



# 2007 OHIO FOOTBALL

## Game #2

**Ohio Bobcats (1-0, 0-0 MAC)**

**VS.**

**Louisiana-Lafayette**

**Ragin' Cajuns (0-1, 0-0 Sun Belt)**

**Cajun Field (31,000)  
Lafayette, Louisiana  
Sept. 8, 2007  
7 p.m. ET**

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### 2007 ROAD SCHEDULE OPENS IN LOUISIANA

- This is the first meeting between Ohio and Louisiana-Lafayette.
- This is the first trip to Louisiana since the Bobcats dropped a 57-6 decision at LSU on Sept. 30, 1989 and fourth since 1960. Ohio's only win in the state was a 30-7 victory at Tulane on Nov. 6, 1971.
- Ohio is coming off a 36-14 win over Gardner-Webb on Saturday. Senior Joshua Abrams blocked three punts and scored his first offensive touchdown, while running back Kalvin McRae rushed for 142 yards and two touchdowns. Receiver Chido Nwokocha snared a 34-yard scoring toss from quarterback Brad Bower. Bower finished the evening 15-for-25 through the air for 180 yards and no interceptions. The Ohio defense had a pair of interceptions and three sacks, while holding the Bulldogs to 65 yards rushing on 24 carries.
- Ohio is looking to start its second consecutive season 2-0 with a victory. In 2006, Ohio opened with a win over UT-Martin and at Northern Illinois. The last time the program accomplished that feat was the 1996 and '97 seasons.
- Saturday's game will be the first time since 2005 that the Bobcats will play on natural grass. Ohio played its entire 14-game 2006 slate on artificial turf.



Kalvin McRae

### A WIN VERSUS LOUISIANA-LAFAYETTE WOULD ...

- Mark the 31st time in school history the Bobcats started 2-0 (112th season)
- Be the 481st win in the program's history (.468, 480-497-48)
- Be the second straight season the Bobcats have won their road opener (2006, at Northern Illinois)

### ABRAMS EARNS MAC HONOR

- Ohio senior Joshua Abrams was named the East Division Specialist of the Week by the Mid-American Conference for the week of Sept. 1. The senior running back, who is a central figure on all special teams units for the Bobcats, was recognized following an outstanding effort during Ohio's 36-14 victory over Gardner-Webb. In the team's season and home opener against the Runnin' Bulldogs, Abrams blocked three punts. The effort was one block shy of the NCAA and MAC record of four blocked punts in one game, held by Memphis' Ken Irvin (1992) and Central Michigan's James King (2001). The trio of stops brings Abrams' career total to six blocked punts, placing him in a six-way tie for third on the all-time NCAA list. Against Gardner-Webb, Abrams also scored his first career rushing touchdown.



Joshua Abrams

- This is the first MAC Player of the Week honor for the Bobcats this season.

### 2007 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

	Opponent	Stadium (Capacity)	Time (ET)/Att.	W/L	Score
Sept. 1	<b>GARDNER-WEBB</b>	Peden Stadium (24,000)	19,823	W	36-14
Sept. 8	at Louisiana-Lafayette	Cajun Field (31,000)	7 p.m.		
Sept. 15	at Virginia Tech	Lane Stadium (65,115)	1:30 p.m.		
Sept. 22	<b>WYOMING</b>	Peden Stadium (24,000)	3 p.m.		
Sept. 29	<b>KENT STATE*</b>	Peden Stadium (24,000)	3 p.m.		
Oct. 6	at Buffalo*	UB Stadium (29,103)	1 p.m.		
Oct. 13	<b>EASTERN MICHIGAN*</b>	Peden Stadium (24,000)	12 p.m.		
Oct. 20	at Toledo*	Glass Bowl (26,248)	7 p.m.		
Oct. 27	at Bowling Green*	Perry Stadium (23,724)	6 p.m.		
Nov. 2	<b>TEMPLE*</b>	Peden Stadium (24,000)	7 p.m.		
Nov. 7	at Akron*	Rubber Bowl (31,000)	7:30 p.m.		
Nov. 24	<b>MIAMI*</b>	Peden Stadium (24,000)	2 p.m.		

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\*Mid-American Conference game

### Ohio, Please

When referring to the Bobcats, please use Ohio. Ohio University is acceptable when using other institutions' full names. Please do not use Ohio U. or OU. Thank you.

### On the Air

#### Television

The Ohio vs. Gardner-Webb game will be broadcast by OBSN TV on the Guardian Television Network.

#### Radio

The flagship radio station for the Ohio Sports Network is WXTQ-105.5 FM in Athens. Voice of the Bobcats Warren Swain serves as the play-by-play voice. Former Bobcat Chad Brinker is in his second season as the color analyst, while Andy Howell will make his debut as the broadcast's sideline reporter. The Ohio Sports Network has nine affiliates throughout Ohio and West Virginia.

2007 Ohio Sports Network Affiliates  
WXTQ (105.5 FM) Athens; WCLT (100.3 FM) Newark/Columbus; WMPO (1390 AM) Middleport; WKOV (96.7 FM) Jackson; WJAW (100.9 FM) McConnelsville; WJAW (630 AM) St. Mary's, W.Va.; WMOA (1490 AM) Marietta; WRAC (103.1 FM) West Union; WHNK (1450 AM) Parkersburg, W.Va.;

#### Internet

Every Ohio Sports Network broadcast is available on the internet via CSTV's All-Access. Visit [www.ohiobobcats.com](http://www.ohiobobcats.com) and click on the appropriate links to access the broadcasts.

### Today's Guest Coaches

Each home game the Bobcats will welcome Ohio University faculty and staff as guest coaches. Today's guests are ...

This week's game is on the road.

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### Louisiana-Lafayette in 2007

Sept. 1	at South Carolina	L, 28-14
<b>Sept. 8</b>	<b>OHIO</b>	
Sept. 15	McNEESE STATE	
Sept. 22	TROY*	
Sept. 29	at UCF*	
Oct. 6	NORTH TEXAS*	
Oct. 13	at Arkansas State*	
Oct. 20	FLORIDA ATLANTIC*	
Nov. 3	at Tennessee	
Nov. 10	at Middle Tennessee*	
Nov. 17	at Florida International*	
Nov. 24	LOUISIANA-MONROE*	

\* Sun Belt Conference Game

### Statistical Comparison

Ohio Offense		Louisiana-Laf. Def.
36.0	Scoring	28.0
432.0	Total Offense	433.0
206.0	Rushing Offense	195.0
226.0	Passing Offense	238.0
77	Total Plays	70
46	Rushing Att.	41
31	Passing Att.	29
5.6	Avg./Play	6.2
4.5	Avg./Rush	4.8
7.3	Avg./Pass	8.2
13.3	Avg./Catch	11.3
1.0	Turnovers	1.0

  

Ohio Defense		Louisiana-Laf. Off.
14.0	Scoring	14.0
329.0	Total Offense	315.0
65.0	Rushing Offense	252.0
264.0	Passing Offense	63.0
71	Total Plays	66.0
24	Rushing Att.	47.0
47	Passing Att.	19.0
4.6	Avg./Play	4.8
2.7	Avg./Rush	5.4
5.6	Avg./Pass	3.3
9.8	Avg./Catch	5.2
2.0	Turnovers	0.0

### RECENT MEETINGS

Today marks the first time that Ohio and Louisiana-Lafayette have met on the gridiron.

### COMMON OPPONENT

In 2006, both Ohio and Louisiana-Lafayette faced off against the Eagles of Eastern Michigan.

Nov. 4	<b>Ohio 16</b> , Eastern Michigan 10
Sept. 30	Louisiana-Lafayette 33, Eastern Michigan 14

### THE OHIO VS. LOUISIANA-LAFAYETTE SERIES

- This is the first ever meeting between the Bobcats and Ragin' Cajuns in football. It is the Bobcats' first trip to the state of Louisiana since a 57-6 loss at LSU on Sept. 30, 1989.

### THE COACHES

**Ohio:** Frank Solich  
**Alma Mater:** Nebraska, 1966  
**Overall Record:** 72-31 (.699)  
**Year as a Head Coach:** Ninth  
**Record at Ohio:** 14-12 (.538)  
**Year at Ohio:** Third  
**MAC Record:** 10-6 (.625)

**Louisiana-Lafayette:** Rickey Bustle  
**Alma Mater:** Clemson, 1976  
**Overall Record:** 23-36 (.390)  
**Year as a Head Coach:** Sixth  
**Record at Louisiana-Lafayette:** 23-36 (.390)  
**Year at Louisiana-Lafayette:** Sixth  
**Sun Belt Record:** 16-18 (.471)

### SCOUTING THE RAGIN' CAJUNS

- Louisiana-Lafayette opened its season with a 28-14 loss at South Carolina on Saturday. After going down 14-0, the Ragin' Cajuns battled back to tie the score in the second stanza. Two unanswered touchdowns gave the Gamecocks the win.
- Louisiana-Lafayette is coming off a 6-6 season in 2006, which included a 3-3 home mark in front of an average of 15,087 fans.
- Junior Tyrell Fenroy has run for at least 1,000 yards in both his freshman and sophomore seasons, becoming the first player in school history to reach the 1,000-yard mark in two seasons. Against South Carolina, Fenroy had 88 yards on 16 rushes, but wasn't the Ragin' Cajuns' leader on the ground. Junior quarterback Michael Desormeaux rushed for 116 yards, including one touchdown on 21 attempts. Four different players averaged better than five yards per carry on the ground.
- Louisiana-Lafayette receivers tallied just 63 yards on 12 completions against South Carolina in their 2007 season opener, led by three catches for 37 yards by junior Derrick Smith.
- They return two of their top five tacklers from the 2006 season, including junior linebacker Brent Burkhalter, who led Louisiana-Lafayette with 61 total stops during the 2006 season. Burkhalter, Korey Raymond and Jarrett Jones each made six tackles to lead the Ragin' Cajuns against South Carolina in the season opener.
- Junior Drew Edmiston returns as Louisiana-Lafayette's No. 1 kicker. Edmiston converted 11 of 14 (78.6 percent) of his field goal attempts in 2006, including a long of 51 yards.

### HOMETOWN HERO

- This week's road contest will be a homecoming for one of the Bobcats. Junior cornerback Dustin Tatum hails from the Ragin' Cajuns hometown of Lafayette, Louisiana.
- In his third year with the Bobcats after redshirting the 2004 season, Tatum is coming off a career-high game against Gardner Webb in the Bobcats' season opener. Tatum set career highs with a pair of solo tackles, three total tackles and one pass broken up.
- In high school, Tatum was an all-district and all-parish selection, tallying 91 tackles, five interceptions and 12 PBUs in his career.
- Tatum's hometown cheering section will likely be a large contingent, including his parents Coy and Jerri Tatum, as well as older brother Spencer, who lettered for the Bobcats in 2002, 2004 and 2005.
- The Ragin' Cajuns' 2007 roster includes seven players who hail from the same high school as Tatum (St. Thomas More) and a total of 12 players who call Lafayette, La. home.

### 2007 OHIO OPPONENT BREAKDOWN

2006 Team	W	L	Pct.	Bowl	2007 Record
Gardner-Webb	6	5	.546	---	0-1
Louisiana-Lafayette	6	6	.500	---	0-1
Virginia Tech	10	3	.769	Chick-fil-A Bowl (L, 31-24)	1-0
Wyoming	6	6	.500	---	1-0
Kent State	6	6	.500	---	1-0
Buffalo	2	10	.167	---	0-1
Eastern Michigan	1	11	.083	---	0-1
Toledo	5	7	.417	---	0-1
Bowling Green	4	8	.333	---	1-0
Temple	4	7	.364	---	0-1
Akron	5	7	.417	---	1-0
Miami	2	10	.167	---	1-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>.397</b>		<b>6-6 (.500)</b>



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### Quick Facts

#### Ohio University

Location	Athens, Ohio
Founded	1804
Enrollment	28,751
Nickname	Bobcats
Colors	Hunter Green and White
Conference	Mid-American Conference (East)
Home Field	Peden Stadium
Capacity	24,000
Surface	FieldTurf
President	Dr. Roderick J. McDavis (Ohio '70)
Director of Athletics	Kirby Hocutt (Kansas State '95)
Athletics Department Phone	740-593-1300
Athletics Web site	ohiobobcats.com

#### Bobcat Football History

First Season	1894
All-Time Record	480-497-48 (.468)
First Year in MAC	1947
All-Time MAC Record	187-228-11 (.452)
MAC Championships	5 (1953, 1960, 1963, 1967, 1968)
MAC Division Championships	1 (2006)
Bowl Appearances	3
Sun Bowl, 1962 (West Texas State 15, Ohio 14)	
Tangerine Bowl, 1968 (Richmond 49, Ohio 42)	
GMAC Bowl, 2007 (Southern Miss 28, Ohio 7)	

#### Coaching Staff

Head Coach	Frank Solich
Alma Mater	Nebraska, 1966
Record at Ohio	14-12, .538 (Third Year)
MAC Record	10-6, .625 (Two Years)
Career Record	72-31, .699 (Ninth Year)
Football Office Phone	740-593-1183
Off. Coordinator	Tim Albin
Third Year; NW Oklahoma State, 1989	
Co-Off. Coord./Quarterbacks	Gerry Gdowski
Third Year; Nebraska, 1990	
Def. Coordinator	Jimmy Burrow
Third Year; Nebraska, 1976	
Tight Ends/Recruiting Coord.	Pete Germano
Seventh Year; Ohio Wesleyan, 1982	
Cornerbacks	David Brown
Second Year; Cal Poly, 1996	
Linebackers	Ross Els
Third Year; Nebraska-Omaha, 1988	
Offensive Line	Keven Lightner
Third Year; Nebraska, 1996	
Wide Receivers	Dwayne Dixon
First Year; Florida, 1985	
Defensive Line	Carl Pelini
Third Year; Youngstown State, 1989	
Director of Football Operations	Jason Grooms
Third Year; Ohio, 2001	
Graduate Assistant, Offense	Brian Haines
First Year; Marietta, 2004	
Graduate Assistant, Defense	Eric Sholtis
Second Year; Ohio, 2006	

### McRAE BACK TO CARRY RUSHING LOAD

Senior Calvin McRae (Decatur, Ga.) was a first-team All-MAC selection for the second straight year in 2006. He ran for 1,252 yards, the second-best single-season rushing total in school history. He became the first Bobcat in 30 years to rush for 1,000+ yards in consecutive seasons.

After one game in his senior season, McRae moved into third all-time on the school's rushing list. With 142 yards rushing against Gardner-Webb, he currently stands at 3,106 for his career. He needs 867 yards to break the school's all-time record and become the first Bobcat to rush for better than 1,000 yards in three consecutive seasons.

McRae has earned as much attention from the national media and awards committees as he surely will from opposing defenses this season. During the 2007 preseason, McRae has been recognized as an All-American candidate, a First-Team All-MAC selection and named to watch lists for both the Walter Camp award and the Maxwell Award.

Against Gardner-Webb, McRae became the third Bobcat in school history to rush for 3,000 career yards (Stevland Hookfin, 1995-98, 3,972; Kareem Wilson, 1995-98, 3,597).

During the 2006 season, McRae tied the school record for most 100-yard games in a single season with eight, matching the record established by Hookfin in 1998. (McRae set a school-record with seven consecutive 100-yard games.) Hookfin (1995-98) also holds the record for most 100-yard games in a career for the Bobcats with 19 over four years. With one so far this season, McRae is currently tied for second on the career list with 15 to match Wilson (1995-98).

The 2007 campaign presents a number of opportunities for McRae to solidify his name in the record books, including one chance to complete a feat never before accomplished by a Bobcat running back. According to the complete school records, which date back to the 1960 season, no Bobcat has ever led the team in rushing yards in four consecutive seasons. Having already led Ohio as a freshman (559 yards), a sophomore (1,153 yards) and a junior (1,252 yards), McRae could be the first.



Calvin McRae

#### McRae's Career Stats

Rushing							
Year	GP/GS	Att.	Net.	Avg.	TD	Long	Avg/G
2004	11/ 7	142	559	3.9	4	35	50.8
2005	11/11	209	1,153	5.5	7	50	104.8
2006	14/14	258	1,252	4.9	15	66	89.4
2007	1/1	24	142	5.9	2	20	14.2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>37/33</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>3,106</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>83.9</b>
Receiving							
Year	GP/GS	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long	Avg/G
2004	11/ 7	13	172	13.2	2	39	15.6
2005	11/11	13	97	7.5	0	28	8.8
2006	14/14	29	280	9.7	1	58	20.0
2007	1/1	1	10	10.0	0	10	10.0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>37/33</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>16.2</b>

### McRAE'S PLACE IN HISTORY

#### Career Rushing Yards

1.	3,972	Stevland Hookfin	1995-98
2.	3,597	Kareem Wilson	1995-98
3.	<b>3,106</b>	<b>Calvin McRae</b>	<b>2004-</b>
4.	2,995	Tim Curtis	1990-93
5.	2,826	Chad Brinker	1999-02
6.	2,614	Kevin Babcock	1976-79
7.	2,525	Arnold Welcher	1974-77
8.	2,364	Bob Brooks	1958-60
9.	2,201	Dontrell Jackson	1999-02
10.	2,056	Jamel Patterson	1999-01

#### Career Yards per Carry (min. 200 carries)

1.	6.73	Erland Ahlberg	1953-55
2.	5.60	Jamel Patterson	1998-01
3.	5.18	Stevland Hookfin	1995-98
4.	5.15	Chad Brinker	1999-02
5.	<b>4.91</b>	<b>Calvin McRae</b>	<b>2004-</b>
6.	4.82	Arnold Welcher	1974-77
7.	4.76	Dave LeVeck	1967-69
8.	4.70	Jim Albert	1961-63
9.	4.59	Andrew Greer	1988-89
10.	4.58	Todd Yoho	1978-81

#### Career Yards per Game (min. 20 games)

1.	90.3	Stevland Hookfin	1995-98
2.	<b>83.9</b>	<b>Calvin McRae</b>	<b>2004-</b>
3.	81.8	Kareem Wilson	1995-98
4.	80.4	Andrew Greer	1988-89
5.	74.4	Chad Brinker	1999-02
6.	69.7	Tim Curtis	1990-93
7.	59.4	Kevin Babcock	1976-79
8.	57.4	Arnold Welcher	1974-77
9.	56.8	Erland Ahlberg	1953-55
10.	56.4	Dontrell Jackson	1999-02

#### Career 100-Yard Games

1.	19	Stevland Hookfin	1995-98
2.	<b>15</b>	<b>Calvin McRae</b>	<b>2004-</b>
15		Kareem Wilson	1995-98
4.	14	Arnold Welcher	1974-77
5.	10	Chad Brinker	1999-02
10		Tim Curtis	1990-93
7.	8	Robert Brooks	1958-60
8		Bill Gary	1970-71, 73
8		Dave Houseton	1973-76
8		L.C. Lyons	1972-74



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### McRAE BACK TO CARRY RUSHING LOAD (Cont.)



Calvin McRae

• During his junior campaign, McRae set the Ohio single-season record with 15 rushing touchdowns. He has two so far this season, giving him 28 in his career, third on the all-time list.

• In 2006, McRae ranked 46th in the nation with 109.43 all-purpose yards per contest. In addition to averaging better than 89 yards from scrimmage on the grounds, McRae also tallied 20 yards per game receiving for the Bobcats.

• As a junior, McRae totaled a team-high 1,532 all-purpose yards, which was strong enough to place fifth on the all-time single season chart for the Bobcats.

McRae appears on Ohio's single-season all-purpose yard leaders list twice, having amassed 1,250 all-purpose yards during his sophomore season. For his career, McRae has totaled 3,691 all-purpose yards, which ranks third all-time on the career list. McRae needs at least 432 all-purpose yards to break the record of 4,123 yards currently held by former Ohio running back Steveland Hookfin (1995-98).

- During the 2006 season, he led Ohio with 16 touchdowns and one two-point conversion for total of 98 points, the second-best single-season scoring effort ever in Bobcat history. The school record for points in a single season dates back to 1968 (the Bobcats' last MAC Championship and bowl appearance prior to the 2006 season), when Bob Houmard scored 114 points. McRae is currently ranked third all-time in school history with 188 career points scored. Former Bobcats quarterback Kareem Wilson (1995-98) leads the all-time list with 302 points in his career.
- McRae's aforementioned 16 total touchdowns during the 2006 season ranked second all-time in on Ohio's single-season top ten, trailing only Houmard, who found the end zone 19 times during the illustrious 1968 campaign. McRae is currently second all-time with 31 career touchdowns. The school record of 49 career touchdowns is held by Kareem Wilson (1995-98).

### McRAE'S PLACE IN HISTORY

#### Career Carries

1.	885	Kareem Wilson	1995-98
2.	767	Steveland Hookfin	1995-98
3.	750	Tim Curtis	1990-93
4.	675	Kevin Babcock	1976-79
5.	<b>633</b>	<b>Kalvin McRae</b>	<b>2004-</b>
6.	549	Chad Brinker	1999-02
7.	544	Arnold Welcher	1974-77
8.	540	Dontrell Jackson	1999-02
9.	498	Bob Brooks	1958-60
10.	489	Dave Houseton	1973-76

#### Career Rushing Touchdowns

1.	49	Kareem Wilson	1995-98
2.	29	Steveland Hookfin	1995-98
3.	<b>28</b>	<b>Kalvin McRae</b>	<b>2004-</b>
4.	27	Chad Brinker	1999-02
5.	25	Andy Vetter	1974-77
6.	21	Bob Brooks	1958-60
7.	20	Cleve Bryant	1967-69
8.	19	Jamel Patterson	1998-01
	19	Tim Curtis	1990-93
	19	Bob Houmard	1966-68

#### Career All-Purpose Yards Gained

1.	4,123	Steveland Hookfin	1995-98
2.	4,030	Chad Brinker	1999-02
3.	<b>3,691</b>	<b>Kalvin McRae</b>	<b>2004-</b>
4.	3,597	Kareem Wilson	1995-98
5.	3,559	Scott Mayle	2002-06
6.	3,557	Andre Greer	1988-89
7.	3,445	Tim Curtis	1990-93
8.	3,165	Raynald Ray	1997-00
9.	3,013	Dave Houseton	1973-76
10.	2,976	Kevin Babcock	1976-79

#### Career All-Purpose Yards per Game (min. 20 games)

1.	161.7	Andrew Greer	1988-89
2.	106.1	Chad Brinker	1999-02
3.	<b>99.1</b>	<b>Kalvin McRae</b>	<b>2004-</b>
4.	94.8	Jim Albert	1961-63
5.	93.7	Steveland Hookfin	1995-98
6.	91.1	Todd Snyder	1967-69
7.	90.1	Dick Conley	1967-68
8.	87.6	Dave LeVeck	1967-69
9.	83.7	Bob Allen	1969-71
10.	81.8	Kareem Wilson	1995-98

#### Career Points Scored

1.	302	Kareem Wilson	1995-98
2.	229	Kevin Kerr	1999-02
3.	<b>188</b>	<b>Kalvin McRae</b>	<b>2004-</b>
4.	184	Chad Brinker	1999-02
5.	176	Steveland Hookfin	1995-98
	176	Steve Green	1976-79
7.	162	Bob Houmard	1966-68
8.	160	Gary Homer	1972-75
9.	152	Andy Vetter	1974-77
10.	134	Dave Juenger	1970-72

#### Career Touchdowns Scored

1.	49	Kareem Wilson	1995-98
2.	<b>31</b>	<b>Kalvin McRae</b>	<b>2004-</b>
3.	30	Chad Brinker	1999-02
4.	29	Steveland Hookfin	1995-98
5.	27	Bob Houmard	1966-68
6.	25	Andy Vetter	1974-77
7.	22	Dave Juenger	1970-72
8.	21	Raynald Ray	1997-00
9.	20	Cleve Bryant	1967-69
10.	19	Three Tied	

### Active Career Leaders

The following players have accumulated a higher career total in a given category than any other player currently on the Bobcat roster.

Category	Player	Stat
<b>Rushing</b>		
Yards	Kalvin McRae	3,106
Carries	Kalvin McRae	633
Rushing TDs	Kalvin McRae	28
Yds. per game	Kalvin McRae	83.9
100-yd games	Kalvin McRae	15
<b>Passing</b>		
Yards	Brad Bower	1,284
Pass Att.	Brad Bower	197
Completions	Brad Bower	113
Passing TDs	Brad Bower	6
<b>Receiving</b>		
Yards	Kalvin McRae	550
Receptions	Justin Fitzgerald	79
Receiving TDs	Kalvin McRae	3
<b>All-Purpose</b>		
TDs. Resp. For	Kalvin McRae	31
Yards	Kalvin McRae	3,691
Points	Kalvin McRae	188
Touchdowns	Kalvin McRae	31
KR Yds.	Chris Garrett	285
<b>Defense</b>		
Tackles	Todd Koenig	131
Unassisted	Todd Koenig	92
Assists	Todd Koenig/Landon Cohen	39
TFL	Landon Cohen	17.0
Sacks	Jameson Hartke	11.5
PBU	Mark Parson	20
Passes Defended	Mark Parson	21

### Non-Offensive TDs

The Bobcats have scored 15 non-offensive touchdowns since the start of the 2004 season.

Opponent	Player
Akron (11/16/06)	Matt Muncy 0-yd. FR
W. Michigan (10/7/06)	Chris Garrett 88-yd. PR
UT-Martin (9/2/06)	T. J Wright 35-yd. FR
UT-Martin (9/2/06)	Team Safety
Ball State (10/22/05)	Scott Mayle 88-yd. KR
Bowling Green (10/8/05)	Jordan Meyers 15-yd. blocked PR
Pittsburgh (9/9/05)	Dion Byrum 85-yd. INT
Pittsburgh (9/9/05)	Dion Byrum 38-yd. INT
Northwestern (9/3/05)	Dion Byrum 62-yd. FR
Akron (11/13/04)	Stafford Owens 81-yd. PR
Bowling Green (10/23/04)	Stafford Owens 44-yd. blocked PR
Buffalo (9/25/04)	Matt Muncy 98-yd. FR
Buffalo (9/25/04)	Tyler Russ 33-yd. IR
VMI (9/4/05)	Tyler Russ 19-yd. FR
VMI (9/4/05)	T.J. Wright 41-yd. IR



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### QUICK STARTS IMPORTANT FOR BOBCATS

- Since the start of the 2002 season, the Bobcats have played 59 games in which one team or the other has held the lead at halftime. In those games, the squad leading at intermission has won 50 times (.845).
- Ohio has won 15 straight games when leading at halftime, including all seven games in which the Bobcats held the lead at the break during the 2006 season and the first contest of the 2007 season, a 36-14 win over Gardner-Webb on Sept. 1. The last time the Bobcats could not hold a halftime lead was on Nov. 15, 2003 when Akron overcame a 21-14 halftime deficit to win, 35-28.
- Last season, the Bobcats were able to overcome halftime deficits to earn victories twice. Against Northern Illinois on Sept. 9, the Bobcats trailed 17-14 at the break, but pulled out a 35-23 win. Eastern Michigan held a one-point edge (10-9) over Ohio heading into halftime on Nov. 4, but the visiting Bobcats held the Eagles scoreless in the second half for a 16-10 win.
- The Bobcats are 1-1 when tied at halftime since the start of 2002.

### SEASON-OPENING SAFTIES

- In each of the last two seasons, Ohio has recorded a safety during its season-opener. Against Gardner-Webb on Sept. 1, senior Joshua Abrams' third blocked punt of the game was knocked out of the Runnin' Bulldogs' end zone for a safety. Against UT-Martin in the 2006 season-opener, Ohio registered a second quarter safety to go up 9-0 en route to a 29-3 victory.

### TERRIFIC TRIFECTA

- In the season-opener against Gardner-Webb, senior Joshua Abrams wasted no time making the most of his final year with the Bobcats. In addition to scoring the first touchdown of his career on a one-yard run in the final minute of the first half, Abrams led the Bobcats' special teams effort with three blocked punts.
- Abrams blocked punts in each of the second, third and fourth quarters, tying his previous career block total of three (all recorded during the 2006 season).
- The NCAA record for blocked punts in a single game is four, shared by Ken Irvin of Memphis (1992) and James King of Central Michigan (2001).
- Abrams is now four blocks away from tying the NCAA record for punts blocked in both a single season and a his career. Central Michigan's King holds the record for career blocks with 10 (2001-04), as well as blocks in a single season, which he set at seven during the 2001 season.
- With six currently to his credit, Abrams is in a six-way tie for 3rd all-time on the NCAA's career punt block list.



Joshua Abrams

### TIME IS ON THEIR SIDE

- The scoreboard isn't the only place the Bobcats dominated during their season-opener against Gardner-Webb on Sept. 1. Ohio held the advantage in time of possession, not only for the game, but during each individual quarter. Ohio held the ball for close to 60 percent of the game (34 minutes and 51 seconds) overall, but showed the most dominance down the stretch.
- A stingy fourth quarter defense allowed the Runnin' Bulldogs to control the ball for just 5:22 during the final period. Under Frank Solich, Ohio is now 10-5 in games during which the Bobcats lead in time of possession.

### FOURTH DOWN FORTUNE

- The Bobcats were more than efficient on fourth down during their opener. They were down right perfect. Ohio converted on each of three attempts on fourth down against Gardner-Webb.
- In the opening quarter, Ohio faced fourth down and one yard twice during its third drive of the game, handing the ball to All-MAC running back Kalvin McRae in both instances. Early in the drive, McRae answered fourth-and-one with a nine-yard gain before putting the Bobcats on the board with a 20-yard touchdown run on fourth-and-one from the GWU 20-yard line.
- In the third stanza, it was McRae who was called on again as the Bobcats were facing fourth-and-three from the Bulldogs' 37 yard-line. McRae rattled off another 18-yard gain for first down. That drive also resulted in a McRae rushing touchdown.

### Bobcats Win When Scoring Twenty-Eight

- Since the 1998 season, Ohio is 29-10 (.744) when reaching the 28-point plateau.
- In that same span, Ohio has had 13 victories when scoring less than 28 points, including five contests during the 2006 season (vs. Western Michigan 27-20; at Illinois 20-17; at Kent State 17-7; at Eastern Michigan 16-10; vs. Akron 17-7).
- The Bobcats have won 11 straight games when scoring at least 28 points.
- Ohio is 24-6 since 1998 when scoring at least 30 points, 11-1 when putting up at least 40 points and 4-0 when scoring at least 50 points.

### Ohio in Overtime

The Bobcats' 16-10 win in 2005 versus Pittsburgh was the fourth overtime game in school history, and the first overtime game at Peden Stadium.

Opponent	W/L	Score
at Ball State (10/12/96)	L	27-30
at Northern Illinois (10/4/03)	L	23-30
at UCF (11/6/04)	W	17-16
Pittsburgh (9/9/05)	W	16-10

### Longest Scoring Drives

The Bobcats had a 16-play scoring drive that resulted in a field goal versus Central Michigan in the MAC Championship game. It was the 11th Ohio scoring drive of at least 15 plays since the start of the 2000 season.

Opponent	Plays	Yards	TOP	Score
Florida (2002)	20	63	9:47	FG
<b>Akron (2006)</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>9:57</b>	<b>FG</b>
Marshall (2001)	18	82	7:58	TD
Pittsburgh (2005)	17	76	7:03	FG
<b>C. Michigan (2006)</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>7:24</b>	<b>FG</b>
Kent State (2001)	16	98	6:57	TD
Buffalo (2002)	16	80	5:56	TD
Miami (2000)	16	73	7:32	TD
Ball State (2005)	15	85	7:43	TD
Minnesota (2003)	15	77	7:37	TD
VMI (2004)	15	54	6:27	TD

### Lights, Camera, Action!

The 2007 GMAC Bowl was Ohio's second straight game televised by ESPN and the 10th nationally-televised game in the last two years. Here's a look at how the Bobcats have fared in televised games since the start of the 2005 season.

Network	W	L	Pct.
MAC TV	3	0	1.000
ESPN360	1	0	1.000
Comcast Sports Net Chicago	1	0	1.000
ESPN2	1	1	.500
ESPNU	2	4	.333
ESPN	0	2	.000
MSG	0	1	.000
<b>Totals</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>.500</b>



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### OHIO NAMES CAPTAINS

• During fall camp, the Ohio Bobcats officially announced the 2007 Team Captains, tabbing six seniors and one junior for the roles.

• **Landon Cohen, Sr., DT, Spartanburg, S.C.**

Cohen was named second-team All-MAC in 2006 after starting all 14 games for the Bobcats. He led the Bobcats' defensive line with 14.0 tackles for loss.



• **Jameson Hartke, Jr., DE, Centerville, Ohio**

Entering his third year with the Bobcats, Hartke already ranks fourth all-time at Ohio with 13.0 career sacks. He started all 14 games in 2006 and earned second team All-MAC honors.



• **Taj Henley, Sr., LB, Richmond, Va.**

In three years with the Bobcats, Henley has played in 34 games, including all 14 of his junior campaign. He made 14 tackles during the 2006 season as a reserve linebacker.



• **Todd Koenig, Sr., S, Nanty-Glo, Pa.**

A returning starter in the defensive backfield for the Bobcats, Koenig recorded 49 tackles, including 25 solo stops during the 2006 season.



• **Kalvin McRae, Sr., RB, Decatur, Ga.**

A two-time All-MAC running back, McRae has been named to the watch list for the Walter Camp and Maxwell awards this season.



• **Matt Miller, Sr., OL, Mechanicsville, Va.**

One of three offensive linemen to start all 14 games for the Bobcats in 2006, Miller led Ohio with 61 pancake blocks and graded out at 85 percent.



• **David Shelby, Sr., OL, New Albany, Ohio**

Shelby started every game of the 2006 season, playing a team-high 856 snaps, including every snap over the final six games of the season.



### PERFECT DEBUT



Michael Braunstein

Perfection may have been contagious in the Bobcats' season opener. Senior kicker Michael Braunstein also posted a pristine record during his Ohio debut on Sept. 1.

- The transfer from Washington converted on both of his field goal attempts (from 21 and 43 yards, respectively), as well as all four point-after-touchdown tries.
- Dating back to his 2006 season with the Huskies, Braunstein is now perfect on his last 36 PATs and boasts a 12-for-14 (85.7 percent) conversion record on field goal attempts.

### DON'T RUSH THE BOBCATS

Practicing against All-MAC running back Kalvin McRae has apparently been beneficial for the Bobcats' rush defense. Against Gardner-Webb, Ohio allowed just 65 rushing yards on 24 attempts. Since the start of the 2005 season, the Bobcats are a perfect 6-0 when holding their opponents to 100 yards or less on the ground.

### WHEN YOUR'E HOT, YOU'RE HOT

Against Gardner-Webb, Ohio scored on five consecutive offensive possessions (three touchdowns and two field goals) and capped the scoring effort with a safety on the next defensive possession en route to a 36-14 victory. The Bobcats offensive tear included scores on four of their five offensive possessions in the second half.

### NEW LOOK FOR THE BOBCATS

Prior to the 2007 season, Russell Athletic and Ohio University officially signed an agreement that designates the world renown athletic performance brand as the "Official Team Uniform and Apparel" manufacturer of Ohio Athletics through 2012. The five-year, all-inclusive outfitting agreement gives Russell Athletic, a subsidiary of Fruit of the Loom, exclusive rights as uniform and apparel provider for all Ohio University varsity teams and coaches in addition to category exclusivity for licensed apparel at stadium and arena concessions.

### IRONMEN

Seniors Kalvin McRae (Decatur, Ga.), Landon Cohen (Spartanburg, S.C.) and Brett Sykes (Eastlake, Ohio) have played in every game for the Bobcats over the last three-plus seasons. Dating back to the start of the 2004 season, the trio has appeared in all 37 games in which the Bobcats have taken the field. Cohen and McRae currently share the team lead in consecutive games started, which stands at 26 games. McRae has started 34 games, earning eight starts in the middle of his freshman season.

### A NIGHT OF FIRSTS

In addition to a number of newcomers making their Ohio debut, there were a number of career firsts accomplished in the season opener against Gardner-Webb. Chido Nwokocha grabbed his first career touchdown pass, Joshua Abrams ran for his first career touchdown, Ervin Jackson nabbed his first career interception and transfer Michael Braunstein netted the first field goals of his Ohio career.

### ROAD WINS KEY TO SUCCESS

The GMAC Bowl, while technically a neutral site game, was Ohio's ninth game of the season away from Peden Stadium in 2006. In seven regular season road games, the Bobcats went 5-2. The Bobcats' five road wins in 2006 matched their road win total from 2001-05.

- Ohio recorded four consecutive wins away from home (at Illinois, Kent State, Eastern Michigan, Miami) for the first time since the 1968 squad won its first five road games of the campaign.
- Ohio's five road wins were the most since 1968, their last MAC championship season.
- The Bobcats lost to Central Michigan in the MAC Championship Game on Nov. 30 at Ford Field in their first neutral site contest of the season.



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### 2007 MAC News Media Association Preseason Poll

#### West Division

Team	1st place	Total
1. Western Michigan	15	175
2. Central Michigan	10	173
3. Toledo	6	138
4. Ball State	4	134
5. Northern Illinois	1	90
6. Eastern Michigan	--	73

#### East Division

Team	1st place	Total
1. Ohio	15	216
2. Kent State	13	203
3. Akron	6	171
4. Miami	1	163
5. Kent State	--	130
6. Temple	1	64
7. Buffalo	--	61

**Championship game winner:** Western Michigan (11); Central Michigan (10); **Ohio (6)**; Toledo (5); Kent State (2); Akron (1); Temple (1).

### OHIO HERITAGE LINE

Ohio Athletics' five Heritage line marks:

- **Interlocking OU** - This mark dates back to the 1900s and was one of the first University marks seen on athletic gear. It was used on Ohio's basketball uniforms as well as on sweaters and jackets worn by members of our earliest football and baseball teams.

- **OHIO** - This mark dates back to the 1940s & 1950s. This mark was worn primarily by the men's basketball team and was on the warm ups of the 1941 NIT runner up team. This mark was also on the basketball court at Grover Center while it served as home to Ohio Basketball in the 1960s.

- **Attack Cat** - This mark dates back to the 1960s and 1970s. This mark was the original midcourt logo at the Convo and received national exposure when Bobcat basketball standout Walter Luckett was on the cover of Sports Illustrated in 1972.

- **Full Body Bobcat** - This mark represents the first time that Ohio used a full-body Bobcat logo. It was featured prominently during the 1960s and 1970s.

- **The Paw** - This mark came into use in 1978 and was worn on the Bobcat football helmet. The Paw Print received national exposure in 1984 when the Bobcat basketball team advanced to the NCAA basketball tournament.

### BOBCATS PICKED TO WIN MAC EAST

Announced at Mid-American Conference Football Media Day in Ford Field on July 25th, the Bobcats were named the favorite to repeat in the East Division in 2007 according to the MAC News Media Association Preseason Poll.

- The Bobcats, who went 9-5 overall and 7-1 in league play in 2006 en route to a division title and an appearance in the GMAC Bowl, received 15 first-place votes in the preseason poll. Ohio garnered 216 total points, the most of any of the 13 football programs in the MAC. Kent State accumulated 203 points and was tabbed to finish second in the East Division, two first-place tallies behind Ohio.

- With 15 first-place votes, Western Michigan will enter the season the favorite in the MAC West Division. Central Michigan, the defending division and league champion, received 10 first place votes.

- WMU is also the preseason pick to win the 2007 MAC Championship with 11 votes followed by CMU with 10 and Ohio with six.

### OHIO FOOTBALL HONORED BY AFCA

The American Football Coaches Association has announced that the Ohio football team has received 2007 Academic Achievement Award honorable mention recognition.

- The award recognizes NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision programs that graduate at least 70 percent of its players. It marks the the third time in the last four years, and fourth time overall that the Bobcats have earned honorable mention accolades. Ohio was also on the honored in 1999, 2004 and 2005.

- During the 2006 season, four members of the Bobcat team were honored as Academic All-MAC honorees: Austen Everson (quarterback), Jameson Hartke (defensive end), J.J. Knabb (center), and Tyler Russ (linebacker).

- Hartke, Russ, and nose tackle Shane Yates were also honored as members of the Second-Team Academic All-District IV team.

### OHIO HIRES NEW "VOICE OF THE BOBCATS"

- Ohio Director of Athletics Kirby Hocutt has announced the hiring of Warren Swain to the position of Director of Broadcasting, which includes play-by-play duties for the Ohio Sports Network.

- The new "Voice of the Bobcats" brings a distinguished resume to his new position in Athens. A veteran of collegiate athletics broadcasting, Swain most recently served as the play-by-play voice for Drake University. In addition to Drake, Swain's play-by-play experience includes covering Nebraska, Virginia, Oregon, Iowa State and Creighton since his career began in 1972.

- Swain's duties will extend beyond play-by-play in Ohio's Director of Broadcasting position. Swain will also be responsible for coordinating all radio broadcast activities for OSN, including games, the "Frank Solich Call-In Show" and "Tim O'Shea Call-In Show," and the daily "Bobcat Minute." Among his other responsibilities, Swain will also be involved in the coordination of OSN television broadcasts and will work with OSN affiliates.

### OHIO RELEASES HERITAGE LINE

The Ohio University Athletics Department unveiled five Heritage marks in a press conference in August.

- Over the past few months, Ohio Athletics has been working with its licensing and merchandising partner, Licensing Resource Group, and Joe Bosac Design Company to create and introduce for a limited time a fun and unique program that will bring back to the marketplace some of the most popular marks and logos in Bobcat history.

- This announcement will allow licensees and retailers to expand their current product offering and bring back looks such as the popular "Paw Print" mark. The collection will also be supported with custom signage, hang tag options and other collateral materials.

- These marks will only enter the merchandising marketplace and will not be used as official marks for Ohio Athletics.

- Retailers in the Athens area will sell products with the Heritage marks one month before they will be released to all other licensees and retailers, which is currently scheduled for September 20, 2007.

### NEW FACE ON BOBCAT SIDELINE

- Ohio wide receivers coach **Dwayne Dixon** will participate in his first game as a member of the Bobcats's staff against Gardner-Webb in the season opener. Dixon joined the Ohio staff during the offseason after spending two seasons with the Wolfpack of NC State University. Dixon spent the first 15 years of his coaching career at his alma mater, the University of Florida. While he spent all of his time working with the Gators' receivers, Dixon held many titles while at Florida, including that of Assistant Head Coach from 1995-99 and 2003-04. During the 2000 season, Dixon also worked with Florida's kickoff and punt return units.



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### BOBCATS EARN PRESEASON HONORS

Eight different Bobcats have earned at least one preseason All-MAC mention — senior running back **Kalvin McRae** (Decatur, Ga.), senior guard **Matt Miller** (Mechanicsville, Va.), sophomore return specialist **Chris Garrett** (Bristow, Va.), senior tackle **Landon Cohen** (Spartanburg, S.C.), junior cornerback **Mark Parson** (Richmond, Va.), senior kicker **Michael Braunstein** (Gilbert, Ariz.), senior offensive lineman **David Shelby** (New Albany, Ohio) and junior defensive end **Jameson Hartke** (Centerville, Ohio).

#### Kalvin McRae

- *The Sporting News* first-team All-MAC
- *Collegefootballnews.com* first-team All-MAC
- *CBSSportsline.com* first-team All-MAC
- *Phil Steele's College Football Preview* first-team All-MAC
- *MAC Report Online* first-team All-MAC



Kalvin McRae

#### Matt Miller

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- *Phil Steele's College Football Preview* third-team All-MAC
- *MAC Report Online* second-team All-MAC



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- *Collegefootballnews.com* first-team All-MAC
- *CBSSportsline.com* first-team All-MAC
- *Phil Steele's College Football Preview* second-team All-MAC
- *MAC Report Online* first-team All-MAC

#### Mark Parson

- *Phil Steele's College Football Preview* first-team All-MAC

#### Michael Braunstein

- *Phil Steele's College Football Preview* third-team All-MAC

#### David Shelby

- *Collegefootballnews.com* second-team All-MAC

### Preseason Predictions: Early season buzz about the Bobcats

- *CBSSportsline.com's* college football preview picked the Bobcats to reign once again atop the MAC East. Out of 119 Division I-A teams across the nation, Ohio was ranked No. 86, higher than all MAC foes save for Central Michigan (66) and Western Michigan (78). *CBSSportsline* has tabbed Solich as the conference's Coach of the Year.
- *CollegeFootballNews.com* says that Ohio holds the MAC East division title in "its own hands," but predicts just a 7-5 season with losses on the road at Virginia Tech, Toledo and Akron and home defeats against Wyoming and Miami.
- *Phil Steele's College Football Preview* selected Ohio a surprising fourth in the MAC East, behind Kent State, Miami and Bowling Green, respectively.
- *The Sporting News* tabbed Ohio as No. 2 in the MAC East in 2007, behind rival Miami, and citing the match-up at Peden between the Bobcats and the Red Hawks as one of the four "Games to Watch" in either division of the conference this season. The publication credited Ohio with having the best fans of all 13 teams around the MAC and recognized Ohio's coaches as the best-all-around staff in the conference. Senior guard Matt Miller was noted as a "player who must step up," noting that the veteran lineman will be expected to lead the way blocking for all-conference running back Calvin McRae. *The Sporting News* also offered a nod to newcomer Theo Scott as a "player to watch." The sophomore transfer from LA Southwest College could battle for the No. 1 spot at quarterback this season.

### The OBSN TV Broadcast Schedule on GTN:

Sep. 1-Gardner-Webb-7 p.m.  
Sep. 22-Wyoming-3 p.m.  
Oct. 20-at Toledo-7 p.m.  
Oct. 27-at Bowling Green-6 p.m.  
Nov. 24-Miami-2 p.m.  
Schedule is subject to change.

Over the Air: Channel 51  
Time Warner: Channel 2  
Insight Cable: Channel 4 or 51  
W.O.W Cable: Channel 12  
Adelphia Cable: Channel 12  
Direct TV: Channel 51  
Dish Network: Channel 7207  
Sky Angel Satellite: Channel 9707  
For more information on GTN's availability in your area, visit GTN51.com.

### OHIO INKS DEAL WITH GUARDIAN TELEVISION NETWORK

- Ohio Athletics announced in August a partnership with the Guardian Television Network for the broadcast of 15 sports contests for the 2007-08 season. The Ohio Bobcat Sports Network will be producing the broadcasts in conjunction with GTN.
- Fans and alumni will be able to learn more about what's going on at Ohio University and be updated with information on all 16 varsity sports throughout the telecast. With the help of University Communications and Marketing and the Office of Alumni Relations, the halftime of the broadcast will feature stories of Ohio University's award-winning students and faculty.
- GTN is an over-the-air station available throughout Central Ohio on channel 51. In addition, it can be found on cable and satellite systems throughout Central Ohio (see right for channel listings).
- For the 2007 football season, five contests will be broadcast by the OBSN on GTN. Dave Weekley, known throughout the region for his coverage of the Mid-American Conference, will have the call in the booth. Color analysis will be provided by Matt Sheppard, an Ohio Football and OBSN alumnus. Jason Koma, a veteran of the Ohio Bobcat Sports Network, will join Weekley and Sheppard on the sideline.



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### HEAD COACH FRANK SOLICH



**3rd Season at Ohio (14-12, .538; 10-6 MAC)**  
**9th Season Overall (72-31, .699)**  
**Nebraska, 1966**

### Solich vs. All Opponents

Team	W	L
Alabama-Birmingham	1	0
<b>Akron</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
Arizona	0	1
Arizona State	1	0
Ball State	1	0
Baylor	2	0
<b>Bowling Green</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Buffalo</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
California	2	0
Central Michigan	0	2
Colorado	4	2
<b>Eastern Michigan</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Gardner-Webb</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
Illinois	1	0
Iowa	2	0
Iowa State	5	1
Kansas	6	0
Kansas State	2	4
<b>Kent State</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Louisiana-Lafayette</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Louisiana Tech	1	0
McNeese State	1	0
Miami (Fla.)	0	1
<b>Miami (Ohio)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
Mississippi	0	1
Missouri	5	2
Northern Illinois	1	0
Northwestern	1	1
Notre Dame	2	0
Oklahoma	1	1
Oklahoma State	3	1
Penn State	1	1
Pittsburgh	1	0
Rice	1	0
Rutgers	0	1
San Jose State	1	0
Southern Mississippi	2	1
<b>Temple</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Tennessee	1	0
Tennessee-Martin	1	0
Texas	1	4
Texas A&M	3	1
Texas Christian	1	0
Texas Tech	2	0
<b>Toledo</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
Troy State	3	0
Utah State	2	0
<b>Virginia Tech</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
Washington	1	0
Western Michigan	1	0
<b>Wyoming</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

### The Frank Solich File ... Collegiate Coaching Experience

**2005-present Head Coach Ohio**

- 14-12 overall, 10-6 MAC (Third season)
- Served as head coach for the Aina Team at the 2005 Hula Bowl
- Guided Ohio to one of the biggest turn-around in college football during his second season with the Bobcats, improving from 4-7 in 2005 to 9-5 in 2006
- 2007 GMAC Bowl Appearance

**1998-2003 Head Coach Nebraska**

- Compiled a 58-19 (.753) record
- Big 12 Coach of the Year (1999, 2001)
- Coached Huskers to the 1999 Big 12 title

**1983-98 Asst. Head Coach/Running Backs Nebraska**

- Promoted to assistant head coach in 1991
- Team led the nation in rushing nine times
- Mentored an all-conference back 13 times in 15 seasons.
- Coached and recruited two Heisman Trophy winners (Mike Rozier, 1983; Eric Crouch, 2001)
- Coached more than 250 professional players in 24 years at Nebraska

**1979-83 Freshman Head Coach Nebraska**

- Coached team to a 19-1 record (.950)

### Education

1966 Bachelor's of Science Nebraska

1972 Master's of Education Nebraska

### Playing Experience

**1962-65 Fullback Nebraska**

- Three-year letterwinner
- All-Big 8 Conference
- Co-Captain in 1965
- Set Nebraska single-game rushing record for fullbacks (204 yds.)

**1965 Baseball Nebraska**

### Solich Year-By-Year

Year	School	W	L	Conf.	Bowl
1998	Nebraska	9	4	5-3	Holiday Bowl (L)
1999	Nebraska	12	1	7-1	Fiesta Bowl (W)
2000	Nebraska	10	2	6-2	Alamo Bowl (W)
2001	Nebraska	11	2	7-1	Rose Bowl (L)
2002	Nebraska	7	7	3-5	Independence Bowl (L)
2003	Nebraska	9	3	5-3	---
2005	Ohio	4	7	3-5	---
2006	Ohio	9	5	7-1	GMAC Bowl (L)
2007	Ohio	1	0	0-0	---
<b>Totals</b>	<b>Ninth Year</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>43-21</b>	<b>6 (2-4)</b>

### Ohio All-Time Winningest Coaches

Coach	W	L	T	Pct.	Seasons
1. Don Peden	121	46	11	.711	1924-26
2. Bill Hess	108	91	4	.542	1958-77
3. Carroll Widdoes	42	36	5	.536	1949-57
4. Jim Grobe	33	33	1	.500	1995-2000
5. Brian Burke	31	34	1	.478	1979-84
6. Mark Banks	22	17	2	.561	1913-17
<b>7. Frank Solich</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.538</b>	<b>2005-pres.</b>
8. Art McFarland	13	10	1	.562	1906-08
Russ Finsterwald	13	10	1	.562	1920-22



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### OHIO DEPTH CHART

#### OFFENSE

- X-WR 23 Taylor Price (So., 6-1, 184, Hillard, Ohio)
- 11 Terrence McCrae (R-Fr., 6-3, 203, Vanderbilt, Pa.)
  
- LT 74 Josh Leuck (Jr., 6-3, 289, Omaha, Neb.)
- 68 Shaun Fosnaugh (So., 6-5, 291, Lancaster, Ohio)
  
- LG 76 Mike Eynon (Jr., 6-3, 289, Westlake, Ohio)
- 65 Dathan Ferrainolo (So., 6-3, 300, East Liverpool, Ohio)
  
- C 66 Tommy Stuck (Jr., 6-1, 286, Lancaster, Ohio)
- 58 David White (So., 6-1, 289, Chardon, Ohio)
  
- RG 79 Matt Miller (Sr., 6-3, 312, Mechanicsville, Va.)
- 61 Michael Philbin (So., 6-4, 302, Poland, Ohio)
  
- RT 52 David Shelby (Sr., 6-4, 296, New Albany, Ohio)
- 60 Cole Brunner (R-Fr., 6-5, 315, Omaha, Neb.)
  
- TE 84 David Carter (Jr., 6-5, 246, Waynesboro, Pa.)
- OR 81 Andrew Mooney (Jr., 6-3, 233, Lubbock, Texas)
- 45 Nate Caldwell (R-Fr., 6-5, 231, Pittsburgh, Pa.)
  
- QB 14 Brad Bower (Sr., 6-2, 215, Burr Ridge, Ill.)
- 3 Theo Scott (So., 6-1, 197, Long Beach, Calif.)
  
- FB 39 Mitch Morsillo (So., 6-1, 243, Moon, Pa.)
- 40 Jayson White (Jr., 6-1, 231, Erie, Pa.)
  
- TB 5 Calvin McRae (Sr., 5-11, 208, Decatur, Ga.)
- 6 Joshua Abrams (Sr., 6-0, 197, Dunwoody, Ga.)
  
- Z-WR 2 Chris Garrett (So., 5-8, 174, Bristow, Va.)
- 17 Chido Nwokocha (Sr., 6-0, 186, Elk Grove, Calif.)

#### SPECIALISTS

- P 43 Matt Schulte (R-Fr., 6-0, 179, Cincinnati, Ohio)
- 14 Michael Braunstein (Sr., 5-6, 198, Gilbert, Az.)
  
- PK 14 Michael Braunstein (Sr., 5-6, 198, Gilbert, Az.)
- 43 Matt Schulte (R-Fr., 6-0, 179, Cincinnati, Ohio)
  
- LS 49 Ryan Senser (Sr., 6-3, 227, Westerville, Ohio)
- 33 Kyle Robbins (R-Fr., 6-2, 211, North Canton, Ohio)
  
- H 18 Josh Febus (So., 6-2, 211, Dublin, Ohio)
- 10 Brandon Jones (So., 6-0, 190, Marietta, Ga.)
  
- KR 2 Chris Garrett (So., 5-8, 174, Bristow, Va.)
- 23 Taylor Price (So., 6-1, 184, Hilliard, Ohio)
  
- PR 2 Chris Garrett (So., 5-8, 174, Bristow, Va.)
- 24 Mark Parson (Jr., 5-10, 188, Richmond, Va.)

#### DEFENSE

- DE 54 Kris Luchsinger (So., 6-4, 250, Dublin, Ohio)
- 97 Eric Kenkel (Jr., 6-3, 254, Cincinnati, Ohio)
  
- DT 55 Landon Cohen (Sr., 6-3, 274, Spartanburg, S.C.)
- 91 Alan Goff (Sr., 6-4, 266, Escondido, Calif.)
- OR 75 Pete Reese (So., 6-4, 280, Toledo, Ohio)
  
- NG 94 Brett Sykes (Sr., 6-2, 273, Eastlake, Ohio)
- 96 Jacob Williamson (Jr., 6-4, 283, Ackworth, Ga.)
  
- DE 90 Jameson Hartke (Jr., 6-4, 262, Centerville, Ohio)
- 92 Conor Reilly (So., 6-3, 247, Hudson, Ohio)
  
- WLB 48 Jordan Meyers (Jr., 6-0, 220, Harrison, Ohio)
- 32 Lee Renfro (So., 5-10, 217, Burnside, Ky.)
  
- MLB 56 Taj Henley (Sr., 6-1, 232, Richmond, Va.)
- 47 Noah Keller (Fr., 6-1, 226, Kearney, Neb.)
  
- SLB 35 Michael Brown (Jr., 6-3, 230, Cincinnati, Ohio)
- 19 Chris Hall (So., 6-1, 221, Louisville, Ky.)
- OR 27 Errik Ejike (Jr., 6-0, 203, Tyler, Texas)
  
- CB 24 Mark Parson (Jr., 5-10, 188, Richmond, Va.)
- 12 Thad Turner (So., 6-0, 165, Marietta, Ga.)
  
- FS 8 Todd Koenig (Sr., 6-2, 214, Nanty-Glo, Pa.)
- 7 Ervin Jackson (Sr., 6-0, 192, Kiln, Miss.)
  
- SS 34 Michael Mitchell (Jr., 6-1, 217, Ft. Thomas, Ky.)
- 13 Neil Jereb (Jr., 5-10, 186, Westlake, Ohio)
  
- RC 4 Idris Lawrence (So., 5-8, 170, Columbus, Ohio)
- OR 9 Julian Posey (R-Fr., 5-11, 183, Cincinnati, Ohio)
- 31 Kenny Jackson (Fr., 5-8, 150, Youngstown, Ohio)





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### INTERVIEW OPPORTUNITIES

#### Head Coach Frank Solich

- 1. Mid-American Conference Teleconference** – The 13 MAC coaches are available every Monday during the regular season between 9:30-11:30 a.m. ET beginning on August 28. Coach Solich will take questions for eight minutes starting at 10:18 a.m. Media wishing to access the call can either contact the MAC or Ohio media relations staff for the call-in number. A replay of the entire call is also available.
- 2. Weekly Media Briefing** – Coach Solich will meet with members of the media at 12:30 p.m. on Monday of game weeks in the auditorium of the second floor of the Peden Tower. Please be advised that during weeks when games are not played on Saturday, the day of Coach Solich's briefing may change based on the team schedule. Please contact Jason Corriher in the media relations office to confirm.
- 3. Phone Interviews** – For out-of-town media that wish to request a phone interview with Coach Solich, please contact Jason Corriher in the Ohio Media Relations Office. Interviews will be scheduled based on Coach Solich's availability.
- 4. Post-Game Press Conference** – Coach Solich will be available to members of the media following each game, both at home and on the road. Check with Jason Corriher of the Ohio Media Relations Office for specific details.

#### Assistant Coaches

Interviews with requested assistant coaches will take place after practice on Wednesdays of game weeks. Please be advised that during weeks when games are not played on Saturday, the day of assistant coach interviews may change based on the team's schedule. Please contact Jason Corriher in the media relations office to confirm. **Coaches should not be contacted at their residences or cell phones. All interview requests must go through the media relations office.**

#### Student-Athletes

Interviews with requested players will take place following practice on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Selected players will also be available following Coach Solich's weekly press briefing. Please contact Jason Corriher in the Ohio Media Relations Office to confirm practice times and request players. Please be advised that during weeks when games are not played on Saturday, interview days may change based on the team's schedule. **Players should not be contacted at their residences or cell phones. All interview requests must go through the media relations office.** Please keep in mind there may be class conflicts on certain days. Requested players will also be available following each game. **The Ohio locker room is closed to the media at all times.** Phone interviews with out-of-town media can also be arranged.

### Covering Practice

Practice is open to members of the media. However, still photographers and videographers will be allowed to shoot only during pre-practice individual drills, which usually last approximately 10 minutes at the beginning of practice. Daily practices generally begin at 3:15 p.m. Media members wishing to attend practice should contact Jason Corriher in the media relations office at 740-593-1298 to confirm.

Media members covering practices or scrimmages will not be permitted to report any scouting information (injuries, formations, personnel groupings, etc.) without first speaking with a member of the Ohio coaching staff or Jason Corriher in the media relations office. Failure to adhere to this guideline could result in the closing of all practices and scrimmages to the media.

### OhioBobcats.com

The official web site of Ohio Athletics is ohiobobcats.com. It is one of the many means of information dissemination utilized by the athletics department. In addition to releases, specific team information (rosters, schedules, statistics, bios, etc.) for all 16 varsity sports is available. Statistics, a game recap and quotes will be available on-line as soon as possible following each game. Live, in-game statistics will also be available for each home game.

### MAC Teleconference

**First Teleconference:** Monday, August 27  
**Last Full Teleconference:** Monday, Nov. 19  
**Championship Teleconference:** Monday, Nov. 26 with the two schools in the MAC Championship game (head coach and two student-athletes from each team), from 10:00 – 10:30 a.m. (ET). The teleconference can be accessed by calling 719-547-1566.

#### WEST DIVISION

9:30-9:38 ..... Bill Cubit, Western Michigan  
 9:38-9:46 ..... Tom Amstutz, Toledo  
 9:46-9:54 ..... Joe Novak, Northern Illinois  
 9:54-10:02 ..... Jeff Genyk, Eastern Michigan  
 10:02-10:10 ..... Butch Jones, Central Michigan  
 10:10-10:18 ..... Brady Hoke, Ball State

#### EAST DIVISION

10:18-10:26 ..... Frank Solich, Ohio  
 10:26-10:34 ..... Shane Montgomery, Miami  
 10:34-10:42 ..... Doug Martin, Kent State  
 10:42-10:50 ..... Turner Gill, Buffalo  
 10:50-10:58 ..... Gregg Brandon, Bowling Green  
 10:58-11:06 ..... J.D. Brookhart, Akron  
 11:06-11:14 ..... Al Golden, Temple

### E-Mail Service

Football releases and information can be obtained electronically by e-mailing Jason Corriher at corriher@ohio.edu. Please include all contact information for your media outlet. Please note this service is for media only.

### Credentials

For home contests, all requests for working print, television, radio, or on-line media, in addition to photography or scouting requests, should be directed to the Ohio Athletics Media Relations Office. Requests should be received no later than Tuesday of game week. If time permits, credentials will be mailed. Credentials can also be picked up at the media will call located at the south entrance to Peden Tower. Media wishing to cover the Bobcats on the road, should submit their requests to the Ohio Athletics Media Relations Office at least two weeks prior to the contest.

### Media Relations Contacts

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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	El.-Exp	Hometown	High School/Last School
2	Chris Garrett	WR	5-8	177	So.-1L	Bristow, Va.	Stonewall Jackson/Fork Union Military Academy
3	Theo Scott	QB	6-2	195	So.-TR	Long Beach, Calif.	Long Beach Poly/LA Southwest College
4	Idris Lawrence	CB	5-8	166	So.-1L	Columbus, Ohio	Brookhaven
*5	Kalvin McRae	TB	5-11	207	Sr.-3L	Decatur, Ga.	Avondale
*5	Brian Sweeney	QB	6-2	192	Fr.-HS	Beaver Falls, Pa.	Blackhawk
6	Josh Abrams	TB	6-0	195	Sr.-2L	Dunwoody, Ga.	Dunwoody
*7	LaVon Brazill	WR	5-10	172	Fr.-HS	Lantana, Fla.	Lake Worth
*7	Ervin Jackson	S	6-0	195	Sr.-1L	Kiln, Miss.	Hancock/Pearl River JC
*8	Billy Gonzales	CB	5-11	167	Fr.-HS	Bonney Lake, Wash.	Auburn Riverside
*8	Todd Koenig	S	6-3	217	Sr.-2L	Nanty-Glo, Pa.	Bishop Carroll
9	Julian Posey	CB	5-11	183	Fr.-RS	Cincinnati, Ohio	LaSalle
10	Brandon Jones	QB	6-0	185	So.-1L	Marietta, Ga.	Marietta
11	Terrence McCrae	WR	6-4	199	Fr.-RS	Vanderbilt, Pa.	Connellsville
12	Thad Turner	CB	5-11	166	So.-SQ	Marietta, Ga.	Marietta
13	Neil Jereb	S	5-10	186	Jr.-1L	Westlake, Ohio	St. Edward
*14	Brad Bower	QB	6-2	212	Sr.-1L	Burr Ridge, Ill.	Hinsdale Central/Illinois
*14	Michael Braunstein	K	5-6	194	Sr.-TR	Gilbert, Ariz.	Gilbert/University of Washington
15	Robert Preston	WR	6-0	195	Sr.-1L	Columbus, Ohio	Mifflin
16	Tyler Huffman	WR	5-11	173	Jr.-SQ	New Lexington, Ohio	New Lexington
*17	Kevin Culver	S	5-9	189	Fr.-RS	Thornville, Ohio	Sheridan
*17	Chido Nwokocha	WR	6-0	186	Sr.-1L	Elk Grove, Calif.	Laguna Creek/Sacramento City College
*18	Kyle Endicott	CB	6-0	193	Fr.-RS	Olentangy, Ohio	Olentangy Liberty
*18	Josh Febus	QB	6-2	210	So.-1L	Dublin, Ohio	Dublin Coffman
*19	Chris Hall	LB	6-0	222	Jr.-2L	Louisville, Ky.	Ballard
*19	Miles Schlichter	QB	6-1	219	Fr.-RS	Greenfield, Ohio	Miami Trace
20	Matt Donahue	WR	6-2	175	Fr.-HS	Fremont, Neb.	Fremont
21	L.J. Flintall	RB	5-10	180	So.-TR	Burlington, N.C.	Cummings/Hutchinson CC
22	Shannon Ballard	CB	5-11	183	Fr.-RS	Miami, Fla.	Miami Norland
23	Taylor Price	WR	6-1	192	So.-1L	Hilliard, Ohio	Hilliard Darby
24	Mark Parson	CB	5-10	190	Jr.-2L	Richmond, Va.	Monacan/Fork Union Military Academy
25	Joel Scipio	RB	5-10	220	So.-TR	Hilliard, Ohio	Hilliard Darby/Univ. of Indianapolis
*26	Vince Davidson	RB	5-11	190	Fr.-HS	Dayton, N.J.	South Brunswick/Harmony Community (Ohio)
*26	Ian Elmore	S	6-1	193	Fr.-RS	Groveport, Ohio	Groveport-Madison
27	Errik Ejike	LB	6-0	202	Jr.-TR	Tyler, Texas	Tyler Lee/Kilgore College
28	Donte Harden	RB	5-11	180	Fr.-HS	Erie, Pa.	Strong Vincent
29	Donovan Fletcher	S	6-0	193	Fr.-RS	Youngstown, Ohio	Liberty
30	Dustin Tatum	CB	5-11	180	Jr.-SQ	Lafayette, La.	St. Thomas More
31	Kenny Jackson	CB	5-8	148	Fr.-HS	Youngstown, Ohio	Liberty
32	Lee Renfro	LB	5-10	210	So.-1L	Burnside, Ky.	Southwestern
33	Kyle Robbins	LB	6-2	207	Fr.-RS	North Canton, Ohio	North Canton
34	Michael Mitchell	S	6-1	214	Jr.-2L	Ft. Thomas, Ky.	Highlands
35	Michael Brown	LB	6-3	228	Jr.-2L	Cincinnati, Ohio	Elder
36	Stafford Gatling	LB	6-4	224	Fr.-RS	Burlington, N.C.	Hugh M. Cummings
38	Adam Olsheski	TE	6-1	235	So.-SQ	Hilliard, Ohio	Hilliard Darby
39	Mitch Morsillo	FB	6-1	253	So.-1L	Moon, Pa.	Moon Area
40	Jayson White	FB	6-1	231	Jr.-2L	Erie, Pa.	McDowell
41	Jay Edwards	LB	6-0	195	Fr.-HS	Nelsonville, Ohio	Nelsonville-York
42	Steven Jackson	S	6-2	196	So.-1L	Austin, Texas	Westlake
*43	Kendale Moore	LB	6-0	218	Jr.-TR	Columbus, Ohio	Walnut Ridge/Central State
*43	Matt Schulte	P/K	5-11	179	Fr.-RS	Cincinnati, Ohio	Colerain
44	Chad Clemens	LB	5-11	197	Fr.-RS	Dayton, Ohio	Bellbrook
45	Nate Caldwell	TE	6-5	230	Fr.-RS	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Plum
46	Anton Robinson	LB	6-1	235	RFr.-SQ	Gahanna, Ohio	Gahanna Lincoln/Harmony Community
47	Noah Keller	LB	6-1	226	Fr.-HS	Kearney, Neb.	Kearney
48	Jordan Meyers	LB	6-0	233	Jr.-2L	Harrison, Ohio	Harrison
*49	Chris Miller!	WR	5-9	182	Jr.-TR	Hilliard, Ohio	Hilliard-Davidson/Air Force
*49	Ryan Senser	LS	6-1	227	Sr.-2L	Westerville, Ohio	St. Francis DeSales/Arizona State
50	Dustin Laudermitch	OL	6-3	317	Fr.-HS	Morgantown, W.Va.	Morgantown
*51	Jacob Black	OL	6-5	275	Fr.-RS	Washington Court House, Ohio	Miami Trace
*51	Dak Notestine	DE	6-2	242	Fr.-RS	Bellefontaine, Ohio	Bellefontaine
*52	Clevon Kirkland	LB	6-1	246	Fr.-RS	Cleveland, Ohio	John F. Kennedy
*52	David Shelby	OL	6-4	300	Sr.-3L	New Albany, Ohio	St. Francis De Sales
53	John Flowers	DL	6-3	255	Fr.-HS	Lancaster, Ohio	Lancaster
54	Kris Luchsinger	DE	6-4	250	So.-1L	Dublin, Ohio	Bishop Watterson
55	Landon Cohen	DT	6-3	272	Sr.-3L	Spartanburg S.C.	Spartanburg
56	Taj Henley	LB	6-0	225	Sr.-3L	Richmond, Va.	George Wythe



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*57	Keenan Chapman	DE	6-1	231	Fr.RS	Richwood, Ohio	North Union
*57	Chris Rodgers	OL	6-5	283	So.-SQ	Phoenix, Ariz.	Central
*58	Alex Trouten	NG	6-0	251	Fr-RS	Strongsville, Ohio	Holy Name
*58	David White Jr.	OL	6-1	297	So.-1L	Chardon, Ohio	Chardon
60	Cole Bunner	OL	6-5	317	Fr.-RS	Omaha, Neb.	Mount Michael
61	Michael Philbin	OL	6-4	299	So.-SQ	Poland, Ohio	Cardinal Mooney
62	Marcellis Williamson	NG	6-1	329	Fr.-RS	Warrensville Heights, Ohio	Warrensville Heights
63	Marcus O'Hara	OL	6-6	310	Fr.-HS	Hubbard, Ohio	Hubbard
64	Brady Pisano	OL	6-4	286	Jr.-SQ	Westerville, Ohio	Westerville South/Ashland
65	Dathan Ferrainolo	OL	6-3	300	So.-SQ	E. Liverpool, Ohio	Beaver Local
66	Tommy Stuck	OL	6-2	285	Jr.-1L	Lancaster, Ohio	Lancaster
67	A.J. Oxley	NG	6-4	275	Fr.-RS	Pickerington, Ohio	Pickerington North
68	Shawn Fosnaugh	OL	6-5	290	So.-SQ	Lancaster, Ohio	Lancaster
69	A.J. Strum	OL	6-5	292	Fr.-HS	Delmont, Pa.	Franklin Regional
70	Brett Hines!	OL	6-3	300	So.-TR	Cincinnati, Ohio	Moeller/Grand Valley State
71	Chris Spegal	OL	6-6	294	Fr.-HS	Bethel Park, Pa.	Bethel Park
72	Andrew Rauhen	OL	6-1	275	Fr.-RS	Highland Park, Ill.	Highland Park
73	Gary Schussler	OL	6-3	282	So.-SQ	Chardon, Ohio	Chardon
74	Josh Leuck	OL	6-4	292	Jr.-2L	Omaha, Neb.	Westside
75	Pete Reese	DT	6-4	270	Fr.-RS	Toledo, Ohio	Scott
76	Mike Eynon	OL	6-3	305	Jr.-2L	Westlake, Ohio	St. Ignatius
77	Paul Johnson	OL	6-1	312	Sr.-2L	Vienna, W.Va.	Parkersburg
78	Joe Flading	OL	6-4	241	Fr.-HS	Cincinnati, Ohio	Anderson
79	Matt Miller	OL	6-3	322	Sr.-3L	Mechanicsville, Va.	Atlee
80	Robert Mercer	WR	6-5	197	Fr.-RS	Cleveland, Ohio	Harmony Community School (Cincinnati)
81	Andrew Mooney	TE	6-3	237	Jr.-TR	Lubbock, Texas	Monterey/New Mexico State
82	Riley Dunlop	WR	6-1	169	Fr.-HS	Liberty Township, Ohio	Lakota East
83	Zac Clark	TE	6-3	236	Fr.-HS	Grove City, Ohio	Grove City
84	David Carter	TE	6-5	250	Jr.-SQ	Waynesboro, Pa.	Fork Union Military Academy/Vanderbilt
85	Brandon Peterson	WR	5-10	174	So.-1L	Gaithersburg, Md.	DeMatha
*86	Justin Fitzgerald	WR	6-3	192	Sr.-3L	Richmond, Va.	Hermitage
*86	Jahan Olyaie	WR	6-3	190	Fr.-HS	Cincinnati, Ohio	Anderson
87	Matt Lawson	WR	6-0	186	Jr.-1L	Dayton, Ohio	Vandalia Butler
89	Kody Carr	TE	6-5	200	Fr.-RS	Dublin, Ohio	Dublin Jerome
90	Jameson Hartke	DE	6-4	264	Jr.-2L	Centerville, Ohio	Centerville
91	Alan Goff	DT	6-3	265	Sr.-1L	Escondido, Calif.	San Pasqual/College of the Desert
92	Conor Reilly	DE	6-3	242	So.-1L	Hudson, Ohio	Hudson
93	Matt Ritter	DE	6-1	240	Jr.-TR	Cincinnati, Ohio	McNicholas/Clarion
94	Brett Sykes	NG	6-2	276	Sr.-3L	Eastlake, Ohio	Eastlake North
95	Ernie Hodge	DE	6-1	273	So.-1L	Dublin, Va.	Pulaski County/Hargrave Military Academy
96	Jacob Williamson	NG	6-4	275	Jr.-2L	Ackworth, Ga.	Etowah
97	Eric Kenkel	DE	6-3	256	Jr.-2L	Cincinnati, Ohio	Elder
*98	Jeff King	DL	6-1	277	Fr.-HS	Cincinnati, Ohio	Wyoming
*98	Aaron Walser	DE	6-0	235	Fr-RS	Somerset, Ohio	Sheridan
99	Curtis Meyers	DE	6-2	243	Fr.-HS	Harrison, Ohio	Harrison

\*Duplicate Numbers

!Will sit out 2007 season due to NCAA transfer rules

### Pronunciation Guide

Michael BRAUNSTEIN	BRAWN-steen	Josh LEUCK	LUKE	Gary SCHUSSLER	SHUSS-ler
Mike EYNON	EYE-nuhn	Kris LUCHSINGER	LUCK-sing-ur	Joel SCIPIO	SIP-ee-oh
Josh FEBUS	FEE-bis	Kalvin McRAE	MAC-ray		
Errik EJIKE	e-JEEK-e	Mitch MORSILLO	More-SIL-oh	<b>Coaching Staff</b>	
DATHAN FERRAINOLO	DAY-thin	CHIDO NWOKOCHA	CHEE-doe	Tim ALBIN	AL-bin
	Fair-in-OH-low		wah-CO-cha	GERRY GDOWSKI	Jerry Guh-DOW-ski
Shawn FOSNAUGH	FOZ-naw	Adam OLSHESKI	Ol-SHEH-ski	Carl PELINI	Puh-LEE-nee
TAJ Henley	TAHJ	JAHAN OLYAIE	JAH-hahn O-lah-E	Frank SOLICH	SO-litch
Neil JEREB	JARE-ub	Michael PHILIBIN	FILL-eh-been		
Todd KOENIG	KAY-nig	Brady PISANO	Pih-SAWN-oh		
IDRIS Lawrence	e-DREESE	Miles SCHLICHTER	SHLEES-ter		