

GAME NOTES



# 2010 USC TROJANS FOOTBALL

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## 2010 SCHEDULE (7-4)

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
Sept. 2	at Hawaii	W 49-36
Sept. 11	Virginia	W 17-14
Sept. 18	at Minnesota	W 32-21
Sept. 25	at Washington State	W 50-16
Oct. 2	Washington	L 31-32
Oct. 9	at Stanford	L 35-37
Oct. 16	California	W 48-14
Oct. 30	Oregon	L 32-53
Nov. 6	Arizona State	W 34-33
Nov. 13	at Arizona	W 24-21
Nov. 20	at Oregon State	L 7-36
Nov. 27	Notre Dame	5 p.m. (ABC)
Dec. 4	at UCLA	7:30 p.m. (FSN)

## PAC-10 STANDINGS

	PAC-10		OVERALL	
	W	L	W	L
ORE	7	0	10	0
STAN	7	1	10	1
ARIZ	4	3	7	3
OSU	4	3	5	5
USC	4	4	7	4
WASH	3	4	4	6
CAL	3	5	5	6
ASU	2	5	4	6
UCLA	2	5	4	6
WSU	1	7	2	9

## AP POLL

1. Oregon	1. Oregon
2. Auburn	2. Auburn
3. Boise State	3. Boise State
4. TCU	4. TCU
5. Wisconsin	5. Wisconsin
6. LSU	6. LSU
7. Stanford	7. Ohio State
8. Ohio State	8. Stanford
9. Alabama	9. Oklahoma State
10. Oklahoma State	10. Michigan State
11. Michigan State	11. Alabama
12. Arkansas	12. Arkansas
13. Virginia Tech	13. Oklahoma
14. Oklahoma	14. Virginia Tech
15. Missouri	15. Nebraska
16. Nebraska	16. Missouri
17. Texas A&M	17. South Carolina
18. South Carolina	18. Texas A&M
19. Nevada	19. Nevada
20. Arizona	20. Arizona
21. North Carolina State	21. Florida State
22. Florida State	22. Utah
23. Utah	23. North Carolina State
24. Iowa	24. Iowa
25. Mississippi State	25. Mississippi State

## USA TODAY POLL

## FACTS

USC (7-4 overall, 4-4 Pac-10) vs. Notre Dame (6-5 overall), Saturday, Nov. 27, 5 p.m. PST, Los Angeles Coliseum

## THEMES

USC hosts Notre Dame in the 82<sup>nd</sup> rendition of the greatest intersectional rivalry in college football. Troy has won its last 8 games against the Fighting Irish, including the last 4 in Los Angeles (and 6 of the past 7 here). USC also has won its last 19 non-conference games, 1 shy of the school record, as well as its past 15 non-league home games. The last time neither team was ranked going into the game was 2001 (that also was the last time USC lost to ND) and it's only the ninth time ever. This is the first time since the 1941 game that both USC (with **Lane Kiffin**) and Notre Dame (with **Brian Kelly**) feature new head coaches. The game is a battle between schools with perhaps the country's most glorious gridiron heritages. The winner gets year-long possession of the Shillelagh. This is USC's ninth night game of 2010, a school record. It's the final home game for USC's seniors. The visitors from South Bend will see a familiar face in the Coliseum: new USC A.D. **Pat Haden**, a Trojan hero in the 1974 game who did color on Notre Dame telecasts the past 12 years. USC, playing one of the nation's toughest schedules, is smarting after a blowout loss at Oregon State last weekend. The Trojans lost 4 starters to injury in that game (their status this week is uncertain), including QB **Matt Barkley**, who ranks high on USC's career passing and total offense lists. If he's unable to go, Troy will ask QB **Mitch Mustain**, whose last start came in 2006 while at Arkansas (he was 8-0 as a Razorback starter), to direct an offense that is 21<sup>st</sup> nationally in total offense. USC's leading rusher, TB **Marc Tyler**, also was felled at Oregon State, but TBs **Allen Bradford** and **C.J. Gable** and FB **Stanley Havili** are more than capable to bolster the running attack. There are also a pair of multi-threat pass catchers in WRs **Ronald Johnson**, who is among USC's career Top 15 receivers, and Freshman All-American candidate **Robert Woods**, one of the nation's best all-purpose runners who has set USC season kickoff return marks in 2010. The USC defense is playing better and better, led by S **T.J. McDonald**, DT **Jurrell Casey**, LB **Malcolm Smith** and CB **Shareece Wright**. The Trojans are ineligible for post-season play because of NCAA penalty, but Notre Dame got bowl-eligible last weekend by thumping Army in Yankee Stadium. The Irish have been hit hard by injuries in 2010. True freshman QB **Tommy Rees** has taken over the Irish signalcalling duties the past 3 games for injured QB **Dayne Crist**. RBs **Cierre Wood** and **Robert Hughes** have subbed for RB **Armando Allen** after he went down 4 games ago (Allen is in the ND Top 5 in career kickoff return yardage and all-purpose yardage). WR **Michael Floyd** (in the ND career Top 10 in receptions, receiving yards and receiving touchdowns) is the top Irish receiver, while the next 2 leading pass catchers—WR **Theo Riddick** and TE **Kyle Rudolph**—have been sidelined with injuries. Floyd is in the national Top 25 in receptions and receiving yards. LB **Manti Te'o**, who is 13th nationally in tackles, and S **Harrison Smith** lead the defense. PK **David Ruffer** has hit his last 18 field goals. The game will be shown live nationally on ABC-TV.

## RANKINGS

USC is not ranked by AP (the Trojans are not eligible to be ranked in the USA Today poll). Notre Dame is not ranked in either poll.

**RADIO-TV**—Live national TV: 5 p.m. (PST), ABC-TV, Brad Nessler, Todd Blackledge, Shelley Smith.

Live national radio: 5 p.m. (PST), Compass Media Network, Matt Smith, Curtis Conway.

Live local radio: Noon (PST), 710 ESPN Radio (KSPN-AM), Pete Arbogast, Paul McDonald, John Jackson, Steve Mason, Colin Cowherd, Brian Long, Brandon Hancock, Darrell Rideaux, Harvey Hyde, Garry Paskvietz, Mark Willard, Pete Fox, A. Martinez, Dave Joseph (includes 5-hour pre-game and 3-hour post-game shows). Six other stations are included on the USC radio network: KSPA-AM 1510 in Ontario/San Bernardino County/Inland Empire, ESPN Radio 98.9 FM in San Diego, KXPS-AM 1010 in Palm Springs, KVEN-AM 1450 in Ventura, KSLZ-AM 1230 in Barstow and KUIK-AM 1360 in Portland. Fans also can hear the live 710 ESPN Radio broadcast on www.usctrojans.com, on SIRIUS/XM satellite radio (Channel 126) or by dialing 1-800-846-4675 ext. 5933.

Live internet streaming: USCtrojans.com, live KSPN-AM pre- and post-game show, live game stats and delayed game telecast.

Lane Kiffin USC Football Weekly: 10:30 p.m. (PST), Tuesdays, Prime Ticket, Lindsay Soto, John Jackson, Kelli Tennant, Petros Papadakis.

Trojan Talk: 11 a.m.-3 p.m. (PST), Tuesdays, 710 ESPN Radio (KSPN-AM), Andrew Siciliano, Mychal Thompson, Lane Kiffin (replayed on Saturdays, 5 hours before kickoff).

Trojan Brunch: 9-11 a.m. (PST), Sundays, 710 ESPN Radio (KSPN-AM), Mark Willard, Harvey Hyde, Dave Joseph.

USC Trojan Talk: 7 p.m. (PST), Thursdays, KSHP-AM (1400), Harvey Hyde, Kevin Shaw. Fans also can hear the live KSHV broadcast on www.kshv.com.



## USC FOOTBALL

11 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS  
31 BOWL VICTORIES  
156 ALL-AMERICANS  
6 HEISMAN TROPHY WINNERS  
437 NFL PLAYERS  
22 ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

**USC VS. NOTRE DAME (34\*-42-5)**

1926	L	12-13	H	1970	W	38-28	H
1927	L	6-7	N1	1971	W	28-14	A
1928	W	27-14	H	1972	W	45-23	H
1929	L	12-13	N1	1973	L	14-23	A
1930	L	0-27	H	1974	W	55-24	H
1931	W	16-14	A	1975	W	24-17	A
1932	W	13-0	H	1976	W	17-13	H
1933	W	19-0	A	1977	L	19-49	A
1934	L	0-14	H	1978	W	27-25	H
1935	L	13-20	A	1979	W	42-23	A
1936	T	13-13	H	1980	W	20-3	H
1937	L	6-13	A	1981	W	14-7	A
1938	W	13-0	H	1982	W	17-13	H
1939	W	20-12	A	1983	L	6-27	A
1940	L	6-10	H	1984	L	7-19	H
1941	L	18-20	A	1985	L	3-37	A
1942	L	0-13	H	1986	L	37-38	H
1946	L	6-26	A	1987	L	15-26	A
1947	L	7-38	H	1988	L	10-27	H
1948	T	14-14	H	1989	L	24-28	A
1949	L	0-32	A	1990	L	6-10	H
1950	W	9-7	H	1991	L	20-24	A
1951	L	12-19	H	1992	L	23-31	H
1952	L	0-9	A	1993	L	13-31	A
1953	L	14-48	H	1994	T	17-17	H
1954	L	17-23	A	1995	L	10-38	A
1955	W	42-20	H	1996	W	27-20(1OT)	H
1956	W	28-20	H	1997	W	20-17	A
1957	L	12-40	A	1998	W	10-0	H
1958	L	13-20	H	1999	L	24-25	A
1959	L	6-16	A	2000	L	21-38	H
1960	L	0-17	H	2001	L	16-27	A
1961	L	0-30	A	2002	W	44-13	H
1962	W	25-0	H	2003	W	45-14	A
1963	L	14-17	A	2004	W	41-10	H
1964	W	20-17	H	2005*	W	34-31	A
1965	L	7-28	A	2006	W	44-24	H
1966	L	0-51	H	2007	W	38-0	A
1967	W	24-7	A	2008	W	38-3	H
1968	T	21-21	H	2009	W	34-27	A
1969	T	14-14	A				

N1-Soldier Field, Chicago, Illinois  
\*1 win later vacated due to NCAA penalty

**SERIES**

Notre Dame leads the series with USC, which began in 1926, 42-34-5 (Troy's 2005 victory was later vacated due to NCAA penalty). USC has won the last 8 games (its longest winning streak in the series) after the Irish won the 3 previous meetings and Troy won the 3 before that. In the past 16 games, USC holds an 11-4-1 lead. Since 1967, USC has gone 23-17-3. In Los Angeles games, USC leads 21-17-4.

Last year in South Bend, No. 6 USC built a 20-point fourth quarter lead behind QB **Matt Barkley's** career-high 380 passing yards and 2 touchdowns but then had to stave off No. 25 Notre Dame's furious comeback as the Trojans turned away the Irish 4 times near the goal line at game's end to win, 34-27, on a chilly afternoon. It was USC's eighth consecutive win over the Irish and its fourth in a row in South Bend, both extending school records. The Trojans join Michigan and Michigan State as the only schools to beat ND 8 straight times. In each of those 8 wins, USC scored at least 34 points. It was also Troy's 15<sup>th</sup> straight non-conference win, 11<sup>th</sup> consecutive non-conference road victory and 10<sup>th</sup> straight win over an AP Top 25 team. After USC went up 34-14 early in the fourth quarter on a 1-yard scoring run by TB Joe McKnight, ND stormed back on a 2-yard TD run by QB Jimmy Clausen on the next series and then, after an interception on the Trojans' subsequent possession, a 15-yard Clausen TD pass to WR Golden Tate with 7:28 to play. The Irish forced USC to punt on the next series and then they marched to the 8-yard line with 35 seconds to play (getting to the 4 for the final 3 plays because of a penalty), but they couldn't score as Clausen threw 4 incomplete passes (the last with a second to go). USC got on the board first as Barkley threw a 20-yard scoring strike to WR Damian Williams midway through the first quarter. The Irish tied it on a 2-yard run by FB Robert Hughes late in the first period, extending its drive with a successful fake field goal. A pair of second quarter field goals by PK Jordan Congdon (24 and 37 yards) gave the Trojans a 13-7 halftime lead. Notre Dame had just 121 total yards in the half. USC then scored touchdowns on its first 3 possessions of the second half: a 41-yard Barkley pass to Williams (after stopping the Irish on fourth-and-1 on their opening drive), a 3-yard run by TB **Allen Bradford** (to answer Clausen's 45-yard scoring bomb to Tate) and McKnight's short run at the top of the final quarter. USC had 501 total yards to ND's 367 and the Trojans averaged 8.1 yards per play, but they had just 62 plays (13 less than the Irish). Barkley completed 19-of-29 passes overall, including going 11-of-14 for 234 yards in the second half (at one point, he hit 8 in a row). TE Anthony McCoy set a USC game record for receiving yards by a tight end with 153 on 5 receptions. Williams added 108 yards on 4 catches. McKnight rushed for a game-best 79 yards on 19 carries and Bradford added 45 yards on 8 attempts. DT **Jurrell Casey** and S Taylor Mays each had 10 tackles, while LB **Chris Galippo** added 9 stops. For ND, Clausen was 24-of-43 for 260 yards but was sacked 5 times, WR Robby Parris caught 9 passes for 92 yards, Tate had 117 yards on 8 catches and HB Armando Allen ran for 51 yards on 12 carries and caught 2 passes for 35 yards.

In 2008 in the last meeting in the Coliseum, No. 5 USC's defense turned in a masterpiece and its offense put the game out of reach by halftime in a 38-3 victory over Notre Dame. The win was USC's seventh in a row over the Irish (its longest victory streak in the series) and came in the rivalry's 80<sup>th</sup> meeting. It was also USC's 28<sup>th</sup> straight win in a home night game, 13<sup>th</sup> in a row in a non-conference home game and 11<sup>th</sup> consecutive in a non-conference game while extending Trojan head coach Pete Carroll's November record to 27-0. It was the Coliseum finale for USC's 18 seniors. The Trojans, coming off a bye, limited Notre Dame to just 91 total yards (the fewest by a USC opponent since Colorado had 61 in 2002) and only 4 first downs (converting just 2-of-14 third downs). The Irish didn't get a first down until the final play of the third quarter and didn't cross into USC territory until the fourth quarter. Notre Dame had only 6 total yards at halftime while trailing 24-0. USC TB Stafon Johnson had a 2-yard touchdown run late in the first quarter, then the Trojans scored on 3 consecutive possessions in the second quarter: TB Joe McKnight zig-zagged 55 yards for a TD on the first play following LB Kaluka Maiava's interception, then QB Mark Sanchez hit WR Damian Williams for a 12-yard score and PK David Buehler added a 35-yard field goal late in the half. TB **C.J. Gable** had a 1-yard TD run late in the third quarter before Notre Dame got on the board on a 41-yard field goal by PK Brandon Walker early in the final quarter. USC responded with an 84-yard drive, capped by Sanchez's 17-yard TD pass to WR Patrick Turner. USC amassed 449 total yards and 22 first downs while holding the ball 34:01 and running off 66 plays (Notre Dame had just 49 plays). Sanchez was 22-of-31 for 267 yards, but had 2 interceptions to snap a streak of 96 consecutive passes without a pick dating back to the first quarter of the Arizona game. Williams caught 7 passes for 86 yards and Turner had 6 for 83 yards. McKnight ran for 63 yards on 4 carries and TB **Marc Tyler** added 58 yards on 7 tries (all in the fourth quarter). Maiava led USC with 5 tackles, CB Cary Harris had an interception and LB **Michael Morgan** recovered a fumble. For Notre Dame, Jimmy Clausen was 11-of-22 for 41 yards, but threw 2 interceptions and was sacked 4 times, and TB James Aldridge gained 58 yards on 12 carries.

**VERSUS PAC-10**

USC has won 70.4% (414-166-29) of its games against Pac-10 opponents (9 wins were later vacated due to NCAA penalty).

**IN NOVEMBER**

USC has a 240-123-20 (.653) all-time record while playing in the month of November (3 wins were later vacated due to NCAA penalty).

**IN THE COLISEUM**

USC has a 411-126-27 (.753) all-time record in the Coliseum since the stadium opened in 1923.

**NIGHT GAMES**

USC is playing a school record 10 night games (after 5 p.m.) in 2010. USC owns a 144-39-4 (.781) record at night, including 88-20-4 in the Coliseum, 41-14 on the road and 15-5 at neutral sites (5 of those wins were later vacated due to NCAA penalty, including 3 in the Coliseum and 2 at neutral sites).

**TICKETS**—Tickets for the USC-Notre Dame game, priced at \$80, are available at the USC Ticket Office (213-740-GO SC) on campus or online at [uscrojans.com](http://uscrojans.com).

**USC ONLINE**—USC's official athletic website is [uscrojans.com](http://uscrojans.com).

**PAC-10 ONLINE**—The Pac-10's official website is [pac-10.org](http://pac-10.org).

**PAC-10 COACHES TELECONFERENCE**—Pac-10 football coaches are available for 10 minutes each on a media teleconference beginning at 10 a.m. (PST) every Tuesday (through Nov. 30) during the season. **USC coach Lane Kiffin comes on at 10:40 a.m. (PST)**. Beginning at 3 p.m. (PST) each of those Tuesdays, a taped replay of the teleconference is available until the next call. Call the Pac-10 office (925-932-4411) or USC sports information office (213-740-8480) to obtain the media-only phone numbers for the Pac-10 Coaches Teleconference.

**IT'S NOT SOUTHERN CAL**—Note to the media: In editorial references to athletic teams of the University of Southern California, the following are preferred: USC, Southern California, So. California, Troy, Trojans and (for women's teams) Women of Troy. PLEASE do not use Southern Cal.

### FUN FACT I

This will be just the second USC-Notre Dame game ever in which both teams feature new head coaches (USC's **Lane Kiffin** and Notre Dame's **Brian Kelly**). The only other time was in 1941 when USC's Sam Barry and Notre Dame's Frank Leahy were in their first years guiding their schools.

### FUN FACT II

This is just the ninth time both USC and Notre Dame entered the game unranked (USC is 2-6 in those games, winning in 1950 and 1997 and losing in 1940-60-83-85-99-2001). USC is 10-11-1 against unranked Irish teams (wins in 1950-56-62-81-82-97-2003-04-07-08, the tie in 1994 and losses in 1940-51-59-60-63-83-84-85-86-99-2001).

### FUN FACT III

USC and Notre Dame have beaten each other more than any other opponent (42 wins by the Irish and 34 by the Trojans).

### FUN FACT IV

USC and Notre Dame are among 4 NCAA FBS (formerly Division I-A) schools that have never played an FCS (formerly non-Division I-A) opponent since the divisions were established in 1978. The other schools are Washington and UCLA (both of those teams also are on the Trojans' schedule this season).

### WIN STREAKS

USC owns several active winning streaks:  
 —non-conference games (19), 1 shy of the school record;  
 —non-conference home games (15) (2 wins later vacated due to NCAA penalty; revised streak: 7 games);  
 —non-conference road games (13, not including 8 neutral site wins and 1 neutral site loss), a school record (5 wins later vacated due to NCAA penalty; revised streak: 8 games, not including 4 neutral site wins).

### HIGH RANKING

USC has been ranked in the AP Top 25 for 110 of its past 115 games. Troy has been in the AP Top 10 for 86 of its past 107 games, including a since-snapped school record of 62 consecutive games. The Trojans have been in the AP Top 5 in 62 of the last 103 games.

### COMMON OPPONENT

USC and Notre Dame both played Stanford in 2010, with the Trojans falling to the Cardinal in Palo Alto, 37-35, on a last-second field goal and Notre Dame losing at home, 37-14.

### WINNING TRADITIONS

USC and Notre Dame have 2 of the top gridiron heritages in the country. The schools both have won 11 national titles (USC in 1928-31-32-39-62-67-72-74-78-2003-04 and Notre Dame in 1924-29-30-43-46-47-49-66-73-77-88). Notre Dame is third in all-time victories among Division I-A schools (843) and USC is 10<sup>th</sup> (782, with 14 wins later vacated due to NCAA penalty). In career winning percentage, Notre Dame is second (.732) and USC is seventh (.705). USC has appeared in 48 bowls (with 32 wins, with 1 win later vacated due to NCAA penalty), while Notre Dame has been in 29 bowls (with 14 wins). Thirteen players from both schools have won Heisman Trophies (USC's Mike Garrett, O.J. Simpson, Charles White, Marcus Allen,

Carson Palmer, Matt Leinart and Notre Dame's Angelo Bertelli, John Lujack, Leon Hart, John Lattner, Paul Hornung, John Huarte, Tim Brown). Notre Dame has had 184 All-American first teamers, while USC claims 156. USC has 29 players in the College Football Hall of Fame and Notre Dame has 43. Both schools have had 5 players selected first in the NFL draft and both are well-represented in the Pro Football Hall of Fame (11 by USC and 10 by Notre Dame). Both programs have had legendary coaches (USC's Gloomy Gus Henderson, Howard Jones, John McKay, John Robinson and Pete Carroll, and Notre Dame's Knute Rockne, Frank Leahy and Ara Parseghian).

### SHILLELAGH

The winner of the USC-Notre Dame game gets year-long possession of the Shillelagh. The foot-long shillelagh—a Gaelic war club made of oak or blackthorn saplings from Ireland—has ruby-adorned Trojan heads with the year and game score representing USC victories, while emerald-studded shamrocks stand for Notre Dame wins. For tie games, a combined Trojan head/shamrock medallion was used.

### CONNECTIONS

No USC players claim Indiana as home, but 9 Notre Dame players hail from California...USC LB **Shane Horton** and DE **Wes Horton** attended Notre Dame (that is, Notre Dame High School in Sherman Oaks, Calif.)...From 1998 through 2009, USC athletic director **Pat Haden** served as the analyst on NBC-TV's broadcasts of Notre Dame games...Notre Dame LB **Anthony McDonald** is the son of former USC LB-SNP Mike McDonald, who lettered for 4 years (1976-79) and was a member of USC's 1978 national champs...Notre Dame women's volleyball coach **Debbie (Landreth) Brown** was a 2-time All-American (1976-77) at USC on a pair of national championship teams...The athletic departments and business schools at USC and Notre Dame, along with those at North Carolina, Georgia, Michigan and Texas, conduct the **Sports Management Institute** for mid- and upper-level sports administrators who aspire to be athletic directors, executive directors or general managers in college, amateur or pro sports

### SCHEDULE

USC faces a challenging 13-game regular-season schedule in 2010, getting the extra contest because it opened at Hawaii on Thursday night of Labor Day weekend. The Trojans played 3 of their first 4 games on the road and close the season the same way. On the slate are 7 teams that were in bowls last fall. After the Hawaii opener, USC—winner of its last 19 non-conference games—returned home to host Virginia and then traveled to Minnesota before it began Pac-10 play at Washington State. Troy then had 4 of its next 5 outings in the Coliseum: versus Washington and, after going to Stanford, hosting California, Oregon following a bye and Arizona State. USC closed at Arizona and Oregon State before coming home to play intersectional rival Notre Dame on Thanksgiving weekend and finishing at the Rose Bowl against crosstown foe UCLA on Dec. 4. USC's 2010 schedule is the nation's seventh most difficult in the current Sagarin rankings.

### LIMITED DEPTH

To illustrate USC's limited depth in 2010, the Trojans traveled just 56 scholarship players on their most recent road trip (to Oregon State), but 4 of them didn't suit up, 3 are redshirting and 3 others are former walk-ons. USC's current depth chart features a true freshman, a true sophomore and 2 redshirt sophos starting on offense (plus 1 true freshman, 3 redshirt frosh and a redshirt soph as backups), while the defensive starters include 1 true freshman, 3 true sophomores and a redshirt soph (plus 1 true freshman, 1 redshirt frosh and 2 redshirt sophos as backups).

### PRE-SEASON HONORS

C **Kristofer O'Dowd** (Playboy, Athlon, Phil Steele's), DT **Jurrell Casey** (Rivals.com), OT **Tyron Smith** (Athlon) and FB **Stanley Havili** (Playboy, Consensus Draft Services) were named to various 2010 pre-season All-American first teams. LB **Chris Galippo** and OG **Butch Lewis** made some pre-season All-American second teams. Besides the above-mentioned players, WR **Ronald Johnson** and CB **Shareece Wright** were selected to various pre-season All-Pac-10 first teams.

### WATCH LISTS

The following Trojans made the official "Watch Lists" for national 2010 post-season awards:

- QB **Matt Barkley**  
Maxwell Award (top player)  
Manning Award (top quarterback)  
Davey O'Brien Award (top quarterback)
  - TB **Allen Bradford**  
Maxwell Award (top player)
  - DT **Jurrell Casey**  
Bednarik Award (top defensive player)  
Outland Trophy (top interior lineman)  
Lombardi Award (top lineman)
  - LB **Chris Galippo**  
Bronko Nagurski Trophy (top defensive player)  
Lombardi Award (top lineman)  
Butkus Award (top linebacker)
  - WR **Ronald Johnson**  
Biletnikoff Award (top receiver)
  - C **Kristofer O'Dowd**  
Outland Trophy (top interior lineman)  
Lombardi Award (top lineman)  
Rimington Trophy (top center)
  - DE **Nick Perry**  
Ted Hendricks Award (top defensive end)
  - LB **Malcolm Smith**  
Lott Impact Trophy (top defensive impact player)
- \*Semifinalist

### SPECIAL TEAMS BIG PLAYS

Under the direction of new associate head coach/special teams coordinator **John Baxter**, USC spends significant time in practice on special teams...and it has paid off with some big plays by the special teams in 2010:

- HAW **Ronald Johnson** 89-yard punt return TD
- VIRG **Shareece Wright** blocked field goal
- MINN **Robert Woods** 97-yard kickoff return TD
- WSU **Wes Horton** blocked punt, **Tyron Smith** blocked PAT
- WASH **Robert Woods** 56-yard kickoff return to set up a TD
- CAL **Joe Houston** pooch punt to 8-yard line
- ORE **Ronald Johnson** 55-yard punt return to set up a TD
- ASU **Joe Houston** game-winning 29-yard field goal, **Tyron Smith** blocked PAT, **Torin Harris** 2-point defensive PAT, **T.J. McDonald** blocked punt (and partially blocked another) and downed another punt at ASU 4, **Mitch Mustain** 2-point conversion pass to **David Ausberry**
- ARIZ **Michael Reardon** blocked field goal, **Mitch Mustain** 7-yard pass to **Jordan Cameron** for 1st down on fake field goal
- OSU **Jordan Cameron** first down run on fake punt

## LAST GAME

USC's troubles in Oregon continued as the No. 20 Trojans were blown out at Oregon State, 36-7, on a cold (low 40s) night in front of 44,969 fans and an ABC-TV regional audience. It was USC's third straight loss in Corvallis (and fourth in its past 5 trips there) and kept Troy winless in the state of Oregon in its past 5 games (since 2005). It was the second year in a row that USC surrendered 36 points to the Beavers. It was OSU's second highest winning margin and tied its second most points against USC since a 38-6 win in the series' first game in 1914. It was also USC's fewest points against the Beavers since a 3-0 loss in 1967 and the fewest points by USC in any game since getting 6 against Utah in the 2001 Las Vegas Bowl. On a night when 4 starters went down with injuries (QB **Matt Barkley**, TB **Marc Tyler**, OT **Tyron Smith** and LB **Chris Galippo**), USC saw its offense struggle mightily as it managed just 255 total yards (its fewest since getting 205 against California in 2004) while falling behind 23-0 midway into the third quarter (its biggest deficit in 2010). Six of USC's 14 possessions went 3-and-out, Troy got into the red zone just once (and crossed midfield on only 6 drives) and the Trojans converted just 4-of-16 third downs (and 2-of-6 fourth downs). Troy had only 18 first downs and allowed 4 sacks. USC trailed 20-0 at halftime, its biggest halftime deficit since being down 21-0 to the Beavers in 2008 (that also was the last time Troy was shut out in an opening half). Oregon State, which benefited from good field position most of the night (it averaged taking possession on its 41-yard line), got its first score with 30 seconds left in the first quarter on a 34-yard field goal by PK Justin Kahut. Then, 3 plays into USC's ensuing drive (on the first play of the second quarter), CB Jordan Poyer returned an interception 65 yards for a TD. The Beavers added a 3-yard scoring run by TB Jacquizz Rodgers midway through the second quarter and then a 38-yard Kahut field goal late in the half. Kahut hit a 35-yard field goal midway through the third quarter. USC, directed in the second half by QB **Mitch Mustain**, finally got on the board late in the third quarter on a 13-yard TD run by TB **C.J. Gable**. The Beavers added 2 touchdowns late in the fourth quarter on passes from QB Ryan Katz, the first a 5-yarder to WR Jordan Bishop and then an 8-yarder to TE Joe Halahuni (after a USC fumble). Barkley, who sprained his ankle on USC's final play of the first half, was 10-of-19 for 75 yards, while Mustain went 8-of-17 for 60 yards in relief. Gable had 191 all-purpose yards, including 57 on 10 rushes, 130 on 5 kickoff returns and 4 on 2 receptions. Tyler added 57 yards on 11 carries before going out with an ankle sprain late in the first half. WR **Ronald Johnson** had 5 catches for 45 yards. S **T.J. McDonald** led USC with 10 tackles and a deflection, while LB **Devon Kennard** and DTs **Jurrell Casey** and **DaJohn Harris** had 8 stops each (Casey had 2.5 tackles for a loss with a sack and Kennard had 1.5 tackles for a loss with a sack). For Oregon State, Rodgers rushed for 128 yards on 26 carries and caught 7 passes for 43 yards, WR Markus Wheaton had 5 receptions for 40 yards and added 63 yards on 6 rushes and Katz was 17-of-24 for 154 yards. The Beavers had 328 total yards, but just 18 first downs and converted only 4-of-14 third downs.

## LANE KIFFIN

First-year USC head football coach **Lane Kiffin** is regarded as one of the game's brightest young coaches. At 35, he already has been a head coach at football's top levels, both professionally and collegiately. He is known for his high football IQ, as well as for being a vibrant leader and a master recruiter. The one-time Trojan offensive coordinator who then became the head coach of the Oakland Raiders and the Tennessee Volunteers returned to the USC program on Jan. 13, 2010, when he was named its head football coach. In 2010, he became the first USC head coach since Jess Hill in 1951 to begin his Trojan career with a 4-0 mark. Kiffin came back to Troy after guiding Tennessee to a 7-6 record in 2009 in his only season there. The Volunteers finished second in the Southeastern Conference Eastern Division at 4-4 and played in the Chick-Fil-A Bowl. Four of Tennessee's losses were by 10 points or less, including a 2-point road loss to eventual national champion Alabama and 10 points at then-No. 1 Florida. His Vols offense jumped at least 34 places in every national statistical category over its 2008 figures, while the defense was in the nation's Top 25 in pass and total defense. He was the youngest active head coach in the NCAA FBS ranks while at Tennessee. Before that, Kiffin was the head coach of the NFL's Raiders for 2 years (2007-08), where at age 31 he was the youngest head coach in the NFL's modern era. He was 5-15 with the Raiders (4-12 in 2007 and 1-3 in 2008). Kiffin spent 6 seasons (2001-2006) as an assistant at USC under Pete Carroll. He was the tight ends coach in 2001, then handled the wide receivers the next 5 years. He added the duty of passing game coordinator in 2004, then was promoted to offensive coordinator and recruiting coordinator in 2005 and 2006. He coached a trio of All-American first team wide receivers at USC: Mike Williams (2003), Dwayne Jarrett (2005-06, USC's first 2-time All-American wideout) and Steve Smith (2006). Jarrett set the Pac-10 record for career touchdown catches (39) and the USC career mark for receptions (216). While the offensive coordinator in 2005, USC's offense was in the national Top 6 in every statistical category, including tops in total offense (579.8) and second in scoring offense (49.1), and set Pac-10 records for total offense yardage, first downs, points scored, touchdowns and PATs. The Trojans scored 50 points a school-record 7 times USC became the first school to have a 3,000-yard passer, a pair of 1,000-yard runners and a 1,000-yard receiver in a season. In 2003, Williams set USC career (30) and season (16) touchdown reception records, while fellow wide receiver Keary Colbert set the school career reception record (207). In 2002, Williams and Colbert became USC's first pair of 1,000-yard receivers in a season and wide receiver Kareem Kelly became the Trojan career reception leader (204). Williams, Jarrett, Smith and Colbert all played in the NFL. Quarterback Matt Leinart won the Heisman Trophy in 2004 while Kiffin was the passing game coordinator and tailback Reggie Bush was the 2005 Heisman winner with Kiffin as the offensive coordinator. While serving as USC's recruiting coordinator, Troy's recruiting classes in 2005 and 2006 were ranked by some as No. 1 in the nation. He was named one of the nation's Top 25 recruiters by Rivals.com in 2005. Kiffin was a member of USC staffs that helped the Trojans win a pair

of national championships (2003-04), post a 65-12 record (14 wins were later vacated due to NCAA penalty) and appear in a bowl game each of his 6 seasons: 2001 Las Vegas Bowl, 2003 Orange Bowl, 2004 Rose Bowl, 2005 Orange Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game) and 2007 Rose Bowl. Before coming to USC, Kiffin was the defensive quality control coach for the NFL's Jacksonville Jaguars in 2000 (he worked with the secondary). He began his coaching career at Fresno State, his alma mater, where for 2 seasons (1997-98) he worked with the quarterbacks, wide receivers and defensive backs as a student assistant. He then was an assistant at Colorado State in 1999, working with the offensive line. The Rams played in the Liberty Bowl that season. Kiffin was a quarterback at Fresno State for 3 seasons (1994-96). He prepped at Bloomington (Minn.) Jefferson High, where he played football, basketball and baseball.

## OFFENSIVE OVERVIEW

Five starters returned on offense from 2009 for USC: quarterback **Matt Barkley**, fullback **Stanley Havili**, tackle **Tyron Smith** and 2 sets of co-starters (wide receiver **Ronald Johnson** and wide receiver-tight end **David Ausberry** along with center **Kristofer O'Dowd** and guard **Butch Lewis**). Others back with starting experience included tailbacks **Allen Bradford** and **C.J. Gable**, tight end **Rhett Ellison**, wide receivers **Brice Butler** and **Brandon Carswell**, guard **Zack Heberer**, tackle **Matt Kalil** and quarterback **Mitch Mustain** (whose starts came while at Arkansas). The Trojans returned their top passer from 2009, but had to re-stock elsewhere offensively after losing their leading rusher and receiver. Although 5 of USC's top 7 groundgainers were back, the 2 who are gone accounted for more than half of the team's 2009 rushing total of 2,168 yards. And while USC returned 9 of the 15 players who caught passes last year, missing are more than half of the team's 2009 reception total of 228. It is imperative that the Trojans improve upon last season's offensive output, as Troy was 64<sup>th</sup> nationally in scoring offense (26.5) and 55<sup>th</sup> in total offense (389.1)—both averages were USC's lowest since 2001—as well as 54<sup>th</sup> in passing offense (222.3) and 44<sup>th</sup> in rushing offense (166.8).

## QUARTERBACKS

Last fall, sophomore **Matt Barkley** (221-of-351, 63.0%, 2,593 yds, 25 TD, 10 int in 2010) quickly earned his stripes when he became the first USC true freshman to start a season opener at quarterback. He had moments of brilliance (hitting nearly 79% of his passes against San Jose State in his debut, directing USC on a late game-winning drive at noisy Ohio State, throwing for 380 yards at Notre Dame and 350 yards in the Emerald Bowl) mixed with the expected struggles of a newcomer starting all year at the position. Last season's experience should propel Barkley to a big 2010...and beyond. He was the only freshman in the nation named a semifinalist for the 2009 Davey O'Brien Award. He is a semifinalist for the 2010 Davey O'Brien Award. His 25 TD passes in 2010 are tied for seventh most in the nation (tops in the Pac-10). He has had streaks of 119 and 72 consecutive passes without an interception in 2010. His 432 career completions rank him sixth on USC's career passing ladder. He has thrown at least 1 TD

pass in 19 of his 23 career games (including 12 consecutive games at one point), at least 2 TDs 12 times (7 times in 2010) and at least 3 TDs 5 times (all in 2010, including twice with a school record-tying 5 TDs). He has thrown for at least 200 yards in 14 career games (4 times over 350 yards). His 5,277 career yards of total offense rank him seventh on USC's career chart. His 221 completions in 2010 is tied for 10<sup>th</sup> on the USC season list (more than his entire 2009 output) and his 2,580 yards of total offense is 14<sup>th</sup> on USC's season ladder. Senior **Mitch Mustain** (20-of-34, 58.8%, 165 yds, 1 TD in 2010) is experienced and is coming off a nice showing in 2010 spring drills. Mustain has only appeared at quarterback in 16 games in his 3 seasons as a backup at USC (throwing just 50 passes), usually in mop-up duty. However, he started 8 games as a freshman at Arkansas in 2006 (passing for 894 yards and 10 touchdowns) and is more than capable to step in as Troy's signalcaller. Adding depth to the quarterback unit is a pair of untested walk-ons: sophomore **John Manoogian** and junior **Brett Kan**, who previously played at Princeton. Bolstering the group as a freshman is prep All-American **Jesse Scroggins**, plus 2 walk-ons in sophomore **Emon Sae** and freshman **Anthony Neyer**.

—Barkley completed 78.3% of his passes (18-of-23) for 257 yards with a USC single game record-tying 5 TDs against Hawaii, while Mustain was 2-of-4 for 21 yards.

—Barkley hit 20-of-35 passes for 202 yards and 2 TDs against Virginia and he also had a career-long 20-yard scramble.

—Barkley was 17-of-26 for 192 yards and 2 TDs against Minnesota, but threw 2 interceptions (after beginning the 2010 season without a pick in his first 72 passes), while Mustain played the final series (but did not throw a pass).

—Barkley was 16-of-25 for 290 yards with 3 touchdowns at Washington State but threw 2 interceptions, while Mustain played the entire fourth quarter and hit 4-of-5 passes for 38 yards with a TD.

—Barkley hit 70% of his passes (14-of-20) for 186 yards against Washington, but had his streak of games with a TD pass snapped at 12.

—Barkley completed 28-of-45 passes for 390 yards (all career highs) with 3 TDs against Stanford and he also tied for the team lead in rushing with 33 yards on 5 carries (with a career-long 27-yard scramble).

—Barkley threw a USC single game record-tying 5 TDs (all in the first half, also a USC game record) against California and overall completed 25-of-37 passes for 352 yards as he earned College Football Performance Awards National Quarterback of the Week and Pac-10 Offensive Player of the Week honors, while Mustain the entire fourth quarter and was 5-of-7 for 39 yards.

—Barkley was 26-of-49 for 264 yards with a TD against Oregon (it was the most pass attempts by a Trojan since Carson Palmer's 50 against Washington State in 2002), but he was picked off twice (to snap a streak of 137 passes without an interception) and lost a fumble; he also scored on a 1-yard sneak.

—Barkley was 26-of-37 for 215 yards and 3 TDs against Arizona State, but threw 2 interceptions (1 was returned for a TD and the other was in the end zone).

—Barkley was 21-of-35 for 170 yards with a TD and an interception against Arizona (he was 15-of-20 for 124 yards in the first half) and also scored on a 1-yard sneak, while Mustain completed a 7-yard pass for a first down off a fake field goal to set up a USC TD.

—Barkley was 10-of-19 for 75 yards with an interception against Oregon State before being sidelined with an ankle sprain on USC's final play of the first half, so Mustain took over in the second half and went 8-of-17 for 60 yards.

#### USC CAREER PASSING LEADERS (Based on Number of Completions — Includes bowl games)

	PA	PC	INT	NYG	Pct.	TD
1. Carson Palmer	1569	927	49	11818	.591	72
2. Matt Leinart	1245	807	23	10693	.648	99
3. Rob Johnson	1046	676	28	8472	.646	58
4. Rodney Peete	1081	630	42	8225	.583	54
5. John David Booty	832	518	21	6125	.623	55
6. <b>Matt Barkley</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>5328</b>	<b>.615</b>	<b>40</b>

#### USC CAREER TOTAL OFFENSE LEADERS (Includes bowl games)

	PLAYS	RUSH	PASS	TOTAL
1. Carson Palmer	1824	-197	11818	11621
2. Matt Leinart	1477	-70	10693	10623
3. Rodney Peete	1371	415	8225	8640
4. Rob Johnson	1305	-576	8472	7896
5. Charles White	1149	6245	-5	6240
6. John David Booty	893	-180	6125	5945
7. <b>Matt Barkley</b>	<b>781</b>	<b>-51</b>	<b>5328</b>	<b>5277</b>

#### TAILBACKS

USC lost a pair of quality tailbacks from last year's squad: 2009 rushing leader Joe McKnight, who declared for the NFL draft after his junior season (he was a fourth round pick), and 2008 rushing leader Stafon Johnson, who missed the final 9 games of 2009 after suffering a life-threatening throat injury in a weightlifting accident. McKnight, who is 14<sup>th</sup> on the school's career rushing list (2,213 yards), became USC's 26<sup>th</sup> 1,000-yard season rusher when he had 1,014 yards with 8 TDs in 2009 (he also caught 22 passes). A dangerous runner, receiver and returner, he had 14 career games with at least 100 all-purpose yards and averaged 6.5 yards per carry as a Trojan. Johnson, who had 157 yards and 5 touchdowns (including the late game-winner at Ohio State) in 2009 before getting hurt, totaled 1,552 career rushing yards with 19 TDs. His 705 rushing yards topped USC in 2008, when he also led Troy in punt returns. But plenty of top-notch runners remain in USC's tailback stable. Hard-running junior **Marc Tyler** (146 tcb, team-best 820 yds, 5.6 avg, 9 TD in 2010, plus 16 rec, 128 yds, 8.0 avg, 1 TD and 0-of-1 passing, 0 yds), who was hampered by injuries earlier in his career and is coming off a toe injury that curtailed most of his 2009 campaign, has started 7 games in 2010. **Tyler** has 3 100-yard games in his career (all in 2010). Bruising senior **Allen Bradford** (82 tcb, 582 yds, 7.1 avg, 4 TD in 2010, plus 2 rec, 27 yds, 13.5 avg), with 3 starts in 2010, was second on the Trojans in rushing last season with 668 yards and tied for the team lead in touchdowns with 8. He led USC in rushing 5 times in 2009, including a career-best 147 yards against Oregon State. **Bradford** has 3 100-yard games in his career, including 2 in 2010. He has had at least 1 run for 30 yards or more in 3 games in 2010. He is 36<sup>th</sup> on USC's career rushing list (1,371 yards). His 7.1 average per rush in 2010 is tied for sixth highest among the nation's Top 100 rushers. Fellow senior **C.J. Gable** (44 tcb, 216 yds, 4.9 avg, 1 TD in 2010, plus 7 KOR, 186 yds, 26.6 avg and 8 tac) has 18 career starts (mostly in 2008 when he ran for 617 yards and 8 TDs) and 1,512 career rushing yards, 34<sup>th</sup> on USC's career rushing list. He also is sixth on USC's all-time kickoff return chart (1,196 yards, including a team-best 348 last fall). Sophomore **Curtis McNeal** got just a handful of carries last season, but proved difficult to tackle because of his compact style. He also shared time as a kick returner. He is sitting out 2010 while ineligible. Adding depth to the tailback corps as freshmen are a pair of

prep All-Americans: **Dillon Baxter** (57 tcb, 248 yds, 4.4 avg, 1 TD in 2010, plus 11 rec, 73 yds, 6.6 avg), named the 2009 national high school player of the year by several outlets (he might also be used as a returner), and speedy **D.J. Morgan**, also a world-class hurdler who won the 110-meter high hurdles at the 2009 IAAF World Youth Championships. Baxter graduated from high school a semester early and enrolled at USC this past spring to get a head start on the competition (he had an impressive showing), while Morgan arrived this fall. Baxter has 1 start in 2010.

—Tyler rushed for a personal-best 154 yards on 17 carries (9.1 average) with a 44-yard TD against Hawaii in his first career start, while Bradford added 52 yards on 8 carries and Gable had 39 yards on 8 tries.

—Tyler led USC with 67 yards on 18 carries against Virginia and he also caught 2 passes for 18 yards, while Baxter saw his first action as a Trojan and ran for 49 yards on 9 carries (5.4 avg) plus caught 2 passes for 8 yards, Bradford gained 10 yards on 3 carries and Gable had a tackle.

—Bradford averaged 10.9 yards on his 10 carries as he ran for 131 yards (his second career 100-yard game) with a career-long 56-yard TD (the longest TD run by a Trojan since Reggie Bush's 76-yarder against Arkansas in 2005) against Minnesota, while Gable added 36 yards on 6 carries and had 2 tackles, Tyler had 33 yards on 9 tries with a short TD and Baxter had 24 yards on 7 rushes and caught 3 passes for 17 yards.

—Bradford had a game-high 84 yards on 7 carries (12.0 average) against Washington State, while Baxter added 75 yards on 14 carries, Tyler had 34 yards on 7 carries with a short TD and Gable had 12 yards on 7 rushes.

—Bradford had a career-best 223 yards on 21 carries (a 10.6 average per rush) against Washington, the most rushing yards by a Trojan since Reggie Bush had 260 against UCLA in 2005 (it was also the most rushing yards by a USC runner ever in a loss and was the first time a Trojan had 200 yards in a loss since Marcus Allen's 211 yards in 1981 against Arizona), with TD runs of 37 (on his first carry) and 16 yards, while Tyler added 60 yards on 14 carries (mostly out of the Wildcat formation) with 2 short touchdowns and he also had 2 receptions for 13 yards and Baxter had a carry for -1 yard.

—Bradford gained 33 yards on 13 carries and had a short TD against Stanford, while Baxter added 22 yards on 4 carries with an 8-yard touchdown run out of the Wildcat formation and Tyler had 11 yards on 3 carries, plus caught a 10-yard pass and just missed completing a long bomb out of the Wildcat formation.

—Tyler ran for a game-best 79 yards on 7 carries (with an 11-yard TD out of the Wildcat formation) and caught a 24-yard pass against California, while Gable had 72 yards on 13 rushes along with 2 kickoff returns for 56 yards and 4 tackles before leaving late in the game with a knee injury and Bradford had 27 yards on 9 carries.

—Tyler led USC with 69 rushing yards on 17 carries with 2 short TDs against Oregon and he also caught 3 passes for 16 yards, while Baxter had 14 yards on 2 carries and Bradford had 9 yards on 3 carries.

—Tyler had a game-best 119 yards on 12 carries (9.9 average) and also led USC with 5 receptions for 32 yards (with a 15-yard TD) against Arizona State, while Baxter added 52 yards on 17 carries along with 4 catches for 26 yards while making his first start and Bradford had a 2-yard run.

—Tyler had a career-high and game-leading 160 yards on 31 carries (the most rushes by a Trojan since Sultan McCullough had 39 against California in 2002) with a short TD against Arizona (he also had a 16-yard reception), while Baxter added 13 yards on 3 carries and had 2 receptions for 22 yards.

—Gable has 191 all-purpose yards off the bench against Oregon State (a team-best 57 on 10 carries, 130 on 5 kickoff returns and 4 on 2 receptions), while Tyler added 34 yards on 11 carries along with a catch for -1 yard before spraining his ankle in the second quarter and Bradford had 11 yards on 5 carries along with a 19-yard reception.

## FULLBACKS

USC returned one of the nation's most effective fullbacks in senior **Stanley Havili** (24 tcb, 164 yds, 6.8 avg, 1 TD in 2010, plus 29 rec, 360 yds, 12.4 avg, 2 TD), who is skilled as a runner, receiver and blocker. The 4-year starter has caught more passes (113) than any fullback in Trojan annals to rank tied for 16<sup>th</sup> on USC's career pass catching chart. Both of his scoring catches in 2009 came in the first half of the Emerald Bowl. Two walk-ons, redshirt freshman walk-on **Hunter Simmons** and first-year freshman **K.C. Pola** (the son of USC offensive coordinator/running backs coach Kennedy Pola), are battling to get into the fullback rotation.

—Havili had a 49-yard reception and a 7-yard run against Hawaii.

—Havili had 3 catches for 22 yards against Virginia.

—Havili had a 10-yard grab against Minnesota.

—Havili had 187 all-purpose yards against Washington State, including 80 on 4 carries (with a 59-yard TD on USC's first play, the longest TD run by a Trojan since Reggie Bush's 76-yarder against Arkansas in 2005) and 107 on 5 receptions (including a 58-yard pickup on USC's second play and then a 22-yard TD).

—Havili had 2 catches for 10 yards against Washington.

—Havili caught 2 passes for 22 yards against Stanford and had a 4-yard run.

—Havili had 5 receptions for 36 yards against California.

—Havili ran for 38 yards on a career-best 10 carries against Oregon and also caught 4 passes for 27 yards.

—Havili caught 3 passes for 43 yards (with a 22-yard TD) and ran for 12 yards on 4 carries against Arizona State.

—Havili had 21 yards on 3 carries along with a 13-yard catch against Arizona.

—Havili had 2 catches for 21 yards and a 2-yard rush against Oregon State.

## WIDE RECEIVERS

USC lost only one key wide receiver from 2009, but it was a challenge to replace him. Damian Williams was a 2-year starter who ended up 11<sup>th</sup> on the Trojan career receptions list (128 catches). He won All-Pac-10 first team honors last fall as both a wide receiver (70 catches, 1,010 yards, 6 TDs) and punt returner (he was ninth nationally with a 14.2 average and had 2 scoring runbacks). His 12-catch, 189-yard outing against Boston College earned him the 2009 Emerald Bowl Offensive MVP trophy. He had 6 games with 100-plus all-purpose yards in 2009. He left USC after his junior year to enter the NFL, where he was a third round selection. Most of the remainder of last year's wideout crew is back, led by experienced senior **Ronald Johnson** (team-best 53 rec, 616 yds, 11.6 avg, 8 TD in 2010, plus 18 PR, 292 yds, 16.2 avg, 1 TD and 3 KOR, 57 yds, 19.0 avg and 5 tcb, 25 yds, 5.0 avg). Johnson is seventh nationally in punt returns (16.2, second in Pac-10). His 53 catches in 2010 is tied for 25<sup>th</sup> on the USC season list. He missed the first part of last season with a shoulder injury, but returned with a bang for the second half as the starter and finished second on the Trojans in receptions (34, with 3 TDs) and kickoff returns (264 yards). His speed makes him a threat on deep balls (his 21 career touchdowns average 24.1 yards each) and also on both punt returns (in his first game handling that duty as a Trojan, he ran one back for a TD in 2010) and kickoff runbacks, where he ranks fifth on the Trojan career chart (1,321 yards). His 127 career receptions is 12<sup>th</sup> on USC's career list. Competing to get into the playing

mix are 3 other semi-seasoned receivers. Senior **David Ausberry** (20 rec, 252 yds, 12.6 avg, 4 TD in 2010, plus 2 tcb, 14 yds, 7.0 avg and 1 tac), USC's most physical wideout, was moved to tight end in 2010 spring drills and showed signs of making an impact there, but he is being used more at wide receiver in 2010. He started at wideout for the first half of last season before being sidelined with a leg injury. Sophomore **Brice Butler** (9 rec, 112 yds, 12.4 avg, 1 TD in 2010, plus 1 tac) and junior **Brandon Carswell** (16 rec, 205 rec, 12.8 avg, 1 TD in 2009) each posted starts in 2009. Then there is untested sophomore **De'Von Flournoy**. Five walk-ons who have yet to catch a pass fill out the wideout unit: juniors **Nic Curry**, **Tim McGuigan** and **Kevin Noble** and sophomores **Robbie Boyer** and **James Wright**. First-year freshman **Kyle Prater**, a prep All-American, graduated from high school a semester early and enrolled at USC this spring. He did well after being thrown into the pass catching competition right away, but is redshirting in 2010. Joining the wide receivers as freshmen were a duo of prep All-Americans in **Robert Woods** (53 rec, 648 yds, 12.2 avg, 6 TD in 2010, plus 6 tcb, 50 yds, 8.3 avg and 34 KOR, 869 yds, 25.6 avg, 1 TD and 1 PR, 4 yds, 4.0 avg and 1 tac), who has won a starting job, and **Markeith Ambles** (1 rec, 3 yds, 3.0 avg in 2010). Woods is the first USC true freshman since Dwayne Jarrett in 2004 to have consecutive 100-yard receiving games. His 53 catches in 2010 is tied for 25<sup>th</sup> on the USC season list. He ranks ninth on USC's career kickoff return list (869 yards). His 869 kickoff returns yards and 34 kickoff returns in 2010 are school season records. He currently is 21<sup>st</sup> nationally in all-purpose running (142.8, second in Pac-10). Junior **Thearon Collier**, who started 4 games the past 2 years at Miami (he had 44 receptions and 2 scoring punt returns in his Hurricane career), transferred to USC this fall, but he must sit out 2010 because of NCAA transfer rules.

—Johnson tied a USC single game record by catching 3 TDs (13, 3 and 1 yards) among his 7 overall receptions for 59 yards against Hawaii and he also returned 3 punts for 100 yards, with an 89-yard TD (the longest by a Trojan since Curtis Conway's school-record 96-yarder against Oregon in 1992), in his first game handling that duty at USC, while Woods became the first USC true freshman to start a season opener at wide receiver in the post-World War II era and had 4 catches for 46 yards along with 6 kickoff returns for 96 yards, Ausberry had 2 grabs for 55 yards (with a 46-yard TD in which he easily shed the defensive back), and Carswell (15 yards) and Butler (9 yards) each had 1 catch.

—Johnson had 5 catches for 58 yards against Virginia and returned 3 punts for 15 yards, Woods added 3 receptions for 64 yards and 2 kickoff returns for 35 yards, Carswell caught 2 passes for 14 yards, including an 11-yard touchdown, and Ausberry had a 2-yard catch.

—Woods caught a team-best 4 passes for 33 yards against Minnesota and had 2 kickoff returns for 122 yards (including a 97-yard scoring runback to jumpstart USC, the longest kick return by a Trojan since Chad Morton went 98 yards for a TD against Purdue in 1998 and the first scoring kickoff return by a USC freshman since Reggie Bush did so against UCLA in 2003), while Johnson had 3 grabs for 63 yards (with a 53-yard TD), Ausberry had an 21-yard TD catch and Butler caught a 4-yard pass.

—Johnson caught 5 passes for 69 yards (with a 7-yard TD) against Washington State, while Carswell added 3 catches for 63 yards, Woods had 2 catches for 32 yards (with an 11-yard TD) and returned a kickoff 11 yards and a punt 4 yards, Ausberry had an 11-yard reception, Butler caught a 7-yard touchdown and Ambles had a 3-yard grab.

—Johnson had 6 receptions for 109 yards (the first 100-yard game in his career) and 2 carries for

17 yards against Washington, while Ausberry added 3 catches for 40 yards and Woods had 6 kickoff returns for 163 yards (including a 56-yarder to set up a USC touchdown) and a tackle.

—Against Stanford, Woods had 12 catches (tied for fifth most in a game by a Trojan and 1 shy of the USC freshman game record) for 224 yards (the fifth highest game total by a Trojan, just 36 yards shy of the school record) with 3 touchdowns (including a 61-yarder) to tie the USC game record for TD catches as he earned College Football Performance Awards National Wide Receiver of the Week honors and he added 86 yards on 3 kickoff returns (and 0 yards on a rush) to total 310 all-purpose yards, while Johnson had 6 catches for 61 yards, Carswell added 2 catches for 24 yards and Butler had a 25-yard grab.

—Woods had 7 receptions for 116 yards and 2 TDs (16 and 9 yards) to become the first USC true freshman to have back-to-back 100-yard receiving games since Dwayne Jarrett did so in 2004, plus he had 2 runs for 25 yards and returned a kickoff 25 yards, against California, while Johnson also had 7 catches for 45 yards with 2 TDs (8 and 11 yards), returned 2 punts for 38 yards and had 1 carry for minus 1 yards, Ausberry caught 4 passes for 53 yards (with a 22-yard TD), Butler had 2 catches for 18 yards and Carswell had a 33-yard reception.

—Woods has 259 all-purpose yards against Oregon (200 on 8 kickoff returns and 59 on a USC-best 7 receptions), while Johnson added 159 all-purpose yards (94 on 4 punt returns, including a 55-yarder to set up a TD, and 65 on 4 catches) and both Carswell (30 yards) and Ausberry (26 yards) had 2 receptions.

—Against Arizona State, Johnson had 3 receptions for 17 yards, returned 3 kickoffs for 57 yards, returned 3 punts for 21 yards and had a 4-yard run, while Butler added 3 catches for 49 yards, Ausberry had 3 for 21 yards (with a 2-yard TD), Woods had 3 for 18 yards and Carswell had 2 for 9 yards.

—Woods had a game-best 8 receptions for 41 yards, returned 3 kickoffs for 64 yards and had a 5-yard run off a lateral against Arizona, while Johnson added 2 catches for 25 yards and had an 11-yard punt return, Ausberry had 2 receptions for 14 yards and Carswell had a 4-yard catch.

—Johnson had a team-best 5 catches for 45 yards (plus a punt return for 2 yards) against Oregon State, while Woods had 3 catches for 15 yards, 2 rushes for 20 yards and 2 kickoff returns for 68 yards, Carswell added 2 receptions for 13 yards and Ausberry had a 9-yard catch.

## TIGHT ENDS

USC had to replace productive tight end Anthony McCoy, who caught 22 passes each of the past 2 seasons. He not only was a good blocker, but was a downfield receiving threat (he averaged 20.8 yards per catch in 2009). His 153 yards at Notre Dame last year established the school record for most receiving yards in a game by a tight end. He was a sixth round NFL pick. Juniors **Rhett Ellison** (14 rec, 180 yds, 12.9 avg, 2 TD in 2010, plus 3 tac), who has 17 career starts at tight end and fullback, and **Blake Ayles** (1 rec, 54 yds, 54.0 avg in 2010) are the only tight ends on the 2009 roster who came into 2010 with any appreciable playing time at the position. Senior **Jordan Cameron** (13 rec, 97 yds, 7.5 avg, 1 TD in 2010, plus 1 tcb, 6 yds, 6.0 avg), who has also played basketball at USC, was moved from wide receiver to tight end prior to 2010 spring drills and he is thriving there. Sophomore walk-on **Eric Childs** is also available. Depth arrived in the fall when a pair of heralded prep All-Americans enrolled as freshmen: **Xavier Grimble** and **Randall Telfer**.

—Ellison had 3 catches for 34 yards against Hawaii, including stretching out for a 6-yard TD, while Cameron had his first career catch (an 11-yarder).

—Cameron caught 2 passes for 16 yards against Virginia, including a 4-yard TD.

—Ellison had 3 receptions for 45 yards against Minnesota.

—Ellison had a 29-yard reception against Washington State and Cameron had a 7-yarder.

—Cameron had a 14-yard catch against Washington.

—Cameron had 4 catches for 24 yards against Stanford.

—Ayles caught a career-long 54-yard pass against California, while Ellison had a 4-yard grab.

—Ellison (26 yards) and Cameron (15 yards) each had 2 receptions against Oregon.

—Ellison had 3 receptions for 32 yards, including a 7-yard TD, against Arizona, while Cameron had 2 catches for 10 yards.

—Ellison had a 10-yard catch and a tackle against Oregon State, while Cameron had a 6-yard run on a fake punt for a first down.

## OFFENSIVE LINEMEN

Three veteran USC offensive linemen from 2009 are gone: 3-year starting guard-center Jeff Byers, who was a 2009 All-Pac-10 first team choice, along with a pair of 2-year starters in 2009 All-American first team tackle Charles Brown and guard Alex Parsons. Brown was a NFL second rounder. But there are some gifted returning linemen with experience and some younger players with potential looking to make their mark. However, this 14-player unit is not particularly deep as offensive lines go. Three players returned from the 2009 starting lineup: a pair of seniors who have started for 2 previous years in center **Kristofer O'Dowd** and guard **Butch Lewis**, plus junior tackle **Tyron Smith** (1 rec, -1 yds, -1.0 avg in 2010, plus 2 BLK PAT). Also in the mix are 2 others who have started games at Troy: senior guard **Zack Heberer** (1 KOR, 5 yds, 5.0 avg in 2010, plus 1 tac), who has 5 career starts but none since 2008, and sophomore tackle **Matt Kalil** (he started the 2009 Emerald Bowl), now starting on the left side. They are joined by a group of players with little, if any, prior experience: soph guard **Khaled Holmes**, who has emerged as a starter on the right side, junior center **Michael Reardon** (1 BK FG in 2010), who has started 3 times at left guard in 2010, junior tackle **Martin Coleman** (injuries have hampered him throughout his career), sophomore center **Abe Markowitz**, a one-time walk-on who earned a scholarship in the fall of 2010 and who also is a thrower on the USC track team, and redshirt freshmen **Kevin Graf** at guard or tackle and **John Martinez** at guard. Then there are 2 walk-on freshmen: **Nathan Guertler** (a tackle) and **Patrick Kim** (a guard). Prep All-American center **Giovanni DiPaolo** came aboard in the fall as a freshman.

—Kalil, Lewis, O'Dowd, Holmes and Smith started against Hawaii, Virginia, Minnesota, Washington State, Washington, Stanford, California and Oregon.

—Kalil, Reardon, O'Dowd, Holmes and Smith started against Arizona State, Arizona and Oregon State.

## DEFENSIVE OVERVIEW

Starters returned at 6 defensive spots from 2009: linebackers **Chris Galippo**, **Malcolm Smith** and co-starters **Devon Kennard** and **Michael Morgan**, tackles **Jurrell Casey** and **Christian Tupou** and co-starting ends **Wes Horton** and **Armond Armstead**. Others back with starting experience were cornerback **Shareece Wright**, end **Nick Perry**, safety **Drew McAllister** and linebacker **Shane Horton** (although Tupou will redshirt this year with an injury). USC lost 5 of its top 10 tacklers from 2009 (including the No. 1 stopper) and its leaders in interceptions, deflections and forced fumbles, but the Trojans returned their

leaders in tackles for losses and fumble recoveries and a co-leader in sacks. Troy was 16<sup>th</sup> nationally in pass efficiency defense (106.0), 17<sup>th</sup> in sacks (2.7), 20<sup>th</sup> in tackles for loss (7.0) and 22<sup>nd</sup> in scoring defense (19.9) last year. But USC's defense, which allowed 340.5 yards in total defense (128.2 rushing), was not up to its normal high standard, particularly for a 5-game stretch in the middle of 2009 when it surrendered an average of 455.6 total yards and 34.8 points per outing (including a USC opponent record 55 points by Stanford). So, cutting down on these figures has been a point of emphasis in 2010.

## DEFENSIVE LINEMEN

The Trojans are well-stocked on the defensive line, after losing only end Everson Griffen from the 2009 lineup. He left for the NFL, where he was chosen in the fourth round, after a junior season that saw him record 8 sacks (tied for most on USC) among his 45 tackles. Both starting tackles from last season returned: promising junior **Jurrell Casey** (59 tac, team-best 10 for loss, team-best 4.5 sack, 1 int, 1 FR, 1 dfl in 2010), who topped the Trojans in fumble recoveries (3), and dependable senior **Christian Tupou**, a 2-year starter. But Tupou is redshirting in 2010 after injuring his knee on the final day of 2010 spring practice. Pushing for playing time at tackle are a trio of players who saw backup action in 2009: senior **Derek Simmons** (7 tac, 1 for loss, 3 dfl in 2010), who is also working at end, and juniors **DaJohn Harris** (32 tac, 5.5 for loss, 3.5 sack, 1 int, 1 FF, 1 FR in 2010), who has won the starting job, and **Hebron Fangupo** (4 tac in 2010), who broke his ankle early last season after transferring in from a junior college. There are also 2 walk-on tackles: senior **Tyler Grady**, a thrower on the USC track team, and freshman **Conrad Tavarez**. Last year's co-starters at end are back in sophomore **Wes Horton** (27 tac, 5.5 for loss, 4 sack, 2 dfl, 1 FF, 1 BLK P in 2010, plus 1 PR, 24 yds, 24.0 avg) and his later-in-the-season successor, junior **Armond Armstead** (34 tac, 4 for loss, 1 sack, 1 FR in 2010), who notched starts at both tackle and end in 2009 when he returned from a pre-season broken foot. Also in the starting mix at end is soph **Nick Perry** (19 tac, 5 for loss, 3 sack, 1 dfl, 1 FF in 2010), a 2009 Freshman All-American first teamer who was USC's sack co-leader last fall (he started once). Others looking for time at end are 2 redshirt freshmen who switched positions this spring, former linebacker **Kevin Greene** (2 tac in 2010) and ex-tight end/quarterback **James Boyd**. Three walk-ons—senior **Jeff Serrano** (he can also long snap) and juniors **Zack Kusnir** and **Peter Yobo**, a javelin thrower on the USC track team who can also play tight end—are also available at end. Entering the fray as freshmen were prep All-Americans **Gray Uko** at tackle and end **Christian Thomas** (5 tac in 2010), who originally was a tight end.

—Horton had 6 tackles against Hawaii, including 2 for losses (with a sack), while Casey added 4 stops (2 were sacks), Armstead had 3 tackles, Fangupo had 2, Greene and Thomas had 1 each and Simmons had a deflection.

—Casey had 10 tackles against Virginia, Horton added 4 tackles (including 1.5 for losses, with a sack), Harris had 4 tackles with a sack and Armstead (who played both tackle and end) and Perry each had a tackle.

—Casey had a team-best 9 tackles (0.5 for loss) against Minnesota, Armstead added 4 tackles (1.5 for loss), Harris had 3 stops, Horton had 2 tackles and Perry had 1.

—Horton had 3 tackles (with a sack) and a blocked punt against Washington State, while Harris and Perry each had 2 tackles (with a sack), Casey had 2 tackles (1 for a loss), Fangupo had 2 tackles, Simmons had a tackle for a loss and Greene and Thomas each had a tackle.

—Casey had 5 tackles against Washington, Armstead added 4 tackles (with a sack), Perry had 3 tackles and a deflection, Harris had 3 tackles (1.5 for loss) and Thomas had a tackle.

—Armstead had 3 tackles against Stanford, Casey had 2 tackles and recovered a fumble, Perry had 2 tackles (with a sack) and a forced fumble and Simmons and Thomas each had a tackle.

—Casey and Armstead each had 3 tackles (1 for a loss) against California, while Perry had 2 tackles (with a sack), Simmons had 2 deflections and Harris intercepted a point-blank pass and returned it 9 yards to set up a USC TD.

—Armstead had 7 tackles (0.5 for a loss) and a fumble recovery against Oregon, Harris had 6 tackles (with a sack, in which he forced a fumble), Casey had 5 tackles and intercepted a pass tipped at the line of scrimmage, Horton had 4 tackles and a deflection and Perry had 3 tackles.

—Casey had 5 tackles (1 for a loss, with 0.5 sack) against Arizona State, Harris also had 5 tackles (0.5 sack), Horton had 4 tackles and a deflection, Perry had 3 tackles (2 for a loss) and Simmons and Thomas each had a tackle.

—Casey had 6 tackles, including 2 for losses (with a sack), against Arizona, while Simmons added 2 tackles, Harris had a tackle and recovered a fumble to set up a USC touchdown and Horton had a tackle.

—Casey had 8 tackles, including 2.5 for losses (with a sack), and a deflection against Oregon State, while Harris and Armstead each also had 8 tackles (Harris had 0.5 for a loss), Horton added 3 tackles (with 1 sack) and a forced fumble and Perry had 2 tackles.

## LINEBACKERS

USC returned a slew of linebackers from 2009, including all of the starters. The unit, Troy's greenest a year ago, now has a season of quality experience to call upon. Senior **Malcolm Smith** (57 tac, 5.5 for loss, 1 sack, team-high 2 FF, 1 int for TD, 1 dfl in 2010) and junior **Chris Galippo** (22 tac, 2 for loss, 1 sack, 1 int, 1 FF in 2010)—a 2009 Sophomore All-American first team honoree—were second and third on the Trojans in tackles last fall while starting on the weak side and in the middle, respectively. Senior **Michael Morgan** (52 tac, 3 for loss, 0.5 sack, 3 dfl, 1 FR, 1 FF in 2010, plus 1 KOR, -1 yds, -1.0 avg), who topped Troy in tackles for losses in 2009, started the first 9 contests last year on the strong side before precocious sophomore **Devon Kennard** (69 tac, 7 for loss, 2 sack, 1 dfl in 2010) took over after switching from defensive end. Kennard is working at middle linebacker in 2010 and is the starter there. Battling this group for playing time are junior **Shane Horton** (27 tac, 6.5 for loss, 1 sack, 1 FF, 1 dfl in 2010), who started 3 times in 2009, and junior **Ross Cumming** (8 tac in 2010), who played often on special teams last year. Cumming is a one-time walk-on who earned a scholarship in the fall of 2010. There also are 2 redshirt freshmen in **Marquis Simmons** and **Simone Vehikite**, a converted fullback (he might double at fullback in 2010). A quartet of walk-ons—soph **Augusto Alonso** and **Austin Rittenour** and redshirt freshmen **Will Andrew** (2 tac in 2010) and **Luke Freeman**—are also available. Then there's prep All-American **Hayes Pullard**, a freshman.

—Smith had 6 tackles against Hawaii, Morgan added 4 tackles (1 for a loss) and a deflection, Kennard had 2 tackles (1 was a sack) and Galippo and Horton also had 2 stops each.

—Smith had 12 tackles against Virginia, Kennard added 7 tackles (0.5 for a loss) and Morgan had 5 stops.

—Smith and Kennard each had 4 tackles against Minnesota, Morgan had 3 stops and a fumble recovery and Galippo had 2 tackles (with a sack) and an interception.

—Kennard had a game-high 8 tackles against Washington State. Smith added 5 stops, Horton had 3 tackles (1 for a loss), Morgan had 3 tackles and Galippo had 2 tackles (1 for a loss).

—Kennard had 10 tackles (1 for a loss) against Washington. Smith added 8 tackles (2 for a loss), Morgan had 6 tackles (0.5 for loss) and Cumming had a tackle.

—Horton led USC with 10 tackles (2 for a loss) and had a forced fumble while coming off the bench early in the game against Stanford. Morgan and Kennard each had 7 tackles (Morgan also had a deflection), Galippo had 2 tackles and a forced fumble, Smith had a tackle for a loss before leaving with a knee injury and Cumming had a tackle.

—Against California, Galippo had 6 tackles while starting for the first time on the weak side, Kennard also had 6 tackles (1 for a loss) and had a deflection, Cumming and Andrew each had 2 tackles, Morgan had a tackle and Horton had a sack.

—Kennard had a game-high 13 tackles (1.5 for losses) against Oregon, while Horton added 11 stops (2.5 for losses) and a deflection off the bench, Morgan had 7 tackles and a deflection, Galippo had 3 stops and Cumming had 2.

—Smith had 7 tackles (with a sack), forced a fumble and returned an interception 74 yards for a TD against Arizona State to earn College Football Performance Awards National Defensive Player of the Week and National Linebacker of the Week honors, while Morgan had 4 tackles (0.5 sack), Kennard also had 4 tackles (0.5 for a loss) and Galippo and Cumming each had 1 tackle.

—Smith had 7 tackles (1.5 for losses) and forced a fumble that USC recovered to set up a field goal against Arizona, Morgan added 5 tackles (0.5 for loss) and a forced fumble and Galippo had 4 tackles.

—Kennard had 8 tackles, including 1.5 for a loss (with a sack), against Oregon State, Smith had 7 tackles, Morgan had 6 tackles (0.5 for a loss) and Cumming had 1 stop.

## DEFENSIVE BACKS

The entire USC secondary had to be replaced in 2010, as last year's 4 starters departed. Between them, they accounted for 645 tackles and 19 interceptions while starting 116 games during their careers. It was an impressive group, as evidenced by the fact that USC allowed a Pac-10 low 12 passing touchdowns in 2009 (including none in the first 5 games) and was 16<sup>th</sup> nationally in pass efficiency defense (106.0). Taylor Mays, a 3-time All-American first teamer while starting 4 years at free safety, posted 276 career tackles, including a team-high 96 in 2009. Cornerback Josh Pinkard was a 3-year starter with 167 career tackles, including 59 last season. Strong safety Will Harris led the 2009 Trojans in interceptions with 4 while notching 69 tackles and cornerback Kevin Thomas topped the team in deflections (11) while making 57 tackles. Mays was a second round NFL pick and Thomas went in the third round. The cupboard wasn't left completely bare, though. Cornerback **Shareece Wright** (60 tac, 7 for loss, 2.5 sack, team-high 8 dfl, team-high 2 FR, team-high 2 FF, 1 BLK FG in 2010), the only scholarship senior in this year's secondary, is a good one. He has 14 career starts, including in last year's Emerald Bowl after sitting out the 2009 regular season while academically ineligible. Others looking to earn significant time at cornerback are junior **T.J. Bryant** (3 tac in 2010) and sophomore **Brian Baucham** (16 tac, 1 dfl in 2010), who both spent time as USC's nickel back in 2009, plus redshirt freshman **Torin Harris** (13 tac, 1 FR, 1 dfl, 1 defensive PAT in 2010). Then there are 7 walk-on cornerbacks: senior **Omari Crittenden**, juniors **Daniel Harper** (8 tac in

2010), **Allen Noble**, **James Harbin**, **Boomer Roepke**, a former Trojan swimmer who can also punt, **Taylor Ashton**, who previously played at Arizona State, and **William Rojas** and sophomore **Tony Burnett** (10 tac in 2010), also a jumper on the USC track team. Taking over the safety jobs are promising sophomores **T.J. McDonald** (team-high 88 tac, 3 for loss, 1 sack, 4 dfl, team-high 3 int, 1 BLK P in 2010) at free safety and **Jawanza Starling** (37 tac, 1 int, 1 dfl in 2010), the strong safety who is also on the Trojan baseball team. Their backups are juniors **Drew McAllister** (1 tac in 2010), who started once last fall, and **Marshall Jones** (21 tac, 1.5 for loss, 3 dfl, 1 FF in 2010), who missed most of 2009 with a neck injury while playing cornerback. McAllister is sidelined in 2010 with a hip injury. Two walk-ons, sophomore **Cody Romness** and freshman **Greg Caruso**, also are available at safety. Then there's freshman safety **Patrick Hall**, who enrolled this spring. He originally signed with USC in 2009 but did not qualify for admission. He is coming off a knee injury. Adding to the secondary ranks as freshmen were 3 cornerbacks—prep All-Americans **Anthony Brown** and **Demetrius Wright** (3 tac in 2010), plus **Nickell Robey** (41 tac, 1.5 for loss, 3 dfl, team-high 3 int with 1 TD in 2010), who has emerged as a starter—and prep All-American safety **Dion Bailey**. Wright can also play safety.

—Robey became the first USC true freshman to start a season opener at cornerback in the post-World War II era when he had 6 tackles and a deflection against Hawaii, while Starling added 5 tackles, McDonald had 4 stops with a deflection, Shareece Wright had 3 tackles and a deflection, Harris had 2 tackles, Baucham, McAllister and Burnett each had a tackle and Jones had a deflection.

—McDonald had a game-best 14 tackles with an interception (in the end zone) and a deflection against Virginia, while Shareece Wright had 8 stops (1 for a loss) with a blocked field goal and a deflection, Starling had 5 tackles, Robey had 2 tackles and 2 deflections and Jones had a tackle.

—McDonald had 7 tackles (with a sack) against Minnesota, Shareece Wright added 5 tackles (1 for a loss) and a deflection, Robey also had 5 tackles, Starling had 4 tackles and an interception, Baucham, Harris and Harper each had 2 stops, and Bryant and Burnett both had a tackle.

—McDonald had 6 tackles (1 for a loss) and an interception that he ran back 20 yards against Washington State. Shareece Wright had 4 tackles and a deflection, Robey had 3 tackles and 2 interceptions (including a 25-yard TD return and an 8-yarder to set up a USC TD) to become the first Trojan freshman to get 2 picks in a game since Mike Salmon did so in 1990 against Arizona State, Starling had 3 tackles and a deflection, Jones had 2 tackles (1 for a loss), Bryant, Baucham and Demetrius Wright each had 2 tackles and Harper and Harris each had 1 stop.

—McDonald had a game-best 11 tackles against Washington. Shareece Wright added 8 stops and forced a fumble (when he punched the ball out of a ballcarrier's hands and out of the end zone for a touchback as the runner was about to score on a 54-yard run), Starling had 7 tackles, Robey had 5 tackles, Baucham had 4 tackles and a deflection, Harper had 3 tackles and Burnett had 2 tackles.

—Shareece Wright had 5 tackles (1 for a loss) and a fumble recovery against Stanford, Starling also had 5 tackles, McDonald added 4 stops, Robey and Baucham each had 2 tackles, Harris had a tackle and recovered a fumble (to set up a USC TD) and Burnett had a tackle.

—Jones had 5 tackles off the bench against California, McDonald had 3 tackles and an interception (to set up a USC TD), Shareece Wright had 3 tackles, Robey, Starling, Baucham and Harper each had 2 stops and Demetrius Wright and Burnett each had a tackle.

—Shareece Wright had 7 tackles (0.5 for a loss) and a deflection against Oregon, McDonald had 6 tackles (1 for a loss) and a deflection, Starling had 5 tackles, Jones had 4 stops and a forced fumble, Robey had 2 tackles and Burnett had 1 tackle.

—Against Arizona State, McDonald had a game-high 13 tackles and blocked a punt (he also partially blocked another punt and downed a punt at the ASU 4-yard line), Shareece Wright had 6 tackles (1.5 sacks) and 2 deflections, Robey had 6 tackles (0.5 for a loss) and an interception, Harris had 3 tackles, a deflection and returned a blocked PAT for a defensive PAT, Jones had a tackle (0.5 for a loss) and 2 deflections and Starling, Baucham and Burnett each had a tackle.

—McDonald had a game-high 10 tackles against Arizona. Shareece Wright had 4 tackles (with a sack), a forced fumble that USC recovered to set up a TD and a fumble recovery to set up a USC field goal, Harris had 4 tackles, Robey had 3 tackles (including 1 for a loss), Jones added 3 tackles while starting at strong safety and Burnett had a tackle.

—McDonald had a team-best 10 tackles with a deflection against Oregon State, Shareece Wright added 7 tackles (1 for a loss) with a deflection, Robey and Jones each had 5 tackles, Baucham had 2 tackles and Burnett had 1 stop.

## SPECIAL TEAMS OVERVIEW

USC's punter (**Jacob Harfman**), short snapper (**Chris Pousson**) and top kickoff returners (**C.J. Gable**, **Ronald Johnson** and **Curtis McNeal**) from last year were back in 2010. But a new placekicker, holder and punt returner had to be found. The Trojans were good last year on both sides of the punt return battle, ranking ninth nationally in punt returns (13.6) and third in opponent punt return yardage (2.1), and they are hoping to continue in that fashion. But they need to improve the other areas of special teams, particularly in kickoff returns and opponent kickoff return yardage (their 18.9 and 24.6 averages, respectively, were in the bottom 10 in the nation).

## SPECIALISTS

Senior **Jacob Harfman** (41.7 avg in 2010, plus 5 tac) took over the punting job from now-graduated walk-on Billy O'Malley after the third game of 2009 and he was consistent, if not spectacular. Nearly a third of his punts in 2009 (14 of 48) pinned foes within the 20-yard line and he had 5 that travelled at least 50 yards. In 2010, 13 of his 35 punts have pinned opponents within the 20 and 8 have measured at least 50 yards. The only other punters on the roster are untried junior walk-ons **Boomer Roepke**, also a cornerback, and **Kyle Negrete**, also a linebacker who punted the past 2 years at San Diego. Senior quarterback **Mitch Mustain** or senior placekicker **Joe Houston** (26.0 avg in 2010) could be used in an emergency. USC had to find a replacement for placekicker Jordan Congdon, who was deadly accurate inside the 40-yard line last fall (he was 11-of-12 from there). He hit 12-of-16 field goals overall and was perfect on his 41 PAT kicks in 2009 in his only season as USC's kicker. The choice was between senior **Jacob Harfman**, who handled the kickoffs and punts last year but missed his only field goal attempt (a 50-yarder at the end of the half against UCLA), and senior **Joe Houston** (38-of-38 PAT, 7-of-13 FG in 2010), whose only action last year was kicking the final point in USC's 56-3 season-opening win over San Jose State. Houston, a one-time walk-on who earned a scholarship in the fall of 2010, won the placekicking job while Harfman continues to kick off. Also available is freshman walk-on kicker **Craig McMahon**. As a kickoff man in 2009, Harfman kept opponents within the 20-



yard line a third of the time (on 22 of his 67 kickoffs, including 11 touchbacks). In 2010, 29 of Harfman's 66 kickoffs have pinned foes within the 20, including 14 touchbacks. Junior short snapper **Chris Pousson** (1 tac in 2010) is back after handling that job efficiently for the past 2 seasons. He has added the long snapping duty to his repertoire in 2010 now that 2-year long snapper Cooper Stephenson is gone. Soph quarterback **John Manoogian** and senior defensive end **Jeff Serrano**, both walk-ons, also are available to snap. A new holder had to be found in 2010 after last year's holder (quarterback-wide receiver Garrett Green) and his backup (punter Billy O'Malley) graduated. Senior quarterback **Mitch Mustain** is doing the job, backed by soph walk-on wide receiver **Robbie Boyer**. USC appeared set on kickoff returns, as 3 players who had at least 13 runbacks last year were back: senior tailback **C.J. Gable** (7 KOR, 186 yds, 26.6 avg in 2010), senior wide receiver **Ronald Johnson** (3 KOR, 57 yds, 19.0 avg in 2010) and sophomore tailback **Curtis McNeal**. Johnson is fifth on USC's career kickoff return list (1,321 yards) and Gable is right behind him in sixth (1,196 yards). Gable and freshman wide receiver **Robert Woods** (34 KOR, 869 yds, 25.6 avg, 1 TD in 2010, plus 1 PR, 4 yds, 4.0 avg) are handling the kickoff return duties now, with Johnson, senior tailback **Allen Bradford** and senior fullback **Stanley Havili** also available. Woods ranks ninth on USC's career kickoff return list (869 yards). His 869 kickoff returns yards and 34 kickoff returns in 2010 are school season records. Wide receiver Damian Williams, one of college football's best punt returners in 2009, is gone. His 14.2 average ranked ninth nationally and his 2 scoring punt returns (66 yards at California and 63 yards versus Oregon State) were 1 shy of the USC season record. His backup, tailback Joe McKnight, is also off to the NFL (he had 32 career punt returns). So there was an open call for a new punt return man, with Johnson (18 PR, 292 yds, 16.2 avg, 1 TD in 2010) winning the job, and Woods (1 PR, 4 yds, 4.0 avg in 2010) and freshman cornerback **Nickell Robey** the backups. Johnson is seventh nationally in punt returns (16.2, second in Pac-10).

—Against Hawaii, Harfman averaged 44.0 yards on his 2 punts (including a 52-yarder that pinned the Warriors within the 20-yard line) and 6 of his 8 kickoffs pinned the Warriors within the 20 (with 4 touchbacks), while Houston hit all 3 of his PATs.

—Against Virginia, Harfman averaged 42.7 yards on 7 punts (with a pair of 52-yarders) while he twice pinning the Cavaliers within the 20 and 1 of his 4 kickoffs was a touchback, while Houston hit both of his PATs along with a 34-yard field goal (he also missed a 47-yarder).

—Against Minnesota, Harfman averaged 36.7 yards on his 3 punts (including 1 that pinned the Gophers within the 20-yard line) and 1 of his 6 kickoffs was a touchback, while Houston hit both of his PATs but missed a 48-yard field goal.

—Against Washington State, Houston hit all 6 of his PATs but missed a 39-yard field goal, while 6 of Harfman's 8 kickoffs pinned the Cougars within the 20-yard line (with 4 touchbacks).

—Against Washington, Harfman averaged 37.0 yards on 2 punts (including 1 that pinned the Huskies within the 20-yard line) and 1 of his 6 kickoffs pinned UW within the 20 (he also made 2 tackles), while Houston hit all 4 of his PATs and was 1-of-2 on field goals (he made a 27-yarder, while his 40-yard try bounced off the upright).

—Against Stanford, Houston hit all 5 of his PATs, while Harfman averaged 45.0 on his 2 punts (1 pinned the Cardinal within the 20) and 1 of his 6 kickoffs pinned the Cardinal within the 20.

—Against California, Houston hit a pair of 27-yard field goals, all 6 of his PATs and even had a 26-yard pooch punt down to the Cal 8-yard line to earn Pac-10 Special Teams Player of the Week honors, while 5 of Harfman's 9 kickoffs pinned the Bears within the 20 (with a touchback).

—Against Oregon, Houston hit a 32-yard field goal and all 3 of his PATs, while Harfman averaged 45.2 yards on his 5 punts (2 traveled at least 50 yards and 2 pinned the Ducks within the 20) and 2 of his 6 kickoffs pinned the Ducks within the 20 (with a touchback).

—Against Arizona State, Houston hit a game-winning 29-yard field goal with 3:06 to play (after missing 2 first half short kicks) and made all 3 of his PATs, while Harfman averaged 43.5 yards on his 6 punts (with 4 pinning the Sun Devils within the 20 and 2 traveled at least 50 yards) and 1 of his 6 kickoffs pinned ASU within the 20.

—Against Arizona, Harfman averaged 42.5 yards on his 2 punts (1 pinned the Wildcats within the 20) and all 5 of his kickoffs pinned the Wildcats within the 20 (with 2 touchbacks), while Houston hit a 30-yard field goal that proved to be the decisive points and all 3 of his PATs.

—Against Oregon State, Harfman averaged 38.0 yards on his 6 punts (with a 52-yarder) and kicked off twice, while Houston hit his only PAT.

#### ASSISTANT COACHES

As soon as he was hired, head coach Lane Kiffin immediately assembled an all-star coaching staff, including legendary former Trojan defensive line assistant/recruiting maven **Ed Orgeron** and defensive guru **Monte Kiffin**, who is Lane's father and was Pete Carroll's defensive mentor. Orgeron now is the defensive coordinator and defensive line coach in addition to serving as the recruiting coordinator, while the elder Kiffin has been appointed assistant head coach. Both men were on the younger Kiffin's staff at Tennessee. Also new to the staff are linebackers coach **Joe Barry** (a one-time Trojan linebacker who spent the past 10 years as an assistant in the NFL), offensive coordinator/running backs coach **Kennedy Pola** (a former USC player and assistant coach who was an NFL assistant the past 6 years), another pair of Tennessee assistants under Kiffin in offensive line coach **James Cregg** and secondary coach **Willie Mack Garza**, plus quarterbacks coach **Clay Helton** (who came from Memphis) and special teams coordinator **John Baxter** from Fresno State, who also is the associate head coach. Former Trojan greats and NFLers **Keary Colbert** (tight ends) and **Sammy Knight** (safeties) returned as graduate assistant coaches. They all joined holdover **John Morton** (passing game coordinator/wide receivers).

#### NEW ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

**Pat Haden**, a Rhodes Scholar quarterback at USC and with the Los Angeles Rams who then became a successful businessman and football broadcast analyst, assumed the athletic directorship at his alma mater on Aug. 3. He brought with him as a senior assistant athletic director for football his boyhood friend, one-time USC and NFL receiver **J.K. McKay**, the son of legendary USC coach John McKay.

#### DECIDED AT 0:00

For the first season in its history, USC in 2010 has lost a pair of games (back-to-back versus Washington and Stanford) when the opponent scored with 0:00 on the clock in regulation. Here's a look at Trojan regulation games that have been lost or tied at the gun:

YEAR	OPPONENT	RESULT	HOW SCORED
1944	UCLA	T, 13-13	TD
1975	Stanford	L, 13-10	FG
1986	Notre Dame	L, 38-37	FG
2000	Stanford	L, 32-30	TD
2001	Washington	L, 27-24	FG
2010	Washington	L, 32-31	FG
2010	Stanford	L, 37-35	FG

And here are the games that USC has won or tied by scoring as time expired in regulation:

YEAR	OPPONENT	RESULT	HOW SCORED
1969	Stanford	W, 26-24	FG
1980	Tennessee	W, 20-17	FG
1983	Florida	T, 19-19	TD*
1986	Baylor	W, 17-14	FG

\*USC missed extra point (In 1982, USC scored on the final play against UCLA, but failed on a 2-point try to lose, 20-19)

#### STATS OF NOTE

##### WINS

\*\*\*USC has won 84 of its last 97 games, 95 of its last 110, 96 of its last 112, 98 of its last 115 and 102 of its last 120 (14 wins later vacated due to NCAA penalty).

\*\*\*USC has won 51 of its past 57 home games (6 wins later vacated due to NCAA penalty), although 4 of those losses have come within the past 8 home contests.

##### OFFENSE

\*\*\*Offensively, USC is ranked 21<sup>st</sup> nationally in total offense (443.1, fourth in Pac-10).

\*\*\*USC's 6.2 yards per play in 2010 is tied for its sixth highest average since records were first kept in 1948 (behind 2005's 7.5).

\*\*\*USC has had 600-plus yards of total offense in a game twice in 2010 (613 at Washington State and 602 versus California).

\*\*\*USC is converting 83.3% (40-of-48, with 33 TDs and 7 field goals) of its chances in the red zone.

\*\*\*All 5 of USC's running backs who have carried the ball in 2010 are averaging at least 4.4 yards per carry, including 3 who are averaging at least 6.0.

\*\*\*USC has allowed just 17 sacks in 11 games in 2010.

##### SCORING

\*\*\*USC has had 7 touchdowns in 2010 of at least 50 yards (and 9 of 40-plus yards).

\*\*\*USC is outscored its opponents in each of the first 3 quarters of 2010, but has been outscored 104-55 in the fourth quarter.

\*\*\*USC has scored at least 20 points in 108 of its past 118 contests (including a since-broken NCAA record 63 consecutive games, a streak that was snapped in the 2006 UCLA game).

\*\*\*USC has scored at least 30 points in 73 of its last 107 games, including its 7 consecutive games in one stretch in 2010.

\*\*\*USC has scored at least 40 points 48 times since the start of the 2001 season (including 18 times with at least 50 points).

\*\*\*Since trailing late in the third quarter at Oregon State in 2006, 33-10, USC has outscored its opponents by nearly double, 1,819-960.

\*\*\*USC has a knack for scoring 20 or more unanswered points in a game (4 times in 2010, 3 times in 2009, 11 times in 2008, 8 times in 2007, 5 times in 2006, 13 times in 2005, 12 times in 2004 and 11 times in both 2003 and 2002).

\*\*\*Since the start of the 2001 season, USC has nearly doubled the score of its opponents in the second half of games (2,144 to 1,104 points).

\*\*\*Since 2003, USC has scored touchdowns of 20-plus yards 169 times.

## DEFENSE

\*\*\*The most recent season before this one that USC has allowed 500-plus yards of total offense in 3 games was in 1970 (also 3 times).

\*\*\*Opponents have scored on their final drives in 8 of USC's 11 games in 2010 (all but Washington State and Oregon, which scored on their second-to-last possession, and Arizona State).

\*\*\*Of the 50 opponent scoring drives against USC in 2010, 21 have been at least 70 yards (with 11 at least 80 yards).

\*\*\*USC is allowing 413.4 total yards per game in 2010, the most allowed since records were first kept in 1955.

\*\*\*USC is allowing 272.3 passing yards per game in 2010, the second most allowed since records were first kept in 1955.

\*\*\*USC has intercepted a pass in 83 of the last 112 games.

\*\*\*USC has held 72 of its last 115 opposing teams to 100 rushing yards or less (4 times in 2010, 9 times in 2009, 10 times in 2008, 10 times in 2007, 6 times in 2006, 5 times in 2005, 8 times in 2004, 10 games in 2003 and 10 times in 2002).

\*\*\*Only 20 opposing runners have rushed for 100 yards against USC in the past 104 games (most recently, Oregon State's Jacquizz Rodgers in 2010 with 128).

\*\*\* Since the start of the 2001 season, USC is 56-3 when holding opponents to less than 300 yards of total offense (the losses were at UCLA in 2006, Stanford in 2007 and Washington in 2009).

## MISCELLANEOUS

\*\*\*On special teams, USC is fifth nationally in punt returns (16.4, second in Pac-10) and 19<sup>th</sup> in kickoff returns (24.3, fourth in Pac-10).

\*\*\*The most recent season before this one that USC had a scored a touchdown on a punt return, kickoff return and interception return was 1998.

\*\*\*2010 is the first season that USC has suffered a pair of losses on the game's final play of regulation.

\*\*\*This is the first time that USC has suffered consecutive losses by a combined 3 points or less since 1958 (when it had 1-point losses to Michigan and North Carolina).

\*\*\*This is the first season ever that USC has had 5 games decided by 3 or less points.

\*\*\*USC has played before crowds of at least 85,000 in 39 of its past 92 games.

\*\*\*Twenty of USC's last 38 home games (including a since-ended streak of 14 in a row) have been played in front of 90,000-plus crowds.

## RANDOM NOTES

\*\*\*The USC football program is on probation until June 9, 2014 for NCAA violations involving agent and amateurism issues, lack of institutional control, impermissible inducements, extra benefits, exceeding coach staff limits and unethical conduct. The penalties include: public reprimand and censure; four years of probation through June 9, 2014; post-season ban for the 2010 and 2011 seasons; one-year show cause penalty (through June 9, 2011) for an assistant football coach; vacation of wins from December 2004 through the 2005 season; limit of 15 initial scholarships and 75 total scholarships for each of the 2011-12, 2012-13 and 2013-14 years; \$5,000 fine; disassociation of a former football player; prohibit non-university personnel from traveling on team charters, attending practices and camps, and having access to sidelines and locker rooms. USC is appealing selected penalties.

\*\*\*USC's 2010 captains, as elected by their teammates during fall camp, are: QB **Matt Barkley**, FB **Stanley Havili**, LBs **Malcolm Smith** and **Michael Morgan** and CB **Shareece Wright**. Barkley is the first sophomore ever named a USC captain.

\*\*\*Former USC All-American fullback **Sam "Bam" Cunningham**, whose performance in USC's 1970 win at Alabama helped integrate Southern football and whose 4-touchdown outing in the 1973 Rose Bowl earned him Player of the Game honors, was named to the 14-member 2010 Football Bowl Subdivision Class of the College Football Hall of Fame. Cunningham will be inducted at a Dec. 7 dinner in New York City and then enshrined into the College Football Hall of Fame in ceremonies in the summer of 2011 in South Bend, Ind. He is the 37th Trojan, including 29 players, in the College Football Hall of Fame. A Trojan has been elected into the Hall in 9 of the past 11 years. Cunningham, a 3-year (1970-72) letterman at USC, earned All-American honors in 1972 while captaining the Trojans to the national championship that season. He was Troy's Back of the Year that season. He rushed for 1,579 yards and 23 touchdowns in his career (including 13 TDs in 1972) and added 34 receptions for 293 yards and 2 scores. As a sophomore in 1970, his 135-yard, 2-TD debut performance in the Trojans' season-opening 42-21 victory over Alabama in Birmingham provided a catalyst for the integration of college football in the South. Cunningham's 4 short goal line dives against Ohio State in the 1973 Rose Bowl earned him game MVP honors and he was later inducted into the Rose Bowl Hall of Fame in 1992. He played in the 1973 Hula Bowl, College All-Star Game and Coaches All-America Game. He was inducted into the USC Athletic Hall of Fame in 2001. Drafted 11th overall in the 1973 NFL Draft's first round by the New England, he played 9 seasons for the Patriots. He was named to the AFC Pro Bowl team in 1978. Cunningham currently works as a landscape contractor in Inglewood, Calif.

\*\*\*USC has only 73 scholarship players on its 2010 roster, well below the NCAA maximum of 85.

\*\*\*Six first-year freshmen have played for USC in 2010, including 2 who have started.

\*\*\*USC currently has 4 players who graduated a semester early from high school and enrolled at USC in the spring. OT **Martin Coleman** enrolled in the spring of 2007, QB **Matt Barkley** enrolled in the spring of 2009 and both TB **Dillon Baxter** and WR **Kyle Prater** enrolled in the spring of 2010. Since 1999, 15 Trojans have graduated at least a semester early from high school and come to USC (including 1 who graduated a full year early).

\*\*\*Associate head coach/special teams coordinator **John Baxter** brought his innovative study-skills program, "Academic Gameplan," with him from Fresno State this year...and it immediately produced marked results with USC's football team. Following its implementation in the spring of 2010, the Trojan football team had more players record a 3.0 grade point average than in the past 11 years and the team's overall GPA was its highest in 14 semesters. A third of the USC team either posted a 3.0 GPA or had their highest-ever GPA. Baxter's highly-regarded program was similarly successful during his 13 years at Fresno State, producing 141 Academic All-WAC players and an NCAA APR score nearly 20 percentage points higher than the national average.

\*\*\*USC's roster features 2 Gatorade National High School Football Players of the Year: QBs **Mitch Mustain** (2005) and **Matt Barkley** (2007).

\*\*\*Who's the fastest among the 2010 Trojans? It might be WR **Robert Woods** (bests of 21.01 in the 200 and 46.17 in the 400), who at the 2010 California state was second in the 400 and third in the 200 (he also was third in the 400 in the 2009 state meet). Or perhaps TB **D.J. Morgan** (bests of 10.6 in the 100, 21.8 in the 200 and 13.28 in the 110-meter high hurdles), who won the 2009 California state high hurdles and was second in the 300-meter intermediate hurdles (he also won the highs at the 2009 IAAF World Youth Championships).

\*\*\*Speaking of track and field, several other Trojan footballers shined in high school at their state meets. CB **Brian Baucham** won the 300-meter intermediate hurdles title at the 2008 California state meet despite taking up the event in just the final 6 weeks of his senior season. TE **Blake Ayles** was second at the 2008 California state meet in the discus throw. C **Abe Markowitz** was second at the 2008 Hawaii state meet in the shot put and discus. OT **Kevin Graf** was third in the shot put at the 2009 California state meet.

\*\*\*Several USC football players have participated on other Trojan athletic teams. TE **Jordan Cameron** played forward on the men's basketball team in 2009, C **Abe Markowitz** was a thrower on the track squad in 2009 and 2010, CB-P **Boomer Roepke** swam for the Trojans in 2008 and 2009, CB **Tony Burnett** was a jumper on the 2010 track team, DE-TE **Peter Yobo** threw the javelin on the 2010 track squad and DT **Tyler Grady** was a discus thrower on the 2009 and 2010 track teams.

\*\*\*Two Trojans previously participated in rugby. OT **Martin Coleman**, who grew up on the Tongan island of Vavau, played rugby as a youngster. FB **Hunter Simmons** was a member of the 2008 USA Under-18 National Rugby Team that competed in England.

## ON TV

USC is one of America's most televised teams. The Trojans have appeared on live national, regional or local telecasts 410 times, including 276 of the past 278 games (USC's last 117 games have been televised live, a school record). USC also had a streak of 111 consecutive games on some form of live television from 1988 to 1997 (snapped against Oregon State) and another streak of 48 in a row from 1997 to 2001 (broken against California).

\*\*\*Two Trojans—LB **Michael Morgan** (public policy, management and planning) and PK **Joe Houston** (social sciences psychology)—already received their bachelor's degrees.

\*\*\*OG **Martin Coleman** had some of his sculpture pieces displayed at the 2008 and 2009 "Artletics" on-campus exhibits that featured the works of USC student-athletes, while some of QB **Mitch Mustain's** artwork was exhibited at the 2010 "Artletics" event.

\*\*\*In the summer of 2009, C **Kristofer O'Dowd** and some of his classmates in his USC Writing 340 class helped create an online summer school website for elementary school students in the Los Angeles Unified School District., where summer classes were eliminated for financial reasons. O'Dowd produced content for the language arts program for kindergartners through second graders on SOSClassroom.org.

\*\*\*C **Abe Markowitz** is a member of one of Samoa's royal families, the Aiga Sa Malietoa, and he was selected as a "Talking Chief" of the family. He also is a cousin of the King of Tonga.

\*\*\***Frankie Telfort**, a 2009 USC freshman linebacker signee from Gulliver Prep in Miami, Fla., did not receive medical clearance because of a heart defect (hypertrophic cardiomyopathy), but he has remained with the Trojans as a student assistant coach.

\*\*\*In 2010, Athlon selected USC as the No. 2 "Most Attractive Coaching Job" in college football.

\*\*\*In 2009, USC was named "Team of the Decade" by both CBSSports.com and Football.com, as well as the "Program of the Decade" by SI.com, plus was No. 1 in CollegeFootballNews.com's "5-Year Program Rankings" and was ranked No. 2 in ESPN.com's "Prestige Rankings" among all schools since 1936 (behind Oklahoma).

\*\*\*USC's current coaching staff has a combined 57 years of experience coaching in the NFL. **Monte Kiffin** spent 26 years coaching in the NFL, followed by **Joe Barry** (10), **John Morton** (9), **Kennedy Pola** (6), **Lane Kiffin** (3), **James Cregg** (2) and **Ed Orgeron** (1). Between them, they have coached with 22 NFL playoff teams, including in 3 Super Bowls (2 Super Bowl winners). In all, the Trojan staff has 208 years of coaching experience at all levels. Collegiately, they have coached in 76 bowls or playoffs, including on 9 national championship teams. The staff also has 442 years of college playing experience and 22 years of pro playing experience.

\*\*\*Defensive coordinator/recruiting coordinator/defensive line coach **Ed Orgeron** broke his foot in practice early in the 2010 season, had surgery and was on crutches and/or a walking boot for the first three-fourths of the season while coaching in practice and during games.

\*\*\*Defensive coordinator/recruiting coordinator/defensive line coach **Ed Orgeron** played himself in the 2009 Oscar-nominated movie, "The Blind Side."

\*\*\*USCTrojans.com, USC's official athletics website, features live game broadcasts and stat trackers, replays of classic contests, exclusive behind-the-scenes video, a widely-read blog and original programming (including the popular football documentaries, "Project Trojan" and "Trojans 360") covering all 19 of USC's men's and women's sports. Nearly all of USC's home sporting events are shown live. Most home and road football, basketball and other sports' games that are aired live on commercial or cable television networks, and thereby protected contractually from live coverage elsewhere, are replayed upon their conclusion on USCTrojans.com. Also featured are daily post-practice reports and coverage of breaking news pertaining to Trojan athletics. All programming is archived for later viewing. USCTrojans.com also has an online athletic merchandise store and ticket office. USCTrojans.com also can be followed on Facebook (Facebook.com/pages/USC-Trojans-Official-Page/124984464200434) and Twitter (Twitter.com/USC\_Athletics), with many of the videos also posted on YouTube (YouTube.com/USCAthletics). The USC Trojan Text Alert program allows fans to get real-time news about the Trojans (text "Trojans" to 51234). There is also an iPhone application for USCTrojans.com. Local AT&T U-verse customers can watch free on-demand videos from USCTrojans.com in the "College Football Extras" category.

\*\*\*The Trojan Marching Band and the USC Song Girls were named the nation's best by ESPN.com in 2009: "Nothing says 'glamour school' more than the ubiquitous presence of the USC Song Girls and the Trojans Marching Band...The Spirit of Troy brings one of the most stirring sounds in college football, while the USC Song Girls give Trojans games one of the sport's most indelible sights."

\*\*\*Eight Trojans have relatives who played on national championship USC football squads: CB **Taylor Ashton** (brother, Collin, was on the 2003 and 2004 teams), TE **Rhett Ellison** (father, Riki Gray Ellison, was on the 1978 team), OT **Kevin Graf** (father, Allan, was on the 1972 team), S **Patrick Hall** (cousin, Keary Colbert, was on the 2003 team), OG **Khaled Holmes** (brother, Alex, was on the 2003 and 2004 teams), OT **Matt Kalil** (brother, Ryan, was on the 2003 and 2004 teams), LB **Marquis Simmons** (brother, Melvin "Champ," was on the 2003 team) and LB **Malcolm Smith** (brother, 2006 All-American Steve Smith, was on the 2003 and 2004 teams). Also, head coach **Lane Kiffin** and assistant coach **Ed Orgeron** were USC assistant coaches on the 2003 and 2004 teams and assistant coach **Kennedy Pola** was a Trojan assistant on the 2003 team, while graduate assistant coach **Keary Colbert** played on the 2003 team.

\*\*\*Several Trojans have other relatives with USC football connections. OT **Kevin Graf's** brother, Derek, lettered at center at USC in 2002. C **Abe Markowitz's** grandfather, Larry, played football at USC in the early 1950s, while his cousin is former USC offensive lineman Faaesea Mailo (1996, 1999-2002) and his distant cousins are former (2005-08) Trojan linebackers Rey Maualuga and Kaluka Maiava. ST.J. **McDonald's** father, Tim was a 2-time (1985-86) All-American and 4-year (1983-86) letterman safety at USC, where he was the team MVP his final 2

seasons, was Troy's 1986 captain and helped the Trojans win the 1985 Rose Bowl. FB **K.C. Pola's** father, Kennedy, played at USC (1982-5) and is now USC's offensive coordinator/running backs coach, while his cousin is Troy Polamalu, a 2-time (2001-02) All-American safety at USC. Graduate assistant coach **Keary Colbert's** cousins are former Arizona State defensive lineman Tommie Townsend (1999-2001), who also attended USC, and current USC freshman safety Patrick Hall. Graduate assistant coach **Sammy Knight** has 2 brothers who played at USC: Ryan lettered 4 years (1984-87) at tailback for USC and led the Trojans in rushing in 1985 and 1986 (he is 20<sup>th</sup> on USC's career rushing list with 1,875 yards) and Darryl lettered 3 years (1998-2000) at linebacker at Troy.

\*\*\*Speaking of genes: DE **Armond Armstead's** uncle, Willie Armstead, was a cornerback at Chico State in the 1980s. WR-TE **David Ausberry's** cousin is Tommie Smith, the 1968 Olympic gold medalist in the 200 meters who is long remembered for giving the "Black Power" salute (with John Carlos) on the medal stand. QB **Matt Barkley's** father, Les, lettered for 4 years (1976-79) in water polo at USC, captaining the Trojans his final 2 seasons and earning All-American second team notice in 1979. TB **Dillon Baxter's** stepfather, Anthony Mooney, is a heavyweight boxer. WR **Robbie Boyer's** father, Rob Boyer, lettered 4 years (1984-87) in water polo at Pepperdine (he earned all-league second team honors as a junior and captained the Waves as a senior) and his grandfather, Bob Boyer, was a 2-time All-American swimmer at Oregon who won the Pac-8 50-yard freestyle in 1967 and 1968. WR **Brice Butler's** father, Bobby, was a 1980 All-American cornerback at Florida State who then played 12 years (1981-92) with the Atlanta Falcons, while his brother, Brenton, was on Fordham's basketball team (2007-10). TE **Jordan Cameron's** sister, Brynn, was a guard on USC's women's basketball team (2005-09), while his grandfather, Jack Cravens, played basketball and baseball at BYU (1957-59). TE **Rhett Ellison's** sister, Wesley, played water polo at Michigan for 4 years (2004-07). OG **Khaled Holmes'** father, Mike, lettered at defensive end at Michigan (1974-75). LB **Shane Horton** and DE **Wes Horton** are the sons of Myke Horton, who lettered 2 years (1973-74) as an offensive tackle at UCLA, was drafted by the New England Patriots in 1975, played professionally in the USFL (with Washington and Memphis) and the CFL (with Calgary), then was one of the original members of the syndicated TV show "American Gladiators" (he was Gemini from 1989 to 1992); their mother, Julie, played tennis at South Alabama and their sister, Taylor, is a sophomore on the Fresno State women's volleyball team. S **Marshall Jones'** brother, Malcolm, is a freshman running back at UCLA. OT **Matt Kalil's** father, Frank, was a center at Arkansas (1978) and Arizona (1980-81-82), then was drafted by the Buffalo Bills in 1982 before playing for the USFL's Arizona Wranglers in 1983 and Houston Gamblers in 1984. LB **Devon Kennard's** father, Derek, was an All-American offensive lineman at Nevada (lettering from 1981 to 1983) who then played 2 years in the USFL (Los Angeles Express) and 11 seasons in the NFL (St. Louis/Phoenix Cardinals, New Orleans Saints and Dallas Cowboys), including on the Cowboys' 1995 team that won the Super Bowl, while his brother, Derek Jr., was a 4-year (2000-03)

football letterman at Nevada. C **Abe Markowitz's** father, Barry, lettered as a linebacker at UCLA in 1974, his great grandfather, Richard Love, played basketball and tennis at UCLA in the 1920s and his cousins include former Hawaii and San Francisco 49er offensive lineman Jesse Sapolu and Colorado sophomore offensive guard Maxwell Tuioti-Mariner. OG **John Martinez's** cousins, Henry (1994-95), Jeff (1994-96), Doug (1998-2001) and Jason (2000-03) Kaufusi all played football at Utah, with Doug later playing in the NFL and CFL, and cousins Steve (1985-87) and Rich (1989-90) played football at BYU, with Steve now an assistant coach at BYU, while his brother Keni Kaufusi is a redshirt freshman defensive lineman at California. S **Drew McAllister's** father, Ken, lettered as a defensive back at California in 1976 and 1977 (he led the team in punt returns both season and in kickoff returns in 1976), while his mother was a Golden Bears' cheerleader. S T.J. **McDonald's** brother, Tevin, is a freshman defensive back at UCLA. LB **Michael Morgan's** brother, Steve, was a defensive tackle at UCLA from 1999 to 2002. P-LB **Kyle Negrete's** father, Jeff, played football at Fresno State (1983-84), while his grandfather, Jim Sweeney, was the head football coach at Montana State (1963-67), Washington State (1968-75) and Fresno State (1967-77, 1980-86), posting 200 career wins, his uncle, Kevin Sweeney, played at Fresno State (1983-86) and his cousins are Cal sophomore QB Beau Sweeney and Washington soph S Nate Fellner. C **Kristofer O'Dowd's** grandfather, Jack, lettered in football at Arizona for 3 years (1930-32). FB **K.C. Pola's** uncle, Ao Polamalu, played football at Penn State (1985-87), his cousin, Nicky Sualua, played running back in the NFL with Dallas and Cincinnati after attending Ohio State, while 3 other cousins played college football: Leie Sualua was a defensive lineman at Oregon, Joe Polamalu was at Oregon State in 1987 and 1988 and Kaio Aumua played at UTEP. LB **Marquis Simmons's** brother, Marvin, lettered in 2004 at linebacker for Kansas State. S **Jawanza Starling's** cousin, Bryan Evans, was a cornerback at Georgia (2006-09). DT **Christian Tupou's** brother, Fenuki, was an offensive tackle at Oregon (2007-08) who then played with the Philadelphia Eagles. TB **Marc Tyler's** father, Wendell Tyler, was a running back at UCLA (1973-76) who led the Bruins in rushing in 1975 (they won the Rose Bowl that season), earned All-Conference first team honors in 1976 and is fifth on the school's career rushing list, then was an All-Pro with the Los Angeles Rams (1977-82) and San Francisco 49ers (1983-86), appearing in the Super Bowl in 1980 and 1985. WR **Robert Woods's** father and grandfather (both also named Robert) played football at Grambling. Head coach **Lane Kiffin's** father, Monte (now USC's assistant head coach), has 44 years of coaching experience on the collegiate and NFL levels, having been on the staffs of programs that won 2 national championships (at Nebraska) and a Super Bowl (Tampa Bay Buccaneers); his brother, Chris, was a defensive lineman at Colorado State (2001-04) who was then an offensive intern at Nebraska and now is a defensive assistant at USC; his father-in-law, John Reaves, was a former quarterback at Florida and 11 years in the NFL (Philadelphia Eagles, Cincinnati Bengals, Minnesota Vikings, Houston Oilers, Tampa Bay Buccaneers) and 3 years in the USFL (Tampa Bay Bandits) who

then was an assistant coach at Florida and South Carolina; his brother-in-law, David Reaves, was a quarterback at Appalachian State and then an assistant at South Carolina, Tennessee and now New Mexico; and another brother-in-law, Stephen Reaves, played quarterback at Michigan State and Southern Miss and for the CFL's Toronto Argonauts. Linebackers coach **Joe Barry's** father, Mike, was a college assistant coach at Southern Illinois, Arizona, Iowa State, Colorado, North Carolina State and Tennessee in addition to USC (1993-97) before joining the Lions, while his father-in-law, Rod Marinelli is a long-time college (Utah State, California, Arizona State) and pro (Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Chicago Bears) assistant who had stints as a USC assistant (1995) and as the Lions' head coach (2006-08). Associate head coach/special teams coordinator **John Baxter's** father-in-law is current Weber State head coach Ron McBride, formerly the head coach at Utah. Quarterbacks coach **Clay Helton's** father, Kim was Houston's head coach from 1993 to 1999, as well as an assistant in college (Florida, Miami and currently the offensive coordinator at Alabama Birmingham), the NFL (Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Houston Oilers, Los Angeles Raiders, Washington Redskins) and the CFL (Toronto Argonauts) following his playing career at Florida; his brother, Tyson, is the quarterbacks coach at Alabama Birmingham after assistant coaching stops at Memphis and Hawaii and playing at Houston. Offensive coordinator/running backs coach **Kennedy Pola's** brother, Ao Polamalu, played football at Penn State (1985-87), his nephew, Nicky Sualua, played running back in the NFL with Dallas and Cincinnati after attending Ohio State, while 3 other nephews played college football: Leie Sualua was a defensive lineman at Oregon, Joe Polamalu was at Oregon State in 1987 and 1988 and Kaio Aumua played at UTEP. Graduate assistant coach **Sammy Knight's** father, Sam Sr., played on a California state championship basketball team at Riverside (Calif.) Community College in the early 1960s that was coached by Jerry Tarkanian, and one of his brothers, Greg, played defensive line at Colorado in 1986. Strength and conditioning coach **Aaron Ausmus's** wife, Andrea, was a former thrower on Tennessee's track squad who previously worked in the USC football office.

\*\*\*OG **Butch Lewis's** real first name is Wendell and CB-P **Boomer Roepke's** is Peter. TB **C.J. Gable's** initials stand for Carl Jr., CB **T.J. Bryant's** stand for Tevin JeVon, S **T.J. McDonald's** stand for Tim Jr., TB **D.J. Morgan's** stand for Dale Jr. and FB **K.C. Pola's** stand for Kennedy Christopher.

#### IN THE NFL

USC is always well-represented in the NFL. At the start of training camp this summer, there were 54 ex-Trojans on NFL rosters. Last year, there were 36 Trojans on opening day NFL rosters, including players such as QBs Carson Palmer, Matt Leinart, Matt Cassel and Mark Sanchez, RBs Reggie Bush and LenDale White, LBs Lofa Tatupu, Keith Rivers, Brian Cushing, Rey Maulaluga and Clay Matthews, DBs Troy Polamalu and Terrell Thomas, DLs Mike Patterson, Sedrick Ellis and Lawrence Jackson, WR Steve Smith, OLs Taitusi Lutui, Ryan Kalil and Sam Baker and TE Fred Davis. Four NFL head coaches have USC ties (either as former players or assistants): Seattle's Pete

Carroll, Jacksonville's Jack Del Rio, Tennessee's Jeff Fisher and San Diego's Norv Turner. Fourteen current USC players have relatives with NFL playing backgrounds: WR **Brice Butler** (father, Bobby), TE **Rhett Ellison** (father, Riki Gray Ellison), S **Patrick Hall** (cousin, Keary Colbert), OG **Khaled Holmes** (brother, Alex), OT **Matt Kail** (brother, Ryan), LB **Devon Kennard** (father, Derek), C **Abe Markowitz** (cousin, Jesse Sapolu), OG **John Martinez** (cousin, Doug Kaufusi), S T.J. **McDonald** (father, Tim), P-LB **Kyle Negrete** (uncle, Kevn Sweeney), FB **K.C. Pola** (cousins, Troy Polamalu and Nicky Sualua), LB **Malcolm Smith** (brother, Steve), DT **Christian Tupou** (brother, Fenuki) and TB **Marc Tyler** (father, Wendell). Myke Horton, father of LB **Shane Horton** and DE **Wes Horton**, played in the USFL and CFL, while OT **Matt Kalil's** father, Frank, played in the USFL. Additionally, head coach **Lane Kiffin** was an NFL head coach and assistants **Monte Kiffin**, **Ed Orgeron**, **Kennedy Pola**, **Joe Barry**, **James Cregg**, **John Morton** were NFL assistants. Two assistant coaches played professionally: **Monte Kiffin** was in the CFL, while **John Morton** was in the CFL and NFL Europe. Graduate assistant coaches **Keary Colbert** and **Sammy Knight** played in the NFL (Colbert also played in the UFL).

#### ACADEMICS

Twenty Trojans have cumulative grade point averages of 2.75 or higher (through spring 2010 semester), including 1 with a 4.00 and 10 with 3.00 or better. Among the top scholars on the 2010 Trojan squad are: QB **Brett Kan** (4.00, business administration), DE-SNP **Jeff Serrano** (3.48, business administration), LB **Devon Kennard** (3.37, communication), S **Cody Romness** (3.33, music industry), S **Drew McAllister** (3.22, public policy, management and planning), QB **John Manoogian** (3.17, business administration), QB **Matt Barkley** (3.11, communication), LB **Luke Freeman** (3.10, human performance), OG **Khaled Holmes** (3.09, communication), C **Michael Reardon** (3.09, communication), TE **Eric Childs** (2.97, biomedical engineering/mechanical engineering), PK **Jacob Harfman** (2.90, human performance), PK **Joe Houston** (2.89, social sciences psychology), SNP **Chris Pousson** (2.86, sociology), CB **James Harbin** (2.82, political science), TE **Rhett Ellison** (2.81, international relations), DT **Hebron Fangupo** (2.81, sociology), WR **Robbie Boyer** (2.80, communication), DT **Christian Tupou** (2.79, political science) and CB **Daniel Harper** (2.76, business administration). Kennard made the 2010 Pac-10 All-Academic second team, while Barkley, Holmes and Reardon were honorable mention. McAllister made 2009 Pac-10 All-Academic honorable mention. In its history, USC football has produced 22 Academic All-American first teamers (tops in the Pac-10 and among the Top 10 in the nation), 20 NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship winners, 12 National Football Foundation Scholar-Athletes, 6 NCAA Silver Anniversary Award winners, 4 NCAA Today's Top Eight winners, 1 Rhodes Scholar and 1 Academic All-American Hall of Famer.

## GAME PROMOTIONS

USC's senior football players will be saluted prior to the game as they run onto the field through the Heritage Tunnel (comprised of former Trojans)...The USC women's tennis team will be introduced on the field during the game and senior Maria Sanchez will be saluted for her recent National Indoor championship...USC's 2010 Order of the Torch, a group of premier students who exemplify the Trojan ideals, will be presented during a halftime ceremony.

## SCOUTING NOTRE DAME

Notre Dame, under first-year head coach Brian Kelly, is bowl-eligible after beating Army, 27-3, last Saturday in Yankee Stadium. True freshman QB Tommy Rees (65-of-103, 63.1%, 756 yds, 8 TD, 5 int in 2010) has stepped in the past 3 games for injured junior QB Dayne Crist (174-of-294, 59.2%, 2,033 yds, 15 TD, 7 int in 2010, plus 52 tcb, 74 yds, 1.4 avg, 4 TD), who was hurt early in the Tulsa game. Leading the ground attack are sophomore RB Cierre Wood (92 tcb, 433 yds, 4.7 avg, 2 TD in 2010, plus 181 rec, 171 yds, 9.5 avg, 2 TD and 15 KOR, 300 yds, 20.0 avg) and senior RB Robert Hughes (30 tcb, 150 yds, 5.0 avg, 1 TD in 2010, plus 5 rec, 51 yds, 10.2 avg), who have filled in for senior RB Armando Allen (107 tcb, 514 yds, 4.8a vg, 2 TD in 2010, plus 17 rec, 138 yds, 8.1 avg and 2 PR, 47 yds, 23.5 avg) after he went down with an injury against Navy. Allen is fourth on ND's career kickoff return yardage ladder (1,247) and fifth in all-purpose yards (4,337). The top receiver is junior WR Michael Floyd (62 rec, 830 yds, 13.4 avg, 9 TD in 2010), but the next 2 leading pass catchers—soph WR Theo Riddick (38 rec, 406 yds, 10.7 avg, 3 TD in 2010, plus 2 KOR, 36 yds, 18.0 avg) and junior TE Kyle Rudolph (28 rec, 328 yds, 11.7 avg, 3 TD in 2010)—have been sidelined with injuries. Floyd currently is 21<sup>st</sup> nationally in receptions (6.2) and tied for 24<sup>th</sup> in receiving yards (83.0). He is third on the Irish career TD receptions (25) list, as well as fifth in both receptions (154) and receiving yardage (2,344). Sophomore LB Manti Te'o (118 tac, 8.5 for los, 1 sack, 2 dfl, 1 FF in 2010), who is 13<sup>th</sup> nationally in tackles (10.7), and senior S Harrison Smith (81 tac, 1 for loss, 3 int, 5 dfl in 2010) lead the defense. Senior PK David Ruffer (15-of-15 FG, 32-of-34 PAT in 2010) has been an accurate kicker, having hit his last 20 field goals.

## ROSTER UPDATES

Here are updates from the roster and staff directory in the 2010 USC football media guide:

—WR Thearon Collier (#81, 5-9, 190, 6/11/90, Jr./Jr., Miami, FL, Booker T. Washington HS/Miami) joined the team this fall as a scholarship transfer (he has to sit out the 2010 season because of NCAA transfer rules). His bio is below.

—Former walk-ons Ross Cumming, Joe Houston and Abe Markowitz received scholarships this fall. Their bios are below.

—Add as walk-ons: #6 Anthony Neyer (QB, 6-2, 200, 9/3/92, Fr./Fr., —, Palm Desert, Xavier College Prep); #15 Kyle Negrete (P-LB, 6-0, 210, 11/1/89, Jr./Jr., TR, Fresno, Clovis West HS/U. of San Diego); #17 Emon Saeed (QB, 6-2, 200, 12/14/90, So.\*/Jr., —, Calabasas, Calabasas HS); #25 Nic Curry (WR, 5-11, 190, 8/21/89, Jr.\*/Sr., —, West Covina, South Hills HS); #34 Tony Burnett (CB, 6-1, 195, 6/29/90, So.\*/Jr., —, Watts, Mayfair HS/Los Angeles Southwest JC); #37 Tim McGuigan (WR, 6-0, 165, 9/7/88, Jr.\*/Sr., —,

Plainsboro, NJ, West Windsor-Plainsboro North HS); #39 James Wright (WR, 5-10, 175, 12/28/89, So.\*/Jr., —, Culver City, St. Monica HS/Cal State Dominguez Hills); #40 Greg Caruso (S, 6-2, 170, 7/13/91, Fr./Fr., —, Brentwood, Brentwood HS); #41 Kevin Noble (WR, 6-2, 185, 2/7/89, Jr.\*/Sr., —, Vista, Rancho Buena Vista HS); #44 K.C. Pola (FB, 6-0, 210, 11/24/91, Fr./Fr., —, Jacksonville, FL, Bishop Kenny HS); #46 Craig McMahon (PK, 6-2, 180, 8/27/92, Fr./Fr., —, Bakersfield, Bakersfield HS); #49 William Rojas (CB, 5-10, 175, 7/29/89, Jr.\*/Sr., —, Granada Hills, Bishop Alemany HS/Moorpark JC); #50 Austin Rittenour (LB, 6-0, 190, 5/15/89, So.\*/Jr., —, Concord, Ygnacio Valley HS); #52 Tyler Grady (DT, 6-1, 250, 1/1/88, Sr.\*/Sr., —, Beverly Hills, Beverly Hills HS/Santa Monica JC); #73 Patrick Kim (OG, 6-3, 305, 12/31/91, Fr./Fr., —, Chino Hills, Ayala HS); #76 Nathan Guertler (OT, 6-5, 265, 1/13/93, Fr./Fr., —, Norco, Norco HS); #79 Peter Yobo (DE-TE, 6-5, 235, 1/9/87, Jr.\*/Sr., —, New Brunswick, NJ, Achimota HS/San Jose State); #97 Conrad Tavares (DT, 5-11, 285, 4/1/91, Fr./Fr., —, San Juan Capistrano, Mater Dei HS).  
Pronunciations: Neyer (NIE-ur), Negrete (nuh-GRET-ee), Emon Saeed (EE-mon saw-EE), McGuigan (mug-GWEE-gun), Pola (POE-lah), Rojas (ROE-haas), Rittenour (RIT-un-hour), Guertler (GURT-lur), Yobo (YOE-boe), Tavares (TAA-vuh-rez).

—Add offensive coordinator/running back coach Kennedy Pola, graduate assistant coach (safeties) Sammy Knight, athletic director Pat Haden, senior associate athletic director for football J.K. McKay. Their bios are below.

—Change the jersey numbers of Jordan Cameron to #84, Jacob Harfman to #10, Joe Houston to #10, Kevin Graf to #77, Will Andrew to #51, Dion Bailey to #18, De'Von Flounoy to #10, Zack Kusnir to #93 and Jeff Serrano to #99.

—Change the positions of David Ausberry to WR-TE, Derek Simmons to DE-DT, Simione Vehikite to LB-FB, Christian Thomas to DE-TE, Demetrius Wright to S-CB, Zack Kusnir to DE and Jeff Serrano to DE.

—Delete Malik Jackson (transferred), D.J. Shoemate (transferred), Byron Moore (transferred), Travon Patterson (transferred), Seantrel Henderson (released from letter of intent), Glen Stanley (released from letter of intent), William O'Brien (quit), Bobby Der (quit), Walter Calistro (quit), Ahmed Mokhtar (quit), Soma Vainuku (did not qualify), Ryan McMahon (quit), Spencer Spiegel (quit), Steve Blackhart (quit), Drew Ness (quit), Scott Stephens (quit). Also, athletic director Mike Garrett is no longer at USC.

## INJURY/STATUS UPDATE

QUESTIONABLE: QB Matt Barkley, TB Marc Tyler, OT Tyron Smith, LB Chris Galippo, S Jawanza Starling, CB Torin Harris, CB T.J. Bryant, C Abe Markowitz  
OUT: S Drew McAllister (hip), DT Christian Tupou (knee), TB Curtis McNeal (ineligible), CB Allen Noble (ineligible), WR Thearon Collier (NCAA transfer rule)

## USC IN NCAA/PAC-10 STAT RANKINGS

NAME	CATEGORY	NCAA		PAC-10	
		AVG	RANK*	AVG	RANK**
R. Johnson	Punt Returns	16.2	7	—	2
Robert Woods	All-Purp. Run.	142.8	21	—	2
Joe Houston	PAT Kicking	100.0	—	—	1T
Matt Barkley	Passing Eff.	142.8	—	—	4
Matt Barkley	Passing Avg.	235.7	—	—	4
Robert Woods	Kickoff Ret.	25.6	—	—	5
Robert Woods	Receptions	4.8	—	—	5T
R. Johnson	Receptions	4.8	—	—	5T
USC	Punt Returns	16.4	5	—	2
USC	Kickoff Ret.	24.3	19	—	4
USC	Total Off.	443.1	21	—	4
USC	PAT Kicking	1.000	—	—	1T
USC	Time of Poss.	31:56	—	—	2
USC	Scoring Off.	32.6	—	—	3
USC	Rushing Off.	192.4	—	—	3
USC	First Downs	24.3	—	—	3
USC	Sacks Allow.	1.6	—	—	3
USC	4th D. Con.	60.0	—	—	4
USC	3rd D. Con.	45.9	—	—	4
USC	Passing Eff.	139.5	—	—	4
USC	Passing Off.	250.7	—	—	5
USC	Net Punting	37.3	—	—	5
USC	Tack. for Loss	6.5	—	—	5
USC	Red Zone Off.	83.3	—	—	5T

\*Top 25 only

\*\*Top 5 only

## RED ZONE PRODUCTION

GAME	USC	OPPONENT
HAW	4-of-4 (TD, TD, TD, TD)	3-of-3 (FG, FG, TD)
VA	3-of-3 (TD, TD, FG)	2-of-4 (int, TD, miss FG, TD)
MINN	1-of-1 (TD)	1-of-1 (TD)
WSU	4-of-5 (TD, int, TD, TD, TD)	2-of-2 (TD, FG)
WASH	4-of-4 (TD, TD, TD, FG)	5-of-5 (FG, TD, FG, TD, FG)
STAN	4-of-5 (TD, lost fum, TD, TD, TD)	6-of-7 (TD, lost fum, TD, TD, TD, FG)
CAL	7-of-7 (TD, TD, TD, TD, TD, FG, FG)	1-of-1 (TD)
ORE	5-of-7 (FG, TD, TD, TD, TD, int, fail 4 <sup>th</sup> )	4-of-4 (TD, TD, FG, TD)
ASU	3-of-6 (miss FG, miss FG, TD, int, TD, FG)	2-of-2 (TD, TD)
ARIZ	4-of-5 (TD, TD, TD, FG, fail 4 <sup>th</sup> )	2-of-4 (miss FG, TD, fum, TD)
OSU	1-of-1 (TD)	6-of-6 (FG, TD, FG, FG, TD, TD)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40-of-48 (.833)</b>	<b>34-of-39 (.872)</b>
	33—TD	23—TD
	7—FG	11—FG
	3—int	1—int
	1—lost fum	2—miss FG
	2—fail 4 <sup>th</sup>	2—lost fum
	2—miss FG	

## JACOB HARFMAN PUNTS

GAME	PUNTS	WITHIN 20	50+ YARDS
HAW	2	1	1
VA	7	2	2
MINN	3	1	0
WASH	2	1	0
STAN	2	1	0
ORE	5	2	2
ASU	6	4	2
ARIZ	2	1	0
OSU	6	0	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>

## JOE HOUSTON PUNTS

GAME	PUNTS	WITHIN 20	50+ YARDS
CAL	1	1	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>

## JACOB HARFMAN KICKOFFS

GAME	KICKOFFS	WITHIN 20 (TOUCHBACKS)
HAW	8	6 (4)
VA	4	1 (1)
MINN	6	1 (1)
WSU	8	6 (4)
WASH	6	1 (0)
STAN	6	1 (0)
CAL	9	5 (1)
ORE	6	2 (1)
ASU	6	1 (0)
ARIZ	5	5 (2)
OSU	2	0 (0)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>29 (14)</b>

## THEARON COLLIER

Collier transferred to USC from Miami (Fla.) in the fall of 2010 as a junior wide receiver, but will have to sit out 2010 because of NCAA transfer rules...He played 2 seasons (2008-09) at Miami, starting 4 times and appearing in 24 games...In his career with the Hurricanes, he caught 44 passes for 574 yards (13.1 avg) with 3 TDs, returned 20 punts for 158 yards (7.9 avg) with 2 TDs and gained 10 yards on 5 rushes (2.0 avg)...As a 2009 sophomore, he appeared in 12 games (starting once) and had 18 receptions for 250 yards (13.9 avg) with a TD, 12 punt returns for 158 yards (13.2 avg) with 2 TDs (61 and 60 yards) and 4 carries for 10 yards (2.5 avg)...Was first Hurricane to have at least 2 scoring punt returns in a season since 2004...As a 2008 freshman, he started in 3 of the 12 games he played, catching 26 passes (second on team) for 324 yards (12.5 avg) with 2 TDs and returning 8 punts for 35 yards (4.4 avg)...As a 2007 senior at Booker T. Washington High in Miami (Fla.), he earned All-State and Prep Star All-Southeast Region recognition as he had 33 catches for 711 yards (21.5 avg) and 7 TDs...As a 2006 junior, he caught 34 passes for 791 yards (23.3 avg) and 9 TDs...He returned 6 punts for touchdowns in his prep career...His name is pronounced ther-RON CALL-yur.

## ROSS CUMMING

Cumming, a one-time walk-on who earned a scholarship in the fall of 2010, is a backup linebacker and key special teams player as a junior in 2010...As a sophomore linebacker reserve linebacker and special teamer in 2009, he made 9 tackles (including 2 against Oregon State) while appearing in all 13 games...As a first-year freshman linebacker and special teamer in 2008, he had 3 tackles while appearing in USC's final 9 games...He spent 2006 and 2007 at the Naval Academy Prep School, but did not play football because of an injury...He had 45 tackles on defense and 9 receptions for 146 yards (16.2 avg.) with 4 TDs (including a 65-yarder) on offense in 2005 as a senior tight end and linebacker at Santa Margarita High in Rancho Santa Margarita (Calif.)...As a junior in 2004, he made All-Serra League while getting 60 tackles, 20 tackles for loss, 6 sacks, 3 fumble recoveries and 3 deflections...He is a public policy, management and planning major at USC.

## JOE HOUSTON

Houston, a one-time walk-on who earned a scholarship in the fall of 2010, is in line to be USC's placekicker as a senior in 2010...As a junior in 2009, his only action was kicking the final point in USC's 56-3 season-opening win over San Jose State...He redshirted at USC as a 2007 sophomore and 2008 junior placekicker...As a 2006 freshman at El Camino Junior College in Torrance (Calif.), he was a unanimous pick on the All-Mission Conference National Division first team as he hit 14-of-20 field goals and 49-of-50 PATs...El Camino was the 2006 California state junior college champion...While prepping at Mira Costa High in Manhattan Beach (Calif.), he hit 21-of-24 field goals (including his last 15 in a row) and 154-of-157 PATs...He is a social sciences psychology major at USC with a B-average (2.89 GPA) and he has already received his bachelor's degree.

## ABE MARKOWITZ

Markowitz, a one-time walk-on who earned a scholarship in the fall of 2010, serves as a backup center as a sophomore in 2010...He played briefly in the San Jose State opener in 2009 as a redshirt freshman center...He redshirted in 2008 as a first-year walk-on freshman center...He also is a shotputter on USC's track team...His best throw of 2010 was a career-best 53-11...He was 13<sup>th</sup> in the shot put at the 2010 Pac-10 Championships (52-5 ½)...He practiced with the USC track team in 2009, but did not compete...He made 2007 Super Prep All-Farwest, Honolulu Star-Bulletin All-State honorable mention and Honolulu Advertiser All-Interscholastic League of Honolulu honorable mention as a senior offensive and defensive lineman at Punahou High in Honolulu (Hi.)...He also was on

Punahou's track team, winning the 2008 ILH shot put and discus championships while placing second in both events in the 2008 state meet...He also was a vocal soloist and Samoan dancer at Punahou...He is a public policy, management and planning major at USC...His grandfather, Larry, played football at USC in the early 1950s, while his cousin is former USC offensive lineman Faaesea Mailo (1996, 1999-2002) and his distant cousins are former (2005-08) Trojan linebackers Rey Mauluga and Kaluka Maiava...His father, Barry, lettered as a linebacker at UCLA in 1974, his great grandfather, Richard Love, played basketball and tennis at UCLA in the 1920s and his cousins include former Hawaii and San Francisco 49er offensive lineman Jesse Sapolu and Colorado sophomore offensive guard Maxwell Tuoti-Mariner...He is a member of one of Samoa's royal families, the Aiga Sa Malietoa, and he was selected as a "Talking Chief" of the family...He also is a cousin of the King of Tonga.

## KENNEDY POLA OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR/RUNNING BACKS COACH

Kennedy Pola, a former USC player and assistant coach who spent the past 6 years as an NFL assistant, returned to USC as the offensive coordinator and running backs coach in July of 2010.

Pola, 46, who joined the Tennessee Titans as the running backs coach following the 2009 season, spent the past 5 season (2005-09) as the running backs coach for the Jacksonville Jaguars. While there, both Fred Taylor (2007) and Maurice Jones-Drew (2009) earned Pro Bowl honors and the Jaguars offense totaled the third most rushing yards in the NFL over that time, including 4 Top 10 rushing finishes. In 2009, Jones-Drew finished fourth in the NFL in rushing (1,391 yards), fourth in scrimmage yards (1,765) and second in total touchdowns scored (16). In 2008, Greg Jones became the highest paid fullback in NFL history. The Jaguars finished second in the AFC South Division and were in the AFC playoffs in 2005 and 2007, advancing to the AFC divisional playoffs in 2007.

He was the running backs coach for the Cleveland Browns in 2004.

Pola spent 4 years (2000-03) as an assistant at USC. He was the running backs coach in 2000, spent 2001 as the special teams coordinator, then returned to his running back coaching duties in 2002 and 2003 while also continuing as special teams coordinator.

In 2003, USC's 4 young tailbacks who saw action combined for 1,887 rushing yards (157.3 per game) and 20 rushing TDs (plus 4 receiving TDs and 1 kickoff return TD). Tailback LenDale White's 13 rushing touchdowns were a USC freshman season record. Tom Malone was named USC's first-ever All-American first team punter (he also made All-Pac-10 first team).

In 2002, USC 4 tailbacks combined for 1,897 rushing yards (2 were NFL draft picks: Justin Fargas in the third round and Malaefou MacKenzie in the seventh).

In 2001, cornerback Kevin Arbet won All-Pac-10 first team honors as a special teams player and placekicker David Davis led the Pac-10 in field goals (tied for 17th in the nation).

In 2000, tailback Sultan McCullough ran for 1,163 yards.

USC played in the 2001 Las Vegas Bowl, 2003 Orange Bowl and 2004 Rose Bowl. USC won the national championship in 2003.

Pola spent 1999 as the linebackers coach at San Diego State, working under former USC head coach Ted Tollner.

He coached the running backs at Colorado in 1997 and 1998. The 1998 Buffaloes won the Aloha Bowl.

Before that, he spent 3 years (1994 to 1996) as San Diego State's running backs coach, guiding a pair of 1,000-yard rushers (Wayne Pittman in 1994 and George Jones in 1995). Jones, who was 32 yards shy of 1,000 yards in 1996, won All-WAC first team honors in 1995 and played in the NFL with Pittsburgh and Jacksonville. Pola also worked with the Aztecs special teams in 1996 (punter Noel Prefontaine was an All-American first teamer, placekicker Peter Holt was runnerup for the Lou Groza Award given to the nation's top kicker and return specialist Leandrew Childs was an All-WAC first team pick).

Pola was a graduate assistant coach at UCLA in 1992 and 1993, working with the secondary and special teams. The 1993 Bruins played in the Rose Bowl.

He began his coaching career as a volunteer assistant at Crespi High in Encino, Calif., for 3 seasons (1986-88) and then Westlake High in Westlake Village (Calif.) for 3 years (1989-91). Crespi won the 1986 CIF Division I championship and he coached prep All-American running back Russell White, who starred at California.

Pola was a 4-year letterman (1982-85) at USC, playing both fullback and linebacker. He began his Trojan career as a backup linebacker, but was moved to fullback by midseason of his freshman year. He ended up starting there the last 2 games of 1982 against UCLA and Notre Dame, as well as most of the next 3 seasons. In his career, he ran for 681 yards (he also caught 23 passes and in 1983 threw a 65-yard scoring pass against Stanford). He helped USC to a victory over Ohio State in the 1985 Rose Bowl (he also played in the 1985 Aloha Bowl).

He earned his bachelor's degree in history from USC in 1987.

He attended Mater Dei High in Santa Ana, Calif., where he was a prep All-American in football (he also was on the basketball and track teams). He also served as the student body president.

His nephew, Troy Polamalu, was a 2-time (2001-02) All-American first team safety on the USC football team who now stars in the NFL with the Pittsburgh Steelers (he was Pittsburgh's first round pick). Kennedy's brother, Ao Polamalu, played football at Penn State (1985-87). Nephew Nicky Sualua played running back in the NFL with Dallas and Cincinnati after attending Ohio State, while 3 other nephews played college football: Leie Sualua was a defensive lineman at Oregon, Joe Polamalu was at Oregon State in 1987 and 1988 and Kaio Aumua played at UTEP.

Pola was born in Pago Pago, American Samoa, on Nov. 22, 1963, the same day President John F. Kennedy was assassinated (Pola was named in his honor).

He and his wife, Diane, have 3 sons: K.C. (Kennedy Christopher), 18, who is a freshman fullback at USC, Matthew Aoatoa, 17, and Raymond Trey, 12.

## SAMMY KNIGHT SAFETIES ASSISTANT

Sammy Knight, who starred at safety for USC and in the NFL, begins his first year as a graduate assistant working with the safeties.

Knight, 35, lettered 4 years (1993-96) at safety and linebacker (rover) at USC, starting the last 3 seasons. He had 290 tackles and 5 interceptions in his career.

As a 1996 senior linebacker, he made the All-Pac-10 first team while leading USC in tackles (121), interceptions (5, including 1 for a touchdown) and fumble recoveries (3), and he also had 11 tackles for a loss, 9 deflections and a forced fumble. He was named USC's MVP and Most Inspirational Player and was a team captain in 1996. He added a team-best 89 tackles (9 for losses), plus 7 deflections, 4 forced fumbles and a blocked punt as a junior strong safety in 1995 when he won USC's Bob Chandler Award and Jack Oakie "Rise and Shine" Award. He made the All-Pac-10 second team in 1995. He had 65 tackles, 3 deflections, 2 fumble recoveries and a blocked field goal as a 1994 sophomore strong safety while making All-Pac-10 honorable mention. As a first-year freshman in 1993, he saw action as a reserve safety in all 13 games, getting 15 tackles, 1 deflection, 1 fumble recovery and 1 forced fumble, and even started at free safety against Oregon State to become the first USC true freshman to start at safety in the post-World War II era.

He then spent 12 years as a strong safety in the NFL with the New Orleans Saints (1997-2002), Miami Dolphins (2003-04), Kansas City Chiefs (2005-06), Jacksonville Jaguars (2007) and New York Giants (2008). He played in the 2002 Pro Bowl. In his career, he had 42 interceptions (4 for touchdowns), 671 tackles, 38 deflections, 13 fumble recoveries and 12 forced fumbles. He started 168 of the 183 regular season games he played (he also appeared in 5 playoff games).

He was a prep All-American at Rubidoux (Calif.) High, where he also was on the basketball and track teams.

He received his bachelor's degree in communication from USC in 1998. He is working on his master's degree in communication management.

He spent 2009 as an analyst on Compass Media Networks' college and pro football radio broadcasts.

He has 3 brothers who played college football: Ryan was a record-setting prep All-American running back (rushing for 501 yards in a game) who then lettered 4 years (1984-87) at tailback for USC and led the Trojans in rushing in 1985 and 1986 (he is 20<sup>th</sup> on USC's career rushing list with 1,875 yards), Greg played defensive line at Colorado (1986) and Darryl lettered 3 years (1998-2000) at linebacker at USC. His father, Sam Sr., played on a California state championship basketball team at Riverside (Calif.) Community College in the early 1960s that was coached by Jerry Tarkanian.

He was born Sept. 10, 1975. He is married and his wife's name is Freda. He has 4 daughters: Aneka, 20, Shianne, 8, Samone, 6, and Savannah, 3.

#### **PAT HADEN ATHLETIC DIRECTOR**

Pat Haden, a Rhodes Scholar quarterback who played on 2 national championship teams at USC and a Super Bowl squad with the Los Angeles Rams before becoming a successful businessman and football broadcaster, assumed the athletic directorship at his alma mater on Aug. 3, 2010.

The 57-year-old Haden will oversee 19 men's and women's teams and the \$74 million budget that make up the nation's most tradition-rich athletic program.

Along with his athletic director position, he received a joint faculty appointment in the USC Marshall School of Business and USC Annenberg School for Communication and Journalism. He works with faculty to design new curricula in areas such as sports business and sports journalism, and lectures and teaches courses.

From 1987 to 2010, Haden was a partner and managing director of Riordan, Lewis & Haden, a Los Angeles private equity firm that invests in high-growth middle market companies. His partners were former Los Angeles mayor Richard Riordan and Chris Lewis, an All-American tennis player on a pair of USC's NCAA championship teams.

From 1982 to 1987, Haden was an attorney in the Los Angeles office of Lillick, McHose & Charles.

He also was an analyst on college and pro football telecasts for CBS (1982-90), TNT (1990-97), NBC (1998-2009, where he did Notre Dame games) and FOX (2008) and on radio with CBS and Westwood One.

He served on USC's Board of Trustees from 1991 until 2010 and chaired the board's Academic Affairs and Student Affairs committees. He was a key adviser to a pair of USC provosts, working closely with them on all aspects of the university's teaching and research mission. He also chaired the fundraising initiative of USC's College of Letters, Arts and Sciences. He served on the USC Alumni Association Board of Governors from 1984 to 1988.

He has served on numerous corporate and non-profit boards, including Systems Management Specialists, Data Processing Resources Corporation, Adohr Farms, Tetra Tech, The Apothecary Shops, Rose Hills Foundation, Fletcher Jones Foundation, Good Samaritan Hospital, Boys Town of Southern California, Multiple Sclerosis Society of Los Angeles and Crippled Children's Society of Los Angeles. He formerly chaired the March of Dimes Reading Olympics in Los Angeles and the Boys Life National Illiteracy Campaign.

Haden exemplified the term "student-athlete" while at USC. Not only was he one of Troy's most productive quarterbacks, but he starred in the classroom.

A 3-time letterman (1972-73-74), he led the Trojans in passing in 1973 and 1974 (and in total offense in 1973). He was a member of USC's 1972 and 1974 national championship teams and played in 3 Rose Bowls. He was Co-MVP of the 1975 Rose Bowl (with lifelong friend J.K. McKay, the son of head coach John McKay) when he threw for 181 yards

and 2 scores, including a TD pass (to McKay) and a PAT pass late in the game, for a comeback 18-17 win over Ohio State. A Trojan co-captain in 1974, he was named the team's MVP and Most Inspirational Player that season and was selected to play in the 1975 Hula Bowl. He helped orchestrate one of the greatest comebacks in college football history, throwing 4 touchdowns to lead USC to a 55-24 win over Notre Dame in 1974 after trailing 24-0 late in the first half. He still ranks 13<sup>th</sup> on USC's career passing list (241 completions) and is 14<sup>th</sup> in total offense (3,802 yards). He threw for 3,288 yards and 33 TDs in his career.

He was a 2-time Academic All-American (1973-74) and was named a NCAA Post-Graduate Scholar, NCAA Today's Top Five Award winner and National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete in 1974.

Haden graduated from USC magna cum laude and Phi Beta Kappa in 1975 with a bachelor's degree in English and was awarded a Rhodes scholarship to Oxford, where he received a bachelor's degree in philosophy, politics and economics in 1978. He received a law degree from Loyola Law School in 1982.

A seventh round pick of the Los Angeles Rams in the 1975 NFL draft, he played for the Southern California Sun of the World Football League in 1975 and then the Rams for 6 seasons (1976-81) while also attending Oxford. He led the Rams to 3 NFC West Division titles (1976-77-78) and the team advanced to the NFC Championship Game in 1976 and 1978. He began 1979 as the starter, but was sidelined with a broken finger midway through the season as the Rams made it to the Super Bowl. He was the Rams' Rookie of the Year in 1976, made the Pro Bowl in 1977 and was named the NFC Player of the Year in 1978 by the Washington D.C. Touchdown Club. In his career, he completed 731-of-1,363 passes (53.6%) for 9,296 yards and 52 touchdowns.

He starred in football at Bishop Amat High in La Puente (Calif.), where he lived with the McKay family during his senior year because his family moved out of state. He was inducted into the USC Athletic Hall of Fame in 2003, the Rose Bowl Hall of Fame in 1995, the National High School Hall of Fame in 1995 and the Academic All-American Hall of Fame in the 1988 inaugural class. He received an NCAA Silver Anniversary Award in 2000.

He was born on Jan. 23, 1953. He and his wife of 34 years, Cindy, have 2 daughters, Natalie O'Connor, 31, and Kelly Paulus, 30 (she played soccer at Georgetown and her husband, David, played football and basketball there), and 2 sons, Ryan, 29 (he played football briefly at USC), and Taylor, 27, as well as 5 grandsons.

#### **J.K. MCKAY SENIOR ASSOCIATE ATHLETIC DIRECTOR FOR FOOTBALL**

John "J.K." McKay, a former standout USC wide receiver whose name is synonymous with Trojan football greatness and who subsequently developed a legal and business background well-suited for running sports organizations, became a senior associate athletic director for football at USC in August of 2010.

The 57-year-old McKay has been a practicing attorney since 1982. In 1986, he joined the law firm of Allen, Matkins, Leck, Gamble, Mallory as an associate and became a partner in 1990, specializing in real estate litigation. He represented the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in negotiating the potential relocation of the franchise and consulted in the financing and construction of the team's new stadium in Tampa.

He then worked in 1997 with a group from Hollywood Park trying to bring an NFL team to Los Angeles.

In 1998, he was executive director of football operations for Majestic Realty Co./New Coliseum Partners, a group headed by Ed Roski to bring a football franchise to Los Angeles. He worked with senior NFL executives assessing criteria for a Los Angeles team. He was responsible for negotiating the renovation of the Los Angeles Coliseum and for the acquisition of an expansion NFL franchise.

In 2000-01, McKay was vice president and general manager for the Los Angeles Xtreme of the now-defunct XFL.

Most recently, he was a lawyer at Jeffer Mangels Butler & Marmaro in Los Angeles.

After starring at Bishop Amat High in La Puente (Calif.), where he paired with lifelong friend and future Trojan teammate Pat Haden (now USC's athletic director), McKay lettered 3 years (1972-74) at wide receiver at USC while playing for his father, head coach John McKay. The younger McKay was a member of USC's 1972 and 1974 national championship teams and played in 3 Rose Bowls. He led USC in receiving as a senior in 1974 (34 catches for 550 yards and 8 TDs). He was Co-MVP of the 1975 Rose Bowl (with Haden) when he caught a 38-yard TD pass (from Haden) late in the game to help the Trojans to a comeback 18-17 win over Ohio State. He was selected to play in the 1975 Hula Bowl and Senior Bowl. He still ranks 23<sup>rd</sup> on USC's career receiving list with 88 catches for 1,326 yards and 18 touchdowns. He was inducted into the Rose Bowl Hall of Fame in 1998.

He received his bachelor's degree from USC in 1975 in political science.

A 16<sup>th</sup> round pick by the Cleveland Browns in the 1975 NFL draft, he played with the Southern California Sun of the World Football League in 1975. He then served briefly as an assistant coach at Oregon State in 1976 before spending 3 seasons (1976-78) playing wide receiver for his father at the Buccaneers.

While playing pro football, McKay attended Stetson College of Law and earned his law degree there in 1982. During law school and after his NFL playing career, he was an assistant to the Buccaneers' president, general manager and head coach.

McKay's father, John, won 4 national championships, 5 Rose Bowls and 9 conference titles while winning 75% of his games (127-40-8) as USC's football coach from 1960 to 1975. A member of the College Football and USC Athletic Halls of Fame, he was twice National Coach of the Year (1962, 1972). He also served as Troy's athletic director for 4 years (1972-75). He then became the Buccaneers' first-ever head coach, serving for 9 seasons (1976-84).

His brother, Rich, has been the president of the Atlanta Falcons since 2004 (he also served as the team's general manager from 2004 to 2007). He was the general manager of the Buccaneers from 1995 to 2003.

McKay was born on March 28, 1953. His wife's name is Kim. He has 3 children: sons Jeff, 31, and Haden, 4, and daughter Kiley, 10.

# DEPTH CHART

## OFFENSE

WR —	13	<b>Robert Woods (6-1, 185, Fr.)</b> 9 David Ausberry (6-4, 235, Sr.*)
LT —	75	<b>Matt Kalil (6-7, 295, So.*)</b> 77 Kevin Graf (6-6, 300, Fr.*)
LG —	67	<b>Michael Reardon (6-5, 290, Jr.*)</b> 68 Butch Lewis (6-5, 295, Sr.*) 74 Zack Heberer (6-5, 295, Sr.*)
C —	61	<b>Kristofer O'Dowd (6-5, 300, Sr.)</b> 67 Michael Reardon (6-5, 290, Jr.*)
RG —	78	<b>Khaled Holmes (6-4, 300, So.*)</b> 59 John Martinez (6-2, 290, Fr.*)
RT —	70	<b>Tyron Smith (6-5, 280, Jr.) OR</b> 68 <b>Butch Lewis (6-5, 295, Sr.*)</b> 72 Martin Coleman (6-5, 335, Jr.*)
TE —	40	<b>Rhett Ellison (6-5, 245, Jr.*)</b> 84 Jordan Cameron (6-5, 235, Sr.*) 88 Blake Ayles (6-5, 245, Jr.)
WR —	83	<b>Ronald Johnson (6-0, 185, Sr.)</b> 19 Brice Butler (6-4, 195, So.*) OR 80 Brandon Carswell (6-1, 195, Jr.*)
QB —	7	<b>Matt Barkley (6-2, 220, So.) OR</b> 16 <b>Mitch Mustain (6-2, 200, Sr.*)</b> 15 Jesse Scroggins (6-3, 205, Fr.)
FB —	31	<b>Stanley Havili (6-1, 225, Sr.*)</b> 48 Hunter Simmons (6-1, 245, Fr.*)
TB —	26	<b>Marc Tyler (5-11, 230, Jr.*) OR</b> 28 <b>Dillon Baxter (6-0, 195, Fr.) OR</b> 21 <b>Allen Bradford (6-0, 235, Sr.*) OR</b> 2 <b>C.J. Gable (6-0, 205, Sr.*)</b>

## SPECIALISTS

P —	10	<b>Jacob Harfman (5-10, 195, Sr.)</b> 16 Mitch Mustain (6-2, 200, Sr.*)
PK —	10	<b>Joe Houston (5-7, 170, Sr.)—PAT, FG</b> 10 Jacob Harfman (5-10, 195, Sr.)—KO
SNP —	62	<b>Chris Pousson (6-4, 240, Jr.)</b> 18 John Manoogian (6-0, 215, So.*)

## DEFENSE

LE —	94	<b>Armond Armstead (6-5, 295, Jr.)</b> 90 Derek Simmons (6-4, 300, Sr.*) 81 Kevin Greene (6-3, 250, Fr.*) OR 56 James Boyd (6-4, 245, Fr.*)
LT —	98	<b>DaJohn Harris (6-4, 305, Jr.*)</b> 94 Armond Armstead (6-5, 295, Jr.) 92 Hebron Fangupo (6-2, 310, Jr.*)
RT —	91	<b>Jurrell Casey (6-1, 305, Jr.)</b> 90 Derek Simmons (6-4, 300, Sr.*) OR 92 Hebron Fangupo (6-2, 310, Jr.*)
RE —	96	<b>Wes Horton (6-5, 260, So.*) OR</b> 8 <b>Nick Perry (6-3, 250, So.*)</b> 89 Christian Thomas (6-3, 240, Fr.)
SLB —	17	<b>Michael Morgan (6-4, 220, Sr.*)</b> 54 Chris Galippo (6-2, 250, Jr.*) 46 Ross Cumming (6-1, 230, Jr.)
MLB —	54	<b>Chris Galippo (6-2, 250, Jr.*) OR</b> 42 <b>Devon Kennard (6-3, 250, So.)</b> 51 Will Andrew (6-2, 225, Fr.*)
WLB —	6	<b>Malcolm Smith (6-1, 225, Sr.)</b> 23 Shane Horton (6-0, 220, Jr.*)
CB —	24	<b>Shareece Wright (5-11, 185, Sr.*)</b> 30 Brian Baucham (5-11, 175, So.*) 34 Tony Burnett (6-1, 195, So.*)
SS —	29	<b>Jawanza Starling (6-1, 195, So.) OR</b> 27 <b>Marshall Jones (5-11, 185, Jr.*)</b> 14 Demetrius Wright (6-1, 205, Fr.)
FS —	7	<b>T.J. McDonald (6-3, 205, So.)</b> 27 Marshall Jones (5-11, 185, Jr.*)
CB —	37	<b>Nickell Robey (5-8, 165, Fr.)</b> 4 Torin Harris (6-1, 185, Fr.*) 38 T.J. Bryant (6-0, 180, Jr.)

## RETURNERS

HLD —	16	<b>Mitch Mustain (6-2, 200, Sr.*)</b> 49 Robbie Boyer (6-0, 180, So.*)
KOR —	2	<b>C.J. Gable (6-0, 205, Sr.*) AND</b> 13 <b>Robert Woods (6-1, 185, Fr.)</b> 83 Ronald Johnson (6-0, 185, Sr.) OR 31 Stanley Havili (6-1, 225, Sr.*) OR 21 Allen Bradford (6-0, 235, Sr.*)
PR —	83	<b>Ronald Johnson (6-0, 185, Sr.)</b> 13 Robert Woods (6-1, 185, Fr.) 37 Nickell Robey (5-8, 165, Fr.)



**2010 USC FOOTBALL NUMERICAL ROSTER**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Pos.</b>	<b>Hgt.</b>	<b>Wgt.</b>	<b>Birthday</b>	<b>Cl.(Ath/Ac)</b>	<b>Exp.</b>	<b>Hometown(HighSchool/JC/College)</b>
2	GABLE, C.J.	TB	6-0	205	10/19/87	Sr./Sr.	4V	Sylmar (Sylmar)
4	HARRIS, Torin	CB	6-1	185	5/12/91	Fr./So.	SQ	Las Vegas, NV (Palo Verde)
6	SMITH, Malcolm	LB	6-1	225	7/5/89	Sr./Sr.	3V	Northridge (Taft)
6	NEYER, Anthony	QB	6-2	200	9/3/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Palm Desert (Xavier College Prep)
7	BARKLEY, Matt	QB	6-2	220	9/8/90	So./So.	1V	Newport Beach (Mater Dei)
7	McDONALD, T.J.	S	6-3	205	1/26/91	So./So.	1V	Fresno (Edison)
8	PERRY, Nick	DE	6-3	250	4/12/90	So./Jr.	1V	Detroit, MI (King)
8	AMBLES, Markeith	WR	6-2	215	11/26/91	Fr./Fr.	—	McDonough, GA (Henry County)
9	AUSBERRY, David	WR-TE	6-4	235	9/25/87	Sr./Sr.	3V	Lemoore (Lemoore)
9	ASHTON, Taylor	CB	5-8	175	12/27/87	Jr./Sr.	TR	Mission Viejo (Mission Viejo/Arizona State)
10	HARFMAN, Jacob	P-PK	5-10	195	7/26/89	Sr./Sr.	1V	Chino (Ayala/Urbana/Mt. San Antonio JC)
10	HOUSTON, Joe	PK	5-7	170	9/4/86	Sr./Sr.	SQ	Redondo Beach (Mira Costa/El Camino JC)
10	FLOURNOY, De'Von	WR	6-0	185	12/31/90	So./So.	1V	Studio City (Birmingham)
10	ROEPKE, Boomer	CB-P	5-8	185	8/11/89	Jr./Sr.	SQ	Reno, NV (Reno)
13	WOODS, Robert	WR	6-1	185	4/10/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Carson (Serra)
14	WRIGHT, Demetrius	S-CB	6-1	205	12/19/91	Fr./Fr.	—	Corona (Corona)
14	KAN, Brett	QB	6-2	205	6/5/88	Jr./Sr.	TR	Honolulu, HI (Punahou/Princeton)
15	SCROGGINS, Jesse	QB	6-3	205	3/17/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Lakewood (Lakewood)
15	NEGRETE, Kyle	P-LB	6-0	210	11/1/89	Jr./Jr.	TR	Fresno (Clovis West/San Diego)
16	MUSTAIN, Mitch	QB	6-2	200	2/27/88	Sr./Sr.	2V	Springdale, AR (Springdale/Arkansas)
16	BROWN, Anthony	CB	6-0	185	10/15/90	Fr./Fr.	—	Rialto (Kaiser)
17	MORGAN, Michael	LB	6-4	220	1/16/88	Sr./Sr.	3V	Dallas, TX (Skyline)
17	SAEE, Emon	QB	6-2	200	12/14/90	So./Jr.	—	Calabasas (Calabasas)
18	BAILEY, Dion	S	6-1	195	3/2/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Lakewood (Lakewood)
18	MANOOGIAN, John	QB	6-0	215	6/9/90	So./Jr.	SQ	Los Angeles (Windward)
19	BUTLER, Brice	WR	6-4	195	1/29/90	So./Jr.	1V	Norcross, GA (Norcross)
19	McALLISTER, Drew	S	6-1	195	11/12/89	Jr./Jr.	2V	Danville (Monte Vista)
21	BRADFORD, Allen	TB	6-0	235	8/31/88	Sr./Sr.	4V	San Bernardino (Colton)
22	McNEAL, Curtis	TB	5-7	185	12/3/89	So./Jr.	1V	Los Angeles (Venice)
22	ROMNESS, Cody	S	5-11	175	6/2/89	So./Jr.	—	Palm Desert (Palm Desert)
23	HORTON, Shane	LB	6-0	220	7/25/88	Jr./Sr.	1V	Chatsworth (Notre Dame/UNLV)
24	WRIGHT, Shareece	CB	5-11	185	4/8/87	Sr./Sr.	4V	Colton (Colton)
25	HALL, Patrick	S	6-0	190	7/16/91	Fr./Fr.	—	Oxnard (St. Bonaventure)
25	CURRY, Nic	WR	5-11	190	8/21/89	Jr./Sr.	—	West Covina (South Hills)
26	TYLER, Marc	TB	5-11	230	9/27/88	Jr./Sr.	1V	Lancaster (Oaks Christian)
26	HARPER, Daniel	CB	5-10	180	6/4/89	Jr./Sr.	2V	Rancho Cucamonga (Damien)
27	JONES, Marshall	S	5-11	185	9/7/88	Jr./Sr.	3V	Agoura Hills (Oaks Christian)
28	BAXTER, Dillon	TB	6-0	195	10/23/91	Fr./Fr.	—	San Diego (Mission Bay)
28	FREEMAN, Luke	LB	5-10	200	7/17/90	Fr./So.	—	Westlake Village (Westlake)
29	STARLING, Jawanza	S	6-1	195	6/21/91	So./So.	1V	Tallahassee, FL (Lincoln)
30	BAUCHAM, Brian	CB	5-11	175	3/27/90	So./Jr.	1V	Torrance (West Torrance)
31	HAVILI, Stanley	FB	6-1	225	11/14/87	Sr./Sr.	4V	Salt Lake City, UT (Cottonwood)
34	MORGAN, D.J.	TB	6-0	175	1/3/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Van Nuys (Taft)
34	BURNETT, Tony	CB	6-1	195	6/29/90	So./Jr.	—	Watts (Mayfair/Los Angeles Southwest JC)
35	PULLARD, Hayes	LB	6-2	225	4/18/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Inglewood (Crenshaw)
36	VEHIKITE, Simone	LB-FB	6-0	220	3/13/91	Fr./So.	SQ	Kapolei, HI (Kapolei)
37	ROBEY, Nickell	CB	5-8	165	1/17/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Frostproof, FL (Frostproof)
37	McGUIGAN, Tim	WR	6-0	165	9/7/88	Jr./Sr.	—	Plainsboro, NJ (West Windsor-Plainsboro North)
38	BRYANT, T.J.	CB	6-0	180	10/9/90	Jr./Jr.	2V	Tallahassee, FL (Lincoln)
39	WRIGHT, James	WR	5-10	175	12/28/89	So./Jr.	—	Culver City (St. Monica/Cal State Dominguez Hills)
40	ELLISON, Rhett	TE	6-5	245	10/3/88	Jr./Sr.	2V	Portola Valley (St. Francis)
40	CARUSO, Greg	S	6-2	170	7/13/91	Fr./Fr.	—	Brentwood (Brentwood)
41	NOBLE, Allen	CB	6-0	185	1/19/89	Jr./Sr.	SQ	Denver, CO (Eaglecrest/Colorado School of Mines/Mt. San Antonio JC)
41	NOBLE, Kevin	WR	6-2	185	2/7/89	Jr./Sr.	—	Vista (Rancho Buena Vista)
42	KENNARD, Devon	LB	6-3	250	6/24/91	So./So.	1V	Phoenix, AZ (Desert Vista)
44	TUPOU, Christian	DT	6-2	290	5/7/89	Sr./Sr.	3V	Sacramento (Grant)
44	POLA, K.C.	FB	6-0	210	11/24/91	Fr./Fr.	—	Jacksonville, FL (Bishop Kenny)
45	CRITTENDEN, Omari	CB	6-0	190	4/11/88	Sr./Sr.	SQ	Modesto (Johansen/Modesto JC)
46	CUMMING, Ross	LB	6-1	230	9/28/87	Jr./Jr.	2V	Laguna Niguel (Santa Margarita/Naval Academy Prep)
46	McMAHON, Craig	PK	6-2	180	8/27/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Bakersfield (Bakersfield)
47	HARBIN, James	CB	5-10	175	2/23/89	Jr./Sr.	—	Los Angeles (Narbonne/Los Angeles Southwest JC)
48	SIMMONS, Hunter	FB	6-1	245	9/20/90	Fr./So.	SQ	Pasadena (Loyola)
49	BOYER, Robbie	WR	6-0	180	11/2/89	So./Jr.	SQ	Newport Beach (Mater Dei)
49	ROJAS, William	CB	5-10	175	7/29/89	Jr./Sr.	—	Granada Hills (Bishop Alemany/Moorpark JC)
50	MARKOWITZ, Abe	C	6-1	285	9/26/90	So./Jr.	SQ	Hawaii Kai, HI (Punahou)
50	RITTENOUR, Austin	LB	6-0	190	5/15/89	So./Jr.	—	Concord (Ygnacio Valley)
51	ANDREW, Will	LB	6-2	225	12/25/90	Fr./So.	SQ	Huntington Beach (Edison)
52	GRADY, Tyler	DT	6-1	250	1/1/88	Sr./Sr.	—	Beverly Hills (Beverly Hills/Santa Monica JC)
53	SIMMONS, Marquis	LB	6-1	215	3/17/91	Jr./So.	SQ	Compton (Dominguez)
54	GALIPPO, Chris	LB	6-2	250	4/12/89	Jr./Sr.	3V	Corona (Servite)
56	BOYD, James	DE	6-4	245	10/10/91	Fr./So.	SQ	Bakersfield (Jordan)
57	ALONSO, Augusto	LB	6-2	220	12/27/89	So./Jr.	—	Omaha, NE (Creighton Prep)
59	MARTINEZ, John	OG	6-2	290	7/23/91	Fr./So.	SQ	Murray, UT (Cottonwood)
61	O'DOWD, Kristofer	C	6-5	300	5/14/88	Sr./Sr.	3V	Tucson, AZ (Salpointe Catholic)
62	POUSSON, Chris	SNP	6-4	240	7/21/89	Jr./Jr.	2V	San Diego (St. Augustine)
63	Di POALO, Giovanni	C	6-6	295	6/16/91	Fr./Fr.	—	Ventura (St. Bonaventure)

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67	REARDON, Michael	C	6-5	290	12/23/88	Jr./Sr.	1V	Anaheim (Orange Lutheran)
68	LEWIS, Butch	OG	6-5	295	12/1/87	Sr./Sr.	3V	Denver, CO (Regis Jesuit)
70	SMITH, Tyron	OT	6-5	280	12/12/90	Jr./Jr.	2V	Moreno Valley (Rancho Verde)
72	COLEMAN, Martin	OT	6-5	335	7/2/87	Jr./Sr.	SQ	Huntington Beach (Edison)
73	KIM, Patrick	OG	6-3	305	12/31/91	Fr./Fr.	—	Chino Hills (Ayala)
74	HEBERER, Zack	OG	6-5	295	6/9/88	Sr./Sr.	3V	San Pedro (San Pedro)
75	KALLI, Matt	OT	6-7	295	7/6/89	So./Jr.	1V	Corona (Servite)
76	GUERTLER, Nathan	OT	6-5	265	1/13/93	Fr./Fr.	—	Norco (Norco)
77	GRAF, Kevin	OG-OT	6-6	300	6/17/91	Fr./So.	SQ	Agoura Hills (Agoura)
78	HOLMES, Khaled	OG	6-4	300	1/19/90	So./Jr.	1V	Santa Ana (Mater Dei)
79	YOBO, Peter	DE-TE	6-5	235	1/9/87	Jr./Sr.	—	New Brunswick, NJ (Achimota/San Jose State)
80	CARSWELL, Brandon	WR	6-1	195	5/22/89	Jr./Sr.	2V	Milpitas (Milpitas)
81	CAMERON, Jordan	DE	6-3	250	5/14/90	Fr./So.	SQ	Oakland (Sacred Heart Cathedral Prep)
81	COLLIER, Thearon	WR	5-9	190	6/11/90	Jr./Jr.	TR	Miami, FL (Booker T. Washington/Miami)
82	TELFER, Randall	TE	6-4	230	5/16/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Rancho Cucamonga (Rancho Cucamonga)
83	JOHNSON, Ronald	WR	6-0	185	8/3/88	Sr./Sr.	3V	Muskegon, MI (Muskegon)
84	CAMERON, Jordan	TE	6-5	235	8/17/88	Sr./Sr.	2V	Newbury Park (NewburyPark/BYU/Ventura JC)
85	PRATER, Kyle	WR	6-5	210	6/21/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Maywood, IL (Proviso West)
86	GRIMBLE, Xavier	TE	6-6	245	9/2/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Las Vegas, NV (Bishop Gorman)
87	CHILDS, Eric	TE	6-4	230	12/7/89	So./Jr.	—	Cypress (St. Michael's Prep)
88	AYLES, Blake	TE	6-5	245	10/1/89	Jr./Jr.	2V	Orange (Orange Lutheran)
89	THOMAS, Christian	DE-TE	6-3	240	12/16/91	Fr./Fr.	—	Palmdale (Highland)
90	SIMMONS, Derek	DE-DT	6-4	300	2/16/88	Sr./Sr.	3V	Suisun (Armijo)
91	CASEY, Jurrell	DT	6-1	305	12/5/89	Jr./Jr.	2V	Long Beach (Poly)
92	FANGUPO, Hebron	DT	6-2	310	7/19/85	Jr./Sr.	1V	Santa Ana (Century/Mt. San Antonio JC)
93	KUSNIR, Zack	DE	6-5	255	2/6/89	Jr./Sr.	—	La Jolla (La Jolla Country Day/San Diego State)
94	ARMSTEAD, Armond	DE	6-5	295	8/3/90	Jr./Jr.	2V	Sacramento (Pleasant Grove)
95	UKO, George	DT	6-4	300	2/11/92	Fr./Fr.	—	Chino (Don Lugo)
96	HORTON, Wes	DE	6-5	260	1/18/90	So./Jr.	1V	Chatsworth (Notre Dame)
97	TAVAREZ, Conrad	DT	5-11	285	4/1/91	Fr./Fr.	—	San Juan Capistrano (Mater Dei)
98	HARRIS, DaJohn	DT	6-4	305	1/24/89	Jr./Sr.	2V	Inglewood (Serra)
99	SERRANO, Jeff	DE-SNP	6-5	225	3/16/88	Sr./Sr.	—	Walnut (Walnut/Mt. San Antonio JC)

\*Used up redshirt year

**HEAD COACH:** Lane KIFFIN (Fresno State, 1998), First Year

**ASSISTANT COACHES:** Joe BARRY, Linebackers (USC, 1994); John BAXTER, Associate Head Coach/Special Teams Coordinator (Loras, 1985); Keary COLBERT, Tight Ends Assistant (USC, 2006); James CREGG, Offensive Line (Colorado State, 1997); Willie Mack GARZA, Secondary (Texas, 1993); Clay HELTON, Quarterbacks (Houston, 1994); Monte KIFFIN, Assistant Head Coach (Nebraska, 1963); Sammy KNIGHT, Safeties Assistant (USC, 1998); John MORTON, Passing Game Coordinator/Wide Receivers (Western Michigan, 1997); Ed ORGERON, Defensive Coordinator/Recruiting Coordinator/Defensive Line (Northwestern State, 1984); Kennedy POLA, Offensive Coordinator/Running Backs (USC, 1987)

**STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING COACH:** Aaron AUSMUS (Tennessee, 1998)

## 2010 USC Trojans Football Statistics (as of Nov. 20, 2010)

<b>TEAM STATISTICS</b>	<b>USC</b>	<b>OPP</b>			
SCORING	359	313			
Points Per Game	32.6	28.5			
FIRST DOWNS	272	254			
Rushing	119	96			
Passing	132	137			
Penalty	21	21			
RUSHING YARDAGE	2120	1554			
Yards gained rushing	2310	1845			
Yards lost rushing	190	291			
Rushing Attempts	405	353			
Average Per Rush	5.2	4.4			
Average Per Game	192.7	141.3			
TDs Rushing	18	10			
PASSING YARDAGE	2758	2995			
Comp-Att-Int	241-386-10	238-395-11			
Average Per Pass	7.1	7.6			
Average Per Catch	11.4	12.6			
Average Per Game	250.7	272.3			
TDs Passing	26	27			
TOTAL OFFENSE	4878	4549			
Total Plays	791	748			
Average Per Play	6.2	6.1			
Average Per Game	443.5	413.5			
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	46-1116	51-1224			
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	21-344	11-84			
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	11-144	10-142			
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	24.3	24.0			
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	16.4	7.6			
INT RETURN AVERAGE	13.1	14.2			
FUMBLES-LOST	15-9	15-8			
PENALTIES-Yards	78-690	63-546			
Average Per Game	62.7	49.6			
PUNTS-Yards	36-1487	50-2005			
Average Per Punt	41.3	40.1			
Net punt average	37.3	32.0			
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	31:56	28:04			
3RD-DOWN Conversions	68/148	69/151			
3rd-Down Pct	46%	46%			
4TH-DOWN Conversions	15/25	6/10			
4th-Down Pct	60%	60%			
SACKS BY-Yards	25-173	17-116			
MISC YARDS	-4	-3			
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	48	40			
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	7-13	13-17			
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-1			
RED-ZONE SCORES	(34-41) 83%	(30-33) 91%			
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(29-41) 71%	(22-33) 67%			
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(38-38) 100%	(32-35) 91%			
ATTENDANCE	394027	270254			
Games/Avg Per Game	5/78805	6/45042			
Neutral Site Games		0/0			
Score by quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
USC	94	117	93	55	359
Opponents	45	102	62	104	313

## 2010 USC Trojans Football Statistics (as of Nov. 20, 2010)

### RUSHING

Player	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Tyler, Marc	11	146	833	13	820	5.6	9	44	74.5
Bradford, Allen	11	82	601	19	582	7.1	4	56	52.9
Baxter, Dillon	8	57	254	6	248	4.4	1	17	31.0
Gable, C.J.	11	44	233	17	216	4.9	1	20	19.6
Havili, Stanley	11	24	173	9	164	6.8	1	59	14.9
Woods, Robert	11	6	52	2	50	8.3	0	22	4.5
Johnson, Ronald	11	5	26	1	25	5.0	0	10	2.3
Ausberry, David	11	2	14	0	14	7.0	0	13	1.3
Mustain, Mitch	11	4	17	8	9	2.2	0	8	0.8
Cameron, Jordan	10	1	6	0	6	6.0	0	6	0.6
Team	7	1	0	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-0.1
Barkley, Matt	11	33	101	114	-13	-0.4	2	27	-1.2
Total.....	11	405	2310	190	2120	5.2	18	59	192.7
Opponents.....	11	353	1845	291	1554	4.4	10	54	141.3

### PASSING

Player	G	Effic	Cmp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Barkley, Matt	11	142.8	221-351-10	63.0	2593	25	61	235.7
Mustain, Mitch	11	109.3	20-34-0	58.8	165	1	22	15.0
Tyler, Marc	11	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total.....	11	139.5	241-386-10	62.4	2758	26	61	250.7
Opponents.....	11	140.9	238-395-11	60.3	2995	27	65	272.3

### RECEIVING

Player	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Woods, Robert	11	53	648	12.2	6	61	58.9
Johnson, Ronald	11	53	616	11.6	8	53	56.0
Havili, Stanley	11	29	360	12.4	2	58	32.7
Ausberry, David	11	20	252	12.6	4	46	22.9
Carswell, B.	11	16	205	12.8	1	44	18.6
Tyler, Marc	11	16	128	8.0	1	24	11.6
Ellison, Rhett	11	14	180	12.9	2	29	16.4
Cameron, Jordan	10	13	97	7.5	1	14	9.7
Baxter, Dillon	8	11	73	6.6	0	15	9.1
Butler, Brice	11	9	112	12.4	1	25	10.2
Bradford, Allen	11	2	27	13.5	0	19	2.5
Gable, C.J.	11	2	4	2.0	0	4	0.4
Ayles, Blake	8	1	54	54.0	0	54	6.8
Ambles, M.	4	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.8
Smith, Tyron	11	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-0.1
Total.....	11	241	2758	11.4	26	61	250.7
Opponents.....	11	238	2995	12.6	27	65	272.3

### PUNT RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Johnson, Ronald	18	292	16.2	1	89
Woods, Robert	1	4	4.0	0	4
McDonald, T.J.	1	24	24.0	0	0
Horton, Wes	1	24	24.0	0	0
Total.....	21	344	16.4	1	89
Opponents.....	11	84	7.6	0	41

### KICK RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Woods, Robert	34	869	25.6	1	97
Gable, C.J.	7	186	26.6	0	56
Johnson, Ronald	3	57	19.0	0	27
Heberer, Zack	1	5	5.0	0	5
Morgan, Michael	1	-1	-1.0	0	0
Total.....	46	1116	24.3	1	97
Opponents.....	51	1224	24.0	1	100

### INTERCEPTIONS

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
McDonald, T.J.	3	20	6.7	0	20
Robey, Nickell	3	33	11.0	1	25
Harris, DaJohn	1	9	9.0	0	9
Galippo, Chris	1	8	8.0	0	8
Smith, Malcolm	1	74	74.0	1	74
Casey, Jurrell	1	0	0.0	0	0
Starling, J.	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total.....	11	144	13.1	2	74
Opponents.....	10	142	14.2	2	66

### FUMBLE RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Wright, S.	1	7	7.0	0	7
Total.....	1	7	7.0	0	7
Opponents.....	2	3	1.5	0	5

### SCORING

	TD	FGs	Kick	PATs				Saf	Points
				Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP		
Tyler, Marc	10	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	60
Houston, Joe	0	7-13	38-38	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	59
Johnson, Ronald	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0-0	0	0	58
Woods, Robert	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	42
Ausberry, David	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	0	0	26
Bradford, Allen	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Havili, Stanley	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Barkley, Matt	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2-4	0	0	12
Ellison, Rhett	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Gable, C.J.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Cameron, Jordan	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Baxter, Dillon	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Butler, Brice	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Smith, Malcolm	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Robey, Nickell	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Carswell, B.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Mustain, Mitch	0	0-0	0-0	2-3	0	1-2	0	0	4
Harris, Torin	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	1	0	2
Total.....	48	7-13	38-38	2-4	3	3-6	1	0	359
Opponents.....	40	13-17	32-35	0-1	1	1-4	0	0	313

### TOTAL OFFENSE

Player	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Barkley, Matt	11	384	-13	2593	2580	234.5
Tyler, Marc	11	147	820	0	820	74.5
Bradford, Allen	11	82	582	0	582	52.9
Baxter, Dillon	8	57	248	0	248	31.0
Gable, C.J.	11	44	216	0	216	19.6
Mustain, Mitch	11	38	9	165	174	15.8
Havili, Stanley	11	24	164	0	164	14.9
Woods, Robert	11	6	50	0	50	4.5
Johnson, Ronald	11	5	25	0	25	2.3
Ausberry, David	11	2	14	0	14	1.3
Cameron, Jordan	10	1	6	0	6	0.6
Team	7	1	-1	0	-1	-0.1
Total.....	11	791	2120	2758	4878	443.5
Opponents.....	11	748	1554	2995	4549	413.5

## 2010 USC Trojans Football Statistics (as of Nov. 20, 2010)

### FIELD GOALS

Player	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
Houston, Joe	7-13	53.8	0-0	4-5	3-5	0-3	0-0	34	0
FG SEQUENCE			USC		Opponents				
Hawai'i	-		(24),(40),(18)						
Virginia	47,(34)		45,35						
Minnesota	48		-						
Washington State	39		(44)						
Washington	(27),40		(23),(41),(35),(32)						
Stanford	-		(30)						
California	(27),(27)		-						
Oregon	(32)		(34)						
Arizona State	27,35,(29)		42						
Arizona	(30)		34						
Oregon State	-		(34),(38),(35)						

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

### PUNTING

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
Harfman, Jacob	35	1461	41.7	52	3	11	10	8	0
Houston, Joe	1	26	26.0	26	0	0	1	0	0
Total.....	36	1487	41.3	52	3	11	11	8	0
Opponents.....	50	2005	40.1	74	3	6	14	12	2

### KICKOFFS

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
Harfman, Jacob	66	4361	66.1	14	0			
Total.....	66	4361	66.1	14	0	24.0	43.3	26
Opponents.....	61	3667	60.1	9	2	24.3	38.9	31

### ALL PURPOSE

Player	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Woods, Robert	11	50	648	4	869	0	1571	142.8
Johnson, Ronald	11	25	616	292	57	0	990	90.0
Tyler, Marc	11	820	128	0	0	0	948	86.2
Bradford, Allen	11	582	27	0	0	0	609	55.4
Havili, Stanley	11	164	360	0	0	0	524	47.6
Gable, C.J.	11	216	4	0	186	0	406	36.9
Baxter, Dillon	8	248	73	0	0	0	321	40.1
Ausberry, David	11	14	252	0	0	0	266	24.2
Carswell, B.	11	0	205	0	0	0	205	18.6
Ellison, Rhett	11	0	180	0	0	0	180	16.4
Butler, Brice	11	0	112	0	0	0	112	10.2
Cameron, Jordan	10	6	97	0	0	0	103	10.3
Smith, Malcolm	9	0	0	0	0	74	74	8.2
Ayles, Blake	8	0	54	0	0	0	54	6.8
McDonald, T.J.	11	0	0	24	0	20	44	4.0
Robey, Nickell	11	0	0	0	0	33	33	3.0
Horton, Wes	8	0	0	24	0	0	24	3.0
Harris, DaJohn	11	0	0	0	0	9	9	0.8
Mustain, Mitch	11	9	0	0	0	0	9	0.8
Galippo, Chris	11	0	0	0	0	8	8	0.7
Heberer, Zack	11	0	0	0	5	0	5	0.5
Ambles, M.	4	0	3	0	0	0	3	0.8
Team	7	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-0.1
Morgan, Michael	11	0	0	0	-1	0	-1	-0.1
Smith, Tyron	11	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	-0.1
Barkley, Matt	11	-13	0	0	0	0	-13	-1.2
Total.....	11	2120	2758	344	1116	144	6482	589.3
Opponents.....	11	1554	2995	84	1224	142	5999	545.4

### 2010 USC FOOTBALL RESULTS

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	7-4	3-2	4-2	
CONFERENCE	4-4	2-2	2-2	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	3-0	1-0	2-0	0-0
Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Attend.
Sept. 2	at Hawai'i	W	49-36	44,204
<b>Sept. 11</b>	<b>VIRGINIA</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>17-14</b>	<b>81,375</b>
Sept. 18	at Minnesota	W	32-21	50,442
Sept. 25	at Washington State *	W	50-16	24,310
<b>Oct. 2</b>	<b>WASHINGTON *</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>31-32</b>	<b>82,796</b>
Oct. 9	at #16 Stanford *	L	35-37	51,607
<b>Oct. 16</b>	<b>CALIFORNIA *</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>48-14</b>	<b>72,386</b>
<b>Oct. 30</b>	<b>#1 OREGON *</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>32-53</b>	<b>88,726</b>
<b>Nov. 6</b>	<b>ARIZONA STATE *</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>34-33</b>	<b>68,744</b>
Nov. 13	at #18 Arizona *	W	24-21	54,722
Nov. 20	at Oregon State *	L	7-36	44,969

\*Pac-10 Conference game Home game in **BOLD**



**2010 USC Trojans Football**  
**USC Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Nov 21, 2010)**  
**All games**



##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot				int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
7	McDonald, T.J.	11	54	34	88	3.0-14	1.0-8	3-20	4	.	.	.	1	.	
42	Kennard, Devon	11	27	42	69	7.0-19	2.0-9	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
24	Wright, S.	11	41	19	60	7.0-21	2.5-14	.	8	.	2-7	2	1	.	
91	Casey, Jurrell	11	28	31	59	10.0-49	4.5-32	1-0	1	.	1-0	.	.	.	
6	Smith, Malcolm	9	33	23	56	5.5-13	1.0-6	1-74	1	.	.	2	.	.	
17	Morgan, Michael	11	28	23	51	3.0-13	0.5-5	.	3	.	1-0	1	.	.	
37	Robey, Nickell	11	27	14	41	1.5-5	.	3-33	3	.	.	.	.	.	
29	Starling, J.	9	22	15	37	.	.	1-0	1	.	.	.	.	.	
94	Armstead, A.	10	15	19	34	4.0-11	1.0-5	.	.	1	1-0	.	.	.	
98	Harris, DaJohn	11	11	21	32	5.5-31	3.5-19	1-9	.	.	1-0	1	.	.	
23	Horton, Shane	11	22	5	27	6.5-18	1.0-6	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	
96	Horton, Wes	8	17	10	27	5.5-55	4.0-36	.	2	1	.	1	1	.	
54	Galippo, Chris	11	16	6	22	2.0-13	1.0-11	1-8	.	.	.	1	.	.	
27	Jones, Marshall	11	12	9	21	1.5-2	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	
8	Perry, Nick	10	10	9	19	5.0-24	3.0-22	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	
30	Baucham, Brian	10	14	2	16	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
4	Harris, Torin	10	12	1	13	.	.	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.	
34	Burnett, Tony	11	6	4	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
46	Cumming, Ross	11	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
26	Harper, Daniel	10	6	2	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
2	Gable, C.J.	11	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
90	Simmons, Derek	11	3	4	7	1.0-2	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	
89	Thomas, C.	11	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
11	Harfman, Jacob	11	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
92	Fangupo, Hebron	7	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
14	Wright, D.	10	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
41	Ellison, Rhett	11	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TM	Team	7	3	.	3	3.0-5	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	
38	Bryant, T.J.	4	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
81	Greene, Kevin	7	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
51	Andrew, Will	3	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
74	Heberer, Zack	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
13	Woods, Robert	11	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
01	Ausberry, David	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
62	Pousson, Chris	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
11	Butler, Brice	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
19	McAllister, D.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
70	Smith, Tyron	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	
67	Reardon, M.	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>749</b>	<b>71-295</b>	<b>25-173</b>	<b>11-144</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8-7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>.</b>	
	<b>Opponents</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>54-205</b>	<b>17-116</b>	<b>10-142</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9-3</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>.</b>	<b>.</b>	

# 2010 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

(USC game highs in **bold face**)

Name	Hawaii	Virginia	Minn.	Wash. St.	Wash.	Stanford	Cal	Oregon	Ariz. St.	Arizona	Ore. St.	No. Dame	UCLA
<b>Rushing: TCB-NET-TD</b>													
Tyler	17-154-1	18-67-0	9-33-1	7-34-1	14-60-2	3-11-0	7-79-1	17-69-2	12-119-0	31-160-1	11-34-0		
Bradford	8-52-0	3-10-0	12-131-1	7-84-0	21-223-2	13-33-1	9-27-0	3-9-0	1-2-0	--	5-11-0		
Baxter	--	9-49-0	7-24-0	14-75-0	1-(-1)-0	4-22-1	--	2-14-0	17-52-0	3-13-0	--		
Gable	8-39-0	--	6-36-0	7-12-0	--	--	13-72-0	--	--	--	10-57-1		
Havili	1-7-0	--	--	4-80-1	--	1-4-0	--	10-38-0	4-12-0	3-21-0	1-2-0		
Woods	--	--	--	--	--	1-0-0	2-25-0	--	--	1-5-0	2-20-0		
Johnson	--	--	--	--	2-17-0	1-5-0	1-(-1)-0	--	1-4-0	--	--		
Ausberry	--	--	--	--	--	--	2-14-0	--	--	--	--		
Mustain	--	--	1-2-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3-7-0		
Cameron	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-6-0		
Team	--	--	1-(-1)-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	3-(-4)-0	--		
Barkley	1-(-6)-0	3-1-0	2-(-9)-0	--	1-(-1)-0	5-33-0	2-(-5)-0	4-(-17)-1	8-(-2)-0	5-10-1	2-(-17)-0		
<b>Passing: PA-PC-INT-YDS-TD</b>													
Barkley	23-18-0	35-20-0	26-17-2	25-16-2	20-14-0	45-28-0	37-25-0	49-26-2	37-26-2	35-21-1	19-10-1		
Mustain	257-5	202-2	192-2	290-3	186-0	390-3	352-5	264-1	215-3	170-1	75-0		
Tyler	4-2-0	--	--	5-4-0	--	--	7-5-0	--	--	1-1-0	17-8-0		
Tyler	21-0	--	--	38-1	--	--	39-0	--	--	7-0	60-0		
Tyler	--	--	--	--	--	1-0-0	--	--	--	--	--		
						0-0							
<b>Receiving: NO-YDS-TD</b>													
Woods	4-46-0	3-64-0	4-33-0	2-32-1	--	12-224-3	7-116-2	7-59-0	3-18-0	8-41-0	3-15-0		
Johnson	7-59-3	5-58-0	3-63-1	5-69-1	6-109-0	6-61-0	7-45-2	4-65-1	3-17-0	2-25-0	5-45-0		
Havili	1-49-0	3-22-0	1-10-0	5-107-1	2-10-0	2-22-0	5-36-0	4-27-0	3-43-1	1-13-0	2-21-0		
Ausberry	2-55-1	1-2-0	1-21-1	1-11-0	3-40-0	--	4-53-1	2-26-0	3-21-1	2-14-0	1-9-0		
Carswell	1-15-0	2-14-1	--	3-63-0	--	2-24-0	1-33-0	2-30-0	2-9-0	1-4-0	2-13-0		
Tyler	--	2-18-0	--	--	2-13-0	1-10-0	1-24-0	3-16-0	5-32-1	1-16-0	1-(-1)-0		
Ellison	3-34-1	--	3-45-0	1-29-0	--	--	1-4-0	2-26-0	--	3-32-1	1-10-0		
Cameron	1-11-0	2-16-1	--	1-7-0	1-14-0	4-24-0	--	2-15-0	--	2-10-0	--		
Baxter	--	2-8-0	3-17-0	--	--	--	--	--	4-26-0	2-22-0	--		
Butler	1-9-0	--	1-4-0	1-7-1	--	1-25-0	2-18-0	--	3-49-0	--	--		
Bradford	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-8-0	--	--	--	1-19-0		
Gable	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2-14-0		
Ayles	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-54-0	--	--	--	--		
Ambles	--	--	--	1-3-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
T. Smith	--	--	1-(-1)-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
<b>Punting: NO-YDS-LONG</b>													
Harfman	2-88-52	7-299-52	3-110-48	--	2-74-42	2-90-45	--	5-226-51	6-261-51	2-85-46	6-228-52		
Houston	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-26-26	--	--	--	--		
<b>Punt Returns: NO-YDS-LONG</b>													
Johnson	3*-100-89	3-15-14	--	--	--	1-15-15	2-38-20	4-94-55	3-21-10	1-11-11	1-(-2)-(-2)		
W. Horton	--	--	--	1-24-24	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
McDonald	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-24-24	--	--		
Woods	--	--	--	1-4-4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
*Includes 1 touchdown return													
<b>Kickoff Returns: NO-YDS-LONG</b>													
Woods	6-96-30	2-35-24	2*-122-97	1-10-10	6-163-56	3-86-33	1-25-25	8-200-39	--	3-64-34	2-68-37		
Gable	--	--	--	--	--	--	2-56-37	--	--	--	5-130-56		
Johnson	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3-57-27	--	--		
Heberer	1-5-5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Morgan	--	--	--	1-(-1)-(-1)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
*Includes 1 touchdown return													
<b>Interceptions: NO-YDS-TD</b>													
Robey	--	--	--	2-33-1	--	--	--	--	1-0-0	--	--		
McDonald	--	1-0-0	--	1-20-0	--	--	1-0-0	--	--	--	--		
M. Smith	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-74-1	--	--		
D. Harris	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-9-0	--	--	--	--		
Galippo	--	--	1-8-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Starling	--	--	1-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Casey	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0-0	--	--	--		

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<b>Defensive Statistics: TAC-FOR LOSS-PASS DEF-FUM REC</b>													
McDonald	4-0-1-0	14-0-1-0	7-1-0-0	6-1-0-0	11-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	3-0-0-0	6-1-1-0	13-0-1**-0	10-0-0-0	10-0-1-0		
Kennard	2-1-0-0	7-0.5-0-0	4-0-0-0	8-0-0-0	10-1-0-0	7-0-0-0	6-1-1-0	13-1.5-0-0	4-0.5-0-0	--	8-1.5-0-0		
S. Wright	3-0-1-0	8-1-2*-0	5-1-1-0	4-0-1-0	8-0-0-0	5-1-0-1	3-0-0-0	7-0.5-1-0	6-1.5-2-0	4-1-0-1	7-1-1-0		
Casey	4-2-0-0	10-0-0-0	9-0.5-0-0	2-1-0-0	5-0-0-0	2-0-0-1	3-1-0-0	5-0-0-0	5-1-0-0	6-2-0-0	8-2.5-1-0		
M. Smith	6-0-0-0	12-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	5-0-0-0	8-2-0-0	1-1-0-0	--	--	7-1-0-0	7-1.5-1-0	7-0-0-0		
Morgan	5-1-1-0	5-0-0-0	3-0-0-1	3-0-0-0	6-0.5-0-0	7-0-1-0	1-0-0-0	7-0-1-0	4-0.5-0-0	5-0.5-0-0	6-0.5-0-0		
Robey	6-0-1-0	2-0-2-0	5-0-0-0	3-0-0-0	5-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	6-0.5-0-0	3-1-0-0	5-0-0-0		
Starling	5-0-0-0	5-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	3-0-1-0	7-0-0-0	5-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	5-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	--		
Armstead	3-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	4-1.5-0-0	--	4-1-0-0	3-0-0-0	3-1-0-0	7-0.5-0-1	--	1-0-0-0	8-0-0-0		
D. Harris	--	4-1-0-0	3-0-0-0	2-1-0-0	3-1.5-0-0	--	--	6-1-0-0	5-0.5-0-0	1-0-0-1	8-0.5-0-0		
S. Horton	2-0-0-0	--	--	3-1-0-0	--	10-2-0-0	1-1-0-0	11-2.5-1-0	--	--	--		
W. Horton	6-2-0-0	4-1.5-0-0	2-0-0-0	3-1-1**-0	--	--	--	4-0-1-0	4-0-1-0	1-0-0-0	3-1-0-0		
Galippo	2-0-0-0	--	2-1-0-0	2-1-0-0	--	2-0-0-0	6-0-0-0	3-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	--		
Jones	0-0-1-0	1-0-0-0	--	2-1-0-0	--	--	5-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	1-0.5-2-0	3-0-0-0	5-0-0-0		
Perry	--	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	2-1-0-0	3-0-1-0	2-1-0-0	2-1-0-0	3-0-0-0	3-2-0-0	--	2-0-0-0		
Baucham	1-0-0-0	--	2-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	4-0-1-0	2-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	--	1-0-0-0	--	2-0-0-0		
T. Harris	2-0-0-0	--	2-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	1-0-0-1	--	--	3-0-1-0	4-0-0-0	--		
Burnett	1-0-0-0	--	1-0-0-0	--	2-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0		
Cumming	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	1-0-0-0		
Harper	--	--	2-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	3-0-0-0	--	2-0-0-0	--	--	--	--		
Gable	--	1-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	--	--	--	4-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	--	--		
D. Simmons	0-0-1-0	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	1-0-0-0	2-0-2-0	--	1-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	--		
Thomas	1-0-0-0	--	--	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--		
Harfman	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	--	2-0-0-0	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--		
Fangupo	2-0-0-0	--	--	2-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
D. Wright	--	--	--	2-0-0-0	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--		
Ellison	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	1-0-0-0		
Team	--	--	--	--	0-0-0-1	--	1-1-0-0	2-2-0-0	--	--	--		
Bryant	--	--	1-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Greene	1-0-0-0	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Andrew	--	--	--	--	--	--	2-0-0-0	--	--	--	--		
Heberer	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Woods	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Ausberry	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--		
Pousson	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--		
Butler	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
McAllister	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
T. Smith	--	--	--	0-0-1***-0	--	--	--	--	0-0-1***-0	--	--		
Reardon	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0-0-1*-0	--		

\*Includes 1 blocked field goal  
\*\*Includes 1 blocked punt  
\*\*\*Includes 1 blocked PAT

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Name	Hawaii	Virginia	Minn.	Wash. St.	Wash.	Stanford	Cal	Oregon	Ariz. St.	Arizona	Ore. St.	No. Dame	UCLA
First Downs	25	18	21	28	26	24	34	27	24	24	18		
Rush	13	5	13	14	14	7	13	7	10	12	9		
Pass	11	10	7	14	11	17	19	15	12	11	4		
Penalty	1	3	1	0	1	0	2	5	2	1	5		
Rush Attempts	35	33	38	39	39	28	36	36	43	46	35		
Yds Gain	252	147	233	302	302	119	228	139	215	210	163		
Yds Lost	6	20	17	17	4	11	17	26	28	5	43		
Net Yards	246	127	216	285	298	108	211	113	187	205	120		
Net Yds Pass	278	202	192	328	186	390	391	264	215	177	135		
Pass Att	27	35	26	30	20	46	44	49	37	36	36		
Pass Com	20	20	17	20	14	28	30	26	26	22	18		
Had Int	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	2	1	1		
Tot Off Plays	62	68	64	69	59	74	80	85	80	82	71		
Tot Net Yards	524	329	408	613	484	498	602	377	402	382	255		
Avg/Play	8.5	4.8	6.4	8.9	8.2	6.7	7.5	4.4	5.0	4.7	3.6		
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-1	3-1	2-1	1-1	1-1	3-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	2-1		
Penalties-Yds	11-100	13-140	7-71	5-39	5-49	8-53	8-54	3-22	5-46	8-60	5-46		
Punts-Yds	2-88	7-299	3-110	0-0	2-74	2-90	1-26	5-226	6-261	2-85	6-228		
Avg/Punt	44.0	42.7	36.7	0.0	37.0	45.0	26.0	45.2	43.5	42.5	38.0		
Punt Ret-Yds	3-100	3-15	0-0	2-28	0-0	1-15	2-38	4-94	4-45	1-11	1-(-2)		
KO Ret-Yds	7-101	2-35	2-122	2-9	6-163	3-86	3-81	8-200	3-57	3-64	7-198		
Int-Yards	0-0	1-0	2-8	3-53	0-0	0-0	2-9	1-0	2-74	0-0	0-0		
Fum Ret-Yds	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0		
Poss Time	27:53	31:36	31:15	30:36	30:00	29:34	36:38	32:35	36:48	37:27	27:32		
3rd Down Con	9-12	5-15	4-10	8-12	3-7	7-14	8-17	4-15	7-15	4-15	4-16		
4th Down Con	0-0	1-1	2-2	2-3	0-0	2-3	3-4	0-2	1-1	2-3	2-6		
Sacks By-Yds	4-24	2-22	2-19	3-16	1-5	1-8	2-13	1-2	4-25	2-19	3-20		



## Game-By-Game Starters

Name	Hawaii	Virginia	Minn.	Wash. St.	Wash.	Stanford	Cal	Oregon	Ariz. St.	Arizona	Ore. St.	No. Dame	UCLA
<b>Offense</b>													
WR	Woods	Woods	Woods	Woods	Woods	Woods	Woods	Woods	Woods	Woods	Woods	Woods	Woods
LT	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil	Kalil
LG	Lewis	Lewis	Lewis	Lewis	Lewis	Lewis	Lewis	Lewis	Reardon	Reardon	Reardon	Reardon	Reardon
C	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	O'Dowd
RG	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes	Holmes
RT	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith	T. Smith
TE	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison	Ellison
QB	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley	Barkley
FB	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili
TB	Tyler	Tyler	Tyler	Bradford	Tyler	Bradford	Bradford	Tyler	Baxter	Tyler	Tyler	Tyler	Tyler
WR	Johnson	Johnson	Johnson	Johnson	Johnson	Johnson	Johnson	Johnson	Ausberry	Johnson	Johnson	Johnson	Johnson
<b>Defense</b>													
LE	Armstead	W. Horton	Armstead	W. Horton	Armstead	Armstead	Armstead	Armstead	Armstead	Armstead	Armstead	Armstead	Armstead
LT	D. Harris	Armstead	D. Harris	D. Harris	D. Harris	D. Harris	D. Harris	D. Harris	D. Harris	D. Harris	D. Harris	D. Harris	D. Harris
RT	Casey	Casey	Casey	Casey	Casey	Casey	Casey	Casey	Casey	Casey	Casey	Casey	Casey
RE	W. Horton	Perry	Perry	Perry	Perry	Perry	Perry	W. Horton	W. Horton	W. Horton	Perry	Perry	Perry
SLB	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan	Morgan
MLB	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Galippo	Galippo	Galippo	Galippo	Galippo
WLB	M. Smith	M. Smith	M. Smith	M. Smith	M. Smith	M. Smith	Galippo	Galippo	Galippo	M. Smith	M. Smith	M. Smith	M. Smith
CB	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright	S. Wright
SS	Starling	Starling	Starling	Starling	Starling	Starling	Starling	Starling	Starling	Starling	Jones	Jones	Jones
FS	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald	McDonald
CB	Robey	Robey	Robey	Robey	Robey	Robey	Robey	Robey	Robey	Robey	Robey	Robey	Robey

## OPPONENT TEAM STATISTICS

Name	Hawaii	Virginia	Minn.	Wash. St.	Wash.	Stanford	Cal	Oregon	Ariz. St.	Arizona	Ore. St.	No. Dame	UCLA
First Downs	31	22	18	20	28	27	10	29	22	24	18		
Rush	10	10	6	5	11	10	4	15	11	3	10		
Pass	17	9	9	13	16	13	6	13	10	20	7		
Penalty	4	3	3	2	1	4	0	1	1	1	1		
Rush Attempts	29	36	37	26	34	36	19	50	28	18	41		
Yds Gain	186	173	111	100	240	210	72	329	143	71	210		
Yds Lost	57	23	28	33	15	17	19	18	27	20	36		
Net Yards	129	150	87	67	225	193	53	311	116	51	174		
Net Yds Pass	459	190	224	256	311	285	193	288	282	353	154		
Pass Att	49	37	29	41	41	24	29	32	42	48	24		
Pass Com	27	17	15	26	25	20	15	19	25	32	17		
Had Int	0	1	2	3	0	0	2	1	2	0	0		
Tot Off Plays	78	72	66	67	75	60	48	82	70	66	65		
Tot Net Yards	588	340	307	323	537	478	246	599	398	404	328		
Avg/Play	7.5	4.7	4.7	4.8	7.2	8.0	5.1	7.3	5.7	6.1	5.0		
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-1	3-3	0-0	3-1	1-0	3-2	1-0		
Penalties-Yds	5-42	9-101	4-30	2-15	5-36	3-10	9-67	8-85	4-35	6-40	8-85		
Punts-Yds	3-130	6-261	7-271	5-160	1-45	1-54	6-263	5-232	7-217	3-109	6-263		
Avg/Punt	43.3	43.5	38.7	32.0	45.0	54.0	43.8	46.4	31.0	36.3	43.8		
Punt Ret-Yds	0-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	1-4	1-1	0-0	3-54	1-0	1-2	2-23		
KO Ret-Yds	4-82	3060	5-108	4-78	6-127	6-205	8-165	5-117	5-180	3-36	2-66		
Int-Yards	0-0	0-0	2-9	2-(-1)-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-3	2-66	1-0	1-65		
Fum Ret-Yds	1-(-2)	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0		
Poss Time	32:07	28:24	28:45	29:24	30:00	30:26	23:22	27:25	23:12	22:33	32:28		
3rd Down Con	8-15	4-15	6-14	6-15	7-14	6-8	2-10	11-17	4-13	11-16	4-14		
4th Down Con	0-1	2-3	0-0	1-1	2-3	0-0	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0		
Sacks By-Yds	1-6	2-19	1-11	0-0	1-1	1-6	1-9	2-7	4-27	0-0	4-30		