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GAME #7 Wisconsin (5-1, 2-1) at Penn State (4-2, 1-2)

When: Saturday, October 13, 2007

Where: Beaver Stadium (107,282)

Kickoff: 3:30 p.m. ET

Attendance: 108,000+ (sold out)

Series Record: Wisconsin, 8-4

Penn State Captains:

No. 40 Dan Connor, Sr., LB

No. 4 Terrell Golden, Sr., WR

No. 14 Anthony Morelli, Sr., QB

TELEVISION: The contest will be televised by ABC with Brad Nessler, Bob Griese, Paul Maguire and Bonnie Bernstein calling the action. (ESPN will carry the game where ABC does not air it).

The Nittany Lions are appearing on television for the 158th time in their last 160 games.

RADIO: Penn State Sports Network (60 stations) Radio Team (8th year)

Play-by-Play: Steve Jones; **Analysis:** Jack Ham
web stream: www.GoPSUsports.com

Wisconsin Radio Network (Matt Lepay, play-by-play; Mike Lucas, analysis). Westwood One (Kevin Kugler, Terry Bowden). XM Radio 196

COACHES:

Joe Paterno

Penn State Record .367-123-3 (74.7), 42nd Year

Overall RecordSame

vs. Wisconsin4-7

58th year on Penn State staff...second all-time in career wins among 1-A coaches...among nine coaches in NCAA history with 300 wins (five in I-A)...reached 300 wins faster than any coach.

Bret Bielema

Wisconsin Record17-2, 2nd Year

Overall Recordsame

vs. Penn State1-0

THE SERIES: The Badgers own an 8-4 series advantage, including a 6-4 edge since Penn State began Big Ten competition in 1993. The teams first met in 1953.

Since '93, the visiting team has won five of the 10 meetings. The Badgers are 3-2 in Beaver Stadium and Camp Randall Stadium in conference play.

The teams next meet October 11, 2008 in Madison.

THIS WEEK

Penn State hosts No. 15 Wisconsin in a critical Big Ten clash. The contest is Penn State's 88th Homecoming game.

The Nittany Lions defeated Iowa, 27-7, last week, while the Badgers lost at Illinois, 31-26, snapping their 14-game winning streak.

NITTANY LIONS ROLL PAST IOWA

Penn State rolled to 489 yards and held Iowa to just eight first downs en route to a 27-7 win over the Hawkeyes last Saturday in Beaver Stadium.

The Nittany Lions have won 18 of their last 19 games at home dating to the final game of the 2004 season against Michigan State.

Senior tailback Rodney Kinlaw ran for a career-high 168 yards and senior quarterback Anthony Morelli threw for 233 yards and a touchdown to spark the offense. Kinlaw had a career-best 28 carries and earned his second 100-yard game of the season, having gained 129 yards vs.

Buffalo. Kinlaw gained the most yards by a Nittany Lion runner since Larry Johnson's 279 yards vs. Michigan State in 2002. Redshirt freshman Evan Royster gained a season-high 86 yards on 16 carries, as the Lions gained a season-high 256 rushing yards.

Penn State allowed only eight first downs, tied for the fewest allowed by the Lions in Big Ten play since joining the conference in 1993. The Hawkeyes entered the fourth quarter with only two first downs. The Nittany Lions allowed only 194 yards, their fewest in a Big Ten game since allowing 168 yards to Iowa in 2004.

The Penn State defense has permitted 11 touchdowns in the past 12 games.

Junior linebacker Sean Lee and senior All-America linebacker Dan Connor led another strong defensive effort with 11 and nine tackles, respectively. Lee recorded his fourth consecutive double figure tackle game. Sophomore DE Maurice Evans had two sacks, giving him 11.0 TFL this year.

PENN STATE SCHEDULE/RESULTS

2007 SCHEDULE & RESULTS (ALL TIMES EASTERN)

Overall: 4-2; **Big Ten:** 1-2; **Home:** 4-0; **Away:** 0-2

Date	Opponent (rank)	Time/Score	TV	Attend.
9/1	FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL	59-0	BTN	107,678
9/8	NOTRE DAME	31-10	ESPN	110,078
9/15	BUFFALO	45-24	BTN	107,506
9/22	at Michigan	9-14	ABC	111,310
9/29	at Illinois	20-27	BTN	57,078
10/6	IOWA	27-7	ABC	108,951
10/13	WISCONSIN (15)	3:30	ABC (ESPN)	
10/20	at Indiana	12:00	ESPN/ESPN2	
10/27	OHIO STATE	8:00	ABC/ESPN/ESPN2	
11/3	PURDUE	TBA		
11/10	at Temple	TBA		
11/17	at Michigan State	TBA		

STATISTICAL LEADERS

Rushing

Rodney Kinlaw...96 att., 547 yds, 4 TD, 5.7 avg.
 Austin Scott . . .69 att., 302 yds, 6 TD, 4.4 avg.
 Evan Royster.....25 att., 157 yds, 1 TD, 6.3 avg.

Passing

A. Morelli .109 of 187, 1328 yds, 10 TD, 6 INT

Receiving

D. Williams. . . .22 rec., 210 yds, 2 TD, 9.5 avg.
 J. Norwood . . .21 rec., 304 yds, 2 TD, 14.5 avg.
 D. Butler... .19 rec., 287 yds, 0 TD, 15.1 avg.

Scoring

Kevin Kelly10-14 FG, 21-21 PAT, 51 pts

Tackles

Sean Lee29 (s), 34 (a), 63 tot., 5.0 TFL
 Dan Connor . . .33 (s), 25 (a), 58 tot., 8.5 TFL
 L. Sargeant21 (s), 10 (a), 31 tot., 1 Int..

WISCONSIN SCHEDULE/RESULTS

2007 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Overall: 5-1; **Big Ten:** 2-1; **Home:** 4-0; **Away:** 1-1

Date	Opponent	Time/Score
9/1	WASHINGTON STATE	42-21
9/8	at UNLV	20-13
9/15	THE CITADEL	45-31
9/22	IOWA	17-13
9/29	MICHIGAN STATE	37-34
10/6	at Illinois	26-31
10/13	at Penn State	3:30 p.m.
10/20	NORTHERN ILLINOIS	
10/27	INDIANA	
11/3	at Ohio State	
11/10	MICHIGAN	
11/17	at Minnesota	

STATISTICAL LEADERS

Rushing

P.J. Hill160 att., 750 yds, 10 TD
 Lance Smith29 att., 228 yds, 0 TD

Passing

Tyler Donovan 103 of 171, 1400 yds, 11 TD, 5 INT

Receiving

Travis Beckum41 rec., 485 yds, 3 TD
 Luke Swan25 rec., 451 yds, 2 TD
 Garrett Graham13 rec., 162 yds, 3 TD

Scoring

P.J. Hill11 TD, 66 pts

Tackles

Jonathan Casillas . .23 (s), 20 (a), 43 tot.; 0.5 TFL
 Elijah Hodge16 (s), 23 (a), 39 tot., 4.5 TFL
 Deandre Levy18 (s), 13 (a), 31 tot., 3.0 TFL

PENN STATE UNIVERSITY

Location University Park, Pa. 16802
Enrollment 42,039
 (36,612 undergraduate) at University Park
Nickname Nittany Lions
Colors Blue & White
Stadium (Capacity) . Beaver Stadium (107,282)
Stadium Surface Natural Grass
Conference Big Ten
President Dr. Graham Spanier
Athletic Director Tim Curley
Head Football Coach Joe Paterno
Assoc. AD for Football Administration Fran Ganter
Director of Football Operations Tom Venturino
Football Office Phone (814) 865-0412

History

First Year of Football 1887
All-Time Record . 784-345-42, 121st season;
 tied for sixth in victories.
All-Time Bowl Record 25-12-2 (66.7);
 first in bowl winning percentage;
 third in bowl wins.
Years in Post-Season Play 39;
 eighth in all-time bowl appearances

Assistant Coaches

Dick Anderson (Penn State '63) – 30th season
 Offensive Line (Guards & Centers)
Tom Bradley (Penn State '79) – 29th season
 In charge of Defense/Cornerbacks
Galen Hall (Penn State '63) – 4th season
 In charge of Offense/Running Backs
Larry Johnson (Elizabeth City St. '73) –12th season
 Defensive Line
Bill Kenney (Norwich '82) – 20th season
 Offensive Tackles/Tight Ends
Mike McQueary (Penn State '97) – 4th season
 Wide Receivers Asst./Recruiting Coordinator
Brian Norwood (Hawaii '88) – 7th season
 Safeties
Jay Paterno (Penn State '90) – 13th season
 Quarterbacks
Ron Vanderlinden (Albion '79) – 7th season
 Linebackers
J.B. Gerald & Sam Perryman – Grad. Assts.

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WISCONSIN GAME NOTES

121ST SEASON OF GRIDIRON EXCELLENCE

Penn State is in its 121st season of intercollegiate football with a 784-345-42 record, tied for sixth nationally in all-time victories with Alabama.

Penn State has won 26 of its last 33 games overall, dating to the final two games of the 2004 season.

Penn State is 24-7 the past two seasons and was one of 13 teams with at least 20 wins during the 2005 and '06 seasons.

PROTECTING THE HOME TURF

Penn State has won 18 of its last 19 games in Beaver Stadium, dating to a win over Michigan State in the last game of the 2004 season.

Over the past three seasons, the Nittany Lions are 17-1 at home, with the only loss coming to No. 4 Michigan during the 2006 season. Penn State has won its last seven in Happy Valley since.

Penn State at home the past three seasons: 2005 (7-0), 2006 (6-1), 2007 (4-0).

FIRST RANKED FOE OF '07

The Nittany Lions are facing their first nationally ranked opponent of the season. Michigan was unranked at the time of the Sept. 22 game, but was No. 5 in the pre-season. Illinois, No. 18 this week in the AP poll, was unranked at the time of the Sept. 29 meeting.

Penn State won its last meeting with a ranked opponent, defeating No. 17 Tennessee, 20-10, in the 2007 Outback Bowl. The Nittany Lions lost their last meeting with a ranked opponent at home, falling to No. 4 Michigan, 17-10 last season.

During the 2005 season, Penn State defeated four ranked opponents, including three at home: Wisconsin, Ohio State and Minnesota.

BADGERS ARE HOMECOMING FOE

Wisconsin will provide the opposition for Penn State's 88th Homecoming game. The Lions have an impressive 62-20-5 record in front of the alumni audience, winning 36 of 41 Homecoming tilts under Joe Paterno.

The annual Homecoming parade will be held on campus Friday evening.

COACH JOE PATERNO

In his 42nd season as head coach of the Nittany Lions and 58th year on the coaching staff, Joe Paterno stands second all-time in victories among major college coaches. A 1950 graduate of Brown University, Paterno has a career record of 367-123-3, a winning percentage of 74.7.

Paterno has broken a tie with Amos Alonzo Stagg as the longest serving head coach at one school in major college football history. Stagg served as head coach at the University of Chicago for 41 years (1892-1932) during his 57-year tenure as a head coach.

Paterno has led the Nittany Lions to two national championships (1982 and '86) and five undefeated seasons (1968, '69, '73, '86 and '94). Selected the AFCA National Coach of the Year and unprecedented five times, Paterno is the all-time leader in bowl wins with a record of 22-10-1.

He is one of only nine coaches in NCAA history (five in Division I-A) to win 300 games and reached the milestone faster than anyone (380 games). He also is the only Div. I-A head coach with 300 victories at one school.

Paterno will be inducted into the National Football Foundation and College of Fame in December. His induction was postponed to this year due to injuries he sustained during the Penn State at Wisconsin game on November 4, 2006 that prevented him from traveling to the festivities.

WISCONSIN COACH BRET BIELEMA

Bret Bielema has guided the Badgers to a 17-2 record in his second year as head coach. He was Wisconsin's defensive coordinator in 2004 and '05. He is a 1992 graduate of Iowa.

SCOUTING WISCONSIN

Wisconsin returned 49 lettermen and 18 starters from last year's 12-1 team that defeated Arkansas in the Capital One Bowl. The Badgers returned 22 letterwinners on offense, 23 on defense and four specialists.

Wisconsin returned nine starters on offense, seven on defense and two specialists.

The Badgers saw their 14-game winning streak snapped last week at Illinois by a 31-26 count. Quarterback Tyler Donovan was 27 of 49 for 392 yards, with two touchdowns and two interceptions. Travis Beckum made 11 receptions for 160 yards and P.J. Hill ran for 83 yards on 21 carries.

Rashard Mendenhall ran for 160 yards on 19 carries and two touchdowns for the Illini and

INJURY REPORT

OLB Navorro Bowman (ankle) - possible
 MLB Dontey Brown (arm) - possible
 DT Ollie Ogbu (ankle) - probable
 DE Devon Still (knee) - out

STATISTICAL COMPARISON

OFFENSE

Penn State	Wis.
179.5	Rushing/Game192.0
4.3	Rushing/Att.4.3
191-111-6	Passing174-105-5
224.3	Passing/Game238.2
403.8	Total/Game430.2
5.5	Total/Att.5.9
31.8	Scoring/Game31.2
- 0.67	Turnover Margin - 0.83

DEFENSE

Penn State	Wis.
80.5	Rushing/Game152.8
2.3	Rushing/Att.4.5
185-101-5	Passing191-114-3
172.7	Passing/Game216.0
253.2	Total/Game268.8
3.8	Total/Att.5.6
13.7	Scoring/Game23.8

scored a touchdown reception as well. Illinois ran for 289 yards and Isiah Williams passed for 121 yards.

Wisconsin is achieving great offensive balance, averaging 238.2 ypg passing and 192.0 ypg on the ground.

Hill was the 2006 Big Ten Freshman of the Year, as he led the conference with 1,569 yards and 15 touchdowns, averaging 120.7 yards per game. Hill has gained 750 yards for a 125.0 average and scored 10 times this season, good for second in the Big Ten. He is third in the Big Ten and No. 9 in the nation in rushing. Sophomore tailback Lance Smith has gained 228 yards on just 29 carries (7.9) and senior quarterback Tyler Donovan has 101 yards and two touchdowns.

Donovan is 103 of 171 (60.2) for 1,400 yards, with 11 touchdowns and five interceptions. He is No. 2 in the Big Ten with a pass efficiency rating of 144.4.

Junior tight end Travis Beckum has 41 receptions for 485 yards (11.8 avg.) and three touchdowns. He is third in the conference in receptions and tied for No. 4 in receiving yardage. Senior wide receiver Luke Swan has 25 catches for 451 yards (18.0) and two scores and is No. 7 in the league in yardage. Sophomore tight end Garrett Graham has 13 catches for 162 yards (12.5) and three touchdowns and freshman WR Kyle Jefferson has 10 catches for 191 yards (19.1) and two scores.

Junior linebacker Jonathan Casillas leads the Badgers with 43 tackles. Sophomore linebacker Elijah Hodge has 39 stops, including 4.5 tackles for loss and junior linebacker DeAndre Levy has 31 hits, with 3.0 TFL, a forced fumble and a fumble recovery.

Sophomore safety Shane Carter has 26 stops and a team-high two interceptions. Junior DE Matt Shaughnessy has 24 tackles and leads the team with 6.0 TFL for minus-24 yards. Senior DT Nick Hayden has 23 stops, with 5.5 TFL and a team-high

three sacks.

LAST MEETING

The Penn State defense delivered another strong performance, holding Wisconsin 20 points below its season average, but the No. 17 Badgers earned a 13-3 win in Camp Randall Stadium on Nov. 4, 2006.

The Lions were unable to take advantage of two turnovers in UW territory and other opportunities.

Early in the third quarter, Coach Joe Paterno broke his left shin bone and tore two ligaments in his left knee when Wisconsin linebacker DeAndre Levy and Penn State tight end Andrew Quarless tumbled into him after a catch and tackle near the PSU sideline. Paterno left the field after the third period, and immediately after the game, returned to State College, where he underwent surgery the next day.

Paterno did not coach the following week against Temple, just the third game he has missed in his 58 years on the Penn State coaching staff.

Late in the first half, senior All-America linebacker Paul Posluszny became Penn State's career tackles leader with a hit on Wisconsin TE Travis Beckum, his ninth tackle of the game at that point.

Posluszny made a season-high 14 tackles, giving him 349 at the time to break the record of 343, held by All-America LB Greg Buttle (1973-75).

Posluszny and fellow "Linebacker U" stand-outs Dan Connor and Sean Lee were all over the field making plays against the Badgers, combining for 37 tackles. They led a defensive effort that held Wisconsin 20 points below its season average of 32.3 ppg.

Lee had his top career game with a then-personal-best 13 tackles, two sacks for minus-23 yards, two fumble recoveries and a fumble hit. Connor made 10 hits, with a sack and a forced fumble.

SERIES NOTES

Series History: 13th meeting.
Wisconsin leads, 8-4

Series Streak: UW-1
Last Game: Nov. 4, 2006; UW 13, PSU 3
Last PSU Win: Nov. 5, 2005; PSU 35, UW 14
Next Game: Oct. 11, 2008 in Madison

BEST RUSHING PERFORMANCES:

Tony Hunt, Penn State, 21 for 151, 2005
Curtis Enis, Penn State, 17 for 138, 1997
Anthony Davis, UW, 37 for 200, 2001

BEST PASSING PERFORMANCES:

Wally Richardson, PSU, 33 for 48, 259 yds, 1995
Michael Robinson, PSU, 22 for 43, 379 yds, 2003
Zack Mills, PSU, 21 for 37, 287 yds, 2002

John Stocco, UW, 19 of 34, 313 yds, 2005
Neil Graff, UW, 8 for 14, 220 yds, 1970
Darell Bevell, UW, 18 for 22, 192 yds, 1995
Brooks Bollinger, UW, 15 for 25, 217 yds, 2002

BEST RECEIVING PERFORMANCES:

Freddie Scott, PSU, 13 for 110, 1995
Joe Jurevicius, PSU, 5 for 135, 1996
Matt Kranchick, PSU, 4 for 136, 2003

Larry Mialik, UW, 3 for 142, 1970
Brian Calhoun, UW, 6 for 48, 2005

Paterno Teams vs. Big Ten: 79-50 all-time;
70-45 since starting Conference play in 1993.

Paterno Teams in Big Ten Home Games:
(since 1993) 39-18

Paterno Teams In October: 124-40 since 1966,
a winning percentage of 75.4.

Rankings: Wisconsin was ranked No. 15 in the Oct. 7 USA Today Coaches poll and No. 19 in the Associated Pres poll.

PENN STATE VS WISCONSIN SERIES

Badgers lead, 8-4
H: 2-3; A: 2-5

Sept. 26, 1953	at Wisconsin 20, Penn State 0
Oct. 3, 1970	at Wisconsin 29, Penn State 16
Sept. 30, 1995	Wisconsin 17, at Penn State 9
Sept. 28, 1996	Penn State 23, at Wisconsin 20
Nov. 22, 1997	at Penn State 35, Wisconsin 10
Nov. 21, 1998	at Wisconsin 24, Penn State 3
Sept. 22, 2001	Wisconsin 18, at Penn State 6
Oct. 5, 2002	Penn State 34, at Wisconsin 31
Oct. 4, 2003	Wisconsin 30, at Penn State 23
Sept. 25, 2004	at Wisconsin 16, Penn State 3
Nov. 5, 2005	at Penn State 35, Wisconsin 14
Nov. 4, 2006	at Wisconsin 13, Penn State 3

M E D I A S E R V I C E S

SUNDAY

Updated cumulative stats:
Available by 12:00 p.m.
Posted to official Athletics website:
www.GoPSUsports.com

MONDAY

Penn State Weekly Release:
Available by 7:00 p.m.
Posted to: www.GoPSUsports.com

TUESDAY

Big Ten Teleconference:
Head coach Joe Paterno will be available as part of the Big Ten weekly teleconference at: 1:20 p.m. (ET)

Penn State weekly press conference:

Joe Paterno and two Penn State players will be available for questions in person and via telephone on **Tuesday, Oct. 9.** To participate please contact the Athletic Communications Office at 814-865-1757.

Penn State players at 12:00 p.m. ET

Joe Paterno at 12:30 p.m. ET

Satellite feed: 12:00-1:00 p.m. ET

Satellite Coordinates: Galaxy 17, Transponder K12 (Ku), Downlink 11940 V

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

Player Interviews:
Selected players will be available via teleconference for interviews. For information or to request a specific player please contact Valerie Cingle at PSU Athletic Communications (814-865-1757).

THURSDAY

**"AIG AUTO INSURANCE
NITTANY LION HOTLINE SHOW"**
Weekly radio show

The radio call-in show, featuring Joe Paterno, will air on the Penn State Sports Network on Thursday, Oct. 11 from 6:05 to 7:00 p.m. (ET). The number to call to ask a question of the coach is 1-800-52LIONS.

The Tuesday teleconference, AIG Nittany Lion Hotline and game radio broadcasts are available at: www.GoPSUsports.com

SATURDAY

Post Game Video Feed

Coach Paterno's and player **postgame interviews as well as highlights** will be available immediately following the Wisconsin game. The satellite coordinates are: Galaxy 17, Transponder K10 (Ku), Downlink 11900 V

RECORD WHEN

Overall Record	4-2
Day Games	3-2
Night Games (6 p.m. or later)	1-0
TV Games	4-2
ABC	1-1
ESPN	1-0
ESPN2	0-0
BTN	2-1
Scoring First	2-1
Opponent Scoring First	2-1
Leading at the Half	4-0
Trailing at the Half	0-2
Tied at the Half	0-0
Leading after Third Qt.	4-0
Trailing after Third Qt.	0-2
Tied after Third Qt.	0-0
Overtime Games	0-0
Scoring less than 20 pts	0-1
Scoring 20+ points	4-1
Scoring 30+ Points	3-0
Scoring 40+ Points	2-0
Allowing 10 points or less	3-0
Allowing 20 points or less	3-1
Allowing 21+ points	1-1
Allowing 30+ points	0-0
Rushing for less than 100 yds	0-0
Rushing for over 100 yds	3-2
Rushing for 200+ yds	2-0
Rushing for 300+ yds	0-0
Passing for less than 200 yds	1-1
Passing for 200 + yds	2-1
Passing for 300+ yds	1-0
Totaling less than 300 yds total offense	1-1
300+ yds of total offense	3-1
400+ yds of total offense	2-1
500+ yds of total offense	1-0
Allowing less than 100 yds rushing	4-0
Allowing more than 100 yds rushing	0-2
Allowing less than 300 yds total offense	3-0
Allowing 300+ yds total offense	1-2
Having a 100-yd rusher	3-0
Having two 100-yd rushers	0-0
Not having a 100-yd rusher	1-2
Opp. has a 100-yd rusher	0-1
No turnovers	0-0
Less than 3 turnovers	2-1
3+ turnovers	2-1
No takeaways	1-0
1 or more takeaways	2-2
3 or more takeaways	1-0
More than 30:00 of possession	3-1
Less than 30:00 of possession	1-1

WINS VS. LOSSES

PSU	Wins	Losses
Points Scored	40.5	14.5
Total Offense	431.5	348.5
First Downs	23.5	16.0
Rushing Yards	211.8	115.0
Passing Yards	219.7	233.5
Time of Possession	32:29	29:18
3rd Down Conv. Pct.	36 of 63	10 of 32
Points Allowed	10.2	20.5
Yards Allowed	211.7	336.0
Rushing Yds Allowed	25.3	191.0
Passing Yds Allowed	186.5	145.0
Turnover Ratio	-0.5	-1.0

RUN DEFENSE FACES ANOTHER STIFF CHALLENGE

For the third time in its initial four Big Ten games, the Nittany Lions's nationally ranked defense will be facing one of the nation's top rushing offenses.

The Badgers are traditionally among the nation's top rushing offenses and this year is no exception, as they are averaging 192.0 ypg on the ground.

Wisconsin's P.J. Hill will be the third Top 10 rusher Penn State has faced in the last four weeks. Hill is No. 9 in the nation, averaging 125.0 ypg with 10 touchdowns.

Michigan's Mike Hart is No. 2 in the nation at 162.6 ypg, while Illinois' Rashard Mendenhall is No. 7 at 128.6 ypg. Hart gained 153 yards on a career-high 44 carries vs. Penn State, an average of 3.47 yards per attempt. Mendenhall gained 76 yards on 18 carries against the Lions, an average of 4.22 ypc.

Penn State is coming off another superlative defensive effort, limiting Iowa to 48 yards on 28 carries, an average of 1.7 ypc. Penn State has held four opponents to 56 rushing yards or less this season.

The Nittany Lions are allowing an average of 80.5 rushing yards per game, good for No. 2 in the Big Ten and No. 8 in the nation.

Over the first six games, Penn State has allowed one rush of more than 18 yards, a 53-yard burst by Illinois reserve quarterback Eddie McGee.

Penn State entered Big Ten play having allowed a total of 53 rushing yards on 92 attempts (0.6) in its first three games to lead the nation at 17.7 ypg. The Lions allowed minus -3 (FIU), 0 (ND) and 56 (Buffalo) yards on the ground in the initial three contests.

Penn State recorded five sacks against Iowa and is tied for No. 4 in the nation with 24 sacks.

DEFENSE RANKED IN TOP 10 IN FOUR CATEGORIES

The Nittany Lion defense is again shaping up as one of the nation's best, ranking in the top 20 nationally in all five of the primary categories, with four top 10 rankings.

In addition to being ranked No. 8 in rushing defense (80.5 ypg) and tied for fourth in sacks (24), the Lions are No.5 in total defense (253.1 ypg), No. 6 in scoring defense (13.7 ppg) and No. 16 in pass efficiency defense (103.3 rating).

Eliminating the seven points that Notre Dame scored on an interception return would bring the Lions' scoring defense average down to 12.5 ppg.

The Nittany Lions are No. 2 in the Big Ten in all five categories.

The opposition is just 28 of 97 (28.9) on third down conversions, good for second in the Big Ten and 12th nationally. Iowa was just 3 of 16 on third down plays vs. Penn State.

Penn State took a 31-3 lead into the fourth quarter against Buffalo, but the Bulls scored three touchdowns in final period, the last with just :12 to play. The last two scores came against the Lions' second team defense.

Penn State held Notre Dame to zero rushing yards on 26 carries, recording six sacks for minus-50 yards. The Lions limited ND to 144 yards of total offense, nine first downs and 2 of 16 on third

down conversions. After their first drive of the game, the Irish had 97 yards of offense the remainder of the contest. The Irish's zero rushing yards marked the 13th time the Lions have allowed zero or fewer yards under Joe Paterno.

LIONS STYMIE HAWKEYES

The Nittany Lion defense delivered another impressive performance in the 27-7 win over Iowa.

Penn State allowed only eight first downs, tied for the fewest allowed by the Lions in Big Ten play since joining the conference in 1993. The Hawkeyes entered the fourth quarter with only two first downs.

The Nittany Lions allowed only 194 yards, their fewest against a Big Ten foe since allowing 168 yards to Iowa in 2004. Iowa had 48 rushing yards on 28 attempts.

Iowa's first 10 possessions ended with a punt and the Hawkeyes punted a total of 11 times. Penn State forced nine three-and-outs and only two of Iowa's 14 possessions lasted longer than five plays, both of which occurred in the fourth quarter after Penn State had taken a 20-0 lead.

DEFENSE HAS ALLOWED 11 TDS IN LAST 12 GAMES

The Penn State defense has permitted only 11 touchdowns in the past 12 games, starting with the Illinois game last year (Oct. 21) when the Lions held the Illini to four field goals.

Three of the eight touchdowns came in the fourth quarter by Buffalo after Penn State had taken a 31-3 lead.

During the 12-game string, the Nittany Lion defense has shut out Purdue, Temple and FIU, held two teams to field goals (Illinois '06, Notre Dame) and have permitted just one touchdown to four teams (Wisconsin, Michigan State and Tennessee in '06 and Iowa in '07).

LEE RECORDS FOURTH CONSECUTIVE DOUBLE FIGURE TACKLE GAME

Junior outside linebacker Sean Lee (Pittsburgh) continues to make great progress in his second year as a starter, having recorded 10 or more tackles in the last four games.

Lee made a team-high 11 tackles vs. Iowa for his fourth consecutive double figure tackle game. He has led or tied for the team lead in tackles five times this season. He has six career double figure tackle games.

Lee recorded a career-high 17 tackles at Illinois on Sept. 29. His 17 stops were the most for a Nittany Lion since Paul Posluszny recorded 22 at Northwestern in 2005.

For the season, Lee leads Penn State and is second in the Big Ten with 63 tackles (29 solo), an average of 10.5 per game. The former Upper St. Clair High School all-stater has 5.0 tackles for minus-16 yards, with two sacks, one forced fumble and two pass break-ups.

A post-season honors candidate, Lee earned his first Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week honor after Penn State's 59-0 win over Florida International. He led the Nittany Lions with seven solo tackles, including two tackles for losses, a sack, a forced fumble and a pass break-up against FIU.

Lee recorded 12 tackles against Buffalo and Michigan just prior to his outburst vs. the Illini.

ALL-AMERICAN CONNOR IN RANGE OF SECOND IN CAREER TACKLES

Senior All-America linebacker Dan Connor (Wallingford) made nine stops, with two TFL, against Iowa to increase his career tackle to total to 332, moving him within range of second place on the Penn State list.

A 2006 first team All-American and finalist for the Chuck Bednarik Award, Connor has moved within 41 tackles of breaking Paul Posluszny's school record of 372. Greg Buttle (1973-75) is second with 343.

Connor is third in the Big Ten with 58 tackles (33 solo) for a 9.7 per game average. He is second on the team and tied for sixth in the Big Ten with 8.5 TFL for minus-44 yards. Connor is second on the team and tied for ninth in the Big Ten with 3.0 sacks (minus-39). He also has a fumble recovery and five pass break-ups.

A candidate for the Bednarik, Butkus, Rotary Lombardi and Lott awards, the "Linebacker U" standout has 15 career double digit tackle games.

Connor recorded a game-high 12 tackles (8 solo) to lead the Nittany Lions to a 31-10 throttling of Notre Dame on Sept. 8 and was selected the Walter Camp Football Foundation's National Defensive Player of the Week and Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week.

The former Strath Haven High School standout tallied 2.5 tackles for loss (minus-13), including a sack, and a pass break-up, as the Penn State defense held the Irish to no rushing yards, 144 total yards and nine first downs to the delight of the frenetic White House crowd of 110,078, second-largest in Beaver Stadium history.

The Big Ten honor was the third of Connor's career. He also was recognized after the Akron and Purdue games in 2006. In addition to the Walter Camp and conference honors, Connor was one of six players nationally who earned a "helmet sticker" from ESPN's college football studio team for his efforts during the college football weekend.

Connor also recorded 12 stops (9 solo) in the win over Buffalo, including a sack on a fourth down play in PSU territory. to become just the fourth Nittany Lion to record 300 career tackles.

EVANS AMONG NATION'S TFL LEADERS

Sophomore defensive end Maurice Evans (Brooklyn, N.Y.) is off to a superb beginning in his first season as a starter.

Evans is second in the Big Ten and tied for fifth in the nation with 11.0 tackles for minus-46 yards. He is sixth in the conference with his team-high 5.0 sacks for minus-35 yards. Evans has 24 tackles overall (14 solo) to rank fourth on the squad and has two pass break-ups.

Against Iowa, the former Christ The King High School All-American recorded two sacks for minus-10 yards among his four tackles, as the Lions held the Hawkeyes to 48 rushing yards on 28 attempts.

Against Michigan, Evans made a career-high nine stops, including a game-high 4.0 TFL for minus-8 yards.

DOZEN BIG PLAYS IN LAST TWO TILTS

The Penn State offense has delivered 12 plays of 20 yards or more from scrimmage in the past two games, bringing the season total to 29.

Against Iowa, the Nittany Lions had five plays

of 20 yards or longer, including a pair of touchdowns. For the second straight week, junior wide receiver Derrick Williams (Greenbelt, Md.) made a 24-yard touchdown catch, giving the Lions a 10-0 second quarter lead vs. the Hawkeyes.

Senior tailback Rodney Kinlaw concluded the scoring with a 23-yard burst in the fourth quarter.

Penn State had seven big plays at Illinois, just one off the season-high of eight in the opening win against FIU. Three of the Lions' five longest plays from scrimmage this season came against the Illini, including a 47-yard pass from quarterback Anthony Morelli to Williams and 43 and 42-yard strikes to junior wideout Jordan Norwood (State College).

Of the 29 long plays, 21 have been passes thrown by Morelli, with eight running plays.

RUSHING ATTACK WEARS DOWN IOWA

Penn State gained 489 yards against an Iowa defense that was allowing 267.4 ypg entering the contest.

The Nittany Lions ran for a season-high 256 yards against the Hawkeyes, who came into the game allowing just 85.4 ypg, good for No. 2 in the Big Ten and 14th in the nation. Penn State averaged 5.1 yards on its 50 rushing attempts. The 256 yards were the most for the Lions since gaining 389 vs. Youngstown State in the third game last season.

Leading the charge was senior tailback Rodney Kinlaw (Goose Creek, S.C.), who gained a career-best 168 yards on a career-high 28 carries and scored twice. The effort was his second 100-yard rushing game of his career (129 vs. Buffalo).

Kinlaw's 168 yards were the most by a Nittany Lion since Larry Johnson had 279 yards vs. Michigan State in 2002.

Kinlaw did most of his damage in the second half. On Penn State's first possession of the half, he capped an 81-yard drive with a 12-yard burst up the middle to make it 20-0. In the fourth quarter, Kinlaw found a hole on the right side and zipped to a 23-yard touchdown to make it 27-7.

Redshirt freshman tailback Evan Royster (Fairfax, Va.) saw the most extensive action of his young career and responded with a season-best 86 yards rushing on a season-high 16 carries. Royster had a long carry of 17 yards and also caught two passes, with a long of 16 yards.

For the season, Kinlaw has gained 547 yards on 96 carries for an impressive 5.7 average. He has four touchdowns. He ranks No. 6 in the Big Ten at 91.2 ypg despite starting just the last two games.

MID-GAME SUCCESS

The Nittany Lions have scored 31 points in the first quarter, and allowed 31 points in the opening frame, but have been finding their stride in the middle part of the game.

In the second quarter, Penn State has out-scored the opposition, 57-7, with Illinois the only team to score in that period.

The Nittany Lions have come out strong after making halftime adjustments. In the third quarter, the Lions own a 65-6 scoring advantage, with the Illini and Notre Dame kicking field goals for the only opposing points.

In the final period, the scoring is tied 38-38, with 21 of the opposition's points coming by Buffalo after Penn State took a 31-3 lead.

PENN STATE 2007 SEASON HONORS

Deon Butler, WR -

Maxwell Award Watch List
Biletnikoff Award Watch List

Dan Connor, LB -

ABC Player of the Game vs. Michigan (9-22)
Walter Camp Defensive Player of the Week (9-9)
Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (9-10)
Bednarik Award Watch List
Butkus Award Watch List
Walter Camp Player of the Year Watch List
Rotary Lombardi Award Watch List
Lott Trophy Watch List

Justin King, CB -

Jim Thorpe Award Watch List

Rodney Kinlaw, TB -

ABC Player of the Game vs. Iowa (10-6)

Sean Lee, LB -

Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (9-3)

Anthony Morelli, QB -

Manning Award Watch List
Davey O'Brien Award Watch List

A.Q. Shipley, C -

Rimington Trophy Watch List

Derrick Williams, WR -

Biletnikoff Award Watch List
Pontiac Game Changing Performance winner (9-9)

JOE PATERNO BY THE NUMBERS

- 139,000:** Square feet in Paterno Library, which opened in 1999
- 968:** Penn State lettermen since 1966
- 798:** Number of coaching changes in Div. I-A since 1966.
- 646:** Games coached as Penn State assistant or head coach (missed three games)
- 493:** Games as head coach (second all-time)
- 471:** Wins as member of staff (649 games; 471-171-7)
- 367:** Career Wins (second all-time)
- 350:** Earned 350th win at Illinois (63-10) on Oct. 22, 2005
- 324:** Broke Division I-A career wins mark with 324th win vs. Ohio State (29-27) on October 27, 2001
- 300:** Earned 300th win vs. Bowling Green (48-3) on September 12, 1998
- 250+:** Nittany Lions who've played in the NFL
- 250:** Earned 250th win at Iowa (31-0) on September 18, 1993
- 200:** Earned 200th win vs. Bowling Green (45-19) on September 5, 1987
- 190:** Academic All-Big Ten selections (since 1993-most in conference)
- 150:** Earned 150th win at Pittsburgh (48-14) on November 28, 1981
- 100:** Earned 100th win vs. NC State (41-20) on Nov. 6, 1976
- 83:** Graduation Rate (2006 NCAA report)
- 69:** Length of his game-winning punt return for Brown vs. Holy Cross in '49.
- 61:** First team All-Americans (73 selections)
- 58:** Years on Penn State staff
- 50:** Earned 50th win vs. Maryland (63-27) vs. Maryland on November 6, 1971
- 42:** Years as head coach
- 38:** Shutouts by Penn State
- 36:** Jersey number as QB-DB at Brown
- 35:** Academic All-Americans
- 33:** Bowl trips as head coach (all-time leader)
- 31:** First round NFL draft choices
- 31:** Longest unbeaten streak (30-0-1; 1967-70)
- 26:** First team Academic All-Americans
- 23:** Winning streak from 1968-70
- 22:** Bowl victories (all-time leader)
- 21:** Teams ranked in the final top 10
- 19:** Number of teams with at least 10 wins
- 18:** NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship winners
- 16:** New Year's Day bowl wins
- 16:** Grandchildren
- 15:** National Football Foundation Hall of Fame Scholar-Athletes
- 14:** Interceptions made as Brown DB
- 8:** Number of U.S. presidents since he became coach in 1966
- 7:** Unbeaten, untied regular seasons
- 7:** Years had a team ranked No. 1
- 7:** Number of his players in College Football Hall of Fame
- 7:** Beaver Stadium expansions since '66
- 5:** Children
- 5:** Unbeaten, untied seasons
- 4:** He and wife, Sue, have given more than \$4 million to Penn State to endow scholarships, professorships and assist in facilities projects
- 2:** National Championships
- 1:** First win was 15-7 over Maryland on Sept. 17, 1966 before a Beaver Stadium crowd of 40,911

NOTING HEAD COACH JOE PATERNO

- 42nd season as Penn State head coach and 57th year as a member of the PSU coaching staff, Paterno has been on the sideline for 644 Penn State games. His 42 years in Happy Valley are a record for longevity among major college coaches at one school.
- Second all-time in career victories among Division I-A college coaches.
- Owns a career record of 367-123-3. His winning percentage of 74.8 was fifth-best among active Division I-A coaches entering the season (minimum 10 years as a I-A coach).
- Broke the record for career wins by a major college coach, passing Paul "Bear" Bryant, with his 324th victory in a thrilling 29-27 win over Ohio State on Oct. 27, 2001.
- Ranks second all-time in games coached (493) among major college coaches.
- Was selected to be among the first three active coaches or players to be inducted into the National Football Foundation College Hall of Fame in 2006 (induction delayed to December 2007).
- One of just nine coaches in NCAA history to record 300 wins (five in I-A), reaching the milestone faster than anyone (380 games). He is the only Division I-A coach with 300 wins at one school.
- Has directed Penn State to five unbeaten seasons (1968, '69, '73, '86, '94) and two national championships (1982, '86).
- Is the all-time leader among coaches in bowl appearances (33) and post-season triumphs (22). His overall post-season record of 22-10-1 gives him a winning percentage of 68.2, third among the bowl season's best of all-time. Paterno is the only coach to win the four traditional New Year's Day games - the Rose, Sugar, Cotton and Orange Bowls - and the Fiesta Bowl.
- Unprecedented five-time AFCA Coach-of-the-Year selection (1968, '78, '82, '86 and 2005).
- Has coached 73 first-team All-Americans, including two in 2006 and two in 2005.
- Under Paterno, Penn State has produced 15 Hall of Fame Scholar-Athletes, 26 first-team Academic All-Americans (35 overall) and 18 NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship winners.
- Paterno teams have 21 finishes in the Top 10 of the national rankings, 32 in the Top 25.
- Posted 11 or more victories in a season 13 times and 10 or more 19 times.
- Has coached more than 250 players who have made it to the NFL, 31 of them first-round draft choices, including a school record four first-round selections in the 2003 NFL Draft.
- Has coached players who have won all of the major college awards - Heisman, Maxwell, Walter Camp, Lombardi, O'Brien, Outland, Butkus, Doak Walker and Biletnikoff.
- Seven of his former players (John Cappelletti, Keith Dorney, Jack Ham, Ted Kwalick, Lydell Mitchell, Dennis Onkotz and Mike Reid) have been enshrined in the National Football Foundation College Hall of Fame.

Since being named Penn State head coach in 1966, there have been 798 head coaching changes in Division I, an average of six per school, and eight administrations of U.S. presidents.

ALL-TIME COACHING VICTORIES

449	John Gagliardi (active)
408	Eddie Robinson
370	Bobby Bowden (active)
367	JOE PATERNO (active)
323	Bear Bryant
319	Pop Warner
315	Roy Kidd
314	Amos Alonzo Stagg
300	Tubby Raymond

- Three of his former players (Jack Ham, Franco Harris & Mike Munchak) have been enshrined in the NFL Hall of Fame.
- Penn State's 190 Academic all-conference selections since joining the Big Ten in 1993 are the most of any league school.
- A 1950 graduate of Brown University where he played quarterback and defensive back on the football team and two seasons on the basketball team.
- Recipient of the Amos Alonzo Stagg Award, the AFCA's highest honor.
- Honored with his image on the Wheaties box in 2003.
- Sports Illustrated Sportsman-of-the-Year in 1986. Featured on the cover of SI during 2005 season.
- First active coach ever to receive the Distinguished American award from the National Football Foundation and College Football Hall of Fame.
- Inaugural winner of the State Farm Eddie Robinson Coach-of-the-Year Award in 1998.
- He and his wife, Sue, have contributed more than \$4 million to Penn State University.
- The 135,000-square foot Paterno Library, dedicated in 1999, on the Penn State campus is named after the Paternos and they have also made significant contributions to build the Pasquerilla Spiritual Center, dedicated in May 2003.
- Signed a four-year contract extension in May 2004 that extends through the 2008 season.

LIONS AMONG PENALTY LEADERS

Penn State again is among the national leaders in fewest penalties and penalty yards per game. The Nittany Lions have 26 penalties for 204 yards, an average of 34.0 yards per game. Penn State leads the Big Ten in both categories. The Lions are No. 3 in the nation in fewest penalty yards and tied for No. 4 in fewest penalties.

RED ZONE SUCCESS

Penn State has made improvement in its success in the Red Zone compared to 2006. Last year, the Nittany Lions were 10th in the Big Ten in Red Zone success at 74.5 percent (38 of 51), scoring 22 touchdowns, with 16 of 20 on field goals. In the first six games this season, Penn State is 25 of 30 (83.3) in the Red Zone, with 16 touchdowns and nine field goals.

The Nittany Lions were successful on their first 15 trips at or inside the 20 before Kevin Kelly missed on a 46-yard field goal attempt on a drive that advanced to the Buffalo 20-yard-line, but was halted by two minus-yardage plays.

KELLY BOOTS LONGEST FIELD GOAL IN 22 YEARS; NEARING FG RECORD

Junior placekicker Kevin Kelly (Langhorne) is off to a strong start and against Iowa connected on the long field goal by a Nittany Lion in 22 years.

The Lions forced a punt and took possession at their own 20 with :31 left in the first half. A 17-yard run by Evan Royster and a diving 24-yard catch by tight end Andrew Quarless (Uniondale, N.Y.) took the ball to the Iowa 36.

On the last play of the half, Kelly connected on a 53-yard field goal to give Penn State a 13-0 halftime lead and additional momentum. His boot was the longest field goal made by a Penn State placekicker since Massimo Manca had a 53-yard field goal vs. Notre Dame in 1985 and tied for the longest by a Nittany Lion in Beaver Stadium, along with Manca's kick vs. the Irish.

Kelly's 53-yard field goal was tied for the fifth-longest field goal in Nittany Lion history. It also was the first Penn State field goal of at least 50 yards since Robbie Gould made a 50-yarder against Virginia in 2002.

The last time a Penn State placekicker booted a field goal longer than 53 yards was Herb Menhardt's 54-yard field goal at North Carolina State in 1979.

Kelly's two second-quarter field goals give him 48 field goals made in his career, good for second place at Penn State, passing Travis Forney 's 47. First place is 50 field goals made, held by Craig Fayak (1990-93).

Kelly leads the team in scoring with 51 points (10-14 FG, 21-21 PAT) and is tied for second in the conference in field goals and fourth in kick scoring after leading the Big Ten last year.

Bothered by a back injury last season, Kelly is averaging 65.3 yards on his 38 kickoffs, with seven touchdowns.

Kelly is in second place on the school career field goal attempts list with 71. Fayak is the leader with 80.

STANDOUT SPECIAL TEAMS PRODUCE BIG TEN PUNTING LEADER

Penn State's special teams have been outstanding in the first six games, with four Nittany Lions either leading the conference in their respective categories or among the leaders.

Redshirt freshman Jeremy Boone

NCAA LEADERS IN VICTORIES	
Michigan	864
Notre Dame	822
Texas	814
Nebraska	807
Ohio State	792
PENN STATE	784
Alabama	784

(Mechanicsburg) leads the Big Ten in punting with a 44.6 average on his 27 punts. He is No. 15 nationally.

Boone connected on a season-best 70-yard punt at Illinois, tied for the seventh-longest in school history, and PSU's longest since Jeremy Kapinos had a 78-yard effort at Ohio State in 2004. Boone has dropped 10 punts inside the 20 and has only two touchbacks in his first season as the Lions' punter.0

Junior Derrick Williams is second in the Big Ten and No. 19 in the nation in punt returns, with a 14.3 average on his 13 returns. Williams returned a punt 78 yards for a momentum swinging touchdown in the first quarter vs. Notre Dame for his second career punt return TD.

Sophomore A.J. Wallace (Waldorf, Md.) is fifth in the conference and No. 31 in the nation with a 26.8 average on his nine kickoff returns. Wallace opened the second half of the Notre Dame game with a 68-yard return to set-up a field goal. Against Buffalo, he opened the second half with a 51-yard return to get the Lions jump started, scoring five plays later on a pass from Anthony Morelli to Terrell Golden.

Wallace has five kickoff returns of 40 yards or more among his 25 career returns. (See above for notes on kicker Kevin Kelly).

PATERNO SECOND IN NCAA DIVISION I-A CAREER WINS

Joe Paterno is second in all-time Division I-A victories, with a record of 367-123-3 (74.7) in his 42nd season as head coach.

Penn State's thrilling 29-27 comeback win over Ohio State on Oct. 27, 2001 was Paterno's 324th career victory, moving him past Paul "Bear" Bryant for the lead in career victories among major college coaches. Paterno earned his 324th win in his 421st career game during his 36th season as head coach.

Florida State coach Bobby Bowden moved past Paterno for the lead among major college coaches on Oct. 25, 2003. Bowden has a 370-114-4 record in his 42nd season as a head coach.

Paterno is in fourth place in wins among coaches from all NCAA divisions, trailing only John Gagliardi (449), the coach of Division III St. John's (Minn.), former Grambling coach Eddie Robinson (408) and Bowden (370).

With a winning percentage of 74.8, Paterno was in fifth place among active I-A coaches in winning percentage entering the season (minimum 10 years as a I-A head coach).

PATERNO ELECTED TO COLLEGE FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME

Joe Paterno's induction into the National Football Foundation and College of Fame was postponed until December due to injuries he sustained during the Penn State at Wisconsin game on Nov. 4, 2006, which prevented him from traveling.

Paterno had been scheduled for induction into the College of Fame last December alongside Florida State coach Bobby Bowden and 13 players. Paterno and Bowden were honored at the Foundation's 2006 gala event with the NFF's Gold Medal, the organization's highest honor, during a video tribute.

Paterno's College Football Hall of Fame induction will take place at the 50th Hall of Fame Awards dinner on December 4, 2007. He will become the 21st member of the Penn State football family to gain induction into the Hall, joining four former coaches and 16 players, seven of whom he coached.

The Gold Medal has been awarded annually since 1958 and recognizes an outstanding American who has demonstrated integrity and honesty, achieved significant career success and has reflected the basic values of those who have excelled in amateur sport, particularly football.

Paterno and Bowden were the 49th and 50th recipients of the Gold Medal, which has been presented to seven U.S. Presidents, four U.S. Generals, three U.S. Admirals, one U.S. Supreme Court Justice, 25 Corporate CEOs and Chairmen, John Wayne and Jackie Robinson.

PATERNO SECOND IN GAMES ON SIDELINE

Joe Paterno ranks second all-time in games coached among major college coaches. The Wisconsin game will be his 494th game as head coach. Amos Alonzo Stagg's 548 games top all major college coaches. He is followed by Paterno, Pop Warner and Bobby Bowden (488), Paul "Bear" Bryant (425) and Hayden Fry (420).

600-PLUS AND COUNTING

The Wisconsin contest will be the 647th game Joe Paterno has coached in since joining the Nittany Lions' staff in 1950.

In his 58th season as a member of the Penn State staff, Paterno followed Rip Engle from Brown to Penn State after graduating in 1950 and was involved in 155 games as an assistant coach from 1950-65. He was promoted to head coach in 1966.

Paterno has missed just three games in his career. As an assistant coach, he missed the 1955 game at Army when his father, Angelo, died. As head coach in 1977, Joe and Sue Paterno's son, David, was involved in a serious trampoline accident the day before the Lions' game at Syracuse and Paterno did not attend the contest. Paterno missed the Nov. 11, 2006 game with Temple, which took place five days after he had surgery on his left leg, which was injured in a sideline collision at Wisconsin on Nov. 4.

Paterno's first game on the Penn State staff was Sept. 30, 1950, a 34-14 win vs. Georgetown. The Nittany Lions have earned a 471-171-7 record with Paterno on the staff, with their 73.1 winning percentage fourth-best nationally since 1950.

PSU CAREER STARTS

Player	'04	'05	'06	'07	Total
Connor (LB)	4	7	13	6	30
Butler (WR)	8	13	6	27	25
Williams (WR)	7	12	6	25	25
King (WR/CB)	5	13	6	24	24
Davis (Saf)	13	6	19	19	19
Lee (LB)	13	6	19	19	19
Morelli (QB)	13	6	19	19	19
Scirrotto (Saf)	13	6	19	19	19
Shipley (C)	13	6	19	19	19
Norwood (WR)	4	8	3	15	15
Gaines (DE)	9	6	15	15	15
Ohmberger (G)	9	6	15	15	15
Shaw (G/T)	10	2	12	12	12
Quarless (TE)	9	2	11	11	11
Cadogan (T)	5	6	11	11	11
Sales (LB)	3	6	9	9	9
Golden (WR)	1	2	4	7	7
Rubin (SE/Saf)	6	6	6	6	6
Scott (TB)	2	2	6*	6*	6*
Hahn (FB)	5	1	6	6	6
Evans (DE)	6	6	6	6	6
Landolt (T)	6	6	6	6	6
Odrick (DT)	6	6	6	6	6
Sargeant (CB)	6	6	6	6	6
Ogbu (DT)	3	3	3	3	3
Bell (WR)	2	2	2	2	2
Lucian (G)	4	4	4	4	4
Baker (DT)	3	3	3	3	3
Kinlaw (TB)	2	2	2	2	2
Shuler (TE)	2	2	2	2	2

* Four starts in 2003 season

CLASS BREAKDOWN

SENIOR STARTERS

Offense (2): QB Anthony Morelli, TB Rodney

Kinlaw, G John Shaw

Defense (1): MLB Dan Connor

5th Year Seniors	9
4th Year Seniors	3
Juniors	30
Sophomores	23
Red-shirt Freshmen	21
True-Freshmen	22
Total Roster	108
Upperclassmen	42 (38.9 %)
Underclassmen	66 (61.1 %)

PATERNO LONGEVITY AMAZING

Since Joe Paterno became head coach in 1966, there have been 798 head coaching changes in Division I-A, an average of more than six changes per institution!

PATERNO AMONG ELITE GROUP OF BIG TEN COACHES

The dean among active Big Ten coaches, Joe Paterno is one of just 12 coaches in Big Ten history to win at least 100 games at one institution. The Nittany Lions have a 120-56 overall record since starting play in the Big Ten in 1993.

Amos Alonzo Stagg, Chicago	243
Woody Hayes, Ohio State	205
Bo Schembechler, Michigan	194
Fielding Yost, Michigan	165
Hayden Fry, Iowa	143
Henry Williams, Minnesota	136
Robert Zuppke, Illinois	131
Joe Paterno, Penn State	120 (active)
Barry Alvarez, Wisconsin	118
Lloyd Carr, Michigan	117 (active)
John Cooper, Ohio State	111
Duffy Daugherty, Michigan State	109

BEAVER STADIUM NO. 5 AMONG NATION'S TOUGHEST VENUES

ESPN.com recently confirmed what opponents visiting Penn State already know – Beaver Stadium is one of the nation's toughest places to play.

ESPN The Magazine's Bruce Feldman ranked Beaver Stadium No. 5 in the nation among his "scariest" places for opposing teams to play in an October 2 column. Penn State's enthusiastic and loyal fans earned the highest rating among all Big Ten schools.

Feldman surveyed coaches around the country to come up with his Top 10 list. His thoughts after speaking with the coaches that have brought teams to Happy Valley:

"In talking to some coaches who have played at all four of the mega-stadiums (Tennessee, Penn State, Ohio State and Michigan), the House that JoePa built got the highest marks for noise and atmosphere. Penn State is 16-1 at home the past three seasons (prior to Iowa game). In 2005, the Nittany Lions knocked off three ranked opponents (Ohio State, Minnesota and Wisconsin) at home."

Last month, a raucous sellout crowd of 110,078 turned Beaver Stadium into the "White House," as Penn State fans responded with the first-ever all-stadium White Out for the Nittany Lions' 31-10 thumping of Notre Dame.

When ESPN's College Gameday visited Penn State in 2005 for the clash with Ohio State, analyst Kirk Herbstreit declared that the Nittany Lions had, "the best student section in the nation."

Also in 2005, Sports Illustrated on Campus named Penn State the nation's top college football gameday location and called Penn State home football games, "The Greatest Show In College Sports."

Penn State has one of the nation's most energetic and dedicated fan bases, with fans starting to arrive in their recreational vehicles as early as Thursday morning for home games. Beaver Stadium's capacity of 107,282 is the nation's second-largest and Penn State has been ranked in the top four in attendance in the nation for each of the past 16 years.

PENN STATE FOOTBALL GRADUATION RATE THIRD-BEST AMONG PUBLICS & BOWL TEAMS

The outstanding graduation performance by Penn State's student-athletes, 83 percent according to the November 2006 NCAA graduation rate report, is further accentuated by the efforts of the Nittany Lion football team, which has the third-highest graduation rate of among the nation's public institutions that play Division I-A football.

Compiled by Penn State from the "2006 NCAA Division I Graduation Rates Report," Coach Joe Paterno's team had the sixth-highest graduation rate overall among all of the nation's 119 Division I-A programs, including the best among Big Ten Conference institutions. Kent State (86 percent) and Nebraska (84 percent) were the only public institutions with a rate higher than Penn State's.

Northwestern (79 percent) and Iowa (72) were second and third, respectively, among Big Ten football teams. The national average is 55 percent.

The Nittany Lions' 83 percent federal graduation rate also was third-highest among the 64 schools playing in a 2006-07 bowl game. Boston College (92 percent) and Nebraska were the only bowl teams with a higher graduation rate than Penn State.

For the third time in the past five years, Penn State's student-athletes posted the highest graduation rate among all Division I-A public institutions. The 83 percent federal rate is tied for Penn State's best performance in the 16-year history of the NCAA report, along with the entering classes of 1997-98 and 1989-90.

According to the NCAA data, for student-athletes entering the University in 1999-2000, Penn State's graduation rate (83 percent) was sixth-highest overall among the nation's Division I-A institutions. The national average was 64 percent.

Penn State's four-year football graduation rate (for players entering 1996-99) of 76 percent was tied for 10th-highest among I-A institutions and tied for second-best among public institutions. Only Ball State (78 percent) was higher among publics.

Penn State trailed only Northwestern (79 percent) for the four-year football rate among Big Ten institutions. The next closest league school was Michigan at 63 percent. The national four-year average is 55 percent.

For African-American football players entering in 1999-2000, the Nittany Lions' posted a graduation figure of 71 percent to easily exceed the 49 percent national average. Penn State's four-year graduation rate for African-American players was 72 percent, 23 points higher than the national average.

Seven members of the 2006 Nittany Lion squad had graduated prior to the start of the season and an additional 12 players are on schedule to graduate this month.

During Paterno's tenure, Penn State has had 35 ESPN The Magazine Academic All-Americans (26 first team), 15 National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame ScholarAthletes and 18 NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship winners.

Senior linebacker Paul Posluszny was selected the ESPN The Magazine Academic All-American of the Year and was National Football Foundation Hall of Fame Scholar-Athlete this year. Senior defensive end Tim Shaw also earned first team Academic All-America honors this year and senior safety Nolan McCready was a second team Academic All-American.

The Nittany Lions have had 190 Academic All-Big Ten football honorees since starting Conference play in 1993, tops among all Big Ten institutions.

The NCAA Graduation Rates Report documented the entering freshman class of 1999-2000 who earned degrees within six years. The report is produced annually from data collected by the U.S. Department of Education.

Four of Penn State's five largest crowds in Beaver Stadium have occurred during the past three seasons.

ESPN.com's Top 10 Scariest Venues for Opposing Teams:

1. LSU; 2. Virginia Tech; 3. Florida; 4. USC; 5. **PENN STATE**; 6. Clemson; 7. Miami, Fla.; 8. Oklahoma; 9. Ohio State; 10. California

BIG DAY FOR WIDEOUTS

Penn State's trio of superb junior wideouts all had productive days at Illinois, helping Anthony Morelli (Pittsburgh) throw for a career-high 298 yards.

Derrick Williams (Greenbelt, Md.) made a team-high five catches for 79 yards and touchdown. He made a great 24-yard catch just inside the end zone to draw the Lions within 14-10 in the first quarter. Williams also hauled in a 47-yard pass from Morelli to get PSU into Illini territory in the fourth quarter.

Williams also had a 23-yard reverse and totaled 112 all-purpose yards.

Jordan Norwood (State College) made three receptions for a game-high 89 yards. Norwood made a career-best 42-yard catch to set-up Williams' TD catch. In the second quarter, Norwood quickly re-wrote his career-long catch with a 43-yard effort to the Illinois seven. On the next play, Austin Scott (Allentown) ran it in to cut the deficit to 21-17.

Deon Butler (Woodbridge, Va.) made four receptions for 48 yards, with a long of 16, giving him 101 career receptions, just the eighth Lion to surpass 100.

Also, sophomore WR Chris Bell (Norfolk, Va.) made a big 37-yard reception to set-up a Kevin Kelly field goal on the game's opening possession.

Against Iowa, Butler made three catches for 55 yards, including a 37-yard effort to set-up Williams' 24-yard TD catch in the second quarter. Williams had three receptions for 44 yards vs. the Hawkeyes, Norwood also made three catches for 44 yards and Terrell Golden (Norfolk, Va.) had three grabs.

For the season, Williams leads the Lions with 22 receptions for 210 yards and two touchdowns, followed by Norwood (21-304-2), Butler (19-287-0) and Golden (10-100-2).

WILLIAMS' PUNT RETURN TD VS. IRISH SELECTED PONTIAC GAME CHANGING PERFORMANCE

For the second time in his career, a huge play by Penn State's Derrick Williams has been selected the Pontiac Game Changing Performance, doing so in a landslide.

A junior wide receiver from Greenbelt, Md., Williams swung the momentum in the 31-10 thumping of Notre Dame with his zig-zagging 78-yard touchdown return late in the first quarter, sending the white-clad crowd of 110,078 into a frenzy. The score tied the game at 7-7 and began a run of 17 consecutive points for the Nittany Lions. The punt return touchdown was the second of his career, as he had a 75-yard return against Temple last season.

Williams' return was one of four plays nominated for the Pontiac Game Changing Performance and Nittany Nation and college football fans responded by giving the play 52 percent of all the votes. A touchdown run by an LSU player was a distant second with 25 percent of the votes.

With Williams' selection as the recipient of the Pontiac Game Changing Performance, Penn State

will receive \$5,000 for its general scholarship fund.

A new feature this year with the program is that all fans who vote for the Pontiac Game Changing Performance also are eligible to receive a \$5,000 scholarship.

As a freshman in 2005, Williams' game-winning touchdown catch in the final minute at Northwestern was one of five finalists for the Pontiac Game Changing Performance of the Year. The victory in Penn State's Big Ten opener helped propel the Lions to a share of the Big Ten Championship and the conference's automatic berth in the Bowl Championship Series, where they defeated Florida State in the FedEx Orange Bowl.

ALL STADIUM WHITE OUT IMPACTS LIONS & IRISH

With only seven days notice, Nittany Nation again delivered in unprecedented fashion, as all but the several thousand Notre Dame fans were wore white for the first all-stadium White Out.

A screaming throng of 110,078 was hand on for the 31-10 drubbing of the Irish, the second-largest crowd in Beaver Stadium history. Only the throng of 110,753 that attended the 2002 Nebraska clash was bigger.

The crowd made its presence felt throughout the game. Notre Dame was whistled for a false start penalty on its first snap from scrimmage and had four illegal procedure flags and two delay of game penalties.

"I thought the crowd was phenomenal and made it tough to play," Joe Paterno stated after the game. "It was tough for a freshman quarterback to come in here with the crowd..."

"Even though we practiced with noise, and a couple of those false start penalties can be attributed to noise..." said Notre Dame coach Charlie Weis.

"It was crazy," commented Nittany Lion wide receiver Derrick Williams. "We have the best fans in the nation...in the world."

"The noise was unbelievable," said Penn State wide receiver Chris Bell. "Nothing compares to tonight. All the white was like a dream. That noise is a very powerful thing for a player. Individually that gives a player a great deal of momentum."

"110,000...it just doesn't get any better than this," commented wide receiver Terrell Golden. "A lot of the guys were saying, 'this is why we came to Penn State.' Your hear about 110,000, but playing in front of them is something you just have to experience. You cannot put it into words."

"We fed off the crowd alot," said Nittany Lion corerback Justin King. "When the offense can't hear, that gets you excited. You've just got to go out there and have fun and we had a great day."

Students began pitching their tents for Paternoville at 12:01 a.m. on Tuesday, with more than 100 tents in place by Friday night outside the stadium.

The more than 107,000 tickets for the game were printed in white. More than 50,000 white shakers, courtesy of PHEAA, were distributed for the all stadium White Out.

A two-page photo spread of Penn State's "White House" was featured in the Sept. 17 issue of *Sports Illustrated*.

STATISTICAL RANKINGS
NCAA & BIG TEN TEAM RANKINGS

Category	Big Ten Rank	NCAA Rank	Avg/Tot
Scoring Offense	5th	38th	31.8 ppg
Scoring Defense	2nd	6th	13.7 ppg
Pass Offense	7th	64th	224.3 ypg
Pass Defense	2nd	13th	172.7 ypg
Rushing Offense	7th	40th	179.5 ypg
Rushing Defense	2nd	8th	80.5 ypg
Total Offense	9th	52nd	403.6 ypg
Total Defense	2nd	5th	253.2 ypg
Pass Efficiency	6th	58th	128.3 rtg.
Pass Efficiency Defense	2nd	16th	103.4 rtg.
Kickoff Returns	7th	74th	20.8 ypr
Punt Returns	3rd	25th	13.5 ypr
Net Punting	1st	4th	41.4 ypp
Turnover Margin	8th	91st	-.67 tpg
Penalties	1st	T-4th	4.33 ppg
Yards Penalized	1st	3rd	34.0 ypg
Sacks By	T-2nd	T-4th	.24
Sacks Against	8th	.69th	.13
Third Down Conversions	4th	14th	48.4 pct.
Opp Third Down Conversions	2nd	12th	28.9 pct.
Punt Return Coverage		.87th	10.88 ypr
Kickoff Return Coverage	10th	111th	26.16 ypr
Time of Possession	4th	23rd	31:30 avg.
Interceptions	8th	T-72nd	.5
Had Intercepted	6th	T-57th	.6
Turnovers Gained	T-2nd	T-42nd	.12

NCAA INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS

Category	Player	Rank	Avg/Tot
Field Goals	Kevin Kelly	T-11th	1.61
Punting	Jeremy Boone	15th	44.63
Punt Return/Avg.	Derrick Williams	19th	14.31
Kickoff Return/Avg.	A.J. Wallace	31st	26.78
Tackles	Sean Lee	20th	10.5
Tackles for Loss	Maurice Evans	T-5th	1.83
	Dan Connor	T-26th	1.42
Sacks	Maurice Evans	T-24th	0.83

BIG TEN INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS

Category	Player	Rank	Avg/Tot
Rushing	Rodney Kinlaw	6th	91.2 ypg
Passing Avg/Game	Anthony Morelli	6th	221.3 ypg
Pass Efficiency	Anthony Morelli	6th	129.2 rat.
Total Offense	Anthony Morelli	6th	212.3 ypg
Punting	Jeremy Boone	1st	44.6 yds
Punt Return Avg.	Derrick Williams	2nd	14.3 ypr
Kickoff Return Avg.	A.J. Wallace	5th	26.8 ypr
Field Goals	Kevin Kelly	T-2nd	1.67
PAT Kicking Pct.	Kevin Kelly	T-1st	100.0
Field Goal Pct.	Kevin Kelly	T-2nd	75.0
Scoring	Kevin Kelly	8th	8.5 ppg
Scoring (Klck)	Kevin Kelly	4th	8.5 ppg
Scoring (TD)	Austin Scott	6th	7.2 ppg
Tackles	Sean Lee	2nd	10.5 tpg
	Dan Connor	3rd	9.7 tpg
Tackles for Loss	Maurice Evans	T-2nd	1.80
	Dan Connor	T-9th	1.30
	Ollie Ogbu	T-9th	1.30
Sacks	Maurice Evans	6th	5.00
	Dan Connor	T-9th	4.00
Interceptions	Justin King	T-4th	0.33 ipg
Passes Defended	Justin King	T-3rd	1.33 ipg
	Dan Connor	T-9th	0.82

PENN STATE-NOTRE DAME GAME EARNS FOURTH-LARGEST BIG TEN AUDIENCE ON ESPN

Penn State's 31-10 thumping of Notre Dame on Sept. 8 earned the fourth-highest audience ever for a Big Ten football game on ESPN, as more than 3.31 million U.S. cable homes tuned in the primetime all-stadium White Out.

The Nittany Lions' victory earned a 3.45 HH CVG rating, which ranks No. 10 all-time among Big Ten football games on ESPN.

A Penn State contest owns the top four spots and seven of the top 10 all-time among the highest rated Big Ten football games on ESPN. The Nittany Lions' win over Michigan State during the unbeaten 1994 Big Ten Championship season remains the highest rated Big Ten game on ESPN with a 5.40 rating. The 2005 primetime battle between Penn State and Ohio State earned the conference's second-highest rating (4.91), followed by the 1994 Penn State-Indiana game (4.70), with the 1995 Penn State-Michigan State thriller (4.10) in fourth.

A Penn State game also owns the top four spots and six of the top 10 all-time among the highest viewed Big Ten football games on ESPN. The Nittany Lions' pulsating win over the Buckeyes in 2005 is the conference's highest viewed game on ESPN, as 4.435 million U.S. cable households tuned in. The 1994 Penn State-Michigan game is second with 3.397 million households, followed by the 2005 PSU-MSU contest (3.446 m.) and last week's clash with Notre Dame (3.31 m.).

"LINEBACKER U" ACCOLADES

Over the past two seasons, Penn State linebackers Dan Connor, Sean Lee (Pittsburgh) and now-graduated All-America Paul Posluszny have been selected the conference's Defensive Player of the Week five times out of a possible 17 weeks.

Lee and Connor were the selected Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week the first two weeks of this season. Last year, Connor earned the conference honor twice and Posluszny earned his fifth career Big Ten accolade, a record for a defensive player since the conference began selecting players of the week in 1987.

NITTANY LIONS AT NIGHT

Penn State is playing at least one regular season night game for the eighth consecutive season. The Nittany Lions will play their second night game of the season on Oct. 27, hosting Ohio State at 8 p.m. on ABC, ESPN or ESPN2.

The Lions' night games from this decade are: Notre Dame (2007), Michigan (2006), Illinois, Ohio State and Florida State (2005), Minnesota and Boston College (2004), Nebraska (2002 and '03), Miami, Fla. (2001) and Indiana (2000).

Penn State has a 31-19 overall record in night games, going 6-5 at home, 15-7 on the road, 1-1 at regular season neutral sites and 9-6 in bowl games.

NITTANY LIONS A BLEND OF YOUTH AND EXPERIENCE

It was a productive and challenging eight months for the Nittany Lions since concluding the 2006 season with a strong 20-10 victory over Tennessee in the Outback Bowl on New Year's Day.

Joe Paterno is fielding one of the youngest squad's in his legendary tenure this season, with

only 12 seniors on the roster. Among the dozen seniors, only four earned a starting assignment against FIU and Notre Dame, with middle linebacker Dan Connor the only senior starter on defense.

Only three seniors started against Michigan - Connor, Anthony Morelli and Austin Scott - and three seniors started against Illinois - Connor, Morelli and tailback Rodney Kinlaw.

Terrell Golden earned a start vs. Iowa, giving the Lions four senior starters in that contest.

The Nittany Lions had 15 returning starters, along with three players who had made starts during their careers. Eight starters returned on offense and six on defense, along with placekicker Kevin Kelly.

The Nittany Lions returned 32 lettermen from last season - 15 on offense, 15 on defense and two specialists. The list grows to 33 with the addition of senior tailback Austin Scott, who lettered in 2005 but was redshirted last year.

LIONS HIGHLY RANKED AMONG ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA LEADERS

Penn State ranks fourth nationally among the top schools in all-time ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America Football selections as selected by members of the College Sports Information Directors of America (I-A schools only):

- 1. Nebraska 86
- 2. Notre Dame 45
- 3. Stanford 39
- 4. **PENN STATE 37**
- 5. Ohio State 34

SEVEN LIONS ARE GRADUATES

Five 2007 squad members have already earned their degrees. In May, tailback Rodney Kinlaw (Goose Creek, S.C.) and center Patrick Weber (Arnold) graduated. In August, a trio of Nittany Lions graduated: quarterback Paul Cianciolo (Charleston, S.C.), wide receiver Terrell Golden (Norfolk, Va.) and tight end Jordan Lyons (Atlanta, Ga.). Cianciolo and Lyons have junior eligibility this season.

TRI-CAPTAINS SELECTED

A trio of seniors were elected captains of the 2007 Penn State football team.

All-America linebacker Dan Connor, wide receiver Terrell Golden and quarterback Anthony Morelli were elected tri-captains by their teammates during pre-season camp.

Connor was named a pre-season first team All-American by various publications and is a candidate for the Bednarik, Butkus, Rotary Lombardi and Lott awards. Last season, he earned first team All-America honors from The Sporting News and was a second team Associated Press All-American. The former Strath Haven High School standout became the 13th linebacker to earn first team All-America honors at "Linebacker U" under Coach Joe Paterno. Connor was the lone junior among the three finalists for the 2006 Bednarik Award, presented to the nation's top defensive player.

The lone senior among Penn State's talented and deep receiving corps, Golden has earned praise from his teammates as one of the squad's leaders since off-season workouts began in January. The recipient of the 2007 Red Worrell Award as the offense's most improved player in spring practice,

LONG PLAYS

Plays of 20 or more yards from scrimmage in 2007

PENN STATE OFFENSE (29)

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opp.
51	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Chris Bell	ND
47	Pass	Anthony Morelli to D. Williams	ILL
45	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Deon Butler	Buf
43	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Jordan Norwood	ILL
42	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Deon Butler	ILL
40	Run	Austin Scott (TD)	Buf
38	Run	Rodney Kinlaw	Mich
37	Pass	Anthony Morelli To Deon Butler	Iowa
37	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Deon Butler	FIU
34	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Chirs Bell	ILL
32	Run	Rodney Kinlaw	ND
30	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Jordan Norwood	ILL
29	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Jordan Norwood	FIU
29	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Jordan Norwood	FIU
28	Run	Rodney Kinlaw	FIU
27	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Terrell Golden (TD)	Buf
24	Pass	Anthony Morelli to D. Williams (TD)	Iowa
24	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Andrew Quarless	Iowa
24	Pass	Anthony Morelli to D. Williams (TD)	ILL
24	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Terrell Golden	Mich
23	Run	Rodney Kinlaw (TD)	Iowa
23	Run	Derrick Williams	ILL
22	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Jordan Norwood	FIU
22	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Andrew Quarless	Mich
21	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Andrew Quarless	ILL
21	Pass	Anthony Morelli to Rodney Kinlaw	FIU
21	Pass	A. Morelli to Andrew Quarless (TD)	Buf
20	Run	Austin Scott	FIU
20	Run	Evan Royster	FIU

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Play	#	Long	Opp.
Passing	21	51 - Morelli to Bell	ND
Rushing	8	40 - Scott	Buf
Receptions	21	51 - Bell	ND

OPPONENTS' OFFENSE (12)

Passing	11 (long 38, Willy to Rack, Buffalo)
Rushing	1 (long 53 by McGee, Illinois)

Golden made six receptions for 120 yards last season.

During his first season as the Lions' starting signal-caller, Morelli led Penn State to wins in five of its last six games and broke the school season records for pass completions (208) and attempts (386). His 2,424 passing yards were third-highest on the school season list. The former Penn Hills High School All-American had 11 touchdown passes and eight interceptions and posted the school's seventh-lowest season interception percentage. A candidate for the Davey O'Brien, Manning and Johnny Unitas awards, he ended the season with a very strong performance, going 14 of 25 for 197 yards, with one touchdown and no interceptions, in directing the Outback Bowl win over Tennessee.

FIVE BOWL TEAMS VISITING BEAVER STADIUM

The Nittany Lions have a blockbuster home schedule that includes five bowl teams from 2006: Notre Dame (Sugar), Iowa (Alamo), Wisconsin (Capital One), Ohio State (BCS Championship game) and Purdue (Champs Sports).

Penn State will play a sixth bowl team when it visits Michigan (Rose) in the Sept. 22 Big Ten Conference opener. Three of the opponents played in Bowl Championship Series games last season. Penn State has played at least seven bowl teams from the previous season in four of the past six years (six in 2005 and '07).

NON-CONFERENCE SUCCESS

Penn State has won 50 of 61 (81.9) non-conference games overall since starting Big Ten play in 1993, including victories against Southern California (3), Tennessee (2), Texas, Miami, Fla., Florida State, Nebraska, Notre Dame, Auburn, Texas A&M, Pittsburgh (3), Louisville (2), Maryland, Virginia, Oregon, Arizona, Texas Tech, Southern Miss (2), UCF (2) and South Florida.

LIONS FACE SERIES OF CHALLENGING NON-CONFERENCE OPPONENTS

The Nittany Lions are facing an impressive lineup of intersectional opponents throughout this decade.

Among the Nittany Lions' non-conference opponents this decade: Miami, Fla. (2001), Southern Miss (2001), Virginia (2001-02), Nebraska (2002-03), Boston College (2003-04), Notre Dame (2006-07) and Syracuse (2008-09).

The 2004-05 series with Alabama was postponed at the Crimson Tide's request to 2010 and '11 seasons. Penn State and Virginia are scheduled to play again in 2012 and '13.

TRIO OF RETURNING ALL-CONFERENCE HONOREES

Among the returning starters are three players who earned All-America or All-Big Ten recognition in 2006: senior linebacker Dan Connor (Wallingford), a first team All-American; junior cornerback Justin King (Pittsburgh), a second team All-Big Ten selection and junior safety Anthony Scirrotto (West Deptford, N.J.), who earned first team All-Big Ten accolades and was named to ESPN.com's All-Bowl Team.

POSITION CHANGES

Among the players who have changed positions since the end of last season: Brett Brackett (QB to WR); Gerald Cadogan (G to T); Tony Davis (CB to Saf); Larry Federoff (LB to FB); Mike Lucian (DT to G); Ross Muir (C to G); Brendan Perretta (WR to CB); Mark Rubin (WR to Saf); and John Shaw (T to G).

NUMBER CHANGES

Several Nittany Lions have changed numbers since last season, including wide receiver Brett Brackett (83); wide receiver Kevin Cousins (9); cornerback Devin Fentress (20); safety Jason Ganter (42); cornerback Willie Harriott (6), tailback Rodney Kinlaw (20); safety Mark Rubin (9), placekicker Collin Wagner (36) and wideout Graham Zug (5).

LIONS LEAD NATION IN UNBEATEN REGULAR SEASONS SINCE 1966

Joe Paterno has led Penn State to seven unbeaten, untied regular seasons since becoming head coach in 1966, the most of any team in the nation.

The Nittany Lions have earned five unbeaten, untied seasons under Paterno (1968, '69, '73, '86, '94), with two teams (1978, '85) losing in national championship bowl games.

PENN STATE - 7
Miami (Fla.), Nebraska, Ohio State - 6
Alabama, Oklahoma - 5

TOUGH IN TIGHT GAMES

Penn State is 95-50-3 under Joe Paterno in games decided by seven points or less, winning of 33 of 53 since starting Big Ten play in 1993.

BIG TEN LEADER IN BOWL GAMES

Penn State leads all Big Ten schools in bowl wins, appearances and winning percentage.

The Nittany Lions have a 25-12-2 record in bowl games and their winning percentage of 66.7 leads the nation among schools with a minimum of 10 bowl wins. Penn State is third nationally in bowl wins, while its 39 bowl appearances are eighth-best.

BIG TEN SUCCESS

Penn State is playing its 15th season as members of the Big Ten Conference this fall. Since 1993, the Nittany Lions are 70-45 in conference contests, trailing only Ohio State and Michigan. Penn State is 120-56 overall, trailing only Ohio State, Michigan and Wisconsin.

BIG TEN NO PLAYS

Penn State will meet Indiana and Iowa this season for the first time since 2004, while Minnesota and Northwestern rotate off the Nittany Lions' schedule for the next two years.

LIONS OWN NATION'S FOURTH-BEST MARK SINCE 1950

It should come as no surprise that Penn State has the nation's fourth-best record since Joe Paterno joined the coaching staff in 1950.

Oklahoma is the leader with a 493-155-12 (75.5) mark, followed by Ohio State (471-147-15, 75.3), Nebraska (487-175-9, 73.3), Penn State (471-171-7, 73.1) and Michigan (454-170-13, 72.1).

***** NOTES FROM PREVIOUS GAMES ****

LIONS MAKE THIRD APPEARANCE ON BIG TEN NETWORK

The Penn State-Illinois game was televised by the Big Ten Network, as the Lions made their third appearance on the new national network this season.

The Illinois game was available in more than 30 million homes nationwide. In early September, the Big Ten Network and DISH Network announced a carriage agreement.

The Network launched on August 30 in more than 16 million homes, and has agreements with more than 140 cable providers in the eight Big Ten states and all DirecTV subscribers (Ch. 220 and nearby overflow channels).

PENN STATE STUDENT-ATHLETES EARN 86 PERCENT GRADUATION SUCCESS RATE

Penn State student-athletes continue to graduate well above their peers nationwide, according to statistical information released in November 2006 by the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

The NCAA's annual study of institutions nationwide revealed that Penn State student-athletes at the University Park campus earned a Graduation Success Rate (GSR) of 86 percent compared to a 78 percent average for all Division I-A institutions for students entering from 1996-97 through 1999-2000.

Since 1990, the NCAA has annually released graduation rate information on institutions nationwide from data collected by the U.S. Department of Education. In December 2005, the NCAA Division I Committee on Academic Performance implemented the initial release of the team GSR data.

The GSR is the NCAA's new and more inclusive calculation of student-athlete academic success. The NCAA rate is more accurate than the federally mandated methodology because it includes incoming transfers who receive athletic aid and graduate and deletes from the calculation student-athletes who leave an institution and were academically eligible to compete. The federal rate does neither.

In addition to releasing each institution's overall four-year Graduation Success Rate, the NCAA also released the federal graduation rates for students and student-athletes as it has for the past 16 years. Among the 1999-2000 entering freshman class, 83 percent of Penn State student-athletes earned degrees within six years, significantly above the 64 percent for all Division I-A institutions. The graduation rate for all Penn State students was 84 percent in the entering class in 1999-2000.

For the third time in the past five years, Penn State student-athletes posted the highest federal graduation rate among the nation's public institutions. The 83 percent rate also was tied for Penn State's best performance in the 16-year history of the report, with the entering classes of 1997-98 and 1989-90.

The four-year graduation rate average for University Park student-athletes was 81 percent, well above the national average of 63 percent for student-athletes. The four-year average was second highest in the Big Ten to Northwestern. The four-year average for University Park students was 83 percent, far exceeding the 63 percent rate for all students nationwide.

Data released by the NCAA in October revealed that student-athletes from 21 of Penn State's 25 teams (track/cross country teams combined) earned a Graduation Success Rate at or above the national average of 77 percent. Eight Penn State squads earned a Graduation Success Rate of 100 percent and 19 teams had a GSR of 80 percent or better.

African-American student-athletes at Penn State continue to graduate at much higher percentages than at other Division I-A institutions. The 71 percent four-year federal rate marks the 16th consecutive year that Penn State's graduation rate for African-American student-athletes topped the African-American figures for Division I-A. At all Division I-A institutions in the NCAA compilation, the African-American four-year graduation percentage was 52 percent.

The University's African-American student-athlete GSR was 77 percent, significantly above the Division I-A national GSR average of 61 percent. Penn State was second in the Big Ten (Northwestern) in both the federal and GSR figures among African-American student-athletes.

The Penn State football team produced another superb academic performance, earning a Big Ten-best graduation rate of 83 percent for the 1999-2000 freshmen class, 28 points higher than the national Division I-A average of 55 percent. Northwestern was second among conference institutions at 79 percent.

Coach Joe Paterno's team earned a four-year Graduation Success Rate of 80 percent, easily surpassing the 66 percent Division I-A average and ranking behind only Northwestern among Big Ten teams.

African-American members of the Nittany Lion football team posted a notable 72 percent four-year graduation rate, exceeding the Division I-A average of 49 percent by 23 points. Penn State's GSR for African-American football players was a superlative 77 percent, also significantly higher than the national average of 56 percent.

Penn State's four-year and GSR rates were second-highest in the Big Ten among African-American football players (Northwestern).

Of the Penn State student-athletes in the NCAA studies from 1990-91 through 1999-2000 who exhausted their eligibility, 95 percent left with their diplomas.

This was the 16th release of institutional graduation rates since national "right-to-know" legislation was passed in 1990.

On Oct. 5, Service Electric Cable announced that more than 100,000 customers in Eastern Pennsylvania and Western New Jersey would be receiving the Big Ten Network on its expanded basic package

On Sept. 28, RCN announced that its 105,000 subscribers in Eastern Pennsylvania would be receiving the Big Ten Network on its expanded basic package. The Network also recently announced an agreement with WOW! and its 450,000 subscribers in parts of Michigan, Ohio, Illinois and Indiana.

D&E Communications in State College and Lewisburg and Millheim TV Transmission also are among the Pennsylvania cable companies airing the Network on their expanded basic package.

The Big Ten Network will air at least 39 Big Ten football games this season, with each school making at least two appearances. Three times this season, The Big Ten Network will have the second choice among ABC, ESPN and ESPN2 on which game it will air. The network will have the No. 3 choice three times as well.

Most Big Ten Network football games will air at 12:00 p.m., with the remainder kicking off during the primetime window. ESPN/ABC have exclusive rights to air games at 3:30 p.m.

The Big Ten Network will televise 350-400 events during its inaugural year, including at least 39 football games, 140 men's basketball games, including 64 of the 99 intra-conference games, women's basketball and more than 170 Olympic sport events.

The Big Ten Network is a national television network, available to all cable and satellite providers nationwide, that will allow fans to see their home teams regardless of where they live. The network will air more than 600 hours of Penn State programming during its inaugural year. The vast majority of Penn State's 29 varsity sports will be featured on the Big Ten Network in 2007-08, in addition to at least 60 hours of institutional, non-athletic programming.

In addition to at least three Penn State football games, a minimum of 19 Nittany Lion basketball games will air on the Big Ten Network during the upcoming year. At least 15 of Penn State's conference men's basketball games will air on the network. The Lady Lion basketball team will make several appearances on the Big Ten Network (three nonconference), with the conference schedule to be announced. Penn State's field hockey, women's volleyball and men's and women's soccer teams will appear on the Big Ten Network this fall.

To get the Big Ten Network, fans should call 1-866-WANT-B10 and record a message or be patched through to their cable operator and request that the network be a part of their expanded basic package.

YOUNG DEFENDERS SET NUMEROUS CAREER HIGHS AGAINST MICHIGAN

All-America linebacker Dan Connor is the only senior starter on the defense and nine of his teammates set or tied career highs for tackles against Michigan.

Junior linebacker Sean Lee made a game-high 12 tackles for the second consecutive game and was one of 10 Nittany Lions that made a minus-yardage play.

The Nittany Lions with career highs for tackles vs. Michigan:

Junior cornerback Lydell Sargeant (Lompoc,

Calif.) grabbed his second career interception late in the first half, returning it 31 yards to the PSU 37. Sargeant made a career-high 10 tackles (seven solo), including a tackle for loss;

- Sophomore defensive end Maurice Evans (Brooklyn, N.Y.) made a career-high nine stops, including a game-high four tackles for minus-eight yards;

- Sophomore defensive end Jerome Hayes (Bayonne, N.J.) made a career-best six stops (five solo), with a TFL;

- Redshirt freshman defensive tackle Ollie Ogbu (Staten Island, N.Y.) tied his career-high with four hits, with three tackles for minus-nine yards.

- Junior safety Mark Rubin (Amherst, N.Y.) made a career-best five tackles;

- Sophomore DT Jared Odrick (Lebanon) made a career-high four stops, including two TFL;

- Sophomore DT Chris Baker (Windsor, Conn.) made a career-best three hits;

- Junior DE Josh Gaines (Ft. Wayne, Ind.) tied his career-high with four tackles, including a sack;

- Sophomore DT Phil Taylor (Clinton, Md.) tied his career-best with two hits, including a TFL.

MORELLI JOINS ELITE LIST WITH FOUR TD PASSES VS. BUFFALO

Senior quarterback Anthony Morelli (Pittsburgh) delivered in a strong performance against Buffalo, going 20-for-27 for 202 yards and a career-high four touchdowns passes, giving the Nittany Lions a 31-3 lead through three quarters.

Morelli became the 11th Nittany Lion signal-caller to throw four scoring strikes in a game, with Michael Robinson the last to do so, in 2005 at Illinois.

With the game tied at 3-3, Morelli lofted a beautiful 21-yard pass that sophomore tight end Andrew Quarless (Uniondale, N.Y.) grabbed in the end zone to give the Lions the lead for good. Late in the second quarter, Morelli fired a pass to Jordan Norwood (State College), who tipped the ball in the air with his left hand and snared it with his right while lying on his back to complete the circus catch in the end zone for a 17-3 halftime lead.

On Penn State's first possession of the third quarter, Morelli connected with senior wideout Terrell Golden (Norfolk, VA) on a 27-yard score. On the Lions' next possession, Morelli rifled a 45-yard strike to junior wideout Deon Butler (Woodbridge, VA) to the Buffalo 5 and two plays later hit Quarless for a 31-3 lead with 5:24 left in the third period.

KINLAW HAS CAREER DAY VS. BULLS

A pair of Austin Scott (Allentown) fumbles in the first quarter vs. Buffalo provided senior tailback Rodney Kinlaw (Goose Creek, S.C.) with an opportunity to earn his most extensive career playing time and he took full advantage.

Entering the game late in the first quarter, Kinlaw gained 15 yards on his first carry and never looked back. He gained 39 yards on five attempts during his first series en route to a career-high 129 yards for his first 100-yard game.

Kinlaw carried the ball a career-best 23 times and scored on a six-yard run in the fourth quarter. He also made one catch for 18 yards. Kinlaw's previous high for yardage was 86 against Youngstown State in 2006 and his previous high for attempts was nine last week against Notre Dame on Sept. 8.

PENN STATE ALUMNI AGAIN POPULATE NFL ROSTERS

Penn State Nittany Lion football alumni again comprise a large portion of National Football League rosters.

There were 26 former Nittany Lions on 2007 opening week rosters, as well as four players on practice squads, again placing Penn State among the top 15 schools in the nation in producing current NFL players.

Six players from Penn State's 2006 squad are NFL rookies: Jay Alford (New York Giants), Levi Brown (Arizona), Tony Hunt (Philadelphia), Ed Johnson (Indianapolis), Paul Posluszny (Buffalo), Tim Shaw (Carolina)

Former Nittany Lions are spread out over 17 teams. The 2006 NFC Champion Chicago Bears and the Kansas City Chiefs have the services of a league-high three former Nittany Lions. Anthony Adams, John Gilmore and 2006 All-Pro kicker Robbie Gould play for the Bears, while Eddie Drummond, Tamba Hali and All-Pro tailback Larry Johnson are with the Chiefs..

Tight end Kyle Brady (New England) and quarterback Kerry Collins (Tennessee) lead the former Lions in NFL experience, in their 14th seasons. Wide receiver Bobby Engram (Seattle) is in 13th season in the NFL. All three were All-Americans on Penn State's 12-0 Big Ten Championship squad in 1994.

Four former Nittany Lions are on practice squads, bringing the number of Penn Staters in the NFL to 30. They are: defensive lineman Scott Paxson (Pittsburgh), defensive back Anwar Phillips (New Orleans), guard Tyler Reed (Chicago) and tight end Isaac Smolko (Jacksonville).

More than 300 Nittany Lions have signed NFL contracts since Joe Paterno became head coach in 1966. The legendary coach has seen 232 of his players drafted by NFL squads.

Thirty-one Nittany Lions have been NFL first round draft choices since 1966, including tackle Levi Brown (Arizona), who was the No. 5 overall pick in 2007. A school record four Penn Staters were selected in the first round of the 2003 NFL Draft and Penn State led all schools with six picks in the first 57 selections.

Penn State has had at least one alumnus on a Super Bowl team in 37 of 41 title games, including Chicago's John Gilmore and Robbie Gould in Super Bowl XLI. Twenty-eight former Nittany Lions have earned a total of 44 Super Bowl rings.

Former Nittany Lions on 2007 NFL rosters (pro season in parenthesis):

- Arizona Cardinals – Levi Brown (1), Bryant Johnson (5)
- Buffalo Bills - Paul Posluszny (1), Bryan Scott (5)
- Carolina Panthers – Tim Shaw (1)
- Chicago Bears - Anthony Adams (5), John Gilmore (7), Robbie Gould (3)
- Cincinnati Bengals – Ethan Kilmer (2), Kenny Watson (7)
- Cleveland Browns - Joe Jurevicius (10)
- Detroit Lions - Sean McHugh (3)
- Indianapolis Colts – Ed Johnson (1)
- Kansas City Chiefs - Eddie Drummond (6), Tamba Hali (2), Larry Johnson (5)
- New England Patriots – Kyle Brady (13)
- New York Giants – Jay Alford (1), Kareem McKenzie (7)
- Oakland Raiders - Tony Stewart (7)
- Philadelphia Eagles – Tony Hunt (1)
- San Francisco 49ers - Michael Robinson (2)
- Seattle Seahawks – Bobby Engram (12)
- Tennessee Titans - Kerry Collins (13), Calvin Lowry (2)
- Washington Redskins - David Macklin (8)

NORWOOD JOINS 1,000-YARD CLUB; SPECTACULAR CATCH LAUDED

Junior wideout Jordan Norwood's fourth career touchdown catch was a memorable one.

Late in the second quarter against Buffalo, Anthony Morelli fired a five-yard pass to Norwood, who tipped the ball in the air with his left hand and snared it with his right just above the turf while lying on his back in the end zone to complete the superlative catch and give the Lions a 17-3 half-time lead.

The circus catch was selected the "Play of the Day" by ESPN's SportsCenter.

Against Notre Dame, Norwood's 10-yard catch and run for a score put him over 1,000 yards receiving for his career, making him the 19th Nittany Lion to accomplish the feat, two games into his junior season.

WILLIAMS & WALLACE RETURNS PROVIDE BIG BOOST

The athleticism and speed of the Nittany Lions' return men provided a tremendous boost in the win over Notre Dame, delivering 10 points and swinging the momentum of game.

In the first quarter, the Nittany Lions turned the ball over twice and found themselves down 7-0 when the defense forced one of its 10 punts. Junior wide receiver Derrick Williams (Greenbelt, Md.) caught the ball near his shoestrings at the PSU 22, avoided several would-be tacklers, cut left and flew into a swath of green, along with a line of blockers, amidst the screams of the white-clad fanatics. Near the ND 20, he zig-zagged to avoid a couple more defenders and crossed the goal line near the student section untouched, sending the throng into near-hysteria. The former Eleanor Roosevelt High School All-American also caught a pair passes for 14 yards.

Williams' return was the longest of his career, his second for a touchdown, having sped to a 75-yard return vs. Temple in 2006, and his third punt return over 75 yards on his career. It was the longest punt return for the Nittany Lion since Bryant Johnson returned one 81 yards for a touchdown vs. Michigan State in 2002.

The Nittany Lions brought a 14-7 lead into the third quarter, but speedy sophomore A.J. Wallace (Waldorf, Md.) quickly helped make it 17-7. The cornerback took the opening kickoff up the middle and then flew down the Penn State sideline 68 yards to the ND 27. Austin Scott gained nine yards on his first two carries, but was thrown for a loss on third down, forcing a 37-yard field goal by Kevin Kelly (Langhorne), giving the Lions a two score lead.

Wallace's 68-yard return was the longest of his career and third over 40 yards. The former McDonough School standout delivered the Nittany Lions' longest kickoff return last season with a 54-yarder vs. Akron. His return against the Irish was Penn State's longest since a 77-yard return by Rodney Kinlaw at Illinois in 2005.

'82 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM HONORED AT NOTRE DAME GAME

The 1982 Nittany Lions, one of the outstanding teams in Penn State's glorious football history, were honored at halftime of the Notre Dame game.

The '82 Nittany Lions won Penn State's first national championship by defeating No. 1 Georgia,

27-23, in the Sugar Bowl. Penn State earned a last second 27-24 win over No.2 Nebraska in late September and rebounded from a 42-21 loss at Alabama in early October to win its last six games and earn a shot at the unbeaten Bulldogs for the title.

More than 50 members of the 1982 squad were on hand for the Notre Dame game, including two of the team captains, Walker Lee Ashley and Ken Kelley. Among the other team members who attended: All-Americans Kenny Jackson, Scott Radecki and Curt Warner and quarterback Todd Blackledge, winner of the 1982 Davey O'Brien Award.

Among some of the other players who attendance are: Rogers Alexander, Mark Battaglia, Dan Biondi, Kirk Bowman, Bill Contz, Dean DiMidio, Dan Delligatti, Gregg Garrity, Al Harris, Massimo Manca, Carmen Masciantonio, Mike McCloskey, Brian Siverling, Doug Strang, Bob White and Mike Zordich.

Blackledge was the analyst for ESPN's telecast of the game.

LEE EARNS FIRST BIG TEN DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK RECOGNITION

For the second consecutive year, "Linebacker U" has earned the first Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week honor of the season.

Junior linebacker Sean Lee (Pittsburgh) led the way in Penn State's stellar defensive effort against Florida International and has earned his first conference Defensive Player of the Week honor. Lee and the Nittany Lions posted their third shutout in the last six games with the 59-0 win in Saturday's season opener. Penn State limited the Golden Panthers to seven first downs, minus-three yards rushing and 114 total yards, tied for third-lowest by an opponent in the Joe Paterno era.

Lee led the Nittany Lions with seven solo tackles, including two tackles for losses, a sack, a forced fumble and a pass break-up against FIU. He forced a fumble that was recovered by DT Phil Taylor (Clinton, Md.) at the FIU 34 yard-line in the first quarter.

Lee becomes the third different Nittany Lion linebacker to be honored by the conference the past two seasons. Last year, 2007 tri-captain and All-American Dan Connor was honored twice, for the season opener against Akron and in the shut out win over Purdue. Two-time All-American Paul Posluszny was honored by the Big Ten once last season, three times in 2005 and once in 2004, giving him five conference Player of the Week honors, the most of any defensive player since selections began in 1987.

The former Upper St. Clair High School standout is in his second year as a starting OLB for the Lions. Last year, he was third on the squad with 90 tackles (47 solo), with 8.0 TFL (minus-51), 5.5 sacks (minus-46), two forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries and two pass break-ups. Lee forced the fumble that safety Tony Davis returned 88 yards for the eventual game winning score against Tennessee in the 2007 Outback Bowl.

A finance major, Lee will be a strong candidate for ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America honors after earning Academic All-Big Ten accolades in 2006.

DEFENSE POSTS THIRD SHUT OUT IN SIX GAMES

The Nittany Lions were one of only four teams that finished in the top 15 nationally in rushing, pass efficiency, total and scoring defense and sacks last season and the unit did not miss a beat in the opener with Florida International.

Penn State forced five turnovers, turning them into 21 points, and blocked a field goal and a punt. The Golden Panthers were limited to minus-three yards rushing (31 attempts) and 114 total yards, tied for the third-lowest total in the Paterno era, and seven first downs. The Lions recorded seven sacks, limited FIU to 1 of 15 on third down conversions and forced 10 three-and-out possessions.

Junior linebacker Sean Lee led the way with seven solo tackles, including two TFL, a sack and a forced fumble to earn Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week accolades. In his first career start, junior CB Lydell Sargeant (Lompoc, CA) made five solo stops and senior All-America linebacker Dan Connor (Wallingford) had five hits, with a 14-yard sack and a fumble recovery. His recovery at the FIU 20 led to Anthony Morelli's 17-yard TD pass to Mickey Shuler for a 14-0 first quarter lead.

In his first career start, sophomore DT Jared Odrick (Lebanon) made three solo hits, a sack and blocked a 29-yard field goal attempt. Redshirt freshman LB Navorro Bowman (District Heights, Md.) made two solo stops, forced and recovered a fumble and partially blocked a punt in a strong collegiate debut.

MORELLI SETS CAREER HIGHS IN LEADING LIONS PAST FIU

Senior quarterback Anthony Morelli (Pittsburgh) delivered the best game of his career, directing the Lions to a 45-0 lead before leaving the Florida International game in the third quarter.

Morelli was 17 of 28 for 231 yards at halftime, breaking Mike McQueary's school record for passing yards in the first half (219 vs. Wisconsin in 1997).

Morelli established career highs, going 23 of 38 for 295 yards, tying his career-best with three TD passes. His previous highs had been 21 completions (ND, 2006), 37 attempts (MSU, 2006) and 288 yards (N'western, 2006). He also threw three scoring strikes in the 2006 opener with Akron.

Morelli connected with eight different receivers and did not throw an interception. He leads the Big Ten in passing yardage (295.0 ypg) and is third in total offense (285.0 ypg).

The former Penn Hills High School All-American delivered five completions of 20 yards or more, including three to junior WR Jordan Norwood (State College), who led with five catches for 92 yards.

On Penn State's first possession, Morelli connected with junior WR Deon Butler (Woodbridge, Va.) on a 37-yard completion to the FIU 6. Three plays later, he hit senior WR Terrell Golden (Norfolk, Va.) on a four-yard score for a 7-0 lead less than five minutes into the game.

A Dan Connor fumble recovery at the FIU set-up Morelli's 17-yard catch and run to sophomore TE Mickey Shuler (Enola) for a 14-0 lead midway through the first period.

A pair of Austin Scott (Allentown) touchdown runs and another by senior TB Rodney Kinlaw (Goose Creek, S.C.) boosted the lead. Morelli's day ended in the third quarter after his one-yard TD

pass to senior RB Matt Hahn (Dix Hills, N.Y.) made it 45-0.

Morelli broke school season records for completions (208) and attempts (386) in 2006 and his 2,424 passing yards rank third on the Penn State season list.

Morelli is a candidate for the Davey O'Brien and Manning awards. The watch list for the Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award has not been announced.

GROUND GAME GETS GOING

Anthony Morelli's hot hand gave the offensive line and the running game a chance to gel in the first half and then open the lanes in the second against Florida International.

With Morelli throwing for a school record 231 first half yards and a 24-0 halftime lead, the performance of the ground game wasn't as critical, netting 335 yards on 16 attempts. But, in the second half, the Lions began to wear down FIU, finishing the game with 236 yards on 48 attempts, with five rushing touchdowns.

Three Nittany Lions gained 45 yards or better. In his first collegiate game, redshirt freshman Evan Royster (Fairfax, Va) gained a game-high 70 yards on eight carries, including a 13-yard TD burst and a 20-yard romp. Senior Rodney Kinlaw gained 66 yards on eight attempts, including a 15-yard TD run and a 28-yard burst. Senior Austin Scott gained 46 yards on 11 carries and scored on one and eight-yard runs in the middle of the game for a 31-0 lead.

Early in the fourth quarter, junior fullback Dan Lawlor (Mechanicsburg) scored from 16 yards out for his first career TD to make it 59-0 with 14:55 to play.

Senior tailback Nick Pinchek (Coplay) gained 33 yards on six carries and Lawlor added 27 yards and on five attempts to boost the running attack.

STRONG DEBUT FOR BOONE

Redshirt freshman punter Jeremy Boone (Mechanicsburg) made his debut with the Lions and delivered a strong opening game.

Boone was called upon five times and averaged 47.4 yards per punt. The former Mechanicsburg Area High School standout had a long punt of 54 yards, had one punt downed inside the 20 and one touchback.

Boone is replacing four-year starter Jeremy Kapinos, a 2006 AP third team All-American, who is Penn State's career leader in punts and yardage and is tied for fourth with a 41.7 career average.

LIONS IN SEASON OPENERS

The Nittany Lions own an impressive 100-19-2 (83.4) record in season openers, winning their last six and 15 of the last 17. The Lions are 35-7 in season openers under Coach Joe Paterno and 108-12-1 in home openers overall.

FOREMAN FOUNDATION MAKES CONTRIBUTION IN HONOR OF BRUNO

During the Penn State-FIU contest, a check for \$62,500 was presented to the Hershey Medical Center by the Foreman Foundation, a charitable organization whose mission is to help find a cure for melanoma.

The Foundation was founded by Phillip G. Foreman, a classmate of former Nittany Lion punter John Bruno, Jr., who died of the malignant form of skin cancer in April, 1992. Since its incep-

tion in 1996, the Foreman Foundation has raised more than \$870,000 to support melanoma research at Penn State's College of Medicine at the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center.

Bruno was a standout for the Lions from 1984-86, ranking No. 4 in school career punting average with a 41.7 mark, along with Jeremy Kapinos. Bruno also owns the school's third-best season punting average (42.9 in 1985). His 79 punts and 3,273 punting yards in 1984 remain school season records.

SIX STARTERS RETURNED FROM TOP 15 DEFENSIVE UNIT

Six starters returned from a defensive unit that was ranked in the Top 15 nationally in rushing (87.5 ypg, 7th), scoring (14.4 ppg, 9th), total defense (284.5 ypg, 15th) and pass efficiency defense (105.9 rating, 14th) and sacks (40, T-sixth) in 2006. The Nittany Lions were one of only four teams nationally ranked in the Top 15 in all five categories.

The Nittany Lions held 10 opponents to 17 or fewer points last season, including the last seven. Over the last seven games, the Lions allowed 65 points, an average of 9.28 per game. Over the last five games, the Lions allowed 36 points (7.2 avg.) with two shutouts.

Penn State held opponents to an average of 14.4 points per game last season, including limiting Tennessee to a season-low 10 points, significantly below its average of 29.3 ppg entering the game. Not including 21 points scored by opposing defenses, Penn State's defense gave up an average of 12.7 ppg.

"LINEBACKER U" LEGACY IN GOOD HANDS

Paul Posluszny, the two-time All-American and Bednarik Award winner, graduated last December as the Nittany Lions' career tackle leader (372). But, the "Linebacker U" legacy is in good hands with returning starters Dan Connor (Wallingford) and Sean Lee (Pittsburgh), who will lead what should again be one of the nation's top linebacker units.

Connor has moved to middle linebacker this season, with redshirt junior Tyrell Sales (Butler) the top candidate to fill the open OLB spot.

A senior, Connor earned first team All-America accolades from The Sporting News and was one of three finalists for the 2006 Bednarik Award. Also a candidate for the Butkus, Rotary Lombardi and Lott awards this season, Connor was second on the squad and fifth in the Big Ten in 2006 with 113 tackles, including nine tackles for losses, five sacks, two interceptions and three forced fumbles. He entered the season with 274 career stops, 98 behind Posluszny's school record total.

A junior, Lee quickly emerged as an impact player last fall. He was third on the team with 90 tackles (12th in Big Ten) last year and had 8.0 tackles for losses, 5.5 sacks, two forced fumbles and a pair of fumble recoveries. He also grabbed an interception. Lee and Connor combined to force the fumble that Tony Davis returned 88 yards for the eventual game-winning score against Tennessee in the 2007 Outback Bowl.

HOME SCHEDULE SOLD OUT; RECORD 93,500 SEASON TICKETS SOLD

Unprecedented demand for Penn State season tickets resulted in a complete sellout for the 2007 Nittany Lion football campaign.

With a record total of more than 93,500 season tickets accounted for and student and Nittany Lion Club ticket sales hitting record high numbers in record times, Penn State fans have assured that Beaver Stadium will again host some of the largest football crowds in the nation this fall.

The excitement for the 2007 football season pushed Penn State season tickets beyond 90,000 for the second consecutive year in Beaver Stadium, which has a capacity of 107,282, second-largest in the nation. Penn State students sold out their 21,000-plus season tickets in a record 59 minutes in June.

Bud Meredith, Director of Ticket Operations, reported in July that an all-time high of 99 percent of last year's season ticket holders renewed their seats for the 2007 season.

Fewer than 100 club seats remain for the 2007 season, with more than 100 having been sold since June. For information on club seats, interested fans can call Bob White at 1-800-NITTANY (1-800-648-8269).

Tickets for the three available away games (Illinois, Indiana and Michigan State) are on sale at: www.GoPSUsports.com, the official website of Penn State Athletics. Orders also can be placed by calling 814-865-5555 or 800-863-3336 weekdays from 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

In July, Joe Battista, Executive Director of the Nittany Lion Club, reported that the NLC added more than 2,200 new members during the fiscal year ending on June 30, 2007. The Nittany Lion Club had a record high of 22, 818 members at the end of fiscal 2007. There were 18,373 NLC members at the end of fiscal 2005, an increase of 20 percent over the last two years.

Season ticket requests for new members, and additional seats requested by 2006-07 members, exceeded tickets available by approximately 6,000 for the 2007 football season.

PENN STATE FOOTBALL WEEKEND: "GREATEST SHOW IN COLLEGE SPORTS"

A Penn State home football weekend topped the list of Sports Illustrated on Campus magazine's "102 More Things To Do Before Graduation," and Nittany Lion football coach Joe Paterno was on the cover of the October 27, 2005 issue.

SI on Campus not only named Penn State the nation's top college football gameday location, but called Penn State home football games, "The Greatest Show In College Sports."

The honor was the second during 2005 for Penn State's loyal and enthusiastic fans. In voting conducted by SI.com, Penn State was selected the nation's premier college or professional football tailgating venue. Penn State defeated Texas, Washington and LSU to win the collegiate title and defeated the Buffalo Bills to capture the overall distinction as the nation's top tailgating location.

Penn State has one of the nation's most energetic and dedicated fan bases, with fans starting to arrive in their recreational vehicles as early as Thursday morning for home games. Beaver Stadium's capacity of 107,282 is the nation's sec-

ond-largest and Penn State has been ranked in the top four in attendance in the nation for each of the past 16 years.

NUMEROUS LIONS HAVE FAMILY TIES TO PENN STATE FOOTBALL

Thirteen members of the 2007 squad have ties to current or former Nittany Lion football team players and coaches:

- True freshman wide receiver Tyler Ahrenhold's father, Frank, lettered from 1969-71 as a wideout;
- Junior quarterback Paul Cianciolo is the younger brother of Joe Cianciolo, who was a senior linebacker on the 2006 squad;
- Fifth-year senior safety Jason Ganter is the son of Fran Ganter, who is in his fourth year as Associate Athletic Director for Football Administration after 37 years as a Penn State player and assistant coach. Jason's older brother, Chris, was a quarterback for the Nittany Lions (2001-04) and an uncle, Jimmy Cefalo was a standout wide receiver from 1974-77;
- Junior cornerback Justin King's stepfather, Terry Smith, was a Penn State letterman at wide receiver from 1988-91 and ranks sixth in school career receptions;
- Fifth-year senior tailback Rodney Kinlaw is a nephew of former All-America defensive end Courtney Brown (1996-99);
- Redshirt sophomore wideout Patrick Mauti's father, Rich, was a letterman for the Nittany Lions in 1975 and '76;
- Junior wideout Jordan Norwood's father, Brian, is in his seventh season as the Nittany Lions' safeties coach;
- Fifth-year senior guard John Shaw's older brother, Jim, was a senior defensive end on the 2006 squad;
- Redshirt sophomore tight end Mickey Shuler is the son of former Nittany Lion standout TE Mickey Shuler, a letterman from 1975-77 and a 14-year NFL player;
- True freshman linebacker Nathan Stupar's father, Steve, played tackle for the Nittany Lions, earning a letter in 1979. The younger Stupar also has three uncles that played for and lettered at Penn State: Ron (1975-77), Doug (1976-78) and Jeff Hostetler (1980).
- Redshirt sophomore quarterback Kevin Suhey and true freshman tailback Joe Suhey are members of the one the most prominent families in Penn State football history. Their great grandfather, Bob Higgins, was Penn State's second All-American, in 1915, and earned All-America honors again in 1919. He served as head coach of the Nittany Lions from 1930-48. Their grandfather, Steve Suhey, was a letterman in 1942 and again in 1946-47, earning All-America honors his senior season. He married one of Bob Higgins' daughters, Ginger. Three of their sons, Paul (Kevin's father), Larry and Matt (Joe's father) played for Penn State in the 1970's;
- True freshman offensive lineman Stefen Wisniewski's father, Leo, was a standout defensive lineman for the Lions, earning letters from 1979-81. Stefen's uncle, Steve Wisniewski, was a two-time first team All-America guard during his outstanding Penn State career (1985-88).

PATERNO HAS COACHED 22 FATHER-SON COMBINATIONS

Including eight current squad members, Joe Paterno has coached a total of 22 father-son combinations during his 42 seasons as head coach at Penn State. Some of the combinations include more than

one son:

Current (years lettered):

- Frank Ahrenhold (1969-71)/Tyler Ahrenhold (member of 2007 team)
- Fran Ganter (1968-70)/ Chris (2002-04) and Jason Ganter (2005-present)
- Rich Mauti (1975-76)/ Patrick Mauti (member of 2005-07 teams)
- Mickey Shuler (1975-77)/ Mickey Shuler (member of 2005-07 teams)
- Terry Smith, stepfather (1988-91)/ Justin King (2005-present)
- Steve Stupar (1979)/Nathan Stupar (member of 2007 team)
- Paul Suhey (1975-78)/ Kevin Suhey (member of 2006-present)
- Leo Wisniewski (1979-81)/Stefen Wisniewski (member of 2007 team)

Past (years lettered):

- Rich Buzin (1966-67)/ Mike Buzin (1996, '98); Bob Campbell, stepfather (1966-68)/Ryan Pinckney (2002);
- Mike Guman (1976-79)/ Andrew Guman (2001-2004);
- Kevin Hart (1976)/ Mike Hart (member of 2004-06 teams)
- Pete Johnson (1967-69)/ Tim Johnson (2003);
- Dave Joyner (1969-71)/ Andy (played 1993-94) and Matt Joyner (1996-98);
- John Kulka (1966-68)/ Todd Kulka (1995);
- Ed Lenda (1965-66)/ Tyler Lenda (1999-2002);
- Charlie Pittman (1967-69)/ Tony Pittman (1992-94);
- Bob Rickenbach (1970-72)/ Eric Rickenbach (2000, '02);
- Jerry Sandusky (1963-66)/ E.J. (1991-92) & Jon Sandusky (1998-99);
- Victor Surma (1968-70)/ Vic Surma (played 2002-05);
- Tom Williams (1973-74)/ Tom (2001) and Casey Williams (2002-03);
- Tom Wise (1978-80)/ Brent Wise (played 2003-05).

SEVERAL ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA CANDIDATES

Penn State had three ESPN The Magazine Academic All-Americans in Paul Posluszny, Tim Shaw and Nolan McCready in 2006, with Posluszny being selected the Academic All-American of the Year, as well as a National Football Foundation Hall of Fame Scholar-Athlete.

Several Nittany Lions should be under consideration for Academic All-America honors again this fall, including tackle Gerald Cadogan (Portsmouth, Ohio), who earned Academic All-District accolades in 2006. Linebacker Sean Lee (Pittsburgh), wide receiver Jordan Norwood (State College) and safety Mark Rubin (Amherst, N.Y.) also should be candidates.

During Paterno's tenure, Penn State has had 35 ESPN The Magazine Academic All-Americans® (26 first team). Penn State ranks fourth among all Division I-A institutions in Academic All-America® football honorees.

PENN STATE UPLIFTING ATHLETES' "LIFT FOR LIFE" RAISES RECORD \$75,000 FOR KIDNEY CANCER ASSOCIATION

Penn State Football Uplifting Athletes' Fifth annual "Lift For Life" was a tremendous success, raising this year's contributions for the Kidney Cancer Association to a record total in excess of \$75,000 to date.

Eighty-four Nittany Lion football student-athletes tested their strength and endurance on July 13 in an 11-event strength and conditioning challenge in front of a record total of more than 3,000 fans, friends and family in Holuba Hall.

With the record-setting total, more than \$225,000 has been raised since 2003 by members of the Penn State football team to aid in the fight against the disease. More than 30,000 Americans are afflicted with kidney cancer each year.

Several kidney cancer patients from across the country were able to connect with one another and the Kidney Cancer Association at the event.

Twenty-two four-person teams competed in 11 events designed to test mental and physical toughness. The exercises for the competitors ranged from the bench press to carrying 100-lb. plates to the giant tire flip.

The winning team was comprised of wide receiver Brett Brackett (Lawrenceville, N.J.), safety Jason Ganter (State College), quarterback Kevin Suhey (State College) and safety Mark Rubin (Amherst, N.Y.).

Second place was secured by the team of defensive end Josh Gaines (Fort Wayne, Ind.), linebacker Tyrell Sales (Butler), tailback Austin Scott (Allentown) and center A.Q. Shipley (Coraopolis).

The third place team was comprised of linebacker Navorro Bowman (District Heights, Md.), defensive end Aaron Maybin (Ellicott City, Md.), cornerback A.J. Wallace (Waldorf, Md.) and wide receiver Derrick Williams (Greenbelt, Md.)

The Nittany Lion football team organized all aspects of the event, with Brackett, Ganter and Suhey primarily heading the effort, along with other current squad members, former Nittany Lion and event co-founder Scott Shirley and Deloris Brobeck.

For more information about the Penn State Football Uplifting Athletes, "Lift for Life," or to make a tax-deductible contribution, please visit <http://www.pennstate.upliftingathletes.org> or contact Brobeck at 814-865-1946 during business hours.

SECURITY MEASURES REMAIN IN EFFECT FOR THIS SEASON

Several additional security measures implemented in and around Beaver Stadium during the 2001 season will continue to be in effect this season:

- The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has granted a request for airspace restriction around Beaver Stadium for every home game. Activities are restricted to a Pennsylvania State Police helicopter.
- An increased number of security and stadium personnel;
- Prohibiting fans from bringing large purses, bags and backpacks to the stadium. Any items brought into the stadium are subject to inspection;
- Ticket holders will not be permitted to leave the stadium and later re-enter.

University officials also are asking fans for their cooperation and understanding when traveling to and parking for all home games. Fans should anticipate

needing extra time to enter the stadium gates:
- Fans are strongly encouraged to follow traffic instructions and park where instructed; vehicles risk being towed if they are in unassigned areas;
- Fans are encouraged to take the appropriate route to the stadium based on your parking pass;
- All Club Seat patrons with reserved parking are encouraged to access the parking lot via Porter Road off of Route 26/College Avenue, which can be accessed via the U.S. 322 Bypass.

Fans also are encouraged to ride the CATA shuttle bus from downtown State College and selected hotels to and from the game. The shuttle bus drop-off and pick-up location is at the corner of Curtin Road and University Drive, two blocks from Beaver Stadium.

PENN STATE SPORTS NETWORK AIRS ALL NITTANY LION GAMES

All Penn State football and basketball games can be heard on the Penn State Sports Network, a division of Learfield Sports.

Sixty stations in five states carry the Nittany Lion broadcasts, which can also be heard on GoPSUsports.com, the official website of Penn State Athletics. Steve Jones and Jack Ham are in their eighth season together calling the action.

Football broadcasts on the Penn State Sports Network begin 90 minutes prior to kickoff with "The Penn State Football Tailgate Show presented by CMTA - The Charcot-Marie-Tooth Association."

For a complete listing of Penn State Sports Network affiliates, go to:
<http://gopsusports.cstv.com/ot/radio-tv.html>

"THE PENN STATE FOOTBALL STORY" SEEN NATIONWIDE EACH WEEK

The Emmy Award winning program, "The Penn State Football Story," can be seen each week on outlets throughout the nation.

The Penn State Football Story has captured "Outstanding Sports Series" honors at the Mid-Atlantic Region Emmy Awards several times in the past decade. Critically acclaimed, The Penn State Football Story captures the closeness between players, coaches and staff that is vital in Penn State maintaining its position as one of the nation's premier football programs.

The program airs every week during the Nittany Lions' football season throughout Pennsylvania and regional sports cable networks and channels throughout the nation.

The Big Ten Network, which is available in more than 30 million homes nationwide, airs the program at least twice every week, Monday at 6:30 p.m. ET and Tuesday at 1:30 p.m.

Mind Over Media, a Pittsburgh-based production company, produces The Penn State Football Story. Mind Over Media has received numerous Emmy nominations for its work on Penn State football and men's basketball programming produced in cooperation with Penn State Intercollegiate Athletics.

Among the Pennsylvania outlets carrying The Penn State Football Story are: WTAJ-TV, Ch. 10 (State College, Altoona, Johnstown); WPSU-TV, Ch. 3 (State College); WHTM-TV, Ch. 27 (Harrisburg, Lancaster, York, Reading); WNEP-TV, Ch. 16 (Scranton/Wilkes-Barre); WFMZ-TV, Ch. 69 (Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton); WJAL-TV, Ch. 68 (Chambersburg, Hagerstown, Md.);

FSN Pittsburgh (Pa./Eastern Ohio/W. Va.) and CSN-Philadelphia (Philadelphia/New Jersey/Delaware). YES (metropolitan New York City) and MASN (Baltimore-Washington, D.C.) are among the other regional sports networks carrying the program across the nation.

Guido D'Elia is the Executive Producer and Mike Messner is the producer and director of The Penn State Football Story and The Penn State Basketball Story, which offers an inside look at the Nittany Lion basketball program. Michael Weber is a producer/director and Guy Junker is the writer and narrator for both programs.

For a complete listing of stations and networks that carry The Penn State Football Story, go to:
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UP NEXT

Game 8: at Indiana; Oct.20, 12:00 p.m. ET in Memorial Stadium.

Tickets: available

Radio/TV: The game will air on the Penn State Sports Network and www.GoPSUsports.com and will be televised by ESPN or ESPN2 to a national audience (announcement by Oct. 15).

Series: The teams are meeting for the first time since Penn State secured a 22-18 win with a goal line stand in the final minutes in 2004. The Nittany Lions lead the series, 10-0.

BRIEFLY SPEAKING...

Penn State is in its 121st season of intercollegiate football and owns a 784-345-42 record, tied for sixth nationally in all-time victories with Alabama...The Nittany Lions have a 227-56 record (80.2) in Beaver Stadium since the facility was erected in 1960.

Nittany Lions Roll Past Iowa, 27-7

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.; Oct. 6 -- Penn State rolled to 489 yards and held Iowa to just eight first downs en route to a convincing 27-7 win over the Hawkeyes in Beaver Stadium.

The Nittany Lions have won 18 of their last 19 games at home dating to the final game of the 2004 season against Michigan State.

Senior tailback Rodney Kinlaw ran for a career-high 168 yards and senior quarterback Anthony Morelli threw for 233 yards and a touchdown to spark the offense. Kinlaw had a career-best 28 carries and earned his second 100-yard game of the season, having gained 129 yards vs. Buffalo. Kinlaw gained the most yards by a Nittany Lion runner since Larry Johnson's 279 yards vs. Michigan State in 2002. Redshirt freshman Evan Royster gained a season-high 86 yards on 16 carries, as the Lions gained a season-high 256 rushing yards.

Penn State allowed only eight first downs, tied for the fewest allowed by the Lions in Big Ten play since joining the conference in 1993. Iowa also had eight first downs against Penn State in 1996. The Hawkeyes entered the fourth quarter today with only two first downs. The Nittany Lions allowed only 194 yards, its fewest in a Big Ten game since allowing 168 yards to Iowa in 2004.

Iowa's first 10 possessions ended with a punt and the Hawkeyes punted a total of 11 times. Penn State forced nine three-and-outs and only two of Iowa's 14 possessions lasted longer than five plays, both of which occurred in the fourth quarter after Penn State had taken a 20-0 lead.

The Penn State defense has permitted 11 touchdowns in the past 12 games.

Junior linebacker Sean Lee and senior All-America linebacker Dan Connor led another strong defensive effort with 11 and 9 tackles, respectively. Lee recorded his fourth consecutive double figure tackle game. Connor increased his career tackle total to 332, 11 away from tying Greg Buttle for second place on the school list. Junior cornerback Justin King made five tackles and sophomore defensive tackle Chris Baker had four stops. Sophomore defensive end Maurice Evans recorded two sacks among his four hits, giving him 11.0 TFL and 5.0 sacks this season.

Penn State opened up the game with a Kinlaw 12-yard run and a 15-yard pass from Morelli to Butler, but a Kinlaw fumble on the next play gave Iowa the ball on its own 35-yard-line. A big hit by King on third down forced a punt.

Penn State quickly forced another Hawkeye punt that was returned 18 yards by Derrick Williams to the Iowa 34-yard line. The Nittany Lion offense kept to the ground in the ensuing drive, with Royster carrying on six consecutive plays for a total of 33 yards down to the Iowa 1-yard line. An apparent Royster touchdown run was overturned and a 24-yard Kevin Kelly field goal put Penn State on the board first with 9:59 left in the half.

The teams traded three-and-outs and on their ensuing possessions. Morelli then hit a streaking Butler, who made a diving catch near the Iowa sideline for a 37-yard gain to give the Lions first down on the Hawkeye 34-yard line. With Penn State facing a 3rd-and-13, Morelli completed a 13-yard pass to sophomore tight end Andrew Quarless to give Penn State a first down on the Iowa 24-yard line. On the next play, Morelli found a wide-open Williams in the corner of the end zone and Kelly's kick gave the Nittany Lions a 10-0 advantage with 1:08 left in the half.

The Lions quickly forced a Hawkeye punt and got the ball on its own 20-yard line with 31 seconds left in the half. Royster gained 17 yards and a Morelli pass to a diving Quarless across the middle for a 24-yard gain gave the Lions another first down on the Iowa 36-yard line with three seconds remaining in the half, setting up a 53-yard Kelly field goal attempt. Kelly's career-long kick just cleared the crossbar, capping an 80-yard scoring drive by the Lions, the longest drive of the season to that point. Kelly's kick was the longest by a Nittany Lion since Massimo Manca hit a 53-yard field goal against Notre Dame in 1985 and is the first kick of more than 50-yards since Robbie Gould during the 2002 season.

The trey was Kelly's 48th career field goal, moving him into second on the school career field goals list, passing Travis Forney. Penn State went into the locker room at half with the 13-0 lead.

The Nittany Lion defense came out strong in the third quarter, holding the Hawkeyes to minus-11 yards on three plays in the first series, including a sack by Evans to force a punt. Rushes from Kinlaw and Royster set up a 16-yard pass play to Royster to give Penn State a first down. The Nittany Lions continued to march down the field, with Morelli hitting Norwood for a 30-yard gain down the Penn State sideline to give the Lions first down at the Iowa 12-yard line. Kinlaw broke through the line and danced around the defenders up the middle for the score, and a Kelly extra point put Penn State up 20-0 with 8:36 left in the quarter.

Following an Iowa three-and-out, the Penn State offense moved the ball 58-yards on eight plays, including a Kinlaw 12-yard rush for the first down, but a 43-yard Kelly field goal attempt sailed wide left, giving Iowa the ball on its own 26-yard line with 3:19 left in the quarter.

Early in the fourth quarter, Iowa gained 86 yards on eight plays to set up an 11-yard touchdown pass from Jake Christensen to Trey Stross, and Daniel Murray's kick brought Iowa to within 20-7.

A series of Kinlaw rushes brought Penn State to Iowa's 44-yard line, but a Morelli pass was intercepted by Iowa's Charles Godfrey at the 34. Penn State's defense held Iowa to only two yards, forcing a three-and-out with 7:49 left in the fourth quarter.

With 4:23 left in the game, Penn State took over at the Iowa 31-yard line thanks to a Connor tackle on a fourth and four attempt. Kinlaw ran over the right side for a 23-yard touchdown, his second of the night, to make it 27-7.

Game Notes

The Nittany Lions have won 26 of their last 33 overall, dating to the final two games of the 2004 season.

Score by Periods

Iowa	0	0	0	3	7
Penn State	0	13	7	7	27

Scoring Summary

PS-Kelly 24 FG
 PS-Williams 24 pass from Morelli (Kelly kick)
 PS-Kelly 53 FG
 PS-Kinlaw 12 run (Kelly kick)
 I-Stross 11 pass from Christensen (Murray kick)
 PS-Kinlaw 23 run (Kelly kick)

Team Statistics

	I	PSU
First Downs	8	26
Total Net Yards	194	489
Yards Rushing	48	256
Yards Passing	146	233
Passes (Comp-Att-Int)	16-29-0	18-32-2
Punts-Average	11-45.2	5-44.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	6-41	5-42

Individual Statistical Leaders

RUSHING

PS-Kinlaw 28 for 168, 2 TD; Royster 16 for 86; Williams 1 for 11; Norwood 1 for 5; Team 1 for -1; Morelli 3 for -13
 I-Young 13 for 44; Christensen 11 for 2; Sims 4 for 2

PASSING

PS-Morelli 18 of 31, 233 yds, 1 TD, 2 Int.; Team 0 of 1, 0 yds, 0 TD, 0 Int.
 I-Christensen 16 of 29, 146 yds, 1 TD, 0 Int.

RECEIVING

PS-Butler 3 for 55; Quarless 3 for 48; Williams 3 for 44, 1 TD; Norwood 3 for 44; Golden 3 for 15; Royster 2 for 11; Brackett 1 for 16
 I-Stross 5 for 69, 1 TD; Chaney, 3 for 14; Young 3 for 10; Cleveland 2 for 37; Sims 2 for 6; Johnson-Koulianos 1 for 10

Attendance: 108,951

The Big Ten Conference

	Conference				Overall			
Ohio State	3	0	0	1.000	6	0	0	1.000
Illinois	3	0	0	1.000	5	1	0	.833
Michigan	2	0	0	1.000	4	2	0	.667
Indiana	2	1	0	.667	5	1	0	.833
Wisconsin	2	1	0	.667	5	1	0	.833
Purdue	1	1	0	.500	5	1	0	.833
Penn State	1	2	0	.333	4	2	0	.667
Northwestern	1	2	0	.333	3	3	0	.500
Michigan State	0	2	0	.000	4	2	0	.667
Iowa	0	3	0	.000	2	4	0	.333
Minnesota	0	3	0	.000	1	5	0	.167

This Week's Schedule (ET)

Wisconsin at Penn State, 3:30 p.m. (ABC)
 Illinois at Iowa, 12:00 p.m. (ESPN2)
 Minnesota at Northwestern, 12:00 p.m. (BTN)
 Purdue at Michigan, 12:00 p.m. (BTN)
 Kent State at Ohio State, 12:00 p.m. (BTN)
 Indiana at Michigan State, 7:00 p.m. (BTN)

BIG TEN MEDIA SERVICES

Big Ten Release/Statistics: The Big Ten Conference football release, with standings and statistics, is available at www.bigten.org. Statistics are available each Sunday during the season by 7 p.m. ET, with the complete release available each Monday by 5 p.m. ET.

NCAA statistics are available every Sunday by 3 p.m. ET at: www.ncaa.org. Click on statistics and follow the prompts.

Big Ten Players of the Week will be announced every Monday during the season.

Big Ten Website: Athletic information on every Big Ten school and the conference is available on the Internet via the Big Ten Conference web site. News items, statistics and other features on Big Ten sports are available at: www.bigten.org.

Big Ten Coaches Teleconference: The Big Ten will conduct a football coaches teleconference every Tuesday during the season, from August 28 to November 13. All 11 head coaches will be available to answer questions for 10 minutes. Following an opening statement, the next portion of each coach's segment will be designated for pre-viewing their next game. Following the last coach, the conference's Players of the Week or other players also may be available for 10 minutes each.

Please contact the Big Ten Communications staff (847-696-1010) for the phone numbers for the teleconference and 24-hour replay.

Teleconference Schedule (ET)

12:00 - Jim Tressel, Ohio State
 12:10 - Lloyd Carr, Michigan
 12:20 - Bill Lynch, Indiana
 12:30 - Mark Dantonio, Michigan State
 12:40 - Kirk Ferentz, Iowa
 12:50 - Brett Bielema, Wisconsin
 1:00 - Ron Zook, Illinois
 1:10 - Joe Tiller, Purdue
1:20 - Joe Paterno, Penn State
 1:30 - Pat Fitzgerald, Northwestern
 1:40 - Tim Brewster, Minnesota
 1:50 - Players of the Week (if available)

PENN STATE FOOTBALL RELEASE/STATISTICS

Information is available via the Penn State Athletics official website: www.GoPSUsports.com. The complete football release will be posted by 7:00 p.m. on Monday of a game week. Cumulative statistics are posted by 12 p.m. on Sunday.

Football Release Schedule - Available on www.GoPSUsports.com Monday prior to game, unless otherwise noted:

Opponent	Date of Game	Date Release Available (ET)
Wisconsin	Oct. 13	Oct. 8 - 7:00 p.m.
Indiana	Oct. 20	Oct. 15 - 7:00 p.m.
Ohio State	Oct. 27	Oct. 22 - 7:00 p.m.
Purdue	Nov. 3	Oct. 29 - 7:00 p.m.
Temple	Nov. 10	Nov. 5 - 7:00 p.m.
Michigan State	Nov. 17	Nov. 12 - 7:00 p.m.

2007 OPPONENTS

FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL

(0-6)
Last Week: Lost to Troy, 34-16
This Week: idle

NOTRE DAME

(1-5)
Last Week: Beat UCLA, 20-6
This Week: vs. Boston College

BUFFALO

(2-4)
Last Week: Beat Ohio, 31-10
This Week: vs. Toledo

MICHIGAN

(4-2, 2-0)
Last Week: Beat Eastern Michigan, 33-22
This Week: vs. Purdue
 URL: www.mgoblue.com

ILLINOIS

(5-1, 3-0)
Last Week: Beat Wisconsin, 31-26
This Week: at Iowa
 URL: www.fightingillini.com

IOWA

(2-4, 0-3)
Last Week: Lost at Penn State, 27-7
This Week: vs. Illinois
 URL: www.hawkeyesports.com

WISCONSIN

(5-1, 2-1)
Last Week: Lost at Illinois, 31-26
This Week: at Penn State
 URL: uwbadgers.com/

INDIANA

(5-1, 2-1)
Last Week: Beat Minnesota, 40-20
This Week: at Michigan State
 URL: www.iuhoosiers.com

OHIO STATE

(6-0, 3-0)
Last Week: Beat Purdue, 23-7
This Week: vs. Kent State
 URL: ohiostatebuckeyes.com

PURDUE

(5-1, 2-1)
Last Week: Lost to Ohio State, 23-7
This Week: at Michigan
 URL: purduesports.com

TEMPLE

(1-5)
Last Week: Beat Northern Illinois, 16-15
This Week: at Akron
 URL: www.owlsports.com

MICHIGAN STATE

(4-2, 0-2)
Last Week: Lost to Northwestern, 48-41 (OT)
This Week: vs. Indiana
 URL: msuspartans.com

RECORD WATCH

Most Passing Yards in a Half

1. 231 Anthony Morelli vs. FIU, 2007
2. 219 Mike McQueary vs. Wisconsin, 1997

Career Passing Yardage

1. 7512 Zack Mills, 2001-04
2. 5869 Tony Sacca, 1988-91
3. 5382 Chuck Fusina, 1975-78
4. 5304 Kerry Collins, 1991-94
5. 4812 Todd Blackledge, 1980-82
6. 4419 Wally Richardson, 1992, 94-96
7. 3952 **Anthony Morelli, 2004-present**
8. 3710 Kevin Thompson, 1996-99
9. 3545 John Hufnagel, 1970-72
10. 3531 Michael Robinson, 2002-05

Career Pass Completions

1. 606 Zack Mills, 2001-04
2. 401 Tony Sacca, 1988-91
3. 378 Wally Richardson, 1992, 94-96
4. 371 Chuck Fusina, 1975-78
5. 370 Kerry Collins, 1991-94
6. 341 Todd Blackledge, 1980-82
7. 335 **Anthony Morelli, 2004-present**
8. 263 Kevin Thompson, 1996-99
9. 262 John Shaffer, 1983-86
10. 248 Michael Robinson, 2002-05

Career Pass Attempts

1. 1082 Zack Mills, 2001-04
2. 824 Tony Sacca, 1988-91
3. 692 Wally Richardson, 1992, 94-96
4. 665 Chuck Fusina, 1975-78
5. 658 Todd Blackledge, 1980-82
6. 657 Kerry Collins, 1991-94
7. 606 **Anthony Morelli, 2004-present**
8. 547 John Shaffer, 1983-86
9. 505 Michael Robinson, 2002-05
10. 495 Kevin Thompson, 1996-99

Career Receiving Touchdowns

1. 31 Bobby Engram, 1991, 93-95
2. 25 Kenny Jackson, 1980-83
3. 16 O.J. McDuffie, 1988-92
4. 15 Terry Smith, 1988-91
5. 15 Joe Jurevicius, 1994-97
6. 11 Scott Fitzkee, 1975-78
- 11 Freddie Scott, 1993-95
- 11 Tony Johnson, 2000-03
- 11 **Deon Butler, 2005-present**
10. 10 Ted Kwalick, 1966-68
- 10 Bryant Johnson, 1999-2002

Career Receptions

1. 167 Bobby Engram, 1991, 93-95
2. 125 O.J. McDuffie, 1988-92
3. 117 Jack Curry, 1965-67
4. 110 Bryant Johnson, 1999-2002
5. 109 Kenny Jackson, 1980-83
6. 108 Terry Smith, 1988-91
7. 107 Tony Johnson, 2000-03
8. **104** **Deon Butler, 2005-present**
9. **97** **Jordan Norwood, 2005-present**
- 94 Joe Jurevicius, 1994-97
11. 93 Freddie Scott, 1993-95
12. 88 Chafie Fields, 1996-99
- 88 Tony Hunt, 2003-06
14. 86 Ted Kwalick, 1966-68
15. **84** **Derrick Williams, 2005-present**
16. 76 Kyle Brady, 1991-94
17. 71 Eddie Drummond, 1998-2001
18. 70 Mike Archie, 1992-95
- 70 Eric McCoo, 1998-2001

Career Receiving Yardage

1. 3,026 Bobby Engram, 1991, 93-95
2. 2,008 Bryant Johnson, 1999-2002
3. 2,006 Kenny Jackson, 1980-83
4. 1,988 O.J. McDuffie, 1988-92
5. 1,889 Joe Jurevicius, 1994-97
6. 1,837 Jack Vurry, 1965-67
7. 1,825 Terry Smith, 1988-91
8. 1,702 Tony Johnson, 2000-03
9. 1,615 **Deon Butler, 2005-present**
10. 1,520 Freddie Scott, 1993-95
11. 1,437 Chafie Fields, 1996-99
12. 1,343 Ted Kwalick, 1966-68
13. 1,263 Scott Fitzkee, 1975-78
14. 1,222 David Daniels, 1988-90
15. 1,198 **Jordan Norwood, 2006-present**
16. 1,132 Eddie Drummond, 1998-2001
17. 1,058 Jimmy Cefalo, 1974-77
18. 1,038 Dan Natale, 1972-74
19. 1,016 Mickey Shuler, 1975-77

Career 1,000-Yard Receivers

- 19 in Penn State history
- 939 Derrick Williams, 2005-present

Career Field Goals

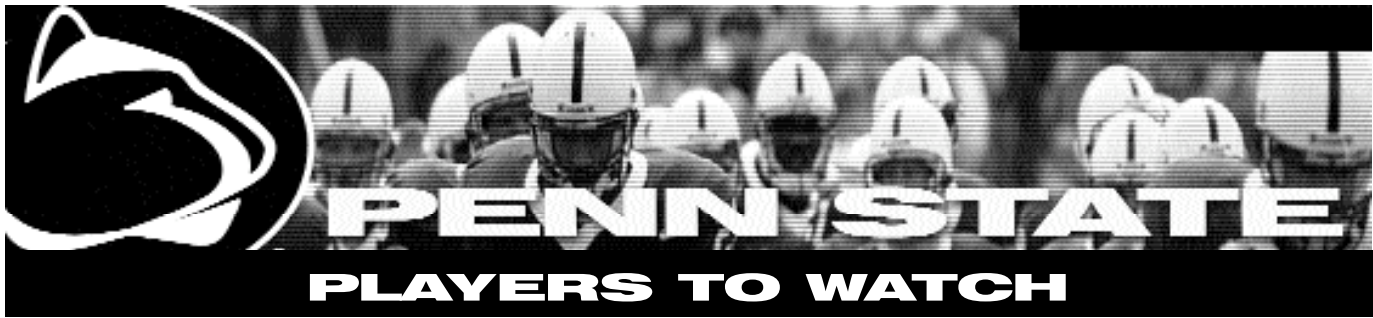
1. 50 Craig Fayak, 1990-93
2. 48 **Kevin Kelly, 2005-present**
3. 47 Travis Forney, 1996-99
4. 45 Brett Conway, 1993-96
5. 40 Massimo Manca, 1982, 84-86
6. 39 Matt Bahr, 1976-78
- 39 Robbie Gould, 2001-04
8. 38 Nick Gancitano, 1981-84
9. 35 Chris Bahr, 1973-75
10. 29 Herb Menhardt, 1978-80

Career Field Goal Attempts

1. 80 Craig Fayak, 1990-93
2. 71 **Kevin Kelly, 2005-present**
3. 63 Chris Bahr, 1973-75
- 63 Travis Forney, 1996-99
5. 61 Matt Bahr, 1976-78
- 61 Brett Conway, 1993-96
- 61 Robbie Gould, 2001-04
8. 59 Massimo Manca, 1982, 84-86
9. 49 Nick Gancitano, 1981-84

Career Tackles

1. 372 Paul Posluszny, 2003-06
2. 343 Greg Buttle, 1973-75
3. 332 **Dan Connor, 2004-present**
4. 315 Brian Gelzheiser, 1991-94
5. 287 Dennis Onkotz, 1967-69
6. 274 John Skorupan, 1970-72
- Shane Conlan, 1983-86
8. 273 Brandon Short, 1996-99
9. 257 Andre Collins, 1986-89
10. 256 Trey Bauer, 1984-87



OFFENSE

#3 DEON BUTLER

Wide Receiver

5-10 • 170 • Sr./Jr.

Biletnikoff Award Watch List

PSU's leading receiver in 2005 and 2006

2007 SEASON UPDATE: vs. FIU: Made three catches for 66 yards in the Nittany Lions' season-opening 59-0 victory. His 37-yard catch set-up first TD of the game ...vs. **Notre Dame:** Caught one pass for 16 yards in 31-10 win over the Irish...vs. **Buffalo:** Posted a team-high 72 yards receiving on five catches, including a 45-yard strike from Anthony Morelli that set-up a touchdown...His five catches moved him in a tie for eighth on the school all-time list...He cracked the school top 10 for career receiving yardage...vs. **Michigan:** Posted three receptions for a team-high 30 yards, including a 19-yard catch...vs. **Illinois:** Made four catches for 48 yards, giving him 101 career grabs...vs. **Iowa:** Hauled in three passes for a team-high 55 yards receiving...His long was a 37-yard catch that set-up a second quarter touchdown.

Season Receiving Totals

No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	Avg/G
19	287	15.1	0	45	47.8

#20 RODNEY KINLAW

Tailback

5-9 • 199 • Gr./Sr.

ABC Player of the Game vs. Iowa

2007 SEASON UPDATE: vs. FIU: Ran for 66 yards on eight carries, including a 15-yard touchdown...Also made three receptions for 34 yards, including a 21-yard effort...vs. **Notre Dame:** Gained 49 yards on nine carries, including a 32-yard burst...vs. **Buffalo:** Entering the game late in the first quarter, Kinlaw gained 15 yards on his first carry and never looked back. He gained 39 yards on five attempts during his first series en route to a career-high 129 yards for his first 100-yard game. He had a career-best 23 carries and scored on a six-yard run in the fourth quarter. He also made one catch for 18 yards. Kinlaw's previous high for rushing yardage was 86 against Youngstown State in 2006...vs. **Michigan:** Gained 69 yards on 12 carries...Delivered a season-long 38-yard scamper to the UM 15 in the fourth quarter to set-up a field goal...vs. **Illinois:** Made his first career start...Gained 66 yards on 16 carries and

had two receptions...vs. **Iowa:** Made his second consecutive start and ran for a career-high 168 yards on 28 carries (6.0) and two scores...Gained most yards by a Nittany Lion since Larry Johnson's 279 yards vs. Michigan State in 2002...Scampered 12 yards for his first TD midway through the third quarter...Swept to the right side in the fourth quarter to score his second TD from 23 yards out...Earned ABC/Chevrolet Player of the Game.

Season Rushing Totals

No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	Avg/G
96	547	5.7	4	38	91.2

#14 ANTHONY MORELLI

Quarterback

6-4 • 231 • Sr./Sr.

Davey O'Brien Award Watch List

Manning Award Watch List

2007 SEASON UPDATE: vs. FIU: Threw for a school-record 231 yards in the first half, breaking the previous PSU record of 219 yards, by Mike McQueary (Wisconsin, 1997)...Went 23-of-38 with 295 yards in 59-0 victory...Re-wrote career highs in pass attempts (38), completions (23) and yardage (295)...Also tied a career high with three touchdown passes...vs. **Notre Dame:** Was 12 of 22 for 131 yards in 31-10 win over the Irish...Connected with Jordan Norwood for a 10-yard TD strike in the second quarter to give Penn State a 14-7 lead...Set up another touchdown by firing a big third-down, 51-yard completion to Chris Bell in the third quarter...vs. **Buffalo:** Went 20-27 for 202 yards...Threw a career-high four touchdown strikes in the 45-24 victory...Became 11th Penn State QB with four TD passes in a game...Connected with tight end Andrew Quarless on a beautiful 21-yard strike to give Penn State a 10-3 lead...Late in the first half, threw a five-yard TD pass to Jordan Norwood to give Penn State a 17-3 lead...In the second half, threw a 27-yard TD to Terrell Golden and another scoring strike to Quarless...Moved into eighth place on school career completions list...vs. **Michigan:** Was 15-for-31 for 169 yards, with a 24-yard strike to Terrell Golden his longest completion...vs. **Illinois:** Was 21 of 38 for a career-best 298 yards, with one touchdown and three interceptions...Tied his career-high for attempts...Led team to 427 yards, with six passing plays of 20 yards or more...vs. **Iowa:** Posted his eighth career 200-yard passing performance...Completed 18 of 31 for 233 yards...Connected with Derrick Williams in the second quarter on a 24-yard TD pass, which gave the Nittany Lions a 10-0 lead...Had four completions of 20 yards or more, with long of 37 yards to Deon Butler.

Season Passing Totals

Att.	Comp.	Yds	TD	INT	Long	Avg/G
187	109	1328	10	6	51	221.3

**#24
JORDAN
NORWOOD**

Wide Receiver
5-10 • 164 • Jr./Jr.

2007 SEASON UPDATE: vs. FIU: : Posted a team-high five catches for 92 yards in the 59-0 season opening win...vs. **Notre Dame:** Made a team-high three catches for 20 yards and a touchdown in the 31-10 win...Snagged a 10-yard TD pass from Anthony Morelli in the second quarter to give Penn State a 14-7 lead...His 20 yards put him over the 1,000-yard mark for his career, making him the 19th Nittany Lion to pass that milestone...vs. **Buffalo:** Made four catches for 29 yards in the 45-24 victory...Made an incredible one-handed, five-yard TD reception while lying on his back to give Penn State a 17-3 just before the half...The catch was ESPN SportsCenter's "Play of the Day"...vs. **Michigan:** Recorded three catches for 30 yards on the day, with a 19-yard catch as his long...vs. **Illinois:** Broke his career long twice with 42 and 43 yard grabs, both of which set-up scores...Made three catches for 89 yards...vs. **Iowa:** Made three catches for 44 yards in the 27-7 victory...His long was a 30-yard grab into the red zone to set-up a third quarter touchdown.

Season Receiving Totals

No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	Avg/G
21	304	14.5	2	43	50.7

**#2
DERRICK
WILLIAMS**

Wide Receiver/Kick Returner
6-0 • 189 • Jr./Jr.

Is second in Big Ten and No. 19 in nation in punt returns
Pontiac Game Changing Performance Recipient (week of 9-8)
Biletznikoff Award Watch List

2007 SEASON UPDATE: vs. FIU: Caught four passes for 31 yards in the 59-0 win...Returned four punts for 53 yards, with a long of 26 yards...vs. **Notre Dame:** Swung the game's momentum when he returned a punt 78 yards for a touchdown, tying the game at 7-7 in the 31-10 win. It was the longest return of his career and his second career punt return for a touchdown...The play earned him his second career Pontiac Game Changing Performance, with 52 percent of the votes...Also caught two passes for 14 yards...Finished with three punt returns for 85 yards and 99 all-purpose yards...vs. **Buffalo:** Made five catches for 16 yards against the Bulls...Also returned a kickoff for 24 yards and a punt for 11 yards...vs. **Michigan:** Made three receptions for 26 yards...Moved into a tie for 15th place with 76 career receptions...Carried the ball one time for six yards...vs. **Illinois:** made team-high five receptions for 79 yards, including a 24-yard TD and a 47-yard grab...Also had two carries for 20 yards...Gained 112 all-purpose yards...vs. **Iowa:** Caught three passes for 44 yards, including a 24-yard TD strike from Anthony Morelli in the second quarter, which gave the Nittany Lions a 10-0 lead...Had one carry for 11 yards...Returned three punts for 24 yards, with a long of 18.

Season Receiving Totals

No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	Avg/G
22	210	9.5	1	47	35.0

Season Punt Return Totals

No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long
13	186	14.3	1	78

Season All-Purpose Yardage Totals

Receiving	Rushing	Punt Return	Kickoff Return	Total	Avg/G
210	42	186	43	476	79.3

DEFENSE

**#40
DAN
CONNOR**

Linebacker
6-3 • 237 • Sr./Sr.

Third on Penn State Career Tackles List (332)
Third in Big Ten in tackles (10/8)

- 2007 Pre-season All-American**
- 2006 The Sporting News All-American**
- 2006 Bednarik Award finalist**
- 2007 Butkus Award Watch List**
- 2007 Bednarik Award Watch List**
- 2007 Lott Trophy Watch List**
- Walter Camp National & Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (9/8)**
- ABC Player of the Game vs. Michigan (9/22)**

2007 SEASON UPDATE: vs. FIU: Made five tackles (three solo) in 59-0 win...Recorded one sack for minus-14 yards...Also defended a pass and recovered a fumble for the second time in his career...Helped the Lions hold FIU to minus-3 yards rushing...vs. **Notre Dame:** Led the Nittany Lions with 12 tackles (eight solo) in the 31-10 win...Recorded 2.5 tackles for minus-13 yards, including one sack for 11 yards...Also defended a pass...Helped the Nittany Lions hold Notre Dame to 0 rushing yards and 144 total yards...Was named Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week and Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week, for the third time in his career...vs. **Buffalo:** Tied Sean Lee for a team-high 12 tackles (nine solo) for his 14th career double figure tackle game...Recorded his third sack of the season for a loss of six yards on a fourth down play inn PSU territory...Helped the Nittany Lion defense limit the Bull offense to 56 rushing yards...Became just the third Penn State player with 300 career tackles (303)...vs. **Michigan:** Made nine tackles (six solo)...Also recorded one tackle for a loss of one yard...vs. **Illinois:** made 11 tackles, with a TFL, and two pass break-ups...Moved into third place on school career tackles list with 323...vs. **Iowa:** Posted nine tackles in the 27-7 victory. Recorded one sack for a loss of eight yards and had another TFL. Broke up one pass. Helped hold Iowa to eight first downs and 194 yards.

Season Defensive Totals

TK	Solo	Asst.	Sack	FR/FF	INT	BLK	PD	TFL
58	33	25	4.0	1/0	0	0	5	8.5

**#48
MAURICE
EVANS**

Defensive End
6-2 • 257 • So./So.

Tied for No. 2 in Big Ten & No. 5 in Nation in TFL (10/8)

2007 SEASON UPDATE: Vs. FIU: In his first career start, made two tackles in the 59-0 win, with a six-yard sack...vs. **Notre Dame:** Made three stops in the 31-10 win over the Irish...Had 2.0 TFL, including a sack for nine yards...vs. **Buffalo:** Posted three hits, including a sack for 10 yards...vs. **Michigan:** Recorded a career-best nine tackles, including a game and career-high four TFL for minus-8 yards.....vs. **Illinois:** Made three hits, with a TFL...vs. **Iowa:** Recorded four tackles (two solo)...Made two sacks for minus-10 yards...Also broke up one pass in helping hold Hawkeyes to eight first downs and 194 yards.

Season Defensive Totals

TK	Solo	Asst.	Sacks	FR/FF	INT	BLK	PD	TFL
24	14	10	5.0	0/0	0	0	2	11.0

**#1
JUSTIN
KING**

Cornerback
6-0 • 186 • Jr./Jr.

Thorpe Award Watch List
Pre-Season All-Big Ten Selection

2007 SEASON UPDATE: Vs. FIU: Made one solo stop in the 59-0 season opening win...Defended two passes...Made his first career fumble recovery...vs. **Notre Dame:** Recorded one stop in the 31-10 win over the Irish...Intercepted a pass in the end zone during the fourth quarter...Also broke up two passes...vs. **Buffalo:** Posted three solo stops in the 45-24 victory...vs. **Michigan:** Made three solo stops and broke up one pass....vs. **Illinois:** Made three hits, grabbed an interception in the end zone and had a pass break-up...vs. **Iowa:** Recorded five solo tackles in the 27-7 victory, helping hold Iowa to eight first downs and 194 yards.

Season Defensive Totals

TK	Solo	Asst.	Sack	FR/FF	INT	BLK	PD	TFL
16	14	2	0	1/0	2	0	6	0

**#45
SEAN
LEE**

Linebacker
6-2 • 232 • Jr./Jr.

Second in Big Ten in Tackles (10/8)
Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (9/1)

2006 SEASON UPDATE: vs. FIU: Named Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week after posting a team-high seven stops in the 59-0 win...Recorded two tackles for loss to help hold FIU to minus-3 yards rushing...Also made one sack, defended a pass and forced a fumble...vs. **Notre Dame:** Posted four stops (two solo) in the 31-10 win...Recorded 0.5 sacks for a loss of six yards...Broke up a pass...Helped hold the Irish to 144 total yards, including 0 yards rushing... vs. **Buffalo:** Tied Dan Connor with a team-high 12 tackles (five

solo)...Posted one tackle for a loss of two yards, including 0.5 sacks...Helped the defense limit the Bulls to 56 rushing yards...vs. **Michigan:** Led team with 12 tackles (five solo) for his fourth career double figure tackle game...Posted one tackle for loss...vs. **Illinois:** Recorded a career-high 17 tackles for his third consecutive game with 12 more stops...Has the most tackles by a Nittany Lion since Paul Posluszny's 22 at Northwestern in 2005...vs. **Iowa:** Recorded a team-high 11 tackles against the Hawkeyes, for his fourth consecutive double digit tackle performance. Helped hold Iowa to eight first downs and 194 yards.

Season Defensive Totals

TK	Solo	Asst.	Sack	FR/FF	INT	BLK	PD	TFL
63	29	34	2.0	0/1	0	0	2	5.0

**#7
ANTHONY
SCIRROTTO**

Safety
6-0 • 195 • Jr./Jr.

2006 First Team All-Big Ten. Led Big Ten in Interceptions (6)

2007 SEASON UPDATE: vs. FIU: Posted two solo stops in Penn State's 59-0 shutout...vs. **Notre Dame:** Recorded five tackles (three solo), and 0.5 tackles for a loss of one yard in the 31-10 win... vs. **Buffalo:** Posted three tackles (one solo)...Picked up fumble in the second quarter, and streaked down the sidelines toward the end zone, but stepped on the chalk prior to scoring...The play set-up a TD pass to Jordan Norwood in the final minute of the first half..Stepped in front of a Drew Willy pass late in the third quarter, and returned his first interception of the season 45 yards to the Buffalo 25...vs. **Michigan:** Recorded six tackles (four solo)...vs. **Illinois:** Made five tackles with one pass break-up...vs. **Iowa:** Assisted on two stops in the 27-7 victory over the Hawkeyes. Helped hold Iowa to eight first downs and 194 yards.

Season Defensive Totals

TK	Solo	Asst.	Sack	FR/FF	INT	BLK	PD	TFL
23	11	12	0	1/0	1	0	1	0.5

SPECIAL TEAMS

**#23
KEVIN
KELLY**

Kicker
5-7 • 163 • Jr./Jr.

Ranks Second in Penn State Career Field Goals (48)
Made 53-Yard FG vs. Iowa; Penn State's Longest in 22 Years

2007 SEASON UPDATE: vs. FIU: Went 1-of-2 on field goals in the 59-0 win...Connected on a 45-yard attempt in the second quarter...Averaged 62.7 yards on 10 kickoffs...vs. **Notre Dame:** Connected on his only field goal attempt (37 yards), which gave Penn State a 17-7 lead in the fourth quarter...Averaged 70 yards on six kickoffs, including two touchbacks... vs. **Buffalo:** Went 1-2 on field goals...Connected on a 27-yard attempt to move into fourth place on the school list...Averaged 68.1 yards on eight kickoffs, with two touchbacks...vs. **Michigan:** Connected on all three of his field goal attempts (28, 29, 31 yards)...Averaged 68 yards on four kickoffs, including one touchback...Moved into second place on the school

career field goal attempts list with 65....**vs. Illinois:** Was 2 of 3 on field goal attempts...moved into third place on school career FG list with 47...**vs. Iowa:** Was 2-of-3 on field goals, connecting from 24 and 53 yards out...The 53-yard boot marked his career-long and was PSU's longest since Massimo Manca's 53-yarder vs. Notre Dame in 1985...Averaged 61.8 yards on five kickoffs.

Season Kicking Totals

FG-FGA	PCT.	LG	PAT	PCT.
10-14	71.4	53	23-23	100.0

Career Field Goals

Season	0-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+
2005	0-0	10-12	4-7	2-3	0-1
2006	1-1	8-8	8-12	5-10	0-3
2007	0-0	6-6	2-2	1-3	1-3
Career	1-1	24-26	14-21	8-16	1-7

**#41
JEREMY
BOONE**

Punter

5-9 • 169 • So./Fr.

Leads Big Ten and is No. 15 in nation in punting

2007 SEASON UPDATE: **vs. FIU:** Averaged 47.4 yards on five punts...Booted three kicks more than 50 yards, with 54 yard the longest...Had one kick downed inside the 20...**vs. Notre Dame:** On six punts, averaged 43.2 yards, with two downed inside the 20...**vs. Buffalo:** Averaged 44 yards on two punts, with a career-long 56-yard effort...Had one punt downed in side the 20...**vs. Michigan:** Averaged 40.8 yards on five punts, with 48 being the long...Had one punt downed inside the 10 yard line....**vs. Illinois:** Had four punts for 48.2 average, including a career-best 70-yarder, tied for seventh-longest in school history...**vs. Iowa:** Averaged 44.8 yards on five punts, with a long of 48 yards...Had three kicks downed inside the 20.

Season Punting Totals

No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
27	1205	44.6	70	2	5	10	0

Individual Career Highs

PASSING

Anthony Morelli #14

Attempts 38 at Illinois 9/29/07
 vs Florida International 9/1/07
 Completions 23 vs Florida International 9/1/07
 Yards 298 at Illinois 9/29/07
 Touchdowns 4 vs. Buffalo 9/15/07
 Long 56 at Minnesota 10/7/06
 Interceptions 3 at Illinois 9/29/07 & at Ohio State 9/23/06

Daryll Clark #17

Attempts 8 at Notre Dame 9/9/06
 Completions 4 vs. Temple 11/11/06
 Yards 36 at Notre Dame 9/9/06
 Touchdowns 0
 Long 23 vs. Temple 11/18/06
 Interceptions 0

RECEIVING

Chris Bell #19

Rec. 2 at ND 9/9 & vs YSU 9/16
 Yds 51 vs Notre Dame 9/8/07
 TD -
 LG 51 vs Notre Dame 9/8/07

Deon Butler #3

Rec. 11 vs. NW 9/30/06
 Yds 216** vs. NW 9/30/06
 TD 2 at Illinois 10/22/05
 vs. Cent. Mich. 9/17/05
 LG 55 vs. NW 9/30/06
 ** PSU record

Terrell Golden #4

Rec. 3 at Michigan 10/15/05
 Yds 74 at Michigan 10/15/05
 TD 1 vs. Cent. Mich. 9/17/05 &
 vs. Purdue 10/9/04
 vs. FIU 9/1/07
 LG 56 at Michigan 10/15/05

Matt Hahn #34

Rec. 3 at Illinois 9/29/07 &
 vs Youngstown St. 9/16
 Yds 33 vs Youngstown St. 9/16
 TD 1 at Minnesota 10/7/06
 LG 16 at Purdue 10/28/06
 at Minnesota 10/2/04

Rodney Kinlaw #8

Rec. 3 vs FIU 9/1/07
 Yds 34 vs FIU 9/1/07
 TD -
 LG 21 vs. FIU 9/1/07

Jordan Norwood #24

Rec. 7 vs. Akron 9/2/06
 Yds 110 vs. Florida St. 1/3/06
 TD 1 vs. Akron 9/2/06,
 MSU 11/18/06,
 Notre Dame 9/8/07
 LG 43 at Illinois 9/29/07

Andrew Quarless #10

Rec. 5 at Wisconsin 11/4/06
 Yds 87 vs. Mich. St. 11/18/06
 TD 2 vs. Buffalo 9/15/07
 LG 29 vs. Mich. St. 11/18/06
 vs. Temple 11/11/06
 at Wisconsin 11/4/06

Evan Royster #22

Rec. 2 vs Iowa 10/6/07
 Yds 11 vs Iowa 10/6/07
 TD -
 LG 16 vs Iowa 10/6/07

Mickey Shuler #82

Rec. 1 at Notre Dame 9/9/06
 Yds 5 at Notre Dame 9/9/06
 TD -
 LG 5 at Notre Dame 9/9/06

Austin Scott #33

Rec. 3 vs. UCF 9/18/04
 Yds 23 at Iowa 10/25/03
 TD 1 at Iowa 10/25/03
 LG 24 at Iowa 10/25/03

A.J. Wallace #12

Rec. 1 at Notre Dame 9/9/06
 Yds 5 at Notre Dame 9/9/06
 TD 0
 LG 5 at Notre Dame 9/9/06

Derrick Williams #2

Rec. 6 vs Michigan 10/14/06
 at Michigan 10/15/05
 Yds 95 at Minnesota 10/7/06
 TD 1 at Illinois 9/29/07
 vs Akron 9/2/06
 LG 56 at Minnesota 10/7/06

RUSHING

Chris Bell #19

Att. 1 vs Northwestern 9/30/06
 Yds 22 vs Northwestern 9/30/06
 TD -
 LG 22 vs Northwestern 9/30/06

Daryll Clark #17

Att 4 vs Mich. 10/14 & at ND 9/9
 Yds 28 at Notre Dame 9/9/06
 TD 1 at ND 9/9, vs. YSU 9/16 &
 vs. Temple 11/11
 LG 15 vs Youngstown St. 9/16

Matt Hahn #34

Att 4 vs. Notre Dame 9/8/07
 Yds 22 vs. Notre Dame 9/8/07
 TD -
 LG 12 at Purdue 10/28/06

Rodney Kinlaw #8

Att 28 vs Iowa 10/6/07
 Yds 168 vs Iowa 10/6/07
 TD 2 vs Iowa 10/6/07
 LG 43 vs Youngstown St. 9/16

Anthony Morelli #14

Att 9 at Ohio State 9/23/06
 Yds 15 at Notre Dame 9/9/06
 TD -

LG 28 at Notre Dame 9/9/06
Evan Royster #22

Att 16 vs Iowa 10/6/07
 Yds 88 vs Iowa 10/6/07
 TD 1 vs. FIU 9/1/07
 LG 20 vs. FIU 9/1/07

Austin Scott #33

Att 28 vs. Notre Dame 9/8/07
 Yds 116 vs. Akron 9/4/04
 vs. Notre Dame 9/8/07
 TD 3 vs. Kent State 9/20/03
 LG 47 vs. Akron 9/4/04

A.J. Wallace #12

Att. 2 vs. NW 9/30 & Minn. 10/7
 Yds 76 vs Youngstown St. 9/16
 TD 1 vs Youngstown St. 9/16
 LG 76 vs Youngstown St. 9/16

Derrick Williams #2

Att.. 9 vs Youngstown St. 9/16
 Yds 60 vs. Cincinnati 9/10/05
 TD 2 vs Minnesota 10/1/05
 LG 23 at Illinois 9/29/07
 at Purdue 10/28/06

TACKLES

LEFT END

#47 • Josh Gaines -
 4, four times, last at Michigan 9/22/07
#5 • Jerome Hayes -
 6 at Michigan 9/22/07

LEFT TACKLE

#91 • Jared Odrick -
 4 at Michigan 9/22/07
#90 • Phil Taylor -
 2, twice, last at Michigan 9/22/07

RIGHT TACKLE

#85 • Ollie Ogbu -
 4, twice, last at Michigan 9/22/07
#93 • Chris Baker -
 6 at Illinois 9/29/07

RIGHT END

#48 • Maurice Evans -
 9 at Michigan 9/22/07
#59 • Aaron Maybin
 2 vs. Iowa 10/6/07 &
 Buffalo, 9/15/07

OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

#45 • Sean Lee
 17 at Illinois 9/29/07
#43 • Josh Hull -
 3 vs. NW '06, FIU, 9/1/07, Buffalo,
 9/15/07

INSIDE LINEBACKER

#40 • Dan Connor -
 16 vs Northwestern '04
#52 • Dontey Brown -
 4 vs. Buffalo, 9/15/07

OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

#46 • Tyrell Sales -
 8 vs. Cincinnati '05
#18 • Navorro Bowman -
 3 vs. Buffalo, 9/15/07

LEFT CORNERBACK

#10 • Lydell Sargeant -
 10 at Michigan 9/22/07
#12 • A.J. Wallace -
 5 vs Michigan State '06

FREE SAFETY

#11 • Tony Davis -
 5 at Minn. '06 & vs Akron '06; vs.
 Buffalo, 9/15/07
#9 • Mark Rubin -
 5 at Michigan 9/22/07

HERO

#7 • Anthony Scirrotto
 9 at Wisconsin '06

RIGHT CORNERBACK

#7 • Justin King -
 6 at Michigan '05
#25 • Brendan Peretta
 3 vs. Buffalo, 9/15/07
#21 • Knowledge Timmons -
 2 vs MSU, Temple & Akron, '06;
 FIU '07

2007 Season Superlatives

PENN STATE INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes 28, Rodney Kinlaw vs Iowa & Austin Scott vs. ND
 Yards Rushing 168, Rodney Kinlaw vs. Iowa
 TD Rushes . . . 2, Rodney Kinlaw vs Iowa & Austin Scott vs. FIU/ND
 Long Rush 40, Austin Scott vs. Buffalo (TD)
 Pass attempts 38, Anthony Morelli at Illinois & vs. FIU
 Pass completions 23, Anthony Morelli vs. FIU
 Yards Passing 298, Anthony Morelli at Illinois
 TD Passes 4, Anthony Morelli vs. Buffalo
 Long Pass 51, Anthony Morelli vs. Notre Dame
 Receptions 5, Williams at ILL, Norwood vs. FIU, Butler vs. Buffalo
 Yards Receiving 92, Jordan Norwood vs. FIU
 TD Receptions 2, Andrew Quarless vs. Buffalo
 Long Reception 51, Chris Bell vs. Notre Dame
 Field Goals 3, Kevin Kelly at Michigan
 Long Field Goal 53, Kevin Kelly vs Iowa
 Punts 6, Jeremy Boone vs Notre Dame
 Punting Avg. 48.2, Jeremy Boone at Illinois
 Long Punt 70, Jeremy Boone at Illinois
 Long Punt Return 78, Derrick Williams vs. Notre Dame (TD)
 Long Kickoff Return 68, A.J. Wallace vs. Notre Dame
 Tackles 17, Sean Lee at Illinois
 Sacks 2, Maurice Evans & Aaron Maybin vs. Iowa
 Tackles For Loss 4, Maurice Evans at Michigan 9/22/07
 Interceptions 1, five times, last by King and Davis at Illinois

TEAM GAME HIGHS

CATEGORY	HIGH	LOW
Rushes	50, vs. Iowa	29, at Michigan
Yards Rushing	256, vs. Iowa	101, at Michigan
Yards Per Rush	5.1, vs. Iowa	3.5, at Michigan
TD Rushes	5, vs. FIU	0, at Michigan
Pass attempts	41, vs. FIU	22, vs. Notre Dame
Pass completions	25, vs. FIU	12, vs. Notre Dame
Yards Passing	313, vs. FIU	131, vs. Notre Dame
Yards Per Pass	7.8, at Illinois	5.4, at Michigan
TD Passes	4, vs. Buffalo	0, at Michigan
Total Plays	89, vs. FIU	60, at Michigan
Total Offense	549, vs. FIU	270, at Michigan
Yards Per Play	6.2, vs. FIU	4.3, vs. Notre Dame
Points	59, vs. FIU	9, at Michigan
Sacks By	7, vs. FIU	0, at Illinois
First Downs	27, vs. FIU	14, at Michigan
Penalties	7, vs. Notre Dame	2, vs. Buffalo
Penalty Yards	65, vs. Notre Dame	9, vs. Buffalo
Turnovers	4, at Illinois	2, Mich, FIU & Buffalo
Interceptions By	2, at Illinois	0, vs. Iowa & FIU

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes 44, Mike Hart, Michigan (PSU opponent record)
 Yards Rushing 153, Mike Hart, Michigan
 TD Rushes 1, four players, last R. Mendenhall at Illinois
 Long Rush 53, Eddie McGee at Illinois
 Pass attempts 39, Drew Willy, Buffalo
 Pass completions 29, Drew Willy, Buffalo
 Yards Passing 330, Drew Willy, Buffalo
 TD Passes 1, three times, last Christensen, Iowa
 Long Pass 38, Drew Willy, Buffalo
 Receptions 7, Naam Roosevelt, Buffalo
 Yards Receiving 114, Naam Roosevelt, Buffalo
 TD Receptions 1, three players, last Trey Stross, Iowa
 Long Reception 38, Jesse Rack, Buffalo
 Field Goals 1, B. Walker, Notre Dame/A.J. Principe, Buffalo
 Long Field Goal 47, Jason Reda at Illinois
 Punts 11, Ryan Donahue, Iowa & Chris Cook, FIU
 Punting Avg. 45.2, Ryan Donahue, Iowa
 Long Punt ... 57, Ryan Donahue, Iowa & Geoff Price, Notre Dame
 Long Punt Return 47, Tom Zbikowski, Notre Dame
 Long Kickoff Return 90 (TD), A. Benn at Illinois
 Tackles 12, Mike Humpal, Iowa
 Sacks 1.5, B. Graham, at Michigan
 Tackles For Loss ... 2, King, Iowa; Crable & Graham, at Michigan
 Interceptions 1, six players, last Godfrey, Iowa

OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

CATEGORY	HIGH	LOW
Rushes	56, Michigan	26, Notre Dame
Yards Rushing	216, at Illinois	minus-3, FIU
Yards Per Rush	5.7, at Illinois	minus-0.1, FIU
TD Rushes	2, Michigan	0 vs, FIU, ND & IA
Pass attempts	41, Buffalo	26, FIU
Pass completions	29, Buffalo	11, at Illinois
Yards Passing	339, Buffalo	117, FIU
Yards Per Pass	8.3, Buffalo	4.4, at Illinois
TD Passes	2, Buffalo	0, Mich, ND & FIU
Total Plays	86, Michigan	57, Iowa & FIU
Total Offense	395, Buffalo	114, FIU
Yards Per Play	5.2, Illinois & Buffalo	2.0, FIU
Points	27, at Illinois	0, FIU
Sacks By	4, at Illinois	1, Buffalo
First Downs	25, Michigan	7, FIU
Penalties	14, Notre Dame	1, Mich & Buffalo
Penalty Yards	97, Notre Dame	8, Buffalo
Turnovers	5, FIU	1, Notre Dame
Interceptions By	3, at Illinois	0, Mich, FIU & Buffalo

SCORING DRIVES

Plays . Yards . Time . Result . Qtr . Score

FIU (9)

6	44	2:46	TD	1st	Morelli to Golden 4-yard pass
3	20	1:26	TD	1st	Morelli to Shuler 17-yard pass
9	58	3:16	FG	2nd	Kevin Kelly 45-yard field goal
8	54	2:19	TD	2nd	Austin Scott 1-yard run
3	25	0:42	TD	3rd	Austin Scott 8-yard run
5	60	1:09	TD	3rd	Rodney Kinlaw 15-yard run
3	29	0:58	TD	3rd	Morelli to Hahn 1-yard pass
4	37	2:00	TD	3rd	Evan Royster 13-yard run
1	16	0:05	TD	4th	Dan Lawlor 16-yard run

NOTRE DAME (4)

6	51	2:17	TD	2nd	Morelli to Norwood 10-yard pass
4	7	1:36	FG	3rd	Kevin Kelly 37-yard field goal
7	65	3:22	TD	3rd	Austin Scott 1-yard run
10	62	5:12	TD	4th	Austin Scott 5-yard run

BUFFALO (7)

9	29	3:37	FG	2nd	Kevin Kelly 27-yard field goal
11	67	2:28	TD	2nd	Morelli to Quarless 21-yard pass
4	18	1:06	TD	2nd	Morelli to Norwood 5-yard pass
5	49	2:11	TD	3rd	Morelli to Golden 27-yard pass
5	63	2:30	TD	3rd	Morelli to Quarless 4-yard pass
9	61	3:40	TD	4th	Rodney Kinlaw 6-yard run
5	44	2:39	TD	4th	Austin Scott 40-yard run

MICHIGAN (3)

11	69	5:25	FG	2nd	Kevin Kelly 28-yard field goal
8	23	3:24	FG	3rd	Kevin Kelly 29-yard field goal
9	66	2:48	FG	4th	Kevin Kelly 31-yard field goal

ILLINOIS (4)

11	73	5:27	FG	1st	Kevin Kelly 26-yard field goal
3	73	1:21	TD	1st	Morelli to Williams 24-yard pass
4	63	1:40	TD	2nd	Austin Scott 7-yard run
8	37	4:14	FG	3rd	Kevin Kelly 20-yard field goal

IOWA (5)

9	27	4:10	FG	2nd	Kevin Kelly 24-yard field goal
8	80	2:54	TD	2nd	Morelli to Williams 24-yard pass
5	44	0:31	FG	2nd	Kevin Kelly 53-yard field goal
11	81	5:03	TD	3rd	Rodney Kinlaw 12-yard run
5	34	2:08	TD	4th	Rodney Kinlaw 23-yard run

TOTAL (32) - 22 TOUCHDOWNS, 10 FIELD GOALS

LONGEST SCORING DRIVES

PENN STATE

By No. of Plays	11 (81, 5:03, TD) vs Iowa
	11 (73, 5:27, FG) at Illinois
	11 (67 yards, 2:28, TD) vs Buffalo
	11 (69 yards, 5:25, FG) at Michigan
By No. of Yards	81 (11 plays, 5:03, TD) vs Iowa
By Time of Possession	5:27 (73 yards, 11 plays, 5:27 FG) at Illinois

OPPONENT

By No. of Plays	15 (77 yards, 6:31, TD) at Michigan
By No. of Yards	86 (8 plays, 1:40, TD) vs Iowa
By Time of Possession	6:31 (15 plays, 77 yards) at Michigan

TURNOVER CHART

PENN STATE - 12 Gained

How Obtained	Qtr	Player	Plays/Yards	1st Downs	Conclusion
FIU (5)					
Fumble	1st	J. King by Singleton	3/0 yds	0	Punt
Fumble	1st	Connor by Ellis	3/20 yds	1	TD
Fumble	1st	Taylor by Younger	4/0 yds	0	Missed FG
Fumble	3rd	Bowman by Singleton	3/25 yds	1	TD
Fumble	3rd	Carter by Singleton	1/16 yds	1	TD
NOTRE DAME (1)					
Interception	4th	J. King of Clausen	3/4 yds	0	Punt
BUFFALO (2)					
Fumble	2nd	Sciroto to Hamlin	4/18 yds	1	TD
Interception	3rd	Sciroto of Willy	4/(-4)	0	Missed FG
MICHIGAN (2)					
Interception	2nd	Sargeant of Mallett	1/(-2)	0	End of half
Fumble	3rd	Wallace/by Mallett	8/23	2	FG
ILLINOIS (2)					
Interception	2nd	King of Williams	6/34	2	Fumble
Interception	3rd	Davis of Williams	8/37	2	FG
IOWA (0)					

OPPONENTS - 16 Gained

How Obtained	Qtr	Player	Plays/Yards	1st Downs	Conclusion
FIU (2)					
Fumble	1st	by Kinlaw/Rec: Dominguez	4/(-5) yds	0	Punt
Fumble	4th	by Pinchek/Rec: Dominguez	3/(-9) yds	0	Punt
NOTRE DAME (3)					
Interception	1st	of Morelli/by Walls			TD
Fumble	1st	by Scott/Rec: Brockington	3/(-9) yds	0	Punt
Fumble	2nd	by Morelli/Rec: Laws	2/12 yds	0	End of half
BUFFALO (2)					
Fumble	1st	by Scott/Rec: Hawkins	4/6 yds	0	FG
Fumble	1st	by Scott/Rec: Scott	3/5 yds	0	Punt
MICHIGAN (2)					
Fumble	1st	by Morelli/rec: C. Graham	2/10	0	TD
Fumble	3rd	by Scott/rec: B. Graham	6/26	2	Fumble
ILLINOIS (4)					
Fumble	2nd	by Kinlaw/rec: Mitchell	2/39	1	TD
Interception	3rd	of Morelli/by Lehman	5/19	1	Punt
Interception	4th	of Morelli/by Davis	9/66	2	FG
Interception	4th	of Morelli/by Mitchell	1/(-2)	0	Game
IOWA (3)					
Fumble	1st	by Kinlaw/rec: Shada	5/15	1	Punt
Interception	4th	of Morelli/by Greenwood	8/86	3	TD
Interception	4th	of Morelli/by Godfrey	3/2	0	Punt

INDIVIDUAL OFFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

RUSHING (ATT.-YARDS-TD)

Player	FIU	ND	BUF	MICH	ILL	IOWA	WIS	IND	OSU	PUR	TEMPLE	MSU	TOTAL
Rodney Kinlaw	8-66	9-49-0	23-129-1	12-69-0	16-66	28-168-2							96-547-4
Austin Scott	11-46-2	28-116-2	9-60-1	9-35-0	12-52	DNP							69-302-5
Evan Royster	8-70-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-1-0	0-0-0	16-86-0							25-157-1
Matt Hahn	0-0-0	4-22-0	2-10-0	1-1-0	0-0-0								7-33-0
Nick Pinchek	6-33-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP								6-33-0
Dan Lawlor	5-27-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP								5-27-1
Derrick Williams	1-(-2)-0	0-0-0	1-2-0	1-6-0	2-20	1-11-0							6-37-0
Jordan Norwood	1-4-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-5-0							2-9-0
Larry Federoff	2-2-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0								2-2-0
Daryll Clark	1-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP								1-0-0
Deon Butler	0-0-0	1-(-11)-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0								1-(-11)-0
Anthony Morelli	5-(-10)-0	3-(-11)-0	3-(-2)-0	4-(-9)-0	6-(-9)	3-(-13)-0							24-(-54)-0

PASSING (ATT.-COMPLETIONS-YARDS-TD-INT)

Player	FIU	ND	BUF	MICH	ILL	IOWA	WIS	IND	OSU	PUR	TEMPLE	MSU	TOTAL
A. Morelli	38-23-295-3-0	22-12-131-1-1	27-20-202-4-0	31-15-169-0-0	38-21-298-1-3	31-18-233-1-2							187-109-1328-10-6
D. Clark	2-2-18-0-0	DNP	0-0	DNP	DNP								2-2-18-0-0
P.Devlin	0-1-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP								

RECEIVING (CATCHES-YARDS-TD)

Player	FIU	ND	BUF	MICH	ILL	IOWA	WIS	IND	OSU	PUR	TEMPLE	MSU	TOTAL
Deon Butler	3-66-0	1-16-0	5-72-0	3-30-0	4-48	3-55-0							19-287-0
Jordan Norwood	5-92-0	3-20-1	4-29-1	3-30-0	3-89	3-44-0							21-304-2
Derrick Williams	4-31-0	2-14-0	5-16-0	3-26-0	5-79-1	3-44-1							22-210-2
Chris Bell	1-8-0	1-51-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-37								3-96-0
Terrell Golden	2-9-1	2-15-0	1-27-1	1-24-0	1-10	3-15-0							10-100-2
Andrew Quarless	DNP	DNP	2-25-2	2-33-0	2-25	3-48-0							9-131-2
Rodney Kinlaw	3-34-0	0-0-0	1-18-0	1-2-0	2-6								7-60-0
Mickey Shuler	4-54-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0								4-54-1
Matt Hahn	1-1-1	2-16-0	2-15-0	1-11-0	3-4								9-47-1
Evan Royster						2-11-0							2-11-0
Brett Brackett						1-16-0							1-16-0
James McDonald	1-10-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	DNP								1-10-0
Graham Zug	1-8-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0								1-8-0

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OFFENSE

Opp.	Series	Result	Pct.
FIU	9 of 9	8 TD, 1 FG	100.0
ND	4 of 4	3 TD, 1 FG	100.0
Buf	4 of 5	3 TD, 1 FG, 1 MFG	80.0
Mich	3 of 4	3 FG, Fumble	75.0
ILL	3 of 6	2 FG, TD, 2 INT, Downs	50.0
Iowa	2 of 2	TD, FG	100.0
2007	25 of 30	16 TD, 9 FG	83.3

DEFENSE

Opp.	Series	Result	Pct.
FIU	0 of 1	MFG	.000
ND	1 of 2	FG, Inf.	50.0
Buf	4 of 4	3 TD, 1 FG	100.0
Mich	2 of 4	2 TD, MFG, Game	50.0
ILL	2 of 2	TD, FG	100.0
Iowa	1 of 1	TD	100.0
2007	10 of 14	7 TD, 3 FG	71.4

KICKOFFS

YEAR

Player	KO	TB	Ret.	-Avg.	Avg. Start
Kelly	38	7	31	26.0	27.3

GAME-BY-GAME

FIU	10	0	10-22.8
ND	6	2	4-25.2
Buf	8	2	6-22.6
Mich	4	1	3-23.6
ILL	5	2	3-44.3 (TD)
Iowa	5	0	5-28.4

INDIVIDUAL DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

Player	Tack. (Solo-Asst.)											Tack. (Solo-Asst.)	
	FIU	ND	Buffalo	MICH	ILL	IOWA	WIS	IND	OSU	PUR	TEMPLE	MSU	TOTAL
Sean Lee	7 (7-0)	4 (2-2)	12 (5-7)	12 (5-7)	17 (7-10)	11 (3-8)							63 (29-34)
Dan Connor	5 (3-2)	12 (8-4)	12 (9-3)	9 (6-3)	11 (4-7)	9 (3-6)							58 (33-25)
Lydell Sargeant	5 (5-0)	4 (1-3)	2 (1-1)	10 (7-3)	7 (5-2)	3 (2-1)							31 (21-10)
Maurice Evans	2 (1-1)	3 (2-1)	3 (2-1)	9 (5-4)	3 (2-1)	4 (2-2)							24 (14-10)
Anthony Sciroto	2 (2-0)	5 (3-2)	3 (1-2)	6 (2-4)	5 (3-2)	2 (0-2)							23 (11-12)
Tyrell Sales	3 (1-2)	4 (3-1)	5 (3-2)	2 (1-1)	5 (0-5)	3 (1-2)							22 (9-13)
Chris Baker	2 (2-0)	2 (0-2)	2 (1-1)	3 (2-1)	6 (1-5)	4 (3-1)							19 (9-10)
Justin King	1 (1-0)	1 (1-0)	3 (3-0)	3 (3-0)	3 (1-2)	5 (5-0)							16 (14-2)
Jerome Hayes	1 (1-0)	2 (1-1)	3 (1-2)	6 (5-1)	1 (0-1)	3 (2-1)							16 (10-6)
Tony Davis	3 (2-1)	3 (3-0)	5 (3-2)	1 (0-1)	1 (0-1)	1 (1-0)							14 (10-4)
Jared Odrick	3 (3-0)	1 (1-0)	2 (1-1)	4 (2-2)	2 (0-2)	2 (0-2)							14 (7-7)
Josh Gaines	2 (1-1)	3 (0-3)	1 (1-0)	4 (3-1)	0-0	4 (1-3)							14 (6-8)
Ollie Ogbu	2 (1-1)	0-0	4 (1-3)	4 (3-1)	0-0	1 (0-1)							11 (5-6)
Josh Hull	3 (2-1)	0-0	3 (1-2)	1 (1-0)	2 (0-2)	2 (1-1)							11 (5-6)
Navorro Bowman	2 (2-0)	2 (1-1)	3 (0-3)	1 (0-1)	2 (0-2)								10 (3-7)
Mark Rubin	0-0	0-0	3 (3-0)	5 (3-2)	2 (0-2)								10 (6-4)
A.J. Wallace	1 (1-0)	1 (1-0)	3 (1-2)	2 (2-0)	1 (1-0)	1 (1-0)							9 (7-2)
Aaron Maybin	2 (2-0)	1 (1-0)	1 (0-1)	1 (0-1)	0-0	2 (2-0)							7 (5-2)
Dontey Brown	2 (2-0)	0-0	4 (2-2)	0-0	DNP								6 (4-2)
Phil Taylor	1 (1-0)	2 (2-0)	0-0	2 (2-0)	0-0								5 (5-0)
Knowledge Timmons	2 (2-0)	1 (0-1)	0-0	1 (1-0)	0-0								4 (3-1)
Cedric Jeffries	2 (1-1)	0-0	2 (1-1)	0-0	0-0								4 (2-2)
Brendan Perretta	0-0	0-0	3 (2-1)	0-0	1 (0-1)								4 (2-2)
Brett Brackett	1 (1-0)	1 (1-0)	0-0	1 (0-1)	0-0								3 (2-1)
Larry Federoff	1 (1-0)	1 (0-1)	0-0	1 (1-0)	0-0								3 (2-1)
Jason Ganter	2 (2-0)	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0								2 (2-0)
Devin Fentress	1 (1-0)	0-0	1 (1-0)	0-0	DNP								2 (2-0)
Bani Gbadyu	0-0	0-0	1 (0-1)	0-0	0-0								1 (0-1)
Tom Golaz	0-0	0-0	1 (0-1)	0-0	DNP								1 (0-1)
Chris Rogers	0-0	0-0	1 (0-1)	0-0	DNP								1 (0-1)
Jordan Norwood	0-0	0-0	0-0	1 (1-0)	0-0								1 (1-0)
Andrew Quarless						1 (1-0)							1 (1-0)

GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICAL LEADERS

Game	Rushing	Passing	Receiving Yards	Receptions	Tackles
FLORIDA INT.	Evan Royster (8-70)	Anthony Morelli (23-295)	Jordan Norwood (92)	Jordan Norwood (5)	Sean Lee (7)
NOTRE DAME	Austin Scott (28-116)	Anthony Morelli (12-131)	Chris Bell (51)	Jordan Norwood (3)	Dan Connor (12)
BUFFALO	Rodney Kinlaw (23-129)	Anthony Morelli (20-202)	Deon Butler (72)	D. Butler & D. Williams (5)	Dan Connor & Sean Lee (12)
at Michigan	Rodney Kinlaw (12-69)	Anthony Morelli (15-169)	Andrew Quarless (33)	Butler, Norwood, Williams (3)	Sean Lee (12)
at Illinois	Rodney Kinlaw (16-66)	Anthony Morelli (21-298)	Jordan Norwood (89)	Derrick Williams (5)	Sean Lee (17)
IOWA	Rodney Kinlaw (28-168)	Anthony Morelli (18-233)	Deon Butler (55)	Five with (3)	Sean Lee (11)

TEAM OFFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

Category	.FIU	.ND	.Buffalo	.MICH	.ILL	.IOWA	.WIS	.IND	.OSU	.PUR	.TEMPLE	.MSU	TOTAL
First Downs	27	19	22	14	18	26							126
Rush	12	10	13	5	6	14							60
Pass	15	6	9	8	12	11							61
Penalty	0	3	0	1	0	1							5
Rushing Atts	48	46	39	29	36	50							248
Net Rushing	236	164	191	101	129	256							1077
Avg. Per Rush	4.9	3.6	4.9	3.5	3.6	5.1							4.3
Net Passing	313	131	202	169	298	233							1346
Attempts	41	22	27	31	38	32							191
Completions	25	12	20	15	21	18							111
Interceptions	0	1	0	0	3	2							6
Total Plays	89	68	66	60	74	82							439
Total Net Yards	549	295	393	270	427	489							2423
Avg. Per Play	6.2	4.3	6.0	4.5	5.8	6.0							5.5
Fumbles/Lost	4/2	2/2	2/2	2/2	3/1	2-1							15-10
Penalties/Yards	5/50	7/65	2/9	3/18	4/20	5/42							26/340
Punts/Avg.	5/47.4	6/43.2	2/44.0	5/40.8	4/48.2	5/44.8							22/44.6
Time of Poss.	32:45	34:00	27:21	25:08	33:27	35:49							3:130
3rd Down Conv.	9/17	9/16	9/13	5/15	5/17	9/17							46/95
4th Down Conv.	1/1	0/0	0/0	1/2	1/2	0/0							3/5
Sacked/Yards Lost	2/17	2/18	1/4	2/6	4/20	2/15							24/160
Total Points	59	31	45	9	20	27							191
TDs Rushing	5	2	2	0	1	2							12
TDs Passing	3	1	4	0	1	1							10
TDs Return	0	1	0	0	0	0							1
TDs Other	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Safety	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Kick PATs/Atts.	9/9	4/4	6/6	0/0	2/2	3/3							23/23
2-point PAT/Atts.	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0							0/0
Field Goals/Atts.	1/2	1/1	1/2	3/3	2/3	2/3							10/14

TEAM DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME

Category	.FIU	.ND	.Buffalo	.MICH	.ILL	.IOWA	.WIS	.IND	.OSU	.PUR	.TEMPLE	.MSU	TOTAL
First Downs	7	9	20	25	17	8							86
Rush	2	2	6	11	9	3							33
Pass	4	5	13	13	7	4							46
Penalty	1	2	1	1	1	1							7
Rushing Atts	31	26	35	56	38	28							214
Net Rushing	(-3)	0	56	166	216	48							483
Avg. Per Rush	(-0.1)	0.0	1.6	3.0	5.7	1.7							2.3
Net Passing	117	144	339	170	120	146							1036
Attempts	26	32	41	30	27	29							185
Completions	12	17	29	16	11	16							101
Interceptions	0	1	1	1	2	0							5
Total Plays	57	58	76	86	65	57							399
Total Net Yards	114	144	395	336	336	194							1519
Avg. Per Play	2.0	2.5	5.2	3.9	5.2	3.4							3.8
Fumbles/Lost	6/5	3/0	2/1	1/1	1/0	1/0							14-7
Penalties/Yards	7/53	14/97	1/8	1/15	4/43	6/41							33/428
Punts/Avg.	12/38.0	10/44.8	5/40.6	6/37.0	6/33.3	11/45.2							50/40.5
Time of Poss.	24:38	26:00	32:39	34:52	26:33	23:38							2:803
3rd Down Conv.	1/15	2/16	6/17	10/18	6/15	3/16							28/97
4th Down Conv.	0/0	0/1	1/2	0/0	0/0	0/2							1/5
Sacks/Yards Lost	7/50	6/50	4/22	2/12	0/0	5/32							24/160
Points Allowed	0	10	24	14	27	7							82
TDs Rushing	0	0	1	2	1	1							5
TDs Passing	0	0	2	0	1	0							3
TDs Return	0	0	0	0	1	0							1
TDs Other	0	1	0	0	0	0							1
Safety	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Kick PATs/Atts.	0/0	1/1	3/3	2/2	3/3	1/1							10/10
2-point PAT/Atts.	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0							0/0
Field Goals/Atts.	0/1	1/2	1/2	0/1	2/2	0/0							4/8

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OFFENSE

Game	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	QB	TB	WR	WR
FIU	Golden	Cadogan	Ohmberger	Shipley	Shaw	Landolt	Norwood (1)	Morelli	Williams (1)	Butler (1)	Bell
Notre Dame	Golden	Cadogan	Ohmberger	Shipley	Shaw	Landolt	Norwood (1)	Morelli	Williams (1)	Butler (1)	Bell
Buffalo	Golden	Cadogan	Ohmberger	Shipley	Lucian	Landolt	Shuler	Morelli	Scott	Butler	Williams
Michigan	Norwood	Cadogan	Ohmberger	Shipley	Lucian	Landolt	Quarless	Morelli	Scott	Butler	Williams
Illinois	Hahn (2)	Cadogan	Ohmberger	Shipley	Lucian	Landolt	Quarless	Morelli	Kinlaw	Butler	Williams
Iowa	Golden	Cadogan	Lucian	Shipley	Ohmberger	Landolt	Shuler	Morelli	Kinlaw	Butler	Williams

Wisconsin
 Indiana
 Ohio State
 Purdue
 Temple
 Michigan St.
 (1) opened with five wide receivers
 (2) fullback

DEFENSE

Game	LE	LT	RT	RE	OLB	ILB	OLB	LCB	Safety	Hero	RCB
FIU	Gaines	Odrick	Ogbu	Evans	Sales	Connor	Lee	Sargeant	Davis	Scirrotto	King
Notre Dame	Gaines	Odrick	Ogbu	Evans	Sales	Connor	Lee	Sargeant	Davis	Scirrotto	King
Buffalo	Gaines	Odrick	Baker	Evans	Sales	Connor	Lee	Sargeant	Davis	Scirrotto	King
Michigan	Gaines	Odrick	Ogbu	Evans	Sales	Connor	Lee	Sargeant	Davis	Scirrotto	King
Illinois	Gaines	Odrick	Baker	Evans	Sales	Connor	Lee	Sargeant	Davis	Scirrotto	King
Iowa	Gaines	Odrick	Baker	Evans	Sales	Connor	Lee	Sargeant	Davis	Scirrotto	King

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Penn State Depth Chart

OFFENSE

Wide Receiver
 2 Derrick Williams (6-0, 189, Jr/Jr)
 19 Chris Bell (6-2, 213, So/So)
 5 Graham Zug (6-2, 182, So/Fr)

Left Tackle
 76 Gerald Cadogan (6-5, 309, Sr/Jr)
 75 Nerraw McCormack (6-5, 294, Jr/Jr)

Left Guard
 64 Rich Ohrnberger (6-2, 289, Sr/Jr)
 77 Lou Eliades (6-4, 304, So/Fr)

Center
 57 A.Q. Shipley (6-1, 293, Sr/Jr)
 60 *Patrick Weber (6-1, 277, Gr/Sr)

Right Guard
 50 Mike Lucian (6-2, 292, Sr/Jr)
 78 *John Shaw (6-4, 299, Sr/Sr)
 61 Stefan Wisniewski (6-3, 283, Fr/Fr)

Right Tackle
 73 Dennis Landolt (6-4, 300, Jr/So)
 63 Joe Toriello (6-4, 308, Sr/Jr)
 79 Ako Poti (6-3, 305, Jr/Jr)

Tight End
 10 Andrew Quarless (6-5, 250, So/So) OR
 82 Mickey Shuler (6-4, 250, Jr/So)
 89 Jordan Lyons (6-5, 241, Gr/Jr)
 81 Brennan Coakley (6-4, 255, Jr/So)
 16 Francis Claude (6-5, 262, Jr/So)

Quarterback
 14 Anthony Morelli (6-4, 231, Sr/Sr)
 17 Daryll Clark (6-2, 232, Jr/Jr)
 7 Pat Devlin (6-4, 217, So/Fr)
 15 Paul Cianciolo (6-4, 219, Gr/Jr)

Running Back
 20 *Rodney Kinlaw (5-9, 199, Gr/Sr) - TB
 22 Evan Royster (6-1, 211, So/Fr) - TB
 33 *Austin Scott (6-0, 212, Sr/Sr) - TB
 34 Matt Hahn (6-0, 235, Sr/Sr) - FB
 38 Dan Lawlor (6-2, 239, Sr/Jr) - FB

Wide Receiver
 3 Deon Butler (5-10, 170, Sr/Jr)
 83 Brett Brackett (6-6, 243, So/Fr)
 8 James McDonald (6-2, 202, Jr/So)

Wide Receiver
 24 Jordan Norwood (5-10, 164, Jr/Jr)
 4 *Terrell Golden (6-3, 212, Gr/Sr)

DEFENSE

Left End
 47 Josh Gaines (6-1, 265, Sr/Jr)
 5 Jerome Hayes (6-2, 236, Jr/So)

Left Tackle
 91 Jared Odrick (6-5, 295, So/So)
 90 Phil Taylor (6-4, 335, So/So)
 55 Tom McEowen (6-4, 286, So/Fr)
 87 Chris Rogers (6-2, 262, Sr/Jr)

Right Tackle
 93 Chris Baker (6-2, 298, Jr/So)
 85 Ollie Ogbu (6-1, 287, So/Fr)
 97 Abe Koroma (6-3, 312, So/Fr)

Right End
 48 Maurice Evans (6-2, 257, So/So)
 59 Aaron Maybin (6-4, 251, So/Fr)
 94 Tom Golarz (6-1, 248, Jr/So)

Outside Linebacker
 46 Tyrell Sales (6-2, 236, Sr/Jr)
 18 Navorro Bowman (6-1, 230, So/Fr) OR
 15 Bani Gbadyu (6-0, 214, So/Fr)

Inside Linebacker
 40 Dan Connor (6-3, 237, Sr/Sr)
 43 Josh Hull (6-2, 233, Jr/So) OR
 52 Dontey Brown (6-2, 238, Sr/Jr)

Outside Linebacker
 45 Sean Lee (6-2, 232, Jr/Jr)
 43 Josh Hull (6-2, 233, Jr/So)

Left Cornerback
 10 Lydell Sargeant (5-10, 190, Jr/Jr)
 12 A.J. Wallace (6-1, 193, So/So)
 20 Devin Fentress (5-10, 182, Jr/So)

Free Safety
 11 Tony Davis (5-10, 197, Sr/Jr)
 9 Mark Rubin (6-2, 224, Sr/Jr)
 29 Cedric Jeffries (6-2, 210, So/Fr)
 26 Nick Sukay (6-1, 198, Fr/Fr)

Hero
 7 Anthony Scirrotto (6-0, 195, Jr/Jr)
 42 *Jason Ganter (6-0, 201, Sr/Sr)
 32 Brent Carter (6-2, 213, So/Fr)

Right Cornerback
 1 Justin King (6-0, 186, Jr/Jr)
 25 *Brendan Perretta (5-7, 182, Sr/Sr)
 21 Knowledge Timmons (5-10, 183, Jr/So)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Punter
 41 Jeremy Boone (5-9, 169, Jr/So)
 49 Ryan Breen (6-2, 224, Fr/Fr)

Kicker
 23 Kevin Kelly (5-7, 163, Jr/Jr)
 36 Collin Wagner (5-9, 165, So/Fr)

Holder
 41 Jeremy Boone (5-9, 169, Jr/So)
 42 *Jason Ganter (6-0, 201, Sr/Sr)
 13 Kevin Suhey (6-1, 200, Jr/So)

Kick Snapper
 57 Chris Mauriello (6-1, 238, Sr/Sr) (Punts)
 60 *Patrick Weber (6-1, 277, Gr/Sr) (PAT/FG)

Kickoff Returners
 12 A.J. Wallace (6-1, 193, So/So)
 2 Derrick Williams (6-0, 189, Jr/Jr)
 20 *Rodney Kinlaw (5-9, 199, Gr/Sr)

Punt Returners
 2 Derrick Williams (6-0, 189, Jr/Jr)
 7 Anthony Scirrotto (6-0, 195, Jr/Jr)
 25 *Brendan Perretta (5-7, 182, Sr/Sr)

* Fifth-year senior

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22	Ahrenhold, Tyler	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-0	169	Chestnut Hill Academy/Richard Knox	Blue Bell, Pa.
35	Alfreno, Jesse	WR	So./Fr.	5-11	194	Grove City/Jeff Bell	Grove City, Pa.
28	Astorino, Drew	DB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	179	General McLane/Jim Wells	Edinboro, Pa.
93	Baker, Chris	DT	Jr./So.	6-2	298	Windsor/Mark Welch	Windsor, Conn.
67	Barham, Quinn	OL	Fr./Fr.	6-3	292	Hillside/Ray Harrison	Durham, N.C.
19	Bell, Chris*	WR	So./So.	6-2	213	Granby/Dave Hudak	Norfolk, Va.
41	Boone, Jeremy	P	Jr./So.	5-9	169	Mechanicsburg Area/Rich Lichtel	Mechanicsburg, Pa.
18	Bowman, Navorro	LB	So./Fr.	6-1	230	Suitland/Nick Lynch	District Heights, Md.
83	Brackett, Brett	WR	So./Fr.	6-6	243	Lawrence/Rob Radice	Lawrenceville, N.J.
49	Breen, Ryan	P	Fr./Fr.	6-2	224	Clarkston/Kurt Richardson	Clarkston, Mich.
52	Brown, Dontey*	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-2	238	McKeesport Area/George Smith	McKeesport, Pa.
3	Butler, Deon**	WR	Sr./Jr.	5-10	170	C.D. Hylton/Lou Sorrentino	Woodbridge, Va.
76	Cadogan, Gerald*	T	Sr./Jr.	6-5	309	Portsmouth/Curt Clifford	Portsmouth, Ohio
32	Carter, Brent	Saf	So./Fr.	6-2	213	Pottsgrove/Rick Pennypacker	Pottstown, Pa.
15	Cianciolo, Paul	QB	Gr./Jr.	6-4	219	Fort Dorchester/Steve LePrad	Charleston, S.C.
17	Clark, Daryll*	QB	Jr./Jr.	6-2	232	Ursuline/Dan Murphy	Youngstown, Ohio
16	Claude, Francis	TE	Jr./So.	6-5	262	Champlain Prep/Sebastien Briere	Laval, Quebec
81	Coakley, Brennan	TE	Jr./So.	6-4	255	Newton/Ken Roberts	Newtown, Conn.
53	Colasanti, Chris	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-2	224	Brother Rice/Albert Fracassa	Leonard, Mich.
40	Connor, Dan***	LB	Sr./Sr.	6-3	237	Strath Haven/Kevin Clancy	Wallingford, Pa.
9	Cousins, Kevin	WR	Jr./So.	6-3	211	Huguenot/Richard McFee	Richmond, Va.
13	Dailey, Andrew	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-2	221	Washington/Tom Stacy	Massillon, Ohio
11	Davis, Tony**	Saf	Sr./Jr.	5-10	197	Howland/Richard Angle	Warren, Ohio
7	Devlin, Pat	QB	So./Fr.	6-4	217	Downingtown East/Michael Matta	Downingtown, Pa.
88	Ditto, Jon	TE	Fr./Fr.	6-3	233	Gateway/Terry Smith	Monroeville, Pa.
77	Eliades, Lou	G	So./Fr.	6-4	304	Ocean Township/Sal Spompanato	Ocean, N.J.
48	Evans, Maurice*	DE	So./So.	6-2	257	Christ The King/Kevin Kelly	Brooklyn, N.Y.
44	Federoff, Larry	FB	Jr./So.	5-11	237	Hopewell/Dave Vestal	Aliquippa, Pa.
20	Fentress, Devin	CB	Jr./So.	5-10	182	Western Branch/Lew Johnston	Chesapeake, Va.
47	Gaines, Josh**	DE	Sr./Jr.	6-1	265	Northrop/Matt Stinson	Ft. Wayne, Ind.
42	Ganter, Jason*	Saf	Sr./Sr.	6-0	201	State College Area/Dave Lintal	State College, Pa.
15	Gbadyu, Bani	LB	So./Fr.	6-0	214	Quince Orchard/Dave Mencarini	Gaithersburg, Md.
49	Gmerek, Ryan	WR	So./Fr.	5-8	180	Moshannon Valley/Howie Camberg	Houtzdale, Pa.
94	Golarz, Tom	DE	Jr./So.	6-1	248	North/John Slinkard	Bloomington, Ind.
4	Golden, Terrell***	WR	Gr./Sr.	6-3	212	Lake Taylor/Hank Sawyer	Norfolk, Va.
25	Green, Stephfon	RB	Fr./Fr.	5-10	185	John F. Kennedy/Alex Vega	Bronx, N.Y.
34	Hahn, Matt***	RB	Sr./Sr.	6-0	235	St. Anthony's/Rich Reichart	Dix Hills, N.Y.
6	Harriott, Willie	CB	Jr./So.	5-8	175	Hyde Leadership/John Acquavita	New Haven, Conn.
5	Hayes, Jerome*	LB	Jr./So.	6-2	236	Bayonne/Rick Rodriguez	Bayonne, N.J.
54	Hill, Jed	DT	Sr./Jr.	6-2	263	Struthers/Gary Zetts	Struthers, Ohio
56	Hinton, Austin	T	Sr./Jr.	6-2	284	Secaucus/Charlie Voorhees	Secaucus, N.J.
96	Hughes, Joe	PK	Sr./Jr.	5-10	172	Downingtown East/Michael Matta	Downingtown, Pa.
43	Hull, Josh*	LB	Jr./So.	6-2	233	Penns Valley/Martin Tobias	Millheim, Pa.
29	Jeffries, Cedric	Saf	So./Fr.	6-2	210	Egg Harbor Twp./Tony DeRosa	Egg Harbor Township, N.J.
23	Kelly, Kevin**	PK	Jr./Jr.	5-7	163	Neshaminy/Mark Schmidt	Langhorne, Pa.
1	King, Justin**	CB	Jr./Jr.	6-0	186	Gateway/Terry Smith	Pittsburgh, Pa.
20	Kinlaw, Rodney*	TB	Gr./Sr.	5-9	199	Stratford/Ray Stackley	Goose Creek, S.C.
68	Klopacz, Doug	C	So./Fr.	6-3	279	St. Joseph Regional/Tony Karcich	Hasbrouck Heights, N.J.
97	Koroma, Abe	DT	So./Fr.	6-3	312	Milton Hershey/Bob Guyer	Hershey, Pa.
73	Landolt, Dennis	T	Jr./So.	6-4	300	Holy Cross/Jerry McConnell	Burlington, N.J.
44	Latham, Kevion	DL	Fr./Fr.	6-2	236	Page/Kevin Gillespie	Greensboro, N.C.
56	Latimore, Eric	DE	Fr./Fr.	6-6	253	Middletown/Mark Delpercio	Middletown, Del.
38	Lawlor, Dan	FB	Sr./Jr.	6-2	239	Cumberland Valley/Tim Rimpfel	Mechanicsburg, Pa.
45	Lee, Sean**	LB	Jr./Jr.	6-2	232	Upper St. Clair/Jim Render	Pittsburgh, Pa.
50	Lucian, Mike	G	Sr./Jr.	6-2	292	Linganore/Rick Conner	New Market, Md.
89	Lyons, Jordan	TE	Gr./Jr.	6-5	241	Woodward Academy/Dale Wiggins	Atlanta, Ga.
66	Marks, Josh	OL	Fr./Fr.	6-4	308	Southern Columbia/Jim Roth	Catawissa, Pa.
30	Matzkin, Josh	LB	So./Fr.	6-0	213	Berkeley Prep/ Frank Sullivan	Tampa, Fla.
57	Mauriello, Chris	LB	Sr./Sr.	6-1	238	Ridge View (S.C.)/Kirk Burnett	Lansdale, Pa.
18	Mauti, Patrick	WR	Jr./So.	5-9	190	Mandeville/Guy LeCompte	Mandeville, La.
59	Maybin, Aaron	DE	So./Fr.	6-4	251	Mount Hebron/Larry Luthe	Ellicott City, Md.
75	McCormack, Nerraw	T	Jr./Jr.	6-5	294	Nassau CC/John Anselmo	Bronx, N.Y.
16	McCullough, Shelton	DB	So./Fr.	6-0	181	Randallstown/Albert Howard	Randallstown, Md.
8	McDonald, James	WR	Jr./So.	6-2	202	Dunbar SAS/Craig Jeffries	Washington, D.C.
55	McEowen, Tom	DT	So./Fr.	6-4	286	Neshaminy/Mark Schmidt	Feasterville, Pa.

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14	Morelli, Anthony**	QB	Sr./Sr.	6-4	231	Penn Hills/Neil Gordon	Pittsburgh, Pa.
6	Moye, Derek	WR	Fr./Fr.	6-5	194	Rochester/Gene Matsook	Rochester, Pa.
62	Muir, Ross	G	Sr./Jr.	6-3	292	Noblesville/Craig Barr	Noblesville, Ind.
24	Norwood, Jordan**	WR	Jr./Jr.	5-10	164	State College Area/Dave Lintal	State College, Pa.
91	Odrick, Jared*	DT	So./So.	6-5	295	Lebanon/Bill Giovino	Lebanon, Pa.
85	Ogbu, Ollie	DT	So./Fr.	6-1	287	Milford Academy/William Chaplick	Staten Island, N.Y.
64	Ohmberger, Rich*	G	Sr./Jr.	6-2	289	East Meadow/Vincent Mascia	East Meadow, N.Y.
99	Okoli, Chimaeze	DL	Fr./Fr.	6-4	270	Salem/Robert Jackson	Virginia Beach, Va.
25	Perretta, Brendan*	CB	Sr./Sr.	5-7	182	Altoona Area/Phil Riccio	Altoona, Pa.
39	Pinchek, Nick	RB	Sr./Sr.	6-0	205	Parkland/Rob Melosky	Coplay, Pa.
79	Poti, Ako	T	Jr./Jr.	6-3	305	City College of San Francisco/George Rush	Daly City, Calif.
27	Powell, Chaz	DB	Fr./Fr.	6-0	186	Susquehannock/Tom Waranavage	New Freedom, Pa.
10	Quarless, Andrew*	TE	So./So.	6-5	250	Uniondale/Greg Didio	Uniondale, N.Y.
87	Rogers, Chris	DE	Sr./Jr.	6-2	262	North Allegheny/Art Walker	Wexford, Pa.
22	Royster, Evan	TB	So./Fr.	6-1	211	Westfield/Tom Verbanic	Fairfax, Va.
9	Rubin, Mark*	Saf	Sr./Jr.	6-2	224	Amherst/Rob Gross	Amherst, N.Y.
46	Sales, Tyrell**	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-2	236	Butler/Gary Cathell	Butler, Pa.
10	Sargeant, Lydell**	CB	Jr./Jr.	5-10	190	Cabrillo/Don Cross	Lompoc, Calif.
7	Sciroto, Anthony**	Saf	Jr./Jr.	6-0	195	West Deptford/Clyde Folsom	West Deptford, N.J.
33	Scott, Austin***	TB	Sr./Sr.	6-0	212	Parkland/Rob Melosky	Allentown, Pa.
78	Shaw, John*	T	Sr./Sr.	6-4	299	Spring Grove/Greg Trone	Spring Grove, Pa.
57	Shipley, A.Q.**	C	Sr./Jr.	6-1	293	Moon Area/Mark Capuano	Coraopolis, Pa.
82	Shuler, Mickey	TE	Jr./So.	6-4	250	East Pennsboro/Todd Stuter	Enola, Pa.
71	Still, Devon	DL	Fr./Fr.	6-5	281	Howard/Dan Ritter	Wilmington, Del.
72	Stout, Kyle	T	So./Fr.	6-5	286	Ashland/Scott Valentine	Ashland, Ohio
34	Stupar, Nathan	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-1	218	State College Area/Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
13	Suhey, Kevin*	QB	Jr./So.	6-1	200	State College Area/Dave Lintal	State College, Pa.
37	Suhey, Joe	TB	Fr./Fr.	6-1	209	Loyola Academy/John Holecek	Deerfield, Ill.
26	Sukay, Nick	Saf	Fr./Fr.	6-1	198	Greensburg Central Catholic/William Colosimo	Mt. Pleasant, Pa.
80	Szczerba, Andrew	TE	Fr./Fr.	6-6	251	Salesianum/Bill DiNardo	Wilmington, Del.
90	Taylor, Phillip	DT	So./So.	6-4	335	Gwynn Park Senior/Dan Hayes	Clinton, Md.
51	Thompson, Shaine	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-0	201	John F. Kennedy/ Alex Vega	Bronx, N.Y.
21	Timmons, Knowledge*	CB	Jr./So.	5-10	183	William Penn/Matt Ortega	York, Pa.
63	Toriello, Joe	T	Sr./Jr.	6-4	308	Upper Darby/Richard Gentile	Lansdowne, Pa.
74	Troutman, Johnnie	T	Fr./Fr.	6-4	314	Pemberton Township High/Hohn Rosnick	Brown Mills, N.J.
36	Wagner, Collin	K	So./Fr.	5-9	165	State College Area/Al Wolski	State College, Pa.
12	Wallace, A.J.*	CB	So./So.	6-1	193	McDonough/David Bradshaw	Waldorf, Md.
65	Walton, J.B.	G	Fr./Fr.	6-3	280	Lackey/Douglas Lamb	Indian Head, Md.
60	Weber, Patrick	C	Gr./Sr.	6-1	277	Valley/Ray White	Arnold, Pa.
2	Williams, Derrick**	WR	Jr./Jr.	6-0	189	Eleanor Roosevelt/Rick Houchens	Greenbelt, Md.
61	Wisniewski, Stefen	OL	Fr./Fr.	6-3	283	Pittsburgh Central Catholic/Terry Trotten	Bridgeville, Pa.
84	Woodward, Ben	WR	So./Fr.	5-9	171	State College Area/Dave Lintal	State College, Pa.
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87	Miskinis, Greg	TE	Sr./Jr.	6-5	250	Indian Valley/Gawen Stoker	Lewistown, Pa.
87	Rogers, Chris	DE	Sr./Jr.	6-2	262	North Allegheny/Art Walker	Wexford, Pa.
88	Ditto, Jon	TE	Fr./Fr.	6-3	233	Gateway/Terry Smith	Monroeville, Pa.
89	Lyons, Jordan	TE	Gr./Jr.	6-5	241	Woodward Academy/Dale Wiggins	Atlanta, Ga.
90	Taylor, Phillip	DT	So./So.	6-4	335	Gwynn Park Senior/Dan Hayes	Clinton, Md.
91	Odrick, Jared*	DT	So./So.	6-5	295	Lebanon/Bill Giovino	Lebanon, Pa.
93	Baker, Chris	DT	Jr./So.	6-2	298	Windsor/Mark Welch	Windsor, Conn.
94	Golarz, Tom	DE	Jr./So.	6-1	248	North/John Slinkard	Bloomington, Ind.
96	Hughes, Joe	PK	Sr./Jr.	5-10	172	Downingtown East/Michael Matta	Downingtown, Pa.
97	Koroma, Abe	DT	So./Fr.	6-3	312	Milton Hershey/Bob Guyer	Hershey, Pa.
99	Okoli, Chimaeze	DL	Fr./Fr.	6-4	270	Salem/Robert Jackson	Virginia Beach, Va.

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