



TEAM OUTLOOK



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p Vanderbilt football enters a new era this fall. When James Franklin took the helm in December, he promised to guide the Commodore football team to championship level competitor. This season, Franklin will lay the foundation for a great college football turnaround story.

"It's time that the football team reflects Vanderbilt University's commitment to excellence," the Commodore head coach said when he landed in Nashville for the announcement of his hiring.

Franklin's arrival generated excitement that has only swelled in advance of the team's home opener. On February 2, Franklin further stoked the community's enthusiasm for Vanderbilt football when he unveiled an impressive recruiting class that included 21 signees from 13 states. Many highly rated high school athletes jumped at the chance to play Franklin's brand of up tempo, high energy football.

During spring ball, Franklin worked with the team to install new systems on offense, defense and special teams, but also to establish what he calls a "championship mentality." Through a rigorous spring practice season, Franklin declined to create a depth chart. "We want to create as competitive an environment as possible. We want players to be fighting for their job," Franklin said in advance of the spring game.

Despite returning 21 starters from a year ago, Franklin has emphasized that players will need to work hard through preseason drills to claim their spot on the starting lineup.

Franklin and his players look forward to restoring energy to Vanderbilt Stadium when they take the field and jump start a tradition of excellence in football.

QUARTERBACK The quarterback position will undoubtedly invite the most speculation, conversation and scrutiny as the Elon opener approaches. Higher completion percentages and eliminating miscues will be a focus for this position. Five players will be fighting to take the



Quarterback Larry Smith

snaps for the Commodores this season: two-year starter **Larry Smith**, junior **Jordan Rodgers**, and freshman signees **Josh Grady**, **Kris Kentera** and **Lafonte Thourgood**.

Franklin noted that Smith "has all the tools you look for in a quarterback. He's physical and has an NFL arm. He also picks up concepts quickly and understands coverages." Smith showed across-the-board improvement during spring drills, throwing with more accuracy and confidence during the Black and Gold Spring Game. Rodgers, younger brother of 2011 Super Bowl MVP Aaron Rodgers, struggled with injuries during his first year on campus, but is expected to be healthy for camp in August.

The coaching staff will also closely monitor the preseason progress of the three quarterbacks signed in February.

RUNNING BACKS The ground game will feature improved depth as a trio of returning juniors and a redshirt sophomore bring experience to the backfield. **Warren Norman** and **Zac Stacy** are on pace to enter the team's all-time Top 10 for rushing yards. In 2010, Norman and Stacy rushed for 459 and 331 yards, respectively. Both averaged over five yards per carry last year and bring speed, power, and big-play potential to the rushing attack. **Wesley Tate** impressed the new coaching staff during spring drills and brings greater size and power to the run game. Junior **Micah Powell** transitioned from linebacker and made great improvement during spring practice.

The Commodores also welcome 2011 signees **Mitchell Hester** and **Jerron Seymour**, as well as two leading fullback prospects: sophomore **Fitz Lassing** and junior **Marc Panu**.

WIDE RECEIVERS Despite a campaign in 2010 plagued by youth and inexperience, the receiving corps will enter camp with improved confidence and experience.

Redshirt junior **John Cole** had a team-high 36



Junior running backs Zac Stacy and Warren Norman celebrate a score





Receiver Jordan Matthews

receptions in 2009, but finished 2010 with only 25 catches. Redshirt senior **Udom Umoh** also had fewer receptions in 2010 than in 2009. Both finished spring drills poised for a rebound in 2011. Sophomores **Jonathan Krause** and **Jordan Matthews** ended 2010 as the teams' top receiving threats and capped spring ball with big catches in the Black and Gold Game. Several others will push for playing time during camp, including junior **Jameson Sackey**, redshirt junior **Akeem Dunham**, redshirt sophomore **Brady Brown**, redshirt freshman **Chris Boyd**, redshirt freshman **Trent Pruitt** and freshman signee **Jacquese Kirk**.

TIGHT ENDS Senior veteran **Brandon Barden** leads all SEC tight ends with 91 career receptions, earned all-conference honors in 2010 and should easily surpass the 1,000-yard mark for career receiving yards this season.

The Commodores will support Braden by improving depth at the position with the return of junior **Austin Monahan** and sophomore **Mason Johnston**. Both Monahan and Johnston missed time in 2010 due to injuries.

Freshman signees **Steven Scheu** and **Dillon van der Wal** will also have an opportunity to impact the position. Versatile sophomore **Fitz Lassing** will help out at tight end and fullback.

OFFENSIVE LINE In 2010, the Commodores replaced all five starters on the offensive line. This year, all five players will return looking to develop into a cohesive protective unit.

The line is anchored by a pair of talented tackles in redshirt junior **Ryan Seymour** and redshirt sophomore **Wesley Johnson**. Both come with experience and determination. The duo played virtually every snap last

Offensive Letterwinners

Brandon Barden	TE	Jr.	3L
Brady Brown	WR	So.	1L
Mylon Brown	OL	So.	1L
Jabo Burrow	OL	Jr.	1L
John Cole	WR	Jr.	2L
Akeem Dunham	WR	Jr.	2L
Kyle Fischer	OG	Sr.	3L
Wesley Johnson	OL	So.	1L
Mason Johnston	TE	So.	1L
Jonathan Krause	WR	So.	1L
Fitz Lassing	TE	So.	1L
Jordan Matthews	WR	So.	1L
Austin Monahan	TE	Jr.	3L
Warren Norman	RB	Jr.	2L
Ryan Seymour	OT	Jr.	2L
Larry Smith	QB	Sr.	3L
Zac Stacy	RB	Jr.	2L
Logan Stewart	OL	So.	1L
Wesley Tate	RB	So.	1L
Udom Umoh	WR	Sr.	3L
Caleb Welchans	OT	Jr.	2L

year and have committed to a rigorous strength and conditioning program. Seymour added speed by dropping 15 pounds, while Johnson gained strength and bulk. Redshirt freshmen **Andrew Bridges** and **Chase White** will provide depth at the tackle position.

At guard, redshirt senior **Kyle Fischer** and redshirt junior **Jabo Burrow** return and are expected to be on the field for the Commodores' first snap against Elon. Fischer has developed as a leader of the offensive line. Redshirt junior **Caleb Welchans**, sophomore **Mylon Brown**, and redshirt freshman **Grant Ramsey** are expected to compete at the guard position.

Sophomore **Logan Stewart** was a six-game starter at center in 2010. He enters preseason camp as the only snapper with in-game experience. Johnson, Seymour, Fischer, Welchans and Stewart have the versatility to play multiple line positions.

The Commodores will be aided by five newly signed line prospects: **Jake Bernstein**, **James Lewis**, **Spencer Pulley**, **Joe Townsend**, and **Jose Valedon**.



Receiver Jonathan Krause



Offensive tackle Wesley Johnson



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DEFENSIVE LINE The Commodores defense enters the 2011 season poised for an aggressive battle at the line of scrimmage. The defensive front returns most of the key 2010 contributors and adds a number of key prospects.

Redshirt junior **Rob Lohr** started every game as tackle last year, ending the season with four sacks and eight tackles for a loss. Redshirt senior **T.J. Greenstone** battled injuries for most of 2010 and will likely play alongside Lohr at tackle.

Junior **Colt Nichter**, redshirt junior **Josh Jelesky**, sophomore **Jared Morse**, and redshirt junior **Taylor Lottley** return for the 2011 campaign on the heels of a successful spring. Nichter turned heads during the Black and Gold game with a pair of sacks and two pass deflections. Morse gained experience as a true freshman last year with appearances in seven games. Jelesky and Lottley also contributed in reserve roles in 2010.

Redshirt freshman **Vince Taylor** and incoming signee **Barron Dixon** are interior prospects that will garner preseason attention from coaches.

Redshirt senior **Tim Fugger** leads the Commodore defensive ends. The two-year starter paced the SEC with four forced fumbles as a junior.

During spring drills redshirt freshman **Kyle Woestmann** registered one big play after another during the Black and Gold game and will compete with redshirt sophomore **Walker May** and redshirt junior **Johnell Thomas** for a starting job across from Fugger. Redshirt junior **Dexter Daniels** moved to defensive end in the spring and will compete for playing time.

Other prospects at end are redshirt sophomore **Thad McHaney** and incoming freshman **Darien Bryant** and **Jimmy Stewart**.

LINEBACKERS Redshirt senior interior linebacker **Chris Marve** will anchor the corps of promising though inexperienced linebackers.

Marve is the first SEC linebacker to register over 100 tackles as a freshman and sophomore in a decade. Marve battled injuries as a junior but still finished with 80 tackles. Marve's accolades include a second straight second team All-SEC honor in 2010 and also a preseason all-league pick for

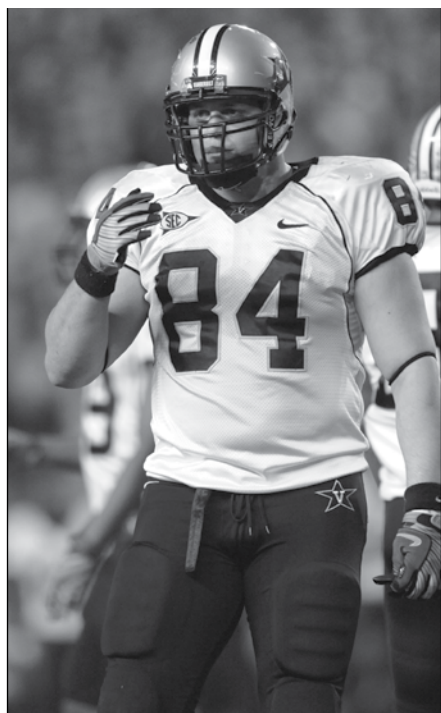


Defensive end Tim Fugger

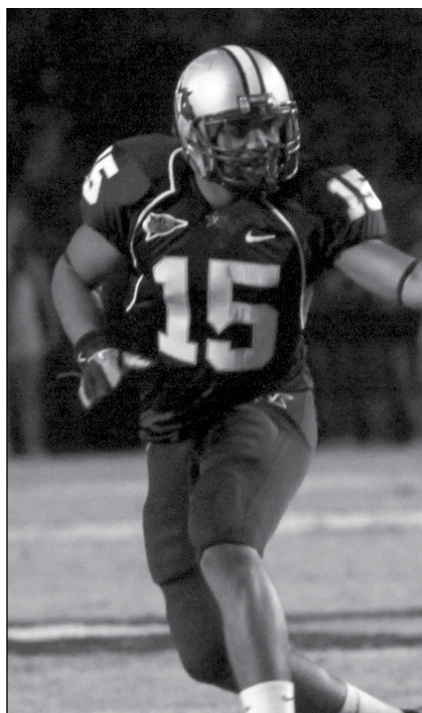
2011. He's been named to watch lists for several individual awards, including the Lott IMPACT, Nagurski and Bednarik trophies. Redshirt junior **DeAndre Jones** also will compete for time at the position.

At the outside linebacker positions, several returnees will compete for the starting roles, including redshirt juniors **Archibald Barnes** and **Tristan Strong** and sophomore **Chase Garnham**. Also expected to challenge for playing time are redshirt junior **Al Owens** and senior walk-on **Bobby Jewell**.

Jimmy Stewart and **Darien Bryant** are talented signees that could play either linebacker or end.



Defensive tackle Rob Lohr



Linebacker Archibald Barnes



Defensive back Trey Wilson





Defensive Letterwinners

Archibald Barnes.....	LB.....	Jr.....	2L
Karl Butler.....	DB.....	So.....	1L
Steven Clarke.....	DB.....	So.....	1L
Dexter Daniels.....	DE.....	Jr.....	2L
Eddie Foster.....	DB.....	Jr.....	2L
Tim Fugger.....	DE.....	Sr.....	3L
Chase Garnham.....	LB.....	So.....	1L
T.J. Greenstone.....	DT.....	Sr.....	3L
Casey Hayward.....	DB.....	Sr.....	3L
Josh Jelesky.....	DT.....	Jr.....	2L
Taylor Loftley.....	DT.....	Jr.....	1L
Rob Lohr.....	DT.....	Jr.....	2L
Javon Marshall.....	DB.....	So.....	1L
Chris Marve.....	LB.....	Sr.....	3L
Walker May.....	DE.....	So.....	1L
Thad McHaney.....	DE.....	So.....	1L
Jared Morse.....	DT.....	So.....	1L
Colt Nichter.....	DT.....	Jr.....	2L
Al Owens.....	LB.....	Jr.....	1L
Sean Richardson.....	DB.....	Sr.....	3L
Eric Samuels.....	DB.....	Jr.....	2L
Andre Simmons.....	DB.....	So.....	1L
Tristan Strong.....	LB.....	Jr.....	2L
Johnell Thomas.....	DE.....	Jr.....	2L
Trey Wilson.....	DB.....	Jr.....	2L

CORNERBACKS

Senior **Casey Hayward** returns as one of the SEC's most reliable playmakers after a breakthrough junior year.

A preseason candidate for the Thorpe and Nagurski defensive awards, Hayward earned second team all-SEC honors in 2010 after topping the league with 17 deflections. He also ranked among the NCAA leaders with six interceptions.

On the opposite side, junior **Eddie Foster** started in 11 games in 2010, posted 53 tackles, and returned an interception for a touchdown against Ole Miss. Junior **Trey Wilson** stepped up during spring drills, showcasing his speed and impressive coverage ability.

Sophomores **Steven Clark** and **Andre Hal**

SAFETIES

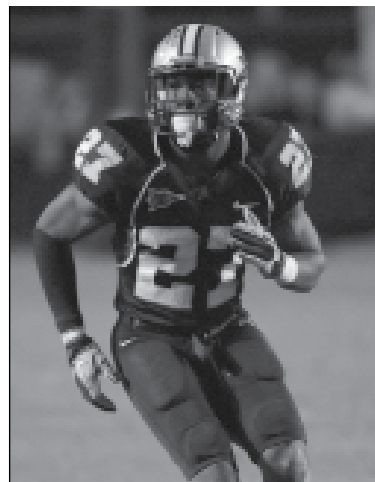
Senior free safety **Sean Richardson** returns to lead the talented and deep group of safeties. Richardson was Vanderbilt's lead tackler in 2010 garnering 67 solo tackles and 98 total stops.

Sophomore **Kenny Ladler** started the final eight games at free safety and earned freshman All-SEC recognition from league coaches. He is expected to fill the role beside Richardson in the defensive backfield.

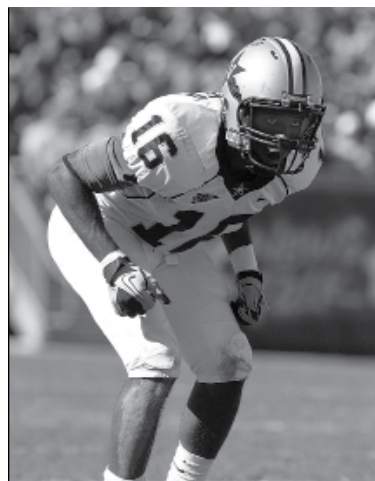
Several talented players will keep Richardson and Ladler fresh in supporting roles. Redshirt junior **Eric Samuels** posted 27 tackles in 2010 after moving to the defense from running back. Redshirt sophomore **Javon Marshall** moved to safety from cornerback during spring drills.

Sophomores **Karl Butler** and **Andre Simmons** are physical players who provide solid support against the rush.

New signees **Larry Franklin**, **Jahmel McIntosh** and **Andrew Williamson** will get in on the action in 2011 as well.



Safety Kenny Ladler



Defensive back Eddie Foster

played in every game last year and should continue to develop and compete for key roles.

Two others expected to compete in camp are sophomore **Reggie Ford** and freshman signee **Derek King**.

Specialist Letterwinners

Ryan Fowler.....	PK.....	Jr.....	2L
Richard Kent.....	P.....	Jr.....	1L
Carey Spear.....	PK.....	So.....	1L

PLACEKICKER

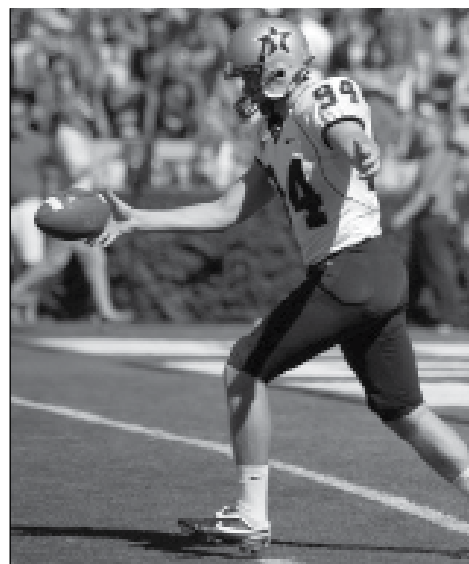
Redshirt junior **Ryan Fowler** and sophomore **Carey Spear** are expected to compete for placekicking duties. As a two-year starter, Fowler has made 70 percent of his career field goal attempts, but hit just eight of 13 tries last year. Fowler looks to return to his 2009 form when he earned freshman All-SEC and freshman All-America recognition. Spear impressed coaches during spring drills with a

powerful leg and improved accuracy. Walk-on junior **Eric Frieman** provides depth at the position.

PUNTER Junior **Richard Kent** performed admirably as a first-time punter in 2010, averaging 41.8 yards on a team-record 84 attempts. Kent's superb hang time allowed opponents to only average just 6.8 yards per return. Kent was also accurate, dropping 28 punts inside the opponent's end zone. Either Fowler and Spear are expected to serve as the second team punter.

RETURN SPECIALISTS The Commodores return an All-America candidate in kickoff returner **Warren Norman**. The junior has a 25.9-yard career average, and three returns for touchdowns. Other potential kickoff returners with collegiate experience are **Trey Wilson**, **Eric Samuels** and **Andre Hal**.

Zac Stacy, **Jonathan Krause** and **John Cole** have experience as punt returners. Cole topped the Commodores in 2010 with a 7.9-yard return average.



Punter Richard Kent



ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

Numerical Roster

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NO.	NAME	POS.	NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YEAR	ELIG.	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL/OTHER
1	Kenny Ladler	S	41*	Nick Aguirre	S	5-11	195	So.	HS	Mobile, Ala./McGill-Toolen
2	Zac Stacy	RB	49	Robby Barbieri	LB	6-2	220	R-Fr.	RS	Eden Prairie, Minn./Breck School
3	Akeem Dunham	WR	6	Brandon Barden	TE	6-5	246	R-Sr.	3L	Lincolnton, Ga./Lincoln Co.
4	Udom Umoh	WR	15	Archibald Barnes	LB	6-4	225	R-Jr.	2L	Tampa, Fla./Berkeley Prep
5	Warren Norman	RB	63	Jake Bernstein	OL	6-3	288	Fr.	HS	Crystal Lake, Ill./Crystal Lake South
6	Brandon Barden	TE	80	Chris Boyd	WR	6-4	203	R-Fr.	RS	Roswell, Ga./Roswell
7	Josh Grady	QB	52	Andrew Bridges	OT	6-6	270	R-Fr.	RS	Atlanta, Ga./Westminster
8	Trey Wilson	DB	88	Brady Brown	WR	6-4	195	R-So.	2L	Argyle, Texas/Argyle
9	Trent Pruitt	WR	50	Mylon Brown	OL	6-5	300	R-So.	1L	Trilby, Fla./Pasco Co.
10	Larry Smith	QB	44	Darien Bryant	DE/LB	6-4	220	Fr.	HS	Pickerington, Ohio/Pickerington North
11	Jordan Rodgers	QB	57	Jabo Burrow	OG	6-4	292	R-Jr.	1L	Morris, Ala./Mortimer Jordan
12	Steven Clarke	DB	28	Karl Butler	S	6-0	200	So.	1L	New Orleans, La./Brother Martin
13	Chris Marve	LB	12	Steven Clarke	DB	5-10	195	So.	1L	Lauderdale Lakes, Fla./Boyd Anderson
13*	Lafonte Thourgood	QB	83	John Cole	WR	5-11	180	R-Jr.	2L	Somerset, Ky./Somerset
14	Kris Kentera	QB	18	Dexter Daniels	DE	6-1	245	R-Jr.	2L	Brantley, Ala./Brantley
15	Archibald Barnes	LB	91	Barron Dixon	DL	6-4	288	Fr.	HS	Alpharetta, Ga./Chattahoochee
16	Eddie Foster	DB	3	Akeem Dunham	WR	6-3	210	R-Jr.	2L	Eustis, Fla./Eustis
17	Jonathan Krause	WR	34	Andrew East	LB/SN	6-2	225	R-Fr.	RS	Indianapolis, Ind./North Central
17*	Jarrett Wadler	DB	72	Kyle Fischer	OG	6-6	308	R-Sr.	3L	Columbia, S.C./Spring Valley
18	Jerron Seymour	RB	26*	Reggie Ford	DB	5-9	165	So.	RS	Nashville, Tenn./Montgomery Bell
18	Dexter Daniels	DE	16	Eddie Foster	DB	5-10	170	Jr.	2L	Colleyville, Texas/Heritage
19	Casey Hayward	DB	48	Ryan Fowler	PK	5-10	172	R-Jr.	2L	Tailors, S.C./Eastside
19*	John Townsley	QB	40	Larry Franklin	DB	6-1	210	Fr.	HS	Vero Beach, Fla./Vero Beach
20	Micah Powell	RB	51	Eric Frieman	PK	5-10	175	R-So.	SQ	Scarsdale, N.Y./Scarsdale
21	Sean Richardson	S	42	Tim Fugger	DE	6-4	250	R-Sr.	3L	Oak Brook, Ill./Montini Catholic
22	Eric Samuels	S	36	Chase Garnham	LB	6-3	225	So.	1L	Fairhope, Ala./Fairhope
23	Andre Hal	DB	43*	Jeff Gendelman	WR	6-3	190	So.	HS	Purchase, N.Y./Hackley School
24	Wesley Tate	RB	26	Blake Gowder	LB	6-2	228	R-Fr.	RS	Blairsville, Ga./Union Co.
25	Andre Simmons	S	7	Josh Grady	QB	6-0	185	Fr.	HS	Tampa, Fla./Armwood
26*	Reggie Ford	DB	74	T.J. Greenstone	DT	6-3	290	R-Sr.	3L	Lawrenceville, Ga./Collins Hill
26	Blake Gowder	LB	84*	Daniel Hagaman	WR	6-2	195	R-Fr.	HS	Brentwood, Tenn./Brentwood
27	Jacquese Kirk	WR/DB	23	Andre Hal	DB	5-11	184	So.	1L	Port Allen, La./Port Allen
27	Jarron Lewis	DB	55	Conor Hart	DL	6-3	240	Fr.	HS	Bloomfield Hills, Mich./Brother Rice
28	Karl Butler	S	19	Casey Hayward	DB	5-11	188	Sr.	3L	Perry, Ga./Perry
29	Tristan Strong	LB	39	Mitchell Hester	RB	5-9	184	Fr.	HS	Neptune Beach, Fla./Fletcher
30	Jahmel McIntosh	DB	93	Josh Jelesky	DT	6-5	265	R-Jr.	2L	Naperville, Ill./Naperville
31	Javon Marshall	S	46	Bobby Jewell	LB	6-0	222	R-Jr.	1L	Brentwood, Tenn./Brentwood
32	Andrew Williamson	DB	67	Wesley Johnson	OT	6-5	280	R-So.	1L	Nashville, Tenn./Montgomery Bell
33	Derek King	DB	85	Mason Johnston	TE	6-4	240	R-So.	1L	Jacksonville, Fla./Bolles
34	Andrew East	LB/SN	47	DeAndre Jones	LB	6-0	232	R-Jr.	2L	Memphis, Tenn./University School
36	Chase Garnham	LB	94	Richard Kent	P	6-2	198	R-Jr.	1L	Marietta, Ga./Walton
37	Al Owens	LB	14	Kris Kentera	QB	6-4	202	Fr.	HS	Colorado Springs, Colo./Pine Creek
38	Fitz Lassing	TE/FB	33	Derek King	DB	5-11	198	Fr.	HS	Nashville, Tenn./Brentwood Academy
39	Carey Spear	PK	27	Jacquese Kirk	WR/DB	6-0	160	Fr.	HS	Jasper, Ala./Walker
39	Mitchell Hester	RB	17	Jonathan Krause	WR	5-11	182	So.	1L	Snellville, Ga./South Gwinnett
40	Larry Franklin	DB	1	Kenny Ladler	S	6-0	200	So.	1L	Stone Mountain, Ga./Stephenson
41*	Nick Aguirre	S	38	Fitz Lassing	TE/FB	6-3	236	So.	1L	Nashville, Tenn./Montgomery Bell
41	Patrick Sutton	DB	76	James Lewis	OL	6-5	305	Fr.	HS	Arlington, Tenn./Arlington
42	Tim Fugger	DE	27	Jarron Lewis	DB	5-11	165	So.	HS	Atascocita, Texas/Atascocita
			54	Taylor Loftley	DT	6-2	280	R-Jr.	1L	Decatur, Ga./Chamblee

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84	Rob Lohr	DT	6-4	290	R-Jr.	2L	Phoenixville, Pa./Phoenixville
31	Javon Marshall	S	5-10	196	R-So.	1L	Huber Heights, Ohio/Wayne
13	Chris Marve	LB	6-0	242	R-Sr.	2L	Memphis, Tenn./White Station
87	Jordan Matthews	WR	6-3	202	So.	1L	Madison, Ala./Madison Academy
90	Walker May	DE	6-4	238	R-So.	1L	Birmingham, Ala./Briarwood Christian
99	Thad McHaney	DE	6-5	256	R-So.	1L	Nashville, Tenn./Brentwood Academy
30	Jahmel McIntosh	DB	6-1	200	Fr.	HS	Cleveland, Miss./Cleveland
86	Austin Monahan	TE	6-6	242	R-Jr.	2L	Charlotte, N.C./Country Day
97	Jared Morse	DT	6-2	285	So.	1L	Oxford, Ala./Oxford
58	Colt Nichter	DT	6-1	280	R-Jr.	2L	Park City, Utah/Park City
5	Warren Norman	RB	5-10	196	Jr.	2L	Stone Mountain, Ga./Chamblee
37	Al Owens	LB	6-2	218	R-Jr.	1L	Springtown, Texas/Springtown
45	Marc Panu	FB	6-1	240	R-So.	1L	Mableton, Ga./Whitefield Academy
20	Micah Powell	RB	6-0	205	R-Jr.	2L	Tarpon Springs, Fla./East Lake
9	Trent Pruitt	WR	5-9	180	R-Fr.	RS	Fitzgerald, Ga./Fitzgerald
77	Spencer Pulley	OL	6-4	280	Fr.	HS	Germantown, Tenn./Evangelical Christian
75	Grant Ramsay	OL	6-5	280	R-Fr.	RS	Marietta, Ga./Pope
21	Sean Richardson	S	6-2	220	Sr.	3L	Linden, Ala./Linden
11	Jordan Rodgers	QB	6-2	205	R-Jr.	TR	Chico, Calif./Pleasant Valley/(Butte JC)
96	Thomas Ryan	DE	6-3	230	R-Fr.	RS	Marathon, Fla./Marathon
82	Jameson Sackey	WR	6-1	208	R-Jr.	SQ	Mableton, Ga./Lovett
22	Eric Samuels	S	6-0	195	Jr.	2L	Eustis, Fla./Umatilla
81	Steven Scheu	TE	6-5	245	Fr.	HS	Evansville, Ind./Reitz Memorial
18	Jerron Seymour	RB	5-7	190	Fr.	HS	Hialeah, Fla./Hialeah
62	Ryan Seymour	OT	6-5	300	R-Jr.	2L	Kingsland, Ga./Camden Co.
25	Andre Simmons	S	6-0	195	So.	1L	Lorton, Va./South County
10	Larry Smith	QB	6-2	220	R-Sr.	2L	Prattville, Ala./Prattville
39	Carey Spear	PK	5-10	190	So.	1L	Mayfield Village, Ohio/Mayfield
2	Zac Stacy	RB	5-9	208	Jr.	2L	Centreville, Ala./Bibb Co.
95	Jimmy Stewart	DE/LB	6-3	220	Fr.	HS	Cape Coral, Fla./Island Coast
60	Logan Stewart	C	6-4	285	So.	1L	Boiling Springs, S.C./Boiling Springs
29	Tristan Strong	LB	6-1	228	R-Jr.	2L	Loganville, Ga./Grayson
41	Patrick Sutton	DB	6-0	205	Jr.	SQ	Charleston, S.C./Bishop England
24	Wesley Tate	RB	6-1	225	R-So.	1L	Hendersonville, Tenn./Pope John Paul II
53	Vince Taylor	DT	6-1	285	R-Fr.	RS	Hattiesburg, Miss./Oak Grove
98	Johnell Thomas	DE	6-0	245	R-Jr.	2L	Orlando, Fla./Boone
13*	Lafonte Thourgood	QB	6-2	220	Fr.	HS	Virginia Beach, Va./Ocean Lakes
56	Joe Townsend	OL	6-4	280	Fr.	HS	Hendersonville, Tenn./Hendersonville
19*	John Townsley	QB	6-4	198	R-So.	HS	Upper Arlington, Ohio/Upper Arlington
4	Udom Umoh	WR	6-0	180	R-Sr.	3L	Fort Valley, Ga./Peach Co.
59	Jose Valedon	OL	6-3	295	Fr.	HS	Oak Ridge, Tenn./Oak Ridge
89	Dillon van der Wal	TE	6-7	235	Fr.	HS	Woodland Hills, Calif./Oaks Christian
17*	Jarrett Wadler	DB	5-8	165	So.	HS	Houston, Texas/Kinkaid School
78	Caleb Welchans	OT	6-5	300	R-Jr.	2L	Wildwood, Mo./Lafayette
73	Chase White	OL	6-5	280	R-Fr.	RS	Plano, Texas/Plano West
32	Andrew Williamson	DB	6-1	195	Fr.	HS	San Antonio, Texas/John Paul Stevens
8	Trey Wilson	DB	5-11	190	Jr.	2L	Shreveport, La./Evangel Christian
92	Kyle Woestmann	DE	6-3	248	R-Fr.	RS	Marietta, Ga./Walton

* duplicate jersey numbers

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NO.	NAME	POS.
43*	Jeff Gendelman	WR
44	Darien Bryant	DE/LB
45	Marc Panu	FB
46	Bobby Jewell	LB
47	DeAndre Jones	LB
48	Ryan Fowler	PK
49	Robby Barbieri	LB
50	Mylon Brown	OL
51	Eric Frieman	PK
52	Andrew Bridges	OT
53	Vince Taylor	DT
54	Taylor Loftley	DT
55	Conor Hart	DL
56	Joe Townsend	OL
57	Jabo Burrow	OG
58	Colt Nichter	DT
59	Jose Valedon	OL
60	Logan Stewart	C
62	Ryan Seymour	OT
63	Jake Bernstein	OL
67	Wesley Johnson	OT
72	Kyle Fischer	OG
73	Chase White	OL
74	T.J. Greenstone	DT
75	Grant Ramsay	OL
76	James Lewis	OL
77	Spencer Pulley	OL
78	Caleb Welchans	OT
80	Chris Boyd	WR
81	Steven Scheu	TE
82	Jameson Sackey	WR
83	John Cole	WR
84*	Daniel Hagaman	WR
84	Rob Lohr	DT
85	Mason Johnston	TE
86	Austin Monahan	TE
87	Jordan Matthews	WR
88	Brady Brown	WR
89	Dillon van der Wal	TE
90	Walker May	DE
91	Barron Dixon	DL
92	Kyle Woestmann	DE
93	Josh Jelesky	DT
94	Richard Kent	P
95	Jimmy Stewart	DE/LB
96	Thomas Ryan	DE
97	Jared Morse	DT
98	Johnell Thomas	DE
99	Thad McHaney	DE

* duplicate jerseys

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POSITION CHART



Note: The listing below is not a preseason depth chart. Vanderbilt coaches did not release a post-spring depth chart. It is intended only to show position depth. Players shown in **bold** font were 2010 starters.

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Offense

WR	3	Akeem Dunham	6-3, 210, R-Jr.
	88	Brady Brown	6-4, 195, R-So.
	87	Jordan Matthews	6-4, 202, So.
WR	4	Udom Umoh	6-0, 180, R-Sr.
	82	Jameson Sackey	6-1, 208, R-Jr.
	17	Jonathan Krause	5-11, 182, So.
WR	83	John Cole	5-11, 180, R-Jr.
	80	Chris Boyd	6-4, 202, So.
	9	Trent Pruitt	5-9, 180, R-Fr.
QB	10	Larry Smith	6-2, 220, R-Sr.
	11	Jordan Rodgers	6-2, 205, R-Jr.
RB	20	Micah Powell	6-0, 205, R-Jr.
	5	Warren Norman	5-10, 196, Jr.
	2	Zac Stacy	5-9, 208, Jr.
	24	Wesley Tate	6-1, 225, R-So.
FB	45	Marc Panu	6-1, 240, R-So.
	38	Fitz Lassing	6-3, 236, So.
TE	6	Brandon Barden	6-5, 246, R-Sr.
	86	Austin Monahan	6-6, 242, R-Jr.
	85	Mason Johnston	6-4, 240, R-So.
LT	67	Wesley Johnson	6-5, 280, R-So.
	52	Andrew Bridges	6-6, 270, R-Fr.
LG	57	Jabo Burrow	6-4, 292, R-Jr.
	50	Mylon Brown	6-6, 300, R-So.
	75	Grant Ramsay	6-5, 282, R-Fr.
C	60	Logan Stewart	6-3, 285, So.
	56	Joe Townsend	6-4, 280, Fr.
	59	Jose Valedon	6-3, 295, Fr.
RG	72	Kyle Fischer	6-6, 308, R-Sr.
	78	Caleb Welchans	6-5, 300, R-Jr.
RT	62	Ryan Seymour	6-5, 300, R-Jr.
	73	Chase White	6-5, 280, R-Fr.

Defense

DE	42	Tim Fugger	6-4, 250, R-Sr.
	18	Dexter Daniels	6-1, 245, R-Jr.
	96	Thomas Ryan	6-3, 230, R-Fr.
	92	Kyle Woestmann	6-3, 245, R-Fr.
DT	93	Josh Jelesky	6-5, 265, R-Jr.
	54	Taylor Loftley	6-2, 275, R-Jr.
	84	Rob Lohr	6-4, 285, R-Jr.
	70	Jared Morse	6-2, 285, So.
DT	74	T.J. Greenstone	6-3, 290, R-Sr.
	58	Colt Nichter	6-2, 280, R-Jr.
	53	Vince Taylor	6-2, 285, R-Fr.
DE	98	Johnell Thomas	6-0, 245, R-Jr.
	90	Walker May	6-4, 238, R-So.
	99	Thad McHaney	6-5, 256, R-So.
SLB	15	Archibald Barnes	6-4, 225, R-Jr.
	36	Chase Garnham	6-2, 225, So.
MLB	13	Chris Marve	6-0, 242, R-Sr.
	47	DeAndre Jones	6-1, 232, R-Jr.
WLB	29	Tristan Strong	6-1, 228, R-Jr.
	37	Al Owens	6-2, 218, R-Jr.
CB	19	Casey Hayward	5-11, 188, Sr.
	12	Steven Clarke	5-10, 196, So.
	23	Andre Hal	5-11, 184, So.
FS	22	Eric Samuels	6-0, 195, Jr.
	28	Karl Butler	6-0, 200, So.
	1	Kenny Ladler	6-1, 200, So.
SS	21	Sean Richardson	6-2, 220, Sr.
	31	Javon Marshall	5-10, 196, So.
	25	Andre Simmons	6-0, 195, So.
CB	16	Eddie Foster	5-10, 170, Jr.
	8	Trey Wilson	5-11, 190, Jr.
	26	Reggie Ford	5-9, 165, R-So.

Special Teams

PK	48	Ryan Fowler	5-10, 172, R-Jr.
	39	Carey Spear	5-10, 190, So.
SN-K	34	Andrew East	6-2, 225, R-Fr.
	84	Rob Lohr	6-4, 290, R-Jr.
H	94	Richard Kent	6-2, 198, R-Jr.
KO	48	Ryan Fowler	5-10, 172, R-Jr.
	39	Carey Spear	5-10, 190, So.

Special Teams

P	94	Richard Kent	6-2, 198, R-Jr.
	48	Ryan Fowler	5-10, 172, R-Jr.
SN-P	34	Andrew East	6-2, 225, R-Fr.
KR	5	Warren Norman	5-10, 196, Jr.
	22	Eric Samuels	6-0, 195, Jr.
	23	Andre Hal	5-11, 184, So.
	8	Trey Wilson	6-0, 188, Jr.
PR	2	Zac Stacy	5-9, 208, Jr.
	83	John Cole	5-11, 180, R-Jr.





VANDERBILT ROSTER BY STATE OF RESIDENCE

ALABAMA (11)

Nick Aguirre..... Mobile
 Jabo Burrow..... Morris
 Dexter Daniels..... Brantley
 Chase Garnham..... Fairhope
 Jacquese Kirk..... Jasper
 Jordan Matthews..... Madison
 Walker May..... Birmingham
 Jared Morse..... Oxford
 Sean Richardson..... Linden
 Larry Smith..... Prattville
 Zac Stacy..... Centreville

CALIFORNIA (2)

Jordan Rodgers..... Chico
 Dillon van der Wal..... Woodland Hills

COLORADO (1)

Kris Kentera..... Colorado Springs

FLORIDA (14)

Archibald Barnes..... Tampa
 Mylon Brown..... Trilby
 Steven Clarke..... Ft. Lauderdale
 Akeem Dunham..... Eustis
 Larry Franklin..... Vero Beach
 Josh Grady..... Tampa
 Mitchell Hester..... Neptune Beach
 Mason Johnston..... Jacksonville
 Micah Powell..... Tarpon Springs
 Thomas Ryan..... Marathon
 Eric Samuels..... Eustis
 Jerron Seymour..... Hialeah
 Jimmy Stewart..... Cape Coral
 Johnell Thomas..... Orlando

GEORGIA (19)

Brandon Barden..... Lincolnnton
 Chris Boyd..... Roswell
 Barron Dixon..... Alpharetta
 Blake Gowder..... Blairsville
 T.J. Greenstone..... Lawrenceville
 Casey Hayward..... Perry
 Richard Kent..... Marietta
 Jonathan Krause..... Snellville
 Kenny Ladler..... Stone Mountain
 Taylor Loftley..... Decatur
 Warren Norman..... Stone Mountain
 Marc Panu..... Mableton
 Trent Pruitt..... Fitzgerald
 Grant Ramsay..... Marietta
 Jameson Sackey..... Mableton
 Ryan Seymour..... Kingsland
 Tristan Strong..... Loganville
 Udom Umoh..... Fort Valley
 Kyle Woestmann..... Marietta

ILLINOIS (3)

Jake Bernstein..... Crystal Lake
 Tim Fugger..... Oak Brook
 Josh Jelesky..... Naperville

INDIANA (2)

Andrew East..... Indianapolis
 Steven Scheu..... Evansville

KENTUCKY (1)

John Cole..... Somerset

LOUISIANA (3)

Karl Butler..... New Orleans
 Andre Hal..... Port Allen
 Trey Wilson..... Shreveport

MICHIGAN (1)

Conor Hart..... Bloomfield Hills

MINNESOTA (1)

Robby Barbieri..... Eden Prairie

MISSISSIPPI (3)

Jahmel McIntosh..... Cleveland
 Vince Taylor..... Hattiesburg

MISSOURI (1)

Caleb Welchans..... Wildwood

NEW YORK (1)

Jeff Gendelman..... Westchester

NORTH CAROLINA (1)

Austin Monahan..... Charlotte

OHIO (4)

Darien Bryant..... Pickerington
 Javon Marshall..... Huber Heights
 Carey Spear..... Mayfield Village
 John Townsley..... Upper Arlington

PENNSYLVANIA (1)

Rob Lohr..... Phoenixville

SOUTH CAROLINA (4)

Kyle Fischer..... Columbia
 Ryan Fowler..... Taylors
 Logan Stewart..... Boiling Springs
 Patrick Sutton..... Charleston

TENNESSEE (14)

Reggie Ford..... Nashville
 Daniel Hagaman..... Brentwood
 Bobby Jewell..... Brentwood
 Wesley Johnson..... Nashville
 DeAndre Jones..... Memphis
 Derek King..... Nashville
 Fitz Lassing..... Nashville
 James Lewis..... Arlington
 Chris Marve..... Memphis
 Thad McHaney..... Nashville
 Spencer Pulley..... Germantown
 Wesley Tate..... Hendersonville
 Joe Townsend..... Hendersonville
 Jose Valedon..... Oak Ridge

TEXAS (7)

Brady Brown..... Argyle
 Eddie Foster..... Colleyville
 Jarron Lewis..... Houston
 Al Owens..... Springtown
 Chase White..... Plano
 Andrew Williamson..... San Antonio
 Jarrett Wadler..... Houston

VIRGINIA (2)

Andre Simmons..... Lorton
 Lafonte Thourgood..... Virginia Beach

VANDERBILT ROSTER BY ELIGIBILITY CLASS

SENIORS (9) Brandon Barden, Kyle Fischer, Tim Fugger, T.J. Greenstone, Casey Hayward, Chris Marve, Sean Richardson, Larry Smith, Udom Umoh

JUNIORS (27) Archibald Barnes, Jabo Burrow, John Cole, Dexter Daniels, Akeem Dunham, Eddie Foster, Ryan Fowler, Josh Jelesky, Bobby Jewell, DeAndre Jones, Richard Kent, Taylor Loftley, Rob Lohr, Austin Monahan, Colt Nichter, Warren Norman, Al Owens, Micah Powell, Jordan Rodgers, Jameson Sackey, Eric Samuels, Ryan Seymour, Zac Stacy, Tristan Strong, Johnell Thomas, Caleb Welchans, Trey Wilson

SOPHOMORES (24) Brady Brown, Mylon Brown, Karl Butler, Steven Clarke, Reggie Ford, Eric Frieman, Chase Garnham, Andre Hal, Wesley Johnson, Mason Johnston, Jonathan Krause, Kenny Ladler, Fitz Lassing, Javon Marshall, Jordan Matthews, Walker May, Thad McHaney, Jared Morse, Marc Panu, Andre Simmons, Carey Spear, Logan Stewart, Wesley Tate, John Townsley

REDSHIRT FRESHMEN (17) Nick Aguirre, Robby Barbieri, Chris Boyd, Andrew Bridges, Andrew East, Jeff Gendelman, Blake Gowder, Daniel Hagaman, Jarron Lewis, Trent Pruitt, Grant Ramsay, Thomas Ryan, Patrick Sutton, Vince Taylor, Jarrett Wadler, Chase White, Kyle Woestmann

FRESHMEN (21) Jake Bernstein, Darien Bryant, Barron Dixon, Larry Franklin, Josh Grady, Conor Hart, Mitchell Hester, Kris Kentera, Derek King, Jacquese Kirk, James Lewis, Jahmel McIntosh, Spencer Pulley, Steven Scheu, Jerron Seymour, Jimmy Stewart, Lafonte Thourgood, Joe Townsend, Jose Valedon, Dillon van der Wal, Andrew Williamson

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

PLAYERS

Robby Barbieri (**bar-bee-AIR-ee**)
 Tim Fugger (**FEW-ger**)
 Andre Hal (**HAL**)
 Jacquese (**juh-KWEESE**) Kirk
 Rob Lohr (**LOR**)
 Chris Marve (**MARV**)
 Marc Panu (**PAN-oo**)
 Steven Scheu (**SHOY**)
 Jerron (**juh-RON**) Seymour
 Udom (**OOD-um**) Umoh (**OO-mah**)
 Jose Valedon (**vall-uh-DAHN**)
 Caleb Welchans (**Well-chins**)
 Kyle Woestmann (**West-man**)
COACHES
 Ricky Rahne (**RON-nee**)