



RED HAWKS

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2009 PLAYER BIOS

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Mitch Anderson

84

Wide Receiver

Junior

6-3 185

Canton, Ohio (Canton Central)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned first varsity letter in 2008 ... walk-on receiver who might increase his playing time in 2009 ... a great leaper, his 10-foot-2-inch standing long jump is tied for best on the team.

2008: Saw action in nine games, including the last four of 2008 ... his first collegiate catch was a 17-yarder vs. Charleston Southern ... caught four passes for 37 yards in his final three games a year ago, including two at Toledo.

2007: Did not see action in any games ... earned Offensive Scout Team Player of the Year honors.

2006: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-time letterwinner as wide receiver and defensive back at Central Catholic ... he earned first-team all-county honors as a senior, grabbing 42 receptions, including seven TDs ... also played basketball, averaging 15 points per game ... hurdler and high jumper for track and field squad ... academically, ranked fifth in his class ... prep coach was Lowell Klincfelter.

PERSONAL: Born December 26, 1987 ... son of Mark and Regina Anderson ... father was a member of Michigan State University's football team ... enjoys doing anything outdoors and working with wood ... majoring in zoology ... an excellent student in the classroom, he plans to go to law school.

Mitch Anderson's Career Receiving Statistics

Year	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2008	5	54	10.8	0	17



Trevor Behmke

83

Tight End

Freshman

6-5 250

Paoli, Pennsylvania (Conestoga)



SCOUTING REPORT: Sat out spring practice due to an injury ... good size and great hands ... a terrific blocker and a pass catcher ... possesses a fine blend of size, speed and athleticism.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played tailback, wide receiver and free safety as a freshman, wide receiver and free safety as a sophomore, and tight end and outside linebacker as a junior ... lettered twice each in basketball and lacrosse at Conestoga High ... played for head coach John Vogan.

PERSONAL: Born June 13, 1990 ... son of Steve and Suzanne Behmke ... majoring in business.





Clay Belton

13

Quarterback
Junior
6-5 223
Dayton, Ohio (Northmont)

Ben Bennett

23

Defensive Back
Junior
5-11 188
Capitol Heights, Maryland (Gwynn Park)

SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his first varsity letter in 2008, appearing in seven games as Miami's quarterback ... sat out a portion of spring practice with an injury ... will battle Daniel Raudabaugh and Zac Dysert for the starting job.

2008: Started four games at QB for Miami (vs. Temple, at Bowling Green, vs. Kent State and at Buffalo) ... his first varsity action came in the fourth quarter at Michigan when Raudabaugh was injured ... threw for 639 yards, completing nearly 55 percent of his passes ... his best individual effort came in a victory at Bowling Green, connecting on a 53-yard touchdown pass to Chris Givens ... also tossed for 171 yards and a touchdown vs. Kent State.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Passed for more than 4,400 yards and 44 touchdowns in 2005 and 2006 ... earned first-team conference accolades as a junior, throwing for 2,700 yards and 30 TDs ... a broken hand limited him to 1,700 yards passing and 14 TDs in 2006 ... led Northmont to state playoff appearances in 2005 and 2006 with records of 8-3 each year ... named First-Team All-Ohio in 2005 and garnered second-team honors in 2006 ... also captained the basketball team for the Thunderbolts ... prep coach was Lance Schneider.

PERSONAL: Born December 12, 1988 ... given name is Craig Belton III ... son of Craig and Lisa Belton ... a distant relative, Ed Wells, who pitched in Major League Baseball for the Detroit Tigers, New York Yankees and St. Louis Browns ... Wells was a teammate of Babe Ruth ... started playing football as a seventh grader, modeling his style after former Miami star Ben Roethlisberger ... carries a 3.0+ GPA and majors in business.

Single-Game Bests

- Completions: 18 vs. Kent State, 2008

- Attempts: 31 vs. Kent State, 2008

- Yards: 171 vs. Kent State, 2008

- Passing Touchdowns: 1 at Bowling Green & vs. Kent State, 2008

- Long Completion: 53 at Bowling Green, 2008

- Rushing Yards: 14 at Buffalo, 2008

Clay Belton's Career Passing Statistics

Year	Comp-Att	Yds.	Pct.	TD/Int	Effic.
2008	63-115	639	54.8	2/3	101.98

Clay Belton's Career Rushing Statistics

Year	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Lg
2008	22	42	112	-70	-3.2	3	13



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned second varsity letter in 2008 ... competing against Jordan Gafford for starting free safety job in 2009 ... will regularly rotate into action in Miami's nickel package.

2008: Played in 11 of the team's 12 games, starting seven times ... tied with Brandon Stephens for sixth place on Miami's tackles list with 30 ... his big play was a 78-yard interception versus Charleston Southern in game three.

2007: Played in 12 of the team's 13 games for the Mid-American Conference's No. 1-rated defensive squad, missing the Kent State game due to injury ... totaled nine tackles for the entire campaign ... registered one tackle for loss vs. Bowling Green ... also broke up one opponent pass.

2006: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner as a defensive back and linebacker, serving as team captain in 2005 ... totaled 119 tackles, five quarterback sacks and an interception during his senior season, helping the Yellow Jackets to a Maryland 3A State Championship ... an all-metro, all-league and all-county selection as both a junior and senior, earning the honors at both safety and linebacker ... clocked at 4.43 in the 40-yard dash and boasts a 39-inch vertical leap ... prep coach was Danny Hayes.

PERSONAL: Born November 23, 1988 ... son of Ben and Debra Bennett ... majoring in family studies.

Single-Game Bests

- Tackles: 6 vs. Kent State, 2008

- Solo Tackles: 5 vs. Kent State, 2008

- Pass Break-ups: 1 at Buffalo, 2007

- Interceptions: 1 vs. Charleston Southern, 2008

- Tackles for Loss: 1.5 vs. Cincinnati, 2008

Ben Bennett's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	PBU
2007	5	4	9	0	1.0	0	1
2008	22	8	30	0	2.5	1-78	0
Total	27	12	39	0	3.5	1-78	1





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Caleb Bostic

44

Linebacker

Senior

6-3 232

Galloway, Ohio (Westland)



SCOUTING REPORT: Projected to be an all-league candidate in his fourth and final season ... has earned three varsity letters at Miami ... career-leading tackler among RedHawks' active players ... a physical, explosive linebacker with unlimited potential who makes plays all over the field ... displayed additional discipline on the field last spring ... among Miami's top six athletes in terms of vertical jump (34") and power clean max (310 pounds).

2008: Though he had a below-average season, his 40 tackles ranked fifth among all RedHawk defenders ... appeared in nine of Miami's 12 games, playing alongside first-team all-MAC performers Joey Hudson and Clayton Mullins ... best single-game effort came at Michigan when he recorded eight tackles.

2007: Had a break-out season, notching 103 tackles, second best among all RedHawk defenders ... also ranked second in tackles for loss (11 for 34 yards) and one QB sack ... intercepted one pass (vs. CMU) and recovered one fumble (vs. Minnesota) ... in his first collegiate start (vs. Ball State), he registered a Miami season-high 17 tackles ... sat out the Vanderbilt game due to an injury, but started 11 of the team's other 12 games ... chosen by *Phil Steele's Magazine* as a Third-Team All-MAC performer.

2006: Earned his first varsity letter as a true freshman, seeing action in 11 of 12 games, totaling 11 tackles ... primarily used as a special teams player, but did see spot duty at linebacker.

HIGH SCHOOL: Lettered three seasons as a tailback and safety at Westland High School, serving as team captain his senior season ... also a standout basketball player ... prep coach was Jeff Jones.

PERSONAL: Born August 25, 1988 ... son of Jerome and Linda Bostic ... his older brother, Josh, stars for the University of Findlay's basketball team ... majoring in family studies.

Single-Game Bests

Tackles: 17 at Ball State, 2007

Solo Tackles: 10 at Colorado, 2007

Tackles for Loss: 2 at Colorado & vs. Akron, 2007

Interceptions: 1 vs. CMU, 2007

Quarterback Sacks: 1 (on three occasions)

Caleb Bostic's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	FR
2006	6	5	11	0	0	0	0
2007	50	53	103	1.0-10	11.0-34	1-0	1
2008	15	25	40	1.5-12	2.0-13	0	0
Total	71	83	154	2.5-22	13.0-47	1-0	1





Andre Bratton

10

Running Back

Senior

5-11 185

Woodbridge, Virginia (Woodbridge)



SCOUTING REPORT: Two-time letterwinner who challenges Thomas Merriweather for starting duty ... needs 277 net yards rushing to reach 1,000 yards for his career ... though he does not have great size, he is a player who can run both inside and outside ... catches the ball extremely well out of the backfield.

2008: Played in 11 of Miami's 12 games, winding up with 366 net rushing yards and one touchdown ... averaged 4.6 yards per carry ... caught a career-high 33 passes out of the backfield for 246 yards ... his top effort came at home in the season finale against Ohio, rushing for a career-best 100 yards and catching three passes ... started games at Northern Illinois, vs. Kent State, at Buffalo and vs. Ohio ... recipient of the team's outstanding junior award.

2007: Injured knee in game three vs. Cincinnati and sat out the remainder of 2007 ... gained 50 yards on 12 carries vs. Minnesota, scoring a touchdown.

2006: Led the RedHawks with 285 total yards and a team-best 4.5 yard per carry average ... also led the team with four rushing touchdowns on the year ... effective as a receiver out of the backfield, hauling in 14 receptions to lead Miami's running backs ... broke out in loss to Northern Illinois (Oct. 8), gaining 41 yards on six carries and scoring his first collegiate touchdowns ... rushed for a career-high 72 yards on 11 carries at Western Michigan (Nov. 4) ... netted career highs of four receptions for 33 yards versus Ball State (Oct. 28) ... also contributed as a kick returner, averaging 19.6 yards per return.

2005: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Second-team all-state as a senior in high school after rushing for 1,751 yards and 13 carries for Woodbridge H.S. ... prep coach was Keith King.

PERSONAL: Born December 2, 1986 ... son of TJ and Jawana Waller ... majoring in sport studies.

Single-Game Bests

Rushing Attempts: 17 vs. Ball State, 2006

Rushing Yards: 100 vs. Ohio, 2008

Rushing Touchdowns: 2 vs. Northern Illinois, 2006

Long Rush: 50 at Western Michigan, 2006

Receptions: 9 (54 yards) at Cincinnati, 2008

Andre Bratton's Career Rushing Statistics

Year	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Lg
2006	63	305	20	285	4.5	4	50
2007	17	82	10	72	4.2	1	22
2008	79	374	8	366	4.6	1	32
Total	159	761	38	723	4.5	6	50

Andre Bratton's Career Receiving Statistics

Year	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2006	14	60	4.3	0	25
2007	1	8	8.0	0	8
2008	33	246	7.5	0	23
Total	48	314	6.5	0	25



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Steve Bray

60

Offensive Lineman
Sophomore
6-1 256
Cincinnati, Ohio (Turpin)



SCOUTING REPORT: A third-year walk-on who has not yet lettered at Miami ... will provide depth at center.

2008: Appeared briefly in one game against nationally ranked Ball State.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Lettered three years at Turpin High, with the Spartans earning a trip to the state semifinals his senior season ... an all-conference, all-city and all-Southwest Ohio selection, he played in Ohio's North-South All-Star Classic ... also lettered in baseball and track and field ... prep coach was Robert Stoll.

PERSONAL: Born November 13, 1988 ... son of Tim and Lou-Ann Bray ... dad serves as a color analyst on Miami's radio network ... a 3.0+ student, he majors in mechanical engineering.

Kevin Bresnahan

23

Wide Receiver
Sophomore
6-1 184
San Antonio, Texas (Winston Churchill)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet lettered in one and one-half seasons at Miami ... will provide depth at wide receiver.

2008: Redshirted

HIGH SCHOOL: An all-district section ... captained Churchill High as a defensive back ... recorded four interceptions and three fumble recoveries as senior ... prep coach was Carl Gustafson.

PERSONAL: Born December 19, 1988 ... son of Roger and Leticia Bresnahan ... majoring in marketing.





Jim Broadway

45

Punter/Placekicker
Freshman
6-0 169
Roswell, Georgia (Roswell)



SCOUTING REPORT: Emerged from spring practice as back-up punter to senior Chris DiCesare ... begins his second season at Miami.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Converted 12-of-15 field goal attempts last season, including a long of 50 yards ... career-wise, he made 23-of-35 FG and 120-of-124 PATs, scoring 195 points ... as a punter, he averaged 41.5 yards ... Roswell High was Georgia's 5-A state champ in 2006 and compiled a 32-6-1 record during Broadway's last three seasons ... earned first-team all-area honors and also was a first-team all-league selection ... played for head coach Tim McFarlin.

PERSONAL: Born August 22, 1989 ... son of Jim and Sherry Broadway ... his dad, Jim Sr., punted for Georgia from 1980-82, winning one national championship and three Southeastern Conference titles ... majoring in business.



Brandon Brooks

56

Offensive Lineman
Sophomore
6-5 325
Milwaukee, Wisconsin (Riverside Univ.)



SCOUTING REPORT: Had a breakout performance in his first letter-winning season at Miami ... listed as the starter at the important left tackle position, he also can contribute as a guard ... though he's only in his second season as a starter, he's projected to be a legitimate all-star candidate ... tops team weight-lifting lists for squat (635 pounds) and power clean (395), and is second in the bench press (425) ... he also ranks tied for second in the vertical jump (36") despite his 325-pound frame ... still needs to play at a championship level on every play.

2008: Started all 12 games at left guard, grading out at 81 percent ... participated in a team high 855 plays, notching 70 knockdowns, 15 pins and six championship performances ... was named the RedHawks' Freshman of the Year.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Helped captain the Riverside Tigers to an 11-2 record, a city championship and an appearance in the 2006 state semifinals ... named the team's player of the year as a junior and senior ... named all-state in 2006 ... also played baseball and basketball ... prep coach was Patrick Wagner.

PERSONAL: Born August 19, 1989 ... son of Robert and Dorothy Brooks ... after he concludes his football career, he hopes to be a hospital administrator ... his favorite website is economist.com ... enjoys reading during his spare time ... the person from history he would most like to meet is Malcolm X ... majoring in economics.





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David "D.J." Brown

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Defensive Back

Freshman

6-1 171

West Chester, Ohio (Lakota West)

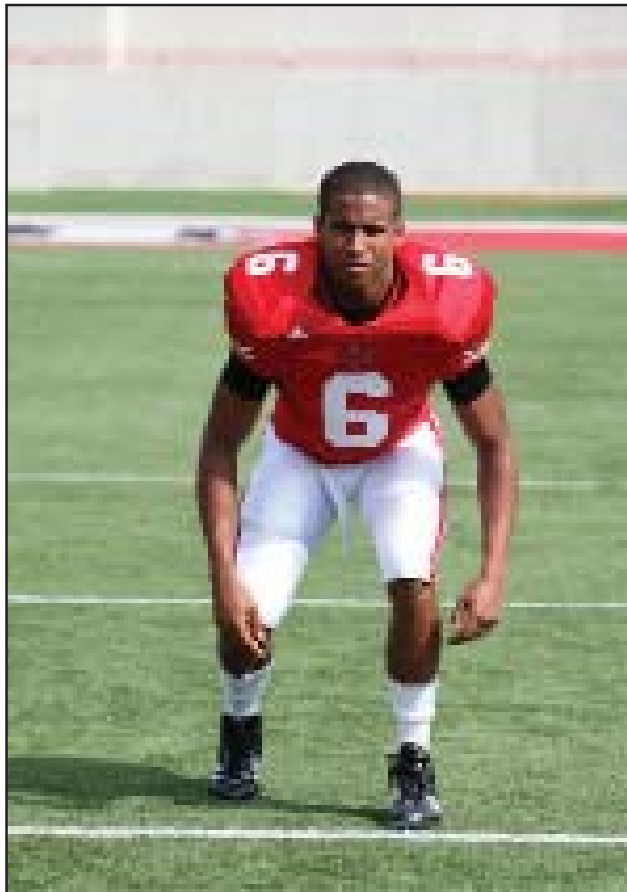


SCOUTING REPORT: A tall defensive back who uses his long arms to his advantage ... very good in pass coverage ... excellent ball skills.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Intercepted a Lakota West-record five passes in 2007 ... selected to All-Butler County team ... three-year starter who had two interceptions in his first varsity game ... an honor roll student ... three-time letterwinner for Firebirds' track team, competing in the 200 and 400 ... played for head coach Larry Cox.

PERSONAL: Born September 18, 1989 ... son of David and Elizabeth Brown ... his father played at Ohio State and eventually for the NFL's Atlanta Falcons ... DJ's uncle, Randy Bates, was once a member of Miami University's coaching staff ... undeclared major.



Jordain Brown

79

Defensive Lineman

Sophomore

6-0 289

Chicago, Illinois (Hubbard)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his first varsity letter in 2008 ... emerged from spring practice as the starter at right defensive tackle ... showed great progress last spring in controlling the line ... a hard-nosed player who is a powerful defender ... gets off the ball quickly to make the tackle ... ranks fifth among all RedHawk players in the squat max lift (490 pounds).

2008: Appeared in nine of the team's 12 games ... top individual effort came against Kent State when he recorded five solo tackles and one assist.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Four-time letterwinner as a defensive tackle ... helped Hubbard High win Chicago's 2006 city championship ... named all-state as senior ... played power forward for the Greyhounds basketball team ... prep football coach was Elton Harris.

PERSONAL: Born February 6, 1989 ... son of Robert and Tina Brown ... majoring in sport studies.

Single-Game Bests

Solo Tackles: 5 vs. Kent State, 2008

Total Tackles: 6 vs. Kent State, 2008

Jordain Brown's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Int	FF	FR
2008	5	7	12	0	0	0	0





Wendell Brunson

26

Defensive Back

Senior

5-11 186

Fort Pierce, Florida (John Carroll)



SCOUTING REPORT: Three-time letterwinner at Miami ... enters pre-season practice behind Jeff Thompson for the starting job at right cornerback ... has great football savvy.

2008: Played in 11 of Miami's 12 games, totaling 18 tackles ... best game came at Buffalo when he registered five tackles and broke up two passes ... recovered a fumble against nationally ranked Ball State.

2007: Appeared in 12 games, starting games vs. Kent State, Bowling Green and Temple ... recorded 18 total tackles a year ago ... intercepted a pass in the Kent State contest ... broke up two other opponent tosses ... also forced one fumble ... had to be carried off the field following an injury vs. Cincinnati but played the following week.

2006: Saw action in 11 of team's 12 games, totaling 13 tackles ... hampered most of season by groin injury.

2005 SEASON: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Four-year letterwinner as a defensive back and wide receiver at John Carroll High, helping the Rams to a three year record of 27-7 and back-to-back district and regional titles ... intercepted a personal-best seven passes during his sophomore campaign ... coached by Lenny Jankowski.

PERSONAL: Born July 23, 1987 ... son of Walter and Brenda Brunson ... majors in family studies at Miami.

Single-Game Bests

Tackles: 6 vs. Cincinnati, 2007

Solo Tackles: 4 at Temple, 2008

Pass Break-ups: 2 at Buffalo, 2008

Fumble Recovery: 1 vs. Ball State, 2008

Wendell Brunson's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	PBU
2006	10	3	13	0	0	0	0
2007	11	7	18	0	0	1-0	2
2008	14	4	18	0	0	0	4
Total	35	14	49	0	0	1-0	6



Kendrick Bruton

82

Tight End

Sophomore

6-4 259

Miamisburg, Ohio (Miamisburg)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned first letter in 2008... enters fall practice as the starting tight end ... as a young player, he displayed great promise with his blocking technique and is getting better as a receiver ... the more reps he gets, the better he becomes.

2008: Played in eight games, but did not register any pass receptions.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned honorable mention all-state honors as a senior and was an all-conference selection ... played in Ohio's 2007 North-South All-Star Game ... prep football coach was Tim Lewis.

PERSONAL: Born August 25, 1989 ... son of David and Constance Bruton ... brother, David, played defensive back for Notre Dame ... majoring in early childhood education.





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Martin Channels

93

Defensive Lineman

Senior

6-0 319

Xenia, Ohio (Wayne)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned varsity letters in both 2007 and '08 ... has the potential to be one of the Mid-American Conference's best pass rushers ... unusually quick off the ball for his size ... possesses outstanding physical leverage ... ranks tied for first with Brandon Brooks among all RedHawk players in squat max lift (635 pounds).

2008: Saw action in all 12 games, recording 20 tackles ... a starter in every game except one ... his eight tackles for loss ranked in a tie for second best on the team ... one his best individual efforts came against Toledo when he notched four stops and two TFLs.

2007: Played all 13 games, coming on strong near the end of the season ... among his 22 defensive stops were 5.5 tackles for loss for minus 33 yards ... all of his TFLs came in the last three contests of the season, including one quarterback sack in each of his last two games.

2006: Contributed in four games as a true freshman, notching a pair of tackles.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-time letter winner as a defensive tackle at Wayne and Xenia High Schools ... a two-time all-conference selection ... was selected to Ohio's Tremendous 26 in 2005 ... also competed as a thrower on the track team, qualifying for the U.S. National Championships ... prep coach at Wayne was Jay Minton.

PERSONAL: Born January 2, 1987 ... son of Martin and Lorraine Channels ... majoring in family studies.

Single-Game Bests

Tackles: 5 at Temple, 2007

Solo Tackles: 3 on three occasions (last at Toledo, 2008)

Tackles for Loss: 2 on three occasions (last at Toledo, 2008)

Quarterback Sacks: 1 at Ohio & vs. CMU, 2007

Martin Channels's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	FC	FR
2006	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0
2007	15	7	22	2-25	5.5-33	2	2
2008	9	11	20	0.5-3	8.0-18	0	0
Total	25	19	44	2.5-28	13.5-51	2	2





Joe Clarke

81

Wide Receiver
Freshman
6-3 191
Tampa, Florida (Alonso)



SCOUTING REPORT: A tall, rangy wide receiver with great hands ... very explosive after the catch ... will celebrate his 20th birthday when Miami plays its season opener at Cincinnati's Paul Brown Stadium.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned first-team all-conference honors as a senior ... played in Florida's high school all-star game ... a four-year letterwinner, he twice captained the Alonso Ravens ... in two seasons as a receiver, he caught 27 passes and averaged 18 yards per catch ... played for head coach Mike Heldt.

PERSONAL: Born September 5, 1989 ... son of Ron and Aida Clarke ... as a 12-year-old, he was diagnosed with a crippling disease that stopped him from walking for an entire year ... exercise science major.



Chase Collins

54

Long Snapper
Senior
6-2 202
Germantown, Ohio (Valley View)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet lettered at Miami ... will provide back-up support for Mike Rummeler at the long snapper position.

2008: Did not play.

2007: Played limited time vs. Bowling Green in Miami's 47-14 home-field victory over the Falcons.

2006: Saw first and only game action against Northern Illinois.

2005: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-time letterwinner as linebacker and long snapper, helping Spartans to a cumulative record of 31-5 ... team won a conference title and competed in the state semifinals his sophomore year ... two-time all-conference pick ... also won three letters in baseball and two in basketball ... prep coach at was Jay Niswonger.

PERSONAL: Born December 20, 1986 ... son of Rick and Debbie Collins ... majoring in physical education.





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Trevor Cook

19

Placekicker

Junior

6-2 193

Sioux Falls, South Dakota (Washington)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has earned two varsity letters at Miami ... enters fall drills as Miami's top placekicker and kickoff man ... attempts to regain the consistency he showed as a freshman ... one of the nation's premier on-side kickoff men.

2008: Did not play.

2007: Began season as Miami's starting placekicker, but was relegated to back-up duty midway through the year ... made five of his 10 field-goal attempts, all within the 40-yard line ... a 36-yard game-tying field goal with just 11 seconds left in game two at Minnesota was his longest of 2007 ... was 8-of-9 on PATs ... in the last 1:19 at Temple, he gave the RedHawks a chance to win the game by kicking three straight on-siders that were recovered by Miami.

2006: Began his freshman campaign by handling kickoffs only but earned placekicking duties shortly thereafter by connecting on his first collegiate attempt, a 49-yard field goal at Cincinnati ... hit his first six attempts of the year, winding up 10-of-13 ... also connected on 17-of-18 PATs.

HIGH SCHOOL: Led Washington High to a 25-7 record in three years, including two state quarterfinal appearances and one berth in the semifinals ... in 2006, he became the first kicker ever selected to the South Dakota All-Star Team ... earned all-state and all-conference accolades, both athletically and academically ... had a career-long 56-yard field goal ... lettered three years in football and four years in soccer ... made 94 percent of his career PATs and 77 percent of his career kickoffs went for touchbacks ... prep coach was Kim Nelson.

PERSONAL: Born June 25, 1988 ... son of Dan and Sheryce Cook ... majoring in zoology.

Single-Game Bests

Field Goal Attempts: 5 at Minnesota, 2007

Field Goal Conversions: 3 at Minnesota, 2007

Long Field Goal: 49 at Cincinnati, 2006, 2007

Most PATs: 5 (of 5) at Buffalo, 2006

Trevor Cook's Career Kicking Statistics

Year	FG-A	PCT	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+
2006	10-13	.769	0-0	5-6	4-5	1-1	0-1
2007	5-10	.500	1-1	2-2	2-4	0-3	na
2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	15-23	.652	1-1	7-8	6-9	1-4	0-1



Brayden Coombs

8

Wide Receiver

Senior

6-1 200

Cincinnati, Ohio (Colerain)



SCOUTING REPORT: Won his first varsity letter at Miami in 2008 ... will provide back-up support at wide receiver ... one of the receiving corps' best blockers ... will be a valuable special teams contributor.

2008: Played in nine of team's 12 games, catching four passes for 47 yards ... his best game came in the season finale vs. Ohio when he gathered in three receptions for 42 yards, including a 31-yarder ... his first varsity reception came at Buffalo.

2007: Played against Akron, but did not have any receptions.

2006: Limited playing time.

2005: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Lettered three seasons as a defensive back and return man for Colerain ... helped the Cardinals to a three-year record of 38-3, including three straight conference titles and an undefeated record and state championship in 2004 ... totaled 16 breakups and four interceptions as a senior ... an all-league, all-city, all-district, all-region and second-team all-state performer as a senior ... also an all-state sprinter with the track team ... prep coach was his dad, Kerry Coombs, now an assistant coach at the University of Cincinnati.

PERSONAL: Born October 24, 1986 ... son of Kerry and Holly Coombs ... majoring in management and organizations.

Single-Game Bests

Receptions: 3 vs. Ohio, 2008

Receiving Yards: 42 vs. Ohio, 2008

Long Reception: 31 vs. Ohio, 2008

Brayden Coombs's Career Receiving Statistics

Year	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2008	4	47	11.8	0	31





Morris Council

85

Defensive Lineman

Junior

6-2 255

Decatur, Georgia (Southwest Dekalb)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has earned Miami varsity letters in each of his first two seasons... a great situational pass rusher who displayed moments of brilliance last season and during spring practice ... a coachable young man whose work ethic and demeanor could result in future all-league honors ... one of Miami's strongest players, recording 25 reps at 225 pounds in the bench press ... top single lifts are 395 pounds in the bench press and 340 pounds in the power clean max ... ranks tied for first with Chris Givens with a standing long jump of 10'5" and is second in the vertical jump (36") high school teammate of Miami linebacker David Davis ... a member of Miami's RedHawk Council.

2008: Appeared in 11 of the team's 12 games, starting the last three contests of the season ... accounted for 23 total tackles and at least one stop in nine contests ... four of his 5.5 tackles for loss were quarterback sacks ... recovered a fumble at Cincinnati.

2007: Played in all 13 games, totaling 10 tackles ... his individual highlight came in the RedHawks' home-field victory over Syracuse when he sacked the Orange quarterback on the first play of SU's final possession ... he also had a sack in Miami's big win vs. Buffalo ... had 3.5 TFLs for minus 15 yards, one QB hurry and one pass break-up.

HIGH SCHOOL: Totaled 190 tackles and 13 sacks in his final two seasons at Southwest Dekalb ... earned honorable mention honors from the *Atlanta Journal Constitution* for Class AAAA ... received all-county honors on both offense and defense and was voted as the Best All-Around Player by his teammates ... captain of the football and track teams ... 2007 state champion in the shot put (59 feet) and state runner-up in the discus, leading his team to the AAAA state title ... graduated from high school with a 3.58 GPA ... prep coach was Buck Godfrey.

PERSONAL: Born May 26, 1989 ... son of Morris and Cynthia Council ... majoring in exercise science, he hopes to be a physical therapist.

Single-Game Bests

Solo Tackles: 4 at Toledo, 2008

Total Tackles: 6 at Toledo, 2008

QB Sacks: 1 on three occasions (last at Toledo, 2008)

Morris Council's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	QB Sacks	TFL	FR	QBH
2007	5	5	10	2.0-12	3.5-12	0	1
2008	14	9	23	2.5-17	5.5-24	1	2
Total	19	14	33	4.5-29	9.0-36	1	3



2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Andy Cruse

15

Wide Receiver
Freshman
6-4 213
Cincinnati, Ohio (Turpin)



SCOUTING REPORT: Enters fall drills as a starting receiver ... a tall, athletic wide receiver who possesses tremendous ball-catching ability ... because of his size, he creates mismatches with opposing defensive backs.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: A standout athlete at Cincinnati's Turpin High, he captained the Spartans' football and basketball teams ... holds every receiving record at top-rated Turpin, grabbing 63 passes for 1,182 yards and 14 touchdowns last season, and 130 catches for 2,652 yards and 33 TDs over his career ... he and fellow Miami recruit Luke Kelly led the Spartans to a cumulative record of 24-3 their last two seasons ... earned all-conference, all-city, all-district and all-state honors ... prep coach was Rob Stoll.

PERSONAL: Born January 13, 1990 ... son of Mark and Lauren Cruse ... Andy's sister, Ashley, runs cross country and track at the University of South Carolina ... Andy was to become a teacher and coach ... has not declared a major.



David Davis

14

Linebacker
Junior
6-1 224
Decatur, Georgia (Southwest Dekalb)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his second varsity letter last season as a true sophomore ... enters the fall in a dead heat with DeAndre Gilmore as Miami's top Will linebacker ... also will see plenty of time on the special teams units ... was a prep teammate of current RedHawk Morris Council.

2008: Appeared in 10 of team's 12 contests ... notched one tackle.

2007: Appeared in seven games, including six of the last eight contests ... recorded one tackle.

HIGH SCHOOL: Averaged 11 tackles per game and posted three sacks and an interception as a senior for the Southwestern Dekalb Panthers ... received honorable mention all-state honors from the *Atlanta Journal Constitution* in 2006 ... prep coach was Buck Godfrey.

PERSONAL: Born April 19, 1989 ... son of David and Lynne Davis ... the person from history he's most like to meet is famed boxer Jack Johnson ... majors in sport studies.

David Davis's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Int	FF	FR
2007	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
2008	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Total	2	0	2	0	0	0	0





Danny Day

80

Tight End
Sophomore
6-5 220
Independence, Ohio (HolyName)



Will Diaz

69

Defensive Lineman
Freshman
6-5 251
Columbus, Ohio (Westland)



SCOUTING REPORT: A walk-on who's in the battle for a back-up position at tight end ... great size and good hands.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played tight end and defensive end at Holy Name High School, serving as team captain twice during his three letter-winning seasons ... twice earned all-conference honors as gridder ... lettered three times in basketball, twice winning second-team all-conference laurels ... played for head coach Frank Petroff.

PERSONAL: Born October 13, 1989 ... son of Tom and Kate Day ... his older sister, Colleen, played college basketball at Miami and currently serves as an assistant coach ... Danny is undecided as to his major.

SCOUTING REPORT: Was one of the stars of Miami's spring game last April ... will enter the fray for back-up defensive line duty.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-year letter winner as a defensive end and wide receiver ... accounted for 88 tackles and 17 quarterback sacks his senior year, winning all-conference honors ... captained both the football and baseball squads ... coached by Jeff Jones.

PERSONAL: Born January 17, 1990 in the Dominican Republic, his family came to the United States in 1997 ... son of Cristino Cepeda and Miriam Diaz ... majoring in business.





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Chris DiCesare

92

Punter

Senior

6-2

222

St. Clairsville, Ohio (Bellaire St. John)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet lettered at Miami ... enters the 2009 fall drills as the team's top punter ... understands how to place the football in different situations.

2008: Did not play.

2007: Did not play.

2006: Did not play.

2005: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner as a defensive end, guard and punter ... an Ohio Valley Athletic Conference All-Star ... honorable mention all-Ohio Division VI as a junior punter and second-team all-Ohio as a senior ... averaged nearly 41 yards per punt in his final season ... coached by Steve Dailey.

PERSONAL: Born December 19, 1986 ... son of Thomas and Juliana DiCesare ... majoring in zoology.



Zac Dysert

4

Quarterback

Freshman

6-4

215

Ada, Ohio (Ada)



SCOUTING REPORT: Made tremendous strides during spring practice ... he's listed as Daniel Raudabaugh's top competition at quarterback ... a great athlete who is a threat both passing and running the ball.

2008: Redshirted ... he was the RedHawks' Offensive Scout Team Player of the Year.

HIGH SCHOOL: A highly-acclaimed quarterback who ranks second on Ohio prep football's all-time passing yardage list with 11,174 yards ... Ohio Coaches Association named him the winner of the 2007 Art Teynor Award as the state's all-division Player of the Year ... previous Teynor Award winners include Ben Roethlisberger and Ted Ginn, Jr. ... was named Ohio Division 6 and Northwest Conference Player of the Year ... passed for 3,714 yards and 35 TDs as a senior despite missing three-and-a-half games with a broken thumb ... during that span when he could not pass the ball, played wide receiver and linebacker for the Bulldogs ... threw 100 TD passes during his career ... also an adept runner, he compiled more than 1,000 yards on the ground with 16 TDs ... captained Ada's basketball and baseball teams ... the Bulldog basketball team was ranked No. 1 in the state in its division ... prep coach was Mike Fell.

PERSONAL: Born February 8, 1990 ... son of Greg and Carla Dysert ... he also was a hockey all-star, but gave up the sport to play football ... a four-year honor roll student ... father, Greg, played college basketball at Eastern Baptist ... Zac would eventually like to become a college coach ... physical education major.





Peris Edwards

27

Defensive Back

Junior

6-1 202

Toledo, Ohio (Rogers)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his second varsity letter in 2008 ... progressed well during spring practice and will battle for back-up duty behind Jordan Gafford at the weak safety position ... an over-achieving athlete who plays with great intelligence ... recorded a 10-foot standing long jump, the team's second-best mark.

2008: Participated in all 12 RedHawk games ... came on strong during the last three contests—starting each game—collecting 12 of his 16 tackles ... notched five tackles against both Ball State and Toledo.

2007: Played in 12 games a year ago, only missing the Buffalo contest ... collected 17 tackles ... statistically, his best games came against Colorado, Bowling Green and Central Michigan, all four-tackle efforts.

2006: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner and two-time captain ... an all-city, all-district, All-Toledo Blade and honorable mention all-state selection ... played in Ohio's North-South All-Star game ... also participated in basketball and track ... coached by Rick Rios.

PERSONAL: Born October 28, 1987 ... son of Patrick Edwards and Marian Sanders ... majoring in family studies.

Single-Game Bests

Solo Tackles: 4 vs. Bowling Green, 2007

Total Tackles: 5 vs. Ball State and at Toledo, 2008

Tackles for Loss: 0.5 at Toledo, 2008

Peris Edwards's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Int	FF	FR
2007	10	7	17	0	0	0	0
2008	8	8	16	0.5-1	0	0	0
Total	18	15	33	0.5-1	0	0	0



Jordan Gafford

22

Defensive Back

Junior

6-0 206

Columbus, Ohio (Worthington Kilbourne)



SCOUTING REPORT: Two-time letter winner for the RedHawks ... serves as the defensive backfield's coach on the field, getting his secondary mates lined up ... very athletic ... a key member of special teams unit ... represented Miami along with Daniel Raudabaugh at the 2009 MAC Kickoff in Detroit.

2008: Suffered a season-ending injury in game two at Michigan ... he hopes to gain an extra season in 2010. ... had a good effort in the season opener vs. Vanderbilt, collecting five tackles and forcing a fumble.

2007: Miami's top tackler among non-linebackers, finishing fourth in stops behind Clayton Mullins, Caleb Bostic and Joey Hudson ... his 89 stops included 54 solo tackles ... also recorded an interception and two tackles for loss ... a key component to a Miami defense that paced MAC teams in virtually every category ... a starter in all 13 games, his top effort came at Minnesota when he led all RedHawks with 13 tackles.

2006: Played in 10 games, recording a total of nine tackles ... season statistics also included a tackle for loss, an interception, a fumble recovery and a blocked punt.

HIGH SCHOOL: Four-year letterwinner and two-time team captain as a quarterback, defensive back and kicker at Worthington Kilbourne ... twice earned first-team all-state honors ... coached by his dad, Jeff Gafford.

PERSONAL: Born September 17, 1987 ... son of Jeff and Susie Gafford ... majoring in sociology.

Single-Game Bests

Tackles: 13 at Minnesota, 2007

Tackles for Loss: 1.0 (twice), last at Minnesota, 2007

Interceptions: 1.0 (twice), last at Vanderbilt, 2007

Forced Fumble: 1 at Kent State, 2007, & vs. Vanderbilt, 2008

Jordan Gafford's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Int	FF	FR
2006	6	3	9	1.0-1	1-0	0	1
2007	54	35	89	2.0-7	1-0	1	0
2008	4	2	6	0	0	1	0
Total	64	40	104	3.0-8	2-0	2	1





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

DeAndre Gilmore

31

Linebacker

Junior

6-1 224

St. Louis, Missouri (Cardinal Ritter)



SCOUTING REPORT: Came on strong in spring practice after the coaches moved him to linebacker ... enters fall workouts in a battle with David Davis at Will linebacker ... earned his second varsity letter in 2008 as a true sophomore.

2008: Appeared in 11 of Miami's 12 games ... collected two solo tackles.

2007: Saw action in 10 of Miami's 13 games ... recorded seven tackles, including one tackle for loss vs. Bowling Green for minus 18 yards ... has broke up one opponent pass.

HIGH SCHOOL: Named all-conference as a defensive back three times ... was named all-conference in basketball twice and earned all-state honors as a senior ... served as captain for both sports teams ... helped Cardinal Ritter basketball team win the 2003 Missouri state title his freshman year ... coached by Ron Villars.

PERSONAL: Born November 14, 1988 ... son of Andrew and Sherry Gilmore ... majoring in sport studies.

DeAndre Gilmore's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	PBU
2007	5	2	7	1.0-18	1.0-18	0	1
2008	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Total	7	2	9	1.0-18	1.0-18	0	1



Chris Givens

17

Wide Receiver

Junior

6-2 204

Chillicothe, Ohio (Chillicothe)



SCOUTING REPORT: Slated to be a starting wide receiver, he will provide great leadership ... he won his second varsity letter as a true sophomore in 2008 ... needs 40 more catches to reach 100 for his career and only 57 more receiving yards to attain 1,000 ... his team-best 36 1/2-inch vertical jump allows him to catch the ball in traffic ... a big, strong receiver (tied for fourth-best in power clean max with a lift of 310 pounds) who has great ball skills ... causes problems for opponents when he is matched against smaller corners.

2008: Appeared in all 12 games, starting nine ... caught at least one pass in every game but one contest ... his 513 receiving yards and 14.7 average topped all Miami players ... only Jamal Rogers had more catches than his 35 grabs ... scored at least one touchdown in six contests ... his best individual effort was nine catches for 85 yards and two TDs at Toledo ... ran back a blocked punt 60 yards in the season finale vs. Ohio.

2007: Played in all 13 RedHawk games, ranking as the team's fourth-leading pass catcher with 25 ... his 17.2 yards-per-catch average topped the list ... against Minnesota, became only the second true freshman receiver in Miami football history to crack the century mark for yardage (five catches for 112 yards) ... had receptions for 55 yards (at Minnesota), 40 yards (vs. Buffalo), 39 yards (vs. Cincinnati) and 34 yards (vs. Kent State).

HIGH SCHOOL: The two-time MVP at Chillicothe High hauled in 57 catches for 1,118 yards and 11 touchdowns his senior year ... earned First-Team All-Ohio honors in 2006 ... a two-time football MVP ... also competed in basketball and track.

PERSONAL: Born January 28, 1989 ... son of Nicholas and Debra Givens ... majoring in communications.

Single-Game Bests

Receptions: 9 at Toledo, 2008

Receiving Yards: 112 at Minnesota, 2007

Receiving Touchdowns: 2 at Toledo, 2008

Long Reception: 55 vs. Minnesota, 2007; 53 at Bowling Green, 2008

Chris Givens's Career Receiving Statistics

Year	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2007	25	430	17.2	2	55
2008	35	513	14.7	7	53
Total	60	943	15.7	9	55





Danny Green

28

Running Back
Freshman
5-10 196

Oak Park, Illinois (Walther Luthren)



Bob Gulley

75

Offensive Lineman
Junior
6-4 308
Berea, Ohio (Berea)



SCOUTING REPORT: Coaches were pleased with his progress last spring, particularly his competitive nature and his work ethic ... he will see action in the offensive backfield along with Thomas Merriweather and Andre Bratton.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned all-state honors in Illinois and was a back-to-back all-conference and all-area selection ... recorded consecutive 1,000-plus rushing seasons as junior and senior ... averaged more than six yards per attempt ... captained Walther Lutheran his senior year, starring at both running back and strong safety ... coach was Bruce Toumi.

PERSONAL: Born September 30, 1989 ... son of Jerome and Leslie Green ... an honor roll student, majoring in urban and regional planning.



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his second varsity letter in 2008 ... enters fall drills as the man to beat at left offensive guard ... has the potential to earn all-conference honors in the future ... possesses good balance as a pass protector ... the team's top athlete in the bench press (440 pounds).

2008: Injured part of the season, he appeared in eight games, starting six times ... RedHawk coaches rated him as an 83 percent blocker, crediting him with 47 knockdowns, eight pins and three championship performances.

2007: Saw action in 11 games, earning starts at right guard against Minnesota, Cincinnati and Syracuse ... participated in 354 snaps, grading out at 79 percent ... allowed only two sacks ... recorded 41 knock-downs and four pins ... coaches gave him three championship performances (grading higher than 80 percent, no penalties and no sacks).

2006: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner and two-way starter on the Berea offensive and defensive lines, serving as team captain his final year ... three-time all-conference performer ... coached by Bob Cistolo.

PERSONAL: Born April 6, 1988 ... son of Joe and Lori Gulley ... majoring in sport studies.





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Eugene Harris III

2

Wide Receiver

Junior

5-10 180

Atlanta, Georgia (McNair)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his second varsity letter in 2008 ... quick and elusive, he will definitely be part of the regular receiving corps in 2009 ... needs 21 catches to reach a career total of 100 and 172 receiving yards to achieve 1,000 career yards ... very explosive with the football and one of the best jumpers on the team ... tremendous hands ... should once again be one of the MAC's top punt returners.

2008: Appeared in all 12 games and was tabbed as a starter five times ... totaled 33 catches for 286 yards and one touchdown .. has at least one catch in every games ... at Toledo he accounted for a season-high seven grabs ... his return 20 punts for a total of 183 yards ... he had TD returns against Charleston Southern (44 yards) and Northern Illinois (63 yards) ... named MAC East Division's Special Teams Player of the Week for his effort against CSU.

2007: Named Miami's Freshman of the Year ... wound up 2007 with a team-high 46 catches for 542 yards ... scored two touchdowns, including a season-best 73-yard grab vs. Bowling Green ... had a personal-high seven receptions at Temple ... ran back 30 of Miami's 33 punt returns, averaging 9.3 yards per return ... his 279 punt return yards rates eighth-best on MU's single-season list ... earned a game ball in the 2007 season opener at Ball State, returning four punts for 110 yards, including a season-best 56 yarder ... Rivals.com honored him as the MAC's top punt returner.

2006: Redshirted in football ... played in five games for the RedHawk basketball team during the 2006-07 season.

HIGH SCHOOL: A three-time captain for the McNair High School football team as a receiver and kick returner ... totaled 23 touchdowns during his prep career ... competed with the Georgia 7-on-7 All-Star Team during the summer ... all-state performer in basketball, he also lettered three times in baseball ... prep coach was Roderick Moore.

PERSONAL: Born September 24, 1987 ... son of Eugene and Katherine Harris ... majoring in black world studies.

Single-Game Bests

Receptions: 7 at Temple, 2007, & at Toledo, 2008

Receiving Yards: 76 at Minnesota, 2007

Receiving Touchdowns: 1 on three occasions (last vs. Vanderbilt, 2008)

Long Reception: 73 vs. Bowling Green, 2007

Long Punt Return: 63 at Northern Illinois, 2008

Eugene Harris's Career Receiving Statistics

Year	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2007	46	542	11.8	2	73
2008	33	286	8.7	1	30
Total	79	828	10.5	3	73

Eugene Harris's Punt Return Statistics

Year	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2007	30	279	9.3	0	56
2008	20	183	9.1	2	63
Total	50	462	9.2	2	63



Brett Hoffman

81

Tight End
Sophomore
6-3 235
Worthington, Ohio (Worthington)



SCOUTING REPORT: Joined RedHawk football team in August after transferring from Syracuse ... will sit out 2009 season.

2008: Attended Syracuse University.

HIGH SCHOOL: Was team captain and MVP at Thomas Worthington High School, passing for 1,500 yards, rushing for 500 yards, and scoring 20 TDs ... also lettered twice in lacrosse ... was a Gold Key recipient as a scholar, registering a 3.5 grade point average or higher for seven consecutive semesters ... active in community service, helping as a eucharistic minister at Riverside Hospital, distributing communion to patients ... prep football coach was Scott Gordon.

PERSONAL: Born December 15, 1989 ... son of Dave and GERALYN Hoffman ... two of his cousins played college football ... a business major at Miami.



Andrew Illig

61

Offensive Lineman
Freshman
6-3 290
Macedonia, Ohio (Walsh Jesuit)



SCOUTING REPORT: Will battle for back-up playing time on the offensive line ... a member of Miami athletics' "Straight A Team", he compiled a perfect 4.0 grade point average last spring semester.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned first-team all-state honors in football (2007), leading his team as both the most valuable offensive and defensive player ... also excelled as a thrower for Walsh Jesuit's track and field squad, winning all-state honors ... sat out his entire junior year due to knee surgery ... won the National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete Award and was a member of the National Honor Society ... prep coach was Gerry Rardin.

PERSONAL: Born March 19, 1990 ... son of Tom and Anne Illig ... his father played football at Ohio Wesleyan ... undecided as to his major.





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE RED DEVILS

Mike Johns

94

Defensive Lineman

Freshman

6-4 260 Oak Forest, Illinois (Oak Forest)



SCOUTING REPORT: Coaches say he came on strong during spring practice, battling Jordan Stevens for the starting job at left defensive end ... heading into the fall, he is one of the team's best defensive linemen ... shows significant improvement in his upper-body strength, lifting 310 pounds in the power clean max.

2008: Redshirted. Was named Miami's Defensive Scout Team Player of the Year.

HIGH SCHOOL: A product from one of Illinois' top high school programs, Oak Forest High was a semifinalist in the state playoffs each of the last two years, compiling an overall record of 21-5 over that span ... named conference's player of the year, and also earned first-team all-state honors from both the Chicago Tribune and the Chicago Sun-Times ... among his 70 tackles for the Bengals in 2007 were 15 quarterback sacks ... also excelled in baseball ... prep coach was Brian McDonough.

PERSONAL: Born March 18, 1990 ... son of Michael and Debrah Johns ... hopes to major in education.



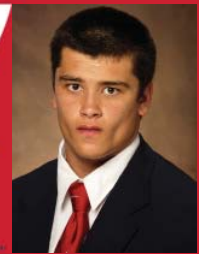
Matt Kajmowicz

97

Defensive Lineman

Sophomore

6-4 250 Hinsdale, Illinois (Hinsdale Central)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet lettered at Miami ... had a productive spring and could see additional playing time in 2009 ... carries a 3.0+ grade point average in the classroom.

2008: Appeared in four games, starting the finale vs. Ohio ... his best individual game was a two-tackle effort vs. Kent State.

2007: Redshirted ... earned Miami's Defensive Scout Team Player of the Year award.

HIGH SCHOOL: Posted 95 tackles, 10 sacks and one fumble recovery as a senior linebacker for Hinsdale Central ... named an all-conference and all-area selection ... helped Red Devils to their fourth consecutive trip to the second round of the state playoffs ... coached by Mike DiMatteo.

PERSONAL: Born February 8, 1989 ... son of Robert and Linda Kajmowicz ... majoring in management and organizations.

Matt Kajmowicz's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	FR
2008	1	1	2	0	0	0	0





Alex Kaufman

53

Linebacker
Sophomore
6-2 220
Cincinnati, Ohio (Lakota West)



Luke Kelly

36

Linebacker
Freshman
6-2 210
Cincinnati, Ohio (Turpin)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet lettered at Miami ... will challenge for playing time at linebacker in 2009 ... has compiled a 3.0+ grade point average in his studies.

2008: Saw action in four games, collecting at least one tackle three times ... he notched two solo tackles in the season finale vs. Ohio.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: As senior, he recorded 80 tackles, including 20 TFLs and 15 sacks ... named Butler County Defensive Player of the Year ... first-team all-conference, all-city and all-county ... played in Ohio's North-South All-Star Game ... played basketball ... coached by Larry Cox.

PERSONAL: Born October 21, 1988 ... son of Joseph and Laurie Kaufman ... majoring in manufacturing engineering.

Alex Kaufman's Career Defensive Statistics

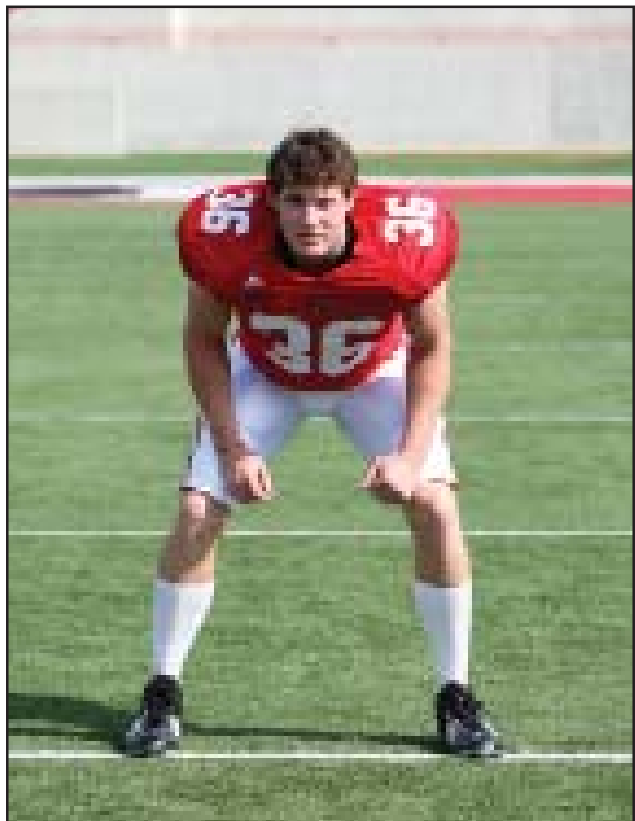
Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	FR
2008	3	1	4	0	0	0	0

SCOUTING REPORT: Begins the fall as Caleb Bostic's backup at the Sam linebacker position.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Comes to Miami with Turpin High teammate Andy Cruse, where they led Spartans to No. 2 ranking in the state ... was his team's MVP as a senior ... an honorable mention all-stater in 2007 ... twice tabbed All-Southwest Ohio, all-conference, and all-city ... totaled 388 tackles during his career, a Turpin record ... also lettered three times with the Spartan basketball team ... coach at Turpin was Rob Stoll.

PERSONAL: Born December 21, 1989 ... son of Keith and Peggy Kelly ... brothers Brian and Liam play college football at Dayton and Morehead State, respectively ... plans to major in athletic training.





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Nick Kemper

50

Offensive Lineman

Freshman

6-3 268

Winter Springs, Florida (Lake Howell)



SCOUTING REPORT: Progressed nicely during spring drills and enters the fall as the top back-up at center.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: A four-year football letter winner at Lake Howell High ... earned first-team 5A honors in Florida his senior year and was selected to play in the state's North-South All-Star Game ... was a unanimous first-team all-district choice ... squad was district runner-up in the Florida playoffs in both 2006 and 2007 ... also lettered in wrestling and weight-lifting ... prep coach was his father, Matt Kemper.

PERSONAL: Born December 30, 1989 ... mother, Vicki, and father, Matt, are Miami University graduates ... father lettered in football at Miami from 1985-87, starting at offensive tackle ... Matt originally hailed from North Gallia H.S. in Kerr, Ohio ... planning to majoring in zoology.



Matt Kennedy

66

Offensive Lineman

Freshman

6-5 258

Mt. Prospect, Illinois (Prospect)



SCOUTING REPORT: Played very well during spring practice and will battle Ken Staudinger for starting duty at right tackle.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: A first-team all-conference lineman ... earned two letters at Prospect as offensive guard and defensive end ... Knights are a perennial power in Illinois prep football, winning the state title his sophomore season ... also earned three letters in track and field a throws specialist ... an outstanding student, he was an academic all-conference selection ... coach at Prospect was Brent Pearlman.

PERSONAL: Born September 26, 1989 ... father, Jim, played football at Wake Forest, and mother, Donna, participated with Northern Illinois' track and field squad ... sister, Meghan, competes in cross country and track at Eastern Illinois ... plans to major in accountancy.






Ryan Kennedy

5

Linebacker
Junior
6-1 223
Libertyville, Illinois (Libertyville)



Evan Klepec

96

Defensive Lineman
Freshman
6-4 240
Canfield, Ohio (Boardman)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has lettered in each of his first two seasons at Miami ... he enters the fall in a dead heat with Jerrell Wedge at middle linebacker... though he has been injury prone (both knees and a broken hand), has been a consummate football player ... a smart, hard-nosed player who is always around the ball.

2008: Recorded 27 tackles in nine games played ... was a starter at outside linebacker alongside all-stars Joey Hudson and Clayton Mullins in the season opener vs. Vanderbilt. He had three tackles and recovered a fumble ... compiled a season-best six stops against Charleston Southern and five tackle vs. Kent State.

2007: Missed the first three games of the season due to a knee injury he suffered in pre-season practice ... saw action in games four through eight before injuring his other knee ... sat out three more contests before joining the team for its final two games of the season ... recorded nine tackles, including one QB sack and a fumble recovery ... earned a game ball vs. Bowling Green when he blocked a punt, resulting in a safety.

HIGH SCHOOL: Helped Libertyville to a combined mark of 31-5, two conference championships and a state championship (2004) in three seasons ... was named all-conference, all-area and all-state as a junior and senior ... also played basketball and baseball ... coached by Randy Kuceyeski.

PERSONAL: Born May 6, 1989 ... son of Joel and Michele Kennedy ... majoring in business.

Single-Game Bests

Solo Tackles: 4 vs. Kent State, 2008
Total Tackles: 6 vs. Charleston Southern, 2008

Ryan Kennedy's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	Blks
2007	8	1	9	1.0-2	1.0-2	0	1
2008	14	13	27	0	0.5-1	0	0
Total	22	14	36	1.0-2	1.5-3	0	1



SCOUTING REPORT: Bounced back strong from an injury in 2008, earning a back-up position to Morris Council at right defensive end this past spring ... broke his leg, so he may be sidelined in 2009.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: A first-team all-state selection at defensive end ... also earned first-team all-league and All-Northeastern Ohio honors ... played in Ohio's North-South All-Star Game ... recorded 87 tackles, 15 tackles for loss, eight sacks, five fumble recoveries, seven forced fumbles, 10 pass break-ups and three interceptions his senior year ... lettered four times as throws specialist in track and field ... coach at Boardman High was D.J. Ogilvie.

PERSONAL: Born June 27, 1990 ... son of John and Jodi Klepec ... he and his family also have lived in Europe and in Guam ... plans to major in mechanical engineering.





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Anthony Kokal

18

Defensive Back
Sophomore
6-0 203
Warren, Ohio (John F. Kennedy)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his first varsity letter at Miami in 2008... engaged in a battle with Ben Bennett for starting duty at strong safety ... a valuable contributor on the RedHawks' special teams units ... a very good student in the classroom, he's compiled a 3.0+ grade point average.

2008: Appeared in nine games, recording a pair of tackles ... made his varsity debut before more than 100,000 fans at Michigan.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year football letterwinner from the Eagles, helping them to the Division V State Championship game ... finished his career with 322 tackles and 14 interceptions ... named first-team all-county, all-region and all-state as a senior, after making 98 tackles and picking off five passes ... coached by Tony Napolet.

PERSONAL: Born July 6, 1988 ... son of Greg and Susan Kokal ... dad played for the NFL's New Orleans Saints and New York Jets ... older brother, Mike, lettered from 2004-07 at Miami ... majoring in finance.

Anthony Kokal's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	FR
2008	1	1	2	0	0.5-1	0	0



Quincy Landingham

20

Running Back
Sophomore
6-0 228
Bloomfield Hills, Michigan (Lahser)



SCOUTING REPORT: Ready to resume varsity action after transferring to Miami from Wisconsin ... though he was sidelined with an injury during spring ball, coaches are hopeful that he'll regain his previous status as a talented running back ... in the classroom, he's compiled a 3.0+ grade point average.

2008: Redshirted.

2007: Lettered at Wisconsin last season as running back, gaining 20 yards on five carries.

HIGH SCHOOL: Ranked among the top 40 players in the Midwest by *SuperPrep* ... No. 15 on the *Lansing State Journal's* "Catch 22" list of the state's top players ... rushed for 1,276 yards and 21 touchdowns ... holds school record for TDs ... earned three letters each in football and baseball ... coached by Dan Loria.

PERSONAL: Born February 17, 1989 ... son of Quincy Landingham and Vanessa Jefferson ... dad played football and baseball at Wittenberg University ... enrolled in the College of Arts & Science.



2009 PLAYER BIOS



MEET THE REDHAWKS

Brian Lane

58

Defensive Lineman
Sophomore
6-3 284
Cincinnati, Ohio (Moeller)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet lettered at Miami ... joined team as walk-on in 2007 ... will serve as back-up on defensive line.

2008: Did not play.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned three letters in football at Moeller High, playing defensive end and serving as team captain ... among his 42 tackles as a senior were 10 quarterback sacks ... second-team all-league... also lettered twice in lacrosse ... coached by Bob Crable.

PERSONAL: Born February 17, 1989 ... son of Mike and Holly Lane ... dad played football at Notre Dame ... majoring in business.

Scott Madsen

59

Linebacker
Sophomore
6-2 224
Dublin, Ohio (Coffman)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet lettered at Miami ... joined team as walk-on last fall ... a back-up linebacker for the RedHawks.

2008: Did not play.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned three letters in football at Coffman High, playing free safety and wide receiver ... earned all-conference accolades his last two seasons ... recorded 73 tackles, three interceptions and two fumble recoveries ... also played basketball ... coached by Mark Crabtree.

PERSONAL: Born November 28, 1988 ... son of Neil and Patty Madsen ... brother, Kyle, plays basketball at Ohio State ... majoring in business.





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

C.J. Marck

45

Linebacker

Sophomore

6-1 229

Newtown, Pennsylvania (Pennsbury)



SCOUTING REPORT: Transferred from the University of Connecticut in January of 2009, participating in spring drills with the RedHawks ... registered a bench-press of 415 pounds, third best among RedHawk athletes ... will be eligible to compete in varsity action in 2010 ... joins his younger brother, Steve, at Miami University.

2008: Appeared in 10 games at UConn, recording nine tackles and an interception ... had a career-best three stops vs. Cincinnati.

2007: Redshirted at UConn.

HIGH SCHOOL: Selected for the prestigious Pennsylvania-Ohio Big 33 All-Star Game...winner of the Mini Maxwell Award...a first-team All-State AAAA pick...named the Southeastern Pennsylvania Defensive Player of the Year by the Philadelphia Inquirer ...helped Pennsbury to the state semifinals as a senior and district playoffs as a junior ... he recorded 130 tackles his senior season ... team captain... also was a two-time All-American swimmer in the 100 fly and the 200 freestyle events ... also competed in track and field.....member of the National Honor Society...nominated for Congressional Student Leadership Conference ... prep football coach was Gaylen Snyder.

PERSONAL: Born April 23, 1989 ... son of Charlie and Sue Marck ... mom and dad were athletes at Lehigh and a sister (Lindsey) was an ACC champion swimmer at North Carolina ... grandfather and great-grandfather both played for the Chicago Bears. ... undecided as to his major at Miami.



Thomas Merriweather

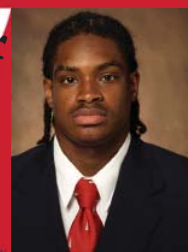
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Running Back

Junior

5-10 205

Florissant, Missouri (Hazelwood East)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has earned varsity letters his first two seasons at Miami ... the man to beat at tailback in 2009 ... showed great vision last spring and did a nice job in pass protection ... an extremely physical back and runs with power.

2008: Paced the RedHawks in rushing with 547 yards and four touchdowns in 10 games ... had a career-high 133 yards on 26 carries vs. Temple ... scored three TDs vs. Charleston Southern ... also grabbed nine passes for 68 yards in 2008.

2007: Played in 10 games in 2007, rushing 40 times for a net 143 yards ... gained 44 yards on 11 carries vs. Bowling Green ... tallied two of his four touchdowns vs. Buffalo in a key RedHawk victory near the end of the season.

HIGH SCHOOL: Rated as the No. 1 running back in the St. Louis area by the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* ... earned all-state honors twice and was an all-conference and all-metro pick three times ... as a senior, he ran for 1,163 yards and 15 touchdowns on 149 carries.

PERSONAL: Born April 10, 1989 ... son of Thomas and Priscilla Merriweather ... two of his heroes are Walter Payton and Emmitt Smith ... majoring in sport studies.

Single-Game Bests

Rushing Attempts: 26 vs. Charleston Southern & Temple, 2008

Rushing Yards: 133 vs. Temple, 2008

Rushing Touchdowns: 3 vs. Charleston Southern, 2008

Long Rush: 24 vs. Temple, 2008

Receptions: 3 vs. Ball State, 2008

Long Reception: 16 vs. Temple, 2008

Thomas Merriweather's Career Rushing Statistics

Year	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Lg
2007	40	156	13	143	3.6	4	20
2008	140	565	18	547	3.9	4	24
Total	180	721	31	690	3.8	8	24

Career Receiving Statistics

Year	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2007	0	0	0.0	0	0
2008	9	68	7.7	0	16
Total	9	68	7.7	0	16





Aaron Mickens

80

Wide Receiver
Freshman
6-3 208
Columbus, Ohio (Westland)



SCOUTING REPORT: Joined team as walk-on last spring ... a back-up wide receiver for the RedHawks.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned three letters in football at Columbus Westland High, playing wide receiver and safety ... was team captain as senior, averaging nearly 19 yards per catch and scoring seven touchdowns ... was first-team all-league selection in 2005 and '06 ... also lettered twice in basketball ... his prep football coach was Jeff Jones.

PERSONAL: Born April 12, 1989 ... son of Gus and Alicia Mickens ... majoring in mass communications.

Glenn Miller

25

Wide Receiver
Sophomore
5-10 180
Brownsburg, Indiana (Cathedral)



SCOUTING REPORT: Practiced with the RedHawks last spring ... will be a back-up wide receiver.

2008: Did not play.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned two letters in football as a wide receiver and defensive back at Cathedral High ... Fighting Irish won the Indiana state championship in Class 4A, beating both the 3A and 5A state champs during the regular season ... he was an outstanding sprinter, winning four city meet titles ... prep football coach was Jim O'Hara.

PERSONAL: Born March 12, 1989 ... son of Renee Miller ... Erik Campbell, an uncle, played football at Michigan ... majoring in sports studies at Miami.

Sascha Miller

33

Running Back
Freshman
5-11 220
Las Vegas, Nevada (Afnorth)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet lettered at Miami ... joined team as walk-on last spring ... a back-up running back for the RedHawks.

2008: Did not play.

HIGH SCHOOL: Earned three letters in football at Afnorth High, playing running back and linebacker ... averaged more than 10 yards per carry and scored 13 touchdowns his senior year ... a two-time captain ... also was a two-time captain for Afnorth's wrestling squad ... prep football coach was Greg Blankenship.

PERSONAL: Born December 26, 1988 ... son of Jon and Rita Miller ... majoring in sports studies.

Rhys Newman

55

Offensive Lineman
Junior
6-5 280
Oxford Ohio (Talawanda)



SCOUTING REPORT: Moved to offensive line duty last spring after playing the previous season as a tight end ... looking for his first varsity letter with the RedHawks.

HIGH SCHOOL: Was a three-sport star at nearby Talawanda High School, earning nine total letters in football, basketball and track and field ... won first-team all-conference football honors and was a member of the All-Butler County all-star squad ... his prep football coach was Mike Wright.

PERSONAL: Born June 22, 1989 ... son of Rocky and Lisa Newman ... father is a professor at Miami and mother is a professor at the University of Cincinnati ... majoring in pre-business/marketing.



2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Mark Paun

98

Defensive Line

Senior

6-3 280

Strongsville, Ohio (Strongsville)



SCOUTING REPORT: A three-time letter winner at Miami ... enters fall drills as the top back-up to Martin Channels at nose tackle ... one of the team's strongest players, boasts a bench-press best of 410 pounds.

2008: Appeared in all 12 games, recording nine total tackles ... also had 0.5 tackles for loss ... chosen to start games vs. Kent State and Buffalo.

2007: Played in nine games ... earned starting assignments at Ball State and Minnesota ... had three tackles.

2006: Recorded 10 tackles in 10 games as a true freshman, including five stops against Western Michigan ... had three tackles for loss, including one QB sack ... stats also included one fumble recovery and one pass break-up.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner as a defensive lineman and tight end at Strongsville, serving as team captain in 2005 ... helped lead the Mustangs to a three-year record of 21-11 and two Pioneer Conference championships ... totaled 141 career tackles, including 16 TFLs and 13 QB sacks ... also lettered two years in ice hockey ... coached by Russ Jacques.

PERSONAL: Born February 19, 1987 ... son of Mark and Annice Paun ... majoring in history.

Single-Game Bests

Solo Tackles: 1 on three occasions (last at Toledo, 2008)

Total Tackles: 2 at Toledo & vs. Ohio, 2008

Mark Paun's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	FR
2007	1	2	3	0	0	0	0
2008	3	6	9	0	0.5-1	0	0
Total	4	8	12	0	0.5-1	0	0





Andrew Phelan

71

Offensive Lineman

Freshman

6-4 315

West Chester, Ohio (Lakota West)

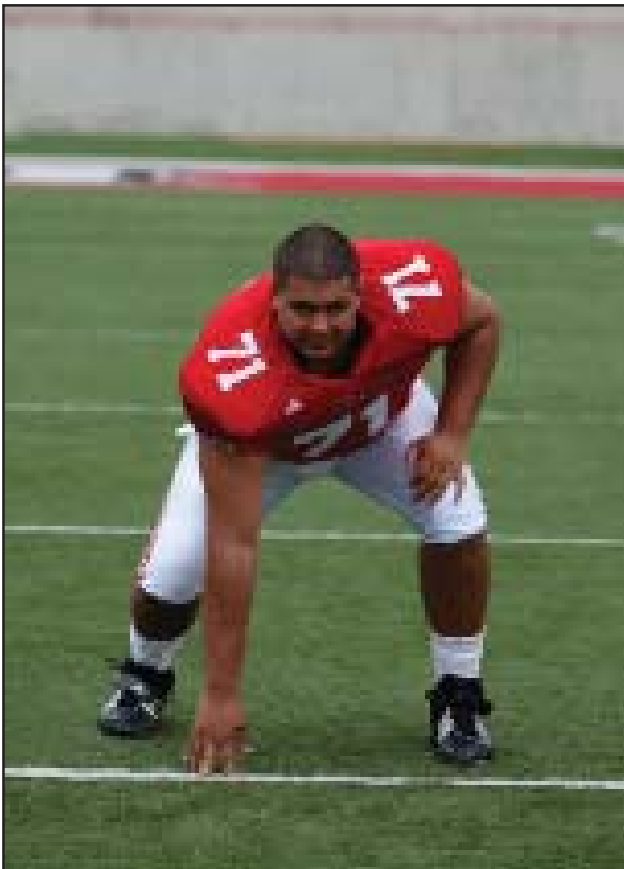


SCOUTING REPORT: Will battle Nate Williams for playing time at right guard.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Joins former Lakota West teammates D.J. Brown and Alex Kaufman at Miami ... a consensus first-team pick on the all-conference, all-city and All-Southwest Ohio squads ... selected to play in the Big 33 Classic ... also lettered twice in basketball ... coach at Lakota West High was Larry Cox.

PERSONAL: Born July 30, 1990 ... son of Brent and Michelle Phelan ... an uncle, Todd, lettered in football at Miami in 1988 ... grandfather, James, played offensive line at Kent State ... his greatest athletic influence is former Cincinnati Bengals star Anthony Munoz ... majors in special education at Miami and hopes to become a teacher and coach.



Seth Philip

39

Placekicker

Junior

6-3 211

Columbus, Ohio (Whetstone)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his first varsity letter in 2008, regularly handling kickoff duties the final six games of the season...a walk-on, he initially joined the RedHawk football team in the spring of '08 ... earned John Scherz Outstanding Walk-on Award at 2008 team banquet ... a member of Miami's "Straight A Team", compiling a perfect 4.0 grade point average last spring.

2008: Appeared in seven games altogether, making his first appearance vs. Temple ... kicked off 20 times, averaging 61.3 yards.

HIGH SCHOOL: Lettered three years in football at Whetstone as a punter/placekicker ... earned all-district special mention honors ... also lettered four years each in baseball, soccer and basketball ... coached by Todd Boyd.

PERSONAL: Born May 12, 1988 ... son of Thomas and Laura Philip ... his older brother, Ben, is currently a PhD student at Miami ... majoring in accountancy.





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Donovan Potter

86

Wide Receiver

Junior

6-2 197

Trotwood, Ohio (Chaminade-Julienne)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned second varsity letter last season ... was sidelined last spring, but should regain his spot in the rotation as a receiver ... an outstanding student, he has compiled a 3.0+ grade point at Miami.

2008: Appeared in all 12 RedHawk games, grabbing nine passes for 61 yards ... he had at least one catch in each of his last five games earned a starting assignment in the Kent State game.

2007: Played in 11 games ... caught 10 passes for 81 yards ... best statistical effort was in the MAC Championship Game when he caught four passes for 25 yards ... had three grabs for 26 yards vs. Cincinnati ... longest catch was a 14-yarder at Minnesota.

2006: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-year letterwinner who played quarterback, wide receiver and defensive back during his prep career ... totaled 80 catches for 1,120 yards and eight touchdowns as a senior ... First-Team All-Ohio pick ... also played basketball ... played on a nationally ranked AAU team with NBA players Greg Oden, Mike Conley and Daequon Cook ... prep football coach was Jim Place.

PERSONAL: Born March 4, 1988 ... son of Douglas and Michelle Potter ... majors in sport studies and plans to eventually earn a master's degree in sports business.

Single-Game Bests

Receptions: 4 vs. Central Michigan, 2007

Receiving Yards: 26 vs. Cincinnati, 2007

Long Reception: 14 at Minnesota, 2007

Donovan Potter's Career Receiving Statistics

Year	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2007	10	81	8.1	0	14
2008	9	61	6.8	0	13
Total	19	142	7.5	0	14





Daniel Raudabaugh

12

Quarterback

Senior

6-4 225

Coppell, Texas (Coppell)



Daniel Raudabaugh's Career Passing Statistics

Year	Comp-Att	Yds.	Pct.	TD/Int	Effic.
2006	31-60	291	51.7	1/3	87.9
2007	209-382	2431	54.7	12/12	112.25
2008	201-343	1960	58.6	8/9	109.1
Total	441-785	4682	56.2	21/24	112.87

Daniel Raudabaugh's Career Rushing Statistics

Year	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Lg
2006	13	13	50	-37	-2.8	0	8
2007	38	125	98	27	0.7	0	20
2008	25	58	80	-22	-0.9	0	11
Total	64	196	228	-32	-0.5	0	20

SCOUTING REPORT: A three-time letterwinner who enters his final season at Miami ... coaching staff lists him as the man to beat at quarterback ... possesses great arm strength but still needs to be more consistent as a decision maker ... represented Miami along with Jordan Gafford at the 2009 MAC Kickoff in Detroit.

2008: Appeared in 11 of Miami's 12 games, getting the starting nod at quarterback eight times ... completed 58.6 percent of his 343 passes for 1,960 yards and eight touchdowns ... three nine interceptions ... tossed completions of at least 30 yards in seven contests ... his top effort was a 305-yard passing performance against Charleston Southern ... threw two TD passes in both the Cincinnati and Toledo games ... ended his junior season with 4,681 career passing yards, fifth best on Miami's all-time list.

2007: Passed for 2,431 yards, the eighth-best single-season yardage total in Miami history ... his 209 pass completions and 382 attempts also ranked on school's single-season top ten list ... tossed 12 touchdown passes and 12 interceptions ... he and fellow QB Mike Kokal passed for 418 yards in game two at Minnesota, the fourth-best, all-time, single-game mark in Miami history ... his top individual single-game passing effort came at Temple when he threw for 314 yards ... won a game ball for his 259-yard performance in Miami's key win over Buffalo ... started eight games, including the last seven in a row.

2006: Saw action in four games, including a start at Cincinnati, completing 21-of-48 passes for 190 yards ... threw a three-yard TD pass to Ryne Robinson vs. Syracuse with just :35 left in the game.

2005:
Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Completed 95-of-187 passes for 1,282 yards and eight touchdowns during his senior season at Coppell ... two-year letterwinner who served as team captain his senior year ... second-team all-district selection in 2004 ... played in Dallas-Fort Worth Coca Cola All-Star Game ... also a second-team all-district selection as a pitcher on the Coppell baseball team ... coached by Mike Fuller.

PERSONAL: Born March 30, 1987 ... son of Gregg and Bonnie Raudabaugh ... majoring in history.

Single-Game Bests

Completions: 57 at Temple, 2007

Passing Yards: 314 at Temple, 2007

Passing Touchdowns: 2 (three times), last vs. Buffalo, 2007

Long Completion: 73 vs. Bowling Green, 2007

Rushing Yards: 21 vs. Central Michigan, 2007





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Sean Redwine

52

Offensive Lineman

Junior

6-4 280

Reading, Ohio (Moeller)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned second varsity letter in 2008 ... was switched to offensive line by new coaching staff and will enter fall as Bob Gulley's top backup at left guard ... one of the team's strongest players, owns a power-clean lift of 330 pounds.

2008: Appeared in 11 of the team's 12 games, totaling 11 tackles ... among his stops were two tackles for loss, including a quarterback sack vs. Charleston Southern ... he also forced a fumble against CSU.

2007: Played in all 13 games, starting contests vs. Temple and Vanderbilt ... totaled 21 tackles, including QB sack and another TFL ... also recovered a fumble and broke up a pass.

2006: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner as a tight end at Moeller, leading the team to a two-year record of 16-8, including a 10-win season his junior year ... first-team all-city as a senior ... also lettered in basketball ... coached by Bob Crable.

PERSONAL; Born October 7, 1987 ... son of Randy and Anne Redwine ... majoring in sport studies.

Sean Redwine's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	PBU	FF/FR
2007	11	10	21	1.0-5	1.5-5	1	0/1
2008	5	6	11	1.0-10	2.0-14	1	1/0
Total	16	16	32	2.0-15	3.5-19	2	1/1



Rob Reiland

89

Tight End

Sophomore

6-3 244

Canton, Ohio (Jackson)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his varsity letter in 2008 as a back-up tight end and as a member of the special teams units ... will battle classmate Kendrick Bruton and others for playing time ... a fine student, he has compiled a 3.0+ grade point at Miami.

2008: Appeared in 11 of team's 12 games, but did not record any pass receptions ... fielded one kickoff return.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Helped Jackson to a record of 25-13 in four seasons ... earned three letters in football and one in lacrosse ... an all-conference and all county honoree ... coached by Phil Mauro.

PERSONAL: Born July 1, 1988 ... son of Richard and Karen Reiland ... majoring in history.





Armand Robinson

11

Wide Receiver

Junior

6-1 203

Reynoldsburg, Ohio (Reynoldsburg)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his second varsity letter in 2008 ... will compete against Andy Cruse and others for playing time at wide receiver ... needs 300 receiving yards to reach 1,000 for his career.

2008: Appeared in all 12 RedHawk games, getting the starting nod against Vanderbilt, Charleston Southern, Temple and Northern Illinois ... caught 16 passes for 229 yards ... caught three passes and scored touchdowns against CSU and Cincinnati in consecutive games ... grabbed a career-long 50-yard pass vs. CSU.

2007: In terms of catches, ranked third with 33 receptions for 471 yards ... grabbed a team-high three touchdowns ... had a season-high five receptions vs. Cincinnati and 86 receiving yards at Kent State ... recorded consecutive-game TD grabs at Minnesota and vs. Cincinnati ... also caught a TD pass in Miami's MAC Championship Game vs. Central Michigan.

2006: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Had 78 receptions for more than 1,300 yards his last two seasons at Reynoldsburg High School ... two-time first-team all-conference ... was the South's MVP in Ohio's 2006 North-South All-Star Game ... coached by Woody Underwood.

PERSONAL: Born December 8, 1987 ... son of Michael and Emilie Robinson ... majoring in business.

Single-Game Bests

Receptions: 5 vs. Cincinnati, 2007

Receiving Yards: 86 at Kent State, 2007

Receiving Touchdowns: 1 on five occasions (last vs. Cincinnati, 2008)

Long Reception: 50 vs. Charleston Southern, 2008

Armand Robinson's Career Receiving Statistics

Year	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2007	33	471	14.3	3	49
2008	16	229	14.3	2	50
Total	49	700	14.3	5	50



2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Jamal Rogers

9

Wide Receiver

Junior

5-11 167

Fort Myers, Florida (Harmony)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has won varsity letters in each of his first two seasons at Miami ... improved from day one during spring practice in his knowledge of his position ... along with Eugene Harris, he is rated as Miami's most elusive runner ... great speed after he catches the ball ... a touchdown threat whenever he touches the ball ... needs 273 kickoff return yards to become RedHawks' all-time leader in that category ... has caught at least one pass in 14 consecutive games ... has a standing long jump mark of 10 feet.

2008: Appeared in 10 games, racking up a team-high 41 receptions for 353 yards ... caught 10 passes for 81 yards at Michigan ... hauled in eight catches for 62 yards vs. Temple ... also rushed the ball nine times, averaging nearly six yards per carry ... totaled 28 kickoff returns for 581 yards, an average of 20.8 per return.

2007: Made a huge impact as a first-year player, returning 43 kickoffs for a Miami-record 973 yards, 256 more yards than the previous mark ... had long run-backs of 90 yards (vs. Ohio) and 52 yards (vs. Bowling Green) ... as a receiver, he caught 19 passes for 173, including a 40-yard touchdown at Vanderbilt ... also had 10 rushes for 75 yards.

HIGH SCHOOL: Went to Cape Coral High School in Ft. Myers before spending one year at Harmony Prep ... captained the Harmony Hurricanes to a perfect 10-0 season in 2006, making 45 catches for 600 yards and seven TDs ... coached by Troy Davis.

PERSONAL: Born August 12, 1988 ... son of Harold Rogers and Catherine Ellis ... enrolled in College of Arts & Science.

Single-Game Bests

Receptions: 4 at Ohio, 2007

Receiving Yards: 81 at Michigan, 2008

Receiving Touchdowns: 1 at Vanderbilt, 2007

Long Reception: 40 at Vanderbilt, 2007

Kickoff Return Yards: 159 vs. Vanderbilt (7), 2008

Long Return: 90 at Ohio, 2007

Jamal Rogers's Career Receiving Statistics

Year	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2007	33	471	14.3	3	49
2008	41	353	8.6	0	25
Total	74	824	11.1	3	49

Career Kickoff Return Statistics

Year	Ret.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2007	43	973	22.6	0	90
2008	28	581	20.8	0	31
Total	71	1554	21.9	0	90

Career Rushing Statistics

Year	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Lg
2007	10	79	4	75	7.5	0	18
2008	9	68	15	53	5.9	0	21
Total	19	147	19	128	6.7	0	21





Mike Rummler

62

Long Snapper

Junior

6-2 209

Cincinnati, Ohio (Moeller)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned second varsity letter in 2008 ... a dependable player who did all of Miami's long snapping the last two seasons ... one of three Moeller High School products who are members of the 2009 RedHawk football team.

2008: Flawless on every snap he made for punt and field goal units ... an aggressive tackler, he accounted for three stops on the punt squad.

2007: Appeared in all 13 games as the long snapper for both the punt and kickoff teams ... assisted on three tackles ... earned the John Scherz Outstanding Walk-on Award at post-season banquet.

2006: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner as a safety and linebacker ... coached by Bob Crable.

PERSONAL: Born March 21, 1986 ... son of Ernie and Karen Rummler ... brother, Adam, played football at Miami, but did not letter ... majoring in economics.

Mike Scherpenberg

18

Quarterback

Junior

6-3 208

Cincinnati, Ohio (Indian Hill/Grand Valley St.)



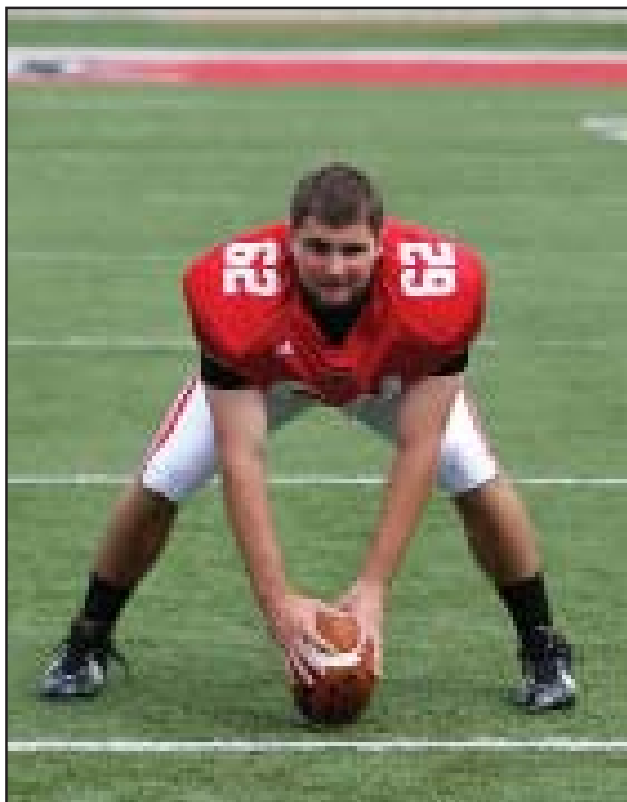
SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet lettered at Miami ... battling for playing time at quarterback ... a stellar student, he carries a 3.0+ grade point average.

2008: Did not play.

COLLEGE: Transferred to Miami from Grand Valley State, a distinguished Division II program in Grand Rapids, Mich. ... redshirted in 2006 at GVSU.

HIGH SCHOOL: Captained football, basketball and baseball teams ... played in Ohio Big 33 All-Star Game ... passed for more than 5,700 yards.

PERSONAL: Born December 27, 1987 ... son of Tom and Betsy Scherpenberg ... majoring in accountancy.





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Jason Semmes

73

Defensive Lineman

Sophomore

6-3 245

Clarkston, Michigan (St. Mary's)



SCOUTING REPORT: The University of Iowa transfer will sit out the 2009 season ... older brother of RedHawk freshman Justin Semmes.

2008: Did not play.

HIGH SCHOOL: First-team all-state and all-conference as a senior in 2007... All-Oakland County second-team selection ... ranked No. 18 in Detroit News Blue Chip rankings ... recorded 15 TFLs, 7.5 quarterback sacks and four fumble recoveries in his final season ... the team captain, he also played tight end ... also lettered four times in lacrosse and once in basketball ... finished No. 1 in his class, academically, as a freshman, sophomore and junior ... named 2006 American History Student of the Year ... prep football coach was George Porritt.

PERSONAL: Born August 7, 1989 ... son of James Semmes and Merleen Jones ... majoring in economics.



Ken Staudinger

63

Offensive Lineman

Sophomore

6-5 272

Canton, Ohio (Hoover)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned first varsity letter in 2008 ... emerged from spring practice at starting right offensive tackle ... improved in his technique and fundamentals ... coaches love his physical ability and how he comes off the football.

2008: Played in 10 RedHawk games.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: A two-sport athlete in high school, competing in football and lacrosse ... helped the Viking football team to 7-3 records his last two seasons ... selected first-team all-state by the AP as a senior ... Hoover's lacrosse team won the 2006 Division II State Championship, and he was the defensive MVP of the championship game ... coached by Don Hertler.

PERSONAL: Born April 26, 1988 ... son of Ken and Christine Staudinger ... father played football at Duke ... the person from history he'd most like to meet is former NFL star and war hero Pat Tillman ... undecided about his major ... lists ideal job as working in F.B.I.





Brandon Stephens

24

Defensive Back

Junior

5-10 197

Strongsville, Ohio (Strongsville)



SCOUTING REPORT: Won his second varsity letter in 2008 ... he came out of spring drills as the starter at left cornerback ... doing a nice job as a cover corner ... recorded the fifth-best vertical jump (35") among all RedHawk players and has a 10-foot standing long jump.

2008: Started six RedHawk games, playing in 10 contests altogether ... averaged five tackles per game through his first five ... had career-best six tackles in games at Michigan and at Cincinnati ... recorded one tackle for loss and two pass break-ups.

2007: Enrolled at Miami in January of 2007 and used his extra time on campus to move up on the depth chart ... played in all 13 games, recording 14 tackles, one fumble recovery, one quarterback hurry and one pass break-up ... he had four solo tackles at Colorado and three stops vs. Syracuse.

HIGH SCHOOL: Four-year letterwinner who played cornerback, wide receiver and kick returner at Strongsville ... helped the team to a 36-13 record over four season, winning a pair of Pioneer Conference titles ... also lettered four years in basketball and three times in track ... coached by Russ Jacques.

PERSONAL: Born December 14, 1987 ... son of Vince and Veronica Stephens ... majoring in sport studies.

Single-Game Bests

Solo Tackles: 5 at Michigan & at Cincinnati, 2008

Total Tackles: 6 at Michigan & at Cincinnati, 2008

Tackles for Loss: 1 vs. Temple, 2008

Pass Break-ups: 2 vs. Charleston Southern, 2008

Brandon Stephens's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	FR
2007	11	3	14	0	0	0	1
2008	24	6	30	0	1.0-1	0	2
Total	35	9	44	0	1.0-1	0	3





2009 PLAYER BIOS

MEET THE REDHAWKS

Jordan Stevens

21

Tight End

Junior

6-4 254

Monroeville, Pennsylvania (Gateway)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned second varsity letter in 2008 ... was moved by coaches to tight end position in August ... his 315-pound power clean max lift is third best among all RedHawk players.

2008: Saw action in 11 of Miami's 12 games ... got the starting nod at Kent State, recording three tackles ... his best game was at Bowling Green when he notched four tackles, 1.5 TFLs and one pass break-up.

2007: Played in 12 of Miami's 13 games, earning a start vs. Bowling Green ... totaled 22 tackles, 3.5 TFLs for minus 26 yards, two QB sacks for minus 21 yards and one forced fumble ... had four tackles vs. Bowling Green and four at Minnesota.

2006: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Four-year letterwinner as a defensive end and tight end at Gateway High, serving as team captain his senior year ... totaled 101 tackles, 11 sacks and three forced fumbles as a senior ... helped Agors to the state finals his junior season ... first-team all-state pick who was ranked among the Top 40 players in Pennsylvania and as the 34th best defensive end nationally ... also a Fabulous 22 and Elite East 30 selection ... a *Prep Star* All-American ... coached by Terry Smith.

PERSONAL: Born July 5, 1987 ... son of Frank and Cindy Stevens ... the person from history he'd most like to meet is Martin Luther King, Jr. ... majoring in kinesiology.

Single-Game Bests

Tackles: 4 at Bowling Green, 2008

Tackles for Loss: 1.5 at Bowling Green, 2008

QB Hurries: 2 vs. Charleston Southern, 2008

Pass Break-ups: 1 at Bowling Green, 2008

Jordan Stevens's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	QBH	FF
2007	12	10	22	2.0-21	3.5-26	1	1
2008	8	6	14	1.0-5	2.5-12	2	0
Total	20	16	36	3.0-26	6.0-38	3	1



D.J. Svabik

95

Defensive Lineman

Junior

6-6 281

Van Wert, Ohio (VanWert)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned second varsity letter last season ... emerged from spring practice as Jordain Brown's back-up at right tackle.

2008: Played in 11 of Miami's 12 games ... was the starter at left tackle for the games against Charleston Southern, Northern Illinois, Bowling Green and Ohio ... recorded season-high three tackles against Temple.

2007: Appeared in 10 games ... recorded five tackles, including three solos at Colorado.

2006: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Lettered two seasons as a defensive end and tackle, serving as team captain during his senior season ... senior year was cut short due a broken foot ... first-team all-conference as a senior ... selected to compete in Ohio's North-South All-Star Game ... coached by Jeff Hood, the brother of Miami defensive coordinator Jay Hood.

PERSONAL: Born January 26, 1988 ... son of Paul and Laurel Svabik ... majoring in sport studies.

Single-Game Bests

Total Tackles: 3 vs. Temple, 2008

Tackles for Loss: 0.5 vs. Charleston Southern, 2008

D.J. Svabik's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	BrUp
2007	5	0	5	0	0	0	0
2008	3	10	13	0.5-2	1.0-3	0	0
Total	8	10	18	0.5-2	1.0-3	0	0





Jaytee Swanson

32

Linebacker

Freshman

6-2 224

Buford, Georgia (Buford)

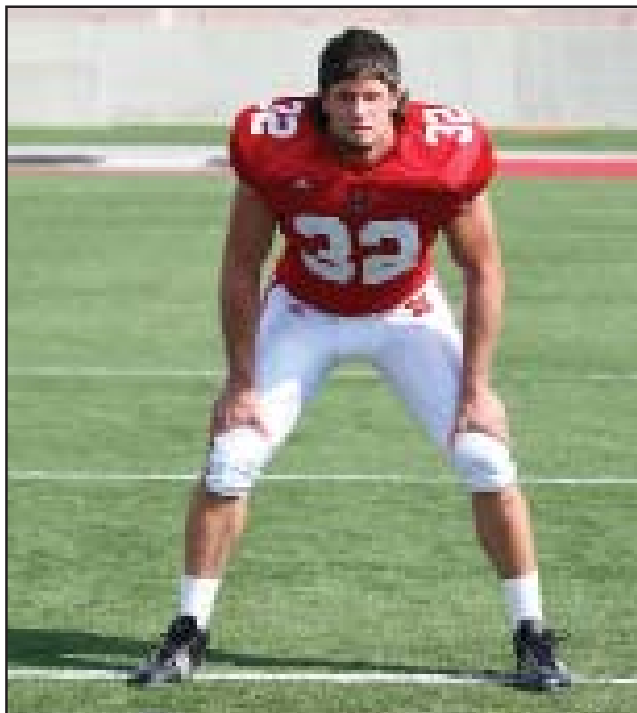


SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet lettered at Miami ... begins fall drills as a reserve linebacker.

2008: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: A top defensive star for Buford High School's 2007 state champs ... compiled 289 career tackle in three years as a linebacker for the Wolves ... recorded four interceptions ... holds the school record for lifts in the categories of powerclean (325 pounds) and the squat (410 pounds) ... won Gwinnett County's Coaches Award in 2007 ... an honor roll student ... nominated as the Athlete of the Year for Gwinnett County's Fellowship of Christian Athletes ... Buford High's football team compiled a record of 53-3 over the last four seasons.

PERSONAL: Born August 3, 1989 ... father, Mark, pitched for Liberty University's baseball team and mother, Denise, played basketball for Berry College ... plans to major in engineering.



Jay "J.R." Taylor

38

Running Back

Sophomore

5-9 197

Reynoldsburg, Ohio (Reynoldsburg)



SCOUTING REPORT: Was the only true freshman to earn a varsity letter for Miami in 2008 ... classes caused him to miss much of spring practice, but he's expected to battle for playing time ... a prep teammate of Armand Robinson at Reynoldsburg High.

2008: Sat out the first four games of the season, but came on strong in final eight contests, rushing for 427 yards ... received the game ball in Miami's victory at Bowling Green when he ran for 127 yards and one touchdown ... he recorded a 113-yard performance the following week against Kent State ... also caught four passes for 24 yards in 2008.

HIGH SCHOOL: Rushed for 1,251 yards his junior year, an average of 6.3 yards per carry ... injured his ankle in the 2007 opener and was limited throughout the season ... top game came against Dublin when he ran for 251 yards and four touchdowns, including scores of 45, 65 and 70 yards ... also starred as a sprinter for the Raiders' track and field team, running the 100-meter dash in 10.6 ... earned academic all-state laurels ... coach at Reynoldsburg High was Woody Underwood.

PERSONAL: Born March 6, 1989 ... son of Thomas and Ann Taylor ... full name is Jay Rakeem Taylor ... plans to study chemistry at Miami.

Single-Game Bests

Rushing Attempts: 21 at Toledo, 2008

Rushing Yards: 127 at Bowling Green, 2008

Rushing Touchdowns: 1 at Bowling Green & at Buffalo, 2008

Long Rush: 38 at Bowling Green, 2008

Receptions: 2 vs. Ohio, 2008

Receiving Yards: 14 vs. Ohio, 2008

J.R. Taylor's Career Rushing Statistics

Year	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Lg
2008	87	430	3	427	4.9	2	38





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Jeff Thompson

3

Defensive Back

Senior

5-10 192

Worthington, Ohio (Kilbourne)



SCOUTING REPORT: A three-time letterwinner at cornerback, he enters his final season in 2009 ... will be one of the RedHawks' senior leaders ... one of the team's hardest workers and one of Miami's most consistent defenders ... among the MAC's best cornerbacks and an exceptional special teams player ... was a prep teammate of fellow RedHawk Jordan Gafford.

2008: Appeared in 11 of team's 12 games, earning starting job the first nine games of the season ... recorded 22 tackles, seven of which came in Miami's victory over Charleston Southern ... also had five tackles and two pass break-ups in team's win at Bowling Green.

2007: Earned Miami football's Strength and Conditioning Award at the 2007 team banquet ... won a game ball for his performance in the RedHawks' key win against Buffalo ... his punishing hit on the Bulls' QB caused a fumble and ended a key drive ... the team's sixth-leading tackler with 58 stops ... had interceptions at Minnesota and at Colorado ... his big game at Colorado included four stops on third-down plays by the Buffaloes ... started all 13 games.

2006: Played in 10 games, making eight tackles ... occasionally served as nickel back in pass situations.

2005: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 13 career interceptions as a three-year letterman at Worthington Kilbourne High ranks second on the school list ... three-time first-team all-conference selection ... helped Kilbourne to a regional football title in 2004 ... a prep teammate of Miami secondary mate Jordan Gafford, they were coached by Jordan's dad, Jeff Gafford.

PERSONAL:

Born August 10, 1987 ... son of Sandra and Jeffery Thompson ... majoring in finance.

Single-Game Bests

Solo Tackles: 4 vs. Charleston Southern & at Bowling Green, 2008

Total Tackles: 9 vs. Central Michigan, 2007

Tackles for Loss: 1.0 on three occasions (last at Michigan, 2008)

Interceptions: 1 on two occasions (last at Colorado, 2007)

Quarterback Sacks: 1 vs. Buffalo, 2007

Pass Break-ups: 2 at Bowling Green, 2008

Jeff Thompson's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	BrUp
2006	4	4	8	0	0	0	0
2007	31	27	58	1.0-9	2.0-12	2-0	3
2008	15	7	22	0	1.5-4	0	4
Total	50	38	88	1.0-9	3.5-16	2-0	7





Cornelius Ward

25

Defensive Back
Sophomore
6-1 185

Fort Washington, Maryland (Friendly)



SCOUTING REPORT: Won his first varsity letter in 2008 ... 19 of his 23 tackles were solos ... enters fall drills as a back-up cornerback ... should see time in the nickel package and with the special teams units.

2008: Played in 10 of Miami's 12 games, starting the last two in the place of injured Jeff Thompson ... recorded at least one tackle in all but two games ... had six stops vs. nationally ranked Ball State, five tackles against Charleston Southern, and four stops each vs. Vanderbilt ... broke up two passes at Toledo.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Posted 85 tackles, four interceptions, six pass deflections, two sacks and three forced fumbles while helping Friendly Senior High to a 2006 Division 3A State title ... garnered first-team all-league and all-county honors ... coached by George Earley.

PERSONAL: Born January 10, 1989 ... son of Darryl Ward ... majoring in business.

Single-Game Bests

Solo Tackles: 4 on three occasions (last vs. Ball State, 2008)

Total Tackles: 6 vs. Ball State, 2008

Pass Break-ups: 2 at Toledo, 2008

Cornelius Ward's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	BrUp
2008	19	4	23	0	0	0	3



Jerrell Wedge

43

Linebacker
Sophomore
5-9 223

Upper Marlboro, Maryland (Douglas)



SCOUTING REPORT: Earned his first varsity letter last season ... after a sensational spring, he will battle Ryan Kennedy for starting duty at middle linebacker ... one of the RedHawks' most physical players.

2008: Played nine games for the RedHawks, totaling six tackles ... had a season-high two stops against Ball State.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Totaled 375 tackles in three years as a linebacker for Frederick Douglass High ... ran for 1,000 yards his senior year ... prep team has a three-year record of 30-7 ... selected all-county all three years ... attended the same high school as San Diego Charger linebacker Shawne Merriman ... coached by Julius Pinkney.

PERSONAL: Born January 24, 1989 ... son of Eric and Deborah Wedge ... majoring in physical education.

Single-Game Bests

Solo Tackles: 1 on three occasions

Total Tackles: 2 vs. Ball State, 2008

Jerrell Wedge's Career Defensive Statistics

Year	UT	AT	TT	Sack	TFL	INT	BrUp
2008	3	3	6	0	0	0	0





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Jonathan Wells

33

Defensive Back
Sophomore
5-8 175
Hubbard, Ohio (Liberty)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet earned a varsity letter ... enters pre-season drills as a back-up cornerback ... will target playing time with special teams units.

2008: Did not play.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played cornerback and running back at Liberty, totaling 35 tackles, three interceptions, 1,111 yards rushing and nine touchdowns ... helped the Leopards to a four-year record of 41-3 and two Trumbull Athletic Conference crowns ... a two-time all-conference and all-county selection ... coached by Jeff Whittaker.

PERSONAL: Born July 17, 1989 ... son of David and Donna Wells ... majoring in finance.



Kasey Wendal

47

Defensive Back
Sophomore
5-11 209
Columbus, Ohio (Westland)

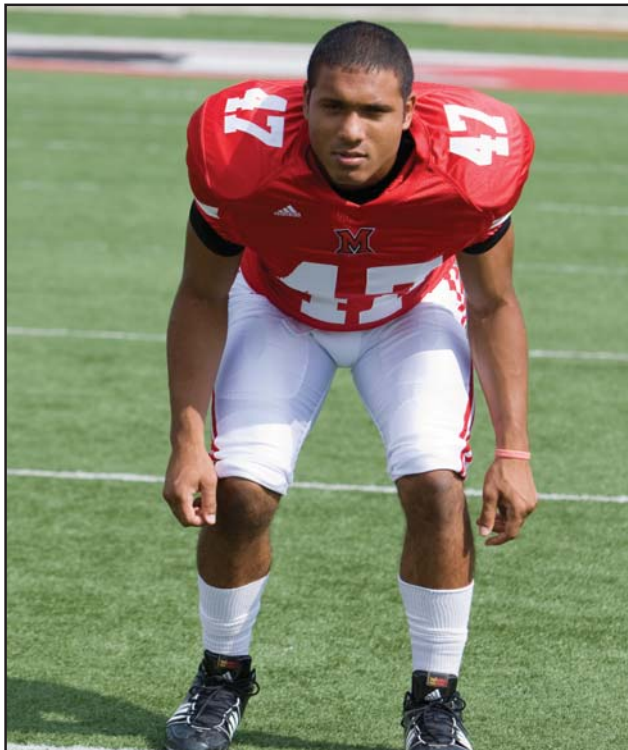


SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet earned a varsity letter ... enters pre-season drills as a back-up safety ... hope to gain playing time with special teams units.

2008: Did not play.

HIGH SCHOOL: A first-team all-state selection, he was the District Player of the Year and a finalist for Ohio's Mr. Football ... participated in Ohio's North-South Game ... lettered three times each in football and basketball, and captained each squad twice ... prep football coach was Jeff Jones.

PERSONAL: Born January 7, 1989 ... son of Carlos Bailey ... his father played at Marshall in the 1980s ... majoring in public administration.





Nate Williams

70

Offensive Lineman

Junior

6-5 308

Parma, Ohio (HolyName)



SCOUTING REPORT: Won his first varsity letter ... emerged from spring practice as the man to beat at right guard ... he played left guard most of last season ... extremely strong, he has the team's fourth-best squat max lift (500 pounds) and the fourth-best power clean max lift (310 pounds).

2008: Saw action in 10 of Miami's 12 games ... was the starting left guard in the RedHawks' victories vs. Charleston Southern and at Bowling Green, and also in the contests against Cincinnati and Kent State ... a 75 percent blocker in 281 plays ... totaled 22 knockdowns and three pins.

2007: Appeared in five of the last seven games ... became a starter on the field goal and PAT teams ... was a member of Miami's offensive line unit that won MAC Offensive Player of the Week honors following its performance vs. Buffalo.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-year letterwinner at a variety of positions on both sides of the ball ... helped the Greenwave to an 8-2 record and conference championship his senior year ... first-team all-conference, all-district and All-Northeastern Ohio ... also a three-year letterwinner in basketball ... coached by Frank Petroff.

PERSONAL: Born December 10, 1987 ... son of Edward and Patrice Williams ... majoring in integrated social studies.



Lee Zamos

74

Offensive Lineman

Junior

6-5 282

Kenston, Ohio (Kenston)



SCOUTING REPORT: Has not yet earned a varsity letter ... got good reps during spring drills and will try to continue his progress in the fall... outstanding in the classroom, he has compiled a 3.0+ grade point average.

2008: Did not play.

2007: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: A two-year letterwinner in football, playing tight end, offensive tackle and defensive end ... first-team all-conference ... was his team's top lineman, earning MVP honors ... won three letters playing basketball ... coached by Rick Adams.

PERSONAL: Born October 11, 1988 ... son of David Zamos and Ann Martin ... an uncle, Bill Hudson, played football at Miami in the mid 1960s ... majoring in zoology.





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Dustin Woods

1

Wide Receiver

Senior

5-11 191

Cincinnati, Ohio (Purcell-Marian)



SCOUTING REPORT: Aims for his fourth varsity letter in 2009 ... one of the team's fastest players, he is one of the RedHawks' top deep threats ... a potential all-conference candidate.

2008: Played in 11 of the team's 12 games, missing the season finale against Ohio ... caught at least one pass in all but one contest ... a starter in 10 games ... his top efforts of the season was at Buffalo where he grabbed nine passes for 82 yards and returned six kickoffs for 174 yards, including a 44-yarder ... had a 49-yard catch against Charleston Southern and a 42-yarder at Michigan.

2007: Miami's second-leading receiver with 40 catches for a team-high 603 yards ... averaged 15.1 yards per reception while winning his second varsity letter ... the veteran among the RedHawks' youthful receiving corps started 11 games ... caught six balls for 95 yards in Miami's Tomahawk Victory vs. Syracuse ... his longest grab was a 54-yarder vs. Kent State.

2006: Ranked second on the team with 25 catches for 506 yards and four touchdowns ... averaged an impressive 20.2 yards per catch and all four of his TD receptions came from outside of 25 yards ... had a career-best 80-yard grab vs. Northern Illinois, hauling in eight passes for 178 yards ... totaled three catches for 78 yards and a 47-yard TD reception at Western Michigan ... made the go-ahead 28-yard TD catch in the mud at Bowling Green ... also was Miami's top kick returner, averaging 23.6 yards per return on 14 run-backs.

2005: Redshirted.

HIGH SCHOOL: Averaged 106 yards receiving per game as a senior at Purcell Marian High School ... the all-stater was the GCL's Receiver of the Year ... also played defensive back ... earned first-team all-conference, all-city, all-region, all-district and all-state honors as a senior ... Also competed on a state championship baseball team ... coached by Tom Sticklely.

PERSONAL: Born September 11, 1986 ... son of Robin and Carol Woods ... majoring in sport studies.

Single-Game Bests

Receptions: 9 at Buffalo, 2008

Receiving Yards: 178 vs. Northern Illinois, 2006

Receiving Touchdowns: 1 (five times), last at Minnesota, 2007

Long Reception: 80 (TD) vs. Northern Illinois, 2006

Kick Returns: 6 at Buffalo, 2008

Kick Return Yardage: 174 at Buffalo, 2008

Long Return: 44 at Buffalo, 2008

Dustin Wood's Career Receiving Statistics

Year	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2006	25	506	20.2	4	80
2007	40	603	15.1	1	54
2008	35	377	10.8	0	49
Total	100	1486	14.9	5	80





John Anevski

67

Offensive Lineman
Freshman
6-3 283
Cincinnati, Ohio (Elder)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "John Anevski is a relentless football player. I had a conversation with one of our Notre Dame players who had the opportunity to play with him in high school. The first thing he said was, 'Coach, he is a pit bull in a dog fight. He never stops. You will love him.' John is relentless and what an outstanding football player he is. You meet him and you see he has great passion for the game. John's parents appreciate the game and never miss seeing him play. But they really don't push their kids to be football players. They push their kids to focus on academics first and John is a really good student. We're looking forward to him because he's a leader on the field and he leads by example."

Notes: His Elder High team was 13-2 and played in the state semifinals ... first-team all-city and all-league selection ... brother, Tom, played at Boston College and is now a graduate assistant coach at Miami ... a member of his school's National Honor Society ... parents were born in Macedonia ... John plans to major in marketing.

Brad Bednar

72

Offensive Lineman
Freshman
6-4 273
Mentor, Ohio (Mentor)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "For a young kid, Brad Bednar came in during the spring and learned the offense really well. He has a chance to be a significant contributor this upcoming season in our offensive line."

Notes: Had major knee surgery in March of 2008, during which a benign tumor was removed and a bone graft was performed. He was in a cast for 12 weeks ... served as a volunteer coach at Mentor High School ... a "gray shirt", he enrolled at Miami in January of 2009, participating in spring practice ... first-team all-state offensive lineman at Mentor, he lettered three times and captained his squad as a senior ... Mentor was the Division I state runnerup in 2006 and '07, compiling an overall record of 24-5 ... prep football coach was Steve Trivisonno ... also lettered in baseball ... an exceptional student, he had a 4.0 cumulative grade point average ... parents are Lawrence and Dolores Bednar ... boasts that he's seen every Simpsons and Seinfeld episode ... the person from history he'd most like to meet is NBA great Larry Bird ... Brad plans to major in engineering.

Austin Boucher

16

Quarterback
Freshman
6-1 206
Kettering, Ohio (Archbishop Alter)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "When you look at Austin Boucher, one of the first things you notice is that he does a nice job at reading his coverages, going to the appropriate receivers, and going through his progression reads. At the same time, you can see that he makes the right throws. There are very few throws, if any, that he can't make. He has a lot of zip on the football. Austin does a nice job of relocating in the pocket and understands how to sit in the pocket and wait for the receiver to come open. However, if it gets too crowded in there, he has the athletic ability to escape. Once you meet him, you realize what a great leader and great student of the game he is. With the tutelage of Morris Watts, I have a vision of how much better this young man can become."

Notes: Turned down an offer from Ohio State to play at Miami ... twin brother, Collin, also is a member of Miami's 2009 recruiting class ... the Alter High football team was a perfect 30-0 in regular season play, ... team was the 2008 state champs (15-0) ... as a senior, he passed for 1,900 yards and threw 22 touchdown passes. Also rushed for nearly 900 yards and had 15 rushing TDs ... Ohio's 2008 Division IV Player of the Year and a first-team all-state selection ... also a two-time captain for Alter's basketball team ... a four-year member of the Honor Roll ... grandfather (Roy Boucher) played tennis at Michigan.

Collin Boucher

35

Linebacker
Freshman
6-2 219
Kettering, Ohio (Archbishop Alter)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Collin Boucher is coming back from a knee injury. However, we watched his junior tape. He was really explosive, did a nice job of running to the football, coming off of blocks, and using his hands. He did a nice job of attacking the guards, shocking and shedding, and coming off making plays. Collin is a young man who knows how to finish plays. He has great leadership ability and really works hard at his craft."

Notes: Twin brother, Austin, also is a member of Miami's 2009 recruiting class ... Collin is 23 minutes older than his brother ... high school team compiled a 43-3 overall record and won the 2008 state championship ... tore his ACL in the first game of his senior season ... Austin wore Collin's jersey No. 9 during their senior campaign ... recorded 79 tackles his junior year and scored 15 points per game with Alter's basketball team ... a two-time hoops captain ... he and his brother coached mentally challenged kids in basketball.

Justin Bowers

29

Defensive Back
Freshman
5-10 200

Murfreesboro, Tennessee (Blackman)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Justin Bowers is a cornerback who has great cover skills. He's a guy who can really break on the ball and who has great speed. He studies the game. We are looking for good things from Justin because he's a really good football player and is able to go up and high-point the football. He does a nice job in judging it."

Notes: A four-year letter winner and captain of Blackman High's football squad ... was an all-region selection all four years ... dad, Joe, played at Mid Tennessee State.

Austin Brown

90

Defensive Line
Freshman
6-2 266

Woodbridge, Virginia (Woodbridge)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Austin Brown is a big, physical, quick, and explosive defensive lineman. He gets off on the snap of the ball, uses his hands well, and comes off and makes the tackle. Austin causes a lot of problems in the interior line."

Notes: Brown's 2008 football team had a perfect 10-0 record during the regular season ... as senior, he accumulated 82 tackles and 10 quarterback sacks ... a two-time team MVP, first team all-district and all-area ... also lettered in track and field as a shot putter and in baseball as a first baseman.

Caleb Day

77

Offensive Lineman
Freshman
6-4 293

Okeana, Ohio (Ross)



NOTES: Born March 21, 1991 ... A four-year letter winner for the nearby Ross Rams ... he was his team's lineman of the year and a second-team all-conference selection ... prep coach was Brian Butts ... the son of Tim and Geneva Day ... brother (Jacob) and twin sister (Kelsey) also attend Miami University ... mother is a Miami employee ... an outstanding scholar, he is undecided as to his major.

Erik Finklea

36

Linebacker
Freshman
6-1 195

Cincinnati, Ohio (Woodward)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Erik suffered a knee injury during the season and had surgery. We watched Erik on tape and realized he was a special player. He had great vision, made unbelievable cuts, and ran with lower-body explosion. He did a nice job of catching the ball out of the backfield with his eyes and has speed. I told him he reminded me a lot of Joseph Addai, who tore his ACL the last game of his senior season. I explained to Erik that this was a similar situation for him. He's a really nice young man who has a lot of goals which he is trying to achieve."

Notes: A four-year letter winner and two-time captain for the Woodward High football team ... squad compiled a perfect 10-0 record during the regular season, winning its league title ... he rushed for 1,415 yard and scored 19 touchdowns, earning league's Offensive Player of the Year award ... first-team all-city selection ... he tore his ACL during his senior season ... also lettered three times in track, clocking :10.8 in 100 meters.



Evan Harris

48

Defensive Back
Freshman
6-0 206
Waldorf, Maryland (Westlake)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Evan Harris is a guy who shows great initial quickness, and is able to dip and rip on the offenders to make the play. But he also has the physical strength to attack offensive linemen, shock and shed, and come off and make the play. We're looking for him to come in and compete for a job."

Notes: His 2008 Westlake Wolverines were Maryland's AAA state champs, compiling a 12-2 overall record ... a two-way star, the team captain recorded 149 tackles and 37 TFLs and also rushed for 672 yards and six touchdowns ... first-team all-conference and all-county selection ... also lettered twice in both baseball and track and field.

Josh Harvey

64

Offensive Lineman
Freshman
6-5 335
Columbia, Missouri (Hickman)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Josh Harvey fills out a chair really well. You always want your offensive linemen to be extremely intelligent, but when a young man scores what he did on his ACT in math, you're like, 'wow, this guy is sharp'. He's a really, really smart young man with a great attitude and a great love for the game. Josh is an extremely explosive 58-foot shot-put guy."

Notes: Was an all-state offensive line selection as a senior, earning three varsity letters ... also threw the shot put and discus for the track and field squad, placing third in the state in the shot ... serves as a tutor and a teen facilitator at an after-school community center ... will major in mathematics at Miami.

Pat Hinkel

37

Defensive Back
Freshman
6-1 195
Westlake, Ohio (St. Ignatius)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Pat Hinkel is a very physical player. Everyone in the area talks about how physical and how great a football player he is. He's a solid tackler, extremely explosive coming downhill, and understands the game. Pat will be a really good football player for us."

Notes: Played for Team USA this past summer; squad won Junior World Championship ... his St. Ignatius Wildcats won the 2008 state championship with a 14-1 record ... he recorded seven interceptions, earned all-district and second-team all-state honors ... earned 10 varsity letters in football (3), basketball (3) and track and field, serving as captain for football and hoops squads ... his mother attended Miami ... brother and father were varsity athletes at John Carroll.





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Roman Lawson

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Running Back

Freshman

6-0 224

Garfield Heights, Ohio (Shaker Heights)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Roman Lawson is a big, physical back. His dad was a pro football player, so he has been brought up in a football family. Roman is a guy who is a downhill football player. He does a nice job of pass protection and, at the same time, as big as he is and as physical as he is, he has been clocked at a :10.9 100-meter dash. So it shows that he does have good speed. It's interesting to me how hard he studies to excel in school. We are fortunate to have a guy of his caliber here."

Notes: Averaged seven yards per carry as a running back, earning all-region honors ... a great all-around athlete, he was a 10-letter winner in football, wrestling and track and field ... compiled a 39-7 record his junior year in wrestling ... has clocked :10.9 in 100-meter competition ... Dad played football for Iowa and for Dallas Cowboys.

Drew Jackson

15

Quarterback

Freshman

6-2 225

Bloomfield, Michigan (Lahser)



Notes: Transferred from East Lansing (Mich.) High School to Bloomfield (Mich.) Lahser High during his junior season ... as a senior quarterback, he threw for 2,183 yards and 21 touchdowns, leading the Knights to an 11-2 record, a league championship and an appearance in the state semifinals ... as a forward in basketball, he started every game his senior year ... prep football coach was Dan Loria ... the son of Danny Watts and Carolyn Jackson ... his grandfather is Miami quarterbacks coach Morris Watts ... hopes to become an athletic trainer.

Steve Marck

87

Tight End

Freshman

6-3 243

Newtown, Pennsylvania (Pennsbury)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Pittsburgh offered Steve a scholarship the other day and he said, 'If Austin Boucher can turn down Ohio State, I can turn down Pittsburgh.' Steve Marck is a really good football player and does a great job at blocking at the point of attack. He runs nice routes and catches the ball well with his hands. We look for good things for him playing the tight end position."

Notes: Joins his older brother, C.J., at Miami ... was a first-team all-state selection his senior year for a 9-3 club ... earned three letters in football, playing tight end and linebacker ... was league's javelin champ in track, winning three letters ... also lettered in baseball ... mom and dad were athletes at Lehigh and a sister was an ACC champion swimmer at North Carolina ... grandfather and great-grandfather both played for the Chicago Bears.

Austin Moore

51

Linebacker

Freshman

6-0 228

Springfield, Ohio (Springfield)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Austin Moore is a young man who had already committed to the previous staff. He started school at Miami in January. Austin is a tackle-to-tackle kind of guy. He likes to step in there and plug it up. He plays extremely tough, understands blocking schemes, and is able to react before the offensive linemen can get on him. Austin also does a fine job in the classroom."

Notes: Recorded 460 total career tackles (298 solos), 42 TFLs and 18 QB sacks ... a two-team captain who was first-team all-area, all-county, all-conference and all-Southwestern Ohio ... also played basketball, lettering twice ... brother played baseball at Norfolk State ... a member of the National Honor Society, he plans to major in biochemistry.

Andrew Muller

68

Defensive Lineman
Freshman
6-4 280
Charlotte, North Carolina (Catholic)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Andrew can play either offensive line or defensive line. We're going to find out what spot is best for Andrew because he is a big guy who's explosive. He does a nice job of coming off using his hands. On the offensive side of the ball, he comes off the ball with lower body explosion and just mauls people at the point of attack."

Notes:

His high school team played in the state playoffs for four years in a row, winning the state title his freshman year ... cumulative record of his last three teams was 40-7 ... a first-team all-conference and all-county selection ... also lettered in wrestling and track and field ... dad played football at Gardner Webb University and his stepfather played basketball at UNCC.

Zach Murphy

93

Kicker/Punter
Freshman
6-2 190
Cincinnati, Ohio (Kings)



Notes: Joins RedHawks as a walk-on ... a three-time letter winner in football, he captained his team as a senior ... averaged more than 41 yards per punt and 57 yards per kickoff ... his 20 field goals (of 26 attempts) tied an Ohio single-season record ... earned second-team all-state honors ... he broke the school record with a 55-yard field goal ... played in Ohio's East-West All-Star Game last summer ... also lettered in baseball as a pitcher and in basketball as a forward ... prep football coach was Andy Olds ... the past two summers, he attended a church-run camp that helped inner city children ... son of Dan and Jodi Murphy ... dad played college tennis at Cedarville University ... plans to major in education at Miami.

Jordan Padgett

35

Defensive Back
Freshman
6-1 200
Woodstock, Georgia (Etowah)



SCOUTING REPORT: A walk-on who joined the team in August ... he was a teammate of fellow freshman Ishmael White at Etowah High School in Georgia.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played quarterback and safety as prep, earning all-county and all-state mention ... The Cherokee County Defensive Back of the Year totaled 90 tackles and two of his five interceptions were returned for touchdowns played for coach Bill Stewart ... all-conference laurels ... played for head coach Frank Petroff.

PERSONAL: Born January 10, 1991 ... son of Greg Padgett and Tammy Stine ... his older brother played linebacker at Samford University ... Jordan is undecided as to his major.

Justin Semmes

46

Fullback
Freshman
6-2 225
Clarkston, Michigan (St. Mary's)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "We are interested in incorporating a fullback into our offense. If it's only for short yardage at the goal line, it brings a certain amount of physical toughness to your program. As I watched Justin on tape, he was a really physical player, a down-hill type of player. He did a nice job of blocking and running with the football."

Notes: A perennial power in Michigan, St. Mary's 2007 squad lost the state championship game in five overtimes ... Justin averaged 5.5 yards per carry and was an all-county selection ... he once scored five touchdowns in a state playoff game ... will likely graduate cum laude ... plans to study business at Miami ... a brother, Jason, joins Justin at Miami in 2009 after transferring from Iowa.

Anthony Shoemaker

78

Defensive Lineman
Freshman
6-4 264
Cincinnati, Ohio (Princeton)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Anthony is a great leader. When you shake his hand and look into his eyes, you realize that this man is a leader. He has unbelievable passion for the game, but he has a passion for all the things he does in life. He has a certain amount of passion and charisma that you just embrace the first time you meet him. Anthony is a big, physical young man who comes off the ball with great lower-body explosion. Because of his lower-body strength, he is able to dip and rip and create a lot of problems coming off the end."

Notes: Led his league in quarterback sacks and was second in fumble recoveries ... in addition to lettering twice in football as a defensive end, he also was a two-time captain for his prep basketball squad ... serves as a mentor for elementary kids ... an Honor Roll student, he won awards for merit and leadership ... plans to major in sport studies at Miami.

Brian Slack

83

Tight End
Freshman
6-5 245
Tallmadge, Ohio (Hoban)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Watching Brian on tape, he does a tremendous job of really stretching the defense. He's a guy who can go vertical, stretch the defense and really go up and get the ball at the high point. Brian has great body control, catches the ball well with his hands, and comes out of his cuts really well. We are looking for really great things out of him. As many big bodies as you can get like that, with that athletic ability, it's a bonus for our program. Brian is a really nice young man and a very smart student."

Notes: His prep football team was the 2008 Ohio Division II regional champion ... he was first-team all-league, all-Akron Beacon Journal, all-area and all-Northeast Ohio ... has been selected to play in the 2009 Big 33 All-Star Game ... caught 55 passes for 727 yards and five touchdowns ... also an exceptional basketball player, earning team MVP honors his sophomore and junior years ... an Honor Roll student ... his brother played football at Marshall ... his grandfather, Charlie Slack, still holds the NCAA record for the highest rebounding average for a season (25.6 rpg in 1956).



Lucas Swift

88

Wide Receiver
Freshman
6-2 173
Greenwood, Indiana (Center Grove)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "Luke was primarily a running back in high school, and played a little wide receiver, too. In watching Luke on tape, the first thing that comes to your mind is, 'wow, this cat is fast ... he is really fast.' But Luke isn't afraid to run between the tackles. If you trap him into the boundary, he attacks you."

Notes: Rushed for 1,917 yards and 23 TDs and also caught 22 passes for 407 yards ... team had 14-1 record and won the state title ... squad was ranked No. 1 in Indiana and No. 13 nationally ... Luke was a first-team all-state selection and named Mr. Football in Indiana ... he also was a track star, competing in the high hurdles and earning all-state honors ... earned Academic All-Conference honors.

Chris Wade

65

Linebacker
Freshman
6-1 220
Slidell, Louisiana (Northshore)

Coach Haywood's Comments: "We were fortunate that one of our old student workers from LSU called us about Chris. We started looking at his transcript and we were like, 'whoa, this kid is brilliant'. And then we watched the tape and he moved like a cat with his ability to change direction. Once he changed direction, he exploded, he accelerated, he came off and at the point of attack, he was physical. He's a big, tall, physical kid, but he was moving like a tailback. With all the spread offense that everybody runs in the MAC, Chris is a linebacker who you can leave on the field to cover number two and three receivers and have no problems. If they decide that they are going to run that zone read, that's not a problem because he's squatting over 600 pounds and benching over 350 pounds. He's able to come in there and play with the physical toughness that you need for a linebacker to play with inside the box. He's a kid that never stops smiling. You just fall in love with him because of his personality."

Notes: Chris was his school's Athlete of the Year as both a junior and senior, winning letters in football, basketball, track and field, and power lifting ... won all-district and all-parish honors ... he ranked among the top 15 percent of his class in grade-point average and was a member of the Honors Society ... plans to major in engineering management at Miami.

Ismael White

30

Defensive Back
Freshman
6-2 207
Woodstock, Georgia (Etowah)

Coach Haywood's Comments: "Ismael is a really nice person and a kid that you like to be around; always smiling and happy. He loves the physicality of football, always wants to be in the mix, and always wants to get better. Ismael has a linebacker mentality playing safety, which is really good. He has great football awareness, is a solid tackler, and likes to get down in the mix."

Notes: Team was two-time regional champs ... he recorded 90 tackles and 14 sacks his senior season ... battled through a shoulder injury ... active in community service.

Max Warren

23

Wide Receiver
Freshman
6-1 175
Beachwood, Ohio (St.Edward)

Notes: Joins RedHawks as a walk-on ... a two-time letter winner in football, he played wide receiver and free safety, and returned kickoffs and punts ... also lettered in baseball as an outfielder, with St. Edward's winning the state title his junior season ... last summer he and several other freshman football players participated in building a house with Habitat for Humanity ... was a member of St. Edward's honor roll ... son of Willie and Tracey Warren ... plans to major in engineering at Miami.

Evan Wiley

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Offensive Lineman
Freshman
6-6 285
Monclova, Ohio (St.John's Jesuit)

Coach Haywood's Comments: "Evan is always looking for competition and wants to compete against the best. He is a young man who is still growing. Evan plays with physical toughness, and we are really looking forward to his development in playing the offensive line."

Notes: Was listed among Ohio's top 100 prep football players, earning letters as a tight end, an offensive guard and an offensive tackle ... also threw the shot nearly 50 feet, the discus more than 150 feet, and ran the 100 meters in :12.1 ... dad played baseball at Kent State ... active in community service.

Joseph "JoJo" Williams

91

Defensive Lineman
Freshman
6-2 286
Houston, Texas (Strake)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "JoJo de-committed from UConn and will be a fine player for Miami. JoJo is going to play the interior line. He does a nice job of coming off the ball, using his great lower body explosion and his great first step. JoJo uses his hands well, recognizes blocking schemes, and makes plays. He's another pit bull because he is relentless. JoJo also is a great student in the classroom."

Notes: Teammate Wes Williams also committed to Miami ... team won district championship ... ranked among top teams in Houston in 2008 ... he was a two-time all-district selection and was invited to play in the Offense-Defense All-America Game ... also participated in track and basketball ... will major in business finance at Miami.

Wes Williams

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Defensive Lineman
Freshman
6-3 224
Houston, Texas (Strake)



Coach Haywood's Comments: "We really got in on Wes because of JoJo. We looked at Wes's tape and immediately began the recruiting process. He has quickness coming off the edge because of his exceptional first step. Wes comes off the ball, reads his blocks quickly, dips and rips, and makes the play. He also is good leader and a great student. Wes has lost some weight due to basketball."

Notes: Teammate JoJo Williams also committed to Miami's 2009 class ... team finished 2008 as undefeated district champs ... he recorded 11 sacks, earning all-district honors ... was invited to play in the Bayou Bowl (Texas vs. Louisiana) ... he was a starting forward on the Strake Jesuit basketball team which was highly ranked in Texas and nationally ... has done community service with the mentally challenged ... dad was an all-Southwest Conference linebacker and three-year starter at Texas Tech ... plans to be a business major at Miami.