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FOOTBALL NEWS

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GAME NOTES: Sept. 28, 2002

2002 Wayne State University Football Schedule/Results

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
A 29	at Northern Iowa	L, 0-34
S 14	at Findlay*	L, 21-33
S 21	GRAND VALLEY*	L, 14-49
S 28	at Ferris State*	W, 36-21
O 5	ASHLAND*	Noon
O 12	at Hillsdale*	2:30 p.m.
O 19	at Michigan Tech*	Noon
O 26	NORTHERN MICHIGAN*	1 p.m.
N 2	at Northwood*	Noon
N 9	MERCYHURST*	Noon
N 16	SAGINAW VALLEY*	Noon

All game times are Eastern.

*GLIAC Game



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Long-time Detroit broadcaster, and WSU alum, Cliff Russell will handle the play-by-play duties, while veteran Detroit sportscaster Eric Pate will provide analysis.

2002 - GAME FIVE

WAYNE STATE FOOTBALL (1-3, 1-2 GLIAC)

vs. Ashland (0-5, 0-4 GLIAC)
Saturday, Oct. 25 • Detroit, Michigan

MATCH-UP AT A GLANCE:

Stadium WSU Stadium (6,000)
 Surface Natural
 Kickoff 12:00 p.m.
 Site Detroit, Michigan
 Series Record Ashland leads 14-3



QUICK FACTS



Wayne State	vs.	Ashland
Detroit, Michigan	Location	Ashland, Ohio
31,040	Enrollment	6,000
Great Lakes Intercollegiate (GLIAC)	Conference	Great Lakes Intercollegiate (GLIAC)
WSU Stadium (6,000)	Stadium	Community Stadium (6,000)
Rob Fournier (Akron, 1982)	Athletic Director	Bill Goldring (Ohio State, 1975)
Steve Kazor (Westminster, 1972)	Head Coach	Gary Keller (Bluffton, 1973)
Third Season	Years at School	9th Season
33-33 (Seventh Season)	Overall Record	47-42 (9th Season)
8-16-0	Record at School	47-42-0
3-7-0	2001 Record	6-5-0
3-6 (T-7th in GLIAC)	2001 Conference Record	5-5 (T-5th in GLIAC)
15 (6 offense, 7 defense, 2 ST)	Starters Returning	12 (7 offense, 5 defense, 0 ST)
33 (15 offense, 16 defense, 2 ST)	Lettermen Returning	38 (23 offense, 15 defense, 0 ST)

THE GAME

The Wayne State University football team will try to record back-to-back victories for the first time since Oct. 6-13, 2001, when the Ashland Eagles visit WSU Stadium for a noon kickoff this Saturday.

The Warriors won last year's game in Ohio, 19-16, as Stephen Wayne made a 33-yard field goal on the game's final play.

Dan Gray (278) and Jason Charron (148) combined to pass for 426 yards. Pierre Brown had 10 receptions for 179 yards and two touchdowns, while Sterling Walker had six catches for 113 yards.

INTERVIEW POLICIES

Media representatives should contact the Sports Information Office for all player and coach interviews. Players and coaches may be interviewed prior to or directly after practice during the season, but requests must be made through the Sports Information Office ahead of time.

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THE COACHES

WSU head coach Steve Kazor is in his third season as the Warrior bench boss. He has an 8-16 record at Wayne State with an overall collegiate head coaching mark of 33-33 in his seventh season.

Ashland head coach Gary Keller has a 47-42 record in his ninth season with the Eagles. Keller has been with the Ashland program since 1982 following stints at Kenyon (1980-82) and Ohio University (1979-80).

THE SERIES

Ashland leads 14-3 in the all-time series having won the six of the last seven meetings. The Warriors are 1-7 in the games played in Detroit, and 2-7 in Ashland. WSU's lone series win at home came in 1976, 31-28.

IN THE POLLS

The Warriors were selected 11th in the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) preseason coaches poll. Ashland received 86 points in the GLIAC coaches preseason poll, which placed them fifth.

SCOUTING ASHLAND

The Eagles (0-5, 0-4 GLIAC) opened the season with two narrow losses (30-23 vs. Michigan Tech, and 29-26 at Edinboro). In the last three defeats, Ashland has been outscored 121-34 (32-7 vs. Northwood, 37-7 at Hillsdale, and 52-20 vs. Saginaw Valley State).

J.R. McCoy leads the squad in rushing with 444 yards on 131 carries. John Szabo has completed 81 of 153 passes (52.9%) for 852 yards and five touchdowns with six interceptions. Michael Hull (26 catches for 252 yards) and Kevin McMahon (23 catches for 310 yards) are the leading receivers. Place-kicker Austin Wellock is three of three on field goal attempts, and eight of nine in PATs.

Free safety Toby Stepsis leads the team with 39 tackles, while defensive Brett Bartlow has a team-high five sacks.

FERRIS STATE GAME NOTES

Sophomore quarterback Randy Hutchison had his third collegiate two-touchdown passing game in Saturday's come-from-behind win at Ferris State. Hutchison had two TD tosses last year against both Saginaw Valley State and Grand Valley State. He also had his first collegiate rushing touchdown against the Bulldogs.

Redshirt sophomore Lynn Morton, who had his first four career receptions, for 18 yards, against Grand Valley, had four catches for a career-high 108 yards and his first collegiate touchdown at FSU.

Junior running back Craig Duppong had his best game as a Warrior rushing for 75 yards on 19 carries.

Duppong, senior Thabiti Williamson and Hutchison helped the Warriors rush for 217 yards in the victory at Ferris. It was the first time WSU had rushed for more than 200 yards as a team since Sept 30, 2000, against Findlay when the Warriors racked up 213 yards on the ground.

Senior strong safety Qasim Basir returned to the lineup and had a team-high five solo tackles. He also forced a fumble at midfield with two minutes left in the game and WSU leading 29-21.

Williamson increased his career total of all-purpose yards to 3,819 after rushing for 77 yards and having a 48-yard kickoff return late in the first quarter.

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Head Coach Steve Kazor

Steve Kazor is in his seventh season as a collegiate head coach and third at the helm of the Warrior program. Prior to taking over the reins at Wayne State, Kazor compiled a 12-8 mark in two years as the head coach at McPherson College in Kansas.



His first head coaching position was at the College of Emporia in Kansas. From 1974-80 he worked at University of Texas at Arlington, Colorado State, Southern Utah, University of Texas at Austin, and University of Texas at El Paso.

In 1980 he accepted a position with the Dallas Cowboys. Following two seasons in Dallas, he joined Mike Ditka's Chicago Bears' staff. He worked 10 years with the Bears before taking the head coaching position at Iowa Wesleyan for the 1993 campaign. After recording an 8-3 record at IWC, Kazor spent three years with the Detroit Lions.

KAZOR VS. THE LAKERS

Wayne State head coach Steve Kazor has an all-time record of 1-1 against Ashland.

WARRIOR COACHING STAFF

Steve Kazor • Head Coach, Offensive Coordinator, Quarterbacks Coach

Maury Waugh • Defensive Coordinator, Linebackers Coach

Chris Laidlaw • Wide Receivers Coach, Recruiting Coordinator

Tony Blankenship • Defensive Backfield Coach

Wally Chambers • Offensive Line Asst. Coach

Brendan Farrell • (GA) Running Backs Coach

Jim Flasck • Defensive Line Asst. Coach

Jeremy Gold • Defensive Line Coach

Rick Marsack • Tight Ends Coach

Bob Schroeder • Offensive Line Coach

Jeff Roeschke • Student Asst. Coach

WAYNE STATE 36, AT FERRIS STATE 21

The Warriors earned their first victory of the season by scoring 33 unanswered second half points to record a GLIAC triumph at Ferris State.

In a tale of two halves, the Bulldogs scored 21 consecutive points after falling behind 3-0.

After intermission, Wayne State scored touchdowns on five of its six drives, with its sixth drive ending on downs at the FSU 4-yard line.

Ferris led in total offense, 224-128, through 30 minutes but the Warrior defense allowed just 105 yards in the second half and only two drives over three plays (a five-play, 23-yard drive, and a seven-play, 28-yard drive).

Randy Hutchison came in to start the third quarter and led WSU on a nine-play, 48-yard touchdown drive following an interception by Earl Carruthers. Nate Collins recorded his first Warrior touchdown run on a five-yard counter.

Following a Bulldog punt, WSU went 79 yards in six plays to pull within five at 21-16. Hutchison and Lynn Morton connected on a 44-yard pass to put the Warriors in FSU territory. Thabiti Williamson capped the drive with a 22-yard touchdown run, the 11th of his career.

The defense held the Bulldogs to 23 yards after the kickoff, and Stephen Stokes returned the punt 39 yards to the FSU 40. On second-and-two, Hutchison found Morton alone in the end zone for the go-ahead score on a 32-yard touchdown pass.

A 15-yard Hutchinson TD pass to Collins with 2:18 left followed by a 37-yard run by Hutchinson at the :13 mark accounted for the game's final scoring.

The Warriors' offense generated 441 total yards, which included 217 yards rushing and 224 in passing, while Ferris State totaled 329 yards but was held to only 56 yards on the ground.

WSU senior free safety Derrick Thomas compiled a team-high eight tackles and sophomore linebacker Mohamad Bazzi had seven stops in the victory. Freshman defensive end Leo Wells recorded his team-leading fourth sack.

WARRIORS IN THE GLIAC STATS

Team Statistics (All Games)

Scoring Offense	10th	17.8 ppg
Scoring Defense	11th	34.2 ppg
Passing Offense	7th	197.5 ypg
Passing Defense	12th	269.0 ypg
Kickoff Returns	4th	21.9 ypr
Punting	12th	29.7 (net punting avg.)
Turnover Margin	T-5th	+0.50 pg
Rushing Offense	10th	101.2 ypg
Rushing Defense	10th	203.2 ypg
Total Offense	10th	298.8 ypg
Total Defense	12th	472.2 ypg
Punt Returns	7th	6.9 ypr
Passing Efficiency	10th	95.2
Passing Defense Efficiency	12th	156.2
First Downs	10th	58
Opponent First Downs	T-11th	92
Sacks By	10th	5
Penalties	10th	63.2 ypg
Opponent Penalties	1st	88.2 ypg
Fourth-Down Conversions	8th	44.4%
Opponent Fourth-Down Conversions	11th	66.7%
Red Zone Offense	11th	63.6%
Red Zone Defense	8th	77.8%
Third-Down Conversions	12th	24.6%
Opponent Third-Down Conversions	6th	35.7%
Sacks Against	T-5th	6
Field Goals	10th	57.1%
PAT Kicking	11th	71.4%
Time of Possession	7th	28:51 pg
Kickoff Coverage	10th	21.8 ypr

GLIAC Preseason Coaches Poll

1. Grand Valley State (10)	120
2. Saginaw Valley State (2)	112
3. Ferris State	87
Indianapolis	87
5. Ashland	86
6. Michigan Tech	69
7. Northwood	68
8. Northern Michigan	43
9. Hillsdale	42
10. Findlay	33
11. Wayne State	22
12. Mercyhurst	17

Note: Six points missing.

WARRIOR GAME CAPTAINS

Northern Iowa - Jorge Gomez, Steve Andonovski, Roger White.

Findlay - Dan Gray, Derrick Thomas, Joel Grambau, Stephen Stokes.

Grand Valley State - Dan Gray, Jorge Gomez, Joel Grambau, Steve Andonovski

Ferris State - Jorge Gomez, Roger White, Derrick Thomas, Qasim Basir

COIN TOSS

UNI won the toss and elected to receive.

WSU won the toss (at Findlay) and elected to receive.

GVSU won the toss and elected to receive.

WSU won the toss (at Ferris State) and elected to receive.

2002 GLIAC STANDINGS (through Oct. 4)

	<u>Team (Overall Record)</u>	<u>GP</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>PA</u>
1.	Saginaw Valley State (4-0)	3	3	0	1.000	138	48
	Findlay (4-0)	3	3	0	1.000	93	61
	Northern Michigan (3-1)	3	3	0	1.000	78	20
4.	Grand Valley State (3-0)	2	2	0	1.000	93	33
5.	Michigan Tech (2-2)	4	2	2	.500	106	124
6.	Wayne State (1-3)	3	1	2	.333	71	103
	Indianapolis (2-2)	3	1	2	.333	58	73
	Mercyhurst (2-2)	3	1	2	.333	31	102
	Hillsdale (1-3)	3	1	2	.333	73	75
	Northwood (1-3)	3	1	2	.333	63	42
11.	Ferris State (1-2)	2	0	2	.000	24	53
12.	Ashland (0-5)	4	0	4	.000	57	151

Recent GLIAC Results

SATURDAY, SEPT. 21

Grand Valley State 49, at **Wayne State** 14
 Findlay 18, at Northwood 17
 at Saginaw Valley State 51, Mercyhurst 7
 at Michigan Tech 32, Indianapolis 24
 at Hillsdale 37, Ashland 7
 at Northern Michigan 17, Ferris State 3

SATURDAY, SEPT. 28

Wayne State 36, at Ferris State 21
 at Findlay 42, Michigan Tech 23
 Saginaw Valley State 52, at Ashland 20
 at Mercyhurst 17, Northwood 14
 Northern Michigan 24, at Indianapolis 10
 at Grand Valley State 44, Hillsdale 19

Upcoming GLIAC Games

SATURDAY, OCT. 5

Ashland at **Wayne State**, noon
 Ferris State at Northwood, noon
 Indianapolis at Saginaw Valley State, noon
 Grand Valley State at Michigan Tech, noon
 Hillsdale at Northern Michigan, 1 p.m.
 Findlay at Mercyhurst, 1:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, OCT. 12

Wayne State at Hillsdale, 2:30 p.m.
 Mercyhurst at Ashland, 1 p.m.
 Northwood at Indianapolis, 2 p.m.
 Michigan Tech at Ferris State, 2 p.m.
 Saginaw Valley State at Findlay, 6 p.m.
 Northern Mich. at Grand Valley State, 7 p.m.

LAST MEETING BETWEEN WAYNE STATE AND ASHLAND

GAME 2 - Sept. 8

Wayne State 19, at Ashland 16

Wayne State	6	3	7	3	- 19
Ashland	3	7	3	3	- 16

AU - Pifer 34 field goal, 10:46, 1st qtr.
 WS - Brown 62 pass from Charron (Wayne kick failed), 9:29, 1st qtr.
 AU - Coblentz 6 pass from McCullough (Pifer kick), 13:46, 2nd qtr.
 WS - Wayne 20 field goal, 0:25, 2nd qtr.
 AU - Pifer 34 field goal, 7:50, 3rd qtr.
 WS - Brown 9 pass from Gray (Wayne kick), 1:43, 3rd qtr.
 AU - Pifer 35 field goal, 2:46, 4th qtr.
 WS - Wayne 33 field goal, 0:00, 4th qtr.
Attendance - 4,000

	<u>WS</u>	<u>AU</u>
First Downs	24	10
Rushes/Yards	33/25	37/64
Passing Yardage	426	183
Total Net Yards	451	247
Completions/Attempts	24/62	15/34
Interceptions Thrown	3	2
Punts/Avg.	9/32.7	8/41.9
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	6/3
Penalties/Yards	12/92	9/62
Third Down Conv.	7/23	4/19
Time of Possession	32:27	27:33

Individual Statistics:

Rushing: **WSU** - Pat Harwood 7-17; Jeff Roeschke 2-12; Dan Gray 8-8; Nate Collins 12-5; Thabiti Williamson 1-0; Pierre Brown 1-(-7); Jason Charron 2-(-10). **AU** - J.R. McCoy 24-67; Matt McCullough 5-0; Marcus Mitchell 8-(-3).

Passing: **WSU** - Dan Gray 17-45-0, 278; Jason Charron 7-16-3, 148; Team 0-1-0, 0. **AU** - Matt McCullough 7-19-2, 102; Mike Adams 8-15-0, 81.

Receiving: **WSU** - Pierre Brown 10-179; Sterling Walker 6-113; Chris Ensminger 3-41; Tim Steele 2-60; Nate Collins 2-8; Roger White 1-25. **AU** - Erik Coblentz 5-36; Nate Howard 3-41; John Hall 3-21; Kevin McMahon 2-80; Pete Lепley 2-5.

Game Notes: In a see-saw game, Wayne State scored on the game's final play (a 33-yard field goal by Stephen Wayne) for the victory ... Ashland scored first, but the Warriors responded just 77 seconds later on a 62-yard pass from Jason Charron to Pierre Brown ... the Eagles regained the lead following an interception return to the 10-yard line ... WSU cut the deficit to one with a 15-play, 70-yard scoring drive which culminated in a 20-yard field goal by Stephen Wayne ... two Ashland field goals sandwiched around a Dan Gray to Pierre Brown nine-yard scoring toss had the game tied with 2:46 left in the fourth quarter ... after an exchange of punts, Wayne State drove from its 20-yardline for the winning score ... Gray completed four passes for 65 yards on the drive including a 14-yard toss to Pierre Brown on a third and 10 from Ashland's 29 ... Brown stepped out of bounds with three seconds left setting up Wayne's game-winning field goal ... also recording key receptions on the winning drive were Tim Steele (20 yards), Brown (18 yards) and Sterling Walker (13 yards).

2002 PER GAME STATISTICAL COMPARISON

Wayne State	Ashland
17.8	Points
298.8	Yards
101.2	Rushing Yards
31.3	Rushing Attempts
3.2	Yards Per Carry
197.5	Passing Yards
37.3	Passing Attempts
12.2	Yards Per Pass Completion
34.2	Points Allowed
472.2	Total Yards Allowed
203.2	Rushing Yards Allowed
4.5	Yards Per Carry Allowed
269.0	Passing Yards Allowed
16.1	Yards Per Completion Allowed
+2	Turnover Margin (Season)

Wayne State Depth Chart vs. Ferris State

as of 9/29/02

OFFENSE

WR	83 Roger White	5-8, 165, Jr., Sterling Heights, Mich.
	84 Lynn Morton	6-2, 196, r-So., Oak Park, Mich.
LT	62 Kevin GoodCourage	6-5, 275, 5-Sr., Berkley, Mich.
	77 Jon Herstein	6-3, 255, So., Fenton, Mich.
LG	70 Greg Sims	6-4, 320, r-Jr., Southfield, Mich.
	78 Andy Dombrowski	6-5, 310, 5-Sr., Grosse Ile, Mich.
	68 Zac McKee	6-5, 301, r-Jr., Chesterfield, Mich.
C	51 Joel Grambau	6-1, 265, 5-Sr., Ann Arbor, Mich.
	53 T.J. Smith	6-3, 258, Jr., Godwin, Mich.
	58 Merrick Steele	6-3, 285, Fr., Southfield, Mich.
RG	79 Ryan Strong	6-2, 276, Jr., Belle River, Ont.
	69 Brent Lange	6-2, 288, Fr., Commerce, Mich.
RT	72 Darrell Czubaj	6-4, 275, 5-Sr., Utica, Mich.
	76 Jaime Farias	6-4, 325, Jr., San Antonio, Texas
TE	87 Mike Johnson	6-4, 257, r-Jr., Battle Creek, Mich.
	39 Eric Newton	6-2, 245, r-Jr., Redford, Mich.
	82 Chris Smilo	6-2, 230, Fr., Canton, Mich.
QB	8 Dan Gray	6-5, 210, 5-Sr., Belle River, Ont.
	10 Randy Hutchison	6-1, 190, So., Tecumseh, Mich.
	7 James Phillips	6-1, 230, Jr., Yakima, Wash.
	11 Donnie Dooley	5-11, 183, Fr., Detroit, Mich.
FB	40 Tony Henry	6-1, 270, Fr., Wixom, Mich.
	26 Mike Hammoud	5-9, 201, r-Fr., Dearborn, Mich.
TB	20 Thabiti Williamson	6-1, 193, 5-Sr., Ann Arbor, Mich.
	25 Craig Duppong	5-10, 187, Jr., Lockport, Ill.
	23 Jorge Gomez	5-10, 185, Jr., Oxford, Mich.
WING	3 Nate Collins	5-9, 181, Sr., Detroit, Mich.
	28 Stephen Stokes	5-8, 185, Jr., Castaic, Calif.
WR	1 Marqus Anthony	6-3, 181, So., Ypsilanti, Mich.
	2 Michael Griffie	6-4, 200, So., Farmington, Mich.
	86 Lee Butler	6-5, 204, r-Fr., Detroit, Mich.

Note: 12 positions listed on offense due to the variety of sets.



DEFENSE

LE	97 Leo Wells	6-2, 241, r-Fr., Detroit, Mich.
	52 Shaun Holiday	6-2, 205, 5-Sr., Canyon Country, Calif.
DT	91 Steve Andonovski	6-2, 253, Sr., Windsor, Ont.
	61 John Atkinson	6-1, 250, r-So., Taylor, Mich.
NG	71 Craig Jobe	6-2, 280, r-Jr., Temperance, Mich.
	99 Julius Haynes	6-3, 360, Jr., Fresno, Calif.
	45 Adam Nemer-Kaiser	6-1, 277, r-Jr., Sterling Heights, Mich.
RE	94 Michael MacDonagh	6-3, 240, Fr., Clarksville, Tenn.
	95 Jared Sowders	6-2, 240, Jr., Lafayette, Ind.
	98 Dan Dzieszkowski	6-1, 252, r-Fr., Utica, Mich.
WLB	9 Daniel Stuckey	6-1, 196, 5-Sr., Cumming, Ga.
	21 Pat Harwood	5-9, 206, Jr., Romeo, Mich.
	44 Davin Clark	6-0, 210, Jr., Sunnyvale, Calif.
MLB	54 Mike Macek	6-1, 253, r-So., Redford, Mich.
	57 Nick Pappas	6-0, 225, r-Jr., Troy, Mich.
	37 Michael Hall	6-2, 210, Fr., Inkster, Mich.
SLB	50 Mohamad Bazzi	6-2, 240, So., Dearborn, Mich.
	32 Frank Hess	6-1, 231, 5-Sr., Harper Woods, Mich.
	38 Douglas Ducat	6-0, 202, Fr., Commerce, Mich.
CB	6 Earl Carruthers	5-10, 185, So., Waterford, Mich.
	12 Aaron Hannah	5-9, 170, r-Fr., Clinton Township, Mich.
SS	24 Qasim Basir	5-11, 205, 5-Sr., Ann Arbor, Mich.
	47 Mike Nowicki	5-10, 180, 5-Sr., St. Clair Shores, Mich.
	19 Nick Body	6-4, 196, Fr., Ortonville, Mich.
FS	30 Derrick Thomas	5-9, 188, 5-Sr., Belleville, Mich.
	15 Brandon Dinkins	5-11, 190, Fr., Highland Park, Mich.
CB	49 Alvin Mask	6-2, 195, r-So., Lansing, Mich.
	42 Eric Peeples	5-8, 173, r-Jr., Detroit, Mich.

SPECIALISTS

PK	14 Stephen Wayne	6-1, 190, So., Farmington, Mich.
	5 Eric Jorgensen	5-11, 193, r-Fr., Harrison Twp., Mich.
P	45 Adam Nemer-Kaiser	6-1, 277, r-Jr., Sterling Heights, Mich.
	10 Randy Hutchison	6-1, 190, So., Tecumseh, Mich.
HD	10 Randy Hutchison	6-1, 190, So., Tecumseh, Mich.
	7 James Phillips	6-1, 230, Jr., Yakima, Wash.
LS	87 Mike Johnson	6-4, 257, r-Jr., Battle Creek, Mich.
	94 Michael MacDonagh	6-3, 240, Fr., Clarksville, Tenn.
KR	25 Craig Duppong	5-10, 187, Jr., Lockport, Ill.
	20 Thabiti Williamson	6-1, 193, 5-Sr., Ann Arbor, Mich.
	28 Stephen Stokes	5-8, 185, Jr., Castaic, Calif.
	3 Nate Collins	5-9, 181, Sr., Detroit, Mich.
	23 Jorge Gomez	5-10, 185, Jr., Oxford, Mich.
PR	28 Stephen Stokes	5-8, 185, Jr., Castaic, Calif.
	83 Roger White	5-8, 165, Jr., Sterling Heights, Mich.

2002 Numerical Roster

No. Name, Pos., Ht., Wt., Cl./EI., Hometown/High School

1 Marqus Anthony, WR, 6-3, 181, SO/SO, Ypsilanti, Mich./Willow Run
 2 Michael Griffie, WR, 6-4, 200, SO/SO, Farmington, Mich./Farmington
 3 Nate Collins, WING, 5-9, 181, SR/SR, Detroit, Mich./Finney (Coll. of the Desert)
 4 Darryl Hill, CB, 5-9, 190, JR/JR, Steilacoom, Wash./Lakes (Joliet Junior College)
 5 Eric Jorgensen, PK, 5-11, 193, SO/FR, Harrison Twp., Mich./L'Anse Creuse Central
 6 Earl Carruthers, DB, 5-10, 185, SO/SO, Waterford, Mich./Mott
 7 James Phillips, QB, 6-1, 230, JR/JR, Yakima, Wash./Davis (Coll. of the Redwoods)
 8 Dan Gray, QB, 6-5, 210, 5/SR, Belle River, Ont./District (Western Ontario)
 9 Daniel Stuckey, LB, 6-1, 196, 5/SR, Cumming, Ga./Forsyth Central (Georgia Military Coll.)
 10 Randy Hutchison, QB, 6-1, 190, SO/SO, Tecumseh, Mich./Tecumseh
 11 Donnie Dooley, QB, 5-11, 183, FR/FR, Detroit, Mich./St. Martin De Porres
 12 Aaron Hannah, CB, 5-9, 170, SO/FR, Clinton Twp., Mich./Clintondale
 14 Stephen Wayne, PK, 6-1, 190, SO/SO, Farmington, Mich./Farmington
 15 Brandon Dinkins, DB, 5-11, 190, FR/FR, Highland Park, Mich./Highland Park
 16 Bryan Brandenburg, QB, 6-5, 195, SO/FR, Harrison Twp., Mich./L'Anse Creuse
 17 Aaron Brock, DB, 5-9, 200, JR/SO, Hamtramck, Mich.
 18 Dave Furlong, DB, 5-8, 160, FR/FR, Waterford, Mich./Kettering
 19 Nick Body, DB/WR, 6-4, 196, FR/FR, Ortonville, Mich./Our Lady of the Lakes
 20 Thabiti Williamson, RB, 6-1, 193, 5/SR, Ann Arbor, Mich./Huron
 21 Pat Harwood, LB, 5-9, 206, JR/JR, Romeo, Mich./Romeo
 22 Donald Thelmas, WR, 5-11, 180, SO/FR, Port Huron, Mich./Port Huron
 23 Jorge Gomez, RB, 5-10, 185, SR/JR, Oxford, Mich./Oxford
 24 Qasim Basir, SS, 5-11, 205, 5/SR, Ann Arbor, Mich./Huron (Clark Atlanta Univ.)
 25 Craig Duppong, RB, 5-10, 187, JR/JR, Lockport, Ill./Lockport (Joliet Junior Coll.)
 26 Ahmed (Mike) Hammoud, FB, 5-9, 201, SO/FR, Dearborn, Mich./Fordson
 27 Nick Hall, FS, 6-2, 225, JR/SO, Farmington Hills, Mich./Harrison (Central Mich.)
 28 Stephen Stokes, WING, 5-8, 185, JR/JR, Castaic, Calif./Valencia (Coll. of the Canyons)
 30 Derrick Thomas, DB, 5-9, 188, 5/SR, Belleville, Mich./Belleville
 31 Ryan Rutley, DB, 5-11, 160, SR/JR, Pontiac, Mich./Northern
 32 Frank Hess, LB, 6-1, 231, 5/SR, Harper Woods, Mich./Harper Woods (GVSU)
 33 Jerrard Humes, DB, 6-3, 204, FR/FR, Saginaw, Mich./Saginaw
 34 John Lukasik, P, 5-7, 150, JR/SO, Troy, Mich./Stevenson (Macomb C.C.)
 36 Aaron Reid, DB, 6-0, 170, FR/FR, Detroit, Mich./Benedictine
 37 Michael Hall, LB, 6-2, 210, FR/FR, Inkster, Mich./Belleville
 38 Douglas Ducat, LB, 6-0, 202, FR/FR, Commerce, Mich./Walled Lake Central
 39 Eric Newton, TE, 6-2, 245, SR/JR, Redford, Mich./Redford Union
 40 Tony Henry, FB, 6-1, 270, FR/FR, Wixom, Mich./Walled Lake Western
 41 Mo Blake, TE, 6-3, 251, JR/SO, Detroit, Mich./Martin Luther King
 42 Eric Peeples, DB, 5-8, 173, SR/JR, Detroit, Mich./Central (G.R.C.C.)
 43 Ryan Oshnock, DB, 5-10, 170, FR/FR, Lakeview, Mich./Lakeview
 44 Davin Clark, LB, 6-0, 210, JR/JR, Sunnyvale, Calif./Dos Palos (Merced Coll.)
 45 Adam Nemer-Kaiser, DT/P, 6-1, 277, SR/JR, Sterling Hts., Mich./Sterling Hts.
 46 Paul Randall, RB, 5-9, 175, FR/FR, Macomb Twp., Mich./Dakota
 47 Mike Nowicki, DB, 5-10, 180, 5/SR, St. Clair Shores, Mich./South Lake
 48 Chris Manno, TE, 6-2, 212, JR/SO, Dearborn Hts., Mich./Divine Child
 49 Alvin Mask, DB, 6-2, 195, JR/SO, Lansing, Mich./Sexton
 50 Mohamad Bazzi, LB, 6-2, 240, SO/SO, Dearborn, Mich./Fordson
 51 Joel Grambau, OL, 6-1, 265, 5/SR, Ann Arbor, Mich./Pioneer
 52 Shaun Holiday, DE, 6-2, 205, 5/SR, Canyon Country, Calif./Kennedy (Moorpark C.C.)
 53 T.J. Smith, OL, 6-3, 258, JR/JR, Godwin, Mich./Godwin Heights (G.R.C.C.)
 54 Mike Macek, LB, 6-1, 253, JR/SO, Redford, Mich./Redford Union (SVSU)
 57 Nick Pappas, LB, 6-0, 225, SR/JR, Troy, Mich./Athens
 58 Merrick Steele, OL, 6-3, 285, FR/FR, Southfield, Mich./Southfield

No. Name, Pos., Ht., Wt., Cl./EI., Hometown/High School

59 Justin Kasgorgis, LB, 5-11, 189, FR/FR, Farmington, Mich./North Farmington
 61 John Atkinson, DL, 6-1, 250, JR/SO, Taylor, Mich./John F. Kennedy
 62 Kevin GoodCourage, OL, 6-5, 275, 5/SR, Berkley, Mich./Royal Oak Shrine
 63 Jerome Pitts, OL, 6-3, 307, FR/FR, Detroit, Mich./St. Martin De Porres
 64 Derek Stansbury, DT, 5-11, 260, SO/FR, Romeo, Mich./Romeo
 65 David Tomasik, OL
 68 Zac McKee, OL, 6-5, 301, SR/JR, Chesterfield, Mich./L'Anse Creuse North
 69 Brent Lange, OL, 6-2, 288, FR/FR, Commerce, Mich./Walled Lake Central
 70 Greg Sims, OL, 6-4, 320, SR/JR, Southfield, Mich./Lathrup
 71 Craig Jobe, DL, 6-2, 280, SR/JR, Temperance, Mich./Ida
 72 Darrell Czubaj, OL, 6-4, 275, 5/SR, Utica, Mich./Utica
 76 Jaime Farias, OL, 6-4, 325, JR/JR, San Antonio, Texas/McCollum (E. Ariz. J.C.)
 77 Jon Herstein, OL, 6-3, 255, SO/SO, Fenton, Mich./Fenton
 78 Andy Dombrowski, OL, 6-5, 310, 5/SR, Grosse Ile, Mich./Grosse Ile
 79 Ryan Strong, OL, 6-2, 276, JR/JR, Belle River, Ont./Belle River
 80 Greg Luvisotto, WR, 5-10, 155, JR/SO, LaSalle, Ont./Sandwich Secondary
 81 Nate Bridges, WR, 5-9, 165, JR/SO, Detroit, Mich./Kettering
 82 Chris Smilo, TE, 6-2, 230, FR/FR, Canton, Mich./Plymouth Canton
 83 Roger White, WR, 5-8, 165, JR/JR, Sterling Hts., Mich./Warren De LaSalle
 84 Lynn Morton, WR, 6-2, 196, JR/SO, Oak Park, Mich./Oak Park (Alabama State)
 86 Lee Butler, WR, 6-5, 204, SO/FR, Detroit, Mich./Henry Ford
 87 Mike Johnson, TE, 6-4, 257, SR/JR, Battle Creek, Mich./Bellevue
 88 Kurtis Schneider, WR, 6-2, 180, FR/FR, Casco, Mich./Cardinal Mooney
 89 Kevin Collins, WR, 5-11, 185, SO/FR, Southfield, Mich./Southfield
 91 Steve Andonovski, DL, 6-2, 253, SR/SR, Windsor, Ont./J.L. Forster
 92 Brent Mills, DT, 6-2, 242, SO/FR, Farmington, Mich./Harrison
 94 Michael MacDonagh, DL, 6-3, 240, FR/FR, Clarksville, Tenn./Northeast
 95 Jared Sowders, DE, 6-2, 240, JR/JR, Lafayette, Ind./Jefferson (Joliet Jun. Coll.)
 97 Leo Wells, DE, 6-2, 241, SO/FR, Detroit, Mich./Hamtramck
 98 Dan Dzieszkowski, DE, 6-1, 252, SO/FR, Utica, Mich./Lutheran North
 99 Julius Haynes, DT, 6-3, 360, JR/JR, Fresno, Calif./Edison (Fresno City College)
 Jerrell Batson, DB, 5-11, 187, FR/FR, Flint, Mich./Flint Northern
 Jerriel Burrus, WR, 5-9, 167, FR/FR, Belleville, Mich./Belleville
 Desmon Caldwell, LB, 5-11, 233, JR/SO, Detroit, Mich. (Wisconsin)
 Alphonso Clark, CB, 5-11, 160, JR/SO, Inkster, Mich./Inkster (Central Mich.)
 Edwin Crawford, DL, 6-0, 279, JR/SO, Detroit, Mich.
 Demetrius Hallums, DB, 5-9, 152, FR/FR, Lansing, Mich./East Lansing
 Fred Harbor, LB, 5-11, 198, FR/FR, Romulus, Mich./Romulus
 Bobby Marten, QB, 5-10, 180, SO/FR, Allen Park, Mich./Allen Park
 John McDonald, TE, 6-1, 201, SO/FR, Port Huron, Mich. (St. Clair C.C.C.)
 Marcus Mencotti, DB, 5-10, 178, Farmington Hills, Mich.
 Johnzell Moore, LB
 Martez Moore, DT, 6-5, 295, FR/FR, Detroit, Mich./Benedictine
 Keith Newman, DB, 6-2, 157, FR/FR, Ann Arbor, Mich.
 Jareko Taylor, WR, 6-0, 160, FR/FR, Detroit, Mich./Henry Ford

2002 Starters

OFFENSE	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	WR	QB	RB	RB/HB
at Northern Iowa	White	GoodCour.	McKee	Grambau	Strong	Sims	Johnson	Anthony	Gray	Gomez	Collins/HB
at Findlay	White	GoodCour.	Sims	Grambau	Strong	Czubaj	Johnson	Anthony	Gray	Duppong	Williamson
Grand Valley	White	GoodCour.	Sims	Grambau	Strong	Czubaj	Johnson	Anthony	Gray	Williamson	Collins/HB
at Ferris State	White	GoodCour.	Sims	Grambau	Strong	Czubaj	Johnson	Griffie	Gray	Duppong	Collins/HB
Ashland											
at Hillsdale											
at Michigan Tech											
Northern Michigan											
at Northwood											
Mercyhurst											
Saginaw Valley											

DEFENSE	LE	LT	RT	RE	WLB	MLB	SLB	CB	SS	FS	CB
at Northern Iowa	Wells	Andonovski	Jobe	MacDonagh	Stuckey	Macek	Bazzi	Shields	Basir	Thomas	Mask
at Findlay	Wells	Andonovski	Jobe	MacDonagh	Stuckey	Macek	Bazzi	Carruthers	Nowicki	Thomas	Mask
Grand Valley	Wells	Andonovski	Jobe	MacDonagh	Stuckey	Macek	Bazzi	Carruthers	Nowicki	Thomas	Mask
at Ferris State	Wells	Andonovski	Jobe	MacDonagh	Stuckey	Pappas	Bazzi	Carruthers	Basir	Thomas	Mask
Ashland											
at Hillsdale											
at Michigan Tech											
Northern Michigan											
at Northwood											
Mercyhurst											
Saginaw Valley											

Long Plays By The Numbers		20-Yards Plus By Player				Longest Plays of the Year	
Plays by Yards	No.	Player	No.	TDs	Type	Rushing	
20-29	15	Dan Gray	7	0	P	37	Randy Hutchison/Ferris State 9/28/02
30-39	8	T. Williamson	6	2	KR/RU		
40-49	3	Craig Duppong	5	0	KR	Passing	
50-59	1	Nate Collins	4	0	RE	52	Dan Gray to Roger White/Findlay 9/14/02
60+	1	Randy Hutchison	5	3	P/RU		
		Marqus Anthony	3	1	RE	Punt Return	
Plays by Type	No.	Lynn Morton	3	1	RE	39	Stephen Stokes/Ferris State 9/28/02
Passing	12	Eric Newton	1	0	RE		
Kickoff Returns	9	Alvin Mask	1	0	INT	Kickoff Return	
Rushing	4	Roger White	1	0	RE	48	Thabiti Williamson/Ferris State 9/28/02
Interceptions	2	Mike Macek	1	0	INT		
Touchdowns	2	Jorge Gomez	1	0	RU	Interception Return	
Punt Returns	1	James Phillips	1	0	P	64	Alvin Mask/Findlay 9/14/02
Fumble Recovery	0	Stephen Stokes	1	0	PR		
						Fumble Return	
						11	Mohamad Bazzi/Northern Iowa 8/29/02

Legend: P - Pass; RU - Rush; RE - Receiving; KR - Kick Return; PR - Punt Return; INT - Interception; F - Fumble Recovery.

2002 Scoring Drives/Plays

Opponent	Plays	Yards	Time of Poss.	Result	Qtr.	Play
Findlay	7	27	2:55	FG	1	Wayne 44-yard field goal
Findlay	3	35	0:52	TD	2	Collins 8-yard pass from Gray (Wayne kick failed)
Findlay	7	52	1:27	FG	2	Wayne 33-yard field goal
Findlay	6	16	1:50	FG	3	Wayne 31-yard field goal
Findlay	5	66	1:35	TD	4	Williamson 21-yard run (Gray pass failed)
Grand Valley	7	80	1:28	TD	2	Anthony 34-yard pass from Hutchison (Wayne kick)
Grand Valley	8	68	2:24	TD	4	Griffie 9-yard pass from Gray (Wayne kick)
Ferris State	10	46	2:49	FG	1	Wayne 37-yard field goal
Ferris State	9	48	3:58	TD	3	Collins 5-yard run (Wayne kick failed)
Ferris State	6	79	2:46	TD	3	Williamson 22-yard run (Wayne kick)
Ferris State	2	40	0:49	TD	3	Morton 32-yard pass from Hutchison (Hutchison rush failed)
Ferris State	6	33	3:19	TD	4	Collins 15-yard pass from Hutchison (Wayne kick)
Ferris State	4	46	1:47	TD	4	Hutchison 37-yard run (Wayne kick)

Scoring Drive Analysis

	Minus	0-9	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90-99
Wayne State TD	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	2	1	1	0
Wayne State FG	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Opponent TD	0	0	0	0	1	4	3	1	7	2	0
Opponent FG	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0

Red Zone Analysis

Game	Wayne State				Opponent			
	Total Drives	Inside 20	TD/FG	Pct.	Total Drives	Inside 20	TD/FG	Pct.
Northern Iowa	15	1	0/0	.000	13	5	2/2	.800
Findlay	15	3	1/2	1.000	15	4	2/0	.500
Grand Valley State	13	2	1/0	.500	13	8	7/0	.875
Ferris State	15	5	2/1	.600	16	1	1/0	1.000
Ashland								
Hillsdale								
Michigan Tech								
Northern Michigan								
Northwood								
Mercyhurst								
Saginaw Valley State								

20-Yard Plus Plays From Scrimmage

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opp.
35	Pass	Dan Gray to Eric Newton	Northern Iowa
22	Pass	Dan Gray to Nate Collins	Findlay
21	Pass	Dan Gray to Nate Collins	Findlay
24	Pass	Dan Gray to Marqus Anthony	Findlay
52	Pass	Dan Gray to Roger White	Findlay
20	Run	Jorge Gomez	Findlay
21	Run	Thabiti Williamson	Findlay
34	Pass	Randy Hutchison to Marqus Anthony	Grand Valley
47	Pass	Dan Gray to Marqus Anthony	Grand Valley
39	Pass	Dan Gray to Nate Collins	Grand Valley
21	Pass	James Phillips to Nate Collins	Grand Valley
23	Pass	Dan Gray to Lynn Morton	Ferris State
44	Pass	Randy Hutchison to Lynn Morton	Ferris State
22	Run	Thabiti Williamson	Ferris State
32	Pass	Randy Hutchison to Lynn Morton	Ferris State
20	Pass	Randy Hutchison to Nate Collins	Ferris State
37	Run	Randy Hutchison	Ferris State

2001 GLIAC Academic Honor Roll	
Andy Dombrowski	
Jorge Gomez	
Joel Grambau	
Pat Harwood	
Craig Jobe	
Nick Pappas	
Jeff Roeschke	
Ryan Strong	
Roger White	

Warrior Individuals in the GLIAC

Passing Yards Per Game	Dan Gray, 10th, 123.2
Interceptions	Alvin Mask, T-2nd, 2
Passing Efficiency	Dan Gray, 10th, 79.06
Punt Return Average	Stephen Stokes, 8th, 6.9
Kickoff Return Average	Thabiti Williamson, 4th, 26.0
.....	Craig Duppong, 9th, 23.3
Punting	Adam Nemer-Kaiser, 4th, 39.5
Scoring (Kicking) Per Game	Stephen Wayne, T-9th, 4.2
Field Goals Made Per Game	Stephen Wayne, T-3rd, 1.00
Tackles Per Game	Derrick Thomas, 2nd, 9.8
.....	Mike Nowicki, T-17th, 7.3
.....	Mohamad Bazzi, T-19th, 7.2
Sacks	Leo Wells, T-3rd, 4
Tackles For Loss	Leo Wells, 2nd, 6
.....	Mohamad Bazzi, T-6th, 4.5
Fumbles Recovered	Mohamad Bazzi, T-1st, 2

Warriors By the Numbers

Fifth-Year Seniors	12
Seniors	2
Redshirt Juniors	10
Juniors	12
Redshirt Sophomores	14
Sophomores	7
Redshirt Freshmen	13
True Freshmen	25
High School	74
Junior College	15
Transfers	8
From Michigan	82
From California	4
From Ontario	4
From Washington	2
From Georgia	1
From Illinois	1
From Indiana	1
From Tennessee	1
From Texas	1

SERIES NOTES

Wayne State won last year's contest at Ashland, 19-16, to snap a six-game series losing streak. The last two games have been decided by a total of four points.

Last season in a see-saw game, Wayne State scored on the game's final play, a 33-yard field goal by Stephen Wayne, for the victory. Two Ashland field goals sandwiched around a Dan Gray to Pierre Brown nine-yard scoring toss had the game tied with 2:46 left in the fourth quarter. After an exchange of punts, Wayne State drove from its 20-yardline for the winning score. Gray completed four passes for 65 yards on the drive including a 14-yard toss to Pierre Brown on a third and 10 from Ashland's 29. Brown stepped out of bounds with three seconds left setting up Wayne's game-winning field goal.

WSU is 1-7 all-time at home against the Eagles.

In the last meeting in Detroit, Ashland edged the Warriors 42-41. The Eagles scored on a five-yard Jeff Leopold pass to Max Lind with 52 seconds remaining. WSU's Matt Pomeroy missed a 36-yard field goal on the last play of the game. Thabiti Williamson had 187 yards on 23 carries.

Wayne State's lone home triumph was in 1976, 31-28.

Player Notes

WARRIOR OFFENSE

QUARTERBACKS

8 Dan Gray (6-5, 210, 5/SR) -- Started all four games ... completed 8 of 26 passes for 100 yards at UNI ... completed 10 of 34 at Findlay for 147 yards and one touchdown ... completed 12 of 25 for 162 yards and one touchdown against Grand Valley ... completed 9 of 20 for 84 yards at Ferris State.

10 Randy Hutchison (6-1, 190, SO) -- Quarterbacked the Warriors for two third quarter drives at Northern Iowa ... completed two passes to Marqus Anthony for 16 yards and a first down ... led WSU's comeback at Ferris ... completed 10 of 12 for 140 yards and two touchdowns ... also rushed for a 37-yard touchdown (longest run by a Warrior this season) ... is the holder for field goals and PATs ... served as emergency punter at Findlay ... averaged 29.1 yards on eight punts.

7 James Phillips (6-1, 230, JR) -- Made first WSU appearance against Grand Valley ... completed 10 of 19 passes for 66 yards during two fourth quarter drives.

RUNNING BACKS

20 Thabiti Williamson (6-1, 193, 5/SR) -- Had five carries for 11 yards at Northern Iowa ... scored on a 21-yard run at Findlay ... also had a 39-yard kickoff return against the Oilers ... rushed for 77 yards on 15 carries at Ferris ... leads team in rushing touchdowns (2) and kickoff return average (26.0).

25 Craig Duppong (5-10, 187, JR) -- WSU's leading rusher in the first three games ... had 21 yards on 10 carries at UNI ... gained 55 yards on nine rushes at Findlay ... had eight carries for 20 yards versus Grand Valley ... rushed for 75 yards on 19 attempts at Ferris ... has played on punt return, kickoff return and punt coverage team.

23 Jorge Gomez (5-10, 185, SR/JR) -- Started at Northern Iowa ... had eight carries for 13 yards at UNI ... had three carries for 38 yards at Findlay ... rushed once for three yards against Grand Valley ... has seen action on kickoff coverage, kickoff return and punt coverage.

FULL BACKS

40 Tony Henry (6-1, 270, FR) -- Played as a fullback at Northern Iowa and against Grand Valley ... saw action on kickoff coverage team at Findlay.

26 Mike Hammound (5-9, 201, SO/FR) -- Saw action on the kickoff return team at UNI and versus Grand Valley... missed the Oiler game with an injury.

WIDE RECEIVERS

83 Roger White (5-8, 165, JR) -- Started all four games ... had two receptions for 24 yards at UNI ... hauled in a career-long 52-yard pass from Dan Gray at Findlay ... led WSU in receiving yards against the Oilers with 60 yards on three catches.

3 Nate Collins (5-9, 181, SR) -- Started three games ... had one rush for five yards and two receptions for eight yards at UNI ... recorded his first WSU receiving touchdown at Findlay ... had a career-long 39-yard reception against Grand Valley ... had a touchdown run (5 yards) and a touchdown reception (15) at Ferris State ... also played on the punt coverage and punt return teams this season.

1 Marqus Anthony (6-3, 181, SO) -- Started first three games ... had a team-high three catches at UNI ... had one reception for 24 yards against the Oilers ... had career-highs in receptions (8) and receiving yards (145) against Grand Valley ... had four receptions at Ferris.

84 Lynn Morton (6-2, 196, JR/SO) -- Played at Northern Iowa ... recorded a career-best four receptions versus Grand Valley ... had four receptions for a career-high 108 yards at Ferris and first collegiate touchdown ... saw action on both the kickoff return and kickoff coverage teams.

28 Stephen Stokes (5-8, 185, JR) -- Played in all four games ... had a GLIAC season-high six punt returns at Ferris State ... had his first two receptions of the season against Grand Valley ... returned six punts for 73 yards at FSU including a 39-yard effort which set-up the go-ahead touchdown.

2 Michael Griffie (6-4, 200, SO) -- Played in all four games .. had his first career touchdown reception against Grand Valley ... saw action on kickoff return team.

86 Lee Butler (6-5, 204, SO/FR) -- Made collegiate debut at Findlay ... also played against Grand Valley.

TIGHT ENDS

87 Mike Johnson (6-4, 257, SR/JR) -- Started all four games ... had two receptions for 28 yards at UNI ... equalled a career-high with three catches at Findlay ... served as the long snapper on punts, FG, and PATs ... also played on the kickoff return team.

39 Eric Newton (6-2, 245, SR/JR) -- Played in all four games ... lone reception at UNI was for a career-long 35 yards ... played on the punt coverage team.

82 Chris Smilo (6-2, 230, FR) -- Played on the kickoff return team at Findlay ... had his first two collegiate catches against Grand Valley ... played on the punt return and kickoff return at Ferris State.

OFFENSIVE LINE

72 Darrell Czubaj (6-4, 275, 5/SR) -- Started the last three games at right tackle ... missed the UNI game with an injury.

78 Andy Dombrowski (6-5, 310, 5/SR) -- Returned to the lineup against Grand Valley after missing the first two games with an injury.

62 Kevin GoodCourage (6-5, 275, 5/SR) -- Started all four games at left tackle.

51 Joel Grambau (6-1, 265, 5/SR) -- Started all four games at center.

77 Jon Herstein (6-3, 255, SO) -- Played at Northern Iowa and versus Grand Valley.

68 Zac McKee (6-5, 301, SR/JR) -- Started at left guard at Northern Iowa ... played against Findlay and Grand Valley.

70 Greg Sims (6-4, 320, SR/JR) -- Started at right tackle at Northern Iowa, and left guard the last three games.

53 T.J. Smith (6-3, 258, JR) -- Made his Warrior debut against Grand Valley.

79 Ryan Strong (6-2, 276, JR) -- Started all four games at right guard.

Player Notes

WARRIOR DEFENSE

DEFENSIVE LINE

- 97 Leo Wells (6-2, 241, SO/FR) -- Started all four games at defensive end ... had five total tackles including one sack (-10 yards) in which he forced a fumble at Northern Iowa ... had four tackles for loss including two QB sacks at Findlay ... had a sack and fumble recovery at Ferris.
- 91 Steve Andonovski (6-2, 253, SR) -- Started all four games at defensive tackle ... had a season-high two tackles at Findlay.
- 71 Craig Jobe (6-2, 280, SR/JR) -- Started all four games at defensive tackle ... had a season-high three tackles at Ferris State.
- 94 Michael MacDonagh (6-3, 240, FR) -- Started all four games at defensive end ... had one tackle for loss (-7 yards) and one pass broken up against Grand Valley.
- 52 Shaun Holiday (6-2, 205, 5/SR) -- Played defensive end in all four games .. had one tackle for loss at Findlay ... had six total tackles (3-3) versus Grand Valley.
- 61 John Atkinson (6-1, 250, JR/SO) -- Played defensive tackle at Northern Iowa.
- 95 Jared Sowders (6-2, 240, JR) -- Played defensive end at Northern Iowa, and against Grand Valley and Ferris State ... forced a fumble and had a tackle for loss versus GVSU.
- 99 Julius Haynes (6-3, 360, JR) -- Played defensive tackle the last four games ... had a season-high three solo tackles at Findlay ... had a pass breakup at Ferris State

LINEBACKERS

- 9 Daniel Stuckey (6-1, 196, 5/SR) -- Started all four games ... had five solo tackles and six total tackles at UNI ... forced a fumble and had one tackle for loss against Findlay ... had at least five tackles in every game ... played on the punt coverage and punt return teams.
- 54 Mike Macek (6-1, 253, JR/SO) -- Started first three games ... led team with six solo tackles at UNI ... forced one fumble ... had first career interception and a sack at Findlay ... played on the punt coverage and kickoff return teams.
- 50 Mohamad Bazzi (6-2, 240, SO) -- Started all four games ... recovered two fumbles at UNI ... returned one fumble 11 yards ... tied for team-high honors with 13 total tackles at Findlay ... second on the squad with 30 total tackles (11-19) ... played on both the punt and kickoff coverage teams.
- 21 Pat Harwood (5-9, 206, JR) -- Played in all four games ... had two assisted tackles in his first career game on defense ... played on the kickoff return, kickoff coverage, punt return and punt coverage teams.
- 37 Michael Hall (6-2, 210, FR) -- Played in first three games ... has seen action on the punt coverage, punt return and kickoff return teams.
- 32 Frank Hess (6-1, 231, 5/SR) -- Played in all four games ... had a tackle for loss against Grand Valley ... saw action on the kickoff return, kickoff coverage, punt return and punt coverage teams.
- 57 Nick Pappas (6-0, 225, SR/JR) -- Returned to the lineup for the Grand Valley contest after the missing the first two games with an injury ... had one tackle for loss against the Lakers ... started at Ferris State.

DEFENSIVE BACKS

- 6 Earl Carruthers (5-10, 185, SO) -- Started at cornerback the last three games ... missed the Northern Iowa game with an injury ... led the team with two pass break-ups against GVSU ... recorded first career interception at Ferris (came on the opening drive of the second half).
- 24 Qasim Basir (5-11, 205, 5/SR) -- Started at strong safety at Northern Iowa and at Ferris State ... led the team with 12 total tackles ... played on the kickoff return, kickoff coverage and punt coverage teams ... missed Findlay and Grand Valley games with an injury ... forced a fumble at FSU with two minutes left in game.
- 30 Derrick Thomas (5-9, 188, 5/SR) -- Started all four games at free safety ... led the team with 12 total tackles (5-7) against GVSU ... also recovered a fumble versus the Lakers ... had a team-high eight tackles (4-4) at Ferris ... played on the kickoff return, kickoff coverage and punt coverage teams.
- 49 Alvin Mask (6-2, 195, JR/SO) -- Started all four games at cornerback ... led team with two pass break-ups at UNI ... forced one fumble ... had an interception in each of the first two games ... returned fourth career interception 64 yards at Findlay, the longest interception return in the GLIAC this season ... had a team-high seven solo tackles against Grand Valley ... saw action on the kickoff coverage team.
- 42 Eric Peebles (5-8, 173, SR/JR) -- Played in all four games ... had five unassisted tackles at UNI ... forced a fumble versus Grand Valley.
- 47 Mike Nowicki (5-10, 180, 5/SR) -- Played strong safety at Northern Iowa ... started for the injured Qasim Basir against the Oilers and Lakers ... forced one fumble and had a tackle for loss against GVSU ... saw action on the kickoff return and kickoff coverage teams.
- 15 Brandon Dinkins (5-11, 190, FR) -- Played free safety in first two games ... saw special teams action against Grand Valley ... also plays on kickoff coverage and punt return teams.
- 19 Nick Body (6-4, 196, FR) -- Played a few plays at wide receiver at Northern Iowa ... saw action at strong safety at Findlay ... had three unassisted tackles against the Oilers ... played on special teams against GVSU ... saw special teams action on kickoff return and kickoff coverage.
- 12 Aaron Hannah (5-9, 170, SO/FR) -- Played at Findlay as a nickel-back.

SPECIAL TEAMS

- 14 Stephen Wayne (6-1, 190, SO) -- Had one kickoff for 61 yards and missed a 42-yard field goal at Northern Iowa .. made a career-high three field goals against the Oilers, including a career-long of 44 yards ... made a 37-yard field goal at Ferris.
- 45 Adam Nemer-Kaiser (6-1, 277, SR/JR) -- Punted a GLIAC season-high 11 times at Northern Iowa, averaging 41.5 yards per kick ... missed UF game with an injury ... punted six times for 35.2 yards against Grand Valley ... averaged 40.5 yards on four punts at Ferris.
- 38 Douglas Ducat (6-0, 202, FR) -- Played on the punt coverage team in all three games.
- 44 Davin Clark (6-0, 210, JR) -- Played on the kickoff return team at Findlay, and against Grand Valley.

2002 Game Summaries

GAME 1 - Aug. 29

at Northern Iowa 34, Wayne State 0

Wayne State	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Iowa	3	17	14	0	34

NI - Hoambrecker 40 field goal, 10:21, 1st qtr.
 NI - Mays 80 pass from Jurgens (Hoambrecker kick), 14:42, 2nd qtr.
 NI - Mays 10 pass from Jurgens (Hoambrecker kick), 8:42, 2nd qtr.
 NI - Hoambrecker 33 field goal, 5:23, 2nd qtr.
 NI - Mays 12 pass from Jurgens (Hoambrecker kick), 1:54, 3rd qtr.
 NI - Sanderson 51 punt return (Hoambrecker kick), 0:00, 3rd qtr.
Attendance - 10,221

	WS	NI
First Downs	7	25
Rushes/Yards	31/58	52/303
Passing Yardage	116	229
Total Net Yards	174	532
Completions/Attempts ..	10/29	13/26
Interceptions Thrown	0	1
Punts/Avg.	11/41.5	2/45.0
Fumbles/Lost	1/1	4/3
Penalties/Yards	5/48	7/60
Third Down Conv.	2/17	3/13
Time of Possession	28:03	31:57

Individual Statistics:

Rushing: WSU - Craig Duppong 10-21; Jorge Gomez 8-13; Thabiti Williamson 5-11; Nate Collins 1-5; Randy Hutchison 3-4; Dan Gray 4-4.
UNI - Adam Bengel 23-181; Richard Carter 9-55; Jim Lizzi 5-31; Michael Fiech 5-17; Tom Petrie 2-12; Brad Richtsmeier 1-8; Justin Surrency 1-3; Anthony Howard 1-3; Mark Moothart 1-2; Marlus Mays 1-(-3); Griff Jurgens 3-(-6).

Passing: WSU - Dan Gray 8-26-0, 100; Randy Hutchison 2-3-0, 16. UNI - Griff Jurgens 11-19-1, 195; Tom Petrie 2-7-0, 34.

Receiving: WSU - Marqus Anthony 3-21; Mike Johnson 2-28; Roger White 2-24; Nate Collins 2-8; Eric Newton 1-35. UNI - Marlus Mays 5-144; Ben Sanderson 3-27; Ryan Walter 2-17; Justin Surrency 1-18; Lee Reynolds 1-16; Eddie Galles 1-7.

Game Notes: UNI grabbed a 3-0 lead after Mac Hoambrecker connected a 40-yard field goal attempt on the game's opening drive ... WSU's Alvin Mask intercepted a Griff Jurgens pass late in the first quarter, but Stephen Wayne's 42-yard field goal attempt was wide ... the Panthers scored on their first play of the second quarter, an 80-yard pass from Jurgens to Marlus Mays ... Mays had a 10-yard TD reception on UNI's next drive ... Hoambrecker made a 33-yard field goal attempt to give UNI a 20-0 lead at intermission ... the Warriors were outgained in the first half 342-64 ... the Panthers scored their final two touchdowns in the last two minutes of the third quarter ... following a Randy Hutchison fumble, UNI drove 59 yards with Mays recording his third TD reception of the game ... on the final play of the third quarter, the Panthers' Ben Sanderson returned Adam Nemer-Kaiser's punt 51 yards for the score ... WSU drove to the UNI 20 on its first possession of the fourth quarter but turned the ball over on downs.

GAME 2 - Sept. 14

at Findlay 33, Wayne State 21

Wayne State	3	9	3	6	21
Findlay	7	7	0	19	33

UF - R. Campbell 2 run (A. Campbell kick), 8:51, 1st qtr.
 WS - Wayne 44 field goal, 5:56, 1st qtr.
 UF - Rowe 22 pass from Fraser (A. Campbell kick), 12:03, 2nd qtr.
 WS - Collins 8 pass from Gray (Wayne kick failed), 5:11, 2nd qtr.
 WS - Wayne 33 field goal, 0:12, 2nd qtr.
 WS - Wayne 31 field goal, 2:53, 3rd qtr.
 UF - Crooks 31 run (R. Campbell rush failed), 13:30, 4th qtr.
 WS - Williamson 21 run (Gray pass failed), 11:55, 4th qtr.
 UF - R. Campbell 64 run (Crooks pass failed), 11:24, 4th qtr.
 UF - Garland 36 punt return (A. Campbell kick), 4:43, 4th qtr.
Attendance - 2,189

	WS	UF
First Downs	10	22
Rushes/Yards	24/114	54/242
Passing Yardage	147	189
Total Net Yards	261	431
Completions/Attempts ..	10/34	16/24
Interceptions Thrown	0	2
Punts/Avg.	8/29.1	6/31.3
Fumbles/Lost	3/2	2/0
Penalties/Yards	6/56	12/75
Third Down Conv.	2/14	6/16
Time of Possession	23:17	36:43

Individual Statistics:

Rushing: WSU - Craig Duppong 9-55; Jorge Gomez 3-38; Thabiti Williamson 10-29; Dan Gray 2-(-8). UF - Robert Campbell 39-186; Kevin Crooks 3-59; Jeremy Smith 4-14; Tyler Beckley 1-3; Team 1-(-1); Jeff Fraser 6-(-19).

Passing: WSU - Dan Gray 10-34-0, 147. UF - Jeff Fraser 14-20-2, 173; Kevin Crooks 2-4-0, 16.

Receiving: WSU - Roger White 3-60; Nate Collins 3-35; Mike Johnson 3-28; Marqus Anthony 1-24. UF - Jeff Rowe 4-73; Josh Lenaburg 4-34; Andy Witker 3-22; Mark Meibers 2-38; Ty Rhoad 2-12; Robert Campbell 1-10.

Game Notes: After falling behind 14-3 early in the second quarter, Wayne State rallied for the next 12 points to take a 15-14 lead late in the third quarter ... both teams exchanged quick touchdowns (Findlay scored in two plays - 41 yards), while WSU running back Thabiti Williamson capped a five-play, 66-yard drive with a 21-yard touchdown run to put the Warriors back in front 21-20 with 11:55 remaining in the fourth quarter ... the Oilers scored just 31 seconds after Williamson's 10th career rushing touchdown ... with 5:51 left in the fourth quarter and the Warriors starting a drive at their two-yard line the lights went out as a heavy downpour started ... after a 15-minute delay, WSU's offense managed two yards in three plays and Randy Hutchison's punt was returned 36 yards for the game's final touchdown ... WSU place-kicker Stephen Wayne made a career-high three field goals and a career-best 44-yard boot in the first quarter ... defensively for WSU, safety Mike Nowicki, starting for the injured Qasim Basir, tied for team-high honors with 13 tackles with Derrick Thomas. Defensive end Leo Wells led the Warriors with four tackles for loss.

GAME 3 - Sept. 21

Grand Valley 49, at Wayne State 14

Grand Valley	14	14	14	7	49
Wayne State	0	7	0	7	14

GV - Kircus 17 pass from Anes (Hendrix kick), 8:58, 1st qtr.
 GV - T. Banks 24 pass from Anes (Hendrix kick), 2:21, 1st qtr.
 GV - Kircus 8 pass from Anes (Hendrix kick), 13:35, 2nd qtr.
 GV - Lesniak 13 run (Hendrix kick), 1:41, 2nd qtr.
 WS - Anthony 34 pass from Hutchison (Wayne kick), 0:13, 2nd qtr.
 GV - Kircus 17 pass from Anes (Hendrix kick), 11:25, 3rd qtr.
 GV - Holloway 9 pass from Anes (Hendrix kick), 6:26, 3rd qtr.
 WS - Griffie 9 pass from Gray (Wayne kick), 14:06, 4th qtr.
 GV - Condon 12 pass from Wojciechowski (Hendrix kick), 9:57, 4th qtr.
Attendance - 2,445

	GV	WS
First Downs	31	19
Rushes/Yards	49/212	24/16
Passing Yardage	385	303
Total Net Yards	597	319
Completions/Attempts ..	24/36	26/54
Interceptions Thrown	0	1
Punts/Avg.	2/25.5	6/35.2
Fumbles/Lost	4/1	3/0
Penalties/Yards	14/150	8/84
Third Down Conv.	7/12	5/17
Time of Possession	31:46	28:14

Individual Statistics:

Rushing: GVSU - Reggie Spearmon 16-97; Brent Lesniak 19-75; Brandon Langston 6-11; Ryan Brady 4-10; Chad Day 1-8; Curt Anes 1-7; Terrance Banks 1-4; Team 1-0. WSU - Craig Duppong 8-20; Thabiti Williamson 8-14; Jorge Gomez 1-3; Randy Hutchison 4-1; Dan Gray 2-(-9); James Phillips 1-(-13).

Passing: GVSU - Curt Anes 21-33-0, 334; Todd Wojciechowski 2-2-0, 33; Ryan Brady 1-1-0, 18. WSU - Dan Gray 12-25-0, 162; James Phillips 10-19-0, 66; Randy Hutchison 4-9-0, 75; Thabiti Williamson 0-1-1, 0.

Receiving: GVSU - Phil Condon 7-154; Terrance Banks 5-102; David Kircus 4-50; Brent Lesniak 4-6; Reggie Spearmon 2-46; Mike Holloway 2-27. WSU - Marqus Anthony 8-145; Nate Collins 5-85; Lynn Morton 4-18; Stephen Stokes 2-18; Michael Griffie 2-18; Chris Smilo 2-7; Craig Duppong 2-4; Mike Johnson 1-8.

Game Notes: Wayne State fell to the No. 1 team in Division II, Grand Valley State ... the Lakers scored touchdowns on three of their first four possessions for a 21-0 lead ... the Warriors went 80 yards in seven plays in 1:28 just before intermission ... Randy Hutchison completed a 34-yard touchdown pass to Marqus Anthony on a fourth-and-four with just 13 seconds left in the second quarter cutting the GVSU lead to 28-7 ... the Lakers reached the end zone on three of their first four second half drives ... Michael Griffie had his first career touchdown reception early in the fourth quarter ... WSU had two drives of over 10 plays in the game ... Stephen Wayne missed a 43-yard field goal attempt in the first quarter, while the game ended after WSU's 15th play.

GAME 4 - Sept. 28

Wayne State 36, at Ferris State 21

Wayne State	3	0	19	14	36
Ferris State	14	7	0	0	21

WS - Wayne 37 field goal, 12:11, 1st qtr.
 FS - Marsan 5 run (Perez kick), 10:14, 1st qtr.
 FS - Brewster 26 pass from Marsan (Perez kick), 0:18, 1st qtr.
 FS - Malloy 30 pass from Marsan (Perez kick), 2:51, 2nd qtr.
 WS - Collins 5 run (Wayne kick failed), 9:55, 3rd qtr.
 WS - Williamson 22 run (Wayne kick), 5:18, 3rd qtr.
 WS - Morton 32 pass from Hutchison (Hutchison rush failed), 2:02, 3rd qtr.
 WS - Collins 15 pass from Hutchison (Wayne kick), 2:18, 4th qtr.
 WS - Hutchison 13 run (Wayne kick), 0:13, 4th qtr.
Attendance - 2,682

	WS	FS
First Downs	22	14
Rushes/Yards	46/217	24/56
Passing Yardage	224	273
Total Net Yards	441	329
Completions/Attempts ..	19/32	14/35
Interceptions Thrown	2	1
Punts/Avg.	4/40.5	9/31.4
Fumbles/Lost	3/1	1/1
Penalties/Yards	8/65	7/68
Third Down Conv.	7/17	4/15
Time of Possession	35:53	24:07

Individual Statistics:

Rushing: WSU - Thabiti Williamson 15-77; Craig Duppong 19-75; Randy Hutchison 5-68; Nate Collins 1-5; Jorge Gomez 2-2; Dan Gray 4-(-10). FSU - Derek Fudge 14-42; Tom Marsan 5-6; Dennis Cartwright 1-4; Shawn Grigg 4-4.

Passing: WSU - Dan Gray 9-20-2, 84; Randy Hutchison 10-12-0, 140. FSU - Tom Marsan 14-35-1, 273.

Receiving: WSU - Nate Collins 5-51; Lynn Morton 4-108; Marqus Anthony 4-23; Michael Griffie 2-14; Thabiti Williamson 2-10; Mike Johnson 1-15; Craig Duppong 1-3. FSU - Austin Malloy 3-101; Derek Fudge 3-49; Andy Thwaites 2-32; Jesse Porter 2-30; Dennis Cartwright 2-27; Carlton Brewster 1-26; Brandis Bowie 1-8.

Game Notes: The Warriors earned their first victory of the season by scoring 33 unanswered second half points for the win ... in a tale of two halves, FSU scored 21 consecutive points after falling behind 3-0 ... after intermission, Wayne State scored touchdowns on five of its six drives, with its sixth drive ending on downs at the FSU 4-yardline ... Ferris led in total offense, 224-128, through 30 minutes but the Warrior defense allowed just 105 yards in the second half and only two drives over three plays (a five-play, 23-yard drive, and a seven-play, 28-yard drive) ... Randy Hutchison came in to start the third quarter and led WSU on a nine-play, 48-yard touchdown drive following an interception by Earl Caruthers ... Nate Collins recorded his first Warrior touchdown run on a five-yard counter ... following a Bulldog punt, WSU went 79 yards in six plays to pull within five at 21-16. Hutchison and Lynn Morton connected on a 44-yard pass to put the Warriors in FSU territory. Thabiti Williamson capped the drive with a 22-yard touchdown run, the 11th of his career ... the defense held the Bulldogs to 23 yards after the kickoff, and Stephen Stokes returned the punt 39 yards to the FSU 40 ... on second-and-two, Hutchison found Morton alone in the end zone for the go-ahead score on a 32-yard touchdown pass.

Additional Bios



Brandon Dinkins
 5-11 190
 Freshman **15**
 Defensive Back
 Highland Park, Mich.
 Highland Park H.S.

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Sl. High School: A 2002 graduate of Highland Park ... was a four-year letterwinner ... attended Chadsey High (1998-99) and Highland Park (1999-2002) ... rushed for 1,200 yards and 12 touchdowns as a senior, while throwing for 1,103 yards and eight touchdowns ... was primarily a quarterback and outside linebacker in high school ... played as a wide receiver his first two seasons ... earned all-league, all-city, all-state and All-American honors. **Personal:** Born May 10, 1984, in Detroit ... son of Mansfield and Constance Dinkins ... father played basketball in the ABA with Virginia Squires ... has three brothers, Mansfield, Courtney and Antonio ... Mansfield played collegiately at UNLV (1990-94), while Courtney played at the University of Louisville (1995-2000) ... full name is Brandon Earl Dinkins ... plans to major in architecture.



Eric Jorgensen
 5-11 193
 Freshman **5**
 Place-Kicker
 Harrison Twp., Mich.
 L'Anse Creuse Central H.S.
 Western Michigan Univ.

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2001: Attended Western Michigan University. **High School:** A 2001 graduate of L'Anse Creuse Central ... earned two varsity letters for coach Don Roda ... named to the all-league second team ... was a second-team all-county wrestler ... also served as wrestling team captain. **Personal:** Born July 29, 1983, in Harrison Township ... son of William and Jen Jorgensen ... has one brother, Kyle (15) ... full name is Eric William Jorgensen ... plans to major in marketing.



Eric Peeples
 5-8 173
 RS-Junior **42**
 Defensive Back
 Detroit, Mich.
 Central H.S.
 Saginaw Valley/G.R.C.C.

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2001: Attended Saginaw Valley State University. **2000:** Redshirted at Grand Rapids Community College. **1999:** Played football at G.R.C.C. **High School:** A 1998 graduate of Central ... earned All-Public School League and All-State honorable mention honors as a second baseman on the Trailblazers baseball squad ... served as baseball team captain ... also ran track. **Personal:** Born Oct. 25, 1980, in Detroit ... son of Eric Peeples ... has on sister, Cheneé ... cousin is baseball Hall of Fame pitcher Ferguson Jenkins ... full name is Eric Jermarr Peeples ... business administration major.



Tony Shields
 6-0 188
 Fifth-Year Senior **13**
 Defensive Back
 Southfield, Mich.
 Detroit Chadsey H.S.
 Central Michigan

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2001: Was on the roster but did not see any game action. **2000:** Transferred to Wayne State, but did not see any game action. **1999:** Attended Central Michigan University. **1998:** Attended Central Michigan University. **High School:** A 1998 graduate of Detroit Chadsey ... earned three varsity letters for coach Charles Spann ... helped the Explorers to the 1998 league title ... earned honorable mention all-state honors ... named to the *Free Press* All-Detroit team ... selected to the Blue Chip All-America squad ... served as team captain in football, basketball and track ... was the 1997 400-meter champion for the Detroit Public School League ... named honorable mention All-Detroit in basketball. **Personal:** Born May 23, 1980, in Bladensburg, Maryland ... son of Tony Shields and Yolanda Shields-Gilbert ... has one brother, Kenneth (14), and two sisters, Shecmaka (27), and Christina (17) ... full name is Tony C. Shields, Jr. ... majoring in ISP.