARISONS (NOTE: GAME TOTALS ARE DISPLAYED IN THE FORMAT TEAM/OPPONENT FOR EACH CATEGORY)

	SCORE	1ST DOWNS	RUSHING	PASSING	RUSH Yds	PASS Yds	PLAYS-TOTAL Yds	RET. Yds	TURNOVERS
Temple	L, 7-37	13/17	2/8	11/9	29-59/45-144	219/206	63-278/81-350	174/164	7/2
Ole Miss	L, 3-41	9/34	4/13	4/18	25-107/50-180	60/367	50-167/88-547	72/71	1/1
UMass	W, 34-31	17/20	8/4	8/13	40-160/39-88	150/258	63-310/74-346	148/120	1/1
So. Carolina	L, 34-48	18/24	9/12	8/10	30-156/34-212	223/237	55-379/68-449	266/111	2/1
at Kentucky									
at Georgia									
Charleston So.									
at Missouri									
Old Dominion									
Florida									
at Miss. State									
Tennessee									
Totals	78-157	57/95	23/37	31/50	124-477/168-624	657/1069	231-1134/311-1693	662/466	11/5

GAME-BY-GAME TEAM COMPARISONS (NOTE: GAME TOTALS ARE DISPLAYED IN THE FORMAT TEAM/OPPONENT FOR EACH CATEGORY)

	3RD DOWN	4TH DOWN	TIME POSS	MARGIN	Yds/RUSH	Yds/PASS	Yds/PLAY	PUNTING	PENALTY Yds
Temple	3-14/2-17	0-1/2-4	26:58/33:02	-6:04	2.0/3.2	6.4/5.7	4.4/4.3	7-41.3/7-41.4	7-66/3-22
Ole Miss	4-13/10-15	0-1/1-2	22:34/37:26	-14:52	4.3/3.6	2.4/9.7	3.3/6.2	7-47.6/0-0.0	53/35
UMass	5-12/8-17	0-1/2-2	32:07/27:53	4:14	4.0/2.3	6.5/7.4	4.9/4.7	6-42.3/6-29.3	77/10
So. Carolina	4-10/7-12	0-0/0-0	28:58/31:02	-2:04	5.2/6.2	8.9/7.0	6.9/6.6	3-48.0/3-40.7	75/35
at Kentucky									
at Georgia									
Charleston So.									
at Missouri									
Old Dominion									
Florida									
at Miss. State									
Tennessee									
Totals	16-49/27-61	0-3/5-8	110:37/129:23	-18:46	3.8/3.7	6.1/7.5	4.9/5.4	23-44.3/16-36.8	271/103

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3RD DOWNS

	SCORE	OVERALL	1ST QTR	2ND QTR	3RD QTR	4TH QTR
Temple	L, 7-37	3-14 (21.4%)	0-3 (0.0%)	0-3 (0.0%)	1-3 (33.3%)	2-5 (40.0%)
Ole Miss	L, 3-41	4-13 (30.8%)	0-2 (0.0%)	2-4 (50.0%)	0-2 (0.0%)	2-5 (40.0%)
UMass	W, 34-31	5-12 (41.7%)	0-2 (0.0%)	2-3 (66.7%)	0-2 (0.0%)	3-5 (60.0%)
South Carolina	L, 34-48	4-10 (40.0%)	3-4 (75.0%)	0-2 (0.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)	1-3 (33.3%)
at Kentucky						
at Georgia						
Charleston Southern						
at Missouri						
Old Dominion						
Florida						
at Miss. State						
Tennessee						
Vanderbilt		16-49 (32.7%)	3-11 (27.3%)	4-12 (33.3%)	1-8 (12.5%)	8-18 (44.4%)
Opponents		27-61 (44.3%)	7-16 (43.8%)	6-14 (42.9%)	10-17 (58.8%)	4-14 (28.6%)

4TH DOWNS

	SCORE	OVERALL	1ST QTR	2ND QTR	3RD QTR	4TH QTR
Temple	L, 7-37	0-1 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)
Ole Miss	L, 7-37	0-1 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)
UMass	W, 34-31	0-1 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)
South Carolina	L, 34-48	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)
at Kentucky						
at Georgia						
Charleston Southern						
at Missouri						
Old Dominion						
Florida						
at Miss. State						
Tennessee						
Vanderbilt		0-3 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-3 (0.0%)
Opponents		5-8 (62.5%)	2-2 (100.0%)	1-2 (50.0%)	1-1 (100.0%)	1-3 (33.3%)

VANDERBILT-INSIDE OPPONENT 20-YARD LINE

OPPONENT	SCORE	Times in RZ	Times SCORED	TOTAL PTS	RUSH TDS	PASS TDS	TDS	FG MADE	-----FAILED IN RED ZONE-----						
									FGA	DOWNS	INT	FUMB	HALF	GM	
Temple	L, 7-37	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Ole Miss	L, 3-41	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
UMass	W, 34-31	3	3	22	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Carolina	L, 34-48	4	4	20	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Kentucky															
at Georgia															
Charleston Southern															
at Missouri															
Old Dominion															
Florida															
at Miss. State															
Tennessee															
Totals		11	8	45	5	2	3	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	0

VU Season Totals: 8 of 11 (72.7%)

OPPONENTS-INSIDE VANDERBILT 20-YARD LINE

OPPONENT	SCORE	Times in RZ	Times SCORED	TOTAL PTS	RUSH TDS	PASS TDS	TDS	FG MADE	-----FAILED IN RED ZONE-----						
									FGA	DOWNS	INT	FUMB	HALF	GM	
Temple	L, 7-37	6	5	23	2	1	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ole Miss	L, 3-41	6	6	34	4	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UMass	W, 34-31	5	4	24	3	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Carolina	L, 34-48	3	3	21	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Kentucky															
at Georgia															
Charleston Southern															
at Missouri															
Old Dominion															
Florida															
at Miss. State															
Tennessee															
Opponent Totals		20	18	102	12	8	4	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0

Opponent Season Totals: 18 of 20 (90.0%)

THE LAST TIME.../SCORING DRIVES

THE LAST TIME...

VANDERBILT – INDIVIDUALS

<u>The Last Time...</u>	<u>Player, Date</u>
Player scored 3 TDs	Jerron Seymour, at Florida (3, 11/9/2013)
Player scored 4 TDs or more	Earl Bennett, vs. Kentucky (5, 11/12/2005)
QB passes for 3 TDs	Chris Nickson, vs. Kentucky (3, 11/15/2008)
QB passes for 4 & more TDs	Jay Cutler, vs. Kentucky (5, 11/12/2005)
QB passed for 200+ yards	Carta-Samuels, vs. Wake Forest (231, 11/30/2013)
QB passed for 300+ yards.....	Carta-Samuels, vs. Missouri (338, 10/5/2013)
QB passed for 400+ yards.....	Chris Nickson, at Kentucky (446, 11/11/2006)
70-yard (+) reception	Rodgers-Matthews, vs. Tennessee (71, 11/17/2012)
Rushed for 100+ yards	Ralph Webb, vs. UMass (116, 9/13/2014)
Rushed for 200+ yards	Frank Mordica, vs. Air Force (321, 11/18/1978)
Rushed for 300+ yards	Frank Mordica, vs. Air Force (321, 11/18/1978)
70-yard (+) rush	Zac Stacy, at Wake Forest (90, 11/24/2012)
Rushed for 3 (+) TD	Jerron Seymour, at Florida (3, 11/9/2013)
Receiver had 100+ yards.....	Jordan Matthews, vs. Houston (143, 1/4/2014)
Receiver had 200+ yards.....	Earl Bennett, vs. Richmond (223, 9/1/2007)
Had three (+) TD receptions	Earl Bennett, vs. Richmond, (3, 9/1/2007)
Returned kickoff for TD	Darrius Sims, vs. South Carolina (100, 9/120/2014)
Returned punt for TD	Jonathan Krause, at Wake Forest (83, 11/24/2012)
Returned INT for TD	Trey Wilson, vs. UMass (17, 10/27/2012)
Fumble return for TD.....	Adam Butler, vs. UMass (0, 9/13/2014)
Kicked three or more FGs	Carey Spear, vs. Wake Forest (3, 11/30/2013)
Kicked 50-yard (+) FG.....	Carey Spear, at South Carolina (54, 9/14/2013)
Had 70-yard (+) punt.....	Taylor Hudson, at South Carolina (75, 9/14/2013)
Blocked opponent punt	Andrew Williamson, at Wake Forest (11/24/2012)
Returned blocked punt for TD	Stephen Weatherly, vs. UMass (11, 9/13/2014)
Blocked opponent FG	Adam Butler, at Tennessee (11/23/2013)
Blocked a PAT attempt	Adam Butler, vs. Kentucky (11/16/2013)
Scored on safety	Team, at Missouri (10/6/2012)

VANDERBILT – TEAM

<u>The Last Time...</u>	<u>Opponent, Date</u>
Achieved 30 (+) first downs.....	vs. Western Carolina (33, 9/5/2009)
Topped 500+ Yards in Total Offense	vs. UAB (540, 9/28/2013)
300 or more passing yards.....	vs. Missouri (338, 10/5/2013)
400 or more passing yards.....	vs. Kentucky (446, 11/11/2006)
Rushed for 200+ yards.....	vs. Houston, (211, 1/4/2014)
Rushed for 300+ yards.....	vs. Presbyterian (410, 9/15/2012)
Rushed for 400+ yards.....	vs. Presbyterian (410, 9/15/2012)
Scored 40 points or more.....	vs. Houston, (41, 1/4/2014)
Held foe under 100 total yards.....	vs. Chattanooga (93, 9/6/2003)
Held foe between 100-200 total yards.....	vs. Austin Peay (139, 9/7/2013)
Held foe under 100 rushing yards	vs. UMass (88, 9/13/2014)
Held foe under 100 passing yards	at Tennessee (53, 11/23/2013)
Held foe scoreless	at Kentucky (40-0, 11/3/2012)

SCORING DRIVES

<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Plays</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Culminating Play</u>
OLE MISS	4	(-4)	0:48	Openshaw 26-yd FG
UMASS	9	51	4:50	Robinette 1-yd run
UMASS	11	68	3:37	Scheu 3-yd pass from Robinette
UMASS	3	53	0:54	Webb 4-yd run
S. CAROLINA	8	60	4:47	Duncan 8-yd pass from Robinette
S. CAROLINA	10	88	6:19	Openshaw 25-yd FG
S. CAROLINA	5	17	1:31	Openshaw 30-yd FG
S. CAROLINA	4	70	0:38	Kentera 7-yd pass from Freebeck

2014 GAME RECAPS

COMMODORES UPSET IN OPENER; TURNOVERS PROVE TOO MUCH

NASHVILLE – Vanderbilt's Derek Mason made his head coaching debut a little later than he anticipated.

Mason will have to wait even longer to get his first win.

P.J. Walker threw two touchdown passes and ran for a third score as Temple forced seven turnovers to upset Vanderbilt 37-7 in a lightning-delayed game that ended Friday at 1:14 a.m. Central time.

GAME 1 AUG. 28, 2014 NASHVILLE

Temple earned its first victory over a Southeastern Conference team since beating Florida in 1938. The Owls also spoiled the head coaching debut of Mason, the former Stanford defensive coordinator hired after James Franklin left for Penn State.

"It was a rough night at the office," Mason said.

Vanderbilt's turnovers made the difference.

Temple had 13 takeaways all of last year while going 2-10, but the Owls continually managed to force Vanderbilt into mistakes. The Owls picked off three passes to match the Temple defense's 2013 interception total. All but 10 of Temple's 37 points came off turnovers.

SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
TEMPLE	7	14	13	3	37	1-0
VANDERBILT	0	7	0	0	7	0-1

- 1st:** TU: SHIPPEN 35-yd pass from WALKER (JONES kick), 4-40 1:38.
2nd: VANDY: Burks 0-yd fumble recovery (Lebaczk kick). TU: FITZPATRICK 18-yd pass from WALKER (JONES kick), 9-64 2:15. TU: ROBINSON 55-yd fumble recovery (JONES kick).
3rd: TU: JONES 19-yd field goal, 6-30 2:12. TU: WALKER 3-yd run (JONES kick), 6-37 1:42. TU: JONES 28-yd field goal, 4-4 2:24.
4th: TU: MAYES 25-yd field goal, 8-54 3:51.

STATISTICS	TEMPLE	VANDERBILT
FIRST DOWNS	17	13
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	45-144	29-59
PASSING YDS (NET)	206	219
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	36-23-0	34-16-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	81-350	63-278
FUMBLE RETURNS-YARDS	1-55	0-0
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	2-6	5-25
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	2-48	7-149
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	3-55	0-0
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	7-41.4	7-41.3
FUMBLES-LOST	3-2	5-4
PENALTIES-YARDS	3-22	7-66
POSSESSION TIME	33:02	26:58
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	2 OF 17	3 OF 14
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	2 OF 4	0 OF 1
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	5-6	0-2
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	4-26	1-1

RUSHING: TU-GILMORE 9-66; THOMAS 12-33; HARPER 8-21; WALKER 8-20; WILLIAMS 7-17; TEAM 1-(-13). VANDY-Ralph Webb 14-70; Dallas Rivers 5-21; TEAM 1-(-3); Brian Kimbrow 1-(-6); Stephen Rivers 3-(-9); P. Robinette 5-(-14).
PASSING: TU-WALKER, P.J. 23-34-0-206; REILLY, Connor 0-2-0-0. VANDY-Stephen Rivers 12-25-1-181; P. Robinette 4-6-0-38; Johnny McCrary 0-3-2-0.
RECEIVING: TU-HAIRSTON, Nate 7-48; FITZPATRICK, J 5-45; HERBIN, Khalif 5-39; SHIPPEN, Brandon 2-60; THOMAS, Jahad 1-5; OMUSO, Wanemi 1-4; DELOATCH, Romond 1-3; HARPER, Kenneth 1-2. VANDY-L. Rayford 4-43; Steven Scheu 3-45; J. Cunningham 3-19; C.J. Duncan 2-58; Davis Dudchuck 1-19; Trey Wilkins 1-19; D. van der Wal 1-12; Caleb Scott 1-4.

VANDY STRUGGLES VS. OLE MISS, DROPS SEC OPENER

NASHVILLE – Vanderbilt is adjusting to a new coach and an all-new coaching staff while looking for a new quarterback. They're also playing lots of very young Commodores, and so far the results have been downright ugly.

The Commodores gave up 547 yards of total offense in a game where they didn't cross midfield until late in the third quarter of a 41-3 loss Saturday to 15th-ranked Mississippi in the Southeastern Conference opener for both teams.

GAME 2 SEPT. 6, 2014 NASHVILLE (LP FIELD)

Mason still is looking for his inaugural win at a program that went 9-4 and finished in the Top 25 each of the past two seasons. The Commodores have yet to score their first offensive touchdown and have been outscored 78-10.

Mason played 25 freshmen and redshirt freshmen against Ole Miss and promised the Commodores (0-2) will be better in two weeks than they were today.

"We're just fighting through the growing pains of being young," he said.

SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
OLE MISS	10	10	21	0	41	2-0, 1-0
VANDERBILT	0	0	0	3	3	0-2, 0-1

- 1st:** OLE MISS: Walton 20-yd run (Fletcher kick), 11-75 4:32.
 OLE MISS: Fletcher 31-yd FG, 12-67 5:16.
2nd: OLE MISS: Fletcher 25-yd FGm 15-72 5:52.
 OLE MISS: Core 20-yd pass from Wallace (Fletcher kick), 7-73 2:11.
3rd: OLE MISS: Coleman 39-yd INT return (Fletcher kick).
 OLE MISS: Kincade 2-yd run (Fletcher kick), 13-68 5:20.
4th: VANDY: Openshaw 26-yd FG, 4-(-4) 0:48.

STATISTICS	OLE MISS	VANDERBILT
FIRST DOWNS	34	9
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	50-180	25-107
PASSING YDS (NET)	367	60
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	38-28-0	25-6-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	88-547	50-167
FUMBLE RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	1-3
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	3-32	0-0
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	4-69
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	1-39	0-0
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	0-0.0	7-47.6
FUMBLES-LOST	1-1	0-0
PENALTIES-YARDS	5-35	7-53
POSSESSION TIME	37:26	22:34
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	10 OF 15	4 OF 13
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	1 OF 2	0 OF 1
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	6-6	1-2
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	1-13	3-17

RUSHING: OM-Jaylen Walton 8-35; Eugene Brazley 6-34; Jordan Wilkins 5-27; I. Mathers 6-20; Mark Dodson 7-20; Ryan Buchanan 2-18; DeVante Kincade 5-16; Jeremy Liggins 4-9; Bo Wallace 7-1. VANDY-Ralph Webb 18-95; Dallas Rivers 5-23; C.J. Duncan 1-2; Stephen Rivers 1-(-13).
PASSING: OM-Bo Wallace 23-30-0-320; Ryan Buchanan 4-7-0-38; DeVante Kincade 1-1-0-9. VANDY-Stephen Rivers 6-25-1-60.
RECEIVING: OM-Evan Engram 7-112; Vince Sanders 5-64; Q. Adebeyejo 5-57; Cody Core 4-85; L. Treadwell 4-31; Q. Burdette 1-7; Jordan Wilkins 1-6; I. Mathers 1-5. VANDY-Steven Scheu 3-34; Kris Kentera 1-13; J. Cunningham 1-8; Kellen Williams 1-5.

MASON GETS FIRST COACHING WIN AS COMMODORES RALLY TO BEAT UMASS

NASHVILLE – It wasn't easy, but Vanderbilt's Derek Mason got his first win as a head coach on Saturday against Massachusetts.

And he knows what it means to a lot of people. "I'm so proud of our team," Mason said. "I'm so proud of our coaches. I'm so proud of our fan base. For me, it's joy and excitement. (Wins) are tough to come by."

Ralph Webb scored on a 4-yard run with 1:08 remaining to give Vanderbilt (1-2) a come-from-behind 34-31 win. The winning score was set up on a 36-yard completion from Patton Robinette to C.J. Duncan.

GAME 3

SEPT. 13, 2014

NASHVILLE

UMass (0-3) drove to the Vanderbilt 4-yard line only to have Blake Lucas miss a 22-yard

field-goal attempt to the left with 2 seconds remaining.

Robinette threw for 147 yards and a touchdown while connecting on 15 of 21 attempts.

SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
UMASS	14	10	7	0	31	0-3
VANDERBILT	0	20	0	14	34	1-2, 0-1

1st: UMASS: Mills, R. 13-yd pass from Frohnapfel, B. (Lucas, B. kick), 12-76 4:50.

UMASS: Mills, R. 53-yd pass from McDonald, B. (Lucas, B. kick), 4-58 1:46.

2nd: VANDY: P. Robinette 1-yd run (Openshaw kick), 9-51 4:50. UMASS: Lucas, B. 32-yd field goal, 4-8 1:07. VANDY: Butler 0-yd fumble recovery (van der Wal rush failed). UMASS: Woodley, L. 2-yd run (Lucas, B. kick), 9-78 2:56. VANDY: Scheu 3-yd pass from P. Robinette (Openshaw kick), 11-68 3:37.

3rd: UMASS: Woodley, L. 2-yd run (Lucas, B. kick), 10-66 4:05.

4th: VANDY: S.Weatherly 11-yd blocked punt return (P. Robinette rush failed).

VANDY: Webb 4-yd run (Duncan pass from P. Robinette), 3-53 0:54.

STATISTICS

	UMASS	VANDERBILT
FIRST DOWNS	20	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	39-88	40-160
PASSING YDS (NET)	258	150
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	35-18-0	23-16-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	74-346	63-310
FUMBLE RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	0-0
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	1-0	3-50
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	4-118	5-98
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	1-2	0-0
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	6-29.3	6-42.3
FUMBLES-LOST	2-1	2-0
PENALTIES-YARDS	2-10	9-77
POSSESSION TIME	27:53	32:07
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	8 OF 17	5 OF 12
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	2 OF 2	0 OF 1
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	4-5	3-3
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	1-3	3-24

RUSHING: UMASS-Woodley, L. 22-43; Long, E. 2-23; Wilson, J. 4-18;

Broadnax, J. 3-14; Michel, M. 1-5; TEAM 1-(-1); Frohnapfel, B. 6-(-14).

VANDY-Ralph Webb 26-116; P. Robinette 6-35; Jerron Seymour 5-15; TEAM 1-(-1); Wade Freebeck 2-(-5).

PASSING: UMASS-Frohnapfel, B. 17-34-0-205; McDonald, B. 1-1-0-53.

VANDY-P. Robinette 15-21-0-147; Freebeck 1-2-1-3.

RECEIVING: UMASS-Sharpe, T. 8-73; Mills, R. 3-76; Woodley, L. 2-41; Howard, B. 1-22; Michel, M. 1-13; Williams, J. 1-12; Wilson, J. 1-11; Sifrin, J. 1-10. VANDY-C.J. Duncan 4-72; Steven Scheu 3-19; Trey Wilkins 3-15; L. Rayford 2-20; Ralph Webb 2-9; C. Dorrell 1-10; Kris Kentera 1-5.

EARLY LEAD, SIMS' BIG DAY NOT ENOUGH IN LOSS TO SOUTH CAROLINA

NASHVILLE – Derek Mason is playing more combined freshman than any other coach in the country, and his Vanderbilt Commodores finally showed signs they're starting to grow up.

They may get even younger if Mason has to go with freshman Wade Freebeck at quarterback.

Darius Sims returned two kickoffs for touchdowns, tying an NCAA record in the Football Bowl Subdivision, and Freebeck replaced Patton Robinette at quarterback as Vanderbilt blew a 14-0 lead in losing 48-34 to No. 14 South Carolina on Saturday night.

GAME 4

SEPT. 20, 2014

NASHVILLE

"It was our best overall game," Mason said.

"We are a young, good football team with veterans leading the way. We need to tighten down what we do."

Robinette left after the first quarter and did not return after he was 4 of 5 for 55 yards passing with a touchdown. Freebeck was 11 of 20 for 168 yards and a touchdown, but he also was intercepted just before halftime with Brison Williams returning the pick 53 yards for a TD.

SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
SOUTH CAROLINA	0	17	10	21	48	3-1, 2-1
VANDERBILT	14	0	10	10	34	1-3, 0-2

1st: VANDY: Sims 91 yd kickoff return (Openshaw kick). VANDY: Duncan 8-yd pass from P. Robinette (Openshaw kick), 8-60 4:47.

2nd: SC: Fry 45-yd field goal, 9-50 2:58. SC: Byrd 29-yd pass from Thompson (Fry kick), 7-79 3:08. SC: Williams 53-yd interception return (Fry kick).

3rd: SC: Roland 29 yd pass from Thompson (Fry kick), 11-75 5:01. VANDY: Sims 100-yd kickoff return (Openshaw kick). SC: Fry 43-yd field goal, 9-41 2:57. VANDY: Openshaw 25 yd field goal, 10-88 6:19.

4th: SC: Jones 7-yd pass from Thompson (Fry kick), 10-61 4:43. VANDY: Openshaw 30-yd field goal, 5-17 1:31. SC: Thompson 1-yd run (Fry kick), 3-75 1:29. SC: Williams 2-yd run (Fry kick), 5-26 2:56. VANDY: Kentera 7-yd pass from Freebeck (Openshaw kick), 4-70 0:38.

STATISTICS

	S. CAROLINA	VANDERBILT
FIRST DOWNS	24	18
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	34-212	30-156
PASSING YDS (NET)	237	223
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	34-22-0	25-15-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	68-449	55-379
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	1-1	1-0
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	3-57	7-266
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	1-53	0-0
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	3-40.7	3-48.0
FUMBLES-LOST	3-1	2-1
PENALTIES-YARDS	5-35	7-75
POSSESSION TIME	31:02	28:58
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	7 OF 12	4 OF 10
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	3-3	4-4
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	1-7	1-9

RUSHING: SC-Davis 17-82; Cooper 2-74; Williams 4-25; Brandon Wilds 3-23; Carson 3-16; TEAM 1-(-1); Thompson 4-(-7). VANDY-Ralph Webb 19-97; Jerron Seymour 6-32; Trent Sherfield 1-25; P. Robinette 2-3; Wade Freebeck 1-3; TEAM 1-(-4).

PASSING: SC-Dylan Thompson 22-34-0-237. VANDY-Wade Freebeck 11-20-1-168; P. Robinette 4-5-0-55.

RECEIVING: SC-Cooper 10-114; Davis 4-30; Jones 3-15; Roland 2-33; Byrd 1-29; Anderson 1-9; Brandon Wilds 1-7. VANDY-Steven Scheu 3-83; L. Rayford 3-16; Kris Kentera 2-46; Davis Dudchock 2-30; C. Dorrell 2-24; Trey Wilkins 1-12; C.J. Duncan 1-8; Ralph Webb 1-4.