MIDDLE TENNESSEE

GAME NOTES ■ SEPT. 6, 2003 ■ ATHENS, GA ■ SANFORD STADIUM (92,000)

Middle Tennessee (0-1) vs #8 Georgia (1-0)

Date: September 6, 2003; 12 PM CST
Where: Sanford Stadium (92,000)
Series Record: First Meeting
Radio: Blue Raider Network {Dick Palmer (PxP) and Chip Walters (color)}
(Five Stations on the Network; Locally on WBOZ FM 104.9, WMOT FM 89.5)
Internet: GoBlueRaiders.com
TV: Pay-Per-View (Matt Stewart and Buck Belue)
Last Meeting: First Meeting
Notes: Middle Tennessee has 38 players from the state of Georgia compared to the Bulldogs, who only have one player from Tennessee ... Georgia will be the sixth nationally-ranked opponent the Blue Raiders have faced since joining the I-A ranks ... Don Calloway is averaging 85.0 yards rushing over his last two games ... Brandon Westbrook's 32 career starts ranks tied for 15th nationally among offensive linemen ... The 120 penalty yards in the opener was the third most for a single-game in the I-A era.

SERIES RECORD

■ Saturday's football game between Middle Tennessee and Georgia will be the first-ever meeting on the gridiron.

MT VS RANKED FOES

■ Since joining the I-A ranks in 1999, the Blue Raiders have faced five teams in the nation's top 25 and this week will be the sixth. Middle Tennessee is 0-5 in those games with losses to No. 19 Arizona in 1999, No. 21 Illinois in 2000, No. 8 Florida in 2000, No. 20 Mississippi State in 2000, and No. 4 Tennessee in 2002. The highest rated foe the Blue Raiders have ever faced was Florida State in 1991 when the Seminoles were ranked No. 1.

THE GAME ON TV

■ The Middle Tennessee-Georgia game will be shown on a Pay-Per-View basis. The game will be made available for $29.99 to all cable subscribers in the states of Georgia and Tennessee. To subscribe, customers should contact their local cable provider. Comcast/Charter Sports Southeast (CSS) will provide coverage of the game.

BLUE RAIDERS VS SEC

■ When Middle Tennessee kicks off against Georgia on Saturday, it will mean the Blue Raiders have played 10 of the 12 SEC teams since Andy McCollum took over in 1999. The only SEC teams MT has not faced is Auburn and South Carolina. This will mark the 12th game against the SEC since 1999 and the Blue Raiders are 2-9 in those contests. Overall, the Blue Raiders have a mark of 2-21 against teams from the SEC.

BIG CROWDS

■ The Blue Raiders are no strangers to large crowds on the road and the Georgia game will be no exception. The expected Sanford Stadium crowd of 92,000 would go down as the second largest crowd MT has ever played in front of behind last year's Tennessee crowd of 107,672. The Blue Raiders played before 88,249 fans at LSU in 2001. In last year's first three games at Alabama, Tennessee, and Kentucky, the Blue Raiders played in front of an average of 82,782 fans per game.

MAC GOING BACK

■ Head coach Andy McCollum will be go-

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2003 BLUE RAIDERS SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 28	FLORIDA ATLANTIC	L, 20-19
Sept. 6	at Georgia (#8)	Noon
Sept. 13	at Clemson	4 PM
Sept. 20	at Missouri	1 PM
Oct. 4	TEMPLE	6 PM
Oct. 11	*NEW MEXICO STATE (HC)	2 PM
Oct. 18	at Idaho	4 PM
Oct. 25	*NORTH TEXAS (ESPN Reg.)	6 PM
Nov. 1	*at Utah State	4 PM
Nov. 8	^TROY STATE (ESPN Reg.)	6 PM
Nov. 15	*LOUISIANA-LAFAYETTE	2 PM
Nov. 20	*at Arkansas State (ESPN Reg.)	6 PM

* Sun Belt Conference Games
^Designated Sun Belt Conference Game

2003 GEORGIA SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 30	at Clemson	W, 30-0
Sept. 6	MIDDLE TENNESSEE	1 PM
Sept. 13	SOUTH CAROLINA	TBA
Sept. 20	at LSU	3:30 PM
Oct. 4	ALABAMA	TBA
Oct. 11	at Tennessee	TBA
Oct. 18	at Vanderbilt	TBA
Oct. 25	UAB	1 PM
Nov. 1	at Florida	TBA
Nov. 15	AUBURN	TBA
Nov. 22	KENTUCKY	TBA
Nov. 29	at Georgia Tech	TBA

Team Comparison

MT		UGA
0-1	2003 Record	1-0
Multiple	Primary Offense	Pro Style
3-3 Stack	Primary Defense	Multiple 4-3
8	Offensive Starters Returning	3
6	Defensive Starters Returning	7

SBC Video Feed

Every Wednesday at 2 PM CST
Coordinates
AMC 1 (C-band analog)
Transponder: C-17
Downlink Frequency, 4040 mhz
Audio: 6.2-6.8
Trouble Number: 225-336-2268/2269
Interview with head coach, player and previous game highlights.

SUN BELT STANDINGS

Team	SBC	Overall
Arkansas State	0-0	0-1
Idaho	0-0	0-1
Louisiana-Lafayette	0-0	0-1
Louisiana-Monroe	0-0	0-1
Middle Tennessee	0-0	0-1
New Mexico State	0-0	0-1
North Texas	0-0	0-1
Utah State	0-0	0-1

SATURDAY'S SCHEDULE (9/6)

Tennessee-Martin at Arkansas State
Eastern Michigan at Idaho
Louisiana Tech at Louisiana-Lafayette*
Stephen F. Austin at Louisiana-Monroe
Middle Tennessee at Georgia
Western New Mexico at New Mexico State
Baylor at North Texas
Utah State at Nebraska
*designated SBC game

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE (9/13)

SEMO at Arkansas State
Boise State at Idaho
Houston at Louisiana-Lafayette
Louisiana-Monroe at Ole Miss
Middle Tennessee at Clemson
New Mexico State at Oregon State
North Texas at Air Force
Utah State at Arizona State

CHARTING MIDDLE TENNESSEE'S OPPONENTS

Middle Tennessee's opponents and their current records are listed in parenthesis:

THIS WEEK'S GAMES

Valdosta State at Florida Atlantic (1-0)
Middle Tennessee at Georgia (1-0)
Furman at Clemson (0-1)
Missouri (1-0) at Ball State
Villanova at Temple (0-1)
Western New Mexico at New Mexico State (0-1)
Eastern Washington at Idaho (0-1)
Baylor at North Texas (0-1)
Utah State (0-1) at Nebraska
Troy State (0-1) at Minnesota
Louisiana Tech at UL-Lafayette (0-1)
Tennessee-Martin at Arkansas State (0-1)

Opponents' Combined Record: 3-9

TALE OF THE TAPE

	Middle Tennessee	*UGA*
First Downs	18	18
Rushing Offense (Avg.)	183.0	197.0
Passing Offense (Avg.)	160.0	214.0
Total Offense (Avg.)	343.0	411.0
Scoring Offense (Avg.)	19.0	30.0
Rushing Defense (Avg.)	42.0	35.0
Passing Defense (Avg.)	215.0	164.0
Total Defense (Avg.)	257.0	199.0
Scoring Defense (Avg.)	20.0	0.0
Punting Avg.	34.8	33.0
Penalty Yards (Avg.)	120.0	49.0
Associated Press Ranking	NA	8

ing back to his home state of Georgia when the Blue Raiders take on the Bulldogs Saturday. McCollum is from Marietta where he played prep football for Ray Broadaway at Marietta High School. McCollum was a three-year starter for Broadaway at quarterback and earned Cobb County Player of the Year honors as a senior.

GEORGIA REUNION

■ Over 1/3 of the Middle Tennessee football team will be coming home when the Blue Raiders kick it off against Georgia. A total of 38 players on the MT roster hail from Georgia, including 26 who are on the two-deep roster.

LYNCH HAS BIG NIGHT

■ Senior weakside safety **Brandon Lynch** turned in one of the best games of his career against FAU. The Hephzibah, GA, native equaled his career-high with nine tackles to go along with an interception and a fumble recovery. For his efforts, Lynch was voted on by the media as the Alexander Automotive Family Player of the Game.

WRIGHT STUFF

■ Wide receiver **Kerry Wright** enjoyed his best game as a collegian in the opener against Florida Atlantic. The junior hauled in a career-high eight receptions for 85 yards to lead all receivers. Wright entered the game with only 18 career receptions in two years.

GROSS HAS STRONG DEBUT

■ Newcomer **Eugene Gross** delighted the Blue Raider faithful against FAU by displaying a tough, hard-nosed running style. The freshman from Statesboro, GA, rushed 19 times for a game-high 86 yards and one touchdown.

CALLOWAY NOT BAD EITHER

■ **Don Calloway**, who made his first career start against FAU, turned in his second straight strong performance. The Colquitt, GA, native had 14 carries (third most in his career) for 84 yards to follow his nine-carry, 86-yard effort in the 2002 season finale against Utah State.

SACK TIME

■ After finishing with a league-low 13 quarterback sacks in 2002, an emphasis was put on increasing that number in 2003. The Blue Raiders got off on the right foot in the opener by collecting five sacks against FAU. That total ranks as the fourth most in school history and the most by the Blue Raiders since registering eight against Connecticut in 2001. Sophomore **Devarick Scandrett** and junior **Thomas Johnson** led the way with one and a half sacks each.

DOMINANT 'D' ... FOR 54 MIN.

■ Despite the disappointing loss in the opener, a bright spot was the play of the defense - at least for the first 54 minutes. With six minutes left to play in the game, Middle Tennessee had held FAU to 84 total yards of offense, only four first downs, and had registered five quarterback sacks. The Owls turned things around on the final two drives by going 173 yards for two scores. On the night, MT held FAU to negative yardage on six of its 14 drives, while allowing more than eight yards on a drive just four times.

FIRST STARTS

■ The Blue Raiders had seven players earn their first collegiate starts last week against FAU. Offensively, the first time starters were Don Calloway, Nick McAfee, Clinton Corder, Germayle Franklin, and Bill Brasch. On defense,

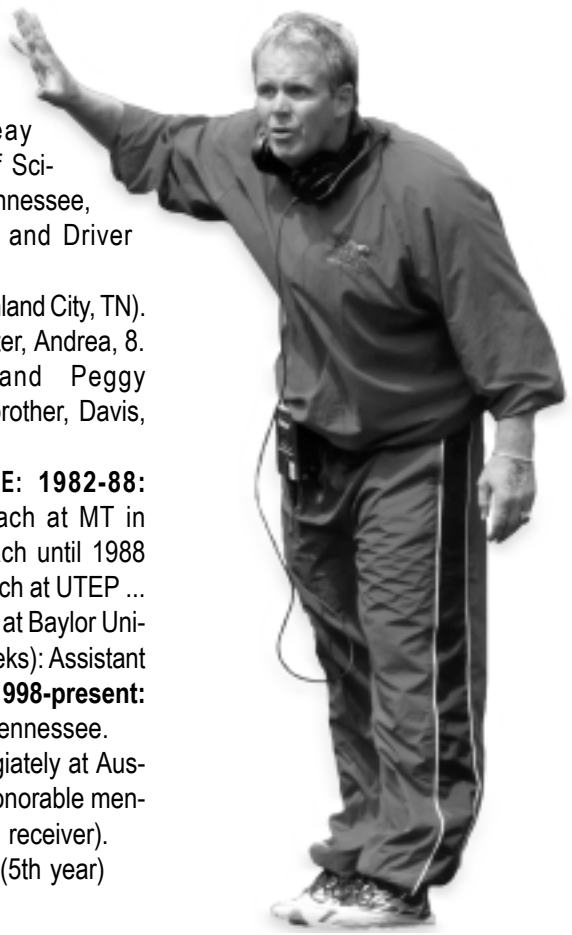
GAME CAPTAINS

FAU: Lynch, Calloway, Hines, Arnold, Montalbano

HEAD COACH

ANDY MCCOLLUM

2000 & 2001 TSWA Coach of the Year



■ **BORN:** March 1, 1959
■ **HIGH SCHOOL:** Marietta (Georgia)
■ **COLLEGE:** Austin Peay State, 1981 (Bachelor of Science Degree); Middle Tennessee, 1983 (Industrial Safety and Driver Safety Education).
■ **FAMILY:** Wife, Gwen (Ashland City, TN). Son, Drew, 9, and daughter, Andrea, 8.
■ **PARENTS:** Johnny and Peggy McCollum. Andy has a brother, Davis, and a sister, Angie.
■ **COACHING EXPERIENCE: 1982-88:** Head Junior Varsity coach at MT in 1982, then assistant coach until 1988 ... **1989-93:** Assistant coach at UTEP ... **1993-98:** Assistant coach at Baylor University ... **1995** (seven weeks): Assistant coach at Tennessee ... **1998-present:** Head coach at Middle Tennessee.
■ **PLAYING CAREER:** Collegiately at Austin Peay from 1977-80 (honorable mention all-OVC in 1979 as a receiver).
■ **RECORD:** At MT: 21-25 (5th year)

The Blue Raiders Under McCollum

- Won the Sun Belt Conference Championship in its first year
- Played 16 televised games
- Produced an SBC Player of the Year and an SBC Offensive Player of the Year
- Garnered 10 SBC first team selections
- Developed a 1,000-yard rusher in three straight seasons (2000-02)
- Had a Heisman Trophy candidate in 2002
- Developed the nation's pass completion percentage leader (Wes Counts, 2001)
- Had the nation's 5th-ranked offense (2001) and 16th-ranked offense (2000)
- Improved 36 spots in total defense from year one to year three (108th-77th-72nd)
- Had the nation's third-leading scorer (2000) and second-leading scorer (2001)
- Improved 87 spots in the national rankings in rushing offense (94th-24th-7th) from 1999-2001
- Has had a receiver ranked among the nation's top 20 two different years
- Produced a first team Freshman All-American (Brandon Westbrook)
- Sent two coaches to the NFL
- Amassed a 16-4 record at home
- Gone 9-4 in the month of November
- Seen his offense score 30 or more points 21 times in 45 games
- 2002 Preseason Associated Press poll saw the Blue Raiders receive one vote, which was their first vote in school history

OVER THE AIR WAVES

■ All Blue Raider football games can be heard on WBOZ FM 104.9 and all across middle Tennessee on WMOT FM 89.5. WBOZ will be carrying Blue Raider football for the eighth straight season, while WMOT is back for a sixth straight year on the network following a six-year absence. Dick Palmer is in his 23rd season as the Blue Raiders' play-by-play announcer, while MT graduate Chip Walters is handling the color analysis for the first year. Broadcast Director Neil Price will be handling sideline commentary during home games, while hosting the pregame and postgame shows. The Blue Raider Network also features six affiliate stations throughout the mid-state area.

INTERNET BROADCAST

■ All Blue Raider football games can be heard over the internet by going to the athletic web site (GoBlueRaiders.com) then clicking on the link located on the top righthand side of the front page.

MCCOLLUM RADIO SHOW

■ Coach Andy McCollum's weekly call-in show, Andy Mac LIVE, airs each Thursday night from 7 PM to 8 PM from the Bunganut Pig in Murfreesboro. The show will be aired on WBOZ FM 104.9 and WGNS 1450 AM, locally.

MCCOLLUM TV SHOW

■ The Andy McCollum television show can be seen each Thursday night at 10:30 PM on CSS (4.1 million homes) (Ch. 27). The show can also be seen Monday-Thursday on MT TV Cable 9 at 9 PM throughout Rutherford County. The show, which is taped each Sunday night, is hosted by Blake Fulton from WTN. Fulton is in his first year.

MT PRESS CONFERENCE

■ Middle Tennessee Head Coach Andy McCollum will hold a weekly football press conference on Mondays at 10:30 AM. The conference will be held in the meeting room at Floyd Stadium adjacent to the weight room. The conference, which will be available over the internet at GoBlueRaiders.com later in the day, will also include three players each week for media convenience.

SBC TELECONFERENCE

■ Middle Tennesee head coach Andy McCollum will appear on the weekly Sun Belt Conference Teleconference call each Monday from 11:15 AM - 11:25 AM. For the call-in number, please contact Mark Owens or the Sun Belt Conference.

Jonathan Callahan and Jonathan Bonner made their first starts.

STAFF CHANGES

■ The 2003 season will mark the debut for three new Blue Raider coaches, while four others have changed positions since 2002. **Carey Bailey**, **Bradley Dale Peveto** and **Ronnie Vinklarek** are the newest members to Andy McCollum's staff. Bailey will coach the defensive line, Peveto will handle the secondary, and Vinklarek will head up the offensive line. Members of the 2002 staff who will have different roles in 2003, include Darin Hinshaw (co-offensive coordinator), Blake Anderson (co-offensive coordinator), Floyd Walker (running backs), and Heath Davis (tight ends). In 2002, Hinshaw coached the running backs, while Anderson had the receivers. Walker was in charge of the tight ends, and Davis was an offensive assistant.

LIFTER OF THE YEAR

■ The 2003 Lifter of the Year, which is voted on by teammates, was split for the first time with **Joey Montalbano** and **Dominic Jones** sharing the honor. Montalbano, a former walk-on, also won the award in 2001 and 2002, while Jones was also singled out as the team's most improved in the weight room. A defensive end, Jones owns the team's top bench press (415) and top safety squat (870). Montalbano finished in the top five in the bench press (410), safety squat (740) and power clean (352).

PROGRESS ON THE LINE

■ The 2003 version of the offensive line at MT has the potential to be the best under McCollum. This year's unit is more athletic, bigger, and stronger than any of the previous four years and is led by two-time all-conference performer **Brandon Westbrook**. The Cumming, GA, native was moved at the beginning of fall camp from tackle to center in order to get the best linemen on the field at the same time. The 2003 line also has the distinction of being the biggest in the McCollum era at an average of 316 pounds per man. That compares to the 293-pound average of the 1999 team, which was the first in I-A.

PAST BLUE RAIDER OFFENSIVE LINES

Year	Avg. Height	Avg. Weight
1999	6-3	293.6
2000	6-3	298.0
2001	6-4	284.3
2002	6-4	310.2
2003	6-4	316.2

PRESEASON HONORS

■ Seniors **Brandon Westbrook** and **Robert Billings** were voted first team preseason All-Sun Belt Conference performers by the leagues coaches, media and media relations directors. Both players were first team selections in 2002.

THE ANCHOR

■ Senior **Brandon Westbrook**, a back-to-back first team all-conference selection, is arguably the top lineman in the Sun Belt. The Cumming, GA, native enters the Georgia game having played in 33 career games and earning 32 starts, which is tops on the team among offensive and defensive players. Overall, Westbrook has played 1,943 snaps during his three years for an average of 60.7 per game.

BILLINGS ONE OF BEST

■ Junior **Robert Billings,** who ranks second all-time at MT in punting average (40.75 yards per punt), is coming off a great year. In 2002, Billings averaged 42.6 yards a kick to rank 17th nationally and first in the Sun Belt Conference. That average went down as the second-best single-season mark in school history for the first team all-SBC selection. The Collierville, TN, native has 148 career punts and 45 of those have been placed inside the opposition's 20-yard line.

BLOCK PARTY

■ The Blue Raiders are coming off their best season during the I-A era in blocking kicks. Middle Tennessee rejected five kicks in 2002, including three extra points, a field goal and a punt. Under McCollum, the Blue Raiders have blocked a total of **nine** kicks with four being punts (Michael Woods vs Louisiana Tech in 2000, Chris Johnson vs ASU in 2001; Joey Montalbano vs ULM in 2002; Thomas Johnson vs UNT in 2002), three being extra points (Kareem Bland vs UL-Monroe in 2001 and two vs UNT in 2002) and two field goals (Kareem Bland vs UConn in 2001 and Jerry Vanderpool vs Tennessee in 2002). The first multiple block game for MT came against North Texas in 2002 with three.

KELLY IS 7TH ON LIST

■ Senior **Brian Kelly** enters the Georgia game ranked seventh all-time in scoring at Middle Tennessee with 204 career points. The Woodstock, GA, native needs just 11 more points to take over sixth place from Keegan Ray (1996-99).

SUN BELT CONFERENCE PRESEASON HONORS

Coaches, Media

1. North Texas - 186 (20)
2. New Mexico State - 160 (2)
3. Middle Tennessee - 131 (1)
4. Arkansas State - 112
5. Louisiana-Lafayette - 98
6. Utah State - 75
7. Idaho - 59 (1)
8. Louisiana-Monroe - 43

Offense

Offensive Line: Trevor Hutton, Utah State; Kimani Jones, Arkansas State; Jake Scott, Idaho; Brandon Westbrook, Middle Tennessee; Nick Zuniga, North Texas **Tight End**: Chris Cooley, Utah State **Wide Receivers**: Fred Stamps, Louisiana-Lafayette; Mack Vincent, Louisiana-Monroe **Quarterback**: Brian Lindgren, Idaho **Running Backs**: Patrick Cobbs, North Texas; Eric Higgins, New Mexico State

Defense

Defensive Line: Jon Bradley, Arkansas State; Brandon Kennedy, North Texas; Joe Olivo, New Mexico State; Corey Williams, Arkansas State **Linebackers**: Taylor Casey, North Texas; Maurice Sonnier, Louisiana-Monroe; Cody Spencer, North Texas **Defensive Backs**: Jonas Buckles, North Texas; Jonathan Burke, Arkansas State; Chris Harris, Louisiana-Monroe; Craig Jones, North Texas

Special Teams

Kicker: Dario Aguiniga, New Mexico State
Punter: Robert Billings, Middle Tennessee
Return Specialist: Ja'Mel Branch, North Texas

Preseason Offensive Player of the Year:
Patrick Cobbs, Jr., RB, North Texas

Preseason Defensive Player of the Year:
Brandon Kennedy, Sr., DT, North Texas

STORY IDEAS

■ **"Blue Raider Community Day"** was established in 2003. The team delivered meals at the senior citizens home, assisted with small children at Project Help and talked with the people at the Adult Learning Center. The team also went throughout Murfreesboro handing out posters, schedule cards and season ticket information to over 300 businesses.

■ Junior **Pedro Holiday** transferred to MT in January of 2003 and went through spring practice. Following spring drills, Holiday practiced two days with the track team and eventually went on to become an All-American as part of the 4 x 100 relay team.

■ Wide receiver **Jerrin Holt** began his college career as a Vanderbilt signee.

■ **Brandon Westbrook**, the only two-time all-conference performer, was moved from tackle to center during fall camp. When Westbrook makes his first snap to start the year he will have played every position along the offensive line.

■ **Brandon Parker** tutored kids at Erma Siegal Elementary School during the summer on a volunteer basis.

■ Cornerback **Chris Johnson** is studying to be a minister. The Freeport, FL, native gave his first sermon during Middle Tennessee's open week on Sept. 15 of last year. Former running back Dwone Hicks was the best man in Johnson's wedding.

■ Defensive lineman **Demetrios Walker** had his leg broken in four places at the age of 14 when he was run over by a car. After learning how to walk all over again, it's amazing the Kansas City, MO, native is even playing football.

■ On January 29, 2002, lineman **Josh Willoughby** saved the life of a gentleman who was choking on some food at a local restaurant. After a lady had tried unsuccessfully to help the man, Willoughby grabbed him out of the booth and attempted the Heimlich maneuver about 10 times before freeing the lodged food from his throat. At the conclusion of the event, the guy asked Willoughby how he could repay him. Willoughby responded by saying, "just buy season tickets".

■ Senior running back **Don Calloway** has 16 brothers and sisters. His brother Selma was a running back at Georgia.

■ Former walk-on **Joey Montalbano**, who was the 2001, 2002 and 2003 Lifter of the Year for the Blue Raiders, has his own business called "Campus Times". The company publishes calendars.

■ **Andy Mac's Kids** is a group of kids who are invited to each home game by Coach McCollum. Coach McCollum purchases their ticket and goes by to say hello prior to the game.

MORE ON KELLY

■ **Brian Kelly** has made 78.4 percent of his field goals during his career, which ranks as the best in school history. Kelly has made 29 of 37 attempts to rank seven percentage points ahead of Gerald Robinson's (1978-80) mark of 71.4 percent.

GROUND 'MAC'

■ Over the past nine games, Middle Tennessee's rushing attack has been full throttle. During that span, Middle Tennessee has averaged 228.8 yards rushing per game to go along with 22 touchdowns. The team also has had at least one 100-yard rusher in seven of those nine games.The Blue Raiders, ranked second in the league in rushing last year, were 21st nationally in 2002 with 208 yards a game on the ground.

STRONG IN THE RED ZONE

■ Over the past 35 games, the Blue Raider offense has performed admirably in the red zone. During that span, the offense has appeared inside the opponents' 20-yard line 142 times and has come away with points on 116 occasions. That works out to 81.7 percent. Of the 116 scores, 98 have been touchdowns.

100-YD RECEIVING GAMES

■ Under **Andy McCollum**, the Blue Raiders have had 22 100-yard receiving games with 21 of those coming from wide receivers and one from a running back. RB **Don Calloway** is the only current Blue Raider to own a 100-yard receiving game.

LOOKING FOR 20

■ Under **Andy McCollum**, the Blue Raiders have compiled a mark of 21-9 when scoring 20 or more points. On the flip side, Middle Tennessee stands 0-16 when scoring less than 20 points for McCollum and Co.

BIGGEST COMEBACK EVER

■ In what was the biggest comeback win in school history, the Blue Raiders came from 24 points down in the fourth quarter to defeat New Mexico State at home in 2001. The Blue Raiders registered 289 total yards of offense in the fourth quarter and scored on four straight possessions (70, 88, 80 and 68 yards). QB Wes Counts completed 13 of 16 passes for 218 yards in the final quarter, while receiver Kendall Newson hauled in seven passes for 119 yards. Defensively, the Blue Raiders held the Aggies to just 47 yards of total offense. The 28 fourth-quarter points were the most ever scored in the final period by an Andy McCollum-coached team and matched the most scored in any quarter under McCollum.

HOW TO SAY IT

Wardell Alsup	all-supp
Bill Brasch	brash
Shavaskey Brown	Shuh-Vah-skee
Seth Grabo	Gray-bow
Andrico Hines	An-Dree-coe
Pedro Holiday	PEA-dro
Dominic Jones	dom-uh-Nick
Hashem Joyner	Hah-Sheem
Tommy Manus	Man-us
Luke Paschall	pass-kull
Devarick Scandrett	Duh-Var-ick
Danny Tolbert	toll-burt
Josh Willoughby	willow-bee

BLUE RAIDERS ON TV

■ After having a school-record six televised games in 2002, the Blue Raiders will have four in 2003. The North Texas, Troy State, and Arkansas State games will be shown on ESPN Regional as part of the Sun Belt Conference package. The Blue Raiders' game at nationally-ranked Georgia will be available on Pay-Per-View in the state of Georgia and Tennessee.

ARNOLD ON BUTKUS LIST

■ Senior LB **Randy Arnold** is among 89 players named to the Butkus Award Watch List for 2003. The award is given annually to the nation's top linebacker.

BLUE RAIDER OFFENSE IN THE I-A ERA

Year	Games	Pts.	Total Yds.	Rushing Yds	Passing Yds	Turnovers
1999	11	272	3936	1225	2711	27
2000	11	350	4769	2138	2631	20
2001	11	408	5295	2614	2681	21
2002	12	297	4,352	2,504	1,848	22
2003	1	19	343	183	160	0
Total	**46**	**1,346**	**18,273**	**8,664**	**10,031**	**90**
Avg.		*(29.3)*	*(397.2)*	*(188.3)*	*(218.1)*	*(1.95)*

Andy Mac LIVE

Weekly Radio Show

Head Coach Andy McCollum's Weekly Call-in radio show will air all 12 weeks live from the Bunganut Pig in Murfreesboro. The show will be heard on 19 different stations throughout the mid-state area. Following is a schedule for the 2003 show:

August 26; September 4, 11, 18; October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; November 6, 13, 18.

NOT SHYING AWAY

■ Middle Tennessee has never backed down from an opponent and it is evidenced by its schedule the past four years. During that span, the Blue Raiders have played 14 games against teams from BCS conferences, which works out to 31 percent of the 45 games played. The Blue Raiders play four BCS teams in 2003.

THE ORIGINALS

■ Middle Tennessee opened the 2003 season with only four players remaining from Andy McCollum's first recruiting class in 1999. LB **Randy Arnold**, DB **Chris Johnson**, OL **Brandon Westbrook**, and OL **Josh Willoughby** are the last of the initial Division I-A recruiting class. All are fifth-year seniors.

QUICK HITTERS

■ LB **Alvin Fite** recorded a career-high nine tackles in the opener against FAU, while **Jonathan Bonner** notched his career-high with six stops.

■ Safety **Brandon Lynch** has started 18 straight games, which is the longest streak on the team.

■ **Tony Sutton**, **Muhammad Rashada**, **Will Martin** and **Brandon Lynch** are the only players returning who started all 12 games in 2002.

■ PK **Brian Kelly** has connected on 9 of his last 10 field goals.

■ **Dennis Burke** registered his first collegiate touchdown when he picked up a fumble in the fourth quarter against Utah State in 2002 and rambled 61 yards for the score. It was the only non-special teams or defensive touchdown scored by the Blue Raiders in 2002.

■ **Don Calloway's** 63-yard touchdown run against Utah State in the season finale last year was the longest run of his career.

■ As a I-A member (46 games), the Blue Raiders have scored 50 or more points eight times.

■ The Blue Raiders are **18-2** under Andy McCollum when leading at the half and are 19-2 when leading a game entering the 4th quarter.

■ When trailing at the half, the Blue Raiders are just 3-22 under McCollum and two of those wins came in 2001.

■ The Blue Raiders have scored in 75 of their last 76 games. The only miscue was a 10-0 shutout on the road against UL-Monroe in 1999. MT has scored in 37 straight games at home.

■ Under McCollum, the Blue Raiders are 16-8 on turf and 5-17 on natural grass (nine of the losses came on road to SEC teams).

■ Under McCollum, the Blue Raiders have scored 70 or more points on two occasions.

THE BEGINNING OF THE BOLT

A lightning bolt will be presented to a player following each game when he has fulfilled one of the requirements to earn such an honor. The bolt will then be added to the back of the player's helmet. The Bolt is defined as a flash of "Blue" light conceived as a dart hurled from the heavens and one that acts with sudden and destructive fury. It represents a glorious and fearsome majesty. Following is a breakdown of the three different types of lightning bolts that can be earned by the Blue Raider players:

BLUE BOLT: *Offensive and Defensive Players*
Big Play, Great Effort Play, Big Hit, Gamebreaker, Unselfish Play

BLACK BOLT: *Special Teams*
Big Play, Great Effort Play, Big Hit, Gamebreaker, Unselfish Play

SILVER BOLT: *Entire Team*
Putting Team First, An Extraordinary Play, Beyond the Normal

NCAA FOOTBALL 2003 RANKINGS

TEAM

Category	Rank	Actual
Rushing Offense	33	183.0
Passing Offense	70	160.0
Total Offense	56	343.0
Scoring Offense	60	19.0
Rushing Defense	6	42.0
Pass Eff. Defense	68	133.34
Total Defense	22	257.0
Scoring Defense	46	20.0
Net Punting	78	30.40
Punt Returns	83	1.00
Kickoff Returns	90	0.0
Turnover Margin	1	+4.0
Pass Defense	55	215.0

INDIVIDUAL

Category	Player	Rank	Actual
Rushing	Gross	44	86.0
	Calloway	47	84.0
Passing Eff.	Hines	66	105.12
Total Offense	Hines	60	176.0
Rec. Per Game	Wright	12	8.0
Rec. Yds/Game	Wright	46	85.0
Interceptions	Woods	5	1.00
	Lynch	5	1.00
Punting	Smith	52	38.67
Punt Returns	Henry	71	1.00
Field Goals	Kelly	12	2.0
Scoring	Kelly	78	7.0
	Gross	86	6.0

SUN BELT RANKINGS

TEAM

Category	Rank	Actual
Rushing Offense	1	183.0
Passing Offense	/	160.0
Total Offense	/	343.0
Scoring Offense	/	19.0
Rushing Defense	/	42.0
Pass Eff. Defense	/	133.34
Total Defense	/	257.0
Scoring Defense	/	20.0
Net Punting	/	30.40
Punt Returns	/	1.00
Kickoff Returns	/	0.0
Turnover Margin	1	+4.0
Pass Defense	/	215.0
First Downs	/	18
Sacks by	/	5
Time of Possession	/	32:44
Red Zone Offense	/	80.0%

CAREER WATCH LIST

SCORING

Points Scored

358	Dwone Hicks (59 TD, 2 PAT)	1999-02
280	Garth Petrilli (166 PAT)	1991-94
272	Joe Campbell (45 TD)	1988-91
261	Kelly Potter (52 FG)	1981-84
260	Kippy Bayless (43 TD)	1991-94
214	Keegan Ray (109 PAT, 14 FG)	1996-99
204	**Brian Kelly (29 FG, 2PT PAT)**	**2000-Pre**
191	Bobby Young	1951-53
180	Gerald Anderson (30 TD)	1984-87
176	Joe Lisle (35 FG)	1987-89

Points Scored by Kicking

280	Garth Petrilli (166 PAT)	1991-94
261	Kelly Potter (52 FG)	1981-84
214	Keegan Ray (109 PAT, 14 FG)	1996-99
202	**Brian Kelly (29 FG)**	**2000-Present**
176	Joe Lisle (35 FG)	1987-89
121	Archie Arrington (55 PAT)	1970, 72-74
117	Dick Martin (14 FG)	1985-86
110	Matt Crews (19 FG)	1988-90
101	M.A. Robinson (16 FG)	1974-77
70	Paul Barnett (64 PAT)	1965-67

KICKING

Field Goals Made

52	Kelly Potter (52-78)	1981-84
38	Garth Petrilli (38-60)	1991-94
35	Joe Lisle (35-52)	1987-89
35	Keegan Ray (35-57)	1996-99
29	**Brian Kelly (29-37)**	**2000-Present**
22	A. Arrington (22-40)	1970,72-74
19	Matt Crews (19-31)	1988-90
17	Kenny Nolan (17-29)	1971-72
16	M.A. Robinson (16-24)	1975-77
15	Gerald Robinson (15-21)	1978-80

Field Goals Attempted

78	Kelly Potter (52-78)	1981-84
60	Garth Petrilli (38-60)	1991-94
57	Keegan Ray (35-57)	1996-99
52	Joe Lisle (35-52)	1987-89
40	Archie Arrington (22-40)	1970,72-74
37	**Brian Kelly (29-37)**	**2000-Present**
31	Matt Crews (19-31)	1988-90
29	Kenny Nolan (17-29)	1971-72
27	Dick Martin (14-27)	1985-86
24	M.A. Robinson (16-24)	1975-77

PAT Kicks Made

166	Garth Petrilli (166-170)	1991-94
115	**Brian Kelly (115-124)**	**2000-Present**
109	Keegan Ray (109-119)	1996-99
105	Kelly Potter (105-109)	1981-84
75	Dick Martin (75-80)	1985-86
71	Joe Lisle (71-74)	1987-89
64	Paul Barnett (64-72)	1965-67
55	Archie Arrington (55-58)	1970,72-74
53	Matt Crews (53-58)	1988-90
52	M.A. Robinson (52-55)	1975-77

PAT Kicks Attempted

170	Garth Petrilli (166-170)	1991-94
124	**Brian Kelly (115-124)**	**2000-Present**
119	Keegan Ray (109-119)	1996-99
109	Kelly Potter (105-109)	1981-84
80	Dick Martin (75-80)	1985-86
74	Joe Lisle (71-74)	1987-89
72	Paul Barnett (64-72)	1965-67
58	Matt Crews (53-58)	1988-90
58	Archie Arrington (55-58)	1970,72-74
55	M.A. Robinson (52-55)	1975-77

PUNTING

Punt Yards

10947	Mike Shawen (267-10947)	1971-74
8728	Chuck Daniel (221-8728)	1987-90
8370	Ron Taylor (216-8370)	1968-70
8356	Mark Morrison (209-8356)	1983-86
7209	Randy Saunders (183-7209)	1975-78
6915	Billy Walker (191-6915)	1964-67
6424	Brandon Thomas (160-6424)	1994-97
6031	**Robert Billings (148-6031)**	**2000-Present**
5316	Jimmy Merryman (150-5316)	1981-82
4116	Bill Ming (114-4116)	1976-77,79

Punt Attempts

267	Mike Shawen (267-10947)	1971-74
221	Chuck Daniel (221-8728)	1987-90
216	Ron Taylor (216-8370)	1968-70
209	Mark Morrison (209-8356)	1983-86
191	Billy Walker (191-6915)	1964-67
183	Randy Saunders (183-7209)	1975-78
160	Brandon Thomas (160-6424)	1994-97
150	Jimmy Merryman (150-5316)	1981-82
148	**Robert Billings (148-6031)**	**2000-Present**
114	Bill Ming (114-4116)	1976-77,79

Avg. Yds/Punt (min. 80 att.)

41.00	Mike Shawen (267-10947)	1971-74
40.75	**Robert Billings (148-6031)**	**2000-Present**
40.15	Brandon Thomas (160-6424)	1994-97
39.98	Mark Morrison (209-8356)	1983-86
39.63	Randy Saunders (175-6936)	1976-78
39.49	Chuck Daniel (221-8728)	1987-90
38.75	Ron Taylor (216-8370)	1968-70
37.64	Joel Alsobrook (80-3011)	1991-92
36.37	Frank Halliburton (83-3019)	1960-61,63
36.20	Billy Walker (191-6915)	1964-67

Blue Raiders at a Glance

Category	2003	Under Andy
Record	0-1	21-25
Sun Belt	0-0	7-5
Non-Conference	0-1	14-20
vs ACC	0-0	0-1
vs Big Ten	0-0	0-1
vs Pac 10	0-0	0-1
vs SEC	0-0	2-9
vs CUSA	0-0	0-1
vs NCAA I-AA	0-1	4-3
vs Independents	0-0	7-4
Home	0-1	16-5
Away	0-0	5-20
Neutral	0-0	0-0
Day Games	0-0	11-16
Night Games	0-1	10-9
vs Top 25 Teams	0-0	0-5
TV Games	0-0	9-7
CSS TV	0-0	1-0
MT TV	0-0	5-1
CSSE TV	0-0	0-1
Fox Sports Net Florida	0-0	1-0
Fox Sports Northwest	0-0	0-1
WSMV TV 4	0-0	1-2
Jefferson-Pilot	0-0	0-1
ESPN Regional	0-0	2-1
Pay-Per-View	0-0	0-1
When Scoring First	0-1	16-5
When Opponent Scores First	0-0	5-20
When Leading at Half	0-1	18-2
When Trailing at Half	0-0	3-22
When Tied at Half	0-0	0-1
When Leading after 3rd Q	0-1	19-2
When Trailing after 3rd Q	0-0	2-23
When Tied after 3rd Q	0-0	0-0
In Overtime Games	0-0	1-0
When Scoring less than 20	0-1	0-16
When Scoring 20+	0-0	21-9
When Scoring 30+	0-0	17-4
When Rushing for <100 yards	0-0	0-7
When Rushing for 100+ yards	0-1	21-18
When Rushing for 200+ yards	0-0	13-6
When Passing for 200+ yards	0-0	15-9
When Passing for 250+ yards	0-0	10-7
When Passing for 300+ yards	0-0	7-5
When Totaling <300 yds offense	0-0	1-9
When Gaining over 300 yds Off.	0-1	20-16
When Allowing <100 yds rushing	0-1	9-1
When Allowing 100+ yds rushing	0-0	12-24
When Allowing 200+ yds passing	0-1	13-18
When Allowing 250+ yds passing	0-0	8-10
When Allowing 300+ yds passing	0-0	4-5
When Allowing <300 yds offense	0-1	7-3
When Allowing 300+ yds offense	0-0	14-22
When having a 100-yd rusher	0-0	16-9
When opp. has 100-yd rusher	0-0	2-15
When having no turnovers	0-1	4-3
When having 3 or more turnovers	0-0	5-10
When having no takeaways	0-0	2-3
When having 3 or more takeaways	0-1	7-5

MIDDLE TENNESSEE
DEPTH CHART

Offense

QB	9	Andrico Hines (6-2, 209, r-Sr.)
	16	Josh Harris (6-3, 180, So.) **OR**
	17	Clint Marks (6-2, 188, r-Fr.)
TB	28	Don Calloway (5-6, 186, Sr.)
	25	Eugene Gross (5-9, 208, r-Fr.) **OR**
	32	Kevin Davis (5-9, 220, r-Fr.) **OR**
	27	Kelvin German (5-11, 203, So.)
FB	31	Nick McAfee (6-0, 248, Jr.)
	48	Ralph Gunter (6-0, 265, Fr.)
X	1	Kerry Wright (5-9, 176, r-Jr.)
	83	Pierre Ingram (6-4, 204, r-Fr.)
Y	8	Hashem Joyner (5-9, 160, r-Jr.)
	82	Jerrin Holt (6-3, 228, r-So.)
H	85	Chris Henry (5-8, 163, r-So.)
	88	Sam Williams (6-1, 180, r-Fr.)
Z	12	Wardell Alsup (5-9, 152, Sr.)
	11	Pedro Holiday (6-1, 175, Jr.)
TE	37	Clinton Corder (6-3, 243, Fr.)
	84	Chris Sapp (6-5, 258, r-Fr.)
LT	67	Julius Gant (6-4, 310, r-Jr.)
	60	Willie Hall (6-6, 318, r-Fr.)
LG	73	Bill Brasch (6-3, 308, Sr.)
	76	Shavaskey Brown (6-1, 338, r-So.)
C	59	Brandon Westbrook (6-6, 305, r-Sr.)
	62	Lance McCullough (6-4, 309, Fr.)
RG	55	Josh Willoughby (6-4, 354, r-Sr.)
	69	Brett Trott (6-4, 295, r-So.)
RT	61	Germayle Franklin (6-4, 304, r-Fr.)
	75	Brandon Parker (6-7, 306, Sr.)

Defense

LE	98	Demetrios Walker (6-3, 254, Sr.)
	96	Bobby Payne (6-4, 258, r-Fr.)
T	93	Thomas Johnson (6-2, 289, r-Jr.)
	92	Jeff Littlejohn (6-2,318, r-So.)
	97	Jerry Vanderpool (6-3, 306, r-Jr.)
RE	94	Devarick Scandrett (6-4, 262, So.)
	95	Jonathan Callahan (6-3, 258, r-So.)
	99	Dominic Jones (6-3, 294, Sr.)
LB	40	Dennis Burke (6-1, 227, So.)
	53	Joey Montalbano (5-9, 210, r-Sr.)
MIKE	23	Alvin Fite (6-0, 227, Jr.)
	45	Sean Mosley (6-3, 253, Fr.)
RB	54	Randy Arnold (5-11, 231, r-Sr.)
	33	Jonathan Bonner (6-0, 220, So.)
SS	2	Michael Woods (6-1, 211, Sr.)
	15	Justin Rainey (5-10, 198, r-Fr.)
WS	42	Brandon Lynch (6-0, 188, Sr.)
	34	Kevin Copeland (5-9, 188, r-Fr.)
LC	3	Tony Sutton (5-11, 196, Sr.)
	19	Aaron Pitts (5-11, 188, Sr.)
FS	6	Will Martin (5-11, 205, Sr.)
	10	Chris Johnson (5-10, 188, r-Sr.)
RC	5	Muhammad Rashada (5-11, 174, r-Sr.)
	7	Danny Tolbert (5-10, 170, Jr.)

Specialists

PK	22	Brian Kelly (6-0, 186, Sr.)
	49	Paul Wheeler (6-1, 226, r-So.)
P	20	Robert Billings (6-0, 209, r-Sr.)
	46	Colby Smith (5-9, 183, r-Fr.)
PR	7	Danny Tolbert (5-10, 170, Jr.)
	1	Kerry Wright (5-9, 176, r-Jr.)
DS	38	Hunter Birtsch (5-11, 249, Fr.)
	36	John Crawford (6-0, 266, So.)
KR	1	Kerry Wright (5-9, 176, r-Jr.)
	7	Danny Tolbert (5-10, 170, Jr.)
KO	49	Paul Wheeler (6-1, 226, r-So.)
	46	Colby Smith (5-9, 183, r-Fr.)
H	46	Colby Smith (5-9, 183, r-Fr.)

2003 MT NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CL	B'DAY	LETTERS	HOMETOWN/HS/JC
1	Kerry Wright	WR	5-9	176	r-Jr.	7/30/81	2	East Point, GA/Tri-Cities HS
2	Michael Woods	SS	6-1	211	Sr.	4/3/82	3	Valdosta, GA/Lowndes Co. HS
3	Tony Sutton	DB	5-11	196	Sr.	2/11/81	1	Troup, TX/Tyler (TX) JC
4	Tyrone Hicks	DB	5-10	204	Fr.	6/27/83	0	Huntsville, AL/Lee HS
5	Muhammad Rashada	DB	5-11	174	r-Sr.	10/4/80	3	Augusta, GA/Richmond Academy
6	Will Martin	FS	5-11	205	Sr.	4/13/82	1	Clarksville, TN/Coffeyville (Kan.) CC
7	Danny Tolbert	DB	5-10	170	Jr.	1/3/83	0	Okeechobee, FL/Coffeyville CC
8	Hashem Joyner	WR	5-9	160	r-Jr.	9/16/80	2	College Park, GA/North Clayton HS
9	Andrico Hines	QB	6-2	209	r-Sr.	12/10/80	1	Riverdale, GA/Southwest Miss. CC
10	Chris Johnson	DB	5-10	188	r-Sr.	11/3/80	3	Freeport, FL/Niceville HS
11	Pedro Holiday	WR	6-1	175	Jr.	3/1/82	0	Rome, GA/SW Mississippi CC
12	Wardell Alsup	WR	5-9	152	Sr.	1/17/82	3	Murfreesboro, TN/Oakland HS
15	Justin Rainey	SS	5-10	198	r-Fr.	5/4/84	0	Rock Hill, SC/Northwestern HS
16	Josh Harris	QB	6-3	180	So.	7/3/84	0	Union, SC/Union HS
17	Clint Marks	QB	6-2	188	r-Fr.	12/23/83	0	Fort Myers, FL/Estero HS
18	Shawn Allen	DB	6-0	195	r-So.	3/2/81	0	LaGrange, GA/Troup Co.
19	Aaron Pitts	DB	5-11	188	Sr.	2/15/82	1	Silver Creek, MS/Copiah-Lincoln JC
20	Robert Billings	P	6-0	209	r-Sr.	9/23/80	3	Collierville, TN/Collierville HS
21	Jonathan Harris	DB	5-10	185	Fr.	2/25/85	0	Montgomery, AL/Jefferson Davis HS
22	Brian Kelly	PK	6-0	186	Sr.	2/15/82	3	Woodstock, GA/Sequoyah HS
23	Alvin Fite	LB	6-0	227	Jr.	6/18/83	2	Nashville, TN/Hillsboro HS
24	LaRue Beck	WS	6-2	216	So.	8/4/82	0	Marietta, GA/Marietta HS
25	Eugene Gross	RB	5-9	208	r-Fr.	2/26/83	0	Statesboro, GA/Statesboro HS
26	Terry Jackson	RB	5-10	185	Fr.	10/12/84	0	Memphis, TN/Kingsbury HS
27	Kelvin German	RB	5-11	203	So.	5/20/84	1	Fairburn, GA/Sandy Creek HS
28	Don Calloway	RB	5-6	186	Sr.	11/14/80	3	Colquitt, GA/Miller County HS
29	Jonathan Parks	DS	6-0	226	Fr.		0	Nashville, TN/Hunters Lane HS
30	Alex Weaver	RB	5-10	186	r-Sr.	1/22/81	1	Hephzibah, GA/Hephzibah HS
31	Nick McAfee	FB	6-0	248	Jr.	1/2/81	1	Marietta, GA/Marietta HS
32	Kevin Davis	RB	5-9	220	r-Fr.	9/4/83	0	Pine Mtn., GA/Manchester HS
33	Jonathan Bonner	LB	6-0	220	So.	2/24/84	1	Birmingham, AL/Huffman HS
34	Kevin Copeland	WS	5-9	188	r-Fr.	11/27/83	0	Warm Springs, GA/Manchester HS
35	Jonathan Ward	LB	6-1	222	Fr.	1/19/85	0	Collinwood, TN/Collinwood HS
36	John Crawford	DS	6-0	260	So.	1/23/84	1	Knoxville, TN/Karns HS
37	Clinton Corder	TE	6-3	243	Fr.	7/24/84	0	Brentwood, TN/CPA
38	Hunter Birtsch	FB	5-11	249	Fr.	8/14/85	0	Knoxville, TN/Bearden HS
40	Dennis Burke	LB	6-1	227	So.	12/24/83	1	Marietta, GA/Sprayberry HS
41	Marcel Horne	LB	6-1	215	Fr.	2/28/85	0	Stone Mountain, GA/Clarkston HS
42	Brandon Lynch	WS	6-0	188	Sr.	1/31/82	3	Hephzibah, GA/Hephzibah HS
43	Darren Mustin	LB	6-1	224	Fr.	9/24/84	0	Franklin, TN/Brentwood Academy
44	Matt Little	FB	6-0	228	r-Fr.	2/9/84	0	Houston, TX/Cypress Creek HS
45	Sean Mosley	LB	6-3	253	Fr.	10/4/84	0	Sylvania, GA/Screven Co. HS
46	Colby Smith	P	5-9	183	r-Fr.	9/26/83	0	Franklin, TN/Franklin HS
47	Walt Bell	DB	5-10	190	r-Fr.	6/7/84	0	Dickson, TN/Dickson Co. HS
48	Ralph Gunter	FB	6-0	265	Fr.	2/3/85	0	Hephzibah, GA/Hephzibah HS
49	Paul Wheeler	K	6-1	226	r-So.	5/21/83	1	Tullahoma, TN/Tullahoma HS
50	Paul Cantrell	OL	6-4	324	r-Fr.	10/11/83	0	Canton, GA/Sequoyah HS
51	Kyle Ringley	OL	6-2	256	r-So.	11/23/82	0	Oliver Springs, TN/Oliver Springs HS
52	Leon Cesar	LB	6-1	236	Jr.	9/7/82	0	Miami, FL/Dodge City CC
53	Joey Montalbano	LB	5-9	210	r-Sr.	12/26/80	3	Nashville, TN/Father Ryan HS
54	Randy Arnold	LB	5-11	231	r-Sr.	3/21/81	3	Nashville, TN/Glencliff HS
55	Josh Willoughby	OL	6-4	354	r-Sr.	10/9/80	2	Antioch, TN/Brentwood Academy
56	Kenny Edwards	LB	6-0	229	Sr.	2/3/81	1	Madison, FL/Georgia Military JC
57	Marcus Gates	DL	6-2	262	r-Fr.	11/5/83	0	LaGrange, GA/LaGrange HS
59	Brandon Westbrook	OL	6-6	305	r-Sr.	12/17/80	3	Cumming, GA/Forsyth Central HS
60	Willie Hall	OL	6-6	318	r-Fr.	9/20/82	0	Albany, GA/Dougherty HS
61	Germayle Franklin	OL	6-4	304	r-Fr.	3/20/84	0	Waycross, GA/Ware Co. HS
62	Lance McCullough	OL	6-4	309	Fr.	1/29/85	0	Gaylesville, AL/Cedar Bluff HS
67	Julius Gant	OL	6-4	310	r-Jr.	1/14/82	2	Atlanta, GA/Southside
69	Brett Trott	OL	6-4	295	r-So.	12/31/82	1	Murfreesboro, TN/Oakland HS
71	Joe Evilsizer	OL	6-1	298	Jr.	1/2/82	0	Broken Arrow, OK/Northeast Oklahoma JC
73	Bill Brasch	OL	6-3	308	Sr.	1/21/81	2	Jones, OK/NE Oklahoma A&M
74	Ty Goodrich	OL	6-5	300	Fr.	9/9/84	0	Union City, TN/Union City HS
75	Brandon Parker	OL	6-7	306	Sr.	10/27/80	2	Catoosa, OK/NE Oklahoma A&M
76	Shavaskey Brown	OL	6-1	338	r-So.	12/7/82	0	LaGrange, GA/LaGrange HS
77	John Henry	DL	6-4	315	r-Fr.	10/27/83	0	Nashville, TN/Hillsboro HS
78	Kenyon Buford	OL	6-6	385	Fr.	5/29/85	0	Murfreesboro, TN/Riverdale HS
80	Tommy Manus	WR	6-4	222	Jr.	10/10/80	0	Dallas, TX/Fort Scott CC
81	Luke Paschall	WR	5-10	184	r-Fr.	12/9/83	0	Dickson, TN/Dickson Co. HS
82	Jerrin Holt	WR	6-3	228	r-So.	5/9/83	0	Grand Prairie, TX/Ranger JC
83	Pierre Ingram	WR	6-4	204	r-Fr.	5/15/84	0	Stockbridge, GA/Stockbridge HS
84	Chris Sapp	TE	6-5	258	r-Fr.	9/8/83	0	Albany, GA/Dougherty HS
85	Chris Henry	WR	5-8	163	r-So.	8/25/82	1	Kingsport, TN/Dobyns-Bennett HS
87	Ryan Edmiston	WR	6-0	200	r-Sr.	4/28/81	1	Fayetteville, TN/Lincoln Co. HS
88	Sam Williams	WR	6-1	180	r-Fr.	7/19/84	0	Greenwood, SC/Greenwood HS
89	Seth Grabo	TE	6-4	250	r-Jr.	11/19/81	0	Fort Walton, FL/Choctawhatchee HS
92	Jeff Littlejohn	DL	6-2	318	r-So.	2/14/83	1	Gaffney, SC/Gaffney HS
93	Thomas Johnson	DL	6-2	289	r-Jr.	6/24/81	2	Memphis, TN/Hamilton
94	Devarick Scandrett	DL	6-4	262	So.	1/23/84	1	Forsyth, GA/Mary Persons HS
95	Jonathan Callahan	DL	6-3	258	r-So.	5/10/83	1	Tyrone, GA/Sandy Creek HS
96	Bobby Payne	DL	6-4	258	r-Fr.	12/18/83	0	Morrilton, AR/Morrilton HS
97	Jerry Vanderpool	DL	6-3	306	r-Jr.	9/22/82	2	Nashville, TN/Brentwood Academy
98	Demetrios Walker	DL	6-3	254	Sr.	4/21/81	2	Kansas City, MO/Ft. Scott (KS) CC
99	Dominic Jones	DL	6-3	294	Sr.	2/26/82	1	Coffeeville, MS/NW Miss. JC

2003 TEAM GAME-BY-GAME

Game	Score	1st Downs	T.O.P	Rushing (No.-Yds-TD)	Passing (Cmp-Att-Yds-TD)	Total Offense (TP-Yds-TD)	3rd Down Conversions	Turnovers (Int.-Fum-Tot)
Middle Tennessee	19	18	32:44	44-183-1	19-35-160-1	79-343-2	4-18	0-0-0
vs Florida Atlantic	20	11	27:16	32-42-0	18-29-215-2	61-257-3	4-14	2-2-4
Middle Tennessee at Georgia								
Middle Tennessee at Clemson								
Middle Tennessee at Missouri								
Middle Tennessee vs Temple								
Middle Tennessee vs New Mexico State								
Middle Tennessee at Idaho								
Middle Tennessee vs North Texas								
Middle Tennessee at Utah State								
Middle Tennessee vs Troy State								
Middle Tennessee vs Louisiana-Lafayette								
Middle Tennessee at Arkansas State								

INSIDE THE RED ZONE

Game	Middle Tennessee ● Opponent
Florida Atlantic	4-5 (2 TD, 2 FG) ● 1-1 (1 TD, 0 FG)
Georgia	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
Clemson	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
Missouri	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
Temple	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
New Mexico State	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
Idaho	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
North Texas	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
Utah State	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
Troy State	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
Louisiana-Lafayette	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
Arkansas State	0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG) ● 0-0 (0 TD, 0 FG)
Total	4-5 (2 TD, 2 FG) ● 1-1 (1 TD, 0 FG)

BLUE RAIDERS ON OPENING DRIVES

Game	1st Half	2nd Half
Florida Atlantic	Downs	Punt
Georgia		
Clemson		
Missouri		
Temple		
New Mexico State		
Idaho		
North Texas		
Utah State		
Troy State		
Louisiana-Lafayette		
Arkansas State		

TAKEAWAY/GIVEAWAY

	Middle Tennessee			Opponents			
Game	FUM	INT	TOT	FUM	INT	TOT	DIF
Florida Atlantic	0	0	0	2	2	4	+4
Georgia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clemson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Missouri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Temple	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Mex. State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Idaho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Texas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Utah State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troy State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UL-Lafayette	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arkansas State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	2	2	4	+4

KICKOFFS

PAUL WHEELER

Touchbacks: 1
Opponent Returns: 4
Fair Catches: 0
Out of Bounds: 0
Onside Kicks: 0
Average Depth: 5.6 (28) (onside kick not included)
Average Drive Start: 16.6 (83) (onside kick not included)

4TH DOWN CONVERSIONS

4th and:	1-3	4-6	7-10	11+	Total
Middle Tennessee	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2
Percentage	.000	.000	.000	.000	.000

2003 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATS

RUSHING

Att-Yds-TD	Calloway	German	Davis	Gross	Hines
FLORIDA ATLANTIC	14-84-0	0-0-0	1-(-6)-0	19-86-1	9-16-0
at Georgia					
at Clemson					
at Missouri					
TEMPLE					
NEW MEXICO STATE					
at Idaho					
NORTH TEXAS					
at Utah State					
TROY STATE					
UL-LAFAYETTE					
at Arkansas State					

RECEIVING

No-Yds-TD	Wright	Williams	Joyner	Alsup	Ingram	Holiday	Henry	Calloway	Gross
FLORIDA ATLANTIC	8-85-0	2-9-0	1-(-2)-0	2-19-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-17-0	2-17-0
at Georgia									
at Clemson									
at Missouri									
TEMPLE									
NEW MEXICO ST									
at Idaho									
NORTH TEXAS									
at Utah State									
TROY STATE									
UL-LAFAYETTE									
at Arkansas State									

PASSING

Cmp-Att-Int-Yds-TD	9 Hines	Other
FL ATLANTIC	19-34-0-160-1	
at Georgia		
at Clemson		
at Missouri		
TEMPLE		
NEW MEX. ST		
at Idaho		
NORTH TEXAS		
at Utah State		
TROY STATE		
UL-LAFAYETTE		
at Arkansas State		

PUNTING

No-Avg-In20	20 Billings	46 Smith
FL ATLANTIC	DNP	9-38.7-2
at Georgia		
at Clemson		
at Missouri		
TEMPLE		
NEW MEX. ST		
at Idaho		
NORTH TEXAS		
at Utah State		
TROY STATE		
UL-LAFAYETTE		
at Arkansas State		

FIELD GOALS

Made *Missed*	22 Kelly
FL ATLANTIC	**37**, **25**
at Georgia	
at Clemson	
at Missouri	
TEMPLE	
NEW MEX. ST	
at Idaho	
NORTH TEXAS	
at Utah State	
TROY STATE	
UL-LAFAYETTE	
at Arkansas State	

2003 GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

OFFENSE

OPPONENT	QB	TB	WR	WR	WR	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
Florida Atlantic	Hines	Calloway	Wright	Alsup	McAfee (FB)	Corder (TE)	Gant	Brasch	Westbrook	Willoughby	Franklin
Georgia											
Clemson											
Missouri											
Temple											
New Mexico State											
Idaho											
North Texas											
Utah State											
Troy State											
UL-Lafayette											
Arkansas State											

DEFENSE

OPPONENT	LE	T	RE	LLB	MIKE	RLB	SS	WS	LC	FS	RC
Florida Atlantic	Callahan	Johnson	Walker	Littlejohn (T)	Fite	Bonner	Woods	Lynch	Sutton	Martin	Rashada
Georgia											
Clemson											
Missouri											
Temple											
New Mexico State											
Idaho											
North Texas											
Utah State											
Troy State											
UL-Lafayette											
Arkansas State											

2003 GAME-BY-GAME TACKLES CHART

UT-AT-TT	FAU	UGA	CU	MU	TU	NMSU	UI	UNT	USU	TSU	ULL	ASU
Lynch	8-1-9											
Fite	7-2-9											
Bonner	3-3-6											
Walker	4-0-4											
T. Johnson	2-2-4											
Woods	2-1-3											
Rashada	2-1-3											
Scandrett	1-2-3											
Arnold	2-0-2											
Littlejohn	1-1-2											
Jones	1-1-2											
Martin	0-2-2											
Sutton	1-0-1											
Burke	1-0-1											
Payne	1-0-1											
Tolbert	1-0-1											
Birtsch	1-0-1											
Vanderpool	0-1-1											
Rainey	0-1-1											
Allen	0-1-1											

TACKLES ARE CREDITED FROM THE PRESS BOX IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NCAA'S STATISTICAL POLICY.

2003 PARTICIPATION CHART

No.	Name	1 8/28 FAU	2 9/6 UGA	3 9/13 CU	4 9/20 MU	5 10/4 TU	6 10/11 NMSU	7 10/18 UI	8 10/25 UNT	9 11/1 UTS	10 11/8 TSU	11 11/15 ULL	12 11/20 ASU
1	K. Wright	WR											
2	M. Woods	SS											
3	T. Sutton	LC											
4	T. Hicks	DNP											
5	M. Rashada	RC											
6	W. Martin	FS											
7	D. Tolbert	X											
8	H. Joyner	X											
9	A. Hines	QB											
10	C. Johnson	X											
11	P. Holiday	X											
12	W. Alsup	WR											
15	J. Rainey	X											
16	J. Harris	DNP											
17	C. Marks	DNP											
18	S. Allen	X											
19	A. Pitts	X											
20	R. Billings	DNP											
21	Jon. Harris	DNP											
22	B. Kelly	PK											
23	A. Fite	LB											
24	L. Beck	X											
25	E. Gross	X											
27	K. German	X											
28	D. Calloway	RB											
30	A. Weaver	DNP											
31	N. McAfee	FB											
32	K. Davis	X											
33	J. Bonner	LB											
34	K. Copeland	X											
35	J. Ward	X											
36	J. Crawford	DNP											
37	C. Corder	TE											
38	H. Birtsch	DS											
40	D. Burke	X											
41	M. Horne	DNP											
42	B. Lynch	WS											
43	D. Mustin	DNP											
44	M. Little	DNP											
45	S. Mosley	DNP											
46	C. Smith	P											
47	W. Bell	DNP											
48	R. Gunter	DNP											
49	P. Wheeler	KO											
50	P. Cantrell	DNP											
52	L. Cesar	X											
53	J. Montalbano	X											
54	R. Arnold	X											
55	J. Willoughby	RG											
56	K. Edwards	X											
57	M. Gates	X											
59	B. Westbrook	C											
60	W. Hall	DNP											
61	G. Franklin	RT											
67	J. Gant	LT											
69	B. Trott	DNP											
71	J. Evilsizer	DNP											
73	B. Brasch	LG											
75	B. Parker	X											
76	S. Brown	X											
77	J. Henry	DNP											
81	L. Paschall	DNP											
82	J. Holt	X											
83	P. Ingram	X											
84	C. Sapp	DNP											
85	C. Henry	X											
87	R. Edmiston	DNP											
88	S. Williams	X											
89	S. Grabo	X											
92	J. Littlejohn	DT											
93	T. Johnson	DT											
94	D. Scandrett	X											
95	J. Callahan	LE											
96	B. Payne	X											
97	J. Vanderpool	X											
98	D. Walker	RE											
99	D. Jones	X											

Career Games Played/Started

No.	Name	Career GP-GS	2002 GP-S	2001 GP-S	2000 GP-S
1	K. Wright	24-10	12-6	11-3	0-0
2	M. Woods	35-18	12-6	11-11	11-0
3	T. Sutton	13-13	12-12	-	-
4	T. Hicks	0-0	-	-	-
5	M. Rashada	35-15	12-12	11-2	11-0
6	W. Martin	13-13	12-12	-	-
7	D. Tolbert	1-0	-	-	
8	H. Joyner	13-0	2-0	10-0	–
9	A. Hines	12-11	11-10	-	-
10	C. Johnson	35-10 (11-5 in '99)	1-0	11-1	11-4
11	P. Holiday	1-0	-	-	-
12	W. Alsup	29-13	11-6	6-5	11-1
15	J. Rainey	1-0	-	-	-
16	J. Harris	2-1	2-1	-	-
18	S. Allen	1-0	-	-	-
19	A. Pitts	12-1	11-1	-	-
20	R. Billings	34-34	12-12	11-11	11-11
21	J. Harris	0-0	-	–	–
22	B. Kelly	34-34	12-12	11-11	10-10
23	A. Fite	21-2	12-1	8-0	–
24	L. Beck	1-0	-	-	-
25	E. Gross	1-0	0	0	0
27	K. German	10-0	9-0	-	-
28	D. Calloway	27-1	11-0	6-0	9-0
30	A. Weaver	9-0	9-0	-	-
31	N. McAfee	12-1	11-0	0-0	–
32	K. Davis	1-0	-	-	-
33	J. Bonner	13-1	12-0	-	-
35	J. Ward	1-0	-	-	-
36	J. Crawford	12-12	12-12	-	-
37	C. Corder	1-1	-	-	-
38	H. Birtsch	1-1	-	-	-
40	D. Burke	13-0	12-0	-	-
41	M. Horne	0-0	-	-	-
42	B. Lynch	32-23	12-12	10-10	9-0
43	D. Mustin	0-0	-	-	-
44	M. Little	0-0	-	-	-
45	S. Mosley	0-0	-	-	-
46	C. Smith	0-0	-	-	-
47	W. Bell	0-0	-	-	-
49	P. Wheeler	13-13	12-12	-	-
50	P. Cantrell	0-0	-	-	-
52	L. Cesar	1-0	-	-	-
53	J. Montalbano	34-0	12-0	11-0	10-0
54	R. Arnold	33-20	12-11	11-9	2-0
55	J. Willoughby	23-8	12-6	10-1	0-0
56	K. Edwards	12-5	11-5	-	-
57	M. Gates	1-0	-	-	-
59	B. Westbrook	33-32	11-10	11-11	10-10
60	W. Hall	0-0	-	-	-
61	G. Franklin	1-1	-	-	-
67	J. Gant	23-15	11-6	11-8	–
69	B. Trott	3-0	3-0	-	-
71	J. Evilsizer	0-0	-	-	-
73	B. Brasch	13-1	2-0	10-0	–
75	B. Parker	17-3	7-3	9-0	–
76	S. Brown	2-0	1-0	-	-
77	J. Henry	0-0	-	-	-
81	L. Paschall	0-0	-	-	-
82	J. Holt	1-0	-	-	-
83	P. Ingram	1-0	-	-	-
84	C. Sapp	0-0	-	-	-
85	C. Henry	13-5	12-5	–	–
87	R. Edmiston	7-0	7-0	-	-
88	S. Williams	1-0	0-0	-	-
89	S. Grabo	1-0	0-0	–	–
92	J. Littlejohn	13-2	12-1	-	-
93	T. Johnson	21-9	10-4	10-4	–
94	D. Scandrett	13-0	12-0	-	-
95	J. Callahan	3-1	2-0	–	–
96	B. Payne	1-0	-	-	-
97	J. Vanderpool	23-11	12-10	10-1	–
98	D. Walker	24-6	12-5	11-0	–
99	D. Jones	10-0	9-0	-	-

2003 MT SCORING DRIVES

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
FLORIDA ATLANTIC			
2	7-40	2:50	McAfee 10 pass from Hines
2	5-31	:43	Kelly 37 FG
4	12-64	5:32	Kelly 25 FG
4	2-15	:36	Gross 11 run (Kelly PAT)

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
GEORGIA			
TBD			

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
CLEMSON			
TBD			

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
MISSOURI			
TBD			

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
TEMPLE			
TBD			

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
NEW MEXICO STATE			
TBD			

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
IDAHO			
TBD			

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
NORTH TEXAS			
TBD			

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
UTAH STATE			
TBD			

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
TROY STATE			
TBD			

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
LOUISIANA-LAFAYETTE			
TBD			

Q	P-YD	TOP	SCORE
ARKANSAS STATE			
TBD			

2003 MIDDLE TENNESSEE DRIVES

Game 1 Florida Atlantic

PL-YDS	Time	Result	Score
4-(-12)	2:00	Downs	0-0
8-22	3:35	Punt	0-0
6-15	2:07	Punt	0-0
3-(-6)	1:12	Punt	0-0
7-40	2:50	TD	6-0
5-19	1:58	Punt	6-0
3-2	1:42	Punt Blocked	6-7
3-0	1:04	Punt	6-7
5-31	:43	FG	9-7
3-5	1:26	Punt	9-7
10-45	3:17	Punt	9-7
4-9	2:12	Punt	9-7
12-64	5:32	FG	12-7
3-8	1:19	Punt	12-7
2-15	:36	TD	19-7
3-7	1:11	Punt	19-7

2003 OPPONENT DRIVES

Game 1 Florida Atlantic

PL-YDS	Time	Result	Score
4-(-9)	2:15	Punt	0-0
4-(-3)	1:18	Downs	0-0
3-(-9)	1:48	Punt	0-0
4-8	2:09	Punt	0-0
4-12	2:18	Punt	0-6
3-(-3)	2:19	Punt	0-6
2-5	:33	INT	7-6
1-(-1)	:09	Clock	7-9
6-27	3:00	Punt	7-9
6-15	3:13	Punt	7-9
3-3	2:25	Punt	7-12
2-(-1)	:49	INT	7-12
12-75	3:18	TD	14-19
8-98	1:42	TD	20-19

2003 COACHES AWARDS

Game	MVP Lineman	Special Teams MVP	Knockdowns	Scout Team	Defensive MVP	Offensive MVP
Florida Atlantic	Germayle Franklin	N A	Josh Willoughby	Jason Elam	Brandon Lynch	Eugene Gross
Georgia						
Clemson						
Missouri						
Temple						
New Mex. St.						
Idaho						
North Texas						
Utah State						
Troy State						
UL-Lafayette						
Arkansas State						

OFFENSIVE LINE STATISTICS

Game	Gant	Brasch	Westbrook	Willoughby	Franklin	Trott	Parker	Hall	Evilsizer
Florida Atlantic	85-5-83%	85-4-88%	85-4-78%	85-6-87%	84-5-92%	DNP	1-0-100%	DNP	DNP
Georgia									
Clemson									
Missouri									
Temple									
New Mex. St.									
Idaho									
North Texas									
Utah State									
Troy State									
UL-Lafayette									
Arkansas State									
Tot. (P-K-Grade Avg.)	**85-5-83%**	**85-4-88%**	**85-4-78%**	**85-6-87%**	**84-5-92%**	**DNP**	**1-0-100%**	**DNP**	**DNP**

Keys:

1st number: Plays
2nd number: Knockdowns
3rd number: Grade
NG: No Grade

Most Physical: FAU (Willoughby)
Best Finisher: FAU (Franklin)

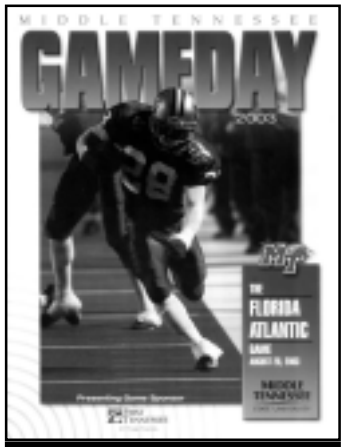
THE LAST TIME ...

Middle Tennessee

SHUT OUT AN OPPONENT: October 14, 2000, vs Louisiana-Monroe. Score: 28-0
RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 300 YARDS: November 30, 2002, vs Utah State (316 yards)
RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 400 YARDS: November 7, 1998, vs Tennessee-Martin (469 yards)
PASSED FOR MORE THAN 300 YARDS: October 27, 2001, vs New Mexico State (383 yards)
HAD MORE THAN 500 YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE: October 19, 2002, vs ULL (520 yards)
HAD MORE THAN 600 YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE: October 6, 2001, vs Idaho (685 yards)
SCORED MORE THAN 50 POINTS: November 3, 2001, vs Arkansas State (54 points)
FAILED TO RUSH FOR MORE THAN 100 YARDS: September 7, 2002, vs Tennessee (38 carries, 100 yards)
FAILED TO PASS FOR MORE THAN 100 YARDS: Nov. 23, 2002, vs North Texas (84 yards)
HELD AN OPPONENT TO LESS THAN 100 YARDS RUSHING: August 28, 2003 vs Florida Atlantic (42 yards)
HELD AN OPPONENT TO LESS THAN 100 YARDS PASSING: November 3, 2001, vs Arkansas State (72 yards)
HELD AN OPPONENT TO LESS THAN 200 YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE: November 3, 2001, vs Arkansas State (174 yards)
HELD AN OPPONENT TO LESS THAN 300 YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE: August 28, 2003 vs Florida Atlantic (257 yards)
RETURNED A KICKOFF FOR A TOUCHDOWN: November 17, 2001, vs Connecticut (Kerry Wright - 86 yards)
RETURNED OPENING KICKOFF FOR A TOUCHDOWN: September 7, 1985, vs Lenori-Ryne (Robert Alford)
RETURNED A PUNT FOR A TOUCHDOWN: November 13, 1997, vs Chattanooga (Sulecio Sanford - 85 yards)
RETURNED A BLOCKED PUNT FOR A TOUCHDOWN: Nov. 16, 2002, vs UL-Monroe (Chris Henry - 5 yards)
BLOCKED AN OPPONENT PUNT: November 23, 2002, vs North Texas (Thomas Johnson)
BLOCKED A FIELD GOAL: September 7, 2002, vs Tennessee (Kareem Bland)
RETURNED A PASS INTERCEPTION FOR A TOUCHDOWN: November 4, 2000, vs Connecticut (Kareem Bland - 71 yards)
RETURNED A FUMBLE FOR A TOUCHDOWN: November 30, 2002, vs Utah State (Dennis Burke - 61 yards)
SCORED A SAFETY: October 24, 1998, vs Eastern Illinois
PLAYER RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 100 YARDS: November 30, 2002, vs Utah State (Dwone Hicks 169 yds)
TWO PLAYERS RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 100 YARDS: Nov. 2, 2002, vs New Mexico St. (Dwone Hicks 120 yds & ReShard Lee 116 yds)
PLAYER RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 200 YARDS: October 26, 2002, vs Idaho (Dwone Hicks (25 carries - 202 yards)
PLAYER HAD 100 OR MORE YARDS RECEIVING: November 16, 2002 vs UL-Monroe (Tyrone Calico - 161 yards)
TWO PLAYERS HAD 100 OR MORE RECEIVING YARDS: October 27, 2001, vs New Mexico St. (Kendall Newson (181) & David Youell (104))
PLAYED AN OVERTIME GAME: November 18, 2000, vs Louisiana-Lafayette (MT won 41-38, 2OT)
DID NOT COMMIT A TURNOVER: October 26, 2002, vs Idaho

Opponent

MIDDLE TENNESSEE WAS SHUT OUT: September 9, 2000, by Florida. Score: 55-0
RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 250 YARDS: Nov. 2, 2002, by New Mexico State (294 yds)
RUSHED FOR MORE THAN 400 YARDS: September 12, 1992, by Nebraska (490 yards)
PASSED FOR MORE THAN 300 YARDS: November 30, 2002, by Utah State (426 yards)
PASSED FOR MORE THAN 400 YARDS: November 30, 2002, by Utah State (426 yards)
HAD MORE THAN 500 YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE: September 21, 2002, by Kentucky (510 yards)
HAD MORE THAN 600 YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE: October 6, 2001, by Idaho (760 yards)
SCORED 50 POINTS: October 6, 2001, by Idaho (760 yards)
RETURNED A KICKOFF FOR A TOUCHDOWN: October 9, 1999, by Arkansas (Cedric Cobbs - 95 yards)
RETURNED A PUNT FOR A TOUCHDOWN: September 11, 1999, by Arizona (Dennis Northcutt - 80 yards)
RETURNED A BLOCKED PUNT FOR A TOUCHDOWN: August 28, 2003 vs Florida Atlantic (S. Earls)
BLOCKED A PUNT: August 28, 2003 vs Florida Atlantic (S. Earls)
BLOCKED A FIELD GOAL: November 17, 2001, by Connecticut (Justin Perkins)
RETURNED A PASS INTERCEPTION FOR A TOUCHDOWN: October 5, 2002, vs Arkansas State (Jonathan Burke)
SCORED A SAFETY: October 19, 2002, by ULL
PLAYER RUSHED FOR 100 YARDS: Nov. 16, 2002, by UL-Monroe (Bryant Jacobs - 102 yards)
PLAYER HAD 100 OR MORE YARDS RECEIVING: August 28, 2003 vs Florida Atlantic (R. Bynes - 126 yards)
HAD A 100-YARD RUSHER AND RECEIVER: Sept. 21, 2002, by Kentucky (Artose Pinner: 163 yds. rushing & Aaron Boone: 111 yds. rec.)
PLAYER RUSHED FOR 200 YARDS: October 26, 2002, by Idaho (Blair Lewis - 221 yards)



ATTENDANCE: 23,261

SCORING SUMMARY

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	F
Florida Atlantic	0	7	0	13	20
Middle Tennessee	0	9	0	10	19

2ND QUARTER

10:46 MT McAfee, Nick 10 yd pass from Hines, Andrico (Kelly, Brian kick failed)
02:29 FAU OSBORNE, T 0 yd blocked punt return (MYERS, M kick)
00:09 MT Kelly, Brian 37 yd field goal

4TH QUARTER

11:20 MT Kelly, Brian 25 yd field goal
06:11 MT Gross, Eugene 11 yd run (Kelly, Brian kick)
02:53 FAU BYNES, R 7 yd pass from ALLEN, J (MYERS, M kick)
00:00 FAU BYNES, R 62 yd pass from ALLEN, J

GAME NOTES

- Brandon Lynch was voted by the media as the Alexander Automotive Family Player of the Game after collecting nine tackles, an interception and a fumble recovery.
- WR Kerry Wright hauled in a career-high eight receptions.
- In his first-ever game as a Blue Raider, running back Eugene Gross led the team with 86 yards rushing and a touchdown.
- DE Jonathan Callahan made his first collegiate start as did running back Don Calloway.
- FB Nick McAfee's second career reception in the second quarter resulted in his first collegiate touchdown. Andrico Hines hit McAfee for a 10-yard score.
- The Blue Raiders collected four sacks against FAU, which ranked as the fourth most in school history.
- True freshman tight end Clinton Corder made his first collegiate start against FAU.
- Andrico Hines, who completed 19 passes, hit eight different receivers.

FL ATLANTIC 20, MIDDLE TENNESSEE 19

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by Tony Stinnett, Daily News Journal

MURFREESBORO, Tenn. - And you thought the Southeast Missouri setback in the 2002 home opener was demoralizing.

Shock, disbelief and dismay were apparent in the MTSU locker room -and throughout Floyd Stadium - after Florida Atlantic receiver Roosevelt Bynes went 62 yards for the game-winning touchdown with no time remaining to send the Blue Raiders to a stunning 20-19 setback in front of 23,261.

In the Florida Atlantic locker room, legendary coach Howard Schnellenberger was praising his upstart program's comeback win. The third-year Division I-AA opponent had gone on the road and came from behind to deal the Blue Raiders their most crushing setback since the program upgraded to Division I-A in 1999.

At the same time, the Owls recorded their first win against a I-A opponent in four tries over the past three-plus seasons.

"This was one of the most courageous wins I have ever been connected with," Schnellenberger said. "If we can play at this level or above it for the rest of the season, this game will go down in the annals of history for this team."

It may go down in the annals of history for the Blue Raiders, because for the second time in as many years MTSU suffered a setback in front of a record crowd - and against a Division I-AA team, at that.

More than 50,000 fans have attended the team's previous two season openers - both against I-AA foes - and each time the team has sent its fans away shaking their collective hands in disbelief.

"This will definitely break your spirit. It hurt, and rightfully so," MTSU football coach Andy McCollum said. "I still don't know what happened. That's the worst I've ever hurt, the worst I've ever hurt on a football field. But it shouldn't have come down to that last play."

That last play proved to be the biggest of the game.

On a night where the Blue Raiders killed themselves offensively and were shoddy on special teams, they still appeared to be in position to secure the victory when what had been a stellar defense stepped on the field to stop the Owls' final drive.

FAU, trailing 19-14, started at its 2 with only 1:42 and no timeouts remaining.

Eight plays later the Owls faced a fourth-and-9 with less than seven seconds remaining and the clock running.

Victory seemed within grasp, particularly after the manner in which MTSU's defense had dominated the game from start to finish.

That's when MTSU's opening night fell apart.

FAU quarterback Jared Allen dropped back and was under heavy duress from Devarick Scandrett and Bobby Payne, who batted the ball, but Allen was able to maintain the pigskin and threw a wobbly pass downfield.

As Bynes had to come back to make the play, corner Muhammad Rashada went for the interception, missed the tackle and Bynes was off to the races, sending the Owls to an improbable win and the Blue Raiders to a loss which was hard to absorb.

"We are just in shock right now," MTSU linebacker Alvin Fite said. "FAU made more plays then we did, and they played their butts off.

"On the last play, (Allen) broke containment and the receiver got open. The rest is history."

Despite being flagged for 120 yards in penalties, including seven holding calls, and having several breakdowns on special teams, MTSU still should have won the game, and it seemed the Blue Raiders had it in hand after going up 19-7 on Eugene Gross' first career touchdown with 6:11 remaining.

Had MTSU's offense taken care of business in the "blue zone" the game would have never come down to the final play.

The Blue Raiders had a first down at the FAU 11 in the third quarter and didn't score when quarterback Andrico Hines was stopped at the 2 on a fourth-and-1 play, and the offense later had to settle for a 25-yard Brian Kelly field goal after having first-and-goal at the 2 midway through the fourth quarter. Gross actually scored on the drive, but the score was called back when the Blue Raiders were called for holding.

"We just killed ourselves," Hines said. "We have to execute offensively and cut down on penalties because this game should have never come down to the last play. Our defense played too well for that to happen. You can't blame the defense for this one."

MTSU held FAU to 11 first downs and 257 yards total offense, much of which came on the Owls' final two drives - both resulting in touchdowns.

The defense, which was led by nine tackles each from Brandon Lynch and Fite, recorded six sacks and hauled in two interceptions.

MTSU, which was led by Gross' 86 yards rushing and 84 more from Don Calloway, scored first when Nick McAfee hauled in a 10-yard pass from Hines with 10:46 remaining in the first half, but Kelly's extra point was off the mark following a bad snap.

The Owls got on the board when Thomas Osborne blocked a MTSU punt in the end zone, but Kelly's 37-yard field goal with nine seconds remaining in the half sent the Blue Raiders into the break with a 9-7 lead.

GAME STATISTICS

	MT	FAU
FIRST DOWNS	11	18
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	32-42	44-183
PASSING YDS (NET)	215	160
Passes Att-Comp-Int	29-18-2	35-19-0
TOT. OFF. PLAYS-YDS	61-257	79-343
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	5-44	5-5
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-55	0-0
Int. Returns-Yards	0-0	2-20
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-46.9	10-34.8
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	5-0
Penalties-Yards	10-81	11-120
Possession Time	27:16	32:44
3rd-Down Conv.	4 of 14	4 of 18
Fourth-Down Conv.	1 of 2	0 of 2
Red-Zone	1-1	4-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-4	5-30

RUSHING: Florida Atlantic-BARRON, D 8-22; PARKER, D 11-22; ALLEN, J 10-5; HARPER, E 1-1; TEAM 1-minus 1; EMBICK, D 1-minus 7. Middle Tennessee-Gross,Eugene 19-86; Calloway, Don 14-84; Hines, Andrico 9-16; Alsup, Wardell 1-3; Davis, Kevin 1-minus 6.

PASSING: Florida Atlantic-ALLEN, J 17-28-2-208; EMBICK, D 1-1-0-7. Middle Tennessee-Hines, Andrico 19-34-0-160; Smith, Colby 0-1-0-0.

RECEIVING: Florida Atlantic-BYNES, R 6-126; PARKER, D 4-19; CRISSINGER-HILL 3-33; TAYLOR, L 2-13; PRUDENTI, M 1-15; HARPER, E 1-8; BARRON, D 1-1. Middle Tennessee-Wright, Kerry 8-85; Alsup, Wardell 2-19; Calloway, Don 2-17; Gross, Eugene 2-17; Williams, Sam 2-9; McAfee, Nick 1-10; Holt, Jerrin 1-5; Joyner, Hashem 1-minus 2.

INTERCEPTIONS: Florida Atlantic-None. Middle Tennessee-Lynch, Brandon 1-18; Woods, Michael 1-2.

FUMBLES: Florida Atlantic-TELLIS, B 2-2. Middle Tennessee-Hines, Andrico 2-0; Williams, Sam 1-0; Henry, Chris 1-0; Davis, Kevin 1-0.

Total elapsed time: 3:08
Temperature: 86 Wind: Calm
Weather: Clear

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RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES.....	(0-1-0)	(0-1-0)	(0-0-0)	(0-0-0)
CONFERENCE.....	(0-0-0)	(0-0-0)	(0-0-0)	(0-0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(0-1-0)	(0-1-0)	(0-0-0)	(0-0-0)

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
Aug 28, 2003	FLORIDA ATLANTIC	L	19-20	23261

* denotes conference game

RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Gross, Eugene	1	19	87	1	86	4.5	1	21	86.0
Calloway, Don	1	14	86	2	84	6.0	0	20	84.0
Hines, Andrico	1	9	32	16	16	1.8	0	11	16.0
Alsup, Wardell	1	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	3.0
Davis, Kevin	1	1	0	6	-6	-6.0	0	63	-6.0
Total.....	1	44	208	25	183	4.2	1	63	183.0
Opponents.....	1	32	75	33	42	1.3	0	8	42.0

PASSING	GP	Effic	Att-Cmp-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Hines, Andrico	1	105.12	34-19-0	55.9	160	1	22	160.0
Smith, Colby	1	0.00	1-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total.....	1	102.11	35-19-0	54.3	160	1	22	160.0
Opponents.....	1	133.31	29-18-2	62.1	215	2	62	215.0

RECEIVING	GP	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Wright, Kerry	1	8	85	10.6	0	22	85.0
Alsup, Wardell	1	2	19	9.5	0	11	19.0
Gross, Eugene	1	2	17	8.5	0	9	17.0
Calloway, Don	1	2	17	8.5	0	9	17.0
Williams, Sam	1	2	9	4.5	0	9	9.0
McAfee, Nick	1	1	10	10.0	1	10	10.0
Holt, Jerrin	1	1	5	5.0	0	5	5.0
Joyner, Hashem	1	1	-2	-2.0	0	0	-2.0
Total.....	1	19	160	8.4	1	22	160.0
Opponents.....	1	18	215	11.9	2	62	215.0

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
Kelly, Brian	2-2	100.0	0-0	1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	37	0

SCORING	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
			|------ PATs ------|						
Kelly, Brian	0	2-2	1-2	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	7
McAfee, Nick	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Gross, Eugene	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Total.....	2	2-2	1-2	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	19
Opponents.....	3	0-0	2-2	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	20

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th		Total
Middle Tennessee....	0	9	0	10	-	19
Opponents.....	0	7	0	13	-	20

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Hines, Andrico	1	43	16	160	176	176.0
Gross, Eugene	1	19	86	0	86	86.0
Calloway, Don	1	14	84	0	84	84.0
Alsup, Wardell	1	1	3	0	3	3.0
Total.....	1	79	183	160	343	343.0
Opponents.....	1	61	42	215	257	257.0

TEAM STATISTICS	MT	OPP
FIRST DOWNS.....	18	11
Rushing.....	9	2
Passing.....	9	8
Penalty.....	0	1
RUSHING YARDAGE.....	183	42
Yards gained rushing...	208	75
Yards lost rushing.....	25	33
Rushing Attempts.....	44	32
Average Per Rush.....	4.2	1.3
Average Per Game.....	183.0	42.0
TDs Rushing.....	1	0
PASSING YARDAGE.....	160	215
Att-Comp-Int.....	35-19-0	29-18-2
Average Per Pass.....	4.6	7.4
Average Per Catch.....	8.4	11.9
Average Per Game.....	160.0	215.0
TDs Passing.....	1	2
TOTAL OFFENSE.....	343	257
Total Plays.....	79	61
Average Per Play.....	4.3	4.2
Average Per Game.....	343.0	257.0
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS....	0-0	3-55
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS....	5-5	5-44
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS.....	2-20	0-0
FUMBLES-LOST.....	5-0	2-2
PENALTIES-YARDS.....	11-120	10-81
PUNTS-AVG.....	10-34.8	8-46.9
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME..	32:44	27:16
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS.....	4/18	4/14
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS.....	0/2	1/2

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Lynch, Brandon	1	18	18.0	0	18
Woods, Michael	1	2	2.0	0	2
Total.....	2	20	10.0	0	18
Opponents.....	0	0	0.0	0	0

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
Smith, Colby	9	348	38.7	53	1	0	2	1
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Total.....	10	348	34.8	53	1	0	2	1
Opponents.....	8	375	46.9	57	0	1	2	0

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Henry, Chris	5	5	1.0	0	7
Total.....	5	5	1.0	0	7
Opponents.....	5	44	8.8	1	10

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Total.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents.....	3	55	18.3	0	25

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Gross, Eugene	1	86	17	0	0	0	103	103.0
Calloway, Don	1	84	17	0	0	0	101	101.0
Wright, Kerry	1	0	85	0	0	0	85	85.0
Alsup, Wardell	1	3	19	0	0	0	22	22.0
Lynch, Brandon	1	0	0	0	0	18	18	18.0
Total.....	1	183	160	5	0	20	368	368.0
Opponents.....	1	42	215	44	55	0	356	356.0

DEFENSIVE LEADERS	GP	Tackles Solo	Tackles Ast	Tackles Total	TFL/Yds	Sacks No-Yds	Pass Def Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Fumbles Rcv-Yds	FF	Blkd Kick	Blkd Saf
42 Lynch, Brandon	1	8	1	9	.	.	1-18	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
23 Fite, Alvin	1	7	2	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33 Bonner, Jon.	1	3	3	6	1.0-6	1-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93 Johnson, Thomas	1	2	2	4	1.5-5	1-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98 Walker, Demet.	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

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TEAM STATISTICS	MT	OPP
SCORING	19	20
Points Per Game	19.0	20.0
FIRST DOWNS	18	11
Rushing	9	2
Passing	9	8
Penalty	0	1
RUSHING YARDAGE	183	42
Yards gained rushing	208	75
Yards lost rushing	25	33
Rushing Attempts	44	32
Average Per Rush	4.2	1.3
Average Per Game	183.0	42.0
TDs Rushing	1	0
PASSING YARDAGE	160	215
Att-Comp-Int	35-19-0	29-18-2
Average Per Pass	4.6	7.4
Average Per Catch	8.4	11.9
Average Per Game	160.0	215.0
TDs Passing	1	2
TOTAL OFFENSE	343	257
Total Plays	79	61
Average Per Play	4.3	4.2
Average Per Game	343.0	257.0
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS	0-0	3-55
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS	5-5	5-44
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS	2-20	0-0
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	0.0	18.3
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	1.0	8.8
INT RETURN AVERAGE	10.0	0.0
FUMBLES-LOST	5-0	2-2
PENALTIES-YARDS	11-120	10-81
Average Per Game	120.0	81.0
PUNTS-YARDS	10-348	8-375
Average Per Punt	34.8	46.9
Net punt average	30.4	46.2
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME	32:44	27:16
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	4/18	4/14
3rd-Down Pct	22%	29%
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	0/2	1/2
4th-Down Pct	0%	50%
SACKS BY-YARDS	5-30	1-4
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	2	3
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	2-2	0-0
PAT-ATTEMPTS	1-2	2-2
ATTENDANCE	23261	0
Games/Avg Per Game	1/23261	0/0

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th		Total
Middle Tennessee	0	9	0	10	-	19
Opponents	0	7	0	13	-	20

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Middle Tennessee Overall Individual Statistics (as of Aug 31, 2003)
All games

RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Gross, Eugene	1	19	87	1	86	4.5	1	21	86.0
Calloway, Don	1	14	86	2	84	6.0	0	20	84.0
Hines, Andrico	1	9	32	16	16	1.8	0	11	16.0
Alsup, Wardell	1	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	3.0
Davis, Kevin	1	1	0	6	-6	-6.0	0	63	-6.0
Total.....	1	44	208	25	183	4.2	1	63	183.0
Opponents.....	1	32	75	33	42	1.3	0	8	42.0

PASSING	GP	Effic	Att-Cmp-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Hines, Andrico	1	105.12	34-19-0	55.9	160	1	22	160.0
Smith, Colby	1	0.00	1-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total.....	1	102.11	35-19-0	54.3	160	1	22	160.0
Opponents.....	1	133.31	29-18-2	62.1	215	2	62	215.0

RECEIVING	GP	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Wright, Kerry	1	8	85	10.6	0	22	85.0
Alsup, Wardell	1	2	19	9.5	0	11	19.0
Calloway, Don	1	2	17	8.5	0	9	17.0
Gross, Eugene	1	2	17	8.5	0	9	17.0
Williams, Sam	1	2	9	4.5	0	9	9.0
McAfee, Nick	1	1	10	10.0	1	10	10.0
Holt, Jerrin	1	1	5	5.0	0	5	5.0
Joyner, Hashem	1	1	-2	-2.0	0	0	-2.0
Total.....	1	19	160	8.4	1	22	160.0
Opponents.....	1	18	215	11.9	2	62	215.0

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Henry, Chris	5	5	1.0	0	7
Total.....	5	5	1.0	0	7
Opponents.....	5	44	8.8	1	10

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Woods, Michael	1	2	2.0	0	2
Lynch, Brandon	1	18	18.0	0	18
Total.....	2	20	10.0	0	18
Opponents.....	0	0	0.0	0	0

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Total.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents.....	3	55	18.3	0	25

FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Total.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents.....	0	0	0.0	0	0

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SCORING	TD	FGs	PATs Kick	PATs Rush	PATs Rcv	PATs Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
Kelly, Brian	0	2-2	1-2	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	7
McAfee, Nick	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Gross, Eugene	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Total.....	2	2-2	1-2	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	19
Opponents.....	3	0-0	2-2	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	20

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Hines, Andrico	1	43	16	160	176	176.0
Gross, Eugene	1	19	86	0	86	86.0
Calloway, Don	1	14	84	0	84	84.0
Alsup, Wardell	1	1	3	0	3	3.0
Davis, Kevin	1	1	-6	0	-6	-6.0
Total.....	1	79	183	160	343	343.0
Opponents.....	1	61	42	215	257	257.0

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
Kelly, Brian	2-2	100.0	0-0	1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	37	0

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
Smith, Colby	9	348	38.7	53	1	0	2	1
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Total.....	10	348	34.8	53	1	0	2	1
Opponents.....	8	375	46.9	57	0	1	2	0

FG SEQUENCE	Middle Tennessee	OPPONENTS
Florida Atlantic	(37),(25)	-

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

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ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Gross, Eugene	1	86	17	0	0	0	103	103.0
Calloway, Don	1	84	17	0	0	0	101	101.0
Wright, Kerry	1	0	85	0	0	0	85	85.0
Alsup, Wardell	1	3	19	0	0	0	22	22.0
Lynch, Brandon	1	0	0	0	0	18	18	18.0
Hines, Andrico	1	16	0	0	0	0	16	16.0
McAfee, Nick	1	0	10	0	0	0	10	10.0
Williams, Sam	1	0	9	0	0	0	9	9.0
Henry, Chris	1	0	0	5	0	0	5	5.0
Holt, Jerrin	1	0	5	0	0	0	5	5.0
Woods, Michael	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	2.0
Joyner, Hashem	1	0	-2	0	0	0	-2	-2.0
Davis, Kevin	1	-6	0	0	0	0	-6	-6.0
Total.....	1	183	160	5	0	20	368	368.0
Opponents.....	1	42	215	44	55	0	356	356.0

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Middle Tennessee Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Aug 31, 2003)
All games

DEFENSIVE LEADERS	GP	Tackles Solo	Tackles Ast	Tackles Total	TFL/Yds	Sacks No-Yds	Pass Def Int-Yds	Pass Def BrUp	Pass Def QBH	Fumbles Rcv-Yds	Fumbles FF	Blkd Kick	Blkd Saf
23 Fite, Alvin	1	7	2	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42 Lynch, Brandon	1	8	1	9	.	.	1-18	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
33 Bonner, Jon.	1	3	3	6	1.0-6	1-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98 Walker, Demet.	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93 Johnson, Thomas	1	2	2	4	1.5-5	1-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5 Rashada, M.	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2 Woods, Michael	1	2	1	3	.	.	1-2	.	.	.	.	.	.
94 Scandrett, D.	1	1	2	3	1.5-9	2-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
54 Arnold, Randy	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99 Jones, Dominic	1	1	1	2	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6 Martin, Will	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92 Littlejohn, J.	1	1	1	2	1.0-4	1-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15 Rainey, Justin	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38 Birtsch, Hunter	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
40 Burke, Dennis	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
49 Wheeler, Paul	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97 Vanderpool, J.	1	.	1	1	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
18 Allen, Shawn	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96 Payne, Bobby	1	1	.	1	1.0-7	1-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3 Sutton, Tony	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7 Tolbert, Danny	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total.....	1	38	20	58	7-32	5-30	2-20	.	.	2-0	.	.	.
Opponents.....	1	-	-	-	-	1-4	.	2	.	.	3	1	.