

SOUTH CAROLINA GAMECOCKS



FOOTBALL GAME NOTES



ON THE AIR

TELEVISION

Network.....SEC Network
 Play-by-Play.....Dave Neal
 Analyst.....Aaron Murray
 Sidelines.....Ashley ShahAmadi

RADIO

Gamecock Sports Network

Play-by-Play.....Todd Ellis
 Analyst.....Tommy Suggs
 Sideline.....Chet Tucker

Satellite Radio

South Carolina Broadcast.....Sirius/XM 374

QUICK FACTS

Location.....Columbia, S.C.
 Founded.....1801
 Enrollment.....38,300

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach.....Shane Beamer
 Alma Mater.....Virginia Tech (1999)
 Overall Record.....25-21 (4th year)
 Record at South Carolina.....25-21 (4th year)
 OC/Quarterbacks.....Dowell Loggains*
 DC/Inside Linebackers.....Clayton White
 Assoc. HC/Special Teams.....Joe DeCamillis
 Run Game Coord./Tight Ends.....Shawn Elliott
 Running Backs.....Marquel Blackwell
 Wide Receivers.....Mike Furrey
 Defensive Backs.....Torrian Gray*
 OLB/Defensive Ends.....Sterling Lucas
 Defensive Line.....Travian Robertson
 Offensive Line.....Lonnie Tasley
 Director of Strength & Conditioning.....Luke Day
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RV/RV South Carolina Gamecocks
 (5-3, 3-3 SEC)

vs

#24/25 Vanderbilt Commodores
 (6-3, 3-2 SEC)

Saturday, November 9, 2024 ♦ 4:15 pm ET
 FirstBank Stadium (28,934) ♦ Nashville, Tenn.

QUICKLY: The South Carolina Gamecocks (5-3, 3-3 SEC) will be looking to become bowl-eligible this week when they travel to Nashville, Tenn. for a battle with the #24/25 Vanderbilt Commodores (6-3, 3-2 SEC). Game time is set for 4:15 pm ET (3:15 pm CT) at FirstBank Stadium (28,934).

OVER THE AIRWAVES: This week's contest will be televised on the SEC Network. Dave Neal will handle the play-by-play with Aaron Murray providing the color commentary. Ashley ShahAmadi will patrol the sidelines. The Gamecock Sports Radio Network features a pair of Gamecock Great quarterbacks in play-by-play voice Todd Ellis (33rd season) and analyst Tommy Suggs (52nd season). Chet Tucker returns for his second year as the sideline reporter.

HOW WE GOT THIS FAR: The Gamecocks are 5-3 overall and own a 3-3 mark in SEC play. All three of South Carolina's losses have come to ranked opponents with two of setbacks not decided until the game's final play. They opened the campaign with a hard-fought 23-19 win over Old Dominion, then dominated Kentucky in the SEC opener, winning by a 31-6 count in Lexington. The Gamecocks were unable to hold onto a 17-0 first half lead in a heartbreaking 36-33 setback to No. 16/17 LSU, then bounced back with a convincing 50-7 rout of Akron to improve to 3-1. The Gamecocks dropped their next two contests to highly-ranked opponents, coming up on the short end of a 27-3 decision to No. 12/11 Ole Miss in Columbia, then suffering another gut wrenching defeat in a 27-25 loss at No. 7/7 Alabama in Tuscaloosa. They have responded with back-to-back wins, first a convincing 35-9 dismantling of Oklahoma in Norman then, after an off week, scoring the game's final 27 points in a 44-20 win over No. 10/11 Texas A&M.

THEY CALL IT A STREAK: The Gamecocks have won each of the last 15 contests with the Commodores, a streak that started in 2009. South Carolina has outscored Vanderbilt 430-220, or an average of 29-15 during that stretch, including a convincing 47-6 win in Columbia last season.

ROAD WARRIORS: The Gamecocks have logged a pair of impressive road wins this season, posting a 31-6 victory at Kentucky and winning in a 35-9 rout at Oklahoma. They are in search of their third conference road win of the season, something they have not accomplished since 2011 when they won at Georgia, Mississippi State and Tennessee en route to an 11-2 mark overall and a 6-2 SEC record.

A LITTLE HISTORY: 2024 marks year four of the Shane Beamer Era and the 131st season of intercollegiate football at the University of South Carolina, dating back to 1892. It is the 118th-consecutive year in which South Carolina has competed on the gridiron. The University did not field a team in either 1893 or 1906. Carolina owns an all-time record of 639-616-44, a .509 winning percentage. Since the start of the 21st century, the Gamecocks are 173-134, a .564 winning clip. In four seasons under Coach Beamer, the Gamecocks are 25-21, a .543 winning percentage. This week's game is No. 1,300 in school history.

IT JUST MEANS MORE: The 2024 season is South Carolina's 33rd year in the Southeastern Conference. South Carolina and Arkansas joined the SEC prior to the 1992 campaign. The Gamecocks earned the SEC Eastern Division title in the 2010 season. The Gamecocks are 112-151-1 (.426) all-time in SEC regular season play but posted a 42-38 (.525) record in conference action from 2010-19. Under Coach Beamer, the Gamecocks are 13-17 in SEC play, a .433 winning clip.

South Carolina's 2024 Football Schedule



Opponent	Date	Time	TV
Old Dominion	Aug. 31	4:15 pm ET	SECN
at RV/RV Kentucky	Sept. 7	3:30 pm ET	ABC
16/17 LSU	Sept. 14	Noon ET	ABC
Akron	Sept. 21	7:30 pm	ESPN
12/11 Ole Miss	Oct. 5	3:30 pm	ESPN
at 7/7 Alabama	Oct. 12	Noon	ABC
at RV/RV Oklahoma	Oct. 19	12:45 pm	SECN
10/11 Texas A&M	Nov. 2	7:30 pm	ABC
at 24/25 Vanderbilt	Nov. 9	4:15 pm	SECN
RV/22 Missouri	Nov. 16	4:15 pm	SECN
Wofford	Nov. 23	4 pm	ESPN+/SECN+
at 19/17 Clemson	Nov. 30	TBA	TBA



#24/25 VANDERBILT

Record: 6-3 (3-2 SEC)

Head Coach..... Clark Lea
 Alma Mater..... Vanderbilt (2004)
 Vanderbilt Record..... 15-30 (4th year)
 Career Record..... 15-30 (4th year)
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Commodores Schedule

Aug. 31 vs Virginia Tech.....W, 34-27 OT
 Sept. 7 vs Alcorn State.....W, 55-0
 Sept. 14 at Georgia State.....L, 32-36
 Sept. 21 at Missouri*.....L, 27-30 2OT
 Sept. 28 OPEN
 Oct. 5 vs Alabama*.....W, 40-35
 Oct. 12 at Kentucky*.....W, 20-13
 Oct. 19 vs Ball State.....W, 24-14
 Oct. 26 vs Texas*.....L, 24-27
 Nov. 2 at Auburn*.....W, 17-7
Nov. 9 vs South Carolina*.....4:15 pm
 Nov. 16 OPEN
 Nov. 23 at LSU*.....TBA
 Nov. 30 at Tennessee*.....TBA

*-SEC game All times ET

Series Capsule

Series History..... SC leads 29-4
 In Columbia..... SC leads 14-2
 In Nashville..... SC leads 15-2
 At Neutral Site..... Never Met
 First Meeting..... SC 23, VU 7
 10/25/61 in Nashville
 Last Meeting..... SC 57, VU 6;
 11/11/24 in Columbia
 Last Time in Nashville..... SC 38, VU 27, 11/05/22
 Last VU Win..... VU 24, SC 17
 09/04/08 in Nashville
 Last VU Win in Columbia..... VU 17, SC 6; 10/20/07
 Last 5 Games..... SC 5, VU 0
 Last 10 Games..... SC 10, VU 0
 Beamer vs. Vanderbilt..... 3-0
 Lea vs. South Carolina..... 0-3

Series Superlatives

Most Points - SC..... 52 (1995, 52-14)
 Most Points - VU..... 34 (2014, 34-48)
 Most Points - Combined..... 82 (2014)
 SC 48, VU 34
 Biggest Margin Victory - SC..... 41 (2023, 47-6)
 Biggest Margin Victory - VU..... 11 (2007, 17-6)
 Longest Winning Streak - SC..... 15 (2009-current)
 Longest Winning Streak - VU..... 2 (twice)
 (1998-99; 2007-08)
 Current Streak..... SC has won 15 in a row

CAROLINA VS. VANDY: This is the 34th all-time meeting between South Carolina and Vanderbilt. The Gamecocks hold a commanding 29-4 advantage in the series, including a 15-2 record when the games have been played in Nashville and a 14-2 mark when the teams have met in Columbia. The teams met just once (1961) before they became SEC Eastern Division rivals in 1992 and have met every year since.

IN DOMINATING FASHION: The Gamecocks have won each of the last 15 games between the two squads, their longest winning streak in the series, and 22 of the last 24 meetings between these two SEC rivals. Of the Division I FBS opponents against whom the Gamecocks have at least 10 all-time meetings, Carolina has its best winning percentage against Vanderbilt at .879. In the previous 33 outings, Vanderbilt has tallied more than 17 points just eight times (24 in 2003, 28 in 2005, 24 in 2008, 25 in 2013, a record-high 34 in 2014, 27 in 2017, 20 in 2021 and 27 in 2022).

THE OUTLIERS: Vanderbilt's four wins in the series have come in back-to-back fashion on two occasions - first in 1998 and '99, then again in 2007 and '08. Those four wins have been by a combined total of 22 points (17-14, 11-10, 17-6 and 24-17).

THE LAST TIME THEY MET: South Carolina scored 34 second-half points in a 47-6 blowout of Vanderbilt on Nov. 11, 2023, in Columbia, extending the Gamecocks' winning streak to 15-straight games over the Commodores. **Spencer Rattler** threw for 351 yards and three scores and ran for a fourth, **Xavier Legette** caught nine passes for 120 yards and **Mario Anderson** carried nine times for 102 yards, including a 72-yard touchdown burst in the win. **Bam Martin-Scott**, making his first career start, responded with a game-high 13 tackles, while **Keenan Nelson Jr.** blocked a punt and returned it 18-yards to paydirt. In its most complete game of the season, Carolina outgained the Commodores 487-234.

THE LAST TIME THEY MET HERE: South Carolina put up 17 first-quarter points, had a season-high 31 points in the first half, and never looked back in a 38-27 win at Vanderbilt on Nov. 5, 2022, in Nashville. Quarterback **Spencer Rattler** had a solid performance, completing 18-of-26 passes for 200 yards and three touchdowns. **Antwane "Juice" Wells Jr.** caught four passes for 110 yards and two scores in the win. He had a 17-yard TD reception from Rattler and a 68-yard catch-and-run for a score from **Dakereon Joyner**. **Kai Kroeger** booted five punts for a 53.6-yard average, including kicks of 69 and 66 yards, with two of his punts downed inside the 20, earning co-SEC Special Teams Player of the Week honors. In addition, Kroeger, who was also the holder on placements, completed a 16-yard pass on a fake field goal for a first down.

DROPPING THE ANCHOR: Vanderbilt has recorded at least two wins over every team that made up the old SEC Eastern Division since its last win over South Carolina in 2008. They have topped Kentucky seven times (2008, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2022, 2024), Tennessee five times (2012, 2013, 2016, 2017, 2018), Missouri three times (2012, 2015, 2019), Florida twice (2013, 2022) and Georgia twice (2013, 2016) in that span.



By the Numbers

	SC	VU
Record	5-3	6-3
Points/Game	30.5	30.3
Opp. Points/Game	18.9	21.0
Rushing Attempts	351	354
Yards Rushing/Game	176.5	148.1
Yards Per Rush	4.0	3.8
Opp. Rushing Attempts	295	269
Opp. Yards Rush/Game	107.1	111.8
Opp. Yards/Rush	2.9	3.7
Passes Attempted	204	210
Passes Completed	125	129
Yards Pass/Game	193.3	189.6
Opp. Passes Attempted	245	273
Opp. Passes Completed	138	180
Opp. Yards Pass/Game	197.6	225.9
Total Plays	555	564
Total Offense	2958	3039
Avg. Yards/Game	369.8	337.7
Avg. Yards/Play	5.3	5.4
Opp. Total Plays	540	542
Opp. Total Offense	2438	3039
Opp. Total Yards/Game	304.8	337.7
Opp. Total Yards/Play	4.5	5.6
3rd Down Conv.	33%	46%
Opp. 3rd Down Conv.	34%	40%
4th Down Conv.	9-17	5-7
Opp. 4th Down Conv.	5-16	6-11
Avg. Poss. Time/Game	31:28	32:25

THE WINNING STREAK

Year	Date	SC Result	Score	Site
2009	10/24	W	14-10	H
2010	10/23	W	21-7	A
2011	09/24	W	21-3	H
2012	08/30	W	17-13	A
2013	09/14	W	35-25	H
2014	09/20	W	48-34	A
2015	10/17	W	19-10	H
2016	09/01	W	13-10	A
2017	10/28	W	34-27	H
2018	09/22	W	37-14	A
2019	11/02	W	24-7	H
2020	10/10	W	41-7	A
2021	10/16	W	21-20	H
2022	11/05	W	38-27	A
2023	11/11	W	47-6	H

IT JUST MEANS MORE: Carolina has just one player on its roster that is from the Volunteer State. Walk-on offensive lineman **Campbell Vandiver** is from Brentwood, just outside Nashville and graduated from Lipscomb Academy.

OLD FRIEND ALERT: Dawn Ellerbe, who has half as many titles at Vanderbilt (3) - Assistant Vice Chancellor/Senior Associate Athletics Director-Communications/Senior Woman Administrator) as she had All-America certificates while a track & field student-athlete at South Carolina (6), has ties to both programs. The former U.S. Olympian was inducted into the University of South Carolina Athletics Hall of Fame in 2005 and into the South Carolina Athletic Hall of Fame in 2023.



2024 SEC Standings

	SEC	PCT	PF	PA	ALL	PCT	PF	PA
Georgia	5-1	.833	183	132	7-1	.875	265	138
Texas A&M	5-1	.833	187	138	7-2	.778	278	191
Tennessee	4-1	.800	114	86	7-1	.875	305	99
Texas	3-1	.750	111	70	7-1	.875	301	92
LSU	3-1	.750	122	107	6-2	.750	262	182
Ole Miss	3-2	.600	159	97	7-2	.778	379	119
Alabama	3-2	.600	154	123	6-2	.750	301	149
Vanderbilt	3-2	.600	128	112	6-3	.667	273	189
Missouri	2-2	.500	61	119	6-2	.750	222	143
S. Carolina	3-3	.500	171	125	5-3	.625	244	151
Arkansas	3-3	.500	159	171	5-4	.556	297	237
Florida	2-3	.400	150	138	4-4	.500	236	199
Oklahoma	1-4	.200	68	141	5-4	.556	228	189
Auburn	1-5	.167	96	130	3-6	.333	228	173
Kentucky	1-6	.143	99	181	3-6	.333	171	187
Miss State	0-5	.000	121	213	2-7	.222	262	311

Last Week in the SEC

South Carolina 44, Texas A&M 20
 Ole Miss 63, Arkansas 31
 Vanderbilt 17, Auburn 7
 Oklahoma 59, Maine 14
 Georgia 34, Florida 20
 Mississippi State 45, UMass 20
 Tennessee 28, Kentucky 18

This Week in the SEC

South Carolina at Vanderbilt, 4:15 pm
 Florida at Texas, Noon
 Georgia at Ole Miss, 3:30 pm
 Mississippi State at Tennessee, 7 pm
 Alabama at LSU, 7:30 pm
 Oklahoma at Missouri, 7:45 pm

Next Week in the SEC

Missouri at South Carolina, 4:15 pm
 Texas at Arkansas, Noon
 UL-Monroe at Auburn, 12:45 pm
 Murray State at Kentucky, 1:30 pm
 Mercer at Alabama, 2 pm
 LSU at Florida, 3:30 pm
 Tennessee at Georgia, 7:30 pm
 New Mexico State at Texas A&M, 7:45 pm

All times Eastern



A South Carolina win over Vanderbilt would...

- ◆ Give the Gamecocks their sixth win of the season, one better than last year, and make them bowl-eligible with three games remaining in the regular season.
- ◆ Extend the Gamecocks' winning streak over the Commodores to 16-straight games, including eight straight in Nashville.
- ◆ Give the Gamecocks their fourth SEC win of the season, something that has happened just once (2022) since 2018.
- ◆ Give the Gamecocks their third SEC road win of the season, something they have not accomplished since the 2011 season.
- ◆ Give the Gamecocks their second-straight win over a ranked opponent after eight-straight losses.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED: With Vanderbilt coming into this week's contest ranked 24th in the Associated Press poll, South Carolina will be playing its fifth ranked team of the year and its 17th in four years under head coach Shane Beamer. The Gamecocks are 4-12 against ranked opponents since the start of the 2021 season with wins against No. 13 Kentucky, No. 5 Tennessee and No. 7 Clemson, all in the 2022 season, and then over No. 10 Texas A&M last week. South Carolina came in unranked in all but one (Notre Dame in 2022) of those 16 contests. They are 1-3 against ranked opponents this season, losing to No. 16 LSU (36-33), No. 12 Ole Miss (27-3) and No. 7 Alabama (27-25) before upsetting A&M by a 44-20 count, snapping an eight-game losing streak versus ranked foes.

THEY REMEMBER NOVEMBER: The Gamecocks are playing their second game of a five-game stretch in November that wraps up their regular season. They started the month off with an impressive 44-20 win over No. 10/11 Texas A&M. The Gamecocks have played their best ball in November under Shane Beamer, posting a 9-4 mark in the month including wins over three ranked opponents.

THE LAST TIME OUT: For the second-straight game, South Carolina came out of the gates fast, scoring two touchdowns in the first seven minutes, but the No. 10/11 Texas A&M Aggies regrouped to take a 20-17 lead with a minute left in the first half. The Gamecocks kicked a field goal in the closing seconds of the half to even the count at 20, then outscored the Aggies 24-0 in the second half in a convincing 44-20 win last Saturday in Columbia. **LaNorris Sellers** led the way, completing 13-of-27 passes for a career-high 244 yards and two touchdowns, and ran 15 times for a career-high 106 yards and a score, accounting for 350 total yards. **Raheim Sanders** had his best game as a Gamecock, rushing 20 times for 144 yards and two scores and added five receptions for 92 yards. Tight end **Josh Simon** also had his best game as a Gamecock, catching four passes for 132 yards and two TDs. The Carolina defense, led by **Demetrius Knight Jr.'s** 11 stops, pitched a shutout in the second half, forcing a pair of turnovers and logging three sacks in the final 30 minutes.

TO THE VICTORS GO THE SPOILS: **LaNorris Sellers** (Freshman), **Torrucelli Simpkins III** (Offensive Line-man) and **Alex Herrera** (co-Special Teams) were all recognized as SEC Players of the Week for their efforts in the win over Texas A&M last Saturday.

SELLERS STOCK RISING: **LaNorris Sellers** had his best game as a Gamecock, throwing for a career-high 244 yards and rushing for a career-high 106 yards while being responsible for three touchdowns. He was one of eight quarterbacks named to the Manning Award's "Stars of the Week" and to the Davey O'Brien Award's Great 8 for Week 10.

HOT AND READY: Carolina linebacker **Debo Williams** talks about getting "doughnuts" or shutting out an opponent. The Gamecocks have been close on three occasions, holding Kentucky (6), Akron (7) and Oklahoma (9) to under 10 points. The last Carolina team to do that was the 2012 squad that limited UAB (6), Georgia (7) and Wofford (7) to single digits. After pitching a shutout in the second half against Texas A&M, the Gamecocks are 20th in the country in scoring defense, allowing just 18.9 points per game, down over seven points per game from last season (26.3) and their best mark since 2012 (18.2). They are also in the top-20 in the country in rushing defense and total defense.

COMING TO A BACKFIELD NEAR YOU: After logging a school-record nine sacks against Oklahoma, the Gamecocks added three more against Texas A&M and have 31 sacks through eight games. The 3.88 sacks per game ranks second in the SEC and third in the country behind Boise State (4.75) and Ole Miss (4.56). The Gamecocks recorded just 21 sacks in 12 games in 2023, ranking 101st in the country. The school record for sacks in a season is 43, set in 2012, and they have been over 40 just twice since 1990 (also 41 in 2010). **Kyle Kennard** has 8.5 sacks. His 1.06 sacks per game ranks first in the SEC and fifth in the country. He is one-half sack away from breaking into South Carolina's single-season top-10 list. He is also first in the SEC and fourth in the country with 1.6 tackles for loss per game, collecting 12.5 through eight games. As a team, the Gamecocks are third in the SEC and eighth in the country with 7.9 tackles for loss per game.

THAT'S OUR BALL: The Gamecocks have forced 18 turnovers this season, tying for the SEC lead and for the nation's sixth-best mark. They have forced multiple turnovers in six of the eight games this season. The Carolina defense has forced a turnover in 12-straight games and has 82 turnovers since the start of the 2021 season, tops in the SEC during that span.

PUNCH IT OUT: The Gamecocks forced six fumbles at Oklahoma, recovering two. For the season, they have forced 16 fumbles, two per game, recovering seven. Five different players have a pair of forced fumbles. The 18 forced fumbles is the high-water mark since at least 1990, matching the total set in both 2018 and 2000. The Gamecocks forced eight fumbles during the entire 2023 season.

THE DANDY DOZEN: Twelve players have been on the Gamecocks' roster since head coach Shane Beamer's arrival in Columbia in December of 2020. The dozen includes **Luke Doty**, **Bradley Dunn**, **O'Donnell Fortune**, **Tonka Hemingway**, **Alex Herrera**, **Alex Huntley**, **Mohamed Kaba**, **Kai Kroeger**, **Vershon Lee**, **Payton Mangrum**, **Jakai Moore** and **Hunter Rogers**.



National Polls

Associated Press

1.	Oregon (62)	9-0	1550
2.	Georgia	7-1	1449
3.	Ohio State	7-1	1442
4.	Miami (Fla.)	9-0	1348
5.	Texas	7-1	1310
6.	Penn State	7-1	1158
7.	Tennessee	7-1	1150
8.	Indiana	9-0	1123
9.	BYU	8-0	1084
10.	Notre Dame	7-1	1066
11.	Alabama	6-2	867
12.	Boise State	7-1	853
13.	SMU	8-1	752
14.	LSU	6-2	707
15.	Texas A&M	7-2	662
16.	Ole Miss	7-2	653
17.	Iowa State	7-1	592
18.	Army	8-0	468
19.	Clemson	6-2	447
20.	Washington State	7-1	351
21.	Colorado	6-2	234
22.	Kansas State	7-2	227
23.	Pittsburgh	7-1	203
24.	Vanderbilt	6-3	130
25.	Louisville	6-3	115
RV	South Carolina	5-3	58

AFCA Coaches

1.	Oregon (53)	9-0	1349
2.	Georgia (1)	7-1	1267
3.	Ohio State	7-1	1245
4.	Miami (Fla.)	9-0	1194
5.	Texas	7-1	1138
6.	Tennessee	7-1	1039
7.	Penn State	7-1	982
8.	Notre Dame	7-1	961
9.	BYU	8-0	918
10.	Indiana	9-0	916
11.	Alabama	6-2	772
12.	Ole Miss	7-2	657
13.	LSU	6-2	653
14.	Boise State	7-1	615
15.	SMU	8-1	603
16.	Texas A&M	7-2	518
17.	Clemson	6-2	513
18.	Iowa State	7-1	511
19.	Army	8-0	404
20.	Washington State	7-1	284
21.	Kansas State	7-2	201
22.	Missouri	6-2	192
23.	Pittsburgh	7-1	178
24.	Colorado	6-2	124
25.	Vanderbilt	6-3	85
RV	South Carolina	5-3	33

HAVING A SENIOR MOMENT: The Gamecocks list 37 fourth-, fifth-, or sixth-year seniors on the roster, 18 on the offensive side of the ball, 15 on defense and four special teamers. Among FBS teams, only Eastern Michigan (39) had more seniors on its roster when the season began.

JUST CAN'T GET ENOUGH: Eleven Gamecocks began their collegiate careers in 2019. **Oscar Adaway III, Kamaar Bell, Davis Beville, Dalevon Campbell, Alex Herrera, DeAndre Jules, Demetrius Knight Jr., Bam Martin-Scott, Jakai Moore, Joshua Simon and David Spaulding** all were 2019 high school graduates. Herrera and Moore are the only ones who began their college careers in Columbia.

UTILIZING THE PORTAL: The Gamecocks' roster features 20 players who were on other team's rosters last fall. Of the 20 transfers, 10 are coming from Power-5 conferences, including five from the ACC, three from the SEC and two from the Big 12.

FREAKING OUT: In 20 years of Bruce Feldman's annual Freaks List, sophomore wide receiver **Nyck Harbor** is the first back-to-back No. 1 player. According to Feldman, Harbor, who is listed at 6-5 and 235 pounds and has posted times of 10.11 in the 100m and 20.20 in the 200m, "looks like a video game creation, which was backed up by EA Sports giving him the rare 99 speed and 99 acceleration rating." Harbor wasn't the only Gamecock to make Feldman's 2024 list. Junior safety **Nick Emmanwori** checks in at No. 11. At 6-3 and 227 pounds, Emmanwori broad-jumped 11-4, vertical-jumped 42 inches, did 24 reps of 225 pounds on the bench press and squatted 565 pounds.

TOTING THE SHEEPSKIN: The Gamecocks have 28 players who have earned their degrees, the most in the SEC. Eighteen of the 28 own degrees from the University of South Carolina. The list of graduates includes **Oscar Adaway III, Kamaar Bell, Davis Beville, Dalevon Campbell, Luke Doty, Bradley Dunn, Nick Elksnis, King-Demenian Ford, O'Donnell Fortune, Tonka Hemingway, Alex Herrera, Brady Hunt, Alex Huntley, William Joyce, DeAndre Jules, Mohamed Kaba, Demetrius Knight Jr., Kai Kroeger, Vershon Lee, Buddy Mack III, Payton Mangrum, Bam Martin-Scott, Jakai Moore, Hunter Rogers, Raheim Sanders, Joshua Simon, David Spaulding and Debo Williams.**

WORKING OVERTIME: The Gamecocks are 3-4 in games decided in overtime since the rule was adopted in 1996. Tennessee has been the opponent in three of the seven overtime games. Carolina's last overtime game was a double-overtime win at Georgia in 2019.

UP NEXT: The Gamecocks wrap up their SEC slate next week when they host the Missouri Tigers at Williams-Brice Stadium on Saturday, Nov. 16. Mizou has won each of the last five games in the series to take a 9-5 lead in the all-time series in the battle for the Mayor's Cup. The teams have split six games in Columbia, S.C. with Carolina's last win coming in 2018.

Offense

OFFENSE LOGS IN: Second-year offensive coordinator **Dowell Loggains** has a much different offense to direct than he had a year ago. Gone are quarterback Spencer Rattler and wide receiver Xavier Legette, both of whom are now in the

NFL, with Legette being a first-round pick by the Carolina Panthers and Rattler starting for the New Orleans Saints. Loggains handed the quarterback reins over to redshirt freshman **LaNorris Sellers**. Sellers has an All-SEC running back behind him in Arkansas transfer **Raheim "Rocket" Sanders**. With a mostly new receiving corps, the Gamecocks have shifted to more of a run-first attack in 2024 than the passing offense they displayed in 2023.

GROUND CONTROL: South Carolina is averaging 176.5 rushing yards per game this season, more than double their 85.1-yard average from 2023. With 1,412 yards rushing this season, they have easily surpassed last year's 12-game total of 1,021.

POUND THE ROCK: The Gamecocks have had some prolific games running the ball. They had their best rushing game of the season last week against a highly-touted Texas A&M defense. Carolina rushed 43 times for a season-best 286 yards, averaging 6.7 yards per carry. The 286 yards were the third-highest total under Shane Beamer and the most against an SEC opponent in his regime. **Torricelli Simpkins III** was named the SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week following his performance against Texas A&M when he graded out at 88 percent with six pancakes and three knock-downs. Both **Raheim Sanders** (144) and **LaNorris Sellers** (106) eclipsed the 100-yard plateau, the first time the Gamecocks had two players go over the 100-yard mark in a game since 2021. Earlier this season, they rolled up 243 yards on 41 carries against LSU, an average of 5.9 yards per rush, and followed that up with a 273-yard, four-touchdown effort on 53 carries against Akron, averaging 5.2-yards per tote. The Gamecocks are 18-6 when they rush for 100 or more yards since 2021.

QB1: Redshirt freshman **LaNorris Sellers** is QB1. The 6-3, 242-pounder saw limited action in three games in 2023 playing behind Spencer Rattler. Sellers, who is blessed with excellent size, speed and arm strength, is 101-for-167 passing (60.5 pct.) for 1,212 yards with seven touchdowns in 2024. He has also rushed 99 times for 353 yards and four scores. He sat out the second half of the LSU game and all of the Akron contest with an ankle injury. He set career highs with 106 yards rushing and with 244 yards passing last week against A&M.

YOUNG GUN: **LaNorris Sellers** became the first freshman (true or redshirt) quarterback to start for the Gamecocks since **Luke Doty** started the final two games of the 2020 season as a true freshman. The last freshman (true or redshirt) QB to start a season opener for Carolina was **Chris Smelley**, who was a redshirt freshman when he got the nod versus La.-Lafayette to open the 2007 season. Sellers completed 10-of-23 passes for 114 yards and rushed 22 times (the most for a Carolina QB since Connor Shaw had 22 in 2013) for 68 yards and a TD in his starting debut against Old Dominion.

GROWING UP BEFORE OUR EYES: **LaNorris Sellers'** numbers continue to improve as he gains more experience and confidence. He is 72-for-114 (63.2 pct.) for 819 yards in his last four outings after going 29-for-53 (54.7 pct.) for 393 yards in his first three contests.

SELLERS BEWARE: **LaNorris Sellers** established career bests with 22 carries against ODU, with 106 yards rushing versus Texas A&M, with 23 completions at Alabama and with 244 yards passing



Career Start Chart

Player	'19	'20	'21	'22	'23	'24	All
Vershon Lee	-	1	9	7	10	8	35
Nick Emmanwori	-	-	-	12	11	8	31
DQ Smith	-	-	-	11	11	8	30
Jakai Moore	2	6	3	8	9	0	28
Tonka Hemingway	-	3	0	9	5	7	24
Debo Williams	-	DE	0	2	12	8	22
O'Donnell Fortune	-	RS	0	2	10	8	20
Jalon Kilgore	-	-	-	-	11	7	18
Alex Huntley	-	RS	0	3	11	3	17
T.J. Sanders	-	-	RS	0	7	5	12
Joshua Simon	WK	WK	WK	WK	4	7	11
Judge Collier	-	-	-	-	2	8	10
Gilber Edmond	-	0	0	10	-	0	10
Tree Babalade	-	-	-	-	9	0	9
Cason Henry	-	-	-	RS	1	8	9
Trovon Baugh	-	-	-	-	8	0	8
Kamaar Bell	AU	AU	FAU	FAU	FAU	8	8
Luke Doty	-	2	4	0	2	0	8
Nyck Harbor	-	-	-	-	5	3	8
Kyle Kennard	-	GT	GT	GT	GT	8	8
Torricelli Simpkins	-	NCC	NCC	NCC	NCC	8	8
Josiah Thompson	-	-	-	-	-	8	8
Bam Martin-Scott	JC	JC	RS	0	3	4	7
Raheim Sanders	-	-	AR	AR	AR	7	7
LaNorris Sellers	-	-	-	-	RS	7	7
David Spaulding	RS	GSO	5	2	0	0	7
Demetrius Knight Jr.	GT	GT	GT	GT	C	6	6
Michael Smith	-	-	-	-	-	6	6
Dylan Stewart	-	-	-	-	-	6	6
Bryan Thomas Jr.	-	-	-	0	6	0	6
Mohamed Kaba	RS	3	0	2	0	0	5
Gage Larvadain	-	-	SEL	SEL	M	5	5
Juju McDowell	-	-	2	2	1	0	5
Vandrevius Jacobs	-	-	-	-	FS	4	4
Mazeo Bennett Jr.	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
Jared Brown	-	-	CC	CC	CC	2	2
Dalevon Campbell	I	I	I	N	N	2	2
Oscar Adaway III	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	1	1
Robby Ashford	-	O	O	AU	AU	1	1
Nick Barrett	-	-	0	0	1	0	1
Elijah Davis	-	-	JC	JC	1	0	1
Jatius Geer	-	-	S	S	0	1	1
Brady Hunt	-	-	BS	BS	BS	1	1
DeAndre Jules	P	P	P	P	P	1	1

Note: South Carolina Starts Only

RS-Redshirt	GT-Georgia Tech
JC-Junior College	I-Illinois
AR-Arkansas	M-Miami (Ohio)
AU-Auburn	N-Nevada
BS-Ball State	NCC-North Carolina Central
C-Charlotte	NT-North Texas
CC-Coastal Carolina	O-Oregon
DE-Delaware	P-Pittsburgh
FAU-Florida Atlantic	S-Syracuse
FS-Florida State	SEL-Southeastern Louisiana
GSO-Georgia Southern	WK-Western Kentucky

against Texas A&M. His 75-yard TD run against LSU was the longest by a South Carolina quarterback in school history.

QB2: When LaNorris Sellers was sidelined with an ankle injury, redshirt senior **Robby Ashford** was inserted into the lineup for the second half of the LSU contest and as a starter versus Akron. In his first start for the Gamecocks against the Zips, the former Oregon and Auburn signal-caller responded with 376 yards of total offense and three touchdowns, rushing 16 times for 133 yards and a score and completing 15-of-21 passes for 243

yards and two TDs. The 133 rushing yards was the fifth-highest single-game total by a South Carolina quarterback in school history.

THE QB CAN RUN: **Robby Ashford** rushed for a career-high 133 yards in the win over Akron. It was the most rushing yards for a Gamecock quarterback since Ronnie "Sunshine" Bass of "Remember the Titans" fame rambled for 211 against North Carolina in 1974. Here are the top single-game rushing marks by a Gamecock quarterback:

Quarterback	Opponent	Date	Yards
Jeff Grantz	Ohio	10/20/73	260
Ronnie Bass	North Carolina	10/26/74	211
Jeff Grantz	Clemson	11/24/73	185
Harold Mauney	Clemson	10/19/33	147
Robby Ashford	Akron	09/21/24	133

ROCKET LAUNCH: **Raheim "Rocket" Sanders**, a 6-0, 230-pound senior transfer from Arkansas, was a first-team All-SEC selection in 2022 after rushing for 1,443 yards and 10 touchdowns as a Razorback. To put that in perspective, the Gamecocks rushed for 1,021 yards as a team in 2023. Sanders logged 142 yards and two scores through the first two games, but broke loose against LSU, rushing 19 times for 143 yards and two scores, including a 66-yard TD run. He suffered an ankle injury after just one carry against Akron and was limited to just eight carries against Ole Miss. He looked to be back to 100 percent against Texas A&M, rushing 20 times for a season-best 144 yards and two scores, including a 52-yard scamper. For the season, he leads the team with 116 carries for 570 yards, averaging 4.9 yards per carry, with a team-high eight touchdowns. Dakereon Joyner paced the squad with five rushing TDs a year ago. Sanders has been Carolina's leading rusher in six of eight games.

LEADERS OF THE PACK: South Carolina boasts a pair of wide receivers who led their team in receiving yards a year ago. **Dalevon Campbell** caught 31 passes for 594 yards for Nevada, while **Gage Larvadain** was Miami (Ohio)'s top receiver with 42 receptions for 679 yards and six scores. In addition, **Jared Brown**, who had better numbers than both Campbell and Larvadain, was Coastal Carolina's second-leading receiver with 58 catches for 740 yards and four TDs.

NOT PLAYING FAVORITES: The Gamecocks are averaging 15.6 pass receptions per game with 16 players having at least one catch. Eight players have at least eight receptions. Tight end **Josh Simon** leads the team in receptions (24), receiving yards (317) and receiving touchdowns (4). True freshman **Mazeo Bennett Jr.** is right behind with 21 catches for 289 receiving yards and three touchdowns. Eight of the top 10 receivers were not on the squad a year ago.

TWO-SPORT STAR: Gamecocks wide receiver **Nyck Harbor** is one of the fastest players in college football. The two-sport star posted a 20.87 clocking in the 200 meters and 6.73 in the 60 meters during the indoor season. He earned All-America honors during the outdoor season after logging personal bests of 10.11 in the 100m and 20.30 in the 200. He caught his first touchdown pass of the season in the final minute of the game at Alabama, a season-long 31-yard reception.

SIMON SEZ: Sixth-year tight end **Joshua Simon** is the Gamecocks' top returning receiver, having 28 receptions for 256 yards and two TDs a sea-

son ago. In fact, Carolina's top two tight ends, Trey Knox and Simon, were the team's second- and third-leading receivers, respectively in 2023. Simon has picked up right where he left off, leading the team with 24 receptions, 317 receiving yards and four receiving touchdowns. He has become an integral part of the offense recently, hauling in 18 passes for 214 yards and three TDs over the last four games, including a four-catch, 132-yard, 2-TD effort against Texas A&M.

EXPERIENCED O-LINE: South Carolina's offensive line entered the 2024 season with a combined 149 career collegiate starts, the sixth-highest total in Division I Football. **Torricelli Simpkins III** (35 games/35 starts), **Kamaar Bell** (33/29), **Jakai Moore** (44/28) and **Vershon Lee** (38/27) led the way. The Gamecocks' offensive line's 220 combined games played ranked 11th in the country heading into the 2024 campaign.

SAME LINE, DIFFERENT DAY: The Gamecocks have started the same offensive line in every game this season, with **Josiah Thompson**, **Kamaar Bell**, **Vershon Lee**, **Torricelli Simpkins III** and **Cason Henry** working from left to right. That quintet has taken nearly every meaningful snap, with the exception of the Alabama game when Henry was injured and **Jatavius Shivers** garnered significant playing time. That is a complete 180 from last year when Carolina started nine different front fives in the first nine games. Eight schools have started the same O-line in every game this season: Indiana, Kansas, South Carolina, Syracuse, Texas, Texas State, Tulane and Wisconsin.

Defense

FLEX-NICKEL: Fourth-year defensive coordinator **Clayton White** uses a "Flex-Nickel" defense, which allows the Gamecocks to mix a four-man and a three-man front, with five defensive backs on the field. With eight returning starters and several experienced transfers, it's a veteran group led by all-SEC linebacker **Debo Williams**, a trio of defensive tackles in **Alex Huntley**, **Tonka Hemingway** and **T.J. Sanders**, and safety **Nick Emmanwori**. With more depth at all three levels, White has built this defense into the best in Columbia in years.

HEY TURN ME OVER: The Carolina defense has been opportunistic under the Beamer/White regime. The Gamecocks have forced 18 turnovers this season, including a single-game high of four against both ODU and Oklahoma. The 18 turnovers gained is tied with Alabama for the SEC lead and tied for sixth in the country. The Gamecocks have forced 82 turnovers over the past four seasons, tops in the SEC during that span.

TEAM	SEC TURNOVERS FORCED SINCE 2021				
	2021	2022	2023	2024	TOTAL
South Carolina	24	23	17	18	82
Alabama	22	17	19	18	76
Ole Miss	20	20	18	15	73
Tennessee	16	22	18	14	70
Georgia	21	19	17	11	68
Arkansas	17	18	17	12	64
Mississippi State	16	23	12	11	62
Missouri	16	18	19	8	61
Vanderbilt	16	17	16	11	60
LSU	13	20	14	12	59
Texas A&M	15	16	13	14	58
Kentucky	12	17	18	10	57
Florida	12	24	7	12	55
Auburn	12	13	18	8	51



STINGY D: The Gamecock defense is holding its opponents to just 18.9 points, 20th in the country, and 304.8 yards of total offense per game, 16th in the nation. They have not held their opponents to under 24.0 points per game since 2017 (20.7) and under 350.0 yards per game since 2012 (315.5). Carolina ranks in the top-40 in the country in nearly every defensive category. They played their best ball in October, holding Ole Miss, Alabama and Oklahoma all to about 12 points below their season scoring average.

HAVING AN ALL-AMERICAN SEASON: Kyle Kennard ranks among the nation's leaders in both sacks (8.5) and tackles for loss (12.5). He leads the SEC and is fifth in the country in sacks (1.06 per game) and leads the SEC and is fourth in the nation in tackles for loss with 1.6 per game.

MIDSEASON ACCOLADES: Kyle Kennard was named to the Sporting News midseason All-American team and was named the nation's 14th-best player by ESPN. He was a midseason third-team All-American according to College Football Network. He was also added to the Bednarik Award and Lombardi Award midseason watch lists.

SEASON TO REMEMBER: Kyle Kennard is having one of the best seasons on record at South Carolina for sacks and tackles for loss. Here's where he ranks with four regular season games remaining:

2024 Carolina Rankings			
Category	Avg./No.	SEC	NCAA
Scoring Offense	30.5	9	49
Rushing Offense	176.5	6	49
Passing Offense	193.3	12	103
Passing Efficiency	137.19	12	59
Total Offense	369.8	13	91
Scoring Defense	18.9	7	20
Rushing Defense	107.1	5	19
Passing Defense	197.6	7	39
Pass Eff. Defense	110.98	3	15
Total Defense	304.8	5	16
Kickoff Returns	17.3	14	110
Opp. Kickoff Returns	15.3	3	9
Punt Returns	7.9	8	72
Opp. Punt Returns	4.6	6	28
Net Punting	42.5	7	14
Fumbles Recovered	7	4	14
Fumbles Lost	9	15	126
Passes Intercepted	11	2	14
Passes Had Intercepted	4	3	17
Turnovers Gained	18	1	6
Turnovers Lost	13	111	79
Turnover Margin	0.63	5	30
Sacks	3.9	2	3
Sacks Allowed	4.0	15	132
Tackles for Loss	7.9	3	8
Tackles for Loss Allowed	8.8	16	132
3rd Down Percentage	.330	16	118
Opp. 3rd Down Pct.	.336	9	32
4th Down Percentage	.529	8	71
Opp. 4th Down Pct.	.313	2	6
Penalties/Game	7.0	10	99
Penalty Yards/Game	61.5	10	97
Time of Possession	31:28	5	32

SOUTH CAROLINA SINGLE-SEASON SACKS

- Jadeveon Clowney (2012).....13.0
- Andrew Provence (1982).....10.0
Melvin Ingram (2011).....10.0
- Kelcy Quarles (2013).....9.5
- Bill Janus (1978).....9.0
- Karey Johnson (1981).....9.0
Andrew Provence (1981).....9.0
Eric Norwood (2008).....9.0
Melvin Ingram (2010).....9.0
Darius English (2016).....9.0
- Kyle Kennard (2024).....8.5**

SOUTH CAROLINA SINGLE-SEASON TFLS

- Jadeveon Clowney (2012).....23.5
- Eric Norwood (2007).....19.5
- Rickey Hagood (1983).....16.0
- Andrew Provence (1982).....15.0
Melvin Ingram (2011).....15.0
- **Kyle Kennard (2024).....12.5**

SACK ATTACK: With Kyle Kennard (8.5) leading the way, the Gamecocks have recorded 31 sacks through eight games. Their 3.88 sacks per game ranks second in the SEC and third in the country. Kennard ranks tied for 13th among active FBS players with 21 career sacks.

SACKS	2024	CAREER
Kyle Kennard	8.5	21.0
Tonka Hemingway	4.0	9.5
T.J. Sanders	3.0	8.5
Dylan Stewart	5.5	5.5
Jatius Geer	1.0	4.5
Demetrius Knight Jr.	2.0	4.5
Gilber Edmond	1.0	4.0
DeAndre Jules	0.0	3.5
Bam Martin-Scott	1.5	3.5
Alex Huntley	0.0	3.0
Debo Williams	0.5	3.0
Bryan Thomas Jr.	1.5	2.5
DQ Smith	0.0	1.5
Rondarius Porter	1.0	1.0
Vicari Swain	1.0	1.0
Desmond Umeozulu	0.5	0.5

HE'S JUST A FRESHMAN: Tue freshman Dylan Stewart has made an immediate impact. The highly-recruited EDGE rusher was the Shaun Alexander Freshman of the Year Player of the Week and the SEC co-Defensive Lineman of the Week for his efforts versus Old Dominion in the season opener. He has logged 7.5 tackles for loss including 5.5 sacks and four QB hurries. He has added a pair of forced fumbles and has a fumble recovery. His 5.5 sacks are tops among all FBS freshmen. As a comparison, Jadeveon Clowney logged 8.0 sacks and 12.0 tackles for loss as a true freshman at Carolina.

THE UNSUNG HEROES: The trio of defensive tackles in T.J. Sanders, Alex Huntley and Tonka Hemingway have put together excellent seasons. The threesome have combined for 8.5 tackles for loss and 7.0 sacks and are a big reason why Carolina is allowing just 107.1 rushing yards per game, 19th in the nation, and 2.9 yards per rush, eighth in the country.

THE NEIGHBORHOOD BULLY: Linebacker Debo Williams earned first-team All-SEC honors and was tabbed the Joe Morrison MVP for the defense in 2023 after he tallied a team-leading 113 tackles, the third-highest total in the SEC and the most by a Gamecock since Jonathan Martin in 2002. He is third on the squad with 43 tackles, including 27 solo stops and 3.0 tackles for loss this season.

ONE-TWO PUNCH: Bam Martin-Scott and Demetrius Knight Jr. have been splitting time at the MIKE linebacker position. Knight is second on the team with 47 tackles, while Martin-Scott is fourth with 42 stops. They have combined for 11.5 tackles for loss, 3.5 sacks, and two fumble recoveries.

NICK AT NIGHT: Nick Emmanwori is the leader in the secondary. The junior safety leads the SEC and is tied for fifth in the country with four interceptions and is one of two players in the country with a pair of pick-sixes - at Kentucky and at Oklahoma. He is the Gamecocks' leading tackler with 52 stops including 34 solo tackles. His 6.5 tackles per game ranks 13th in the SEC. Emmanwori was named one of 16 quarterfinalist for the prestigious Lott IMPACT Award and one of 15 semifinalists for the Jim Thorpe Award. He was the SEC co-Defensive Player of the Week and the Reese's Senior Bowl co-Defensive Player of the Week for his efforts at Oklahoma when he logged 11 tackles and a pair of interceptions.

MORE FROM KILGORE: Sophomore Nickel Jalon Kilgore is second on the squad with three interceptions. He also has been credited with a trio of pass breakups. A Freshman All-American a season ago, Kilgore's three interceptions tie him for the second in the SEC and for 40th in the country.

PICK THIS: The Gamecocks have 11 interceptions this season, tied for second in the SEC and tied for 14th in the country. Here are the interception numbers for the 2024 Gamecocks:

INTERCEPTIONS	2024	CAREER
O'Donnell Fortune	3	7
Nick Emmanwori	4	6
Jalon Kilgore	3	4
DQ Smith	1	4
David Spaulding	0	4
Demetrius Knight Jr.	0	3
Bangally Kamara	0	2
Nick Barrett	0	1
Kyle Kennard	0	1
Bam Martin-Scott	0	1

BROTHERLY LOVE: The Gamecocks have two sets of brothers on their roster, all four of whom play on defense. Jalon Kilgore was a Freshman All-American in 2023, while his older brother, Gerald Kilgore, joined the team in the spring after two seasons at Tennessee Tech. Both play in the secondary. Linebacker Ronnie Porter, who was placed on scholarship during fall camp, begins his fourth season in the program. This year he is joined by his younger brother, walk-on Rondarius Porter, who plays defensive tackle.

Special Teams

BEAMER BALL 2.0: "Beamer Ball" is alive and well in Columbia. The Gamecocks became known for their outstanding special teams over the past three seasons under guru Pete Lembo. Coach Lembo is now the head coach at Buffalo, while veteran NFL special teams savant Joe DeCamillis takes over in that role at Carolina. He is blessed to have two All-Americans to work with - punter Kai Kroeger and long snapper Hunter Rogers.

BLOCK THAT KICK: The Gamecocks have been among the leaders in blocked kicks since 2021, topping the Southeastern Conference with 16 during that time, including a pair this season. With two blocks in 2024, the Gamecocks are tied for first in the SEC and tied for 17th in the country.



Preseason Accolades

Dalevon Campbell

Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Watch List

Nick Emmanwori

2nd team All-SEC (Phil Steele)
2nd team All-SEC (Athlon)
2nd team All-SEC (College Football Network)
3rd team All-SEC (SEC Media)
3rd team All-SEC (Coaches)
Lott IMPACT Award Watch List

Tonka Hemingway

2nd team All-SEC (Athlon)
2nd team All-SEC (College Football Network)
3rd team All-SEC (SEC Media)
3rd team All-SEC (Coaches)
4th team All-SEC (Phil Steele)
Bednarik Award Watch List
William V. Campbell Trophy Semifinalist

Brady Hunt

Comeback Player of the Year Watch List

Alex Huntley

AUCA Good Works Team Nominee
Wuerffel Trophy Watch List
Witten Collegiate Man of the Year Watch List

Kyle Kennard

Bednarik Award Watch List
Lombardi Award Watch List

Demetrius Knight Jr.

Butkus Award Watch List

Kai Kroeger

2nd team All-SEC (Phil Steele)
4th team All-SEC (Athlon)
Ray Guy Award Watch List

Vershon Lee

4th team All-SEC (Athlon)
Rimington Trophy Watch List

Hunter Rogers

2nd team All-America (Phil Steele)
1st team All-SEC (Coaches)
1st team All-SEC (Phil Steele)
2nd team All-SEC (SEC Media)
Patrick Mannelly Award Watch List

Raheim Sanders

2nd team All-SEC (SEC Media)
2nd team All-SEC (Coaches)
2nd team All-SEC (Phil Steele)
2nd team All-SEC (College Football Network)
3rd team All-SEC (Athlon)
Maxwell Award Watch List
Comeback Player of the Year Watch List
Doak Walker Award Watch List

T.J. Sanders

H.M. All-SEC (College Football Network)

LaNorris Sellers

Shaun Alexander Freshman Watch List

Dylan Stewart

Freshman All-America (On3.com)
Shaun Alexander Freshman Watch List

Josiah Thompson

Freshman All-America (ESPN.com)
Freshman All-America (On3.com)
Freshman All-America (247Sports.com)

Debo Williams

2nd team All-SEC (SEC Media)
2nd team All-SEC (Coaches)
2nd team All-SEC (Phil Steele)
2nd team All-SEC (Athlon)
2nd team All-SEC (College Football Network)
Bronko Nagurski Trophy Watch List
Butkus Award Watch List

HIP, HIP HERRERA: Alex Herrera has converted 13-of-17 field goal attempts, including his last five in a row, with a long of 46 yards and all 25 extra point tries. He was recognized as the SEC co-Special Teams Player of the Week for his 3-for-3 field goal performance against Texas A&M last week.

ALMOST AUTOMATIC: Dating back to 2021, the South Carolina kickers have converted 52-of-59 field goal attempts (88.1 pct.) tops among the 14 SEC schools during that span.

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE

TEAM	2021	2022	2023	2024	TOTAL	PCT.
S. Carolina	16-17	11-11	12-14	13-17	52-59	.881

SPECIAL SPECIAL TEAMER: Walk-on linebacker Colin Bryant is making a name for himself on special teams. He was named a Midseason Second-Team All-American by College Football Network. Bryant has six tackles including four solo stops on special teams and recovered the onside kick at Alabama.

HE'S MADE A CAREER OF IT: Kai Kroeger has been the Gamecocks' punter for five seasons. He has 254 punts for 11,297 yards (both tops among current D-I punters), an average of 44.5-yards per punt, second in school history and ninth among active D-1 punters. 63 have traveled 50+ yards, 95 have been marked inside the 20 with just 19 touchbacks.

CAREER PUNTING AVERAGE (Min. 75 Punts)

- Joseph Charlton (2015-19).....45.5 (171 for 7,786)
- Kai Kroeger (2020-24)..... 44.5 (250 for 11,137)**

CAREER PUNTS

- Chris Norman (1980-83).....261
- Kai Kroeger (2020-24).....254**

CAREER PUNTING YARDS

- Kai Kroeger (2020-24)..... 11,297**

11K AND COUNTING: Kai Kroeger ranks fifth on the SEC's list for career punt yards. His career 44.5-yard average ranks in a tie for 14th in the SEC record books.

- Jim Arnold, Vanderbilt (1979-82).....12,171
- Blake McAdams, Miss. State (2005-08).....11,562
- Jim Miller, Ole Miss (1976-79).....11,549
- Bill Marinangel, Vanderbilt (1993-96).....11,336
- Kai Kroeger, South Carolina (2020-24) 11,297**

KAI IS SKY HIGH: Kai Kroeger leads the SEC and ranks second in the nation, posting a 47.8-yard average. He earned SEC Special Teams Player of the Week for the fifth time in his career against Kentucky and has been selected to "Ray's 8" twice this season. He boomed a season-best 75-yard punt against Akron, tying for the fourth-longest punt in FBS in 2024. He owns four 70-plus yard punts.

KAI CAN PASS: Kai Kroeger is 7-for-9 passing for 205 yards and three touchdowns during his career with a gaudy 379.1 career QB rating.

OH SNAP: Hunter Rogers handles all long snapping duties. He was a second-team All-SEC performer in 2022 and a first-teamer in 2023. He was a preseason first-team All-SEC pick by the coaches in 2024 and is a candidate for All-America honors.

2024 Award Winners

Kyle Kennard	SEC co-Defensive Lineman of the Week	vs Old Dominion (Aug. 31)
Dylan Stewart	SEC co-Defensive Lineman of the Week	vs Old Dominion (Aug. 31)
Dylan Stewart	Shaun Alexander National Freshman of the Week	vs Old Dominion (Aug. 31)
Dylan Stewart	247Sports True Freshman of the Week	vs Old Dominion (Aug. 31)
Nick Emmanwori	SEC Defensive Player of the Week	at Kentucky (Sept. 7)
Kai Kroeger	SEC Special Teams Player of the Week	at Kentucky (Sept. 7)
Kai Kroeger	Ray Guy Award's "Ray's 8"	vs Akron (Sept. 21)
Kyle Kennard	College Football Network Defensive Player of the Week	at Alabama (Oct. 12)
Colin Bryant	College Football Network Midseason Second-Team All-American (Special Teams)	
Kyle Kennard	College Football Network Midseason Third-Team All-American (EDGE)	
Kyle Kennard	ESPN Midseason Report - Nation's 14th-Best Player	
Kyle Kennard	Sporting News Midseason All-American	
Nick Emmanwori	Lott IMPACT Award Quarterfinalist	
Nick Emmanwori	SEC co-Defensive Player of the Week	at Oklahoma (Oct. 19)
Tonka Hemingway	SEC co-Defensive Lineman of the Week	at Oklahoma (Oct. 19)
Kai Kroeger	Ray Guy Award's "Ray's 8"	at Oklahoma (Oct. 19)
Nick Emmanwori	Reese's Senior Bowl co-Defensive Player of the Week	at Oklahoma (Oct. 19)
Nick Emmanwori	Paycom Jim Thorpe Award Semifinalist	
LaNorris Sellers	Davey O'Brien Award's Great 8	vs Texas A&M (Nov. 2)
LaNorris Sellers	Manning Award "Star of Stars"	vs Texas A&M (Nov. 2)
Torrice III Simpkins III	SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week	vs Texas A&M (Nov. 2)
LaNorris Sellers	SEC Freshman of the Week	vs Texas A&M (Nov. 2)
Alex Herrera	SEC co-Special Teams Player of the Week	vs Texas A&M (Nov. 2)

Tracking the 2024 Opponents

Opponent (Date vs. SC)	2024	Last Week	This Week
Old Dominion (8/31)	4-5	L, 28-20 at Appalachian State	OPEN
Kentucky (9/7)	3-6	L, 28-18 at Tennessee	OPEN
LSU (9/14)	6-2	OPEN	vs Alabama
Akron (9/21)	2-7	L, 41-30 vs Buffalo	OPEN
Ole Miss (10/5)	7-2	W, 63-31 at Arkansas	vs Georgia
Alabama (10/12)	6-2	OPEN	at LSU
Oklahoma (10/19)	5-4	W, 59-14 vs Maine	at Missouri
Texas A&M (11/2)	7-2	L, 44-20 at South Carolina	OPEN
Vanderbilt (11/9)	6-3	W, 17-7 at Auburn	vs South Carolina
Missouri (11/16)	6-2	OPEN	vs Oklahoma
Wofford (11/23)	4-5	W, 17-13 at Samford	at Furman
Clemson (11/30)	5-2	L, 33-21 vs Louisville	at Virginia Tech



Media Services

Weekly Press Conference:

Head Coach Shane Beamer conducts a weekly press conference at 1 pm ET on Tuesdays. The University of South Carolina communications office will make Coach Beamer's weekly press conference available for the media via an FTP site.

Weekly Teleconference:

Head Coach Shane Beamer conducts a weekly teleconference at 5 pm ET on Sundays. Please contact Steve Fink at finksc@mailbox.sc.edu for the Teams meeting information to participate.

SEC Teleconference:

The Southeastern Conference will host a weekly press teleconference each Wednesday from Aug. 28 through Nov. 27. The teleconference, open to the media, will feature the head coach from each team every week. Coach Beamer's scheduled time is 12:10 pm ET. Contact the SEC Media Relations office for the number and passcode.

Carolina Calls:

Carolina Calls with Head Coach Shane Beamer is on the airwaves on most Thursdays throughout the season. Hosted by the voice of Carolina Football and Gamecock Hall of Famer, Todd Ellis, the show will originate from Backstreets Grill, located at 2400 Devine Street in Columbia. The show airs from 6-7 pm ET and is carried on the flagship station of the Gamecocks, WNKT-FM, across the Palmetto State on the Gamecock Radio Network and over the internet at GamecocksOnline.com.

Television Show:

The Gamecock Football with Shane Beamer show airs at 11:30 am and 6:30 pm on Sundays on Bally Sports. In Columbia you can catch the show on WACH-FOX at 10:30 pm on Sundays and on the CW every Tuesday at 7 pm.

Gamecocks in the NFL

Name	Team	Position
Nate Adkins	Denver Broncos	Tight End
Jalen Brooks	Dallas Cowboys	Wide Receiver
Jadeveon Clowney	Carolina Panthers	Defensive Line
Marcellas Dial	New England Patriots	Defensive Back
Rico Dowdle	Dallas Cowboys	Running Back
Kingsley Enagbare	Green Bay Packers	Defensive Line
Nick Gargiulo#	Denver Broncos	Offensive Line
Stephon Gilmore	Minnesota Vikings	Defensive Back
Jovaughn Gwyn	Atlanta Falcons	Offensive Line
Kevin Harris#	New England Patriots	Running Back
Jaycee Horn	Carolina Panthers	Defensive Back
Hayden Hurst	Los Angeles Chargers	Tight End
Ernest Jones	Tennessee Titans	Linebacker
Javon Kinlaw	New York Jets	Defensive Line
Chris Lammons	Indianapolis Colts	Defensive Back
Xavier Legette	Carolina Panthers	Wide Receiver
Dante Miller#	New York Giants	Running Back
Israel Mukuamu	Dallas Cowboys	Defensive Back
Nick Muse#	Minnesota Vikings	Tight End
Keisean Nixon	Green Bay Packers	Defensive Back
Zacch Pickens	Chicago Bears	Defensive Line
Adam Prentice	New Orleans Saints	Fullback
Spencer Rattler	New Orleans Saints	Quarterback
Darius Rush#	Pittsburgh Steelers	Defensive Back
Deebo Samuel	San Francisco 49ers	Wide Receiver
Cam Smith	Miami Dolphins	Defensive Back
D.J. Wonnum**	Carolina Panthers	Defensive Line

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Aiken/Augusta	WYBO-FM	92.9	Myrtle Beach	WSEA-FM	100.3
Allendale	WDOG-FM	93.5	Newberry	WKDK-AM	1240
Camden	WCAM-AM	1590	Rock Hill/		
Charleston	WTMZ-FM	98.9	Lancaster	WRHM-FM	107.1
Chesterfield	WVSZ-FM	107.3	Seneca	WSNW-AM	1150
Columbia	WNKT-FM	107.5	Seneca	WSNW-FM	94.1
Florence	WFRK-FM	95.3	Spartanburg	WSPG-AM	1400
Gaffney	WZZQ-AM	1500	Spartanburg	WSPG-FM	98.3
Gaffney	WZZQ-FM	104.3	Sumter	WIBZ-FM	95.5
Greenville	WROO-FM	104.9	Union	WBCU-AM	1460
Greenwood	WCZZ-AM	1090	Union	WBCU-FM	103.5
Lake City	WHYM-AM	1260			

Weekly South Carolina Football Media Availability

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Practice is scheduled for 6:30 pm. Head coach Shane Beamer holds a Teams conference call at 5 p.m. ET. No player availability. Deadline for Tuesday's player interview requests is 4 pm.	The team is scheduled for its NCAA-mandated off day. No media availability for coaches or players.	Practice is scheduled for 9:30 am. A limited number of requested and approved players will be available following practice. Coach Beamer holds a weekly 1 pm press conference.	Practice is scheduled for 9:30 am. Coach Beamer is on the SEC conference call at 12:10 p.m. ET. OC Dowell Loggains and DC Clayton White hold a weekly press conference beginning at 12:20 pm.	Practice is scheduled for 9:30 am. There is no post-practice availability. Coach Shane Beamer's weekly radio show is from 6-7 p.m. ET from Backstreets Grill on Devine Street.	Head coach Shane Beamer, OC Dowell Loggains, DC Clayton White and selected players are available for network television only.	Head coach Shane Beamer and selected players will be available in person following the game. The Gamecocks' locker room is closed.



ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	POS.	HT	WT	CL	EXP	Hometown (High/Last School)
85	CJ Adams	WR	6-2	215	R-FR	SQ	Mableton, Ga. (Pebblebrook)
27	Oscar Adaway III	RB	6-0	223	S-SR	TR	North Little Rock, Ark. (North Little Rock/North Texas)
58	Markee Anderson	OL	6-4	327	R-FR	SQ	Roebuck, S.C. (Dorman)
48	Peyton Argent	PK	6-0	218	R-FR	SQ	Hoover, Ala. (Hoover)
1	Robby Ashford	QB	6-2	229	R-SR	TR	Hoover, Ala. (Hoover/Auburn)
51	Tree Babalade	OL	6-6	338	SO	1L	Hyattsville, Md. (DeMatha Catholic)
93	Nick Barrett	DT	6-2	309	SR	3L	Goldsboro, N.C. (Eastern Wayne)
78	Trovon Baugh	OL	6-4	337	SO	1L	Atlanta, Ga. (Pace Academy)
52	Kamaar Bell	OL	6-2	319	S-SR	TR	Moultrie, Ga. (Colquitt County/FAU)
3	Mazeo Bennett Jr.	WR	5-11	185	FR	HS	Greenville, S.C. (Greenville)
11	Davis Beville	QB	6-6	232	S-SR	TR	Greenville, S.C. (Greenville/Oklahoma)
30	Jace Blackshear	DB	5-9	180	R-SO	SQ	Hilton Head, S.C. (Hilton Head Christian Academy)
23	Djay Braswell	RB	6-0	210	SO	1L	Sandersville, Ga. (Washington County)
14	Jared Brown	WR	5-11	195	R-JR	TR	Lilburn, Ga. (Parkview/Coastal Carolina)
44	Maurice Brown II	TE	6-3	252	SO	1L	Upper Marlboro, Md. (C.H. Flowers)
73	Ryan Brubaker	OL	6-6	309	R-SO	SQ	Stevens, Pa. (Cocalico)
45	Colin Bryant	LB	6-3	231	R-JR	1L	Mt. Pleasant, S.C. (Wando/Alabama)
13	David Bucey	DB	6-1	204	FR	HS	Savannah, Ga. (Savannah Christian)
35	Jackson Burger	DB	6-2	190	FR	HS	Fort Mill, S.C. (Catawba Ridge)
43	Joseph Byrnes	DB	5-11	195	R-JR	SQ	Camden, S.C. (Camden)
82	Elijah Caldwell	WR	6-0	199	R-FR	SQ	Rock Hill, S.C. (Northwestern)
15	Dalevon Campbell	WR	6-4	220	S-SR	TR	Missouri City, Texas (Fort Bend Marshall/Nevada)
28	Andrew Colasurdo	LB	6-1	235	R-JR	1L	Inman, S.C. (Chapman)
20	Judge Collier	DB	6-1	201	SO	1L	York County, S.C. (Legion Collegiate Academy)
18	Connor Cox	TE	6-6	251	SO	1L	Jacksonville, Fla. (The Bolles School)
11	Elijah Davis	EDGE	6-3	256	SR	1L	Wagener, S.C. (Wagener-Salley/East Mississippi C.C.)
9	Luke Doty	ATH	6-1	218	R-SR	3L	Myrtle Beach, S.C. (Myrtle Beach)
32	Bradley Dunn	RB	5-8	210	R-SR	1L	Columbia, S.C. (Hammond School)
55	Gilber Edmond	EDGE	6-4	255	R-SR	TR	Fort Pierce, Fla. (Westwood/Florida State)
84	Nick Elksnis	TE	6-6	255	R-JR	1L	Jacksonville, Fla. (Episcopal/Florida)
7	Nick Emmanwori	DB	6-3	227	JR	2L	Irmo, S.C. (Irmo)
8	Emory Floyd	DB	6-1	195	R-SO	1L	Marietta, Ga. (Hillgrove)
27	King-Demenian Ford	DB	6-1	219	R-SR	2L	Blythewood, S.C. (Blythewood)
3	O'Donnell Fortune	DB	6-1	185	R-SR	3L	Sumter, S.C. (Sumter)
25	Jimmy Francis	QB	5-11	195	FR	HS	Dallas, Texas (St. Mark's School of Texas)
49	Jordan Franke	LS	5-10	193	R-FR	SQ	Verona, Wis. (Verona)
71	Blake Franks	OL	6-6	337	FR	HS	Greenville, S.C. (Greenville)
28	Matthew Fuller	RB	5-11	225	FR	HS	Jesup, Ga. (Wayne County)
17	Debron Gatling	WR	5-11	195	FR	HS	Alpharetta, Ga. (Milton)
12	Jatius Geer	EDGE	6-4	256	R-JR	1L	Anderson, S.C. (Belton-Honea Path/Syracuse)
44	Monkell Goodwine	DT	6-3	311	R-JR	TR	Upper Marlboro, Md. (Rock Creek Christian/Alabama)
10	Wendell Gregory	LB	6-3	245	FR	HS	Marietta, Ga. (Walton)
8	Nyck Harbor	WR	6-5	235	SO	1L	Washington, D.C. (Archbishop Carroll)
26	Nathan Harris-Waynick	RB	5-10	205	R-JR	SQ	Sumter, S.C. (Sumter)
91	Tonka Hemingway	DT	6-3	288	S-SR	4L	Conway, S.C. (Conway)
75	Cason Henry	OL	6-6	310	R-SO	SQ	Marietta, Ga. (Walton)
40	Alex Herrera	PK	6-0	198	S-SR	2L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
22	Jawarn Howell	RB	6-1	217	SO	TR	Mooresville, N.C. (Mooresville/South Carolina State)
87	Brady Hunt	TE	6-5	253	R-JR	TR	Muncie, Ind. (Delta/Ball State)
21	Kelvin Hunter	DB	6-0	202	FR	HS	Florence, S.C. (West Florence)
95	Alex Huntley	DT	6-4	303	R-SR	3L	Blythewood, S.C. (Hammond School)
19	Vandrevius Jacobs	WR	6-0	195	R-FR	TR	Fort Pierce, Fla. (Vero Beach/FSU)
15	Fred "JayR" Johnson	LB	6-4	240	FR	HS	Norfolk, Va. (Maury)
45	William Joyce	PK	6-3	217	R-JR	SQ	Spartanburg, S.C. (Spartanburg)
99	DeAndre Jules	DT	6-4	315	S-SR	TR	Germantown, Md. (Northwest/Pitt)
32	Mohamed Kaba	LB	6-3	241	R-SR	2L	Clinton, N.C. (Clinton)
5	Kyle Kennard	EDGE	6-5	254	S-SR	TR	Atlanta, Ga. (Riverwood/Georgia Tech)
59	Chase Kibble	DT	6-5	285	FR	HS	Leesburg, Va. (Loudoun County)

No.	Name	POS.	HT	WT	CL	EXP	Hometown (High/Last School)
23	Gerald Kilgore	DB	6-0	216	R-SO	TR	Eatonton, Ga. (Putnam County/Tennessee Tech)
24	Jalon Kilgore	DB	6-2	219	SO	1L	Eatonton, Ga. (Putnam County)
17	Demetrius Knight Jr.	LB	6-2	243	S-SR	TR	Locust Grove, Ga. (Strong Rock Christian/Charlotte)
39	Kai Kroeger	P	6-4	213	S-SR	4L	Lake Forest, Ill. (Lake Forest)
36	Landon Kurtz	DB	6-1	195	FR	HS	Fort Mill, S.C. (Fort Mill)
7	Gage Larvadain	WR	5-9	180	SR	TR	Donaldsonville, La. (Riverside Academy/Miami (OH))
63	Parker Lawson	OL	6-4	300	SO	HS	Lexington, S.C. (Lexington)
53	Vershon Lee	OL	6-4	314	R-SR	3L	Woodbridge, Va. (Freedom)
42	Daniel Lester	PK	6-1	220	R-SO	SQ	Land O' Lakes, Fla. (Sunlake)
83	Emazon Littlejohn	WR	6-0	188	FR	HS	Gaffney, S.C. (Gaffney)
24	Mason Love	PK/P	6-0	192	FR	HS	Riverside, Mo. (Park Hill South)
33	Buddy Mack III	DB	6-1	210	R-SR	TR	Greer, S.C. (Byrnes/Pitt)
13	Payton Mangrum	WR	5-11	201	R-SR	3L	Greenville, S.C. (Eastside)
61	Ni Mansell	OL	6-3	300	R-SR	SQ	Anderson, S.C. (Westside/Mercer)
22	Bam Martin-Scott	LB	6-2	241	S-SR	2L	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Snider/Dodge City C.C.)
26	Isaiah McClary	DB	6-1	170	FR	HS	Irmo, S.C. (Irmo)
35	Chase McCracken	RB	5-11	210	R-SO	SQ	Hilton Head, S.C. (Hilton Head Island)
0	Juju McDowell	RB	5-9	184	SR	3L	Bainbridge, Ga. (Lee County)
86	Reid Mikeska	TE	6-5	254	R-FR	SQ	Cypress, Texas (Bridgeland)
55	Jakai Moore	OL	6-6	306	S-SR	4L	Nokesville, Va. (Patriot)
81	Aaron Morton	WR	5-8	180	R-JR	SQ	Cincinnati, Ohio (Loveland)
60	Aaryn Parks	OL	6-5	303	R-SR	TR	Seat Pleasant, Md. (National Christian Academy/Oklahoma)
49	Rondarius Porter	DT	6-2	280	R-SO	TR	Columbia, S.C. (Heathwood Hall/Lenoir-Rhyne)
41	Ronnie Porter	LB	6-1	244	R-JR	1L	Columbia, S.C. (Heathwood Hall)
54	Kam Pringle	OL	6-8	345	FR	HS	Dorchester, S.C. (Woodland)
46	Cole Rasmussen	LS	6-0	213	R-SR	SQ	Fort Mill, S.C. (Fort Mill/Charleston So.)
70	Jake Recker	OL	6-5	300	FR	HS	Indian Land, S.C. (Indian Land)
10	Dante Reno	QB	6-2	214	FR	HS	Boston, Mass. (Cheshire Academy)
12	Eriq Rice	WR	6-1	202	R-JR	SQ	Columbia, S.C. (A.C. Flora)
34	Jamian Risher Jr.	LB	6-1	225	R-SO	1L	Varnville, S.C. (Wade Hampton)
36	Hunter Rogers	LS	6-1	206	R-SR	3L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
21	Tyshawn Russell	WR	5-11	195	SO	1L	Harrisburg, Pa. (Bishop McDevitt)
31	Neil Salvage III	RB	5-9	195	FR	HS	Waxhaw, N.C. (Charlotte Latin)
5	Raheim Sanders	RB	6-0	230	SR	TR	Rockledge, Fla. (Rockledge/Arkansas)
90	T.J. Sanders	DT	6-4	290	R-JR	2L	Marion, S.C. (Marion)
25	Zahbari Sandy	DB	6-2	204	R-FR	SQ	Washington, D.C. (St. John's College)
39	Larry Scott	RB	5-11	224	R-JR	HS	Port Wentworth, Ga. (South Effingham)
16	LaNorris Sellers	QB	6-3	242	R-FR	SQ	Florence, S.C. (South Florence)
50	Jatavius Shivers	OL	6-7	320	R-FR	SQ	Villa Rica, Ga. (Villa Rica)
6	Joshua Simon	TE	6-4	259	S-SR	1L	Dalzell, S.C. (Crestwood/Western Kentucky)
76	Torrucelli Simpkins III	OL	6-5	319	R-SR	TR	Charlotte, N.C. (Olympic/North Carolina Central)
1	DQ Smith	DB	6-1	215	JR	2L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
20	Michael Smith	TE	6-6	255	FR	HS	Savannah, Ga. (Calvary Day School)
16	Jalewis Solomon	DB	6-1	195	FR	HS	Ellaville, Ga. (Schley County)
29	David Spaulding	DB	6-1	197	S-SR	3L	Riceboro, Ga. (Bradwell Institute/Georgia Southern)
6	Dylan Stewart	EDGE	6-6	248	FR	HS	Washington, D.C. (Friendship Academy)
4	Vicari Swain	DB	6-1	190	R-FR	SQ	Carrrollton, Ga. (Central)
67	Chase Sweigart	OL	6-6	305	R-SO	SQ	Chapin, S.C. (Chapin)
46	Bryan Thomas Jr.	EDGE	6-2	247	JR	2L	Windermere, Fla. (Foundation Academy)
74	Josiah Thompson	OL	6-7	300	FR	HS	Dillon, S.C. (Dillon)
9	Desmond Umeozulu	EDGE	6-6	258	SO	1L	Upper Marlboro, Md. (C.H. Flowers)
68	Campbell Vandiver	OL	6-8	300	R-FR	SQ	Brentwood, Tenn. (Lipscomb Academy)
80	Lukas Vozeh	TE	6-3	247	R-FR	SQ	Franklin Lakes, N.J. (IMG Academy)
66	Mac Walters	OL	6-6	307	R-SO	1L	Myrtle Beach, S.C. (Myrtle Beach)
54	Jamaal Whyce	DT	6-4	299	R-SO	1L	Miami, Fla. (Florida Christian)
0	Debo Williams	LB	6-1	232	R-SR	3L	Smyrna, Del. (Smyrna/Delaware)
31	Peyton Williams	DB	6-0	200	R-SO	SQ	Heath, Texas (Rockwall-Heath)
14	Jaron Willis	LB	6-2	235	R-SO	1L	Albany, Ga. (Lee County/Ole Miss)
29	Gunnar Yocum	LS	6-0	200	FR	HS	Huger, S.C. (Phillip Simmons)

NUMERICAL ROSTER



No.	Name	POS.	HT	WT	CL	EXP	Hometown (High/Last School)
0	Debo Williams	LB	6-1	232	R-SR	3L	Smyrna, Del. (Smyrna/Delaware)
0	Juju McDowell	RB	5-9	184	SR	3L	Bainbridge, Ga. (Lee County)
1	Robby Ashford	QB	6-2	229	R-SR	TR	Hoover, Ala. (Hoover/Auburn)
1	DQ Smith	DB	6-1	215	JR	2L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
3	O'Donnell Fortune	DB	6-1	185	R-SR	3L	Sumter, S.C. (Sumter)
3	Mazeo Bennett Jr.	WR	5-11	185	FR	HS	Greenville, S.C. (Greenville)
4	Vicari Swain	DB	6-1	190	R-FR	SQ	Carrollton, Ga. (Central)
5	Raheim Sanders	RB	6-0	230	SR	TR	Rockledge, Fla. (Rockledge/Arkansas)
5	Kyle Kennard	EDGE	6-5	254	S-SR	TR	Atlanta, Ga. (Riverwood/Georgia Tech)
6	Joshua Simon	TE	6-4	259	S-SR	1L	Dalzell, S.C. (Crestwood/ Western Kentucky)
6	Dylan Stewart	EDGE	6-6	248	FR	HS	Washington, D.C. (Friendship Academy)
7	Gage Larvadain	WR	5-9	180	SR	TR	Donaldsonville, La. (Riverside Academy/Miami (OH))
7	Nick Emmanwori	DB	6-3	227	JR	2L	Irmo, S.C. (Irmo)
8	Emory Floyd	DB	6-1	195	R-SO	1L	Marietta, Ga. (Hillgrove)
8	Nyck Harbor	WR	6-5	235	SO	1L	Washington, D.C. (Archbishop Carroll)
9	Luke Doty	ATH	6-1	218	R-SR	3L	Myrtle Beach, S.C. (Myrtle Beach)
9	Desmond Umeozulu	EDGE	6-6	258	SO	1L	Upper Marlboro, Md. (C.H. Flowers)
10	Dante Reno	QB	6-2	214	FR	HS	Boston, Mass. (Cheshire Academy)
10	Wendell Gregory	LB	6-3	245	FR	HS	Marietta, Ga. (Walton)
11	Elijah Davis	EDGE	6-3	256	SR	1L	Wagener, S.C. (Wagener-Salley/ East Mississippi C.C.)
11	Davis Beville	QB	6-6	232	S-SR	TR	Greenville, S.C. (Greenville/ Oklahoma)
12	Jatius Geer	EDGE	6-4	256	R-JR	1L	Anderson, S.C. (Belton-Honea Path/ Syracuse)
12	Eriq Rice	WR	6-1	202	R-JR	SQ	Columbia, S.C. (A.C. Flora)
13	Payton Mangrum	WR	5-11	201	R-SR	3L	Greenville, S.C. (Eastside)
13	David Bucey	DB	6-1	204	FR	HS	Savannah, Ga. (Savannah Christian)
14	Jared Brown	WR	5-11	195	R-JR	TR	Liburn, Ga. (Parkview/Coastal Carolina)
14	Jaron Willis	LB	6-2	235	R-SO	1L	Albany, Ga. (Lee County/Ole Miss)
15	Dalevon Campbell	WR	6-4	220	S-SR	TR	Missouri City, Texas (Fort Bend Marshall/Nevada)
15	Fred "JayR" Johnson	LB	6-4	240	FR	HS	Norfolk, Va. (Maury)
16	LaNorris Sellers	QB	6-3	242	R-FR	SQ	Florence, S.C. (South Florence)
16	Jalewis Solomon	DB	6-1	195	FR	HS	Ellaville, Ga. (Schley County)
17	Demetrius Knight Jr.	LB	6-2	243	S-SR	TR	Locust Grove, Ga. (Strong Rock Christian/Charlotte)
17	Debron Gatling	WR	5-11	195	FR	HS	Alpharetta, Ga. (Milton)
18	Connor Cox	TE	6-6	251	SO	1L	Jacksonville, Fla. (The Bolles School)
19	Vandrevius Jacobs	WR	6-0	195	R-FR	TR	Fort Pierce, Fla. (Vero Beach/FSU)
20	Judge Collier	DB	6-1	201	SO	1L	York County, S.C. (Legion Collegiate Academy)
20	Michael Smith	TE	6-6	255	FR	HS	Savannah, Ga. (Calvary Day School)
21	Tyshawn Russell	WR	5-11	195	SO	1L	Harrisburg, Pa. (Bishop McDevitt)
21	Kelvin Hunter	DB	6-0	202	FR	HS	Florence, S.C. (West Florence)
22	Bam Martin-Scott	LB	6-2	241	S-SR	2L	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Snider/ Dodge City C.C.)
22	Jawarn Howell	RB	6-1	217	SO	TR	Mooresville, N.C. (Mooresville/ South Carolina State)
23	Gerald Kilgore	DB	6-0	216	R-SO	TR	Eatonton, Ga. (Putnam County/ Tennessee Tech)
23	Djay Braswell	RB	6-0	210	SO	1L	Sandersville, Ga. (Washington County)
24	Jalon Kilgore	DB	6-2	219	SO	1L	Eatonton, Ga. (Putnam County)
24	Mason Love	PK/P	6-0	192	FR	HS	Riverside, Mo. (Park Hill South)
25	Zahbari Sandy	DB	6-2	204	R-FR	SQ	Washington, D.C. (St. John's College)
25	Jimmy Francis	QB	5-11	195	FR	HS	Dallas, Texas (St. Mark's School of Texas)
26	Nathan Harris-Waynick	RB	5-10	205	R-JR	SQ	Sumter, S.C. (Sumter)
26	Isaiah McClary	DB	6-1	170	FR	HS	Irmo, S.C. (Irmo)
27	Oscar Adaway III	RB	6-0	223	S-SR	TR	North Little Rock, Ark. (North Little Rock/North Texas)
27	King-Demenian Ford	DB	6-1	219	R-SR	2L	Blythewood, S.C. (Blythewood)
28	Matthew Fuller	RB	5-11	225	FR	HS	Jesup, Ga. (Wayne County)
28	Andrew Colasurdo	LB	6-1	235	R-JR	1L	Inman, S.C. (Chapman)
29	David Spaulding	DB	6-1	197	S-SR	3L	Riceboro, Ga. (Bradwell Institute/ Georgia Southern)
29	Gunnar Yocum	LS	6-0	200	FR	HS	Huger, S.C. (Phillip Simmons)

No.	Name	POS.	HT	WT	CL	EXP	Hometown (High/Last School)
30	Jace Blackshear	DB	5-9	180	R-SO	SQ	Hilton Head, S.C. (Hilton Head Christian Academy)
31	Peyton Williams	DB	6-0	200	R-SO	SQ	Heath, Texas (Rockwall-Heath)
31	Neil Salvage III	RB	5-9	195	FR	HS	Waxhaw, N.C. (Charlotte Latin)
32	Mohamed Kaba	LB	6-3	241	R-SR	2L	Clinton, N.C. (Clinton)
32	Bradley Dunn	RB	5-8	210	R-SR	1L	Columbia, S.C. (Hammond School)
33	Buddy Mack III	DB	6-1	210	R-SR	TR	Greer, S.C. (Byrnes/Pitt)
34	Jamian Risher Jr.	LB	6-1	225	R-SO	1L	Varnville, S.C. (Wade Hampton)
35	Chase McCracken	RB	5-11	210	R-SO	SQ	Hilton Head, S.C. (Hilton Head Island)
35	Jackson Burger	DB	6-2	190	FR	HS	Fort Mill, S.C. (Catawba Ridge)
36	Hunter Rogers	LS	6-1	206	R-SR	3L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
36	Landon Kurtz	DB	6-1	195	FR	HS	Fort Mill, S.C. (Fort Mill)
39	Kai Kroeger	P	6-4	213	S-SR	4L	Lake Forest, Ill. (Lake Forest)
39	Larry Scott	RB	5-11	224	R-JR	HS	Port Wentworth, Ga. (South Effingham)
40	Alex Herrera	PK	6-0	198	S-SR	2L	Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)
41	Ronnie Porter	LB	6-1	244	R-JR	1L	Columbia, S.C. (Heathwood Hall)
42	Daniel Lester	PK	6-1	220	R-SO	SQ	Land O' Lakes, Fla. (Sunlake)
43	Joseph Byrnes	DB	5-11	195	R-JR	SQ	Camden, S.C. (Camden)
44	Monkell Goodwine	DT	6-3	311	R-JR	TR	Upper Marlboro, Md. (Rock Creek Christian/Alabama)
44	Maurice Brown II	TE	6-3	252	SO	1L	Upper Marlboro, Md. (C.H. Flowers)
45	Colin Bryant	LB	6-3	231	R-JR	1L	Mt. Pleasant, S.C. (Wando/Alabama)
45	William Joyce	PK	6-3	217	R-JR	SQ	Spartanburg, S.C. (Spartanburg)
46	Cole Rasmussen	LS	6-0	213	R-SR	SQ	Fort Mill, S.C. (Fort Mill/Charleston So.)
46	Bryan Thomas Jr.	EDGE	6-2	247	JR	2L	Windermere, Fla. (Foundation Academy)
48	Peyton Argent	PK	6-0	218	R-FR	SQ	Hoover, Ala. (Hoover)
49	Jordan Franke	LS	5-10	193	R-FR	SQ	Verona, Wis. (Verona)
49	Rondarius Porter	DT	6-2	280	R-SO	TR	Columbia, S.C. (Heathwood Hall/ Lenoir-Rhyne)
50	Jatavius Shivers	OL	6-7	320	R-FR	SQ	Villa Rica, Ga. (Villa Rica)
51	Tree Babalade	OL	6-6	338	SO	1L	Hyattsville, Md. (DeMatha Catholic)
52	Kamaar Bell	OL	6-2	319	S-SR	TR	Moultrie, Ga. (Colquitt County/FAU)
53	Vershon Lee	OL	6-4	314	R-SR	3L	Woodbridge, Va. (Freedom)
54	Jamaal Whyce	DT	6-4	299	R-SO	1L	Miami, Fla. (Florida Christian)
54	Kam Pringle	OL	6-8	345	FR	HS	Dorchester, S.C. (Woodland)
55	Jakai Moore	OL	6-6	306	S-SR	4L	Nokesville, Va. (Patriot)
55	Gilber Edmond	EDGE	6-4	255	R-SR	TR	Fort Pierce, Fla. (Westwood/ Florida State)
58	Markee Anderson	OL	6-4	327	R-FR	SQ	Roebuck, S.C. (Dorman)
59	Chase Kibble	DT	6-5	285	FR	HS	Leesburg, Va. (Loudoun County)
60	Aaryn Parks	OL	6-5	303	R-SR	TR	Seat Pleasant, Md. (National Christian Academy/Oklahoma)
61	Ni Mansell	OL	6-3	300	R-SR	SQ	Anderson, S.C. (Westside/Mercer)
63	Parker Lawson	OL	6-4	300	SO	HS	Lexington, S.C. (Lexington)
66	Mac Walters	OL	6-6	307	R-SO	1L	Myrtle Beach, S.C. (Myrtle Beach)
67	Chase Swigart	OL	6-6	305	R-SO	SQ	Chapin, S.C. (Chapin)
68	Campbell Vandiver	OL	6-8	300	R-FR	SQ	Brentwood, Tenn. (Lipscomb Academy)
70	Jake Recker	OL	6-5	300	FR	HS	Indian Land, S.C. (Indian Land)
71	Blake Franks	OL	6-6	337	FR	HS	Greenville, S.C. (Greenville)
73	Ryan Brubaker	OL	6-6	309	R-SO	SQ	Stevens, Pa. (Cocalico)
74	Josiah Thompson	OL	6-7	300	FR	HS	Dillon, S.C. (Dillon)
75	Cason Henry	OL	6-6	310	R-SO	SQ	Marietta, Ga. (Walton)
76	Torricelli Simpkins III	OL	6-5	319	R-SR	TR	Charlotte, N.C. (Olympic/ North Carolina Central)
78	Trovon Baugh	OL	6-4	337	SO	1L	Atlanta, Ga. (Pace Academy)
80	Lukas Vozech	TE	6-3	247	R-FR	SQ	Franklin Lakes, N.J. (IMG Academy)
81	Aaron Morton	WR	5-8	180	R-JR	SQ	Cincinnati, Ohio (Loveland)
82	Elijah Caldwell	WR	6-0	199	R-FR	SQ	Rock Hill, S.C. (Northwestern)
83	Emazon Littlejohn	WR	6-0	188	FR	HS	Gaffney, S.C. (Gaffney)
84	Nick Elksnis	TE	6-6	255	R-JR	1L	Jacksonville, Fla. (Episcopal/Florida)
85	CJ Adams	WR	6-2	215	R-FR	SQ	Mableton, Ga. (Pebblebrook)
86	Reid Mikeska	TE	6-5	254	R-FR	SQ	Cypress, Texas (Bridgeland)
87	Brady Hunt	TE	6-5	253	R-JR	TR	Muncie, Ind. (Delta/Ball State)
90	T.J. Sanders	DT	6-4	290	R-JR	2L	Marion, S.C. (Marion)
91	Tonka Hemingway	DT	6-3	288	S-SR	4L	Conway, S.C. (Conway)
93	Nick Barrett	DT	6-2	309	SR	3L	Goldsboro, N.C. (Eastern Wayne)
95	Alex Huntley	DT	6-4	303	R-SR	3L	Blythewood, S.C. (Hammond School)
99	DeAndre Jules	DT	6-4	315	S-SR	TR	Germantown, Md. (Northwest/Pitt)



Offense

Table of offensive players including WR, LT, LG, OC, RG, RT, TE, QB, and RB with their jersey numbers, names, heights, weights, positions, and hometowns.

Defense

Table of defensive players including EDGE, DT, DL, NICK, CB, FS, and SS with their jersey numbers, names, heights, weights, positions, and hometowns.


Pronunciation Guide

Pronunciation guide table listing player names and their correct pronunciations.

Specialists

Table of specialist players including PK, KOS, P, LS, H, KOR, and PR with their jersey numbers, names, heights, weights, positions, and hometowns.





**SHANE
BEAMER**
HEAD COACH
(VIRGINIA TECH, 1999)
FOURTH YEAR AT SOUTH CAROLINA

The Beamer File

Born:	March 31, 1977
Hometown:	Blacksburg, Va.
Wife:	Emily
Children:	Sutton, Olivia and Hunter

Shane Beamer is in his fourth season leading the South Carolina program in 2024. He was named the Gamecocks' 36th head football coach on Dec. 6, 2020. Coach Beamer logged a 20-18 mark through his first three seasons in Columbia. During his tenure he has posted victories over three coaches who have won national championships – Jimbo Fisher, Dabo Swinney and Mack Brown.

Beamer had a successful first season in Columbia, improving the Gamecocks by 3.5 games, from a 2-8 mark in 2020 to a 7-6 campaign in 2021, including a convincing win over North Carolina in the Duke's Mayo Bowl. He tied the school record for wins by a first-year head coach, doubled the preseason's expected win total and surpassed the win total of the two previous seasons combined, earning him a share of the Steve Spurrier First-Year Coach of the Year Award, presented by the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA). Safety Jaylan Foster earned All-America honors and three players were selected in the NFL Draft following his inaugural season.

In 2022, the team again exceeded expectations by recording eight wins, including three wins over ranked opponents. The Gamecocks won eight games for just the 15th time in 129 seasons and for the first time since 2017. The Gamecocks were ranked 23rd in the country in the final AP and USA Today Coaches' polls. It marked the first time since 2013 that the Gamecocks finished the season ranked in the top-25 and the 10th time Carolina has finished the season ranked in the final AP poll. The Gamecocks defeated No. 5 Tennessee and No. 7 Clemson in the final two games of the regular season, the first time Carolina has posted back-to-back wins over top-10 teams and just the seventh time in history that a school has defeated AP Top-10 opponents in consecutive weeks as an unranked team, the first since 2003. Punter Kai Kroeger earned All-America honors, leading a special teams unit ranked No. 1 in the country. Five players were selected in the NFL Draft off that squad, the most since 2013.

Challenged by one of the toughest schedules in the FBS, the 2023 Gamecocks finished the campaign with a 5-7 mark, including a 3-5 ledger in the SEC. The squad was led all season by senior quarterback Spencer Rattler and senior wide receiver Xavier Legette. Rattler set the school's single-season record for completions (275) and completion percentage (68.9), while his 3,186 passing yards was the third-highest total in school history. Legette, a semifinalist for the Biletnikoff Award, led the team with 71 receptions for 1,255 yards and seven receiving touchdowns. His 1,255 receiving yards was the second-highest single-season mark in school history.

Prior to his first head coaching stint, Beamer had been an assistant coach at seven Football Bowl Subdivision schools for 21 seasons. During his career as an assistant, he coached in 17 bowl games, including a College Football Playoff National Championship Game, posted 18 non-losing seasons, six of those with double-digit victories, and his teams won 63 percent of its games. He has coached all three phases of the game – offense, defense and special teams.

Beamer is not new to Carolina. The Charleston, S.C. native, served as an assistant coach with the Gamecocks for four seasons from 2007-10 under head coach Steve Spurrier. In 2007, he served as the outside linebackers coach and co-special teams coordinator. He mentored the cornerbacks in 2008, then coached the Spurs and strong safeties and was the special teams coordinator and recruiting coordinator in 2009 and 2010, setting the foundation for the most successful run in school history.

In 2009 at South Carolina, Beamer was nominated for the Frank Broyles Award. His special teams' units recorded five blocked kicks, tying for the SEC lead and for the eighth-highest total in the nation. He also helped coach a defensive unit that ranked third in the SEC and 15th in the country in total defense, and second in the league and eighth in the country in passing defense.

As the Gamecocks' recruiting coordinator, his 2009 class was ranked 12th-best in the country, and the 2010 and 2011 classes were ranked in the Top 25.

During his tenure as recruiting coordinator, nine Gamecocks were selected in the NFL Draft, including first round selection Stephen Gilmore (Buffalo) and second round picks Alshon Jeffery (Chicago) and D.J. Swearinger (Houston).

The Gamecocks all-time winningest quarterback, Connor Shaw, and rushing touchdown leader, Marcus Lattimore, were also in the 2010 class.

Beamer has been a part of building programs throughout his career. He has been on three coaching staffs where the head coach was in his first or second season at the school. He joined Sylvester Croom's staff at Mississippi State in his first season, Kirby Smart's program at Georgia in his first season, and Lincoln Riley's unit at Oklahoma in his second season.

Beamer came to Carolina from Oklahoma, where he served as the assistant head coach for offense and mentored the tight ends and H-backs for three highly-successful seasons. In 2020, Oklahoma ranked sixth in the country in scoring (43.0), 11th in total offense (494.7) and 14th in passing offense (315.0). In 2019, the Sooners led the nation in yards per play (8.0) and ranked third in total offense (537.6) and fourth in passing efficiency rating (187.0). Oklahoma led the nation in total offense (570.3), scoring offense (48.4) and yards per play (FBS-record 8.6), and ranked second in passing efficiency rating (194.9) in 2018.

Prior to his arrival in Norman, Beamer spent two seasons on the staff at Georgia as tight ends coach and special teams coordinator under Kirby Smart. The Bulldogs posted a 21-7 combined record with Beamer on staff. In 2017, the Bulldogs won the SEC Championship and finished second in the nation, falling in the CFP title game to Alabama in overtime. His special teams ranked eighth nationally in net punting (41.7), and 20th in kickoff returns (23.5) while blocking four kicks.

The son of Hall of Fame coach, Frank Beamer, he worked with his father as the associate head coach and running backs coach at Virginia Tech from 2011-15. In his first year, he coached David Wilson, who broke the Tech single-season rushing record and was named All-American and ACC Player of the Year and went on to become a first-round NFL draft selection by the New York Giants. Shane served as the Hokies' acting head coach in the 2014 Military Bowl win while his father watched from the press box following throat surgery.

Beamer's first full-time coaching position was at Mississippi State, joining the Bulldogs in 2004 as cornerbacks coach and recruiting coordinator. In his first two seasons at State, he guided three defensive backs to SEC All-Freshman Team accolades. He maintained the recruiting coordinator title but made the move to running backs coach in the spring of 2006 where he tutored running back Anthony Dixon to SEC All-Freshman honors.

Beamer spent three seasons (2001-03) as a graduate assistant at Tennessee, helping with the cornerbacks and assisting in all special teams areas. He also oversaw game opponent scouting while earning a master's degree in sport management in December 2003.

Before joining the staff at UT, he worked one season (2000) as a graduate assistant at Georgia Tech, helping with the Yellow Jacket quarterbacks and wide receivers.

A December 1999 graduate of Virginia Tech, Beamer was a member of five bowl teams (1995-99 seasons) and three Big East Conference championship squads on the Hokie football team as a long snapper and wide receiver. He was a long snapper on the 1999 Virginia Tech team that played for the BCS National Championship.

Beamer and his wife, Emily, are the parents of three children – two daughters, Sutton and Olivia, both born in Columbia, and a son, Hunter, born in Blacksburg, Va.



Beamer Through the Years

Year	School	Position	Record	Conf.	Head Coach	Bowl Game
1995	Virginia Tech	WR/Long Snapper	10-2	6-1	Frank Beamer	Sugar
1996	Virginia Tech	WR/Long Snapper	10-2	6-1	Frank Beamer	Orange
1997	Virginia Tech	WR/Long Snapper	7-5	5-2	Frank Beamer	Gator
1998	Virginia Tech	WR/Long Snapper	9-3	5-2	Frank Beamer	Music City
1999	Virginia Tech	WR/Long Snapper	11-1	7-0	Frank Beamer	Sugar
2000	Georgia Tech	Graduate Assistant	9-3	6-2	George O'Leary	Peach
2001	Tennessee	Graduate Assistant	11-2	7-1	Phillip Fulmer	Citrus
2002	Tennessee	Graduate Assistant	8-5	5-3	Phillip Fulmer	Peach
2003	Tennessee	Graduate Assistant	10-3	6-2	Phillip Fulmer	Peach
2004	Mississippi State	Cornerbacks/RC	3-8	2-6	Sylvester Croom	-
2005	Mississippi State	Cornerbacks/RC	3-8	1-7	Sylvester Croom	-
2006	Mississippi State	Running Backs/RC	3-9	1-7	Sylvester Croom	-
2007	South Carolina	OLB/Co-ST Coord.	6-6	3-5	Steve Spurrier	-
2008	South Carolina	Cornerbacks	7-6	4-4	Steve Spurrier	Outback
2009	South Carolina	Spurs/SS/STC/RC	7-6	3-5	Steve Spurrier	Papajohns.com
2010	South Carolina	Spurs/SS/STC/RC	9-5	5-3	Steve Spurrier	Chick-fil-A
2011	Virginia Tech	AHC/Running Backs	11-3	7-1	Frank Beamer	Sugar
2012	Virginia Tech	AHC/Running Backs	7-6	4-4	Frank Beamer	Russell Athletic
2013	Virginia Tech	AHC/Running Backs	8-5	5-3	Frank Beamer	Sun
2014	Virginia Tech	AHC/Running Backs	7-6	3-5	Frank Beamer	Military
2015	Virginia Tech	AHC/Running Backs	7-6	4-4	Frank Beamer	Independence
2016	Georgia	Tight Ends/STC	8-5	4-4	Kirby Smart	Liberty
2017	Georgia	Tight Ends/STC	13-2	7-1	Kirby Smart	Rose (CFP)/ CFP Championship
2018	Oklahoma	AHC/TE/H-Backs	12-2	8-1	Lincoln Riley	Orange (CFP)
2019	Oklahoma	AHC/TE/H-Backs	12-2	8-1	Lincoln Riley	Peach (CFP)
2020	Oklahoma	AHC/TE/H-Backs	9-2	6-2	Lincoln Riley	Cotton
2021	South Carolina	Head Coach	7-6	3-5	Shane Beamer	Duke's Mayo
2022	South Carolina	Head Coach	8-5	4-4	Shane Beamer	TaxSlayer Gator
2023	South Carolina	Head Coach	5-7	3-5	Shane Beamer	
2024	South Carolina	Head Coach	5-3	3-3	Shane Beamer	
TOTALS						
1995-99	Virginia Tech	Player	47-13	29-6		
2000	Georgia Tech	Graduate Assistant	9-3	6-2		
2001-03	Tennessee	Graduate Assistant	29-10	18-6		
2004-06	Mississippi State	Assistant Coach	9-25	4-20		
2007-10	South Carolina	Assistant Coach	29-23	15-17		
2011-15	Virginia Tech	Assistant Coach	40-26	23-17		
2016-17	Georgia	Assistant Coach	21-7	11-5		
2018-20	Oklahoma	Assistant Coach	33-6	22-4		
2021-24	South Carolina	Head Coach	25-21	13-17		
1995-99 TOTAL	Player		47-13	29-6		
2000-03 TOTAL	Graduate Assistant		38-13	24-8		
2004-20 TOTAL	Assistant Coach		132-87	75-63		
2021-24 TOTAL	Head Coach		25-21	13-17		
OVERALL			242-134	141-94		



Under Beamer

	2024	All
Overall	4-3	24-21
Home	3-2	18-8
Road	2-1	6-11
Neutral	0-0	1-2
August	1-0	1-0
September	2-1	9-8
October	1-2	5-8
November	1-0	9-4
December	0-0	1-1
January	0-0	0-0
Leading after 1st Quarter	5-1	19-6
Tied after 1st Quarter	0-0	2-1
Trailing after 1st Quarter	0-2	4-14
Leading at Halftime	4-1	20-3
Tied at Halftime	1-0	3-0
Trailing at Halftime	0-2	2-18
Leading after 3rd Quarter	4-2	18-2
Tied after 3rd Quarter	1-0	4-1
Trailing after 3rd Quarter	0-1	3-18
When Scoring First	5-1	21-5
When Opp. Scores First	0-2	4-16
Largest Halftime Lead	29	29
Largest Halftime Deficit	21	31
> Come From Behind Win	-	14
Score 20-plus Points	5-2	24-8
Score 30-plus Points	3-1	17-4
Opponents Score 20 or less	5-0	17-2
Decided by 3 or less	0-2	4-4
Decided by 7 or less	1-2	8-6
Decided by 8 or less	1-2	8-6
Decided by 10 or less	1-2	11-8
Rush for 100-plus Yards	3-3	18-6
Rush for 150-plus Yards	3-2	11-4
Pass for 200-plus Yards	2-1	17-11
Pass for 300-plus Yards	0-0	6-3
Total 400-plus Yards	2-0	15-2
Opp. Rush 100 yards or less	2-0	7-1
Opp. Pass 200 yards or less	3-0	14-7
Opp. Total 300 yards or less	3-0	9-0
Commit More Turnovers	0-3	3-15
Commit Fewer Turnovers	4-0	15-5
Commit Equal Turnovers	1-0	7-1
Lead in Time of Possession	3-2	16-6
Trail in Time of Possession	2-1	9-15
Games with a Def. Score	2-1	7-2
Games with a Blocked Kick	0-1	6-5

Beamer in Bowl Games

Year	School	Opponent	Bowl Game	Result
1995	Virginia Tech	Texas	Sugar	W, 28-10
1996	Virginia Tech	Nebraska	Orange	L, 21-41
1997	Virginia Tech	North Carolina	Gator	L, 3-42
1998	Virginia Tech	Alabama	Music City	W, 38-7
1999	Virginia Tech	Florida State	Sugar	L, 29-46
2000	Georgia Tech	LSU	Peach	L, 14-28
2001	Tennessee	Michigan	Citrus	W, 45-17
2002	Tennessee	Maryland	Peach	L, 3-30
2003	Tennessee	Clemson	Peach	L, 14-27
2008	South Carolina	Iowa	Outback	L, 10-31
2009	South Carolina	UConn	Papajohns.com	L, 7-20
2010	South Carolina	Florida State	Chick-fil-A	L, 17-26
2011	Virginia Tech	Michigan	Sugar	L, 20-23
2012	Virginia Tech	Rutgers	Russell Athletic	W, 13-10
2013	Virginia Tech	UCLA	Sun	L, 12-42
2014	Virginia Tech	Cincinnati	Military	W, 33-17
2015	Virginia Tech	Tulsa	Independence	W, 55-52
2016	Georgia	TCU	Liberty	W, 31-23
2017	Georgia	Oklahoma	Rose (CFP)	W, 54-48
		Alabama	CFP Championship	L, 23-26
2018	Oklahoma	Alabama	Orange (CFP)	L, 34-45
2019	Oklahoma	LSU	Peach (CFP)	L, 28-63
2021	South Carolina	North Carolina	Duke's Mayo	W, 38-21
2022	South Carolina	Notre Dame	TaxSlayer Gator	L, 38-45





Beamer vs. All Opponents

Akron.....	1-0	LSU.....	0-1
Alabama.....	0-1	Mississippi.....	0-1
Arkansas.....	0-1	Mississippi State.....	1-0
Auburn.....	1-0	Missouri.....	0-3
Charlotte.....	1-0	North Carolina.....	1-1
Clemson.....	1-2	Notre Dame.....	0-1
East Carolina.....	1-0	Oklahoma.....	1-0
Eastern Illinois.....	1-0	Old Dominion.....	1-0
Florida.....	1-2	South Carolina State.....	1-0
Furman.....	1-0	Tennessee.....	1-2
Georgia.....	0-3	Texas A&M.....	2-2
Georgia State.....	1-0	Troy.....	1-0
Jacksonville State.....	1-0	Vanderbilt.....	3-0
Kentucky.....	3-1	TOTALS.....	25-21

Beamer vs. the SEC

Alabama.....	0-1	Mississippi State.....	1-0
Arkansas.....	0-1	Missouri.....	0-3
Auburn.....	1-0	Oklahoma.....	1-0
Florida.....	1-2	Tennessee.....	1-2
Georgia.....	0-3	Texas.....	0-0
Kentucky.....	3-1	Texas A&M.....	2-2
LSU.....	0-1	Vanderbilt.....	3-0
Mississippi.....	0-1	TOTALS.....	13-17



Gamecock Single-Game Superlatives Under Beamer

Most Points Scored

1.	63	Tennessee.....	11/19/22
2.	56	vs Charlotte.....	09/24/22
3.	50	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
	50	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
5.	47	vs Furman.....	09/09/23
	47	vs Vanderbilt.....	11/11/23

Fewest Points Allowed

1.	0	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
2.	6	at Kentucky.....	09/07/24
3.	7	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
4.	9	at Oklahoma.....	10/19/24
5.	10	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22

Most First Downs

1.	35	vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22
2.	28	vs Charlotte.....	09/24/22
3.	27	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
	27	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
5.	26	vs Texas A&M.....	11/02/24

Fewest First Downs Allowed

1.	9	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
	9	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
3.	12	at East Carolina.....	09/11/21
4.	13	vs Florida.....	11/06/21
	13	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
	13	at Kentucky.....	09/07/24

Most Rushing Attempts

1.	56	vs Old Dominion.....	08/31/24
2.	53	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
3.	51	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
4.	47	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
	47	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23

Opp. Fewest Rushing Attempts

1.	21	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
2.	22	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
3.	23	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
4.	26	vs Florida.....	11/06/21
5.	27	vs Kentucky.....	11/18/23

Most Rushing Yards

1.	301	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
2.	295	vs Charlotte.....	09/24/22
3.	286	vs Texas A&M.....	11/02/24
4.	284	vs Florida.....	11/06/21
5.	273	vs Akron.....	07/21/24

Fewest Rushing Yards Allowed

1.	31	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
2.	32	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
3.	37	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
4.	53	at Oklahoma.....	10/19/24
5.	71	vs Florida.....	10/14/23

Most Passes Attempted

1.	49	vs Notre Dame.....	12/30/22
2.	42	vs Clemson.....	11/27/21
	42	at Georgia.....	09/16/23
4.	40	at Missouri.....	10/21/23
5.	39	at Arkansas.....	09/10/22
	39	at Clemson.....	11/26/22
	39	vs North Carolina.....	09/02/23
	39	vs Jacksonville State.....	11/04/23

Opponents Fewest Pass Attempts

1.	17	at Kentucky.....	09/07/24
2.	18	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
3.	19	vs Clemson.....	11/27/21
4.	21	vs Vanderbilt.....	10/16/21
	21	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
	21	at Arkansas.....	09/10/22

Most Passes Completed

1.	32	vs Furman.....	09/09/23
2.	31	vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22
	31	vs Notre Dame.....	12/30/22
4.	30	vs North Carolina.....	09/02/23
5.	28	vs Vanderbilt.....	11/11/23

Opponents Fewest Passes Completed

1.	6	at Kentucky.....	09/07/24
2.	7	vs Georgia State.....	09/03/22
	7	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
4.	8	at Clemson.....	11/26/22
5.	9	vs Clemson.....	11/27/21

Most Passing Yards

1.	463	vs Furman.....	09/09/23
2.	453	vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22
3.	399	vs Jacksonville State.....	11/04/23
4.	377	at Arkansas.....	09/10/22
5.	360	at Clemson.....	11/26/22

Opponents Fewest Passing Yards

1.	44	at Kentucky.....	09/07/24
2.	75	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
3.	78	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
4.	99	vs Clemson.....	11/27/21
	99	at Clemson.....	11/26/22

Most Yards Total Offense

1.	606	vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22
2.	571	vs Furman.....	09/09/23
3.	549	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
4.	545	vs Charlotte.....	09/24/22
5.	543	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21

Opponents Fewest Yards Total Offense

1.	109	vs Eastern Illinois.....	09/04/21
2.	154	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
3.	183	at Kentucky.....	09/07/24
4.	220	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
5.	234	vs Vanderbilt.....	11/11/23

Best Punting Average (Min. 3 Punts)

1.	56.8	vs Vanderbilt.....	10/16/21
2.	53.7	at Clemson.....	11/26/22
3.	53.6	at Vanderbilt.....	11/05/22
4.	53.2	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
5.	51.8	vs Ole Miss.....	10/05/24

Most Time of Possession

1.	39:02	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21
2.	38:58	vs Tennessee.....	11/19/22
3.	36:18	vs Florida.....	11/06/21
4.	36:03	vs Akron.....	07/21/24
5.	35:46	vs Old Dominion.....	08/31/24

Longest Scoring Drive: By Yards

1.	99	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
2.	98	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
3.	95	vs South Carolina State.....	09/29/22
	95	vs Vanderbilt.....	11/11/23
5.	93	vs North Carolina.....	12/30/21

Longest Scoring Drive: By Time

1.	8:35	at Alabama.....	10/12/24
2.	7:50	at Missouri.....	11/13/21
3.	7:47	vs Old Dominion.....	08/31/24
4.	7:15	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
5.	7:03	at Tennessee.....	10/09/21

Longest Scoring Drive: By Plays

1.	16	vs Mississippi State.....	09/23/23
	16	vs Old Dominion.....	08/31/24
	16	at Alabama.....	10/12/24
4.	15	vs Troy.....	10/02/21
	15	at Tennessee.....	10/09/21



DOWELL LOGGAINS

**Offensive Coordinator/
Quarterback Coach**

- ◆ Second year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Spent the previous two years as the tight ends coach at Arkansas.
- ◆ Spent 16 years in the NFL (2005-2020) with six different organizations, primarily as a quarterbacks coach, including seven seasons as an offensive coordinator.
- ◆ Walked-on at Arkansas where he became a four-year letterwinner.



CLAYTON WHITE

**Defensive Coordinator/
Inside Linebackers Coach**

- ◆ Fourth year at South Carolina.
- ◆ A four-time nominee for the Broyles Award including 2021.
- ◆ Gamecocks have forced the most turnovers in the SEC over the past three seasons.
- ◆ Prior to his arrival in Columbia, most recently served as the DC at Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Played three seasons in the NFL.



SHAWN ELLIOTT

**Running Game Coordinator/
Tight Ends Coach**

- ◆ First year at Carolina, but in his second stint with the program.
- ◆ Spent the past seven seasons as the head coach at Georgia State, posting a 41-44 record with four bowl wins.
- ◆ Was on the Gamecocks' staff from 2010-16 under Steve Spurrier and Will Muschamp.



JOE DECAMILLIS

Special Teams Coordinator

- ◆ First year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Spent the 2023 season as a special assistant to Steve Sarkisian at Texas.
- ◆ Previously spent 34 years in the NFL, primarily coaching special teams.
- ◆ Won a pair of Super Bowls.
- ◆ Son-in-law of the late great Gamecock and NFL star player and head coach, Dan Reeves.



MARQUEL BLACKWELL

Running Backs Coach

- ◆ First year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Experienced in the SEC after spending the 2022 season at Ole Miss and 2023 at Texas A&M.
- ◆ Previously had stints at Western Kentucky, USF, Toledo, West Virginia and Houston.
- ◆ Was a four-year starter and three-year captain as a quarterback at USF and played professionally with the NY Jets.



TORRIAN GRAY

Defensive Backs Coach

- ◆ Fourth year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Has mentored Nick Emmanwori and Jalon Kilgore to Freshman All-America honors.
- ◆ Most recently worked as the cornerbacks coach at Florida.
- ◆ Boasts NFL coaching experience with Washington and Chicago.
- ◆ Coached at Virginia Tech, his alma mater, for 10 years following his NFL career.



MIKE FURREY

Wide Receivers Coach

- ◆ First year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Most recently served for two years as the head coach at Limestone University.
- ◆ Spent four years as the wide receivers coach for the Chicago Bears.
- ◆ Spent seven seasons in the NFL as a player for St. Louis, Detroit, and Cleveland.
- ◆ Graduated from Northern Iowa.



STERLING LUCAS

**Outside Linebackers/
Defensive Ends Coach**

- ◆ Third year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Orangeburg, S.C. native who joined the staff in January of '22.
- ◆ Spent 2021 as an assistant defensive line coach for the Jacksonville Jaguars.
- ◆ Spent five seasons (2016-20) with the Baltimore Ravens.
- ◆ Began his coaching career at his alma mater, NC State.



LONNIE TEASLEY

Offensive Line Coach

- ◆ Fourth year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Second year as the full-time offensive line coach.
- ◆ Served as the O-line coach in 2022 on an interim basis.
- ◆ Was an analyst on Shane Beamer's first staff at Carolina.
- ◆ Served as the offensive line coach at Tennessee Tech (2017), Arkansas-Pine Bluff (2018) and North Carolina Central (2019-20).



TRAVIAN ROBERTSON

Defensive Line Coach

- ◆ Second year at South Carolina.
- ◆ Spent the 2022 season at Tulane, helping the Green Wave to a 12-2 record.
- ◆ Prior to that, logged a three-year stint at Georgia State under Shawn Elliott.
- ◆ Lettered four years at South Carolina, serving as the team captain in 2011.
- ◆ Played four seasons in the NFL.



	SC	OPP
SCORING	244	151
Points Per Game	30.5	18.9
Points Off Turnovers	65	22
FIRST DOWNS	159	140
Rushing	77	56
Passing	66	71
Penalty	16	13
RUSHING YARDAGE	1412	857
Yards gained rushing	1728	1185
Yards lost rushing	316	328
Rushing Attempts	351	295
Average Per Rush	4.0	2.9
Average Per Game	176.5	107.1
TDs Rushing	16	11
PASSING YARDAGE	1546	1581
Comp-Att-Int	125-204-4	138-245-11
Average Per Pass	7.6	6.5
Average Per Catch	12.4	11.5
Average Per Game	193.3	197.6
TDs Passing	10	7
TOTAL OFFENSE	2958	2438
Total Plays	555	540
Average Per Play	5.3	4.5
Average Per Game	369.8	304.8
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	9-156	18-276
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	14-111	13-60
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	11-159	4-54
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	17.3	15.3
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	7.9	4.6
INT RETURN AVERAGE	14.5	13.5
FUMBLES-LOST	15-9	22-7
PENALTIES-Yards	56-492	56-453
Average Per Game	61.5	56.6
PUNTS-Yards	37-1751	43-1876
Average Per Punt	47.3	43.6
Net punt average	42.1	41.2
KICKOFFS-Yards	48-2941	37-2357
Average Per Kick	61.3	63.7
Net kick average	40.8	40.6
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	31:28	28:32
3RD-DOWN Conversions	38/115	39/116
3rd-Down Pct	33%	34%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	9/17	5/16
4th-Down Pct	53%	31%
SACKS BY-Yards	31-259	32-232
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	29	18
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	13-17	10-10
ON-SIDE KICKS	1-1	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(22-26) 85%	(17-21) 81%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(14-26) 54%	(11-21) 52%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(25-25) 100%	(13-14) 93%
ATTENDANCE	396866	244757
Games/Avg Per Game	5/79373	3/81586
Neutral Site Games		0/0
SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st 2nd 3rd 4th OT Total	
South Carolina	74 62 41 67 - 244	
Opponents	31 66 24 30 - 151	

RUSHING	G	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Raheim Sanders	8	116	599	29	570	4.9	8	66	71.3
LaNorris Sellers	7	99	533	180	353	3.6	4	75	50.4
Robby Ashford	6	36	234	51	183	5.1	1	38	30.5
Oscar Adaway	8	45	151	12	139	3.1	2	27	17.4
Juju McDowell	8	18	80	5	75	4.2	0	13	9.4
Jawarn Howell	3	12	58	1	57	4.8	1	23	19.0
Jared Brown	5	2	27	0	27	13.5	0	16	5.4
Matthew Fuller	2	8	25	0	25	3.1	0	8	12.5
Gage Larvadain	8	1	10	0	10	10.0	0	10	1.3
Bradley Dunn	2	2	10	0	10	5.0	0	8	5.0
Nyck Harbor	8	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
Maurice Brown	8	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Davis Beville	2	1	0	13	-13	-13.0	0	0	-6.5
TEAM	8	9	0	25	-25	-2.8	0	0	-3.1
Total.....	8	351	1728	316	1412	4.0	16	75	176.5
Opponents.....	8	295	1185	328	857	2.9	11	56	107.1

PASSING	G	Effic	Cmp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
LaNorris Sellers	7	130.48	101-167-4	60.5	1212	7	57	173.1
Robby Ashford	6	185.30	20-28-0	71.4	301	2	44	50.2
Davis Beville	2	167.87	4-6-0	66.7	33	1	14	16.5
TEAM	8	0.00	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Kai Kroeger	8	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total.....	8	137.19	125-204-4	61.3	1546	10	57	193.2
Opponents.....	8	111.02	138-245-11	56.3	1581	7	72	197.6

RECEIVING	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Joshua Simon	8	24	317	13.2	4	57	39.6
Mazeo Bennett	8	21	289	13.8	3	36	36.1
Raheim Sanders	8	14	156	11.1	0	36	19.5
Gage Larvadain	8	11	145	13.2	0	44	18.1
Nyck Harbor	8	11	104	9.5	1	31	13.0
Vandrevius Jacobs	7	10	170	17.0	0	41	24.3
Jared Brown	5	9	104	11.6	0	39	20.8
Michael Smith	8	8	91	11.4	0	36	11.4
Oscar Adaway	8	5	59	11.8	0	27	7.4
Dalevon Campbell	8	4	46	11.5	0	27	5.8
Eriq Rice	1	2	20	10.0	0	14	20.0
Payton Mangrum	3	2	11	5.5	0	7	3.7
Juju McDowell	8	1	12	12.0	1	12	1.5
Brady Hunt	8	1	11	11.0	0	11	1.4
Connor Cox	3	1	9	9.0	1	9	3.0
Jatavius Shivers	5	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.4
Total.....	8	125	1546	12.4	10	57	193.3
Opponents.....	8	138	1581	11.5	7	72	197.6

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Juju McDowell	11	46	4.2	0	13
Jalon Kilgore	1	28	28.0	0	28
Gage Larvadain	1	6	6.0	0	6
Maurice Brown	1	15	15.0	0	0
Buddy Mack	0	16	0.0	0	16
Total.....	14	111	7.9	0	28
Opponents.....	13	60	4.6	0	13

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Nick Emmanwori	4	107	26.8	2	65
Jalon Kilgore	3	54	18.0	0	31
O'Donnell Fortune	3	2	0.7	0	2
DQ Smith	1	-4	-4.0	0	0
Total.....	11	159	14.5	2	65
Opponents.....	4	54	13.5	0	38



KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Juju McDowell	8	150	18.8	0	28
Gage Larvadain	1	6	6.0	0	6
Total.....	9	156	17.3	0	28
Opponents.....	17	276	16.2	0	24

FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Tonka Hemingway	1	36	36.0	1	36
Michael Smith	0	10	0.0	0	10
DeAndre Jules	1	0	0.0	0	0
Kyle Kennard	1	0	0.0	0	0
Debo Williams	1	0	0.0	0	0
Bam Martin-Scott	1	0	0.0	0	0
Dylan Stewart	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total.....	7	46	6.6	1	36
Opponents.....	9	38	4.2	0	37

SCORING	TD	FGs	PATs				DXP	Saf	Points
			Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass			
Alex Herrera	0	13-17	25-25	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	64
Raheim Sanders	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	48
LaNorris Sellers	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-1	0	0	24
Joshua Simon	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Mazeo Bennett	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Oscar Adaway	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Nick Emmanwori	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Connor Cox	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Jawarn Howell	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Robby Ashford	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-1	0	0	6
Nyck Harbor	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Tonka Hemingway	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Juju McDowell	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Kai Kroeger	0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0	0-0	0	0	2
TEAM	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	1	2
Maurice Brown	0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0	0-0	0	0	2
Total.....	29	13-17	25-25	2-2	0	0-2	0	1	244
Opponents.....	18	10-10	13-14	0-0	0	0-4	0	0	151

FIELD GOALS	M-A	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Lg	Blk
Alex Herrera	13-17	76.5	0-0	3-3	4-5	6-8	0-1	46	0

FG SEQUENCE	South Carolina	Opponents
Old Dominion	(40),(46),(33),48	(40),(33)
Kentucky	(29)	(32),(39)
LSU	(28),(42),49	(28)
Akron	-	-
Ole Miss	(40),38	(24),(44)
Alabama	(37),51	-
Oklahoma	(39),(33)	(44)
Texas A&M	(25),(44),(43)	(52),(55)

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
Kai Kroeger	36	1722	47.8	75	6	10	13	15	0
TEAM	1	29	29.0	29	0	0	0	0	1
Total.....	37	1751	47.3	75	6	10	13	15	1
Opponents.....	43	1876	43.6	61	1	15	12	12	1

KICKOFFS	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
Alex Herrera	47	2892	61.5	21	1			
Kai Kroeger	1	49	49.0	0	1			
Total.....	48	2941	61.3	21	2	17	40.8	24
Opponents.....	37	2357	63.7	28	0	9	40.6	24

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
LaNorris Sellers	7	266	353	1212	1565	223.6
Raheim Sanders	8	116	570	0	570	71.3
Robby Ashford	6	64	183	301	484	80.7
Oscar Adaway	8	45	139	0	139	17.4
Juju McDowell	8	18	75	0	75	9.4
Jawarn Howell	3	12	57	0	57	19.0
Jared Brown	5	2	27	0	27	5.4
Matthew Fuller	2	8	25	0	25	12.5
Davis Beville	2	7	-13	33	20	10.0
Bradley Dunn	2	2	10	0	10	5.0
Gage Larvadain	8	1	10	0	10	1.2
Nyck Harbor	8	1	1	0	1	0.1
TEAM	8	11	-25	0	-25	-3.1
Total.....	8	555	1412	1546	2958	369.8
Opponents.....	8	540	857	1581	2438	304.8

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Raheim Sanders	8	570	156	0	0	0	726	90.8
LaNorris Sellers	7	353	0	0	0	0	353	50.4
Joshua Simon	8	0	317	0	0	0	317	39.6
Mazeo Bennett	8	0	289	0	0	0	289	36.1
Juju McDowell	8	75	12	46	150	0	283	35.4
Oscar Adaway	8	139	59	0	0	0	198	24.8
Robby Ashford	6	183	0	0	0	0	183	30.5
Vandrevius Jacobs	7	0	170	0	0	0	170	24.3
Gage Larvadain	8	10	145	6	6	0	167	20.9
Jared Brown	5	27	104	0	0	0	131	26.2
Nick Emmanwori	8	0	0	0	0	107	107	13.4
Nyck Harbor	8	1	104	0	0	0	105	13.1
Michael Smith	8	0	91	0	0	0	91	11.4
Jalon Kilgore	8	0	0	28	0	54	82	10.2
Jawarn Howell	3	57	0	0	0	0	57	19.0
Dalevon Campbell	8	0	46	0	0	0	46	5.8
Matthew Fuller	2	25	0	0	0	0	25	12.5
Eriq Rice	1	0	20	0	0	0	20	20.0
Buddy Mack	8	0	0	16	0	0	16	2.0
Maurice Brown	8	0	0	15	0	0	15	1.9
Payton Mangrum	3	0	11	0	0	0	11	3.7
Brady Hunt	8	0	11	0	0	0	11	1.4
Bradley Dunn	2	10	0	0	0	0	10	5.0
Connor Cox	3	0	9	0	0	0	9	3.0
Jatavius Shivers	5	0	2	0	0	0	2	0.4
O'Donnell Fortune	8	0	0	0	0	2	2	0.2
DQ Smith	8	0	0	0	0	-4	-4	-0.5
Davis Beville	2	-13	0	0	0	0	-13	-6.5
TEAM	8	-25	0	0	0	0	-25	-3.1
Total.....	8	1412	1546	111	156	159	3384	423.0
Opponents.....	8	857	1581	60	276	54	2828	353.5

2024 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS



No. PLAYER	GP	Tackles			TFL/Yds	Sacks		Pass Def		QBH	Fumbles		Blkd	
		Solo	Ast	Total		No-Yards	Int-Yds	BrUp	Rcv-Yds		FF	Kick	Saf	
7 Nick Emmanwori	8	34	18	52	2.0-5	.	4-107	2	.	.	.	.	.
17 Demetrius Knight	8	35	12	47	6.0-32	2.0-23	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
0 Debo Williams	8	27	16	43	3.0-5	0.5-2	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	
22 Bam Martin-Scott	8	23	19	42	5.5-20	1.5-11	.	1	.	1-0	2	.	.	
90 T.J. Sanders	8	19	11	30	4.0-24	3.0-23	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
1 DQ Smith	8	17	13	30	.	.	1-4	3	.	.	1	.	.	
3 O'Donnell Fortune	8	26	3	29	2.0-11	.	3-2	2	.	.	1	.	.	
24 Jalon Kilgore	8	17	10	27	3.0-9	.	3-54	3	.	.	.	.	.
5 Kyle Kennard	8	16	6	22	12.5-89	8.5-74	.	1	4	1-0	2	.	.	
91 Tonka Hemingway	8	11	6	17	4.0-34	4.0-34	.	.	4	1-36	1	.	.	
20 Judge Collier	8	13	4	17	3.0-4	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.
6 Dylan Stewart	8	13	3	16	7.5-52	5.5-46	.	.	4	1-0	2	.	.	
99 DeAndre Jules	5	9	4	13	.	.	.	.	1	1-0	.	.	.
46 Bryan Thomas	7	5	6	11	2.0-12	1.5-11	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
55 Gilber Edmond	8	7	3	10	2.0-10	1.0-9	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
18 Bangally Kamara	4	7	2	9	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
95 Alex Huntley	8	3	5	8	0.5-0	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
44 Monkel Goodwine	8	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
31 Peyton Williams	8	4	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4 Vicari Swain	8	6	1	7	1.0-12	1.0-12	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	
45 Colin Bryant	8	4	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12 Jatius Geer	5	4	2	6	1.0-5	1.0-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
49 Rondarius Porter	4	4	2	6	1.0-7	1.0-7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
15 Fred Johnson	8	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
23 Gerald Kilgore	8	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13 David Bucey	8	4	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	
93 Nick Barrett	4	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41 Ronnie Porter	8	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27 King-Demenian Ford	8	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33 Buddy Mack	8	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
21 Kelvin Hunter	2	3	.	3	1.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29 David Spaulding	2	1	1	2	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8 Nyck Harbor	8	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9 Desmond Umeozulu	7	1	1	2	0.5-2	0.5-2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
54 Jamaal Whyce	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
0 Juju McDowell	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
59 Chase Kibble	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
36 Hunter Rogers	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
10 Wendell Gregory	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6 Joshua Simon	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
40 Alex Herrera	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44 Maurice Brown	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
16 LaNorris Sellers	7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20 Michael Smith	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	0-10	.	.	.
TM TEAM	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	1
Total.....	8	340	168	508	63-339	31-259	11-159	20	24	7-46	16	2	1	
Opponents.....	8	358	196	554	70.0-315	32-232	4-54	18	20	9-38	11	1	.	



2024 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

TOTAL TACKLES	UA-A	TOT	ODU	UK	LSU	AKRON	OM	ALA	OKLA	TAMU	VANDY	MIZZ	WOFF	CU
Nick Emmanwori	34-18	52	5-0	3-4	8-1	2-1	2-3	6-3	7-4	1-2				
Demetrius Knight	35-12	47	5-0	1-2	4-0	3-2	3-1	2-2	7-4	10-1				
Debo Williams	27-16	43	5-2	5-1	5-1	2-2	4-1	2-1	1-8	3-0				
Bam Martin-Scott	23-19	42	4-0	2-4	3-1	1-3	2-2	1-2	7-4	3-3				
T.J. Sanders	19-11	30	2-0	2-2	3-0	1-2	7-2	2-2	1-2	1-1				
DQ Smith	17-13	30	1-0	1-0	4-1	0-1	3-3	4-6	2-2	2-0				
O'Donnell Fortune	26-3	29	3-1	2-0	4-1	2-0	3-0	8-1	-	4-0				
Jalon Kilgore	17-10	27	3-0	1-1	3-2	1-2	3-2	1-1	1-2	4-0				
Kyle Kennard	16-6	22	3-1	1-0	2-1	1-1	-	6-1	1-1	2-1				
Judge Collier	13-4	17	2-0	1-0	1-0	-	2-1	1-0	3-1	3-2				
Tonka Hemingway	11-6	17	2-0	0-3	1-0	-	2-0	1-2	2-0	3-1				
Dylan Stewart	13-3	16	3-1	1-1	-	1-1	4-0	-	2-0	2-0				
DeAndre Jules	9-4	13	5-0	2-2	0-1	1-0	1-1	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Bryan Thomas	5-6	11	DNP	0-1	1-1	1-0	1-2	0-2	1-0	1-0				
Gilber Edmond	7-3	10	2-0	1-2	3-0	-	-	-	1-1	-				
Bangally Kamara	7-2	9	-	3-2	2-0	DNP	2-0	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Alex Huntley	3-5	8	2-0	0-2	-	-	1-1	-	0-2	-				
Monkel Goodwine	5-3	8	1-1	1-0	-	0-1	1-0	0-1	1-0	1-0				
Vicari Swain	6-1	7	-	3-0	-	-	-	1-1	1-0	1-0				
Peyton Williams	4-3	7	1-0	1-1	-	1-0	0-1	-	1-1	-				
Rondarius Porter	4-2	6	DNP	DNP	DNP	2-1	DNP	-	2-0	0-1				
Jatius Geer	4-2	6	-	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	1-0	2-1	1-1				
Colin Bryant	4-2	6	-	2-1	2-0	-	-	-	0-1	-				
Gerald Kilgore	4-1	5	1-0	-	1-0	1-0	1-0	-	0-1	-				
Fred Johnson	3-2	5	-	2-0	-	1-0	-	-	0-2	-				
Nick Barrett	1-3	4	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	0-1	0-1	1-1				
David Bucey	4-0	4	-	1-0	1-0	-	-	1-0	1-0	-				
King-Demenian Ford	2-1	3	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	1-0	-				
Ronnie Porter	2-1	3	1-0	-	-	-	1-0	-	0-1	-				
Buddy Mack	1-2	3	-	0-2	-	-	-	-	-	1-0				
Kevin Hunter	3-0	3	DNP	2-0	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Jamaal Whyce	1-1	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Desmond Umeozulu	1-1	2	-	0-1	-	1-0	-	DNP	-	-				
Nyck Harbor	2-0	2	1-0	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-				
David Spaulding	1-1	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	1-1	DNP				
Joshua Simon	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-				
Hunter Rogers	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-				
LaNorris Sellers	1-0	1	-	-	1-0	DNP	-	-	-	-				
Alex Herrera	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-				
Juju McDowell	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0				
Wendell Gregory	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Maurice Brown	0-1	1	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Chase Kibble	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP				



Team	1st Score	Rushing Downs	Passing No-Yds-TD	Total Offense Play-Yds-TD	Punts No-Avg	Fumbles No-Lost	Penalties No-Yds	KO Ret. No-Yds	Punt Ret. No-Yds	Int. Ret. No-Yds	3rd Dns	Time of Poss	
ODU	19	17	34-108-1	22-38-2-197-1	72-305-2	6-40.2	4-2	5-33	2-24	0-0	0-0	9-18	24:14
S. Carolina	23	18	56-174-2	10-23-0-114-0	79-288-2	6-34.3	1-1	5-33	3-53	2-10	2-9	5-18	35:46
S. Carolina	31	13	35-79-1	11-15-1-173-2	50-252-3	5-51.6	4-0	8-70	1-17	2-4	2-38	3-10	27:39
Kentucky	6	13	46-139-0	6-17-2-44-0	63-183-0	6-43.3	4-0	11-63	6-107	3-20	1-16	3-14	32:21
LSU	36	26	32-132-3	24-40-1-285-2	72-417-5	4-30.5	1-1	9-75	3-50	2-4	1-0	6-14	32:57
S. Carolina	33	18	41-243-4	11-20-1-155-0	61-398-4	3-43.3	4-2	13-123	0-0	2-43	0-0	3-12	27:03
Akron	7	9	21-37-0	16-30-1-117-1	51-154-1	10-47.8	0-0	6-55	1-2	0-0	0-0	3-13	23:57
S. Carolina	50	27	53-273-4	19-27-0-276-3	80-549-7	4-53.2	1-1	7-70	1-17	3-35	1-4	5-14	36:03 Ole
Ole Miss	27	17	41-140-3	14-27-0-285-0	68-425-3	4-49.5	2-1	8-65	0-0	2-10	1-0	3-13	27:22
S. Carolina	3	19	43-151-0	20-33-1-162-0	76-313-0	4-51.8	1-1	8-80	0-0	1-4	0-0	5-16	32:38
S. Carolina	25	23	39-132-1	24-32-1-242-2	71-374-3	3-45.0	3-3	6-49	2-21	2-5	2-31	7-15	31:40
Alabama	27	20	38-104-3	16-23-2-209-1	61-313-4	3-47.7	1-0	7-66	1-20	1-1	1-38	5-11	28:20
S. Carolina	35	15	41-74-1	17-27-0-180-1	68-254-2	8-51.6	0-0	6-42	1-20	2-10	2-63	6-18	31:47
Oklahoma	9	19	41-53-0	22-42-2-238-1	83-291-1	5-46.6	6-2	3-27	2-34	4-23	0-0	6-19	28:13
Texas A&M	20	19	42-144-1	18-28-1-206-1	70-350-2	5-40.2	4-1	7-68	3-39	1-2	0-0	4-15	30:48
S. Carolina	44	26	43-286-3	13-27-0-244-2	70-530-5	4-40.0	1-1	3-25	1-28	0-0	1-2	4-13	29:12
S. Carolina													
Vanderbilt													
Missouri													
S. Carolina													
Wofford													
S. Carolina													
S. Carolina													
Clemson													

2024 South Carolina Game-by-Game Starters

Offense

POS	ODU	KENTUCKY	LSU	AKRON	OLE MISS	ALABAMA	OKLA	TAMU	VANDY	MIZZOU	WOFFORD	CLEMSON
WR	J. Brown	Harbor	J. Brown	Larvadain	Larvadain	Larvadain	Larvadain	Larvadain				
WR	Jacobs	Campbell	Jacobs	Campbell	Harbor	Jacobs	Jacobs	Harbor				
WR	-	-	Bennett Jr.	-	Bennett Jr.	-	-	-				
TE	Simon	Hunt	Simon	Simon	Simon	Simon	Simon	Simon				
TE	M. Smith	M. Smith	-	M. Smith	-	M. Smith	M. Smith	M. Smith				
LT	Thompson	Thompson	Thompson	Thompson	Thompson	Thompson	Thompson	Thompson				
LG	Bell	Bell	Bell	Bell	Bell	Bell	Bell	Bell				
C	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee	Lee				
RG	Simpkins III	Simpkins III	Simpkins III	Simpkins III	Simpkins III	Simpkins III	Simpkins III	Simpkins III				
RT	Henry	Henry	Henry	Henry	Henry	Henry	Henry	Henry				
QB	Sellers	Sellers	Sellers	Ashford	Sellers	Sellers	Sellers	Sellers				
RB	R. Sanders	R. Sanders	R. Sanders	R. Sanders	Adaway III	R. Sanders	R. Sanders	R. Sanders				

Defense

POS	ODU	KENTUCKY	LSU	AKRON	OLE MISS	ALABAMA	OKLA	TAMU	VANDY	MIZZOU	WOFFORD	CLEMSON
ED	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard	Kennard				
DT	Hemingway	Hemingway	Hemingway	Huntley	Hemingway	Hemingway	Hemingway	Hemingway				
DT	Huntley	Jules	T. Sanders	T. Sanders	Huntley	T. Sanders	T. Sanders	T. Sanders				
ED	Geer	-	Stewart	Stewart	Stewart	Stewart	Stewart	Stewart				
LB	Knight Jr.	Knight Jr.	Knight Jr.	Martin-Scott	Knight Jr.	Martin-Scott	Knight Jr.	Knight Jr.				
LB	D. Williams	D. Williams	D. Williams	D. Williams	D. Williams	D. Williams	D. Williams	D. Williams				
LB	-	Martin-Scott	-	-	-	-	-	Martin-Scott				
NIK	J. Kilgore	J. Kilgore	J. Kilgore	J. Kilgore	J. Kilgore	J. Kilgore	J. Kilgore	-				
CB	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune	Fortune				
S	D. Smith	D. Smith	D. Smith	D. Smith	D. Smith	D. Smith	D. Smith	D. Smith				
S	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	Emmanwori	Emmanwori				
CB	Collier	Collier	Collier	Collier	Collier	Collier	Collier	Collier				

2024 South Carolina Game-by-Game Captains

ODU	KENTUCKY	LSU	AKRON	OLE MISS	ALABAMA	OKLA	TAMU	VANDY	MIZZOU	WOFFORD	CLEMSON
Doty	Hemingway	Emmanwori	M. Brown II	Huntley	Emmanwori	Beville	Emmanwori				
Huntley	Kennard	Hunt	Martin-Scott	Kroeger	Hemingway	Fortune	Hemingway				
Lee	Simon	Knight Jr.	McDowell	Lee	Knight Jr.	J. Kilgore	R. Sanders				
D. Williams	Simpkins III	R. Sanders	D. Smith	D. Williams	Simpkins III	Sellers	Sellers				



Individual Rushing (Att-Yds/TD)

PLAYER	TOTAL	ODU	KENTUCKY	LSU	AKRON	OLE MISS	ALABAMA	OKLA	TAMU	VANDY	MIZZOU	WOFF	CLEM
Raheim Sanders	116-570/8	24-88/1	13-54/1	19-143/2	1-1/0	8-29/0	16-78/1	15-33/1	20-144/2				
LaNorris Sellers	99-353/4	22-68/1	8-11/0	10-88/2	DNP	15-55/0	16-19/0	13-28/0	15-106/1				
Robby Ashford	36-183/1	DNP	6-26/0	11-11/0	16-133/1	1-2/0	2-11/0	-	DNP				
Oscar Adaway	45-139/2	4-5/0	1-1/0	1-1/0	14-42/2	9-34/0	4-14/0	4-8/0	8-36/0				
Juju McDowell	18-75/0	2-16/0	3-3/0	-	5-29/0	5-12/0	-	3-15/0	-				
Jawarn Howell	12-57/1	DNP	DNP	DNP	5-33/1	4-19/0	DNP	3-5/0	DNP				
Jared Brown	2-27/0	1-16/0	1-11/0	-	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	-				
Matthew Fuller	8-25/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	8-25/0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Gage Larvadain	1-10/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-10/0	-	-				
Bradley Dunn	2-10/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	2-10/0	DNP	DNP	-	DNP				
Nyck Harbor	1-1/0	-	-	-	1-1/0	-	-	-	-				
Maurice Brown	1-0/0	-	-	-	-	1-0/0	-	-	-				
Davis Beville	1-13/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	1-13/0	DNP				
TEAM	9-25/0	3-19/0	3-3/0	-	1-1/0	-	-	2-2/0	-				

Individual Passing (Cmp-Att-Int-Yds-TD)

	SELLERS	ASHFORD	BEVILLE	RENO	KROEGER
OLD DOMINION	10-23-0-114-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
KENTUCKY	10-14-1-166-2	1-1-0-7-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
LSU	9-16-1-113-0	1-2-0-42-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
AKRON	DNP	15-21-0-243-2	4-6-0-33-1	0-0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0-0
OLE MISS	20-32-1-162-0	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
ALABAMA	23-31-1-238-2	1-1-0-4-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
OKLAHOMA	16-24-0-175-1	1-1-0-5-0	0-0-0-0-0	DNP	0-1-0-0-0
TEXAS A&M	13-27-0-244-2	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0-0-0
VANDERBILT					
MISSOURI					
WOFFORD					
CLEMSON					

Individual Receiving (Rec-Yds/TD)

PLAYER	TOTAL	ODU	KENTUCKY	LSU	AKRON	OLE MISS	ALABAMA	OKLA	TAMU	VANDY	MIZZOU	WOFF	CLEM
Joshua Simon	24-317/4	1-10/0	1-16/1	3-40/0	1-17/0	5-37/0	5-22/0	4-43/1	4-132/2				
Mazeo Bennett	21-289/3	2-18/0	3-63/1	1-7/0	5-71/1	3-41/0	3-57/1	2-13/0	2-19/0				
Vandrevius Jacobs	10-170/0	2-59/0	-	1-31/0	-	1-17/0	2-23/0	4-40/0	DNP				
Raheim Sanders	14-156/0	1-10/0	-	1-11/0	1-6/0	1-5/0	4-25/0	1-7/0	5-92/0				
Gage Larvadain	11-145/0	-	-	-	2-79/0	5-39/0	2-20/0	1-7/0	1-0/0				
Nyck Harbor	11-104/1	-	-	2-18/0	2-17/0	3-16/0	2-40/1	2-13/0	-				
Jared Brown	9-104/0	-	4-50/0	3-48/0	DNP	1-5/0	DNP	DNP	1-1/0				
Michael Smith	8-91/0	2-4/0	3-44/0	-	1-3/0	-	1-15/0	1-25/0	-				
Oscar Adaway	5-59/0	-	-	-	-	1-2/0	3-30/0	1-27/0	-				
Dalevon Campbell	4-46/0	1-6/0	-	-	1-27/0	-	1-8/0	1-5/0	-				
Eriq Rice	2-20/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	2-20/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Juju McDowell	1-12/1	-	-	-	1-12/1	-	-	-	-				
Payton Mangrum	2-11/0	1-7/0	-	DNP	1-4/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Brady Hunt	1-11/0	-	-	-	1-11/0	-	-	-	-				
Connor Cox	1-9/1	DNP	-	DNP	1-9/1	-	DNP	DNP	DNP				
Jatavius Shivers	1-2/0	DNP	-	DNP	-	-	1-2/0	-	DNP				

Game-by-Game Leaders

Opponent	Rushing	Passing	Receiving (No.)	Receiving (Yds.)	Tackles
ODU	R. Sanders 24-88/1	Sellers 10-23-0-114-0	Jacobs 4-59-0	Jacobs 4-59-0	D. Williams 5-2-7
KENTUCKY	R. Sanders 13-57/1	Sellers 10-14-1-166-2	Brown 4-50-0	Bennett 3-63-1	Emmanwori 3-4-7
LSU	R. Sanders 19-143/2	Sellers 9-16-1-113-0	Brown 3-48-0/Simon 3-40-0	J. Brown 3-48-0	Emmanwori 8-1-9
AKRON	Ashford 16-133/1	Ashford 15-21-0-243-2	Bennett Jr. 5-71-1	Larvadain 2-79-0	Knight Jr. 3-2-5
OLE MISS	Sellers 15-55/0	Sellers 20-32-1-162-0	Larvadain 5-39-0/Simon 5-37-0	Larvadain 5-39-0	T. Sanders 7-2-9
ALABAMA	R. Sanders 16-78/1	Sellers 23-31-1-238-2	Simon 5-2-0	Bennett Jr. 3-57-1	D. Smith 4-6-10
OKLAHOMA	R. Sanders 15-33/1	Sellers 16-24-0-175-1	Simon 4-34-1/Jacobs 4-40-0	Simon 4-34-1	Three with 11
TAMU	R. Sanders 20-144/2	Sellers 13-27-0-244-2	R. Sanders 5-92-0	Simon 4-132-2	Knight Jr. 10-1-11
VANDY					
MIZZOU					
WOFFORD					
CLEMSON					



South Carolina

	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Old Dominion					
R. Sanders 1-yard run	1	3	3	0:50	TD
Herrera 40-yard field goal	1	13	53	6:42	FG
Herrera 46-yard field goal	2	5	13	4:02	FG
Herrera 33-yard field goal	3	16	60	7:47	FG
Sellers 3-yard run	4	2	6	0:37	TD
Kentucky					
Bennett 24-yard pass from Sellers	1	4	61	1:21	TD
Herrera 29-yard field goal	1	6	20	3:05	FG
Simon 26-yard pass from Sellers	3	7	58	3:53	TD
R. Sanders 6-yard run	3	9	43	4:05	TD
LSU					
Sellers 4-yard run	1	7	75	2:46	TD
Herrera 28-yard field goal	2	13	65	6:24	FG
R. Sanders 10-yard run	2	1	10	0:07	TD
Sellers 75-yard run	2	1	75	0:13	TD
R. Sanders 66-yard run	4	3	75	1:05	TD
Herrera 42-yard field goal	4	4	0	1:23	FG
Akron					
Adaway III 2-yard run	1	13	89	5:38	TD
Bennett Jr. 30-yard pass from Ashford	1	7	85	3:02	TD
McDowell 12-yard pass from Ashford	2	11	80	4:57	TD
Adaway III 2-yard run	3	7	84	3:43	TD
Ashford 36-yard run	4	5	71	1:59	TD
Cox 9-yard pass from Beville	4	12	46	4:44	TD
Howell 23-yard run	4	4	37	1:49	TD
Ole Miss					
Herrera 40-yard field goal	2	5	25	1:49	FG
Alabama					
Bennett Jr. 36-yard pass from Sellers	2	10	75	3:01	TD
Herrera 37-yard field goal	2	1	0	0:01	FG
R. Sanders 1-yard run	3	16	85	8:35	TD
Harbor 31-yard pass from Sellers	4	6	75	1:11	TD
Oklahoma					
R. Sanders 3-yard run	1	5	41	2:13	TD
Herrera 39-yard field goal	2	4	4	1:52	FG
Simon 33-yard pass from Sellers	2	8	75	3:23	TD
Herrera 33-yard field goal	4	4	6	1:37	TD
Texas A&M					
Sellers 23-yard run	1	11	75	4:14	TD
Simon 15-yard pass from Sellers	1	2	34	0:47	TD
Herrera 25-yard field goal	2	10	68	4:27	FG
Herrera 44-yard field goal	2	6	49	1:06	FG
R. Sanders 52-yard run	3	5	83	2:16	TD
Herrera 43-yard field goal	3	4	6	0:50	FG
Simon 57-yard pass from Sellers	4	5	85	1:48	TD
R. Sanders 7-yard run	4	2	13	0:53	TD

Opponents

	Qtr	Plays	Yards	TOP	Result
Old Dominion					
Paige 72-yard pass from Wilson	1	2	75	0:31	TD
Wilson 36-yard run	3	9	75	2:16	TD
Sanchez 40-yard field goal	3	8	47	1:49	FG
Sanchez 33-yard field goal	4	13	42	4:19	FG
Kentucky					
Raynor 32-yard field goal	2	12	57	6:03	FG
Raynor 39-yard field goal	2	4	7	1:20	FG
LSU					
Durham 26-yard run	2	8	75	4:11	TD
Ramos 28-yard field goal	2	4	7	1:32	FG
Lacy 12-yard pass from Nussmeier	2	6	75	2:55	TD
Durham 9-yard run	3	5	45	1:38	TD
Taylor 2-yard pass from Nussmeier	4	10	80	5:03	TD
Williams 2-yard run	4	8	55	2:34	TD
Akron					
Norton 42-yard pass from Finley	2	6	70	2:31	TD
Ole Miss					
Parrish Jr. 3-yard run	1	5	36	1:36	TD
Pegues 1-yard run	1	8	59	3:07	TD
Davis 24-yard field goal	2	8	68	2:52	FG
Pegues 1-yard run	2	6	59	1:15	TD
Davis 44-yard field goal	3	9	53	2:21	FG
Alabama					
Milroe 1-yard run	1	9	75	4:00	TD
Haynes 2-yard run	2	7	67	3:32	TD
Milroe 7-yard run	4	3	31	1:23	TD
Bernard 34-yard pass from Milroe	4	10	67	4:34	TD
Oklahoma					
Schmit 44-yard field goal	2	11	53	4:01	FG
Thompson 54-yard pass from Arnold	3	8	90	3:31	TD
Texas A&M					
Bond 52-yard field goal	1	7	41	3:09	FG
Bond 55-yard field goal	2	8	42	2:46	FG
Daniels 56-yard run	2	3	65	1:16	TD
Barber 2-yard pass from Reed	2	10	60	4:20	TD



Running Plays (12+ Yards)

Table with 7 columns: No., Yds, Rusher, Opponent, Qtr, Play Result, Drive Result. Lists 33 running plays.

Passing Plays (18+ Yards)

Table with 7 columns: No., Yds, Connection, Opponent, Qtr, Play Result, Drive Result. Lists 25 passing plays.

Kick Returns (30+ yards)

Table with 5 columns: No., Yds, Returner, Opponent, Qtr, Drive Result. Lists 1 kick return.

Punt Returns (20+ yards)

Table with 5 columns: No., Yds, Returner, Opponent, Qtr, Drive Result. Lists 1 punt return.

INT/Fumble Returns (20+ yards)

Table with 7 columns: No., Yds, Returner, Opponent, Qtr, Play, Drive Result. Lists 5 returns.

Special Teams/Defensive Scores

Table with 6 columns: No., Yds, Player, Opponent, Qtr, Play. Lists 3 special teams plays.

2024 Drive Chart Summary

Table with 11 columns: Opp., Drives, TD, FG, MissFG, Punt, Downs, Fum, INT, SAF, Half, 3-Out. Summary for South Carolina.

Table with 11 columns: Opp., Drives, TD, FG, MissFG, Punt, Downs, Fum, INT, SAF, Half, 3-Out. Summary for Opponents.



Carolina Team Game Highs

Rushes	56	vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
Yards Rushing	286	vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Yards Per Rush	6.7	vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
TD Rushes	4	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
		vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Pass attempts	33	vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
Pass completions	24	at Alabama (Oct 12, 2024)
Yards Passing	276	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Yards Per Pass	11.5	at Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)
TD Passes	3	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Total Plays	80	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Total Offense	549	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Yards Per Play	7.6	vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Points	50	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Sacks By	9	at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
First Downs	27	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Penalties	13	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Penalty Yards	123	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Turnovers	4	at Alabama (Oct 12, 2024)
Interceptions By	2	vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
		at Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)
		at Alabama (Oct 12, 2024)
		at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
Punts	8	at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
Punting Avg	53.3	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Long Punt	75	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Punts inside 20	4	at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
Long Punt Return	28	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)

Carolina Individual Game Highs

Rushes	24	Raheim Sanders, vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
Yards Rushing	144	Raheim Sanders, vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
TD Rushes	2	LaNorris Sellers, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
		Raheim Sanders, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
		Oscar Adaway III, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
		Raheim Sanders, vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Long Rush	75	LaNorris Sellers, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Pass attempts	32	LaNorris Sellers, vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
Pass completions	23	LaNorris Sellers, at Alabama (Oct 12, 2024)
Yards Passing	244	LaNorris Sellers vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
TD Passes	2	LaNorris Sellers, at Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)
		Robby Ashford, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
		LaNorris Sellers at Alabama (Oct 12, 2024)
		LaNorris Sellers vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Long Pass	57	LaNorris Sellers, vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Receptions	5	5 with 5
Yards Receiving	79	Gage Larvadain, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
TD Receptions	1	5 players tied
Long Reception	44	Gage Larvadain, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Field Goals	3	Alex Herrera, vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
		Alex Herrera, vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Long Field Goal	46	Alex Herrera, vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
Punts	8	Kai Kroeger, at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
Punting Avg	53.3	Kai Kroeger, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Long Punt	75	Kai Kroeger, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Punts inside 20	2	Kai Kroeger, vs Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)
		Kai Kroeger, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Long Punt Return	28	Jalon Kilgore, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Long Kickoff Return	28	Juju McDowell, vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Tackles	11	Nick Emmanwori, at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
		Demetrius Knight, at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
		Bam Martin-Scott, at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
		Demetrius Knight, vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Sacks	2.5	Kyle Kennard, vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
Tackles For Loss	3.5	Kyle Kennard, vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
Interceptions	2	Nick Emmanwori, at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)

Opponent Team Game Highs

Rushes	46	at Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)
Yards Rushing	144	vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Yards Per Rush	4.1	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
TD Rushes	3	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
		vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
		at Alabama (Oct 12, 2024)
Pass attempts	42	at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
Pass completions	24	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Yards Passing	285	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
		vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
Yards Per Pass	10.6	vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
TD Passes	2	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Total Plays	83	at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
Total Offense	425	vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
Yards Per Play	6.3	vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
Points	36	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Sacks By	6	at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
		vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
First Downs	26	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Penalties	11	at Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)
Penalty Yards	75	vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Turnovers	4	at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
		vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
Interceptions By	1	4 teams tied
Punts	10	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Punting Avg	49.5	vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
Long Punt	61	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Punts inside 20	3	vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
		at Alabama (Oct 12, 2024)
Long Punt Return	13	at Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)

Opponent Individual Game Highs

Rushes	21	Henry Parrish Jr., vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
Yards Rushing	70	Sumo-Karngbaye, at Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)
TD Rushes	2	Caden Durham, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
		J.J.,Pegues, vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
		Jalen Milroe, at Alabama (Oct 12, 2024)
Long Rush	56	Amari Daniels, vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Pass attempts	40	Garrett Nussmeier, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Pass completions	24	Garrett Nussmeier, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Yards Passing	285	Jaxson Dart, vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
		Garrett Nussmeier, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
TD Passes	2	Garrett Nussmeier, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Long Pass	72	Grant Wilson, vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
Receptions	8	Isiah Paige, vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
Yards Receiving	115	Isiah Paige, vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
TD Receptions	1	7 players tied
Long Reception	72	Isiah Paige, vs Old Dominion (Aug 31, 2024)
Field Goals	2	4 players tied
Long Field Goal	55	Randy Bond, vs Texas A&M (Nov 02, 2024)
Punts	10	Avery Book, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Punting Avg	49.5	Fraser Masin, vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
Long Punt	61	Avery Book, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
Punts inside 20	3	Avery Book, vs Akron (Sep 21, 2024)
		James Burnip, at Alabama (Oct 12, 2024)
Long Punt Return	13	Ja'Mori Maclin, at Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)
Long Kickoff Return	24	Sumo-Karngbaye, at Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)
		Zavion Thomas, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Tackles	16	Danny Stutsman, at Oklahoma (Oct 19, 2024)
Sacks	3.0	Bradyn Swinson, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
Tackles For Loss	3.0	Zion Childress, at Kentucky (Sep 07, 2024)
		Bradyn Swinson, vs LSU (Sep 14, 2024)
		Walter Nolen, vs Ole Miss (Oct 05, 2024)
Interceptions	1	4 players tied



The Last Time South Carolina...

SHUT OUT AN OPPONENT:

46-0, vs Eastern Illinois (9/4/21)

WAS SHUT OUT:

30-0, vs. Clemson (11/27/21)

SCORED ON A SAFETY:

vs. Alabama (10/12/24)

ALLOWED A SAFETY:

at Clemson (11/26/22)

FORCED 4+ TURNOVERS:

4, at Oklahoma (10/19/24)

FORCED 5+ TURNOVERS:

5, vs. Michigan (1/1/18)

FORCED 6+ TURNOVERS:

6, vs. Clemson (11/30/13)

RETURNED A KICKOFF FOR A TD:

Xavier Legette, 100 yards vs. Texas A&M (10/22/22)

ALLOWED KICK RET. FOR A TD:

Trey Palmer, 93 yards vs. LSU (10/24/20)

ALLOWED 2 KICK RET. FOR TDs:

Darrius Sims at Vanderbilt, 91 and 100 yards (9/20/14)

RETURNED A PUNT FOR A TD:

Ace Sanders, 63 yards vs. Michigan (1/1/13)

ALLOWED A PUNT RET. FOR A TD:

Ainias Smith, 95 yards at Texas A&M (10/23/21)

RETURNED AN INT FOR A TD:

Nick Emmanwori, 65 yards vs. Oklahoma (10/19/24)

ALLOWED AN INT FOR A TD:

Kamal Hadden, Tennessee, 28 yards (9/39/23)

RETURNED A FUMBLE FOR A TD:

Tonka Hemingway, Oklahoma, 36 yards (10/19/24)

ALLOWED FUMBLE RET. FOR A TD:

Khalil Barnes, Clemson, 42 yards (11/25/23)

HAD A DEFENSIVE PLAYER SCORE TWO TOUCHDOWNS IN A GAME:

Melvin Ingram at Georgia, 68-yard fake punt & 5-yard fumble recovery (9/10/11)

SCORED THREE DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS IN A GAME:

vs. Arkansas (10/7/17)

HAD A PLAYER RUSH, PASS AND RECEIVE A TD IN A GAME:

Pharoh Cooper, vs. Tennessee (11/1/14)

HAD A FAKE PUNT FOR A TD:

Kai Kroeger to Dakereon Joyner, 48 yards, at Florida (11/12/22)

HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 300+ YDS:

351, Spencer Rattler vs. Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 350+ YDS:

351, Spencer Rattler vs. Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 400+ YDS:

438, Spencer Rattler vs. Tennessee (11/19/22)

HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 450+ YDS:

510, Jake Bentley, at Clemson (11/24/18)

HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 500+ YDS:

510, Jake Bentley, at Clemson (11/24/18)

HAD A PLAYER COMP. 30+ PASSES:

30, Spencer Rattler vs. North Carolina (9/2/23)

HAD A PLAYER ATT. 40+ PASSES:

40, Ryan Rattler vs. Missouri (10/21/23)

HAD A PLAYER ATT. 50+ PASSES:

57, Ryan Hillinski, vs. Appalachian State (11/9/19)

HAD A PLAYER RUSH FOR 150+ YDS:

169, MarShawn Lloyd vs. Charlotte (9/24/22)

HAD A PLAYER RUSH FOR 200+ YDS:

210, Kevin Harris vs. Kentucky (12/5/20)

HAD A PLAYER RUSH FOR 250+ YDS:

278, Brandon Bennett, vs. East Tennessee State (10/5/91)

HAD TWO PLAYERS RUSH FOR 100+ YARDS:

Raheim Sanders (144) and LaNorris Sellers (106) vs. Texas A&M (11/2/24)

HAD A PLAYER WITH 150+ YARDS RECEIVING:

217, Xavier Legette vs. Jacksonville State (11/4/23)

HAD A PLAYER WITH 200+ YARDS RECEIVING:

217, Xavier Legette vs. Jacksonville State (11/4/23)

HAD TWO PLAYERS WITH 100 YARDS RECEIVING:

Deebo Samuel (210) and Shi Smith (109) at Clemson (11/24/18)

HAD TWO PLAYERS WITH 10+ RECEPTIONS:

Bruce Ellington (10) and Mike Davis (10), at Missouri (10/26/13)

HAD A PLAYER WITH 500+ YARDS TOTAL OFFENSE:

512, Steve Taneyhill vs. Mississippi State (10/14/95)

HAD A PLAYER RUSH AND PASS FOR 100 YARDS EACH:

LaNorris Sellers vs. Texas A&M, 106 rush, 244 pass (11/2/24)

HAD A PLAYER SCORE 4+ TDs:

5, Kevin Harris, at Ole Miss (11/14/20)

HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 4 TDs:

4, Spencer Rattler, vs. Florida (10/14/23)

HAD A PLAYER PASS FOR 5 TDs:

5, Jake Bentley, at Clemson (11/24/18)

HAD A PLAYER RUSH FOR 3 TDs:

3, MarShawn Lloyd, vs Charlotte (9/24/22)

HAD A PLAYER CATCH 3+ TDs:

3, Deebo Samuel at Clemson (11/24/18)

HAD A PLAYER CATCH 4+ TDs:

5, Sidney Rice vs. Fla. Atlantic (9/23/06)

HAD A PLAYER CATCH 5+ TDs:

5, Sidney Rice vs. Fla. Atlantic (9/23/06)

HAD A PLAYER ACCOUNT FOR 4+ TDs:

5, 243, Kevin Harris, at Ole Miss (11/14/20)

HAD A PLAYER KICK 4 FGs:

4, Mitch Jeter vs. Missouri (10/21/23)

HAD A PLAYER KICK 5+ FGs:

5, Spencer Lanning at Georgia (9/12/09)

HAD A PLAYER WITH 2 INTs:

2, Nick Emmanwori at Oklahoma (10/19/24)

HAD A PLAYER WITH 3 INTs:

3, Israel Mukuamu at Georgia (10/12/19)

BLOCKED A FIELD GOAL ATT.:

Alex Huntley vs Texas A&M (10/29/23)

RETURNED A BLOCKED FIELD GOAL ATTEMPT FOR A TD:

Captain Munnerlyn at Kentucky, 81 yards, (10/11/08)

BLOCKED A PAT:

Deandre Jules vs. Old Dominion (8/31/24)

RETURNED AN EXTRA POINT FOR A DEFENSIVE PAT:

Victor Hampton at Florida (10/20/12)

BLOCKED A PUNT:

Maurice Brown vs LSU (9/14/24)

BLOCKED TWO PUNTS IN A GAME:

Debo Williams vs. E. Illinois (9/4/21)

RETURNED A BLOCKED PUNT FOR A TD:

Keenan Nelson vs Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

BLOCKED A PUNT AND FIELD GOAL IN THE SAME GAME:

at Texas A&M (10/28/23)

HAD A PUNT BLOCKED:

vs. Old Dominion (8/31/24)

HAD A FIELD GOAL BLOCKED:

vs. Michigan (1/1/13)

HAD A PAT BLOCKED:

vs. Texas A&M (10/22/22)

ALLOWED PAT TO BE RETURNED FOR 2 POINTS:

Denzil Ware, vs. Kentucky (9/12/15)

MISSED A PAT:

vs. Vanderbilt (11/11/23)

FAILED A PAT ATTEMPT:

vs LSU (9/14/24)

MADE A 2-PT CONVERSION:

Brown rush, vs Oklahoma (10/19/24)

MADE A PAIR OF 2-PT CONVERSIONS:

vs. Georgia State (9/3/22)

ATTEMPTED A 2-PT CONVERSION:

vs. Oklahoma (10/19/24)

RECOVERED OWN ONSIDE KICK:

vs. Alabama (10/12/23)

HAD LESS THAN 50 YDS RUSHING:

33, vs. Texas A&M (10/28/23)

HAD 300+ YARDS RUSHING:

301, vs. North Carolina (12/30/21)

HAD 600+ TOTAL NET YARDS:

606, vs Tennessee (11/19/22)

HAD A 50+ YARD RUN:

52, Rocket Sanders vs. Texas A&M (11/2/24)

HAD A 50+ YARD RECEPTION:

57, LaNorris Sellers to Joshua Simon, vs Texas A&M (11/2/24)

The Last an Opponent Had...

TEAM...

LESS THAN 50 YARDS RUSHING:

37, vs. Akron (9/21/24)

300+ YARDS RUSHING:

374, at Florida (11/12/22)

LESS THAN 100 YARDS PASSING:

44, at Kentucky (9/7/24)

400+ YARDS PASSING:

423, vs. Florida (10/14/23)

LESS THAN 200 TOTAL NET YARDS:

154, vs. Akron (9/21/24)

500+ TOTAL NET YARDS:

519, vs. Mississippi State (9/23/23)

600+ TOTAL NET YARDS:

708, at Ole Miss (11/14/20)

INDIVIDUAL...

350+ YARDS PASSING:

423, Graham Mertz, Florida (10/14/23)

400+ YARDS PASSING:

423, Graham Mertz, Florida (10/14/23)

150+ YARDS RUSHING:

159, Cody Schrader, Missouri (10/21/23)

200+ YARDS RUSHING:

209, Tyler Badie, at Missouri (11/13/21)

250+ YARDS RUSHING:

321, Darren McFadden, Ark. (11/3/07)

300+ YARDS RUSHING:

321, Darren McFadden, Ark. (11/3/07)

200+ YARDS RECEIVING:

256, Lideatrick Griffin, Miss. State (9/23/23)

50+ YARD RUN:

85, Trevor Etienne, Florida (11/12/22)

50+ YARD RECEPTION:

54, Jackson Arnold to Brenen Thompson, Oklahoma (10/19/24)

MADE 4+ FIELD GOALS:

4, Trey Smack, Florida (10/14/23)

RUSHED FOR 4+ TOUCHDOWNS:

4, Chad Jasmin, Clemson (11/21/03)

PASSED FOR 4+ TOUCHDOWNS:

4, Matt Corral, Ole Miss (11/14/20)

TWO PLAYERS WITH...

100+ YARDS RUSHING:

at Florida, Montrell Johnson (161) and Trevor Etienne (100), (11/12/22)

100+ YARDS RECEIVING:

Ole Miss, Elijah Moore (225) & Braylon Sanders (141), (11/14/20)



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South Carolina 23
Old Dominion 19



August 31, 2024
Williams-Brice Stadium
Columbia, S.C.
78,496



COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — South Carolina recovered two fumbles inside the 10 leading to its only two touchdowns and the Gamecocks used the Old Dominion miscues to beat the Monarchs 23-19 on Saturday night.

South Carolina freshman quarterback LaNorris Sellers ran for a 3-yard touchdown with 6:11 to go to finally push the Gamecocks (1-0) past the Monarchs (0-1), picked to finish sixth in the seven-team Sun Belt Conference East Division.

Sellers did not have a stellar debut. He completed just 10 of 23 passes for 114 yards and carried the ball 22 times for 68 yards.

“The biggest thing is just let’s not beat ourselves and I thought we had too much of that tonight,” South Carolina coach Shane Beamer said, ticking off poor perimeter blocking, dropped passes, costly penalties and players not being in the right places.

Old Dominion quarterback Grant Wilson struggled too. He had both fumbles deep in his own territory, threw a second quarter interception in the end zone and ended the Monarchs last chance with another interception with 1:29 left in the game.

“I didn’t have the ball secured like I should have,” Grant said about his last fumble that led to South Carolina’s winning touchdown. “I’m going to work extremely hard so it doesn’t happen again.”

Beamer called South Carolina’s play unacceptable, starting with his coaching, but said he will never keep his team from celebrating a win.

SOUTH CAROLINA DEBUTS

The Gamecocks had a couple of highly anticipated debuts on offense. One went well and the other is a work in progress.

Raheim Sanders, the all-SEC running back at Arkansas, ran 24 times for 88 yards and a touchdown in his first game.

The Gamecocks didn’t appear to open the playbook much for Sellers, a raw talent who won a state title in high school two years ago. He overthrew several passes and took four sacks. Sellers ran the ball 22 times, and they weren’t all designed or wanted.

“It’s not as easy as you might think it is,” Sellers said. “I need to get better. I’d say just being more patient and being myself.”

Old Dominion coach Ricky Rhane said he was impressed with the beating Norris took and his ability to not make bad decisions. Beamer said his receivers have to help the freshman.

“We don’t want him to run 22 times a game like we did tonight. We got to continue to be better around him. We got to be able to throw the ball,” Beamer said.

Old Dominion	7	0	9	3	19
South Carolina	10	3	3	7	23

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	13:22	SC	R. Sanders 1-yard run (Herrera kick) (3-3-0:50)	7-0
1st	12:51	ODU	Paige 72-yard pass from Wilson (Sanchez kick) (2-75-0:31)	7-7
1st	6:09	SC	Herrera 40-yard field goal (13-53-6:42)	10-7
2nd	4:02	SC	Herrera 46-yard field goal (5-13-2:04)	13-7
3rd	7:13	SC	Herrera 33-yard field goal (16-60-7:47)	16-7
3rd	4:57	ODU	Wilson 36-yard run (kick blocked) (9-75-2:16)	16-13
3rd	0:14	ODU	Sanchez 40-yard field goal (8-47-1:49)	16-16
4th	9:54	ODU	Sanchez 33-yard field goal (13-42-4:19)	16-19
4th	6:51	SC	Sellers 3-yard run (Herrera kick) (2-6-0:37)	23-19

TEAM STATISTICS

	ODU	SC
First Downs	17	18
Rushing	4	14
Passing	12	4
Penalty	1	0
Net Yards Rushing	108	174
Rushing Attempts	34	56
Net Yards Passing	197	114
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	22-38-2	10-23-0
Total Offense Yards	305	288
Total Offense Plays	72	79
Fumbles: No.-Lost	4-2	1-1
Penalties: No.-Yards	5-33	5-33
Punts-Yards	6-241	6-206
Avg. Yards Per Punt	40.2	34.3
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	2-10
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	2-24	3-53
Interceptions: No.-Yards	0-0	2-9
Possession Time	24:34	35:46
Third Down Conversions	9-18	5-18
Fourth Down Conversions	1-1	2-2
Red Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	4-4
Sacks By: No.-Yards	4-32	5-18
PAT Kicks	1-2	2-2
Field Goals	2-2	3-4

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: ODU: Young 16-56; Duke 7-36; Wilson 11-16. **SC:** R. Sanders 24-88; Sellers 22-68; McDowell 2-16; J. Brown 1-16; Adaway III 4-5; Team 3-(-19).

PASSING: ODU: Wilson 22-38-2-197. **SC:** Sellers 10-23-0-114.

RECEIVING: ODU: Paige 8-115; Alston 5-40; Vines 4-7; Conroy 2-22; Young 2-9; Duke 1-4. **SC:** Jacobs 2-59; Bennett Jr. 2-18; M. Smith 2-4; Simon 1-10; R. Sanders 1-10; Mangrum 1-7; Campbell 1-6.

PUNT RETURNS: ODU: None. **SC:** McDowell 2-10.

KICKOFF RETURNS: ODU: Roche 1-17; McKithen 1-7. **SC:** McDowell 3-53.

INTERCEPTION RETURNS: ODU: None. **SC:** Fortune 1-0; J. Kilgore 1-9.



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South Carolina 31 Kentucky 6

September 7, 2024
Kroger Stadium
Lexington, Ky.
61,349



LEXINGTON, KY. (AP) — LaNorris Sellers threw two touchdown passes, Nick Emmanwori returned one of South Carolina's two interceptions for another score and the Gamecocks held Kentucky to just 183 yards for a 31-6 victory to open Southeastern Conference play on Saturday.

Raheim Sanders rushed for a 6-yard touchdown late in the third quarter to help break the game open for South Carolina (2-0) in the SEC's lone head-to-head matchup. For one week, the Gamecocks sit atop the expanded 16-team league and can thank their opportunistic defense for helping make it possible in the nationally televised game.

"The way we practiced this week, I felt like a lot of guys did pretty good and the pass rush, one-on-ones and a lot of that stuff you see translates to the game really well," defensive tackle T.J. Sanders said. "It's nothing special. It's just about preparing for that moment."

Emmanwori's 24-yard pick-6 to start the fourth quarter effectively sealed their third consecutive win over the Wildcats (1-1). Jalon Kilgore followed with an interception of backup Gavin Wimsatt, giving the Gamecocks four through two games.

Alex Raynor kicked field goals of 32 and 39 just before halftime for Kentucky. A week after jumping on Southern Miss quickly for a lightning-shortened 31-0 rout, the Wildcats showed none of that intensity and failed to score a touchdown for the first time since being shut out 21-0 by Iowa in the 2022 Music City Bowl.

"We've been beaten pretty badly by some really good football teams, but I felt like our team always fought back," coach Mark Stoops said. "Today, it didn't look like we were a very well-coached team and it didn't look like a team that, that really, wanted to respond."

South Carolina also rang up five sacks, capping a defensive performance that held Kentucky to just 44 yards passing. The overall yardage allowed was the Gamecocks' lowest since holding Eastern Illinois to 109 in 2021.

"What a team win for our football program," Gamecocks coach Shane Beamer said. "The offense, defense, special teams. You talk about gritty. You talk about tough. You talk about competitive. We showed it all today."

South Carolina led throughout thanks to Sellers, who threw TD passes of 24 yards to wide-open Mazeo Bennett Jr. in the first quarter and 16 to Joshua Simon in the third to make 17-6. Sellers completed 11 of 15 for 159 yards with an interception to lead an offense that gained just 252 yards but did what it had to.

KEY TAKEAWAYS

South Carolina continued its fierce defensive play with a backfield presence that harassed Brock Vandagriff early and often and blew up other plays before they could develop. That helped Sellers' early touchdown stand long enough for the Gamecocks to add another TD coming out of the break.

Kentucky struggled in most every phase and has a lot to correct before facing Georgia. Even before losing left guard Jager Burton and right tackle Gerald Mincey to injuries, the offensive line struggled to protect Vandagriff and never got the passing game going. Demie Sumo-Karngbaye rushed 17 times for 70 of the Wildcats' 139 yards, but the Wildcats couldn't reach the end zone. The Wildcats were 3 of 14 on third down and failed on both fourth-down chances.

South Carolina	7	3	14	7	31
Kentucky	0	6	0	0	6

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	7:39	SC	Bennett 24-yard pass from Sellers (Herrera kick) (4-61-1:21)	7-0
2nd	8:06	SC	Herrera 29-yard field goal (6-20-3:05)	10-0
2nd	1:55	UK	Raynor 32-yard field goal (12-57-6:03)	10-3
2nd	0:19	UK	Raynor 39-yard field goal (4-7-1:20)	10-6
3rd	6:49	SC	Simon 16-yard pass from Sellers (Herrera kick) (7-58-3:53)	17-6
3rd	0:28	SC	R. Sanders 6-yard run (Herrera kick) (9-43-4:05)	24-6
4th	14:49	SC	Emmanwori 24-yard interception return (Herrera kick)	31-6

TEAM STATISTICS

	SC	UK
First Downs	13	13
Rushing	4	11
Passing	6	2
Penalty	3	0
Net Yards Rushing	79	139
Rushing Attempts	35	46
Net Yards Passing	173	44
Cmp-Att-Int.	11-15-1	6-17-2
Total Offense Yards	252	183
Total Offense Plays	50	63
Fumbles: No.-Lost	4-0	4-0
Penalties: No.-Yards	8-70	11-63
Punts-Yards	5-258	6-260
Avg. Yards Per Punt	51.6	43.3
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	2-4	3-20
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	1-17	6-107
Interceptions: No.-Yards	2-38	1-16
Possession Time	27:39	32:21
Third Down Conversions	3-10	3-14
Fourth Down Conversions	0-0	0-2
Red Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	2-2
Sacks By: No.-Yards	5-41	4-29
PAT Kicks	4-4	0-0
Field Goals	1-1	2-2

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: SC: R. Sanders 13-54; Ashford 6-26; J. Brown 1-11; McDowell 3-3; Adaway III 1-(-1); Team 3-(-3); Sellers 8-(-11). **UK:** Sumo-Karngbaye 17-70; Patterson 10-45; Wimsatt 6-44; Maclin 1-12; Brown-Stephens 1-8; Brown 2-(-11); Vandagriff 9-(-29).

PASSING: SC: Sellers 10-14-1-166; Ashford 1-1-0-7. **UK:** Vandagriff 3-10-1-30; Wimsatt 3-7-1-14.

RECEIVING: SC: J. Brown 4-50; Bennett Jr. 3-63; M. Smith 3-44; Simon 1-16. **UK:** Key 2-36; Farrier II 2-3; Suno-Karngbaye 1-3; Maclin 1-2.

PUNT RETURNS: SC: McDowell 2-4. **UK:** Maclin 3-20.

KICKOFF RETURNS: SC: McDowell 1-17. **UK:** Brown 4-74; Sumo-Karngbaye 2-33.

INTERCEPTION RETURNS: SC: Emmanwori 1-24; J. Kilgore 1-14. **UK:** Bryant 1-16.



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#16/17 LSU 36
South Carolina 33



September 14, 2024
Williams-Brice Stadium
Columbia, S.C.
79,531



COLUMBIA, S.C. — LSU's Josh Williams scored on a 2-yard run with 1:12 left and No.16 LSU rallied to beat South Carolina 36-33 to open Southeastern Conference play on Saturday in Columbia.

Taking advantage of an uncharacteristic start from the ranked Tigers, South Carolina set the standard early, scoring the game's first 17 points behind rushing touchdowns from quarterback LaNorris Sellers and running back Raheim Sanders.

In the second quarter, Quarterback Garrett Nussmeier and his Tiger offense strung together two consecutive drives to make the score a more competitive 17-10.

Before the half was over, Sellers punched in his second rushing touchdown of the day in a 75-yard burst that was the longest by a quarterback in South Carolina history.

The Tigers grabbed six more points before heading into the locker room trailing 24-16.

South Carolina's half ended with Sellers, who ran for 88 yards and threw for 113, coming out of the final drive with an ankle injury. He would return for one three-and-out series in the third quarter before spending the rest of the game on the sidelines.

South Carolina returned to the second half with backup quarterback Robby Ashford in its opening drive and going three and out setting up good field position for the Tigers. LSU capped the following drive with Caden Durham's second score of the game.

LSU found its first lead of the game less than a minute into the fourth quarter on a 2-yard touchdown from Mason Taylor.

Quickly after, Sanders, the Arkansas transfer, had a 66-yard touchdown that put the Gamecocks back on top. Sanders completed the day with 143 yards and two scores.

Nussmeier threw an interception on fourth down on the goal line that looked like it might end his team's chances. But, the Tigers got a final chance with less than four minutes left. Nussmeier found Kyren Lacy for a 29-yard catch that took it to the South Carolina 4. Two plays later, Williams sped in for the touchdown.

South Carolina had one final chance to tie things, driving to the LSU 31 with :05 to play. Kicker Alex Herrera, however, missed his long field goal attempt and LSU players ran to the sideline to celebrate.

Head coach Shane Beamer, unable to pull off a ranked win to mark themselves as SEC contenders, said the third quarter had a big effect on the defense as the team tried to close out the game with a win.

"We led going into the fourth quarter, we led at halftime, and we scored first," said Beamer. "We just couldn't finish. That third quarter was big. Field position-wise and taking momentum back a little bit there."

THE TAKEAWAY

LSU: It was an inconsistent performance by the Tigers, but it was a much needed victory after the grumbling from losing to Southern Cal 27-20 in the opener two weeks ago.

South Carolina: The Gamecocks, picked 13th in the 16-team SEC, missed a golden opportunity to mark themselves as SEC contenders.

LSU	0	16	6	14	36
South Carolina	7	17	0	9	33

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	12:14	SC	Sellers 4-yard run (Herrera kick) (7-75-2:46)	7-0
2nd	13:49	SC	Herrera 28-yard field goal (13-65-6:24)	10-0
2nd	12:19	SC	R. Sanders 10-yard run (Herrera kick) (1-10-0:07)	17-0
2nd	8:08	LSU	Durham 26-yard run (Ramos kick) (8-75-4:11)	17-7
2nd	4:28	LSU	Ramos 28-yard field goal (4-7-1:32)	17-10
2nd	4:15	SC	Sellers 75-yard run (Herrera kick) (1-75-0:13)	24-10
2nd	1:20	LSU	Lacy 12-yard pass from Nussmeier (pass failed) (6-75-2:55)	24-16
3rd	6:47	LSU	Durham 9-yard run (pass failed) (5-45-1:38)	24-22
4th	14:56	LSU	Taylor 2-yard pass from Nussmeier (Ramos kick) (10-80-5:03)	24-29
4th	13:51	SC	R. Sanders 66-yard run (pass failed) (3-75-1:03)	30-29
4th	10:34	SC	Herrera 42-yard field goal (4-0-1:23)	33-29
4th	1:12	LSU	Williams 2-yard run (Ramos kick) (8-55-2:34)	33-36

TEAM STATISTICS

	LSU	SC
First Downs	26	18
Rushing	7	8
Passing	14	7
Penalty	5	3
Net Yards Rushing	132	243
Rushing Attempts	32	41
Net Yards Passing	285	155
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	24-40-1	11-20-1
Total Offense Yards	417	398
Total Offense Plays	72	61
Fumbles: No.-Lost	1-1	4-2
Penalties: No.-Yards	9-75	13-123
Punts-Yards	4-122	3-130
Avg. Yards Per Punt	30.5	43.3
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	2-4	2-43
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	3-50	0-0
Interceptions: No.-Yards	1-0	1-20
Possession Time	32:57	27:03
Third Down Conversions	6-14	3-12
Fourth Down Conversions	0-1	0-1
Red Zone Scores-Chances	5-7	3-3
Sacks By: No.-Yards	5-42	2-24
PAT Kicks	3-3	3-3
Field Goals	1-1	2-3

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: LSU: Durham 11-98; Jackson 7-27; Williams 10-20; Thomas 1-12; Nussmeier 3-(-25). **SC:** R. Sanders 19-143; Sellers 10-88; Ashford 11-11; Adaway III 1-1.

PASSING: LSU: Nussmeier 24-40-1-285. **SC:** Sellers 9-16-1-113; Ashford 2-4-0-42.

RECEIVING: LSU: Taylor 6-58; Anderson 5-96; Lacy 5-63; Daniels 4-53; Williams 2-15; Durham 1-1; Thomas 1-(-1). **SC:** J. Brown 3-48; Simon 3-40; Harbor 2-18; Jacobs 1-31; R. Sanders 1-11; Bennett Jr. 1-7.

PUNT RETURNS: LSU: Thomas 2-4. **SC:** McDowell 1-12; M. Brown 1-15; Mack III 0-16.

KICKOFF RETURNS: LSU: Thomas 3-50. **SC:** None.

INTERCEPTION RETURNS: LSU: Alexander 1-0. **SC:** Emmanwori 1-20.



GM 4

South Carolina 50

Akron 7

September 21, 2024
Williams-Brice Stadium
Columbia, S.C.
78,704



COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — Backup Robby Ashford, starting when LaNorris Sellers injured his right ankle in a loss to LSU last week, threw for two touchdowns and ran for a third as South Carolina topped Akron 50-7 on Saturday night.

The Gamecocks opened 3-1 for the first time since 2017 as they bounced back from squandering a 17-0 lead over No. 16 LSU last week to lose 36-33 in the final two minutes.

“Obviously, this was a tough week, coming off last week,” South Carolina coach Shane Beamer said. “We certainly had a bitter disappointment last week, but our guys responded the right way.”

Particularly Ashford, who started 10 games over two seasons at Auburn before transferring, making good on Beamer’s vow that multiple Gamecock quarterbacks could win games if given the chance.

“Been through a lot of ups and downs in my career and it’s taught me a lot,” Ashford said. “None of this would have been possible without my teammates. They let me know from the jump, ‘Hey, we got confidence in you.’”

Ashford finished with 243 yards passing, including scoring throws of 30 yards to Mazeo Bennett and 12 yards to JuJu McDowell. Ashford also ran for a game-high 133 yards with a scoring run of 36 yards.

Oscar Adaway, playing when starting tailback Raheim Sanders left the game early with an injury, had a pair of two-yard scoring runs.

Ashford was 15-of-21 passing. With many in the stadium and watching from home expecting the Gamecocks (3-1) to make their living on the ground, Ashford instead was able to unsheathe the Gamecocks’ previously anonymous receiving game.

“I’m beyond proud of him. His number was called and he went out there and did what he was supposed to do,” Bennett said of Ashford.

Bennett, a freshman receiver, had five catches for 71 yards.

Akron (1-3) was led by 110 passing yards from Ben Finley, who threw for one TD but also had an interception. The Gamecocks’ defense held the Zips to 154 yards.

“These are the games where dominant teams be dominant,” South Carolina defensive end Kyle Kennard said. “If you claim to be the kind of defense we claim to be, these are the games where there’s no question.”

The Gamecocks also finished with zero turnovers, which was a concern over their first three games.

Akron posted its lone score just before halftime, running six plays for 70 yards and Adrian Norton finishing with a 42-yard pass for a touchdown. Ashford couldn’t handle a snap on fourth-and-short on the ensuing drive to squelch an opportunity, and with the Zips getting the ball first in the second half, a 22-7 lead could have been further whittled.

But the Gamecocks forced a punt, then forced another before Adaway collected his second touchdown. Third-string QB Davis Beville threw his first South Carolina touchdown to backup tight end Connor Cox while S.C. State transfer Jawarn Howell had a 23-yard rushing TD.

THE TAKEAWAY

Akron: It was a game needed for the ledger. The Zips pocketed \$1.5 million from South Carolina to come to Columbia. The Mid-American Conference schedule will decide the season.

South Carolina: The Gamecocks were able to find another dimension with their offense, even with a top part of it mostly sidelined. The next two weeks of recovery will be key to how they prepare for their next opponent, Top-10 Ole Miss.

Akron	0	7	0	0	7
South Carolina	15	7	7	21	50

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	5:19	SC	Adaway III 2-yard run (Herrera kick) (13-89-5:38)	7-0
1st	0:53	SC	Bennett Jr. 30-yard pass from Ashford (Kroeger rush) (7-85-3:02)	15-0
2nd	4:28	SC	McDowell 12-yard pass from Ashford (Herrera kick) (11-80-4:57)	22-0
2nd	1:53	AKR	Norton 42-yard pass from Finley (Smith kick) (6-70-2:31)	22-7
3rd	5:02	SC	Adaway III 2-yard run (Herrera kick) (7-84-3:43)	29-7
4th	13:14	SC	Ashford 36-yard run (Herrera kick) (5-71-1:59)	36-7
4th	8:14	SC	Cox 9-yard pass from Beville (Herrera kick) (12-46-4:44)	43-7
4th	4:03	SC	Howell 23-yard run (Herrera kick) (4-37-1:49)	50-7

TEAM STATISTICS

	AKR	SC
First Downs	9	27
Rushing	3	15
Passing	5	11
Penalty	1	1
Net Yards Rushing	37	273
Rushing Attempts	21	53
Net Yards Passing	117	276
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	16-30-1	19-27-0
Total Offense Yards	154	549
Total Offense Plays	51	80
Fumbles: No.-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties: No.-Yards	6-55	7-70
Punts-Yards	10-478	4-213
Avg. Yards Per Punt	47.8	53.2
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	3-35
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	1-2	1-17
Interceptions: No.-Yards	0-0	1-(-4)
Possession Time	23:57	36:03
Third Down Conversions	3-13	5-14
Fourth Down Conversions	0-0	4-5
Red Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	4-4
Sacks By: No.-Yards	3-24	2-12
PAT Kicks	1-1	6-6
Field Goals	0-0	0-0

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: AKR: Simmons 6-19; Kellom 5-18; Bullock 3-1; Finley 5-0; Williams 1-0; Team 1-(-1). **SC:** Ashford 16-133; Adaway III 14-42; Howell 5-33; McDowell 5-29; Fuller 8-25; Dunn 2-10; R. Sanders 1-1; Harbor 1-1; Team 1-(-1).

PASSING: AKR: Finley 14-27-1-110; Bullock 2-3-0-7. **SC:** Ashford 15-21-0-243; Beville 4-6-0-33.

RECEIVING: AKR: Norton 4-56; Kellom 4-16; Newell 3-24; Simmons 2-8; Cravaack 2-7; Polk 1-6. **SC:** Bennett Jr. 5-71; Larvadain 2-79; Rice 2-20; Harbor 2-17; Campbell 1-27; Simon 1-17; McDowell 1-12; Hunt 1-11; Cox 1-9; R. Sanders 1-6; Mangrum 1-4; M. Smith 1-3.

PUNT RETURNS: AKR: None. **SC:** J. Kilgore 1-28; Larvadain 1-6; McDowell 1-1.

KICKOFF RETURNS: AKR: Spriggs 1-2. **SC:** McDowell 1-17.

INTERCEPTION RETURNS: AKR: None. **SC:** D. Smith 1-(-4).



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#12/11 Ole Miss 27

South Carolina 3



October 5, 2024
Williams-Brice Stadium
Columbia, S.C.
79,837



COLUMBIA, S.C. — The South Carolina Gamecocks fell to 3-2 (1-2 Southeastern Conference) after suffering a 27-3 loss against No. 12 Ole Miss (5-1, 1-1) on Saturday afternoon. The Gamecocks took on the challenge of hosting the highly ranked Rebels after their upset loss at home against Kentucky the week prior.

Able to gain a quick lead off early gambles from the Gamecocks, the Rebels took advantage of a fake punt on fourth-and-1 at South Carolina's 36 as Maurice Brown II was stuffed short. Just five plays later, Ole Miss punched in a Henry Parrish Jr. rushing touchdown to take the early lead.

Mistakes continued to plague the next series when South Carolina lined up with both quarterbacks Robby Ashford and LaNorris Sellers on the field. Ashford took the snap and fumbled allowing Ole Miss to recover and march down the field on the subsequent drive for the first of two JJ Pegues touchdowns.

When asked about the risky play calling, Beamer said he thought they had good plays, something they had repped a lot, Ole Miss just did a good job defending them.

"We certainly wanted to be aggressive," said Beamer. "When you go into a game that you know the other team's offense is explosive. You got to be smart."

In the second quarter, South Carolina scrapped its only points of the day after a drive starting on the Rebel's 47-yard line resulted in a field goal. The drive began after Jalon Kilgore stopped an Ole Miss run on a 4th-and-2 on the Rebel side of the field.

Right before halftime, Pegues was at it again. This time, he found an open lane into the end zone as Ole Miss went up 24-3. It was his fifth career offensive score, four of those coming on the ground this season. He also had a TD catch in 2022.

The South Carolina defense was able to slow the Rebels' momentum in the second half of the game. However, the Gamecocks were not able to come up with a key turnover to avenge their early mistakes, something Beamer said was disappointing. Beamer reiterated that "[they] knew "the turnover margin was going to be critical in this game."

TJ Sanders led the defense with a team-best nine tackles while Judge Collier had three pass breakups.

As for the offense, they were unable to get anything going again as the Ole Miss defense held South Carolina without a touchdown for the first time since losing 34-12 with four field goals at Missouri last October.

In the end, Carolina ran for 151 yards and threw for 162 yards as Sellers had 20 completions, five each to Gage Larvadian and Joshua Simon. Sellers led Carolina with 55 rushing yards on 15 attempts.

Jaxson Dart completed 14 of 27 passes for 285 yards for Ole Miss, while Henry Parrish Jr. carried 21 times for a game-high 81 yards.

Ole Miss	14	10	3	0	27
South Carolina	0	3	0	0	3

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	10:36	MISS	Parrish Jr. 3-yard run (Davis kick) (5-36-1:36)	0-7
1st	5:57	MISS	Pegues 1-yard run (Davis kick) (8-59-3:07)	0-14
2nd	10:08	SC	Herrera 40-yard field goal (5-25-1:49)	3-14
2nd	7:16	MISS	Davis 24-yard field goal (8-68-2:52)	3-17
2nd	0:31	MISS	Pegues 1-yard run (Davis kick) 6-59-1:15)	3-24
3rd	1:56	MISS	Davis 44-yard field goal (9-53-2:21)	3-27

TEAM STATISTICS

	MISS	SC
First Downs	17	19
Rushing	7	10
Passing	8	8
Penalty	2	1
Net Yards Rushing	140	151
Rushing Attempts	41	43
Net Yards Passing	285	162
Cmp-Att-Int.	14-27-0	20-33-1
Total Offense Yards	425	313
Total Offense Plays	68	76
Fumbles: No.-Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties: No.-Yards	8-65	8-80
Punts-Yards	4-198	4-207
Avg. Yards Per Punt	49.5	51.8
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	2-10	1-4
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	0-0	0-0
Interceptions: No.-Yards	1-0	0-0
Possession Time	27:22	32:38
Third Down Conversions	3-13	5-16
Fourth Down Conversions	1-3	1-4
Red Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	1-3
Sacks By: No.-Yards	6-21	1-8
PAT Kicks	3-3	0-0
Field Goals	2-2	1-2

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: MISS: Parrish Jr. 21-81; Dart 8-44; Jones 10-13; Pegues 2-2. **SC:** Sellers 15-55; Adaway III 9-34; R. Sanders 8-29; Howell 4-19; McDowell 5-12; Ashford 1-2; M. Brown 1-0.

PASSING: MISS: Dart 14-27-0-285. **SC:** Sellers 20-32-1-162; Team 0-1-0-0.

RECEIVING: MISS: Watkins 5-72; Wells Jr. 3-97; Harris 3-81; Lee 2-22; Prieskorn 1-13. **SC:** Larvadian 5-39; Simon 5-37; Bennett Jr. 3-41; Harbor 3-16; Jacobs 1-17; J. Brown 1-5; R. Sanders 1-5; Adaway III 1-2.

PUNT RETURNS: MISS: Davis 2-10. **SC:** McDowell 1-4.

KICKOFF RETURNS: MISS: None. **SC:** None.

INTERCEPTION RETURNS: MISS: Amos 1-0. **SC:** None.



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#7/7 Alabama 27
South Carolina 25

October 12, 2024

Bryant-Denny Stadium
Tuscaloosa, Ala.
100,077



TUSCALOOSA, ALA. (AP) — Alabama was pushed to the brink of a second straight Southeastern Conference upset loss.

This time the Crimson Tide survived, if only barely. No. 7 Alabama (5-1, 2-1) botched the recovery of an onside kick to give South Carolina one last chance, but Domani Jackson intercepted LaNorris Sellers as time expired and the Tide escaped with a 27-25 win.

It was Alabama's third straight game that went down to the very end, having beaten then-No. 2 Georgia 41-34 a week before losing 40-35 to Vanderbilt.

"Another game down to the wire," Tide coach Kalen DeBoer said. "We're kind of getting accustomed to those. There's some things that we can do to make sure it doesn't get to that point. But we always talk about finding a way to win. As many times as it looked like we weren't, we did."

With 43 seconds remaining, Sellers hit Nyck Harbor for a 31-yard touchdown, but the Gamecocks (3-2, 1-3) failed to convert on their two-point attempt. They recovered the ensuing onside kick, but Sellers' desperation heave toward the end zone with 13 seconds remaining was intercepted at the goal line by Jackson.

"We expected to win this game," South Carolina coach Shane Beamer said. "Nobody was coming in here at halftime doing cartwheels because we were in a tight game with Alabama. We expected that, because we have a good football team. Life in this conference is really hard."

Jalen Milroe rushed for a 7-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter and then hit Germie Bernard for a late 34-yard score to help Alabama survive the scare. It wasn't quite the emphatic rebound win they were hoping to produce.

Milroe delivered when he had to in a game where he was intercepted twice and flagged for intentional grounding on a sack in the end zone for a safety. Facing third-and-10, he found Bernard downfield without a defender anywhere in the vicinity with 1:54 left to cap a 10-play drive.

Milroe was 16-of-23 passing for 209 yards with a touchdown and two rushing scores. Sellers was 23 of 31 for 238 yards with two TDs and the final pick.

The Gamecocks entered the fourth quarter with a lead and had a chance to retake it. But Alex Herrera's 51-yard field goal attempt, which would have been a career long, was short.

Milroe had taken advantage of a Sellers fumble with his 7-yard touchdown run with 10:42 left but the two-point pass failed, leaving it 20-19.

He was relegated to cheerleader at the end with the defense on the field, just like against Vandy and Georgia.

"When we talk about team, that's a great example of just finding a way as a group to just cheer on whoever's on the field and everyone just buying in," Milroe said.

Alabama's 14-0 lead was whittled down to two over the final 1:37 before halftime amid a series of South Carolina's big plays and Tide snafus. It included the safety, turnovers from each team and Sellers' fourth-and-9 pass to a wide-open Mazeo Bennett Jr. for a 36-yard score.

"There was some crazy stuff but our guys just kept hanging in there," Beamer said.

South Carolina	0	12	7	6	25
Alabama	7	7	0	13	27

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	11:00	ALA	Milroe 1-yard run (Nicholson kick) (9-75-4:00)	0-7
2nd	4:38	ALA	Haynes 2-yard run (Nicholson kick) (7-67-3:32)	0-14
2nd	1:37	SC	Bennett Jr. 36-yard pass from Sellers (Herrera kick) (10-75-3:01)	7-14
2nd	1:28	SC	Safety - Milroe intentional grounding in the end zone	9-14
2nd	0:00	SC	Herrera 37-yard field goal (1-0-0:01)	12-14
3rd	6:20	SC	R. Sanders 1-yard run (Herrera kick) (16-85-8:35)	19-14
4th	10:42	ALA	Milroe 7-yard run (pass failed) (3-31-1:23)	19-20
4th	1:54	ALA	Bernard 34-yard pass from Milroe (Nicholson kick) (10-67-4:14)	19-27
4th	0:43	SC	Harbor 31-yard pass from Sellers (pass failed) (6-75-1:11)	25-27

TEAM STATISTICS

	SC	ALA
First Downs	23	20
Rushing	9	9
Passing	11	10
Penalty	3	1
Net Yards Rushing	132	104
Rushing Attempts	39	38
Net Yards Passing	242	209
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	24-32-1	16-23-2
Total Offense Yards	374	313
Total Offense Plays	71	61
Fumbles: No.-Lost	3-3	1-0
Penalties: No.-Yards	6-49	7-66
Punts-Yards	3-135	3-143
Avg. Yards Per Punt	45.0	47.7
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	2-5	1-1
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	2-21	1-20
Interceptions: No.-Yards	2-31	1-38
Possession Time	31:40	28:20
Third Down Conversions	7-15	5-11
Fourth Down Conversions	1-2	1-1
Red Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	3-4
Sacks By: No.-Yards	4-36	4-26
PAT Kicks	2-2	3-3
Field Goals	1-2	0-0

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: SC: R. Sanders 16-78; Sellers 16-19; Adaway III 4-14; Ashford 2-11; Larvadain 1-10. **ALA:** Miller 12-42; Milroe 18-36; Haynes 8-26.

PASSING: SC: Sellers 23-31-1-238; Ashford 1-1-0-4. **ALA:** Milroe 16-23-2-209.

RECEIVING: SC: Simon 5-22; R. Sanders 4-25; Bennett Jr. 3-37; Adaway III 3-30; Harbor 2-40; Jacobs 2-23; Larvadain 2-20; M. Smith 1-15; Campbell 1-8; Shivers 1-2. **ALA:** Bernard 4-89; Williams 4-32; Adams 2-57; Haynes 2-16; Dippre 2-(-3); Miller 1-13; Cuevas 1-5.

PUNT RETURNS: SC: McDowell 2-5. **ALA:** Adams 1-1.

KICKOFF RETURNS: SC: McDowell 1-15. **ALA:** Henderson 1-20.

INTERCEPTION RETURNS: SC: J. Kilgore 1-31; Fortune 1-0. **ALA:** Jackson 1-38.



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South Carolina 35
Oklahoma 9

October 19, 2024

Oklahoma Memorial Stadium
Norman, Okla.
83,331



NORMAN, OKLA. (AP) — LaNorris Sellers passed for 175 yards and South Carolina scored two defensive touchdowns in the first quarter to set the tone in a 35-9 rout of Oklahoma on Saturday.

South Carolina had nine sacks and 13 tackles for loss and held the Sooners to 291 total yards.

The Gamecocks (4-3, 2-3 Southeastern Conference) got a win for their coach, former Oklahoma assistant Shane Beamer. He said returning was important, but the recovery after a 27-25 loss at then-No. 7 Alabama a week earlier was even more satisfying.

“Just so happy for our players,” Beamer said. “To come off the heart-break of last week and respond like we did today was really freaking awesome to watch. I think there was very much a mentality with our players after last week of enough’s enough, and we know what kind of team we can be. We’ve been banging on the door. It’s time to kick the door down. And we certainly kicked the door down today.”

The Gamecocks scored 22 points off four Oklahoma turnovers without committing a turnover.

“We said going into the game that one of our keys to victory was — every week, it’s to win the turnover battle, but this week we actually used the word dominate the turnover battle, and they absolutely did,” Beamer said. “What a start.”

Jackson Arnold passed for 225 yards and a touchdown for Oklahoma after replacing Michael Hawkins Jr. in the first quarter. Jacob Jordan added six catches for 86 yards for the Sooners (4-3, 1-3). This marks the second time since 1999 that Oklahoma has lost consecutive home games.

“What we put out there today as a football team is nothing remotely close to the standard here at the University of Oklahoma, certainly not what we planned for today,” Oklahoma coach Brent Venables said. “My job as a head coach is to evaluate everything and figure it out and find a way to put us in a better position to be successful.”

Oklahoma got behind early after three quick turnovers that got Hawkins benched. He threw an interception on Oklahoma’s first offensive play, and the Gamecocks scored a touchdown on the possession. On Oklahoma’s next possession, Hawkins fumbled while being sacked by Demetrius Knight Jr, and Tonka Hemingway returned it 64 yards for a touchdown.

On Oklahoma’s third possession, Hawkins was hit as he threw, and Nick Emmanwori intercepted the errant throw and returned it 65 yards for a score to make it 21-0 just over five minutes into the game. Hawkins turned the ball over on three of his nine plays before he was replaced.

South Carolina led 32-3 at halftime after holding the Sooners to 109 yards.

The defense closed it out in the second half, giving the Gamecocks a confidence boost.

“We can go toe-to-toe with anybody in this country,” Beamer said. “I mean, if you’re one of the better teams in the SEC, you’re one of the better teams in the entire nation. And our record may not say it. And we know that every week is a grind in this league. But we’ve shown that we can go toe-to-toe with the best in this league.”

South Carolina	21	11	0	3	35
Oklahoma	0	3	6	0	9

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	12:33	SC	R. Sanders 3-yard run (Herrera kick) (5-41-2:13)	7-0
1st	11:21	SC	Hemingway 36-yard rumble recovery (Herrera kick)	14-0
1st	9:40	SC	Emmanwori 65-yard intercdption return (Herrera kick)	21-0
2nd	12:05	SC	Herrera 39-yard field goal (4-4-1:52)	24-0
2nd	5:17	OU	Schmit 44-yard field goal (11-53-4:01)	24-3
2nd	1:54	SC	Simon 33-yard pass from Sellers (M. Brown II rush) (8-75-3:23)	32-3
3rd	7:33	OU	Thompson 54-yard pass from Arnold (pass failed) (8-90-3:31)	32-9
4th	7:48	SC	Herrera 33-yard field goal (4-6-1:37)	35-9

TEAM STATISTICS

	SC	OU
First Downs	15	19
Rushing	4	8
Passing	10	9
Penalty	1	2
Net Yards Rushing	74	53
Rushing Attempts	41	41
Net Yards Passing	180	238
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	17-27-0	22-42-2
Total Offense Yards	254	291
Total Offense Plays	68	83
Fumbles: No.-Lost	0-0	6-2
Penalties: No.-Yards	6-42	3-27
Punts-Yards	8-413	5-233
Avg. Yards Per Punt	51.6	46.6
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	2-10	4-23
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	1-20	2-34
Interceptions: No.-Yards	2-63	0-0
Possession Time	31:47	28:13
Third Down Conversions	6-18	6-19
Fourth Down Conversions	0-1	1-5
Red Zone Scores-Chances	2-3	1-1
Sacks By: No.-Yards	9-77	6-48
PAT Kicks	3-3	0-0
Field Goals	2-2	1-1

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: SC: R. Sanders 15-33; Sellers 13-28; McDowell 3-15; Ad-away III 4-8; Howell 3-5; Team 2- (-2); Beville 1-(-13). **OU:** Barnes 17-70; Tatum 4-16; Hicks 2-11; Hawkins Jr. 1-(-15); Arnold 17-(-29).

PASSING: SC: Sellers 16-24-0-175; Team 0-1-0-0; Kroeger 0-1-0-0; Ashford 1-1-0-5. **OU:** Arnold 18-36-0-225; Hawkins Jr. 3-5-2-18; Elzinga 1-1-0-(-5).

RECEIVING: SC: Simon 4-43; Jacobs 4-40; Bennett Jr. 2-14; Harbor 2-13; Adaway III 1-27; M. Smith 1-25; Larvadain 1-7; R. Sanders 1-7; Campbell 1-5. **OU:** Jordan 6-86; Hester 4-44; Barnes 4-21; Sharp 3-9; Thompson 2-59; Tatum 1-18; Roberts 1-5; Ragins 1-(-4).

PUNT RETURNS: SC: McDowell 2-10. **OU:** Bowen 2-7; Jordan 2-16.

KICKOFF RETURNS: SC: McDowell 1-20. **OU:** Tatum 2-34.

INTERCEPTION RETURNS: SC: Emmanwori 2-63. **OU:** None.

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COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — LaNorris Sellers ran for 106 yards and threw for 244 more and South Carolina finally knocked off one of the Southeastern Conference's playoff contenders, beating No. 10 Texas A&M 44-20 on Saturday night.

The Gamecocks (5-3, 3-3) took LSU and Alabama to the wire this season before losing. But this time their freshman quarterback and senior transfer Raheim Sanders ran all over Aggies (7-2, 5-1), who came into Saturday allowing just 104.5 yards a game.

Sanders, the all-SEC transfer from Arkansas, rushed for 144 yards and two touchdowns.

Sellers threw for two touchdowns and ran for another score.

"He's special. He's just going to get better," Gamecocks coach Shane Beamer said about the quarterback who played only his fourth full game in college. "When he had those two losses against LSU and Alabama he was inexperienced."

Beamer said he felt like all he heard before the game was how powerful Texas A&M was on both lines. He was proud they gained 286 yards on the ground and shut out the Aggies in the second half.

"We're a pretty freaking physical team around here too," Beamer said in a raspy voice with a thick black chain with a Gamecock logo around his neck that was given to him by a student storming the field.

The Aggies ground their way through the SEC to be the last undefeated team in the league and worked their way back to a lead before halftime after falling behind 14-0 less than six minutes into the game.

But South Carolina's chaotic defense came through when needed. It stopped the Aggies twice on fourth-and-1, picked off Marcel Reed's pass as the freshman threw off his back foot as Texas A&M drove early in the fourth quarter, then scooped up Reed's fumble to squash their last hope.

Reed was 18 of 28 for 206 yards and ran for 46 yards as the Aggies starter Conner Weigman didn't play. Texas A&M coach Mike Elko said Reed is the starter right now but that could always change.

Texas A&M rushing leader Le'Veon Moss left the game early and didn't come back. Elko said his injury didn't look as serious as first thought, but he was waiting for more information.

Over and over again, the Texas A&M defense appeared to have Sellers sacked or Sanders stopped for a short gain and they bounced away. Elko said his team needs to realize it takes good form to bring down big men.

"Obviously I did a poor job getting our defense to understand how you tackle a 240-pound kid. We kept trying to get up high," Aggies coach Mike Elko said at his postgame news conference, his comments barely heard over fans still in the stands and on the field yelling "Game" and "Cocks."

THE TAKEAWAY

Texas A&M: The loss is a blow to the Aggies' SEC title hopes, but not a fatal one. They join four other teams — LSU, Georgia, Tennessee and Texas — with one conference loss. Texas A&M is at lowly Auburn then ends the regular season hosting the Longhorns. They have never made it to Atlanta to play in the championship game in 13 years in the SEC.

South Carolina: The Gamecocks are one of the SEC's most volatile teams. Saturday they showed they can beat about anyone in the league and are just a win away from a bowl with lower division Wofford still on the schedule.

Texas A&M	3	17	0	0	20
South Carolina	14	6	10	14	44

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	10:46	SC	Sellers 23-yard run (Herrera kick) (11-75-4:14)	7-0
1st	8:24	SC	Simon 15-yard pass from Sellers (Herrera kick) (2-34-0:47)	14-0
1st	5:15	TAMU	Bond 52-yard field goal (7-41-3:09)	14-3
2nd	13:12	TAMU	Bond 55-yard field goal (8-42-2:46)	14-6
2nd	8:45	SC	Herrera 25-yard field goal (10-68-4:27)	17-6
2nd	7:29	TAMU	Daniels 56-yard run (Bond kick) (3-65-1:16)	17-13
2nd	1:08	TAMU	Barber 2-yard pass from Reed (Bond kick) (10-60-4:20)1	17-20
2nd	0:02	SC	Herrera 44-yard field goal (6-49-1:06)	20-20
3rd	9:19	SC	R. Sanders 52-yard run (Herrera kick) (5-83-2:16)	27-20
3rd	6:50	SC	Herrera 43-yard field goal (4-6-0:50)	30-20
4th	3:24	SC	Simon 57-yard pass from Sellers (Herrera kick) (5-85-1:48)	37-20
4th	2:22	SC	R. Sanders 7-yard run (Herrera kick) (2-13-0:53)	44-20

TEAM STATISTICS

	TAMU	SC
First Downs	19	26
Rushing	7	13
Passing	11	9
Penalty	1	4
Net Yards Rushing	144	286
Rushing Attempts	42	43
Net Yards Passing	206	244
Cmp.-Att.-Int.	18-28-1	13-27-0
Total Offense Yards	350	530
Total Offense Plays	70	70
Fumbles: No.-Lost	4-1	1-1
Penalties: No.-Yards	7-68	3-25
Punts-Yards	5-201	4-160
Avg. Yards Per Punt	40.2	40.0
Punt Returns: No.-Yards	1-2	0-0
Kickoff Returns: No.-Yards	3-39	1-28
Interceptions: No.-Yards	0-0	1-2
Possession Time	30:48	29:12
Third Down Conversions	4-15	4-13
Fourth Down Conversions	1-3	1-2
Red Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	3-3
Sacks By: No.-Yards	0-0	3-24
PAT Kicks	2-2	5-5
Field Goals	2-2	3-3

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: TAMU: Daniels 13-83; Reed 16-46; Smith 8-15; Moss 2-8; Team 1-(-1); Thomas 1-(-2); Bussey 1-(-5). **SC:** R. Sanders 20-144; Sellers 15-106; Adaway III 8-36.

PASSING: TAMU: Reed 18-28-1-206. **SC:** Sellers 13-27-0-244.

RECEIVING: TAMU: Barber 7-80; Allen 3-40; Thomas 2-24; Walker 2-13; Moss 1-20; Watson 1-14; Daniels 1-8; Bussey 1-7. **SC:** R. Sanders 5-92; Simon 4-132; Bennett Jr. 2-19; J. Brown 1-1; Larvadain 1-0.

PUNT RETURNS: TAMU: Barber 1-2. **SC:** None.

KICKOFF RETURNS: TAMU: Smith 2-21; Bussey 1-18. **SC:** McDowell 1-28.

INTERCEPTION RETURNS: TAMU: None. **SC:** Fortune 1-2.



0 - JUJU McDOWELL (RB)

5-9, 184, Sr., 3L (Bainbridge, Ga.)

- ◆ Was credited with one kick return against Texas A&M on Saturday, recording a season-long 28-yard return.
- ◆ Has carried the ball 18 times this season, including a season-high five carries against Akron and Ole Miss in back-to-back games.
- ◆ Saw a heavy workload in the win over Akron, including a season high five carries for 29 yards and recorded his lone touchdown of the season in a 12-yard reception.
- ◆ Has totaled 283 all-purpose yards this season, including 196 yards in the return game.
- ◆ Has logged 158 career carries for 605 yards and six scores, while also recording 44 receptions for 375 yards and three touchdowns.
- ◆ Has played in 43 career games with five starts.

RUSHING	RUSH	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	2	16	0	12
KENTUCKY	3	3	0	4
LSU	0	0	0	0
AKRON	5	29	0	9
OLE MISS	5	12	0	4
ALABAMA	0	0	0	0
OKLAHOMA	3	15	0	13
TEXAS A&M	0	0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	18	75	0	13
CAREER TOTALS	158	605	6	35

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	0	0	0	0
KENTUCKY	0	0	0	0
LSU	0	0	0	0
AKRON	1	12	1	12
OLE MISS	0	0	0	0
ALABAMA	0	0	0	0
OKLAHOMA	0	0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	1	12	1	12
CAREER TOTALS	44	375	3	65

KICK RETURNS	KR	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	3	53	0	21
KENTUCKY	1	17	0	17
LSU	0	0	0	0
AKRON	1	17	0	17
OLE MISS	0	0	0	0
ALABAMA	1	15	0	15
OKLAHOMA	1	20	0	20
TEXAS A&M	1	28	0	28
2024 TOTALS	8	150	0	28
CAREER TOTALS	32	686	0	63

PUNT RETURNS	PR	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	2	10	0	13
KENTUCKY	2	4	0	2
LSU	1	12	0	12
AKRON	1	1	0	1
OLE MISS	1	4	0	4
ALABAMA	2	5	0	3
OKLAHOMA	2	10	0	12
TEXAS A&M	0	0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	11	46	0	13
CAREER TOTALS	11	46	0	13

MCDOWELL'S HIGHS

Carries	12, Eastern Illinois, 2021
Yards Rushing	71, East Carolina, 2021
Long Rush	35, North Carolina, 2021
Rushing TDs	1, six times: last: Florida, 2023
Receptions	4, Charlotte, 2022
Yards Receiving	65, Clemson, 2022
Long Reception	65, Clemson, 2022
Receiving TDs	1, three times: last: Akron, 2024
Kickoff Returns	3, 5 times: last: Old Dominion, 2024
Kickoff Return Yards	81, Tennessee, 2021
Long Kickoff Return	63, East Carolina, 2021
Punt Returns	2, three times: last: Oklahoma, 2024
Punt Return Yards	81, Tennessee, 2021
Long Punt Return	63, East Carolina, 2021

1 - ROBBY ASHFORD (QB)

6-2, 229, R-Sr., TR (Hoover, Ala.)

- ◆ Did not see any game action in Saturday's win over Texas A&M.
- ◆ Made a brief appearance in the win over Oklahoma, finishing 1-for-1 in passing for five yards.
- ◆ Started for the first time in a Carolina uniform against Akron, completed 15-of-21 passes for 243 yards and tied a career high in touchdown passes with two, while rushing for a career best 133 yards and one score.
- ◆ His 133 yards on the ground against the Zips represent the fifth most rushing yards by a quarterback in program history.
- ◆ First player since Lorenzo Nunez (2015) to pass and throw for 100 yards in a game.
- ◆ Has appeared in six games for the Gamecocks and has been steady in the passing game, completing 20-of-28 passes for 301 yards and two scores.
- ◆ Has completed 157-of-305 passes for 2,059 yards with 11 touchdowns and has also rushed 245 times for 1,110 yards and 13 touchdowns.

PASSING	C-A-I	Yds	TD	LG
KENTUCKY	1-1-0	7	0	7
LSU	2-4-0	42	0	31
AKRON	15-21-0	243	2	44
OLE MISS	0-0-0	0	0	0
ALABAMA	1-1-0	4	0	4
OKLAHOMA	1-1-0	5	0	5
2024 TOTALS	20-28-0	301	2	44
SC TOTALS	20-28-0	301	2	44
AUB TOTALS	137-277-9	1758	9	62
CAREER TOTALS	157-305-9	2059	11	62

RUSHING	RUSH	Yds	TD	LG
KENTUCKY	6	26	0	18
LSU	11	11	0	15
AKRON	16	133	1	38
OLE MISS	1	2	0	2
ALABAMA	2	11	0	9
OKLAHOMA	0	0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	36	183	1	38
SC TOTALS	36	183	1	38
AUB TOTALS	199	927	12	49
CAREER TOTALS	245	1110	13	49

ASHFORD'S HIGHS

Pass Attempts	38, twice: LSU & Georgia, 2022
Pass Completions	24, Arkansas, 2022
Passing Yards	337, LSU, 2022
Passing TDs	2, twice: Akron, 2024 & LSU, 2022
Long Pass	62, Georgia, 2022
Carries	19, Arkansas, 2022
Yards Rushing	133, Akron, 2024
Long Rush	49, Mercer, 2022
Rushing TDs	3, UMass, 2023
100-yard Rushing Games	3

3 - MAZEO BENNETT, JR. (WR)

5-11, 185, Fr., HS (Greenville, S.C.)

- ◆ Hauled in two of his four targets for 19 yards against the Aggies on Saturday - missed the second half due to an injury.
- ◆ Hauled in all three of his targets against Alabama, finishing the game with three receptions for 57 yards and one touchdown - a 36-yard strike in the second quarter to get Carolina on the board.
- ◆ Second on the team in receiving yards (289), receiving touchdowns (3) and total receptions (21).
- ◆ Has appeared in all eight games as a true freshman with starts against LSU and Ole Miss.
- ◆ Has caught at least one pass in each game this season and has multiple receptions in seven of the eight outings.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	2	18	0	10
KENTUCKY	3	63	1	32
LSU	1	7	0	7
AKRON	5	71	1	30
OLE MISS	3	41	0	16
ALABAMA	3	57	1	36
OKLAHOMA	2	13	0	11
TEXAS A&M	2	19	0	10
2024 TOTALS	21	289	3	36
CAREER TOTALS	21	289	3	36

BENNETT'S HIGHS

Receptions	5, Akron, 2024
Yards Receiving	71, Akron, 2024
Long Reception	36, Alabama, 2024
Receiving TDs	1, three times: last: Alabama, 2024

5 - RAHEIM "ROCKET" SANDERS (RB)

6-0, 230, Sr., TR (Rockledge, Fla.)

- ◆ Found the end zone for the third consecutive game, this time turning in a career game in the win over Texas A&M on Saturday.
- ◆ Rushed 20 times for a season-best 144 yards and two scores, while tying a career high in receptions with five and posting a career high in receiving yards with 92.
- ◆ Both of his rushing touchdowns against the Aggies came in the second half - a 52-yard scamper to put the Gamecocks on top for good in the third quarter and then a 7-yard score with just over two minutes left to ice the game.
- ◆ Carried the ball 15 times against Oklahoma for 33 yards but was able to find the endzone on the first offensive possession of the game for Carolina with a three yard touchdown run.
- ◆ Rushed 16 times for 78 yards and one touchdown against Alabama, averaging 4.9 yards per clip.
- ◆ Has 11 collegiate 100-yard rushing performances, including two in a Gamecock uniform against LSU (143) and Texas A&M (144).
- ◆ Has carried the ball 116 times for 570 yards and eight touchdowns, while adding 15 receptions for



156 yards which ranks fourth on the squad in receiving yards.

◆ With eight rushing touchdowns, he needs just two more touchdowns to crack the single-season Top 10 mark in program history, tying Marcus Latimore who had 10 in 2011.

◆ Has appeared in 40 career games in four seasons, starting in 25 contests...having rushed 514 times for 2,800 yards and 25 touchdowns.

◆ Has added 64 career receptions for 611 yards and three additional touchdowns.

RUSHING table with columns: RUSH, Yds, TD, LG. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, SC Totals, ARK Totals, CAREER Totals.

RECEIVING table with columns: REC, Yds, TD, LG. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, SC Totals, ARK Totals, CAREER Totals.

SANDERS' HIGHS

Carries 24, three times: last, Old Dominion, 2024
Yards Rushing 232, Ole Miss, 2022
Long Rush 76, Ole Miss, 2022
Rushing TDs 3, Ole Miss, 2022
100-Yard Rushing Games 11
Receptions 5, twice: Texas A&M, 2024 & Ole Miss, 2022
Yards Receiving 92, Texas A&M, 2024
Long Reception 73, Missouri State, 2022
Receiving TDs 1, twice: Missouri State & Missouri, 2022

6 - JOSHUA SIMON (TE)

6-4, 259, S-Sr., 1L (Dalzell, S.C.)

◆ Turned in a career game in Saturday's win over Texas A&M, hauling in four receptions for a career best 132 yards and tying a career high with two receiving touchdowns.

◆ Scored the game's second touchdown on a 15-yard pass in the opening quarter and was also responsible for icing the game with a 57-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter - the longest in his South Carolina tenure.

◆ Is on a bit of a heater as of late with 18 receptions in the last four games for 234 yards and three touchdowns - with the three touchdowns coming in the last two games.

◆ Leads Carolina in receptions with 24, receiving yards with 317 and receiving touchdowns with four.

◆ Runs his streak of at least one reception to 16 consecutive games now for South Carolina following his fifth multi-reception outing of the season.

◆ Now has at least four receptions in each of the

last four games after combining for six receptions in the first four games of the season.

◆ Has played in 60 career games with 37 career starts under his belt, including 20 games at South Carolina with 11 starts - starting seven of the eight games this season.

RECEIVING table with columns: REC, Yds, TD, LG. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, SC Totals, WKU Totals, CAREER Totals.

SIMON'S HIGHS

Receptions 7, Jacksonville State, 2023
Yards Receiving 132, Texas A&M, 2024
Long Reception 77, Louisville, 2019
Receiving TDs 2, three times: last, Texas A&M, 2024
Blocked Punts 1, Texas A&M, 2023
Fumble Recoveries 1, Kentucky, 2024

7 - GAGE LARVADAIN (WR)

5-9, 180, Sr., TR (Donaldsonville, La.)

◆ Earned his fifth consecutive start for the Gamecocks in the win over Texas A&M, hauling in one of his three targets for zero yards.

◆ Made his first start in a Gamecock uniform in the win over Akron and hauled in his first two receptions of the season for 79 yards.

◆ Is tied for fourth on the team in receptions (11), while ranking fifth on the team in receiving yards (145).

◆ Has at least one reception in each of the last five games since moving into the starting role.

◆ Has appeared in all eight games with five consecutive starts this season.

◆ Hauled in 149 receptions for 2,076 yards and 13 touchdowns in his collegiate career.

RECEIVING table with columns: REC, Yds, TD, LG. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, SC Totals, UM (OHIO) Totals, SLU Totals, CAREER Totals.

LARVADAIN'S HIGHS

Receptions 12, Incarnate Word, 2021
Yards Receiving 273, UMass, 2023
Long Reception 99, UMass, 2023
Receiving TDs 3, UMass, 2023
100-Yard Receiving Games 5
Kickoff Returns 5, twice: Nicholls, 2021 & Incarnate Word, 2022
Kickoff Return Yards 168, Nicholls, 2021
Long Kickoff Return 100, Nicholls, 2021
Kickoff Return TDs 1, Nicholls, 2021
Punt Returns 3, UMass, 2023
Longest Punt Return 23, Delaware St., 2023

8 - NYCK HARBOR (WR)

6-5, 235, So., 1L (Washington, D.C.)

◆ Earned the starting nod against Texas A&M on Saturday but was unable to bring in any of his four targets.

◆ Brought in a season-best 40 yards and his second collegiate touchdown, a 31-yard toe-touch against Alabama to begin October.

◆ Saw his five game streak with at least two receptions come to an end against the Aggies.

◆ Is tied for fourth on the team in receptions this season with 11, while ranking sixth in receiving yards at 104.

◆ Has appeared in 20 games in his career with eight starts, having started against Kentucky, Ole Miss and Texas A&M this season.

RECEIVING table with columns: REC, Yds, TD, LG. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, CAREER Totals.

HARBOR'S HIGHS

Receptions 6, Texas A&M, 2023
Yards Receiving 59, Texas A&M, 2023
Long Reception 45, Florida, 2023
Receiving Touchdowns 1, twice: Alabama, 2024 & Furman, 2023
Rushing Attempts 1, three times: last: Akron, 2024
Rushing Yards 9, Missouri, 2023

9 - LUKE DOTY (ATH)

6-1, 218, R-Sr., 3L (Myrtle Beach, S.C.)

◆ Has appeared in a reserve role and on the special teams unit in each of the eight games this season, most recently against Texas A&M - has yet to record a stat.

◆ Has appeared in 37 career games with eight starts, six at quarterback and two at wide out.

◆ Has completed 141 of 232 passes for 1,543 yards with nine touchdowns...has rushed for 82 times for 173 yards and two touchdowns, while hauling in 13 receptions for 123 yards and one score.

RECEIVING table with columns: REC, Yds, TD, LG. Rows include 2024 Totals, CAREER Totals.

DOTY'S HIGHS

Pass Attempts 34, Troy, 2021
Pass Completions 20, Troy, 2021
Passing Yards 255, Troy, 2021
Passing TDs 2, Vanderbilt, 2021
Long Pass 82, Vanderbilt, 2021
Rushing Attempts 15, Georgia, 2020
Rushing Yards 59, Missouri, 2020
Long Rush 23, Tennessee, 2021
Rushing TDs 1, twice: S.C. State, 2022 & Clemson, 2023
Receptions 3, twice: North Carolina & Georgia, 2023
Yards Receiving 41, North Carolina, 2023
Long Reception 36, Furman, 2023
Receiving TDs 1, Furman, 2023



13 - PAYTON MANGRUM (WR)

5-11, 201, R-Sr., 3L (Greenville, S.C.)

- ◆ Has been sidelined for four consecutive games since the win over Akron.
- ◆ Has brought in two receptions for 11 yards in three games played.
- ◆ Has appeared in 43 career games over the past five seasons.
- ◆ Has corralled five career receptions for 86 yards.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	1	7	0	7
KENTUCKY	0	0	0	0
AKRON	1	4	0	4
2024 TOTALS	2	11	0	7
CAREER TOTALS	5	86	1	44

MANGRUM'S HIGHS

Receptions.....1, five times:
.....last, Akron, 2024
Yards Receiving.....44, Tennessee, 2021
Long Reception.....44, Tennessee, 2021
Receiving Touchdowns.....1, Tennessee, 2021

14 - JARED BROWN (WR)

5-11, 195, R-Jr., TR (Lilburn, Ga.)

- ◆ Returned to action in the win over Texas A&M and brought in one reception for one yard.
- ◆ Has led the Gamecocks in receptions twice this season, doing so with four catches for 50 yards at Kentucky and then the following week with three receptions for 48 yards against LSU.
- ◆ Has appeared in 32 collegiate contests over the past four seasons with 22 starts to his credit.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	0	0	0	0
KENTUCKY	4	50	0	21
LSU	3	48	0	39
OLE MISS	1	5	0	5
TEXAS A&M	1	1	0	1
2024 TOTALS	9	104	0	39
SC TOTALS	9	104	0	39
CCU TOTALS	108	1534	11	75
CAREER TOTALS	117	1638	11	75

J. BROWN'S HIGHS

Receptions.....8, Georgia Southern, 2023
Yards Receiving.....139, Ga. Southern, 2022
Long Reception.....75, Old Dominion, 2022
Receiving Touchdowns.....2, twice:
.....Georgia State, 2022 & Marshall, 2023
100-Yard Receiving Games.....5
Carries.....5, Marshall, 2022
Rushing Yards.....84, Appalachian State, 2022
Long Rush.....77, Jacksonville State, 2023
Rushing TDs.....1, twice:
.....App. State, 2022 & Jacksonville State, 2023

15 - DALEVN CAMPBELL (WR)

6-4, 220, S-Sr., TR (Missouri City, Texas)

- ◆ Came off the bench in the win over Texas A&M on Saturday but did not factor in the stat sheet.
- ◆ Has four receptions on the year, including three in the last five appearances.
- ◆ Has appeared in all eight games this season for Carolina, including a pair of starts.
- ◆ Has appeared in 55 career games with 19 starts to his credit.
- ◆ Credited with 79 receptions for 1,200 yards and three scores over his collegiate career.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	1	6	0	6
KENTUCKY	0	0	0	0
LSU	0	0	0	0
AKRON	1	27	0	27
OLE MISS	0	0	0	0
ALABAMA	1	8	0	8
OKLAHOMA	1	5	0	5
TEXAS A&M	0	0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	4	46	0	27
SC TOTALS	4	46	0	27
NEV TOTALS	70	1061	3	73
ILL TOTALS	6	98	0	31
CAREER TOTALS	80	1205	3	73

CAMPBELL'S HIGHS

Receptions.....9, UNLV, 2022
Yards Receiving.....120, Fresno State, 2022
Long Reception.....73, Fresno State, 2022
Receiving Touchdowns.....1, three times:
.....last: Utah State, 2023
100-Yard Receiving Games.....1

16 - LANORRIS SELLERS (QB)

6-3, 242, R-Fr., SQ (Florence, S.C.)

- ◆ Turned in a career game to lead the Gamecocks to a dominant 44-20 win over 10th-ranked Texas A&M on Saturday, improving to 4-3 as a starter for Carolina.
- ◆ Completed 13-of-27 passes against the Aggies for a career best 244 yards and two touchdowns, including a career-long 57 yard connection to Josh Simon.
- ◆ Also added a career best 106 yards on the ground and scored a 23-yard touchdown run on the first drive of the game.
- ◆ Earned SEC Freshman of the Week for his performance against the Aggies.
- ◆ Outplayed Heisman hopeful Jalen Milroe, completing a career-best 23 completions on 31 attempts for 238 yards and two scores - his first 200-yard passing game.
- ◆ Recorded the longest touchdown run by a Gamecock quarterback against the LSU, bursting through for a 75 yard scamper in the opening half.
- ◆ Has completed 101-of-167 passes this season for 1,212 yards and seven touchdowns, while adding 353 yards on the ground and four scores.
- ◆ Has now made 10 career appearances with seven starts, accounting for 1,298 passing yards on 105-of-171 completions and nine scores - has also accumulated 404 yards and five touchdowns with his legs.

PASSING	C-A-I	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	10-23-0	114	0	41
KENTUCKY	10-14-1	166	2	36
LSU	9-16-1	113	0	39
OLE MISS	20-32-1	162	0	17
ALABAMA	23-31-1	238	2	36
OKLAHOMA	16-24-0	175	1	33
TEXAS A&M	13-27-0	244	2	57
2024 TOTALS	101-167-4	1212	7	57
CAREER TOTALS	105-171-4	1298	9	57

RUSHING	RUSH	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	22	68	1	23
KENTUCKY	8	-11	0	5
LSU	10	88	2	75
OLE MISS	15	55	0	30
ALABAMA	16	19	0	14
OKLAHOMA	13	28	0	25
TEXAS A&M	15	106	1	23
2024 TOTALS	99	353	4	75
CAREER TOTALS	104	404	5	75

SELLERS' HIGHS

Pass Attempts.....32, Ole Miss, 2024
Pass Completions.....23, Alabama, 2024
Passing Yards.....244, Texas A&M, 2024
Passing TDs.....2, four times:
.....last: Texas A&M, 2024
Long Pass.....57, Texas A&M, 2024
Carries.....22, Old Dominion, 2024
Rushing Yards.....106, Texas A&M, 2024
Long Rush.....75, LSU, 2024
Rushing TDs.....2, LSU, 2024

18 - CONNOR COX (TE)

6-6, 251, So., 1L (Jacksonville, Fla.)

- ◆ Has been sidelined in each of the last three games.
- ◆ Has made three appearances this season, most recently against Ole Miss.
- ◆ Caught his first collegiate reception in the win over Akron, resulting in a nine-yard touchdown for his first collegiate touchdown.
- ◆ Has now made eight collegiate appearances in his first two seasons with the Gamecocks.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
KENTUCKY	0	0	0	0
AKRON	1	9	1	9
OLE MISS	0	0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	1	9	1	9
CAREER TOTALS	1	9	1	9

COX'S HIGHS

Receptions.....1, Akron, 2024
Yards Receiving.....9, Akron, 2024
Long Reception.....9, Akron, 2024
Receiving Touchdowns.....1, Akron, 2024

19 - VANDREVIUS JACOBS (WR)

6-0, 195, R-Fr., TR (Fort Pierce, Fla.)

- ◆ Missed his first game of the season in the win over Texas A&M.
- ◆ Made his fourth start of the season in the win over Oklahoma and turned in a career performance with four receptions for 40 yards.
- ◆ Now has at least one reception in four of the last five games and has turned three multi-reception performances this season.
- ◆ Led the Gamecocks in receiving in the win over Old Dominion in his Gamecock debut, hauling in two of his four targets for a career-best 59 yards.
- ◆ Has appeared in 12 career games, including all seven with the Gamecocks this season and has started in four of the seven games this year.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
OLD DOMINION	2	59	0	41
KENTUCKY	0	0	0	0
LSU	1	31	0	31
AKRON	0	0	0	0
OLE MISS	1	17	0	17
ALABAMA	2	23	0	12
OKLAHOMA	4	40	0	20
2024 TOTALS	10	170	0	41
SC TOTALS	10	170	0	41
FSU TOTALS	3	60	1	28
CAREER TOTALS	13	230	1	41

JACOBS' HIGHS

Receptions.....4, Oklahoma, 2024
Yards Receiving.....59, Old Dominion, 2024
Long Reception.....41, Old Dominion, 2024
Receiving Touchdowns.....1, So. Miss, 2023



20 - MICHAEL SMITH (TE)

6-6, 255, Fr., HS (Savannah, Ga.)

- Made his sixth start of the season in the win over Texas A&M but was not credited with any stats.
Has one reception in three of the last five appearances.
Has eight total catches on the season for 91 yards.

Table with 5 columns: RECEIVING, REC, Yds, TD, LG. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, and Career Totals.

M. SMITH'S HIGHS

Receptions.....3, Kentucky, 2024
Yards Receiving.....44, Kentucky, 2024
Long Reception.....36, Kentucky, 2024

22 - JAWARN HOWELL (RB)

6-1, 217, So., TR (Mooresville, N.C.)

- Did not appear in the win over Texas A&M on Saturday.
Logged three carries for five yards in the most recent appearance in the win over Oklahoma.
Made back-to-back appearances for South Carolina against Akron and Ole Miss.
Made his first appearance of the season in the win over Akron, logging five carries for 33 yards and his first South Carolina touchdown, a 23-yard run to the endzone.
Has now rushed 114 career times for 866 yards and eight scores.

Table with 5 columns: RUSHING, RUSH, Yds, TD, LG. Rows include Akron, Ole Miss, Oklahoma, 2024 Totals, SCSU Totals, and Career Totals.

HOWELL'S HIGHS

Carries.....27, Howard, 2023
Rushing Yards.....283, Howard, 2023
Long Rush.....85, Howard, 2023
Rushing TDs.....3, twice:
Delaware State & Howard, 2023
100-Yard Rushing Games.....3
Receptions.....4, The Citadel, 2023
Yards Receiving.....93, Tennessee Tech, 2023
Long Reception.....90, Tennessee Tech, 2023
Receiving Touchdowns.....1, twice:
Va. Lynchburg & Tennessee Tech, 2023

27 - OSCAR ADAWAY III (RB)

6-0, 223, S-Sr., TR (North Little Rock, Ark.)

- Logged eight carries for 36 yards off the bench in the win over Texas A&M, including a season-long 27 yard scamper.
Logged 44 all-purpose yards against Alabama, finishing the game with 14 yards on four carries and then tied a career high in receptions with three for 30 yards - just one yard shy of tying a career high in receiving yards.
Earned his first start in a Gamecock uniform against Ole Miss, finishing the game with nine carries for 34 yards.

- Saw a heavy load of carries in the win over Akron with 14 rushes for 42 yards and tied a career high in touchdowns with two - his only two scores this season in a Gamecock uniform.
Has appeared in 39 collegiate games, rushing 389 times for 2,121 yards and 16 touchdowns.

Table with 5 columns: RUSHING, RUSH, Yds, TD, LG. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, SC Totals, NT Totals, and Career Totals.

ADAWAY'S HIGHS

Carries.....26, Appalachian State, 2020
Yards Rushing.....126, Tulsa, 2023
Long Rush.....77, Tulsa, 2023
Rushing TDs.....2, three times:
last, Akron, 2024
100-Yard Rushing Games.....7
Receptions.....3, three times:
last: Alabama, 2024
Yards Receiving.....31, Memphis, 2023
Long Reception.....27, Oklahoma, 2024
Receiving TDs.....1, UNLV, 2022

44 - MAURICE BROWN II (TE)

6-3, 252, So., 1L (Upper Marlboro, Md.)

- Made his eighth consecutive appearance of the season in the win over Texas A&M on Saturday, doing so in a reserve role.
Was credited with one carry against Ole Miss on a fake punt and later in the season scored on a two-point conversion at Oklahoma.
Earned a scholarship in the middle of the week prior to the LSU game and then proceeded to block his first collegiate punt in the contest against the Tigers.
Has made 19 career appearances, doing so in 19 consecutive games dating back to last season.

BROWN'S HIGHS

Carries.....1, Ole Miss, 2024
Blocked Punts.....1, LSU, 2024

50 - JATAVIUS SHIVERS (OL)

6-7, 320, R-Fr., SQ (Villa Rica, Ga.)

- Did not see any game action in Saturday's win over Texas A&M, ending a streak of four consecutive appearances.
Made his fifth overall appearance on the season in the win over the Sooners, coming off the bench to play right tackle.
Saw significant playing time at right tackle in the contests against Alabama and Oklahoma, replacing Cason Henry in both games.
Made his season debut at Kentucky in a dominating win in Lexington.
Has appeared in six games during his collegiate career.

51 - TREE BABALADE (OL)

6-6, 338, So., 1L (Hyattsville, Md.)

- Has not appeared in each of the last six games for Carolina.
Appeared in the first two games of the season, doing so in a reserve role against Old Dominion

- and Kentucky.
Saw significant playing time as a true freshman, appearing in 11 games with nine starts to his credit.

52 - KAMAAR BELL (OL)

6-2, 319, S-Sr., TR (Moultrie, Ga.)

- Has been the starting left guard for the Gamecocks all season long, starting each of the eight games this season.
Has appeared in 41 collegiate games with 37 career starts to his credit.
Started all 12 games for Florida Atlantic in 2023 at the guard position and has now carried that over to the starting role at Carolina with eight consecutive starts.

53 - VERSHON LEE (OL)

6-4, 314, R-Sr., 3L (Woodbridge, Va.)

- Earned the starting nod at center for the Gamecocks in each of the eight games this season.
Veteran leader on the offensive line who returns for his fifth season, can line up at tackle, guard and center.
Has appeared in 46 career games, including 35 starts to his credit - 16 at left guard, 13 at center and six at right tackle.

58 - MARKEE ANDERSON (OL)

6-4, 327, R-Fr., SQ (Roebuck, S.C.)

- Made his seventh appearance of his career following the win over 10th-ranked Texas A&M.
Has now seen action in seven straight games, missing the season opener against Old Dominion.
Redshirt freshman who made his much-anticipated collegiate appearance in the win over Kentucky.

73 - RYAN BRUBAKER (OL)

6-6, 309, R-So., SQ (Stevens, Pa.)

- Has been sidelined each of the last four games for South Carolina.
Made three consecutive appearances prior to the loss in Tuscaloosa.
Saw action against Kentucky and LSU on the special teams unit and has now competed in three career games after missing the 2023 season with an injury.

74 - JOSIAH THOMPSON (OL)

6-7, 300, Fr., HS (Dillon, S.C.)

- Highly talented freshman who has made the left tackle spot his home, starting each of the first eight football games in his career.
Named South Carolina's Mr. Football, just the second offensive lineman to win the award.

75 - CASON HENRY (OL)

6-6, 310, R-So., SQ (Marietta, Ga.)

- Missed the majority of the 2023 season last year but has come back in a big way to start at right tackle in each of the first eight games through the 2024 campaign.
Was named Most Improved Player of the Spring for the offense.
Had appeared in 12 games over the past three seasons and has nine starts to his name.



76 - TORRICELLI SIMPKINS III (OL)
6-5, 319, R-Sr., TR (Charlotte, N.C.)

- ◆ Has proven to be a physical lineman for the Gamecocks, having started each of the eight games at right guard.
- ◆ Was named SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week after the win against Texas A&M.
- ◆ Talented offensive lineman who spent the previous three seasons at North Carolina Central - was recruited to North Carolina Central by Gamecock offensive line coach Lonnie Teasley.
- ◆ Has now started 43 consecutive collegiate games, earning the starting spot in 35 games for the Eagles prior to starting eight consecutive games for the Gamecocks.

78 - TROVON BAUGH (OL)
6-4, 337, So., 1L (Atlanta, Ga.)

- ◆ Has played in seven of the eight games this season in a reserve role, missing only the LSU game.
- ◆ Dressed against LSU but was unable to get onto the field, nursing an injury sustained against Kentucky.
- ◆ Has now appeared in 19 games in his collegiate career.

84 - NICK ELKSNIS (TE)
6-6, 255, R-Jr., 1L (Jacksonville, Fla.)

- ◆ Fourth-year tight end who made his first appearance of the season in the win over Akron before missing consecutive games.
- ◆ Returned to the field in the win over Oklahoma but missed action against Texas A&M.
- ◆ Has appeared in 17 collegiate games, including nine at Carolina.
- ◆ Traditional tight end with good size and strong blocking skills - has not recorded any statistics.

87 - BRADY HUNT (TE)
6-5, 253, R-Jr., TR (Muncie, Ind.)

- ◆ Has appeared in all eight games this season, most recently against Texas A&M but did not record any stats.
- ◆ Hauled in his first reception in a Gamecock uniform in the win over the Zips - an 11-yard catch from Robby Ashford.
- ◆ Has registered 47 career receptions for 509 yards and five touchdowns.
- ◆ Has appeared in 22 career games with 12 career starts to his credit.

RECEIVING	REC	Yds	TD	LG
<i>OLD DOMINION</i>	0	0	0	0
<i>KENTUCKY</i>	0	0	0	0
<i>LSU</i>	0	0	0	0
<i>AKRON</i>	1	11	0	11
<i>OLE MISS</i>	0	0	0	0
<i>ALABAMA</i>	0	0	0	0
<i>OKLAHOMA</i>	0	0	0	0
<i>TEXAS A&M</i>	0	0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	1	11	0	11
SC TOTALS	1	11	0	11
BSU TOTALS	46	498	5	30
CAREER TOTALS	47	509	5	30

HUNT'S HIGHS

Receptions.....	9, Ohio, 2022
Yards Receiving.....	90, Ohio, 2022
Long Reception.....	30, Northern Illinois, 2022
Receiving Touchdowns.....	1, five: last, Ohio, 2022



0 - DEBO WILLIAMS (LB)

6-1, 232, R-Sr., 3L (Smyrna, Del.)

- Recorded three tackles in the start against Texas A&M, coming up big with two 4th-and-1 stops late in the game.
Collected a season high in tackles in the win over Oklahoma, finishing with nine tackles, including eight assisted.
Has recorded multiple tackles in each game this season and has five games with five or more tackles.
Ranks third on the team in tackles with 43.
Recovered a fumble in the season-opening win against Old Dominion, his second career fumble recovery.
Has played in 46 career games for the Gamecocks with 22 career starts - recording 205 career tackles and 16.5 tackles for loss.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, SACKS, QBH. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, and Career Totals.

D. WILLIAMS' HIGHS

- Tackles: 14, twice: North Carolina & Missouri, 2023
Sacks: 1.5, Florida, 2022
Tackles for Loss: 3.5, Florida, 2023
QB Hurries: 2, Missouri, 2023
Pass Breakups: 1, four times: last: Kentucky, 2023
Forced Fumbles: 1, Vanderbilt, 2022
Fumble Recoveries: 1, twice: ODU, 2024 & Jacksonville St., 2023
Blocked Punts: 2, Eastern Illinois, 2021

1 - DQ SMITH (DB)

6-1, 215, Jr., 2L (Columbia, S.C.)

- Recorded two tackles and one pass breakup in the win over Texas A&M on Saturday.
Posted a season-best 10 tackles in the narrow loss at Alabama.
Is tied for fifth in tackles on the team with 30.
Finished with six tackles against Ole Miss and was able to force a fumble against Juice Wells at the goal line, resulting in a touchback for Carolina.
Has now forced one fumble in each of his three seasons with South Carolina.
Hauled in his first interception of the season in the win over Akron, his fourth career interception.
Has eclipsed five tackles on three occasions during the 2024 campaign.
Has now appeared in 33 career games with 30 starts to his credit.
Registered 157 career tackles with four interceptions and 10 breakups.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, INT, PBU. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, and Career Totals.

SMITH'S HIGHS

- Tackles: 12, Tennessee, 2023
Tackles for Loss: 1.0, twice: Vanderbilt, 2022 & Jacksonville State, 2023
Sacks: 1.0, Vanderbilt, 2022
Interception: 1, four times: last: Akron, 2024
Pass Breakups: 2, twice: LSU, 2024 & Texas A&M, 2022
Forced Fumbles: 1, three times: last, Ole Miss, 2024
Fumble Recoveries: 1, Kentucky, 2023
QB Hurries: 1, twice: Texas A&M & Florida, 2022

3 - O'DONNELL FORTUNE (DB)

6-1, 185, R-Sr., 3L (Sumter, S.C.)

- Recorded four tackles and his third interception of the season in the win over 10th-ranked Texas A&M - originally housed the interception for a pick six but was ruled out of bounds.
Now has interceptions in two of the last three games for Carolina - is tied with Jalon Kilgore for second on the team in interceptions this season with three, also ranking second in the SEC.
Turned in a career game in Tuscaloosa, finishing with a career high nine tackles and tied a career best 1.0 tackles for loss, while also recording an interception in the back of the end zone.
Picked off Milroe in the back of the endzone in the fourth quarter for his second interception of the season and first since week 1.
Has at least three tackles in five of the eight games played this season, including a pair of games with five or more tackles.
Veteran cornerback who got off to a strong start to the season with four tackles and one interception in the win over Old Dominion.
Carries with him 90 career tackles, seven interceptions and eight pass breakups.
Has played in 39 career games with 19 career starts for the Gamecocks.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, INT, PBU. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, and Career Totals.

FORTUNE'S HIGHS

- Tackles: 9, Alabama, 2024
Tackles for Loss: 1.0, three times: last: Alabama, 2024
Interceptions: 1, seven times: last, Texas A&M, 2024
Pass Breakups: 2, Vanderbilt, 2023
Forced Fumbles: 1, twice: Vanderbilt, 2022 & Ole Miss, 2024
Fumble Recoveries: 1, Georgia, 2021

4 - VICARI SWAIN (DB)

6-1, 190, R-Fr., SQ (Carrollton, Ga.)

- Made his eighth consecutive appearance to open the 2024 campaign in the win over Texas A&M and was credited with one tackle.
Second-year defensive back that turned in a career game at Kentucky with three tackles, including his first career sack and tackle for loss.
Also recorded his first career forced fumble in the win over the Wildcats.

- Has seven tackles on the season and nine in his career.
Has now appeared in 11 collegiate games.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, INT, PBU. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, and Career Totals.

SWAIN'S HIGHS

- Tackles: 3, Kentucky, 2024
Sacks: 1.0, Kentucky, 2024
Tackles for Loss: 1.0, Kentucky, 2024
Forced Fumbles: 1, Kentucky, 2024
QB Hurries: 1, Oklahoma, 2024

5 - KYLE KENNARD (EDGE)

6-5, 254, S-Sr., TR (Atlanta, Ga.)

- Was added to the mid-season Bednarik and Lombardi Award Watch Lists.
Was also named a Sporting News Midseason All-American.
Totaled three tackles and his first fumble recovery in a Gamecock uniform in the win over Texas A&M on Saturday.
Turned in a season-best performance in Tuscaloosa with a season-high seven tackles that included 3.0 tackles for loss and 2.0 sacks.
Has recorded at least 1.0 tackle for loss in six of the eight games and has at least 1.0 sack in five of the eight games played.
Leads the SEC in sacks per game (1.06) and tackles for loss per game (1.6), while ranking fourth in the NCAA in TFLs (12.5) and fifth in sacks (8.5).
Needs just 0.5 sack to tie six different Gamecocks for fifth most sacks in a single season, while needing 2.5 tackles for loss to tie Andrew Provence (1982) and Melvin Ingram (2011) for the fourth most TFLs in a single season in program history.
Forced one fumble in each of the first two games of the season.
Greeted the Gamecocks with a strong opening performance against Old Dominion, finishing the game with four tackles, while racking up 3.5 tackles for loss, 2.5 sacks and one forced fumble - earning SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week in the process.
Veteran presence who has played in 50 career games over the last five years with 28 starts.
Has been credited with 137 career tackles and has posted 34.0 tackles for loss and 21.0 career sacks.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, SACKS, QBH. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, SC Totals, GT Totals, and Career Totals.



KENNARD'S HIGHS

Tackles.....8, twice:
 Louisville & Wake Forest, 2023
 Sacks.....4.0, Wake Forest, 2023
 Tackles for Loss.....4.0, Wake Forest, 2023
 QB Hurries.....1, eight times
last: Alabama, 2024
 Pass Breakups.....1, Akron, 2024
 Forced Fumbles.....1, four times
last, Kentucky, 2024
 Fumble Recoveries.....1, three times
last, Texas A&M, 2024

6 - DYLAN STEWART (EDGE)
6-6, 248, Fr., HS (Washington, D.C.)

- ◆ Coming off his sixth consecutive start at the edge position and finished the win over Texas A&M with two tackles, including his second consecutive game with 1.0 sack/tackle for loss.
- ◆ Is second on the team in sacks with 5.5, ranking sixth in the SEC.
- ◆ Was very disruptive in the game against Ole Miss, finishing with a career high four tackles, including a career best 3.0 tackles for loss and adding 1.0 sack.
- ◆ Was able to record four tackles, 1.5 tackles for loss and 1.5 sacks in his first collegiate game in the Garnet & Black - earning SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week as well as the Shaun Alexander Freshman Player of the Week.
- ◆ Recorded two forced fumbles in the process as well, including the fumble that allowed Carolina to regain possession to score the game-winning touchdown midway through the final quarter.
- ◆ Has played all eight games as a true freshman, garnering six starts in the process.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
OLD DOMINION	4	1.5	1.5	1
KENTUCKY	2	1.0	1.0	1
LSU	0	0.0	0.0	1
AKRON	2	0.0	0.0	0
OLE MISS	4	3.0	1.0	0
ALABAMA	0	0.0	0.0	0
OKLAHOMA	2	1.0	1.0	1
TEXAS A&M	2	1.0	1.0	0
2024 TOTALS	14	7.5	5.5	4
CAREER TOTALS	14	7.5	5.5	4

STEWART'S HIGHS

Tackles.....4, twice:
 Old Dominion & Ole Miss, 2024
 Sacks.....1.5, Old Dominion, 2024
 Tackles for Loss.....3.0, Ole Miss, 2024
 Forced Fumbles.....2, Old Dominion, 2024
 Fumble Recoveries.....1, LSU, 2024
 QB Hurries.....1, four times:
last, Oklahoma, 2024

7 - NICK EMMANWORI (DB)
6-3, 227, Jr., 2L (Irmo, S.C.)

- ◆ Named a quarterfinalist for the 2024 Lott IM-PACT Trophy and was recently named a Jim Thorpe Award Semifinalist.
- ◆ Recorded three tackles in the win over Texas A&M, including tying a career high in tackles for loss with 1.0 for the second consecutive game.
- ◆ Turned in a dominating performance in Oklahoma with 11 tackles, two interceptions and one tackle for loss.
- ◆ Picked off Sooners' QB Michael Hawkins Jr. twice, once on the first play of the game and then later on Oklahoma's third offensive drive where he housed the interception 65 yards for his second pick-six of the season.

- ◆ Earned SEC co-Defensive Player of the Week for his performance against the Sooners.
- ◆ Has accounted for 107 interception return yards and needs 52 more to tie Ed Pasky (1949) for the school record of return yards in a single season.
- ◆ Has finished with at least three tackles in all eight games and has accounted for five or more tackles in six contests this season.
- ◆ Has led the Gamecocks in tackles three times this season: Oklahoma (11), LSU (9) and Kentucky (7).
- ◆ Recorded an interception in back-to-back weeks against the Tigers and Wildcats, housing the interception against Kentucky for his first collegiate pick-six.
- ◆ Earned SEC Defensive Player of the Week for his performance at Kentucky.
- ◆ Leads the team in total tackles with 52, ranking 13th in the SEC in tackles per game (6.5).
- ◆ His four interceptions this season leads the SEC and ranks fifth in the NCAA.
- ◆ Has appeared in 32 games for the Gamecocks and has started in 31 outings - having been credited with 207 career tackles, six interceptions and 11 breakups.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
OLD DOMINION	5	0.0	0	1
KENTUCKY	7	0.0	1	0
LSU	9	0.0	1	0
AKRON	3	0.0	0	0
OLE MISS	5	0.0	0	1
ALABAMA	9	0.0	0	0
OKLAHOMA	11	1.0	2	0
TEXAS A&M	3	1.0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	52	2.0	4	2
CAREER TOTALS	208	3.0	6	11

EMMANWORI'S HIGHS

Tackles.....14, Georgia, 2022
 Tackles for Loss.....1.0, three times:
last, Texas A&M, 2024
 Interceptions.....2, Oklahoma, 2024
 Fumble Recovery.....1, Clemson, 2022
 QB Hurries.....1, three times:
last: Florida, 2023
 Pass Breakups.....2, twice:
Florida & Vanderbilt, 2023
 Touchdowns.....1, twice:
Kentucky & Oklahoma, 2024

8 - EMORY FLOYD (DB)
6-1, 195, R-So., 1L (Marietta, Ga.)

- ◆ Has missed three consecutive games for the Gamecocks, most recently playing against Ole Miss.
- ◆ Replaced the injured O'Donnell Fortune in the second half against Ole Miss - did not record any stats.
- ◆ Made his season debut in the win over Akron prior to the bye week.
- ◆ Missed the first three games due to a lingering injury during the preseason.
- ◆ Has played in seven career games.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
AKRON	0	0.0	0	0
OLE MISS	0	0.0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER TOTALS	2	0.0	0	1

FLOYD'S HIGHS

Tackles.....1, twice:
Furman & Kentucky, 2023
 Pass Breakups.....1, Furman, 2023

9 - DESMOND UMEOZULU (EDGE)
6-6, 258, So., 1L (Upper Marlboro, Md.)

- ◆ Saw playing time against Texas A&M but did not record any stats in the win over the Aggies.
- ◆ Made five consecutive appearances to start the season, recording tackles against Kentucky and Akron.
- ◆ Talled his first career sack in the win at Kentucky.
- ◆ Has now appeared in 19 games in his collegiate career, playing all 12 contests as a true freshman in 2023.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
OLD DOMINION	0	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	1	0.5	0.5	0
LSU	0	0.0	0.0	0
AKRON	1	0.0	0.0	0
OLE MISS	0	0.0	0.0	0
OKLAHOMA	0	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0.0	0
2024 TOTALS	2	0.5	0.5	0
CAREER TOTALS	11	0.5	0.5	2

UMEOZULU'S HIGHS

Tackles.....3, Furman, 2023
 Sacks.....0.5, Kentucky, 2024
 Tackles for Loss.....0.5, Kentucky, 2024
 QB Hurries.....1, twice:
Florida & Jacksonville State, 2023

12 - JATIUS GEER (EDGE)
6-4, 256, R-Jr., 1L (Anderson, S.C.)

- ◆ Was credited with two tackles in Saturday's upset win over 10th-ranked Texas A&M.
- ◆ Finished with a season-high three tackles in the win at Oklahoma, including his first sack in a Gamecock uniform.
- ◆ Has appeared in five games this year and has been credited with six tackles and 1.0 sack/TFL.
- ◆ Earned the starting nod for the Gamecocks in the opening win against Old Dominion.
- ◆ Has appeared in 28 career games with 13 starts.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
OLD DOMINION	0	0.0	0.0	0
LSU	0	0.0	0.0	0
ALABAMA	1	0.0	0.0	0
OKLAHOMA	3	1.0	1.0	0
TEXAS A&M	2	0.0	0.0	0
2024 TOTALS	6	1.0	1.0	0
SC TOTALS	16	2.0	1.0	4
SU TOTALS	35	6.5	3.5	6
CAREER TOTALS	52	8.5	4.5	10

GEER'S HIGHS

Tackles.....5, N.C. State, 2022
 Sacks.....1.5, N.C. State, 2022
 Tackles for Loss.....1.5, N.C. State, 2022
 Forced Fumbles.....1, Jacksonville State, 2023
 QB Hurries.....3, Virginia, 2022

13 - DAVID BUCEY (DB)
6-1, 204, Fr., HS (Savannah, Ga.)

- ◆ Saw playing time on the special teams unit against Texas A&M but was not credited with any stats.
- ◆ Was all over the field against Oklahoma, finishing the game with one tackle, one forced fumble and one pass breakup.
- ◆ Forced a fumble in back-to-back games for Carolina.
- ◆ Has appeared in all eight games for South Carolina as a true freshman.



◆ Has recorded four tackles, including back-to-back games with a tackle against Kentucky and LSU and then later against Alabama and Oklahoma.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, INT, PBU. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, and Career Totals.

BUCEY'S HIGHS

Tackles.....1, four times:
.....last: Oklahoma, 2024
Pass Breakups.....1, Oklahoma, 2024
Forced Fumbles.....1, twice:
.....Alabama & Oklahoma, 2024

15 - FRED "JAYR" JOHNSON (LB)
6-4, 240, Fr., HS (Norfolk, Va.)

◆ Made his eighth consecutive appearance following the win over Texas A&M, was not credited with any stats.
◆ Tied his collegiate best with two tackles in the win over the Sooners.
◆ Appeared in a reserve role in the win over Kentucky and recorded his first two tackles of his collegiate career.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, SACKS, QBH. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, and Career Totals.

F. JOHNSON'S HIGHS

Tackles.....2, twice:
.....Kentucky & Oklahoma, 2024
QB Hurries.....1, Akron, 2024

16 - JALEWIS SOLOMON (DB)
6-1, 195, Fr., HS (Ellaville, Ga.)

◆ True freshman defensive back who has made a pair of appearances this season, doing so in wins over Kentucky and most recently Akron.

17 - DEMETRIUS KNIGHT JR. (LB)
6-2, 243, S-Sr., TR (Locust Grove, Ga.)

◆ Was very disruptive at the linebacker spot for the second consecutive game, tying his season high in tackles with 11, while also recording 0.5 TFL.
◆ Earned the start against Oklahoma and turned in his best game in a Carolina uniform with a season-high 11 tackles, as well as tying career highs in tackles for loss (2.0) and sacks (1.0).
◆ Also forced a pair of fumbles in the win over the Sooners.
◆ Now has back-to-back games with 11 tackles and ranks second on the team in total tackles with 47.
◆ Has appeared in all eight games for Carolina with six starts to his name.

◆ Has at least three tackles in each of his first eight games in his Gamecock era and has now posted six consecutive games with at least four tackles.
◆ Has appeared in 56 career games over six seasons with 194 career tackles to his credit.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, SACKS, QBH. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, SC Totals, UNCC Totals, GT Totals, and Career Totals.

KNIGHT'S HIGHS

Tackles.....13, USF, 2023
Sacks.....1.0, four times:
.....last: Oklahoma, 2024
Tackles for Loss.....2.0, four times:
.....last: Oklahoma, 2024
Forced Fumbles.....2, Oklahoma, 2024

20 - JUDGE COLLIER (DB)
6-1, 201, So., 1L (York County, S.C.)

◆ Coming off his eighth start of the year and turned in a career performance for the second consecutive game, finishing with a career high five tackles and 1.0 tackle for loss in the win over the Aggies.
◆ Earned his seventh start of the season in the win at Oklahoma, turning in a then-career game with four tackles and also added one quarterback hurry in the process.
◆ Nine of his 17 tackles this season have come in the previous two games alone.
◆ Has 17 tackles on the season and leads the Gamecocks with five pass breakups.
◆ Has played in 20 career games with 10 starts at corner with 27 tackles and five pass breakups.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, INT, PBU. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, and Career Totals.

COLLIER'S HIGHS

Tackles.....5, Texas A&M, 2024
Tackles for Loss.....1.0, three times:
.....last, Texas A&M, 2024
Pass Breakups.....3, Ole Miss, 2024
Fumble Recovery.....1, Mississippi State, 2023

21 - KELVIN HUNTER (DB)
6-0, 202, Fr., HS (Florence, S.C.)

◆ Has missed four consecutive games for Carolina, most recently appearing in the win over Akron.
◆ Made his second appearance of the season following the win over Akron, recording one tackle in the process.
◆ True freshman who made his first collegiate appearance in the win over Kentucky, finishing with

two tackles and one tackle for loss.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, INT, PBU. Rows include Kentucky, Akron, 2024 Totals, and Career Totals.

HUNTER'S HIGHS

Tackles.....2, Kentucky, 2024
Tackles for Loss.....1.0, Kentucky, 2024

22 - BAM MARTIN-SCOTT (LB)
6-2, 241, S-Sr., 2L (Fort Wayne, Ind.)

◆ Earned the start against Texas A&M and came away with six tackles, including a half tackle for loss in the win over the Aggies.
◆ Came off the bench in the win against Oklahoma and turned in a season-best performance with 11 tackles, 1.5 tackles for loss, 1.0 sack, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery.
◆ His 11-tackle performance is his first double-digit tackling performance of the 2024 campaign.
◆ Now has at least three tackles in each of the eight games and now sits at three games with five or more tackles.
◆ Came up with a forced fumble in the season-opening win over Old Dominion.
◆ Has appeared in all eight games this season with four starts to his credit.
◆ Has appeared in 35 career games for South Carolina with seven starts to his name.

Table with columns: DEFENSE, TKL, TFL, SACKS, QBH. Rows include Old Dominion, Kentucky, LSU, Akron, Ole Miss, Alabama, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, 2024 Totals, and Career Totals.

MARTIN-SCOTT'S HIGHS

Tackles.....13, Vanderbilt, 2023
Tackles for Loss.....1.5, twice:
.....LSU & Oklahoma, 2024
Sacks.....1.0, three times:
.....last, Oklahoma, 2024
Interception.....1, S.C. State, 2022
Forced Fumbles.....1, three times:
.....last, Oklahoma, 2024
Fumble Recoveries.....1, Oklahoma, 2024
QB Hurries.....1, three times:
.....last: Kentucky, 2023
Pass Breakups.....1, four times:
.....last: Old Dominion, 2024

23 - GERALD KILGORE (DB)
6-0, 216, R-So., TR (Eatonton, Ga.)

◆ Has seen playing time on the special teams unit in all eight games this season and has been credited with five tackles, most recently with one tackle against Oklahoma.
◆ Appeared in the win over Texas A&M on Saturday but did not factor in the stat sheet.
◆ Has appeared in 19 career games with 42 tackles to his credit.

PLAYER NOTES - DEFENSE



DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
OLD DOMINION	1	0.0	0	0
KENTUCKY	0	0.0	0	0
LSU	1	0.0	0	0
AKRON	1	0.0	0	0
OLE MISS	1	0.0	0	0
ALABAMA	0	0.0	0	0
OKLAHOMA	1	0.0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	5	0.0	0	0
SC TOTALS	5	0.0	0	0
TTU TOTALS	37	2.5	0	5
CAREER TOTALS	42	2.5	0	5

G. KILGORE'S HIGHS

Tackles.....7, twice:
UT Martin & Gardner-Webb, 2023
 Tackles for Loss.....1.0, twice
New Mexico & Gardner-Webb, 2023
 Pass Breakups.....2, Gardner-Webb, 2023

24 - JALON KILGORE (DB)

6-2, 219, So., 1L (Eatonton, Ga.)

- ◆ Came off the bench in the win against Texas A&M and was credited with four tackles.
- ◆ Recorded two tackles at Alabama but tied his career high with 1.0 tackle for loss and also came away with his third interception.
- ◆ Ranks second in the SEC in total interceptions (3) behind teammate Nick Emmanwori (4).
- ◆ Has a pair of games with a season-high five tackles, doing so against LSU and Ole Miss.
- ◆ Has posted multiple tackles each game this season, including six contests with three or more tackles.
- ◆ Opened the season with back-to-back games with an interception.
- ◆ Finished the season opener against ODU with three tackles, two pass breakups and the game-winning interception to kick start the season.
- ◆ Has competed in 20 games with 18 starts and has recorded at least two tackles in each of his first 20 collegiate games.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
OLD DOMINION	3	0.0	1	2
KENTUCKY	2	1.0	1	0
LSU	5	0.0	0	0
AKRON	3	0.0	0	0
OLE MISS	5	1.0	0	1
ALABAMA	2	1.0	1	0
OKLAHOMA	3	0.0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	4	0.0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	27	3.0	3	3
CAREER TOTALS	103	4.5	4	9

KILGORE'S HIGHS

Tackles.....15, Tennessee, 2023
 Tackles for Loss.....1.0, four times:
last: Alabama, 2024
 Interception.....1, four times:
last: Alabama, 2024
 Pass Breakups.....2, twice:
Old Dominion, 2024 & Missouri, 2023
 Forced Fumbles.....1, Kentucky, 2023
 Punt Returns.....3, twice:
Jacksonville State & Clemson, 2023
 Punt Return Yards.....28, Akron, 2024
 Long Punt Return.....28, Akron, 2024

31 - PEYTON WILLIAMS (DB)

6-0, 200, R-So., SQ (Heath, Texas)

- ◆ Appeared for the eighth consecutive game in a reserve role for Carolina in Saturday's win over Texas A&M - did not record any stats.
- ◆ Tied his career high in tackles in the win over Oklahoma, recording two tackles in the victory.

◆ Has appeared in a reserve role each game this season and has at least one tackle in five of the eight games.

◆ Tied a career high in tackles with two in the win over Kentucky earlier this season.

◆ Has appeared in 11 career games with nine tackles to his name.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	INT	PBU
OLD DOMINION	1	0.0	0	0
KENTUCKY	2	0.0	0	0
LSU	0	0.0	0	0
AKRON	1	0.0	0	0
OLE MISS	1	0.0	0	0
ALABAMA	0	0.0	0	0
OKLAHOMA	2	0.0	0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0	0
2024 TOTALS	6	0.0	0	0
CAREER TOTALS	9	0.0	0	0

P. WILLIAMS' HIGHS

Tackles.....2, three times:
last, Oklahoma, 2024

44 - MONKELL GOODWINE (DL)

6-3, 311, R-Jr., TR (Upper Marlboro, Md.)

- ◆ Entered in a reserve role in the win over Texas A&M and came away with one tackle.
- ◆ Now has five consecutive games with at least one tackle.
- ◆ Appeared in a reserve role for Carolina against ODU and recorded his first two collegiate tackles.
- ◆ Has now appeared in 13 career games, including five with Alabama prior to his time in Columbia - did not record any stats as a member of the Tide.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
OLD DOMINION	2	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	1	0.0	0.0	1
LSU	0	0.0	0.0	0
AKRON	1	0.0	0.0	1
OLE MISS	1	0.0	0.0	0
ALABAMA	1	0.0	0.0	0
OKLAHOMA	1	0.0	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	1	0.0	0.0	0
2024 TOTALS	8	0.0	0.0	2
CAREER TOTALS	8	0.0	0.0	2

GOODWINE'S HIGHS

Tackles.....2, Old Dominion, 2024
 QB Hurries.....1, twice:
Akron & Kentucky, 2024

46 - BRYAN THOMAS, JR. (EDGE)

6-2, 247, Jr., 2L (Windermere, Fla.)

- ◆ Came off the bench in the win over Texas A&M on Saturday night, recording one tackle in the process.
- ◆ Tied a career high in TFLs and sacks in the win over Oklahoma with 1.0.
- ◆ Also forced one fumble in the win over the Sooners, tying a career high in forced fumbles.
- ◆ Finished one tackle shy of his career high following the showing against Ole Miss with three tackles - added 0.5 tackle for loss as well.
- ◆ Has at least one tackle in each of his seven appearances this season, including three games with multiple tackles.
- ◆ Made his first appearance of the season against Kentucky, finishing the game with an assisted tackle for loss and sack.
- ◆ Has competed in 29 games for Carolina with six starts.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
KENTUCKY	1	0.5	0.5	0
LSU	2	0.0	0.0	0
AKRON	1	0.0	0.0	0
OLE MISS	3	0.5	0.0	0
ALABAMA	2	0.0	0.0	0
OKLAHOMA	1	1.0	1.0	0
TEXAS A&M	1	0.0	0.0	0
2024 TOTALS	11	2.0	1.5	0
CAREER TOTALS	39	4.0	2.5	5

THOMAS, JR'S HIGHS

Tackles.....4, twice:
North Carolina & Georgia, 2023
 Tackles for Loss.....1.0, three times:
last, Oklahoma, 2024
 Sacks.....1.0, twice:
Texas A&M, 2023 & Oklahoma, 2024
 QB Hurries.....2, Charlotte, 2022
 Forced Fumble.....1, twice:
Texas A&M, 2023 & Oklahoma, 2024

55 - GILBER EDMOND (EDGE)

6-4, 255, R-Sr., TR (Fort Pierce, Fla.)

- ◆ Appeared for the eighth consecutive game to start the season in the win over Texas A&M but did not record any stats.
- ◆ Finished with two tackles in the win over Oklahoma, including his first sack of the season.
- ◆ Tied a career high in the win over the Sooners with 1.0 tackle for loss and 1.0 sack.
- ◆ Posted a season-high three tackles against both Kentucky and LSU.
- ◆ Recorded multiple tackles in each of his first three games back in Columbia prior to Akron.
- ◆ Owns 77 career tackles with 13.0 tackles for loss and 4.0 sacks in his career.
- ◆ Has appeared in 43 games with 10 career starts, making all 10 starts with the Gamecocks in 2022.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
OLD DOMINION	2	0.0	0.0	1
KENTUCKY	3	0.0	0.0	0
LSU	3	1.0	0.0	2
AKRON	0	0.0	0.0	0
OLE MISS	0	0.0	0.0	0
ALABAMA	0	0.0	0.0	0
OKLAHOMA	2	1.0	1.0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0.0	0
2024 TOTALS	10	2.0	1.0	3
SC TOTALS	54	11.5	3.0	12
FSU TOTALS	23	1.5	1.0	2
CAREER TOTALS	77	13.0	4.0	14

EDMOND'S HIGHS

Tackles.....10, North Carolina, 2023
 Tackles for Loss.....1.0, four times:
last, Oklahoma, 2024
 Sacks.....1.0, twice:
Georgia, 2023 & Oklahoma, 2024
 Interceptions.....1, Jacksonville State, 2023
 QB Hurries.....2, twice:
LSU, 2024 & Vanderbilt, 2023
 Forced Fumble.....1, Mississippi State, 2023
 Pass Breakups.....1, four times:
last: Clemson, 2023

90 - T.J. SANDERS (DL)

6-4, 290, R-Jr., 2L (Marion, S.C.)

- ◆ Started for the fifth time in the last six games in the win over Texas A&M, finishing the game with two tackles, including 1.0 sack/TFL and one quarterback hurry.
- ◆ Brought the house down with a fourth-quarter sack against Marcell Reed of the Aggies.
- ◆ Has back-to-back games now with 1.0 sack/TFL



after doing so against both Texas A&M and Oklahoma.

- ◆ Tied a career high in tackles with nine against Ole Miss, doing so in a reserve appearance for the Gamecocks.
- ◆ Has 4.0 tackles for loss and 3.0 sacks in SEC play this season.
- ◆ Has multiple tackles each game this season, including six games with at least three tackles.
- ◆ Tallied four tackles in just one half against LSU prior to missing the second half with an injury.
- ◆ Appeared in 34 career games over three seasons in a Gamecock uniform with 12 career starts, including five starts this season.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
OLD DOMINION	2	0.0	0.0	2
KENTUCKY	4	1.0	1.0	0
LSU	4	0.0	0.0	0
AKRON	3	0.0	0.0	0
OLE MISS	9	1.0	0.0	0
ALABAMA	4	0.0	0.0	0
OKLAHOMA	3	1.0	1.0	0
TEXAS A&M	2	1.0	1.0	1
2024 TOTALS	31	4.0	3.0	3
CAREER TOTALS	90	14.5	8.5	10

SANDERS' HIGHS

Tackles.....	9, twice:
.....	Georgia, 2023 & Ole Miss, 2024
Tackles for Loss.....	2.0, twice:
.....	Furman & Georgia, 2023
Sacks.....	1.5, Florida, 2023
QB Hurries.....	2, twice:
.....	Old Dominion, 2024 & Texas A&M, 2023
Pass Breakups.....	1, five times:
.....	last: Kentucky, 2023

91 - TONKA HEMINGWAY (DL)
6-3, 288, S-Sr., 4L (Conway, S.C.)

- ◆ Started for the seventh time this season in eight games, finishing with a season-best four tackles in the win over Texas A&M.
- ◆ Added 1.0 sack/TFL against the Aggies as well as forcing his second career fumble, doing so late in the fourth quarter to ice the game for Carolina.
- ◆ Now has three consecutive games with 1.0 sack/TFL.
- ◆ Returned a fumble 36 yards to the house in the win over Oklahoma, his first fumble recovery of the season and fifth of his career.
- ◆ Earned SEC co-Defensive Lineman of the Week following his efforts against Oklahoma.
- ◆ Earned the starting nod against Ole Miss and finished the game with two tackles and a career best three quarterback hurries.
- ◆ Is responsible for 17 tackles and four quarterback hurries in eight games played this season - has started seven of those eight contests.
- ◆ Has appeared in all 56 games over the last five seasons with 24 starts.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
OLD DOMINION	2	1.0	1.0	0
KENTUCKY	3	0.0	0.0	1
LSU	1	0.0	0.0	0
AKRON	0	0.0	0.0	0
OLE MISS	2	0.0	0.0	3
ALABAMA	3	1.0	1.0	0
OKLAHOMA	2	1.0	1.0	0
TEXAS A&M	4	1.0	1.0	0
2024 TOTALS	17	4.0	4.0	4
CAREER TOTALS	104	17.5	9.5	17

HEMINGWAY'S HIGHS

Tackles.....	5, three times:
.....	last: Vanderbilt, 2023
Tackles for Loss.....	2.0, Missouri, 2022
Sacks.....	1.5, Kentucky, 2022
QB Hurries.....	3, Ole Miss, 2024
Pass Breakups.....	3, Vanderbilt, 2023
Forced Fumbles.....	1, twice:
.....	last, Texas A&M, 2024
Fumbles Recovered.....	1, five times:
.....	last, Oklahoma, 2024

95 - ALEX HUNTLEY (DL)
6-4, 303, R-Sr., 3L (Blythewood, S.C.)

- ◆ Appeared in a reserve role against Texas A&M but did not record any stats in the win.
- ◆ Has started three of the eight games this season, most recently starting against Ole Miss where he finished with two tackles.
- ◆ Has eight tackles on the season, posting two tackles in four appearances on the year.
- ◆ Has appeared in 45 career outings with 17 starts to his credit, accumulating 74 career tackles with 6.5 tackles for loss and 3.0 sacks.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
OLD DOMINION	2	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	2	0.0	0.0	0
LSU	0	0.0	0.0	0
AKRON	0	0.0	0.0	0
OLE MISS	2	0.0	0.0	0
ALABAMA	0	0.0	0.0	0
OKLAHOMA	2	0.5	0.0	0
TEXAS A&M	0	0.0	0.0	0
2024 TOTALS	8	0.5	0.0	0
CAREER TOTALS	74	6.5	3.0	1

HUNTLEY'S HIGHS

Tackles.....	6, Jacksonville State, 2023
Tackles for Loss.....	2.0, Mississippi State, 2023
Sacks.....	2.0, Mississippi State, 2023
QB Hurries.....	1, Tennessee, 2023
Pass Breakups.....	2, Mississippi State, 2023
Fumble Recovery.....	1, twice:
.....	Vanderbilt, 2022 & Vanderbilt, 2023
Receptions.....	1, Vanderbilt, 2023
Yards Receiving.....	1, Vanderbilt, 2023
Long Reception.....	1, Vanderbilt, 2023
Receiving TDs.....	1, Vanderbilt, 2023

99 - DEANDRE JULES (DL)
6-4, 315, S-Sr., TR (Germantown, Md.)

- ◆ Has missed each of the last three games with an injury sustained in the Ole Miss game.
- ◆ Finished with two tackles in his most recent outing against Ole Miss.
- ◆ Made his first start in a Carolina uniform against Kentucky, finishing with four tackles in the win in Lexington.
- ◆ Turned in a career game in just his first game with the Gamecocks against Old Dominion, recording five tackles as well as his first collegiate fumble recovery and first career blocked PAT.
- ◆ Has appeared in 42 collegiate games now and has accounted for 49 tackles, 11.5 tackles for loss and 3.5 sacks.

DEFENSE	TKL	TFL	SACKS	QBH
OLD DOMINION	5	0.0	0.0	0
KENTUCKY	4	0.0	0.0	0
LSU	0	0.0	0.0	1
AKRON	1	0.0	0.0	0
OLE MISS	2	0.0	0.0	0
2024 TOTALS	12	0.0	0.0	1
SC TOTALS	12	0.0	0.0	1
PITT TOTALS	37	11.5	3.5	2
CAREER TOTALS	49	11.5	3.5	3

JULES' HIGHS

Tackles.....	5, Old Dominion, 2024
Tackles for Loss.....	2.0, Virginia Tech, 2023
Sacks.....	1.0, three times:
Quarterback Hurries.....	1, three times:
.....	last, LSU, 2024
Fumbles Recovered.....	1, Old Dominion, 2024
Blocked Kicks.....	1, Old Dominion, 2024



36 - HUNTER ROGERS (LS)

6-1, 206, R-Sr., 3L (Columbia, S.C.)

- ◆ Fifth-year long snapper who has been an All-SEC honoree each of the last two seasons.
- ◆ Has been responsible for the long snapping duties in each game this season
- ◆ Local product who has appeared in 38 career games in a Gamecock uniform.
- ◆ Has been credited with five rushing yards and a 23-yard touchdown reception along with seven tackles, with his lone tackle of the 2024 season coming at Alabama.

ROGERS' HIGHS

Carries	1, Georgia State, 2022
Yards Rushing	5, Georgia State, 2022
Longest Rush	5, Georgia State, 2022

39 - KAI KROEGER (P)

6-4, 213, S-Sr., 4L (Lake Forest, Ill.)

- ◆ Punted the ball just four times in the win over Texas A&M, accumulating 160 yards and pinning the Aggies inside their own 20-yard line three times.
- ◆ Turned in a career performance in Norman, tying a career high in punts with eight while recording a new career high in punt yards with 413 - averaged 51.6 per punt.
- ◆ Pinned the Sooners inside their own 20 yard line four times in the game and was named one of Ray's 8 for Week 8.
- ◆ Became South Carolina's all-time punt yardage leader following the game in Tuscaloosa, accumulating 10,724 career yards punting - finished the game with three punts for 135 yards (45.0) average.
- ◆ Now has 11,297 career punting yards to further etch his name in the Gamecock record book.
- ◆ Needs seven more punts to pass Chris Norman (1980-1983) for the most career punts in Gamecock history.
- ◆ Pulled off a drop-kick inside kick at Alabama, allowing the Gamecocks to recover the ball with 40 seconds left and down two.
- ◆ Boomed a season long 75 yard punt in the win over the Zips and was able to pin Akron inside its own 20-yard line twice.
- ◆ Successfully scored on a muddle huddle for a 2-point conversion when he scampered for two points following Carolina's second touchdown of the game against Akron.
- ◆ Has put the opponents inside their own 20-yard line 13 times this season.
- ◆ Has averaged 44.5 yards per punt, ranking second in school history on 254 career punts over 56 career games played.
- ◆ Is now 7-for-9 in career passes with three touchdowns to his credit - most recently threw an incomplete pass at Oklahoma.

PUNTING	No.	YDS	AVG	LG
OLD DOMINION	5	206	41.2	46
KENTUCKY	5	258	51.6	58
LSU	3	130	43.3	47
AKRON	4	213	53.2	75
OLE MISS	4	207	51.8	61
ALABAMA	3	135	45.0	54
OKLAHOMA	8	413	51.6	57
TEXAS A&M	4	160	40.0	45
2024 TOTALS	36	1722	47.8	75
CAREER TOTALS	254	11297	44.5	79

KROEGER'S HIGHS

Punts	8, four times: .....last, Oklahoma, 2024
Punting Average	56.8, Vanderbilt, 2021
Longest Punt	79, Georgia State, 2022
Most Punt Yards	413, Oklahoma, 2024
Pass Completions	1, seven times: .....last; Tennessee, 2023
Pass Attempts	1, nine times: .....last, Oklahoma, 2024
Passing TDs	1, three times: .....last; Notre Dame, 2022
Longest Pass	48, Florida, 2021

40 - ALEX HERRERA (PK)

6-0, 198, S-Sr., 2L (Columbia, S.C.)

- ◆ Veteran kicker who has handled both place-kicking and kickoff duties through eight games this season.
- ◆ Coming off a career game against Texas A&M where he buried all three field goals to tie a career high and successfully knocked in all five PAT attempts - connected from 44, 43 and 25 yards.
- ◆ Was named SEC Special Teams Player of the Week for his performance against the Aggies.
- ◆ Also tied a career high in kickoffs with eight, recording 465 kickoff yards (58.1 average) with three touchbacks.
- ◆ Tied a career high in touchbacks in the win over Oklahoma with four, while setting a career high in kickoff average at 63.3.
- ◆ Is now a perfect 25-for-25 this season and 29-for-29 in PAT attempts in his career.
- ◆ Did not attempt a field goal against the Zips but buried a career high six PAT tries and booted a career high eight kickoffs for 476 yards and a career best four touchbacks.
- ◆ Opened the season with a career-best three field goals made against Old Dominion.
- ◆ Is now 13-for-17 on the season in field goals.
- ◆ Has appeared in 16 career games for South Carolina and is averaging 59.4 yards per kickoff on 59 attempts.

KICKING	FGM	FGA	PAT	LG
OLD DOMINION	3	4	2-2	46
KENTUCKY	1	1	4-4	29
LSU	2	3	3-3	42
AKRON	0	0	6-6	--
OLE MISS	1	2	0-0	40
ALABAMA	1	2	2-2	37
OKLAHOMA	2	2	3-3	39
TEXAS A&M	3	3	5-5	44
2024 TOTALS	13	17	25-25	46
CAREER TOTALS	13	17	29-29	46

KICKOFFS	No.	YDS	AVG	TB
OLD DOMINION	6	378	63.0	3
KENTUCKY	6	372	62.0	0
LSU	7	433	61.9	3
AKRON	8	476	59.5	4
OLE MISS	2	130	65.0	2
ALABAMA	3	195	65.0	2
OKLAHOMA	7	433	63.3	4
TEXAS A&M	8	465	58.1	3
2024 TOTALS	47	2882	61.3	21
CAREER TOTALS	59	3504	59.4	23

HERRERA'S HIGHS

Field Goals	3, twice: .....Texas A&M & Old Dominion, 2024
FGA	4, Old Dominion, 2024
Long Field Goal	46, Old Dominion, 2024
PAT	6, Akron, 2024
PAT Attempts	6, Akron, 2024
Kickoffs	8, twice: .....Texas A&M & Akron, 2024
Kickoff Yards	476, Akron, 2024
Kickoff Average	63.3, Oklahoma, 2024
Touchbacks	4, twice: .....Akron & Oklahoma, 2024