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Stockstill announces rosters for Spring Game

Steak and Shrimp on line for winners

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MURFREESBORO, Tenn. - Middle Tennessee Head Coach Rick Stockstill announced this morning the final rosters for the annual Blue-White Spring Game scheduled for this Saturday. The game will kickoff at 2 PM in Floyd Stadium.

"We broke down the roster and divided the teams to make the game as competitive as possible," said Stockstill. "We had to take into consideration the injuries we have right now, but the way we have done it should make for a great game on Saturday."

Head coaches for the two teams will be graduate assistants J.P. Shelly and Tyler Williams. Shelly will lead the Blue team, while Williams will make decisions for the White squad.

"Both of these guys work extremely hard and this gives them a chance to make some decisions during game-like situations," added Stockstill. "They will make the final call on all fourth down plays, field goals, etc... This will go a long way to helping them in their football coaching careers and will give them valuable experience getting up in front of a team and making decisions."



Erik Walden will lead the Blue team and Joe Craddock will guide the White team in Saturday's Spring Game. ()

The White team will be going for back-to-back wins following last year's 14-7 triumph. This year's team will be led by all-conference players [Damon Nickson](#), [Tavares Jones](#), and [Franklin Dunbar](#) to go along with starting quarterback [Joe Craddock](#), receiver [Bobby Williams](#), defensive back [Bradley Robinson](#), and defensive tackle [Trevor Jenkins](#).

The Blue squad will be led by all-time sack leader [Erik Walden](#), running back [DeMarco McNair](#), quarterback [Patrick Jackson](#), tight end [Stephen Chicola](#), and receivers [Taron Henry](#) and [Patrick Honeycutt](#). Jackson threw for 200 yards in last year's game for the winning White team.

A tradition under Stockstill that will continue is awarding the winning team with a nice dinner. On Tuesday, the winners will eat steak and shrimp while the losers will have hot dogs and beans.

BLUE ROSTER

NO NAME POS HT WT CL HOMETOWN

*2 [Desmond Gee](#) RB/WR 5-8 163 So. Greenville, FL
 3 [Salin Simpson](#) QB 6-3 210 r-Fr. Lexington, KY
 6 Michael Hinson P 5-10 193 r-So. Smyrna, TN
 7 [Alex Suber](#) CB 5-9 163 Jr. Tampa, FL
 8 Josh Gregory S 5-9 194 So. Huntsville, AL
 10 [Patrick Jackson](#) QB 6-0 192 r-Sr. Macon, GA
 13 [Taron Henry](#) WR 6-1 189 r-Sr. Murfreesboro, TN
 15 Vonce Henderson WR 6-3 195 r-Sr. Nashville, TN
 16 Victor Wright CB 5-8 190 r-Jr. Madison, TN
 17 [Nicholas Coleman](#) QB 6-3 200 r-So. Decaturville, TN
 19 [Ben Graves](#) WR 6-3 208 r-Fr. Columbus, OH
 22 [DeMarco McNair](#) RB 5-11 195 r-Sr. Thomson, GA
 23 [Albert Webb](#) RB 5-6 170 r-Jr. Swainsboro, GA
 25 Richard Billings K/P 6-2 197 So. Memphis, TN
 27 Jay Brooks CB 5-6 158 r-Jr. Huntsville, AL
 30 [Cam Robinson](#) LB 6-1 220 So. Stevenson, AL
 31 [David Raymond](#) CB 5-10 174 r-Jr. Atlanta, GA
 32 [Dana Stewart](#) S 6-0 198 r-Sr. Springfield, TN
 40 [Brodey Mann](#) FB 6-1 241 r-Jr. Heath, OH
 *41 [John Marc Stephens](#) TE 6-4 256 r-Jr. Murfreesboro, TN
 43 [Erik Walden](#) DE 6-2 238 r-Sr. Dublin, GA
 44 [Danny Carmichael](#) LB 6-0 240 So. Woodstock, GA
 47 Jason Gulley DE 5-11 225 r-Jr. Hendersonville, TN
 48 [Adam Wade](#) DS 5-10 210 r-Fr. Florence, SC
 49 [Andre Wicker](#) DL 6-1 265 r-Fr. Atlanta, GA
 50 Ryan Cooper OL 6-5 325 So. Danville, IL
 *53 Ivon Hickmon LB 6-1 215 Jr. Lake, MS

63 [Chris Ritter](#) OL 6-2 300 r-Jr. Shalimar, FL
 70 [Richard Bortner](#) OL 6-6 327 r-Jr. Crestview, FL
 71 Jake Padrick OL 6-0 297 Fr. Ft. Pierce, FL
 75 [Chris Hawkins](#) OL 6-3 285 r-Fr. Lexington, KY
 77 [David Price](#) OL 6-4 312 r-Jr. Jacksonville, FL
 78 [Derek Mason](#) DL 6-4 271 r-Sr. Starkville, MS
 *81 Phillip McGee RB 5-10 207 r-So. Clarksville, TN
 *82 [Alvin Ingle](#) TE 6-2 240 r-Fr. Madison, TN
 84 [Dale Galvin](#) WR 6-1 210 r-So. Bunnell, FL
 85 [Stephen Chicola](#) TE 6-4 258 Sr. Jacksonville, FL
 86 [Patrick Honeycutt](#) WR 5-9 173 r-So. Pelham, AL
 88 Justin Woodard P 5-11 173 So. Camden, TN
 89 [Rod Taylor](#) WR 6-2 200 r-So. Atlanta, GA
 90 [Chris Anderson](#) DL 6-2 270 r-Sr. Jacksonville, FL
 92 [Brandon Perry](#) DL 6-1 325 Jr. Hawkinsville, GA
 94 [Derek Shropshire](#) LB 6-3 236 Sr. Oak Ridge, TN
 98 [Chris McCoy](#) DL 6-4 277 r-So. Villa Rica, GA

*Injured and will not play

Coaching Staff: Head Coach J.P. Shelly, Justin Watts, Jimmy Ray Stephens, Art Kaufman, Antonio Goss

WHITE ROSTER

NO NAME POS HT WT CL HOMETOWN

1 Andrew Banks QB 5-9 140 Fr. Clinton, MD
 5 [Damon Nickson](#) S 6-0 177 Sr. Milton, FL
 7 David DeFatta K/P 5-9 195 So. Franklin, TN
 *9 [Jay Robinson](#) WR 6-3 200 r-So. Wetumpka, AL
 *11 [Chance Dunleavy](#) LB 6-2 238 r-Sr. West Covina, CA
 12 [Joe Craddock](#) QB 5-11 200 r-Jr. Birmingham, AL
 15 [Chris DeGeorge](#) TE 6-0 200 r-So. Portland, TN
 16 [Gene Delle Donne](#) QB 6-5 240 r-So. Wilmington, DE
 18 [Clinton Corder](#) TE 6-3 245 r-Sr. Brentwood, TN
 19 [Tavares Jones](#) DE 6-2 242 Sr. Swainsboro, GA
 21 [Phillip Tanner](#) RB 6-0 200 So. Dallas, TX
 22 [Sherman Neal](#) CB 5-9 170 r-Fr. Naperville, IL
 23 Demetrius Beard CB 5-8 164 r-Fr. Hendersonville, TN
 24 [Bradley Robinson](#) CB 5-10 175 r-Sr. Duncan, SC
 26 [Stuart Taylor](#) CB 6-2 175 r-Fr. Dyersburg, TN
 27 Chris Johnson WR 5-11 186 r-Jr. Los Angeles, CA
 29 Lonnie Clemons LB 6-1 230 r-Jr. Milledgeville, GA
 33 Caleb Dugger WR 5-9 182 Fr. Columbia, TN
 35 [Matt King](#) P 5-10 190 r-Jr. Valdosta, GA
 37 [Anthony Glover](#) S 6-2 218 r-Jr. Decatur, GA
 *39 [Hunter Birtsch](#) FB 5-11 241 r-Sr. Knoxville, TN
 41 Joseph Baydoun FB 6-0 211 r-Jr. Brentwood, TN
 42 [Jonathan Parks](#) DS 6-0 230 r-Sr. Nashville, TN
 45 [Sean Mosley](#) DE 6-2 260 r-Sr. Sylvania, GA
 46 Phillip Robertson DE 6-1 218 r-Jr. Murfreesboro, TN
 51 Shane Adams LB 6-0 206 r-Fr. Murfreesboro, TN
 53 [Devin Dutton](#) LB 6-0 231 r-So. Lenoir City, TN
 54 [Franklin Dunbar](#) OL 6-5 320 r-Jr. Waycross, GA
 55 Andrew Harrington LB 6-2 220 Jr. Dekalb, MS
 *56 [Wes Hofacker](#) DL 6-2 260 r-Jr. Allen, TX
 60 [Evon Lettsome](#) OL 6-4 287 r-Fr. Apopka, FL
 63 [Chris Ritter](#) OL 6-2 300 r-Jr. Shalimar, FL
 69 J.C. Moore OL 6-6 320 r-Fr. Forest, MS
 *72 [Mark Thompson](#) OL 6-4 312 r-So. Old Hickory, TN
 76 [Jamal Lewis](#) OL 6-4 295 r-Fr. Huntsville, AL
 79 [Brandon Nix](#) OL 6-4 296 Sr. Talladega, AL
 *82 [Blake Engelhardt](#) TE 6-3 243 r-Fr. Largo, FL
 83 [Jonathan Grigsby](#) WR 5-9 186 r-Sr. Franklin, TN
 87 [Bobby Williams](#) WR 6-3 196 Jr. Jacksonville, FL
 89 [Michael Cannon](#) WR 5-10 180 Jr. Memphis, TN
 95 [Jonathan Presley](#) DL 6-4 258 Jr. Jacksonville, FL
 97 [Trevor Jenkins](#) DL 6-1 285 Jr. Macon, GA

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