



# VANDERBILT GAME NOTES



**2-4, 1-3      1-5, 0-4**

## VANDY-AUBURN KICKOFF INFO

**DATE:** Saturday, Oct. 20, 2012  
**KICKOFF:** 11:21 a.m., CT  
**STADIUM:** Vanderbilt Stadium, Nashville  
**TELEVISION:** SEC Network/ESPN3.com  
 Dave Neal, play-by-play; Andre Ware, color analyst; Cara Capuano, sidelines  
**VANDERBILT RADIO NETWORK:**  
 Flagship – NewsRadio 1510 WLAC  
 Joe Fisher, play-by-play; John Gromos, color analyst; Mitchell Light, sidelines  
**NATIONAL RADIO SIRIUS:** Ch. 82; XM: Ch. 200

## SECOND STRAIGHT SELLOUT EXPECTED IN NASHVILLE

Vanderbilt Stadium will be at capacity when the Commodores host the Auburn Tigers on Saturday. The Auburn game will mark the Commodores' second consecutive home sellout. It's been 16 years since the 'Dores enjoyed consecutive sellouts in Vanderbilt Stadium. The last time it occurred against Notre Dame and Ole Miss in September 1996.

## LIGHT ACCEPTS RADIO SIDELINES ROLE

**Mitchell Light**, a Vanderbilt graduate and co-host of the Commodore radio pregame show, moves into the role of sideline reporter. Light replaces **Kevin Ingram**, who served the Vanderbilt Radio Network for more than a decade. Ingram stepped away from the sideline duties to accept a position doing more college football play-by-play on television.

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## 2012 SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Date	Opponent	Notes
8/30	#9 <b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b> (L, 13-17)	Carolina no longer unbeaten, take close 23-21 loss at LSU
9/8	@ Northwestern (L, 13-23)	Wildcats bowl eligible at 6-1; post 21-13 win at Minnesota
9/15	<b>PRESBYTERIAN</b> (W, 58-0)	Presbyterian falls to 2-5 with Big South loss to Liberty
9/22	@ #5 Georgia (L, 3-48)	5-1 Bulldogs off Saturday, journey to Kentucky this week
9/29	bye	
10/6	@ Missouri (W, 19-15)	Mizzou falls to 3-4 after 42-10 loss to No. 1 Alabama
10/13	#4/#6 <b>FLORIDA</b> (L, 17-31)	Gators make big plays in win over Commodores, move to 6-0
10/20	<b>AUBURN</b> , SEC-TV, 11:21 am	Tigers drop to 1-5 with 41-20 road defeat at Ole Miss
10/27	<b>UMASS</b>	0-6 Minutemen off Saturday, host Bowling Green this week
11/3	@ Kentucky	Wildcats defeated at Arkansas 49-7, fall to 1-6 on season
11/10	@ Ole Miss	Rebels improve to 4-3 with 41-20 home victory over Auburn
11/17	<b>TENNESSEE</b>	Volunteers go to 3-3 after 41-31 loss at Mississippi State
11/24	@ Wake Forest	3-3 Deacons off Saturday, travel to Virginia this week

## COMMODORES LOOK TO SECOND SEC WIN; FACE AUBURN TIGERS ON CAMPUS

### STORYLINES FOR GAME 7

- ★ Running back **Zac Stacy** now second all-time on team's rushing and touchdown charts. - Page 2
- ★ Commodore team and individual notes from last week's game against the Gators. - Page 2
- ★ **Jordan Matthews** and **Chris Boyd** among SEC's most productive receiving duos. - Pages 2, 5
- ★ Twenty Commodores, including four true freshmen, earn first collegiate action. - Page 7
- ★ Comparing 2011-12 Vanderbilt teams: Current squad showing improvement in several areas. - Page 3
- ★ A statistical comparison of Vanderbilt and Auburn through Oct. 13 action. - Page 9
- ★ Recent SEC Specialist of the Week recipient **Richard Kent** continues to impress as punter. - Page 3
- ★ Former LB **Hunter Hillenmeyer** will be 19th former Commodore recognized as SEC Legend. - Page 10

## VANDERBILT, AUBURN QUICK FACTS



	VANDERBILT	AUBURN
Location	Nashville, Tenn.	Auburn, Ala.
Founded	1873	1856
Undergrad Enrollment	6,817	20,078
Conference	Southeastern	Southeastern
Nickname	Commodores	Tigers
Colors	Black & Gold	Orange & Blue
Home Field	Vanderbilt Stadium	Jordan-Hare Stadium
Capacity	40,350	87,451
Field Surface	synthetic	grass
Head Coach	James Franklin (2nd)	Gene Chizik (4th)
Record at School	8-11 (.421)	31-15 (.673)
Career Record	8-11 (.421)	36-34 (.514) 6th overall
Team Website	VUCommodores.com	AuburnTigers.com
Coach's Twitter	@JamesFranklinVU	@CoachGeneChizik
Team Twitter	@vandyfootball	@FootballAU





## SAGARIN RATINGS: 'DORES HAVE FACED THIRD TOUGHEST SCHEDULE

Vanderbilt has faced one of the nation's toughest schedules during the first half of the 2012 season, according to a leading college football statistical service.

Sagarin's College Football Ratings has Vanderbilt's six-game schedule ranked No. 3 among 120 FBS schools. Only new SEC member Missouri and Washington from the PAC-12 have faced tougher slates.

Three of Vanderbilt's six opponents are ranked among the top 11 teams in the initial BCS Poll released Oct. 14: No. 2 Florida, No. 7 South Carolina, No. 11 Georgia. A fourth opponent (Northwestern) is 6-1 and just out of the Top 25.

The combined record of the four teams that have defeated Vanderbilt is 23-3. The record of Vanderbilt's five early-season, bowl eligible opponents is 26-7.

## THE VANDERBILT-AUBURN SERIES

- ★ Meeting Between Schools: 42nd
- ★ Series Record: 20-20-1
- ★ Last Meeting: Vanderbilt 14-Auburn 13 (2008)
- ★ First Meeting: Vanderbilt 10-Auburn 30 (1893)
- ★ Last Meeting in Nashville: Vanderbilt 14-Auburn 13 (2008)
- ★ Vanderbilt Record in Nashville: 11-7
- ★ Longest Vanderbilt Win Streak: 8

## NOTES ON THE AUBURN SERIES

- ★ Vanderbilt's 14-13 victory in 2008 stopped a run of Auburn dominance in the series. Prior to 2008, the Tigers had captured the last 13 games dating back to 1978.
- ★ The 2008 game also featured ESPN's popular College GameDay broadcasting from the Vanderbilt campus.
- ★ Auburn was the opponent in Vanderbilt's first postseason bowl appearances. The Commodores and Tigers met in the 1955 Gator Bowl, with Vanderbilt topping No. 8 Auburn 25-13 in Jacksonville, Fla.
- ★ Vanderbilt controlled the series from World War I to 1950s. The Commodores were 13-3 against the Tigers from 1915 to 1950.
- ★ From 1946-50, Vandy was 5-0 vs. Auburn, with four wins being shutouts.
- ★ All 18 of the games between the teams hosted by Vanderbilt have been played on campus. As the visiting team, the Vanderbilt has played in three different Alabama cities: Montgomery, Birmingham and Auburn.

## ALABAMA RESIDENTS ON VANDY ROSTER

Nine players on the Commodore roster, including five possible starters this week, hail from the state of Alabama.

Only three states are more represented on the Vanderbilt roster: Tennessee and Georgia (19 each) and Florida (13).

The starters from Alabama include the Commodores' top two offensive weapons in RB **Zac Stacy** (Sr., Centreville) and WR **Jordan Matthews** (R-Jr., Madison) and a pair of the team's top tacklers in LB **Chase Garnham** (Jr., Fairhope) and DE **Walker May** (R-Jr., DE). The fifth potential starter is DT **Jared Morse** (Jr., Oxford).

Other 'Dores from the state are WR **Jacquese Kirk** (R-Fr., Jasper), DL **Torey Agee** (Fr., Opelika), LB **Harding Harper** (Fr., Montgomery) and CB **Torren McGaster** (Fr., Daphne).

## STACY REACHES 2,500 CAREER RUSH YARDS

**Zac Stacy** (Sr., RB) moved into second place on two Vanderbilt career rushing charts last Saturday with 86 yards and a touchdowns vs. Florida.

Stacy's 86-yard total pushed him beyond 2,500 career yards and helped the senior surpass Carl Woods (1983-86)

### VANDERBILT CAREER RUSHING LIST

Name	Att.	Yards	Avg.	TDs
1. Frank Mordica, 1976-79	546	2,632	4.8	18
2. <b>Zac Stacy</b> , 2009-	473	2,501	5.3	24
3. Carl Woods, 1983-86	619	2,490	4.0	15

into second place all-time among Commodores with 2,501 rushing yards. He also has 24 career rushing TDs, tied for second on the Vanderbilt lists with former quarterback Marcus Wilson (1989-92) with 24 TDs.

Stacy had 86 yards in 24 carries against the Gators. His TD came on a 1-yard plunge. He also had an apparent 57-yard score nullified by penalty.

Stacy ranks eighth in the SEC with 499 rushing yards on 99 carries. He is averaging 5.0 yards per rush and has the SEC's longest carry of the year – an 86-yarder for TD vs. Presbyterian).

Stacy is currently 132 yards shy of breaking the all-time Vanderbilt rushing record of 2,632 yards held by Frank Mordica (1976-79). He also ranks second in the SEC behind only Marcus

### CAREER RUSHING TDS

Name	Rushing TDs
1. Dean Davidson, RB, 1947-50	26 TDs
T-2. <b>Zac Stacy</b> , RB, 2009-	24 TDs
T-2. Marcus Wilson, QB, 1989-92	24 TDs

Lattimore of South Carolina in career rushing yardage.

Stacy is just three rushing touchdowns of breaking the team mark of 26 TDs held by Dean Davidson (1947-50).

Stacy's 5.3-yard career rushing average easily ranks as the highest among Vanderbilt's Top Ten all-time rushers. He has 73 fewer than Mordica.

Stacy has seven games of 100+ rushing yards in his career.

## MATTHEWS: SEC RECEPTIONS LEADER

**Jordan Matthews** (Jr., WR) has opened the 2012 campaign just as he finished in 2011 – as one of the SEC's most productive receivers.

After catching eight passes for 131 yard and a TD vs. Florida, Matthews' average of 7.2 receptions per game tops the SEC. He has 43 catches on the season. He is also one catch shy of 100 for his career.

Matthews' 102.8 average receiving yards also ranks second in the SEC behind Arkansas' Cobi Hamilton (107.7 ypg.). Matthews has 617 yards on the season.

Matthews opened the year by catching eight passes for 147 yards and a TD vs. South Carolina. He had 118 receiving yards at Georgia, and added eight catches at Northwestern. He also had a 9-reception effort Oct. 6 at Missouri.

Matthews has surpassed 100 receiving yards in six of his last 12 games. During that span, Matthews is averaging 106.7 receiving yards. All of Matthews' 100+yard receiving games have come in SEC action.

Matthews' 147-yard receiving total vs. South Carolina ranks as the program's third highest total in a season opener. The effort vs. South Carolina included a 78-yard TD catch, the team's longest pass play since the Duke game in 2010.

### MATTHEWS' TOP OUTINGS

Rec. Yards	Opponent
170	at Florida, 11/5/2011
151	vs. Arkansas, 10/29/2011
147	vs. South Carolina, 8/30/2012
131	vs. Florida, 10/13/2012
131	vs. Kentucky, 11/12/2011
118	at Georgia, 9/22/2012



## 2012 COMMODORES: SEVERAL AREAS OF IMPROVEMENT OVER 2011 SQUAD

In many ways, the 2-4 Commodores of 2012 are out performing the 2011 Commodores, who were 3-3 at this point of the season en route to an eventual AutoZone Liberty Bowl appearance in Memphis.

A comparison of current NCAA statistics reveals the 2012 'Dores are much improved on offense and close on defense to James Franklin's initial squad in 2011.

The comparison of 2011-12 appears relevant when one considers that the 2012 schedule through six games is arguably tougher than the 2011 slate. This year, Vanderbilt has faced three Top Ten teams and two others that went to bowls; in 2011, the Commodores faced three Top 25 ranked teams and two teams experiencing subpar campaigns midway through the season.

The 2012 Vanderbilt offense is performing at a much improved level than a year ago. The unit is producing 103.9 more yards of total offense per game, including 87.4 passing and 16.4 rushing, and 5.3 more first downs. The 1.2-point decrease in scoring also is slightly slanted because the 2011 Commodore defense produced three early-season scores while the current unit has a lone turnover for TD this year.

The youthful Commodore defense is performing close to the 2011 unit that ranked among the SEC's top six in virtually every category. The defense is allowing fewer first downs and virtually the same amount of points as a year ago. The average total defense is 21.9 yards higher, with opponents getting far less passing yards and more rushing yards than in 2011.

The most glaring difference in the squads is turnovers. The 2012 unit has committed one more turnover than it has forced. In 2011, Vanderbilt had forced two more turnovers than the squad had committed.

## PREP TEAMMATES TO SQUARE OFF

Five Commodores will face prep teammates when Vanderbilt hosts Auburn.

- **Torey Agee** (Fr., DL) attended Opelika H.S. near Auburn with Auburn's Corey Grant (So., RB).
- **Ja'karri Thomas** (Fr., LB) and Auburn's T.J. Davis (Fr., DB) were classmates and defensive teammates at Godby H.S. in Tallahassee, Fla.
- **Jared Morse** (Jr., DT) attended Oxford (Ala.) H.S. with a pair of Tigers, Chandler Shakespeare (Jr., RB).
- **Grant Ramsay** (R-So., OL) attended Pope (Ga.) H.S. north of Atlanta with Auburn's Alex Kviklyls (R-Fr., PK).
- **Jake Sealand** (Fr., LB) was a teammate at Tucker H.S. in Atlanta with Auburn's Justin Garrett (So., LB).

## KENT AMONG SEC'S TOP PUNTER

Fifth-year senior punter **Richard Kent** continues to perform at an All-Southeastern Conference level. And there's no other league in the NCAA that approaches the punting quality witnessed in the SEC.

Kent averaged 44.6 yards on five punts against Florida. Three of his attempts landed inside the Gators' 20-yard line.

Kent was recognized as the SEC's Co-Specialist of the Week Oct. 6 for his performance against Missouri.

Kent is enjoying one of the finest seasons ever by a Vanderbilt punter, averaging 45.1 yards in his final season. Though Kent's average would rank among the best seasons ever by a Commodore, he currently ranks fifth in the SEC. Florida sophomore Kyle Christy tops the conference with a 46.4-yard average.

The SEC is loaded with punters. Five of the NCAA's top 18 punters hail from the conference.

Kent's net punting average of 42.8 yards also ranks among the NCAA leaders. Opponents have returned just nine of Kent's 31 punts this season, totalling 68 yards.

Kent has nine punts of 50 yards or more, including a 67-yarder at Northwestern which ranks as the SEC's third longest punt this season. While 39% of his punts have landed inside the opponent 20-yard line, just two have been touchbacks.

A former walk-on, Kent has been remarkably consistent as a three-year starter. He has placed at least one punt inside the opponent's 20-yard line in 13 straight games, and 30 of 31 career appearances. He has also boomed punts of 48 or more yards in 13 consecutive games.

## HAND, PELTON COACHED TOGETHER

Vanderbilt offensive line mentor **Herb Hand** and Auburn defensive line coach **Mike Pelton** coached together on the 2010 Commodore squad.

Both Hand and Pelton were new to the Vanderbilt program in 2010, having joined Robbie Caldwell's staff from the University of Tulsa and Iowa State, respectively.

Hand was the only coach off the 2010 Commodore staff hired by James Franklin after he accepted the Vanderbilt job in December 2010.

## CONSISTENT STARTING ROTATION ON DEFENSE

Nine 'Dore defensive players have earned starting assignments in Vanderbilt's first six games.

The list includes **Rob Lohr** (R-Sr., DT), **Johnell Thomas** (R-Sr., DE), **Walker May** (R-Jr., DE), **Chase Garnham** (Jr., LB), **Archibald Barnes** (R-Sr., LB), **Karl Butler** (Jr., LB), **Trey Wilson** (Sr., CB), **Andre Hal** (Jr., CB) and **Javon Marshall** (R-Jr., safety).

On offense, seven players have started every game: **Zac Stacy** (Sr., RB), **Ryan Seymour** (R-Sr., OG), **Josh Jelesky** (R-Sr., OG), **Wesley Johnson** (R-Jr., OT), **Andrew Bridges** (R-So., OT), **Jordan Matthews** (Jr., WR) and **Chris Boyd**. (R-So., WR).

### 2011-12 STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

Category	2012 Avg.	2011 Avg.	Diff.
Record	2-4	3-3	-1
Scoring Offense	20.5	21.7	-1.2
Total Offense	365.7	261.8	+103.9
Pass Offense	216.7	129.3	+87.4
Rush Offense	149.0	132.5	+16.5
First Downs	18.0	12.8	+5.3
Scoring Defense	22.3	21.7	-0.6
Total Defense	351.7	329.8	-21.9
First Downs Allowed	17.7	17.8	+1
Turnover Margin	-1	+2	-3
Time of Possession	30:19	27:13	+3:06
3rd Down Conv. % (Off.)	28%	21%	+7%
3rd Down Conv. % (Def.)	33%	42%	+9%
QB Sacks	10	11	-1
QB Sacks Allowed	16	18	+2

*This comparison is thru six games of the 2011 & 2012 seasons.*

### SEC'S TOP PUNTERS

Name, Team	Punt Avg.
1. Kyle Christy, Florida	46.4 yards
2. Dylan Breeding, Arkansas	46.3 yards
3. Ryan Epperson, Texas A&M	45.2 yards
4. <b>Richard Kent</b> , Vanderbilt	45.1 yards

### THE ALL-TIME VANDERBILT LIST

Name, Team	Punt Avg.
1. Ricky Anderson, 1984	48.2 yards
2. Bill Marinangel, 1996	46.6 yards
3. Jim Arnold, 1982	45.8 yards
4. <b>Richard Kent</b> , 2012	45.1 yards
5. Jim Arnold, 1980	44.2 yards

*Note: Anderson, Marinangel and Arnold named All-Americans*





## EIGHT VANDERBILT TEAM CAPTAINS

Eight veterans, including three offensive contributors and four defensive players, will serve as team captains for the upcoming season. The group represents both the junior and senior classes.



**BARNES**

**ARCHIBALD BARNES** ..... **R-Sr. • LB**

Ranks fourth on team with 34 tackles. Played in all 13 games in 2011, setting career highs in solo tackles (37), total tackles (59), TFLs (4.5), sacks (two) and INTs (two).



**JOHNSON**

**WESLEY JOHNSON** ..... **R-Jr. • OL**

Team's offensive lineman of the year in 2011, starting at center, guard and tackle while playing nearly every snap. Has currently started 31 consecutive games.



**MARSHALL**

**JAVON MARSHALL** ..... **R-Jr. • Safety**

Leads team lead with 29 solo tackles and ranks third with 32 total tackles. Shared starting safety role in 2011, playing in all 13 games despite injury and making 42 total tackles and grabbing two picks.



**MAY**

**WALKER MAY** ..... **R-Jr. • DE**

Has 14 tackles, including 3.5 for losses, and a QB sack. Started eight games in 2011, including the last seven games, making 30 tackles and 4.5 tackles for loss.



**SPEAR**

**CAREY SPEAR** ..... **Jr. • PK**

Enjoying solid season, hitting 10-of-13 field goals, including every attempt inside 45 yards. He is the only returning captain among the eight players.



**RODGERS**

**JORDAN RODGERS** ..... **R-Sr. • QB**

Has passed for 1,068 yards and three TDs this year. Played in all 13 games in 2011, starting seven, while going 108-216 passing for 1,524 yards and nine TDs.



**STACY**

**ZAC STACY** ..... **Sr. • RB**

Leads team with 499 rushing yards and 4 TDs on 99 carries (5.0-yard avg.). Team's leading rusher and offensive MVP in 2011, going for 1,193 yards and 14 TDs, earning All-SEC honors.



**THOMAS**

**JOHNELL THOMAS** ..... **R-Sr. • DE**

Has contributed 17 total tackles this year, including two stops resulting in losses. Played in all 13 games in 2011 while starting five, making 26 total tackles and five sacks.

## ATTENDANCE UP AT VANDERBILT

The Commodores have played before one sellout and the largest crowd for a home opener in more than a decade during James Franklin's second year on campus.

The program also expects to play before a second consecutive capacity crowd Saturday when the Commodores host Auburn.

In three home dates, the Commodores are averaging 38,078 fans. In those games, Vanderbilt Stadium has been at 94.4 percent of capacity.

An announced audience of 38,393 cheered for the Commodores in home opener against South Carolina on Aug. 30. It was the largest crowd to view a season opener in Vanderbilt Stadium since 39,885 fans entered the turnstiles to watch MTSU-Vanderbilt on Aug. 30, 2001.

The capacity crowd of 40,350 at the Florida-Vanderbilt game also was the program's first sellout since November 2008.

About 35,000 attended Vandy's road shutout of Presbyterian on Sept. 15.

## COMMODORES HONOR SNEDEKER AT FLORIDA GAME

The Commodores honored 2012 PGA Tour FedEx Cup champion and Vanderbilt alum **Brandt Snedeker** during the Florida game.

Snedeker captured the FedEx Cup by winning the season-ending Tour Championship. Snedeker's late-season finish earned him a captain's pick on the U.S. Ryder Cup squad. One of Snedeker's Ryder Cup teammates was former Auburn standout **Jason Dufner**.

## ACTIVE CAREER STATISTICAL LEADERS

Category	Team Leaders	Career Totals
Total Offense	J. Rodgers/Z. Stacy	3,045/2,803
Total TDs	Z. Stacy/W. Norman	24/12
Rushing Yards	Z. Stacy/W. Norman	2,501/1,275
Rushing Attempts	Z. Stacy/W. Norman	473/232
Rushing TDs	Z. Stacy/W. Norman	24/8
Passing Yards	J. Rodgers/Carta-Samuels	2,592/208
Pass Attempts	J. Rodgers/Carta-Samuels	350/22
Completions	J. Rodgers/Carta-Samuels	182/14
Passing TDs	J. Rodgers/Carta-Samuels	12/1
Receptions	J. Matthews/J. Cole	99/65
Receiving Yards	J. Matthews/C. Boyd	1,581/878
Receiving TDs	J. Matthews/C. Boyd	12/8
Punt Return Yards	J. Krause/J. Cole	234/196
Kick Return Yards	W. Norman/A. Hal	1,608/1,144
Total Tackles	K. Ladler/A. Barnes	152/119
Solo Tackles	K. Ladler/A. Barnes	107/72
Tackles for Loss	R. Lohr/W. May	22.0/14.0
Quarterback Sacks	R. Lohr/W. May	10.5/5.5
Interceptions	E. Foster-Wilson (tie)	4 each
Forced Fumbles	A. Barnes/J. Marshall	5/3
Fumbles Recovered	Samuels/May-Clarke-Butler (tie)	3/2
Passes Defended	T. Wilson/K. Ladler	14/13
Career Starts (Pos.)	W. Johnson-R. Lohr (tie)	31
Consec. Starts (Pos.)	W. Johnson-R. Lohr (tie)	31





## MATTHEWS, BOYD: SEC'S MOST PRODUCTIVE RECEIVING DUO

**Jordan Matthews** (Jr.) and **Chris Boyd** (R-So.) rank as the Southeastern Conference's top receiving duo.

Combined, Matthews and Boyd are averaging 170.3 receiving yards per game. Following the Commodore receivers are Arkansas' Cobi Hamilton and TE Chris Gragg (166.2 ypg), Texas A&M's Mike Evans and Ryan Swope (141.3 ypg) and Tennessee's Justin Hunter and Cordarrelle Patterson (135.3 ypg).

Matthews, the No. 1 receiver in the SEC in catches, ranks second in the league with a 102.8-yard receiving average.

Boyd also ranks No. 8 in the SEC with a 67.5-yard average.

In SEC games, Matthews tops the league with a 122.0-receiving yard average, 37 yards more than the No. 2 receiver (Arkansas' Hamilton).

Matthews and Boyd both topped 100 receiving yards at Georgia on Sept. 22, becoming just the eighth Vandy duo to ever accomplish the feat.

### SEC'S TOP FIVE RECEIVING DUOS

Team	SEC Duo	Combined Rec. Yards (ypg)
Vanderbilt	Jordan Matthews, Chris Boyd	170.3
Arkansas	Cobi Hamilton, Chris Gragg	166.2
Texas A&M	Mike Evans, Ryan Swope	141.3
Tennessee	Justin Hunter, Cordarrelle Patterson	135.3

### MULTIPLE 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

Player, Receiving Yards	Game, Year
J. Matthews, 119; C. Boyd, 110	Georgia, 2012
E. Bennett, 157; M. White, 121	Florida, 2006
B. Smith, 160; M. White, 118	Tennessee, 2004
D. Stricker 204, R. Williams 102	Kentucky, 2001
K. Edwards, 147; C. Scott 113	Kentucky, 1984
P. Roach, 144; C. Scott, 118	Tennessee, 1982
A. Matthews, 177; N. Jordan, 101	Tennessee, 1911
A. Matthews, 118; W. Buggs 102	Miss. State, 1981

## FRANKLIN IN YEAR 2: EIGHT WINS TO DATE

Head Coach **James Franklin**, after becoming the first coach to lead the Commodores to a bowl game in his first season, has a chance to enjoy one of the most successful two-year starts to a career in program history.

With eight wins under his belt, Franklin already has more victories in his first two seasons than any Vanderbilt head coach since **Gerry DiNardo** (9 wins, 1991-92).

### MOST WINS THRU TWO YEARS BY VU HEAD COACH

Coach	Seasons	Record
Dan McGugin	1904-05	16-1
Bill Edwards	1949-50	12-9
Steve Sloan	1973-74	12-9-2
Red Sanders	1940-41	11-8-1
Gerry DiNardo	1991-92	9-13
Fred Pancoast	1975-76	9-13
<b>JAMES FRANKLIN</b>	2011-12	8-11
Bill Pace	1967-68	7-11-2
Doby Bartling	1944-45	6-6-1
Woody Widenhofer	1997-98	5-17
Watson Brown	1986-87	5-17
Art Guepe	1953-54	5-14
Jack Green	1963-64	4-13-3
Rod Dowhower	1995-96	4-18
Bobby Johnson	2002-03	4-20
George MacIntyre	1979-80	3-19

## ACTIVE PLAYER PARTICIPATION

Player	Pos.	2012		Career		Consecutive	
		Games Played	2012 Starts	Games Played	Career Starts	Career Starts	Career Starts
Caleb Azubike	DE	6	-	6	-	-	-
Robby Barbieri	LB	1	-	4	-	-	-
Archibald Barnes	LB	6	6	42	15	15	15
Jake Bernstein	OL	5	-	5	-	-	-
Chris Boyd	WR	6	6	19	14	13	13
Andrew Bridges	OL	6	6	19	11	10	10
Darien Bryant	DE	4	-	4	-	-	-
Karl Butler	LB	6	6	31	6	6	6
Austyn Carta-Samuels	QB	2	1	2	1	-	-
Steven Clarke	CB	5	-	29	-	-	-
John Cole	WR	4	-	30	21	-	-
Barron Dixon	DT	6	-	14	-	-	-
Andrew East	SN	6	-	19	-	-	-
Eddie Foster	CB	6	-	43	16	-	-
Ryan Fowler	PK	3	-	36	28	-	-
Larry Franklin	LB	6	-	6	-	-	-
Chase Garnham	LB	6	6	29	14	6	6
Josh Grady	WR	6	-	6	-	-	-
Josh Gregory	DB	2	-	2	-	-	-
Andre Hal	CB	6	5	31	8	6	6
Conor Hart	DT	3	-	3	-	-	-
Darreon Herring	LB	6	-	6	-	-	-
Casey Hughes	S	6	-	6	-	-	-
Wesley Johnson	OL	6	6	31	31	31	31
Josh Jelesky	OL	6	6	40	11	11	11
Richard Kent	P	6	6	31	31	31	31
Kris Kentera	TE	5	4	5	4	3	3
Brian Kimbrow	RB	6	-	6	-	-	-
Derek King	CB	5	-	5	-	-	-
Jacquese Kirk	WR	2	-	2	-	-	-
Jonathan Krause	WR	6	5	31	11	1	1
Kenny Ladler	S	5	5	30	21	3	3
Fitz Lassing	FB	6	-	29	4	-	-
James Lewis	OL	1	-	1	-	-	-
Rob Lohr	DT	6	6	43	31	31	31
Javon Marshall	S	6	6	25	13	7	7
Jordan Matthews	WR	6	6	31	18	9	9
Walker May	DE	6	6	26	15	13	13
Jahmel McIntosh	S	5	-	5	-	-	-
Austin Monahan	TE	5	-	38	13	-	-
Jared Morse	DT	6	2	27	2	2	2
Colt Nichter	DT	5	4	34	20	-	-
Warren Norman	RB	4	-	24	13	-	-
Marc Panu	FB	6	-	28	-	-	-
Trent Pruitt	WR	4	-	7	-	-	-
Spencer Pulley	OL	4	4	12	4	2	2
Jordan Rodgers	QB	5	5	18	12	3	3
Eric Samuels	S	6	1	38	1	-	-
Steven Scheu	TE	5	3	5	3	-	-
Jake Sealand	LB	2	-	2	-	-	-
Jerron Seymour	RB	-	-	13	-	-	-
Ryan Seymour	OL	6	6	39	28	8	8
Jimmy Stewart	DE	4	-	4	-	-	-
Carey Spear	PK	6	6	31	15	6	6
Zac Stacy	RB	6	6	38	26	19	19
Wesley Tate	WR	6	-	30	4	-	-
Vince Taylor	DT	6	-	18	-	-	-
Johnell Thomas	DE	6	6	39	11	6	6
Joe Townsend	OL	6	2	12	2	-	-
John Townsley	QB	1	-	1	-	-	-
Dillon van der Wal	TE	4	-	16	-	-	-
Chase White	OL	6	-	18	4	-	-
Kellen Williams	LB	4	-	4	-	-	-
Andrew Williamson	S	6	-	6	-	-	-
Trey Wilson	CB	6	6	43	20	19	19
Kyle Woestmann	DE	6	-	19	-	-	-





## NOTES FROM THE FLORIDA GAME

★ **Chris Boyd** (R-So., WR) pushed his Southeastern Conference lead in yards per catch with a 37-yarder in the first quarter to spark Vanderbilt's first touchdown.

Boyd, second among Commodores with 19 receptions, is averaging 21.3 per catch during his second season as a starter. The 37-yarder allowed Boyd to expand his yards per catch lead over Georgia's Tavarres King, who did not play Saturday and averages 19.0 yards. They are followed by LSU's Odell Beckham (17.5 yards), Mississippi State's Chad Bumphis (16.7 yards) and Arkansas' Cobi Hamilton (16.4 yards).

Boyd also ranks 8th in the SEC with 405 receiving yards.

Boyd's receiving teammate, **Jordan Matthews** (Jr., WR) topped the SEC last year with a 19.1-yard average.

★ **Archibald Barnes** (R-Sr., LB) set a single-game career high with 12 total tackles against the Gators. The performance included five solo tackles.

Barnes' tackle total is a season high for the Commodore defense, bettering the 11-tackle tally by **Kenny Ladler** (Jr., safety) against Georgia.

★ Vanderbilt's 23 first downs were the most this season against a Southeastern Conference opponent.

★ **Wesley Tate** (R-Jr., RB) put together his best rushing performance as a Commodore. Tate demonstrated the powerful, down-hill rushing style that coaches witnessed last spring when he was moved from receiver.

Tate finished with 66 yards on 10 carries, including a 20-yard rush after intermission.

★ **Jordan Rodgers** (R-Sr., QB) set a season high with 237 passing yards, and matched another with 17 completions. Though he connected with **Jordan Matthews** for eight passes, Rodgers also hit seven other Commodores.

Rodgers has enjoyed success against Florida. In two starts against the Gators, Rodgers is 36-of-59 for 533 yards and three TDs.

★ A 1:03 stretch late in the third quarter hurt Vanderbilt's best chances to upset the No. 4 Gators.

Trailing 11-7, the Commodores marched the second half kickoff to the 76 yards inside the Florida 10-yard line. Facing a 2nd & 4 from the Gator 7-yard line, the 'Dores lost nearly 20 yards due to a penalty and quarterback sack. On fourth down, Florida then blocked a Vanderbilt field goal attempt from 44 yards, denying the Commodores points after a 16-play drive that lasted more than ten minutes.

Five plays after the field goal block, Florida used a successful fake punt to push its lead to 18-7.

★ **Jordan Matthews** (Jr., WR) has posted remarkable numbers against the Gators. In two starts, he has accumulated 17 catches, 291 receiving yards and 2 TDs. In 2011, he set single-game career highs of nine catches and 170 receiving yards at Florida.

As a freshman in 2010, Matthews also caught the first of 12 career touchdown receptions vs. Florida.

★ **Steven Scheu** (R-Fr., TE) was the team's second leading receiver behind **Jordan Matthews** with three catches, good for 21 yards. Both totals represent career highs for the first-year tight end.

★ **Zac Stacy** (R-Sr., RB) surpassed 20 carries for the second consecutive game. He had 24 rushes against the Gators after a 29-carry effort in Vanderbilt's win at Missouri Oct. 6.

It marks just the second time in Stacy's career that he had at least 20 carries in consecutive games. Stacy did so previously in his first two games as a Commodore, as a true freshman in 2009.

★ **Kenny Ladler** (Jr., safety) posted seven tackles and contributed his first forced fumble of the season. Ladler leads the Commodores with 42 total tackles.

★ While Vanderbilt is doing a good job preventing turnovers, they are struggling to produce miscues. The Commodores' lone turnover – a fumble by scrambling quarterback **Jordan Rodgers** – proved to be the game's only turnover.

★ Junior **Karl Butler** continues to play well at outside linebacker. Butler had five tackles, including the first quarterback sack as a Commodore.

A first-year starter, Butler is enjoying a break-through season. His 29 total tackles and 18 solo stops – both single-season career highs – rank among the team's top five performers.

★ The Commodores ran 23 more offensive plays, posted eight more first downs and enjoyed a 6:20 advantage in time of possession against the Gators.

★ Vanderbilt showed across-the-board improvement in third down conversions. Their 41 percent conversion rate (7-of-17) marked a season best in SEC competition. The Commodore defense also limited Florida to just 2-of-11 third down conversions.

★ While **Carey Spear** (PK, Jr.) is having an excellent year for the Commodores (10-of-13 in FGs), opposing kickers are even more impressive. Opponents are 10-of-10 in field goals against the Commodores, including a 3-of-3 effort by Florida senior Caleb Sturgis.

### SEC: YARDS PER CATCH

Player, Team	Yards Per Catch
<b>CHRIS BOYD</b> , Vanderbilt	21.3
Tavarres King, Georgia	19.0
Odell Beckham, LSU	17.5
Chad Bumphis, Miss. State	16.7
Cobi Hamilton, Arkansas	16.4

### RUSHING YARDS BY SENIOR

Player, Year	Yards
1. Corey Harris, 1991	1,103
2. Jamie O'Rourke, 1974	933
3. Doug Matthews, 1969	849
4. Frank Mordica, 1979	830
5. Tom Moore, 1959	676
6. Lew Thomas, 2001	675
7. Herb Rich, 1949	668
8. Everett Crawford, 1987	621
9. Tony Jackson, 1993	607
10. Rodney Williams, 2001	590
<b>ZAC STACY</b> , 2012	499

### PASSING YARDS BY SENIOR

Player, Year	Yards
1. Jay Cutler, 2005	3,073
2. Eric Jones, 1988	2,548
3. Greg Zolman, 2001	2,512
4. Whit Taylor, 1982	2,481
5. Kurt Page, 1984	2,405
6. John Gromos, 1989	1,744
7. Damian Allen, 1997	1,544
8. David Lee, 1974	1,173
9. <b>JORDAN RODGERS</b> , 2012	1,068
10. Marcus Wilson, 1992	1,030

### RECEPTIONS BY JUNIOR

Player, Year	Yards
1. Keith Edwards, 1983	97
2. Earl Bennett, 2007	75
3. Chuck Scott, 1983	70
4. Brad Gaines, 1988	67
5. Dan Stricker, 2001	65
6. Allama Matthews, 1981	50
7. Norman Jordan, 1981	49
8. Curt Chesley, 1969	44
9. <b>JORDAN MATTHEWS</b> , 2012	43
10. Ernie Goolsby, 1981	42

### CAREER SCORING

Player, Years	Total Points
1. Bryant Hahnfeldt, PK, 2005-08	255
2. John Markham, PK, 1997-2000	209
3. Ricky Anderson, PK, 1981-84	192
4. Johnny Clark, PK, 1986-89	165
5. Dean Davidson, RB, 1947-50	156
6. Mike Woodard, 1978-81	152
7. Jack Jenkins, RB/PK, 1940-42	147
8. Marcus Wilson, QB, 1989-92	146
9. <b>ZAC STACY</b> , RB, 2009-12	144
10. Charley Horton, RB, 1952-55	133

## AGEE SON OF FORMER AUBURN STANDOUT

Vanderbilt's **Torey Agee** (Fr., DL) is the son of former Auburn offensive back **Tommy Agee**, regarded as a top blocking fullback during both college and NFL careers.

Two legendary running backs benefited from Agee's blocks: Heisman Trophy winner Bo Jackson at Auburn and NFL all-time leading rusher Emmitt Smith with the Dallas Cowboys.





## EIGHT 'DORES BECOME FIRST-TIME STARTERS

Eight Commodore players have earned their first career starts during the first five games of 2012.

Five offensive players have enjoyed their initial starting assignments. **Austyn Carta-Samuels** (R-Jr., QB) started against Presbyterian. A pair of sophomores, **Joe Townsend** and **Spencer Pulley**, have both started twice on the offensive line at center. Two redshirt freshmen, **Kris Kentera** and **Steven Scheu**, have started at tight end.

Three defensive players have witnessed first starts: **Eric Samuels**, (Sr., safety), **Karl Butler** (R-Jr., LB) and **Jared Morse**, (Jr., DT).

## FOUR COMMODORE FRESHMEN HAVE PLAYED

Linebacker **Jake Sealand** became the fourth true freshmen have seen action for the Commodores this season when he contributed in the victory at Missouri Oct. 6.

Other freshmen to contribute are defensive end **Caleb Azubike**, linebacker **Darreon Herring** and running back **Brian Kimbrow**.

Azubike shares the team high with a pair of quarterback sacks. Herring has posted 12 tackles and Kimbrow ranks second on the team with 185 rushing yards and has averaged 21.5 yards as a kick returner. Sealand has four tackle and a forced fumble.

## TWENTY FIRST-TIME CONTRIBUTORS THIS SEASON

Twenty underclassmen have experienced their initial action in a Commodore uniform midway through the 2012 season.

First-time defensive players include **Caleb Azubike** (Fr., DE), **Darien Bryant** (R-Fr., DE), **Larry Franklin** (R-Fr., LB), **Josh Gregory** (R-Fr., DB), **Conor Hart** (R-Fr., DT), **Darreon Herring** (Fr., LB), **Derek King** (R-Fr., DB), **Jahmel McIntosh** (R-Fr., safety), **Jake Sealand** (Fr., LB), **Jimmy Stewart** (R-Fr., DE), **Kellen Williams** (R-Fr., LB) and **Andrew Williamson** (R-Fr., safety).

First-time players on offense are **Jake Bernstein** (Fr., OL), **Josh Grady** (R-Fr., WR), **Kris Kentera** (R-Fr., TE), **Brian Kimbrow** (Fr., RB), **Jacquese Kirk** (R-Fr., WR), **James Lewis** (R-Fr., OL), **Steven Scheu** (R-Fr., TE) and **John Townsley** (R-Jr., QB).

Pulley, Kentera and Scheu have also earned starting assignments.

## VANDERBILT RESULTS IN NON-SEC ACTION

Vanderbilt has registered victories in five of its last six regular season games against non-SEC opponents.

Vanderbilt has defeated Presbyterian at home (58-0, Sept. 15) and lost at Northwestern (13-23, Sept. 8) in non-conference games this year. The team has two non-SEC games remaining: vs. Massachusetts on Oct. 27 and at Wake Forest on Nov. 24.

The Commodores fell to Northwestern on Sept. 8 in their first non-SEC game of the year.

In 2011, the 'Dores went 4-0 in regular season, non-SEC play during James Franklin's first year at Vanderbilt. It marked the first time since 1994 for Vanderbilt to register an unblemished out-of-conference regular season.

### COMMODORES IN NON-SEC ACTION OVER LAST DECADE

Year	Non-SEC Opponents (result)
2012	Northwestern (L), Presbyterian (W), Massachusetts, Wake Forest
2011	Elon (W), UConn (W), Army (W), Wake Forest (W), Cincinnati (L)
2010	Northwestern (L), UConn (L), E. Michigan (W), Wake Forest (L)
2009	Western Carolina (W), Rice (W), Army (L), Ga. Tech (L)
2008	Miami OH (W), Rice (W), Duke (L), Wake Forest (L), Boston Coll. (W)
2007	Richmond (W), E. Michigan (W), Miami OH (W) Wake Forest (L)
2006	Michigan (L), Tennessee State (W), Temple (W)
2005	Wake Forest (W), Richmond (W), Middle Tennessee (L)
2004	Navy (L), Rutgers (L), Eastern Kentucky (W)
2003	Chattanooga (W), TCU (L), Georgia Tech (L), Navy (L)
2002	Georgia Tech (L), Furman (W), Middle Tenn. (L), Connecticut (W)

## VANDERBILT'S RECORD WHEN...

Playing at home .....	1-2
Playing on the road .....	1-2
Playing during the day .....	1-0
Playing at night .....	1-4
Vandy facing SEC opponent .....	1-3
Vandy facing non-SEC opponent .....	1-1
Vanderbilt scores on first possession .....	1-1
Opponent scores on first possession .....	1-2
Vanderbilt scores first .....	1-2
Opponent scores first .....	1-2
Vanderbilt leads after 1st quarter .....	1-2
Opponent leads after 1st quarter .....	1-2
Teams are tied after 1st quarter .....	0-0
Vanderbilt leads at halftime .....	2-1
Opponent leads at halftime .....	0-2
Teams are tied at halftime .....	0-1
Vanderbilt leads after 3rd quarter .....	1-2
Opponent leads after 3rd quarter .....	0-2
Teams are tied after 3rd quarter .....	1-0
Vanderbilt has more total yards .....	1-1
Opponent has more total yards .....	1-3
Vanderbilt has more rushing yards .....	1-0
Opponent has more rushing yards .....	1-4
Vanderbilt has more passing yards .....	1-3
Opponent has more passing yards .....	1-1
Vanderbilt has more turnovers .....	0-3
Opponent has more turnovers .....	1-1
Teams have equal turnovers .....	1-0
Vanderbilt has more penalties .....	0-1
Opponent has more penalties .....	1-2
Teams have equal penalties .....	1-1
Vanderbilt has more time of possession .....	2-1
Opponent has more time of possession .....	0-3
Vanderbilt has 100-yard rusher .....	1-0
Opponent has 100-yard rusher .....	0-4
Vanderbilt scores at least 20 points .....	1-0
Vanderbilt scores less than 20 points .....	1-4
Opponent scores at least 20 points .....	0-2
Opponent scores less than 20 points .....	2-2
Playing on natural grass .....	0-2
Playing on artificial surface .....	2-2
Vanderbilt defense scores .....	1-0
Opponent defense scores .....	0-0
Vanderbilt special teams score .....	0-0
Opponent special teams score .....	0-0

## VANDY-SOUTH CAROLINA: BIG TV RATINGS

The August 30th season opener between Vanderbilt and South Carolina game notched superb TV ratings for ESPN.

The game was ESPN's most watched Thursday night game since 1998, earning a 3.0 national rating (average of 4.13 million viewers). It also was ESPN's most viewed Thursday season opener since 1994.





# COACH JAMES FRANKLIN & HIS VANDERBILT STAFF



## FRANKLIN'S STAFF

### JOHN DONOVAN OFFENSIVE COORD./BACKS

Helped Zac Stacy put together one of the best seasons in program history in 2011, as the junior earned All-SEC honors by rushing for 1,193 yards and 14 touchdowns... Joined Franklin in coming from Maryland...Graduate of Johns Hopkins.

### BOB SHOOP DEFENSIVE COORD./SAFETIES

Former head coach at Columbia... Helped Vanderbilt defense improve more than any SEC unit in 2011, ranking 18th nationally in total defense and pass defense... Came from four-year stint guiding superb defenses at William & Mary.

### CHARLES BANKINS SPECIAL TEAMS COORD./TEs

Coached at NFL, college and prep levels... Worked two years at Maryland with Franklin... Coached Richard Kent to a career year in punting in 2011 (42.5 yds/punt)... Special teams had 96-yard kickoff return for TD and 35-yard pass play on fake punt to keep Vanderbilt in game versus Georgia.

### GEORGE BARLOW

#### DEF. RECRUITING COORD./SECONDARY

Started 2011 as New Mexico's defensive coordinator before being named interim head coach after fourth game ... Helped Lobos' Carmen messina break WAC's career tackles record at 454 total tackles ... Was an all-conference safety at Marshall

### JOSH GATTIS OFF. RECRUITING COORD./WRs

First year at Vanderbilt after spending 2011 at Western Michigan ... Helped WMU's Jordan White have the best season in program history in 2011, making 140 catches for 1,911 yards ... Two-time All-ACC player at Wake Forest.

### HERB HAND OFFENSIVE LINE

Longest-tenured coach on staff (2010)... Saw the 2011 offensive line be the only SEC team to capture three SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week awards ... Line helped 'Dores add 25.8 yards per game over 2010.

### BRENT PRY CO-DEF. COORD./LINEBACKERS

Son of a college coach... Coached defense at East Stroudsburg when Franklin was standout QB... Helps develop first-year starting LBs Archibald Barnes and Chase Garnham in 2011.

### RICKY RAHNE QUARTERBACKS

Cornell grad... Mentored both Larry Smith and Jordan Rodgers as starters in 2011 ... Helped Smith increase completion percentage to 55%, while Rodgers threw at least one TD pass in every start... Now mentoring a third QB starter in junior Austyn Carta-Samuels.

### SEAN SPENCER DEFENSIVE LINE

Coached Tim Fugger to All-SEC honors in 2011 before Fugger was drafted by the Colts... Emotional mentor who encourages players to attack like "wild African dogs"... Has worked with three finalists for Buchanan Award, given to top defensive player in FCS classification.

## THE FRANKLIN FILE

**AGE:** 40

**CAREER RECORD:** 8-11 (second season)

**ALMA MATER:** East Stroudsburg (Pa.) University; Playing career – 1991-94

**DEGREE:** Bachelor's: Psychology, East Stroudsburg, 1995

Master's: Educational Leadership, Washington State, 1999

**FAMILY:** Wife, Fumi; daughters: Addy and Shola

**FRANKLIN ON TWITTER:** @JamesFranklinVU

## FRANKLIN'S CAREER AT A GLANCE

### 2011-12 VANDERBILT (head coach)

Guides Commodores to 6-6 regular record and appearance in AutoZone Liberty Bowl in first year... Team shows vast improvement, ranking as the SEC's most improved offense and defense... Wins five home games, most by Vanderbilt in more than a decade... Four players earned postseason recognition, including defensive back Casey Hayward (All-America by Walter Camp Foundation) and team rushing record setter Zac Stacy... Builds enthusiasm among fan base and works non-stop growing support for program on campus and in the community... Excites fans after the season by inking strong signing class of prep recruits... In 2012, helps drive offseason season ticket sales to substantial increases over four previous years... Earns first road victory against Southeastern Conference rival when Commodores win at Missouri.

### 2008-10 MARYLAND (assistant head coach/offensive coordinator/QBs)

On December 23, 2007, Ralph Friedgen sways Franklin back to Maryland as the Terps' assistant head coach and offensive coordinator. In February 2009, Friedgen designates Franklin as his successor at Maryland... The Terrapins go 9-4 overall in 2010, finishing second in the ACC's Atlantic Division and winning the Military Bowl... Quarterback Danny O'Brien earns ACC Rookie of the Year and Freshman All-America honors under Franklin's mentorship, ranking third nationally among freshmen in pass efficiency rating... O'Brien throws for 22 touchdowns against only eight picks after becoming the team's starter in Week Four... Franklin's 2010 offense ranks among the nation's best in limiting turnovers... Torrey Smith also flourishes in 2010, catching 67 passes for 1,055 yards to earn first-team All-ACC honors... For the fourth time in his career, Franklin also is honored as a Top 25 recruiter by Rivals.com for helping to secure a class that included a number of four-star athletes... In 2008, the Terps defeat four ranked teams en route to a win in the Humanitarian Bowl to cap an 8-5 record. Terp WR Darrius Heyward-Bey becomes No. 9 overall pick of the 2009 NFL Draft.

### 2006-07 KANSAS STATE (offensive coordinator/quarterbacks)

As K-State's offensive coordinator, Franklin helps the Wildcats to a 7-6 record in 2006, including a 45-42 win over No. 4 Texas. Kansas State also plays in the Texas Bowl, its first postseason appearance in three years... In 2007, under Franklin's guidance, K-State offense becomes first in team history to feature a 3,000-yard passer, 1,500-yard receiver and 1,000-yard rusher in the same season... QB Josh Freeman (eventual 2009 first-round pick of Tampa Bay) sets numerous school records, including 3,353 passing yards... WR Jordy Nelson becomes an All-America player by catching 122 passes, and is a high draft pick of the Packers... In 2011, he starts on Green Bay's world champion squad.

### 2005 GREEN BAY PACKERS-NFL (assistant coach/wide receivers)

Assisting Head Coach Mike Sherman, Franklin mentors a strong receiving arsenal that includes Donald Driver, Javon Walker and Robert Ferguson catching passes from Brett Favre... Despite an injury to Walker, the Packers rank sixth in team receiving yards... Driver sets career highs with 86 receptions for 1,221 receiving yards.

### 2000-04 MARYLAND (wide receivers/recruiting coordinator)

Franklin helps Maryland to three consecutive bowl games starting with the 2001 squad... Maryland also achieves three straight seasons of 10 wins or more (2001-03), including appearance in 2002 FedEx Orange Bowl... Terps followed Orange Bowl berth with 30-3 victory over Tennessee in 2002 Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl and 41-7 win over West Virginia in 2003 Toyota Gator Bowl... Promoted to recruiting coordinator in 2003, Franklin delivers back-to-back recruiting classes that were ranked among the nation's Top 25.

### 1999 IDAHO STATE (wide receivers)

As receivers coach, Franklin helps ISU finish ninth nationally in total offense.

### 1998 WASHINGTON STATE (graduate assistant coach/tight ends)

Franklin joins highly successful Cougar Coach Mike Price as grad assistant.

### 1997 JAMES MADISON (wide receivers)

Franklin mentors James Madison wide receivers... Junior receiver Earnest Payton finishes his career as the school's leader in receptions with 185.

### 1996 EAST STROUDSBURG (defensive backs)

Franklin returns to his alma mater, Division II East Stroudsburg.

### NFL MINORITY COACHING FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

Franklin participates in the program in 1998, serving an internship with Miami. He also enjoyed stints with Philadelphia in 1999 and Minnesota in 2008.







## FRANKLIN'S REMARKABLE FIRST YEAR

### ★ FRANKLIN INTRODUCED

**Dec. 17, 2010**

Vanderbilt's 27th head coach – and first African-American – comes from Maryland. At 39, he's the youngest Commodore head coach in nearly two decades.

### ★ COACHING STAFF ANNOUNCED

**Jan., 2011**

Franklin's new Commodore staff includes three former Maryland assistants, a pair of former FCS defensive coordinators, three BCS-level assistants and Vanderbilt's 2010 offensive line mentor.

### ★ ENJOYING THE STUDENTS

**Jan. 20, 2011**

After a rousing introduction at men's basketball game, Franklin heads into the student section to greet Memorial Maniacs. Three weeks later, 17 students tryout for the football squad after Franklin visits dorms and fraternity row.

### ★ NATIONAL SIGNING DAY

**Feb. 15, 2011**

Franklin makes a quick national splash, landing a 21-member class that includes two prospects with 4-star rankings.

### ★ SPRING GAME RETURNS TO CAMPUS

**April 17, 2011**

Franklin caps first spring drills on campus by re-introducing the Black & Gold Spring Game. The televised event draws thousands of Commodore faithful to Vanderbilt Stadium.

### ★ FRANKLIN GETS WIN #1

**Sept. 3, 2011**

Commodore captains reward game ball to their new coach after the team's 45-14 victory over Elon in the season opener.

### ★ "NOT THE SAME VANDERBILT"

**Sept. 10, 2011**

Team responds to coach's urging with comeback win vs. UConn.

### ★ "SIX FINGERS – SIX SECONDS"

**Oct., 2011**

Three raised fingers on each hand becomes commonplace among Vandy fans. The gesture pays tribute to Franklin's push to play hard "six seconds at a time."

### ★ "THOSE DAYS ARE LONG GONE..."

**Oct. 15, 2011**

Proud of his team's comeback vs. Georgia, Franklin emotionally states that a new era of Vanderbilt football has arrived.

### ★ BOWL ELIGIBILITY

**Nov. 26, 2011**

Playing on the road in Winston-Salem, the Dores' 41-7 win over Wake Forest is the team's sixth of the year.

### ★ NEW YEAR'S EVE ON BEALE

**Dec. 31, 2011**

Spurred on Franklin's urging, more than 30,000 Commodore fans journey to Memphis for a New Year's Eve match against ranked Cincinnati in the AutoZone Liberty Bowl.

### ★ NATIONAL SIGNING DAY

**Feb. 1, 2012**

Franklin's second class of 22 prospects ranks among program's finest. For first time ever, every signee is 3-stars or better. The class includes six elite players from Tennessee.

## VANDERBILT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

### ★ GOING BOWLING

Vanderbilt reached bowl eligibility for the first time since 2008 and reached six wins for just the fifth time since 1955.

### ★ BEST FIRST YEAR SINCE 1975

Franklin's six wins were the most by a first-year Vanderbilt coach in 36 years. Fred Pancoast's first 'Dore team won seven games in 1975.

### ★ FIRST 3-0 START SINCE WORLD WAR II

Franklin's 3-0 start in his first season marked the first time a Vanderbilt coach won his first three games since 1945.

### ★ TIED FOR MOST HOME WINS OF MODERN ERA

The six wins at Vanderbilt Stadium in 2011 tied with the 1982 season for the most in the modern era.

### ★ UNDEFEATED OUT-OF-CONFERENCE

Vanderbilt's 4-0 mark in non-conference games marked the first undefeated record outside the SEC since 1999.

### ★ TIED FOR MOST IMPROVEMENT IN SEC

Vanderbilt's improvement from 2-10 in the 2010 season to 6-6 in 2011 tied with Georgia for the biggest increase in winning percentage in the conference (UGA went from 6-6 in 2010 to 10-2 in 2011).

### ★ IMPROVEMENT BEYOND THE RECORD

In 11 statistical categories, Vanderbilt improved more than any team in the Southeastern Conference from 2010 to 2011:

Category	2011	2010	Change
• Scoring Offense	26.9	17.3	+9.6
• Scoring Defense	20.8	30.9	-10.1
• Total Offense	324.8	285.1	+57.7
• Total Defense	324.6	430.2	-10.1
• Rush Offense	167.6	136.4	+31.2
• Rush Defense	123.0	190.0	-67.0
• Passing Offense	175.2	148.7	+26.5
• Passing Defense	201.6	240.2	-38.6
• Time of Possession	29:56	26:22	+3:34
• Red Zone TDs	23	13	+10
• Red Zone TDs Allowed	16	25	-9

### ★ SINGLE SEASON RUSHING RECORD

Zac Stacy (Jr.) set the team single-season rushing record (1,193 yards).

### ★ LIGHTING UP THE SCOREBOARD

The Commodores scored 323 points on the season, most since 1948.

### ★ KEEPING THE OPPONENT OFF THE SCOREBOARD

Vanderbilt allowed 20.8 points per game, the lowest since 2008 (19.6). The 2011 average was the third-best since 1983.

### ★ ONE OF THE NATION'S TOP DEFENSES

Vanderbilt ranked among the top-35 nationally in total defense (19th), rushing defense (25th), scoring defense (29th), pass defense (34th) and interceptions (T-6th).

### ★ IN THEM ALL

Four of Vanderbilt's losses came by less than a touchdown (Georgia, Arkansas, Florida and Tennessee).

### ★ MOVING UP THE LADDER

Finishing fourth in the SEC East marked team's second best finish since divisional play began in 1991. Both SEC wins (Ole Miss & Kentucky) were by the largest margin of victory by Vanderbilt since 1971.

### ★ CASEY HAYWARD: JIM THORPE SEMIFINALIST

Casey Hayward was a finalist for the Jim Thorpe Award (college football's best defensive back).

### ★ UNPRECEDENTED EXPOSURE

Vanderbilt was featured as part of a six-page, behind-the-scenes spread in a September issue of *Sports Illustrated*.



## STATISTICAL COMPARISON

	VANDERBILT AUBURN	
<b>TEAM RECORD</b>	2-4	1-5
<b>TOTAL POINTS</b>	123	97
<b>TOUCHDOWNS SCORED</b>	13	10
<b>POINTS ALLOWED</b>	134	159
<b>TOUCHDOWNS ALLOWED</b>	15	19
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	108	95
RUSHING	48	46
PASSING	52	45
PENALTY	8	4
<b>RUSHING YARDAGE</b>	894	753
YARDS GAINED RUSHING	1119	1016
YARDS LOST RUSHING	[225]	[263]
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	242	221
AVERAGE PER RUSH	3.7	3.4
AVERAGE PER GAME	149.0	125.5
TDs RUSHING	8	5
<b>PASSING YARDAGE</b>	1300	972
<b>ATT-COMP-INT</b>	158-89-2	143-81-11
AVERAGE PER PASS	8.2	6.8
AVERAGE PER CATCH	14.6	12.0
AVERAGE PER GAME	216.7	162.0
TDs PASSING	4	4
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE</b>	2194	1725
TOTAL PLAYS	400	364
AVERAGE PER PLAY	5.5	4.7
AVERAGE PER GAME	365.7	287.5
<b>KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS</b>	26-576	14-393
AVERAGE KICK RETURN	22.2	28.1
<b>PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS</b>	12-77	9-52
AVERAGE PUNT RETURN	6.4	5.8
<b>INT RETURNS: #-YARDS</b>	2-117	1-12
AVERAGE INT. RETURN	58.5	12.0
<b>FUMBLES-FUMBLES LOST</b>	12-4	11-8
<b>OPP. FUMBLES-FUMBLES REC.</b>	9-3	7-5
<b>PENALTIES-YARDS</b>	33-261	36-265
AVERAGE PER GAME	43.5	44.2
<b>PUNTS-YARDS</b>	32-1430	35-1444
AVERAGE PER PUNT	44.7	41.3
NET PUNT AVERAGE	41.3	40.1
<b>TIME OF POSSESSION</b>	30:19	29:10
<b>3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS</b>	25/89	23/77
3RD DOWN PCT.	28%	30%
<b>4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS</b>	7/15	2/4
4TH DOWN PCT.	47%	50%
<b>QB SACKS-Yards</b>	10-66	12-77
<b>QB SACKS ALLOWED-YARDS</b>	16-125	19-141
<b>FG MADE/ATTEMPTS</b>	10/13	9/10

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#### PLAYERS

Robbie Barbieri ( <b>bar-bee-AIR-ee</b> )	Andre Hal ( <b>HAL</b> )
Jacquese ( <b>juh-KWEESE</b> ) Kirk	Rob Lohr ( <b>LOR</b> )
Marc Panu ( <b>PAN-oo</b> )	Steven Scheu ( <b>SHOY</b> )
Jerron ( <b>juh-RON</b> ) Seymour	Kyle Woestmann ( <b>West-man</b> )

#### COACHES

Ricky Rahne (**RON-nee**)

### VANDERBILT POSTGAME INTERVIEWS

Coach Franklin's post-game press conference following the Auburn game will be held after he addresses the team. Only properly credentialed media will be allowed into the conference.

Media wishing to participate in postgame interviews should meet at the elevator with 5:00 left in the fourth quarter to be escorted to the south end zone area of Dudley Field.

There is a new location in Vanderbilt Stadium this season for Franklin's postgame press conference and player interviews. The Vanderbilt Press Conference Room is located in the south end zone, with access in the field tunnel.

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

### GAME WEEK INTERVIEW POLICY

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

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

Media outlets are permitted to shoot the last 10 minutes of Wednesday practices; otherwise, all sessions are closed.

### WEEKLY PRESS CONFERENCE ON MONDAYS

Coach Franklin will conduct a weekly press conference for local media on Mondays at 12:00 noon, CT. It is held in the McGugin Center. Interviews with selected student-athletes will follow Franklin's remarks.

The conference is archived and available at [vucommodores.com](http://vucommodores.com), each Monday by 2:30 p.m., CT. A transcript is provided usually by 3 p.m.

### SEC COACHES TELECONFERENCE: WED., 10:30 AM

Like the other 13 head coaches of the Southeastern Conference, Coach Franklin is available each Wednesday morning to media outlets as part of the SEC Head Coaches' Teleconference.

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

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

### FRANKLIN'S RADIO SHOW ON THURS., 7 PM

The Commodore Call-In Show with Coach Franklin, a regular weekly feature of Nashville radio flagship NewsRadio 1510 WLAC has moved to *Thursdays, starting at 7 p.m., in the Holiday Inn's Commodore Grille on West End Avenue*. The one-hour show, hosted by Vanderbilt play-by-play announcer Joe Fisher, gives fans an opportunity to ask questions about the program and upcoming opponents.



## VANDERBILT: SEC & NCAA RANK

TEAM CATEGORY	AVG.	SEC	NCAA
Scoring Offense	20.5	12	106
Total Offense	365.7	11	92
Rushing Offense	149.0	10	79
Passing Offense	216.7	8	75
Scoring Defense	22.3	7	41
Total Defense	351.7	6	38
Rushing Defense	203.5	14	100
Passing Defense	148.2	3	7
Net Punting	41.3	4	11
Punt Returns	8.4	8	T-64
Kickoff Returns	21.8	8	T-55
Turnover Margin	-2 (-1)	T-9	T-69
Pass Efficiency	131.2	10	65
Def. Pass Efficiency	103.7	5	15
Penalties	5.5	6	T-40
Penalty Yards	43.5	7	33
3rd Down Conv. %	28%	13	117
3rd Down Conv. % (Defense)	33%	7	T-25
Red Zone Offense Efficiency	70%	13	T-102
Red Zone Defense Efficiency	90%	12	T-98
QB Sacks	1.7 (10)	T-11	T-78
QB Sacks Allowed	2.7 (16)	T-7	T-95
Tackles for Loss	5.8 (35)	8	T-59
Pass Interceptions	.3 (2)	12	T-106
First Downs	18.0	T-12	T-100
First Downs Allowed	17.8	4	T-25
Time of Possession	30:19	4	56

INDIVIDUAL CATEGORY	AVG.	SEC	NCAA	
Zac Stacy	rushing yards	83.2	8	55
Jordan Rodgers	pass efficiency	126.6	11	76
	total offense	215.4	7	66
Jordan Matthews	receptions	7.2 (43)	1	14
	receiving yards	102.9	2	13
	all-purpose yards	120.0	4	T-60
Chris Boyd	receptions	3.2	T-18	
	receiving yards	67.5	8	T-72
Brian Kimbrow	kickoff returns	21.5	7	65
Karl Butler	tackles for loss	1.2 (6.5)	T-8	T-54
Andre Hal	passes defended	1.0 (6)	T-5	
Kenny Ladler	interceptions	.2 (1)	T-20	
	tackles	8.4	9	T-76
Trey Wilson	passes defended	.8 (4)		
Carey Spear	field goals	1.7 (10)	2	T-14
Richard Kent	punting	45.1	3	11

## HILLENMEYER: VANDERBILT'S 2012 SEC LEGEND

Former All-Southeastern Conference linebacker **Hunter Hillenmeyer** is Vanderbilt's selection to the 2012 class of SEC Football Legends.

Hillenmeyer, a product of Montgomery Bell Academy in Nashville who went on to enjoy an eight-year career with the Chicago Bears, will be honored Nov. 30-Dec. 1 in Atlanta.

Hillenmeyer topped the NCAA with 168 total tackles as a senior middle linebacker in 2002. He also paced the SEC the same year with 116 solo tackles, earning All-SEC honors.

A 23-game career starter, Hillenmeyer also was a superb student-athlete. In 2002, he was selected as one of six Division I-A National Scholar Athletes by the College Football Hall of Fame and National Football Foundation.

Here's a list of previous Vanderbilt staounds that have been recognized as SEC legends.

2011	Corey Harris, DB/RB, 1988-91	2002	Jim Arnold, punter, 1979-82
2010	Corey Chavous, DB, 1994-97	2001	Will Wolford, OT, 1982-85
2009	Jamie Duncan, LB, 1995-97	2000	Herb Rich, RB, 1946-49
2008	Shelton Quarles, LB, 1990-93	1999	Bob Werckle, OT, 1947-51
2007	Chuck Scott, WR/TE, 1981-84	1998	Charley Horton, RB, 1952-55
2006	Eric Jones, QB, 1986-88	1997	Bucky Curtis, WR, 1947-50
2005	Chris Gaines, LB, 1984-87	1996	John Hall, OL, 1951-54
2004	Boo Mitchell, WR, 1985-88	1995	Bob Asher, OT, 1967-69
2003	Whit Taylor, QB, 1979-82	1994	Bill Wade, QB, 1949-51

## BARLOW, GATTIS: NEW COMMODORE COACHES

Two assistant coaches, **George Barlow** and **Josh Gattis**, are new to the Commodore sideline this season.

Both Barlow, a Marshall University graduate who comes from the University of New Mexico staff, and Gattis, a Wake Forest grad who served last year at Western Michigan, have key recruiting roles at Vanderbilt in addition to position responsibilities. Barlow will coach defensive backs and serve as defensive recruiting coordinator. Gattis will mentor wide receivers and serve as offensive recruiting coordinator.

## MARC PANU — RECENT YOUTUBE SENSATION

On Aug. 10, **James Franklin** surprised fourth-year player **Marc Panu** (FB, Mableton, Ga.) by presenting the walk-on with a full scholarship for 2012-13. Franklin broke the news to Panu in a team meeting and the moment was captured for posterity, however no one imagined the amount of attention the moment would garner.

Within one week, the video of the announcement had received over 330,000 views on YouTube, while Panu and Franklin had been interviews by media outlets ranging from The Tennessean to FOX News.

Panu began at Vanderbilt as a walk-on LB/DE and was named defensive scout team MVP as a freshman. In 2010, he appeared in 11 games on special teams. When Franklin arrived at Vanderbilt for the 2012 season, Panu moved to fullback and saw action in all 12 regular season games as a short-yardage blocker and special teams contributor.

## STATUS OF FORMER COMMODORES IN THE NFL

Player	NFL Team	Notes
<b>Earl Bennett</b> , WR	Chicago Bears	Idle on Sunday, Bennett looks to return to action next Monday night when Chicago hosts Lions
<b>Brandon Barden</b> , TE	Tennessee Titans	Member of Titans' practice squad as rookie free agent
<b>Jay Cutler</b> , QB	Chicago Bears	Cutler and Bears were idle Sunday, will return to action next Monday hosting Detroit
<b>Myron Lewis</b> , DB	Tampa Bay Bucs	Second-year cornerback did not register stats in limited action as Tampa Bay's routs Kansas City 38-10
<b>D.J. Moore</b> , DB	Chicago Bears	Smith and Bears were idle Sunday, will return to action next Monday facing Detroit at home
<b>Chris Williams</b> , OT	Chicago Bears	Williams and Bears were idle Sunday, will return to action against the Lions next Monday night.
<b>Casey Hayward</b> , CB	Green Bay Packers	Rookie cornerback grabs two interceptions in Green Bay's impressive 42-24 road win over Houston
<b>Sean Richardson</b> , S	Green Bay Packers	Free agent rookie was inactive as Packers knocked Houston from the unbeaten ranks with 42-24 win





# COMMODORE NOTES

**The Vanderbilt football program and athletics department has undergone several upgrades and renovations since last fall. Here's a look at some of new and improved areas on West End.**

## LOOK GOOD, PLAY GOOD

Head Coach James Franklin and the senior members of the football team unveiled the team's 2012 uniforms during a pep-rally style event at the Barnes & Noble Vanderbilt Bookstore on July 11.

The stylish uniforms, designed by the Vanderbilt football staff, are made with Nike's high-tenacity Cordura knit fabric and feature black, gold and white jerseys and pants. The final piece of equipment that was shown to the crowd was a white helmet. Last season, Vanderbilt debuted a black helmet that the team wore in addition to their gold helmet.

The Commodores can mix-and-match any combination of the black, gold and white elements (helmet, jersey and pants), creating 27 possible combinations.

Several key changes are incorporated in the 2012 design:

- For the first time since 1994, "Vanderbilt" will be displayed on the front of Commodore jerseys. The name will be in all caps above jersey numbers.
- A gold "anchor" emblem adorns the homeplate or front "V" neck of all jerseys. Last year, the Star V logo was stitched there.
- "Anchor Down" text is stitched in the interior of each jersey neckline.
- Nike's iconic "flywire" stitching is incorporated into the high impact shoulder area of each jersey.
- The gold jersey top features black shoulder coverings, black lettering and black numbers. Last year, the gold jersey had white numbers.
- All jerseys have an updated circular SEC patch stitched over the right breast. The Nike swoosh is over the left breast.
- Star V logos will adorn each hip of the pants. In 2011, a lone Star V logo was located on the left front of the uniform pant.

## STADIUM, PROGRAM UPDATES

Several upgrades have been put in to place prior to the start of the 2012 season at Vanderbilt Stadium.

The most noticeable is the new video board in the north end zone of the stadium. The high definition board measures 40 x 71 feet and is one of the largest video boards in college football.

In front of the video board is a new grass berm for fan seating. The berm can accommodate approximately 400 fans and provide one of the most unique seats in the country.

The field itself has a new look and feel, as the old grass playing field has been replaced with a synthetic turf called Legion 46. Installed by Shaw Sportex, the field has several new features. The redzone features the phrase "Anchor Down," an anchor logo has replaced the traditional X that marks the kickoff location and the end zones are painted black with "Vanderbilt" and "Commodores" framed by the Star-V logo. The Star-V logo remains at midfield, with Southeastern Conference logos on the 25-yard lines.

In addition, new lighting has been installed at Vanderbilt Stadium. While they aren't as noticeable until nightfall, they will improve television viewing drastically while focusing more light on the field (and less in the stands), creating a more dramatic stage for Commodore football.

Across Jess Neely Drive, football was one of several Vanderbilt programs to benefit from renovations and additions at the McGugin Center. New meeting rooms and a 140-seat auditorium-style classroom all adjacent to the coaches offices will benefit football, while meeting rooms have also been added to McGugin for Vanderbilt's Olympic sports.



**Vanderbilt's three helmets**



**The new video board and berm in the south endzone of Vanderbilt Stadium.**





## THREE EARN PRESEASON ALL-SEC

Vanderbilt was represented on both sides of the football when the Southeastern Conference announced Preseason All-SEC teams in advance of SEC Media Days.

★ **Zac Stacy** (Sr., RB) was named second team running back by both the coaches and writers that cover the league. Stacy set several school records as a junior, including the single-season rushing record at 1,193 yards. Stacy added 14 rushing touchdowns and eclipsed 100 yards in five games, including a stellar 198-yard performance against Army and a 135-yard, two-touchdown performance against Kentucky that earned him SEC Player of the Week honors.

UPDATE: Stacy has 499 rushing yards on the season, ranking eighth in the SEC. Ranks second on team's all-time rushing yards and TD lists.

★ **Trey Wilson** (Sr., CB) was named third team defensive back by the writers after making 30 tackles, three interceptions and 11 pass break-ups in 2011. He became the first Vanderbilt player since 1974 to return to interceptions for touchdowns in the same season, returning picks against Ole Miss and Elon. He also had another pick against the Rebels and earned SEC Defensive Player of the Week for his performance.

UPDATE: Wilson set one team record and matched another in the win over Presbyterian, recording his third career interception return for a TD. The score went for 100 yards, matching Archibald Barnes' record set last year vs. Tennessee.

★ **Rob Lohr** (R-Sr., DT) received third-team defensive honors. He has started 28 consecutive games for the Commodores. In 2011, he was second on the team with five sacks and 11.5 tackles for loss. He also forced a pair of fumbles and made 41 total tackles. He leads all active Vanderbilt players in career sacks (nine) and tackles for loss (20.5).

UPDATE: Lohr has 10 tackles this year, including 1.5 resulting in a loss.

## 'DORES ON INDIVIDUAL WATCH LISTS

Several Commodore players have been named to preseason watch lists for some of college football's most prestigious awards.

Player	Award	Category
<b>WESLEY JOHNSON</b>	Outland	Interior Lineman
<b>RICHARD KENT</b>	Ray Guy	Punter
<b>ROB LOHR</b>	Nagurski	Defensive Player
	Lombardi	Lineman
<b>JORDAN MATTHEWS</b>	Biletnikoff	Receiver
<b>JORDAN RODGERS</b>	Unitas	4th-Year Quarterback
<b>ZAC STACY</b>	Maxwell	Player of the Year
	Doak Walker	Running Back

## PREP TEAMMATES NOW COMMODORES

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

- **Wesley Johnson** (R-Jr., center) attended Montgomery Bell Academy in Nashville along with **Fitz Lassing** (So., FB) and **Luke Colbert** (So., QB).
- **Richard Kent** (R-Sr., punter) and **Kyle Woestmann** (R-So., DE) were teammates at Walton H.S., in Marietta, Ga.
- **Josh Grady** (R-Fr., WR) and **Kevin McCoy** (Fr., OL) both attended Armwood H.S. in Tampa, Fla.
- **Kenny Ladler** (Jr., safety) and **Darreon Herring** (Fr., LB) are both products of Stephenson H.S. in Stone Mountain, Ga.

## VANDERBILT'S NEW RADIO FLAGSHIP

Vanderbilt football and men's basketball games will be carried on one of the nation's strongest radio signals following a flagship agreement announced in August between Vanderbilt Athletics and Nashville's **NewsRadio WLAC AM-1510**.



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

The flagship agreement was finalized in August by Vanderbilt Athletics, its multimedia rights holder IMG College and Clear Channel Media & Entertainment (CCM+E), one of America's largest media companies.

NewsRadio WLAC 1510 will air all radio programming related to Vanderbilt football and men's basketball, including game broadcasts and weekly coach's call-in shows.

## FRESHMAN CLASS AMONG BEST EVER

Vanderbilt's freshman class is regarded as perhaps the most talented recruiting class ever to enroll at Vanderbilt.

Four members of the class – **Caleb Azubike**, **Darreon Herring**, **Brian Kimbrow** and **Jake Sealand** – have played this season.

The 2012 signing class represents the first in school history where every recruit in the class was rated three stars or better, while the group also includes four four-star players. Those four four-star players are the most recruits of that caliber to ever be in one class at Vanderbilt. In fact, Vanderbilt had signed just three four-star players in the decade prior.

Of the 22 signees, 15 are nationally ranked at their position.

Vanderbilt was especially successful in its home state of Tennessee, where all six recruits who are staying in their native state to become Commodores were among the top-25 players in Tennessee.

Vanderbilt's 22 freshmen and their highest ranking (ESPN or Rivals):

Player	Pos.	Hometown	Rating
Torey Agee	DE	Opelika, Ala.	★★★
Caleb Azubike	DE	Nashville, Tenn.	★★★★
Brandon Banks	DB	Brandywine, Md.	★★★
Ladarius Banks	DT	Dallas, Ga.	★★★★
Cory Batey	WR	Nashville, Tenn.	★★★
Adam Butler	OL	Duncanville, Texas	★★★
Colby Cooke	P/K	Goochland, Va.	★★★
Blake Romang	OL	Orlando, Fla.	★★★★
Barrett Gouger	OL	Soddy-Daisy, Tenn.	★★★★
Harding Harper	LB	Montgomery, Ala.	★★★
Paris Head	DB	Lawrenceville, Ga.	★★★
Darreon Herring	LB	Stone Mountain, Ga.	★★★★
Will Holden	OL	Green Cove Springs, Fla.	★★★★
Andrew Jelks	OL	Paris, Tenn.	★★★★
Brian Kimbrow	RB	Memphis, Tenn.	★★★★
Kevin McCoy	OL	Tampa, Fla.	★★★
Torren McGaster	DB	Daphne, Ala.	★★★
Tip McKenzie	WR	Natchez, Miss.	★★★
Patton Robinette	QB	Maryville, Tenn.	★★★★
Jake Sealand	LB	Tucker, Ga.	★★★
Ja'Karrri Thomas	LB	Tallahassee, Fla.	★★★
Stephen Weatherly	DE	Snellville, Ga.	★★★★



# V DEPTH CHART AS OF OCT. 14

## OFFENSE

### First Team

WR	80	Chris Boyd	6-4, 205, R-Sr.	Roswell, Ga.
WR	87	Jordan Matthews	6-3, 205, Jr.	Madison, Ala.
WR	17	Jonathan Krause	5-11, 184, Jr.	Snellville, Ga.
QB	11	Jordan Rodgers	6-1, 212, R-Sr.	Chico, Calif.
TB	2	Zac Stacy	5-9, 210, Sr.	Centreville, Ala.
	25	Brian Kimbrow	5-8, 180, Fr.	Memphis, Tenn.
FB	38	Fitz Lassing	6-3, 240, Jr.	Nashville, Tenn.
TE	82	Kris Kentera	6-4, 230, R-Fr.	Colorado Springs, Colo.
	89	Dillon van der Wal	6-6, 255, So.	Woodland Hills, Calif.
OT	67	Wesley Johnson	6-5, 285, R-Jr.	Nashville, Tenn.
OG	62	Ryan Seymour	6-5, 304, R-Sr.	Kingsland, Ga.
C	77	Spencer Pulley	6-4, 290, So.	Germantown, Tenn.
OG	69	Josh Jelesky	6-5, 295, Grad.	Naperville, Ill.
OT	52	Andrew Bridges	6-6, 275, R-Sr.	Atlanta, Ga.

### Second Team

83	John Cole	5-10, 180, Grad.	Somerset, Ky.
19	Jacquese Kirk	5-11, 175, R-Fr.	Jasper, Ala.
7	Josh Grady	5-11, 190, R-Fr.	Tampa, Fla.
6	Austyn Carta-Samuels	6-0, 222, R-Jr.	San Jose, Calif.
4	Patton Robinette	6-4, 204, Fr.	Maryville, Tenn.
24	Wesley Tate	6-1, 215, R-Jr.	Hendersonville, Tenn.
5	Warren Norman	5-10, 202, R-Jr.	Stone Mtn., Ga.
45	Marc Panu	6-1, 240, R-Jr.	Mableton, Ga.
-or- 81	Steven Scheu	6-5, 260, R-Fr.	Evansville, Ind.
86	Austin Monahan	6-6, 250, Grad.	Charlotte, N.C.
50	Andrew Jelks	6-6, 275, Fr.	Paris, Tenn.
71	Adam Butler	6-4, 288, Fr.	Duncanville, Texas
57	Joe Townsend	6-3, 305, So.	Hendersonville, Tenn.
53	Jake Bernstein	6-3, 295, R-Fr.	Crystal Lake, Ill.
73	Chase White	6-4, 290, R-Sr.	Plano, Texas

## DEFENSE

### First Team

DE	98	Johnell Thomas	6-0, 250, R-Sr.	Orlando, Fla.
DT	84	Rob Lohr	6-4, 290, R-Sr.	Phoenixville, Pa.
NT	97	Jared Morse	6-2, 304, Jr.	Oxford, Ala.
DE	90	Walker May	6-5, 250, R-Jr.	Birmingham, Ala.
OLB	15	Archibald Barnes	6-4, 235, R-Sr.	Tampa, Fla.
MLB	36	Chase Garnham	6-3, 234, Jr.	Fairhope, Ala.
OLB	28	Karl Butler	6-1, 215, Jr.	New Orleans, La.
CB	23	Andre Hal	6-0, 184, Jr.	Port Allen, La.
SS	31	Javon Marshall	5-10, 195, R-Jr.	Huber Heights, Ohio
FS	1	Kenny Ladler	6-1, 200, Jr.	Stone Mtn., Ga.
CB	8	Trey Wilson	5-11, 192, Sr.	Shreveport, La.

### Second Team

55	Caleb Azibuke	6-4, 250, Fr.	Nashville, Tenn.
54	Jimmy Stewart	6-4, 240, R-Fr.	Cape Coral, Fla.
53	Vince Taylor	6-2, 312, R-Sr.	Hattiesburg, Miss.
-or- 58	Colt Nichter	6-1, 288, R-Sr.	Park City, Utah
44	Barron Dixon	6-4, 302, So.	Dallas, Ga.
92	Kyle Woestmann	6-3, 255, R-Sr.	Marietta, Ga.
56	Darien Bryant	6-4, 230, R-Fr.	Pickerington, Ohio
35	Darreon Herring	6-2, 220, Fr.	Stone Mtn., Ga.
13	Jake Sealand	6-2, 220, Fr.	Tucker, Ga.
30	Larry Franklin	6-0, 210, R-Fr.	Vero Beach, Fla.
12	Steven Clarke	5-10, 195, Jr.	Lauderdale Lakes, Fla.
33	Derek King	5-11, 196, R-Fr.	Nashville, Tenn.
22	Eric Samuels	6-0, 200, Sr.	Eustis, Fla.
32	Andrew Williamson	6-1, 205, R-Fr.	San Antonio, Texas
16	Eddie Foster	5-10, 172, Sr.	Colleyville, Texas

## SPECIAL TEAMS

### First Team

PK	39	Carey Spear	5-10, 190, Jr.	Mayfield Village, Ohio
P	94	Richard Kent	6-2, 202, R-Sr.	Marietta, Ga.
HOL	11	Jordan Rodgers	6-1, 212, R-Sr.	Chico, Calif.
SN	34	Andrew East	6-2, 230, R-Sr.	Indianapolis, Ind.
KO	39	Carey Spear	5-10, 190, Jr.	Mayfield Village, Ohio
KOR	25	Brian Kimbrow	5-8, 180, Fr.	Memphis, Tenn.
PR	87	Jordan Matthews	6-3, 205, Jr.	Madison, Ala.

### Second Team

48	Ryan Fowler	5-10, 175, R-Sr.	Taylors, S.C.
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94	Richard Kent	6-2, 202, R-Sr.	Marietta, Ga.
84	Rob Lohr	6-4, 290, R-Sr.	Phoenixville, Pa.
48	Ryan Fowler	5-10, 175, R-Sr.	Taylors, S.C.
23	Andre Hal	6-0, 184, Jr.	Port Allen, La.
83	John Cole	5-10, 180, Grad.	Somerset, Ky.

# ALPHABETICAL TEAM ROSTER



No. Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Year.	CL	Hometown/High School	No. Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Year	CL	Hometown
94* Torey Agee	DT	6-4	265	Fr.	HS	Opelika, Ala./Opelika	17 Jonathan Krause	WR	5-11	182	Jr.	2L	Snellville, Ga./So. Gwinnett
43 Scot Aiello	S	5-10	178	So.	SQ	Franklin, Tenn./Centennial	1 Kenny Ladler	S	6-0	205	Jr.	2L	Stone Mtn., Ga./Stephenson
48* Manny Amingwa	CB	5-11	190	Sr.	-	Whitinsville, Mass./Milford Acad.	38 Fitz Lassing	FB	6-3	240	Jr.	2L	Nashville, Tenn./Montgomery Bell
47 Tyler Anders	RB	5-10	192	So.	HS	Richlands, Va./Graham	76 James Lewis	OL	6-5	295	R-Fr.	RS	Arlington, Tenn./Arlington
55 Caleb Azubike	DE	6-4	250	Fr.	HS	Nashville, Tenn./McGavock	84 Rob Lohr	DT	6-4	290	R-Sr.	3L	Phoenixville, Pa./Phoenixville
26 Brandon Banks	CB	5-10	165	Fr.	HS	Brandywine, Md./Gwynn Park	31 Javon Marshall	S	5-10	195	R-Jr.	2L	Huber Heights, Ohio/Wayne
93 Ladarius Banks	DT	6-2	290	Fr.	HS	Dallas, Ga./East Paulding	41* Chris Martin	FB	5-9	215	Fr.	HS	Princeton, N.J./Princeton
49 Robby Barbieri	LB	6-2	228	Jr.	1L	Eden Prairie, Minn./Breck	87 Jordan Matthews	WR	6-3	205	Jr.	2L	Madison, Ala./Madison Acad.
15 Archibald Barnes	LB	6-4	235	R-Sr.	3L	Tampa, Fla./Berkeley Prep	90 Walker May	DE	6-5	250	R-Jr.	2L	Birmingham, Ala./Briarwood Christian
10 Cory Batey	WR	6-0	205	Fr.	HS	Nashville, Tenn./Ensworth	78 Kevin McCoy	OL	6-5	295	Fr.	HS	Tampa, Fla./Armwood
53* Jake Bernstein	OL	6-4	295	R-Fr.	RS	Crystal Lake, Ill./South	5* Torren McGaster	CB	6-0	185	Fr.	HS	Daphne, Ala./Daphne
51 Hunter Bowman	LB	5-11	210	R-Fr.	SQ	Savannah, Ga./Country Day	27 Jahmel McIntosh	LB	6-1	200	R-Fr.	RS	Cleveland, Miss./Cleveland
80 Chris Boyd	WR	6-4	205	R-So.	1L	Roswell, Ga./Roswell	15* Tip McKenzie	WR	5-8	170	Fr.	HS	Natchez, Miss./Trinity Episcopal
52 Andrew Bridges	OL	6-6	280	R-So.	1L	Atlanta, Ga./Westminster	86 Austin Monahan	TE	6-6	252	Grad.	3L	Charlotte, N.C./Country Day
79 Ryan Brockway	OL	6-5	290	Jr.	TR	Los Angeles, Calif./Loyola	46 Steve Monk	WR	5-11	180	R-Fr.	RS	Baton Rouge, La./University Lab
56 Darien Bryant	DE	6-4	230	R-Fr.	RS	Pickerington, Ohio/No. Pickerington	61 Connor Morrison	SN	6-0	230	R-Fr.	SQ	Edmond, Okla./Casady
71 Adam Butler	OL	6-4	290	Fr.	HS	Duncanville, Texas/Duncanville	97 Jared Morse	DT	6-2	304	Jr.	2L	Oxford, Ala./Oxford
28 Karl Butler	LB	6-1	215	Jr.	2L	New Orleans, La./Brother Martin	58 Colt Nichter	DT	6-1	288	R-Sr.	3L	Park City, Utah/Park City
6 Austyn Carta-Samuels	QB	6-1	220	R-Jr.	TR	San Jose, Calif./Bellarmine	5 Warren Norman	RB	5-10	205	R-Jr.	2L	Stone Mtn., Ga./Chamblee
12 Steven Clarke	CB	5-10	195	Jr.	2L	Lauderdale Lakes, Fla./Anderson	45 Marc Panu	FB	6-1	240	Jr.	2L	Mableton, Ga./Whitefield Acad.
35* Hasan Clayton	RB	5-11	180	Jr.	TR	Arlington Heights, Ill./Loyola Acad.	9 Trent Pruitt	WR	5-9	170	R-So.	SQ	Fitzgerald, Ga./Fitzgerald
16* Luke Colbert	QB	6-2	203	So.	HS	Nashville, Tenn./Montgomery Bell	77 Spencer Pulley	OL	6-4	290	So.	1L	Germantown, Tenn./Evangelical
83 John Cole	WR	5-10	180	Grad.	3L	Somerset, Ky./Somerset	75 Grant Ramsay	OL	6-5	285	R-So.	SQ	Marietta, Ga./Pope
16* Colby Cooke	P/PK	6-3	200	Fr.	HS	Goochland, Va./Goochland	4 Patton Robinette	QB	6-4	204	Fr.	HS	Maryville, Tenn./Maryville
44 Barron Dixon	DT	6-4	302	So.	1L	Alpharetta, Ga./Chattahoochee	11 Jordan Rodgers	QB	6-1	212	R-Sr.	1L	Chico, Calif./Pleasant Valley
34 Andrew East	SN	6-2	230	R-So.	1L	Indianapolis, Ind./No. Central	22 Eric Samuels	S	6-0	200	Sr.	3L	Eustis, Fla./Umatilla
16 Eddie Foster	LB	5-10	172	Sr.	3L	Colleyville, Texas/Heritage	81 Steven Scheu	TE	6-5	260	R-Fr.	RS	Evansville, Ind./Reitz Memorial
48 Ryan Fowler	PK	5-10	175	R-Sr.	3L	Taylor, S.C./Eastside	13 Jake Sealand	LB	6-2	220	Fr.	HS	Tucker, Ga./Tucker
30 Larry Franklin	LB	6-1	210	R-Fr.	RS	Vero Beach, Fla./Vero Beach	3 Jerron Seymour	RB	5-7	190	So.	1L	Hialeah, Fla./Hialeah
66 Blake Fromang	OL	6-7	285	Fr.	HS	Orlando, Fla./Lake Highland Prep	62 Ryan Seymour	OL	6-5	300	R-Sr.	3L	Kingsland, Ga./Camden Co.
36 Chase Garnham	LB	6-3	234	Jr.	2L	Fairhope, Ala./Fairhope	39 Carey Spear	PK	5-10	190	Jr.	2L	Mayfield Village, Ohio/Mayfield
56 Barrett Gouger	OL	6-4	285	Fr.	HS	Soddy Daisy, Tenn./Baylor	2 Zac Stacy	RB	5-9	210	Sr.	3L	Centreville, Ala./Bibb Co.
7 Josh Grady	WR	6-0	188	R-Fr.	RS	Tampa, Fla./Armwood	54 Jimmy Stewart	DE	6-4	240	R-Fr.	RS	Cape Coral, Fla./Island Coast
49* Josh Gregory	S	5-11	170	So.	SQ	Goodlettsville, Tenn./Davidson Acad.	39* Dane Stubbs	CB	5-9	170	Fr.	HS	Covington, La./St. Paul's
84* Daniel Hagaman	WR	6-2	190	R-So.	SQ	Brentwood, Tenn./Brentwood	41 Patrick Sutton	LB	6-0	210	Jr.	SQ	Charleston, S.C./Bishop England
23 Andre Hal	CB	6-0	184	Jr.	2L	Port Allen, La./Port Allen	24 Wesley Tate	WR	6-1	215	R-Jr.	2L	Hendersonville, Tenn./Hendersonville
11* Harding Harper	LB	6-2	225	Fr.	HS	Montgomery, Ala./Carver	53 Vince Taylor	DT	6-2	312	R-So.	1L	Hattiesburg, Miss./Oak Grove
95 Conor Hart	DT	6-3	265	R-Fr.	RS	Bloomfield Hills, Mich./Brother Rice	40 Ja'kari Thomas	LB	6-1	208	Fr.	HS	Tallahassee, Fla./Godby
21 Paris Head	CB	6-0	175	Fr.	HS	Lawrenceville, Ga./Buford	98 Johnell Thomas	DE	6-0	250	R-Sr.	3L	Orlando, Fla./Boone
35 Darreon Herring	LB	6-2	220	Fr.	HS	Stone Mtn., Ga./Stephenson	57 Joe Townsend	OL	6-4	305	So.	1L	Hendersonville, Tenn./Hendersonville
74 Will Holden	OL	6-6	290	Fr.	HS	Green Cove Springs, Fla./Clay	14 John Townsley	QB	6-4	205	Sr.	SQ	Upper Arlington, Ohio/Upper Arlington
55* Taylor Hudson	P	6-3	210	R-Fr.	SQ	Powell, Ohio/Olentangy Liberty	89 Dillon van der Wal	TE	6-6	255	So.	1L	Woodland Hills, Calif./Oaks Christian
37* Casey Hughes	S	6-0	205	Jr.	HS	Readomg, Pa./Mifflin	86* Donovan Ward	WR	5-11	180	Fr.	HS	Palos Verdes, Calif./Palos Verdes
38* Alex Hysong	CB	5-10	175	So.	SQ	Bethesda, Md./Whitman	45* Stephen Weatherly	DE	6-5	235	Fr.	HS	Snellville, Ga./Shiloh
69 Josh Jelesky	OL	6-5	295	Grad.	3L	Naperville, Ill./Naperville	42 Kellen Williams	LB	6-1	220	R-Fr.	RS	Winter Garden, Fla./West Orange
50 Andrew Jelks	OL	6-6	275	Fr.	HS	Paris, Tenn./Henry Co.	32 Andrew Williamson	S	6-1	205	R-Fr.	RS	San Antonio, Texas/Stevens
67 Wesley Johnson	OL	6-5	285	R-Jr.	2L	Nashville, Tenn./Montgomery Bell	73 Chase White	OL	6-5	290	R-So.	1L	Plano, Texas/Plano West
94 Richard Kent	P	6-2	198	Sr.	2L	Marietta, Ga./Walton	85 Trey Wilkins	WR	5-11	195	So.	TR	Cordova, Tenn./St. Benedict
82 Kris Kentera	HB	6-4	230	R-Fr.	RS	Colorado Springs, Colo./Pine Creek	8 Trey Wilson	CB	5-11	192	Sr.	3L	Shreveport, La./Evangel Christian
25 Brian Kimbrow	RB	5-8	180	Fr.	HS	Memphis, Tenn./East	92 Kyle Woestmann	DE	6-3	255	R-So.	1L	Marietta, Ga./Walton
33 Derek King	CB	5-11	196	R-Fr.	RS	Nashville, Tenn./Brentwood Acad.							
19 Jacquese Kirk	WR	6-0	175	R-Fr.	RS	Jasper, Ala./Walker							

\* duplicate jersey numbers

## VANDERBILT NUMERICAL ROSTER

No. Name	Pos.	No. Name	Pos.	No. Name	Pos.	No. Name	Pos.	No. Name	Pos.
1 Kenny Ladler	S	17 Jonathan Krause	WR	39 Carey Spear	PK	53 Vince Taylor	DT	80 Chris Boyd	WR
2 Zac Stacy	RB	19 Jacquese Kirk	WR	39* Dane Stubbs	CB	54 Jimmy Stewart	DE	81 Steven Scheu	TE
3 Jerron Seymour	RB	21 Paris Head	CB	40 Ja'kari Thomas	LB	55 Caleb Azubike	DE	82 Kris Kentera	HB
4 Patton Robinette	QB	22 Eric Samuels	S	41* Chris Martin	FB	55* Taylor Hudson	P	83 John Cole	WR
5* Torren McGaster	CB	23 Andre Hal	CB	41 Patrick Sutton	LB	56 Darien Bryant	DE	84 Rob Lohr	DT
5 Warren Norman	RB	24 Wesley Tate	WR	42 Kellen Williams	LB	56 Barrett Gouger	OL	84* Daniel Hagaman	WR
6 Austyn Carta-Samuels	QB	25 Brian Kimbrow	RB	43 Scot Aiello	S	57 Joe Townsend	OL	85 Trey Wilkins	WR
7 Josh Grady	WR	26 Brandon Banks	CB	44 Barron Dixon	DT	58 Colt Nichter	DT	86* Donovan Ward	WR
8 Trey Wilson	CB	27 Jahmel McIntosh	LB	45 Marc Panu	FB	61 Connor Morrison	SN	86 Austin Monahan	TE
9 Trent Pruitt	WR	28 Karl Butler	LB	45* Stephen Weatherly	DE	62 Ryan Seymour	OL	87 Jordan Matthews	WR
10 Cory Batey	WR	30 Larry Franklin	LB	46 Steve Monk	WR	66 Blake Fromang	OL	89 Dillon van der Wal	TE
11* Harding Harper	LB	31 Javon Marshall	S	47* Tyler Anders	RB	67 Wesley Johnson	OL	90 Walker May	DE
11 Jordan Rodgers	QB	32 Andrew Williamson	S	47 Blake Gowder	FB	69 Josh Jelesky	OL	92 Kyle Woestmann	DE
12 Steven Clarke	CB	33 Derek King	CB	48* Manny Amingwa	CB	71 Adam Butler	OL	93 Ladarius Banks	DT
13 Jake Sealand	LB	34 Andrew East	SN	48 Ryan Fowler	PK	73 Chase White	OL	94* Torey Agee	DT
14 John Townsley	QB	35* Hasan Clayton	RB	49 Robby Barbieri	LB	74 Will Holden	OL	94 Richard Kent	P
15 Archibald Barnes	LB	35 Darreon Herring	LB	49* Josh Gregory	S	75 Grant Ramsay	OL	95 Conor Hart	DT
15* Tip McKenzie	WR	36 Chase Garnham	LB	50 Andrew Jelks	OL	76 James Lewis	OL	97 Jared Morse	DT
16* Luke Colbert	QB	37* Casey Hughes	S	51 Hunter Bowman	LB	77 Spencer Pulley	OL	98 Johnell Thomas	DE
16* Colby Cooke	P/PK	38* Alex Hysong	CB	52 Andrew Bridges	OL	78 Kevin McCoy	OL		
16 Eddie Foster	CB	38 Fitz Lassing	FB	53* Jake Bernstein	OL	79 Ryan Brockway	OL		

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

**PLAYERS**  
 R. Barbieri (**bar-bee-AIR-ee**)  
 Andre Hal (**HAL**)  
 Jacquese (**juh-KWEESE**) Kirk  
 Rob Lohr (**LOR**)  
 Marc Panu (**PAN-ooH**)  
 Steven Scheu (**SHOY**)  
 Jerron (**juh-RON**) Seymour  
 Kyle Woestmann (**West-man**)

**COACHES**  
 Ricky Rahne (**RON-nee**)





# 2012 TEAM STATISTICS



## TEAM STATISTICS

SCORE (QUARTER)	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	OT	TOTAL
VANDERBILT	26	40	31	26	0	123
OPPONENTS	29	28	34	43	0	134

### VANDERBILT      OPPONENTS

SCORING		123	134
Points Per Game		20.5	22.3
FIRST DOWNS		108	106
Rushing		48	62
Passing		52	37
Penalty		8	7
RUSHING YARDAGE		894	1221
Yards gained rushing		1119	1365
Yards lost rushing		225	144
Rushing Attempts		242	244
Average Per Rush		3.7	5.0
Average Per Game		149.0	203.5
TDs Rushing		8	12
PASSING YARDAGE		1300	889
Comp-Att-Int		89-158-2	78-153-2
Average Per Pass		8.2	5.8
Average Per Catch		14.6	11.4
Average Per Game		216.7	148.2
TDs Passing		4	3
TOTAL OFFENSE		2194	2110
Total Plays		400	397
Average Per Play		5.5	5.3
Average Per Game		365.7	351.7
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards		25-544	12-262
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards		13-109	9-68
INT RETURNS: #-Yards		2-117	2-68
KICK RETURN AVERAGE		21.8	21.8
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE		8.4	7.6
INT RETURN AVERAGE		58.5	34.0
FUMBLES-LOST		12-4	9-3
PENALTIES-Yards		33-261	38-253
Average Per Game		43.5	42.2
PUNTS-Yards		32-1430	38-1543
Average Per Punt		44.7	40.6
Net punt average		41.3	35.1
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game		30:19	29:41
3RD-DOWN Conversions		25/89	29/87
3rd-Down Pct		28%	33%
4TH-DOWN Conversions		7/15	3/6
4th-Down Pct		47%	50%
SACKS BY-Yards		10-66	16-125
MISC YARDS		0	11
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED		13	15
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS		10-13	10-10
ON-SIDE KICKS		0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES		(16-23) 70%	(17-19) 89%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS		(8-23) 35%	(8-19) 42%
PAT-ATTEMPTS		(13-13) 100%	(12-12) 100%
ATTENDANCE		114,234	190,640
Games/Avg Per Game		3/38,078	3/63,547

## GAME RESULTS

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Overall	Conf.	Time	Attn.
8/30	South Carolina	L	17-13	0-1	0-1	3:15	38,393
9/8	at Northwestern	L	23-13	0-2	0-1	3:15	31,644
9/15	Presbyterian	W	58-0	1-2	0-1	3:03	35,491
9/22	at Georgia	L	48-3	1-3	0-2	3:15	92,746
10/6	at Missouri	W	19-15	2-3	1-2	3:21	66,250
10/13	Florida	L	31-17	2-4	1-3	3:28	40,350
10/20	Auburn						
10/27	UMass						
11/3	at Kentucky						
11/10	at Ole Miss						
11/17	Tennessee						
11/24	at Wake Forest						

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

PASSING	GP	Eff.	Att-Comp-Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Avg/G
Jordan Rodgers	5	126.58	74-134-2	55.2	1068	3	78	213.6
A. Carta-Samuels	2	158.05	14-22-0	63.6	208	1	38	104.0
Zac Stacy	6	150.80	1-2-0	50.0	24	0	24	4.0
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>131.27</b>	<b>89-158-2</b>	<b>56.3</b>	<b>1300</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>216.7</b>
Opponents	6	103.64	78-153-2	51.0	889	3	85	148.2

RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Zac Stacy	6	99	539	40	499	5.0	4	86	83.2
Brian Kimbrow	6	24	188	3	185	7.7	1	49	30.8
Wesley Tate	6	35	126	13	113	3.2	2	20	18.8
Warren Norman	3	10	33	0	33	3.3	1	5	11.0
Josh Grady	6	5	24	1	23	4.6	0	13	3.8
Jordan Matthews	6	1	18	0	18	18.0	0	18	3.0
A. Carta-Samuels	2	4	18	1	17	4.2	0	11	8.5
Jordan Rodgers	5	57	164	155	9	0.2	0	25	1.8
John Townsley	1	1	7	0	7	7.0	0	7	7.0
Jonathan Krause	6	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	0.3
<b>TEAM</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-12</b>	<b>-2.4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-3.0</b>
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>1119</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>149.0</b>
Opponents	6	244	1365	144	1221	5.0	12	70	203.5

RECEIVING	GP	No.	Yards	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Jordan Matthews	6	43	617	14.3	3	78	102.8
Chris Boyd	6	19	405	21.3	0	60	67.5
Josh Grady	6	6	77	12.8	0	32	12.8
Jonathan Krause	6	5	38	7.6	0	23	6.3
Steven Scheu	5	4	24	6.0	1	11	4.8
Zac Stacy	6	3	68	22.7	0	55	11.3
Wesley Tate	6	3	21	7.0	0	17	3.5
Kris Kentera	6	2	8	4.0	0	4	1.3
Jordan Rodgers	5	1	24	24.0	0	24	4.8
Warren Norman	3	1	9	9.0	0	9	3.0
Fitz Lassing	6	1	7	7.0	0	7	1.2
Brian Kimbrow	6	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.3
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>1300</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>216.7</b>
Opponents	6	78	889	11.4	3	85	148.2



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## TOTAL OFFENSE

	GP	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Jordan Rodgers	5	191	9	1068	1077	215.4
Zac Stacy	6	101	499	24	523	87.2
A Carta-Samuels	2	26	17	208	225	112.5
Brian Kimbrow	6	24	185	0	185	30.8
Wesley Tate	6	35	113	0	113	18.8
Warren Norman	3	10	33	0	33	11.0
Josh Grady	6	5	23	0	23	3.8
Jordan Matthews	6	1	18	0	18	3.0
John Townsley	1	1	7	0	7	7.0
Jonathan Krause	6	1	2	0	2	0.3
TEAM	4	5	-12	0	-12	-3.0
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>1300</b>	<b>2194</b>	<b>365.7</b>
Opponents	6	397	1221	889	2110	351.7

## PUNT RETURNS

	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Jordan Matthews	7	85	12.1	0	32
Jonathan Krause	4	16	4.0	0	12
TEAM	1	-7	-7.0	0	0
Zac Stacy	1	15	15.0	0	15
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>32</b>
Opponents	9	68	7.6	0	22

## KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Brian Kimbrow	17	365	21.5	0	43
Andre Hal	7	156	22.3	0	52
Steven Clarke	1	23	23.0	0	23
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>544</b>	<b>21.8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>52</b>
Opponents	12	262	21.8	0	60

## FIELD GOALS

	FGM-FGA	%	1-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Lg	Blk
Carey Spear	10-13	76.9	7-7	1-1	2-4	0-1	44	1

## ALL-PURPOSE

	GP	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	Ret	Total	Avg
Jordan Matthews	6	18	617	85	0	0	720	120.0
Zac Stacy	6	499	68	15	0	0	582	97.0
Brian Kimbrow	6	185	2	0	365	0	552	92.0
Chris Boyd	6	0	405	0	0	0	405	67.5
Andre Hal	6	0	0	0	156	0	156	26.0
Wesley Tate	6	113	21	0	0	0	134	22.3
Trey Wilson	6	0	0	0	0	100	100	16.7
Josh Grady	6	23	77	0	0	0	100	16.7
Jonathan Krause	6	2	38	16	0	0	56	9.3
Warren Norman	3	33	9	0	0	0	42	14.0
Jordan Rodgers	5	9	24	0	0	0	33	6.6
Steven Scheu	5	0	24	0	0	0	24	4.8
Steven Clarke	5	0	0	0	23	0	23	4.6
Kenny Ladler	5	0	0	0	0	17	17	3.4
A Carta-Samuels	2	17	0	0	0	0	17	8.5
Kris Kentera	6	0	8	0	0	0	8	1.3
Fitz Lassing	6	0	7	0	0	0	7	1.2
John Townsley	1	7	0	0	0	0	7	7.0
TEAM	4	-12	0	-7	0	0	-19	-4.8
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>1300</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>544</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>2964</b>	<b>494.0</b>
Opponents	6	1221	889	68	262	68	2508	418.0

## PUNTING

	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I-20	Blk
Richard Kent	31	1397	45.1	67	2	11	12	0
Carey Spear	1	33	33.0	33	0	0	1	0
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>1430</b>	<b>44.7</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>
Opponents	38	1543	40.6	55	5	9	11	0

## VANDERBILT SCORING DRIVES

Opponent	Plays	Yards	Time	Culminating Play
S. CAROLINA	2	76	1:01	Matthews 78-yd pass from Rodgers
S. CAROLINA	5	38	2:06	Spear 25-yd field goal
S. CAROLINA	10	27	3:43	Spear 44-yd field goal
N'WESTERN	13	77	4:49	Matthews 22-yd pass from Rodgers
N'WESTERN	11	80	3:57	Spear 32-yd field goal
N'WESTERN	9	60	4:07	Spear 26-yd field goal
PRESBYTERIAN	1	86	0:14	Stacy 86-yd run
PRESBYTERIAN	10	84	4:20	Spear 23-yd field goal
PRESBYTERIAN	7	30	2:39	Tate 6-yd run
PRESBYTERIAN	11	49	4:29	Spear 28-yd field goal
PRESBYTERIAN	6	68	3:35	Scheu 3-yd pass from Carta-Samuels
PRESBYTERIAN	9	61	3:10	Tate 1-yd run
PRESBYTERIAN	4	63	1:47	Norman 3-yd run
PRESBYTERIAN	1	49	0:15	Kimbrow 49-yd run
PRESBYTERIAN	9	33	4:33	Spear 42-yd field goal
GEORGIA	8	64	1:50	Spear 29-yd field goal
MISSOURI	11	76	4:22	Stacy 5-yd run
MISSOURI	5	74	1:51	Stacy 14-yd run
MISSOURI	12	78	4:45	Spear 21-yd field goal
FLORIDA	6	66	2:37	Matthews 10-yd pass from Rodgers
FLORIDA	11	75	4:33	Stacy 1-yd run
FLORIDA	7	71	2:47	Spear 22-yd field goal





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## SCORING

	TDs	FGs	PATs						Saf	Pts
			Kick	Rush	Rec	Pass	DXP			
Carey Spear	0	10-13	8-8	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	38	
Zac Stacy	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24	
Jordan Matthews	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18	
Wesley Tate	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12	
Warren Norman	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	
Trey Wilson	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	
Steven Scheu	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	
Brian Kimbrow	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	
Ryan Fowler	0	0-0	5-5	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	5	
TEAM	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	1	2	
Kenny Ladler	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0	
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10-13</b>	<b>13-13</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>123</b>	
Opponents	15	10-10	12-12	1-2	0	0-1	0	0	134	

## FIELD GOAL SEQUENCE

	VANDERBILT	OPPONENT
South Carolina	(25), (44), 51	(20)
at Northwestern	(32),(26)	(40),(37),(18)
Presbyterian	(23),(28),(42)	-
at Georgia	(29),46	-
at Missouri	(21)	(31),(28),(22)
Florida	44,(22)	(23),(29),(26)
Auburn		
UMass		
at Kentucky		
at Ole Miss		
Tennessee		
at Wake Forest		

*Numbers in (parentheses) indicate successful field goals.*

## INDIVIDUAL DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

#	Name	Tackles			TFL/Yds	Sacks No-Yards	Pass Def		QBH	Fumbles		Blocked		Saf
		Solo	Ast	Total			Int-Yds	BrUp		Rcv-Yds	FF	Kick		
1	Kenny Ladler	26	16	42	1.5-4	1-4	1-17	1	.	.	1	.	.	
36	Chase Garnham	22	16	38	3.5-25	2-23	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	
31	Javon Marshall	29	8	37	1.0-1	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	
15	A. Barnes	17	17	34	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	
28	Karl Butler	19	10	29	7.0-21	1-4	.	1	1	1-0	1	.	.	
22	Eric Samuels	9	12	21	1.5-12	1-11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
23	Andre Hal	16	5	21	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	
98	Johnell Thomas	7	10	17	2.0-3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
8	Trey Wilson	10	5	15	0.5-2	.	1-100	3	.	.	.	.	.	
90	Walker May	7	7	14	3.5-17	1-8	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	
35	Darreon Herring	5	7	12	1.0-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
55	Caleb Azubike	7	3	10	2.0-9	2-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
97	Jared Morse	5	5	10	4.0-7	1-4	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	
84	Rob Lohr	2	8	10	1.5-4	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	
53	Vince Taylor	3	5	8	1.5-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
92	Kyle Woestmann	4	4	8	2.5-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
58	Colt Nichter	1	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
16	Eddie Foster	6	1	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
30	Larry Franklin	5	2	7	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	
44	Barron Dixon	2	5	7	.	.	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.	
32	A. Williamson	5	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
42	Kellen Williams	1	4	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
12	Steven Clarke	5	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
13	Jake Sealand	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	
54	Jimmy Stewart	1	2	3	0.5-2	1-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
24	Wesley Tate	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
56	Darien Bryant	1	1	2	0.5-1	1-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
27	Jahmel McIntosh	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
37	Casey Hughes	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
34	Andrew East	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
94	Richard Kent	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
2	Zac Stacy	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
95	Conor Hart	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
67	Wesley Johnson	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
49	Robby Barbieri	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
39	Carey Spear	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
7	Josh Grady	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TM	TEAM	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
81	Steven Scheu	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>		<b>223</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>393</b>	<b>35-124</b>	<b>10-66</b>	<b>2-117</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3-0</b>	<b>5</b>	.	<b>1</b>	
Opponents		-	-	-	-	16-125	2-68	20	21	4-0	4	1	.	



# 2012 TEAM STATISTICS



## PASSING

	Jordan Rodgers	A. Carta-Samuels
South Carolina	23-13-214-1-1	-
at Northwestern	33-17-217-1-0	-
Presbyterian	-	20-13-195-1-0
at Georgia	23-13-218-0-0	2-1-13-0-0
at Missouri	24-14-182-0-1	-
Florida	31-17-237-1-0	-
Auburn		
UMass		
at Kentucky		
at Ole Miss		
Tennessee		
at Wake Forest		
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>134-74-1068-3-2</b>	<b>22-14-208-1-0</b>

## COMMODORE SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

Category	Player, Opponent
<b>RUSHING YARDS</b>	174, Zac Stacy (vs. Presbyterian)
<b>RUSH ATTEMPTS</b>	29, Zac Stacy (at Missouri)
<b>PASSING YARDS</b>	237, Jordan Rodgers (vs. Florida)
<b>PASS COMPLETIONS</b>	17, (2x) Jordan Rodgers (vs. Florida)
<b>RECEPTIONS</b>	9, Jordan Matthews (at Missouri)
<b>RECEIVING YARDS</b>	147, Jordan Matthews (vs. South Carolina)
<b>TDS SCORED</b>	2, (2x) Zac Stacy (at Missouri)
<b>ALL-PURPOSE YARDS</b>	174, Zac Stacy (vs. Presbyterian)
<b>TOTAL TACKLES</b>	12, Archibald Barnes (vs. Florida)
<b>SOLO TACKLES</b>	8, Kenny Ladler (vs. South Carolina)
<b>QB SACKS</b>	1, (11x last) Karl Butler (vs. Florida)
<b>TACKLES FOR LOSS</b>	2.5, (2x) Jared Morse (vs. Presbyterian)
<b>LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN</b>	52, Andre Hal (vs. South Carolina)
<b>INTERCEPTIONS</b>	1, (2x) Trey Wilson (vs. Presbyterian)

## RUSHING

	#-Yds/TD	SC	NW	PC	UGA	MIZZ	FLA	AU	MASS	UK	MISS	UT	WF
Zac Stacy RB	99-499/4	13-48/0	13-36/0	8-174/1	12-83/0	29-72/2	24-86/1						
Brian Kimbrow RB	24-185/1	2-5/0	4-14/0	14-137/1	-	3-27/0	1-2/0						
Wesley Tate WR	35-113/2	7-17/0	1-(-2)/0	9-24/2	8-8/0	-	10-66/0						
Warren Norman RB	10-33/1	DNP	DNP	8-26/1	2-7/0	DNP	-						
Josh Grady WR	5-23/0	1-0/0	-	3-24/0	-	1-(-1)/0	-						
Jordan Matthews WR	1-18/0	-	-	-	-	1-18/0	-						
A Carta-Samuels QB	4-17/0	DNP	DNP	3-18/0	1-(-1)/0	DNP	DNP						
Jordan Rodgers QB	57-9/0	13-(-8)/0	15-51/0	DNP	13-9/0	5-(-16)/0	11-(-27)/0						
John Townsley QB	1-7/0	DNP	DNP	1-7/0	DNP	DNP	DNP						
Jonathan Krause WR	1-2/0	-	1-2/0	-	-	-	-						
TEAM	5-(-12)/0	DNP	DNP	-	-	4-(-11)/0	1-(-1)/0						

## RECEIVING

	#-Yds/TD	SC	NW	PC	UGA	MIZZ	FLA	AU	MASS	UK	MISS	UT	WF
Jordan Matthews WR	43-617/3	8-147/1	6-75/1	4-54/0	8-119/0	9-91/0	8-131/1						
Chris Boyd WR	19-405/0	1-9/0	6-76/0	4-90/0	4-110/0	3-83/0	1-37/0						
Josh Grady WR	6-77/0	1-32/0	1--3/0	2-37/0	1-5/0	-	1-6/0						
Zac Stacy RB	3-68/0	-	1-55/0	-	1-(-3)/0	-	1-16/0						
Jonathan Krause WR	5-38/0	2-9/0	1-2/0	-	-	1-4/0	1-23/0						
Jordan Rodgers QB	1-24/0	-	-	DNP	-	1-24/0	-						
Steven Scheu TE	4-24/1	DNP	-	1-3/1	-	-	3-21/0						
Wesley Tate WR	3-21/0	1-17/0	1-5/0	-	-	-	1-(-1)/0						
Warren Norman RB	1-9/0	DNP	DNP	1-9/0	-	DNP	-						
Kris Kentera TE	2-8/0	-	-	-	-	1-4/0	1-4/0						
Fitz Lassing RB	1-7/0	-	1-7/0	-	-	-	-						
Brian Kimbrow RB	1-2/0	-	-	1-2/0	-	-	-						

## PUNT RETURNS

	#-Yds/TD	SC	NW	PC	UGA	MIZZ	FLA	AU	MASS	UK	MISS	UT	WF
Jordan Matthews	7-85	-	-	3-36	1-0	2-38	1-11						
Jonathan Krause	4-16	-	2-11	2-5	-	-	-						
Zac Stacy	1-15	1-15	-	-	-	-	-						
TEAM	1-(-7)	DNP	DNP	1-(-7)	-	-	-						

## KICK RETURNS

	#-Yds/TD	SC	NW	PC	UGA	MIZZ	FLA	AU	MASS	UK	MISS	UT	WF
Brian Kimbrow	17-365	-	3-76	1-31	6-134	5-87	2-37						
Andre Hal	7-156	2-61	3-65	-	1-14	-	1-16						
Steven Clarke	1-23	1-23	-	-	-	-	DNP						





# INDIVIDUAL DEFENSIVE STATS



## TACKLES

	UA-A-Total	SC	NW	PC	UGA	MIZZ	FLA	AU	MASS	UK	MISS	UT	WF
Kenny Ladler DB	26-16-42	8-1	4-3	DNP	7-4	4-4	3-4						
Chase Garnham LB	22-16-38	6-3	5-2	3-2	3-3	4-1	1-5						
Javon Marshall DB	29-8-37	7-3	5-0	3-1	4-1	7-1	3-2						
A. Barnes LB	17-17-34	5-3	4-1	3-3	0-2	0-1	5-7						
Karl Butler LB	19-10-29	3-2	4-1	2-0	3-2	4-3	3-2						
Eric Samuels DB	9-12-21	2-0	2-1	2-3	2-3	1-5	-						
Andre Hal DB	16-5-21	1-0	2-0	1-1	3-1	6-0	3-3						
Johnell Thomas DL	7-10-17	0-3	1-3	2-1	1-2	2-0	1-1						
Trey Wilson DB	10-5-15	1-0	1-1	2-1	4-1	0-1	2-1						
Walker May DL	7-7-14	1-1	3-2	1-0	1-2	1-1	0-1						
Darreon Herring LB	5-7-12	-	0-2	2-1	2-4	1-0	-						
Caleb Azubike DL	7-3-10	-	3-0	2-0	0-3	2-0	-						
Jared Morse DL	5-5-10	-	1-0	2-1	1-2	-	1-2						
Rob Lohr	2-8-10	1-2	0-2	0-1	0-2	1-1	-						
Vince Taylor DL	3-5-8	1-0	1-0	0-2	1-2	-	0-1						
Kyle Woestmann DL	4-4-8	-	2-2	-	1-2	1-0	-						
Barron Dixon DL	2-5-7	0-1	-	1-2	0-1	-	1-1						
Larry Franklin LB	5-2-7	2-0	-	1-1	-	2-0	0-1						
Eddie Foster DB	6-1-7	-	1-0	1-0	2-1	2-0	-						
Colt Nichter DL	1-6-7	0-1	0-2	1-0	0-2	DNP	0-1						
A. Williamson DB	5-1-6	-	2-0	1-1	1-0	-	1-0						
Kellen Williams LB	1-4-5	-	0-1	0-1	1-2	DNP	DNP						
Steven Clarke DB	5-0-5	2-0	1-0	-	2-0	-	DNP						
Jake Sealand LB	1-3-4	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	0-3						
Jimmy Stewart DL	1-2-3	-	1-0	0-2	-	DNP	DNP						
Casey Hughes DB	1-1-2	-	-	1-0	-	-	0-1						
Jahmel McIntosh DB	0-2-2	-	-	0-2	-	DNP	DNP						
Darien Bryant DL	1-1-2	-	-	1-1	-	DNP	DNP						
Wesley Tate	1-1-2	-	-	0-1	-	1-0	-						
Wesley Johnson	1-0-1	-	-	-	-	1-0	-						
Richard Kent	1-0-1	-	-	-	1-0	-	-						
Josh Grady	1-0-1	-	-	-	-	-	1-0						
Zac Stacy	1-0-1	1-0	-	-	-	-	-						
Carey Spear	0-1-1	-	0-1	-	-	-	-						
Robby Barbieri LB	0-1-1	DNP	DNP	0-1	DNP	DNP	-						
Conor Hart DL	0-1-1	DNP	DNP	0-1	-	DNP	-						
Andrew East LB	1-0-1	-	-	-	-	-	1-0						

## INTERCEPTIONS

	No.-Yds	SC	NW	PC	UGA	MIZZ	FLA	AU	MASS	UK	MISS	UT	WF
Trey Wilson	1-100	-	-	1-100	-	-	-						
Kenny Ladler	1-17	1-17	-	DNP	-	-	-						

## FUMBLES FORCED/RECOVERED

	FF/FR	SC	NW	PC	UGA	MIZZ	FLA	AU	MASS	UK	MISS	UT	WF
Karl Butler	1/1	1/1	-	-	-	-	-						
Javon Marshall	1/0	1/0	-	-	-	-	-						
A. Barnes	1/0	-	-	1/0	-	-	-						
Barron Dixon	0/1	-	-	0/1	-	-	-						
Larry Franklin	0/1	-	-	-	-	0/1	-						
Jake Sealand	1/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1/0	-						
Kenny Ladler	1/0	-	-	-	-	-	1/0						

## QB SACKS

	UA-A-Totals	SC	NW	PC	UGA	MIZZ	FLA	AU	MASS	UK	MISS	UT	WF
Chase Garnham LB	2-0-2	1-12	-	-	-	1-11	-						
Caleb Azubike DL	2-0-2	-	1-5	1-4	-	-	-						
Jimmy Stewart DL	0-1-1	-	-	1-2	-	DNP	DNP						
Karl Butler LB	1-0-1	-	-	-	-	-	1-4						
Eric Samuels DB	1-0-1	-	-	1-11	-	-	-						
Jared Morse DL	1-0-1	-	-	-	1-4	-	-						
Kenny Ladler DB	1-0-1	1-4	-	DNP	-	-	-						
Walker May DL	1-0-1	1-8	-	-	-	-	-						
Darien Bryant DL	0-1-1	-	-	1-1	-	DNP	DNP						



# 2012 STARTERS & STATISTICS



## OFFENSIVE AND DEFENSIVE STARTERS

OFFENSE	WR	WR	WR/TE/FB	TE	QB	RB	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
South Carolina	Boyd	Matthews	Krause (WR)	Kentera	Rodgers	Stacy	Johnson	Seymour	Pulley	Jelesky	Bridges
at Northwestern	Boyd	Matthews	Krause	Scheu	Rodgers	Stacy	Johnson	Seymour	Pulley	Jelesky	Bridges
Presbyterian	Boyd	Matthews	Krause	Scheu	Carta-Samuels	Stacy	Johnson	Seymour	Townsend	Jelesky	Bridges
at Georgia	Boyd	Matthews	Krause	Kentera	Rodgers	Stacy	Johnson	Seymour	Townsend	Jelesky	Bridges
at Missouri	Boyd	Matthews	Scheu (TE)	Kentera	Rodgers	Stacy	Johnson	Seymour	Pulley	Jelesky	Bridges
Florida	Boyd	Matthews	Krause	Kentera	Rodgers	Stacy	Johnson	Seymour	Pulley	Jelesky	Bridges
Auburn											
UMass											
at Kentucky											
at Ole Miss											
Tennessee											
at Wake Forest											

DEFENSE	DE	DT	DT	DE	OLB	MLB	OLB	CB	SS	FS	CB
South Carolina	J. Thomas	Lohr	Nichter	May	Barnes	Garnham	Butler	Hal	Marshall	Ladler	Wilson
at Northwestern	J. Thomas	Lohr	Nichter	May	Barnes	Garnham	Butler	Hal	Marshall	Ladler	Wilson
Presbyterian	J. Thomas	Lohr	Nichter	May	Barnes	Garnham	Butler	Hal	Marshall	Samuels	Wilson
at Georgia	J. Thomas	Lohr	Nichter	May	Barnes	Garnham	Butler	Hal	Marshall	Ladler	Wilson
at Missouri	J. Thomas	Lohr	Morse	May	Barnes	Garnham	Butler	Hal	Marshall	Ladler	Wilson
Florida	J. Thomas	Lohr	Morse	May	Barnes	Garnham	Butler	Hal	Marshall	Ladler	Wilson
Auburn											
UMass											
at Kentucky											
at Ole Miss											
Tennessee											
at Wake Forest											

## GAME-BY-GAME TEAM COMPARISONS (Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category)

	Score	1st Downs	Rushing	Passing	Rush Yds	Pass Yds	Plays-Total Yds	Ret. Yds	TOs
South Carolina	L, 13-17	11/17	6/12	5/4	36-62/47-205	214/67	59-276/62-272	116/52	1/2
at Northwestern	L, 13-23	17/23	6/15	11/6	34-101/46-191	217/133	67-318/77-324	152/21	2/0
Presbyterian	W, 58-0	25/7	15/2	9/4	46-410/34-47	195/102	66-605/55-149	172/97	0/2
at Georgia	L, 3-48	15/27	6/14	8/12	36-106/47-302	231/265	61-337/73-567	148/58	1/0
at Missouri	W, 19-15	17/17	6/8	8/8	43-89/35-150	206/245	69-295/75-395	125/97	1/1
Florida	L, 17-31	23/15	9/11	11/3	47-126/35-326	237/77	78-363/55-403	64/73	1/0
Auburn									
UMass									
at Kentucky									
at Ole Miss									
Tennessee									
at Wake Forest									
<b>Totals</b>	<b>123-134</b>	<b>108/106</b>	<b>48/62</b>	<b>52/37</b>	<b>242-894/244-1221</b>	<b>1300/889</b>	<b>400-2194/397-2110</b>	<b>770/398</b>	<b>6/5</b>

## GAME-BY-GAME TEAM COMPARISONS (Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category)

	3rd Down	4th Down	Time Poss	Margin	Yds/Rush	Yds/Pass	Yds/Play	Punting	Pen. Yds
South Carolina	3-15/3-12	1-4/1-1	28:24/31:36	-3:12	1.7/4.4	9.3/4.5	4.7/4.4	4-43.5/6-39.0	5-35/6-30
at Northwestern	4-15/8-17	2-3/0-0	29:44/30:16	-0:32	3.0/4.2	6.6/4.3	4.7/4.2	6-45.0/6-41.5	4-40/5-40
Presbyterian	4-12/3-16	3-4/1-1	30:34/29:26	1:08	8.9/1.4	9.8/4.9	9.2/2.7	1-48.0/10-38.9	4-45/4-21
at Georgia	2-14/6-12	0-1/0-0	27:53/32:07	-4:14	2.9/6.4	9.2/10.2	5.5/7.8	9-45.7/5-40.2	11-68/7-47
at Missouri	5-16/7-19	0-1/0-3	32:11/27:49	4:22	2.1/4.3	7.9/6.1	4.3/5.3	7-43.4/5-39.0	5-40/6-35
Florida	7-17/2-11	1-2/1-1	33:10/26:50	6:20	2.7/9.3	7.6/3.8	4.7/7.3	5-44.6/5-46.2	4-33/10-80
Auburn									
UMass									
at Kentucky									
at Ole Miss									
Tennessee									
at Wake Forest									
<b>Totals</b>	<b>25-89/29-87</b>	<b>7-15/3-6</b>	<b>181:56/178:04</b>	<b>3:52</b>	<b>3.7/5.0</b>	<b>8.2/5.8</b>	<b>5.5/5.3</b>	<b>32-44.7/38-40.6</b>	<b>261/253</b>





# 2012 STATISTICS



## 3RD DOWN CONVERSIONS

	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
South Carolina	L, 13-17	3-15 (20.0%)	2-6 (33.3%)	1-3 (33.3%)	0-4 (0.0%)	0-2 (0.0%)
at Northwestern	L, 13-23	4-15 (26.7%)	3-5 (60.0%)	0-3 (0.0%)	0-3 (0.0%)	1-4 (25.0%)
Presbyterian	W, 58-0	4-12 (33.3%)	1-3 (33.3%)	0-3 (0.0%)	2-2 (100.0%)	1-4 (25.0%)
at Georgia	L, 3-48	2-14 (14.3%)	1-4 (25.0%)	0-3 (0.0%)	1-4 (25.0%)	0-3 (0.0%)
at Missouri	W, 19-15	5-16 (31.2%)	0-3 (0.0%)	2-6 (33.3%)	0-2 (0.0%)	3-5 (60.0%)
Florida	L, 17-31	7-17 (41.2%)	1-3 (33.3%)	1-3 (33.3%)	2-4 (50.0%)	3-7 (42.9%)
Auburn						
UMass						
at Kentucky						
at Ole Miss						
Tennessee						
at Wake Forest						
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>		<b>25-89 (28.1%)</b>	<b>8-24 (33.3%)</b>	<b>4-21 (19.0%)</b>	<b>5-19 (26.3%)</b>	<b>8-25 (32.0%)</b>
Opponents		29-87 (33.3%)	5-17 (29.4%)	7-24 (29.2%)	7-24 (29.2%)	10-22 (45.5%)

## 4TH DOWN CONVERSIONS

	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
South Carolina	L, 13-17	1-4 (25.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)	1-1 (100.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)
at Northwestern	L, 13-23	2-3 (66.7%)	1-1 (100.0%)	1-1 (100.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)
Presbyterian	W, 58-0	3-4 (75.0%)	1-1 (100.0%)	2-2 (100.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)
at Georgia	L, 3-48	0-1 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)
at Missouri	W, 19-15	0-1 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)
Florida	L, 17-31	1-2 (50.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	0-0 (0.0%)	1-2 (50.0%)
Auburn						
UMass						
at Kentucky						
at Ole Miss						
Tennessee						
at Wake Forest						
<b>Vanderbilt Totals</b>		<b>7-15 (46.7%)</b>	<b>2-3 (66.7%)</b>	<b>3-5 (60.0%)</b>	<b>1-2 (50.0%)</b>	<b>1-5 (20.0%)</b>
Opponents		3-6 (50.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)	2-3 (66.7%)	1-1 (100.0%)	0-1 (0.0%)

## TIME OF POSSESSION

	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
South Carolina	L, 13-17	28:24	10:18	4:49	8:35	4:42
at Northwestern	L, 13-23	29:44	8:53	9:17	5:53	5:41
Presbyterian	W, 58-0	30:34	6:00	5:45	8:50	9:59
at Georgia	L, 3-48	27:53	9:26	5:40	8:02	4:45
at Missouri	W, 19-15	32:11	6:14	8:26	8:29	9:02
Florida	L, 17-31	33:10	6:02	6:29	11:22	9:17
Auburn						
UMass						
at Kentucky						
at Ole Miss						
Tennessee						
at Wake Forest						
<b>Vanderbilt Total</b>		<b>181:56</b>	<b>46:53</b>	<b>40:26</b>	<b>51:11</b>	<b>43:26</b>
<b>Vandy Avg.</b>		<b>30:19</b>	<b>7:48</b>	<b>6:44</b>	<b>8:31</b>	<b>7:14</b>
Opponents Total		178:04	43:07	49:34	38:49	46:34
Opponents Avg.		29:40	7:11	8:15	6:28	7:45





## South Carolina earns comeback victory in season opener

**NASHVILLE** – Ninth-ranked South Carolina and coach Steve Spurrier got a big scare to open the season. Marcus Lattimore and Connor Shaw helped the Gamecocks grind their way through past scrappy Vanderbilt.

Lattimore ran for two touchdowns and 110 yards in his first game back after tearing his left ACL, and Shaw ran for 92 yards while playing the second half with an injured shoulder as No. 9 South Carolina rallied for a 17-13 victory against Vanderbilt on Thursday night.

### Game 1 Aug. 30, 2012 Nashville

"Maybe it's good for us ...," Spurrier said. "You look at the preseason press we thought we were hot stuff. Then we almost got that stuff beat out of us."

But Shaw bruised his right, throwing shoulder late in the first half and missed the first two series of the third quarter before returning. The junior drove the Gamecocks for the go-ahead touchdown and ran 12 yards to the Vandy 1 before rolling in pain in the end zone.

Lattimore scored the go-ahead TD on a 1-yard run with 11:25 to go.

### SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1-0</b>
<b>VANDERBILT</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0-1</b>

**FIRST QUARTER:** SC: Lattimore 29-yd run (Yates kick) 2-49 0:21

**SECOND QUARTER:** SC: Yates 2-yd field goal 14-66 6:38. VANDY: Matthews 78-yd pass from Rodgers (Spear kick) 2-76 1:01. VANDY: Spear 25-yd field goal 5-38 2:06.

**THIRD QUARTER:** VANDY: Spear 44-yd field goal 10-27 3:43.

**FOURTH QUARTER:** SC: Lattimore 1-yd run (Yates kick) 9-66 4:39.

#### STATISTICS

	<u>S. CAROLINA</u>	<u>VANDERBILT</u>
FIRST DOWNS	17	11
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	47-205	36-62
PASSING YDS (NET)	67	214
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	15-7-1	23-13-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	62-272	59-276
FUMBLE RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	0-0
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	3-15	1-15
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	3-84
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	1-37	1-17
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	6-39.0	4-43.5
FUMBLES-LOST	2-1	3-0
PENALTIES-YARDS	6-30	5-35
POSSESSION TIME	31:36	28:24
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	3 OF 12	3 OF 15
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	1 OF 1	1 OF 4
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	2-2	1-2
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	5-31	3-24

**RUSHING:** SC – Marcus Lattimore 23-110; Connor Shaw 14-92; Mike Davis 1-4; Kenny Miles 1-3; TEAM 3-0; Dylan Thompson 5-(-4). VANDY – Zac Stacy 13-48; Wesley Tate 7-17; Brian Kimbrow 2-5; Josh Grady 1-0; Jordan Rodgers 13-(-8).

**PASSING:** ELON – SC - Connor Shaw 7-11-1-67; Dylan Thompson 0-3-0-0; Seth Strickland 0-1-0-0. VANDY – Jordan Rodgers 13-23-1-214.

**RECEIVING:** SC - Marcus Lattimore 3-21; Ace Sanders 2-13; J. Cunningham 1-20; Damiere Byrd 1-13. VANDY – Jordan Matthews 8-147; Jonathan Krause 2-9; Josh Grady 1-32; Wesley Tate 1-17; Chris Boyd 1-9.

## Wildcats down Commodores with fourth quarter comeback

**EVANSTON, III. (AP)** - Venric Mark ran for 123 yards and a late touchdown, Tyler Scott forced a key fumble and Northwestern beat Vanderbilt 23-13 Saturday night.

Northwestern (2-0) didn't score a touchdown in the first three quarters but managed 17 points in the fourth to come away with another dramatic win after beating Syracuse 42-41 in the opener.

### Game 2 Sept. 8, 2012 Evanston, Ill.

The Wildcats finally found the end zone when Mark ran it in from the 7 to give Northwestern a short-lived 13-10 lead with 9:28 left in the game. Vanderbilt's Zac Stacy then turned a short swing pass into a 55-yard gain that put the ball on the 14, but instead of a touchdown, the Commodores (0-2) had to settle for a tying

26-yard field goal by Carey Spear.

Northwestern caught a break on the next drive when Trevor Siemian's 34-yard pass to Rashad Lawrence along the left sideline was ruled an completion even though he fumbled the ball as he went out of bounds. Jeff Budzien kicked an 18-yarder with 2:01 remaining to break the tie.

### SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
<b>VANDERBILT</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0-2</b>
<b>NORTHWESTERN</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2-0</b>

**FIRST QUARTER:** VANDY: Matthews 22-yd pass from Jordan Rodgers (Spear kick), 13-77 4:49. NU: Budzien 40-yd field goal, 10-52 2:57.

**SECOND QUARTER:** VANDY: Spear 32-yd field goal, 11-80 3:57.

**THIRD QUARTER:** NU: Budzien 37-yd field goal, 14-54 4:44.

**FOURTH QUARTER:** NU: Mark 7-yd run (Budzien, Jeff kick), 11-86 4:27. VANDY: Spear 26-yd field goal, 9-60 4:07. NU: Budzien 18-yd field goal, 12-73 3:20. NU: Colter 29-yd run (Budzien, Jeff kick), 3-20 0:23.

#### STATISTICS

	<u>VANDERBILT</u>	<u>NORTHWESTERN</u>
FIRST DOWNS	17	23
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	34-101	46-191
PASSING YDS (NET)	217	133
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	33-17-0	31-17-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	67-318	77-324
FUMBLE RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	0-0
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	2-11	0-0
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	6-141	1-21
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	0-0
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	6-45.0	6-41.5
FUMBLES-LOST	3-2	1-0
PENALTIES-YARDS	4-40	5-40
POSSESSION TIME	29:44	30:16
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	4 OF 15	8 OF 17
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	2 OF 3	0 OF 0
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	2-3	4-5
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	1-5	3-24

**RUSHING:** VANDY – Jordan Rodgers 15-51; Zac Stacy 13-36; Brian Kimbrow 4-14; Jonathan Krause 1-2; Wesley Tate 1-(-2). NU – Venric Mark 24-123; Kain Colter 13-66; Mike Trumphy 4-9; Tyris Jones, Tyris 1-3; Treyvon Green 2-(-1); TEAM 2-(-9).

**PASSING:** VANDY – Jordan Rodgers 17-33-0-217. NU – Trevor Siemian 10-16-0-91; Kain Colter 7-15-0-42.

**RECEIVING:** VANDY – Chris Boyd 6-76; Jordan Matthews 6-75; Zac Stacy 1-55; Fitz Lassing 1-7; Wesley Tate 1-5; Jonathan Krause 1-2; Josh Grady 1-(-3). NU – R. Lawrence 3-49; Kyle Prater 3-24; Tony Jones 3-13; C. Jones 2-15; D. Fields 2-4; Venric Mark 1-14; C. Dickerson 1-6; Dan Vitale 1-5; Mike Trumphy 1-3.





## Vandy victory over Presbyterian is team's first shutout in three years

**NASHVILLE (AP)** - VLooking for its first win of the season, Vanderbilt put together a dominating performance Saturday, defeating Presbyterian 58-0 at Vanderbilt Stadium.

Vanderbilt quarterback Austyn Carta-Samuels made his first start, and helped Vanderbilt's offense move up and down the field with ease, gaining 605 yards of offense. Vanderbilt did not punt until seven minutes were left in the game, doing most of its damage on the ground, where the Commodores gained 410 yards. VU improved to 1-2.

### Game 3 Sept. 15, 2012 Nashville, Tenn.

Zac Stacy totaled 174 yards on eight carries. Brian Kimbrow had 137 yards on 14 carries. It marked the first time Vanderbilt had two running backs rush for more than 100 yards since 2009.

Wesley Tate also had two rushing touchdowns and Warren Norman added another. For Norman, he received his first carries since the 2010 season, finishing with 26 yards on eight attempts.

### SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
PRESBYTERIAN	0	0	0	0	0	1-2
VANDERBILT	10	17	28	3	58	1-2, 0-1

**FIRST QUARTER:** VANDY: Stacy 86-yd run (Spear kick), 1-86 0:14. VANDY: Spear 23-yd field goal, 10-84 4:20.

**SECOND QUARTER:** VANDY: Tate 6-yd run (Fowler kick), 7-30 2:39. VANDY: Spear 28-yd field goal, 11-49 4:29. VANDY: Wilson 100-yd interception return (Spear kick).

**THIRD QUARTER:** VANDY: Scheu 3-yd pass from Carta-Samuels (Fowler kick), 6-68 3:05. VANDY: Tate 1-yd run (Spear kick), 9-61 3:10. VANDY: Norman 3-yd run (Fowler kick), 4-63 1:47. VANDY: Kimbrow 49-yd run (Spear kick), 1-49 0:15.

**FOURTH QUARTER:** VANDY: Spear 42-yd field goal, 9-33 4:33.

#### STATISTICS

	PRESBYTERIAN	VANDERBILT
FIRST DOWNS	7	25
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	34-47	46-410
PASSING YDS (NET)	102	195
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	21-10-1	20-13-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	55-149	66-605
FUMBLE RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	0-0
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	6-41
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	5-97	1-31
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	1-100
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	10-38.9	1-48.0
FUMBLES-LOST	2-1	0-0
PENALTIES-YARDS	4-21	4-45
POSSESSION TIME	29:26	30:34
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	3 OF 16	4 OF 12
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	1 OF 1	3 OF 4
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	0-1	6-7
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	0-0	3-18

**RUSHING:** PC - L. Byrd 14-31; S. Armstrong 7-23; C. Sanders 2-14; J. McKie 1-3; M. Ruff 3-2; T. Garrick 4(-)-5; K. Griffin 2(-)-7; TEAM 1(-)-14. VANDY - Zac Stacy 8-174; Brian Kimbrow 14-137; Warren Norman 8-26; Josh Grady 3-24; Wesley Tate 9-24; Austyn Carta-Samuels 3-18; John Townsley 1-7.

**PASSING:** PC - K. Griffin 3-11-0-14; T. Garrick 7-10-1-88. VANDY - Austyn Carta-Samuels 13-20-0-195.

**RECEIVING:** PC - L. Byrd 2-16; J. McKie 2-8; A. Williams 2(-)-1; J. Gilkey 1-29; J. Hallums 1-21; M. Ruff 1-19; A. Bailey 1-10. VANDY - Chris Boyd 4-90; Jordan Matthews 4-54; Josh Grady 2-37; Warren Norman 1-9; Steven Scheu 1-3; Brian Kimbrow 1-2.

## Murray, potent offense leads Georgia over Commodores

**ATHENS, Ga. (AP)** - When Aaron Murray steps to the line, he feels a sense of calm that comes from experience.

Murray completed his first 12 passes and got plenty of help from the rest of the offense, leading No. 5 Georgia to its most complete performance of the season in a 48-3 rout of Vanderbilt on Saturday night.

Murray hooked up with Brown and King on touchdown throws, breaking a tie with Eric Zeier for second place in school history. The fourth-year junior has 69 career TDs, just three behind David Greene.

### Game 4 Sept. 22, 2012 Athens, Ga.

Murray also scored on a 1-yard sneak as the Bulldogs raced to a 27-0 lead in the first half. He finished 18 of 24 for 250 yards.

But there was more to this offensive performance than another big night for the quarterback. A lot more.

Georgia's freshmen backs had another outstanding game. Todd Gurley rushed for 130 yards and two touchdowns, including a 29-yard score in which he broke at least four tackles. Keith Marshall had a 52-yard TD among his two scoring runs.

### SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
VANDERBILT	0	3	0	0	3	1-3, 0-2
GEORGIA	13	14	21	0	48	4-0, 2-0

**FIRST QUARTER:** GA: Gurley 4-yd run (Morgan kick), 7-47 2:11. GA: Marshall 52-yd run (TEAM rush fumbled), 7-88 3:18.

**SECOND QUARTER:** GA: King 22-yd pass from Murray (Morgan kick), 7-57 2:31. GA: Murray 1-yd run (Morgan kick), 12-96 5:19. VANDY: Spear 29-yd field goal, 8-64 1:50.

**THIRD QUARTER:** GA: Brown 6-yd pass from Murray (Morgan kick), 10-63 3:34. GA: Marshall 2-yd run (Morgan kick), 3-61 1:01. GA: Gurley 29-yd run (Morgan kick), 3-71 1:01.

#### STATISTICS

	VANDERBILT	GEORGIA
FIRST DOWNS	15	27
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	36-106	47-302
PASSING YDS (NET)	231	265
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	25-14-0	26-19-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	61-337	73-567
FUMBLE RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	0-0
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	1-0	4-44
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	7-148	1-14
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	0-0
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	9-45.7	5-40.2
FUMBLES-LOST	3-1	0-0
PENALTIES-YARDS	11-68	7-47
POSSESSION TIME	27:53	32:07
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	2 OF 14	6 OF 12
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	0 OF 1	0 OF 0
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	1-3	4-4
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	1-4	3-20

**RUSHING:** VANDY-Zac Stacy 12-83; Jordan Rodgers 13-9; Wesley Tate 8-8; Warren Norman 2-7; A Carta-Samuels 1(-)-1. GA-Todd Gurley 16-130; Keith Marshall 10-82; Ken Malcome 6-41; Richard Samuel 5-27; M. Mitchell 1-16; Christian LeMay 1-5; Aaron Murray 4-5; Brandon Harton 2(-)-2; TEAM 2(-)-2.

**PASSING:** VANDY-Jordan Rodgers 13-23-0-218; A. Carta-Samuels 1-2-0-13. GA-Aaron Murray 18-24-0-250; Parker Welch 1-2-0-15.

**RECEIVING:** VANDY-Jordan Matthews 8-119; Chris Boyd 4-110; Josh Grady 1-5; Zac Stacy 1(-)-3. GA-Marlon Brown 5-114; Tavarres King 4-58; Rhett McGowan 2-26; Keith Marshall 2-11; Michael Bennett 2-10; R. Wooten 1-26; Todd Gurley 1-13; Chris Conley 1-13; M. Mitchell 1(-)-6.







## Vanderbilt Gets First SEC Road Win in Two Years, Tops Missouri 19-15

**COLUMBIA, MO.** – A botched Missouri extra-point snap and a bobbled punt attempt that led to a safety helped Vanderbilt beat Missouri 19-15 Saturday night, depriving the former Big 12 school of its first Southeastern Conference win.

Zac Stacy rushed for 72 yards and two touchdowns on 29 carries for Vanderbilt (2-3, 1-2), which earned its first conference win. Jordan

Rodgers was 14 of 24 for 182 yards and one interception.

Missouri (3-3, 0-3) took an early 6-0 lead and kept Vanderbilt from gaining a first down until nearly nine minutes into the second quarter. Missouri couldn't muster much offense after an early injury to quarterback James Franklin, who

sprained his left knee on a first-quarter run and didn't return.

Vanderbilt's first points of the game came when Missouri punter Trey Barrow couldn't handle a snap while standing in the back of Missouri's end zone, with the ball rolling out the back. A 5-yard Stacy run late in the second half gave the Commodores a 9-6 lead they wouldn't relinquish.

**Game 5**  
**Oct. 6, 2012**  
**Columbia, Mo.**

### SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
VANDERBILT	2	7	0	10	19	2-3,1-2
MISSOURI	6	0	3	6	15	3-3,0-3

**FIRST QUARTER:** MU: Baggett 31-yd field goal, 9-61 2:16. MU: Baggett 28-yd field goal, 9-62 4:27. VANDY: TEAM safety.

**SECOND QUARTER:** VANDY: Stacy 5-yd run (Spear kick), 11-76 4:22.

**THIRD QUARTER:** MU: Baggett 22-yd field goal, 15-88 4:52.

**FOURTH QUARTER:** VANDY: Stacy 14-yd run (Fowler kick), 5-74 1:51. MU: Sasser 85-yd pass from Berkstresser (Moe pass failed), 3-78 1:11. VANDY: Spear 21-yd field goal, 12-78 4:45

STATISTICS	VANDERBILT	MISSOURI
FIRST DOWNS	17	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	43-89	35-150
PASSING YDS (NET)	206	245
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	26-15-1	40-14-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	69-295	75-395
FUMBLE RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	0-0
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	1-6	1-3
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	6-119	3-63
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	1-31
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	7-43.4	5-39.0
FUMBLES-LOST	1-0	3-1
PENALTIES-YARDS	5-40	6-35
POSSESSION TIME	32:11	27:49
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	5 OF 16	7 OF 19
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	0 OF 1	0 OF 3
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	3-3	3-3
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	1-11	2-18

**RUSHING:** VANDY - Zac Stacy 29-72; Brian Kimbrow 3-27; Jordan Matthews 1-18; Josh Grady 1-(-1); TEAM 4-(-11); Jordan Rodgers 5-minus 16.

MU - Lawrence, Kendi 21-92; Murphy, Marcus 1-25; Franklin, James 1-23; Hansbrough, Rus 4-6; Berkstresser, C 7-6; TEAM 1-(-2).

**PASSING:** VANDY - Jordan Rodgers 14-24-1-182; Zac Stacy 1-2-0-24.

MU - Berkstresser, C 9-30-0-189; Franklin, James 5-9-0-56; Moe, T.J. 0-1-0-0.

**RECEIVING:** VANDY - Jordan Matthews 9-91; Chris Boyd 3-83; Jordan Rodgers 1-24; Kris Kentera 1-4; Jonathan Krause 1-4. MU - McGaffie, Gahn 5-32; Lucas, Marcus 4-54; Moe, T.J. 2-30; Sasser, Bud 1-101; Hunt, Jimmie 1-22; Clark, Jaleel 1-6.

## Driskel's Rushing Talents Prove Too Much in Loss to Gators

**NASHVILLE** – No one will overlook Jeff Driskel again, not after the Florida quarterback ran the ball better than even Tim Tebow.

Driskel ran for 177 yards and three touchdowns, and the fourth-ranked Gators beat Vanderbilt 31-17 on Saturday night to stay undefeated going into their big showdown with No. 3 South Carolina. Driskel ran only 11

times, and the sophomore set the Florida record for yards rushing by a

quarterback, topping Tebow's 166 yards against Mississippi in 2007 on 27 carries. Vanderbilt watched Gators running back Mike Gillislee so closely that Driskel didn't even think the Commodores laid a hand on him on any of his TD runs.

The Gators (6-0, 5-0 SEC) finished off their last SEC road trip outside of the state of Florida with their 22nd straight win over Vanderbilt. Florida, which rallied in the second half to beat Texas A&M, Tennessee and LSU already this season, took control early this time. The Gators scored 21 straight points, including 11 in the second quarter where they took the lead for good.

**Game 6**  
**Oct. 13, 2012**  
**Nashville**

### SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL	RECORD
FLORIDA	0	11	7	13	31	6-0,5-0
VANDERBILT	7	0	0	10	17	2-4,1-3

**FIRST QUARTER:** VANDY: Matthews 10-yd pass from Rodgers (Spear kick), 6-66 2:37.

**SECOND QUARTER:** UF: Driskel 37-yd run (Burton rush), 11-91 5:01. UF: Sturgis 23-yd field goal, 12-83 3:09.

**THIRD QUARTER:** UF: Driskel 13-yd run (Sturgis kick), 5-62 1:46.

**FOURTH QUARTER:** UF: Sturgis 29-yd field goal, 4-3 1:25. VANDY: Stacy 1-yd run (Fowler kick), 11-75 4:33. UF: Sturgis 26-yd field goal, 6-28 3:23. VANDY: Spear 22-yd field goal, 7-71 2:47. UF: Driskel 70-yd run (Sturgis kick), 1-70 0:11.

STATISTICS	FLORIDA	VANDERBILT
FIRST DOWNS	15	23
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	35-326	47-126
PASSING YDS (NET)	77	237
PASSES ATT-COMP-INT	20-11-0	31-17-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	55-403	78-363
FUMBLE RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	0-0
PUNT RETURNS-YARDS	1-6	1-11
KICKOFF RETURNS-YARDS	2-67	3-53
INTERCEPTION RETURNS-YARDS	0-0	0-0
PUNTS (NUMBER-AVG)	5-46.2	5-44.6
FUMBLES-LOST	1-0	1-1
PENALTIES-YARDS	10-80	4-33
POSSESSION TIME	26:50	33:10
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	2 OF 11	7 OF 17
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	1 OF 1	1 OF 2
RED-ZONE SCORES-CHANCES	4-4	3-5
SACKS BY: NUMBER-YARDS	3-32	1-4

**RUSHING:** FLA – Driskel 11-177; Gillislee 17-67; Patton 1-54; Hines 2-16; Burton 2-10; Brown 1-3; TEAM 1-(-1). VANDY – Zac Stacy 24-86; Wesley Tate 10-66; Brian Kimbrow 1-2; TEAM 1-(-1); Jordan Rodgers 11-(-27).

**PASSING:** FLA – Driskel 11-20-0-77. VANDY – Jordan Rodgers 17-31-0-237.

**RECEIVING:** FLA – Reed 2-14; Gillislee 2-12; Dunbar 1-21; Hines 1-9; Burton 1-8; Burton 1-6; Andrades 1-5; Hammond 1-2; Taylor 1-0. VANDY – Jordan Matthews 8-131; Steven Scheu 3-21; Chris Boyd 1-37; Jonathan Krause 1-23; Zac Stacy 1-16; Josh Grady 1-6; Kris Kentera 1-4; Wesley Tate 1-(-1).





# LAST TIME IT HAPPENED



## TEAM

Scored 60+ points  
 Scored 50-59 points  
 Scored 40-49 points  
 Rushed for 200-299 yards  
 Rushed for 300-399 yards  
 Rushed for 400+ yards  
 Passed for 300+ yards  
 Passed for 400+ yards  
 Had 500+ yards in total offense  
 Held opp. to less than 100 rushing yards  
 Held opp. to less than 200 total yards  
 Held to less than 100 passing yards  
 Recorded a safety  
 Recorded a shutout  
 Played No. 1-ranked team  
 Beat No. 1-ranked team  
 VU beat a Top-10 team  
 VU beat a ranked team  
 VU beat two ranked teams in a row  
 VU ranked by AP (media)  
 VU ranked by USA Today (coaches) No. 25  
 Last VU victory in SEC road game  
 Sellout at home

## VANDERBILT

63 (vs. Davidson, 11/22/1969)  
 58 (vs. Presbyterian, 9/15/2012)  
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 410 (vs. Presbyterian, 9/15/2012)  
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 353 (vs. Eastern Michigan, 10/9/2010)  
 446 (vs. Kentucky, 11/11/2006)  
 605 (vs. Presbyterian, 9/15/2012)  
 47 (vs. Presbyterian, 9/15/2012)  
 149 (vs. Presbyterian, 9/15/2012)  
 67 (vs. South Carolina, 8/30/2012)  
 vs. Missouri (10/6/2012)  
 58-0 (vs. Presbyterian, 9/15/2012)  
 3-27 (at Florida, 11/7/2009)  
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 at #6 South Carolina (17-6, 10/20/2007)  
 vs. #24 Boston College (16-14, 12/31/2008)  
 2008 (So. Carolina, 9/4/2008, & Auburn, 10/4/2008)  
 No. 22 (10/3/2008)  
 No. 23 (10/3/2008)  
 at Missouri (19-15, 10/6/2012)  
 vs. #4 Florida (10/13/2012)

## OPPONENTS

71 (Florida, 11/3/2001)  
 55 (Florida, 11/6/2010)  
 48 (Georgia, 9/22/2012)  
 326 (Florida, 10/13/2012)  
 326 (Florida, 10/13/2012)  
 404 (Georgia Tech, 10/31/2009)  
 316 (Arkansas, 10/29/2011)  
 409 (Arkansas, 10/30/2010)  
 567 (Georgia, 9/22/2012)  
 89 (Missouri, 10/6/2012)  
 190 (Alabama, 10/8/2011)  
 77 (Florida, 10/13/2011)  
 Arkansas (10/30/2010)  
 0-34 (Alabama, 10/8/2011)

## INDIVIDUALS

Returned kickoff for a TD  
 Returned punt for a TD  
 Returned INT for a TD  
 Returned fumble for TD  
 Blocked a FG attempt  
 Scored on a blocked punt  
 Blocked a punt  
 Rushed for 3 or more TDs  
 Rushed for 100 yards  
 Two Players Rushed for 100 Yards  
 Rushed for 200 yards  
 Rushed for 300 yards  
 Completed 20-29 passes  
 Completed 30+ passes  
 Passed for 200-300 yards  
 Passed for 300-399 yards  
 Passed for 400-499 yards  
 Threw for 3 or more TDs in a game  
 Scored 3 TDs in a game  
 Scored 4+ TDs in a game  
 Caught 10+ passes  
 Caught 20+ passes  
 100-199 yards receiving  
 200+ yards receiving  
 Two Players Totaled 100 Receiving Yards  
 Scored 3+ TDs receiving  
 Kicked 3 FGs in one game  
 Kicked 4 FGs  
 Kicked a 50-yard FG  
 Kicked a 70-79-yard punt  
 Kicked a 80+yard punt  
 Intercepted 2 passes  
 Intercepted 3+ passes  
 Forced multiple fumbles  
 Recovered multiple fumbles  
 Recorded 20+ tackles

## VANDERBILT

Andre Hal (96 yards, vs. Georgia, 10/15/2011)  
 Jimmy Williams (65 yards, vs. Northern Illinois, 9/11/99)  
 Trey Wilson (100 yards, vs. Presbyterian, 9/15/2012)  
 Sean Richardson (0 yards, vs. Boston College, 12/31/2008)  
 Walker May (vs. South Carolina, 10/23/2010)  
 Javon Marshall (4 yards, vs. Florida, 11/6/2010)  
 Udom Umoh (vs. Georgia, 10/15/2011)  
 Zac Stacy (3 TDs, at Wake Forest, 11/26/2011)  
 Zac Stacy (174 yards, vs. Presbyterian, 9/15/2012)  
 Stacy (174) & B. Kimbrow (137), vs. Presbyterian (9/15/2012)  
 Frank Mordica (321 yards, vs. Air Force, 11/18/1978)  
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 Jared Funk (27, vs. Wake Forest, 11/27/2010)  
 Jay Cutler (39, vs. Kentucky, 11/12/2005)  
 Jordan Rodgers (237 yards, vs. Florida, 10/13/2012)  
 Chris Nickson (446 yards, at Kentucky, 11/11/2006)  
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 Chris Nickson (3 TDs, at Kentucky, 11/15/2008)  
 Zac Stacy (3 rushing TDs, at Wake Forest, 11/26/2011)  
 Earl Bennett (5 receiving TDs, vs. Kentucky, 11/12/2005)  
 Earl Bennett (11 receptions, vs. Ole Miss, 9/15/2007)  
 Norman Jordan (20, vs. Air Force, 12/31/1982)  
 Jordan Matthews (131) vs. Florida, 10/13/2012  
 Earl Bennett (223 yards, vs. Richmond, 9/1/2007)  
 Jordan Matthews (119), Chris Boyd (110), at Georgia, 9/22/2012  
 Earl Bennett (3 TDs, vs. Richmond, 9/1/2007)  
 Carey Spear (vs. Presbyterian, 9/15/2012)  
 John Markham (4, vs. Duke, 9/23/2000)  
 Bryant Hahnfeldt (51 yards, at Duke, 10/28/2006)  
 Abtin Iranmanesh (80 yards, vs. Georgia 10/18/2003)  
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 Casey Hayward (2, vs. Cincinnati, 12/31/2011)  
 Ryan Hamilton (3, at Ole Miss, 9/20/2008)  
 Tim Fugger (2, vs. Elon, 9/3/2011)  
 Ansley Battles (2, at Tennessee, 11/10/1999)  
 Jamie Winborn (20, at South Carolina, 10/23/1999)

## OPPONENTS

Mike Wallace, Ole Miss (98 yards, 9/20/2008)  
 Mike Espy, Ole Miss (51 yards, 9/17/2005)  
 Eric Gordon, Tennessee (90 yards, 11/19/2011)  
 Jerry Franklin, Arkansas (94 yards, 10/29/2011)  
 S. Floyd, Florida (11/5/2011)  
 Byron Jones, UConn (9/10/2011)  
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 Jonathan Dwyer, Georgia Tech (3 TDs, 10/31/2009)  
 Jeff Driskel, Florida (3 TDs, 10/13/2012)  
 Cobb (170) & Locke (145) at Kentucky (11/13/2010)  
 Arian Foster, Tennessee (223 yards, 11/19/2005)  
 Tyler Wilson, Arkansas (27, 10/29/2011)  
 Chris Leak, Florida (32, 11/5/2005)  
 Aaron Murray, Georgia (250 yards, 9/23/2012)  
 Tyler Wilson, Arkansas (316 yards, 10/29/2011)  
 Ryan Mallett, Arkansas (409 yards, 10/30/2010)  
 Aaron Murray, Georgia (3 TDs, 10/15/2011)  
 Jeff Driskel, Florida (3 TDs, 10/13/2012)  
 Jonathan Boyle, Duke (4 rushing TDs, 10/28/2006)  
 Da'Rick Rogers, Tennessee (10, 11/19/2011)  
 Marlon Brown, Georgia (114, 9/22/2012)  
 Craig Yeast, Kentucky (269, 11/14/1998)  
 Jeffrey (158) & Gurley (109), So. Carolina (10/23/2010)  
 Sidney Rice, So. Carolina (3, 10/22/2005)  
 Blair Walsh, Georgia (3, 10/12/2011)  
 Jonathan Nichols, Ole Miss (4, 9/18/2004)  
 Zach Hocker, Arkansas (50, 10/20/2011)  
 Toby Gowin, North Texas (92, 10/12/1996)  
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 Alphonso Smith, Wake Forest (11/24/2007)  
 Don Price, Ole Miss (10/25/1986)

