



BIG SOUTH CONFERENCE

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BIG SOUTH FOOTBALL STANDINGS														
Team	Big South					Overall		PF	PA	Home	Road	L10	Streak	
	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L							Pct.
Coastal Carolina	0	0	.000	0	0	2	0	1.000	48	37	1-0	1-0	2-0	W2
Gardner-Webb	0	0	.000	0	0	2	0	1.000	119	19	2-0	0-0	2-0	W2
Liberty	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	17	65	1-0	0-0	1-0	L1
VMI	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	40	41	1-0	0-0	1-0	L1
Charleston Southern	0	0	.000	0	0	0	2	.000	14	70	0-0	0-1	0-1	L2

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE	
Saturday, Sept. 17	
Jacksonville at CHARLESTON SO.	1:30pm
VMI at Duke	1:00pm
#15 COASTAL CAROLINA at Appalachian State	3:30pm
Youngstown State at LIBERTY	7:00pm
Big South team in ALL CAPS * - Big South Conference game	

CHOICE HOTELS
OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Coastal Carolina Offense

Coastal Carolina's offense racked up 415 yards of total offense (128 rush, 287 pass) in its 31-27 upset win over No. 1-ranked James Madison Saturday night. The Chanticleers, which came back from a 27-17 deficit, were led by quarterback TYLER THIGPEN, who passed for career-highs of 287 yards, 24 completions and three touchdowns, as well as gaining 33 yards on the ground for 320 yards of total offense. Thigpen was 24-of-36 (66.7 percent) and posted an efficiency rating of 155.58. The offensive line protected Thigpen all night, allowing just one sack, while the offense averaged 6.0 yards per play. All five scoring drives against the Dukes were 56 yards or more (56, 58, 77, 78, 93), including the final drive of the game that went 93 yards in 11 plays in just 1:44 for the game-winning score. Thigpen was 6-of-10 for 88 yards in the final drive - with five passes and 80 yards to receiver JEROME SIMPSON - and converted one third and fourth down play on the drive. Eight CCU players had pass receptions, led by Simpson's 10 catches for a school-record 162 yards and two touchdowns.

NEW BALANCE
DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Jamar Leath • LB • Junior
Coastal Carolina • Elon, N.C.

Leath earns the defensive honor for the second-straight week, as he posted his second consecutive career-high with a school-record 15 tackles (six solo) in Coastal's upset win over James Madison. He stepped up in the fourth quarter, when CCU had cut the margin to four at 27-24. In JMU's next-to-last possession, Leath was in on five tackles (including one for loss) in six offensive plays, helping force the Dukes to punt it back to Coastal, which led to the game-winning score. Leath leads Coastal and ranks fifth nationally with 14.5 tackles per game.

FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK

Zach Terrell • QB
Liberty • Manassas Park, Va.

Terrell was a perfect 5-of-5 passing for 32 yards in Liberty's loss at Connecticut. He recorded a 153.76 efficiency rating and also caught a screen pass over the middle of the field for a 41-yard gain, giving Liberty its best field position on the afternoon. He also rushed seven times, including a 12-yard scamper on his second career run.

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Saturday, Sept. 10	
at COASTAL CAROLINA	31
#1 James Madison	27
at GARDNER-WEBB	54
Belhaven	7
#11 William & Mary	41
at VMI	7
Presbyterian	42
at CHARLESTON SOUTHERN	0
at Connecticut	59
LIBERTY	0
Big South team in ALL CAPS * - Big South Conference game	

SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Josh Hoke • PK • Coastal Carolina • Statesville, N.C.

Hoke was instrumental in Coastal's win over James Madison. On a night where special teams was a difference, Hoke hit all four PAT attempts along with a 32-yard field goal that gave Coastal a 17-14 halftime lead. On his six kickoffs, he had three touchbacks, and the best of other three resulted in field position only at the JMU 28. Overall on the six kickoffs, James Madison's average start was its own 23.

UPCOMING TV GAMES

Saturday, Oct. 1

Liberty at VMI 12:00pm
 TV: CSN, FCS Atlantic

Coastal Carolina at S.C. State
 TV: ETV 2:00pm

Key:
 BSTN: Big South Television Network
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Charleston Southern	00211970		UNC Asheville	00211910
Coastal Carolina	00211960		VMI	00211880
Tiugh Point	00211950		Winthrop	00211920

2005 BIG SOUTH CONFERENCE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

<u>Week</u>	<u>Choice Hotels Offensive Player of the Week</u>	<u>New Balance Defensive Player of the Week</u>
Sept. 5	QB Jonathan Wilson, Jr., VMI 15-18-147 YDS (83.3%), 1 TD; 3-19 rush (6.3 AVG), 12-yard TD	LB Jamar Leath, Jr., Coastal Carolina 14 TT (2-12), 1 FR (18-yard RET), 1 TFL (1 YD)
Sept. 12	Coastal Carolina offense 415 TOFF (128 R, 287 P), 2 TDs in final 5:56 to defeat #1 JMU	LB Jamar Leath, Jr., Coastal Carolina 15 TT (6-9), 0.5 TFL, 5 tackles in JMU's 6-play, next-to-last possession
Sept. 19		
Sept. 26		
Oct. 3		
Oct. 10		
Oct. 17		
Oct. 24		
Oct. 31		
Nov. 7		
Nov. 14		
Nov. 21		

2005 SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

<u>Week</u>	<u>Special Teams</u>
Sept. 5	P Noah Crouch, R-Sr., Liberty 4-177, 44.2 AVG, 2 punts inside 20-yard-line
Sept. 12	PK Josh Hoke, Jr., Coastal Carolina 4-4 PAT, 32-yard FG (7 PTS), 3 KO touchbacks in JMU win
Sept. 19	
Sept. 26	
Oct. 3	
Oct. 10	
Oct. 17	
Oct. 24	
Oct. 31	
Nov. 7	
Nov. 14	
Nov. 21	

2005 FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK

<u>Week</u>	<u>Freshman</u>
Sept. 5	RB Rod Fluellen, Liberty 1-13 PR; blocked punt to set up LU field goal
Sept. 12	QB Zach Terrell, Liberty 5-5-32 YDS, 41-yard reception, 12-yard rush at UConn
Sept. 19	
Sept. 26	
Oct. 3	
Oct. 10	
Oct. 17	
Oct. 24	
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Nov. 21	

2005 BIG SOUTH WEEKLY FOOTBALL COACHES TELECONFERENCE - EACH TUESDAY

For the first time in the League's four-year football history, the Big South will sponsor a one hour weekly teleconference involving all five head coaches each Tuesday during the 2005 season, beginning at 10:30am EST. The next call is scheduled for tomorrow, Tuesday, Sept. 13. **THIS CALL IS OPEN TO MEDIA ONLY.** For information, contact Mark Simpson at 704-341-7990 or marks@big-south.org.

THE BIG SOUTH IN THE NATIONAL POLLS

<u>Week of</u>	<u>CSU</u>	<u>CCU</u>	<u>GWU</u>	<u>LU</u>	<u>VMI</u>
Preseason	--/--/--	RV/29/RV/RV	RV/--/--	--/--/--	--/--/--
Sept. 5	--/--/--	RV/--/--	--/--/--	--/--/--	--/--/--
Sept. 12	--/--/--	17/18/15/20	RV/--/RV/--	--/--/--	--/--/--
Sept. 19					
Sept. 26					
Oct. 3					
Oct. 10					
Oct. 17					
Oct. 24					
Oct. 31					
Nov. 7					
Nov. 14					
Nov. 21					
Final					

The Sports Network is listed first, followed by Don Hansen's Weekly Football Gazette Top 40, ESPN/USA Today and I-AA.org.

RV - Received Votes

Notes: There was no ESPN/USA Today or Weekly Football Gazette poll for the week of Sept. 5 ... Coastal Carolina received a preseason No. 24 ranking from Street & Smith's.

2005 BIG SOUTH NATIONAL HONORS

The Sports Network National Player of the Week
Jamar Leath, LB, Coastal Carolina (Sept. 12)

I-AA.org Weekly All-Star
Tyler Thigpen, QB, Coastal Carolina (Sept. 12)

CollegeSportsReport.com Weekly I-AA Awards
Coastal Carolina, Team of the Week (Sept. 12)

The Sports Network Preseason All-America
Brandon Schweitzer, DL, Gardner-Webb (Honorable Mention)

Athlon's Preseason All-America
Antwon Trice, OL, Coastal Carolina (2nd Team)

The Sports Network Positional Rankings
Quinton Teal, Coastal Carolina - 8th-ranked S
Antwon Trice, Coastal Carolina - 10th-ranked OL
Maurice Simpkins, Coastal Carolina - 15th-ranked LB
Patrick Hall, Coastal Carolina - 16th-ranked RB
Collin Drafts, Charleston Southern - 18th-ranked QB

2005 BIG SOUTH PRESEASON POLL

Defending Conference champion Coastal Carolina was selected to finish first in the League's annual preseason poll. Below are the preseason poll results, with first-place votes in paranthesis:

1. Coastal Carolina (11)73
2. Liberty (3)57
3. Gardner-Webb (2)56
4. VMI29
5. Charleston Southern25

2005 BIG SOUTH PRESEASON HONORS

Preseason co-Offensive Players of the Year
Collin Drafts, Jr., QB, Charleston Southern
Patrick Hall, Sr., RB, Coastal Carolina

Preseason Defensive Player of the Year
Kelvin McIver, Sr., DL, Coastal Carolina

PRESEASON ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

OFFENSE

- QB Collin Drafts, Jr., Charleston Southern
- RB Patrick Hall, Sr., Coastal Carolina
- RB Sean Mizzer, Sr., VMI
- WR Kory Alston, Jr., Gardner-Webb
- WR Zohn Burden, Sr., VMI
- WR Jerome Simpson, Soph., Coastal Carolina
- TE Bryan Meers, Sr., Charleston Southern
- OL Antwon Trice, Sr., Coastal Carolina
- OL Markus Ferguson, R-Sr., Liberty
- OL C.J. Brown, Sr., Gardner-Webb
- OL Kevin Inge, R-Sr., Liberty
- OL Jeremy Ward, Sr., VMI

DEFENSE

- DL Kelvin McIver, Sr., Coastal Carolina
- DL Brandon Schweitzer, Sr., Gardner-Webb
- DL Vicheal Foy, R-Sr., VMI
- DL Adam DeGraffenreid, Sr., Charleston So.
- LB Maurice Simpkins, Sr., Coastal Carolina
- LB Keppy Baucom, Sr., Gardner-Webb
- LB Justin Huggard, Sr., VMI
- LB Manny Rojas, R-Jr., Liberty
- DB Robert Mason, Sr., VMI
- DB Quinton Teal, Sr., Coastal Carolina
- DB C.J. Moore, R-Sr., Liberty
- DB Tavares Shorter, Sr., Charleston Southern

SPECIAL TEAMS

- PK Josh Hoke, Jr., Coastal Carolina
- P Noah Crouch, R-Sr., Liberty
- RS Sean Mizzer, Sr., VMI
- LS Matt Skeen, Soph., Gardner-Webb

COASTAL CAROLINA UPSETS NO. 1 JAMES MADISON, 31-27

The Chanticleers recorded the biggest win in theirs and the Big South's football infancy Saturday with a 31-27 win over No. 1 James Madison at Brooks Stadium. The Chanticleers were down by 10 at 27-17, but rallied to score two touchdowns in the final 5:54 for the win. Coastal, the first Big South team to play the current No. 1 ranked team, played and defeated its first ranked team as well, and vaulted into the Top 25 in the major national polls. CCU is ranked 15th in the ESPN/USA Today poll, 17th by *The Sports Network*, 18th by Don Hansen's *National Weekly Football Gazette* and 20th by *I-AA.org*. Meanwhile, *CollegeSportsReport.com* ranks Coastal 16th in the country.

COASTAL'S BIG WIN GARNERS NATIONAL ATTENTION

Big South Defensive Player of the Week **JAMAR LEATH** has been tabbed National Defensive Player of the Week by *The Sports Network*. Meanwhile, QB **TYLER THIGPEN** was named one of *I-AA.org's* Weekly All-Stars for his efforts against James Madison.

COASTAL CAROLINA SETS CONFERENCE WIN STREAK RECORD

The Chanticleers' 31-27 win over James Madison was their 10th-straight win, dating back to last season, and establishing a Conference record for most consecutive wins. The Chants had shared the record with Gardner-Webb. Coastal's 10-game winning streak is currently the second-longest in I-AA, one game behind Harvard. Gardner-Webb's four-game win streak is tied for sixth-longest in the nation.

TWO-AND-OH-MY

For the first time in League history, two teams have started the season 2-0 (Coastal Carolina and Gardner-Webb). Coastal is 2-0 for the second-straight season, and was the only League squad to ever begin 2-0 previously (2004). The Big South is looking for its first 3-0 team.

LIFE BEGINS AT 50

Gardner-Webb has already recorded two 50-plus point games this season, extending its all-time League record to six. The record for most 50-point games in a season is three, set last year by Coastal Carolina. The Chanticleers are second behind Gardner-Webb for most 50-point games with four.

NATION'S TOP I-AA OFFENSE RESIDES IN BOILING SPRINGS, N.C.

After two games, the top offense nationally on the I-AA level is Gardner-Webb. The Runnin' Bulldogs lead the country with a balanced 582.5 yards per game. The average would rank third overall including I-A and I-AA schools. The Big South season total offense record is 414.9, set by GWU in 2002.

GARDNER-WEBB SETS BIG SOUTH RECORD FOR MOST POINTS SCORED IN CONSECUTIVE GAMES

The Runnin' Bulldogs have scored 119 points in their first two games, a League record for most points scored in back-to-back games. The previous best was 117 points, also set by Gardner-Webb (52 points vs. Southeastern Louisiana in '04 and 65 vs. Union last week). Gardner-Webb has scored 171 points in its last three appearances, dating back to the Southeastern Louisiana game, also a Big South record. The previous high was 156 points, set by Liberty in 2003. The Flames reeled off 69, 38 and 49 points to close out the '03 campaign, and with the addition of 55 points to open the '04 season, Liberty owns the record for most points scored in four straight games at 211.

12-PACK

Gardner-Webb's offense has scored a point in 12 straight quarters, dating back to last season's finale against Southeastern Louisiana. That last quarter GWU did not score was in the final stanza of its 18-0 win over Charleston Southern last season. All together, the Runnin' Bulldogs have scored in 16 of their last 18 quarters.

LIBERTY'S SCORING STREAK COMES TO AN END; NEW LEAGUE LEADER EMERGES

Liberty was shutout at Connecticut this past weekend, 59-0, ending a streak of 38-straight games with a point. The last time LU was blanked was in 2001, a 63-0 loss at Western Carolina. Of those 38 contests, 35 are as a Big South member, which sets the League record for most consecutive games with a point scored. The active streak now belongs to Coastal Carolina, which has scored in all 24 games in its history. Gardner-Webb owns the second-longest active streak at 20 games.

ROBERTS FIRST PLAYER TO PASS FOR 5,000 YARDS; APPROACHING 1,000 ON THE GROUND

Gardner-Webb QB **NICK ROBERTS** became the first player in Big South history to surpass 5,000 career passing yards following his 206 yard output Saturday against Belhaven. Roberts now stands at 5,083. Meanwhile, Roberts is 193 rushing yards away from 1,000 in his career, which would make him the first Big South quarterback to reach the rushing milestone. He is currently 12th all-time in League annals, and needs 73 yards to pass Rashaud Palmer (Elon) for 11th place. Roberts' 14 rushing touchdowns are sixth-most in Big South history.

BIG SOUTH VS. OTHER CONFERENCES	
TOTAL	6-4 (.600)
Atlantic Coast	0-0
Duke	
Atlantic 10	1-1
James Madison	1-0
William & Mary	0-1
Richmond	
Towson	
Big East	0-1
Connecticut	0-1
Gateway	0-0
Youngstown State	
Mid-Eastern Athletic	0-0
Delaware State	
Hampton	
Howard	
Norfolk State	
South Carolina State	
Ohio Valley	0-0
Tennessee-Martin	
Patriot League	0-0
Lehigh	
Pioneer League	1-0
Davidson	1-0
Jacksonville	
Southern	1-1
Elon	1-0
The Citadel	0-1
Appalachian State	
Chattanooga	
Furman	
Wofford	
I-AA Independent	0-0
Savannah State	
Non Division I	3-1
Belhaven	1-0
Concord	1-0
Union	1-0
Presbyterian	0-1
Mansfield (Pa.)	
North Greenville	
Virginia Union	
West Virginia Wesleyan	

TRIPLE PLAY

Coastal Carolina QB **TYLER THIGPEN** set career and school records in CCU's win over James Madison. The junior went 24-of-36 (=66.7) for 287 yards and three touchdowns. The 24 completions are tied for sixth-most by a Big South QB, while his passing yards are ninth all-time. Thigpen also racked up 320 yards of total offense, which is tied for ninth-most in a single-game.

SIMPSON BREAKS OUT

Coastal Carolina sophomore and 2004 Big South Freshman of the Year **JEROME SIMPSON** snared 10 passes for 162 yards in CCU's win over James Madison, including five for 80 yards in the game-winning drive. He became just the fifth player in League history with 10 receptions in one game, while his 162 receiving yards are the third-highest total in that category. Simpson has 13 receptions this year, half the amount he caught in all of 2004.

BOSTON MARKET

Gardner-Webb RB **JERMAINE BOSTON** rushed for a career-high 162 yards and three scores in Saturday's win against Belhaven, the 18th-highest rushing output in Big South history. He also became just the eighth-player in League history to score three rushing touchdowns in a game, and the first since former teammate **HAROLD WELLS** tallied three scores in the '04 season finale against Southeastern Louisiana.

GARDNER-WEBB ENTERS RECORD BOOK AFTER TWO WEEKS

Gardner-Webb followed up its 65-point performance against Union (Ky.) College in Week 1 with a 54-point output against Belhaven in Week 2. The Bulldogs recorded 568 yards of total offense (fourth all-time), ran a single-game record 88 offensive plays, and notched another Big South mark of 39 first downs in Saturday's win.

DAYLIGHT HOURS

The Big South's all-time top 10 rushing list has seen some movement following the first two weeks of action. Gardner-Webb's **JERMAINE BOSTON** leaped over Coastal's **AUNDRES PERKINS** for sixth-place, and teammate **GEORGE PRESSLEY** has moved from the 10th position into ninth. Meanwhile, CCU's **PATRICK HALL** is 42 yards away from third-place and Boston is 40 yards from fifth all-time. Here is an updated look at the top 10 (active players in ALL CAPS):

Rk	Name, school	Yards
1.	Dre Barnes, Liberty	3,409
2.	SEAN MIZZER, VMI	2,170
3.	Eugene Goodman, Liberty	1,769
4.	PATRICK HALL, Coastal Carolina	1,728
5.	Chris Foster, Gardner-Webb	1,555
6.	JERMAINE BOSTON, Gardner-Webb	1,516
7.	AUNDRES PERKINS, Coastal Carolina	1,410
8.	Sam Gado, Liberty	1,374
9.	GEORGE PRESSLEY, Gardner-Webb	1,175
10.	Travis Mays, Charleston Southern	1,144

MIZZER REACHES 2,000 RUSHING PLATEAU

VMI rusher **SEAN MIZZER** became the second Big South back to record 2,000 rushing yards, reaching the milestone in Week 1 against Davidson. Three more players have a chance at reaching the plateau this season: Coastal Carolina's **PATRICK HALL** (272 yards away), Gardner-Webb's **JERMAINE BOSTON** (484) and CCU's **AUNDRES PERKINS** (590).

BURDEN TURNS 100

VMI receiver **ZOHN BURDEN** became just the third receiver in Big South history to record 100 receptions when he reached the milestone against William & Mary this past Saturday. Burden now stands at 104 during his Big South tenure, and needs 18 to pass former Gardner-Webb receiver **WILLIAM ANDREWS JR.** (121) and 21 to displace CSU's **AARON DUNKLIN** (124) as the all-time leader. Meanwhile, Burden and teammate **GARY PRICE** have each caught a pass in a school-record 25 straight games. Both streaks began in 2003 against Navy. Price is 25 receptions away from the century mark.

FLEA-FLICKER

Coastal Carolina QB **TYLER THIGPEN** also reached the 2,000 barrier this past weekend, in passing yards that is. He became the fifth Big South QB to surpass the mark and now stands at 2,132 career yards. Thigpen needs 35 more passing yards to pass former GWU quarterback **JEREMY MARTIN** (2,166) for fourth on the all-time list. VMI QB **JONATHAN WILSON** is third at 2,778.

BIG SOUTH MISCELLEANOUS STATISTICS

3-TOUCHDOWN PASSING GAMES				
1	Nick Roberts, Gardner-Webb			
1	Tyler Thigpen, Coastal Carolina			
100-YARD RUSHING GAMES				
1	Marcus Hamilton, Liberty			
1	Sean Mizzer, VMI			
1	Jermaine Boston, Gardner-Webb			
100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES				
1	Duvaughn Flagler, Gardner-Webb			
1	Maurice Price, Charleston Southern			
1	Jerome Simpson, Coastal Carolina			
MULTI-TOUCHDOWN GAMES				
Player	2	3	4	Total
Jermaine Boston, GWU	1	1		2
Kory Alston, GWU		1		1
Aundres Perkins, CCU	1			1
Jerome Simpson, CCU	1			1
George Pressley, GWU	1			1
Marcus Hamilton, LU	1			1
CONSECUTIVE MULTI-TOUCHDOWN GAMES				
2	Jermaine Boston, GWU (9/5 - present)			

BIG SOUTH IN THE NCAA STATISTICS

The following teams rank in the top 25 in the NCAA football statistical categories, through Week 2:

Total Offense	
1.	Gardner-Webb582.5
Scoring Offense	
2.	Gardner-Webb59.5
Scoring Defense	
4.	Gardner-Webb9.5
Total Offense	
2.	Gardner-Webb597.0
Rushing Offense	
10.	Gardner-Webb247.50
Total Defense	
15.	Gardner-Webb240.5
Rushing Defense	
11.	Gardner-Webb65.50
Passing Offense	
6.	Gardner-Webb335.0
Passing Efficiency	
9.	Gardner-Webb168.58
Total Defense	
7.	VMI159.0
15.	Liberty226.0
20.	Gardner-Webb242.0
Pass Defense	
25.	Coastal Carolina150.5
Punt Returns	
12.	Gardner-Webb18.75
Kickoff Returns	
12.	Gardner-Webb27.33
Net Punting	
8.	Liberty39.64
Turnover Margin	
24.	Gardner-Webb1.00

STOP SIGN

Liberty LB **BRANDON DUKE** finished with a career-high 19 tackles in Saturday's loss at Connecticut. It tied for the second-highest single-game tackle total in Big South history. He had 14 assisted stops, which tied seven other school defenders for the second-most assisted tackles in a game.

TOP GUNS

Gardner-Webb QB **NICK ROBERTS** and Charleston Southern signal-caller **COLLIN DRAFTS** rank 1-2 in almost every Big South career passing category, and below is an updated look at the numbers through Week 2:

Category	Roberts	Drafts
Passing Yards	1st 5,083	2nd 4,909
Attempts	1st 748	2nd 738
Completions	1st 435	2nd 433
TD Passes	1st 35	2nd 33
Completion Percentage	3rd 58.2	2nd 58.7

BIG SOUTH TWO-THIRDS OF THE WAY TO BEST SEPTEMBER

With its 6-4 record thus far, the Big South is 31-32 (=.492) all-time in the month of September. Last season, Big South teams went 8-11 in the first month. The Conference's most wins in September is nine, set in 2003. The Conference has never had a winning record in the first month of the season.

100% TOTAL

Charleston Southern QB **COLLIN DRAFTS** became the second player in Big South history to amass 5,000 yards of total offense, surpassing the mark this past weekend against Presbyterian. He currently stands at 5,031, trailing Gardner-Webb's **NICK ROBERTS'** all-time lead of 5,890. Drafts is currently first all-time in total plays with 1,022, while Roberts is second at 1,005.

PERKINS ADDS TO TOTAL

Coastal Carolina RB **AUNDRES PERKINS** scored two touchdowns at Elon in Week 1, increasing his League career record to 28 scores and 168 points. Coastal Carolina RB **PATRICK HALL** is closing in on the 100-point barrier, as he enters this weekend with 96 career points. VMI rusher **SEAN MIZZER** stands 10 points away from the century mark.

BIG SOUTH'S NON-CONFERENCE RECORD IMPROVES YEAR-TO-YEAR

The Big South is looking to build on its 16-18 record in non-conference action last season, and the .470 winning percentage was its best in its three years of football. The mark surpassed the previous percentages of .436 in 2003 and .406 in 2002. The Big South went 3-3 against Southern Conference teams in 2004, and will play eight games against the SoCon this season and five each against the MEAC and Atlantic 10 in 2005.

2005 BIG SOUTH TELEVISION SCHEDULE

Date	Game	Time	Network(s)
Sat., Oct. 1	VMI at Liberty *	12:00pm	CSN Mid-Atlantic, FCSA
	Coastal Carolina at South Carolina State	2:00pm	ETV
Sat., Oct. 15	Gardner-Webb at Coastal Carolina *	3:30pm	CSS, BSTN, FCSA
Sat., Oct. 22	Gardner-Webb at VMI *	12:00pm	CSN Mid-Atlantic, BSTN, FCSA
Sat., Nov. 19	Coastal Carolina at Charleston Southern *	12:30pm	BSTN, FCSA

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The following individuals rank in the top 50 in the NCAA football statistical categories, through Week 2:

Scoring

- 3. Jermaine Boston, Gardner-Webb15.0
- 25. Hunter Smith, Gardner-Webb.....10.0
- 33. Kory Alston, Gardner-Webb9.0

Rushing

- 20. Jermaine Boston, Gardner-Webb103.5
- 27. Sean Mizzer, VMI98.5

Total Offense

- 26. Nick Roberts, Gardner-Webb247.0
- 30. Tyler Thigpen, Coastal Carolina235.5
- 43. Collin Drafts, Charleston Southern205.0

Passing Efficiency

- 9. Nick Roberts, Gardner-Webb.....164.50
- 31. Tyler Thigpen, Coastal Carolina136.37
- 45. Jonathan Wilson, VMI128.82

Receptions Per Game

- 12. Jerome Simpson, Coastal Carolina6.5
- 37. Zohn Burden, VMI5.5

Receiving Yards Per Game

- 19. Jerome Simpson, Coastal Carolina.....96.5
- 47. Austin Gaines, Gardner-Webb74.0

All-Purpose Yards

- 27. Sean Mizzer, VMI146.0
- 40. Jermaine Boston, Gardner-Webb131.0

Field Goals Per Game

- 15. Hunter Smith, Gardner-Webb.....1.50
- 29. Josh Hoke, Coastal Carolina.....1.00
- 29. Barrett Way, VMI.....1.00

Punting

- 12. Noah Crouch, Liberty42.3

Kickoff Returns

- 30. Titus Green, VMI24.25

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CHARLESTON SOUTHERN BUCCANEERS (0-2, 0-0 BIG SOUTH)

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| <p>* Charleston Southern is looking for its first win of the season, and will host Jacksonville on Saturday afternoon.</p> <p>* The Bucs are 4-1 all-time vs. the Dolphins, including a 38-3 victory last season.</p> <p>* Sophomore LB JOSH MITCHELL had 14 total tackles last week, a career-high.</p> | <p>* Sophomore RB KENNY HARPER rushed for 75 yards on nine carries (8.3 AVG) in last week's loss to Presbyterian.</p> <p>* Making his first career start in place of injured MAURICE PRICE, freshman MARKUS MURRY caught five passes, including three diving receptions, for 64 yards.</p> <p>* QB COLLIN DRAFTS is 91 yards away from becoming</p> | <p>ing the second Big South QB with 5,000 career passing yards.</p> <p>* PK NICK ELLIS has attempted the longest field goals in the Big South this season at 51 yards against both The Citadel and Presbyterian. He has been unsuccessful on both attempts.</p> <p>* TAVARES SHORTER leads the league in kickoff return yards with 131.</p> |
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COASTAL CAROLINA CHANTICLEERS (2-0, 0-0 BIG SOUTH)

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| <p>* Coastal Carolina is 2-0 for second-straight season.</p> <p>* Coastal faces Appalachian State this weekend in Boone in the first meeting of the two teams. The Mountaineers were ranked in the top 25 the week of Sept. 5.</p> <p>* Coastal has been a solid road football team since its inception, posting an 8-3 (=.727) record.</p> | <p>* The Chanticleers have played 14 games in the evening in its history, and are an impressive 11-3, including a 8-2 mark at Brooks Stadium.</p> <p>* Coastal Carolina is 15-1 all-time when scoring first, and 17-1 when leading at halftime.</p> <p>* TYLER THIGPEN is second in the Big South in total offense per game (235.5) and passing yards (419).</p> | <p>* JAMAR LEATH and ANTHONY STEELE are 2-3 in the Big South in tackles. Leath has 29 stops (14.5 per game), while Steele is tied for third with 21 hits.</p> <p>* JEROME SIMPSON has 13 receptions for 193 receiving yards, averaging 96.5 per game. Last season, he caught 26 passes for 419 yards.</p> |
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GARDNER-WEBB RUNNIN' BULLDOGS (2-0, 0-0 BIG SOUTH)

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| <p>* Gardner-Webb is idle this week, and will next play Tennessee-Martin at home on Sept. 24.</p> <p>* Gardner-Webb is averaging a halftime score of 31-2 in its last four games. The Bulldogs are now 24-4 in their last 28 home games.</p> <p>* JERMAINE BOSTON helped Gardner-Webb rush for its most team yards (305) since 1986, carrying 25 times for a career-high 162 yards and three scores</p> | <p>against Belhaven this past weekend.</p> <p>* For the second time in three weeks, Gardner-Webb received votes in <i>The Sports Network</i> Top 25 poll. GWU is tied for 40th when extending the voting totals.</p> <p>* The Bulldog defense has held three of its last four opponents under 75 yards rushing, including both opponents this season.</p> | <p>* Junior LB J.P. WEAVER tallied 12 tackles (six solo) a tackle for loss and two pass break-ups in the win over Belhaven. He helped hold the Blazers to 63 yards rushing a 239 total yards.</p> <p>* HUNTER SMITH kicked two field goals (37, 35) and was 5-of-6 on PATs for a total of 11 points vs. Belhaven.</p> |
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LIBERTY FLAMES (1-1, 0-0 BIG SOUTH)

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| <p>* For the second-straight season, the Flames had a five-game winning streak snapped in the second weekend of the year by a Division I-A opponent.</p> <p>* Liberty returns home to host Youngstown State this weekend in the eighth meeting between the schools, and third-straight year. Youngstown leads the series, 5-2. Liberty last won in 1991 (10-8).</p> <p>* YSU received votes in this week's TSN Top 25 poll.</p> | <p>* The Flames played in front of the largest crowd to ever see a Liberty football game this past Saturday as Connecticut posted its eighth-consecutive sellout with 40,000 fans in attendance at Rentschler Field.</p> <p>* The previous school record for attendance at a Flames' game was 26,374 for Liberty at Marshall in 1999.</p> | <p>* For the 15th time in school history, the Flames failed to score a point in a game. The loss at UConn dropped Liberty's record to 1-16 all-time against Division I-A schools.</p> <p>* For the second week in a row and the 13th time in his career, P NOAH CROUCH finished a game averaging 40 yards per punt. His 246 punting yards were his sixth-highest, and included a 60-yard boot in the third stanza.</p> |
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VMI KEYDETS (1-1, 0-0 BIG SOUTH)

Head Coach: Cal McCombs (7th year, 17-53) • Football Contact: Wade Branner
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| <p>* VMI travels to Duke this weekend in the Big South's first-ever match-up against an ACC opponent.</p> <p>* Duke will be VMI's first ACC opponent since the Keydets faces Virginia in 1991 (L, 42-0).</p> <p>* Duke and VMI have not met since 1940 and the Blue Devils lead the series, 6-1.</p> <p>* The Keydets have not defeated a I-A team since a</p> | <p>6-0 shutout of Virginia Tech in 1981.</p> <p>* VMI's last win over an ACC team was a 17-9 victory over Virginia in 1978.</p> <p>* Redshirt-freshman TRAVIS LUDDEN caught his first touchdown pass when he gathered in an 18-yard reception in the second quarter against #11 William & Mary.</p> | <p>* Senior TITUS GREEN set up VMI's lone score Saturday with a 53-yard kickoff return, which is the 12th-longest in Big South history.</p> <p>* The Keydets have been flagged just twice this season (delay of game and defensive offsides).</p> <p>* VMI is a perfect 7-of-7 converting in the red zone.</p> |
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CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (0-2, 0-0 BIG SOUTH)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time/Result</u>
Sept. 3	at The Citadel	L, 14-28
Sept. 10	PRESBYTERIAN	L, 0-42
Sept. 17	JACKSONVILLE	1:30pm
Sept. 24	at North Greenville	1:30pm
Oct. 1	HOWARD	1:30pm
Oct. 8	at VMI *	1:00pm
Oct. 15	WEST VIRGINIA WESLEYAN	1:30pm
Oct. 22	SAVANNAH STATE	1:30pm
Nov. 5	at Gardner-Webb *	1:30pm
Nov. 12	LIBERTY *	1:30pm
Nov. 19	COASTAL CAROLINA *	12:30pm

* - Big South Conference game
HOME GAME IN ALL CAPS

#15 COASTAL CAROLINA (2-0, 0-0 BIG SOUTH)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time/Result</u>
Sept. 3	at Elon	W, 17-10
Sept. 10	#1 JAMES MADISON	W, 31-27
Sept. 17	at Appalachian State	3:30pm
Sept. 24	DELAWARE STATE	7:00pm
Oct. 1	at South Carolina State	2:00pm
Oct. 15	GARDNER-WEBB *	3:30pm
Oct. 22	at Liberty *	7:00pm
Oct. 29	VMI *	12:30pm
Nov. 5	at Savannah State	1:30pm
Nov. 12	MANSFIELD	12:30pm
Nov. 19	at Charleston Southern *	12:30pm

* - Big South Conference game
HOME GAME IN ALL CAPS

GARDNER-WEBB (2-0, 0-0 BIG SOUTH)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time/Result</u>
Sept. 3	UNION	W, 65-12
Sept. 10	BELHAVEN	W, 54-7
Sept. 24	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	1:30pm
Oct. 1	at Furman	2:00pm
Oct. 8	HAMPTON	6:00pm
Oct. 15	at Coastal Carolina *	3:30pm
Oct. 22	at VMI *	12:00pm
Oct. 29	LIBERTY *	6:00pm
Nov. 5	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	1:30pm
Nov. 12	at Savannah State	1:00pm
Nov. 19	WOFFORD	12:00pm

* - Big South Conference game
HOME GAME IN ALL CAPS

LIBERTY (1-1, 0-0 BIG SOUTH)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time/Result</u>
Sept. 3	CONCORD	W, 17-6
Sept. 10	at Connecticut	L, 0-59
Sept. 17	YOUNGSTOWN STATE	7:00pm
Sept. 24	at William & Mary	1:00pm
Oct. 1	VMI *	12:00pm
Oct. 8	CHATTANOOGA	7:00pm
Oct. 15	TOWSON	7:00pm
Oct. 22	COASTAL CAROLINA *	7:00pm
Oct. 29	at Gardner-Webb *	6:00pm
Nov. 5	at Charleston Southern *	1:30pm
Nov. 12	at Norfolk State	1:00pm

* - Big South Conference game
HOME GAME IN ALL CAPS

VMI (1-1, 0-0 BIG SOUTH)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time/Result</u>
Sept. 3	DAVIDSON	W, 33-0
Sept. 10	#11 WILLIAM & MARY	L, 7-41
Sept. 17	at Duke	1:00pm
Sept. 24	LEHIGH	1:00pm
Oct. 1	at Liberty *	12:00pm
Oct. 8	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN *	1:00pm
Oct. 15	at Wofford	1:30pm
Oct. 22	GARDNER-WEBB *	12:00pm
Oct. 29	at Coastal Carolina *	12:30pm
Nov. 5	at Richmond	3:00pm
Nov. 19	THE CITADEL	1:00pm

* - Big South Conference game
HOME GAME IN ALL CAPS

2005 BIG SOUTH TELEVISION SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Game</u>	<u>Network</u>
Sept. 3	CSU at The Citadel	ETV
Oct. 1	Liberty at VMI *	CSN, FCSA
Oct. 1	CCU at S.C. State	ETV
Oct. 15	GWU at CCU *	CSS, BSTN, FCSA
Oct. 22	GWU at VMI *	CSN, BSTN, FCSA
Nov. 19	CCU at CSU *	BSTN, FCSA

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SCORING OFFENSE										RUSHING OFFENSE						
G	TD	XP	2XP	DXP	FG	Saf	Pts	Avg		G	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Yds/G	
Gardner-Webb.....	2	16	14	0	0	3	0	119	59.5	Gardner-Webb.....	2	90	495	5.5	9	247.5
Coastal Carolina....	2	6	6	0	0	2	0	48	24.0	VMI.....	2	87	317	3.6	3	158.5
VMI.....	2	5	4	0	0	2	0	40	20.0	Coastal Carolina....	2	74	258	3.5	3	129.0
Liberty.....	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	17	8.5	Liberty.....	2	63	196	3.1	1	98.0
Charleston Southern.	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	14	7.0	Charleston Southern.	2	74	128	1.7	1	64.0

SCORING DEFENSE										RUSHING DEFENSE						
G	TD	XP	2XP	DXP	FG	Saf	Pts	Avg		G	Rushes	Yards	Avg.	TD	Yds/G	
Gardner-Webb.....	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	19	9.5	Gardner-Webb.....	2	52	131	2.5	1	65.5
Coastal Carolina....	2	5	4	0	0	1	0	37	18.5	Coastal Carolina....	2	84	293	3.5	4	146.5
VMI.....	2	5	5	0	0	2	0	41	20.5	VMI.....	2	70	311	4.4	3	155.5
Liberty.....	2	9	8	0	0	1	0	65	32.5	Charleston Southern.	2	82	354	4.3	3	177.0
Charleston Southern.	2	10	10	0	0	0	0	70	35.0	Liberty.....	2	105	480	4.6	6	240.0

PASS OFFENSE										TOTAL OFFENSE								
G	Att	Cmp	Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg	TD	Yds/G		G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Yds/G	
Gardner-Webb.....	2	73	49	1	67.1	670	9.2	6	335.0	Gardner-Webb.....	2	495	670	163	1165	7.1	15	582.5
Charleston Southern.	2	71	42	2	59.2	449	6.3	1	224.5	Coastal Carolina....	2	258	419	132	677	5.1	6	338.5
Coastal Carolina....	2	58	36	1	62.1	419	7.2	3	209.5	VMI.....	2	317	317	136	634	4.7	5	317.0
VMI.....	2	49	33	3	67.3	317	6.5	2	158.5	Charleston Southern.	2	128	449	145	577	4.0	2	288.5
Liberty.....	2	38	20	1	52.6	279	7.3	1	139.5	Liberty.....	2	196	279	101	475	4.7	2	237.5

PASS DEFENSE										TOTAL DEFENSE								
G	Att	Cmp	Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg	TD	Yds/G		G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg	TD	Yds/G	
Coastal Carolina....	2	47	31	1	66.0	301	6.4	1	150.5	Gardner-Webb.....	2	131	350	126	481	3.8	3	240.5
VMI.....	2	44	29	2	65.9	317	7.2	1	158.5	Coastal Carolina....	2	293	301	131	594	4.5	5	297.0
Liberty.....	2	51	29	0	56.9	346	6.8	3	173.0	VMI.....	2	311	317	114	628	5.5	4	314.0
Gardner-Webb.....	2	74	44	1	59.5	350	4.7	2	175.0	Charleston Southern.	2	354	380	135	734	5.4	9	367.0
Charleston Southern.	2	53	31	0	58.5	380	7.2	6	190.0	Liberty.....	2	480	346	156	826	5.3	9	413.0

KICKOFF RETURNS					PUNT RETURNS						
G	Ret	Yds	TD	Avg	G	Ret	Yds	TD	Avg		
Gardner-Webb.....	2	3	82	0	27.3	Gardner-Webb.....	2	4	75	1	18.8
VMI.....	2	6	138	0	23.0	Liberty.....	2	3	32	0	10.7
Coastal Carolina....	2	7	110	0	15.7	VMI.....	2	2	17	0	8.5
Charleston Southern.	2	11	168	0	15.3	Coastal Carolina....	2	2	3	0	1.5
Liberty.....	2	9	117	0	13.0	Charleston Southern.	2	3	-4	0	-1.3

PUNTING								PASS EFFICIENCY									
G	No.	Yards	Avg	Ret	Yds	Avg	Net/P	G	Att	Cmp	Pct	Int	Yds	TD	Effic		
Liberty.....	2	11	473	43.0	4	17	1.5	41.5	Gardner-Webb.....	2	73	49	.671	1	670	6	168.6
Charleston Southern.	2	15	517	34.5	4	25	1.7	32.8	Coastal Carolina....	2	58	36	.621	1	419	3	136.4
Coastal Carolina....	2	9	309	34.3	4	34	3.8	30.6	VMI.....	2	49	33	.673	3	317	2	122.9
VMI.....	2	6	210	35.0	3	37	6.2	28.8	Liberty.....	2	38	20	.526	1	279	1	117.7
Gardner-Webb.....	2	3	109	36.3	3	47	15.7	20.7	Charleston Southern.	2	71	42	.592	2	449	1	111.3

TURNOVER MARGIN										
G	--Gained--			---Lost---			Mar	Per/G		
	Fum	Int	Tot	Fum	Int	Tot				
Gardner-Webb.....	2	3	1	4	1	1	2	+2	1.00	
VMI.....	2	1	2	3	0	3	3	+0	0.00	
Coastal Carolina....	2	1	1	2	2	1	3	-1	-0.50	
Liberty.....	2	1	0	1	3	1	4	-3	-1.50	
Charleston Southern.	2	1	0	1	2	2	4	-3	-1.50	

FIRST DOWNS					3RD-DN CONVERSIONS					
G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	G	Conv	Att	Pct		
Gardner-Webb.....	2	29	33	6	68	VMI.....	2	16	27	59.3
VMI.....	2	16	22	1	39	Gardner-Webb.....	2	11	22	50.0
Coastal Carolina....	2	16	21	0	37	Coastal Carolina....	2	13	29	44.8
Charleston Southern.	2	9	24	1	34	Charleston Southern.	2	12	35	34.3
Liberty.....	2	14	10	2	26	Liberty.....	2	2	21	9.5

OPPONENT 1ST DOWNS					OPP 3RD-DN CONVERT					
G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	G	Conv	Att	Pct		
Gardner-Webb.....	2	10	17	3	30	VMI.....	2	6	20	30.0
Coastal Carolina....	2	18	13	3	34	Charleston Southern.	2	7	22	31.8
VMI.....	2	19	14	1	34	Gardner-Webb.....	2	11	29	37.9
Charleston Southern.	2	19	18	3	40	Coastal Carolina....	2	12	30	40.0
Liberty.....	2	30	18	2	50	Liberty.....	2	15	28	53.6

SACKS BY			SACKS AGAINST				
G	Sacks	Yards	G	Sacks	Yards		
Gardner-Webb.....	2	6	23	Gardner-Webb.....	2	2	20
Charleston Southern.	2	4	26	Coastal Carolina....	2	2	11
Liberty.....	2	4	19	VMI.....	2	3	18
Coastal Carolina....	2	3	21	Liberty.....	2	6	44
VMI.....	2	2	14	Charleston Southern.	2	7	54

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PENALTIES	G	No	Yds	Avg/G
VMI.....	2	2	10	5.0
Coastal Carolina....	2	6	59	29.5
Liberty.....	2	9	69	34.5
Charleston Southern.	2	16	92	46.0
Gardner-Webb.....	2	21	156	78.0

OPPONENT PENALTIES	G	No	Yds	Avg/G
Gardner-Webb.....	2	20	169	84.5
Charleston Southern.	2	18	121	60.5
VMI.....	2	13	110	55.0
Coastal Carolina....	2	13	83	41.5
Liberty.....	2	6	60	30.0

4TH-DN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv	Att	Pct
Gardner-Webb.....	2	1	1	100.0
Coastal Carolina....	2	2	3	66.7
VMI.....	2	2	4	50.0
Charleston Southern.	2	0	3	0.0
Liberty.....	2	0	3	0.0

OPP 4TH-DN CONVERT	G	Conv	Att	Pct
Liberty.....	2	0	2	0.0
Gardner-Webb.....	2	0	5	0.0
VMI.....	2	1	5	20.0
Coastal Carolina....	2	1	4	25.0
Charleston Southern.	2	1	1	100.0

RED ZONE OFFENSE	G	RedZone	Percent	TDs	R/P	FG-AT	Fumb/Int/Downs/Other
VMI.....	2	7-7	100.0	5	3/2	2-2	0/ 0/ 0/ 0
Charleston Southern.	2	2-2	100.0	2	1/1	0-0	0/ 0/ 0/ 0
Gardner-Webb.....	2	16-18	88.9	13	9/4	3-4	0/ 1/ 0/ 0
Coastal Carolina....	2	6-7	85.7	4	3/1	2-2	0/ 0/ 1/ 0
Liberty.....	2	2-3	66.7	1	1/0	1-2	0/ 0/ 0/ 0

RED ZONE DEFENSE	G	RedZone	Percent	TDs	R/P	FG-AT	Fumb/Int/Downs/Other
Gardner-Webb.....	2	1-3	33.3	1	0/1	0-1	0/ 0/ 1/ 0
Coastal Carolina....	2	6-8	75.0	5	4/1	1-3	0/ 0/ 0/ 0
VMI.....	2	5-6	83.3	4	3/1	1-1	0/ 0/ 1/ 0
Charleston Southern.	2	7-8	87.5	7	3/4	0-0	0/ 0/ 0/ 1
Liberty.....	2	9-9	100.0	8	5/3	1-1	0/ 0/ 0/ 0

FIELD GOALS	G	Made	Att	Pct
VMI.....	2	2	2	1.000
Gardner-Webb.....	2	3	4	.750
Coastal Carolina....	2	2	3	.667
Liberty.....	2	1	3	.333
Charleston Southern.	2	0	3	.000

PAT KICKING	G	Made	Att	Pct
Coastal Carolina....	2	6	6	1.000
Charleston Southern.	2	2	2	1.000
Liberty.....	2	2	2	1.000
Gardner-Webb.....	2	14	16	.875
VMI.....	2	4	5	.800

TIME OF POSSESSION	G	Total Time	Avg/G
VMI.....	2	66:35	33:17
Charleston Southern.	2	63:37	31:48
Gardner-Webb.....	2	57:28	28:44
Coastal Carolina....	2	56:48	28:24
Liberty.....	2	48:28	24:14

KICKOFF COVERAGE	G	No.	Yards	TD	Avg
Gardner-Webb.....	2	21	363	0	17.3
Charleston Southern.	2	3	60	0	20.0
Liberty.....	2	2	41	0	20.5
VMI.....	2	7	166	0	23.7
Coastal Carolina....	2	4	130	0	32.5

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RUSHING	Team	Cl	G	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Yds/G
BOSTON, Jermaine....	GWU	SR	2	36	207	5.8	5	103.5
MIZZER, Sean.....	VMI	SR	2	47	197	4.2	1	98.5
HAMILTON, Marcus....	LU	SR	2	27	151	5.6	1	75.5
GERMAN, Kelvin.....	GWU	JR	2	21	137	6.5	1	68.5
PRESSLEY, George....	GWU	SR	2	17	124	7.3	2	62.0
HALL, Patrick.....	COAST	SR	2	33	117	3.5	0	58.5
HARPER, Kenny.....	CSU	SO	2	17	87	5.1	0	43.5

INTERCEPTIONS	Team	Cl	G	Int	Yds	TD	Int/G
HAYNES, Dominique...	GWU	SR	2	1	12	0	0.50
HULL, Kamau.....	VMI	SR	2	1	3	0	0.50
GEIGER, Sergio.....	COAST	JR	2	1	0	0	0.50
GREEN, Titus.....	VMI	SR	2	1	0	0	0.50

PASSING AVG/GAME	Team	Cl	G	Att	Cmp	Int	Pct.	Yds	TD	Avg/G
ROBERTS, Nick.....	GWU	SR	2	48	32	1	66.7	465	3	232.5
THIGPEN, Tyler.....	COAST	JR	2	58	36	1	62.1	419	3	209.5
DRAFTS, Collin.....	CSU	JR	2	69	40	2	58.0	400	1	200.0
WILSON, Jonathan....	VMI	JR	2	45	32	3	71.1	302	2	151.0
FARREL, Brock.....	LU	SR	2	33	15	1	45.5	247	1	123.5
CAMPBELL, Devin.....	GWU	FR	2	16	11	0	68.8	142	2	71.0
LEARD, Jeff.....	GWU	SR	2	9	6	0	66.7	63	1	31.5
TERRELL, Zach.....	LU	FR	2	5	5	0	100.0	32	0	16.0
ALLEN, Terrel.....	VMI	FR	2	4	1	0	25.0	15	0	7.5

PASS EFFICIENCY	Team	Cl	G	Att	Cmp	Int	Pct.	Yds	TD	Bff.
CAMPBELL, Devin.....	GWU	FR	2	16	11	0	68.8	142	2	184.5
ROBERTS, Nick.....	GWU	SR	2	48	32	1	66.7	465	3	164.5
LEARD, Jeff.....	GWU	SR	2	9	6	0	66.7	63	1	162.1
TERRELL, Zach.....	LU	FR	2	5	5	0	100.0	32	0	153.8
THIGPEN, Tyler.....	COAST	JR	2	58	36	1	62.1	419	3	136.4
WILSON, Jonathan....	VMI	JR	2	45	32	3	71.1	302	2	128.8
FARREL, Brock.....	LU	SR	2	33	15	1	45.5	247	1	112.3
DRAFTS, Collin.....	CSU	JR	2	69	40	2	58.0	400	1	105.7
ALLEN, Terrel.....	VMI	FR	2	4	1	0	25.0	15	0	56.5

TOTAL OFFENSE	Team	Cl	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Total	Yds/G
ROBERTS, Nick.....	GWU	SR	2	29	465	55	494	247.0
THIGPEN, Tyler.....	COAST	JR	2	52	419	71	471	235.5
DRAFTS, Collin.....	CSU	JR	2	10	400	101	410	205.0
WILSON, Jonathan....	VMI	JR	2	1	302	54	303	151.5
FARREL, Brock.....	LU	SR	2	-33	247	41	214	107.0
BOSTON, Jermaine....	GWU	SR	2	207	0	36	207	103.5
MIZZER, Sean.....	VMI	SR	2	197	0	47	197	98.5
HAMILTON, Marcus....	LU	SR	2	151	0	27	151	75.5
GERMAN, Kelvin.....	GWU	JR	2	137	0	21	137	68.5
CAMPBELL, Devin.....	GWU	FR	2	-8	142	19	134	67.0

PUNT RETURN AVG	Team	Cl	G	Ret	Yds	TD	Avg
ALSTON, Kory.....	GWU	JR	2	2	49	1	24.5
MANNING, Andre.....	GWU	JR	2	2	26	0	13.0
BROGDEN, Jared.....	LU	SR	2	2	19	0	9.5
MIZZER, Sean.....	VMI	SR	2	2	17	0	8.5
MURRY, Markus.....	CSU	FR	2	2	-4	0	-2.0

RECEPTIONS/GAME	Team	Cl	G	Rec	Yds	TD	Avg/C	Rec/G
SIMPSON, Jerome.....	COAST	SO	2	13	193	2	14.8	6.50
BURDEN, Zohn.....	VMI	SR	2	11	97	0	8.8	5.50
GAINES, Austin.....	GWU	JR	2	8	148	1	18.5	4.00
ALSTON, Kory.....	GWU	JR	2	8	109	2	13.6	4.00
FLAGLER, Duvaughn...	GWU	SO	2	6	139	1	23.2	3.00
FARLEY, Nathan.....	COAST	SO	2	6	94	0	15.7	3.00
LABEGA, Dimar.....	CSU	JR	2	6	75	0	12.5	3.00
MURRY, Markus.....	CSU	FR	2	6	73	0	12.2	3.00
PRICE, Gary.....	VMI	SR	2	6	52	0	8.7	3.00
RUCKS, Drew.....	CSU	JR	2	6	50	0	8.3	3.00

KICK RETURN AVG	Team	Cl	G	Ret	Yds	TD	Avg
GREEN, Titus.....	VMI	SR	2	4	97	0	24.2
MIZZER, Sean.....	VMI	SR	2	2	41	0	20.5
WASHINGTON, Santini.	COAST	SO	2	3	52	0	17.3
SHORTER, Tavares....	CSU	SR	2	8	131	0	16.4
BOLDEN, Dominic.....	LU	FR	2	3	39	0	13.0
OTAH, Rajive.....	LU	JR	2	5	63	0	12.6
LABEGA, Dimar.....	CSU	JR	2	3	37	0	12.3

RECEIVE YDS/GAME	Team	Cl	G	Rec	Yds	TD	Avg/C	Yds/G
SIMPSON, Jerome.....	COAST	SO	2	13	193	2	14.8	96.5
GAINES, Austin.....	GWU	JR	2	8	148	1	18.5	74.0
FLAGLER, Duvaughn...	GWU	SO	2	6	139	1	23.2	69.5
ALSTON, Kory.....	GWU	JR	2	8	109	2	13.6	54.5
BURDEN, Zohn.....	VMI	SR	2	11	97	0	8.8	48.5
FARLEY, Nathan.....	COAST	SO	2	6	94	0	15.7	47.0
LABEGA, Dimar.....	CSU	JR	2	6	75	0	12.5	37.5
MURRY, Markus.....	CSU	FR	2	6	73	0	12.2	36.5
NOBLE, Chris.....	COAST	JR	2	5	63	0	12.6	31.5
BOSTON, Jermaine....	GWU	SR	2	5	55	0	11.0	27.5

PUNTING	Team	Cl	G	Punts	Yds	Avg
CROUCH, Noah.....	LU	SR	2	10	423	42.3
WILLIAMS, Rob.....	COAST	JR	2	9	309	34.3
PEARSON, Hart.....	CSU	FR	2	10	336	33.6

ALL PURPOSE	Team	Cl	G	Rush	Rcv	PR	KR	Yds	Avg/G
MIZZER, Sean.....	VMI	SR	2	197	37	17	41	292	146.0
BOSTON, Jermaine....	GWU	SR	2	207	55	0	0	262	131.0
GERMAN, Kelvin.....	GWU	JR	2	137	39	0	43	219	109.5
HAMILTON, Marcus....	LU	SR	2	151	50	0	0	201	100.5
SIMPSON, Jerome.....	COAST	SO	2	0	193	0	0	193	96.5
ALSTON, Kory.....	GWU	JR	2	0	109	49	0	158	79.0
GAINES, Austin.....	GWU	JR	2	0	148	0	0	148	74.0
FLAGLER, Duvaughn...	GWU	SO	2	8	139	0	0	147	73.5
OTAH, Rajive.....	LU	JR	2	70	7	0	63	140	70.0
SHORTER, Tavares....	CSU	SR	2	0	0	0	131	131	65.5

SCORING	Team	Cl	G	TD	XPT	FG	Pts	Pts/G
BOSTON, Jermaine....	GWU	SR	2	5	0	0	30	15.0
SMITH, Hunter.....	GWU	JR	2	0	11	3	20	10.0
ALSTON, Kory.....	GWU	JR	2	3	0	0	18	9.0
HOKE, Josh.....	COAST	JR	2	0	6	2	12	6.0
PERKINS, Aundres....	COAST	JR	2	2	0	0	12	6.0
PRESSLEY, George....	GWU	SR	2	2	0	0	12	6.0
SIMPSON, Jerome.....	COAST	SO	2	2	0	0	12	6.0
HAMILTON, Marcus....	LU	SR	2	2	0	0	12	6.0
WAY, Barrett.....	VMI	SO	2	0	4	2	10	5.0

SCORING (TDs)	Team	Cl	G	TD	Rush	Pass	Ret	PAT	Pts	Pts/G
BOSTON, Jermaine....	GWU	SR	2	5	5	0	0	0	30	15.0
ALSTON, Kory.....	GWU	JR	2	3	0	2	1	0	18	9.0
PRESSLEY, George....	GWU	SR	2	2	2	0	0	0	12	6.0
SIMPSON, Jerome.....	COAST	SO	2	2	0	2	0	0	12	6.0
PERKINS, Aundres....	COAST	JR	2	2	2	0	0	0	12	6.0
HAMILTON, Marcus....	LU	SR	2	2	1	1	0	0	12	6.0
PARKS, Perry.....	COAST	JR	2	1	0	1	0	0	6	3.0
MIZZER, Sean.....	VMI	SR	2	1	1	0	0	0	6	3.0
DRAFTS, Collin.....	CSU	JR	2	1	1	0	0	0	6	3.0
COLLINS, Dobson.....	GWU	FR	2	1	0	1	0	0	6	3.0

FIELD GOALS	Team	Cl	G	FG	FGA	Pct.	FG/G
SMITH, Hunter.....	GWU	JR	2	3	4	75.0	1.50
WAY, Barrett.....	VMI	SO	2	2	2	100.0	1.00
HOKE, Josh.....	COAST	JR	2	2	3	66.7	1.00

SCORING (KICK)	Team	Cl	G	PATs	FGs	Pts	Pts/G
SMITH, Hunter.....	GWU	JR	2	11-13	3-4	20	10.0
HOKE, Josh.....	COAST	JR	2	6-6	2-3	12	6.0
WAY, Barrett.....	VMI	SO	2	4-5	2-2	10	5.0
PARKER, Keith.....	GWU	SR	2	3-3	0-0	3	1.5
ELLIS, Nick.....	CSU	SO	2	2-2	0-3	2	1.0

FLD GOAL PCT	Team	Cl	G	FG	FGA	Long	Pct.
SMITH, Hunter.....	GWU	JR	2	3	4	37	75.0

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PAT KICKING PCT		Team	Cl	G	Made	Att	Pct.
HOKE, Josh.....	COAST	JR	2	6	6	100.0	
SMITH, Hunter.....	GWU	JR	2	11	13	84.6	
WAY, Barrett.....	VMI	SO	2	4	5	80.0	

TACKLES (All positions)

Player	Team	Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Total	Avg/G	Sack
DUKE, Brandon.....	LU	SO	2	LB	9	22	31	15.5	0.0
LEATH, Jamar.....	COAST	JR	2	LB	8	21	29	14.5	0.0
ROSS, Jada.....	CSU	JR	2	LB	13	8	21	10.5	1.0
MITCHELL, Josh.....	CSU	SO	2	LB	7	14	21	10.5	1.0
STEELE, Anthony.....	COAST	SO	2	LB	4	17	21	10.5	0.0
BAUCOM, Keppy.....	GWU	SR	2	LB	11	10	21	10.5	0.0
HULL, Kamau.....	VMI	SR	2		8	12	20	10.0	0.0
SIMPKINS, Maurice...	COAST	SR	2	LB	7	13	20	10.0	1.0
HUGGARD, Justin.....	VMI	SR	2		7	13	20	10.0	0.0
MOORE, C.J.....	LU	SR	2	DB	8	10	18	9.0	0.0
BALDWIN, Todd.....	VMI	SR	2		6	12	18	9.0	0.0
ROJAS, Manny.....	LU	JR	2	LB	7	10	17	8.5	1.0
HURSKY, Nick.....	LU	FR	2	LB	5	12	17	8.5	1.0
WEAVER, J.P.....	GWU	JR	2	LB	7	9	16	8.0	0.0
LEE, Jonna.....	CSU	SO	2	LB	11	5	16	8.0	1.5
LANCASTER, Shane....	LU	SR	2	DB	9	7	16	8.0	0.0
BARNES, Marcus.....	VMI	SR	2		6	9	15	7.5	1.0
MASON, Robert.....	VMI	SR	2		5	8	13	6.5	0.0
GRADY, Adrain.....	COAST	JR	2	DL	4	9	13	6.5	0.0
HARRIS, Grant.....	VMI	SR	2		5	8	13	6.5	0.0
TEAL, Quinton.....	COAST	SR	2	DB	9	4	13	6.5	0.0
COOKE, Daniel.....	GWU	FR	2	DB	7	6	13	6.5	0.0
SCHWEITZER, Brandon.	GWU	SR	2	DL	6	6	12	6.0	0.5
LITTLE, Jonathan....	GWU	SR	2	LB	4	7	11	5.5	1.0
HORN, Jason.....	LU	JR	2	DL	3	8	11	5.5	1.0
MYERS, Dewitt.....	COAST	JR	2	DB	7	3	10	5.0	0.0
MANNING, Andre.....	GWU	JR	2	DB	5	5	10	5.0	0.0
CHAMBERS, Kenneth...	COAST	JR	2	DL	3	7	10	5.0	0.0
HIRSCHMAN, C.J.....	CSU	SO	2	DB	3	6	9	4.5	0.0
WALTON, Jamaal.....	VMI	JR	2		3	6	9	4.5	0.0
McIVER, Kelvin.....	COAST	SR	2	DE	4	4	8	4.0	0.0
WILLIAMS, Terron....	GWU	FR	2	DB	5	3	8	4.0	0.0
JORDAN, Phil.....	CSU	JR	2	DL	2	6	8	4.0	0.0
RICHARD, Kevin.....	LU	FR	2	DL	2	6	8	4.0	0.0
MCHELLON, Marvin....	CSU	JR	2	DB	4	4	8	4.0	0.0
FOXX, Michael.....	VMI	SR	2		4	4	8	4.0	0.0
LUNDY, Sean.....	COAST	JR	2	DB	4	4	8	4.0	0.0
McWHORTER, Carlos...	LU	SR	2	DL	1	6	7	3.5	0.0
CALVARY, Patrick....	LU	FR	2	DB	5	2	7	3.5	0.0
HAYNES, Dominique...	GWU	SR	2	DB	5	2	7	3.5	0.0
TURNER, Tyler.....	LU	JR	2	DL	2	5	7	3.5	0.0
THORNTON, Ian.....	GWU	SR	2	DL	2	5	7	3.5	0.5
VESSER, Mike.....	GWU	FR	2	DB	4	3	7	3.5	0.0
WALLACE, Josh.....	LU	SR	2	DB	2	4	6	3.0	0.0
LEE, Thurston.....	GWU	JR	2	DL	3	3	6	3.0	0.0
GREEN, Titus.....	VMI	SR	2		2	4	6	3.0	0.0
BAKER, Kennny.....	GWU	FR	2	DL	2	4	6	3.0	1.0
MOORE, Sean.....	VMI	SR	2		3	2	5	2.5	0.0
WALKER, Chris.....	COAST	SO	2	DL	3	2	5	2.5	0.0
KEMP, Kenneth.....	LU	SR	2	LB	3	2	5	2.5	0.0

SACKS

Player	Team	Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Yds	Total	Avg/G
LEE, Jonna.....	CSU	SO	2	LB	1	1	5	1.5	0.75
SEMAN, Ryan.....	GWU	SR	2	DE	1	1	5	1.5	0.75
SIMPKINS, Maurice...	COAST	SR	2	LB	1	0	11	1.0	0.50
MITCHELL, Josh.....	CSU	SO	2	LB	1	0	10	1.0	0.50
MIDDLETON, Ro-Derick	COAST	SO	2	DE	1	0	9	1.0	0.50
BARNES, Marcus.....	VMI	SR	2		1	0	9	1.0	0.50
HUGHES, Dan.....	LU	JR	2	DL	1	0	9	1.0	0.50
ROSS, Jada.....	CSU	JR	2	LB	1	0	8	1.0	0.50
LITTLE, Jonathan....	GWU	SR	2	LB	1	0	8	1.0	0.50
HORN, Jason.....	LU	JR	2	DL	1	0	7	1.0	0.50

TACKLES FOR LOSS

Player	Team	Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Yds	Total	Avg/G
LEE, Jonna.....	CSU	SO	2	LB	2	3	13	3.5	1.75
SIMPKINS, Maurice...	COAST	SR	2	LB	2	2	20	3.0	1.50
HUGGARD, Justin.....	VMI	SR	2		2	1	8	2.5	1.25
LITTLE, Jonathan....	GWU	SR	2	LB	2	1	14	2.5	1.25
HORN, Jason.....	LU	JR	2	DL	2	1	10	2.5	1.25
BARNES, Marcus.....	VMI	SR	2		2	1	10	2.5	1.25
ROJAS, Manny.....	LU	JR	2	LB	2	0	5	2.0	1.00
DAYE, Kyle.....	GWU	FR	2	DL	1	2	6	2.0	1.00
MOORE, Sean.....	VMI	SR	2		2	0	11	2.0	1.00
GRADY, Adrain.....	COAST	JR	2	DL	2	0	10	2.0	1.00

FUMBLES FORCED

Player	Team	Cl	G	Num
MASON, Robert.....	VMI	SR	2	1
VESSER, Mike.....	GWU	FR	2	1
SIMPKINS, Maurice...	COAST	SR	2	1
BAUCOM, Keppy.....	GWU	SR	2	1
SCHWEITZER, Brandon.	GWU	SR	2	1
BARNES, Marcus.....	VMI	SR	2	1

FUMBLES RCVD

Player	Team	Cl	G	Num
LEATH, Jamar.....	COAST	JR	2	1
PUTMAN, Brock.....	GWU	SO	2	1
LITTLE, Jonathan....	GWU	SR	2	1
DUGAN, Colin.....	LU	FR	1	1
WEAVER, J.P.....	GWU	JR	2	1
LIESFELD, Charlie...	VMI	JR	2	1
MCCANN, Mike.....	CSU	SO	2	1

PASSES DEFENDED

Player	Team	Cl	G	Brup	Int	Total
COOKE, Daniel.....	GWU	FR	2	4	0	4
TEAL, Quinton.....	COAST	SR	2	3	0	3
WEAVER, J.P.....	GWU	JR	2	2	0	2
WALTON, Jamaal.....	VMI	JR	2	2	0	2
MASON, Robert.....	VMI	SR	2	2	0	2
MCHELLON, Marvin....	CSU	JR	2	2	0	2
MITCHELL, Josh.....	CSU	SO	2	2	0	2
GREEN, Titus.....	VMI	SR	2	1	1	2
GEIGER, Sergio.....	COAST	JR	2	1	1	2
DELEMAR, Dennis....	CSU	FR	2	1	0	1