



# 2007 GOLDEN BEAR FOOTBALL



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# 2007 CALIFORNIA QUICK FACTS

## UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location	Berkeley, CA
Founded	1868
Enrollment	33,933
Address	211 Memorial Stadium, Berkeley, CA 94720
Chancellor	Dr. Robert J. Birgeneau
Colors	Blue (282) and Gold (116)
Conference	Pacific-10
Nickname	Golden Bears
Mascot	Oski
Stadium	California Memorial Stadium (72,516)
Surface	Sportex

## TEAM INFORMATION

2006 Record	10-3/7-2/T1st
2006 Postseason	2006 Pacific Life Holiday Bowl Defeated Texas A&M, 45-10
Final Ranking	No. 14 in AP and USA Today
Bowl Streak	Four straight appearances
Starters Returning/Lost	16/11
	Offense: 8/4; Defense: 5/6, Specialists 3/1
Lettermen Returning/Lost	48/23
	Offense: 22/14; Defense: 23/8, Specialists 3/1
Offensive System	Multiple
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## HEAD COACH CAPSULE

Head Coach	Jeff Tedford
Alma Mater	Fresno State, 1983
Record/Year (Overall and at Cal)	43-20/6th year

## DEFENSIVE STAFF

Coordinator	Bob Gregory (6th year)
Defensive Line	Ken Delgado (6th year)
Defensive Backs	R. Todd Littlejohn (2nd year)
Linebackers	Kenwick Thompson (1st year)
Graduate Assistant	Tosh Lupoi (2nd year)
Defensive Assistant	Taggart McCurdy (1st year)

## OFFENSIVE STAFF

Coordinator/Offensive Line	Jim Michalczyk (6th year)
Tight Ends/Special Teams	Pete Alamar (6th year)
Quarterbacks	Kevin Daft (4th year)
Wide Receivers	Dan Ferrigno (8th year)
Running Backs	Ron Gould (11th year)
Graduate Assistant	Matt Beck (1st year)
Offensive Assistant	Brendan Ferrigno (1st year)

## SUPPORT STAFF

Director of Operations	Mike McHugh (5th year)
Strength & Conditioning	John Krasinski (6th year)
Assistant to Coach Tedford	Debbie Schram (22nd year)
Recruiting Assistant	Andrew McGraw (12th year)
Recruiting Assistant	Kevin Parker (6th year)
Player Development	Mark Jensen (3rd year)
Administrative Assistant	Denis Hallin (4th year)
Head Team Physician	Dr. Cindy Chang (13th year)
Football Athletic Trainer	Lanny Bradford (2nd year)
Equipment Manager	Ed Garland (3rd year)
Video Coordinator	Matt Fox (6th year)

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Memorial Stadium Press Box	510-642-3098
Memorial Stadium	510-642-3851
Pac-10 Office	925-932-4411

## 2006 RESULTS

Date	Opponent (TV)	Site	Result
Sept. 2	at Tennessee (ESPN)	Knoxville, Tenn.	L, 18-35
Sept. 9	Minnesota (TBS)	Berkeley	W, 42-17
Sept. 16	Portland State (CSN)	Berkeley	W, 42-16
Sept. 23	Arizona State (FSN)	Berkeley	W, 49-21
Sept. 30	at Oregon State	Corvallis, Ore.	W, 41-13
Oct. 7	Oregon (ABC)*	Berkeley	W, 45-24
Oct. 14	at Washington State	Pullman, Wash.	W, 21-3
Oct. 21	Washington (FSN)	Berkeley	W, 31-24, ot
Nov. 4	UCLA (ABC)	Berkeley	W, 38-24
Nov. 11	at Arizona (ABC)	Tucson, Ariz.	L, 20-24
Nov. 18	at USC (ABC)	Los Angeles, Calif.	L, 9-23
Dec. 2	Stanford (FSN)	Berkeley	W, 26-17
Dec. 28	Texas A&M (ESPN)#	San Diego, Calif.	W, 45-10

\*Homecoming #Pacific Life Holiday Bowl

## 2007 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 1	Tennessee	Berkeley	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 8	Colorado State	Fort Collins, Colo.	11:00 a.m.
Sept. 15	Louisiana Tech	Berkeley	3:30 p.m.
Sept. 22	Arizona	Berkeley	TBA
Sept. 29	at Oregon	Eugene, Ore.	TBA
Oct. 13	Oregon State*	Berkeley	TBA
Oct. 20	at UCLA	Pasadena, Calif.	TBA
Oct. 27	at Arizona State	Tempe, Ariz.	7:00 p.m.
Nov. 3	Washington State	Berkeley	7:00 p.m.
Nov. 10	USC	Berkeley	5:00 p.m.
Nov. 17	at Washington	Seattle, Wash.	TBA
Dec. 1	at Stanford	Stanford, Calif.	4:00 p.m.

\*Homecoming





# PERSONNEL SUMMARY

## STARTERS

### RETURNING (16)

#### Offense (8)

Position	Name	2006 Stats	Notes
Quarterback	Nate Longshore	227-377, 3021 yds	2nd in Pac-10 in efficiency
Wide Receiver	Robert Jordan	46-571 4 TDs	Catches in 30 straight games
Wide Receiver	DeSean Jackson	59-1060 9 TDs	Led nation in PR (18.2 ypr)
Wide Receiver	Lavelle Hawkins	46-705 5 TDs	Receptions in all 13 games
Tight End	Craig Stevens	17-239 1 TD	All-Pac-10 Second Team
Center	Alex Mack	--	First-team all-league
Guard	Noris Malele	--	Started nine games
Tackle	Mike Gibson	--	All-conference, 10 starts

#### Defense (5)

Position	Name	2006 Stats	Notes
Tackle	Matt Malele	4-7-11	Started all 13 games
Linebacker	Worrell Williams	23-28-51	Started 12 of 13 games
Rover	Brandon Hampton	30-33-63	2 INTs, 4 PBUs
Free Safety	Bernard Hicks	33-25-58	Started final eight games
Corner	Syd'Quan Thompson	35-25-60	Started all 13 games as RFr.

#### Specialists (3)

Position	Name	2006 Stats	Notes
Kicker	Tom Schneider	15-20 FGs, 52-52	Needs 32 pts for Cal record
Punter	Andrew Larson	42.6 ypp	Second Team All-Pac-10
Long Snapper	Nick Sundberg	--	Snapper for all 2005 and 2006

## LETTERMEN

### RETURNING (48)

#### Offense (22)

Julian Arthur (TE), LaReylle Cunningham (WR), Brian De La Puente (OL), Sam DeSa (WR), Justin Forsett (LB), Mike Gibson (OL), Mark Gray (OL), Lavelle Hawkins (WR), DeSean Jackson (WR), Robert Jordan (WR), Nate Longshore (QB), Alex Mack (OL), Noris Malele (OL), Cameron Morrah (TE), Matt Russi (LB), Bryan Schutte (RB), Craig Stevens (TE), Will Ta'ufo'ou (FB), Chet Teofilo (OL), Mike Tepper (OL), Bryan Van Meter (QB), Sean Young (WR)

#### Defense (23)

John Allen (DT), Tyson Alualu (DT), Jesse Brooks (DB), Rulon Davis (DE), Thomas DeCoud (DB), Gary Doxy (DB), Marcus Ezeff (DB), Anthony Felder (LB), Zack Follett (LB), Kenny Frank (DB), Brandon Hampton (DB), Bernard Hicks (DB), Brett Johnson (DB), Cody Jones (DL), Mika Kane (DL), Kyle Kirst (DB), Matt Malele (DL), Phillip Mbakogu (DL), Justin Moye (LB), Robert Peele (DB), Syd'Quan Thompson (DB), Greg Van Hoesen (LB), Worrell Williams (LB)

#### Specialists (3)

Andrew Larson (P), Tom Schneider (PK), Nick Sundberg (LS)

### LOST (23)

#### Offense (14)

Joe Ayoob (QB), Eric Beegun (TE), Andrew Cameron (OL), Bryan Deemer (OL), David Gray (TE), Steve Kelly (DL), Tyler Krieg (OL), Steve Levy (QB), Marshawn Lynch (RB), Marcus O'Keith (RB), Erik Robertson (OL), Noah Smith (WR), Scott Smith (OL), Byron Storer (FB)

#### Defense (8)

Desmond Bishop (LB), Randy Bundy (DB), Daymeion Hughes (DB), Abu Ma'afala (DL), Brandon Mebane (DL), Mickey Pimentel (LB), Chris Purtz (LB), Nu'u Tafisi (DL)

#### Specialists (1)

Greg Yamamoto (LS)

### LOST (11)

#### Offense (4)

Andrew Cameron (OL), Marshawn Lynch (RB), Erik Robertson (OL), Byron Storer (FB)

#### Defense (6)

Desmond Bishop (LB), Daymeion Hughes (CB), Abu Ma'afala (DE), Brandon Mebane (DT), Mickey Pimentel (LB), Nu'u Tafisi (DE)

#### Specialists (1)

Joe Ayoob (H)



## REDSHIRTS (22)

#### Offense (12)

Mark Boskovich (OL), Richard Fisher (OL), R.J. Garrett (FB), Garry Graffort (TE), Chris Guarnero (OL), Daniel Lofton (WR), Cooper Miller (WR), James Montgomery (RB), Justin Prueitt (OL), Kevin Riley (QB), Jeremy Ross (WR), Tracy Slocum (RB)

#### Defense (8)

Charles Amadi (DB), Gavin Beeman (DB), Keith Browner (DE), Mike Costanzo (DL), Darian Hagan (DB), Derrick Hill (DL), Brandon Jones (DB), Michael Mohamed (LB)

#### Specialists (2)

Nick Demopolous (PK), Joe Robles (P)

## SQUAD (14)

Kevin Bemoll (OL), Drew Glover (WR), Brian Holley (FB), Jonathan Karacozoff (DL), Jordan Kay (PK), Matt Laird (OL), Shea McIntyre (LB), Eric Morrah (LB), Kyle Reed (QB), Tad Smith (DL), Cory Smits (QB), Alex Stroud (WR), Cameron Toler (WR), Eddie Young (LB)

## TRANSFERS (5)

Devin Bishop (LB), Nyan Boateng (WR), Skylar Curran (TE), Tyler Morrow (LB), Zach Smith (FB)



# MEDIA INFORMATION

## WELCOME TO CALIFORNIA FOOTBALL 2007

The 2007 University of California Football Media Guide is produced to assist the media with their coverage of the Golden Bears this fall. Additional information, including media releases and photographs, may be obtained by contacting the Media Relations Office at (510) 642-5363. Please take a moment to review the following policies and services that are intended to assist you with your coverage of Cal football. Some policies have changed from past years. As always, please contact the media relations office with questions or concerns.

## SEASON CREDENTIALS

Please direct all requests/questions for media, photo and parking credentials to Cal home games to John Sudsbury (sudsbury@berkeley.edu; 510-643-4723) through Football Media Relations at 211 Memorial Stadium, University of California, Berkeley, CA 94720. Requests should be made in writing by sports editors/directors on appropriate letterhead. All requests for season credentials should be submitted by Friday, Aug. 10. Only media who cover the Bears on a regular basis will be considered for season credentials. A lost season credential will result in that member of the media being moved to the single-game list.

## SINGLE-GAME CREDENTIALS

All single-game requests should be made in writing at least one week prior to the game for which the credential is requested. No credential requests will be considered after 5 p.m. Thursday of game week. Requests for media covering a visiting team should be made through the opposing school's Sports Information Director. Credentials will be held in the Media Will Call booth the day of the game unless other arrangements are made.

## WILL CALL

The Media Will Call booth is located at Gate 9 on the south side of Memorial Stadium. It will be open four hours before kickoff and remains open through the conclusion of the second quarter. Identification is required to pick up credentials or tickets. Parking passes cannot be left at will call.

## STADIUM ACCESS

The easiest access for the media is through the South Gate (Gate 9) of Memorial Stadium. The press box elevator is located on the mezzanine level near Section G.

## GAME DAY PARKING

Parking at Memorial Stadium is always at a premium with a limited number of spaces allocated to the media. **PRESS PARKING HAS BEEN RELOCATED FOR THE 2007 SEASON.** Early arrivals are strongly suggested, and only those with parking permits will be admitted. Parking permits cannot be left at will call.

Media parking for 2007 will be located in the Underhill Lot, located on the corner of College Avenue and Channing Avenue.

As these lots are further away than in the past, shuttle service (vans) will be provided for the media beginning three hours before kickoff and running until the final writer has completed his/her work.

## PROFESSIONAL SCOUTS

Professional teams wanting to scout games in Memorial Stadium may purchase game tickets through the Media Relations Office.

## WEEKDAY MEDIA PARKING

When visiting Cal to interview players or coaches during the week, you may park in the south bullpen at the south end of the stadium, inside gate 9 AFTER obtaining a parking permit from the Media Relations Office.

## GAME DAY DIRECTIONS

Take the University Avenue exit off Interstate 80 and proceed east for approximately two miles until University ends at Oxford Avenue. Turn right and follow Oxford approximately four blocks (it becomes Fulton Street) to Channing Way, then turn left. Follow Channing east to Warring Street.

## MEDIA RELATIONS OFFICE

The primary Cal Media Relations Office is located on the third floor of Haas Pavilion. However, the football media relations headquarters is located at 211 Memorial Stadium, with access on the mezzanine level near Section H.

## TUESDAY MEDIA LUNCHEONS

Each Tuesday during the football season, Cal hosts a media luncheon in the Hall of Fame Room in Memorial Stadium. The luncheon, which begins at 11:30 a.m., features an appearance by head coach Jeff Tedford and several Cal players, in

addition to a speakerphone interview with the head coach of the upcoming opponent when available.

## BEST TIME TO REACH JEFF TEDFORD

The best time to reach head coach Jeff Tedford is between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Tuesdays. Please give at least 24-hour notice on all interview requests. Contact the Media Relations Office at (510) 642-5363 to make arrangements. Tedford is usually available after the conclusion of practice on the field. Prior arrangements are requested.

## PLAYER/COACH INTERVIEWS

All player interviews, either in person or by telephone, must be coordinated through the Cal Media Relations Office with a minimum of at least one-day advance notice. Players may, at times and through special arrangement, be interviewed prior to practice, usually between 12 noon and 2 p.m., while brief TV interviews can be conducted on the practice field immediately before practice begins at 4 p.m. if arranged in advance. Brief interviews can also be conducted immediately after practice on the field at approximately 6:30 p.m. Players are available for interviews Sunday and Tuesday through Thursday each week, but not on Mondays or Fridays. All coaches and football staff should also be contacted through the Media Relations Office at (510) 642-5363.

## VIDEO FEEDS

Videotape highlights of Cal football are available each week throughout the season via the Pacific-10 Conference satellite feed. For more information, contact the Pac-10 office at (925) 932-4411.

## TRAINING CAMP

Beginning the first week of August, training camp will be held on campus. Player interviews can be conducted following practice unless otherwise arranged by the Media Relations Office. TV interviews may also be done on the practice field immediately after morning and afternoon workouts, again requiring advance notice through Media Relations.

## DAILY PRACTICES

Cal's practice sessions are conducted in Memorial Stadium and are generally open to the media. Practices begin at approximately 4 p.m. All media in attendance must stay in the stands throughout practice. For media who want to attend practices and/or make arrangements for player interviews after practice, contact the Media Relations Office at (510) 642-5363.





## PRACTICE VIDEO/PHOTOS

Only limited portions of Cal's daily football practices (usually parts of the first 20 minutes) may be videotaped or photographed. All camera personnel should be escorted by a member of the media relations office at all times and will not otherwise be permitted on the field.

## TELEPHONES

Media outlets wanting to place a telephone line in the Cal press box should contact the Cal Media Relations Office at (510) 642-5363 at least three days in advance of the game. Several telephones will also be available for media use in the media work area of the Travers Club Room.

## PRESS BOX SERVICES

The Cal Media Relations Office will furnish game programs, pre-game notes, flip cards and press guides prior to the game. Play-by-play accounts, halftime and game statistics and post-game coaches' quotes will be distributed. A verbal play-by-play account of down and distance will be provided over the press box public address system. Postgame fax services for statistical information will be available to the media following the game. Media requiring this service should contact a member of the Cal Media Relations staff by the end of the third quarter. A complimentary meal and soft drinks will be served prior to the game through halftime to all members of the media in the press box.

## VISITING RADIO PHONE LINES

One MB line and one ISDN line, along with two dry lines in the visitor's locker room, are available for use by visiting radio. The rental charge is \$150.00 (regardless of how many lines are used). Payment is accepted by check only and should be made payable to "UC Regents" and received by the Cal Media Relations Office prior to the day of the game.

## PHOTOGRAPHERS

Field photographers must wear a photo armband in plain sight at all times, in addition to the photo credential. The armband can be picked up on the west side of the playing field near Section EE. A new armband is issued for each game. NCAA rules limit shooting to outside the restraining line enclosing the playing field and outside the 25-yard lines (the team area).

## PHOTOGRAPHER WORK AREA

A photo work area has been established at field level in tunnel F of Memorial Stadium (west side at approximately the 20-yard-line on the north end of the field). Wireless internet, pre-game meals, game programs and flip cards are all available in the photo work area.

## POSTGAME INTERVIEWS

Cal postgame interviews are conducted in the Travers Club Room, with access on the mezzanine level of Memorial Stadium near Section AA. Following a 10-minute cooling off period, head coach Jeff Tedford will answer questions first, followed by requested players. The visiting team locker room is located at the south end of the stadium, next to stairway 18 (sections J-JJ). Formal visiting team head coach and player interviews will be conducted in the tunnel area below the locker room and will be coordinated through the visiting team SID staff.

## POSTGAME MEDIA WORK AREA

Media may work in the press box following games, but are encouraged to use the Travers Club Room (near Section AA) for filing purposes. The Club Room is an enclosed area with desk space and telephones. Final statistics will be available there, as well.

## WIRELESS INTERNET

Wireless internet is available on game days in the press box and in the media work room.

## CAL MEDIA RELATIONS STAFF



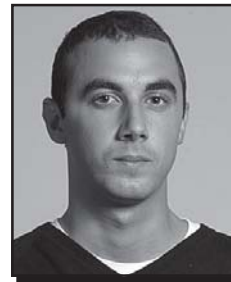
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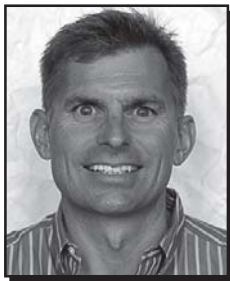
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# TELEVISION/RADIO

## THE FLAGSHIP STATION

The University of California and San Francisco's KGO Radio (810 AM) continue to enjoy the longest running broadcast relationship in the Bay Area. Entering its 34th year as the home of California Golden Bears football, KGO, the 50,000-watt, ABC-owned radio station, serves as the flagship of the California Radio Network. KGO has been carrying California football since the 1974 season.



The University and KGO reached an agreement during the summer of 2005 that will keep the Bears on 810 AM through the 2009 season. The marriage of KGO and Cal football is the longest standing radio association in the Pacific-10 Conference and one of the longest in all of college athletics.

## IN THE BOOTH

Joe Starkey, the legendary voice of the Bears, will return for his 33rd season with California in the fall of 2007. He is perhaps best known for his legendary call of "The Play." The famous five-lateral kickoff return for a touchdown against Stanford in 1982 is part of college football lore with Starkey's emotional "the band is on the field" part of gridiron vernacular.



**Joe Starkey**

Starkey, also the radio voice of the San Francisco 49ers, has had various NFL and NHL assignments during the course of his career, including a stint with the Minnesota Vikings.

He is joined in the booth by former Cal quarterback Troy Taylor. Taylor, now in his third year on the Cal network, was a California letterman and quarterback from 1986-89. He still holds the school records for career passing yards (8,126) and total offense (8,236), completing 58 percent of his passes with 51 career touchdown passes. Taylor was a member of the Cal coaching staff from 1996-99 while working with the Bears' receivers, tight ends and quarterbacks.



**Troy Taylor**

On the sidelines for his third season on the Cal network is Todd McKim. A long-time member of the Oregon media and a television anchor



**Todd McKim**



and sports director in Eugene, McKim was the 2000 Oregon broadcaster of the year, becoming the first person outside of the Portland metro area to win the award. He also serves as host of the California Sports Report television show.

## BEFORE AND AFTER

Each broadcast begins with a 30-minute pregame show that leads to the kickoff. The postgame includes reaction from the Bears' locker room and a Fifth Quarter program held remotely from a to-be-determined Berkeley location.

## NETWORK AFFILIATES

The Golden Bear Radio network blankets most of the state of California with affiliates from San Diego to Redding, leaving very few corners of the state out of range of network. The lineup of networks include:

KGO .....	810 AM .....	San Francisco
KMZT .....	1260 AM .....	Los Angeles
XSURF .....	540 AM .....	San Diego
KNTK .....	102.3 FM .....	Weed
KCBL .....	1340 AM .....	Fresno
KESP .....	970 AM .....	Modesto
KNRO .....	1670 AM .....	Redding
KVBL .....	1400 AM .....	Visalia

## COMCAST SPORTS

The University of California, Cal Sports Properties/ISP Sports and Comcast SportsNet are in the third year of an agreement that makes Comcast the local home of California Athletics. Comcast serves as the home of the weekly California Sports Report and at least 11 live competitions each academic year.

## XM SATELLITE RADIO

California fans can also track the Bears through XM Satellite Radio, a corporate partner of the Pacific-10 Conference.

## CAL SPORTS REPORT

The California Sports Report is a weekly television show centered on University of California Athletics. Host Todd McKim takes a look at upcoming events, recaps the previous week's action and introduces California fans to stories and events unique to Cal.

Each new edition of the show will air several times each week throughout the football and basketball seasons and will feature updates on all of California's athletic programs.



**Head coach Jeff Tedford speaks with Cal sideline reporter Todd McKim.**



# 2007 ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	EXP	HOMETOWN (HS/LAST SCHOOL)
96	Solomona Aigamaua	DE	6-3	215	FR	HS	Honolulu, HI (St. Louis HS)
93	John Allen	DT	6-1	250	SR	2V	Los Gatos (Los Gatos HS)
44	Tyson Alualu	DT	6-4	288	SO	1V	Honolulu, HI (St. Louis HS)
27	Charles Amadi	DB	5-11	182	FR	RS	Fresno (Edison HS)
19	Bryan Anger	P	6-4	190	FR	HS	Camarillo (Camarillo HS)
45	Julian Arthur	TE	6-5	276	SR	2V	La Jolla (The Bishop's School)
48	Gavin Beeman	DB	6-0	190	FR	RS	Lafayette (Acalanes HS)
50	Kevin Bemoll	OL	6-5	315	SO	SQ	Mission Viejo (Mission Viejo HS)
4	Jahvid Best	RB	5-10	185	FR	HS	Vallejo (Salesian HS)
10	Devin Bishop	LB	6-3	230	JR	JC	San Francisco (Will C. Wood HS/ CC San Francisco)
6	Nyan Boateng	WR	6-2	204	JR	TR	Brooklyn, N.Y. (Lincoln HS/Florida)
70	Mark Boskovich	OL	6-4	296	FR	RS	Los Altos (St. Francis)
20	Jesse Brooks	DB	6-0	194	SO	1V	Oakland (Bishop O'Dowd HS)
57	Keith Browner	DE	6-6	256	FR	RS	Los Angeles (Dorsey HS)
84	Michael Calvin	WR	6-3	200	FR	HS	San Lorenzo (San Lorenzo HS)
8	D.J. Campbell	S	6-0	185	FR	HS	North Las Vegas, NV (Cheyenne HS)
11	Sean Cattouse	CB	6-3	190	FR	HS	Chicago, IL (Hubbard HS)
61	Justin Cheadle	OL	6-5	280	FR	HS	Bakersfield (Bakersfield HS)
17	Chris Conte	CB	6-3	190	FR	HS	Los Angeles (Loyola HS)
77	Michael Costanzo	DL	6-3	287	FR	RS	Danville (Monte Vista HS)
85	LaReylle Cunningham	WR	6-2	195	JR	2V	Fairfield (Vanden HS)
83	Skylar Curran	TE	6-5	250	JR	JC	Woodland (Woodland HS/Butte CC)
94	Rulon Davis	DE	6-5	275	JR	1V	San Diego (Charter Oak HS/ Mt. San Antonio CC)
63	Brian De La Puente	OL	6-4	302	SR	2V	San Clemente (San Clemente HS)
4	Thomas DeCoud	S	6-2	204	SR	3V	Pinole (Pinole Valley HS)
71	Sam DeMartinis	OL	6-6	270	FR	HS	Sherman Oaks (Notre Dame HS)
14	Nick Demopoulos	K	5-10	165	FR	RS	San Diego (Avon Old Farms HS)
86	Sam DeSa	WR	5-10	195	SR	3V	Alamo (Monte Vista HS)
6	Gary Doxy	DB	6-1	193	SO	1V	Long Beach (Long Beach Poly HS)
99	Savai'i Eselu	TE	6-4	245	FR	HS	Honolulu, HI (Moanalua HS)
29	Marcus Ezeff	DB	6-0	194	SO	1V	Santa Rosa (Montgomery HS)
15	Anthony Felder	LB	6-4	231	JR	2V	Seattle, WA (O'Dea HS)
73	Richard Fisher	OL	6-5	260	FR	RS	Ben Lomond (Scotts Valley HS)
56	Zack Follett	LB	6-2	232	JR	2V	Clovis (Clovis HS)
20	Justin Forsett	TB	5-8	196	SR	3V	Arlington, TX (Grace Prep)
28	Kenny Frank	S	5-11	201	SR	1V	Cerritos (Cerritos HS)
32	R.J. Garrett	FB	5-10	249	FR	RS	Compton (Crenshaw HS)
54	Justin Gates	DE	6-3	265	FR	HS	Reno, NV (Galena HS)
53	Mike Gibson	OL	6-5	302	SR	1V	Napa (Napa HS/Solano CC)
18	Drew Glover	WR	6-3	197	JR	SQ	Oakland (Bishop O'Dowd HS)
89	Garry Graffort	TE	6-4	232	FR	RS	Concord (Ygnacio Valley HS)
77	Mark Gray	OL	6-0	275	SR	1V	San Pedro (Loyola HS/EI Camino CC)
54	Chris Guarnero	OL	6-3	275	FR	RS	Arvada, CO (Mullen HS)
26	Darian Hagan	DB	6-1	180	FR	RS	Los Angeles (Crenshaw HS)
3	Brandon Hampton	S	5-10	193	SR	3V	Los Angeles (Westchester HS)
7	Lavelle Hawkins	WR	5-11	185	SR	2V	Stockton (Edison HS/CC San Francisco)
2	Bernard Hicks	S	6-0	202	JR	2V	Fresno (Edison HS)
76	Derrick Hill	DL	6-3	289	FR	RS	Oakland (McClymonds HS)
33	Brian Holley	FB	5-10	221	SO	SQ	Pomona (Diamond Ranch HS)
3	D.J. Holt	LB	6-2	235	FR	HS	Encino (Crespi Carmelite HS)
57	Todd Huber	OL	6-3	285	FR	HS	Rolling Hills (Palos Verdes Peninsula HS)
1	DeSean Jackson	WR	6-0	172	JR	2V	Los Angeles (Long Beach Poly HS)
25	Brett Johnson	DB	6-2	192	SO	1V	Henderson, NV (Green Valley HS)
43	Charles Johnson	LB	6-2	234	SO	JC	Lake Forest (El Toro HS/Saddleback CC)
23	Brandon Jones	DB	5-10	179	FR	RS	Seattle, WA (O'Dea HS)
91	Cody Jones	DE	6-5	270	SO	1V	Tucson, AZ (Sabino HS)

# NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO	NAME	POS
1	DeSean Jackson	WR
1	Worrell Williams	LB
2	Bernard Hicks	S
2	Robert Jordan	WR
3	Brandon Hampton	S
3	D.J. Holt	LB
4	Jahvid Best	RB
4	Thomas DeCoud	S
5	Cameron Morrah	TE
5	Syd'Quan Thompson	DB
6	Nyan Boateng	WR
6	Gary Doxy	DB
7	Lavelle Hawkins	WR
7	Robert Peele	DB
8	D.J. Campbell	S
8	Kyle Reed	QB
9	Nate Longshore	QB
9	Eddie Young	LB
10	Devin Bishop	LB
10	Brock Mansion	QB
11	Sean Cattouse	CB
11	Andrew Larson	P
11	Jeremy Ross	WR
13	Kevin Riley	QB
14	Nick Demopoulos	K
14	Cory Smits	QB
15	Anthony Felder	LB
15	Tom Schneider	PK
16	Justin Moye	LB
16	Bryan Van Meter	QB
17	Chris Conte	CB
18	Drew Glover	WR
18	Michael Mohamed	LB
19	Bryan Anger	P
19	Eric Morrah	LB
19	Craig Stevens	TE
20	Jesse Brooks	DB
20	Justin Forsett	TB
21	James Montgomery	RB
22	Tracy Slocum	RB
23	Brandon Jones	DB
23	Will Ta'ufu'ou	FB
24	Shane Vereen	RB
25	Brett Johnson	DB
26	Darian Hagan	DB
27	Charles Amadi	DB
27	Zach Smith	FB
28	Kenny Frank	S
29	Marcus Ezeff	DB
30	Joe Robles	K/P
31	John Tyndall	FB
32	R.J. Garrett	FB
33	Brian Holley	FB
33	Matt Russi	LB
34	Jordan Kay	PK
34	Bryan Schutte	TB





NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	EXP	HOMETOWN (HS/LAST SCHOOL)
97	Cameron Jordan	DE	6-4	260	FR	HS	Chandler, AZ (Chandler HS)
2	Robert Jordan	WR	5-11	171	SR	3V	Oakland (Hayward HS)
98	Mika Kane	DT	6-3	305	JR	2V	Honolulu, HI (Kamehameha HS)
36	Will Kapp	DB	5-11	207	FR	HS	Los Gatos (Los Gatos HS)
50	Jonathan Karacozoff	DL	6-1	250	SO	SQ	Carmichael (Jesuit HS)
34	Jordan Kay	PK	5-10	197	JR	SQ	Rolling Hills (Peninsula HS)
47	Kyle Kirst	DB	5-11	193	SO	1V	Danville (San Ramon Valley HS)
82	Alex Lagemann	WR	6-3	206	FR	HS	Saratoga (Saratoga HS)
76	Matt Laird	OL	6-7	295	SO	SQ	Clovis (San Joaquin Memorial HS)
11	Andrew Larson	P	6-2	197	SR	1V	Mission Viejo (Laguna Hills HS/ Saddleback CC)
80	Daniel Lofton	WR	6-3	199	FR	RS	San Diego (Westview HS)
9	Nate Longshore	QB	6-5	233	JR	2V	Canyon Country (Canyon HS)
51	Alex Mack	OL	6-5	300	JR	2V	Santa Barbara (San Marcos HS)
69	Matthew Malele	DT	6-1	312	SR	3V	Carson (Carson HS)
55	Noris Malele	OL	6-3	303	JR	2V	Carson (Carson HS)
10	Brock Mansion	QB	6-5	225	FR	HS	Dallas, TX (Episcopal School of Dallas)
99	Phillip Mbakogu	DE	6-3	275	JR	2V	Hayward (Hayward HS)
42	Shea McIntyre	LB	6-1	221	SO	SQ	Oakland (Skyline HS)
46	Cooper Miller	WR	6-4	205	FR	RS	Palo Alto (Palo Alto HS)
18	Michael Mohamed	LB	6-4	220	FR	RS	Brawley (Brawley HS)
21	James Montgomery	RB	5-10	205	FR	RS	Rancho Cordova (Cordova HS)
5	Cameron Morrah	TE	6-4	243	SO	1V	Claremont (Claremont HS)
19	Eric Morrah	LB	6-2	202	SR	SQ	Claremont (Claremont HS/Kansas State)
45	Tyler Morrow	LB	6-0	210	JR	JC	Fresno (Clovis West HS/Fresno CC)
16	Justin Moye	LB	6-1	228	SR	2V	Modesto (Central Catholic HS)
37	Robert Mullins	LB	6-2	212	FR	HS	Los Angeles (Dorsey HS)
95	Ernest Owusu	DE	6-5	250	FR	HS	Nashville, TN (Father Ryan HS/ The Hun School)
7	Robert Peele	DB	5-10	187	SO	1V	Fresno (Edison HS)
78	Justin Prueitt	OL	6-5	275	FR	RS	Clovis (Buchanan HS)
8	Kyle Reed	QB	6-3	205	SO	SQ	Oakland (McClymonds HS)
13	Kevin Riley	QB	6-3	215	FR	RS	Portland, OR (Beaverton HS)
30	Joe Robles	K/P	5-11	195	FR	RS	Mission Viejo (Tesoro HS)
11	Jeremy Ross	WR	6-0	205	FR	RS	Sacramento, CA (Laguna Creek HS)
33	Matt Russi	LB	5-10	235	SO	1V	Danville (Monte Vista HS)
15	Tom Schneider	PK	6-1	194	SR	3V	Walnut Creek (Las Lomas HS)
34	Bryan Schutte	TB	6-1	195	SO	1V	Fountain Valley (Fountain Valley HS)
72	Mitchell Schwartz	OL	6-5	300	FR	HS	Pacific Palisades (Palisades Charter HS)
22	Tracy Slocum	RB	5-11	198	FR	RS	Fresno (Clovis East HS)
90	Scott Smith	DE	6-6	250	FR	HS	Honolulu, HI (St. Louis HS)
92	Tad Smith	DE	6-6	250	SO	SQ	Isleton (St. Mary's HS)
27	Zach Smith	FB	5-11	215	JR	TR	Suwanee, GA (Buford HS/Duke)
14	Cory Smits	QB	6-2	203	SO	SQ	Agoura Hills (Agoura HS)
19	Craig Stevens	TE	6-5	258	SR	3V	San Pedro (Peninsula HS)
87	Alex Stroud	WR	6-2	193	JR	SQ	Danville (De La Salle HS/Illinois)
75	Matt Summers-Gavin	OL	6-5	280	FR	HS	San Francisco (St. Ignatius HS)
68	Nick Sundberg	LS	6-1	248	JR	2V	Phoenix, AZ (North Canyon HS)
23	Will Ta'ufou'ou	FB	6-0	253	JR	2V	San Carlos (St. Francis HS)
58	Chet Teofilo	OL	6-4	305	JR	1V	Chula Vista (Hilltop HS)
79	Mike Tepper	OL	6-7	308	JR	1V	Cypress (Pacifica HS)
35	Ryan Theimer	P	6-2	190	FR	HS	Monrovia (Monrovia HS)
5	Syd'Quan Thompson	DB	5-10	181	SO	1V	Sacramento (Grant HS)
81	Cameron Toler	WR	5-10	178	SO	SQ	El Sobrante (Bishop O'Dowd HS)
31	John Tyndall	FB	6-3	220	FR	HS	Pacific Grove (Pacific Grove HS)
55	Greg Van Hoesen	LB	6-4	233	SR	3V	Saratoga (Saratoga HS)
16	Bryan Van Meter	QB	6-1	192	JR	1V	Aptos (Aptos HS)
24	Shane Vereen	RB	5-10	185	FR	HS	Valencia (Valencia HS)
1	Worrell Williams	LB	6-2	243	JR	2V	Sacramento (Grant Union HS)
9	Eddie Young	LB	6-1	228	SO	SQ	Berkeley (Berkeley HS)
88	Sean Young	WR	5-11	181	SR	3V	Berkeley (Berkeley HS)

35	Ryan Theimer	P
36	Will Kapp	DB
37	Robert Mullins	LB
42	Shea McIntyre	LB
43	Charles Johnson	LB
44	Tyson Alualu	DT
45	Julian Arthur	TE
45	Tyler Morrow	LB
46	Cooper Miller	WR
47	Kyle Kirst	DB
48	Gavin Beeman	DB
50	Kevin Bemoll	OL
50	Jon Karacozoff	DL
51	Alex Mack	OL
53	Mike Gibson	OL
54	Justin Gates	DL
54	Chris Guarnero	OL
55	Noris Malele	OL
55	Greg Van Hoesen	LB
56	Zack Follett	LB
57	Keith Browner	DE
57	Todd Huber	OL
58	Chet Teofilo	OL
61	Justin Cheadle	OL
63	Brian De La Puente	OL
68	Nick Sundberg	LS
69	Matthew Malele	DT
70	Mark Boskovich	OL
71	Sam DeMartinis	OL
72	Mitchell Schwartz	OL
73	Richard Fisher	OL
75	Matt Summers-Gavin	OL
76	Derrick Hill	DL
76	Matt Laird	OL
77	Michael Costanzo	DL
77	Mark Gray	OL
78	Justin Prueitt	OL
79	Mike Tepper	OL
80	Daniel Lofton	WR
81	Cameron Toler	WR
82	Alex Lagemann	WR
83	Skylar Curran	TE
84	Michael Calvin	WR
85	LaReylle Cunningham	WR
86	Sam DeSa	WR
87	Alex Stroud	WR
88	Sean Young	WR
89	Garry Graffort	TE
90	Scott Smith	DE
91	Cody Jones	DE
92	Tad Smith	DE
93	John Allen	DT
94	Rulon Davis	DE
95	Ernest Owusu	DE
96	Solomona Aigamaua	DE
97	Cameron Jordan	DE
98	Mika Kane	DT
99	Savai'i Eselu	TE
99	Phillip Mbakogu	DE



# 2007 PRESEASON DEPTH CHART

## OFFENSE

WR	2	Robert Jordan (5-11, 171, Sr.)
	7	Lavelle Hawkins (5-11, 185, Sr.)*
OT	53	Mike Gibson (6-5, 302, Sr.)
	58	Chet Teofilo (6-4, 305, Jr.)*
OG	63	Brian De La Puente (6-4, 302, Sr.)*
	70	Mark Boskovich (6-4, 296, So.)
C	51	Alex Mack (6-5, 300, Jr.)*
	54	Chris Guarnero (6-3, 275, Fr.)*
	77	Mark Gray (6-0, 275, Sr.)
OG	55	Noris Malele (6-3, 303, Jr.)*
	70	Mark Boskovich (6-4, 296, So.)
OT	79	Mike Tepper (6-7, 308, Jr.)*
	76	Matt Laird (6-7, 295, So.)*
	78	Justin Prueitt (6-5, 275, Fr.)*
TE	19	Craig Stevens (6-5, 258, Sr.)*
	5	Cameron Morrah (6-4, 243, So.)*
WR	1	DeSean Jackson (6-0, 172, Jr.)
	86	Sam DeSa (5-10, 195, Sr.)*
QB	9	Nate Longshore (6-5, 233, Jr.)*
	8	Kyle Reed (6-3, 205, So.)*
OR	13	Kevin Riley (6-3, 215, Fr.)*
FB	23	Will Ta'ufo'ou (6-0, 253, So.)*
	33	Brian Holley (5-10, 221, So.)
TB	20	Justin Forsett (5-8, 196, Sr.)
	21	James Montgomery (5-10, 205, Fr.)*

## DEFENSE

DE	91	Cody Jones (6-5, 270, So.)*
	94	Rulon Davis (6-5, 275, Jr.)*
DT	69	Matt Malele (6-1, 312, Sr.)*
	77	Michael Costanzo (6-3, 287, Fr.)*
DT	98	Mika Kane (6-3, 305, Jr.)
	76	Derrick Hill (6-3, 289, Fr.)*
DE	44	Tyson Alualu (6-4, 288, So.)
	93	John Allen (6-1, 250, Sr.)
	92	Tad Smith (6-6, 250, So.)*
SLB	16	Justin Moye (6-1, 228, Sr.)*
OR	56	Zack Follett (6-2, 232, Jr.)
	9	Eddie Young (6-1, 228, So.)*
MLB	1	Worrell Williams (6-2, 243, Jr.)*
	55	Greg Van Hoesen (6-4, 227, Sr.)*
WLB	15	Anthony Felder (6-4, 231, Jr.)
	56	Zack Follett (6-2, 232, Jr.)
CB	7	Robert Peele (5-10, 187, So.)*
	27	Charles Amadi (5-11, 182, Fr.)*
FS	4	Thomas DeCoud (6-3, 204, Sr.)*
	2	Bernard Hicks (6-1, 202, Jr.)*
ROV	2	Bernard Hicks (6-1, 202, Jr.)*
	29	Marcus Ezeff (6-0, 194, So.)*
CB	5	Syd'Quan Thompson (5-11, 181, So.)*
	26	Darian Hagan (6-1, 180, Fr.)*

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

NO	NAME	POS
96	ALGAMAUA, Solomona	DE
	eye-ING-ah-mah-OO-ah, SAUL-ih-mona	
44	ALUALU, Tyson	DT
	AH-loo-AH-loo	
27	AMADI, Charles	DB
	ah-MAH-dee	
57	BEMOLL, Kevin	OL
	BEE-mole	
4	BEST, Jahvid	RB
	JAH-vid	
11	CATTOUSE, Sean	CB
	cah-TOOS	
17	CONTE, Chris	CB
	CON-tee	
85	CUNNINGHAM, LaReylle	WR
	lah-RELL	
4	DeCOUD, Thomas	DB
	DAY-coo	
71	DeMARTINIS, Sam	OL
	DEE-mar-TEEN-is	
86	DeSA, Sam	WR
	duh-SAH	
99	ESELU, Savai'i	TE
	ih-SELL-ew, sah-VAH-ee	
29	EZEFF, Marcus	DB
	EE-zeff	
56	FOLLETT, Zack	LB
	FALL-ett	
20	FORSETT, Justin	TB
	for-SETT	
98	KANE, Mika	DT
	KAHN-ay, MEE-kah	
82	LAGEMANN, Alex	WR
	LAH-gah-min	
69	MALELE, Matt	DT
	muh-LAY-lay	
55	MALELE, Noris	OL
	muh-LAY-lay	
99	MBAKOGU, Phillip	DE
	em-BOCK-oo	
95	OWUSU, Ernest	DE
	OH-woo-sue	
33	RUSSI, Matt	LB
	RUSS-ee	
35	SCHUTTE, Bryan	TB
	SHOOT-ee	
36	TA'UFO'OU, Will	FB
	tau-FOE-oh	
58	TEOFILO, Chet	OL
	TAY-oh-fee-low	
5	THOMPSON, Syd'Quan	DB
	SID-quan	
55	VAN HOESEN, Greg	LB
	van HOO-zen	
1	WILLIAMS, Worrell	LB
	wor-ELL	



## SPECIALISTS

P	11	Andrew Larson (6-2, 197, Sr.)
	19	Bryan Anger (6-4, 190, Fr.)
PK	15	Tom Schneider (6-1, 194, Sr.)*
	34	Jordan Kay (5-10, 197, Jr.)*
HO	13	Kevin Riley (6-3, 215, Fr.)*
OR	16	Bryan Van Meter (6-1, 192, Jr.)*
SN	68	Nick Sundberg (6-1, 248, Jr.)
	63	Brian De La Puente (6-4, 302, Sr.)*
PR	1	DeSean Jackson (6-0, 172, Jr.)
	3	Brandon Hampton (5-10, 193, Sr.)*
KOR	20	Justin Forsett (5-8, 196, Sr.)
OR	7	Lavelle Hawkins (5-11, 185, Sr.)
OR	21	James Montgomery (5-10, 205, Fr.)*

\* indicates redshirt

### Wide Receiver Coach

Dan Ferrigno ..... Fah-REEN-yo

### Offensive Coordinator

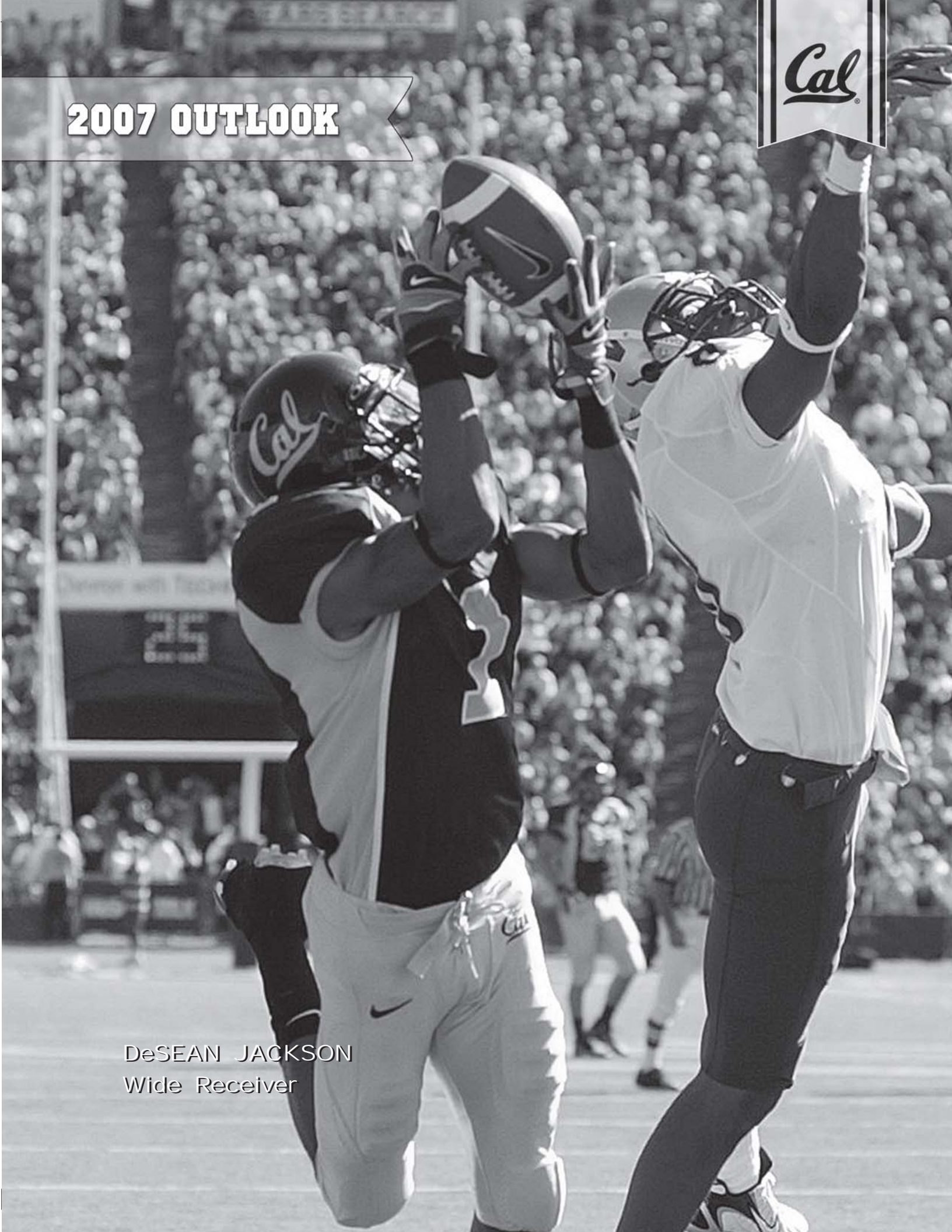
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# 2007 OUTLOOK

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# THIS IS BEAR TERRITORY

## Tedford Plans on Same Formula For Success in 2007: HARD WORK

***"You know it, you know the story, you tell the whole wide world, this is Bear Territory."***

Behind one of its popular rallying cheers, the California football team aims to put an even larger footprint on the Bay Area as "Bear Territory" in 2007. One of the most potent offenses in college football returns for the 2007 season, ready to show off its stable of playmakers and pile up the points, while the Cal defense will again prepare to shut down its foes. However, head coach Jeff Tedford has some words of caution before another successful season is guaranteed.

"We have the ability and the skill to do some things," Tedford said. "It all comes down to how hard we work and how much attention we pay to detail. That will be the focus as we go into camp. I have a lot of confidence that this team can be a good team, but there's still a lot of work to be done."

Tedford has built the Golden Bears into one of the top programs in the nation, leading California to four straight bowl appearances and top-10 national rankings in each of the last three years. Cal's 36 wins over the last four years are the most in any four-year stretch in over 50 years for the Bears.

While Cal may not seem like an overly experienced team on paper – its 14 returning offensive and defensive starters is just seventh among Pac-10 teams – closer examination reveals the Golden Bears will have tremendous depth in 2007 as 31 players who have started games in their collegiate careers are returning. Even with the loss of key players, including three to the NFL Draft and six more to the league as free agents, Cal has veterans at nearly every position, as well as a group of highly-touted recruits waiting in the wings.

Leading the way to continued success in 2007 is a receiving corps rated among the best in the country. Oakland product **Robert Jordan** has caught passes in 30 straight games and Stockton native **Lavelle Hawkins** has developed into a big-play star. However, capturing the bulk of the spotlight has been Heisman Trophy candidate **DeSean Jackson**, a lightning-quick receiver and the top return man in the nation. Just a junior, Jackson had a Pac-10 record four punt return touchdowns in 2006 while also tallying over 1,000 receiving yards. Meanwhile, quarterback **Nate Longshore** has the luxury of his three star receivers to build on an impressive 2006 season which saw him become just the second Bear quarterback in history to pass for over 3,000 yards.

The Bears won't be all passing, however, as senior **Justin Forsett** steps into a prime-time role at running back. The powerful back has exceptional quickness and poise and should prove to be a handful for opposing defenses as he hopes to give Tedford his ninth straight year with a 1,000-yard rusher.

Helping to anchor the potent offensive attack are three returning starters on the offensive line, including all-conference selections **Alex Mack** and **Mike Gibson**, as well as 6-5, 258-pound tight end **Craig Stevens**, who is expected to challenge for the Mackey Award as the top tight end in the nation.

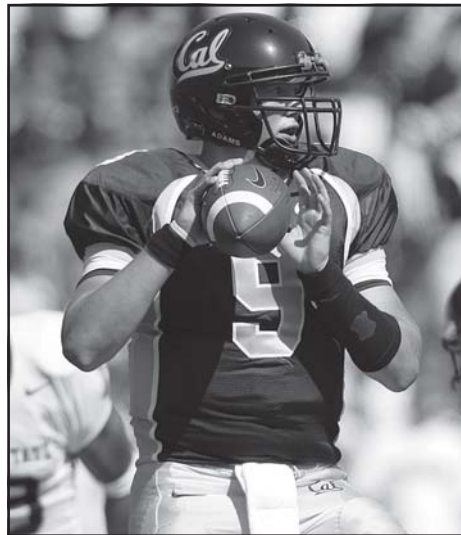
While Cal Football is usually associated with offense, the Golden Bear defense has ranked in the top two in the Pac-10 in points allowed in each of the last three years. Expect more of the same as junior linebackers **Zack Follett** and **Worrell Williams**, safeties **Thomas DeCoud**, **Brandon Hampton** and **Bernard Hicks** and cornerback **Syd'Quan Thompson** prepare to shut down the opposition again in 2007. While the top returnees on the defensive line are 312-pound senior **Matt Malele** and 305-pound junior **Mika Kane**, a host of young talent is also expected to make key contributions in 2007.

As any coach will be quick to point out, offense and defense are only two parts of the puzzle. The third phase of a successful program is special teams. The 2007 Golden Bears are expected to have a special teams corps which will rank among the best in the nation once again. Senior placekicker **Tom Schneider** and senior punter **Andrew Larson** are both in line for national recognition while long snapper **Nick Sundberg** is a star at an under-appreciated position. And with Jackson returning punts, foes will be hard-pressed to gain an edge in the kicking game.

Tedford has built the Bears into an undeniable power on the gridiron and that success has translated to a line of records at the turnstiles. Last season, Cal averaged a record 64,318 fans at its seven home games. In addition, Memorial Stadium, which has been ranked as the No. 1 venue in the country to watch a college football game, has seen 50,000-plus fans at 18 straight games. This year's schedule features six Division I-A opponents, including USC and inter-sectional foe Tennessee, which makes its first trip to Berkeley for the opener on Sept. 1.

Despite the tremendous success of recent seasons, the Golden Bears are not wasting time reading their own press clippings. "It will be exciting in 2007," said Longshore. "We have a lot of playmakers and our fans can expect us to play our hardest and they can expect us to be prepared. Those are things that we can control. There's a lot to work on in the off-season, but if we are willing to put in the time and the work, I think there is the potential for big things to happen."

With Tedford at the helm, there is little doubt the Bears will be among the hardest working and best prepared teams in the nation. And that combination should make for many post-game celebrations with the team chanting, "You know it, you know the story, you tell the whole wide world, this is Bear Territory."



**Nate Longshore**

### OFFENSE

#### QUARTERBACK:

Junior **Nate Longshore** stepped into the starting role at quarterback in 2006 and established himself as one of the top signal-callers in the Pac-10, if not the nation. As a sophomore, Longshore connected for 24 touchdowns while directing the California offense to a Pac-10 best 32.8 points per game. He also delivered 51 passes that went for 20 yards or more.

"I thought Nate did a great job last year," Tedford said. "I'm very impressed with what he did, how he learned and progressed through the season."

#### QUARTERBACK

9 Nate Longshore	6-5	233	JR	2V
10 Brock Mansion	6-5	225	FR	HS
8 Kyle Reed	6-3	205	SO	SQ
13 Kevin Riley	6-3	215	FR	RS
14 Cory Smits	6-2	203	SO	SQ
16 Bryan Van Meter	6-1	192	JR	1V

Sophomore **Kyle Reed** and redshirt freshman **Kevin Riley** both gained some good experience during spring ball, but both also battled injuries. The duo will be eager to earn some in-game experience during the 2007 campaign.

"Kyle is a big, strong, fast guy with a nice arm, competitive and tough," Tedford said. "He's got a lot of great physical attributes there. Kevin's fairly mobile, not as mobile as Kyle, but Kevin has a pretty good understanding of what's going on for a young guy. He throws great balls and has a great presence in the pocket."

"It really comes down to their ability to run the offense, understand what we're doing, and put us in position to be successful offensively. There's a lot to it, managing the clock, managing field position and just the whole management of the game and the offense. They really haven't had the chance to do that yet and that's where they are right now."





Justin Forsett

**RUNNING BACK:**

Justin Forsett is slotted No. 1 on the depth chart at tailback entering the fall after paying his dues for three years in a secondary back role. The senior from Florida by way of Texas has established himself during his time in Berkeley as one of the top non-starting backs in the nation – and with over 1,600 yards, six 100-yard games and an average of 6.4 yards per carry, the veteran is more than ready to handle the bulk of the carries.

“Justin just needs to keep doing what he’s been doing,” Tedford said. “He’s going to have the chance to do it more often now. He’s been a very dependable guy for us, hopefully we can keep him healthy and he can play a major role.”

**TAILBACK**

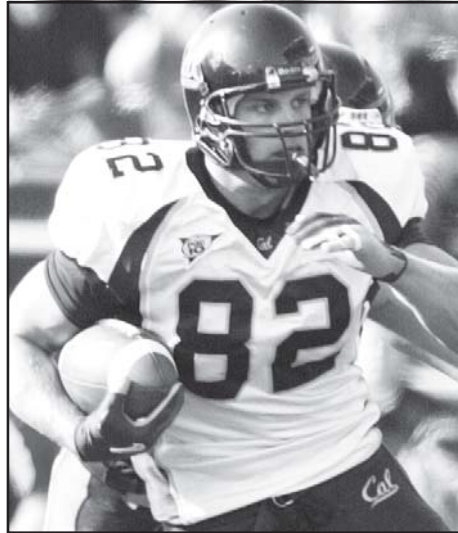
4 Jahvid Best	5-10	185	FR	HS
20 Justin Forsett	5-8	196	SR	3V
21 James Montgomery	5-10	205	FR	RS
34 Bryan Schutte	6-1	195	SO	1V
22 Tracy Slocum	5-11	198	FR	RS
24 Shane Vereen	5-10	185	FR	HS

**FULLBACK**

32 R.J. Garrett	5-10	249	FR	RS
33 Brian Holley	5-10	221	SO	SQ
23 Will Ta’ufo’ou	6-0	253	JR	2V
31 John Tyndall	6-3	220	FR	HS

While Forsett appears entrenched at tailback, Tedford’s offenses have historically relied heavily on multiple running backs. In each of the last three years, Cal has split carries between the likes of J.J. Arrington, Marshawn Lynch, Marcus O’Keith and Forsett. After a strong spring, redshirt freshmen **James Montgomery** seems poised to take over that secondary role in the backfield. However, classmate **Tracy Slocum**, who battled hamstring problems in the spring, will also compete for playing time.

A pair of true freshmen speedsters, **Jahvid Best** and **Shane Vereen**, will also join the squad for 2007, giving the Golden Bears two of the



Craig Stevens

fastest tailbacks in the nation. Sophomore **Bryan Schutte**, who scored his first career touchdown in the Holiday Bowl, will also provide depth at running back.

The fullback position will be ably manned by junior **Will Ta’ufo’ou** who was very impressive in his starting debut last season in the Holiday Bowl in place of the injured Byron Storer. Ta’ufo’ou is a bruising blocker who is capable of handling the ball in short-yardage situations and also showed the skills to catch passes out of the backfield.

Sophomore **Brian Holley** and redshirt freshman **R.J. Garrett** will also have the opportunity to see action at fullback this year.

**TIGHT END:**

Already a two-time All-Pac-10 selection, **Craig Stevens** returns for his senior season as one of the top tight ends in the nation. Last season, he tallied 17 catches for 239 yards, including seven catches on third or fourth down – all for first downs. He is also a force in the blocking game and was voted a team captain following the season.

“Craig may be unheralded to the media,” Tedford said. “But he was second team All-Pac-10; people are recognizing his efforts. He does a lot of things you don’t realize; a lot of times, tight ends are evaluated on their catches and yards, but the physical presence he brings to our offense on the edge is very, very important to what we’re doing.”

**TIGHT END**

45 Julian Arthur	6-5	276	SR	2V
83 Skylar Curran	6-5	250	JR	JC
99 Savai’i Eselu	6-4	245	FR	HS
89 Garry Graffort	6-4	232	FR	RS
5 Cameron Morrah	6-4	243	SO	1V
19 Craig Stevens	6-5	258	SR	3V

While Stevens has become a key to the Golden Bear success, sophomore **Cameron Morrah** is poised to step into a much larger role in 2007. A big, strong athlete, Morrah will give the Bears

**INDIVIDUAL BEAR HIGHLIGHTS - 2006**

For the first time in program history, Cal swept the Pac-10 Offensive (**Marshawn Lynch**) and Defensive (**Daymeion Hughes**) Player of the Year honors ... the Bears had seven All-Pac-10 first-team selections and five second-team honorees ... **DeSean Jackson** ranked first in the nation in punt return average (18.20) and led the nation with four punt-return touchdowns ... he set school records with 455 total punt return yards and his 18.2 yards per punt return ... **Jackson** set season (4) and career (5) Pac-10 records for punt return TDs with his 95-yard return against Arizona ... **Jackson** also finished the season with a team-best 1,060 receiving yards (just the fifth 1,000-yard receiving season in school history) ... **Nate Longshore** finished second in the Pac-10 in TD passes (24) and passing efficiency (141.6), and third in passing yards (3,021) ... Longshore became just the second QB in program history to throw over 3,000 yards in a season (Pat Barnes - 3,499 yards in 1996) ... **Lynch** finished his junior campaign with a Pac-10 best 1,356 rushing yards to become just the second player in Cal history with two 1,000-yard seasons ... he finished his career second all-time in rushing yards at Cal (3,230) ... **Lynch** topped the Pac-10 in touchdowns with 15, while **Jackson** finished tied for second with 13 ... **Jackson** has 21 touchdowns in 24 career games entering the 2007 season ... **Hughes** finished his career second all-time at Cal with 15 interceptions (four returned for touchdowns) and 29 passes deflected (third at Cal) ... **Desmond Bishop** finished 2006 as the Pac-10 leader with 126 tackles for 9.7 tackles per game average ... **Tom Schneider** was a perfect 52-of-52 on PATs and a 13-of-15 on field goals inside the 50.

**TEAM NOTABLES**

Cal has won 27 league games over the last five years (**Jeff Tedford’s** tenure), the second-most in the Pac-10 ... the Bears finished the season ranked third in the nation in interceptions (21) ... 2006 marked the fifth time in program history that Cal had an eight-game winning streak (single season) ... 2006 also marked the first time since 1949 that Cal started 6-0 in conference play ... Cal had 28 scores in 2006 that took less than two minutes ... Cal has had at least one 100-yard rusher in 41 of 63 games under Tedford, meanwhile, its opponents have had just 15 games with 100-yard rushers ... Cal had 58 pass plays of 20 or more yards ... the Golden Bears also had 49 other plays (rushing, punt returns, kickoff returns and interception returns) of over 20 yards ... Cal had 16 different players catch passes in 2006 and 14 different players score touchdowns ... the Bears allowed a Pac-10-low 13 sacks all season (third in the nation).



# 2007 OUTLOOK (continued)

## PAC-10 CO-CHAMPIONS

The past season marked the first time since 1975 that California earned a share of the Pac-10 Conference championship ... Cal secured the co-championship after its 26-17 victory over Stanford (Dec. 2) coupled with UCLA's upset victory over USC in Pasadena also on Dec. 2 ... Both Cal and USC finished 7-2 in league play ... In 1975, Cal tied with UCLA for the league title, but the head-to-head loss to the Bruins denied a Rose Bowl bid ... Cal's 27-14 league mark over the last five years (Jeff Tedford's tenure) is the second-best record in the Pac-10 in that time ... It was the 12th conference title for the Bears.

## JORDAN KEEPS ON CATCHING

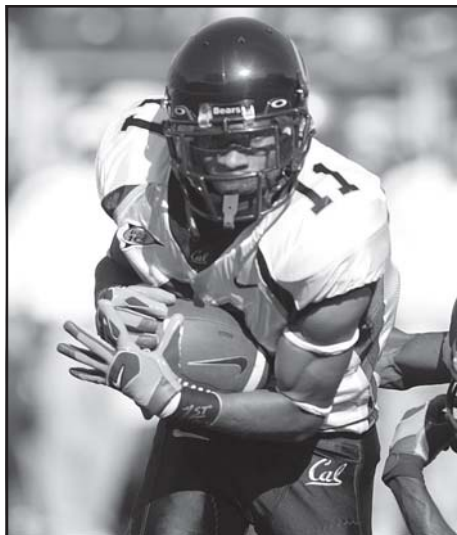
**Robert Jordan** enters 2007 having caught passes in 30 consecutive games, the fourth-longest streak in the nation. Originally expected to redshirt as a freshman in 2004, Jordan did not play in the first four games of the year, but after injuries decimated the Bear receivers, he saw his first career action - limited time against UCLA on Oct. 16 - and did not catch a pass. However, he caught a pass in each of the final seven games that season. He missed the opener in 2005 due to injury, but returned to catch passes in the other 10 games that he played in as a sophomore. In 2006, Jordan established career highs with 46 catches for 571 yards and four touchdowns - and he also caught passes in all 13 games to stretch his streak to 30 straight outings with at least one reception.

## MORE THAN A BACKUP

Senior **Justin Forsett** may have started just four games in his Cal career, but the powerful back is hardly a second-stringer. The 5-8, 196-pound Forsett is No. 1 in the nation among returning running backs in yards per carry. In his first three years with the Golden Bears, Forsett has 1,674 career rushing yards and needs just 139 yards to crack the Bears' all-time top-10. He has also registered six 100-yard rushing games, including a game-high 124 yards in the Holiday Bowl victory over Texas A&M. Forsett began his career at Mulberry High School in Florida before his family moved to Arlington, Texas, and he led Grace Prep to back-to-back state titles.

## COACH CHANGES

The spring season will mark the debut of **Jim Michalczyk** as the California offensive coordinator. After five years as the Bears' offensive line coach, Michalczyk takes over coordinator duties for 2007. He will remain in charge of the offensive line. Meanwhile, former graduate assistant **Kevin Daft** moves into a full-time position as the Cal quarter-



**Robert Jordan**

an option for multiple tight-end sets as well as contributing on special teams.

Junior college transfer **Skylar Curran**, who joined the team in January and senior **Julian Arthur** will add depth to the tight end position.

## WIDE RECEIVER:

An abundance of firepower returns on offense for 2007 and the headliners have been the Golden Bear wide receivers. Voted as the top-rated receivers in the nation by *Athlon Sports*, Cal's group of pass catchers are led by three experienced veterans in seniors **Lavelle Hawkins** and **Robert Jordan** and junior **DeSean Jackson**.

"Without a doubt our receiving corps is a strength for us," Tedford said. "They have the most experience of any position. I would think our receivers as a group are as good as anyone's in the country."

Jackson is collecting the accolades, as well as the preseason magazine covers, after becoming the fifth player in program history to tally a 1,000-yard receiving season (59 catches, 1,060 yards, 9 TDs). A first-team All-Pac-10 selection at receiver, the burner with 4.29 speed also excelled in his side job as a punt returner, leading the nation with 18.2 yards per return and four touchdowns en route to consensus first team All-America recognition.

Despite Jackson's tremendous success in his first two seasons at Cal, it would be ill-advised for opposing defenses to focus solely on him with their game plans. Jordan and Hawkins combined for 92 catches, 1,276 yards and nine touchdowns as both were honorable mention All-Pac-10 selections in 2006.

Jordan (46 catches, 571 yards, 4 TDs) enters the 2007 campaign with a streak of 30 straight games with catches - the fourth longest streak in the nation. His 25 career games started also leads the Golden Bears.

"Robert's one of our leaders on offense; he's an experienced guy who has a great understanding of all of our positions and what we're doing," Tedford said. "He's a very solid team-



**Lavelle Hawkins**

guy who has big-play potential."

Hawkins (46 catches, 705 yards, 5 TDs) showed excellent ability to make catches in traffic and to use his athleticism to create big plays. He had touchdown catches in each of the last three games of 2006.

## WIDE RECEIVER

84	Michael Calvin	6-3	200	FR	HS
85	LaReyille Cunningham	6-2	195	JR	2V
86	Sam DeSa	5-10	195	SR	3V
18	Drew Glover	6-3	197	JR	SQ
7	Lavelle Hawkins	5-11	185	SR	2V
1	DeSean Jackson	6-0	172	JR	2V
2	Robert Jordan	5-11	171	SR	3V
82	Alex Lagemann	6-3	206	FR	HS
80	Daniel Lofton	6-3	199	FR	RS
46	Cooper Miller	6-4	205	FR	RS
11	Jeremy Ross	6-0	205	FR	RS
87	Alex Stroud	6-2	193	JR	SQ
81	Cameron Toler	5-10	178	SO	SQ
88	Sean Young	5-11	181	SR	3V

While seniors **Sean Young** and **San DeSa** and junior **LaReyille Cunningham** bring the most experience to the lineup after the big three receivers, redshirt freshman **Daniel Lofton**, the son of NFL Hall-of-Famer James, and **Jeremy Ross**, who has added 20 pounds of muscle since his arrival last summer, will also be in the mix for playing time at wide receiver in 2007.

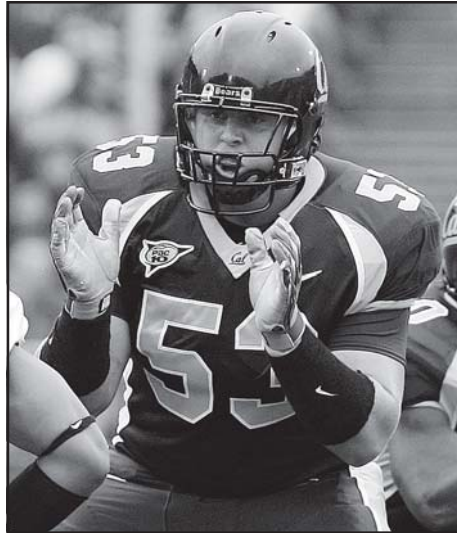
## OFFENSIVE LINE:

Junior **Alex Mack** established himself as one of the most improved offensive linemen in the nation as he earned first team all-conference honors at center in his first year as a starter. While he is considered a top candidate for the Rimington Award as the top center in the nation in 2007, Mack used his skills and athleticism to allow the Bear coaching staff to experiment with moving him to the tackle position in the spring.





Alex Mack



Mike Gibson

### OFFENSIVE GUARD

50 Kevin Bemoll	6-5	315	SO	SQ
70 Mark Boskovich	6-4	296	FR	RS
61 Justin Cheadle	6-5	280	FR	HS
63 Brian De La Puente	6-4	302	SR	2V
73 Richard Fisher	6-5	260	FR	RS
55 Noris Malele	6-3	303	JR	2V
72 Mitchell Schwartz	6-5	300	FR	HS
75 Matt Summers-Gavin	6-5	280	FR	HS

### OFFENSIVE TACKLE

71 Sam DeMartinis	6-6	270	FR	HS
53 Mike Gibson	6-5	302	SR	1V
79 Mike Tepper	6-7	308	JR	1V
76 Matt Laird	6-7	295	SO	SQ
78 Justin Prueitt	6-5	275	FR	RS
58 Chet Teofilo	6-4	305	JR	1V

### CENTER

77 Mark Gray	6-0	275	SR	1V
54 Chris Guarnero	6-3	275	FR	RS
57 Todd Huber	6-3	285	FR	HS
51 Alex Mack	6-5	300	JR	2V

With Mack's versatility being a key factor in the ability to try him out at tackle, the other key factor in that experiment was the continued development of redshirt freshman **Chris Guarnero** at center. Between Guarnero and senior **Mark Gray**, the Bears have solid options if the Mack position-switch happens.

Senior **Mike Gibson**, who excelled at right tackle last season as a junior-college transfer and earned all-conference honors, is expected to slide to the opposite side of the line, anchoring Longshore's blind side from the all-important left tackle position. Junior **Mike Tepper**, who at 6-7 and 308 pounds is still a mountain of a man despite dropping 28 pounds, saw action in all 13 games last year and should get the starting nod at right tackle.

Junior **Chet Teofilo**, a converted defensive lineman, and redshirt sophomore **Matt Laird** are second on the depth chart at the tackle positions.

Junior **Noris Malele**, who started nine games at right guard in 2006, is expected to return to the same slot in 2007 despite missing the spring to rehabilitate an ankle injury. Senior **Brian De La Puente** played in 10 games with three starts last year and should use that experience to take over the starting left guard role.

"I thought De La Puente had a good spring," Tedford said. "Guarnero also did a nice job through the spring. When we get back in fall camp, it will be important to get the eight or nine that have the chemistry to play and the versatility to play. We played Mack at the tackle position, we know he's a solid center, but he has the versatility to move out and do some other things. I think we'll be fine on the offensive line. We have a good group there."

In addition to a solid group of veterans returning, the Golden Bears' 2007 Signing Class included one of the top hauls of offensive linemen in the country in **Justin Cheadle**, **Sam DeMartinis**, **Todd Huber**, **Mitchell Schwartz** and **Matt Summers-Gavin**, all Top-100 players in the state of California.

## DEFENSE

### DEFENSIVE LINE:

Despite losing three starters from 2006, including three-time all-conference selection Brandon Mebane, the Cal defensive line could see improvement in 2007 with added experience and a pair of talented redshirt freshmen in **Derrick Hill** and **Michael Costanzo** ready to make significant contributions.

**Matt Malele** is the veteran leader of the line. After dropping 23 pounds in the off-season, the senior tackle will look to improve on his numbers from last season. Junior **Mika Kane**, who has played in 19 games in his first two seasons, is poised to move into a starting tackle role as well. Expected to join the rotation in the middle will be Hill and Costanzo, both high school All-Americans two seasons ago who redshirted their first campaigns in Berkeley.

back coach. In addition, former San Jose State assistant coach **Kenwick Thompson** has been hired as the Bears' linebackers coach, replacing Bob Foster who retired following the Holiday Bowl victory.

### BOWL BITS

California's appearance in the Pacific Life Holiday Bowl marked the fourth straight year the Bears advanced to a bowl game. Prior to its current run of success, Cal's best stretch of bowl appearances was from 1948-50, when it earned three straight Rose Bowl bids under legendary head coach Pappy Waldorf. Tedford's Bears were one of just three Pac-10 teams to go to a fourth straight bowl game in 2006 (USC and UCLA).

### ALL-CONFERENCE HONORS

California had a total of seven players honored on the all-Pac-10 first team and five more second team honorees. **Marshawn Lynch** and **Daymeion Hughes** were joined on the first team by senior linebacker **Desmond Bishop**, senior defensive tackle **Brandon Mebane**, sophomore wide receiver **DeSean Jackson** and sophomore center **Alex Mack**. In addition, Jackson was named a first-team all-conference performer as a punt returner, the first Cal player to be first team at two positions since Deltha O'Neal (1999, CB/RET). Senior defensive end **Nu'u Tafisi**, senior special teams standout **Byron Storer**, junior offensive lineman **Mike Gibson**, junior punter **Andrew Larson** and junior tight end **Craig Stevens** were all selected to the all-league second team. Earning honorable mention recognition were senior offensive lineman **Andrew Cameron**, senior linebacker **Mickey Pimentel**, senior offensive lineman **Erik Robertson**, junior wide receivers **Lavelle Hawkins** and **Robert Jordan**, sophomore linebacker **Zack Follett** and sophomore quarterback **Nate Longshore**.

### GOING LONG

**Nate Longshore** built some impressive numbers in his first year as the California quarterback. The sophomore from Canyon High School became just the second Golden Bear to pass for over 3,000 yards in a single season (3,021), joining Pat Barnes, who set the school record with 3,499 yards in 1996. Longshore completed over 60 percent of his passes and ranked second in the Pac-10 in passing efficiency (141.64) as he earned honorable mention all-league honors. During the year, Longshore, who threw for 24 touchdowns, was named the Pac-10 Player of the Week three times. The 6-5, 233-pounder was extra deadly with the long ball, completing 51 passes of 20 yards or more, including 19 to **DeSean Jackson**.



# 2007 OUTLOOK (continued)

## REIGNING RECEIVERS

Cal's tremendous trio of wide receivers - **Lavelle Hawkins, DeSean Jackson** and **Robert Jordan** - will rank among the top trios in the nation in 2007. The threesome have led the Bears in receiving in each of the last two seasons. Last year, the group combined for 2,336 yards and 18 touchdowns on 151 catches. For their careers, they have combined for 270 receptions, 3,895 yards and 32 scores.

## SCHNEIDER GIVES IT THE BOOT

Placekicker **Tom Schneider** produced a standout 2006 campaign for the Golden Bears. He had one of his best performances in the Big Game vs. Stanford when he booted four field goals, including a 55-yarder which tied the Cal school record. That performance led to a Pac-10 Special Teams Player of the Week nod. Schneider scored 97 points for the Golden Bears (third in the Pac-10 and eighth most for a single-season), and was 15-of-20 on field-goal attempts, including a near perfect 13-of-15 inside 50 yards. He was a perfect 52-of-52 on extra points. For his career, Schneider has scored 257 points, fourth all-time at Cal. Schneider is on pace to break Cal's all-time scoring mark (288 points) held by former kicker, Doug Brien (1991-93).

## PUNTING POWER

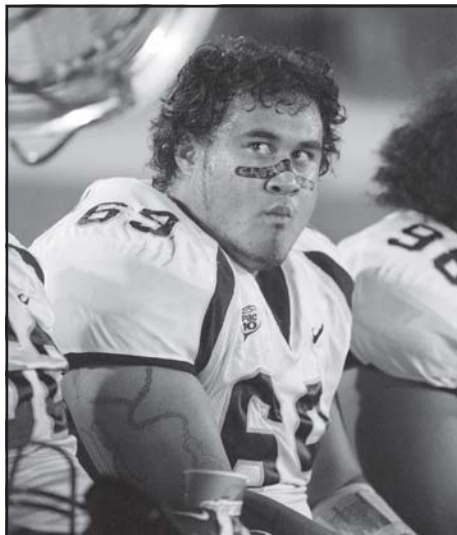
Junior-college transfer **Andrew Larson** stepped right into the Division I game and showed some serious punting ability for California as he was named to the All-Pac-10 second team. The newcomer punted 49 times for 2,087 yards - an impressive average of 42.6 yards per punt. However, his net punting is the true measure of his value. Opponents returned just 19 punts for a total of 132 yards, giving Cal a Pac-10 best net-punting mark of 38.2 yards.

## PUTTING UP POINTS

In the five years under Jeff Tedford, the Golden Bears have averaged 34.1 points per game, by far the most in any five-year stretch in school history. In fact, Tedford-coached teams own five of the top six slots in single-season scoring in the modern era of football in Berkeley. In addition, Cal is one of just five schools to rank in the top 25 in scoring in the NCAA in each of the last five years. The only other schools to achieve that feat are Boise State, Texas, Texas Tech and USC.

## PROTECTING THE QB

The 2006 California offensive line developed into a true strength for the Golden Bears, but once again, the Bears find themselves in need of replacing graduates. With the departure of left tackle Andrew Cameron



**Matt Malele**

Sophomores **Tyson Alualu** and **Cody Jones** both gained invaluable experience as freshmen, and are currently slotted at the top of the depth chart at the end positions. Alualu leads the returning linemen with 16 tackles while both young players saw action in all 13 games during their rookie campaigns.

### DEFENSIVE END

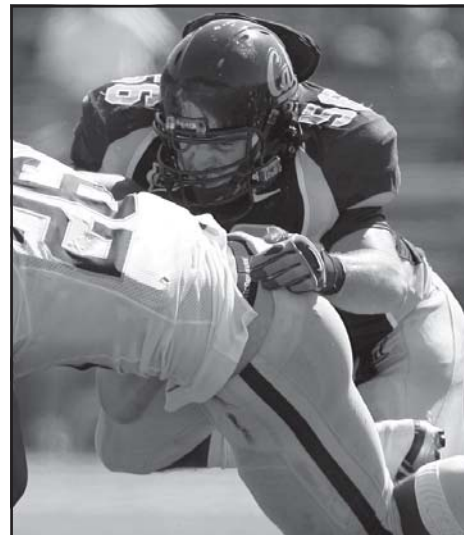
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91 Cody Jones	6-5	275	SO	1V
96 Solomona Aigamaua	6-3	215	FR	HS
97 Cameron Jordan	6-4	260	FR	HS
95 Ernest Owusu	6-5	250	FR	HS
90 Scott Smith	6-6	250	FR	HS
92 Tad Smith	6-6	250	SO	SQ
99 Phillip Mbakogu	6-3	275	JR	2V

### DEFENSIVE TACKLE

69 Matt Malele	6-1	312	SR	3V
76 Derrick Hill	6-3	289	FR	RS
77 Michael Costanzo	6-3	287	FR	RS
90 Tyson Alualu	6-4	288	SO	1V
93 John Allen	6-1	250	SR	2V
95 Jon Karaczoff	6-1	250	SO	SQ
98 Mika Kane	6-3	305	JR	2V

Junior **Rulon Davis**, an impressive physical specimen at 6-5, 275 pounds, has made outstanding progress learning the game of football after joining Cal with just one year of junior college action since graduating from high school in 2001. He will be joined in battle for playing time at end by senior **John Allen** and sophomore **Tad Smith**.

"I think we'll see a youth movement - guys like Hill and Costanzo will have the opportunity to step inside at the tackle positions," Tedford said. "We'll see if we can play Alualu inside or outside. Davis gained some good experience at this level. We feel good about Malele and Kane who both had significant playing time. A big thing will be to check our flexibility with our freshmen."



**Zack Follett**

## LINEBACKER:

Cal's linebackers were recognized as some of the best in the nation in 2006 and despite the loss of talented playmakers Desmond Bishop and Mickey Pimentel, expect more of the same big plays in 2007. Breaking down positions for the multi-dimensional Bear 'backers is a challenge as versatility is the name of the game for seniors **Justin Moye** and **Greg Van Hoesen** and juniors **Anthony Felder**, **Zack Follett** and **Worrell Williams**.

### LINEBACKER

10 Devin Bishop	6-3	230	JR	JC
15 Anthony Felder	6-4	231	JR	2V
56 Zack Follett	6-2	232	JR	2V
3 D.J. Holt	6-2	235	FR	HS
43 Charles Johnson	6-2	234	SO	JC
37 Robert Mullins	6-2	212	FR	HS
42 Shea McIntyre	6-1	221	SO	SQ
18 Michael Mohamed	6-4	220	FR	RS
19 Eric Morrah	6-2	202	SR	SQ
45 Tyler Morrow	6-0	210	JR	JC
16 Justin Moye	6-1	228	SR	2V
33 Matt Russi	5-10	235	SO	1V
55 Greg Van Hoesen	6-4	233	SR	3V
1 Worrell Williams	6-2	243	JR	2V
9 Eddie Young	6-1	228	SO	SQ

Follett was the only non-starter in the nation to earn all-conference honors at linebacker. A strong, athletic play-maker and a Butkus Award and Ronnie Lott Trophy candidate in 2007, the Fresno product led the Bears with 5.5 sacks while adding 62 tackles and an interception in 2006. After seeing the bulk of his action on the weakside last year, he will be given a look at the SAM position this season.

Williams is ready to step into the considerable task of replacing Bishop, the Pac-10's leading tackler in 2006, at the middle linebacker position. The brother of NFL linebacker D.J. Williams, he registered 51 tackles while starting 12 games last season and is expected to improve that production in 2007.





**Worrell Williams**

Felder joined Follett as a Freshman All-American in 2005, but injuries limited him to just 18 tackles last season. Back to full health, the Seattle product was exceptional in the spring and is penciled in as a starter on the weakside for 2007.

Moye is a legacy player for the Golden Bears, following in the footsteps of his father Jeff who helped the Bears to a Pac-10 Co-Championship in 1975. Now a senior, the former walk-on started three games while seeing action in all 13 last year, tallying 23 tackles. Van Hoesen is an experienced veteran with 31 games played (tops among the linebackers) and 42 career takedowns.

"We were so multiple last year with so many guys playing, that there is still experience," Tedford said. "Moye, Williams, Follett, Felder and Van Hoesen all had significant playing time and gained good experience. We will mix and match to find out what is best."

Sophomore **Eddie Young**, a Berkeley High School product, was one of the break-out players of the spring, catching eyes through camp with his play-making ability. Despite the depth and experience at linebacker, he could push for significant action at the position.

A pair of juco transfers will also join the roster this fall as **Devin Bishop**, the younger brother of Desmond, and **Alex Cook** bring further skill to the linebacker corps.

## DEFENSIVE BACK:

The Golden Bears return four starters in the secondary in 2007. However, three are safeties and only one is a cornerback, as Cal must develop a replacement for consensus All-American Daymeion Hughes at one corner.

Senior **Thomas DeCoud** started the first four games at free safety in 2006 and was leading the team with 27 tackles before suffering a knee injury which limited him for much of the rest of the season. Junior **Bernard Hicks** took advantage of the opportunity and started the final nine games at the position, tallying 58 tackles. Fol-



**Brandon Hampton**

lowing the spring, DeCoud has regained his slot at free safety, while Hicks is penciled in at the starting rover position.

## CORNERBACK

27	Charles Amadi	5-11	182	FR	RS
20	Jesse Brooks	6-0	194	SO	1V
11	Sean Cattouse	6-3	190	FR	HS
17	Chris Conte	6-3	190	FR	HS
26	Darian Hagan	6-1	180	FR	RS
24	Brandon Jones	5-10	179	FR	RS
7	Robert Peele	5-10	187	SO	1V
5	Syd'Quan Thompson	5-10	181	SO	1V

## SAFETY

48	Gavin Beeman	6-0	190	FR	RS
8	D.J. Campbell	6-0	185	FR	HS
4	Thomas DeCoud	6-2	204	SR	3V
6	Gary Doxy	6-1	193	SO	1V
29	Marcus Ezeff	6-0	194	SO	1V
28	Kenny Frank	5-11	201	SR	1V
3	Brandon Hampton	5-10	193	SR	3V
2	Bernard Hicks	6-0	202	JR	2V
25	Brett Johnson	6-2	192	SO	1V
47	Kyle Kirst	5-11	193	SO	1V

**Brandon Hampton**, last year's starting rover and the team's top returning tackler with 63 takedowns in 2006, is expected to use his versatility for more of a utility role this season. The senior is capable of filling in at rover, but he is also in the mix for the open corner position. Sophomore **Marcus Ezeff** also stood out in limited action and will battle for playing time at both safety positions.

Sophomore **Syd'Quan Thompson** will be the Bears' top cornerback in 2007 after starting all 13 games as an untested redshirt freshman in 2006. The Sacramento product registered 60 tackles and also showed a nose for the ball with a pair of fumble recoveries, including one for a 15-yard score against Stanford in the Big Game.

The remaining corner position will be an interesting battle in fall camp. The most experienced contender, sophomore **Robert Peele**, who also

and left guard Erik Robertson, Cal will look to retool the left side of the line for 2007. The impressive performance of the line resulted in four linemen earning All-Pac-10 recognition - **Alex Mack** (first team), **Mike Gibson** (second team), Cameron (hon. mention) and Robertson (hon. mention).

## BEAR POYS

Running back **Marshawn Lynch** and cornerback **Daymeion Hughes** were selected the Pac-10 Conference Offensive and Defensive Players of the Year respectively in 2006 - the first time Cal has won both awards in the same year. Lynch and Hughes joined a select group of Golden Bear stars who have won Pac-10 Player of the Year honors - Chuck Muncie was the league's top player in 1975; Ron Rivera won the Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year in 1983; Mike Pawlawski was the Offensive Player of the Year in 1991; and O'Neal was the league's top defender in 1999.

## ATTENDANCE

The Golden Bears established a new record for average attendance in 2006 with an average of 64,318 fans per game. Including three sellouts this season, California had a total of 450,223 fans at seven home games. The previous record for the Bears was in 2004 when they averaged 64,019. The Bears three sellouts in 2006 (Oregon, UCLA and Stanford) marked the first time in over fifty years that Cal has sold out multiple games in the same season. Last season's sellouts against Oregon and UCLA were just the fourth and fifth non-Big Game sellouts in the last 50 years. The other three sellouts all came against USC (1977, 1979 and 2005). The Golden Bears have sold out the Big Game against Stanford 15 times in the last 50 years.

## 50,000 FANS AGAIN

The sellout against Stanford marked Cal's 18th straight home game with over 50,000 fans. That streak includes every home game in the last three years and is even more impressive when compared to the days before the current streak. In the first 13 home games under head coach **Jeff Tedford** (in 2002 and 2003), Cal attracted over 50,000 fans just twice. The Stanford game was also the 10th game of 60,000+ fans under Tedford, surpassing the total of nine from the 11 years prior to Tedford's arrival.

## CAL CORRALS FIFTH STRAIGHT WINNING SEASON

Since posting the worst record at Cal in 104 years (1-10) in 2001, the Golden Bears have rolled to five straight winning seasons since the arrival of head coach **Jeff Tedford**. In Tedford's first season (2002),



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he guided the Bears to a 7-5 mark – the school’s first winning record in nine years. The 2004 club climbed as high as No. 4 in the nation and finished 10-2 while the 2005 squad won eight games. Last season, the Bears posted a 10-3 finish, marking the first time the Golden Bears have had five straight winning seasons in over 50 years (**Pappy Waldorf’s** juggernaut teams reeled off six straight winning marks from 1947-52).

## FIRST 6-0 SINCE 1949

California opened the Pac-10 season with a 6-0 mark for the first time since the 1949 season, the second of three straight undefeated conference seasons - as well as the second of three straight Rose Bowl appearances. The Bears have won more than six conference games three times in school history (7-0 in 1949, 7-1 in 2004 and 7-2 in 2006).

## 30-SOMETHING

The Bears have won 36 games over the past four seasons. It is the most victories by California over a four-year period since the 1948-1949-1950-1951 teams combined to win 37 games. Cal’s 43 wins over the last five years ranks 22nd nationally.

## TICKET TAKERS

Since the arrival of **Jeff Tedford**, California’s season ticket count has been on a steady climb. The Bears sold 16,200 season passes in 2002, Tedford’s first year. His second season resulted in sales of 22,500. In 2004, the number again jumped substantially, up to a then-school-record 34,100. Last year, California set another mark with 40,134 season tickets sold and again this season, the record has been broken. The official season ticket number for 2006 is 40,262.

## THE BIG GAME

The annual showdown between California and Stanford is the ninth oldest rival in NCAA football, dating back to 1892. Stanford leads the series, 54-44-11, but California has won the last five games by a combined score of 152-49. In 2004, Cal was a 41-6 winner with the 35-point margin of victory tying Cal’s 1921 victory (42-7) for the Bears’ largest winning margin in the series. Prior to the arrival of Jeff Tedford, Stanford won seven straight Big Games.

## PAC-10 LEADERBOARD

In 2006, the Golden Bears led the Pac-10 in scoring (32.8), punt return average (16.6), red-zone offense (90.5%) and net punting (38.3), while ranking second in total offense (415.6), sacks allowed (13), and red-zone defense (72.2%) and third in passing yards per game (253.2).



**Thomas DeCoud**

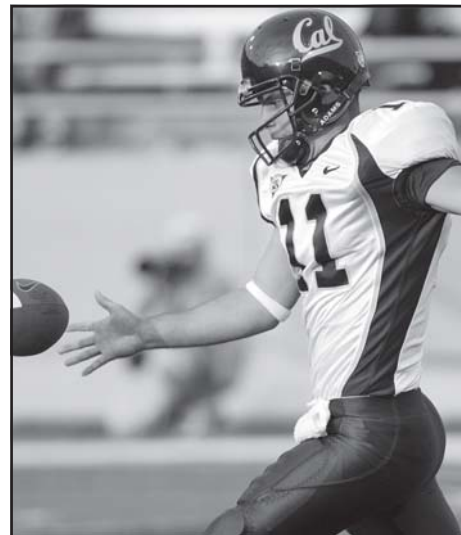
has seen action at safety, emerged from the spring as the frontrunner. However, redshirt freshmen **Charles Amadi**, **Darian Hagan** and **Brandon Jones** are most definitely in the mix as well.

“Daymeion Hughes was an All-American player for us,” Tedford said. “But there is a list of guys that have ability to fill that role; they just need an opportunity to play.”

## SPECIAL TEAMS:

The Golden Bears come into 2007 with one of the most impressive arrays of special teams weapons in the nation. Junior **DeSean Jackson** was recognized as the top return man in the nation, senior **Tom Schneider** was as clutch as any placekicker in the country and senior **Andrew Larson** was nearly flawless throughout his first season of Division I punting. In addition, long snapper **Nick Sundberg** continues to draw raves from the coaching staff for his often under-appreciated (by fans and media) skills.

“We don’t have as many question marks as last year,” Tedford said. “Larson has established himself as a premier punter in the conference and Schneider has been very consistent. The experience is very good; we’ll use fall camp to continue to figure out our backups.”



**Andrew Larson**

## PUNTER

19 Bryan Anger	6-4	190	FR	HS
11 Andrew Larson	6-2	197	SR	1V

## KICKER

14 Nick Demopoulos	5-10	165	FR	RS
15 Tom Schneider	6-1	194	SR	3V
30 Joe Robles	5-11	195	FR	RS
34 Jordan Kay	5-10	197	JR	SQ

In addition to Jackson and his protection teams leading the nation with his 18.2 yards per punt return, Larson and the Golden Bears’ coverage teams paced the Pac-10 with a net punting average of 38.3 yards – nearly nine yards better than opponents.

In the kicking game, Schneider was perfect on all 52 of his extra-point attempts while nailing 15-of-20 field goals, including 13-of-15 from inside 50 yards. The veteran kicker needs just 32 points to surpass Doug Brien as Cal’s all-time leading scorer.

Kickoff returns for 2007 are wide-open with **Justin Forsett**, **Lavelle Hawkins** and **James Montgomery** currently listed as the top candidates for the job.

