



Tech Faces Big Game At League-Leading Pittsburgh

Virginia Tech (7-1, 3-1) vs. Pittsburgh (6-2, 3-0) • 7:45 p.m. (EST), Nov. 8, 2003 • Heinz Field

TONIGHT'S CHECKLIST

- ✓ Virginia Tech and Pittsburgh first met in football during the 1993 season
- ✓ Tech holds a 7-3 advantage in the series
- ✓ The Panthers have won the last two meetings, including a 28-21 victory last year in Blacksburg
- ✓ The Hokies are 3-2 in games played in Pittsburgh
- ✓ The Hokies are 24-16 overall in BIG EAST road games
- ✓ VT is ranked No. 5 in both the AP and USA Today/ESPN Coaches' polls
- ✓ Pittsburgh is ranked No. 25 by AP and No. 21 by USA Today/ESPN
- ✓ The game will be televised nationally by ESPN

THE SERIES

☛ Saturday's game will be the 11th football meeting between Virginia Tech and the University of Pittsburgh. Tech holds a 7-3 lead in the series. The two schools met for the first time in football at Pitt Stadium during the 1993 season with the Hokies taking a 63-21 win.

Tech defeated the Panthers by a score of 45-7 at Blacksburg in 1994 and followed with a 26-16 come-from-behind victory at Pittsburgh during the 1995 season. The Hokies won the 1996 meeting 34-17 at Lane Stadium.

The Panthers' first win in the series was a 30-23 decision at Pitt Stadium in 1997.

Tech won, 27-7, in Blacksburg during the 1998 season, took a 30-17 victory at Pittsburgh in 1999, then edged the Panthers, 37-34, at home in 2000. Pittsburgh has won the last two games in the series, taking a 38-7 decision at Heinz Field in 2001 and winning last season 28-21 at Tech.

THE GAME ON TV

☛ The Virginia Tech-Pittsburgh game will be televised nationally by ESPN. Ron Franklin will handle the play-by-play with Mike Gottfried serving as color analyst. Adrian Karsten will be on hand to provide sideline commentary. Tech has a 24-5 record on ESPN, including a 4-1 record this season.

COUNTDOWN TO KICKOFF

- 10 Ten different players have intercepted passes for Virginia Tech during its first eight games of 2003.
- 9 Senior Carter Warley had connected on nine of his 12 field goal attempts this season.
- 8 The Hokies rank eighth nationally in scoring offense.
- 7 Tech has given up just seven rushing touchdowns this season.
- 6 The Hokies have blocked at least one kick in each of their last six games against Pittsburgh.
- 5 Junior DeAngelo Hall has scored touchdowns five different ways during his Virginia Tech career.
- 4 Defensive ends Nathaniel Adibi and Cols Colas each had four quarterback hurries during Tech's win over Miami.
- 3 Tailback Kevin Jones is tied for third place in career 100-yard rushing games at Tech with 11.
- 2 Virginia Tech completed just two passes during its victory over No. 2 Miami.
- 1 The Hokies are ranked No. 1 among Division I-A teams in non-offensive touchdowns scored with 10.

THIS SEASON

☛ Virginia Tech enters the Pittsburgh game with a 7-1 overall record. The Hokies have a 3-1 mark in BIG EAST Conference play. Tech is coming off a 31-7 victory against No. 2 Miami in Blacksburg. The Hokies are 1-1 on the road.

☛ Pittsburgh is 6-2 overall and 3-0 in BIG EAST games following a 24-13 victory at Boston College. The Panthers have a 3-1 record at Heinz Field in 2003.

NIGHT GAMES

☛ Since 1946, Virginia Tech football teams have a 67-51-1 mark in night games, including a 34-18-1 record under Coach Frank Beamer. Tech is 15-5 in BIG EAST night games. Tech is 2-1 in night games this year, beating Texas A&M and Miami at home and losing at WVU.

COACH FRANK BEAMER

☛ Frank Beamer (Va. Tech '69), whose teams have averaged nine victories a year over the last 10 seasons, is in his 17th year as the head football coach at Virginia Tech. Beamer has guided the Hokies to a 124-70-2 record. He became Tech's winningest football coach in 1997 when the Hokies defeated Arkansas State, 50-0.

Under Beamer, Tech football has enjoyed unprecedented success with 10 consecutive bowl appearances, three BIG EAST Conference titles and a trip to the national championship game. Tech won the BIG EAST title in 1999 and 1995 and shared it in '96. Beamer was voted BIG EAST Coach of the Year by the league's coaches each of those seasons. In 1997, he was inducted into The Virginia Tech Sports Hall of Fame, and following the 1999 season, he earned eight national coach of the year honors.

Last season, the Hokies posted a 10-4 record, including a victory over Air Force in the San Francisco Bowl. During the 2000 season, the Hokies posted an 11-1 record that included a 41-20 win over Clemson in the Gator Bowl. In 1999, Tech marched to an 11-0 regular-season mark before losing a hard-fought 46-29 game to Florida State for the national title in the Sugar Bowl. The Hokies ended the '99 season ranked No. 2 by AP.

Another highlight came when Tech beat Texas, 28-10, in the 1995 Sugar Bowl and finished 10-2. The bowl streak started in '93 when Tech beat Indiana in the Independence Bowl, 45-20, to cap a 9-3 season.

Beamer returned to his alma mater in December 1986 after a six-year stint as the head coach at Murray State University, where he compiled a 42-23-2 mark.

During his undergraduate days at Tech, Beamer started three years as a cornerback and played on the Hokies' 1966 and 1968 Liberty Bowl teams. The 57-year-old Hillsville, Va.,



THE COACHES

Frank Beamer	Coach	Walt Harris
Virginia Tech	School	Pittsburgh
Virginia Tech ('69)	Alma Mater	Pacific ('68)
124-70-2 (17th year)	Record at School	42-37 (seventh year)
166-93-4 (23rd year)	Overall Record	53-61 (10th year)
7-3	Record vs. tonight's opponent	3-3

native began his collegiate coaching career as a graduate assistant at Maryland in 1972. He held assistant coaching positions at The Citadel and Murray State before being named MSU's head coach in 1981.

ACTIVE WINNERS

☛ Frank Beamer is fifth among the winningest active NCAA Division I-A football coaches with 166 career wins. Bobby Bowden (Florida State) leads the way with 340, followed by Joe Paterno (Penn St.; 338), Lou Holtz (South Carolina; 243) and Jackie Sherrill (Mississippi State; 180).

2003 SCHEDULES & RESULTS

Virginia Tech (7-1; 3-1):	
hW	49-28 UCF
hW	43- 0 James Madison
hW	35-19 Texas A&M
hW	47-13 Connecticut
aW	48-22 Rutgers*
hW	51- 7 Syracuse*
aL	7-28 West Virginia*
hW	31- 7 Miami*
Nov.	8 at Pittsburgh* (7:45 p.m.)
	15 at Temple* (1 p.m.)
	22 Boston College* (tba)
	29 at Virginia (tba)

Pittsburgh (6-2; 3-0):	
hW	43- 3 Kent State
hW	42-21 Ball State
aL	31-35 Toledo
aW	37-26 Texas A&M
hL	14-20 Notre Dame
aW	42-32 Rutgers*
hW	34-14 Syracuse*
aW	24-13 Boston College*
Nov.	8 Virginia Tech*
	15 at West Virginia*
	22 at Temple*
	29 Miami*

*BIG EAST games

STABILITY AT THE TOP

☛ Frank Beamer, the first Tech alumnus to guide the Hokies' football program since the 1940s, has coached and won more football games at Tech than any other coach. His 16 years at the Hokie helm have helped the program develop a sense of stability and consistency currently enjoyed by just a handful of other Division I-A schools.

Only three of the 117 Division I-A head football coaches have been at their current school longer than Beamer. Those coaches are: Joe Paterno (37 yrs., Penn State); Bobby Bowden (27 yrs., Florida State); and Fisher DeBerry (19 yrs., Air Force).

Prior to Beamer, no other grid coach in Virginia Tech history had served more than 10 seasons as head coach.

COACH WALT HARRIS

☛ Walt Harris (Pacific '68) is in his seventh season as the head coach at Pittsburgh, where he has a 42-37 record. Harris began his collegiate coaching career as an assistant at Pacific in 1971. He held assistant coaching positions at California, Air Force, Michigan State, Illinois and Tennessee before becoming the head coach at Pacific in 1989. During three seasons as the head coach at his alma mater, Harris compiled an 11-24 record. He moved into the professional ranks as an assistant for the New York Jets from 1992-94. Harris served on the staff at Ohio State before taking the top job at Pittsburgh in December 1996.

TECH IN THE POLLS

☛ Virginia Tech is No. 5 in both The Associated Press Poll and the *USA Today*/ESPN Coaches' Poll.

The Hokies posted their highest-ever football rankings during the 1999 and 2000 seasons. Tech finished the '99 season rated No. 2 by AP and No. 3 by the coaches. In 2000, Tech climbed as high as No. 2 in both polls before finishing No. 6. Prior to the '99 season, Tech's previous high in the AP poll was 10th in the final 1995 poll that followed a 28-10 Sugar Bowl win over Texas. The Hokies had been ranked as high as No. 9 in the coaches' poll. Tech was ranked ninth by the coaches in the final poll of 1995, as well as four times during the '96 season. Tech's highest preseason rankings ever, came in 2001 when it was ranked No. 9 in both polls.

Tech has been ranked a total of 147 voting periods by the AP since the beginning of the 1993 season. When Coach Frank Beamer took over in 1987, Tech had been ranked a total of 12 weeks during the first 49 years of the AP poll. The Hokies have been ranked in 92 of the last 93 AP polls, including the last 81 in a row.

TECH IN THE BIG EAST

☛ Virginia Tech joined the BIG EAST Football Conference as a charter member when the league formed in 1991. Tech has finished among the top four in the league each year since the BIG EAST went to round-robin play in 1993. Tech won the BIG EAST title in 1999 and 1995 and shared the '96 championship with Miami and Syracuse. Tech finished second in 1994, 1997, 2000 and tied for second in 1998. The Hokies were fourth in '93 and last season. In 2001, Tech tied for third in the league. The Hokies have finished higher than they were picked seven times in the 10 years of competition. Miami (101) and Tech (100) have won more games than any BIG EAST teams since the start of 1993.

TECH ON THE ROAD

☛ Virginia Tech has won 36 of the last 48 regular-season road games it has played, including 21 of its last 30 BIG EAST Conference road games. The Hokies are 24-16 overall in conference road games, including a 3-2 mark at Pittsburgh.

Tech's 38-23 overall road record since the BIG EAST formed in 1991 ranks second among league teams behind Miami. The Hokies are 1-1 in road games this season with a win at Rutgers and a loss at West Virginia.

SCORING STREAK

☛ Tech has scored in a school record 104 straight football games, beginning with a 13-7 win over Miami on Sept. 23, 1995. The streak began after a 16-0 loss to Cincinnati at Lane Stadium in 1995. The previous school record was 66 straight games, which started in 1970 and ran into the 1976 season. During its current streak, Tech has scored 13 or more points in all but three games — a 42-3 Gator Bowl loss to North Carolina in January 1998, a 38-7 defeat at Pittsburgh in 2001 and a 28-7 loss at West Virginia earlier this season. The Hokies have scored 13 or more points in 54 straight home games.

AP POLL STREAK

☛ Virginia Tech has been ranked for 81 consecutive weeks in The Associated Press Top 25 Football Poll, marking the second-longest active consecutive appearance streak. The Hokies have been ranked in every AP poll since the end of regular-season play in 1998. Tech began the streak with a No. 23 ranking in the postseason poll of '98. The Hokies are currently ranked No. 5 in the AP Poll. Michigan has the longest current streak with 91 straight polls. Miami is third at 66, followed by Oklahoma (61) and Texas (54). Tech has appeared in the last 95 *USA Today*/ESPN Coaches' polls, dating back to Sept. 13, 1998.

**BIG EAST STANDINGS
(through games of Nov. 1)**

Team	Conf.	Overall
Pittsburgh	3-0	6-2
Virginia Tech	3-1	7-1
Miami	3-1	7-1
West Virginia	2-1	4-4
Syracuse	1-2	4-3
Boston College	1-3	5-4
Rutgers	1-3	4-4
Temple	0-3	1-7

Saturday, Nov. 1

Virginia Tech 31, Miami 7
Pittsburgh 24, Boston College 13
West Virginia 36, UCF 18

Saturday, Nov. 8

Virginia Tech at Pittsburgh
West Virginia at Boston College
Temple at Syracuse
Rutgers at UConn
Tennessee at Miami

2002 RESULTS

Virginia Tech (10-4; 3-4 BE):

hW 63- 7 Arkansas State
hW 26- 8 LSU
hW 47-21 Marshall
aW 13- 3 Texas A&M
aW 30- 0 Western Michigan
aW 28-23 Boston College*
hW 35-14 Rutgers*
hW 20-10 Temple*
hL 21-28 Pittsburgh*
aL 42-50 Syracuse (3ot)*
hL 18-21 West Virginia*
hW 21- 9 Virginia
aL 45-56 Miami*
nW 20-13 Air Force
(San Francisco Bowl)

Pittsburgh (9-4; 5-2 BE):

hW 27-14 Ohio
hL 12-14 Texas A&M
aW 26-20 UAB
hW 23- 3 Rutgers*
hW 37-19 Toledo
aW 48-24 Syracuse*
aL 6-14 Notre Dame
hW 19-16 Boston College* (ot)
aW 28-21 Virginia Tech*
hW 29-22 Temple*
aL 21-28 Miami*
hL 17-24 Pittsburgh*
nW 38-13 Oregon State
(Insight Bowl)

* Conference games

Last Week

Tech Defense Shines In Stunning Win Over No. 2 Miami

Nov. 1, 2003 • Lane Stadium/Worsham Field • Attendance 65,115

BLACKSBURG, Va. — Virginia Tech snapped the University of Miami's 39-game regular-season winning streak with a decisive 31-7 victory in front of an deafening sellout crowd at Lane Stadium/Worsham Field.

Tech's defense accounted for the Hokies' first two touchdowns. A fumble return for a touchdown by DeAngelo Hall and an interception return for a TD by Eric Green, sandwiched around a 39-yard Carter Warley field goal, gave Tech a 17-0 lead early in the third quarter. Another interception set up a 2-yard Kevin Jones touchdown run later in the period.

Jones was a force for the Tech offense all evening, posting 124 yards rushing on 26 carries. Redshirt quarterback Marcus Vick gave the Hokies a boost with his running and closed out Tech's scoring with a 46-yard TD pass to Ernest Wilford.

Tech came up with four turnovers and four quarterback sacks on defense. The Hokies blocked a field goal on special teams in the first quarter when the game was scoreless.

Miami	0	0	0	7	—	7
Virginia Tech	0	10	21	0	—	31

- VT (12:55 re 2nd) — Hall 28 fumble return (Warley kick)
- VT (0:07 re 2nd) — FG Warley 39
- VT (9:22 re 3rd) — Green 51 interception return (Warley kick)
- VT (4:35 re 3rd) — Jones 2 run (Warley kick)
- VT (0:34 re 3rd) — Wilford 46 pass from Vick (Warley kick)
- UM (7:53 re 4th) — Geathers 10 pass from Crudup (Peattie kick)

Team Stats	UM	VT
First downs	21	11
Rushes-yds.	38-116	41-175
Passing yds.	261	44
Return yds.	36	181
Passes	29-47-3	2-8-1
Punts-avg.	6-31	8-39
Fumbles-lost	7-1	1-1
Penalties-yds.	14-117	10-85
Time of poss.	34:35	25:25
Sacks by	1-8	4-18

Individual Leaders

Rushing — UM, Payton 18-69, Crudup 6-38, Moss 6-19, Geathers 2-8, Parrish 1-0, Team 1-(-1), Berlin 4-(-17); VT, Jones 26-124, Vick 6-23, Randall 5-15, Easlick 2-12, Humes 2-1.

Passing — UM, Berlin 16-25-2-164, Crudup 13-21-1-97, Carter 0-1-0-0; VT, Randall 0-4-1-0, Vick 2-4-0-44.

Receiving — UM, Winslow 8-48, Moore 7-101, Parrish 4-38, Geathers 4-28, Payton 3-41, Hill 1-6, Moss 1-4, Berlin 1-(-5); VT, Wilford 1-46, Easlick 1-(-2).

A CLOSER LOOK

☛Miami, ranked No. 2 in both national polls, became the highest ranked opponent Virginia Tech has ever beaten in football. Previously, the highest rated teams the Hokies had beaten were No. 9 Texas in the 1995 Sugar Bowl and No. 9 West Virginia in 1989.

☛Junior cornerback **Eric Green** (Clewiston, Fla.) posted a big game against UM. Green returned an interception 51 yards for a score, blocked a field goal and was in on 11 tackles. Green's touchdown was his second of the season on a pick and tied the school single-season mark for touchdowns on interceptions. The record was set by Don Divers in 1954 and equalled by Mike Widger in 1968 and Ashley Lee in 1983. Green's blocked kick was the fourth of his career and his second against the 'Canes.

☛Tech's win snapped three Miami winning streaks. The 'Canes had won 39 straight regular season games, 27 consecutive BIG EAST games and 18 consecutive regular season games at opponents' home sites.

☛Sophomore linebacker **Jordan Trott** (Torrance, Calif.) made his first career start in the Miami game and finished the contest with 10 tackles, including two for losses, and two quarterback hurries.

☛**Michael Crawford** (Baltimore, Md.) picked off the first pass of his Tech career and returned it 44 yards to set up a third-quarter touchdown.

☛The two pass completions by Tech were the fewest since the 2000 UCF game when the Hokies were also 2-for-8 passing. The last time Tech had fewer completions came in a 1977 game against VMI when it completed just one pass.

A CLOSER LOOK

☛ Following Virginia Tech's 28-21 loss to Pittsburgh last season, the Hokies are now 0-3 against the Panthers in the month of November and 7-0 in September and October.

☛ At the time, Pittsburgh's 483 yards of total offense during the 2002 game were the most against Tech since the 1997 season when Virginia posted 502 yards in a 34-20 victory. The Panthers' 275 yards rushing still stand as the most against the Hokies since the 1996 Orange Bowl when Nebraska ran for 279 yards. Later last season, Syracuse gained 604 total yards against the Hokies and Miami had 556.

☛ Tailback Lee Suggs turned in the longest run from scrimmage of his Tech career, when he scampered 59 yards for a touchdown in the third quarter of last year's game. Suggs finished the game with 128 yards on the ground.

☛ **Kevin Jones** (Chester, Pa.) picked up just four yards on two carries against Pittsburgh last season before leaving the game with a strained hamstring. One of his two carries was a 3-yard touchdown run.

☛ **Nathaniel Adibi** (Hampton, Va.) blocked a punt during the first quarter of last year's game against Pittsburgh. It was the first block of Adibi's career and Tech's 10th block during its series against the Panthers. Tech has blocked more kicks against Pittsburgh during Frank Beamer's tenure as head coach than against any other team.

☛ Pittsburgh's Brandon Miree rushed for 161 yards in the Panthers' win at Tech. At the time, Miree's rushing total was the highest against Tech since Boston College's Mike Cloud ran for 186 yards against the Hokies in 1998.

Last Season

Pittsburgh Rallies To Hand Hokies First Loss Of Season

Nov. 2, 2002 • Lane Stadium/Worsham Field • Attendance 64,971

BLACKSBURG, Va. — The University of Pittsburgh scored 21 unanswered points in the second half to knock No. 3 Virginia Tech from the ranks of the unbeaten with a 28-21 win at Lane Stadium/Worsham Field. It was the Panthers' first-ever win in Blacksburg.

Pittsburgh engineered the win by controlling the line of scrimmage on both sides of the ball. The Panthers rolled up 483 yards of offense in the game, including 301 yards in the second half. Their total included 275 yards on the ground against a Tech defense that entered the game ranked No. 1 nationally in rushing defense with an average of 40.8 yards allowed per game.

Tech enjoyed a 14-0 lead early in the first quarter and led 21-7 after a 59-yard touchdown run by tailback Lee Suggs less than two minutes into the second half. The Panthers turned the game around with a pair of quick TD passes in the third quarter and took the lead on a 53-yard touchdown run by Brandon Miree with just over four minutes remaining in the game.

The Tech offense mounted just one threat after Suggs' third-quarter touchdown run, moving to the Pittsburgh 25 before missing a field goal attempt.

Pittsburgh	7	0	14	7	—	28
Virginia Tech	14	0	7	0	—	21

- VT (7:07 re 1st) — Jones 3 run (Schmitt kick)
- VT (4:38 re 1st) — Suggs 1 run (Schmitt kick)
- P (3:06 re 1st) — Fitzgerald 31 pass from Rutherford (Abdul kick)
- VT (13:52 re 3rd) — Suggs 59 run (Schmitt kick)
- P (10:39 re 3rd) — Fitzgerald 14 pass from Rutherford (Abdul kick)
- P (7:09 re 3rd) — Fitzgerald 10 pass from Rutherford (Abdul kick)
- P (4:11 re 4th) — Miree 53 run (Abdul kick)

Team Stats	P	VT
First downs	22	15
Rushing yds.	44-275	45-130
Passing yds.	208	145
Return yds.	50	98
Passes	11-26-2	12-22-1
Punts-avg.	6-33	7-44
Fumbles-lost	3-1	4-2
Penalties-yds.	7-68	6-60
Time of poss.	28:54	31:06
Sacks by	7-33	2-11

Individual Leaders

- Rushing — P, Miree 23-161, Murphy 2-58, Rutherford 15-56, Polite 2-0, Team 2-0; VT, Suggs 25-128, Jones 2-4, Easlick 2-2, Randall 16-(-4).
- Passing — P, Rutherford 11-26-2-208; VT, Randall 12-22-1-145.
- Receiving — P, Fitzgerald 5-105, Wilson 4-85, Slade 1-11, Miree 1-7; VT, Wilford 6-80, Witten 3-29, Humes 1-15, Parham 1-13, Suggs 1-8.

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

☛ **Kevin Jones** (Chester, Pa.) has taken over as the featured back in Virginia Tech's offense this year. Jones opened his junior season by scoring two touchdowns and rushing for 83 yards on 22 carries against UCF. He appeared headed to a big day in game two against James Madison when he was knocked out of the game. Jones sprained both of his wrists on a play that resulted in the ejection of a JMU player. He had 57 yards rushing on 12 carries when he left the game early in the second quarter. He responded 12 days later by rushing for a career-high 188 yards and three TDs against Texas A&M. He added 105 yards against UConn, 118 yards at Rutgers and 131 yards versus SU. He carried the ball just 11 times in Tech's loss at West Virginia for 57 yards, then came back with 124 yards and a TD in a win over No. 2 Miami. For the season, he has 863 yards and 10 TDs.

Since coming to Tech as the nation's No. 1-rated prep player in 2001, Jones has lived up to his billing. During his first season at Tech, he earned BIG EAST Rookie of the Year honors. He became a key figure in the Tech offense after starter Lee Suggs suffered a season-ending knee injury in the opening game.

Jones ended up in the starting lineup for Tech's last three regular-season games and the Gator Bowl. During those three regular-season starts, Jones contributed 155 yards rushing at Temple, 181 yards against Virginia and 160 yards versus No. 1 Miami. His 957 yards for the season set a school mark for a freshman and he was named a freshman All-American by *The Sporting News*.

Last season, Jones shared time with Suggs and still managed to rush for 871 yards and nine touchdowns.

Jones, who bulked up to 221 pounds for the 2003 season, has averaged 5.6 yards per carry on the way to 2,691 career rushing yards.

VIRGINIA TECH CAREER RECORDS

Rushing Yards

3,767	Cyrus Lawrence	843 att.	1979-82
3,459	Roscoe Coles	656 att.	1974-77
2,981	Maurice Williams	550 att.	1983-86
2,767	Lee Suggs	535 att.	1999-02
2,696	Dwayne Thomas	576 att.	1992-95
2,691	Kevin Jones	493 att.	2001-
2,645	Ken Oxendine	526 att.	1994-97
2,523	Eddie Hunter	466 att.	1983-86
2,461	Phil Rogers	528 att.	1973-75
2,327	Vaughn Hebron	481 att.	1989-92
2,292	Shyrone Stith	448 att.	1996-99
2,259	Tony Kennedy	535 att.	1989-92
2,116	Terry Smoot	510 att.	1967-69
2,052	James Barber	454 att.	1971-73

Pass Receptions

121	Antonio Freeman		1991-94
113	Ricky Scales		1972-74
103	André Davis		1998-01
103	Mike Giacolone		1979-82
100	Myron Richardson		1986-89
100	Ernest Wilford	100 rec.	2000-
92	Donald Snell		1983-86
90	Mike Burnop		1970-72
86	Sidney Snell		1978-80
84	Steve Johnson		1984-87
78	Cornelius White		1993-96
77	Marcus Mickel		1988-91

Pass Reception Yards

2,272	Ricky Scales	113 rec.	1972-74
2,207	Antonio Freeman	121 rec.	1991-94
1,986	André Davis	103 rec.	1998-01
1,587	Ernest Wilford	100 rec.	2000-
1,541	Myron Richardson	100 rec.	1986-89
1,458	Bryan Still	74 rec.	1992-95
1,409	Donald Snell	92 rec.	1983-86
1,384	Mike Giacolone	103 rec.	1979-82

Scoring

371	Shayne Graham	pk	1996-99
336	Lee Suggs	tb	1999-02
281	Carter Warley	pk	2000-
254	Ryan Williams	pk	1991-94
234	Chris Kinzer	pk	1985-88
224	Don Wade	pk	1981-84

Extra Points Made

173	Carter Warley	168-173	2000-
167	Shayne Graham	167-169	1996-99
137	Ryan Williams	137-147	1991-94

Punt Return Yardage

872	André Davis	55 ret.	1998-01
837	John Ludlow	136 ret.	1979-82
813	Frank Loria	61 ret.	1965-67
750	Billy Myers	90 ret.	1984-87
721	DeAngelo Hall	49 ret.	2001-
697	Angelo Harrison	73 ret.	1995-98

Interceptions

18	Gene Bunn	106 yds.	1976-78
16	Tyronne Drakeford	144 yds.	1990-93
14	Willie Pile	270 yds.	1999-02
13	Ron Davidson	174 yds.	1966-68
13	Lenny Smith	120 yds.	1968-68
12	Mike Widger	220 yds.	1967-69
12	John Granby	98 yds.	1987-91
11	Mike Johnson	173 yds.	1980-83
11	Ashley Lee	351 yds.	1980-84
11	William Yarborough	30 yds.	1992-95
10	John Bell	155 yds.	1972-74
10	Billy Hardee	168 yds.	1973-75
10	Derek Carter	77 yds.	1981-84
10	Keion Carpenter	244 yds.	1995-98
9	Frank Beamer	81 yds.	1966-68
9	Carter Wiley	243 yds.	1984-87
9	Torrian Gray	122 yds.	1993-96
9	Garnell Wilds	32 yds.	2000-
8*	DeAngelo Hall	137 yds.	2001-

** others tied with him not on this list*

Passing Yards

6,009	Don Strock	440-829	1970-72
5,915	Will Furrer	494-920	1988-91
5,720	Maurice DeShazo	397-745	1991-94
4,383	Jim Druckenmiller	313-582	1993-96
4,299	Steve Casey	342-647	1978-81
3,526	Mark Cox	281-518	1981-85
3,290	Bryan Randall	244-421	2001-
3,074	Michael Vick	177-313	1999-00
2,996	Erik Chapman	234-458	1985-87
2,721	Todd Greenwood	234-443	1982-85
2,622	Al Clark	193-361	1995-98

Total Offense

6,105	Maurice DeShazo	qb	1991-94
5,871	Don Strock	qb	1970-72
5,782	Will Furrer	qb	1988-91
4,987	Steve Casey	qb	1978-81
4,634	Jim Druckenmiller	qb	1993-96
4,276	Michael Vick	qb	1999-00
4,204	Bryan Randall	qb	2001-
3,890	Mark Cox	qb	1981-85
3,767	Cyrus Lawrence	tb	1979-82
3,458	Roscoe Coles	rb	1974-77
3,448	Bob Schweickert	qb	1962-64

Reception Touchdowns

22	Antonio Freeman	121 rec.	1991-94
18	Ricky Scales	113 rec.	1972-74
18	André Davis	103 rec.	1998-01
15	Sidney Snell	86 rec.	1978-80
15	Carroll Dale	67 rec.	1956-59
11	Bryan Still	74 rec.	1992-95
11	Ricky Hall	62 rec.	1998-99
10	Mike Giacolone	103 rec.	1979-82
10	Ernest Wilford	100 rec.	2001-
9	Bo Campbell	68 rec.	1989-92
9	Myron Richardson	100 rec.	1986-89
9	John Rivers	20 rec.	1990-92

SWITCHING JERSEYS

☛ Junior tailback **Kevin Jones** (Chester, Pa.) has made the switch from jersey No. 7 to No. 25 this year. With former Hokie Billy Hardee, who wore the number last year, graduating, Jones jumped on the opportunity to honor some friends.

The new number has double significance for Jones. In grade school, Jones played for Coach Jim Mattioli. Soon after the Hokies returned from the San Francisco Bowl, Jones learned that Mattioli's son had been killed in an automobile accident. Jones wore No. 25 when he played for Mattioli and decided to wear that again in memory of Mattioli's son.

In high school, Jones wore No. 2. His best friend, James Johnson, wore No. 5. Johnson was sent overseas to prepare for the war in Iraq, so Jones is "wearing 25 for the both of us, too."

STICKY FINGERS

☛ Senior receiver **Ernest Wilford** (Richmond, Va.) has moved into Tech's top 10 for career pass receptions, receiving yards and touchdown catches. He is currently tied for fifth in catches, fourth in yardage and tied for eighth in TDs. He has 29 catches for 421 yards and two touchdowns this season.

The 6-4, 220-pound split end has career totals of 100 catches for 1,587 yards and 10 touchdowns. He needs one reception to take over fifth place on the career list and can move into third with four more grabs. He needs one more touchdown catch to move into a tie for sixth place.

Wilford is coming off a record-setting junior season in which he hauled in a school single-season record 51 passes. He also set Tech single-game marks for receiving yards (279) and touchdown catches (4) in a game at Syracuse.

Wilford was one of just two players to earn Elite Athlete status during the off-season. He turned in a 38 1/2-inch vertical jump.

CALLING THE SIGNALS

☛ Quarterback **Bryan Randall** (Williamsburg, Va.), who set a Tech record for completion percentage in a season last year, has started all eight games in 2003. He connected on 22 of 28 passes against UCF in the Hokies' 2003 opener. Randall passed for 278 yards and three touchdowns during the game to earn BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Week honors.

He earned that honor again for the Rutgers game, when he passed for 250 yards and four touchdowns, completing 16 of 22 passes. Through eight games, he is 86-for-137 (62.8%) passing for 1,042 yards, nine TDs and seven interceptions. He has 303 yards and three scores rushing, including touchdown runs of 47 and 75 yards.

Last season, Randall came off the bench to guide the Tech attack against LSU. He went on to start the remaining 12 games of the season. Randall completed 63.7 percent of his passes to set a new school record. His 2,641 yards of total offense were the most for a Tech player since 1972 and marked the second-highest season figure ever for the Hokies. In a game at Syracuse, he set a BIG EAST record with 504 yards passing and established a Tech mark with five passing touchdowns.

THE YOUNG GUY

☛ The competition at the Hokies' quarterback position drew a lot of attention during the spring and preseason, and continues to do so thanks to redshirt freshman **Marcus Vick** (Newport News, Va.).

Vick has played in six games, completing 17 of 31 passes (54.8%) for 256 yards. He has thrown for two touchdowns and been intercepted twice. He made his Tech debut against UCF and led Tech on a pair of 80-yard scoring marches. He gave the Hokies a spark with his running during the Miami game and also lofted a 46-yard touchdown pass to Ernest Wilford.

WHAT'S A HOKIE?

That's the most often-asked question in Virginia Tech athletics. The answer leads all the way back to 1896 when Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College changed its name to Virginia Polytechnic Institute. With the change came the necessity for writing a new cheer and a contest for such a purpose was held by the student body. Senior O.M. Stull won first prize for his "Old Hokie" yell which still is used today. Later, when asked if "Hokie" had any special meaning, Stull explained the words he used had no hidden or symbolic meaning, but had been thought up in an effort to get attention. Hokie soon became a nickname for all Tech teams and for those people loyal to Tech athletics. Following is the "Old Hokie" yell in its original form:

Hoki, Hoki, Hoki Hy!
 Tech! Tech! V.P.I!
 Sola-Rex Sola-Rah
 Polytech-Vir-gin-i-a!!
 Rae, Ri, V.P.I.

SIZE CHART

Average heights and weights by position of the players on Tech's active depth chart:

Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.
WR	6-1	195
TE	6-5	258
OT	6-5	311
OG	6-4	304
C	6-3	303
QB	6-1	206
FB	6-1	243
TB	5-11	214
DE	6-1	249
DT	6-1	290
ILB	6-2	238
OLB	6-2	214
CB	5-11	189
SAF	6-0	199

BEAMERBALL

☛ During the Frank Beamer era at Tech, putting points on the scoreboard has always been a team effort — the offensive team, the defensive team and the special teams. It’s called BeamerBall, and what sets it apart are the contributions of the defense and special teams.

Each of Tech’s last eight teams is ranked among the school’s top 10 highest scoring teams. During that time, a player at every position on the defensive unit has produced at least one touchdown. And 24 different players have scored touchdowns while playing on Tech’s special teams. Altogether, the defense and special teams have combined for 87 TDs since Beamer arrived in 1987, including 70 in Tech’s last 120 games.

Under Beamer, Tech’s defense has scored 54 TDs, with 32 coming on pass interceptions, 20 on fumble returns and two on fumble recoveries. The special teams have added 33 TDs, including 15 on blocked punts, 11 on punt returns, four on kickoff returns, two on blocked field goals and one on a fumble recovery.

Fittingly, the trend started in Beamer’s first game as Tech’s head coach when true freshman Jon Jeffries returned a kickoff 92 yards for a touchdown against Clemson. It was the Hokies’ first TD under Beamer, and it was scored on special teams.

Under Beamer, 61 different players on defense and special teams have scored TDs. Thirteen of those players — Don Stokes, Jock Jones, Roger Brown, Lawrence Lewis, Antonio Banks, Jim Baron, Keion Carpenter, Pierson Prioleau, Anthony Midget, Cory Bird, Kevin McCadam, Willie Pile, **Jason Lallis** and **Eric Green** — scored twice. Ike Charlton and Ricky Hall have three scores, André Davis four and **DeAngelo Hall** five.

Since the start of the 1993 season, Tech is 45-7 in games it scores at least one TD on defense or special teams.

TOUCHDOWNS BY DEFENSE & SPECIAL TEAMS

1987: Jon Jeffries, 92-yd. kickoff return vs. Clemson; Don Stokes, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. Syracuse; Randy Cockrell (ilb), 90-yd. interception return vs. Navy.

1988: Don Stokes, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. Southern Miss; Jock Jones, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. West Virginia; Roger Brown (cb), 55-yd. interception return vs. South Carolina; Leslie Bailey (ilb), 19-yd. interception return vs. South Carolina.

1989: Marcus Mickel, 90-yd. kickoff return vs. Clemson; Jock Jones (olb), 55-yd. interception return vs. Tulane; Roger Brown (cb), 55-yd. interception return vs. North Carolina State.

1990: The ‘90 season marked the first and only season to date during Beamer’s tenure that Tech failed to score at least one TD on either defense or special teams.

1991: P.J. Preston (olb), recovered fumble in end zone vs. Oklahoma; Ken Landrum, 18-yd. blocked punt return vs. Cincinnati; Kirk Alexander (fs), 95-yd. interception return vs. Cincinnati.

1992: Tyronne Drakeford (cb), 40-yd. interception return vs. East Carolina; Tony Kennedy, 91-yd. kickoff return vs. Louisville; Ken Brown (olb), 18-yd. interception return vs. Rutgers.

1993: William Ferrell, 7-yd. blocked punt return vs. Rutgers; DeWayne Knight (olb), 23-yd. fumble return vs. Syracuse; Jeff Holland (dt), 8-yd. fumble return vs. Virginia; Lawrence Lewis (de), 20-yd. fumble return vs. Indiana; Antonio Banks, 80-yd. blocked field goal return vs. Indiana.

1994: Torrian Gray (rov), 66-yd. interception return vs. Boston College; Stacy Henley, 25-yd. blocked punt return vs. Temple; Lawrence Lewis (de), 60-yd. fumble return vs. East Carolina; Antonio Freeman, 80-yd. punt return vs. Pittsburgh.

1995: Jermaine Holmes, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. Akron; Hank Coleman (de), 51-yd. fumble return vs. Rutgers; Myron Newsome (ilb), 71-yd. interception return vs. Rutgers; Larry Green (cb), 37-yd. interception return vs. West Virginia; Jim Baron (dt), 46-yd. fumble return vs. Temple; J.C. Price (dt), 19-yd. interception return vs. Temple; Antonio Banks (cb), 65-yd. interception return vs. Virginia; Bryan Still, 60-yd. punt return vs. Texas; Jim Baron (dt), 20-yd. fumble return vs. Texas.

1996: Cornelius White, 60-yd. blocked punt return vs. Syracuse; Keion Carpenter (fs), 100-yd. interception return vs. Miami.

1997: Carl Bradley (dt), recovered fumble in end zone vs. Rutgers; Pierson Prioleau (rov), 43-yd. fumble return vs. Rutgers; Lorenzo Ferguson (fs), 84-yd. interception return vs. Arkansas St.; Anthony Midget (cb), 22-yd. fumble return vs. Pittsburgh.

1998: Keion Carpenter (fs), 16-yd. interception return vs. Pittsburgh; Pierson Prioleau (rov), 85-yd. interception return vs. Boston College; Marcus Gildersleeve, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. UAB; Ricky Hall, 17-yd. blocked punt return vs. West Virginia; Ricky Hall, recovered blocked punt in end zone vs. Syracuse; Loren Johnson (cb), 78-yd. fumble return vs. Syracuse; Ike Charlton (cb), 26-yd. interception return vs. Rutgers; Jamel Smith (lb), 98-yd. interception return vs. Rutgers; Anthony Midget (cb), 27-yd. interception return vs. Alabama.

1999: Ike Charlton (cb), 34-yd. interception return vs. Clemson; Corey Moore (de), 32-yard fumble return vs. Clemson; Cory Bird (rov), 26-yd. fumble return vs. Syracuse; Phillip Summers (rov), 43-yd. interception return vs. Syracuse; Tee Butler, recovered fumble by punter in end zone vs. Syracuse; Ricky Hall, 64-yd. punt return vs. Miami; Ike Charlton (cb), 51-yd. fumble return vs. Miami; Larry Austin (cb), 31-yd. interception return vs. Temple.

2000: Willie Pile (fs), 11-yd. interception return vs. Akron; Cory Bird, 9-yd. blocked punt return vs. East Carolina; André Davis, 87-yd. punt return vs. East Carolina; André Davis, 71-yd. punt return vs. Boston College; André Davis, 76-yd. punt return vs. WVU; Nathaniel Adibi (de), 36-yd. fumble return vs. UCF.

2001: Channing Reed (dt), 8-yd. fumble return vs. Rutgers; Kevin McCadam (rov), 69-yd. interception return vs. UCF; André Davis, 55-yd. punt return vs. UCF; Jim Davis (de), 27 yd. interception return vs. WVU; Kevin McCadam (rov), 9-yd. fumble return vs. BC; Ronyell Whitaker, 71-yd. blocked field goal return vs. Pittsburgh; Brandon Manning, 22-yd. blocked punt return vs. Miami.

2002: DeAngelo Hall, 69-yd. punt return vs. Arkansas State; DeAngelo Hall (cb), 49-yd. interception return vs. Arkansas State; Jason Lallis (dt), 59-yd. fumble return vs. Arkansas State; Alex Markogiannakis (lb), 25-yd. fumble return vs. Western Michigan; DeAngelo Hall, 51-yd. punt return vs. Rutgers; Darryl Tapp, 11-yd. blocked punt return vs. Virginia; Willie Pile (fs), 96-yd. interception return vs. Miami.

2003: Jason Lallis (dt), 45-yd. interception return vs. UCF; Eric Green (cb), 84-yd. interception return vs. UC; Mike Imoh, 91-yd. kickoff return vs. UC; Chris Clifton, 16-yd. blocked punt return vs. UC; Jimmy Williams (fs), 55-yd. interception return vs. Rutgers; DeAngelo Hall, 58-yd. punt return vs. Syracuse; DeAngelo Hall, 60-yd. punt return vs. Syracuse; Vincent Fuller (cb), 50-yd. fumble return vs. WVU; DeAngelo Hall (cb), 28-yd. fumble return vs. Miami; Eric Green (cb), 51-yd. interception return vs. Miami.

BEAMERBALL II

☛ Virginia Tech's tradition for blocking kicks is another part of BeamerBall. It was carried to new heights in 1998 with 10 blocks during the regular season and two more in the Hokies' Music City Bowl game against Alabama. Tech now has 101 blocks in Beamer's 196 games as the head coach. The Hokies have blocked 52 punts (15 for TDs), 28 field goals and 21 extra points.

☛ Tech blocked more kicks in the 1990s than any other Division I-A team. The Hokies blocked 63 kicks during the decade — 31 punts, 18 PATs and 14 FGs. Tech has started the new decade with 26 blocks.

☛ The most prolific kick blockers under Beamer have been defensive lineman Bernard Basham and safety Keion Carpenter who each posted six blocks during their Tech careers. Basham blocked three field goals and three PATs, while Carpenter blocked six punts.

☛ The teams Tech has victimized the most during Frank Beamer's 16 seasons have been Pittsburgh, WVU and Miami. During that span, the Hokies have blocked 10 kicks versus the Panthers and nine against both the Mountaineers and Hurricanes.

☛ Since joining the BIG EAST in 1991, the Hokies have posted at least three blocked kicks against every team in the league. During that span, Tech has blocked 10 kicks against Pittsburgh, nine against Miami, seven versus WVU, six versus Rutgers, four against BC and Syracuse, and three versus Temple.

☛ During the Beamer era, Tech has blocked two kicks in a game 17 times, including two against No. 14 LSU last season. Tech blocked two kicks against four different teams in 1998.

VIRGINIA TECH'S BLOCKED KICKS UNDER FRANK BEAMER

Totals: 101 in 196 games (52 punts, 28 FGs, 21 PATs)

1987 (1 punt, 1 PAT, 1 FG)

Syracuse – punt* (Jimmy Whitten) hL
East Carolina – PAT (na) hL
Cincinnati – FG (Roger Brown) hW

1988 (4 punts, 3 FGs)

Clemson – punt (Jock Jones) aL
Southern Miss – punt* (Archie Hopkins) aL
West Virginia – punt* (Archie Hopkins) hL
Cincinnati – punt+ (Jock Jones) aW
Louisville – FG (Jimmy Whitten) aL
Florida State – FG (Roger Brown);
FG+ (Roger Brown) aL

1989 (1 punt, 1 FG)

Tulane – punt+ (Archie Hopkins) hW
N.C. State – FG (Jock Jones) aW

1990 (2 punts, 3 PATs, 1 FG)

East Carolina – PAT (John Rivers) aW
South Carolina – PAT (John Rivers) hL
Florida State – punt+ (Scott Jones) aL
West Virginia – FG+ (Bernard Basham) hW
Temple – punt (Archie Hopkins) aL
N.C. State – PAT (Bernard Basham) hW

1991 (3 punts, 3 FGs)

James Madison – FG (Bernard Basham) hW
Oklahoma – FG (Bernard Basham) aL
Cincinnati – punt+ (P.J. Preston);
punt* (Kirk Alexander) hW
Louisville – FG (John Rivers) hW
East Carolina – punt (Marcus McClung) hL

1992 (5 PATs, 1 FGs)

James Madison – PAT (John Rivers);
FG+ (Kirk Alexander) hW
East Carolina – PAT (Bernard Basham) aL
West Virginia – PAT (David Wimmer) hL
Miami – PAT (Bernard Basham) hL
Virginia – PAT (David Wimmer) hL

1993 (4 punts, 2 FGs)

Miami – punt@ (Willie Wilkins) aL
Maryland – FG (George DelRicco) hW
Rutgers – punt* (Marcus McClung) hW
Syracuse – punt+ (William Ferrell) hW
Virginia – punt# (Brandon Semones) aW
Indiana – FG* (Jeff Holland) nW
Independence Bowl

1994 (2 punts, 2 FGs)

Arkansas St. – FG (Cornell Brown) hW
Temple – punt* (William Ferrell) hW
Miami – punt# (Michael Williams) aL
Rutgers – FG (Michael Williams) hW

1995 (4 punts, 3 PATs, 1 FG)

BC – PAT (Waverly Jackson) hL
Cincinnati – FG (Jim Baron);
PAT (Lawrence Lewis) hL
Miami – punt# (Angelo Harrison) hW
Pittsburgh – punt+ (Angelo Harrison);
punt# (Angelo Harrison) aW
Akron – punt* (Okesa Smith);
PAT (Lawrence Lewis) hW

1996 (5 punts, 1 PAT)

Akron – PAT (John Engelberger) aW
BC – punt+ (Keion Carpenter) aW
Syracuse – punt* (Cornelius White) aL
Temple – punt (Keion Carpenter) hW
SW Louisiana – punt (Michael Stuewe);
punt+ (Keion Carpenter) hW

1997 (2 punts, 3 PATs, 2 FGs)

Arkansas St. – FG+ (Carl Bradley) hW
WVU – punt# (Phillip Summers) aL
Miami – PAT (Carl Bradley) hW
Pittsburgh – PAT (Corey Moore);
PAT (John Engelberger) aL
Virginia – punt (Keion Carpenter);
FG (John Engelberger) aL

1998 (8 punts, 2 PATs, 2 FGs)

East Carolina – FG+ (Corey Moore) hW
Miami – PAT (John Engelberger) aW
Pittsburgh – FG (Corey Moore);
punt# (Larry Austin) hW
Boston College – punt (Keion Carpenter);
punt+ (André Davis) aW
UAB – punt* (Larry Austin) aW
WVU – punt* (Marcus Gildersleeve);
PAT (John Engelberger) hW
Syracuse – punt* (Anthony Midget) aW
Alabama – punt (Keion Carpenter);
punt+ (Corey Moore) nW
Music City Bowl

1999 (1 punt, 1 PAT)

Rutgers – PAT^ (Carl Bradley) aW
Pittsburgh – punt+ (André Davis) aW

2000 (4 punts, 2 FGs, 2 PATs)

Akron – FG+ (Cory Bird) hW
East Carolina – punt* (Wayne Ward);
FG (Larry Austin) aW
Rutgers – punt+ (Eric Green) hW
Temple – punt+ (Wayne Ward) hW
West Virginia – punt (Lee Suggs);
PAT (Lamar Cobb) hW
Pittsburgh – PAT (David Pugh) hW

2001 (5 punts, 2 FG)

W. Michigan – punt+ (Wayne Ward) hW
Rutgers – punt@ (Eric Green) aW
UCF – punt@ (Brandon Manning) hW
Pittsburgh – FG* (Lamar Cobb) aL
Virginia – punt (Wayne Ward) aW
Miami – FG# (David Pugh);
punt* (Eric Green) hL

2002 (5 punts, 2 FG)

LSU – punt+ (Justin Hamilton);
punt@ (Jason Lallis) hW
Marshall – FG+ (Team) hW
Western Michigan – FG (Jeff King) aW
Pittsburgh – punt+ (Nathaniel Adibi) hL
West Virginia – punt# (Ernest Wilford) hL
Virginia – punt* (Justin Hamilton) hW

2003 (1 punt, 3 FG)

UConn – punt* (Nathaniel Adibi) hW
Rutgers – FG (Jeff King) aW
Syracuse – FG (Vincent Fuller) hW
Miami – FG (Eric Green) hW

*recovered or returned for touchdown +led to TD @led to safety #led to FG ^led to a two-point defensive extra point

HEALTHY HOKIE

☛ Tech starting rover **Michael Crawford** (r-Sr.; Baltimore, Md.) has good reason to be excited about his senior season after an emotionally challenging junior year.

Last fall, Crawford underwent a needle biopsy prior to the Hokies' game with Pittsburgh, then traveled to Baltimore for more tests the following week. Both tests revealed the suspicion of lymphoma.

On Nov. 11, Crawford underwent an open biopsy at Montgomery Regional Hospital. He missed a week after that biopsy, but returned to play in the Hokies' last three games. Then came the best news of his life. Further testing in January found Crawford to be cancer free.

Crawford is back in the starting lineup this season and leads the team in tackles with 68 and tackles for loss with eight. He had a career-high 18 tackles against Texas A&M.

VIVA VEGAS

☛ After just one season as a starter, senior **Vegas Robinson** (Chesapeake, Va.) entered the 2003 season rated the No. 10 inside linebacker in the Division I-A ranks by *The Sporting News*. Robinson's value to the Tech defense became obvious last season when he suffered an ankle injury and had to sit out three games.

After starting 8-0, Tech lost two of the three games Robinson missed and dropped a third game before he returned to form. Robinson finished fourth on the team in tackles (71) despite missing time.

Robinson opened the 2003 season with six tackles, a sack and two quarterback hurries against UCF. He also caused both a fumble and an interception. He posted his fourth career interception at Rutgers. Robinson had a hand on 13 tackles during Tech's win over No. 2 Miami. He currently has 62 tackles, eight tackles for loss and seven hurries.

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Nathaniel ADIBI	uh-DEE-bee
XAVIER ADIBI	ZAY-vee-ur uh-DEE-bee
MIKAL BAAQEE	mih-KELL BACK-kee
Noland BURCHETTE	bur-CHET
John CANDELAS	can-DELL-us
COLS COLAS	coles CO-las
DeANGELO Hall	dee-ANNE-juh-lo
Mike IMOH	EEE-moh
Jason LALLIS	LAH-liss
Jared MAZZETTA	muh-ZEH-tah
Chris PANNELL	puh-NELL
Robert PEASLEE	PEEZ-lee
Aaron ROUSE	rhymes with house
Tim SANDIDGE	SAN-didge
Chris SHREVE	shreev
Carter WARLEY	WOR-lee

END GAME

☛ This year's group of defensive ends ranks among the best Tech has had. The talented group includes redshirt senior **Nathaniel Adibi** (Hampton, Va.), who has played in 46 games, 41 as a starter; redshirt senior **Cols Colas** (Plantation, Fla.), who has played in 43 games, 19 as a starter; and sophomore **Darryl Tapp** (Chesapeake, Va.), who played in all 14 games last season as a true freshman and has gotten three starts this year. Rounding out the two-deep is redshirt freshman **Noland Burchette** (Richmond, Va.).

Adibi garnered preseason honors left and right. He was named a first-team All-American by *The Sporting News*, while *Athlon* named him a second-team selection. *TSN* ranked him as the No. 2 end in the nation. He was slowed by a sore ankle during the opener with UCF, but still posted a sack. He added his second sack of the year versus Texas A&M and shared a sack against Miami. He also had seven tackles and four hurries against the 'Canes. He leads the team in hurries with 15.

Colas' power and explosive speed – 420 bench press and 4.41

forty – make him hard to handle on the corner. He had 24 hurries, nine sacks and 19 total tackles for loss last year. Colas and Adibi are both on the watch list for the Hendricks Award, given to the nation's top defensive end. Colas leads the team in sacks with three and has 11 hurries.

Tapp drew rave reviews during the preseason after playing mostly special teams a year ago. He was in on six tackles against JMU and got his first sack against Texas A&M. He currently leads the ends in tackles with 43. Tapp has posted six tackles behind the line and 11 hurries.

Burchette, who posted seven tackles on defense and one on special teams versus UConn, is a quick player who missed time in the preseason with an ankle injury. He got his first sack at Rutgers and has 28 total tackles.

The Hokies were expected to have the services of **Jim Davis** (Highland Springs, Va.), who has played in 35 games, nine as a starter. But Davis tore his pectoral muscle in the off-season and elected to have surgery. He will miss the entire 2003 season while taking a redshirt year and will be back in 2004.

WALK-ON SUCCESS

☛ Redshirt junior **Brandon Manning** (Harrisburg, Pa.), who led the Hokies in tackles against WVU, is another successful product of the Hokies' walk-on program, having already earned a scholarship and a starting position. Manning started 13 of 14 games last year and finished third on the team in tackles with 75. He is currently tied for third on the team in tackles (62) for 2003, after a 13-tackle outing against Miami.

Other former walk-ons who have earned scholarships and are contributing this year are fullback **Doug Easlick** (r-Sr.; Marlton, N.J.), place-kicker **Carter Warley** (r-Sr.; Richmond, Va.) and offensive lineman **Will Montgomery** (r-So.; Clifton, Va.).

On Aug. 22, holder/punter **Robert Peaslee** (r-Sr.; Pulaski, Va.), as well as split ends **Chris Shreve** (r-Sr.; Mouth of Wilson, Va.) and **Michael Malone** (r-Fr.; Friendswood, Texas), learned they had earned scholarships for the upcoming season.

THE GUYS UP FRONT

☛ The offensive line is a big, strong and experienced unit led by All-America center **Jake Grove** (Forest, Va.). Grove is joined up front by tackles **Jon Dunn** (r-Jr.; Virginia Beach, Va.), a 6-7, 343-pounder, and 6-5, 291-pound **Jimmy Martin** (So.; Fairfax, Va.). Six-four, 299-pound **Jacob Gibson** (r-Sr.; Rocky Mount, Va.), 6-6, 300-pound **James Miller** (Jr.; Pompano Beach, Fla.) and 6-3, 298-pound **Will Montgomery** (r-So.; Clifton, Va.) share the guard spots.

Grove has 33 starts and Gibson has 25. Miller has seen action in 32 games, starting six. Montgomery has five starts in 12 games. Tackles Martin and Dunn have 15 and 14 starts, respectively.

Gibson is the most versatile of the bunch, having started four games during the 2003 season at right guard, three at left guard and one at right tackle.

Grove leads the offensive line in knockdown blocks with a total of 27. Montgomery is second with 21, while Gibson has 20.

THE OTHER BACKS

☛ While tailback **Kevin Jones** is stealing all the headlines, there are several others who are chipping in. **Doug Easlick** (r-Sr.; Marlton, N.J.) holds down the fullback duties while **Cedric Humes** (r-So.; Virginia Beach, Va.) and **Mike Imoh** (So.; Fairfax, Va.) relieve Jones.

Easlick is "Mr. Reliable" at fullback, getting the starting nod in 22 straight games. He has caught 10 passes for 88 yards this year.

Humes, who made the move from fullback to tailback, scored three touchdowns against JMU and has a total of 340 yards and five TDs on 55 carries, an average of 6.2 yards per carry.

Imoh rushed for a career-best 60 yards against JMU and caught a 3-yard pass. He was utilized as a receiver against Rutgers and caught two TD passes.

Imoh and Humes are deepmen on kickoffs. Imoh had a 91-yard TD return against UConn, while Humes had a 33-yard return versus UCF.

Career Starts for Dressing 2003 Players

Name	Yr.	GP	GS	Name	Yr.	GP	GS	Name	Yr.	GP	GS
Adibi	r-Sr.	46	41	Griffin	Jr.	8	0	Murphy	r-So.	15	0
Anderson	r-So.	22	3	Grimm	Fr.	5	0	Pace	r-Fr.	8	0
Baaqee	r-Jr.	31	20	Grove	r-Sr.	46	33	Pannell	r-So.	9	0
Burchette	r-Fr.	8	0	Hall	Jr.	32	19	Parham	r-Fr.	2	0
Burns	r-Jr.	34	0	Hamilton	r-So.	21	2	Peaslee	r-Sr.	46	0
Butler	So.	13	0	Humes	r-So.	22	0	Perlozzo	So.	3	0
Candelas	So.	6	0	Imoh	So.	13	0	Ramsey	r-Jr.	18	0
Canter	r-Sr.	8	0	Johnson	r-Jr.	26	5	Randall	Jr.	31	20
Cesar	r-Fr.	4	0	Jones	Jr.	33	12	Robinson	r-Sr.	37	19
Clifton	r-So.	14	0	Kezmarsky	So.	1	0	Rouse	r-Fr.	8	1
Clowney	Fr.	7	0	King	r-So.	22	6	Ruff	Jr.	7	0
Colas	r-Sr.	43	19	Lallis	r-Jr.	30	11	Sandidge	r-So.	21	3
Conway	r-Jr.	17	0	Leeson	r-Fr.	7	0	Scudder	r-So.	3	0
Cooper	r-Jr.	27	0	J. Lewis	So.	22	11	Sharpe	So.	2	0
Crawford	r-Sr.	42	20	K. Lewis	r-Jr.	28	19	Shreve	r-Sr.	22	3
Daniels	r-Jr.	34	5	Malone	r-Fr.	5	0	Tapp	So.	22	3
Dunn	r-Jr.	31	14	Manning	r-Jr.	34	20	Trott	r-So.	21	1
Easlick	r-Sr.	37	22	Martin	So.	19	15	Vick	r-Fr.	6	0
Fleck	r-Fr.	2	0	Mazzetta	r-Jr.	19	0	Warley	r-Sr.	42	0
Fuller	r-Jr.	32	4	McClelland	Fr.	4	0	Warren	r-So.	17	0
Gibson	r-Sr.	37	25	McPherson	r-Fr.	8	0	Wilds	r-Sr.	37	11
Goff	r-Jr.	6	0	Miller	Jr.	32	6	Wilford	r-Sr.	46	23
Gore	r-Fr.	8	0	I. Montgomery	r-Jr.	6	0	Williams	So.	22	8
Green	r-Jr.	31	8	W. Montgomery	r-So.	12	5	Willis	r-Sr.	45	16

KICKING DUTIES

☛Place-kicker **Carter Warley** (Richmond, Va.) became Tech's all-time leader in extra points made during the Syracuse game and now has 173. Warley currently leads the team in scoring with 64 points. Redshirt-freshman **Brandon Pace** (Virginia Beach, Va.) shares the kickoff job with Warley, while **Vinnie Burns** (r-Jr.; New Orleans, La.) is once again handling the punts. The Ray Guy Award nominee has a 41.2-yard average on 33 punts.

THE JEFF KING EXPERIMENT

☛**Jeff King** (r-So.; Pulaski, Va.) is seeing plenty of action this season, but it hasn't all come at tight end. In Tech's opener, King saw action at both fullback, where he spent the spring, and tight end, where he started the last six games a year ago. The 6-5 King has been used at both positions during several games to keep defenses guessing.

With starter **Keith Willis** (r-Sr.; Norfolk, Va.) and **Jared Mazzetta** (r-Jr.; Flemington, N.J.) back, Tech has three experienced players at tight end. King has four catches for 70 yards and one touchdown. Willis has made five catches for 84 yards, while Mazzetta has three grabs for 44 yards.

JIMMY WILLIAMS

☛Tech lost only two starters on the defensive side of the ball, but one of them was All-America free safety Willie Pile. **Jimmy Williams** (So., Hampton, Va.) has taken over the spot after spending a year learning under Pile.

Williams was in on 12 tackles against both Texas A&M and Miami and posted a career-high 13 hits in the West Virginia game. The 6-3, 217-pound safety currently ranks second on the team with 66 total tackles. Williams has broken up three passes and returned an interception 55 yards for a touchdown at Rutgers.

Mih-KELL BACK-kee

☛While there's been confusion over the correct pronunciation of his name, there's no debating that linebacker **Mikal Baaqee** (r-Jr.; Columbia, Md.) is a vital part of the Hokies' defense. Last season, he became the first sophomore to lead Tech in tackles since defensive tackle Scott Hill in 1987. This past off-season, he added 25 pounds to his frame to bulk up to 240 pounds. He is currently fifth on the team in tackles (58).

FAMILY TIES

☛Brothers **Kevin** and **Jonathan Lewis** (Richmond, Va.) played side-by-side at defensive tackle for the first time at Tech during the Arkansas State game a year ago. Now, they line up together as starters. Kevin, a redshirt junior, and Jonathan, a sophomore, are the first brothers to start side-by-side at Tech since offensive linemen T.J. and Todd Washington in 1995 and 1996.

The Lewis brothers combined for 105 tackles, 11 hurries, 12 tackles for losses and three sacks last season. So far this year, they have combined for 80 tackles, eight hurries, eight tackles for losses and 4.5 sacks.

STEPPING UP

☛The Virginia Tech coaching staff spent the whole spring and preseason waiting for someone to step up at the wide receiver spot to help take some pressure off senior **Ernest Wilford** (Richmond, Va.). It became obvious early in the season, the receiving corps planned to accept the challenge as a group.

Seven different wide receivers have caught passes this season. As expected Wilford leads the way with 29 catches. **Justin Hamilton** (r-So.; Clintwood, Va.) has made his presence felt with 15. **Chris Shreve** (Mouth of Wilson, Va.) and **Richard Johnson** (Baltimore, Md.) caught eight and seven passes, respectively, but have been slowed by injuries.

THE NUMBERS GAME

65,115 ... Tech's average home attendance for 2003 is currently tops in the BIG EAST.

1,359 ... Kevin Jones' combined rushing yardage in his 11 regular-season starts at Tech.

721 ... DeAngelo Hall's career punt return yardage is currently the fifth highest total for a Tech player.

135 ... Eric Green's yardage on interception returns this season is already the seventh best single-season total in school history.

73 ... yards Bryan Randall needs to pass Michael Vick for sixth place in career total offense at Tech.

71 ... broken tackles by tailback Kevin Jones in 2003.

50 ... consecutive years Tech games have been broadcast on radio.

45-0 ... Tech's record in regular season games since the beginning of the 1999 season when it outrushes its opponent.

27 ... consecutive games in which Tech has forced at least one turnover.

25 ... tackles by James Anderson on special teams leads the team.

19 ... different players have scored points for the Hokies during their first eight games.

4 ... Tech's touchdown total on interception returns ties a school season record set in 1967 and equalled in 1968, 1995 and 1998.

MORE ON TECH-PITTSBURGH

☛ Shawntae Spencer's 68-yard pass interception for a touchdown in 2001 was the longest against Tech since 1995 when Cincinnati's Brad Jackson scored on a 71-yard interception.

☛ Tech's 15 yards rushing against the Panthers in the 2001 game were the fewest for the Hokies since being held to minus-14 yards on the ground by Miami during the 1994 season.

☛ Junior Ronyell Whitaker's touchdown on a 71-yard return of a blocked field goal at Pittsburgh in 2001 was the first blocked field goal returned for a TD by Tech since 1993 when Antonio Banks had an 80-yard return for a TD in an Independence Bowl win over Indiana.

☛ Tech's 120 yards in penalties against Pittsburgh in 2001 were the most by a Tech team, at that time, since 1992 when the Hokies were penalized 122 yards during a 50-49 loss at Rutgers.

☛ Virginia Tech's first scoring drive during its 37-34 win against Pittsburgh during the 2000 season took 5:03. The Panthers' five scoring drives combined took a total of 5:58. Pittsburgh had three scoring drives in the game that took 31 seconds or less. Tech controlled the football for 36:52 of the game, which at the time was the most time of possession ever for the Hokies in a BIG EAST game. That mark was broken last season when Tech controlled the football for 37:56 in a BIG EAST win against Boston College.

☛ Ernest Wilford (Richmond, Va.) made his first collegiate start in the 2000 Pittsburgh game. Wilford moved into the starting flanker spot for junior starter André Davis who was sidelined by bursitis in his left foot.

☛ Tech compiled 30 first downs against the Panthers in 2000. That equalled the third-highest single-game total in school history. The Hokies also had 30 first downs in games against Virginia in 1992 and Houston in 1972. Tech finished with 31 first downs at Pittsburgh in 1993 and had a school record 34 first downs against Akron in 1991.

☛ Tech kicker **Carter Warley** (Richmond, Va.) was named the BIG EAST Special Teams Player of the Week after kicking a game-winning 27-yard field goal with 16 seconds remaining to beat Pittsburgh during the 2000 season. Warley was 3-for-4 on field goals during the game and finished with 13 points.

☛ Defensive tackle David Pugh blocked Pittsburgh's first extra point attempt of the game. It marked Tech's eighth blocked kick of the 2000 season and the Hokies' eighth blocked kick overall in their series with the Panthers.

☛ Pittsburgh was the first team during the '99 season to score points on Tech in the third quarter of play. The two teams met in the seventh game of the season. Tech gave up just 14 third-quarter points that season.

☛ Virginia Tech held Pittsburgh to minus-12 yards rushing, but gave up a season-high 427 yards passing during their 1999 meeting. At the time, the Panthers' rushing total was the lowest against Tech in a BIG EAST game. Their passing total, on the other hand, was the second-highest against the Hokies in a conference game. Boston College had 448 yards passing against Tech during the 1993 season.

☛ Tech blocked its first punt of the 1999 season in the first quarter of the Pittsburgh game when André Davis blocked the Panthers' first attempt of the game. Tech blocked more kicks versus Pittsburgh during the 1990s (7) than against any other team.

☛ Place-kicker Shayne Graham booted a 52-yard field goal in the '99 Pittsburgh game — the longest for a Tech player in a BIG EAST game.

☛ Virginia Tech posted nine quarterback sacks during its 1998 game against Pittsburgh, the most sacks by the Hokies in a single game under Coach Frank Beamer. Tech repeated that feat against Pittsburgh once again during a 30-17 victory in 1999.

TECH AMONG NATION'S BEST IN RETURN TDs

The Hokies have scored a total of seven touchdowns this season via returns, matching their total from each of the last two seasons. Tech has three via interception return, two via punt return, one via kickoff return and one via blocked punt return. Since 1999, Tech is second in the nation in scoring touchdowns on various returns (punts, kickoffs, fumbles, interceptions, blocked kicks), trailing on Miami.

School	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	Bowls	Total
Miami	3	13	11	5	8	1	41
Virginia Tech ...	8	6	7	7	10	0	38
Kansas State	9	5	2	2	5	0	33
Nebraska	6	7	5	6	3	3	30
Colorado	5	4	7	7	1	4	28

A TRADITION OF NON-OFFENSIVE SCORING

Tech has scored 10 touchdowns this season via non-offensive means (special teams or defense). The Hokies have scored at least one non-offensive touchdown in six of eight games, scoring 63 points through non-offensive means in 2003. The 10 scores rank tops in the nation this year, just ahead of Miami's nine.

☛Tech held Pittsburgh to just 29 yards rushing during its 27-7 win against the Panthers during the 1998 season.

☛Free safety Keion Carpenter intercepted three passes against the Panthers in 1998 to tie both Tech and BIG EAST Conference single-game records.

☛Corey Moore blocked a field goal and Larry Austin blocked a punt in Tech's 27-7 win against Pittsburgh in 1998. During the Hokies' 1997 visit to Pitt Stadium, Moore and John Engelberger both blocked extra point kicks against the Panthers. In 1995, Tech got two blocked punts from Angelo Harrison at Pittsburgh. The Hokies have blocked at least one kick against the Panthers in seven of their last eight meetings, including the last six in a row.

☛Pittsburgh compiled 492 yards of total offense against the Hokies at Pitt Stadium in 1997. At the time, it was the highest total versus Tech since the 1994 Gator Bowl when Tennessee gained 495 yards.

☛At the time, Tech's 312 yards passing at Pittsburgh in 1995 was the Hokies' highest passing output away from home since 1991 when they passed for 320 yards in a 33-20 loss to Florida State in Orlando. Tech had 504 yards passing last season in a game at Syracuse.

☛Tech had to come from behind to beat Pittsburgh during the 1996 and 1995 seasons. The Panthers led 17-13 in the third quarter of the '96 game before the Hokies rallied for three unanswered touchdowns. During the 1995 season, Tech trailed the Panthers, 16-10, heading into the fourth quarter. The Hokies scored a touchdown at the 10:42 mark to take the lead and added a pair of field goals.

☛Tech was the first team from the commonwealth of Virginia to beat the University of Pittsburgh in football. The Panthers entered the schools' 1993 game with an 8-0 record against teams from the Old Dominion. The Hokies won that game, 63-21.

☛The Hokies broke several school and BIG EAST offensive marks on the way to a 63-21 win at Pittsburgh in the schools' first-ever football meeting in 1993. Tech compiled a school record 675 yards of offense and set school and league marks for rushing yards with 500. The 63 points were the most ever for the Hokies on an opposing team's home field.

☛The 72 rushing attempts by the Hokies during their 1993 game at Pittsburgh still stands as a BIG EAST single-game record.

EXTRA POINTS

☛Starting cornerback **DeAngelo Hall** (Chesapeake, Va.) will not play in the first half of the Pittsburgh game after being ejected during the second half of the Hokies' game with Miami.

☛Virginia Tech and Pittsburgh have the two top-ranked scoring offenses in the BIG EAST. Tech is ranked first with an average of 38.9 points per game and the Panthers are second at 33.4 points per game.

☛Since the start of the 1993 season, Tech has posted an 83-7 record in games when it is leading at the half. During that stretch, the Hokies are 8-0 when the score is tied at the half and 9-23 in contests when they have trailed at the half.

☛Since the start of BIG EAST Conference round-robin play in 1993, Tech is 68-4 when it rushes for 200 yards or more.

☛ESPN College GameDay will be on hand for the Pittsburgh game. It will mark the sixth time the show has been on-site for a Tech game. GameDay came to Blacksburg twice in 1999 for games against Syracuse and Miami. The show was also on-site for the 2000 Sugar Bowl game between the Hokies and Florida State. Tech hosted the show again in 2000 for its preseason game with Georgia Tech, but the game itself was never started due to lightning. GameDay was in Miami for Tech's 2000 road game with the 'Canes. Tech has a 2-2 record when GameDay is on hand.

☛Fifty-eight of the last 66 passes caught by Virginia Tech tight ends have produced first downs.

THE GAME ON RADIO

☛Tech's games can be heard on radio stations throughout Virginia and the mid-Atlantic region on the Virginia Tech ISP Sports Network. Bill Roth (play-by-play), Mike Burnop (analyst) and Tony Luftman (studio host) comprise Tech's football broadcast crew. Coverage begins 90-minutes prior to kickoff and continues 90-minutes following the game.

ISP SPORTS TELEVISION

☛Highlights of Tech's games, and other features can be seen on Virginia Tech Sports Today, Tech's weekly television magazine show presented by ISP Sports.

The show can be seen every Sunday on a network of stations throughout the commonwealth: Washington D.C. (Newschannel 8, Sunday, 10 a.m.), Norfolk (WAVY-TV, Sunday, 10 a.m.), Richmond (WRIC-TV, Sunday, 1 p.m.), Roanoke (WSLS-TV, Sunday 10 a.m.), Harrisonburg (WHSV-TV, Sunday, 11:35 a.m.), Bristol-Johnson City (WCYB, Sunday, 9:30 a.m.). The show is also shown on Comcast SportsNet every Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

Game 1

Virginia Tech Goes To The Air In 49-28 Win Over UCF

Aug. 31, 2003 • Lane Stadium/Worsham Field • Attendance 65,115

BLACKSBURG, Va. — A record crowd looked on as Virginia Tech piled up over 500 yards of offense and a school-record 36 first downs on the way to a 49-28 victory against UCF.

Tech quarterbacks Bryan Randall and Marcus Vick combined for 380 yards passing and four TD passes as the Hokies compiled 532 total yards. Together they completed 29 of 38 passes, with Randall going 22-for-28.

The Hokies scored on their first four possessions to build a 28-0 lead, but UCF fought back to within seven points early in the fourth quarter. Tech countered with a touchdown pass by Randall and an interception return for a TD by defensive tackle Jason Lallis during a 39-second span to secure the victory.

UCF	0	14	0	14	—	28
Virginia Tech	14	14	0	21	—	49

- VT (9:53 re 1st) — Jones 1 run (Warley kick)
- VT (4:29 re 1st) — Johnson 21 pass from Randall (Warley kick)
- VT (13:15 re 2nd) — Hamilton 7 pass from Randall (Warley kick)
- VT (8:52 re 2nd) — Jones 18 run (Warley kick)
- UCF (6:43 re 2nd) — Capers 11 pass from Schneider (Prater kick)
- UCF (1:25 re 2nd) — Hayes 16 run (Prater kick)
- UCF (14:50 re 4th) — Capers 7 pass from Schneider (Prater kick)
- VT (12:11 re 4th) — Hall 29 pass from Randall (Warley kick)
- VT (11:32 re 4th) — Lallis 45 interception return (Warley kick)
- VT (4:39 re 4th) — Clowney 27 pass from Vick (Warley kick)
- UCF (0:29 re 4th) — Johnson 11 pass from Schneider (Prater kick)

Team Stats	UCF	VT
First downs	16	36
Rushes-yds.	19-76	43-152
Passing yds.	259	380
Return yds.	6	47
Passes	24-36-1	29-38-0
Punts-avg.	6-56	2-40
Fumbles-lost	3-1	1-1
Penalties-yds.	5-42	5-46
Time of poss.	23:53	36:07
Sacks by	0-0	3-19

Individual Leaders

Rushing — UCF, Haynes 10-81, Capers 1-4, Wilcox 2-3, Brown 1-3, Schneider 5-(-15); VT, Jones 22-83, Humes 9-45, Randall 6-18, Imoh 4-10, Team 1-(-1), Hall 1-(-3).

Passing — UCF, Schneider 23-35-1-203, Marshall 1-1-0-56; VT, Randall 22-28-0-278, Vick 7-10-0-102.

Receiving — UCF, Capers 9-76, Peterson 5-26, Haynes 3-27, Johnson 6-67, Marshall 2-40, Walker 1-22, Brown 1-2, Wilcox 1-(-1); VT, Wilford 9-96, Hamilton 4-55, Johnson 4-48, Hall 2-41, Clowney 2-37, Willis 2-26, Easlick 2-20, King 1-23, Shreve 1-15, Clifton 1-11, Jones 1-8.

RANDALL HONORED

☛Quarterback **Bryan Randall** (Williamsburg, Va.) was named the BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Week for his performance in the UCF game. Randall completed 22 of 28 passes in the game for 278 yards and three touchdowns. He also added 18 yards on the ground. The junior signal-caller directed Tech on scoring drives of 80, 62 and 76 yards in his first three series. He also directed a key 67-yard drive in the final quarter.

A CLOSER LOOK

☛Virginia Tech set a school record with 36 first downs during the UCF game. The previous record was 34 against Akron in 1991.

☛All four Tech touchdown passes in the UCF game went to receivers who had never had TD catches for the Hokies. Juniors **Richard Johnson** (Baltimore, Md.) and **DeAngelo Hall** (Chesapeake, Va.), sophomore **Justin Hamilton** (Clintwood, Va.) and true freshman **David Clowney** (Delray Beach, Fla.) posted their first collegiate TD catches.

☛The sellout crowd of 65,115 was the largest in Lane Stadium history and marked the largest crowd to see a football game in the commonwealth of Virginia. The previous high was 65,097 for last year's Virginia game in Blacksburg.

☛Free safety **Jimmy Williams** (So.; Hampton, Va.), offensive guard **Will Montgomery** (r-So.; Clifton, Va.) and defensive end **Darryl Tapp** (So.; Chesapeake, Va.) made their first collegiate starts against UCF.

☛Defensive tackle **Jason Lallis** (r-Jr.; Mitchellville, Md.) intercepted a pass and returned it 45 yards for a touchdown against UCF. Lallis had a 59-yard fumble return for a TD in last year's season opener.

Game 2

Hokies Blank JMU To Post 600th All-Time Victory

Sept. 6, 2003 • Lane Stadium/Worsham Field • Attendance 65,115

BLACKSBURG, Va. — Virginia Tech picked up its 600th all-time football victory with a 43-0 shutout against James Madison University at Lane Stadium/Worsham Field.

The Tech offense piled up 487 total yards during the game, including 303 yards rushing. Tailback Cedric Humes ran for three touchdowns after starter Kevin Jones was knocked out of the game by an injury. Quarterback Bryan Randall added a 47-yard TD run and 153 yards passing.

Defensively, the Hokies forced three turnovers and limited the Dukes to just 143 yards overall. JMU finished with only 18 yards rushing in the game and converted on just five of 13 third-down plays. Defensive end Cols Colas and rover Michael Crawford both contributed quarterback sacks for the Hokies.

Tech junior DeAngelo Hall set up a touchdown with an interception and two field goals with punt returns of 49 and 47 yards.

JMU	0	0	0	0	—	0
Virginia Tech	7	13	16	7	—	43

- VT (10:35 re 1st) — Randall 47 run (Warley kick)
- VT (9:30 re 2nd) — FG Warley 43
- VT (8:02 re 2nd) — FG Warley 23
- VT (1:49 re 2nd) — Humes 11 run (Warley kick)
- VT (8:58 re 3rd) — Humes 1 run (kick blocked)
- VT (6:57 re 3rd) — Humes 10 run (Warley kick)
- VT (1:48 re 3rd) — FG Warley 26
- VT (1:09 re 4th) — Candelas 3 run (Warley kick)

Team Stats	JMU	VT
First downs	8	25
Rushes-yds.	36-18	53-303
Passing yds.	125	184
Return yds.	0	111
Passes	8-16-1	14-22-0
Punts-avg.	6-45	1-38
Fumbles-lost	4-2	2-2
Penalties-yds.	6-31	8-60
Time of poss.	27:19	32:41
Sacks by	0-0	2-15

Individual Leaders

Rushing — JMU, Banks 21-53, Binns 6-8, Iorio 1-(-1), Hines 5-(-4), LeZotte 2-(-15), Team 1-(-23); VT, Humes 15-75, Imoh 11-60, Jones 12-57, Randall 4-55, Candelas 9-49, Easlick 1-8, Clifton 1-(-1).

Passing — JMU, LeZotte 6-11-1-68, Cooke 2-5-0-57; VT, Randall 13-20-0-153, Clifton 0-1-0-0, Goff 1-1-0-31.

Receiving — JMU, Harrison 3-44, Boxley 2-52, Hinds 1-18, Harris 1-6, Banks 1-5; VT, Wilford 4-58, Hamilton 4-56, King 1-31, Jones 1-10, Clowney 1-9, Hall 1-9, Willis 1-8, Imoh 1-3.

A CLOSER LOOK

☛ Virginia Tech quarterback **Bryan Randall's** 47-yard touchdown run in the first quarter of the JMU game was the longest rush of his Tech career. Randall (Williamsburg, Va.) had a 34-yard run against West Virginia during the 2002 season.

☛ Redshirt sophomore tailback **Cedric Humes** (Virginia Beach, Va.) scored his first collegiate touchdown on an 11-yard, second quarter run against JMU. Humes picked up his second and third career TDs in the third quarter of the game on runs of 1 and 10 yards, respectively.

☛ **Aaron Rouse** (Virginia Beach, Va.) made his first Tech start in the game against JMU. Rouse, a redshirt freshman whip linebacker, saw action on 39 defensive plays and graded tops on the unit. He contributed 10 tackles, forced a fumble on defense and added another tackle on special teams.

☛ Kicker **Carter Warley** (r-Sr.; Richmond, Va.) made all three of his field goal attempts against JMU. It marked Tech's first game with three successful field goals since the 2000 season when Warley booted three at UCF. Warley scored a total of 13 points against the Dukes, moving him into fourth place on the Hokies' all-time scoring list with 237 points.

☛ Tech's offensive line posted 18 knockdown blocks against JMU, including four each from guard **Will Montgomery** (r-So.; Clifton, Va.) and tackle **Jon Dunn** (r-Jr.; Virginia Beach, Va.). Montgomery graded out a team-best 94 percent for the game.

☛ **Lance Goff** (Wytheville, Va.) played nine snaps at quarterback in the JMU game. The redshirt junior walk-on attempted his first varsity pass during the contest, completing it for a 31-yard gain.

Game 3

Tech Rides Out The Storm For 35-19 Win Over Aggies

Sept. 18, 2003 • Lane Stadium/Worsham Field • Attendance 65,115

BLACKSBURG, Va. — Virginia Tech held off Texas A&M and Hurricane Isabel for a 35-19 Thursday night victory on ESPN at Lane Stadium/Worsham Field. More than 60,000 fans braved the wet, windy weather to watch Tech pull away in the fourth quarter.

Tech was clinging to a 21-19 lead when Kevin Jones and Bryan Randall sparked an 80-yard touchdown drive midway through the fourth quarter. Jones rushed for 42 yards on the drive, and Randall made two key runs, including a 12-yard keeper for the TD. A fumble on the ensuing kickoff gave Tech a chance to put the game away. Jones did the honors with an 11-yard TD run after Randall completed an 11-yard pass to Ernest Wilford on a fourth-and-two play. Jones finished with 188 yards on the ground and three touchdowns.

Michael Crawford led a Tech defense that gave up just 56 yards in the second half of play. He led the Hokies with 18 total tackles.

Texas A&M	3	9	0	7	—	19
Virginia Tech	7	7	7	14	—	35

- VT (10:54 re 1st) — Jones 1 run (Warley kick)
- A&M (3:23 re 1st) — FG Pegram 22
- VT (13:03 re 2nd) — King 10 pass from Randall (Warley kick)
- A&M (7:55 re 2nd) — FG Pegram 20
- A&M (1:15 re 2nd) — C. Lewis 2 run (pass failed)
- VT (12:53 re 3rd) — Jones 2 run (Warley kick)
- A&M (14:24 re 4th) — Van Zant 15 pass from McNeal (Pegram kick)
- VT (8:20 re 4th) — Randall 12 run (Warley kick)
- VT (5:33 re 4th) — Jones 11 run (Warley kick)

Team Stats	A&M	VT
First downs	16	22
Rushes-yds.	39-102	47-273
Passing yds.	170	63
Return yds.	25	5
Passes	14-26-1	9-13-1
Punts-avg.	4-27	3-36
Fumbles-lost	1-1	3-1
Penalties-yds.	9-71	6-64
Time of poss.	30:43	29:17
Sacks by	0-0	3-38

Individual Leaders

Rushing — A&M, McNeal 12-47, C. Lewis 11-31, Joseph 5-22, Scates 1-15, Farmer 8-8, Long 2-(-21); VT, Jones 30-188, Randall 9-59, Humes 6-33, Easlick 1-2, Vick 1-(-9).

Passing — A&M, McNeal 11-21-1-133, Long 3-4-0-37; VT, Randall 9-13-1-108.

Receiving — A&M, Van Zant 7-102, Murphy 4-48, Riley 1-13, Carter 1-9, Farmer 1-(-2); VT, Johnson 3-13, Easlick 2-18, Wilford 1-11, King 1-10, Jones 1-6, Shreve 1-5.

A CLOSER LOOK

☛ Junior tailback **Kevin Jones** (Chester, Pa.) rushed for a career-high 188 yards on 30 carries during the Texas A&M game. Jones' previous high for rushing was 181 yards against Virginia during his freshman season in 2001.

☛ Starting rover back **Michael Crawford** (r-Sr.; Baltimore, Md.) was all over the field against the Aggies. Crawford was in on 18 total tackles, including 11 solo tackles. Four of Crawford's tackles came behind the line of scrimmage for losses of six yards. He also broke up a Texas A&M pass. Crawford was named the BIG EAST Conference Defensive Player of the Week for his performance.

☛ Texas A&M became the first team to score in the first quarter against Tech during the 2003 season. The Aggies got a 22-yard field goal from Todd Pegram in the opening quarter of play.

☛ Senior cornerback **Garnell Wilds** (Tampa, Fla.) picked up his ninth career pass interception during the A&M game. Wilds is joined at nine picks on the Tech interception list by three other players, including Tech head coach Frank Beamer.

☛ After allowing Texas A&M 216 yards of total offense during the first half of play, Virginia Tech's defense held the Aggies to just 56 total yards during the final two quarters of the game. After pulling within two points on a touchdown at the 14:24 mark of the fourth quarter, Texas A&M managed just nine offensive plays and minus-one yard offense the rest of the game.

☛ Texas A&M's 98-yard touchdown drive was the longest against Tech since a 98-yard TD drive by Boston College in the final regular-season game of the 1999 season.

Game 4

Hokies Use BeamerBall To Hand UConn 47-13 Defeat

Sept. 27, 2003 • Lane Stadium/Worsham Field • Attendance 65,115

BLACKSBURG, Va. — Virginia Tech scored on offense, defense and special teams to pick up its fourth straight home win with a 47-13 decision against the University of Connecticut.

Tech's offense only controlled the football for a little more than 18 minutes during the game, but made the most of its time, averaging 7.8 yards per play. The Hokies' defense and special teams also chipped in to offset the Huskies' sizeable advantage in time of possession. The defense contributed an interception return for a touchdown, while the special teams supplied touchdowns on a kickoff return and a blocked kick.

Tailbacks Kevin Jones and Cedric Humes combined for 179 yards and a pair of touchdowns as Tech piled up 245 yards on the ground.

UConn	0	0	7	6	—	13
Virginia Tech	10	17	13	7	—	47

- VT (8:29 re 1st) — FG Warley 38
- VT (6:52 re 1st) — Wilford 28 pass from Randall (Warley kick)
- VT (9:09 re 2nd) — Green 84 interception return (Warley kick)
- VT (3:10 re 2nd) — Jones 23 run (Warley kick)
- VT (0:38 re 2nd) — FG Warley 35
- VT (14:49 re 3rd) — Imoh 91 kickoff return (Warley kick)
- VT (10:28 re 3rd) — Clifton 16 blocked punt return (kick failed)
- UConn (0:06 re 3rd) — Cutaia 6 pass from Orlovsky (Vicidomino kick)
- UConn (7:20 re 4th) — Henry 27 pass from Orlovsky (kick failed)
- VT (6:44 re 4th) — Humes 58 run (Pace kick)

Team Stats	UConn	VT
First downs	19	16
Rushes-yds.	44-127	28-245
Passing yds.	316	123
Return yds.	16	174
Passes	25-40-1	10-19-0
Punts-avg.	9-39	6-45
Fumbles-lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-yds.	8-50	3-33
Time of poss.	41:24	18:36
Sacks by	1-1	0-0

Individual Leaders

Rushing — UConn, Brockington 16-53, Lawrence 18-48, Anderson 4-26, Caudley 2-6, Orlovsky 4-(-6); VT, Jones 12-105, Humes 5-74, Randall 4-47, Candelas 1-13, Vick 2-6, Imoh 2-5, Johnson 1-(-2), Team 1-(-3).

Passing — UConn, Orlovsky 25-40-1-316; VT, Randall 6-14-0-64, Vick 4-5-0-59.

Receiving — UConn, Feldeisen 7-90, Wilson 3-40, Williams 3-27, Cutaia 2-53, McClowry 2-40, Henry 2-40, Murray 2-18, Anderson 2-5, Young 1-2, Lawrence 1-1; VT, Wilford 4-59, Shreve 2-20, Humes 1-14, Clowney 1-14, Canter 1-13, Clifton 1-3.

A CLOSER LOOK

☛Virginia Tech scored points in seven different ways during its win over UConn. The Hokies scored on two field goals, two touchdown runs, a touchdown pass, a pass interception, a kickoff return, a blocked punt and five extra point kicks. The last time Tech scored points seven different ways in a game was during a 62-0 win over Syracuse in 1999.

☛Junior tailback **Kevin Jones** (Chester, Pa.) rushed for 105 yards during the UConn game. It marked Jones' eighth 100-yard game overall and his fifth in seven regular-season starts.

☛Tech's offense had the football for just 18:36 during the game. That ranks as the Hokies' lowest time of possession since the statistic became a part of NCAA forms in 1982. The previous recorded low for a Tech team was 20:01 in a 1994 loss to Virginia.

☛Tech's 47 offensive plays against the Huskies represented the third-lowest total for the Hokies during the past 27 seasons. Tech had 40 offensive plays in a 1998 loss at Syracuse and 46 offensive plays in a 2002 home win against LSU.

☛When sophomore **Mike Imoh** (Fairfax, Va.) returned the second half kickoff 91 yards for a touchdown, it marked Tech's first kickoff return for a TD since 1992. Tony Kennedy had a 91-yard return for a touchdown at Louisville that season.

☛Redshirt sophomore tailback **Cedric Humes** (Virginia Beach, Va.) averaged 14.8 yards per carry during the UConn game. Humes turned in the longest run of his Tech career when he sprinted 58 yards for a touchdown in the fourth quarter. He had 74 yards on five carries.

Game 5

Randall Guides Hokies To BIG EAST Win At Rutgers

Oct. 4, 2003 • Rutgers Stadium • Attendance 28,956

PISCATAWAY, N.J. — Quarterback Bryan Randall passed for four touchdowns as Virginia Tech won its BIG EAST Conference opener 48-22 at Rutgers.

The Scarlet Knight's took advantage of a Tech fumble to score first, but the Hokies quickly took control by scoring 41 unanswered points. Three Randall touchdown passes during the first 17 minutes of play got the Tech offense rolling. The Hokies piled up a total of 473 yards of offense, including 287 through the air. Randall was 16-for-22 passing for 250 yards.

Junior tailback Kevin Jones posted his third-straight 100-yard rushing game with 118 yards on 26 carries. Jones and fellow tailback Cedric Humes both contributed touchdowns.

The Tech defense intercepted four passes, one of which was returned 55 yards for a touchdown by sophomore safety Jimmy Williams.

Virginia Tech	21	13	7	7	—	48
Rutgers	7	0	0	15	—	22

- RU (12:48 re 1st) — Tucker 17 pass from Hart (Musiek kick)
- VT (10:19 re 1st) — Shreve 28 pass from Randall (Warley kick)
- VT (8:04 re 1st) — Shreve 45 pass from Randall (Warley kick)
- VT (3:41 re 1st) — Jones 5 run (Warley kick)
- VT (13:50 re 2nd) — Imoh 10 pass from Randall (Warley kick)
- VT (0:16 re 2nd) — Williams 55 interception return (kick blocked)
- VT (9:21 re 3rd) — Imoh 10 pass from Randall (Warley kick)
- RU (12:57 re 4th) — Hairston 21 run (Musiek kick)
- RU (12:39 re 4th) — Johnson 47 interception return (Leonard pass fr Hart)
- VT (3:50 re 4th) — Humes 35 run (Warley kick)

Team Stats	VT	RU
First downs	23	15
Rushes-yds.	42-186	31-129
Passing yds.	287	182
Return yds.	78	63
Passes	18-28-3	16-33-4
Punts-avg.	4-41	7-34
Fumbles-lost	1-1	1-0
Penalties-yds.	8-83	9-65
Time of poss.	32:52	27:08
Sacks by	2-15	3-19

Individual Leaders

Rushing — VT, Jones 26-118, Humes 6-45, Randall 6-24, Candelas 2-5, Vick 2(-4); RU, Leonard 12-76, Hairston 15-57, Pittman 1-3, Hart 3(-7).

Passing — VT, Randall 16-22-1-250, Vick 2-6-2-37; RU, Hart 16-33-4-182.

Receiving — VT, Shreve 4-93, Wilford 4-66, Imoh 3-29, Hamilton 3-28, Hall 2-23, Willis 1-32, Mazzetta 1-16; RU, Tucker 4-40, Leonard 4-30, Moses 3-41, Andre 2-55, Facyson 2-8, Daniels 1-8.

A CLOSER LOOK

☛In each of its last three visits to Rutgers, Virginia Tech has had a different quarterback pass for four touchdowns. Junior **Bryan Randall** (Williamsburg, Va.) became the most recent Tech signal-caller to accomplish the feat with four TD passes in the Hokies' 48-22 victory. Michael Vick had four touchdown passes during Tech's 1999 visit to RU, while Grant Noel passed for four TDs when the Hokies visited in 2001.

☛Rutgers' touchdown with 12:48 left in the first quarter was the first TD allowed by Tech in the opening quarter this season. When RU took a 7-0 lead, the Scarlet Knights became the first team to lead the Hokies in 2003.

☛Both **Chris Shreve** (Mouth of Wilson, Va.) and **Mike Imoh** (Fairfax, Va.) caught two touchdown passes in the Rutgers game. The touchdowns were the first for Shreve, who was making his first career start. The last time Tech had two players with two TD catches each in a game was a 1999 contest at Rutgers when André Davis and Ricky Hall accomplished the feat.

☛Sophomore **Jimmy Williams** (Hampton, Va.) posted his first collegiate touchdown with a 55-yard interception return.

☛Defensive tackle **Jonathan Lewis** (Richmond, Va.) recorded his first collegiate interception in the Rutgers game. He became the sixth different tackle to intercept a pass for Tech during Coach Frank Beamer's tenure as head coach.

☛**Jeff King** (Pulaski, Va.) blocked a Rutgers' field goal in the third quarter. It was the second career block for King, who blocked a field goal at Western Michigan last year.

Game 6

Special Teams, Defense Shine In 51-7 Win Over Syracuse

Oct. 11, 2003 • Lane Stadium/Worsham Field • Attendance 65,115

BLACKSBURG, Va. — Virginia Tech turned in its most complete performance to date to hand Syracuse a 51-7 defeat before a sellout Homecoming crowd at Lane Stadium/Worsham Field.

Tech got 27 points from its special teams, a dominating outing from its defense and big offensive plays from quarterback Bryan Randall and tailback Kevin Jones during the victory. Junior DeAngelo Hall returned punts 58 and 60 yards for TDs within a two-minute span of the first quarter as the Hokies built a 27-0 advantage in the first half.

The Hokies' defense held SU tailback Walter Reyes, the nation's leading rusher at 170 yards per game, to just 40 yards on 16 carries. Overall, the Orangemen's 10th-ranked offense managed only 187 total yards, 279 below its average.

Randall scampered 75 yards to get the Hokies started, while Jones rushed for 131 yards and two TDs to cap the afternoon.

Syracuse	0	0	7	0	—	7
Virginia Tech	21	6	21	3	—	51

- VT (11:41 re 1st) — Randall 75 run (Warley kick)
- VT (6:07 re 1st) — Hall 58 punt return (Warley kick)
- VT (4:30 re 1st) — Hall 60 punt return (Warley kick)
- VT (11:02 re 2nd) — FG Warley 34
- VT (5:05 re 2nd) — FG Warley 23
- SU (13:59 re 3rd) — Reyes 1 run (Barber kick)
- VT (11:20 re 3rd) — Jones 33 run (Warley kick)
- VT (6:29 re 3rd) — Jones 25 run (Warley kick)
- VT (6:02 re 3rd) — Hall 24 run (Warley kick)
- VT (9:51 re 4th) — FG Warley 24

Team Stats	SU	VT
First downs	6	18
Rushes-yds.	35-81	45-337
Passing yds.	91	102
Return yds.	32	155
Passes	8-23-0	8-20-1
Punts-avg.	12-39	4-47
Fumbles-lost	3-1	1-1
Penalties-yds.	4-29	2-10
Time of poss.	29:30	30:30
Sacks by	2-5	1-4

Individual Leaders

Rushing — SU, Reyes 16-40, Anderson 6-24, Belton 2-8, Patterson 2-5, Washington 4-5, Rhodes 5-(-1); VT, Jones 19-131, Randall 5-93, Humes 9-54, Vick 3-28, Hall 1-24, Candelas 4-9, Imoh 4-(-2).

Passing — SU, Anderson 8-28-0-91; VT, Randall 6-14-1-88, Vick 2-6-0-14.

Receiving — SU, Morant 3-53, Reyes 2-10, Jones 1-13, Fontenette 1-9, Williams 1-6; VT, Easlick 3-42, Mazzetta 2-48, Wilford 2-27, Hamilton 1-5.

A CLOSER LOOK

☛ **DeAngelo Hall** (Chesapeake, Va.) became the first Virginia Tech player on record to return two punts for touchdowns in a single game when he scored on back-to-back returns of 58 and 60 yards during the Syracuse game. Hall now has four career touchdowns on punt returns, tying the school career mark shared by Frank Loria (1966-68) and André Davis (1998-01). Hall's 155 yards on five returns during the game was the second-best game total for a Tech player. Antonio Freeman had 164 yards on punt returns during a 1994 game against Pittsburgh.

☛ The Tech defense held SU to six total first downs, the lowest total for an opponent since a 1980 game against William & Mary. The Tribe also had six total first downs.

☛ When redshirt junior **Vincent Fuller** (Baltimore, Md.) blocked a first-quarter Syracuse field goal attempt, it marked the 100th blocked kick in Coach Frank Beamer's tenure as head coach.

☛ Tailback **Kevin Jones** (Chester, Pa.) rushed for 131 yards on 19 carries against SU. It marked Jones' fourth consecutive 100-yard rushing game of the season. Jones joins Mickey Fitzgerald (1977), Shyrone Stith (1999) and Lee Suggs (2000) as the only Tech players during the modern era (since 1950) to accomplish that feat in a single-season.

☛ Kicker **Carter Warley's** final extra point kick of the game gave him a new Tech career mark of 168 PATs. Warley (Richmond, Va.) broke the old mark of 167 held by Shayne Graham (1996-99).

☛ Punter **Vinnie Burns** (New Orleans, La.) averaged 46.8 yards on four punts, his highest average in a game that he had multiple punts.

Game 7

Hokies Suffer First Loss Of The Season At West Virginia

Oct. 22, 2003 • Mountaineer Field • Attendance 56,319

MORGANTOWN, W.Va. — West Virginia roared to a 14-0 first-quarter lead and handed No. 3 Virginia Tech its first loss of the season with a convincing 28-7 victory at Mountaineer Field.

Tech appeared to be the team headed to a fast start when it drove to the WVU 25-yard line before tossing an interception at the West Virginia 10. The Mountaineers turned the tables quickly, marching 90 yards on 11 plays to open a 7-0 lead. A Tech fumble less than two minutes later set up another WVU touchdown and the Hokies found themselves in a hole they could never escape.

Mountaineer tailback Quincy Wilson led the way for the home team, rushing for 178 yards and a touchdown on 33 carries. Quarterback Rashed Wallace slammed the door in the third quarter with a 93-yard touchdown pass and a 4-yard TD run.

Tech's lone score came on a fumble return by cornerback Vincent Fuller in the second quarter. The Hokies' offense could not overcome four turnovers and a West Virginia defense that posted four quarterback sacks. Tech was held to a season-low 211 total yards, including just 65 yards on the ground.

Virginia Tech	0	7	0	0	—	7
West Virginia	14	0	14	0	—	28

- WVU (4:18 re 1st) — Harris 7 run (Cooper kick)
- WVU (2:01 re 1st) — Wilson 5 run (Cooper kick)
- VT (2:07 re 2nd) — Fuller 50 fumble return (Warley kick)
- WVU (10:56 re 3rd) — Garvin 93 pass from Marshall (Cooper kick)
- WVU (2:57 re 3rd) — Marshall 4 run (Cooper kick)

Team Stats	VT	WVU
First downs	14	21
Rushes-yds.	29-65	59-264
Passing yds.	146	162
Return yds.	97	46
Passes	14-22-3	7-14-0
Punts-avg.	5-41	6-34
Fumbles-lost	4-1	2-1
Penalties-yds.	13-116	9-96
Time of poss.	28:24	31:36
Sacks by	0-0	4-20

Individual Leaders

- Rushing — VT, Jones 11-57, Humes 3-15, Easlick 1-1, Randall 14-(-8); WVU, Wilson 33-178, Harris 15-77, Marshall 9-9, Team 2-0.
- Passing — VT, Randall 14-22-3-146; WVU, Marshall 7-14-0-162.
- Receiving — VT, Wilford 4-58, Hamilton 3-35, Easlick 2-10, Willis 1-18, Jones 1-14, King 1-6, Clifton 1-5, Humes 1-(-1); WVU, Garvin 3-117, Henry 2-16, Johnson 1-19, Bailey 1-10.

A CLOSER LOOK

☛ Virginia Tech's 21-point loss to West Virginia marked the worst loss for the Hokies since a 38-7 defeat at the hands of Pittsburgh in 2001. In both of those games, Tech failed to score an offensive touchdown. The Hokies scored on a fumble return for a touchdown at WVU and returned a blocked field goal for a touchdown in the Pittsburgh game.

☛ After giving up a combined total of 10 points in the first quarter of its first six games, Tech gave up 14 first-quarter points to WVU.

☛ **Vincent Fuller** (Baltimore, Md.) scored his first collegiate touchdown when he picked up a fumble and raced 50 yards for a TD against the Mountaineers. The score marked Tech's eighth non-offensive touchdown of the season.

☛ After drawing eight penalties or less in each of its first six games, Tech committed nine penalties in the first half of its loss at West Virginia. The Hokies finished the game with 13 penalties for 116 yards. The penalty yardage was the most for the Hokies since a 2001 game at Pittsburgh. Tech drew 15 flags at Boston College last year.

☛ Tailback **Kevin Jones** (Chester, Pa.) rushed for 57 yards on 11 carries against West Virginia and moved into seventh place in career rushing at Tech with 2,567 yards. Jones passed Eddie Hunter (2,523 yds.) on the list.

☛ West Virginia's Quincy Wilson ran for 178 yards against Tech, the sixth-highest rushing total for an opponent in Frank Beamer's 16-plus seasons as head coach.

☛ When Tech failed to score in the first quarter at WVU, it snapped a streak of 21 consecutive quarters in which the Hokies had scored.

2003 Virginia Tech Depth Chart

vs. Pittsburgh (11/8/03)

Offense (Multiple)

SE	19	Ernest Wilford (6-4, 220, r-Sr.)
	27	Justin Hamilton (6-3, 217, r-So.)
LT	52	Jimmy Martin (6-5, 291, So.)
	61	Reggie Butler (6-6, 345, So.)
LG	66	Will Montgomery (6-3, 298, r-So.)
	77	Brandon Gore (6-5, 332, r-Fr.)
C	64	Jake Grove (6-3, 300, r-Sr.)
	68	Robert Ramsey (6-3, 307, r-Jr.)
RG	60	Jacob Gibson (6-4, 299, r-Sr.)
	76	James Miller (6-6, 300, Jr.)
RT	79	Jon Dunn (6-7, 343, r-Jr.)
	58	Chris Pannell (6-3, 279, r-So.)
TE	86	Keith Willis (6-5, 261, r-Sr.)
	90	Jeff King (6-5, 256, r-So.)
QB	3	Bryan Randall (6-1, 221, Jr.)
	5	Marcus Vick (6-0, 208, r-Fr.)
TB	25	Kevin Jones (6-0, 221, Jr.)
	32	Cedric Humes (6-1, 232, r-So.)
FB	43	Doug Easlick (5-11, 238, r-Sr.)
	90	Jeff King (6-5, 256, r-So.)
FL	81	Chris Shreve (5-11, 183, r-Sr.)
	12	Richard Johnson (5-10, 189, r-Jr.)

Defense (4-3)

DE	83	Nathaniel Adibi (6-3, 263, r-Sr.)
	55	Darryl Tapp (6-1, 257, So.)
DT	70	Kevin Lewis (6-1, 292, r-Jr.)
	71	Tim Sandidge (6-1, 307, r-So.)
DT	56	Jonathan Lewis (6-1, 299, So.)
	91	Jason Lallis (6-0, 264, r-Jr.)
DE	99	Cols Colas (6-0, 241, r-Sr.)
	96	Noland Burchette (6-2, 253, r-Fr.)
ILB	6	Vegas Robinson (6-0, 250, r-Sr.)
	40	Blake Warren (6-3, 239, r-So.)
ILB	45	Mikal Baaqee (5-11, 240, r-Jr.)
	41	Jordan Trott (6-4, 247, r-So.)
OLB	48	Brandon Manning (6-0, 214, r-Jr.)
	36	Aaron Rouse (6-3, 207, r-Fr.)
BC	8	Vincent Fuller (6-1, 191, r-Jr.)
	4	DeAngelo Hall (5-11, 195, Jr.) *
ROV	21	Michael Crawford (5-11, 202, r-Sr.)
	22	James Griffin (6-1, 191, Jr.)
FS	2	Jimmy Williams (6-3, 217, So.)
	31	Mike Daniels (6-0, 209, r-Jr.)
FC	1	Eric Green (5-11, 189, r-Jr.)
	8	Vincent Fuller (6-1, 191, r-Jr.)

Special Teams

P	38	Vinnie Burns (5-11, 199, r-Jr.)	* - has to sit out the first half of the game due to a suspension
	89	Robert Peaslee (6-0, 202, r-Sr.)	
FG/PAT	49	Carter Warley (5-11, 195, r-Sr.)	
	46	Brandon Pace (5-10, 191, r-Fr.)	
Punt Snap	62	Travis Conway (6-4, 256, r-Jr.)	
	53	Nick Leeson (6-1, 237, r-Fr.)	
FG/PAT Snap	53	Nick Leeson (6-1, 237, r-Fr.) OR	
	64	Jake Grove (6-3, 300, r-Sr.)	
FG/PAT Hold	89	Robert Peaslee (6-0, 202, r-Sr.)	
KO	46	Brandon Pace (5-10, 191, r-Fr.) OR	
	49	Carter Warley (5-11, 195, r-Sr.)	
KR	20	Mike Imoh (5-7, 194, So.) AND	
	32	Cedric Humes (6-1, 232, r-So.)	
PR	20	Mike Imoh (5-7, 194, So.)	
	4	DeAngelo Hall (5-11, 195, Jr.) *	

Virginia Tech Offensive Two-Deep vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 8, 2003

First Team

SE 19 Ernest Wilford (6-4, 220, r-Sr.)

Caught a career-high 9 passes for 96 yards vs. UCF ... Second-team All-BIG EAST in '02 ... Has 29 catches for 421 yards in '03

LT 52 Jimmy Martin (6-5, 291, So.)

Started all 8 games ... Played 70 plays against Rutgers, grading out at 94% ... Graded out at 88% against Syracuse & TAMU

LG 66 Will Montgomery (6-3, 298, r-So.)

Started 5 games ... Played 81 snaps, grading out at 90% vs. UCF ... Graded out at 94% with 2 knockdowns vs. SU

C 64 Jake Grove (6-3, 300, r-Sr.)

Started all 8 games ... Has 27 knockdowns ... Had 3 knockdowns and a 96% grade-out vs. Syracuse ... Graded out at 94% against UConn, with 3 knockdowns ... Fourth-team All-American in '02

RG 60 Jacob Gibson (6-4, 299, r-Sr.)

Started all 8 games ... Played 60 snaps against UCF, grading out at 85% ... Graded out at 90% against Syracuse w/2 knockdowns

RT 79 Jon Dunn (6-7, 343, r-Jr.)

Started last 7 games ... Graded out at 80% with a team-high 4 knockdowns against JMU ... Graded out at 88% vs. Syracuse

TE 90 Jeff King (6-5, 256, r-So.)

Caught a 10-yard TD pass vs. Texas A&M ... Caught 1 pass for 23 yards vs. UCF ... Caught a 31-yard pass vs. James Madison

QB 3 Bryan Randall (6-1, 221, Jr.)

Threw for 278 yards and 3 TDs on 22-of-28 passing vs. UCF ... Threw for 250 yards and 4 TDs at Rutgers ... Has thrown for 1,042 yards & 9 TDs this year ... Rushed for 303 yards & 2 TDs ... A preseason Davey O'Brien Award candidate

FB 43 Doug Easlick (5-11, 238, r-Sr.)

Has 10 catches for 88 yards ... Caught 3 passes for 42 yds. vs. SU ... Had 2 catches for 20 yds. vs. UCF ... Squatted 640 pounds in the offseason

TB 25 Kevin Jones (6-0, 221, Jr.)

Rushed for a career-high 188 yards and 3 scores against Texas A&M ... Ran for 131 yards and 2 TDs vs. Syracuse ... Has 863 yards and 10 TDs rushing ... Rushed for 100+ yards in 5 of 6 last game ... A preseason Doak Walker Award candidate

FL 81 Chris Shreve (5-11, 183, r-Sr.)

Caught four passes for 93 yards and 2 TDs at Rutgers ... Has been bothered by shoulder and hamstring injuries ... Has 8 catches for 133 yards on the season

PK 49 Carter Warley (5-11, 195, r-Sr.)

Tech's all-time leader in PATs ... Made 3 FGs against both JMU and SU ... Is 37-for-40 on PATs and 9-for-12 on FGs in 2003

Second Team

SE 27 Justin Hamilton (6-3, 217, r-So.)

Caught his first-career TD vs. UCF ... Started vs. Texas A&M & West Virginia ... Has 15 catches for 179 yards ... Caught 4 passes for 56 yards vs. JMU ... Had 5 receptions for 28 yards despite playing on a sprained ankle at RU

LT 61 Reggie Butler (6-6, 345, So.)

Played 12 snaps against UCF and 21 snaps vs. JMU ... A big, physical presence on the line ... Recorded a 570-lb. squat

LG 77 Brandon Gore (6-5, 332, r-Fr.)

Saw brief action on offense against UCF & Connecticut ... Played 21 snaps on offense against James Madison

C 68 Robert Ramsey (6-3, 307, r-Jr.)

Played 12 snaps vs. UCF & UConn ... Saw action on 23 snaps vs. JMU, grading out at 83% ... Played 16 snaps vs. Syracuse

RG 76 James Miller (6-6, 300, Jr.)

Started 5 games ... Played 81 snaps, grading out at 83% vs. UCF ... Returned to start vs. Syracuse, playing 28 snaps

RT 58 Chris Pannell (6-3, 279, r-So.)

Played 19 snaps vs. UCF, grading out at 95% ... Played 28 snaps vs. JMU and 2 vs. TAMU ... Played in 3 games in '03 on D

TE 86 Keith Willis (6-5, 261, r-Sr.)

Doubtful with sprained ankle ... Caught 3 passes for 34 yards vs. UCF ... Had a 32-yard catch vs. Rutgers

QB 5 Marcus Vick (6-0, 208, r-Fr.)

Played in 6 games ... Led two drives vs. UCF, both leading to TDs ... Completed 10-of-12 passes for 102 yards in that game ... Completed a 46-yard TD pass to Wilford against Miami ... Has thrown for 256 yards & 2 TDs this season

FB 90 Jeff King (6-5, 256, r-So.)

Will be used as an H-back in the Hokies' offense ... Spent the spring at the fullback spot ... Will still play tight end mostly

TB 32 Cedric Humes (6-1, 232, r-So.)

Scored on a 35-yard run vs. Rutgers ... Filled in for Jones vs. JMU, rushing 15 times for 75 yards and 3 TDs ... Scored on a 58-yard run vs. UConn ... Has 339 yards & 5 TDs this season

FL 12 Richard Johnson (5-10, 189, r-Jr.)

Returned for WVU after missing RU & SU games with left MCL sprain ... Caught 4 passes for 48 yards and a TD vs. UCF ... Has 7 catches for 61 yards & a TD this year

PK 46 Brandon Pace (5-10, 191, r-Fr.)

Pushed Warley all preseason for the job ... Won the kickoff duties ... Had two touchbacks vs. UCF ... Can be used if needed at PK

Virginia Tech Defensive Two-Deep vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 8, 2003

First Team

DE 83 Nathaniel Adibi (6-3, 263, r-Sr.)

Had 3 tackles, a sack, a FR, QBH & a PBU vs. UCF ... Had 7 stops, a sack and 4 QBH vs. Miami ... Had 4 QB hurries vs. RU

DT 70 Kevin Lewis (6-1, 292, r-Jr.)

Had 4 tackles & a sack vs. RU ... Had 7 stops, a sack and 2 QB hurries against Miami ... Preseason Lombardi Candidate

DT 56 Jonathan Lewis (6-1, 299, So.)

Had 9 tackles and 2.5 sacks vs. Miami ... Had 5 stops, 2 QBH and an INT vs. Rutgers ... Had 9 stops and a QB hurry vs. TAMU

DE 99 Cols Colas (6-0, 241, r-Sr.)

Had 3 tackles, a sack & a FF vs. SU ... Had a sack and a FF vs. UCF ... Had 5 tackles, a sack & a TFL vs. JMU ... Preseason Lombardi and Hendricks Award candidate ... Had 9 sacks in '02

LB 48 Brandon Manning (6-0, 214, r-Jr.)

Had 13 tackles and 3 QBH vs. Miami ... Registered 10 tackles, including 1 for a loss at Rutgers ... Had 16 tackles against WVU

LB 45 Mikal Baaqee (5-11, 240, r-Jr.)

Missed the Miami game (shoulder) ... Had 9 stops vs. UConn ... Had 8 stops, 1 TFL and a QBH vs. SU ... Had 14 stops vs. WVU

LB 6 Vegas Robinson (6-0, 250, r-Sr.)

Had 13 tackles vs. Miami ... Had 10 stops, an INT & a QBH at Rutgers ... Had 6 stops, 2 QBH, a sack, a FF & a forced INT vs. UCF ... Had 12 stops & a FR vs. West Virginia

FC 1 Eric Green (5-11, 189, r-Jr.)

Started last 2 games ... Returned an INT 84 yards for a TD vs. UConn ... Returned an INT 51 yards for a TD vs. Miami ... Also blocked a FG and had 11 tackles vs. the 'Canes

FS 2 Jimmy Williams (6-3, 217, So.)

Had 12 tackles, 2 TFL & a PBU vs. Miami ... Recorded 7 tackles & a 55-yd. INT return for a TD at Rutgers ... Had 13 tackles (5 solo) vs. WVU ... Ran a 4.4 forty in the spring

ROV 21 Michael Crawford (5-11, 202, r-Sr.)

Leads team in tackles ... Had a career-high 18 tackles (11 solo), 4 TFL and a PBU vs. TAMU ... Had 9 tackles & 3 TFL vs. Syracuse ... Recorded 7 stops & a sack vs. JMU

BC 8 Vincent Fuller (6-1, 191, r-So.)

Will get the start ... Had 5 stops vs. both UConn & RU ... Had 3 assisted tackles and broke up a pass vs. UCF ... Can also play free safety if needed

P 38 Vinnie Burns (5-11, 199, r-Jr.)

Averaging 41.2 yards per punt on 33 kicks ... Has 12 wound inside the 20, 3 inside the 5 and 2 fair catches ... Second-team All-BIG EAST in 2002 ... Ray Guy Award nominee

Second Team

DE 55 Darryl Tapp (6-1, 257, So.)

Started 3 games ... Had 5 stops, 2 for loss, and 3 QBH vs. RU ... Had a sack vs. TAMU ... Had 6 stops, including a TFL vs. JMU ... Had 5 solo stops, a QBH & a forced fumble vs. Syracuse

DT 71 Tim Sandidge (6-1, 307, r-So.)

Had 4 stops vs. Texas A&M ... Had 4 tackles, including a TFL vs. JMU ... The winner of the Ironman Competition this summer

DT 91 Jason Lallis (6-0, 264, r-Jr.)

Had 3 tackles and a QB hurry vs. Miami ... Had 5 tackles vs. SU ... Returned an INT 45 yards for a TD vs. UCF ... Had 3 tackles vs. JMU

DE 96 Noland Burchette (6-2, 253, r-Fr.)

Had 5 tackles and 3 QBH vs. Miami ... Had 3 tackles vs. TAMU ... Had 8 stops and a QBH vs. UConn ... Recorded a sack at RU

LB 36 Aaron Rouse (6-3, 207, r-Fr.)

Made his first start vs. JMU ... Had 11 tackles & a forced fumble ... Had 3 solo tackles, including a TFL, and 4 assists vs. UConn ... Turned in a 400-pound squat ... Ran a 4.4 forty

LB 41 Jordan Trott (6-4, 247, r-So.)

Made his 1st career start vs. #2 Miami ... Had 11 tackles, 2 TFL and 2 QBH ... Had 8 solo stops vs. UConn ... Had 3 tackles, including 1 TFL, vs. TAMU ... Had 5 tackles vs. Syracuse

LB 40 Blake Warren (6-3, 239, r-So.)

Had 4 solo stops & 4 assists against UConn ... Had 4 tackles, including 2 TFL vs. JMU ... Recorded five total tackles, a PBU & an interception at Rutgers

FC 8 Vincent Fuller (6-1, 191, r-So.)

Will be part of a three-man rotation at CB with Garnell Wilds out for the year ... Had 6 tackles & 2 PBU vs. #2 Miami

FS 31 Mike Daniels (6-0, 209, r-Jr.)

Played 33 snaps on defense vs. UConn, recording 9 stops ... Recorded 3 tackles vs. JMU ... Had 4 stops vs. Syracuse

ROV 22 James Griffin (6-1, 191, Jr.)

Had 2 stops and a sack vs. TAMU ... Recorded 7 solo stops and 2 assisted tackles vs. UConn ... Had 2 stops and a PBU vs. JMU

BC 4 DeAngelo Hall (5-11, 195, Jr.)

Will sit out the first half of the Pitt game due to suspension ... Had 10 stops, a FF & 28-yd TD on FR vs. Miami ... Had 13 tackles at WVU ... Had an INT vs. JMU

P 89 Robert Peaslee (6-0, 202, r-Sr.)

Is primarily used as the holder on the field goal and PAT teams ... Can hold from either the right or left side, depending on the kicker ... Last punted in 2000, averaging 35.3 yards per punt

THE LAST TIME ...

TEAM

Scored 90+ points 99, vs. Emory & Henry, 1919
 Scored 80-89 points 86, vs. Roanoke College, 1905
 Scored 70-79 points 77, vs. Akron, 1995
 Scored 60-69 points 63, vs. Arkansas State, 2002
 Scored 50-59 points 51, vs. Syracuse, 2003
 Scored 40-49 points 48, @ Rutgers, 2003
 Back-to-back 40+ games ... @ RU (48), vs. SU (51), 2003
 Rushed for 500+ yds 500, @ Pittsburgh, 1993
 Rushed for 400-499 yds 453, vs. Akron, 1995
 Rushed for 300-399 yds 337, vs. Syracuse, 2003
 Rushed for 200-299 yds 245, vs. UConn, 2003
 Passed for 500+ yds 504, @ Syracuse, 2002
 Passed for 400-499 yds 408, @ Wake Forest, 1972
 Passed for 300-399 yds 380, vs. UCF, 2003
 Passed for 200-299 yds 287, @ Rutgers, 2003
 Rushed/Passed for 200+ yards vs. UCF, 2001
 232 rush, 202 pass
 Had 600+ yards in total off 606, vs. UConn, 2001
 Had 500-599 yards in total off 532, vs. UCF, 2003
 Scored on first off play vs. Clemson, 2000
 J. Ferguson 23 TD pass from M. Vick (bowl)
 Won on final off play @ West Virginia, 1999
 S. Graham 44 FG
 Won in overtime @ Miami, 1998
 Recorded a safety vs. West Virginia, 2002
 Recorded two def. TDs vs. Arkansas State, 2002
 Zero punts in a game vs. William & Mary, 1984
 Zero sacks allowed in a game vs. Texas A&M, 2003
 Recorded a shutout vs. JMU, 2003
 Held opp. to 0- yds. rush -28, vs. Arkansas St., 1997
 Blocked two kicks in a game vs. LSU, 2002
 Scored special teams TD vs. Syracuse, 2003
 Scored def. & spec. teams TD vs. UConn, 2003

INDIVIDUAL

Rushed for 200+ yds 210, M. Vick, @ BC, 2000
 Rushed for 150-199 yds ... 188, K. Jones, vs. TAMU, 2003
 Two players rushed for 100 yards vs. Rutgers, 2002
 (L. Suggs, 197 yds. & K. Jones, 132 yds.)
 Three players rushed for 100 yards ... @ S. Carolina, 1974
 P. Rogers (120), R. Coles (111) & G. Heath (104)
 Had 40+ carries 42, C. Lawrence, vs. Mem. St., 1981
 Had 30-39 carries 30, K. Jones, vs. Texas A&M, 2003
 Had 20-29 carries 26, K. Jones, @ Rutgers, 2003
 Rushed for 6 TDs T. Francisco, vs. VMI, 1966
 Rushed for 5 TDs L. Suggs, @ UCF, 2000
 Rushed for 4 TDs L. Suggs, vs. Rutgers, 2000
 Rushed for 3 TDs K. Jones, vs. Texas A&M, 2003
 Rushed for 2 TDs K. Jones, vs. Syracuse, 2003

Passed for 500+ yds 504, B. Randall, @ Syr, 2002
 Passed for 300-499 yds ... 312, J. Druckenmiller, @ Pitt, 1995
 Passed for 200-299 yds 250, B. Randall, @ RU, 2003
 Passed for 5 TDs B. Randall, @ Syracuse, 2002
 Passed for 4 TDs B. Randall, @ Rutgers, 2003
 Passed for 3 TDs B. Randall, vs. UCF, 2003
 Passed for 2 TDs G. Noel, @ Temple, 2001
 Had 50+ pass atts. 50, W. Furrer, @ Oklahoma, 1991
 Had 40-49 pass atts. ... 42, J. Druckenmiller, vs. BC, 1995
 Had 30-39 pass atts. 35, B. Randall, @ Syracuse, 2002
 Had 20-29 pass atts. 22, B. Randall, @ WVU, 2003
 Had 30+ pass comp. ... 34, D. Strock, vs. Houston, 1972
 Had 20-29 pass comp. 22, B. Randall, vs. UCF, 2003
 QB rush/pass for 100 yds. ... B. Randall, @ Miami, 2002
 (132 rush, 165 pass)
 Had 10+ rec 13, N. Cullen, vs. So. Miss, 1990
 Had 250+ yards rec. .. 279, E. Wilford, @ Syracuse, 2002
 Had 200-249 yards rec. 213, R. Scales, @ Wake, 1972
 Had 100+ yards rec. 119, K. Willis, @ Syracuse, 2002
 Had 4 TD receptions 4, E. Wilford @ Syracuse, 2002
 Had 3 TD receptions A. Freeman, vs. Temple, 1993
 Had 2 TD receptions .. C. Shreve/M. Imoh, @ RU, 2003
 Intercepted 3 passes G. Wilds, @ Syracuse, 2002
 Intercepted 2 passes V. Fuller, vs. Temple, 2002
 Ret. a KO for TD M. Imoh, vs. UConn, 2003
 Ret. punt for TD D. Hall, vs. Syracuse, 2002
 Ret. an INT for TD E. Green, vs. Miami, 2003
 Ret. a fumble for TD V. Fuller, @ WVU, 2003
 Ret. blocked punt for TD ... C. Clifton, vs. UConn, 2003
 Ret. blocked PAT for 2 pts ... J. Smith, @ Syracuse, 1998
 Blocked an extra point ... D. Pugh, vs. Pittsburgh, 2000
 Blocked a FG E. Green, vs. Miami, 2003
 Blocked a punt N. Adibi, vs. UConn, 2003
 Scored a def. and S.T. TD in a game D. Hall
 vs. Arkansas St, 2002 (49-yd. INT & 69-yd. PR)
 Returned two punts for TDs D. Hall
 vs. Syracuse, 2003 (58 & 60 yds.)
 2-point conversion @ Miami, 2002
 R. Johnson pass from Randall
 Made 6 FGs M. Thomas, vs. Vanderbilt, 1989
 Made 5 FGs C. Kinzer, vs. Vanderbilt, 1996
 Made 4 FGs S. Graham, vs. Virginia, 1998
 Made 3 FGs C. Warley, vs. Syracuse, 2003
 Kicked a 60+ FG ... 61, W. Lattimer, vs. Florida St., 1975
 Kicked a 50-59 FG ... 52, S. Graham, @ Pittsburgh, 1999
 Kicked a 40-49 FG 43, C. Warley, vs. JMU, 2003
 Kicked a 70+ punt 75, J. Kibble, @ Pittsburgh, 1997
 Kicked a 60-69 punt 62, V. Burns, @ WVU, 2003
 Played Off./Def. in same game D. Hall (CB/WR)
 @ WVU, 2003

2003 VIRGINIA TECH SCORING DRIVES

Qtr.	Opp.	Scoring Play	Plays-Yds.-TOP					
1	UCF	Jones 1 run (Warley)	11-80-5:07	1	RU	Shreve 45 pass from Randall (Warley)	2-53-0:50	
1	UCF	Johnson 21 pass from Randall (Warley)	9-62-3:52	1	RU	Jones 5 run (Warley)	6-63-2:45	
1	UCF	Hamilton 7 pass from Randall (Warley)	10-76-4:25	2	RU	Imoh 10 pass from Randall (Warley)	5-58-2:14	
2	UCF	Jones 18 run (Warley)	7-80-2:31	2	RU	Williams 55 INT return (Warley)	—	
2	UCF	Hall 29 pass from Randall (Warley)	7-67-2:39	3	RU	Imoh 10 pass from Randall (Warley)	12-79-5:35	
4	UCF	Lallis 45 INT return (Warley)	—	4	RU	Humes 35 run (Warley)	4-46-1:56	
4	UCF	Clowney 27 pass from Vick (Warley)	11-80-4:29	1	SU	Randall 75 run (Warley)	3-83-1:02	
1	JMU	Randall 47 run (Warley)	8-71-3:22	1	SU	Hall 58 punt return (Warley)	—	
2	JMU	Warley 43 FG	4-(-8)-1:16	1	SU	Hall 60 punt return (Warley)	—	
2	JMU	Warley 23 FG	4-8-1:22	2	SU	Warley 34 FG	5-13-3:00	
2	JMU	Humes 11 run (Warley)	9-73-2:55	2	SU	Warley 23 FG	10-41-4:03	
3	JMU	Humes 1 run (kick blocked)	12-90-5:01	3	SU	Jones 33 run (Warley)	5-87-2:39	
3	JMU	Humes 10 run	1-10-0:06	3	SU	Jones 25 run (Warley)	6-77-2:23	
3	JMU	Warley 26 FG	7-13-2:31	3	SU	Hall 24 run (Warley)	1-24-0:08	
4	JMU	Candelas 3 run (Warley)	9-75-4:27	4	SU	Warley 24 FG	9-46-4:07	
1	TAMU	Jones 1 run (Warley)	5-28-2:23	2	WVU	Fuller 50 fumble return (Warley)	—	
2	TAMU	King 10 pass from Randall (Warley)	10-70-5:20	2	MIA	Hall 28 fumble return (Warley)	—	
3	TAMU	Jones 2 run (Warley)	6-76-2:07	2	MIA	Warley 39 FG	4-3-1:04	
4	TAMU	Randall 12 run (Warley)	11-80-6:04	3	MIA	Green 51 interception return (Warley)	—	
4	TAMU	Jones 11 run (Warley)	6-33-2:47	3	MIA	Jones 2 run (Warley)	2-10-0:13	
1	UConn	Warley 38 FG	6-20-2:13	4	MIA	Wilford 46 pass from Vick (Warley)	5-59-2:41	
1	UConn	Wilford 28 pass from Randall (Warley)	2-63-0:38	Totals				252-1,944-127:59
2	UConn	Green 84 INT return	—	Average Scoring Drive				6.3 plays-48.6 yds.
2	UConn	Jones 23 run (Warley)	2-42-0:42	VIRGINIA TECH SCORING				
2	UConn	Warley 35 FG	6-22-1:01	50 Scores (19 run, 11 pass, 9 FG, 6 Def., 4 S.T.)				
3	UConn	Imoh 91 kickoff return (Warley)	—	• 12 First Quarter Drives (5 run, 4 pass, 1 FG, 2 S.T.)				
3	UConn	Clifton 16 blocked punt return (Warley)	—	• 16 Second Quarter Drives (6 FG, 3 run, 3 pass, 4 Def.)				
4	UConn	Humes 58 run (Pace)	2-72-0:36	• 13 Third Quarter Drives (7 run, 2 pass, 2 S.T., 1 FG, 1 Def.)				
1	RU	Shreve 28 pass from Randall (Warley)	9-81-2:25	• 6 Fourth Quarter Drives (5 run, 2 pass, 1 FG, 1 Def.)				
				• 0 Overtime Drives				

Totals 252-1,944-127:59
Average Scoring Drive 6.3 plays-48.6 yds.

VIRGINIA TECH SCORING

50 Scores (19 run, 11 pass, 9 FG, 6 Def., 4 S.T.)
 • 12 First Quarter Drives (5 run, 4 pass, 1 FG, 2 S.T.)
 • 16 Second Quarter Drives (6 FG, 3 run, 3 pass, 4 Def.)
 • 13 Third Quarter Drives (7 run, 2 pass, 2 S.T., 1 FG, 1 Def.)
 • 6 Fourth Quarter Drives (5 run, 2 pass, 1 FG, 1 Def.)
 • 0 Overtime Drives
Most plays in a scoring drive: 12 - twice
Longest scoring drive: 90 yards - vs. JMU (12-90-5:01)
Longest TOP scoring drive: 6:04 - vs. TAMU (11-80-6:04)
Average TOP on offensive scoring drives: 3:12

**HOKIES IN THE NCAA RANKS
 (top 30 only)**

Individual Leaders

Punt Returns		Avg.
12.	DeAngelo Hall	14.19
Rushing		Yds. Per Game
19.	Kevin Jones	107.88
Passing Efficiency		Rating Pts.
28.	Bryan Randall	138.12

Team Leaders

Scoring Offense	Avg.
8. Virginia Tech	38.88
Punt Return Yards	Avg.
8. Virginia Tech	14.86
Scoring Defense	Avg.
11. Virginia Tech	15.50
Rushing Yards	Yds. Per Game
13. Virginia Tech	217.00
Total Defense	Avg.
20. Virginia Tech	309.88
Rushing Defense	Yards Per Game
27. Virginia Tech	114.13
Passing Defense	Yards Per Game
27. Virginia Tech	195.75
Passing Efficiency	Rating Pts.
29. Virginia Tech	137.63

POINTS OFF TURNOVERS

VT	Total	UCF	JMU	TAMU	UConn	Rut	SU	WV	UM	Pitt	TU	BC	UVa
Opp. TOs	18	2	3	2	1	4	1	1	4				
Points	94	7	17	7	7	21	7	7	21				

Opponents

VT TOs	17	1	2	2	0	4	2	4	2				
Points	57	7	0	7	0	22	7	14	0				

2003 RED ZONE EFFICIENCY

	---Failed to Score Inside 20---												
	I 20	Scores	Pts.	Rush	Pass	TDs	FGs	MFGs	Downs	INT	FUM	Half/Game	Pct.
VT													
vs. UCF	4	3	21	2	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	75%
vs. JMU	7	7	36	4	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	100%
vs. TAMU	5	5	35	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	100%
vs. UConn	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	100%
at Rutgers	4	3	21	1	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	75%
vs. Syracuse	3	3	9	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	100%
at WVva	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0%
vs. Miami	2	2	10	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	100%
at Pittsburgh													
at Temple													
vs. BC													
at Virginia													
Totals	27	24	135	12	4	16	8	3	0	0	0	0	89%
Opponents													
UCF	4	4	28	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	100%
JMU	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0%
TAMU	4	4	19	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	100%
UConn	2	1	7	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	50%
Rutgers	2	1	7	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	50%
Syracuse	1	1	7	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	100%
WVva	3	3	21	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	100%
Miami	4	1	7	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	25%
Pittsburgh													
Temple													
BC													
Virginia													
Totals	21	15	96	6	7	13	0	3	2	1	0	0	71%

ON THE MOVE

Quarterback	Drives		Drives Ended By							Points Scored	Pts. Drive	Drive Efficiency
	Started	TD	FG	FGA	Punt	Downs	TO	Clock	Safety			
Randall	71	23	8	11	21	0	11	5	0	185	2.6	44%
Vick	24	7	1	1	11	0	3	2	0	52	2.2	33%
Clifton	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0.0	0%
Goff	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7.0	100%
VT Offense	99	31	9	12	33	0	15	8	0	244	2.5	40%
Opp. Offense	108	16	2	7	56	4	17	8	0	116	1.1	17%

KICKOFFS (20 yards added to average drive started total for touchbacks)

Player	No.	Ret.	FC	OB	TB	EZ+	O-S	Avg. Depth	Avg. Drive Start
Pace	50	31	3	0	9	5	1 (1-1)	8.0-yd. line (401)	21.9-yd. line (1097)
Warley	9	7	0	1	1	0	0	2.1-yd. line (19)	20.4-yd. line (184)
Scudder	4	2	0	0	2	0	0	5.8-yd. line (23)	26.0-yd. line (104)

KICKOFF RETURNS (20 yards added to average drive started total for touchbacks)

Player	No.	Ret.	FC	OB	TB	O-S	Avg. Depth	Avg. Drive Start
Imoh/Humes	21	15	0	0	6	0	4.3-yd. line (91)	26.2-yd. line (550)
Other	4	0	2	0	0	2	39.6-yd. line (159)	39.6-yd. line (159)
Team	16	8	2	0	4	2	12.9-yd. line (206)	34.0-yd. line (544)

WHAT HAPPENS ON FIRST DOWN

Team	Plays	Yds.	Avg.	Rush	Yds.	Avg.	Pct.	Pass	Yds.	Avg.	Pct.
VT	203	1,463	7.2	146	827	5.7	72%	57	540	9.5	28%
Opp.	218	792	4.3	154	554	3.6	75%	64	395	6.2	25%

2003 HOKIE BIG PLAYS

<u>Times Gained 20+ Yards (on any down):</u>	VT	28	Opponents	17
<u>Negative Yardage Attempts on First Downs:</u>	VT	27	Opponents	30
<u>Own Penalty on First Down:</u>	VT	6	Opponents	9

PLAYS OF 20+ YARDS

Rushing (16)

John Candelas	20 run vs. JMU
DeAngelo Hall	24 run vs. SU*
Cedric Humes	58 run vs. UConn* 35 run @ RU*
Kevin Jones	25 run vs. UCF 27 run vs. TAMU 21 run vs. TAMU 23 run vs. UConn* 23 run vs. UConn 33 run vs. SU* 25 run vs. SU 20 run vs. Miami 27 run vs. Miami
Bryan Randall	47 run vs. JMU* 35 run vs. UConn 75 run vs. SU*

Receiving (18)

David Clowney	27 yds. vs. UCF*
Cedric Humes	36 yds. vs. SU
DeAngelo Hall	29 yds. vs. UCF*
Justin Hamilton	22 yds. vs. UCF
Richard Johnson	21 yds. vs. UCF*
Jeff King	23 yds. vs. UCF 31 yds. vs. JMU
Chris Shreve	28 yds. @ RU* 45 yds. @ RU*
Ernest Wilford	21 yds. vs. UCF 25 yds. vs. JMU 22 yds. vs. JMU 28 yds. vs. UConn* 35 yds. @ RU 22 yds. vs. SU 34 yds. @ WVU 46 yds. vs. Miami
Keith Willis	32 yds. @ RU

Returns (19)

Michael Crawford	44 yds. (INT) vs. Miami
Vincent Fuller	50 yds. (Fum) @ WVU* 33 yds. (INT) vs. Miami
Eric Green	84 yds. (INT) vs. UConn* 51 yds. (INT) vs. Miami*
DeAngelo Hall	49 yds. (PR) vs. JMU 47 yds. (PR) vs. JMU 27 yds. (PR) vs. UConn 58 yds. (PR) vs. SU* 60 yds. (PR) vs. SU* 28 yds. (Fum) vs. Miami*
Cedric Humes	33 yds. (KO) vs. UCF 29 yds. (KO) vs. TAMU 20 yds. (KO) @ RU
Jason Lallis	45 yds. (INT) vs. UCF*
Mike Imoh	29 yds. (KO) vs. JMU 91 yds. (KO) vs. UConn* 37 yds. (KO) vs. Miami
Jimmy Williams	55 yds. (INT) @ RU*

* designates play resulted in a touchdown

FIELD POSITION

	Virginia Tech	Opponents
Drives Started	99	108
Cumulative Starting Yardlines	3,496	2,888
Average Starting Field Position	Own 35.3	Own 26.7
Times Started Inside 20	16	23
Drives Started in Plus Territory	21	10

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Nathaniel Adibi
Defensive End

2003: 27 tackles ... Three TFL ... Three sacks ... Five PBU ... One FR ... 15 QBH

Last Week: Four solo stops, three assists, four QB hurries, one sack

★ Hendricks & Lombardi Awards ★



Mikal Baaqee
Linebacker

2003: 35 solo tackles ... 22 assisted stops ... 57 total tackles ... One TFL ... One

QB hurry

Last Week: Did not play (shoulder injury)

★ Butkus Award ★



Vinnie Burns
Punter

2003: Punted 33 times for an average of 42.3 yards ... Has 12 downed inside the

20, three inside the five and two FCs

Last Week: Punted eight times for an average of 38.5 yards ... Had three punts downed inside the 20

★ Ray Guy Award ★



Cols Colas
Defensive End

2003: 15 solo stops ... 19 total tackles ... Six TFL ... Three sacks ... Three FF ... 11 QBH

Last Week: One solo stop ... One FF ... Four QBH

★ Hendricks & Lombardi Awards ★

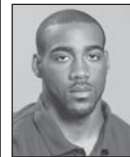


Jake Grove
Center

2003: Played 443 snaps, grading out at 90.7% ... Has 27 knockdown blocks

Last Week: Played 52 snaps ... Graded out at 88% with three knockdowns

★ Rimington, Outland & Lombardi Trophies ★



DeAngelo Hall
Cornerback/Receiver

2003: 41 tackles, one INT, one FF, one FR, one TD ... Five rec. for 73 yds, TD ... One rush TD ... Averaging 14.2 yds. per punt return, 2 TDs

Last Week: Seven solo tackles, three assists, one FF, one FR, one TD

★ Thorpe Award ★



Kevin Jones
Tailback

2003: 158 carries for 863 yards and 10 TDs ... Four rec. for 38 yards

Last Week: Rushed 26 times for 124 yards ... One TD

★ Doak Walker Award ★



Kevin Lewis
Defensive Tackle

2003: 13 solo tackles ... 19 assists ... One TFL ... Two sacks ... Four QBH

Last Week: Two solo tackles ... Five assists ... Two QB hurries ... One sack

★ Lombardi Award ★



Bryan Randall
Quarterback

2003: 86-of-137 for 1,042 yards & nine TDs ... Seven INTs ... 302 yards rushing

Last Week: Rushed for 14 yards ... Was 0-for-4 passing with an INT

★ Davey O'Brien Award ★



Vegas Robinson
Linebacker

2003: 62 tackles ... Seven TFL ... One sack ... Seven QB hurries ... One FF ...

One INT ... One FR

Last Week: Six solo tackles ... Seven assists

★ Butkus Award ★



Ernest Wilford
Wide Receiver

2003: Leads team with 29 catches for 421 yards ... Has two TDs ... Has a long

of 46 yards

Last Week: Had one catch for 46 yards ... One TD

★ Biletnikoff Award ★

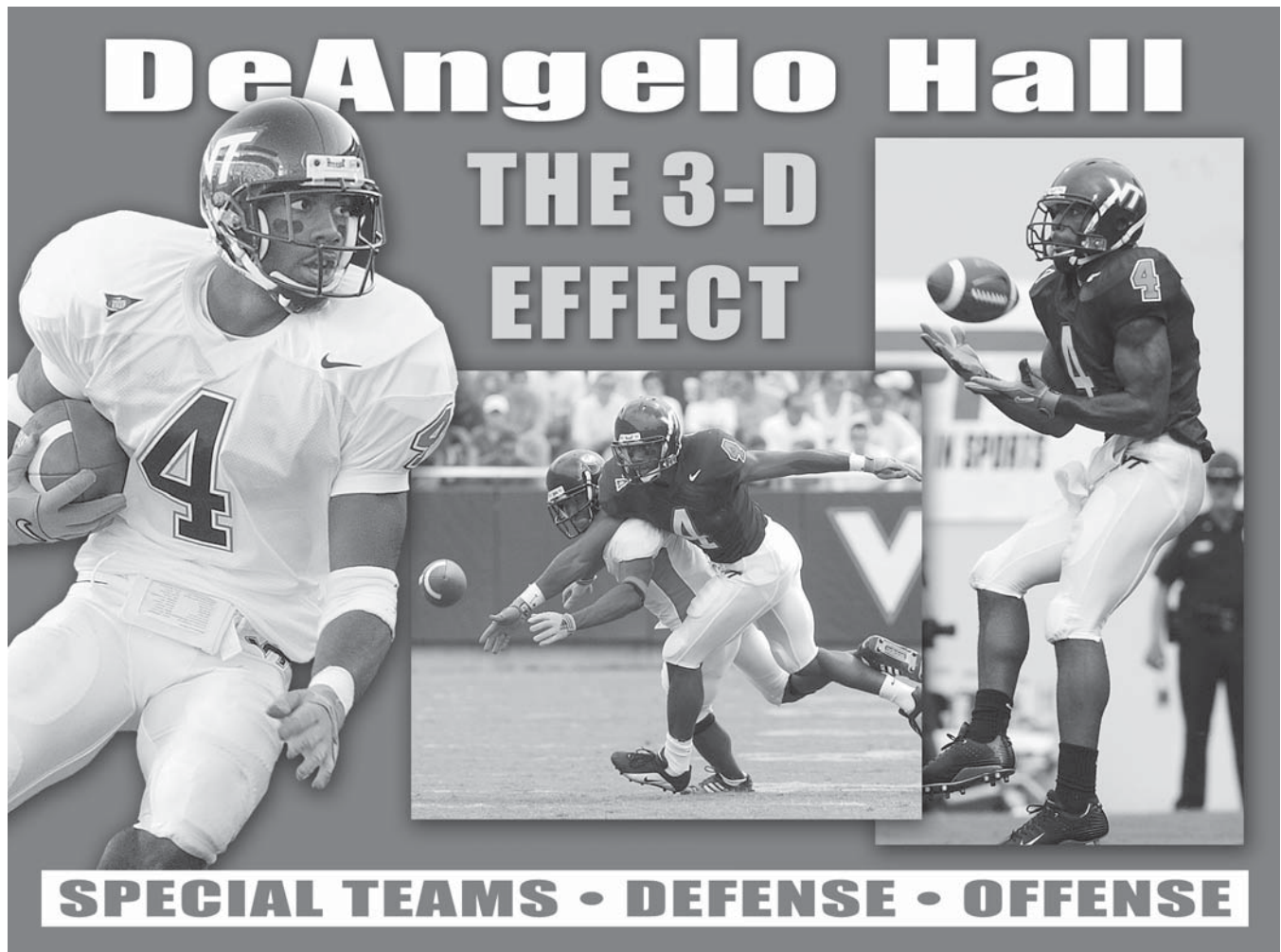


Keith Willis
Tight End

2003: Has five receptions for 84 yards

Last Week: Saw limited action due to an ankle injury

★ Mackey Award ★



	Offense	Defense	Spec. Teams	Total	Notes
UCF	10	28	9	47	2 rec.: 41 yards; 29-yd. TD; 3 tackles
James Madison	6	22	7	35	1 rec.: 9 yards; 49 & 47-yd. PR; 3 tackles; 1 INT
Texas A&M	2	41	9	52	4 tackles
Connecticut	6	36	12	54	2 solo tackles; 27-yd. punt return
at Rutgers	10	38	10	58	4 solo tackles; 1 assist; 2 rec.: 23 yds.
Syracuse	16	21	12	49	3 PBU; 2 PR for TDs; 1 rush for 24 yds. (TD)
at West Virginia	22	59	10	91	13 tackles (6 solo)
Miami	0	70	12	82	12 tackles (8 solo); 1 FF; 1 FR; 1 TD
at Pittsburgh					
at Temple					
Boston College					
at Virginia					
Totals	72	315	81	468	
Average	9.0	39.4	10.1	58.5	

Season Stats

Offense	5 receptions for 73 yards, 1 TD; 2 rush for 21 yards, 1 TD
Defense	26 solo tackles, 10 assists, 36 total tackles, 5 PBU, 1 INT, 1 FF, 1 FR, 1 TD
Punt Return	26 returns for 369 yards; 14.2 yards per return; long of 60 yards; 2 TDs

2003 VT PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

The following are the players of the week and players of the game for the 2003 Virginia Tech Hokies. The game balls are handed out by the captains and the Wes Worsham Award is given out after the game, if the Hokies win. The Outstanding Player awards and Scout Team awards are awarded after the coaches review film after the game.

UCF (8/31/03) • W49-28
 Wes Worsham Award B. Randall
 Game Ball • Offense E. Wilford
 Game Ball • Defense J. Lallis
 Game Ball • Special Teams V. Burns
 Outstanding Player • Of..... R. Johnson
 Outstanding Player • Def..... V. Robinson
 Outstanding Player • S.T..... J. Anderson
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive M. Malone
 Defensive X. Adibi

James Madison (9/6/03) • W43-0
 Wes Worsham Award C. Humes
 Game Ball • Offense J. Gibson
 Game Ball • Defense A. Rouse
 Game Ball • Special Teams D. Hall
 Outstanding Player • Of..... J. Hamilton
 Outstanding Player • Def..... M. Crawford
 Outstanding Player • S.T..... C. Cooper
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive M. Parham
 Defensive V. Hall

Texas A&M (9/18/03) • W35-19
 Wes Worsham Award K. Jones
 Game Ball • Offense J. Grove
 Game Ball • Defense M. Crawford
 Game Ball • Special Teams B. Pace
 Outstanding Player • Of..... B. Randall
 Outstanding Player • Def..... K. Lewis
 Outstanding Player • S.T..... J. Anderson
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive L. Goff
 Defensive C. Powell

Connecticut (9/27/03) • W47-13
 Wes Worsham Award M. Crawford
 Game Ball • Offense E. Wilford
 Game Ball • Defense E. Green
 Game Ball • Special Teams V. Burns
 Outstanding Player • Of..... C. Humes
 Outstanding Player • Def..... J. Lewis
 Outstanding Player • S.T..... M. Imoh
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive J. Hyman
 Defensive M. Hinton

at Rutgers (10/4/03) • W, 48-22
 Wes Worsham Award C. Shreve
 Game Ball • Offense D. Easlick
 Game Ball • Defense J. Lewis
 Game Ball • Special Teams J. Anderson
 Outstanding Player • Of..... B. Randall
 Outstanding Player • Def..... N. Adibi
 Outstanding Player • S.T..... J. King
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive M. Perlozzo
 Defensive M. Brown

Syracuse (10/11/03) • W, 51-7
 Wes Worsham Award D. Hall
 Game Ball • Offense B. Randall
 Game Ball • Defense V. Robinson
 Game Ball • Special Teams C. Warley
 Outstanding Player • Of..... K. Jones
 Outstanding Player • Def..... M. Baaqee
 Outstanding Player • S.T..... J. Anderson
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive J. Thibodeau
 Defensive R. Minor

at West Virginia • L, 7-28
 Wes Worsham Award N/A
 Game Ball • Offense N/A
 Game Ball • Defense N/A
 Game Ball • Special Teams N/A
 Outstanding Player • Of. W. Montgomery
 Outstanding Player • Def..... V. Fuller
 Outstanding Player • S.T..... T. Conway
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive M. Roan
 Defensive G. Kezmarsky

Miami (11/1/03) • W, 31-7
 Wes Worsham Award E. Green
 Game Ball • Offense K. Jones
 Game Ball • Defense V. Fuller
 Game Ball • Special Teams V. Burns
 Outstanding Player • Of..... J. Martin
 Outstanding Player • Def..... J. Trott
 Outstanding Player • S.T..... J. Anderson
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive D. Brown
 Defensive V. Hall

at Pittsburgh (11/8/03)
 Wes Worsham Award
 Game Ball • Offense
 Game Ball • Defense
 Game Ball • Special Teams
 Outstanding Player • Offense
 Outstanding Player • Defense
 Outstanding Player • Special Teams
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive
 Defensive

at Temple (11/15/03)
 Wes Worsham Award
 Game Ball • Offense
 Game Ball • Defense
 Game Ball • Special Teams
 Outstanding Player • Offense
 Outstanding Player • Defense
 Outstanding Player • Special Teams
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive
 Defensive

Boston College (11/22/03)
 Wes Worsham Award
 Game Ball • Offense
 Game Ball • Defense
 Game Ball • Special Teams
 Outstanding Player • Offense
 Outstanding Player • Defense
 Outstanding Player • Special Teams
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive
 Defensive

at Virginia (11/29/03)
 Wes Worsham Award
 Game Ball • Offense
 Game Ball • Defense
 Game Ball • Special Teams
 Outstanding Player • Offense
 Outstanding Player • Defense
 Outstanding Player • Special Teams
SCOUT TEAM
 Offensive
 Defensive

Frank Beamer Interview Opportunities

BIG EAST TELECONFERENCE

The eight BIG EAST coaches are featured on a weekly teleconference each Monday at 11 a.m. (ET) during the regular season, beginning Aug. 25 and continuing each Monday through Nov. 24. Coach Beamer speaks for 10 minutes starting at 11:40 a.m. To access the teleconference, dial XXXXXXXXXX. No password is needed, but you must identify yourself and the outlet you work for. Another option is to go to <http://www.bigeast.org/airwaves> for the Internet link to the broadcast. Media can also listen to the audio replay, up usually by 5 p.m., by calling XXXXXXXXXX.

TUESDAY PRESS LUNCHEON

On Tuesday at 1 p.m., in the **Shott Media Center, which is located on the bottom level of the South End Zone**, Coach Beamer meets with the media. **Media needs to park in the lot adjacent to the track and behind the outfield fence of the softball stadium.** The print media session is recorded and can be listened to by calling XXXXXXXXXX and choosing "1" from the menu. The recording should be up by 3 p.m., that day.

POST PRACTICE

Coach Beamer is available for brief on-field interviews immediately after practice on Tuesday and Wednesday this week on the practice field, which is located between Lane Stadium/ Worsham Field and the Jamerson Athletic Center.

BY PHONE VIA APPOINTMENT

Coach Beamer is available by phone in the early portions of each week. Contact Dave Smith in the Virginia Tech Sports Information Department to schedule an interview with Coach Beamer.

Virginia Tech Player Interview Opportunities

FOLLOWING THE PRESS LUNCHEON

Virginia Tech players will be made available immediately following head coach Frank Beamer's press luncheon Tuesday afternoon. Requests **MUST** be made by noon on **Monday**. Please contact Bryan Johnston in the Virginia Tech Sports Information Office to make these requests.

POST PRACTICE

Tech players are available after practice on Tuesday and Wednesday of game week. For interviews longer than three minutes, requests must be to the SID Office 24 hours before the requested interview. For "quick hitters," no notification is needed. Contact Bryan Johnston for player interviews.

BY PHONE VIA APPOINTMENT

Players are available by phone on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Interviews will be done following practice, around 6:20 p.m. All phone requests **MUST** be made by noon on Monday. Please contact Bryan Johnston in the Virginia Tech Sports Information Office to make these requests.

Virginia Tech Satellite Newsfeed

Video highlights of Virginia Tech football, along with an interview with Coach Beamer, are available each Wednesday during the regular season, starting Sept. 3, between 2:15 and 2:30 p.m. (ET). For satellite coordinates and information, contact Donna Smith at (540) 231-6726.

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ON THE INTERNET

www.hokiesports.com

The official Web site of Virginia Tech athletics is home to all the football knowledge you need. Schedules, results, rosters, bios, statistics, general releases and game notes can be found here and are always up to date.

The Gameday section has live stats, radio and television coverage information and other pertinent information. This section is for home games only.

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This media-only Web site is designed to make the media's job easier. Here you will find high-resolution, color mug shots of every Hokie football player and coach available to download.

allstars.hokiesports.com

The official all-star Web site of Virginia Tech athletics. Here you can find updated bios, stats and information on all of Tech's football players up for national awards.

www.bigeast.org

Updated standings, results, schedules, statistics and notes are on the site each week during the season.

www.pittsburghpanthers.com

This week's opponent's athletics Web site.

Dave Smith: vtsid@vt.edu		THIS WEEK — at Pittsburgh								Bryan Johnston: blj@vt.edu			
Sunday	2	Monday	3	Tuesday	4	Wednesday	5	Thursday	6	Friday	7	Saturday	8
Treatment and Weights No Interviews		BIG EAST Teleconference Beamer: 11:40 a.m. (913) 981-5520 Practice 5:20-6:30 p.m. No Interviews		Press Luncheon 1-2:30 - Shott Media Center; SEZ Practice 4:15-6:20 p.m. Interviews Following		Practice 4:15-6:20 p.m. Interviews Following		Practice 4:15-6 p.m. No Interviews		Team Travel & Walk-through No Interviews		Tech @ Pittsburgh 7:45 p.m. • ESPN Post Game Coach Beamer and players available.	

Virginia Tech Football
Virginia Tech Game Results (as of Nov 03, 2003)
All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall Record	Conference Record	Time	Attend
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Aug 31, 2003	UCF	W 49-28	1- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	3:31	65115
Sep 06, 2003	JAMES MADISON	W 43-0	2- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	2:49	65115
Sep 18, 2003	TEXAS A&M	W 35-19	3- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	3:09	65115
Sep 27, 2003	CONNECTICUT	W 47-13	4- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	3:13	65115
* Oct 04, 2003	at Rutgers	W 48-22	5- 0- 0	1- 0- 0	3:14	28956
* Oct 11, 2003	SYRACUSE	W 51-7	6- 0- 0	2- 0- 0	3:02	65115
* Oct 22, 2003	at West Virginia	7-28 L	6- 1- 0	2- 1- 0	3:07	56319
* Nov 01, 2003	#2 MIAMI	W 31-7	7- 1- 0	3- 1- 0	3:37	65115
* Nov 08, 2003	at #25 Pittsburgh	7:45 PM				
* Nov 15, 2003	at Temple	1:00 PM				
* Nov 22, 2003	BOSTON COLLEGE	TBA				
Nov 29, 2003	at Virginia	TBA				

* indicates conference game

Virginia Tech Football

Virginia Tech Overall Team Statistics (as of Nov 03, 2003)

All games

TEAM STATISTICS	VT	OPP
SCORING.....	311	124
Points Per Game.....	38.9	15.5
FIRST DOWNS.....	165	122
Rushing.....	84	49
Passing.....	69	63
Penalty.....	12	10
RUSHING YARDAGE.....	1736	913
Yards gained rushing.....	1913	1151
Yards lost rushing.....	177	238
Rushing Attempts.....	328	301
Average Per Rush.....	5.3	3.0
Average Per Game.....	217.0	114.1
TDs Rushing.....	20	7
PASSING YARDAGE.....	1329	1566
Att-Comp-Int.....	170-104-9	235-131-11
Average Per Pass.....	7.8	6.7
Average Per Catch.....	12.8	12.0
Average Per Game.....	166.1	195.8
TDs Passing.....	11	9
TOTAL OFFENSE.....	3065	2479
Total Plays.....	498	536
Average Per Play.....	6.2	4.6
Average Per Game.....	383.1	309.9
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS.....	16-348	40-813
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS.....	28-416	12-143
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS.....	11-337	9-75
KICK RETURN AVERAGE.....	21.8	20.3
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE.....	14.9	11.9
INT RETURN AVERAGE.....	30.6	8.3
FUMBLES-LOST.....	15-8	21-7
PENALTIES-YARDS.....	55-497	64-501
Average Per Game.....	62.1	62.6
PUNTS-YARDS.....	33-1361	56-2151
Average Per Punt.....	41.2	38.4
Net punt average.....	36.9	31.0
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME.....	29:14	30:46
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS.....	44/96	44/125
3rd-Down Pct.....	46%	35%
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS.....	2/2	8/14
4th-Down Pct.....	100%	57%
SACKS BY-YARDS.....	15-109	11-53
MISC YARDS.....	96	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED.....	41	17
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS.....	9-12	2-7
PAT-ATTEMPTS.....	38-41	14-15
ATTENDANCE.....	390690	85275
Games/Avg Per Game.....	6/65115	2/42638

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Virginia Tech.....	80	87	85	59	311
Opponents.....	24	23	28	49	124

Virginia Tech Football

Virginia Tech Overall Individual Statistics (as of Nov 03, 2003)

All games

RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Kevin Jones	8	158	904	41	863	5.5	10	33	107.9
Cedric Humes	8	55	346	6	340	6.2	5	58	42.5
Bryan Randall	8	53	376	73	303	5.7	3	75	37.9
John Candelas	4	16	76	0	76	4.8	1	20	19.0
Mike Imoh	7	21	80	7	73	3.5	0	12	10.4
Marcus Vick	6	14	84	40	44	3.1	0	17	7.3
Doug Easlick	8	5	23	0	23	4.6	0	8	2.9
DeAngelo Hall	8	2	24	3	21	10.5	1	24	2.6
Chris Clifton	8	1	0	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-0.1
Richard Johnson	6	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.3
TEAM	8	2	0	4	-4	-2.0	0	0	-0.5
Total.....	8	328	1913	177	1736	5.3	20	75	217.0
Opponents.....	8	301	1151	238	913	3.0	7	38	114.1

PASSING	GP	Eff	Att-Cmp-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Bryan Randall	8	138.12	137-86-7	62.8	1042	9	45	130.2
Marcus Vick	6	132.59	31-17-2	54.8	256	2	46	42.7
Chris Clifton	8	0.00	1-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Lance Goff	3	360.40	1-1-0	100.0	31	0	31	10.3
Total.....	8	137.61	170-104-9	61.2	1329	11	46	166.1
Opponents.....	8	115.00	235-131-11	55.7	1566	9	93	195.8

RECEIVING	GP	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Ernest Wilford	8	29	421	14.5	2	46	52.6
Justin Hamilton	8	15	179	11.9	1	22	22.4
Doug Easlick	8	10	88	8.8	0	36	11.0
Chris Shreve	6	8	133	16.6	2	45	22.2
Richard Johnson	6	7	61	8.7	1	21	10.2
Keith Willis	8	5	84	16.8	0	32	10.5
DeAngelo Hall	8	5	73	14.6	1	29	9.1
Jeff King	8	4	70	17.5	1	31	8.8
David Clowney	8	4	60	15.0	1	27	7.5
Kevin Jones	8	4	38	9.5	0	14	4.8
Mike Imoh	7	4	32	8.0	2	10	4.6
Jared Mazzetta	8	3	44	14.7	0	19	5.5
Chris Clifton	8	3	20	6.7	0	11	2.5
Cedric Humes	8	2	13	6.5	0	14	1.6
Steve Canter	5	1	13	13.0	0	13	2.6
Total.....	8	104	1329	12.8	11	46	166.1
Opponents.....	8	131	1566	12.0	9	93	195.8

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
DeAngelo Hall	26	369	14.2	2	60
Richard Johnson	1	6	6.0	0	6
Nathaniel Adibi	1	25	25.0	0	0
Chris Clifton	0	16	0.0	1	16
Total.....	28	416	14.9	3	60
Opponents.....	12	143	11.9	0	30

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Eric Green	2	135	67.5	2	84
DeAngelo Hall	1	0	0.0	0	0
Jimmy Williams	1	55	55.0	1	55
Blake Warren	1	4	4.0	0	4
Vegas Robinson	1	9	9.0	0	9
Michael Crawford	1	44	44.0	0	44
Vincent Fuller	1	33	33.0	0	33
Jonathan Lewis	1	9	9.0	0	9
Jason Lallis	1	45	45.0	1	45
Garnell Wilds	1	3	3.0	0	3
Total.....	11	337	30.6	4	84
Opponents.....	9	75	8.3	1	47

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Cedric Humes	9	156	17.3	0	33
Mike Imoh	6	190	31.7	1	91
Blake Warren	1	2	2.0	0	2
Total.....	16	348	21.8	1	91
Opponents.....	40	813	20.3	0	36

FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Vegas Robinson	1	18	18.0	0	18
DeAngelo Hall	1	28	28.0	1	28
Vincent Fuller	0	50	0.0	1	50
Total.....	2	96	48.0	2	50
Opponents.....	0	0	0.0	0	0

Virginia Tech Football
Virginia Tech Overall Individual Statistics (as of Nov 03, 2003)
All games

SCORING	|----- PATs -----|								
	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
Carter Warley	0	9-12	37-40	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	64
Kevin Jones	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	60
DeAngelo Hall	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
Cedric Humes	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
Mike Imoh	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Bryan Randall	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Ernest Wilford	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Chris Shreve	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Eric Green	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Jason Lallis	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Justin Hamilton	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Vincent Fuller	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
David Clowney	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
John Candelas	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Richard Johnson	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Chris Clifton	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Jimmy Williams	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Jeff King	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Brandon Pace	0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	1
Total.....	41	9-12	38-41	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	311
Opponents.....	17	2-7	14-15	0-0	1	1-2	0	0	124

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Bryan Randall	8	190	303	1042	1345	168.1
Kevin Jones	8	158	863	0	863	107.9
Cedric Humes	8	55	340	0	340	42.5
Marcus Vick	6	45	44	256	300	50.0
John Candelas	4	16	76	0	76	19.0
Mike Imoh	7	21	73	0	73	10.4
Lance Goff	3	1	0	31	31	10.3
Doug Easlick	8	5	23	0	23	2.9
DeAngelo Hall	8	2	21	0	21	2.6
Chris Clifton	8	2	-1	0	-1	-0.1
Richard Johnson	6	1	-2	0	-2	-0.3
TEAM	8	2	-4	0	-4	-0.5
Total.....	8	498	1736	1329	3065	383.1
Opponents.....	8	536	913	1566	2479	309.9

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
WARLEY, Carter	9-12	75.0	0-0	4-5	4-5	1-2	0-0	43	1

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
Vinnie Burns	33	1361	41.2	62	5	2	12	0
Total.....	33	1361	41.2	62	5	2	12	0
Opponents.....	56	2151	38.4	71	4	3	10	1

FG SEQUENCE	Virginia Tech	OPPONENTS
UCF	21	-
James Madison	(43), (23), (26)	23
Texas A&M	-	(22), (20)
Connecticut	(38), (35)	40
Rutgers	41	43
Syracuse	(34), (23), (24)	40
West Virginia	39	-
Miami	(39)	39
Pittsburgh	-	-
Temple	-	-
Boston College	-	-
Virginia	-	-

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

Virginia Tech Football
Virginia Tech Overall Individual Statistics (as of Nov 03, 2003)
All games

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Kevin Jones	8	863	38	0	0	0	901	112.6
Cedric Humes	8	340	13	0	156	0	509	63.6
DeAngelo Hall	8	21	73	369	0	0	463	57.9
Ernest Wilford	8	0	421	0	0	0	421	52.6
Bryan Randall	8	303	0	0	0	0	303	37.9
Mike Imoh	7	73	32	0	190	0	295	42.1
Justin Hamilton	8	0	179	0	0	0	179	22.4
Eric Green	8	0	0	0	0	135	135	16.9
Chris Shreve	6	0	133	0	0	0	133	22.2
Doug Easlick	8	23	88	0	0	0	111	13.9
Keith Willis	8	0	84	0	0	0	84	10.5
John Candelas	4	76	0	0	0	0	76	19.0
Jeff King	8	0	70	0	0	0	70	8.8
Richard Johnson	6	-2	61	6	0	0	65	10.8
David Clowney	8	0	60	0	0	0	60	7.5
Jimmy Williams	8	0	0	0	0	55	55	6.9
Jason Lallis	7	0	0	0	0	45	45	6.4
Jared Mazzetta	8	0	44	0	0	0	44	5.5
Marcus Vick	6	44	0	0	0	0	44	7.3
Michael Crawford	8	0	0	0	0	44	44	5.5
Chris Clifton	8	-1	20	16	0	0	35	4.4
Vincent Fuller	8	0	0	0	0	33	33	4.1
Nathaniel Adibi	8	0	0	25	0	0	25	3.1
Steve Canter	5	0	13	0	0	0	13	2.6
Jonathan Lewis	8	0	0	0	0	9	9	1.1
Vegas Robinson	8	0	0	0	0	9	9	1.1
Blake Warren	8	0	0	0	2	4	6	0.8
Garnell Wilds	6	0	0	0	0	3	3	0.5
TEAM	8	-4	0	0	0	0	-4	-0.5
Total.....	8	1736	1329	416	348	337	4166	520.8
Opponents.....	8	913	1566	143	813	75	3510	438.8

Virginia Tech Football

Virginia Tech Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Nov 03, 2003)

All games

DEFENSIVE LEADERS	-----Tackles-----				TFL/Yds	|-Sacks-|	|---Pass Def---|			|-Fumbles-|		Blkd	
	GP	Solo	Ast	Total			No-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Rcv-Yds	FF	Kick	Saf
21 Michael Crawford	8	36	32	68	8-24	1.0-9	1-44	3	.	.	.	.	.
2 Jimmy Williams	8	31	35	66	3-7	.	1-55	3	.	1-0	.	.	.
48 Brandon Manning	7	35	27	62	2-4	.	.	1	4	.	.	.	.
6 Vegas Robinson	8	33	29	62	8-27	1.0-8	1-9	.	7	1-18	1	.	.
45 Mikal Baaqee	7	35	23	58	1-1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
56 Jonathan Lewis	8	24	24	48	5-13	2.5-11	1-9	1	3	.	2	.	.
55 Darryl Tapp	8	22	21	43	6-20	1.0-8	.	.	11	.	1	.	.
4 DeAngelo Hall	8	26	16	42	.	.	1-0	3	.	1-28	1	.	.
36 Aaron Rouse	8	14	25	39	2-5	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
1 Eric Green	8	23	14	37	2-6	.	2-135	6	1	.	.	1	.
41 Jordan Trott	8	19	13	32	3-3	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
40 Blake Warren	8	21	11	32	3-9	.	1-4	1	.	.	.	.	.
70 Kevin Lewis	8	13	19	32	3-12	2.0-9	.	.	5	.	.	.	.
17 Garnell Wilds	6	18	13	31	.	.	1-3	3	.	.	.	.	.
42 James Anderson	8	21	8	29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96 Noland Burchette	8	15	13	28	1-8	1.0-8	.	.	7	.	1	.	.
8 Vincent Fuller	8	13	15	28	.	.	1-33	6	.	1-50	.	1	.
83 Nathaniel Adibi	8	15	12	27	5-32	2.5-27	.	5	15	1-0	.	1	.
22 James Griffin	8	15	9	24	2-15	1.0-13	.	2	1	.	.	.	.
31 Mike Daniels	8	11	11	22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
71 Tim Sandidge	8	10	12	22	2-2	.	.	1	7	.	.	.	.
91 Jason Lallis	7	7	13	20	.	.	1-45	.	2	.	.	.	.
99 Cols Colas	7	15	4	19	7-27	3.0-16	.	.	11	.	3	.	.
97 Isaac Montgomery	6	3	8	11	1-2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
33 Chad Cooper	3	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	1	.	.
43 Doug Easlick	8	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29 Brian McPherson	8	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
35 Thomas McClelland	4	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
54 Bob Ruff	7	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
39 Maurice Sharpe	2	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25 Kevin Jones	8	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
34 Chris Ceasar	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
14 Chad Grimm	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38 Vinnie Burns	8	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93 Greg Kezmarsky	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
62 Travis Conway	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90 Jeff King	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
49 Carter Warley	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19 Ernest Wilford	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46 Brandon Pace	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13 Lance Goff	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
85 Jared Mazzetta	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
87 David Clowney	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
Total.....	8	495	426	921	64-217	15-109	11-337	35	79	8-96	11	4	.
Opponents.....	8	258	335	593	50-131	11-53	9-75	18	6	8-0	5	2	.

Virginia Tech Football
 Virginia Tech Game Superlatives (as of Nov 03, 2003)
 All games

INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	30	Kevin Jones vs Texas A&M (Sep 18, 2003)
Yards Rushing.....	188	Kevin Jones vs Texas A&M (Sep 18, 2003)
TD Rushes.....	3	Cedric Humes vs James Madison (Sep 06, 2003) Kevin Jones vs Texas A&M (Sep 18, 2003)
Long Rush.....	75	Bryan Randall vs Syracuse (Oct 11, 2003)
Pass attempts.....	28	Bryan Randall vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Pass completions....	22	Bryan Randall vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Yards Passing.....	278	Bryan Randall vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
TD Passes.....	4	Bryan Randall at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003)
Long Pass.....	46	Marcus Vick vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Receptions.....	9	Ernest Wilford vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Yards Receiving.....	96	Ernest Wilford vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
TD Receptions.....	2	Mike Imoh at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003) Chris Shreve at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003)
Long Reception.....	46	Ernest Wilford vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Field Goals.....	3	Carter Warley vs James Madison (Sep 06, 2003) Carter Warley vs Syracuse (Oct 11, 2003)
Long Field Goal.....	43	Carter Warley vs James Madison (Sep 06, 2003)
Punts.....	8	Vinnie Burns vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Punting Avg.....	46.8	Vinnie Burns vs Syracuse (Oct 11, 2003)
Long Punt.....	62	Vinnie Burns vs Syracuse (Oct 11, 2003) Vinnie Burns at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Long Punt Return....	60	DeAngelo Hall vs Syracuse (Oct 11, 2003)
Long Kickoff Return.	91	Mike Imoh vs Connecticut (Sep 27, 2003)
Tackles.....	18	Michael Crawford vs Texas A&M (Sep 18, 2003)
Sacks.....	2.5	Jonathan Lewis vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Tackles For Loss....	4.0	Michael Crawford vs Texas A&M (Sep 18, 2003)
Interceptions.....	1	Jason Lallis vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003) DeAngelo Hall vs James Madison (Sep 06, 2003) Garnell Wilds vs Texas A&M (Sep 18, 2003) Eric Green vs Connecticut (Sep 27, 2003) Jimmy Williams at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003) Vegas Robinson at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003) Blake Warren at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003) Jonathan Lewis at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003) Eric Green vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003) Vincent Fuller vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003) Michael Crawford vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)

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Rushes.....	53	vs James Madison (Sep 06, 2003)
Yards Rushing.....	337	vs Syracuse (Oct 11, 2003)
Yards Per Rush.....	8.8	vs Connecticut (Sep 27, 2003)
TD Rushes.....	5	vs James Madison (Sep 06, 2003)
Pass attempts.....	38	vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Pass completions....	29	vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Yards Passing.....	380	vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Yards Per Pass.....	10.2	at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003)
TD Passes.....	4	vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003) at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003)
Total Plays.....	81	vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Total Offense.....	532	vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Yards Per Play.....	7.8	vs Connecticut (Sep 27, 2003)
Points.....	51	vs Syracuse (Oct 11, 2003)
Sacks By.....	4	vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
First Downs.....	36	vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Penalties.....	13	at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Penalty Yards.....	116	at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Turnovers.....	4	at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003) at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Interceptions By....	4	at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003)

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OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	33	WILSON, Quincy, at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Yards Rushing.....	178	WILSON, Quincy, at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
TD Rushes.....	1	HAYNES, Alex, vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
		Lewis, Courtney, vs Texas A&M (Sep 18, 2003)
		HAIRSTON, Justi, at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003)
		REYES, Walter, vs Syracuse (Oct 11, 2003)
		HARRIS, Kay-Jay, at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
		MARSHALL, Rashe, at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
		WILSON, Quincy, at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Long Rush.....	38	HAYNES, Alex, vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Pass attempts.....	40	ORLOVSKY, Dan, vs Connecticut (Sep 27, 2003)
Pass completions....	25	ORLOVSKY, Dan, vs Connecticut (Sep 27, 2003)
Yards Passing.....	316	ORLOVSKY, Dan, vs Connecticut (Sep 27, 2003)
TD Passes.....	3	SCHNEIDER, Ryan, vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Long Pass.....	93	MARSHALL, Rashe, at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Receptions.....	9	CAPERS, Tavaris, vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Yards Receiving.....	117	GARVIN, Travis, at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
TD Receptions.....	2	CAPERS, Tavaris, vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Long Reception.....	93	GARVIN, Travis, at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Field Goals.....	2	Pegram, Todd, vs Texas A&M (Sep 18, 2003)
Long Field Goal.....	22	Pegram, Todd, vs Texas A&M (Sep 18, 2003)
Punts.....	12	CARNEY, Brendan, vs Syracuse (Oct 11, 2003)
Punting Avg.....	55.7	PRATER, Matt, vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Long Punt.....	71	PRATER, Matt, vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Long Punt Return....	30	TAYLOR, Sean, vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Long Kickoff Return.	36	JONES, Nate, at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003)
		JONES, Adam, at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Tackles.....	18	BIGBY, Atari, vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Sacks.....	2.5	ORR, Raheem, at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003)
Tackles For Loss....	5.0	POE, Antoine, vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Interceptions.....	2	KING, Brian, at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)

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OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes.....	59	at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Yards Rushing.....	264	at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Yards Per Rush.....	4.5	at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
TD Rushes.....	3	at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Pass attempts.....	47	vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Pass completions....	29	vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Yards Passing.....	316	vs Connecticut (Sep 27, 2003)
Yards Per Pass.....	11.6	at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
TD Passes.....	3	vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Total Plays.....	85	vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Total Offense.....	443	vs Connecticut (Sep 27, 2003)
Yards Per Play.....	6.1	vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
Points.....	28	vs UCF (Aug 31, 2003)
		at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
Sacks By.....	4	at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
First Downs.....	21	at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)
		vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Penalties.....	14	vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Penalty Yards.....	117	vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Turnovers.....	4	at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003)
		vs Miami (Nov 01, 2003)
Interceptions By....	3	at Rutgers (Oct 04, 2003)
		at West Virginia (Oct 22, 2003)