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ACC CHAMPIONS: 2004 | 2007 | 2008 | 2010 BIG EAST CHAMPIONS: 1995 | 1996 | 1999 SOUTHERN CHAMPIONS: 1963

Saturday, Sept. 3, 2011

Kickoff: 12:30 pm

Lane Stadium/Worsham Field
66,233 • Blacksburg, Va.

Series vs. ASU: VT leads, 3-0

Last Meeting: 1982 (VT 34, ASU 0)

BROADCAST INFORMATION

Broadcast: ACC Network

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PLAYER SPOTLIGHT

WR JARRETT BOYKIN



SR.; CHARLOTTE, N.C.

Boykin enters his fourth year as the starting split end for the Hokies poised to break all sorts of records. He needs just four receptions

to set a new school record for career catches (126 held by Ernest Wilford) and is one of just four Tech players all-time to eclipse 2,000 yards receiving in a career. Boykin also needs 150 yards receiving to break Ricky Scales' school mark of 2,272 yards. He is also on track to graduate in December.

CAREER STATISTICS

123 rec., 2,123 yds., 17.3 avg., 13 TDs



Appalachian State (0-0, 0-0 Southern)

MOUNTAINEERS

THE SERIES

• This will be the fourth meeting in football between the Hokies and the Mountaineers, with Virginia Tech holding a 3-0 lead in a series that has been entirely in Blacksburg. It will be the first meeting between the two schools since 1982, when Tech shut out ASU, 34-0. The two met the previous year with the Hokies winning 34-12 and the series began in 1979 with Virginia Tech downing Appalachian State, 41-32.

THE OPENING ACT

• Thanks to a string of 40 consecutive opening-game victories from 1903 through 1942, Tech has an 81-35-1 overall record in season-opening football games. Over the past 43 seasons, however, the Hokies have won just 22 times on opening day. Last year, Tech lost 33-30 to Boise State.

• The Hokies are 16-8 in season openers during Frank Beamer's tenure as head coach.



#13/13 Virginia Tech (0-0, 0-0 ACC)

HOKIES

Tech has won 16 of its past 22 opening-day games, including 11 of the past 15, but has lost the last three.

STRONG IN SEPTEMBER

• Tech has a 60-10 mark in September dating back to the start of its bowl streak in the 1993 season, including a 21-5 mark over the past six seasons (2005-2010).

GUNNING FOR 200

• Saturday will mark a rare match up of two coaches both closing in on major milestones as Tech's Frank Beamer (198) and Appalachian State's Jerry Moore (199) are both within earshot of winning their 200th game at one school.

• It's an exclusive club as only 31 current or former coaches at any NCAA level have ever won 200 or more games at one school.

• Only nine of those coaches are/were FBS/Division I-A coaches.

COUNTDOWN TO KICKOFF

- 10 Virginia Tech has now won 10 or more games in 10 of its last 12 seasons, including the last seven in a row.
- 9 Junior tailback and return specialist David Wilson has averaged 9.3 yards every time he has touched the football at Tech.
- 8 There are eight seniors on the 2011 squad who have already graduated from Virginia Tech.
- 7 The Hokies have intercepted at least one pass in seven consecutive games.
- 6 Tech's current tight end corps has combined for just six career catches.
- 5 Virginia Tech will start an untested field goal kicker for the fifth consecutive season.
- 4 Jarrett Boykin needs four catches to become Virginia Tech's all-time leader in receptions.
- 3 This will mark just the third time Tech has opened a season with a home game since joining the ACC in 2004.
- 2 Over the past 20 seasons, Tech has lost just two non-conference home games during the month of September.
- 1 Senior Dyrell Roberts is just 19 yards shy of taking over first place in career kickoff return yards at Tech.



COACH FRANK BEAMER

Frank Beamer (Virginia Tech '69), whose Virginia Tech teams have posted a 174-56 record over the past 18 seasons and have appeared in bowl games each year in that span, is entering his 25th year as the head football coach at Tech and 31st overall. Beamer has guided the Hokies to a 198-95-2 record and sits with an overall record of 240-118-4.

Under Beamer, Tech football has enjoyed unprecedented success with 18 consecutive bowl appearances, four ACC titles, four ACC Coastal Division crowns, three BIG EAST Conference titles, two "major" bowl victories and a trip to the national championship game.

Tech won the BIG EAST title in 1995 and 1999, and shared it in '96. Beamer was voted BIG EAST Coach of the Year by the league's coaches each of those seasons and was tabbed the ACC Coach of the Year in both 2004 and 2005.

WINNINGEST NCAA FBS FOOTBALL COACHES

All-Time By Victories

Minimum 10 years as head coach at FBS institutions; record at four-year colleges only; bowl games included

1. 401 * Joe Paterno
2. 377 Bobby Bowden
3. 323 Bear Bryant
4. 319 Pop Warner
5. 314 Amos Alonzo Stagg
6. 257 LaVell Edwards
7. 255 Tom Osborne
8. 249 Lou Holtz
9. 240 * Frank Beamer
10. 238 Woody Hayes
11. 234 Bo Schembechler
12. 232 Hayden Fry
13. 229 Jim Tressel (12 wins vacated)
14. 219 * Mack Brown
- 219 * Chris Ault

* - active coach;

taken from 2011 NCAA Football Record Book

In 1997, he was inducted into the Virginia Tech Sports Hall of Fame and following the 1999 season, he earned eight national coach of the year honors. Beamer returned to his alma mater in December of 1986 after a six-year stint as the head coach at Murray State University, where he compiled a 42-23-2 mark.

During his undergraduate days at Tech, Beamer started three years as a cornerback and played on the Hokies' 1966 and 1968 Liberty Bowl teams.

The 64-year-old Hillsville, Va., native began his collegiate coaching career as a graduate assistant at Maryland in 1972. He held assistant coaching positions at The Citadel and Murray State before being named MSU's head coach in 1981.

He is married to the former Cheryl Oakley of Richmond, Va. They have two children, Shane, a former member of his dad's football team at Virginia Tech and now the associate head coach/running backs coach at Virginia Tech; and daughter Casey, a 2003 graduate of Tech. He has two grandchildren, Sutton and Olivia, daughters of Shane and his wife, Emily.

Beamer was born in Mt. Airy, N.C., and grew up in Hillsville, Va. At Hillsville High, he earned 11 varsity letters as a three-sport athlete in football, basketball and baseball.

Beamer, who is the second-winningest active coach in the Football Bowl Subdivision with 240 victories, had his No. 25 jersey retired by Tech in a pregame ceremony before the Marshall game in 2002. He is ninth all-time among FBS coaches (min. 10 seasons at FBS school) in terms of all-time victories.

STABILITY AT THE TOP

• **Frank Beamer**, the first Tech alumnus to guide Virginia Tech's football program since the 1940s, has coached and won more football games at Tech than any other head coach.

• Only one of the 120 active Division I-A head football coaches has been at his current school consecutively longer than Beamer: Joe Paterno (45th yr., Penn State).

MILESTONE GAMES FOR BEAMER

- **First Collegiate Game and Win:** Southeast Missouri (37-23); Sept. 5, 1981 (at Murray St.)
- **First Game at Tech:** vs. Clemson; Sept. 12, 1987
- **First Win at Tech:** Navy (31-11); Oct. 3, 1987
- **50th Career Win:** West Virginia (12-10); Oct. 7, 1989
- **First Bowl Game and Bowl Win:** Indiana (45-20); Independence Bowl; Dec. 31, 1993
- **100th Career Win:** East Carolina (35-14); Nov. 9, 1996
- **100th Win at Tech:** Connecticut (52-10); Sept. 1, 2001
- **150th Career Win:** Arkansas State (63-7); Aug. 25, 2004
- **150th Win at Tech:** Southern Miss (36-6); Oct. 21, 2006
- **200th Career Win:** Ohio (28-7); Sept. 15, 2007
- **200th Win at Tech:** ??? - (needs two wins)

Conference Titles:

Big East: 1995, 1996 (co), 1999
ACC: 2004, 2007, 2008, 2010

Conference Coach Of The Year:

Big East: 1995, 1996, 1999
ACC: 2004, 2005

THE BEAMER FILE

PERSONAL:

Born: 10/18/46, Mt. Airy, N.C.
Hometown: Hillsville, Va.
Wife: former Cheryl Oakley
Children: Shane, Casey
Grandchildren: Sutton, Olivia

EDUCATION:

High School: Hillsville (1965)
College: Virginia Tech (1969)
Postgraduate: Radford University (1972)

PLAYING EXPERIENCE:

Virginia Tech (1966-68)

COACHING EXPERIENCE:

1972	Graduate Assistant, Maryland
1973-76	Assistant Coach, The Citadel
1977-78	Defensive Coordinator, The Citadel
1979-80	Defensive Coordinator, Murray State
1981-86	Head Coach, Murray State
1981	(8-3)
1982	(4-7)
1983	(7-4)
1984	(9-2)
1985	(7-3-1)
1986	(7-4-1) Ohio Valley co-champs
1987-	Head Coach, Virginia Tech
1987	(2-9)
1988	(3-8)
1989	(6-4-1)
1990	(6-5)
1991	(5-6)
1992	(2-8-1)
1993	(9-3) Independence Bowl champs
1994	(8-4) Gator Bowl
1995	(10-2) BIG EAST champs; Sugar Bowl champs
1996	(10-2) BIG EAST co-champs; Orange Bowl
1997	(7-5) Gator Bowl
1998	(9-3) Music City Bowl champs
1999	(11-1) BIG EAST champs; Sugar Bowl
2000	(11-1) Gator Bowl champs
2001	(8-4) Gator Bowl
2002	(10-4) San Francisco Bowl champs
2003	(8-5) Insight Bowl
2004	(10-3) ACC champs; Sugar Bowl
2005	(11-2) Gator Bowl champs
2006	(10-3) Chick-fil-A Bowl
2007	(11-3) ACC champs; Orange Bowl
2008	(10-4) ACC champs; Orange Bowl champs
2009	(10-3) Chick-fil-A Bowl champs
2010	(11-3) ACC champs; Orange Bowl
2011	(0-0)

Record at MSU: 42-23-2 (six years)

Record at VT: 198-95-2 (25th year)

Record (overall): 240-118-4 (31st year)



Frank Beamer	Coach	Jerry Moore
Virginia Tech	School	Appalachian State
Virginia Tech ('69)	Alma Mater	Baylor ('61)
198-95-2 (25th year)	Record at School	199-79 (23rd year)
240-118-4 (31st year)	Overall Record	226-127-2 (30th year)
0-0	Record vs. the opponent	0-0
0-0	Beamer vs. Moore	

BLACKSBURG HISTORY

All-Time Record (1892-present) 679-431-46

In Blacksburg (1892-present)	351-99-13
Behind Lane Hall (1892)	1-0-0
Sheib Field (1894-1901)	13-1-0
Gibboney Field (1902-08)	19-2-0
Miles Field (1909-25)	60-3-3
Miles Stadium (1926-64)	67-25-4
Lane Stadium (1965-present)	191-68-6
Under Beamer (1987-present)	117-31-1

IN SELECT COMPANY

♦ With two more wins, Tech head coach Frank Beamer will join another elite group, one that includes coaches to win 200 or more games at one college.

♦ Currently, only nine current or former FBS/Division I-A coaches, as well as only 31 coaches at all levels, are in this group.

Coaches With 200+ Victories at One College FBS/Division I-A only

Joe Paterno, Penn St. (1966-)	401
Bobby Bowden, Florida St. (1976-2009)	304
LaVell Edwards, BYU (1972-2000)	257
Tom Osborne, Nebraska (1973-97)	255
Amos Alonzo Stagg, Chicago (1892-1932)	244
Bear Bryant, Alabama (1958-82)	232
Chris Ault, Nevada (1976-)	219
Woody Hayes, Ohio St. (1951-78)	205
Vince Dooley, Georgia (1964-88)	201

Frank Beamer, Virginia Tech (1987-)	198

TEN WIN SEASONS

♦ Tech is the only school in the FBS to win 10 games in each of the past seven seasons.

Consecutive 10-win seasons in modern era

Florida State	14	1987-2000
Texas	9	2001-2009
Miami	8	1985-1992
Virginia Tech	7	2004-current
USC	7	2002-2008
Florida	6	1993-1998
Ohio State	6	2005-current
Nebraska	5	1993-1997
Oklahoma	5	2000-2004
Oklahoma	5	1971-1975
Alabama	5	1971-1975
Boise State	5	2006-current

♦ Virginia Tech has won 10 or more games 10 times over the past 12 seasons and 12 of the past 15 seasons.

TECH IN OVERTIME

9/19/98	at Miami	27-20	W	OT
11/9/02	at Syracuse	42-50	L	3OT
11/15/03	at Temple	24-23	W	OT

COMEBACKS UNDER BEAMER

BIGGEST SECOND-HALF

COMEBACK VICTORIES:

15 points	Virginia (1995)
	trailed 29-14 after 3rd..... won 36-29
14 points	N. Carolina (2008)
	trailed 17-3 in 3rd won 20-17
11 points	Louisville (2004)
	trailed 24-13 in 4th won 35-24

BIGGEST TOTAL COMEBACK VICTORY:

17 points	NC State (2010)
	trailed 17-0 in 2nd..... won 41-30

WHERE BEAMER RANKS

Active NCAA Coaches BY WINS

min. 5 years as D-I head coach/4-year schools only

401	Joe Paterno (Penn State)
240	Frank Beamer (Virginia Tech)
219	Mack Brown (Texas)
219	Chris Ault (Nevada)
186	Steve Spurrier (South Carolina)
179	Brian Kelly (Notre Dame)

Active NCAA Coaches

BY BOWL APPEARANCES

37	Joe Paterno (Penn State)
18	Frank Beamer (Virginia Tech)
17	Steve Spurrier (South Carolina)

THE STORIED LUNCH PAIL

♦ Taken with the Hokies wherever they go is the storied lunch pail. The Pail served as the inspiration for Tech's record-setting 1995 defense, symbolizing Tech's blue collar approach to defensive football. Every year since, a member of the defense has been responsible for toting a new Pail.

♦ Coach Rod Sharpless, then the co-defensive coordinator along with Bud Foster, brought a lunch pail back from New Jersey and they decided that it would become the symbol of the 1995 defense. Sharpless' mother-in-law found the now famous original lunch pail in Mercerville, N.J., where it had belonged to a coal miner.

♦ The players put the unit goals, weekly goals, the keys to success for the week and a signed a mission statement before the season in the Pail ... plus the turf from road wins.

HOKIE TRENDS

	2011	Beamer
August	0-0	4-2
September	0-0	67-25-1
October	0-0	59-28-1
November	0-0	56-27
December	0-0	9-7
January	0-0	3-6
VT's Conference (Big East/ACC) Record		
At home	0-0	54-14
On the road	0-0	48-22
Neutral	0-0	0-0
VT's Non-Conference Record		
At home	0-0	63-17-1
On the road	0-0	21-26-1
Neutral	0-0	12-16
VT's Record When Ranked by AP		
At home	0-0	73-14
On the road	0-0	50-17
Neutral	0-0	10-12
VT vs. Ranked Opponents (AP)		
At home	0-0	23-21-1
On the road	0-0	13-36
Neutral	0-0	10-19
VT's Record in Games ...		
Decided by 4-7 pts.	0-0	21-22
Decided by 3 or less pts.	0-0	15-20-2
In domed stadiums	0-0	6-14
On television	0-0	141-58
VT's Record When Scoring ...		
Less than 20 points	0-0	21-51-2
20-24 points	0-0	25-26
25+ points	0-0	152-18
VT's Record When Allowing ...		
Less than 14 points	0-0	111-5-1
14-24 points	0-0	72-26-1
25+ points	0-0	15-64
VT's Record When ...		
Leading after the 1stQ	0-0	127-33
Leading at the half	0-0	160-27
Leading after the 3rdQ	0-0	177-19-1
Trailing after the 1stQ	0-0	32-43-2
Trailing at the half	0-0	25-61
Trailing after the 3rdQ	0-0	14-71
Tied after the 1stQ	0-0	39-19
Tied at the half	0-0	13-7-2
Tied after the 3rdQ	0-0	7-5-1
Playing an OT game	0-0	2-1
Scoring first	0-0	139-35-1
Opponent scores first	0-0	59-60-1
Outrushing opponent	0-0	174-32-2
Being outrushed	0-0	23-63
Rushing total is even	0-0	1-0
Blocking a kick	0-0	72-33
Scoring a def/ST TD	0-0	78-23



PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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Nick ACREE	A-cree (long A)
Matt ARKEMA	AR-kih-mih
BOYE AROMIRE... BOY-yay uh-RO-muh-ray	
Riley BEIRO	BYE-row
DETRICK Bonner	DEE-trick
Chris DRAGER	DRAY-gurr
TARIQ Edwards	tuh-REEK
ANTONE Exum	AN-tone
Kory GOUGH	Goff
JERON GOUVEIA-Winslow	JARE-in
	Goo-VAY-uh
JAYRON HOSLEY	JAY-ron HOSE-lee
KYSHOEN Jarrett	KY-shawn
Mark LEAL	lee-AL
DADI Nicolas	Daddy
THERON Norman	tha-RON
Greg NOSAL	No-SAL
BARQUELL Rivers	Bar-KWELL
DYRELL Roberts	Die-RELL
Michael VIA	VYE

HONORED WITH THE PATERNO AWARD

♦ Virginia Tech head coach Frank Beamer won the inaugural Joseph V. Paterno Coach of the Year Award last season.

♦ The award, the first of its kind, is designed to honor the spirit of Penn State head coach Joe Paterno, whose long-time success on the field has been matched only by his impact away from it.

♦ Through a nomination process, each current head coach was evaluated based on his school's performance on Saturdays, in the classroom and within the community.

WHO'S UP? WHO'S DOWN?

ON THE FIELD

Frank Beamer	head coach
Bud Foster	defensive coordinator/ILBs
Shane Beamer	assoc. head coach/RBs
Curt Newsome	offensive guards/center
Bryan Stinespring	Off. Coord./TEs/OTs
Charley Wiles	defensive line

IN THE BOOTH

Cornell Brown	OLBs
Torrian Gray	defensive secondary
Mike O'Cain	quarterbacks/play calling
Kevin Sherman	wide receivers

TEAM RESULTS FOR QUARTERBACKS

UNDER BEAMER

(starters; by victories)

Name	Years	Record	Pct.
Taylor, Tyrod	2007-10	34-8	.810
Randall, Bryan	2002-04	26-12	.684
Vick, Michael	1999-00	21-1	.955
Druckenmiller, Jim	1995-96	20-4	.833
DeShazo, Maurice	1992-94	19-14-1	.586
Glennon, Sean	2006-08	18-8	.692
Furrer, Will	1988-91	16-18-1	.486
Clark, Al	1997-98	12-7	.632
Vick, Marcus	2005	11-2	.846
Noel, Grant	2001-02	10-4	.714
Sorensen, Nick	1997-98	3-1	.750
Young, Cam	1989	3-3	.500
Meyer, Dave	1998-00	2-1	.667
Chapman, Erik	1987	2-9	.182
Wooten, Rodd	1989, 91	1-2	.333
Koel, Treg	1992	0-1	.000
Thomas, Logan	2011-	0-0	.000
Totals	1987-10	198-95-2	.675

2011 ACC Standings

as of Sept. 1

COASTAL DIVISION

Team	Conf.	Overall
Duke	0-0	0-0
Georgia Tech	0-0	0-0
Miami	0-0	0-0
North Carolina	0-0	0-0
Virginia	0-0	0-0
Virginia Tech	0-0	0-0

ATLANTIC DIVISION

Team	Conf.	Overall
Boston College	0-0	0-0
Clemson	0-0	0-0
Florida State	0-0	0-0
Maryland	0-0	0-0
North Carolina State	0-0	0-0
Wake Forest	0-0	0-0

This Week in the ACC

Thursday, Sept. 1

Western Carolina at Georgia Tech
Wake Forest at Syracuse

Saturday, Sept. 3

Northwestern at Boston College
Appalachian State at Virginia Tech
James Madison at North Carolina
Troy at Clemson
ULM at Florida State
Liberty at NC State
William & Mary at Virginia
Richmond at Duke

Monday, Sept. 5

Miami at Maryland

Keeping Up With The Non-Conference Foes
Appalachian State (0-0): at Virginia Tech

East Carolina (0-0): vs. South Carolina (Charlotte)

Arkansas State (0-0): at Illinois

Marshall (0-0): at West Virginia

WHAT'S A HOKIE?

That's the most frequently asked question regarding Virginia Tech athletics. The answer leads all the way back to 1896 when Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College changed its name to Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

With the change came the necessity for writing a new cheer and a contest for such a purpose was held by the student body. Senior O.M. Stull won first prize for his "Old Hokie" yell which still is used today.

Later, when asked if "Hokie" had any special meaning, Stull explained the words he used had no hidden or symbolic meaning, but had been thought up in an effort to get attention. Hokie soon became a nickname for all Tech teams and for those people loyal to Tech athletics.

Following is the "Old Hokie" yell in its original form:

Hoki, Hoki, Hoki Hy!
Tech! Tech! V.P.I.!
Sola-Rex Sola-Rah
Polytech-Vir-gin-i-a!!
Rae, Ri, V.P.I.

JUST VIRGINIA TECH, PLEASE

While the full name of the school is Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, the school is commonly referred to as "Virginia Tech."

Founded in 1872, as Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College, the university changed its name to Virginia Polytechnic Institute in 1896.

Fans of the athletic department, as well as media covering the Hokies, shortened the name to VPI, but it eventually became Virginia Tech.

The "State University" was added in 1970 to bring the official title to what it is today.

Those covering Hokie athletics are asked to refer to the university as simply "Virginia Tech."

Virginia Tech University, VPI and SU, VPI&SU, VT or VA Tech are not recognized names and should not be used.

HOUSE OF HORRORS

- ♦ Lane Stadium has always been a difficult place for opponents to play and has been dubbed one of the best game-day environments in college football. Tech has a 49-8-1 record versus non-conference teams at home since 1991.
- ♦ Virginia Tech has posted a 191-68-6 overall record at Lane Stadium/Worsham Field.
- ♦ Tech is 117-31-1 at home under the direction of Frank Beamer.
- ♦ Tech football teams are 351-99-13 all time in Blacksburg, including a 47-7 record since the start of the 2003 season.
- ♦ A large part of that impressive record is the home-field environment created by the fans as Lane Stadium has been sold out for 81 consecutive games, starting with the final home game of the 1998 season against Virginia.
- ♦ The Hokies went unbeaten and untied in 2008 (6-0), 2000 (6-0), 1999 (6-0), 1996 (7-0), 1993 (6-0) 1980 (6-0), 1975 (5-0) and 1965 (3-0) at Lane Stadium. They went 4-0-1 in 1972 and 2-0-1 in 1966.



2011 SCHEDULES & RESULTS

Virginia Tech (0-0; 0-0 ACC):

Sept.	3	Appalachian State
Sept.	10	at East Carolina
Sept.	17	Arkansas State
Sept.	24	at Marshall
Oct.	1	Clemson*
Oct.	8	Miami*
Oct.	15	at Wake Forest*
Oct.	22	Boston College*
Oct.	29	at Duke*
Nov.	10	at Georgia Tech*
Nov.	17	North Carolina*
Nov.	26	at Virginia*

Appalachian State (0-0; 0-0 Southern):

Sept.	3	at Virginia Tech
Sept.	10	North Carolina A&T
Sept.	17	Savannah State
Sept.	24	Chattanooga*
Oct.	1	at Wofford*
Oct.	15	at The Citadel*
Oct.	22	Samford*
Oct.	29	Georgia Southern*
Nov.	5	at Furman*
Nov.	12	Western Carolina*
Nov.	19	at Elon*

* Conference games

2010 RESULTS

Virginia Tech (11-3; 8-0 ACC):

nL	30-33	Boise State (FedExField)
hL	16-21	James Madison
hW	49-27	East Carolina
aW	19-0	Boston College*
aW	41-30	NC State*
hW	45-21	Central Michigan
hW	52-21	Wake Forest*
hW	44-7	Duke*
hW	28-21	Georgia Tech*
aW	26-10	North Carolina*
aW	31-17	Miami*
hW	37-7	Virginia*
nW	44-33	Florida State (Charlotte)
nL	12-40	vs. Stanford (Orange Bowl)

Appalachian State (10-3, 7-1 Southern):

aW	42-41	Chattanooga*
hW	45-14	Jacksonville
hW	44-16	North Carolina Central
aW	35-17	Samford*
hW	34-31	Elon*
hW	39-10	The Citadel*
aW	37-14	Western Carolina*
hW	37-26	Furman*
aL	14-21	Georgia Southern* (OT)
hW	49-13	Wofford*
aL	10-48	Florida
hW	42-14	Western Illinois (Playoffs)
hL	24-42	Villanova (Playoffs)

* Conference games

EIGHTEEN BOWLS IN A ROW

• With its trip to the Discover Orange Bowl last year, Tech is now one of only three teams to go to 18 bowls in the past 18 seasons. The other two are Florida State and Florida.

Active Consecutive Bowl Appearances

1.	Florida State	29
2.	Florida	20
3.	Virginia Tech	18
4.	Georgia, Georgia Tech	14
5.	Oklahoma	13
6.	Boston College, Ohio State	12

CONSISTENCY IS THE KEY

• Tech has been a consistent winner since the mid-90s, winning an average of 9.6 games per year during the current streak of 18 straight seasons capped by bowl appearances.

• Since the beginning of the 1995 season, only Florida* (161) has won more games than the Hokies (157).

* - Ohio State had 12 wins vacated from 2010; had 163 wins

SCORING STREAK

• Tech has scored in a school-record 203 straight football games, beginning with a win over Miami on Sept. 23, 1995. The streak began after a 16-0 loss to Cincinnati in 1995.

• The previous school record was 66 straight games (1970-76). During its current streak, Tech has scored 13 or more in all but eight games.

CONSECUTIVE BOWL APPEARANCES (COACHES)

1.	Bobby Bowden (1982-09)	28
2.	Tom Osborne (1973-97)	25
3.	Paul "Bear" Bryant (1959-82)	24
4.	Frank Beamer (active)	18
5.	LaVell Edwards (1978-94)	17

CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH EIGHT OR MORE WINS (CURRENT STREAK)

1.	Virginia Tech	13
2.	Boise State	12
T3.	LSU	11
	Oklahoma	11

TOPS IN THE ACC

• With last year's No. 16 finish in the AP Poll, Tech has been the highest-ranked ACC team in the final AP Poll in six of the seven years it has been in the league.

Yr.	Nat'l Finish	ACC Finish
2010	16th	1st
2009	10th	1st
2008	15th	1st
2007	9th	1st
2006	19th	2nd (WF 18th)
2005	7th	1st
2004	10th	1st

• Tech has finished in the top 20 in each of the last seven - and 11 of the last 12 - final AP Polls. The Hokies have also finished in the top 10 in four of the last seven final AP Polls.

MOVIN' UP THE CHARTS

Career Receiving Yards

1.	Ricky Scales	1972-74.....	2272
2.	Antonio Freeman	1991-94.....	2207
3.	Jarrett Boykin	2008-.....	2123
4.	Ernest Wilford	2000-03.....	2052
5.	André Davis	1998-01.....	1986
6.	Josh Morgan	2004-07.....	1817
7.	Eddie Royal	2004-07.....	1778
8.	Danny Coale	2008-.....	1754

Career Receptions (100-Catch Club)

1.	Ernest Wilford	2000-03.....	126
2.	Jarrett Boykin	2008-.....	123
3.	Josh Morgan	2004-07.....	122
4.	Antonio Freeman	1991-94.....	121
5.	Eddie Royal	2004-07.....	119
6.	Ricky Scales	1972-74.....	113
7.	Danny Coale	2008-.....	105
8.	André Davis	1998-01.....	103
9.	Myron Richardson	1986-89.....	100

Career Kickoff Return Yards

1.	Jon Jeffries	1987-91.....	1447
2.	Dyrell Roberts	2008-.....	1429
3.	Eddie Royal	2004-07.....	1376
4.	Bob Thomas	1981-84.....	1088

DEFENSIVE TRADITION

• Virginia Tech defensive coordinator Bud Foster is the architect of some of the nation's best defenses on an annual basis.

• Since the start of the 2000 season, Tech leads the nation in interceptions and is second in turnovers gained. Check out these numbers Foster's crew has put up:

Most Interceptions Forced (2000-current)

1.	Virginia Tech.....	211
2.	Boston College.....	201
3.	Oklahoma.....	195
4.	Florida.....	194
5.	Boise State.....	190

Turnovers Gained (2000-current)

1.	Oklahoma.....	337
2.	Virginia Tech.....	333
3.	Southern Cal.....	331
4.	Boston College.....	314
5.	West Virginia.....	311
6.	Hawaii.....	310

AN FBS FIRST

• After starting last season 0-2, the Hokies reeled off 11-consecutive victories, becoming the first NCAA FBS school to win 11 straight games after losing its first two contests.

AN ACC RARITY

• The Hokies went 8-0 in ACC play last year en route to a conference championship with a win over Florida State.

• With the 8-0 mark, the Hokies became the first team since the 2000 Florida State Seminoles to go undefeated in the Atlantic Coast Conference.

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THE NEW GUY

♦ New quarterback **Logan Thomas** may be the tallest starting QB in school history, but he certainly has some shoes to fill in replacing four-year starter and 2010 ACC Player of the Year Tyrod Taylor. All Taylor did in four years was lead Tech to three ACC titles, set a school record for wins by a quarterback (34), as well as marks in total offense, passing yards and many more.

♦ But after a breakout spring, the 6-6, 254-pounder who wears a size 17 or 18 shoe depending on the make (17 cleat; 18 regular shoe), is poised to pick up where Taylor left off.

♦ Thomas saw sparse action on the field last year, but did haul in a 2-yard touchdown pass against Wake Forest and delivered a key 24-yard completion on a third-and-16 play to Danny Coale on a touchdown drive in the 31-17 win at Miami.

♦ The redshirt sophomore was recruited as a tight end, but quickly was moved to quarterback and began the process of being groomed for this season. He's had plenty of hype around him already, appearing as one of

the "10 Things We Learned This Spring" in Stewart Mandel's column on SI.com, saying Thomas is "a physical specimen with all the tools to be a big-time college quarterback."

♦ Thomas was a standout basketball player at Brookville High and received scholarship offers to play basketball at JMU, Duquesne, Liberty, Akron, Richmond and Tulane but he decided to focus on football. He's also an avid golfer who likes to hit the links whenever he has free time.

BACKFIELD BLAZERS

♦ While the Tech offense lost Ryan Williams and Darren Evans to the NFL, the Hokies will still boast a talented arsenal under new running backs coach **Shane Beamer**.

♦ Blazer **David Wilson** saw plenty of action the past two seasons on offense and special teams, and takes over the job as the top back.

♦ **Josh Oglesby** is a talented back who moves back to tailback from fullback this year, and **Tony Gregory** is perhaps the fastest of all the backs. He is back after tearing his ACL in the North Carolina game last year. **Dominique**

TALLEST STARTING QUARTERBACKS IN THE FBS

Ht	Wt.	NAME	SCHOOL
6-8	240	Brock Osweiler	Arizona State
6-6	254	Logan Thomas	Virginia Tech
6-6	225	Mike Glennon	NC State
6-6	210	Tyler Bray	Tennessee
6-6	225	Graham Wilbert	Florida Atlantic
6-5	225	Sean Renfree	Duke
6-5	223	E.J. Manuel	Florida State
6-5	226	Collin Klein	Kansas State
6-5	218	Adam Kennedy	Utah State
6-5	216	Casey Pachall	TCU
6-5	224	Jordan Jefferson	LSU
6-5	240	Nick Foles	Arizona
6-5	220	Pete Thomas	Colorado State

* - heights and weights taken from individual school's official athletics website roster

Patterson was a star in high school and makes the move to the offense after working at linebacker, while freshman **Michael Holmes** is considered a bright star of the future for Tech.

2011 STARTERS GAME BY GAME

Offense	FL	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	QB	FB	TB	SE
Appalachian St.											
East Carolina											
Arkansas St.											
Marshall											
Clemson											
Miami											
Wake Forest											
Boston College											
Duke											
Georgia Tech											
North Carolina											
Virginia											
Defense	DE	DT	DT	DE	ILB	ILB	WHIP	CB	ROVER	FS	CB
Appalachian St.											
East Carolina											
Arkansas St.											
Marshall											
Clemson											
Miami											
Wake Forest											
Boston College											
Duke											
Georgia Tech											
North Carolina											
Virginia											



WILSON TAKES OVER

♦ Electrifying junior **David Wilson**, from nearby Danville, Va., takes over as the No. 1 tailback, while also holding down the kickoff return duties. Wilson has been clocked at a blistering 4.29 in the 40-yard dash and his flair for the outrageous has made him a media favorite. He did eight consecutive standing back flips at the 2009 Media Day and topped himself in 2010 with 10 consecutive standing back flips. He told reporters he taught himself the flips when he was just 4 years old after watching gymnastics on television. Wilson wore a shirt and tie to school every day his senior year of high school and continues to dress up for classes at Tech.

♦ Last year, he opened up the second half with a 92-yard kickoff return for a score at NC State, had a 68-yard touchdown run against Central Michigan and had a 65-yard touchdown catch and run against Duke. He gave Tech the lead for good against Georgia Tech with a 90-yard kickoff return for a touchdown.

♦ He rushed for 619 yards and five touchdowns last season, returned two kickoffs for touchdowns and caught four touchdown passes, as well.

♦ Wilson says he wears No. 4 in honor of his mother, Shelia, who was born on April 4 (4/4) and because it's her favorite number.

♦ He also contributes on the Virginia Tech track & field team, finishing second at the ACC indoor meet in the triple jump this past February in contributing to Tech's team conference title (his second ring of the year when you count football).

♦ Wilson won the triple jump at the prestigious Penn Relays and earned All-America honors at the 2011 NCAA Outdoor National Championships in the triple jump by placing sixth. He became just the third Tech football player to earn All-America honors in track. Dennis Scott (lettered in football from

RUSHING = OUTCOME?

♦ Under head coach **Frank Beamer** (295 games), the Hokies are 174-32-2 when outrushing their opponents, 23-63 when being outrushed and 1-0 when the rushing total is even.

♦ In Tech's current 18-year bowl run (since 1993), Tech is 154-17 when outrushing its opponents, 19-38 when being outrushed and 1-0 when the rushing total is even.

♦ In its current 18-year bowl run (since 1993), Tech is 102-7 when rushing for 200 yards or more, including 7-0 in 2005.

♦ Since the start of the 1999 season, Tech is 109-10 when outrushing its opponent and 12-26 when being outrushed.

CAREER STARTS & GAMES PLAYED

Name	Yr.	GP	GS	Name	Yr.	GP	GS	Name	Yr.	GP	GS
Arkema	Fr.	0	0	Farris	Fr.	0	0	McCray	r-Fr.	0	0
Aromire	Fr.	0	0	Fuller, C.	r-Jr.	0	0	Miller	r-So.	12	0
Becton	r-Jr.	17	0	Fuller, K.	So.	14	6	Myer	Sr.	40	40
Beiro	r-Fr.	0	0	Gayle	r-So.	13	2	Nicolas	Fr.	0	0
Bonner	r-Fr.	0	0	Gentry	Sr.	2	0	Nosal	r-Sr.	28	15
Boykin	Sr.	41	32	George	r-Jr.	3	0	Oglesby	r-St.	38	0
Brooks	r-Sr.	30	28	Gouveia-Winslow	r-Jr.	23	7	Painter	r-Jr.	7	0
Brown	r-Jr.	14	0	Gresh	r-Fr.	0	0	Perez-Means	r-Fr.	0	0
Carroll	r-Sr.	41	41	Gregory	r-So.	10	0	Phillips	r-Jr.	11	0
Clark	r-So.	2	0	Halfhide	r-Fr.	0	0	Prince	r-Jr.	0	0
Clayton	r-Jr.	5	0	Hamlette	r-Jr.	4	0	Rivers	r-Sr.	23	14
Coale	r-Sr.	41	40	Hill	r-Sr.	38	2	Roberts	Sr.	36	14
Coles	Jr.	22	0	Hopkins, A.	r-Jr.	27	12	Scales	r-Jr.	14	0
Collins	r-So.	14	1	Hopkins, D.	So.	13	0	St. Germain	r-Fr.	0	0
Davis, M.	r-Jr.	27	3	Hopper	r-So.	12	0	Taylor, B.	r-Jr.	21	14
DeChristopher	r-Sr.	38	37	Hosley	Jr.	26	13	Thomas	r-So.	7	0
Demler	r-Jr.	0	0	Jarrett	Fr.	0	0	Tucker	r-Jr.	13	0
Dew	r-Fr.	0	0	Journell	r-So.	0	0	Tweedy	r-Jr.	27	0
DiNardo	r-Fr.	0	0	Lanier	r-Sr.	22	15	Tyler	r-So.	14	1
Drager	r-Sr.	43	12	Leal	r-Fr.	0	0	Via	r-Jr.	11	3
Dunn	r-Jr.	7	0	Maddy	Fr.	0	0	Wang	r-So.	5	0
Dyer	r-Fr.	0	0	Malleck	Fr.	0	0	Whitley	Sr.	40	14
Edwards	r-So.	14	0	Marshall	Fr.	0	0	Wilson, D.	Jr.	26	2
Exum	r-So.	14	5	Martin	r-So.	11	1	Wilson, T.	r-So.	14	0

1976-78) finished fifth in the 60-yard dash at the 1978 NCAA indoor meet and Kenny Lewis (lettered in football from 1976-79) finished third in the 60-yard hurdles at the 1980 NCAA indoor meet.

♦ Wilson is the first Tech football player to qualify for NCAA Nationals with the Hokie track team since André Davis, who was a wide receiver, qualified in 1999 in the 100- and 200-meter dashes for the outdoor meet and in the 2000 indoor 60- and 200-meter dashes.

♦ Wilson's car matches his demeanor: flashy and stylish. While at home last winter, he spotted a 1978 Ford Thunderbird sitting in a backyard and decided to go knock on the stranger's front door. He left with the car after negotiating a deal to buy it for \$2,000. Wilson then proceeded to add around \$7,000 in enhancements, including ostrich skin vinyl interior, a new paint job to make it burnt orange, 24-inch rims, new tires and a customized stereo system.

ATHLETICS RUNS IN THE FAMILY

♦ **Danny Coale** comes from quite the athletic family. His brother, Kevin, played midfield for the University of Virginia men's lacrosse team. Their father, Jimmy, is the head strength and conditioning coach at Virginia Military Institute (VMI).

♦ Danny, who was a first-team all-state lacrosse player in high school, set Tech's freshman reception record with 36 catches and has caught at least two passes in 31 of 41 career games played, and caught at least one pass in 37 of 41 contests.

♦ He had his longest, and most important, catch in the final minutes of the Nebraska game in 2009, breaking free down the sideline for an 81-yard catch to set up the game-winning touchdown pass with 21 seconds left.

♦ He had a career day against Florida State in the 2010 ACC Championship Game when he had six catches for a career-high 143 yards in the win.

♦ Coale averaged 18.8 yards per catch last season, 11th-best in the FBS, and has a career average of 16.7 yards per catch. The senior enters this week's game with 105 career receptions for 1,754 yards and five touchdowns. His 105 receptions rank seventh all-time at Tech and his 1,754 yards are the eighth-most in school history.

♦ This past spring, he surged unexpectedly to the top of the punter depth charge and could be called on this year as the backup. He punted in high school, but hasn't since then, and this year, he could contribute as a receiver, punter and punt return man.

BIG-PLAY BOYKIN

♦ Senior **Jarrett Boykin** became a big-play receiver for the Hokies last year and uses his big hands to help with snagging passes. Boykin's hands are so large that he has to wear size-3X receiver's gloves. His thick fingers bust the seams of the gloves, sending him back to

HOME RUN THREAT

DAVID WILSON

Career Rushing Avg. 5.5
Career Receiving Avg. 15.6
Career Kickoff Return Avg. 23.3

Average Per Touch 9.3

	Career	2010
10+ yard runs:	27	17
15+ yard runs:	15	11
20+ yard runs:	10	6
20+ yard plays:	34	23



equipment manager Lester Karlin often for a replacement pair.

♦ Last season, he had a team-leading 53 receptions for 847 yards and six touchdown receptions. He has 14 career total touchdowns, including a rushing touchdown when he pounced on a fumble in the end zone against Virginia in 2009. He is climbing the charts for career receiving yards at Tech, sitting in third place with 2,123 yards (only the fourth Tech player ever to register 2,000 yards or more) and has 13 touchdowns. He is also second in career receptions with 123, needing just four to break Ernest Wilford's mark of 126 catches.

HOSLEY TO THE HOUSE

♦ Junior **Jayron Hosley** was the last player to verbal to Tech before signing day in 2009 after getting a late offer from the Hokies. He quickly made a name for himself on the college level as a true freshman, mainly as a punt returner with an average of 11.2 yards per return. He had a 64-yard return for a score against Marshall, becoming the first freshman under head coach Frank Beamer to return a punt for a score.

♦ Last year, he made his impact on defense and was named first-team All-ACC, as well as a first-team All-American by the Walter Camp Football Foundation and a second-teamer by the Associated Press. He had a nation-leading nine interceptions - including three at NC State - to tie the school record for picks in a season.

♦ Against Central Michigan, he broke free on a punt return, taking it back 80 yards for his second career punt return touchdown.

♦ Hosley was named a preseason All-American by *Playboy* prior to this season and flew to California in July to film a segment for ESPN Sport Science.

♦ The speedy Hosley is from Delray Beach,

Fla., where he attended Atlantic High School, the same high school as two former Hokies who play in the NFL - Brandon Flowers (Chiefs) and David Clowney (Panthers).

A REWARD FOR GOOD GRADES

♦ The Tech football team eats its meals in order of grade-point average. Those players who have graduated, as well as those players who maintain the highest grade-point average, eat all team meals first. Coach Beamer invites each player to eat, calling out his name and his grade-point average, starting with the highest.

ATHLETIC OFFENSIVE LINEMEN

♦ This year's offensive line is another athletic one as two starters began their collegiate careers at tight end. Starters **Greg Nosal** (left guard) and **Andrew Lanier** (left tackle) came to Blacksburg as tight ends before making the move to the interior line.

♦ Duane Brown made the same move early in his career and was a first-round draft pick of the Houston Texans in 2008 and is in his third year as a starter. Brandon Frye did the same and started at tackle for the Seattle Seahawks before getting injured in 2009. Ed Wang also came in as a tight end and moved to tackle early on in his career. He was drafted by Buffalo in 2010 and played for the Bills last season.

♦ Sophomore **Andrew Miller** takes over as the center and while he didn't start as a tight end, he's athletic in his own right. The Bassett, Va., native was a standout wrestler in high school and has competed for the Hokies' nationally ranked wrestling squad. Miller was a two-time Virginia Group AA state champion and was the No. 3-ranked heavyweight by *W.I.N. Magazine* following his senior year. He was also a first-team all-state selection in football.

ACC FOOTBALL RECORDS

OVERALL SINCE 2004

VT	73-21
BC	63-28
Florida St.	57-34
GT	56-35
Miami	53-35
Clemson	53-36
Wake Forest	44-42
Maryland	44-42
Virginia	41-44
UNC	41-44
NC St.	40-45
Duke	16-66

CONFERENCE SINCE 2004

VT	46-10
GT	36-20
BC	30-18
Florida St.	33-23
Clemson	32-24
Miami	30-26
UNC	26-30
Maryland	24-32
Virginia	24-32
Wake Forest	23-33
NC St.	22-34
Duke	6-50

THE DEFENSIVE QUARTERBACK

♦ Senior **Eddie Whitley** is the master of all trades in the defensive backfield for the Hokies, as he's spent time at cornerback, outside linebacker, rover and took over the starting job at free safety last year. He took the reigns from three-year starter Kam Chancellor, who was drafted by Seattle in 2010 and is now starting for the Seahawks. In preseason, he switched up to the rover spot and **Antone Exum** moved to free safety, but both can play either position.

♦ Whitley, a North Carolina native, is an avid chess player, who's been playing since he was 4 years old. He plays online, in the locker room, on his computer and even on his iPhone.

A FAMILY ATMOSPHERE

♦ Starting defensive tackles **Antoine** and **Derrick Hopkins** are just one of several Hokies on the roster to have family ties to the Tech football program.

♦ Redshirt juniors **Vinston Painter** and **Randall Dunn** are cousins.

♦ So are redshirt sophomore **Logan Thomas** and redshirt freshman **Zack McCray**,

OFFENSIVE LINE PLAY BREAKDOWN

(offensive plays only ... S-started; P-played; DNP-dressed, but did not play on offense; DND- did not dress; INJ-injured)

	ASU	ECU	ASU	MU	CU	UM	WF	BC	DU	GT	UNC	VA	2011	Career
M. Arkema													0	0
N. Becton													236	282
J. Brooks													735	1355
B. DeChristopher													815	2210
B. Gentry													23	23
C. Farris													0	0
A. Lanier													629	756
A. Miller													136	136
G. Nosal													808	1130
V. Painter													34	43
C. Prince													0	0
M. Shuman													0	0
M. Via													54	315
D. Wang													61	61



BY THE NUMBERS

5,451 ... combined career plays (regular season only) for Virginia Tech's four senior offensive linemen – Blake DeChristopher, Jaymes Brooks, Andrew Lanier and Greg Nosal.

211 ... pass interceptions by Virginia Tech since the beginning of the 2000 season are the most among all FBS teams.

150 ... receiving yards needed by Jarrett Boykin (2,123) to pass Ricky Scales (2,272) as Tech's all-time leader in receiving yards at Virginia Tech.

49-8-1 ... Tech's record against non-conference teams at Lane Stadium/Worsham Field since 1991.

32 ... years since Tech and Appalachian State last met in football (1979).

30 ... touchbacks by Tech kickoff man Justin Myer ranked fourth-best in the nation last fall.

22 ... combined freshmen and sophomores on Tech's current two-deep roster, including 16 on defense.

+19 ... Tech led the nation in turnover margin last season.

17.0 ... combined career yards per catch average for senior receivers Jarrett Boykin and Danny Coale.

15.5 ... tackles for loss last season by Bruce Taylor marked the second-highest total for a Tech linebacker during the Frank Beamer coaching era. Ben Taylor had 18.0 tackles for loss during the 2001 season.

15 ... pass interceptions for Virginia Tech during its last seven games.

9 ... interceptions by Jayron Hosley in 2010 tied a school season record that had been unequalled since 1968.

7 ... consecutive victories for Tech against teams from the state of North Carolina.

6 ... returning offensive players who started every game last season.

4 ... ACC Football Championships for Virginia Tech in seven seasons.

3 ... total seniors on the Hokies' defensive dress squad.

as are redshirt senior **Jaymes Brooks** and redshirt sophomore **Telvion Clark**.

• Linebacker **Tariq Edwards** is the son of former Hokie football player Bo Campbell, who lettered from 1989-92. **George George III** is a walk-on whose father, George, was on the Tech team in the 1970s.

• Back-up center **Bo Gentry** is the son of Tech's Assistant A.D. for Athletic Performance, Dr. Mike Gentry. **Martin Scales** is the cousin of former Hokies Orion and Cam Martin.

• There are seven players on the team with brothers who either are playing or did play at Virginia Tech. The **Hopkins Brothers (Antoine and Derrick)** both start up front along the defensive line. **Wiley Brown** is the younger brother of former defensive end Nekos Brown and **David Wang** is the younger brother of former offensive tackle Ed Wang. Redshirt freshman lineman **Mark Shuman** is the younger brother of former starting center and current weight room G.A. Ryan Shuman.

• **Kyle Fuller** is a sophomore defensive back who played last year as a true freshman. He is joined on the team by his brother, **Corey Fuller**, who ran track at Kansas for two seasons before transferring to Tech last year. Both are younger brothers of former Hokie Vincent Fuller, who is in his seventh season with the Tennessee Titans.

TECH'S KICKING TRADITION

• For the first time in five seasons, Tech will not be relying on a senior walk-on for the kicking duties. In 2006, Brandon Pace went 18-for-19 on field goals en route to second-team All-ACC honors. In 2007, it was Jud Dunlevy, who went 21-for-26 on the season.

• In 2008, Dustin Keys set a school record with 23 made field goals. In 2009, it was Matt Waldron's turn and he responded by making 20-of-23 field goals and scoring 108 points en route to first-team All-ACC honors.

• And last year, Chris Hazley picked up where the others left off, hitting 21-of-22 field goals, including a school-record (for a single season) 21 in a row.

• The last four were one-year wonders, each winning the job in their final season, and each going on to score over 100 points. The previous five seasons, the five kickers combined to make 103 of 119 field-goal attempts (86.6 percent) and produce 525 points with two earning All-ACC honors.

• This year, it's **Cody Journell's** time to shine. He's taken a different route as he was a scholarship signee in February of 2009 and redshirted before serving as a backup last year.

• He is a local product who hails from Ripplemead, about 30 minutes from campus. He came in with impressive credentials after earning prep All-America honors coming out of nearby Giles High School.

• After redshirting as a freshman in 2009, Journell was slowed by a hip flexor in last year's spring drills and never could make a serious run for the job. But this year, he had a breakout spring to earn the top spot.

• Journell is the first Tech principal placekicker to sign an NLI and come in on scholarship since Shayne Graham signed with the Hokies in 1996 and went on to earn first-team All-Big East Conference honors in all four seasons as Tech's kicker before going on to a standout NFL career.

• Journell will also be the first non-senior to be Tech's kicker since Pace was the starter as a junior in 2005.

• Senior kickoff specialist **Justin Myer** has a cannon of a leg, but isn't as accurate or consistent as Journell, and could be called on for some attempts of 50 yards or longer.

FROM THE BEACH TO THE MOUNTAINS

• Junior linebacker **Bruce Taylor** was thrust into the starting lineup last year after 2009's starter, **Barquell Rivers**, tore a quad tendon while lifting in spring of 2010.

• The Myrtle Beach, S.C., native was the first commitment in the Hokies' 2008 class and has adjusted nicely in his time in the mountains. While productive on the field, Taylor also helps out with the Special Olympics of Southwest Virginia off the field.

• Last season, he led the team with 91 tackles, including 15.5 for loss. He hurt his shoulder this past spring during practice and had to have surgery, but returned in time for preseason practice.

BACK AND FORTH AND BACK AGAIN

• For senior **Chris Drager**, it's been a nomad's journey at Virginia Tech. He arrived at Tech in 2007 and saw the field as a true freshman helping out on special teams and at tight end. He suffered a season-ending knee injury while making a 9-yard reception against William & Mary and received a medical hardship waiver.

• As a redshirt freshman in 2008, he again played a lot of special teams and contributed

ON THE ACTIVE LISTS

Interceptions

Jayron Hosley	9
Eddie Whitley	2
Jeron Gouveia-Winslow	2
Antoine Hopkins	1
Tariq Edwards	1

Blocked Kicks

none

Non-Offensive Touchdowns

Jayron Hosley	2
David Wilson	2
Dyrell Roberts	1
Jeron Gouveia-Winslow	1



at tight end, catching three passes. After a breakout spring season in 2009, he was moved to defensive end, a position he hadn't played since high school. He had to learn on the fly in preseason practices and ended up recording 22 tackles, including 6.5 for loss with 2.5 sacks in 2009. Last year, he started 11 games and collected 34 tackles, including six for loss and two sacks, as he started to flourish at the position.

♦ Now, the senior is back as the starting tight end, making the move selflessly to help the team. He has just five catches for 60 yards heading into the season, but was moved because of a lack of experience at the position.

♦ The Pennsylvania native got his bachelor's degree in human nutrition, foods and exercise in December of 2009, needing just three years to do so. He then started the research component of his master's degree last spring and began master's classes in the fall. He finished the class part of his master's program this past summer and now just has to write his thesis, which should take all of this school year and will hopefully graduate next spring.

♦ Drager had a 3.83 grade-point average as an undergraduate and has over a 3.9 GPA in grad school. He's doing his thesis on the effects

of docosahexaenoic acid, an omega-3 fatty acid, on resistance training and muscle damage and has taken the initial steps to apply for a Rhodes Scholarship.

FROM THE GOPHER STATE TO BLACKSBURG

♦ Long snapper **Collin Carroll** is the first player under **Frank Beamer** from Minnesota. His father, Jay, played tight end for the University of Minnesota in the early '80s and played in the NFL for the Minnesota Vikings and the Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

♦ Carroll sent out around 70 tapes to different colleges in hopes of catching someone's eye. Upon seeing the video, Tech coach Frank Beamer asked him to come down for a visit and eventually offered him a scholarship - a rarity for long snappers coming out of high school.

♦ The aspiring journalist, who has cut several videos for Tech's website this preseason, has handled punt, field goal and extra point snaps for the Hokies during his career. He's made 370 snaps in his career with just two unusable snaps (1 punt and 1 FG in the 2009 Miami game in the rain).

Virginia Tech Football Conference Affiliations

- ♦ 1892-97: Independent
- ♦ 1898: Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Assoc.
- ♦ 1899-1906: Independent
- ♦ 1907-21: South Atlantic Intercollegiate Athletic Association
- ♦ 1922-64: Southern Conference
1963 champions
- ♦ 1965-90: Independent
- ♦ 1991-2003: Big East
1995 champions
1996 co-champions
1999 champions
- ♦ 2004-present: ACC
2004 champions
2007 champions
2008 champions
2010 champions

It's WILEY BROWN TIME

♦ Walk-on whip linebacker **Wiley Brown** is the son of Chuck Brown a famous songwriter and performer who is known as the "Godfather of Go-Go" music. The elder Brown had the No. 1 national R&B hit in "Bustin' Loose" in 1978. The hook from that song was used by Nelly in the 2002 No. 1 hit "Hot in Herre."

♦ The elder Brown turned 76 in August,

OFFENSIVE INDIVIDUAL CAREER GAME HIGHS

THROWERS

Logan Thomas (QB)

Att. 14 DU, 2010
Comp. 6 DU, 2010
Yds. 52 DU, 2010
TDs 0
INTs 0
Long 24 Miami, 2010

RUSHING

Att. 3 WF, 2010
Yds. 15 WF, 2010
TDs 0
Long 11 DU, 2010

RECEIVING

Rec. 1 WF, 2010
Yds. 2 WF, 2010
TDs 1 WF, 2010
Long 2 WF, 2010

Mark Leal (QB)

Att. 0
Comp. 0
Yds. 0
TDs 0
INTs 0
Long N/A

RUSHING

Att. 0
Yds. 0
TDs 0
Long N/A

Ju-Ju Clayton (QB)

Att. 3 Marshall, 2009
Comp. 1 BC, 2009
Yds. 80 BC, 2009
TDs 1 BC, 2009
INTs 0
Long 80 BC, 2009

RUSHING

Att. 2 BC, 2009
Yds. -1 Marshall, 2009
TDs 0
Long -1 Marshall, 2009

RUNNERS

Tony Gregory (TB)

Att. 9 DU, 2010
Yds. 36 DU, 2010
TDs 0
Long 24 ECU, 2010

Josh Oglesby (TB)

Att. 12 Marshall, 2009
Yds. 60 Marshall, 2009
TDs 2 Duke, 2009
Long 34 Miami, 2009

David Wilson (TB)

Att. 15 WF, 2010
Yds. 165 Marshall, 2009
TDs 2 ECU, 2010
Long 68 CMU, 2010

CATCHERS

Jarrett Boykin (WR)

Rec. 8 twice
Yds. 164 NC State, 2009
TDs 1 13 times
Long 64 MD, 2009

Danny Coale (WR)

Rec. 6 three times
Yds. 143 FSU, 2010
TDs 1 five times
Long 81 Nebraska, 2009

D.J. Coles (WR)

Rec. 2 NCSU, 2010
Yds. 16 NCSU, 2010
TDs 0
Long 14 NCSU, 2010

Marcus Davis (WR)

Rec. 6 DU, 2010
Yds. 81 UNC, 2010
TDs 2 UNC, 2010
Long 80 BC, 2009

Chris Drager (TE)

Rec. 1 five times
Yds. 15 UNC, 2008
TDs 0
Long 15 UNC, 2008

Randall Dunn (TE)

Rec. 1 WF, 2010
Yds. 9 WF, 2010
TDs 0
Long 9 WF, 2010

Josh Oglesby (TB)

Rec. 2 four times
Yds. 14 Alabama, 2009
TDs 0
Long 13 Alabama, 2009

Dyrell Roberts (WR)

Rec. 6 WF, 2010
Yds. 134 WF, 2010
TDs 1 five times
Long 62 ECU, 2008

David Wilson (TB)

Rec. 3 UVa, 2010
Yds. 65 twice
TDs 1 four times
Long 65 DU, 2010



and in 2009, to honor him, the city of Washington, D.C., designated the portion of Seventh Street NW from T Street to Florida Avenue as Chuck Brown Way.

♦ Wiley is the younger brother of Nekos, who started at defensive end in 2009. He played at Duquesne before transferring in and sitting out in 2009. He was a special teams demon, recording 13 special teams tackles for the year and a forced fumble in the Orange Bowl on kickoff coverage

CONSTANT ON THE SIDELINES

♦ Long-time equipment manager **Lester Karlin** and Assistant to the Head Coach **Billy Hite** are both in their 34th seasons on the Tech staff and have been on the sideline for 398 consecutive Tech games.

TAKING CARE OF WALK-ONS

♦ Former walk-on John Engelberger was a starter for the San Francisco 49ers and Denver Broncos, and John Burke played in the Super Bowl with the New England Patriots in 1987. Cody Grimm went from a walk-on, to a starter, to an All-American, and finally to an NFL Draft pick of Tampa Bay in 2009.

♦ Current Tech walk-ons who have earned scholarships include **Jack Tyler**, **Justin Myer**, **Joey Phillips**, **Martin Scales** and **Corey Fuller** with others in line should a scholarship open up.

♦ Grimm and Will Montgomery (C, Washington Redskins) are both former Hokie walk-ons **starting** in the NFL this year.

GIVE IT TO BROOKS

♦ Offensive guard **Jaymes Brooks** is making his living as a third-year starter at offensive guard, but the senior also is proud that he scored a touchdown on a run from the fullback position in his last high school game.

♦ The Newport News, Va., native also excelled in another sport, winning the Virginia Group AAA state indoor track & field shot put title as a sophomore and finishing second

in both the shot put and discus at the State Outdoor Track & Field Championship meet his senior year.

♦ Brooks, who was born in Zweibrücken, Germany, was thrust into the limelight for the Orange Bowl two seasons ago when the starter was ruled ineligible. He responded with a solid game in the win and has started every game since, a streak of 28 contests.

BOOK END TACKLE

♦ Senior offensive tackle **Blake DeChristopher** anchors a senior-laden offensive line, one that has combined to make 98 career starts, third-most in the ACC.

DeChristopher, who is in his fourth year as a starter, has started 37 games and has a chance to reached the rare 50-game mark this season.

♦ An intimidating presence at 6-5, 311 pounds, DeChristopher proudly carries around a full beard and shaggy hair, but is also a beast in the weight room. He strained a pectoral muscle in off-season max testing, causing him to miss most of the preseason, but trainers are confident he'll be ready for the season opener.

GIVING THEM HIS FINGER

♦ No one can accuse offensive guard **Greg Nosal** of being soft after his performance against CMU last year. The senior got his pinkie finger stuck in the facemask of a defender, ripping the fleshy tip of the finger off. After the trainers fished it out of his glove, they put the digit on ice and wrapped up Nosal so he could finish the game.

♦ Finally, he went into the training room late in the game after the pain medicine wore off to get the tip sewn back on, but he played two quarters with 9 ¹/₂ fingers.

♦ Nosal's father, Greg, was promoted in 2009 to Rear Admiral in the U.S. Navy and works at the Pentagon. The younger Nosal has lived all over the country, taking residence in Virginia Beach twice, Jacksonville twice, Washington, D.C. twice and Honolulu once, moving six times total.

START CHARTS

Offense	'11	Current	
		Streak	Career
Boykin	0	24	32
Brooks	0	28	28
Coale	0	24	40
Davis	0	1	3
DeChristopher	0	22	37
Drager	0	4	12*
Lanier	0	14	15
Martin	0	-	1
Nosal	0	14	15
Roberts	0	-	14
Via	0	-	3
Wilson	0	-	2

Defense	'11	Current	
		Streak	Career
Battle	0	-	2
Collins	0	-	1
Exum	0	-	5
Fuller, K.	0	-	6
Gayle	0	-	2
Gouveia-Winslow	0	1	7
Hill	0	-	2
Hopkins, A.	0	12	12
Hosley	0	11	13
Rivers	0	-	15
Taylor, B.	0	14	14
Tyler	0	1	1
Whitley	0	6	14

Specialists	'11	Current	
		Streak	Career
Carroll (LS)	0	41	41
Myer (KO)	0	40	40

* - one start came at tight end in 2008; 11 starts came at defensive end in 2010

STARTED EVERY GAME IN 2011

Offense (0):

Defense (0):

Specialists (0):

LONGEST ACTIVE STREAKS

Collin Carroll	41
Justin Myer	40
Jaymes Brooks	28
Danny Coale.....	24
Jarrett Boykin	24
Blake DeChristopher	22
Andrew Lanier	14
Greg Nosal.....	14
Bruce Taylor	14

HOKIES WITH NFL TIES

Current Player(s)	Tie
COLLIN CARROLL	father, Jay Carroll , played in the NFL for the Minnesota Vikings and the Tampa Bay Buccaneers
KYLE AND COREY FULLER	brother, Vincent Fuller , is in his seventh season as a defensive back for the Tennessee Titans
JOSH TRIMBLE	late father, Steve Trimble , played four seasons in the NFL - three with the Denver Broncos, one with the Chicago Bears - as a free safety
DAVID WANG	brother, Ed Wang , was drafted by the Buffalo Bills in 2010 as an offensive tackle
CHASE WILLIAMS	father, Gregg Williams , is the defensive coordinator of the 2010 World Champion New Orleans Saints
TYREL WILSON	father, James Wilson , signed as an UFA with Detroit
JERON GOUVEIA-WINSLOW	biological father, Kurt Gouveia , played 13 seasons in the NFL for the Washington Redskins, Philadelphia Eagles and San Diego Chargers as a linebacker



GETTIN' IT DONE IN THE CLASSROOM

• Of the 17 seniors on the 2011 roster, there are eight Hokie graduates, with seven others slated to graduate in December and one on track to graduate next May.

• Here's how the current seniors, listed alphabetically, stand: **Kwamaine Battle** (graduated, working toward second undergraduate degree), **Jarrett Boykin** (graduates in December), **Jaymes Brooks** (graduates in December), **Collin Carroll** (graduates in December), **Danny Coale** (graduated, working toward second undergraduate degree), **Blake DeChristopher** (graduated, working toward second undergraduate degree), **Chris Drager** (graduated, working on Master's), **Bo Gentry** (scheduled to graduate in summer 2012), **Cris Hill** (graduates in December), **Andrew Lanier** (graduated, working toward second undergraduate degree), **Justin Myer** (scheduled to graduate in May), **Greg Nosal** (graduated, working toward second undergraduate degree), **Josh Oglesby** (graduated, working toward second undergraduate degree), **Barquell Rivers** (graduated, working toward second undergraduate degree), **Dyrell Roberts** (graduates in December), **Eddie Whitley** (graduates in December), **Tyler Weiss** (graduates in December).

• Additionally, junior **Courtney Prince** graduated this past summer to bring the Hokies' total number of graduates to nine.

• In eight of the past 10 years, Tech has graduated 70 percent or higher of its football class.

HOKIE PRIDE

• Virginia Tech football has always prided itself on taking care of its players before, during and after their times in Blacksburg. A testament to the family atmosphere created is the roster of former Hokie players serving in some sort of capacity with the football team in the athletic department.

Frank Beamer (*head coach*)
Shane Beamer (*asst. coach*)
Cornell Brown (*asst. coach*)
Torrian Gray (*asst. coach*)
Jarrett Ferguson (*strength & conditioning coach*)
Keith Short (*strength & conditioning coach*)
Jermaine Holmes (*director, SAASS*)
John Moody (*Hokie Club*)
David Everett (*Hokie Club*)
Orion Martin (*G.A. coach*)
Ryan Shuman (*G.A.; weight room*)
Brandon Dillard (*G.A.; weight room*)
John Candelas (*G.A. coach*)
Jimmy Martin (*G.A.; video*)
Mike Burnop (*radio color commentator*)

PLAY BREAKDOWN

No.	Name	O	D	ST	T
1	Antone Exum	0	0	0	0
2	Josh Oglesby	0	0	0	0
3	Logan Thomas	0	0	0	0
4	David Wilson	0	0	0	0
6	Mark Leal	0	0	0	0
7	Marcus Davis	0	0	0	0
8	Detrick Bonner	0	0	0	0
9	Cris Hill	0	0	0	0
11	Dyrell Roberts	0	0	0	0
12	Ju-Ju Clayton	0	0	0	0
13	Randall Dunn	0	0	0	0
15	Eddie Whitley	0	0	0	0
16	Trey Gresh	0	0	0	0
17	Kyle Fuller	0	0	0	0
18	D.J. Coles	0	0	0	0
19	Danny Coale	0	0	0	0
20	Jayron Hosley	0	0	0	0
22	Tony Gregory	0	0	0	0
23	Boye Aromire	0	0	0	0
24	Tariq Edwards	0	0	0	0
25	Martin Scales	0	0	0	0
26	James Hopper	0	0	0	0
27	Nick Dew	0	0	0	0
28	Alonzo Tweedy	0	0	0	0
29	Scott Demler	0	0	0	0
32	Riley Beiro	0	0	0	0
33	Chris Drager	0	0	0	0
34	Kyshoen Jarrett	0	0	0	0
36	Chase Williams	0	0	0	0
39	Daniel Dyer	0	0	0	0
40	Wiley Brown	0	0	0	0
41	Derek DiNardo	0	0	0	0
42	J.R. Collins	0	0	0	0
43	Jeron Gouveia-Winslow	0	0	0	0
45	Joey Phillips	0	0	0	0
47	Jonathan Halfhide	0	0	0	0
48	Justin Myer	0	0	0	0
50	Collin Carroll	0	0	0	0
51	Bruce Taylor	0	0	0	0
52	Barquell Rivers	0	0	0	0
54	Nick Becton	0	0	0	0
56	Antoine Hopkins	0	0	0	0
57	Telvin Clark	0	0	0	0
58	Jack Tyler	0	0	0	0
59	Courtney Prince	0	0	0	0
62	Blake DeChristopher	0	0	0	0
63	Bo Gentry	0	0	0	0
64	Matt Arkema	0	0	0	0
65	Joe St. Germain	0	0	0	0
66	Tyrel Wilson	0	0	0	0
67	Michael Via	0	0	0	0
68	Jaymes Brooks	0	0	0	0
71	Vinston Painter	0	0	0	0
72	Andrew Lanier	0	0	0	0
74	Andrew Miller	0	0	0	0
75	Greg Nosal	0	0	0	0
76	David Wang	0	0	0	0
79	Caleb Farris	0	0	0	0
80	George George	0	0	0	0
81	Jarrett Boykin	0	0	0	0
83	Corey Fuller	0	0	0	0
88	Ryan Malleck	0	0	0	0
89	Cody Journell	0	0	0	0
90	Duan Perez-Means	0	0	0	0
92	Luther Maddy	0	0	0	0
93	Isaiah Hamlette	0	0	0	0
94	Dadi Nicolas	0	0	0	0
95	Zack McCray	0	0	0	0
96	Corey Marshall	0	0	0	0
98	Derrick Hopkins	0	0	0	0
99	James Gayle	0	0	0	0

* - had to have dressed for a minimum of one game

VIRGINIA TECH IS "DBU"

They like to call themselves "D-Block" or "DBU" and there's no denying the recent success (1993-present) of Virginia Tech's defensive backs. Below is a list of 24 Hokie D-backs who have made their mark on the collegiate level and in the professional ranks.

Name	Pos.	Note
Antonio Banks	CB	4th-round draft pick of Minnesota in 1997
Cory Bird	S	3rd-round draft pick of Indianapolis in 2001
Rashad Carmichael	CB	4th-round draft pick of Houston last year; NFL rookie
Keion Carpenter	S	UFA; played with Atlanta and Buffalo
Kam Chancellor	S	5th-round draft pick of Seattle in 2010; starter for Seattle
Ike Charlton	CB	2nd-round draft pick of Seattle in 2000
Tyrone Drakeford	CB	2nd-round draft pick of San Francisco in 1994
Brandon Flowers	CB	2007 1st-team A-A; 2nd-round pick; starter for Kansas City
Vincent Fuller	S	4th-round draft pick of Tennessee in 2004; still playing
Torrian Gray	S	2nd-round draft pick of Minnesota in 1997; coach at VT now
Eric Green	CB	3rd-round draft pick of Arizona in 2003
DeAngelo Hall	CB	2003 2nd-team A-A; #8 overall pick; starter for Washington
Justin Hamilton	S	7th-round draft pick of Cleveland in 2006
Macho Harris	CB	2008 1st-team A-A; drafted by Philadelphia; still playing (Pitt)
Jayron Hosley	CB	2010 1st-team A-A; led nation in INTs in 2010
Kevin McCadam	SS	5th-round draft pick of Atlanta in 2002
Anthony Midget	CB	1999 3rd-team A-A; 5th-round draft pick
Willie Pile	FS	2002 2nd-team A-A; 7th-round draft pick; in CFL
Pierson Prioleau	S	member of Super Bowl champion New Orleans; still playing
Aaron Rouse	S	3rd-round draft pick of Green Bay in 2007
Nick Sorensen	S	UFA; played in NFL with Cleveland for 10 seasons
Ronyell Whitaker	CB	2001 3rd-team A-A; played with Minnesota and Tampa Bay
Garnell Wilds	CB	UFA; played with Carolina and Washington
Jimmy Williams	CB	2005 unanimous A-A; 2nd-round draft pick of Atlanta in 2006



SENIOR PRODUCTION

♦ The senior trio of **Jarrett Boykin**, **Danny Coale** and **Dyrell Roberts** have been a productive group for the Hokies over the past four seasons. Coale is best remembered for his 81-yard catch against Nebraska in the waning moments to set up Roberts' 11-yard touchdown catch in the 16-15 win. Boykin's 39-yard catch-and-run for a score gave the Hokies the lead for good in the 40-31 win at NC State last year, the biggest comeback under head coach Frank Beamer.

♦ Below are the three's career stats and their total numbers as a group.

	G	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Avg.
Boykin	41	123	2123	13	17.3
Coale	41	105	1754	5	16.7
Roberts	36	60	920	5	15.3
Total	118	288	4797	23	16.7

IMPRESSIVE GENES

♦ Backup offensive guard **David Wang** comes from athletic parents, both of whom were members of the Chinese Olympic team.

♦ David had surgery on his shoulder during preseason and redshirted in 2009 before seeing the field in five games last year as the top backup at left guard. He is expected to be the top backup at both guard spots this year and is ready to go with the starters if need be.

♦ He is the brother of former Hokie Ed Wang, who made history in April of 2010 by becoming the first Chinese American to be drafted by an NFL team when Buffalo took him in the fourth round. Ed and David were featured on NFL China in 2010 as a crew came over from Beijing to do a story on American football.

♦ Virginia Tech also holds the distinction of having the first Korean American drafted by an NFL team as Eugene Chung was taken by the New England Patriots in the first round of the 1992 Draft.

HOP AND SKIP

♦ Defensive tackles **Antoine Hopkins** and **Derrick Hopkins** will line up beside each other on the defensive line this year as starters.

♦ Antoine, known as "Hop," switched from No. 98 to No. 56 last year, a number he wore in high school. Derrick, the sophomore known as "Skip," had a tremendous spring session and will again be wearing Antoine's old No. 98. The two have a younger brother nicknamed "Jump" to complete the trio.

♦ Antoine had 45 tackles, including 6.5 for loss and 2.5 sacks, while Derrick had nine tackles, including 1.5 sacks, and a fumble recovery last season.

♦ The last brothers to play side-by-side for

the Hokies were Blake and Brett Warren at linebacker in the mid 2000s.

♦ Other notable brother combinations playing together on the same side of the ball were Orion and Cam Martin (defensive end and whip linebacker, respectively) in the late 2000s; Kevin and Jonathan Lewis, starting defensive tackles side-by-side in 2002, and offensive linemen T.J. (LT) and Todd (LG) Washington in 1996.

THE FREAK

♦ Junior wide receiver **Marcus Davis** is poised to have a major impact on the offense this year after finally settling in at the position.

♦ At 6-foot-4 and 230 pounds, the freakishly athletic Davis runs a 4.37-second 40-yard dash and set a Tech program record with a 44-inch vertical jump in the spring, making him a big target for **Logan Thomas** to find anywhere, but particularly on jump ball situations in the end zone.

♦ In the summer of 2010, Davis worked on his catching skills by catching 100 balls a day. Many of those balls were caught with tennis balls taped to the palms of his hands to make him catch the ball with his fingertips.

♦ Davis came to Tech as a quarterback, but quickly switched to wide receiver. But he hurt his right shoulder just four practices into the 2008 preseason camp and underwent surgery. After taking a redshirt year, he was moved back to quarterback the next spring, but was moved back out wide with just a week left in the spring and has been a permanent resident of the receiving corps since.

♦ His first college reception was an 80-yard

touchdown catch in 2009 against Boston College. Against North Carolina last year, he hauled in four passes for 81 yards and two touchdowns.

RETURNING TO FORM

♦ Senior wide receiver **Dyrell Roberts** is looking to return to form this fall after having emergency surgery last fall following a game. Roberts, a speedster who was one of the top kickoff return men in 2009, was hit on the thigh on a return in the Georgia Tech game last year.

♦ After the game, it was bruised, but nothing out of the ordinary. As the night went on and the pain increased, he was finally rushed to Montgomery Regional Hospital and had a series of surgeries over the next week to relieve pressure in his thigh from compartment syndrome. Without the surgeries, he could've suffered permanent muscle damage.

♦ Roberts missed the rest of the season and practiced sparingly in the spring, but is expected back full this year.

♦ The high school tailback was converted to wide receiver when he got to Tech and had started coming on before the injury. In the two games leading up to the Georgia Tech contest, Roberts had a career day in a 52-21 win against Wake Forest with six catches for 134 yards, and two catches for 49 yards and a touchdown in a 44-7 win against Duke.

♦ He needs just 19 yards to break the school record for career kickoff return yards, held by Jon Jeffries (1987-91) with 1,447.

COORDINATOR TIDBITS

During Bud Foster's 205-game tenure as defensive/co-defensive coordinator, Tech has ...

- ♦ had 45 different defensive players score touchdowns.
- ♦ held opponents to an average of 106.6 yards rushing and 16.3 points per game.
- ♦ been nationally ranked in the top five of a major defensive category 35 times.
- ♦ had at least one defensive player earn All-America honors from some publication in all 16 seasons. Four players gained A-A recognition in 1999 and three were honored in 2001.
- ♦ produced six first-team All-Americans and 11 others who have earned second- or third-team All-America honors from one of the recognized groups.
- ♦ had 34 players drafted by NFL teams.
- ♦ produced its first Lombardi Award winner and its first Nagurski Trophy winner in Corey Moore.
- ♦ produced two BIG EAST defensive players of the year – Corey Moore, who earned the honor in both 1998 and 1999, and Cornell Brown, who won it in 1995.
- ♦ featured 10 players who have recorded nine or more interceptions in their career

During Bryan Stinespring's 121-game tenure as offensive coordinator, Tech has ...

- ♦ won 91 games and averaged 362.7 yards of total offense.
- ♦ averaged 30.4 points per game, finishing first or second in the ACC in scoring offense in five of seven seasons.
- ♦ finished with six of its top nine all-time teams in both total offense and total points.
- ♦ had 18 players drafted and 33 players total sign with NFL teams.
- ♦ had five players earn All-Big East honors, including one repeat performer, and 23 who won All-ACC honors, with five repeat picks.
- ♦ produced a Rimington Trophy winner and unanimous All-American in Jake Grove.
- ♦ produced the ACC Player of the Year and Offensive Player of the Year for 2004 (Bryan Randall) and 2010 (Tyrod Taylor), and the 2009 ACC Rookie of the Year (Ryan Williams).
- ♦ featured 1,000-yard rushers Ryan Williams, Kevin Jones, Lee Suggs, Darren Evans and Branden Ore, the two top passing leaders in school history and five of the top pass catchers in school history.



ONE LAST SHOT

♦ Senior linebacker **Barquell Rivers** has seen the highs and lows of college football and now is trying to go out on top.

♦ In his first college start, Rivers made a big late-game fourth-down stop at the goal line to help preserve the Hokies' 2009 Orange Bowl victory over Cincinnati. The next season, in his first year as the starting mike linebacker, Rivers was second on the team with 96 tackles. But in the first week of March, 2010, it all changed. While working out in the Merryman Center weight room tore the quadriceps tendon in his left leg while power cleaning 351 pounds.

♦ Following surgery, recovery and rehabilitation time was scheduled as five to six months. He returned to practice in early October, but developed patella tendinitis and was shut back down. He worked his way back to play on the kickoff team in the Orange Bowl against Stanford and is coming off a nice spring session.

♦ Rivers, who has already graduated, will be one of the four game captains for the opener against Appalachian State and continues to work his way back into the playing rotation.

25 FOR NO. 25

♦ Head coach Frank Beamer, who wore No. 25 when he played at Tech in the 1960s, is in his 25th season at the helm of the Hokies.

♦ During Beamer's time in Blacksburg, the other 11 ACC programs have employed a combined 51 head coaches.

♦ Stanford has had eight head coaches

over the past 25 years, the most among the 67 programs (six major conferences plus Notre Dame) with automatic BCS qualifying privileges.

♦ Five of his nine assistant coaches, plus three of the four GAs, played for him either at Murray State (Bud Foster, Charley Wiles) or Virginia Tech (Shane Beamer, Cornell Brown, Torrian Gray, plus GAs John Candelas, Jimmy Martin and Orion Martin).

COACHES AT THEIR ALMA MATERS

♦ Virginia Tech's **Frank Beamer** is one of 18 head coaches working at their alma maters this season.

Chris Ault - Nevada
Frank Beamer - Virginia Tech
Bill Blankenship - Tulsa
Troy Calhoun - Air Force
Jon Embree - Colorado
Steve Fairchild - Colorado State
Pat Fitzgerald - Northwestern
Mike Gundy - Oklahoma State
Doug Marrone - Syracuse
Ruffin McNeill - East Carolina
Rick Neuheisel - UCLA
Luke Fickell - Ohio State
Joker Phillips - Kentucky
Larry Porter - Memphis
David Shaw - Stanford
Willie Taggart - Western Kentucky
Don Treadwell - Miami University
Paul Wulff - Washington State

TECH PLAYERS WITH NFL FATHER CONNECTIONS

Current Players

Jeron Gouveia-Winslow (Kurt Gouveia)
Collin Carroll (Jay Carroll)
Josh Trimble (late father Steve Trimble)
Chase Williams (Gregg Williams)
Tyrel Wilson (James Wilson)

Former Players

Beau, Blake and Brett Warren (Don Warren)
Chad and Cody Grimm (Russ Grimm)
Chad Beasley (Tom Beasley)
Billy Hardee, III (Billy Hardee, Jr.)
Kenny Lewis, Jr. (Kenny Lewis, Sr.)
Ken, Jr. and Jason Barefoot (Ken Barefoot, Sr.)

FIGHTING THROUGH THE PAIN

♦ Junior walk-on punter **Scott Demler** won the starting punting job in the preseason and takes over for All-ACC punter Brian Saunders. The fact that he is able to punt is a small miracle since he has chronic back pain.

♦ Demler, from Washington Crossing, Pa., has facet syndrome in his back, which causes him to have back pain every day. He hurt his back his second day of preseason practice at Tech in 2008 and doctors back home said he injured the third vertebrae in his back. They advised him not to punt or do certain activities, but Demler did a lot of rehab and core strengthening to get back to health. He still wakes up sore every day, but is playing through the pain.

HOKIES IN THE PROS (UPDATED 8/28/11)

No.	Name	Pos.	Team	Of Note	GP/GS	By Team
#52	Xavier Adibi	OLB	Houston Texans		(0 GP/0 GS)	AFC
#50	James Anderson	OLB	Carolina Panthers		(0 GP/0 GS)	Baltimore (2): Jason Murphy,
#76	Duane Brown	OT	Houston Texans		(0 GP/0 GS)	Tyrod Taylor
	Rashad Carmichael	CB	Houston Texans		(0 GP/0 GS)	Buffalo (1): Ed Wang
#31	Kam Chancellor	S	Seattle Seahawks		(0 GP/0 GS)	Denver (1): Eddie Royal
#87	David Clowney	WR	Carolina Panthers		(0 GP/0 GS)	Houston (5): Xavier Adibi,
#93	Chris Ellis	DE	Pittsburgh Steelers		(0 GP/0 GS)	Duane Brown, Rashad Carmichael,
	Darren Evans	TB	Indianapolis Colts		(0 GP/0 GS)	Steven Friday, John Graves
#24	Brandon Flowers	CB	Kansas City Chiefs		(0 GP/0 GS)	Indianapolis (1): Darren Evans
	Steven Friday	OLB	Houston Texans		(0 GP/0 GS)	Kansas City (1): Brandon Flowers
#22	Vincent Fuller	S	Tennessee Titans		(0 GP/0 GS)	New York Jets (1): Davon Morgan
	Shayne Graham	PK	Dallas Cowboys		(0 GP/0 GS)	Pittsburgh (3): Chris Ellis,
	John Graves	DT	Houston Texans		(0 GP/0 GS)	Macho Harris, Jason Worilds
#35	Cody Grimm ^w	S	Tampa Bay Buccaneers		(0 GP/0 GS)	Tennessee (1): Vincent Fuller
#23	DeAngelo Hall	CB	Washington Redskins		(0 GP/0 GS)	NFC
	Macho Harris	S	Pittsburgh Steelers		(0 GP/0 GS)	Arizona (2): Jeff King, Ryan Williams
	Jeff King	TE	Arizona Cardinals		(0 GP/0 GS)	Atlanta (1): Carton Powell
	Jason Murphy	OG	Baltimore Ravens		(0 GP/0 GS)	Carolina (2): James Anderson,
#63	Will Montgomery ^w	OG	Washington Redskins		(0 GP/0 GS)	David Clowney
	Davon Morgan	S	New York Jets		(0 GP/0 GS)	Chicago (1): Andre Smith
#84	Josh Morgan	WR	San Francisco 49ers		(0 GP/0 GS)	Dallas (1): Shayne Graham
#31	Pierson Prioleau	S	New Orleans Saints		(0 GP/0 GS)	New Orleans (1): Pierson Prioleau
	Carlton Powell	DT	Atlanta Falcons		(0 GP/0 GS)	Philadelphia (2): Darryl Tapp,
#19	Eddie Royal	WR	Denver Broncos		(0 GP/0 GS)	Michael Vick
	Andre Smith	TE	Chicago Bears		(0 GP/0 GS)	San Francisco (1): Josh Morgan
#55	Darryl Tapp	DE	Philadelphia Eagles		(0 GP/0 GS)	Seattle (1): Kam Chancellor
#2	Tyrod Taylor	QB	Baltimore Ravens		(0 GP/0 GS)	Tampa Bay (1): Cody Grimm
#7	Michael Vick	QB	Philadelphia Eagles		(0 GP/0 GS)	Washington (2): DeAngelo Hall,
#71	Ed Wang	OT	Buffalo Bills		(0 GP/0 GS)	Will Montgomery
#34	Ryan Williams	TB	Arizona Cardinals	<i>injured reserve (knee)</i>		
#97	Jason Worilds	OLB	Pittsburgh Steelers		(0 GP/0 GS)	

^w - came to Tech as a walk-on



The Virginia Tech football program prides itself on the family atmosphere it instills. That atmosphere hasn't gone unnoticed as several sets of brothers and sons of former Hokies have followed in their footsteps and decided to play for head coach Frank Beamer and his staff. Below is a comprehensive list of the players who have followed in the footsteps of their relatives.

Current players

Wiley Brown (redshirt junior)

Brother: Nekos Brown (lettered 2006-09)

Tariq Edwards (redshirt sophomore)

Father: Bo Campbell (lettered 1989-92)

Kyle Fuller (sophomore) and Corey Fuller (redshirt junior)

Brother: Vincent (lettered 2001-04)

Bo Gentry (senior)

Father: Dr. Mike Gentry (Assistant AD for Athletic Performance)

George George III (redshirt junior)

Father: George George, Jr. (played in the '70s)

Griffin Hite (freshman)

Father: Billy Hite (Assistant to the Head Coach and Senior Advisor)

Antoine Hopkins (redshirt junior)

Brother: Derrick Hopkins (sophomore)

Mark Shuman (redshirt freshman)

Brother: Ryan Shuman (lettered 2006-08)

David Wang (redshirt sophomore)

Brother: Ed Wang (lettered 2006-09)

Former Players

Nathaniel Adibi (lettered 2000-03)

Brother: Xavier Adibi (lettered 2004-07)

Ken Barefoot (lettered 1965-67)

Sons: Ken Barefoot, Jr. (lettered 1987-88)
and Jason Barefoot (on the 1988-90 teams)

Frank Beamer (lettered 1966-68)

(head coach 1986 to present)

Son: Shane Beamer (lettered 1996-99)

(associate head coach 2011-present)

Tom Beasley (lettered 1973-76)

Son: Chad Beasley (lettered 1998-01)

Mike Borden (lettered 1979-80)

Brother: Karl Borden (lettered 1987-88, 90)

Mike Burnop (lettered 1970-72)

Son: Greg Burnop (played in 2002)

Tom Cooper (lettered 1974-76)

Son: Chad Cooper (lettered 2001-04)

Ron Davidson (lettered 1966-68)

Son: Ron Davidson, Jr. (on the 1987-90 teams)

Ken Edwards (lettered 1967-69)

Son: Tommy Edwards (lettered 1993-94)

George Evans (lettered 1979-82)

Son: Zac Evans (played in 2009)

Keith Gray (lettered in 1994)

Brother: Kirk Gray (on 1990-92 teams)

Chad Grimm (lettered 2006)

Brother: Cody Grimm (lettered 2006-09)

Billy Hardee, Jr. (lettered 1973-75)

Son: Billy Hardee III (lettered 2000-02)

Scott Hawkins (lettered 1969 & 1971)

Son: Cullen Hawkins (lettered 1996-97, 1999-00)

Danny Hill (lettered 1976-79)

Brother: Scott Hill (lettered 1986-89)

Bill Houseright (lettered 1973-77)

Sons: Bill Houseright, Jr. (lettered 1995)

and Jake Houseright (lettered 1998-01)

and Jonas Houseright (lettered 2006-08)

Billy Leeson (lettered 1982-84)

Son: Nick Leeson (lettered 2003, 2005-06)

Kenny Lewis, Sr. (lettered 1977-79)

Son: Kenny Lewis, Jr. (lettered 2006-08)

Kevin Lewis (lettered 2000-04)

Brother: Jonathan Lewis (lettered 2002-05)

Orion Martin (lettered 2005-08)

Brother: Cam Martin (lettered 2006-09)

Joe Moss (lettered 1958-59 & 1961)

Sons: Andrew Moss (lettered in 1990)

and Billy Moss (lettered in 1992)

D.J. Parker (lettered 2004-07)

Brother: Matt Wright (on 2006 team)

Willie Pile (lettered 2000-02)

Brother: Ben Barber (on 2009 team)

Dennis Semones (lettered in 1966)

Son: Brandon Semones (lettered 1993-96)

Terry Smith (lettered in 1990)

Brother: Eric Smith (lettered in 1992)

Lenny Smith (lettered 1968-70)

Son: Ryan Smith (lettered 1997-98)

Billy Swarm (lettered 1991-92)

Brother: Joe Swarm (lettered 1992-93)

Anthony Thibodeau (lettered in 2000)

Brother: John Thibodeau (on 2003-04 teams)

Michael Vick (lettered 1999-00)

Brother: Marcus Vick (lettered 2003, 05)

Blake Warren (lettered 2002-05)

Brothers: Brett Warren (lettered 2004-05, 2007-08)

and Beau Warren (lettered 2007-10)

T.J. Washington (lettered 1994-96)

Brother: Todd Washington (lettered 1995-97)

Rich Williams (lettered 1987-88)

Brother: Ryan Williams (lettered 1991-94)





GAME-BY-GAME CAPTAINS AND AWARD WINNERS

Game	Captains	Wes Worsham *	Offense	Defense	Special Teams
Appalachian St.	Coale, Drager, Rivers, Whitley				
ECU					
Arkansas St.					
Marshall					
Clemson					
Miami					
Wake Forest					
Duke					
Georgia Tech					
North Carolina					
Virginia					

* - Wes Worsham Award given only after a victory to game's MVP, as determined by Worsham.

HOT & COLD

COLDEST GAMES AT KICKOFF UNDER BEAMER (not factoring in wind chill, strictly temperature at kickoff)

Rk.	Date	Opponent	Location	Stadium	Kickoff Time	Temperature	Score
1.	Nov. 21, 1987	Cincinnati	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane	1:00 PM	25	W, 21-20
2.	Nov. 22, 2008	Duke	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	5:34 PM	29	W, 14-3
3.	Nov. 9, 1996	East Carolina	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	7:06 PM	30	W, 35-14
4.	Nov. 8, 2003	Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Heinz Field	7:47 PM	32	L, 28-31
5.	Nov. 4, 1995	Syracuse	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	3:36 PM	34	W, 31-7
6.	Oct. 27, 2001	Syracuse	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	12:08 PM	35	L, 14-22
	Nov. 9, 1991	Akron	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	1:01 PM	35	W, 42-24
8.	Dec. 4, 2010	Florida State	Charlotte, N.C.	Bank of America	7:52 PM	36	W, 44-33
	Nov. 26, 2005	North Carolina	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	7:48 PM	36	W, 30-3
10.	Nov. 24, 2007	Virginia	Charlottesville, Va.	Smith/Harrison/Scott	12:03 PM	37	W, 33-21
	Nov. 25, 2000	Virginia	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	7:35 PM	37	W, 42-21
	Nov. 14, 1992	Southern Miss	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	1:00 PM	37	L, 13-12

HOTTEST GAMES AT KICKOFF UNDER BEAMER (not factoring in heat index, strictly temperature at kickoff)

Rk.	Date	Opponent	Location	Stadium	Kickoff Time	Temperature	Score
1.	Oct. 29, 1994	Miami	Miami, Fla.	Orange Bowl	3:34 PM	88	L, 3-24
	Sept. 18, 1993	Miami	Miami, Fla.	Orange Bowl	4:06 PM	88	L, 2-21
3.	Sept. 21, 2002	Texas A&M	College Station, Texas	Kyle Field	2:37 PM	86	W, 13-3
	Sept. 5, 1998	East Carolina	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	4:06 PM	86	W, 38-3
5.	Sept. 13, 2008	Georgia Tech	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	3:37 PM	85	W, 20-17
	Oct. 7, 1995	Navy	Annapolis, Md.	Navy-Marine Corps MS	1:30 PM	85	W, 14-0
	Sept. 7, 1991	NC State	Raleigh, N.C.	Carter-Finley	1:02 PM	85	L, 0-7
	Sept. 9, 1989	South Carolina	Columbia, S.C.	Williams-Brice	7:00 PM	85	T, 17-17
9.	Sept. 25, 2010	Boston College	Chestnut Hill, Mass.	Alumni	12:10 PM	83	W, 19-0
10.	Oct. 6, 2007	Clemson	Clemson, S.C.	Clemson Memorial	6:04 PM	82	W, 41-23
	Sept. 8, 2007	LSU	Baton Rouge, La.	Tiger	8:22 PM	82	L, 7-45
	Sept. 17, 2005	Ohio	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	3:35 PM	82	W, 45-0
	Sept. 4, 2005	NC State	Raleigh, N.C.	Carter-Finley	7:15 PM	82	W, 20-16
	Aug. 28, 2004	Southern Cal	Landover, Md.	FedExField	7:53 PM	82	L, 13-24
	Aug. 25, 2002	Arkansas State	Blacksburg, Va.	Lane/Worsham Field	2:35 PM	82	W, 63-7
	Sept. 12, 1998	Clemson	Clemson, S.C.	Clemson Memorial	1:00 PM	82	W, 37-0
	Sept. 17, 1994	Boston College	Chestnut Hill, Mass.	Alumni	12:00 PM	82	W, 12-7
	Sept. 15, 1990	East Carolina	Greenville, N.C.	Ficklen	7:00 PM	82	W, 24-23
	Sept. 1, 1990	Maryland	College Park, Md.	Byrd	12:00 PM	82	L, 13-20



VIRGINIA TECH'S MILESTONE VICTORIES

Win	Result of Game (Date and Site)
1	VT 14, St. Albans 10 Oct. 21, 1892; Blacksburg
50	VT 12, Cumberland 0 Oct. 6, 1905; Blacksburg
100	VT 34, Ole Miss 13 Oct. 11, 1913; Blacksburg
150	VT 26, VMI 7 Nov. 24, 1921; Roanoke, VA
200	VT 24, VMI 0 Nov. 27, 1930; Roanoke, VA
250	VT 13, Washington & Lee 3 Oct. 25, 1941; Lynchburg, VA
300	VT 46, Richmond 14 Oct. 20, 1956; Richmond, VA
350	VT 17, George Washington 12 Oct. 9, 1965; Washington, DC
400	VT 56, Florida State 21 Nov. 16, 1974; Tallahassee, FL
450	VT 28, VMI 0 Sept. 24, 1983; Blacksburg
500	VT 20, West Virginia 14 Oct. 5, 1991; Morgantown, WV
550	VT 38, East Carolina 3 Sept. 5, 1998; Blacksburg
600	VT 43, James Madison 0 Sept. 6, 2003; Blacksburg
650	VT 20, Georgia Tech 17 Sept. 13, 2008; Blacksburg

VIRGINIA TECH'S 10-WIN FOOTBALL SEASONS

Year	Record	Coach
1986	10-1-1	Bill Dooley
1995	10-2	Frank Beamer
1996	10-2	Frank Beamer
1999	11-1	Frank Beamer
2000	11-1	Frank Beamer
2002	10-4	Frank Beamer
2004	10-3	Frank Beamer
2005	11-2	Frank Beamer
2006	10-3	Frank Beamer
2007	11-3	Frank Beamer
2008	10-4	Frank Beamer
2009	10-3	Frank Beamer
2010	11-3	Frank Beamer

HISTORY OF VIRGINIA TECH FOOTBALL

- Virginia Tech is in its 118th football season and has compiled a 679-431-46 all-time record in 1,156 games.
- Tech won its 650th game on Sept. 3, 2008, with a 20-17 win over Georgia Tech.
- The Hokies played their first football game on Oct. 21, 1892, with a 14-10 win over St. Albans in a game played on Tech's campus.
- Virginia Tech is 16th among Division I schools in terms of all-time wins.
- The Hokies have compiled 13 10-win seasons, including seven in a row and 10 in the last 12 seasons.
- Tech has won conference football titles in the Southern Conference, the Big East Conference and the Atlantic Coast Conference.

HISTORY OF LANE STADIUM/WORSHAM FIELD

- Virginia Tech's on-campus home since 1965, Lane Stadium/Worsham Field (66,233) is one of college football's most hostile venues.
- The Hokies have compiled an all-time record of 191-68-6 in 265 games at Lane Stadium/Worsham Field. The Hokies are 117-31-1 at home under Frank Beamer and 99-17 at home since the start of the 1996 season.
- The stadium is named for the late Edward H. Lane, a graduate of the university and a former member of the Board of Visitors. Lane headed an educational foundation project which raised more than \$3 million for the original construction. Lane's personal donation was the first received by the fund.
- The field was officially dedicated on Sept. 5, 1992 in honor of Wes and Janet Worsham, longtime Hokie supporters from Kilmarnock, Va. The Worshams pledged \$1 million to the university's Second Century Campaign. The Campaign raised over \$18.6 million, almost \$1.7 million more than the original goal.
- Lane Stadium has been sold out for 81 consecutive games, starting with the final home game of the 1998 season against Virginia.
- The original cost of the stadium was \$3.5 million with an original capacity of 40,000.
- The first game played in the new stadium was a freshman game on Sept. 24, 1965, an 8-8 tie between Tech and Maryland. The first varsity game was played a week later, on Oct. 2 with the Hokies beating William & Mary 9-7.

ALL-TIME BLACKSBURG RECORD

- In addition to its impressive record at Lane Stadium/Worsham Field (1965-present), Virginia Tech has made Blacksburg a very difficult place to play for opposing football teams.
- Tech has compiled a 351-99-13 record in 463 games in Blacksburg.
- Virginia Tech's first game on campus was its first game ever played, a 14-10 win over St. Albans on Oct. 21, 1892. The game was played on an open field behind the Barracks No. 1 (Lane Hall) on the northeast side of campus.
- A small, ungraded area near the present Memorial Chapel was assigned for both athletic and military drill use in 1894 and was known as Sheib Field, where Tech went 13-1. The area was enlarged in 1902 and became known as Gibboney Field, where the Hokies posted a 19-2 record.
- In 1909 the area was graded and leveled, the grandstand enlarged, and the name changed to Miles Field, where the Hokies went 60-3-3. Miles Field was used for football, baseball, and track until Miles Stadium was completed in 1926. Tech called Miles Stadium home from 1926-64, posting a 67-25-4 record.
- Miles Stadium was razed following the 1964 football season and was superseded by the present Lane Stadium.



THE GAME ON RADIO

♦ Tech's games can be heard throughout Virginia and much of the mid-Atlantic region on the Virginia Tech IMG Sports Network.

IMG

♦ Some of the region's most powerful radio stations combine to give Virginia Tech tremendous exposure throughout Virginia, Maryland, and Washington, D.C., and in parts of Tennessee, West Virginia, North Carolina, Kentucky, Delaware, and Pennsylvania.

♦ Eight-time Virginia Sportscaster of the Year Bill Roth (play-by-play), Hokies' Hall of Famer Mike Burnop (analyst) and Adam Witten (scoreboard anchor) comprise Virginia Tech football's on-air broadcast crew.

♦ The 2011 season marks Roth and Burnop's 24th season together in the Virginia Tech radio booth.

♦ Coverage begins 90 minutes prior to kickoff with the Hardees Chicken Tenders Tailgate Show and the NTELOS Pre-Game Report. The Kroger Point After is a 90-minute post-game scoreboard and interview program.

VIRGINIA TECH SPORTS TODAY

♦ Highlights of Tech's games, post-game interviews and other features can be seen on Virginia Tech Sports Today, Tech's weekly television magazine show presented by IMG College shown weekly in 11 markets throughout the mid-Atlantic region.

♦ The show, featuring Tech coach Frank Beamer with host Bill Roth, can be seen every Sunday on a network of stations throughout Virginia, North Carolina, West Virginia, Tennessee, Maryland and Washington, D.C.

♦ The program can be seen on these stations: Roanoke (WBDJ-7, Sun., 11 a.m. and My 19 at 11:30 a.m.), Bristol, Tenn. (WCYB, Sun., 9:30 a.m.), Norfolk (WAVY, Sun., Noon), Harrisonburg (WHSV, Sun., Noon), Richmond (WRIC, Sun., Noon), and Bluefield (WVVA, Sun., Noon).

♦ The show also airs on Fox Sports South every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. and on Comcast SportsNet-Washington every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. In addition, VTST airs for a second time on Fox Sports South each Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. and on Comcast SportsNet-Washington each Saturday at 10:30 a.m.

HOKIE PLAYBACK

♦ See the game again! With Hokie Playback, Tech fans can see the re-broadcast of Virginia Tech home games on Sunday afternoons on CSN Washington at 1:30 p.m., and on WDBJ-7 in Roanoke, Va., at 11:35 p.m. In addition, Hokie Playback can be seen on WDBJ's digital station, My Network TV/Channel 19, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday nights at 11 p.m.

TECH TALK LIVE!

♦ Tech Talk LIVE! airs each Monday from 7-9 p.m. The two-hour long radio talk show originates from Bull & Bones, an upscale sports bar at the First & Main complex in Blacksburg. Coach Frank Beamer, Director of Athletics Jim Weaver, Tech assistant coaches, current and former players, and a variety of guests join the show each week.

♦ Fans can join in person, listen over the radio on local affiliates via the Virginia Tech IMG Sports Network, or on the web at hokiesports.com.



Virginia Tech IMG Sports 2011 Football Affiliates

Abingdon	WFHG-FM	92.7
Blacksburg/Radford	WBRW-FM	105.3
Blackstone/Petersburg	WBBC-FM	93.5
Bluefield, WV	WKQY-FM	100.9
Bluefield, WV	WKEZ-AM	1240
Bristol, TN	WFHG-AM	980
Charlottesville	WKAV-AM	1400
Clifton Forge	WXCF-AM	1230
Clifton Forge	WXCF-FM	103.9
Clincho	WDIC-AM	1430
Clintwood	WDIC-FM	92.1
Danville/Gretna	WMNA-FM	106.3
Galax	WWWJ-AM	1360
Gate City	WGAT-AM	1050
Harrisonburg	WSIG-FM	96.9
Jacksonville, NC	WAVQ-AM	1400
Lebanon	WLRV-AM	1380
Luray	WRAA-AM	1330
Lynchburg	WLNI-FM	105.9
Marion	WOLD-FM	102.5
Martinsville	WMVA-AM	1450
Morningside, MD	WHFS-AM	1580
New Bern, NC	WWNB-AM	1490
New Bern, NC	WWNB-FM	103.9
Norfolk	WNIS-AM	790
Onley	WESR-AM	1330
Onley	WESR-FM	103.3
Richmond	WRNL-AM	910
Richmond	WRVA-AM	1140 *
Roanoke	WSNV-FM	93.5
Staunton	WTON-AM	1240
Tazewell	WKQY-FM	100.1
Warsaw	WNNT-AM	690
Warsaw	WNNT-FM	107.5
Washington, DC	WJFK-FM	106.7
Winchester/Front Royal	WINC-AM	1400
Wytheville	WXBX-FM	95.3

Affiliates and times subject to change; check www.hokiesports.com for latest listings.

On the Internet: Tech Radio Network broadcasts, Virginia Tech Sports Today, and Hokie Playback are available on the Internet through Hokies All-Access on hokiesports.com.

* - Station will carry night games only.

FIRST-YEAR STARTING QUARTERBACKS UNDER BEAMER

Since head coach Frank Beamer took over the helm in 1987, 13 quarterbacks have been full-time starters for the Hokies in those 25 seasons. Below is a list of the regular starters and how they did in their first season ... the same scenario sophomore Logan Thomas is in this season.

Yr.	Player (Yr)	VT	GP/GS	Passing	Rushing
2011	Logan Thomas (rSo)	0-0			
2008	Tyrod Taylor (So)	11-3	12/10	103.3 eff.; 99-173-7; 57.2 pct; 1036 yds; 2 TD; 86.3 YPG	147 att; 738 yds; 7 TD; 61.5 YPG
2006	Sean Glennon (rSo)	10-3	13/13	122.0 eff.; 170-302-11; 56.3 pct; 2191 yds; 11 TD; 168.5 YPG	63 att; -81 yds; 1 TD; -6.2 YPG
2005	Marcus Vick (rJr)	11-2	13/13	143.3 eff.; 177-289-10; 61.2 pct; 2393 yds; 17 TD; 184.1 YPG	147 att; 380 yds; 6 TD; 29.2 YPG
2002	Bryan Randall (So)	10-4	14/12	143.1 eff.; 158-248-11; 63.7 pct; 2134 yds; 12 TD; 152.4 YPG	171 att; 507 yds; 3 TD; 36.2 YPG
2001*	Grant Noel (rJr)	8-4	12/12	132.1 eff.; 161-281-11; 57.3 pct; 2095 yds; 17 TD; 174.6 YPG	73 att; -40 yds; 2 TD; -2.8 YPG
1999*	Michael Vick (rFr)	11-1	11/11	171.1 eff.; 105-182-5; 57.9 pct; 2065 yds; 13 TD; 187.7 YPG	131 att; 682 yds; 9 TD; 62.0 YPG
1997*	Al Clark (rJr)	7-5	11/11	131.9 eff.; 119-209-3; 56.9 pct; 1543 yds; 10 TD; 140.3 YPG	101 att; 325 yds; 3 TD; 29.5 YPG
1995*	Jim Druckenmiller (rJr)	10-2	12/12	121.5 eff.; 169-324-12; 52.2 pct; 2369 yds; 15 TD; 197.4 YPG	63 att; 59 yds; 0 TD; 4.9 YPG
1992*†	Maurice DeShazo (rSo)	2-8-1	11/10	113.9 eff.; 101-215-11; 47.0 pct; 1504 yds; 12 TD; 136.7 YPG	100 att; 206 yds; 2 TD; 18.7 YPG
1988*†	Will Furrer (rFr)	3-8	10/10	83.2 eff.; 128-279-16; 45.9 pct; 1384 yds; 6 TD; 138.4 YPG	58 att; -87 yds; 0 TD; -8.7 YPG
1987*†	Erik Chapman (Sr) ^	2-9	11/10	102.4 eff.; 119-231-14; 51.5 pct; 1340 yds; 10 TD; 121.8 YPG	92 att; -94 yds; 2 TD; -8.5 YPG

* - Under NCAA Rules, Virginia Tech does not count statistics from bowl games in the team or individual statistical totals for games prior to the 2002 season. But for the sake of this chart, their stats are what they would be with the bowl games added in.

† - no bowl game added in (Tech didn't qualify for one)

^ - started the 1986 season under Bill Dooley



VIRGINIA TECH TWO-DEEP DEPTH CHART • VS. APPALACHIAN STATE

as of Aug. 29, 2011

OFFENSE (PRO SET/MULTIPLE)

SE	81 Jarrett Boykin	6-2	215	Sr.	Charlotte, NC
	18 D.J. Coles	6-3	225	Jr.	Maidens, VA
TE	33 Chris Drager	6-4	255	r-Sr.	Jefferson Hills, PA
	13 Randall Dunn	6-2	228	r-Jr.	Virginia BEACH, VA
LT	72 Andrew Lanier	6-5	275	r-Sr.	Moore, SC
	54 Nick Becton	6-6	311	r-Jr.	Wilmington, NC
LG	75 Greg Nosal	6-6	293	r-Sr.	Virginia Beach, VA
	59 Courtney Prince	6-3	282	r-Jr.	Mitchellville, MD
C	74 Andrew Miller	6-4	283	r-So.	Bassett, VA
	79 Caleb Farris	6-3	309	Fr.	Lexington, VA
RG	68 Jaymes Brooks	6-2	296	r-Sr.	Newport News, VA
	76 David Wang	6-1	300	r-So.	Ashburn, VA
RT	62 Blake DeChristopher	6-5	320	r-Sr.	Midlothian, VA
	71 Winston Painter	6-6	296	r-Jr.	Norfolk, VA
TB	4 David Wilson	5-11	200	Jr.	Danville, VA
	2 Josh Oglesby	5-11	211	r-Sr.	Garner, NC
FB	45 Joey Phillips	5-11	214	r-Jr.	Blacksburg, VA
	39 Martin Scales	5-11	216	r-Jr.	Martinsville, VA
QB	3 Logan Thomas	6-6	242	r-So.	Lynchburg, VA
	6 Mark Leal	6-0	199	r-Fr.	Greenacres, FL
FL	19 Danny Coale	6-0	200	Sr.	Lexington, VA
	7 Marcus Davis	6-4	229	r-Jr.	Virginia Beach, VA
	11 Dyrell Roberts	6-2	196	Sr.	Smithfield, VA

DEFENSE (4-3)

DE	42 J.R. Collins	6-2	254	r-So.	Stafford, VA
	95 Zack McCray	6-4	254	r-Fr.	Lynchburg, VA
	90 Duan Perez-Means	6-4	248	r-Fr.	Richmond, VA
DT	98 Derrick Hopkins	6-0	289	So.	Highland Springs VA
	92 Luther Maddy	6-1	283	Fr.	Delray Beach, FL
DT	56 Antoine Hopkins	6-1	302	r-Jr.	Highland Springs, VA
	96 Corey Marshall	6-1	253	Fr.	Petersburg, VA
DE	99 James Gayle	6-4	248	r-So.	Hampton, VA
	66 Tyrel Wilson	6-1	214	r-So.	Hampton, VA
LB	51 Bruce Taylor	6-2	246	r-Jr.	Myrtle Beach, SC
	52 Barquell Rivers	6-0	241	r-Sr.	Wadesboro, NC
	58 Jack Tyler	6-0	229	r-So.	Oakton, VA
LB	24 Tariq Edwards	6-3	228	r-So.	Cheraw, SC
	57 Telvion Clark	6-1	214	r-So.	Norfolk, VA
OLB	43 Jeron Gouveia-Winslow	6-2	207	r-Jr.	Ashburn, VA
	28 Alonzo Tweedy	6-2	188	r-Jr.	Richmond, VA
ROV	15 Eddie Whitley	6-1	195	Sr.	Charlotte, NC
	23 Boye Aromire	5-11	195	Fr.	Washington, DC
CB	17 Kyle Fuller	5-11	178	So.	Baltimore, MD
	9 Cris Hill	5-11	180	r-Sr.	Richmond, VA
FS	1 Antone Exum	6-0	219	r-So.	Glen Allen, VA
	26 James Hopper	5-9	180	r-So.	Fayetteville, NC
CB	20 Jayron Hosley	5-11	170	Jr.	Delray Beach, FL
	8 Detrick Bonner	6-0	183	r-Fr.	McDonough, GA

italics indicates true freshman

SPECIALISTS

P	29 Scott Demler	5-11	194	r-Jr.	Washington Crossing, PA
	19 Danny Coale	6-0	200	Sr.	Lexington, VA
FG/PAT	89 Cody Journell	5-11	167	r-So.	Ripplemead, VA
	48 Justin Myer	6-1	214	Sr.	Manheim, PA
Punt Snap	50 Collin Carroll	6-3	248	r-Sr.	Hopkins, MN
	65 Joe St. Germain	5-11	215	r-Fr.	Los Alamitos, CA
FG/PAT Snap	50 Collin Carroll	6-3	248	r-Jr.	Hopkins, MN
	65 Joe St. Germain	5-11	215	r-Fr.	Los Alamitos, CA
FG/PAT Hold	16 Trey Gresh	6-0	209	r-Fr.	Blacksburg, VA
	6 Mark Leal	6-0	199	r-Fr.	Greenacres, FL
KO	48 Justin Myer	6-1	214	Sr.	Manheim, PA
	89 Cody Journell	5-11	167	r-So.	Ripplemead, VA
KR	4 David Wilson	5-11	200	Jr.	Danville, VA
	22 Tony Gregory	6-0	190	r-So.	Virginia Beach, VA
PR	20 Jayron Hosley	5-11	170	Jr.	Delray Beach, FL
	19 Danny Coale	6-0	200	r-Sr.	Lexington, VA



BEAMERBALL

• During the **Frank Beamer** era at Tech, putting points on the scoreboard has always been a team effort — the offense, the defense and the special teams. It's called BeamerBall, and what sets it apart are the contributions of the defense and special teams.

• Seven of Tech's last 10 teams are ranked among the school's top 10 highest scoring teams. During that time, a player at every position on the defensive unit has produced at least one touchdown, and 34 different players have scored touchdowns while playing on Tech's special teams. Altogether, the defense and special teams have combined for 129 TDs since Beamer arrived in 1987, including 112 in Tech's past 218 games.

• Under Beamer, Tech's defense has scored 82 TDs, with 54 coming on pass interceptions, 26 on fumble returns and two on fumble recoveries. The special teams have added 47 TDs, including 16 on blocked punts, 18 on punt returns, eight on kickoff returns, four on blocked field goals and one on a fumble recovery.

• Fittingly, the trend started in Beamer's first game as Tech's head coach when true freshman Jon Jeffries returned a kickoff 92 yards for a touchdown against Clemson. It was the Hokies' first TD under Beamer, and it was the first of many scored by the special teams.

• Under Beamer, 80 different players on defense and special teams have scored TDs. Twenty-three of those players scored twice while Eddie Royal,

Xavier Adibi, Jason Lallis, Ike Charlton and Ricky Hall each had three scores, André Davis had four, Victor Harris had five and DeAngelo Hall had seven.

• Since the start of the 1993 season, Tech is 74-13 in games it scores at least one TD on defense or special teams. Tech is 78-23 under Beamer when scoring a non-offensive touchdown.

BEAMERBALL II

• Tech's tradition for blocking kicks is another part of BeamerBall. It was carried to new heights in 1998 with 10 blocks during the regular season and two more in the Hokies' Music City Bowl game against Alabama.

• Tech now has 127 blocks in **Frank Beamer's** 295 games as the head coach. The Hokies have blocked 62 punts (16 returned or recovered for TDs), 38 field goals and 27 extra points.

• The most prolific kick blockers under Beamer have been defensive lineman Bernard Basham (7 kicks) and safety Keion Carpenter (6 kicks). Basham blocked three field goals and four PATs, while Carpenter blocked six punts.

• During the Beamer era, Tech has blocked two kicks in a game 22 times, winning 16 of those games. Tech blocked two kicks against four different teams in 1998.

TOUCHDOWNS BY DEFENSE & SPECIAL TEAMS

1987: Jon Jeffries, 92-yd. kickoff return vs. Clemson; Don Stokes, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. Syracuse; Randy Cockrell (ilb), 90-yd. interception return vs. Navy.

1988: Don Stokes, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. Southern Miss; Jock Jones, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. West Virginia; Roger Brown (cb), 55-yd. interception return vs. South Carolina; Leslie Bailey (ilb), 19-yd. interception return vs. South Carolina.

1989: Marcus Mickel, 90-yd. kickoff return vs. Clemson; Jock Jones (olb), 55-yd. interception return vs. Tulane; Roger Brown (cb), 55-yd. interception return vs. North Carolina State.

1990: The '90 season marked the first and only season to date during Beamer's tenure that Tech failed to score at least one TD on either defense or special teams.

1991: P.J. Preston (olb), recovered fumble in end zone vs. Oklahoma; Ken Landrum, 18-yd. blocked punt return vs. Cincinnati; Kirk Alexander (fs), 95-yd. interception return vs. Cincinnati.

1992: Tyronne Drakeford (cb), 40-yd. interception return vs. East Carolina; Tony Kennedy, 91-yd. kickoff return vs. Louisville; Ken Brown (olb), 18-yd. interception return vs. Rutgers.

1993: William Ferrell, 7-yd. blocked punt return vs. Rutgers; DeWayne Knight (olb), 23-yd. fumble return vs. Syracuse; Jeff Holland (dt), 8-yd. fumble return vs. Virginia; Lawrence Lewis (de), 20-yd. fumble return vs. Indiana; Antonio Banks, 80-yd. blocked field goal return vs. Indiana.

1994: Torrian Gray (rov), 66-yd. interception return vs. Boston College; Stacy Henley, 25-yd. blocked punt return vs. Temple; Lawrence Lewis (de), 60-yd. fumble return vs. East Carolina; Antonio Freeman, 80-yd. punt return vs. Pittsburgh.

1995: Jermaine Holmes, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. Akron; Hank Coleman (de), 51-yd. fumble return vs. Rutgers; Myron Newsome (ilb), 71-yd. interception return vs. Rutgers; Larry Green (cb), 37-yd. interception return vs. West Virginia; Jim Baron (dt), 46-yd. fumble return vs. Temple; J.C. Price (dt), 19-yd. interception return vs. Temple; Antonio Banks (cb), 65-yd. interception return vs. Virginia; Bryan Still, 60-yd. punt return vs. Texas; Jim Baron (dt), 20-yd. fumble return vs. Texas.

1996: Cornelius White, 60-yd. blocked punt return vs. Syracuse; Keion Carpenter (fs), 100-yd. interception return vs. Miami.

1997: Carl Bradley (dt), recovered fumble in end zone vs. Rutgers; Pierson Prioleau (rov), 43-yd. fumble return vs. Rutgers; Lorenzo Ferguson (fs), 84-yd. interception return vs. Arkansas St.; Anthony Midget (cb), 22-yd. fumble return vs. Pittsburgh.

1998: Keion Carpenter (fs), 16-yd. interception return vs. Pittsburgh; Pierson Prioleau (rov), 85-yd. interception return vs. Boston College; Marcus Gildersleeve, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. UAB; Ricky Hall, 17-yd. blocked punt return vs. West Virginia; Ricky Hall, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. Syracuse; Loren Johnson (cb), 78-yd. fumble return vs. Syracuse; Ike Charlton (cb), 26-yd. interception return vs. Rutgers; Jamel Smith (lb), 98-yd. interception return vs. Rutgers; Anthony Midget (cb), 27-yd. interception return vs. Alabama.

1999: Ike Charlton (cb), 34-yd. interception return vs. Clemson; Corey Moore (de), 32-yd. fumble return vs. Clemson; Cory Bird (rov), 26-yd. fumble return vs. Syracuse; Phillip Summers (rov), 43-yd. interception return vs. Syracuse; Tee Butler, recovered fumble by punter in end zone vs. Syracuse; Ricky Hall, 64-yd. punt return vs. Miami; Ike Charlton (cb), 51-yd. fumble return vs. Miami; Larry Austin (cb), 31-yd. interception return vs. Temple.

2000: Willie Pile (fs), 11-yd. interception return vs. Akron; Cory Bird, 9-yd. blocked punt return vs. East Carolina; André Davis, 87-yd. punt return vs. East Carolina; André Davis, 71-yd. punt return vs. Boston College; André Davis, 76-yd. punt return vs. WVU; Nathaniel Adibi (de), 36-yd. fumble return vs. UCF.

2001: Channing Reed (dt), 8-yd. fumble return vs. Rutgers; Kevin McCadam (rov), 69-yd. interception return vs. UCF; André Davis, 55-yd. punt return vs. UCF; Jim Davis (de), 27-yd. interception return vs. West Virginia; Kevin McCadam (rov), 9-yd. fumble return vs. Boston College; Ronyell Whitaker, 71-yd. blocked field goal return vs. Pittsburgh; Brandon Manning, 22-yd. blocked punt return vs. Miami.

2002: DeAngelo Hall, 69-yd. punt return vs. Arkansas State; DeAngelo Hall (cb), 49-yd. interception return vs. Arkansas State; Jason Lallis (dt), 59-yd. fumble return vs. Arkansas State; Alex Markogiannakis (ilb), 25-yd. fumble return vs. Western Michigan; DeAngelo Hall, 51-yd. punt return vs. Rutgers; Darryl Tapp, 11-yd. blocked punt return vs. Virginia; Willie Pile (fs), 96-yd. interception return vs. Miami.

2003: Jason Lallis (dt), 45-yd. interception return vs. UCF; Eric Green (cb), 84-yd. interception return vs. UConn; Mike Imoh, 91-yd. kickoff return vs. UConn; Chris Clifton, 16-yd. blocked punt return vs. UConn; Jimmy Williams (fs), 55-yd. interception return vs. Rutgers; DeAngelo Hall, 58-yd. punt return vs. Syracuse; DeAngelo Hall, 60-yd. punt return vs. Syracuse; Vincent Fuller (cb), 50-yd. fumble return vs. WVU; DeAngelo Hall (cb), 28-yd. fumble return vs. Miami; Eric Green (cb), 51-yd. interception return vs. Miami; DeAngelo Hall, 52-yd. punt return vs. Cal.

2004: Jason Lallis (de), 28-yd. fumble return vs. Western Michigan; Brandon Flowers (cb), 38-yd. interception return vs. Western Michigan; Vincent Fuller, 74-yd. blocked field goal return vs. West Virginia; Bl. Warren (ilb), 46-yd. interception return vs. Florida A&M; Roland Minor (cb), 64-yd. interception return vs. Georgia Tech; Jimmy Williams (cb), 34-yd. interception return vs. Maryland.

2005: Roland Minor (cb), 23-yd. interception return vs. Duke; D.J. Parker, 78-yd. blocked field goal return vs. Georgia Tech; Xavier Adibi (ilb), 25-yd. interception return vs. Georgia Tech; Chris Ellis (de), 29-yd. interception return vs. Georgia Tech; Vince Hall (ilb), 15-yd. fumble return vs. Marshall; Vince Hall (ilb), 13-yd. interception return vs. Boston College; James Anderson (olb), 39-yd. interception return vs. Louisville.

2006: Brenden Hill (olb), 69-yd. interception return vs. North Carolina; Eddie Royal, 58-yd. punt return vs. Duke; Victor "Macho" Harris (cb), 72-yd. interception return vs. Cincinnati; Noland Burchette (de), 15-yd. fumble return vs. Kent State; Xavier Adibi (ilb), 35-yd. fumble return vs. Wake Forest.

2007: Victor "Macho" Harris (cb), 17-yd. interception return vs. East Carolina; Brandon Flowers (cb), 49-yd. interception return vs. William & Mary; Eddie Royal, 60-yd. punt return vs. William & Mary; D.J. Parker (fs), 32-yd. interception return vs. Clemson; Eddie Royal, 82-yd. punt return vs. Clemson; Victor "Macho" Harris, 100-yd. kickoff return vs.



Clemson; Chris Ellis (de), 5-yd. interception return vs. Florida State; Xavier Adibi (lb), 40-yd. interception return vs. Boston College; Justin Harper, 84-punt return vs. Kansas.

2008: Stephan Virgil (cb), 30-yd. fumble return vs. East Carolina; Brett Warren (ilb), 36-yd. interception return vs. Boston College; Victor "Macho" Harris (cb), 55-yd. interception return vs. Boston College; Victor "Macho" Harris (cb), 23-yd. interception return vs. Duke; Orion Martin (de), 17-yd. fumble return vs. Boston College.

2009: Dyrell Roberts, 98-yd. kickoff return vs. Alabama; Jayron Hosley, 64-yd. punt return vs. Marshall; Matt Reidy, 1-yd. blocked punt return vs. Miami; Rashad Carmichael (cb) 22-yd. interception return vs. Boston College.

2010: Rashad Carmichael (cb), 68-yd. interception return vs. East Carolina; David Wilson, 92-yd. kickoff return vs. NC State; Jayron Hosley, 80-yd. punt return vs. Central Michigan; David Wilson, 90-yd. kickoff return vs. Georgia Tech; Jeron Gouveia-Winslow (olb), 24-yd. interception return vs. Florida State.

VIRGINIA TECH'S BLOCKED KICKS UNDER FRANK BEAMER

Totals: 127 in 295 games (62 punts, 38 FGs, 27 PATs)

1987 (1 punt, 1 PAT, 1 FG)

Syracuse – punt* (Jimmy Whitten) hL
East Carolina – PAT (na) hL
Cincinnati – FG (Roger Brown) hW

1988 (4 punts, 3 FGs)

Clemson – punt (Jock Jones) aL
Southern Miss – punt* (Archie Hopkins) aL
West Virginia – punt* (Archie Hopkins) hL
Cincinnati – punt+ (Jock Jones) aW
Louisville – FG (Jimmy Whitten) aL
Florida State – FG (Roger Brown);
FG+ (Roger Brown) aL

1989 (1 punt, 1 FG)

Tulane – punt+ (Archie Hopkins) hW
NC State – FG (Jock Jones) aW

1990 (2 punts, 4 PATs, 1 FG)

East Carolina – PAT (John Rivers) aW
South Carolina – PAT (John Rivers) hL
Florida State – punt+ (Scott Jones) aL
West Virginia – FG+ (Bernard Basham) hW
Temple – punt (Archie Hopkins) aL
NC State – PAT (Bernard Basham) hW
Virginia – PAT (Bernard Basham) hW

1991 (3 punts, 3 FGs)

James Madison – FG (Bernard Basham) hW
Oklahoma – FG (Bernard Basham) aL
Cincinnati – punt+ (P.J. Preston);
punt* (Kirk Alexander) hW
Louisville – FG (John Rivers) hW
East Carolina – punt (Marcus McClung) hL

1992 (5 PATs, 1 FG)

James Madison – PAT (John Rivers);
FG+ (Kirk Alexander) hW
East Carolina – PAT (Bernard Basham) aL
West Virginia – PAT (David Wimmer) hL
Miami – PAT (Bernard Basham) hL
Virginia – PAT (David Wimmer) hL

1993 (4 punts, 2 FGs)

Miami – punt@ (Willie Wilkins) aL
Maryland – FG (George DelRicco) hW
Rutgers – punt* (Marcus McClung) hW
Syracuse – punt+ (William Ferrell) hW
Virginia – punt# (Brandon Semones) aW
Indiana – FG* (Jeff Holland) nW

1994 (2 punts, 2 FGs)

Arkansas St. – FG (Cornell Brown) hW
Temple – punt* (William Ferrell) hW
Miami – punt# (Michael Williams) aL
Rutgers – FG (Michael Williams) hW

1995 (4 punts, 3 PATs, 1 FG)

BC – PAT (Waverly Jackson) hL
Cincinnati – FG (Jim Baron);
PAT (Lawrence Lewis) hL
Miami – punt# (Angelo Harrison) hW
Pittsburgh – punt+ (Angelo Harrison);
punt# (Angelo Harrison) aW
Akron – punt* (Okesa Smith);
PAT (Lawrence Lewis) hW

1996 (5 punts, 1 PAT)

Akron – PAT (John Engelberger) aW
BC – punt+ (Keion Carpenter) aW
Syracuse – punt* (Cornelius White) aL
Temple – punt (Keion Carpenter) hW
SW Louisiana – punt (Michael Stuewe);
punt+ (Keion Carpenter) hW

1997 (2 punts, 3 PATs, 2 FGs)

Arkansas St. – FG+ (Carl Bradley) hW
WVU – punt# (Phillip Summers) aL
Miami – PAT (Carl Bradley) hW
Pittsburgh – PAT (Corey Moore);
PAT (John Engelberger) aL
Virginia – punt (Keion Carpenter);
FG (John Engelberger) aL

1998 (8 punts, 2 PATs, 2 FGs)

East Carolina – FG+ (Corey Moore) hW
Miami – PAT (John Engelberger) aW
Pittsburgh – FG (Corey Moore);
punt# (Larry Austin) hW
Boston College – punt (Keion Carpenter);
punt+ (André Davis) aW
UAB – punt* (Larry Austin) aW
WVU – punt* (Marcus Gildersleeve);
PAT (John Engelberger) hW
Syracuse – punt* (Anthony Midget) aL
Alabama – punt (Keion Carpenter);
punt+ (Corey Moore) nW

1999 (1 punt, 1 PAT)

Rutgers – PAT^ (Carl Bradley) aW
Pittsburgh – punt+ (André Davis) aW

2000 (4 punts, 2 FGs, 2 PATs)

Akron – FG+ (Cory Bird) hW
East Carolina – punt* (Wayne Ward);
FG (Larry Austin) aW
Rutgers – punt+ (Eric Green) hW
Temple – punt+ (Wayne Ward) hW
West Virginia – punt (Lee Suggs)
PAT (Lamar Cobb) hW
Pittsburgh – PAT (David Pugh) hW

2001 (5 punts, 2 FGs)

W. Michigan – punt+ (Wayne Ward) hW
Rutgers – punt@ (Eric Green) aW
UCF – punt@ (Brandon Manning) hW
Pittsburgh – FG* (Lamar Cobb) aL
Virginia – punt (Wayne Ward) aW
Miami – FG# (David Pugh);
punt* (Eric Green) hL

2002 (5 punts, 2 FGs)

LSU – punt+ (Justin Hamilton);
punt@ (Jason Lallis) hW
Marshall – FG+ (Team) hW
Western Michigan – FG (Jeff King) aW
Pittsburgh – punt+ (Nathaniel Adibi) hL
West Virginia – punt# (Ernest Wilford) hL
Virginia – punt* (Justin Hamilton) hW

2003 (1 punt, 3 FGs)

UConn – punt* (Nathaniel Adibi) hW
Rutgers – FG (Jeff King) aW
Syracuse – FG (Vincent Fuller) hW
Miami – FG (Eric Green) hW

2004 (1 punt, 3 FGs)

W. Michigan – FG+ (Jim Davis);
punt+ (Darryl Tapp) hW
West Virginia – FG* (Jim Davis) hW
Virginia – FG (Jim Davis) hW

2005 (2 FGs, 1 punt)

Georgia Tech – FG* (Jeff King) hW
North Carolina – FG+ (Darryl Tapp);
punt+ (Macho Harris) hW

2006 (3 punts, 2 FGs)

Northeastern – punt+ (Cary Wade);
FG (Kory Robertson) hW
North Carolina – punt+ (Josh Morgan) aW
Cincinnati – punt@ (Josh Morgan) hW
Miami – FG (Duane Brown) aW

2007 (2 punts, 1 FG, 1 PAT)

Duke – punt+ (Stephan Virgil) aW
Virginia – punt# (Davon Morgan) aW
Boston College (ACC) – FG (Duane Brown)
PAT ^ (Duane Brown) nW

2008 (2 PAT, 2 FGs, 1 punt)

East Carolina – PAT^ (John Graves) nL
Furman – FG (John Graves) hW
Georgia Tech – PAT (John Graves) hW
Nebraska – punt@ (Stephan Virgil) aW
BC – FG# (Jason Worilds) aL

2009 (1 punt)

Miami – punt* (Jacob Sykes) hW

2010 (2 PAT, 1 punt)

Boise State – punt (Davon Morgan)
PAT (Andre Smith) nL
Stanford – PAT (Andre Smith) nL

* - recovered or returned for TD;

+ - led to TD;

@ - led to safety;

- led to field goal;

^ - led to a two-point defensive extra point



THE LAST TIME A TECH TEAM OR PLAYER ...

TEAM

Scored 90+ points	99, vs. Emory & Henry, 1919
Scored 80-89 points	86, vs. Roanoke College, 1905
Scored 70-79 points	77, vs. Akron, 1995
Scored 60-69 points	62, vs. Florida A&M, 2004
Scored 50-59 points	52, vs. Wake Forest, 2010
Scored 40-49 points	44, vs. Florida State, 2010
Back-to-back 40+ games.....	vs. CMU (45), vs. WF (52), 2010
Three straight 40+ games.....	@ NCSU (41), vs. CMU (45), vs. WF (52), 2010
Four straight 40+ games....	NCSU (41), CMU (45), WF (52), Duke (44), 2010
Rushed for 500+ yards.....	500, @ Pittsburgh, 1993
Rushed for 400-499 yards	444, vs. Marshall, 2009
Rushed for 300-399 yards	332, Duke, 2010
Rushed for 200-299 yards	222, vs. Stanford, 2011
Passed for 500+ yards	504, @ Syracuse, 2002
Passed for 400-499 yards.....	408, @ Wake Forest, 1972
Passed for 300-399 yards.....	314, vs. Wake Forest, 2010
Passed for 200-299 yards.....	263, vs. Florida State, 2010
Rushed/Passed for 200+ yards.....	vs. Wake Forest, 2010 291 rush, 314 pass
Had 600+ yards in total offense	605, vs. Wake Forest, 2010
Had 500-599 yards in total offense	503, @ Virginia, 2005
Scored on first offensive play	vs. Florida A&M, 2004 David Clowney 16 TD pass from Bryan Randall
Won on final offensive play	@ West Virginia, 1999 Shayne Graham 44 FG
Lost on final offensive play.....	vs. North Carolina, 2009 Casey Barth 21 FG
Won in overtime	24-23, @ Temple, 2003
Recorded a safety	vs. Stanford, 2011
Recorded two defensive TDs.....	@ Boston College, 2008
Zero punts in a game.....	vs. James Madison, 2010
Zero sacks allowed in a game	vs. Georgia Tech, 2010
Recorded a shutout.....	@ Boston College, 2010
Held opp. to 0 yards or less rushing	-12, vs. Maryland, 2008
Blocked two kicks in a game	vs. Boise State, 2010
Scored special teams TD	vs. Georgia Tech, 2010
Scored defensive & special teams TD	vs. Clemson, 2007

INDIVIDUAL

Rushed for 200+ yards.....	253, Darren Evans, vs. Maryland, 2008
Rushed for 150-199 yards	160, Darren Evans, @ NC State, 2010
Two players rushed for 100 yards	NC State, 2010
	(Darren Evans, 160 yds. & Tyrod Taylor, 121 yds.
Three players rushed for 100 yards.....	@ South Carolina, 1974
	Phil Rogers (120), Roscoe Coles (111) & George Heath (104)
Had 40+ carries	42, Cyrus Lawrence, vs. Memphis St., 1981
Had 30-39 carries	32, Ryan Williams, vs. NC State, 2009
Had 20-29 carries	20, Ryan Williams, vs. James Madison, 2010
Rushed for 6 TDs	Tommy Francisco, vs. VMI, 1966
Rushed for 5 TDs	Lee Suggs, @ UCF, 2000
Rushed for 4 TDs	Ryan Williams, @ Virginia, 2009
Rushed for 3 TDs	Darren Evans, vs. Wake Forest, 2010
Rushed for 2 TDs	Ryan Williams, vs. Virginia, 2010
Passed for 500+ yards	504, Bryan Randall, @ Syracuse, 2002
Passed for 300-499 yards	327, Tyrod Taylor, @ Duke, 2009
Passed for 200-299 yards	222, Tyrod Taylor, vs. Stanford, 2011
Passed for 5 TDs.....	Bryan Randall, @ Syracuse, 2002
Passed for 4 TDs.....	Bryan Randall, vs. Florida A&M, 2004
Passed for 3 TDs.....	Tyrod Taylor, vs. Florida State, 2010
Passed for 2 TDs.....	Tyrod Taylor, @ North Carolina, 2010

Had 50+ pass attempts.....53, Sean Glennon, vs. Georgia Tech, 2005
Had 40-49 pass attempts.....42, Jim Druckenmiller, vs. BC, 1995
Had 30-39 pass attempts.....31, Tyrod Taylor, vs. Stanford, 2011
Had 20-29 pass attempts.....28, Tyrod Taylor, vs. Florida State, 2010
Had 30+ pass completions.....34, Don Strock, vs. Houston, 1972
Had 20-29 pass comps.....22, Sean Glennon, @ Georgia Tech, 2007
QB rush/pass for 100 yards Tyrod Taylor, vs. CMU, 2010
(127 rush, 163 pass)
Had 10+ receptions.....13, Nick Cullen, vs. Southern Miss, 1990
Had 250+ yards receiving.....279, Ernest Wilford, @ Syracuse, 2002
Had 200-249 yards rec.....213, Ricky Scales, @ Wake Forest, 1972
Had 100+ yards receiving.....143, Danny Coale, vs. FSU, 2010
Two players with 100+ receiving Wake Forest, 2010
Dyrell Roberts (134) & Danny Coale (103)
Had 4 TD receptions Ernest Wilford @ Syracuse, 2002
Had 3 TD receptions Antonio Freeman, vs. Temple, 1993
Had 2 TD receptions Marcus Davis, @ North Carolina, 2010
Intercepted 3 passes.....Jayron Hosley, @ NC State, 2010
Intercepted 2 passes.....Jayron Hosley, @ North Carolina, 2010
Returned a KO for TD David Wilson, vs. Georgia Tech, 2010
Returned punt for TDJayron Hosley, vs. Central Michigan, 2010
Returned an INT for TD.....Jeron Gouveia-Winslow, vs. FSU, 2010
Returned a fumble for TD.....Orion Martin, vs. BC [2], 2008
Returned blocked punt for TD.....Matt Reidy, vs. Miami, 2009
Returned blocked FG for TDD.J. Parker, vs. GT, 2005
Returned blocked PAT for 2 pts.....Stephan Virgil, vs. ECU, 2008
Blocked an extra point.....Andre Smith, vs. Stanford, 2011
Blocked a FG.....Jason Worilds, @ BC, 2008
Blocked a punt.....Davon Morgan, vs. Boise State, 2010
Scored a def. and special teams TD in a game.....DeAngelo Hall
vs. Arkansas St., 2002 (49-yd. INT & 69-yd. PR)
Returned two punts for TDs.....DeAngelo Hall
vs. Syracuse, 2003 (58 & 60 yds.)
Successful 2-point conversion@ NC State, 2010
Danny Coale pass from Tyrod Taylor
Made 6 FGs.....Mickey Thomas, vs. Vanderbilt, 1989
Made 5 FGs.....Chris Kinzer, vs. Vanderbilt, 1986
Made 4 FGs.....Chris Hazley, @ North Carolina, 2010
Made 3 FGs.....Chris Hazley, vs. Duke, 2010
Kicked a 60+ FG61, Wayne Latimer, vs. Florida St., 1975
Kicked a 50-59 FG52, Chris Hazley, @ North Carolina, 2010
Kicked a 40-49 FG43, Chris Hazley, vs. Florida State, 2010
Kicked a 70+ punt.....75, Jimmy Kibble, @ Pittsburgh, 1997
Kicked a 60-69 punt.....65, Brian Saunders, @ North Carolina, 2010



THE LAST TIME AN OPPOSING TEAM OR PLAYER ...

TEAM

Scored 70+ points 77, Alabama 1973
 Scored 60-69 points 66, Washington & Lee, 1951
 Scored 50-59 points 52, California, 2003
 Scored 40-49 points 40, Stanford, 2011

Rushed for 500+ yards 748, Alabama, 1973
 Rushed for 400-499 yards 461, Alabama, 1972
 Rushed for 300-399 yards 346, Georgia Tech, 2010
 Rushed for 200-299 yards 247, Stanford, 2011
 Had 50-99 yards rushing 53, Florida State, 2010
 Had FEWER than 50 yards rushing 14, NC State, 2009

Passed for 500+ yards NEVER
 Passed for 400-499 yards 403, Syracuse, 2002
 Passed for 350-399 yards 362, NC State, 2010
 Had 50-99 yards passing 80, Georgia Tech, 2010
 Had FEWER than 50 yards passing 20, Duke, 2008

Had 800+ yards in total offense 833, Alabama, 1973
 Had 700-799 yards in total offense NEVER
 Had 600-699 yards in total offense 604, Syracuse, 2002
 Had 500-599 yards in total offense 534, Stanford, 2011

Recorded a safety Boston College [2], 2008
 Recorded a defensive TD Maryland, 2009
 Shut out Tech Cincinnati, 1995
 Blocked two kicks in a game Duke, 2006
 Scored a special teams TD Boston College, 2008
 Scored defensive & special teams TD Syracuse, 1996

INDIVIDUAL

Rushed for 200+ yards 241, Josh Harris, Wake Forest, 2010
 Rushed for 150-199 yards 163, Lamar Miller, Miami, 2010
 Rushed for 100+ yards 114, Stepfan Taylor, Stanford, 2011
 Two players rushed for 100 yards Syracuse, 1994
 Malcolm Thomas (185) & Kirby Dar Dar (108)
 Three players rushed for 100 yards NEVER
 Had 40+ carries 44, Paul Palmer, Temple, 1986
 Had 35-39 carries 38, Derrick Knight, Boston College, 2003
 Rushed for 6 TDs Willis McGahee, Miami, 2002
 Rushed for 5 TDs NEVER
 Rushed for 4 TDs Chris Brantley, Rutgers, 1992
 Rushed for 3 TDs Ty Jones, Florida State, 2010
 Rushed for 2 TDs Joshua Nesbitt, Georgia Tech, 2010

Passed for 500+ yards NEVER
 Passed for 400-499 yards 403, Troy Nunes, Syracuse, 2002
 Passed for 300-399 yards 362, Russell Wilson, NC State, 2010
 Passed for 5 TDs NEVER
 Passed for 4 TDs Andrew Luck, Stanford, 2011
 Passed for 3 TDs Ryan Radcliff, Central Michigan, 2010
 Had 50+ pass attempts 52, Matt Ryan, Boston College, 2007
 Had 40-49 pass attempts 48, Ryan Radcliff, CMU, 2010
 Had 30-39 pass attempts 31, EJ Manuel, Florida State, 2010
 Had 30+ pass completions 30, Dominique Davis, ECU, 2010
 Had 20-29 pass comps 21, Ryan Radcliff, CMU, 2010
 QB rush/pass for 100 yards Jameel Sewell, Virginia, 2009
 120 yds passing, 104 yds rushing

Had 11+ receptions 13, Andre Callender, Boston College, 2007
 Had 250+ yards receiving NEVER
 Had 200-249 yards rec. 229, David Tyree, Syracuse, 2002
 Had 100+ yards receiving 173, Coby Fleener, Stanford, 2011
 Had 4 TD receptions Chris Brantley, Rutgers, 1992
 Had 3 TD receptions Coby Fleener, Stanford, 2011
 Had 2 TD receptions Jerry Harris, Central Michigan, 2010

Intercepted 3 passes Aaron Beasley, West Virginia, 1994
 Intercepted 2 passes Tony Taylor, Georgia, 2006

Returned a KO for TD Jeyson Wilson, Syracuse, 1993
 Returned punt for TD Nate Swift, Nebraska, 2008
 Returned an INT for TD Aqib Talib, Kansas, 2007
 Returned a fumble for TD Jamie Silva, Boston College, 2007
 Returned blocked punt for TD T.J. Lee, East Carolina, 2008
 Returned blocked FG for TD NEVER
 Returned blocked PAT for 2 pts Nigel Bradham, FSU, 2010
 Blocked an extra point Nick Jenkins, Virginia, 2010
 Blocked a FG TEAM, Northeastern, 2006
 Blocked a punt Austin Pettis, Boise State, 2010

2-point conversion Alabama, 2009
 C. Peek pass from G. McElroy

Made 6 FGs NEVER
 Made 5 FGs Alex Henery, Nebraska, 2009
 Made 4 FGs Will Snyderwine, Duke, 2009
 Made 3 FGs Matt Bosher, Miami, 2008
 Kicked a 60+ FG NEVER
 Kicked a 50-59 FG 50, Graham Gano, Florida State, 2008
 Kicked a 40-49 FG 41, Mike Barbour, East Carolina, 2010

Kicked a 70+ punt 76, Alex Henery, Nebraska, 2009
 Kicked a 60-69 punt 62, Alex King, Duke, 2010

TURNOVERS

The Last Time Tech ...

Lost two fumbles James Madison, 2010
 Lost three fumbles North Carolina, 2006
 Lost four fumbles Miami, 2005
 Lost five or more fumbles 5, Kentucky, 1977

Threw three interceptions Duke, 2008
 Threw four interceptions vs. Miami, 2001
 Threw five interceptions vs. Virginia, 1994
 Threw six or more interceptions 7, vs. Florida St., 1959

The Last Time an Opponent ...

Lost two fumbles North Carolina, 2010
 Lost three fumbles NC State, 2009
 Lost four fumbles Arkansas St., 2002
 Lost five or more fumbles 5, Clemson, 1985

Threw three interceptions Miami, 2010
 Threw four interceptions North Carolina, 2010
 Threw five interceptions Georgia Tech, 2007
 Threw six or more interceptions 6, Rutgers, 1998