

# BAYLOR

## 2009 FOOTBALL PROSPECTUS

### QUICK FACTS

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Waco, Texas  
Chartered: 1845, by the Republic of Texas  
Enrollment: 14,541  
Interim President: David Garland  
Faculty Representative: Michael Rodgers, J.D.  
Director of Athletics: Ian McCaw  
Nickname: Bears  
Colors: Green (PMS 560) & Gold (1235)  
Stadium (capacity/year): Floyd Casey (50,000/1950)  
Surface: Artificial (Prestige)  
Conference: Big 12 (South)

#### FOOTBALL INFORMATION

2008 Record: 4-8, 2-6 Big 12 (South, 15th)  
2008 Final Ranking: None  
2008 Bowl Appearance: None  
Offensive System: Spread  
Defensive System: 4-3  
2008 Lettermen Returning: 47 (20-o; 23-d; 4-sp)  
2008 Lettermen Lost: 27 (12-o; 14-d; 1-sp)  
2008 Starters Returning: 20 (9-o; 9-d; 2-sp)  
2008 Starters Lost: 4 (2-o; 2-d; 0-sp)  
First Year of Football: 1899  
All-Time Football Record: 520-522-44 (.499)  
Conference Titles (last): 6 (1994)  
Bowl Appearances (last): 16 (1994)

#### COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Art Briles (Texas Tech, 1979)  
Record at BU: 4-8, 1 season  
Career Record: 38-36, 6 seasons  
Co-Offensive Coord./Offensive Line: Randy Clements  
Co-Offensive Coord./Running Backs: Philip Montgomery  
Defensive Coordinator: Brian Norwood  
Special Teams/Wide Receivers: Dino Babers  
Def. Recruiting Coord./DBs: Kim McCloud  
Off. Recruiting Coord./Inside Receivers: Kendal Briles  
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Linebackers: Larry Hoefler  
Defensive Ends: Theo Young  
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### PRESEASON NOTES:

#### ALL-EVERYTHING LB JOEPAW NATION'S LEADING TACKLER

In addition to being a returning All-American, preseason All-American, 2008 Academic All-American, candidate for the Butkus Award, Lombardi Award and Lott Trophy, senior linebacker **Joe Pawelek** is also the nation's leading active career tackler with 313 tackles heading into the 2009 season (11 tackles ahead of second-place **Sean Weatherspoon** of Missouri). Pawelek ranked seventh nationally in tackles last season (10.7 tackles per game) and seventh in interceptions (0.5 interceptions per game) - the only player ranked in the top 10 of both categories.

#### LAKE BACK TO PUNISH OPPOSING BALL CARRIERS

Two-time All-Big 12 safety **Jordan Lake** returns for his senior season as a Jim Thorpe Award and All-America candidate in 2009. The fearless Lake, described as a "cruise missile" by the *Columbia Daily Tribune* and named the Big 12's "Hardest Hitter" by *Sporting News'* preseason publication, led all Big 12 defensive backs with 97 tackles in 2008. He boasts nine career double-digit tackle games.

#### WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT SUPER-SOPH RG3:

Sophomore quarterback **Robert Griffin III** has received plenty of ink this off-season following his breakout true-freshman season in 2008. In addition to being tabbed preseason All-Big 12 by *Phil Steele* (fourth team), he was named the Big 12's "Best Athlete" and "Best Running QB" by *Sporting News'* preseason publication, as well as the league's "Toughest to bring down" and "Best Scrambler" by *Lindy's*. More praise for the 19-year-old Griffin:

- "Griffin is a breathtaking talent, a superb player... make no mistake, he's exceptional." - **Patrick Stevens**, *Washington Times*
- "When have we seen a guy with world-class speed who was a legit college quarterback? Never." - **Bruce Feldman**, *ESPN.com*
- "The conference's most exciting player" - **Andy Staples**, *SI.com*
- "He's one part **Edwin Moses**, one part **Pat White**... arguably the fastest quarterback in Division I-A history." - **Cory McCartney**, *SI.com*
- "He might just be the best athlete ever to play quarterback in college football." - **Michael David Smith**, *FANHOUSE.com*
- "One of the nation's most explosive players." - **Tim Griffin**, *ESPN.com*
- "In addition to being the fastest man to ever play quarterback in college football, Griffin is also an excellent student, who graduated No. 7 in his high school class." - **Bruce Feldman**, *ESPN.com*
- "The fastest quarterback in college football." - **Pete Fiutak**, *CollegeFootballNews.com*

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### 2009 SCHEDULE

Sept. 5 at Wake Forest  
Sept. 19 CONNECTICUT  
Sept. 26 NORTHWESTERN STATE  
Oct. 3 KENT STATE  
Oct. 10 • at Oklahoma  
Oct. 17 • at Iowa State  
Oct. 24 • OKLAHOMA STATE\*  
Oct. 31 • NEBRASKA  
Nov. 7 • at Missouri  
Nov. 14 • TEXAS  
Nov. 21 • at Texas A&M  
Nov. 28 • TEXAS TECH\*

• Big 12 Conference game  
\* Homecoming  
^ Dallas Cowboys Stadium - Arlington, Texas

### 2008 RESULTS

**4-8, 2-6 BIG 12 (T5TH, SOUTH)**  
Aug. 28 #23 WAKE FOREST L 13-41  
Sept. 6 NORTHWESTERN ST. W 51-6  
Sept. 12 WASHINGTON ST. W 45-17  
Sept. 19 at Connecticut L 28-31  
Oct. 4 • #1 OKLAHOMA L 17-49  
Oct. 11 • IOWA ST. W 38-10  
Oct. 18 • at #8 Oklahoma St. L 6-34  
Oct. 25 • at Nebraska L 20-32  
Nov. 1 • #14 MISSOURI L 28-31  
Nov. 8 • at #5 Texas L 21-45  
Nov. 15 • TEXAS A&M W 41-21  
Nov. 29 • at #7 Texas Tech L 28-35

• Big 12 Conference game

# 2009 OUTLOOK



**ART BRILES**

Baylor enters year No. 2 of the **Art Briles Era** in 2009, and excitement surrounding the Bears football program is riding high. Baylor fans are eager to see how much the Bears, led by senior All-America linebacker **Joe Pawelek**, senior All-Big 12 safety **Jordan Lake** and returning Freshman All-America quarterback **Robert Griffin III**, can improve on last year's promising inaugural season under Briles.

"We really feel good about the direction we are going and about how we are going to get there," Briles said. "What we have to do is turn it into reality on the field, but that is going to happen and we are very confident of that."

Baylor fans are hoping Briles and Co. will end the program's 14-year bowl drought dating back to the 1994 Alamo Bowl.

When asked about the strengths of his veteran squad (20 starters return from the 2008 squad) at the conclusion of spring practice, Briles quickly stated, "solid, focused leadership. The ingredients of this team are focus, energy, leadership and belief."

## OFFENSE

Ten starters return from an offense that was argueably the school's most prolific since the mid-90s, averaging 376.4 yards and 28.0 points per game in Briles' first season at Baylor. This year's returning players accounted for 91.2 percent of last season's total offense (4,121 of 4,517 yards).

The two departed starters left huge holes to fill, though, as Baylor looks to replace departed tackles **Dan Gay** and **Jason Smith**; two All-Big 12 honorees and NFL linemen.

"It all starts with our offensive line," Briles said. "We have to be dominant up front, both sides of the ball. That's where we have to be men. That never needs to be a doubt concerning our football team."

The **OFFENSIVE LINE** does return two honorable mention All-Big 12 players in senior guard **James Barnard** and senior center **J.D.**

**Walton**, a Rimington Award candidate. The other returning starter, senior **Jordan Hearvey**, missed spring drills while recovering from a 2008 knee injury that caused him to miss the season's final four games.

"When the heads turn up front offensively, they're looking at J.D. at center," Briles said. "What he has done and what he will do is take that role and help us be a physically intimidating offensive line which is what we have to be."

Penciled into one starting tackle is junior transfer **Danny Watkins** (Butte College), a Canadian who enrolled in January and went through spring drills. Expected to battle for time at the other tackle position are junior college transfer **Marquis Franklin** (Blinn College) and returnees **Cameron Kaufhold**, a redshirt freshman, and junior **Chris Griesenbeck**. Remaining options at guard include incoming freshman **Ivory Wade** (Dickinson, Texas) and sophomore transfer **Philip Blake** (Tyler JC), as well as sophomore **John Jones** and redshirt freshman **Jake Jackson**.

"Danny's a solid addition at left tackle and we'll fill the other gaps as the summer unfolds," Briles said.

The **BACKFIELD** returns relatively unchanged, led by sophomore quarterback Griffin, junior tailback **Jay Finley**, and senior big slot/fullback **Andrew Judy**.

Griffin turned heads nationally with a sensational freshman season that earned him 2008 Freshman All-America and Big 12 Freshman of the Year honors. The dual-threat athlete, described by ESPN.com's Bruce Feldman as "the fastest man to ever play quarterback in college football," threw for 2,091 yards and 15 touchdowns and ran for 843 yards and 13 TDs. Coaches expect even more from the 19-year-old in his second season under center. Griffin's more-than-capable backup at QB is senior **Blake Szymanski**, a veteran with 13 career starts who ranks in the top 10 of eight career passing categories and owns five single-game school records.

"Robert gives us an added dimension offensively," Briles said. "He's a dynamic player that has an intellect and intensified discipline that

## BRILES' PROLIFIC 2008 BU OFFENSE:

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compliment his competitive nature. He will make us a team to be reckoned with. We feel really good about Blake with his maturity and experience being at that position also."

Finley is back after rushing for a team-high 865 yards and seven touchdowns as a sophomore last season. His 72.1 yards-per-game ranked fifth in the Big 12 and led a Baylor 2008 rushing attack that ranked third in the Big 12 and 21st nationally with 195.8 average yards.

"Jay is a guy that fits our system really well," Briles said. "He is proven. He's a person that we certainly have a lot of confidence in."

Finley leads a stable of rushers in 2009 that includes redshirt freshman **Jarred Salubi**, a local product from Waco High School, and sophomore **Terrance Ganaway**, a transfer from the University of Houston.

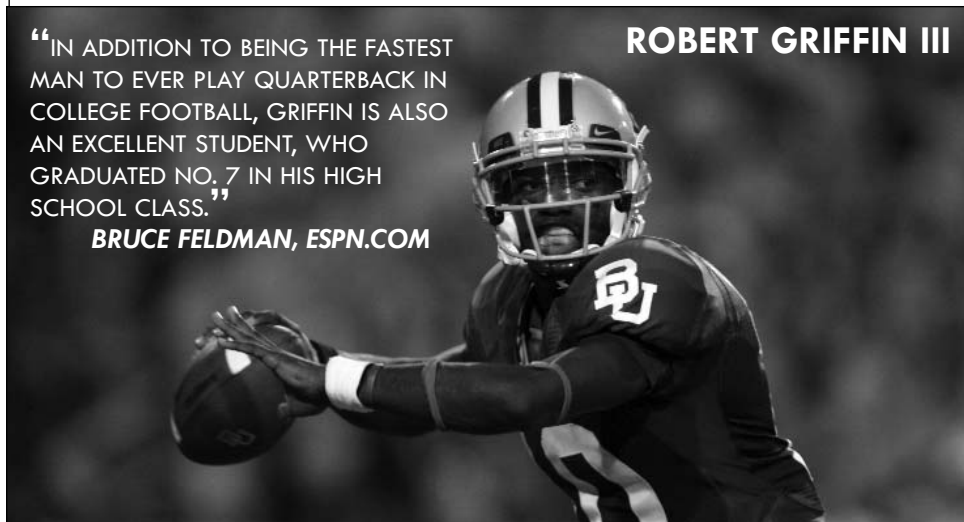
The **RECEIVING CORP** returns eight of its top nine pass catchers from last season, including sophomore **Kendall Wright**, who led the team with 50 receptions for 649 yards and five TDs en route to being named an honorable mention Freshman All-American. Also in the mix at inside receiver are senior **Ernest Smith**, who caught three touchdowns in just seven receptions last season, senior **Justin Fenty** and junior **Krys Buerck**, who returns to receiver after playing cornerback in 2008.

"Kendall had an outstanding year last year and needs to continue to progress as a football player and leader of the team," Briles said. "We feel great about the inside receivers and it's been a great move moving Ernest inside, he's going to be a lot more productive for us."

"IN ADDITION TO BEING THE FASTEST MAN TO EVER PLAY QUARTERBACK IN COLLEGE FOOTBALL, GRIFFIN IS ALSO AN EXCELLENT STUDENT, WHO GRADUATED NO. 7 IN HIS HIGH SCHOOL CLASS."

**BRUCE FELDMAN, ESPN.COM**

## ROBERT GRIFFIN III



Returning at wideout is veteran **David Gettis**, a senior with 18 career starts and the Bears' third-leading receiver in 2008 (29 catches, 391 yards). Other options at wide receiver include two promising redshirt freshmen, **Lanear Sampson** and **Terrance Williams**, veteran senior **Mikail Baker**, and incoming freshman **Josh Gordon** (Houston Lamar HS).

"We need our outside guys, David and Mikail, to step up and be seniors," Briles said. "We feel really good about our young wide receivers Terrance and Lanear. Both of those guys really showed a lot this spring as far as capability."

Fifth-year senior **Justin Akers** returns as starting tight end (14 catches, 2 TDs), and versatile junior **Brad Taylor** will contribute at tight end, H-back and inside receiver.

"Akers has a big body, soft hands and is starting to live up to his ability to be a great player," Briles said.

**DEFENSE**

"The great thing defensively is that we have a lot of returning starters back," Briles said. "So a lot of these guys have been through the wars and we're now ready as a program to take it to the next level."

Ten starters are back from the 2008 defense (nine remain on defense after the move of Buerck to receiver) and six of the top seven tacklers, highlighted by two-time All-Big 12 defenders Lake and Pawelek. Gone are linemen **Leon Freeman** (end) and **Vincent Rhodes** (tackle), as well as part-time starter at cornerback **Dwain Crawford**.

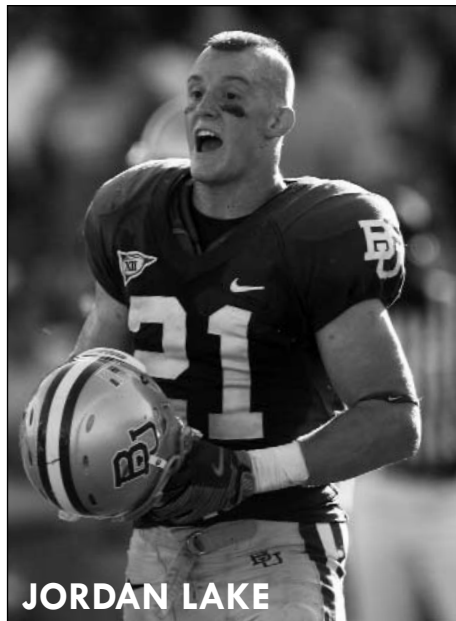
The **DEFENSIVE LINE** returns fifth-year seniors **Trey Bryant**, a noseguard with 23 career starts, and **Jason Lamb**, end-turned-tackle with a team-high 36 games played, on the interior, as well as Penn State transfer **Phil Taylor**. Taylor is penciled in as a starter at tackle after dominating play on the practice squad in 2008 and in 2009 spring drills. Sophomore **Nicolas Jean-Baptiste** and redshirt freshman **Kaeron Johnson** provide depth on the inside.

"The defensive line starts inside with Phil and Trey," Briles said. "Both of them have to be extremely dominant and forceful with legalized aggression. They have to be tough guys that get after it and bring a tough mentality to our football team. Lamb didn't get to go through the spring (due to injury) but he will factor in there on the defensive line."

Slated starters at defensive end coming out of the spring are sophomores **Zac Scotton** and **Tracy Robertson**. The young duo (Scotton: 2 starts, 9 tackles; Robertson: 9 games played, 5 tackles) are listed ahead of junior **Jameon Hardeman** and redshirt freshman **Fred Plesius**, who moved from linebacker during the spring.

"Tracy and Scotton both had good springs," Briles said. "Fred came in there and did a good job for us. We feel comfortable with the explosion that we have at defensive end."

Senior All-American **Pawelek**, the nation's leading active tackler (313) heading into 2009, leads a deep and experienced



**JORDAN LAKE**

**LINEBACKING CORP** that includes returning starters at outside linebackers and three veteran reserves. Pawelek, a returning All-American and Academic All-American, ranked seventh nationally in tackles last season (10.7 tackles per game) and seventh in interceptions (0.5 interceptions per game) – the only player ranked in the top 10 of both categories. His 313 career tackles stand three shy of Baylor's all-time top 10 list.

"You can't find anyone in the nation that you would rather have calling your defensive signals than Joe Pawelek," Briles said. "He's exactly what you want in that position. He's a guy who can help take us to the next level, which is where we're going."

Returning starters flanking Pawelek are junior **Antonio Johnson**, third on team with 72 tackles (one sack, one interception), and senior third-year starter **Antonio Jones**, fourth on squad with 71 tackles (also three sacks). Veteran backups include juniors **Earl Patin** (52 tackles, three sacks) and **Chris Francis** (23 tackles, one interception) and sophomore **Elliot Coffey** (14 tackles).

"The linebacking unit is the strength of our football team," Briles said. "Antonio Johnson came in and had a great year for us last year, he's very explosive and brings great speed to that position."

Highlighting the **DEFENSIVE SECONDARY** is free safety **Lake**, a fifth-year senior and Thorpe Award candidate. Lake totaled 97 tackles and three interceptions en route to first-team All-Big 12 honors in 2008. His 8.1 tackles-per-game ranked fifth in the Big 12.

"Jordan is coming off another great year," Briles said. "He's doing a great job of leading and had a great spring. He's been through the wars and understands what it takes and how we're going to get there."

The returning starter at 'hero' safety is fifth-year senior **Jeremy Williams** (54 tackles, 5.5 tackles for loss). Additional safeties include newcomers **Byron Landor**, a junior transfer from Blinn College, and incoming freshman **Denerick Demby** (Spring Westfield HS), and recently converted-from-offense seniors **Jeremy Sanders** and **T.J. Scranton** (in spring Sanders moved from running back, Scranton from receiver).

"Jeremy also had a great spring," Briles said. "Byron Landor will be coming in and he's an excellent player who will definitely compete for playing time at the safety position."

At the corners are three returnees with starting experience from last season: juniors **Tim Atchison** (three starts, 31 tackles) and **Antareis Bryan** (three starts, 33 tackles, one interception), and sophomore **Trentson Hill** (five starts, 30 tackles, one interception). Junior **Clifton Odom** and sophomore converted receiver **Romie Blaylock** provide depth.

"Antareis stepped up and had a good spring," Briles said. "He took care of the things he needed to take care of which was becoming stronger and more physical. Trentson had a good spring and Tim had a solid spring so we feel good about those guys at cornerback."

**SPECIAL TEAMS**

The Bears return both kickers in junior punter **Derek Epperson** and sophomore placekicker **Ben Parks**, as well as senior deep snapper **Carter Brunelle**. Epperson, a third-year starter, was a 2008 All-Big 12 and a Ray Guy Award semifinalist and has been named a 2009 preseason All-American. Epperson's 44.3 punting average ranked ninth nationally, and the team's 38.8 net punting average ranked seventh nationally. Parks hit on 6-of-9 field goals and 39-of-44 PATs in 2008. Fifth-year senior kick returner **Mikail Baker** boasts a career kickoff return average of 24.7 (third best in school history).

"You can buy a lot of things but you can't buy experience," Briles said. "Our kickers have some experience now. They've lived through it, felt it and now they'll know how to deal with it. Derek had a great year and I think he'll be one of the top punters in America."



**JOE PAWELEK**

# BAYLOR PRESEASON NOTES CONTINUED:

## MORE GRIFFIN...

**Robert Griffin III** was named a 2008 Freshman All-American after his standout rookie season (as the nation's youngest starting QB at 18 years old) in which he set an NCAA FBS record of 209 passes without an interception to start a career (also broke BU's record for overall completions without a pick). Griffin threw for 2,091 yards and 15 TDs (only three interceptions) and ran for 843 yards and 13 TDs as a true freshman.

## ANOTHER TOUGH SCHEDULE IN 2009

After playing eight teams that went to bowl games in each of the last two seasons, Baylor is again slated to face eight returning bowl teams on its 2009 schedule, including five of its eight Big 12 opponents.

Baylor's 12 2009 opponents combined for a 96-58 (.623) record last season and eight played in bowl games—Wake Forest (Eaglebank champs), UConn (International champs), Oklahoma (BCS Championship), Oklahoma State (Holiday champs), Nebraska (Gator champs), Missouri (Alamo champs), Texas (Fiesta champs) and Texas Tech (Cotton). Baylor's eight 2009 Big 12 foes were 69-35 (.663) last season and recorded three of the league's four bowl wins.

The Bears play three of four 2009 non-conference games at home (Connecticut Sept. 19, Northwestern State Sept. 26 and Kent State Oct. 3) after opening on the road against Wake Forest (Sept. 5). Baylor plays six home games at Floyd Casey Stadium (Big 12 home games: Oklahoma State Oct. 24, Nebraska Oct. 31 and Texas Nov. 14) as well as hosting a seventh "home" game vs. Texas Tech at the Dallas Cowboys' new stadium in Arlington in the season finale on Nov. 28. Baylor's Big 12 road games are Oct. 10 at Oklahoma, Oct. 17 at Iowa State, Nov. 7 at Missouri and Nov. 21 at Texas A&M.

## BEARS RETURN HIGH PRODUCTION NUMBERS

The veteran 2009 Baylor squad returns a high percentage of its statistical output from the 2008 season. The Bears return more than three-quarters of the production of most pertinent stat categories, listed below:

- Total Offense - 91.2% (4,121 of 4,517)
- Passing Yards - 96.4% (2,091 of 2,168)
- Rushing Yards - 85.2% (2,002 of 2,349)
- Receptions - 76.5% (130 of 170)
- Tackles - 79.3% (742 of 936)

## EPPELSON TABBED PRE-SEASON ALL-AMERICAN

Junior punter **Derek Epperson**, who inherited Baylor's punting chores from three-time All-American and two-time Ray Guy Award winner **Daniel Sepulveda**, is a consensus preseason All-Big 12 selection and has been tabbed a preseason All-American (first-team by *Lindy's* and *Yahoo! Sports/Rivals.com*), second-team by *Sporting News/Walter Camp*). Epperson is tied for ninth in Baylor history with 24 career punts of 50-plus yards and tied for sixth all-time with five punts of 60-plus yards.

## "COUSIN PHIL" TAYLOR NAMED PRESEASON BIG 12 NEWCOMER OF YEAR

**Phil Taylor**, a defensive tackle who sat out the 2008 season at Baylor after transferring from Penn State, was named the Big 12 Preseason Newcomer of the Year by a vote of the league's media. Taylor has been projected an All-Big 12 performer by preseason publications (second-team by *Phil Steele*, third-team by *Athlon*). The 6-4, 355-pound defensive tackle will have two seasons of eligibility with the Bears.

## WALTON ANCHORS LINE AS RIMINGTON AWARD CANDIDATE

Senior center **J.D. Walton**, an All-Big 12 honorable mention pick in 2008 (Associated Press) and preseason All-Big 12 selection in 2009 (third-team *Athlon*, fourth-team *Phil Steele*), is an All-America and Rimington Award candidate. Walton has started all 24 games of his career since transferring from Arizona State in 2006. He anchored BU's 2008 offensive line that generated 2,349 rushing yards, the most at Baylor since 1981, as well as 29 rushing TDs.

## BRILES' PROLIFIC OFFENSE

The impact of head coach **Art Briles'** coaching on Baylor's football program was evident immediately during Season One in 2008, nowhere moreso than in the stats piled up by the BU offense. The Bears put together the most prolific offensive season since the mid-1990s, with balanced rushing-passing totals (2,349/2,168) and an efficient passing game that set a school record for fewest interceptions (five, in 290 attempts). Below is a statistical look at Baylor's offensive accomplishments in 2008:

- Points:** 336 pts/28.0 ppg - highest marks since 1994 (school-records 359 pts/29.9 ppg)
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## BEARS W-L WHEN... (2008 NUMBERS)

Overall	4-8
Big 12	2-6
Non-Conference Record	2-2
Home	4-3
Away	0-5
Current streak	Lost 1
Current home streak	Won 1
Current road streak	Lost 5
Day game	2-5
Night game	3-2
TV game	2-6
ABC	0-0
ESPN	0-1
FSN	1-3
FCS	1-0
August	0-1
September	2-1
October	1-3
November	1-3
December	0-0
vs. top-25 teams	0-6
vs. unranked teams	3-2
vs. FCS (1-AA)	1-0
On natural grass	0-2
On FieldTurf	4-6
Scoring First	3-2
Leading after 1st quarter	4-3
Trailing after 1st quarter	0-5
Tied after 1st quarter	0-0
Leading at halftime	4-3
Trailing at halftime	0-4
Tied at halftime	0-1
Leading after 3rd quarter	0-1
Trailing after 3rd quarter	0-6
Tied after 3rd quarter	0-1
Overtime	0-0
Scoring 20 points or fewer	0-4
Scoring 20+ points	4-4
Scoring 30+ points	4-0
Allowing 21 points or fewer	4-0
Allowing 10 points or fewer	2-0
With 100-yard rusher	2-4
Allow 100-yard rusher	0-1
With 300-yard rusher	0-5
Allow 300-yard rusher	0-2
Outgain opponent	4-1
Total offense 300+ yards	4-4
Allow 300+ yards total offense	2-8
No turnovers	3-3
Fewer than three turnovers	4-6
Three or more turnovers	0-1
No takeaways	0-2
Three or more takeaways	2-1
Fewer turnovers	3-6
Equal turnovers	0-1
More turnovers	1-1
More time of possession	2-2
Less time of possession	4-6
Possession time equal	0-0

**RETURNING AWARD-WINNERS**

Baylor returns eight players who received on-field honors in 2008. The Bears return one All-American, five All-Big 12 honorees and two freshmen All-Americans. The returning award-winners are headlined by senior linebacker **Joe Pawelek**, a 2008 third-team All-America pick by *Phil Steele* and a three-year All-Big 12 selection (consensus first-teamer in 2008). Additional 2008 All-Big 12 returners include first-teamer **Jordan Lake** (senior safety), second-teamer **Derek Epperson** (junior punter) and honorable mention selections **James Barnard** (senior offensive guard) and **J.D. Walton** (senior center). Freshmen standouts from 2008 back as sophomores are **Robert Griffin** (quarterback, first-team) and **Kendall Wright** (wide receiver, third-team), each freshman All-Americans last season and Griffin was named the Big 12 Freshman of the Year by multiple outlets. Running back **Jay Finley** (junior) was named second-team All-Texas by *Dave Campbell's Texas Football*.

**POSITION CHANGES**

Eight Bears played new positions during 2009 spring training, including five that switched sides of the ball. Three offensive players were moved to the defensive backfield: running back **Jeremy Sanders** (senior) and receiver **T.J. Scranton** (senior) moved to safety and receiver **Romie Blaylock** (sophomore) moved to cornerback. **Krys Buerck** (junior) moved back to receiver after playing last season at cornerback. **Sam Sledge** (senior) moved from defensive tackle to big slot (fullback). **Fred Plesius** (redshirt freshman) moved from linebacker to defensive end. **Jason Lamb** moved from defensive end to defensive tackle and fellow senior **Ernest Smith** moved from wide receiver to the inside receiver position.

**RETURNING STARTERS & LETTERMEN**

The Bears 2009 roster includes 20 returning starters and 47 returning lettermen from last season. Nine starters are back on offense (as well as a 10th, **Krys Buerck**, who was a defensive starter in 2008 and returns to offense for 2009), nine starters return from the defense (eight that will play defense in 2009) and both specialists return.

**MOST RETURNING STARTERS SINCE...**

Baylor's 20 returning starters (18 offense & defense plus two kickers) represent the school's most since 1969, when head coach **Bill Beall** inherited 20 returning starters (10 offense, 10 defense) in his first season in Waco. The only other BU team to bring back more than 18 starters over the last 40 years was **Grant Teaff's** 1978 squad that returned 19 (17 offense & defense and two kickers).

**THREE NEWCOMERS PARTICIPATE IN SPRING**

Spring drills represented the first action for three new Bears: 2008 signee **Nick Florence** (quarterback, Garland, Texas), Penn State transfer **Phil Taylor** (defensive tackle) and December signee and junior college transfer **Danny Watkins** (offensive tackle, Butte College).

**SPRING SCRIMMAGE RECAP - April 2, 2009**

**Robert Griffin III** passed for 310 yards and three touchdowns to highlight Baylor's 130-play spring scrimmage April 2 at the Highers Athletic Complex practice fields.  
 Griffin played roughly half of the scrimmage and added a 1-yard rushing touchdown to go along with his three passing TDs, while rushing for 41 yards.  
 In total, Griffin had a hand in four of five touchdowns during the controlled scrimmage.  
 The three passing touchdowns by Griffin were to three different receivers as junior running back **Jay Finley** took a screen pass 60 yards on just the third play run by the first-team offense. **Justin Akers** and **Brad Taylor** also hauled in touchdown receptions from 35 yards and 43 yards, respectively. Griffin completed 19-of-25 passes on the day.  
 Senior QB **Blake Szymanski** finished the scrimmage with 113 yards on 17-of-29 passing.  
 Freshman **Jared Salubi** carried the ball a scrimmage-high 12 times for 40 yards, while Finley chipped in with 27 yards on six carries.  
 Sophomore **Kendall Wright**, who participated in the final week of spring after playing on the BU basketball team, led a receiving corps that totaled 458 receiving yards. Wright made five catches for 68 yards. Senior TE **Justin Akers** had in four receptions for 61 yards and a TD.  
 Senior **Jeremy Williams** led the defense with eight tackles. **Rodney Chadwick** tallied six tackles, while **Earl Patin** and **Antonio Johnson** each had five respectively. **Michael Williams** made the game's lone pick as he stepped in front of a Griffin pass inside the 5-yard line.

**RUSHING**—Andre Pierce, 5-52-1; Caleb McEachern, 2-48-0; Robert Griffin, 10-41-1; Jarred Salubi, 12-40-0; Brad Taylor, 1-28-0; Jay Finley, 6-27-0; Blake Szymanski, 4-18-0; Nick Florence, 1-6-0; Tyler DeLoach, 2-0-0; Justin Fenty, 1-(3)-0.  
**PASSING**—Robert Griffin, 25-19-310-1-3; Blake Szymanski, 29-17-113-0-0; Tyler DeLoach, 4-2-28-0-0; Nick Florence, 3-1-7-0-0.  
**RECEIVING**—Kendall Wright, 5-68-0; Justin Akers, 4-61-1; Terrance Williams, 4-41-0; Kyle Mitchell, 4-28-0; Justin Fenty, 4-20-0; Ernest Smith, 3-30-0; Michael Valdez, 2-24-0; Travis McClain, 2-24-0; Jared Salubi, 2-2-0; Jay Finley, 1-60-1; Brad Taylor, 1-43-1; Stacy Williams, 1-17-0; Krys Buerck, 1-15-0; Andrew Sowder, 1-11-0; Laneer Sampson, 1-9-0; Bryan Swindoll, 1-5-0; Matt Singletary, 1-4-0.  
**TACKLES**—Jeremy Williams, 8; Rodney Chadwick, 6; Antonio Johnson, 5; Earl Patin, 5; Tim Atchison, 4; Antareis Bryan, 4; Jared Edwards, 4; Antonio Jones, 4; Jordan Lake, 4; Logan Lanier, 4; Gary Mason Jr., 4; Elliot Coffey, 3; Chris Francis, 3; Jameon Hardeman, 3; Reggie Rice, 3; Jeremy Sanders, 3; Romie Blaylock, 2; Dominique Criss, 2; Nicolas Jean-Baptiste, 2; Trenton Hill, 2; Alex Kushneir, 2; Joe Pawelek, 2; Phil Taylor, 2; Trey Bryant, 1; Raylon Edwards, 1; Ahmad Jenkins, 1; Kaeron Johnson, 1; Jenner Jones, 1; Tyler Pratt, 1; Tracy Robertson, 1; Michael Williams, 1.

**2009 PRESEASON HONORS**

**Derek Epperson**  
 All-America, 1st team (*Lindy's*)  
 All-America, 1st team (*Yahoo! Sports/Rivals.com*)  
 All-America, 2nd team (*Sporting News/Walter Camp*)  
 All-America, honorable mention (*NationalChamps.net*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (media)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Sporting News*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Athlon*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Lindy's*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Phil Steele*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Yahoo! Sports/Rivals.com*)

**Jay Finley**  
 All-Big 12, 4th team (*Phil Steele*)

**Robert Griffin**  
 2009 Manning Award watch list  
 All-Big 12, 4th team (*Phil Steele*)  
 Big 12's "Best Athlete" (*Sporting News*)  
 Big 12's "Toughest to bring down" (*Lindy's*)  
 Big 12's "Best Running QB" (*Sporting News*)  
 Big 12's "Best Scrambler" (*Lindy's*)

**Jordan Lake**  
 All-America, 4th team (*Phil Steele*)  
 All-America, honorable mention (*NationalChamps.net*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (media)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Sporting News*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Athlon*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Lindy's*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Phil Steele*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Yahoo! Sports/Rivals.com*)  
 Big 12's "Hardest Hitter" (*Sporting News*)

**Jason Lamb**  
 All-Big 12, 4th team (*Phil Steele*)

**Joe Pawelek**  
 2009 Rotary Lombardi Award watch list  
 2009 Ronnie Lott Trophy watch list  
 All-America, 2nd team (*Sporting News/Walter Camp*)  
 All-America, 2nd team (*Phil Steele*)  
 All-America, 2nd team (*NationalChamps.net*)  
 All-America, 3rd team (*Athlon*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (media)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Sporting News*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Athlon*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Lindy's*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Phil Steele*)  
 All-Big 12, 1st team (*Yahoo! Sports/Rivals.com*)

**Phil Taylor**  
 Big 12 Newcomer of the Year (media)  
 All-Big 12, 2nd team (*Phil Steele*)  
 All-Big 12, 3rd team (*Athlon*)

**J.D. Walton**  
 2009 Rimington Award spring watch list  
 All-Big 12, 3rd team (*Athlon*)  
 All-Big 12, 4th team (*Phil Steele*)

**Kendall Wright**  
 All-Big 12, 3rd team (*Athlon*)

# HEAD COACH ART BRILES



Art Briles assumed Baylor's head coaching post Nov. 28, 2007, ushering in a new era and a new attitude to the storied Bears football program.

In his first season on the sidelines in Waco it was quickly evident that the Briles Era was underway at Baylor; from the innovative offense, the reintroduction of a solid running game and a record-setting quarterback, to competitive games and no acceptance of moral victories.

Briles' 2008 Bears squad finished with a 4-8 record, but six of eight defeats were at the hands

of ranked opponents (four in top 10) and three losses came by a touchdown or less.

Highlights of Briles' first season at Baylor included the emergence of sensational true freshman quarterback Robert Griffin III, the Big 12's top newcomer and freshman All-American, a rushing attack that ranked 21st nationally and third in the Big 12 with 195.8 yards per game (2,349 yards, most since 1981) and 29 touchdowns, and a memorable 41-21 home win over Texas A&M.

Baylor's 1.33 turnover margin ranked fourth nationally and junior linebacker Joe Pawelek ranked seventh nationally in tackles (10.7) and interceptions (.50).

Briles is a proven developer of professional talent, evidenced over the last three NFL drafts where his proteges include the first lineman selected in 2009 (second overall pick Jason Smith from Baylor), the first receiver selected in 2008 (33rd pick Donnie Avery of Houston) and the third quarterback selected in 2007 (36th pick Kevin Kolb of Houston).

A native of West Texas, Briles became Baylor's 25th head football coach after resurrecting the University of Houston's football program in a five-year stretch from 2003 to 2007.

Briles, who inherited a Houston program that was just two years removed from an 0-11 season and won eight total games from 2000 to 2003, posted a 34-28 record with the Cougars and guided them to four bowl games. He ranks as the program's third-winningest head coach behind College Football Hall of Famer Bill Yeoman (160 wins in 26 seasons) and Clyde Lee (37 victories in seven seasons).

Briles guided Houston to an 8-4 regular-season record and a Texas Bowl invitation in his final season (he did not coach the Cougars in the bowl game). Coupled with their 10-win 2006 campaign, the Cougars registered consecutive seasons of at least eight victories for the first time since the 1989 (nine) and 1990 (10) campaigns. The 2007 Cougars finished the season ranked fourth nationally in total offense (501.9 ypg) and made college football history by becoming the first program to produce a 300-yard receiver and a 200-yard rusher in the same game.

In 2006, Briles earned Conference USA and Sportex Division I-A National Coach of the Year honors after guiding the Cougars to a Conference USA title, a Liberty Bowl appearance and the program's first 10-win season since 1990 with a final mark of 10-4.

The Cougars enjoyed the nation's seventh-best turnaround in 2006, a four-game improvement in the win column over their 6-6 mark in 2005. Houston's 2006 C-USA title, just five years removed from a winless 2001 campaign, marked only the fifth time in the past 30 seasons that a I-A program went from winless to conference champions.

One of nine finalists for the 2006 Eddie Robinson National Coach of the Year award, Briles' offense led Conference USA and ranked sixth nationally at 439.9 yards per game. Cougar quarterback Kevin Kolb was Conference USA's consensus 2006 Offensive Player of the Year, as 13 Houston student-athletes earned postseason honors from the media and 12 were honored by the league's coaches. Kolb ended his career ranked third in NCAA history for total offense and fourth in passing yards.

Briles' 2005 UH team finished 6-6 overall, led Conference USA in total offense and played in the Fort Worth Bowl, and his 2004 squad was 3-8.

His rookie season at UH saw the Cougars make school history; as they finished 7-6 and earned a berth in the 2003 Sheraton Hawai'i Bowl. He became just the second UH head coach to take Houston to a bowl game in his first season at the helm, joining Yeoman, his college coach. Briles' innovative offense produced a 1,000-yard rusher (Anthony Evans), a 1,000-yard receiver (Brandon Middleton) and a 3,000-yard passer (Kolb)—one of only five Division I-A teams to accomplish that feat.

Briles arrived to Houston from Texas Tech, where he spent three years (2000-02) as the Red Raiders' running backs coach. The Tech ground

game flourished under Briles' direction, increasing its production every year and producing a 2001 first-team All-Big 12 performer in Ricky Williams. The Red Raiders won seven or more games each season Briles was on Mike Leach's staff and went bowling every year.

Prior to moving into the collegiate coaching ranks at Texas Tech, Briles spent 12 seasons (1988-99) as head coach and athletic director at Stephenville [Texas] High School. His Yellowjacket teams won four state championships, capturing back-to-back crowns in 1993 and 1994 and repeating that feat in 1998 and 1999.

Briles, a former Texas High School Coaches Association president, has spent his entire coaching career in the state of Texas. Following in his father's footsteps, Briles began his coaching career as an assistant at Sundown [Texas] High School in 1979 before moving to Sweetwater [Texas] High School as an assistant from 1980-83. He landed his first head coaching job at Hamlin [Texas] High School (1984-86), where he also served as athletic director.

From Hamlin, Briles went to Georgetown [Texas] High School as head coach and athletic director for two seasons (1986-87) before moving to Stephenville in 1988. While coaching in the high school ranks, Briles developed six Division I quarterbacks and had five signal callers throw for over 3,000 yards in a season.

A former wide receiver for the Cougars from 1974 to 1977, Briles was a member of the 1976 Cougar squad that captured the Southwest Conference championship in UH's first season in the league. He later played in the 1977 Cotton Bowl against fifth-ranked Maryland, a game the Cougars won 30-21.

He received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Texas Tech in 1979 and a Masters of Education degree from Abilene Christian in 1984.

A Big Country Athletic Hall of Fame inductee for his West Texas exploits, Briles and his wife, Jan, have three children: Jancy, a graduate of the University of Houston who works in the Dallas Cowboys Public Relations office; Kendal, a Cougar letterman and UH graduate who serves as an assistant coach on his father's Baylor staff; and Staley, a UH graduate. Briles was inducted into the Texas High School Football Hall of Fame in April 2008.

## THE BRILES FILE

### PERSONAL

Born: Dec. 3, 1955

Family: wife Jan, daughters Jancy and Staley, son Kendal

### EDUCATION

High School: Rule [Texas] High School

College: Texas Tech, 1979 (B.A.); Abilene Christian, 1984 (M.E.)

### PLAYING EXPERIENCE

Rule (Texas) High School, All-State Quarterback

University of Houston, Wide Receiver

### COACHING EXPERIENCE

1979	Sundown (Texas) H.S., assistant coach
1980-83	Sweetwater (Texas) H.S., assistant coach
1984-85	Hamlin (Texas) H.S., head coach/athletic director
1986-87	Georgetown (Texas) H.S., head coach/athletic director
1988-99	Stephenville (Texas) H.S., head coach/athletic director
2000-02	Texas Tech, running backs
2003-07	Houston, head coach
2008-	Baylor, head coach

### POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE

1977	Cotton Bowl (player)
2000	Galleryfurniture Bowl (assistant coach)
2001	Alamo Bowl (assistant coach)
2002	Tangerine Bowl (assistant coach)
2003	Sheraton Hawai'i Bowl (head coach)
2004	Fort Worth Bowl (head coach)
2006	AutoZone Liberty Bowl (head coach)

### THE BRILES WORKSHEET

Year	School	Record	Postseason	Conf. Record	Conf. Finish
2003	Houston	7-6	Hawai'i Bowl	4-4	14th (C-USA)
2004	Houston	3-8	—	3-5	16th (C-USA)
2005	Houston	6-6	Fort Worth Bowl	4-4	3rd (C-USA)
2006	Houston	10-4	Liberty Bowl	7-1	1st (C-USA)
2007	Houston	8-4	(Texas Bowl*)	6-2	12nd (C-USA)
2008	Baylor	4-8	—	2-6	15th (Big 12 South)
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>6 Seasons</b>	<b>38-36</b>	<b>4 bowl berths</b>	<b>26-22</b>	

\*Did not coach UH in Texas Bowl

# POST-SPRING DEPTH CHART

## OFFENSE

<b>WR</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>LANEAR SAMPSON (6-0, 200, RFR.)</b>
	5	Mikail Baker (6-0, 205, Sr.)
<b>IR</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>ERNEST SMITH (6-3, 200, SR.)</b>
	15	Krys Buerck (5-11, 180, Jr.)
<b>LT</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>DANNY WATKINS (6-4, 310, JR.)</b>
	67	Joe Korbel (6-6, 265, So.)
<b>LG</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>JOHN JONES (6-4, 300, SO.)</b>
	70	Jake Jackson (6-3, 285, RFr.)
<b>C</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>J.D. WALTON (6-3, 305, SR.)</b>
	70	Jake Jackson (6-3, 290, RFr.)
<b>RG</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>JAMES BARNARD (6-4, 300, SR.)</b>
	70	Jake Jackson (6-3, 290, RFr.)
<b>RT</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>CAMERON KAUFHOLD (6-4, 295, RFR.)</b>
	78	Chris Griesenbeck (6-6, 275, Jr.)
<b>TE</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>JUSTIN AKERS (6-5, 255, JR.)</b>
	9	Brad Taylor (6-3, 235, Jr.)
<b>BS</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>ANDREW JUDY (6-1, 235, SR.)</b>
	19	Sam Sledge (6-2, 265, Sr.)
<b>IR</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>KENDALL WRIGHT (5-11, 185, SO.)</b>
	23	Justin Fenty (5-9, 175, Sr.)
<b>WR</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>DAVID GETTIS (6-4, 215, SR.)</b>
	2	Terrance Williams (6-2, 190, RFr.)
<b>QB</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>ROBERT GRIFFIN III (6-3, 210, SO.)</b>
	6	Blake Szymanski (6-4, 210, Sr.)
<b>TB</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>JAY FINLEY (5-11, 205, JR.)</b>
	21	Jarred Salubi (5-10, 200, RFr.)
<b>H</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>BRAD TAYLOR (6-3, 235, JR.)</b>

## DEFENSE

<b>DE</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>TRACY ROBERTSON (6-4, 260, SO.)</b>
	31	Fred Plesius (6-1, 250, RFr.)
<b>DT</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>PHIL TAYLOR (6-4, 355, JR.)</b>
	88	Jason Lamb (6-5, 275, Sr.)
	92	Kaeron Johnson (6-1, 285, RFr.)
<b>NG</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>TREY BRYANT (6-2, 315, SR.)</b>
	90	Nicolas Jean-Baptiste (6-1, 310, So.)
	92	Kaeron Johnson (6-1, 285, RFr.)
<b>DE</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>ZAC SCOTTON (6-7, 260, SO.)</b>
	9	Jameon Hardeman (6-1, 230, Jr.)
<b>SLB</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>ANTONIO JONES (6-2, 235, SR.)</b>
	36	Chris Francis (6-0, 235, Jr.)
<b>MLB</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>JOE PAWELEK (6-2, 240, SR.)</b>
	1	Earl Patin (6-2, 225, Jr.)
<b>FLB</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>ANTONIO JOHNSON (6-0, 210, JR.)</b>
	37	Elliot Coffey (6-0, 220, So.)
<b>LCB</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>TIM ATCHISON (6-1, 205, JR.)</b>
	20	Clifton Odom (5-11, 195, Jr.)
<b>FS</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>JORDAN LAKE (6-1, 215, SR.)</b>
	12	T.J. Scranton (5-11, 190, Sr.)
<b>H</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>JEREMY WILLIAMS (5-11, 210, SR.)</b>
	19	Jeremy Sanders (6-2, 210, Sr.)
<b>RCB</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>ANTAREIS BRYAN (6-2, 190, JR.)</b>
	2	Trentson Hill (6-0, 190, So.)

## SPECIAL TEAMS

<b>PK</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>BEN PARKS (6-2, 200, SO.)</b>
	84	Dary Stone (6-1, 175, Sr.)
<b>P</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>DEREK EPPERSON (6-3, 235, JR.)</b>
	40	Ben Parks (6-2, 200, So.)
<b>DS</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>CARTER BRUNELLE (6-2, 230, SR.)</b>
	99	Casey Cooper (6-1, 220, Sr.)
	53	Blake Simpson (5-10, 230, RFr.)
<b>H</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>DEREK EPPERSON (6-3, 235, JR.)</b>
<b>KR</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>MIKAIL BAKER (6-0, 205, SR.)</b>
	4	DAVID GETTIS (6-4, 215, SR.)
<b>PR</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>KRYS BUERCK (5-11, 180, JR.)</b>

## CAREER STARTS

34	Joe Pawelek
31	Jason Lamb
24	James Barnard, Jordan Lake, J.D. Walton
23	Trey Bryant
18	David Gettis
17	Ernest Smith
15	Justin Akers, Antonio Jones
14	Jeremy Williams
13	Jordan Hearvey, Blake Szymanski
12	Krys Buerck
11	Robert Griffin
10	Antonio Johnson
9	Brad Taylor
8	Kendall Wright
7	Jay Finley
6	Justin Fenty
5	Trentson Hill
4	Mikail Baker, Chris Griesenbeck
3	Tim Atchison, Antareis Bryan, Zac Scotton
2	Andrew Judy, Jeremy Sanders
1	John Jones

## CAREER GAMES PLAYED

36	Jason Lamb, Joe Pawelek
35	Justin Akers, David Gettis
34	Mikail Baker, Ernest Smith
33	Justin Fenty, Jeremy Williams
32	Antonio Jones
29	Jordan Lake
27	Trey Bryant
24	James Barnard, Derek Epperson, Jay Finley, Earl Patin, J.D. Walton
23	Tim Atchison, Chris Francis, Antonio Johnson
22	Krys Buerck, Brad Taylor
21	Jameon Hardeman, Blake Szymanski
20	Antareis Bryan
19	Clifton Odom, Sam Sledge
18	Chris Griesenbeck
16	Chris Buford, Dominique Criss, Jordan Hearvey
12	Carter Brunelle, Elliot Coffey, Robert Griffin, Nicolas Jean-Baptiste, Joe Korbel, Ben Parks, Zac Scotton, Kendall Wright
11	Andrew Judy, Jeremy Sanders, T.J. Scranton
10	John Jones
9	Tracy Robertson
8	Romie Blaylock, Trentson Hill
4	Courtney Green, Hunter Hightower
2	Travis McClain, Andrew Sumpter, Stacy Williams
1	Casey Cooper, Matt Singletary

# BAYLOR 2009 FOOTBALL PROSPECTUS

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

NO.	PLAYER, POS.
14	Justin Akers, TE
83	Logan Allison, IR
82	Lucas Allison, WR
8	Tim Atchison, FS
5	Mikail Baker, WR
61	James Barnard, OG
74	Philip Blake, OG
24	Romie Blaylock, CB
64	Alex Bonilla, OL
54	Carter Brunelle, DS
3	Antareis Bryan, CB
97	Trey Bryant, NT
15	Krys Buerck, WR
94	Chris Buford, DT
39	Chance Casey, CB
42	Rodney Chadwick, LB
37	Elliot Coffey, LB
99	Casey Cooper, DS
27	Dominique Criss, CB
16	Tyler DeLoach, QB
35	Denerick Demby, S
77	Taylor Douthit, OL
89	Thomas Draper, WR
56	Jared Edwards, DT/DE
48	Tevin Elliot, LB
38	Derek Epperson, P
23	Justin Fenty, IR
32	Jay Finley, RB
26	Reid Fitzgerald, S
11	Nick Florence, QB
93	Daniel Follis, DE
36	Chris Francis, LB
71	Marquis Franklin, OT
24	Terrance Ganaway, RB
4	David Gettis, WR
12	Josh Gordon, WR
79	Courtney Green, OG
78	Chris Griesenbeck, OG
10	Robert Griffin, QB
9	Jameon Hardeman, DE
49	Deantre Harlan, DE
30	Evan Hearn, WR
75	Jordan Hearvey, OT
17	Mike Hicks, S
66	Hunter Hightower, C
2	Trenton Hill, CB
53	Stefan Huber, OG
70	Jake Jackson, OL
90	Nicolas Jean-Baptiste, NT
17	Willie Jefferson, WR
22	Ahmad Jenkins, CB
7	Antonio Johnson, LB
92	Kaeron Johnson, DT
43	Aaron Jones, PK
6	Antonio Jones, LB
7	Darius Jones, IR
30	Jenner Jones, LB
63	John Jones, OG
45	Andrew Judy, BS
69	Cameron Kauffhold, OL
67	Joe Korbel, OT
21	Jordan Lake, FS
88	Jason Lamb, DT
18	Byron Landor, S
29	Logan Lanier, LB
44	Josh Lewis, LB
98	Terrance Lloyd, DE
41	Kolton Lye, PK
62	Cameron Lyons, OL
8	Glasco Martin, RB

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO	PLAYER	POS	HT	WT	CL	EXP	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/PREVIOUS COLLEGE)
1	Earl Patin	LB	6-2	225	Jr.	2L	Baton Rouge, La. (Southern Lab HS)
1	Kendall Wright	IR	5-11	185	So.	1L	Pittsburg, Texas (Pittsburg HS)
2	Trentson Hill	CB	6-0	190	So.	1L	Mount Pleasant, Texas (Mount Pleasant HS)
2	Terrance Williams	WR	6-2	190	RFr.	SQ	Dallas, Texas (W.T. White HS)
3	Antareis Bryan	CB	6-2	190	Jr.	2L	Dallas, Texas (Carter HS)
3	Ernest Smith	IR	6-3	200	Sr.	3L	New Orleans, La. (Edna Karr Magnet School/John Tyler HS)
4	David Gettis	WR	6-4	215	Sr.	3L	Los Angeles, Calif. (Dorsey HS)
4	Jeremy Williams	S	5-11	210	Sr.	3L	Dallas, Texas (Carter HS)
5	Mikail Baker	WR	6-0	205	Sr.	3L	Dallas, Texas (Skyline HS)
5	Bryce Petty	QB	6-3	215	Fr.	HS	Midlothian, Texas (Midlothian HS)
6	Antonio Jones	LB	6-2	235	Sr.	3L	Dallas, Texas (Lincoln HS)
6	Blake Szymanski	QB	6-4	210	Sr.	3L	Wichita Falls, Texas (Rider HS)
7	Antonio Johnson	LB	6-0	210	Jr.	2L	Waco, Texas (Waco HS)
7	Darius Jones	IR	6-0	180	Fr.	HS	Marshall, Texas (Marshall HS)
8	Tim Atchison	FS	6-1	205	Jr.	2L	Copperas Cove, Texas (Copperas Cove HS)
8	Glasco Martin	RB	6-1	200	Fr.	HS	Round Rock, Texas (Stony Point HS)
9	Jameon Hardeman	DE	6-1	230	Jr.	1L	Dallas, Texas (Kimball HS)
9	Brad Taylor	TE	6-3	235	Jr.	2L	Madisonville, Texas (Madisonville HS)
10	Robert Griffin III	QB	6-3	210	So.	1L	Copperas Cove, Texas (Copperas Cove HS)
10	Gary Mason Jr.	DE	6-4	255	RFr.	SQ	Waxahachie, Texas (Waxahachie HS)
11	Nick Florence	QB	6-1	190	Fr.	HS	Garland, Texas (South Garland HS)
11	Phil Taylor	DT	6-4	355	Jr.	TR	Clinton, Md. (Gwynn Park HS/Penn State)
12	Josh Gordon	WR	6-4	210	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas (Lamar HS)
12	T.J. Scranton	S	5-11	190	Sr.	1L	Hitchcock, Texas (Hitchcock HS/Kilgore College)
13	Tracy Robertson	DL	6-4	260	So.	1L	Houston, Texas (Lamar HS)
13	Brody Trahan	QB	6-1	210	Fr.	HS	Dickinson, Texas (Dickinson HS)
14	Justin Akers	TE	6-4	255	Sr.	3L	Deer Park, Texas (Deer Park HS)
15	Krys Buerck	WR	5-11	180	Jr.	2L	Mesquite, Texas (Mesquite HS)
16	Tyler DeLoach	QB	6-4	190	Jr.	SQ	Coppell, Texas (Coppell HS)
17	Mike Hicks	S	5-11	180	Fr.	HS	China Spring, Texas (China Spring HS)
17	Willie Jefferson	WR	6-6	210	Fr.	HS	Beaumont, Texas (Ozen HS)
18	Byron Landor	S	6-1	210	Jr.	TR	Lake Charles, La. (Washington-Marion HS/Blinn [Texas] College)
18	Laneer Sampson	WR	6-0	200	RFr.	SQ	Mesquite, Texas (North Mesquite HS)
19	Jeremy Sanders	S	6-2	210	Sr.	1L	Marlin, Texas (Marlin HS/Navarro College)
19	Sam Sledge	BS	6-2	265	Sr.	3L	Midland, Texas (Lee HS)
20	Jerod Monk	TE	6-5	245	Fr.	HS	Wylie, Texas (Wylie HS)
20	Clifton Odom	CB	5-11	195	Jr.	2L	Arlington, Texas (James Martin HS)
21	Jordan Lake	FS	6-1	215	Sr.	3L	Houston, Texas (Memorial HS)
21	Jared Salubi	RB	5-10	200	RFr.	SQ	Waco, Texas (Waco HS)
22	Ahmad Jenkins	CB	5-11	180	So.	SQ	Trinidad, Texas (Trinidad HS)
22	Michael Valdez	S	5-10	185	Fr.	HS	Humble, Texas (Atascocita HS)
23	Justin Fenty	IR	5-9	175	Sr.	3L	Denton, Texas (Ryan HS)
23	Anthony Moore	S	6-3	205	Fr.	HS	Converse, Texas (Judson HS)
24	Romie Blaylock	CB	5-10	170	So.	1L	Cedar Hill, Texas (Cedar Hill HS)
24	Terrance Ganaway	RB	6-0	245	So.	TR	DeKalb, Texas (DeKalb HS/Houston/Texarkana College)
25	Matt Singletary	IR	6-3	250	So.	SQ	San Jose, Calif. (Valley Christian HS)
25	Chris Smith	S	5-11	195	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas (Houston Christian HS)
26	Reid Fitzgerald	S	6-0	195	Fr.	HS	Argyle, Texas (Liberty Christian)
26	Travis McClain	WR	6-1	190	So.	SQ	Weatherford, Texas (Weatherford HS)
27	Dominique Criss	CB	5-10	195	Jr.	2L	Arlington, Texas (Bowie HS)
27	Bryan Swindoll	TE	6-2	230	So.	SQ	Miami, Fla. (Westminster Christian School)
28	Caleb McEachern	RB	5-9	210	RFr.	SQ	Midlothian, Texas (Midlothian HS)
28	Logan Lanier	LB	5-10	200	Fr.	HS	Nacogdoches, Texas (Nacogdoches HS)
29	Andre Pierce	RB	5-10	195	Jr.	SQ	Mesquite, Texas (Rowlett HS)
30	Evan Hearn	WR	5-9	195	Jr.	TR	Plainview, Texas (Plainview HS/McMurray)
30	Jenner Jones	LB	6-2	220	RFr.	SQ	Lexington, Texas (Lexington HS)
31	Fred Plesius	DE	6-1	250	RFr.	SQ	Lennoxville, Québec (Champlain Prep School)
32	Jay Finley	RB	5-11	205	Jr.	2L	Corsicana, Texas (Corsicana HS)
33	Tyler Pratt	CB	6-0	190	RFr.	SQ	Houston, Texas (Cypress Falls HS)
34	Chris McAllister	LB	6-2	225	Fr.	HS	Converse, Texas (Judson HS)
35	Denerick Demby	S	6-1	180	Fr.	HS	Spring, Texas (Westfield HS)
36	Chris Francis	LB	6-0	235	Jr.	2L	Cedar Hill, Texas (Cedar Hill HS)
37	Elliot Coffey	LB	6-0	220	So.	1L	Sugar Land, Texas (Clements HS)
38	Derek Epperson	P	6-3	235	Jr.	2L	Southlake, Texas (Keller HS)
39	Chance Casey	CB	5-11	170	Fr.	HS	Crosby, Texas (Crosby HS)
40	Ben Parks	PK	6-2	200	So.	1L	Argyle, Texas (Argyle HS)
41	Kolton Lye	PK	6-0	165	Fr.	HS	Austin, Texas (Westlake HS)
41	Joe Pawelek	LB	6-2	240	Sr.	3L	San Antonio, Texas (Smithson Valley HS)
42	Rodney Chadwick	LB	6-1	225	RFr.	SQ	Carthage, Texas (Carthage HS)
42	Chris Winkler	PK	5-8	160	Fr.	HS	Temple, Texas (Temple HS)



**NUMERICAL ROSTER**

NO	PLAYER	POS	HT	WT	CL	EXP	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/PREVIOUS COLLEGE)
43	Aaron Jones	PK	6-4	170	Fr.	HS	Crowley, Texas (Crowley HS)
43	Reggie Rice	LB	5-11	230	Jr.	TR	Houston, Texas (Eisenhower HS/N.M. Military Academy)
44	Josh Lewis	LB	6-0	220	Fr.	HS	Plano, Texas (Prestonwood Christian Acad.)
45	Andrew Judy	BS	6-1	235	Sr.	1L	Crawford, Texas (Crawford HS/Mary Hardin-Baylor)
46	Erik Piorkowski	LB	6-2	220	So.	TR	Lake St. Louis, Mo. (Holt HS/Northern Iowa)
47	LeQuince McCall	LB	6-2	200	Fr.	HS	San Antonio, Texas (Ronald Reagan HS)
48	Tevin Elliot	LB	6-3	225	Fr.	HS	Mount Pleasant, Texas (Mount Pleasant HS)
48	Eric Wolfe	TE	6-2	230	Fr.	HS	The Woodlands, Texas (The Woodlands HS)
49	Deantre Harlan	DE	6-4	240	Fr.	HS	Everman, Texas (Everman HS)
52	Blake Simpson	LS	5-10	230	RFr.	SQ	Fort Worth, Texas (All Saints Episcopal School)
53	Stefan Huber	OG	6-5	270	Fr.	HS	Nederland, Texas (Nederland HS)
54	Carter Brunelle	LS	6-2	230	Sr.	1L	Duluth, Ga. (Wesleyan School)
55	J.D. Walton	C	6-3	305	Sr.	2L	Allen, Texas (Allen HS/Arizona State)
56	Jared Edwards	DE	6-4	255	RFr.	SQ	Mansfield, Texas (Mansfield HS)
57	Kevin Park	DE	6-4	235	Fr.	HS	Austin, Texas (Crockett HS)
58	Chance Reinhardt	DE	6-4	225	Fr.	HS	San Antonio, Texas (St. Anthony HS)
59	Danny Watkins	OT	6-4	310	Jr.	TR	Kelowna, B.C. (Mount Boucherie Secondary/Butte [Calif.] College)
61	James Barnard	OG	6-4	300	Sr.	2L	Overland Park, Kan. (Shawnee Mission South HS/Coffeyville CC)
62	Cameron Lyons	OL	6-2	275	Fr.	HS	Cypress, Texas (Cypress Woods HS)
63	John Jones	OG	6-4	300	So.	1L	Cedar Hill, Texas (Cedar Hill HS)
64	Alex Bonilla	OL	6-2	280	RFr.	SQ	Abilene, Texas (Cooper HS)
65	Zach Northern	OL	6-2	265	Fr.	HS	Hewitt, Texas (Midway HS)
66	Hunter Hightower	C	6-5	275	So.	SQ	Richardson, Texas (Pearce HS)
67	Joe Korb	OT	6-6	265	So.	1L	San Antonio, Texas (Churchill HS)
68	Cyril Richardson	OT	6-6	305	Fr.	HS	Fort Worth, Texas (North Crowley HS)
69	Cameron Kaufhold	OL	6-4	295	RFr.	SQ	Friendswood, Texas (Friendswood HS)
70	Jake Jackson	OL	6-3	290	RFr.	SQ	Southlake, Texas (Carroll HS)
71	Marquis Franklin	OT	6-7	320	Jr.	TR	Tyler, Texas (John Tyler HS/Blinn [Texas] College)
73	Jeramie Roberts	OG	6-4	315	Fr.	HS	Garland, Texas (South Garland HS)
74	Philip Blake	OG	6-3	275	So.	TR	Brampton, Ontario (Champlain Regional Prep/Tyler [Texas] JC)
75	Jordan Hearvey	OT	6-5	270	Sr.	2L	Richardson, Texas (Richardson HS)
76	Ivory Wade	OG	6-5	315	Fr.	HS	Dickinson, Texas (Dickinson HS)
77	Taylor Douthit	OL	6-0	285	RFr.	SQ	McKinney, Texas (McKinney North HS)
78	Chris Griesenbeck	OG	6-6	275	Sr.	2L	San Antonio, Texas (Lee HS)
79	Courtney Green	OG	6-3	265	So.	1L	Corsicana, Texas (Corsicana HS)
80	Tevin Reese	IR	5-11	160	Fr.	HS	Temple, Texas (Temple HS)
81	Skyler Scott	WR	6-3	195	Fr.	HS	Lancaster, Texas (Lancaster HS)
82	Lucas Allison	WR	6-3	190	Fr.	HS	Frisco, Texas (Legacy Christian Academy)
83	Logan Allison	IR	5-11	175	Fr.	HS	Frisco, Texas (Legacy Christian Academy)
84	Dary Stone	PK	6-1	175	Sr.	SQ	Dallas, Texas (Trinity Christian Academy)
85	Stacy Williams	WR	5-11	185	So.	SQ	Houston, Texas (Yates HS)
86	Andrew Sumpter	WR	6-2	200	So.	SQ	Flower Mound, Texas (Flower Mound HS)
88	Jason Lamb	DT	6-5	275	Sr.	3L	Richardson, Texas (Berkner HS)
88	Andrew Sowder	TE	6-3	230	So.	SQ	Shallowater, Texas (Shallowater HS)
89	Thomas Draper	WR	6-2	185	RFr.	SQ	Dallas, Texas (Highland Park HS)
90	Nicolas Jean-Baptiste	NT	6-1	310	So.	1L	Stafford, Texas (Strake Jesuit College Prep)
91	Kelvin Palmer	DE	6-5	285	Fr.	HS	Dallas, Texas (W. H. Adamson HS)
92	Kaeron Johnson	DT	6-1	285	RFr.	SQ	Cuero, Texas (Cuero HS)
93	Daniel Follis	DE	6-5	210	Fr.	HS	Springfield, Mo. (Kickapoo HS)
94	Chris Buford	DT	6-5	270	Jr.	2L	Arlington, Texas (Bowie HS)
96	Zac Scotton	DE	6-7	260	So.	1L	Houston, Texas (Cypress Creek HS)
97	Trey Bryant	NT	6-2	315	Sr.	3L	Dallas, Texas (Berkner HS)
98	Terrance Lloyd	DE	6-4	230	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas (Stratford HS)
99	Casey Cooper	LS	6-1	220	Sr.	1L	Abbott, Texas (Abbott HS/Alabama)

**ALPHABETICAL ROSTER**

NO.	PLAYER, POS.
10	Gary Mason Jr., DE
34	Chris McAllister, LB
47	LeQuince McCall, LB
26	Travis McClain, WR
28	Caleb McEachern, RB
20	Jerod Monk, TE
23	Anthony Moore, S
65	Zach Northern, OL
20	Clifton Odom, CB
91	Kelvin Palmer, DE
57	Kevin Park, DE
40	Ben Parks, PK
1	Earl Patin, LB
41	Joe Pawelek, LB
5	Bryce Petty, QB
29	Andre Pierce, RB
46	Erik Piorkowski, LB
31	Fred Plesius, DE
33	Tyler Pratt, CB
80	Tevin Reese, IR
58	Chance Reinhardt, DE
43	Reggie Rice, LB
68	Cyril Richardson, OT
73	Jeramie Roberts, OG
13	Tracy Robertson, DL
21	Jarred Salubi, RB
18	Lanear Sampson, WR
19	Jeremy Sanders, S
81	Skyler Scott, WR
96	Zac Scotton, DE
12	T.J. Scranton, S
52	Blake Simpson, LS
25	Matt Singletary, IR
19	Sam Sledge, BS
25	Chris Smith, S
3	Ernest Smith, IR
88	Andrew Sowder, TE
84	Dary Stone, PK
86	Andrew Sumpter, WR
27	Bryan Swindoll, TE
6	Blake Szymanski, QB
9	Brad Taylor, TE
11	Phil Taylor, DT
13	Brody Trahan, QB
22	Michael Valdez, S
76	Ivory Wade, OG
55	J.D. Walton, C
59	Danny Watkins, OT
4	Jeremy Williams, S
85	Stacy Williams, WR
2	Terrance Williams, WR
42	Chris Winkler, PK
48	Eric Wolfe, TE
1	Kendall Wright, IR

**COACHING STAFF**

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 Brian Norwood - Defensive Coordinator  
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 Larry Hoefler - Assistant Coach (Linebackers)  
 Kim McCloud - Assistant Coach (Defensive Backs)/Defensive Recruiting Coordinator  
 Theo Young - Assistant Coach (Defensive Ends)  
 Reed Heim - Graduate Assistant Coach (Defense)

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 Odell James - Assistant Director of Football Operations  
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 Beau Trahan - Assistant Director of Football Operations  
 Jeremy Weeks - Graduate Assistant (Athletic Performance)

**14 JUSTIN AKERS**

**TE • 6-4 • 255 • SR. • 3L • DEER PARK, TEXAS (DEER PARK HS)**

Fifth-year senior one of four Bears to have played at least 35 career games (35)... One of nine returning offensive starters.

**2008 (Junior):** Played in 11 of 12 games of junior season, made three starts... Finished fourth on squad in receptions, made 14 catches for 167 yards and two touchdowns... Starter at tight end in season's first two contests, made two catches in each game (25 yards vs. Wake Forest, 32 yards vs. Northwestern State)... Had season-high four receptions in week four at UConn and scored both touchdowns... Only other multiple-catch game was ninth game vs. No. 14 Missouri, two catches for 21 yards... Did not play in win over Texas A&M due to foot injury.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Sophomore inside receiver No. 2 on squad in both receptions (43) and touchdown catches (four); No. 3 in receiving yards (426)... Registered two or more receptions in 10 of 12 games, only Bear to record at least one grab in every contest... Hauled in a career-high nine receptions for 77 yards vs. No. 19 Texas... Had seven catches at Buffalo (for 74 yards and one touchdown, a 4-yarder) and vs. Texas State (for career-high 95 yards)... One of receptions vs. Texas State a career-long 24-yarder... Tallied two catches for 29 yards, one an 18-yard touchdown grab, vs. Colorado... Two receptions for 25 yards vs. Rice both TDs (of 16 and 9 yards, respectively, for first career scores)... Drew 10 starts and saw action on 667 plays to receive second letter... Played 50 or more snaps six times with a high of 88 plays vs. Texas Tech.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played in every game as redshirt freshman inside receiver and drew two starts — vs. No. 22 TCU, in first game as Bear, and at No. 6 Texas... Averaged 10.8 yards on five receptions for season... Caught two passes for 13 yards vs. Army... Registered season-long 19-yard reception vs. Kansas... Also recorded receptions at Texas (for 14 yards) and vs. No. 22 Texas A&M (eight yards)... Played 254 snaps to earn first Baylor letter.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Redshirted as true freshman... Named to fall Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**High School:** Deer Park High School, Deer Park, Texas... Selected one of state's top 10 tight ends on *Texas Football's* 2004 Texas Top 300 list... *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 player... Caught team-high 26 passes for 462 yards, an average of 17.8 yards per catch, as senior with five touchdowns for 6-4 Deer Park... Earned all-district honors in both football and basketball... 2005 Bayou Bowl participant... Also played baseball and member of school's track team... National Honor Society member... Coached by Chris Massey at District 23-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Mike and Sharon Akers, Justin Paul Akers was born Oct. 30, 1986, in Pasadena, Texas... Graduated in December 2008 with Bachelor's of Science degree in education... Currently taking graduate classes.

**AKERS' CAREER STATISTICS**

**RECEIVING**

YEAR	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	Redshirted					
2006	12/2	5	54	10.8	0	19/vs. Kansas
2007	12/10	43	426	9.9	4	24/vs. Texas State
2008	11/3	14	167	11.9	2	21/Northwestern State
Career	35/15	62	647	10.4	6	24/vs. Texas State, 2007

**8 TIM ATCHISON**

**FS • 6-1 • 205 • JR. • 2L • COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS (COPPERAS COVE HS)**

Fourth-year junior safety from nearby Copperas Cove, Texas (former prep teammate of Robert Griffin).

**2008 (Sophomore):** Played in 11 of 12 games of sophomore season, made three starts... Totaled 31 tackles on the season, 21 solo and 10 assisted... Had three passes broken up... Played as reserve in season's first eight games, started three of last four games (last three games played) at left cornerback... Made first career start (left cornerback) in ninth game vs. No. 14 Missouri, made two tackles and two PBUs... Tallied career-high six tackles (all solo) in season-finale at No. 7 Texas Tech... Did not play at Texas due to shoulder injury.

**2007 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played in every game as redshirt freshman free safety, credited with seven tackles (six solos) and a pass breakup... Totaled a then-career-high two tackles (one solo) vs. Rice to register lone multi-tackle performance of season... Had first career pass

breakup vs. Texas Tech... Saw action on 183 total plays, 95 of which were on special teams, to earn first Baylor monogram... Spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll member.

**2006 (True Freshman):** Elected to take a redshirt year as a true freshman free safety... Dressed for season's first two games, but did not play and then redshirted.

**High School:** Copperas Cove High School, Copperas Cove, Texas... Ranked as nation's 42nd-best safety by *Rivals.com* and No. 90 on *Rivals.com's* Texas Top 100 list... No. 5 on *Waco Tribune-Herald's* Central Texas Top 25 list... Defensive MVP of 2005 *Waco Tribune-Herald* Super Centex team also earned first-team Class 5A all-state honors from both Associated Press and 5A *TexasFootball.com* as well as second-team recognition from Texas Sports Writers Association... 3-star *Rivals.com* recruit... Registered 147 tackles, six interceptions, three blocked kicks, three fumble recoveries and a forced fumble as a prep senior en route to District 13-5A Defensive Player of Year honors... Returned three of six interceptions for touchdowns and also took a blocked kick into end zone for another score... 2005 *Texas Football* Texas Top 300 selection... Helped 2005 Bulldogs to a 13-1 record, district, bi-district and area titles, quarterfinals of 5A Division II playoffs and a final No. 9 state ranking... Had 127 tackles, three interceptions, three fumble recoveries, two forced fumbles and a blocked kick as junior en route to first-team all-district and honorable mention 2004 *Tribune-Herald* Super Centex honors... Credited with 42 tackles and five pass breakups as sophomore... In final two prep seasons led Copperas Cove to back-to-back district titles, a pair of playoff appearances and a 23-3 record... Began prep career as a running back and played wide receiver before settling into defensive backfield... Also considered Georgia Tech, Oklahoma State, Texas Tech, Purdue, TCU and UTEP... Coached by Jack Welch at District 5A-13 school.

**Personal:** Son of Stacey Atchison, Timothy Drew Atchison was born Sept. 27, 1987, in Houston, Texas... Majoring in speech communication.

**ATCHISON'S CAREER STATISTICS**

**DEFENSIVE**

YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PBU	INT-YDS
2006	Redshirted								
2007	12/0	6	1	7	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	1	0-0
2008	11/3	21	10	31	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	3	0-0
Career	23/3	27	11	38	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	4	0-0

**5 MIKAIL BAKER**

**WR • 6-0 • 205 • SR. • 3L • DALLAS, TEXAS (SKYLINE HS)**

Fifth-year senior on pace to become most prolific kick returner in school history... Career kickoff return average of 24.7 ranks third in Baylor history... 1,383 career kickoff return yards ranks third in school history... 56 career kick returns ranks fifth all-time and is 11 behind school-record 67 by Willie Andrews... Has played 34 career games (fifth-most on team).

**2008 (Junior):** Played in 11 of 12 games during junior season, made one start... Made four receptions on the season, for 44 yards... Team's leading kick returner, averaged 25.3 yards on 30 returns with one touchdown... 25.27 kick return average ranked sixth in Big 12 and tied for 37th nationally... 758 kick return yards was second-highest single-season total in school history (behind teammate David Gettis' 763 in 2007)... 30 returns tied for fourth on Baylor single-season chart, 25.27 average ranks seventh... Made first career kickoff return for touchdown vs. Iowa State, a 93-yarder that tied for the 10th-longest in school history... Amassed all season kick return numbers in nine total games, had only one return during first four contests before taking over primary kick return duties in fifth game vs. No. 1 Oklahoma... Also totaled two carries on the season, for six net yards... Had first career 100-yard return game in win over Iowa State, totaled 134 yards on three returns including 93-yard TD, added one reception for eight yards... Returned six kicks for 130 yards at Oklahoma State... Posted career-highs of seven kickoff returns and 178 return yards at fifth-ranked Texas... Did not play in season's fourth game at UConn.

**2007 (Medical Redshirt):** Broke collar bone vs. Rice which forced him to sideline and into a medical redshirt after two starts... Caught six passes for 87 yards (14.5 ypc) and had four kickoff returns for 103 yards (25.8 ypr)... Season-long reception (37 yards) and kickoff return (39 yards) both came against Rice... Two multi-catch games (five career)...

Made two starts and played 85 snaps prior to injury, including season-high 56 plays at No. 22 TCU... Nine career kickoff returns of 25-plus yards... 15 of 22 career receptions registered at Floyd Casey Stadium.

**2006 (Sophomore):** Appeared in every game as sophomore wide receiver, but made mark on Bears' kickoff return unit... On 22 kickoff returns, averaged 23.73 yards to rank No. 4 in Big 12 and No. 37 nationally... 22 kickoff returns equaled eighth-best single-season total in school history, 522 yards ranked No. 7 on program's season chart at time... Seven kickoff returns of 25-plus yards on year included then-career-long 58-yarder at No. 6 Texas... Averaged 32.33 yards on three kickoff returns vs. Longhorns... Also totaled eight receptions for 65 yards and one touchdown and rushed once for four yards on year... Had career-high five receptions for 45 yards against No. 22 TCU, one a 21-yard TD grab from Shawn Bell... Averaged 8.1 yards per catch and had three receptions of 10-plus yards... Six of eight grabs recorded at Floyd Casey Stadium... Saw action on 248 plays to earn second letter.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Finished seventh on squad in receptions with eight for 158 yards and one touchdown in nine games as true freshman... Averaged team-high 19.8 yards per catch... Made first career start against No. 2 Texas when Bears opened in five-wide set... Registered then-career-high three receptions for 31 yards against No. 16 Texas Tech and caught two balls for then-career-best 61 yards vs. Oklahoma State... First career reception 49-yard TD grab from Terrance Parks vs. Samford... Seven of eight receptions on year came at Floyd Casey Stadium... Talled at least one reception in four straight games to end rookie season... Saw action on 70 snaps to receive first varsity letter.

**High School:** Skyline High School, Dallas, Texas... Ranked No. 83 on *The Dallas Morning News* Area Top 100 list... Two-time All-District 9-5A wide receiver... 2004 *Texas Football* Top 300 member... 2005 Coca-Cola High School All-Star Game participant... Helped Skyline to 2004 Class 5A Division I Region II bi-district playoffs... As senior, caught 50 passes for 750 yards and eight touchdowns for 7-4 Raiders... Also rushed 12 times for 150 yards and two scores... Returned kickoff for touchdown and racked up 1,000 all-purpose yards in final prep campaign... Hauled in 24 passes for 357 yards and two touchdowns as junior... Coached by Que Brittain at District 9-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Michael and Jacqueline Baker, Mikail A'Lim Baker was born June 19, 1987, in Dallas, Texas... Would like to become television broadcaster... Majoring in general studies.

**BAKER'S CAREER STATISTICS**

RECEIVING

YEAR	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	9/1	8	158	19.8	1	49/Samford (TD)
2006	12/0	8	65	8.1	1	21/TCU (TD)
2007	2/2	6	87	14.5	0	37/Rice
2008	11/1	4	44	11.0	0	20/Texas A&M
Career	34/4	26	354	13.6	2	49/Samford, 2005 (TD)

Other: RUSHING: 2005: 0-0-0; 2006: 1-4-0; 2007: 0-0-0; 2008: 2-6-0; Career: 3-10-0; KICKOFF RETURNS: 2005: 0-0-0; 2006: 22-522-0; 2007: 4-103-0; 2008: 30-758-1 TD; Career: 56-1,383-1 TD

**61 JAMES BARNARD**

**OG • 6-4 • 300 • SR. • 2L • OVERLAND PARK, KAN. (SHAWNEE MISSION SOUTH HS/COFFEYVILLE CC)**

Former junior college transfer returns as third-year starter on offensive line... Honorable mention All-Big 12 in 2008... One of nine returning offensive starters... Two-time Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll member.

**2008 (Junior):** Starter at right guard in all 12 games in 2008... One of eight Bears to start all 12 games... Earned honorable mention All-Big 12 honors by The Associated Press following junior season... Named to the fall 2008 Commissioner's Honor Roll... Mainstay on offensive line that led Bears to 21st ranking nationally and third in Big 12 with 195.8 rushing yards per game, Baylor produced 2,349 rushing yards and 29 touchdowns – the school's most since 1994.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Junior college transfer emerged as Bears' starter at right offensive guard midway through fall camp as sophomore and went on to become one of three Baylor o-linemen to start every 2007 game (J.D. Walton and Dan Gay were others)... Key cog in Baylor offensive line which yielded just 21 sacks (in school-record 561 pass attempts) on season, program's fewest since 1995... Played 76 or more snaps seven times with high of 97 at Buffalo... One of 10 Bears to play

700 or more snaps on season, Barnard saw action on 763 downs to receive first Baylor letter... Named to spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**Junior College:** Coffeyville Community College, Coffeyville, Kan.... Earned second-team 2006 All-Kansas Jayhawk Community College Conference honors as redshirt freshman offensive tackle for coach Jeff Leiker... Helped Coffeyville to 7-4 record and No. 13 national ranking in 2006... 13th-ranked Ravens dropped 26-21 decision to No. 3 Snow in Zions Bank Top of the Mountains Bowl... Redshirted as freshman in 2005... Also considered UAB, Ole Miss, Memphis and Temple before signing with Bears.

**High School:** Shawnee Mission South, Overland Park, Kan.... Two-year starter at left offensive tackle... K.C. Metro All-Star Game participant... Team captain as senior... Also lettered two years in wrestling.

**Personal:** Son of Dave Barnard, James Lockhart Barnard was born April 15, 1987, in Kansas City, Mo.... Enjoys hunting and fishing... Majoring in general studies, would like to teach and coach.

**24 ROMIE BLAYLOCK**

**CB • 5-10 • 170 • SO. • 1L • CEDAR HILL, TEXAS (CEDAR HILL HS)**

Second-year player moved to defense during spring drills, switched from receiver to cornerback.

**2008 (True Freshman):** Played in eight of 12 games at inside receiver during true freshman season to earn first letter... One of six true freshmen to play for Baylor in 2008... Totaled two receptions for negative six yards on season, added one rush for seven yards... Made first catch in first career game played in opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest, for four yards... Credited with one carry for seven yards in win over Iowa State.

**High School:** Cedar Hill High School, Cedar Hill, Texas... Ranked 43rd on *The Dallas Morning News*' Area Top 100 list... 2006 *Texas Football* Texas Top 300 member... 3-star *Rivals.com* ranking... Helped Longhorns to 2006 Class 5A Division II state title with 16-0 record... Totaled 34 receptions for 629 yards and seven touchdowns as senior to earn second-team all-district honors... Also played cornerback and registered pair of interceptions, four tackles and one pass breakup... As junior, caught 13 passes for 177 yards and one touchdown en route to second-team all-district honors for 7-4, Division II bi-district finalists... Helped 2005 Longhorns to first district title in some 25 years... Caught 33 passes for 500 yards en route to 2004 District 7-5A Sophomore of Year honors... Anchored Cedar Hill's silver-medal winning 4x400-meter relay at 2007 state meet... Placed third in 2006 Class 5A 400-meter dash in personal-best 47.39... 2006 *Dallas Morning News* all-area track and field team selection... Placed third in 2005 Junior Olympics 400... B Honor Roll student... FCA member volunteered for duty at food pantry and clothing store... Received 2005-06 Achievement Academy Award and 2005-06 Who's Who American High School Award... Coached by Joey McGuire at District 7-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Romie S. Blaylock Sr. and Niki Blaylock, Romie S. Blaylock Jr. was born Aug. 23, 1989, in Dallas, Texas... Enjoys dancing, singing, dominos and shooting pool... Cousin of former Baylor and current Carolina Panther cornerback C.J. Wilson... Majoring in speech communication.

**54 CARTER BRUNELLE**

**LS • 6-2 • 230 • SR. • 1L • DULUTH, GA. (WESLEYAN SCHOOL)**

Former walk-on back for second season as starting deep snapper.

**2008 (Junior):** Played in all 12 games as junior in 2008 to earn first Baylor letter... Former walk-on awarded scholarship in fall 2008... First-string deep snapper, made all special teams snaps throughout the season.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Walk-on backup snapper, dressed for home games but did not see game action... Made team as walk-on following 2006 season, enrolled at Baylor in 2005.

**High School:** Prepped at Wesleyan School in Duluth, Ga., under head coach Will Jackson... Played outside linebacker and offensive line, lettered senior season.

**Personal:** Son of Wayne Brunelle and Janice and Tim Sullivan, Carter Thomas Brunelle was born April 15, 1987, in Atlanta... Double major in management and sports, sponsorship and sales.

**3 ANTAREIS BRYAN**

**CB • 6-2 • 190 • JR. • 2L • DALLAS, TEXAS (CARTER HS)**

Veteran third-year junior adds experience to defensive backfield.

**2008 (Sophomore):** Played in 10 of 12 games as sophomore, starter in three games... Finished season with 33 tackles, including six solos... Added eight pass breakups and one interception... Backup cornerback through season's first four games, made only interception of season (second of career) at Connecticut in fourth game... Earned first career start in fifth game vs. No. 1 Oklahoma, totaled then-career-best seven tackles and one tackle for loss... Also started following two contests vs. Iowa State (career-high three PBUs) and at Oklahoma State... Made career-high eight tackles at OSU... Came off bench to record four tackles in eighth game at Nebraska... Did not record a tackle over final four games, limited action at Texas and vs. Texas A&M, did not play vs. Missouri or at Texas Tech.

**2007 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman cornerback saw action in 10 games for Bears and totaled 17 tackles (10 solos) en route to spot on *The Sporting News'* All-Big 12 freshman team... Also had tackle for loss and an interception on season... Registered one tackle, for loss, at No. 4 Oklahoma... Had then-career-high five tackles (two solos) and first career interception, returned 32 yards, at Kansas State... 32-yard interception return longest recorded by Bear on season... Registered then-career-high tying three tackles (one solo) vs. Rice... Tallied three tackles, all solo, at No. 22 TCU in Bear debut... Four multi-tackle performances in 10 appearances... Saw action on 222 snaps for year, including season-high 65 plays at Kansas State and 56 snaps vs. Texas Tech, to earn first Baylor letter.

**2006 (True Freshman):** True freshman cornerback sat out 2006 campaign as redshirt... Named to fall Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**High School:** Carter High School, Dallas, Texas... Started all 12 games for 11-1 Cowboys, who claimed 2005 district title and advanced to second round of playoffs... Totaled 45 tackles, six pass breakups, three interceptions and forced two fumbles as senior... MVP of Carter track team... District long jump champion also member of Cowboys' district champion 4x100- and 4x200-meter relay teams... National Honor Society member... Active in student council... Texas Scholar... Listed on Who's Who National Honor Roll... Also considered Colorado... Coached by Allen Wilson at District 9-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Roderick and Shawnda Davis, Antareis Earl Bryan was born May 20, 1988, in Dallas, Texas... Nicknamed "The Locksmith"... Majoring in general studies.

**BRYAN'S CAREER STATISTICS**

DEFENSIVE									
YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PBU	INT-YDS
2006		Redshirted							
2007	10/0	10	7	17	1-2	0-0	0/0	1	1-32
2008	10/3	27	6	33	1-2	0-0	0/0	9	1-8
Career	20/3	37	13	50	2-4	0-0	0/0	10	2-40

**97 TREY BRYANT**

**NT • 6-2 • 315 • SR. • 3L • DALLAS, TEXAS (BERKNER HS)**

Fifth-year senior defensive lineman... Starter in 23 of 27 career games played... 23 career starts ranks as fourth-most on team (heading into 2009)... 17 career multiple-tackle games... One of nine returning defensive starters.

**2008 (Junior):** Played all 12 games as junior, starter at nose tackle in 11 of 12... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll for fall 2008... Finished season with 24 tackles (nine solo), 3.5 tackles for loss, five quarterback hurries and two pass breakups... Started first 11 games of season... Credited with two tackles, 1.5 tackles for loss and career-high two pass breakups in win over Northwestern State in second game... Had season-high four tackles, including 1.5 for loss in win over Washington State... Matched season-high of four tackles, all assisted, at UConn... Made career-high two QB hurries in win over Iowa State... Credited with at least one tackle in all 12 games.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Produced nine multi-tackle games in 12 starts as sophomore nose tackle and ranked 14th on squad overall (No. 4 among BU d-linemen) in total tackles with 28 stops (15 solos)... Also had 2.0 tackles for loss, one pass breakup, one forced fumble and four QB hurries... Career-high five tackles (four solos) and one pass breakup at No. 20 Kansas... Totaled four tackles (three solos) and 0.5 tackles for loss at No. 4 Oklahoma... Had three tackles (one solo) and one forced fumble at Kansas State... Credited with three tackles (two solos) vs. Oklahoma State... Registered 1.0 tackle for loss at Buffalo and had 0.5 TFL vs. Colorado... Made first career start at No. 22 TCU (one solo tackle)... Played 676 snaps to receive second Baylor monogram... Played 60 or more downs in six of 12 starts with high of 78 snaps at Texas A&M.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman nose tackle saw action in three games... Played 53 snaps, 46 of which were over Baylor's final two games of season — at Oklahoma State and against No. 16 Oklahoma... Totaled five tackles (three solos) on season, including two for loss... Had then-career-high three tackles, all solos, in 23 snaps at Oklahoma State... Two of three stops vs. Cowboys were for loss (two yards)... Totaled two tackles, both assisted, on 23 plays against Sooners... Received first letter.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Sat out year as redshirt.

**High School:** L.V. Berkner High School, Richardson, Texas... No. 77 (28th on its all-area list) on *The Dallas Morning News* State Top 100 list... *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* and *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 member... Ration's 34th-best defensive tackle by *Rivals.com*... Member of *Texas Football's* 2004 Top 300... In three seasons for Rams, recorded 175 tackles, 15 sacks, three fumble recoveries and three forced fumbles... As senior, credited with 65 tackles, six sacks, two forced fumbles, 15 pressures, six pass breakups and two blocked field goals en route to first-team all-city and first-team all-district honors... Led Berkner to school-record eight victories in 2004 (against four losses), seven-game win streak, district title and first-ever berth in 5A Division I Region II semifinals... First-team all-city and first-team all-district pick as junior, had 60 tackles, eight sacks, one forced fumble and fumble recovery... 2002 District and City Sophomore of Year had 50 tackles and one sack en route to all-city and all-district honors... 2005 Coca-Cola Bowl participant... Also lettered in track... One of three Richardson products in Baylor's 2005 recruiting class, joining teammate Jason Lamb and Richardson High's Jordan Hearvey... Coached by Jim Ledford at District 10-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Sonja and the late Lee Bryant Jr., Lee Vernon Bryant III was born June 2, 1987, in Carrollton, Texas... Would like to become high school coach... Cousin, Marcus Shavers, played defensive tackle at Arkansas... Majoring in general studies.

**BRYANT'S CAREER STATISTICS**

DEFENSIVE									
YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2005		Redshirted							
2006	3/0	3	2	5	2.0-2	0.0-0	0/0	0	0-0
2007	12/12	15	13	28	2.0-3	0.0-0	1/0	1	0-0
2008	12/11	9	15	24	3.5-6	0.5-0	0/0	2	0-0
Career	27/23	27	30	57	7.5-11	0.5-0	1/0	3	0-0

**15 KRYS BUERCK**

WR • 5-11 • 180 • JR. • 2L • MESQUITE, TEXAS (MESQUITE HS)

One of nine returning starters from defense, will join offensive side of ball (which returns nine starters)... Made the switch back to offense during spring drills, moving from cornerback to receiver... Three-time member of Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**2008 (Sophomore):** Played all 12 games in first season at cornerback as sophomore, a starter in six contests... Earned second-team Academic All-Big 12 recognition... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll for fall 2008... Finished season with 24 total tackles, 12 solo and 12 assisted... Added one interception and two pass breakups... Started first four games of season, had two tackles and a pass breakup in win over Washington State... Made four tackles at UConn... Had best performance of season at fifth-ranked Texas, credited with career-high five tackles (two solo), career-first interception and one pass breakup... Returned interception 46 yards to the UT 6-yard line to set up Baylor touchdown.

**2007 (True Freshman):** As true freshman wide receiver, played in 10 games with six starts... Bears' No. 6 receiver on season with 23 receptions for 280 yards and two touchdowns... All 23 grabs came in eight-game span (Rice through Kansas State) that saw him tally two or more receptions in every contest... Reception total just two shy of Baylor's single-season freshman record of 25 set by Trent Shelton in 2003 and broken by Brad Taylor, Buerck's teammate, in 2007... In first career start, registered career-high six receptions for career-best 76 yards and one touchdown, 11-yard catch vs. Texas State... Hauled in two passes for 20 yards at Buffalo, including 9-yard touchdown grab, in second career start, and rushed twice for six yards... Had two receptions for 57 yards against Rice, one a career-long 44-yard grab... Also totaled three receptions vs. Colorado (for 15 yards), at No. 20 Kansas (26 yards) and at Kansas State (41 yards)... Missed games vs. Texas Tech and at No. 4 Oklahoma with sprained ankle... Played 449 snaps, including season-high 86 plays at Buffalo, to earn first Baylor letter... Fall and spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll member.

**High School:** Mesquite High School, Mesquite, Texas... Rated 49th on *The Dallas Morning News* Top 100 Area list... Named Most Outstanding Offensive Player of 2007 Oil Bowl after catching six passes for 124 yards and one touchdown in Texas' 31-16 victory over Oklahoma... Caught 48 passes for 970 yards and 12 touchdowns to earn 2006 District 12-5A co-offensive MVP honors... Garnered 2006 honorable mention Class 5A all-state honors from both Associated Press and Texas Sports Writers Association... 970 receiving yards ranked eighth among all 2006 Class 5A Metroplex performers, 12 touchdown catches equaled area's fifth-highest total... Helped team to 7-5 record and second round of playoffs as senior... Caught 41 passes for 606 yards and four touchdowns as junior for team which advanced to Class 5A Division I bi-district playoffs... One of receptions as junior an 18-yard touchdown catch with 0.7 seconds left to give Skeeters 14-13 playoff-clinching win over Rockwall... Also ran on Mesquite's 4x100- and 4x400-meter relay teams as junior... Coached by Steve Halpin at District 12-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Brent Buerck and Debra Buerck, Krystopher Thomas Buerck was born Jan. 11, 1989... Majoring in film and digital media.

**BUERCK'S CAREER STATISTICS**

RECEIVING

YEAR	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2007	10/6	23	280	12.2	2	44/Rice
2008	12/6	0	0	0.0	0	—
Career	22/12	23	280	12.2	2	44/Rice, 2007

Other: TACKLES: 2007: 0-2-2; 2008: 12-12-24; Career: 12-14-26; KICKOFF RETURNS: 2007: 1-12-0; 2008: 0-0-0; Career: 1-12-0; PUNT RETURNS: 2007: 3-17-0; 2008: 0-0-0; Career: 3-17-0

**94 CHRIS BUFORD**

DT • 6-5 • 270 • JR. • 2L • ARLINGTON, TEXAS (BOWIE HS)

**2008 (Sophomore):** Played in four games as sophomore, as backup defensive tackle... Finished season with one tackle, a tackle for loss recorded at No. 5 Texas.

**2007 (Redshirt Freshman):** Saw action in every game along defensive line for Bears as redshirt freshman tackle and totaled four tackles, all assisted... Totaled career-high three tackles, all assisted, against Rice in second career appearance, and had one assisted stop at Texas A&M... Played 171 snaps for first Baylor letter, 56 on special teams, with high of 26 at No. 4 Oklahoma.

**2006 (True Freshman):** Sat out first year at Baylor as redshirt.

**High School:** Bowie High School, Arlington, Texas... One of two *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* Area Top 50 recruits from Arlington Bowie in Baylor's 2006 recruiting class, joining teammate Dominique Criss...

Credited with 50 tackles in five games as senior with 17 tackles for loss, 12 of which were sacks... Also spent time at tight end, recorded four receptions and 12 pancake blocks... Earned honorable mention all-district honors as senior and second-team pick as junior... Totaled 105 tackles with eight sacks, two forced fumbles and fumble recovery as junior... National Honor Society member, cum laude graduate and Bowie High's Student of Year... Coached by Anthony Criss at District 7-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Michael and Lavette Buford, Christopher Michael Buford was born March 3, 1988, in Washington, D.C.... Hopes to become NFL coach or trainer... Majoring in general studies.

**42 RODNEY CHADWICK**

LB • 6-1 • 225 • RFR. • SQ • CARTHAGE, TEXAS (CARTHAGE HS)

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sat out first season at Baylor and participated on practice squad, redshirted to retain eligibility... Earned the team's Defensive Bear Squad award for his performance on the scout team.

**High School:** Carthage High School, Carthage, Texas... 2007 District 20-3A defensive MVP as senior registered 132 tackles, three forced fumbles and one interception in final prep season... Credited with more than 100 tackles and five sacks as junior en route to first-team all-district honors... District Sophomore of Year... Also lettered in basketball and track... Coached by Scott Surratt at District 20-3A school.

**Personal:** Son of Donna Brown and Rodney Chadwick Sr., Rodney Elton Chadwick Jr. was born Feb. 9, 1990, in Dallas, Texas... Majoring in general studies.

**37 ELLIOT COFFEY**

LB • 6-0 • 220 • SO. • 1L • SUGAR LAND, TEXAS (CLEMENS HS)

**2008 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played in all 12 games to earn his first letter as a redshirt freshman on special teams and as a reserve linebacker... Tallied 14 tackles on the season with one tackle for loss and one pass breakup... Saw action at linebacker in nine of 12 contests... Made two tackles and had pass breakup in win over Washington State... Had one tackle, for a 1-yard loss, at Oklahoma State... Made a season-high three tackles at No. 5 Texas... Posted five multiple-tackle games.

**2007 (True Freshman):** Elected to sit out season as redshirt... Moved to linebacker during spring practice after working at safety during fall.

**High School:** Clements High School, Sugar Land, Texas... Talented two-way performer, two-time All-District 23-5A performer... District 23-5A utility MVP... *Houston Chronicle* Top 100 Area selection... 2006 *Texas Football* Texas Top 300 member, second-team preseason Super Team pick and tabbed one of state's top 20 defensive backs... Earned 2006 second-team All-Greater Houston honors from both *Houston Chronicle* and *TexasPrepXtra.com* after registering 59 tackles (37 solos) and three interceptions... Also caught 17 passes for 350 yards and five touchdowns, rushed 87 times for 500 yards and five touchdowns... Helped 2006 Ranger squad to 8-3 record and district co-championship... Credited with 47 tackles and three interceptions as junior when Clements finished 7-4 and advanced to Division II bi-district finals... Academic all-district selection also participated in PALS and FCA... Coached by Jeff Hulme at District 23-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Ken and Brenda Coffey, Elliot James Coffey was born Dec. 3, 1989... Father, Ken, was safety for NFL's Washington Redskins (1983-86)... Enjoys reading, writing and drawing... Would like to own Fortune 500 business... Majoring in business.

**27 DOMINIQUE CRISS**

**CB • 5-10 • 195 • JR. • 2L • ARLINGTON, TEXAS (BOWIE HS)**

**2008 (Sophomore):** Played in five games as sophomore, as reserve defensive back and on special teams... Was named to the fall 2008 Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll... Totaled two tackles (one solo) on the season... Saw action on defense in three games: vs. Wake Forest, at Oklahoma State and at Texas.

**2007 (Redshirt Freshman):** Second-team Academic All-Big 12 selection as redshirt freshman cornerback... Registered 10 tackles (six solos) in 11 appearances... Had career-high tying three tackles (two solos) and first career tackle for loss vs. No. 19 Texas... Also credited with three tackles (one solo) vs. Rice and two stops (one solo) at No. 20 Kansas... Had pass breakup at Buffalo... Tallied one solo tackle and one forced fumble in debut at No. 22 TCU... Three multi-tackle efforts... Saw action on 195 snaps to earn first Baylor letter... Career-high 39 plays vs. No. 19 Texas.

**2006 (True Freshman):** Redshirted in first year as Bear... Scout team MVP... Fall and spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll selection.

**High School:** Bowie High School, Arlington, Texas... Rated among nation's top 50 prep cornerbacks by *Scout.com* and as nation's 60th-best prep corner by *Rivals.com*... No. 63 on *The Dallas Morning News* Top 100 Area list... Member of *Fort Worth Star-Telegram's* Area Top 50 list... *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 and *Texas Football Texas* Top 300 selection... Two-way standout earned 3-star *Rivals.com* rating... One of two Arlington Bowie products in Baylor's 2006 recruiting class, joining teammate Chris Buford... Three-time all-district performer (twice at defensive back and once at running back)... Totaled 70 tackles, eight pass break-ups, one interception and three forced fumbles in 2005... Second-team 2005 all-district running back... Rushed 107 times for team-high 423 yards and eight touchdowns as senior in six games... Also caught 13 passes for 132 yards and one touchdown... Led Volunteers in scoring with 54 points... Had 115 tackles and nine sacks as junior in 2004... Coached by father, Anthony Criss, at District 7-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Anthony and Patra Criss, Dominique Criss was born Oct. 13, 1987, in Fort Worth, Texas... Majoring in marketing.

**56 JARED EDWARDS**

**DE • 6-4 • 255 • RFR. • SQ • MANSFIELD, TEXAS (MANSFIELD HS)**

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sat out first season at Baylor and participated on practice squad, redshirted to retain eligibility.

**High School:** Mansfield Timberview High School, Arlington, Texas... Two-way starter earned 2007 first-team all-district honors as defensive end and runner-up in District 4-5A Defensive Player of Year voting... Also 2007 second-team all-district pick as an offensive tackle for Wolves... Registered 54 pancakes, 67 knockdowns and one touchdown on offensive side of ball in 2007... Also had 52 tackles in final prep season, including seven for loss, four sacks, five forced fumbles and two fumble recoveries... Coached by Terry Cron at District 4-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Misti Smart and Loyd Edwards, Jared Loyd Edwards was born Jan. 3, 1990, in Tyler, Texas ... Older brother, Lonnie, is sophomore offensive lineman at Texas Tech who originally committed to Baylor before switching pledge to Red Raiders... Majoring in secondary social studies.

**38 DEREK EPPERSON**

**P • 6-3 • 235 • JR. • 2L • SOUTHLAKE, TEXAS (KELLER HS)**

**ALL-AMERICA CANDIDATE  
RAY GUY AWARD CANDIDATE**

Third-year junior, returning All-Big 12 punter... Preseason All-American (*Lindy's* and *Yahoo! Sports/Rivals.com* first-team, *Sporting News/Walter Camp* second-team)... Consensus preseason first-team All-Big 12... Ninth all-time at Baylor with 24 career punts of 50-plus yards... Tied for sixth in Baylor history with five career punts of 60-plus yards... 26 career punts inside the 20-yard line... Two-time member of Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**2008 (Sophomore):** Starting punter in all 12 games as sophomore... 2008 Ray Guy Award semifinalist... Earned several All-Big 12 honors: second-team selection by *Kansas City Star* and *Waco Tribune-Herald*, third-team pick by *Phil Steele* and honorable mention by league coaches and the Associated Press... First-team 2008 Academic All-Big 12 honoree... Fall 2008 Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll selection... Averaged 44.27 yards on 49 punts in 2008 (2,169 total yards)... Totaled 16 punts of 50-plus yards and placed 14 inside the opponents' 20-yard line... Ranked ninth nationally and second in Big 12 in punting average... 44.27 average ranked seventh all-time on BU's single-season list... Sixteen punts of 50-plus yards was 10th-best single-season total in school history... Added three punts of 60-plus yards (tied for seventh-best total at Baylor)... Had three punts of 50-plus yards and averaged 47.2-yards at Oklahoma State... Matched career high with three punts of 50-plus yards at Nebraska, including career-long 65-yarder... Averaged career-best 49.7 on three punts vs. No. 14 Missouri, including two 50-plus kicks and two inside the 20.

**2007 (True Freshman):** As true freshman, ranked No. 9 in Big 12 and No. 86 nationally with 39.1-yard average on 66 punts en route to honorable mention freshman All-America honors from *Sporting News* and All-Big 12 freshman honors from same publication... Also had 12 boots inside 20-yardline, 17 fair caught and three touchbacks... Recorded eight punts of 50-plus yards on year with then-career-long 63-yarder vs. Texas Tech... Averaged 40.0 yards or better in five games as rookie, including 40.8-yard mark against Oklahoma State in season finale... Over final four games averaged 40.6 yards per punt (38.1 average in first eight games)... On career-high tying eight punts vs. Texas Tech averaged 42.2 yards per kick... Averaged 40.3 yards on seven kicks at Kansas State... Placed two of five punts inside the 20 vs. No. 19 Texas and averaged 37.6 yards per punt (net 37.4 ypp)... Averaged 40.3 yards on career-high eight punts at Texas A&M with career-best three inside the 20 and long of 53... Averaged then-career-best 46.5 yards on four boots vs. Texas State with one inside the 20 and long of 52... Fall Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll selection... Saw action on 70 snaps as rookie to earn first Baylor letter.

**High School:** Keller High School, Keller, Texas... Rated 82nd on *The Dallas Morning News* Area Top 100 list... Averaged 43 yards per boot as senior en route to first-team District 5-5A honors... Had eight punts inside the 20 as senior for Indians... 5A academic all-state elite selection... Also *Fort Worth Star-Telegram's* Area Top 50 recruit... Placed third in kickoff completion at 2006 Randy Rogers' Lone Star Kicking Challenge... As junior, averaged 42 yards per punt with hang time of 4.3-4.5 seconds... Also handled kickoff chores for Indians... National Honor Society member ranked 15th in 650-person senior class... Listed in *Who's Who Among America's High School Students*... Coached by Kevin Atkinson at District 5-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Jeff and Laura Epperson, Derek Andrew Epperson was born April 28, 1989, in Houston, Texas... Would like to become orthopedic doctor after punting in NFL... Majoring in business.

**EPPERSON'S CAREER STATISTICS**

**PUNTING**

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	50+	IN20	LP/OPPONENT
2007	12	66	2,579	39.1	8	12	63/Texas Tech
2008	12	49	2,169	44.3	16	14	65/at Nebraska
Career	24	115	4,748	41.3	24	26	65/at Nebraska, 2008

## 23 JUSTIN FENTY

IR • 5-9 • 175 • SR. • 3L • DENTON, TEXAS (RYAN HS)

Fourth-year senior receiver.

**2008 (Junior):** Played all 12 games as a junior in 2008... Totaled six catches for 50 yards and one touchdown on the season... Named to the Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll in fall 2008... Made two receptions for 10 yards and a touchdown (second of career) in the win over Northwestern State in week two... Also had catches against Iowa State (one for 10 yards), Nebraska (two for 21 yards) and No. 5 Texas (one for nine yards).

**2007 (Sophomore):** Tied for No. 8 on squad in receptions with 18 for 154 yards as sophomore... Registered 12 receptions over season's first four games but had just six in last seven appearances... Played in 11 games and drew two starts at inside receiver--vs. Texas State and at Texas A&M... Team-high five receptions for 35 yards at No. 22 TCU in season-opener; caught three balls in three other games (for 23 yards vs. No. 19 Texas, 15 yards at Buffalo and season-high 53 yards vs. Texas State)... Effort against Texas State included career-long 27-yard grab... Five of nine career multi-catch games came as sophomore... 25 of 37 career receptions away from Floyd Casey Stadium, including 10 of 18 2007 grabs... Played 343 snaps to earn second Baylor letter... Played 30 or more snaps seven times, season-high 53 plays vs. No. 19 Texas.

**2006 (True Freshman):** One of three true freshmen who played for Baylor in 2006, joining wide receivers David Gettis and Ernest Smith... Saw action in 10 games and drew three starts at inside receiver... Named to *Sporting News'* Big 12 All-Freshman team... Pulled from redshirt year in Baylor's third game of season at Washington State... Bears' seventh-leading receiver on season with 19 receptions for 183 yards and one touchdown... Recorded four multi-catch games... 15 of 19 receptions away from Floyd Casey Stadium... In debut at Washington State, caught five passes for career-best 65 yards with first career reception being 12-yard touchdown grab from Shawn Bell... Totaled career-high seven receptions for 52 yards at Colorado... Also had three receptions for 24 yards vs. Army and two for 19 yards at No. 6 Texas... Rushed four times for no yards... Drew starts vs. Kansas State, at Colorado and at Oklahoma State... Played 271 snaps to earn first varsity letter.

**High School:** Ryan High School, Denton, Texas... Three-year starter and all-district wide receiver at 5A power Denton Ryan, helped Raiders to 33-8 record over that stretch... Ranked No. 100 on *The Dallas Morning News* Top 100 Area list... Caught 60 passes for 866 yards and 10 touchdowns as senior en route to first-team all-district honors... No. 10 among all 2005 5A Metroplex performers in receiving yards... Helped Raiders to 7-4 record and first-round of 2005 Class 5A playoffs... As junior, caught school-record 84 balls for 1,397 yards and 17 touchdowns... Second-leading receiver among 2004 Class 5A Metroplex performers... Earned first-team 2004 Texas Sports Writers Association Class 5A all-state honors and honorable mention recognition from Associated Press... Holds Raider single-game records for receptions (12), receiving yards (225) and long reception (94 yards)... Shared 2004 MVP honor after helping team to 12-2 record... Raiders went 14-2 sophomore season, won district title and finished as state runner-up... A-B Honor Roll member... Coached by Joey Florence at District 5-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Pamela Sheppard and Travis Fenty, Justin M. Fenty was born Nov. 2, 1987, in Denton, Texas... Majoring in general studies.

### FENTY'S CAREER STATISTICS

#### RECEIVING

YEAR	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2006	10/3	19	183	9.6	1	19/at Washington State
2007	11/2	18	154	8.6	0	27/Texas State
2008	12/1	6	50	8.3	1	13/ at Nebraska
Career	33/6	43	387	9.0	2	27/Texas State, 2007

## 32 JAY FINLEY

RB • 5-11 • 205 • JR. • 2L • CORSICANA, TEXAS (CORSICANA HS)

Fourth-year junior returns as starting tailback... Preseason All-Big 12 fourth-team pick by *Phil Steele*... One of nine returning offensive starters.

**2008 (Sophomore):** First-string running back and leading rusher, played all 12 games and earned six starts as sophomore... Ran for 865 yards and seven touchdowns, added 141 receiving yards and two TDs on

seven receptions... Named second-team All-Texas running back by *Dave Campbell's Texas Football*... Selected to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll in fall 2008... Ranked fifth in Big 12 and 60th nationally with 72.1 rushing yards per game... Ranked 17th in Big 12 in total offense with 72.1 yards per game... Seven rushing TDs second on team to Robert Griffin... Established career highs in all-purpose yards (138), rushing TDs (2), receiving yards (47) and TDs scored (3) in win over Northwestern State in second game... Had career-long 47-yard catch for TD vs. NSU... Rushed for career-high 119 yards and one touchdown on 10 carries in win over Washington State in third game (first 100-yard rushing performance of career)... Yards-per-carry average (11.9 ypc) vs. Wazzu would have been school single-game record if not for Robert Griffin's 19.7 yards-per-carry in same game... Ran for 88 yards and a touchdown on 14 carries at Nebraska in eighth game... Had 73 yards rushing and 53 receiving with one TD reception vs. No. 14 Missouri in ninth game... Ran for 116 yards and one score on season-high 23 carries in win over Texas A&M in 11th game... Notched third 100-yard rushing performance of year in season finale at No. 7 Texas Tech, rushing for 105 yards on 15 carries... Had career-long rush of 47 yards for touchdown at Tech.

**2007 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman running back was Baylor's No. 2 rusher (17.2 ypg) and averaged 3.8 yards per carry on 55 totes with two touchdowns... One of two Bears to score both rushing and receiving touchdown on year... Ranked No. 8 on squad in receptions, along with Justin Fenty, with 18 grabs for 152 yards and one touchdown... Recorded six multi-catch games and totaled five or more totes in six contests... In first career start at Buffalo, had season (and at time career) highs of 15 rushes for 80 yards and caught three passes for 21 yards... Rushed for 20 or more yards in three other contests... Registered two of Bears' five rushing TDs on season, scoring on ground at Texas A&M and vs. Colorado... Tallied career-high four receptions for then-career-best 45 yards and one TD, then-career-long 24-yard grab, vs. Texas State... Also had three receptions at Buffalo (for 21 yards) and vs. Colorado (17 yards)... Played 289 snaps in 12 appearances, including season-high 58 plays vs. Buffalo, to receive first Baylor letter.

**2006 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt year as true freshman.

**High School:** Corsicana High School, Corsicana, Texas... Committed to Baylor prior to start of senior year... Rated nation's 49th-best running back by *Rivals.com*... No. 82 on *The Dallas Morning News* Area Top 100 list... 3-star ranking from *Rivals.com*... Honorable mention all-state by Texas Sports Writers Association... In two seasons at Corsicana, rushed for 2,148 yards and 18 touchdowns, averaged 7.2 yards per carry... Carried 206 times for 1,404 yards and 12 touchdowns in senior season, helped Tigers to 8-3 record, district runner-up finish and second-round of Class 4A playoffs... Averaged 6.8 yards per tote in final prep season to garner unanimous first-team all-district honors... 11th-leading rusher among 2005 Class 4A DFW Metroplex preps... Registered seven 100-yard rushing performances as senior, one a career-high 220-yard effort on 19 carries against Willis... Rushed for 201 yards and one touchdown against Waco's University High... Recorded double-digit carries in every 2005 contest... Also threw touchdown pass and caught 14 passes for 119 yards and one touchdown... Led team in scoring with 78 points... Rushed for 744 yards and six touchdowns on just 94 carries as junior despite missing Tigers' first three games... Produced three, 100-yard efforts as junior and helped Tigers capture district title, advance to Class 4A Division II region semifinals and post 11-4 record... Coached by Dave Henigan at District 14-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Willie Mae Curry, Jay Flemmie Finley was born May 15, 1988, in Corsicana, Texas... Nicknamed "Sho"... Majoring in general studies.

### FINLEY'S CAREER STATISTICS

#### RUSHING

YEAR	G/GS	ATT	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2006						Redshirted
2007	12/1	55	207	3.8	2	14/at Buffalo
2008	12/6	149	865	5.8	7	47/ at Texas Tech (TD)
Career	24/7	204	1072	5.33	9	47/ at Texas Tech (TD), 2008

Other: RECEIVING: 2006: Redshirted; 2007: 18-152-1 TD; 2008: 7-141-2 TD; Career: 25-293-3 TD

**11 NICK FLORENCE**

**QB • 6-1 • 190 • FR. • HS • GARLAND, TEXAS (SOUTH GARLAND HS)**

First-year quarterback signed with Baylor in 2008 and enrolled in January 2009... Went through spring 2009 drills, listed as No. 3 quarterback on post-spring depth chart.

**High School:** South Garland High School, Garland, Texas... One of four Metroplex preps to throw for 3,000 yards in 2007, area's fourth-leading passer as senior at South Garland [Texas] High School... Ranked No. 22 on *Rivals.com*'s dual-threat quarterbacks list... 3-star ranking from both *Rivals.com* and *Scout.com*... Rated nation's 66th-best prep signal caller by *Scout.com*... *Houston Chronicle* Texas Top 100 member... Ranked No. 62 on *San Antonio Express-News*' Texas Top 100 and No. 46 on *The Dallas Morning News* Area Top 100 list... 2007 *Texas Football* Texas Top 300 honoree also tabbed one of state's top 20 quarterbacks in preseason... 2007 District 10-5A MVP... Selected to 2007 *Dallas Morning News*' all-area first team... Also earned first-team 10-5A all-district honors in final prep season... 2008 Oil Bowl participant also earned 2007 first-team THSCA academic all-state honors... Passed for over 8,000 yards in three-year prep career and established 10 Garland ISD records... Holds Garland ISD career marks for passing yards (8,001), total offense yards (9,131) and total-offense touchdowns (87)... As senior, set Garland ISD records for passing yards (3,047), total-offense yards (3,495), touchdown passes (30) and total-offense touchdowns (39)... Completed 212-of-357 passes for 3,047 yards and 30 touchdowns as senior with just four interceptions... Also rushed 138 times for 448 yards and nine touchdowns .... Threw school single-game record five touchdown passes vs. arch-rival Garland as senior... Led Colonels to 10-2 overall record and 2007 District 10-5A title with 7-0 record... As junior, completed 211-of-366 passes for 2,910 yards and 23 touchdowns with 14 picks en route to second-team all-district honors... Rushed for 431 yards and six touchdowns on 111 carries... Ranked No. 4 in Metroplex in passing yards as junior, established Garland ISD single-game records for passing (450) and total-offense (472) yards vs. Plano West... Completed 145-of-264 passes as sophomore for 2,295 yards and 12 TDs, rushed 88 times for 251 and seven scores... District newcomer of year as sophomore... Also lettered in track as sophomore... Twin brother, Luke, played safety for South Garland... Selected Baylor over Purdue... Committed to Baylor in March 2007... Coached by Mickey Moss at District 10-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Joe and Tina Florence, Nicolas Daryl Florence was born June 21, 1989, in Dallas, Texas... Parents are both Baylor graduates... Has four brothers: Matt, Josh, Zach and Luke... Honors student ranked second in 467-member senior class academically and scored over 1,200 on SAT on first attempt.... Majoring in business.

**36 CHRIS FRANCIS**

**LB • 6-0 • 235 • JR. • 2L • CEDAR HILL, TEXAS (CEDAR HILL HS)**

Third-year junior adds veteran experience to linebacking corps... Son of James Francis and nephew of Ron Francis, both former NFL players.

**2008 (Sophomore):** Backup linebacker played every game, registered at least one tackle in 10 of 12 games as sophomore in 2008... Finished season with 23 tackles, including 12 solo, a half-sack, one interception and one fumble recovered... Made four tackles (two solo) and credited with a shared sack (-2 yards) in win over Northwestern State in second game... Made only interception of season (second of career) vs. NSU... Made only fumble recovery of season (added two tackles) in win over Washington State in third game... Registered a season-high five tackles (two solo) vs. top-ranked Oklahoma in fifth game... Totaled three tackles against both Texas and Texas A&M in 10th and 11th game, respectively.

**2007 (True Freshman):** Saw action in 11 games as true freshman linebacker and registered 19 tackles (eight solos) to earn spot on *Sporting News*' All-Big 12 freshman team... Registered career-high five tackles (two solo) vs. Colorado; one of five multi-tackle games as rookie... Also had three stops at No. 4 Oklahoma (1 solo) and vs. Oklahoma State (2 solo)... Recorded first career interception at Oklahoma, returned two yards... Had one kickoff return for six yards... Missed season-opener at No. 22 TCU with knee injury sustained in fall camp... Played 224 snaps for first Baylor letter with high of 32, twice.

**High School:** Cedar Hill High School, Cedar Hill, Texas... One of three sons of former Baylor football All-Americans to follow in father's footsteps to Waco... Committed to Baylor prior to start of senior year... Son of former Baylor All-American and 1989 consensus All-SWC linebacker James Francis, younger Francis ranked as nation's 62nd-best outside linebacker by *Rivals.com*... 3-star rating by *Rivals.com*... Rated 50th on *The Dallas Morning News*' Area Top 100 list and 80th on *San Antonio Express-News* Texas Top 100, Francis joined Cedar Hill teammates Romie Blaylock and John Jones in Bears' 2007 recruiting class... *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 recruit... 2006 *Texas Football* Texas Top 300 pick tabbed one of state's top 20 linebackers by same publication... 2006 Texas Sports Writers Association Class 5A Defensive Player of Year... First-team Class 5A all-state selection by Texas Sports Writers Association, District 8-5A co-defensive MVP and first-team *Dallas Morning News* all-area selection... Totaled 212 tackles, nine tackles for loss, five sacks, three forced fumbles, six fumble recoveries and one interception for Class 5A Division II champion and 16-0 Longhorns... Biggest tackle of season came against Garland in state semifinals, on fourth-and-1, he and teammate Cameron Thompson stopped running back Dwight Hamilton for no gain with eight seconds left to preserve Longhorns' 31-24 victory... Defensive MVP of Cedar Hill's 51-17 5A Division II state championship victory over Cypress Falls... Credited with 136 tackles as junior en route to first-team District 7-5A honors... Active in FCA... Coached by Joey McGuire at District 8-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of James Francis and Rosalyn Johnson, Chris Michael Francis was born Nov. 25, 1988, in Waco, Texas... Father, James, was first-round draft choice of NFL's Cincinnati Bengals in 1990 NFL Draft and played with Bengals from 1990 through 1998 before ending career with Washington Redskins in 1999... James Francis is fifth-leading tackler in Baylor football history with 334 stops and single-season school- and NCAA-record eight blocked kicks as senior in 1989... Chris' uncle, cornerback Ron Francis, also played at Baylor and drafted in second round of 1987 NFL Draft by Dallas Cowboys, played from 1987 through 1990... Enjoys playing video games and working out... Majoring in general studies.

**FRANCIS' CAREER STATISTICS**

DEFENSIVE									
YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2007	11/0	8	11	19	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	1	1-2
2008	12/0	12	11	23	0.5-2	0.5-2	0/1	1	1-0
Career	23/0	20	22	42	0.5-2	0.5-2	0/1	2	2-2



## 4 DAVID GETTIS

WR • 6-4 • 215 • SR. • 3L • LOS ANGELES, CALIF. (DORSEY HS)

Fourth-year senior returning starter at wide receiver... 18 career starts heading into senior season, most among non-linemen on Baylor offense... 22.53-yard career kick-return average 10th in Baylor history... 38 career kick returns tied for 10th in Baylor history... One of four Bears to have played 35 career games heading into 2009... One of nine returning offensive starters... Former member of BU track squad and record-setting prep track athlete.

**2008 (Junior):** Played all 12 games, earned 10 starts, at wide receiver as junior in 2008... Third-leading receiver on squad, totaled 29 receptions for 391 yards (second on team in receiving yards)... Did not score in 2008... Also returned four kicks for 93 yards... Made season-high five receptions for 46 yards vs. No. 23 Wake Forest in season opener... Had season-high 75 receiving yards (on three receptions, including season-long 61-yarder) in win over Washington State in third game... Added two kick returns for 52 yards vs. Wazzu (season-high 127 all-purpose yards)... Tied season-high of five receptions (73 yards) in win over Iowa State in sixth game... Did not make a catch vs. Nebraska in eighth game, snapping a 15-game reception streak dating to 2007... Preseason All-Big 12 third-team selection by *Phil Steele's* publication.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Played in every game and made eight starts at wide receiver as sophomore to earn second Baylor letter... Ranked No. 5 on squad in both receptions (31) and receiving yards (407), but one of only two Bears with at least 12 receptions not to catch TD pass... Averaged 13.1 yards per reception to rank No. 3 on squad... Recorded 12 plays of 25-plus yards on season (five receptions and seven returns)... 30 of 35 career receptions off Blake Szymanski throws... Nine career multi-catch games, included eight in 2007... Registered at least one reception in 11 of 12 games as sophomore... Had career-high eight receptions for career-best 99 yards vs. Colorado in second career start; totaled career-high 225 all-purpose yards (99 receiving and 126 kickoff return) against Buffs to tie fifth-best one-game total in school history... Caught four passes vs. No. 19 Texas (for 73 yards) and at No. 4 Oklahoma (30 yards)... Recorded career-long 69-yard catch at Texas A&M in first career start... Also returned 34 kickoffs for 763 yards on season... Had 97-yard kickoff return for score at Kansas, seventh-longest in school history... 22.4-yard kickoff return average ranked No. 12 in Big 12 and No. 87 nationally... Tallied 763 yards in kickoff returns, most ever by Big 12 sophomore and league's 10th-best, all-time total overall... In Big 12 games only, ranked No. 12 in kickoff return average (22.5 ypr)... 34 kickoff returns ranked No. 3 on Baylor's single-season list, 763 return yards were school single-season record... Totaled 1,170 all-purpose yards on season—just 14 yards shy of spot on school's single-season chart... Averaged 126.8 all-purpose yards per game to rank No. 10 in Big 12 for league games only... Saw action on 612 snaps with high of 68 vs. Colorado... Played 40 or more downs 10 times.

**2006 (True Freshman):** Played in 11 games behind senior wide receiver Trent Shelton and registered four receptions for 82 yards and one touchdown... Averaged team-best 20.50 yards per catch... Totaled season-high two receptions for 62 yards at Oklahoma State, one a 51-yard touchdown catch from Blake Szymanski... Recorded first career catch, 13-yarder, at Texas Tech, and had seven-yard grab vs. No. 16 Oklahoma... Saw action on 57 snaps to pick up first letter... Also ran for Baylor track team.

**High School:** Dorsey High School, Los Angeles... Signed with Baylor in 2004 and enrolled in June 2006... Baylor's first commitment to play in U.S. Army All-American Bowl... Caught 39-yard touchdown pass in 2005 All-American Bowl... Ranked California's 50th-best prep and nation's 26th-best receiver in 2004 by *Rivals.com*... Golden State's 38th-best player by *SuperPrep*... Caught 31 passes for 600 yards and nine touchdowns in final prep season en route to all-city honors... Also played free safety for Dons, totaling 40 tackles, three interceptions and six pass breakups... Had 23 receptions for 496 yards and seven scores as junior... California's first prep ever to capture three consecutive state 400 meter titles, also won Los Angeles City 400 crowns as junior and senior... Won state 400 title in 47.1 seconds as sophomore, then ran 46.3 to claim second state 400 gold medal in 2004 and smoked field by nearly two seconds to win in 45.84 as senior in 2005... 45.84 time in 400 nation's fastest by prep... Also anchored Dorsey's victorious 4x400-meter relay team and ran second leg of its gold-medal 4x100-meter relay team at 2005 state meet... Selected *The Los Angeles Times'* 2005 Boys' Track & Field Athlete of Year... Played football for coach Ralph Caldwell.

**Personal:** Son of Dale and Valeri Gettis, David Alexander Gettis was born Aug. 27, 1987, in Cherry Point, N.C.... Majoring in general studies.

## GETTIS' CAREER STATISTICS

### RECEIVING

YEAR	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2006	11/0	4	82	20.5	1	51/at Oklahoma State (TD)
2007	12/8	31	407	13.1	0	69/at Texas A&M
2008	12/10	29	391	13.5	0	61/ Washington State
Career	35/18	64	880	13.8	1	69/at Texas A&M, 2007

Other: KICKOFF RETURNS: 2006: 0-0-0; 2007: 34-763-1 TD; 2008: 4-93-0; Career: 38-856-1 TD

## 79 COURTNEY GREEN

OG • 6-3 • 265 • SO. • 1L • CORSICANA, TEXAS (CORSICANA HS)

**2008 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played in four games as reserve offensive lineman during redshirt freshman season in 2008, earned first letter... Saw first career action in second game, win over Northwestern State... Also played in win over Washington State in third game... Came off bench in sixth game, win over Iowa State... Played fourth game in win over Texas A&M in 11th game.

**2007 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt year as true freshman.

**High School:** Corsicana High School, Corsicana, Texas... Ranked No. 22 on *The Dallas Morning News'* Area Top 100 list, No. 69 on *The Dallas Morning News'* State Top 100 list compiled by *Rivals.com* and No. 59 on *San Antonio Express-News* Texas Top 100 list... Ranked nation's 33rd-best offensive guard prospect by *Rivals.com*... *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* State 100, *Houston Chronicle* Top 100 and *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 selection... 2006 second-team Class 4A all-state selection by Associated Press and Texas Sports Writers Association... *TexasPrepXtra.com* first-team Class 4A All-DFW area honoree... 2006 *Texas Football* Top 300 pick... Coached by Dave Henigan at District 14-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Aaron and Bobbie Green, Courtney C. Green was born Dec. 1, 1988, in Corsicana, Texas... Church musician... Majoring in general studies.

## 78 CHRIS GRIESENBECK

OG • 6-6 • 275 • SR. • 2L • SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS (LEE HS)

**2008 (Junior):** Played in all 12 games on offensive line as junior in 2008... Entered starting lineup vs. Missouri in ninth game of season in place of injured Jordan Hearvey, started season's final four games... Part of BU offensive line that paved way for 2,349 rushing yards (a 251% increase from 2007's rushing total of 934 yards and the most rushing yards at BU since 1981).

**2007 (Sophomore):** Appeared in six games as reserve left offensive tackle... Played 44 snaps at No. 22 TCU in place of injured Jason Smith and career-high 67 plays at Buffalo... For season, saw action on 165 snaps to receive first letter.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman dressed for six games but did not see any game action.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Made team as walk-on, but elected to take redshirt year as true freshman.

**High School:** Robert E. Lee High School, San Antonio, Texas... Played tight end as prep for Rebels... Coached by Jimmy Ramos at District 26-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Chris and Judy Griesenbeck, Chris Garrett Griesenbeck was born Dec. 21, 1986, in San Antonio, Texas... Management major... Enjoys camping, hunting and fishing... Majoring in management.

**10 ROBERT GRIFFIN III**

**QB • 6-3 • 200 • SO. • 1L • COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS (COPPERAS COVE HS) ALL-AMERICA CANDIDATE**

Exceptional athlete returns for second season after making immediate impact at quarterback during headline-grabbing true freshman campaign (as 18-year-old)... Dual-threat quarterback earned various Freshman All-America and Big 12 top freshman honors... Preseason All-Big 12 fourth-team selection by *Phil Steele*... Preseason publication honors: Big 12's "Best Athlete" (*Sporting News*); Big 12's "Toughest to bring down" (*Lindy's*); Big 12's "Best Running QB" (*Sporting News*); Big 12's "Best Scrambler" (*Lindy's*)... One of nine returning offensive starters... World-class hurdler... Early enrollee earned All-America status in indoor track and field during spring 2008 before suiting up for football.

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sensational quarterback made immediate impact as 18-year-old true freshman in 2008 (nation's youngest starting quarterback)... Came off bench in fourth drive of season (second quarter of season-opener vs. Wake Forest) and remained first-string QB for remainder of season... Named first-team Freshman All-America by *Sporting News* and *Rivals.com* (second-team by *Phil Steele* and honorable mention by *CollegeFootballNetwork*)... Named Big 12 Freshman of Year by *Sporting News*, *Rivals.com* and *Dallas Morning News*... Named Big 12 Newcomer of Year by *ESPN.com* and *San Antonio Express-News*... Selected Big 12 Offensive Newcomer of Year by The Associated Press, *Kansas City Star*, *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* and *Houston Chronicle*... Voted the Big 12 Offensive Freshman of Year by league's coaches... Named Big 12 Top Offensive Freshman by *Waco Tribune-Herald*... Established NCAA Bowl Subdivision record 209 passes without an interception to start a career (threw first pick in ninth game of season), also broke school record for completions without an interception and four shy of Big 12 record... Awarded Baylor Offensive MVP... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll in spring and fall 2008... One of six true freshmen to play for Baylor in 2008... Finished season with 2,091 yards passing on 160-of-267 completions with 15 touchdowns and three interceptions... Pass efficiency of 142.0 ranked 27th nationally... Added 843 rushing yards (22 fewer than starting tailback Jay Finley) on 173 carries and 13 rushing TDs... Ranked sixth in Big 12 in average rushing yards... Average of 244.5 total offense yards ranked 10th in Big 12 and 31st nationally... Accounted for two-thirds of teams TDs (28 of 46) in 2008... School-record 28 TDs (15 passing, 13 rushing) responsible for... Fifth among nation's quarterbacks in rushing yardage (70.3 ypg) and second in rushing touchdowns (13)... Established school freshman records for quarterback rushing yards (843) and TDs (13)... Thirteen rushing TDs second-most in Baylor history (any position)... Interception percentage of .011 ranked third among quarterbacks with at least 200 attempts... Made debut in second quarter of season opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest, totaled 125 yards passing and 29 yards rushing... Threw for season-highs of 294 yards and three TDs and ran for 42 in second game and first career start in win over Northwestern State... Burst on national scene in third game (second start), rushing for a school-record 217 yards and two TDs and throwing for 129 yards and a score in win over Washington State... Also set school and Big 12 single-game records with 19.7 yards-per-rush in WSU win... Won Big 12 Offensive Player of Week and ESPN College Football helmet sticker for performance vs. WSU... Threw for 208 yards and matched season-high of three TDs, along with 46 rushing yards in week four at Connecticut... Ran for 102 yards and two TDs, threw for 75 yards vs. No. 1 Oklahoma in fifth game... Completed 87.5 percent of passes (21-of-24) for 278 yards in win over Iowa State in sixth game, third-highest single-game completion percentage in Big 12 history... Topped 200-yards passing and threw for two TDs in games vs. Iowa State, No. 14 Missouri, and Texas A&M... Track & Field All-American after finishing third at NCAA Outdoor Championships in 400-meter hurdles (49.55)... Won Big 12 gold medal in 400-meter hurdles with third-fastest time (49.22) in school history.

**High School:** Copperas Cove High School, Copperas Cove, Texas... Rated nation's No. 3 dual-threat quarterback by *Rivals.com*... Four-star *Rivals.com* recruit ranked No. 42 on that recruiting service's Texas Top 100 list and No. 50 on Lone Star Recruiting Texas 100... Listed 62nd on *SuperPrep's* Texas 110 list... Also 4-star *Scout.com* recruit rated state's 67-best player overall and nation's 12th-best prep signal caller... *Houston Chronicle* Texas Top 100 recruit... No. 54 on *San Antonio Express-News* Texas Top 100... *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* Fab 44... No. 55 on *Austin American-Statesman's* Fab 55... *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* Texas Top 100 member... *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 selection ranked No. 2 on publication's Central Texas Top 25 list and among its Top 50 recruits

overall... In two seasons as Bulldawgs' starting quarterback, posted 25-4 record... Earned first-team 2007 *Waco Tribune-Herald* Super Centex honors as utility player and honorable mention Class 4A all-state honors from The Associated Press... First-team All-District 16-4A quarterback... 2007 Texas Top 300 member as selected by *Texas Football Magazine*, ranked among state's top 20 quarterbacks prior to senior season by same publication... Rushed for 1,285 yards and 24 touchdowns, passed for 1,356 yards and 16 touchdowns with seven interceptions in leading Bulldawgs to 13-2 record and runner-up finish in 2007 Class 4A Division I playoffs... Averaged 7.3 yards per rush as senior... As junior, passed for 2,001 yards and 25 TDs with just two interceptions, rushed 876 times and eight TDs en route to first-team All-District 16-4A honors... All-told in final two prep seasons, rushed for 2,161 yards and 32 touchdowns and threw for 3,357 yards and 41 scores with just nine picks... One of nation's top high school sprinters, received 2007 Gatorade Texas Boys Track & Field Athlete of Year award after setting state records in both 110-(13.55 seconds with personal best of 13.3) and 300-(35.33 seconds) meter hurdles... 300 hurdles time one-hundredth of second off national prep record... Also posted 46.9 400 meter PR... Coached by Jack Welch at District 16-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Robert Sr. and Jacqueline Griffin, Robert Lee Griffin III was born Feb. 12, 1990, in Japan... Father is retired U.S. military... Graduated No. 7 in senior class... Majoring in political science.

**GRIFFIN'S CAREER STATISTICS**

**PASSING**

YEAR	G/GS	CMP	ATT	PCT	YDS	INT	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2008	12/11	160	267	59.9	2,091	3	15	61/Washington State

**RUSHING**

YEAR	G/GS	ATT	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2008	12/11	173	843	4.9	13	63/Texas

**9 JAMEON HARDEMAN**

**DE • 6-1 • 230 • JR. • 1L • DALLAS, TEXAS (KIMBALL HS)**

**2008 (Sophomore):** Played in all 12 games as backup defensive lineman during sophomore season in 2008 to earn first letter... Finished season with 12 total tackles (three solo), 1.5 tackles for loss, one sack and two hurries... Registered career-high four tackles, including one half-sack, in win over Northwestern State in second game... Added one quarterback hurry vs. NSU... Had two unassisted tackles vs. No. 1 Oklahoma in fifth game... Had no tackles but one hurry at No. 5 Texas in 10th game... Totaled two tackles, including an assisted-sack in win over Texas A&M in 11th game.

**2007 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played nine games as reserve redshirt freshman defensive end, credited with four tackles (two solos), including two for loss... Then-career-high three tackles (one solo), one a career-first tackle for loss... Also had solo stop at Buffalo which was for loss... Season-high 27 of 123 snaps came against Rice.

**2006 (True Freshman):** Originally signed with Arizona State in 2005 but never joined Sun Devil program... Enrolled at BU in January 2006 and went through spring ball... Sat out 2006 campaign as redshirt.

**High School:** Justin F. Kimball High School, Dallas, Texas... Selected to *The Dallas Morning News'* second-team 2004 all-area squad and first-team all-district pick by same publication... Member of *Fort Worth Star-Telegram's* State 100... Ranked No. 47 on *The Dallas Morning News* Top 100 Area list... Rated among nation's Top 50 defensive linemen by Fab 50 Recruiting... 2004 first-team all-district performer after earning second-team recognition as junior... Collected 70 tackles, six quarterback sacks, three forced fumbles and one fumble recovery as senior en route to honorable mention all-state honors... Played in Coca-Cola Bowl... Helped Knights to back-to-back district titles with perfect 5-0 marks each season... Coached by Darrell Jordan at District 13-4A school.

**Personal:** Cousin of Baylor senior safety Jeremy Williams and Oklahoma senior defensive tackle DeMarcus Granger... Son of Juan Hernandez and Gloria Hardeman, Jameon Ramon Hardeman was born Jan. 19, 1987, in Dallas, Texas... Majoring in recreation.

**HARDEMAN'S CAREER STATISTICS**

**DEFENSIVE**

YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2006		Redshirted							
2007	9/0	2	2	4	2.0-2	0.0-0	0/0	0	0-0
2008	12/0	3	9	12	1.5-12	1.0-12	0/0	0	0-0
Career	21/0	5	11	16	3.5-14	1.0-12	0/0	0	0-0

**75 JORDAN HEARVEY**

**OT • 6-5 • 270 • SR. • 2L • RICHARDSON, TEXAS (RICHARDSON HS)**

Fifth-year senior spent offseason recovering from knee injury, did not participate in spring drills... One of nine returning offensive starters.

**2008 (Junior):** Played in seven games, all starts, at guard in injury-shortened junior season in 2008... Missed fourth game at Connecticut due to right knee strain... Started subsequent four games before tear to ACL in left knee ended season (missed final four games)... Contributor to team's o-line that paved way for 2,349 rushing yards (a 251% increase from 2007's rushing total of 934 yards and most rushing yards at BU since 1981).

**2007 (Sophomore):** Saw action in nine games as sophomore along offensive line to receive first Baylor monogram... Started six games at right tackle (at No. 22 TCU, vs. Rice and Texas State, at Buffalo, at No. 20 Kansas and vs. No. 19 Texas)... Dressed, but did not play in games at Texas A&M and Oklahoma, did not dress (coaches decision) for Bears' game at Kansas State... Key member of Baylor offensive line which yielded just 21 sacks (in school-record 561 pass attempts) on season, program's fewest since 1995... Played 60 or more snaps five times with high of 82 against Rice... Took 80 snaps in first career start at No. 22 TCU... For season, saw action on 461 plays.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman offensive tackle dressed for seven games, but did not see any game action along line.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Took redshirt year as true freshman.

**High School:** Richardson High School, Richardson, Texas... Three-year starter had 45 pancake blocks from offensive tackle position as senior en route to first-team all-city and all-district honors... Caught three passes for 38 yards as junior tight end before moving to offensive tackle for final prep season... Played defensive end as sophomore for Eagles... One of three Richardson, Texas, products in Baylor's 2005 recruiting class, joining Berkner's Jason Lamb and Trey Bryant... Played for coach Harry Everett at District 10-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Elgin Young and Jackie Beasley, Jordan O'Brian Hearvey was born April 13, 1987, in Dallas, Texas... Majoring in communication specialist.

**66 HUNTER HIGHTOWER**

**C • 6-5 • 275 • SO. • SQ • RICHARDSON, TEXAS (PEARCE HS)**

**2008 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played in four games as reserve offensive lineman during redshirt freshman season... Saw first career action in second game, win over Northwestern State... Also played in win over Washington State in third game... Came off bench in sixth game, win over Iowa State... Played fourth game in win over Texas A&M.

**2007 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt year as true freshman... Named to fall Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**High School:** Pearce High School, Richardson, Texas... Rated No. 69 on *The Dallas Morning News* Area Top 100 list... Third commitment in Baylor's 2007 recruiting class... Earned honorable mention Class 4A all-state honors from both The Associated Press and Texas Sports Writers Association... TexasPrepXta.com first-team Class 4A All-DFW area selection... Garnered first-team District 10-4A honors as senior... Started for Mustangs as junior when they went 7-3 in Class 5A... Texas Scholar... Service Learning Award... Richardson Symphony League Honor Guard member... Coached by Bobby Reyes at District 10-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Mark and Marilyn Hightower, Hunter Alan Hightower was born Oct. 20, 1988, in Dallas, Texas... Mother, Marilyn Hightower, is Baylor graduate who taught 13 years at Baylor School of Nursing in Dallas... Likes to hunt... Majoring in speech communication.

**2 TRENTSON HILL**

**CB • 6-0 • 190 • SO. • 1L • MOUNT PLEASANT, TEXAS (MOUNT PLEASANT HS)**

Second-year sophomore returns as starting cornerback... One of nine returning starters on defense.

**2008 (True Freshman):** Played in final eight games (started final five) of true freshman season in 2008, earned first letter... Took over starting cornerback position in eighth game at Nebraska, starter in last five games... One of six true freshmen to play for Baylor in 2008... Finished season with 30 tackles, including six solo, one interception and two tackles for loss... Played first career game in season's fifth game vs. No. 1 Oklahoma, registering an assisted tackle in backup duty at cornerback... Tallied first career interception (no return) in fourth quarter

of second career game played vs. Iowa State in week 6... Made first career start in week 8 vs. Nebraska, finished game with on solo tackle... Totaled a career-best 10 tackles in second start vs. No. 14 Missouri, including seven solo stops... Had five solo tackles, including one for loss, at No. 5 Texas in third start... Made seven stops in win over Texas A&M in week 11, including five solos... Had four solo tackles, including one for loss, in season finale at No. 7 Texas Tech.

**High School:** Mount Pleasant High School, Mount Pleasant, Texas... Three-sport standout earned first-team 2007 Class 4A all-state honors from The Associated Press and second-team recognition from Texas Sports Writers Association as cornerback... *Tyler Morning Telegraph* and *Longview News-Journal* first-team All-East Texas honoree... 2007 District 11-4A offensive MVP... Registered 72 tackles, five interceptions, three fumble recoveries, two sacks and 11 pass breakups as senior, scored two defensive touchdowns... As wide receiver, had 22 receptions for 396 yards and nine touchdowns... Also rushed 12 times for 85 yards... Also standout basketball player for Tigers and region triple jump qualifier as junior... Listed among Who's Who Among American High School Students... Played for coach Jimmy Thompson at District 11-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Roshanda Hill and the late Fredrick Jackson, Trentson Kier Hill was born Dec. 12, 1989, in Mount Pleasant, Texas... Major is undecided.

**HILL'S CAREER STATISTICS**

**DEFENSIVE**

YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	OBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2008	8/5	24	6	30	2.0-3	0.0-0	0/0	1	1-0

**70 JAKE JACKSON**

**OL • 6-3 • 290 • RFR. • SQ • SOUTHLAKE, TEXAS (CARROLL HS)**

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sat out first season at Baylor and participated on practice squad, redshirted to retain eligibility... Earned team's Baylor Offensive Bear Squad award for his efforts on the scout team... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll in fall 2008.

**High School:** Southlake Carroll High School, Southlake, Texas... Did not allow sack playing guard or tackle as senior for perennial Texas 5A power Dragons... *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* Texas Top 100 member, also an Area Top 50 performer by same publication... No. 52 on *The Dallas Morning News*' Area Top 100 list... Rated nation's 67th-best offensive guard by *Scout.com*... Earned 2007 first-team *Dallas Morning News* all-area honors and first-team All-District 5-5A performer as senior... 2007 second-team Class 5A Texas Sports Writers Association all-state pick... 2007 Texas Top 300 selection by *Texas Football* magazine... Recorded 143 pins/pancake blocks and graded out at 98 percent in final prep season for Dragons... Starting left guard for Southlake's 2006 16-0 state 5A and national championship team as junior... Had 132 pins/pancake blocks as junior and yielded just one sack... Also member of Dragons' 2005 squad which won Texas 5A title and crowned national champions... In three seasons on Southlake Carroll varsity, Dragons fashioned 43-2 record... Ranks in Top 10 percent of senior class... Coached as senior by Hal Wasson at District 5-5A school, prior to that coached by Todd Dodge.

**Personal:** Son of Charles and Cathy Jackson, Jacob Odell Jackson was born Oct. 2, 1989, in Bedford, Texas... Parents are both Baylor graduates... Father, Charles, was basketball letterwinner (1980) for Bears... Has only played football since seventh grade; played hockey prior... Family lived in Canada during Jake's childhood... Majoring in business.

**90 NICOLAS JEAN-BAPTISTE**

**NT • 6-1 • 310 • SO. • 1L • STAFFORD, TEXAS (STRAKE JESUIT COLLEGE PREP)**

**2008 (Redshirt Freshman):** Walk-on played in all 12 games as reserve defensive lineman as redshirt freshman in 2008... Earned first letter... Finished season with nine tackles, four solo... Had two assisted tackles at Connecticut in fourth game, including an assisted tackle-for-loss... Made career-high three stops vs. No. 1 Oklahoma, all assisted.

**2007 (True Freshman):** Walk-on sat out season as redshirt.

**High School:** Prepped at Strake Jesuit College Prep under head coach Ron Counter... Earned 2006 first-team All-District 17-5A honors on offense (OG) and defense (DE) as senior... Led Strake Jesuit in tackles-for-loss as senior.

**Personal:** Son of Fred and Jacqueline Jean-Baptiste, Nicolas Jean-Baptiste was born March 8, 1989, in Fairfax, Va... Majoring in business.

**7 ANTONIO JOHNSON**

**LB • 6-0 • 210 • JR. • 2L • WACO, TEXAS (WACO HS)**

Third-year junior back as starter at outside linebacker... One of nine returning defensive starters.

**2008 (Sophomore):** Played all 12 games, starter in 10, at linebacker as sophomore in 2008... Finished third on team with 72 tackles (35 solo) on season... Five tackles-for-loss on season ranked fifth on team... Also totaled three hurries, one sack, one interception, one breakup, one fumble force and one fumble recovery on season... Ranked 25th in Big 12 with 6.0 average tackles-per-game... Made six tackles (2 solo), one for loss, in first career start in season-opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest... Had seven tackles and a fumble recovery in win over Northwestern State in second game... Registered nine tackles (4 solo) at Connecticut in fourth game... Made a career-high 12 tackles (career-best six solos), including one for loss vs. No. 1 Oklahoma in fifth game... Two tackles, one hurry and one pass breakup in win over Iowa State in sixth game... Totaled 11 tackles at Nebraska in eighth game... Had five tackles (4 solo), two for loss including career-first sack (-10 yards) a forced fumble and hurry vs. No. 14 Missouri in ninth game... Made four tackles, all unassisted including one for loss, and added first career interception (5 yards on return) in season finale at No. 7 Texas Tech... Moved to linebacker from defensive end during spring 2008 drills.

**2007 (True Freshman):** As true freshman, played in 11 games at defensive end, credited with 16 tackles (six solos), 0.5 tackles for loss and fumble recovery... Registered then-career-high four tackles vs. both Texas Tech (one solo) and Oklahoma State (three solos)... Produced three multi-tackle games... Had fumble recovery at Kansas State... Missed game at No. 20 Kansas due to injury... 120 of 177 snaps, including season-high 45 vs. Oklahoma State, came over season's final four games... Received first varsity letter.

**High School:** Waco High School, Waco, Texas... 2006 *Waco Tribune-Herald* Super Centex Defensive Player of Year helped WHS to 13-3 record and runner-up finish in Class 4A Division II playoffs as senior defensive end... First-team *Waco Tribune-Herald* Super Centex honoree... *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 recruit also rated No. 4 on publication's Central Texas Top 25 list... Also named to first-ever season-ending All-Texas team compiled by *Texas Football's* Jake Shaw... Honorable mention Class 4A all-state honoree from Texas Sports Writers Association also 2006 District 16-4A defensive MVP... Class 4A Team Texas first-team pick by *TexasFootball.com* also shared Most Outstanding Defensive End honor with Wolfforth High's Aaron Wampler... Credited with 72 tackles (36 solos), 16.5 sacks for 137 yards, 25 tackles for loss, four pass breakups and fumble recovery for TD in final prep season... 2007 THSCA All-Star Game participant... Totaled 10 tackles, six sacks, one forced fumble and fumble recovery for touchdown vs. Brownwood in 2006... Coached by Johnny Tusa at District 16-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of David and Pamela Johnson, Antonio Maurice Johnson was born June 26, 1988, in Waco, Texas... Majoring in general studies.

**JOHNSON'S CAREER STATISTICS**

DEFENSIVE									
YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2007	11/0	6	10	16	0.5-1	0.0-0	0/1	0	0-0
2008	12/10	35	37	72	5.0-15	1.0-10	1/1	2	1-5
Career	23/10	41	47	88	5.5-16	1.0-10	1/2	2	1-5

**92 KAERON JOHNSON**

**DT • 6-1 • 285 • RFR. • SQ • CUERO, TEXAS (CUERO HS)**

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sat out first season at Baylor and participated on practice squad, redshirted to retain eligibility.

**High School:** Cuero High School, Cuero, Texas... Two-way standout played offensive guard, defensive end and tight end for Gobblers... Earned third-team 2007 Texas Sports Writers Association Class 3A all-state honors as both tight end and defensive end... Also second-team Class 3A Associated Press all-state defensive tackle and honorable mention pick as tight end... Unanimous first-team All-District 29-3A as both tight end and defensive end in final prep season for second consecutive year... First-team *Victoria Advocate* all-area tight end... Totaled 58 tackles and nine sacks as senior... Member of 2007 *Texas Football* Texas Top 300... As junior, registered 60 tackles en route to second-team Class 3A all-state honors from both The Associated Press

and Texas Sports Writers Association... Earned unanimous first-team All-District 29-3A honors as both defensive end and offensive lineman as junior... Also standout discus thrower... Placed third in discus at 2008 Class 3A state meet with mark of 165-4 to help Gobblers earn third team title in four seasons... Coached by Mark Reeve at District 29-3A school.

**Personal:** Son of Resia Leggett and Rykan Jones, Kaeron DeShaund Johnson was born March 10, 1990, in Cuero, Texas... Major is undecided.

**6 ANTONIO JONES**

**LB • 6-2 • 235 • SR. • 3L • DALLAS, TEXAS (LINCOLN HS)**

Fifth-year senior returning starter at outside linebacker... One of nine returning starters on defense.

**2008 (Junior):** Starting linebacker in all 12 games as junior in 2008... One of eight Bears to start all 12 games in 2008... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll in fall 2008... Finished with 71 tackles (29 solo), five tackles for loss, three sacks, two breakups, one hurry, one fumble recovery and one forced fumble on season... Ranked 26th in Big 12 with 5.9 average tackles-per-game... Ranked fourth on team with 71 tackles... Three sacks (-25 yards) tied for second-most on team... Registered three-plus tackles in all 12 games... Had career-high nine tackles (career-best five solo) in season-opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest... Added first career solo tackle for loss, first career fumble recovery and one hurry vs. Wake Forest... Had eight tackles and one sack in second and third games, wins vs. Northwestern State and Washington State, respectively... Made eight tackles (4 solo), including one for loss, and one pass breakup at Nebraska in eighth game... Totaled eight tackles (4 solo) and one sack at No. 5 Texas.

**2007 (Sophomore):** As sophomore linebacker, played in eight games for Bears... Produced 22 tackles (eight solos), 0.5 tackles for loss and pass breakup... Missed three games (at Buffalo, vs. Texas Tech, at No. 4 Oklahoma) due to injury and did not play vs. Colorado (coaches decision)... Registered then-career-high tying six tackles (two solos) vs. Rice and had four stops (two solos) vs. No. 19 Texas... Had four multi-tackle games on season... 179 of 208 snaps played came over season's first eight games... Played season-high 49 snaps at No. 22 TCU... Received second Baylor letter.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman started season's first three games at linebacker, but came off bench last nine games... No. 7 on squad in tackles with 44 stops (24 solos) and had 0.5 tackles for loss and one pass breakup... Two or more tackles in 10 of 12 appearances, including then-career-high tying six stops (four solos) at Colorado... Also had six tackles (one solo) vs. Northwestern State... Registered five tackles (three solos) at Texas Tech and at Oklahoma State (all solos, career-high)... Played 362 snaps to garner first Baylor letter.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Redshirted as true freshman... Named to fall Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**High School:** Lincoln High School, Dallas, Texas... Rated No. 46 on 2004 *Dallas Morning News* Area Top 100 list... Member of *Texas Football's* 2004 Texas Top 300... Credited with 156 tackles, including 44 for loss, eight forced fumbles, six fumble recoveries and five sacks en route to spot on *The Dallas Morning News* 2004 all-area first-team honor squad, district Defensive Player of Year and team MVP honors... First-team 2004 Class 4A all-state by Texas Sports Writers Association and honorable mention Associated Press pick... Helped Tigers to runner-up finish in 2004 Class 4A Division II playoffs and school-record 14 victories... 2005 Coca-Cola All-Star Game participant... As junior, earned all-district honors after totaling 98 tackles, including 25 for loss, six forced fumbles, four fumble recoveries and three interceptions for 10-2 squad which captured bi-district title... Honor student... Played for coach Reginald Samples at District 10-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Gary Jones and Felecia Roberson, Antonio Rashad Jones was born May 19, 1987, in Dallas, Texas... Majoring in general studies.

**ANTONIO JONES' CAREER STATISTICS**

DEFENSIVE										
YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS	
2005										
		Redshirted								
2006	12/3	24	20	44	0.5-0	0.0-0	0/0	1	0-0	
2007	8/0	8	14	22	0.5-0	0.0-0	0/0	1	0-0	
2008	12/12	29	42	71	5.5-34	3.0-25	1/1	2	0-0	
Career	32/15	61	76	137	6.5-34	3.0-25	1/1	4	0-0	

## 63 JOHN JONES

OG • 6-4 • 300 • SO. • 1L • CEDAR HILL, TEXAS (CEDAR HILL HS)

**2008 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played in 10 games, earned one start, as redshirt freshman offensive guard in 2008... Earned first letter... Made first collegiate appearance in second game vs. Northwestern State as reserve guard... Saw duty as backup in win over Washington State in third game... Made first and only career start in fourth game at UConn... Played only special teams in fifth and seventh games vs. No. 1 Oklahoma and at No. 8 Oklahoma State... Did not play at Nebraska... Saw action as reserve lineman in each of season's final four games.

**2007 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt year as true freshman offensive lineman.

**High School:** Cedar Hill High School, Cedar Hill, Texas... Ranked 32nd on *The Dallas Morning News* Area Top 100 list, No. 74 on Lone Star Recruiting Texas Top 100, No. 82 on *San Antonio Express-News* Texas Top 100 and No. 89 on *Morning News* State 100 produced by *Rivals.com*... 2007 Oil Bowl participant... One of three starters from Cedar Hill's 2006 Class 5A Division II state championship team to sign with Baylor... Rated nation's 56th-best offensive guard prospect by *Rivals.com*, Lone Star Recruiting rated him as state's seventh-best offensive guard/center... 3-star rank from *Rivals.com*... *Houston Chronicle* and *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 selection... 2006 *Texas Football* Texas Top 300 pick also selected one of state's top 25 offensive linemen by publication... Earned second-team 2006 Class 5A all-state honors from Texas Sports Writers Association and first-team *Dallas Morning News* all-area honoree... *PrepStar* All-Region team member... Recorded 40 pancake blocks and allowed just one sack in Longhorns' 16-0 2006 campaign... Had 15 scholarship offers from which to choose from, but cast lot with Baylor prior to senior season... Two-year starter along o-line... Helped pave way for Cedar Hill to lead 5A Metroplex schools in rushing and produce 5A rushing leader in quarterback William Cole... Did not play football at youth or middle school level, instead focused on basketball... As freshman last string on B team to start year, but by season's fourth game promoted to A team and following year made junior varsity squad... As junior totaled 60 pancake blocks and yielded one sack as starter for District 8-5A champions... Coached by Joey McGuire at District 8-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of John and Octavia Jones, John DeMarcus Jones was born on Jan. 17, 1988, in Dallas, Texas... Wants to be head coach after college... Enjoys watching TV, playing video games and surfing Internet... Majoring in general studies.

## 45 ANDREW JUDY

BS • 6-1 • 235 • SR. • 1L • CRAWFORD, TEXAS (CRAWFORD HS/UMHB)

Second-year senior... Former walk-on awarded scholarship following 2008 season... Converted defensive lineman and former transfer from Mary Hardin-Baylor (Division III university in Belton, Texas) earned two starts at big slot (fullback) in 2008.

**2008 (Junior):** Walk-on played 11 of 12 games as junior in 2008, earned two starts at big slot position and participated on special teams... Earned first letter... Had no rushes on season, but totaled six tackles (two solo) on special teams... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll for fall 2008... Played first Division I game in season-opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest, saw action at big slot and made two tackles on special teams... Earned first career start in second game, win over Northwestern State... Also started fifth game vs. No. 1 Oklahoma... Made career-high three tackles (special teams) in win over Iowa State in sixth game... Played in every game but season finale at No. 7 Texas Tech due to injured hamstring.

**2007 (Redshirt):** Sat out the 2007 season as redshirt member of scout team after transferring to Baylor from Mary Hardin-Baylor... Named Defensive MVP of scout team for 2007.

**At Mary Hardin-Baylor (2005 & 2006):** Played two seasons under head coach Pete Fredenburg (longtime BU assistant under Grant Teaff) at Mary Hardin-Baylor, a Division III university in Belton, Texas.

**High School:** A three-year starter for head coach Robert Murphy at Crawford (Texas) High School... Helped the Pirates to 39-3 record in three seasons... Named to Class 2A All-State first team as defensive lineman after helping Crawford to the 2004 2A Division II state championship as a senior... Pirates finished 2004 season a perfect 16-0... Helped CHS to a 12-1 record as a junior in 2003, led team with 101 tackles.

**Personal:** Son of Kenneth and Marilyn Judy, Andrew Lee Judy was born Aug. 21, 1986, in Waco, Texas... Majoring in history.

## 69 CAMERON KAUFHOLD

OL • 6-4 • 295 • RFR. • SQ • FRIENDSWOOD, TEXAS (FRIENDSWOOD HS)

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sat out first season at Baylor and participated on practice squad, redshirted to retain eligibility.

**High School:** Friendswood High School, Friendswood, Texas... One of three offensive linemen in Baylor's 2008 recruiting class... *Houston Chronicle* Area Top 110 member... First-team District 23-4A selection in final two prep seasons... Coached by Steve Van Meter at District 23-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Kent and Tammy Kaufhold, Cameron Kent Kaufhold was born Dec. 25, 1989, in Clear Lake, Texas... Majoring in business.

## 67 JOE KORBEL

OT • 6-6 • 265 • SO. • 1L • SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS (CHURCHILL HS)

**2008 (Redshirt Freshman):** Walk-on played all 12 games as special teams player and backup offensive tackle as redshirt freshman in 2008, earned first letter... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll for fall 2008... Regular special teams player, saw snaps on the offensive line in four games (vs. Northwestern State, vs. Washington State, vs. Iowa State and vs. Texas A&M).

**2007 (True Freshman):** Joined program as walk-on and elected to sit out season as redshirt... Dressed for five games but did not see any game action... Spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll member.

**High School:** Churchill High School, San Antonio, Texas... Two-year letterman along Chargers' offensive line... Earned All-District 26-5A honors along line as senior... Played in 2007 San Antonio East-West All-Star Game... Led team in pancake blocks as junior and senior with 19 and 29, respectively... Started every game (21) over final two prep seasons... Academic all-state honoree played for coach Carl Gustafson at District 26-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of George and Susan Korbel, Joseph Lawrence Korbel was born May 30, 1989, in San Antonio, Texas... Father played football at St. John's (Minn.), mother swam at Cornell (N.Y.)... Enjoys music... Majoring in business.

**21 JORDAN LAKE**

**FS • 6-1 • 215 • SR. • 3L • HOUSTON, TEXAS (MEMORIAL HS)  
ALL-AMERICA CANDIDATE  
THORPE AWARD CANDIDATE**

All-America and Jim Thorpe Award candidate... Fifth-year senior known for hard hits back as starting free safety... Returning two-time All-Big 12 safety... Preseason All-America selection by *Phil Steele* (fourth-team) and *NationalChamps.net* (honorable mention)... Consensus preseason first-team All-Big 12 pick... Named Big 12's "Hardest Hitter" by *Sporting News* preseason publication... Nine career games with 10-plus tackles... One of nine returning defensive starters... Three-time Academic All-Big 12 honoree... Two-time member of Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**2008 (Junior):** Starter at free safety in all 12 games as junior in 2008, unanimous All-Big 12 honoree... First-team All-Big 12 selection by league coaches, Associated Press, *San Antonio Express-News*, *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* and *Waco Tribune-Herald*; second-team honoree by *Dallas Morning News*, *Kansas City Star*, *Houston Chronicle* and *Phil Steele*... Earned 2008 second-team Academic All-Big 12 honors... Named to All-Texas first team by *Dave Campbell's Texas Football*... Earned honorable mention on *Sporting News* midseason All-America team... One of eight Bears to start all 12 games in 2008... Finished second on team with 97 tackles (team-high 66 solo stops), second with three interceptions and second with seven passes broken up... Added two forced fumbles... 8.1 tackles-per-game ranked 73rd nationally and fifth in Big 12... Average of 5.5 solo tackles ranked first in Big 12 and 14th nationally – No. 4 among defensive backs nationally... Opened season with nine tackles and two PBUs vs. No. 23 Wake Forest... Had seven stops (six solo) and season's first interception vs. No. 1 Oklahoma in fifth game... Made season-high three pass breakups along with seven tackles in win over Iowa State in sixth game... Totaled career-high 11 solo tackles (12 total) in seventh game at No. 8 Oklahoma State... Had season-high 15 tackles (nine solo) at Nebraska in eighth game... Made 12 tackles and one interception vs. No. 14 Missouri... Had interception and season-low two tackles in win over Texas A&M in 11th game... Member of 2008 Jim Thorpe Award watch list.

**2007 (Sophomore):** First-team All-Big 12 selection by *Phil Steele's Magazine*, Lake received second-team All-Big 12 honors from league's coaches, Associated Press, *Dallas Morning News*, *Austin American-Statesman* and *Waco Tribune-Herald* after sophomore campaign when led Bears in total (120) and solo (67) tackles, shared team lead in interceptions (two) and fumble recoveries (two) and ranked No. 2 in both pass breakups (six) and fumbles forced (two)... *Dave Campbell's Winter 2008 Texas Football* magazine selected Lake as state's 2007 Defensive Player of Year and its Best Defensive Back... Also first-team All-Texas selection by same magazine... Lake's 120 total stops were most by Bear since free safety Maurice Lane totaled 129 tackles in 2003... Had four of team's 19 turnovers forced (two interceptions, two fumble recoveries)... Ranked No. 3 in Big 12 (No. 1 among defensive backs) and No. 30 nationally with 10.0 tackles per game, but in league games only averaged 11.2 stops to also rank No. 3... T-No. 9 in Big 12 with 0.17 fumbles recovered per game... Produced six double-figure tackle games as sophomore... Totaled team-high 12 tackles (nine solos) and pass breakup vs. Oklahoma State... Had six tackles (three solos) at No. 4 Oklahoma... Totaled team-best 15 tackles (five solos) vs. Texas Tech... Team-high 13 tackles (nine solos) and one pass breakup at Kansas State... Had team co-leading 11 tackles (five solos) vs. No. 19 Texas... Totaled eight tackles (two solos) and one pass breakup at No. 20 Kansas... Registered seven tackles (two solos) vs. Colorado... Posted career-high 18 tackles (11 solo) with 1.0 tackle for loss and one pass breakup at Texas A&M; best total by Bear since free safety Maurice Lane's 23-tackle effort vs. Texas Tech in 2003... Named Big 12 Defensive Player of Week after totaling seven tackles (five solos), two forced fumbles, two interceptions and one fumble recovery in Bears' 34-21 victory at Buffalo... Tallied then-career-high 10 tackles (six solos) and one fumble recovery vs. Texas State and had five tackles (two solos) and one pass breakup vs. Rice... Credited with then-career-high eight tackles, all solo, at No. 22 TCU in first career start as Bear... Shared Bears' MVP honor with linebacker Joe Pawelek... Second-team Academic All-Big 12 selection played team-high 974 snaps for season... Took 100 or more snaps in three games--103 vs. Texas State, 100 at Texas A&M and 101 at Kansas State, and played fewer than 60 downs just once in 12 starts at free safety... Received second Baylor

monogram.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Baylor's No. 2 free safety as redshirt freshman broke collar bone during first career interception in Bears' win over Kansas State and missed remainder of season... Second-team Academic All-Big 12 selection... Credited with 15 tackles (11 solos), team-co-leading two forced fumbles, one fumble recovery and one interception in five games... Had season-high five tackles (including season-best four solos) against Kansas State... Registered four tackles (two solos) vs. Army... Totaled solo tackle and forced fumble at Washington State... Tallied four tackles (three solos) against Northwestern State to go with fumble recovery and forced fumble... Played 172 snaps to earn first varsity letter... Fall Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll member.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt year as true freshman... Selected to fall Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**High School:** Memorial High School, Houston... 2004 *Texas Football* Top 300 member, District 18-5A defensive MVP as senior... Also first-team *Houston Chronicle* All-Greater Houston honoree and second-team Class 5A Texas Sports Writers Association all-state pick... 2004 Houston Touchdown Club Defensive Player of Year finalist... Selected one of state's top 20 defensive backs in 2004 *Texas Football* preseason magazine... Credited with 119 tackles, including 12 for loss, as senior... Also had four interceptions, two of which were returned for touchdowns... Special teams standout blocked four kicks, returned punt for touchdown and averaged 25 yards per kickoff return and 16 yards per punt return... Also rushed for 180 yards on 22 carries... Career statistics include 307 tackles, 29 of which were for loss, and 10 interceptions (three returned for touchdowns) as three-year starter at safety... Rushed for 233 yards on 29 carries and scored nine touchdowns as part-time running back over prep career... 2003 co-defensive MVP of District 21-5A also earned *Houston Chronicle* All-Greater Houston second-team defensive honors and unanimous first-team all-district defensive back... Earned first-team all-district honors as sophomore... Also lettered twice in baseball and once in track... Coached by Gary Koch at District 18-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of George and Kay Lake, Jordan Matthew Lake was born Dec. 26, 1986, in Houston, Texas... Father, George, played basketball at Baylor (1972-74), brother was basketball player at Trinity and uncle played at Mississippi College... Majoring in management.

**LAKE'S CAREER STATISTICS**

DEFENSIVE									
YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	OBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2005		Redshirted							
2006	5/0	11	4	15	0.0-0	0.0-0	2/1	1	1-0
2007	12/12	67	53	120	1.0-1	0.0-0	2/2	8	2-26
2008	12/12	66	31	97	0.0-0	0.0-0	2/0	10	3-2
Career	29/24	144	88	232	1.0-1	0.0-0	6/3	19	6-28

## 88 JASON LAMB

**DT • 6-5 • 275 • SR. • 3L • RICHARDSON, TEXAS (BERKNER HS)**

Fifth-year player most veteran on team, tied with teammate Joe Pawelek for most career games played at 36... 31 career starts heading into 2009 season is second-most on team... Named preseason All-Big 12 fourth-teamer by *Phil Steele*... Moved from end to defensive tackle during spring drills... One of nine returning defensive starters... Three-time Academic All-Big 12 honoree... Six-time member of Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll... Converted tight end.

**2008 (Junior):** Starter in 11 of 12 games on defensive line during junior season in 2008... Started first 10 games at defensive end, started final game at nose tackle... Earned 2008 Academic All-Big 12 first team honors... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll in fall 2008... Finished season with 27 tackles, an assisted sack, three hurries and one blocked kick... Totaled four tackles, including an assisted tackle-for-loss, and four hurries in season-opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest... Made a season-high six stops, including an assisted sack, in win over Washington State in third game... Had four tackles and blocked a field goal at Nebraska in eighth game... Did not start in 11th game, win over Texas A&M, snapped streak of 27 consecutive starts... Started season finale at No. 7 Texas Tech at nose guard in place of Trey Bryant.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Earned honorable mention coaches All-Big 12 honors and second-team Academic All-Big 12 recognition as sophomore defensive end... Ranked No. 9 in Big 12 with 0.42 sacks per game... Led Bears in sacks (5.0) tied for third in tackles for loss (7.0) and No. 6 overall (tops among all Baylor d-linemen) in tackles with 53 stops (19 solos)... Team-high six quarterback hurries, one fumble recovery and pass breakup... Three of five sacks on season came vs. ranked opponents--No. 19 Texas, at No. 20 Kansas and at No. 22 TCU... Tallied three or more tackles in 16 of 24 career appearances; including eight of 12 starts in 2007... Had six tackles (three solos) vs. Oklahoma State... Career-high tying seven tackles (two solos) with 1.0 sack and one forced fumble at Kansas State... Had six tackles (two solos), one sack, vs. No. 19 Texas... Totaled six tackles, all assisted, and 1.0 tackle for loss at Texas A&M... Produced six tackles (three solos), with 1.0 for loss, vs. Texas State... Recorded five tackles (one solo) with 1.5 for loss and sack vs. Rice... Career-high tying seven tackles (four solos) at No. 22 TCU with sack... Shared team's Best Defensive Lineman honor with tackle Vincent Rhodes... Played 60 or more snaps four times with high of 74 vs. Oklahoma State and finished season with 657 total snaps to earn second letter... Fall and spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll member.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman one of three Bears named to 2006 *Sporting News* All-Big 12 freshman honor squad after moving from tight end to defensive end midway through spring practice... Also earned first-team Academic All-Big 12 honors... Appeared in every game and started eight of BU's final nine games to earn first Baylor monogram... 38 tackles (21 solos) on year ranked No. 8 on squad and 5.5 stops for loss were No. 2 on team... Also had one sack and six quarterback hurries (No. 3 on squad)... Recorded three or more tackles in eight games... Four tackles (three solos) vs. No. 16 Oklahoma... Had five tackles (three solos), with one for loss, at Oklahoma State... Three tackles (two solos), including one for loss, and two hurries at Texas Tech... Registered three tackles (one solo) vs. No. 22 Texas A&M... Totaled five tackles, all solos, and first career sack at No. 6 Texas... Career-high two hurries at Colorado... Made first career start vs. Army and responded with career-high seven tackles (two solos), including 1.5 for loss... BU's Most Improved Defensive Player... Played 481 snaps... Fall and spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll member.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt season as rookie... Named to fall and spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**High School:** L.V. Berkner High School, Richardson, Texas... No. 66 on 2004 *Dallas Morning News* Area Top 100 list... 2004 *Texas Football* Top 300 member... Second-team Associated Press all-state defensive end as senior for Rams after recording 104 tackles and 11 sacks... Also had 27 quarterback hurries... Earned 2004 all-district honors as both tight end (second-team) and defensive end (first-team) after helping team to 8-4 record and district and regional titles... Recorded six receptions for 70 yards and one touchdown in final prep season... All-district performer as junior after helping team finish 7-4 and earn playoff berth... Honorable mention academic all-state performer... National Honor Society member... Also participated in basketball and track... One of three Richardson natives in Baylor's 2005 recruiting class, joining teammate Trey Bryant

and Richardson High's Jordan Hearvey... Member of country-western dance team Ramblers... Coached by Jim Ledford at District 10-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Brad and Nancy Lamb, Jason Wayne Lamb was born March 3, 1987, in Dallas, Texas... Looking for career in politics... Double major in management and human resource management.

## LAMB'S CAREER STATISTICS

DEFENSIVE									
YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	OBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2005		Redshirted							
2006	12/8	21	17	38	5.5-17	1.0-5	0/0	0	0-0
2007	12/12	19	34	53	7.0-37	5.0-29	1/1	1	0-0
2008	12/11	7	20	27	1.5-8	0.5-5	0/0	3	0-0
Career	36/31	47	71	118	14.0-62	6.5-39	1/1	4	0-0

## 10 GARY MASON JR.

**DE • 6-4 • 255 • RFR. • SQ • WAXAHACHIE, TEXAS (WAXAHACHIE HS)**

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sat out first season at Baylor and participated on practice squad, redshirted to retain eligibility... Earned team's Baylor Defensive Bear Squad award for efforts on scout team.

**High School:** Waxahachie High School, Waxahachie, Texas... Ranked as nation's 21st-best weakside defensive end by *Rivals.com*... No. 45 on Lone Star Recruiting Texas Top 100 list... 3-star *Rivals.com* and *Scout.com* signee... Ranked No. 43 on *The Dallas Morning News'* Area Top 100 and No. 78 on publication's Texas State Top 100 list... Ranked nation's 30th-best strongside linebacker by *Scout.com*... *Waco Tribune-Herald* and *Houston Chronicle* Top 100 member... Rated 54th on *Austin American-Statesman's* preseason Feb 55 list... 2007 Texas Top 300 pick by *Texas Football* magazine... Earned 2007 second-team Texas Sports Writers Association Class 4A all-state honors... Co-2007 District 15-4A defensive MVP after helping Indians to 10-2 record and district title... Had 86 tackles, including 24 for loss, and 14 sacks as senior... Missed sophomore season on gridiron with torn ACL, which slowed play as junior... Totaled 21 tackles, including three for loss and two sacks, as junior... Caught 10 passes for 74 yards and rushed four times for 28 yards in 2006... Also standout basketball player for Indians, earned all-region honors as junior after averaging double-double... District Newcomer of Year on hardwood as sophomore... Captured district long jump crown as junior and went on to finish third at regionals... Coached by David Ream at District 15-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Gary Mason Sr. and Lisa Allen, Gary Lynn Mason Jr. was born April 18, 1990, in Waxahachie, Texas... Cousin of former Oklahoma State hoops standout and NBA veteran Desmond Mason... Major is undecided.

**20 CLIFTON ODOM**

**CB • 5-11 • 195 • JR. • 2L • ARLINGTON, TEXAS (JAMES MARTIN HS)**

Third-year junior missed majority of spring drills due to fractured right arm.

**2008 (Sophomore):** Played in seven games during sophomore season in 2008... Saw most action on special teams, took snaps at cornerback in two games... Finished season with one unassisted tackle, made in season-opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest... Played in each of the season's first six games, took snaps from scrimmage vs. Northwestern State in second game and vs. No. 1 Oklahoma in fifth game... Played only once in last six contests, saw action on special teams in win over Texas A&M.

**2007 (True Freshman):** Played in every game as true freshman cornerback for Bears and finished rookie season with 12 tackles (seven solos), including 2.0 tackles for loss... Four multi-tackle games... Had two tackles (one solo) with 1.0 tackle for loss at No. 4 Oklahoma... Totaled career-high tying three tackles (two solos) at Buffalo... Career-high three tackles (two solos) and 1.0 tackle for loss vs. Texas State... Saw action on 251 snaps, 123 of which were on special teams, to earn first letter.

**High School:** James Martin High School, Arlington, Texas... *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* Area Top 50 recruit... Played running back and cornerback... Earned unanimous first-team All-District 8-5A honors at cornerback as senior... Credited with 21 tackles, eight pass breakups, two interceptions and forced fumble as senior team captain... As Warrior running back, rushed five times for 68 yards and one touchdown... Also averaged 24.3 yards on 15 kickoff returns with one touchdown in final prep season... 2007 district 100 meter champion (10.60) also claimed 2006 district 200-meter dash title and three-year track team captain... Junior class President (2005-06), on Martin's student council every year... Played for coach Bob Wager at District 8-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Cliff and Cynthia Odom, Clifton Lewis Odom Jr., was born in Oct. 2, 1988, in Indianapolis, Ind.... Father, Cliff, played 13 years in NFL as linebacker with Indianapolis Colts and Miami Dolphins... Majoring in speech communication.

**40 BEN PARKS**

**PK • 6-2 • 200 • SO. • 1L • ARGYLE, TEXAS (ARGYLE HS)**

First-string placekicker returns for second season in 2009.

**2008 (True Freshman):** True freshman first-string kicker in all 12 games to earn first letter in 2008... Kicked 44 of Baylor's 45 PAT attempts on season (made 39) and all nine field goal attempts (made six)... 39 extra-point kicks ranks second all-time on BU's single-season chart... Handled 64 of 65 kickoffs on season, averaged 56.0 yards on kickoffs and made four touchbacks... Season percentages: field goals (6-9) 66.7%, PATs (39-44) 88.6%... One of six true freshmen to play for Baylor in 2008... Made first career field goal in win over Northwestern State in second game, a 20-yarder in the first quarter... Perfect on career-high six PAT attempts in win over Washington State in third game... Perfect on six kicks (5-5 PATs and 1-1 field goal) in win over Iowa State in sixth game... Perfect on seven kicks in win over Texas A&M in 11th game, 5-for-5 on PATs and 2-for-2 field goals... Career performance vs. A&M, with career-best 11 points scored, career-long 42-yard field goal, only multiple field goal game of season (two), and only multiple touchback game (two)... Beat out incumbent starting placekicker Shea Brewster during 2008 spring drills.

**High School:** Argyle High School, Argyle, Texas... Two-time, first-team Texas Sports Writers Association Class 3A all-state place-kicker also punted and played linebacker as senior... Rated nation's 26th-best place-kicker by *Scout.com*... Hit 11-of-17 field goals and 57-of-60 PATs as senior for 10-3 District 8-3A champion Eagles... Also earned 2007 second-team Texas Sports Writers Association Class 3A all-state honors as punter after averaging 37.8 yards per kick and placing 16 of 31 punts inside the 20... 2008 Oil Bowl participant and Class 3A honorable mention THSCA academic all-state selection... Unanimous all-district pick as kicker in final prep season and also earned 2007 first-team all-district recognition as punter... Also earned first-team all-area honors as senior... As junior, earned first-team Class 3A all-state honors from both The Associated Press and Texas Sports Writers Association after making 34 PATs and connecting on 6-of-8 field goals with long of 49 yards... Coached by Todd Rodgers at District 8-3A school.

**Personal:** Son of John and Kim Parks, Benjamin Andrew Parks was born Oct. 16, 1989, in Dallas, Texas... Majoring in health science studies.

**PARK'S CAREER STATISTICS**

PLACE-KICKING

Year	G	PAT-ATT	PCT	FT-ATT	PCT	TP
2008	12	39-44	88.6	6-9	66.7	57

**1 EARL PATIN**

**LB • 6-2 • 225 • JR. • 2L • BATON ROUGE, LA. (SOUTHERN LAB HS)**

**2008 (Sophomore):** Second-string linebacker in all 12 games during sophomore season in 2008... Finished season with 52 tackles, seventh-most on team... Had three sacks, second-most on squad, three hurries, two breakups and one forced fumble... Ranked fifth on team with 31 solo tackles... Recorded at least one tackle in all 12 contests... Made four tackles, three solo, and career-high three quarterback hurries in win over Northwestern State in second game... Had six tackles, including an assisted sack, in win over Washington State in third game... Put together career performance at Nebraska in eighth game: career-high eight tackles (career-high seven solo), career-high two sacks (-5 yards) and a forced fumble... Had two tackles and only two PBUs of career at No. 5 Texas... Made seven tackles in season finale at No. 7 Texas Tech.

**2007 (True Freshman):** True freshman linebacker played in every game and earned All-Big 12 freshman team honors from *Sporting News*... Ranked 13th on squad in tackles with 29 (15 solos) and had one tackle for loss, a sack, and two quarterback hurries... Nine multi-tackle games included eight straight such efforts to close rookie campaign... Then-career-high five tackles (two solos) at No. 4 Oklahoma... Totaled four tackles vs. both Colorado (one solo) and No. 19 Texas (three solos)... Registered first career sack at No. 20 Kansas... Three tackles (two solos) in BU debut at No. 22 TCU... Played 291 snaps for first Baylor letter.

**High School:** Southern Lab High School, Baton Rouge, La.... Lone *Rivals.com* 4-star pledge in Baylor's 2007 recruiting class and member of Rival's 250 list... Rated nation's No. 6 inside linebacker by same service... No. 13 on *Rivals.com*'s Louisiana Top 40 list, No. 20 on *PelicanPreps.com* pre-spring Top 50 and No. 33 on *TigerBait.com*'s final Top 35... Garnered first-team 1A all-state honors from both Louisiana Sports Writers Association and Louisiana Football Coaches Association... Totaled 144 tackles and five sacks as senior for 10-4 Southern Lab team which lost in state semifinals... Played in 2007 MSL East Meets West All-American Game at Disney's Wide World of Sports Complex in Orlando, Fla.... As junior had 80 tackles, including eight for loss and five sacks... Coached by Michael Roach at IA school.

**Personal:** Son of Marlon Patin and Yvette Henderson, Hugh Earl Patin was born April 7, 1989... Majoring in general studies.

**PATIN'S CAREER STATISTICS**

DEFENSIVE

YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	OBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2007	12/0	15	14	29	1.0-6	1.0-6	0/0	0	0-0
2008	12/0	31	21	52	4.0-15	3.0-13	1/0	2	0-0
Career	24/0	46	35	81	5.0-21	4.0-19	1/0	2	0-0

**41 JOE PAWELEK**

**LB • 6-2 • 240 • SR. • 3L • SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS (SMITHSON VALLEY HS)**

**ALL-AMERICA CANDIDATE  
ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA CANDIDATE  
BUTKUS AWARD CANDIDATE  
LOMBARDI AWARD CANDIDATE  
LOTT TROPHY CANDIDATE**

All-America, Butkus, Lombardi and Lott Award candidate... Preseason All-American (second-team *Sporting News/Walter Camp*, *Phil Steele*; third team *Athlon*)... Consensus first-team preseason All-Big 12... Fifth-year player most veteran on squad, leads team with 34 career starts and tied with teammate Jason Lamb for most career games played at 36 heading into 2009... Nation's leading active career tackler (313 career stops, Missouri's Sean Weatherspoon second at 302)... 313 tackles in 36 career games (heading into 2009), three shy of entering school's top 10... Second on Baylor's career assisted tackles list with 172... Thirteen career games of 10-plus tackles... Four of eight career interceptions made in BU endzone... One of nine returning defensive starters... 2009 Academic All-American... Three-time first-team Academic All-Big 12 honoree... Seven-time member of Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll... Former catcher on BU baseball squad.



**2008 (Junior):** Starter in all 12 games, earned All-America, Academic All-America and All-Big 12 honors as junior in 2008... Named 2008 third-team All-America by *Phil Steele*... Consensus 2008 first-team All-Big 12 selection by all organizations... Selected Best Linebacker in Texas and member of All-Texas first team by *Dave Campbell's Texas Football*... Big 12 Defensive Player of Week Nov. 17... Earned 2008 Academic All-America second-team honors by ESPN The Magazine/CoSIDA... 2008 first-team Academic All-Big 12... Selected to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll in fall 2008... Given team awards for Defensive MVP and Baylor Academic Excellence... One of eight Bears to start all 12 games in 2008... Totaled 128 tackles, six tackles for loss, six interceptions, seven breakups and five hurries on season... 10.7 tackles-per-game average ranked second in Big 12 and seventh nationally... Second in Big 12 and seventh nationally in interceptions (0.50 per game), first nationally among linebackers... Only player ranked in top 10 nationally in tackles and interceptions (seventh in both)... Six interceptions ranks eighth on school's single-season list... 73 assisted tackles ranks fourth on Baylor's single-season chart... Recorded seven-plus tackles in all 12 games... Led team with five QB hurries... Recorded career-high 15 tackles in season-opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest... Totaled 10 tackles, one interception, two hurries, two breakups and one fumble recovery in week three win over Washington State... Had 13 tackles and an interception at UConn in fourth game... Totaled 14 tackles, including a career-high 13 solo stops, and three tackles for loss at No. 8 Oklahoma State... Made four interceptions in late-season three-game span vs. Missouri, Texas and Texas A&M... Had 13 tackles and a pick vs. No. 14 Missouri in ninth game... Had nine tackles and interception at No. 5 Texas in 10th game... Named Big 12 Defensive Player of Week after making two interceptions and seven tackles in win over Texas A&M in 11th game.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Baylor's second-leading tackler as sophomore linebacker with 99 stops (40 solos) ... Team tri-captain and shared squad MVP honors with free safety Jordan Lake... Second-team All-Big 12 selection by The Associated Press, *Austin American-Statesman* and *Waco Tribune-Herald*, received honorable mention recognition from league's coaches... Second-team All-Texas pick in *Dave Campbell's Winter 2008 Texas Football* magazine... First-team Academic All-Big 12 honoree also first-team *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District VI pick... Big 12 Fall Good Works Team member... Ranked T-No. 6 in Big 12 (tied for fifth among linebackers) and T-No. 85 nationally with 8.2 tackles per game... Also ranked tied for fourth in Big 12 with 0.25 fumbles forced per game and tied for ninth in league with 0.17 fumbles recovered per game... In Big 12 games only, averaged 8.9 tackles per game to rank in fifth-place tie... Football Writers Association of America Preseason All-America checklist member led Bears in fumbles forced (three) and ranked No. 2 in tackles (99) and tackles for loss (8.0), No. 5 in sacks (2.0)... Team-high 59 assisted stops ranked as eighth-best single-season effort in school history... Totaled four or more tackles in 22 of 24 career appearances, including five double-digit efforts, four of which came in 2007... Had six tackles (two solos) vs. Oklahoma State... Totaled two tackles (one solo) and 0.5 tackle for loss at No. 4 Oklahoma... Registered seven tackles (one solo), one forced fumble and one fumble recovery vs. Texas Tech... Produced third-straight double-digit tackle performance with 12-tackle (nine solos) effort at Kansas State which included 1.0 tackle for loss and pass breakup... Totaled team-high tying 11 tackles (one solo), an interception and forced fumble vs. No. 19 Texas... Had season-best 13 tackles (seven solos) at No. 20 Kansas... Tallied 8 tackles (two solos), including 2.0 tackles for loss, vs. Colorado... Registered 12 tackles (4 solo) with 1.0 tackles for loss at Texas A&M... Totaled team co-leading nine tackles (six solos) with 2.0 tackles for loss, 1.0 sack and fumble recovery at Buffalo... Seven tackles (four solos) included 1.5 for loss and sack vs. Rice... Six tackles (two solos) and forced fumble at No. 22 TCU... Started every game for Bears and played 893 snaps, fourth-most on squad overall and second-highest total on defensive side of ball behind Lake's 974 plays... Took 62 or more snaps in 10 games with high of 100 at Texas A&M... Received team Academic Award... Earned second letter... Fall and spring Dean's List and Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll member... Baylor Leadership Academy graduate.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman linebacker enjoyed one of finest seasons ever by Baylor rookie, earning first-team freshman All-America honors from *Sporting News*, *collegefootballnews.com* and Football Writers Association of America and second-team recognition from *Rivals.com*... The Associated Press and *San Antonio Express-News*' 2006 Big 12 Defensive Newcomer of Year also garnered conference Defensive Freshman of Year honors from *Sporting News*, *Fort Worth*

*Star-Telegram*, *Houston Chronicle*, *Waco Tribune-Herald* as well as second-team All-Big 12 honors from league's coaches... Honorable mention Associated Press All-Big 12 pick... First-team Academic All-Big 12 selection led Bears in tackles with 86 stops (46 solos), played every game with 10 starts... Tied for 10th in Big 12 with 7.17 tackles per game, highest per-game average of any conference freshman, and finished season with 4.5 tackles for loss (No. 4 on squad), 2.0 sacks (tied for second on team), one interception, four pass breakups (tied for second on squad) and team-high nine quarterback hurries... Totaled four or more tackles in 11 of 12 outings... Tallied three tackles, all assisted, in season-finale vs. No. 16 Oklahoma... Had four tackles (three solos) at Oklahoma State... Registered team-high nine tackles (four solos), one sack and pass breakup at Texas Tech... Recorded eight-tackle (three solos) game vs. No. 22 Texas A&M... Seven tackles (six solos) with one for loss and quarterback hurry vs. Kansas... Had eight tackles (seven solos), a pass breakup and a quarterback hurry at No. 6 Texas... Tallied then-career-best 14 stops (career-high 11 solos) at Colorado and first career interception which clinched Bears' 3OT win... Registered back-to-back seven-tackle efforts vs. Army (three solos) and Kansas State (one solo)... Also had four quarterback hurries and pass breakup vs. K-State... Tallied six tackles (four solos), with one sack, at Washington State... Had then-career-high nine stops (two solos) in first career start vs. Northwestern State after four-tackle (two solos) debut vs. No. 22 TCU... Saw action on team-high 855 snaps to earn first Baylor monogram... Selected Baylor's Best Defensive Front Player by coaches and received team's Academic Award... Named to fall and spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll as well as Dean's List for both terms.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt season... Scout team MVP... Named to fall and spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll... Earned place on Dean's List for both fall and spring terms... Also catcher on Baylor baseball team, but sat out 2006 season as redshirt.

**High School:** Smithson Valley High School, Spring Branch, Texas... Member of 2004 *Texas Football* Top 300... 2004 *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 selection... Ranked No. 2 on *San Antonio Express-News* Area Top 10 and No. 40 on its State Top 50 lists... Named 2004-05 Boys High School Athlete of Year by *San Antonio Express-News*... Tallied 197 tackles and six fumble recoveries as senior linebacker en route to *San Antonio Express-News* Defensive Player of Year honors... Two-time first-team all-district performer also earned pair of All-San Antonio awards... Helped Rangers to 2004 Class 5A Division II runner-up finish, 13-3 record and rewarded with Associated Press honorable mention Class 5A all-state honors... Credited with 20 tackles in Rangers' 18-10 state semifinal victory over Houston Clear Lake... 2004 Park Place Pontiac Defensive Player of Year also 2003 Comal County Male Athlete of Year... Led 2003 team to 10-2 record, district title and Division II playoffs... Had 131 tackles and seven sacks as junior en route to second-team all-state honors... As sophomore, lettered and honorable mention all-district pick for 14-2 Ranger team, won district title and finished second in state playoffs... Also standout baseball catcher, earned four first-team all-district awards over four-year career and all-state honors in final two seasons... National Honor Society member... Coached by Larry Hill at District 26-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Mike and Judy Pawelek, Joseph Charles Pawelek was born Dec. 8, 1986, in Corpus Christi, Texas... Double major in finance and economics.

**PAWELEK'S CAREER STATISTICS**

DEFENSIVE									
YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2005		Redshirted							
2006	12/10	46	40	86	4.5-20	2.0-18	0/0	4	1-0
2007	12/12	40	59	99	8.0-25	2.0-12	3/2	2	1-17
2008	12/12	55	73	128	6.0-19	0.0-0	1/2	13	6-56
Career	36/34	141	172	313	18.5-64	4.0-30	4/4	19	8-73

**31 FRED PLESIUS**

**DE • 6-1 • 250 • RFR. • SQ • LENNOXVILLE, QUÉBEC (CHAMPLAIN PREP SCHOOL)**

Second-year player moved from linebacker to defensive end during spring drills... Believed to be Baylor's first-ever Canadian recruit.

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sat out first season at Baylor and participated on practice squad, redshirted to retain eligibility.

**High School:** Champlain Prep School, Lennoxville, Québec... Totaled 77 tackles, five sacks and two interceptions as senior linebacker... Team MVP... All-Star CEGEP AAA... Coached by Jean Francois Joncas.

**Personal:** Son of Jean Plesius and Ginette Rivert, Fredric Gelin Plesius was born Feb. 19, 1988, in Laval, Québec... Majoring in psychology.

**13 TRACY ROBERTSON**

**DL • 6-4 • 260 • SO. • 1L • HOUSTON, TEXAS (LAMAR HS)**

**2008 (True Freshman):** Played in nine games as backup defensive lineman during true freshman season in 2008, earned first letter... Credited with five tackles and one quarterback hurry on season... One of six true freshmen to play for Baylor in 2008... Played first collegiate game in week three victory over Washington State, totaled one assisted tackle and first career hurry... Did not play in fourth game at Connecticut, but saw action in season's final eight contests... Made career-high two tackles, both solo, vs. No. 1 Oklahoma in fifth game... Made one assisted tackle at Nebraska and one assisted vs. Missouri.

**High School:** Lamar High School, Houston, Texas... Earned first-team All-District 20-5A honors as senior defensive end after totaling 83 tackles, 11 sacks and two fumble recoveries... *Houston Chronicle* Area 110 member... Helped 2007 Redskins to 10-2 record and district title... Tabbed one of state's Top 25 defensive linemen by *Texas Football* magazine and member of publication's 2007 Top 300... Second-team all-district pick as junior after registering eight sacks... Played three seasons of varsity football and two years of varsity basketball... Coached by Tom Nolen at District 20-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Urita Emanuel, Tracy Floyd Robertson was born Sept. 26, 1989, in Houston, Texas... Major is undecided.

**21 JARRED SALUBI**

**RB • 5-10 • 200 • RFR. • SQ • WACO, TEXAS (WACO HS)**

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sat out first season at Baylor and participated on practice squad, redshirted to retain eligibility.

**High School:** Waco High School, Waco, Texas... Second-team 2007 *Waco Tribune-Herald* Super Centex honoree also earned honorable mention Class 4A all-state honors from The Associated Press in final prep campaign... Ranked No. 4 on *Waco Tribune-Herald's* Central Texas Top 25... Named to *Texas Football's* 2007 Texas Top 300... Rushed 168 times for 1,306 yards and 15 touchdowns for district champion Lions as senior... Also caught four passes for 24 yards... As junior, earned District 16-4A MVP honors after running for 1,544 yards and 17 touchdowns for Lions' 13-3, Class 4A state runner-up team... 2006 first-team *Waco Tribune-Herald* Super Centex selection... Honorable mention Class 4A 2006 all-state pick by The Associated Press... Ran leg on Waco High's 2007 Class 4A state championship 4x100-meter relay team and member of Lions' 2008 silver-medal winning 4x200-meter relay unit... Coached by Johnny Tusa at District 16-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Oba Salubi and Denise Salubi, Jarred Allen Salubi was born Sept. 10, 1989, in Dallas, Texas... Majoring in general studies.

**18 LANEAR SAMPSON**

**WR • 6-0 • 200 • RFR. • SQ • MESQUITE, TEXAS (NORTH MESQUITE HS)**

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sat out first season at Baylor and participated on practice squad, redshirted to retain eligibility... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll for fall 2008.

**High School:** North Mesquite High School, Mesquite, Texas... Ranked 50th nationally among all wide receivers by *Rivals.com*... Caught 49 passes for 886 yards and six touchdowns as senior... 3-star *Rivals.com* and *Scout.com* recruit... Ranked 57th on *Rivals.com* Texas Top 100 list and No. 74 on *SuperPrep's* Texas 110 list... No. 25 on *The Dallas Morning News's* Area Top 100... Ranked 83rd in state by *Scout.com* and listed as nation's 92nd-best receiver by same service... Earned honorable mention 2007 Class 5A all-state honors from both The Associated Press and Texas Sports Writers Association... *Houston Chronicle* Texas Top 100, *Waco Tribune-Herald* Texas Top 100 and *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* Top 100 member... Ranked No. 87 on *San Antonio Express-News* Texas Top 100... No. 25 on *The Dallas Morning News's* Area Top 100 and No. 62 on Lone Star Texas Top 100... Named one of state's top 20 receivers on *Texas Football's* 2007 Texas Top 300... Earned second-team District 12-5A honors as senior... Registered 24 catches for 425 yards and four TDs as junior en route to first-team District 12-5A recognition... Caught 10 passes, one for touchdown, as sophomore... Participated in North Mesquite's PALS (Positive Assistance For Live Time Skills) program... Played for coach Mike Robinson at District 12-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Bryan and Debra Sampson, Emmanuel Lanear Sampson was born July 17, 1990, in Dallas, Texas... Majoring in business.

**19 JEREMY SANDERS**

**S • 6-2 • 210 • SR. • 1L • MARLIN, TEXAS (MARLIN HS/NAVARRO COLLEGE)**

Second-year transfer moved to defense during spring drills... Former prep quarterback now at safety after playing running back as junior.

**2008 (Junior):** Played in 11 of 12 games as junior in first season at Baylor, earned two starts in backfield... Earned first letter... Ran for 128 yards on 34 carries for the season (3.8 yards-per-carry) and scored one touchdown... Also returned six kickoffs for 163 yards... Had one rush in first Division I game in opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest, gained two yards... Made first career start in second game vs. Northwestern State, rushed nine times for season-high 43 yards... Scored first career TD in week three win over Washington State... Had season-high four kick returns at Connecticut in fourth game, totaled 117 yards (29.3 average), including a season-long 40-yard return... Had season-high 10 carries in win over Iowa State in sixth game, netted 33 yards... Had only five carries over season's final six games (did not play in season finale at No. 7 Texas Tech)... Took reps at quarterback before being moved to running back during fall practice.

**Junior College:** Navarro College, Corsicana, Texas... Originally signed with Baylor following senior year at Marlin [Texas] High School and renewed Baylor pledge following highly successful two-year career at Navarro [Texas] College... 3-star ranking by both *Rivals.com* and *Scout.com*... In two seasons at Navarro, completed 183-of-361 passes for 2,252 yards with 11 touchdowns and 12 interceptions... Ranks third all-time in pass completions, attempts and completion percentage (.507), fifth in career passing yards... Also rushed 155 times in career for 827 yards and 12 touchdowns... Accounted for 3,079 total-offense yards and 23 touchdowns in two-year Navarro career... As sophomore, completed 123-of-224 passes for 1,624 yards and 10 touchdowns with eight interceptions... Ranked fifth on Navarro's single-season list for pass completions, sixth in both passing yards and attempts... Produced four, 200-yard passing games as sophomore... Also rushed 95 times for 483 yards and five touchdowns in final season at Navarro... Earned honorable mention All-Southwest Junior College Football Conference (SWJCFC) honors as sophomore... Led coach Ray Woodward's Bulldogs to 9-3 record, 2007 SWJCFC title and No. 4 final national ranking... Tabbed MVP of Pilgrim's Pride Bowl after leading Navarro to 24-21 victory over Georgia Military Academy... Navarro finished No. 2 nationally in total offense in 2007 (428 yards per game) and produced highest-scoring offense in school history (42.8 ppg).

**High School:** Marlin High School, Marlin, Texas... Three-year starter at quarterback earned first-team 2005 *Waco Tribune-Herald* Super Centex honors... Rated one of state's top 15 signal callers in *Dave*

*Campbell's 2005 Texas Football Texas Top 300...* Completed 148-of-217 passes for 2,540 yards and 27 touchdowns with only one interception as senior, leading Bulldogs to 8-2-1 record and playoffs... Also rushed 126 times for 882 yards and 16 touchdowns... Earned 2005 District 18-3A offensive MVP honors... Honorable mention 2005 all-state selection by Texas Sports Writers Association... As junior, received first-team *Tribune-Herald Super Centex* honors after totaling more than 3,000 total-offense yards... Rushed for 1,391 yards and 21 touchdowns, threw for 1,954 yards and 14 more scores... Played for coach Jerry Malone at District 18-3A school.

**Personal:** Son of Genail and Wilford Hearsley, Jeremy R. Sanders was born Nov. 30, 1987, in Temple, Texas... Nicknamed J-Mo... Majoring in general studies.

## 96 ZAC SCOTTON

**DE • 6-7 • 260 • SO. • 1L • HOUSTON, TEXAS (CYPRESS CREEK HS)**

**2008 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played all 12 games as redshirt freshman defensive end in 2008 to earn first letter... Started three of final five games... Earned 2008 first-team Academic All-Big 12 honors... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll for fall 2008... Totaled nine tackles, two breakups, one forced fumble and one hurry on season... Made first career tackle and first breakup in season opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest... Registered assisted tackle and QB hurry in win over Northwestern State in second game... Made first career start at Nebraska in eighth game, made on solo stop... Had only multiple-tackle game at No. 5 Texas in 10th game, two solo tackles... Started each of season's last two games, win over Texas A&M and at No. 7 Texas Tech.

**2007 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt year as true freshman defensive end... Named to fall Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**High School:** Cypress Creek High School, Houston, Texas... *Houston Chronicle* Area Top 60 selection... Second-team All-District 17-5A defensive tackle as senior... Totaled 55 tackles, 33 of which were solo stops, and five sacks... Also had 11 tackles for loss, punt block and one touchdown... Two-year starter along defensive line... Began prep career at quarterback before switching to defense... Outstanding baseball pitcher... *Texas Football* 2006 Texas Top 300 member... Coached by Greg McCaig at District 17-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Chip and Brandye Scotton, William Zachary Scotton was born May 25, 1989... Majoring in political science.

## 12 T.J. SCRANTON

**S • 5-11 • 190 • SR. • 1L • HITCHCOCK, TEXAS (HITCHCOCK HS/KILGORE COLL.)**

Second-year transfer moved to defense during spring drills... Saw limited action in spring due to knee strain... Switched to safety after playing wide receiver during junior season.

**2008 (Junior):** Played 11 of 12 games as junior wideout in first season at Baylor, earned first letter... Made two catches on season and returned one kick... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll for fall 2008... Made debut in season opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest, on special teams... Saw snaps at receiver in 10 of 11 remaining games, did not play in fourth game at Connecticut... Made first career reception vs. No. 1 Oklahoma, a 10-yarder... Returned one kick for 19 yards at No. 8 Oklahoma State in seventh game... Had a catch for 14 yards vs. No. 14 Mizou in ninth contest.

**Junior College:** Kilgore College, Kilgore, Texas... 3-star rank by *Scout.com*... Caught 57 passes for 796 yards and 13 touchdowns for 2007 Rangers' team which finished 8-4 and earned Heart of Texas bowl bid... Originally signed with Art Briles' Houston program in 2005, enrolled at UH and did not play before transferring to Ranger [Texas] College, played as freshman in 2006... Selected Baylor over Houston, Syracuse, South Carolina and Illinois... Played for coach J.J. Eckert at Kilgore.

**High School:** Hitchcock High School, Hitchcock, Texas... Earned Class 2A all-state honors... Two-time All-Greater Houston team member earned 2004 all-county and all-district recognition... Also played basketball and regional qualifier in both 400 meters and triple jump... Played for Bulldogs' coach Gary Carney at District 26-2A school.

**Personal:** Son of Anthony and Willie Washington, Truman J. Scranton was born Nov. 30, 1986, in Galveston, Texas... Majoring in general studies.

## 25 MATT SINGLETARY

**IR • 6-3 • 250 • SO. • SQ • SAN JOSE, CALIF. (VALLEY CHRISTIAN HS)**

Third-year sophomore... Son of former Baylor All-American linebacker and current San Francisco 49ers head coach Mike Singletary.

**2008 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played in one game as redshirt freshman in 2008... Saw action as reserve receiver in win over Washington State in third game, did not make a reception.

**2007 (True Freshman):** True freshman defensive end elected to take redshirt year.

**High School:** San Jose Valley Christian High School, San Jose, Calif.... Credited with 64 tackles, four sacks and two fumble recoveries as senior defensive end... Played along offensive line for coach Eric Scharrenberg's 12-1 2005 squad.

**Personal:** Son of Mike and Kim Singletary, Matthew M. Singletary was born Feb. 22, 1988... Father is head coach of San Francisco 49ers... Mike Singletary was three-time All-American and two-time Davey O'Brien winner at Baylor who totaled school-record 662 career tackles from 1977 through 1980 before embarking on 12-year NFL career with Chicago Bears... Sister Kristen is also Baylor student... Majoring in speech communication.

## 19 SAM SLEDGE

**BS • 6-2 • 265 • SR. • 3L • MIDLAND, TEXAS (LEE HS)**

Former walk-on and fifth-year senior... Moved back to offense during spring drills... Former O-lineman spent last season on defensive line, now at big slot (fullback) position... Six-time member of Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**2008 (Junior):** Played all 12 games as junior in 2008... Backup tackle saw action on defensive line in eight games and special teams in all 12 contests... Totaled nine tackles and 1.5 sacks on season... Earned 2008 second-team Academic All-Big 12 honors... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll for fall 2008... Made all nine tackles during season's first three games... Made three tackles (first of career) in season opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest... Totaled three tackles and an assisted sack in win over Northwestern State in week two... Registered three tackles and one sack (-10 yards) in win over Washington State in third week... Played predominantly special teams over season's final five games.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Saw action in five games at offensive guard as sophomore... Dressed for every game... Took career-high 32 snaps vs. Rice... For season, played 88 snaps to earn second varsity letter... Fall and spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll member.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman center saw action in two games (Northwestern State and Kansas) to receive first Baylor letter... Played seven snaps for season ... Named to fall Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Walk-on elected to take redshirt year... Scout team MVP ... Named to fall and spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**High School:** Lee High School, Midland, Texas... Three-year football letterwinner who earned first-team all-district and All-Permian Basin honors as tight end after both junior and senior years... Also garnered honorable mention all-state honors for Rebels at tight end following junior campaign... Picked up three letters in track, two-time regional qualifier in shot put and one-time qualifier in discus... District discus champion... Selected to both National Honor Society and Spanish National Honor Society... Four-year academic letterwinner... Coached by John Parchman at District 3-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of David and Sandy Sledge, Samuel David Sledge was born Jan. 21, 1987, in Midland, Texas... Parents are both Baylor graduates... Father, David, was four-year Baylor football letterman from 1975-78 and 1978 All-SWC honoree... Majoring in entrepreneurship, expected to graduate May 2009 and begin work on MBA.

**3 ERNEST SMITH**

**IR • 6-3 • 200 • SR. • 3L • NEW ORLEANS, LA. (KARR MAGNET/JOHN TYLER HS)**

Fourth-year senior returns as starting receiver... Moved from wide receiver to inside receiver during spring drills... One of eight Bears to have played at least 33 career games (33)... One of nine returning offensive starters... Native of New Orleans came to Texas after Hurricane Katrina.

**2008 (Junior):** First-string wide receiver played all 12 games as junior in 2008... Made nine starts and finished second on team in touchdown receptions (three) on just seven total catches... Totaled seven receptions for 175 yards, 25.0 yards-per-catch average, and three TDs... Made two catches for season-high 59 yards (including career-long 49-yarder) and one score win over Northwestern State in second game... Had one touchdown catch for 27 yards in win over Washington State in third game... Second multiple-catch game of season in win over Texas A&M in 11th game, gained 53 yards and tied career-long 49-yard reception... Caught third TD in season finale at No. 7 Texas Tech, a 1-yarder.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Played in every game with seven starts to credit as sophomore wide receiver... No. 7 on squad in both receptions (21) and receiving yards (247), but averaged 11.8 yards per catch to rank No. 5... Registered seven multi-catch games, one a career-high four-reception, 38-yard effort at No. 22 TCU in season-opener... Recorded career-high 65 receiving yards on three catches with one touchdown, a 19-yard grab, vs. Rice... Performance against Owls also included career-long 37-yard catch... Played 525 snaps, with high of 87 against Texas Tech, to earn second letter.

**2006 (True Freshman):** True freshman wide receiver saw action in 10 games and made one start as rookie behind senior All-Big 12 wide out Dominique Zeigler... Caught six passes for 55 yards on season... Hauled in season-high tying two passes for 18 yards at Texas Tech, one a season-long 15-yard grab... Tallied one catch for 12 yards vs. No. 22 TCU in first game as Bear, then had two for 18 yards vs. Northwestern State in first career start following week... Played 91 snaps to earn first varsity letter.

**High School:** John Tyler High School, Tyler, Texas... Ranked No. 48 on *The Dallas Morning News* Top 100 State list... *Rivals.com* rated him as nation's 40th-best prep wide out... 3-star ranking from *Rivals.com*... Had team-high 21 receptions for 283 yards and three scores in lone season with Lions... Earned second-team all-district honors after helping Lions to 8-3 record and playoff berth... Joined John Tyler program in aftermath of Hurricane Katrina... Attended Edna Karr Magnet School in New Orleans and resumed education there in spring of 2006... Coached by Thomas Brooks at District 12-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Ernest Smith Sr., Ernest Jr. was born March 18, 1988, in New Orleans, La.... Majoring in general studies.

**ERNEST SMITH'S CAREER STATISTICS**

RECEIVING

YEAR	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2006	10/1	6	55	9.2	0	15/at Texas Tech
2007	12/7	21	247	11.8	1	37/Rice
2008	12/9	7	175	25.0	3	49/NSU & TAMU
Career	24/17	34	477	14.0	4	49/NSU & TAMU 2008

**6 BLAKE SZYMANSKI**

**QB • 6-4 • 210 • SR. • 3L • WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS (RIDER HS)**

Fifth-year senior provides wealth of experience as backup quarterback... Former starter (13 career starts) ranks among top 10 on eight Baylor career passing categories and owns five school single-game records... Ranks in career top 10 in: completions (6th; 331), attempts (9th; 587), completion percentage (3rd; .564), TD-INT ratio (6th; 1.040), INT percentage (6th; .0426), 400-yard games (1st; 3), TD responsibility (10th; 29), total offense per play (10th; 5.31) heading into 2009... Baylor record-holder in single-game completions (36), attempts (60), yards (412), touchdowns (6) and total offense (428)... Ranks 12th all-time in passing yardage (3,551).

**2008 (Junior):** Played in five of 12 games as backup during junior season in 2008... Completed four of seven passes for 28 yards without a touchdown or interception and added one rush for 3 yards in 2008... Totaled 18 yards passing on 3-of-5 completions in two drives off bench in win over Northwestern State in second game... Completed one pass for 10 yards in two drives played in Iowa State win (week six)... Lost battle for starting QB position during fall camp.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Ten-game starter under center ranked No. 6 in Big 12 in passing yards per game (258.5 ypg), No. 7 in Big 12 and No. 34 nationally in total offense (267.5 ypg) and No. 11 in Big 12 and No. 86 nationally in pass efficiency (117.0 rating)... Established 20 Baylor single-game, season and career records during the 2007 season... Season records established in 2007: completions (264), attempts (461), yards (2,844), touchdowns (22), 400-yard games (three), total plays (522), total offense (2,942) and touchdown responsibility (23)... Hit 57.3 percent of passes to rank No. 7 on Baylor's single-season list and tied for third in interceptions thrown (18) and No. 8 in touchdown to interception ratio (1.22)... Threw for 200 or more yards in seven games, three of which were 400-yard performances... Produced 21 plays, 19 passes and two rushes, of 25-plus yards on season... Completed 29-of-40 passes for 226 yards with two touchdowns and two interceptions vs. Oklahoma State... Hit 25-of-42 passes for 280 yards and two TDs with two picks at No. 4 Oklahoma; tossed career-long 75-yard TD pass to Thomas White vs. Sooners... 25-of-41 in air for 191 yards and one touchdown with one interception vs. Texas Tech... Came off bench at Kansas State to hit 15-of-21 passes for 213 yards and one TD with one interception... DNP (coaches decision) vs. No. 19 Texas after 10 straight starts under center... At Kansas, threw for season-low 119 yards (18-for-33 with career-high tying three interceptions and no touchdowns)... Hit 36-of-60 passes for 410 yards with one touchdown and two interceptions vs. Colorado; set BU single-game records for completions and attempts, yardage total ranked No. 3 on one-game list... Totaled Baylor single-game record 428 total-offense yards vs. Colorado on school-record 64 attempts... 12-of-35 passing for 194 yards and one pick at Texas A&M... 14 of 22 TD passes came in three-game span (at Buffalo, vs. Texas State, vs. Rice) ... At Buffalo, rushed 11 times for career-high 91 yards and one TD, which came on career-long 39-yard run, and passed for 172 yards and three touchdowns... Rushing total at Buffalo best by Baylor quarterback since Odell James' 92-yard performance vs. Kansas State in 1998... Became first Bear to throw for 400-plus yards in consecutive games with 411-yard, five-touchdown effort vs. Texas State... Hit 29-of-46 passes vs. Rice for school-record 412 yards with BU single-game record six TD passes and no interceptions to earn first career win as Bears' starting QB and co-Big 12 Offensive Player of Week honors... Threw for 216 yards with career-high tying three interceptions at No. 22 TCU in season-opener... Spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll selection... Took 746 snaps to earn second Baylor letter.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman quarterback started final three games of 2006 campaign in place of injured Shawn Bell... Completed 64-of-121 passes for 689 yards with four touchdowns and seven interceptions over five appearances on season... Also rushed 44 times for 18 yards and two touchdowns... 44 rushes ranked No. 2 on squad... Against No. 16 Oklahoma in season-finale, 22-of-45 in air for 188 yards with two interceptions... 45 pass attempts vs. Sooners a then-career-high... At Oklahoma State completed 24-of-41 passes for 262 yards and two touchdowns with three interceptions... Established career-highs in every passing category vs. Cowboys... Also rushed 10 times for then-career-high 40 yards at Oklahoma State... In first career start at Texas Tech, rushed career-high 22 times for 25 yards and two touchdowns, completed 16-of-30 passes for 197 yards and one touchdown with one pick... Two rushing touchdowns against Red Raiders

were first of career, became first Baylor signal caller to register two rushing touchdowns in game since Nov. 21, 1992, when J.J. Joe accomplished feat in 21-20 Baylor victory over Texas at Floyd Casey Stadium... 56-yard touchdown pass to Trent Shelton at Texas Tech then-career-long... Had taken nine career snaps as Bear, four vs. Northwestern State and five vs. No. 22 Texas A&M, prior to Texas Tech start... 0-for-2 in air with one pick against No. 22 Texas A&M after Bell went down late in game with knee injury, but rushed twice for 20 yards... Saw first career action under center against Northwestern State, connected on 2-of-3 passes for 42 yards and one touchdown... Tossed 27-yard scoring pass to Thomas White for Baylor's final touchdown vs. Northwestern State... Played 196 snaps to earn first Baylor letter... Wore No. 6 after donning No. 14 in 2005.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt year as true freshman, but dressed for every game as Bears' No. 3 signal caller.

**High School:** Rider High School, Wichita Falls, Texas... Member of *Texas Football's* 2004 Texas Top 300... 2004 *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 selection... Threw for 4,083 yards and 45 touchdowns in leading Raiders to 11-3 record as senior in 2004... Completed 59.8 percent of passes (278-of-465) in final prep season... Also ran for 455 yards and 10 touchdowns to earn first-team Class 4A all-state honors from Texas Sports Writers Association and honorable mention recognition from The Associated Press... 2004 MVP of *Wichita Falls Record News* Red River all-area squad... Threw for 447 yards and six touchdowns in 63-42 upset win of No. 4 Stephenville in bi-district playoffs... As junior, passed for 2,810 yards and earned district MVP honors... Also played in secondary and returned punts... In 2005 Oil Bowl, completed 11-of-24 passes for 95 yards and one touchdown... Earned four letters in football and baseball, two in basketball... Coached by Scott Ponder at District 5-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Steve and Donna Szymanski, Blake Michael Szymanski was born July 26, 1986, in Wichita Falls, Texas... Brother B.J. was baseball All-American at Princeton and currently plays with former Baylor star Michael Griffin in Cincinnati Reds organization... Majoring in marketing.

**SZYMANSKI'S CAREER STATISTICS**

**PASSING**

YEAR	G/GS	CMP	ATT	PCT	YDS	INT	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005		Redshirted						
2006	5/3	64	121	.529	689	7	4	56/at Texas Tech (TD)
2007	11/10	264	461	.573	2,844	18	22	75/at Oklahoma (TD)
2008	5/0	4	7	.571	28	0	0	22/Northwestern State
Career	21/13	332	589	.557	3,561	25	26	75/at OU 2007 (TD)

**RUSHING**

YEAR	G/GS	ATT	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005		Redshirted				
2006	5/3	44	18	0.4	2	21/at Texas Tech
2007	11/10	61	98	1.6	1	39/at Buffalo (TD)
2008	5/0	1	3	1.6	0	3/Texas A&M
Career	21/13	106	119	1.2	3	39/at Buffalo 2007 (TD)

**9 BRAD TAYLOR**

**TE • 6-3 • 235 • JR. • 2L • MADISONVILLE, TEXAS (MADISONVILLE HS)**

Fourth-year junior and former quarterback with nine career starts at tight end... Two-time Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll selection.

**2008 (Sophomore):** Played in 11 of 12 contests and made three starts at tight end as sophomore in 2008... Totaled eight catches for 93 yards and one touchdown on season... Named to Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll for fall 2008... Played first five games without recording reception, including start vs. No. 1 Oklahoma in fifth game... Also started at No. 8 Oklahoma State and at No. 5 Texas and did not record stats... Made three catches for 33 yards in sixth game, win over Iowa State... Had season-highs of four receptions and 53 yards and caught only TD of season vs. No. 14 Missouri in ninth game... Did not play season finale at No. 7 Texas Tech due to ankle sprain.

**2007 (Redshirt Freshman):** Moved from quarterback to inside receiver during spring ball and went on to play in 11 games as redshirt freshman with six starts... Ended season ranked No. 2 on squad in yards per catch (13.3 ypc), No. 3 in both receptions (35) and receiving yards (465), tied for fourth in touchdown receptions (two)... 35 receptions were most-ever by Baylor freshman... Caught three or more balls in eight of 11 appearances... Registered career-high five receptions five times (Rice,

Texas State, Colorado, at No. 20 Kansas, Oklahoma State)... Recorded touchdown receptions against Rice and Texas State... Totaled career-high 85 receiving yards against Texas State (on five receptions)... Had career-long 37-yard reception at Kansas State... Missed game at Buffalo with knee injury... Saw action on 409 snaps with high of 65 against Colorado to earn first Baylor letter.

**2006 (True Freshman):** Took redshirt year as true freshman, worked as Bears' scout team quarterback... Named to spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**High School:** Madisonville High School, Madisonville, Texas... Dual-threat quarterback was three-year starter who earned first-team all-district honors as senior... 55-of-116 for 1,010 yards and nine touchdowns as senior in Mustangs' run-oriented option attack... Rushed 113 times for 661 yards and eight touchdowns... Averaged 5.8 yards per rush... Tossed three touchdown passes in bi-district playoff loss to Robinson... Selected among top 15 signal callers on *Texas Football's* 2005 Texas Top 300... Also played middle linebacker... Second-team all-district honoree as junior after throwing for 709 yards and seven touchdowns and rushing for 416 yards and two touchdowns... As senior guard on basketball team, earned first-team all-district and team MVP honors for 22-11 squad which captured district title and advanced to regional semifinals of state playoffs... Coached by Greg Morgan at District 18-3A school.

**Personal:** Son of Shana and Brady Taylor, Brady Dion Taylor was born Nov. 10, 1987, in Huntsville, Texas... Mother, Shana, coaches girls' track team at Madisonville; uncle, Terrence McCloud, is head boys' basketball coach and father, Brady, heads up Little Dribblers' program... Enjoys riding horses and air hockey... Majoring in general studies.

**TAYLOR'S CAREER STATISTICS**

**RECEIVING**

YEAR	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2007	11/6	35	465	13.3	2	37/at Kansas State
2008	11/3	8	93	11.6	1	21/Iowa State
Career	22/9	43	558	13.0	3	37/at Kansas State 2007

**11 PHIL TAYLOR**

**DT • 6-4 • 355 • JR. • TR • CLINTON, MD. (GWYNN PARK HS/PENN STATE)**

Transfer from Penn State sat out 2008 season and has two years of eligibility remaining... Preseason Big 12 Newcomer of the Year (media)... Named preseason All-Big 12 by *Phil Steele* (second-team) and *Athlon* (third-team)... Listed as starter at defensive tackle on post-spring depth chart.

**2008 (Redshirt):** Transferred to Baylor from Penn State in September 2008, sat out season in compliance with NCAA Division I transfer policy but practiced with team... Redshirted to retain eligibility.

**At Penn State (2006 & 2007):** Played freshman (2006) and sophomore (2007) seasons at Penn State... Member of defensive line in 2007 that ranked seventh nationally in rushing defense (93.8 ypg), allowed only three runs of longer than 18 yards in 449 attempts and held opposition to nine rushing touchdowns in 13 games... Slowed early in season due to knee injury sustained during preseason drills but quickly returned to action and started Nittany Lions' final four games... Played 11 games... Credited with 20 tackles, 12 solo efforts, with 6.5 tackles for loss resulting in loss of 26 yards... Tallied 3.0 sacks, good for loss of 18 yards, and recovered two fumbles... Sixth on team in minus-yardage hits... Recorded five tackles, three solo efforts, and a sack at Michigan State... Backed that effort with five-tackle performance that included one tackle for loss against Texas A&M at Valero Alamo Bowl in San Antonio, Texas... Also made two tackles each against Notre Dame, Michigan, Indiana and Ohio State... Both tackles against Indiana were behind line, including one sack... Also recovered fourth-quarter fumble against Indiana... Saw action on 410 snaps, including 59 against Texas A&M and 58 at Michigan State... Made collegiate debut as true freshman against Michigan in 2006... Played season's seven games... Logged 53 plays, including 14 against Illinois and 12 against Temple.

**High School:** Prepped at Gwynn Park High School in Clinton, Md... Played offensive and defensive line for head coach Dan Hayes... Earned first-team all-state and *Washington Post* first-team all-metro honors as senior... Registered 77 tackles with 10 sacks that season... Recorded 30 tackles during junior campaign with two sacks and a forced fumble... Also credited with 30 pancake blocks along offensive line as junior.

**Personal:** Full name is Phillip Eugene Taylor... Born April 7, 1988... Majoring in general studies.

**55 J.D. WALTON**

**C • 6-3 • 305 • SR. • 2L • ALLEN, TEXAS (ALLEN HS/ARIZONA STATE)**  
**ALL-AMERICA CANDIDATE**  
**RIMINGTON TROPHY CANDIDATE**

All-America and Rimington Trophy candidate... Senior in third season due to loss of year after transferring from Arizona State... Returning All-Big 12 honoree... Named preseason All-Big 12 by Athlon (third-team) and Phil Steele (fourth-team)... Has started every game of career... 24 straight starts at center, third-most on team heading into 2009 season... One of nine returning offensive starters.

**2008 (Junior):** Starter at center for all 12 games during junior season in 2008... Named 2008 honorable mention All-Big 12 by Associated Press... Listed on 2008 Rimington Trophy watch list... One of eight Bears to start all 12 games in 2008... Anchored BU offensive line that generated 2,349 rushing yards, most at school since 1981, and 29 TDs.

**2007 (Sophomore):** Started every game at center for Bears as sophomore center... One of three Baylor offensive linemen to start every 2007 game, joining Dan Gay and James Barnard... Key performer for Bears' line which yielded 21 sacks, program's fewest since 1995... Shared team's Best Offensive Lineman honor with tackle Jason Smith... Saw action on 65 or more plays in 10 games with high of 97 at Buffalo... Played 911 snaps, most by BU offensive performer, and second-most overall on squad behind free safety Jordan Lake's 974 plays... Earned first Baylor letter.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Joined Baylor program in June 2006 as transfer from Arizona State, redshirted as true freshman in 2005... Sat out 2006 season at Baylor as transfer from ASU... Named to spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**2005 (True Freshman - Arizona State):** Redshirted as true freshman offensive lineman at Arizona State in 2005.

**High School:** Allen High School, Allen, Texas... Rated No. 56 player in Dallas area by *Rivals.com*... Named to *Dallas Morning News* Area Top 100 and State Top 100 lists... Received 14 Division I scholarship offers... First-team all-district and first-team all-county... Named team Player of Week/Offensive Line MVP six times... Recorded 79 pancake blocks to lead District 9-5A as senior... Allen High was bi-district champions... Resides on Allen High weightlifting Wall of Honor (bench, squat, hang clean and incline)... Invited to play in All-American Bowl in Shreveport, La.... Played in 2005 Coca-Cola All-Star Game and Oil Bowl... National Honor Society member... Player of Week four times as junior... Second-team all-district pick recorded 59 pancake blocks as junior, Allen captured district title and advanced to 5A semifinals... Listed winning triple OT game in 2004 state playoffs vs. Arlington Lamar as most exciting sports experience... Academic achievement award winner in 2002 and 2003... FCA member... Peer tutor... Member of Reading With Eagles and Allen Community Church... Coached by Tom Westerberg at District 9-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Danny and Donna Walton, Justin Daniel Walton was born March 24, 1987, in Lawton, Okla.... Hopes to become veterinarian... Enjoys hunting, fishing, four-wheeling and all sports... Majoring in speech communication.

**59 DANNY WATKINS**

**OT • 6-4 • 310 • JR. • TR • KELOWNA, B.C. (MOUNT BOUCHERIE/BUTTE COLL.)**

Junior college transfer with two total seasons of football experience signed with Baylor in December and participated in spring drills... Canadian native has two seasons of eligibility at Baylor... Penciled in as starter at left tackle following spring practice.

**Junior College (2007 & 2008):** Junior college All-American offensive lineman from Butte College in Oroville, Calif... Canadian with only two seasons of football experience... Rated No. 39 on *Rivals.com*'s junior college top 100 listing... Ranked 56th on SuperPrep's Juco 100 listing... Named 2008 first-team All-America by JC Athletic Bureau as sophomore... Led Butte to perfect 11-0 season and 2008 California Community College Athletic Association championship as sophomore... Unanimous All-NorCal Conference selection at offensive tackle in 2008... Part of Butte line which accounted for 398.3 yards per game in 2008... Named to Region I All-California first team as sophomore... Played in all 22 games as freshman and sophomore at Butte... Tried out for Butte football team after enrolling at school due to interest in the fire academy.

**High School:** Did not play football at Mount Boucherie Secondary... Played hockey and rugby as prep athlete.

**Personal:** Served as part-time firefighter in hometown of Kelowna, British Columbia... Played hockey as youth, did not play football until 2007 at Butte... Son of Todd and Vicki Watkins, Danny William Watkins was born Nov. 6, 1984 in Kelowna, B.C... Majoring in general studies.

**4 JEREMY WILLIAMS**

**S • 5-11 • 210 • SR. • 3L • DALLAS, TEXAS (CARTER HS)**

Fifth-year senior back as starter at 'hero' safety... One of eight Bears to have played at least 33 career games (33)... One of nine returning starters on defense.

**2008 (Junior):** First-string safety played all 12 games and started 10 during junior season in 2008... Totaled 54 tackles, 5.5 tackles for loss, one sack, four breakups, one hurry, one fumble caused and one fumble recovered on season... 5.5 tackles for loss ranked third on team, 54 total stops ranked sixth... Tied career-high of eight tackles, made career-first forced fumble and added one sack (-6 yards) and one breakup in season opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest... Tied career high with eight tackles at Connecticut, added one breakup... Made four tackles, career-high two for losses, and had career-high two PBUs in win over Iowa State in sixth game... Notched six tackles in games at Nebraska (eighth game) and at No. 5 Texas (10th game).

**2007 (Sophomore):** Saw action in 11 games and made four starts as sophomore strong safety... Tied for fifth on squad in tackles for loss with 5.5 stops behind line and tied for 10th in tackles (38)... Also had 1.0 sack... Registered eight multi-tackle games on season with four or more stops five times... Totaled two tackles (one solo) against Oklahoma State in fourth career start... Then-career-high and team co-leading eight tackles (seven solos) with 1.0 tackle for loss at No. 4 Oklahoma in third career start... Had then-career-high tying 1.5 tackles for loss vs. Texas Tech... Tallied five tackles (three solos) and 1.0 tackle for loss at Kansas State... Made six tackles (four solos) vs. No. 19 Texas... Had five tackles (three solos) vs. Colorado... Six tackles (three solos) with then-career-high 1.5 for loss and 1.0 sack vs. Rice in second career start... Totaled one assisted tackle vs. No. 22 TCU in first career start... Played 460 snaps, including season-high 59 plays both at No. 4 Oklahoma and vs. Oklahoma State, to earn second letter.

**2006 (Redshirt Freshman):** Redshirt freshman safety played in 10 games, mainly on special teams... Had fumble recovery vs. Northwestern State and pass breakup at Oklahoma State... Played 82 snaps to earn first Baylor letter... Spring Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**2005 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt year as true freshman.

**High School:** Carter High School, Dallas, Texas... 2004 first-team All-District 9-5A pick as defensive back by *The Dallas Morning News*... Talented two-way player rushed 30 times for 405 yards and scored seven touchdowns as running back and caught four passes for 45 yards... Tallied 85 tackles, three sacks, three forced fumbles and two fumble recoveries in final prep season... As senior, helped team to 10-2 record, district title, Class 5A Division II playoffs and season-ending *Dallas Morning News* No. 4 rank... Had 115 tackles, four sacks, two forced fumbles and two fumble recoveries as junior for 12-1 Carter squad which

captured district title and advanced to Division II regional semifinals... Member of Carter's second-place 4x100-meter and third-place 4x200-meter relay teams at 2005 state meet... Followed former Cowboys Braelon Davis and Chris Evans to Baylor... Graduated with honors and active in Carter student council... Coached by Allen Wilson at District 9-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Dana Williams, Jeremy Damone Williams was born Jan. 4, 1987, in Dallas, Texas... Cousin of Baylor sophomore defensive end Jameon Hardeman... Majoring in speech communication.

**JEREMY WILLIAMS' CAREER STATISTICS**

DEFENSIVE									
YEAR	G/GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2005									
2006	10/0	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/1	1	0-0
2007	11/4	25	13	38	5.5-23	1.0-3	0/0	0	0-0
2008	12/10	28	26	54	5.5-14	1.0-6	1/2	4	0-0
Career	33/14	53	39	92	11.0-37	2.0-9	1/3	5	0-0

**85 STACY WILLIAMS**

**WR • 5-11 • 185 • SO. • SQ • HOUSTON, TEXAS (YATES HS)**

**2008 (Redshirt Freshman):** Played in two games during redshirt freshman season in 2008... Made no receptions on season... Saw action at receiver in second and third games of season, wins over Northwestern State and Washington State, respectively.

**2007 (True Freshman):** Elected to take redshirt year as true freshman... Named to fall Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

**High School:** Yates High School, Houston, Texas... Listed on *Houston Chronicle's* Top 100 Area list ... Named 2006 District 20-4A offensive MVP as senior... Played quarterback, running back, wide receiver and cornerback for 2006 Lions, leading team to 10-3 record overall and 5-1 district mark ...Rushed 110 times for 873 yards, average of 7.9 yards per attempt, with eight touchdowns as senior... Completed 9-of-42 passes with three interceptions for 100 yards and two touchdowns... Caught four passes for 168 yards and one touchdown... 2006 *Texas Football* Top 300 selection... 31 receptions for 611 yards and six touchdowns as junior... All-told scored 10 touchdowns as junior... Coached by Clarence McKinney at District 20-4A school.

**Personal:** Son of Alecia Boone, Stacy Jerome Williams was born Nov. 2, 1988... Majoring in general studies.

**2 TERRANCE WILLIAMS**

**WR • 6-2 • 190 • RFR. • SQ • DALLAS, TEXAS (W.T. WHITE HS)**

Second-year receiver impressed coaches in spring drills, expected to make impact first season in 2009.

**2008 (True Freshman):** Sat out first season at Baylor and participated on practice squad, redshirted to retain eligibility... Earned team's Baylor Offensive Bear Squad award for work on scout team.

**High School:** W.T. White High School, Dallas, Texas... Ranked 78th on *The Dallas Morning News' Area* Top 100 list... Earned first-team District 11-5A honors as both wide receiver and defensive back as senior... Honorable mention 2007 Class 5A all-state selection as wide receiver by Texas Sports Writers Association... Caught 59 passes for 972 yards and eight touchdowns as senior... Received first-team District 11-5A honors after junior season in which caught 30 balls for 615 yards and five touchdowns... Also member of Longhorns' basketball team... Played for coach Joel Evans at District 11-5A school.

**Personal:** Son of Angela F. Brown and Jeff Brown, Terrance Williams was born Sept. 18, 1989, in Dallas, Texas... Majoring in general studies.

**1 KENDALL WRIGHT**

**IR • 5-11 • 185 • SO. • 1L • PITTSBURG, TEXAS (PITTSBURG HS)**

Athletic receiver back for second season after impressive freshman season... Honored as Freshman All-America in 2008 after leading team in all receiving categories... Named 2009 preseason All-Big 12 third-team by Athlon... One of nine returning starters on offense... Played basketball for Baylor during offseason... Vertical leap measured at 40 inches.

**2008 (True Freshman):** True freshman burst on scene immediately, playing all 12 games and leading team in receptions, receiving yards and TD catches... Selected honorable mention Freshman All-America by *CollegeFootballNews.com*... Totaled 50 catches, 649 yards and five touchdowns receiving, as well as 168 yards and one score on 29 rushes for season... Set BU freshman records for receptions (50) and receiving yards (649)... Ranked 21st in Big 12 in both receptions per game (4.2) and average receiving yards (54.1)... One of six true freshmen to play for Baylor in 2008... First-string inside receiver made eight starts... Had two catches for 21 yards and two carries for nine yards in collegiate debut in opener vs. No. 23 Wake Forest... Scored first career touchdown in third game vs. Washington State, on a 10-yard end around... Logged first 100-yard receiving game at Connecticut in fourth game, had 114 yards and career-first TD reception on six catches... Set career-highs for receptions (seven), receiving yards (132) and touchdowns (two, one a 51-yarder) in win over Iowa State in sixth game... Matched career high of seven receptions (80 yards) the following week at No. 8 Oklahoma State... Had a career-high five rushes vs. No. 14 Missouri in ninth game, gained 24 yards... Ran for a career-high 53 yards on four carries at No. 5 Texas in 10th game, including a career-long 34-yard run... Also caught career-long 55-yard TD catch vs. Longhorns... Scored on a PAT catch in season finale at No. 7 Texas Tech... Played for Scott Drew on Baylor basketball squad during offseason... Scored 10 points in 13 games played as reserve guard.

**High School:** Pittsburg High School, Pittsburg, Texas... Three-sport standout earned all-state honors in football, basketball and track as prep... 3-star *Rivals.com* and *Scout.com* recruit... No. 47 on *SuperPrep's* Texas 110 list... Ranked 81st on *The Dallas Morning News' State* Top 100 list... Listed among top 50 recruits on *Waco Tribune-Herald's* Top 100 list... Also listed on both *Fort Worth Star-Telegram's* and *Houston Chronicle's* Texas Top 100... Ranked 35th on *San Antonio Express-News* Texas Top 100... No. 48 on *Austin American-Statesman's* Feb 55 list... Rated nation's 64th-best athlete by *Rivals.com* and is listed 67th by *Scout.com*... Listed among state's Top 20 receivers on *Texas Football* magazine's Texas Top 300... 2007 second-team Class 3A all-state cornerback selection by Texas Sports Writers Association and honorable mention by The Associated Press after registering 33 tackles, five interceptions, four fumble recoveries and pair of defensive touchdowns... *Tyler Morning Telegram* first-team All-East Texas selection as utility player after leading Pittsburg to its first playoff win in some 20 years as senior... Also earned first-team 2007 All-East Texas honors from *Longview News Journal* as cornerback... As Pirates' quarterback in 2007, rushed for 1,069 yards and 15 touchdowns threw for 1,170 yards and nine scores... In both 2006 and 2007, was second-team All-District 16-3A performer as both quarterback and cornerback... As junior, accounted for 26 total touchdowns and passed for 850 yards... Produced quadruple-double on basketball court as senior and averaged 24.5 points, six rebounds, five assists and five steals per game en route to 2007 East Texas Player of Year honors from *Tyler Morning Telegram*... Three-time member of *Tyler Morning Telegram* All-East Texas Team... All-state basketball selection as junior... 2007 Texas Class 3A state long jump (24-0 3/4) and triple jump (48-5 1/4) champion... Captured 2008 Class 3A gold medal in triple jump with meet-record leap of 50-8 3/4 and placed fifth in 3A 100 meters (11.00)... Named to Pittsburg's A-B Honor Roll... Served as youth basketball coach in Pittsburg community... 40-inch vertical jump... Coached by Robert Manley at District 16-3A school.

**Personal:** Son of Kelvin McCain and Tameika Wright, Kendall Wright was born on Nov. 12, 1989, in Mount Pleasant, Texas... Majoring in general studies.

**WRIGHT'S CAREER STATISTICS**

RECEIVING						
YEAR	G/GS	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2008	12/8	50	649	13.0	5	55/at Texas (TD)

Other: RUSHING: 2008: 12-168-1 TD; Career: 12-168-1 TD

## NEWCOMERS

### 74 PHILIP BLAKE

**OG • 6-3 • 275 • SO. • TR**

**BRAMPTON, ONTARIO (CHAMPLAIN REGIONAL PREP/TYLER JC)**

Junior college transfer from Tyler (Texas) Junior College with three years of eligibility... Played freshman season in 2008 at Tyler under head coach Danny Palmer... Earned second-team All-SWJCFC honors on offensive line... Played prep ball at Champlain Regional College in Lennoxville, Quebec... Former teammate at Champlain of current Baylor linebacker Fred Plesius... Graduated from Father Henry Carr Catholic Secondary School in Etobicoke, Ontario in 2005... Son of the late Llewellyn Blake and Patricia Blake... Full name is Philip Anthony Blake... Born Nov. 27, 1985, in Toronto.

**BRILES ON BLAKE:** "Philip is a big, strong, explosive, tough-minded individual with a lot of maturity. We expect him to come in here and immediately compete for a starting position."

### 39 CHANCE CASEY

**CB • 5-11 • 170 • FR. • HS • CROSBY, TEXAS (CROSBY HS)**

Talented dual-sport (football and track & field) athlete at Crosby (Texas) High School will play cornerback at Baylor... A state hurdles champion and star running back who amassed more than 3,000 rushing yards in prep career at Crosby under head coach Kevin Flanigan... National position ranking among running backs: No. 90 by *Scout.com*, No. 113 by *ESPN.com*... Earned first-team All-District 19-4A honors at running back as a senior in 2008... Honored as District 21-4A offensive MVP as a junior in 2007... Led Crosby to 8-3 record, DIII bi-district finals and a 6-1 record in District 21-4A in 2007... Rushed for 1,121 yards and 12 touchdowns as a junior, added 16 receptions for 282 yards and two TDs... As a sophomore ran for 1,030 yards and 15 touchdowns... An exceptional track and field athlete, won Class 4A gold in both 110 and 300 hurdles at the 2008 UIL State Track and Field Championships as a junior with times of 13.87 and 36.32... Qualified for state meet with a 6-8 high jump as a junior... Son of Walter and Elaine Casey... Born March 11, 1991.

**BRILES ON CASEY:** "Chance is extremely athletic. Hopefully will be a state champion in both the 110 and 300-meter hurdles this spring. Chance is going to play cornerback for us. He's a guy who can really run and has great insight. He's a 6'8" high jumper also along with being the nation's top hurdler."

### 35 DENERICK DEMBY

**S • 6-1 • 180 • FR. • HS • SPRING, TEXAS (WESTFIELD HS)**

Safety from Westfield High School in Spring, Texas... Played for head coach Corby Meekins at Westfield... Named to *Houston Chronicle's* Top 100 listing of Texas recruits... Earned second-team All-District 13-5A honors as senior in 2008... Named second-team All-Greater Houston by *The Houston Chronicle*... Named to Houston's Top 100 Footballers in 2009 by *VYPE* magazine... Listed among *The Houston 100* top recruits by *The Houston Chronicle*... Totaled 32 tackles (15 solo), one interception and one fumble recovered in 2008... Played multiple offensive skill positions (including quarterback) as a junior in 2007, as well as the defensive backfield... Helped Mustangs to 10-3 record and DI regional semifinals as well as District 13-5A championship as a junior... Born Jan. 19, 1990.

**BRILES ON DEMBY:** "Denerick is a tough guy. He comes from a great program at Spring Westfield. He's a kid that has great upside. We're going to look at him at safety and believe he will just be a great player for us in the future."

### 48 TEVIN ELLIOT

**LB • 6-3 • 225 • FR. • HS • MOUNT PLEASANT, TEXAS (MOUNT PLEASANT HS)**

All-state linebacker at Mount Pleasant (Texas) High School... Played for head coach Jimmy Thompson at MPHS... National position ranking among outside linebackers: No. 54 by *Scout.com*, No. 73 by *ESPN.com*... Named third-team Class 4A all-state by TSWA and honorable mention Class 4A all-state by APSE following senior season in 2008... First-team All-District 13-4A honoree at inside linebacker as senior after totaling 87 tackles, 12 tackles for loss, five sacks, seven hurries, four forced fumbles, three fumble recoveries, four PBUs and one interception... Earned first-team All-District 11-4A honors as a junior in 2007... Totaled 77 tackles (21 solo), six tackles for loss, three sacks, three fumble recoveries and one interception as a junior... Helped MPHS to a 6-5 record and bi-district finals in 2007... Named 2006 District 11-4A Co-Defensive Newcomer of the Year as sophomore... Former teammate of current Baylor cornerback Trentson Hill at Mount Pleasant... Born May 16, 1991.

**BRILES ON ELLIOTT:** "Tevin is a strong and physical player with great upside. Another East Texas guy which we are proud to keep that pipeline alive. He's got a good chance to be a great player at Baylor."

### 71 MARQUIS FRANKLIN

**OT • 6-7 • 320 • JR. • TR • TYLER, TEXAS (JOHN TYLER HS/BLINN COLLEGE)**

Junior college transfer from Blinn College (Brenham, Texas) with two years of eligibility... Third-ranked junior college offensive tackle by *Scout.com*... Named first-team All-SWJCFC offensive lineman as sophomore in 2008... Helped Blinn to Southwest Junior College Football Conference championship and 9-3 record in 2008... Blinn finished No. 11 in NJCAA poll... Teammate of fellow Baylor signee Byron Landor at Blinn College... As freshman in 2007, graded by coaches at 92 percent and credited with 27 knockdowns... Four-year varsity letterman at John Tyler High School, played for head coach Thomas Brooks... Listed on *Rivals.com* Texas Top 50 out of high school in 2007... Rated No. 86 on *San Antonio Express News* Texas Top 100 out of high school in 2007... Selected honorable mention 5A All-State by Associated Press following senior season in 2006... Named first-team All-District 12-5A as senior... Former teammate at John Tyler of current Baylor receiver Ernest Smith.

**BRILES ON FRANKLIN:** "What can you say? If you like 6'7", 320 then you like Marquis. He's got great feet. He's from a great program out of John Tyler. We expect him to come in here with the ability to start as soon as he gets on campus."



## 24 TERRANCE GANAWAY

RB • 6-0 • 245 • SO. • TR

**DEKALB, TEXAS (DEKALB HS/HOUSTON/TEXARKANA COLLEGE)**

Former University of Houston letterman played under Briles during 2007 season... Transferred to Texarkana (Texas) College last fall and did not participate in football during 2008 season (retains three seasons of eligibility beginning in 2009)... Rushed for 550 yards and scored six touchdowns as a true freshman at UH in 2007; helping Cougars to a Texas Bowl bid... One of only two true freshmen to play for Cougars in 2007... Played in all 13 games and earned one start... Was second-leading rusher with 550 yards on 109 carries, and ranked third on the team with six rushing TDs... Tied for Houston's longest rush of the season, a 60-yarder against Texas Southern... Tallied a season-high 122 yards and two touchdowns in only 10 rushes vs. TSU... Scored eventual game-winning touchdown midway through fourth quarter on 1-yard run at UTEP... A two-time Class 2A offensive player of the year at DeKalb (Texas) High School, played under head coach Buddy Ray... Named Team Texas Overall "Most Outstanding Running Back" (all classifications) by *TexasHSFootball.com* as senior in 2006... Team Texas Overall first-team honoree (all classifications) by *TexasHSFootball.com*... Named APSE Class 2A Texas Offensive Player of the Year as a senior after rushing for 2,815 yards on 320 carries (8.4-yard average) and 36 touchdowns as a senior at DHS in 2006... First-team all-state selection by APSE and TWSA after leading DeKalb to a 10-2 record and the DI regional semifinals (perfect 6-0 mark in District 15-2A)... Finished stellar prep career with 6,587 yards rushing which ranked 26th all time in Texas high school history at time of graduation... Scored 78 career touchdowns, 73 rushing... Posted three games of 300-plus yards as a senior, 417 on 46 rushes vs. Clarksville, 344 on 27 rushes vs. San Augustine and 317 on 26 rushes vs. Honey Grove... Scored a season-high six TDs against Clarksville... Earned the 2A Built Ford Tough Texas High School Player of the Week honor Nov. 11, 2006, during senior season... Ran for 2,403 yards and 22 touchdowns as a junior in 2005... Named APSE Class 2A Texas Offensive Player of the Year and first-team all-state following junior season... Also played basketball and was a four-year regional qualifier in track and field... Member of National Honor Society and Student Council... Son of Joe and Charlor Ganaway... Full name is Terrance Omar Ganaway... Born Oct. 7, 1988, in New Boston, Texas... Uncle is NFL veteran Jeremiah Trotter.

**BRILES ON GANAWAY:** "Of course I know Terrance from our Houston days. He was a great high school running back. He's a great individual who is very physical. He has light feet and is a complete team player. He'll be a positive addition for us this fall."

## 12 JOSH GORDON

WR • 6-4 • 210 • FR. • HS • HOUSTON, TEXAS (LAMAR HS)

Standout receiver at Lamar High School in Houston... Led head coach Tom Nolen's Redskins to 8-2 record and second round of Regional III DI playoffs as senior in 2008, including 4-1 record in District 20-5A... National position ranking among wide receivers: No. 70 by *Rivals.com*, No. 127 by *ESPN.com* and No. 224 by *Scout.com*... No. 63 recruit in Texas according to *Superprep/Scout.com*... Ranked No. 89 on *Rivals.com's* Texas 100, 11th rated wide receiver... Named to *Houston Chronicle's* Top 100 listing of Texas recruits... Named to *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* State Top 100 recruiting list... Named to Houston's Top 100 Footballers in 2009 by *VYPE* magazine... Listed among The Houston 100 top recruits by *Houston Chronicle*... Named first-team All-District 20-5A after totaling 25 receptions for 531 yards (21.2 average) and nine touchdowns as senior... Also scored two rushing touchdowns, averaged 15 yards on seven carries... Named to all-combine offensive team at 2008 U.S. Army All-American Combine... Named to *Texas Football's* 2008 first team Super Team prior to senior season... Led Lamar to 10-2 record, DI area finals and 7-0 District 20-5A championship as junior in 2007... Caught 20 passes for 363 yards and four TDs as junior... Former teammate of current Baylor defensive end Tracy Robertson at Lamar... Played basketball at Lamar as sophomore... On LHS 4x100 squad in track senior season... Full name is Joshua Caleb Gordon... Son of Herald and Elaine Gordon... Born April 13, 1991, in Houston.

**BRILES ON GORDON:** "You know Josh is a guy that we had rated up at the top all spring and summer through the fall. We think he has great upside. He's a big, strong, physical kid with big hands. He plays under control and we really feel like he will be a great receiver here at Baylor."

## 49 DEANTRE HARLAN

DE • 6-4 • 240 • FR. • HS • EVERMAN, TEXAS (EVERMAN HS)

Helped lead Everman (Texas) High School to a 14-1 record and the Division II semifinals as a senior in 2008... Played under head coach Dale Keeling at EHS, which finished a perfect 7-0 en route to 2008 District 8-4A championship... Earned second-team All-District 8-4A honors at tight end as senior... Finished with 11 receptions for 283 yards (25.7 average) and four touchdowns offensively and 22 tackles (17 solo), two sacks and one fumble recovery as a defensive tackle in 2008... Named second-team All-District 8-4A as junior wide receiver in 2007 on Everman squad that finished 14-1 and 7-0 in District 8-4A... Born Dec. 20, 1990.

**BRILES ON HARLAN:** "He's exactly what we'd like to find inside, a big physical kid who has a tremendous amount of ability. He's 6'4", 240, and not only a great football player but a great basketball player. He shoots the 3's, handles the ball, does all those kinds of things. So he's a guy we are very excited to see when he locks in on a football how much of a complete player that he can be for us."

## 17 MIKE HICKS

S • 5-11 • 180 • FR. • HS • CHINA SPRING, TEXAS (CHINA SPRING HS)

All-purpose, all-state performer at nearby China Spring (Texas) High School... Finished prep career No. 2 in career receiving yards in Texas high school history with 228 receptions for 4,328 yards and 41 touchdowns... Four-year varsity letterman for head coach Mark Bell at CSHS... All-state honoree at two positions as a senior in 2008: second-team Class 3A selection at receiver and third-team selection at kick returner... Senior stats: caught 45 passes for 926 yards and 12 TDs, rushed 91 times for 619 yards and 11 touchdowns, returned seven kickoffs for 312 yards and two touchdowns, on defense totaled 88 tackles and 4 interceptions... Helped lead China Spring to 12-1 record and the Class 3A DI Region I final... 2008 *Waco Tribune-Herald* first-team Super Centex selection... Amassed 278 all-purpose yards and two touchdowns on eight touches and added an interception in win over Robinson... Named District 7-3A MVP as senior... Participated in the 2008 U.S. Army All-American Combine... Earned first-team Class 3A All-State honors at receiver by TSWA as junior in 2007... Two-way first-team All-District 17-3A selection in 2007: first-team receiver, first-team safety as well as second-team returner... Helped lead China Spring to 3A Division II state championship and 14-2 record in 2007... Totaled 89 catches for 806 yards (20.7 average) and eight touchdowns as a junior, added 309 yards and six TDs on 58 rushes... Named first-team All-District 17-3A as utility player as sophomore in 2006 on 8-3 CSHS squad... Honorable mention selection to *Waco Tribune-Herald* Super Centex Team as sophomore... Made 39 catches for 806 yards and eight touchdowns in 2006... In breakout freshman season in 2005, earned honorable mention Class 3A All-State honors as receiver by TSWA, named Super Centex Offensive Newcomer of the Year by *Waco Tribune-Herald* and named District 17-3A Offensive Newcomer of the Year... Caught 55 passes for 1,133 yards and nine TDs as freshman... Honorable mention 2007 Super Centex All-Academic Team... Member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes... Son of Michael Hicks and Monica Hicks-Albers and Tom Albers... Full name is Michael E. Hicks... Born Oct. 23, 1990, in Tyler, Texas.

**BRILES ON HICKS:** "Mike is a local kid from over in China Spring that has just had a tremendous career on both sides of the ball and special teams. They have a great program over there with Coach (Mark) Bell and Mike is going to play safety for us. He's very intelligent and very intense. He's a player that is kind of like a lot of us - he has a lot to prove. We are excited about getting him on campus."

**53 STEFAN HUBER****OG • 6-5 • 270 • FR. • HS • NEDERLAND, TEXAS (NEDERLAND HS)**

All-state guard from Nederland (Texas) High School... Played for Larry Neumann at NHS... National position ranking among offensive guards: No. 65 by *ESPN.com*, No. 68 by *Rivals.com* and No. 130 by *Scout.com*... Named second-team Class 4A All-State by *TexasPrepInsider.com* following senior season in 2008... Earned first-team All-District 22-4A distinction as a senior... Helped lead Nederland to a 7-3 record and bi-district finals as junior in 2007... Named first-team All-District 22-4A as junior... Threw discus for NHS track and field team as junior and senior, qualified for region as junior in 2008... Member of National Society of High School Scholars... Son of Tighe and Carolyn Huber... Father Tighe played football at the University of Texas... Full name is Stefan Reid Huber... Born Oct. 10, 1989, in San Antonio.

**BRILES ON HUBER:** "Stefan is just a big powerful kid with great upside. He's another addition to what we feel like is probably the best offensive line class that I've ever been associated with. He has tremendous upside and tremendous family."

**17 WILLIE JEFFERSON****WR • 6-6 • 210 • FR. • HS • BEAUMONT, TEXAS (OZEN HS)**

Two-sport star at Ozen High School in Beaumont, Texas... Played football under head coach Ishan Rison... Named second-team 4A all-state by *TexasPrep* following senior season in 2008... A first-team All-District 20-4 selection and *Port Arthur News* Super Team selection at wide receiver as a senior... National position ranking among wide receivers: No. 62 by *ESPN.com* and No. 120 by *Scout.com*... Credited with 13 receptions for 130 yards as a junior in 2007... Scored 11 touchdowns on the junior varsity as a sophomore in 2006... Starred on the Panthers basketball team, earning District 22-4A Defensive Player of the Year honor following junior season in 2007-08... Member of Ozen's 4A state finalist basketball squad in 2006-07, averaged 12 points and eight rebounds and was named the District 22-4A Defensive Player of the Year... Born Jan. 3, 1991.

**BRILES ON JEFFERSON:** "When we started the process of recruiting a year ago we knew we wanted to get a tall receiver for this class, Willie fits that bill. He is a legit 6'6" guy that can jump. We really feel like he can be a great playmaker for us and create mismatches for us through the years. He's a very engaging individual that has an understanding of what it takes to have a chance to succeed and achieve. He's very mature with his mind process at this stage of his life and is going to be a very welcome addition to our football family."

**7 DARIUS JONES****IR • 6-0 • 180 • FR. • HS • MARSHALL, TEXAS (MARSHALL HS)**

Top-100 national recruit starred at Marshall (Texas) High School... All-purpose player at MHS under head coach Thedrick Harris (played quarterback, wide receiver and cornerback as senior)... Rated the No. 77 recruit nationally on ESPN 150 list by *ESPN.com*, the fifth-ranked "athlete" nationally... National position ranking among "athletes": No. 5 by *ESPN.com*, No. 30 by *Rivals.com* and No. 30 by *Scout.com*... No. 62 recruit in Texas according to *Superprep/Scout.com*... Ranked No. 62 on *Rivals.com's* Texas 100, the fourth-rated "athlete"... A *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* State Top 100 recruit... Named to *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* State Top 100 recruiting list... A *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 selection... Earned 2008 first-team All-District 13-4A honors as kick returner and second team honors as quarterback as senior... Named to *Longview News-Journal* All-East Texas first-team as a utility player... Ran for 784 yards and seven touchdowns on 88 carries, threw for 354 yards and two TDs (27-58) and caught 11 passes for 100 yards as senior... Helped Marshall to 7-5 record and DII regional semifinals as junior in 2007... Named 2007 District 12-4A Offensive MVP... Rushed for 632 yards on 100 carries (6.3 average) and five touchdowns and threw for 633 yards and six touchdowns as junior... Earned 2006 second-team All-District 12-4A recognition as sophomore receiver... Ran for 452 yards and two TDs on 37 carries (12.2 average) and caught 19 passes for 437 yards and three touchdowns in 2006.

**BRILES ON JONES:** "DJ is an impact player. He very likely will win state in the long jump and the triple jump. He also has good chance of winning the 100 meters. He's a kid that we are very excited about getting to Baylor to play inside receiver, slot position. He brings a dynamic quality to the table."

**18 BYRON LANDOR****S • 6-1 • 210 • JR. • TR • LAKE CHARLES, LA. (WASHINGTON-MARION HS/BLINN COLL.)**

Junior college transfer from Blinn College (Brenham, Texas) with two years of eligibility... Ranked 99th on SuperPrep's Juco 100 listing... Listed on *Rivals.com's* Junior College Top 100 ranking, at No. 100... Named first-team All-SWJCFC offensive lineman as sophomore in 2008... Helped Blinn to Southwest Junior College Football Conference championship and 9-3 record in 2008... Blinn finished No. 11 in NJCAA poll... Totaled 102 tackles, one interception and one fumble recovery as sophomore... Teammate of fellow Baylor signee Marquis Franklin at Blinn College... Signed National Letter of Intent with McNeese State out of high school, but transferred from school and never played... Prepped at Washington-Marion High School in Lake Charles, La., under head coach John Jenkins... Earned all-district honors as wide receiver and defensive back at WMHS... Credited with 24 solo tackles and three interceptions as senior in 2006... Also lettered in basketball... Born Aug. 27, 1988.

**BRILES ON LANDOR:** "Byron is a guy that when you immediately meet him, you understand what he's all about. He's extremely focused. He has a mission, a plan, a goal and knows how to obtain each one of them. So he's a guy that brings a lot of maturity to the table at the safety position and has had a tremendous JC career and will have an immediate impact here at Baylor."

**98 TERRANCE LLOYD****DE • 6-4 • 230 • FR. • HS • HOUSTON, TEXAS (STRATFORD HS)**

Two-time first-team all-district selection at defensive end at Stratford High School in Houston... Played under head coach Eliot Allen at SHS... National position ranking among defensive ends: No. 36 *Scout.com*, No. 46 by *Rivals.com*, No. 112 by *ESPN.com*... Named to the *Houston Chronicle's* Top 100 listing of Texas recruits... A *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* State Top 100 recruit... Named to *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* State Top 100 recruiting list... Listed among The Houston 100 top recruits by *Houston Chronicle*... Named to Houston's Top 100 Footballers in 2009 by *VYPE* magazine... Earned first-team All-District 18-5A honors at defensive end following senior season in 2008... Named a second-team All-Greater Houston honoree by *VYPE* magazine... Led Stratford to a 9-4 record and the regional semifinals as a junior in 2007... Was named first-team All-District 19-5A after recording 95 tackles, eight sacks and five tackles for loss as a junior... Member of Stratford's District 18-5A championship team in 2006 that finished 7-0 in district play and 10-2 overall... Born Sept. 9, 1990.

**BRILES ON LLOYD:** "Terrance is a big, long, defensive end. He has great upside. He's explosive, quick and powerful. His body type fits what we are looking for at that position. He comes from a great family structure so we are very excited and feel blessed to be a part of his extended family."

## 8 GLASCO MARTIN

**RB • 6-1 • 200 • FR. • HS • ROUND ROCK, TEXAS (STONY POINT HS)**

All-purpose runner from Stony Point High School in Round Rock, Texas... Three-year letterman at SPHS under head coach Craig Chessher... National position ranking among wide receivers: No. 26 by *Rivals.com*, No. 108 by *ESPN.com* and No. 140 by *Scout.com*... Ranked No. 37 on *Rivals.com* Texas 100, the third-rated "athlete"... Named to the *Houston Chronicle's* Top 100 listing of Texas recruits... Named to *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* State Top 100 recruiting list... A *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 selection... Ranked 12th on *Rivals.com's* 2009 Central Texas Top 25 listing... Led Stony Point to a 13-2 record and the 2008 5A state semifinals as a senior... Honorable mention 2008 APSE Class 5A all-state selection as senior... Named first-team 2008 All-District 16-5A running back... Rushed for 1,613 yards and 25 touchdowns on 293 carries (5.5 average) and caught 14 passes for 180 yards and two TDs as senior... Honorable mention 2008 All-Class 5A Central Texas selection... Had 193 yards rushing and three touchdowns on 32 carries in win over Round Rock... Rated No. 8 top performer by *Rivals.com* at Texas 7-on-7 Championship in summer 2008... Helped SPHS to 9-3 record and DII area finals as junior wide receiver in 2007... Totaled 17 catches for 300 yards and three touchdowns and added 120 yards and three TDs rushing as junior... Son of Glasco III and Lavernita Martin... Full name is Glasco Kayle Martin IV... Born April 14, 1991, in Boynton Beach, Fla.

**BRILES ON MARTIN:** "I think Glasco's potential is unlimited. He's a physical, quick and intelligent player. We think Glasco will really get big and really get powerful as a running back. We're very excited about having him at Baylor and think the future is extremely bright for him."

## 34 CHRIS McALLISTER

**LB • 6-2 • 225 • FR. • HS • CONVERSE, TEXAS (JUDSON HS)**

Three-year starter at Judson High School in Converse, Texas... National position ranking among outside linebackers: No. 53 by *Scout.com*, No. 82 by *Rivals.com* and No. 150 by *ESPN.com*... A *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 selection... Played for victorious South squad in 2009 THSCA All-Star game last summer, totaled seven tackles and a 7-yard TD catch on goal-line play... Led head coach Jim Rackley's Rockets to 8-3 record and District 27-5A championship in 2008... 2008 District 27-5A Defensive MVP as senior... First-team *San Antonio Express-News* All-Area 5A selection as senior... Totaled 112 tackles, six tackles for loss, two sacks and three fumble recoveries as senior... Helped Judson to an 11-5 mark and the 2007 5A state championship game as junior... Earned third-team 5A All-State honors in 2007... Made 145 tackles, 10 tackles for loss, five sacks and one interception as junior... *San Antonio Express-News* All-Area 5A selection as junior... Moved from defensive end to linebacker during junior season... Teammate at Judson of fellow Baylor signee Anthony Moore... Son of Gerald and Karen McAllister... Born March 3, 1991.

**BRILES ON McALLISTER:** "Another guy that is just a great individual. Chris is a great football player, a great person that has explosive power and will have a tremendous benefit for us here at Baylor."

## 47 LeQUINCE McCALL

**LB • 6-2 • 200 • FR. • HS • SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS (RONALD REAGAN HS)**

Defensive standout at Ronald Reagan High School in San Antonio... Led head coach David Wetzel's Rattlers to District 26-5A championship as senior in 2008... Earned first-team All-District 26-5A honors as defensive back as senior... Credited with more than 130 tackles as senior... Earned second-team *San Antonio Express-News* All-Area 5A honors... Helped Reagan to 11-3 record and 2007 DI quarterfinals as junior... Totaled 137 tackles and six interceptions as junior... Son of Anthony Smith and Marlene Smith... Born Aug. 6, 1991.

**BRILES ON McCALL:** "LeQuince is an outside linebacker who played safety. He's a guy we are going to move down, to bring a little more speed and dynamic qualities to that position. He can run and hit and is extremely confident. Chris is going to be a great addition for us."

## 20 JEROD MONK

**TE • 6-5 • 245 • FR. • HS • WYLIE, TEXAS (WYLIE HS)**

High school quarterback recruited to play tight end at Baylor... Played for head coach Bill Howard at Wylie (Texas) High School... Rated the 87th-best recruit in the Metroplex by The *Dallas Morning News*, the No. 5 "athlete"... Played for North squad in 2009 THSCA All-Star game last summer, had three receptions for 40 yards... Led Wylie to a 13-3 record and the 2008 5A DII state championship game as a senior... Named first-team All-District 8-5A quarterback as a senior after throwing for 2,820 yards and 21 touchdowns (227-372, 7 interceptions)... Also ran for 892 yards and 11 TDs as a senior... Earned second-team All-Area honors at quarterback by The *Dallas Morning News*... Was named the *The Dallas Morning News* SportsDay Offensive Player of the Week as well as the *TexasFootball.com* 5A Player of the Week after throwing for 340 yards and four touchdowns in a 39-36 win over Plano East... Earned second-team All-District 9-5A honors at quarterback as a junior in 2007... Threw for 1,822 yards and nine touchdowns (168-304, 9 interceptions) and ran for 294 yards and eight TDs as a junior... Threw six passes as a backup quarterback as a sophomore in 2006.

**BRILES ON MONK:** "Big Daddy Jerod is a huge, tough, mean, confident player who will play tight end for us. He led his high school team to the state finals at quarterback, so he's a guy that believes and achieves. He's a guy that's got to be ready to play pretty quickly."

## 23 ANTHONY MOORE

**S • 6-3 • 205 • FR. • HS • CONVERSE, TEXAS (JUDSON HS)**

Safety from Judson High School in Converse, Texas... National position ranking among safeties: No. 138 by *Scout.com* and No. 163 by *ESPN.com*... Played for head coach Jim Rackley at Converse... Injured in third game of senior season, CHS finished 8-3 and 2008 District 27-5A champions... Totaled 33 tackles in three games played as senior... Helped Judson to an 11-5 mark and the 2007 5A state championship game as junior... Credited with 179 tackles (89 solo), five tackles for loss, one interception, three forced fumbles, two hurries, nine pass break-ups and one blocked kick as junior... Played safety and quarterback for Judson junior varsity... Teammate at Judson of fellow Baylor signee Chris McAllister... Member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes... Son of Brian and La'Sheene Moore... Full name is Anthony Keith Moore... Born Dec. 29, 1990, in Corpus Christi, Texas.

**BRILES ON MOORE:** "Anthony is a big, rangy safety with great upside. He's another guy we really feel excited about being on campus and what he can bring to the table."

## 91 KELVIN PALMER

**DE • 6-5 • 285 • FR. • HS • DALLAS, TEXAS (W. H. ADAMSON HS)**

Defensive lineman from W.H. Adamson High School in Dallas... National position ranking: No. 57 by *Rivals.com* among strongside defensive ends; No. 76 by *Scout.com* and No. 134 by *ESPN.com* among defensive tackles... Ranked the 79th-best recruit in the Metroplex by The *Dallas Morning News*, the No. 12 defensive lineman... Named to *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* State Top 100 recruiting list... Played for head coach Andy Gutierrez at Adamson... 2008 first-team All-District 11-4A honoree as a senior... Invited to 2007 All-American Bowl Game Classic... Averaged 11.4 points and 9.2 rebounds as junior forward on Adamson basketball team... Did not play football (basketball letterman) at Duncanville before transferring to Adamson prior to junior season... Son of Regina Palmer... Born Oct. 23, 1990.

**BRILES ON PALMER:** "Kelvin is a big, strong defensive end. He moves well and is a great, tough competitor. He's a good basketball player, a guy that brings some athleticism to the table. We're very glad to have him on board."

**BRYCE PETTY**

**QB • 6-3 • 215 • FR. • HS • MIDLOTHIAN, TEXAS (MIDLOTHIAN HS)**  
 Standout quarterback at Midlothian (Texas) High School under head coach Robby Clark... National position ranking among quarterbacks: No. 25 by *Rivals.com*, No. 35 by *Scout.com* and No. 54 by *ESPN.com*... Ranked No. 55 on The *Dallas Morning News*' top 100 recruits in the state (the No. 2 quarterback)... A *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* State Top 100 recruit... Part of gold-medal winning USA Football Junior National Team at 2009 IFAF Junior World Championship last summer (along with fellow BU signee Tevin Reese)... Named to JWC All-Tournament second team after leading USA to three lopsided wins... Totaled 382 yards and six TDs on 25-for-30 passing with no interceptions during tournament (including perfect 14-for-14, three-TD performance in gold medal game)... Earned second-team All-District 16-4A honors as senior in 2008, missed some action due to injury... Threw for 1,507 yards and four touchdowns (134-222, 8 interceptions) and ran for 166 yards and five TDs as a senior... Named first-team All-District 15-4A as a junior in 2007... Threw for 2,042 yards and 16 TDs as a junior, rushed for 101 yards and five touchdowns... Named the District 15-4A offensive sophomore of the year after throwing for 979 yards and four touchdowns in 2006... Son of Todd and Dena Petty... Born May 31, 1991.

**BRILES ON PETTY:** "Bryce is a big strong physical kid. He played quarterback for Midlothian this fall and did a great job of leading that team. He's a guy that we believe has the ability to come in here and play a couple of positions for us - certainly quarterback being one of them. We are excited to get him and I'm excited to watch him grow as an athlete. We are really proud to get him on board and be a Baylor Bear."

**TEVIN REESE**

**WR • 5-11 • 160 • FR. • HS • TEMPLE, TEXAS (TEMPLE HS)**  
 Dual-sport athlete excelled in football and track & field at Temple (Texas) High School... National position ranking among wide receivers: No. 109 by *Scout.com* and No. 169 by *ESPN.com*... Played for head coach Bryce Mosen at Temple... Named second-team All-District 12-5A wide receiver as a senior in 2008... Part of gold-medal winning USA Football Junior National Team at 2009 IFAF Junior World Championship last summer (along with fellow BU signee Bryce Petty)... Was second-leading receiver for Team USA, totaling eight catches for 105 yards and one TD in three lopsided wins (also averaged 32.0 yards on kick returns)... Led the Wildcats with 542 yards and three touchdowns on 31 receptions as senior... Also totaled 391 yards on 17 kick returns and two rushes for 26 yards and a TD... Helped lead Temple to 7-4 record, bi-district finals and District 13-5A championship in 2007... Earned honorable mention All-District 13-5A honors as junior... Ran for an 85-yard kickoff return for touchdown in season-opening win over South Garland... In Temple's run-oriented offense totaled seven receptions in 2007... Track standout qualified for Class 5A state meet in triple jump and long jump as junior, earned bronze medal in 300-meter hurdles at 37.65 seconds... Named one of top 50 area athletes for 2007-08 school year by the *Austin American-Statesman*... Set school records in triple jump, long jump and 300-meter hurdles as junior... Honorable mention selection to 2008 Super Centex All-Academic Team... Son of Ruby Reese... Full name is Tevin Karnell Reese... Born Jan. 2, 1991, in Temple, Texas.

**BRILES ON REESE:** "I think Tevin might be the sleeper out of this class. He comes out of a storied program at Temple High School. The kid can run - he'll have the opportunity to be the 5A state champion in the intermediate hurdles, I'd be surprised if he's not - and he's hungry and anxious to play at the Big 12 level. We like the attitude and the athletic ability that he brings to us."

**68 CYRIL RICHARDSON**

**OT • 6-6 • 305 • FR. • HS • FORT WORTH, TEXAS (NORTH CROWLEY HS)**  
 Offensive tackle from North Crowley High School in Fort Worth, Texas... National position ranking among offensive tackles: No. 62 by *Scout.com*, No. 63 by *ESPN.com* and No. 90 by *Rivals.com*... Ranked the 80th-best recruit in the Metroplex by The *Dallas Morning News*, the No. 11 offensive lineman... Played for head coach Mike Papas at North Crowley... Named first-team All-District 3-5A as senior in 2008... Born Dec. 27, 1990.

**BRILES ON RICHARDSON:** "Cyril is a big kid - a tremendously gifted individual with a great upside. He's another member of this really talented offensive line class we signed. He's a guy that once again we are very excited about having on campus and watching him mature through the years with Kaz (Kazadi) and our strength training program."

**73 JERAMIE ROBERTS**

**OG • 6-4 • 315 • FR. • HS • GARLAND, TEXAS (SOUTH GARLAND HS)**  
 Three-year starter at South Garland High School in Garland, Texas... National position ranking among offensive guards: No. 17 by *ESPN.com*, No. 37 by *Rivals.com* and No. 42 by *Scout.com*... Ranked No. 84 on the *Dallas Morning News*' top 100 recruits in state, the seventh offensive lineman... No. 90 recruit in Texas according to *Superprep/Scout.com*... Named to the *Houston Chronicle*'s Top 100 listing of Texas recruits... A *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* State Top 100 recruit... A *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 selection... Ranked the 44th-best recruit in the Metroplex by The *Dallas Morning News*, the No. 7 offensive lineman... Played for head coach Keith Wright at South Garland... Credited with 12 pancakes on offense as senior... Defensively totaled 81 tackles (39 solo), seven sacks, 13 hurries, two forced fumbles and three fumbles recovered as senior... Helped lead South Garland to 10-2 record and 2007 District 10-5A championship as junior... Earned second-team All-District 10-5A honors as defensive tackle as junior... Named to Region II Super Team by *TexasFootball.com*... Former teammate at South Garland of current Baylor quarterback Nick Florence... Son of Clarence and Melanie Roberts... Born May 3, 1990.

**BRILES ON ROBERTS:** "Jeramie is a big, powerful, inside player. He's strong and intelligent and we are anxious to see how he matures through the years. He's a guy who will come in, find a way to get stronger and more intense, and will find a way to blend with everybody on campus."

**81 SKYLER SCOTT**

**WR • 6-3 • 195 • FR. • HS • LANCASTER, TEXAS (LANCASTER HS)**  
 Talented receiver from Lancaster (Texas) High School... National position ranking among wide receivers: No. 52 by *ESPN.com*, No. 58 by *Scout.com* and No. 77 by *Rivals.com*... Ranked No. 89 on The *Dallas Morning News*' top 100 recruits in the state, the No. 10 wide receiver... No. 89 recruit in Texas according to *Superprep/Scout.com*... Named to *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* State Top 100 recruiting list... A *Waco Tribune-Herald* Top 100 selection... Ranked the 47th-best recruit in the Metroplex by The *Dallas Morning News*, the No. 7 wide receiver... Helped lead head coach Andrew Jackson's Lancaster squad to a 7-5 record as senior in 2008... Earned first-team All-District 15-4A honors after catching 34 passes for 588 yards and five touchdowns as senior... Played for Laredo United High School as junior in 2007... Earned All-District 29-5A honors on both sides of the ball as junior: first-team wide receiver and second-team defensive back... Offensively had 43 receptions for 744 yards and 12 touchdowns as well as 55 rushing yards on 13 carries, defensively totaled eight tackles and three interceptions as junior... As sophomore played wide receiver for Lancaster squad that finished 8-4... Born Feb. 15, 1990.

**BRILES ON SCOTT:** "Skyler came to our camp last summer and did a great job. He has great upside, he really has a lot of belief in himself. He's a fearless player and we're anxious to see how he develops through the years."

## 13 BRODY TRAHAN

**QB • 6-1 • 210 • FR. • HS • DICKINSON, TEXAS (DICKINSON HS)**

Prolific passer and all-around athlete from Dickinson (Texas) High School... National position ranking: No. 73 by *Scout.com* among safeties and No. 84 by *ESPN.com* among quarterbacks... Threw for 3,638 yards in prolific prep career... Played for father, head coach Warren Trahan, at DHS... Suffered season-ending knee injury in fifth game of senior year in 2008... Finished with 854 yards and 10 touchdowns (52-81, two interceptions) passing and 336 yards and five TDs rushing on 49 carries as senior... Dickinson finished 2008 season 9-3, advanced to 5A DII regional finals... In injury-shortened junior season threw for 700 yards and eight TDs (50-86, one interception) for DHS team that finished 8-3 and advanced to 4A DI bi-district finals... As sophomore in 2006, threw for 1,807 yards and 23 touchdowns (122-231) passing and had 605 yards and eight TDs rushing on 116 carries... Named Ford Athlete of the Week after throwing for 271 yards and 3 TDs in 28-24 win over Clear Brook (Oct. 10), including 27-yard game-winning TD... Teammate at Dickinson of fellow Baylor signee Ivory Wade... Earned honorable mention 2008 Academic All-State from THSCA/State Farm... Also played centerfield on DHS baseball team as sophomore and ran track as freshman... Son of Warren and Cindy Trahan... Full name is Brody Lee Trahan... Born Dec. 12, 1989, in Houston... Nephew of Baylor Assistant Director of Football Operations Beau Trahan.

**BRILES ON TRAHAN:** "Brody was a high school quarterback who we recruited as an athlete. He can play quarterback, play receiver, punt the football - there's a lot of things he brings to the table. He will be a leader for us on and off the football field. He has a very dynamic personality that exudes confidence into other people so we are proud to have him as a member of our team."

## 76 IVORY WADE

**OG • 6-5 • 315 • FR. • HS • DICKINSON, TEXAS (DICKINSON HS)**

All-American offensive lineman from Dickinson (Texas) High School... Named *SuperPrep* All-America, listed as No. 40 offensive lineman nationally... Included on Rivals250 national recruiting list, ranked 244th recruit in the nation... National position ranking among offensive guards: No. 9 by *Rivals.com*, No. 14 by *Scout.com* and No. 34 by *ESPN.com*... Invited to 2008 Offense-Defense All-America Bowl following senior season... Played for the West in the 2009 Offense-Defense All-American Bowl... Ranked No. 27 on the Austin American-Statesman Texas Fabulous 55 List... No. 29 recruit in Texas according to *Superprep/Scout.com*... Ranked No. 30 on *Rivals.com*'s Texas 100, the fourth-rated offensive lineman... Named to Texas top 100 lists by following publications: *Houston Chronicle*, *Fort Worth Star-Telegram*, *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* and *Waco Tribune-Herald*... Named to Houston's Top 100 Footballers in 2009 by *VYPE* magazine... Listed among The Houston 100 top recruits by the *Houston Chronicle*... Led head coach Warren Trahan's 2008 Dickinson squad to a 9-3 record and 5A DII regional finals and earned first-team All-District 24-5A honors as senior... Led DHS to 8-3 record and 4A bi-district finals in 2007 and earned first-team All-District 23-4A honors as junior... Teammate at Dickinson of fellow Baylor signee Brody Trahan... Son of Pamela Ragin... Born May 3, 1991.

**BRILES ON WADE:** "Ivory is a powerful, big, strong player. He's intelligent, intense, dedicated, focused and driven. He has a lot of great characteristics that we look for. He's an extremely passionate young man that really is easily liked. He has a great personality but is also a great football player."

**2008 BAYLOR FOOTBALL HONORS****JAMES BARNARD**

All-Big 12, honorable mention (AP)  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**TREY BRYANT**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**KRYS BUERCK**

Academic All-Big 12, 2nd team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**RODNEY CHADWICK**

Baylor Defensive Bear Squad award

**CASEY COOPER**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**DOMINIQUE CRISS**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**TYLER DELOACH**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**TAYLOR DOUTHIT**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**DEREK EPPERSON**

Guy Award semifinalist  
All-Big 12, 2nd team (*KC Star, Waco Tribune-Herald*)  
All-Big 12, 3rd team (*Phil Steele*)  
All-Big 12, honorable mention (coaches, AP)  
Academic All-Big 12, 1st team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**JUSTIN FENTY**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**TY FINDLEY**

Academic All-Big 12, 1st team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**JAY FINLEY**

All-Texas, 2nd team (Dave Campbell *Texas Football*)  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**KIRBY FREEMAN**

Baylor Kyle Woods award

**DAN GAY**

All-Big 12, honorable mention (coaches)  
East-West Shrine Game  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**ROBERT GRIFFIN**

Freshman All-America, 1st team (*Sporting News, Rivals.com*)  
Freshman All-America, 2nd team (*Phil Steele*)  
Freshman All-America, honorable mention (*CFM*)  
Big 12 Offensive Freshman of the Year (coaches)  
Big 12 Offensive Newcomer of the Year (AP, *KC Star, FWST, Houston Chronicle*)  
Big 12 Newcomer of the Year (*ESPN.com, SAEN*)  
Big 12 Freshman of the Year (*Sporting News, Rivals, DMN*)  
Big 12 Top Offensive Freshman (*Waco Tribune-Herald*)  
Big 12 Offensive Player of the Week (9-15)  
Baylor Offensive MVP award  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**BEN HIXSON**

Academic All-Big 12, 1st team

**JAKE JACKSON**

Baylor Offensive Bear Squad award  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**AHMAD JENKINS**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**ANTONIO JONES**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**JACOBY JONES**

Academic All-Big 12, 1st team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**JENNER JONES**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**ANDREW JUDY**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**TYLER KING**

Academic All-Big 12, 1st team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**JOE KORBEL**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**JAKE LA MAR**

Academic All-Big 12, 2nd team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**JORDAN LAKE**

2008 Jim Thorpe Award watch list  
All-Big 12, 1st team (coaches, AP, *SAEN, FWST, Waco Tribune-Herald*)  
All-Big 12, 2nd team (*DMN, KC Star, Houston Chronicle, Phil Steele*)  
All-Texas, 1st team (Dave Campbell *Texas Football*)  
Academic All-Big 12, 2nd team

**JASON LAMB**

Academic All-Big 12, 1st team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**GARY MASON JR.**

Baylor Defensive Bear Squad award

**CALEB MCEACHERN**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**V.J. MCELROY**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**ZAK MITCHELL**

Academic All-Big 12, 1st team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**JOE PAWELEK**

All-America, 3rd team (*Phil Steele*)  
2008 Butkus Award watch list  
All-Big 12, 1st team (coaches, AP, Rivals, *DMN, KC Star, SAEN, FWST, Houston Chronicle, Waco Tribune-Herald, Phil Steele*)  
All-Texas, 1st team (Dave Campbell *Texas Football*)  
Best Linebacker in Texas (Dave Campbell *Texas Football*)  
Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week (11-17)  
Academic All-America, 2nd team  
Academic All-District VI  
Academic All-Big 12, 1st team  
Baylor Defensive MVP award  
Baylor Academic Excellence award  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**TYLER PRATT**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**RYAN ROBERTS**

Academic All-Big 12, 1st team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**LANEAR SAMPSON**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**ZAC SCOTTON**

Academic All-Big 12, 1st team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**T.J. SCRANTON**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**SAM SHALALA**

Academic All-Big 12, 2nd team  
2008 Rudy Award nominee

**BLAKE SIMPSON**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**SAM SLEDGE**

Academic All-Big 12, 2nd team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**JASON SMITH**

All-America, 1st team (FWAA, *Phil Steele*)  
All-America, 3rd team (AP, *Rivals.com*)  
All-Big 12, 1st team (coaches, AP, Rivals, *DMN, KC Star, SAEN, FWST, Houston Chronicle, Waco Tribune-Herald, Phil Steele*)  
All-Texas, 1st team (Dave Campbell *Texas Football*)  
Best Lineman in Texas (Dave Campbell *Texas Football*)  
Baylor "Mr. Team" award  
Baylor Off-Season Co-MVP

**ANDREW SOWDER**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**BRYAN SWINDOLL**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**BRAD TAYLOR**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**CHAD TRAXLER**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**J.D. WALTON**

2008 Rimington Trophy watch list  
All-Big 12, honorable mention (AP)

**LARRY WASHINGTON**

Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**JOHN DAVID WEED**

Academic All-Big 12, 1st team  
Commissioner's Honor Roll, fall 2008

**THOMAS WHITE**

Baylor Off-Season Co-MVP

**TERRANCE WILLIAMS**

Baylor Offensive Bear Squad award

**KENDALL WRIGHT**

Freshman All-America, honorable mention (*CFM*)

## 2008 FINAL STATS

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### RESULTS 4-8 (2-6 BIG 12 SOUTH)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	SCORE	ATTEND.	AP RANK	TV
Aug. 28	WAKE FOREST	L	13-41	30,633	--- 23	FSN
Sept. 6	NORTHWESTERN STATE	W	51-6	36,258	--- --	---
Sept. 12	WASHINGTON STATE	W	45-17	25,595	--- --	FSNSW
Sept. 19	at Connecticut	L	28-31	38,870	--- rv	ESPN2
Oct. 4	OKLAHOMA	L	17-49	37,145	--- 1	FSN
Oct. 11	IOWA STATE	W	38-10	30,548	--- --	FCS
Oct. 18	at Oklahoma State	L	6-34	50,080	--- 8	---
Oct. 25	at Nebraska	L	20-32	85,104	--- --	VS.
Nov. 1	MISSOURI	L	28-31	35,142	--- 14	---
Nov. 8	at Texas	L	21-45	97,715	--- 5	FSN
Nov. 15	TEXAS A&M	W	41-21	43,549	--- --	---
Nov. 29	at Texas Tech	L	28-35	53,470	--- 7	VS.

### TEAM STATISTICS

	BAYLOR	OPPONENTS
<b>SCORING</b>	336	352
Points Per Game	28.0	29.3
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	237	273
Rushing	124	113
Passing	94	142
Penalty	19	18
<b>RUSHING YARDAGE</b>	2349	1655
Yards gained rushing	2702	1930
Yards lost rushing	353	275
Rushing Attempts	481	463
Average Per Rush	4.9	3.6
Average Per Game	195.8	137.9
TDs Rushing	29	22
<b>PASSING YARDAGE</b>	2168	3063
Att-Comp-Int	290-170-5	427-288-16
Average Per Pass	7.5	7.2
Average Per Catch	12.8	10.6
Average Per Game	180.7	255.2
TDs Passing	16	22
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE</b>	4517	4718
Total Plays	771	890
Average Per Play	5.9	5.3
Average Per Game	376.4	393.2
<b>KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS</b>	52-1194	52-977
<b>PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS</b>	12-25	17-131
<b>INT RETURNS: #-YARDS</b>	16-117	5-25
<b>KICK RETURN AVERAGE</b>	23.0	18.8
<b>PUNT RETURN AVERAGE</b>	2.1	7.7
<b>INT RETURN AVERAGE</b>	7.3	5.0
<b>FUMBLES-LOST</b>	20-6	23-11
<b>PENALTIES-YARDS</b>	80-656	68-628
Average Per Game	54.7	52.3
<b>PUNTS-YARDS</b>	50-2169	39-1629
Average Per Punt	43.4	41.8
Net punt average	38.8	38.6
<b>TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME</b>	27:55	32:05
<b>3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS</b>	53/144	84/171
3rd-Down Pct	37%	49%
<b>4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS</b>	16/28	17/21
4th-Down Pct	57%	81%
<b>SACKS BY-YARDS</b>	21-152	28-191
<b>MISC YARDS</b>	0	0
<b>TOUCHDOWNS SCORED</b>	46	45
<b>FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS</b>	6-9	12-15
<b>ON-SIDE KICKS</b>	0-0	0-0
<b>RED-ZONE SCORES</b>	34-43 79%	44-53 83%
<b>RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS</b>	28-43 65%	35-53 66%
<b>PAT-ATTEMPTS</b>	40-45 89%	42-43 98%
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>	238870	325239
Games/Avg Per Game	7/34124	5/65048
Neutral Site Games		0/0

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Baylor	87	114	83	52	335
Opponents	94	113	65	80	352

### RUSHING

	GP	ATT.	GAIN	LOSS	NET	AVG.	TD	LONG	YPG
Finley, Jay	12	149	895	30	865	5.8	7	47	72.1
Griffin, Robert	12	173	1118	275	843	4.9	13	63	70.2
Jones, Jacoby	12	52	210	7	203	3.9	6	18	16.9
Wright, Kendall	12	29	175	7	168	5.8	1	34	14.0
Sims, Ray	12	31	135	2	133	4.3	1	14	11.1
Sanders, Jeremy	11	34	139	11	128	3.8	1	14	11.6
White, Thomas	12	2	11	0	11	5.5	0	8	0.9
Blaylock, Romie	8	1	7	0	7	7.0	0	7	0.9
Baker, Mikail	11	2	7	1	6	3.0	0	7	0.5
Szymanski, Blake	5	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	0.6
Freeman, Kirby	3	2	2	2	0	0.0	0	2	0.0
TEAM	12	5	0	18	-18	-3.6	0	0	-1.5
Total.....	12	481	2702	353	2349	4.9	29	63	195.8
Opponents.....	12	463	1930	275	1655	3.6	22	55	137.9

### PASSING

	G	EFF	CMP-ATT-I	PCT	YDS	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Griffin, Robert	12	142.00	160-267-3	59.9	2091	15	61	174.2
Freeman, Kirby	3	72.43	6-13-2	46.2	49	1	14	16.3
Szymanski, Blake	5	90.74	4-7-0	57.1	28	0	22	5.6
Wright, Kendall	12	0.00	0-3-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total.....	12	136.18	170-290-5	58.6	2168	16	61	180.7
Opponents.....	12	137.21	288-427-16	67.4	3063	22	69	255.2

### RECEIVING

	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Wright, Kendall	12	50	649	13.0	5	55	54.1
White, Thomas	12	35	385	11.0	2	55	32.1
Gettis, David	12	29	391	13.5	0	61	32.6
Akers, Justin	11	14	167	11.9	2	21	15.2
Taylor, Brad	11	8	93	11.6	1	21	8.5
Smith, Ernest	12	7	175	25.0	3	49	14.6
Finley, Jay	12	7	141	20.1	2	47	11.8
Fenty, Justin	12	6	50	8.3	1	13	4.2
Baker, Mikail	11	4	44	11.0	0	20	4.0
Sims, Ray	12	3	19	6.3	0	9	1.6
Scranton, T.J.	11	2	24	12.0	0	14	2.2
Blaylock, Romie	8	2	-6	-3.0	0	0	-0.8
La Mar, Luke	12	1	22	22.0	0	22	1.8
Weed, John David	4	1	14	14.0	0	14	3.5
Griffin, Robert	12	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total.....	12	170	2168	12.8	16	61	180.7
Opponents.....	12	288	3063	10.6	22	69	255.2

### TOTAL OFFENSE

	G	PLAYS	RUSH	PASS	TOTAL	AVG/G
Griffin, Robert	12	440	843	2091	2934	244.5
Finley, Jay	12	149	865	0	865	72.1
Jones, Jacoby	12	52	203	0	203	16.9
Wright, Kendall	12	32	168	0	168	14.0
Sims, Ray	12	31	133	0	133	11.1
Sanders, Jeremy	11	34	128	0	128	11.6
Freeman, Kirby	3	15	0	49	49	16.3
Szymanski, Blake	5	8	3	28	31	6.2
White, Thomas	12	2	11	0	11	0.9
Blaylock, Romie	8	1	7	0	7	0.9
Baker, Mikail	11	2	6	0	6	0.5
TEAM	12	5	-18	0	-18	-1.5
Total.....	12	771	2349	2168	4517	376.4
Opponents.....	12	890	1655	3063	4718	393.2

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### SCORING

	TD	FGS	PATs					SAF	PTS
			KICK	RUSH	RCV	PASS	DXP		
Griffin, Robert	13	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1-1	0	0	78
Parks, Ben	0	6-9	39-44	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	57
Finley, Jay	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	54
Wright, Kendall	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	0	0	38
Jones, Jacoby	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	36
Smith, Ernest	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Akers, Justin	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
White, Thomas	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Sims, Ray	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Taylor, Brad	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Sanders, Jeremy	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Fenty, Justin	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Baker, Mikail	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Brewster, Shea	0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	1
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>6-9</b>	<b>40-45</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>336</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>12-15</b>	<b>42-43</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1-2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>352</b>

### PUNT RETURNS

	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Bennett, Joe	11	25	2.3	0	11
Crawford, Dwain	1	0	0.0	0	0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>

### KICK RETURNS

	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Baker, Mikail	30	758	25.3	1	93
La Mar, Jake	7	139	19.9	0	44
Sanders, Jeremy	6	163	27.2	0	40
Gettis, David	4	93	23.2	0	30
Mitchell, Kyle	2	23	11.5	0	15
Smith, Ernest	1	-1	-1.0	0	0
Taylor, Brad	1	0	0.0	0	0
Scranton, T.J.	1	19	19.0	0	19
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>1194</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>93</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>54</b>

### INTERCEPTIONS

	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Pawelek, Joe	6	56	9.3	0	33
Lake, Jordan	3	2	0.7	0	2
Crawford, Dwain	2	0	0.0	0	0
Hill, Trentson	1	0	0.0	0	0
Johnson, Antonio	1	5	5.0	0	5
Buerck, Krys	1	46	46.0	0	46
Bryan, Antareis	1	8	8.0	0	8
Francis, Chris	1	0	0.0	0	0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>46</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>22</b>

### FUMBLE RETURNS

	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

### ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

	G	RUSH	REC	PR	KOR	IR	TOT	AVG/G
Finley, Jay	12	865	141	0	0	0	1006	83.8
Griffin, Robert	12	843	0	0	0	0	843	70.2
Wright, Kendall	12	168	649	0	0	0	817	68.1
Baker, Mikail	11	6	44	0	758	0	808	73.5
Gettis, David	12	0	391	0	93	0	484	40.3
White, Thomas	12	11	385	0	0	0	396	33.0
Sanders, Jeremy	11	128	0	0	163	0	291	26.5
Jones, Jacoby	12	203	0	0	0	0	203	16.9
Smith, Ernest	12	0	175	0	-1	0	174	14.5
Akers, Justin	11	0	167	0	0	0	167	15.2
Sims, Ray	12	133	19	0	0	0	152	12.7
La Mar, Jake	12	0	0	0	139	0	139	11.6
Taylor, Brad	11	0	93	0	0	0	93	8.5
Pawelek, Joe	12	0	0	0	0	56	56	4.7
Fenty, Justin	12	0	50	0	0	0	50	4.2
Buerck, Krys	12	0	0	0	0	46	46	3.8
Scranton, T.J.	11	0	24	0	19	0	43	3.9
Bennett, Joe	11	0	0	25	0	0	25	2.3
Mitchell, Kyle	12	0	0	0	23	0	23	1.9
La Mar, Luke	12	0	22	0	0	0	22	1.8
Weed, John David	4	0	14	0	0	0	14	3.5
Bryan, Antareis	10	0	0	0	0	8	8	0.8
Johnson, Antonio	12	0	0	0	0	5	5	0.4
Szymanski, Blake	5	3	0	0	0	0	3	0.6
Lake, Jordan	12	0	0	0	0	2	2	0.2
Blaylock, Romie	8	7	-6	0	0	0	1	0.1
TEAM	12	-18	0	0	0	0	-18	-1.5
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2349</b>	<b>2168</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>1194</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>5853</b>	<b>487.8</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1655</b>	<b>3063</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5851</b>	<b>487.6</b>

### PUNTING

	NO	YDS	AVG	LONG	TB	FC	I20	BLKD
Epperson, Derek	49	2169	44.3	65	5	15	14	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>2169</b>	<b>43.4</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>1629</b>	<b>41.8</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>

### FIELD GOALS

	FGM-FGA	PCT	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	LG	BLK
Parks, Ben	6-9	66.7	0-1	3-4	2-3	1-1	0-0	42	0

### KICKOFFS

	NO	YDS	AVG	TB	OB	RETN	NET	YDLN
Parks, Ben	64	3584	56.0	4	1			
Epperson, Derek	1	32	32.0	0	1			
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>3616</b>	<b>55.6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>39.4</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>4396</b>	<b>64.6</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1194</b>	<b>42.7</b>	<b>27</b>



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### DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

	GP	SOLO	AST	TOTAL	TFL-YDS	SACKS-YDS	Int-Yds	PBU	QBH	FR-YDS	FF	BLOCK	SAFETY
Pawelek, Joe	12	55	73	128	6.0-19	.	6-56	7	5	2-0	1	.	.
Lake, Jordan	12	66	31	97	.	.	3-2	7	.	.	2	.	.
Johnson, Antonio	12	35	37	72	5.0-15	1.0-10	1-5	1	3	1-0	1	.	.
Jones, Antonio	12	29	42	71	5.5-34	3.0-25	.	2	1	1-0	1	.	.
La Mar, Jake	12	34	22	56	.	.	.	.	1	1-0	.	.	.
Williams, Jeremy	12	28	26	54	5.5-14	1.0-6	.	4	1	1-0	1	.	.
Patin, Earl	12	31	21	52	4.0-15	3.0-13	.	2	3	.	1	.	.
Freeman, Leon	12	20	22	42	9.0-39	4.0-29	.	1	3	1-0	1	.	.
Crawford, Dwain	10	14	22	36	0.5-7	0.5-7	2-0	3	.	1-0	1	.	.
Bryan, Antareis	10	27	6	33	1.0-2	.	1-8	8	.	.	.	.	.
Atchison, Tim	11	21	10	31	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
Hill, Trentson	8	24	6	30	2.0-3	.	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rhodes, Vincent	12	12	17	29	4.5-22	2.5-15	.	.	1	2-0	.	.	.
Lamb, Jason	12	7	20	27	1.5-8	0.5-5	.	3	3	.	.	1	.
Buerck, Krys	12	12	12	24	.	.	1-46	2	.	.	.	.	.
Bryant, Trey	12	9	15	24	3.5-6	0.5-0	.	2	5	.	.	.	.
Francis, Chris	12	12	11	23	0.5-2	0.5-2	1-0	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
Price, Marlon	12	8	9	17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coffey, Elliot	12	8	6	14	1.0-1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Hardeman, Jameon	12	3	9	12	1.5-12	1.0-12	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Jean-Baptiste, Nicol	12	4	5	9	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scotton, Zac	12	7	2	9	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.
Sledge, Sam	12	4	5	9	1.5-11	1.5-11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Judy, Andrew	11	2	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Robertson, Tracy	9	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Parks, Ben	12	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Kushneir, Alex	12	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
Washington, D'Kendri	8	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Walters, Raylon	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Findley, Ty	11	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Criss, Dominique	5	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
King, Tyler	11	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Akers, Justin	11	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Sims, Ray	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Buford, Chris	4	1	.	1	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Geib, Adam	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Odom, Clifton	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hixson, Ben	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Washington, Larry	12	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Shalala, Sam	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>936</b>	<b>54-211</b>	<b>21-152</b>	<b>16-117</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>11-0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>76.0-333</b>	<b>28-191</b>	<b>5-25</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>6-0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>

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### GAME-BY-GAME TEAM STATS

GAME	FINAL SCORE	QUARTERS				1ST DOWNS R-P-PE TOT	RUSHING NO-YDS-TD	PASSING C-A-I YDS TD		TOT OFF. ATT-YDS	PUNTS NO-AVG	FUMB. F-FL	PEN. NO-YDS	3RD DNS	4TH DNS	RED ZONE	SACKS NO-YDS	FIELD GOALS	POSSESSION TIME						
		1	2	3	4			1	2										3	4	TOT				
Baylor	13	0	6	0	7	5-8-2	15	34-94-2	15-30-2	156	0	64-250	6-40-2	4-3	7-59	2-12	2-3	2-3	0-0	4:40	7:58	7:27	5:39	25:44	
Wake Forest	41	10	10	14	7	9-11-3	23	44-156-2	27-36-0	220	3	80-376	4-39-2	4-2	5-65	7-14	1-1	4-5	2-4	10:20	7:02	7:33	9:21	34:16	
Baylor	51	23	7	14	7	9-14-2	25	39-207-3	20-26-0	330	4	65-537	2-58-5	1-1	6-46	8-11	0-0	3-4	4-36	8:17	5:12	6:38	6:22	26:29	
Northwestern St.	6	0	6	0	0	6-7-1	14	37-52-0	18-33-1	138	0	70-190	7-35-9	3-1	5-32	9-20	1-2	2-2	2-8	6:43	9:48	8:22	8:38	33:31	
Baylor	45	14	14	7	10	16-4-0	20	42-426-5	7-16-0	129	1	58-555	3-47-0	2-0	10-75	2-7	0-1	4-5	7-45	5:48	4:20	6:53	8:04	25:05	
Washington St.	17	7	7	0	3	5-12-2	19	39-77-2	23-38-2	263	0	77-340	4-49-2	4-3	9-55	9-18	2-3	3-4	1-8	9:12	10:40	8:07	6:56	34:55	
Baylor	28	7	7	7	7	11-12-1	24	43-169-1	14-25-0	208	3	68-377	5-39-4	0-0	8-77	8-14	0-1	4-4	0-0	7:56	5:10	6:07	10:57	30:10	
at Connecticut	31	0	14	10	7	14-6-1	21	46-225-4	13-23-2	125	0	69-350	3-44-0	0-0	2-20	5-12	1-1	3-4	4-19	7:04	9:50	8:53	4:03	29:50	
Baylor	17	0	14	3	0	10-5-2	17	41-194-2	11-26-0	75	0	67-269	7-39-6	1-0	3-14	4-15	1-2	3-3	0-0	6:44	9:18	4:43	5:28	26:13	
Oklahoma	49	28	7	7	7	15-17-0	32	58-217-5	24-34-1	377	2	92-594	3-33-0	0-0	6-56	8-15	3-3	5-5	2-14	8:16	5:42	10:17	9:32	33:47	
Baylor	38	7	14	10	7	16-10-1	27	50-147-2	22-26-0	288	2	76-435	3-43-3	2-0	7-39	3-11	3-3	3-3	0-0	11:01	5:24	7:28	11:47	35:40	
Iowa St.	10	0	3	0	7	5-8-3	16	18-81-0	21-41-1	176	1	59-257	7-42-6	1-0	10-70	6-15	0-0	2-2	3-28	3:59	9:36	7:32	3:13	24:20	
Baylor	6	6	0	0	0	2-11-1	14	31-42-1	15-27-0	162	0	58-204	6-47-2	2-1	6-60	4-12	0-2	1-2	1-14	7:33	3:39	4:07	8:26	23:45	
at Oklahoma St.	34	7	21	6	0	14-9-2	25	58-219-2	13-20-0	238	2	78-457	2-51-0	3-1	6-55	4-12	3-4	5-6	2-2	7:27	11:21	10:53	6:34	36:15	
Baylor	20	14	6	0	0	8-5-3	16	33-216-3	9-20-0	134	0	53-350	6-44-5	1-0	6-39	0-10	1-2	1-2	2-5	4:06	6:35	5:54	4:48	21:23	
at Nebraska	32	7	10	7	8	9-17-0	26	37-161-1	32-46-0	336	3	83-497	3-43-3	3-1	6-70	11-17	0-1	4-5	3-4	10:54	8:25	9:06	10:12	38:37	
Baylor	28	0	7	14	7	12-12-2	26	44-155-2	26-35-1	283	2	79-438	3-49-7	2-1	8-85	5-13	4-4	3-4	1-10	6:36	8:51	9:32	8:17	33:16	
Missouri	31	14	7	0	10	9-19-1	29	34-153-1	31-39-2	337	3	73-490	1-43-0	1-1	3-45	6-10	0-0	5-6	4-35	8:24	6:09	5:28	6:43	26:44	
Baylor	21	0	14	0	7	5-1-3	9	29-201-2	6-20-1	71	1	49-272	5-47-0	4-0	8-72	1-11	2-5	1-2	1-1	5:33	9:30	4:33	2:05	21:41	
at Texas	45	14	14	14	3	14-15-1	30	47-194-0	26-37-2	300	5	84-494	1-53-0	1-0	9-95	8-16	3-3	3-4	3-29	9:27	5:30	10:27	12:55	38:19	
Baylor	41	3	17	21	0	16-8-1	25	52-269-3	13-23-0	241	2	75-510	3-30-0	1-0	5-50	9-16	1-2	5-6	2-18	2-2	8:34	9:45	9:02	9:59	37:20
Texas A&M	21	0	7	0	14	4-8-2	14	21-64-2	19-30-4	244	1	51-308	4-41-8	1-1	5-40	2-9	1-1	3-4	0-0	6:26	5:15	5:58	5:01	22:40	
Baylor	28	13	8	7	0	14-4-1	19	43-229-3	12-16-1	91	1	59-320	1-42-0	0-0	6-40	7-12	2-3	4-5	2-17	8:49	7:05	6:55	5:30	28:19	
at Texas Tech	35	7	7	7	14	9-13-2	24	24-56-3	41-50-1	309	2	74-365	0-0-0	2-1	2-25	9-13	2-2	5-6	2-17	6:11	7:55	8:05	9:30	31:41	

### GAME-BY-GAME OFFENSIVE STARTERS

OPPONENT	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	BS	IR	WR	QB	IB
Wake Forest		J. Smith	Hearvey	Walton	Barnard	Gay	Akers	Washington	Wright	Gettis	K. Freeman	Finley
Northwestern St.		J. Smith	Hearvey	Walton	Barnard	Gay	Akers	Washington		Gettis	Griffin	Sanders Judy (BS)
Washington St.	E. Smith	J. Smith	Hearvey	Walton	Barnard	Gay		Washington	Wright	K. Mitchell	Griffin	Finley
at Connecticut	E. Smith	J. Smith	Jo. Jones	Walton	Barnard	Gay	Akers	Washington	Fenty		Griffin	Ja. Jones
Oklahoma	E. Smith	J. Smith	Hearvey	Walton	Barnard	Gay	Taylor			Gettis	Griffin	Finley Judy (BS)
Iowa St.	E. Smith	J. Smith	Hearvey	Walton	Barnard	Gay			Wright	Gettis	Griffin	Finley White (IR)
at Oklahoma St.	E. Smith	J. Smith	Hearvey	Walton	Barnard	Gay	Taylor		Wright	Gettis	Griffin	Finley
at Nebraska	E. Smith	J. Smith	Hearvey	Walton	Barnard	Gay	Weed		Wright	Gettis	Griffin	White (IR)
Missouri	E. Smith	J. Smith	Griesenbeck	Walton	Barnard	Gay			White	Gettis	Griffin	Finley Sanders (BS)
at Texas	Baker	J. Smith	Griesenbeck	Walton	Barnard	Gay	Taylor		Wright	Gettis	Griffin	K. Mitchell (WR)
Texas A&M	E. Smith	J. Smith	Griesenbeck	Walton	Barnard	Gay	Weed		Wright	Gettis	Griffin	Sims
at Texas Tech	E. Smith	J. Smith	Griesenbeck	Walton	Barnard	Gay			Wright	Gettis	Griffin	Ja. Jones K. Mitchell (WR)

### GAME-BY-GAME DEFENSIVE STARTERS

OPPONENT	DE	DT	NG	DE	LCB	SLB	MLB	FLB	FS	H	RCB	NB
Wake Forest	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Bryant	Lamb	Buerck	A. Jones	Pawelek	A. Johnson	Lake	J. Williams	Crawford	
Northwestern St.	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Bryant	Lamb	Buerck	A. Jones	Pawelek	A. Johnson	Lake	J. Williams	Crawford	
Washington St.	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Bryant	Lamb	Buerck	A. Jones	Pawelek	A. Johnson	Lake	J. Williams	Crawford	
at Connecticut	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Bryant	Lamb	Buerck	A. Jones	Pawelek	A. Johnson	Lake	J. Williams	Crawford	
Oklahoma	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Bryant	Lamb	Bryan	A. Jones	Pawelek	A. Johnson	Lake	J. Williams	Crawford	
Iowa St.	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Bryant	Lamb	Bryan	A. Jones	Pawelek	A. Johnson	Lake	J. La Mar	Crawford	
at Oklahoma St.	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Bryant	Lamb	Bryan	A. Jones	Pawelek	A. Johnson	Lake	J. Williams	Crawford	
at Nebraska	Scotton	Rhodes	Bryant	Lamb	Buerck	A. Jones	Pawelek	A. Johnson	Lake	J. Williams	Hill	
Missouri	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Bryant	Lamb	Atchison	A. Jones	Pawelek		Lake	J. Williams	Hill	La Mar
at Texas	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Bryant	Lamb	Buerck	A. Jones	Pawelek		Lake	J. Williams	Hill	La Mar
Texas A&M	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Bryant	Scotton	Atchison	A. Jones	Pawelek	A. Johnson	Lake	J. Williams	Hill	
at Texas Tech	L. Freeman	Rhodes	Lamb	Scotton	Atchison	A. Jones	Pawelek	A. Johnson	Lake	Crawford	Hill	

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**GAME-BY-GAME PASSING**

KIRBY FREEMAN	COMP	ATT	INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LONG	SACKS	EFF.	ROBERT GRIFFIN	COMP	ATT	INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LONG	SACKS	EFF.
Wake Forest	4	11	2	36.4	31	0	13	0-0	23.67	Wake Forest	11	19	0	57.9	125	0	26	2-4	113.16
Northwestern St.	2	2	0	100.0	18	1	14	0-0	340.60	Northwestern St.	15	19	0	78.9	294	3	49	2-7	261.03
Washington St.	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00	Washington St.	7	15	0	46.7	129	1	61	1-8	140.91
at Connecticut	DNP									at Connecticut	14	25	0	56.0	208	3	33	4-19	165.49
Oklahoma	DNP									Oklahoma	11	16	0	42.3	75	0	19	2-14	66.54
Iowa St.	DNP									Iowa St.	21	24	0	87.5	278	2	51	3-28	212.30
at Oklahoma St.	DNP									at Oklahoma St.	15	27	0	55.6	162	0	23	2-8	105.96
at Nebraska	DNP									at Nebraska	9	20	0	45.0	134	0	44	3-4	101.28
Missouri	DNP									Missouri	26	35	1	74.3	283	2	36	4-35	155.35
at Texas	DNP									at Texas	6	19	1	31.6	71	1	55	3-29	69.81
Texas A&M	DNP									Texas A&M	13	23	0	56.5	241	2	55	0-0	173.23
at Texas Tech	DNP									at Texas Tech	12	15	1	80.0	91	1	19	2-17	139.63

BLAKE SZYMANSKI	COMP	ATT	INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LONG	SACKS	EFF.
Wake Forest	DNP								
Northwestern St.	3	5	0	60.0	18	0	22	0-0	90.24
Washington St.	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00
at Connecticut	DNP								
Oklahoma	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00
Iowa St.	1	1	0	100.0	10	0	10	0-0	184.00
at Oklahoma St.	DNP								
at Nebraska	DNP								
Missouri	DNP								
at Texas	DNP								
Texas A&M	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00
at Texas Tech	DNP								

**GAME-BY-GAME RUSHING (No.-Yards-TDs)**

PLAYER	NO-YDS-TD	WF	NSU	WSU	at UCONN	OU	ISU	at OSU	at NU	MU	at UT	TAMU	at TECH
Finley, Jay	149-865-7	10-22-0	8-91-2	10-119-1	11-85-0	10-48-0	15-60-1	9-13-0	14-88-1	14-73-0	10-45-1	23-116-1	15-105-0
Griffin, Robert	173-843-13	11-29-1	10-43-1	11-225-2	23-46-1	21-102-2	9-(-15)-1	12-12-0	16-121-1	17-33-1	13-101-1	12-56-0	18-99-2
Jones, Jacoby	52-203-6	3-17-1	5-14-0	7-24-0	4-20-0	2-5-0	5-25-0	5-11-1	1-1-1	5-21-0	0-0-0	8-54-2	7-11-1
Wright, Kendall	29-168-1	2-9-0	0-0-0	3-11-1	1-9-0	2-16-0	2-13-0	4-2-0	2-6-0	5-24-0	4-53-0	3-22-0	1-3-0
Sanders, Jeremy	34-128-1	1-2-0	9-42-0	3-20-1	3-5-0	3-14-0	10-33-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-(-2)-0	1-1-0	3-12-0	DNP
Sims, Ray	31-133-1	4-16-0	5-28-0	8-35-0	1-4-0	2-2-0	3-20-0	1-4-0	0-0-0	2-6-1	1-1-0	2-6-0	2-11-0
White, Thomas	2-11-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-11-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Baker, Mikail	2-6-0	1-(-1)-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	1-7-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Freeman, Kirby	2-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Blaylock, Romie	1-7-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	1-7-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP
Szymanski, Blake	1-3-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-3-0	DNP

**GAME-BY-GAME RECEIVING (No.-Yards-TDs)**

PLAYER	NO-YDS-TD	WF	NSU	WSU	at UCONN	OU	ISU	at OSU	at NU	MU	at UT	TAMU	at TECH
Wright, Kendall	50-649-5	2-21-0	5-42-0	2-8-0	6-114-1	4-16-0	7-132-2	7-80-0	3-60-0	4-41-0	3-50-1	4-71-1	3-14-0
White, Thomas	35-385-2	3-32-0	3-59-1	1-19-0	1-7-0	3-22-0	4-26-0	3-35-0	3-18-0	7-58-0	0-0-0	3-70-1	4-39-0
Gettis, David	29-391-0	5-46-0	2-55-0	3-75-0	1-8-0	3-27-0	5-73-0	4-35-0	0-0-0	3-39-0	1-11-0	0-0-0	2-22-0
Akers, Justin	14-167-2	2-25-0	2-32-0	0-0-0	4-61-2	0-0-0	1-6-0	1-12-0	0-0-0	2-21-0	1-1-0	DNP	1-9-0
Taylor, Brad	8-93-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	3-33-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	4-53-1	0-0-0	1-7-0	DNP
Smith, Ernest	7-175-3	0-0-0	2-59-1	1-27-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-35-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-53-0	1-1-1
Finley, Jay	7-141-2	1-26-0	1-47-0	0-0-0	1-9-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	3-53-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-6-0
Fenty, Justin	6-50-1	0-0-0	2-10-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-10-0	0-0-0	2-21-0	0-0-0	1-9-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Baker, Mikail	4-44-0	1-2-0	1-14-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	1-8-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-20-0	0-0-0
Sims, Ray	3-19-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-9-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-4-0	0-0-0	1-6-0	0-0-0
Scranton, T.J.	2-24-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	1-10-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-14-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Blaylock, Romie	2-(-6)-0	1-4-0	1-(-10)-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP
La Mar, Luke	1-22-0	0-0-0	1-22-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Weed, John David	1-14-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	1-14-0	0-0-0
Griffin, Robert	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0



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### SCORING DRIVES

OPPONENT	PLAYS	YDS	DRIVE		QTR/		DRIVE	
			TIME	CLOCK	START	PLAY		
Wake Forest	8	44	2:44	2nd/02:54	WF44	J. Jones 12 run		
Wake Forest	12	76	5:25	4th/12:39	BU24	Griffin 5 run		
Northwestern State	8	73	3:29	1st/10:09	BU27	E. Smith 49 pass from Griffin		
Northwestern State	4	58	1:35	1st/07:41	BU42	Finley 40 run		
Northwestern State	6	56	2:09	1st/03:04	BU41	Parks 20 FG		
Northwestern State	3	19	1:04	1st/01:11	NSU19	Griffin 3 run		
Northwestern State	4	62	1:18	2nd/13:30	BU38	Finley 35 run		
Northwestern State	8	79	3:30	3rd/11:30	BU21	White 32 pass from Griffin		
Northwestern State	7	85	2:39	3rd/04:24	BU15	Finley 47 pass from Griffin		
Northwestern State	6	36	2:41	4th/02:46	NSU36	Fenty 4 pass from K. Freeman		
Washington State	10	78	3:34	1st/07:53	BU22	Griffin 1 run		
Washington State	2	27	0:23	1st/06:50	WSU27	E. Smith 27 pass from Griffin		
Washington State	2	70	0:28	2nd/07:32	BU30	Sanders 13 run		
Washington State	4	58	1:09	2nd/05:12	BU42	Finley 46 run		
Washington State	1	58	0:10	3rd/08:47	BU42	Griffin 58 run		
Washington State	5	32	2:25	4th/14:54	WSU32	Wright 10 run		
Washington State	8	69	4:21	4th/06:21	BU25	Parks 23 FG		
at Connecticut	9	67	4:17	1st/07:53	BU33	Akers 16 pass from Griffin		
at Connecticut	8	76	3:33	2nd/08:38	BU24	Akers 14 pass from Griffin		
at Connecticut	8	72	3:23	3rd/06:48	BU28	Griffin 2 run		
at Connecticut	9	70	4:42	4th/11:13	BU30	Wright 19 pass from Griffin		
Oklahoma	8	68	3:07	2nd/12:34	BU32	Griffin 1 run		
Oklahoma	13	75	4:36	2nd/00:50	BU25	Griffin 2 run		
Oklahoma	11	72	3:34	3rd/03:02	BU12	Parks 32 FG		
Iowa State	8	56	3:23	1st/05:43	BU44	Wright 34 pass from Griffin		
Iowa State	14	81	5:06	2nd/14:18	BU19	Finley 12 run		
Iowa State	9	79	3:55	2nd/01:41	BU21	Griffin 4 run		
Iowa State				3rd/14:42		Baker 93 kick return		
Iowa State	13	73	5:51	3rd/03:01	BU08	Parks 36 FG		
Iowa State	7	80	2:50	4th/12:14	BU20	Wright 51 pass from Griffin		
at Oklahoma State	10	65	3:46	1st/06:25	BU35	J. Jones 1 run		
at Nebraska	3	63	0:35	1st/07:03	BU37	Finley 43 run		
at Nebraska	5	96	1:37	1st/02:26	BU04	Griffin 47 run		
at Nebraska	6	80	1:49	1st/00:17	BU20	J. Jones 1 run		
Missouri	13	80	5:11	2nd/09:45	BU20	Griffin 4 run		
Missouri	12	69	5:24	3rd/09:36	BU31	Sims 2 run		
Missouri	12	66	4:08	3rd/03:39	BU34	Taylor 16 pass from Griffin		
Missouri	10	80	4:59	4th/09:54	BU20	Finley 36 pass from Griffin		
at Texas	5	6	2:01	2nd/12:59	UT06	Griffin 1 run		
at Texas	5	96	2:52	2nd/09:01	BU04	Wright 55 pass from Griffin		
at Texas	2	44	0:49	4th/04:58	UT44	Finley 40 run		
Texas A&M	11	61	5:25	1st/05:29	BU14	Parks 42 FG		
Texas A&M	6	10	2:33	2nd/12:13	AM21	Parks 28 FG		
Texas A&M	8	74	3:47	2nd/06:39	BU26	J. Jones 12 run		
Texas A&M	8	78	2:37	2nd/01:30	BU22	Wright 31 pass from Griffin		
Texas A&M	3	56	1:34	3rd/13:26	BU44	White 55 pass from Griffin		
Texas A&M	9	99	4:02	3rd/03:38	BU01	Finley 12 run		
Texas A&M	4	27	1:52	3rd/01:41	AM27	J. Jones 18 run		
at Texas Tech	14	52	7:16	1st/03:13	BU48	Griffin 1 run		
at Texas Tech	4	34	1:33	1st/00:07	TT34	Griffin 13 run		
at Texas Tech	6	16	1:26	2nd/00:01	TT16	E. Smith 1 pass from Griffin		
at Texas Tech	9	78	3:56	3rd/05:52	TT22	J. Jones 1 run		
<b>AVERAGE DRIVE</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>61.1</b>	<b>2:56</b>					

### DRIVES SUPERLATIVES

<b>MOST PLAYS:</b>	14 (TDs vs ISU & at Tech)	<b>FEWEST PLAYS:</b>	1 (TD vs. Washington St.)
<b>MOST YARDS:</b>	99 (TD vs. Texas A&M)	<b>FEWEST YARDS:</b>	10 (FG vs. Texas A&M)
<b>LONGEST TIME:</b>	7:16 (TD at Texas Tech)	<b>SHORTEST TIME:</b>	0:10 (TD vs. Washington St.)

### LONG PLAYS (25-plus yards)

YDS	PLAY	OPPONENT (QTR)
63	Griffin run	at Texas (3rd)
61	Gettis pass from Griffin	Washington State (2nd)
58	Griffin run	Washington State (4th)
58	Griffin run [TD]	Washington State (3rd)
57	Griffin run	Washington State (2nd)
55	White pass from Griffin [TD]	Texas A&M (3rd)
55	Wright pass from Griffin [TD]	at Texas (2nd)
51	Wright pass from Griffin [TD]	Iowa State (4th)
49	E. Smith pass from Griffin	Texas A&M (2nd)
49	E. Smith pass from Griffin	Northwestern State (1st)
47	Finley run	at Texas Tech (3rd)
47	Griffin run [TD]	at Nebraska (1st)
47	Finley pass from Griffin	Northwestern State (3rd)
46	Finley run [TD]	Washington State (2nd)
44	Wright pass from Griffin	at Nebraska (3rd)
43	Finley run [TD]	at Nebraska (1st)
40	Finley run [TD]	at Texas (4th)
40	Gettis run	at Nebraska (1st)
40	Gettis pass from Griffin	Northwestern State (1st)
40	Finley run	Northwestern State (1st)
37	Griffin run	at Texas (1st)
36	Finley pass from Griffin [TD]	Missouri (4th)
36	Griffin run	Oklahoma (2nd)
35	Finley run	Northwestern State (2nd)
35	E. Smith pass from Griffin	at Nebraska (2nd)
34	Wright run	at Texas (2nd)
34	Griffin run	Missouri (3rd)
34	Wright pass from Griffin [TD]	Iowa State (1st)
33	Wright pass from Griffin	at Connecticut (3rd)
32	White pass from Griffin	Northwestern State (3rd)
31	Wright pass from Griffin [TD]	Texas A&M (2nd)
30	Finley run	Texas A&M (1st)
29	Griffin run	Texas A&M (3rd)
27	Wright pass from Griffin	at Connecticut (2nd)
27	E. Smith pass from Griffin [TD]	Washington State (1st)
26	Finley pass from Griffin	Wake Forest (2nd)
25	Griffin run	Texas Tech (2nd)
25	Gettis pass from Griffin	Iowa State (3rd)

# BAYLOR 2009 FOOTBALL PROSPECTUS

## 2008 FINAL STATS

OVERALL: 4-8 (HOME 4-3, ROAD 0-5, NEUTRAL 0-0) | BIG 12 CONFERENCE: 2-6 (HOME 2-2, ROAD 0-4)

### BAYLOR SUPERLATIVES

INDIVIDUAL	
Rushes	23 Griffin, Robert at Connecticut (Sep 19, 2008) Finley, Jay vs Texas A&M (Nov 15, 2008)
Yards Rushing	217 Griffin, Robert vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
TD Rushes	2 Finley, Jay vs Northwestern State (Sep 06, 2008) Griffin, Robert vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008) Jones, Jacoby vs Texas A&M (Nov 15, 2008)
Long Rush	63 Griffin, Robert at Texas (Nov 08, 2008)
Pass attempts	35 Griffin, Robert vs Missouri (Nov. 1, 2008)
Pass completions	26 Griffin, Robert vs Missouri (Nov. 1, 2008)
Yards Passing	294 Griffin, Robert vs Northwestern State (Sep 06, 2008)
TD Passes	3 Griffin, Robert vs Northwestern State (Sep 06, 2008) Griffin, Robert at Connecticut (Sep 19, 2008)
Long Pass	61 Griffin, Robert vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
Receptions	7 Wright, Kendall vs Iowa State (Oct 11, 2008)
Yards Receiving	132 Wright, Kendall vs Iowa State (Oct 11, 2008)
TD Receptions	2 Akers, Justin at Connecticut (Sep 19, 2008) Wright, Kendall vs Iowa State (Oct 11, 2008)
Long Reception	61 Gettis, David vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
Field Goals	2 Parks, Ben vs Texas A&M (Nov 15, 2008)
Long Field Goal	42 Parks, Ben vs Texas A&M (Nov 15, 2008)
Punts	7 Epperson, Derek vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008)
Punting Avg	58.5 Epperson, Derek vs Northwestern State (Sep 06, 2008)
Long Punt	65 Epperson, Derek at Nebraska (Oct 25, 2008)
Long Punt Return	11 Bennett, Joe vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
Long Kickoff Return	93 Baker, Mikail vs Iowa State (Oct 11, 2008)
Tackles	15 Pawelek, Joe vs Wake Forest (Aug 28, 2008) Lake, Jordan at Nebraska (Oct 25, 2008)
Sacks	2.0 Freeman, Leon vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008) Patin, Earl at Nebraska (Oct 25, 2008)
Tackles For Loss	3.0 Freeman, Leon vs Wake Forest (Aug 28, 2008) Pawelek, Joe at Oklahoma State (Oct 18, 2008)
Interceptions	2 Pawelek, Joe vs Texas A&M (Nov 15, 2008)

### TEAM

Rushes	52 vs Texas A&M (Nov 15, 2008)
Yards Rushing	426 vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
Yards Per Rush	10.1 vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
TD Rushes	5 vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
Pass attempts	35 vs Missouri (Nov. 1, 2008)
Pass completions	26 vs Missouri (Nov. 1, 2008)
Yards Passing	330 vs Northwestern State (Sep 06, 2008)
Yards Per Pass	12.7 vs Northwestern State (Sep 06, 2008)
TD Passes	4 vs Northwestern State (Sep 06, 2008)
Total Plays	79 vs Missouri (Nov. 1, 2008)
Total Offense	555 vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
Yards Per Play	9.6 vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
Points	51 vs Northwestern State (Sep 06, 2008)
Sacks By	7 vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
First Downs	27 vs Iowa State (Oct 11, 2008)
Penalties	10 vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008)
Penalty Yards	85 vs Missouri (Nov. 1, 2008)
Turnovers	5 vs Wake Forest (Aug 28, 2008)
Interceptions By	4 vs Texas A&M (Nov 15, 2008)

### OPPONENT SUPERLATIVES

INDIVIDUAL	
Rushes	34 Brown, Donald, at Connecticut (Sep 19, 2008)
Yards Rushing	150 Brown, Donald, at Connecticut (Sep 19, 2008)
TD Rushes	2 4 times (last by Toston, Keith, at Oklahoma State Oct 18, 2008)
Long Rush	55 Washington, C.J, vs Wake Forest (Aug 28, 2008)
Pass attempts	50 Harrell, Graham, at Texas Tech (Nov 29, 2008)
Pass completions	41 Harrell, Graham, at Texas Tech (Nov 29, 2008)
Yards Passing	372 Bradford, Sam, vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008)
TD Passes	5 McCoy, Colt, at Texas (Nov 08, 2008)
Long Pass	69 Ganz, Joe, at Nebraska (Oct 25, 2008)
Receptions	11 Bryant, Dez, at Oklahoma State (Oct 18, 2008) Swift, Nate, at Nebraska (Oct 25, 2008)
Yards Receiving	212 Bryant, Dez, at Oklahoma State (Oct 18, 2008)
TD Receptions	2 Brinkman, C, vs Wake Forest (Aug 28, 2008) Bryant, Dez, at Oklahoma State (Oct 18, 2008) Swift, Nate, at Nebraska (Oct 25, 2008)
Long Reception	69 Lucky, Marlon, at Nebraska (Oct 25, 2008)
Field Goals	2 Swank, S, vs Wake Forest (Aug 28, 2008) Weeks, Robert, vs Northwestern State (Sep 06, 2008) Bailey, Dan, at Oklahoma State (Oct 18, 2008)
Long Field Goal	42 Swank, S, vs Wake Forest (Aug 28, 2008)
Punts	7 Russo, Bradley, vs Northwestern State (Sep 06, 2008) Brandtner, Mike, vs Iowa State (Oct 11, 2008)
Punting Avg	53.0 Tucker, Justin, at Texas (Nov 08, 2008)
Long Punt	60 Brandtner, Mike, vs Iowa State (Oct 11, 2008)
Long Punt Return	24 Bryant, Dez, at Oklahoma State (Oct 18, 2008)
Long Kickoff Return	54 Frey, Robbie, at Connecticut (Sep 19, 2008)
Tackles	14 Reynolds, Ryan, vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008)
Sacks	2.0 Miller, Roy, at Texas (Nov 08, 2008)
Tackles For Loss	3.0 Thomas, Earl, at Texas (Nov 08, 2008)
Interceptions	1 Smith, A, vs Wake Forest (Aug 28, 2008)

### TEAM

Rushes	58 vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008)
Yards Rushing	225 at Connecticut (Sep 19, 2008)
Yards Per Rush	4.9 at Connecticut (Sep 19, 2008)
TD Rushes	5 vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008)
Pass attempts	50 at Texas Tech (Nov 29, 2008)
Pass completions	41 at Texas Tech (Nov 29, 2008)
Yards Passing	377 vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008)
Yards Per Pass	11.9 at Oklahoma State (Oct 18, 2008)
TD Passes	5 at Texas (Nov 08, 2008)
Total Plays	92 vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008)
Total Offense	594 vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008)
Yards Per Play	6.7 vs Missouri (Nov. 1, 2008)
Points	49 vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008)
Sacks By	4 at Connecticut (Sep 19, 2008)
First Downs	32 vs Oklahoma (Oct 04, 2008)
Penalties	10 vs Iowa State (Oct 11, 2008)
Penalty Yards	95 at Texas (Nov 08, 2008)
Turnovers	5 vs Washington State (Sep 12, 2008) vs Texas A&M (Nov 15, 2008)
Interceptions By	2 vs Wake Forest (Aug 28, 2008)

### RED ZONE

OPPONENT	SCORE	TIMES IN				RUSH TDS	PASS TDS	FGS	FAILED TO SCORE INSIDE 20					GAME
		RED ZONE	SCORES	POINTS	TDS				FGA	DOWNES	INT	FUM	HALF	
Wake Forest	13-41	3	2	13	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Northwestern St.	51-6	4	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Washington St.	45-17	5	4	24	3	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
at Connecticut	28-31	4	4	28	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oklahoma	17-49	3	3	17	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Iowa St.	38-10	3	3	17	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Oklahoma St.	6-34	2	1	6	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
at Nebraska	20-32	5	5	24	3	1	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Missouri	28-31	4	3	21	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
at Texas	21-45	2	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Texas A&M	41-21	6	5	27	3	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
at Texas Tech	28-35	5	4	28	4	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>336-352</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>352-336</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>

SEASON PCT. (OVERALL): 34 of 43 (79.1%)

SEASON PCT. (TDS): 28 of 43 (65.1%)

SEASON PCT. (FGS): 6 of 43 (14.0%)

SEASON PCT. (NO SCORE): 9 of 43 (20.9%)