

# Ole Miss

2008. **REBEL**. FOOTBALL

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## OLE MISS (2-1, 0-0) vs. VANDERBILT (3-0, 1-0)

SEC Opener | 09.20.2008 | Oxford, Miss.



**TIME:** September 20, 2008, 6 p.m. CT

**SITE (CAPACITY):** Vaught-Hemingway Stadium/  
Hollingsworth Field (60,580); Oxford, Miss.

**TV:** There is no live TV for this game. The CSS replay of the game will be Sunday at 1 p.m. CT (Richard Cross, play-by-play; Harry Harrison, color analyst).

**RADIO:** Ole Miss Radio Network (David Kellum, play-by-play; Pete Cordelli, color analyst; Stan Sandroni, sideline reporter). XM Satellite Radio channel 141.

**WEB:** [OleMissSports.com](http://OleMissSports.com) will provide live audio, live stats and an in-game blog for the game. The official Rebel athletics website will also provide a full game recap, photo gallery and postgame video coverage at the game's conclusion.

**POLLS:** Ole Miss does not appear in the top-25 rankings, while Vanderbilt is receiving votes in both polls.

**SERIES INFO:** This game will be the 82nd meeting between Ole Miss and Vanderbilt dating back to 1894. The Rebels lead the series 46-34-2 and have won 12 of the last 15 meetings since 1992, despite last year's 31-17 setback in Nashville. The Rebels hold a 22-3 advantage in games played in Oxford and have won four straight, including the 17-10 victory in 2006. Ole Miss leads 46-16-2 in SEC games versus VU. The Commodores last win in Oxford came in 1999 when they won 37-34 in overtime. Vanderbilt won the first 19 games in the series, with Ole Miss having won 46 of the last 63 games played between the two teams (*see All-Time Series Results on page 2*).

**WHAT TO WATCH FOR:** The Rebels are competing for their 600th win as a football program ... Ole Miss is shooting for its first 3-1 start since 2002 ... The Rebels are opening SEC play in Oxford for the first time since 2002 ... Ole Miss is kicking off league play with Vanderbilt for the fifth time in the last seven seasons ... The Rebel offense is averaging 34.4 points in its first three games under **Houston Nutt** ... The Ole Miss offensive line has allowed just one sack this season.

**OLE MISS HEAD COACH HOUSTON NUTT:** **Houston Nutt** (Oklahoma State, 1981) is in his first season at the Ole Miss helm, after being named the University's 36th head football coach on Nov. 28, 2007. During his 10 years as the head coach at Arkansas, Nutt guided the Razorbacks to eight bowl berths, three SEC Western Division titles, two SEC Championship game appearances and an average of more than seven wins per season. He also served head coaching stints at Boise State and Murray State, where he captured two OVC Championships. Nutt is 1-1 against Vanderbilt as a head coach, defeating the Commodores 21-19 in 2006 in Nashville and falling 28-24 in 2005 in Fayetteville (*see page 3 for more info on Nutt and the coaching staff*).

**VANDERBILT HEAD COACH BOBBY JOHNSON:** **Bobby Johnson** (Clemson, 1972) is in his seventh year as the head coach of the Commodores. He is 23-50 at Vanderbilt and has a career mark of 83-86 in his 15th season as a collegiate head coach. Prior to coming to Vanderbilt, Johnson spent eight seasons at Division I-AA Furman, guiding the Paladins to a 60-36 record with four trips to the Division I-AA playoffs. Johnson is 2-4 against Ole Miss.

**VANDERBILT SCOUTING REPORT:** The Commodores are 3-0 for the first time since the 2005 season. It is only the second time the team has accomplished the feat since the 1984 season. Vanderbilt ranks second in the SEC rushing offense as senior QB Chris Nickson (89.3 ypg, five TDs) and junior RB Jared Hawkins (80.7 ypg, three TDs) both rank among the league leaders. The top rushing signal caller in the conference, Nickson has also completed 24-of-45 passes for 252 yards, two TDs and no interceptions. Defensively, the Dores tops the SEC in sacks with 10 and rank second in interceptions with six. Junior LB Patrick Benoist is the league's top tackler with 30 total stops.

### 2008 VANDERBILT SCHEDULE

08/28	at Miami (Ohio)	W, 34-13
09/04	SOUTH CAROLINA*	W, 24-17
09/13	RICE	W, 38-21
09/20	at Ole Miss*	6 p.m. CT
10/04	AUBURN*	TBA
10/11	at Mississippi State*	TBA
10/18	at Georgia*	TBA
10/25	DUKE	TBA
11/08	FLORIDA*	TBA
11/15	at Kentucky*	TBA
11/22	TENNESSEE*	TBA
11/29	at Wake Forest	TBA

\*. SEC Game

HOME GAMES IN CAPS

**FLORIDA GAME PICKED UP FOR TV:** The Sept. 27 Ole Miss-Florida game is set for an 11:30 a.m. CT kickoff in Gainesville and will be televised by Raycom Sports. This will mark the Rebels' second TV game of the year and 162nd all-time.

## 2008 OLE MISS SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	SERIES INFORMATION
AUGUST 30	MEMPHIS	OXFORD	W, 41-24	Rebels score most points since 2003
September 6	at #20/20 Wake Forest (ABC)	Winston-Salem, N.C.	L, 28-30	Rebels lead by 1 with 1:01 remaining
SEPTEMBER 13	SAMFORD	OXFORD	W, 34-10	Rebels score 31 unanswered points
SEPTEMBER 20	VANDERBILT*	OXFORD	6 PM	OLE MISS LEADS 46-34-2
September 27	at Florida* (RAYCOM)	Gainesville, Fla.	11:30 AM	Ole Miss leads 11-10-1
OCTOBER 4	SOUTH CAROLINA* (HC)	OXFORD	TBA	OLE MISS LEADS 8-5-0
October 18	at Alabama*	Tuscaloosa	TBA	Alabama leads 44-9-2
October 25	at Arkansas*	Fayetteville, Ark.	TBA	Arkansas leads 29-24-1
NOVEMBER 1	AUBURN*	OXFORD	TBA	AUBURN LEADS 24-8-0
NOVEMBER 15	LOUISIANA-MONROE	OXFORD	TBA	OLE MISS LEADS 2-0-0
November 22	at LSU*	Baton Rouge, La.	TBA	LSU leads 55-37-4
NOVEMBER 28	MISSISSIPPI STATE* (RAYCOM)	OXFORD	11:30 AM	OLE MISS LEADS 59-39-6

\* - SEC game

(HC) - Homecoming

All Times Central and Subject to Change

**TEAM STATISTICS**

OLE MISS	OPPONENT	CATEGORY	VANDERBILT	OPPONENT
63	64	First Downs	54	58
29	22	By Rushing	39	23
31	32	By Passing	13	34
3	10	By Penalty	0	3
15-155	16-115	Penalties-Yards	9-95	18-111
5-1	3-1	Fumbles-Lost	4-3	4-2
102	112	Rushing Attempts	134	88
303	342	Rushing Yards	677	296
5.1	3.1	Yards Per Rush	5.1	3.4
173.0	114.3	Rushing Yards Per Game	225.7	98.7
81-45	112-72	Pass Attempts-Completions	45-24	121-67
703	656	Passing Yards	252	776
234.3	218.7	Passing Yards Per Game	84.0	258.7
183	224	Total Offensive Plays	179	209
1222	999	Total Offense	929	1072
407.3	333.0	Total Offense Per Game	309.7	357.3
103	64	Total Points	96	51

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

OLE MISS	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
<b>Rushing</b>				
Brandon Bolden	24	161	6.7	2
Cordera Eason	31	118	3.8	1
Dexter McCluster	7	71	10.1	1
Enrique Davis	18	61	3.4	2
<b>Passing</b>	<b>Att.</b>	<b>Comp.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>TD/Int.</b>
Jevan Snead	77	43	660	6/3
<b>Receiving</b>	<b>Rec.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>TD</b>
Dexter McCluster	10	163	16.3	1
Shay Hodge	8	176	22.0	3
Mike Wallace	8	151	18.9	0
<b>Punting</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Long</b>
Rob Park	10	384	38.4	58
<b>Punt Returns</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Long</b>
Marshay Green	3	95	31.7	77(TD)
<b>KO Returns</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Long</b>
Brandon Bolden	6	94	15.7	28
<b>Scoring</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>PAT</b>	<b>Total</b>
Joshua Shene	0	4-4	13-13	25
Shay Hodge	3	0-0	0-0	18
<b>Tackles</b>	<b>UT-AT</b>	<b>TT</b>	<b>TFL</b>	<b>Other</b>
Jamarca Sanford	17-8	25	0.5-0	1 FF
Kendrick Lewis	11-10	21	0.5-1	4 PD
Cassius Vaughn	9-6	15	2.0-10	1.0 Sck
Jonathan Cornell	8-3	11	3.5-10	1.0 Sck

VANDERBILT	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
<b>Rushing</b>				
Chris Nickson	49	268	5.5	5
Jared Hawkins	50	242	4.8	3
<b>Passing</b>	<b>Att.</b>	<b>Comp.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>TD/Int.</b>
Chris Nickson	45	24	252	2/0
<b>Receiving</b>	<b>Rec.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>TD</b>
Sean Walker	6	93	15.5	1
Brandon Barden	4	64	16.0	1
Jamie Graham	4	21	5.2	0
<b>Punting</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Long</b>
Brett Upton	14	522	37.3	49
<b>Punt Returns</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Long</b>
D.J. Moore	7	203	29.0	91
<b>KO Returns</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Long</b>
Sean Walker	5	115	23.0	31
<b>Scoring</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>PAT</b>	<b>Total</b>
Chris Nickson	5	0-0	0-0	30
Bryant Hahnfeldt	0	4-4	12-12	24
<b>Tackles</b>	<b>UT-AT</b>	<b>TT</b>	<b>TFL</b>	<b>Other</b>
Patrick Benoist	12-18	30	3.0-9	1 sck
Ryan Hamilton	10-14	24	—	1 PB
Myron Lewis	14-7	21	2.0-17	2 scks
D.J. Moore	5-8	13	2.0-10	2 int

**PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

**September 15, 2007 - Vanderbilt 31, Ole Miss 17 at Nashville**  
Chris Nickson threw for 200 yards and ran for 78 and a TD to lead Vanderbilt over the Rebels. Cassen Jackson-Garrison paced the Commodore running game as he ran for 127 yards and three TDs. Brent Schaeffer relieved quarterback Seth Adams in the fourth quarter and brought the Rebels to within one score, 17-24, but then failed to complete a pass on Ole Miss' following drive. Mike Wallace led the Rebels as he hauled in 4 catches for 139 yards and two TDs.

**September 17, 2005 - Ole Miss 17, Vanderbilt 10 at Oxford**  
BenJarvus Green-Ellis ran for 101 yards and two second-quarter TDs and Charles Clark had a game-saving interception in a 17-10 Ole Miss victory. Vandy QB Chris Nickson was 11-of-13 for 95 yards and directed the 'Dores to their only TD before leaving late in the first half with an ankle injury. Ole Miss LB Rory Johnson had 16 tackles, forced three fumbles and broke up a pass.

**September 17, 2005 - Vanderbilt 31, Ole Miss 23 at Nashville**  
Jay Cutler threw for 314 yards and ran for another 58, leading Vanderbilt to a 31-23 victory over Ole Miss. Vanderbilt came into its home opener after winning two road games and looked ready to rout

the Rebels, leading 24-3 at half. But Ole Miss scored 20 straight points in the second half and had a chance to tie the game after Mike Espy's 51-yard punt return for a touchdown.

**September 18, 2004 - Ole Miss 26, Vanderbilt 23 (OT) at Oxford**  
Jonathan Nichols drilled a 35-yard field goal in overtime as the Rebels scored 16 unanswered points to rally for a 26-23 victory over Vanderbilt. QB Ethan Flatt was 4-of-4 for 39 yards to engineer a 10-play, 56-yard drive that resulted in Nichols' 34-yard field goal with 2:23 remaining in regulation to tie the game at 23-23. RB Vashon Pearson netted 111 yards on 17 carries, including a 54-yard TD run that gave the Rebels a 10-3 lead. After Pearson's TD run, Vanderbilt scored 20 straight points to build a 23-10 lead with 7:20 left in the third quarter, when the Rebels began their comeback.

**August 30, 2003 - Ole Miss 24, Vanderbilt 21 at Nashville**  
Jonathan Nichols' 54-yard FG with 3:52 left capped 10 unanswered points by Ole Miss as the Rebels rallied for a 24-21 win in the season opener. Vanderbilt took a 21-14 lead early in the fourth quarter before the Rebels tied it on Eli Manning's 23-yard TD pass to Mike Espy with 9:53 remaining.

**TOP REBEL PERFORMANCES VS. VANDERBILT**

**INDIVIDUAL**  
Rushing Yards: Stephen Hindman, 30-215, 2 TDs (11-25-1967)  
Passing Yards: Eli Manning, 41-24-0-386, 2 TDs (9-21-2002)  
Total Offense: Eli Manning, 396 (10 rush, 386 pass) (9-21-2002)  
Receptions: Bill Flowers, 10-75 (9-18-2004) and LeMay Thomas, 10-130, TD (10-28-1995)  
Receiving Yards: Eddie Small, 6-210, 2 TDs (9-18-1993)  
All-Purpose Yards: Deuce McAllister, 215 (9-16-2000)

**TEAM**  
Points Scored: 63 (W, 63-28), 1979 in Oxford  
Points Allowed: 91 (L, 0-91), 1915 at Memphis

**SERIES HISTORY**

Ole Miss leads 46-34-2

In SEC games: ..... Ole Miss leads 46-16-2  
In Oxford: ..... Ole Miss leads 22-3  
In Nashville: ..... Vanderbilt leads 26-20-2  
In Memphis: ..... Vanderbilt leads 5-3  
In Jackson: ..... Ole Miss leads 1-0

Year	Site	Score	Year	Site	Score
1894	Nashville	...L, 0-40	1966	Jackson	...W, 34-0
1899	Memphis	...L, 0-11	1967	Nashville	...W, 28-7
1900	Nashville	...L, 0-6	1970	Nashville	...W, 26-16
1902	Nashville	...L, 0-29	1971	Oxford	...W, 28-7
1903	Nashville	...L, 0-33	1972	Nashville	...W, 31-7
1904	Nashville	...L, 0-69	1973	Oxford	...W, 24-14
1906	Nashville	...L, 0-29	1974	Nashville	...L, 14-24
1907	Nashville	...L, 0-60	1975	Oxford	...W, 17-7
1908	Nashville	...L, 0-29	1976	Nashville	...W, 20-3
1909	Nashville	...L, 0-17	1977	Oxford	...W, 26-14
1910	Nashville	...L, 2-9	1978	Nashville	...W, 35-10
1911	Nashville	...L, 0-21	1979	Oxford	...W, 63-28
1912	Nashville	...L, 0-24	1980	Nashville	...W, 27-14
1915	Memphis	...L, 0-91	1981	Oxford	...L, 23-27
1916	Nashville	...L, 0-35	1982	Nashville	...L, 10-19
1925	Nashville	...L, 0-7	1983	Oxford	...W, 21-14
1929	Nashville	...L, 7-19	1984	Nashville	...L, 20-37
1930	Nashville	...L, 0-24	1985	Oxford	...W, 35-7
1938	Nashville	...L, 7-13	1986	Nashville	...W, 28-12
1939	Memphis	...W, 14-7	1987	Oxford	...W, 42-14
1940	Nashville	...W, 13-7	1988	Nashville	...W, 36-28
1942	Memphis	...L, 0-19	1989	Oxford	...W, 24-16
1945	Nashville	...W, 14-7	1990	Nashville	...W, 14-13
1946	Memphis	...L, 0-7	1991	Oxford	...L, 27-30
1947	Nashville	...L, 6-10	1992	Nashville	...L, 9-31
1948	Oxford	...W, 20-7	1993	Oxford	...W, 49-7
1949	Nashville	...L, 27-28	1994	Nashville	...W, 20-14
1950	Nashville	...L, 14-20	1995	Oxford	...W, 21-10
1951	Memphis	...L, 20-34	1996	Nashville	...W, 20-9
1952	Nashville	...T, 21-21	1997	Oxford	...W, 15-3
1953	Oxford	...W, 28-6	1998	Nashville	...W, 30-6
1954	Nashville	...W, 22-7	1999	Oxford	...L, 34-37 (ot)
1955	Memphis	...W, 13-0	2000	Nashville	...W, 12-7
1956	Oxford	...W, 16-0	2001	Oxford	...W, 38-27
1957	Nashville	...W, 28-0	2002	Oxford	...W, 45-38
1959	Nashville	...W, 33-0	2003	Nashville	...W, 24-21
1960	Nashville	...W, 26-0	2004	Oxford	...W, 26-23 (ot)
1961	Oxford	...W, 47-0	2005	Nashville	...L, 23-31
1962	Memphis	...W, 35-0	2006	Oxford	...W, 17-10
1963	Oxford	...W, 27-7	2007	Nashville	...L, 17-31
1964	Nashville	...T, 7-7			
1965	Oxford	...W, 24-7			

## NUTT BREAKDOWN

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

**BORN:** Oct. 14, 1957

**FAMILY:** Wife Diana (Thomas); twin daughters Hailey and Hanna (9/26/88); daughter Haven (3/19/91); son Houston III (3/11/87)

**EDUCATION:**

Central HS (Little Rock, Ark.) (1976)

Oklahoma State – B.A. in physical education (1981)

**CAREER COACHING RECORD:** 113-71 (.614)

### PLAYING EXPERIENCE

1976-77 Arkansas (quarterback)

1979-80 Oklahoma State (quarterback)

### COACHING EXPERIENCE

1981 Oklahoma State (GA coach – secondary)

1982 Oklahoma State (GA coach – running backs)

1983 Arkansas (GA coach – running backs)

May-August 1984

Arkansas State (assistant coach – QBs)

1984-89 Oklahoma State (assistant coach – WRs)

1990-92 Arkansas (assistant coach – WRs)

1993-96 Murray State (head coach)

1997 Boise State (head coach)

1998-07 Arkansas (head coach)

2008 Ole Miss (head coach)

### YEAR-BY-YEAR COACHING

Year	School	W	L	Pct.
1993	Murray State	4	7	.364
1994	Murray State	5	6	.455
1995	Murray State	11	1	.917
1996	Murray State	11	2	.846
1997	Boise State	5	6	.455
1998	Arkansas	9	3	.750
1999	Arkansas	8	4	.667
2000	Arkansas	6	6	.500
2001	Arkansas	7	5	.583
2002	Arkansas	9	5	.643
2003	Arkansas	9	4	.692
2004	Arkansas	5	6	.455
2005	Arkansas	4	7	.364
2006	Arkansas	10	4	.714
2007	Arkansas	8	4	.636
2008	Ole Miss	2	1	.667
<b>Totals (16 seasons)</b>		<b>113</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>.614</b>
Murray State (4 seasons)		31	16	.660
Boise State (1 season)		5	6	.455
Arkansas (10 seasons)		75	48	.610
Ole Miss (1 season)		2	1	.667

## HEAD COACH HOUSTON NUTT

### BOWL BERTHS (8)

Arkansas: 1999 Citrus Bowl, 2000 Cotton Bowl, 2000 Las Vegas Bowl, 2002 Cotton Bowl, 2002 Music City Bowl, 2003 Independence Bowl, 2007 Capital One Bowl, 2008 Cotton Bowl.

### HONORS

Arkansas: 2006 SEC Coach of the Year (Associated Press, SEC Coaches'), 2006 AFCA Region 2 Coach of the Year, 2001 SEC Coach of the Year (Associated Press, SEC Coaches'), The Football News 1998 Division I-A Coach of the Year, 1998 AFCA Division I-A Region 2 Coach of the Year.

Murray State: 1996 AFCA Division I-AA Region 3 Coach of the Year, 1995 AFCA Division I-AA Region 3 Coach of the Year, 1995 Eddie Robinson Division I-AA National Coach of the Year.



### ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Named the 36th head coach of the Ole Miss Rebel football program on Nov. 28, 2007.
- Coached Arkansas to eight bowl berths in 10 years, which is the most in the SEC Western Division during that span.
- Guided the Razorbacks to SEC Western Division titles in 1998, 2002 and 2006, with Championship Game appearances in the last two.
- Directed the Razorbacks to 15 victories over top-25 opponents, with five in the top five and three in the top three.
- Mentored 15 All-America, 67 All-SEC, 153 SEC Academic Honor Roll and 33 NFL Draft selections at Arkansas.
- Led the SEC's top-ranked team in scoring offense from 2002-04. The Hogs averaged 29.8 points per game during that stretch. They were also the top-scoring team in the Western Division during Nutt's tenure. The Razorbacks averaged 28.89 points per game (3,553 points) since 1998 and scored 20 points or more 92 times in Nutt's 123 games. The Hogs averaged a school-record 39.8 points per game in 2007.
- Fielded the top rushing offense in the SEC over his 10 years in Fayetteville. UA rushed for 200.1 yards per game in that time.
- His Razorbacks led the SEC in rushing in 2002, 2003, 2005, 2006 and 2007. The 2002 Hogs averaged 218.9 yards rushing per game, while the 2003 squad cranked out 241.9 yards per game. Arkansas finished second in the league in rushing in 2004, pounding out 187.4 yards per game. The 2005 Razorbacks averaged 216.9 yards per game, while the 2006 squad rushed for 228.5 yards per game, which also ranked fourth nationally. Arkansas was No. 4 in the nation in 2007 at 296.8 yards per game.
- His Arkansas teams had 28 games with 200 yards or more passing. Nutt's quarterbacks have accounted for 20 of the 36 three-or-more passing touchdown games in school history.
- Ranks second all-time in Arkansas history in coaching wins and bowl appearances.

## COACHING STAFF



**Kent Austin**  
Offensive Coordinator/  
Quarterbacks



**Kim Dameron**  
Secondary



**Ron Dickerson**  
Wide Receivers



**Mike Markuson**  
Running Game  
Coordinator/Offensive Line



**Derrick Nix**  
Running Backs



**Tyrone Nix**  
Defensive Coordinator/  
Linebackers



**Tracy Rocker**  
Defensive Line



**James Shibest**  
Special Teams  
Coordinator/Tight Ends



**Chris Vaughn**  
Recruiting  
Coordinator/Safeties



**Alan Hensell**  
Graduate Assistant  
Coach



**Brad Villavaso**  
Graduate Assistant  
Coach

**600 IN SIGHT:** The Rebel football program is just one win short of 600. Ole Miss boasts an all-time record of 599-461-35 (.563 winning percentage).

**REBEL NOTEBOOK**

- The Rebels are off to a 2-1 start for the first time since 2003 ... The last time Ole Miss was 3-1 through four games was 2002, when the team opened 5-1.
- This marks the 114th football season at The University of Mississippi dating back to 1893 ... Ole Miss did not field teams in 1897 due to an epidemic of yellow fever, and also in 1943 when football was abolished at all Mississippi state-supported institutions by the Board of Trustees.

**SEC OPENERS**

- Ole Miss is 30-41-3 in SEC openers ... The last league-opening win came in 2003 in Nashville, 24-21 over the Commodores ... The Rebels are just 2-13 in their last 15 conference openers.
- Ole Miss is 16-15 when opening its SEC schedule at home (including home games played in Jackson and Memphis) ... The Rebels have a 6-7 record when opening their SEC schedule in Oxford ... Ole Miss has not opened league play at home since 2002 and only twice since 2000.
- Ole Miss is beginning its SEC schedule with Vanderbilt for the fifth time in the last seven seasons ... The teams have split those four encounters.

**OLE MISS VS. SEC EAST**

- Since the SEC started divisional play in 1992, Ole Miss is 25-22 versus the SEC Eastern Division.
- Entering the game with Vanderbilt, the Rebels have won 10 of their last 18 games versus the SEC East, dating back to Ole Miss' 45-38 win over Vanderbilt to open the 2002 SEC portion of the schedule.
- In 2003, the Rebels recorded their first three-game sweep of their SEC East opponents with wins over Vanderbilt, Florida and South Carolina.
- Ole Miss is 12-4 against Vanderbilt since the SEC began divisional play in 1992.
- Ole Miss is 13-7 against the SEC East at home.
- The following chart shows the Rebels' record versus SEC Eastern Division opponents since divisional play started in 1992:

School	W-L	Pct.	Last Game
Florida	2-3	.400	2007
Georgia	3-10	.230	2007
Kentucky	4-2	.667	2006
South Carolina	4-0	1.000	2004
Tennessee	0-4	.000	2005
Vanderbilt	12-4	.750	2007

**OFFENSIVE EXPLOSION:** In the first three games of the **Houston Nutt** era, the Rebels have cranked up the offense and the scoring. Ole Miss' 103 points is the most in a three-game stretch since 2003. The Rebel offense is averaging 34.3 points per game this year. Ole Miss is posting 407.3 yards per outing, which is also the most since 2003 when the team finished with a 433.2 clip. The Rebels outgained Samford 424 yards to 198. Ole Miss ranks fourth in the SEC in passing offense and fifth in total offense.

**WALLACE BREAKS OUT:** After no catches in the opener, senior WR **Mike Wallace** has caught fire in the last two games. The New Orleans native collected four receptions for 50 yards at Wake Forest, and on Saturday, he collected four grabs for 101 yards. It marked his third career 100-yard receiving game and first of the year. Last year, Wallace topped the SEC in yards per catch (18.8) and led the Rebels in receiving yards (716).

**EASON FOR SIX:** Junior RB **Cordera Eason** notched his first career touchdown at Wake Forest, and he followed up with another score on Saturday. His first TD in the Red and Blue came on a five-yard catch against the Demon Deacons, and he picked up his first rushing score on a 12-yard run against Samford. Eason finished Saturday's game with career highs and game highs of 13 carries for 68 yards.

**SNEAD AMONG SEC LEADERS:** Despite no TDs against Samford, sophomore QB **Jevan Snead** remains the SEC leader in scoring tosses with six. At Wake Forest, he became the first Rebel with four TD passes since Eli Manning in the 2003 Memphis game. He finished 20-of-31 for 253 yards with one interception and was named the Scout.com SEC Offensive Player of the Week. Snead ranks second in the SEC in passing average (220.0 ypg), third in total offense (226.3 ypg) and fourth in pass efficiency (145.8).

**STREAK SNAPPED:** Junior WR **Shay Hodge** was kept out of the endzone against Samford, snapping a streak of five straight games with a TD catch. It was the longest streak with a TD grab since Roell Preston pulled down a score in five straight games from the 1993 season finale through the first four games of 1994. Hodge collected one catch for 31 yards on Saturday, and this season, he has eight receptions for team highs of 176 yards and three touchdowns.

**OFFENSIVE NOTES**

- The Rebel offensive line has allowed only one sack in the first three games, which is best in the SEC.
- Freshman RB **Brandon Bolden** posted his second TD of the year on a six-yard rush off a direct snap in the Wild Rebel against Samford ... He finished with eight rushes for 42 yards.
- Sophomore WR **Lionel Breaux** earned his first career start on Saturday and recorded his first career reception with three grabs for 40 yards.
- Freshman RB **Enrique Davis** rumbled in from four yards against Samford for his second rushing TD of the year, which ties the team lead.
- Junior QB **Billy Tapp** connected on his first career pass attempt in the fourth quarter of Saturday's game, finishing 1-for-1 for six yards.

**BEHIND THE LINE:** The Rebel defense posted 12 tackles for loss against Samford and boasts 20 TFLs in the last two games. LB **Jonathan Cornell** and DT **Ted Laurent** lead the team with 3.5 TFLs each. After no QB sacks in the opener, the Rebels have posted five since, including four at Wake Forest.

**MEDIA INFORMATION**

**PRACTICES:** All practices are closed to the public. Media is permitted to attend the first 20 minutes of practices.

**OLE MISS ON THE INTERNET:** For updated statistics, rosters, game notes and depth chart on the internet, go to the official Ole Miss athletics website at [OleMissSports.com](http://OleMissSports.com).

**CREDENTIAL REQUESTS:** Working space in Ole Miss' Vaught-Hemingway Stadium press box will be allotted on the following basis: (1) Daily newspapers covering for Sunday publication and television stations covering for weekend news programs; (2) Sports editors of Mississippi daily newspapers; (3) Radio personnel for an originating broadcast; (4) Official school daily, one seat only; (5) Television sports directors and approved special coverage; (6) Press and TV working photographers. Weekly press representatives, non-broadcasting radio representatives and on-line services **MAY NOT** be accommodated because of space limitations. We ask that you write early, on company letterhead, to acquire working credentials for Ole Miss home games. If time permits, we will mail your passes. If not, they will be available at the Vaught-Hemingway Stadium media "Will Call" table next to the press box elevators.

**HOUSTON NUTT INTERVIEWS**

**Weekly Press Conferences:** Ole Miss head coach **Houston Nutt** will hold a press conference/teleconference at the IPF team meeting room Mondays starting at 2 p.m. (CT). To obtain the phone number and passcode for the teleconference, call the Media Relations office (662-915-7522). The press conference may also be seen online by RebelVision subscribers on [OleMissSports.com](http://OleMissSports.com). In addition, Nutt is on the SEC teleconference each Wednesday at 11:49 a.m. Contact the conference office for phone number, and replays are available on [SECSports.com](http://SECSports.com).

**After Practices:** Coach Nutt will be available for media following each practice (Tuesday through Thursday).

**ASSISTANT COACHES/PLAYER INTERVIEWS**

All requests for interviews should be made at least one day in advance with the Athletics Media Relations office (662-915-7522).

**During Game Week:** Selected players will be available Monday following Coach Nutt's weekly 2 p.m. press conference in the team meeting room. Members of the media who wish to interview players on Monday **MUST** email [desnowde@olemiss.edu](mailto:desnowde@olemiss.edu) or call 662-915-7509 by 3 p.m. (CT) Sunday to request interviews. Players and assistant coaches will be available upon request after practice on Tuesday and Wednesday.

**POSTGAME**

Coach Nutt will hold a postgame news conference with the media in the team meeting room of the Indoor Practice Facility. Athletics Media Relations office representatives will be available to assist in postgame interviews. Complete postgame plans will be announced on gameday in the press box by the Athletics Media Relations Director. Media Relations staff will accompany members of the press wishing to go to the sidelines, beginning with five minutes remaining in the final quarter.

## OLE MISS FOOTBALL TV/RADIO AFFILIATES

### Houston Nutt TV Show

Station	Times
SportSouth	Sundays, 5 p.m.; Wednesdays, 3 p.m.
CSS	Monday, 3 p.m.
Cox Cable	Thursday, 4:30 p.m.
WJTV, Jackson	Sundays, 10:35 p.m.
WCBI, Columbus	Sunday, 11:30 p.m.
WHCQ, Cleveland	Tuesday, 8:30 p.m. & 11:30 p.m.
WPRQ, Clarksdale	Tuesday, 8:30 p.m. & 11:30 p.m.
WEBU, Webb/Winona	Tuesday, 9:30 p.m.

### Ole Miss Radio Network

City	Station	Frequency
Amory*	WAFM-FM	95.3 FM
Biloxi/Gulfport^	WBUV-FM	104.9 FM
Brookhaven*	WBKN-FM	92.1 FM
Columbia*	WCJU-AM	1450 AM
Corinth*	WXRZ-FM	94.3 FM
Greenville/Greenwood*	WYMX-FM	99.1 FM
Hattiesburg*	WFMM-FM	97.3 FM
Hazlehurst*	WDXO-FM	92.9 FM
Jackson*	WFMN-FM	97.3 FM
Kosciusko	WLIN-FM	101.1 FM
Lexington, Tenn.	WZLT-FM	99.3 FM
Louisville	WLSM-FM	107.1 FM
McComb*	WAZA-FM	107.7 FM
Memphis, Tenn.*	WHBQ-AM	560 AM
Meridian*	WZKR-FM	103.3 FM
Natchez*	WKSO-FM	97.3 FM
Oxford#	WOLJ-FM	93.7 FM
Pascagoula*	WPMP-AM	1580 AM
Philadelphia*	WHOC-AM	1490 AM
Prentiss*	WJDR-FM	98.3 FM
Tupelo*	WWMR-FM	106.7 FM
Vicksburg*	WVVG-AM	1420 AM
Waynesboro	WABO-FM	105.5 FM
West Point*	WROB-AM	1450 AM
Yazoo City*	WBYP-FM	107.1 FM

\* Carries RebTalk live

^ Carries RebTalk on tape-delayed on Thursdays, 8-9 p.m.

# Carries RebTalk on WTNM-FM 105.5

**NOTE:** The Houston Nutt TV Show as well as all Ole Miss Radio Network broadcasts can be heard online through [OleMissSports.com](http://OleMissSports.com)'s RebelVision.

### DEFENSIVE NOTES

- Junior CB **Cassius Vaughn** got his first career sack on a corner blitz against Samford ... It was the only sack of the game for either team ... Vaughn led the team with seven total tackles, including five solos.
- Senior DT **Peria Jerry** earned his first start of the year on Saturday and ranked second on the team with six stops, including two TFLs.
- Junior S **Kendrick Lewis** is tied for third in the SEC in passes defended with four, after only two in 2007 ... He led the team and equaled his career high in tackles with nine against Wake Forest.
- Senior S **Jamarca Sanford** is tied for fourth in the SEC with 8.3 tackles per game ... He led the team and equaled his career best of 13 total stops, including a career-high 11 solos, against Memphis ... It marked his eighth career game with double-figure tackles.

**GREEN BREAKS FREE:** Junior **Marshay Green** turned in a career-long 77-yard punt return for a TD in the fourth quarter of the Samford game. It marked his second in the last five games, having scored on a 44-yard return in last year's LSU game. Green also had a 47-yard punt return in the 2006 Mississippi State. His three career TD punt returns move him into a tie with Doug Cunningham (1964-66) for second on the Ole Miss all-time list and two behind the five scoring returns of Ray Hapes (1935-37).

### SPECIALTY NOTES

- After no touchbacks on kickoffs last year, the Rebels have registered six in the first three games, courtesy of junior **Justin Sparks**.
- Junior K **Joshua Shene** connected on both his field goal attempts against Samford, connecting from 33 and 38 yards ... He is 4-for-4 in FGs this season and has made seven of his last eight going back to the Auburn game last year.
- Shene is a perfect 13-for-13 on PATs this year to extend his streak to 35 consecutive extra points converted ... He has connected on 57-of-58 career PATs.

**DEBUTS:** A total of 20 players have made their Ole Miss debuts this season, including seven true freshmen in **Brandon Bolden** (RB), **Enrique Davis** (RB), **Andrew Harris** (WR), **Derrick Herman** (DB), **Justin Smith** (DL), **Marcus Temple** (CB) and **Devin Thomas** (RB). Other players seeing their first action include **Brandon Green** (Jr., C); **Gerald Harris** (Jr., TE); **Rishaw Johnson** (RFR., OL); **Jeremy McGee** (So., CB); **Jermey Parnell** (Sr., DE); **Jerrell Powe**

## VIDEO DISTRIBUTION

In addition to the Digital KU Band satellite feeds, Ole Miss uses ClipMail Express by TeleStream for broadcast quality video distribution via the Internet. Satellite feed coordinates are available by visiting [OleMissSports.com](http://OleMissSports.com) and clicking on Ole Miss Sports Productions under the MULTIMEDIA dropdown. For more information, contact Ole Miss Sports Productions at 662-915-5925.

### WEEKLY PRESS CONFERENCE

Excerpts from Coach Nutt's Monday Press Conferences will be fed at 4:30 p.m. CT. Updated information will be provided once Satellite Feeds are booked

### HOUSTON NUTT TV SHOW

A satellite feed for Houston Nutt's weekly TV show will be available Sundays during the regular season. Satellite Information will be made available when Transponder time is booked and confirmed.

(So., DT); **Garrett Ryan** (Jr., DE); **Jevan Snead** (So., QB); **Bradley Sowell** (RFR., OL); **Emmanuel Stephens** (Jr., DE); **Billy Tapp** (Jr., QB); **Patrick Trahan** (Jr., LB) and **Alex Washington** (RFR., OL).

### OLE MISS IN SEPTEMBER

- Ole Miss is 140-73-7 (.652 winning pct.) all-time during the month of September.
- The Rebels are 43-37-1 (.537 winning pct.) in September SEC games, including an 11-7 (.611 winning percentage) record in games played in Oxford.
- Ole Miss is 88-26-3 (.765 winning pct.) in September home games (including home contests played in Memphis and Jackson), including a 63-14-2 (.810 winning percentage) mark in September games played in Oxford.
- The Rebels have an all-time mark of 52-47-4 (.524 winning pct.) in road games during September.
- Ole Miss is 97-35-6 (.725 winning pct.) all-time versus non-conference opponents during the month.
- The Rebels went 1-4 in September last season (at Memphis, W, 23-21; Missouri, L, 25-38; at Vanderbilt, L, 17-31; Florida, L, 24-30; at Georgia, L, 17-45). Prior to 2003, Ole Miss posted at least a .500 record in 14 consecutive Septembers.

## CAREER STARTS BY POSITION

### —OFFENSE—

<b>SE</b> Wallace (21) Hodge (2) Breaux (1) Summers (1)	<b>LT</b> Oher (27) Harris (1)	<b>LG</b> Neely (12) Harris (3) Traxler (2)	<b>C</b> Harris (9) Gerald (3)	<b>RG</b> J. Jerry (21) Oher (10) Miller (3) Traxler (1)	<b>RT</b> Miller (18) Harris (4) J. Jerry (3)	<b>TE</b> Traxler (2)	<b>FL</b> McCluster (9) Green (5) Hodge (3) Summers (2) Wallace (2)	<b>QB</b> Snead (3)	<b>RB</b> Eason (3)	<b>EB</b> Cook (22)	<b>WR</b> Hodge (2) Breaux (1) Green (1) McCluster (1)
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### —DEFENSE—

<b>LE</b> Tillman (13) Hardy (10) P. Jerry (2) Stephens (2)	<b>DT</b> P. Jerry (14) Tillman (6) Scott (2)	<b>NT</b> P. Jerry (2) Tillman (2) Laurent (1)	<b>RE</b> Bowers (7) Lockett (5) Tillman (5) Hardy (4) Turner (2)	<b>WLB</b> Cornell (3) Palmer (3) Brumfield (1)	<b>MLB</b> Fein (6) Cornell (3)	<b>SLB</b> Palmer (11) Sanford (4) Brumfield (2)	<b>LCB</b> Mouzon (15) Green (1)	<b>SS</b> Sanford (30) Brown (1) Lewis (1)	<b>ES</b> Lewis (9) Brown (6)	<b>RCB</b> C. Vaughn (6) Jackson (2)	<b>NB</b> Green (1) Jackson (1)
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**OLE MISS ANNOUNCES FRESNO STATE SERIES:** Ole Miss Athletics Director Pete Boone recently announced a three-game football series with Fresno State, which will mark the first gridiron meetings between the two schools. The first game is scheduled for Oxford on Sept. 25, 2010, while Ole Miss will then return the game to Fresno, Calif., on Oct. 1, 2011. The final game of the series will be in Oxford in 2015, with the date yet to be determined.

**GRADUATING REBELS:** Four student-athletes on the Ole Miss football team have already received their undergraduate degrees. DE **Chris Bowers** has earned his B.A. in real estate, while RB **Jason Cook** has his B.A. in english. OL **Darryl Harris** has completed his B.S. in exercise science, and TE **David Traxler** has his B.A. in accountancy. The Ole Miss football team was well represented at the University's graduation ceremonies in May, as 12 Rebels earned degrees in the past year.

**SEC FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK:** **Brandon Bolden** was named SEC Freshman of the Week Sept. 2. Bolden led the team in rushing in his collegiate debut, racking up 76 yards on eight carries and breaking several tackles in a 10-yard touchdown run. He also completed a 37-yard pass to Jevan Snead. Bolden becomes the first Rebel to be chosen SEC Freshman of the Week since 2006, when both Dexter McCluster and Marshay Green received the honor.

**2008 TEAM CAPTAINS:** On August 29, **Houston Nutt** announced the team captains for the 2008 season. This year's permanent captains are fullback **Jason Cook** (Suwanee, Ga.), defensive tackle **Peria Jerry** (Batesville), offensive tackle **Michael Oher** (Memphis, Tenn.) and strong safety **Jamarca Sanford** (Batesville). Linebacker **Ashlee Palmer** (Compton, Calif.), cornerback **Dustin Mouzon** (Orlando, Fla.) and punter **Rob Park** (Memphis, Tenn.) will serve as substitutes.

**REBELS ON PRESEASON WATCH LISTS:** Three Rebels have been named to preseason watch lists for some of college football's most prestigious awards. **Michael Oher** is listed as an early candidate for both the Rotary Lombardi Award and the Outland Trophy. Brothers **Peria** and **John Jerry** join Oher on the Outland watch list, and Peria and **Greg Hardy** are both nominees for the Nagurski Trophy. Hardy is also in the field for the Lombardi and Hendricks awards.

**CHUCKY MULLINS COURAGE AWARD:** Senior S **Jamarca Sanford** was selected as the 2008 recipient of the Chucky Mullins Courage Award, which goes to a rising senior defensive player each year. The award, sponsored by Phi Beta Sigma fraternity, honors the late Chucky Mullins, who had his Ole Miss career come to an end during the 1989 Homecoming game against Vanderbilt when he was paralyzed after making a tackle. After returning to his studies at Ole Miss, Mullins passed away on May 6, 1991. Sanford, who wears No. 13, has the honor of wearing a "38" patch on his jersey during his senior campaign. Mullins wore No. 38 as a player at Ole Miss.

**AUSTIN BACK IN OXFORD:** While the majority of Houston Nutt's first Ole Miss coaching staff came with him from Arkansas, one assistant coach came from north of the border and is a familiar name to Ole Miss fans. **Kent Austin**, who was a record-setting quarterback for the Rebels from 1981-85, is serving as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach. He joined Nutt's staff after leading Saskatchewan to the Grey Cup Championship and was named Canadian Football League Coach of the Year. Austin spent 15 seasons in the CFL and won championships as a player, assistant coach and head coach. He retired as a player in 1996 as the league's ninth all-time passer with 36,030 yards. His 57.6 yard completion average is third best, and he remains one of only four players to pass for more than 6,000 yards in a single season. As a Rebel, Austin still ranks second in career completions (566) and attempts (981), third in passing yards (6,184) and 200-yard games (11), and fourth in passing touchdowns (31) and total offense (6,179).

**OTHER RISING UP DRAFT BOARDS:** Senior OL **Michael Oher** decided to return for his senior season and is already drawing heavy notoriety as a 2009 NFL Draft prospect. Amongst the numerous NFL Draft websites, Oher is commonly a top-five choice for next year, and at least one site, WalterFootball.com, projects the Memphis tackle to be the No. 1 overall pick. Defensive lineman **Greg Hardy** and **Peria Jerry** are also regarded as players that could be drafted on the first day. NFLDraftDog.com ranks Hardy 10th on its board, while FanNation.com has Jerry in the No. 17 slot.

**SCHEDULE NOTES**

- The Rebels face four teams that appeared in the **USA Today** preseason top-25 poll, including No. 5 Florida, No. 6 LSU, No. 11 Auburn and No. 23 Wake Forest ... In addition, Alabama and South Carolina were the top vote getters amongst the others receiving votes.
- Of Ole Miss' 12 foes, only two teams failed to have a .500 or better record a season ago ... Four foes won nine of more games, including defending national champion LSU.
- For the third straight year, Ole Miss is playing seven home games, hosting Memphis (Aug. 30), Samford (Sept. 13), Vanderbilt (Sept. 20), South Carolina (Oct. 4), Auburn (Nov. 1), Louisiana-Monroe (Nov. 15) and Mississippi State (Nov. 28).

**REBELS GET NEW HD VIDEO BOARD:** Ole Miss partnered with Daktronics Inc., to design, manufacture and install a \$6 million integrated system featuring a large high definition video display at Vaught-Hemingway Stadium, which debuted at the season opener. The board can serve as a single giant display or be divided into multiple zones. In addition, the back of the display will use the latest LED technology to greet visitors. A complete sound system with speakers above the video display rounds out the integrated system.

**2008 PRESEASON HONORS**

**ENRIQUE DAVIS - RUNNING BACK**

- SEC Newcomer of the Year (Rivals.com)
- Second Team All-SEC (Phil Steele)

**MARSHAY GREEN - PUNT RETURNER**

- Fourth Team All-SEC (Phil Steele)

**GREG HARDY - DEFENSIVE END**

- Rotary Lombardi Award Watch List
- Nagurski Trophy Watch List
- Hendricks Award Watch List
- First Team All-America (Consensus Draft Services)
- Third Team All-America (NationalChamps.net, Athlon, Phil Steele)
- No. 7 defensive end in nation (Lindy's)
- SEC's top pass rusher (Lindy's)
- No. 7 overall player in the SEC (ESPN.com)
- First Team All-SEC (SEC Coaches, SEC Media Days, Phil Steele, Lindy's)
- Second Team All-SEC (Blue Ribbon, Athlon)

**JOHN JERRY - OFFENSIVE LINEMAN**

- Outland Trophy Watch List
- Second Team All-SEC (SEC Coaches, Phil Steele)

**PERIA JERRY - DEFENSIVE LINEMAN**

- Nagurski Trophy Watch List
- Outland Trophy Watch List
- Fourth Team All-America (Phil Steele)
- No. 5 defensive tackle in nation (Lindy's)
- No. 1 senior defensive tackle in nation (Pro Football Weekly)
- First Team All-SEC (Lindy's)
- Second Team All-SEC (SEC Coaches, Phil Steele)
- Third Team All-SEC (Athlon)

**MICHAEL OHER - OFFENSIVE LINEMAN**

- Rotary Lombardi Award Watch List
- Outland Trophy Watch List
- First Team All-America (Playboy, Lindy's, Blue Ribbon, NationalChamps.net, Consensus Draft Services)
- Second Team All-America (Phil Steele, Athlon)
- No. 1 offensive tackle (Lindy's)
- SEC's best run blocker (Lindy's)
- First Team All-SEC (consensus)

**ASHLEE PALMER - LINEBACKER**

- Third Team All-SEC (Phil Steele)

**JEVAN SNEAD - QUARTERBACK**

- SEC Newcomer of the Year (Lindy's, Blue Ribbon)

**MIKE WALLACE - WIDE RECEIVER**

- Third Team All-SEC (Athlon, Phil Steele)

**LAST GAME: OLE MISS 34, SAMFORD 10**

Game #3 • September 13, 2008  
Attendance: 52,780 • Vaught-Hemingway Stadium • Oxford, Miss.

OXFORD, Miss. (AP) - Marshay Green scored on a 77-yard punt return and Ole Miss used 31 unanswered points to easily defeat Samford 34-10.

Samford (2-1), which plays in the Southern Conference, made it interesting until the final four minutes of the second quarter.

The Bulldogs held a 7-6 advantage, scoring on a 13-yard run by Riley Hawkins after Jeremy Richardson set up the touchdown with a 36-yard interception return.

Ole Miss (2-1) answered with 31 consecutive points in the next 20 minutes to make it a blowout.

The Rebels assumed control with consecutive touchdown drives of 53, 91 and 63 yards late in the second quarter and early in the third quarter.

The Rebels led 20-7 at halftime as Brandon Bolden and Cordera Eason had touchdown runs of 6 and 12 yards, respectively.

Jevan Snead, who finished 13 of 24 for 222 yards, was especially sharp in the decisive scoring drives, going 4 of 5 for 102 yards.

The Rebels dominated the second half, scoring on the opening series on a 5-yard run by Enrique Davis.

Ole Miss added a Green's punt return touchdown, turned in a goal line stand and finished with 422 yards of total offense.

Samford's John Paul Fraites kicked a 35-yard field goal with 5:03 left to cap the scoring.

The Bulldogs finished with 198 yards of total offense, did not have a turnover and had a pair of interceptions, but could not match Ole Miss in the final 35 minutes.

Samford	7	0	0	3	—	10
Ole Miss	3	17	7	7	—	34
<b>1st Quarter</b>						
4:15	UM	J. Shene 33-yd field goal				
1:09	SAM	R. Hawkins 13-yd run (J. Fraites kick)				
0:56	UM	D. McCluster 32-yd run (J. Shene kick)				
<b>2nd Quarter</b>						
13:03	UM	J. Shene 38-yd field goal				
3:52	UM	B. Bolden 6-yd run (J. Shene kick)				
0:59	UM	C. Eason 12-yd run (J. Shene kick)				
<b>3rd Quarter</b>						
11:10	UM	E. Davis 4-yd run (J. Shene kick)				
<b>4th Quarter</b>						
13:28	UM	M. Green 77-yd punt return (J. Shene kick)				
5:03	SAM	J. Fraites 35-yd field goal				

Team Stats	SAM	UM
First Downs	14	23
Rushes-Yards	14-74	37-196
Passing Yards	124	228
Att.-Comp.-Int.	25-16-0	25-14-2
Total Plays-Yards	66-198	62-424
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	4-30	4-42
Punts-Average	6-36.8	2-36.0
Punt Returns	0-0	3-95
KO Returns	4-121	3-22
Interceptions	2-36-0	0-0-0
Possession Time	34:08	25:52
3rd Down Conv.	8-19	4-9
4th Down Conv.	0-1	0-0
Sacks By-Yards	0-0	1-9

Individual Leaders
<b>Rushing</b>
UM: C. Eason, 13-68
B. Bolden, 8-76
SAM: C. Evans, 23-49
R. Hawkins, 1-13
<b>Passing</b>
UM: J. Snead, 24-13-2-222
SAM: D. Taliandro, 22-16-0-124
<b>Receiving</b>
UM: M. Wallace, 4-101
L. Breaux, 3-40
SAM: J. Lowery, 4-55
D. Covington, 4-29

**LAST MEETING: VANDERBILT 31, OLE MISS 17**

Game #3 • September 15, 2007  
Attendance: 34,180 • Vanderbilt Stadium • Nashville, Tenn.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) -- Despite two touchdown catches by Mike Wallace, Ole Miss could not hold off a balanced Vanderbilt offense in a 31-17 road loss in the Rebels' SEC opener. Wallace posted his second straight 100-yard receiving game with 139, including 54 yards on a fourth-quarter scoring toss from Brent Schaeffer.

Chris Nickson threw for 200 yards and ran for 78 more and a touchdown to lead Vanderbilt. Cassen Jackson-Garrison had three touchdowns and 127 yards rushing, and the Commodores (2-1) improved to 1-1 in the Southeastern Conference, while the Rebels (1-2) dropped their league opener for the fourth consecutive year. Ole Miss fell to 46-34-2 against Vanderbilt.

Schaeffer relieved Seth Adams in the fourth quarter, and threw the touchdown pass to Wallace on his first attempt to narrow the score to 24-17. Schaeffer failed to complete a pass on the following possession, and Jackson-Garrison scored for the Commodores on a short field to put the game out of reach.

Nickson, hampered all week by a sore hamstring, completed his first 10 passes to pace a Commodores offense that gained a season-high 183 rushing yards.

Adams threw for 154 yards on 10-for-17 passing, including a 36-yard touchdown to Mike Wallace that narrowed the Rebels' deficit to 14-10. But he threw a late interception to D.J. Moore, and four plays later Vanderbilt took a 24-10 lead.

Two-time All-SEC receiver Earl Bennett caught 11 passes for 100 yards, his ninth career game with at least 100 yards receiving at Vanderbilt.

The Commodores' defense gave up 262 yards but forced six sacks.

Bryan Hahnfeldt kicked a 24-yard field goal for Vanderbilt, and might have had another. Mackenzie Adams botched the snap on his second attempt.

Joshua Shene kicked a 34-yard field goal to narrow the gap to 7-3, but missed another.

Ole Miss	3	0	7	7	—	17
Vanderbilt	7	7	0	17	—	31
<b>1st Quarter</b>						
12:08	VU	C. Nickson 2-yd run (B. Hahnfeldt kick)				
9:17	UM	J. Shene 34-yd FG				
<b>2nd Quarter</b>						
11:52	VU	C. Jackson-Garrison 8-yd run (B. Hahnfeldt kick)				
<b>3rd Quarter</b>						
5:51	UM	M. Wallace 36-yd pass from S. Adams (J. Shene kick)				
<b>4th Quarter</b>						
14:51	VU	B. Hahnfeldt 24-yd FG				
12:58	VU	C. Jackson-Garrison 9-yd run (B. Hahnfeldt kick)				
10:01	UM	M. Wallace 54-yd pass from B. Schaeffer (J. Shene kick)				
1:47	VU	C. Jackson-Garrison 7-yd run (B. Hahnfeldt kick)				

Team Stats	UM	VU
First Downs	13	25
Rushes-Yards	32-54	49-183
Passing Yards	208	200
Att.-Comp.-Int.	22-11-1	26-18-0
Total Plays-Yards	54-262	75-383
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	2-15	5-49
Punts-Average	2-39.0	2-46.5
Punt Returns	0-0	1-11
KO Returns	6-157	4-108
Interceptions	0-0	1-4
Possession Time	25:10	34:50
3rd Down Conv.	5-13	7-15
4th Down Conv.	1-4	3-4
Sacks By-Yards	2-13	6-32

Individual Leaders
<b>Rushing</b>
UM: B. Green-Ellis, 21-66
VU: C. Jackson-Garrison, 23-119
C. Nickson, 14-57
<b>Passing</b>
UM: S. Adams, 17-10-1-154
B. Schaeffer, 5-1-0-54
VU: C. Nickson, 25-17-0-200
<b>Receiving</b>
UM: M. Wallace, 4-139
S. Hodge, 3-24
M. Green, 2-24
VU: E. Bennett, 11-100
G. Smith, 2-36

## UPDATED DEPTH CHART

### OFFENSE

SE	3	Shay Hodge (6-1, 207, Jr-2L)
	16	Markeith Summers (6-2, 197, So-1L)
LT	74	Michael Oher (6-5, 318, Sr-3L)
	78	Bradley Sowell (6-7, 310, Fr-RS)
LG	50	Darryl Harris (6-3, 300, Sr-4L)
	71	Reid Neely (6-6, 310, Jr-2L)
C	72	Daverin Geraldts (6-2, 312, Jr-1L)
	63	Brandon Green (6-2, 300, Jr-JC)
RG	79	Maurice Miller (6-4, 343, Sr-2L)
	75	Rishaw Johnson (6-4, 295, Fr-RS)
RT	77	John Jerry (6-5, 350, Jr-2L)
	73	Alex Washington (6-4, 337, Fr-RS)
TE	88	David Traxler (6-6, 255, Sr-3L) <b>OR</b>
	80	Gerald Harris (6-5, 250, Jr-JC)
	32	Reggie Hicks (6-1, 234, So-1L)
FL	2	Mike Wallace (6-0, 180, Sr-3L)
	22	Dexter McCluster (5-8, 165, Jr-2L)
	21	Lionel Breaux (6-0, 191, So-1L)
QB	4	Jevan Snead (6-3, 215, So-RS)
	17	Billy Tapp (6-4, 230, Jr-Sq)
RB	25	Cordera Eason (5-10, 224, Jr-2L)
	34	Brandon Bolden (5-11, 220, Fr-HS) <b>OR</b>
	27	Enrique Davis (6-0, 220, Fr-HS)
	29	Devin Thomas (5-10, 200, Fr-HS)
	30	Derrick Davis (5-10, 224, So-1L)
FB	44	Jason Cook (5-11, 248, Sr-3L)
	43	Andy Hartmann (5-10, 243, Jr-2L) <b>OR</b>
	30	Derrick Davis (5-10, 224, So-1L)
H	22	Dexter McCluster (5-8, 165, Jr-2L)
	21	Lionel Breaux (6-0, 191, So-1L)

### DEFENSE

E	92	Marcus Tillman (6-4, 260, Jr-2L)
	95	Emmanuel Stephens (6-3, 235, Jr-JC)
N	99	Ted Laurent (6-0, 303, So-1L)
	57	Jerrell Powe (6-2, 340, So-Sq)
DT	98	Peria Jerry (6-2, 290, Sr-3L)
	96	Lawon Scott (6-1, 322, So-1L)
E	40	Kentrell Lockett (6-5, 240, So-1L)
	52	Chris Bowers (6-2, 230, Sr-3L)
WLB	11	Ashlee Palmer (6-2, 222, Sr-1L)
	7	Patrick Trahan (6-2 ½, 225, Jr-JC)
MLB	47	Tony Fein (6-2, 245, Sr-1L)
	51	Jonathan Cornell (6-1, 225, So -1L)
SLB	48	Lamar Brumfield (6-0, 224, Jr-1L) <b>OR</b>
	9	Allen Walker (6-1, 215, So-1L)
LCB	8	Marshay Green (5-9, 170, Jr-2L)
	12	Dustin Mouzon (5-11, 175, Sr-3L)
SS	13	Jamarca Sanford (5-10, 200, Sr-3L)
	35	Fon Ingram (5-11, 190, So-1L)
FS	1	Kendrick Lewis (5-11, 192, Jr-2L)
	20	Johnny Brown (5-11, 207, So-1L)
RCB	24	Cassius Vaughn (5-10, 185, Jr-2L)
	6	Jeremy McGee (5-10, 178, So-RS)

### SPECIALISTS

PK	93	Joshua Shene (5-8, 170, Jr-2L)
P	36	Rob Park (5-11, 194, Sr-3L)
KO	89	Justin Sparks (6-2, 187, Jr-1L)
HOLD	36	Rob Park (5-11, 194, Sr-3L)
SNAP	68	Preston Powers (6-0, 240, Jr-2L)
KORet	25	Cordera Eason (5-10, 224, Jr-2L)
	34	Brandon Bolden (5-11, 220, Fr-HS)
PRet	8	Marshay Green (5-9, 170, Jr-2L) <b>OR</b>
	22	Dexter McCluster (5-8, 165, Jr-2L)

ALPHABETICAL			NUMERICAL						
No.	Name	Pos.	No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.-Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
83	Chris Adams	WR	1	Kendrick Lewis	S	5-11	192	Jr.-2L	New Orleans, La. (O. Perry Walker)
40	Zane Allcorn	CB	2	Mike Wallace	WR	6-0	180	Sr.-3L	New Orleans, La. (O. Perry Walker)
83	Ferbia Allen	DE/TE	3	Shay Hodge	WR	6-1	207	Jr.-2L	Morton, Miss. (High)
94	LaMark Armour	DE	4	Jevan Snead	QB	6-3	215	So.-RS	Stephenville, Texas (High; Texas)
31	Ben Benedetto	FB	5	Melvin Harris	WR	6-6	185	Fr.-HS	Buford, Ga. (High)
34	Brandon Bolden	RB	5	Terrell Jackson	S	5-10	200	Sr.-3L	Puckett, Miss. (High)
52	Chris Bowers	DE	6	Jeremy McGee	CB	5-10	178	So.-RS	New Orleans, La. (Edna Karr; UCLA)
21	Lionel Breaux	WR	7	Patrick Trahan	LB	6-2½	225	Jr.-JC	Baton Rouge, La. (St. Augustine; Auburn; NW Mississippi C.C.)
61	Zack Brent	OL	8	Marshay Green	CB	5-9	170	Jr.-2L	Bastrop, La. (High)
20	Johnny Brown	S	9	Allen Walker	LB	6-1	215	So.-1L	Olive Branch, Miss. (High)
48	Lamar Brumfield	LB	11	Ashlee Palmer	LB	6-2	222	Sr.-1L	Compton, Calif. (Lynwood; Compton C.C.)
50	Cole Buza	LB	12	Dustin Mouzon	CB	5-11	175	Sr.-3L	Orlando, Fla. (Edgewater)
81	William Cole	WR	12	Nathan Stanley	QB	6-5	200	Fr.-HS	Tahlequah, Okla. (Sequoyah)
84	Richie Contartesi	WR	13	Clay Fowler	QB	5-11	178	Fr.-RS	Jackson, Tenn. (Jackson Christian School)
44	Jason Cook	FB	13	Jamarca Sanford	S	5-10	200	Sr.-3L	Batesville, Miss. (South Panola)
32	Case Cooper	K	14	Joseph Martin	QB	6-1	200	Fr.-HS	New Albany, Miss. (Evangelical Christian)
51	Jonathan Cornell	LB	14	Brandon Sanders	DB	6-0	190	Fr.-HS	Suwanee, Ga. (Peachtree Ridge)
29	Markus Crockett	CB	15	Demareo Marr	DB	6-1½	180	Jr.-JC	Southaven, Miss. (DeSoto Central; NW Mississippi C.C.)
30	Derrick Davis	RB	15	Colby Wakefield	WR	5-11½	155	Fr.-HS	Raymond, Miss. (Hillcrest Christian)
27	Enrique Davis	RB	16	Markeith Summers	WR	6-2	197	So.-1L	Olive Branch, Miss. (High)
25	Cordera Eason	RB	17	Billy Tapp	QB	6-4	230	Jr.-Sq	St. Petersburg, Fla. (St. Petersburg Catholic)
33	E.J. Epperson	TE	19	Andrew Harris	WR	6-2½	200	Fr.-HS	St. Petersburg, Fla. (St. Petersburg Catholic; Hargrave)
47	Tony Fein	LB	20	Johnny Brown	S	5-11	207	So.-1L	Charleston, Miss. (High)
87	Martin Fisher	K	21	Lionel Breaux	WR	6-0	191	So.-1L	New Orleans, La. (McDonogh 35)
13	Clay Fowler	QB	22	Dexter McCluster	WR	5-8	165	Jr.-2L	Largo, Fla. (High)
54	Terry Freeman	OL	23	George Helow	CB	5-10	180	So.-Sq	Jacksonville, Fla. (Bishop Kenny; Hargrave)
72	Daverin Gerald	OL	24	Cassius Vaughn	CB	5-10	185	Jr.-2L	Memphis, Tenn. (East)
63	Brandon Green	C	25	Cordera Eason	RB	5-10	224	Jr.-2L	Meridian, Miss. (Meridian)
8	Marshay Green	CB	26	LaDerrick Vaughn	DE	6-1	220	So.-Sq	Memphis, Tenn. (Manassas)
45	H.R. Greer	FB	27	Enrique Davis	RB	6-0	220	Fr.-HS	Lynn Haven, Fla. (A. Crawford Mosley; Hargrave)
46	David Hankins	K	28	Julian Whitehead	CB	5-9	190	Fr.-HS	Lilburn, Ga. (Hargrave; Parkview)
56	Brent Hanson	OL	29	Markus Crockett	CB	5-10	190	Sr.-JC	Liberty, Miss. (Amite County; Mississippi College; SW Mississippi C.C.)
86	Greg Hardy	DE	29	Devin Thomas	RB	5-10	200	Fr.-HS	San Antonio, Texas (Madison)
55	Don Hargroder	LB	30	Derrick Davis	RB	5-10	224	So.-1L	Meridian, Miss. (High)
19	Andrew Harris	WR	30	Jared Mitchell	S	6-3	180	Fr.-HS	Chesterfield, Mo. (Parkway Central; Hargrave)
50	Darryl Harris	OL	31	Ben Benedetto	FB	6-1	240	So.-Sq	Metairie, La. (Brother Martin)
80	Gerald Harris	TE	31	Rudy Wilson	DB	6-0	200	Fr.-HS	Port Orange, Fla. (Mainland; Hargrave)
5	Melvin Harris	WR	32	Case Cooper	K	5-10½	167	Fr.-TR	Ft. Walton Beach, Fla. (High; Florida State)
43	Andy Hartmann	FB	32	Reggie Hicks	TE	6-1	234	So.-1L	Madison, Miss. (Madison Central)
37	Lekenwic Haynes	DB	32	Aaron Nichols	CB	6-0	186	Fr.-HS	Stuttgart, Ark. (Little Rock Central)
23	George Helow	CB	33	E.J. Epperson	TE	6-3	230	Fr.-HS	Humboldt, Tenn. (High)
39	Derrick Herman	DB	33	Andrew Stuart	FB	5-10	228	Fr.-TR	Oxford, Miss. (High; Lambuth)
32	Reggie Hicks	TE	34	Brandon Bolden	RB	5-11	220	Fr.-HS	Baton Rouge, La. (Scotlandville Magnet)
3	Shay Hodge	WR	35	Fon Ingram	CB	5-11	190	So.-1L	Atlanta, Ga. (McNair)
36	Dan Hoffman	FB	36	Dan Hoffman	FB	6-0	222	Fr.-RS	Miami, Fla. (LaSalle)
35	Fon Ingram	CB	36	Rob Park	P	5-11	194	Sr.-3L	Memphis, Tenn. (Memphis University School)
5	Terrell Jackson	S	37	Lekenwic Haynes	DB	6-3	205	Fr.-HS	Rosenberg, Texas (B. F. Terry)
65	Mark Jean-Louis	OL	39	Derrick Herman	DB	5-11	185	Fr.-HS	Cleveland, Miss. (High)
59	Marques Jenkins	LB	39	Bryan Powers	P	6-0	217	So.-RS	Pacifica, Calif. (Terra Nova; College of San Mateo)
77	John Jerry	OL	40	Zane Allcorn	CB	5-10	198	Fr.-RS	McKinney, Texas (High)
98	Peria Jerry	DT	40	Kentrell Lockett	DE	6-5	240	So.-1L	Hahnville, La. (High)
64	Mike Johnson	LS	41	Colby Landers	FB	6-0	243	Jr.-TR	Bryant, Ark. (High; Central Arkansas)
75	Rishaw Johnson	OL	41	Marcus Temple	CB	5-9	181	Fr.-HS	Manquin, Va. (King William; Hargrave)
53	Jason Jones	LB	42	Josh McGlawn	CB	5-7	155	So.-HS	Oxford, Miss. (High)
85	Layton Jones	TE	43	Andy Hartmann	FB	5-10	243	Jr.-2L	Cooper City, Fla. (American Heritage)
45	Josh Lancaster	LB	43	Giffin Littlefield	S	5-9½	185	Fr.-HS	Pike Road, Ala. (Trinity Presbyterian School)
41	Colby Landers	FB	44	Jason Cook	FB	5-11	248	Sr.-3L	Suwanee, Ga. (North Gwinnett)
99	Ted Laurent	DT	44	Trey Trip	LB	6-1	230	Fr.-RS	Buford, Ga. (Peachtree Ridge)
1	Kendrick Lewis	S	45	H.R. Greer	FB	6-0	225	Fr.-HS	Olive Branch, Miss. (Southern Baptist Education Center)
43	Griffin Littlefield	S	45	Josh Lancaster	LB	5-8	197	Fr.-HS	Mobile, Ala. (St. Pauls Episcopal)

ALPHABETICAL			NUMERICAL						
No.	Name	Pos.	No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.-Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
40	Kentrell Lockett	DE	46	David Hankins	K	6-3	213	Fr.-RS	Shreveport, La. (C.E. Byrd)
87	Jacarious Lucas	WR	46	Antonio Turner	DE	6-2	240	Sr.-3L	Orlando, Fla. (Edgewater)
15	Demareo Marr	DB	47	Tony Fein	LB	6-2	245	Sr.-1L	Port Orchard, Wash. (South Kitsap; Scottsdale C.C.)
14	Joseph Martin	QB	48	Lamar Brumfield	LB	6-0	224	Jr.-1L	Lynwood, Calif. (Carson; Compton C.C.)
22	Dexter McCluster	WR	50	Cole Buza	LB	6-0	217	So.-RS	Houston, Texas (Westside; Kinkaid School)
6	Jeremy McGee	CB	50	Darryl Harris	OL	6-3	300	Sr.-4L	Clarksdale, Miss. (High)
42	Josh McGlawn	CB	51	Jonathan Cornell	LB	6-1	225	So.-1L	Azusa, Calif. (Bishop Amat)
86	Ben Meadows	K	52	Chris Bowers	DE	6-2	230	Sr.-3L	Shreveport, La. (Evangel Christian Academy)
79	Maurice Miller	OL	53	Jason Jones	LB	6-2	220	Fr.-HS	Albany, Ga. (Westover)
30	Jared Mitchell	S	54	Terry Freeman	OL	6-3	330	Sr.-SQ	Memphis, Tenn. (Northside; Georgia Military)
62	Don Mosley	OL	55	Don Hargroder	LB	6-1	200	Jr.-Sq	Abbeville, La. (St. Thomas More; Louisiana-Lafayette)
82	Vincent Moss	WR	56	Brent Hanson	OL	6-4½	291	Fr.-HS	Milan, Tenn. (High)
12	Dustin Mouzon	CB	56	Gerald Rivers	DE	6-5	230	Fr.-HS	Ellenwood, Ga. (Cedar Grove)
71	Reid Neely	OL	57	Jerrell Powe	DT	6-2	340	So.-Sq	Waynesboro, Miss. (Wayne County; Hargrave)
32	Aaron Nichols	CB	59	Marques Jenkins	LB	6-1	238	Fr.-HS	Stafford, Va. (Colonial Forge; Hargrave)
74	Michael Oher	OL	60	Joshua Tatum	OL	6-5	315	Fr.-HS	Marbury, Ala. (High)
11	Ashlee Palmer	LB	61	Zack Brent	OL	5-11	245	Fr.-RS	Oxford, Miss. (Lafayette)
36	Rob Park	P	62	Don Mosley	OL	6-1	300	So.-Sq	Tampa, Fla. (Hillsborough)
90	Jermey Parnell	DE	63	Brandon Green	C	6-2	300	Jr.-JC	Southaven, Miss. (High; NW Mississippi C.C.)
69	Wesley Phillips	LS	64	Mike Johnson	LS	5-10	211	Fr.-HS	Little Rock, Ark. (Catholic)
57	Jerrell Powe	DT	65	Mark Jean-Louis	OL	6-2	355	Jr.-Sq	Palm Beach, Fla. (Palm Beach Gardens; Cerritos C.C.)
39	Bryan Powers	P	68	Preston Powers	LS	6-0	240	Jr.-2L	Collierville, Tenn. (Briarcrest Christian)
68	Preston Powers	LS	69	Wesley Phillips	LS	5-11	208	So.-Sq	Madison, Miss. (Madison Central)
56	Gerald Rivers	DE	70	Brent Smith	OL	6-4	293	Jr.-Sq	Madison, Miss. (St. Andrews Episcopal)
81	Bryson Rose	K	71	Reid Neely	OL	6-6	310	Jr.-2L	Jackson, Miss. (Jackson Academy)
82	Garrett Ryan	DE	72	Daverin Geraldts	OL	6-2	312	Jr.-1L	Baton Rouge, La. (Scotlandville)
14	Brandon Sanders	DB	73	Alex Washington	OL	6-4	337	Fr.-RS	Monroe, La. (Carroll)
91	Justin Sanders	DT	74	Michael Oher	OL	6-5	318	Sr.-3L	Memphis, Tenn. (Briarcrest Christian)
13	Jamarca Sanford	S	75	Rishaw Johnson	OL	6-4	295	Fr.-RS	Hammond, La. (High)
96	Lawon Scott	DT	77	John Jerry	OL	6-5	350	Jr.-2L	Batesville, Miss. (South Panola; Hargrave)
93	Joshua Shene	K	78	Bradley Sowell	OL	6-7	310	Fr.-RS	Hernando, Miss. (Hernando)
70	Brent Smith	OL	79	Maurice Miller	OL	6-4	343	Sr.-2L	West Helena, Ark. (Central)
93	Justin Smith	DL	80	Gerald Harris	TE	6-5	250	Jr.-JC	Terrell, Texas (High; Navarro College)
4	Jevan Snead	QB	81	William Cole	WR	5-11	190	Jr.-Sq	Oxford, Miss. (High)
78	Bradley Sowell	OL	81	Bryson Rose	K	5-11½	182	Fr.-HS	Raleigh, N.C. (Wakefield)
89	Justin Sparks	P-K	82	Vincent Moss	WR	5-11	185	Fr.-HS	Munford, Ala. (High)
12	Nathan Stanley	QB	82	Garrett Ryan	DE	6-3	234	Jr.-Sq	Marietta, Ga. (Walton; Southeastern Louisiana)
95	Emmanuel Stephens	DE	83	Chris Adams	WR	6-0	175	Sr.-Sq	Oxford, Miss. (High)
33	Andrew Stuart	FB	83	Ferbia Allen	DE/TE	6-4	225	Fr.-HS	Pine Bluff, Ark. (Dollarway)
16	Markeith Summers	WR	84	Richie Contartesi	WR	5-7	163	So.-RS	Lake Worth, Fla. (Palm Beach Central; Jacksonville)
17	Billy Tapp	QB	85	Layton Jones	TE	6-4	215	So.-JC	Greenville, Miss. (St. Joseph; NE Mississippi C.C.)
60	Joshua Tatum	OL	86	Greg Hardy	DE	6-4	265	Jr.-2L	Millington, Tenn. (Briarcrest Christian)
41	Marcus Temple	CB	86	Ben Meadows	K	5-9	170	Fr.-RS	Birmingham, Ala. (Spain Park)
29	Devin Thomas	RB	87	Martin Fisher	K	5-10	172	Fr.-RS	Greenwood, Miss. (Pillow Academy)
92	Marcus Tillman	DL	87	Jacarious Lucas	WR	6-2	188	Sr.-1L	Cleveland, Miss. (East Side; Mississippi Delta C.C.)
7	Patrick Trahan	LB	88	David Traxler	TE	6-6	255	Sr.-3L	Jackson, Miss. (Jackson Academy)
88	David Traxler	TE	89	Justin Sparks	P-K	6-2	187	Jr.-1L	Memphis, Tenn. (Briarcrest Christian)
44	Trey Trip	LB	90	Jermey Parnell	DE	6-8	242	Sr.-Sq	Gosnell, Ark. (High)
46	Antonio Turner	DE	91	Justin Sanders	DT	6-4	300	Fr.-RS	New Market, Ala. (Buckhorn)
24	Cassius Vaughn	CB	92	Marcus Tillman	DL	6-4	260	Jr.-2L	McCall Creek, Miss. (Franklin County)
26	LaDerrick Vaughn	DE	93	Joshua Shene	K	5-8	170	Jr.-2L	Oklahoma City, Okla. (Putman City North)
15	Colby Wakefield	WR	93	Justin Smith	DL	6-4	280	Fr.-HS	Alpharetta, Ga. (Chattahoochee)
9	Allen Walker	LB	94	LaMark Armour	DE	6-2	260	Jr.-2L	Nashville, Tenn. (Hunters Lane)
2	Mike Wallace	WR	95	Emmanuel Stephens	DE	6-3	235	Jr.-JC	Houston, Texas (Waltrip; Blinn C.C.)
73	Alex Washington	OL	96	Lawon Scott	DT	6-1	322	So.-1L	St. Petersburg, Fla. (High)
28	Julian Whitehead	CB	98	Peria Jerry	DT	6-2	290	Sr.-3L	Batesville, Miss. (South Panola; Hargrave)
31	Rudy Wilson	DB	99	Ted Laurent	DT	6-0	303	So.-1L	Powder Springs, Ga. (McEachern)

2008 Ole Miss Rebel Football  
 Ole Miss Game Results (as of Sep 13, 2008)  
 All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall Record	Conference Record	Time	Attend
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Aug 30, 2008	MEMPHIS	W 41-24	1- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	2:56	56127
Sep 06, 2008	at #20 Wake Forest	28-30 L	1- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	3:33	31986
Sep 13, 2008	SAMFORD	W 34-10	2- 1- 0	0- 0- 0	2:51	52780

\* indicates conference game

Opponent	Score	-----FIRST DOWNS-----				---RUSHING---		-----PASSING-----			--TOTAL OFFENSE--		Return Yards	Turn-Overs
		Total	Rush	Pass	Pen	Number-Yards	Comp-Att-Int	Yards	Plays-Yards	Plays-Yards				
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MEMPHIS.....	41-24	19/28	10/13	9/11	0/4	36-216 / 40-188	11-23- 0 / 24-44- 2	222/265	59-438 / 84-453	87/131	0/2			
Wake Forest.....	28-30	21/22	7/6	12/13	2/3	29-107 / 31-81	20-33- 2 / 32-43- 0	253/267	62-360 / 74-348	84/82	3/1			
SAMFORD.....	34-10	23/14	12/3	10/8	1/3	37-196 / 41-74	14-25- 2 / 16-25- 0	228/124	62-424 / 66-198	117/157	2/0			
Totals.....	103-64	63/64	29/22	31/32	3/10	102-519 /112-343	45- 81- 4/ 72-112- 2	703/656	183-1222/ 224-999	288/370	5/3			

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

2008 Ole Miss Rebel Football  
 Ole Miss Overall Team Statistics (as of Sep 13, 2008)  
 All games

TEAM STATISTICS	UM	OPP
SCORING.....	103	64
Points Per Game.....	34.3	21.3
FIRST DOWNS.....	63	64
Rushing.....	29	22
Passing.....	31	32
Penalty.....	3	10
RUSHING YARDAGE.....	519	343
Yards gained rushing.....	542	402
Yards lost rushing.....	23	59
Rushing Attempts.....	102	112
Average Per Rush.....	5.1	3.1
Average Per Game.....	173.0	114.3
TDs Rushing.....	6	3
PASSING YARDAGE.....	703	656
Att-Comp-Int.....	81-45-4	112-72-2
Average Per Pass.....	8.7	5.9
Average Per Catch.....	15.6	9.1
Average Per Game.....	234.3	218.7
TDs Passing.....	6	4
TOTAL OFFENSE.....	1222	999
Total Plays.....	183	224
Average Per Play.....	6.7	4.5
Average Per Game.....	407.3	333.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards.....	11-160	13-287
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards.....	4-94	4-47
INT RETURNS: #-Yards.....	2-34	4-36
KICK RETURN AVERAGE.....	14.5	22.1
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE.....	23.5	11.8
INT RETURN AVERAGE.....	17.0	9.0
FUMBLES-LOST.....	5-1	3-1
PENALTIES-Yards.....	15-155	16-115
Average Per Game.....	51.7	38.3
PUNTS-Yards.....	10-384	15-558
Average Per Punt.....	38.4	37.2
Net punt average.....	33.7	29.6
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game.....	26:39	33:01
3RD-DOWN Conversions.....	16/34	21/52
3rd-Down Pct.....	47%	40%
4TH-DOWN Conversions.....	1/1	4/7
4th-Down Pct.....	100%	57%
SACKS BY-Yards.....	5-32	1-2
MISC YARDS.....	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED.....	13	7
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS.....	4-4	5-6
ON-SIDE KICKS.....	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES.....	11-12 92%	8-9 89%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS.....	8-12 67%	5-9 56%
PAT-ATTEMPTS.....	13-13 100%	7-7 100%
ATTENDANCE.....	108907	31986
Games/Avg Per Game.....	2/54454	1/31986
Neutral Site Games.....		0/0

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Ole Miss.....	24	37	14	28	103
Opponents.....	21	6	10	27	64

2008 Ole Miss Rebel Football  
 Ole Miss Overall Individual Statistics (as of Sep 13, 2008)  
 All games

RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Bolden, Brandon	3	24	165	4	161	6.7	2	36	53.7
Eason, Cordera	3	31	124	6	118	3.8	1	12	39.3
McCluster, D.	3	7	72	1	71	10.1	1	32	23.7
Davis, Enrique	3	18	69	8	61	3.4	2	14	20.3
Thomas, Devin	3	5	34	0	34	6.8	0	19	11.3
Davis, Derrick	2	7	29	0	29	4.1	0	9	14.5
Wallace, Mike	3	2	20	0	20	10.0	0	16	6.7
Snead, Jevan	3	7	23	4	19	2.7	0	8	6.3
Breaux, Lionel	3	1	6	0	6	6.0	0	6	2.0
Total.....	3	102	542	23	519	5.1	6	36	173.0
Opponents.....	3	112	402	59	343	3.1	3	25	114.3

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Green, Marshay	3	95	31.7	1	77
Mouzon, Dustin	1	-1	-1.0	0	0
Total.....	4	94	23.5	1	77
Opponents.....	4	47	11.8	0	20

  

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Lewis, Kendrick	1	33	33.0	0	33
Mouzon, Dustin	1	1	1.0	0	1
Total.....	2	34	17.0	0	33
Opponents.....	4	36	9.0	0	36

PASSING	GP	Effic	Cmp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Snead, Jevan	3	145.77	43-77-3	55.8	660	6	64	220.0
McCluster, D.	3	-100.00	0-2-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Tapp, Billy	2	150.40	1-1-0	100.0	6	0	6	3.0
Bolden, Brandon	3	410.80	1-1-0	100.0	37	0	37	12.3
Total.....	3	143.03	45-81-4	55.6	703	6	64	234.3
Opponents.....	3	121.70	72-112-2	64.3	656	4	43	218.7

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Bolden, Brandon	6	94	15.7	0	28
Breaux, Lionel	2	44	22.0	0	24
Cook, Jason	2	14	7.0	0	10
Hartmann, Andy	1	8	8.0	0	8
Total.....	11	160	14.5	0	28
Opponents.....	13	287	22.1	0	52

RECEIVING	GP	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
McCluster, D.	3	10	163	16.3	1	31	54.3
Hodge, Shay	3	8	176	22.0	3	64	58.7
Wallace, Mike	3	8	151	18.9	0	42	50.3
Cook, Jason	3	4	30	7.5	0	16	10.0
Eason, Cordera	3	4	26	6.5	1	14	8.7
Breaux, Lionel	3	3	40	13.3	0	29	13.3
Bolden, Brandon	3	2	43	21.5	0	33	14.3
Harris, Gerald	3	2	20	10.0	1	16	6.7
Hartmann, Andy	3	2	11	5.5	0	8	3.7
Snead, Jevan	3	1	37	37.0	0	37	12.3
Harris, Andrew	3	1	6	6.0	0	6	2.0
Total.....	3	45	703	15.6	6	64	234.3
Opponents.....	3	72	656	9.1	4	43	218.7

FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Total.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents.....	0	0	0.0	0	0

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|----- PATs -----|

SCORING	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
Shene,Joshua	0	4-4	13-13	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	25
Hodge,Shay	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Eason,Cordera	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
McCluster,D.	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Davis,Enrique	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Bolden,Brandon	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Harris,Gerald	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Green,Marshay	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Total.....	13	4-4	13-13	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	103
Opponents.....	7	5-6	7-7	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	64

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Snead,Jevan	3	84	19	660	679	226.3
Bolden,Brandon	3	25	161	37	198	66.0
Eason,Cordera	3	31	118	0	118	39.3
McCluster,D.	3	9	71	0	71	23.7
Davis,Enrique	3	18	61	0	61	20.3
Thomas,Devin	3	5	34	0	34	11.3
Davis,Derrick	2	7	29	0	29	14.5
Wallace,Mike	3	2	20	0	20	6.7
Tapp,Billy	2	1	0	6	6	3.0
Breaux,Lionel	3	1	6	0	6	2.0
Total.....	3	183	519	703	1222	407.3
Opponents.....	3	224	343	656	999	333.0

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
Shene,Joshua	4-4	100.0	0-0	1-1	2-2	1-1	0-0	47	0

FG SEQUENCE	Ole Miss	OPPONENTS
Memphis	(26),(47)	(39)
Wake Forest	-	(21),(27),(41)
Samford	(33),(38)	39,(35)

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
Park,Rob	10	384	38.4	58	0	5	1	0
Total.....	10	384	38.4	58	0	5	1	0
Opponents.....	15	558	37.2	43	1	4	6	0

KICKOFFS	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
Sparks,Justin	20	1293	64.7	6	1			
Total.....	20	1293	64.7	6	1	287	44.3	25
Opponents.....	14	814	58.1	2	1	160	43.9	26

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ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
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Bolden,Brandon	3	161	43	0	94	0	298	99.3
McCluster,D.	3	71	163	0	0	0	234	78.0
Hodge,Shay	3	0	176	0	0	0	176	58.7
Wallace,Mike	3	20	151	0	0	0	171	57.0
Eason,Cordera	3	118	26	0	0	0	144	48.0
Green,Marshay	3	0	0	95	0	0	95	31.7
Breaux,Lionel	3	6	40	0	44	0	90	30.0
Davis,Enrique	3	61	0	0	0	0	61	20.3
Snead,Jevan	3	19	37	0	0	0	56	18.7
Cook,Jason	3	0	30	0	14	0	44	14.7
Thomas,Devin	3	34	0	0	0	0	34	11.3
Lewis,Kendrick	3	0	0	0	0	33	33	11.0
Davis,Derrick	2	29	0	0	0	0	29	14.5
Harris,Gerald	3	0	20	0	0	0	20	6.7
Hartmann,Andy	3	0	11	0	8	0	19	6.3
Harris,Andrew	3	0	6	0	0	0	6	2.0
Total.....	3	519	703	94	160	34	1510	503.3
Opponents.....	3	343	656	47	287	36	1369	456.3

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DEFENSIVE LEADERS	-----Tackles-----					-Sacks-		---Pass Def---			-Fumbles-		Blkd	
	GP	Solo	Ast	Total	TFL/Yds	No-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Rcv-Yds	FF	Kick	Saf	
13 Sanford, Jamarca	3	17	8	25	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	
1 Lewis, Kendrick	3	11	10	21	0.5-1	.	1-33	3	.	.	.	.	.	
24 Vaughn, Cassius	3	9	6	15	2.0-10	1.0-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
11 Palmer, Ashlee	3	9	4	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
47 Fein, Tony	3	6	6	12	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
95 Stephens, E.	3	8	3	11	1.5-4	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	
48 Brumfield, Lamar	3	6	5	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
51 Cornell, J.	3	8	3	11	3.5-10	1.0-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
40 Lockett, K.	3	5	6	11	2.0-8	0.5-4	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
96 Scott, Lawon	3	5	4	9	1.5-10	1.0-9	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
52 Bowers, Chris	3	5	4	9	1.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
20 Brown, Johnny	3	7	2	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	
6 McGee, Jeremy	3	7	1	8	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	
12 Mouzon, Dustin	3	6	2	8	1.5-2	0.5-1	1-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
92 Tillman, Marcus	3	5	3	8	1.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
7 Trahan, Patrick	3	6	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
9 Walker, Allen	2	1	6	7	1.0-4	1.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
98 Jerry, Peria	2	3	3	6	2.0-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
35 Ingram, Fon	3	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
99 Laurent, Ted	3	3	1	4	3.5-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
8 Green, Marshay	3	2	2	4	0.5-0	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
9H Smith, Justin	3	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
41 Temple, Marcus	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	
57 Powe, Jerrell	3	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
23 Helow, George	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
82 Ryan, Garrett	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
21 Breaux, Lionel	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
55 Hargroder, Don	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
34 Bolden, Brandon	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Total.....	3	141	86	227	24-65	5-32	2-34	9	3	1-0	2	.	.	
Opponents.....	3	90	101	191	11-24	1-2	4-36	5	3	1-0	3	.	.	





**TEAM GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS**

Total Offense		MEM	WF	SAM	VU	UF	USC	ALA	ARK	AUB	ULM	LSU	MSU
Yards	UM	438	360	424									
	Opp	453	248	198									
Total Plays	UM	59	62	62									
	Opp	84	74	66									
Avg/Play	UM	6.0	5.8	6.8									
	Opp	4.7	4.7	3.0									
<b>Rushing</b>													
Yards	UM	216	107	196									
	Opp	188	81	74									
Carries	UM	36	29	37									
	Opp	40	31	41									
TDs	UM	3	0	3									
	Opp	1	1	1									
<b>Passing</b>													
Yards	UM	222	253	228									
	Opp	265	267	124									
Attempts	UM	23	33	25									
	Opp	44	43	25									
Completions	UM	11	20	14									
	Opp	24	32	16									
Comp. %	UM	47.8	62.5	56.0									
	Opp	54.5	74.4	64.0									
TDs	UM	2	4	0									
	Opp	2	2	0									
Had Intercepted	UM	0	2	2									
	Opp	2	0	0									
<b>First Downs</b>													
Total	UM	19	21	23									
	Opp	28	22	14									
Rushing	UM	10	7	12									
	Opp	13	6	3									
Passing	UM	9	12	10									
	Opp	11	13	8									
Penalty	UM	0	2	1									
	Opp	4	3	3									
Time of Possession	UM	26:20	27:47	25:52									
	Opp	33:40	32:12	34:08									
Third Down	UM	7 of 12	5 of 13	4 of 9									
	Opp	8 of 16	5 of 17	8 of 19									
Fourth Down	UM	0 of 0	1 of 1	0 of 0									
	Opp	2 of 4	2 of 2	0 of 1									
Punting	UM	3-119	5-193	2-72									
	Opp	3-115	6-222	6-221									
Fumbles	UM	0-0	4-1	1-0									
	Opp	0-0	3-1	0-0									
Penalties	UM	4-45	7-68	4-42									
	Opp	8-50	4-35	4-30									
Punt Returns	UM	0-0	1-(-1)	3-95									
	Opp	1-4	3-43	0-0									
Kickoff Returns	UM	3-53	5-85	3-22									
	Opp	7-117	2-39	4-121									
Sacks By	UM	0	4	1									
	Opp	1	0	0									

**GAME-BY-GAME STARTING LINEUPS**

Offense	SE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	FL	QB	RB	FB
Memphis	Hodge	Oher	Harris	Geralds	Miller	J. Jerry	Traxler	McCluster	Snead	Eason	Cook
Wake Forest	Hodge	Oher	Harris	Geralds	Miller	J. Jerry	Traxler	Wallace	Snead	Eason	Cook
Samford	Breaux	Oher	Harris	Geralds	Miller	J. Jerry	McCluster (WR)	Wallace	Snead	Eason	Hodge (WR)
Defense	LE	DT	NT	RE	WLB	MLB	SLB	LCB	SS	FS	RCB
Memphis	Stephens	Scott	Tillman	Lockett	Palmer	Cornell	Green (NB)	Mouzon	Sanford	Lewis	Vaughn
Wake Forest	Stephens	Scott	Tillman	Lockett	Palmer	Cornell	Brumfield	Mouzon	Sanford	Lewis	Vaughn
Samford	Tillman	Laurent	P. Jerry	Lockett	Palmer	Cornell	Brumfield	Green	Sanford	Lewis	Vaughn

### 2008 BREAKDOWN

Category	2008
Record	2-1
SEC	0-0
vs. SEC West	0-0
vs. SEC East	0-0
Non-Conference	1-1
vs. Conference USA	1-0
vs. ACC	0-1
vs. Southern Conference	1-0
Home	2-0
Away	0-1
Day Games	0-1
Night Games (6 p.m. start or later)	2-0
vs. Top 25 teams	0-1
TV games	0-1
on ABC/ESPN2	0-1
When scoring first	2-0
When opponents score first	0-1
When leading at halftime	2-1
When trailing at halftime	0-0
When tied at halftime	0-0
When leading after third quarter	2-0
When trailing after third quarter	0-1
When tied after third quarter	0-0
In overtime games	0-0
When scoring less than 20 points	0-0
When scoring 20+ points	2-1
When scoring 30+ points	2-0
When allowing less than 20 points	0-0
When allowing 20+ points	2-1
When allowing 30+ points	0-1
When rushing for <100 yards	0-0
When rushing for 100+ yards	2-1
When rushing for 200+ yards	1-0
When passing for 200+ yards	2-0
When passing for 250+ yards	0-1
When passing for 300+ yards	0-0
When totaling <300 yds total offense	0-0
When gaining 300+ yds total offense	2-1
When allowing <100 yds rushing	1-1
When allowing 100+ yds rushing	1-0
When allowing 200+ yds rushing	0-0
When allowing <200 yds passing	1-0
When allowing 200+ yards passing	1-1
When allowing 250+ yards passing	1-1
When allowing 300+ yards passing	0-0
When allowing <300 yds total offense	1-0
When allowing 300+ yds total offense	1-1
When having a 100-yard rusher	0-0
When opp. have a 100-yard rusher	0-0
When having no turnovers	1-0
When having less than 3 turnovers	2-0
When having 3 or more turnovers	0-1
When having no takeaways	1-0
When having <3 takeaways	2-1
When having 3 or more takeaways	0-0
When having more than 30:00 TOP	0-0
When having less than 30:00 TOP	2-1

### SCORING DRIVES

vs. MEMPHIS

Started at	Plays	Yards	Time	Result
Ole Miss 3	7	97	3:07	TD
Ole Miss 40	5	60	0:56	TD
Ole Miss 20	10	80	5:07	TD
Ole Miss 33	6	58	1:59	FG
Memphis 34	4	4	0:48	FG
Ole Miss 46	9	54	3:43	TD
Ole Miss 34	5	66	2:19	TD

at WAKE FOREST

Started at	Plays	Yards	Time	Result
Ole Miss 6	9	94	3:39	TD
Ole Miss 17	9	83	3:34	TD
Wake Forest 30	2	30	0:35	TD
Ole Miss 20	15	80	7:06	TD

vs. SAMFORD

Started at	Plays	Yards	Time	Result
Ole Miss 22	11	63	4:15	FG
Ole Miss 43	8	36	3:06	FG
Ole Miss 47	6	53	2:50	TD
Ole Miss 9	5	91	0:51	TD
Ole Miss 37	9	63	3:50	TD
Samford 0	0	0	0:00	TD

### CHARTING THE BIG PLAYS

— RUSHING —

Player	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
McCluster	1		1			2
Bolden	1		1			2
E. Davis	1					1
Thomas	1					1
Breaux	1					1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>	<b></b>	<b>2</b>	<b></b>	<b></b>	<b>7</b>

  

— PASSING —

Player	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
Snead	12	3	2		1	18
Bolden			1			1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b></b>	<b>1</b>	<b>19</b>

— RECEIVING —

Player	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
McCluster	4	1	1			6
Hodge	1	1			1	3
Wallace	2	1				3
Cook	2					2
Bolden	1		1			2
Snead			1			1
Harris	1					1
Eason	1					1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b></b>	<b>1</b>	<b>19</b>

### IN THE RED ZONE

When the offense moves the ball inside the opponent's 20-yard line, the offense is considered to be in the "red zone," and in prime scoring position. The following chart shows how the Rebel offense performed inside the "red zone" during the 2008 season:

Game	Chances	TD	FG	TO	Downs	Missed FG	Half
Memphis	4	3	1	0	0	0	0
Wake Forest	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Samford	6	4	1	0	0	0	1
Vanderbilt							
Florida							
South Carolina							
Alabama							
Arkansas							
Auburn							
Louisiana-Monroe							
LSU							
Mississippi State							
<b>Totals</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Opp. Totals</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Ole Miss Scoring Percentage: .916 (11-of-12)  
Opponents Scoring Percentage: .888 (8-of-9)

Ole Miss Points Scored: 69  
Opponents Points Scored: 44

## MISCELLANEOUS REBEL RECORDS

### THE LAST TIME OLE MISS HAD . . .

30 or more first downs . . . . .	Wyoming, 2004 (35)
500 yards rushing . . . . .	Auburn, 1951 (515)
400 yards rushing . . . . .	Tennessee, 1977 (433)
300 yards rushing . . . . .	LSU, 1999 (323)
200 yards rushing . . . . .	Memphis, 2008 (216)
400 yards passing . . . . .	Texas Tech, 2003 (409)
300 yards passing . . . . .	Florida, 2007 (310)
600 yards total offense . . . . .	Louisiana-Monroe, 2003 (612)
500 yards total offense . . . . .	Missouri, 2007 (534)
90 plays total offense . . . . .	Wyoming, 2004 (100)
Four passes intercepted . . . . .	Arkansas, 2007 (4)
Four pass interceptions . . . . .	Memphis, 2007 (4)
10 penalties . . . . .	Florida, 2007 (10)
100 yards in penalties . . . . .	Auburn, 2004 (104)
50 points . . . . .	Arkansas State, 2003 (55)
99 yard scoring drive . . . . .	Memphis State, 1989 (12 plays)
90-plus yard scoring drive . . . . .	Samford, 2008 (91 yards, 5 plays; Cordera Eason 12-yard run)

### THE LAST TIME OLE MISS HELD ITS OPPONENT TO . . .

Less than 10 first downs . . . . .	Citadel, 2005 (4)
10 first downs . . . . .	Mississippi State, 2006 (10)
Negative yards rushing . . . . .	Memphis, 1999 (-8)
10 yards rushing . . . . .	Georgia, 1993 (1)
100 yards (or less) rushing . . . . .	Samford, 2008 (74)
Zero yards passing . . . . .	Alabama, 1988
No pass completions . . . . .	Alabama, 1988
10 yards passing . . . . .	Georgia, 1977 (7)
10 pass attempts . . . . .	Wake Forest, 2006 (5)
Zero yards total offense . . . . .	Sewanee, 1938
50 yards (or less) total offense . . . . .	Mississippi State, 1966 (42)
75 yards (or less) total offense . . . . .	Vanderbilt, 1993 (51)
150 yards (or less) total offense . . . . .	Citadel, 2005 (81)
200 yards (or less) total offense . . . . .	Samford, 2008 (198)
No touchdowns . . . . .	Louisiana Tech, 2007 (0 points)

### THE LAST TIME OLE MISS . . .

Had two passers throw for 100 yards . . . . .	West Virginia, 2000 (Romaro Miller 221, Eli Manning 167)
Had two passers complete 10 passes . . . . .	Auburn, 2005 (Micheal Spurlock, 10-18, Ethan Flatt, 11-17)
Had two runners rush for 100 yards . . . . .	Georgia, 1999 (Deuce McAllister 104, Joe Gunn 103)
Had two receivers over 100 receiving yards . . . . .	Louisiana-Monroe, 2003 (Chris Collins 121, Taye Biddle 105)
Had two receivers catch 10 passes . . . . .	Arkansas, 2002 (Bill Flowers 11, Chris Collins 10)
Had four receivers catch five passes . . . . .	Georgia, 1997 (John Avery 8, Andre Rone 6, Cory Peterson 6, Rufus French 5)
Had three receivers catch five passes . . . . .	Missouri, 2007 (Mike Wallace 7, Marshay Green 5, Shay Hodge 5)
Had two receivers catch five passes . . . . .	Missouri, 2007 (Mike Wallace 7, Marshay Green 5, Shay Hodge 5)
Had a 100-yard rusher and a 100-yard receiver . . . . .	Missouri, 2007 (BenJarvus Green-Ellis 226 yards rushing/Mike Wallace 136 yards receiving)
Returned a punt for a TD . . . . .	Samford, 2008 (Marshay Green, 77 yards)
Returned a kickoff for a TD . . . . .	Northwestern State, 2007 (Mike Wallace, 77 yards)
Returned an interception for a TD . . . . .	Memphis, 2007 (Dustin Mouzon, 99 yards)
Returned two interceptions for TDs . . . . .	Northern Illinois, 1993 (Alundis Brice, 37 yards; Antonious Bonner, 46 yards)
Returned a fumble for a TD . . . . .	Citadel, 2005 (Travis Johnson, 16 yards)
Recovered a fumble for a TD . . . . .	SMU, 1998 (Michael Boone)
Blocked a punt . . . . .	Alabama, 2007 (Dustin Mouzon)
Blocked a punt for a TD . . . . .	Memphis, 2007 (Kendrick Lewis recovered Brandon Sutherland's blocked punt)
Blocked an opponents' FG attempt . . . . .	Louisiana Tech, 2007 (Brandon Jenkins blocked D. Horwedel's 36-yard attempt)
Blocked an opponents' FG attempt for a TD . . . . .	Louisiana Tech, 2007 (Brandon Jenkins blocked D. Horwedel's 36-yard attempt, Dustin Mouzon 55-yard return)

Had a punt blocked . . . . .	Alabama, 2003
Had a punt blocked for a TD . . . . .	Alabama, 2003
Had a kickoff returned for a TD . . . . .	LSU, 2007
Had a punt returned for a TD . . . . .	Mississippi State, 2007
Had an interception returned for a TD . . . . .	Arkansas, 2005
Missed a PAT kick . . . . .	Memphis, 2007
Had a PAT kick blocked . . . . .	Vanderbilt, 2005
Blocked an opponent's PAT kick . . . . .	LSU, 2006 (John Jerry blocked C. David's attempt)
A successful two-point conversion . . . . .	Arkansas, 2007 (Mike Wallace pass from Brent Scheaffer, 4th quarter)
Had a field goal attempt blocked . . . . .	Kentucky, 2005 (Matt Hinkle's 44-yard attempt)
Had two field goal attempts blocked . . . . .	Kentucky, 2005 (Robert Bass' 39-yd attempt, Matt Hinkle's 44-yard attempt)
Gained a first down off a fake field goal attempt . . . . .	Georgia, 1995
Gained a first down off a fake punt . . . . .	Vanderbilt, 2007 (Jamarca Sanford 5-yard run)
Recovered an onside kick . . . . .	LSU, 2006 (Jamarca Sanford)
Shut out an opponent . . . . .	Louisiana Tech, 2007 (24-0)
Was shut out . . . . .	Arkansas, 1998 (34-0)
Played an overtime game . . . . .	LSU, 2006 (L, 20-23)
Scored a safety . . . . .	South Carolina, 2003 (Dondrial Pinkins called for intentional grounding in the end zone)
Scored 2 safeties in the same game . . . . .	Northern Illinois, 1993 (team)
Gave up a safety . . . . .	LSU, 2005
Had no turnovers . . . . .	Mississippi State, 2006
Defeated a nationally ranked team . . . . .	South Carolina, 2004 (31-28, (#25 Associated Press))
Was ranked in top 25 . . . . .	2003 Final (#13 AP; #14 ESPN/USA Today Coaches)
Ended the year ranked in top 25 . . . . .	2003 (#13 AP/#14 ESPN/USA Today Coaches)

### THE LAST TIME AN OLE MISS PLAYER . . .

Rushed 30 times . . . . .	BenJarvus Green-Ellis vs. Missouri, 2007 (33)
Rushed 25 times . . . . .	BenJarvus Green-Ellis vs. Missouri, 2007 (33)
Rushed for 200 yards . . . . .	BenJarvus Green-Ellis vs. Missouri, 2007 (226)
Rushed for 150 yards . . . . .	BenJarvus Green-Ellis vs. Missouri, 2007 (226)
Rushed for 100 yards . . . . .	BenJarvus Green-Ellis vs. Mississippi State, 2007 (117)
Passed for 400 yards . . . . .	Eli Manning vs. Texas Tech, 2003 (409)
Passed for 300 yards . . . . .	Seth Adams vs. Florida, 2007 (302)
Attempted 50 passes . . . . .	Eli Manning vs. Arkansas, 2002 (56)
Attempted 40 passes . . . . .	Seth Adams vs. Alabama, 2007 (40)
Attempted 30 passes . . . . .	Brent Schaeffer vs. Mississippi State, 2007 (30)
Completed 30 passes . . . . .	Eli Manning vs. South Carolina, 2003 (30)
Completed 20 passes . . . . .	Seth Adams vs. Alabama, 2007 (22)
Passed for 4 or more TDs . . . . .	Jevan Snead vs. Wake Forest, 2008 (4)
Threw 3 or more interceptions . . . . .	Seth Adams vs. Arkansas, 2007 (4)
Had 400 yards Total Offense . . . . .	Eli Manning vs. Texas Tech, 2003 (411)
Had 300 yards Total Offense . . . . .	Brent Schaeffer vs. LSU, 2007 (302)
Had 250 All-Purpose Yards . . . . .	Dexter McCluster vs. Memphis, 2006 (268)
Had 200 All-Purpose Yards . . . . .	BenJarvus Green-Ellis (226) vs. Missouri, 2007 & Marshay Green (208) vs. Missouri, 2007
Caught 10 passes . . . . .	Mike Espy (10) vs. Tennessee, 2005
Caught 9 passes . . . . .	Mike Espy (9) vs. Auburn, 2005
Had 100 receiving yards . . . . .	Mike Wallace (101) vs. Samford, 2008
Scored 10 points kicking . . . . .	Joshua Shene vs. Alabama, 2006 (11)
Scored 3 touchdowns rushing . . . . .	BenJarvus Green-Ellis vs. Northwestern State, 2007 (3)
Scored 3 touchdowns receiving . . . . .	Chris Collins vs. Auburn, 2002 (3)
Scored 2 touchdowns receiving . . . . .	Shay Hodge vs. Memphis, 2008
Intercepted 3 passes . . . . .	Don Price vs. Vanderbilt, 1986 (3)
Intercepted 2 passes . . . . .	Dustin Mouzon vs. Memphis, 2007 (2)
Forced 3 fumbles . . . . .	Rory Johnson vs. Vanderbilt, 2006 (3)
Recovered 2 fumbles . . . . .	Rory Johnson vs. Vanderbilt, 2006 (2)
Punted for a 70-yard game average . . . . .	Bill Smith vs. So. Miss., 1984 (2-84.5)
Kicked a 45-yard Field Goal . . . . .	Joshua Shene vs. Memphis, 2008 (47)
Kicked a 50-yard Field Goal . . . . .	Joshua Shene vs. Auburn, 2007 (51)
Kicked five field goals in game . . . . .	Jonathan Nichols vs. Texas Tech, 2003 (39, 29, 33, 25, 33, 24)
Kicked four field goals in a game . . . . .	Jonathan Nichols vs. Wyoming, 2004 (37, 26, 30, 43)

## OLE MISS 41, MEMPHIS 24

Game #1 • August 30, 2008

Attendance: 56,127 • Vaught-Hemingway Stadium • Oxford, Miss.

OXFORD, Miss. (AP) -Jevan Snead hit Shay Hodge with touchdown passes of 64 and 15 yards and Ole Miss beat Memphis 41-24 in Houston Nutt 's debut as Rebels coach.

With all eyes on Snead, making his first start, and Nutt, it was Dexter McCluster who provided the spark with 125 total yards and a touchdown run out of Ole Miss' new Wild Rebel formation.

Despite Snead's long touchdown to Hodge in the first quarter, the Rebels struggled early. McCluster, working out of the shotgun in the same "Wildcat" role played by Darren McFadden under Nutt the last two seasons at Arkansas, got Ole Miss rolling with a 32-yard run around the right end for a touchdown and a 14-7 lead late in the first quarter.

It was the first time Ole Miss scored 40 or more points against a Football Bowl Subdivision opponent since a 43-40 win over South Carolina on Nov. 1, 2003.

The Wild Rebel had a lot to do with the point total. Ole Miss rolled up 148 yards on 10 plays out of the formation and capped off the scoring with a 10-yard run from freshman tailback Brandon Bolden. He debuted with 61 of his 76 yards rushing coming in the new formation and hit Snead with a 37-yard pass out of the shotgun.

McCluster finished with 64 yards rushing - 50 out of the Wild Rebel - and four catches for 61 yards receiving.

With 56,127 fans in the stands and players making few mistakes, about the only setback for Nutt was the overeager fan who surprised him with a chestbump as the team made its way through The Grove a few hours before kickoff.

Snead's debut was solid, though not particularly sharp as he completed 10 of 22 passes for 185 yards. He made few mistakes, but overthrew several receivers in his first action since 2006 when he played in a handful of games for Texas before sitting out last season under NCAA transfer rules.

And Nutt appears to have made a difference for the Southeastern Conference's last-place defense. The Rebels intercepted two passes, setting up two field goals by Joshua Shene, and held Memphis in check except for a late 43-yard touchdown pass from Will Hudgens to Maurice Jones and a 1-yard scoring dive by Hudgens once the game was out of hand.

Hudgens and starter Arkelon Hall struggled. Hall finished with 159 yards passing before leaving due to injury and Hudgens passed for 102 yards. Each threw an interception.

Ole Miss	14	13	7	7	—	41
Memphis	7	3	0	14	—	24

### 1st Quarter

- 8:20 UM S. Hodge 64-yd pass from J. Snead (J. Shene kick)
- 3:07 MEM E. Williams 3-yd pass from W. Hudgens (M. Reagan kick)
- 0:56 UM D. McCluster 32-yd run (J. Shene kick)

### 2nd Quarter

- 8:42 UM E. Davis 1-yd run (J. Shene kick)
- 1:59 UM J. Shene 26-yd FG
- 0:48 UM J. Shene 47-yd FG
- 0:00 MEM M. Regan 39-yd FG

### 3rd Quarter

- 8:13 UM S. Hodge 15-yd pass from J. Snead (J. Shene kick)

### 4th Quarter

- 14:51 MEM M. Jones 34-yd pass from W. Hudgens (M. Reagan kick)
- 9:12 UM B. Bolden 10-yd run (J. Shene kick)
- 3:28 MEM W. Hudgens 1-yd run (M. Reagan kick)

### Team Stats

	MEM	UM
First Downs	28	19
Rushes-Yards	40-188	36-216
Passing Yards	265	222
Att.-Comp.-Int.	44-24-2	23-11-0
Total Plays-Yards	84-453	59-438
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	8-50	4-45
Punts-Average	3-38.3	3-39.7
Punt Returns	1-4	0-0
KO Returns	7-127	3-53
Interceptions	0-0-0	2-34-0
Possession Time	33:40	26:20
3rd Down Conv.	8-16	7-12
4th Down Conv.	2-4	0-0
Sacks By-Yards	0-0	0-0

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing

- UM: B. Bolden, 8-76
- D. McCluster, 6-64
- MEM: C. Steele, 15-83
- A. Hall, 7-38

#### Passing

- UM: J. Snead, 22-10-0-185
- MEM: A. Hall, 27-15-1-159

#### Receiving

- UM: D. McCluster, 4-61
- S. Hodge, 2-79
- MEM: C. Singleton, 6-89
- E. Williams, 6-36

## WAKE FOREST 30, OLE MISS 28

Game #2 • September 6, 2008

Attendance: 31,986 • BB&T Field • Wintson-Salem, N.C.

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. (AP) -Sam Swank kicked a 41-yard field goal with 3 seconds left to cap a dramatic final minute and give No. 20 Wake Forest a 30-28 win over Ole Miss on Saturday.

After Jevan Snead's 5-yard touchdown pass to Cordera Eason on fourth down with 1:01 left gave Ole Miss the lead, Riley Skinner led the Demon Deacons on a 56-yard drive, keyed by a pass interference penalty against Marshay Green.

Swank, the nation's active career leader with 65 field goals, calmly drilled the game-winning field goal for the sixth lead change of the game.

Skinner completed 32-of-43 passes for a career-high 348 yards and two touchdowns and no interceptions, and D.J. Boldin caught 11 passes for 123 yards, including a 22-yard catch on the final drive..

The Rebels (1-1) were a minute away from giving first-year coach Houston Nutt a signature win in only his second season, when Snead led a 7-minute, 80-yard drive. Facing fourth-and-3 from the Wake Forest 5, Snead was quickly flushed out of the pocket, scrambled right, then left and back right again before finding Eason in the front of the end zone.

Justin Sparks' extra-point broke the tie, but the experienced Demon Deacons weren't finished.

Snead showed poise all afternoon, completing 20-of-33 for 360 yards and three touchdowns, often creating after the pocket collapsed.

Snead scrambled away from a sack and found Dexter McCluster open in the flat, who raced past three defenders for a 31-yard touchdown to give Ole Miss a 21-20 lead early in the fourth quarter.

It made up for Snead throwing interceptions on consecutive plays early in the third quarter. The second, a diving grab by Brandon Ghee, led to Swank's 27-yard field goal to get Wake Forest within 14-13.

Early, Nutt's "Wild Rebel" formation of direct snaps to running backs and receivers caused Wake Forest problems.

Nutt promised to add wrinkles to the formation, and a gimmick play set up the tying touchdown late in the first quarter. A direct snap to McCluster turned into a reverse-flea flicker, with Snead finding Brandon Bolden for a 33-yard gain. That set up Snead's 4-yard TD pass to Gerald Harris.

Ole Miss	7	7	0	14	—	28
Wake Forest	7	3	10	10	—	30

### 1st Quarter

- 11:51 WF K. Harris 14-yd pass from R. Skinner (S. Swank kick)
- 4:12 UM G. Harris 4-yd pass from J. Snead (J. Shene kick)

### 2nd Quarter

- 11:45 UM S. Hodge 28-yd pass from J. Snead (J. Shene kick)
- 0:01 WF S. Swank 21-yd FG

### 3rd Quarter

- 6:18 WF S. Swank 21-yd FG
- 1:35 WF M. Williams 24-yd pass from R. Skinner (S. Swank kick)

### 4th Quarter

- 14:11 UM D. McCluster 31-yd pass from J. Snead (J. Shene kick)
- 11:37 WF B. Pendergrass 12-yd run (S. Swank kick)
- 1:01 UM C. Eason 5-yd pass from J. Snead (J. Shene kick)
- 0:03 WF S. Swank 41-yd FG

### Team Stats

	UM	WF
First Downs	21	22
Rushes-Yards	29-107	31-81
Passing Yards	253	267
Att.-Comp.-Int.	33-20-2	43-32-0
Total Plays-Yards	62-360	74-348
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	3-1
Penalties-Yards	7-68	4-35
Punts-Average	5-38.6	6-37.0
Punt Returns	1-(-1)	3-43
KO Returns	5-85	2-39
Interceptions	0-0-0	2-0-0
Possession Time	27:47	32:12
3rd Down Conv.	5-13	5-17
4th Down Conv.	1-1	2-2
Sacks By-Yards	4-23	0-0

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing

- UM: B. Bolden, 8-36
- D. Thomas, 1-19
- WF: B. Pendergrass, 8-49
- J. Adams, 12-43

#### Passing

- UM: J. Snead, 31-20-1-253
- WF: R. Skinner, 43-32-0-267

#### Receiving

- UM: S. Hodge, 5-66
- D. McCluster, 4-64
- WF: D. Boldin, 11-123
- B. Wooster, 5-32

## OLE MISS 34, SAMFORD 10

Game #3 • September 13, 2008

Attendance: 52,780 • Vaught-Hemingway Stadium • Oxford, Miss.

OXFORD, Miss. (AP) - Marshay Green scored on a 77-yard punt return and Ole Miss used 31 unanswered points to easily defeat Samford 34-10.

Samford (2-1), which plays in the Southern Conference, made it interesting until the final four minutes of the second quarter.

The Bulldogs held a 7-6 advantage, scoring on a 13-yard run by Riley Hawkins after Jeremy Richardson set up the touchdown with a 36-yard interception return.

Ole Miss (2-1) answered with 31 consecutive points in the next 20 minutes to make it a blowout.

The Rebels assumed control with consecutive touchdown drives of 53, 91 and 63 yards late in the second quarter and early in the third quarter.

The Rebels led 20-7 at halftime as Brandon Bolden and Cordera Eason had touchdown runs of 6 and 12 yards, respectively.

Jevan Snead, who finished 13 of 24 for 222 yards, was especially sharp in the decisive scoring drives, going 4 of 5 for 102 yards.

The Rebels dominated the second half, scoring on the opening series on a 5-yard run by Enrique Davis.

Ole Miss added a Green's punt return touchdown, turned in a goal line stand and finished with 422 yards of total offense.

Samford's John Paul Fraites kicked a 35-yard field goal with 5:03 left to cap the scoring.

The Bulldogs finished with 198 yards of total offense, did not have a turnover and had a pair of interceptions, but could not match Ole Miss in the final 35 minutes.

Samford	7	0	0	3	—	10
Ole Miss	3	17	7	7	—	34

### 1st Quarter

4:15	UM	J. Shene 33-yd field goal
1:09	SAM	R. Hawkins 13-yd run (J. Fraites kick)
0:56	UM	D. McCluster 32-yd run (J. Shene kick)

### 2nd Quarter

13:03	UM	J. Shene 38-yd field goal
3:52	UM	B. Bolden 6-yd run (J. Shene kick)
0:59	UM	C. Eason 12-yd run (J. Shene kick)

### 3rd Quarter

11:10	UM	E. Davis 4-yd run (J. Shene kick)
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### 4th Quarter

13:28	UM	M. Green 77-yd punt return (J. Shene kick)
5:03	SAM	J. Fraites 35-yd field goal

### Team Stats

#### SAM

#### UM

### Individual Leaders

First Downs	14	23
Rushes-Yards	14-74	37-196
Passing Yards	124	228
Att.-Comp.-Int.	25-16-0	25-14-2
Total Plays-Yards	66-198	62-424
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	4-30	4-42
Punts-Average	6-36.8	2-36.0
Punt Returns	0-0	3-95
KO Returns	4-121	3-22
Interceptions	2-36-0	0-0-0
Possession Time	34:08	25:52
3rd Down Conv.	8-19	4-9
4th Down Conv.	0-1	0-0
Sacks By-Yards	0-0	1-9

### Rushing

UM:	C. Eason, 13-68
	B. Bolden, 8-76
SAM:	C. Evans, 23-49
	R. Hawkins, 1-13

### Passing

UM:	J. Snead, 24-13-2-222
SAM:	D. Taliaferro, 22-16-0-124

### Receiving

UM:	M. Wallace, 4-101
	L. Breaux, 3-40
SAM:	J. Lowery, 4-55
	D. Covington, 4-29