

2017 Weekly Report  
Week 4: September 30

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## 2017 STANDINGS

Team	PFL							OVERALL							WEEK 4 RESULT
	W-L	PCT	PF	PA	H	A	STR	W-L	PCT	PF	PA	H	A	STR	
Campbell	1-0	1.000	49	21	0-0	1-0	W1	2-2	.500	145	65	1-1	1-1	W1	W, 49-21 at Stetson
Drake	1-0	1.000	38	13	1-0	0-0	W5	2-2	.500	110	155	2-1	0-1	W1	W, 38-13 vs. Valparaiso
Jacksonville	1-0	1.000	44	37	0-0	1-0	W2	2-1	.667	107	116	1-0	1-1	W2	W, 44-37 at Marist
Morehead State	1-0	1.000	34	28	1-0	0-0	W1	2-2	.500	120	169	2-0	0-2	W1	W, 34-28 vs. Dayton
San Diego	1-0	1.000	38	17	1-0	0-0	W14	2-2	.500	96	99	2-0	0-2	W1	W, 38-17 vs. Butler
Marist	1-1	.500	75	61	1-1	0-0	L1	2-2	.500	95	118	1-1	1-1	L1	L, 37-44 vs. Jacksonville
Davidson	0-0	—	0	0	0-0	0-0	L8	2-1	.667	89	91	2-0	0-1	W1	Off Week
Butler	0-1	.000	17	38	0-0	0-1	L3	2-2	.500	87	128	1-0	1-2	L1	L, 17-38 at San Diego
Dayton	0-1	.000	28	34	0-0	0-1	L1	1-3	.250	86	98	1-1	0-2	L2	L, 28-34 at Morehead State
Valparaiso	0-1	.000	13	38	0-0	0-1	L1	1-3	.250	120	138	0-1	1-2	L1	L, 13-38 at Drake
Stetson	0-2	.000	38	87	0-1	0-1	L6	0-4	.000	48	167	0-2	0-2	L8	L, 21-49 vs. Campbell

Teams tied for PFL lead are listed in alphabetical order unless tiebreaker is applicable. Tiebreaker format for FCS automatic bid available at PFL website.

## AHEAD IN WEEK 5

All times Eastern. 🏠 - PFL Contest

### SATURDAY, SEPT. 30

#### 🏠 San Diego at Dayton, Noon

**Location:** Dayton, Ohio  
**Stadium:** Welcome Stadium (11,000)  
**Series:** DAY leads, 15-8 **Streak:** SAN, one win  
**Last Meeting:** San Diego def. Dayton, 34-22 (2016)  
**Video:** DaytonFlyers.com

#### 🏠 Stetson at Valparaiso, 2 p.m.

**Location:** Valparaiso, Indiana  
**Stadium:** Brown Stadium (5,000)  
**Series:** Series tied, 1-1 **Streak:** VAL, one win  
**Last Meeting:** Valparaiso def. Stetson, 21-18 (2016)

#### 🏠 Drake at Butler, 1 p.m.

**Location:** Indianapolis, Indiana  
**Stadium:** Butler Bowl (5,400)  
**Series:** DRA leads, 17-8-1 **Streak:** DRA, one win  
**Last Meeting:** Drake def. Butler, 28-14  
**Video:** Facebook.com/ButlerBulldogs

#### 🏠 Marist at Davidson, 1 p.m.

**Location:** Davidson, North Carolina  
**Stadium:** Richardson Stadium (5,500)  
**Series:** MAR leads, 8-1 **Streak:** MAR, six wins  
**Last Meeting:** Marist def. Davidson, 31-10 (2016)  
**Video:** DavidsonWildcats.com

#### Guilford at Jacksonville, 1 p.m.

**Location:** Jacksonville, Florida  
**Stadium:** D.B. Milne Field (5,000)  
**Series:** First Meeting  
**Video:** JUDolphins.com

#### 🏠 Morehead State at Campbell, 2 p.m.

**Location:** Buies Creek, North Carolina  
**Stadium:** Barker-Lane Stadium (5,500)  
**Series:** MOR leads, 5-4 **Streak:** CAM, one win  
**Last Meeting:** Campbell def. Morehead State, 27-21 (2016)  
**Video:** GoCamels.com

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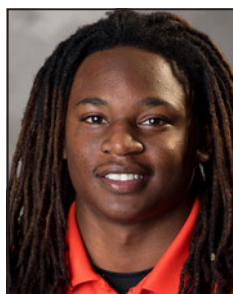
## PLAYERS OF THE WEEK



Anthony Lawrence



Rylan Wells



Carlos Merritt



Javier Arce-Ramirez



Mekhai Johnson

### CO-OFFENSIVE

#### Anthony Lawrence, San Diego

Junior (RS) | Quarterback  
La Mesa, California

Lawrence tied his career high with five touchdown throws in San Diego's 38-17 PFL victory against Butler, Saturday. He completed 26-of-39 passes without throwing an interception, passing for 367 yards to finish with an impressive 188.0 pass efficiency rating. Lawrence was responsible for all five Torero touchdowns in the game, throwing scoring strikes of 5, 9, 4, 13 and 23 yards to three different receivers.

#### Rylan Wells, Jacksonville

Senior (RS) | Quarterback  
Tega City, South Carolina

Wells also was responsible for five touchdowns in Jacksonville's 44-37 PFL victory at Marist. Earning his second straight PFL weekly honor, he passed for two touchdowns and ran for three in the victory. Wells completed 10-of-14 passes for 154 yards and ran 12 times for 92 yards and added a two-point conversion toss on the Dolphins final touchdown.

### DEFENSIVE

#### Carlos Merritt, Campbell

Senior (RS) | Defensive Back  
Union City, Georgia

Merritt picked off two passes and returned one for a touchdown in Campbell's 49-21 PFL victory at Stetson, Saturday. His interception return for a score capped the Camels' 28-point first quarter and proved to be the eventual game-winning score. Merritt's second pick came later in the first half and stopped a Stetson drive before it could reach midfield. He led Campbell in tackles, finishing with nine stops (six solo) and was credited with a half tackle for loss.

### CO-SPECIAL TEAMS

#### Javier Arce-Ramirez, Jacksonville

Sophomore (RS) | Kicker  
Madrid, Spain

Arce-Ramirez hit two field goals and scored 10 points in Jacksonville's 44-37 PFL victory at Marist, Saturday. The sophomore kicked field goals of 22 and 31 yards in the first half to help the Dolphins nose out to a 13-3 lead. He also converted on each of his four PATs.

#### Mekhai Johnson, Marist

Freshman | Kick Returner  
Dorchester, Massachusetts

Johnson scored the PFL's first touchdown on a kick return, to help Marist climb back into the contest before falling 44-37 to Jacksonville, Saturday. His 90-yard kickoff return in the second quarter helped the Red Foxes get back within four points, 13-9, in the second quarter. He had a good day as the Marist returner, finishing with 140 return yards on three kick-offs – his 46.7 yards per return the best in the PFL this season.

### OTHER TOP PERFORMANCES IN WEEK 4

- **JEROME BROOKS, LB (Morehead State)** – Brooks was credited with three tackles for loss and seven tackles (three solo) in the Eagles win against Dayton.
- **KAMA KAMAKA, NB (San Diego)** – Kamaka was busy in San Diego's win against Butler, finishing with five tackles, 1.5 tackles for loss, an interception and a pass breakup.
- **GRANT KRAEMER, QB (Drake)** – Kraemer's 445 passing yards were 11 shy of breaking the Drake passing record and were the fifth-most passing yards in the FCS this season as he led Drake to a victory against Valparaiso.
- **JONNY MESINA, P/K (Stetson)** – Mesina booted a 66-yard punt as part of a five-punt day that saw him averaged 42.4 yards per punt, placing two inside the 20-yard line.
- **THOMAS OPORTO, LB (Jacksonville)** – Oporto picked off a pass and had a team-best 13 tackles (seven solo) to pace the Dolphins defense in a win at Marist.
- **LAWSON PAGE, QB (Morehead State)** – Page equalled his career high with four touchdown tosses in Morehead State's win against Dayton, completing 24-of-37 passes for 309 yards.
- **DONALD PARHAM, TE (Stetson)** – Parham led all PFL receivers with 157 reception yards on nine catches in Stetson's loss to Campbell.
- **PACE TEMPLE, WR (Butler)** – Temple caught nine passes for 155 yards and two touchdowns in Butler's loss at San Diego. He amassed 110 yards in the game's first 20 minutes en route to his fifth career 100-yard receiving outing.
- **DANIEL SMITH, QB (Campbell)** – Smith's 179 rushing yards were the most ever by a Campbell quarterback and he passed for another 188 yards in Campbell's win against at Stetson. He finished with 367 offensive yards and was responsible for four touchdowns (two passing, two rushing).
- **SEAN SMITH, P (Dayton)** – Smith averaged 42.4 yards per punt, placing two inside the 20-yard line in Dayton's loss at Morehead State.

### OTHER PLAYERS NOMINATED IN WEEK 3

- **OFFENSIVE** – Sean Prophit (RB, DAY); Lawrence Dickens (WR, MAR); Kyle Cartales (RB, VAL).
- **DEFENSIVE** – Austin Desmond (S, DRA); Jeb Boudreaux (LB, STE); Isaak Newhouse (S, BUT); Jack Crain (LB, DAY); Drew Snouffer (LB, VAL); Willie Barrett (LB, MAR).
- **SPECIAL TEAMS** – Hunter White (K, DRA); Bailey Geissinger (RS, VAL); Emilio Martinez (RS, SAN).

## NEWS AND NOTES FROM AROUND THE PFL

**PFL's 25TH CAMPAIGN** | The 2017 season marks the 25th year for the Pioneer Football League – the nation's only non-scholarship, football-only NCAA Football Championship Sub-division conference. The league will feature 11 teams each playing an eight-game schedule to determine the league champion and recipient of the automatic bid to the 2017 NCAA FCS Championship.

**OH, THAT DOLPHIN PASSING** | Jacksonville enters Week 5 of the 2017 campaign ranked No. 2 among FCS teams in Passing Efficiency, boasting a 189.20 rating. The Dolphins have six touchdowns and 487 yards on 49 pass attempts this season while throwing only one interception on the campaign. They lead a pack of five PFL teams – Morehead State, Valparaiso, Drake and San Diego – ranked among the FCS Top 50 in the category.

**PATIENT FLYERS** | Dayton is the least penalized team in the FCS after four weeks, averaging just 2.75 penalties per game. They are also ranked fourth in fewest penalty yards per game, averaging only 31.25 penalty yards.

**CRUSADERS SURGING** | Valparaiso's offense has enjoyed a resurgence in 2017, its 443.3 total yards per game ranking 21st among FCS programs and leading the PFL. The Crusaders ran up 450 offensive yards against Montana in Week 1 before tacking on 511 offensive yards against Duquesne and another 518 against Trinity International. Valparaiso averaged just 300 offensive yards per game last season, ranking 106th among FCS teams.

**TRIO OF KICK RETURNERS TO FEAR** | The PFL boasts three kick returners that have proven to be dangerous in 2017. Morehead State's Jaunyea Tarver (6th, 376 yards), Dayton's Christian Searles (11th, 348) and Butler's Cam Cooper (14th, 339) are each ranked among the FCS Top 15 in Combined Kick Return Yardage (punt and kick returns) after four weeks.

**MARIST'S JOHNSON 1ST TO RETURN KICK FOR SCORE** | Marist's Mekhai Johnson became the first PFL return specialist to return a kickoff for a touchdown in 2017, turning in the score against Jacksonville in Week 4. He was one of only 13 FCS players to return a kick for a touchdown in the season's first four weeks.

**RETURNS TO THE HOUSE** | Three of the 19 FCS return men to take a punt back for a touchdown reside in the PFL. Davidson's Austin Wells, Dayton's Christian Searles and Campbell's Jaquan Brooks have each put six on the board after fielding a punt in 2017.

**HIGGINBOTHOM, PRIEST LEADS RECEIVERS** | Morehead State's Jaren Higginbothom and San Diego's Justin Priest each have five receiving touchdowns this season, ranking fourth among FCS athletes in the category.

**WILDCATS' DUGGER RUNNING WILD** | Davidson freshman running back Wesley Dugger has motored to a quick start, compiling 377 rushing yards in his first three collegiate games. His 125.7 rushing yards per game ranks eighth among all FCS runners this season and it leads all rookie runners with a minimum of 20 rushes to their credit.

**BOXRUCKER SCORING ON THE GROUND** | Valparaiso sophomore running back Cody Boxrucker is getting the job done on the ground, as one of only 11 runners with five or more touchdowns this season.

**PFL QUARTET LEADING FCS IN TACKLERS FOR LOSS** | Davidson's Bryce Perry-Martin enters Week 5 ranked fourth among all FCS tacklers with 2.2 tackles for loss per game. He is one of four PFL defenders ranked among the Top 10 in tackles for loss with Stetson's Jeb Boudreaux, Morehead State's Jerome Brooks and Campbell's Emmanuel Olenga each averaging 2.0 tackles for loss per game – each fifth-most in the FCS.

**OLENGA A SACK LEADER** | In addition, Olenga is one of three PFL tacklers to rank among the FCS Top 10 in sacks, his 1.38 sacks per game ranking third in the subdivision.

**LASTONAS STILL PERFECT ON FGs** | Valparaiso sophomore Dimitrios Lastonas (4-for-4) is one of only 17 kickers who have not missed a field goal in 2017 after four weeks.

**FIVE PFL ALUMNI ON NFL ACTIVE ROSTERS** | The opening week of NFL action saw five PFL alumni listed on NFL active rosters. Marist alumni Terrence Fede (Miami) and Jason Myers (Jacksonville) returned to their teams for 2017. Drake's Eric Saubert (Atlanta), San Diego's Jamal Agnew (Detroit) and Stetson's Donald Payne (Jacksonville) are the league's newest alumni to make an NFL roster in 2017.



### PREFERRED NOMENCLATURE

The league's full name is the **Pioneer Football League**. Please use the league's full name when possible or use PFL as an abbreviation. Please, **DO NOT** use Pioneer League in any case.

### PIONEER-FOOTBALL.ORG

The PFL's website features the latest news and stories around the league. Standings along with team-by-team and composite results are updated following the conclusion of each day's action.

### PFL ON TWITTER @PFLNews

The PFL also maintains an official twitter feed @PFLNews which will provide release and award notifications and score updates throughout the season.

### WEEKLY RELEASE AND STATISTICS

Each week the PFL produces a weekly release in two versions, an initial Sunday Release and a final Weekly Release sent each Monday:

- The league's Sunday Release contains updated standings, the upcoming week's schedule and notes as well as the players of the week.
- The PFL Weekly Release is released each Monday and contains all the information from the Sunday release along with news and notes from around the league and up-to-date statistics.

Both versions are provided by e-mail and on the league's website in PDF and may be reproduced as necessary. Weekly releases also will be sent via e-mail to media outlets around the league. Please contact Cody Bush at the PFL Media Relations Office to be added to the league's e-mail list.

### WEEKLY AWARDS

The PFL names Offensive, Defensive and Special Teams Players of the Week each Sunday during the season. Winners are selected from nominations provided by each PFL team's Football Media Relations personnel. The information will be available from the PFL via the league's Sunday Release, the league's website, official Twitter feed and Facebook page.

### ANNUAL AWARDS

The league will announce the following awards at the conclusion of the regular-season:

- All-PFL First and Second teams;
- Honorable Mention All-PFL;
- Academic All-PFL First and Second teams;
- Offensive, Defensive and Special Teams Players of the Year;
- Offensive and Defensive Freshmen of the Year;
- Scholar-Athlete of the Year;
- Coach of the Year.

The awards will be announced by the PFL via release as well as on the league's website.

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## 2017 PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

### OFFENSE

S03	Lawson Page, Morehead State
S10	Mike White, Marist
S17	Rylan Wells, Jacksonville
S24	Anthony Lawrence, San Diego Rylan Wells, Jacksonville
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022	
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N05	
N12	
N19	

### DEFENSE

S03	Emmanuel Olenga, Campbell
S10	David Leisring, Dayton
S17	Willie Barrett, Marist
S24	Carlos Merritt, Campbell
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### SPECIAL TEAMS

S03	Jaquan Brooks, Campbell
S10	Patrick Sandler, Dayton
S17	Christian Searles, Dayton
S24	Javier Arce-Ramirez, Jacksonville Mekhai Johnson, Marist
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## 2017 NATIONAL HONORS

### STATS FCS

S04	Lawson Page, Morehead State Honorable Mention Offense
S04	Emmanuel Olenga, Campbell Honorable Mention Defense
S04	Wesley Dugger, Valparaiso Honorable Mention Freshman
S11	Jimmy Seewald, Valparaiso Honorable Mention Offense
S11	Patrick Sandler, Dayton Honorable Mention Special Teams
S18	Willie Barrett, Marist Honorable Mention Defense
S25	Rylan Wells, Jacksonville Honorable Mention Offense
S25	Carlos Merritt, Campbell Honorable Mention Defense
S25	Mekhai Johnson, Marist Honorable Mention Freshman

## PRESEASON COACHES POLL

Rk	Team	Pts
1.	San Diego (9)	99
2.	Dayton (2)	92
3.	Marist	69
4.	Drake	67
5.	Campbell	62
	Jacksonville	62
7.	Butler	49
8.	Morehead State	42
9.	Stetson	29
10.	Valparaiso	24
11.	Davidson	10

- First-place votes in parentheses.
- 10 points awarded for a first-place vote, with one point less for each succeeding place. (Maximum score = 100)
- Coaches were not allowed to vote for their own team.

## PRESEASON ALL-PFL

### OFFENSE

POS	PLAYER	SCHOOL
WR	Aaron Blockmon (1)	Campbell
WR	Juston Christian (1)	Marist
WR	Pace Temple (2)	Butler
QB	Anthony Lawrence (1)	San Diego
TE	Ross Dwelley (2)	San Diego
RB	Marcellus Calhoun (H)	Marist
RB	Jarrett Morgan (H)	Valparaiso
FB	Duvante Lane (2)	Butler
OL	Ben Gauthier (H)	Dayton
OL	Richard Duncan Murphy (H)	Marist
OL	Joe Hurney (2)	San Diego
OL	Miles McArdle (1)	San Diego
OL	Daniel Cooney (1)	San Diego

### DEFENSE

POS	PLAYER	SCHOOL
DL	Nick Surges (2)	Dayton
DL	Colt Briggs (2)	Morehead State
DL	Jonathan Petersen (1)	San Diego
DL	Mack Marrin (H)	Drake
LB	Jack Crain (2)	Dayton
LB	Willie Barrett (2)	Marist
LB	Jeb Boudreaux (2)	Stetson
LB	Drew Snouffer (H)	Valparaiso
DB	Wes Beans (2)	Marist
DB	Christian Searles (1)	Dayton
DB	Ray Clark (2)	San Diego
DB	Jordyn Jean-Felix (H)	Marist

### SPECIAL TEAMS

POS	PLAYER	SCHOOL
PK	Javier Arce-Ramirez (2)	Jacksonville
P	Sean Smith (1)	Dayton
RS	Bailey Gessinger (2)	Valparaiso
LS	Nick Mecca (2)	Marist

Notes in parentheses: OffPOY/DefPOY-Player was the PFL Offensive or Defensive Player of the Year in 2015, 1-was a First-Team All-PFL selection in 2015, 2-was a Second-Team All-PFL selection in 2015, H-was an All-PFL honorable mention selection in 2015.

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## PFL ACTIVE WIN STREAKS

Consecutive Overall Wins	Consecutive PFL Wins	Consecutive Home Wins	Consecutive Road Wins
2 Jacksonville	14 San Diego [3rd in FCS]	13 San Diego [2nd in FCS]	1 Campbell
	5 Drake [11th in FCS]	2 Davidson	1 Jacksonville
	2 Jacksonville	2 Drake	1 Marist
	2 Morehead State	2 Jacksonville	
		2 Morehead State	

## FCS NATIONAL POLLS

### STATS

Rk	Team (1sts)	W-L	Pts	Pvs
1.	James Madison (154)	4-0	4041	1
2.	North Dakota St. (5)	3-0	3875	2
3.	Sam Houston St. (2)	3-0	3679	3
4.	South Dakota St. (1)	3-0	3564	4
5.	Jacksonville St.	2-1	3401	5
6.	Youngstown St.	2-1	3226	6
7.	Wofford	3-0	2945	9
8.	Citadel	3-0	2661	10
9.	Eastern Washington	2-2	2519	11
10.	South Dakota	3-0	2414	13
11.	Central Arkansas	2-1	2314	12
12.	Illinois St.	3-0	2124	14
13.	Western Illinois	3-0	1890	19
14.	Villanova	2-2	1883	7
15.	New Hampshire	3-1	1734	15
16.	Richmond	2-2	1671	8
17.	North Carolina A&T	4-0	1268	21
18.	UT Martin	3-1	1098	24
19.	Albany	3-1	1014	NR
20.	Weber St.	3-1	928	23
21.	Grambling St.	2-1	829	22
22.	Liberty	3-1	805	16
23.	Elon	3-1	743	NR
24.	Tennessee St.	3-1	355	20
25.	Samford	2-2	299	18

Others receiving votes: Stony Brook (220), North Dakota (218), Western Carolina (189), Charleston Southern (116), Chattanooga (107), UNI (75), North Carolina Central (72), Princeton (55), Montana (38), Holy Cross (34), Nicholls (30), Howard (29), Montana St. (28), Penn (27), McNeese (24), Dartmouth (17), Delaware (17), Kennesaw St. (15), Southern Illinois (14), Harvard (10), William & Mary (6), Saint Francis U (6), Yale (4), Duquesne (4), Colgate (4), Alcorn St. (4), Monmouth (3), Sacramento St. (2), Northern Arizona (1), Eastern Kentucky (1).

### COACHES

Rk	Team (1sts)	W-L	Pts	Pvs
1.	James Madison (25)	4-0	649	1
2.	North Dakota St. (1)	3-0	625	2
3.	Sam Houston St.	3-0	594	3
4.	South Dakota St.	3-0	551	4
5.	Youngstown St.	2-1	530	5
	Jacksonville St.	2-1	530	7
7.	Wofford	3-0	482	9
8.	Illinois St.	3-0	396	12
	Eastern Washington	2-2	396	11
10.	South Dakota	3-0	383	14
11.	The Citadel	3-0	382	10
12.	Central Arkansas	2-1	340	13
13.	North Carolina A&T	4-0	319	15
14.	New Hampshire	3-1	310	16
15.	Richmond	2-2	292	6
16.	Western Illinois	3-0	276	21
17.	Villanova	2-2	262	8
18.	Weber St.	3-1	261	18
19.	Grambling St.	3-1	174	22
20.	Northern Iowa	1-2	103	24
21.	UT Martin	3-1	95	RV
22.	Albany	3-1	84	RV
23.	Samford	2-2	82	17
24.	Tennessee St.	3-1	59	20
25.	McNeese	3-1	46	RV

Others receiving votes: Stony Brook (34), Elon (27), Nicholls (25), Chattanooga (24), North Dakota (21), Montana St. (19), Yale (13), Charleston Southern (12), Western Carolina (10), Holy Cross (7), Princeton (7), Towson (6), Kennesaw St. (6), Montana (6), Saint Francis (3), Northern Colorado (2), Monmouth (2), Prairie View A&M (2), N.C. Central (1), Howard (1), William & Mary (1).

## PFL WEEK-BY-WEEK POLL BREAKDOWN

AFTER WEEK	BUT	CAM	DAV	DAY	DRA	JAC	MAR	MER	MOR	SAN	STE	VAL
PRESEASON	-/-	-/-	-/-	RV/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	RV/RV	-/-	-/-
ONE	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/RV	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	RV/RV	-/-	-/-
TWO	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	RV/RV	-/-	-/-
THREE	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	RV/-	-/-	-/-
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FIVE												
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Polls: STATS FCS Poll/FCS Coaches Poll



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## COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

All times Eastern. 🏠 - PFL Contest

### WEEK 1: Thursday, Aug. 31

Morehead State 56, Kentucky Christian 14
Campbell 70, Methodist 0
Mercer 48, Jacksonville 7

### WEEK 1: Saturday, Sept. 2

Bucknell 45, Marist 6
Sacred Heart 42, Stetson 3
San Diego 34, Western New Mexico 20
Montana 45, Valparaiso 23
Robert Morris 13, Dayton 10
Illinois State 45, Butler 0
South Dakota 77, Drake 7
Davidson 30, Brevard 7

### WEEK 2: Saturday, Sept. 9

Dayton def. Southeast Missouri, 25-23
🏠 Marist def. Stetson, 38-17
Duquesne def. Valparaiso, 45-40
Liberty def. Morehead State, 58-17
Georgetown def. Campbell, 16-10
Western Carolina def. Davidson, 63-17
Butler def. Franklin, 43-24
Drake def. Southwestern, 55-14
UC Davis def. San Diego, 35-7

### WEEK 3: Saturday, Sept. 16

Princeton 27, San Diego 17
Jacksonville 56, Walsh 31
Marist 14, Georgetown 12
Duquesne 28, Dayton 23
Valparaiso 44, Trinity International 10
Dartmouth 38, Stetson 7
Butler 27, Taylor 21
Davidson 42, Guilford 21
Austin Peay 69, Morehead State 13
Presbyterian 28, Campbell 16
South Dakota State 51, Drake 10

### WEEK 4: Saturday, Sept. 23

🏠 Morehead State 34, Dayton 28
🏠 Drake 38, Valparaiso 14
🏠 Campbell 49, Stetson 21
🏠 San Diego 38, Butler 17
🏠 Jacksonville 44, Marist 37

### WEEK 5: Saturday, Sept. 30

🏠 San Diego at Dayton	12 p.m.
🏠 Drake at Butler	1 p.m.
🏠 Marist at Davidson	1 p.m.
Guilford at Jacksonville	1 p.m.
🏠 Morehead State at Campbell	2 p.m.
🏠 Stetson at Valparaiso	2 p.m.

### WEEK 6: Saturday, Oct. 7

Columbia at Marist	12 p.m.
🏠 Butler at Morehead State	1 p.m.
Brown at Stetson	1 p.m.
🏠 Dayton at Drake	2 p.m.
🏠 Valparaiso at Campbell	6 p.m.
🏠 Davidson at Jacksonville	TBA

### WEEK 7: Saturday, Oct. 14

🏠 Jacksonville at Butler	1 p.m.
🏠 Campbell at Dayton	1 p.m.
🏠 Davidson at Stetson	1 p.m.
🏠 Marist at Valparaiso	2 p.m.
🏠 Morehead State at San Diego	5 p.m.

### WEEK 8: Saturday, Oct. 21

🏠 San Diego at Jacksonville	12 p.m.
🏠 Campbell at Butler	1 p.m.
🏠 Dayton at Davidson	1 p.m.
🏠 Drake at Marist	1 p.m.
🏠 Stetson at Morehead State	1 p.m.

### WEEK 9: Saturday, Oct. 28

🏠 Butler at Dayton	1 p.m.
🏠 San Diego at Stetson	1 p.m.
🏠 Jacksonville at Campbell	2 p.m.
🏠 Davidson at Drake	2 p.m.
🏠 Morehead State at Valparaiso	2 p.m.

### WEEK 10: Saturday, Nov. 4

🏠 Valparaiso at Jacksonville	12 p.m.
🏠 Campbell at Davidson	1 p.m.
🏠 Marist at Dayton	1 p.m.
🏠 Butler at Stetson	4 p.m.
🏠 Drake at San Diego	TBA

### WEEK 11: Saturday, Nov. 11

🏠 Morehead State at Marist	12 p.m.
🏠 San Diego at Davidson	12:30 p.m.
🏠 Valparaiso at Butler	1 p.m.
🏠 Drake at Campbell	1 p.m.
🏠 Stetson at Jacksonville	1 p.m.

### WEEK 12: Saturday, Nov. 18

🏠 Davidson at Morehead State	1 p.m.
🏠 Jacksonville at Drake	2 p.m.
🏠 Dayton at Valparaiso	2 p.m.
🏠 Marist at San Diego	TBA

### POSTSEASON WEEK 1: Saturday, Nov. 25

NCAA Division I FCS Championship
First Round

### POSTSEASON WEEK 2: Saturday, Dec. 2

NCAA Division I FCS Championship:
Second Round

### POSTSEASON WEEK 3: Fri.-Sat., Dec. 9-10

NCAA Division I FCS Championship:
Quarterfinals

### POSTSEASON WEEK 4: Fri.-Sat., Dec. 16-17

NCAA Division I FCS Championship:
Semifinals

### POSTSEASON WEEK 5: Saturday, Jan. 6

NCAA Division I FCS Championship:
National Championship
Frisco, Texas

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## TEAM-BY-TEAM CAPSULES

### BUTLER BULLDOGS

OVERALL: 2-2 PFL: 0-1 HOME: 1-0 AWAY: 1-2

HOME FACILITY: BUTLER BOWL (6,500)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
S02		at Illinois State [20/18]	L	0-45	10840
S09		at Franklin	W	43-24	1789
S16		Taylor	W	27-21	4112
S23		at San Diego [■] [RV/-]	L	17-38	1701
S30		Drake [■]		1 p.m.	
O07		at Morehead State [■]		1 p.m.	
O14		Jacksonville [■]		1 p.m.	
O21		Campbell [■]		1 p.m.	
O28		at Dayton [■]		1 p.m.	
N04		at Stetson [■]		4 p.m.	
N11		Valparaiso [■]		1 p.m.	

### CAMPBELL FIGHTING CAMELS

OVERALL: 2-2 PFL: 1-0 HOME: 1-1 AWAY: 1-1

HOME FACILITY: BARKER-LANE STADIUM (5,500)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
A31		Methodist	W	70-0	4831
S09		Georgetown	L	10-16	5853
S16		at Presbyterian	L	16-28	2204
S23		at Stetson [■]	W	49-21	2316
S30		Morehead State [■]		2 p.m.	
O07		Valparaiso [■]		6 p.m.	
O14		at Dayton [■]		1 p.m.	
O21		at Butler [■]		1 p.m.	
O28		Jacksonville [■]		2 p.m.	
N04		at Davidson [■]		1 p.m.	
N11		Drake [■]		1 p.m.	

### DAVIDSON WILDCATS

OVERALL: 2-1 PFL: 0-0 HOME: 2-0 AWAY: 0-1

HOME FACILITY: RICHARDSON STADIUM (4,500)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
S02		Brevard	W	30-7	4017
S09		at Western Carolina [RV/-]	L	17-63	11763
S16		Guilford	W	42-21	4614
S30		Marist [■]		1 p.m.	
O07		at Jacksonville [■]		TBA	
O14		at Stetson [■]		1 p.m.	
O21		Dayton [■]		1 p.m.	
O28		at Drake [■]		2 p.m.	
N04		Campbell [■]		1 p.m.	
N11		San Diego [■]		12:30 p.m.	
N18		at Morehead State [■]		1 p.m.	

### DAYTON FLYERS

OVERALL: 1-3 PFL: 0-1 HOME: 1-1 AWAY: 0-2

HOME FACILITY: WELCOME STADIUM (11,000)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
S02		at Robert Morris [RV/-]	L	10-13	1929
S09		Southwest Missouri [-/RV]	W	25-23	2766
S16		Duquesne	L	23-28	5357
S23		at Morehead State [■]	L	28-34	6306
S30		San Diego [■]		12 p.m.	
O07		at Drake [■]		2 p.m.	
O14		Campbell [■]		1 p.m.	
O21		at Davidson [■]		1 p.m.	
O28		Butler [■]		1 p.m.	
N04		Marist [■]		1 p.m.	
N18		at Valparaiso [■]		2 p.m.	

### DRAKE BULLDOGS

OVERALL: 2-2 PFL: 1-0 HOME: 2-1 AWAY: 0-1

HOME FACILITY: DRAKE STADIUM (14,000)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
S02		South Dakota	L	7-77	3332
S09		Southwestern (Kan.)	W	55-14	864
S16		at South Dakota State [4/4]	L	10-51	15806
S23		Valparaiso [■]	W	38-13	2956
S30		at Butler [■]		1 p.m.	
O07		Dayton [■]		2 p.m.	
O21		at Marist [■]		1 p.m.	
O28		Davidson [■]		2 p.m.	
N04		at San Diego [■]		TBA	
N11		at Campbell [■]		1 p.m.	
N18		Jacksonville [■]		2 p.m.	

### JACKSONVILLE DOLPHINS

OVERALL: 2-1 PFL: 1-0 HOME: 1-0 AWAY: 1-1

HOME FACILITY: D.B. MILNE FIELD (5,000)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
A31		at Mercer	L	7-48	9727
S16		Walsh	W	56-31	1508
S23		at Marist [■]	W	44-37	4077
S30		Guilford		1 p.m.	
O07		Davidson [■]		TBA	
O14		at Butler [■]		1 p.m.	
O21		San Diego [■]		12 p.m.	
O28		at Campbell [■]		2 p.m.	
N04		Valparaiso [■]		12 p.m.	
N11		Stetson [■]		1 p.m.	
N18		at Drake [■]		2 p.m.	

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### MARIST RED FOXES

**OVERALL: 2-2 PFL: 1-1** HOME: 1-1 AWAY: 1-1

HOME FACILITY: TENNEY STADIUM (5,000)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
S02		at Bucknell	L	6-45	3024
S09		Stetson (■)	W	38-17	2297
S16		at Georgetown	W	14-12	1112
S23		Jacksonville (■)	L	37-44	4077
S30		at Davidson (■)		1 p.m.	
O07		Columbia		12 p.m.	
O14		at Valparaiso (■)		2 p.m.	
O21		Drake (■)		1 p.m.	
N04		at Dayton (■)		1 p.m.	
N11		Morehead State (■)		12 p.m.	
N18		at San Diego (■)		TBA	

### MOREHEAD STATE EAGLES

**OVERALL: 2-2 PFL: 1-0** HOME: 2-0 AWAY: 0-2

HOME FACILITY: JAYNE STADIUM (10,000)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
A31		Kentucky Christian	W	56-14	5846
S09		at Liberty [19/-]	L	17-58	17118
S16		at Austin Peay	L	13-69	8152
S23		Dayton (■)	W	34-28	6306
S30		at Campbell (■)		2 p.m.	
O07		Butler (■)		1 p.m.	
O14		at San Diego (■)		5 p.m.	
O21		Stetson (■)		1 p.m.	
O28		at Valparaiso (■)		2 p.m.	
N11		at Marist (■)		12 p.m.	
N18		Davidson (■)		1 p.m.	

### SAN DIEGO TOREROS

**OVERALL: 2-2 PFL: 1-0** HOME: 2-0 AWAY: 0-2

HOME FACILITY: TORERO STADIUM (7,000)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
S02	[RV/RV]	Western New Mexico	W	34-20	2247
S09	[RV/RV]	at UC Davis	L	7-35	6588
S16	[RV/RV]	at Princeton	L	17-27	10421
S23	[RV/-]	Butler (■)	W	38-17	1701
S30		at Dayton (■)		12 p.m.	
O14		Morehead State (■)		5 p.m.	
O21		at Jacksonville (■)		12 p.m.	
O28		at Stetson (■)		1 p.m.	
N04		Drake (■)		TBA	
N11		at Davidson (■)		12:30 p.m.	
N18		Marist (■)		TBA	

### STETSON HATTERS

**OVERALL: 0-4 PFL: 0-2** HOME: 0-2 AWAY: 0-2

HOME FACILITY: SPEC MARTIN STADIUM (6,000)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
S02		at Sacred Heart	L	3-42	2992
S09		at Marist (■)	L	17-38	2297
S16		Dartmouth	L	7-38	2435
S23		Campbell (■)	L	21-49	2316
S30		at Valparaiso (■)		2 p.m.	
O07		Brown		1 p.m.	
O14		Davidson (■)		1 p.m.	
O21		at Morehead State (■)		1 p.m.	
O28		San Diego (■)		1 p.m.	
N04		Butler (■)		4 p.m.	
N11		at Jacksonville (■)		1 p.m.	

### VALPARAISO CRUSADERS

**OVERALL: 1-3 PFL: 0-1** HOME: 0-1 AWAY: 1-2

HOME FACILITY: BROWN FIELD (5,000)

Date	[TM RANK]	Opponent [RANK]	W/L	Score	Attend
S02		at Montana	L	23-45	23160
S09		Duquesne	L	40-45	2932
S16		at Trinity Int'l	W	44-10	300
S23		at Drake (■)	L	13-38	2956
S30		Stetson (■)		2 p.m.	
O07		at Campbell (■)		6 p.m.	
O14		Marist (■)		2 p.m.	
O28		Morehead State (■)		2 p.m.	
N04		at Jacksonville (■)		12 p.m.	
N11		at Butler (■)		1 p.m.	
N18		Dayton (■)		2 p.m.	





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## PFL ALL-TIME SERIES RECORDS

Regular-season PFL contests only

Team	BUT	CAM	DAV	DAY	DRA	JAC	MAR	MOR	SAN	STE	VAL	AUS	EVA	MER
Butler	—	5-4	6-3	6-18	8-16	2-7	2-3	5-6	5-18	1-0	13-11	0-0	5-0	0-0
Campbell	4-5	—	5-4	0-4	1-6	0-8	1-7	4-5	1-4	3-2	3-4	0-0	0-0	0-1
Davidson	3-6	4-5	—	1-8	1-6	5-11	1-7	5-11	1-8	1-3	4-4	3-2	0-0	0-1
Dayton	18-6	4-0	8-1	—	16-8	3-4	7-1	8-4	16-8	3-0	22-2	0-0	5-0	0-0
Drake	15-8	6-1	6-1	8-16	—	8-3	5-0	7-2	11-13	2-0	22-3	0-0	5-0	0-1
Jacksonville#	4-2	3-0	6-5	2-3	1-8	—	3-3	6-4	2-4	2-0	4-2	4-1	0-0	0-1
Marist	3-1	7-1	6-1	1-7	0-5	3-6	—	2-2	0-8	4-1	6-0	0-0	0-0	1-0
Morehead State	6-5	5-4	11-5	4-8	2-6	4-12	2-2	—	0-9	1-0	10-1	5-0	0-0	0-0
San Diego†	16-5	5-1	8-1	8-16	12-11	4-4	7-0	8-0	—	3-0	18-5	0-0	3-2	0-0
Stetson	0-2	2-3	3-1	0-3	0-3	0-4	1-4	0-1	0-4	—	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-1
Valparaiso	11-13	4-3	4-4	2-22	3-22	2-5	0-6	1-10	5-19	1-1	—	0-0	2-3	0-1

## ALL-TIME PFL STANDINGS

Regular-season PFL contests only, by win percentage

Team	Yrs	Gms	W-L	Pct.
Dayton	24	144	110-34	.764
San Diego†	24	144	92-45	.672
Drake	24	144	96-48	.667
Jacksonville#	16	101	38-33	.535
Marist	8	66	34-32	.515
Morehead State	16	102	50-52	.490
Butler	24	144	58-86	.403
Campbell	9	72	22-50	.306
Davidson	16	101	29-72	.287
Valparaiso	24	144	35-109	.243
Stetson	4	34	7-27	.206

## ALL-TIME OVERALL RECORDS

School (Seasons)	W-L-T
Butler (125)	579-459-35
Campbell (7)	34-68-0
Davidson (117)	423-612-45
Dayton (107)	668-366-25
Drake (121)	607-509-29
Jacksonville (17)	107-95-0
Marist (37)	174-212-3
Morehead State (85)	341-465-22
San Diego (48)	291-209-6
Stetson (49)	167-161-27
Valparaiso (94)	377-488-27

## PFL COACHING RECORDS

Coach, School	CAREER RECORD			RECORD AT CURRENT SCHOOL				
	Seasons	W-L-T	Pct.	Seasons	W-L-T	Pct.	PFL	Pct.
Jeff Voris (BUT)	17th	81-97-0	.455	11th	66-63-0	.512	40-47	.460
Mike Minter (CAM)	5th	20-29-0	.408	4th	20-29-0	.408	13-19	.406
Paul Nichols (DAV)	5th	7-41-0	.146	4th	7-41-0	.146	1-31	.031
Rich Chamberlin (DAY)	10th	75-30-0	.714	9th	75-30-0	.714	55-18	.753
Rick Fox (DRA)	4th	21-16-0	.568	3rd	21-16-0	.568	17-9	.654
Ian Shields (JAC)	4th	24-12-0	.667	1st	7-6-0	.538	5-3	.625
Jim Parady (MAR)	26th	131-134-1	.494	25th	131-134-1	.494	34-32	.515
Rob Tenyer (MOR)	5th	20-30-0	.400	4th	20-30-0	.400	16-18	.471
Dale Lindsey (SAN)	5th	38-12-0	.760	3rd	38-12-0	.760	23-3	.885
Roger Hughes (STE)	15th	61-77-0	.442	4th	14-36-0	.280	6-28	.176
Dave Cecchini (VAL)	4th	10-28-0	.263	3rd	10-28-0	.263	6-20	.231

## PFL CHAMPIONSHIPS

12	Dayton	1993, 1994c, 1996, 1997, 1999, 2000c, 2001, 2002, 2007c, 2009c, 2010, 2015c
8	San Diego	2005, 2006, 2007c, 2011c, 2012c, 2014, 2015c, 2016
6	Drake	1995, 1998, 2000c, 2004, 2011c, 2012c
4	Butler	1994c, 2009c, 2012c, 2013c
2	Valparaiso	2000c, 2003
1	Jacksonville #	2008
1	Marist	2013c

c - co-champions

# - Jacksonville vacated its 2010 co-championship as part of penalties for PFL rules violations.

**Notes on PFL Championship:** From 1993-2000 - and returning to the format in 2005 - the PFL was composed of one division and the championship was awarded to the team with the best conference record. From 2001-2005, the league expanded and split into two divisions with the divisional winners, who were the teams with the best record against divisional opponents, facing off in a championship game, the winner of that game was awarded the league's championship.

**NOTES:** The PFL records on this page reflect PFL penalties imposed against Jacksonville (# - vacated 30 wins during the 2010-14 seasons) and San Diego (% - vacated 7 wins during the 2013 season). In accordance with NCAA policy, the wins and ties, but not the losses, of the penalized team are dropped from its PFL record only. The won-lost records for each of the opposing teams are not changed when games are vacated. In addition, the overall records for both teams were not changed.

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## PFL YEAR-BY-YEAR HOME ATTENDANCE

School	Facility (capacity)	'16 Avg	'15 Avg	'14 Avg	'13 Avg	'12 Avg	Five-Yr Avg	Gms
Butler	Butler Bowl (5,400)	4106 (5)	3819 (5)	2631 (5)	2597 (7)	2960 (5)	3177	27
Campbell	Barker-Lane Stadium (5,500)	5523 (6)	4916 (6)	4928 (6)	4366 (6)	3620 (6)	4670	30
Davidson	Richardson Stadium (4,500)	3529 (5)	2758 (6)	3296 (6)	3622 (5)	3223 (6)	3265	28
Dayton	Welcome Stadium (11,000)	2916 (6)	2763 (7)	3101 (6)	3421 (5)	3213 (5)	3056	29
Drake	Drake Stadium (14,000)	2163 (6)	2411 (5)	3483 (6)	3187 (6)	3175 (6)	2900	29
Jacksonville	D.B. Milne Field (5,000)	1709 (5)	3580 (5)	2601 (4)	2658 (5)	2668 (5)	2645	24
Marist	Tenney Stadium (5,000)	2207 (6)	2141 (5)	1834 (7)	2312 (5)	1836 (5)	2054	28
Morehead State	Jayne Stadium (10,000)	5736 (6)	8204 (5)	5748 (5)	4354 (7)	4379 (6)	5549	29
San Diego	Torero Stadium (7,000)	2405 (5)	2307 (6)	2786 (7)	3190 (6)	2916 (5)	2727	29
Stetson	Martin Stadium (6,000)	3564 (6)	3115 (6)	3720 (6)	—	—	3980	24
Valparaiso	Brown Field (5,000)	2034 (5)	2246 (5)	2372 (6)	2118 (5)	2342 (6)	2232	27
<b>PFL Average</b>		<b>3304 (61)</b>	<b>3441 (61)</b>	<b>3282 (64)</b>	<b>4112 (71)</b>	<b>3062 (55)</b>	<b>3467</b>	<b>312</b>
<b>Total Attendance</b>		<b>201,566</b>	<b>209,921</b>	<b>210,043</b>	<b>291,930</b>	<b>168,393</b>	<b>1,081,853</b>	

## PFL SHUTOUT HISTORY

Team	Last SHO Win	Gms Ago	Last SHO Loss	Gms Ago
BUT	48-0 at Valparaiso (2010)	71	0-45 at Illinois State (2017)	3
CAM	70-0 vs. Methodist (2017)	3	0-66 at Appalachian State (2014)	35
DAV	56-0 vs. College of Faith (2014)	36	0-34 at Campbell (2016)	4
DAY	13-0 vs. Robert Morris (2016)	52	0-9 vs. Marshall (1976)	458
DRA	50-0 vs. Valparaiso (2011)	62	0-27 at San Diego (2015)	19
JAC	56-0 at Davidson (2014)	25	0-58 at Georgia Southern (2012)	56
MAR	27-0 vs. Stetson (2013)	40	0-17 at Bucknell (2015)	24
MOR	34-0 vs. Davidson (2015)	22	0-39 at San Diego (2010)	71
SAN	27-0 vs. Western New Mexico (2016)	15	0-41 at Dayton (1999)	195
STE	—	50	0-49 vs. Mercer (2014)	34
VAL	54-0 at Wisconsin Lutheran (2006)	124	0-37 at Marist (2013)	45

## PFL OVERTIME HISTORY

Team	Record	Last OT Game
BUT	3-4	(L) 27-33 at Campbell (2016)
CAM	2-4	(L) 26-30 vs. Stetson (2016)
DAV	4-6	(L) 48-54 [50T] vs. Dayton (2014)
DAY	4-1	(W) 54-48 [20T] at Davidson (2014)
DRA	4-2	(L) 35-38 [30T] at Morehead State (2015)
JAC	1-0	(W) 17-14 vs. Stony Brook (2000)
MAR	3-4	(W) 44-41 at Morehead State (2016)
MOR	3-3	(L) 41-44 vs. Marist (2016)
SAN	1-2	(L) 38-45 [20T] at Dayton (2013)
STE	1-0	(W) 30-26 at Campbell (2016)
VAL	4-1	(W) 49-42 vs. Campbell (2013)

## PFL STATISTICAL TRENDS

CATEGORY	2003 <sup>9</sup>	2004 <sup>9</sup>	2005 <sup>9</sup>	2006 <sup>8</sup>	2007 <sup>8</sup>	2008 <sup>9</sup>	2009 <sup>10</sup>	2010 <sup>10</sup>	2011 <sup>10</sup>	2012 <sup>10</sup>	2013 <sup>12</sup>	2014 <sup>11</sup>	2015 <sup>11</sup>	2016 <sup>11</sup>
Scoring Offense	26.9	22.4	27.1	25.0	29.1	24.8	21.5	23.6	26.4	24.4	29.2	25.3	24.1	27.5
Total Offense	391.4	337.1	374.9	361.2	385.1	326.9	319.6	336.4	371.0	384.2	407.2	369.9	353.4	377.6
Rushing Off.	158.5	165.8	187.4	147.2	147.9	131.2	135.1	120.9	120.2	139.9	161.2	155.6	130.3	154.2
Passing Off.	232.9	171.3	187.5	214.0	237.2	195.7	184.5	215.4	250.9	243.3	246.0	214.4	223.1	223.5
Run %	41%	49%	50%	41%	38%	40%	42%	36%	32%	36%	40%	42%	37%	41%
Pass %	59%	51%	50%	59%	62%	60%	58%	64%	68%	64%	60%	58%	63%	59%
Scoring Defense	25.8	24.7	27.6	25.2	25.9	23.5	21.4	26.5	26.9	26.8	31.2	28.1	25.1	27.4
Total Defense	398.3	351.7	371.6	352.1	365.4	327.6	314.1	357.8	377.0	396.9	419.7	388.0	355.5	383.0
Rushing Def.	169.0	174.8	175.3	140.8	137.7	141.8	132.9	142.6	143.6	172.3	176.0	166.2	140.9	162.6
Passing Def.	229.3	176.9	196.3	211.3	227.7	185.8	181.2	215.2	233.5	224.6	243.7	221.9	214.6	220.4
Run %	42%	50%	47%	40%	38%	43%	42%	40%	38%	43%	42%	43%	40%	42%
Pass %	59%	51%	50%	59%	62%	60%	58%	64%	62%	57%	58%	57%	60%	58%

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## PFL INDIVIDUAL OFFENSIVE SUPERLATIVES

OCCURRENCES SINCE 2002 LISTED IN REVERSE CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER (MOST RECENT FIRST). PFL RECORD INCLUDED IN BOLD.

### 400+ PASSING YARDS (LAST 25)

YDS	Player	Team	Opponent	Date
445	Grant Karemer	Drake	vs. Valparaiso	9/23/17
424	Jimmy Seewald	Valparaiso	vs. Duquesne	9/9/17
465	Austin Gahafer	Morehead St.	at Butler	11/5/16
418	Austin Gahafer	Morehead St.	at Dayton	10/8/16
453	Anthony Lawrence	San Diego	at Stetson	10/31/15
447	Austin Gahafer	Morehead St.	at VMI	9/12/15
417	Kade Bell	Jacksonville	at Davidson	11/8/14
441	Kade Bell	Jacksonville	at Morehead St.	10/11/14
401	Kade Bell	Jacksonville	at Butler	9/27/14
405	Kade Bell	Jacksonville	at Mercer	11/9/13
407	Mason Mills	San Diego	vs. Butler	10/26/13
458	Austin Gahafer	Morehead St.	at Valparaiso	10/1/13
413	Mason Mills	San Diego	vs. Mercer	10/5/13
509	Steven Hughes	Jacksonville	vs. Butler	9/28/13
407	Eric Hoffman	Valparaiso	vs. Campbell	9/28/13
459	Jonathan Carkhuff	Davidson	at Johnson C. Smith	9/21/13
495	Eric Hoffman	Valparaiso	vs William Jewell	9/14/13
<b>511</b>	<b>Mason Mills</b>	<b>San Diego</b>	<b>vs Dayton</b>	<b>10/27/12</b>
404	Jonathan Carkhuff	Davidson	vs Jacksonville	10/13/12
403	Chuckie Looney	Marist	vs Davidson	9/22/12
422	Josh McGregor	Jacksonville	vs Butler	11/12/11
400	Zach Lewis	Morehead St.	at Campbell	11/5/11
427	Jonathan Carkhuff	Davidson	vs Johnson C. Smith	9/24/11
402	Mason Mills	San Diego	at Azusa Pacific	9/2/11
417	Tommy Reilly	Marist	vs Dayton	11/13/10
405	Josh McGregor	Jacksonville	at Davidson	9/25/10

### 200+ RECEIVING YARDS (LAST 25)

YDS	Player	Team	Opponent	Date
217	Juston Christian	Marist	at Morehead St.	10/15/16
208	William Morris	Davidson	at VMI	9/13/14
200	Tanner Kuramata	Valparaiso	vs Dayton	11/16/13
211	Reggie Bell	San Diego	at Morehead St.	11/9/13
246	Sam Hoekstra	San Diego	vs Dayton	10/27/12
246	Lanny Funsten	Davidson	vs Jacksonville	10/13/12
244	Mike Rios	Marist	vs Davidson	9/22/12
231	John Matthews	San Diego	vs Azusa Pacific	9/6/08
217	John Matthews	San Diego	at UC Davis	11/17/07
213	Nathan Conner	Jacksonville	vs Wagner	11/17/07
226	Steve Ogden	Valparaiso	vs Morehead St.	10/27/07
229	Geavon Tribble	Jacksonville	vs Morehead St.	10/13/07
202	Steve Ogden	Valparaiso	at Wisconsin Lutheran	9/2/06
218	Michael Gasperson	San Diego	vs Dayton	11/6/04
203	Ryan Wroblewski	Dayton	vs Morehead St.	9/11/04
209	Adam Hannula	San Diego	vs Marist	10/25/03
205	Kevin Knutson	Valparaiso	vs Drake	10/25/03
<b>275</b>	<b>Rob Giancola</b>	<b>Valparaiso</b>	<b>at Dayton</b>	<b>10/11/03</b>
233	Rob Giancola	Valparaiso	at Jacksonville	9/27/03
234	Nick Garton	San Diego	at Davidson	9/13/03
230	Ralph Delsardo	Morehead St.	vs St. Joseph's	10/12/02

### 200+ RUSHING YARDS (LAST 25 + PFL RECORD)

YDS	Player	Team	Opponent	Date
284	Trevor Jones	Morehead St.	vs. Jacksonville	10/22/16
205	Conley Wilkins	Drake	at Valparaiso	10/8/16
237	Tucker Yinger	Dayton	vs. Marist	11/14/15
201	De'Shawn Jones	Campbell	at Davidson	10/31/15
205	Conley Wilkins	Drake	at Morehead State	10/31/15
229	Connor Kacsor	Dayton	vs. Kennesaw State	9/26/15
244	Connor Kacsor	Dayton	vs. Duquesne	9/1/15
215	Jeffrey Keil	Davidson	vs. Stetson	10/25/14
232	Connor Kacsor	Dayton	vs. Morehead St.	10/18/14
273	Jonah Hodges	San Diego	vs. Stetson	10/11/14
213	Connor Kacsor	Dayton	at Davidson	10/4/14
301	Connor Kacsor	Dayton	vs. Georgetown	9/6/14
202	JaTarii Donald	Mercer	at Davidson	11/2/13
244	Connor Kacsor	Dayton	vs. Davidson	10/5/13
222	Trae Heeter	Butler	at Jacksonville	9/28/13
211	Rees Macshara	Morehead St.	vs. Valparaiso	11/17/12
217	Keith Dawson	Jacksonville	vs. Campbell	11/10/12
248	Jake Hutson	Valparaiso	at Campbell	11/3/12
231	Trae Heeter	Butler	at Davidson	10/27/12
204	Trae Heeter	Butler	vs Campbell	9/22/12
218	Desmond Cox	Morehead St.	vs Butler	11/1/11
216	Taylor Harris	Dayton	at Morehead St.	10/22/11
207	Kenny James	San Diego	at Valparaiso	10/8/11
217	Rudell Small	Jacksonville	at Davidson	9/27/08
225	Justin Williams	Davidson	at Butler	10/27/07
208	Scott Phaydavong	Drake	vs Jacksonville	10/27/07
<b>313</b>	<b>Sean Bennett</b>	<b>Evansville</b>	<b>vs San Diego</b>	<b>10/19/1996</b>

### 30+ POINTS

PTS	Player	Team	Opponent	Date
30	Trae Heeter	Butler	at Morehead St.	11/16/13
30	Ben Shappie	Dayton	vs. Campbell	10/4/08
30	Rudell Small	Jacksonville	vs. UNC Pembroke	9/22/07
30	Scott Gray	Butler	vs. Albion	9/1/07
30	Willie Cashmore	Drake	at Jacksonville	11/11/06
30	Jonathan Taylor	Drake	at Valparaiso	10/25/03
30	Michael Gasperson	San Diego	vs. Valparaiso	10/26/02

### 15+ POINTS KICKING

PTS	Player [FG/PAT]	Team	Opponent	Date
18	Matt Ward [3/6]	Morehead St.	at Butler	11/5/16
16	Brandon Behr [3/7]	Jacksonville	vs. Valparaiso	11/21/15
15	Dylan Lynch [2/9]	Jacksonville	vs. Warner	9/21/13
15	Dylan Lynch [2/9]	Jacksonville	vs. Morehead St.	9/14/13
19	Rainer Duzan [4/7]	Morehead St.	vs. Ky. Christian	9/1/11
16	Adam Jones [3/7]	Morehead St.	at Butler	10/1/05
16	Jason Resch [4/4]	Dayton	at Austin Peay	9/25/04

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## PFL INDIVIDUAL DEFENSIVE SUPERLATIVES

OCCURRENCES SINCE 2002 LISTED IN REVERSE CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER (MOST RECENT FIRST). PFL RECORD INCLUDED IN BOLD.

### 20+ TACKLES (LAST 12)

TACK	Player	Team	Opponent	Date
20	Ryan Bennett	Morehead St.	vs. Jacksonville	10/22/16
20	John Hugunin	Drake	vs. Jacksonville	10/24/15
21	Donald Payne	Stetson	vs. Marist	11/8/14
<b>30</b>	<b>Donald Payne</b>	<b>Stetson</b>	<b>at Campbell</b>	<b>11/1/14</b>
21	Donald Payne	Stetson	vs. Jacksonville	10/18/14
22	Patrick Moynahan	Davidson	at Marist	9/22/12
20	Jordan Ridley	Butler	vs Valparaiso	10/15/11
20	Peter Bakke	Davidson	at Butler	10/27/07
20	Chris Haynes	Butler	at St. Francis (Ind.)	10/9/04
20	Alex Arinsmier	Davidson	at Dayton	10/2/04
26	Andy Guzenski	San Diego	vs Dayton	11/16/02
20	Eric Papp	Drake	vs San Diego	11/2/02

### 4+ SACKS

SACK	Player	Team	Opponent	Date
4.5	Emmanuel Olenga	Campbell	vs. Methodist	8/31/17
6.0	Pat Dowd	Dayton	at Drake	11/19/13
4.0	Blake Oliaro	San Diego	at Marist	12/1/12
4.0	Black Oliaro	San Diego	at Valparaiso	10/8/11
4.5	Devon Langhorst	Dayton	vs. Drake	11/6/10
4.0	Mario Kurn	San Diego	at Southern Utah	9/11/10
4.0	Nikko Carson	Valparaiso	at Drake	10/3/09
4.0	Grant Hunter	Butler	vs. Dayton	11/8/08
4.0	Eric Bakhtiari	San Diego	vs. Drake	10/13/07
4.0	Scott Vossler	Dayton	vs. Central St.	9/15/07

### 5+ TACKLES FOR LOSS

TFL	Player	Team	Opponent	Date
5.0	Bryce Perry-Martin	Davidson	vs. Brevard	9/2/17
5.0	Jonathan Petersen	San Diego	at Campbell	11/19/16
5.0	Donald Payne	Stetson	vs. Davidson	10/01/16
5.0	Davion Belk	Stetson	vs. Jacksonville	10/18/14
6.0	Pat Dowd	Dayton	at Drake	11/19/13
5.0	Landon Moore	Marist	vs. Mercer	11/16/13
7.5	Mario Kurn	San Diego	at Davidson	11/13/10
5.0	Mario Kurn	San Diego	at Southern Utah	9/11/10
5.0	Devon Langhorst	Dayton	at Drake	11/6/10
5.0	Wes McDermott	Morehead St.	at Dayton	11/15/08
6.0	Eric Bakhtiari	San Diego	vs. Drake	10/13/07
5.0	Scott Vossler	Dayton	vs. Central St.	9/15/07
5.0	Odi Anyanwu	Morehead St.	vs. Dayton	9/6/03

### 3+ INTERCEPTIONS

INT	Player	Team	Opponent	Date
3	Eric Martin	Stetson	at Drake	9/26/15
3	Derek Harkness	Morehead St.	vs. Butler	9/26/09
3	Milton Brown	Campbell	at Carthage	9/27/08
3	Bryan Gray	Morehead St.	vs. Drake	11/3/07
3	David Hyland	Morehead St.	at Jacksonville	10/13/07
3	Poul Collins	Drake	vs. Davidson	11/4/06
3	Alex Davis	Butler	vs. Hanover	9/9/06
3	Patrick Fitzgerald	Davidson	vs. Greenboro Coll.	9/10/05
3	Andy Nelson	Butler	vs. Drake	10/16/04
3	B. Martin	Butler	vs. Davidson	9/20/03
3	Aaron Furman	Dayton	at Morehead St.	11/23/02
3	Mark Kasmer	Dayton	at St. Francis (Pa.)	9/7/02

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## PFL VERSUS OTHER CONFERENCES

Records against other conferences based on membership at time, not current membership.

	2000-16	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	
<b>ALL GAMES</b>	<b>288-295</b>	<b>16-18</b>	<b>18-15</b>	<b>16-23</b>	<b>14-27</b>	<b>9-21</b>	<b>14-16</b>	<b>10-20</b>	<b>16-14</b>	<b>16-15</b>	
Percentage	.486	.471	.545	.410	.341	.300	.467	.333	.533	.516	
<b>Football Bowl Subdivision</b>											
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0-6</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>0-3</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	
<b>Football Championship Subdivision</b>											
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>84-17</b>	<b>3-17</b>	<b>5-13</b>	<b>4-16</b>	<b>3-18</b>	<b>3-18</b>	<b>3-15</b>	<b>4-16</b>	<b>6-9</b>	<b>5-7</b>	
Big Sky	2-11	1-2	0-1	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-0	
Big South	5-21	0-3	1-1	0-1	0-1	1-1	1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	
Colonial	1-6	0-1	1-1	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	
Ivy	6-10	1-0	0-0	2-1	0-2	0-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	
MEAC	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	
MVFC	2-30	0-3	0-2	0-3	0-4	0-4	0-4	0-2	0-0	0-0	
Northeast	35-27	1-5	3-1	1-2	2-1	2-3	2-3	2-2	4-1	2-3	
Ohio Valley	0-13	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-3	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	
Patriot	11-22	0-3	0-2	1-2	1-2	0-2	0-3	1-3	1-1	1-1	
Southland	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Southern	1-14	0-0	0-3	0-2	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-2	0-1	
SWAC	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Independents	13-17	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-2	1-3	1-2	1-1	
Defunct	11-14	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-2	0-2	1-0	
<b>Non-Division I</b>											
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>188-99</b>	<b>13-1</b>	<b>13-1</b>	<b>12-4</b>	<b>11-8</b>	<b>6-3</b>	<b>11-1</b>	<b>6-4</b>	<b>10-5</b>	<b>11-8</b>	

## 2017 PFL NONCONFERENCE SLATE

### OVERALL RECORD

**12-18 (.400)** [34 GAMES]

### FCS MEMBERS

**2-18 (.111)** [22 GAMES]

### BIG SKY

**0-2**

S02 at Montana 45, Valparaiso 23  
S09 at UC Davis 35, San Diego 7

### BIG SOUTH

**0-2**

S09 at Liberty 58, Morehead State 17  
S16 at Presbyterian 28, Campbell 16

### IVY LEAGUE

**0-2**

S16 Dartmouth 38, at Stetson 7  
S16 at Princeton 27, San Diego 17  
O07 Columbia at Marist  
O07 Brown at Stetson

### MISSOURI VALLEY

**0-3**

S02 at Illinois State 45, Butler 0  
S02 South Dakota 77, at Drake 7  
S16 at South Dakota State 51, Drake 10

### NORTHEAST

**0-4**

S02 at Robert Morris 13, Dayton 10  
S02 at Sacred Heart 42, Stetson 3  
S09 Duquesne 45, at Valparaiso 40  
S16 Duquesne 28, at Dayton 23

### OHIO VALLEY

**1-1**

S09 at Dayton 25, Southeast Missouri 23  
S16 at Austin Peay 69, Morehead State 13

### PATRIOT

**1-2**

S02 at Bucknell 45, Marist 6  
S09 Georgetown 16, at Campbell 10  
S16 Marist 14, at Georgetown 12

### SOUTHERN

**0-2**

A31 at Mercer 48, Jacksonville 7  
S09 at Western Carolina 63, Davidson 17

### NON DIVISION I MEMBERS

**10-0 (1.000)** [11 GAMES]

## PFL POSTSEASON HISTORY

### PFL CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

The Pioneer Football League hosted a championship game between the winners of the north and south divisions from 2001-04.

**2001:** at Dayton 46, Jacksonville 14  
**2002:** Dayton 28, at Morehead State 0  
**2003:** at Valparaiso 54, Morehead State 42  
**2004:** Drake 20, at Morehead State 17

### GRIDIRON CLASSIC

The Gridiron Classic matched the champions of the Pioneer Football League and Northeast Conference in an exempted postseason football contest. The inaugural Gridiron Classic took place Dec. 2, 2006 with PFL Champion San Diego traveling to NEC Champion Monmouth.

**2006:** San Diego 27, at Monmouth 7  
**2007:** at Dayton 42, Albany 21  
**2008:** at Albany 28, Jacksonville 0  
**2009:** at Butler 28, Central Connecticut 23

### FCS PLAYOFFS

The NCAA Football Championship began in 1978 with a four-team field. It has expanded over the years to its current 24-team format. The Pioneer Football League first received an automatic bid during the 2013 expansion.

**2013:** Tennessee State 31, at Butler 0 (First Round)  
**2014:** at Montana 52, San Diego 14 (First Round)  
**2015:** Western Illinois 24, at Dayton 7 (First Round)  
**2016:** San Diego 35, at Cal Poly 21 (First Round)  
at North Dakota State 45, San Diego 7 (Second Round)



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**EIGHT FIRST-TEAM ALL-PFL RETURNEES HIGHLIGHT PRE-SEASON SQUAD** | San Diego, the defending PFL Champion, returns four First-Team All-PFL selections among its seven preseason picks, including quarterback Anthony Lawrence. Dayton, last season's PFL runner up, had two returning first-team selections on the team while Campbell and Marist return one first-teamer each.

**SAN DIEGO PICKED TO WIN PFL** | For the seventh consecutive year, the University of San Diego has been picked to win the Pioneer Football League regular-season race in a preseason vote of the league's coaches. San Diego, which won the 2016 regular-season title then advanced to the second round of the FCS Championship, again received the coaches' nod to win the 2017 PFL title. The Toreros were chosen just ahead of Dayton in polling that was dominated by the two teams. San Diego and Dayton combined to receive all available first-place votes and also claimed all but two of the possible second-place votes.

**DAYTON'S SCORING STREAK HITS 458 GAMES** | The nation's longest streak of games without being shutout belongs to Dayton, which extended the streak to 458 games in its Week 4 loss against Morehead State. That streak includes 263 games as a FCS member, which ranks fourth all-time among FCS programs. Montana holds the FCS' longest streak without being shutout at 371 games which dates back to 1989. On the FBS side, Florida holds the nation's longest streak of games without being shutout at 362, dating back to the 1988 season. The Flyers streak dates back to 1976 when it suffered a 9-0 loss to Marshall.

**TWO PFL ALUMNI SELECTED IN 2017 NFL DRAFT** | In a milestone moment for the Pioneer Football League, Drake tight end Eric Saubert and San Diego defensive back Jamal Agnew were each selected in the fifth round of the 2017 NFL Draft. The PFL was one of five Division I FCS conferences to have two players selected in the draft. The PFL joined the Colonial Athletic Association, Big Sky Conference, Missouri Valley Football Conference and the Southwestern Athletic Conference with two selections while the entire FCS saw 15 players drafted.

**SAN DIEGO'S LAWRENCE NAMED TO PAYTON WATCH LIST** | San Diego junior quarterback Anthony Lawrence, a nominee for the 2016 Walter Payton Award Watch List a year ago, is one of 22 players on the 2017 preseason watch list for the 2017 STATS FCS Walter Payton Award. As a sophomore, he helped the Toreros to an undefeated league record and then an FCS playoff win over Cal Poly that was the first in PFL history. Lawrence ranked fourth in the FCS in completion percentage (67.6) and eighth in passing efficiency rating (155.0) while throwing for 2,998 yards and 25 touchdowns against eight interceptions.

**THREE NAMED TO STATS FCS PRESEASON ALL-AMERICA SQUADS** | Three Pioneer Football League student athletes were among the 100 named to the STATS FCS Preseason All-America Team. San Diego junior offensive lineman Daniel Cooney was a second-team selection while teammate senior defensive lineman Jonathan Petersen was joined on the third team by Drake punt returner Terry Wallen.

**FIVE PFL ATHLETES NOMINATED FOR 2015 ALLSTATE AFCA GOOD WORKS TEAM** | Three Pioneer Football League student-athletes were among 146 nominees from across the country for the 26th edition of the Allstate AFCA Good Works Team®. Isaak Newhouse (Butler), Ryan Samuels (Davidson) and Lawrence Dickens (Marist) were nominated for the 2017 Allstate AFCA Good Works Team®. In order to meet the criteria set forth by Allstate and the AFCA, each player must be actively involved with a charitable organization or service group while maintaining a strong academic standing.

**TOREROS CHARGE TO 2016 FCS OPENING ROUND WIN** | San Diego became the first PFL team to win a game in the Division I Football Championship with its 35-21 victory at Cal Poly, last season. The Toreros win came in just the fourth season of the PFL's automatic bid into the championship.