



BUFFALO BITS



Location: Boulder, Colo.

Elevation: 5,334 ft. (Folsom Field)

Elevation: 5,345 ft. (CU Events Center)

Population: 108,777

Enrollment: 35,897

Founded: 1876

Nickname: Buffaloes

Colors: Silver, Gold & Black

Mascot: Ralphie VI (live buffalo)

Interim President: Todd Saliman (*Colorado '89*)

Chancellor: Dr. Philip DiStefano (*Ohio State '68*)

Provost: Russell L. Moore (*UC Davis '76*)

Faculty Representative: Dr. Joe Jupille (*UC-Santa Barbara '92*)

Athletic Director: Rick George (*Illinois '82*)

Games Played (132 seasons): 1,279

All-Time Record: 718-525-36 (.575)

2021 Record: 4-8

Conference: Pac-12 (0 titles)

Year Joined: 2011

All-Time Record: 26-68 (11 seasons)

2021 Record: : 3-6 (1-4th/South)

Stadium: Folsom Field

Year Opened: 1924 (Oct. 11)

Turf: Natural Grass

Capacity: 50,183

Head Coach: Karl Dorrell (*UCLA '86*)

Record at CU: 8-10 (two seasons)

Career Record: 43-37 (seven seasons)

Press Luncheon: Mondays (1:00 p.m.)

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2022 SCHEDULE



Date	Opponent	TV	Time (MT)	2020 Record	2021 Meeting (Last Meeting; Result)	Series	(Last 10)
SEPT. 2	TEXAS CHRISTIAN (N)	ESPN	8:00p	5-7	1st (N/A)	0- 0-0	(...)
Sept. 10	at Air Force	CBS	1:30p	10-3	18th (2019; L, 23-30)	OT 12- 5-0	(8-2)
Sept. 17	at Minnesota	ESPN2	1:30p	9-4	5th (2021; L, 0-30)	3- 1-0	(...)
SEPT. 24	● UCLA	tba	TBA	8-4	18th (2021; L, 20-44)	5-12-0	(3-7)
Oct. 1	● at Arizona	tba	TBA	1-11	25th (2021; W, 34- 0)	16- 8-0	(3-7)
OCT. 15	● CALIFORNIA (<i>Family Weekend</i>)	tba	TBA	5-7	12th (2021; L, 3-26)	4- 7-0	(4-6)
Oct. 22	● at Oregon State	tba	TBA	7-6	13th (2021; W, 37-34)	2OT 6- 6-0	(6-4)
OCT. 29	● ARIZONA STATE (<i>Homecoming</i>)	ESPN	TBA	8-5	13th (2021; L, 13-35)	3- 9-0	(3-7)
NOV 5	● OREGON	tba	TBA	10-4	24th (2021; L, 29-52)	9-14-0	(2-8)
Nov. 11	● at Southern California (N)	FS-1	7:30p	4-8	16th (2021; L, 14-37)	0-15-0	(0-10)
Nov. 19	● at Washington	tba	TBA	4-8	21st (2021; W, 20-17)	7-12-1	(2-8)
NOV. 26	● UTAH	tba	TBA	10-4	69th (2021; L, 13-28)	32-33-3	(1-9)
Dec. 2	Pac-12 Championship Game	FOX	6:00p(at Las Vegas, Nev.)				

BYE WEEK: Oct. 8. ●—Pac-12 Conference game. (N)—night game. tba—to be announced (games on the selection menu of ESPN-ABC/FOX Sports-FS1/Pac-12 Networks; most arrangements will be announced up to 12 days in advance). **RADIO:** All games locally on the CU Football Network.



2022 ROAD HEADQUARTERS



Game	Dates	Hotel	Address	Telephone	*Min.
Air Force	Sept. 9-10	Denver Marriott Tech Center	4900 S. Syracuse Street, Denver CO 80237	303/779-1100	50
Minnesota	Sept. 16-17	Marriott Minneapolis City Center	30 S. 7th Street, Minneapolis MN 55402	612/349-4000	10
Arizona	Sept. 30-Oct	Hilton Tucson East	7600 E. Broadway Blvd, Tucson AZ 85710	520/721-5600	25
Oregon State	Oct. 21-22	The Grand Hotel	201 Liberty Street SE, Salem OR 97301	503/540-7800	40
USC	Nov. 10-11	Westin/LAX	5400 W. Century Blvd., Los Angeles CA 90045	310/216-5858	20
Washington	Nov. 18-19	The Westin/Bellevue	600 Bellevue Way NE, Bellevue WA 98004	425/638-1000	25

(*—minutes from hotel to stadium with normal traffic.)

FUTURE SCHEDULES

The Pac-12 annually releases conference game schedules for the next season (dates and opponents) in January, as league officials work with our television partners (ABC/ESPN, FOX/FOX Sports 1, Pac-12 Networks) on potential dates; however, the opponents each year are known.

2023

Sept. 2 at TCU
Sept. 9 **NEBRASKA**
Sept. 16 **COLORADO STATE**

PAC-12 HOME (4): ARIZONA-OREGON STATE-STANFORD-USC

PAC-12 ROAD (5): ARIZONA STATE-OREGON-UCLA-UTAH-WASHINGTON STATE

2024

Aug. 31 **NORTH DAKOTA STATE**
Sept. 7 at **Nebraska**
Sept. 14 at Colorado State

PAC-12 HOME (5): ARIZONA STATE-OREGON-UCLA-UTAH-WASHINGTON STATE

PAC-12 ROAD (4): ARIZONA-OREGON STATE-STANFORD-USC

2025

Aug. 30 **GEORGIA TECH**
Sept. 6 at Houston
Sept. 20 **WYOMING**

PAC-12 HOME (4): ARIZONA-OREGON STATE-USC-WASHINGTON

PAC-12 ROAD (5): ARIZONA STATE-CALIFORNIA-UCLA-UTAH-WASHINGTON STATE

2026

Sept. 5 at Georgia Tech
Sept. 12 **HOUSTON**
Sept. 19 at Northwestern

PAC-12 HOME (4): ARIZONA-OREGON STATE-WASHINGTON-TBA

PAC-12 ROAD (5): ARIZONA STATE-CALIFORNIA-UTAH-WASHINGTON STATE-TBA

2021 RESULTS (4-8, 3-6 PAC-12)

Date	CU*	Opponent	Opp*	TV	Result/Time	2019 Record	Attendance
SEPT. 3	---	NORTHERN COLORADO (N)	---	P12N	W 35-7	3-8	44,153
Sept. 11	---	Texas A&M (Denver)	5	FOX	L 7-10	8-4	61,203
SEPT. 18	---	MINNESOTA	---	P12N	L 0-30	9-4	47,482
Sept. 25	---	●at Arizona State (N)	RV	ESPNU	L 13-35	8-5	44,803
OCT. 2	---	●SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	---	P12N	L 14-37	4-8	48,197
OCT. 16	---	●ARIZONA (FW)	---	P12N	W 34-0	1-11	49,806
Oct. 23	---	●at California	---	P12N	L 3-26	5-7	36,264
Oct. 30	---	●at Oregon	7	FOX	L 29-52	10-4	51,449
NOV. 6	---	●OREGON STATE (N; HC)	---	P12N	W 37-34 2OT	7-6	47,984
Nov. 13	---	●at UCLA (N)	---	P12N	L 20-44	8-4	36,573
NOV. 20	---	●WASHINGTON	---	P12N	W 20-17	4-8	41,284
Nov. 26	---	●at Utah	16	FOX	L 13-28	10-4	51,538

KEY: *—AP rank at time of game; ●—Pac-12 Conference game; N—Night game; FW—Family Weekend;

HC—Homecoming

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ON THE COVER: Tribute to the late Cliff Branch ('71) and Rashaan Salaam ('94), Colorado's 2022 inductees into the Pro and College Football Hall of Fames, respectively.

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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Daniel ARIAS (are-e-us)

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Nigel BETHEL (beth-L)

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(jared lick-tin-han)

Austin DAHLKE (dull-key)

Dylan DIXSON (dixon)

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Caleb FAURIA (four-E-A)

Noah FENSKE (fenn-ski)

Frank FILLIP (phillip)

Ben FINNESETH (fin-uh-seth)

Alex FONTENOT (font-en-know)

Joshka GUSTAV (goo-stahv)

Jack HESTERA (hess-tear-uh)

Isaac HURTADO (her-tah-doe)

EOGHAN Kerry (owen)

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Founded in 1876 at the foot of the Flatirons, over 146 years has transformed the University of Colorado from a lone building on a bleak, windswept hill to one of the nation's leading public research institutions. Established in 1861, the University was formally founded in 1876, the year Colorado became a state.

The Boulder campus encompasses over 1,100 acres on the main campus in the heart of town, east campus (which includes a research park), south campus, Williams Village and the Mountain Research Station north of nearby Nederland (which supports ecology, chemistry and geology).

While over 35,500 students are educated on the Boulder campus, another 34,000-plus study at the University of Colorado at Denver, the University of Colorado Anschutz Campus (Aurora) and the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs. Nine elected Regents and President Todd Saliman lead the four-campus system, while each campus has a Chancellor who serves as the chief academic and administrative officer. Dr. Phil DiStefano is in his 13th year as the chancellor of the Boulder campus.

Students can enter any of 11 schools and colleges offering more than 3,900 courses in 150 fields, representing a full range of disciplines in the humanities, social sciences, physical and biological sciences, the fine and performing arts, and the professions. CU-Boulder is regularly ranked among the best of the United States' public universities by the *Fiske Guide to Colleges*, and a 2010 *USA Today/Princeton Review* survey rated the University of Colorado as the fifth-best value among American public colleges. CU was recently ranked as the No. 33 university in the world by the *Times Higher Education*.

CU-Boulder has played a major role in NASA space programs, designing and building many scientific instruments flown in outer space, and graduated 17 men and women who became astronauts, including the late Jack Swigert, one of the three astronauts in the crippled Apollo 13 mission who made it back to Earth safely from the moon. When the Hubble Space Telescope was launched in 1990, it was carrying seven major instruments, including a high-resolution spectrograph to study the evolution of stars and designed and built by an international science team led by astronomer Jack Brandt of CU-Boulder. Since Hubble has been deployed, CU-Boulder faculty and students have been among the top users of Hubble of any institution in the world. CU-Boulder is the only university in the country where undergraduate students have operated a NASA satellite.

The University has produced 21 Rhodes Scholars, five of which were former football student-athletes at CU, with Jim Hansen the most recent recipient in 1992. Faculty member Thomas Cech, a distinguished professor of chemistry and biochemistry, won the 1989 Nobel Prize in chemistry. Other notable alumni other than athletes include former United States Supreme Court Justice Byron "Whizzer" White, former big band leader Glenn Miller and actors



Robert Redford and Chris Meloni, the latter starring for years on *Law & Order: Special Victims Unit*, the creators of *South Park*, Trey Parker and Matt Stone, and Philip Bailey, co-founder of the popular music group Earth, Wind & Fire.

If the aphorism, "Somewhere between the Rockies and reality," seems too good to believe, then come for a visit. Start with a walk on the historic Pearl Street Mall, a downtown pedestrian mall that is the ceremonial heart of the city. Visitors may be so taken in by the scenery they may not realize the University that put it all together. From Pearl, Broadway leads directly onto campus where the University of Colorado Museum and the CU Heritage Center, in the original Old Main building, both introduce the University's past and present. The hub of campus activity can be found at both the University Memorial Center (UMC) and the Center for Community (C4C). The ATLAS building is one of the most state-of-the-art structures on any college campus.

Take in the fresh mountain air on any part of 100 miles of trails and 30,000 acres of open space. Climb the Flatirons or in Eldorado Canyon State Park. Swim or board sail at the Boulder Reservoir while elite runners sprint around it. Take in a pro sporting event down the road in Denver, just one of 13 cities with teams in all four pro leagues.

"The University of Colorado, and Boulder, is a town which stops where the Rocky Mountains begin. Normally in America such a superb site would be occupied by a golf course, but somebody goofed and instead they built what may be the most beautifully situated campus in the world... if anyone asks you to Boulder, I have one word of advice: 'Go.'"

— From London's *Observer* Magazine article, "Us and Them," by Simon Hoggart (April 23, 1989)



PRESIDENT TODD SALIMAN



Todd Saliman was named the 24th president of the University of Colorado in July 2021 after serving briefly in an interim capacity.

A lifelong Coloradan and proud CU alumnus, Saliman was born and raised in Littleton, and he graduated from CU Boulder with a degree in political science. With 30 years of experience in public policy and higher education in Colorado – including serving in the state legislature, working for two Colorado governors and overseeing CU's budget operations for more than a decade – Saliman has devoted his career to advancing the state and CU.

He believes deeply in the value of higher education and the power of a four-year degree to unlock opportunity.

As president of CU, Saliman has made it a priority to engage with communities across Colorado so he can better understand the state's evolving needs. He is committed to ensuring that CU reflects Colorado's diverse population and ideas. Saliman counts helping students across the finish line to graduation among the university's primary responsibilities. By doing so, he believes CU positions students for success, which ultimately benefits their communities, the state and the world beyond.

Before being named president, Saliman served as CU's senior vice president for strategy, government relations and chief financial officer. As head of the university's budget and finance operations for more than 10

years, Saliman was instrumental in transforming CU's budgeting process to make it more efficient, transparent and easily understood. His efforts have helped enable the Board of Regents to keep tuition in check while making informed decisions that allow CU to thrive.

Saliman is a former member of the Colorado General Assembly and spent four years on the Joint Budget Committee. During his tenure in office, Saliman worked to protect the disenfranchised and developmentally disabled, and carried legislation to fund mental health, child welfare and other human services. He advocated for creating locally-based systems to provide wraparound services for at-risk youth, protecting affirmative action and developing responsible government fiscal initiatives.

Saliman served in the Cabinet for two governors. During Gov. Bill Ritter's administration, he directed the Governor's Office of State Planning and Budgeting, representing the governor as he worked with the legislature to develop and implement the state's budget and other legislative and strategic initiatives. Saliman and his team worked with every state department to build the governor's budget request and recommended and implemented plans to keep the budget balanced throughout the fiscal year. His office also prepared quarterly economic forecasts for the state. When Gov. Hickenlooper was elected, Saliman continued as a senior advisor during the governor's first legislative session and provided guidance and support on state budget and policy issues.

Earlier in his career, Saliman owned and operated a lobbying firm that represented some of the most prominent organizations and governmental entities in the state, including CU. He and his wife, Michelle Segal, an alumna of the University of Colorado Law School, are the proud parents of Max and Mira.



CHANCELLOR PHIL DISTEFANO



Dr. Philip P. DiStefano is in his 14th year as the chancellor at the University of Colorado Boulder. Prior to his appointment on May 5, 2009, Dr. DiStefano was the top academic officer at CU Boulder for eight years as the provost and executive vice chancellor for academic affairs. He also served as interim chancellor twice during pivotal times in the university's history.

Dr. DiStefano co-chaired the steering committee for CU Boulder's visionary strategic plan, Flagship 2030, conceived with campus, community and statewide input, to guide the university for decades to come. Today, Dr. DiStefano is shepherding

its implementation as Flagship 2030 has moved from vision to reality.

Dr. DiStefano first arrived at the University of Colorado in 1974 as an assistant professor of curriculum and instruction at the School of Education. His academic career flourished as he assumed a series of academic and administrative positions, including professor, associate dean, dean and vice chancellor. He was appointed provost and executive vice chancellor for academic affairs in 2001.

Dr. DiStefano is considered a national authority on integrating intercollegiate athletics into the university academic mission. For the eighth consecutive year under Chancellor DiStefano, CU's NCAA Academic Progress Rate, which tracks student-athlete progress toward graduation, is the best in school history.

Dr. DiStefano completed a two-plus year term in June 2020 as the chairman of the Pac-12 Conference's CEO group and also served (August 2016-August 2021) on the Board of Governors of the NCAA representing

the Pac 12 (within that role he was a member of the NCAA's revenue distribution working group). He also served five years as the University of Colorado's faculty representative to the Big 12 Conference, as he assumed the role on June 1, 2000, and held it until appointing Dr. David Clough to the position in spring 2005. He has been closely involved with the athletic program for most of his time at CU, and in June 2016, was accompanied by athletic director Rick George to Italy to promote the university and the success of its international students.

As chancellor he works closely with students, faculty, staff, alumni, donors, governing officials, and business and community leaders in extending CU's legacy as a preeminent national comprehensive research university.

A first-generation college graduate, Dr. DiStefano earned a bachelor of science degree from Ohio State University in 1968 and a master of arts degree in English Education from West Virginia University in 1971. He holds a doctorate in Humanities Education from Ohio State University, where he served as a teaching and research associate.

Dr. DiStefano began his educational career as a high school English teacher in Ohio. He has authored and co-authored numerous books and articles on literacy education.

He was born in Steubenville, Ohio, and graduated from Steubenville Catholic Central High School. He has been married to the former Yvonne Pasquarella for more than 50 years, and the couple has three grown daughters, Gia, Nicole and Jennifer, and two granddaughters.

He has been very active throughout his career in the Boulder community, currently serving on the Boulder Community Health Board of Directors and previously on the Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Club. In 2015, he served as the official starter for the 37th annual Boulder Boulder, the city's 10-kilometer race that is the fourth largest in the nation.



PROVOST RUSSELL MOORE



Dr. Russell L. Moore is now in his 13th year as the Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs for the University of Colorado, having assumed the position July 1, 2010.

Dr. Moore has enjoyed a long and distinguished career at CU, having previously served as interim vice chancellor for research from May 2009 to July 2010, and prior to that appointment, he was the associate vice chancellor for research since 2006.

Dr. Moore served as chair of Kinesiology and Applied Physiology (now Integrative Physiology) from 1994 to 2001, and was an assistant professor (1984-86), associate professor (1993-96) and full professor (1996-present) in that department. He is also an adjunct professor in the Department of Medicine at the University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus.

He co-chaired the Flagship 2030 Task Force on Research, Scholarship, and Creative Works.

He holds an adjunct professorship in medicine (cardiology) at the University of Colorado's Anschutz Medical Campus at the University of Colorado Denver.

He was an assistant and associate professor (1986-91) in the departments of medicine, cellular and molecular physiology at the Pennsylvania State University College of Medicine in Hershey, Pa. His research focused on adaptations of the heart to physiological and pathological stress, particularly as they related to the development of heart failure.

Dr. Moore earned a Bachelor of Science degree in biochemistry from the University of California at Davis in 1976, and a doctorate from Washington State University in 1982. He did postdoctoral work at the University of Texas Health Science Center in Dallas (1981-84).



FACULTY REP JOE JUPILLE



Dr. Joseph (Joe) Jupille, an associate professor of political science, is in his sixth year as the University of Colorado's Faculty Athletics Representative (FAR) to the Pac-12 Conference, as he assumed the position on July 1, 2017.

Dr. Jupille is only the seventh FAR in CU history, joining a very prestigious list: Walter Franklin (1947-1948), Warren Thompson (1949-1966), William Baughn (1967-1989), James Corbridge (1989-2000), current CU chancellor Phil DiStefano (2000-2005) and Dr. David Clough (2005-2017).

Now in his 17th year at CU, he joined the faculty in 2005 and became an Associate Professor in 2007. He founded and served as Director of the Colorado European Union Center of Excellence (CEUCE) from 2008-15.

Professor Jupille's research specializes in rules and institutions, which comes in handy in the world of intercollegiate athletics. With James Caporaso (University of Washington) he is completing *Theories of Institutions*, which distills understandings of rules across a range of disciplinary orientations. He has previously published *Institutional Choice and Global Commerce* (2013, with Walter Mattli and Duncan Snidal) and *Procedural Politics* (2004), the latter of which centers on his core substantive and teaching expertise in the European Union (EU). He has been published widely in peer reviewed journals and edited volumes, including in the *Annual Review of Political Science*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *European Political Science Review*, *International Organization* and *West European Politics*.

Jupille has been involved with student-athletes almost since arriving at CU over a decade ago, serving on and then chairing the Boulder Faculty Assembly's Intercollegiate Athletics Committee (IAC), which works with the Department of Athletics in managing and thriving at the nexus of athletics and academics. He has served or continues to serve on a number of student-athlete-centered bodies such as the AD's Academic Risk Assessment (ARA) committee, the Title IX Task Force chaired by Senior Woman Administrator (SWA) Ceal Barry in addition to many others.

Jupille wants it all for CU student-athletes: a gold standard education, unparalleled opportunity for personal growth and professional preparation, a chance to enjoy year-round fresh air and sunshine and develop ways of being well, and of course, a world class athletic experience. It is the FAR's job to bring a faculty sensibility to the pursuit of these goals.

He earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from UC Santa Barbara in 1992, a Master of Arts in International Public Policy from the Middlebury Institute of International Studies at Monterey in 1995, and his Ph.D. in Political Science from the University of Washington in 2000.

Prior to joining the CU faculty in 2005, he was an Assistant Professor of Political Science at Florida International University for almost six years (2000-05).

He was born in Chicago in 1970 and is the father of four children (Michael, Alex, Jackson and Julia). An avid cyclist, he commutes daily to CU by bike from the town of Superior (six miles southeast of Boulder). He grew up as a fan of the Pacific 10 Conference and in particular the California Bears but his allegiance is now sworn to the Buffaloes.

2022-23 University of Colorado Board of Regents



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ATHLETIC DIRECTOR RICK GEORGE



Rick George was named athletic director at the University of Colorado on July 17, 2013, returning to Boulder where he helped play a role in the school's first and only national championship in football some 23 years earlier.

George, 62, came to Colorado from the Texas Rangers baseball club of the American League, where he was named chief operating officer on October 5, 2010 with a promotion to president of business operations in February 2013. He agreed to a 5-year contract at CU, and he officially started on the job on August 12, 2013. He has since had three extensions approved by

the Board of Regents, the first in June 2016, the second in June 2019 and the third in June 2021, as he is now under contract through the 2025-26 academic and athletic year.

Now in his eighth year as CU's athletic boss, he is just the sixth full-time director in school history, following in the footsteps of Harry Carlson (1927-65), Eddie Crowder (1965-84), Bill Marolt (1984-96), Dick Tharp (1996-2004) and Mike Bohn (2005-13). Two others have bridged directors in interim capacities, Jack Lengyel (six months between Tharp and Bohn) and Ceal Barry (two months between Bohn and George).

His list of achievements in his first 1,000 days in the position were many, but none more significant than shepherding through a \$156 million Athletic Complex Expansion from creation through fruition, gaining approval from the Board of Regents and then raising nearly one-half of the estimated cost to initiate construction, which began May 12, 2014. The project was the core of the Sustainable Excellence Initiative (SEI), the jewel of which was a long-awaited indoor practice facility. Once green-lighted, he spearheaded the most successful fundraising campaign in athletic department history, raising over \$100 million for the project.

By the end of his second year, George implemented the department's first-ever comprehensive strategic plan, which mapped CU's immediate and long range purpose and goals. He also redesigned the management teams, made tough budget decisions that reduced deficits he inherited (and has since produced two budget surpluses), and canvassed the state, region and nation in both friend- and fundraising. The department is now in the third year of the second three-year plan orchestrated by George.

In his fourth year in the position (2016-17), 13 of CU's 16 athletic teams were at one time or another ranked among the nation's Top 25 (including all five in the fall; skiing is a coed program with combined rankings). Included in that group was the football team, as the Buffaloes returned to the national rankings for the first time in 11 seasons. All but one team competed in the postseason, most in NCAA Championships, with football making it to a bowl game for the first time since 2007 and both basketball teams going to their respective NIT events.

In 2019, he was one of 30 named to the prestigious National Football Foundation's "Team of Excellence," highlighting those NFF board members who played football and have gone on to success in life. In the spring of 2020, on the 50th anniversary of "Earth Day," he was the recipient of the individual achievement award recognizing his leadership in the sports sustainability programs he developed in the athletic department, as well as the Pac-12 Conference (in which in 2015 he drove the creation of the league's sustainability conference).

His dedication in the area of sustainability that has attracted many purpose-driven corporate sponsors; engineered the global debut in the summer of 2019 of the novel Ball aluminum cup that eliminates the use of recyclable or compostable plastics; hosted the first Fan Engagement for Sustainability

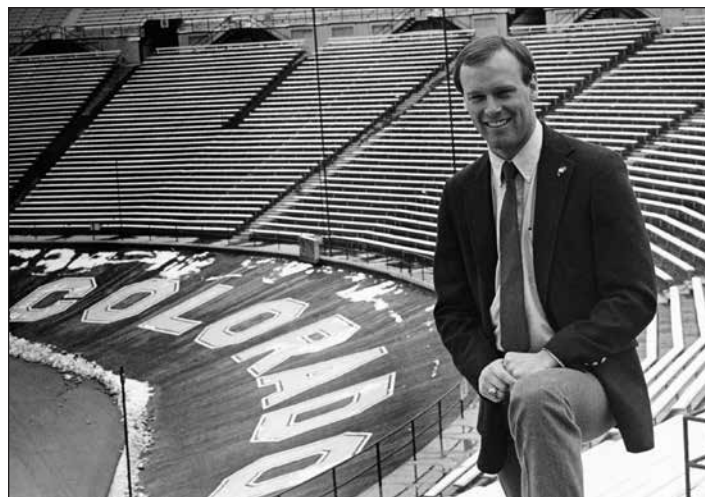
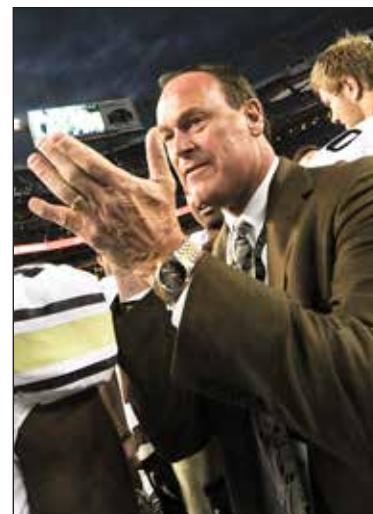
Think Camp that produced a strategy that inspires fans to be more sustainable at home, work and play; signed the first U.S. collegiate commitment to the U.N. Sports for Climate Action charter; and continued to lead the nation's first NCAA Division I GreenSports program, Ralphie's Green Stampede.

He has been recognized four times (2014, 2018, 2020, 2021) by CU's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee as its choice for Staff Member of the Year; no token award, the group acknowledged his attendance at most home athletic events, regular meetings with team captains of all programs to interact with them and receive their feedback, his willingness to meet with any student-athlete and that his door is always open to them and his overall leadership, especially through times of crises, such as the COVID-19 pandemic.

George brought the most diverse background to the position than any before him at Colorado: all five others had extensive and primarily exclusive college athletic histories, the only exceptions being when Marolt left CU after 10 years as ski coach to lead the U.S. Olympic ski team before returning, and Tharp, who was a university attorney with strong CU-Boulder campus ties. While George began and worked in the college athletic world for the first half of his professional career, he stepped outside that box for the second half.

George was with the Rangers for less than three years, but saw the team win two American League championships and compile a 243-176 record (.580 winning percentage) during his time there, second-best in the major leagues during that time frame. As the COO, he worked closely with team president and CEO, baseball Hall-of-Famer Nolan Ryan, and was responsible for all facets of the Rangers' business operations, including oversight of all sales and marketing efforts, broadcast and communications, ticket and suite sales, naming rights, etc., in addition to overseeing the finance, human resource and operations departments.

Among his many accomplishments with the Rangers was a comprehensive branding study that successfully rebranded the ball club, and an implementation of a new ticketing strategy that over the course of three



George's first week on the job ... in 1987.



**Bill McCartney's Hall of Fame Salute at Folsom Field:
George, Joe Romig, Mac, Alfred Williams.**



**Rick and granddaughter Harper at ESPN's Basketball
Game Day (February 2014).**

seasons increased ticket revenues by over \$30 million. The club's attendance saw an increase of 40 percent from the 2010 season to nearly 3.5 million in 2012, second in the American League (behind the New York Yankees) and third in the majors. The 2013 numbers were on pace to exceed the 3 million mark again when he left the franchise for CU.

Prior to joining the Rangers, George served as executive vice president and chief of operations for the PGA TOUR for two-and-a-half years (beginning in June 2008). While with the TOUR, he worked with the corporate marketing department in renewing sponsorships and creating new events. He also oversaw the Tournament Business Affairs division that worked with Tournaments to increase tournament revenue.

He also worked for the PGA TOUR as president of the Champions Tour from 2003-08, and as the executive vice president for championship management his last three years there. His major accomplishments included increasing revenues and sponsorships and the development of strategic plans, the latter including a vision and mission statement as well as core values. The Champions Tour had grown to a minimum 29 events with over \$55 million in prize money when he left for the PGA TOUR.

From 1998-2003, George served as President and CEO of the Fore!Kids Foundation, a 501(c)(3) organization that raised money for children's charities via golf-related events, where he led rebranding and organizational efforts that resulted in increases in charitable giving to the Foundation.

At the collegiate level, George worked in three major conferences (Big Ten, Big 8, Southeastern) in football operations, beginning with his alma mater, the University of Illinois, as football recruiting coordinator (1983-87).

He graduated from Illinois in 1982 with a Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts & Sciences Individual Study that had an emphasis on Sports Communication and Journalism. He was a four-year letterman at cornerback for the Illini, playing in 44 straight games and starting in 27 games in all, as he played two years each under coaches Gary Moeller and Mike White. He was a two-time recipient of the school's Bruce Capel Award, given for dedication and courage to honor Capel who lost his life serving his country in Vietnam; George received the honor for his junior and senior seasons.

Upon his graduation, White named him the assistant director for player personnel for the Illini, and a year later (1983), he assumed the all sports recruiting coordinator. In March 1984, George took over the recruiting chores solely for football, with his first class ranked No. 1 in the nation by the recruiting services with all in the top 20; he coordinated five classes in all at Illinois when the call came to take him out west to Colorado.

On March 2, 1987, Bill McCartney hired him as Colorado's football recruiting coordinator. Two-and-a-half years later (Dec. 21, 1989), George was promoted to assistant athletic director for football operations, not coincidentally after the Buffaloes finished the regular season with an 11-0 record and the school's first-ever No. 1 national ranking in the polls. CU lost to Notre Dame in the Orange Bowl and would finish No. 4, but came back to go 11-1-1 in 1990, this time defeating the Irish in the Orange Bowl to earn consensus national champion honors.

Shortly thereafter, he left the Buffaloes for Vanderbilt University, where he was reunited with former CU offensive coordinator Gerry DiNardo, who was named the Commodores' head coach a year earlier. In eight years at Vanderbilt (1991-98), he also served as associate athletic director for external operations in conjunction with overseeing the football program. This was where George first expanded his professional role outside of solely football, as he had oversight over all external departments, particularly in the area of managing budgets and developing marketing and promotional strategies for all sports.

George was born April 3, 1960 in Woodstock, Ill., and graduated from Collinsville (Ill.) High School, where he lettered in football, basketball and baseball. He is married to the former Nancy Green, and the couple has two grown daughters, Jenni and Christi, and two granddaughters (Harper and Maddie). In 2016, he was presented with an "Honorary C" by CU's Alumni C Club for his years of dedication to Colorado Athletics.

NATIONAL COMMITTEE WORK. George was named to the 13-member selection committee for the College Football Playoff, signing on for a three-year term that began for the 2020 season. He also serves on the Division I Council of the NCAA, is part of the NCAA's D1 Council Transfer Working Group, and is on an 18-member committee – the NCAA Working Group on State and Federal Legislation – which explored the ability of student-athletes to profit on his or her name, image and likeness (NIL). He served two years (Sept. 2017-Sept. 2019) as the chair of the LEAD1 Association, which represents the athletic directors, programs and student-athletes of the 131 member schools of the Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS).



Conference History

The roots of the Pac-12 Conference date back nearly 104 years to December 2, 1915, when the Pacific Coast Conference (PCC) was founded at a meeting at the Oregon Hotel in Portland. The original membership consisted of four schools — the University of California at Berkeley, the University of Washington, the University of Oregon, and Oregon State College (now Oregon State University). All still are charter members of the Conference.

Pacific Coast Conference play began in 1916 and, one year later, Washington State College (now Washington State University) was accepted into the league, with Stanford University following in 1918.

In 1922, the PCC expanded to eight teams with the admission of the University of Southern California (USC) and the University of Idaho. In 1924, the University of Montana joined the league roster, and in 1928, the PCC grew to 10 members with the addition of UCLA.

The Pacific Coast Conference competed as a 10-member league until 1950, with the exception of 1943-45 when World War II curtailed intercollegiate athletic competition to a minimum. During that time, the league's first commissioner was named. Edwin Atherton was commissioner in 1940 and was succeeded by Victor Schmidt in 1944. In 1950, Montana resigned from the Conference and joined the Mountain States Conference, essentially replacing Colorado, which left for the Big 7 two years earlier. The PCC continued as a nine-team conference through 1958.

In 1959, the PCC was dissolved and the Athletic Association of Western Universities was formed and Thomas J. Hamilton was appointed commissioner of the new league. The original AAWU membership included California, Stanford, Southern California, UCLA and Washington. Washington State joined the membership in 1962, while Oregon and Oregon State joined in 1964. Under Hamilton's watch, the name Pacific-8 Conference was adopted in 1968. In 1971, Wiles Hallock took over as commissioner of the Pac-8.

On July 1, 1978, the University of Arizona and Arizona State University were admitted to the league and the Pacific-10 Conference became a reality. In 1986-87, the league took on a new look, expanding to include 10 women's sports. Tom Hansen was named the commissioner of the Pac-10 in 1983, a role he would hold for 26 years until 2009. Hansen was succeeded as commissioner by Larry Scott, who took on the role in July 2009 until stepping down on June 30, 2021.

On May 13, 2021, George Kliavkoff was named the conference's second-ever commissioner, assuming the position on July 1, 2021. A long-time sports and media executive, he brings multifaceted expertise in managing change and driving results from roles at MGM Resorts, Hearst, NBCUniversal and Major League Baseball Advanced Media.

In 2010, a monumental change transformed the conference into a modern 12-team league by adding the University of Colorado and the University of Utah. The addition of CU and Utah led to an agreement to equal revenue sharing for the first time in conference history, created two divisions (North and South) for football only, established a football championship game for the first time ever, secured a landmark media rights deal that dramatically increased national exposure and revenue for each school and established



Pac-12 Commissioner George Kliavkoff

the Pac-12 Network and Pac-12 Digital Network that guaranteed enhanced exposure across all sports.

After a courtship of several months (which followed several other attempts to lure the Buffaloes into the conference), Colorado accepted its invitation to join the Pac-12 on June 10, 2010, as the Buffaloes were the first domino to fall in a change of the national landscape. Within the next week, Nebraska also left the Big 12 to join the Big 10, Boise State departed the WAC for the Mountain West, and TCU jumped from the MWC for the Big East (before eventually landing in the Big 12). A week later on June 17, Utah agreed to join CU to make it an even dozen in the Pac-12. Big-time rivals for the first half of the last century, the Buffaloes and Utes officially became the 11th and 12th members of the Conference on July 1, 2011, the first additions to the league since 1978. During the 33 years between expansions, Pac-10 teams claimed 258 NCAA titles (130 women's, 128 men's).

At present, the Pac-12 sponsors 11 men's sports and 13 women's sports. Additionally, the conference schools are members of the Mountain Pacific Sports Federation (MPSF) in four other men's sports and two women's sports. CU participates in the MPSF in indoor track and has competed since 1950 in the Rocky Mountain Intercollegiate Ski Association (RMISA) in skiing, which is a coed sport.

The Pac-12 Conference offices are located in the heart of San Francisco's downtown district and are headquartered in the same building as the Pac-12 Network.



2022 PAC-12 COMPOSITE SCHEDULE



September 1	Northern Arizona at Arizona State (P12N)	8:00p	October 8	*Oregon at Arizona	TBA
September 2	TCU at Colorado (ESPN)	8:00p		*Oregon State at Stanford	TBA
September 3	Bowling Green at UCLA (P12N)	12:30p		*Utah at UCLA	TBA
	Arizona at San Diego State (CBS)	1:30p		*Washington at Arizona State	TBA
	Oregon vs. Georgia (ABC; at Atlanta, Ga.)	1:30p		*Washington State at Southern California	TBA
	UC Davis at California (P12BA)	2:00p	October 15	*California at Colorado	TBA
	Rice at Southern California (P12N)	4:00p		*Arizona at Washington	TBA
	Utah at Florida (ESPN)	5:00p		*UCLA at Oregon	TBA
	Colgate at Stanford (P12BA)	6:00p		*Washington State at Oregon State	TBA
	Idaho at Washington State (P12N)	7:30p		Stanford at Notre Dame (NBC)	5:30p
	Boise State at Oregon State (ESPN)	8:30p	October 22	* Colorado at Oregon State	TBA
	Kent State at Washington (FS-1)	8:30p		*Arizona State at Stanford	TBA
September 10	Colorado at Air Force (CBS)	1:30p		*UCLA at Oregon	TBA
	*Southern California at Stanford (ABC)	5:30p		*Washington at California	TBA
	Southern Utah at Utah (P12N)	11:30a	October 27	*Utah at Washington State (FS-1)	8:00p
	Washington State at Wisconsin (FOX)	1:30p	October 29	*Arizona State at Colorado (ESPN/2/U)	TBA
	Portland State at Washington (P12W)	2:00p		*Oregon at California	TBA
	UNLV at California (P12BA)	2:00p		*Southern California at Arizona	TBA
	Alabama State at UCLA (P12N)	3:00p		*Stanford at UCLA	TBA
	Arizona State at Oklahoma State (ESPN2)	5:30p	November 4	*Oregon State at Washington (ESPN2)	8:30p
	Eastern Washington at Oregon (P12N)	6:30p	November 5	*Oregon at Colorado	TBA
	Oregon State at Fresno State (CBS-SN)	8:30p		*Arizona at Utah	TBA
	Mississippi State at Arizona (FS-1)	9:00p		*California at Southern California	TBA
September 17	Colorado at Minnesota (ESPN2)	1:30p		*UCLA at Arizona State	TBA
	South Alabama at UCLA (P12N)	12:00p		*Washington State at Stanford	TBA
	California at Notre Dame (NBC)	12:30p	November 11	* Colorado at Southern California (FS-1)	7:30p
	BYU at Oregon (FOX)	1:30p	November 12	*Arizona at UCLA	TBA
	Colorado State at Washington State (P12N)	3:00p		*Arizona State at Washington State	TBA
	Michigan State at Washington (ABC)	5:30p		*California at Oregon State	TBA
	Montana State vs. Oregon State (P12N; at Portland)	6:00p		*Stanford at Utah	TBA
	San Diego State at Utah (ESPN2)	8:00p		*Washington at Oregon	TBA
	Fresno State at Southern California (FOX)	8:30p	November 19	* Colorado at Washington	TBA
	Eastern Michigan at Arizona State (P12N)	9:00p		*Oregon State at Arizona State	TBA
	North Dakota State at Arizona (FS-1)	9:00p		*Southern California at UCLA	TBA
September 24	*UCLA at Colorado	TBA		*Stanford at California	TBA
	*Arizona at California	TBA		*Utah at Oregon	TBA
	*Oregon at Washington State	TBA		*Washington State at Arizona	TBA
	*Southern California at Oregon State	TBA	November 25	*Arizona State at Arizona (FS-1)	1:00p
	*Stanford at Washington	TBA		*UCLA at California (FOX)	2:30p
	*Utah at Arizona State	TBA		*Oregon at Oregon State (ESPN/2/U)	TBA
September 30	*Washington at UCLA (ESPN)	8:30p	November 26	*Utah at Colorado	TBA
October 1	* Colorado at Arizona	TBA		*Washington at Washington State	TBA
	*Arizona State at Southern California	TBA		Brigham Young at Stanford	TBA
	*California at Washington State	TBA		Notre Dame at Southern California	TBA
	*Oregon State at Utah	TBA	December 2	#Pac 12 Championship (FOX)	6:00p
	*Stanford at Oregon	TBA		#— at Allegiant Stadium, Las Vegas, Nev.	



All times listed are MDT/MST. *—denotes Pacific-12 Conference game. Television selections Sept. 24 and beyond are made on 12 days' notice by the Pac-12 television partners (ESPN/ABC, FOX/FOX Sports 1, Pac-12 Networks); ESPN/ABC also has an option of utilizing a 6-day selection process three times annually. With the advent of the Pac-12 Networks (National; Arizona, Bay Area, Mountain, Oregon, Southern California, Washington), all conference games and all home non-league games will again be televised in 2022 (81 in all). ABC's standard afternoon regional telecast window is at 1:30 p.m. MT in addition to a number of prime-time windows (5:30 p.m. MT; those games will be selected from the Pac-12, American Athletic, ACC, Big 10 or Big 12 conferences).



FOLSOM FIELD



Folsom Field, named after legendary University of Colorado Coach Frederick Folsom, opened for the 1924 season and has been the football team's home field ever since. The Buffaloes have played 98 seasons on the "hilltop," and own a 324-181-10, a winning percentage of .638 in the 21st oldest stadium and one of the most scenic in college football.

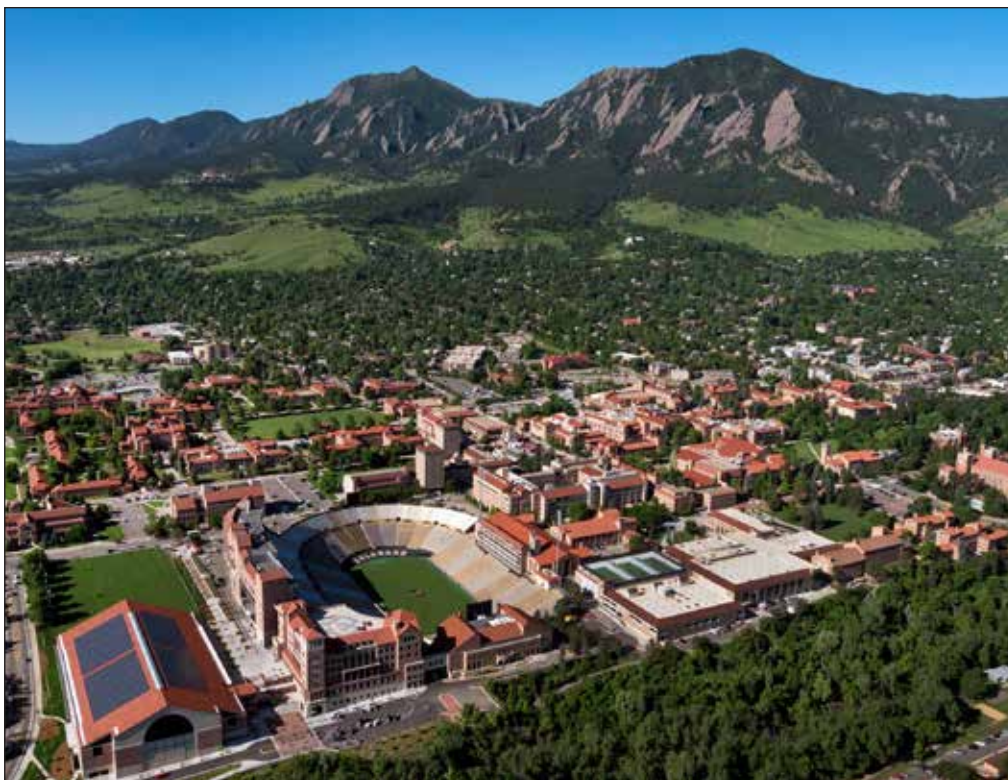
In 2018, the home finale against Utah on November 17 was the 500th regular season game at Folsom.

The stadium was dedicated on October 11, 1924, as Colorado defeated Regis College, 39-0. It actually was the second home game of the season, as CU closed out playing at Gamble Field the week before with a 31-0 win over Western State.

Folsom is tied for the 21st oldest venue among the 130 NCAA Division I-A/FBS stadiums; it is the fifth oldest in the Pac-12 Conference. Through the years many improvements have been made, but the original beauty and intimate feeling has remained making it one of best venues in college football, if not all sports.

It originally was called Colorado Stadium, the name being changed to Folsom Field in 1944 following Folsom's death. In addition, old 24th Street was also changed to Folsom Street to honor the man who coached Colorado teams three different times totaling 15 years between 1895 and 1915. His 76.5 winning percentage (77-23-2) is still tops among all coaches ever at CU.

CU had played its games at Gamble Field for two decades, where seating was limited to temporary bleachers. In the winter of 1923-24, CU President George Norlin studied the possibility of a new stadium, as the approaching completion of a sparkling new gymnasium (Carlson Gym), the inadequate number of seats at Gamble Field (roughly 9,000) and the growing interest in physical education and intercollegiate athletics demanded that a remedy needed to take place soon.



Investigation of a natural ravine just east of the site of the gymnasium as a site for the new stadium, suggested by professor Whitney Huntington, was not only a convenient location, but by using it a great expense could be avoided. After a financing plan was worked out, CU's own construction department began moving dirt with a steam shovel on January 14, 1924.

The new structure had an original capacity of 26,000, featuring wooden bleacher seating over cement, and quarter-mile running track. A California red wood, dipped in creosote, was selected as the initial material, as estimates at the time put a lifetime of around 13 years for the wood. There were 22 sections divided by radial aisles installed, the same set-up in the lower bowl that still exists today.

Accounts at the time put the cost of the stadium at around \$2.60 per seat, instead of \$10 had concrete been used; the total cost was \$65,000. By comparison, the cost to construct Carlson Gym was \$350,000.

With expansion in mind when originally built, it was by design rather easy to add an upper deck. In 1956, Folsom Field's capacity was upped to 45,000 when a second deck was erected around two-thirds of the stadium. Some 6,000 more seats were added in 1967 when the running track was removed and the team dressing facilities were constructed at the north end of the field.

Improvements continued, as the gigantic six-level press box facility was added on the west side for the start of the 1968 season. It also serves as the home for CU's Flatirons Club, a group of donors who financially support the athletic program.

In the summer of 1976, Folsom Field had another face-lift, as the wooden bleacher seats were removed and replaced with silver and gold aluminum bleachers, expanding the stadium to a capacity of 52,005.

The renovation of CU's team house in the summer of 1979 took away a few seats, changing the capacity to 51,463. The



The beginning of work on the stadium in January, 1924.



construction of the magnificent Dal Ward Center in 1991 added new bleacher seating in the north end zone and increased the capacity to 51,748. In 1992, the addition of a yellow concourse wall on the southeast side took away a few hundred seats, and corporate boxes (in 1995) lowered the capacity to 51,655.

The removal of a set of old rickety bleachers in 2001 and a few other changes placed the stadium capacity at 50,942, but that figure stood for just two seasons. The addition of suites and club seating on the east side (at a cost of \$45.2 million) completed in August 2003 increased the capacity to 53,750, an all-time Folsom Field high.

Prior to the 1971 season, the playing surface at Folsom Field was natural grass. Monsanto of St. Louis, Mo., replaced the natural grass with AstroTurf for the 1971 campaign, with the first game being played on the artificial surface against the University of Wyoming on September 18 (the Buffs won 56-13); it was a godsend, as that very morning, Boulder received a rare late summer snowstorm that blanketed the field with more than two feet of snow.

The original AstroTurf surface was replaced with a "new rug" for the start of the 1978 season, and in the summer of 1989, "Astroturf-8" was installed, the third artificial surfacing in the school's history. Folsom was covered with artificial surfaces for 28 seasons (168 games), and it was fairly friendly for the Buffs, which posted a 110-56-2 record in those games.

In the spring of 1999, Folsom Field returned to natural grass, as "SportGrass" was installed on the stadium floor. The project, which included bio-thermal heating, drainage and a sub-air system, cost \$1.2 million. Video display boards, known as "BuffVision" were also added in the summer of 1999 at a cost of \$3.6 million; those were updated with state-of-the-art HD technology in 2012 at a cost of about \$6.5 million.

In 2003, completion of a \$45.2 million east side renovation added 1,903 club seats and 41 suites, increasing Folsom's capacity to its all-time high of 53,750. The state-of-the art complex remains one of the best in college football, is not nearly as high as many clubs and suites at most stadiums, and offers a great view of the foothills of the Rocky Mountains and when clear, the Continental Divide.

The capacity of Folsom was 53,613 from 2007-13, following the removal of the fourth rows from three different levels of the Flatirons Club prior to the 2007 season (seats that always had some kind of obstructed view). In 2014, the north end zone bleachers and two northeast corner sections of the stadium were completely renovated into loge and club seating, altering the capacity to its current number of 50,183.





FOLSOM CONCERT HISTORY

Folsom Field was one of the premier venues for stadium concerts at the height of their popularity in the 1970s and 1980s. In fact, the largest crowd in its history was for what was billed as the Folsom Music Festival on May 1, 1977: 61,981 people attended the rain-soaked mega concert featuring Fleetwood Mac, Bob Seger's Silver Bullet Band, Boulder's own Firefall and John Sebastian. Eventually for assorted reasons, Folsom hosted less concerts and a 15-year dormancy in shows ended in the summer of 2016 with the Dead & Company performing two concerts. It all started in 1969 with a show headlined by The Byrds and the Steve Miller Band. And a side note: at CU's 2000 graduation ceremony, with his daughter graduating, Neil Diamond sang the national anthem. Balch Fieldhouse, the CU Events Center and Macky Auditorium have also played host to other concerts on campus. Here's the list of Folsom's stadium shows:

1969

September 7 – The Byrds, Steve Miller Band, Sons of Champlin, Buddy Guy, Country Joe & The Fish, Conal Implosion, Tim Hardin, Lights by Spontaneity.

1971

May – It's A Beautiful Day, Albert King

1972

July 16 – Rolling Stones, Kansas, Eddie Money
September 3 – The Grateful Dead

1974

September 9 – Leon Russell, Little Feat

1975

May 10 – Doobie Brothers

1977

May 1 (Folsom Music Festival) – Fleetwood Mac, Bob Seger, Firefall, John Sebastian (attendance: 61,981)
June 16 – Foreigner

1978

May 13 (Sun Day #1) – The Beach Boys, Journey, Firefall, Bob Welch
July 16 (Sun Day #2) – Rolling Stones, Kansas, Peter Tosh
July 21 (Sun Day #3) – Fleetwood Mac
July 29 (Sun Day #4) – Eagles, Steve Miller Band

1979

May 13 (Sun Day #1) – Doobie Brothers, Boston, Poco, Country Joe MacDonald
July 19 (Sun Day #2) – REO Speedwagon, Cheap Trick, Blackfoot, Sammy Hagar

1980

June 7 & 8 – Grateful Dead
June 28 – Eagles

1981

October 3 & 4 – Rolling Stones, Heart, George Thorogood

1982

August 21 – REO Speedwagon, Ted Nugent, Scorpions
October 17 – John Cougar, Jethro Tull, The Who

1983

August 30 – Simon & Garfunkel

1986

July 12 – Van Halen, Dio, Loverboy, B.t.o

1989

August 13 – The Who

1993

May 26 – Paul McCartney

2001

July 11 – Dave Matthews Band, Wyclef Jean

2016

July 2 & 3 – Dead & Company

2017

June 9 & 10 – Dead & Company

2018

July 13 & 14 – Dead & Company

2019

July 5 & 6 – Dead & Company

2022

June 17 & 18 – Dead & Company



The Rolling Stones packed Folsom Field in 1981



Paul McCartney played Folsom in 1993



ATHLETICS COMPLEX EXPANSION



The official groundbreaking took place on May 12, 2014, signifying the start of CU's \$156 million **Athletics Complex Expansion (ACE)**, the most aggressive construction project undertaken by the university in relation to athletics since 1924, when Folsom Field was built. The project had three distinct phases: first was to renovate seating in two areas of Folsom, the north bleachers and the northeast corner (sections 121 and 122), both replaced with high-end club seating (1,876 total). The second was a combination of renovating a good portion of the existing Dal Ward Athletic Center (built in 1991) and building a massive new structure that would be named the Champions Center. The third and final phase was a long-awaited Indoor Practice Facility (IPF) that would also include a state-of-the-art 300-meter track.

All three phases took less than two years to complete through the combined efforts of Populous (the designer) and Mortenson Construction, with an official dedication on February 26, 2016 that was hosted by CU graduate and long-time ESPN college football reporter Chris Fowler.



DAL WARD ATHLETIC CENTER

The 1990-91 athletic season was a landmark one for the University of Colorado in two areas. The year produced two national championships, CU's first in football and its 14th at the time in skiing, and the men's basketball team reached the NIT Final Four. That was also the year that the magnificent Dal Ward Athletic Center became a reality.

The entire construction process was completed in less than nine months, from ground-breaking in December 1990, to completion

the following August. The \$14 million building was completely funded through private donations. The multi-functional, state-of-the-art structure was one of the top facilities anywhere in college athletics upon its completion. The DWAC boasted 92,000 square feet that included academic, sports medicine and weight training centers, a full-service kitchen and daily dining area, an auditorium, men's and women's locker rooms, a player's lounge and offices for athletic administration and coaches.

Construction on the project actually began in November 1990, with the demolition of the old team house building, which had stood in the north end of Folsom Field since its erection in 1967. The foundation was dug and concrete poured over the next couple of months, with construction of the actual building starting in February 1991. The structure was available for the football team's use by mid-August, with the remainder of the building completed later that fall.

The building is named for Dallas Ward, the football coach who led CU into the Big Seven Conference in 1948. Ward was the head coach for the Buffaloes for 11 seasons (1948-1958), compiling a 63-41-6 record, which made him the third-winningest coach in CU history at the time. His teams, noted for the single wing offense, were a constant threat to Oklahoma's supremacy in the Big Seven Conference.

The tile roof, native stone walls and traditional Italianate architecture were selected to compliment the style of the Boulder campus, and it also established a new sense of entry to the campus coming from the north. The building features a dramatic two story entry and lobby space with a grand staircase. In 1999, a state-of-the-art video replay board, known as "BuffVision," replaced the original scoreboard.

"We have built something that will truly give our athletes a chance to compete with the best," then-athletic director Bill Marolt said. The building was designed by the architectural firm of Sink Combs Dethlefs of Denver, with construction performed by Gerald H. Phipps, Inc.

But over the course of time, as is often the case with many new buildings, the needs of athletics and the football program outgrew what the Dal Ward Center could provide. Sure, there were a few tweaks and minor remodeling through the years, but as part of the ACE, there was a 37,000-square foot renovation that included the addition of men's and women's Olympic sports locker rooms, expansion of the Herbst Academic Center and a new weight room. The former athletic director's offices were converted into a leadership development program suite and a Touchdown Club created overlooking Folsom Field.

UCHEALTH CHAMPIONS CENTER

The jewel of the ACE was no doubt the construction of the state-of-the-art UHealth Champions Center, a 212,000-square foot, six-story structure erected on the northeast corner of Folsom Field. The building houses new football offices, almost all of the athletic administration and Olympic sport coaches, new areas for sports medicine, strength and conditioning and equipment, meeting rooms, a dining facility and a rooftop terrace for game days and year-round special events.

There are five hydrotherapy pools (hot, cold, treadmill and two recovery), the weight room spans 11,285 square feet and massive meeting rooms that are comfortable and not cramped. The second floor also houses a Sports Medicine and Performance Center that is open to the public and provides medical services on game day that few if any other stadiums offer in the nation, college or pro. The



maintained through the years is one of the reasons the CU campus always is at or near the top of the list of the most beautiful in the nation.)

INDOOR PRACTICE FACILITY

When inclement weather hit during the fall or during spring practices, there were two choices prior to 2016: practice inside Balch Fieldhouse, or since 2006, an erected bubble-like complex that stood on the west practice field for six months out of the year. But that all changed with the third phase of the ACE, which added a 108,000-square foot, net zero energy (NZE) indoor practice facility (IPF), easily one of the best-ever constructed in college athletics.

The facility can serve all sports programs, has a 90-foot maximum clear height to aid the kicking game, and has a six-lane, 300-meter competition-venue track allows CU to host IAFF and NCAA-sanctioned indoor track events. There are 2,604 solar panels on the roof that create approximately 1,200 MWh/year of power generation. A 534-space underground parking garage below the IPF was constructed and will be a boon to the game day experience for CU fans. The final part of this phase was the re-sodding of Franklin Field, a 106,000-square-foot outdoor grass practice field adjacent to the IPF that is the outdoor practice home for the Buffaloes.

Less than one month after it opened, the Bleacher Report came out with its list of the top 15 indoor football practice facilities in the nation, and Colorado's was included among them. The only other Pac-12 school was Oregon, and most of the others were at southern schools, likely built to deal with oppressive heat, hurricanes and tornadoes.

rooftop terrace offers stunning panoramic views of Boulder's signature Flatirons as well as all the way out to the peaks of the Continental Divide.

"Our vision of sustainable excellence is about transforming opportunity," said athletic director Rick George, who spearheaded the project from the very start of his tenure (construction started nine months to the day of his first on the job). "In achieving this vision, each student-athlete that takes the field in black and gold will do so bolstered with the knowledge that we've provided them with every resource necessary to be successful – both in competition and in life beyond graduation."

The Mortenson design/build team completed the fast-paced project without significant disruption to daily campus activity. The facility was also designed with bricks, mortar and masonry work in the familiar CU style of architecture – Tuscan vernacular. That style was adopted for the campus nearly 100 years ago, to be reminiscent of the hill towns around Florence and Siena, Italy. (The consistency





Aerial view of CU's Indoor Practice Facility, with the UCHealth Champions Center to its left.

The following people/families sponsored major areas in the UCHealth Champions Center or upgrades in the Dal Ward Athletic Center (*all in the Champions Center unless noted; as of August 1, 2021*):

Heidi Rothberg Sports Medicine Center (*football*)
Dick Lewis, Dean Pisani & Don DeLuzio Bill McCartney Football Operations Center (*fourth floor*)
Crawford Family Head Coach's Suite (*fourth floor*) and Crawford Club (*third floor dining hall and club room*)
Nessinger Family Foundation Team Lounge (*in football locker room*)
Bruce & Marcy Benson Hydrotherapy Room (*in Rothberg Sports Medicine Center*)
Petry & Harrington Family Auditorium (*large team meeting room*)
Dave & Deb DeCook Terrace (*fourth level outdoor terrace*)
Patrick & Lisa Williams Staff Conference Room (*fourth floor*)
Allan R. Goetz Athletic Director's Suite (*fifth floor*)
Gary & Terie Roubos Athletic Director's Office Suite (*fourth level*)
Eric & Kim Belcher Rooftop Lounge (*sixth level*)
Bruce Bocina Legacy Hall (*outside team locker room*)
Sklar Family Indoor Track (*in the Indoor Practice Facility*)
Bob & Nancy Ariano Ring Room (*in football locker room*)
Hoover Family Leadership & Career Development Suite (*Dal Ward*)
Clancy A. Herbst Academic Center (*Dal Ward*)
Richard Knowlton Sports Medicine Center (*Dal Ward*)
Rick & Nancy George Women's Olympic Sports Locker Suite (*Dal Ward*)
William G. & Lila J. Stewart Champions Center Fifth Floor (*administrative offices*)
Dan, Laurie, Seth & Cole Ivanoff Champions Center Third Floor (*meeting rooms, dining hall*)
C.R. "Dick" Stevenson Family Indoor Practice Field
Jim & Lin Loftus Football Recruiting Lounge (*fourth floor*)
Paul & Brenda Lilly Cross Country, Track & Field Offices (*fifth floor*)
UCHealth Champions Center



MASCOT/NICKNAME



The University of Colorado has one of the more unique mascots in all of intercollegiate athletics, a real buffalo named Ralphie. The tradition celebrated its 50th anniversary during the 2017 season.

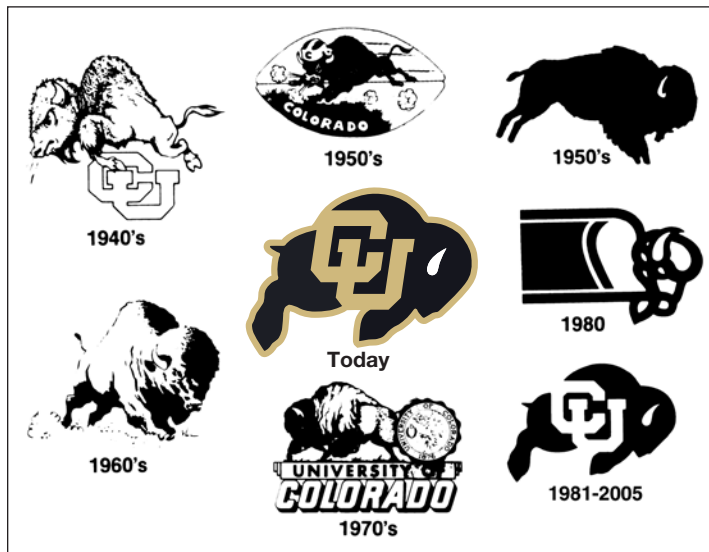
The live buffalo leads the football team out on the field both at the start of the game and second half. It is truly one of the special sights that exist anywhere in college or professional sports, especially for opposing teams, who often stop in their tracks watching the massive buffalo round the end zone and head directly at their sideline.

The buffalo first appeared in 1934, three weeks after a contest to select an official school nickname by the *Silver & Gold* newspaper had come to an end and "Buffaloes" was the winning entry. For the final game of the '34 season, a group of students paid \$25 to rent a buffalo calf along with a real cowboy as his keeper. The calf was the son of Killer, a famed bison at Trails End Ranch in Fort Collins. It took the cowboy and four students to keep the calf under control on the sidelines, a 7-0 win at the University of Denver on Thanksgiving Day.

Prior to 1934, CU athletic teams usually were referred to as the "Silver and Gold," but other nicknames teams were sometimes called included Silver Helmets, Yellow Jackets, Hornets, Arapahoes, Big Horns, Grizzlies and Frontiersmen. The student newspaper decided to sponsor a national contest in the summer of 1934, with a \$5 prize to go to the author of the winning selection. Entries, over 1,000 in all, arrived from almost every state in the union. Athletic Director Harry Carlson, graduate manager Walter Franklin and Kenneth Bundy of the *Silver and Gold* were the judges.

Local articles first reported that Claude Bates of New Madrid, Mo., and James Proffitt of Cincinnati, Ohio, were co-winners for the prize as both submitted "Buffaloes" as their entry. But 10 days later, the newspaper declared Boulder resident Andrew Dickson the winner, after a follow-up revealed his submission of "Buffaloes" had actually arrived several days before those of the original winners. Through the years, synonyms which quickly came into use included "Bisons," "Bufs," "Thundering Herd," "Stampeding Herd," "Golden Avalanche," and "Golden Buffaloes."

Live buffaloes made appearances at CU games on and off through the years, usually in a pen on the field or sometimes driven around in a cage; in the 1940s, the school kept a baby buffalo in a special pen at the University Riding Academy. The first named buffalo was "Mr. Chips," who appeared for the first time at the 1957 CU Days kickoff rally, as



supporter Mahlon White donated him to the school, and it was cared for by a men's honorary.

A few years passed between a live mascot on the sideline and the tradition Colorado fans have come to know so well. In 1966, John Lowery, the father of a CU freshman from Lubbock, Texas, donated to the school a six-month old buffalo calf from Sedgewick, Colo., and first appeared on Oct. 1, 1966 when the Buffs defeated Kansas State, 10-0.

For a while, she was billed as "Rralph," but the origin of the name is in some doubt. Some say it was given by the student body after sounds she allegedly made while running and snorting; others say it was named for Ralph Jay Wallace, the junior class president at the time; and the original handlers will tell a third version. Regardless, an astute fan soon discovered that the buffalo was in fact a female, thus the name alteration to **Ralphie**.

The initial tradition was for CU's five sophomore class officers to run the buffalo around the stadium in a full loop. They would pick her up from caretaker C.D. "Buddy" Hays, who kept her at the Green Mountain Riding Stables during the season at Hidden Valley Ranch in the off season. The officers would run her for two hours in the morning to tire her a bit to keep her under control by the time the game started. At the conclusion of the run, the fans would break into the "Buffalo Stomp," which would literally shake the stadium in deafening fashion as the team took the field. But CU officials soon had the tradition stopped because of the actual physical damage it was causing.

Around that same time, head coach Eddie Crowder was approached with the idea the charging buffalo running out on the field before the game with the team behind right her. Crowder thought it was a great idea, and the debut of this great tradition took place on Sept. 16, 1967, and was celebrated with a 27-7 win over Baylor and the tradition was here to stay. The five sophomores appointed themselves as the board of directors of a fundraising effort to bring Ralphie to the '67 Bluebonnet Bowl in Houston, raising the necessary money through selling stock. (Eventually, those who had training in working with a wild animal eventually replaced the sophomores.)

Ralphie attended every CU home football game for 13 years (including all bowls), and retired at the end of the 1978 season. CU's first Ralphie achieved nationally celebrity status, and was even kidnapped in 1970 by some Air Force Academy students as well as being named the school's 1971 Homecoming Queen at the height of the anti-establishment era.

In 1976, The Bank of Boulder and its president Steve Bosley, proposed to Crowder they would do a fundraiser to send Ralphie I to the Orange Bowl Game with Ohio State.





When a reporter asked Bosley how Ralphie would travel to Miami, he explained that the information was top secret since CU was concerned that Ohio State students would try to kidnap (or “buffalo-nap”) Ralphie. The story of the potential “buffalo-napping” made newspapers nationwide, featuring a picture of Ralphie in full charge with her handlers. The story stimulated over \$25,000 in donations. Ralphie’s trip to the Orange Bowl cost \$2,500, and the balance was put into a fund for Ralphie’s future care.

In 1978, when the original Ralphie became ill, Bosley organized a search for a new buffalo headed by Buddy Hays. Hays discovered a calf named Moon, short for Moonshine, which was owned by Gregg Mackenzie. Bosley, The Bank of Boulder, and bank director Robert Confer bought Moonshine from Mackenzie for \$1,000 and donated her to the university. Since “Ralphie” had become the well-known and popular name of the buffalo, then-athletic director Eddie Crowder made it permanent.

Ralphie II made her first appearance at CU’s final home game of the 1978 season. At age 12, after serving the Buffs for 10 years, she passed away on Sept. 19, 1987, following a 31-17 CU win over Stanford.

Ralphie III, donated by the C-Club, was pressed into action earlier than anticipated, as she had been in training for the 1988 season. Originally named “Tequila,” she made her debut on Nov. 7, 1987, when the Buffs beat Missouri, 27-10. After over 10 years of service, she passed away in January 1998, at the age of 13.

Ralphie IV was donated to the university by media and sports entrepreneur Ted Turner in 1998. Born in April 1997 on the Flying D Ranch in Gallatin Gateway, Montana, which is a part of Turner Ranches, she was named “Rowdy” by ranch hands. She was separated from her mother when she was about a month old and was literally found in the jaws of a coyote with bite marks around her neck. She survived the attack and was bottle-fed by the hands for four months. She was released back to the herd but wouldn’t bond with them, so the ranch hands took her back in and fed her grasses and grain. It was then that she was donated to CU as a yearling early in the spring of 1998.

John Parker, who trained and housed both Ralphie II and III and supervised the early training of Ralphie IV, retired after 12 years of service as caretaker in May 2000. His assistant, Ted Davis, assumed the program duties for the next year, while long-time CU supporters Dale and Lynn Johnson housed Ralphie for the following season.

In 2001, two former Ralphie Handlers and CU graduates, Ben Frei and Kevin Priola, took over as volunteer directors of the program. Together they coordinated the selection and managing of up to 15 student handlers along with all aspects of training. The overall program was managed from 1994-2013 by Gail Pederson, the CU Athletic Department’s Chief of Staff.

Ralphie IV made her debut against Colorado State at Mile High Stadium in Denver on September 5, 1998. She appeared at six bowl games and four Big 12 Championship games. In November 2007, “Ralphie’s Salute To A New Era” was held, where Ralphie IV was semi-retired and a 14-month old **Ralphie V** was officially introduced to the public. Ralphie IV’s last game was the 2008 season opener, as she led CU on to the field one last time, again versus CSU in Denver. She died on March 19, 2017, due to liver failure just one month shy of turning 20.

Ralphie V, known as “Blackout,” (she was the darkest calf in the herd), also from a Ted Turner Ranch, Ver-mejo Park in New Mexico,



Ralphies IV and V together in November 2007

was donated to the university in January 2007 as a 325-pound, four-month old calf. She made her debut on April 19, 2008 at CU’s annual spring game (which drew a record 17,800 spectators) and her regular season debut five months later on Sept. 6 at Folsom Field. She served the school well for 12 years and retired at the end of the 2019 season.

Ralphie VI was born on May 27, 2020 on a ranch just north of Chadron in western Nebraska owned by CU graduate Will Isham (class of ’80). An orphan rejected by her mother at birth, she was adopted and raised in part by a beef cow. The Isham family (boasting five CU graduates) donated the bison heifer when she was six months old. Ralphie VI’s first game was against Northern Colorado on Sept. 3, 2021 (no mascot support, live or costumed, was allowed during 2020 season due to the COVID-19 pandemic).

Arriving at CU without a nickname, a public contest in the summer of 2022 was conducted with “Ember” as the winning selection. Weighing in just under 400 pounds for her first season, Ralphie VI checked in double that for the 2022 campaign.

All of the previous Ralphies, when they reached full maturity, weigh in at approximately 1,200 pounds and can reach speeds up to 25 miles per hour (which they can attain during runs on Folsom Field).

The Ralphie Live Mascot Program as it is formally known has been under the direction of Taylor Stratton since April 1, 2020. She previously served as assistant coach for four years and was a handler herself when she was a CU student.

NOTE: In 2016, President Barack Obama signed into law a bill that declared the bison as the official “National Mammal of the United States.”

RALPHIE STATS:

		Conf.					
		Folsom	Denver	Road	Champ	Bowls	Total
Ralphie I	(1967-78)	65	0	6	0	7	78
Ralphie II	(1978-87)	59	0	2	0	2	53
Ralphie III	(1987-97)	62	0	3	0	8	73
Ralphie IV	(1998-2008)	55	9	1	4	6	75
Ralphie V	(2008-19)	65	10	0	0	1	76
Ralphie VI	(2021-)	6	0	0	0	0	6
Totals		302	19	12	4	24	361



HEAD COACH KARL DORRELL



Karl Dorrell is in his third year as the head football coach at the University of Colorado, as he was named the 27th full-timer to the position on February 23, 2020, very much a “homecoming” for him as he twice served as an assistant coach for the Buffaloes in the 1990s. He owns an 8-10 record in two seasons at the reins of the program.

Dorrell, 58, returned to CU from the National Football League’s Miami Dolphins, where he coached the receivers for the 2019 season; two days prior to accepting the Colorado position, he had been promoted to Miami’s assistant head coach by Dolphins head coach Brian Flores. He replaced Mel Tucker, who coached the Buffs for one season before accepting the head coach position at Michigan State 12 days before Dorrell was hired.

Dorrell led the Buffaloes to a 4-2 record in his first season, one of the most challenging in the history of college football due to the COVID-19 pandemic. In being rewarded with the Pac-12 Coach of the Year honor by both his peers in the conference and the Associated Press (media), the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA) selected him as their national “First Year” Coach of the Year, for those coaches in a first season at a school regardless if they had previously been a head coach previously. He was also one of nine finalists for the FWAA’s Eddie Robinson Coach of the Year honor.

Dorrell faced more challenges than most; first, after being hired in late February and approximately four weeks ahead of the scheduled start of spring practice, he had little time to assemble a staff and get to know them, meet with his players and plan ahead for team schemes. Then, three days before the start of spring drills (March 13), the pandemic shut down athletics across the country. It wouldn’t be until Oct. 9 for his first practice with the team, or 228 days since he was hired.

Many predicted the Buffs to finish fifth or sixth in the Pac-12 South Division, but CU would finish in second and were in contention for the league’s title game until the very end. He became the first first-year head coach to take over the Colorado program starting the year unranked and coaching the team into the national polls (No. 21, as well as No. 25 in the next-to-last CFP committee rankings), and was just the fifth to win his first four games. The last of 23 new head coaches in 2020 to lose a game, CU earned a bowl berth for the first time since 2016, making him just the third head coach in school history to lead the Buffs into a bowl in his first season. Injuries and COVID caught up to the Buffs, especially on defense, as Texas defeated an undermanned CU in the Alamo Bowl.

His second CU team finished 4-8, with a 3-6 mark in Pac-12 play to tie for fourth in the South Division. The league wins came over Oregon State (in an overtime thriller), Washington and Arizona, the latter a 34-0 verdict, CU’s first shutout of a conference opponent since 2005.

Prior to returning to CU, Dorrell was coaching his second time as a member of the Dolphins staff, as he returned as the team’s wide receivers coach on February 8, 2019. He previously served as the receivers coach from 2008-10 and was the quarterbacks coach in 2011, all four years under the late head coach at the time, Tony Sparano (who passed away in July 2018).

Bill McCartney hired him at Colorado as his wide receiver coach on February 20, 1992, Dorrell’s first full-time job on the Division I-A (now FBS) level. In his first year on the staff, two of his players, Charles Johnson and Michael Westbrook, became just the fourth pair of receivers on the same team at the time to each have over 1,000 receiving yards in NCAA history; the first two do so at Colorado, Johnson caught 57 passes for 1,149 yards and five touchdowns, while Westbrook pulled in 76 receptions for 1,060 yards and eight scores. Westbrook earned first-team All-America honors for that season, becoming just the third Buffalo wide receiver to do so, joining Cliff Branch (1971) and Dave Logan (1975). Johnson added another 1,000-yard season in 1993, again hauling in 57 balls for 1,082 yards and nine TDs, earning second-team All-American accolades, with Westbrook repeating as a first-team his senior year in 1994. (Westbrook will be inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame this December.)

The Buffs were 17-5-2 those two seasons, which included a win over Fresno State in the ’93 Aloha Bowl.

After leaving for the 1994 season to coach the receivers and serve as the passing game coordinator at Arizona State under coach Bruce Snyder, he would return to Boulder in 1995 as a member of Rick Neuheisel’s staff, reuniting with his quarterback from their playing days at UCLA. Neuheisel, on the legendary McCartney’s final staff in ’94, replaced him as CU’s head coach and brought back Dorrell to be CU’s offensive coordinator and receivers coach on January 12, 1995. He would add coaching



Dorrell at his inaugural press conference as CU head coach.



Karl Dorrell Year-By-Year Coaching Record

Season	School	Overall					Pac-12 Conference					Finish/Conf.
		W	L	Pct.	Pts	Opp	W	L	Pct.	Pts	Opp	
2003	UCLA.....	6	7	.462	248	305	4	4	.500	175	200	t-5th / Pacific 10
2004	UCLA.....	6	6	.500	361	309	4	4	.500	252	227	t-5th / Pacific 10
2005	UCLA.....	10	2	.833	469	410	6	2	.750	271	306	3rd / Pacific 10
2006	UCLA.....	7	6	.417	299	259	5	4	.556	198	169	4th / Pacific 10
2007	UCLA.....	6	6	.417	275	273	5	4	.556	236	192	t-4th / Pacific 10
2020	Colorado.....	4	2	.667	171	190	3	1	.750	128	125	2nd / Pac-12 South
2021	Colorado.....	4	8	.333	225	320	3	6	.333	183	273	t-4th / Pac-12 South
Career Totals.....		43	37	.538	2048	2066	30	25	.545	1443	1492	

As a GA at UCLA (Pacific 10; 1 season, 1988).....	10- 2	1 bowl (1-0)
As an assistant with Denver (NFL, 3 seasons, 2000-02).....	28-20	(0-1 playoffs)
As an assistant at Central Florida (Ind.; 1 season, 1989).....	7- 3	
As head coach at UCLA (Pacific 10, 5 seasons, 2003-07).....	35-27	4 bowl (1-3)
As an assistant at Northern Arizona (Big Sky; 2 seasons, 1990-91).....	8-14	
As an assistant at Miami (NFL, 4 seasons, 2008-11).....	31-33	(0-1 playoffs)
As an assistant at Colorado (Big 8; 2 seasons, 1992-93).....	17-5-1	2 bowl (1-1)
As an assistant at Houston (NFL, 2 seasons, 2012-13).....	14-18	(1-1 playoffs)
As an assistant with Arizona State (Pacific 10; 1 season, 1994).....	3- 8	
As an assistant at Vanderbilt (SEC, 1 season, 2014).....	3- 9	
As an assistant with Colorado (Big 8/12; 4 seasons, 1995-98).....	33-14	3 bowl (3-0)
As an assistant at N.Y. Jets (NFL, 4 seasons, 2015-18).....	24-40	
As an assistant at Washington (Pacific 10; 1 season, 1999).....	7- 5	1 bowl (0-1)
As an assistant at Miami (NFL, 1 season, 2019).....	5-11	

the quarterbacks to his duties in 1998, the last season on the CU staff. CU's offense under Dorrell's direction proved electric, as the '95 Buffaloes were eighth in the nation in scoring (36.9 points per game), sixth in total offense (486.6 yards per game, still the second most in a single season at Colorado) and eighth in passing offense (297.2 yards per game). CU was 33-14 in his second go-round on the staff, which included three bowl wins, two over Oregon in the 1996 Cotton and 1998 Aloha and over Washington in the 1996 Holiday.

It's actually the fourth time he's established roots in the state of Colorado. In addition to his two previous stints as an assistant coach for the Buffaloes, he was the receivers coach for the Denver Broncos for three years (2000-2002) under Mike Shanahan. Rod Smith's first two career Pro Bowl selections coincided with Dorrell's first two years with the team, and Smith surpassed the 1,000-yard receiving mark all three years under Dorrell's tutelage. In Dorrell's first season with the team in 2000, Smith and Ed McCaffrey combined for 201 receptions for 2,919 yards and 17 touchdowns.

He originally came to Colorado from Northern Arizona University, where he was the offensive coordinator and receivers coach in 1990 and 1991; in his last year there, NAU set school records for first downs (255) and total offense (4,539 yards). That followed his first full-time job as receivers coach at the University of Central Florida in 1989, that on the heels of his first taste in coaching as a graduate assistant at his alma mater, UCLA in 1988.

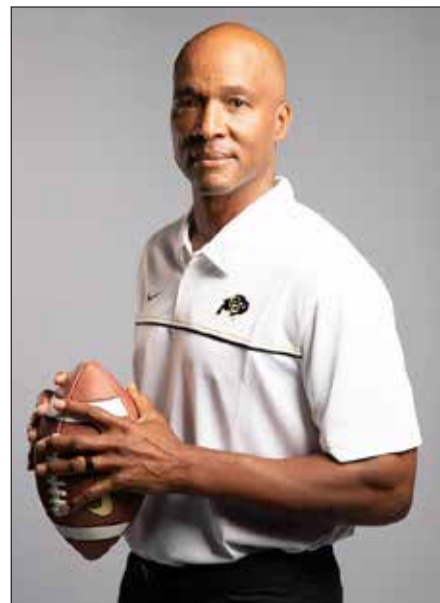
The Dolphins finished with a 5-11 record in 2019 after starting 0-7, showing dramatic improvement over the second half of the season. Miami averaged 276 passing yards per game during that stretch, with the season ending with a dramatic 27-24 win at New England which cost the Patriots a first round bye. Under Dorrell's tutoring, DeVante Parker led the team in receiving with 72 catches for 1,202 yards and nine touchdowns, with 48 for 859 yards and six scores the final nine games of the year.

Prior to his second stint with Miami, Dorrell spent four seasons (2015-18) with the New York Jets as their wide receivers coach. During that span, the Jets had five different players record at least 50 receptions in an individual season while often enduring coaching a unit ravaged with injuries. Two of his receivers were former Denver Broncos in Brandon Marshall (who he previously coached at Miami) and Eric Decker. In Dorrell's first season with the Jets in 2015, he helped Marshall set franchise records for receptions (109), receiving yards (1,502) and receiving touchdowns (14). All three marks ranked in the top five in the NFL that season, while Decker caught 80 passes for 1,027 yards and 12 touchdowns. The pair combined for the most receptions (189) and receiving touchdowns (26) by any wide receiver duo in team history, while setting an NFL record by scoring touchdowns in the same game on nine occasions.

He had returned to the NFL after one season (2014) at Vanderbilt University, where he was the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach under first-year head coach Derek Mason.

He was the quarterbacks coach for the Houston Texans in 2012 and 2013, where he worked with Matt Schaub and Case Keenum. Schaub passed for 4,008 yards and 22 touchdowns in 2012, leading the Texans to a 12-4 record, the AFC South Division title and a wild card playoff victory over Cincinnati before falling to New England in the divisional round.

After five years as head coach of UCLA, Dorrell went back to the NFL, where he served as Miami's wide receivers coach (2008-10) and then its quarterbacks coach (2011). In his last year





there, the Dolphins lost quarterback Chad Henne to a season-ending injury in the fourth game; Dorrell helped Matt Moore step in and pass for 2,497 yards and 16 touchdowns, with an 87.1 quarterback rating for his 12 starts. In 2010, Dorrell tutored Marshall and Davone Bess to form one of the top pass-catching combinations in the NFL, as the two would combine for 165 receptions for 1,834 yards and eight touchdowns (the receptions were the most by a Dolphins duo in team history). In his first season in 2008, Miami won 10 games more than the previous season, posting an 11-5 mark and winning the AFC East, as three of Dorrell's receivers – Bess, Ted Ginn Jr. and Greg Camarillo – all had over 50 receptions and 500 yards (165 catches for 1,957 yards and 10 touchdowns combined).

In 2003, Dorrell was named head coach at his alma mater, UCLA. During his time heading up the Bruins' program, the school posted a 35-27 record (24-18 in Pacific 10 Conference games) and earned a bowl berth all five seasons. His first team finished 6-7 and his second 6-6, with both suffering defeats in their bowl games. In his third season in 2005, UCLA went 10-2, recorded a victory over Northwestern in the Sun Bowl and finished with a No. 13 national ranking in the USA Today Coaches poll (No. 16 by the Associated Press). For the team's performance that year, Dorrell was named the Pac-10 Conference co-Coach of the Year. In 2006, his Bruins upset cross-town rival and second-ranked USC, 13-9, knocking the Trojans out of a second straight BCS Championship game. That team finished the year with a 7-6 mark, and his final squad there was 6-6 before he was dismissed as head coach prior to the Bruins' Las Vegas bowl date against BYU.

Dorrell's first game as a college head coach was actually in Boulder, as UCLA opened the 2003 season in week two after CU defeated CSU opening week. The Buffs rallied late to spoil his debut, with Joel Klatt (now of FOX Sports) throwing a 6-yard touchdown pass to Joe Klopfenstein with 2:15 to play to give CU a 16-14 victory.

He twice worked with the Denver Broncos' staff during training camp in both 1993 and 1999 as part of the NFL's Minority Coaching Fellowship program, first under Wade Phillips and then under Shanahan, who would give him his first full-time position in the professional ranks the following spring.

Dorrell is not the first to be hired as the head coach at Colorado who previously was an assistant coach at the school; in fact, he is the fifth. He joins an impressive list of those who spent time in Boulder as an assistant before being named head coach: Frank Potts (assistant for the 1927-39, 1941-43 and 1946-47 seasons), Rick Neuheisel (1994), Gary Barnett (1984-91) and Jon Embree (1993-2002). Dorrell joined the Buffs

the season after Barnett was named head coach at Northwestern, and Neuheisel actually had replaced Dorrell on the Colorado staff under Bill McCartney.

He also became the third CU coach to take over the program after signing day: Chuck Fairbanks arrived in Boulder on April 4, 1979 after a lengthy court battle with the New England Patriots to release him from their contract, and McCartney was hired on June 9, 1982 after Fairbanks left to coach New Jersey in the fledgling United States Football League (USFL).

As a student-athlete at UCLA, he lettered four times at wide receiver under coach Terry Donahue from 1982-86. He caught 108 passes for 1,517 yards and nine touchdowns, and at the time of his graduation, he was second in receptions and fourth in receiving yards on the Bruins' all-time charts. He played on five UCLA bowl champion teams, the 1983 Rose (def. Michigan), 1984 Rose (def. Illinois), 1985 Fiesta (def. Miami-Fla. the year he redshirted), 1986 Rose (def. Iowa) and the 1986 Freedom (def. BYU); in three of those games, he combined to have 14 receptions for 203 yards and three touchdowns. During his career, the Bruins had a record of 43-13-4 and won three Pac-10 titles.

He graduated from UCLA in 1986 with a degree in Psychology while earning a minor in Business Administration. He signed as a free agent with the Dallas Cowboys and played half of the 1987 season before he was placed on injured reserve.

Dorrell was born on December 18, 1963 in Alameda, Calif., and graduated from Helix Charter High School in La Mesa, Calif. (a San Diego suburb), where in football he was a two-time all-league performer and an honorable mention All-American as a senior and also lettered in basketball, baseball and track. He is married to the former Kim Westley, and the couple has two grown children, son Chandler, who was a receiver at both Stanford and Vanderbilt and is CU's assistant director of player personnel, and daughter Lauren, who lettered three times on CU's volleyball team from 2016-18.

AT-A-GLANCE—As a full-time coach, he has coached in 446 career games: in Division I-A (FBS) 186 games, with his teams owning a record of 106-78-2 which includes nine bowl games (1993 Fiesta, 1993 Aloha, 1996 Cotton, 1999 Holiday, 2003 Silicon Valley, 2004 Las Vegas, 2005 Sun, 2006 Emerald, 2020 Alamo). In his two previous stints at Colorado, the Buffaloes were 50-19-2. He coached in 22 games in Division I-AA (now FCS), 10 games in Division II, and in the National Football League, he coached in 224 regular season games (80 with Miami, 64 with the New York Jets, 48 with Denver and 32 with Houston) as well as in four NFL playoff games (2 with Houston, 1 each with Denver and Miami).

COACHING EXPERIENCE

1988	UCLA	Graduate Assistant (offense)
1989	Central Florida	Wide Receivers
1990-91	Northern Arizona	Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers
1992-93	Colorado	Wide Receivers
1994	Arizona State	Passing Game Coordinator/Wide Receivers
1995-97	Colorado	Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers
1998	Colorado	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks/ Wide Receivers
1999	Washington	Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers
2000-02	Denver (NFL)	Wide Receivers
2003-07	UCLA	Head Coach
2008-10	Miami (NFL)	Wide Receivers
2011	Miami (NFL)	Quarterbacks
2012-13	Houston (NFL)	Quarterbacks
2014	Vanderbilt	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks
2015-18	New York Jets (NFL)	Wide Receivers
2019	Miami (NFL)	Wide Receivers
2020	Miami (NFL)	Assistant Head Coach/Wide Receivers
2020-	Colorado	Head Coach



Dorrell in the 1984 Rose Bowl.



KARL DORRELL Year-By-Year at UCLA (2003-07)

(ranks listed are Associated Press)

2003 (6-7; 4-4 *Pac-10)

Date	Rank	Opponent (Rank)	Result
S 6	—	at Colorado (24)	L 14-16
S 13	—	ILLINOIS	W 6-3
S 20	—	at Oklahoma (1)	L 24-59
S 27	—	SAN DIEGO STATE	W 20-10
O 4	—	*WASHINGTON (18)	W 46-16
O 11	—	*at Arizona	W 24-21
O 18	—	*CALIFORNIA (OT)	W 23-20
O 25	—	*ARIZONA STATE	W 20-13
N 1	—	*at Stanford	L 14-21
N 8	—	*at Washington State (12)	L 13-31
N 15	—	*OREGON	L 13-31
N 22	—	*at Southern Cal (2)	L 22-47
D 30	—	#Fresno State	L 9-17

#—Silicon Valley Football Classic.

2004 (6-6; 4-4 *Pac-10)

Date	Rank	Opponent (Rank)	Result
S 4	—	OKLAHOMA STATE	L 20-31
S 11	—	at Illinois	W 35-17
S 18	—	*at Washington	W 37-31
O 2	—	SAN DIEGO STATE	W 33-10
O 9	—	*ARIZONA	W 37-17
O 16	—	*at California (8)	L 28-45
O 23	—	*at Arizona State (21)	L 42-48
O 30	—	*STANFORD	W 21-0
N 6	—	*WASHINGTON STATE	L 29-31
N 13	—	*at Oregon	W 34-26
D 2	—	*SOUTHERN CAL (1)	L 24-29
D 23	—	#Wyoming	L 21-24

#—Las Vegas Bowl.

2005 (10-2; 6-2 *Pac-10)

Date	Rank	Opponent (Rank)	Result
S 3	—	at San Diego State	W 44-21
S 10	—	RICE	W 63-21
S 17	—	OKLAHOMA (21)	W 41-24
O 1	20	*WASHINGTON	W 21-17
O 8	20	*CALIFORNIA (10)	W 47-40
O 15	12	*at Washington State (OT)	W 44-41
O 22	8	*OREGON STATE	W 51-28
O 29	8	*at Stanford (OT)	W 30-27
N 5	7	*at Arizona	L 14-52
N 12	14	*ARIZONA STATE	W 45-35
D 3	11	*at Southern Cal (1)	L 19-66
D 30	17	#Northwestern	W 50-38

#—Sun Bowl.

2006 (7-6; 5-4 *Pac-10)

Date	Rank	Opponent (Rank)	Result
S 2	—	UTAH	W 31-10
S 9	—	RICE	W 26-16
S 23	—	*at Washington	L 19-29
S 30	—	*STANFORD	W 31-0
O 7	—	*ARIZONA	W 27-7
O 14	—	*at Oregon (18)	L 20-30
O 21	—	at Notre Dame (10)	L 17-20
O 28	—	*WASHINGTON STATE	L 15-37
N 4	—	*at California (10)	L 24-38
N 11	—	*OREGON STATE	W 25-7
N 18	—	*at Arizona State	W 24-12
D 2	—	*SOUTHERN CAL (2)	W 13-9
D 27	—	#Florida State	L 27-44

#—Emerald Bowl.

2007 (6-6; 5-4 *Pac-10)

Date	Rank	Opponent (Rank)	Result
S 1	14	*at Stanford	W 45-17
S 8	13	BRIGHAM YOUNG	W 27-27
S 15	11	at Utah	L 6-44
S 22	—	*WASHINGTON	W 44-31
S 29	—	*at Oregon State	W 40-14
O 6	—	NOTRE DAME	L 6-20
O 20	—	*CALIFORNIA (10)	W 30-21
O 27	—	*at Washington State	L 7-27
N 3	—	*at Arizona	L 27-34
N 10	—	*ARIZONA STATE (9)	L 20-24
N 24	—	*OREGON (9)	W 16-0
D 1	—	*at Southern Cal (8)	L 7-24

(Dorrell was replaced as coach at the end of the regular season; UCLA lost to BYU in the Las Vegas Bowl.)



Dorrell while with the New York Jets.



Dorrell on the sidelines with the Houston Texans.



Dorrell with the 2019 Miami Dolphins.



WHAT THEY SAID ABOUT KARL DORRELL

BRIAN FLORES

Miami Dolphins Head Coach (2019-present)

"The University of Colorado hit a home run hiring Karl as their head coach. I'm excited for him to have this opportunity. He is a great teacher and excellent leader. He is a coach I would want my kids to play for."

BILL McCARTNEY

University of Colorado Head Football Coach (1982-94)

"Awesome, that's fabulous. Karl Dorrell is the real deal. He's genuine, he's authentic and extremely talented. I'm a Buff to the core, through and through, and this really excites me. This is a big, big deal and I am thrilled and overjoyed. Why? Because you have to get the right people in leadership, everything comes down to leadership. And with CU getting a man like Karl to lead the program, that's a feather in Rick George's cap. When Rick came on board for us (as recruiting coordinator in 1987), he improved our recruiting, and 30 years later, he's still getting it done."

ED McCAFFREY

Denver Bronco Receiver (1995-2003)

"Coach Dorrell is a true pro with a wealth of football coaching experience. I enjoyed my time with him as my position coach with the Broncos. His strong communication and intelligent leadership helped us achieve great success as a unit. His return to CU is a good hire for the program and will bring steady hand."

RON MERKERSON

Colorado Outside Linebacker (1994-97)

"Excellent hire of Karl Dorrell at my alma mater, the University of Colorado! Karl recruited me out of high school and brought me to Boulder. He's a perfect fit and will do great things. He's also a true Buff! Congrats to Coach Dorrell, his wonderful family and the University of Colorado. Welcome home and go Buffs!"

MIKE MOSCHETTI

Colorado Quarterback (1998-99)

"Karl is a smart, hard-nosed football coach who isn't flashy. When he says something, you will trust it, you will run through a wall for him. He has incredible experience, and he knows the challenges and in his previous stops coaching at Colorado in the 1990s, he has recruited to the academic challenges that coaches face with the high standards academic-wise at the University of Colorado. I was at the game in 2006 when his UCLA team beat No. 2 ranked USC and Pete Carroll that kept them out of the BCS title game. I can't wait to see what he does with the Buffs – we have been to just one bowl game in the last 12 or so years, and he led UCLA to five straight bowl games. He knows the tradition, and I know he's grateful for the opportunity to be a head coach again."

RICK NEUHEISEL

University of Colorado Head Football Coach (1995-98)

(Rick and Karl were also teammates at UCLA.) "I'm very happy for Karl. Colorado definitely hit a home run. Karl's very knowledgeable, very passionate, and I know he loved his time in Boulder. His strong point is organization and leadership. He's always been an offensive guy, and by spending a lot of time in the NFL, he's learned even more. This is making me a bit nostalgic about the fun we had coaching together with the Buffs and when we played together at UCLA – he was my go-to guy (Neuheisel was a quarterback at UCLA, Dorrell his top receiver)."

ROD SMITH

Denver Bronco Receiver (1995-2007)

"I want to say congratulations to Coach Karl Dorrell and the CU Buffaloes. I had personal experience with him, he took my game to a whole new level. I was doing really well, but when I got with him, in three years (under him) I had over 300-plus catches, pro bowls and all that stuff. He's a technician, he knows what he's doing, he's been around and he's studied with some of the best. I can tell you right now, this team, this program is about to take off. Coach Dorrell, I appreciate you and thank you for everything you've done for me and I'm looking forward to the CU Buffaloes go to a whole new level."

KORDELL STEWART

Colorado Quarterback (1991-94)

"Karl was and is a smart coach, understands all aspects of the game of football. When he was at Colorado when I was there, he had what I would call 'young energy,' to where I think Michael (Westbrook), CJ (Charles Johnson), Phil Savoy and the other receivers really respected him. He made them understand the game through the eyes of a quarterback, which isn't always easy to do. I'm excited about this opportunity for him. With his combination of head coaching experience at UCLA and his time as a position coach in the NFL, he brings a tremendous amount of credibility to the table. I would hope that the players on the team now and the incoming recruits will appreciate that – he's got the background that should earn him an enormous amount of respect. He understands how CU operates, understands the community, knows the lay of the land. It was important for Rick (George) to hire someone who understands the Colorado way and our tradition. Karl fits that mold of what CU is trying to do and will pick up the pieces that were broken with the last coach and put them back together. In time, he will make this thing really work."

MICHAEL WESTBROOK

Colorado All-American Receiver (1991-94)

"I'm glad to hear that someone with Karl's character will be CU's new coach. I loved Karl. He was a huge disciplinarian, but in both a good and tough way. It was definitely brought to your attention if you weren't doing what you're supposed to do. You come to realize that he'll be tough when he has to be, which is what young kids need, and in the end, that makes you a better player and a better person. He was very much like Bill McCartney in that manner, that was Karl's thing as well, they are cut from that same cloth. I know him, trust him, the program is in good hands and I'll enjoy coming back to watch the Buffaloes play under Karl."



THE ASSISTANT COACHES



PHIL McGEOGHAN

Assistant Head Coach / Wide Receivers



Phil McGeoghan, a 15-year veteran in the coaching profession overall, was named wide receivers coach on January 18, 2022; head coach Karl Dorrell promoted him to assistant head coach on June 24, 2022.

McGeoghan, 43, prior to coming to CU was the receivers coach for three seasons with the Los Angeles Chargers (2018-20); he took off the 2021 season on personal leave urged by Chargers' head coach Anthony Lynn to care for some health issues in his immediate family.

He has about evenly split his time with three teams in the National Football League (eight years) and in the collegiate ranks (seven seasons). Among the players he has coached include Keenan Allen and Mike Williams (Chargers), Jarvis

Landry and Brian Hartline (Miami Dolphins) and Zay Jones (East Carolina who now stars for the Las Vegas Raiders).

CU head coach Karl Dorrell has a previous relationship with McGeoghan; as an assistant under Mike Shanahan with the Denver Broncos from 2000-2002, he coached him for two seasons as he was a receiver and special teams performer.

In his three seasons coach receivers for the Chargers, his top threat, Keenan Allen, was a two-time Pro Bowl selection and set numerous franchise records; Allen and Mike Williams both recorded 1,000-yards seasons in 2019. He was responsible for third down game planning and team presentation (the Chargers were sixth in third downs in 2019, converting at 44.3 percent), and other duties included coverage analysis and analyzing opponent personnel in the secondary. The '18 Chargers went 12-4 and advanced to the divisional round of the playoffs.

He spent the 2017 season as the receivers coach for the Buffalo Bills, helping the team finish 9-7 and earn their first playoff berth in 18 years (only the team's third winning season in that entire span as well).

He had returned to the FBS ranks in college for the 2016 season, where he tutored the receivers at East Carolina University. His top performer was Zay Jones, who earned first-team All-America honors after leading the NCAA in receptions (158) and receiving yards (1,746), also leading in per game averages for those categories (13.2 and 145.5, respectively). It set the nation's record for receptions and the American Athletic Conference mark for yards. A finalist for the Biletnikoff Award, he was a second round pick (37th player overall) by Buffalo in the 2017 NFL Draft (and whom McGeoghan would coach as a rookie in the league).

McGeoghan's first NFL position came with the Miami Dolphins under head coach Joe Philbin for the 2012-15 seasons, finishing in the top third in the league in passing yards three of those four years. His top players were 1,000-yard receivers Jarvis Landry and Brian Hartline; Landry set the franchise record with 110 receptions in 2015 when he was selected to the Pro Bowl, a year after he set the Dolphin record for receptions by a rookie (84). Hartline had back-to-back 1,000-yard seasons in 2012 and 2013, just the second player in franchise history to accomplish the feat. His receiving corps in 2013 was the No. 1 NFL unit in ball security, with no fumbles in 227 receptions.

His first collegiate job on the FBS level came at the University of South Florida, where he coached the Bulls' receivers for three seasons (2009-11) and had his first real experience in recruiting, where he covered both Florida and Georgia. He coached the three leading receivers at the time in USF history, Andre Davis (who is still first), Dontavia Bogan and Carlton Mitchell, all of whom eventually played in the NFL.

McGeoghan was a four-year letterman at wide receiver in college, first as a freshman at Boston University in 1997 and then three times for the University of Maine. He finished his career following the 2000 season, he was fifth on the school's all-time list for receptions (161) as well as receiving yards (2,343), scoring 13 touchdowns. He was the recipient of the Black Bears' Jack Butterfield Outstanding Offensive Player award as a junior and the Woody Carville Senior Achievement Award. As a member of Maine's track and field team, he set the record in the high jump for the American East Conference, the state of Maine and New England with a leap of 7-foot-1/4 inch. He was inducted into Maine's Athletic Hall of Fame in 2018.

He signed with the New York Jets as a free agent ahead of the 2001 season, but had not yet finished his degree; after he was done playing professional football in which he spent with the Jets, Broncos, New Orleans Saints and the Oakland Raiders as well as in Europe with the Berlin Thunder, he returned to Maine as the school's wide receivers and tight ends coach in 2007. He then completed his requirements for his bachelor's degree in Marketing, which he was awarded in 2008. After graduating, he served as the offensive coordinator at the Naval Academy Preparatory School that fall before moving on to USF.

A native of Agawam, Mass., he graduated from Agawam High School, where he lettered in football and was an All-American in track and field; he finished third in the nation in the high jump as a junior and senior (6-foot-11 best as a prep). He is married to the former Tori Schmitz and couple has two children, son Knox and daughter Morgan. (*Last name is pronounced mick-gaig-in; gaig as in Craig.*)

AT-A-GLANCE—He has coached in 192 games as a full-time coach, 50 Division I-A (FBS) games (38 at South Florida, 12 at East Carolina), 11 FCS games (all at Maine) and 131 NFL games (64 at Miami, 50 at L.A. Chargers, including two postseason and 17 with Buffalo, one postseason). He has coached in two bowl games (2009 International, 2010 Meineke Car Care).



COACHING EXPERIENCE

2007	Maine	Wide Receivers/Tight Ends
2008	Naval Academy Prep	Offensive Coordinator
2009-11	South Florida	Wide Receivers
2012-15	Miami Dolphins (NFL)	Wide Receivers
2016	East Carolina	Wide Receivers
2017	Buffalo Bills (NFL)	Wide Receivers
2018-20	Los Angeles Chargers (NFL)	Wide Receivers
2022	Colorado	Wide Receivers



MIKE SANFORD

Offensive Coordinator / Quarterbacks



Mike Sanford was named offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach on December 17, 2021, returning to his western roots he previously experienced as a player and a coach.

Sanford, 40, is a veteran of 17 seasons as a college coach in assorted positions including six as an offensive coordinator. He came to Colorado from the University of Minnesota, where he was the Gophers' offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach for the 2020 and 2021 seasons under head coach P.J. Fleck. His vast resume includes personally coaching almost every position at one time or another on offense, in addition to experience as a recruiting coordinator and two years as a head coach (at Western Kentucky). He has coached and/or recruited numerous players who have earned All-America honors and have gone on to play professionally in the National Football League.

He has had significant influence in developing offensive skill position players throughout his career. Those have included quarterbacks DeShone Kizer and Ian Book (Notre Dame), Kevin Hogan (Stanford), Jordan Love (Utah State), Ryan Finley and Grant Hedrick (Boise State) and Mike White and Brandon Doughty (Western Kentucky), receivers Ty Montgomery (Stanford), Will Fuller, Chase Claypool and Equanimeous St. Brown (Notre Dame), running backs Stepan Taylor and Tyler Gaffney (Stanford), Jay Ajayi (Boise State) and tight end Durham Smythe (Notre Dame).

Among his top recruits were running back Christian McCaffrey, who he helped land at Stanford prior to moving on to Boise State for his first coordinator position; quarterbacks Ian Book Phil Jurkovec, receiver Jacon McKinley and guard Aaron Banks (Notre Dame) and quarterback Brett Rypien (Boise State). And also at Stanford, as an offensive staff assistant early in his career and with no full-time quarterback coach on the staff at the time, he was instrumental in the recruitment and early development of Andrew Luck.

In 2021, Sanford oversaw a Minnesota offense that ran the ball the majority of the time, and despite losing three of its top running backs, still averaged 193.8 yards per game to rank 31st in the NCAA heading into the postseason. UM was 8-4, including a 30-0 win over CU in Boulder, where Sanford's offense rushed for 277 yards and possessed the ball over 22 minutes in the second half, thwarting any comeback attempt by the Buffaloes. The Gophers were also 15th nationally in fewest turnovers (11), 17th in third down conversions (45.6 percent) and 27th in red zone offense, scoring 40 times (28 touchdowns) in 45 trips.

In 2020, his in Minneapolis, UM running back Mohamed Ibrahim was named the 2020 Big Ten Running Back of the Year and was an Associated Press third-team All-American, setting school records in season rushing yards per game (153.7), consecutive 100-yard rushing games (8) and touchdowns in consecutive games (8) while also tying four other marks. In the COVID-19 shortened season, the Gophers were 3-4 and averaged 391.0 yards on offense, almost evenly split between rushing and passing.

In his 19 games at Minnesota, the Gophers had a 100-yard rusher in 16 of those contests.

Sanford spent the 2019 season at Utah State, where he was the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach for the Aggies. USU averaged 29.2 points per game in displaying a balanced offense, averaging 431 yards per game (279 passing, 152 rushing), with 40 touchdowns (22 passing, 18 rushing). Utah State was 7-6 under head coach Gary Andersen and earned a Frisco Bowl appearance opposite Kent State. His senior quarterback, Jordan Love, set numerous school records

and was the 26th overall pick in the 2020 NFL Draft by Green Bay and is positioned to be the heir apparent to perennial All-Pro Aaron Rodgers.

Sanford was the head coach at Western Kentucky for the 2017 and 2018 seasons. He led the Hilltoppers to a berth in the AutoNation Cure Bowl in his first season, one of just five rookie head coaches to take his team to a bowl game in 2017. Two of his players were selected in the 2018 NFL Draft, as linebacker Joel Iyegbuniwe was a fourth round pick by the Chicago Bears and quarterback Mike White a fifth round selection by the Dallas Cowboys. In addition, tight end Deon Yelder signed as a free agent with the Kansas City Chiefs.

Under Sanford, Western Kentucky had 28 Conference USA all-league players in two seasons, and off the field, WKU focused heavily on community service (improving the team's commitment by more than 500 percent) and academics, with 75 student-athletes improving their grade point averages with 39 achieving a 3.0 or higher semester GPA.

He was named head coach at WKU after a two-year stint (2015-16) as the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Notre Dame under head coach Brian Kelly. He mentored quarterback DeShone Kizer, who would finish his career as the Fighting Irish all-time leader in total offense per game with 272.2 yards, as well as the highest points responsible for per game mark (15.6) and the second-best passing efficiency rating (147.7).

In 2015, when Notre Dame finished 10-3 and was ranked as high as No. 4, the Fighting Irish averaged 466.4 yards of total offense per game (third-most in program history), to go along with a near record 34.2 points per game that season. Those Notre Dame teams boasted three wide receivers who would be drafted into the NFL and remain active: Will Fuller, the 21st pick overall by Houston in the 2016 draft (now with Miami), Equanimeous St. Brown, a sixth round selection by Green Bay in 2018, and Chase Claypool, whom Pittsburgh picked in the second round in 2020.

Sanford recruited California and Texas for the Irish, and among his top recruits were quarterback Ian Book, a fourth round pick by New Orleans in the 2021 NFL draft; offensive guard Aaron Banks, who would be named a first-team All-American as a senior in 2020 and was a second round draft pick by San Francisco in 2021; and receiver Javon McKinley, who signed as a free agent with Detroit, also in 2021.

In 2014, Sanford earned his first role as an offensive coordinator at his alma mater, Boise State, when the Broncos went 12-2, won the Mountain West championship and defeated Arizona in the Fiesta Bowl. Also the school's quarterback coach, he tutored Grant Hedrick, who led the FBS in completion percentage (70.8), while ranking seventh in passing yards per attempt (8.91), ninth in passing efficiency (157.2), 13th in passing yardage (3,696) and 14th in total offense per game (306.3).

While Sanford's development of quarterbacks is well documented, his work with Boise State running back Jay Ajayi is just as if not even more notable. In Sanford's explosive offense, Ajayi led the FBS in scoring (13.7 points per game) and became the only player in FBS history to record 1,800 rushing yards and 500 receiving yards in a single season. Ajayi set Boise State single-season records for rushing yards (1,823), rushing touchdowns (28), all-purpose yards (2,358) and carries (347). He would go on to play five seasons in the NFL after being selected by Miami in the fifth round of the draft, and would be named to the Pro Bowl after rushing for 1,272 yards in 2016.

In three seasons at Stanford (2011-13) working side-by-side with head coach David Shaw, the Cardinal went 34-7, winning two Pac-12 titles and earning berths in two Rose and one Fiesta bowls; the back-to-back Rose Bowl games for the '12 and '13 seasons were Stanford's first repeat appearances in the game since 1970-71. As the running backs coach from 2011-12, Sanford was instrumental in the development of Doak Walker Award semifinalist and 2013 Rose Bowl offensive MVP Stepan Taylor. Sanford then coached the quarterbacks and receivers in 2013, where he mentored Kevin Hogan and Ty Montgomery, the latter of whom was a consensus All-American who had over 2,000 all-purpose yards that season. Hogan threw for 2,487 yards and 20 touchdowns with a 154.1 rating and would be drafted by Kansas City in the fifth round of the 2016 draft; Montgomery was a third round pick by Green Bay the year before.

Everywhere Sanford has been, great players have followed. He helped bring in top 15 recruiting classes in each of his two seasons at Notre Dame, the number one class in the Mountain West during his year at Boise State, and back-to-back top 20 classes at Stanford, including the fifth-ranked group in 2012 (also the best in the Pac-12) while serving as the Cardinal recruiting coordinator. Twenty-three members of those two classes were rated in the top 25 nationally at their respective positions, with six players rated as "five stars" and 16 others with "four stars."

Sanford spent the 2010 season at Western Kentucky as the passing game coordinator and quarterbacks coach. It was just the second year for the Hilltoppers in the FBS, helping to coach WKU to its first two victories after moving up from the FCS ranks. That came after one year at Yale which was his first full-time coaching position in 2009. He coached the tight ends, fullbacks and served as recruiting coordinator in 2009.

He spent two years on Jim Harbaugh's staff at Stanford as an offensive assistant (2007-08), which had followed two years (2005-06) as a graduate assistant at UNLV under his father, Mike, then the head coach of the Rebels. The elder Sanford coached UNLV from 2005 through 2009 and was also the head coach at Indiana State from 2013-16; an interesting CU connection exists with him as longtime Buffalo linebacker coach Brian Cabral was his defensive coordinator all four seasons in Terre Haute.

He lettered four years at quarterback Boise State, where he earned his bachelor's degree in Political Science in 2005. He began his coaching career in 2005 at UNLV as a graduate assistant under head coach and his father, Mike Sanford.

Though born in Lexington, Va., he considers himself to be a native of Seal Beach, Calif., as his family moved there before he was a year old. He graduated from Los Alamitos (Calif.) High School, where he lettered in football. He is married to the former Anne-Marie Mitchell and they have two sons (Gunnar, Griffin) and one daughter (Peyton).

AT-A-GLANCE—He has coached in 159 games as a full-time coach, including 149 in the Football Subdivision (FBS).

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2005-06	UNLV	Graduate Assistant/Quarterbacks & Specialists
2007-08	Stanford	Offensive Assistant/Quarterbacks
2009	Yale	Recruiting Coordinator/Fullbacks & Tight Ends
2010	Western Kentucky	Passing Game Coordinator/Quarterbacks
2011	Stanford	Running Backs
2012	Stanford	Recruiting Coordinator/Running Backs
2013	Stanford	Recruiting Coordinator/Quarterbacks & Wide Receivers
2014	Boise State	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks
2015-16	Notre Dame	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks
2017-18	Western Kentucky	Head Coach
2019	Utah State	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks
2020-21	Minnesota	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks
2022-	Colorado	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks



CHRIS WILSON

Defensive Coordinator / Outside Linebackers



Chris Wilson joined the Colorado staff for the second time on February 29, 2020 as defensive line coach, returning with new head coach Karl Dorrell in a homecoming of sorts back to Boulder, where he coached the defensive line under Gary Barnett for five seasons from 2000-04.

Dorrell announced that he promoted Wilson to defensive coordinator on Jan. 29, 2021; he continued to coach the defensive tackles and ends. Ahead of the spring in 2022, Wilson shifted to coaching the outside/edge linebackers.

Wilson, 53, spent the 2019 season as a defensive assistant with the National Football League's Arizona Cardinals, and from 2016-18, he was the defensive

line coach for Philadelphia under head coach Doug Pederson, where in 2017, the Eagles won the NFC East with a 13-3 record and defeated the New England Patriots in Super Bowl LII.

In all, he has coached 20 years at six different schools on the FBS level, with those teams posting 15 winning seasons in earning as many bowl berths and compiling a won-lost record of 145-93.

Wilson coached All-Big 12 performers Justin Bannan and Tyler Brayton at Colorado, the latter of whom also earned third-team All-America honors, along with other familiar names to CU fans like Marques Harris, Matt McChesney, Brandon Dabdoub, Gabe Nyenhuis and James Garee. He was on the staff that won three Big 12 Conference North Division titles (2001, 2002, 2004) and the 2001 Big 12 Championship, when the Buffs narrowly missed finishing second in the BCS Standings which would have earned CU a berth into the title game.

He left the CU staff after the 2004 season to join coach Bob Stoops at Oklahoma, his alma mater. He was the defensive ends coach for the Sooners for 2005-06, and added special teams coordinator to his duties there the next three seasons (2007-09). He was on the Sooner staffs that won the 2006, 2007 and 2008 Big 12 titles, the latter team earning its way into the BCS Championship game where second-ranked OU fell to No. 1 Florida, 24-14.

Wilson moved on to Mississippi State, where he was the co-defensive coordinator and line coach in 2010 before taking over the sole coordinator role the

next two years (2011-12). He went on to coach the defensive line at Georgia in 2013 and then at Southern California (2014-15) before taking the similar position for the Eagles in the NFL. At USC, the Trojans won the 2015 Pac-12 South Division title but lost the league's title game to Stanford.

He began his coaching career at Indiana State as a graduate assistant in 1993, and was promoted to linebackers coach the following season. He was the outside linebackers coach for Northern Illinois (1995) and the defensive coordinator and line coach at Northeastern (Okla.) A&M in 1996 before returning to Indiana State as its OLB coach in 1997. He then moved on to become the defensive line coach under Todd Berry at Illinois State for two seasons (1998-99), with the Redbirds earning its first-ever playoff appearance his first year there and then posting an 11-3 mark his second year, as ISU won the Gateway Conference title and advanced to the Division I-AA semifinals.

In January 2000, Berry was named the new head coach at Army, and Wilson originally accompanied him to West Point. But in May of that year, CU's defensive line coach at the time, Buddy Wyatt, left for Texas A&M and Barnett subsequently hired Wilson at Colorado.

A four-year letterman at linebacker for Oklahoma from 1988-91, he was a two-time team captain, recorded 303 tackles, was a three-time second-team All-Big Eight Conference performer, a third-team All-American as a junior and was on the watch list for the '91 Butkus Award. He was recruited by and initially played for Hall of Fame head coach Barry Switzer, finishing his career there under coach Gary Gibbs. Ironically, some of his top career games came against Colorado, as he had 11 tackles, a pass broken up and a forced fumble in the '89 game in Norman won by CU, 20-3 (he was OU's Big Eight defensive player of the week nomination). He had nine tackles in the '90 game in Boulder and led the Sooners with eight stops in the '91 contest, again both games won by the Buffs; in all three, he was chasing CU quarterback Darian Hagan, of whom he is now working with on the same coaching staff.

He was a 12th round draft pick by the Chicago Bears in the 1992 NFL Draft and went to camp with the team, but didn't make the final roster. The NFL would be kind to him down the road, however, as he served three minority coaching internships in the league with Dallas (1995), Arizona (1997) and Miami (1998).

He was born January 8, 1969 in Dallas, Texas, and graduated from Richardson (Texas) High School, where he lettered in football and track. He is married to the former Tina Brown, and they have two grown children, son Caleb and daughter Colby. His hobbies include collecting old music, particularly jazz.

AT-A-GLANCE—He has coached in 364 games as a full-time coach, including 295 in college (238 in Division I-A/FBS, 48 I-AA/FCS, 9 JUCO), and has coached in 14 bowl games (2002 Fiesta, 2002 Alamo, 2004 Houston, 2005 Holiday, 2007 Fiesta, 2008 Fiesta, 2009 Orange/BCS Championship, 2009 Sun, 2011 Gator, 2011 Music City, 2013 Gator, 2014 Gator, 2014 Holiday, 2015 Holiday, 2020 Alamo). He coached in 69 NFL games (53 Philadelphia, including five postseason, 16 Arizona).



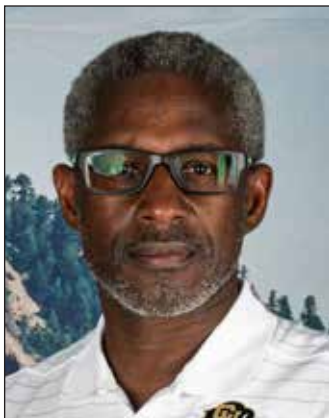
COACHING EXPERIENCE

1993	Indiana State	Graduate Assistant (Defense)
1994	Indiana State	Linebackers
1995	Northern Illinois	Outside Linebackers
1996	Northeastern (Okla.) A&M	Defensive Coordinator / Defensive Line
1997	Indiana State	Outside Linebackers
1998-99	Illinois State	Defensive Line
2000	Army	Defensive Line
2000-04	Colorado	Defensive Line
2005-06	Oklahoma	Defensive Ends
2007-09	Oklahoma	Defensive Ends/Special Teams
2010	Mississippi State	Co-Defensive Coordinator / Defensive Line
2011-12	Mississippi State	Defensive Coordinator / Defensive Line
2013	Georgia	Defensive Line
2014-15	Southern California	Defensive Line
2016-18	Philadelphia (NFL)	Defensive Line
2019	Arizona (NFL)	Defensive Assistant
2020	Colorado	Defensive Line
2021	Colorado	Defensive Coordinator / Defensive Line
2022-	Colorado	Defensive Coordinator / Outside Linebackers



BRETT MAXIE

Safeties / Defensive Passing Game Coordinator



Brett Maxie, in his third year on the Colorado staff, was hired as safeties coach on March 5, 2020, as he completed Karl Dorrell's inaugural coaching staff, coming to CU from the IMG Academy in Bradenton, Fla.

Dorrell announced on Jan. 29, 2021 that he had promoted Maxie to defensive passing game coordinator. He has continued to coach the safeties, the group he helped navigate and help improve despite injuries and inexperience in his first season at Colorado.

Maxie, 60, is a veteran secondary coach of 23 combined seasons between the professional and collegiate ranks, which followed 13-year career as a de-

fensive back in the National Football League. He had spent the 2019 season as the defensive coordinator at the IMG Academy, a preparatory boarding school and sports training destination founded in 2002.

In 1998, after he retired from playing, the NFL's Carolina Panthers gave him his start in coaching, as he was the team's quality control coach along with working with the defensive backs. He moved on to the San Francisco 49ers for five seasons (1999-2003), the first three seasons as the assistant secondary coach and the last two years (2002-03) as the secondary coach. During the three-year period from 2001-03, Maxie's secondary totaled 66 interceptions – the third highest number in the NFL in that time frame. Atlanta then hired him as its defensive backs coach for three seasons (2004-06).

Maxie moved on to the Miami Dolphins for the 2007 season as their secondary coach, with Dallas his next stop, as he was the Cowboys defensive backfield tutor for four years (2008-11). He then served in a similar capacity for the Tennessee Titans for the 2012 and 2013 seasons, remaining in Nashville for the following two years, coaching Vanderbilt's entire secondary in 2014 and specifically the cornerbacks in 2015. He returned to the NFL in 2016 as the secondary coach for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, where he would tutor the defensive backs for three seasons (2016-18). After landing at Tampa Bay (NFC South), he became one the few coaches in NFL history to coach at all four teams in the same division.

He coached several players who earned Pro Bowl selections, including two-time pick DeAngelo Hall (Atlanta, 2005 & 2006), Mike Jenkins (Dallas, 2009), Terence Newman (Dallas, 2009), Alterraun Verner (Tennessee, 2013) and Brent

Grimes (Tampa Bay, 2016). While with the Dallas Cowboys, he had the honor of serving as the defensive coordinator in the 2010 East-West Shrine Game.

A 1985 graduate of Texas Southern University, where he earned a degree in Biology and was an active member of the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity Inc., he signed with the New Orleans Saints as an undrafted free agent and went on to play with the team for nine seasons (1985-93). He played four more seasons in the NFL, with Atlanta (1994), Carolina (1995-96) and San Francisco (1997). In 153 NFL games that included 104 starts, Maxie had 588 tackles with six fumble recoveries along with 23 interceptions he returned for 300 yards and three touchdowns while playing primarily at strong safety throughout his career.

In 1987, he was credited with a key fourth down tackle against the Pittsburgh Steelers that enabled the Saints to clinch their first winning season in the 20-year history of the franchise. As a member of the Carolina Panthers in 1995, the team's first year of existence, he was the recipient of the Ed Block Courage Award and recorded the first interception in franchise history, which came in the season opener against Atlanta (Carolina opened 0-5 but would finish 7-9, the best record of an expansion team in its first season of competition). During his career, he also served as a player representative and executive board member under NFLPA Executive Director Gene Upshaw.

He was born January 13, 1962 in Dallas, Texas, and graduated from its James Madison High School where he lettered in football and baseball. His hobbies include fishing, golfing and reading (favorite books include Malcolm X and Mark Batterson's Chase the Lion). He is married to the former Angela Mayon, and the couple has four grown children: Brett II, Adam, Maya and Olivia. Brett II (Dallas Cowboys) and Adam (Las Vegas Raiders) are both NFL scouts.

AT-A-GLANCE— He has coached in 353 games as a full-time coach, 42 Division I-A (FBS) games (24 with Vanderbilt, 18 with Colorado) and one bowl game (2020 Alamo), and 311 in the National Football League (San Francisco 83, including three postseason; Dallas 66, two postseason; Atlanta 50, two postseason; Tampa Bay 48, Tennessee 32, Carolina 16, Miami 16).



COACHING EXPERIENCE

1998	Carolina (NFL)	Quality Control Defense / Defensive Backs
1999-2001	San Francisco (NFL)	Assistant Defensive Backs
2002-03	San Francisco (NFL)	Defensive Backs
2004-06	Atlanta (NFL)	Defensive Backs
2007	Miami (NFL)	Secondary
2008-11	Dallas (NFL)	Defensive Backs
2012-13	Tennessee (NFL)	Defensive Backs
2014	Vanderbilt	Secondary
2015	Vanderbilt	Cornerbacks
2016-18	Tampa Bay (NFL)	Defensive Backs
2019	IMG Academy	Defensive Coordinator
2020-	Colorado	Safeties
2021-	Colorado	Defensive Passing Game Coordinator/Safeties



CLAY PATTERSON

Tight Ends/Passing Game Coordinator



Clay Patterson was named tight ends coach and passing game coordinator in Jan. 9, 2022, joining Karl Dorrell's Colorado staff from the University of Minnesota.

Patterson, 41, coached the tight ends for the Gophers the past four seasons (2018-21). The last two of those years, he worked under Mike Sanford, who Dorrell named as CU's new offensive coordinator the previous month. He has been a part of winning programs wherever he has coached, as his teams have compiled a 143-69 record in 212 games across three levels of college football.

The versatile Gopher tight ends played a vital role in Minnesota's offense, from robust blocking in the running game to thriving when their number was

Patterson was the offensive coordinator at Texas A&M University-Kingsville for six seasons (2007-12) before heading to Trinity Valley. His Javelina offense broke 28 individual and 17 team passing records, as it claimed a share of the Lone Star Conference championship in 2009 and made two playoff appearances. He had arrived at Kingsville after coaching the receivers for one year (2006) at Tarleton State.

As a player, he was a tight end at Northeastern Oklahoma A&M for the 1999 and 2000 seasons before finishing his career at Southeastern Oklahoma State University, where he played wide receiver the following two seasons and earned his bachelor's degree in Health, Human Performance and Recreation in 2003. He began his coaching career later that year as the Savage Storm's wide receiver coach, where he spent three seasons while earning his master's degree in Education Technology in 2005.

A native of Morris, Okla., he lettered in football and basketball at Morris High School. He is married to the former Ashley Holt.

AT-A-GLANCE—He has coached in 212 games as a full-time coach, 46 Division I-A (FBS) games (all with Minnesota), 131 Division II and 35 junior college. He has coached in four bowl games (2012 Kanza, 2018 Quick Lane, 2020 Outback, 2021 Guaranteed Rate).

called in the passing game.

In 2021, he coached Ko Kieft, who was one of the top-rated tight ends by Pro Football Focus, as he was one of three in the nation that earned 80-plus grades both as a receiver and run-blocker. In 2020, behind the offensive line and UM's bruising tight ends, Mohamed Ibrahim set school records in rushing yards per game (153.7), consecutive 100-yard games (8) and touchdowns in consecutive games (8). In 2019, Minnesota's tight ends excelled under Patterson as they were part of one of the most prolific offenses in school history. The Gophers amassed 5,616 yards of total offense (the school's third-most ever), threw for a school record 3,293 yards and scored their second-most points (443) in the modern era.

During Patterson's time on the Minnesota staff, the Gophers were 30-16 and were undefeated in three bowl games, winning the 2018 Quick Lane over Georgia Tech, the 2020 Outback over Auburn and the 2021 Guaranteed Rate over West Virginia.

Patterson took his first FBS position at Minnesota after serving as the head coach at Northeastern Oklahoma A&M for the 2016 and 2017 seasons, where he led the Norsemen to a 14-8 record. After going 5-5 in his first season, NO A&M went 9-3 and claimed its first Southwest Junior College Football Conference (SWJCFC) title since 2003, along with playing in its first bowl game since 2012. Patterson was named as the conference's coach of the years, as his team was an offensive powerhouse in averaging 524.5 yards per game (253.8 rushing, 270.6 passing) and 36.2 points per game.

He had previously spent three years (2013-15) as the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Trinity Valley Community College in Athens, Texas. He helped coach the team to five SWJCFC championships (three regular season and two playoff crowns), in addition to a pair of Heart of Texas Bowl championships. In 2015, his offense broke the all-time yards per game record at any level of football, averaging an astounding 656.1 yards per game. His 2014 team set two other National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) records for total plays and yards in a single season (938 and 7,778, respectively). In 35 games on the Trinity staff (30-5 record), his offenses scored 50 or more points 23 times (13 60-plus and eight of 70 or more), overall averaging 54 points and 604 yards per game.

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2003-05	Southeastern Oklahoma	Wide Receivers
2006	Tarleton State	Wide Receivers
2007-12	Texas A&M-Kingsville	Assistant Head Coach/ Offensive Coordinator/ Quarterbacks
2013-15	Trinity Valley CC	Offensive Coordinator/ Quarterbacks
2016-17	Northeastern Oklahoma A&M	Head Coach
2018-21	Minnesota	Tight Ends
2022-	Colorado	Passing Game Coordinator/ Tight Ends





ROD CHANCE

Cornerbacks



Rod Chance was named cornerbacks coach at Colorado on Dec. 31, 2021, joining Karl Dorrell's staff from the University of Oregon where he had coached the same position the previous two seasons.

Chance, 37, first crossed paths with Dorrell at Vanderbilt University in 2014, when he was in defensive quality control and Dorrell the Commodores' offensive coordinator.

Chance has coached seven seasons at Power 5 schools in three conferences (Pac-12, SEC and Big Ten) with experience both as a defensive backs coach and a defensive coordinator. He completed two seasons at Oregon under head coach Mario Cristobal, with the Ducks winning the Pac-12 title in 2020

and the league's North Division in 2021. He actually returned to Oregon after spending the 2019 coaching the cornerbacks at Minnesota. He was a defensive analyst for Oregon in 2018.

In his second stint in Eugene, Chance helped the Ducks to their second straight Pac-12 Conference championship and a berth in the 2021 Fiesta Bowl opposite Iowa State. He had the task of coaching the cornerbacks in a secondary that lost three of its starters to opt-outs because of COVID-19, including corner Thomas Graham Jr., a three-year starter. The Ducks were 14-7 in his last two seasons, which also included the Pac-12 North Division title and a berth against Oklahoma in the Alamo Bowl.

Despite the absence of Graham, Chance coached a pair of corners in 2020 that earned All-Pac-12 honors. Mykael Wright, Graham's replacement, claimed first-team recognition from the Associated Press and the league coaches after leading the Pac-12 in passes defended with nine (1.29 per game). Deommodore Lenoir earned second-team honors from both AP and the coaches.

Lenoir joined three other Oregon defensive backs selected in the 2021 NFL Draft. San Francisco selected him in the fifth round, while opt-outs Graham, Jevon Holland and Brady Breeze all were drafted. Chance had coached Graham (Chicago, sixth round) and safeties Holland (Miami, second round) and Breeze (Tennessee, sixth round) during the 2018 season when he was an analyst. That season, Chance brought his defensive coordinator experience to Oregon's staff. The defense continued its steady improvement and helped the Ducks a 9-4 record, capped by a 7-6 win over Michigan State in the Redbox Bowl, the second-fewest points surrendered by Oregon in the school's bowl history.

Oregon's youthful secondary was a big part of the improvement on the defensive side of the ball that year. The Ducks tied for 11th nationally with 17 interceptions (four returned for touchdowns). Oregon was one of two teams that saw four players intercept three or more passes. Seattle selected safety Ugochukwu Amadi in the fourth round of the 2019 draft, thus totaling five players in all that Chance coached who would go on to the NFL.

In his one season at Minnesota, he helped the Gopher defense finish No. 9 nationally against the pass for in 2019. Minnesota finished 11-2, shared the Big Ten's West Division title, defeated Auburn in the Outback Bowl and finished No. 10 in final Associated Press poll, the school's highest finish since 1962. As cornerbacks coach, he saw the Gophers improve from 51st to ninth in passing defense, with much of the credit going to starting cornerback duo of Coney Durr

and Benjamin St-Juste, who both earned honorable mention All-Big Ten honors. His guidance also helped Minnesota's defense finish tied for 10th nationally in passing touchdowns allowed (14), tied for eighth in fewest 20-yard pass plays allowed (30) and tied for 17th with 14 interceptions.

He originally joined Oregon from Southern Utah University, where he was the defensive coordinator for two seasons (20-16-17). In 2017, Chance's defensive unit finished third in the Big Sky Conference in scoring defense and forced 29 turnovers (including 15 interceptions) to help lead SUU to a 9-3 record and the league championship. Over his two seasons in Cedar City, 11 different players earned Big Sky All-Conference honors, including three first-teamers. In 2017, cornerback Jalen Russell was named a Freshman All-American by *Phil Steele's College Football*.

His first coaching opportunity in the collegiate ranks came at Rhode Island, his alma mater, for spring practices in 2013, where he coached and developed the cornerbacks. He had an opportunity to jump from the FCS to the FBS later that year, and joined the Vanderbilt University staff as an offensive quality control analyst for the 2013 season.

He was hired by James Franklin at Vanderbilt, and worked daily with the offensive line and assisted in all on-campus recruiting efforts. After Franklin left for Penn State, Derek Mason took over the program in 2014 and retained Chance but switched him into defensive quality control. At Vandy, he was involved in the daily development of the secondary, with particular emphasis with the cornerbacks. Over his two seasons with the Commodores, he gained invaluable experience in several areas involving the secondary and defense overall.

Chance soon went into teaching after his playing days, first as a long-term substitute at his high school alma mater in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. It is also where he started his road down the coaching profession at Alpharetta (Ga.) High School. Over the course of four seasons there (2009-2012), he was the offensive and defensive coordinator for the football team, while coaching the defensive backs and wide receivers; in addition, he was the head track coach and assistant boys basketball coach. Following the 2012 season, 12 players from Alpharetta signed letters-of-intent with Division I programs, with several joining Power 5 schools. In the classroom, he was a special education teacher in math and science, where he developed lesson plans and implemented individualized education plans.

Chance graduated from the University of Rhode Island with a bachelor's degree in Communication Studies in 2005. He was a four-year starter at cornerback, finishing his career with 108 tackles, 11 interceptions and nine pass deflections. A team captain as a senior in 2005, he was voted URI's Defensive Back of the Year that same season. In his final semester, he worked as an intern in the Ram's media relations office.

A native of Fort Lauderdale, he enjoyed a standout prep career at the city's St. Thomas Aquinas High School, as he lettered in football, basketball and track. He had two summer minority internships with NFL teams, with the Tennessee Titans in 2014 and the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 2018, and was selected to the AFCA "35 Under 35" Coaches Leadership Institute in 2020. Prior to entering the teaching profession, he was the athletic coordinator for the City of Atlanta.

AT-A-GLANCE—He has coached in 107 games as a full-time coach, 84 Division I-A (FBS) games (37 at Vanderbilt, 34 at Oregon and 13 at Minnesota) and 23 FCS games (all with Southern Utah, including one playoff game). He has coached in five bowl games (2013 BBVA Compass, 2018 Redbox, 2020 Outback, 2021 Fiesta, 2021 Alamo).



COACHING EXPERIENCE

2009-12	Alpharetta (Ga.) High School	Defensive Backs/Wide Receivers/Special Teams
2013	Rhode Island	Cornerbacks
2013	Vanderbilt	Quality Control/Offense
2014-15	Vanderbilt	Quality Control/Defense
2016-17	Southern Utah	Defensive Coordinator
2018	Oregon	Defensive Analyst/ Secondary
2019	Minnesota	Cornerbacks
2020-21	Oregon	Cornerbacks
2022-	Colorado	Cornerbacks



GERALD CHATMAN

Defensive Line



Gerald Chatman is in his first season as the defensive line coach at the University of Colorado, as he joined Karl Dorrell's Buffalo staff on March 7, 2022.

Chatman, 34, came to Colorado from Tulane University, where he was named the Green Waves' defensive line coach in January. He had moved southeast some 50 miles from Louisiana State University, where he served as the defensive line analyst for the 2021 season and would have been retained by the Tigers' new head coach, Brian Kelly, had it not been for an opportunity to coach on the field.

Chatman spent the 2019 and 2020 seasons with the National Football League's Cincinnati Bengals as a defensive assistant, where he worked primarily

with the team's defensive ends and outside linebackers. He helped the defensive line improve significantly in quarterback sacks and rushing yards allowed those two seasons that set up Cincinnati's run to the Super Bowl last fall, and while with the Bengals, coached former Buff defensive tackle Josh Tupou among a talented group that included Geno Atkins, Sam Hubbard, Carlos Dunlap and Carl Lawson.

He has worked with three NFL teams as a defensive coaching intern through the Bill Walsh NFL Minority Coaching Fellowship program, which takes place during summer camps. He spent the summer of 2015 as a defensive coaching intern with the Green Bay Packers, where he assisted with both the defensive line and linebacker units. He was also selected to participate in the NFL-NCAA Coaches Academy that season. He spent a portion of the 2016 NFL preseason as a defensive coaching intern with the Super Bowl Champion Denver Broncos, and then in 2018, he had his first position with the Bengals, working OTA's (organized team activities) and camp.

Before his time with the Bengals, Chatman rose through the college coaching ranks. He spent 2017-18 at Tennessee State University, where he worked as the defensive ends and linebackers coach in 2017, and then had special teams coordinator duties added to his chores for the 2018 season. That year, he coached three special teams players to All-Ohio Valley Conference honors, including Chris Rowland, the OVC special teams player of the year (he averaged 13.0 yards per punt return). He also coached end Mekhi Brown to second-team All-OVC honors, after posting 6.5 tackles for losses and four sacks.

In 2017, his first at Tennessee State, he helped guide the Tigers' defense to average yields of just 19.6 points and 278.5 yards per game, good for a No. 7 FCS ranking in total defense. He had moved on to TSU from Elon University, where he was the defensive line coach for the 2016 campaign.

In 2015, Chatman was a graduate assistant at Texas A&M University, where he worked primarily with the defensive line. The Aggies posted an 8-5 record and played in the Music City Bowl, with his coaching assisted defensive end Myles Garrett to All-SEC and All-America honors. That year, he was also selected to participate in the NFL-NCAA Coaches Academy.

Chatman spent the 2014 campaign as the defensive line coach and assistant recruiting coordinator at Butler University. The D-Line played a key role in the Bulldogs leading the Pioneer Football League in rushing defense and being second in sacks in posting a 4-7 record, but with three one-score losses.

He was a defensive graduate assistant at Ball State University for the 2012 and 2013 seasons, with the Cardinals going 19-7 over those two years (13-3 in Mid-American Conference games). BSU earned bowl invitations both seasons (versus UCF in the 2012 Beef O'Brady's and against Arkansas in the 2013 GoDaddy.com; the Cardinal gave the Razorbacks a run for their money in the latter, falling in the final minute, 23-20). He helped oversee the development of Cardinals DE Jonathan Newsome, who earned first-team All-MAC honors and later was selected in the fifth round of the 2014 NFL draft.

Chatman graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh in 2011 with a bachelor's degree in Educational Leadership and Human Service, and earned his master's degree in Adult and Community Education from Ball State in 2013. He earned four letters playing both defensive end and tackle for the Titans from 2006-10, and got his start in coaching at his alma mater, as the defensive line coach for the 2010 and 2011 seasons before moving on to Ball State.

He was born June 18, 1988 in Milwaukee, Wis., and graduated from Brown Deer (Wis.) High School, where he lettered in football. He is married to the former Lauren Hoffmann and the couple has three daughters, Kinley, Amelia and Maya.

AT-A-GLANCE—He has coached in 80 games as a full-time coach, 13 Division I-A (FBS) games (all at LSU), 31 FCS games (20 at Tennessee State, 11 at Elon) and 36 in the NFL (all with Cincinnati). He has coached in one bowl game (2021 Texas).

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2010-11	Wisconsin-Oshkosh	Defensive Line
2012-13	Ball State	Graduate Assistant (Defense)
2014	Butler	Defensive Line / Asst. Recruiting Coordinator
2015	Texas A&M	Graduate Assistant (Defense)
2016	Elon	Defensive Line
2017	Tennessee State	Defensive Backs / Linebackers
2018	Tennessee State	Defensive Backs / Linebackers / Special Teams
2019-20	Cincinnati (NFL)	Defensive Assistant (Line / Outside Linebackers)
2021	Louisiana State	Defensive Analyst (DL)
2022	Tulane	Defensive Line
2022	Colorado	Defensive Line





KYLE DeVAN

Offensive Line



Kyle DeVan, who has offensive line coaching and playing experience both in college and the National Football League, was named offensive line coach by head coach Karl Dorrell on Dec. 21, 2021.

DeVan, 37, comes to Colorado from the University of Michigan, where he was an offensive analyst this fall, working particularly with the offensive line. He helped create weekly game plans for the run game, protection plans in the passing game, and worked with the coaches on game day field adjustments. He will join CU in January following the No.

2 Wolverines run in the College Football Playoff, with UM set to play No. 3 Georgia in a semifinal on New Year's Eve.

At Michigan, he worked closely with co-offensive coordinator and line coach Sherrone Moore. The Wolverines saw all five starting linemen earn some kind of All-Big Ten honors (one first-team, two second-team and two honorable mention), not easy to accomplish in a 14-team league with about 70 players competing for 15 spots. Right tackle Andrew Steuber earned second-team All-American honors, and center Andrew Vastardis was a second-team Academic All-American.

The Michigan line itself was the recipient of the 2021 Joe Moore Award, which is presented to the nation's top offensive line. The Wolverines averaged 451.9 yards and 37.7 points per game on offense during the regular season, while allowing only 10 quarterback sacks – the third-fewest in the nation – and 27 tackles for loss, easily the national low. Their running backs were stopped behind the line of scrimmage for only 40 negative yards as Michigan led the Big Ten and is 10th in the NCAA in rushing (223.8 yards per game).

DeVan had joined the Michigan staff from the University of Arizona, where he coached the offensive line and was the run game coordinator for two seasons under head coach Kevin Sumlin. During his time in Tucson, he was ranked among the conference's top recruiters. The Wildcats were 1-1 against the Buffs when he was on UA's staff, winning a wild 35-30 game in Boulder in 2019 when they had 487 yards on offense and allowed just two tackles for losses.

He had spent the previous three seasons (2016-18) at Ball State, where with the Cardinals he coached the offensive line all three years in addition to serving as an assistant head coach under Mike Neu for the 2017-18 seasons. In his first year there, he developed an offensive line that paved the way for 220 rushing yards per game, the best mark for the Cardinals since 1978. That season Ball State rushed for 300 or more yards three times, including a high of 356 yards against Buffalo. In 2018, six of his linemen excelled in the classroom, earning Academic All-Mid-American Conference honors; on the field, the team set a school single-game total offense record with 652 yards (316 on the ground) in a 42-6 win over Central Connecticut.

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2013	Oregon State	Graduate Assistant / Tight Ends
2014	Southern California	Graduate Assistant / Offensive Line
2015	New Orleans (NFL)	Assistant Offensive Line Coach
2016-18	Ball State	Assistant Head Coach / Offensive Line
2019-20	Arizona	Offensive Line/Run Game Coordinator
2021	Michigan	Offensive Analyst (Offensive Line)
2022-	Colorado	Offensive Line

Prior to Ball State, DeVan spent one season coaching in the NFL where he was an assistant offensive line coach with the New Orleans Saints. He learned under two of the best in the business there in head coach Sean Payton and offensive coordinator Pete Carmichael. New Orleans was 7-9 that year, with five of the losses of the one-score variety, and he was heavily involved in all aspects of the run game and pass protection game planning.

DeVan signed in Oregon State's 2003 recruiting class, and after redshirting as a true freshman, when on to letter four seasons (2004-07), seeing action in 49 games, including starting the last 38 at center. He was a second-team All-Pac 10 selection as a junior in 2006, which was bracketed by honorable mention honors as a sophomore and senior. He was a Rimington Award nominee his junior and senior seasons as a candidate for the nation's top center. The Beavers were 38-24 in his five seasons on the team, and as an active player, he helped lead OSU to bowl victories over Notre Dame (2004 Insight Bowl), Missouri (2006 Sun Bowl) and Maryland (2007 Emerald Bowl). As a senior, the Beavers knocked off No. 2 California as well as rival and No. 18 Oregon – both on the road; OSU had defeated No. 3 USC his junior season. He played in the 2008 East-West Shrine game to polish off his collegiate career.

He earned his bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Oregon State in 2008; the program included an option in Management; he also minored in Communications and was a three-time honorable mention Pac-12 All-Academic team member. After his professional career, he began his coaching career as a graduate assistant in 2013 at his alma mater, working with the tight ends. He once again helped OSU to a bowl victory, as the Beavers bested Boise State in the Hawai'i Bowl. His tight ends combined led all units in the Pac-12, with 91 receptions for 924 yards and 11 touchdowns.

In 2014, he moved on to the University of Southern California, where he was an offensive graduate assistant coach. The Trojans were 9-4 under Steve Sarkisian that season, which was topped off with a 45-42 win over No. 25 Nebraska in the Holiday Bowl. It was at USC working with offensive line coach Tim Drevo where he got his first taste of recruiting offensive line talent nationally.

DeVan signed as an undrafted free agent with the Washington Redskins in 2008, and was then picked up by the New York Jets in training camp, where he would spend 12 weeks on the practice squad and where he was moved from center to guard. He joined the Boise Burn of the arenafootball2 league in the spring of 2009 before landing with the Indianapolis Colts for three seasons (2009-11). He started 25 games at guard for the Colts and was a member of Indy's 2009 AFC champion team. One of the linemen who blocked for NFL most valuable player Peyton Manning, he started at right guard in Super Bowl XLIV against New Orleans (the Saints won, 31-17). He would close out his professional career with the Philadelphia Eagles (2011) and the Tennessee Titans (2012), eventually starting in 30 games overall.

DeVan was born Feb. 10, 1985 in Sacramento, Calif., and graduated from Vacaville (Calif.) High School, where he lettered in football and wrestling; he a two-time all-league performer on both the offensive and defensive lines as well as the California heavyweight champion as a senior. He is married to the former Erin Loveman, and the couple has two children, son Bode Chandler and daughter Lola Rose. He worked as a substitute teacher at Vacaville (math, history and physical education) for a brief time before playing arena football before eventually returning to Indianapolis and the NFL (where stories at the time were penned, "From school teacher to NFL starter.")

AT-A-GLANCE—He has coached in 83 games as a full-time coach, 67 Division I-A (FBS) games (36 at Ball State, 17 at Arizona, 14 at Michigan) and 16 in the NFL (all with New Orleans). He has coached in one bowl game (2022 Orange).



DARIAN HAGAN

Running Backs



Darian Hagan, one of the names synonymous with Colorado's rise to glory in the late 1980s, is in his 18th season overall on the CU football staff, now in the seventh season of his second stint as the school's running back coach, a position he held for five years in the 2000's. He experienced his 250th game as a Buffalo against UCLA in 2018, when counting his time on the staff and as the director of the Alumni C Club.

Hagan, 52, worked five seasons (2006-10) as running backs coach for head coach Dan Hawkins, as he was one of two assistant coaches retained by Hawkins when he was named to the position in December 2005. When Jon Embree was named head coach, he

remained on staff but as the director of player personnel (2011-12), and then shifted into the director of player development role for the Buffaloes (2013-15) on Mike MacIntyre's staff until reassuming coaching duties in 2016. He was retained as running backs coach by both Mel Tucker for 2019 and then by Karl Dorrell ahead of the 2020 season.

In 2020, he knew he had a special back in Jarek Broussard, who would earn Pac-12 Offensive Player of the Year honors with 813 rushing yards in five games (895 including the Alamo Bowl). Coming off two ACL surgeries, Broussard was a recipient of the Mayo Clinic Comeback Player of the Year Award for the season, highlighted by his 301 yards in CU's 24-13 win at Arizona.

He was named an offensive assistant coach on Gary Barnett's staff on February 9, 2005, and worked with the skill position players on offense in the spring and fall in his first year as a full-time collegiate assistant.

A popular coach with his players yet with a stern touch, he was coaching true freshman Rodney Stewart on the way to a 1,000-yard season in 2008 until a season-ending injury at Texas A&M sidelined him in the ninth game of the year. Stewart's 622 yards were the third most by a CU freshman in school history. In 2010, Stewart hit the plateau and then some, rushing for 1,318 yards and in position to threaten many of the school's all-time rushing marks. In 2007, Hagan tutored Hugh Charles to a 1,000-yard year including the Independence Bowl; he went on to have a successful career in the Canadian Football League.

He coached his third thousand-yard rusher for the Buffaloes in 2016, when Phillip Lindsay recorded 1,189 yards in the regular season, the first to reach the mark since Stewart did so six years earlier. When Lindsay rushed for 1,474 yards in 2017, he became the first player in CU history to run for 1,000 or more yards in consecutive seasons. Then in 2018, he coached transfer Travon McMillian to another four-digit season (1,009 yards), just the second time the Buffaloes had three 1,000-yard runners in back-to-back seasons in their history.

Hagan made a difference in his first season (2006) mentoring the running backs, as CU had three 500-plus yard rushers for just the 10th time in its history. He also played a role in the development of quarterback Bernard Jackson, as Hagan's own skills of blending the run and the pass rubbed off on the Buff junior in his first year as a starter.

He had a brief taste of coaching in the spring of 2004 as he subbed as secondary coach when the staff was minus a full-time assistant. Otherwise, he was the defensive technical intern for the '04 season, assuming that role in February of that year. It marked the third time he has made the University of Colorado his destination of choice.

He starred at quarterback for the Buffaloes between 1988 and 1991, leading the school to its first national championship, and following his professional playing career, returned to CU in the mid-1990s to work as the Alumni C Club Director.

Hagan left CU in the spring of 1998 to work as an area sales manager for the Transit Marketing Group. Three months into his new position, he was promoted to Southeast Regional Sales Manager. He remained in that position for over five years until deciding to pursue his dream as a coach and return to his alma mater for the third time. By working as a technical intern, he learned the intricacies

of the profession in a hands-on role in his desire to coach; when a temporary vacancy opened on the staff, he was "activated" as a coach to work with the defensive backs and it added to his penchant for the profession.

Arguably the best all-around athlete in the history of the CU football program, he was an integral part of CU's run at two national championships in 1989 and 1990. The Buffs were 11-1 in 1989, losing to Notre Dame in the Orange Bowl, but went 11-1-1 in 1990 with a win over the Irish in an Orange Bowl rematch to give CU its first national title in football. CU was 28-5-2 with him as the starting quarterback for three seasons, including a 20-0-1 mark in Big Eight Conference games as he led the Buffs to three straight league titles in 1989, 1990 and 1991. His 28-5-2 record as a starter (82.9 winning percentage) is the 37th best in college football history.

In 1989, he became just the sixth player in NCAA history at the time to run and pass for over 1,000 yards in the same season, and finishing as just a sophomore, fifth in the balloting for the Heisman Trophy. He established the school record for total offense with 5,808 yards (broken three years later by Kordell Stewart), and is one of two players ever at CU to amass over 2,000 yards both rushing and passing along with Bobby Anderson. He was a two-time all-Big Eight performer, and the league's offensive player of the year for 1989 when he also was afforded various All-America honors. He still holds several CU records and was the school's male athlete-of-the-year for the 1991-92 academic year.

In 2002, he was a member of the fourth class to be inducted into CU's Athletic Hall of Fame, and his jersey (No. 3) is one of several to have been honored. The Colorado Sports Hall of Fame finally recognized his achievements as well, inducting him into its prestigious group in the Class of 2014.

Hagan played for Toronto, Las Vegas and Edmonton over the course of five seasons in the Canadian Football League, mostly as a defensive back and special teams performer. He returned to CU to earn his diploma just prior to his last professional season, and graduated with a bachelor's degree in sociology in May 1996. He was hired later that year (December 1) as the Alumni C Club Director, a position he held for 16 months until leaving for an incredible opportunity in private business.

In the summer of 2015, he served as an assistant under former CU head coach Dan Hawkins for the champion Team USA in the Federation of American Football (FAF) World Championship in Canton, Ohio.

He was born February 1, 1970 in Lynwood, Calif., and graduated from Los Angeles' Locke High School in 1988, where he lettered in football, basketball, baseball and track. He was drafted in two sports, football (by San Francisco in the fourth round in the 1992 NFL Draft) and baseball (selected as a shortstop by both Seattle and Toronto). He is married to the former Donnah Phipps, and is the father of three sons, Darian, Jr., who played defensive back at California, the late DeV Vaughn (who passed away on December 4, 2010 at the age of 19) and DeMari Lamon (3), along with one daughter, Danielle.

AT-A-GLANCE—He has coached in 142 Division I-A (FBS) games as a full-time coach (all at Colorado), and has coached in four bowl games (2005 Champs Sports, 2007 Independence, 2016 Alamo, 2020 Alamo).



COACHING EXPERIENCE

2005	Colorado	Offensive Assistant
2006-10	Colorado	Running Backs
2016-	Colorado	Running Backs



MARK SMITH

Inside Linebackers



Mark Smith is in his second year as Colorado's inside linebackers coach, officially joining Karl Dorrell's staff on February 5, 2021; a year later, recruiting coordinator duties were added to his position and title.

Smith, 44, came to Boulder from Long Island University (Brooklyn, N.Y.), where he was named the school's defensive coordinator in July 2020. However, the Sharks did not play a fall schedule due to the COVID-19 pandemic (an FCS member, the Northeast Conference deferred to an abbreviated 4-game schedule in the spring).

He joined LIU from the University of Arkansas, where he was the defensive backs coach and the Razorbacks' recruiting coordinator for the 2018 and 2019 seasons under head coach Chad Morris.

He coached several players that matriculated into the National Football League, including Kamren Curl, a seventh round selection in the 2020 NFL Draft by Washington. He also tutored two freshmen backs, Montaric Brown and Jacques McClellion, who would emerge as standout players in the SEC.

As a recruiter, Smith helped land three four-star defensive backs, cornerbacks Greg Brooks and Devin Bush and safety Jalen Catalon. In his first full recruiting cycle as the coordinator, Smith and the Arkansas staff achieved the highest ranked recruiting class (23rd) in program history.

Prior to Arkansas, Smith spent three seasons at Southern Methodist University, where he was an offensive assistant in 2015 and 2016 and a defensive assistant in 2017, all while serving as the Mustang's director of recruiting. He was a part of the staff at SMU that was finally able to overhaul the program from years of frustration and going from a 1-11 squad in 2014 to a bowl-eligible team in three seasons.

He joined SMU from the Texas state high school ranks, as he spent six years at L.D. Bell in the Fort Worth suburb of Hurst (2009-14), the last four seasons as its head coach, in which it earned playoff berths for three straight years. Smith also served as an assistant for four years each at Irving MacArthur (2000-03) and Colleyville Heritage (2004-07) high schools in Texas. He was a member of the Board of Directors for the Texas High School Coaches Association and served as the President of the North Texas Football Coaches Association.

He was also a defensive quality control coach for the University of Oklahoma for the 2008-09 academic year, working particularly with the linebackers. It was at OU where he first worked alongside CU defensive coordinate Chris Wilson. The Sooners were Big 12 champions that year and went on to play in the BCS Championship game (losing to Florida, 24-14).

Smith earned his bachelor's degree in Behavioral Science from Hardin-Simmons University in 2000, where he lettered three years (1997-99) for the Cowboys in football, earning first-team All-American honors as a senior in addition to being named first-team All-American Southwest Conference honors three times. He earned his master's degree in Educational Leadership and Policy Studies from the University of Texas at Arlington in 2004.

He was born January 27, 1978 in Abilene, Texas, and graduated from Abilene's Cooper High School, where he lettered in football, basketball and baseball. His hobbies include fishing. He is married to the former Michelle Gibbs, and the couple has three children, daughters Makenna (17) and Mailey Kay (4) and son Micah (13).

AT-A-GLANCE— He has coached in 73 college games as a full-time coach (37 at SMU, 24 at Arkansas, 12 at Colorado). He has coached in one bowl game (2017 Frisco).



COACHING EXPERIENCE

2000-03	Heritage High School	Assistant Coach
2004-07	MacArthur High School	Defensive Coordinator
2008	Oklahoma	Quality Control / Defense
2009-10	L.D. Bell High School	Defensive Coordinator
2011-14	L.D. Bell High School	Head Coach
2015	SMU	Offensive Assistant
2016-17	SMU	Defensive Assistant
2018-19	Arkansas	Defensive Backs / Recruiting Coordinator
2020	Long Island University	Defensive Coordinator
2021-	Colorado	Inside Linebackers



SHANNON TURLEY

Director of Football Sports Performance



Shannon Turley is in his second year as CU's director of football sports performance as he was named to the position on January 29, 2021. He is the 10th specialist in school history to oversee the area that includes strength, conditioning and performance since it became a full-time position for the Buffaloes in 1982.

Turley, 44, has long been considered as one of the nation's top strength coaches. In 12 years at Stanford under head coaches Jim Harbaugh and David Shaw, the Cardinal won three Pac-12 titles, earning five New Year's Six bowl berths, with 42 players drafted into the NFL, 10 of those going on to earn Pro Bowl status.

Turley is a two-time national strength coach of the year, acknowledged by FootballScoop.com in 2011 and by the National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA) in 2013.

At Stanford, he was renowned for his innovative approach to strength training, which included many more components than just weights and conditioning. Integral parts of his program included sports nutrition education, lifestyle management and sports psychology programming, all of which ensured the optimal physical and mental preparation of Stanford's athletes. He was also responsible for planning meals for the program's training table, travel and game days to guarantee optimal nutrition and hydration. He also collaborated with the sports medicine staff to develop an individualized, sport and position specific, active integration rehabilitation plan to ensure the successful return to competition of all injured players.

It all added up to a creative and comprehensive player development program designed to achieve three primary goals: injury prevention, athletic performance enhancement and mental discipline development.

He accompanied Harbaugh to Stanford from the University of San Diego in 2007 and was the sports performance coach for football his first seven years there; in 2014, he was promoted to the director of sports performance, overseeing all 36 Cardinal varsity programs.

Prior to his time at Stanford, Turley was the director of athletic performance for all 16 sports at the University of San Diego for a year, including the football team for Harbaugh (2006). That had followed five years at the University of Missouri, where was a graduate assistant strength coach his first two years there (2001-02), before being promoted to the assistant director for the remainder of his time there. He also simultaneously logged time in 2001 with the Wichita Wranglers, the Double-A affiliate of the Kansas City Royals.

Prior to joining the CU staff, he was serving as a performance consultant to the XFL, where he advised commissioner Oliver Luck on best practices for performance with philosophy, structure and staffing, as well as counseling on strategies for staff development, training, nutrition and analytics.

A 2000 graduate of Virginia Tech, where he earned his bachelor's in Human Nutrition, Food and Exercise, it was where he first ventured into strength and conditioning, serving as a student assistant working exclusively with the Hokies' Olympic sport programs. He earned his master's from Missouri in Education and Counseling Psychology in 2003.

Turley found his life's calling in a most interesting fashion: as a senior in high school on a Fellowship of Christian Athletes trip to see the defending national champions Florida State play at Wake Forest, they toured the football facilities. That is where he met Scott Swanson, one of Wake's strength and conditioning coaches, and after a brief visit with him, had an immediate interest in the profession. As a freshman at Virginia Tech, he witnessed the Hokies winning 10 games and learned how vital strength and conditioning was to the team's success.

He joined the track team as a walk-on in the fall of 1996 and gained further exposure to the performance program and its coach, Mike Gentry, who was regarded as one of the best coaches in the profession. Gentry led an elite player development system for the football team and gave him the opportunity to serve in his program working with the Olympic sports under Jay Johnson. He credits their mentoring and support to launch my career, and from their tutelage, also drew a lot of his own philosophies.

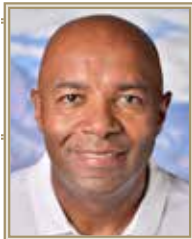
A native of Bluefield, W.V., he graduated from Bluefield High School where he lettered in football and track and field. His hobbies include spending time with his family, playing, training, learning, traveling, exploring and seeking outdoor adventures. He is married to the former Brittany Epperson, and the couple has three children, two daughters and a son. He had an interesting take on getting involved in sports: "My first experience playing organized sports was soccer during first grade and with my best friends on the team. We finished an undefeated season as county champions and I have been chasing the feeling ever since."

Former Denver Bronco head coach Vic Fangio was Stanford's defensive coordinator in 2010 and gave a ringing endorsement of Turley. "During my season at Stanford, I gained a lot of respect for Shannon's ability as a strength and conditioning coach," Fangio said. "He's a knowledgeable, highly regarded coach who gets the best out of players. I'm happy for Shannon and believe he will be successful at the University of Colorado."





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LANCE CARL
Director of Player Development
& Alumni Relations

Lance Carl, who participated in one of the key plays on the football field as a player for the University of Colorado in the mid-1980s, returned to his alma mater for the fourth time in his career when he was named associate athletic director for business development and the sports supervisor for the football program on November 5, 2013.

In the summer of 2021, he shifted into the newly created role of director of player development and alumni relations for the football program, two years after he transitioned into the associate AD for football, where he had daily interactions with head coaches Mel Tucker and Karl Dorrell, the assistant coaches, support personnel and the student-athletes.

Carl, 56, remains CU's liaison to the National Football League and its member teams with scouts and personnel staff, having worked as a scout in the late 1990s himself. In addition, he has long been active and on the board of directors with Buffs4Life, an organization of former CU athletes that help former Buffs in need. Thus his new title fits perfectly with some of what he has been coordinating since he rejoined the program in 2013.

In his new role, he immediately created the S2S (shoulder-to-shoulder) mentoring program, matching freshmen and redshirt freshmen student-athletes with local and national local football alumni. This unique undertaking has been developed, among several reasons, but most notably to provide guidance, direction, support and increased access to opportunities beyond the playing field, to improve the transition experience for the younger Buffs and introduces and establishes a deeper connection to the tradition and history of CU football.

He spent five years in his initial role, one that largely encompassed business development, community partnerships and served as the coordinator for non-game day events. His duties included working to build strategic community partnerships, improve the department's engagement with local community entities and work to attract non-game day event business to CU's athletic facilities. He has developed over two dozen key partnerships to date, as he is working to change the image and perception about athletics and its interactions in the business world. He also was the point-person working with AEG Rocky Mountain to bring the first concerts to Folsom Field in 15 years when Dead & Company played the stadium in July 2016 (and who has since returned for three additional shows).

In 2015, Carl implemented Training Day with the Buffs, a partnership between the CU football team and the Boulder and CU police departments. The program's goal is to break down barriers, improve communication and build bonds between the two groups. He also serves as the athletic department representative on the board of directors for the YMCA of Northern Colorado, as well as serving on the board of "A Precious Child," a non-profit based in Broomfield (the organization provides sports equipment, educational materials and backpacks for youth in the Boulder-Denver metro area).

He returned to CU after spending the six years (2007-13) with the Colorado Department of Higher Education, where he was a director for student motivational outreach. He was a direct liaison to all middle and high schools throughout the state, as well as for parents and administrators. He developed the Umbrella of Success motivational presentation and delivered that message to 160,000 students, parents and administrators during that time.

As a junior split end in 1986, he led the team in receiving with nine catches for 171 yards and two touchdowns, as with the Buffaloes in their second year of running the wishbone offense under coach Bill McCartney, Colorado didn't throw the ball very often.

But one of those scores was as big as they come, a 52-yard reception from O.C. Oliver on a perfectly executed halfback option that answered a Nebraska touchdown put CU back up by two scores (17-7) on the first play of the fourth quarter. That helped keep the third-ranked Huskers at an arm's length and the Buffaloes went on to win, 20-10, in a game referred to as "the turning point" for the school under McCartney.

He graduated from CU in 1991 with a Bachelor's of Arts degree in Sociology; he had first returned to CU to finish his degree after signing as a free agent with the Washington Redskins and returning to his native Iowa.

Carl then came back to CU as a graduate assistant coach under Rick Neuheisel for the 1996 season. He also spent four years as a regional scout for the Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League.

He was born September 13, 1965 in Burlington, Iowa, and graduated from Fort Madison (Iowa) High School, where he was a four-sport letterman (12 letters total) in football, basketball, baseball and track. His hobbies include coaching his kid's sports teams, golf, hiking and mountain biking; he was an assistant coach of the North Boulder Wildcats team that reached the Little League World Series in 2015. He is married to the former Jennifer Mysonhimer, also a CU graduate; she worked as a teaching assistant on campus and in the Herbst Academic Center when Carl was a graduate assistant. The couple has three children, grown sons Savoy and Jackson, and a pre-teen daughter, Alana.



BRYAN MCGINNIS
Director of Football Operations

Bryan McGinnis is in his 10th year as the director of football operations at the University of Colorado, originally joining then-head coach Mike MacIntyre's new Buffalo staff on January 2, 2013. When Mel Tucker and Karl Dorrell retained him in the same role following MacIntyre, he became the first to serve two head coaches (and now three) as their operations director at CU since the position was created in 1988.

In his position, in which he has now served the longest-ever at Colorado (by some four years), he coordinates many facets for the football program, including team travel arrangements, itineraries and scheduling.

McGinnis, 41, had served in the same capacity under MacIntyre for two seasons at San Jose State University, and thus accepted the invitation to follow him to Boulder. A life-long resident of the San Francisco Bay area, his time in Colorado has marked the first time he has ever lived outside of northern California.

Prior to being promoted to being in charge of San Jose State's football operations, he spent six years on the Spartans' coaching staff, working a variety of positions as an operations assistant in recruiting, equipment and video services. He also was a student assistant working with the defense, the linebackers in particular, the 2005 through 2007 seasons, and then switched sides, working as a graduate assistant on offense (running backs) for the 2008 and 2010 season; in-between, in 2009 he was the staff's operations assistant.

At San Jose, he was on the staffs of two teams that earned bowl invitations: the Spartans defeated New Mexico, 20-12, in the 2006 New Mexico Bowl (their first bowl since 1990) and beat Bowling Green, 29-20, in the 2012 Military Bowl. Those are the only two bowl games SJSU has ever played outside the state of California.

McGinnis played wide receiver for two years (2000-01) at Cabrillo College in Aptos, and then got into coaching, beginning his career at his alma mater, Harbor High School, where he spent two years as the school's offensive coordinator and wide receivers coach. In 2003, he joined the San Francisco 49ers staff as an intern in the player personnel department.

He then returned to school to finish his degree, graduating from San Jose State with Bachelor's in Kinesiology in 2007. While working with football, he took several graduate courses in Hospitality, Tourism and Recreation Management.

He was born June 22, 1981 in Santa Cruz, Calif., and graduated from its Harbor High School where he lettered in football and track. He is a certified speed training coach by SAC (Speed, Agility & Conditioning USA/Canada). He is married to the former Vrinda Murphy, who is a behavior therapist for children with autism; the couple has two daughters, Emily Margaret (8) and Maddalene Grace (5) and one son, Jacob Thomas (3).



BOB LOPEZ
General Manager

Bob Lopez, a veteran sports administrator and football coach, joined the Colorado football staff as the director of player personnel on February 28, 2020, one of the first hires by new CU head coach Karl Dorrell which reunited the pair from their time together at UCLA. On July 1, 2021, he was promoted to the newly created position of general manager.

In this relatively new position in college football, the role includes supporting the head coach and program overall in areas of strategic planning, hiring, oversight, management and relationship building. It also encompasses supervision of the player personnel and creative services staff while overseeing recruiting functions, including scouting, communications and on-campus recruiting.

Lopez, 67, has enjoyed a professional career that has spanned over 40 years and includes significant football coaching experience. On the administrative side, he has been an athletic director, a head coach, a director of football operations, coordinated student-athlete services, enrollment and admissions, and has worked on several levels of college administration with 16 different sports overall during his career.

He was the director of football operations for five-plus years at UCLA (2003-08), where Dorrell had hired him to be on his first staff as a head coach. The two also were together on the Northern Arizona staff in 1990-91.

Lopez came to CU from the University of Delaware, where he was the associate athletic director for sport administration and student services



since November 2017. He was heavily involved in all sports throughout the Blue Hens athletic department, including team planning and operations, student-athlete engagement, as well as working closely with the school's fledgling BLUE initiative (Building Leaders Utilizing Education), a four-year educational leadership program that focused on student health & wellness, personal success, community engagement, diversity and inclusion and career preparation.

He spent the previous six-plus years at the University of Michigan, joining the Wolverines' staff in January 2011 as the director of football operations. He then served as the assistant athletic director for football from May 2013 through December 2014, which overlapped with sports administrator duties from June 2014 until he accepted the Delaware position. In his final role at UM, he worked directly with several sports, including men's and women's cross country and track & field, men's basketball, women's field hockey, men's gymnastics, and men's and women's tennis. Prior to working at Michigan, he was the director of football operations at San Diego State for three years (2008-11).

Lopez has crossed paths with CU a few times in his career, last while he was at Michigan when the Wolverines rallied for a 45-28 win over the Buffaloes in 2016. His first game as the ops director at UCLA in 2003 was in Boulder, a game CU rallied to win, 16-14. He has been involved in bowl game preparations for nine games, five at UCLA (2003 Silicon Valley, 2004 Las Vegas, 2005 Sun, 2006 Emerald, 2007 Las Vegas), one at San Diego State (2010 Poinsettia) and three at Michigan (2012 Sugar, 2013 Outback, 2013 Buffalo Wild Wings).

He spent 12 years coaching football at the college and high school levels, including stops as the head coach at Fort Scott (Kan.) Community College (1983-87) and assistant roles at Arizona Western College (1981-83) and Northern Arizona University (1987-91). He also served as Fort Scott's athletic director almost the entire time he was also the football coach for the Greyhounds, and was also NAU's recruiting coordinator during his time in Flagstaff.

His first job in coaching was a football assistant at the Loyola Academy (Wilmette, Ill.) a private school just north of Chicago's downtown. He was also a language arts teacher at the school, where he worked two for two years (1979-81). At various times, he also worked in the admissions fields at Northern Arizona, Peru State College and University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire before permanently staying in the field of athletics.

Lopez lettered four years at quarterback at Illinois State University (1973-76), where he was team's most valuable player as a senior under coach Gerry Hart. A team captain as a junior and senior, he set the school record at the time for season passing yards his senior year. The Redbirds competed on the Division I-AA level, now known as the FCS.

He earned his bachelor's degree in Health and Physical Education from Illinois State in 1977, where he also received his Master's in Educational Administration in 1979.

Lopez was born March 19, 1955 in Tacoma, Wash., but his family moved to Illinois when he was a youngster; he graduated from Mendel Catholic Prep (Chicago, Ill.), where he lettered in football and basketball. One of his favorite hobbies is playing golf. He is married to the former Nancy Leek (a retired teacher) and is father of two adult sons, Tyler and Daniel; they have five grandchildren.

over 15 NFL football players to the pooling platform and assisted in the company's growth through Series A funding. He is certified in Operational Excellence (LEAN)/Six Sigma.

Dorrell graduated from Vanderbilt University in 2017 with a bachelor's degree in Economics. He lettered three years at wide receiver playing for coach Derek Mason, and was the team's fifth-leading receiver as a sophomore (10 catches for 118 yards). He began his collegiate career at Stanford University, where as a true freshman, he was a member of the Cardinal team that played Michigan State in the 100th Rose Bowl game (January 1, 2014).

The fall after he graduated from Vanderbilt, he was a volunteer video and operations assistant for the Commodores, as he assisted in logistics surrounding summer prospect camps, helped make video cutups alongside the graduate assistants for the position coaches.

He was born March 26, 1995 in Louisville, Colo., and graduated from St. Thomas Aquinas High School (Fort Lauderdale, Fla.), where he lettered in football (his position coach was Pro Football Hall of Famer Cris Carter, and he was teammates with the Bosa brothers (Joey and Nick) among numerous teammates who eventually made it to the NFL). His hobbies include playing golf (an accomplished player with a 6 handicap), basketball, snowboarding and anything outdoors. His father, Karl, is the head coach of the Buffaloes, his third tour of duty with the school; he had a long career as an NFL assistant; his younger sister, Lauren was a member of CU's volleyball team for three years. In high school, he was selected as the Junior Orange Bowl Scholar Athlete of the Year as a senior (presented to the player with the highest grade point average of each of the Florida state football championship teams).



ANDY WANG

Assistant Director of Player Personnel

Andy Wang is in his fourth year on the University of Colorado football staff, his second as the assistant director of player personnel as he was promoted to the position on July 1, 2021. In his current role, he oversees scouting, on-campus visits and recruiting while coordinating overall recruiting strategies as well

as roster management.

Wang, 28, joined the staff as a recruiting assistant full-time on July 1, 2020, where his primary duties were assisting the defensive coaches in recruiting, as well as assisting in managing graphics and social media. He was an intern in the football office for the 2019 season.

He came to Colorado from Miami (Ohio) University, where he was an intern with the RedHawks' football program through May 2019, simultaneous when he was in graduate school at nearby Xavier University. He also spent a year as a financial advisor.

Wang graduated from the University of Kentucky in 2017 with bachelor degrees in Business Administration and Business & Economics, as his fields of study included Economics, Business Management, Marketing and International Business. He earned his Master's of Education in Sports Administration from Xavier University in 2019.

He was born August 29, 1994 in Dalian, China, and graduated from duPont Manual High School in Louisville, Ky. His hobbies include spending time with his dogs, Kilo (an American Bulldog) and Clementine (a Doberman) and loves all animals. He has lived on three different continents (Asia, Europe and North America) and speaks three languages (English, Mandarin and Portuguese).



MICHAEL DOWNING

Quality Control/Defense

Michael Downing is in his first year as a quality control specialist for the defense, assisting specifically with the secondary, joining Karl Dorrell's staff on February 23, 2022.

Downing, 27, came to CU from his alma mater, Texas Christian University, where he was a defensive graduate assistant. He had the distinction of being the first player hired by TCU head coach Gary Patterson immediately following his playing career. His first year on the staff, the Horned Frogs defeated California in overtime, 10-7, in the Cheez-It Bowl. TCU was to play Arkansas in the 2019 Texas Bowl, but it was cancelled due to COVID.

Downing earned two degrees from TCU, his bachelor's in Marketing in 2017 and his master's in Liberal Arts in 2021. He lettered three times at safety playing under Patterson for the Horned Frogs. He led the Big 12 Conference in special team tackles in 2016 (13) and had one career interception. In his four years on the roster, TCU was 40-13 overall; he had started his career at TCU as a



CHANDLER DORRELL

Director of Player Personnel

Chandler Dorrell is in his second year as the director of player personnel, having been promoted to the position on July 1, 2021. He had joined his father's inaugural staff as the assistant director on February 27, 2020.

In his role, he coordinates and leads all aspects of football recruiting, including the hiring and development of the player personnel staff, prospect discovery and evaluation, as well as driving the creative approach to the on-campus and off-campus recruitment of football prospects. He also works closely with the general manager and director of operations with all administrative aspects of recruiting.

Dorrell, 27, returned to the state in which he was born from the Miami Dolphins, where he spent the 2019 season as a volunteer assistant. In that role, he was involved in roster organization and internal team matters, assisted in practice with the wide receivers, along with handling any administrative matters needed for coaches with team, staff, and position meetings.

He was also a volunteer assistant with the New York Jets for the 2018 season, where he learned basics of contract negotiations in the NFL with the team's business office. He also assisted with the receivers in practice and handled several administrative matters for the coaches and staff.

Over the course of 2018-19, he was a football consultant with Pando Pooling, based in San Francisco. Pando is a financial services startup focused on helping athletes mitigate the risk of their careers by partnering with other athletes through income pooling. He joined the company after Seed Round, signed



walk-on but would earn a scholarship before his redshirt junior year. TCU went bowling every year, defeating Mississippi in the '14 Peach Bowl, Oregon in the '15 Alamo Bowl (winning 47-41 in three overtimes after trailing 31-0 at halftime), and Stanford in the '17 Alamo; the Frogs lost to Georgia in the '16 Liberty.

He was born October 23, 1994 in Atlanta, Ga., and graduated from Alpharetta (Ga.) High School, where he lettered in football and track and field and also played baseball; he played for CU assistant coach Rod Chance as a prep. His hobbies include playing golf (nearly a scratch golfer).



BRANDON GIBSON

Quality Control/Offense

Brandon Gibson is in his first year as a quality control specialist for the offense, assisting specifically with the wide receivers, joining Karl Dorrell's staff on February 2022.

Gibson, 35, came to Colorado from Kentwood (Wash.) High School, where he was the offensive coordinator for the 2020 and 2021 seasons. Previously, he was an assistant coach at Central Washington University, where he coached the wide receivers for three seasons (2017-19).

The Wildcats were the Great Northwest Athletic Conference (GNAC) champions in 2017 and co-champions in 2018; CWU was 26-8 in his three seasons there and had a prolific offense: averaging 42.8 points (scoring 40 or more points 20 times and 50 or more on 12 occasion), and averaging 502.4 yards on offense (260.2 passing) in the 34 games with him on staff.

Still one of Washington State University's all-time leading receivers (he was the all-time leader at the conclusion of his playing career), in his four-year career (2005-08) he caught 182 passes for 2,756 yards (15.1 per) with 17 touchdowns. In the 2007 Apple Cup, he caught a 35-yard TD pass with 31 seconds remaining as WSU defeated Washington, 42-35; he had six catches for 137 yards and two scores that game that cemented him into Cougar lore. That was also his best year statistically, catching 67 balls for 1,180 yards with nine touchdowns in earning first-team All-Pacific 10 Conference honors (along with third-team All-American accolades). He also returned 14 punts in his career for an 18.5 average.

Gibson was selected in the sixth round (194th player overall) by Philadelphia in the 2009 NFL Draft. In six seasons in the league, he appeared in 76 regular season games with three teams (Philadelphia, St. Louis and Miami), catching 233 passes for 2,711 yards (11.6 per), with 13 touchdowns and earning 159 first downs.

He finished up his degree after his professional playing days in 2019, earning a bachelor's in Social Sciences with an emphasis in History for Washington State while he was coaching at CWU.

He was born August 13, 1987 in Landstuhl, Germany; he graduated from John R. Rogers High School in Puyallup, Wash., where he lettered in football, basketball and track. His hobbies include Marvel Comic books, playing basketball and is an avid sneaker collector. An uncle, Vaughn Williams, graduated from Denver's George Washington High School, played defensive back collegiately at Stanford and in the NFL for the San Francisco 49ers and Indianapolis Colts. He is married to the former Shaina Lawson and the couple has a boy, Isaiah Aaron.



NICK GILBERT

Quality Control/Offense

Nick Gilbert is in his first year as a quality control specialist for the offense, assisting specifically with the offensive line, joining Karl Dorrell's staff on February 23, 2022.

Gilbert, 33, came to Colorado from a second stint at the University of Idaho, where he was the Vandals' offensive line coach for the 2021 season. Idaho had a solid running game, averaging 171 yards per in ranking 31st among 123 FCS schools and set a school record with seven rushing touchdowns in a single game. The season prior (2020), he was at the University of Memphis for a second time, this as the offensive quality control analyst, where he worked with the running backs and tight ends. He played an active role in scouting and recruiting and helped manage the team of graduate assistants.

Gilbert earned bachelor's degree in Homeland Security in 2012 from Tiffin (Ohio) University, where he was a three-year letterman playing on the Dragons' offensive line. He started his collegiate career at Erie Community College.

He began his coaching career at Division III Heidelberg University as a volunteer coaching the outside linebackers. He then moved on to Idaho under

its first year coach, Paul Petrino, where he was a graduate assistant working with the offensive line for three seasons (2013-15). He got his first real taste of what aspects go into coaching, helping to coordinate practice and create offensive installs, playbooks and cut-ups. At Idaho, he earned his master's degree in Education in 2016.

For the 2016 season, he was a graduate assistant at Memphis, and the same at Louisville in 2017 and 2018, both times again working with the offensive line. During his tenure at Memphis, the Tigers finished the 2016 season ranked first in total offense (464.7 yards per game) and second in passing (298.8 ypg) in the American Athletic Conference (AAC). He worked with a potent offense at Louisville as the Cardinals ranked first in the Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) in total offense (544.9 yards, which was third in the nation) passing yards (299.8) and scoring (38.1 ppg) in 2017.

He worked for "another" CU in 2019, as he was the offensive line coach for Concord University (Athens, West Va.). In his time at both Idaho and Louisville, Gilbert helped mentor current NFL offensive linemen Jesse Davis (Miami Dolphins) and Geron Christian (Washington Redskins), who was also a third-round pick of Washington.

He was born May 8, 1989 in Syracuse, N.Y., and graduated from Onondaga (N.Y.) Junior/Senior High School where he lettered in football, basketball and lacrosse. His hobbies include golfing and fishing. An uncle, Joe Gilbert, is the offensive line coach for the NFL's Tampa Bay Buccaneers and was on the staff for the team's Super Bowl LV win over Kansas City. High school teammates included Mike Hart (running backs coach at Michigan) and Latavius Murray (Baltimore Ravens running back).



JEFF SMART

Quality Control/Defense

Jeff Smart has returned to his alma mater as a quality control specialist for the defense primarily working with the inside linebackers, as he is in his second year in the role after being hired on June 14, 2021.

Smart, 35, joined the Colorado staff from the University of Missouri, where he was a quality control analyst for the defense for the 2020 season when the Tigers posted a 5-5 record but had their Music City Bowl date against Iowa canceled due to the COVID pandemic. He was an defensive coaching assistant for Boise State in 2019, his first full-time position in the Football Bowl Subdivision. The Broncos were the Mountain West champions, defeating Hawai'i in the league's title game, and finished 12-2 after a loss to Washington in the Las Vegas Bowl.

He served the four previous seasons (2015-18) at the University of Pennsylvania, coaching the Quaker outside linebackers and was part of two Ivy League champion teams (tri-champs in '15 and co-titlists in '16). In 2016, he coached freshman Connor Jangro to All-Ivy League honors, Penn's first freshman to earn All-Ivy distinction since 2009.

In his first season with the Quakers, he helped coach a defense which was second in the Ivy League and No. 8 among FCS programs in turnover margin in 2015 (+1.0), while the Red and Blue also led the league and were 13th nationally in quarterback sacks per game (2.9).

Smart's outside linebackers were a big part of the championship, as they were led by Tyler Drake, the 2015 Ivy League Defensive Player of the Year and third-team All-American. Penn was 2-8 the year before he arrived there, but the Quaker had four winning seasons in as many years Smart was on staff, as Columbia was 26-14 during his career there.

Prior to Penn, Smart served as Columbia University's assistant director of strength and conditioning (July 2013 to January 2014), before being promoted to inside linebackers coach for the 2014 season. He got his start at CU, as he was the defensive graduate assistant for his college position coach, Brian Cabral. He assisted Cabral with the linebackers along with general overall duties with the defense.

Smart graduated from CU in 2009 with a bachelor's degree in Sociology, and earned his Masters of Education from the school in 2013. He joined the football team as a walk-on inside linebacker in August of 2005, was awarded a scholarship three weeks into the 2007 season and was named a team captain as a senior, when he was coming off second-team All-Big 12 honors his junior season (he would be named honorable mention his senior year). He won the Dave Jones Award his senior year, as his peers selected him as the most valuable defensive player in 2009.

A first-team NFF All-Colorado performer his junior and senior seasons, he finished his career ranked 18th all-time in overall tackles (291) and 13th in solo stops (188). In starting 33 of 39 career games and playing 2,003 snaps from scrimmage, he also had 12 tackles for loss (including three-and-a-half quarterback sacks), 24 third down stops, 12 passes broken up, five fumble recoveries and an interception. In 2008, he became just the third former walk-on in school history to lead the team in tackles (the first since Ryan Sutter in 1997), racking up 118 total (80 solo).

He was born November 22, 1986 in Boulder, and graduated from Boulder High School where he lettered in football and track. His hobbies include cycling, hiking and backpacking.



CHRIS REINERT

Quality Control/Special Teams

Christopher Reinert is in his third year in quality control for the special teams on the Colorado staff, having joined new head coach Karl Dorrell's team on March 9, 2020. Originally a quality control analyst, his title was changed to director of quality control for special teams in February 2021.

Reinert, 36, came to Colorado from Arizona State University, where he served as the special teams analyst for head coach Herm Edwards and coordinator Shawn Slocum for the 2019 season. He has overseen CU's entire special teams operation, which was one of the team's bright spots in 2021. The combined units were nationally ranked by both ESPN (third) and Pro Football Focus (PFF, fifth). The four units were all ranked in the top four of the Pac-12: kickoff return (28.7 avg., second); punt return (14.4 avg., third), net kickoff (40.32, fourth) and net punting (40.3, fourth). The kickoff and punt return units were also ranked fifth and ninth, respectively, in the nation.

In addition, freshman Cole Becker made 39-of-45 placekicks and a conference-best three field goals of 50 yards or longer as PFF named him its first-team All-Pac-12 kicker. Josh Watts was sixth nationally in gross punting average (47.8), Brenden Rice was 14th nationally in kickoff return average (27.6) and Trevor Woods was the Pac-12 Special Teams Player of the Week for the Arizona game when he returned a blocked punt for a touchdown.

In Reinert's first year on the CU staff, the punt return unit was ninth nationally (15.6 avg.), with Jaylon Jackson named second-team All-Pac-12 for a special teams performer other than a kicker/returner. In two seasons with Reinert, the Buffaloes have three blocked kicks and three return scores, including the 12th 100-yard play in school history when Nikko Reed returned a kickoff that distance at Utah in 2021.

At Arizona State, three special teams performers, receiver/returner Brandon Aiyuk, punter Michael Turk and contributor Case Hatch, earned postseason honors. Aiyuk, a first round selection by the San Francisco 49ers in the 2020 National Football League draft, finished third in the nation in both kickoff and punt return averages and was a second-team All-American (first-team All-Pac-12). ASU defeated Florida State in the Sun Bowl to cap an 8-5 season.

Prior to joining the Arizona State staff, he was the wide receivers coach and special teams coordinator for the Arizona Hotshots in the inaugural season of the AAF (Alliance of American Football League). He joined coach Rick Neuheisel's staff in 2018 in preparation for the 2019 season; he had coached with Neuheisel at UCLA seven years earlier. The Hotshots opened with a 5-3 record and was leading the Western Conference when the league suspended operations in early April.

In 2016, Reinert had a second stint at UCLA, working as a special teams analyst for the 2016 and 2017 seasons, and toward the end of 2017, was promoted to the Bruins' special teams coordinator. That year, the Bruins earned a bid to the Cactus Bowl against Kansas State. That followed two seasons as a defensive graduate assistant at Washington State University under head coach Mike Leach, where he was on the defensive staff working with the defensive backs and special teams in 2014 and then switched to the offensive side of the ball for 2015, where he worked with the quarterbacks and helped tutor All-Pac-12 quarterback Luke Falk. He also assisted Leach in game planning as he gained additional responsibilities as the special assistant to the head coach, with the Cougars leading the nation in passing and red zone offense and would go on to beat Miami (Fla.) in the Sun Bowl.

He graduated with a bachelor's degree in Economics in 2009 from Vanderbilt University. He lettered four times at wide receiver for the Commodores (2005-09) under coach Bobby Johnson. He was a five-time member of the Academic All-Southeastern Conference team, and was Vanderbilt's Football Dedication Award winner as a senior (the school's most prestigious honor), when he was the SEC's special teams player of the week against Georgia. He was the team's holder that season, returning from a leg fracture that cut his junior season short after two games. He was a member of Vanderbilt's Music City Bowl champion team (a 16-14 win over Boston College), the school's first bowl game since 1982.

Reinert returned to where he grew up in southern California for his first job after graduation, serving as the defensive backs coach at Harvard-Westlake High School in Studio City for the 2010 season. He then joined Neuheisel's staff at UCLA for the 2011 season, working that year as a defensive intern for the Bruins, who would win the first Pac-12 Conference South Division title after the league expanded. Jim Mora, Jr., was named head coach ahead of the 2012 season, and retained Reinert as a graduate assistant for the defense for the 2012-13 seasons. In 2013, he was part of a Bruin staff that produced a defense that finished among the top three in the Pac-12 in pass defense, passing touchdowns allowed and third down defense. As a member of the UCLA staff, he coached in three bowl games: 2011 Kraft Fight Hunger (vs. Illinois), 2012 Holiday (vs. Baylor) and 2013 Sun (vs. Virginia Tech).

He was born November 9, 1985 in Sarasota, Fla., and graduated from Servite High School (Anaheim, Calif.) where he lettered in football and track and field. His hobbies include golf, skiing and fishing. He is married to the former Emily Tyson, an instructor, trainer and development Jazzercise specialist. An older brother, Matthew, was a wide receiver at the University of Pennsylvania; a younger sister, Rachel Reinert, is a country music artist; a former member of the band Gloriana, in March 2020 she released her first solo album, *Into The Blue*.



JAMIE GUY

Director of Football Video

Jamie Guy is in his 19th year as CU's director of football video and his 20th year overall on the Colorado staff, as he joined the department in August 2001. He was promoted to director of sports video over all sports in the fall of 2004 after working just over three years as the assistant director. He now

mainly coordinates football needs but on occasion helps out with some of CU's other varsity programs.

Guy, 47, came to CU from the Chicago Enforcers of the now-defunct XFL, where he worked the lone season of the league's existence.

In CU's first year in the Pac-12 Conference (2011-12), he was named the Pac-12 Video Coordinator of the Year as selected by a majority vote of his peers. He was twice selected as the video coordinator of the year in the Big 12 Conference, first in 2005-06 and again in 2009-10. The awards are coordinated and voted by members of the Collegiate Sports Video Association; members of each conference select the winner for their respective leagues, and the recipients are placed on the national ballot for the overall CSVA award, the Bob Matey National Video Coordinator of the Year.

As talented as there is in the profession, Guy has coordinated the production of several video shorts showcasing in particular, the CU football program. Along with his former assistant John Snelson, the two were been honored twice with Heartland Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences (NATA) Emmy awards, first in 2014 for their work called "Seasons," the story of a dream and the lifetime experience of being a Colorado Buffalo, and then again for 2015 for the series entitled, "Forward." The duo was also nominated in 2015 for their "Forever" video, his personal favorite because of the time, execution and passion that went into creating it (an all-encompassing look at what it means to be a Colorado Buffalo, on and off the field, as well as in 2016 for "The Rise," which documented CU's first Pac-12 South Division title and return to the postseason. "Forever" did win the 2015 FootballScoop FBS Video of the Year honor. In 2020, another production, "The Light Shines On," was one of five nominations for a Heartland Emmy.

Guy graduated from the University of Cincinnati in 1998 with a bachelor's degree in general studies. As a student, he worked in the Bearcats' sports video office for four years. Prior to entering the sports video profession, he worked as an electrician's apprentice and as a staff manager at Fitworks Fitness.

A native of Cincinnati, Ohio, he graduated from Lawrence Central High School (Indianapolis, Ind.) in 1994, where he lettered in track and football. His hobbies include collecting football memorabilia and playing the guitar. He is married to the former Kimberly Ernst. He was the recipient of the Alumni C Club's "Honorary C" award in 2019 for his dedication to the department.



JOHN SNELSON

Creative Services Manager

John Snelson returned to his alma mater for a second stint in the athletic department, as he began his new role as creative services manager for the football program on July 20, 2021.

Snelson, 33, left CU in 2017 to start his own company, Snelson Films, where he served as a director, cinematographer, editor and producer for multiple projects and series, including features and documentaries. In 2019, he was named creative director for Second Wind Creative, which is based in Lawrence, Kan., but he was able to work out of Denver. He was the director of photography, post-production manager, editor, and producer on multiple television and web projects ranging from feature-length documentary to short TV features. He worked directly with television network clients focusing on development, production, post-production of non-fiction documentaries, series, features and branded content.



He returned to CU from Second Wind Creative, where some of his projects appeared on ESPN, FOX and the NFL Network and well as working with the UFC.

He had previously worked six years as the assistant director of sports video for CU athletics (2011-14) and then as football's video production manager (2014-17). In his first time employed full-time by the department, he worked on video projects for the athletic department, including several award-winning productions that earned national acclaim, the most prominent being "The Rise," a documentary on CU's football resurgence in 2016. It aired nationally on the Pac-12 Network.

He originally joined the Colorado staff in 2010 as a student assistant in video and football operations, and he held the position until he graduated from the university in 2011. He has a bachelor's degree in Economics with a business emphasis from CU.

Along with his supervisor, Jamie Guy, the two were honored twice with Heartland Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences (NATA) Emmy awards, the first in 2014 for their work called "Seasons," the story of a dream and the lifetime experience of being a Colorado Buffalo, and then again for 2015 for the series entitled, "Forward." The duo was also nominated in 2015 for their "Forever" video, which was an all-encompassing look at what it means to be a Colorado Buffalo, on and off the field. "Forever" did win the 2015 FootballScoop FBS Video of the Year honor.

Prior to being hired full-time by CU, he was in coach support in Lincoln, Neb., for a technology company known as Hudl, a computer program the Buffs and many college use for video and in recruiting.

Born January 21, 1989 in Dallas, Texas, he graduated from Chatfield Senior High School in Littleton, Colo., in 2007, where he lettered in cross country and track. His hobbies include golf and photography.

Marckel graduated from Bowling Green State University in 2016 with a bachelor's degree in Technology & Visual Communication Technology.

His first job in the design field was right out of high school when he was just 18, working as a production artist intern at Haas-Jordan Umbrellas in Toledo. He joined the company as its full-time head graphic artist shortly thereafter and held that position until he graduated from BGSU.

He was born April 27, 1993 in Toledo, Ohio, and graduated from Whiteford High School in Ottawa Lake, Mich., where he lettered in football (team captain) and baseball. His hobbies include drawing; as a kid, he used to draw pictures of Toledo Rocket football players and give those to them after each home game; he is also an accomplished sports photographer.



BRIAN CABRAL

Character Coach

Brian Cabral, a Colorado Buffalo to the core, came out of retirement in May 2019 to become the school's character coach. Brought back to the program by then-head coach Mel Tucker, new head coach Karl Dorrell maintained his presence on the staff. He works primarily with football, though he has worked with the basketball programs and is available to all 17 of CU's varsity programs.

Cabral, 66, was inducted into CU's Athletic Hall of Fame in its 2018 class, as he spent 24 years on the sidelines as an assistant coach (1989 through 2012) – the last 23 full-time in assorted capacities including interim head coach, associate head coach, assistant head coach and defensive run game coordinator. Those 23 years as a full-time assistant rank as the most in CU history, not only for football but for all sports, as he passed the previous record holders (two legendary "Franks," Potts and Prentup, both of whom assisted Buff head football coaches for 18 seasons).

From 2013-16, he was the defensive coordinator at Indiana State University, where he also coached the inside linebackers. The Sycamores were 1-11 in his first season there, but went 8-6 in year two, advancing to the second round of the FCS playoffs. The six-game improvement was the best in the FCS ranks that season.

He first joined the Buffalo staff as graduate assistant in 1989, and has always coached the inside linebackers, and occasionally had the outside 'backers under his direction. From 1999 through 2005, he also coached the punt return unit on special teams, and served as the director of CU's summer football camps from 1995 through 2005 and for a brief time as recruiting coordinator. He had returned to Colorado, his alma mater, from Purdue, where he coached the inside linebackers for two seasons (1987-88).

Cabral worked under five head coaches during his coaching tenure: Bill McCartney, Rick Neuheisel, Gary Barnett, Dan Hawkins and Jon Embree. For all seven seasons under Barnett, Cabral also was the assistant head coach, which included a three-month period in 2004 as interim head coach when Barnett was on paid administrative leave. In that role, he continued to coach his position players but also took care of day-to-day operational details of the program.

Hawkins promoted him to associate head coach in February 2008, citing his leadership in noting that "no one person has had more influence in the success of Colorado football than Brian Cabral." When Hawkins was relieved of his duties as head coach on November 8, 2010, Cabral was once again named interim head coach, this time having to finish out the season and pilot the Buffs in game situations. He led Colorado to a 2-1 record, with wins over Iowa State (34-14) and Kansas State (44-36) before a 45-17 loss at Nebraska ended CU's hopes for a bowl invitation as the Buffs finished the year with a 5-7 record.

You could also call him an ambassador for his native Hawai'i, as he has worked youth camps in the state as well as all-Polynesian camps in the states. He is a founding board member of the Polynesian Coaches Association, formed ahead of the 2007 season.

In the summer of 2002, he was one of 500 nationwide recipients of the AFLAC National Assistant Coach-of-the-Year Award. Coaches on all levels were honored, from youth to professional, and he was one of 10 selected regionally to receive the award. In 2008, CBSSportsline.com selected him to its "All-Coach" team at the linebacker position.

Known as one of the top linebacker coaches in the nation, his students have included Matt Russell, the 1996 Butkus Award winner, all-Big Eight performers Greg Biekert, Chad Brown and Ted Johnson, all of whom went on to stardom in the National Football League, and all-Big 12 linebacker Jordon Dizon, a consensus All-American who was also the league defensive player of the year for 2007. He also recruited tailback Rashaan Salaam, the 1994 Heisman trophy winner, and Chris Naeole, a 1996 All-American guard.

His 2001 punt return team led the nation with a 17.4 average, and also boasted the nation's top individual return man in Roman Hollowell, who averaged 18.0 per return and scored two touchdowns. In 2002, Jeremy Bloom



PAUL MORISSETTE

Design & Creative Content Assistant

Paul Morisette is in his first year as the football programs assistant for design and creative content, having joined the department on April 1, 2022.

Morisette, 25, came to CU from Michigan State University, where he was the social media manager for the 2021 season; he had been a full-time digital content intern for two seasons (2019-20), under head coaches and Mark Dantonio who hired him and then Mel Tucker. He worked two bowl games, both wins (over Wake Forest in the '19 Pinstripe and over Pittsburgh in the '21 Peach) and enjoyed the fact that the Spartans were 2-1 versus rival Michigan during his time there.

He earned his bachelor's degree in Fine Arts from Compass College of Film & Media in 2019. Based in Grand Rapids, Mich., he was afforded the opportunity to work as a digital content intern with the Grand Rapids Drive (now the Gold) of the National Basketball Association's G League (he was hired to shoot the 2018 NBA All-Star Game at the Staples Center in Los Angeles).

He was born June 23, 1997 in Mt. Clemens, Mich., and graduated from Grand Blanc (Mich.) High School. His hobbies include sports, cooking and attending concerts.



DEREK MARCKEL

Senior Art Director

Derek Marckel is in his first year in his second stint for the University of Colorado football program, as he returned in February 2022 as the senior art director and graphic artist.

Marckel, 29, was hired as CU's graphic designer for football on April 8, 2019 under former head coach Mel Tucker, and joined him at Michigan State when Tucker left after the 2019 season. He spent two years supervising the Spartans' creative team that produced original graphics and recruiting. Simultaneously, he signed on as the freelance graphic artist for USA Water Polo, assisting in the rebranding of the organization's visual identity and created social media content for the men's and women's teams for the 2020 Summer Olympics.

He joined the CU staff from the University of Toledo, where he was the assistant director of creative services for nearly three years (2016-19; since he graduated college). He worked with all 15 varsity sports for the Rockets and was responsible for creating everything from billboards, posters, program covers, ticket designs and schedule cards to graphics for social media, the web and videoboards. He won several awards for his work for the athletic department. He had previously completed a graphic design internship for Toledo's athletic marketing department in 2014, during the summer before his junior year in college.



averaged 15.0 yards per return and was 13th in the nation as a freshman (ranking 21st as a sophomore in '03). Cabral prided himself on the team being composed largely of non-starters, drawing comparison to his roots when he was special teams captain of the Chicago Bears.

He is a 1978 CU graduate, as he earned a B.S. degree in therapeutic recreation. He lettered three seasons for the Buffs at linebacker from 1975 to 1977 under Coach Bill Mallory, as he was a captain and played a big role on CU's Big Eight champion team in 1976. He led CU with 13 tackles (12 solo) in the 1977 Orange Bowl against Ohio State. As a senior, he was honored as the Big Eight Conference's player of the week for a monster 25 tackles in a CU 27-21 win over Stanford and shared the team's Sure Tackler Award with Mark Haynes. That 25-tackle game included 13 solo stops and is still tied for the fourth most in a single game in CU history.

Cabral had 297 tackles in his CU career (120 solo, 177 assisted), a number that still has him tied for 16th on Colorado's all-time list. A unique fact is that he has coached 10 of the other 19 players in CU's all-time top 20, including eight players on the list ahead of him: Matt Russell, Greg Biekert, Ted Johnson, Chad Brown, Michael Jones, Jashon Sykes, Thaddaeus Washington and Jordon Dizon (seven rank in the top nine). His players through the years have registered over 6,000 tackles wearing the Black & Gold he once wore.

He was a nine-year NFL veteran, as Atlanta drafted him in the fourth round in 1978. He played two seasons with Atlanta, one with Green Bay and six with Chicago. As the captain of the Bears' special teams, he was a member of Chicago's Super Bowl XX champion team in 1985. He was selected as the Frito-Lay Unsung Hero in the Bears' win over New England, as he had two solo and two assisted tackles on special teams.

He was born June 23, 1956, in Fort Benning, Ga., but grew up in Kailua, Hawaii. He is married to the former Becky Lucas, and they have three grown children, son Kyle and daughters Maile and Mele. He is an active member in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. He has authored a book ("Second String Champion"), and his hobbies include surfing, skateboarding and snowboarding.

RECORD—He coached in 352 Division I-A games as a full-time coach, owning a record of 154-124-4 at Colorado (165-125-4 including his graduate assistant year); Purdue was 7-14-1 when he was on the Boilermaker staff and Indiana State was 18-30. He coached in 14 bowl games (six New Year's Day).



JOHN GARDNER

Defensive Graduate Assistant

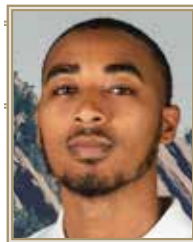
John Gardner is in his first year as graduate assistant for the defense, as he joined the Colorado staff in February 2022. He works specifically with the defensive line.

Gardner, 26, came to Colorado from Austin Peay State University, where he was the assistant defensive backs coach for the 2021 season; he was also the scouting coordinator for six months there before he was promoted to recruiting coordinator his last two months on the staff, helping sign the Governor's 2022 recruiting class.

He previously spent a year-and-a-half on the University of Missouri staff (February 2020-June 2021), first as an offensive graduate assistant working with the receiver, and then as a recruiting analyst for his last six months in Columbia. His first taste of coaching came at his alma mater, the University of Washington, where he was an offensive assistant for the 2019 season. He worked mainly with the receivers and at times with the quarterbacks and had general duties in assistant with projects for the assistant coaches, including video breakdown.

Gardner graduated from Washington in 2018 with a bachelor's degree in Mathematics and Economics. He lettered three years as a receiver for the Huskies, and was on the 2016 team that defeated CU for the Pac-12 Conference title and earned a berth in the College Football Playoff (the second Pac-12 school to do so). Academically, he was on the Dean's List throughout his college career and was Academic All-Pac-12 on two occasions (first-team as a junior; second-team as a senior).

He was born September 26, 1995 in Seattle, Wash., and graduated from Inglemoor High School (Kenmore, Wash.), where he lettered in football and basketball. His hobbies include playing basketball. In the past, he has been a guest speaker at youth football camps and has volunteered as a Little League coach.



CORDALE GRUNDY

Defensive Graduate Assistant

Cordale Grundy is in his first year as graduate assistant working with the defense, as he joined the Colorado staff on February 24, 2022. He coaches the nickel position and assists Brett Maxie with the safeties.

Grundy, 25, came to Colorado from the Miami Dolphins, where he was the assistant cornerbacks coach for the 2021 season in his second year with the club. In 2020, he was an offensive assistant coach for three months and then shifted into scouting (both college and pro). He began his coaching career at the University of Minnesota in 2019, but it was short-lived as the COVID pandemic hit; he was recommended for hire there by his junior college coach – and current CU tight ends coach – Clay Patterson.

He graduated from the University of Texas-San Antonio in December 2019 with a bachelor's degree in Multidisciplinary Studies. At UTSA, he was a dual threat quarterback and in two seasons, passed for 993 yards and five touchdowns while rushing for 164 yards and one TD. He started nine games as a junior in 2018, including the season opener at Arizona State, and led the Roadrunners to a 25-21 win over rival Texas State.

Grundy began his college career at Northeastern Oklahoma A&M, where as a freshman and sophomore he combined to rush for 534 yards and seven touchdowns and pass for 1,408 yards with 11 TD's. NEO claimed the Southwest Junior College Football Conference title his sophomore year.

He was born February 5, 1997 in Tulsa, Okla., and graduated from Tulsa's Booker T. Washington High School, where he lettered in football and basketball. His hobbies include playing basketball and working out. An All-State performer as a senior in high school, he passed for 1,633 yards and 18 touchdowns and rushed for 460 yards and four scores.



NATE DODSON

Offensive Graduate Assistant

Nate Dodson joined the CU staff as a graduate assistant for the offense on January 17, 2022. He works particularly with the quarterbacks.

Dodson, 28, came to Colorado from the University of Minnesota, where he was an offensive graduate assistant for the Gophers, working with the quarterbacks and wide receivers. He coached under offensive coordinator Mike Sanford, who was named to the similar position at Colorado in December 2021; at UM, he was responsible for opponent film breakdown, film project development and all advanced opponent personnel scouting in addition to numerous responsibilities during games.

Prior to his time at Minnesota, he spent two seasons as an operations intern with the NFL's Los Angeles Rams. With the Rams, he communicated with coaches on a daily basis to assist in the setup of drills and other on-field logistics.

Dodson graduated with a bachelor's degree in Accounting and Marketing in 2017 from Menlo College in Atherton, Calif. He lettered three times at quarterback for the Oaks football team, and also earned three letters as an outfielder and the captain of the baseball team. He owns the distinction of being the only athlete in Menlo school history to both hit a home run and throw a touchdown pass.

He was born May 31, 1994 in Los Angeles Calif., and graduated from Palisades Charter (Calif.) High School, where he lettered in football and junior varsity baseball. His hobbies include working out and exploring the outdoors.



KOLTER SMITH

Offensive Graduate Assistant

Kolter Smith is his first year as graduate assistant for the offense, as he was elevated to the position in January 17, 2022. He works with offensive line coach Kyle DeVan assisting with film breakdown and coaching among several other duties.

Smith, 24, was an offensive volunteer coach for the Buffaloes for the 2021 season, also working specifically with the offensive line. That followed three years as a student assistant coach, again working with the big guys up front.

He graduated from CU with a bachelor's degree in Business (Finance) in August 2020, also earning a certificate in the Business of Sports. He enrolled at CU in the fall of 2016 as a walk-on offensive guard and was on the team for two years before taking a medical. He remained with the program as a student coach for the next three years (2018-20) working with the O-linemen.

He was born March 5, 1998 in Omaha, Neb., and graduate from Deer Creek High School (Edmond, Okla.), where he lettered in football. His hobbies include cooking and working on his truck (Ford 150). His father, Kyle, was a two-year starter at left tackle for the Buffaloes; during his five-year CU career in the mid-90's, he was a part of Colorado teams that appeared in two Fiesta Bowls, one Cotton Bowl, one Holiday Bowl and one Aloha Bowl. He is married to the former Braelyn Smith.



ARMOND HAWKINS JR.

Asst. Director/High School Relations

Armond Hawkins Jr. joined the CU football program as the assistant director of high school relations on August 1, 2022.

Hawkins, 27, came to CU from the University of Southern California, where was the director of high school relations for the Trojans' football team for a little over two years (for the 2020 and 2021 seasons).

He graduated from the University of Idaho in 2017 with a bachelor's degree in Organizational Science. He was a four-year letterman for the Vandals at defensive back, appearing in 44 games (18 starts), with 129 career tackles (eight for losses), with two interceptions, nine passes broken up, five fumble recoveries and three forced fumbles.

He was born December 6, 1994 in Rancho Cucamonga, Calif., and graduated from Rancho Cucamonga High School, where he lettered in football. Hobbies include video games, bowling and watching movies (all-time favorite is *The Wood*). A brother, Chris, was a defensive back at USC (2014-17) and a graduate assistant coach (2019) who now is coaching in the high school ranks.



EMILY GIUSTI

Recruiting Assistant

Emily Giusti is in her second year on the University of Colorado staff as a football recruiting assistant, as she joined the staff full-time on March 15, 2021. She had previously worked as a volunteer since September 2020.

Giusti, 24, graduated with a bachelor's degree in Economics from The Ohio State University in 2020. She worked as student operations and recruiting assistant for the Buckeyes' football team from 2017-2020. She was a part of the three Big Ten Conference title teams (2017-2019), and worked three bowl games for the school: the 2018 Cotton (a win over Southern California), the 2019 Rose (a victory over Washington) and the 2020 Fiesta (a loss to Clemson), the latter of which was also a College Football Playoff semifinal game.

She was born January 22, 1998 in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and graduated from its St. Thomas Aquinas High School, where she lettered in softball (she was a member of a two-time state champion team). Her hobbies include taking her dog hiking, listening to podcasts and exploring all the food Colorado has to offer.

She has a video on YouTube (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jbvzvelGVA>) where she tells a story about being involved in a tragic boat accident as a teenager in high school where she lost a close friend and overcame severe injuries.



D.J. BRYANT

Asst. Player Personnel Director (Scouting)

D.J. Bryant is in his third year on the University of Colorado staff, his first as the assistant director of player personnel for scouting, which followed his promotion from lead recruiting assistant on July 1, 2021. He had joined the staff full-time on October 19, 2020 as an assistant in recruiting. His primary duties are overseeing the scouting

of high school prospects on the offensive and defensive sides of the football.

Bryant, 33, joined the CU program from Towson (Md.) University, where he had been the defensive quality control assistant since September 2018. At Towson, he worked with the full-time coaching staff with game scouting reports, videotape and other materials to develop schematic game strategies on upcoming opponents, along with a significant role in helping to coach the defensive ends.

He also was in defensive quality control for his alma mater, James Madison University, from September 2017 through July 2018. JMU was ranked No. 1 most of the '17 season, finishing 14-1 overall and No. 2 after a 17-13 setback to North Dakota State in the FCS Championship game. He was on the staff at Furman University for the 2015 and 2016 seasons, first as an intern working with the defensive line and in quality control, and then coaching the defensive ends in his second year.

He graduated from James Madison in December 2011 with a bachelor degree in Health & Physical Education and Recreation. He lettered four times for the Dukes at defensive end, making 123 career tackles (60 solo), recording 29 tackles for loss that included 13½ quarterback sacks. As a senior, when JMU lost in the second round of the FCS playoffs to eventual champion North Dakota State, he earned second-team All-America honors at end, along with first-team All-Colonial Athletic Association recognition and was the Dukes' most valuable player on defense.

Bryant signed as an undrafted free agent with the National Football League's Houston Texans and participated in the team's 2012 preseason training camp, playing the outside linebacker position. He then went on to be on the practice squads for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, the Indianapolis Colts and the New York Jets that same season, before signing in December with the Baltimore Ravens and remaining with the team into 2014 until knee injuries cut short his career. He was a member of the Ravens' Super Bowl champion team that defeated San Francisco, 34-31, to cap the 2013 season. He did remain in football, spending the fall of 2014 as the defensive backs coach at Milford Mill High School (Windsor Mill, Md.).

He was born March 3, 1989 in Baltimore, Md., and graduated from Randallstown (Md.) High School, where he lettered in football and basketball (forward; he was member of a 3-time state champion and his teams lost just five games in

three years). His hobbies include playing basketball, Xbox and spending time with family. He is engaged to be married to Annell Barrimond; he has two sons Camryn (7), and Bryce Kobe (born last Feb).

TANNER NORTON

Recruiting Assistant (Scouting)

Tanner Norton is in his first year on the University of Colorado staff as a football recruiting assistant (scouting), as he joined the staff in May 2022.

Norton, 27, came to from the Coors Brewing Co., where he was in merchandising for about six months; but he has returned to the profession of his first love, as previously he was with the NFL's Denver Broncos as a scouting assistant for two years (June 2019 through May 2021). With the Broncos, he was involved in the evaluation and grading of professional teams, attending local pro days, coordinating free agent information including hosting them, and assisting in filming practice periods.

He was an offensive assistant for Oklahoma State University for the 2018 season, working for a year in assisting the quarterback, receivers and running back coaches in various daily tasks. The Cowboy offense finished 10th in the nation in total offense (500.2 yards per game) and 13th in scoring (38.4 points per game). He also helped run the scout special teams unit for the regular season. OSU was 7-6 that season, but 4-1 against ranked teams and were the Liberty Bowl champions with a 38-33 win over Missouri.

Norton graduated from Oklahoma State with a bachelor's degree in University Studies in 2018, also earning a minor in Coaching Science; he was a member of the Dean's Honor Roll with a 3.5 grade point average. As a student, he was an assistant with OSU's summer football camps and was a recruiting assistant for four years (2014-17).

He was born December 11, 1994 in Durango, Colo., and graduated from Durango (Okla.) High School, where he lettered in football, basketball and baseball. His hobbies include golf, snowboarding and working out. He married to the former Tianna McDonald.





JACOB RICKETTS

Assistant Sports Performance Coach

Jacob Ricketts is in his first year as an assistant sports performance coach for football at Colorado, as he joined the program on February 14, 2022. He is certified through the Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association (CSCCA) and is a member of the organization.

Ricketts, 28, came to CU from Temple University, where he served as an assistant strength and conditioning coach for three years (2019-21) and was promoted by the Owls as the associate director of football sports performance and applied science his last year there.

He had joined the Temple staff after spending three years at Northern Illinois University. At NIU Ricketts began as an intern and progressed into an assistant director of sports performance. He spent two years in that position working directly with the NIU student-athletes, and while at NIU, he earned his master's degree in Sports Management in 2017.

Before NIU, Ricketts spent the summer 2015 working at Stanford as a sports performance intern, where he worked under Shannon Turley, CU's current director of strength and conditioning and football performance. He also interned on the strength and conditioning staff at Montana State University in 2014.

He graduated from University of Dubuque in 2015 with a bachelor's degree in Health, Wellness and Exercise Science. He lettered playing linebacker on the Spartans' football team and was an active member in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. An Academic All-Conference team member as a sophomore, he was also active in several programs in the community.

A native of Rochelle, Ill., he graduated from Rochelle Township High School, where he lettered in football, basketball and track. He is married to the former Mackenzie Vivian, and they have a son, Cullen (2).



SCOTT SACUSKIE

Assistant Sports Performance Coach

Scott Sacuskie is in his second year as an assistant sports performance coach for football at Colorado, as he joined the program on July 27, 2021.

Sacuskie, 42, came to CU from Johansen High School in his native Modesto, Calif., where for nearly 10 years (2012-21) he was the school's athletic director, overseeing some 22 varsity sports, as well as the head football coach and weight lifting instructor.

He was a sports performance coach at Stanford University for almost four years (2009-12), where he first worked with CU's current strength, conditioning and performance head coach, Shannon Turley. He started as a volunteer and was eventually hired full-time; he assisted with the football program and oversaw wrestling. He previously was a teacher (primary health and physical education) and assistant varsity football coach at East Union High School in Manteca, Calif., from 2005-11.

Sacuskie graduated from Portland State University with a bachelor's degree in School Health Education in 2003. At PSU, he lettered as a tight end for head coach Tim Walsh. He earned his master's in Kinesiology from Fresno Pacific University in 2010.

He was born Dec. 7, 1979 in Modesto, Calif., where graduated from Thomas Downey High School and was a letterman in football and baseball. He is married to the former Becky Mayer, and the couple has three boys, Noah (14), Owen (12) and Jonah (10).



EMILY FUNKE

Asst. Director of Football Operations

Emily Funke is in her third year as the assistant to head coach Karl Dorrell, assuming the role on March 2, 2020. She was also named the assistant director of football operations on August 16, 2022; she will handle both roles forward.

Funke, 25, transferred over to the football department from CU's athletic events and facilities department, where she was working for assistant athletic director Orville Jennings since August 26, 2019.

She graduated from Texas A&M University (College Station) in 2019 with a bachelor's degree in Business (Marketing), with an emphasis in Professional Sales, along with earning a minor in Sports Management. As a student, she worked in the athletic department in facilities and operations for a year with Kyle Field/Football as her main area of focus; she also helped manage the daily upkeep and operations of each athletic venue.

She also served on two organization committees at A&M, President of the 12th Man Student Foundation and Vice President of External Operations for Sport Management Society. She also was an intern for the Texas Bowl for its 2017 and 2018 games.

Funke was born December 18, 1996 in Corpus Christi, Texas, and graduated from Sinton (Texas) High School, where was a three-sport athlete in volleyball, basketball and tennis. She is bi-lingual, as she is well-versed in American Sign Language. Her hobbies include watching college sports and the NFL, taking long runs throughout the Colorado mountain sides, going to the beach and traveling around the United States. She also studies famous quotations, her favorite being the anonymously penned, "Don't count the minutes, just the laughs. Enjoy the little things and make them last."



JEAN ONAGA

Administrative Assistant

Jean Onaga is in her 38th year with the Colorado football program as the administrative assistant to the assistant coaches, handling all secretarial duties for both the offensive and defensive coordinators and each staff, while also assisting the director of football operations. Now the sixth-longest tenured employee in CU athletic department history, she has previously also assisted the director of recruiting in administrative duties.

Onaga, who is currently the second-longest tenured employee in all of the athletic department, also coordinates all football office volunteers regarding security for spring and fall practices. She facilitates program activities and events including all pro scout visits year-round and the school's annual pro timing day every March. She also assists with the coaches' clinic as well as registration for various football camps.

She joined the football staff in January 1986 and is the longest continuous employee in the football department; only three current employees have been associated with the entire athletic department longer than her. She has worked under eight CU head coaches: Bill McCartney, Rick Neuheisel, Gary Barnett, Dan Hawkins, Jon Embree, Mike MacIntyre, Mel Tucker and now Karl Dorrell.

For her years of service, Jean was recognized with an "Honorary C" award by the Alumni C Club by the Board of Directors during CU-Missouri game on November 3, 2007.

Originally from Honolulu, Hawaii, Jean and her husband Loren moved to Boulder in 1985. She graduated from McKinley High School and graduated from Kapiolani Community College with a degree in business. Her hobbies include collecting college and NFL sports collectibles, visiting airplane, car and railroad museums, watching college and NFL football games and major league baseball games. She also enjoys traveling; she has traveled to 24 U.S. states and Canada (Vancouver, Victoria and British Columbia), Mexico and Japan.



SUPPORT PROGRAM STAFF



(Biographies for those who have considerable daily interaction with the program.)



LAURA ANDERSON
Associate AD/Performance Nutrition
Sports Dietitian

Laura Anderson is in her ninth year as a member of the University of Colorado athletic staff, having first joined the program in August 2014 as the department's first-ever dietitian. She was promoted to the associate athletic director for performance nutrition on August 1, 2018.

In her role, she oversees all of the nutritional needs for all of Colorado's 360-plus student-athletes, in addition to coordinating the kitchen staff in CU's Champion Center.

Anderson, 43, came to CU from the 10th Group Special Forces in Colorado Springs, where she was the performance dietitian for the Tactical Human Optimization, Rapid Rehabilitation & Recovery Program for just under four years (November 2010-August 2014). Among her many responsibilities was to provide individual and group performance nutrition counseling to enhance the health and performance of the Active Duty Special Forces tactical athlete, assisting with menu development, and education material for both food service staff and customers and directing nutritional care activities for active duty soldiers, including those with complex medical and nutritional needs. In 2012, she received the Commander's Award for Civilian Service 10th Special Forces.

She previously has spent nearly three years (January 2008-November 2010) as a sport dietitian with the United States Olympic Committee, working with a wide diversity of male and female athletes for both winter and summer sports. Her duties ranged from performing assorted tests on the athletes to conducting educational seminars to even include the coaching staffs. She was also the official "team baker" for the men's and women's alpine ski teams at the 2010 Vancouver Winter Olympics.

Anderson also has worked in various other positions along the Colorado Front Range as a program dietitian, a nutrition services dietitian and as a dietitian/strength and conditioning specialist.

She earned her bachelor's degree in Health and Exercise Science from the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse in 2001, and received her master's degree in Interdisciplinary Health and Exercise Science and Nutrition from Colorado State University in 2004. She also performed two internships (Exercise Physiology at St. Andrews War Memorial Hospital in Brisbane, Australia, in 2001; Dietetic at James A. Haley Veterans Hospital in Tampa, Fla., in 2005).

A registered dietitian with the American Dietetic Association, she is also board certified as a specialist in sports nutrition, by the American College of Sports Medicine (ACSM) as a health and fitness instructor and by ISAK (International Society for Advancement in Kinanthropometry); she is also certified in CPR and first aid.

She is a member of the American Dietetic Association and the Colorado Dietetic Association, and an affiliate with SCAN (Sports, Cardiovascular and Wellness Nutrition), Weight Management and CPSDA (College, Professional, Sports Dietitian Association).

A native of Richland Center, Wis., and graduated from Richland Center High School, where she lettered four years each in softball and volleyball. Her hobbies include biking (mountain and road), rock climbing, trail running and cooking. She is married to Chris Alstrin, and as she says, the couple has one "crazy" dog (Lexi, a pointer lab).



DaWON BAKER
Associate AD/Diversity,
Equity & Inclusion

DaWon Baker is in his second year on the CU athletic staff, as he began his role as the department's first-ever Associate Athletic Director for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) on May 1, 2021.

Baker joined the Colorado staff from the University of Nebraska, where he had served in a similar role as the Huskers' Diversity & Inclusion Director in Life Skills and Enrichment since September 2018.

At Nebraska, he was responsible for diversity and inclusion initiatives for all staff, coaches and student-athletes. He provided oversight and direction on the annual Diversity and Inclusion Summit, Next Steps outreach, N-Vest Mentoring Program, direction of the campus-wide Husker Athletics Diversity & Inclusion Committee (HADIC) and Husker Inclusion Council (HIC). He also served as a Life Skills coach for three varsity programs (football, rifle and men's).

Though only at Nebraska for two-and-a-half years, he was heavily involved from practically the start in representing the athletic department in numerous campus partnerships, including the Diversity Engagement Team, comprised of a group of administrative professionals whose primary responsibilities are keenly focused on promoting diversity, equity, and/or inclusion across the UNL campus.

In August 2019, Baker co-founded the Diversity, Inclusion and Equity Council of Excellence (DIECE), a membership organization that provides support and resources for diversity officers who work in athletics. He is also an advisory board member for Return On Inclusion (ROI) and an advisory committee member for the Winning Edge Leadership Academy.

Baker is a 2015 graduate of the University of Missouri, where he earned his bachelor's degree in Parks, Recreation and Tourism and also participated in track and field (long jump). It is also where he received his first experience working in intercollegiate athletics as a marketing intern for the volleyball team and as a student customer service representative for the ticket office. His passion for DEI started while he was attending Missouri; born and raised in St. Louis, the tragic death of Michael Brown nearby his hometown of St. Louis, an event that drew national attention, prompted his initial interest.

Baker earned his Master's degree in Business Administration and a Master's in Sport Business Management from the University of Central Florida in 2016. While attending UCF, he served as an academic mentor and game day intern in the athletic department, as well as a student assistant in the Office of Student-Athlete Welfare and Development. In addition, he was also a graduate research assistant for The Institute for Diversity and Ethics in Sport (TIDES), where he was under the tutelage of Dr. Richard Lapchick, the well-respected national expert in diversity management, race relations, academics, sports and social issues.

After he earned his graduate degrees, he worked at the NCAA as a postgraduate intern in the Leadership Development department from June 2017 through June 2018. In that role, he worked on career, professional and personal development programs, which was designed to help student-athletes, coaches and administrators enhance their skills. He also worked closely with administrators to coordinate programs for minority administrators throughout the NCAA membership, and served as a member of the project team for the NCAA Inclusion Forum.

He is also an accomplished writer, as he spent three years as a contributor to FrontOfficeSports.com, writing features and contributing content about professional development opportunities and specific business professions in the world of sports.

A native of St. Louis, he graduated from Hazelwood East High School, where he lettered in football and track and field. His hobbies include podcasts, playing pickup basketball and flag football, and is passionate about advocating for social change. He is married to the former Brandy Leggins, and the couple has one daughter, Nori (1).



MICHELE BRANNIGAN
Director of Academic Learning,
Resources & Support

Michele Brannigan is in her 16th year as a member of the CU athletic department, her second as the director of academic learning, resources and support, having been promoted to the position on July 1, 2021.

She originally joined CU's Herbst Academic Center staff on Sept. 3, 2008 as a senior learning specialist, and was promoted to an associate director of academics in 2017. Her qualifications now include over 20 years of teaching experience and in-depth academic administrative knowledge, and extensive work with CU's football student-athletes in her time in Boulder.

Brannigan's daily responsibilities consist of providing academic services to high risk/high need student-athletes who are diagnosed with learning disabilities (e.g., dyslexia), ADHD or require additional support services for their academic endeavors. She works with and meets one-on-one with student-athletes across all of CU's 17 intercollegiate sports to develop strategic plans for improving academic performances. This is done in a focused learning



environment in which the athletes gain awareness of their individual learning styles and strengths, organization and time management strategies, test taking and various other critical thinking skills.

Brannigan also identifies potential educational, emotional, focus and attention concerns and works closely with university resources and makes any necessary referrals.

Brannigan earned obtained her bachelor's degree in Elementary and Special Education from Boston College, where she graduated cum laude in 1986, also earning a minor in English. At BC, she played on the school's club rugby team for three years. She earned her master's degree in Educational Administration, Supervision and Curriculum Development from the University of Colorado at Denver in 1990.

She was a special education teacher/coordinator in public school systems for six years (1999-2005) at the Cape Cod Lighthouse Charter School in Orleans, Mass., as well as after she then relocated to Colorado at the Jefferson Academy in Broomfield.

Born the former Michele Rogers in Camillus, N.Y., where she graduated from West Genesee High School; her hobbies include Cooking and traveling. Her and husband Mark have two grown sons, Dylan and Keaton.

facility uses on an annual basis. The entire expansion project is the largest capital project in CU Boulder history and is a LEED Platinum facility.

DePaepe had worked as the athletic turf manager for 12 years prior to his first promotion, responsible for all maintenance, renovation, upkeep and painting and design of Folsom Field's natural grass surface as well as the athletic practice fields located just north of Boulder Creek and Prentup Field, home to CU's women's soccer team. He originally joined CU in June 2000 as an assistant turf manager and was promoted to the head position in February 2001. He was considered by many to be one of the best in his field, and he still oversees all of CU's field operations.

He came to CU from the Baltimore Ravens and prior to that, he was employed by the Iowa State Athletic Department as a student and graduated from there in 1999 with a Bachelor of Science.

He was born May 4, 1974 in Minot, N.D., and graduated from Waterloo (Iowa) West, where he lettered in baseball and basketball. His hobbies include golf and camping. He is married to the former Kristen Sorensen, one-time CU's director of special events, and the couple has two daughters, Brielle (9) and Evelyn (7).



NICK CROMIDAS
Assistant Athletic Trainer

Nick Cromidas is in his second year as an assistant athletic trainer at Colorado, as he was hired on April 1, 2021. He works primarily with CU's football team and the Ralphie Handlers.

Cromidas, 26, joined the CU staff from the National Football League's New England Patriots, where he was a seasonal athletic trainer for the 2021 season. Previously, he spent two years (2018-20) as a graduate assistant athletic trainer at the University of Minnesota. While with the Gophers, he worked two bowl games, the 2018 Quick Lane Bowl against Georgia Tech and the 2020 Outback Bowl versus Auburn (both won by Minnesota).

He is a 2018 graduate of Washington State University, earning his bachelor's degree in Athletic Training; he was a student trainer in the athletic department for three years. He received his Masters of Education in Sports and Exercise Science from Minnesota in 2020.

He was born January 16, 1996 in Rogers, Ark., and graduated from Valencia (Calif.) High School, where he lettered in basketball. His hobbies include hiking, playing ultimate Frisbee, attending sporting events and being a craft beer aficionado, he enjoys exploring new breweries and beers.



AMBER EDWARDS
Assistant Athletic Trainer

Amber Edwards is in her second year as an assistant athletic trainer at Colorado, as she was hired on July 19, 2021. She works exclusively with CU's football team.

Edwards, 30, joined the CU sports medicine team from the University of Louisiana at Monroe, where she was an assistant athletic trainer for the football team for the 2019 and 2020 seasons. She had previously served as an assistant trainer for the football and men's and women's golf teams from 2017-19 at Marshall University in Huntington, W.Va., and was on the Thundering Herd's staff for two bowl victories (against Colorado State in the 2017 New Mexico Bowl and versus South Florida in the 2018 Gasparilla Bowl).

She graduated from Troy University in 2014 with a bachelor's degree in Athletic Training, where she was a student athletic trainer, and earned her masters of science in Exercise Science from Louisiana-Monroe in 2016 and was a graduate assistant trainer for the Warhawks. She began her professional career as an intern for the football program at the University of Texas at Austin from 2016-17.

She was born November 29, 1991 in Tuscaloosa, Ala., and graduated from Hillcrest High School in Tuscaloosa where she lettered in soccer. Her hobbies include watching sports and spending time with her dog Wyatt, a miniature dachshund.



JASON DePAEPE
Deputy AD/Internal Operations

Jason DePaepe is in his third year as CU's deputy athletic director, and is now in his fourth year overseeing the department's internal operations, having been promoted to a senior associate AD for that position on August 1, 2018. He is in his 22nd year overall at the University of Colorado.

DePaepe, 48, who is also a member of athletic director Rick George's executive team and the sports administrator for the men's basketball program, had served over four years (2013-18) as the associate athletic director for facilities and game day operations (promoted to that post in February 2013). He coordinated game day management and operations, specifically for football and CU's other outside sport programs. He was the recipient of the Alumni C Club's "Honorary C" award in 2017 for his dedication to the department.

In addition to overseeing all staff members who coordinate the facility and maintenance needs for Folsom Field, the Dal Ward Athletic Center, the Champions Center, Balch Fieldhouse, Prentup Field, Potts Field, the Indoor Practice Facility (IPF), Kittredge Lacrosse Field, and the South Campus Tennis Facility, he now oversees human resources and the stadium's concessionaire, Levy.

DePaepe's responsibilities also include managing capital projects and he oversaw the recent Champions Center Complex facility expansion project from 2014-16 – working as the Athletic Department liaison with Mortenson Construction and the Populous design firm on the \$166 million project that added over 326,000 new square feet to the athletic department and renovated another 38,000 sq. ft. The six-story Champions Center and the Dal Ward renovations were completed in late 2015. The indoor practice facility (IPF) was completed in early 2016 and includes an artificial turf football field as well as a 300-meter, 8-lane track. The IPF is the only net-zero energy facility of its kind and boasts 850kW of solar panels that create more electricity than the



CECIL HAIRSTON II
Associate AD/Ticket Operations

Cecil Hairston II is in his fourth year as the associate athletic director for ticket operations, sales and services, joining the department on May 1, 2019.

Hairston, 43, is a veteran in the ticketing profession, as he brings 15 years of on-campus experience with previous stops at Bowling Green State University, Oregon State, Cincinnati and most recently Boise State. He has focused on revenue generation while fostering customer service driven cultures, having led ticketing teams that achieved the highest attended home football and men's basketball games in Cincinnati history as well as the top 10 attended football games in Oregon State history, where he also led the unit that was responsible for the highest number of season ticket sales in school annals.

At his previous schools, he has coordinated ticket sales for eight football bowl games: Hawai'i (two), Sun (two), GMAC, Emerald, Las Vegas and Alamo, and while at Oregon State, handled the College World Series ticket distribution for the Beavers' back-to-back national champion baseball teams in 2006 and 2007.

Hairston began his professional career at his alma mater, serving as the assistant director of ticket operations at BGSU in 2004-05; he then moved on in a similar capacity at Oregon State (2005-08), before being named director of ticket ops from 2008-10. He was promoted to assistant AD at OSU in 2010, where he oversaw ticket operations, concessions and merchandising. He returned to his home state (Ohio) in 2015, where he would serve three years as the assistant athletic director for ticket operations at the University of Cincinnati.

He moved back to the Pacific Northwest for a year (2018), working as the general manager for IMG College/Learfield and Boise State University.



Hairston graduated from Bowling Green State University in 2004 with a bachelor's degree in the school's Sport Management program. At BGSU, he made the Dean's List on several occasions.

He was born November 7, 1978 in Columbus, Ohio (he has four sisters), and graduated from Columbus' Beechcroft High School, where he lettered in football. His hobbies include travel and cooking; he also takes pride in being a "third-generation left-hander," following his dad and grandfather as southpaws. He is married to the former LaTisha "Tish" Swann, and the couple has three children, Jordyn (23), Rashawn (20), and Rahman (15).



ANDREW HAMSTRA

Associate Athletic Trainer/Football

Andrew Hamstra is in his fourth year as the associate athletic trainer overseeing the football program, as he was hired on August 6, 2019, one week into CU's fall training camp.

Hamstra, 33, joined the Colorado staff from Washington State University, where he had served as the school's head football athletic trainer from June 2018 through July 2019; before he was named WSU's full-time athletic trainer, he was first the interim head athletic trainer for the 2018 spring practices and the initial summer workouts, a position he was promoted into from his assistant athletic trainer role in which he had performed dating back to 2014.

He has played a vital role in the department in his second year, working with CU's sports medicine team in developing an extremely organized procedure for the testing of over 120 players and staff daily during the coronavirus pandemic that hit the nation in the spring of 2020.

He is certified by the National Athletic Trainers Association Board of Certification (NATABOC), the National Academy of Sports Medicine (corrective exercise specialist) and is also certified in CPR and First Aid.

He was selected as the 2019 Northwest Athletic Trainers Association (NWATA) New Horizons Award recipient, which is awarded to a young professional who has made a unique or immediate impact within the NWATA and athletic training profession.

Hamstra earned bachelor degrees in Athletic Training and Kinesiology in 2011 from Whitworth University (Spokane, Wash.), and earned his master's degree in Exercise & Sports Studies from Boise State University in 2013. While at Boise State, he was a graduate assistant athletic trainer working primarily with the football and track and field programs (he was designated as the "leader graduate assistant" his second year there, the 2012-13 athletic season).

As an undergrad at Whitworth, he played football and was also a student athletic trainer; in 2010, he had an athletic training internship with the Spokane Chiefs on the Western Hockey League.

Following his graduation from Boise State, he was a seasonal athletic trainer for the National Football League's Atlanta Falcons for the 2013 season. He assisted the athletic performance and sports medicine staff with the daily care of the professional athletes. While in Atlanta, he also worked as an athletic trainer for Children's Healthcare of Atlanta.

He was born in Denver and graduated from Denver Christian High School, where he lettered in football, basketball and baseball. A huge Colorado Avalanche fan, his hobbies include fishing, movies and playing with his two sons. He is married to the former Danielle Van Eps, and the couple has two sons, Holden (7) and Brock (3).



ARIKO ISO

Associate Athletic Trainer

Arika Iso is in her second year as the associate athletic trainer for football at Colorado, as she joined the CU sports medicine staff on August 16, 2021. She brought a vast amount of experience with her to the position, including time spent in the National Football League and at two FBS college programs.

Iso, 51, came to Colorado from Loyola University in Baltimore, Md., where she was an assistant athletic trainer from 2020-21 after working briefly with the Los Angeles Wildcats of the XFL which had followed two years (2018-19) as the head football athletic trainer at Towson University.

That followed two years as the associate athletic trainer at San Jose State University (2017-18), where she earned her advanced degree. Iso had returned to her undergraduate alma mater, Oregon State University, where she was the head football athletic trainer from 2011-17. The Beavers played in the 2012 Valero Alamo Bowl, where Texas scored two late touchdowns to rally for the win.

Prior to returning to OSU, she was the only female athletic trainer in the NFL, spending nine seasons on the staff of the Pittsburgh Steelers. With the Steelers, she was a part of two Super Bowl champion teams, XL in 2005 (defeating Seattle) and XLIII in 2008 (defeating Arizona in the last minute). Pittsburgh also won the 2010 AFC title but lost to Green Bay in Super Bowl XLV. Three former Buffaloes were under her watchful eye during her time with the Steelers, Kordell Stewart, Jeremy Bloom and Mitch Berger.

Prior to accepting the position with the Steelers, Iso spent five years as the associate athletic trainer for Portland State University, where she served as the head football trainer. Her collegiate career also includes serving as the assistant athletic trainer at Foothill College in California for nearly three years.

She is a member of the National Athletic Trainers Association, the Professional Football Athletic Trainers Society and is certified by the National Athletic Trainers Association.

In addition to her collegiate experience, Iso has served as the head trainer at the 2006 World 21 and Under Track Championships, the 2001 World Cross Country Championships, the 1998 Yokohama International Ekiden and the 1996 East-West Shrine Football Game. She has also worked at the Nike World Master Games, U.S. Mobil Outdoor Track and Field Championships and at the 1994 World Cup Soccer tournament.

The Tokyo native came to the United States to attend college and graduated from Oregon State with a bachelor's of science degree in Health and Human Performance in 1993. She earned a master's of art in physical education and athletic training from San Jose State in 1995.

She was born in Tokyo, Japan, on December 7, 1970 and graduated from its Futaba High School where she was on the basketball team. Her hobbies include international traveling, eating and cooking. Most of her relatives still live in Japan; a nephew is a collegiate tennis player (at Tokyo's Sophia University) and another nephew is a high school competitive downhill skier and tennis player (Toride High School in the Ibaragi prefecture).



DE'RON JASPER

Assistant AD/Academic Services & Operations

De'Ron Jasper is in his fourth year as a member of the CU athletic department, his second as the assistant athletic director for academic services and operations, having been promoted to the position on July 1, 2021.

He had previously been promoted to an associate director of academics in the Herbst Academic Center on July 1, 2020. He had joined the Colorado staff as an assistant director on July 16, 2019.

Prior to his arriving at CU, Jasper served as Academic Coordinator of Student-Athletes at Mercer University (Macon, Ga.). His responsibilities at Mercer included academic oversight of football, women's basketball, women's golf, women's lacrosse, men's golf, men's lacrosse and men's soccer. Also, he assisted in the study hall and tutoring programs and was the textbook coordinator. While at Mercer, he helped the school win three consecutive Barrett-Bonner awards (given to the Southern Conference University with the highest percentage of student-athletes over a 3.0 GPA).

Jasper previously served as an adjunct instructor at Old Dominion University in the Darden College of Education. He simultaneously served as the director of Project Launch through the Virginia Modeling Analysis Simulation Center. Project Launch is a program designed to assist at-risk students in their pursuit of post-secondary education enrollment and job acquisition while enrolled as a junior or senior in high school.

Jasper graduated from the Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech) with a bachelor's degree in management and a minor in psychology. While pursuing his bachelor's degree, he was a scholarship student-athlete (football) and three-time letterman. He then attended Old Dominion as a graduate student-athlete and lettered an additional year in football. Jasper graduated from there with a master's in Science in Education.

He is an active member in the National Association of Academic Advisors for Athletics (N4A), National Consortium for Academics and Sports (NCAS), National Academic Advising Association (NACADA), and Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Incorporated. He is currently pursuing a Ph.D. in Education from Old Dominion.

He was born in Richmond, Va., and graduated from Dunwoody High School in Atlanta, Ga., where he lettered in football, basketball, track and field and in band (saxophone). (*first name is pronounced day-ron*)



MARK JOHNSON

Director of Audio Broadcasting

Mark Johnson is in his sixth year as CU's first-ever director of audio broadcasting for the athletic department, as he was named to the position on July 1, 2017. He is also in his 19th season as the play-by-play announcer for CU's football and men's basketball teams, as he assumed the role of "Voice of the Buffaloes" ahead

of the 2004-05 athletic year.

In his role and in addition to his announcing duties, he hosts various television and radio shows, podcasts, makes personal appearances and does voiceover work for the university. He also does television and radio work for various national and regional networks in the Rocky Mountain Region and across the country and has become known for his distinctive, booming tenor voice.

Johnson, 55, was named sports director at KOA-Radio in Denver in the spring of 2004, replacing the retiring Larry Zimmer, who had held the position for over two decades. Zimmer, the long-time "Voice of the Buffaloes, had handled the play-by-play chores for CU dating back to 1971, but shifted over to the analyst position when Johnson was hired. When Zimmer retired from announcing after the 2015 season, the mantra of "Voice of the Buffs" fully shifted to "M.J."

Prior to coming to Colorado, Johnson spent three years as the "Voice of the Orange" for Syracuse University football and men's basketball. He was at the microphone when former Denver Nugget, Carmelo Anthony, led the Orange to the 2003 NCAA championship. He also hosted weekly call-in shows for basketball coach Jim Boeheim and football coach Paul Pasqualoni, the Syracuse Sidelines television show and served as the ISP-SU Radio Network affiliate liaison. He also was a frequent speaker and emcee for numerous local charitable, civic group and Rotary Club functions.

His entire professional career has been spent in broadcasting. Before his time in Syracuse, he was the sports director for WJBC-Radio in Bloomington, Ill., and was the play-by-play announcer for four years at Illinois State University, where he earned three Silver Dome Awards for best play-by-play broadcast in the state of Illinois. Johnson also worked two years announcing football and basketball games his alma mater, the University of North Dakota, and was a talk show host and play-by-play announcer for three years at WASK-AM and WKOA-FM in Lafayette, Ind.

Although his vocation as sportscaster reflects a life-long love of sports, for the past 20 years, Johnson has been called to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ to various churches, men's groups and conferences throughout the region. His message has been to encourage men to live lives of integrity, commitment, and responsibility. He is heavily involved in numerous charity and community organizations serving as an emcee and guest speaker. In recent years he has been a guest-host on numerous Christian television shows on the Daystar and Trinity Broadcasting networks and frequently serves as guest speaker at various men's groups and churches.

In 2015 Johnson became the President of the Evergreen Rodeo Association in Evergreen (Colo.), serving a one-year term. His involvement in rodeo continues a life-long love of horses and the Western way-of-life. In the summer of 2019, Johnson added benefit and charity auctioneering to his resume, as he graduated from the World Wide College of Auctioneering.

He earned a bachelor's degree in communications from North Dakota in 1992.

A native of Hillsboro, N.D., he graduated from Grand Forks (N.D.) Central High School, where he was an All-State basketball player. His hobbies include spending time with his family, riding his horses, playing with his two dogs, hunting and fly-fishing. He is married to the former Susan Jacobson, who was Miss North Dakota for 1989 and competed in the Miss America pageant. The couple has three grown children, sons Nicolas and Jake, and daughter Halle (who is married to a former Navy Corpsman, John Mathues); they are the grandfather of one (Yuley, born this past August). In 2016, he was the recipient of the Alumni C Club's "Honorary C" award for his dedication to the department.



KRIS LIVINGSTON

Executive Senior Associate AD/Academics

Kris Livingston is in her 26th year at the University of Colorado, her second as the executive senior associate athletic director. A member of athletic director Rick George's executive team, she also manages CU's nine sports supervisors. She was promoted to senior associate AD status on August 1,

2018 and had held the similar position as an associate AD since 2014 after being promoted to an assistant athletic director in 2010.

Her main priority is overseeing all of CU's academic support services for her 16th year, as well as CU's leadership and career development program. Located in the Herbst Academic Center, her area provides year-round academic support to all of CU's approximately 380 student-athletes; she was an assistant director for the unit until being named its director on May 24, 2007. She also serves as the sport supervisor for women's basketball and in the past performed similar supervisory duties for CU's lacrosse, soccer and skiing programs, and previously supervised the department's diversity and inclusion programs.

Former football coach Dan Hawkins credited her organization and philosophy about academics as one of the strongest factors for the football team's back-to-back record years for grade point average for the 2008-09 and 2009-10 school years. And under the three head coaches that followed Hawkins, football has continued to set record GPA figures and graduation rates, as have several others among CU's 17 intercollegiate programs and the entire athletic program overall.

She joined the CU staff in May 1997, hired by then-women's basketball head coach Ceal Barry to be the program's first-ever Director of Basketball Operations. She spent eight seasons in that position until Barry's retirement from coaching in March of 2005.

Livingston came to Boulder from Littleton, Colo., where she was a senior consultant at USA Group Noel-Levitz, an educational consulting firm that is hired by colleges to help recruit and retain students. Prior to that, Livingston spent eight years at Iowa State University as an assistant women's basketball coach (1984-89), admissions counselor (1989-91) and telecounseling coordinator (1991-92).

She earned her bachelor's degree in Sociology from Miami University (Oxford, Ohio) in May 1983, where she was a four-year letterwinner on Miami's women's basketball team and earned first-team All-Mid-American Conference and first-team Academic All-MAC honors. In August 1997, she was inducted into Miami's Hall of Fame, only the second women's basketball player to be so honored.

Livingston earned her master's degree in Sport and Exercise Science with an emphasis in Sport Administration from the University of Northern Colorado in August 2009.

A native of Toledo, Ohio, she graduated from Lake High School in Millbury, Ohio, in 1979. A three-sport athlete, she was an inaugural member of her high school Hall of Fame in 1983. She is married to Dr. Kelly Causey. In 2013, she was awarded the "Honorary C" for her longtime dedication to the department, and in particular, the student-athlete.



RYAN NEWMAN

Director of Athletic Grounds

Ryan Newman is in his 21th year as a member of the University of Colorado athletic staff, as he joined the department on May 22, 2002. He is in ninth year as the director of athletic grounds after working as an assistant for the facility and grounds staff for 11 years.

Under his direction, CU has some of the finest athletic fields in the nation, no small task considering the challenges that Colorado's wacky weather can provide. During the COVID-19 pandemic, he led a staff that was often faced with managing facilities on days where CU was hosting as many as six home events.

Newman, 43, came to the Buffaloes from Iowa State, where he had worked as a student assistant for the Cyclones' facilities department. In his first year on the CU staff, Folsom Field was recognized by the Sports Turf Managers Association as the college football field of the year. Prior to enrolling at Iowa State, he was the heads groundskeeper for the Sioux City Explorers, an independent member of baseball's Northern League, in 2000 after serving as an assistant in 1999.

He graduated from Iowa State with a bachelor's degree in Horticulture with an emphasis in turf management. He first attended Morningside (Iowa) College for three years (1997-99).

He was born March 11, 1979 in Sioux City, Iowa, and graduated from Sioux City East High School, where he lettered in football and baseball. His hobbies playing golf and spending time with family. He is married to the former Kate Morris, and the couple has one son, Grayson (5) and daughter Ryleigh (1). He was the recipient of the Alumni C Club's "Honorary C" award in 2019 for his dedication to the department.



KIMBIRLY ORR

Executive Director/Alumni C Club

Kimbirly Orr is in her fourth year as the executive director of the Alumni C Club, the University of Colorado's organization for past letterwinners. She was named to the position on July 10, 2019.

Orr is also heavily involved with Buffs4Life, an alumni group that coordinates events and raises money for Buffs in need. She joined the Colorado staff from Knock Out Performance, a marketing communications agency she personally formed in 2012.

Much of her career has been predicated on the relationship business, as she had two Fortune 500 award-winning positions with Colgate Palmolive and A.C. Nielsen. She spent 17 years in the entertainment industry working in event production and public relations to two entrepreneurial jaunts, including serving as the first female sport agent for the Women's Professional Volleyball Association (WPVA) on the team which brought beach volleyball to the Olympics.

Orr graduated from the CU Leeds School of Business in 1983 with a bachelor's degree in Marketing. She has served the University of Colorado for over 35 years, working predominantly in alumni relations and engagement. Most recently, she served as the vice chair of the CU Boulder Alumni Association in 2019 and currently sits on the CU Foundation Trustee Board. She is also the board chair for the CU Advocates in the Office of the President, and vice chair of the CU Boulder Alumni Association. She was named the CU Advocate of the Year in 2016.

She was born in Warren, Ohio, and graduated from Pomona High School (Arvada, Colo.) where she participated in volleyball and track and field; she was also captain of the pom pom team her senior year. Her hobbies include attending and watching sporting events, hiking, dancing, reading, spending time with family and friends in addition to attending live concerts, in particular those performed by U2 (she's been to over 50 all over the world, including Dublin, and attended their first-ever show in Colorado at Red Rocks and the next night at the CU Events Center). She is also very active in non-profit and fundraising work.



ERIC PELLONI

Assistant Director/BufVision

Eric Pelloni is in his 17th year as the assistant director of BufVision, although he has been involved in CU Athletics for the better part of two decades. He was hired full-time on August 1, 2006 after working on a contractual basis since August 2001.

Pelloni, 49, assists with the video packages for CU's video display boards and has been on the BufVision game day crew for 17 seasons. He also helps coordinate streaming and technical issues between CU Athletics and Pac-12 Enterprises.

When CU overhauled its official athletic website, CUBuffs.com, in 2003, Pelloni was hired on a part-time basis to create video content and coordinate streaming live events. He has created the majority of the graphic work and assisted in the designing of the website, and has also designed several media guide covers.

Pelloni was also the associate producer of "The Buffalo Stampede" coaches show which aired weekly on FSN Rocky Mountain until ending with Colorado's transition over to the Pac-12 Networks agreement. In 2016, he won a Telly Award for his production work for the 2015 Pac-12 Conference's women's golf championship that was held at Boulder Country Club.

Prior to his full-time appointment at CU, Pelloni worked as a freelance video editor/graphic artist in the Denver area, creating video content for both broadcast and non-broadcast applications for a number of clients including Qwest Communications, Coors, XCEL Energy and the United Way of New York City.

He graduated from Metropolitan State College of Denver in 1998, majoring in Technical Communication with a minor in Speech Communication. He taught as an adjunct professor in the technical communications department at Metro State for the 2003-04 school year.

He was born November 21, 1972 in Detroit, Mich., and graduated from Broomfield (Colo.) High School, where he lettered in golf, which remains one of his favorite hobbies. He is married to the former Gabbie Perkins, who is CU's assistant athletic director for Olympic sports operations; the couple has a son, E.J. (Edwin James, 8) and a daughter (Sophia, 6).



DAVID PLATI

Associate AD/Sports Information

David Plati is in his 39th year as the athletic department's director of sports information, and his 45th year overall in CU's Sports Information Office. He was promoted to assistant athletic director for media relations on July 1, 1988, and attained associate athletic director status in August 2005. He also serves

as the department's historian.

Plati, 62, was named the 13th full-time sports information director in CU history on July 24, 1984, after serving for three years as the assistant SID. The youngest SID in the nation at the time of his hiring, he previously worked as a student assistant and statistician after coming to CU as a freshman in 1978. Only six people have served in the role since 1952, with Plati's tenure in the position the longest in school annals; he was recognized in 2009 with the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) Quarter Century of Service award.

In June 2019, he was inducted into the CoSIDA Hall of Fame, the fourth Buffalo SID to be honored as he joined Fred Casotti (inducted in 1996), Mike Moran (2002) and Steve Hatchell (2018).

Overall, only longtime cross country and track coach Frank Potts (41 years, 1927-68) has been employed full-time by CU athletics longer than Plati, who was hired full-time on Jan. 9, 1983; counting his time as the volunteer historian, Casotti spent 49 years devoted to the school (1952 until his death in 2001). Plati is the second-longest active SID in the country behind Claude Felton (Georgia).

His primary responsibilities are with the football and men's golf programs, though he oversees the sports information efforts for all sports, and at one time or another has personally handled nine sports during his CU career. He has easily worked or covered over 2,200 CU events; of those, 483 football games have been in-person (499 overall), including a string of 410 in a row that ended in 2017 due to an injured leg (at the time the second-longest active streak in the nation).

He has coordinated numerous successful promotional campaigns and public relations programs for student-athletes and coaches. Plati has written two books on CU football, the first about the school's 1990 national championship, and the second published in 2008, *Colorado Football Vault*, a coffee table style book with an awesome collection of photographs and reproduced keepsakes.

In addition, over 100 of CU's former student assistants during his tenure have gone on to work full-time in sports information or media relations for a college or professional team (including all "big four" in Denver: Avalanche, Broncos, Nuggets and Rockies).

The Football Writers Association of America has recognized CU's sports information office 10 times during his tenure, three times for an outstanding press box operation (1987, 1992, 1997; schools were eligible only every five years), and now nine times with the FWA's Super 11 award (2010-13-14-16-17-18-19-20-21) for all-encompassing efforts with the nation's football media.

In January 2019, Plati was presented with the FWA's Lifetime Achievement Award, just the sixth person to be honored with the relatively young award. The organization also named him as one of two SID's nationally to its 22-member "Access/Press Relations Committee" to oversee press relations with FBS Conferences ahead of the 2019 season. He chaired a panel of SID's and national sportswriters to discuss how to approach the changing landscape for the media ahead of the 2020 season and implications from the coronavirus.

In the spring of 2001, Plati became an adjunct instructor in CU's College of Media, Communication and Information (CMCI), teaching the sports media relations class 22 times until stepping away in 2022. In April 2001, was named CU's representative on the board of directors of the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame, and in 2006, he became a member of the District 7 Screening Committee for the Hall. In 2009, he was appointed to the board of the Colorado Golf Hall of Fame, and in 2010, he was named to the board of the Colorado Rock & Roll Museum and Hall of Fame (and was named the board's secretary in 2020).

In 2015, Plati was a recipient of the Robert L. Stearns Award, presented to current members of the CU-Boulder faculty and staff for extraordinary achievement or service to the university. In 2005, the Denver Buff Club recognized him as its "MVB" choice (Most Valuable Buff). In 2009, celebrating his 30th year covering CU golf, the team instituted a "David Plati Mr. Buffalo Award" honoring the player for his dedication and commitment to the program. The NFF/Colorado chapter presented him with the 2018 Keith Jensen Award for service to the organization.

While attending CU, Plati served four years as the information director for the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference. He also worked for the Colorado Golf Association and for the *Rocky Mountain News*.



He spent his senior year in college (1982) as the public relations director with the triple-A Denver Bears Baseball Club of the American Association; that year, the largest crowd in minor league baseball history to this day – 65,666 – attended the Bears' annual Fireworks Night. He was a member of the Denver Broncos statistics crew for 40 seasons (1980-2019), where he created and maintained miscellaneous statistics (he received game balls from the NFL team for their back-to-back Super Bowl wins in the 90s). He worked 408 Bronco games as a member of the crew, and among the many innovative numbers he is credited with first charting was "scoring percentage inside-the-20," which is now commonly known as the Red Zone. In the 1980s, he worked as a statistician for TBS for NBA telecasts, creating a wave of now commonplace statistics, and still occasionally works freelance in a similar capacity, most notably as the talent statistician for home Bronco games on KOA-Radio. In 2004, he was appointed by major league baseball to serve as one of the official scorers for the Colorado Rockies baseball team, and scored 335 games – the second most in the franchise's history – before retiring after the 2020 season.

Plati was the Hula Bowl's director of game week communications for four years (1995-98). He also worked five BCS National Championship games (2002-06-09-10-13 seasons), along with all eight College Football Playoff title games (2014-15-16-17-18-19-20-21 seasons), 11 Rose and two Fiesta bowls for a grand total of 49 postseason bowl games when including CU's 19.

He has worked as the media relations liaison for the Bolder Boulder 10K since 1987, and also served as the media relations assistant for the Colorado Open Golf Tournament for 12 years (1980-91). He was the media coordinator for the 1985, 1989 and 1996 NCAA West Regionals, and was the local media coordinator and NCAA liaison for the 1990 Final Four, all in Denver.

He graduated with a bachelor's degree in public relations, along with a minor in geography, from CU in December 1982. He was a member of the journalism student council and wrote for *The Campus Press*.

Born April 19, 1960 in New Rochelle, N.Y., Plati graduated from Woodlands High School (Hartsdale, N.Y.) in 1978, where he lettered in football and golf (and was also the school's SID his senior year). In 1984, he was awarded an "Honorary C" for his service to Colorado athletics. An avid golfer, he won the 2005 Rocky Mountain Golf Writers Association fourth annual tournament.

One of his proudest moments in his CU career came when late golf coach Mark Simpson asked him to present him for induction at Simpson's Golf Coaches Hall of Fame induction ceremony in January, 2005. He is also an avid concert goer, having attended some 380-plus in his lifetime (led by 39 Jimmy Buffett performances), with memorizing song lyrics as one of his hobbies. His younger brother (Mark, a top music engineer) was nominated for two Grammy Awards with David Bowie in 1998 (he was a guitarist in Bowie's band for five years), and also engineered the Song-of-the-Year for 1997 (Shawn Colvin's "Sunny Came Home").

He was born September 22 in Golden, Colo., but his family moved frequently during his youth and he eventually graduated from Park City (Utah) High School, where he lettered in lacrosse. His hobbies include golfing and spending time with his friends and family.



MIGUEL RUEDA

Senior Associate AD/Health & Performance

Miguel Rueda is in 17th year in the CU athletic department, his fifth as the senior associate athletic director for health and performance; he had been the associate AD over the same area since being promoted to the position in February 2015. He previously had served nine-plus years as the head athletic trainer

for football after he was hired on August 1, 2006, just days ahead of CU's preseason camp.

A member of athletic director Rick George's executive team, he is also the chair of the Pac-12 Student Athlete Health and Well-Being Initiative (SAHWBI), the conference's medical board (he previously served as the vice-chair). In 2020, he was heavily involved in developing the Pac-12's regulations, policies and protocols concerning the coronavirus pandemic. He has been CU's institutional representative for the Pac-12's student health conference since shortly after CU joined the league in 2011, and in that role, he organizes the annual meeting for all sports medicine officials from each league school.

In his role, he oversees the entire training staff as well as serves as the school's liaison with the CU Sports Medicine and Performance Center, housed in the athletic department's Champions Center. He also oversees the strength and conditioning and sports nutrition areas as well as CU's sports psychologist and works closely with campus on research initiatives.

Rueda, 50, was the second-longest tenured trainer in CU's athletic history, serving 13 years in that capacity, behind only a 14-year run by Dave Burton, who held the position from 1985-99; one other had served in the role for eight years, and three others for seven.

He came to CU from Fresno State University, where he has been the Director of Sports Medicine since February 2001. At FSU, his primary responsibilities were the care and prevention of injuries for the football program and overseeing all areas of the Fresno State Sports Medicine Program. He has similar duties at Colorado, as he coordinates the needs and staffing for CU's 16 intercollegiate varsity programs.

With CU's move to the Pac-12 Conference, he was named the Education Director for the Pac-12 annual sports medicine meeting, a role he performed in the 2011-12 academic year and will continue to serve in for at least the 2012-13 year as well.

Ironically, his first football game as Fresno State's head trainer was in Boulder, as the Bulldogs played the Buffaloes in the Jim Thorpe Association Classic on August 26, 2001; FSU won the game, 24-22, and went on to climb into the nation's top 10, until getting knocked off by Boise State, then coached by CU's future coach, Dan Hawkins.

Rueda previously had worked two years (1995-97) as a graduate assistant trainer for the Bulldogs while earning his master's degree in exercise physiology.

He had rejoined the Fresno State staff from Towson University, where he served as an assistant athletic trainer from 1998 to 2001; he was the head trainer for football. Prior to Towson, Rueda spent time with the Miami Dolphins of the National Football League in 1997-98 and with Holy Cross in 1994-95. He also has extensive teaching experience, instructing classes ranging from sports medicine administration to basic athletic training courses over the past 10 years.

He received his undergraduate degree in athletic training from Boston University in 1994, and his master's degree from Fresno State in 1997. Rueda is a member of the National Athletic Trainers Association, the College Athletic Trainers Society and has American Red Cross CPR and First Aid certification.

He was born November 17, 1971 in San Francisco, graduating from the city's J. Eugene McAteer High School where he lettered in cross country and track. He and his wife, Andrea, have two sons, Gabriel (who earned an appointment at West Point, where he is a sophomore) and Christopher, and a daughter, Isabella. In 2021, he was awarded the "Honorary C" for his longtime dedication to the department, and in particular, the student-athlete.



ALEC ROUSSOS

Assistant Athletic Director/ Administration Operations

Alec Roussos is in his second year as the assistant athletic director for administration operations, as he was promoted to the position on July 1, 2021. He is in his third year overall as a full-time staff member, as he previously held the title of the director of

operations for the athletic director's office, as he was named to that position on July 1, 2019.

He is also the sports supervisor for the football program, having assumed that role ahead of the 2022 season.

In his role, he oversees the day to day operations for athletic director Rick George, disseminates pertinent information to CU's athletic staff and serves as the first point of contact in addition to providing oversight of the research team. He also coordinates pulling together most aspects and updating CU's current strategic plan which runs from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2023. He previously served three years as the graduate assistant for the AD's office, which followed working as a summer intern in 2014 and 2015 before assuming the grad assistant role in the summer of 2016.

Roussos graduated from the University of Colorado's Leeds School of Business in May 2019 with his master's degree in Business Administration. He earned his bachelor's degree in Environmental Biology in 2016 from McGill University in Montreal, Quebec, where he was a member of the school's championship lacrosse team. Over his four years on the squad, McGill had a record of 52-4-1 which included two national championships and two national runner-up finishes. Roussos, a two-time team captain, was awarded the Evans Huber Most Dedicated Player during his senior year on the 15-0 national championship team.



CHRIS SCHOEN

Director of Marketing & Fan Experience

Chris Schoen is in his second year as the director of marketing and fan experience, as he joined the University of Colorado staff on July 21, 2021.

Schoen, 28, came to Colorado from the University of Oklahoma, where he was the assistant director of marketing from 2018-21. He was the primary contact for the baseball, volleyball and women's basketball teams as well as the student internship program. At OU, one of his marketing strategies earned a Bronze Award in the 2021 "Best Of" category by the National Association of Collegiate Marketing Administrators (NACMA); it was in the area of a fan giveaway promotion.

He previously was a graduate assistant in athletic marketing at Auburn, where he handled the duties for volleyball, swimming and diving and men's and women's tennis. He was a member of the Tigers' 2018 staff that finished as the runner-up for the National Marketing Team of the Year (given by NACMA, it recognized Auburn as the second best in all of college sports).

Between Oklahoma and Auburn, his sports he was directly responsible for set three single game and five season attendance records.

He earned his bachelor's degree in Communications from Purdue University in 2016, and earned his masters of education in Higher Education Administration (with a concentration in Sports Management) from Auburn University in 2018.

He was born on March 12, 1994 in Oshkosh, Wis., and graduated from Marian Catholic High School in Mishawaka, Ind., where he lettered four years as a varsity swimmer (team captain his junior and senior seasons). His hobbies include reading, cooking, hiking and swimming.



CURTIS SNYDER

Assistant AD/Sports Information

Curtis Snyder is in his 23rd year as a member of the University of Colorado athletic department, his third as an assistant athletic director in the sports information office, his third stint in the SID area; he was promoted to an assistant AD in August 2018.

He had worked the previous three years as CU's director of digital strategy after rejoining the Buffalo staff on December 1, 2008 after a five-and-a-half-year absence. He shares the duties for football with the associate AD and once again heads up the SID responsibilities for CU's ski team.

Snyder, 47, spent the previous seven-plus years (2008-15) as the associate sports information director, in addition to managing special projects and digital media. He was the secondary sports information contact for football for six seasons (2009-14) and was the primary SID for CU's renowned national championship ski program for eight years (2009-16). In August 2012, he was given the additional duties of overseeing overall strategy and execution of CUbuffs.com and social media (Facebook, Twitter, etc.), and still has some responsibilities in this area.

Snyder was the championship director for the 2016 and 2018 NCAA Skiing Championships that CU hosted in Steamboat Springs, and has served as the webmaster for the Rocky Mountain Intercollegiate Ski Association (RMISA) since 2008. He was awarded an "Honorary C" in 2014 for his dedication to the department.

He returned to CU from Duke University, where he served as the director of Internet operations from 2003-08, managing the day-to-day operations of GoDuke.com and had various SID duties for the football and men's basketball programs. He accompanied the basketball team during the postseason, during which time the Blue Devils captured two ACC Championships and a berth in the 2004 Final Four in San Antonio. He also traveled with the women's basketball team to the 2006 Final Four in Boston.

He previously served four years as a student assistant in CU's athletic media relations office (it's then name) from 1994-98 and then five years as a full-time assistant SID and as well as the Internet managing editor from 1998-2003. As a student, Snyder worked with the volleyball and men's basketball programs and was presented with the Athletic Director's medal for service to the department.

In his first stint at CU, he worked at various times as the primary contact for the men's basketball, volleyball and men's and women's tennis programs while also being named the Internet coordinator and eventually Internet managing editor, overseeing the official website, CUbuffs.com.

He also currently serves as a back-up statistician for the NBA's Denver Nuggets and has worked with the AVP (professional beach volleyball tour). He has been an active member of the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) and served on the technology committee for five years (2007-11).

Born Sept. 2, 1975, in Boulder, he graduated from Boulder High School in 1994, where he was a fourth-generation student and lettered three times in basketball. His grandmother graduated from CU in 1929, his grandfather was recruited to CU by Frank Potts to be a decathlete and also to play basketball and football and his father, mother and sister all attended CU. He is married to the former Kami Carmann, a four-time letterwinner and two-time captain of the women's basketball team at CU who was a sports anchor and reporter for Fox 31 (KDVR-TV) in Denver for several years. The couple resides in Erie and has three children, twins Lucy and Sam (12) and Cooper (9).



MIKE SMITH

Assistant AD/Sports Equipment Services

Michael Smith was named CU's assistant athletic director for sports equipment services on July 1, 2022, a few months after he returned for a third stint working in the department.

Smith, 52, had worked for Nike for 16 years before returning to CU as a member of the facilities staff in February 2022. At Nike, he initially worked in the innovation group, furthering some of the product development that had its origins at the University of Colorado, before transitioning to the basketball group, where he managed basketball product creation for all of Nike's global sports marketing assets, including men's and women's college, international federation, grass roots, and the NBA and its affiliates. When the NBA signed with Nike in 2016, Smith led the product creation process for all uniforms in the NBA, G-League, and WNBA including the launch of the successful "City Edition" uniform worn by each of the 30 NBA teams, as well as the "re-launch" of the WNBA uniforms in 2021. He traveled with and supported the USA Basketball National team in their successful Olympic tournament runs in 2008, 2012 and 2016, as well as world championship titles in 2010, and 2014.

He had been CU's director equipment for six years (1998-2004) and 10 years as the football equipment manager, as he was hired full-time on August 1, 1995; he was an EMC, or certified equipment manager, a status he has earned for his years of service in the profession. He had worked closely with NIKE, as CU and the sports shoe and apparel giant have been partners since 1996. Together, he worked with NIKE to help create new technologies that the CU football program had been the first to experiment with, and which led to the company hiring him away from the Buffaloes.

Smith had returned at that time in 1995 to his alma mater from Utah State University, where he was head equipment director for one year. Prior to his employment in the Aggies athletic department, he worked for IN2 Sports for two years as a team sales specialist.

He graduated from the University of Colorado in 1992 with a bachelor's degree in Mathematics. While he was a student at CU, he worked on the grounds crew, served as a Ralphie runner (accompanying the team to the 1989 Orange Bowl), and worked three years as a student equipment manager, and was the team's head manager his senior year.

Smith also worked five Hula bowls (1998-2001, 2004) as its equipment and operations manager, coordinating the many needs of almost 100 of college football's most outstanding players.

He was born May 26, 1970 in Denver and graduated from Broomfield (Colo.) High School in 1988, where he lettered in golf, basketball and baseball. An avid golfer, he plays to a single-digit handicap and has played in several area tournaments. He is married to the former Reese Lovegren and the couple have a grown daughter, Lauren.



TAYLOR STRATTON

Ralphie Program Manager

Taylor Stratton, a former Ralphie Handler, was named the manager of CU's Ralphie Live Mascot Program, assuming the role on April 1, 2020 after serving as the assistant coach for the program for the previous four years (2016-19).

Stratton, 31, replaced John Graves, who had served in the role for five years (2015-19); she becomes the second woman to head the program, joining Gail Pederson in the prestigious role; Pederson coordinated the program from 2006-14.

Stratton joined the athletic department full-time after working on the Boulder campus since January 2014, when she started in the admissions office. She moved over to the Alumni Association as the program manager for Student and Young Alumni Outreach in October 2017. She coordinated all aspects of training for CU's latest live buffalo mascot, Ralphie VI, who made her debut in the 2021 football season.



She graduated from CU in 2013 with a triple major in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Environmental Studies and Geography. As an undergraduate, she lettered three times as a Ralphie Handler her sophomore through senior years under coaches Graves and Ben Frei, and was interviewed by Bryant Gumbel for HBO's Real Sports. She is currently working toward her master's in Business Administration from the University of Illinois, with a target date of spring 2022 to finish the degree.

Though born in Florida, she grew up in Southern Colorado on her family's multi-generational working ranch. There, her family raised Register of Merit AQHA race and performance horses and had a commercial herd of Herefords (beef cows) with bloodlines dating back to her great grandfather's herd.

She was born March 26, 1991 in Orlando, Fla., and graduated from Cheyenne Mountain High School in Colorado Springs, where she had extensive involvement in Ag focused groups, including the Pikes Peak Rangerettes, Interscholastic Equestrian Association, 4-H, and horse shows for both the Palomino Horse Breeders of America and American Quarter Horse Association (she was an officer for both the Rangerettes and 4-H). Her hobbies include playing soccer and golf, watching the Colorado Avalanche, country swing dancing, hiking with her dog and traveling. She has also studied abroad in Tanzania, and her love for travel has some of her favorite destinations including Montana, Wyoming, Morocco, South Africa, Australia, Italy, Austria, Greece, Spain, Costa Rica, Utah, South Carolina, California, Texas, New Orleans. Nicknamed "T-Stratt," she married Mitchell Fenton in August 2022.



LUKE WESTALL

Assistant Equipment Manager

Luke Westall is in his third year as the assistant equipment manager for the football program, having joined the department on July 1, 2020.

Westall, 28, joined CU from the U.S. Air Force Academy, where he was the head equipment manager for the cross country and track teams and the assistant for the football program for a year-and-a-half (2019-20, until being hired by CU). At AFA, he managed the ordering and creation of apparel and competition gear for the 2019 and 2020 seasons, managed and implemented a detailed inventory system to track apparel and planned and implemented a structured weekly routine for athletes concerning equipment with repairs, laundry, and issuing. He also assisted and managed special events, including the NHL Stadium Series game (Avalanche-Kings) and Los Angeles Chargers practices during the 2019 and 2020 season from an equipment standpoint. He assisted with the 2019 Cheese-It Bowl in all day to day tasks along with game day sideline support and worked the 2019 Cheez-It Bowl, where Air Force defeated Washington State, 31-21, to finish 11-2 for the season.

He was an intern for the National Wheelchair Basketball Association for 2017-18, where he assisted and created webpages that managed memberships and global events; planned, setup, and ran an international basketball tournament with foreign countries including USA, Great Britain, Amsterdam, Canada, and Australia; designed and managed apparel for a new online store as well as the Men's and Women's National Teams' and assisted coaches with practices, running shot clocks, managing equipment and setting up facilities. He also planned, set up, and worked on the largest organized Para sport tournament in history.

In the summer of 2017, Westall was an intern with the Pikes Peak International Hill Climb (PPIHC), where among several duties, he assisted with creating and dispersing promotional material throughout Colorado Springs, managed the media room for the event at the summit house of Pikes Peak, planned and fulfilled sponsorship agreements throughout the course and race week and supervised the closings of multiple roads in downtown Colorado Springs. He also was able to assist I helped Hoonigan Media with the filming of Ken Block's Climbkhana. He continues to work as a volunteer race official for the PPIHC, something he began doing back in 2012.

Westall earned his bachelor's degree in Business Administration with an emphasis in Sport Management in 2018 from the University of Colorado-Colorado Springs. He is working toward finishing his Athletic Equipment Managers Association Certification this summer.

He was born March 3, 1994 in Canon City, Colo., and after spending much of his youth in St. Augustine, Fla., he returned to the Centennial State in 2009 and graduated from Woodland Park (Colo.) High School where he lettered in football. His hobbies include hunting, fishing, mountain biking, snowboarding, basketball and auto racing. He also owns an impressive collection of ... sneakers.



DERIC SWANSON

Executive Director of BuffVision

Deric Swanson is in his 24th year as the executive director of BuffVision, coordinating all aspects of production involving the video display boards at Folsom Field and the CU Events Center, both upgraded last decade to a near \$10 million operation for both facilities combined.

The only director the area has ever had since it was created in 1999, which includes hiring game day staff to showcase CU's home events on the BuffVision boards, he also coordinates several video projects for the university in general and works closely with students interested in the profession that are enrolled in CU's CMCI school (College of Media, Communication and Information).

Swanson, 48, is easily considered one of the best in his field and came to CU from the National Hockey League's Colorado Avalanche, where he had worked for a brief time as the manager of game entertainment and video production. He had previously worked three-plus seasons with the Colorado Rockies Baseball Club, first as a stadium camera operator, and then as video production coordinator, including the 1998 Major League Baseball All-Star Game at Coors Field.

In 2003, BuffVision won the Golden Matrix Award for "Best Overall Video Display" in the University Division at the Information Display and Entertainment Association (IDEA) conference in Atlanta.

The following year, BuffVision was awarded two distinctions, one for the 2004 Aurora Awards, a Platinum Best of Show statue for In-Game Entertainment Graphics/Design, and a Telly Award for The Buffalo Stampede, CU's coaches' show. In 2006 and 2007, BuffVision won three more Telly Awards for Swanson's production, including two for the "Ralphie on Campus" institutional spot and another for The Buffalo Stampede. In 2013, BuffVision earned another Telly for a production involving CU's men's basketball team and the Navy Seals and in all have earned eight bronze Telly Awards. In 2019, it won its first silver Telly, again for the Buffalo Stampede and in particular for its season finale.

He is a 1996 graduate of Colorado State University, earning his bachelor's degree in technical journalism and broadcasting. He graduated Magna Cum Laude and was recognized as CSU's outstanding graduate in journalism.

He was born May 24, 1974 in Oakland, Calif., and attended two high schools. His father was stationed in the Azores, Portugal, and he spent two years at Lajes High School, where he lettered in football, soccer, volleyball and basketball. After moving to Colorado, he graduated from Liberty High School in Colorado Springs, where he lettered in football. He played volleyball on CSU's club team for three years. His hobbies include hiking and biking; he has now competed in 23 Ironman triathlons (through August 2019); his personal best was a time of 11 hours and 29 minutes in Tempe, Ariz., in 2009.

He is the father of two sons, Gavin (15) and Dane (12). He was the recipient of an "Honorary C" award in 2014 for his dedication to the department.



ADMINISTRATION



SERENA ARCHER
Director of Digital Content

Serena Archer is in her second year as the director of digital content for the University of Colorado athletic department, as she joined the staff on August 1, 2021.

Archer, 25, came to Colorado from the University of Kentucky, where she was the Creative Content Editor/Producer and the main point of contact for all

Kentucky football video related content. As the lead creative video producer, she assisted in mentoring and overseeing student staff, developed weekly and year-long video content plans that served the department, team and individual student-athletes.

She was the primary producer on several videos at UK that were finalists for the College Sports Media Awards (CSMA). The videos that were nominated include "Pre-Louisville Promo" (2020 Short Form Fan Engagement), "For the Team" (2021 Program Series) and "Back to Work" (2021 Short Form Fan Engagement). She worked two bowls for the Wildcats, wins over Virginia Tech in the 2019 Belk Bowl and over North Carolina State in the 2020 TaxSlayer Gator Bowl.

Archer earned her bachelor's degree in Sport & Event Management from Elon University in 2019, also earning minors in Communications/Cinema and Business Administration (academically, she was an Elon Honors Fellow). She worked in Elon's athletic department for all four years as an undergraduate, serving as the assistant video coordinator for football. She created a pair of documentary series ("The Spark" and "The Commitment") which followed the football and basketball programs while assisting to lead a student staff that numbered a dozen. She earned two awards as a senior in 2018-19, as the Sport Management "Major of the Year" and for Elon Athletics' MVP Student Service, and was also a finalist for several videos in the CSMA's Collegiate Student category (Short Form Fan Engagement, Program Series, and Special Feature).

At the 2018 World Equestrian Games, she served as an intern in the press relations department and a volunteer coordinator assisting over 200 members of the media covering the event. She also spent a semester in 2018 as the creative content producer for Florentina Basket (a Series B professional Italian men's basketball team), and in the summer of 2017, interned with Duke football's video office and assisted in creative video pursuits.

She was born March 16, 1997 in Minneapolis, Minn., and graduated from the city's Southwest High School, where she lettered in lacrosse and Nordic skiing. Her hobbies include riding horses, cooking, biking, hiking and tending to what she refers to as her "excessively large collection of indoor plants." In her free time, she also trains horses and service dogs and volunteers at therapeutic riding centers. A great uncle, Chris Daniels, is a member of the Colorado Music Hall of Fame and performed with his popular local band, Chris Daniels and the Kings. First name is Martha, but goes by her middle name as she is the sixth "Martha" in her family.

This September, she will have a major research project published in the Journal of Higher Education Athletics and Innovation: "A Qualitative Analysis of the Intersectional Socialization of NCAA Division I Student-Athletes Across Diverse Identities."



CHANDLER BARONE
Director of Special Events

Chandler Barone is finishing her third year as the director of special events and premium venues for the University of Colorado Athletic Department, as she was named to the position on October 28, 2019.

Barone, 29, brought a wealth of experience in event management when she joined CU from the Front Range Catering, where she was the sales and event manager for one of the top catering companies in Boulder. She started there in March 2018 and in 18 months, she managed and catered well over 100 events, which included managing proposals and event contracts in food and beverage sales. She hired and supervised the kitchen, serving and bartender staffs and increased the company's business sales by building strong relationships with its client base.

Prior to joining Front Range Catering, she was a senior event manager for Ansley Event Design in Denver for a year-and-a-half beginning in April 2016.

She coordinated and executed details such as rehearsals, menu planning, floor plan design, logistics and on-site management for over 50 weddings that ranged in size from 25 to 300 attendees.

Barone earned her bachelor's degree from CU's Leeds School of Business with an emphasis in Human Resource Management in 2015. She worked her entire time as an undergraduate for the CU Boulder Student Alumni Association, where she coordinated events, sold memberships and solicited sponsors.

Before she entered the event planning business, her first full-time job after college was as a technical recruiter at Stephen James Associates in Denver.

She was born Chandler Nicolls in San Diego, Calif., and graduated from Corona Del Mar (Calif.) High School where she was a member of the club team for crew (rowing). Her hobbies include hiking, snowboarding, trying new restaurants and walking her dog. In high school, she was president of the Performing Arts & Multimedia Academy, where she first dabbled in event planning; in fact, she planned multiple events for a national competition for the Hurley Clothing Brand and won \$25,000 for her high school's program. She is married to Dawn Barone, CU's associate director of Forever Buffs Outreach for the school's Alumni Association (she is also a CU graduate); the couple has a daughter, Avery (1).



HEATHER CRACRAFT
Executive Assistant to the Athletic Director

Heather Cracraft is in her fifth year as the executive assistant to athletic director Rick George, having returned on Nov. 1, 2018 to where she had previously worked two decades earlier.

She came back to CU from the Superior (Colo.) Chamber of Commerce, where she was the executive director since 2006. Her first stint with athletics came from 1995 through 1997 as the director of special events, one of the first to hold the position in the department.

A 1993 graduate of CU, she earned her bachelor's degree in Business (Marketing). While a student, she was a member of the sports marketing club; she was a volunteer at the opening and ribbon cutting ceremony when the Dal Ward Center opened in August 1991.

Cracraft interned with the Colorado Rockies her senior year, and after graduation, she was hired full-time by the club in their ticket office. She was on the staff when the franchise began play in 1993 at Mile High Stadium, when the team drew what remains a major league record of just under 4.5 million in attendance (only three other teams have ever reached the four million mark). She was also a club staffer when Coors Field opened in 1995 before returning to her alma mater.

A native of Newport Beach, Calif., she graduated from Corona Del Mar High School where she lettered in softball. Her hobbies include gardening, finding fun and creative things to do in her spare time, and spending time with family and friends. She has two grown children, Austin and Abby.



RYAN GOTTLIEB
Senior Associate AD/Revenue
Generating Officer

Ryan Gottlieb, a 12-year veteran in revenue generation, is in his second year as CU's senior associate athletic director and revenue generating officer, joining the department on Jan. 17, 2022.

Gottlieb came to Colorado from Rutgers University, where he was the Scarlet Knights' associate athletic director for sales strategy and business intelligence for nearly four-and-a-half years (September 2017 through January 2022).

In his role at RU, Gottlieb oversaw all ticketing activities, which included the construction of ticket marketing, sales and service plan, development of revenue/attendance driving initiatives and building a robust business intelligence plan. He also served as the primary managerial contact for Rutgers' ticketing operations and athletic department's ticket-related partnerships with Paciolan and the Aspire Group. Under Gottlieb's leadership, Rutgers experienced a handful of successes including four consecutive years



of season ticket growth in men's basketball, 23 sold out men's basketball games, consistently ranked in the top four nationally in wrestling attendance and Rutgers led the country in football average attendance growth in 2021.

During his time in Piscataway, Gottlieb was tasked with managing additional revenue streams for the Scarlet Knights. Those responsibilities included serving as the administrative point of contact for Rutgers Sports Properties, managing the departments relationship with SHI International (naming rights partner on Rutgers Stadium), helped procure Jersey Mike's as the naming rights partner for the Rutgers Athletics Center, assisted in managing relationship with concessionaire Gourmet dining, and assisted in managing the relationship with official merchandise provider Dyehard Fan Supply.

He had joined the Rutgers program from Georgia Tech, returning to where he first started in the collegiate sports industry. In his second stint with the school he was the director of sales and service for almost three-and-a-half years (March 2014 to August 2017). In this role, he was responsible for the Aspire Group's partnership with the Georgia Tech Athletics Association and managed three ticketing teams: season ticket service and retention, new business development and group sales department.

With the help of Gottlieb, the Yellow Jackets set an all-time school record for total ticket revenue in school history in 2015, as the football program averaged 50,706 fans per game that year, capitalizing on the team's 11-3 record and No. 8 final ranking the year before and despite the Jackets following that season with a 3-9 record. In 2014, Gottlieb was a member of the Georgia Tech ticketing department that won the prestigious Paciolan "Star of the Year Award" for embracing technology and strategic innovation.

Prior to his return to Georgia Tech, Gottlieb managed the Aspire Group's partnership with the University of Alabama-Birmingham for 13 months and the Aspire Group's partnership with Louisiana Tech University for two-plus years.

Gottlieb graduated from the University of South Carolina in 2009 with a bachelor's degree in Hotel Restaurant and Tourism Management. He immediately started his career in the sports sales industry, selling football and basketball season tickets at Georgia Tech from 2009-11. Starting out as a sales consultant, he was promoted to a senior position just eight months into his time on the Yellow Jackets staff.

He was born in Atlanta, Ga., and graduated from Holy Innocent's, where he lettered in baseball (first basemen, catcher, designated hitter). His hobbies include playing golf and spending time with family and friends. He is married to the former Kathryn Owens and the couple has one son, Stewart.

since 2016. Prior to that she served as Chair of the Psychology and Neuroscience Department, a Department she joined as a new Assistant Professor in 1990. A career researcher in the field of traumatic brain injury (TBI), Hernández has implemented basic and clinical neuroscience methods aimed at optimizing recovery from TBI in veterans, civilians and athletes, by reducing the negative effects of stress and promoting psychological health. She has collaborated with the WHOLE Student-Athlete Program since its inception and recently completed research for the Pac-12 Conference that assesses student-athlete health and well-being from recruitment through graduation and beyond.

Hernández will maintain an appointment in the college to oversee the Southern Colorado Partnerships to promote their sustainability and enhance their reach. These partnerships include the Southern Ute Tribe Department of Education and the CU@Fort Lewis College postdoctoral teaching fellowship program, which she co-created with former Dean James W.C. White.

A native of El Paso, Texas, Hernández received her Ph.D. from The University of Texas at Austin in 1988. Her hobbies include reading about, watching and learning from animal behavior.



CORY HILLIARD

Senior Associate AD/ Business Operations & CFO

Cory Hilliard is in his 15th year with athletic department at the University of Colorado, his fifth as a senior associate athletic director, promoted to that position on August 1, 2018. That came after serving eight years as the associate athletic director for business operations after he originally joined the department in March 2008 as assistant business manager.

On July 1, 2016, the chief athletic financial officer (CAFO) responsibilities were added to his title and duties. He is on athletic director Rick George's executive team and also serves as the sports administrator for CU's cross country and track programs.

In his position, Hilliard is responsible for the management of the administrative, financial, budget, human resources, and payroll functions for the athletic department and its 17 sport programs. In addition to his business operations duties, Hilliard oversees the information technology support services for the Buffaloes.

Hilliard, 48, came to CU from the University of North Dakota where he was the assistant athletic director for business operations for three years (2006-08). He earned the promotion at UND after serving five years as the assistant director for business services (2001-06).

Hilliard graduated from Minnesota State University-Moorhead in 1995 with a Bachelor's of Science degree in Health Education, and in 2006 earned his master's degree in Business Administration from the University of North Dakota. Hilliard also attended the University of Wyoming from 1990-92 where he was a member of the track team, participating in the hurdles and relay events. While at MSU-Moorhead from 1993-95, he also lettered in the sport.

He was born August 2, 1972 in Rochester, Minn., he graduated from Manitou Springs High School (Colo.) in 1990, where he lettered in football and was an outstanding track and field athlete. He ran the 110- and 300-meter hurdles and was a member of the 4x200 and 4x400-meter relay teams that won multiple state titles in addition to the boys team championship in 1990. At one time (during the 1989 season), he held the Colorado state high school record in the 300-meter hurdle and is a former high school national champion in the 60-meter hurdles and 400-meter hurdles.

Hilliard is married to the former Abby Barendt, and the couple has two grown sons, Zach, who played tight end on the Missouri Baptist football team, and Jacob. He is actively involved in the College Athletic Business Management Association (CABMA) as well as a member of the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (NACDA).



LEON JACKSON III

Sr. Assoc. AD/Advancement

Leon Jackson III was named senior associate athletic director and assistant vice chancellor for advancement at the University of Colorado on December 13, 2021; he joined the department soon thereafter on January 1, 2022.

Jackson, 38, oversees all areas of CU Boulder's athletic advancement efforts, including fundraising and engagement efforts through the Buff Club. In his two years at Pitt, he created several innovative



LEXI HARTMANN

Digital Content Manager

Lexi Hartmann is in her second year as the digital content manager for the athletic department, as she was promoted into the full-time position on March 15, 2021.

Hartman, 24, joined the Colorado staff from Fresno State University, where she was a graphic designer in 2020.

She graduated in 2020 with a bachelor's degree in Strategic Communication from the University of Colorado. While a CU student, she played on the women's club ice hockey team all four years as an undergraduate.

She was born February 18, 1998 in Waconia, Minn., and graduated from Waconia High School where she lettered in hockey. Her hobbies include both playing and coaching hockey.



THERESA HERNANDEZ

Director WHOLE Student-Athlete Program

Theresa Hernández is the first director of the University of Colorado Boulder Athletics' Crawford Family WHOLE Student-Athlete Program, beginning her position on Aug. 1, 2022.

The WHOLE program, an acronym for Wellness Health Optimal Life Experience, has quickly become a nationally recognized initiative that prepares student-athletes for life success by comprehensively focusing on their physical, psychological, academic and career health. The program focuses on a person's overall wellness amidst the pressures of the college athletics experience by incorporating their physical, psychological, academic and career goals, giving them the tools to succeed both while they are at CU Boulder and well after they leave. The landmark program is a cornerstone for CU Boulder, which continues to be a leader in mental as well as physical resources for student-athletes.

Hernández comes to the athletic department from just across campus, as she has served as the associate dean for research for the College of Arts and Sciences



strategies and tactics at Pitt, helping bring the Panthers' fundraising to record levels.

He returned to some previous and extensive Rocky Mountain regional roots; he lettered four years as a quarterback and punter (2004-07) at Utah State University, where he earned his bachelor's degree in Political Science in 2007. After two years of playing professionally in Europe, he returned to his alma mater where he joined the football staff in 2010, earned his Master of Education in 2012 and then held several different positions in the Aggies' athletic department before moving on to Kansas State in 2015.

Jackson joined the Pittsburgh staff in November of 2019 as the Panthers' associate athletics director for major gifts. He was charged with identifying, cultivating and securing major gift commitments for Pitt Athletics' \$300 million Victory Heights Capital Campaign and its 750 student-athletes, spirit squads, and marching band. In addition, he was the development liaison for the women's gymnastics, women's basketball, and women's lacrosse programs.

Prior to his time at Pitt, Jackson spent the previous four years (2015-19) at Kansas State University. As a member of the Wildcat staff, he was the director of annual giving for K-State's Ahearn Fund, overseeing the department's \$18.3 million annual giving unit. He directed all premium seat sale efforts (to 97 percent capacity), and managed a major gift portfolio of 90 donors in support of a near record-setting \$44.4 million in giving toward KSU athletics and in support of its 450 student-athletes. For his first three years in Manhattan, he was a member on K-State's expanded senior athletic staff as the director of ticket services. In that role, Jackson led a record-setting ticketing unit and was the direct contact for football and men's basketball.

Jackson enjoyed a solid playing career at Utah State. As a senior in 2007, he completed 65.4 percent of his passes (151-of-231) which set a school single-season record; he threw for 1,576 yards and nine touchdowns with only four interceptions. He earned second-team All-Western Athletic Conference honors as a punter, averaging 41.3 yards per punt with 16 inside-the-20.

Following his collegiate career, Jackson completed a five-month internship as a legislative intern on Capitol Hill in Washington, D.C. He then spent two seasons playing professional football overseas in France and Austria in the European Football League.

After he retired from football, he returned to the United States and Logan, Utah at his alma mater, where he first served as an offensive administrative assistant for Utah State's football team in 2010, and then as an external operations graduate assistant for the 2011-12 academic and athletic year. His first full time job came the next year, when he was promoted to director of events/internal operations for the athletic department in July 2012. The following June, he transitioned into ticketing as the assistant director of ticketing and customer service, and after one year in that role, he was quickly elevated to the department's senior staff as the director in that same area, overseeing the entire ticket office staff of 17 when the Aggies set a then-record of 10,700 season tickets.

A native of Los Angeles, he was an all-CIF performer at Long Beach Poly High School, which was ranked second in the nation his senior year when he was his league's Most Valuable Player. He is married to the former Nicki Felley, a four-year letterwinner on Utah State's gymnastics team and the couple has three children, Josiah, Kyndal, and Isaac.

Jennings earned his bachelor's degree in business administration, sports management from Tiffin (Ohio) University in 2008, where he lettered four times (2005 through 2008) as an offensive lineman for the Dragons. A member of Tiffin's 2007 Great Lakes Conference championship team, he was a semifinalist for the university's Student-Athlete of the Year Award. He earned Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) All-Academic honors as a senior in 2008 and earned academic all-conference honors when Tiffin was a member of the Great Lakes Football Conference in both 2006 and 2007.

He was born in Lima, Ohio, and graduated from Lima Senior High School where he lettered in football and track and field. He is married to the former Laura Hosler, and the couple has a daughter, Josi.



JILL KEEGAN
Senior Associate AD/Compliance & SWA

Jill Keegan is in her 13th year as a member of the University of Colorado athletic department, her third as the senior associate athletic director for compliance as she was promoted on July 1, 2020. On the same date, she assumed the role of CU's senior woman's administrator, and is also on athletic director

Rich George's executive team and has sports administrator duties for CU's volleyball program.

She replaced the retiring Ceal Barry as the school's SWA, becoming just the fourth to hold the position at Colorado since it was created in 1992.

Keegan previously had served two years as the associate athletic director for compliance, which had followed three years as an assistant A.D. in the same area, as she was promoted to that role on June 1, 2015. She was the associate compliance director for four years, hired on Oct. 1, 2010, initially serving as the rules education coordinator, as her role gradually expanded through the years.

She came to Colorado in October 2010 from Michigan State University where she served as the assistant compliance coordinator for four years. Prior to Michigan State, she was the assistant director of compliance at Marshall University where she also completed her master's degree in Sport Administration in 2006. Keegan received her bachelor's degree in Sports Marketing and management from Indiana University in 2005 where she also served as an intern in the Hoosiers' compliance office.

A native of Owatonna, Minn., the former Jill Gainey graduated from Angola High School in Angola, Ind., in 2001, lettering in volleyball, basketball and track and field. Her hobbies include attending sporting events, traveling, outdoor activities and gardening. She and her husband Brian are the parents of a 4-year old son, Nolan.



LINDSAY LEW
Assistant AD/Digital Marketing

Lindsay Lew is in her seventh year as the assistant athletic director for digital and database marketing, as she was promoted to the position on July 1, 2016, after serving since 2007 (nine years) as the director of strategic sales and communication. She is in her 25th year overall at Colorado, in the second of two stints

working for the school.

Lew is responsible for oversight of ecommerce operations and revenue management for the CU athletic department, as well as digital strategy and content, email marketing and the business analytics team. She is also the sport supervisor for the women's soccer program, a role she assumed in 2019.

She was an assistant sports information director for at CU for five years (1999-2004), before leaving in August 2004 for a marketing position with Webroot Software. She was promoted from graduate assistant SID on August 6, 1999 to an assistant's position after working the previous year as the GA in the media relations office and one year as a student assistant; she was the first woman at CU to hold the grad assistant role in the SID office, and is the first female student worker in sports information to become an assistant athletic director at the school.

Lew was the women's soccer SID her first three years as an assistant SID, before switching to women's basketball and men's and women's indoor and outdoor track for the final four years in her first CU tour of duty. She also served as media coordinator for two women's NCAA basketball sub-regionals and was the official statistician for the 1999 NCAA Women's Soccer College Cup in Palo Alto, Calif. In 2015 she served as the Tournament Director for the Pac-12 Women's Golf Championship in Boulder at Boulder Country Club.



ORVILLE JENNINGS
Associate AD/Facilities & Game Day Ops

Orville Jennings is in his second year as the associate athletic director for facilities and game day operations, as he was promoted to the position on July 1, 2021. He previously was in the role of assistant athletic director for the CU Events Center (and its game day ops), joining the department on July 11, 2018. He also is in his second

year as the sports supervisor for the men's and women's golf teams.

He came to Colorado from Central Michigan University, where he was the associate athletic director for facilities and event operations. He was promoted to that position on January 1, 2017, after serving as the assistant AD with the same responsibilities for the previous 16 months. After his promotion, his role was expanded to include working on capital projects undertaken by the Chippewas, which included a baseball performance development center, Kelly/Shorts Stadium and field hockey turf replacements and Title IX locker room and office renovations.

He had returned to CMU in September 2015, where he had earned his master's degree in sport administration in 2010. While in graduate school, he served as an intern in facilities, events and game management and was a sport camp assistant for the 2009-10 academic year.

After earning his master's, he moved on to Wake Forest University from 2011-15, where he started as the assistant director of event management and facilities before being promoted to the director in 2013.



Lew is a 1997 graduate of Trinity University in San Antonio, Texas, where she received her bachelor's degree in Communication. She returned to her native state in the fall of 1997 to begin graduate studies in the CU journalism school's Integrated Marketing Communication program. She received her master's degree in December 1998.

She was a soccer standout at Trinity, a nationally-ranked Division III program, earning all-conference honors all four years, as well as NSCAA All-Region honors as a sophomore. Lew also played collegiate golf for two years, helping Trinity to the 1995 conference championship. She also worked in the school's SID office her senior year.

Born July 23 in Denver, the former Lindsay Anhold graduated from Green Mountain High School in 1993, where she lettered in soccer, basketball and softball. She has remained active in soccer through the years, coaching youth recreational teams, and is an avid golfer and runner. Her younger brother Eric is a Colorado grad, and her father Monty is a graduate of UC-Denver. She is married to Jason Lew and they have two sons, Jackson and Dylan. In her free time, she serves as president of her sorority alumni association foundation at Trinity University. She was the recipient of an "Honorary C" award in 2016 for her dedication to the department.



JO MARCHI

Director of Camps & Special Projects

Jo Marchi is in her second "tour of duty" with the CU athletic department, as she returned to the school in 2019 as the director of camps and special projects. She is in her 16th year overall working for the Buffaloes.

Marchi, 40, left the university in 2017 to teach yoga full-time, which still does in her spare time. In her position, she coordinates many aspects of the sports camps that most of CU's 17 intercollegiate sports conduct in the summer. She had previously served as the associate director of compliance/monitoring for athletics for 12 years; she was named to that position full-time in October 2005 after working as an intern in CU's compliance office for seven months.

In her previous role, she performed multiple duties on behalf of the student-athletes, including serving as the staff liaison with CU's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) for 10 years (2007-16), as well as the sport camp coordinator, also assuming the latter role in 2007. She coordinates the annual CUSPY (CU Sports Performers of the Year) banquet, also serving on the selection committee with the sports information staff and has been a regular member of search committees for department openings.

Marchi came to Colorado from Indiana University, where she worked as a compliance intern her senior year in college. She graduated from Indiana with Bachelor's degree in Sport Marketing and Management in 2004. She then moved west to Colorado and accepted an intern position with CU in February 2005.

She was born January 29, 1982 in Bloomington, Ill., and graduated Glenbard (Ill.) East High School, where she lettered in basketball and track and field. Her hobbies include traveling and baking.



DR. ERIC MCCARTY

Head Team Physician

Dr. Eric McCarty is in his 20th year working with the CU athletic program, joining the sports medicine team in July 2003. But he's certainly no stranger to the University or to Boulder.

In 2022, he was selected for induction into CU's Athletic Hall of Fame, as the program is now a wing

of the school's Athletic Hall of Fame and has been resurrected to honor those former athletes are recognized for distinguished achievement in their chosen field.

McCarty, 57, is the Chief of Sports Medicine and Shoulder Surgery position in the Department of Orthopedics at CU's Health Sciences Center in Denver, where he also is an associate professor, enabling him to return to his home state where he starred as both a prep and collegian.

He returned to CU from Vanderbilt University, where he was an orthopedic surgeon, assistant professor and team physician for the Commodores' athletic teams for four years.

McCarty is the head team physician for the University of Colorado, the head orthopedic team physician for the University of Denver, and the medical director and head team physician for the National Hockey League's Colorado Avalanche. As a board-certified orthopedic surgeon his specialized practice involves the care of collegiate athletes as well as recreational and

highly competitive athletes from the community. A large part of his practice is the sports medicine care of high school athletes in the state of Colorado.

He graduated in 1988 from CU with a degree in kinesiology and a 3.75 grade point average. A four-time Academic All-Big Eight team member, the first in school history to be honored four times, he was an Academic All-American his senior year, when he reached the finalist stage for the Rhodes Scholarship. On the field, he earned first-team All-Big Eight honors as a senior, when he led the Buffaloes with 148 tackles, the fourth highest total at the time in team history. He had 237 career tackles in two years on defense, after moving over from offense where he played fullback (503 career rushing yards), and earned four letters.

He earned his M.D., with honors, in 1993 from the University of Colorado School of Medicine in Denver, and did his internship residency at Vanderbilt in orthopedic surgery between 1993 and 1998. Shortly thereafter, he spent a year at the internationally renowned Hospital for Special Surgery in New York City, where he received a fellowship in sports medicine and shoulder surgery. While residing in New York, he worked with the NFL's New York Giants. During this time is when he obtained his expertise in the arthroscopic and open surgical management of sports injuries to the knees and shoulders as well as a special emphasis in the management of complex shoulder problems including shoulder instability, rotator cuff tears and shoulder replacement surgery for arthritis.

In addition to his busy clinical practice, Dr. McCarty is very active in research, teaching, and writing articles in the field of sports medicine and knee and shoulder surgery. He has received grants for his research and has given numerous talks at both the national and international level. One of his many interests is the care of the high school athlete, and his background allows him the ability to understand the issues surrounding the prep athlete.

McCarty has been the recipient of over four dozen awards in his professional career, and has had papers published on 15 occasions while contributing to several others.

He was born November 16, 1964 in Lundstuh, West Germany. He graduated from Boulder High School in 1983, where he was the state's player of the year as a senior and considered one of the nation's top recruits after rushing for 1,301 and 13 touchdowns; he won the prestigious Denver Post Gold Helmet Award that same year. He is married to the former Miriam Liddell, and they have four grown children, Madeleine, Eric Cleveland, Jr., Shannon and Torrance.



SCOTT McMICHAEL

Assistant AD/Development

Scott McMichael is in his 16th year as an assistant athletic director and the senior director of development at the University of Colorado. He works to support endowments, annual gifts, and capital projects by generating major gift revenue and also has worked with the school's Alumni C Club, supporting

alumni relations.

Prior to joining Colorado in 2007, McMichael spent 10 years working for the University of Kansas as the Assistant Athletic Director/Director of the Williams Educational Fund & K-Club. As Director of the Williams Fund he cultivated new contributors and stewardship of existing donors generating over \$5 million annually. He also developed a Career Placement Program for student-athletes.

McMichael spent six years at Wilson Sporting Goods as a sales representative where he was responsible for new account openings, analyzing growth potential of established accounts and promotional calls on collegiate and professional teams.

McMichael graduated from Kansas with a bachelor's of science degree in education and also studied business and education in graduate school. He was a four-year letterwinner for the Jayhawks' football team where he set a school passing record as a sophomore and earned honorable mention to the All-Big 8 conference team. McMichael was a free agent signee of the Atlanta Falcons after his playing days at KU.

Born and raised in Kansas City, McMichael graduated from Shawnee Mission West High School in Overland Park, Kan. He enjoys spending time with his wife Marcia, his son Bryce, and his daughter Morgan. His hobbies include hiking, water skiing, golf and travel. He was the recipient of the Alumni C Club's "Honorary C" award in 2016 for his dedication to the department.



DR. SOURAV PODDAR

Medical Director/Team Physician

Dr. Sourav Poddar is his 23rd year working with the CU athletic program, his 20th with the football program as a team physician and his sixth as the athletic department's medical director, for which he was named on July 1, 2016; the Pac-12 Conference required someone from each member school to hold

the designation.

Poddar, 50, is an associate professor in the departments of Family Medicine and Orthopedics at the CU School of Medicine, and sees patients at the CU Sports Medicine Center. He also serves as the Director of the Primary Care Sports Medicine (PCSM) Program. He has served in leadership roles for the American Medical Society for Sports Medicine and currently serves on the Board of Directors for the AMSSM Foundation. He has also served on the NCAA's Competitive Safeguards Committee and currently sits on the Pac-12's Brain Trauma Task Force, serving as the chair for the latter.

He is board certified in family practice, with a CAQ certificate in sports medicine. His specific areas of medical interest within the realm of sports medicine include heat illnesses, sports-related concussion and special expertise in the management of acute and chronic joint and soft tissue injury, including novel approaches using biologic therapies. In addition to primary care, he specializes in the non-operative management of sports medicine injuries, as well as injury prevention, and novel approaches to treat overuse injuries.

He graduated from Rice University in 1993 with a degree in biochemistry, and then completed medical school at the University of Texas-Southwestern Medical Center in Dallas in 1997. At Rice, he was a member of the soccer team.

Poddar completed his residency in family practice at the UCHSC-Rose in Denver (he was chief resident during his third year in residency), and subsequently completed a fellowship in sports medicine at the University of Colorado, working with former CU team physician Rob Loeffler.

Born April 15, 1972 in Bombay, India, his family moved to the United States when he was a two-year old; he graduated from Clear Lake High School in Houston, where he lettered in soccer. He is married to the former Emily Aldeen, and in 2018, he was the recipient of the Alumni C Club's "Honorary C" award for his long-time dedication to the department. *(His name is pronounced shuh-rav poe-dar.)*



ANDREW POPCHOCK

BSP General Manager

Andrew Popchock is entering his second year as the general manager of Buffalo Sports Properties (BSP), as Learfield, the multimedia rightsholder for University of Colorado Athletics, appointed him to the position on November 29, 2021.

For BSP, he serves as the primary Learfield liaison with athletic department. The team works in complete collaboration with the athletics administration and oversees CU Athletics' corporate partner platform. CU and Learfield have been partners for a quarter century; the Buffaloes are one of 50 Power 5 programs that the company represents in the multimedia rights arena.

Popchock, 37, has been with Learfield since 2010, having joined the CU staff from Washington State University, where he had been the general manager for Washington State Sports Properties which represented the Cougars from August 2018 until coming to CU. Prior to WSU, he was the former associate general manager for Learfield's Michigan Sports Properties team in Ann Arbor for three years (August 2015-18). He had been promoted to that position from a senior account executive position for MSP that he held for nearly two-and-a-half years. He had started as an MSP account executive in June 2011 and worked in that position for just under two years until his first promotion.

Popchock is a 2007 graduate of Hope College (Holland, Mich.), where he earned his bachelor's degree in Business Management and Communications and was also a defensive back for the Flying Dutchmen. After working as an event resources executive in the Detroit area for two-and-a-half years, he relocated to Colorado Springs where he spent the better part of two years (November 2009 through June 2011) working for CBS Collegiate Sports Properties as an account executive for the Air Force Academy Falcons. He then moved back to his native Michigan for the next seven-plus years of his professional career.

He was born February 13, 1985 in Detroit, Mich., and graduated from Rochester Adams (Mich.) High School, where he lettered in football and track. His hobbies include golf, hiking, camping and traveling. He is married to the

former Emily Hunter, and they have two children, son Luke (8) and daughter Anna (7). In college, he was a premium services intern with the Philadelphia Eagles his junior year.



ADAM RINGLER

Assistant Athletic Trainer & Head of Research

Adam Ringler is in his sixth year as a member of CU's athletic department, his second as an assistant athletic trainer after four years as an assistant director of strength and conditioning for volleyball and women's basketball. He also has attained the title of

head of research, as his major responsibilities have included the integration of sport-science for all sports, which involves the coordination and utilization of cutting-edge technologies and high-performance management principles within an innovative strength and conditioning program.

He joined the staff in the summer of 2017 after spending the better part of eight years (2010-17) at Wichita State University as an assistant strength and conditioning coach, where he worked directly with the women's basketball, volleyball, softball, women's tennis and women's golf teams.

Ringler earned his bachelor's ('08) and master's degrees ('10) in Kinesiology from Michigan State where he also served time as a volunteer and graduate assistant coach from 2006-10. He worked closely with the volleyball team and directly oversaw the strength and conditioning program for wrestling, helping the squad place six NCAA qualifiers and awarding one All-American. Ringler also assisted with the strength and conditioning programs for 17 Michigan State Olympic sports and assisted with the men's and women's basketball teams.

In high school Ringler earned all-state recognition in wrestling. His hobbies include hiking, sport science research, computer programming, and Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu. A native of Niles, Mich., Ringler and his wife, Brittney, have a daughter, Breslin, and a son, Bear.



RACHEL RIPKEN

Director of Community Outreach

Rachel Ripken is in her 15th year as a member of CU athletic department, dating back to when she was a freshman in school in 2008 and earning her way into several promotions since. Most recently, on July 1, 2021 she was promoted to the assistant athletic director for community outreach. She had been

named director of community outreach on August 1, 2018, which entails most of her duties as Community Outreach Manager, which she has done since being promoted on July 1, 2016.

In her current role, she manages all of the athletic department's community outreach initiatives and popular programming such as Read with the Buffs, Chip's Kids Club and Ralphie's Kids Roundup. She manages the Ralphie live mascot program and oversees CU's spirit groups, which include cheer, dance and the costumed mascot, Chip. She also coordinates coach and student-athlete appearances and Leadership Through Service opportunities in the community and is the staff advisor to CU's Student-Athlete Advisory Board (SAAC), and has an active role with the group in coordinating the annual CUSPY's (CU Sports Performers of the Year).

Ripken, 32, has spent her entire professional career with the Buffaloes, as she was appointed as a marketing and promotions associate following her graduation from CU in 2012. Shortly thereafter, she was hired full-time as a community outreach coordinator.

She graduated from the University of Colorado in 2012, with a double major in History and Communication while earning a minor in Dance. She worked as a student assistant for four years in the men's basketball office under head coaches Jeff Bzdelik and Tad Boyle while earning her degree.

She was born November 22, 1989 in Baltimore, Md., and graduated from St. Paul's High School in Brooklandville, Md., where she was a member of the school's dance company. Her hobbies include skiing, hiking, traveling and going to sporting events. Her family has famous baseball lineage, most notably her father, Cal Ripken Jr., the Baseball Hall of Fame infielder who played 21 seasons in the majors, all with the Baltimore Orioles (and set the record for most consecutive games played with 2,632). An uncle, Billy Ripken, also played in the majors for 12 seasons, and a grandfather, the late Cal Ripken Sr., was a player, coach and manager in the Orioles organization for 36 years. Her younger brother, Ryan, retired from professional baseball in 2022 but did rise in the Orioles' minor league farm system to the AAA level with the Norfolk Tides of the International League.



TRACY TRIPP

Senior Associate AD/Human Resources

Tracy Tripp is in her 15th year as a member of CU athletic department, most recently promoted to senior associate athletic director for human resources on July 1, 2021; she was named associate AD over the same area on August 1, 2018. She is a member of athletic director Rick George's executive team and is entering her sixth season as the sport supervisor for the women's lacrosse program.

Tripp returned to her alma mater where starred on the women's basketball two decades earlier on August 1, 2008 as the director of operations for the program she helped lead to its first Big Eight title in 1989. After four years in that position, she transitioned out of coaching into a new role as Sustainability Manager and Athletic Facilities Assistant. On October 8, 2013, Tripp moved into the role as Coordinator of Human Resources & Payroll for Athletics.

Tripp spent 13 seasons (1995-08) as an assistant women's basketball coach at the University of Denver, and was promoted to associate head coach for her final season there. She assisted the Pioneer's transition from NCAA Division II to Division I in 1998, and just four seasons later (2001), helped guide DU into its first NCAA Tournament. Considered an excellent teacher of the game, Tripp was responsible for the development of both guard and post play, scouting of opponents, in-game strategy, and served as the camp director for all summer camps. Tripp's other duties included recruiting, alumni relations and academic support. She was responsible for the development of DU's most notable center, Misa Pavlickova, the 2001 Sun Belt Conference Player of the Year, the 24th overall pick of the 2001 WNBA Draft and a member of the 2004 Czech Republic Olympic team, as well as other numerous all-conference players.

Prior to joining the staff at DU, Tripp spent one season as an assistant coach at San Diego State (1994-95), helping the Aztecs to the Western Athletic Conference title and earn a berth in the NCAA Tournament in working under head coach Beth Burns, who was a CU assistant while she was a player. She also spent one season (1993-94) as an assistant basketball and volleyball coach at Western State College in Gunnison. Before embarking on her collegiate coaching career, Tripp served as head girls basketball coach at Boulder's Fairview High from 1990-93, leading Knights to three-straight Class 5A state tournaments and an overall record of 54-18. Tripp also taught physical education, health and science during her tenure.

As a standout performer on Ceal Barry's early Colorado teams, she was a third-team Freshman All-American for the 1985-86 season, second-team All-Big Eight as a sophomore and honorable mention All-Conference as a junior. She also garnered second-team All-Big Eight Tournament honors as a senior in 1989, when the then-Lady Buffs defeated Oklahoma State in the title game, 98-92, in double overtime to complete the first undefeated run by any team in conference history, as CU was 14-0 in the regular season. She started 117 of 121 games in her career, averaging 13.0 points per game in not missing a single game in earning four letters; her 1,574 points were the fourth-most in program history at the time of her graduation, and still rank 11th on the list. To this day, she still co-holds the record for the most points scored in a game when she tallied 38 at Oklahoma State her sophomore season.

Tripp graduated from CU in 1989 with a bachelor's degree in Kinesiology, and earned her teaching certificate from CU the following year. She was a three-time Academic All-Big Eight team member.

A native of Fort Collins, Colo., she graduated from Fort Collins High School where she lettered in basketball and volleyball. Her hobbies include cycling, mountain biking, hiking, skiing, golf, snowshoeing and watching sports. She was twice recognized as a Colorado Sportswoman of the Year, first for her senior year at Fort Collins in 1985, and the second following her senior season at CU in 1989.



LAUREN UNREIN

Associate AD/Leadership & Career Development

Lauren Unrein is in her second year as the associate athletic director for CU's Scripps Leadership and Career Development program, promoted to the position on July 1, 2021. She previously had served as the assistant director in the area since March 2018.

Unrein, 32, has been the leader in the developing the "Buff's with a Brand" program, instituted in the summer of 2020 ahead of the long-awaited NCAA allowing student-athletes to benefit from their name, image and likeness (NIL).

She originally joined the athletic department staff as a development assistant in the Buff Club in 2013. She eventually was promoted to an associate director of development and then the annual fund director for the Buff Club which included being responsible for the National Buff Club Cabinet Program. She then transitioned into working exclusively in leadership and career development, which in her roles with the Buff Club she had been supporting and focusing on student-athlete career readiness.

Unrein graduated from CU in 2011 with a bachelor's degree in English and Political Science. She was a member of CU's club swimming team (backstroke and individual medley), helping the team win three collegiate club championships and at one time set the individual record in the 200-meter backstroke. Also a member of the 200-meter free relay team that still holds the school record, she was selected as CU's Club Sports Athlete of the Year as a senior in 2011.

After CU, Unrein went on to earn her masters in Sport Administration from the University of Northern Colorado in 2012. While in graduate school, she worked as an Academic and Life Skills Coordinator for the UNC Athletic Department. She worked as an associate for Greenhouse Scholars in Boulder after graduating.

Born Lauren Fowler on November 20, 1989 in Colorado Springs, she graduated from the city's Wasson High School where she lettered in swimming (she often swam at the U.S. Olympic Training Center). Her hobbies include all things outdoors, including hiking, swimming, and fly-fishing. She is married to Scott Unrein, CU's former assistant of football operations. Several family members have graduated from CU (she is a fourth generation Buff), including her very well-known second cousin to CU fans, ESPN's Chris Fowler.



ALEXIS WILLIAMS

Senior Associate AD/External Operations

Alexis Williams returned to CU as the senior associate athletic director for external operations, assuming the role on August 1, 2020. In her position, she oversees marketing, promotions, ticket operations and BuffVision. She is also a member of athletic director Rick George's executive team and is the sport supervisor for the women's tennis program.

Williams is in her second stint at CU, returning from her native city and the University of Houston, where she had served as the Cougars' associate athletics director for ticket sales and operations for the previous year-and-a-half after her first time with the Buffaloes. She also started the Houston's diversity and inclusion council.

She had first joined the Colorado staff as the associate AD for ticket operations, sales and services in March 2015, and was promoted to associate athletic director over the same areas on August 1, 2018. She was also an active member on the department's Diversity & Inclusion Excellence Council.

She originally came to Colorado from Theatre Under The Stars in Houston, Texas, where she was the manager of ticketing and customer service for seven-and-a-half years (November 2007-March 2015). She previously was the assistant athletic director for ticket operations at Rice University for just over four years (September 2003-November 2007). She was promoted into that position after serving three years as the Owls' assistant ticket manager. Her first position in the business came as the assistant ticket manager at SMU in 1999.

Williams earned two degrees from Louisiana State University. She received her bachelor's in Mathematics in 1996 and her master's in Sports Management in 1998. At LSU, she was active in the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority and a manager for the women's basketball team.

A native of Houston, Texas, she graduated from Houston's Bellaire High School, where she lettered in basketball (point guard). Her hobbies include playing golf, reading, travel and attending concerts and sporting events.



RICKY ZUM MALLEN

Associate AD/Marketing & Promotions

Ricky Zum Mallen is in his first year as the associate athletic director for marketing and promotions, as he joined the Colorado staff on August 24, 2022.

Zum Mallen, 32, came to Colorado from Eastern Michigan University, where he spent four years (2018-22) as the assistant athletic director for marketing for the Eagles. He directly handled the marketing responsibilities for EMU football, including those for three bowl games it participated in (Camellia, Quick Lane and LendingTree) and oversaw the efforts of the department as a whole. He led the marketing efforts that achieved three record-setting seasons in men's basketball season ticket sales as well as increasing single game revenue in both football and basketball.

At EMU, his efforts were pivotal in the school being a two-time NACMA (National Association of Collegiate Marketing Administrators) "Best Of" Awards winner, both for the 2021-22 academic year. EMU earned the Gold Award in the fan giveaway category (tying in HEATH candy bars to new head coach Stan Heath's first home game) and the Bronze Award for a season ticket campaign for men's and women's basketball season tickets.

Prior to his time at EMU, he spent a little over three years (April 2015-July 2018) at Temple University in a number of roles. In his final position there, he was the associate director of marketing where he oversaw the game presentation for all home men's and women's basketball games. The Owls noticed an increase of nine percent in average attendance for men's games, while revenue grew 58 percent for women's basketball in 2017-18 over the previous season.

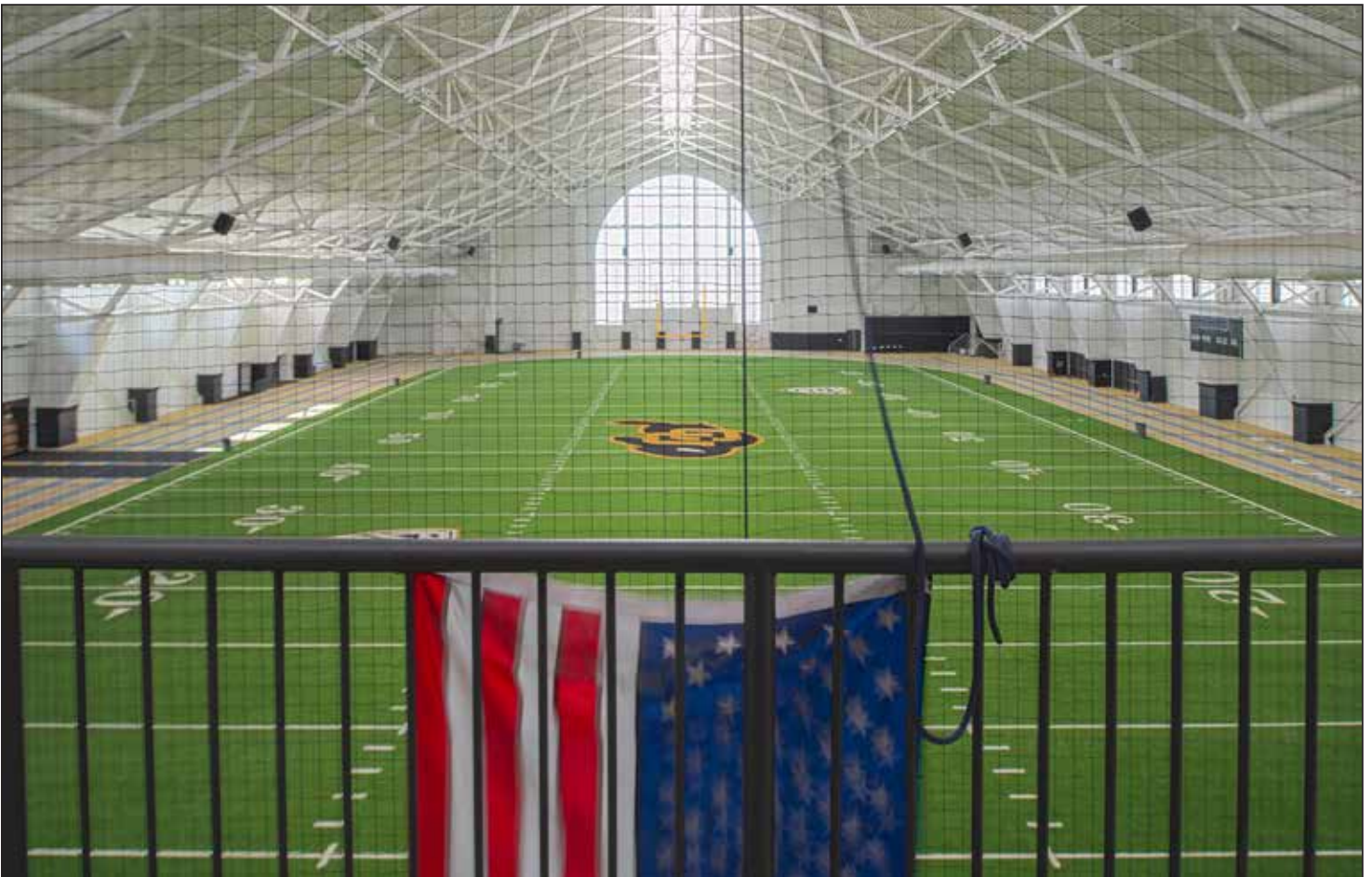
Zum Mallen briefly assumed the title of interim assistant athletic director for four months (Nov. 2017-Feb. 2018) where he managed the day-to-day operations of the department and coordinated the gameday efforts. He had arrived at Temple in the spring of 2015 as the marketing coordinator working with volleyball and women's basketball.

Before Temple, he spent a year at the University of Tulsa as a marketing assistant. At Tulsa, Zum Mallen was responsible for all marketing efforts for both the women's basketball and the men's soccer teams, including developing marketing plans. He also coordinated marketing efforts from field level during Golden Hurricane football games.

Zum Mallen was a graduate assistant for marketing and promotions for Southeast Missouri State University from July 2012 to May 2014. His responsibilities included leading the marketing and promotional efforts for the volleyball, soccer, baseball and women's basketball teams. He also assisted with all social media efforts to promote Redhawk athletic events, coordinated and supervised student workers and oversaw writing and editing of public address game scripts for all Southeast Missouri sports.

While at SEMO, he earned his masters of Business Administration in May 2014, with an emphasis on Sport Management. He earned his bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Loyola University (Chicago) in May 2012; at Loyola, he had a double major in Marketing and Sport Management. He was a marketing intern his senior year, coordinating marketing and promotional projects for all men's and women's soccer games. He also filmed and edited marketing videos to enhance the Ramblers' brand.

He was born March 29, 1990 in Geneseo, Ill., and graduated from Geneseo High School where he lettered in golf. His hobbies include playing golf and traveling. He taught an undergraduate Sport Management class (titled Fan Engagement and Revenue Generation in College Athletics) at Eastern Michigan University in the spring 2022. He is married to the former Kaja Rasmussen, who is also in the marketing profession (higher education admissions).



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HOW THE BUFFS WERE BUILT



FRESHMAN RECRUITS

2017 Maurice Bell Alex Fontenot #Jaylon Jackson Terrance Lang #Isaiah Lewis †Casey Roddick †Jalen Sami	2020 Gerad Christian-Lichtenhan Caleb Fauria Devin Grant Montana Lemonious-Craig Brendon Lewis Keith Miller III Louis Passarello Toren Pittman Jayle Stacks Mister Williams	Zion Magalei Tyus Martin Kaylin Moore #Erik Olsen Chase Penry Nikko Reed Ty Robinson Austin Smith #Tyrin Taylor Ryan Williams Trevor Woods	Simeon Harris #Eoghan Kerry Kaden Ludwick #Ashton Logan Owen McCown Keyshon Mills #Jason Oliver #Grant Page #Oakie Salave'a Aubrey Smith Xavier Smith Chase Sowell Jordyn Tyson Victor Venn Van Wells #Joshua Wiggins
2018 Daniel Arias Frank Phillip †Joshka Gustav Deion Smith	2021 Edgar Amaya Jackson Anderson Allan Baugh Cole Becker #Drew Carter	2022 Aaron Austin Shakaun Bowser Zach Courtney Dylan Dixson Carter Edwards #Travis Gray Anthony Hankerson	
2019 Marvin Ham II #Austin Johnson Na'im Rodman Jake Wiley			

*—is on or has since been placed on scholarship;
#—joined team in spring of year listed, otherwise joined in the fall;
^—graduate transfer (graduated from previous four-year institution);
†—grayshirt (signed in that class but delayed enrollment until following spring).

WALKONS

2017 *Brady Russell	2022 Colton Allen Cole Boscia Dante Capolungo Trent Carrizosa Chernet Estes Braden Keith Brady Kopetz Dominick Mastro #Liam McGannon Cristiano Palazzo John Ramirez Jack Remington Christian Sarem
2019 Derek Bedell Mac Willis	
2020 Michael Harrison Robert Ortega Jack Seavall	
2021 Austin Dahlke Camden Dempsey Ben Finneseth Jack Hestera Noah Hubbard Mason Maddox James Mott Tommy Notarainni #Charlie Offerdahl Ben Reznik Cameron Warchuck #Jordan Woolverton	

FOUR YEAR TRANSFERS

2019 *Nigel Bethel *Anthony Lyle	2021 ^*#Robert Barnes *Noah Fenske James Mott III ^*#J.T. Shrout	2021 ^*#Tommy Brown ^*#Josh Chandler-Semedo *Luke Eckardt *#Maddox Kopp ^*#Chance Main ^*#R.J. Sneed
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JUNIOR COLLEGE TRANSFERS

2019 #Jamar Montgomery #Quinn Perry	2020 #Justin Jackson #Jaylen Striker #Guy Thomas	2022 #Isaac Hurtado Alex Harkey Jeremy Mack Caiden Robertson
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LETTERMAN PICTURE



Colorado has **65** lettermen returning for the 2021 season (62 from the 2020 team, two from 2019 and one from 2017); they break down into 32 on offense, 29 on defense and five specialists; the Buffs lose 20 lettermen off the 2020 squad (9 offense/8 defense/3 specialists). CU returns **17** starters from 2020 (9 offense—three players started three games each at two receiver and an offensive line positions/8 defense), losing six (3 offense/3 defense); the starter count was based off 14 players with three plus-starts on the offensive side of the ball. The 2020 starters are listed in bold (three or more starts); *—denotes letters earned primarily on special teams; QIS—quit in season. The breakdown:

OFFENSE

Position	Returning (21)	Lost (21)
WR	Daniel Arias , Chase Penry, *Michael Harrison	La'Vontae Shenault (<i>QIS; from 2020</i>)
WR		Montana Lemonious-Craig, Maurice Bell (<i>from 2020</i>) Brenden Rice
WR	Jaylon Jackson, Ty Robinson	Dimitri Stanley , Chris Carpenter
LT	Jake Wiley	Max Wray
LG		Kary Kutsch , Kanan Ray, Josh Jynes
C	Austin Johnson, Noah Fenske	Colby Pursell , *Carson Lee
RG	Casey Roddick	Chance Lytle, John Deitchman
RT	Frank Phillip , Gerad Christian-Lichtenhan	
TE	Brady Russell , *Caleb Fauria, *Austin Smith	Matt Lynch, Alec Pell, C.J. Schmanski, Nico Magri, Jared Poplawski (<i>QIS</i>)
QB	Brendon Lewis , Drew Carter	
TB	Alex Fontenot, Deion Smith, Jayle Stacks	Jarek Broussard , Ashaad Clayton, Joe Davis, *Noah Wagner

DEFENSE

Position	Returning (25)	Lost (18)
DE	Terrance Lang , Justin Jackson	
DT	Jalen Sami , Ryan Williams	Janaz Jordan, Jayden Simon, Lloyd Murray, Jr. (<i>QIS; from 2020</i>)
DT	Na'im Rodman , Tyas Martin	Mustafa Johnson , Jeremiah Doss (<i>from 2020</i>)
DE/OLB	Joshka Gustav, Devin Grant	Carson Wells
ILB	Quinn Perry , Marvin Ham	Nate Landman , Jack Lamb, Zephaniah Maea
ILB	Robert Barnes, *Mister Williams	*Jonathan Van Diest, Alvin Williams
OLB	Guy Thomas, Jamar Montgomery, Zion Magalei	
CB	Nikko Reed, Nigel Bethel	Christian Gonzalez
SS	Isaiah Lewis , Tyrin Taylor, Trevor Woods	Chris Miller, *Ray Robinson
FS	*Toren Pittman, *Anthony Lyle	Mark Perry , Curtis Appleton, *Trustin Oliver
CB	Kaylin Moore, Jaylen Striker (<i>from 2020</i>)	Mekhi Blackmon

SPECIALISTS

Position	Returning (3)	Lost (2)
P		Josh Watts
PK	Cole Becker , Mac Willis (<i>from 2020</i>)	Evan Price
SN	Derek Bedell	



ALPHABETICAL ROSTER



No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Exp	Hometown (High School/Previous College)	Status
16	ALLEN, Colton	QB	6- 3	195	Fr.	HS	Highlands Ranch, Colo. (Valor Christian)	WO 5/4
68	AMAYA, Edgar	OL	6- 2	325	Fr.	RS	Russellville, Ala. (Russellville)	S 4/4
56	ANDERSON, Jackson	OL	6- 4	300	Fr.	RS	Mineola, Texas (Mineola)	S 4/4
6	ARIAS, Daniel	WR	6- 4	210	Sr.	4L	Mill Creek, Wash. (Henry M. Jackson)	S 1/1
92	AUSTIN, Aaron	DL	6- 2	250	Fr.	HS	Fort Worth, Texas (North Crowley)	S 5/4
20	BARNES, Robert	ILB	6- 2	230	Gr.	1L	Southlake, Texas (Carroll/Oklahoma)	S 1/1
97	BAUGH, Allan	DL	6- 2	270	Fr.	RS	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (St. Thomas Aquinas)	S 4/4
36	BECKER, Cole	PK	6- 3	225	So.	1L	Roseville, Calif. (Rocklin)	S 4/3
85	BEDELL, Derek	SN	6- 3	235	So.	2L	Bellflower, Calif. (St. John Bosco)	WO 3/3
13	BELL, Maurice	WR	6- 0	185	Sr.	3L	Murrieta, Calif. (Murrieta Valley)	S 1/1
27	BETHEL, Nigel Jr.	CB	6- 0	170	Jr.	2L	Miami, Fla. (Northwestern/Miami-Fla.)	S 2/2
84	BOSCIA, Cole	WR	6- 3	210	Fr.	HS	Danville, Calif. (Monte Vista)	WO 5/4
40	BOWSER, Shakaun	OLB	6- 4	225	Fr.	HS	Queen Creek, Ariz. (Casteel)	S 5/4
75	BROWN, Tommy	OT	6- 7	330	Gr.	TR	Santa Ana, Calif. (Mater Dei/Alabama)	S 2/2
34	CAPOLUNGO, Dante	DB	5-11	175	Fr.	HS	Littleton, Colo. (Dakota Ridge)	WO 5/4
53	CARRIZOSA, Trent	P	6- 2	225	Fr.	HS	San Jose, Calif. (Del Mar)	WO 5/4
9	CARTER, Drew	QB	6- 3	195	So.	1L	Tigard, Ore. (Tigard)	S 4/3
8	CHANDLER-SEMEDO, Josh	ILB	5-10	225	Gr.	TR	Canton, Ohio (McKinley/West Virginia)	S 1/1
69	CHRISTIAN-LICHTENHAN, Gerad	OL	6-10	325	So.	1L	Davis, Calif. (Davis)	S 4/3
86	COURTNEY, Zach	TE	6- 6	235	Fr.	HS	Post, Texas (Post)	S 5/4
39	DAHLKE, Austin	S	6- 1	190	Fr.	RS	Edgar, Wis. (Edgar)	WO 4/4
79	DEMPSEY, Camden	OL	6- 2	280	Fr.	RS	Lakewood, Colo. (Lakewood)	WO 4/4
9	DIXSON, Dylan	S	6- 2	190	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas (Pearland)	S 5/4
52	ECKARDT, Luke	OL	6- 6	290	Fr.	TR	Spring Grove, Ill. (Richmond Burton/Arizona)	S 4/4
77	EDWARDS, Carter	OL	6- 5	280	Fr.	HS	Hattiesburg, Miss. (Presbyterian Christian)	S 5/4
81	ESTES, Chernet	WR	6- 0	170	Fr.	HS	Austin, Texas (Lake Travis)	WO 5/4
18	FAURIA, Caleb	TE	6- 5	235	Fr.-3	1L	Attleboro, Mass. (Bishop Feehan)	S 4/4
53	FENSKE, Noah	OL	6- 5	305	So.	1L	New Hampton, Iowa (New Hampton/Iowa)	S 3/3
76	FILLIP, Frank	OL	6- 7	295	Jr.	4L	Houston, Texas (Clear Lake)	S 2/2
28	FINNESETH, Ben	S	6- 2	205	Fr.	RS	Durango, Colo. (Durango)	WO 4/4
8	FONTENOT, Alex	TB	6- 0	200	Sr.	3L	Richmond, Texas (George Ranch)	S 1/1
44	GRANT, Devin	OLB	6- 3	245	Fr.-3	2L	San Antonio, Texas (Antonion Prep)	S 4/4
72	GRAY, Travis	OT	6- 7	300	Fr.	HS	Aurora, Colo. (Cherokee Trail)	S 5/4
33	GUSTAV, Joshka	OLB	6- 3	235	So.	3L	Cherry Valley, Calif. (Aquinas)	S 3/3
7	HAM II, Marvin	ILB	6- 1	225	So.	3L	Belleville, Mich. (Belleville)	S 3/3
22	HANKERSON, Anthony	TB	5- 9	190	Fr.	HS	Boynton Beach, Fla. (St. Thomas Aquinas)	S 5/4
65	HARKEY, Alex	OT	6- 6	300	So.	JC	Austin, Texas (Hays/Tyler JC)	S 4/3
15	HARRIS, Simeon	CB	6- 0	175	Fr.	HS	Vallejo, Calif. (Benicia)	S 5/4
83	HARRISON, Michael	WR	6- 3	205	So.	1L	San Francisco, Calif. (St. Ignatius College Prep)	WO 4/3
25	HESTERA, Jack	WR	6- 0	180	Fr.	RS	Cedar Park, Texas (Cedar Park)	WO 4/4
45	HUBBARD, Noah	P/PK	6- 3	170	Fr.	RS	Louisville, Colo. (Monarch)	WO 4/4
29	HURTADO, Isaac	ILB	6- 3	225	So.	JC	Cypress, Calif. (Cypress/Fullerton CC)	S 3/3
10	JACKSON, Jaylon	WR	5-10	170	Sr.	4L	Cedar Hill, Texas (Cedar Hill)	S 1/1
13	JACKSON, Justin	DL	6- 2	275	Sr.	2L	Olive Branch, Miss. (Center Hill/Northwest Mississippi CC)	S 2/1
64	JOHNSON, Austin	OL	6- 4	300	So.	2L	Highlands Ranch, Colo. (Highlands Ranch)	S 3/3
30	KEITH, Braden	CB	5-10	170	Fr.	HS	Broomfield, Colo. (Legacy)	WO 5/4
10	KERRY, Eoghan	ILB	6- 3	230	Fr.	HS	Bakersfield, Calif. (Mater Dei)	S 5/4
88	KOPETZ, Brady	TE	6- 4	220	Fr.	HS	Portland, Ore. (Lincoln)	WO 5/4
14	KOPP, Maddox	QB	6- 5	220	Fr.	TR	Houston, Texas (St. Thomas/U. of Houston)	S 4/4
54	LANG, Terrance	DL	6- 7	290	Sr.	4L	Pomona, Calif. (Maranatha)	S 1/1
1	LEMONIOUS-CRAIG, Montana	WR	6- 2	185	So.	2L	Inglewood, Calif. (Inglewood)	S 4/3
12	LEWIS, Brendon	QB	6- 2	215	So.	2L	Melissa, Texas (Melissa)	S 4/3
23	LEWIS, Isaiah	S	6- 0	205	Sr.	4L	Granite Bay, Calif. (Granite Bay)	S 1/1
48	LOGAN, Ashton	P/PK	6- 2	195	Fr.	HS	Anaheim Hills, Calif. (Orange Lutheran)	S 5/4
87	LUDWICK, Kaden	OLB	6- 5	245	Fr.	HS	Happy Valley, Ore. (Clackamas)	S 5/4
41	LYLE, Anthony	S	6- 0	200	Sr.	2L	Lafayette, Colo. (Legacy/Eastern Michigan)	S 1/1
3	MACK, Jeremy Jr.	S	6- 0	190	So.	JC	Clinton, Miss. (Clinton/East Mississippi CC)	S 4/3
56	MADDOX, Mason	DL	6- 3	275	Fr.	RS	Aurora, Colo. (Cherokee Trail)	WO 4/4
48	MAGALEI, Zion	OLB	6- 2	220	Fr.-2	1L	Chandler, Ariz. (Chandler)	S 4/4
90	MAIN, Chance	DE	6- 4	250	Gr.	TR	Cherryvale, Kan. (Cherryvale/Independence CC/Incarnate Word)	S 1/1
95	MARTIN, Tyas	DL	6- 4	340	Fr.-2	1L	Helena, Ark. (Jacksonville)	S 4/4
27	MASTRO, Dominick	TB	5-10	200	So.	TR	Scottsdale, Ariz. (Notre Dame Prep/Arizona State)	WO 4/3
7	McCOWN, Owen	QB	6- 2	175	Fr.	HS	Rusk, Texas (Rusk)	S 5/4
42	McGANNON, Liam	CB	5-10	175	Fr.	HS	San Francisco, Calif. (St. Ignatius Prep)	WO 4/4
25	MILLS, Keyshon	CB	6- 1	190	Fr.	HS	Little Elm, Texas (Little Elm)	S 5/4
4	MONTGOMERY, Jamar	OLB	6- 2	250	Sr.	3L	Birmingham, Ala. (Parker/Independence Community College)	S 1/1
0	MOORE, Kaylin	CB	5-10	180	So.	1L	Westlake Village, Calif. (Oaks Christian)	S 4/3
17	MOTT III, James	QB	6- 0	200	So.	VR	Laguna Beach, Calif. (St. Margaret's Episcopal/Univ. of Chicago)	WO 3/3
51	NOTARAINNI, Thomas	ILB	6- 3	220	Fr.	RS	San Diego, Calif. (Cathedral Catholic)	WO 4/4
44	OFFERDAHL, Charlie	TB	5-11	185	Fr.	RS	Littleton, Colo. (Dakota Ridge)	WO 4/4
26	OLIVER, Jason	CB	6- 0	170	Fr.	HS	Bakersfield, Calif. (Liberty)	S 5/4
87	OLSEN, Erik	TE	6- 5	245	Fr.	RS	Littleton, Colo. (Heritage)	S 4/4
37	ORTEGA III, Trey	S	6- 0	190	So.	VR	Broomfield, Colo. (Broomfield)	WO 3/3
23	PAGE, Grant	WR	6- 3	190	Fr.	HS	Boulder, Colo. (Fairview)	S 5/4
98	PALAZZO, Cristiano	PK	5- 9	185	Fr.	TR	Littleton, Colo. (Heritage/Oregon)	WO 4/4
89	PASSARELLO, Louis	TE	6- 5	250	Fr.-3	VR	Palo Alto, Calif. (Palo Alto)	S 4/4
3	PENRY, Chase	WR	6- 1	190	So.	1L	Greenwood Village, Colo. (Cherry Creek)	S 4/3
12	PERRY, Quinn	ILB	6- 2	245	Sr.	3L	Marina Del Rey, Calif. (Palisades/El Camino)	S 1/1



No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Exp	Hometown (High School/Previous College)	Status
22	PITTMAN, Toren	CB	6- 4	185	So.	2L	Frisco, Texas (Lone Star)	S 4/3
74	RAMIREZ, John	OL	6- 5	265	Fr.	HS	Placentia, Calif. (El Dorado)	WO 5/4
6	REED, Nikko	CB	5-10	175	So.	1L	Oakland, Calif. (Moreau Catholic)	S 4/3
52	REMYNGTON, Jack	LB	6- 3	215	Fr.	HS	Boulder, Colo. (Fairview)	WO 5/4
73	REZNIK, Ben	OL	6- 6	310	Fr.	RS	Deerfield, Ill. (Deerfield)	WO 4/4
31	ROBERTSON, Caiden	LB	6- 2	220	So.	JC	San Clemente, Calif. (San Clemente/Saddleback CC)	WO 4/3
80	ROBINSON, Ty	WR	6- 3	195	So.	1L	Aurora, Colo. (Eaglecrest)	S 4/3
70	RODDICK, Casey	OL	6- 4	305	Jr.	3L	Ventura, Calif. (St. Bonaventure)	S 2/2
91	RODMAN, Na'im	DL	6- 2	305	Jr.	3L	Lakewood, Calif. (St. John Bosco)	S 3/2
38	RUSSELL, Brady	TE	6- 3	250	Sr.	4L	Fort Collins, Colo. (Fossil Ridge)	S 1/1
8	SALAVE'A, Oakie	ATH	6- 4	210	Fr.	HS	Leone Ili'ili, AMERICAN SAMOA (Tafuna)	Injured S 5/4
99	SAMI, Jalen	DL	6- 6	325	Jr.	3L	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Vista Ridge)	S 2/2
33	SAREM, Christian	TB	6- 2	230	Fr.	HS	Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad)	WO 5/4
51	SEAVALL, Jack	OL	6- 7	285	So.	VR	Centennial, Colo. (Arapahoe)	WO 4/3
5	SHROUT, J.T.	QB	6- 3	220	Jr.	VR	Santa Clarita, Calif. (Hart Central/Tennessee)	S 3/3
32	SMITH, Aubrey	ILB	6- 3	215	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Ga. (Buford)	S 5/4
82	SMITH, Austin	TE	6- 5	225	Fr.-2	1L	Elmaton, Texas (Tidehaven)	S 4/4
20	SMITH, Deion	TB	6- 0	190	Jr.	2L	Houston, Texas (Second Baptist)	S 2/2
17	SMITH, Xavier	S	6- 2	185	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Ga. (Langston Hughes)	S 5/4
2	SNEED II, R.J.	WR	6- 1	195	Gr.	TR	Cypress, Texas (Cypress Ranch/Baylor)	S 1/1
15	SOWELL, Chase	WR	6- 3	185	Fr.	HS	Humble, Texas (Atascocita)	S 5/4
21	STACKS, Jayle	TB	5-11	235	So.	2L	Aurora, Colo. (Cherry Creek)	S 4/3
2	STRIKER, Jaylen	S	6- 3	200	Jr.	1L	Tampa, Fla. (Jefferson/Independence CC)	S 2/2
5	TAYLOR, Tyrin	S	6- 2	175	So.	1L	Huntersville, N.C. (William A. Hough)	S 4/3
1	THOMAS, Guy	OLB	6- 4	235	Sr.	2L	Miami, Fla. (Booker T. Washington/Nebraska/Coahoma CC)	S 1/1
4	TYSON, Jordyn	WR	6- 2	180	Fr.	HS	Allen, Texas (Allen)	S 5/4
0	VENN, Victor	TB	5-10	175	Fr.	HS	Buford, Ga. (Buford)	S 5/4
57	WARCHUCK, Cameron	SN	6- 0	235	Fr.	RS	Norco, Calif. (Norco)	WO 4/4
55	WELLS, Van	OL	6- 2	290	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas (C.E. King)	S 5/4
21	WIGGINS, Joshua	CB	6- 1	175	Fr.	HS	Spring, Texas (Klein Oak)	S 5/4
60	WILEY, Jake	OL	6- 6	310	So.	2L	Centennial, Colo. (Eaglecrest)	S 3/3
35	WILLIAMS, Mister	ILB	6- 0	250	Fr.-3	2L	Westlake Village, Calif. (Oaks Christian)	S 4/4
93	WILLIAMS, Ryan	DL	6- 3	275	Fr.-2	1L	Pearland, Texas (Shadow Creek)	S 4/4
38	WILLIS, Daniel "Mac"	CB/PK	6- 3	190	So.	1L	Centennial, Colo. (Cherry Creek)	WO 3/3
43	WOODS, Trevor	S	6- 1	195	So.	1L	Katy, Texas (James E. Taylor)	S 4/3
16	WOOLVERTON, Jordan	S	6- 2	195	Fr.	RS	Durango, Colo. (Durango)	WO 4/4

Heights and weights recorded as of April 23, 2022. **EXPERIENCE KEY:** #L—indicates number of letters earned through 2021; HS—high school; JC—junior college transfer; RS—freshman redshirt in 2020; TR—transfer; VR—varsity reserve performer. **STATUS KEY:** scholarship, WO—walk-on; #/#—clock at end of 2021 season, i.e., 2/1: two years to play one in eligibility. **COVID:** Eligibility calculations for all players regained their year of eligibility for the 2020 season; -2 indicates second (class) year, -3 indicates third (class) year.

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Player	Pos.	No.	Player	Pos.	No.	Player	Pos.	No.	Player	Pos.
0	MOORE, Kaylin	CB	15	SOWELL, Chase	WR	37	ORTEGA III, Trey	S	70	RODDICK, Casey	OL
0	VENN, Victor	TB	16	ALLEN, Colton	QB	38	RUSSELL, Brady	TE	72	GRAY, Travis	OT
1	LEMONIOUS-CRAIG, M.	WR	16	WOOLVERTON, Jordan	S	38	WILLIS, Daniel "Mac"	CB/PK	73	REZNIK, Ben	OL
1	THOMAS, Guy	OLB	17	MOTT III, James	QB	39	DAHLKE, Austin	S	74	RAMIREZ, John	OL
2	SNEED II, R.J.	WR	17	SMITH, Xavier	S	40	BOWSER, Shakaun	OLB	75	BROWN, Tommy	OT
2	STRIKER, Jaylen	S	18	FAURIA, Caleb	TE	41	LYLE, Anthony	S	76	FILLIP, Frank	OL
3	MACK, Jeremy Jr.	S	20	BARNES, Robert	ILB	42	MCGANNON, Liam	CB	77	EDWARDS, Carter	OL
3	PENRY, Chase	WR	20	SMITH, Deion	TB	43	WOODS, Trevor	S	79	DEMPSEY, Camden	OL
4	MONTGOMERY, Jamar	OLB	21	STACKS, Jayle	TB	44	GRANT, Devin	OLB	80	ROBINSON, Ty	WR
4	TYSON, Jordyn	WR	21	WIGGINS, Joshua	CB	44	OFFERDAHL, Charlie	TB	81	ESTES, Chernet	WR
5	SHROUT, J.T.	QB	22	HANKERSON, Anthony	TB	45	HUBBARD, Noah	P/PK	82	SMITH, Austin	TE
5	TAYLOR, Tyrin	S	22	PITTMAN, Toren	CB	47	LUDWICK, Kaden	OLB	83	HARRISON, Michael	WR
6	ARIAS, Daniel	WR	23	LEWIS, Isaiah	S	48	MAGALEI, Zion	OLB	84	BOSCIA, Cole	WR
6	REED, Nikko	CB	23	PAGE, Grant	WR	51	NOTARAINNI, Thomas	ILB	85	BEDELL, Derek	SN
7	HAM II, Marvin	ILB	25	HESTER, Jack	WR	51	SEAVALL, Jack	OL	86	COURTNEY, Zach	TE
7	McCOWN, Owen	QB	25	MILLS, Keyshon	CB	52	ECKARDT, Luke	OL	87	OLSEN, Erik	TE
8	CHANDLER-SEMEDO, J.	ILB	26	OLIVER, Jason	CB	52	REMYNGTON, Jack	LB	88	KOPETZ, Brady	TE
8	FONTENOT, Alex	TB	27	BETHEL, Nigel Jr.	CB	53	FENSKE, Noah	OL	88	LOGAN, Ashton	P/PK
8	SALAVE'A, Oakie	S	27	MASTRO, Dominick	TB	53	CARRIZOSA, Trent	P	89	PASSARELLO, Louis	TE
9	CARTER, Drew	QB	28	FINNESETH, Ben	S	54	LANG, Terrance	DL	89	WELLS, Van (as a TE)	TE
9	DIXSON, Dylan	S	29	HURTADO, Isaac	ILB	55	WELLS, Van	OL	90	MAIN, Chance	DE
10	JACKSON, Jaylon	WR	30	KEITH, Braden	CB	56	ANDERSON, Jackson	OL	91	RODMAN, Na'im	DL
10	KERRY, Eoghan	ILB	31	ROBERTSON, Caiden	LB	56	MADDOX, Mason	DL	92	AUSTIN, Aaron	DL
12	LEWIS, Brendon	QB	32	SMITH, Aubrey	ILB	57	WARCHUCK, Cameron	SN	93	WILLIAMS, Ryan	DL
12	PERRY, Quinn	ILB	33	GUSTAV, Joshka	OLB	60	WILEY, Jake	OL	95	MARTIN, Tyas	DL
13	BELL, Maurice	WR	33	SAREM, Christian	TB	64	JOHNSON, Austin	OL	97	BAUGH, Allan	DL
13	JACKSON, Justin	DL	34	CAPOLUNGO, Dante	DB	65	HARKEY, Alex	OT	98	PALAZZO, Cristiano	PK
14	KOPP, Maddox	QB	35	WILLIAMS, Mister	ILB	68	AMAYA, Edgar	OL	99	SAMI, Jalen	DL
15	HARRIS, Simeon	CB	36	BECKER, Cole	PK	69	CHRISTIAN-LICHTENHAN, G.	OL			



OPENING DEPTH CHART



OFFENSE (Multiple)

WIDE RECEIVER (X)

- 6 Daniel Arias, 6-4, 210, Sr.-5****
- 80 Ty Robinson, 6-3, 195, Soph.*
- 15 Chase Sowell, 6-3, 185, Fr.
- 23 Grant Page, 6-3, 190, Fr.

WIDE RECEIVER (Z)

- 1 Montana Lemonious-Craig, 6-2, 185, Soph.**
- 3 Chase Penry, 6-1, 190, Soph.*
- 4 Jordyn Tyson, 6-2, 180, Fr.
- 83 Michael Harrison, 6-3, 205, Soph.*

WIDE RECEIVER (F, Slot)

- 13 Maurice Bell, 6-0, 185, Sr.-5***
- 2 R.J. Sneed II, 6-1, 195, Gr.
- 25 Jack Hestera, 6-0, 180, Fr.-RS
- 10 Jaylon Jackson, 5-10, 170, Sr.-5****

LEFT TACKLE

- 76 Frank Fillip, 6-7, 295, Jr.****
- 72 Travis Gray, 6-7, 300, Fr.

LEFT GUARD

- 70 Casey Roddick, 6-4, 305, Jr.***
- 52 Luke Eckardt, 6-6, 290, Fr.-TR

CENTER

- 64 Austin Johnson, 6-4, 300, Soph.** OR
- 53 Noah Fenske, 6-5, 305, Soph.*
- 55 Van Wells, 6-2, 290, Fr. (89 as a TE)

RIGHT GUARD

- 75 Tommy Brown, 6-7, 330, Gr. OR
- 64 Austin Johnson, 6-4, 300, Soph.**
- 65 Alex Harkey, 6-6, 300, Soph.

RIGHT TACKLE

- 60 Jake Wiley, 6-6, 310, Soph.**
- 69 Gerad Christian-Lichtenhan, 6-10, 325, Soph.*
- 73 Ben Reznik, 6-6, 310, Fr.-RS

TIGHT END (Y)

- 38 Brady Russell, 6-3, 250, Sr.-5****
- 18 Caleb Fauria, 6-5, 235, Fr.-3*
- 82 Austin Smith, 6-5, 225, Fr.-2*
- 87 Erik Olsen, 6-5, 245, Fr.-RS
- 89 Van Wells, 6-2, 290, Fr. (55 as an OL)

QUARTERBACK

- 12 Brendon Lewis, 6-2, 215, Soph.** OR
- 5 J.T. Shrout, QB, 6-3, 220, Jr.
- 7 Owen McCown, 6-2, 175, Fr. (L) OR
- 7 Drew Carter, 6-3, 195, Soph.* OR
- 14 Maddox Kopp, 6-5, 220, Fr.-TR

TAILBACK

- 8 Alex Fontenot, 6-0, 200, Sr.-5*** OR
- 20 Deion Smith, 6-0, 190, Jr.**
- 21 Jayle Stacks, 5-11, 235, Soph.** OR
- 44 Charlie Offerdahl, 5-11, 185, Fr.-RS
- 0 Victor Venn, 5-10, 175, Fr.

DEFENSE (Multiple)

DEFENSIVE END

- 54 Terrance Lang, 6-7, 290, Sr.-5****
- 90 Chance Main, 6-4, 250, Gr.
- 44 Devin Grant, 6-3, 245, Fr.-3**

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

- 91 Na'im Rodman, 6-2, 305, Jr.***
- 95 Tyas Martin, 6-4, 340, Fr.-2
- 56 Mason Maddox, 6-3, 275, Fr.-RS

NOSE TACKLE

- 99 Jalen Sami, 6-6, 325, Jr.***
- 13 Justin Jackson, 6-2, 275, Sr.**
- 93 Ryan Williams, 6-3, 275, Fr.-2*

DEFENSIVE END

- 1 Guy Thomas, 6-4, 235, Sr.-5** OR
- 4 Jamar Montgomery, 6-2, 250, Sr.-5***
- 48 Zion Magalei, 6-2, 220, Fr.-2*

INSIDE LINEBACKER (Sam)

- 7 Marvin Ham II, 6-1, 225, Soph.-2***
- 32 Aubrey Smith, 6-3, 215, Fr.

INSIDE LINEBACKER (Mike)

- 12 Quinn Perry, 6-2, 245, Sr.-5*** OR
- 8 Josh Chandler-Semedo, 5-10, 225, Gr.
- 35 Mister Williams, 6-0, 250, Fr.-3**

INSIDE LINEBACKER (Mo)

- 20 Robert Barnes, 6-2, 230, Gr.*
- 10 Eoghan Kerry, 6-3, 230, Fr.
- 29 Isaac Hurtado, 6-3, 225, Soph.

LEFT CORNERBACK

- 6 Nikko Reed, 5-10, 175, Soph.*
- 26 Jason Oliver, 6-0, 170, Fr.
- 25 Keyshon Mills, 6-1, 190, Fr.

LEFT CORNERBACK

- 6 Mekhi Blackmon, 6-0, 175, Jr.-3***
- 27 Nigel Bethel, 6-0, 170, Soph.-2*
- 21 Kaylin Moore, 5-10, 180, Fr.

FREE SAFETY

- 23 Isaiah Lewis, 6-0, 205, Sr.-5****
- 3 Jeremy Mack Jr., 6-0, 190, Soph.
- 9 Dylan Dixon, 6-2, 190, Fr.

NICKEL

- 5 Tyrin Taylor, 6-2, 175, Soph.*
- 15 Simeon Harris, 6-0, 175, Fr.

STRONG SAFETY

- 43 Trevor Woods, 6-1, 195, Soph.*
- 2 Jaylen Striker, 6-3, 200, Jr.*
- 41 Anthony Lyle, 6-0, 200, Sr.-5**

RIGHT CORNERBACK

- 0 Kaylin Moore, 5-10, 180, Soph.*
- 27 Nigel Bethel, 6-0, 170, Jr.**
- 21 Joshua Wiggins, 6-1, 175, Fr.

SPECIALISTS

PUNTER

- 88 Ashton Logan, 6-2, 195, Fr.
- 53 Trent Carrizosa, 6-2, 225, Fr.

PLACEKICKER / KICKOFF

- 36 Cole Becker, 6-3, 225, Soph.* **KO#1**
- 98 Cristiano Palazzo, 5-9, 185, Fr.-TR
- 45 Noah Hubbard, 6-3, 170, Fr.-RS

PUNT RETURN

- 3 Chase Penry, 6-1, 190, Soph.*
- 6 Nikko Reed, 5-10, 175, Soph.*
- 16 Jordyn Tyson, 6-2, 180, Fr.

KICKOFF RETURN

- 6 Nikko Reed, 5-10, 175, Soph.*
- 20 Deion Smith, 6-0, 190, Jr.**
- 13 Maurice Bell, 6-0, 185, Sr.-5***
- 44 Charlie Offerdahl, 5-11, 185, Fr.-RS

HOLDER

- 88 Ashton Logan, 6-2, 195, Fr.
- 53 Trent Carrizosa, 6-2, 225, Fr.

SNAPPER (Short & Long)

- 85 Derek Bedell, 6-3, 235, Soph.** OR
- 57 Cameron Warchuck, 6-0, 235, Fr.-RS

INJURED (out for extended time)

- 33 Joshka Gustav, OLB, 6-3, 235, Soph.-2***

OR—indicates those listed are considered even (co-first/second/third team status).

ITALICS—Players listed in *italics* left a previous game with an injury; game status ranges from probable to day-to-day to questionable.

L—left-handed/footed (throw/kick)

(Heights and weights as of May 1, 2022)

*—number of letters earned through 2021;
CAPTAINS: 54 Terrance Lang; 12 Quinn Perry; 38 Brady Russell; 70 Casey Roddick.



2021 PRESEASON HONORS



PRESEASON ALL-PAC 12 CONFERENCE

PK	COLE BECKER (third-team: <i>Athlon</i>)
ILB	JOSH CHANDLER-SEMEDO (fourth-team: <i>Athlon</i>)
OT	FRANK FILLIP (honorable mention: Pac-12 Media)
DE	TERRANCE LANG (third-team: <i>Lindy's College Football</i> ; fourth-team: <i>Phil Steele's College Football</i> ; honorable mention: Pac-12 Media)
S	ISAIAH LEWIS (second-team: <i>Athlon</i> ; third-team: <i>Lindy's College Football</i> ; fourth-team: <i>Phil Steele's College Football</i> ; honorable mention: Pac-12 Media)
ILB	QUINN PERRY (third-team: <i>Athlon</i>)
KR	NIKKO REED (honorable mention: Pac-12 Media)
OG	CASEY RODDICK (fourth-team: <i>Athlon</i>)
TE	BRADY RUSSELL (fourth-team: <i>Athlon, Phil Steele's College Football</i>)
DT	JALEN SAMI (third-team: <i>Athlon, Lindy's College Football, Phil Steele's College Football</i> ; honorable mention: Pac-12 Media)
WR	R.J. SNEED (second-team: <i>Phil Steele's College Football</i>)

BUFFALOES ON NATIONAL AWARD LISTS

(Watch Lists/Official Nominations)

Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award (outstanding offensive player with ties to state of Texas): **TB Alex Fontenot** (one of 63 players on official watch list)
East-West Shrine Game 1000 (all-star game): **OT Tommy Brown, DT Jalen Sami, WR Daniel Arias, WR R.J. Sneed, DL Terrance Lang, ILB Quinn Perry, TE Brady Russell, ILB Robert Barnes, TB Alex Fontenot.**
Rotary Lombardi Award (top down lineman within 10 yards of snap): **DE Terrance Lang** (CU's official nomination)
John Mackey Award (top tight end): **TE Brady Russell** (one of 56 players on official watch list)
Polynesian Player of the Year (top player with Polynesian ancestry): **DT Jalen Sami** (one of 85 players on official watch list)
Senior Bowl Watch List (postseason all-star game): **DE Terrance Lang**
Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award (top upperclassmen quarterback): **QB Brendon Lewis** (one of 76 players on official watch list)
Doak Walker Award (nation's top running back): **TB Alex Fontenot** (one of 73 players on official watch list)
Danny Wuerffel Award (community service): **OLB Joshka Gustav** (one of 115 players on official watch list)

NATIONAL TOP 100 PLAYER/COACH RATINGS

Defensive Ends: Terrance Lang (No. 80, *Phil Steele's College Football*)
Inside Linebackers: Josh Chandler-Semedo (No. 20, *Pro Football Focus*); Quinn Perry (No. 55, *Phil Steele's College Football*)
Offensive Guards: Tommy Brown (No. 73, *Phil Steele's College Football*)
Tight Ends: Brady Russell (No. 46, *Phil Steele's College Football*)
Wide Receivers: R.J. Sneed (No. 66, *Phil Steele's College Football*)

NATIONAL UNIT RATINGS

Special Teams: No. 29 (*Phil Steele's College Football*)

RECRUITING CLASS RANKINGS

No. 45 (Rivals.com)
 No. 45 (*Phil Steele's College Football*)
 No. 47 (247sports.com)

TOUGHEST SCHEDULES

Colorado: No. 13 (*Phil Steele's College Football*), No. 21 (*Pro Football Focus*)

PRESEASON TEAM RANKINGS

Publication	National	P-12 South	Publication	National	P-12 South
The Blitz	No. 51	9th	Pro Football Focus	*No. 99	11th
collegefootballnews.com	No. 62	t-11th	FifthQuarter.net (CFB Home)	.....	6th/South
collegefootballpoll.com	No. 67	8th	Pick Six Previews	.....	6th/South
Lindy's Pac-12 Football	No. 83	6th/South	VSIN	.....	6th/South
ESPN Power Index	*No. 84	11th	Autumn 11	.....	11th
DRatings.com	No. 87	5th/South	Pac-12 Summer Media Poll	.....	12th
TeamRankings.com	No. 87	11th	Sporting News	.....	12th
Versus Sports Simulator	No. 89	t-11th	Associated Press	NR	...
McIllece Sports	No. 89	12th	USA Today/Coaches Poll	NR	...
The Athletic	No. 92	12th	FWAA-NFF Preseason Top 16	NR	...
Athlon Sports	No. 92	6th/South	*—power ranking. Note: some polls did not realize divisions were done away with; thus 5th or 6th were predictions for the former Pac-12 South.		
CFP Model by Dunham	*No. 94	12th			
Phil Steele's College Football	*No. 97	11th			
CBSSports.com	No. 98	12th			



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THE PLAYERS



**EDGAR
AMAYA, OL**

6-2, 325, Fr., RS

Russellville, Ala.
(Russellville)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for the Washington game ... Named the Scout Team Offensive Player of the Week for the Oregon State game.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star recruit by the recruiting services ... 247Sports listed him as the No. 62 player in Alabama and No. 68 offensive guard in the nation ... The 247 Composite ranked him as the No. 59 player from Alabama, No. 64 offensive guard nationally and as a nationally ranked player overall ... Rivals ranked him as the No. 49 player from Alabama ... ESPN listed him as the No. 51 player from Alabama and No. 70 offensive guard nationally ... Played five years on varsity at Russellville for coaches John Ritter and Mark Heaton, helping the team to a combined 27-7 record from his sophomore through senior seasons ... Russellville went 10-3 his senior season, winning the 5A Region 8 championship and advancing to the third round of the state championship ... He played left guard and left tackle and was named to All-County, All-State, and the Alabama vs. Mississippi All-Star game ... Russellville was 8-3 his junior season and averaged 154.4 rushing yards per game and scored 23 rushing touchdowns on the season ... His sophomore season, the team was 9-2 overall and 6-1 in 5A Region 7, taking second place ... Some of his top games came his senior year and include racking up 30 pancake blocks against Hayden and 27 against East Limestone.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado ... He was a member of the Honor Society in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born Sept. 24, 2002 in Los Angeles, Calif. ... His parents are Edgar and Rosa ... He has two younger siblings, Anderson and Rosemary ... He was born in the same city three days after the Buffs played in Los Angeles, beating UCLA 31-17 at the Rose Bowl ... He enjoys fishing and working out, and can play the trombone.



**JACKSON
ANDERSON, OL**

6-4, 300, Fr., RS

Mineola, Texas
(Mineola)

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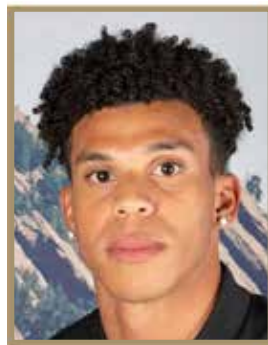
AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star recruit by 247Sports and ESPN ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 198 player out of Texas and No. 66 offensive guard in the nation ... 247Sports listed him as the No. 186 player in the state of Texas and No. 57 offensive guard ... He played three years on varsity at Mineola for head coach Luke Blackwell ... He was named all-district first-team for his sophomore through senior seasons, where he helped Mineola breakthrough for an 11-2 record as a senior after recording 5-5 and 6-4 records his junior and sophomore seasons, respectively ... As a senior, he played both offensive and defensive line, recording 20 pancake blocks on offense and 41 tackles including six sacks and nine tackles for loss ... Mineola averaged 369.0 rushing yards per game and scored 75 touchdowns

on offense and defensively recorded 17 sacks and 14 interceptions ... His junior season, he totaled 22 tackles, including two sacks ... He also played basketball and competed in track & field at Mineola.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in majoring in Business at Colorado and is in the pre-business track ... He was named Academic All-State in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born on October 21, 2002 in Tyler, Texas ... His parents are Leon and Amy Anderson ... He has twin brothers, Austin and Riley, who both played football at Texas A&M ... His dad played football at Southern Mississippi ... He is interested in a career as a financial advisor when playing days are over ... His hobbies include hunting and fishing.



**DANIEL
ARIAS, WR**

6-4, 210, Sr., 4L

Mill Creek, Wash.
(Henry M. Jackson)

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AT COLORADO: This Season (Sr.)—Has played in 41 career games with 13 starts ... Has 28 career receptions for 424 yards and three touchdowns ... His 28 receptions are 102nd in CU history and his 424 yards is 99th on the career chart ... On special teams, he is seventh in CU history with 73 special teams points, including 26 forced fair catches, good for second all-time ... Also was first downfield 13 times, has nine unassisted tackles, two inside the 20, and four assisted tackles, two inside the 20, on special teams ... Named to the East-West Shrine Game 1000 Watch List.

2021 (Jr.-2)—Named honorable mention All-Pac-12 by the coaches ... Played in all 12 games and started 11 ... Third on the team with 19 receptions for 237 yards and a touchdown ... Led the team in special teams points with 22, including five forced fair catches, and was second in special teams tackles with four and was three times the first player downfield on punt coverage.

2020 (Jr.)—Earned mention on the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation All-Academic first-team and on the Pac-12 Academic Honor Roll ... Played in all six games with two starts ... Played five games on offense and one on special teams ... Had five catches for 88 yards and had at least one catch in four of the six games ... Caught a 38-yard pass against UCLA in the season opener and had two catches for 33 yards in the regular season finale against Utah.

2019 (Soph.)—Named an honorable mention selection on the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation All-Academic team ... Played in all 12 games, 11 on special teams (107 plays) and nine on offense (90 plays) ... Caught three passes for 62 yards and one touchdown ... Was second on the team with 23 special teams points, seeing action on the punt return, kick coverage, punt return and kick return units ... Led the team with eight forced fair catches and he was six times the first downfield interrupting the play ... Was named the Special Teams Player of the Week for the USC game ... Caught a 27-yard touchdown in the season finale against Utah ... Had two catches for 35 yards, including a 29-yard catch, against Arizona ... Had a productive spring with 13 receptions for 227 yards and two touchdowns, including leading the team with seven catches for 137 yards and two scores in the spring game.

2018 (Fr.)—Named to the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation All-Academic First Team ... Set a new CU record on special teams with 13 forced fair catches ... He played in all 12 games ... Had one reception for 37 yards and a touchdown against Washington ... Became the 16th known player in CU history to score a touchdown on his first career touch ... Second on special teams with 28 points, just behind Beau Bisharat's 29 ... Set records for forced fair catches for a season (13) and single game (5, versus Washington State) ... Also had four tackles, one inside the 20, five downed punts, was first down field four times and had one knockdown or springing block on special teams ... Was one of five true freshmen so see their first collegiate action in the season opener against Colorado State.



HIGH SCHOOL—Rated as a three-star recruit by the recruiting services ... Garnered first-team All-State, first-team All-Area and first-team All-Wesco honors as a wide receiver ... Was a first-team All-Wesco defensive back as well ... His junior year he earned first-team All-Wesco honors on offense and drew a second-team nod on defense ... Under coach Joel Vincent, the Timberwolves went 3-7 in 2017 ... As a senior, he caught 43 passes for 843 yards (19.6 per) and eight touchdowns ... As a junior, he had 49 receptions for 1,030 yards (21.0 per) and 12 TDs ... Top games as a senior: caught nine passes for 191 yards and two TDs in a 40-20 win over Mount Vernon; went for 189 yards on only five catches, averaging 37.8 yards per reception, and two TDs versus Glacier Peak in a 48-41 overtime defeat; had nine catches for 138 yards and a TD versus Lake Stevens; had five catches for 93 yards and two TDs against Monroe ... Was named the MVP of the USC summer 2016 camp and he also attended CU's and UCLA's summer camps ... Also participated in track ... As a senior he won the 400-meter Class 4A title with a time of 49.02 and finished fourth in the 200-meters with a time of 22.21 ... His junior year he placed second at state in the 100- and 400-meters.

ACADEMICS—Graduated in May 2022 with a bachelor's degree in Strategic Communication (with a minor in Communication) ... Named to the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation All-Academic First Team in 2018 and '20 and '21 and honorable mention in 2019 ... Named to the Pac-12 Academic Honor Roll in 2020 and '21 ... Owned a 3.4 GPA in high school and took one AP course, Environmental Science ... Was named the Everett Public School Scholar-Athlete of the Year for 2017-18.

PERSONAL—He was born September 2, 1998 in Santo Domingo, the Dominican Republic ... His family moved to the United States when was six; his mother had moved previously to Washington to work and gain United States citizenship before bringing Daniel and his two siblings to join her ... Hobbies include playing video games, hiking, biking, drawing and hanging out with friends ... He worked on his uncle's farm growing up and had several duties from bailing hay, to cleaning stalls, general maintenance, up-keep of the fence lines and working with livestock (he knows how to ride horses). (*Last name is pronounced are-us*)

Season	RECEIVING			Avg.	TD	Long	High Games	
	G	No.	Yds				Rec	Yds
2018	12	1	37	37.0	1	37t	1	37
2019	12	3	62	20.3	1	29	2	35
2020	4	5	88	17.6	0	38	2	38
2021	12	19	237	12.5	1	43t	4	70
Totals	40	28	424	15.1	3	43t	4	70

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS—Special Team Tackles: 9-4—13: 4,0—4 (2018); 4,0—4 (2019); 1-4—5 (2021)



**AARON
AUSTIN, DL**

6-2, 250, Fr., HS

Fort Worth, Texas
(North Crawley)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Composite lists him as the No. 137 defensive lineman, No. 154 player from Texas and No. 1,094 player nationally ... 247 Sports ranks him the No. 119 defensive lineman and No. 120 player from Texas ... ESPN lists him as the No. 82 defensive tackle, No. 175 player from Texas and No. 235 player from the region ... On3 Sports lists him as the No. 117 defensive lineman and No. 166 player from Texas ... Played three years of varsity football at North Crawley under coach Courtney Allen ... Anchored a stout defensive line at North Crawley that allowed 18.7 points per game over his final two seasons ... North Crawley was 3-7 his sophomore season but improved to 7-4 both his junior and senior seasons ... Named first-team All-District 3-6A at defensive end his senior season helping North Crawley to a 7-4 overall

record and 5-2 mark in district play ... North Crawley allowed 22.5 points per game his senior season including a stretch of three out of four games allowing just 10 total points with one shutout ... Junior season North Crawley allowed just 14.8 points per game and was again 7-4 overall and 5-2 in district play ... Also competed in powerlifting in high school.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business Administration at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born June 25, 2004 in Austin, Texas ... Mom is Latonla Sanford ... Has three siblings, Anthonie, Courtnie and Ariel ... Would like to pursue coaching after his playing days are over ... Enjoys skating, playing basketball and gaming, specifically Call of Duty, in his free time ... Has done community service throughout his youth.



**ROBERT
BARNES, ILB**

6-2, 230, Gr., 1L

Southlake, Texas
(Carroll/Oklahoma)

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AT COLORADO—Including his time at Oklahoma, he has played in 45 career games with 13 starts ... Has 122 career tackles (82 solo) with four tackles for loss, three interceptions, five pass breakups, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery.

This Season (Gr.-2)—Named to the East-West Shrine Bowl 1000 watch list ... Represented CU at the Pac-12 Media Day in July.

2021 (Gr.-1)—He played in 11 games and started three on defense ... Finished the season with 44 tackles (33 solo) including three tackles for loss ... Had 30 of his 44 tackles in the last four games of the season ... Added five third down stops, two pass breakups, one quarterback pressure and one interception ... Had a career-best 10 tackles (eight solo) against Washington, adding a fumble recovery and interception and he earned the College Sports Madness Pac-12 Defensive Player of the Week honor ... Had seven tackles both against Oregon State and Utah ... He joined the team for the spring 2021 semester as a graduate transfer.

AT OKLAHOMA (2017-20)—He played in 34 career games for the Sooners, starting 10 ... He saw action at both linebacker and safety ... He totaled 78 tackles (49 solo), one tackle for loss, two interceptions, four passes defended, and one forced fumble in his Sooners career ... In 2020, he played in nine games and started one, playing at both linebacker and safety, with nine tackles and a half tackle for loss ... In a Cotton Bowl win over No. 10 Florida, he tallied three tackles... In 2019, he played in four games and had five tackles on the year ... In 2018, he played in 11 games and started eight at safety, recording 54 total tackles (31 solo), a half tackle for loss, one interception, three passes defended, and a forced fumble ... Against Alabama in the College Football Playoff Semifinal, he had three tackles before having to exit the game in the second quarter with an injury... He had seven tackles and a forced fumble in a win over Texas in the Big 12 Championship ... He played in 10 games in 2017, starting one, with 10 tackles, one interception, and a pass defended.

HIGH SCHOOL—Rated as a five-star recruit by 247Sports, where he was ranked the No.27 overall player in the class and the No. 3 safety, and No. 5 player from Texas... A four-star recruit by the 247 Composite, which ranked him as a top-100 player overall, No. 12 safety and No. 12 player from Texas ... ESPN rated him as a four-star recruit, the No. 237 player in the class, No. 15 safety and No. 36 player from Texas ... A four-star recruit by Rivals, ranked the No. 15 player at his position and No. 22 player from the state of Texas... A U.S. Army All-American... He played three years of varsity football for Carroll Senior for head coach Hal Wasson... In his high school career, Carroll compiled a 32-6 record ... Carroll went 10-2 as a senior and advanced to the second round of the state playoffs before losing to a DeSota team that featured former CU receivers Laviska Shenault Jr. and



K.D. Nixon ... As a senior, he played in 10 games where he recorded 41 total tackles (28 solo), two passes defended and one forced fumble despite missing the last three games of the season with an injury ... On offense, he carried the ball six times for 51 yards and a touchdown and caught 26 passes for 428 yards and four touchdowns ... Carroll went 9-3 as a junior, advancing to the second round of the state playoffs ... As a junior, he played in 11 games totaling 101 tackles (64 solo), one tackle for loss, one interception, two passes defended and a forced fumble... Carroll was 13-1 in his sophomore season and made it to the state playoff quarterfinals... As a sophomore in 10 games, had 33 tackles (22 solo), two tackles for loss, and an interception.

ACADEMICS—Barnes is pursuing graduate studies at Colorado ... He graduated from Oklahoma in December 2020 with a degree in Communication ... He was named to the Academic All-Big 12 second team in 2018 ... Earned the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter Academic All-Colorado honorable mention team.

PERSONAL—He was born December 3, 1998 in Dallas, Texas ... He is the son of former Oklahoma Sooners linebacker Reggie Barnes, who played for OU from 1989-92 and played 23 games in the NFL with the Pittsburgh Steelers and Dallas Cowboys, earning a Super Bowl Ring with the Cowboys in Super Bowl XXX ... His dad had solid games against the Buffs while with Oklahoma, compiling 26 tackles in three games, including 15 in 1990, the season the Buffs won the National Championship.

Season	G	Plays	TACKLES										
			UT	AT—TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2021	11	376	33	11—44	3- 4	0- 0	3	5	1	1	0	2	1



ALLAN BAUGH, DL

6-2, 270, Fr., RS

Fort Lauderdale, Fla.
(St. Thomas Aquinas)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for the final three games of the season.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star recruit by 247Sports and ESPN, which ranks him as the No. 146 player in the state of Florida and No. 63 defensive tackle in the class ... 247Sports gives him a grade of 83 and has him as the No. 225 player from Florida and No. 101 strongside defensive end while the 247 composite has him as the No. 206 player in the state and 92 strong-side defensive end ... A defensive lineman early in his career, he moved to the offensive line as a senior to help out the team ... St. Thomas Aquinas was 22-1 over the past two seasons, including a 7-1 record in a shortened senior season and perfect 15-0 mark his junior season, winning the Florida 7A State Championships and Geico National Championship for coach Roger Harriott ... A pre-season Sports Illustrated All-American as a senior when St. Thomas was ranked as a top 20 team nationally and the No. 2 team in Florida, he helped anchor an offensive line that produced a balanced attack, averaging 115.3 yards passing and 171.6 yards rushing per game ... His junior season on the defensive line, he was in on 12 tackles for loss and five sacks as a rotational player ... The STAHS defense surrendered just 10.0 points per game his senior season and pitched six shutout wins in 15 games ... He also wrestled at St. Thomas Aquinas, compiling a 17-8 record on the mat.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business Finance at Colorado ... He was an Honor Roll student in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born May 21, 2003 in Plantation, Fla. ... His parents are Paul and Germaine Baugh ... His mom is the CEO of a non-profit ... He has one sister, Victoria ... He would like to get into coaching when

playing career is over ... He can play the piano, and in his free time, he likes to swim, fish, and go to the beach ... He was the Buffs first verbal commit of the 2021 class ... He's CU's first player to commit from Florida since 2017 (Carson Wells) ... He volunteers with kids at his church ... He attended the same high school as Karl Dorrell's son and CU's Director of Player Personnel, Chandler.



COLE BECKER, PK

6-3, 225, Soph., 1L

Roseville, Calif.
(Rocklin)

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AT COLORADO: This Season (Soph.)—amed third-team Preseason All-Pac-12 by *Athlon* and part of the No. 29 ranked special team's units by *Phil Steele's College Football* ... Already ranks 24th in kick scoring and 87th overall in scoring with 67 points, and his 14 made field goals are tied for 19th in CU history.

2021 (Fr.)—Named first-team All-Pac-12 by Pro Football Focus and Pro Football Network ... Played in all 12 games ... Led the team in scoring with 67 points, hitting on 14-of-20 field goals and all 25 PAT attempts ... His 67 points is the second-most in program history for a freshman behind 86 from James Stefanou in 2017 ... His 14 made field goals ranked second in the Pac-12 and 61st nationally ... He made 3-of-4 field goals from 50-plus yards, including a 56-yarder at Oregon, a 52-yarder against Oregon State and a 51-yarder against Arizona State ... The 51-yarder against ASU was the fourth-longest first field goal made in CU history and at the time was the fourth-longest by a freshman before he twice bettered the mark ... The 56-yarder set a new freshman record at CU, was the fourth-longest field goal in college football and the longest by a freshman ... Had the most 50-yard field goals made in a season by a Buff since 2005, when Mason Crosby had five ... One of nine players in the nation (one of two freshmen) to hit on three-plus 50-yard field goals ... One of just four players in the nation, and only freshman, two hit two from 52-plus yards ... His 43-yard game-winner in OT vs. Oregon State was the longest overtime FG to win in CU history and the fourth-longest in program annals in the last two minutes or OT to win a game ... He was named the Colorado Chapter/National Football Foundation's Player of the Week for his performance against the Beavers ... He missed his first three attempts spanning four games, but rebounded to hit 14-of-17 the remainder of the season ... A total of 29 of his 47 kickoffs went for touchbacks.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was ranked the No. 1 kicker nationally by Kohl's Professional Camps ... Chris Sailer Kicking ranked him as a six-star kicker and the No. 4 kicker in the class ... A three star prospect by 247Sports and ESPN ... ESPN ranks him as the No. 2 kicker in the class ... 247Sports ranks him as the No. 14 kicker in the class ... The 247 Composite lists him as the No. 11 kicker in the class, the No. 175 player from California, and nationally ranked ... On the varsity for two years at Rocklin for coach Jason Adams ... He posted a video of himself on social media hitting a 68-yard field goal ... He missed just one kick in high school, connecting on 45-of-46 total kicks ... His team did not play in 2020 his senior season due to COVID-19 ... As a junior, he was named first-team all-state, first-team All-Sac Joaquin Section, first-team all-metro and first-team all-league ... He was 31-of-31 on PATs and connected on 14-of-15 field goals with a long of 45 yards ... He kicked off 63 times and had 30 touchbacks ... He also played basketball at Rocklin.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado and is on the Pre-Business track ... He was a Scholar-Athlete throughout high school.



PERSONAL—He was born on May 22, 2003 in Roseville, Calif. ... His parents are Scott and Stephanie Becker ... He has one brother, Mason ... He has dreams of kicking in the NFL ... His hobbies include playing sports, hanging with friends, golfing, and fishing ... He can flip a water bottle sitting on top of a football by kicking a field goal ... He is active in the community both through his sports teams and on his own. ... Earned the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter Academic All-Colorado honorable mention team.

Season	G	SCORING		FG BREAKDOWN								Long	PTS
		EP-EPA	FG-/FGA	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+				
2021	12	25-25	14-20	1-1	3-3	5-6	2-6	3-4	0-0	56	67		



DEREK BEDELL, SN

6-3, 235, Soph., 2L

Bellflower, Calif.
(St. John Bosco)

87

AT COLORADO: Has played in 18 career games and has 156 long and short snaps with no issues.

2021 (Fr.-3)—Played in all 12 games as the primary snapper for punts, and field goals/PATs ... In all, he had 111 snaps throughout the season with no issues ... He was named Colorado's Special Teams Player of the Week against Oregon State.

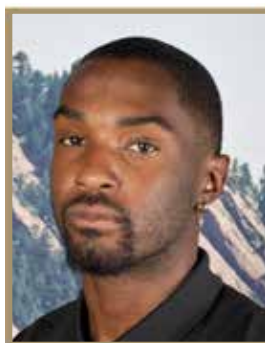
2020 (Fr.-RS)—Played in all six games as the primary snapper for punt, field goal and PATs ... Handled all long snapping duties for the entire season and took over on short snaps midway through the season opener against UCLA ... In all he had 45 snaps, 24 field goal/PAT and 21 punt, with no issues.

2019 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for the first six games of the season and was injured for the last six games.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was the long and short snapper at St. John Bosco High School for three seasons, helping the team to a 38-5 record his sophomore through senior seasons ... The team compiled a 13-2 record as a sophomore, 12-2 as a junior and 13-1 as a senior ... As a sophomore, the team was the CIF Southern Section and California State Champions.

ACADEMICS—He is pursuing a double major in Philosophy and International Affairs at Colorado ... He aspires of being a lawyer after college ... He was the Valedictorian and on the Principal's Honor Roll at St. John Bosco ... Earned the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter Academic All-Colorado honorable mention team.

PERSONAL—He was born May 28, 2001 in Long Beach, Calif. ... His uncle, Brad Bedell, was an All-American offensive lineman for the Buffs from 1996-99, drafted by the Cleveland Browns in the 2000 NFL Draft, played in the NFL for nine seasons and is the Tight Ends and assistant head coach at Auburn ... His interests include playing the piano, video games and comic books.



MAURICE BELL, WR

6-0, 185, Sr., 3L

Murrieta, Calif.
(Murrieta Valley)

13

AT COLORADO: Has played in 21 career games with two starts ... Has 11 career receptions for 95 yards and a touchdown and five kick returns for 115 yards for a total of 210 all-purpose yards.

2021 (Jr.-RS)—He suffered an injury prior to the start of fall camp and missed the 2021 season.

2020 (Jr.)—Played in all six games and started two at wide receiver, the first two games of the season against UCLA and Stanford ... Had nine receptions for 89 yards and one touchdown, all coming in the regular season opener and finale ... Had five kick returns for 115 yards for an average of 23.0 per return, ranking fifth in the Pac-12 ... Had five catches for 43 yards against UCLA to open the season and four catches for 46 yards and a touchdown against Utah to close the season ... Added one catch for 26 yards and two kick returns for 36 yards against Texas in the Alamo Bowl.

2019 (Soph.)—Played in all 12 games, 11 on offense and six on special teams ... Caught two passes for six yards ... Had 56 snaps on special teams, mainly kick coverage and punt return but also on punt coverage and kick return ... Caught one pass for -2 yards against Washington State ... Had one catch for eight yards against Stanford ... Picked up seven points on special teams, including three tackles and a downed punt while he was first downfield interrupting the play twice ... Had an outstanding spring game with six receptions for 129 yards and a touchdown.

2018 (Fr.-RS)—Saw action in three games on offense and dressed for all 12 ... Did not record any statistics.

2017 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Did dress for the Washington and Arizona contests.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was ranked by Scout.com as the No. 8 wide receiver in California ... Played in the inaugural Polynesian Bowl at Aloha Stadium in Honolulu on Jan. 21, 2017 ... Was a defensive back and wide receiver for coach George Wilson, helping the Nighthawks to their best season in the program's 25-year history with an 11-3 record in 2016 and their first Southwestern League title since 2005 ... Murrieta Valley had a perfect 5-0 record in conference play and appeared in the Southern Section Division 2 title game in 2016 ... Nighthawks were ranked No. 2 in the season-end Inland Empire rankings by The Press Enterprise ... Garnered All-Area honorable mention honors from The Press Enterprise as a senior when he caught 69 passes for 1,083 yards and seven touchdowns ... Averaged 15.7 yards per reception and was one of two players in the Southwestern League to have over 1,000 yards receiving, the other being teammate Marquis Spiker, who had 1,737 ... Biggest game came against Colorado's Grandview (Aurora) High School, when he had 11 receptions for 245 yards and two touchdowns in a 50-49 loss in Murrieta, Calif. ... In a game against Vista Murrieta, his pass breakup on a fourth-and-2 with 1:29 remaining secured the Nighthawks 42-37 victory that snapped Vista Murrieta's seven-plus-year league winning streak ... Had six receptions for 116 yards and one 65-yard TD reception in a 42-14 victory over Great Oak that clinched a share of the Southwestern League title ... In a 42-0 win over Chaparral, he had 10 catches for 213 yards and three TDs ... Had a 93-yard kickoff return for a touchdown in a 56-27 win over Murrieta Mesa and on five total returns in 2016 he averaged 39.6 yards ... As a junior he caught 51 passes for 956 yards with 16 touchdowns ... Posted four 100-yard receiving games that year and had a TD reception in 10 of 12 games, including multiple TDs in five contests ... Caught five passes for 138 yards and three TDs a 63-13 win over Temecula Valley ... He also played basketball as a freshman and sophomore in high school and ran track, competing in the 200- and 400-meter dashes ... Top times in those events were 22.7 and 49.5, respectively.

ACADEMICS—He graduated with a bachelor's degree in Communication with minors in both Sports Media and Sociology in December 2021.



PERSONAL—He was born June 10, 1999 in San Diego, Calif. ... Hobbies include hanging out with friends and working out ... His father, Lester, owns a business assisting special development adults ... He is active in the community and volunteered for local charity groups aimed at raising funds and awareness for cancer, and also for his father's business.

Season	RECEIVING			Avg.	TD	Long	High Games	
	G	No.	Yds				Rec	Yds
2019	12	2	6	3.0	0	8	1	8
2020	5	9	89	9.9	1	21t	5	46
Totals	17	11	95	8.6	1	21t	5	46

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS— Special Team Tackles: 2,1—3 (2019); Kick Returns: 5-115 (2020).



NIGEL BETHEL JR., CB

6-0, 170, Jr., 2L

Miami, Fla.
(Northwestern/
Miami, Fla.)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Soph.-3)—Played in six games with one start against USC ... Listed as injured for the final six games ... Played 151 snaps on defense and had nine tackles, seven solo, with two third down stops and three pass breakups on defense ... Played on three special teams units and finished the season with eight special teams points including three forced fair catches, he was twice the first player downfield and had two tackles ... Against No. 5 Texas A&M, he played 48 snaps on defense with two tackles, a pass breakup and third down stop.

2020 (Soph.-RS)—Played in four games, against UCLA, Stanford, Arizona and Utah ... Had a total of 51 defensive snaps with one interception and one tackle ... Interception came on fourth down in the end zone to stop to Arizona drive in the third quarter of CU's 24-13 win in Tucson ... Also saw action on three special teams units, primarily punt coverage but also on field goal block and punt return in the regular defensive formation ... Had six special teams points, two tackles, two forced fair catches, and he was twice the first downfield interrupting the play.

2019 (Soph.)—He sat out and served a redshirt season due to NCAA transfer rules ... Played on the scout team all season ... Was named the Defensive Scout of the Week twice, leading into both the USC and Washington games.

AT MIAMI-FLORIDA (2018)—He saw action in one game at Miami against Savannah State ... Served as a member of the practice squad all season.

HIGH SCHOOL—A consensus three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... He was selected to the Miami-Dade North vs. South All-Star Game ... As a senior, he was named to the 2017 Miami Herald All-Dade third team ... He helped Northwestern win the Florida Class 6A State Championship as a senior ... He played both receiver and defensive back at Northwestern ... He was the Bulls' second-leading receiver, catching 18 passes for 357 yards and two touchdowns, and added one interception on defense ... He also ran track and his top times are 10.78 in the 100-meters and 21.57 in the 200-meters.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Ethnic Studies at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born December 14, 1999 in Miami, Fla. ... His parents are Nigel, Sr., and Tiffonie Bethel.

Season	G	Plays	TACKLES			TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
			UT	AT	TOT									
2020	4	51	1	0—	1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
2021	6	151	7	2—	9	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0	0	3	0
TOTALS	10	202	8	2—	10	0-0	0-0	0	3	0	0	0	3	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS—Special Team Tackles: 1,1—2 (2020).



SHAKUAN BOWSER, OLB

6-4, 225, Jr., HS

Queen Creek, Ariz.
(Casteel)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Composite listed him as the No. 81 linebacker in the class, the No. 12 player from Arizona and No. 867 player nationally ... ESPN ranked him the No. 52 outside linebacker nationally, No. 102 player in the region and No. 14 player from Arizona ... 247 Sports ranked him the No. 115 linebacker nationally and No. 12 player from Arizona ... Rivals listed him as the No. 45 outside linebacker in the class ... On3 Sports listed him as the No. 77 edge in the class and No. 19 player from Arizona ... Played three years of varsity at Casteel High School under coach Bobby Newcombe ... Finished his career with 143 tackles, including 29 tackles for loss with 18 sacks, and added 28 quarterback hurries, seven pass breakups, three forced fumbles, and four fumble recoveries, one of which he returned for a touchdown ... Senior season he had 44 tackles, including nine for a loss with 4½ sacks, four quarterback hurries, five pass defenses, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery ... Had five tackles, including three for a loss with one sack in a 35-6 win over Mountain Pointe ... Casteel was 4-0 in games he had at least one sack in as a senior ... Had five tackles, two for a loss with a sack, in a 47-27 win over Higley ... Junior season he finished with 77 tackles, including 12 for a loss with 11 sacks, 15 quarterback hurries, one forced fumble and three fumble recoveries, one of which he returned for a touchdown ... He had 10 tackles three times and multiple tackles for loss and sacks in four games ... Had 11 tackles, three for a loss with two sacks, in a 24-17 win over Desert Ridge ... Came up with eight tackles, two for a loss, both sacks, and four quarterback hurries, in a 12-7 win over Queen Creek ... Sophomore season he helped Casteel to a 9-4 record and finished with 22 tackles, eight tackles for loss including 2½ sacks, and nine quarterback hurries ... Had six quarterback hurries in a 43-33 win over Gilbert ... Had seven tackles, two for a loss, and three quarterback hurries in a 53-7 win over Apollo ... Also participated in track & field at Casteel.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born April 20, 2004 in Scottsdale, Ariz. ... Parents are Duane and Semira Bowser ... Has five siblings (**First name is pronounced shuh-kawn but goes by "shack."**)



TOMMY BROWN, OT

6-7, 330, Gr., TR

Santa Ana, Calif.
(Mater Dei/Alabama)

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AT COLORADO: This Season (Gr.)—Listed on the East-West Shrine Game 1000 Watch List ... Ranked the No. 73 guard nationally by *Phil Steele's College Football* ... A graduate transfer from the University of Alabama, he enrolled in school for the spring semester and has two seasons of eligibility remaining

AT ALABAMA (2018-21)—Redshirted his true freshman season in 2018 and then played in 29 games from 2019-21 with one start at Alabama ...



Played in four CFP Playoff games for the Crimson Tide, including two CFP Championship Games, winning a national championship in 2020 when Alabama went 13-0 ... Started against New Mexico State in 2021 at left guard and played 44 snaps and allowed one sack while the Crimson Tide picked up 587 yards of offense; 247 yards rushing and 340 yards passing ... Played in and won both the Rose Bowl in 2020 and Cotton Bowl in 2021 in first-round playoff games.

HIGH SCHOOL—A consensus four-star prospect by the recruiting services ... Ranked the No. 114 player in the nation on the ESPN 300, which also ranked him the No. 10 offensive tackle in the class and No. 13 player from California ... The 247 Composite ranked him the No. 132 player in the nation, the No. 4 offensive guard, and No. 17 player from California ... 247 Sports listed him as the No. 153 player nationally, the No. 5 offensive guard, and No. 21 player from California ... *PrepStar* ranked him the No. 131 player nationally and No. 13 offensive tackle in the class ... Selected to play in both the Polynesian Bowl and the Under Armour All-America Game ... Participated in Nike's "The Opening" in 2017 ... Played four years of varsity at Mater Dei under coach Bruce Rollinson ... Mater Dei was 47-7 in his four years there and he capped his high school career with a perfect 15-0 record and national No. 1 ranking by MaxPreps and USA Today ... Senior season Mater Dei averaged 444.0 yards per game, 282.0 passing and 162.0 rushing scoring 82 total touchdowns averaging 48.3 points per game ... Junior season Mater Dei averaged 475.8 yards per game, 346.7 passing and 129.1 rushing scoring 100 touchdowns and averaging 53.4 points per game ... Also participated in lacrosse and track & field at Mater Dei and placed ninth in the California state meet in the shot put.

ACADEMICS—He is pursuing a Master's Degree in Organizational Leadership at Colorado ... Graduated from Alabama in 2021 ... Member of the Southeastern Conference Honor Roll from 2018-21.

PERSONAL—He was born July 8, 1999 in Santa Ana, Calif. ... Parents are Vince and Cherie Brown ... Has two brothers, Dillon and Zach ... Dad Vince was a track & field athlete at Alabama, throwing the shot put ... Brother Dillon played baseball at Cal State Fullerton and played in the College World Series as a freshman ... Favorite actor is Tom Hanks ... Hobbies include Star Wars and Classic Cars ... Uncle Greg Brown played football at Harvard ... Uncle Gerran Brown played baseball at New Mexico ... Uncle Mark Brown played baseball at San Diego State ... Has five cousins that played Division I sports, including Gerran Brown (football at Cal), Lindsey Brown (soccer at Notre Dame), Samantha Duncan (volleyball at Notre Dame), Meg Brown (volleyball at Pepperdine) and Michael Brown (football at Amherst).

wins each season ... He passed for 6,955 yards and 54 touchdowns in his career and rushed for 506 yards and seven touchdowns ... As a junior, he led Tigard to a 10-1 mark, undefeated regular season and Three Rivers League championship while earning all-state and all-league honors ... He threw for 2,767 yards and 23 touchdowns with a passer efficiency of 198.3 ... He also ran for 206 yards and two touchdowns ... His sophomore season, Tigard was 10-2 when he was again named all-state and all-league after throwing for 2,168 yards with 21 touchdowns and a passer efficiency of 179.3 ... He added 188 yards rushing with one touchdown ... As a freshman, Tigard was 10-2 and he passed for 1,020 yards and 10 touchdowns, adding 112 yards and four more scores on the ground ... He also played basketball at Tigard and is one of Oregon's top basketball prospects, as well, ranking as the state's No. 5 player by ESPN and receiving scholarship offers from several Division-I schools ... Future150 ranked him as the nation's No. 33 prospect and No. 2 combo guard back in 2016 ... He averaged 25.0 points, 6.0 rebounds and 3.0 assist per game as a junior when he was the league's Player of the Year and earned first-team All-State honors.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in majoring in Business at Colorado ... He was an Honor Roll student all four years of high school.

PERSONAL—He was born on August 24, 2002 in Portland, Ore. ... His parents are Avery and April ... Both his parents were college athletes, his dad played football and his mom ran track & field ... He has an older sister, Lexi, and younger brother, A.J. ... His sister played basketball at Clemson ... His brother has won five national medals in track & field ... Over the winter in the 2021-22 season, he joined the CU basketball roster but did not see game action ... He played AAU basketball for nationally ranked Seattle Rotary ... He was the second quarterback to commit to CU from Oregon within a five-year period, joining Sam Noyer ... His great-grandfather is in the Country Music Hall of Fame ... He was a peer tutor in the special needs program at his high school and does yard work for senior citizens.

Season	G	PASSING					RUSHING				
		Att	Com	Int	Pct.	Yds	TD	Long	Att	Yds	Avg.
2021	6	12	5	0	41.7	35	0	12	3	-1	-0.3

Season	Started	DRIVE ENGINEERING					Points				
		Drives	Drives Ended By	TD	FG	FGA	PNT	DWN	TRN	SAF	CLK
2021	9	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	5	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS—NCAA Rating: 66.2 (2021).
Sacked/Yards Lost: 1/10 (2021).



**DREW
CARTER, QB**

6-3, 195, Soph., 1L

Tigard, Ore.
(Tigard)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Played in six games as a true freshman and suited for all 12 games ... Finished the season 5-of-12 passing for 35 yards ... Against Minnesota, he completed 4-of-8 passes for 27 yards ... He was also on the roster for the men's basketball program after the conclusion of the football season prior to the start of spring football.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star recruit by the recruiting services ... 247Sports listed him as the No. 5 player in Oregon and No. 17 dual-threat quarterback nationally ... The 247 Composite listed him as the No. 5 player from Oregon, No. 28 dual threat quarterback and No. 902 overall player nationally ... He was the No. 6 player in Oregon and No. 27 at his position as ranked by ESPN ... Varsity starter his freshman through junior seasons for head coach Craig Ruecker ... Tigard did not play in 2020 due to COVID-19 ... His freshman through junior seasons, he helped Tigard compile a 30-5 record with 10



**JOSH CHANDLER-
SEMEDO, ILB**

5-10, 225, Gr., TR

Canton, Ohio
(McKinley/West Virginia)

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AT COLORADO—This Season (Gr.)—Named fourth-team Preseason All-Pac-12 by *Athlon* ... He joined the program in the summer after transferring from West Virginia and has one season of eligibility remaining.

AT WEST VIRGINIA (2018-21)—A two-time All-Big 12 performer, he finished his career at West Virginia with 260 tackles, including 145 solo stops, with 15 tackles for loss (1½ sacks), nine quarterback hurries, five forced fumbles, three interceptions, three pass breakups and one fumble recovery ... Named All-Big 12 as a senior in 2021 when he started all 13 games with 110 tackles, good for 36th nationally and third in the Big 12 ... His 68 solo stops ranked 20th nationally and fifth in the Big 12 ... Started all nine games he played in the COVID-shortened 2020 season and was eighth in the Big 12 in tackles



and third on the team with 64 ... Had 13 tackles in the team's Liberty Bowl win and was named to the All-Bowl team by the AP, USA Today and ESPN ... As a sophomore in 2019, he was honorable mention All-Big 12 and started nine of 10 games ... His 72 tackles ranks seventh in the Big 12 ... Played in 12 games as a backup at linebacker and on special teams as a freshman in 2018.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect from the recruiting services ... He was ranked the No. 104 linebacker and No. 56 player from Ohio by the 247 Composite ... Rivals ranked him as the No. 32 player from Ohio and No. 29 inside linebacker nationally ... Senior season he was named second-team High School All-American by USA Today and was his league's MVP ... He registered 86 tackles with 17 for a loss despite dealing with a knee injury that allowed him to play in just seven games ... He was named the Division I All-Ohio first-team, District 1 Northeast Inland District and Academic All-Ohio as a senior ... Junior season earned Division 1 All-Ohio second team.

ACADEMICS—He graduated from West Virginia in May 2021 and worked on his master's degree in Business Administration before transferring to Colorado, where he is continuing his graduate work .. He was named to the Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll and the Garrett Ford Academic Honor Roll while playing for the Mountaineers.

PERSONAL—He was born on March 14, 2000 in Canton, Ohio ... Mom is Meka Chandler ... He has six siblings, five brothers and a sister.



**GERAD CHRISTIAN-
LICHTENHAN, OL**

6-10, 325, Soph., 1L

Davis, Calif.
(Davis)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-RS)—Played in all 12 games on special teams and saw action in five games on offense ... Played a total of 67 snaps with 29 plus plays, including one perfect passing play on a touchdown ... Played on the FG/PAT team on special teams and saw action on all 45 plays.

2020 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for four games including the Alamo Bowl against Texas, also doing so for the UCLA, Stanford and Utah games.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect from Rivals, ESPN and PrepStar ... He was ranked the No. 89 player out of California by Rivals ... He was named to the All-West Region team by PrepStar ... He helped Davis High School earn a record of 10-2 his senior year under head coach Steve Smyte ... He helped pave the way for an offense that scored 68 total touchdowns while averaging 215.0 yards per game rushing and 158.2 yards per game passing ... He played in seven games where the offense had over 200 rushing yards and four games with over 250 yards ... He earned first-team All-Delta League and Offensive Lineman-of-the-Year honors as a senior ... He also played defense and racked up 30 tackles and a sack ... He helped the Devils average 230.1 yards per game rushing and 140.1 yards per game passing to earn first-team all-league honors as a junior ... He earned second-team all-league honors as a sophomore in an offense that averaged 128.3 yards per game rushing and 90.0 yards per game passing ... His senior year against Cordova the Huskies rushed for 193 yards and seven touchdowns in a 64-0 victory ... In a 49-7 win over Woodland, the Davis offense tallied 235 rushing yards and 272 passing yards for a total of 507 yards and seven touchdowns ... He helped gather 291 rushing yards and three touchdowns in a 41-7 win over Gregori ... As a junior, he helped Davis rush for 361 yards and eight touchdowns in a 69-20 victory over Cordova ... In his sophomore season, the Huskies rushed for 356 yards and four touchdowns against Woodcreek ... He was co-enrolled at Da Vinci Charter Academy.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado but is interested in pursuing Environmental Studies or Elementary Education.

PERSONAL—He was born on December 3, 2001 in Fremont, Calif. ... His parents are Tabitha Lichtenhan and Teri Christian ... He has two siblings ... His nickname is "Tank" ... At 6-10, he is the tallest player in CU football history, surpassing Nate Solder (OT, 2007-10) and Steve Young (OT, 1974-75), both 6-9 ... He loves fishing and spending time outdoors ... After football he would like to be a Fish and Game Warden ... He enjoys sleeping, eating, cooking, and spending time with family and friends ... He can make balloon animals ... He has done extensive community service including speaking at elementary schools about the values of being a good student and member of the community and mentoring youth players in the junior football program. *(Name is pronounced Jare-ed Chriss-chen Lick-Ten-Han.)*



**ZACH
COURTNEY, TE**

6-6, 235, Fr., HS

Post, Texas
(Post)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Sports listed him as the No. 1,000 player nationally, No. 53 tight end, and No. 141 player out of Texas, and the 247 Composite had him as the No. 71 tight end and No. 156 player in Texas ... On3 Sports listed him as the No. 956 player nationally, No. 53 tight end and No. 140 player out of Texas ... ESPN listed him as the No. 22 tight end nationally, No. 142 player in the region and No. 109 player out of Texas ... Played three years of varsity for Post High School at both tight end and defensive end for coach Michael Pittman ... In his career, Post had a 35-9 record and he caught 29 passes for 493 yards and eight touchdowns, adding three two-point conversions for 54 total points ... On defense, he compiled 212 tackles, 49 tackles for loss, seven sacks, 21 quarterback hurries, six pass break-ups, three forced fumbles, three fumble recoveries and blocked both a punt and field goal ... Senior season he compiled 20 catches for 390 yards and five touchdowns ... Added a two-point conversion for 32 total points ... Defensively, he had 102 total tackles, 9.3 per game, with 26 tackles for loss including two sacks, 11 quarterback hurries, three forced fumbles, three fumble recoveries, and three pass breakups ... On special teams, he had a blocked punt and four kickoff returns for 54 yards ... Junior season he earned all-district honors on both offense and defense helping Post to a 15-1 record ... Finished with nine receptions for 103 yards and three touchdowns on offense ... Added two two-point conversions for 22 total points ... Defensively, he had 82 tackles with 17 tackles for loss including five sacks, 10 quarterback hurries, three pass breakups and a blocked field goal ... Sophomore season he saw action on defense on Post's 15-1 team with 28 tackles and six tackles for loss ... Also played basketball and participated in track and field at Post ... He averaged 10 points and rebounds per game in basketball and his best discus throw in track and field was 161.1 feet.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born March 2, 2004 in Hutchinson, Kan. ... Parents are Jason and Shana Courtney ... He has two older siblings, Brooklyn and Courtney ... Brooklyn played college basketball and Chance played junior college football ... Enjoys playing many sports, working out and gaming in his free time ... He can throw a football 55 yards backwards.



AUSTIN DAHLKE, S

6-1, 190, Fr., RS

Edgar, Wis.
(Edgar)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action.

HIGH SCHOOL—He played varsity for four seasons at Edgar, helping the team to a 46-4 record in his four seasons ... His senior season he Edgar to an 9-0 record and put up impressive numbers on both offense and defense ... Offensively, he had more than 1,000 yards of offense and scored 15 touchdowns ... Defensively, he led all players in Wisconsin with 26 tackles for loss and 13 sacks and added 86 total tackles with four interceptions and seven fumble recoveries ... Was the Gatorade Wisconsin Player of the Year and named first-team all-state, all-region and was his league's Back of the Year ... Earned honorable mention all-state and all-region honors as a junior when Edgar was 12-2 ... That season he had 59 tackles, 14 tackles for a loss with three sacks, three interceptions, two fumble recoveries and one forced fumble ... On offense he had 625 all-purpose yards ... Big games included against Iowa-Scandinavia, when he rushed 19 times for 135 yards and two touchdowns and had a pick-six on defense in a 56-8 win to cap an undefeated senior season ... He had four first-half touchdowns against Shawano Community in a 48-6 victory as a senior ... Junior season against Auburndale he had two sacks and a touchdown in a 27-0 road win ... Also played basketball, baseball and ran track & field at Edgar.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado and is interested in construction management and environmental design.

PERSONAL—He was born November 11, 2002 in Wausau, Wis. ... Parents are Scott Dahlke and Terry Skrzypczak ... Has five siblings ... Enjoys listening to music, playing games, hanging out with friends and working out ... Interests include mini golf and snowboarding.



CAMDEN DEMPSEY, OL

6-2, 280, Fr., RS

Lakewood, Colo.
(Lakewood)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-time All-Jefferson County honoree, he was second team as a junior and senior after earning honorable mention honors as a sophomore ... After his freshman season, coaches were preparing him to play guard as a sophomore until a last minute switch to center, where he had less than 48 hours to prepare ... He played every snap at center his sophomore and junior seasons and then played all five positions along the line as a senior when he was a team captain ... Also participated in swimming, lettering three times, and track & field at Lakewood, specifically the shotput and discus.

ACADEMICS—He is pursuing a degree in Business at Colorado and is interested obtaining a minor in Leadership ... Wants to be an entrepreneur

focusing on finance, accounting, and international business ... He was the Valedictorian of Lakewood High School and earned high honors from the school each of his four seasons ... In 2020 he was a Coolidge Senator and the recipient of a Dartmouth Book Award ... In 2021, he is a Boettcher Scholar and earned a four-year, full-ride academic scholarship, and International Baccalaureate Diploma Program graduate as well as a CU Leeds Scholar and Presidents Leadership Class Scholar ... He was named first-team Academic All-State two times by the Colorado High School Activities Association and was twice part of the Les Schwab Tire Centers Academic Team Championship Award program ... At Colorado, he was named to the 4.0 Club for having a perfect GPA at the 2022 Academic Breakfast.

PERSONAL—He was born March 8, 2003 in Wheatridge, Colo. ... Parents are Brad and Nancy Dempsey ... Has a younger sister, Margaux ... His hobbies including swimming, skiing, scuba diving, traveling and lifting ... He is interested in the mandarin Chinese language and culture, international business, chemistry and cooking ... His grandfather, Ed Fogle, has been a CU season ticket holder since 1967 and was president of the Denver Buff Club ... His family has more than 11 degrees from CU and he's been going to CU football games as long as he can remember ... An Eagle Scout, in March 2018 he led an international group service project of 34 volunteers (16 from the United States, 18 from China) to plant 100 trees in Inner Mongolia, China, with the Nature Conservancy ... That project took 18 months to plan and he raised over \$23,000 for the project and he personally contributed over 1,000 hours to the project and in all 2,196 service hours and was considered an ecological success and cultural foreign exchange between the USA and China ... Also active in DECA, which prepares emerging leaders in several areas in high school and college, he was a Colorado DECA District 13 State Representative and two-time DECA International Career Development Conference qualifier and Lakewood High School's chapter president ... A member of the Robbie's Hope Foundation Board, focusing on teen suicide prevention and mental health awareness.



DYLAN DIXSON, S

6-2, 190, Fr., HS

Houston, Texas
(Pearland)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247Sports Composite listed him as the No. 554 player nationally, the No. 45 safety in the class and No. 78 player from Texas ... 247Sports had him as the No. 49 safety in the class and No. 76 player out of Texas ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 36 safety nationally, No. 119 player in the region and No. 93 player out of Texas, at one point listing him as an ESPN300 recruit and four-star prospect ... Rivals listed him as the No. 45 safety nationally and No. 72 player from Texas ... On3 had him as the No. 593 player nationally, No. 42 safety and No. 85 player out of Texas ... Played four years of varsity at Pearland for coach Ricky Tullos, helping the team to a 33-10 record in four years ... Played wide receiver offensively and on defense as a safety and linebacker ... In his career, he had 257 tackles, 23 for a loss including six sacks, adding nine quarterback hurries, five forced fumbles, four fumble recoveries, six interceptions and eight pass breakups, returning both an interception and fumble recovery for touchdowns ... Senior season Pearland was 7-4 and he had 86 tackles, 48 solo with three for a loss ... Also had two interceptions, one forced fumble, one fumble recovery, and three pass breakups ... Also returned one punt for 29 yards and two kickoffs for 49 yards and returned one fumble recovery 59 yards for a touchdown ... Junior season Pearland was 8-3 and he earned second-team All-District 23-6A and was named to the Texas Top 100 list ... He had 63 tackles on defense, six tackles for loss with two sacks and added two forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries, five quarterback hurries, three pass breakups and four interceptions, one of which he returned for a touchdown ... On offense, he caught nine passes for 130 yards and two touchdowns ...



Sophomore season Pearland completed a 9-2 record and he was named first-team All-District 23-6A ... He racked up 54 tackles on defense with seven for a loss including two sacks and three quarterback hurries ... Freshman season he helped Pearland to a 9-1 record, catching 54 passes for 730 yards and 12 touchdowns ... He also ran the ball four times for 30 yards and a score and completed one pass for 46 yards on offense ... Defensively, he had 54 tackles, seven for a loss with four sacks, two forced fumbles and three pass breakups ... Also played baseball at Pearland and had a .360 batting average.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born Nov. 17, 2003 in Houston, Texas ... Parents are Damon and LaKechia Dixon ... Has three siblings, Daryl, Damon and DeJuan ... His dad, Damon, played football at Sul Ross State ... All three brothers were college athletes, Daryl played baseball at Texas Southern, Damon played football at Texas A&T and brother DeJuan played football at Texas Lutheran ... A cousin, Ronald Humphrey, played football at Mississippi Valley State and for the Indianapolis Colts in the NFL for four years ... Enjoys fishing and watching movies in his spare time ... Would like to be a business owner after playing days are over ... Has volunteered visited elementary schools through church and football as community service.



**LUKE
ECKARDT, OL**

6-6, 290, Fr.-RS, TR

Spring Grove, Ill.
(Richmond Burton/
Arizona)

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AT COLORADO—He joined the Buffs over the summer after transferring from the University of Arizona ... He has four years of eligibility remaining.

AT ARIZONA (2021)—Redshirted; he did not see game action in his only season there in 2021.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... The 247 Composite listed him as the No. 174 tackle in the national and No. 55 player out of Illinois ... Helped coach Mike Noll and the Richmond-Burton Rockets to a 32-2 record overall and 16-1 league mark in his sophomore through senior seasons, including a perfect 21-0 and 11-0 mark, respectively, the last two seasons ... In his COVID-shortened senior season in 2020, the Rockets were 7-0 overall and 6-0 and outscored opponents 317-21 on the season, by an average of 45-3 and the team averaged 270.3 rushing yards per game ... He was named first-team All-Region team as a senior ... As a junior, RBHS was a perfect 14-0 overall and 5-0 in league play winning a state championship, outsourcing opponents 612-94, by an average of 44-7 ... Sophomore season RBHS was 11-2 overall and 5-1 in league play, falling in the fourth round of the state playoffs and winning by an average score of 28-9 ... As a sophomore, he was named second-team All-Region.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born June 9, 2003 in Spring Grove, Ill. ... Parents are Karl and Anne Eckardt ... He has one brother, Cooper.



**CARTER
EDWARDS, OT**

6-5, 280, Fr., HS

Hattiesburg, Miss.
(Presbyterian Christian)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247Sports listed him as the No. 81 tackle in the class and No. 27 player from Mississippi while the 247 Composite had him as the No. 93 tackle, No. 26 player from Mississippi and No. 1,039 player nationally ... Had a Rivals rating of 5.5 ... On3 listed him as the No. 83 offensive lineman nationally and No. 28 player from Mississippi ... ESPN had him with a grade of 76 and as the No. 88 tackle in the class, No. 25 player from Mississippi and No. 425 player from the south ... Played four years of varsity at Presbyterian Christian under coach Derek White in the MAIS 6A league ... After struggling his freshman season, PCHS had winning seasons each of his last three years there, averaging over 300 yards a game during those three seasons ... Senior season PCHS averaged 279.2 yards rushing and 371.4 yards of total offense when he was named to the MAIS All-State team, Best of the Pine Belt, to the Clarion Ledger All-State team, a top 15 prep from Red Zone Mississippi and a preseason MAIS all-gridiron team ... The team had 21 rushing touchdowns and nine 100-yard rushing games ... Junior season, PCHS averaged 371.8 rushing yards and 434.3 yards of total offense en route to an 8-5 record ... That season, Edwards blocked for Marquis Crosby, who set a Mississippi rushing record with 3,678 yards on the season ... Named to the MAIS All-State team and Best of the Pine Belt ... As a team, PCHS had 49 rushing touchdowns and 14 100-yard rushing performances ... Sophomore season, PCHS averaged 284.9 rushing and 395.5 yards of total offense a game with 26 rushing touchdowns and 14 100-yard rushing performances ... Also participated in track & field at PCHS primarily in the discus where he had a top throw of 130 feet.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Aerospace Engineering at Colorado ... At PCHS he accumulated above a 4.0-grade point average and was a member of the BETA Club.

PERSONAL—He was born May 8, 2004 in Hattiesburg, Miss. ... Parents are Ron and Michelle Edwards ... Has one younger brother, Peyton ... Can solve a Rubik's cube and enjoys playing chess, playing video games, weight lifting, ping pong and throwing the discus ... His football team at PCHS organized a food drive for Christian Services and the team also cleaned wheelchairs at a local nursing home ... Also worked with his dad and dad's friends to build a house for a homeless family.



**CALEB
FAURIA, TE**

6-5, 235, Fr.-3, 1L

Attleboro, Mass.
(Bishop Feehan)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-RS)—Played in four games and suited for three others ... Saw his first action against Minnesota ... Played in the final three games of the season returning from injury.

2020 (Fr.)—Did not see game action ... On the injured list for the season.



HIGH SCHOOL—One of the top 20 tight ends nationally by the recruiting services ... He was a three-star prospect by 247Sports, Rivals, ESPN and PrepStar ... Named to the All-East Region team by PrepStar ... ESPN rates him as the No. 13 tight end/h-back nationally and the No. 8 player from Massachusetts ... 247Sports gives him a rating of 88 and was the No. 18 tight end in the class and No. 4 player from Massachusetts ... Rivals rates him as the No. 9 player from Massachusetts ... He finished his career with 70 catches for 1,227 yards and 17 receiving touchdowns ... As a senior, he played tight end on offense and defensive end, cornerback and linebacker on defense at Bishop Feehan High School for coach Bryan Pinabell ... He caught 24 passes for 394 yards and five touchdowns on the season, ran for another touchdown and had a passing touchdown ... As a junior, he was an Eastern Athletic Conference All-Star and named All-State by The Sun Chronicle ... He played tight end and wide receiver on offense and defensive end, cornerback, linebacker and safety on defense ... He had 33 receptions for 610 yards and nine touchdowns as a junior ... As a sophomore, he was named an EAC All-Star and played wide receiver on offense and cornerback on defense ... He had 13 receptions for 223 yards and three touchdowns ... As a senior, he scored two touchdowns against Hingham and had six catches for 105 yards and two touchdowns against North Attleboro ... He also played basketball at Bishop Feehan and was the team's leading rebounder his sophomore season.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in majoring in Business at Colorado ... Named to the Pac-12 Academic Honor roll as a redshirt freshman in 2021 ... Also named to the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter Academic All-Colorado first-team.

PERSONAL—He was born on August 28, 2001 in Bellevue, Wash. ... His parents are Rhonda and Christian Fauria ... His father played tight end at Colorado from 1991-94 and is still the CU's third leading receiver as a tight end with 98 catches for 1,058 yards and 11 touchdowns ... His dad then and spent 13 seasons in the NFL with the Seahawks, Patriots, Redskins, and Panthers, winning two Super Bowls with the Patriots in 2004 and 2005 ... He has three siblings ... An uncle, Lance Fauria, played tight end at Washington ... Another uncle, Quinn Fauria, played fullback at Northern Arizona ... His cousin, Joe Fauria, played tight end at Notre Dame and UCLA and spent five years in the NFL with the Lions, Cardinals, and Patriots ... Another cousin, Alan Heisser, played tight end at McNeese State and had a brief stint in the NFL with the Falcons ... His Grandpa, Ashley Fauria, was a high school All-American in basketball ... He is interested in going into broadcasting as a career after football ... He enjoys hanging out with friends and playing basketball in his free time. (*Last name is pronounced Four-e-ay.*)



NOAH FENSKE, OL

6-4, 305, Soph., 1L

New Hampton, Iowa
(New Hampton/Iowa)

AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-3)—Played in two games for the Buffaloes, including a start against Minnesota at center, ironically the same opponent he saw his only action against as a redshirt freshman for Iowa in 2020 ... Suited for nine games ... Played 31 snaps in those two games.

AT IOWA (2019-20)—After not seeing the field and earning a redshirt season in 2019, he played in one game in 2020 against Minnesota ... He was listed No. 2 on the depth chart at the start of spring practices in 2021 before entering the transfer portal.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services, all of which ranked him as the No. 9 prospect out of Iowa for the 2019 recruiting class ... 247Sports ranked him as the No. 67 offensive guard nationally and

ESPN ranked him as the No. 71 offensive guard nationally and No. 131 player in the region ... He was his district's offensive line MVP as a senior when he was a team captain at New Hampton under coach Scott Frerichs and earned first-team all-state by the Iowa Newspaper Association and the Des Moines Register ... Named second-team all-state by the INA as a junior and was three-times named first-team all-district ... Played both offensive and defensive line and helped New Hampton reach the state playoffs three straight seasons, including a run to the championship game as a junior ... In his career, he had 108 tackles with 37 tackles for loss including 15 sacks ... His senior season he racked up 36 tackles, including 13 for a loss with three sacks ... Junior season he had 40 tackles, including 12 total tackles for loss including 6.5 sacks ... As a sophomore, he had 32 tackles with 12 going for a loss with 5.5 sacks ... Also lettered in wrestling, basketball and track & field at New Hampton, where he placed third in the state championships in the shot put as a junior and seventh in discus, where he also holds the school record with a throw of 184-4 ... He won the shot put at the Drake Relays as a senior.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado ... Earned Academic All-Big Ten honors at Iowa in 2020.

PERSONAL—He was born May 5, 2000 in Mankato, Minn., but grew up in New Hampton, Iowa ... His parents are Robin Harnack and Bob Fenske.



FRANK FILLIP, OL

6-7, 295, Jr., 4L

Houston, Texas
(Clear Lake)

AT COLORADO: This Season (Jr.)—Has played in 26 career games with 17 starts, including nine straight entering the 2022 season. Named honorable mention Preseason All-Pac-12 by the league's media.

AT COLORADO: This Season (Soph.-3)—Played in 10 games, starting nine ... He missed the first two games of the season with an injury, played in the final 10 and started the final nine games of the year, playing in every snap over the final five games of the season ... Played 536 snaps on offense and had six perfect plays on passing touchdowns and two touchdown blocks ... Best game was at Oregon where he graded out a 76.1 percent ... In the preseason, he was named fourth-team All-Pac-12 by Phil Steele's College Football, which also ranked him as the No. 51 offensive tackle in the nation.

2020 (Soph.-2)—Started all six games at tackle and played in 454 offensive snaps counting the Alamo Bowl, most on the team ... Earned Honorable Mention All-Pac-12 by both the Pac-12 coaches and Phil Steele's College Football ... In the regular season, he had 375 snaps with 291 plus plays for a 77.6 grade ... He led the team with 10 touchdown blocks and was second with five perfect plays on passing touchdowns, seven cut blocks and had two knockdown blocks with just one penalty on the season ... CU's nominee for Pac-12 Offensive Lineman of the Week against Stanford ... CU's line picked up Midseason Unit of Interest for the Joe Moore Award, given to the outstanding offensive line unit ... CU's Offensive Player of the Game for both the UCLA and Stanford games.

2019 (Soph.)—Played in two games early (against Colorado State and Oregon, a total of six snaps) and thus earned a redshirt season with the recent NCAA rules ... Dressed for all 12 games.

2018 (Fr.)—Played in eight games and started two while dressing for 10 and being listed as injured for two ... Played 207 snaps and have five knockdown blocks, two touchdown blocks and one perfect plays on a passing touchdown ... His first start came against Oregon State and he became just the 12th true freshman in CU history to start a game on the offensive line and just the third to start at tackle ... The two games he started were the first two in CU history that featured three freshmen starters alongside Will Sherman and Colby Pursell, both redshirt freshmen.



HIGH SCHOOL—Rated as a 3-star recruit by the major recruiting services ... Ranked No. 65 on the *Houston Chronicle's* Top 100 High School Football recruiting list for the class of 2018 ... Garnered first-team All-District honors as a senior ... Was twice selected as the offensive player of the game his senior year by MaxPreps ... Drew second-team All-District accolades as a junior ... Under coach Larry McRae, the Falcons went 8-4 his senior year and reached the area round of the UIL 6A D2 playoffs, were 3-7 his junior season and 2-8 as a sophomore when under coach Sam Smith ... He allowed just one sack his senior season and had 40 knockdown blocks ... He was on the track & field team his freshman and sophomore years.

ACADEMICS—He graduated with a bachelor's degree in Ethnic Studies in August 2022 (with a minor in Communication) ... He took three AP classes in high school (U.S. History, European History, Psychology) ... He also received scholarship offers from Harvard and Yale.

PERSONAL—He was born November 14, 1999, in Clear Lake, Texas ... Hobbies include listening to standup comedy, hanging out with friends and watching movies, particularly from Quentin Tarantino. *(Last name is pronounced Phillip)*

6-1, 185 pounds during high school ... Has an older brother, Alex, and two younger sisters, Anna and Brie ... Hobbies include lifting, playing yard games, "Jeeping," skiing, boating, hiking with friends and going on adventures.



**ALEX
FONTENOT, TB**

6-0, 200, Sr., 3L

Richmond, Texas
(George Ranch)



AT COLORADO: Has played in 35 career games with 14 starts ... Has carried the ball 292 times for 1,244 yards and 11 touchdowns ... Has 40 receptions for 212 yards and a touchdown, giving him 1,456 yards from scrimmage and 12 total touchdowns ... His 1,309 rushing yards rank 40th in CU history, his 40 career receptions tied for 74th and his 72 points rank 79th in scoring.

This Season (Sr.)—Named to the preseason watch list for the Doak Walker Award for the third straight season ... Named to the watch list for the Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award, given to the most outstanding player from the state of Texas ... Listed on the watch list for the East-West Shrine Game 1000.

2021 (Jr.-2)—Played in all 12 games and started three at tailback ... Second on the team with 96 rushes for 326 yards and five touchdowns ... Added 13 receptions for 80 yards and a touchdown ... Had his best game against Arizona State with 65 yards rushing ... Had a 43-yard reception against Arizona and a season-best 27 yard rush against UCLA ... Scored two touchdowns against both UCLA and Oregon ... After coming back from injury that forced him to miss the entire 2020 season, he was named to the preseason watch lists for the Doak Walker Award (nation's top running back), the Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award (outstanding player from Texas) and was CU's nominee for the Mayo Clinic Comeback Player of the Year.

2020 (Jr.)—Injured prior to the start of the season and missed the entire season ... In the preseason, named second-team All-Pac-12 by Pick Six Previews and third-team by both *Athlon* and *Phil Steele's College Football* ... Also One of 76 players on the official watch list for the Doak Walker Award (top running back) and on the watch list for the Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award (top player from Texas).

2019 (Soph.)—Played and started in 11 of 12 games, missing the UCLA game due to injury ... Finished the season with 185 rushes for 874 yards and five touchdowns and 27 catches for 122 yards ... Won the teams Most Improved Offensive Player Award and was named to the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation All-Colorado second team ... Recorded three 100-yard games on the season ... Opened the season with 19 carries for 125 yards and three touchdowns against Colorado State ... His three touchdowns rank second most by a running back in a starting debut and his 125 yards ranks 13th most ... He was named the Arrow CU Athlete of the Week, the Colorado Chapter/NFF State of Colorado Player of the Week, honorable mention on the Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Player of the Week, CU's Player of the Game on offense and CU's nominee for Pac-12 Player of the Week for his performance against the Rams ... Earned CU's Offensive Player of the Game for the second time against Oregon with 15 rushes for 71 yards ... Rushed for 105 yards on just 11 carries at Washington State, earning CU's nomination again for Pac-12 Player of the Week for the second time ... Had his third 100-yard game against Washington with 24 carries for 105 yards and a touchdown ... He was critical on the game's final drive as the Buffs ran out the final 5:09 off the clock with the Huskies using all three timeouts ... He ran the ball on the last five plays of the game, picking up 26 yards and earning two first downs ... He earned mention on the Earl Campbell Tyler Rose honorable mention list for the second time and was the Offensive Player of the Game for the third time and CU's nominee for Pac-12 Player of the Week for the third time ... Recorded 18 carries for 95 yards the week before against Stanford, in another critical win ... In a four-quarter drive that tied the game 13-13, he had 36 yards on seven carries picking up a



**BEN
FINNESETH, WR**

6-1, 200, Fr., RS

Durango, Colo.
(Durango)



AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Suited for three games ... Named the Special Teams Scout Player of the Week for the Arizona game.

HIGH SCHOOL—Played running back, receiver and safety for Durango, which steadily improved his three seasons there, from 6-5 his sophomore season to 8-4 as a junior and then a perfect 8-0 record in the COVID-shortened senior season helping the team to a league and state championship ... In his career, he had 67 receptions for 1,012 yards and 12 touchdowns, carried the ball 61 times for 617 yards and nine touchdowns on offense ... In all, he had 1,629 yards from scrimmage and 21 touchdowns, averaging 12.7 yards every time he touched the ball on offense ... Added 134 tackles, three interceptions, six forced fumbles and a fumble recovery in his defensive career ... As a senior, he was a runner-up for the team's Player of the Year, and Max Preps named him the Player of the Year for both offense and defense, when he was also All-State and All-Conference at both positions ... That season he rushed 48 times for 556 yards and eight touchdowns, had 18 receptions for 227 yards and three scores on offense and totaled 32 tackles, two interceptions and a sack on defense ... Junior season he was named honorable-mention All-State as a receiver and named first-team all-conference at both receiver and safety ... He had 49 receptions for 785 yards and nine touchdowns and carried the ball four times for 23 yards on offense and added 54 tackles on defense with six forced fumbles, one tackle for loss and a fumble recovery ... Sophomore season he was named all-conference as a safety ... That season he carried the ball nine times for 38 yards and a touchdown and had 48 tackles and an interception on defense ... Also played baseball and wrestling at Durango ... In baseball, he hit .400 with 12 stolen bases ... Named first-team All-Conference in wrestling with an overall record of 15-3.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado but is interested in Biomedical Engineering or Business ... He was on the honor roll all four years at Durango and graduated with a White Robe, indicating above a 4.0 grade point average.

PERSONAL—He was born Jan. 20, 2003, in Litchfield, Minn. ... Parents are Robert and Karyn Finneseth ... His dad, Robert, was a three-time All-American wrestling at North Dakota State ... Grew from 5-11, 120-pounds to



pair of first downs and drawing a facemask penalty for another first down ... In two scrimmages and the spring game, he ran 28 times for 92 yards and two touchdowns and caught six passes for 19 yards.

2018 (Fr.-RS)—Played in all 12 games ... Had 11 carries for 43 yards and one touchdown, all coming in the first three games ... Had three rushes for 14 yards against Colorado State ... Against New Hampshire had eight carries for 29 yards and a 15-yard touchdown scamper ... Also played on special teams and had the only two blocked punts of the season for the Buffs ... Had three total points on special teams also adding a first down field notation ... He was presented with the Fred Casotti Award as the team's most improved offensive back (quarterback or tailback) following spring practices ... At the end of the spring semester he recorded a 1.50 10-yard sprint time (tied for the second fastest on the team) and a 36-inch vertical jump (tied for the third highest).

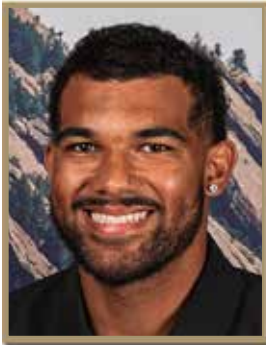
2017 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for the Arizona game.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was rated as a top 20 prospect by the *Houston Chronicle* in its list of the Houston area's top 100 players for the class of 2017 ... Garnered first-team All-District honors as a senior under coach Ricky Tullos when he led the Longhorns into the Class 6A bi-district playoffs ... Rushed 91 times for 642 yards and 10 touchdowns as a senior, averaging 7.1 yards per carry ... Helped George Ranch win the Texas Class 5A Division I state title in 2015 when the Longhorns went 16-0 ... Rushed for three touchdowns in the 56-0 victory over Mansfield Lake Ridge in the state championship game at NRG Stadium, the home of the Houston Texans and site of Super Bowl 51 ... In a semifinal victory over Cedar Park Vista Ridge, he rushed 16 times for 162 yards and one touchdown ... Overall as a junior he ran for a total of 1,408 yards on 158 carries with 21 touchdowns, averaging 8.9 yards per carry.

ACADEMICS—He graduated with a degree in Sociology and minors in Atmospheric & Oceanic Sciences and Geology in December 2021 and is pursuing a master's degree in Outdoor Recreation and Economy ... Carried a 3.8 GPA in high school ... Named one of CU's Most Improve Student-Athletes at the 2022 Academic Breakfast.

PERSONAL—He was born on March 16, 1999 in Sugarland, Texas ... Hobbies include playing video games and hanging out with friends ... Father, Albert Fontenot, played 10 seasons in the NFL with three teams after being drafted in the fourth round of the 1993 NFL Draft out of Baylor ... A defensive lineman, the elder Fontenot had 27½ sacks and 156 tackles in 130 career games in the NFL. (*Last name is pronounced font-en-know*)

RUSHING					High Games			RECEIVING					High Games		
Season	G	Att	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long	Att	Yds	No	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long	Rec	Yds
2018	12	11	43	3.9	1	15t	8	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
2019	11	185	874	4.7	5	32	25	125	27	122	4.5	0	19	5	34
2021	12	96	326	3.4	5	27	14	65	13	80	6.2	1	43	2	43
Totals	35	292	1,244	4.3	11	32	25	125	40	202	5.3	1	43	5	43



DEVIN GRANT, OLB

6-3, 245, Fr.-3, 2L

San Antonio, Texas
(Antonian Prep)

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AT COLORADO 2021 (Fr.-RS)—Played in three games for the Buffaloes, the final three of the season, and started the final two games ... Showed sparks in those three games, coming up with 13 tackles, 11 solo, with three for a lost, two third down stops, a quarterback pressure and touchdown save in 145 defensive snaps ... Early in the season named the Defensive Scout Team Player of the Week against Northern Colorado.

2020 (Fr.)—Played in two games on special teams, the last two games of the regular season, on the kick return and punt return units ... Dressed for all five regular season games.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by 247 Sports, Rivals, ESPN and *Prep Star* ... Rivals ranked him as the No. 32 defensive end in the nation and a top 100 player in the state of Texas ... 247Sports ranked him as the No. 48 weakside defensive end prospect ... *PrepStar* named him to its All-Midlands Region team ... He was named to the All-American Bowl, which will be played in his hometown of San Antonio on Jan. 4, 2020 ... He was named All-State as a defensive end as a senior, helping Antonio College Prep to a 9-4 record for coach Van Fuschak ... As a senior, he had 76 tackles (51 solo) with 18 tackles for loss including 12 sacks and 21 quarterback hurries ... Local TV station KSAT named him to its Elite 12 team ... As a junior, he was named all-state as a defensive end and the No. 1 ranked defensive end in TAPPS Division I District 2 after compiling 27 tackles on defense, which included 6.5 sacks ... As a sophomore, he was named All-TAPPS Division 1 District 2 as a running back and the TAPPS Division 1 District 2 Newcomer of the Year ... That season he had 48 carries for 417 yards and five touchdowns and five receptions for 199 yards and one touchdown on offense and 19 tackles (17 solo) with six tackles for loss and two sacks, 16 quarterback hurries and one fumble recovery ... He also played basketball and ran track & field in high school ... He was the TAPPS Division I District 2 Newcomer of the Year as a sophomore in football, basketball and track & field ... His personal best in the 100-meters was 11.2 seconds ... He averaged 11.3 points, 10.0 rebounds and 1.8 steals per game on the hardwood, helping Antonian to a 37-6 record and Texas Class 6A State Championship, the school's first in 20 years.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Philosophy at Colorado and pursuing a minor in Leadership Studies ... He was a member of the honor roll in high school ... Earned the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter Academic All-Colorado honorable mention team.

PERSONAL—He was born on September 1, 2001 in San Antonio, Texas ... His mom is Sarah Hardaway and his step-dad is Jamine Hardaway ... He has two step-sisters one of which, Jacqy, played volleyball at South Carolina ... After football he would like to be a forensic scientist or real estate agent ... He enjoys making and listening to music in his free time.

TACKLES														
Season	G	Plays	UT	AT	TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2021	3	145	11	2	13	3-6	0-0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0



TRAVIS GRAY, OT

6-7, 300, Fr., HS

Aurora, Colo.
(Cherokee Trail)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Sports listed him as the No. 113 tackle nationally and No. 8 player out of Colorado while the 247 Composite had him as the No. 1,179 player nationally, No. 117 tackle, and No. 8 player from Colorado ... On3 Sports listed him as the No. 1,072 player nationally, No. 123 tackle and No. 8 player from Colorado ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 113 tackle nationally and No. 9 player from Colorado ... Lettered four years at Cherokee Trail under coaches Joe Johnson and Justin Jajczyk ... Helped Cherokee Trail to a 19-11 record in three seasons, his sophomore season in the Metro East league and last two years in the Centennial League ... Anchored a line that averaged 429.5 yards per game, including 266.2 passing and 163.3 rushing, and scoring 42 total touchdowns in 10 games ... Cherokee Trail had a 2,500-yard passer, three 400-plus yard receivers, and two 500-plus yard rushers ... Junior season, Cherokee Trail averaged 383.0 yards per game, 212.1 passing, and 170.9



rushing, scoring 22 touchdowns ... As a sophomore, Cherokee Trail averaged 327.2 yards per game on offense, 154.8 passing and 172.4 rushing with 21 touchdowns ... Also played basketball his freshman and sophomore years at Cherokee Trail. .

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado ... He was a member of the Principle's Honor Roll at Cherokee Trail for two semesters.

PERSONAL—Born Jan. 12, 2004 in Upland, Calif. ... His parents are Mandy and Lamarr Gray ... He has one older brother, Trace ... His father played for Colorado from 1986-90 and was a member of CU's 1990 national championship and two Big Eight Conference champion teams ... His brother Trace played football at CSU Pueblo for former CU assistant coach John Wristen, winning the Division II National Championship in 2014 ... A cousin, Joshua Gray, played for the Oregon State football team ... Lists his hobbies as football, watching film, studying defenses and working out ... Was active with Give Sports as a volunteer before COVID.



**JOSHKA
GUSTAV, OLB**

6-3, 235, Soph., 3L

Hamburg, Germany
(Aquinas [Calif.])

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AT COLORADO: This Season (Soph.)—Has played in 19 games with three starts ... CU's nominee for the Danny Wuerffel Award, given for community service.

2021 (Fr.-3)—Played in 10 games and started three at outside linebacker, missing the final two games due to injury ... Made his first career start in week eight against Oregon ... In his 191 defensive snaps, he recorded 13 total tackles, 11 solo, and a sack, which game against Arizona ... Added four third down stops, two forced fumbles, two pass breakups, and a touchdown save on defense ... On special teams, he had seven points with three solo tackles, two forced fair catches, and two knockdown blocks on kickoff returns ... Most productive games came in week six against Arizona recording four solo tackles, one tackle for loss, two third down stops, and a sack.

2020 (Fr.-RS)—Played in all six games including the Alamo Bowl both on defense and special teams ... In the regular season, had 91 snaps on defense and put pressure on the quarterback often with seven quarterback hurries ... The seven hurries was the most on the team and averaged out to one every 13 defensive snaps ... Added one tackle, one pass breakup, one third down stop and one caused interception ... Added one special teams point, having a knockdown or springing block on the kick return unit ... Made big plays in nearly every game, having a quarterback hurry in four of the five regular season games, including two against UCLA, at Arizona and against Utah in the season finale ... Had a pass break-up at Stanford and was credited with three tackles against Texas in the Alamo Bowl ... Also got it done in the class room, winning the team's Jacob Van Ek Award for academics and being named to the Pac-12 Academic Honor Roll and was on the first team Academic All-Colorado Team awarded by the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation.

2019 (Fr.)—Dressed for all 12 games and saw action in three games, all on special teams, against Nebraska, Arizona State and UCLA ... Still earned a redshirt season with the new rule ... He was named the Defensive Scout of the Week three times, leading into the Colorado State, Oregon and Stanford games ... He had three tackles combined in the two scrimmages and spring game ... A member of the 2018 recruiting class, he took a "gray-shirt" and delayed enrollment until January 2019.

HIGH SCHOOL—Rated as a 3-star recruit by the major recruiting services coming out of Aquinas High School in Cherry Valley, Calif. ... Under coach Jordan Brusig, he played both tight end and defensive end/outside

linebacker and helped the Falcons go 14-1 his senior year while reaching the CIF Division 2A Regional final, 11-3 as a junior with a semifinal appearance in the CIF Southern Section Division 10 playoffs ... As a senior, he had 78 tackles, four sacks, one fumble recovery while catching 24 passes for 545 yards and 11 TDs ... As a junior, he had 78 tackles, 10 for losses, four sacks and an interception while catching 50 passes for 978 yards and 15 TDs ... Also competed on the track and field team and won the Ambassador League Finals with a shot put throw of 45-8.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Psychology at Colorado and pursuing minors in both Leadership Studies and Ethnic Studies while also completing a certificate for Critical Sport Studies ... Earned first-team honors on the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation Academic All-Colorado Team in both 2020 and '21, and also earned the team's Dean Jacob Van Ek Award for academics in 2020 ... Named to the Pac-12 Academic Honor Roll in both 2020 and '21.

PERSONAL—He was born September 5, 1999 in Hamburg, Germany ... He, along with his older brother, Niklas, moved to the United States to play high school football before Joshka's sophomore season to try to obtain a college scholarship ... Niklas played college football at NAIA Morningside College in Iowa and was the school's all-time leader with 23½ career quarterback sacks ... Niklas was drafted in the Canadian Football League's Global Draft by the BC Lions in 2021. (*Last name is pronounced Goo-Stovv*)

TACKLES													
Season	G	Plays	UT	AT—TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2020	5	91	1	0—1	0-0	0-0	0	1	7	0	0	1	0
2021	10	190	11	2—13	1-4	1-4	1	4	0	0	2	2	0
Totals	15	281	12	2—14	1-4	1-4	1	5	7	0	2	3	0



**MARVIN
HAM II, ILB**

6-1, 225, Soph., 3L

Belleville, Mich.
(Belleville)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-3)—Played in all 12 games...Registering 20 total tackles, 14 solo, and one for a loss with two third down stops, a quarterback pressure, and a touchdown saving tackle ... Added three special teams points with two solo tackles and a knockdown or springing block on kickoff return ... Most productive game came against Washington in week 11 with five total tackles including four solo stops.

2020 (Fr.-2)—Played in one game and dressed for all five regular season contests ... Saw action for three snaps on defense and one on the kick coverage unit on special teams against Utah ... Named honorable mention Academic All-Colorado by the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation.

2019 (Fr.)—Dressed for all 12 games and played in four, first against Oregon and then against Stanford, Washington and Utah in the final three games of the season ... Earned a redshirt season with the new rule ... Saw action on the kick coverage, punt return and field goal block units on special teams.

HIGH SCHOOL—247Sports ranked him a 4-star prospect and the No. 12 inside linebacker in America, including the No. 5 player in Michigan and top linebacker with a 92 rating ... Named to the All-Dream Team, All-State and All-League teams as a senior at Belleville under coach Jermain Crowell ... Had 108 tackles, including eight for a loss and five sacks, helping Belleville to a 12-1 record, including a league, district and regional championship while making it to the semifinals of the state championship ... Belleville compiled a 10-1 record and district championship his junior season when he was All-Dream Team, All-State and All-League after compiling 115 tackles, including 12 for a loss with eight sacks ... He also had two



and hit on 13-of-15 PATs ... Also had 28 kickoffs with 17 touchbacks and an average of 59.8 yards per kickoff (kickoffs from the opponent 40 yard line in high school) ... As a punter, he had nine punts with an average of 40.4 yards and along of 61 yards with two inside the 20 ... Also played soccer at Monarch for three seasons on varsity, was the team captain and earned all-conference honors as a senior, when he was the high school's Student-Athlete of the Year.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Integrative Physiology at Colorado ... Aspires to be an Orthopedic Surgeon specializing in sports medicine ... He graduated from Monarch High School with a 4.6 grade point average and was Academic All-State in both football and soccer, a four-year honor roll student and graduated Magna Cum Laude ... Also a member of the National Honor Society and the math and Spanish honor societies in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born Aug. 9, 2002, in Louisville, Colo. ... Parents are Gary and Linda Hubbard ... Has one younger brother, Jackson ... Hobbies include playing soccer, hiking, lifting weights and hanging out with friends ... He was the Monarch High School Student Body co-President and a Leader of the Pack as one of the top students in his class.



MICHAEL HARRISON, WR

6-3, 205, Soph., 1L

San Francisco, Calif.
(St. Ignatius College Prep)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-2)—Played in all 12 games ... Saw action on special teams recording four special teams points with three knockdown or springing blocks on kickoff returns and one time he was first downfield on kickoff return.

2020 (Fr.)—Did not see game action in his true freshman season.

HIGH SCHOOL—Harrison played for St. Ignatius College Prep and coach John Regalia in the Bay Area ... His senior season, the team was 9-3, including a 6-1 record in the West Catholic League, earning a league championship ... St. Ignatius had the biggest turnaround season in the Bay Area his senior season and finished ranked No. 10 in the area by the San Jose Mercury News ... He also played track, soccer and baseball at St. Ignatius ... In track, he competed in several events, including the 100-meters, 330-meter hurdles, long jump, high jump and triple jump ... His top times include 11.98 in the 100-meters, 47.49 in the 300-meter hurdles, 5-4 in the high jump, 20-2 in the long jump and 40-2.5 in the triple jump.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado and is on the Pre-Business track ... maintained above a 3.5 grade point average in high school ... Earned the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter Academic All-Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born Oct. 19, 2001 in San Francisco, Calif. ... Parents are Brian Harrison and Edna Salazar.



JACK HESTERA, WR

6-0, 180, Fr., RS

Cedar Park, Texas
(Cedar Park)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for the final game against Utah ... Named the Offensive Scout Team Player of the Week against Washington.

HIGH SCHOOL—Played three years of varsity football, two years at Ralston Valley High School in Arvada as a sophomore and junior and then his senior season at Cedar Park High School in Cedar Park, Texas ... As a senior when Cedar Park went 13-1 and advanced to the Texas 5A State Championship game, he compiled 53 receptions for 1,061 yards and 16 touchdowns ... Added 95 yards on kickoff returns for a total of 1,156 all-purpose yards ... Named first-team All-District 11 5A Division I and honorable mention on the All-CenTex team ... He set multiple receiving record at Cedar Park, including most touchdown receptions in a season and most consecutive games with a touchdown reception (seven) ... Despite only one season at Cedar Park, he also ranked No. 4 for career receiving touchdowns, No. 6 for season receiving yards and No. 7 for both career receptions and receiving yards ... Also ranked No. 6 in career yards per catch (20.0) ... He had four 100-yard receiving game and three catches of 50-plus yards (53, 61 and 83 yards), two of which went for touchdowns ... He was the team's Offensive Player of the Week three times and on Oct. 5, he was No. 7 on MaxPreps Top 10 National Plays of the Week for his performance against Cedar Ridge after he caught an acrobatic 61-yard pass from Ryder Hernandez and weaved his way the last 30 yards for a touchdown ... Junior season at Ralston Valley, he was named honorable mention all-conference as a cornerback ... Also played track & field and lacrosse in high school ... Named honorable mention all-conference as an attackman his freshman season.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado and is interested in pursuing a degree in Communication.

PERSONAL—He was born March 5, 2003 in Boulder ... Parents are Dan and Aimee Hestera ... Has an older sister, Madelynn ... Both parents are natives of Colorado and graduated from Pomona High School ... Dad Dan was a member of the 1990 National Championship team at Colorado and also won a state championship in 1988 at Pomona ... An uncle, Dave Hestera, was an All-Big Eight tight end for the Buffs in the early 1980s and was drafted by the Kansas City Chiefs in the 1984 NFL Draft ... Hobbies include spending time relaxing with friends, listening to music, wake surfing and fishing.



NOAH HUBBARD, P

6-3, 170, Fr., RS

Louisville, Colo.
(Monarch)

45

AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for five games.



HIGH SCHOOL—He played football for one season after starring in soccer at Monarch, which was 2-4 in his COVID shortened senior season, but he was still named first-team all-conference and was the Special Teams Player of the Year for the 4A Northern League ... Played both kicker and punter at Monarch, hitting on two-of-two field goals with a long of 36, and hit on 13-of-15 PATs ... Also had 28 kickoffs with 17 touchbacks and an average of 59.8 yards per kickoff (kickoffs from the opponent 40 yard line in high school) ... As a punter, he had nine punts with an average of 40.4 yards and along of 61 yards with two inside the 20 ... Also played soccer at Monarch for three seasons on varsity, was the team captain and earned all-conference honors as a senior, when he was the high school's Student-Athlete of the Year.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Integrative Physiology at Colorado ... Aspires to be an Orthopedic Surgeon specializing in sports medicine ... He graduated from Monarch High School with a 4.6 grade point average and was Academic All-State in both football and soccer, a four-year honor roll student and graduated Magna Cum Laude ... Also a member of the National Honor Society and the math and Spanish honor societies in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born Aug. 9, 2002 in Louisville, Colo. ... Parents are Gary and Linda Hubbard ... Has one younger brother, Jackson ... Hobbies include playing soccer, hiking, lifting weights and hanging out with friends ... He was the Monarch High School Student Body Co-President and a Leader of the Pack as one of the top students in his class.



**ISAAC
HURTADO, ILB**

6-3, 225, Soph., TR

Cypress, Calif.
(Cypress/Fullerton CC)

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JUNIOR COLLEGE—Played one season at Fullerton Community College, helping the Hornets to the SCFA Southern Conference Championship game and appearance in the SCFA Pacific Bowl under coach Garrett Campbell ... Finished his only season there with 45 tackles, nine tackles for loss, five sacks, three pass breakups, two forced fumbles and a fumble recovery playing linebacker ... Top games included nine tackles, a tackle for loss and force fumble against El Camino ... Had two tackles for loss including a sack, and a forced fumble against Allen Hancock ... Had two sacks and a pass breakup against San Bernardino Valley ... Originally signed with Army as part of the 2020 recruiting class.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect in the 2020 recruiting class from the recruiting services ... 247 Composite listed him as the No. 79 athlete, No. 106 player from California and No. 1,193 player overall in the class ... 247 Sports ranked him as the No. 60 athlete and No. 92 player from California ... ESPN listed him as the No. 96 athlete, No. 98 player from California and No. 180 player from the west ... Helped Fullerton improve from 5-6 his junior season to 13-1 as a senior with an impressive season on both sides of the ball playing both linebacker and running back ... Named the CIF-Southern Section Division 7 Offensive Player of the Year and first-team all-Southern Section Division 7 and first-team All-Orange County ... Carried the ball 285 times for 2,631 yards and 37 touchdowns, averaging 174.8 yards per game and 8.6 yards per rush as a senior when he also caught 23 passes for 428 yards and four touchdowns and completed his only pass attempt for a 35-yard touchdown ... Defensively, he had 69 tackles, four tackles for loss with three sacks, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery ... Finished the season with 3,059 yards from scrimmage and 41 touchdowns and 2,094 yards of total offense and was responsible for 42 touchdowns overall ... Had 11 100-yard rushing games in 14 overall games with five 200-yard games and one 300-yard performance ... Had a rushing touchdown in all 14 games going for three or more seven times, and had three games with four rushing touchdowns and one game with five ... Defensively, he

had five games with 10-plus tackles ... Had 30 carries for 361 yards and five touchdowns and added three receptions for 35 yards against Ventura in a 33-31 win when he added eight tackles, a forced fumble and fumble recovery on defense ... Had 25 rushes for 285 yards and four touchdowns on offense and 10 tackles and two sacks defensively against Pacifica in a 42-14 win ... Scored every time he touched the ball against Crean Lutheran in a 41-14 win, racking up 210 yards on four carries and scoring on all four touches ... In a 42-7 win over Bellflower, he had 10 rushes for 221 yards and four touchdowns ... Full stats from sophomore and junior seasons not available but his junior season he had 23 rushes for 98 yards and two receptions for 51 yards in a 20-7 win over Tustin and had 24 rushes for 93 yards in the playoffs against Serrano ... Sophomore season he had 30 carries for 214 yards in a 47-26 win over Pacifica and in the playoffs over Angor in a 62-27 win he had nine rushes for 128 yards and two touchdowns and added to reception for 72 yards and another score ... Added 12 rushes for 193 yards in a 49-21 win over Western.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Education at Colorado ... Was on Cypress' Principal's Honor Roll four times in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born August 3, 2002 in Santa Ana, Calif. ... Parents are Mark and Maria Perez ... Has three siblings, Ana, Jr. and Ricky ... Would like to become an elementary school teacher when playing days are done ... Enjoys hiking, playing sudoku, watching movies and hanging out with friends ... Can do 10-plus muscle ups ... Has done extensive community service through church and school.



**JAYLON
JACKSON, WR**

5-10, 170, Sr., 4L

Cedar Hill, Texas
(Cedar Hill)

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AT COLORADO: Has played in 25 career games including 23 on offense, and has become a special teams standout ... Has 14 career receptions for 138 yards and a touchdown and one reception for 14 yards giving him 152 yards from scrimmage ... Also has six special teams tackles in his career and has earned 28 special teams points the last three seasons, fourth most on the team in that span.

2021 (Jr.-2)—Played in the first two games, missing the final 10 due to injury...In the first two games he registered four special teams points with one solo tackle, one forced fair catch, one first down field, and one caused penalty...He was named a captain against Texas A&M.

2020 (Jr.)—Played in all six games including the Alamo Bowl on both offense and special teams ... Named Second-Team All-Pac-12 by the coaches for his efforts on special teams ... Also earned the team's Bill McCartney Award for special teams ... Caught two passes for 17 yards and a touchdown ... Saw action on four different special teams units, mainly on kick coverage, punt return and punt coverage and sporadically on kick return ... Second on the team with nine special teams points, picking up three tackles, one forced fair catch, one punt pressure and he was three times the first downfield interrupting the play ... Had one catch for 14 yards at Stanford ... Caught a three-yard diving shovel pass from Sam Noyer for a touchdown against San Diego State ... Named a captain for three games, at Stanford, vs. Utah and against Texas in the Alamo Bowl.

2019 (Soph.)—Played in all 12 games, including 10 on offense and 10 on special teams ... He emerged as a special teams star, earning the Most Improve Special Teams Player award ... He was third on the team with 13 special teams points, including two tackles, both inside the 20, five forced fair catches, one knockdown or springing block on kick return, one time he was first downfield interrupting the play and one caused penalty ... In all, he played on four special teams units and 103 plays on the punt coverage, punt return, kickoff coverage and kick return units ...



On offense, he had four catches for 77 yards and a touchdown, while also picking up 14 yards on his only rushing attempt ... His best game came in the Buffs win over Nebraska with his career long reception of 57 yards, a critical play when the Buffs cut Nebraska's lead to just three points at 24-21 after trailing 17-0 at halftime ... He had three receptions for 115 yards and a touchdown in the first spring scrimmage, which include a 62-yard Hail Mary from Steven Montez to end the scrimmage.

2018 (Fr.-RS)—Played in five games and dressed for nine ... Was still recovering from injury the first three games of the season and then dressed for the remaining nine games ... Saw action in four games on offense and had eight catches for 44 yards ... Best game was at Arizona with six catches for 25 yards ... Also had two catches for 19 yards at USC.

2017 (Fr.)—He enrolled at CU for the spring semester after graduating early from high school and participated in spring drills ... He was limited in the spring as he was still rehabilitating a knee injury suffered in high school, but he did participate in individual drills and got a look on special teams as a returner in his first spring with the Buffs ... Suffered a broken ankle during a scrimmage on Aug. 5 and had surgery the same day and ended up taking a redshirt season to rehabilitate the injury.

HIGH SCHOOL—A wide receiver under coach Joey McGuire at Cedar Hill High School, he started playing on the varsity team his freshman season when he was called up for the team's playoff run ... His entire senior season was lost due to a knee injury, but he was on the team's leadership council ... Missed all but one game of his junior season because of a knee injury that he suffered the previous spring, but returned for Cedar Hill's playoff game against Southlake Carroll in November 2015 and recorded 40 total yards in a 37-33 loss ... Sophomore year he had 257 receiving yards and one touchdown while also rushing 32 times for 253 yards ... That season he helped Cedar Hill win its second straight state title ... He also competed on the track and field team, where he recorded a time of 10.55 in the 100-meter dash.

ACADEMICS—He graduated from Colorado with a degree in Communication and a minor in Ethnic Studies ... He carried a 3.4 GPA in high school ... He is one of two football players that represent the team on CU's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee.

PERSONAL—He was born October 23, 1998 in Dallas, Texas ... He is the son of Sharron and Bobby Jackson.

Season	G	RECEIVING					High Games		RUSHING					High Games		
		Att	Yds	Avg.	TD		Long	Att	Yds	No	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long	Rec	Yds
2018	4	8	44	5.5	0		14	2	19	0	0	0.0	0		0	0
2019	12	4	77	19.3	0		57	1	57	1	14	14.0	0	14	1	14
2020	5	2	17	8.5	1		14	1	14	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	14	138	9.9	1		57	2	57	1	14	14.0	0	14	1	14

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS—Special Teams Tackles: 5,1—6; 1,1—3 (2019); 3,0—3 (2020); 1,0—1 (2021).



JUSTIN JACKSON, DL

6-2, 275, Sr., 2L

Olive Branch, Miss.
(Center Hill/
Northwest Mississippi CC)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Jr.-2)—Played in 10 games...He registered five total tackles, three solo, and a quarterback pressure in 135 defensive snaps.

AT COLORADO: 2020 (Jr.)—Listed on the injured list for the first two games, he dressed for the final four games including the Alamo Bowl ... Played his first game against Texas in the Alamo Bowl, a total of 14 snaps, 10 on defense and four on special teams ... Named a captain for the Arizona game.

JUNIOR COLLEGE—He was ranked by 247Sports as a top 20 strongside defensive end prospect out of junior college, coming in at No. 19 by 247Sports and No. 17 by the 247 Composite ... Considered a three-star prospect by both 247Sports and Rivals ... He played two seasons at Northwest Mississippi Community College and helped the team to a 16-5 overall record and 9-3 mark in the MACJC north division ... NMCC was 8-3 his sophomore season, including a 24-7 win over Jones College to advance to the MACJC Championship Game where the Rangers lost 22-19 to Mississippi Gulf Coast ... He earned All-MACJC honors after playing in all 11 games and finished the season with 25 tackles, including nine for a loss of 40 yards and five sacks for 32 yards in loss ... He added six quarterback hurries, two forced fumbles and one fumble recovery ... His freshman season the team was 8-2, falling to Jones College in the first round of the MACJC playoffs ... He played nine games that season with 19 tackles, including six for a loss and three sacks totaling 11 yards, and one quarterback hurry ... He helped anchored the defensive line for NWCC that allowed just 3.4 yards per carry his sophomore season and 3.1 yards per carry his freshman season ... He tallied two sacks and a quarterback hurry against Copiah-Lincoln his sophomore season ... Totaled four tackles, including three sacks and added a forced fumble and a quarterback hurry against East Mississippi Community College ... Had four tackles and a sack against Mississippi Gulf Coast in the MJCAC Championship Game ... Had one tackle for loss and two quarterback hurries against Itawamba.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was the Defensive MVP for the North team in the Bernard Blackwell All-Star Classic Game after his senior season at Center Hill for coach Alan Peacock ... He totaled 65 tackles, including 28 tackles for loss and 12 sacks in his junior and senior seasons at Center Hill ... As a senior, he had 26 tackles, including eight for a loss and four sacks totaling 13 yards, and added one pass breakup and one forced fumble ... Junior season he had 39 tackles, including 20 for a loss with eight sacks and two fumble recoveries ... His sophomore season he had nine tackles.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Sociology at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born December 15, 1998 in Chicago, Ill. ... Parents are Donna Polk and Henry Jackson ... He has four siblings, one older sister, two older brothers and one younger brother ... Nickname is J.J. ... He enjoys playing basketball in his spare time.

Season	G	Plays	TACKLES				TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
			UT	AT	TOT										
2021	10	135	3	2	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0



AUSTIN JOHNSON, OL

6-4, 300, Soph., 2L

Highlands Ranch, Colo.
(Highlands Ranch)

64

AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-RS)—Played in nine games overall, including three on offense ... Played 15 snaps against Minnesota, six against UNC and two against Arizona ... Saw action on special teams on the FG/PAT unit.

2020 (Fr.-RS)—Did not see game action ... Suffered an injury that kept him out the entire season.

2019 (Fr.)—Dressed for six games and played in the Oregon game ... Earned a redshirt season with the new rules ... Named the team's Offensive Scout of the Year ... Earned the Offensive Scout of the Game four times, leading into the Colorado State, Nebraska, Arizona State and Stanford games.



HIGH SCHOOL—Rated a 3-star prospect by the major recruiting services ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 5 player in Colorado and No. 37 guard while Rivals ranked him as the No. 27 guard nationally and No. 8 player in Colorado and 247Sports listed him as the No. 50 guard and the No. 7 player in Colorado ... First-Team All-State by Mile High Sports Magazine and the Denver Post as a senior for coach John Trahan at Highlands Ranch where he helped the Falcons to a balanced offensive attack that averaged 164.9 yards passing and 161.5 yards rushing per game ... On defense as a senior, he had 24 tackles including one for a loss and one force fumble ... His junior season when he was All-State and All-Continental League, Highlands Ranch featured more of a running attack averaging 206.0 yards per game on the ground ... On defense as a junior, he had 24 tackles including 5.5 for a loss and 1.5 sacks ... His sophomore season he was All-Continental League and honorable mention All-State on offense and was in on eight tackles and one for a loss on defense ... He also played basketball for one season as a junior and track & field for three years, throwing the shot put and discus.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Ethnic Studies at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born December 13, 2000 in Littleton, Colo. ... Parents are Curtis and Christine Johnson ... Has one older brother, Avery, and a younger step-brother, Antonio ... Enjoys fishing, going to the mountains and hanging out with friends and family.



**EOGHAN
KERRY, ILB**

6-3, 230, Fr., HS

Bakersfield, Calif.
(Mater Dei)

10

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... A unanimous top 80 player from California ... 247 Composite listed him as the No. 77 linebacker nationally, the No. 61 player from California and No. 806 player nationally ... Rivals listed him as the No. 48 outside linebacker nationally and No. 40 player from California ... ESPN listed him as the No. 57 outside linebacker, No. 50 player from California and No. 108 player from the west ... On3 Sports ranked him the No. 70 linebacker and No. 49 player from California ... 247 Sports ranked him the No. 87 linebacker and No. 77 player from California ... Played varsity football for three years, the final two at Mater Dei under coach Bruce Rollinson after attending Centennial High School in Bakersfield, Calif., his freshman and sophomore seasons ... Helped Mater Dei to a perfect 17-0 record over the past two seasons, including a top national ranking by MaxPreps, High School Football America and USA Today ... Mater Dei recorded a perfect 12-0 record his senior season and won the 2021 CIF State Football Championship, topping Serra 44-7 in the title game ... Anchored a defense that allowed just 12.7 points per game and, taking out a 46-37 win over Servite, that average dropped to 10.5 points per game in the other 11 contests ... Mater Dei was also undefeated, 5-0, in the COVID-shortened 2020 season and while no playoffs were contested, they averaged 41.6 points per game and gave up just 19.0 points per contest in those five games ... An edge rusher for Mater Dei, exact stats are unknown but he had success with tackles for loss, sacks, quarterback hurries, pass breakups and forced fumbles in his short 17-game career ... Played his sophomore season at Centennial under coach Richard Starrett and finished 4-6 playing linebacker and defensive end ... He was named all-league and all-area his sophomore season.

ACADEMICS—He is Interested in majoring in Business at Colorado ... An honor roll student in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born Nov. 11, 2003 in South Bend, Ind. ... Parents are Erin Miller and Freddy Kerry Jr. ... Has two siblings, Kylah and Kaleb Kerry

... Enjoys working out, spending time with his dogs, cooking, reading, hiking, playing X-Box and filming YouTube videos in his spare time ... Has his own YouTube channel ... Can play the violin ... Can do a backflip ... Has volunteered with Special Olympics and at summer camps through his school. (*First name is pronounced Owen.*)



**MADDOX
KOPP, QB**

6-5, 220, Fr., TR

Houston, Texas
(St. Thomas/Houston)

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AT COLORADO—This Season (Fr.-RS): Enrolled at CU for the spring semester and practiced during spring drills. Transferred from the University of Houston to Colorado in January.

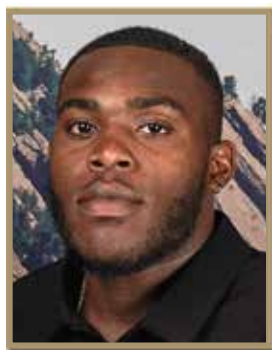
AT HOUSTON (Fr., 2021)—Redshirted; did not see game action.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Composite listed him as the No. 53 quarterback in the class, the No. 105 player from Texas and No. 747 player in the nation ... Rivals ranked him as the No. 23 pro-style quarterback in the class and No. 69 player from Texas ... ESPN ranked him the No. 47 pocket passing quarterback in the class, the No. 163 player from Texas and No. 218 player in the region ... On3 Sports listed him as the No. 48 quarterback in the class, No. 101 prospect from Texas and No. 682 player in the nation ... 247 Sports listed him as the No. 31 pro-style quarterback and No. 106 player from Texas ... Named a Sports Illustrated All-American and Elite 11 finalist ... Played four years of varsity at St. Thomas High School in Houston under coach Rich McGuire, starting as a junior and senior ... Led St. Thomas to a 10-0 league record in the past two seasons as the starting quarterback and 16-7 overall ... In his career, he completed 431-of-752 passes for 6,334 yards with 59 touchdowns and 18 interceptions ... Added 109 rushes for 303 yards and three touchdowns and one reception for a seven-yard touchdown ... Totaled 6,671 total yards and 63 touchdowns ... Senior season St. Thomas was 7-3 overall and 6-0 in league play when he completed 196-of-328 passes for 3,134 yards with 30 touchdowns and four interceptions ... He added 42 rushes for 292 yards and a touchdown and also punted, averaging 41.7 yards per punt on 20 punts with a long of 66 and seven inside the 20 ... In just nine games, he had six 300-yard games including a pair of 400 yard games and one game over 500 yards ... He completed 18-of-33 passes for 533 yards with eight touchdowns and an interception against San Antonio Christian ... Completed 24-of-48 passes for 458 yards with five touchdowns and no interceptions against El Campo ... Had five straight games over 300 yards and had 1,824 yards with 19 touchdowns and three interceptions in those five games ... Junior season St. Thomas was 9-4 overall and 4-0 in league play ... He completed 225-of-405 passes for 3,089 yards with 28 touchdowns and 14 interceptions ... Added 40 rushing yards with two touchdowns and a seven yard receiving touchdowns ... Also punted, averaging 31.9 yards on 34 punts with a long of 61 and six inside the 20 ... Had four 300-yard games ... Was 15-of-30 for 322 yards with three touchdowns and an interception against Concordia Lutheran ... Was 26-of-61 for 343 yards with three touchdowns against Needville ... Against Antonian Prep, completed 17-of-32 passes for 327 yards and two touchdowns ... Was 26-of-36 passing for 345 yards with four touchdowns and no interceptions and added 74 rushing yards and two touchdowns against Trinity Christian ... Had five touchdowns against St. Pius X when he completed 16-of-30 passes for 283 yards ... Sophomore season he completed 8-of-18 passes for 106 yards with one touchdown and no interceptions and freshman season he completed his only pass for five yards ... Also played basketball and St. Thomas.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in majoring in Communication at Colorado.



PERSONAL—He was born August 13, 2002 in Houston, Texas ... Parents are Will and Deborah Kopp ... Has three brothers, Braden, Miller and Anderson ... Dad Will played tennis at the University of Tennessee-Chattanooga ... Brother Braden played offensive tackle at Vanderbilt ... Brother Miller is a point guard at Indiana ... Brother Anderson is a shooting guard at UMKC ... Enjoys playing basketball and working out.



TERRANCE LANG, DE

6-7, 290, Sr., 4L

Pomona, Calif.
(Maranatha)

54

AT COLORADO: This Season (Sr.)—He has played in 40 career games with 27 starts ... Has 85 career tackles, 16 tackles for loss including nine-and-a-half sacks and five more for no gain, 27 quarterback hurries, 29 third down stops and six pass breakups in his career ... Nine-and-a-half sacks career sacks are tied for 43rd in Colorado history ... Named Preseason All-Pac-12 by *Lindy's College Football* (third team), *Phil Steele's College Football* (fourth team) and the league's media (honorable mention) ... Listed on the East-West Shrine Game 1000 Watch List ... CU's nomination for the Rotary Lombardi Award, given to the top down lineman within 10 yards of the snap ... Phil Steele listed him as the No. 80 defensive end in college football.

2021 (Jr.-2)—He played in all 12 games, starting 11 ... In 589 defensive snaps he had 20 tackles, including 11 solo with two tackles for loss including one-and-a-half sacks ... Added eight third down stops, six quarterback pressures, and two pass breakups ... Added a special teams point with a blocked kick against Utah in week 12 ... Most productive game came against Arizona in week six with four total tackles, including two solo stops ... Named a captain week one against Northern Colorado ... Named preseason second-team All-Pac-12 by the league's media, *Phil Steele's College Football*, *Athlon* and *Lindy's College Football* ... Phil Steele ranked him as the No. 47 defensive end nationally.

2020 (Jr.)—Started four of five regular season games, starting all but the Arizona game while missing the Alamo Bowl against Texas ... Named Honorable Mention All-Pac-12 by the league's coaches ... Given the team's Eddie Crowder Award for leadership ... He played at least 50 snaps in all five regular season games and finished the season with 14 tackles, five tackles for loss including one sack and two more for no gain, six third down stops including one fourth down stop, three quarterback hurries, one pass breakup and one caused interception ... CU's Defensive Player of the Game and nomination for Pac-12 Defensive Player of the Week at Stanford when he had two tackles for loss, a quarterback hurry and third down stop ... Had two quarterback hurries against UCLA ... Against San Diego State, he had four tackles, one for loss and a third down stop ... At Arizona came up with five tackles, including one sack, a pass breakup and two third down stops ... All three of his tackles against Utah were at or behind the line of scrimmage, one for loss and two others for no gain ... Played special teams on FG/PAT block and punt return units when the Buffs were in defensive formations ... In the preseason, named third-team Preseason All-Pac-12 by *Lindy's College Football* and *Pick Six Previews* ... *Phil Steele's College Football* ranked him as the No. 52 defensive end in the nation.

2019 (Soph.)—Became an every-down lineman and played in all 12 games with 11 starts ... He earned the team's Defensive Trench Award ... He was CU's nominee for Pac-12 Defensive Lineman of the Week against Arizona State and was named CU's Defensive Player of the Week against Washington State ... He finished the season with 40 tackles, seven for a loss including six sacks, and three more for no gain ... He had a team-leading 12 quarterback hurries, and nine third down stops, third most on the squad ... He had nine games with three or more tackles and four games with five-plus stops including a season and career high of seven against UCLA ... He had six games with a sack and two games with multiple quarterback hurries, three against Washington State and two against Arizona ... In spring football, he had four tackles with two sacks, one quarterback hurry in two scrimmages and the spring game.

2018 (Fr.-RS)—Played in 11 games and started one ... Dressed for all 12 games ... Played most of the season as a pass rush specialist, he played 263 defensive snaps and had 11 tackles, including two for a loss and one sack ... Added six quarterback pressures, six third down stops, three pass breakups and one quarterback chase down ... Had three tackles and his first sack against Oregon State ... Had two quarterback hurries against Washington State.

2017 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for one game, Washington.

HIGH SCHOOL—Scout.com rated him as the No. 3 athlete in California and No. 6 in the west ... Rivals.com ranked him as a top 35 player at his position in the country ... He recorded 40 tackles, 15 sacks and a forced fumble in eight games his senior year for coach Steve Bogan when he drew first-team all-league honors ... Against Crean Lutheran he posted 10 tackles and two tackles for a loss, one of three games during his senior year he had multiple tackles for a loss ... Another came against Village Christian when he had seven tackles, including a pair of sacks ... Junior year he recorded 21 tackles and two sacks, but also caught a touchdown pass on offense in a 38-20 win over Whittier Christian ... He started playing football when he was nine, but was also a basketball star ... His junior season in he averaged 15.0 points and 7.5 rebounds per game for the Minutemen when he garnered second-team All-Area honors as a forward from the Pasadena Star-News ... As a senior he averaged 8.3 points and 4.8 rebounds.

ACADEMICS—He graduated with a bachelor's degree in Sociology in May 2022.

PERSONAL—He was born on January 23, 1999 in Pomona, Calif. ... Hobbies include playing football and basketball ... He has dreams of playing in the NFL one day, something he has thought about since he began playing football at the age of nine ... He is a foodie, and his favorite meal is his mother Tracey's enchiladas ... He chose Colorado because he liked the family environment.

Season	G	Plays	UT	TACKLES		TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
				AT	TOT									
2018	11	263	9	2	11	2- 7	1- 5	0	6	6	0	0	3	0
2019	12	588	25	15	40	7-51	6-49	3	9	12	0	0	0	0
2020	5	304	11	3	14	5-16	1- 2	2	6	3	0	0	1	0
2021	12	589	11	9	20	4- 4 1/2	1	2	8	6	0	0	2	0
Totals	40	1,744	56	29	85	18-78	9 1/2-57	7	29	27	0	0	6	0



MONTANA LEMONIOUS-CRAIG, WR

6-2, 185, Soph., 2L

Inglewood, Calif.
(Inglewood)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-2)—Played in the first 10 games of the season before being listed as injured for the final two ... Registered 10 receptions for 123 yards and two touchdowns on the season ... Most productive game came in week one against Northern Colorado when he had two receptions for 23 yards and a touchdown and was named Colorado's nomination for Pac-12 Freshman of the Week ... Had a clutch touchdown against Oregon State, hauling in a pass from Brendon Lewis with just 2:24 left in regulation to put the Buffs back ahead after the Beavers took their only lead of the game.

2020 (Fr.)—Played in three games and dressed for all six including the Alamo Bowl ... Played in the first two games of the season, vs. UCLA and at Stanford, and in the Alamo Bowl against Texas ... Didn't have any catches in the regular season, but had a 15-yard reception from Brendon Lewis in the Alamo Bowl, kicking off a scoring drive in the fourth quarter ... Named first-team Academic All-Colorado by the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation.



HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by 247Sports, Rivals and PrepStar as a consensus top 100 player out of California ... 247Sports rates him as the No. 54 athlete in the class and No. 84 player from California ... Rivals ranked him the No. 85 player out of California ... He helped spur a turn-around at Inglewood that saw the team improve from a 0-10 record as a junior and to 12-1, losing by one point in the CIF Southern Section Division 13 Semifinals while having a perfect 5-0 record in the Pioneer League under coach Mil/Von James ... He played receiver, cornerback and was the team's punter and punt returner ... His senior season he had 46 receptions for 1,289 yards and 23 touchdowns and added two rushes for 22 yards for 1,314 yards from scrimmage ... He added two two-point conversions for a total of 142 points scored ... He had one 200-yard receiving game, six 100-yard receiving games, eight games with multiple receiving touchdowns, and six games with at least one 50-yard reception ... On defense he added 70 tackles, including five for a loss, six interceptions, four pass break-ups and one fumble recovery ... On special teams as a senior, he averaged 49.0 yards per punt on five punts with a long of 53 and one inside the 20 ... Also had one punt return for 46 yards ... As a junior, he had 30 receptions for 573 yards and eight touchdowns and 10 rushes for 47 yards and a touchdown ... He had four 100-yard receiving games ... He added 62 tackles on defense, including six for a loss, to go with two interceptions, one forced fumble and a pass breakup ... He also had four kick returns for 67 yards ... He had 215 yards on just five receptions with four touchdowns in a 77-0 win over West as a senior when he also had four tackles and a 46-yard punt return ... In a 63-7 win over Hamilton as a senior, both of his receptions went for touchdowns when he racked up 136 yards and added eight tackles on defense ... He had a 100-yard game on five receptions to go with two interceptions on defense in a 68-14 win over Gardena his senior season ... He had 13 tackles, an interception and two pass breakups on defense and six catches for 64 yards and a touchdown in a 28-0 win over North as a senior ... Had four catches for 135 yards and two touchdowns on offense and seven tackles on defense in a 60-21 win over Santa Monica his senior season ... He also played basketball and was named the MVP of the Pioneer League his junior season.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Communication at Colorado and pursuing a minor in Sports Media ... He was a member of the National Honor Society in high school ... Named first-team Academic All-Colorado by the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation his true freshman season in 2020 and received honorable mention status ... Honored with the Byron R. White Leadership and Initiative Award at CU's 2022 Academic Breakfast for exhibiting outstanding initiative and demonstrating a strong commitment to service the CU and Boulder Community.

PERSONAL—He was born on July 29, 2002 in Inglewood, Calif. ... He was raised by his mom, Daisy Lemonious, and grandmother, Brenda Lemonious ... He has an older sister ... He enjoys working out and resting in his free time ... He is interested in going into broadcasting after his football days are over ... He has done community service through his church ... Full name is Montana-George Eugene Lemonious-Craig ... He was nicknamed "Mr. Inglewood" by the new coaching staff his senior season for being the heart and soul of the team. *(Last name is pronounced lee-moan-E-us.)*

Season	RECEIVING			Avg.	TD	Long	High Games	
	G	Att	Yds				Rec	Yds
2019	10	10	123	12.3	2	25	3	52



BRENDON LEWIS, QB

6-2, 215, Soph., 2L

Melissa, Texas
(Melissa)

AT COLORADO: His 1,540 passing yards rank 24th in CU history.
2021 (Fr.-2)—Started all 12 games at quarterback, becoming the second freshman quarterback to start a season opener at Colorado ... The 12

starts as a freshman are second most in program history behind Cody Hawkins (13) ... Finished the season 149-of-257 passing for 1,540 yards and 10 touchdowns with just three interceptions ... His three interceptions were CU's only three of the year, the lowest total in CU history ... Set a new CU record for lowest interception percentage with at least 200 pass attempts (1.17, three interceptions on 257 attempts) ... Finished the season with a streak of 131 passes without an interception, the longest streak for a freshman in CU history and fourth-longest stretch overall ... Named a captain for the season opener against Northern Colorado and then for the final seven games of the season ... Amongst freshman quarterbacks nationally that started at least six games, he was one of just three that played at least 10 games and started all of them ... He ranked tied for second in that group for fewest interceptions ... Led the team with 77 first downs ... He set the school records for most touchdowns thrown to freshman with seven, the most pass attempts thrown without an interception, and the lowest interception percentage ... Colorado's Pac-12 Offensive Player of the Week twice against Arizona in week six and against Washington in week 11...Named the CU Offensive Player of the Week twice against Arizona in week six and Washington in week 11 ... Most productive game against Oregon where he was 25-of-33 for 224 yards and three touchdowns with a QB rating of 162.8 ... Against Oregon State, he completed 15-of-24 passes for 170 yards and three touchdowns, and also scored on a rushing touchdown in the first overtime ... Against Arizona, he had a QB rating of 207.5, hitting on 12-of-19 passes for 247 yards and two touchdowns, including a 62-yarder.

HIGH SCHOOL—A four-star prospect by ESPN, which ranked him the No. 12 dual threat quarterback in the class, the No. 55 player in the region, No. 41 player out of Texas and No. 257 player nationally on its Top 300 list ... Rated a three-star prospect by 247Sports, Rivals and PrepStar ... Named to the All-Midlands Region team by PrepStar ... 247Sports and Rivals both rate him as the No. 18 dual threat quarterback in the class ... Rivals rates him as the No. 54 player out of Texas ... The 247 Composite has him with a rating of .8873 and as the No. 389 player nationally, No. 16 dual threat quarterback and No. 54 player from Texas ... Started at quarterback for three seasons and played four years on the varsity at Melissa High School for coach Seth Stinton ... In his career, he completed 503-of-837 passes for 8,922 yards, 112 touchdowns with 18 interceptions and added 422 rushes for 3,240 yards and 39 touchdowns helping compile a 37-14 record, including 17-5 in the 4A-2 Region II District 5 standings, taking home titles in 2017 and 2019 ... He finished his career with 12,162 yards of total offense and 151 touchdowns ... He was the District 7-4A Offensive Player of the Year when Melissa went 9-4 overall and 5-1 in the District 7-4A Division I standings his senior season ... He completed 149-of-242 passes for 2,623 yards with 32 touchdowns to just six interceptions ... He also led the team in rushing with 124 rushes for 1,223 yards and 16 touchdowns ... As a junior, he was named first-team All-State and first-team All-District 7-4A Division I when he led Melissa to an 8-4 record by completing 168-of-267 passes for 2,954 yards and 39 touchdowns with just three interceptions ... He also had 148 rushes for 984 yards and 11 touchdowns ... His sophomore season he was named first-team All-State and the Offensive MVP as Melissa won a Texas State Championship with a 12-2 record, including a perfect 5-0 league record ... He completed 172-of-302 passes for 3,029 yards with 37 touchdowns and eight interceptions ... He added 140 rushes for 1,011 yards and 11 touchdowns ... As a freshman, he completed 14-of-26 passes for 326 yards and 4 touchdowns with just one interception. He added 10 rushes for 23 yards and one touchdown ... He completed 13-of-19 passes for 274 yards and six touchdowns with no interceptions in a 61-10 win over Sanger as a senior ... He hit on 11-of-16 passes for 284 yards and four touchdowns with no interceptions against Anna as a senior ... As a junior he completed 14-of-22 passes for 270 yards and three touchdowns while rushing 16 times for 56 yards and a score in a 42-30 win over Liberty Christian ... He had 10 rushes for 134 yards and two scores against Bonman ... As a sophomore he broke out with a 15-of-24 passing performance for 349 yards and three touchdowns with no interceptions while rushing eight times for 40 yards and two scores in a 55-32 win over Whitesboro ... He also played basketball in high school and averaged 20.0 points and 10.0 rebounds per game.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Psychology at Colorado and pursuing a minor in Communication ... He was an honor roll student in high school and graduated a semester early, joining the Buffs for the spring 2020 semester ... Named one of CU's Most Improve Student-Athletes at the 2022 Academic Breakfast.



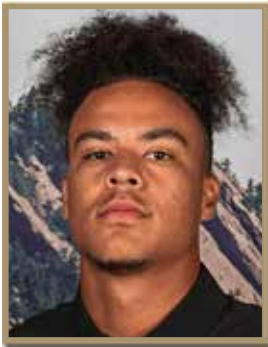
PERSONAL—He was born on December 8, 2001 in Dallas, Texas ... His parents are Rolanda Alston and Brian Lewis... He has three siblings ... His uncle, Jon Alston, played linebacker at Stanford and spent five seasons in the NFL with the Rams, Raiders, and Buccaneers before becoming a film director, producer, and screenwriter ... He enjoys video games, playing the guitar, reading, and watching movies ... He loves to watch football and hang out with friends in his free time ... He was born in the same city exactly one week after CU's 39-37 win over Texas in the 2001 Big 12 Championship Game.

Season	G	PASSING				RUSHING						
		Att	Com	Int	Pct.	Yds	TD	Long	Att	Yds	Avg.	TD
2021	12	257	149	3	58.0	1,540	10	65	98	188	1.9	2

DRIVE ENGINEERING

Season	G	Drives				Drives Ended By				Points	Pts./	Drive
		Started	TD	FG	FGA	PNT	DWN	TRN	SAF			
2021	126	22	14	6	64	11	5	0	4	0	197	1.56

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS—NCAA Rating: 118.8 (2021).
Sacked/Yards Lost: 31/201 (2021).



ISAIAH LEWIS, S

6-0, 205, Sr., 4L

Granite Bay, Calif.
(Granite Bay)

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AT COLORADO: This Season (Sr.)—Has played in 39 games and started 15 in his career ... Has 111 career tackles, including two for a loss including a half-sack, and two more for no gain, eight pass breakups, 15 third down stops including one on fourth down, three quarterback hurries, one touchdown saving tackle and two interceptions ... Named Preseason All-Pac-12 by *Athlon* (second team), *Lindy's College Football* (third team), *Phil Steele's College Football* (fourth team) and the league's media (honorable mention).

2021 (Jr.-2)—Played in all 12 games with 10 starts ... Led the team in total tackles with 79 (his 55 solo stops were second most), and was second on the team with two interceptions ... Added four special teams points with three unassisted tackles, including one inside the 20 ... Most productive game came against Oregon State where he played 56 snaps with nine tackles, two third down stops, and an interception ... Named Preseason All-Pac-12 by various outlets, earning third team mention by *Lindy's*, fourth team by *Athlon* and honorable mention by the league's media ... *Phil Steele's College Football* ranked him as the No. 32 safety nationally.

2020 (Jr.)—He played in all six games and started the final five of the season including the Alamo Bowl ... Named Honorable Mention All-Pac-12 by the league's coaches ... Finished the season with 27 tackles, including two for a loss with a half-sack and another for no gain, eight third down stops including one on fourth down, eight pass breakups, three quarterback hurries and one touchdown saving tackle ... His 1.2 pass breakups per game ranked fifth in the Pac-12 and 24th nationally ... Despite not starting the season opener, he was CU's nominee for Pac-12 Defensive Player of the Week against UCLA with three tackles, three pass-breakups and a key third down stop ... CU's Defensive Player of the Game at Arizona with nine tackles, two for a loss including a half-sack, three third down stops and two pass breakups ... Had four tackles, two pass breakups, two third down stops and a quarter hurry at Stanford ... Against San Diego State, had six tackles, one for no gain, one pass breakup, a third down stop and quarterback hurry ... At Utah had five tackles, a third down stop and touchdown saving tackle ... Credited with eight tackles, leading the Buffs against Texas in the Alamo Bowl, and had one tackle for loss.

2019 (Soph.)—He dressed for all 12 games and played in 10, all 10 on spe-

cial teams and three on defense ... He saw action on defense in 22 plays and had four tackles, including one for no gain ... On special teams, he played in 118 plays, fifth most on the team, on five different units including kick return, punt return, kick coverage, punt coverage and field goal block ... He finished the season with six special teams points, including three knockdown or springing blocks on kick return, two forced fair catches and one time was first downfield interrupting the play ... All four of his tackles on defense came in the Arizona game, when he also added one knockdown or springing block on kick return on special teams ... He led the defensive backs in two spring scrimmages and the spring game with 12 tackles and added an interception, sack, fumble recovery, tackle for zero and third down stop ... In the spring game, he had five tackles, all solo, with one interception, a third down stop and tackle for zero.

2018 (Fr.-RS)—Played in six games and dressed for 10 ... Saw action in two games on defense for a total of seven plays ... Had one tackle ... Recorded seven special teams points with one tackle, which was inside the 20, and five knockdown or springing blocks on kickoff returns ... In the spring strength and conditioning testing, he had the team's fastest short shuttle time (4.09) and tied for the second fastest 10-yard sprint (1.50).

2017 (Fr.)—He enrolled at CU for the spring semester and participated in spring drills with the Buffs ... Ended up redshirting.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was a multi-dimensional player under coach Jeff Evans, playing running back, wide receiver, cornerback and safety in his high school career ... He played in only four games his senior season, missing the latter part of the year due to a shoulder injury ... Despite that fact, he still garnered All-State honorable mention accolades his senior year ... As a senior, he rushed the ball 31 times for 134 yards with 122 of that yardage coming on 22 carries in a 27-14 win over Oak Grove ... His junior season he earned most of his 321 rush yards from his flyback position, where he added 21 receptions for 338 yards, a 16.1 yards per reception average ... He was picked to the *Sacramento Bee's* 2015 All-Metro Football honorable mention team as a defensive back ... In a 2015 Sac-Joaquin Section Division II playoff game against Grant High School, he helped the Grizzlies come back from a 21-3 deficit entering the fourth quarter to win 24-21 ... In that comeback he had the go-ahead 40-yard touchdown reception with 2:41 left to play and then sealed the win with an interception on his own 30 with 1:57 left on the clock ... He also played on the basketball team early in his prep career where he received the Defensive Player of the Year award as a freshman and was the team MVP his junior varsity year.

ACADEMICS—He graduated in December 2020 with a degree in Communication and minors in both Ethnic Studies and Leadership Studies and is pursuing a master's degree in Organizational Leadership ... A Scholar-Athlete in high school who held a 3.5 GPA, Lewis graduated early to enroll at CU ... He fulfilled his goal of graduating early to obtain a master's degree.

PERSONAL—e was born on December 17, 1998 in Sacramento, Calif. ... He says he loves maple donuts, going on hikes, but "loves his family more."

Season	G	Plays	TACKLES											
			UT	AT	TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2018	2	7	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2019	3	22	4	0	4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
2020	5	319	19	8	27	2-4	1/2-3	1	8	3	0	0	8	0
2021	12	635	55	24	19	0-0	0-0	1	7	0	0	0	0	2
Totals	22	973	79	32	111	2-4	1/2-3	3	15	3	0	0	8	2

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS—Special Team Tackles 4,0—4: 1,0—1 (2018); 3,0—3 (2021).



ASHTON LOGAN, P/PK

6-2, 195, Fr., HS

Anaheim, Calif.
(Orange Lutheran)



HIGH SCHOOL—Originally part of the 2021 class, he delayed his enrollment to be a part of the 2022 class ... Ranked as a Top 10 punter for the 2021 class from Chris Sailer ... A three-star prospect by both ESPN and On3 Sports ... The 247 Sports Composite listed him as the No. 14 punter in the class and No. 192 player out of California and 247 Sports listed him as the No. 13 punter in the class ... On3 Sports listed him as the No. 13 punter in the class and No. 155 player in California ... ESPN listed him as the No. 25 punter in the class, No. 132 player in California and No. 222 player in the west ... Played four years on varsity at Orange Lutheran under coach Jason Presley, handling primary kicking duties as a sophomore and punting duties as a junior and senior ... In his career, he averaged 38.0 yards per punt on 67 punts and made good on 45-of-47 PATs and 1-of-1 field goals ... Senior season he was the Special Teams Player of the Year for the Trinity League and second team on the Preseason California All-State team ... Punted 22 times with an average of 38.5 and a long of 49 yards ... Against Mater Dei he had a 45 yard punt from the back of the end zone that resulted in a turnover and against JSerra Catholic, he averaged 43.3 yards per punt ... Junior season he was the Trinity League MVP Punter when he averaged 37.8 yards on 45 punts with 12 inside the 20 ... As the kicker that season, he hit his only field goal attempt, a game-winner against Edison, and on 3-of-4 PAT attempts ... Had zero return yards in the first five games and 20 punts of the season ... Against Centennial, he held USC commit Gary Bryant Jr. to zero return yards on four punts and his game-winning field goal came against Edison ... His sophomore season he hit on 42-of-43 PAT attempts as the kicker ... Also played soccer at Orange Lutheran, lettering as a freshman and sophomore and earning the team's Rookie of the Year honor as a freshman.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Kinesiology at Colorado ... He was a four-time Scholar Athlete at Orange Lutheran and a member of the high honor roll.

PERSONAL—He was born April 13, 2003 in Orange, Calif. ... Parents are Austin and Danielle Logan ... Has one younger brother, Layton ... His goals after college are to play professionally, coach or become a physical therapist ... Enjoys lifting, listening to music and playing golf ... He can juggle a soccer ball over 1,000 times with his feet ... He coached youth soccer and served numerous times for Operation Christmas Child through his high school.



KADEN LUDWICK, OLB

6-5, 245, Fr., HS

Happy Valley, Ore.
(Clackamas)



HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Composite ranked him as the No. 115 linebacker nationally, the No. 7 player from Oregon and No. 1,107 player nationally ... 247 Sports ranked him as the No. 82 linebacker and No. 5 player from Oregon ... ESPN listed him as the No. 80 outside linebacker, No. 151 player from the west and No.

7 player from Oregon ... On3 Sports listed him as the No. 82 linebacker and No. 5 player from Oregon ... Played four years of varsity football at Clackamas High School for coach James Holan ... Led Clackamas to a 10-2 overall record, 6-1 record in the Mt. Hood League and top 10 ranking in the state as a senior ... Played outside linebacker all four years and tight end his final three seasons after lining up as a slot receiver as a freshman ... Named first-team all-state and the Oregon Defensive Player of the Year as a senior ... Also earned first-team all-conference three years and was the conference defensive player of the year as a senior ... Finished his senior season with 43 tackles ... Also played lacrosse in high school.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in majoring in Business at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born Sept. 1, 2003 in Happy Valley, Ore. ... Parents are Bryan and Roxxy Ludwick and Heidi Baney ... Has three siblings, Jake, Zach and Kylie ... Dad Bryan coached him in football throughout his youth after playing college football at Oregon State ... Enjoys playing video games, hiking and camping ... He can do a double back-flip on a trampoline ... Participated in food drives through his school to help in his community.



ANTHONY LYLE, S

6-0, 200, Sr., 2L

Lafayette, Colo.
(Legacy/
Eastern Michigan)



AT COLORADO: Has played in 18 career games and been a special team's standout ... His 26 career special teams points rank fifth amongst active players for the Buffs.

2021 (Jr.-2)—Played in all 12 games ... He was third on the team in special teams points with 20, leading the team in knockdown or springing blocks on kickoff returns with eight, and added six total tackles, four solo, and one inside the 20.

2020 (Jr.)—Played in all six games including the Alamo Bowl, all on special teams ... Saw action on four special teams units for a total of 80 snaps, including kick return, punt return, kick coverage and some on punt coverage, as well ... Finished the season with seven special teams points, three off the team lead, with one assisted tackle inside the 20, four knockdown or springing blocks on kick return and was one the first downfield interrupting the play.

2019 (Soph.)—Did not see game action ... Was named the Special Teams Scout of the Week leading up to the Oregon game ... He attended CU in 2018 but was not on the team.

AT EASTERN MICHIGAN (2017)—Joined EMU as a walk-on for the 2017 season and did not see game action.

HIGH SCHOOL—He played one season of varsity football and Legacy was 8-3 his senior season ... As a wide receiver, he was named first-team all-conference and he was named the specialty football player of the year and given the team's Iron Bolt Speed award ... He caught 35 passes for 608 yards and seven touchdowns, and had three rushes for five yards ... He also had eight kickoff returns for 190 yards and 18 punt returns for 242 yards for 1,045 all-purpose yards ... On defense, he had 38 total tackles, one interception and one fumble recovery ... He also played basketball, baseball and track & field at Legacy ... On the track, he was an all-conference performer and his top times are 10.97 in the 100-meter dash and 22.38 in the 200-meter dash and he participated in the Colorado State 5A Championships in both events ... His 4x200-meter relay team won the Colorado 5A State Championship.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Economics at Colorado ... He was a member of the honor roll at Legacy High School.

PERSONAL—He was born February 1, 1999 in Denver ... Son of Phillip and Michelle Lyle ... His hobbies including lifting and hanging out with friends ... He's interested in nutrition ... He has six older siblings, four sisters and two brothers.



JEREMY MACK, JR., S

6-0, 190, Soph., JC

Clinton, Miss.
(Clinton/
East Mississippi CC)



JUNIOR COLLEGE—Played one season at East Mississippi Community College in Scooba, Miss. ... Helped EMCC to a 9-1 record and an appearance in the MACCC Semifinals where the team lost by a single point ... Named first-team All-MACCC ... Finished his only season there with 40 tackles, including 22 solo and 2½ tackles for loss with one sack ... Added four interceptions for 66 yards, two pass breakups and one fumble recovery ... His four interceptions ranked fourth nationally in the junior college ranks.

HIGH SCHOOL—Played four years of varsity football at Clinton under coach Judd Boswell ... In his career, he had 719 rushing yards and nine touchdowns on offense and 132 tackles, eight interceptions, nine pass breakups, three forced fumbles and six fumble recoveries ... As a senior, he helped Clinton to a 9-3 record playing running back and defensive back and was named all-state, all-region, all-metro and participated in the Mississippi vs. Alabama All-Star Game ... Finished the season with 64 tackles, 45 solo with four tackles for loss ... Added four interceptions for 136 yards, two pass breakups, a forced fumble and two fumble recoveries ... Had two receptions for 16 yards ... Junior season playing both running back and cornerback, he had 163 carries for 719 yards and nine touchdowns with two 100-yard rushing games ... Added three receptions for 48 yards and a touchdown ... Defensively, had 68 tackles, two for a loss with three interceptions, for pass breakups, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery ... Sophomore season he had one interception, three pass breakups, a forced fumble and three fumble recoveries ... Also played basketball at Clinton.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying mechanical engineering at Colorado ... Named to the National Honors Society in High School.

PERSONAL—He was born February 21, 2002 in Jackson, Miss. ... Parents are Lakatta Carey and Jeremy Mack ... Has four younger siblings, Elizabeth, Zeek, Jewel, and Journee ... Interested in a career in engineering or as an entrepreneur after playing days are done ... Enjoys reading, hanging out with friends, studying, sleeping and working out in his spare time ... Considers himself a problem solver ... Has participated in community service through his high school team.



MASON MADDOX, DL

6-3, 275, Fr., RS

Aurora, Colo.
(Cherokee Trail)



AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for one game, against Texas A&M.

HIGH SCHOOL—Played defensive and offensive line for Cherokee Trail, playing varsity for two seasons under coach Joe Johnson ... In his career,

he had 45 tackles and five sacks on defense ... Senior season he came on strong with 39 tackles, including 17 for a loss and a team-leading five sacks in seven games ... Cherokee Trail had a balanced offense, averaging 349.9 yards per game, 179.0 passing and 170.9 rushing ... Top game a senior was against Rocky Mountain when five of his six tackles were behind the line of scrimmage as he had three sacks and two other tackles for loss ... Another top moment was when the team beat rival Grandview, 28-23 ... Junior season he had four tackles, one of which was a sack ... The team averaged 328.3 yds per game on offense, 172.4 rushing and 155.9 passing, scoring 39 touchdowns ... Also participated in track & field at Cherokee Trail, competing in the shot put and earning all-state and all-conference honors multiple times.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado but is interested in Business or Psychology ... An honor roll student as a junior and senior in high school ... Won a mathematics award his junior year of high school.

PERSONAL—He was born July 15, 2003 in Warner Robins, Ga. ... Parents are Damien and Tiffany Maddox ... Has one brother, Drayden ... Enjoys hiking and working out in his spare time ... Interested include all kind of sports and the human mind.



ZION MAGALEI, OLB

6-2, 220, Fr.-2, 1L

Chandler, Ariz.
(Chandler)



AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Dressed for five games on the season and played in one, against Washington, on both defense and special teams.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star recruit by the recruiting services ... 247Sports ranks him as the No. 19 player in Arizona and No. 83 outside linebacker nationally ... The 247 Composite lists him as the No. 20 player from Arizona, the No. 97 outside linebacker nationally and nationally ranked ... ESPN ranks him as the No. 21 player in the state and No. 139 outside linebacker in his class ... He played two seasons of varsity at Chandler for coach Rick Garreston and did not lose a game, helping the team to a 23-0 record and winning back-to-back Open Division Arizona State Championships ... His senior season Chandler was 10-0 and beat Hamilton in a thrilling state championship game ... He was named first-team all-region with 22 tackles, including 15 solo, two tackles for loss and a sack ... He added 10 quarterback hurries and two fumble recoveries ... His junior season, Chandler went 13-0 and he was named first-team all-region and second-team all-state as a defensive end ... He had 49 tackles, 14 solo with 12.5 sacks, three quarterback hurries and four pass break-ups at the line of scrimmage ... His top game as a senior came in a 35-34 win over Liberty to advance to the state championship game when he had seven tackles and three quarterback hurries ... His top games as a junior came in the state playoffs his junior season, wins over Hamilton (42-38), Salpointe (24-16) and Saguaro (42-35), when he totaled 17 tackles, including seven for a loss including 3.5 sacks.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado ... He took one AP and one honors class in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born on Sept. 8, 2003 in Riverside, Calif. ... His parents are Gabriel and Lina Magalei ... He has two siblings, Nehemiah and Seioriana ... After his playing career, he wants to be a chef and own his own restaurant ... In his free time, he likes to sleep and study ... He has volunteered at Feed My Starving Children.



CHANCE MAIN, DE

6-4, 250, Gr., TR

Cherryvale, Kan.
(Cherryvale/Independence
CC/Incarnate Word)



AT COLORADO—A graduate transfer from Incarnate Word by way of Independence CC, Main enrolled at Colorado in January 2022 and has two seasons of eligibility remaining.

AT INCARNATE WORD (2019-20)—Played two seasons at Incarnate Word, the 2019 season and then an abbreviated 2020 season in the Spring of 2021, and did not play the 2021 season due to injury ... He played 15 games with 10 starts in those two seasons ... In the abbreviated 2020 season, he was named third-team All-Southland Conference and appeared in five games and had 22 tackles and led the team with four sacks and 4½ tackles or loss ... In 2019 he played in 10 games with five starts and had 28 tackles and a team-high 11½ tackles for loss including 2½ sacks ... Also had five pass breakups and one quarterback hurry ... had 3½ tackles for loss in two games, against Lamar and SFA.

AT INDEPENDENCE CC (2017-18)—Played one season at Independence CC, appearing in seven games with 10 tackles and 1½ sacks ... Best game was against Highland CC when he had six tackles and a sack for a loss of 12 yards ... Appeared on the Netflix series Last Chance U.

HIGH SCHOOL—Played two seasons of varsity at Cherryvale High School ... Played tight end and along the defensive line ... Senior season he had 17 catches for 378 yards and eight touchdowns on offense, and 51 tackles, five for a loss with three sacks, two forced fumbles and one fumble recovery in nine games played ... Also participated in wrestling, basketball and track & field at Cherryvale

ACADEMICS—He is enrolled in Organizational Leadership classes in graduate school at Colorado ... Earned his bachelor's of arts degree in Criminal Justice from Incarnate Word.

PERSONAL— He was born Jan. 16, 1999 in Wichita, Kan. ... Parents are Drew and Tiffany Main ... Has one sibling, Katelynn ... Enjoys fishing, boating, hunting, and camping in his spare time ... Appeared in the Netflix series Last Chance U while at Independent CC.



TYAS MARTIN, DL

6-4, 340, Fr.-2, 1L

Helena, Ark.
(Jacksonville)



AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Dressed for 10 of 12 games and played in one game, Minnesota.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star recruit by the recruiting services ... Rivals lists him as the No. 2 player out of Arkansas and No. 27 defensive tackle nationally ... The 247Composite lists him as the No. 4 player in Arkansas, No. 42 defensive tackle nationally and No. 693 player in the nation ... ESPN

lists him as the No. 7 player from Arkansas and No. 54 defensive tackle in the nation ... 247Sports has him as the No. 12 player from Arkansas and No. 69 defensive tackle nationally ... He played three seasons at Jacksonville for coach Maurice Moody ... He sat out the 2020 season due to injury ... His junior season in 2019, he was an all-conference player and had 70 tackles, including 15 for a loss with six sacks, and two forced fumbles ... He was also an all-conference player his sophomore season playing on both the offensive and defensive lines.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado ... He was an Honor Roll student in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born Nov. 19, 2002 in Helena, Ark. ... His parents are Tammy Knowlton and Jerry Martin ... He has three siblings, Mac Chanay, Davin Martin, and Cam Sharpe ... His mom played college volleyball ... He has an uncle that played college baseball ... Another uncle, George Stewart, is a Senior Analyst for the Los Angeles Chargers ... He enjoys hanging out with his family, playing video games, and working out ... His personal trainer is cousin's with CU defensive line coach, Chris Wilson.



OWEN MCCOWN, QB

6-2, 175, Fr., HS

Rusk, Texas
(Rusk)



HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... The 247 Composite listed him as the No. 48 quarterback, No. 106 player from Texas and No. 775 player nationally ... Rivals had him with a 5.7 rating, the No. 26 quarterback in the class and No. 67 player from Texas ... ESPN listed him as the No. 47 quarterback, No. 159 player from Texas and No. 214 player from the region ... On3 Sports listed him as the No. 60 quarterback in the class and No. 150 player from Texas ... 247 Sports listed him as the No. 72 quarterback and No. 174 player from Texas ... Played four years of high school football, the first two in Charlotte, N.C., at Myers Park for coach Scott Chadwick, playing varsity his sophomore season, before moving to Texas to play at Rusk for coach Thomas Sitton ... In his career, his teams were 39-12 and he completed 363-of-588 passes for 4,576 yards with 45 touchdowns and 10 interceptions for a quarterback rating of 104.4 ... Also rushed 176 times for 678 yards and 20 scores and caught three passes for 40 yards in his career ... Had a breakout senior season at Rusk, helping the team improve from 5-6 his junior season to 9-3 as a senior while being named the Texas District 10-4A-II Offensive MVP and a first-team selection ... Completed 262-of-388 passes for 3,362 yards with 36 touchdowns to just four interceptions, and ran the ball 88 times for 371 yards and 11 scores while also catching three passes for 40 yards ... As a junior, he completed 91-of-178 passes for 1,080 yards with nine touchdowns and four interceptions and ran the ball nine times for 37 yards and a touchdowns ... Freshman and sophomore seasons at Myers Park, he completed 10-of-22 passes for 134 yards and two interceptions ... Top games include three 400-yard games as a senior, throwing for 467 yards in a 58-22 win over Bullard, and then a span of three games near the end of the season where he three for 1,110 yards and 15 touchdowns in consecutive wins over Shepherd, Center and Salado ... Had a career best six touchdown passes in a 55-41 win over Brownsboro when he threw for 279 yards and also had 13 rushes for 80 yards and a touchdown ... Junior season, his top games included passing for 234 yards and two touchdowns and rushing for 104 yards and a score against Fairfield in the season opener and having another similar game with 103 passing yards with a touchdown and 115 rushing yards with two touchdowns against Madisonville late in the season ... Also played basketball and participated in track & field in high school ... An accomplished basketball player, he averaged 19.6 points and 5.3 assists per game his junior season and in track ran the 400-meter in a time of 52 seconds.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Kinesiology at Colorado.



PERSONAL—He was born February 13, 2003 in Dallas, Texas ... Parents are Josh and Natalie McCown ... Has three siblings, Bridget, Aiden, and Aubrey ... Dad Josh was a third-round draft pick and had an 18-year NFL career with nine teams and passed for 17,731 yards and 98 touchdowns from 2002-19 after a collegiate career at SMU and Sam Houston State ... An uncle, Luke McCown, played collegiately at Louisiana Tech, was drafted in the fourth round of the NFL Draft and had a 12-year career with five different teams ... Another uncle Randy McCown played quarterback at Texas A&M from 1996-99, and played at Folsom Field for the Aggies in 1997 against Colorado (A&M won 16-10) ... Would like to become a high school football coach after his playing days are over ... Enjoys trail riding, playing video games and hanging out with family and friends.



KEYSHON MILLS, CB

6-1, 190, Fr., HS

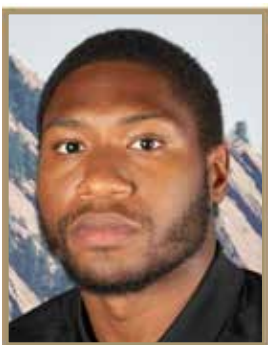
Little Elm, Texas
(Little Elm)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Composite listed him as the No. 101 cornerback in the class, the No. 163 player from Texas and No. 1,138 player nationally ... 247 Sports listed him as the No. 86 player in the class and No. 134 player from Texas ... On3 Sports ranked him the No. 78 cornerback in the class and No. 123 player from Texas ... ESPN ranked him the No. 190 player from Texas, the No. 78 safety in the class and No. 259 player from the region ... Played three years of varsity at Little Elm for coach Kendall Brown ... As a senior, Little Elm won more games than his sophomore and junior years combined and he had four interceptions, eight pass breakups, three tackles for loss, a forced fumble and four touchdown saving tackles ... Junior season he was named second-team All-District in 6A-Region 1 when he had 10 pass breakups, an interception, five tackles for loss, a quarterback hurry and touchdown saving tackle ... As a sophomore, he was named second-team all-District when he had 33 tackles, five pass breakups and one tackle for loss.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Kinesiology at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born Nov. 11, 2003 in Little Elm, Texas ... Parents are Tamekia Austin and Marcus Harris ... He has three brothers, Marcus, Wade and Marquis ... Enjoys going outside and exploring, working out and playing football ... Would like to get into coaching or be an entrepreneur after his playing days are over.



JAMAR MONTGOMERY, OLB

6-2, 250, Sr., 3L

Birmingham, Ala.
(Parker/
Independence CC)

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AT COLORADO: He has played in 19 career games with one start ... He has 14 total tackles, three third down stops, and six quarterback pressures, along with a forced fumble and a fumble recovery.

2021 (Jr.-3)—Played in nine games and was injured for the final two ... Registered seven total tackles and five solo to go with three third down stops and five quarterback pressures ... His most productive game came against UCLA where in 33 snaps he had three total tackles including two solo stops.

2020 (Jr.-2)—Played in all six games including the Alamo Bowl with one start against Utah ... In the regular season, he had 101 defensive snaps with four tackles, one tackle for loss, one quarterback hurry, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery ... Had his forced and recovered fumble in the season opener against UCLA ... Credited with a quarterback hurry against San Diego State and two tackles against Utah ... In the Alamo Bowl, had four tackles and one tackle for loss against Texas ... Given CU's Most Improved Student-Athlete Award for his hard work in the classroom.

2019 (Jr.)—He dressed for 11 of 12 games and played in four, earning a redshirt season under the new rules ... He was named the Defensive Scout of the Game four times for the weeks leading up to the Air Force, Oregon, Washington State and Washington games, and was the special teams Player of the Week for the Washington State game ... In the four games, he played both defense and special teams ... On defense, he made the most of his 25 snaps with three tackles, including one sack for a loss of 10 yards, one quarterback pressure, one forced fumble and one pass breakup ... On special teams, he played on both the kick return and kick coverage units, seeing action for 28 plays ... He had four special teams points, two tackles, including one inside the 20 and one knockdown or springing block on kick return.

JUNIOR COLLEGE—Rated as a 3-star recruit by the major recruiting services ... tabbed as the No. 7 inside linebacker out of junior college by ESPN and the No. 8 junior college inside linebacker in America by 247Sports ... Played at Independence CC under coach Jason Brown and saw action in 18 games, posting 34 tackles (19 solo), with 10.5 tackles for losses including seven sacks, a forced fumble and a fumble recovery ... As a sophomore, he had 24 tackles, eight for losses and led Independence with six sacks ... As a freshman, he posted 10 tackles, including a sack and another 1.5 tackles for losses when Independence recorded a 9-2 record and Jayhawk Conference Championship with a 6-1 record in league play ... Top games includes a five tackle, one for a loss, with a forced fumble and fumble recovery in a 17-14 loss to Butler ... He had all six of his sacks his senior season against Garden City CC in a 28-21 loss.

HIGH SCHOOL—He earned All-State honors as a senior at Parker High School under coach Andre Robinson ... He was his team's MVP on defense ... Under coach Andre Robinson, Parker went 5-4 his senior year; 7-5 his junior year, losing to Russellville in the Alabama Class 5A playoff second round ... As a senior, he posted 48 tackles and two sacks ... As a junior, he had 55 tackles with 12 tackles for a loss including seven sacks ... Also competed in track and field, specializing in throwing events.

ACADEMICS—He graduated with a degree in Ethnic Studies in December 2021 ... Given CU's Most Improved Student-Athlete Award across all sports for his hard work in the classroom.

PERSONAL—He was born January 2, 1999 in Birmingham, Ala. ... Hobbies include reading novels and working out.

Season	G	Plays	TACKLES		TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
			UT	AT—TOT									
2019	4	25	2	0—2	1-10	1-10	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
2020	5	66	4	0—4	1-1	0-0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
2021	9	138	5	2—7	0-0	0-0	0	3	5	0	0	0	0
Totals	9	91	6	0—6	2-11	1-10	0	0	1	1	2	1	0



KAYLIN MOORE, CB

5-10, 180, Soph., 1L

Westlake Village, Calif.
(Oaks Christian)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Played in eight games with two starts, which came in near the end of the season before he missed the final two games of the season due to injury ... Finished with seven tackles, five solo, with one third down stop and a pass breakup.



HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star recruit by the recruiting services ... 247Sports ranked him as the No. 120 player in California and No. 113 athlete nationally while the 247 Composite has him as the No. 112 player in California, No. 98 athlete nationally and nationally ranked ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 101 player both in California and athlete nationally ... He played both ways on varsity football at Oaks Christian for head coach Charlie Collins ... His team did not play his senior season due to COVID-19 ... His sophomore and junior seasons, he led Oaks Christian to a 16-7 record and had 40 catches for 464 yards and two touchdowns on offense ... On special teams, he had three kick returns for 49 yards and one punt return for two yards on special teams ... Defensively, he had 76 total tackles, 24 pass break-ups and four interceptions ... As a junior when he was named first-team all-league and all-county while being named the team's defensive player of the year, he had 50 tackles, two interceptions and 16 pass break-ups ... Offensively, he had 35 catches for 408 yards and two touchdowns ... Oaks Christian was 12-1 his sophomore season when he was named the team's most outstanding sophomore, catching five passes for 56 yards and a touchdown on offense ... Defensively, he had 26 tackles, eight pass break-ups and two interceptions, one of which he returned for a touchdown ... His top games include against Grace Brethren when he caught six passes for 94 yards on offense and had six tackles and two pass break-ups on defense ... Against Calabasas, he scored a touchdown on offense and had five tackles and four pass break-ups on defense ... He also played soccer at Oaks Christian.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado ... Named to the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter Academic All-Colorado team in 2021.

PERSONAL—He was born on Nov. 27, 2002 in Los Angeles, Calif. ... His parents are Miya Polk and Kelvin Moore... His dad played football at Iowa State, where he played against the Buffs in 1995, and in the NFL for the Cincinnati Bengals ... An uncle, Travis Moore, played in the NFL and CFL, where he was a three-time All-Star for Calgary, winning two Grey Cups, and is currently a receivers coach for the Saskatchewan Roughriders ... When his playing career is over, he is interested in sports marketing... He can play the drums and in his free time, he likes to workout, listen to music, and write music... He completes 10 hours of community service every year.

TACKLES													
Season	G	Plays	UT	AT—TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2021	6	134	5	2—7	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0



JAMES MOTT III, QB

6-0, 200, Fr.-3, TR

Laguna Beach, Calif.
(St. Margaret's Episcopal/
Chicago/Florida Atlantic)

AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Did not see game action ... Dressed for two games ... Named the team's Offensive Scout Player of the Year ... Named the offensive scout team Player of the Week twice for the Northern Colorado and Arizona game weeks.

AT CHICAGO (2019-20)—He attended the University of Chicago for two seasons, but UC didn't play football during the 2020 season due to the COVID-19 pandemic ... As a true freshman in 2019, he appeared in two games, completing is only pass attempt for five yards against Cornell ... Transferred to Florida Atlantic in the spring of 2021 before transferring to Colorado.

HIGH SCHOOL—He played varsity football for St. Margaret's Episcopal four season in high school and served as the starting quarterback his junior and senior seasons ... In 28 career games he had a record of 24-4 while completing 335-of-562 passes for 4,923 yards and 61 touchdowns against 21 interceptions ... Also ran the ball 99 times for 140 yards and 10 touchdowns ... St. Margaret's Episcopal was 38-11 in his four years there

and 20-5 his final two seasons as starting quarterback, including a perfect 6-0 record in league play ... As a senior, he was first-team All-CIF, first-team San Joaquin League and the San Joaquin League Offensive Player of the Year, an Orange County All-Star and earned a National Football Foundation Scholarship ... St. Margaret's Episcopal was 10-2 that season and he completed 139-of-246 passes for 1,923 yards and 25 touchdowns while rushing 40 times for 126 yard and three scores ... He completed 19-of-26 passes (.731) for 257 yards and three touchdowns in a 30-14 win over Santa Fe Christian ... Junior season he was first-team all-league helping the team to a 10-3 record and 3-0 mark in league play ... Completed 184-of-300 passes for 2,800 yards with 33 touchdowns and 12 interceptions and added four rushing touchdowns ... Had two 300-yard games, including one where he completed 9-of-12 passes for 303 yards and four touchdowns in a 50-6 win over Orange Vista ... Also completed 15-of-22 passes for 305 yards and four touchdowns the previous game in a 54-2 win over Crean Lutheran ... Threw five touchdowns twice as a junior ... In limited action as an underclassman, he completed 12-of-16 passes for 205 yards and three touchdowns in his first two seasons ... Also played baseball and lacrosse at St. Margaret's Episcopal, earning all-league honors twice in baseball.

ACADEMICS—He intends to major in Business Finance at Colorado and is also interested in Economics ... He four-time earned Head of School and honor roll honors in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born Dec. 20, 2000 in San Francisco, Calif. ... Has one younger Brother, Charlie ... Spent time volunteering with the Laguna Beach Homeless Shelter while in high school ... Held a summer job as a Research Analyst for WCM Investment Management.



THOMAS NOTARIANNI, ILB

6-3, 220, Fr., RS

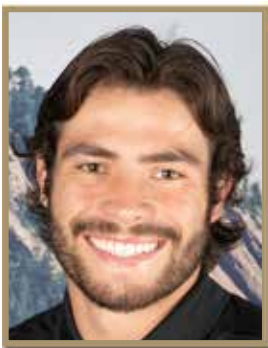
San Diego, Calif.
(Cathedral Catholic)

AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action.

HIGH SCHOOL—One of the best basketball players in the state of California, he decided to play football his senior season and helped Cathedral Catholic to a perfect 5-0 record, starting all five games while moving to inside linebacker because of injuries after starting the season as a tight end and strong safety ... On the basketball court, he was a freshman all-state player and helped Cathedral Catholic to multiple league and district championships ... The core of his basketball team included Obinna Anyanwu, who signed with Cal, Dillon Wilhite, who is walking on at Kansas, and Alex Wade, who is walking on at Notre Dame ... He had a scholarship offer to play basketball at Rutgers and received interest from Colorado State, Rice, West Virginia and Michigan State.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born on September 12, 2001 in Orange County, Calif. ... Parents are Mark and Romina Notarainni ... His dad played club volleyball at Michigan State ... Has two siblings, Marco, who plays football at Boise State, and Bianca, who plays basketball at NYU ... His first varsity football game came his senior season against Torrey Pines and his brother Marco, and the two nearly had a collision as Marco was targeted for a screen pass and Thomas was defending ... Thomas successfully broke up the play and helped Cathedral to a win over Marco and Torrey Pines ... Mom Romina is of Argentinian descent and he tried out for the Argentina U19 National Basketball Team while in high school and working out with the National Team ahead of the 2020 Olympic Games.



CHARLIE OFFERDAHL, TB

5-11, 185, Fr., RS

Littleton, Colo.
(Dakota Ridge)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... He dressed for 11 games ... Named the team's Special Teams Scout Player of the Year.

HIGH SCHOOL—He played varsity football for Dakota Ridge for three seasons and helped the team to a 23-8 record in his career there, including a 17-4 record his junior and senior seasons ... Dakota Ridge won the JEFFCO league championship his sophomore and senior seasons and made it to the state semifinals his junior and senior seasons ... Playing defensive back and tailback, he finished his career with 208 carries for 1,462 yards and 27 touchdowns while catching 16 passes for 122 yards and another score and completing his only pass attempt for 14 yards on offense ... He also returned 30 kickoffs for 978 yards and a touchdown, two punt returns for 49 yards, and 10 interception returns for 148 yards giving him 2,740 all-purpose yards and 1,584 yards from scrimmage in his career ... He scored 29 total touchdowns and two two-point conversions for 178 total points ... Also the team's punter, he had 51 punts for 1,908 yards, an average of 37.4 with a long of 71 while pinning 18 inside the 20 ... Defensively, he had 205 total tackles, including seven for a loss, adding 10 interceptions 30 pass breakups, one forced fumble and one fumble return ... As a senior, Dakota Ridge was 7-1, having an undefeated season until the state semifinals in the COVID-19 shortened season ... He was named first-team all-state as a running back and defensive back, was the JEFFCO League MVP, first-team All-JEFFCO on offense and defense and a team captain ... He had 54 rushes for 523 yards, averaging 9.7 per rush, with 12 touchdowns, and he caught another seven balls for 47 yards and a score ... He added four kick returns for 202 yards with one touchdown, two punt returns for 49 yards and had five interceptions for 81 yards for 902 all-purpose yards ... Defensively, he had 41 tackles, five interceptions, four pass breakups and one fumble recovery ... He also punted eight times with an average of 39.9 yards, a long of 47 yards and two inside the 20 ... On top of his 14 touchdowns (12 rushing, one receiving and one kick return), he had two two-point conversions for 88 total points ... As a junior, he rushed 144 times for 869 yards and 15 touchdowns and was at his best in the playoffs, rushing 40 times for 300 yards and six touchdowns in the first two playoff games ... He was named the JEFFCO League MVP was first-team all-state on defense and all-conference on offense and defense while being a team captain ... He also caught nine passes for 75 yards and completed his only pass attempt for 14 yards ... He added 15 kickoff returns for 477 yards and had four interceptions for 67 yards for 1,469 all-purpose yards ... Defensively he added 91 tackles, including two for a loss, and 13 pass breakups to go with this four interceptions ... He also punted 42 times for an average of 37.0 per punt with 16 inside the 20 and a long of 71 yards ... Lists the biggest moment of his prep career in the quarterfinal game against Heritage, when he had 26 rushes for 190 yards and three touchdowns on offense, one interception on defense and a 47-yard kickoff return on special teams while Dakota Ridge scored with 20 seconds left in the game to win 38-34 ... Playing primarily on defense as a sophomore, he did have 10 rushes for 70 yards and 11 kickoff returns for 299 yards, giving him 369 all-purpose yards ... He punted once for 35 yards ... Defensively, he was named second-team all-conference with 73 tackles, including five for a loss, with one interception, one forced fumble and 13 pass breakups ... Also played lacrosse and track & field at Dakota Ridge ... Earned all-conference honors in lacrosse ... Participated in the 60-meter dash in track & field.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology (MCDB) at Colorado ... Named to the Pac-12 Academic Honor Role in 2021 ... He was named to the Colorado Chapter of the National Football Foundation All-Academic team in high school ... He maintained a 4.05 grade point average, was on the honor roll every season and named Academic All-State multiple times.

PERSONAL—He was born on June 8, 2002 in Littleton, Colo. ... Parents are John and Cristee Offerdahl ... Has two siblings, and older sister Jordan and younger brother Jack ... Dad played defensive back at the University of Washington and had training camp stints with the Seahawks, Cowboys and Raiders ... Hobbies include hanging out with friends, playing other sports, particularly on the water, and lifting weights ... He was a member of the MOD Squad, leadership council and was a tutor for elementary school students and also served as a Down Syndrome Walk Leader.



JASON OLIVER, CB

6-0, 170, Fr., HS

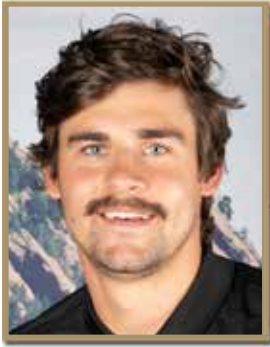
Bakersfield, Calif.
(Liberty)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... The 247 Composite ranked him as the No. 85 cornerback in the nation, No. 70 player from California, and No. 932 player nationally ... 247 Sports ranked him as the No. 103 cornerback in the class and No. 100 player from California ... Rivals listed him as the No. 67 player in California ... ESPN ranked him the No. 81 athlete in the class, No. 56 player from California and No. 115 player in the west ... On3 sports ranked him as the No. 121 cornerback in the class and No. 81 player from California ... Played three years of varsity at Liberty for coach Bryan Nixon ... Overall Record ... Team Accomplishments ... Career Stats ... Playing receiver and in the defensive backfield, hew was named all-league, the Area Player of the Year and was named a hometown all-star ... He caught 40 catches for 927 yards and 10 touchdowns offensively and had 40 tackles on defense with a sack, 10 pass breakups, two forced fumbles and a fumble recovery while returning seven kicks for 141 yards and 18 punts for 283 yards and a touchdown on special teams ... Top games including scoring three touchdowns in a 35-7 win over Pittsburgh, a 42-14 win over Central when he was voted Player of the Game and a 28-21 win over Buchanan when he had a punt return for a touchdown and three pass breakups ... In a COVID-shortened junior season, Liberty was 5-0 and he played in two games, catching six passes for 125 yards and a touchdown and added three tackles on defense and had one kick return for 18 yards on special team ... Sophomore season Liberty was 10-2 and he played receiver and cornerback ... He caught 16 passes for 336 yards and two touchdowns and added 25 tackles, 13 pass breakups and three interceptions on defense and returned six kicks for 144 yards on special teams ... Also played baseball and track & field at Liberty, posting personal bests of 15.32 in the 100-meter high hurdles and 39.92 in the 300 hurdles.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado ... A part of the California Scholarship Federation Honor Roll in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born June 5, 2004 in Bakersfield, Calif. ... Parents are Jason and Nicole Oliver ... Has one sister, Kiara ... Dad Jason played football at USC ... A cousin Justin Cheadle was an All-Pac-12 offensive lineman at Cal spent time on the practice squads with the Pittsburgh Steelers and Green Bay Packers ... An uncle, John Tarver, played football at Colorado from 1968-71 and was drafted in the 1972 NFL Draft and played for five seasons with the New England Patriots and Philadelphia Eagles ... Enjoys working out and snowboarding ... Would like to be a business owner after his playing days are done.



ERIK OLSEN, TE

6-5, 245, Fr., RS

Littleton, Colo.
(Heritage)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for three games ... Named the Special Teams Scout Player of the Week for the week learning up to the Oregon State game.

HIGH SCHOOL—A four-star recruit by Rivals, which ranks him as the No. 5 player from Colorado and No. 16 tight end nationally ... ESPN ranks him as the No. 5 player from Colorado, No. 16 tight end and No. 124 player regionally ... 247Sports ranks him as the No. 4 player from Colorado and No. 23 tight end nationally while the 247 Composite lists him as the No. 4 player in Colorado and No. 16 tight end and No. 419 player nationally ... He played three years of varsity football for Heritage and coach Tyler Knoblock ... In his career, he caught 67 passes for 972 yards and 12 touchdowns and had 21 games with multiple catches ... He also had 21 rushes for 103 yards and two touchdowns in his career ... As a senior, he caught 14 passes for 136 yards and a touchdown, while rushing eight times for 30 yards in a COVID-shortened season ... He also made appearances on defense as a senior, coming up with five tackles including one sack, and added one forced fumble ... His junior season, he caught 28 passes for 533 yards and eight touchdowns, while also rushing nine times for 38 yards and a touchdown while being named first-team all-league ... His sophomore season, he caught 25 passes for 303 yards and three touchdowns and ran four times for 35 yards and another touchdown, earning second-team all-state honors ... His best game came as a junior in a 49-0 win over Thornton when he had five catches for 102 yards and two touchdowns ... He added five catches for 96 yards against Ponderosa ... He also played basketball at Heritage, averaging 10.0 points and 7.0 rebounds his junior season.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in majoring in Mechanical Engineering at Colorado ... Named to the Pac-12 Academic Honor Roll in 2021 ... He was an Honor roll student in high school and carried a 3.8 grade point average.

PERSONAL—He was born on August 11, 2002 in Littleton, Colo. ... His parents are Marti and Ed ... He has one older sibling, Taylor ... His hobbies include playing video games, hanging out with friends, camping, and fishing ... He can dunk a basketball ... He volunteers annually at his church around Christmas ... His favorite athlete is Kansas City Chiefs' tight end Travis Kelce.



TREY ORTEGA III, S

6-0, 190, Soph., VR

Broomfield, Colo.
(Broomfield)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-2)—Did not see game action ... Dressed for one game against Oregon State ... Named the Defensive Scout Team Player of the Week for the week leading up to the Arizona game.

2020 (Fr.)—Did not see game action ... Dressed for the Alamo Bowl against Texas ... Named Special Teams Scout of the Game for the Arizona week.

HIGH SCHOOL—Played football for three seasons on varsity at Broomfield High School ... Broomfield compiled a 30-8 record in his four seasons ... In his career, he rushed 63 times for 435 yards and six touchdowns while catching 19 passes for 223 yards and two scores and also hit on his only pass attempt for 41 yards on offense ... Defensively, he had 50 tackles including one for a loss and four interceptions ... On special teams, he had two punt returns for 25 yards and one kickoff return for zero yards ... He totaled 658 yards from scrimmage and 683 all-purpose yards in his career ... As a senior Broomfield was 13-1 and advanced to the state championship game when he was named all-state, all-region and all-conference, rushing 46 times for 257 yards and four touchdowns while also catching 13 receptions for 127 yards and another score ... Defensively, he had 17 tackles and one interception ... An all-conference selection as a junior when Broomfield was 8-3, he had seven rushes for 96 yards and a touchdown, 2 receptions for 35 yards and another touchdown and completed his only pass attempt for 41 yards on offense ... Defensively that season, he had 33 tackles, including one for a loss, and three interceptions ... As a sophomore Broomfield was 8-5 and he had 10 rushes for 82 yards and a touchdown, four receptions for 61 yards and one punt return for 25 yards ... Also participated in golf, track & field and soccer at Broomfield ... Earned all-state and all-conference honors in track in 2018.

ACADEMICS—He is pursuing a double major in History and English at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born June 7, 2001 in Brighton, Colo. ... Full name is Robert Lee Ortega III ... Parents are Bobby and Colleen Ortega ... Has one younger brother ... Interested in becoming a teacher and high school coach someday.



GRANT PAGE, WR

6-3, 190, Fr., HS

Boulder, Colo.
(Fairview)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Composite listed him as the No. 63 athlete in the class, the No. 3 player from Colorado and No. 863 player in the nation ... Rivals listed him as the No. 4 player from Colorado ... 247 Sports ranked him the No. 64 athlete in the class and No. 3 player in Colorado ... ESPN listed him as the No. 88 athlete in the nation, the No. 6 player from Colorado and No. 191 player in the region ... Played on varsity four years at Fairview under coach Tom McCartney ... In his career, he had 173 catches for 2,538 yards and 26 touchdowns, averaging over 100 yards per game in his 24 game career, and added five rushes for 17 yards and touchdown offensively ... Defensively, he had 88 tackles, 62 solo, six interceptions, 13 pass breakups, three fumble recoveries and one forced fumble ... On special teams, he had eight kickoff returns for 167 yards and five punt returns for 42 yards ... Senior season he played in five games prior to an injury and had 39 receptions for 473 yards and two touchdowns and had four rushes for seven yards and another score ... Defensively he had 29 tackles, 20 solo, with one interception and two pass breakups ... He added six kick returns for 128 yards and two punt returns for 10 yards ... He had one 10 catch game and three 100-yard receiving games ... Had seven receptions for 117 yards and a touchdown against Boulder in a 42-21 win ... Had nine catches for 105 yards and a touchdown against Castle View ... Had 12 receptions for 143 yards against Grand Junction Central in a 17-0 win ... In seven games in his COVID-19-shortened junior season, Fairview was 6-1 and he had 58 receptions for 815 yards and nine touchdowns receiving on offense and defensively, he had 36 tackles, three interceptions, five pass breakups and one fumble recovery ... He had 13 receptions for 224 yards



and four touchdowns against Castle View in a 49-36 win ... Had 14 receptions for 181 yards and a touchdown against Legend ... Had 27 receptions for 405 yards and five touchdowns in the final two games of the season ... Sophomore season Fairview was 10-2 overall and 6-0 in league play and he had 76 receptions for 1,250 yards and 15 touchdowns and added one rush for 10 yards ... Defensively he had 23 tackles, two interceptions, six pass breakups, two fumble recoveries and a forced fumble ... He had six 100-yard receiving games, one 200-yard game and one game with 10-plus catches ... Has 10 catches for 212 yards and three touchdowns against Rock Canyon in a 28-19 win ... Had three touchdowns on just four receptions with 95 yards against Legacy ... Has five receptions for 167 yards and two touchdowns in a 56-28 win over Poudre ... Also played basketball at Fairview and averaged 9.3 points, 2.3 rebounds, 2.3 assists and 1.6 steals per game over his sophomore and junior seasons.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born March 26, 2004 in Denver ... Mother is Clancy Page (who works at CU in Housing and Dining) ... Has two siblings, Jalen and Kailey.



**LOUIS
PASSARELLO, TE**

6-5, 250, Fr.-3, VR

Palo Alto, Calif.
(Palo Alto)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-2)—Redshirted; did not see game action.

2020 (Fr.)—Did not see game action ... Dressed for the regular season finale against Utah and for the Alamo Bowl against Texas ... Named the Offensive Scout of the Game for the Arizona week.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect from 247Sports, ESPN and PrepStar ... ESPN named him the No. 57 tight end nationally and a top 200 player from California ... PrepStar named him to its All-West Region team ... 247Sports listed him as the No. 109 tight end nationally ... He played varsity football all four seasons, including the last two for coach Nelson Gifford when Palo Alto went 17-7, including a 10-2 record his junior season ... In his career, he caught 41 passes for 438 yards and six touchdowns on offense ... Also played defensive end and recorded 87 tackles, 41 solo, including 13.5 tackles for loss and four sacks and seven fumble recoveries ... He also serves as the punter on special teams ... As a senior, he was named All-De Anza when he had 20 receptions for 217 yards and three touchdowns on offense ... He also tallied 24 tackles, five tackles for loss and one fumble recovery on defense ... His junior season he was named All-De Anza for both offense and defense when he had 17 receptions for 195 yards and two touchdowns on offense and 29 tackles with three for a loss including one sack and four fumble recoveries ... As a sophomore, he was All-De Anza on defense when he caught four passes for 36 yards and one touchdown on offense and had 34 tackles with 5.5 for a loss including three sacks and two fumble recoveries ... He also served as the team's long snapper ... He had three receptions for 30 yards and a touchdown in a 34-24 win against Carlmont as a senior ... He recorded eight tackles (five solo) against Wilcox ... In a 42-0 win over Fremont he had five catches for 45 yards and a touchdown along with one tackle on defense ... As a junior against St. Ignatius, he recorded four receptions for 45 yards along with seven tackles (three solo), one tackle for loss, and a sack in a 21-14 win ... He had five tackles (three solo) and three and a half sacks against Saratoga as a sophomore ... He also played basketball and ran track & field at Palo Alto ... His personal best shot put is 44 feet and discus is 135 feet.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado ... Named to the Pac-12 Academic Honor Roll in 2021 ... He was given a chemistry award in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born on August 23, 2001 in Palo Alto, Calif. ... His parents are Joe and Rebecca Passarello ... His father played football at Saint Mary's and his mother rowed crew at Stanford ... He has an older sister and a twin brother (Joey) ... He enjoys hunting, fishing, kayaking, and doing anything related to the outdoors ... He loves to spend time with his family and watch football ... He likes to play the trumpet ... He can punt a football over 50 yards ... He is an Eagle Scout and has done volunteer work through his church.



**CHASE
PENRY, WR**

6-1, 190, Soph., 1L

Greenwood Village, Colo.
(Cherry Creek)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Played in 11 games and started three ... Finished the season with eight receptions for 86 yards and a touchdown ... Added two special teams points with two knockdown or springing blocks on kickoff returns ... Most productive game came against Oregon State in week nine where he had three receptions for 41 yards ... His touchdown came against Arizona State on his only reception of the game from seven yards out.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star recruit by the recruiting services ... Rivals lists him as the No. 7 player in Colorado and the No. 91 wide receiver in the class with a rating of 5.7 ... 247Sports ranks him as the No. 9 player out of Colorado and No. 163 receiver in the class, while the 247 Composite has him as the seventh-best player from Colorado and No. 121 receiver nationally ... ESPN has him as the No. 14 player in the state and No. 216 wide receiver ... He played four years of varsity football under former CU All-American Dave Logan at Cherry Creek where he won back-to-back Colorado State Championships as a junior and senior and were the state's runners-up as a sophomore ... Cherry Creek was 45-5 in his four seasons, including a combined 23-0 with undefeated seasons his junior and senior campaigns ... In his career, he hauled in 159 receptions for 2,081 yards and 26 touchdowns, his 159 receptions ranks 10th in Colorado high school history ... He had 31 career games with three or more receptions and four games with multiple touchdown receptions ... He also had one rush for six yards and was 7-of-17 passing for 59 yards ... He also had three kickoff returns for 28 yards and 11 punt returns for 105 yards, giving him 2,220 all-purpose yards in his career ... He was named a Sports Illustrated preseason All-American prior to his senior year when he had 45 catches for 648 yards and nine touchdowns as a team captain ... He earned first-team all-state and all-conference honors as a senior ... His junior year when he was second-team All-State, he caught 53 passes for 632 yards and nine touchdowns ... He also added one rush for six yards ... His sophomore season, he caught 56 passes for 704 yards and seven touchdowns ... That season he completed 7-of-17 passes for 59 yards, had one kickoff return for 22 yards and 11 punt returns for 105 yards ... As a freshman, he caught five passes for 97 yards and one touchdown and added one kickoff return for six yards ... Top games include three 100-yard games his senior season, catching seven passes for 128 yards and two touchdowns against Smoky Hill ... He was at his best in the state playoffs, catching seven passes for 116 yards against Regis and then eight catches for 107 yards and a touchdown in the semifinal against Pomona, while also catching a touchdown reception in the team's state championship win over Valor Christian ... His junior season, he had one 100-yard game, when he caught six passes for 112 yards against ThunderRidge, and caught two touchdowns twice, against both Mullen and Fairview ... In the State Championship, he had five receptions for 70 yards and a touchdown ... His first 100-yard game came his sophomore season against Castle View when he had eight receptions



for 131 yards and a touchdown ... He also played basketball at Cherry Creek and plans to play his senior season, as well ... As a freshman, he averaged 2.7 points, 2.3 rebounds and .7 steals per game.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado ... He was an Honor Roll student all-four years at Cherry Creek and named to the Academic All-State team twice ... Named to the National Football Foundation's Colorado Chapter Academic All-Colorado first team.

PERSONAL—Born on Jan. 31, 2002, in Alexandria, Va. ... His parents are Josh Penry and Jamie Pierce ... Both his parents played sports at Colorado Mesa in Grand Junction, his dad football and mom basketball ... His dad was a state senator and was the youngest member of the Colorado State Senate when elected in 2006 ... His signing gives the Buffs at least one signee in each of the last five recruiting classes from Cherry Creek, including Jonathan Van Diest (2017), Dimitri Straley (2018), Alec Pell (2019) and Carson Lee and Jayle Stacks (2020) ... He has three younger sisters ... He enjoys spending time with his family, meditating, and doing yoga ... He has hit a hole-in-one in golf ... He volunteered with his basketball team at a homeless shelter ... He worked for Epicurean Foods during the COVID-19 pandemic to provide food for needy families.

Season	RECEIVING			Avg.	TD	Long	High Games	
	G	Att	Yds				Rec	Yds
2021	11	8	86	10.8	1	21	3	41



QUINN PERRY, ILB

6-2, 245, Sr., 3L

Marina Del Ray, Calif.
(Palisades/El Camino)

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AT COLORADO: This Season (Sr.)—He has seen action in 19 career games with 11 starts ... He has 82 career tackles including six for no gain and three third down stops ... Named third-team Preseason All-Pac-12 by *Athlon* ... Named to the East-West Shrine Game 1,000 Watch List ... *Phil Steele's College Football* ranked him the No. 55 inside linebacker in the nation.

2021 (Jr.-3)—Played in all 12 games, with 11 starts ... Second on the team with 78 tackles, including four for a lost and six more for no gain ... Also added three third down stops and one quarterback pressure ... On special teams, he finished with six points including four tackles, which was second-most on the team ... Most productive game came against Oregon State when he had 11 tackles including one for a loss and three more for no gain.

2020 (Jr.-2)—Played in all six games including the Alamo Bowl, all six on special teams and in four on defense ... Finished the regular season playing 40 snaps on defense and coming up with four tackles ... One of the few players to see action on five special teams units, he was a regular on kick coverage and punt coverage while seeing some action on kick return while also being in on FG/PAT and punt return when the Buffs were in their base defense ... All of his tackles on defense came at Arizona, when he was also named the Special Teams Player of the Game ... Finished the season with three special teams points, one tackle, a knockdown or springing block on kick return and a caused penalty.

2019 (Jr.)—He dressed for 11 of 12 games and played in one game, at UCLA ... He earned a redshirt season under the new rules ... Against UCLA, he saw action on the kick return unit ... He was named the Special Teams Scout of the Week leading into the Washington State game.

JUNIOR COLLEGE—He is a 3-star prospect by ESPN and 247Sports ... Ranked as the No. 6 Inside linebacker out of junior college by ESPN and the No. 17 by 247Sports ... He earned second-team All-SCFA Central League honors after the Warriors won the league title with a 8-3 record under coach Gifford Lindheim ... El Camino earned its first trip to the CCCAA Playoffs since 2011 ... In his JUCO career he played in 22 games, posted 100 tackles (53 solo), had 11 tackles for losses, two forced fumbles, a fumble recovery and an interception ... Was named his team's MVP as a sophomore, when he had 67 tackles, 9.5 for losses, five sacks, two forced fumbles, a fumble recovery and an interception while also blocking four punts on special teams ... As a freshman, he posted 33 tackles, including 1.5 for a loss ... Top games at ECC include 11 tackles, with one for a loss, and intercepted a pass which he returned 36 yards for a touchdown in a 21-20 win over Cerritos.

HIGH SCHOOL—He earned first-team All-L.A. City Section honors as a senior ... Under coach Tim Hyde, Palisades went 9-3 his senior year, losing to San Pedro, 13-10, in the CIFLACS playoff second round ... As a senior, he posted 123 tackles, including 24.5 for loss and eight sacks, along with three forced fumbles, five fumble recoveries and an interception, which he returned for a touchdown ... On offense he caught 12 passes for 242 yards and three touchdowns ... As a junior, he had 55 tackles, seven for loss and two fumble recoveries ... He was the team's punter as a junior and senior, punting 57 times for 2,303 yards (40.4 average) over both seasons.

ACADEMICS—He graduated with a bachelor's degree in Psychology in May 2022 ... Named CU's Academic Student-Athlete-of-the-Month for July 2020.

PERSONAL—He was born May 29, 1999 in Los Angeles, Calif. ... Parents are Manny and Doris Perry ... Has one sister, Victoria Wilson Perry ... Played on the U16, U17, U18 and U20 USA National Rugby team ... Hobbies include playing video games, especially Madden, and relaxing.

Season	G	Plays	TACKLES				TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
			UT	AT	TOT										
2020	4	40	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2021	12	483	53	25	78	4-9	0-0	6	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	16	523	55	27	82	4-9	0-0	6	3	1	0	0	0	0	0



TOREEN PITTMAN, S

6-4, 185, Soph., 2L

Frisco, Texas
(Lone Star)

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AT COLORADO: He has played in 14 career games through two seasons at CU and is second among active players with 31 special teams points, including 11 times when he was the first one downfield on punt coverage and he's forced seven fair catches ... Moved to cornerback from safety prior to fall camp and also figures to be a key special teams performer again.

2021 (Fr.-2)—Played in nine games ... Second on the team in total special teams points with 21, leading the team by being the first downfield on punt coverage seven times and registering six tackles and four forced fair catches.

2020 (Fr.)—Played in five of six games on the season including the Alamo Bowl, missing the Arizona game due to injury ... An impact special teams player, he was one of just three players to see 10 or more snaps on four different special teams units, punt coverage, punt return, kickoff coverage and kickoff return ... Led the team with 10 special teams points, being the first downfield interrupting the play four times, forcing three fair catches on punt return while also having one tackle, one knockdown or springing block on kick return and one downed punt.



HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by 247Sports, Rivals, ESPN and PrepStar ... 247Sports rates him as the No. 42 outside linebacker nationally and No. 80 player from Texas in the class ... PrepStar named him to its All-Midlands Region team ... ESPN rates him as the No. 86 outside linebacker nationally ... He played for Lone Star High School and coach Jeff Rayburn for for years on varsity and helped the team to a 46-8 record, including a 14-1 mark as a senior, setting a school record for wins ... Combined in his junior and senior seasons, he had 193 tackles, 14 for a loss, 13 pass breakups and five interceptions ... He finished his senior season with 124 tackles (62 solo), 13 pass breakups, four interceptions, three tackles for loss, two blocked kicks and one forced fumble ... Lone Star defeated three-time defending state champion Highland Park 30-19 in the third game of the season, ending Highland's 33-game win streak ... They then knocked Highland out of the playoffs, 33-27 in overtime, before falling in the state semifinals to Denton Ryan ... His junior season, Lone Star was 10-3 and made it to the semifinals of the State Championships ... He totaled 69 tackles that season, including 10 for a loss with one interception, two forced fumbles and one fumble recovery ... Lone Star was 12-2 his sophomore season, making the quarterfinals of state, and 10-2 his freshman season as the Bi-District Champions ... He also ran track & field in high school and was a regional finalist in the long jump and triple jump.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in majoring in Business at Colorado.

PERSONAL—Born on Sept. 16, 2002 in Dallas, Texas ... His parents are Tori and David Darty and Kavika Pittman ... His dad Kavika played in the NFL for eight seasons as a defensive end for the Cowboys, Broncos, and Panthers ... His grandfather, Drew Pearson, was a three-time All-Pro receiver with the Dallas Cowboys ... He has four siblings ... He is interested in being a businessman after his playing days are over ... He enjoys playing video games, sleeping, and hanging out with friends.



**NIKKO
REED, CB**

5-10, 175, Soph., 1L

Oakland, Calif.
(Moreau Catholic)

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AT COLORADO: This Season (Soph.)—Named honorable mention Preseason All-Pac-12 by the league's media.

2021 (Fr.)—Played in all 12 games as a true freshman and had his first career start in the season finale against Utah ... Given the team's Lee Willard Awards as the most outstanding freshman ... Finished the season with eight tackles, five solo, with one for a loss, three third down stops, two pass breakups and an interception ... Had an electric 100-yard kickoff return against the Utes in the last game of the season, making him the Buffs nominee for Pac-12 Special Teams Player of the Week and the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter Player of the Week ... His interception came against Washington in the final home game of the season when he also added two tackles.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by 247Sports and ESPN... ESPN named him the No. 145 player in California and the No. 139 Athlete... The 247 Composite has him ranked as the No. 156 in the state and No. 146 athlete in the nation ... He played wide receiver and cornerback on varsity his sophomore and junior seasons for Moreau Catholic, who did not play in 2020 due to COVID-19 ... In his career, he tallied 2,199 all-purpose yards, rushing 43 times for 809 yards and 11 touchdowns, rushing once for a 26 yard touchdowns, picking up 606 yards on kickoff returns with six touchdowns, and 476 yards on punt returns with one touchdown, while picking up 282 yards on 13 career interceptions, on which three he returned for touchdowns ... As a junior he was named first-team all league at receiver, defensive back and special teams, he tallied 32 receptions for 661 yards and 10 touchdowns ... He totaled 17 touchdowns that season, adding a rushing touchdown, interception return for a touchdown, punt return touchdown and four touchdowns on kickoff returns ... He had one rush for his 26-yard touchdown, five interceptions totalling 122 yards in returns with one

touchdown, eight punt returns for 220 yards with a long of 65 yards and one touchdowns, and six kickoff returns for 299 yards with four touchdowns ... He totaled 1,328 all-purpose yards on 52 touches, picking up an average of 25.5 yards every time he had possession of the ball ... He also added 31 tackles on defense with one forced fumble and one fumble recovery ... As a sophomore when Moreau went 12-1 and made it to the North Coast Section Division IV title game, he was named first-team all league as a returner and defensive back, he had eight interceptions and 13 tackles on defense, caught 11 passes for 148 yards and a touchdown, and had nine kickoff returns for 307 yards with a long of 82 yards, and eight punt returns for 256 yards with a long of 76 yards ... He returned two interceptions for touchdowns and two kickoff returns for scores ... His junior season, he had three 100-yard receiving games including six catches for 175 yards and two touchdowns against Salesian College Prep ... He also had seven catches for 110 yards against Washington and six catches for 102 yards and two scores against San Marin ... Three of his four catches went for touchdowns against Del Norte his junior season ... He totaled over 250 all-purpose yards in three games ... He scored touchdowns via multiple methods in four games, including four total touchdowns against San Marin, returning a punt and kickoff for scores to go with his two receiving touchdowns ... He had a propensity for big plays, recording three receptions over 50 yards with a long of 69 yards, two 50-plus yard interception returns, three kickoff returns of 65-plus yard and two punts of 50-plus yards ... As a sophomore, he racked up 238 total yards against Irvington, including 52 receiving yards, 127 on kickoff returns and 59 on punt returns ... His sophomore season, he had a kickoff return of 82 yards, a punt return of 76 yards, an interception return of 70 yards and a long reception of 40 yards ... He also ran track and field at Moreau Catholic.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in Business and specifically Sports Management at Colorado ... He was an honor roll student in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born on March 3, 2003, in San Francisco, Calif. ... His Mom is Maria Napitan ... He has two brothers, LaDon and Khalil Hudson, who played football at Mid Nazarene University and Southern Oregon ... He enjoys hanging out at home and playing video games ... He can do 10 continuous backflips on a trampoline.

TACKLES

Season	G	Plays	UT	AT	TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2021	12	199	5	3	8	1-1	0-0	0	3	0	0	0	2	1



**BEN
REZNIK, OL**

6-6, 310, Fr., RS

Deerfield, Ill.
(Deerfield)

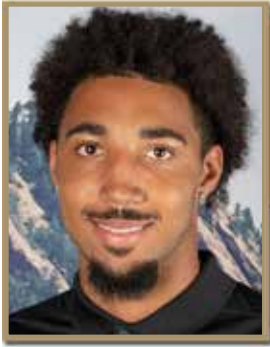
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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Joined the team as a walk-on for August camp.

HIGH SCHOOL—Played varsity football for three seasons at Deerfield on the offensive and defensive lines ... As a senior, Deerfield went 10-3 after a pair of 5-4 seasons to advance to the state semifinals for the first time in 20 years ... Also played baseball at Deerfield.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado and is interested in Business.

PERSONAL—He was born June 25, 2002 in Livingston, N.J. ... Parents are Gene and Catherine Reznik ... Has two younger brothers, Alex and Sam ... He would like to work in the NFL or as a sports agent after his football days are over ... Enjoys cooking, skiing and hanging out with friends ... Lists sports, music and cooking as interests ... Family has been coming to Colorado for ski vacations since he was three years old.



TY ROBINSON, WR

6-3, 195, Soph., 1L

Aurora, Colo.
(Eaglecrest)

80



CASEY RODDICK, OL

6-4, 305, Jr, 3L

Ventura, Calif.
(St. Bonaventure)

70

AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Played in all 12 games ... He had six receptions for 64 yards and a touchdown ... His most productive game came against Oregon when he had two receptions for 21 yards and his touchdown.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247Sports rates him as the No. 7 player in Colorado and No. 67 athlete nationally ... The 247Composite has him at No. 13 from Colorado and No. 87 athlete nationally and nationally ranked ... ESPN ranks him as the No. 17 player in the state and No. 122 athlete nationally ... He was on varsity for four years with three head coaches, most recently Shaun Marsh ... He caught 89 receptions for 1,692 yards and 19 touchdowns in his career, and was also 2-of-2 passing for 55 yards ... Defensively, he had 52 tackles, seven interceptions and 14 pass break-ups ... Eaglecrest was 4-2 in the COVID-19-shortened season his senior year ... Headed into the playoffs, he had 11 catches for 202 yards (18.4 per catch) and three touchdowns ... He also played free safety on defense ... His junior season, Eaglecrest was 9-4 and he earned all-league honors ... He caught 56 passes for 1,089 yards and 12 touchdowns ... On defense, he had 21 tackles and three interceptions playing both safety and cornerback ... His sophomore season, Eaglecrest was 10-2 and he caught 22 passes for 401 yards and four touchdowns ... That season he totaled 30 tackles on defense with four interceptions ... He also played varsity basketball from his freshman through junior seasons, averaging 13.3 points and 3.9 rebounds per game as a junior ... He picked up Division I offers to play basketball.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado ... He was an Honor Roll student in high school and carried a 3.6 grade point average ... Named to the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter Academic All-Colorado first team.

PERSONAL—He was born May 15, 2003 in Stillwater, Okla. ... His parents are Terrence Robinson and Christiana Fladen ... He has two siblings, Marsellus and Tristan ... His dad played linebacker at Oklahoma State and in the NFL for Atlanta Falcons, Seattle Seahawks and Pittsburgh Steelers ... His dad played against the Buffs twice, once in Stillwater and once in Folsom Field during the 2000 and '01 seasons ... He enjoys playing video games and watching Netflix ... He participated in a food drive with his 7-on-7 football team.

Season	RECEIVING			Avg.	TD	Long	High Games	
	G	Att	Yds				Rec	Yds
2021	12	6	64	10.7	1	26	1	26

AT COLORADO: This Season (Jr.)—Has played in 30 career games with 18 starts ... Named fourth-team Preseason All-Pac-12 by *Phil Steele's College Football* ... Represented CU at the Pac-12 Media Day in July.

2021 (Soph.-2)—Played in all 12 games on the offensive line for the Buffs, and started the final 10 games of the season ... Played a total of 565 snaps and graded out to 69.7 overall ... Best game grade was 76.1 against Oregon ... Named a captain against Arizona State ... Named the offensive player of the week against Oregon State ... Was named the No. 49 offensive guard in the nation in the preseason by *Phil Steele's College Football*.

2020 (Soph.)—He started all six games at offensive guard and played in every snap in five of the six games, missing 10 against Stanford ... Named honorable mention All-Pac-12 by the league's coaches ... Part of a line that was named a Midseason Unit of Interest for the Joe Moore Award, given to the nation's outstanding offensive line ... Played 365 snaps in all with 266 plus plays and led the Buffs with 10 touchdown blocks, nine knockdown blocks and also had five perfect plays on passing touchdowns, three cut blocks and gave up just one penalty ... Along with the rest of the starting offensive line, he was named the Offensive Player of the Game for the UCLA game when the Buffs had 525 yards of total offense, 264 rushing and 261 passing ... Named a captain for the game at Arizona ... CU's Pac-12 Offensive Lineman of the Week nominee for the Utah game.

2019 (Fr.-RS)—He played in all 12 games and started two, against Arizona and Oregon ... He played 10 games on offense, a total of 309 snaps, grading out to 77.0 percent with 29 knockdown blocks, six perfect plays on passing touchdowns and two touchdown blocks ... He was also on the field goal and PAT unit on special teams, playing a total of 54 snaps ... Earned his first start against Arizona and had six knock down blocks and two perfect plays on passing touchdowns ... Against Oregon in his other start, he had four knockdown blocks and one touchdown block.

2018 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed in seven games, all in the last eight games of the season ... Listed as injured for the first four games, recovering from a knee injury he suffered in spring football ... Joined the team as a grayshirt in January and was injured halfway through spring football.

HIGH SCHOOL—Scout.com rated him as the No. 3 offensive guard prospect in California, No. 4 in the West and 30th overall in the country ... Helped the Seraphs under coach Adam Guerra to a 6-5 record his senior season when his team rushed for 209.4 yards per game ... That year he was selected as the Marmonte League Offensive Lineman of the Year ... The Ventura County Coaches Association also named him as the county's offensive lineman of the year ... The Seraphs had a running back rush for over 100 yards in 10 of 11 games led by Chuck Wick, who with Roddick blocking for him, rushed for 1,680 yards and 16 touchdowns while going on to earn Marmonte League co-Offensive Back of the Year accolades ... His junior year he led his team to a 7-4 record and the first round of the 2015 CIF Southern Section Pac 5 Division playoffs ... He was also on the track and field team, competing in the discus and shot put. His top marks were 137 feet and 44 feet, respectively, in the events.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Philosophy at Colorado ... He carried a 3.3 GPA in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born June 29, 1999 in Ojai, Calif. ... Hobbies include spending time with family, cooking BBQ and working out ... His cousin, Charles Dillon, played football at Washington State and in the NFL ... An uncle, Rico Gross, played football at Cal-Lutheran ... He was active in the community, volunteering at the local Boys and Girls Club and coaching youth sports.



NA'IM RODMAN, DL

6-2, 305, Jr., 3L

Lakewood, Calif.
(St. John Bosco)

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BRADY RUSSELL, TE

6-3, 250, Sr., 4L

Fort Collins, Colo.
(Fossil Ridge)

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AT COLORADO: This Season (Jr.)—He has played in 30 career games with nine starts ... He has 29 career tackles, 17 solo, with four for no gain, three third down stops and two quarterback pressures.

2021 (Soph.-2)—Played in all 12 games, starting six at defensive tackle ... He had 16 total tackles, 13 solo, with three for a loss including one-and-a-half sacks ... He added two third down stops and two quarterback pressures.

2020 (Soph.)—He played in all six games with one start at Arizona ... More active near the end of the season, had two tackles and a quarterback hurry against Utah in the regular season finale and credited with two tackles against Texas in the Alamo Bowl.

2019 (Fr.)—He played in all 12 games and started two along the defensive line as a true freshman ... His two starts came against Arizona and Washington ... He finished the season playing 314 total snaps with 11 tackles, three for no gain with one third down stop ... He had a third down stop against Nebraska ... Against Washington in 37 snaps, he had a season-best three tackles, two of which went for no gain.

HIGH SCHOOL—A 3-star prospect by the major recruiting services ... 247Sports ranked him as the No. 59 defensive tackle in the nation and No. 108 player out of California ... Under coach Jason Negro at St. John Bosco, he helped the team compile a 37-6 record in his three years there ... Named First-Team All-Trinity League as a senior when he had 59 tackles including 13 for a loss and three sacks helping St. John Bosco to a 13-1 record, a CIF Championship and No. 2 national ranking according to MaxPreps ... His junior season the team was 12-3 and he had 30 tackles including four for a loss and 2.5 sacks ... His sophomore season the team compiled a 12-2 record ... He also played rugby for one season and a flanker.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Psychology at Colorado ... He was a member of his high school honor roll all four years in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born March 16, 2001 in Long Beach, Calif. ... Mom is Norja Rodman ... Has two older sisters, Nyah, who played softball at Wisconsin and Cal State Fullerton, and Nia, who played softball at Fullerton Junior College ... his grandfather, Floyd Whitfield, played football at Arkansas-Pine Bluff ... His uncle, Kevin Whitfield, played football at San Diego Mesa College ... He enjoys fishing, playing basketball and swimming.
(First name is pronounced Nay-Eem)

Season	G	Plays	TACKLES		TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
			UT	AT—TOT									
2019	12	314	4	7—11	0-0	0-0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
2020	5	48	0	2—2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
2021	12	429	13	3—16	3-6	1½-5	1	2	2	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	791	17	12—29	3-6	1½-5	4	3	3	0	0	0	0

AT COLORADO: This Season (Sr.)—He has played in 38 career games with 28 starts ... He has 58 career catches for 646 yards and three touchdowns ... His 58 receptions are good for 48th in CU history and ninth among tight ends, while his 646 yards ranks 61st in program annals and 12th most for tight ends ... On the preseason watch list for both the John Mackey Award (top tight end) and the Burlsworth Trophy (most outstanding player who started as a walk-on) ... Named fourth-team Preseason All-Pac-12 by both *Athlon* and *Phil Steele's College Football* ... Named to the East-West Shrine Game 1,000 Watch List ... Phil Steele ranked him as the No. 46 tight end nationally.

2021 (Jr.-2.)—Started all 12 games ... Was invited to the Senior Bowl after the season ... Led the team with 25 receptions for 307 yards, becoming the 14th tight end to lead the team in both receptions and yards and first since 2006 (Riar Geer) ... That feat has happened just three times in the past 31 seasons when adding Daniel Graham (2001) to the list ... Named a game captain eight times, against Texas A&M and then for the final seven games of the season ... Most productive game came against UCLA where he caught five passes for 87 yards ... His 65-yard reception against USC was the Buffs longest play from scrimmage for the season ... Named preseason fourth-team All-Pac-12 by *Athlon* and was CU's nomination for the Burlsworth Trophy for the best player who started his career as a walk-on.

2020 (Jr.)—Started the first two games of the season before an injury early at Stanford sidelined him for the rest of the season ... Named a captain for the season opener against UCLA and had five receptions for 77 yards and a touchdown against the Bruins ... His numbers against UCLA were the first time a tight end led the Buffs in receiving since Scott Fernandez had one catch for 71 yards at Arizona in 2012 ... It's also the most yards by a tight end in a game since Nick Kasa caught three passes for 87 yards at Washington State in a 35-34 win in 2012 ... It's also the most yards for a tight end in a home game since Tyson DeVree had seven catches for 90 yards and a touchdown against Kansas in 2007 ... It's also the most for a tight end in a win at Folsom Field since Joe Klopfenstein had five catches for 99 yards in a 41-20 win over Texas A&M in 2005 ... Injured on the fourth offensive play of the game at Stanford ... On the watch list for the Bullsworth Trophy, given to the top player who began his career as a walk-on ... Also named third-team Preseason All-Pac-12 by both *Athlon*, *Phil Steele's College Football* and Pick Six Previews.

2019 (Soph.)—He earned the team's Relentless Award ... Played in all 12 games with 11 starts ... Finished the season with 23 catches for 221 yards and two touchdowns ... His 23 catches were more than the tight end position as a whole had caught in the previous three seasons combined ... He was named the CU Offensive Player of the Game against Washington State when he had three catches for 20 yards ... He had a critical 24-yard reception against Washington on CU's second scoring drive of the game ... His season long reception came against Colorado State for 29 yards ... He also saw action on three special teams units, field goal/PAT, punt coverage and kick return ... He had one special teams point on the season, a tackle ... In one scrimmage and the spring game, he had four catches for 30 yards.

2018 (Fr.-RS)—Played in all 12 games and had three starts ... Three starts came in the final four games of the season ... Had five receptions for 41 yards and one rush for no gain ... Four of his five catches for 23 years came at Washington ... Was a walk-on his first season and awarded a scholarship during Fall Camp.

2017 (Fr.)—Redshirted ... Was awarded as the team's Offensive Scout Player of the Year.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was a two-time first-team Front Range League selection as a defensive end as well as drawing second-team honors at tight end his senior year ... Was named his team's MVP as both a junior and senior ... Posted 46 tackles, 14 tackles for losses, 10.5 sacks, one pass breakup, one fumble recovery and one forced fumble on defense his



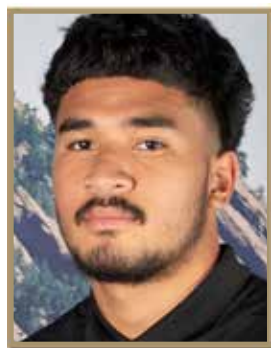
senior year ... Caught seven passes for 148 yards and two touchdowns ... As a junior he posted 61 tackles, 11.0 sacks, one forced fumble and three fumble recoveries ... His sophomore campaign, his first on varsity, he recorded seven tackles ... Lists winning the city championship for the first time in school history as a senior, when he helped lead his team to a 7-3 record, as his biggest moment in high school ... He participated in track & field as a freshman.

ACADEMICS—He graduated with a degree in Strategic Communication at Colorado in May 2021, with a minor in Sports Media, and is pursuing a master's degree in Organizational Leadership.

PERSONAL—e was born August 31, 1998 in Camp Pendleton (San Diego) Calif., when his father was serving in the military ... Hobbies include hunting and fishing ... Father, Randy, played football at Arkansas; an uncle, Matt Russell, was a consensus first-team All-American at Colorado, served as the Director of Player Personnel for the Denver Broncos and currently works as a senior personnel executive for the Philadelphia Eagles; he won the 1996 Butkus Award, was a fourth round pick of the Detroit Lions in the 1997 NFL Draft and is a member of CU's Athletic Hall of Fame ... A brother, Tyler, was on the U.S. Naval Academy track and field team where he was a 2015 and 2016 NCAA East Regional Qualifier in the high jump ... Another brother, Cody, played defensive end at Northern Colorado from 2012-14 ... An uncle, Marc Booth, played football at Arkansas ... He has held previous summer jobs in construction and at a restaurant and lists his desired profession to be a NFL player or scout.

Season	RECEIVING			Avg.	TD	Long	High Games	
	G	No.	Yds				Rec	Yds
2018	12	5	41	8.2	0	18	4	23
2019	12	23	221	9.6	2	27	4	24
2020	2	5	77	15.4	1	34	5	77
2021	12	25	307	12.3	0	65	5	87
Totals	38	58	646	11.1	3	34	5	87

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS— Rushing 2-0, 0.0 avg: 1-0, 0.0 avg. (2018); 1-0, 0.0 avg. (2021).



OAKIE SALAVE'A, S

6-4, 210, Fr., HSL

Leone Ili'ili,
American Samoa
(Tafuna)

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HIGH SCHOOL— A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Composite listed him as the No. 129 athlete in the class, No. 1 player from American Samoa and No. 1,523 player nationally ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 29 dual threat quarterback in the class and top player from American Samoa ... 247 Sports ranked him as the No. 178 athlete in the class and top player from American Samoa ... On3 listed him as the No. 97 athlete nationally and No. 1,561 player nationally ... Played four years of varsity football at Tafuna High School coached by his dad Okland Salave'a, who played for the Buffs from 1986-89 ... Also coached by Kevin Magalei and his brother Filoisamoa Langkilde ... According to SamoaNews.com, he is the first quarterback ever recruited out of American Samoa ... Set to take part in the fifth annual Polynesian Bowl in Hawaii on Jan. 22, a game he's played in multiple times previously ... He ranked in the top 10 at an Elite 11 regional camp in Los Angeles in June 2021 ... Led Tafuna to a 31-7 record over four years playing both quarterback and safety, including a perfect 20-0 mark as both a junior and senior winning American Samoa High School Athletic Association Championships both seasons ... Also returned kickoffs and led the league in touchdowns from kickoff returns all four seasons ... Senior season he led Tafuna to a perfect 10-0 record at quarterback and safety and was named the American Samoa Athlete of the Year ... Was the ASHSAA MVP, becoming the first quarterback from Tafuna

to win that award back-to-back seasons, was a JPS All-Star and first-team all-league selection ... In the ASHSAA championship game, Tafuna beat Samoa Sharks 22-11 and he had over 200 yards rushing with two touchdowns, seven tackles on defense, blocked a field goal and served as the kickoff specialist ... Junior season he led Tafuna to a 10-0 record and was the ASHSAA MVP, a JPS All-Star and first-team all-league selection ... Sophomore season Tafuna was 4-5 and he was the team's offensive player of the year, a JPS All-Star selection and first-team all-league ... Freshman season he was named a MaxPreps Freshman All-American leading Tafuna to a 7-3 record and also earned JPS All-Star honors and was named first-team all-league ... Also played basketball and baseball at Tafuna ... Was named the ASHSAA MVP for basketball as a junior and averaged a double-double ... Averaged eight strikeouts a game as a pitcher.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in majoring in Kinesiology at Colorado ... He was a Scholar Athlete, on the Principal's List four times and maintained above a 3.8 grade point average at Tafuna High School.

PERSONAL—He was born July 12, 2004 in Fagaalu, American Samoa ... Parents are Okland and Ginny Salave'a ... Has three older siblings, Filoisamoa, Jireh and Ali'itoga Langkilde ... Father played football for the Buffs from 1986-89 and was a starting defensive tackle on the 1989 Big Eight champion team that finished the regular season undefeated but lost to Notre Dame in the Orange Bowl ... An uncle, Joe Salave'a, played football at the University of Arizona, was drafted in the fourth round of the 1998 NFL Draft and played eight seasons in the NFL for Tennessee, Washington and San Diego ... Brother Filoisamoa played college football at Austin Peay ... Enjoys swimming, spending time with family and anything outdoors ... Can climb a coconut tree ... Can throw a ball in a trash can from 50 yards away ... Has volunteered in the community landscaping with his church and participating in clean-up activities with both his team and school.



JALEN SAMI, DT

6-6, 325, Jr, 3L

Colorado Springs, Colo.
(Vista Ridge)

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AT COLORADO: This Season (Jr.)—He has played in 28 games, starting 24 ... Has 58 career tackles, 37 solo, with 10 tackles for loss to go with five third down stops, four quarterback pressures, two-and-a-half sacks, one pass breakup, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery. Named Preseason All-Pac-12 third team by *Athlon*, *Lindy's College Football* and *Phil Steele's College Football*, and honorable mention by the league's media ... Named to the East-West Shrine Game 1,000 Watch List.

2021 (Soph.-2)—Played in all 12 games with 11 starts ... Named an honorable mention All-Pac-12 by the coaches ... Named second-team All-Colorado by the National Football Foundation's Colorado Chapter ... He had 30 total tackles, 23 solo stops with five for a loss including one-and-a-half sacks ... Added five tackles for zero, three third down stops, one quarterback pressure, and a forced fumble ... He was the Colorado Defensive Player of the Week, Colorado's nomination for Pac-12 Defensive Player of the Week, and the Arrow CU Athlete of the Week for the season opener against Northern Colorado when he had three tackles, two for a loss and a sack ... He was named a game captain against Arizona State.

2020 (Soph.)—Played in all five regular season games, starting the first two of the season vs. UCLA and at Stanford ... Had a quarterback hurry in the season opener against UCLA ... Had a pass breakup at Stanford ... Had two tackles and a third down stop at Arizona and finished his season with one tackle against Utah ... In the preseason, named fourth-team Preseason All-Pac-12 by *Phil Steele's College Football*.

2019 (Fr.-RS)—He played and started in 11 of the 12 games on the season, missing the Washington State game ... He was given the team's Tyronee "Tiger" Bussey Award for inspiration in the face of physical adversity ... In his 11 games on defense, he played 411 snaps with 25 tackles, including



two for a loss, one sack and four more for no gain ... He added three third down stops, two quarterback pressures and one fumble recovery ... He also played on the field goal/PAT, punt coverage and punt return units on special teams ... He had the biggest special teams play of the year, as the last line of defense on the punt coverage unit, he ran down and tackled Washington's Aaron Fuller, saving a sure touchdown ... CU held Washington on the next series and then ran the clock out on its next offensive possession, winning 20-14 ... Against the Huskies, he was also stellar on defense with a season best five tackles with one third down stop and one quarterback hurry ... He was named the team's Defensive and Special Teams Player of the Game against Washington and was CU's nominee for the Pac-12 Defensive Lineman and Freshman of the Week ... He was named a captain for the season finale against Utah after senior Alex Kinney asked the coaching staff to switch him out based on his performance ... In the finale at Utah, he matched his season best with five tackles and had a sack, two tackles for zero and a third down stop ... He was also CU's Defensive Player of the Game for the team's win at Arizona State with four tackles, including one for no gain ... In the season opener against Colorado State, he had one tackle and a fumble recovery in his first live action since 2016 ... He was named preseason fourth-team All-Pac-12 by Phil Steele and was one of 63 players on the watch list for the Polynesian Player of the Year ... In two scrimmages and the spring game, he had 11 total tackles.

2019 (Fr.)—Redshirted; he joined the team in January as a grayshirt ... Went through the first half of spring football before suffering a knee injury that caused him to miss the entire season.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was a second-team 5A-4A All-Area selection of The Gazette and also drew second-team All-State accolades from CHSAANow.com ... Also garnered first-team All-Pikes Peak League honors while being selected as its co-Defensive Lineman MVP ... His senior season during a 6-5 year under coach Jerimi Calip, he recorded 55 tackles in nine games ... Was credited with nine sacks and 15.5 tackles for a loss ... In a 24-22 win over Dakota Ridge, he posted 10 tackles, 4.5 tackles for a loss and 2.5 sacks ... In seven of his nine games he played in, he was credited with multiple tackles for losses ... Had four games recording seven or more tackles, which also included a nine-tackle (two for losses) performance against Pine Creek and eight tackles (again with two for losses) versus Rampart ... Between his junior and senior seasons he participated in the Blue-Grey All-American Combine Colorado Regional that also featured fellow Buffalo signee Heston Paige ... His junior year he anchored the defensive line for Vista Ridge's playoff team that won the Pikes Peak League and finished the season 9-2 ... He had 30 tackles for the Wolves that year, including nine for losses, and four sacks ... He also recovered one fumble and had three passes batted down at the line of scrimmage ... He was on the track and field team where he was an honorable mention selection as a junior to The Gazette's Boys' Track and Field All-Area teams.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Ethnic Studies at Colorado ... Named honorable mention on the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter.

PERSONAL—He was born on May 6, 1999 in Colorado Springs ... Hobbies include playing sports and games and he loves music and singing ... He can play the ukulele and the piano ... He is one of four children of Relva and Taleo Sami ... His father served eight years in the Army and passed away in August 2017 shortly after he committed to the Buffs ... His older brother, Grady, played on the offensive line at Southern Utah. *(Last name is pronounced sah-me)*

Season	G	Plays	TACKLES											
			UT	AT	TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2019	11	411	13	12	25	2- 4	1- 2	4	3	2	1	0	0	0
2020	5	166	1	2	3	0- 0	0- 0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
2021	12	432	23	7	30	5-11	1½- 5	5	3	1	0	1	0	0
Totals	28	1,009	37	21	58	7-15	2½- 7	9	7	4	1	1	1	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS—Special Team Tackles: 1,0—1 (2019).



JACK SEAVALL, OL

6-7, 280, Fr.-2, RS

Centennial, Colo.
(Arapahoe)



AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-2)—Did not see game action.
2020 (Fr.)—Redshirted; Did not see game action.

HIGH SCHOOL—Played two years of varsity football at Arapahoe ... Named all-conference as a senior when Arapahoe went 7-5 advanced in the state playoffs for the first time in many years ... Anchored an offensive line that was well balanced between the pass and rush ... Was also a member of the swim team at Arapahoe ... Was a three-time league competitor in the pool ... Competed in the 50 free, 100 free, 200 free relay, 200 medley relay and 400 free relay ... Had 35 podium appearances in swimming in high school with 15 race wins.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Finance from CU's Leeds School of Business ... A member of his high school Honor Roll three times.

PERSONAL—He was born May 9, 2002 in Centennial, Colo. ... Parents are Grant and Nancy Seavall ... Has two sisters, an older sister Nicole and younger sister Ashley ... His dad Grant swam at the University of Kansas, as did his aunt while another aunt swam at Iowa State University ... Worked as a caddie at Cherry Hills Country Club in Denver for many summers ... Enjoys hanging out with friends, going to the pool in the summers, playing golf and skiing ... Served as a coach his senior season on the Unified basketball team ... Grew up watching the Buffs and dreaming of wearing the black and gold at Folsom Field.



J.T. SHROUT, QB

6-3, 220, Jr., VR

Santa Clarita, Calif.
(Hart Central/
Tennessee)



AT COLORADO: This Season (Jr.)—Practiced on a limited basis in the spring but was 100 percent for fall camp after recovering from knee surgery.
2021 (Soph.)—Did not see game action ... Injured his knee that required surgery the second week of fall camp and missed the entire season ... Transferred to Colorado from the University of Tennessee in time for the spring semester.

AT TENNESSEE (2018-20)—He played in eight games for the Volunteers, starting one ... Completed 37-of-69 passes (.536) for 494 yards with five touchdowns and three interceptions ... In 2020, he played in four games, completing 24-of-42 passes (.571) for 315 yards with four touchdowns and three interceptions ... Against No. 5 Texas A&M he threw for a touchdown ... Had two passing touchdowns against Vanderbilt ... Against No. 6 Florida, he completed a career-high 12 passes and threw a touchdown ... In 2019, he played in four games with one start ... That season, he was 13-of-27 passing for 179 yards and a touchdown ... Start came against UAB when he was 3-of-6 passing for 34 yards ... Against South Carolina, he completed 7-of-11 passes for 122 yards and one touchdown for 55-yards ... He did not see action in 2018 as a true freshman.



HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... The 247 composite ranked him as the No. 26 pro-style quarterback in the 2018 class and a top-70 player out of California ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 34 pocket passing quarterback and a top-60 player in the state ... Rivals listed him as the No. 15 pro-style quarterback in the class... He played for Hart High School for head coach Mike Herrington... Hart went 8-4 in his senior season and went to the state playoff quarterfinals ... In his career, he was 233-of-450 passing for 3,304 yards with 29 touchdowns and 84 rushes for 311 yards and five touchdowns ... Started his senior season and completed 211-of-414 passes for 3,064 yards and 27 touchdowns that season ... Also had 70 rushes for 262 yards and four touchdowns ... Used some as a receiver his junior season, he caught six passes for 92 yards ... He had four 300-yard passing games his senior season and and Hart compiled a 3-1 record in those games, and he threw for three-plus touchdowns five times ... His best game was against Ventura in a 26-0 win, he completed 24-of-44 passes for 328 yards and two touchdowns and added 69 rushing yards and a touchdown on eight carries for 397 total yards ... He ran for three touchdowns the week prior in a 44-34 win over St. Bonaventure when he also had two passing touchdowns, completing 20-of-32 passes for 238 yards.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Integrative Physiology at Colorado ... Majored in Kinesiology at Tennessee.

PERSONAL—He was born October 22, 1999 in Santa Clarita, Calif. ... His parents are Stephanie and Jim Shrout.



**AUBREY
SMITH, ILB**

6-3, 215, Fr., HS

Atlanta, Ga.
(Buford)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A four-star prospect by ESPN ... The 247 Composite listed him as the No. 60 linebacker, No. 61 player from Georgia and No. 606 player in the class ... ESPN listed him as the No. 9 inside linebacker in the class, No. 39 player from Georgia and No. 173 player from the south ... Rivals listed him as the No. 21 inside linebacker in the class and No. 47 player from Georgia ... On3 Sports listed him as the No. 89 linebacker and No. 88 player from Georgia ... 247 Sports listed him as the No. 133 linebacker and No. 115 player from Georgia ... Played four years of varsity football, the final three for Buford High School and coach Bryant Appling after one season at Central Gwinnett ... Buford compiled a 41-3 record, winning three straight state championships, the 5A title in 2019 and the 6A title in both 2020 and '21 ... In his career, he compiled 418 tackles over the four seasons, breaking the 100-tackle mark all three years and having 99 as a freshman ... Senior season he helped Buford to a 14-1 record and 6A state championship he was named first-team all-region ... Finished senior season with 118 tackles playing linebacker and safety ... Best game was the team's only loss, a 7-0 decision to Chaminade Madonna in Florida, when he had 13 tackles, including seven for a loss with one sack ... Junior season Buford was 13-1 and 6A state champions and he was named second-team all-region ... Finished that season with 100 tackles including 10 tackles for loss with two sacks ... Best game was against Wonder Barrow in a 38-3 win when he had nine tackles and two tackles for loss ... Sophomore season Buford was 14-1 and 5A state champions and he was named first-team all-region ... He finished that season with 101 tackles, including nine for a loss with seven sacks, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery ... Best season was a 31-28 loss to Clarke Central when he had five tackles, four for a loss with 2½ sacks ... Central Gwinnett was 5-6 his freshman season and he was named first-team all-region and finished the season with 99 tackles, including 10 for a loss with six sacks, four fumble recoveries and two forced fumbles ... His best game was a 49-48 win over Brookwood when he had 12 tackles, four for a loss with 3½ sacks ... Also participated in track & field in high school.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying to become a Forensics Psychologist at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born May 11, 2003 in Atlanta, Ga. ... Parents are Alton and Tekeasha Smith ... Has two older siblings, Austin and Autumn ... Brother Austin played football at Tennessee from 2015-19 ... Enjoys writing and reading poetry ... Hobbies include sleeping, shopping, getting haircuts, watching movies, playing video games and getting tattoos ... Can hit the crossbar with a soccer ball ... Would like to become a homicide detective after his playing days are done ... Has done community service through his football team.



**AUSTIN
SMITH, TE**

6-5, 225, Fr., HS

El Maton, Texas
(Tidehaven)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Saw action in two games, both on special teams ... Had one special teams point with a knockdown or springing block on the kickoff return unit against Utah ... Named the Special Teams Scout Player of the Week leading up to the Washington game.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... The 247Sports Composite lists him as the No. 109 tight end nationally and No. 312 player out of Texas ... Played on varsity for Tidehaven for three years, all on offense and played on defense as a senior ... Amassed over 1,000 receiving yards and 17 touchdowns in his career with two 100-yard receiving games ... Played mostly wide receiver due to offensive formations, as a senior he was a unanimous first-team All-District 3A-2 Region IV 14 selection and honorable mention all-area when he caught 29 passes for 631 yards and 10 touchdowns ... As a cornerback on defense he had 15 tackles with one interception and two pass breakups while not allowing a touchdown and only a handful of completions ... In the second game of his senior season against Ganado, he had five receptions for 132 yards and a touchdown and also had an interception on defense helping the team to a hard-fought victory ... Named second-team All-District 3A-2 Region IV 14 as a junior when he had 12 receptions for 272 yards and six touchdowns in six games ... One of his top plays includes scoring on a 64-yard screen pass in a 42-6 win over Brazos ... He had four receptions for 138 yards and two touchdowns against Johnson City as a junior ... Played on most special teams units throughout high school ... Also played basketball and ran track & field at Tidehaven ... Averaged 16.3 points per game on the hardwood his junior season ... Senior season in basketball was cut short to prepare for collegiate football, but he opened the season scoring 40 points in a 72-66 win over Boling ... In track, participated in the 100-meter dash, 4x100-meter relay, 200-meter dash and high jump ... Had a personal best of 11.01 in the 100-meter dash.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado ... A member of the Academic Honor Roll throughout high school.

PERSONAL—He was born October 9, 2002 in Angleton, Texas ... Parents are Anthony and Sandy Smith ... Has one older brother, Anthony Smith Jr. ... Hobbies include lifting weights and watching Netflix ... He became 6-5 his junior year of high school and initially weighed 175 pounds, and when the COVID-19 pandemic happened, he hit the weight room and added 50 pounds of muscle prior to his delayed senior season ... He visited Colorado as a child and would dream about moving to Colorado after his NFL or NBA career was over.



DEION SMITH, TB

6-0, 190, Jr., 2L

Houston, Texas
(Second Baptist)

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AT COLORADO: He has played 24 career games ... Has 76 career rushes for 260 yards and two touchdowns ... Also has nine receptions for 49 yards, giving him 309 yards from scrimmage.

2021 (Soph.-2)—Played in all 12 games ... Was the Buffs third-leading rusher with 53 attempts for 208 yards and two touchdowns ... Added five receptions for 21 yards ... Active on special teams with four points, all four being knockdown or springing blocks on kickoff return ... Most productive game came against Northern Colorado in the season opener when he had four rushes for 32 yards and a touchdown.

2020 (Soph.)—Did not see game action ... He suffered a knee injury in summer workouts missed the entire season.

2019 (Fr.-RS)—He played in all 12 games, eight on offense and all 12 on special teams ... He ran the ball 23 times for 68 yards and caught four passes for 28 yards ... A majority of his carries came against Oregon when he rushed seven times for 41 yards ... He had three carries for nine yards and two receptions for 22 yards in the season finale against Utah ... In two scrimmages and the spring game, he had 26 rushes for 103 yards and three touchdowns and two receptions for five yards ... He led the way in the first scrimmage with two rushing touchdowns.

2018 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for three games, New Hampshire, Arizona State and Washington State.

HIGH SCHOOL—Rivals.com rated him as the No. 24 all-purpose back in the country ... Had a 3-star rating from 247Sports.com and ESPN with ESPN ranking him 52nd at his position in the country ... Ranked No. 46 on the *Houston Chronicle's* Top 100 High School Football recruits list for the class of 2018 ... Was a finalist for the *Houston Chronicle* Private High School Offensive Player of the Year award ... First-team Southwest Houston Area TAPPS selection as a junior and received his team's Playmaker Award that year ... Under coach Terry Pirtle, the Eagles went 7-4 his senior year, 10-2 as a junior while reaching the TAPPS D2 Quarterfinals and 6-5 as a sophomore ... In just five games as a senior (he suffered a knee injury midway through the season), he racked up 783 yards rushing on 81 carries, as he averaged 9.7 yards per carry, 156.6 yards per game and scored six TDs ... As a junior, he rushed 122 times for 1,223 yards and gained 100 or more yards in 5-of-11 games ... Averaged 10.0 yards per carry as a junior and scored 19 TDs on the ground ... Caught 22 passes for 494 yards with an additional five TDs ... Posted 1,717 yards of offense ... Played some defensive back in a reserve role and recorded six tackles and intercepted one pass, which he returned 30 yards for a TD in a 70-24 victory over Lutheran South Academy ... Top games as a senior: rushed for 362 yards on 19 carries with four TDs in a 54-35 loss to St. John's; had 137 yards rushing on 234 carries with a TD in a 24-22 loss to Concordia Lutheran; rushed 22 times for 121 yards in a 21-10 loss to Regents ... Top games as a junior: he put up 221 all-purpose yards (67 rushing on 12 carries and 154 receiving on four catches) with three TDs (two receiving, one rushing) in a 48-35 win over Concordia Lutheran; 202 yards rushing with three TDs on just eight carries against Lutheran South Academy; 200 yards rushing on 11 carries with four TDs in a 47-14 win over Fort Bend Christian Academy where he received the Channel 2 Player of the Week Award for that performance; 190 yards rushing on nine carries with three TDs in a 58-0 victory over John Paul II ... In track, he was first in his district in the 100-meter dash and second in the state with a top time of 10.64 ... Was also first in the district and second in the state in the 200-meter dash ... Also was on his teams 4x100 relay team and competed in the high jump ... Top 100-meter time was 10.85 and 200-meter time was 22.06 ... Also was an outfielder the first half of his junior year before focusing solely on track.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Journalism at Colorado and pursuing minors in Ethnic Studies and Leadership Studies ... He was named to the National Football Foundation honorable mention team in 2021.

PERSONAL—He was born December 28, 1999 in Houston, Texas ... Hobbies include fishing and photography ... His mother, Pamela Roberson, played basketball at New Mexico State and was an honorable mention High Country Athletic Conference selection in 1984 ... His older sister, Deamber Smith, was on the volleyball team at the University of Indianapolis ... An uncle, Paul Roberson, led Tulsa in rushing in 1979 with 546 yards and four touchdowns..

Season	G	RUSHING					High Games			RECEIVING					High Games		
		Att	Yds	Avg.	TD		Long	Att	Yds	No	Yds	Avg.	TD		Long	Rec	Yds
2019	12	23	68	3.0	0		18	7	41	4	28	7.0	0		20	2	22
2021	12	53	192	3.6	2		21	10	43	5	21	4.2	0		8	2	8
Totals	24	76	260	3.4	2		21	10	43	9	49	5.4	0		20	2	22



XAVIER SMITH, S

6-2, 185, Fr., HS

Atlanta, Ga.
(Langston Hughes)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Composite listed him as the No. 102 safety in the class, No. 124 player from Georgia and No. 1,364 player nationally ... 247 Sports ranked him the No. 62 safety in the class and No. 78 player from Georgia ... Played four years of varsity football, the final three at Langston Hughes under coach Boone Williams after one season at Holy Innocent ... Langston Hughes was 2-8 his sophomore season before combining for a 24-4 (13-2 senior, 11-2 junior) record his last two years there with deep playoff runs both seasons ... Played quarterback, safety, nickel and running back while returning kicks throughout his career ... In his career, at Langston Hughes, he completed 126-of-272 passes for 1,789 yards and 20 touchdowns with six interceptions while rushing 170 times for 1,274 yards and 18 touchdowns and catching one pass for 57 yards ... He finished his career with 1,331 yards from scrimmage, 1,525 all-purpose yards and 3,120 yards of total offense ... Defensively, he had 40 tackles, three interceptions, two pass breakups, a kick return for 69 yards... Finished with 110 points including 18 touchdowns and one two-point conversion ... Senior season he helped Langston Hughes to a 13-2 record and appearance in the 6A state championship game appearance while being named the region's Player of the Year ... He was 7-1 in games he played, being hurt after eight games ... He finished the season 7-of-14 passing for 87 yards and one touchdown, ran 24 times for 239 yards and six touchdowns finishing with 433 all-purpose yards and 326 yards of total offense ... Defensively, he had three interceptions with 125 yards in returns and a touchdown, 39 tackles and two pass breakups and on special teams he had one kick return for 69 yards ... Top game came against North Atlanta in a 69-7 win, he had a rushing touchdown, passing touchdown and a pick-six along with five tackles on defense ... His three interceptions came in the first two games of the season ... Junior season he was named all-Region 4-6A at quarterback, completing 76-of-155 passes for 1,232 yards with 14 touchdowns and one interception, and added 96 rushes for 794 yards and eight touchdowns and a reception for 57 yards ... He had 2,083 total yards and 851 yards from scrimmage ... He completed 6-of-11 passes for 166 yards and a touchdown in a 27-0 shutout over Northside ... He was named first-team All-Region 4-6A at quarterback ... Added five interceptions on defense ... Sophomore season he was 43-of-103 passing for 470 yards with five touchdowns and five interceptions while rushing 50 times for 241 yards and four touchdowns, racking up 711 yards of total offense ... Also ran track & field at Langston Hughes and was the state runner-up in the 400-meter, 4x100-meter, 4x400-meter and was sixth in the 200-meter, earning all-state in all four events ... Best times were 47.50 in the 400-meter and 21.8 in the 200-meter dashes.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying to become a Physical Therapist at Colorado ... Graduated high school early with two Associate's Degrees ... Member of the Principal's Honor Roll in High School.

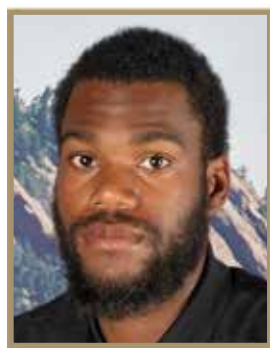


he recorded 16 tackles (three solo) and one interception on defense ... He finished his career with 3,265 all-purpose yards ... As a senior he helped the Bruins to a perfect 14-0 record and a Colorado 5A State Championship ... He rushed 123 times for 1,115 yards and 15 touchdowns to go along with 14 receptions for 196 yards and five touchdowns ... He had six games with 100-plus rushing yards and four games with multiple rushing touchdowns ... He had five games with at least one run of 50-plus yards ... His junior season, he carried the ball 127 times for 797 yards and 10 touchdowns and caught four passes for 53 yards and two touchdowns ... He had 90 carries for 620 yards and eight touchdowns as a sophomore ... He rushed 71 times for 426 yards and six touchdowns as a freshman ... As a senior, had 15 carries for 111 yards and two touchdowns in a 31-17 victory over Pomona ... Had 21 carries for 199 yards and two touchdowns against Fairview in a 42-28 win ... In the state championship against Columbine he rushed 14 times for 145 yards and one touchdown in a 35-10 victory ... Against Cherokee Trail as a junior, tallied 10 carries for 103 yards and a touchdown along with one reception for a 24-yard touchdown ... He also had seven carries for 51 yards and two touchdowns in a 41-14 win over Castle View ... As a sophomore he had 10 carries for 74 yards and three touchdowns in a 48-31 victory over Arapahoe ... In a 56-28 win over Denver East, he carried the ball 14 times for 95 yards and two touchdowns ... His freshman season he showed his talent early with six carries for 81 yards and a touchdown in a 42-7 win over Fossil Ridge.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado but is interested in Engineering.

PERSONAL—He was born on April 4, 2002 in Denver ... His parents are Terry and Kristan Stacks ... Both his parents were student-athletes at Colorado State, his mom played volleyball and his dad ran track & field ... He has three siblings ... He enjoys watching game film in his free time ... He has volunteered as a little league football coach.

Season	RUSHING				High Games			RECEIVING				High Games		
	G	Att	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long	Att	Yds	No	Yds	Avg.	TD	Long	Rec
2021	6	1	4	4.0	0	4	1	4	1	3	3.0	0	3	1



JAYLEN STRIKER, CB

6-3, 200, Jr., 2L

Tampa, Fla.
(Jefferson/
Independence CC)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Soph.-2)—Missed the entire season due to injury. **2020 (Soph.)**—Dressed for all five games in the regular season, playing in the final two games of the season at Arizona and vs. Utah on special teams ... Saw action in those two games on the punt return unit.

JUNIOR COLLEGE (2018-19)—He was on the roster at Independence Community College for two seasons but did not play the 2018 season ... Ranked a top 20 cornerback out of junior college with a No. 16 ranking from 247Sports and a No. 17 ranking on the 247 Composite ... A three-star prospect by both 247Sports with a rating of 83 and by Rivals with a rating of 5.5 ... As a redshirt freshman in 2019, he helped Independence to an 8-2 overall record, including a 6-1 mark in the Jayhawk Conference under coach Kiyoshi Harris ... He totaled 24 tackles on the season (16 solo) with 11 pass breakups, three tackles for loss and one interception ... He had five tackles, one tackle for loss and one pass breakup against Hutchinson ... Against Iowa Western, he had four tackles, one for a loss and four pass breakups ... In a 61-14 win over Highland, he had one interception and one pass breakup along with one tackle ... He had a pair of pass breakups against Dodge City.

HIGH SCHOOL—He helped Jefferson High School to an 8-3 record his senior season, including a perfect 4-0 record in 5A District 10 under coach Jeremy

Earle ... He finished that season with 31 tackles (23 solo) with seven pass breakups, three forced fumbles, one tackle for loss and one quarterback hurry ... He also had two kick returns for 55 yards on special teams ... He had four pass breakups in a 21-14 win over Plant City ... Had five tackles, two forced fumbles and pass breakup in a 17-16 win over Jesuit ... Played his junior season at Manatee High School in Bradenton, Fla., helping the Hurricanes to a 7-4 record, including a 5-1 mark in 7A District 10 ... He also played baseball in high school and hit two home runs in his career.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Ethnic Studies at Colorado ... He was a recipient of the Clancy A. Herbst Jr., Student-Athlete Achievement Award at CU's annual Academic Breakfast, in 2022, for overcoming personal, academic or emotional difficulties and challenges to succeed both academically and athletically.

PERSONAL—He was born on February 24, 2000 in West Tampa, Fla. ... His mom is Verdrea Marshall ... He has six siblings ... A cousin, Eric Striker, played defensive line at Oklahoma and currently plays in the CFL for the Toronto Argonauts ... Another cousin, K.J. Sails, plays defensive back at South Florida ... He would like to be an entrepreneur with multiple businesses after his football days are over ... He enjoys working out, designing clothes and loves to paint in his free time ... He has participated in community service through school and with his football team



TYRIN TAYLOR, S

6-2, 175, Soph., 1L

Huntersville, N.C.
(William A. Hough)

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COLORADO 2021 (Fr.)—Played in all 12 games as a true freshman with two starts ... He recorded 10 total tackles, eight solo stops, with one third down stop on defense ... On special teams, he picked up one point being the first player downfield on punt coverage ... His most productive game came against California when he had four tackles, all solo stops, one coming on third down.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star recruit by the recruiting services ... Rivals lists him as the No. 40 player out of North Carolina ... 247Sports lists him as the No. 67 player from North Carolina and No. 130 safety nationally ... The 247 Composite lists him as the No. 66 player from North Carolina, the No. 140 safety nationally and nationally ranked ... ESPN ranks him as the No. 75 player in North Carolina and No. 160 cornerback nationally ... He was on varsity for three seasons at Hough for coach Matthew Jenkins ... His team did not play in 2020 due to COVID-19 ... He played wide receiver and cornerback as a junior, helping Hough to a 8-5 record ... He was named all-state as a cornerback, totalling 26 tackles, eight pass break-ups and two interceptions ... His sophomore season, Hough was 11-3 and he had seven tackles on defense.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business or Philosophy at Colorado ... He was an Honor Roll student at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born December 8, 2002 in Charlotte, N.C. ... His parents are Donald and Lori Taylor ... He has three siblings, Paris, Jhane, and Jordyn ... He is interested in a variety of potential career options after football including being a philosopher, YouTuber, and business owner ... His hobbies include photography, basketball, martial arts, and running ... In his free time, he likes to workout, hang out with friends and family, and make funny raps.

Season	G	Plays	TACKLES									
			UT	AT	TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF
2021	11	257	8	2	10	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0



GUY THOMAS, OLB

6-4, 235, Sr., 2L

Miami, Fla.
(Booker T. Washington/
Nebraska/Coahoma CC)



AT COLORADO: He has played 12 games with nine starts at Colorado and has 16 games of action at the Power 5 level including his time at Nebraska ... He had 43 tackles, 32 solo, with five tackles for loss including two sacks, and six more tackles for no gain ... Also has six third down stops and two quarterback pressures.

2021 (Jr.-2)—Played in the first seven games, starting five, but missed the last five games due to injury ... In those seven games, he was productive with 36 tackles, including five for a loss with three sacks, also adding three third down stops and a quarterback pressure ... On special teams, he had two points being the first down field on punt coverage ... Against No. 5 Texas A&M, he had 12 tackles with three tackles for loss including two sacks.

2020 (Jr.)—Played in five of six games including the Alamo Bowl, starting four games, the first three of the season and the Alamo Bowl ... The five games he played he saw action on defense and special teams, playing on the field goal/PAT block, punt return, kick coverage and kick return units ... Played 80 snaps in the four regular season games with seven tackles, including one for a loss and two others for no gain, and had three third down stops and one quarterback hurry ... Had multiple tackles in four games, two against UCLA and at Stanford, three at Utah and four in the Alamo Bowl against Texas ... Against the Cardinal, he also had two third downs stops and a quarterback hurry ... Against Utah, two of his three tackles were at or behind the line of scrimmage.

JUNIOR COLLEGE (2019)—A three-star prospect out of junior college by 247Sports and Rivals ... Ranked the No. 37 junior college player in the nation by Rivals and No. 73 by 247Sports, which also listed him as the No. 4 outside linebacker and No. 16 player from Mississippi ... He played in six games for Coahoma Community College in 2019, racking up 30 tackles (24 solo), including 10 tackles for loss for 34 yards and three sacks for 23 yards ... He added two pass breakups, two quarterback hurries and one blocked kick ... He opened the season with 12 tackles in an 18-10 win over Jones College, including 2.5 tackles for loss, two quarterback hurries, two pass breakups and he blocked a field goal attempt ... Against Mississippi Gulf Coast he tallied seven tackles including one for a loss ... Had two tackles for loss against both Itawamba and Mississippi Delta.

AT NEBRASKA (2017-18)—He did not play his true freshman season at Nebraska in 2017 and saw action in four games as a redshirt freshman in 2018 ... He totaled four tackles, posting three on defense against Bethune-Cookman when he also had one pass break-up, and he added another tackle on special teams at Michigan.

HIGH SCHOOL—A four-star prospect by both ESPN and Rivals ... Rivals ranked him the No. 16 weakside defensive end in the class and No. 49 player from Florida with a rating of 5.8 ... ESPN tabbed him as the No. 24 defensive end nationally, No. 55 player from Florida while also being the No. 151 player in the region with a scout grade of 80 ... In the 247Sports Composite, he was ranked the No. 27 weakside defensive end in the nation, the No. 59 player from Florida and in the top 500 nationally ... Rivals ranked him the No. 16 weakside defensive end and No. 49 player from Florida with a 5.8 rating ... He was ranked the No. 42 weakside defensive end by 247Sports and No. 86 player from Florida with a rating of 87 ... Booker T. Washington was 33-8 in his three years there, including a 15-0 mark his sophomore season when the team won the Florida 4A State Championship and was ranked as high as the No. 5 team in the nation ... As a senior, he was named to the Miami Herald Miami-Dade County Top 25 Prospect list, coming in at No. 11 and named second-team Florida 4A All-State as a senior when Booker T. Washington went 9-4 under coach Tim Harris ... BTWHS was 9-5 his junior season when he racked up 54 tackles, including 14 sacks and three forced fumbles.

ACADEMICS—He graduated in December 2021 with a degree in Sociology from Colorado ... He was a recipient of the Clancy A. Herbst Jr., Student-Athlete Achievement Award at CU's annual Academic Breakfast, in 2022, for overcoming personal, academic or emotional difficulties and challenges to succeed both academically and athletically.

PERSONAL—He was born August 5, 1999 in Miami, Fla. ... He has eight siblings ... He enjoys working out in his free time.

TACKLES

Season	G	Plays	UT	AT—TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2020	4	80	4	3—7	1-1	0-0	2	3	1	0	0	0	0
2021	7	266	28	8—36	5-14	2-4	4	3	1	0	2	0	0
Totals	11	346	32	11—43	6-15	2-4	6	6	2	0	2	0	0



JORDYN TYSON, WR

6-2, 180, Fr., HS

Allen, Texas
(Allen)



HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Composite ranked him as the No. 172 wide receiver in the class, the No. 185 player from Texas and No. 1,285 player nationally ... Rivals listed him as the No. 87 wide receiver nationally ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 140 wide receiver, No. 137 player from Texas and No. 185 player from the region ... 247 Sports listed him as the No. 211 wide receiver and No. 206 player from Texas ... Played three years of varsity football, as a senior at 6A Allen High School under coach Chad Morris, a junior at 5A Independence High School in Frisco, Texas, under coach Kyle Story and at John Paul II High School, a private high school under coach George Teague ... Senior season he helped Allen to an 11-3 record and No. 8 ranking in the top division in Texas ... He had 80 catches for 1,512 yards and 12 touchdowns receiving, completed both of his pass attempts for 34 yards and a touchdown, and on special teams had 10 returns for 212 yards ... Had eight 100-yard receiving games and caught multiple touchdowns in three games ... Had a three-game stretch with 14 receptions for 353 yards and six touchdowns ... Had two games with 10-plus catches, including catching 11 passes for 132 yards and a touchdown against Atascocita and 12 catches for 156 yards and a touchdown against Tyler Legacy ... Against Prosper, he had six catches for 207 yards, three a 33-yard touchdown pass, a 74-yard punt return and 79-yard in kick returns ... As a junior at Independence, he had 21 catches for 305 yards and five touchdowns and returned eight kickoffs for 160 yards ... Also played basketball in high school.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in majoring in Business at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born August 12, 2004 in Allen, Texas ... Parents are John Tyson and Sandra Brown ... Has two siblings, Berron and Jaylon ... His father John played football at Florida A&M ... Brother Jaylon has played basketball at Texas ... Brother Berron has played football at South Alabama ... Enjoys working out and playing video games ... Would like to go into coaching or something related to football after his playing days are over ... Can do a 360-degree windmill dunk ... Can do a backflip and can spin a ball on each of his fingers.



VICTOR VENN, TB

5-10, 175, Fr., HS

Buford, Ga.
(Buford)

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HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... 247 Composite listed him as the No. 67 running back nationally, the No. 87 player from Georgia and No. 859 player nationally ... Rivals listed him as the No. 16 running back in the country and No. 67 player from Georgia ... 247 Sports listed him as the No. 69 running back and No. 80 player from Georgia ... On3 Sports ranked him the No. 65 running back and No. 97 player from Georgia ... ESPN listed him as the No. 81 running back, No. 107 player from Georgia and No. 455 player from the south ... Played four years of varsity football at Buford under coach Bryant Appling and his running backs coach Fryne Davis ... Buford compiled a 51-6 record and won three straight state championships, the 5A title in 2019 and the 6A title in both 2020 and '21 ... In his career, he had 367 carries for 3,010 yards and 36 touchdowns, added nine receptions for 101 yards and five kick returns for 61 yards ... Senior season he was named all-state and second-team all-region, helping Buford to a 14-1 record and 6A state championship ... Carried the ball 135 times for 957 yards and 10 touchdowns, had six receptions for 51 yards and three kick returns for 36 yards ... Top games that season include running the ball 15 times for 98 yards and three touchdowns against Kell in a 38-14 win, carrying 17 times for 195 yards in a 27-0 over Lee County and a 16-carry, 103-yard performance with a touchdown in a 21-6 win over Carrollton ... Junior season Buford went 14-1 and won the 6A state championship and he was named all-state and second-team all-region ... Had 128 carries for 1,211 yards and 18 touchdowns, also catching two balls for 12 yards and one kick return for 14 yards ... Top games included 14 carries for 142 yards and three touchdowns in a 45-26 win over Valdosta, 15 carries for 124 yards and a touchdowns in a 44-7 win over Hembersham and 13 carries for 117 yards and two touchdowns against Langston Hughes ... Sophomore season Buford was 14-1 and 5A state champions and he had 98 carries for 801 yards and eight touchdowns, adding one reception for 38 yards and one kick return for 11 yards ... Saw action at cornerback as a sophomore and had three tackles ... Top games include 34 carries for 235 yards and two touchdowns in a 24-21 win over Carrollton and 14 carries for 108 yards and two touchdowns against Jones County ... Helped Buford to a 10-3 record his freshman season when he had six carries for 41 yards ... Also ran track & field at Buford and was part of the 4x100-meter state championship and the 4x400-meter section championship relay teams, and also competed in the 100-meter and 200-meter dashes, with top times of 10.64 in the 100-meter and 22.40 in the 200-meter dashes.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying to become an Anesthetist at Colorado ... Earned an academic letter and was on the honor roll all four years at Buford High School.

PERSONAL—He was born October 26, 2003 in Winston-Salem, N.C. ... Parents are Sappia and Justina Venn ... Has one brother, Denver ... A cousin, Romar Morris, played football at North Carolina and for the New York Jets in the NFL ... Uncle Justin Woazeah played for Appalachian State and for the Cincinnati Bengals in the NFL and is now the Principle of the Miayen Investment Group ... Likes playing video games and soccer in his free time ... Can play the drums ... Enjoys fiction novels and helping out youth in his area ... Participated in the Gwinnett County Thanksgiving Giveaway and for an after school assistant program throughout his youth ... He can juggle a soccer ball for 30 seconds.



CAMERON WARCHUCK, SN

6-0, 235, Fr., HS

Norco, Calif.
(Norco)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for all 12 games.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was a four-year starter on varsity at both center and long snapper and didn't have a bad snap at either position all four years ... Norco was 29-11 in his four years there, including a 22-6 mark his final three seasons and a perfect 5-0 record in his COVID-shortened senior campaign ... Earned All-Big 8 League honors all four seasons, including first-team honors as a senior ... Lists his best moment going undefeated and winning the Big 8 League championship his senior season ... Also played lacrosse at Norco where he was named the Defensive Player of the Year, all-league and academic all-league and helped the team win a CIF Southern Section Championship.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado but interested in Computer Science or Electrical Engineering ... Earned mention on the All-Academic team from the Big 8 league four times for both football and lacrosse in high school ... Maintained a 4.5 grade point average and earned mention on the highest honor roll all four years in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born on May 16, 2002, in Riverside, Calif. ... Parents are Jeffrey and Mandi Warchuck ... Has an older sister, Kyla, and younger brother, Cody ... In high school, he was part of the Associated Student Body, helping plan and organize events and was also closely associated with his church helping plan and organize events like food banks and dances for the high school ministry ... Also a part of the Tim Tebow Foundation for three years ... Hobbies include doing anything active outdoors including hiking and camping ... Also interested in all technology and new and developing models of cars.



VAN WELLS, OL

6-2, 290, Fr., HS

Houston, Texas
(C.E. King)

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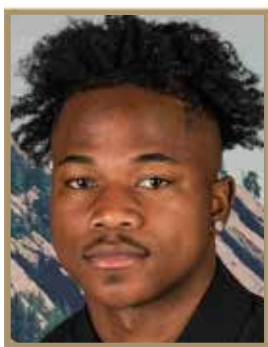
HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 9 center in the class, the No. 178 player from Texas and No. 242 player from the region ... 247 Sports ranked him the No. 64 interior offensive lineman in the class and No. 167 player from Texas ... On3 Sports listed him as the No. 52 interior offensive lineman and No. 117 player from Texas ... 247 Composite had him as the No. 72 interior offensive lineman, No. 180 player from Texas and No. 1,259 overall player in the class ... Played four years of varsity football at CE King under coach Derek Fitzhenry ... Helped CE King to a 33-14 record in his four years there, including a 10-3 mark his senior season playing in District 21-6A ... CE King averaged 37.8 points per game his senior season when the team averaged 425.1 yards per game, including 285.3 rushing and 139.8 passing



with 57 touchdowns ... Junior season CE King averaged 476.7 yards per game including 313.9 rushing and 162.8 passing yards with 66 touchdowns in 12 games.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business or Kinesiology at Colorado ... Named Academic All-State in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born December 20, 2003 in Houston, Texas ... Parents are Andrea Gray and Torrance Wells ... Has three older siblings, Aniya, Anaron, and Istria ... Enjoys playing the game and hanging out with friends in his spare time ... Has done community service through his high school.



JOSHUA WIGGINS, CB

6-1, 175, Fr., HS

Spring, Texas
(Klein Oak)



HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by the recruiting services ... The 247 Composite listed him as the No. 87 cornerback, No. 135 player from Texas, and No. 977 player nationally in the class ... Rivals listed him as a Top 100 player from Texas at No. 93 ... On3 Sports listed him as the No. 80 cornerback and No. 124 player from Texas ... ESPN listed him as the No. 86 cornerback, No. 182 player in the region and No. 135 player from Texas ... 247 Sports listed him as the No. 130 cornerback and No. 195 player from Texas ... Played three years of varsity at Klein Oak under coach Brandon Carpenter ... Not many stats are available on defense for his high school, but he was rarely tested as a senior as a lockdown cornerback when he had one interception and one blocked field goal helping Klein Oak to a 4-2 league record and 6-6 mark overall ... Was named as a player to watch by SBLive when ranking the top cornerbacks at the 6A level in Texas ... Also competed in track & field at Klein Oak, participating in the long jump, 4x100-meter and 4x200-meter relays.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Communication at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born July 20, 2004 in Alexandria, Va. ... Parents are Kevric and Monika Wiggins ... Has four siblings, Kevric Jr., Kavresia, Kadasia and Takari Coulter ... Kevric Jr. currently plays college football at Jackson State after two years at Louisiana-Monroe ... Enjoys coaching, working out, and likes to play the drums.



JAKE WILEY, OL

6-6, 310, Soph., 2L

Centennial, Colo.
(Eaglecrest)



AT COLORADO: Has played in 18 career games with 12 starts.

2021 (Fr.-3)—Started all 12 games on the offensive line ... Led all lineman with 674 offensive snaps, and tied for the team lead with eight touchdown blocks and added six perfect plays on passing touchdowns ... Best graded game was at Oregon when he had a grade of 83.6 ... Also played on the field goal/PAT team on special teams.

2020 (Fr.-2)—Played in all six games including the Alamo Bowl ... Saw action on offense in three games and on special teams in all six games ... Played on offense against Stanford, Utah and Texas and in the regular season had six snaps with four positive plays ... Played on the field goal/PAT team on special teams.

2019 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action ... Dressed for two games, Colorado State and USC ... Was named the CU Offensive Scout of the Week leading into the Washington State and USC games.

HIGH SCHOOL—A 3-star prospect by the major recruiting services ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 9 player in Colorado, the second ranked guard and fourth overall offensive lineman in the state, as well as the No. 57 guard nationally ... In three years at Eaglecrest under coach Garrett Looney, he helped the Raptors to a 34-4 record, including a 14-1 mark in league games ... He earned second-team All-Metro East honors as Eaglecrest went 10-2 and lost in the quarterfinals of the state playoffs ... Eaglecrest had one of the top rushing offenses in the state, averaging 362.8 yard per game with 58 touchdowns ... He played defense for the first time as a senior and had 31 tackles, including five for a loss with two sacks, and five quarterback hurries as a defensive end ... His junior season Eaglecrest was 13-1 and lost in the state championship game with a more balanced offensive attack, averaging 220.0 yards per game on the ground and 185.1 through the air ... His sophomore season Eaglecrest went 11-1 and lost in the quarterfinals of the playoffs ... He also played basketball for one season and track and field, competing in the shot put and discus, for two years in high school.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Psychology at Colorado.

PERSONAL—He was born January 8, 2001 in Aurora, Colo. ... Parents are Chuck and Alison Wiley ... Has one younger sister, Kelsey ... Enjoys listening to music and hanging out with friends and family.



ALVIN WILLIAMS, OLB

6-3, 230, Soph., 2L

Ellenwood, Ga.
(Cedar Grove)



AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-2)—Played in the final five games of the season, two on defense and all five on special teams ... On defense in 38 plays he registered a third down stop and quarterback pressure ... On special teams, he saw action on the kick return, kick coverage and punt return units and had four points, two tackles, one solo, and one knockdown or springing block on kickoff return ... Was CU's Defensive Scout Team Player of the Week leading into the Oregon State game.

2020 (Fr.)—Played in all six games including the Alamo Bowl ... Played in 84 snaps on three special teams units, the fifth most special teams snaps on the team ... Saw action on the kick return, kick coverage and punt return units ... Had four special teams points, one tackle, which was inside the 20, and two knockdown or springing blocks on kick returns ... Named honorable mention on the Academic All-Colorado team by the state's chapter of the National Football Foundation.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect by 247Sports, Rivals, ESPN and PrepStar ... He was named to the All-East Region team from PrepStar ... 247Sports listed him as the No. 53 weakside defensive end in the class ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 128 defensive end in the class ... He helped Cedar Grove High School to a record of 53-5 in four seasons and three Georgia AAA State Championships, as a freshman, junior and senior ... The first two titles came under coach Lawrence Smith and his senior season under coach Miguel Patrick ... Cedar Grove also had a record of 25-1 in AAA Region 5 standings in his four years, including a 19-0 record his final three seasons ... He was named to the All-Region 5-AAA team and the all-county team on the defensive line and was preseason All-State by the Atlanta Journal Constitution his senior season when Cedar Grove went 13-2



overall and 6-0 in AAA Region 5 ... He finished that season with 104 tackles, including 30 for a loss and 14.5 sacks ... He was named the Georgia High School Football Player of the Week by Georgia High School Football Daily for his performance against Pace Academy when he had a career high five sacks and nine tackles overall in a 40-10 win.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Sociology at Colorado ... Named CU's Academic Student-Athlete-of-the-Month for July 2020 ... He was an honor roll student in high school ... He graduated high school a semester early.

PERSONAL—He was born on August 4, 2002 in Decatur, Ga. ... Parents are Mark Holling and Keasher Williams-Holling ... He has one sibling ... He is interested in going into either Marketing or Law after his playing days are over ... He enjoys playing video games and researching how to be a successful gamer and YouTuber ... As part of community service with his football team, he read books to the elementary school children.

TACKLES													
Season	G	Plays	UT	AT—TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2021	2	38	0	0—0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS—Punt Returns: 1-36, 1 TD (2021)



MISTER WILLIAMS, ILB

6-0, 250, Fr.-3, 2L

Westlake Village, Calif
(Oaks Christian)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.-2)—Played in four games on both defense and special teams ... He had three total tackles, two solo ... He added 10 special teams points and led the team with five unassisted tackles and also had two tackles inside the 20, an assisted tackle and two knockdown or springing blocks on kickoff returns.

2020 (Fr.)—Played in all five regular season games and was injured for the Alamo Bowl ... A special teams standout, he played 96 snaps on special teams, fourth most on the team, seeing action on the kick return, kick coverage, punt return and punt coverage units ... Finished the season with seven special teams points, including four tackles, two knockdown or springing blocks on kick returns and one caused penalty ... Named the Special Teams Player of the Game at Stanford and was CU's nominee for Pac-12 Special Teams Player of the Week against the Cardinal when he had five special teams points with four tackles and a caused penalty.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star prospect from 247Sports, Rivals, ESPN and PrepStar ... He was ranked as the No. 60 outside linebacker nationally and No. 76 player from California by 247Sports ... ESPN ranked him as the No. 71 outside linebacker nationally and the No. 65 player from California ... He earned All-West Regional honors at Oaks Christian High School under head coach Charles Collins ... In his three-year varsity career, he recorded 158 tackles (103 solo), seven pass breakups, three tackles for loss, three quarterback hurries, two sacks and two fumble recoveries ... He also finished his career with 78 carries for 532 yards and four touchdowns along with seven receptions for 37 yards and one touchdown on offense ... As a senior, he earned first-team All-Defensive Utility honors in the Marmonte League with 49 tackles (30 solo), one sack and one pass breakup ... He also had 43 carries for 267 yards and two touchdowns on offense ... He earned first-team All-Defense in the Marmonte League as a junior to help the Lions to a 12-1 record and an appearance in the semifinals of the CIF-Southern Section Division 1 Playoffs ... He finished his junior season with 40 tackles (28 solo), five pass breakups, two tackles for loss, two quarterback hurries, and one fumble recovery on defense and also had 33 carries for 250 yards and two touchdowns along with five receptions for 20

yards and one touchdown on offense ... He was awarded Most Improved Player on Oaks Christian after his sophomore season when he tallied 69 tackles (45 solo), one tackle for loss, one sack, one pass breakup, one quarterback hurry, and one fumble recovery ... He had 14 tackles (five solo) against Grace Brethren as a senior ... In the same season, he rushed five times for 77 yards and two touchdowns, also adding three tackles and a pass breakup against Newbury Park in a 56-16 victory ... He recorded 13 tackles (11 solo) against Upland ... He had nine carries for 72 yards and a touchdown, one reception for six yards and a touchdown, and two solo tackles in a 44-0 win against St. Bonaventure his junior year ... He also had five tackles (four solo) and three pass breakups in a 22-7 victory against Chaminade ... Against Paraclete as a sophomore, he tallied seven tackles (six solo), one sack, and one fumble recovery in a 30-21 victory ... He had eight tackles (six solo) and one tackle for loss in a 42-13 win over Edison ... He also competed in track & field for the Lions, participating in the shot put and discus ... His personal best in the 12 lb. shot put is 48-11 and his best discus throw is 87-0.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in majoring in Business Management at Colorado ... He was on the Dean's List in high school and also won the school's Science Department Student-of-the-Year award.

PERSONAL—He was born May 15, 2002 in Tarzana, Calif. ... His parents are Bruce and Vivian Williams ... His father played linebacker at Louisiana State ... His mom was a diver at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo ... His cousin, Devin Voorhies, also played linebacker at Louisiana State ... He has two brothers, named Sir and Prince ... He enjoys playing the piano ... He listens to podcasts and plays video games in his spare time ... His dad gave him the name Mister so that when people called his name, they'd have to respect it ... When asked if he could do a "stupid human trick," he replied that he can launch whipped cream off the back of his hand and catch it in his mouth and that he can build a picture of himself in the video game Minecraft.

TACKLES													
Season	G	Plays	UT	AT—TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2021	1	9	2	1—3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



RYAN WILLIAMS, DL

6-3, 275, Fr.-2, 1L

Pearland, Texas
(Shadow Creek)

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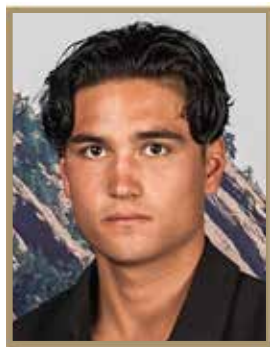
AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Dressed for all 12 games and played in three games, seeing action on defense in all three and on special teams in two ... Did not register any statistics.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three star recruit by 247Sports and ESPN where he is ranked as one of the top 300 players out of Texas ... 247 Sports ranks him as the No. 116 defensive tackle in the class and the 247 Composite ranks him as the No. 111 defensive tackle and nationally ranked ... ESPN ranks him as the No. 113 defensive tackle in the class ... He played two years of varsity football at Shadow Creek for coach Brad Butler ... He helped Shadow Creek to a 21-3 record, including a perfect 16-0 mark and 5A Division I Texas State Championship his junior season ... In his caterer, he totaled 55 tackles, including 12 for a loss with two sacks, and nine quarterback hurries ... He averaged 5.1 tackles per game as a senior, coming up with 36 total tackles, including seven for a loss with two sacks and six quarterback hurries ... His junior season he had 19 tackles, including five for a loss, and added three quarterback hurries ... He was at his best at the end of his career, coming up with 11 tackles against Pearland and 10 against Dawson in his final two high school games, getting a sack and four quarterback hurries against Pearland ... His junior season against Manor in the state semifinal, he had three tackles and one quarterback hurry.



ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado and is on the Pre-Business track.

PERSONAL—He was born Feb. 8, 2003 in Houston, Texas ... His parents are Raymond and Lashunda Williams ... He has two siblings, Ray and Roderick ... After his playing career, he would like to become a successful businessman ... His hobbies include fishing and hanging out with his friends.



MAC WILLIS, CB

6-3, 190, Soph., 1L

Centennial, Colo.
(Cherry Creek)

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AT COLORADO: This Season (Soph.)—Transitioned into a defensive back (corner) during spring practice, but will still be a reserve placekicker.

2021 (Fr.-3)—Did not see game action.

2020 (Fr.-2)—Played in four games, the final three of the regular season and the Alamo Bowl ... Took over kickoff duties and finished with 14 kickoffs in the four regular season games with six touchbacks, including four through the end zone, and one fair catch with one kickoff going out of bounds ... Twice the opponents starting field position was inside the 20 and the average starting field position for the opponent was the 27 yard line.

2019 (Fr.)—Redshirted; did not see game action.

HIGH SCHOOL—He earned All-Colorado honors by *USA Today* and was named the Colorado Prep Report Kicker of the Year as a senior for Cherry Creek, where he played for three seasons under former CU All-American Dave Logan ... The Bruins were 30-9 in his three seasons as the starting kicker, 12-2 his senior season, 9-3 his junior season and 9-4 as a sophomore ... In his career, he made good on 137-of-146 PAT attempts and 10-of-14 on field goal attempts ... As a senior, he was 47-of-48 on PATs and 5-of-7 on field goals, including hitting all field goals during the playoffs ... He hit a 37-yard field goal in a 10-7 win over Columbine in the state semifinals ... Said his top moment when he turned a fumbled hold on a PAT into a two-point conversion in the 2018 State Championship Game against Valor Christian ... He in the quarterfinals of the state playoffs, he hit a 50-yard field goal against Ralston Valley ... He was named honorable mention All-Centennial League as a junior when he hit 47-of-50 PATs and 4-of-6 field goals ... His sophomore season he made good on 43-of-48 PATs and 1-of-2 field goals ... He also played lacrosse at Cherry Creek, winning two Colorado State Championships his sophomore and senior seasons.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in both Accounting and Real Estate from Colorado's Leeds School of Business.

PERSONAL—He was born September 3, 2000 in Charlotte, N.C. ... Full name is Daniel McKibben Willis ... Parents are Dave and Alice Williams ... His hobbies include hanging out with friends, listening to music and his dog ... He has older twin brothers, David and Robert, and a younger sister, Lawson, who plays soccer at CU.



TREVOR WOODS, S

6-1, 195, Soph., 1L

Katy, Texas
(James E. Taylor)

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AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Played in 10 games in his true freshman season with one start, coming against California ... On defense, he played 139 snaps and finished the season with 23 tackles, 13 solo, and a pass breakup ... Also saw action on special teams with three points off of two knockdown or springing blocks on kick return and a blocked punt against Arizona, that he returned 36 yards for a touchdown (for the latter, he was named the Pac-12 Special Teams Player of the Week) ... Most productive game came against Oregon when he had seven tackles, two solo, in 31 snaps.

HIGH SCHOOL—A three-star recruit by the recruiting services ... 247Sports lists him as the No. 102 safety in the class and No. 183 player from Texas ... The 247 Composite lists him as the No. 104 safety in the class and No. 180 player in Texas, and he's ranked nationally overall ... ESPN lists him as the No. 88 safety in the class and No. 200 player from the state of Texas ... He played three years of varsity at Taylor for coach Chad Simmons ... Entering the state playoffs, he had racked up 280 career tackles, 166 solo, with 19 tackles for loss including nine sacks, and also had seven interceptions, 10 forced fumbles and eight pass break-ups on defense ... Offensively, he had seven receptions for 136 yards and two touchdowns, and three rushes for 23 yards ... Also punted for Taylor, averaging 33.4 yards per punt on 42 career punts with nine inside the 20 ... He also returned five kickoffs for 150 yards and seven punts for 120 yards, including a long of 64 yards ... Named the Houston Area Preseason Defensive Player of the Year ... Taylor was 8-2 his senior season when he totaled 74 tackles, 45 solo, with one sack, one interception and three pass breakups ... He added four forced fumbles and blocked two field goals. On Offense, he caught four passes for 43 yards and a touchdown ... On special teams, he averaged 35.5 yards per punt on 22 punts with seven inside the 20 and a long of 49, while also returning five kickoffs for 150 yards and seven punts for 120 yards including a long of 64 yards ... Taylor was 9-6 his junior season when he earned first team all-district and First-Team All-VYPE (Houston Area) ... That season he tallied 142 tackles, including 85 solo, with 16 tackles for loss including eight sacks, five force fumbles, four interceptions, all of which he returned for touchdowns, for pass break-ups and one fumble recovery ... On offense, he caught four passes for 99 yards and one touchdown ... He punted three times with an average of 27.0 yards ... As a sophomore, he earned second-team all-district with 64 tackles, two for a loss, one forced fumble, two interceptions, one pass break-up and a blocked punt ... His top games include his senior year against George Ranch in a 26-14 win when he had nine tackles, two forced fumbles, one tackle for loss and a pass breakup ... As a junior against Deer Park, he took an interception 100-yards for a touchdown, had 10 tackles, including a sack ... As a sophomore against Deer Park, he intercepted two passes ... He also played baseball and basketball at Taylor ... He had a .518 batting average and .600 on base percentage with 18 hits and 16 RBI his junior season in baseball.

ACADEMICS—He is interested in studying Business at Colorado ... He was named Academic All-District every year in high school and was a member of the National Honor Society ... Named to the National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter Academic All-Colorado honorable mention team.

PERSONAL—He was born Sept. 20, 2002 in Houston, Texas ... His parents are Ryan and Dania Woods ... His dad played football at Rice ... He has siblings, Taylor, Tessa, and Talyn ... He has two uncles that played college football, one at Rice and one at Texas State ... He is interested in the oil and gas industry after his playing career is over ... His hobbies include



playing all sports and fishing ... He throws a baseball with his left hand, but throws a football with his right hand ... He lists juggle flaming batons as one of his talents.

TACKLES

Season	G	Plays	UT	AT—TOT	TFL	Sacks	TZ	3DS	Hurr	FR	FF	PBU	Int
2021	10	139	13	10—23	0- 0	0- 0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0



JORDAN WOOLVERTON, S

6-2, 195, Fr., RS

Durango, Colo.
(Durango)



AT COLORADO: 2021 (Fr.)—Redshirted; Did not see game action ... Dressed for all 12 games.

HIGH SCHOOL—Woolverton played four seasons of varsity football at Durango and ended his career with a perfect season and state championship for Durango, which won league titles his junior and senior seasons ... Durango was 34-10 in his four seasons there, winning at least eight games each season ... His career passing numbers were 387-of-551 passing for 5,535 yards with 69 touchdowns and 11 interceptions ... Also had 237 rushes for 1,641 yards and 28 touchdowns and caught five passes for 44 yards offensively ... Defensively, he finished his career with 69 tackles and 10 interceptions, one he returned for a touchdown ... On special teams, he averaged over 40.0 yards per punt throughout his career and he also kicked PATs, hitting on 31-of-42 attempts ... Senior season he was the 3A CHSAA Colorado Player of the Year, first-team all-state, All-South Central conference, a finalist for the Golden Helmet Award and the Durango Herald Prep Athlete of the Year ... He completed 59-of-96 passes for 1,010 yards with 12 touchdowns and two interceptions ... Ran 45 times for 409 yards and eight touchdowns ... On Defense, he added 20 tackles and seven interceptions and also served as the team's punter, averaging 40.3 yards per game ... Biggest moment of his prep career was throwing the game-winning touchdown, a 60-yard strike, to secure the state championship in his final game ... Junior season he was named second-team all-state and first-team All-South Central conference ... Completed 128-of-174 passes for 1,941 yards with 23 touchdowns and three interceptions ... Ran the ball 104 times for 1,005 yards and 15 touchdowns ... On defense he had 35 tackles and three interceptions, returning one for a touchdowns ... On special teams he punted 11 times with an average of 40.7 yards per punt and also made 15-of-20 PAT attempts ... Top game as a junior came against Pueblo Centennial, when he was 16-of-24 passing for 275 yards and five touchdowns, while also running for 104 yards and two additional scores in a 52-10 victory ... Sophomore season he was first-team All-South Central conference ... Completed 115-of-164 passes for 1,560 yards and 14 touchdowns with five interceptions ... Ran the ball 88 times for 227 yards and five touchdowns ... On defense, he had 10 tackles and he made 16-of-22 of his PAT attempts ... Top game his sophomore season was against Pueblo County, when he was 15-of-17 passing for 239 yards and five touchdowns and added 112 yards rushing and another score in a 54-7 win ... As a freshman he was second-team All-South Central conference, the Colorado Prep Report Freshman Football Player of the Year and Durango Herald Freshman Athlete of the Year ... Completed 85-of-117 passes for 1,024 yards with 10 touchdowns and one interceptions ... Also caught five passes for 44 yards ... On defense he added four tackles ... Also played basketball and baseball at Durango ... Was an all-conference performer in basketball.

ACADEMICS—He is undecided on a major at Colorado and is interested in management ... He was on the honor roll every semester of high school and multiple times achieved a 4.0 grade point average, graduating early with a 3.9 GPA ... Member of the Colorado Scholar Athletes by the state's chapter of the National Football Foundation ... He was named Academic All-State as both a junior and senior in high school.

PERSONAL—He was born May 30, 2002 in Durango, Colo. ... Parents are Ryan and Kathleen Woolverton ... He has one brother, Peyton ... His dad Ryan was a kicker at the University of Idaho and one of his grandfathers played tight end at Cornell ... Hobbies include fishing, hanging out with friends and spending time at the lake ... Interests include cars, sports and movies.



INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS



6 Daniel Arias • WR

RECEIVING

2018—Fr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
at Washington	1	37	37.0	1	37t	1	1
TOTALS (12G)	1	37	37.0	1	37t	1	1

2019—Soph.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
ARIZONA	2	35	17.5	0	29	1	1
at Utah	1	27	27.0	1	27t	1	1
TOTALS (12G)	3	62	20.7	1	29	2	2

2020—Jr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
UCLA	1	38	38.0	0	38	1	1
at Stanford	1	10	10.0	1	10	0	1
at Arizona	1	6	6.0	0	6	0	0
UTAH	2	33	16.5	0	20	1	2
TOTALS (4G)	5	88	17.6	1	38	2	4

2021—Jr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	Td	Long	20+	10+
vs. Texas A&M	3	37	12.3	0	19	0	2
MINNESOTA	1	8	8.0	0	8	0	0
USC	1	18	18.0	0	18	0	1
ARIZONA	2	12	6.0	0	9	0	0
at Cal	1	8	8.0	0	8	0	0
at Oregon	1	1	1.0	0	1	0	0
OREGON STATE	2	52	26.0	1	43	1	1
at UCLA	4	70	17.5	0	42	1	2
WASHINGTON	3	22	7.3	0	10	0	1
at Utah	1	9	9.0	0	9	0	0
TOTAL (12G)	19	237	12.5	1	43	2	7
CAREER	28	424	15.1	4	43	7	14

SPECIAL TEAMS

2018—Fr.	UT/20	AT/20	Total	KSD	DP	FFC	FDF	Points
vs. Colorado St.	1-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	1
ARIZONA ST.	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	1	2
at USC	1-0	0-0	1	0	2	3	0	6
at Washington	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1
OREGON ST.	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1	2	4
at Arizona	1-1	0-0	1	0	0	1	0	3
WASH. ST.	1-0	0-0	1	0	1	5	0	7
UTAH	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1	1	3
at California	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1
TOTALS (12 G)	4-1	0-0	4	1	5	13	4	28

2019—Soph.	UT/20	AT/20	Total	KSD	DP	FFC	FDF	Points
vs. Colorado St.	1-1	0-0	1	0	0	0	1	3
NEBRASKA	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1	0	2
AIR FORCE	1-0	0-0	1	0	0	1	1	3
at Arizona State	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	1
ARIZONA	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1
at Washington St.	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1	1	3
USC	1-0	0-0	1	0	0	1	1	3
at UCLA	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	2	1	4
STANFORD	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	1
at Utah	1-0	0-0	1	0	0	1	0	2
TOTALS (12 G)	4-1	0-0	4	1	3	8	6	23

2021—Sr.	UT/20	AT/20	Total	KSD	DP	FFC	FDF	Points
N. COLORADO	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	1
at Arizona State	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1
USC	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	1	1	3
ARIZONA	0-0	1-0	1	0	0	1	0	2
at Cal	0-0	1-1	1	0	1	2	2	7
at Oregon	1-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	1
OREGON STATE	0-0	1-1	1	0	0	0	0	2
at UCLA	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	1
WASHINGTON	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	2
at Utah	0-0	1-0	1	1	0	0	0	2
TOTALS (12G)	1-0	4-2	5	3	1	5	3	22
CAREER	9-2	4-2	14	5	9	27	13	73

20 Robert Barnes • ILB

DEFENSE

2021—Sr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
vs. Texas A&M	26	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	1	0-0
MINNESOTA	8	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	16	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	12	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	18	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	31	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	46	4-0-4	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0
OREGON STATE	39	6-1-7	0-0	0-0	0	3	1	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	50	4-2-6	1-1	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	62	8-2-10	1-2	0-0	0	0	0	1-0	0	1-0
at Utah	68	4-3-7	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (11)	376	33-11-44	3-4	0-0	2	6	1	1-0	2	1-0

36 Cole Becker • PK

KICKING

2021—Fr.	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Long	PAT	Points
N. COLORADO	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	—	5-5	5
vs. Texas A&M	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	—	1-1	1
at Arizona State	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-1	1-1	51	1-1	7
USC	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	—	2-2	2
ARIZONA	1-1	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	37	4-4	10
at Cal	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	33	0-0	3
at Oregon	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	—	3-3	3
OREGON STATE	0-0	1-1	0-1	1-1	1-1	52	4-4	13
at UCLA	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-2	0-0	40	2-2	8
WASHINGTON	0-0	1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	35	2-2	8
at Utah	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-1	1-1	56	1-1	7
Totals (11G)	1-1	3-3	5-6	2-6	3-4	56	25-25	67

13 Maurice Bell • WR

RECEIVING

2019—Soph.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
at Washington St.	1	-2	-2.0	0	-2	0	0
STANFORD	1	8	8.0	0	8	0	0
SEASON (12 GP)	2	6	3.0	0	8	0	0

2020—Jr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
UCLA	5	43	8.6	0	20	1	1
UTAH	4	46	11.5	1	21t	1	1
TOTALS (5GP)	9	89	9.9	1	21t	2	2
CAREER	11	95	8.7	1	21t	2	2

27 Nigel Bethel Jr. • CB

DEFENSE

2020—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
UCLA	6	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Stanford	10	1-0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona	32	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	1-2
UTAH	3	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTAL (4 GP)	51	1-0-1	0-0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	1-2

2021—So.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	16	1-0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
vs. Texas A&M	48	1-1-2	0-0	0	0	1	0	0-0	1	0-0
MINNESOTA	12	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0-0	1	0-0
at Arizona State	20	1-1-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	46	3-0-3	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0
ARIZONA	9	1-0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTAL (6 GP)	151	7-2-9	0-0	0	0	2	0	0-0	3	0-0
CAREER	202	8-2-10	0-0	0	0	3	0	0-0	3	1-2



9 Drew Carter • QB

PASSING/TOTAL OFFENSE

2021—Fr.	Att.	Comp	Int	Pct.	Yards	TD	Long	Att.	Yards	Avg.
MINNESOTA	8	4	0	50.0	27	0	12	10	36	3.8
at Cal	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0
at UCLA	3	1	0	33.3	8	0	8	4	-2	-0.5
TOTALS (6G)	12	5	0	41.7	35	0	12	15	34	2.3

RUSHING

2021—Fr.	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
MINNESOTA	2	9	0	9	4.5	0	5	0	0
at UCLA	1	0	10	-10	-10.0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS (6G)	3	9	10	-1	-0.3	0	5	0	0

8 Alex Fontenot • TB

RUSHING

2018—Fr.	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
vs. CSU	3	14	0	14	4.7	0	7	0	0
NEW HAMPSHIRE	8	31	2	29	3.6	1	15t	0	1
TOTALS (2G)	11	45	2	43	3.9	1	15t	0	1

2019—Soph.	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
vs. CSU	19	127	2	125	6.6	3	32	2	5
NEBRASKA	10	43	1	42	4.2	1	18	0	1
AIR FORCE	13	42	0	42	3.2	0	8	0	0
at Arizona State	25	97	8	89	3.6	1	16	0	1
ARIZONA	21	106	12	94	4.5	0	22	1	3
at Oregon	15	73	2	71	4.7	0	20	1	3
at Washington St.	11	105	0	105	9.5	0	25	2	4
USC	16	59	2	57	3.6	0	11	0	1
STANFORD	18	102	7	95	5.3	0	18	0	5
WASHINGTON	24	113	8	105	4.4	1	21	1	4
at Utah	13	50	1	49	3.8	0	13	0	2
TOTALS (11G)	185	917	43	874	4.7	5	32	7	29

2021—Sr.	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
N. COLORADO	8	40	0	40	5.0	1	11	0	1
vs. Texas A&M	12	43	4	39	3.3	0	10	0	1
MINNESOTA	3	4	0	4	1.3	0	3	0	0
at Arizona State	14	67	2	65	4.6	1	15	0	4
USC	6	18	6	12	2.0	0	8	0	0
ARIZONA	11	22	3	19	1.7	0	6	0	0
at Cal	5	9	2	7	1.4	0	4	0	0
at Oregon	8	43	1	42	5.3	1	19	0	1
OREGON STATE	5	18	0	18	3.6	0	6	0	0
at UCLA	11	51	0	51	4.6	2	27	1	1
WASHINGTON	3	1	0	1	0.3	0	1	0	0
at Utah	10	30	2	28	2.8	0	12	0	1
TOTALS (12G)	96	346	20	326	3.4	5	27	1	9
CAREER (25G)	292	1,308	65	1,243	4.3	11	32	8	39

RECEIVING

2019—Soph.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
NEBRASKA	4	20	5.0	0	10	0	1
AIR FORCE	1	-2	-2.0	0	-2	0	0
at Arizona State	3	22	7.3	0	15	0	1
ARIZONA	5	34	6.8	0	19	0	2
at Oregon	3	12	4.0	0	11	0	1
at Washington State	2	5	2.5	0	6	0	0
USC	5	29	5.4	0	9	0	0
WASHINGTON	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
at Utah	3	2	.7	0	3	0	0
TOTALS (11GP)	27	122	4.5	0	19	0	5

2021—Jr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
N. COLORADO	1	2	2.0	0	2	0	0
MINNESOTA	2	12	6.0	0	8	0	0
USC	1	9	9.0	0	9	0	0
ARIZONA	1	43	43.0	0	43	1	1
at Cal	1	2	2.0	0	2	0	0
at Oregon	2	7	3.5	1	5	0	0
OREGON STATE	1	-4	-4.0	0	-4	0	0
at UCLA	1	-3	-3.0	0	-3	0	0
WASHINGTON	2	6	3.0	0	5	0	0
at Utah	1	6	6.0	0	6	0	0
TOTALS (12G)	12	80	6.7	1	43	1	1
CAREER (25G)	39	202	6.2	1	43	1	6

44 Devin Grant • OLB

DEFENSE

2021—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
at UCLA	26	4-1-5	1-2	0-0	1	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	56	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Utah	63	7-0-7	2-4	0-0	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
Totals (3G)	145	11-2-13	3-6	0-0	1	2	1	0-0	0	0-0

33 Joshka Gustav • OLB

DEFENSE

2020—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
UCLA	27	1-0-1	0-0	0	0	0	2	0-0	0	0-0
at Stanford	18	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0
SAN DIEGO ST.	10	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona	20	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	0-0	0	0-0
UTAH	16	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	0-0	0	0-0
TOTAL (5GP)	91	1-0-1	0-0	0	0	0	7	0-0	1	0-0

2021—So.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	14	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
vs. Texas A&M	10	1-0-1	0-0	0	0	2	0	0-1	0	0-0
MINNESOTA	13	1-0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	8	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	11	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	22	4-0-4	1-4	1	0	2	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	8	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0-0	1	0-0
at Oregon	40	2-1-3	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0
OREGON STATE	55	3-1-4	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (10G)	181	11-2-13	1-4	1	0	5	0	0-1	2	0-0
CAREER (15G)	272	12-2-14	1-4	1	0	5	7	0-1	3	0-0

7 Marvin Ham • ILB

DEFENSE

2021—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
at Arizona State	7	1-0-1	1-1	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	9	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	7	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	6	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	30	2-2-4	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
OREGON STATE	22	3-1-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	23	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	33	4-1-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Utah	1	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (12G)	138	14-6-20	1-1	0-0	0	3	0	0-0	0	0-0

10 Jaylon Jackson • WR

RECEIVING

2018—Fr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
at USC	2	19	9.5	0	14	0	1
at Arizona	6	25	4.2	0	7	0	0
TOTALS (2G)	8	44	5.5	0	14	0	1

2019—Soph.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
NEBRASKA	1	57	57.0	0	57	1	1
ARIZONA	1	4	4.0	0	4	0	0
at Washington St.	1	12	12.0	0	12	0	1
STANFORD	1	4	4.0	0	4	0	0
TOTALS (4G)	4	77	19.3	0	57	1	2

2020—Jr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
at Stanford	1	14	14.0	0	14	0	1
SAN DIEGO ST.	1	3	3.0	1	3t	0	0
TOTALS (5G)	2	17	8.5	1	14	0	1
CAREER	14	138	9.9	1	57	1	4

RUSHING

2019—Soph.	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
NEBRASKA	1	14	0	14	14.0	0	14	0	1
TOTALS (12G)	1	14	0	14	14.0	0	14	0	1



54 Terrance Lang • DE

DEFENSE

2018—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
vs. CSU	22	1-0—1	0-0	0-0	0	2	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Nebraska	19	1-0—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0
N. HAMPSHIRE	32	0-1—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
UCLA	22	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA ST.	10	1-0—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at USC	8	2-1—3	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
OREGON ST.	49	3-0—3	1-5	1-5	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0
at Arizona	31	1-0—1	1-2	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASH. ST.	47	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	2	0-0	0	0-0
UTAH	6	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at California	17	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	2	1	0-0	1	0-0
TOTALS (11G)	263	9-2—11	2-7	1-5	0	6	6	0-0	3	0-0

2019—Soph.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
vs. CSU	64	1-2—3	1-10	1-10	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
NEBRASKA	51	2-1—3	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
AIR FORCE	31	3-2—5	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	45	3-2—5	1-6	1-6	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	46	0-1—1	0-0	0-0	0	1	2	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	56	2-0—2	1-12	1-12	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Washington St.	50	2-1—3	0-0	0-0	0	1	3	0-0	0	0-0
USC	46	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	58	2-5—7	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
STANFORD	40	3-0—3	1-6	1-6	0	1	2	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	56	5-1—6	2-17	1-15	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Utah	44	3-0—3	0-0	1-0	1	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (12G)	588	25-15—40	6-51	6-49	3	9	12	0-0	0	0-0

2020—Jr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
UCLA	56	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	1	2	0-0	0	0-0
at Stanford	69	2-0—2	2-10	0-0	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
SAN DIEGO ST.	51	3-1—4	1-3	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona	62	3-2—5	0-0	1-2	0	2	0	0-0	1	0-0
UTAH	66	3-0—3	1-1	0-0	2	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTAL (5G)	304	11-3-14	4-14	1-2	2	6	3	0-0	1	0-0

2021—Jr.-2	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	39	1-1-2	0-0	1-0	1	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
vs. Texas A&M	34	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	0-0	0	0-0
MINNESOTA	41	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	37	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0-0	1	0-0
USC	46	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	52	2-2-4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	63	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	60	1-2-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
OREGON STATE	55	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	36	1-1-2	1-1	0.5-1	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	69	3-0-3	1-2	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	1	0-0
at Utah	57	2-1-3	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (12G)	589	11-9-21	3-4	1.5-1	2	8	6	0-0	2	0-0
CAREER (40G)	1844	56-29—85	15-769.5-57	7	29	27	0-0	6	0-0	

1 Montana Lemonious-Craig • WR

RECEIVING

2021—So.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
N. COLORADO	2	23	11.5	1	17	0	1
at Arizona State	1	9	9.0	0	9	0	0
ARIZONA	3	52	17.3	0	29	2	2
at Cal	1	5	5.0	0	5	0	0
at Oregon	1	12	12.0	0	12	0	1
OREGON STATE	2	22	11.0	1	16	0	1
TOTALS (10 GP)	10	123	12.3	2	29	2	5

12 Brendon Lewis • QB

PASSING/TOTAL OFFENSE

2021—Fr.	Att.	Comp	Int	Pct.	Yards	TD	Long	Att.	Yards	Avg.
N. COLORADO	15	10	0	66.6	102	1	23	23	146	6.3
vs. Texas A&M	25	13	1	52.0	89	0	19	34	165	4.9
MINNESOTA	16	8	0	50.0	55	0	11	23	28	1.2
at Arizona State	17	7	0	41.2	67	0	26	27	106	3.9
USC	17	10	1	58.9	162	1	65	26	149	5.7
ARIZONA	19	12	0	63.2	248	2	62	24	259	10.8
at Cal	17	9	1	52.9	69	0	21	26	60	2.3
at Oregon	33	25	0	75.7	224	3	36	41	234	5.7
OREGON STATE	24	15	0	62.5	170	3	43	29	182	6.3
at UCLA	26	17	0	65.4	158	0	42	34	158	4.6
WASHINGTON	25	14	0	56.0	112	0	20	31	142	4.6
at Utah	23	9	0	39.1	84	0	29	37	99	2.7
TOTALS (12G)	257	149	3	57.9	1540	10	65	355	1728	4.9

RUSHING

2021—Fr.	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
N. COLORADO	8	55	11	44	5.5	0	12	0	4
vs. Texas A&M	9	79	3	76	8.4	0	30	1	4
MINNESOTA	7	5	32	-27	-3.6	0	3	0	0
at Arizona State	10	57	18	39	3.9	0	33	1	1
USC	9	12	25	-13	-1.4	0	8	0	0
ARIZONA	5	13	2	11	2.2	0	7	0	0
at Cal	9	27	36	-9	-1.0	0	14	0	1
at Oregon	8	17	7	10	1.3	0	6	0	0
OREGON STATE	5	16	4	12	2.4	1	9	0	0
at UCLA	8	39	39	0	0.0	0	15	0	1
WASHINGTON	6	36	6	30	5.0	1	16	0	1
at Utah	14	50	35	15	1.1	0	13	0	1
TOTALS (12G)	98	406	218	188	1.9	2	33	2	13

23 Isaiah Lewis • S

DEFENSE

2020—Soph.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
UCLA	41	1-2-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	3	0-0
at Stanford	79	4-0-4	0-0	0-0	0	2	1	0-0	2	0-0
SAN DIEGO ST.	51	4-2-6	0-0	0-0	1	1	1	0-0	1	0-0
at Arizona	75	5-4-9	1-1	0.5-3	0	3	1	0-0	2	0-0
UTAH	73	5-0-5	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTAL (5GP)	319	19-8-27	1-1	0.5-3	1	7	4	0-0	8	0-0

2021—Jr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	47	0-3-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
Texas A&M	69	6-1-7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
MINNESOTA	57	6-2-8	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	52	3-3-6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	53	6-2-8	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	54	8-0-8	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	57	5-2-7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	38	2-5-7	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0-0	0	1-0
OREGON STATE	56	8-1-9	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0-0	0	1-38
at UCLA	39	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	61	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Utah	52	9-3-12	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (12G)	635	55-24-79	0-0	0-0	2	7	0	0-0	0	2-38
CAREER (17G)	954	74-32-106	1-1	0.5-3	3	14	4	0-0	8	2-38



4 Jamar Montgomery • OLB

DEFENSE

2019—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
at Washington St.	15	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0
USC	6	2-0—2	1-10	1-10	0	0	1	0-1	0	0-0
at UCLA	2	0-1—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
STANFORD	2	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (4G)	25	2-1—3	1-10	1-10	0	0	1	0-1	1	0-0

2020—Soph.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
UCLA	7	1-0-1	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	1-1	0	0-0
at Stanford	13	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
SAN DIEGO ST.	9	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona	15	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
UTAH	22	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTAL (9G)	66	4-0-4	1-1	0-0	0	0	1	1-1	0	0-0

2021—Jr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	15	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0-0	0	0-0
vs. Texas A&M	15	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	2	0-0	0	0-0
MINNESOTA	11	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	8	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	12	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	14	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	15	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
OREGON STATE	15	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	33	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (9 GP)	138	5-2-7	0-0	0-0	0	3	5	0-0	0	0-0
CAREER (23G)	229	11-3-14	2-11	1-10	0	3	7	1-2	1	0-0

0 Kaylin Moore • CB

DEFENSE

2021—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	12	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0
at Cal	3	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	12	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
OREGON STATE	62	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	44	2-2-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (5G)	133	5-2-7	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	1	0-0

3 Chase Penry • WR

RECEIVING

2021—Fr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
N. COLORADO	1	16	16.0	0	16	0	1
vs. Texas A&M	1	2	2.0	0	2	0	0
MINNESOTA	1	12	12.0	0	12	0	1
at Arizona State	1	7	7.0	1	7	0	0
at Oregon	1	8	8.0	0	8	0	0
OREGON STATE	3	41	13.7	0	21	1	2
TOTALS (11 GP)	8	86	10.8	1	21	1	4

12 Quinn Perry • ILB

DEFENSE

2021—Jr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	32	3-1-4	1-4	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
vs. Texas A&M	13	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
MINNESOTA	51	9-1-10	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	30	4-2-6	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	19	1-5-6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	39	3-1-4	1-2	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	35	5-1-6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	42	7-2-9	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
OREGON STATE	59	9-2-11	1-1	0-0	3	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	45	5-2-7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	51	6-4-10	1-2	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Utah	67	1-3-4	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (12G)	483	53-25-78	4-9	0-0	6	3	0	0-0	0	0-0

6 Nikko Reed • CB

DEFENSE

2021—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	13	2-0-2	1-1	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
VS Texas A&M	8	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
MINNESOTA	4	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	5	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	9	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	18	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	1	0-0
at Cal	3	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	13	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
OREGON STATE	20	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	24	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	29	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	1	1-0
at Utah	53	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (12 GP)	199	5-3-8	1-1	0-0	0	3	0	0-0	2	0-0

80 Ty Robinson • WR

RECEIVING

2021—Fr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
MINNESOTA	1	9	9.0	0	9	0	0
at Arizona State	1	26	26.0	0	26	1	1
at Oregon	2	21	10.5	1	12	0	1
WASHINGTON	2	8	4.0	0	6	0	0
TOTALS (4 GP)	6	64	10.7	1	26	1	2

91 Na'im Rodman • DT

DEFENSE

2019—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
vs. CSU	18	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
NEBRASKA	11	0-1—1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
AIR FORCE	27	1-0—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	44	0-1—1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	45	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	43	0-1—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Washington St.	40	1-0—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	21	1-0—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	7	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
STANFORD	9	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	37	1-2—3	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Utah	12	0-2—2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (12G)	314	4-7—11	0-0	0-0	3	1	0	0-0	0	0-0

2020—Soph.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
UCLA	9	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Stanford	11	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
SAN DIEGO ST.	8	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona	13	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
UTAH	7	0-2-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTAL (5G)	48	0-2-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0

2021—Jr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	42	2-0-2	1-4	1-4	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
vs. Texas A&M	58	1-0-1	0-0	0.5-1	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
MINNESOTA	36	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	40	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	26	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	26	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	22	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	23	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
OREGON STATE	32	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	50	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	36	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Utah	38	5-1-6	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (12G)	429	13-3-16	2-5	1.5-5	1	0	2	0-0	0	0-0
CAREER (30G)	791	17-12-29	2-5	1.5-5	4	1	3	0-0	0	0-0



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RECEIVING

2018—Fr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
at Washington	4	23	5.8	0	11	0	1
at California	1	18	18.0	0	18	0	1
TOTALS (11G)	5	41	8.2	0	18	0	2

2019—So.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
vs. CSU	2	44	22.0	0	27	1	2
NEBRASKA	4	31	7.8	0	14	0	1
AIR FORCE	1	2	2.0	0	2	0	0
ARIZONA	3	32	10.7	1	15	0	2
at Oregon	1	8	8.0	0	8	0	0
at Washington St.	3	20	6.7	0	13	0	1
USC	1	6	6.0	0	6	0	0
at UCLA	3	29	9.7	0	16	0	1
STANFORD	1	7	7.0	0	7	0	0
WASHINGTON	1	24	24.0	0	24	1	1
at Utah	3	18	6.0	1	8	0	0
TOTALS (12G)	23	221	9.6	2	27	2	8

2020—Jr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
UCLA	5	77	15.4	1	34	2	3
TOTALS (2GP)	5	77	15.4	1	34	2	3

2021—Jr.2	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
N. COLORADO	1	7	7.0	0	7	0	0
vs. Texas A&M	3	20	6.7	0	15	0	1
MINNESOTA	2	10	5.0	0	8	0	0
USC	3	87	29.0	0	65	1	2
at Cal	2	18	9.0	0	16	0	1
at Oregon	3	42	14.0	0	28	1	1
OREGON STATE	1	20	20.0	0	20	1	1
at UCLA	5	60	12.0	0	35	1	1
WASHINGTON	3	31	10.3	0	20	1	1
at Utah	2	12	6.0	0	7	0	0
TOTALS (12G)	25	307	12.3	0	65	5	8
CAREER (37G)	58	646	11.1	3	65	9	21

99 Jalen Sami • DT

DEFENSE

2019—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
vs. CSU	40	0-1—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1-0	0	0-0
NEBRASKA	42	0-1—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
AIR FORCE	50	1-0—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona St.	49	2-2—4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	13	0-1—1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	13	0-0—0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	30	1-2—3	1-2	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	51	0-2—2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
STANFORD	36	2-0—2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	48	4-1—5	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Utah	39	1-4—5	1-2	1-2	2	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (11G)	411	13-12—25	2-4	1-2	4	3	2	1-0	0	0-0

2020—So.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
UCLA	38	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Stanford	61	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0
SAN DIEGO ST.	12	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona	28	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
UTAH	27	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTAL (5G)	166	1-2-3	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0-0	1	0-0

2021—So.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	20	3-0-3	2-8	1-4	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
vs. Texas A&M	31	1-1-2	0-0	0.5-1	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
MINNESOTA	33	4-1-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	37	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	7	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	33	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	40	2-2-4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	41	1-0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-1	0	0-0
OREGON STATE	48	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
at UCLA	38	2-3-5	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
WASHINGTON	47	4-0-4	1-1	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Utah	57	3-0-3	1-1	0-0	0	2	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (12G)	432	23-7-30	4-10	1.5-5	7	3	0	0-1	0	0-0
CAREER (16G)	1009	37-21-58	6-14	2.5-7	11	7	3	1-1	1	0-0

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RUSHING

2019—Fr.	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
vs. CSU	2	4	0	4	2.0	0	3	0	0
AIR FORCE	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	0	0
at Arizona State	4	15	0	15	3.8	0	8	0	0
at Oregon	7	45	4	41	5.9	0	18	0	1
at Washington St.	4	4	5	-1	-0.3	0	2	0	0
at UCLA	2	0	2	-2	-1.0	0	0	0	0
at Utah	3	9	0	9	3.0	0	9	0	0
TOTALS (12G)	23	79	11	68	3.0	0	18	0	1

2021—So.	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
N. COLORADO	4	33	1	32	8.0	1	21	1	1
MINNESOTA	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0	0
USC	7	12	0	12	1.7	1	5	0	0
ARIZONA	5	27	4	23	4.6	0	13	0	2
at Cal	3	9	0	9	3.0	0	6	0	0
at Oregon	7	28	2	26	3.7	0	11	0	1
OREGON STATE	7	25	0	25	3.6	0	9	0	0
at UCLA	10	45	2	43	4.3	0	8	0	0
WASHINGTON	3	5	3	2	0.7	0	3	0	0
at Utah	6	23	4	19	3.2	0	16	0	1
TOTALS (12G)	53	208	16	192	3.6	2	21	1	5
CAREER (24G)	76	287	27	260	3.4	0	21	1	6

RECEIVING

2019—Fr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
at UCLA	2	6	3.0	0	3	0	0
at Utah	2	22	11.0	0	20	1	1
TOTALS (12G)	4	28	7.0	0	20	1	1

2021—So.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
USC	1	8	8.0	0	8	0	0
at Oregon	2	6	3.0	0	10	0	1
OREGON STATE	1	6	6.0	0	6	0	0
at UCLA	1	1	1.0	0	1	0	0
TOTALS (12G)	5	21	4.2	0	10	0	1
CAREER (24G)	9	49	5.4	0	20	1	2

21 Jayle Stacks • TB

RUSHING

2021—Fr.	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
ARIZONA	1	4	0	4	4.0	0	4	0	0

RECEIVING

2019—Fr.	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD	Long	20+	10+
MINNESOTA	1	3	3.0	0	3	0	0

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DEFENSE

2021—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	13	1-0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-1
MINNESOTA	6	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-1
at Arizona State	8	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-1
USC	15	1-1-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-1
ARIZONA	29	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-1
at Cal	36	4-0-4	0-0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-1
at Oregon	33	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-1
OREGON STATE	14	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-1
at UCLA	35	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-1
WASHINGTON	51	2-1-3	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-1
at Utah	17	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-1
TOTALS (12G)	257	8-2-10	0-0	0	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-1



1 Guy Thomas • OLB

DEFENSE

2020—Soph.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
UCLA	21	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Stanford	27	0-2-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
SAN DIEGO ST.	12	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
UTAH	20	3-0-3	1-1	0-0	2	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTAL (4G)	80	4-3-7	1-1	0-0	3	3	1	0-0	0	0-0

2021—Jr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	23	3-0-3	1-4	1-4	0	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
Texas A&M	47	5-0-5	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	0-0	0	0-0
MINNESOTA	49	10-2-12	1-3	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	45	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	31	3-2-5	1-6	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	38	3-2-5	0-0	0-0	1	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	33	4-1-5	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (7G)	266	28-8-36	4-14	1-4	3	3	1	0-0	0	0-0
CAREER (11G)	346	32-12-43	5-15	1-4	6	6	2	0-0	0	0-0

58 Alvin Williams • OLB

DEFENSE

2021—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yd
WASHINGTON	31	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0
at Utah	7	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0
TOTALS (2G)	38	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0-0	0	0-0

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DEFENSE

2021—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
at Cal	9	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0

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DEFENSE

2022—Fr.	Plays	UT-AT—Ttl	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	FR-FF	PBU	INT-Yds
N. COLORADO	13	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
MINNESOTA	13	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Arizona State	6	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
USC	11	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
ARIZONA	12	1-1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Cal	16	3-1-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
at Oregon	31	2-5-7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
OREGON STATE	32	3-3-6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0
WASHINGTON	5	0-0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0-0
TOTALS (10G)	139	13-10-23	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	1	0-0



2021-IN-REVIEW



COLORADO 35 NORTHERN COLORADO 7

SEPTEMBER 3, 2021

FOLSOM FIELD, BOULDER

GAME **1**

BOULDER — Karl Dorrell's Colorado Buffaloes overcame a slow start to grind out a 35-7 win over Northern Colorado in both teams' season opener at Folsom Field.

While new CU mascot Ralphie VI had a successful debut in front of an enthusiastic crowd of 44,153, the Buffs offense struggled to find its footing early. But CU finally put two scores on the board in the second quarter while the defense produced a first-half shutout, then added 21 points in the second half to wrap up the win.

CU's Jarek Broussard ran 15 times for 94 yards and a touchdown as Colorado dominated the game on the ground. The Buffs finished with 383 yards total offense, including an overwhelming 281-17 edge on the ground as four different CU running backs found the end zone. CU freshman quarterback Brendon Lewis completed 10 of 15 attempts for 102 yards and a touchdown in his starting debut.

One big downside to the night proved to be penalties, as CU was flagged for 12 miscues for 117 yards. And both teams struggled offensively in the first half before CU finally found its footing early in the second quarter.

Thanks to a UNC penalty that kept a Buffs drive alive at the Bears 38, the Buffs took advantage of the opportunity to get to the end zone. Lewis hit tight end Brady Russell with a 7-yard pass, Broussard burst up the middle for a 12-yard gain and two plays later, he capped the drive with a 1-yard touchdown run.

CU's defense continued to keep the Bears bottled up and forced two more UNC punts before the Buffs struck again.

Colorado drove 56 yards in five plays for its second touchdown and a 14-0 lead. Broussard provided a big play with a 30-yard run down the left sideline before Lewis then found Montana Lemonious-Craig in the end zone with a 17-yard throw.

CU's defense then turned away UNC's most productive drive of the half. The Bears moved from their own 25 to the Colorado 15, only to see UNC quarterback Dylan McCaffrey overthrow his receiver, giving CU's Mekhi Blackmon an interception in the end zone.

After Becker hit the crossbar on a 53-yard field-goal try on CU's first possession of the second half, the Buffs took their next possession and hammered out their third scoring drive of the night.

Starting from its own 10-yard line, Colorado drove 90 yards in 16 plays for a touchdown, using 7:25 off the clock. Alex Fontenot performed the bulk of the work, carrying six times for 32 yards, including a 3-yard touchdown run to cap the drive.

UNC finally got on the board on its next possession, going 75 yards in seven plays. The Buffs helped the Bears on the drive with two costly penalties, including an unsportsmanlike conduct flag on fourth down. Northern Colorado finally reached the end zone when McCaffrey connected with Washington State transfer Cassidy Woods for a 34-yard touchdown pass to cut CU's lead to 21-7 at the end of the third quarter.

The Buffs, however, quickly answered. After a nice kick return by Brenden Rice to the CU 46, the Buffs went 64 yards in six plays for a touchdown. Ashaad Clayton finished the drive with a 1-yard scoring run for a 28-7 Colorado lead.

The Buffs then tacked on another touchdown to their total midway through the quarter after the defense held at midfield on fourth down. Deion Smith ran for 21 yards, Lewis connected with La'Vontae Shenault on a 23-yard pass and Smith then ran 7 yards for CU's fifth touchdown of the night and a 35-7 lead.

NORTHERN COLORADO...	0	0	7	0	—	7
COLORADO	0	14	7	14	—	35

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
COLORADO —Broussard 1 run (Becker kick)	7- 0	13:51	2Q
COLORADO —Lemonious-Craig 17 pass from Lewis (Becker kick)	14- 0	7:02	2Q
COLORADO —Fontenot 3 run (Becker kick)	21- 0	3:10	3Q
N. Colorado —Woods 34 pass from McCaffrey (Raybon kick)	21- 7	0:00	3Q
COLORADO —Clayton 1 run (Becker kick)	28- 7	12:29	4Q
COLORADO —Smith 5 run (Becker kick)	35- 7	7:27	4Q

Attendance: 44,153 **Time:** 3:18

Weather (59°): 73 degrees, partly cloudy, 50 percent humidity; winds from the north at 9 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	N. COLORADO
First Downs	22	15
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	6-10 (0-0)	3 -14 (0-2)
Rushes—Net Yards	49-281	18-20
Passing Yards	102	236
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	15-10-0	42-24-1
Total Offense	383	256
Return Yards	68	0
Punts: No-Average	3-40.0	6-37.3
Fumbles: No-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties/Yards	12/118	6/50
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	4-12	2-11
Time of Possession	30:44	29:16
Drives/Average Field Position	11/C33	10/N26
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	5-5 (35)	0-2 (0)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Broussard 15-94, Clayton 8-51, B.Lewis 8-44, Fontenot 8-40, Smith 4-32, Davis 5-22, Team 1-minus 2. **UNC:** Wilson 6-16, McCaffrey 9-9, Thomas 1-3, George 1-minus 4; Zincola 1-minus 4.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 15-10-0, 102, 1 td. **UNC:** McCaffrey 42-24-1, 235, 1 td.

Receiving—Colorado: Lemonious-Craig 2-23, Shenault 2-23, Pell 1-17, Penry 1-16, Broussard 1-7, Russell 1-7, Stanley 1-7, Fontenot 1-2. **UNC:** Wilson 8-69, Woods 4-88, Mitchell 3-18, Thomas 3-2, DeLaCroix 2-30, Flowers 1-9, Morris 1-7, Zincola 1-7, Angellillo 1-6.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 3-40.0 (41 long, 1 in20). **UNC:** Brickhouse 6-37.3 (47 long, 2 in20).

Punt Returns—Colorado: Stanley 3-68. **UNC:** none.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: Rice 1-44. **UNC:** Ison 1-23, Thomas 1-16.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: Blackmon 3,2—5; Landman 4,0—4; Miller 4,0—4; Q.Perry 3,1—4; Sami 3,0—3; Thomas 3,0—3; M.Perry 1,2—3; Wells 1,2—3; I.Lewis 0,3—3; Gonzalez 2,0—2; Reed 2,0—2; Rodman 2,0—2; Land 1,1—2. **UNC:** Bobo 11,3—14; Gagnon 3,2—5; Potts 1,4—5; Jackson 4,0—4; Koffie 4,0—4; Talkington 1,3—4; Golden 2,1—3; Harris 2,1—3.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: Rodman 1-4, Sami 1-4, Thomas 1-4, Lang 1-0. **UNC:** Golden 1-8, Hoage 1-3.

Interceptions—Colorado: Blackmon 1-0. **UNC:** none.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Landman, Moore. **UNC:** none.

GAME NOTES

Colorado now leads the series by an **11-2** count (2-0 since the rivalry resumed in 2017 after being dormant since 1934). CU leads 7-1 in Boulder ... Tonight's attendance of **44,153** was bolstered late in the week by the announcement of Ralphie VI and an awesome turnout by the students; all 14,000 sport passes sold out (all-time student tickets sold were 14,442 in 1972, followed by 14,000 in 1990; **11,537** students were scanned in tonight) ... The Buffaloes are now **83-44-5** in 132 season openers, **55-20-1** at home; it was the first season opening win in Boulder since 2005, as most openers since 1988 took place in Denver ... Colorado is now **20-3** in non-conference regular season games dating back to 2013 ... CU is now **19-25** all-time on Fridays ... Karl Dorrell improved to 40-29 as a collegiate head coach 5-2 at Colorado) ... The late Hank Aaron would be proud: this was CU's **715th** all-time victory (715-517-36) ... UNC had 18 rushes for 20 yards; it was the fewest in a season opener since 1996, when Washington State had 21 rushes for a net 5 yards ... CU did not turn the ball over (or even have a fumble) in its third straight season opener; it's the second turnover-free game under Dorrell ... Colorado was 5-for-5 in the red zone (5 TDs), and is now an incredible 54-of-58 over the last 16 season openers (93.1%; 39 TDs/15 FGs). CU is 19-of-19 in the last four season lid-lifters ... The last time four different running backs scored in a game was on Sept. 26, 2015 in a 48-0 win over Nicholls State.



TEXAS A&M 10 COLORADO 7

SEPTEMBER 11, 2021

EMPOWER FIELD AT MILE HIGH, DENVER

GAME **2**

DENVER — Colorado's defense played lights out all afternoon, but the Buffaloes' bid for an upset of No. 5 Texas A&M fell just short as the Aggies used a fourth-quarter touchdown to escape Empower Field with a 10-7 win.

The Buffaloes scored first, putting a touchdown on the board in the first quarter, but they never found the end zone again. Both teams missed field goals in the first half, and CU also came up short on a fourth-and-1 attempt at the Texas A&M 5-yard line in the second quarter while the Aggies lost a fumble in the end zone in the fourth quarter.

The Buffs stymied the high-powered A&M offense for 57 minutes before the Aggies finally put together a 77-yard scoring drive to take their first lead with just 2:41 left in the game.

Colorado's defense had an outstanding first half, dominating the Aggies for most of the first two quarters. CU forced six three-and-out possessions in the first half and held the Aggies without a first down until their final possession of the half.

Offensively, the Buffs started slowly — Brendon Lewis threw an interception on CU's first possession — but then found their ground game to reach the end zone.

After Colorado's defense forced its fourth straight three-and-out, the Buffs drove 69 yards in nine plays for a touchdown. Lewis carried three times for 48 yards on the march, including a 30-yard gain, before Jarek Broussard bulled in from 2 yards out for the touchdown. Cole Becker's PAT gave CU a 7-0 lead with 2:24 still to go in the first quarter.

Colorado's defense continued to hold the Aggies in check. With backup QB Zach Calzada at the helm after an early injury to starter Haynes King, A&M failed to collect a first down on its first six possessions.

The Buffs missed a chance to add to their lead early in the second quarter when a 46-yard field goal try went wide right and they came away empty again 10 minutes later after driving from their own 29 all the way to the A&M 5. Needing just 1 yard, the Buffs came up short on two straight plays and turned the ball over at the A&M on downs.

The Aggies finally got on the board late in the second quarter, driving 57 yards to the CU 23-yard line before settling for a 41-yard field goal just before halftime.

After a scoreless third quarter in which neither team could muster any kind of offensive threat, CU's defense came up with a huge play after the Aggies drove from their own 13 to the Colorado 13 midway through the fourth.

On third-and-13, Calzada scrambled from the pocket up the middle and lunged for the end zone, with the ball coming loose just as he reached the goal line. Officials initially signaled a touchdown, but upon review, changed the call to a fumble and CU recovery, protecting the Buffaloes' 7-3 lead.

Cornerback Mekhi Blackmon came up with the recovery, the second straight week he produced a turnover in the end zone (he had an interception last week vs. Northern Colorado).

But the Buffs could not move the ball on their ensuing possession and the Aggies moved from their own 23 to go 77 yards in 11 plays. Calzada threw an 18-yard scoring pass to Isaiah Spiller with just 2:41 left in the game.

CU couldn't move the ball on its next possession and turned the ball over on downs and A&M ran out the clock to escape with the win.

Texas A&M.....	0	3	0	7	—	10
Stanford	7	0	0	0	—	7

SCORING

COLORADO —Broussard 2 run (Becker kick)	Score	Time	Qtr
Texas A&M —Small 41 FG	7- 0	2:24	1Q
Texas A&M —Spiller 18 pass from Calzada (Small kick)	7- 3	0:25	2Q
	7-10	2:41	4Q

Attendance: 61,203 **Time:** 3:26

Weather: 92 degrees, partly cloudy, 11 percent humidity; winds from the northeast at 9 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	TEXAS A&M
First Downs	14	14
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	4-14 (0-2)	8-20 (0-0)
Rushes—Net Yards	38-171	29-98
Passing Yards	89	191
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	25-13-1	40-19-0
Total Offense	260	289
Return Yards	18	50
Punts: No-Average	7-49.0	8-49.0
Fumbles: No-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties/Yards	2/17	7/65
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	2-2	1-3
Time of Possession	28:34	31:26
Drives/Average Field Position	13/C27	13/T29
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	1-2 (7)	1-2 (7)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: B.Lewis 9-76, Broussard 12-51, Fontenot 12-39, Clayton 3-8, Stanley 1-minus 1, Team 1-minus 2. **Texas A&M:** Achane 9-50, Calzada 7-29, Spiller 8-20, Smith 1-3, King 1-2, Team 3-minus 6.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 25-13-1, 89, 0 td. **Texas A&M:** Calzada 38-18-0, 183, 1 td; King 2-1-0, 8, 0 td.

Receiving—Colorado: Arias 3-37, Russell 3-20, Stanley 3-19, Rice 2-10, Penry 1-2, Broussard 1-1. **Texas A&M:** Spiller 6-56, Wydermyer 4-66, Achane 3-24, Smith 3-19, Lane 2-19, Chapman 1-7.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 7-49.0 (55 long, 0 In20). **Texas A&M:** Constantinou 8-49.0 (65 long, 2 In20).

Punt Returns—Colorado: Stanley 1-13, Reed 1-5. **Texas A&M:** Smith 6-50.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: none. **Texas A&M:** Achane 1-21.

Interceptions—Colorado: none. **Texas A&M:** Peevy 1-0.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: Landman 8,2—10; I.Lewis 6,1—7; Gonzalez 2,4—6; Thomas 5,0—5; Blackmon 2,2—4; M.Perry 2,1—3; Barnes 2,0—2; Bethel 1,1—2; Sami 1,1—2; Wells 1,1—2. **Texas A&M:** Johnson 9,0—9; Peevy 5,2—7; Leal 4,1—5; George 4,0—4; O'Neal 4,0—4; Clemons 3,1—4; Richardson 2,2—4; Hansford 3,0—3, White 2,1—3.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: Thomas 1-0, Rodman ½-1, Sami ½-1. **Texas A&M:** White 1-3.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Landman 2, Barnes, Bethel, Blackmon, Gonzalez, Wells. **Texas A&M:** Johnson 2, Jones, Leal, O'Neal, Peevy, Richardson.

GAME NOTES

Colorado now leads the series by a **6-4** count (4-1 in Boulder, 2-2 in College Station, 0-1 in Denver) ... With the temperature 92 degrees at kickoff, it tied the sixth-warmest at kick in CU history, and tied for the second hottest in the state of Colorado (warmer: 94, CU vs. CSU in Denver on 9/1/2012; matched 92 vs. Kansas in Boulder, 9/24/1949 ... Colorado is now **12-55-1** all-time versus top 5 teams ... The last time the Buffs lost a game allowing 10 points or less was on Nov. 12, 1988 in a 7-0 loss at Nebraska (and a similar 10-7 loss to Oregon in Boulder in the '87 opener); CU had won **75** straight games when allowing 13 points or less ... Texas A&M ran 27 plays in the fourth quarter to CU's 6 ... There were just **four** plays (out of 142 scrimmage and returns) for 20-plus yards: one rush (30 by CU's Brendon Lewis), two receptions (29 and 25 by Jalen Wydermyer by and Devon Achane for A&M) and a 21-yard kickoff return by Achane ... The 10 points No. 5 Texas A&M scored today tied for the second fewest by a Top 5 team against a Colorado defense ... Colorado forced A&M into six straight three-and-outs to open the game (a missed FGA counts), and didn't allow A&M a first down until its 19th play (at the 1:50 mark of the second quarter) ... A&M was just 2-of-23 in second down efficiency for the game, and missed on its first 18 tries ... **P Josh Watts** (7-49.0 avg., 0 In20, 1 TB; 41.9 net), had the best day of his career, including three punts of 50 yards or more, matching the total he had in his first 30 kicks as a Buff (he averaged 54.7 yards on three punts inside-the-CU 30) ... **ILB Nate Landman** (8,2—10 TT) had the 19th double-digit career tackle game of his career.



MINNESOTA 30 COLORADO 0

SEPTEMBER 18, 2021

FOLSOM FIELD, BOULDER

GAME **3**

BOULDER — Colorado's offense struggled from the beginning and Minnesota's ground game wore down the Buffaloes' defense as CU dropped a 30-0 decision at Folsom Field.

The Gophers put two touchdowns on the board in the first half, then added two more touchdowns and a field goal after intermission to hand CU its first shutout loss at home since a 48-0 loss to Stanford in 2012.

CU's offense, meanwhile, never established any kind of consistency. Colorado finished with just 63 yards total offense, did not cross midfield until late in the second quarter and did not hit Minnesota territory again until late in the fourth. CU starting quarterback Brendon Lewis completed 8-of-16 pass attempts for 55 yards. Backup quarterback Drew Carter, who came into the game in the fourth quarter, led CU in rushing with 9 yards on two carries.

Minnesota finished with 441 yards total offense, including 277 on the ground. Trey Potts led the Gophers with 121 yards and three touchdowns on 26 carries. Quarterback Tanner Morgan was an efficient 11-for-17 for 164 yards passing.

Bufs linebacker Nate Landman proved to be one of the few bright spots for Colorado, finishing with 13 tackles (10 solo, three for loss) and a forced fumble. Linebackers Quinn Perry and Guy Thomas chipped in 10 tackles each.

The Gophers dominated from the beginning, driving for two touchdowns in the first half while the Buffs' offense could not move the ball.

CU finished the half with just 7 total yards, including minus-27 on the ground due in great part to four quarterback sacks by the Gophers.

Minnesota, meanwhile, used a solid ground attack to slowly hammer the Buffs. Colorado dodged a bullet early when the Gophers' first possession ended at the CU 6-yard line with a missed field goal, but UM came back to tally a pair of touchdowns.

The Gophers drove 82 yards in eight plays for their first touchdown, getting a 13-yard scoring run from Potts for a 6-0 lead (the PAT try was no good).

Following CU's fourth punt of the day, Minnesota marched 62 yards in six plays for its second touchdown. Potts carried in from 2 yards out for a 13-0 Gophers lead.

Colorado, meanwhile, never found an offensive rhythm. The Buffs managed just four first downs in the first half, with their longest series consisting of just six offensive snaps. The Gophers had all four of their sacks in the first half and CU's longest play of the half was an 11-yard completion from Lewis to Brenden Rice.

The Buffs dodged a bullet early in the second half when the Gophers missed another field goal attempt. But CU failed to move the ball, gaining just one first down and punted.

CU then forced a Minnesota punt and had decent field position at its own 40. But Lewis fumbled the ball away on the first play of the series and the Gophers then put the game away for all intents and purposes with a seven-play, 43-yard touchdown drive. Potts capped the march with a 3-yard scoring run with 23 seconds remaining in the third quarter to give Minnesota a 20-0 lead.

The Gophers then added a field goal and another touchdown in the fourth quarter to complete the scoring.

Minnesota	0	18	7	10	—	30
COLORADO	0	0	0	0	—	0

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
Minnesota — Potts 13 run (kick failed)	0-6	12:19	2Q
Minnesota — Potts 2 run (Trickett kick)	0-13	5:38	2Q
Minnesota — Potts 3 run (Trickett kick)	0-20	0:23	3Q
Minnesota — Trickett 33 FG	0-23	9:53	4Q
Minnesota — Thomas 14 run (Trickett kick)	0-30	5:09	4Q

Attendance: 47,482 **Time:** 3:06

Weather: 70 degrees, clear skies, 33 percent humidity; winds from the southeast at 3 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	MINNESOTA
First Downs	6	22
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	2-12 (0-2)	3-11 (0-0)
Rushes—Net Yards	21-(-19)	53-277
Passing Yards	82	164
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	24-12-0	17-11-0
Total Offense	63	441
Return Yards	8	44
Punts: No-Average	8-51.9	4-43.2
Fumbles: No-Lost	4-2	2-0
Penalties/Yards	3/30	4/4
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	1-2	4-31
Time of Possession	19:47	40:13
Drives/Average Field Position	11/C28	13/M34
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	0-0 (0)	5-6 (0)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Carter 5-9, Broussard 5-8, Fontenot 3-4, Smith 1-1, Clayton 2-minus 4, B.Lewis 7-minus 27, Team 1-minus 10. **Minnesota:** Potts 26-121. Irving 15-89, Thomas 7-66. Morgan 3-1, Williams 1-1, Andries 0-1, Team 1-minus 2.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 16-8-0, 55, 0 td; Carter 8-4-0, 27, 0 td. **Minnesota:** Morgan 17-11-0, 164, 0 td.

Receiving—Colorado: Rice 3-25, Fontenot 2-12, Russell 2-10, Penry 1-12, Robinson 1-9, Arias 1-8, Broussard 1-3, Stacks 1-3. **Minnesota:** Autman-Bell 4-79, Jackson 4-39, Wright 1-39, Kieft 1-4, Irving 1-3.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 8-51.9 (62 long, 3 In20). **Minnesota:** Crawford 4-43.2 (57 long, 0 In20).

Punt Returns—Colorado: Stanley 3-8. **Minnesota:** Potts 3-29, Annexstad 1-15.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: Rice 1-22. **Minnesota:** Williams 1-0.

Interceptions—Colorado: none. **Minnesota:** none.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: Landman 14,4—18; Thomas 10,2—12; Q.Perry 9,1—10; M. Perry 7,1—8; I.Lewis 6,2—8; Blackmon 2,4—6; Sami 4,1—5; Rodman 2,0—2; Toll 2,0—2; Woods 2,0—2; Barnes 1,1—2; Lamb 1,1—2; Wells 1,1—2. **Minnesota:** Gibbens 5,1—6; Sori-Martin 4,0—4; Rush 3,0—3; five with 2,0—2 (Durr, Lindenberg, Mafe, Walley, Willis).

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: Wells 1-2. **Minnesota:** Rush 2-24, Mafe 2-7.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Bethel, Blackmon, M.Perry. **Minnesota:** Durr, Howard, Smith, Walley.

GAME NOTES

Colorado now leads the series by a 3-1 count (1-1 in Boulder, 2-0 in Minneapolis) ... The last time CU was shutout at home was on Nov. 2, 2012 in a 48-0 loss to Stanford; the last non-conference team to shutout CU in Boulder was Louisiana State on Sept. 15, 1979 (44-0) ... The last team to shutout Colorado at any location was Washington State in Pullman on Oct. 21, 2017 (28-0); CU had scored in 36 straight prior to today ... The 63 yards on offense was the eighth-lowest in school history (the fewest since 46 against Oklahoma in the 2004 Big 12 title game at Kansas City). It was the third-lowest output in a home game (51 vs. Nebraska in 1964, 61 vs. USC in 2002) ... CU had just 7 yards of offense in the first half, the fewest since 29 years earlier, ironically at Minnesota when the Buffaloes had just 4 (CU rallied to win that game, 21-20) ... The scoreless first quarter was just the seventh involving the Buffaloes over the last 204 games (dating back to 2003); the first quarter against UNC was also scoreless; the last time there were multiple scoreless opening stanzas was in 2007, when there were three ... **P Josh Watts** (8-51.9 avg., 3 In20, 0 TB; 46.4 net, 62 long) enjoyed the best game of his career for the second straight week, including five punts of 50 yards or more, including his career long of 62 (topping his 60-yarder in the 2020 Alamo Bowl). He averaged 51.9 for eight punts, the highest by a Buffalo with six or more punts since 2002, when Mark Mariscal had eight kicks for a 57.4 norm in a loss to USC at home (he went on to win the Ray Guy Award that season) ... **ILB Nate Landman** recorded 18 tackles (14,4—18 TT; 3 TFL, 1 3DS, 1 TZ), the 20th double-digit tackle game of his career, tying for fifth-most, and moved into the top 10 in tackles for loss with 39 (jumping from 11th into a tie for sixth) ... **TB Alex Fontenot** (3-4 rushing) finished the game with exactly **1,000** career rushing yards, the 55th Buffalo to reach that plateau.



ARIZONA STATE 35 COLORADO 13

SEPTEMBER 25, 2021

SUN DEVIL STADIUM, TEMPE

GAME
4

TEMPE, Ariz. — Colorado finally ended its offensive drought, but it wasn't enough as the Buffaloes dropped a 35-13 decision to Arizona State at Sun Devil Stadium in the Pac-12 opener for both teams.

CU fell to 1-3 overall with its third straight loss and 0-1 in Pac-12 play while ASU improved to 3-1, 1-0.

Colorado's offensive struggles continued for much of the first half, as the Buffs came up empty on their first four possessions, one of which ended in a missed field goal.

Meanwhile, the Sun Devils found the end zone twice, with both scoring drives extended by third down penalties on CU.

ASU took its second possession 45 yards to the end zone, getting new life when a facemask penalty on third down negated a Colorado sack. Four plays later, Daniels scored from 7 yards out and the Buffs trailed, 7-0, with 7:45 to play in the first quarter.

Penalties plagued CU for much of the half, as they were flagged for six infractions for 59 yards in the first 30 minutes. CU finished with eight penalties for 84 yards.

After the two teams traded punts following ASU's score, the Buffs finally drove into Arizona State territory. CU's Brendon Lewis ran for 42 yards on back-to-back plays before the drive stalled at the ASU 28. A 46-yard field goal try, however, was partially blocked and the Buffs came away empty.

ASU then took advantage of another Colorado penalty on the ensuing possession. The Buffs forced an incompletion on third down, but a roughing the passer penalty kept the drive alive and Rachaad White scored from 11 yards out on the next play to extend ASU's lead to 14-0.

The Buffs finally ended their scoreless streak at eight quarters late in the half. CU drove 58 yards over the final three minutes before getting a 51-yard Becker field goal with 13 seconds left in the half, sending CU to the locker room trailing 14-3.

Finally putting points on the scoreboard seemed to inspire the Buffs as they took the opening kickoff of the second half and drove 75 yards to the end zone. Jarek Broussard had two carries for 20 yards to open the drive before Lewis dropped a jet sweep pass to freshman receiver Ty Robinson, who raced 26 yards upfield.

Alex Fontenot then took over, carrying five times in a row for 29 yards, capping the drive with a 1-yard dive into the end zone. Becker's PAT pulled the Buffs to within 14-10 with 11:01 still to play in the third quarter.

Colorado's momentum, though, didn't last long, as the Sun Devils quickly answered with a long drive of their own. ASU's Jayden Daniels completed three passes for 42 yards, setting up a 17-yard touchdown carry on a reverse, giving ASU a 21-10 lead midway through the quarter.

Colorado managed to move close to midfield on its next possession, but a dropped pass on third down ended the drive.

ASU then extended its lead to 28-10 two possessions later on a trick play when wide receiver Ricky Pearsall threw a 30-yard touchdown pass to White.

After another Colorado punt, the Sun Devils capped their evening with a 59-yard scoring drive, with Daniels scoring from 15 out to wrap up the march for a 35-10 lead.

CU did get on the board once more, driving 61 yards before settling for a 33-yard Becker field goal late in the fourth quarter to complete the scoring for the night.

COLORADO	0	3	7	3	—	13
Arizona State	7	7	7	14	—	35

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
Arizona State — Daniels 7 run (Zendejas kick)	0-7	7:45	1Q
Arizona State — White 11 run (Zendejas kick)	0-14	9:28	2Q
COLORADO — Becker 51 FG	3-14	0:13	2Q
COLORADO — Fontenot 1 run (Becker kick)	10-14	11:01	3Q
Arizona State — Badger 17 run (Zendejas kick)	10-21	7:53	3Q
Arizona State — White 30 pass from Pearsall (Zendejas kick)	10-28	14:16	4Q
Arizona State — Daniels 15 run (Zendejas kick)	10-35	8:30	4Q
COLORADO — Becker 33 FG	13-35	3:56	4Q

Attendance: 44,803 **Time:** 3:14

Weather: 90 degrees, clear skies, 28 percent humidity; winds from the west at 5 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	ARIZONA STATE
First Downs	18	24
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	5-15 (1-1)	5-10 (0-0)
Rushes—Net Yards	44-183	32-167
Passing Yards	67	272
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	17-7-0	27-20-0
Total Offense	250	439
Return Yards	10	41
Punts: No-Average	6-47.8	4-43.5
Fumbles: No-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties/Yards	8/84	7/90
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	0-0	3-15
Time of Possession	28:55	31:05
Drives/Average Field Position	10/C21	11/AS26
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	2-2 (10)	4-4 (28)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Fontenot 14-65, B.Lewis 10-minus 39, Broussard 12-35, Clayton 7-29, Rice 1-15. **Arizona State:** Daniels 7-75, White 11-37, Ngata 7-33, Badger 1-17, Bourguet 1-7, Hart 3-5.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 17-7-0, 67, 0 td. **Arizona State:** Daniels 25-18-0, 236, Pearsall 1-1-0, 30, 1 td, Bourguet 1-1-0, 6.

Receiving—Colorado: Stanley 2-16, Rice 2-9, Robinson 1-26, Lemonious-Craig 1-9, Broussard 1-7. **Arizona State:** White 5-70, Bunkley-Shelton 4-76, Wilson 4-70, Hpdges 2-38, Pearsall 2-minus 2, Hatch 1-9, Badger 1-6, Conyers 1-5.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 6-47.8 (55 long, 1 In20). **Arizona State:** Czaplicki 4-43.5 (53 long, 3 In20).

Punt Returns—Colorado: Stanley 1-10. **Arizona State:** Taylor 4-41.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: Rice 2-37, Poplawski 1-10. **Arizona State:** Taylor 2-39, Bunkley-Shelton 1-7.

Interceptions—Colorado: none. **Arizona State:** none.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: Landman 8,2—10; M.Perry 5,4—9; Blackmon 5,2—7; Gonzalez 5,1—6; Q. Wells 5,1—6; Perry 4,2—6; I.Lewis 3,3—6; Barnes 1,1—2; Bethel 1,1—2; Lamb 1,1—2; Appleton 1,0—1; Ham 1,0—1; Toll 1,0—1; Van Diest 1,0—1. **Arizona State:** Robertson 5,4—9; Butler 4—7; Soelle 3,3—6; Fields 4,1—5; three with 3,1—4.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: none. **Arizona State:** Moore 1½-8, Green ½-5, Cooper ½-1, Soelle ½-1.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Lang. **Arizona State:** Butler, Clark, Williams.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Blackmon 2, Gonzalez, Lewis, Lang. **Arizona:** Burns, Johnson, Mason.

GAME NOTES

The 90-degree temperature at kickoff marked the 20th game in school history of 90 or hotter at kick; CU is 10-10 in these games) ... The Sun Devils now lead the series by an 8-4 margin, including a 6-1 dg in Tempe and 6-4 in night games ... CU is 5-6 in Pac-12 conference openers (3-2on the road) and are 83-43-2 all-time in conference openers ... CU had 63 yards of total offense last week against Minnesota (45 plays); it took 16 plays tonight to accumulate that total (first play of second quarter) ... CU did not commit a fumble for the third time in four games this season (all four came last week versus Minnesota) ... CU has now scored 80 of its last 82 times in goal-to-go situations (63 TD/17 FG) over the course of its last 54 games ... CU had no turnovers for the second game this season (also: UNC) and now has three in 10 games under Karl Dorrell (5-5 record) ... **PK Cole Becker's** 51-yard field goal ended a run of eight straight scoreless quarters (137:11 in time); it was the first field goal of his career (after missing from 53, 46 and 46 yards; it was both the fourth-longest first career field goal by a Buffalo as well as the fourth-longest mad by a freshman ... One player saw his first action in a CU uniform tonight: **TB Noah Wagner** (on special teams; he's the first-ever Buffalo from Conifer, Colo., High School) ... **TB Jarek Broussard** He became the 56th player in CU history to record **1,000** career rushing yards (**1,001**), doing so in his ninth game, the fastest of all Buffalos to do so; **Charlie Davis** ('71-'73) previously hit the mark in 10 games. (Reminder: CU dos NOT include bowl stats and will not until the NCAA counts all bowl games. This is to protect history.)



SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 37 COLORADO 14

OCTOBER 2, 2021

FOLSOM FIELD, BOULDER

GAME **5**

BOULDER — Colorado's defense couldn't contain Southern California's high-powered offense and consistency continued to evade the Buffaloes' offense as CU dropped a 37-14 decision at Folsom Field.

Colorado fell to 0-15 all-time vs. the Trojans.

USC scored the first 20 points of the game before the Buffs finally put together a touchdown drive following a forced fumble and recovery by the defense late in the second quarter.

The Trojans then built their lead to 30-7 in the third quarter before CU scored again to pull within 30-14 heading into the final period. But the Trojans put the game away with one more touchdown early in the fourth quarter.

CU quarterback Brendon Lewis had his most productive game of the season, completing 10 of 17 passes for 162 yards, one touchdown and an interception. Brady Russell caught three passes for 87 yards, including a 65-yard reception (CU's longest play of the year) and the Buffs finished with 234 yards total offense.

But USC finished with 494 yards offense, with quarterback Kedon Slovis throwing for 276 yards and three touchdowns. Wide receiver Drake London had nine catches for 130 yards and a score.

The Trojans went 70 yards in 14 plays before settling for a field goal on their first possession, then added their first touchdown of the game following a CU punt. Slovis capped the drive with a 1-yard touchdown pass to London for a 10-0 lead, set up by a 28-yard completion to London.

Colorado's offense continued to struggle into the second quarter and the Trojans added another touchdown and field goal for a 20-0 lead.

While Colorado's offense managed just 40 yards on its first five possessions, CU's defense could not take advantage of good field position. The Trojans' first three scoring drives covered 70, 64 and 85 yards.

But the CU defense finally did come up with a big play late in the second quarter when linebacker Guy Thomas forced a USC fumble. Cornerback Christian Gonzalez recovered at the Trojan 48-yard line, giving CU its first takeaway in three games.

Colorado's offense took advantage of the opportunity, as the Buffs drove 48 yards for their first score of the game. Lewis completed passes of 7 yards to Dimitri Stanley and 13 to Russell, with Jarek Broussard adding a 19-yard run. Alex Fontenot then put the Buffs at the 1-yard line with a 5-yard burst before Deion Smith scored from 1 yard out and Cole Becker's PAT cut USC's lead to 20-7 at intermission.

But the Trojans extended their lead with 10 more points in the third quarter. USC added a field goal on its first possession after CU's Lewis was hit in the pocket and turned the ball over, then added a touchdown after taking over on downs near midfield on downs for a 30-7 lead with 6:52 left in the third.

Colorado finally answered with a 75-yard touchdown drive, fueled by a 65-yard Lewis pass to tight end Brady Russell, the Buffs' longest play of the year. Two plays later, Lewis connected with Chase Penry for a 2-yard touchdown pass with 5:18 left in the third quarter, giving the freshman receiver his first career TD catch.

USC finally put the game away for good early in the fourth quarter. After the Trojans claimed their second takeaway of the game — an interception by Lewis — USC went 35 yards for a touchdown, with Slovis throwing 15 yards to Gary Bryan for the score and 37-14 lead with 14:08 to play in the game.

Southern California.....	10	10	10	7	—	37
COLORADO	0	7	7	0	—	14

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
Southern California — Lewis 30 FG	0-3	5:57	1Q
Southern California — London 1 pass from Slovis (Lewis kick)	0-10	1:59	1Q
Southern California — Trigg 46 pass from Slovis (Lewis kick)	0-17	11:04	2Q
Southern California — Lewis 44 FG	0-20	6:41	2Q
COLORADO — Smith 1 run (Becker kick)	7-20	0:54	2Q
Southern California — Lewis 49 FG	7-23	10:40	3Q
Southern California — Malepeai 2 run (Lewis kick)	7-30	6:52	3Q
COLORADO — Penry 7 pass from Lewis (Becker kick)	14-30	5:18	3Q
Southern California — Bryant Jr. 15 pass from Slovis (Lewis kick)	14-37	14:08	4Q

Attendance: 48,197 Time: 3:09

Weather: 66 degrees, clear skies, 32 percent humidity; winds from the southeast at 4 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	S. CALIFORNIA
First Downs	11	20
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	1-10 (0-1)	5-12 (0-0)
Rushes—Net Yards	39-80	35-218
Passing Yards	162	276
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	17-10-1	29-19-0
Total Offense	262	494
Return Yards	7	46
Punts: No-Average	7-49.6	3-43.0
Fumbles: No-Lost	1-1	2-1
Penalties/Yards	7/79	12/125
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	0-0	5-25
Time of Possession	28:36	31:24
Drives/Average Field Position	12/C27	13/SC31
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	2-2 (14)	4-4 (28)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Broussard 16-68, Fontenot 6-12, Smith 7-12, Arias 1-1, B.Lewis 9-minus 13. **USC:** Ingram 14-124, Barlow 10-59, Malepeai 10-38, Team 1-minus 3.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 17-10-1, 162, 1 td. **USC:** Slovis 29-19-0, 276, 3 td.

Receiving—Colorado: Russell 3-87, Stanley 2-16, Arias 1-18, Rice 1-17, Fontenot 1-9, Smith 108, Penry 1-7. **USC:** London 9-130, Washington 3-46, Trigg 2-51, Bryant 2-21, Ingram 1-17, Epps 1-10, Malepeai 1-1.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 7-49.6 (56 long, 2 In20). **USC:** Griffiths 3-43.0 (44 long, 1 In20).

Punt Returns—Colorado: Stanley 1-7. **USC:** Bryant 4-28, Nixon 1-7.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: Rice 1-15. **USC:** none.

Interceptions—Colorado: none. **USC:** Jackson 1-0.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: Landman 9,2—11; M.Perry 8,3—11; I.Lewis 6,2—8; Wells 3,4—7; Q. Perry 1,5—6; Thomas 3,2—5; Gonzalez 1,3—4; Bethel 3,0—3; Lamb 2,1—3; Johnson 2,0—2; Woods 2,0—2. **USC:** Mauga 7,1—8; Goforth 5,0—5; Pola-Mao 3,2—5; Williams 3,2—5; D.Jackson 3,1—4; Tuipulotu 3,0—3; Johnson 2,1—3; Scott 2,1—3.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: none. **USC:** D.Jackson 2-13, Lichtenstein 2-4, Tuipulotu 1-8.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Blackmon, Bethel. **USC:** D.Jackson, Mauga, Pola-Mao.

GAME NOTES

USC now leads the series a 15-0 count (8-0 in Boulder, 7-0 in Los Angeles) ... The Buffaloes are now 24-31-1 all-time when wearing all black uniforms (0-5 vs. USC) ... CU has won four of five coin tosses this year, and dating back to 2016, 41 of the last 61 ... **Weird Stat of the Game:** the bulk of the yards in this game came on second down conversions: CU gained 158 yards on its 11 second down makes, while USC had 168 on its second down conversions (CU was 11-of-22 on second down compared to 1-of-10 on third) ... Five "new" NFL teams scouted the game, bringing the total to 23 that have seen CU games in person in 2021 ... Colorado has run just 289 plays on offense through five games (57.8 per; high of 64 in the opener against UNC; the last time CU didn't have a game with at least 70 plays in the first five of a season was in 2006, and before that, 1986) ... **CB Nigel Bethel, Jr.,** and **ILB Jack Lamb** made their first career starts as Buffaloes; **DT Mustafa Johnson** made his first start of the season in the first game he became eligible ... The flags were flying, particularly against USC: the Trojans were penalized 12 times for 125 yards. It was the most penalties by an opponent since USC had 13 in the 2018 game and the most yards since Arizona had 129 later than same season ... **TE Brady Russell (3-87 receiving)** had career-highs for yards (87) and long reception (65), topping his previous bests of 77 and 34, respectively, against UCLA in 2020. It was just the second time since 2012 that a tight end led the Buffs in a game in receiving yards, and he had the other (5-77 vs. UCLA in 2020); it matched the most yards by a Buff tight end in a game also since 2012, when Nick Kasa caught three passes for 87 yards in CU's 35-34 win at Washington State, and the most in a home game since Oct. 20, 2007 (Tyson DeVree, 7-90 and a TD in a 19-14 loss to Kansas).



COLORADO 34 ARIZONA 0

OCTOBER 16, 2021
FOLSOM FIELD, BOULDER

GAME **6**

BOULDER — Colorado's defense and special teams provided a scoring boost and the Buffaloes recorded three touchdowns in a five-minute span, paving the way for a 34-0 win over Arizona at Folsom Field.

The Buffs ended a four-game losing streak while UA lost its 18th straight game.

CU led just 6-0 at intermission after getting two first-half field goals. But the Buffs recorded a 36-yard blocked punt scoop-and-score from Trevor Woods midway through the third quarter, then added a 50-yard interception return for a score by defensive end Carson Wells for a 20-0 lead with 5:32 left in the period.

CU's offense then stamped the exclamation point on a 21-point third quarter surge with a perfect 62-yard touchdown strike from quarterback Brendon Lewis to wide receiver Brenden Rice. Colorado's longest scoring play of the year gave the Buffs a 27-0 lead on the back of three touchdowns in a five-minute span — one from special teams, one from the defense and one from the offense.

Lewis then threw an 11-yard scoring pass to Dimitri Stanley in the fourth quarter to complete the scoring and wrap up his best day as a Buff. Lewis finished 12-for-19 for 248 yards and two scores.

CU's defense, meanwhile, was outstanding from beginning to end in recording the first CU shutout of an opponent since a 48-0 win over Nicholls State in 2015. The defense also produced two interceptions, held Arizona to just 3-for-15 on third-down conversion tries, and limited the Wildcats to just 280 yards total offense.

CU also had nine tackles for loss in the game, including four by Wells.

Defense ruled in the first half, as both teams came up with big red zone stops — but the Buffs had the biggest, when they stopped Arizona four straight times from the Colorado 1-yard line.

CU did manage to put two field goals on the board in the first half for a 6-0 lead at intermission.

But it was the Buffs' third-quarter surge that made the difference, starting with Woods' blocked punt after Colorado's defense forced Arizona's sixth punt of the day. The true freshman broke through the line, got inside the upback and got a hand on Kyle Ostendorp kick; he then scooped up the ball and raced 36 yards to the end zone for CU's first touchdown of the day and a 13-0 lead.

Colorado's defense then got in on the scoring action on UA's next drive when Wells picked off UA quarterback Gunner Cruz and rumbled 50 yards to the end zone, bumping the Buffaloes' edge to 20-0.

On the Buffs' next offensive possession, Lewis uncorked a perfect deep ball to a speeding Rice down the sidelines. Rice gathered in the pass in stride and raced to the end zone for a 27-0 lead.

The Buffs completed the scoring with 4:08 left in the game when Lewis hit Dimitri Stanley in the end zone with an 11-yard scoring pass.

The Buffs took the lead on their first possession of the game, going 68 yards in 10 plays before settling for a 19-yard Cole Becker field goal with 8:26 to play in the first quarter. CU added another field goal midway through the second quarter, going 61 yards in seven plays.

Colorado's defense then came up with a terrific goal-line stand. After the Wildcats had punted on their first four possessions, they finally put together a long drive, going from their own 25 to the CU 1-yard line for a first and goal.

But the Buffs defense came up with four straight stops for no gain, with Gunner Cruz throwing incomplete on fourth down.

Arizona	0	0	0	0	—	0
COLORADO	3	3	21	7	—	34

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
COLORADO — Becker 19 FG	3- 0	8:26	1Q
COLORADO — Becker 37 FG	6- 0	7:14	2Q
COLORADO — Woods 36 blocked punt return (Becker kick)	13- 0	6:46	3Q
COLORADO — Wells 50 interception return (Becker kick)	20- 0	5:32	3Q
COLORADO — Rice 62 pass from Lewis (Becker kick)	27- 0	1:42	3Q
COLORADO — Stanley 11 pass from Lewis (Becker kick)	34- 0	4:08	4Q

Attendance: 49,806 **Time:** 3:08

Weather: 64 degrees, clear skies, 19 percent humidity; winds from the southeast at 3 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	ARIZONA
First Downs	18	19
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	6-13 (0-1)	3-15 (1-3)
Rushes—Net Yards	39-117	31-127
Passing Yards	248	153
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	19-12-0	39-20-2
Total Offense	365	280
Return Yards	121	4
Punts: No-Average	4-48.0	8-45.6
Fumbles: No-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties/Yards	6/76	8/63
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	2-6	1-1
Time of Possession	29:02	30:58
Drives/Average Field Position	11/C21	12/A25
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	3-3 (13)	0-2 (0)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Broussard 13-53, Smith 5-23, Fontenot 11-19, B.Lewis 5-11, Rice 2-9, Stacks 1-4, Team 2-minus 2. **Arizona:** John 11-71, Plummer 2-15, Cruz 3-12, Berryhill 2-7, Wiley 7-7, Casteel 1-7, Simpson 1-7, Joiner 1-5, Rocker 1-1, Anderson 1-minus 1, Johnson 1-minus 6.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 19-12-0, 248, 2 td. **Arizona:** Cruz 22-13-1, 82, 0 td; Plummer 17-7-1, 71, 0 td.

Receiving—Colorado: Rice 3-111, Lemonious-Craig 3-52, Arias 2-12, Stanley 2-11, Fontenot 1-43, Carpenter 1-19. **Arizona:** Berryhill 8-48, Wiley 4-29, Casteel 2-25, Johnson 1-23, Joiner 1-10, Simpson 1-10, Markoff 1-9, Anderson 1-1, Rocker 1-minus 2. **Punting—Colorado:** Watts 4-48.0 (64 long, 1 In20). **Arizona:** Ostendorp 7-52.1 (61 long, 1 In20); Team 1-0.

Punt Returns—Colorado: Woods 1-36, Stanley 1-17. **Arizona:** Berryhill 1-4.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: none. **Arizona:** none.

Interceptions—Colorado: Wells 1-50, M.Perry 1-0. **Arizona:** none.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: I.Lewis 8,0—8; Landman 5,3—8; Blackmon 5,1—6; Wells 5,0—5; Gonzalez 4,1—5; M.Perry 4,1—5; Thomas 3,2—5; Gustav 4,0—4; Q.Perry 3,1—4; Lang 2,2—4; Johnson 2,1—3; Jordan 2,0—2; Lamb 2,0—2. **Arizona:** Young 4,3—7; Roland-Wallace 6,0—6; Mason 4,2—6; Maldonado 5,0—5; Rutherford 5,0—5; Turner 5,0—5.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: Gustav 1-4, Wells 1-2. **Arizona:** Mason 1-1.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Blackmon, Landman, Reed. **Arizona:** Anderson, Turner, Young.

GAME NOTES

Colorado now leads the series a 16-8 count (7-5 in Boulder, 9-3 in Tucson) ... The Buffaloes are now 20-9 in games on Family Weekend dating back to 1992 ... CU is now 31-24 following a bye since World War II ... When CU took a 3-0 lead with 8:26 left in the first quarter, it ended a run of trailing the opponent for 201:27 (and tied for 47:48). It also was CU's first score on an opening drive in 2021 (opponents are 0-of-6) ... CU recorded its second goal-to-go stop of the season when it held Arizona to four straight gains of 0 at its 1-yard line; the other came in the opener against Northern Colorado ... This was the first CU game where neither team scored a touchdown in the first half since Oct. 20, 2007, when Kansas led 3-0 in Boulder en route to a 19-14 win) ... Dating back to the fourth quarter of the Texas A&M game, the Buffaloes had been outgained, 1,975 to 818; but today, CU outgained Arizona, 365-280 ... **S Trevor Woods** blocked punt was CU's first since Alex Fontenot blocked punts at Cal (Nov. 24, 2018) and against Utah (Nov. 17, 2018), and CU's first blocked punt return for a TD since Lawrence Vickers recovered a punt in the end zone against Washington State in Seattle on Sept. 11, 2004 ... **OLB Carson Wells'** interception return for a TD was the first since Dante Wigley returned one 27 yards for a score against Oregon State in Boulder on Oct. 27, 2018 and the first by a CU linebacker since 2016 ... CU shutout an opponent for the first time since a 48-0 blanking of Nicholls State on Sept. 26, 2015; it was CU's first shutout over an FBS opponent since a 34-0 win at Oklahoma State on Oct. 1, 2005; it was the third time CU shutout an Arizona team (others: 14-0 in Boulder in 1955 and 18-0 at Tucson in 1959).



CALIFORNIA 26 COLORADO 3

OCTOBER 23, 2021

MEMORIAL STADIUM, BERKELEY

GAME **7**

BERKELEY, Calif. — Colorado's offense couldn't maintain its momentum from a win over Arizona and CU's defense had no answer for Cal quarterback Chase Garbers as the Buffaloes dropped a 26-3 decision at FTX Field.

Karl Dorrell's Buffs fell to 2-5 overall and 1-3 in Pac-12 play while the Bears improved to 2-5, 1-3.

Colorado could never get untracked offensively and the defense could not contain Cal's offense early. The Bears scored on all five of their first-half possessions while the Buffs could muster only a field goal and trailed 23-3 at intermission.

Colorado's defense stiffened in the second half and held the Bears to just one field goal. But the CU offense never crossed midfield after intermission, managing just 13 yards total offense over the last two quarters.

CU finished with only 104 yards total offense while the Bears compiled 438 (225 passing, 213 rushing). Garbers threw for 225 yards and two touchdowns and also ran for 96 yards.

Buffs starting quarterback Brendon Lewis, who was sacked six times, was nine-for-17 for 69 yards. Lewis was replaced by true freshman Drew Carter late in the fourth quarter.

Colorado linebacker Nate Landman, who surpassed 400 career tackles in the game, and defensive back Mekhi Blackmon were each credited with 10 tackles.

Colorado's offensive struggles returned in a big way in the first half, with the Buffs managing just 91 total yards while Cal rang up 297 in taking a 23-3 lead at intermission.

The Bears collected a field goal on their opening drive, then took over at midfield after Colorado couldn't convert a fourth-and-1. Broussard was stopped for a 1-yard loss, making it the seventh time in eight tries this year that Colorado failed to move the sticks on fourth down tries, and the Bears took over at the 50.

Cal quickly cashed in on the short field with a 50-yard scoring march in three plays. Garbers completed a 24-yard scoring pass to Keleki Latu for a 10-0 lead with 6:05 still to play in the first quarter.

The Bears then added another field goal early in the second quarter before the Buffs finally got on the board.

Thanks to a 67-yard kickoff return by Brenden Rice, the Buffs took over on the Cal 33-yard line. But after gaining a first down on a Cal penalty, the CU drive stalled at the Cal 15 and the Buffs settled for a 33-yard Cole Becker field goal to cut their deficit to 13-3.

The Bears added another touchdown on their next possession, getting a 31-yard scoring pass from Garbers to tight end Gavin Reinwald.

CU could not move on the ensuing possession and Cal went 50 yards in seven plays over the remaining 58 seconds to get a field goal on the final play of the half for a 23-3 lead at intermission.

CU's defense made some halftime adjustments and held Cal at bay for the entire third quarter, but the Buffs offense could not take advantage. Colorado's longest drive of the half covered just 15 yards.

The Bears added one more field goal in the final period to complete the scoring.

The Buffs were dominated in virtually every statistical category. CU finished 3-for-12 on third downs — none in the second half — while Cal converted six of its 15 tries. The Bears finished with 23 first downs while the Buffs had just seven; and CU averaged just 2.3 yards per offensive play while the Bears averaged 6.3.

COLORADO	0	3	0	0	—	3
California.....	10	13	0	3	—	26

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
California — Longhetto 49 FG	0-3	9:42	1Q
California — Latu 24 pass from Garbers (Longhetto kick)	0-10	6:05	1Q
California — Longhetto 30 FG	0-13	9:23	2Q
COLORADO — Becker 33 FG	3-13	6:41	2Q
California — Reinwald 31 pass from Garbers (Longhetto kick)	3-20	3:21	2Q
California — Longhetto 51 FG	3-23	0:00	2Q
California — Longhetto 33 FG	3-26	4:56	4Q

Attendance: 36,264 **Time:** 2:59

Weather: 62 degrees, cloudy skies, 67 percent humidity; winds from the southwest at 10 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	CALIFORNIA
First Downs	7	23
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	3-12 (0-1)	6-15 (1-1)
Rushes—Net Yards	28-35	40-213
Passing Yards.....	69	225
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	18-9-1	30-22-0
Total Offense	104	438
Return Yards	16	24
Punts: No-Average	7-48.9	5-37.4
Fumbles: No-Lost.....	1-0	0-0
Penalties/Yards	2/15	7/75
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	1-4	6-36
Time of Possession.....	21:30	38:30
Drives/Average Field Position.....	11/C32	10/C27
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	1-1 (3)	2-2 (6)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Broussard 11-28, Smith 3-9, Fontenot 5-7, B.Lewis 9-minus 9. **California:** Garbers 10-96, Brooks 12-61, Moore 7-32, Street 5-24, Remigio 102, Dancy 5-minus 2.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 17-9-1, 69, 0 td; Carter 1-0-0, 0. **California:** Garbers 29-22-0, 225, 2 td; Team 1-0-0, 0.

Receiving—Colorado: Broussard 3-30, Russell 2-18, Arias 1-6, Rice 1-6, Lemonious-Craig 1-5, Fontenot 1-2. **California:** Clark 4-33, Remigio 4-27, Katu 3-36, Moore 3-29, Brooks 2-20, Tonges 2-8, Reinwald 1-31, Hunter 1-15, Crawford 1-15, Terry 1-11.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 7-48.9 (57 long, 2 In20). **California:** Sheahan 5-37.4 (43 long, 0 In20).

Punt Returns—Colorado: Penry 1-16. **California:** Remigio 3-22.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: Rice 2-87. **California:** Remigio 2-53.

Interceptions—Colorado: none. **California:** Hicks 1-2.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: Blackmon 8, 2—10; Landman 4, 6—10; Johnson 6, 1—7; I.Lewis 5, 2—7; Gonzalez 5, 1—6; M.Perry 5, 1—6; Q.Perry 5, 1—6; Thomas 4, 1—5; Wells 3, 2—5; Taylor 4, 0—4; Woods 3, 1—4; Sami 2, 2—4; Barnes 2, 1—3; M.Williams 2, 1—3. **California:** Hicks 4, 2—6; Goode 2, 3—5; Iosefa 2, 3—5; Oladejo 2, 2—4; Tevis 3, 0—3; Bimaga 2, 1—3.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: Johnson 1-4. **California:** Hicks 3-9, Goode 2-8, Tevis 2-4, Bimaga 2-8, Patu 1-7, Long 1-6, Paster 1-3.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Gonzalez 2, Gustav. **California:** Bequette, Hicks, Paster.

GAME NOTES

California now leads the series, **7-4** (5-0 in Berkeley) ... The Buffaloes are now **4-26-1** overall all-time in games played in California ... CU fell to 0-8 when wearing black helmets, white jerseys and black pants, and 3-21 when donning the black headgear ... Penalty-Less Half: Colorado was not penalized in the first half (one was declined), the first penalty-free half this season (either half). The last first half without a penalty was at Arizona State on Sept. 21, 2019 (CU finished with 3-30 yards that day); CU's only two penalties came in the fourth quarter. The two penalties matched CU's season low; the Buffs also had only two against Texas A&M ... The game time of 2:59 was CU's first sub-3 hour game since the 2019 finale at Utah (2:56); it's just the 32nd time out of 379 Colorado games dating back to 1990 not to last three hours or longer ... First Career Starts: at wide receiver, **Chase Penry** made his first career start, subbing for Dimitri Stanley who was injured in pregame; **Trevor Woods** started on defense in place of Mekhi Blackmon (due to the package CU opened the game in) ... ILB Nate Landman (4, 6—10 TT; 2 TZ) became the sixth player in CU history to record 400 career tackles when he made his first in the game (on the second play of the game) ... **WR Brenden Rice's** 67-yard kickoff return was the longest by a Buff since Marques Mosley returned one 100 yards for a touchdown against Utah on Nov. 23, 2012 (it was his fourth career play of 60 yards or longer ... **P Josh Watts** (7-48.9 avg.) enjoyed his sixth consecutive game averaging over 47 yards in each, matching John Torp's run of six in a row in 2004.



OREGON 52 COLORADO 29

OCTOBER 30, 2021

AUTZEN STADIUM, EUGENE

GAME **8**

EUGENE, Ore. — Colorado's defense struggled without injured linebacker Nate Landman but the offense provided a bright spot in a 52-29 loss to No. 7 Oregon at Autzen Stadium.

The Ducks scored on all five of their possessions in the first half — four touchdowns and a field goal — to take a 31-14 lead at intermission, then added two more touchdowns on their first two possessions of the second half.

But CU's offense did find some life, putting together two long touchdown drives in the second quarter and two more in the fourth. The Buffs had 152 yards total offense in the second quarter, their most productive quarter this year, and finished with 341, the third-highest output of the season and the second-most in Pac-12 play.

The Ducks took control early, going 67 yards on their first possession for a touchdown, then adding scoring drives of 78 and 90 yards on their next two possessions.

Colorado finally got on the board in the second quarter when quarterback Brendon Lewis engineered a nine-play, 77-yard touchdown drive.

Lewis completed three passes on the drive, including a 28-yarder to tight end Brady Russell. The Buffs gained 40 yards on the ground on the march, with Alex Fontenot, Deion Smith and Jarek Broussard all picking up nice gains.

The Buffs then capped the march with a 9-yard pass from Lewis to Ty Robinson, giving the freshman receiver his first collegiate score. Cole Becker's PAT pulled the Buffs to within 21-7 with 9:10 still left in the first quarter.

But the Ducks answered with another long touchdown march, going 73 yards in 10 plays.

Colorado, though, stayed within striking range as CU took the ensuing kickoff and drove 65 yards in eight plays for a touchdown. Lewis had completions of 26 and 36 yards to Rice before finding a wide open Fontenot on fourth-and-goal from the 2-yard line for the score to pull CU to within 28-14.

But the Ducks had an answer again, using the remaining time on the clock to drive downfield and collect a field goal just before the half ended for a 31-14 lead.

Oregon left no doubt about the outcome early in the third quarter. The Ducks forced a CU punt on the Buffs' opening possession, then drove 68 yards for a touchdown. Oregon's sixth score on its sixth possession gave the Ducks a 38-14 lead with 9:46 to play in the third quarter.

The Ducks then made it 7-for-7 after another Colorado punt. The Ducks went 81 yards in six plays, with QB Anthony Brown capping the drive with his third touchdown pass of the day, a 25-yard strike to Devon Williams for a 45-14 lead late in the third quarter.

But the Buffs didn't go away quietly, adding two fourth quarter touchdowns to throw a minor scare into Oregon.

CU scored early in the fourth period, driving 67 yards in 17 plays. CU converted its third fourth-down try of the day, getting a 1-yard touchdown run from Fontenot on fourth-and-goal to pull within 45-21.

Then, following an interception by safety Isaiah Lewis, the Buffs went 65 yards for their fourth touchdown of the day. CU kept the drive alive by converting yet another fourth-and-1 on a Smith run, then capped the drive with a 16-yard Lewis pass to Rice. Lewis then added a two-point conversion throw to Chase Penry, and CU trailed 45-29 with 6:04 to play.

But the Ducks quickly turned the game back into a three-score contest, driving 46 yards in eight plays on their ensuing possession for the final score of the game with just 50 seconds remaining (though most teams would have taken a knee that late).

COLORADO	0	14	0	15	—	29
Oregon	14	17	14	7	—	52

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
Oregon — Dye 10 pass from Brown (Lewis kick)	0-7	10:47	1Q
Oregon — Cardwell 34 run (Lewis kick)	0-14	7:04	1Q
Oregon — Franklin 28 pass from Brown (Lewis kick)	0-21	13:38	2Q
COLORADO — Robinson 9 pass from Lewis (Becker kick)	7-21	9:10	2Q
Oregon — Dye 5 run (Lewis kick)	7-28	4:28	2Q
COLORADO — Fontenot 2 pass from Lewis (Becker kick)	14-28	2:13	2Q
Oregon — Lewis 27 FG	14-31	0:00	3Q
Oregon — Dye 2 run (Lewis kick)	14-38	9:46	3Q
Oregon — Williams 25 pass from Brown (Lewis kick)	14-45	5:21	3Q
COLORADO — Fontenot 1 run (Becker kick)	21-45	13:36	4Q
COLORADO — Rice 16 pass from Lewis (Penry pass from Lewis)	29-45	6:04	4Q
Oregon — McGee 1 run (Lewis kick)	29-52	0:50	4Q

Attendance: 51,449 Time: 3:36

Weather: winds from the northwest at 7 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	OREGON
First Downs	20	26
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	4-17 (2-2)	2-11 (0-2)
Rushes—Net Yards	46-182	40-303
Passing Yards	196	335
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	33-14-2	28-19-0
Total Offense	378	638
Return Yards	2	-1
Punts: No-Average	8-42.9	4-44.2
Fumbles: No-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties/Yards	7/65	10/89
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	3-20	1-9
Time of Possession	30:58	29:02
Drives/Average Field Position	16/C25	17/T30
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	4-4 (23)	4-4 (24)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Fontenot 8-42, Smith 7-26, Broussard 6-22, Rice 1-17, Lewis 8-10. **Oregon:** Cardwell 7-127, Dye 13-47, Brown 7-38, McGee 5-20, Thompson 1-13, Benson 3-11.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 33-25-0, 224, 3 td. **Oregon:** Brown 31-25-0, 307, 3 td; Thompson 3-1-1, 5, 0 td.

Receiving—Colorado: Rice 5-102, Broussard 4-18, Russell 3-42, Robinson 2-21, Fontenot 2-7, Smith 2-6, Carpenter 2-4, Lynch 2-3, Lemonious-Craig 1-12, Penry 1-8, Arias 1-1. **Oregon:** Williams 5-95, Dye 5-75, McGee 3-21, Johnson 3-10, Franklin 2-44, Pittman 2-15, Webb 2-8, Matavao 1-15, Redd 1-15, Hutson 1-9, Jeannis 1-5.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 4-43.5 (53 long, 2 In20). **Oregon:** none.

Punt Returns—Colorado: none. **Oregon:** Pittman 3-19.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: Rice 6-162. **Oregon:** Wright 2-53, Hutson 1-24.

Interceptions—Colorado: I.Lewis 1-0. **Oregon:** none.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: Q.Perry 7,2—9; M.Perry 3,4—7; I.Lewis 2,5—7; Woods 2,5—7; Blackmon 4,1—5; Barnes 4,0—4; Lamb 3,1—4; Ham 2,2—4; Gonzalez 3,0—3; Gustav 2,1—3; Lang 1,2—3; Wells 2,0—2; Johnson 0,2—2. **Oregon:** Wright 4,2—6; Bassa 3,3—6; Sewell 2,4—6; McKinley 2,4—6; James 4,0—4; Addison 3,1—4, Jackson 2,2—4.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: none. **Oregon:** Jones ½-1, Ma'ae ½-1.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Barnes, Gustav, Wells. **Oregon:** Addison, James.

GAME NOTES

Oregon leads the all-time series with by a 14-9 margin (6-3 in Eugene, 6-1 with both as members of the Pac-12) ... CU won the coin toss, the sixth out of eight this year; dating back to 2016, 43 of the last 64 (which is 67 percent) ... The rare point total of 29 was actually the 14th time CU scored that amount in a game (last: vs. USC in 2013) ... Colorado had 152 yards in the second quarter, its most in a single quarter this season. The 14 points tied for the second most (but the most on offense; CU has 21 in the third quarter against Arizona but that included two by returns) ... For the fourth time this season, CU did not suffer a turnover and has just a total of six on the season (fifth-fewest in the nation) ... A season-high 11 different Buffaloes caught passes ... **OLB Joshka Gustav** and CB Tyrin Taylor made their first career starts. **WR Brenden Rice** (5-102, 1 TD receiving; 1-17 rushing; 6-162 KOR: 281 all-purpose yards) had the 25th 250-yard all-purpose yards game in CU history; the 281 yards rank 13th on the all-time list (the 162 kickoff return yards tied for the sixth most) ... **SS Isaiah Lewis** made his first career interception, coming in the 35th game of his career ... **QB Brendon Lewis** became the 35th player in school history to pass for 1,000 career yards (1,016, ending the day in 34th) ... **TB Alex Fontenot's** 2-yard reception on fourth down for CU's second TD was the first receiving TD of his career ... and CU's first receiving TD by a running back since Travon McMillian had a 57-yard one at Arizona on Nov. 2, 2018 (also the first Buff to have a rushing and receiving TD in the same game since Laviska Shenault had two of each versus Arizona State in 2018).



COLORADO 37 OREGON STATE 34 (2 OT)

NOVEMBER 6, 2021

FOLSOM FIELD, BOULDER

GAME **9**

BOULDER — Colorado's Cole Becker kicked a 43-yard field goal in the second overtime to lift the Buffaloes to a 37-34 win over Oregon State in front of a Folsom Field homecoming crowd of 47,984.

The Buffs led for most of the game (over 49 minutes), but were forced to rally late in the fourth quarter. A 16-yard Brendon Lewis touchdown pass to Montana-Lemonious Craig gave CU a 27-24 lead with 2:24 left to play.

OSU's Everett Hayes then missed a 51-yard field goal on the Beavers' next possession, but CU couldn't move the ball after taking over and punted, using just 27 seconds off the clock.

The Beavers reaped a 26-yard return to take over a midfield with five seconds remaining. That was enough for a 9-yard gain on first down, then a 60-yard field goal from Hayes as time expired to send the game into OT.

Both teams scored touchdowns in the first overtime, with Lewis cashing in for the Buffs on a 9-yard run for a 34-27 lead.

But after tying the game with a touchdown, the Beavers then came up empty on their next possession when Hayes was wide left on a 38-yard try.

The Buffs then ran the ball three times before Becker booted the game winner.

The Buffs, who hadn't scored a first-quarter touchdown since the second game of the season, broke that drought against the Beavers.

CU took the opening kick and marched to the OSU 5-yard line before settling for a 28-yard Becker field goal.

But the Colorado defense quickly gave the offense another possession by forcing a three-and-out from the Beavers, and the offense took full advantage.

Moving from their own 21, the Buffs drove 79 yards in seven plays to find paydirt. Lewis capped the drive when he found a wide-open Daniel Arias from 43 yards out for a touchdown and Becker's PAT gave CU a 10-0 lead with 6:47 still to play in the first period.

But the Beavers finally found their run game on the ensuing possession. OSU marched 75 yards in 13 plays and got a 14-yard scoring run from Jack Colletto on fourth-and-1 to cut Colorado's lead to 10-7.

Colorado pushed its lead to 13-7 late in the second quarter when Becker delivered a career-long 52-yard field goal with 39 seconds left in the half.

That, however, was just enough time for the Beavers to drive within field goal range, and a 45-yard Hayes field goal as time expired sent Colorado into intermission with a 13-10 lead.

The two teams traded punts early in the third quarter before CU defensive end Carson Wells came up with a big fourth-down play, forcing an incomplection from OSU quarterback Chance Nolan.

That gave the Buffs the ball at the OSU 41-yard line. Six plays later, including runs of 14 and 16 yards from Jarek Broussard, Lewis found Brenden Rice for a 5-yard touchdown pass to give CU a 20-10 lead.

But the Beavers quickly answered, going 75 yards for a touchdown to cut Colorado's lead back to three, 20-17 with 3:19 to play in the third quarter.

OSU then took its first lead of the game midway through the fourth on a 27-yard Nolan pass to Tre'shaun Harrison for a 24-20 edge.

Colorado regained the lead two possessions later. A 49-yard Broussard run put Colorado deep in OSU territory. Six plays later Lewis stepped up in the pocket under pressure and connected with Lemonious-Craig giving CU the lead back with 2:24 to play.

That set the stage for the wild final two minutes of regulation and overtime.

Oregon State	0	10	7	10	7	0	—	34
COLORADO	10	3	7	7	7	3	—	37

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
OLORADO — Becker 28 FG	3- 0	10:18	1Q
COLORADO — Arias 43 pass from Lewis (Becker kick)	10- 0	6:47	1Q
Oregon State — Colletto 14 run (Hayes kick)	10- 7	14:53	2Q
COLORADO — Becker 52 FG	13- 7	0:39	2Q
Oregon State —Hayes 45 FG	13-10	0:00	2Q
COLORADO — Rice 5 pass from Lewis (Becker kick)	20-10	5:54	3Q
Oregon State —Lowe 31 run (Hayes kick)	20-17	3:19	3Q
Oregon State —Harrison 27 pass from Nolan (Hayes kick)	20-24	8:23	4Q
COLORADO — Lemonious-Craig 16 pass from Lewis (Becker kick)	27-24	2:24	4Q
Oregon State —Hayes 60 FG	27-27	0:00	4Q
COLORADO — Lewis 5 run (Becker kick)	34-27	.....	OT1
Oregon State — Baylor 1 run (Hayes kick)	34-34	.....	OT1
COLORADO — Becker 43 FG	37-34	.....	OT2

Attendance: 47,984 **Time:** 3:41

Weather: 73 degrees, mostly clear skies, 10 percent humidity; winds from the northwest at 7 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	OREGON STATE
First Downs	20	25
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	7-16 (0-0)	8-17 (2-3)
Rushes—Net Yards	44-222	43-220
Passing Yards.....	170	255
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	24-15-0	38-20-1
Total Offense	392	475
Return Yards	76	41
Punts: No-Average	5-49.0	4-47.8
Fumbles: No-Lost.....	0-0	0-0
Penalties/Yards	9/65	9/88
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	1-6	0-0
Time of Possession.....	28:19	31:41
Drives/Average Field Position.....	13/C41	14/OS33
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	5-6 (27)	2-3 (14)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Broussard 24-151, Smith 7-25, Fontenot 5-18, Rice 2-13, Lewis 5-12, Lynch 1-3. **Oregon State:** Baylor 22-98, Lowe 6-60, Nolan 10-39, Colletto 3-22, Bolden 1-2, Musgrave 1-minus 1.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 24-15-0, 170, 3 td. Oregon State: Nolan 38-20-1, 255, 1 td.

Receiving—Colorado: Penry 3-41, Arias 2-52, Shenault 2-24, Lemonious-Craig 2-22, Carpenter 2-4, Russell 1-20, Smith 1-6, Rice 1-5, Fontenot 1-minus 4. **Oregon State:** Lowe 5-52, Lindsey 4-30, Harrison 3-47, Flemings 2-45, Musgrave 2-44, Bradford 1-19, Gould 1-9, Fenwick 1-5, Baylor 1-4.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 5-49.0 (59 long, 1 In20). **Oregon State:** Loecher 4-47.8.

Punt Returns—Colorado: Shenault 3-38. **Oregon State:** Gould 2-41, Bradford 1-0.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: Rice 1-34. Oregon State: none.

Interceptions—Colorado: I.Lewis 1-38. Oregon State: none.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: Q.Perry 9,2—11; I.Lewis 8,1—9; Wells 6,3—9; Barnes 6,1—7; M.Perry 5,1—6; Woods 3,3—6; Johnson 4,0—4; Gustav 3,1—4; Ham 3,1—4; Gonzalez 1,2—3; Moore 2,0—2; Sami 2,0—2. **Oregon State:** Roberts 6,2—8; Austin 5,3—8; Grant 4,4—8; Oladapo 4,3—7; Sharp 4,1—5; Schad 4,0—4; Sandberg 3,0—3; Skelton 3,0—3.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: Wells 1-6. Oregon State: none.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Gonzalez 2, M.Perry, Woods. Oregon State: Saluni, Schad.

GAME NOTES

The game time temperature of 73 was warmer than CU's four October games (66, 64, 62, 52) ... The series is now tied 6-6 count (CU leads 4-3 in Boulder) ... Colorado is now 8-9 in overtime games (1-3 multi-OT: 1-2/2OT, 0-1/3OT). It was the 8th time CU started on offense ... CU improved to 65-36-5 record in Homecoming contests (winning four of the last five) and to 69-24 against unranked teams in the month of November dating back to 1985 ... Colorado had 144 yards in the first quarter, its most in an opening quarter this season (previous: 127 against Texas A&M); CU scored on the back-to-back possessions to open a game for the first time this season ... The 10 points in the first quarter matched the total CU had in the first eight first quarters in 2021 ... For the fifth time this season (and second straight game), CU did not suffer a turnover; it has just six on the season (third-fewest in the nation). The five times set a school record for a season ... It was the 24th time dating back to 1972 that CU did not commit a turnover or allow a quarterback sack (20-4 in those games) ... The Buffs did not allow a sack for the first time in 21 games ... Entering the game, Oregon State had just 20 punts total on the season, with just one returned and that for zero yards; CU's La'Vontae Shenault returned three punts for 38 yards ... OSU's Everett Hayes tied the stadium record for longest field goal made (60 yards), matching **Mason Crosby** against Iowa State on Oct. 16, 2004.



UCLA 44 COLORADO 20

NOVEMBER 13, 2021

ROSE BOWL, PASADENA

GAME **10**

PASADENA, Calif. — Colorado jumped out to a 20-7 first-half lead, only to see UCLA score 37 unanswered points as the Buffaloes dropped a 44-20 decision at the Rose Bowl.

The loss dropped Karl Dorrell's Buffs to 3-7 overall and 2-5 in the Pac-12, and eliminated the Buffs from postseason contention. The Bruins improved to 6-4 and 4-3 to clinch bowl eligibility.

The Buffs started quickly, taking a 10-0 lead for the second week in a row.

CU took its second possession and drove 70 yards for a touchdown. Jarek Broussard had a 16-yard run on the march, quarterback Brendon Lewis converted a third-and-3 with a 4-yard run and completed three passes on the drive. Ale Fontenot wrapped up the march with a 1-yard scoring burst for a 7-0 Colorado lead.

The Buffs then got a break on UCLA's second possession when a Zach Charbonnet 51-yard run was nullified by a Bruins penalty, and another break on UCLA's next turn with the ball when a 40-yard touchdown pass was negated by another penalty.

Colorado took advantage by driving 56 yards deep into UCLA territory before settling for a 23-yard Cole Becker field goal and 10-0 lead.

But the Bruins finally found the end zone on their next possession. Dorian Thompson-Robinson guided a 64-yard touchdown march in just three plays, with the big gainer a 47-yard toss to Kyle Phillips.

The Buffs, though, had an answer, going 75 yards to the end zone in six plays. Broussard covered the bulk of the march with a 46-yard run before Fontenot scored his second touchdown of the game, another 1-yard burst with 5:22 to play in the half for a 17-7 CU lead. The Buffaloes then pushed their margin to 20-7 with just 57 seconds left in the half on a 40-yard Becker field goal.

But that left the Bruins enough time to maneuver into position for a field goal as the half ended, sending CU into the locker room with a 20-10 lead.

The Bruins opened the second half with a bang. UCLA drove 76 yards for a touchdown on its opening possession to pull within 20-16 after the PAT try clanged off the upright.

Colorado then punted on its next possession and UCLA needed just 1:54 to drive 83 yards in seven plays for the go-ahead touchdown. Thompson-Robinson ran 23 yards for the score and Colorado trailed for the first time in the game, 23-20.

CU had one more chance to pull back into the game. After UCLA's second touchdown of the half, the Buffs drove to the Bruins 25, but Becker was wide right on a 43-yard field goal try.

The Bruins then marched 75 yards for their third touchdown of the quarter, getting a 3-yard Zach Charbonnet run for the score and a 30-20 lead with just 30 seconds left in the period. The Bruins had 219 yards of offense in the period, including 149 on the ground.

Down by 10, the Buffs then gambled early in the fourth quarter by trying to convert a fourth-and-1 in their own territory. But tight end Brady Russell, lining up as the fullback, was stopped for no gain and the Bruins took possession. UCLA then drove 34 yards for its fourth touchdown in four possessions for a 37-20 lead with 12:12 left in the game.

Colorado's offense failed to move the ball again and the Bruins put the game away for good when Phillips returned a Josh Watts punt 82 yards for a touchdown. The PAT provided UCLA with its 37th unanswered point and a 44-20 lead with 10:10 to play.

COLORADO	7	13	0	0	—	20
UCLA.....	0	10	20	14	—	44

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
COLORADO — Fontenot 1 run (Becker kick)	7-0	4:53	1Q
COLORADO — Becker 23 FG	10-0	8:37	2Q
UCLA — Brown 1 run (Barr-Mira kick)	10-7	7:56	2Q
COLORADO — Fontenot 1 run (Becker kick)	17-7	5:22	2Q
COLORADO — Becker 40 FG	20-7	0:57	2Q
UCLA — Barr-Mira 41 FG	20-10	0:00	2Q
UCLA — Charbonnet 2 run (kick failed)	20-16	11:33	3Q
UCLA — Thompson-Robinson 23 run (Barr-Mira kick)	20-23	6:07	3Q
UCLA — Charbonnet 3 run (Barr-Mira kick)	20-30	0:30	3Q
UCLA — Charbonnet 2 run (Barr-Mira kick)	20-37	12:12	4Q
UCLA — Phillips 82 punt return (Barr-Mira kick)	20-44	10:10	4Q

Attendance: 36,573 **Time:** 3:19

Weather: 73 degrees, clear skies, 25 percent humidity; winds from the northeast at 2 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	UCLA
First Downs	20	27
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	3-13 (0-3)	4-10 (0-2)
Rushes—Net Yards	47-192	41-244
Passing Yards.....	166	257
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	29-18-0	25-18-1
Total Offense	358	501
Return Yards	15	93
Punts: No-Average	3-48.3	2-47.0
Fumbles: No-Lost.....	1-0	0-0
Penalties/Yards	7/48	9/67
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	1-1	4-49
Time of Possession.....	32:45	27:15
Drives/Average Field Position.....	12/C25	13/U35
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	4-4 (20)	4-5 (27)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Broussard 16-108, Fontenot 11-51, Smith 10-43, Lewis 8-39, Russell 1-0, Carter 1-minus 10. **UCLA:** Thompson-Robinson 9-98, Charbonnet 17-67, B.Brown 6-58, Jones 9-21.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 26-17-0, 158, 0 td; Carter 3-1-0, 0. **UCLA:** Thompson-Robinson 25-18-1, 257, 0 td.

Receiving—Colorado: Russell 5-60, Arias 4-70, Rice 3-14, Shenault 2-13, Broussard 1-7, Stanley 1-4, Smith 1-1, Fontenot 1-minus 3. **UCLA:** Phillips 9-99, Dulcich 6-87, Cota 5-43, K.Brown 2-21; Charbonnet 1-6, K.Brown 1-1.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 3-48.3 (58 long, 2 In20). **UCLA:** Akers 2-47.0 (51 long, 0 In20).

Punt Returns—Colorado: Shenault 1-0. **UCLA:** Phillips 2-93.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: Rice 3-83. **UCLA:** Allen 4-84.

Interceptions—Colorado: M.Perry 1-15. **UCLA:** none.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: Wells 6,1—7; Q.Perry 5,2—7; Gonzalez 4,3—7; Barnes 4,2—6; Grant 4,1—5; Sami 2,3—5; Moore 2,2—4; Montgomery 2,1—3; Johnson 2,0—2; M.Perry 2,0—2; Rodman 2,0—2; Ham 1,1—2; Lamb 1,1—2. **UCLA:** Blaylock 4,7—11; Knight 5,1—6; Lake 5,1—6; Heath 2,3—5; Agude 1,4—5; Toia 4,0—4; Shaw 3,1—4; Irby 2,2—4.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: Lang ½-1, Wells ½-1. **UCLA:** Isidor 2-21, Knight 1-18, Ogbonia 1-10.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Gonzalez. **UCLA:** Ebou, Savea, Toia.

GAME NOTES

UCLA's lead in the series is now 12-5 (8-1 in California; 6-1 in Pasadena) ... The Buffs are now 4-27-1 all-time in the Golden State ... CU coaches are now 21-13 against their alma maters (**Karl Dorrell 1-1**; Gary Barnett 6-1, Bill McCartney 10-3, Eddie Crowder 4-7, Joe Mills 1-1) ... Under Dorrell, CU is now 7-3 when leading at halftime ... Colorado had 242 yards in the first half, its most in a first half this year; the previous first half high was 206 against Texas A&M (second-most in any half, 274 vs. UNC). The 20 points were also a first-half high ... This was Dorrell's 78th game as a collegiate head coach; his teams (UCLA & Colorado) had scored 1,995 points coming in: **TB Alex Fontenot** scored the 2,000th point for Dorrell with a 1-yard TD run in the first quarter ... Nearly Three Straight With No Turnovers: CU's first turnover in three games came on a strip-sack of **QB Drew Carter** with 3:55 to play; CU's last turnover came with 14:49 remaining in the Oct. 23 loss at California (an interception), thus the span without one was 190 minutes and 54 seconds; CU's last lost fumble was on Oct. 2 versus USC, thus that span was 322:35 ... **OLB Devin Grant** played for the first time in 2021 and responded with five tackles ... **WR Daniel Arias** had career single-game bests in receptions (four) and yards (70) ... **TB Jarek Broussard** had the second 100-yard game of the season and the sixth of his career ... **QB Brendon Lewis** completed over 60 percent of his passes for a third straight game; in that span, he is 57-of-83 (68.7) ... He has now thrown 83 consecutive passes without an interception; that is now the second-most by a freshman at Colorado (Craig Ochs threw 104 without one over the course of four games in 2000).



COLORADO 20 WASHINGTON 17

NOVEMBER 20, 2021

FOLSOM FIELD, BOULDER

GAME **11**

BOULDER — Colorado's defense produced four takeaways and the offense came up with a game-clinching 90-yard touchdown drive as the Buffaloes claimed a 20-17 win over Washington at Folsom Field.

Washington dominated nearly every statistical category except one — turnovers. CU's defense collected two interceptions and two fumble recoveries while the Buffs offense did not turn it over once. CU's defensive takeaways included an 88-yard scoop-and-score by linebacker Jack Lamb in the first quarter that gave CU a 10-0 lead; a Robert Barnes interception to stop a UW drive in the third quarter; a Barnes fumble recovery that CU converted into a field goal in the fourth quarter; and an interception by Nikko Reed that opened the door for the Buffs' game-clinching touchdown.

CU started by taking the opening kickoff and marching 58 yards before settling for a 35-yard Cole Becker field goal and 3-0 lead.

The Huskies then took the ensuing kickoff and drove to the CU 3-yard line for a first and goal. But following a timeout, UW quarterback Dylan Morris fumbled the snap and Colorado's Lamb alertly scooped up the loose ball and rumbled 88 yards for a touchdown.

But the Huskies finally answered, going 59 yards on their next possession for a field goal to cut Colorado's lead to 10-3.

Colorado's offense then stalled while the defense held, resulting in five consecutive punts before Washington tied the game with a 40-yard scoring drive. The Huskies used seven plays to reach the end zone, getting an 8-yard Dylan Morris pass to Rome Odunze to knot the game at 10-10.

Washington threatened to score twice early in the third quarter, but both times Colorado produced drive-stopping moments. A Barnes interception of a tipped ball stopped one UW drive at the Colorado 36, and following a CU punt, a Mustafa Johnson sack of Morris forced the Huskies to attempt a 49-yard field goal that sailed wide left.

Colorado's defense came up with another big play late in the third quarter when Barnes recorded his second takeaway of the day, pouncing on a UW fumble deep in Huskies territory. The Buffs couldn't get into the end zone, but did get a Becker 22-yard field goal with 14:35 left in the game to take a 13-10 lead.

The Buffs added another takeaway on UW's next possession. After the Huskies drove to the Colorado 28, Reed came up with a big interception in the end zone.

Following a penalty, CU then drove 90 yards for the clinching touchdown. The drive was kept alive when a UW penalty on third down gave the Buffs new life, and the Buffs followed with a 15-yard Brendon Lewis completion to Chris Carpenter and a 26-yard run by Jarek Broussard to the UW 14-yard line.

Five plays later, Lewis rolled to his right, then tucked the ball and headed for the pylon, diving to the end zone for a 2-yard touchdown and 20-10 Colorado lead.

Washington quickly answered, driving 75 yards in just five plays, getting a 55-yard touchdown pass from Morris to Ja'Lynn Polk to narrow CU's lead to 20-17 with 2:30 left in regulation.

Washington then got one more chance with the ball, taking possession with two minutes left. But the Buffs held, getting a pass knockdown from Terrence Lang on third down and a quarterback pressure from Carson Wells on fourth down to force an incompleteness.

CU then took victory formation to run out the clock, with senior linebacker Nate Landman, who didn't play defense because of an injury, lining up in the backfield for the final few snaps of his final game at Folsom.

Washington	0	10	0	7	—	17
COLORADO	10	0	0	10	—	20

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
COLORADO — Becker 35 FG	3-0	9:52	1Q
COLORADO — Lamb 88 fumble return (Becker kick)	10-0	2:37	1Q
Washington — Henry 30 FG	10-3	12:46	2Q
Washington — Odunze 8 pass from Morris (Henry kick)	10-10	2:11	2Q
COLORADO — Becker 22 FG	13-10	14:35	4Q
COLORADO — Lewis 2 run (Becker kick)	20-10	4:05	4Q
Washington — Polk 55 pass from Morris (Henry kick)	20-17	2:30	4Q

Attendance: 41,284 **Time:** 3:03

Weather: 55 degrees, cloudy skies, 26 percent humidity; winds from the southeast at 7 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	WASHINGTON
First Downs	9	22
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	2-14 (1-1)	14-21 (1-2)
Rushes—Net Yards	27-71	28-38
Passing Yards	112	388
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	25-14-0	56-34-2
Total Offense	183	426
Return Yards	111	27
Punts: No-Average	7-44.4	2-55.5
Fumbles: No-Lost	1-0	3-2
Penalties/Yards	5/45	7/70
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	3-13	1-6
Time of Possession	23:53	36:07
Drives/Average Field Position	11/C35	12/W27
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	3-3 (13)	2-4 (10)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Broussard 12-43, Lewis 6-30, Smith 3-2, Fontenot 3-1, Team 3-minus 5. **Washington:** C.Davis 12-29, Morris 4-10, Pleasant 6-8, Sunday 3-6, O'Brien 1-minus 1, Team 2-minus 14.

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 25-14-0, 112, 0 td. **Washington:** Morris 52-33-2, 387, 2 td; O'Brien 3-1-0, 1; McMillan 1-0-0, 0.

Receiving—Colorado: Russell 3-31, Arias 3-22, Robinson 2-8, Fontenot 2-6, Carpenter 1-15, Lynch 1-13, Stanley 1-9, Broussard 1-8. **Washington:** Odunze 9-68, Culp 6-83, C.Davis 6-58, Pleasant 3-38, T.Davis 3-31, McMillan 3-17, Polk 2-60, Westover 2-33.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 7-44.4 (51 long, 1 In20). **Washington:** Porter 2-55.5 (57 long, 1 In20).

Punt Returns—Colorado: Penny 1-23. **Washington:** Jackson 3-27.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: none. **Washington:** Jackson 1-29.

Interceptions—Colorado: Barnes 1-0, Reed 1-0. **Washington:** none.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: Barnes 8,2—10; Q.Perry 6,4—10; Wells 6,2—8; M.Perry 4,2—6; Blackmon 4,1—5; Ham 4,1—5; Gonzalez 4,0—4; Sami 4,0—4; Johnson 3,1—4; Lang 3,0—3; Lamb 2,1—3; Lewis 2,1—3; Taylor 2,1—3. **Washington:** Gordon 5,1—6; Bruener 4,2—6; Turner 2,3—5; Radley-Hiles 3,1—4; McDuffie 2,2—4; Cook, Sirmon & Smalls all 3,0—3.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: Wells 2-5, Johnson 1-8. **Washington:** Martin 1-6.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: Blackmon, Lang, Reed, Wells. **Washington:** McDuffie, Gordon, Letuligasenoa, Taimani.

GAME NOTES

CU's second straight win in the series has cut the Washington lead to 12-7-1 (UW leads 5-3 in Boulder) ... Colorado is now 70-25 against unranked teams in the month of November dating back to 1985 ... CU is 6-0 at home in November dating back to 2019 (and is 6-1 in November under Dorrell) ... A dozen players participated in the Senior Day ceremony pregame: Graduate Transfer (1)—**TE Matt Lynch**; Seniors (3)—**DL Mustafa Johnson**, **OG Kary Kutsch**, **OLB Nate Landman**; Juniors (8): **OL John Deitchman**, **TE Nico Magri**, **S Chris Miller**, **PK Evan Price**, **C Colby Pursell**, **TE C.J. Schmanski**, **ILB Jonathan Van Diest** and **OLB Carson Wells** ... Third Down Feast or Famine. Washington was 14-of-21 on third down (13-of-18 at one point); the Huskies gained 10 or more yards 10 times. On the other, CU had three quarterback sacks and an interception ... Another Defensive Battle: the last three games in the series have yielded 111 points combined: Washington won 27-13 in Seattle in 2018; CU won 20-14 in Boulder in 2019 and 20-17 today ... CU did not have a turnover for the sixth game this year (adding to the school record); CU forced four turnovers for the first time since the 2020 opener (four against UCLA); CU scored 17 points off the four ... Late Cameo. **ILB Nate Landman**, who missed the last four games including all of this game on defense, snuck in for the last three plays in the victory formation on offense ... The game was tied for 22:44, the longest in a CU game in 2021 ... **ILB Jack Lamb** was more of a "horse than a lamb"; his fumble recovery and return for 88 yards and a touchdown was third longest miscellaneous return in school history.



UTAH 28 COLORADO 13

NOVEMBER 26, 2021

RICE-ECCLES STADIUM, SALT LAKE CITY

GAME **12**

SALT LAKE CITY — Colorado came up with big plays on defense and special teams, but Utah wore CU down with a punishing run game as the Buffaloes dropped a 28-13 decision in their season finale at Rice-Eccles Stadium.

Karl Dorrell's Buffs finished the season 4-8 overall and 3-6 in the Pac-12.

The Buffs jumped out to a 3-0 lead after getting an interception from safety Mark Perry on the Utes' opening drive, and trailed by just one early in the third quarter when Nikko Reed's 100-yard kick return for a touchdown pulled Colorado to within 14-13.

But the Utes answered the kick return with two touchdowns on their next two possessions and CU's offense could never find the rhythm necessary to produce a trip to the end zone.

The injury-riddled Buffs were outgained 444-148, with Utah piling up 265 yards on the ground along with three touchdown passes from quarterback Cameron Rising. Colorado played without All-American linebacker Nate Landman for the fifth straight game.

Also absent from CU's lineup was leading rusher Jarek Broussard (illness).

Colorado struck first on the scoreboard, thanks to an interception from safety Perry on Utah's opening possession of the game.

Perry returned his third interception of the season 40 yards to the Utah 15-yard line. The Buffs offense couldn't move the ball, but still reaped a 33-yard Cole Becker field goal for a 3-0 lead less than three minutes into the game.

CU's defense and special teams then stepped up. The defense came up with a big stop on third down in Colorado territory, and Terrance Lang followed by blocking a Utah field goal attempt to maintain CU's 3-0 lead.

Colorado had a chance to extend its lead on its next possession when the Buffs drove into Utah territory. Lewis had a 13-yard run on the drive and a 29-yard completion to Dimitri Stanley on third-and-8. But the drive stalled at the Utes 30 and a Becker 48-yard field goal try floated wide right.

Utah finally took control, scoring touchdowns on its next two possessions. The Utes got a 19-yard scoring pass from Rising to tight end Brant Kuithe for a 7-0 lead early in the second quarter, then bumped the margin to 14-3 when Rising found tight end Dalton Kincaid for a 19-yard scoring pass.

But CU's defense came up with a big stop later in the second quarter. After a Colorado punt following the Utes' second touchdown, CU's held on fourth down deep in Buffs territory. Rising kept the ball around the right side but linebacker Carson Wells stopped him short of the sticks.

CU's offense then answered with a 39-yard drive in the final seconds of the half, getting a career-long 56-yard field goal from Becker as time expired. The Buffs converted two third downs on the drive on two Fontenot runs, and Becker's kick sent Colorado into intermission trailing just 14-6.

CU then needed just 15 seconds into the third quarter to cut the deficit to one. Reed took the opening kick of the half, broke three tackles early and raced 100 yards to the end zone. Becker's PAT pulled CU to within 14-13.

But the Utes regained control with back-to-back touchdown drives sandwiched around a CU punt. Tavion Thomas ran 12 yards for a score to cap a 68-yard Utah drive before Rising tossed a 13-yard touchdown pass to Britain Covey to give Utah a 28-13 lead with 6:45 to play in the third quarter to complete the scoring for the game.

COLORADO	3	3	7	0	—	13
Utah.....	0	14	14	0	—	28

SCORING

	Score	Time	Qtr
COLORADO — Becker 33 FG	3-0	12:32	1Q
Utah — Kuithe 19 pass from Rising (Redding kick)	3-7	12:23	2Q
Utah — Kincaid 28 pass from Rising (Redding kick)	3-14	8:08	2Q
COLORADO — Becker 56 FG	6-14	0:00	2Q
COLORADO — Reed 100 kickoff return (Becker kick)	13-14	14:45	3Q
Utah — Thomas 12 run (Redding kick)	13-21	12:08	3Q
Utah — Covey 13 pass from Rising (Redding kick)	13-28	6:45	3Q

Attendance: 51,538 **Time:** 3:03

Weather: 45 degrees, clear skies, 41 percent humidity; winds from the northwest at 3 mph

TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	UTAH
First Downs	9	23
Third Down Efficiency (Fourth)	7-16 (0-2)	6-12 (1-3)
Rushes—Net Yards	32-64	45-265
Passing Yards.....	84	179
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	23-9-0	23-14-1
Total Offense	148	444
Return Yards	54	31
Punts: No-Average	5-46.6	2-35.0
Fumbles: No-Lost.....	2-0	1-0
Penalties/Yards	4/25	2/20
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	0-0	4-32
Time of Possession.....	25:53	34:07
Drives/Average Field Position.....	10/C30	11/U37
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	1-1 (3)	3-4 (21)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing—Colorado: Fontenot 10-28, Smith 6-19, Lewis 14-15, Stanley 1-2, Arias 1-0. **Utah:** Thomas 25-142, Pledger 13-103, Rising 4-17, Covey 2-4, Team 1-minus 1,

Passing—Colorado: B.Lewis 23-9-0, 84, 0 td. **Utah:** Rising 23-14-1, 179, 3 td.

Receiving—Colorado: Stanley 3-48, Russell 2-12, Arias 1-9, Lynch 1-6, Fontenot 1-6, Carpenter 1-3. **Utah:** Covey 5-72, Kincaid 4-55, Kuithe 2-35, Bernard 2-5, Enis 1-12.

Punting—Colorado: Watts 5-46.6 (48 long, 1 In20). **Utah:** Williams 1-50.0; Rising 1-20.0 (1 In20).

Punt Returns—Colorado: Penry 1-14. **Utah:** Covey 4-31.

Kickoff Returns—Colorado: Reed 1-100, Penry 2-24. **Utah:** Covey 1-29.

Interceptions—Colorado: M.Perry 1-40. **Utah:** none.

Tackle Leaders—Colorado: L.Lewis 9,3—12; Grant 7,0—7; Barnes 4,2—7; Gonzalez 4,3—7; Rodman 5,1—6; Wells 5,1—6; M.Perry 4,2—6; Johnson 4,0—4; Q.Perry 1,3—4; Sami 3,0—3; Lang 2,1—3; Reed 1,1—2; Appleton 1,0—1; Jackson 1,0—1. **Utah:** Sewell 5,5—10; Lloyd 6,3—9; Bishop 6,1—7; Elliss 3,0—3; Phillips 3,0—3; Tafua 2,1—3; Tafuna 2,1—3.

Quarterback Sacks—Colorado: none. **Utah:** Fillinger 1-9, Lloyd 1-8, Tafua 1-8, Vimahi 1-7.

Passes Broken Up—Colorado: M.Perry. **Utah:** Furey 2, Mataele, Phillips, Pututau, Vaughn.

GAME NOTES

Utah has won nine of the 11 games between the two schools that bookend the Rockies and thus has taken a 33-32-3 series lead (Utah leads 19-14-2 in Salt Lake City) ... CU finishes its 132nd year of football with a 4-8 mark, and is now 8-10 under head coach Karl Dorrell) ... CU is now 19-26 in Friday games ... The Buffs finished 0-3 against ranked programs in 2021 ... The 46 degree temperature at kickoff was the coldest for a CU kickoff in 2021; the average temperature for all 12 games at kickoff was exactly 68 degrees ... The Buffs set the school mark for Scoring Percentage Inside-the-20 (Red Zone), scoring 31-of-33 times (20 TD/11FG); 93.9 percent. Old mark of 90.6 was set in 1985 and matched in 1994. On defense, opponents finished 32-of-43, or 74.4 percent, the 19th-best figure dating back to 1953 ... No Turnovers Again and Again: CU did not have a turnover for the seventh game this year (old school record was four several times; CU had just one in the final five games (a strip-sack of Drew Carter late in the UCLA game) ... CU had 7 turnovers on the year, a **school record** for the fewest in a season (old: 11 in 1956, five fumbles lost, six interceptions), the second-fewest in the NCAA ... Under Karl Dorrell, it was CU's eighth TO-free game (out of 18) ... **CB Nikko Reed** made his first career start but had the play of the game, as his 100-yard kickoff return for a TD to open the second half was the 12th 100-yard play in school history (eighth KOR); it actually covered 103 yards ... **PK Cole Becker** (1-1 PAT, 2-3 FG, 7 points) made a 56-yarder at the end of the first half, the longest by a freshman in school history; old record was 54 by Davis Price versus Oregon State in Boulder on Oct. 1, 2016; old best by a frosh on the road was 53 by James Stefanou at Arizona State on Nov. 4, 2017. It ties the seventh longest in school history and the fourth longest on the road. He made three 50-plus yard field goals this season (51, 52, 56), the most in a season since Mason Crosby made 5 (of 7) in 2005.



2021 STATISTICS



Won 4, Lost 8 (3-6 Pac-12)

RESULTS (◆—Pac-12 Game)	Result	Time	Attendance
S 3 NORTHERN COLORADO (N).....	W 35-7	3:18	44,153
S 11 Texas A&M (Denver).....	L 7-10	3:26	61,203
S 18 MINNESOTA.....	L 0-30	3:06	47,482
S 25 ◆at Arizona State (N).....	L 13-35	3:14	44,803
O 2 ◆SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.....	L 14-37	3:09	48,197
O 16 ◆ARIZONA.....	W 34-0	3:08	49,806
O 23 ◆at California.....	L 3-26	2:59	36,264
O 30 ◆at Oregon.....	L 29-52	3:36	51,449
N 6 ◆OREGON STATE (N; 2OT).....	W 37-34	3:41	47,984
N 13 ◆at UCLA (N).....	L 20-44	3:19	36,573
N 20 ◆WASHINGTON.....	W 20-17	3:03	41,284
N 26 ◆at Utah.....	L 13-28	3:03	51,538

SCORE-BY-QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	Total
COLORADO.....	40	63	56	56	10	225
Opponents.....	41	107	86	79	7	320

TEAM STATISTICS	Colorado	Opponents
FIRST DOWNS	173	267
by rushing.....	91	123
by passing.....	62	123
by penalty.....	20	21
FIRST DOWN PLAYS/YARDS	291/1325	372/2195
average gain on first down.....	4.55	5.90
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	51-158	72-167
percentage.....	32.3	43.1
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	6-18	8-18
percentage.....	33.3	44.4
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	438	431
yards gained.....	1837	2309
yards lost.....	323	166
NET RUSHING YARDS	1514	2143
average per rush.....	3.46	4.97
average per game.....	126.2	178.6
PASSING ATTEMPTS	269	403
passes completed.....	154	247
had intercepted.....	3	9
completion percentage.....	57.2	61.3
efficiency rating.....	116.5	131.4
NET PASSING YARDS	1575	2908
average per attempt.....	5.86	7.22
average per completion.....	10.2	11.8
average per game.....	131.3	242.3
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS	707	834
TOTAL NET YARDS	3089	5051
AVERAGE GAIN PER PLAY	4.37	6.06
AVERAGE PER GAME	257.4	420.9
FUMBLES-LOST	11-4	14-4
PENALTIES/YARDS	76/677	83/787
Offensive.....	36/252	46/387
Defensive.....	31/331	23/260
Special Teams.....	9/94	14/140
Bench (Unsportsmanlike).....	0/0	0/0
TURNOVERS (Margin: +6/+0.50).....	7	13
TOTAL RETURN YARDS	486	420
Punt Returns: No-Yards.....	19-255	38-407
Interceptions: No-Yards.....	9-143	3-2
Misc. (Fumble/Blk. FG) Returns.....	1-88	1-11
KICKOFF RETURNS: No-Yards	21-603	18-378
average per return.....	28.7	21.0
PUNTS	66	46
yards.....	3154	2110
gross average.....	47.8	44.0
yard deductions: returns/touchbacks..	407/140	255/180
net yards.....	2607	1695
net average.....	39.5	35.3
DEFENSIVE/tackles for loss	61-153	79-309
quarterback sacks/yards.....	15/47	32/211
quarterback hurries.....	56	62
passes broken up.....	35	40
forced fumbles (ST).....	8 (2)	4 (1)
BLOCKED KICKS (Special Teams)	2	1
TIME OF POSSESSION	326:22	393:38
average per game.....	27:12	32:48
TIME SPENT IN THE LEAD (tied 118:50)...	272:30	328:40
TIMES PENETRATED OPPONENT 20.....	33	43
GOAL-TO-GO SITUATIONS	18	18
scores/td,fg.....	18/14,4	14/13,1
TOTAL DRIVES	135	140
drives ended by: TD.....	22	39
FG Made/FG Miss.....	14/6	14/8
Punt/Downs.....	66/12	47/10
TO/SAF/Clock.....	6/0/9	13/0/9
TOTAL POINTS	225	320
average per game.....	18.8	26.7=

RUSHING

Player	G	Att	Gain	Loss	NET	avg. per att. game	TD	Long	20+	10+	5+	high game	
Jarek Broussard.....	11	142	691	30	661	4.65	60.1	2	49	4	20	46	151
Alex Fontenot.....	12	96	346	20	326	3.40	27.2	5	27	1	9	24	65
Deion Smith.....	12	53	208	16	192	3.62	16.0	2	21	1	5	17	43
Brendon Lewis.....	12	98	406	218	188	1.92	15.7	2	33	2	13	33	76
Ashaad Clayton.....	4	20	91	7	84	4.20	21.0	1	35	1	2	4	51
Brenden Rice.....	11	6	54	0	54	9.00	4.9	0	17	0	2	5	17
Joe Davis.....	1	5	22	0	22	4.40	22.0	0	6	0	0	3	22
Jayle Stacks.....	6	1	4	0	4	4.00	0.7	0	4	0	0	0	4
Matt Lynch.....	12	1	3	0	3	3.00	0.3	0	1	0	0	0	3
Daniel Arias.....	12	2	1	0	1	0.50	0.1	0	1	0	0	0	1
Brady Russell.....	12	1	0	0	0	0.00	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dimitri Stanley.....	8	2	2	1	1	0.50	-0.1	0	2	0	0	0	2
Drew Carter.....	6	3	9	10	-1	-0.33	-0.2	0	5	0	0	1	9
Team (k-downs, snaps) .	12	8	0	21	-21	-2.63	-1.9	0	-1	...	...	...	-2

PASSING

Player	G	Att	Com	Int	(T)	Pct.	Yards	att. comp.	TD	Long	HT	Sacked	Att.	Yards	Avg.	
Brendon Lewis.....	12	257	149	3	(2)	58.0	1,540	6.0	10.3	10	65	60	31/201	355	1728	4.9
Drew Carter	6	12	5	0	(0)	41.7	35	2.9	7.0	0	12	2	1/10	15	34	2.3
Team (<i>spiked passes</i>).....	0	0	0	...	0.0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Team (<i>spiked passes</i>).....	0	0	0	...	0.0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

NCAA Ratings: Lewis 118.8, Carter 66.2.

Passes w/o INT: Lewis 131, Carter 11 (T—interceptions that were tipped/bobbled; HT—hurried throws)

RECEIVING

Player	G	No.	Yards	rec.	game	TD	Long	TGD	20+	10+	5+	rec	yards
Brady Russell.....	12	25	307	12.3	25.6	0	65	32	5	9	20	5	3-87
Brenden Rice.....	11	21	299	14.2	27.2	3	62t	35	5	10	16	5	3-111
Daniel Arias.....	12	19	237	12.5	19.8	1	43t	35	2	7	16	4	4-70
Dimitri Stanley.....	9	15	130	8.7	14.4	1	29	24	1	5	9	3	3-48
Jarek Broussard.....	11	13	81	6.2	7.4	0	21	18	1	3	7	4	3-30
Alex Fontenot.....	12	13	80	6.2	6.7	1	43	14	1	1	6	2	1-43
Montana Lemonious-Craig	10	10	123	12.3	12.3	2	25	16	2	5	10	3	3-52
Chase Penry.....	11	8	86	10.8	7.8	1	21	13	1	4	6	3	3-41
Chris Carpenter.....	7	7	45	6.4	6.4	0	19	10	0	2	2	2	1-19
Ty Robinson.....	12	6	64	10.7	5.3	1	26	12	1	2	5	2	1-26
La'Vontae Shenault.....	3	6	60	10.0	20.0	0	23	10	2	3	3	2	2-24
Deion Smith.....	12	5	21	4.2	1.9	0	8	13	0	0	3	2	1-8
Matt Lynch.....	12	4	22	5.5	1.8	0	13	8	0	1	2	2	1-13
Alec Pell.....	10	1	17	17.0	1.7	0	17	1	0	1	1	1	1-17
Jayle Stacks.....	6	1	3	3.0	0.5	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	1-3
Caleb Fauria.....	3	0	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

Yards After Catch (810): Russell 223, Rice 129, Arias 72, Broussard 66, Carpenter 47, Fontenot 46, Robinson 45, Shenault 40, Penry 37, Lemonious-Craig 36, Smith 34, Stanley 18, Pell 7, Robinson 6, Lynch 4. (TGD—targeted).

SCORING

Player	G	Total	Rush	Rec.	Ret.	PAT	EP-EPA	FG-FGA	Saf	DEX	PTS
Cole Becker.....	12	0	0	0	0	0-0	25-25	14-20	--	--	67
Alex Fontenot.....	12	6	5	1	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	36
Brendon Rice.....	11	3	0	3	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	18
Jarek Broussard.....	11	2	2	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	12
Montana L-Craig.....	10	2	0	2	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	12
Brendon Lewis.....	12	2	2	0	0	0-1	0-0	0-0	--	--	12
Deion Smith.....	12	2	2	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	12
Chase Penry.....	11	1	0	1	0	1-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	8
Daniel Arias.....	12	1	0	1	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	6
Ashaad Clayton.....	4	1	1	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	6
Jack Lamb.....	11	1	0	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	6
Nikko Reed.....	12	1	0	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	6
Ty Robinson.....	12	1	0	1	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	6
Dimitri Stanley.....	9	1	0	1	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	6
Carson Wells.....	12	1	0	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	6
Trevor Woods.....	11	1	0	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	--	--	6
COLORADO.....	12	26	12	10	4	1-1	25-25	14-20	--	--	225
Opponents.....	12	40	22	17	1	0-0	38-40	14-22	--	--	320

PUNTING

Players	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	In 20	50+	FC	TB	had blk	Ret. Yds.	Net Yds	Net Avg
Josh Watts.....	12	66	3154	47.79	64	16	24	16	7	0	407	2607	39.5
COLORADO.....	12	66	3154	47.79	64	16	24	16	7	0	407	2607	39.5
Opponents.....	12	48	2110	43.96	65	11	18	6	8	1	255	1695	35.3

FIELD GOALS

Player	G	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total	Pct.	Long
Cole Becker.....	12	1-1	3-3	5-6	2-6	3-4	0-0	14-20	70.0	56
(53s) (46wr) (-) (46blk) 51,33 (-) (19,37) (33) (-) (28,35wr,52,43) (23,40,43wr) (35,22) (33,48wr,56)										
Opponents.....	12	0-0	1-2	5-7	6-9	1-3	1-1	14-22	63.6	60



DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Pos	Player	G	Plays	UT	AT	TOT	Avg.	Sacks	Other	TZ	3DS	QBP	QCD	FR	FF	PBU
DB	Isaiah Lewis	12	635	55	24	79	6.6	0-0	0-0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0
LB	Quinn Perry	12	483	53	25	78	6.5	0-0	4-9	6	3	1	3	0	0	0
DB	Mark Perry	12	761	50	22	72	6.0	0-0	2-2	1	2	0	1	1	0	4
LB	Nate Landman	7	400	52	19	71	10.1	0-0	6-13	9	7	3	2	0	1	4
LB	Carson Wells	12	712	44	18	62	5.2	5½-16	9-22	4	15	17	1	0	1	3
DB	Christian Gonzalez	12	781	36	18	54	4.5	0-0	5-14	1	6	1	1	0	0	6
DB	Mekhi Blackmon	9	515	33	17	50	5.6	0-0	1-1	0	6	1	0	1	0	5
LB	Robert Barnes	11	376	33	11	44	4.0	0-0	3-4	3	5	1	1	1	0	2
LB	Guy Thomas	7	266	28	8	36	5.1	2-4	3-10	4	3	1	0	0	2	0
DL	Jalen Sami	12	432	23	7	30	2.5	1½-5	3-6	5	3	1	0	0	1	0
DL	Mustafa Johnson	8	369	23	5	28	3.5	2-12	3-10	5	3	7	0	0	0	0
DB	Trevor Woods	10	139	13	10	23	2.3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
LB	Jack Lamb	10	168	14	7	21	2.1	0-0	0-0	4	1	2	1	1	1	0
LB	Marvin Ham	9	138	14	6	20	2.2	0-0	1-1	0	2	1	1	0	0	0
DL	Terrance Lang	12	589	11	9	20	1.7	1½-1	2-3	2	8	6	0	0	0	2
DL	Na'im Rodman	12	429	13	3	16	1.3	1½-5	1-1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0
LB	Joshua Gustav	10	190	11	2	13	1.3	1-4	0-0	1	4	0	0	0	2	2
LB	Devin Grant	3	145	11	2	13	4.3	0-0	3-6	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
DB	Tyrin Taylor	11	257	8	2	10	0.9	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
DB	Nigel Bethel	6	151	7	2	9	1.5	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3
DB	Nikko Reed	12	199	5	3	8	0.7	0-0	1-1	0	3	0	0	0	0	2
LB	Jamar Montgomery	9	138	5	2	7	0.8	0-0	0-0	0	3	5	0	0	0	0
DB	Kaylin Moore	6	134	5	2	7	1.2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
DB	Curtis Appleton	10	88	4	1	5	0.5	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
DL	Justin Jackson	10	135	3	2	5	0.5	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
DL	Janaz Jordan	10	234	4	0	4	0.4	0-0	0-0	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
DB	Chris Miller	2	45	4	0	4	2.0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
DL	Jayden Simon	9	75	3	0	3	0.3	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
DL	Blayne Toll	3	32	3	0	3	1.0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LB	Mister Williams	1	9	2	1	3	1.0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LB	Jonathan Van Diest	3	22	1	2	3	1.0	0-0	1-3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DB	Trustin Oliver	2	18	1	0	1	0.5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LB	Zephaniah Maea	4	13	1	0	1	0.3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DB	Ray Robinson	2	8	1	0	1	0.5	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
DL	Lloyd Murray, Jr.	2	43	0	1	1	0.5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LB	Alvin Williams	2	38	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
DL	Ryan Williams	2	10	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DL	Tyas Martin	1	5	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LB	Zion Magalei	1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

ATTENDANCE

Site	G	Attend.	Average	High	W-L
In Boulder	6	278,906	46,484.3	49,806	4-2
On The Road	5	220,627	44,125.4	51,538	0-5
Neutral	1	61,203	61,203.0	61,203	0-1

PUNT RETURNS

Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD	AFP
Dimitri Stanley	9	10	123	12.3	27	0	C39
Chase Penry	11	3	53	17.7	23	0	C41
La'Vontae Shenault	3	4	38	9.5	18	0	C40
Trevor Woods	5	1	36	36.0	36t	1	O 0
Nikko Reed	12	1	5	5.0	5	0	C22

(Starting AFP—Avg. Field Position: Stanley 10/391; Penry 3/122; Shenault 4/160; Reed 1/22)

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD	AFP
Brenden Rice	11	17	469	27.6	67	0	C29
Nikko Reed	12	1	100	100.0	100t	1	.....
Chase Penry	11	2	24	12.0	16	0	C18
Jared Poplawski	5	1	10	10.0	10	0	C35

(Starting AFP—Rice 17/488; Poplawski 1/35; Penry 2/36; Reed N/A)

INTERCEPTION RETURNS

Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD
Mark Perry	13	3	55	18.3	40	0
Isaiah Lewis	12	2	38	19.0	38	0
Carson Wells	12	1	50	50.0	50t	1
Mekhi Blackmon	9	1	0	0.0	0	0
Robert Barnes	11	1	0	0.0	0	0
Nikko Reed	12	1	0	0.0	0	0

FUMBLE RETURNS

Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD
Jack Lamb	10	1	88	88.0	88t	1

DEFENSIVE SCRIMMAGE SNAPS: 9,183 (0 2-pt plays).

FOURTH DOWN STOPS (8; included in third down stops):

Wells 4, Blackmon, Landman, Montgomery, Reed.

INTERCEPTIONS CAUSED (4): Johnson 2, Montgomery,

M.Perry. STRIP-SACKS (0). SAFETIES (0): None.

SACKS FOR 0 (2): Lang, Thomas.

TOUCHDOWN SAVES (19): Gonzalez 5, M. Perry 4, Blackmon 3, Barnes, Grant, Gustav, Ham, I. Lewis, Reed, Wells, Woods.

SPECIAL TEAMS STATISTICS

Player	UT	UT/20	AT	AT/20	FF	FR	KSD	WB	DP	BLK	FFC	FDF	RK	OTH	POINTS
Daniel Arias	1	0	4	2	0	0	4	1	0	5	3	0	2	0	= 22
Toren Pittman	4	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	7	0	1	0	= 21
Anthony Lyle	4	1	2	0	1	0	8	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	= 20
Alec Pell	3	1	5	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 13
Ray Robinson	5	1	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	= 13
Matt Lynch	1	0	1	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	= 11
Mister Williams	5	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 10
Nigel Bethel	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	0	= 8
Joshka Gustav	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	= 7
Jonathan Van Diest	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	= 7
Quinn Perry	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 6
Jack Lamb	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 5
Jaylon Jackson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	= 4
Isaiah Lewis	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 4
Michael Harrison	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	= 4
C.J. Schmanski	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 4
Deion Smith	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 4
Alvin Williams	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	= 4
Marvin Ham	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 3
Curtis Appleton	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 3
Christian Gonzalez	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 3
Nico Magri	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 3
Jared Poplawski	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 3
Trevor Woods	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	= 3
Cole Becker	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 2
Chase Penry	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 2
Mark Perry	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 2
Jayle Stacks	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 2
Guy Thomas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	= 2
Carson Wells	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 2
Robert Barnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Terrance Lang	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Trustin Oliver	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Nikko Reed	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Austin Smith	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Tyrin Taylor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	= 1
Josh Watts	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 1

BLOCKED KICKS SUMMARY (2): Woods (punt/Arizona); Lang (field goal/Utah). OTHER—Field Goal/PAT Pressures (3): Gonzalez 3. Punt Pressures: None.

Touchdown Saves (0): None. Stuffed Punt Fakes: None. Fair Catch/Kickoff Return (not in EZ): None.

KEY: UT—Unassisted Tackle; UT/20—UT Inside-the-20; AT—Assisted Tackle; AT/20—AT Inside-the-20; TZ—Tackles For Zero; 3DS—Third/Fourth Down Stops (tackles, INTs, QBPs or PBUs); QBP—Quarterback Pressure; QCD—Quarterback Chasedowns; FF—Forced Fumble; FR—Fumble/Muff Recovery (Opponent on defense or CU or Opponent on special teams); PBU—Passes Broken Up; KSD—Knockdown or Springing Block on Kick Return; WB—Wedge Break; DP—Downed Punt (meaningful); BLK—Blocked Kick; RK—Recovered Blocked Kick, Punt or On-side kick; FFC—Forced Fair Catch; FDF—First Downfield (on kickoff or punt that altered return path); CP—Caused Penalty. A defensive game played is credited only when a player is in for at least one defensive play; defensive tackles do not include special team tackles. NOTE: Defensive/special team statistics compiled from coaches' video; NCAA/Pac-12 Colorado stats are not accurate.

YARDS BY QUARTER/HALF

	COLORADO								OPPONENT								4TH DOWN		COLORADO			OPPONENT		
Game	1Q	2Q	1H	3Q	4Q	2H	OT	GAME	1Q	2Q	1H	3Q	4Q	2H	OT	GAME	COLO	OPP	20+	10+	5+	20+	10+	5+
Northern Colorado	22	87	109	145	129	274	---	383	59	58	117	69	70	139	---	256	0-0	0-2	4	15	29	2	10	21
Texas A&M	127	79	206	41	13	54	---	260	18	63	81	45	162	207	---	288	0-2	0-0	1	10	22	2	13	21
Minnesota	0	7	7	21	35	56	---	63	83	142	225	99	117	216	---	441	0-2	1-1	0	3	9	6	14	29
Arizona State	36	65	101	104	45	149	---	250	85	103	188	149	102	251	---	439	1-1	0-0	2	10	20	6	20	32
Southern California	24	64	88	120	34	154	---	242	161	164	325	112	57	169	---	494	0-1	0-0	1	6	18	6	19	31
Arizona	90	71	161	105	99	204	---	365	33	66	99	93	88	181	---	280	0-1	1-3	5	12	20	2	15	28
California	72	19	91	19	-6	13	---	104	143	154	297	85	56	141	---	438	0-1	1-1	1	5	12	3	19	35
Oregon	22	152	174	87	80	167	---	341	176	168	344	144	80	224	---	568	4-4	1-1	4	12	25	9	22	38
Oregon State	144	50	194	79	88	167	31	392	78	120	198	97	135	232	45	475	0-0	2-3	5	11	27	6	16	34
UCLA	80	162	242	71	45	116	---	358	35	192	227	219	55	274	---	501	0-3	0-2	4	9	26	5	19	35
Washington	48	39	87	17	79	96	---	183	90	124	214	85	127	212	---	426	1-1	1-2	2	6	17	6	16	29
Utah	50	32	82	42	24	66	---	148	78	141	219	139	86	225	---	444	0-2	1-3	1	5	15	6	21	32



AT-A-GLANCE SUMMARIES

Game	Score	1	2	3	4	OT	First Downs			Rushing			Passing			Total Off.	Return	Punting	Fumbles	Penalties	Third	QB	Avg.	Time of		
							Tot	Ru	Pa	Pn	Att	Yards	TD	Att	Com-Int	Yards	TD	Att	Yards	No/Lost	No/Yds	Downs	Sacks	F.Pos.	Poss.	
COLORADO	35	0	14	7	14	-	22	16	5	1	49	261	4	15-10-0	102	1	64	383	68	3-40.0	0-0	12/118	6-10	4-12	C 30	30:44
Northern Colorado	7	0	0	7	0	-	15	2	9	4	18	20	0	42-24-1	236	1	60	256	0	6-37.3	1-0	6/50	3-14	2-11	N 26	29:16
COLORADO	7	7	0	0	0	-	14	9	3	2	38	171	1	25-13-1	89	0	63	260	18	7-49.0	0-0	2/17	4-14	2- 2	C 27	28:34
Texas A&M	10	0	3	0	7	-	14	6	8	0	29	98	0	40-19-0	191	1	69	289	50	8-49.0	1-1	7/65	8-20	1- 3	T 29	31:26
COLORADO	0	0	0	0	0	-	6	3	3	0	21	-19	0	24-12-0	82	0	45	63	8	8-51.9	4-2	3/30	2-12	1- 2	C 27	19:47
Minnesota	30	0	13	7	10	-	22	13	8	1	53	277	4	17-11-0	164	1	70	441	44	4-43.2	2-0	4/34	3-11	4-31	M 34	40:13
COLORADO	13	0	3	7	3	-	18	10	4	4	44	183	1	17- 7-0	67	0	61	250	10	6-47.8	0-0	8/84	5-15	0- 0	C 21	28:55
Arizona State	35	7	7	7	14	-	25	10	12	3	32	167	4	27-20-0	272	1	59	439	41	4-43.5	1-0	7/90	5-10	3-15	AS 26	31:05
COLORADO	14	0	7	7	0	-	11	4	5	2	39	80	1	17-10-1	162	1	56	242	7	7-49.6	2-1	7/79	1-10	0- 0	C 27	28:36
Southern California	37	10	10	10	7	-	20	9	10	1	35	218	1	29-19-0	276	3	64	494	46	3-43.0	1-1	12/125	5-12	5-25	SC 31	31:24
COLORADO	34	3	3	21	7	-	18	6	9	3	39	117	0	19-12-0	248	2	58	365	103	4-48.0	0-0	6/76	6-13	2- 6	C 21	29:02
Arizona	0	0	0	0	0	-	19	9	6	4	31	127	0	39-20-2	153	0	70	280	4	8-45.6	1-0	8/63	3-15	1- 1	A 25	30:58
COLORADO	3	0	3	0	0	-	7	4	2	1	28	35	0	18- 9-1	69	0	46	104	16	7-48.9	1-0	2/15	3-12	1- 4	C 29	21:30
California	26	10	13	0	3	-	23	12	11	0	40	213	0	30-22-0	225	2	70	438	24	5-37.4	0-0	7/75	5-15	6-36	C 27	38:30
COLORADO	29	0	14	0	15	-	19	8	10	1	30	117	1	33-25-0	224	3	63	341	0	4-43.5	1-0	11/75	5-13	0- 0	C 31	28:24
Oregon	52	14	17	14	7	-	32	15	15	2	36	256	4	36-26-1	312	3	72	568	19	0-00.0	2-0	5/40	7-10	1- 2	O 27	31:36
COLORADO	37	10	3	7	7	10	20	10	8	2	44	222	1	24-15-0	170	0	68	392	76	5-49.0	0-0	9/65	7-16	1- 6	C 41	28:19
Oregon State	34	0	10	7	10	7	25	16	8	1	43	220	3	38-20-1	255	0	81	475	41	4-47.8	0-0	9/88	8-17	0- 0	OS 33	31:41
COLORADO	20	7	13	0	0	-	20	12	6	2	47	192	2	29-18-0	166	0	76	358	15	3-48.3	1-1	7/48	3-13	1- 1	C 25	32:45
UCLA	44	0	10	20	14	-	27	13	10	4	41	244	5	26-18-1	257	0	67	501	93	2-47.0	0-0	9/67	4-10	4-49	U 35	27:15
COLORADO	20	10	0	0	10	-	9	3	4	2	27	71	1	25-14-0	112	0	52	183	111	7-44.4	1-0	5/45	2-13	3-13	C 35	23:53
Washington	17	0	10	0	7	-	22	5	16	1	28	38	0	56-34-2	388	2	84	426	27	2-55.5	3-2	7/70	14-21	1- 6	W 27	36:07
COLORADO	13	3	3	7	0	-	9	6	3	0	32	64	0	23- 9-0	84	0	55	145	54	5-46.6	2-0	4/25	7-16	0- 0	C 30	25:53
Utah	28	0	14	14	0	-	23	13	10	0	45	265	1	23-14-1	179	3	68	444	31	2-35.0	1-0	2/20	6-12	4-32	U 37	34:07

OFFENSIVE LINE STATISTICS

Player	Play Count												Season Totals									
	UNC	A&M	MIN	ASU	USC	UA	CAL	ORE	OSU	UCLA	WASH	UTAH	Plays/Graded	Plus	Grade	TDB	PPTD	QBS	PRS	PEN	Best Game Grade (minimum 15 snaps)	
G. C-LICHTENHAN ..	22	DNP	17	DNP	1	17	10	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	67/ 65	29	44.6	0	1	1	2	-	62.5 / Arizona	
N. FENSKE	DNP	DNP	29	DNP	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	31/ 31	17	54.8	0	0	1	-	-	54.8 / Minnesota	
F. FILLIP	INJ	INJ	28	61	55	41	36	64	68	76	52	55	536/ 565	394	69.7	2	6	8½	23	2½	76.1 / at Oregon	
A. JOHNSON	6	DNP	15	DNP	DNP	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	23/ 21	14	66.7	0	0	-	1	-	66.7 / Minnesota	
J. JYNES	6	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	8/ 6	4	66.7	0	0	-	-	-	N/A	
K. KUTSCH	58	63	33	61	50	48	41	64	68	76	52	55	669/ 698	586	84.0	8	7	1	4	4	90.3 / Oregon State	
C. LEE	6	DNP	1	DNP	DNP	SSP	SSP	SSP	SSP	SSP	SSP	SSP	7/ 7	3	42.9	0	0	-	-	-	N/A	
C. LYTLE	42	DNP	12	DNP	11	8	5	DNP	DNP	3	DNP	7	88/ 90	56	62.2	3	1	1	4	-	52.4 / Northern Colorado	
C. PURSELL	58	63	ILL	61	56	56	46	64	68	76	52	55	655/ 685	530	77.4	6	8	1½	4	2	87.5 / at Utah	
K. RAY	39	44	19	10	DNP	21	7	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	140/ 145	98	67.6	2	1	½	5	1½	89.5 / Minnesota	
C. RODDICK	19	19	26	51	51	37	39	64	68	76	52	48	550/ 572	421	73.6	4	7	2½	6	3	86.1 / Oregon State	
J. WILEY	46	63	35	61	56	56	42	64	68	76	52	55	674/ 705	482	68.4	8	6	8	17	5	83.6 / at Oregon	
M. WRAY	18	63	10	INJ	INJ	INJ	4	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	95/ 97	63	64.9	0	1	1	1	1	71.9 / Texas A&M	
Team	64	63	45	61	56	58	46	64	68	76	52		55 3543/ 3687	2697	73.1	32	38	26	67	20	82.0 / Oregon	

(includes 2-pt play at Oregon; Lytle played 3 snaps as a sixth lineman at UCLA). Sacks/pressures allowed by others or coverage not included; sacks & pressures may exceed overall team total as two players can be awarded a pressure on the same play. Graded plays may exceed play count if a player or players were called for a penalty that prevented a play from proceeding (plays for other players in for those penalties are removed from their totals). KEY: TDB—Touchdown Blocks (direct); PPTD—Perfect plays on passing touchdown/conversions; QBS—Quarterback Sacks Allowed; PRS—Pressures Allowed; PEN—Penalties.

FG/PAT TEAM PLAY COUNT (45: Christian-Lichtenhan 45, Lytle 45, Magri 45, Roddick 45, Wiley 45, Pell 37, Russell 33, A. Johnson 31, Lee 14, Fauria 8, Schmanski 6, Toll 6.
(Snappers: Bedell 45 Holders: Lynch 24, Watts 21. Kickers: Becker 45).

PUNT TEAM SNAPS (66; includes fakes, roughing calls): Bedell 66.

NON-OFFENSIVE SCORES (4)

vs. Opponent	Player	Play	By Opponent (1)	Player	Play
Arizona	Trevor Woods	36 blocked punt return	UCLA	Kyle Philips	82 punt return
Arizona	Carson Wells	50 interception return			
Washington	Jack Lamb	88 fumble return			
Utah	Nikko Reed	100 kickoff return			

MISCELLANEOUS STAT BOX

(Coin Toss: O-offense; D-Defense; d-deferred/played defense first)

Game	Red Zone (Scores-Att; (TD/FG); Plays-Yds)	Avg./1st Down	2nd Down Eff.	3rd Dn/Avg-to-Go	Plays (+/0/-)	Opponent	Plus Territory	Opponent	Coin Toss
Northern Colorado	5-5 (5/0) 11-77	0-2 (0/0) 6-(-5)	5.4 4.1	11-23 4-20	6.9 7.9	52 8 4	33 21 6	37-210	25- 76 73° W (D)
Texas A&M	1-2 (1/0) 8-33	1-2 (1/0) 4-36	4.3 4.4	5-21 2-23	8.0 6.7	42 15 6	38 23 8	20- 94	26-121 92° W (D)
Minnesota	0-0 (0/0) 0- 0	5-6 (4/1) 18-82	2.5 5.3	2-14 12-25	9.2 7.5	22 14 9	54 8 8	8-(-6)	44-266 70° L (O)
Arizona State	2-2 (1/1) 6-15	4-4 (4/0) 8-62	5.1 7.5	3-19 6-18	5.2 5.9	37 16 8	41 12 6	24- 77	23-188 90° W (D)
Southern California	2-2 (2/0) 5-15	4-4 (3/1) 8-24	2.4 7.0	11-22 8-21	10.0 8.3	38 10 8	47 13 4	12- 56	21-170 66° W (D)
Arizona	3-3 (2/1) 7-25	0-2 (0/0) 6- 0	4.0 3.6	6-20 8-22	5.8 7.8	38 11 9	38 23 9	19- 88	18- 51 64° W (D)
California	1-1 (0/1) 2- 2	2-2 (0/2) 5- 2	2.4 7.0	2-15 8-22	8.3 8.7	23 11 12	52 12 6	11- 3	21-160 62° L (O)
Oregon	4-4 (4/0) 17-40	5-5 (4/1) 12-44	4.5 6.7	7-20 14-25	7.7 5.6	44 13 6	56 15 1	38-187	45-312 52° W (D)
Oregon State	5-6 (3/2) 14-42	2-3 (2/0) 7-37	8.1 5.9	6-23 9-27	9.1 7.6	52 12 4	53 24 4	41-218	37-211 73° L (O)
UCLA	4-4 (2/2) 13-27	4-5 (4/0) 11-55	5.8 9.5	13-27 8-20	7.0 7.7	53 14 9	51 13 4	36-105	39-200 73° L (O)
Washington	3-3 (1/2) 9-18	2-4 (1/1) 7-12	3.5 2.9	3-19 5-29	7.8 6.1	32 15 5	51 23 10	19- 65	39-142 55° L (O)
Utah	1-1 (0/1) 3- 0	3-4 (3/0) 7-48	3.3 5.6	1-18 10-23	8.3 5.8	31 17 7	49 12 7	15- 30	36-215 46° L (D)



SCORING DRIVES (Game-By-Game)

Opponent	Plays	Yards	Time	Result	Qtr	(Down) How	PAT	Quarterback
Northern Colorado	7	28	3:40	TD	2	(2) Broussard 1 run	Becker	Lewis
Northern Colorado	5	56	2:10	TD	2	(2) Lemonious-Craig 17 pass from Lewis	Becker	Lewis
Northern Colorado	16	90	7:25	TD	3	(1) Fontenot 3 run	Becker	Lewis
Northern Colorado	6	54	2:22	TD	4	(2) Clayton 1 run	Becker	Lewis
Northern Colorado	6	55	1:55	TD	4	(2) Smith 5 run	Becker	Lewis
Texas A&M	9	69	4:43	TD	1	(2) Broussard 2 run	Becker	Lewis
Arizona State	10	43	2:53	FG	2	(4) Becker 51 FG	.....	Lewis
Arizona State	8	75	3:59	TD	3	(3) Fontenot 3 run	Becker	Lewis
Arizona State	9	61	4:27	FG	4	(4) Becker 33 FG	.....	Lewis
Southern California	6	48	2:59	*TD	2	(2) Smith 1 run	Becker	Lewis
Southern California	4	75	1:34	TD	3	(2) Penry 7 pass from Lewis	Becker	Lewis
Arizona	10	68	4:22	FG	1	(4) Becker 19 FG	.....	Lewis
Arizona	7	61	2:52	FG	2	(4) Becker 37 FG	.....	Lewis
Arizona	4	80	1:15	TD	3	(3) Rice 62 pass from Lewis	Becker	Lewis
Arizona	9	70	4:45	*TD	4	(2) Stanley 11 pass from Lewis	Becker	Lewis
California	10	68	4:22	FG	1	(4) Becker 19 FG	.....	Lewis
Oregon	9	77	4:22	TD	2	(2) Robinson 9 pass from Lewis	Becker	Lewis
Oregon	8	65	2:15	TD	2	(4) Fontenot 2 pass from Lewis	Becker	Lewis
Oregon	17	67	6:34	TD	4	(4) Fontenot 1 run	Becker	Lewis
Oregon	9	65	4:25	*TD	4	(2) Rice 16 pass from Lewis Penry pass from Lewis	.....	Lewis
Oregon State	11	65	4:42	FG	1	(4) Becker 28 FG	.....	Lewis
Oregon State	7	79	2:33	TD	1	(1) Arias 43 pass from Lewis	Becker	Lewis
Oregon State	7	11	2:41	FG	2	(4) Becker 52 FG	.....	Lewis
Oregon State	6	41	2:41	TD	3	(3) Rice 5 pass from Lewis	Becker	Lewis
Oregon State	7	72	3:13	TD	4	(3) Lemonious-Craig 16 pass from Lewis	Becker	Lewis
Oregon State	3	25	.....	TD	OT1	(1) Lewis 9 run	Becker	Lewis
Oregon State	4	1	.....	FG	OT2	(4) Becker 43 FG	.....	Lewis
UCLA	12	70	6:34	TD	1	(2) Fontenot 1 run	Becker	Lewis
UCLA	10	55	3:54	FG	2	(4) Becker 23 FG	.....	Lewis
UCLA	6	75	2:34	TD	2	(2) Fontenot 1 run	Becker	Lewis
UCLA	8	49	2:23	FG	2	(4) Becker 40 FG	.....	Lewis
Washington	10	58	5:08	FG	1	(4) Becker 35 FG	.....	Lewis
Washington	4	3	1:50	*FG	4	(4) Becker 23 FG	.....	Lewis
Washington	14	90	6:23	*TD	4	(3) Lewis 2 run	Becker	Lewis
Utah	4	0	0:57	*FG	1	(4) Becker 33 FG	.....	Lewis
Utah	9	39	3:14	FG	2	(3) Becker 56 FG	.....	Lewis

(*—scored following a turnover.)

COLORADO YARDS PER PLAY—TD Drives: 7.9 (178-1409); **FG Drives:** 4.7 (96-454); **Non-Scoring Drives:** 2.8 (433-1226).
OPPONENT YARDS PER PLAY—TD Drives: 9.2 (266-2444); **FG Drives:** 6.3 (106-670); **Non-Scoring Drives:** 4.2 (462-1937).

DRIVE ANALYSIS

DISTANCE Length	COLORADO TD	FG	OPPONENT TD	FG
(minus)	—	0	—	1
0—9	0	3	0	1
10—19	0	2	0	0
20—29	2	0	0	1
30—39	0	1	3	0
40—49	2	2	6	2
50—59	3	2	4	6
60—69	4	4	8	2
70—79	8	0	12	1
80—89	1	0	5	0
90—99	2	0	1	0

GAME OPENING DRIVES

Game	COLORADO Pts	FD	Yds	OPPONENT Pts	FD	Yds
Northern Colorado	0	0	11	0	2	35
Texas A&M	0	1	16	0	0	4
Minnesota	0	0	-5	0	3	52
Arizona State	0	0	-7	0	1	33
Southern California	0	1	1	0	0	2
Arizona	3	4	68	0	0	8
California	0	1	23	3	2	53
Oregon	0	0	5	7	4	47
Oregon State	3	4	65	0	0	7
UCLA	0	0	9	0	0	6
Washington	3	3	58	0*	4	72
Utah	3	0	0	0*	1	11

SECOND HALF OPENING DRIVES

Game	COLORADO Pts	FD	Yds	OPPONENT Pts	FD	Yds
Northern Colorado	0	3	55	0	1	19
Texas A&M	0	0	2	0	0	7
Minnesota	0	1	21	0	3	61
Arizona State	7	4	75	7	4	71
Southern California	0*	2	9	0	0	-2
Arizona	0	0	7	0	1	20
California	0	1	15	0	1	16
Oregon	0	1	15	7	2	68
Oregon State	0	0	12	0	0	1
UCLA	0	1	17	7	4	76
Washington	0	0	2	0*	3	48
Utah	0	1	2	7	4	68

(*—drive ended by a turnover)

POSSESSIONS AT-A-GLANCE

	No.	Plays	Snap	Avg. 3-Plays &Out*	Snap/TD
Colorado	135	707	5.24	47	32.1 (22)
Opponent	140	834	5.96	32	21.4 (39)

(*—less if there is a turnover; must not have earned a first down or scored a touchdown.)

POINTS BY DRIVE

Drive (CU/Opp)	COLORADO Pts	TD	FG	OPPONENT Pts	TD	FG
1 (11/11)	12	0	4	10	1	1
2 (11/11)	14	2	0	34	4	2
3 (11/11)	21	3	0	30	4	1
4 (11/11)	16	1	3	49	7	0
5 (11/11)	23	2	3	19	1	4
6 (11/11)	17	2	1	17	2	1
7 (11/11)	14	2	0	30	4	1
8 (11/11)	25	3	1	24	3	1
9 (11/11)	21	3	0	45	6	1
10 (10/10)	24	3	1	14	2	0
11 (8/8)	0	0	0	17	2	1
12 (4/6)	7	1	0	17	2	1
13 (2/4)	3	0	1	7	1	0
14 (0/0)	0	0	0	0	0	0
15 (0/0)	0	0	0	0	0	0
16 (0/0)	0	0	0	0	0	0



LONGEST PLAYS

COLORADO

Scrimmage

Yards	Opponent	Player(s)
65	Southern California	Brady Russell pass from Brendon Lewis
62	Arizona	Brenden Rice pass from Brendon Lewis (TD)
51	Arizona	Brenden Rice pass from Brendon Lewis
49	Oregon State	Jarek Broussard run
46	UCLA	Jarek Broussard run
43	Arizona	Alex Fontenot pass from Brendon Lewis
43	Oregon State	Daniel Arias pass from Brendon Lewis (TD)
42	UCLA	Daniel Arias pass from Brendon Lewis
36	Oregon	Brenden Rice pass from Brendon Lewis
35	Northern Colorado	Ashaad Clayton run
35	UCLA	Brady Russell pass from Brendon Lewis
33	Arizona State	Brendon Lewis run
30	Texas A&M	Brendon Lewis run
30	Northern Colorado	Jarek Broussard run
29	Utah	Dimitri Stanley pass from Brendon Lewis
28	Oregon	Brady Russell pass from Brendon Lewis
27	UCLA	Alex Fontenot run
26	Oregon	Brenden Rice pass from Brendon Lewis
26	Washington	Jarek Broussard run
25	Arizona	Montana Lemonious-Craig pass from Brendon Lewis
23	Arizona State	Ty Robinson pass from Brendon Lewis
23	Northern Colorado	La'Vontae Shenault pass from Brendon Lewis
23	Oregon State	La'Vontae Shenault pass from Brendon Lewis
22	Arizona	Montana Lemonious-Craig pass from Brendon Lewis
22	Oregon	Brenden Rice pass from Brendon Lewis
21	Northern Colorado	Deion Smith run
21	California	Jarek Broussard pass from Brendon Lewis
21	Oregon State	Chase Penry pass from Brendon Lewis
20	Oregon State	Brady Russell pass from Brendon Lewis
20	Washington	Brady Russell pass from Brendon Lewis
19	Arizona	Chris Carpenter pass from Brendon Lewis
19	Texas A&M	Daniel Arias pass from Brendon Lewis
19	Oregon	Alex Fontenot run
19	Southern California	Jarek Broussard run
18	Southern California	Daniel Arias pass from Brendon Lewis

Number of plays 20-plus yards in length: 30 (21 pass, 9 rush)

Number of plays 40-plus yards in length: 8 (6 pass, 2 rush)

Returns

Type	Yards	Opponent	Player
KICKOFF	100	Utah	Nikko Reed (TD)
PUNT	36	Arizona	Trevor Woods (TD)
INTERCEPTION	50	Arizona	Carson Wells (TD)
FUMBLE	88	Washington	Jack Lamb (TD)

Returns 20+ yards in length: 21 (13 kickoff, 4 punt, 3 interception, 1 fumble, 0 misc.)

Returns 30+ yards in length: 11 (6 kickoff, 1 punt, 3 interception, 1 fumble, 0 misc.)

OPPONENT

Scrimmage

Yards	Opponent	Player(s)
55	UCLA	Greg Dulcich pass from Dorian Robinson-Thompson
55	Washington	Ja'Lynn Polk pass from Dylan Morris (TD)
53	Southern California	Keaontay Ingram run
47	UCLA	Kyle Phillips pass from Dorian Robinson-Thompson
46	Southern California	Michael Trigg pass from Kedon Slovis (TD)
39	Minnesota	Dylan Wright pass from Tanner Morgan
38	California	Chase Garbers run
37	Arizona State	L.V. Bunkley-Shelton pass from Jayden Daniels
34	Northern Colorado	Kassidy Woods pass from Dylan McCaffrey (TD)
34	Oregon	Byron Cardwell run (TD)
33	Minnesota	Chris Autman-Bell pass from Tanner Morgan
33	Oregon	Travis Dye pass from Anthony Brown
33	Washington	Devin Culp pass from Dylan Morris
33	Utah	Britain Covey pass from Cameron Rising
32	Minnesota	Chris Autman-Bell pass from Tanner Morgan
31	Southern California	Drake London pass from Kedon Slovis
31	Oregon	Byron Cardwell run
31	Oregon State	Trey Lowe run
31	Oregon State	Luke Musgrave pass from Chance Nolan
31	UCLA	Greg Dulcich pass from Dorian Robinson-Thompson
31	California	Gavin Reinwald pass from Chase Garbers (TD)
31	Utah	T.J. Pledger run
30	Arizona State	Rachard White pass from Ricky Pearsall (TD)
29	Texas A&M	Jalen Wydermyer pass from Zach Calzada
29	Southern California	Drake London pass from Kedon Slovis
29	Oregon	Byron Cardwell run
28	Southern California	Drake London pass from Kedon Slovis
28	Minnesota	Mar'Kese Irving run
28	Arizona State	Johnny Wilson pass from Jayden Daniels
28	Oregon	Troy Franklin pass from Anthony Brown (TD)
28	Washington	Devin Culp pass from Dylan Morris
28	Utah	Dalton Kincaid pass from Cameron Rising (TD)
27	Utah	T.J. Pledger run
26	Oregon State	Tre'Shaun Harrison pass from Chance Nolan (TD)
26	Arizona State	Curtis Hodgs pass from Jayden Daniels
26	Southern California	Tahj Washington pass from Kedon Slovis
26	Oregon State	Trey Lowe pass from Chance Nolan
26	Oregon State	Champ Flemings pass from Chance Nolan
25	Texas A&M	Devon Achane pass from Zach Calzada
25	Oregon	Devon Williams pass from Anthony Brown (TD)
20-24 Rushing (10): Minnesota 2, Utah 2, Arizona 1, Arizona State 1, Oregon 1, Oregon State 1, UCLA 1, Washington 1.		
20-23 Passing (9): Oregon 2, Washington 2, Arizona 1, Arizona State 1, California 1, Northern Colorado 1, UCLA 1		

Number of plays 20-plus yards in length: 27 (15 pass, 12 rush)

Number of plays 40-plus yards in length: 6 (3 pass, 3 rush)

Returns

Type	Yards	Opponent	Player
KICKOFF	40	Utah	Britain Covey
PUNT	33	Arizona	Jamarye Joiner
INTERCEPTION	57	San Diego State	Darren Hall (TD)
FUMBLE	9	Utah	Nate Ritchie

Returns 20+ yards in length: 59 (37 pass, 22 rush)

Returns 30+ yards in length: 5 (4 pass, 1 rush)

DRIVE ENGINEERING

Game	COLORADO										OPPONENT										TIME SPENT IN THE LEAD			BIG LEAD	
	No.	TD	FG-A	PUNT	DWN	TO	SAF	CLK	PTS		No.	TD	FG-A	PUNT	DWN	TO	SAF	CLK	PTS		Colorado	Tied	Opponent	CU	Opp
Northern Colorado	11	5	0-1	3	0	0	0	2	35		10	1	0-0	6	2	1	0	0	7		43:51	16:09	0:00	28	---
Texas A&M	13	1	0-1	7	2	1	0	1	7		13	1	1-2	8	0	1	0	1	10		44:43	12:36	2:41	7	3
Minnesota	11	0	0-0	8	2	1	0	0	0		13	4	1-3	4	0	0	0	2	30		0:00	17:41	42:19	---	30
Arizona State	10	1	2-3	6	0	0	0	0	13		11	5	0-0	4	0	0	0	2	35		0:00	7:15	52:45	---	25
Southern California	12	2	0-0	7	1	2	0	0	14		13	4	3-3	3	0	1	0	2	37		0:00	9:03	50:57	---	23
Arizona	11	2	2-2	4	1	0	0	2	20		12	0	0-0	8	2	2	0	0	0		53:26	6:34	0:00	34	---
California	11	0	1-1	7	1	1	0	1	3		10	2	4-4	4	0	0	0	0	26		0:00	5:18	54:42	---	23
Oregon	9	4	0-0	4	0	0	0	1	29		9	7	1-1	0	0	1	0	0	52		0:00	4:13	55:47	---	31
Oregon State	13	4	3-4	5	0	0	0	0	37		14	4	2-4	4	1	1	0	0	34		49:19	4:42	5:59	10	4
UCLA	13	2	2-3	3	3	1	0	1	20		12	5	1-2	2	2	1	0	0	37		28:46	10:07	21:07	13	24
Washington	11	1	2-2	7	0	0	0	1	13		12	2	1-2	2	1	4	0	1	17		37:16	22:44	0:00	10	---
Utah	10	0	2-3	5	2	0	0	0	6		11	4	0-1	2	2	1	0	1	28		15:09	2:28	42:23	3	15



FIRST DOWN PASSING

Player	Att-Com-Int	Pct.	Yards	FD	TD	Long	Sacked	Rating
Brendon Lewis	77-46- 1	59.7	402	14	1	43t	3/ 9	105.3
Drew Carter	3- 1- 0	33.3	9	0	0	9	0/ 0	58.5

FIRST DOWN RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yards	Avg.	FD	TD	Long
Jarek Broussard.....	75	436	5.8	13	0	49
Alex Fontenot	49	155	3.2	4	1	15
Deion Smith	34	128	3.8	3	0	21
Brendon Lewis	25	127	5.1	3	1	17
Brenden Rice.....	3	39	13.0	2	0	17
Ashaad Clayton	10	34	3.4	1	0	14
Joe Davis	2	10	5.0	0	0	5
Drew Carter	1	4	4.0	0	0	4
Jayle Stacks.....	1	4	4.0	0	0	4
Dimitri Stanley	1	2	2.0	0	0	2
Daniel Arias.....	2	1	0.5	0	0	1
Team.....	5	- 17	-3.4	0	0	-2

FIRST DOWN RECEIVING

Player	No.	Yards	Avg.	FD	TD	Long
Brady Russell	11	136	12.4	5	0	28
Brenden Rice.....	10	79	7.9	3	0	26
Daniel Arias.....	7	104	14.9	3	1	43t
Chase Penry	3	26	8.7	1	0	16
Chris Carpenter	3	22	7.3	1	0	19
La'Vontae Shenault.....	3	14	4.7	1	0	10
Dimitri Stanley	2	11	5.5	0	0	7
Jarek Broussard.....	2	3	1.5	0	0	3
Deion Smith	2	- 4	-2.0	0	0	0
Ty Robinson	1	9	9.0	0	0	9
Montana Lemonious-Craig	1	6	6.0	0	0	6
Matt Lynch.....	1	3	3.0	0	0	3
Alex Fontenot.....	1	2	2.0	0	0	2

THIRD-FOURTH DOWN PASSING

Player	Att-Com-Int	Pct.	Yards	FD	TD	Long	Sacked	Rating
Brendon Lewis	87-45- 0	51.7	515	22	4	62t	17/110	116.6
Drew Carter	4- 0- 0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1/10	0.0

THIRD-FOURTH DOWN RUSHING

3/4-&-1

Player	Att.	FD/TD	Pct.	Yards	Avg.	TD	FD-Att.
Brenden Rice.....	3	3	100.0	11	3.7	0	1- 1
Joe Davis	1	1	100.0	2	2.0	0	1- 1
Matt Lynch	1	1	100.0	3	3.0	0	1- 1
Deion Smith	5	3	60.0	20	4.0	0	3- 3
Ashaad Clayton	3	2	66.7	2	0.7	0	2- 2
Alex Fontenot	18	10	55.6	93	5.2	1	8- 6
Brendon Lewis	17	7	41.2	85	5.0	0	5- 2
Jarek Broussard.....	16	6	37.5	37	2.3	0	4- 2
Drew Carter	1	0	0.0	5	5.0	0	0- 0
Brady Russell	1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	1- 0
Team.....	1	0	0.0	-1	-1.0	0	0- 0

THIRD-FOURTH DOWN RECEIVING

Player	No.	Yards	Avg.	FD	TD	Long
Dimitri Stanley	8	94	11.8	4	0	29
Alex Fontenot	8	67	8.4	2	1	43
Jarek Broussard.....	6	62	10.3	2	0	21
Daniel Arias	4	32	8.0	2	0	13
Brady Russell.....	4	25	6.2	2	0	9
Brenden Rice	3	84	28.0	2	2	62t
Montana Lemonious-Craig....	3	33	11.0	3	1	16t
La'Vontae Shenault	2	46	23.0	2	0	23
Chase Penry	2	37	18.5	2	0	21
Chris Carpenter	2	17	8.5	1	0	15
Deion Smith.....	2	16	8.0	0	0	10
Ty Robinson.....	1	2	2.0	0	0	2

ALL-PURPOSE YARDS (Leaders)

Player	G	Plays	Rush	Rec.	PR	KOR	Total	Avg.	Avg./G
Brenden Rice.....	11	48	54	299	0	469	822	17.1	74.7
Jarek Broussard.....	11	155	661	81	0	0	742	4.8	67.5
Alex Fontenot	12	109	326	80	0	0	406	3.7	33.8

QUARTERBACK SACKS (15-47)

SACKS BY QTR: CU 0-6-4-5 (0-OT); OPP 6-8-8-9 (0-OT)

Northern Colorado (4-12): Rodman 1-4, Sami 1-4, Thomas 1-4, Lang 1-0. **Texas A&M (2-2):** Thomas 1-0, Rodman ½-1, Sami ½-1. **Minnesota (1-2):** Wells 1-2. **Arizona State (0-0).** **Southern California (0-0).** **Arizona (2-6):** Gustav 1-4, Wells 1-2. **California (1-4):** Johnson 1-4. **Oregon State (1-6):** Wells 1-6. **UCLA (1-2):** Lang ½-1, Wells ½-1. **Washington (3-13):** Wells 2-5, Johnson 1-8. **THIRD/FOURTH DOWN SACKS (8/0):** Wells 4½, Lang 1½, Johnson, Rodman; Opponents 14 (13/1).

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Individual

LONGEST SCORING RUN— 9, Brendon Lewis vs. Oregon State
LONGEST NON-SCORING RUN— 49, Jarek Broussard vs. Oregon State
LONGEST SCORING PASS— 62, Brendon Lewis to Brenden Rice vs. Arizona
LONGEST NON-SCORING PASS— 65, Brenden Lewis to Brady Russell vs. USC
LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN— 100, Nikko Reed at Utah (TD)
LONGEST PUNT RETURN— 36, Trevor Woods vs. Arizona (TD)
LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN— 50, Carson Wells vs. Arizona (TD)
LONGEST PUNT— 64, Josh Watts vs. Arizona
LONGEST FIELD GOAL— 56, Cole Becker at Utah
MOST TOUCHDOWNS— 2, Alex Fontenot at Oregon, at UCLA
MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS— 24, Jarek Broussard vs. Oregon State
MOST RUSHING YARDS— 151, Jarek Broussard vs. Oregon State
MOST PASS ATTEMPTS— 33, Brendon Lewis at Oregon
MOST PASS COMPLETIONS— 25, Brendon Lewis at Oregon
MOST INTERCEPTIONS THROWN— 1, Brendon Lewis on three occasions
MOST PASSING YARDS— 248, Brendon Lewis vs. Arizona
MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES— 3, Brendon Lewis at Oregon, vs. Oregon State
MOST RECEPTIONS— 5, Brenden Rice at Oregon; Brady Russell at UCLA
MOST RECEIVING YARDS— 111, Brenden Rice vs. Arizona
MOST TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS— 41, Brendon Lewis at Oregon (33 pass, 8 rush)
MOST TOTAL OFFENSE— 259, Brendon Lewis vs. Arizona (248 pass, 11 rush)
MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED— 4, Cole Becker vs. Oregon State
MOST FIELD GOALS MADE— 3, Cole Becker vs. Oregon State
MOST TACKLES— 18, Nate Landman vs. Minnesota (14 UT)
MOST SOLO TACKLES— 14, Nate Landman vs. Minnesota
MOST TACKLES FOR LOSS— 4, Carson Wells vs. Arizona
MOST QUARTERBACK SACKS— 2, Carson Wells vs. Washington
MOST QUARTERBACK HURRIES— 4, Carson Wells vs. Washington
MOST INTERCEPTIONS— 1, on nine occasions
MOST PASSES BROKEN UP— 2, on three occasions (Gonzalez 2, Landman)
MOST THIRD/FOURTH DOWN STOPS— 5, Carson Wells vs. Oregon State (4 3DS, 1 4DS)
MOST KNOCKDOWN BLOCKS (OL)— 3, Colby Pursell vs. Northern Colorado
MOST SPECIAL TEAM POINTS— 7, Daniel Arias at California

Team Bests/Highs

MOST FIRST DOWNS— 22, vs. Northern Colorado
MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS— 49, vs. Northern Colorado
MOST RUSHING YARDS— 281, vs. Northern Colorado
MOST PASS ATTEMPTS— 33, at Oregon
MOST COMPLETIONS— 25, at Oregon
MOST INTERCEPTIONS THROWN— 1, vs. Texas A&M, Southern California, Cal
MOST PASSING YARDS— 248, vs. Arizona
MOST OFFENSIVE PLAYS— 76, at UCLA
MOST TOTAL OFFENSE— 392, vs. Oregon State
FEWEST FUMBLES— 0, on five occasions
MOST FUMBLES— 4, vs. Minnesota (2 lost)
FEWEST TURNOVERS— 0, on seven occasions
MOST TURNOVERS— 2, vs. Minnesota, Southern California
MOST TIME OF POSSESSION— 32:45, at UCLA
LONGEST TOUCHDOWN DRIVE— 90 yards (16 plays vs. UNC; 14 plays vs. Washington)
LONGEST FIELD GOAL DRIVE— 68 yards (10 plays, vs. Arizona)

Defensive Bests

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED— 14, by Texas A&M
FEWEST RUSHING ATTEMPTS ALLOWED— 18, by Northern Colorado
FEWEST RUSHING YARDS ALLOWED— 20, by Northern Colorado
FEWEST PASS ATTEMPTS ALLOWED— 17, by Minnesota
FEWEST PASS COMPLETIONS ALLOWED— 11, by Minnesota
FEWEST PASSING YARDS ALLOWED— 153, by Arizona
MOST INTERCEPTIONS— 2, vs. Arizona, Washington
FEWEST TOTAL PLAYS ALLOWED— 59, at Arizona State
FEWEST TOTAL YARDS ALLOWED— 256, vs. Northern Colorado
MOST FUMBLES FORCED— 2, vs. Minnesota, Washington
MOST TURNOVERS GAINED— 4, vs. Washington
MOST PASSES BROKEN UP— 7, vs. Texas A&M
MOST QUARTERBACK SACKS— 4, vs. Northern Colorado
MOST QUARTERBACK HURRIES— 11, vs. Texas A&M
MOST TACKLES FOR LOSS— 9, vs. Arizona



GAME-BY-GAME INDIVIDUAL CHARTS / OFFENSE

RUSHING

JAREK BROUSSARD

	Att	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado....	15	94	6.3	30	1
Texas A&M.....	12	51	4.3	13	1
Minnesota.....	5	8	1.6	8	0
Arizona State.....	12	35	2.9	12	0
USC.....	16	68	4.2	19	0
Arizona.....	13	53	4.1	11	0
California.....	11	28	2.5	14	0
Oregon.....	6	22	3.7	12	0
Oregon State.....	24	151	6.3	49	0
UCLA.....	16	108	6.8	46	0
Washington.....	12	43	3.6	26	0
Utah.....	-----	ILL	-----	-----	-----

DREW CARTER

	Att	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Texas A&M.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Minnesota.....	2	9	4.5	5	0
Arizona State.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
USC.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Arizona.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
California.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon State.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
UCLA.....	1	-10	-10.0	-10	0
Washington.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Utah.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----

ASHAAD CLAYTON

	Att	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado....	8	51	6.4	35	1
Texas A&M.....	3	8	2.7	4	0
Minnesota.....	2	-4	-2.0	-2	0
Arizona State.....	7	29	4.1	14	0
USC.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Arizona.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
California.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Oregon.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Oregon State.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
UCLA.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Washington.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Utah.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----

JOE DAVIS

	Att	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado....	5	22	4.4	6	0
Texas A&M.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Minnesota.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Arizona State.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
USC.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Arizona.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
California.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Oregon.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Oregon State.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
UCLA.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Washington.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Utah.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----

ALEX FONTENOT

	Att	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado....	8	40	5.0	11	1
Texas A&M.....	12	39	3.3	10	0
Minnesota.....	3	4	1.3	3	0
Arizona State.....	14	65	4.6	15	1
USC.....	6	12	2.0	8	0
Arizona.....	11	19	1.7	6	0
California.....	5	7	1.4	4	0
Oregon.....	8	42	5.3	19	1
Oregon State.....	5	18	3.6	6	0
UCLA.....	11	51	4.5	27	2
Washington.....	3	1	0.3	1	0
Utah.....	10	28	2.8	12	0

BRENDON LEWIS

	Att	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado....	8	44	5.5	12	0
Texas A&M.....	9	76	8.4	30	0
Minnesota.....	7	-27	-3.9	3	0
Arizona State.....	10	39	3.9	33	0
USC.....	9	-13	-1.4	8	0
Arizona.....	5	11	2.2	7	0
California.....	9	-9	-1.0	14	0
Oregon.....	8	10	1.3	6	0
Oregon State.....	5	12	2.4	9t	1
UCLA.....	8	0	0.0	15	0
Washington.....	6	30	5.0	16	1
Utah.....	14	15	1.1	13	0

DEION SMITH

	Att	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado....	4	32	8.0	21	1
Texas A&M.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Minnesota.....	1	1	1.0	1	0
Arizona State.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
USC.....	7	12	1.7	5	1
Arizona.....	5	23	4.6	13	0
California.....	3	9	3.0	6	0
Oregon.....	7	26	3.7	11	0
Oregon State.....	7	25	3.6	9	0
UCLA.....	10	43	4.3	8	0
Washington.....	3	2	0.7	3	0
Utah.....	6	19	3.2	16	0

PASSING

BRENDON LEWIS

	A-C-I	Yds	Long	TD	Rating
Northern Colorado....	15-10-0	102	23	1	145.8
Texas A&M.....	25-13-1	89	19	0	73.9
Minnesota.....	16-8-0	55	11	0	78.9
Arizona State.....	17-7-0	67	26	0	74.3
USC.....	17-10-1	162	65	1	146.5
Arizona.....	19-12-0	248	62t	2	207.5
California.....	17-9-1	69	21	0	75.3
Oregon.....	33-25-0	224	36	3	162.8
Oregon State.....	24-15-0	170	43t	3	163.3
UCLA.....	26-17-0	158	42	0	116.4
Washington.....	25-14-0	112	20	0	93.6
Utah.....	23-9-0	84	29	0	69.8

DREW CARTER

	A-C-I	Yds	Long	TD	Rating
Colorado State.....	0-0-0	0	0	0	0.0
Texas A&M.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Minnesota.....	8-4-0	27	12	0	78.4
Arizona State.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
USC.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Arizona.....	0-0-0	0	0	0	0.0
California.....	0-0-0	0	0	0	0.0
Oregon.....	0-0-0	0	0	0	0.0
Oregon State.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
UCLA.....	3-1-0	8	8	0	55.7
Washington.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Utah.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----

JORDAN WOLVERTON

	A-C-I	Yds	Long	TD	Rating
Northern Colorado....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Texas A&M.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Minnesota.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Arizona State.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
USC.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Arizona.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
California.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Oregon.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Oregon State.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
UCLA.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Washington.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Utah.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----

RECEIVING

DANIEL ARIAS

	No	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Texas A&M.....	3	37	12.3	19	0
Minnesota.....	1	8	8.0	8	0
Arizona State.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
USC.....	1	18	18.0	18	0
Arizona.....	2	12	6.0	9	0
California.....	1	8	8.0	8	0
Oregon.....	1	1	1.0	1	0
Oregon State.....	2	52	26.0	43t	1
UCLA.....	4	70	17.5	42	0
Washington.....	3	22	7.3	10	0
Utah.....	1	9	9.0	9	0

JAREK BROUSSARD

	No	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado....	1	7	7.0	0	0
Texas A&M.....	1	1	1.0	1	0
Minnesota.....	1	3	3.0	3	0
Arizona State.....	1	7	7.0	7	0
USC.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
California.....	3	30	10.0	21	0
Oregon.....	4	18	4.5	11	0
Oregon State.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA.....	1	7	7.0	7	0
Washington.....	1	8	8.0	8	0
Utah.....	-----	ILL	-----	-----	-----

CHRIS CARPENTER

	No	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado..	0	0	0.0	0	0
Texas A&M.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Minnesota.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Arizona State.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
USC.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Arizona.....	1	19	19.0	19	0
California.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon.....	2	4	2.0	3	0
Oregon State.....	2	4	2.0	2	0
UCLA.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington.....	1	15	15.0	15	0
Utah.....	1	3	3.0	3	0

ASHAAD CLAYTON

	No	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado..	0	0	0.0	0	0
Texas A&M.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Minnesota.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona State.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
USC.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Arizona.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
California.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Oregon.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Oregon State.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
UCLA.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Washington.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Utah.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----

ALEX FONTENOT

	No	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado..	1	2	2.0	2	0
Texas A&M.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Minnesota.....	2	12	6.0	8	0
Arizona State.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
USC.....	1	9	9.0	9	0
Arizona.....	1	43	43.0	43	0
California.....	1	2	2.0	2	0
Oregon.....	2	7	3.5	5	1
Oregon State.....	1	-4	-4.0	-4	0
UCLA.....	1	-3	-3.0	-3	0
Washington.....	2	6	3.0	5	0
Utah.....	1	6	6.0	6	0

JAYLON JACKSON

	No	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado..	0	0	0.0	0	0
Texas A&M.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Minnesota.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
Arizona State.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
USC.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Arizona.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
California.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Oregon.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Oregon State.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
UCLA.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Washington.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Utah.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----

MONTANA LEMONIOUS-CRAIG

	No	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado..	2	23	11.5	17t	1
Texas A&M.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Minnesota.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona State.....	1	9	9.0	9	0
USC.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona.....	3	52	17.3	29	0
California.....	1	5	5.0	5	0
Oregon.....	1	12	12.0	12	0
Oregon State.....	2	22	11.0	16t	1
UCLA.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Utah.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----

ALEC PELL

	No	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado..	1	17	17.0	17	0
Texas A&M.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Minnesota.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona State.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
USC.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
California.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon State.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington.....	-----	INJ	-----	-----	-----
Utah.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----

CHASE PENRY

	No	Yds	Avg.	Long	TD
Northern Colorado..	1	16	16.0	16	0
Texas A&M.....	1	2	2.0	2	0
Minnesota.....	1	12	12.0	12	0
Arizona State.....	1	7	7.0	7t	1
USC.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona.....	-----	DNP	-----	-----	-----
California.....	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon.....	1	8	8.0	8	0



GAME-BY-GAME INDIVIDUAL CHARTS / DEFENSE

DEFENSIVE

CURTIS APPLETON, S

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	13 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	QBH
Texas A&M.....	1 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Minnesota.....	15 0,1-1	0-0	0	0	
Arizona State.....	6 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
USC.....	9 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
Arizona.....	11 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
California.....	3 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Oregon.....	-----ST ONLY-----				
Oregon State.....	-----ST ONLY-----				
UCLA.....	15 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
Washington.....	2 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Utah.....	13 1,0-1	0-0	0	1	

ROBERT BARNES, ILB

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	-----DNP-----				
Texas A&M.....	26 2,0-2	0-0	1	1	
Minnesota.....	8 1,1-2	0-0	0	0	
Arizona State.....	16 1,1-2	0-0	0	0	
USC.....	12 1,0-1	0-0	0	1	
Arizona.....	18 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
California.....	31 2,1-3	0-0	0	0	TZ
Oregon.....	46 4,0-4	1-1	1	0	
Oregon State.....	39 6,1-7	0-0	0	3	QBH
UCLA.....	50 4,2-6	1-1	0	1	QCD
Washington.....	62 8,2-10	1-2	0	0	FR,INT
Utah.....	68 4,3-7	0-0	0	0	TZ

NIGEL BETHEL, CB

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	16 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
Texas A&M.....	48 1,1-2	0-0	1	1	
Minnesota.....	12 0,0-0	0-0	1	1	
Arizona State.....	20 1,1-2	0-0	0	0	
USC.....	46 3,0-3	0-0	1	0	
Arizona.....	9 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
California.....	-----INJ-----				
Oregon.....	-----INJ-----				
Oregon State.....	-----INJ-----				
UCLA.....	-----INJ-----				
Washington.....	-----INJ-----				
Utah.....	-----INJ-----				

CHRISTIAN GONZALEZ, CB

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	46 2,0-2	0-0	0	0	
Texas A&M.....	69 2,4-6	2-4	1	1	QBH
Minnesota.....	66 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
Arizona State.....	53 5,1-6	1-5	0	0	
USC.....	54 1,3-4	0-0	0	1	
Arizona.....	68 4,1-5	1-2	0	1	TZ
California.....	66 5,1-6	1-3	2	2	
Oregon.....	59 3,0-3	0-0	0	0	
Oregon State.....	80 1,2-3	0-0	2	1	
UCLA.....	68 4,3-7	0-0	1	1	
Washington.....	84 4,0-4	0-0	0	0	
Utah.....	68 4,3-7	0-0	0	0	QCD

JOSHUA GUSTAV, DE

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	14 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Texas A&M.....	10 1,0-1	0-0	0	1	FF
Minnesota.....	13 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
Arizona State.....	8 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
USC.....	11 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Arizona.....	22 4,0-4	1-4	0	2	QBS
California.....	8 0,0-0	0-0	0	1	PBU
Oregon.....	40 2,1-3	0-0	1	0	
Oregon State.....	55 3,1-4	0-0	0	0	
UCLA.....	9 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Washington.....	-----INJ-----				
Utah.....	-----INJ-----				

MARVIN HAM, ILB

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	-----ST ONLY-----				
Texas A&M.....	-----ST ONLY-----				
Minnesota.....	-----ST ONLY-----				
Arizona State.....	7 1,0-1	1-1	0	1	
USC.....	9 1,1-2	0-0	0	1	
Arizona.....	7 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
California.....	6 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	QCD
Oregon.....	30 2,2-4	0-0	0	1	
Oregon State.....	22 3,1-4	0-0	0	0	
UCLA.....	23 1,1-2	0-0	0	0	
Washington.....	33 4,1-5	0-0	0	0	
Utah.....	1 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	

MUSTAFA JOHNSON, DE

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	-----ineligible-----				
Texas A&M.....	-----ineligible-----				
Minnesota.....	-----ineligible-----				
Arizona State.....	-----ineligible-----				
USC.....	36 2,0-2	0-0	0	0	QBH
Arizona.....	40 2,1-3	1-6	0	0	TZ
California.....	47 6,1-6	2-7	0	1	QBS
Oregon.....	50 0,2-2	0-0	0	0	QBH
Oregon State.....	48 4,0-4	1-1	0	0	3-QH
UCLA.....	48 2,0-2	0-0	0	1	
Washington.....	60 3,1-4	1-8	0	1	QBS
Utah.....	40 4,0-4	0-0	0	1	QBH

JANAZ JORDAN, DT

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	25 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Texas A&M.....	29 0,0-0	0-0	0	1	2-QH
Minnesota.....	21 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Arizona State.....	11 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
USC.....	33 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Arizona.....	26 2,0-2	0-0	0	0	
California.....	18 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Oregon.....	27 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
Oregon State.....	33 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
UCLA.....	11 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	QBH
Washington.....	-----INJ-----				
Utah.....	-----INJ-----				

JACK LAMB, ILB

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	13 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	QCD
Texas A&M.....	-----DNP-----				
Minnesota.....	4 1,1-2	0-0	0	0	
Arizona State.....	9 1,1-2	0-0	0	0	
USC.....	20 2,1-3	0-0	0	0	
Arizona.....	9 2,0-2	0-0	0	0	
California.....	5 0,1-1	0-0	0	0	TZ
Oregon.....	26 3,1-4	0-0	0	0	FF
Oregon State.....	42 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	QBH
UCLA.....	18 1,1-2	0-0	0	0	TZ
Washington.....	22 2,1-3	0-0	0	0	FR(TD)
Utah.....	-----INJ-----				

NATE LANDMAN, ILB

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	47 4,0-4	0-0	1	2	TZ
Texas A&M.....	69 8,2-10	2-7	2	2	QC
Minnesota.....	65 14,4-18	3-4	0	1	FF
Arizona State.....	50 8,2-10	0-0	0	0	TZ
USC.....	55 9,2-11	0-0	0	0	TZ
Arizona.....	58 5,3-8	1-2	1	2	QH
California.....	56 4,6-10	0-0	0	0	TZ
Oregon.....	-----INJ-----				
Oregon State.....	-----INJ-----				
UCLA.....	-----INJ-----				
Washington.....	-----INJ-----				
Utah.....	-----INJ-----				

TERRANCE LANG, DE

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	39 1,1-2	0-0	0	1	QS/0
Texas A&M.....	34 1,0-1	0-0	0	3	3-QH
Minnesota.....	41 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Arizona State.....	37 0,1-1	0-4	1	1	QBH
USC.....	46 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	QBH
Arizona.....	52 2,2-4	0-0	0	0	TZ
California.....	63 0,1-1	0-0	0	1	QBH
Oregon.....	60 1,2-3	0-0	0	0	
Oregon State.....	55 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
UCLA.....	36 1,1-2	1-1	0	1	½-QS
Washington.....	69 3,0-3	1-2	1	1	
Utah.....	57 2,1-3	1-1	0	0	BkFG

ISAIAH LEWIS, S

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	47 0,3-3	0-0	0	0	
Texas A&M.....	69 6,1-7	0-0	0	0	
Minnesota.....	57 6,2-8	0-0	0	1	
Arizona State.....	52 3,3-6	0-0	0	0	
USC.....	53 6,2-8	0-0	0	0	TZ
Arizona.....	54 8,0-8	0-0	0	2	TZ
California.....	57 5,2-7	0-0	0	0	
Oregon.....	38 2,5-7	0-0	0	2	INT
Oregon State.....	56 8,1-9	0-0	0	2	INT
UCLA.....	39 0,1-1	0-0	0	0	
Washington.....	61 2,1-3	0-0	0	0	
Utah.....	52 9,3-12	0-0	0	0	

CHRIS MILLER, S/OLB

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	40 4,0-4	0-0	0	1	
Texas A&M.....	-----INJ-----				
Minnesota.....	5 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Arizona State.....	-----INJ-----				
USC.....	-----INJ-----				
Arizona.....	-----INJ-----				
California.....	-----INJ-----				
Oregon.....	-----INJ-----				
Oregon State.....	-----INJ-----				
UCLA.....	-----INJ-----				
Washington.....	-----INJ-----				
Utah.....	-----INJ-----				

JAMAR MONTGOMERY, OLB

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	15 0,1-1	0-0	0	2	2-QH
Texas A&M.....	15 0,0-0	0-0	0	1	2-QH
Minnesota.....	11 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Arizona State.....	-----DNP-----				
USC.....	8 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
Arizona.....	12 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
California.....	14 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Oregon.....	15 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	Cl,QH
Oregon State.....	15 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
UCLA.....	33 2,1-3	0-0	0	0	
Washington.....	-----INJ-----				
Utah.....	-----INJ-----				

MARK PERRY, S

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	47 1,2-3	0-0	0	0	
Texas A&M.....	69 2,1-3	0-0	0	0	
Minnesota.....	62 7,1-8	0-0	1	0	
Arizona State.....	53 5,4-9	1-1	0	0	
USC.....	55 8,3-11	0-0	0	0	FR
Arizona.....	45 4,1-5	0-0	0	0	INT
California.....	64 5,1-6	0-0	0	0	
Oregon.....	71 3,4-7	0-0	0	0	
Oregon State.....	81 5,1-6	1-1	1	0	TZ
UCLA.....	62 2,0-2	0-0	0	1	INT
Washington.....	84 4,2-6	0-0	0	0	
Utah.....	68 4,2-6	0-0	1	1	INT

QUINN PERRY, ILB

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	32 3,1-4	1-4	0	0	
Texas A&M.....	13 0,1-1	0-0	0	0	
Minnesota.....	51 9,1-10	0-0	0	2	TZ
Arizona State.....	30 4,2-6	0-0	0	0	TZ
USC.....	19 1,5-6	0-0	0	0	
Arizona.....	39 3,1-4	1-2	0	0	QBH
California.....	35 5,1-6	0-0	0	0	
Oregon.....	42 7,2-9	0-0	0	0	
Oregon State.....	59 9,2-11	1-1	0	0	3-TZ
UCLA.....	45 5,2-7	0-0	0	0	QCD
Washington.....	51 6,4-10	1-2	0	0	TZ
Utah.....	67 1,3-4	0-0	0	1	

NIKKO REED, CB

Plays	UT/AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	13 2,0-2	1-1	0	1	
Texas A&M.....	8 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Minnesota.....	4 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Arizona State.....	5 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
USC.....	9 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Arizona.....	18 0,0-0	0-0	1	1	4DS
California.....	3 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
Oregon.....	13 0,1-1	0-0	0	0	
Oregon State.....	20 0,0-0	0-0	0	0	
UCLA.....	24 1,0-1	0-0	0	0	
Washington.....	29 1,1-2	0-0	1	1	INT
Utah.....	53 1,1-2	0-0	0	0	

NA'IM RODMAN, DT

	Plays	UT,AT-TT	TFL	PD	3DS	Other
N. Colorado.....	42	2,0-2	1-4	0	1	QBS
Texas A&M.....	58	1,0-1	0-0	0	0	½-QS
Minnesota.....	36	2,0-2	0-0	0	0	QBH
Arizona State.....	40	0,0-0	0-0	0	0	.....
USC.....	26	0,0-0	0-0	0	0	.....
Arizona.....	26	0,0-0	0-0	0	0	.....
California.....	22	0,0-0	0-0	0	0	.....
Oregon.....	23	0,1-1	0-0	0	0	TZ,H
Oregon State.....	32	0,0-0	0-0	0	0	.....
UCLA.....	50	2,0-2	0-0	0	0	.....
Washington.....	36	1,1-2	0-0	0	0	.....
Utah.....	38	5,1-6	1-1	0	1	.....



2021 FINAL UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO MISCELLANEOUS FOOTBALL STATISTICS

DRIVE ENGINEERING

Quarterback	Drives										Points Yielded	Pts./ Drive	Quarterback		**Directing Offense		
	Started	TD	FG	FGA	PNT	DWN	TRN	SAF	CLK	RPL			Drive	Efficiency*	Plays	Yards	Avg. 3 & Out
BRENDON LEWIS.....	126	22	14	6	64	11	5	0	4	0	197	1.56	28.6%	34.4%	670	3024	4.51
DREW CARTER.....	9	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	5	0	0	0.00	0.0%	.....	29	86	2.97
COLORADO.....	135	22	14	6	66	12	6	0	9	(0)	197	1.46	26.7%	33.3%	699	3110	4.45
OPPONENTS.....	140	39	14	8	47	10	13	0	9	(0)	313	2.24	37.9%	46.6%	824	5065	6.15

*—second number is the percentage the QB has put his team in position to score, allowing for missed field goals, minus drives ended by the clock and if replaced.

**—excludes kneel-downs, spiked passes and fake/muffed punt plays when not actually directing offense: Lewis 5(-17), Carter 3(-4), Opponents 10(-14).

KICKOFF ANALYSIS

KICKOFF ANALYSIS			No.	Opp. OSY													ASY		YARDAGE SUMMARY						
Kicker	Total	Ret.	Yards	(Avg.)	FC	MF	NA	TB	(EZ+)	In20/25	OB	OnS	SQB	OSY	Ret.	ASY	Ret.	Team	Plays	20+	10+	5+	1-4	0	Neg.
M. WILLIS.....	47	17	3281	69.8	1	0	0	29	(22)	4/ 9	0	(0)	(1)	1150	400	O 24	O 24	Colorado.....	707	30	104	240	224	156	87
E. PRICE.....	0	0	0	.....	0	0	0	0	(0)	0/ 0	0	(1)	(0)	0	0	.....	.....	Opponent.....	834	59	204	365	197	199	73
OPPONENTS.....	61	21	4276	70.1	0	0	0	39	(35)	4/ 9	1	(0)	(0)	1668	659	O 27	O 31								

ON-SIDE KICKS: Colorado 0-1, Opponents 0-0. **KICKOFF KEY:** MF—muffed; FC—fair catch; NA—no attempt at a return; EZ+—through or over end zone; OSY—Opponent Starting Yardline; ASV—Average Starting Yardline; Ret—averages using returned kicks only. On-sides (OnS), short squibs (SQB) and free kicks are omitted in figuring the above; out-of-bounds are not; returns may not add to team totals due to those credited on on-side kicks; free kicks following safeties NOT included. **FREE KICKS (Punt Style):** Colorado 0, Opponents 0.

FIRST DOWN TENDENCIES

	Rushing			Passing			Overall			Times Gained					Miscellany					Second Half			
Team	Plays	Yards	Avg.	Plays	Yards	Avg.	Plays	Yards	Avg.	20+	10+	5+	2-	0	Neg.	TD	QBS	TO	FD	2-&-10+	Att	Yds	Avg.
COLORADO	208	923	4.4	83	402	4.8	291	1325	4.55	10	39	101	138	50	31	2	3	2	40	81	146	628	4.3
Opponents	211	1037	4.9	161	1158	7.2	372	2195	5.90	29	82	163	166	80	38	16	3	3	79	116	191	1028	5.4

*—kept like the NFL in that quarterback sacks are deducted from passing to present the accurate picture.

YARDS GAINED ANALYSIS

Team	1st Down			2nd Down			3rd Down			4th Down			Season			*By Quarter				Opp. Territory			Breakdown		
	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Att	Yards	Avg.	+	0	-
COLORADO	272	1325	4.6	240	1102	4.6	158	637	4.0	18	25	1.4	707	3089	4.37	715	827	851	665	280	1127	4.0	464	156	87
Opponents	372	2195	5.9	277	1784	6.4	167	1007	6.0	18	65	3.6	834	5051	6.06	1039	1495	1337	1135	374	2112	5.6	562	199	73

*—OT Yards: Colorado 31, Opponent 45. **Drives In Opponent Territory (minus those with 50+scores):** Colorado 60/134 (44.8%, 18.8 yards per drive); Opponent 88/139 (63.3%, 24.0 ypd)

THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY ANALYSIS

Team	3rd Down and										[4th-&-1: Colorado 5-6 (5-5 rush, 0-1 pass), Opponents 1-1 (1-1 rush, 0-0 pass)]				Second Half/OT				Total	Pct.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11-14	15-19	20+	Rush	Pass	QBS				
COLORADO.....	15-19	7-11	3- 9	5-13	2- 6	4-13	3-11	4-13	2-13	3-16	2-19	1- 8	0- 7	31-59	20-99	17	25-78	51-158	32.3	
Opponents.....	12-15	8-12	5-17	8-14	6-11	8-13	9-17	2- 8	1-11	7-16	2-20	4-13	0- 0	34-61	38-106	8	38-83	72-167	43.1	

AVERAGE YARDS TO GO: Colorado 7.7 (158/1215); Opponents 7.2 (167/1197). **SECOND DOWN EFFICIENCY:** Colorado 70-240 (29.2%; 1-4 yds: 30-54); Opponent 94-277 (33.9%; 1-4 yds: 34-57).

TURNOVER ANALYSIS

Team	Opp/CU		Own Territory										Opponent Territory				By Quarter				Last 2 Min./OT**	
	TO	PTS	(TD,FG)	Pct (Pts)	EZ/G-10	11-20	21-30	31-40	41-50	49-60	39-30	29-20	19-10	9-G/EZ	=Total (TD*)	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	1st-H	2nd-H
COLORADO.....	7	17	(2,1)	5.3 (320)	0	1	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	= 7 (0)	1	0	3	3	0	0 (0)	0 (0)
Opponents.....	13	49	(6,2)	21.8 (225)	1	0	0	0	2	2	2	1	2	3	= 13 (2)	3	3	3	4	0	1 (0)	0 (1)

First Play After Gaining Turnover: Colorado 11-31, 2.8 avg., 7 long, 0 TD (10-16 rush/1-1-0, 16, 0 TD pass, QBS-0), 2 Return TD

Opponent: 7-48, 6.9 avg., 23 long, 0 TD (5-34 rush, 0 TD 2-2-0, 14 pass, 0 TD, QBS-0), 0 Return TD.

*—interception or fumble returns for a touchdown; **—number in parenthesis is number of turnovers in last 2-minutes while team is protecting lead or trying to tie or go ahead.

YARDS LOST DUE TO PENALTIES

	Colorado	Opponent
Times Penalized After Offensive Gain/Yards Lost.....	11/78	23/370
Touchdowns / Field Goals / First Downs Cost ...	1 / 0 / 4	3 / 0 / 14
Offensive Times/Yards Penalized.....	36/252	46/387
Yards Gained Back (First Downs).....	125 (7)	223 (12)

EXPANDED PUNTING

Player	Punts	Yards	Avg.	Spot	Ret.	Yards	Return	Return	Returned	Avg.	In20 / 15 / 10 / 5	TB	FC	60+	No.	Yds.	Avg.	No.-Yards(In20)	No	Yds.	Avg	
JOSH WATTS	66	3154	47.79	C33	38	407	10.7	82t	42.4	39.50	16 / 5 / 3 / 1	7	16	2	21	1065	50.7	9-381	(4)	57	2773	48.6
Downed At The 1-Yardline: None. Average Spot—yardline where punts average from: Watts 66/2153. Left-footed punts: none.																						

Downed At The 1-Yardline: None. **Average Spot**—yardline where punts average from: Watts 66/2153. **Left-footed punts:** none.

AVERAGE STARTING FIELD POSITION

	Colorado	Opponent
Drives Started.....	135	140
Cumulative Starting Yardlines.....	3992	4133
Average Field Position.....	C30	O30
Drives Started In Plus Territory.....	13	17
Scores/TD,FG.....	9/4,5	11/9,2
FGA/Punts/Downs/Clock.....	0/2/1/0	2/0/1/1
Turnovers/Ran Out Clock.....	0/1	0/2
Points.....	43	69
Drives Started Inside/At Own 20.....	33 (20/13)	33 (25/8)
Points Scored (TD/FG).....	24 (3/1)	60 (7/4)

SCORING PERCENTAGE INSIDE-THE-20 (Red Zone)

	Colorado	Opponent
Times Penetrated Opponent 20.....	33	43
Total Scores.....	31	32
Touchdowns (Rush/Pass).....	20 (12/8)	26 (19/7)
Field Goals-Attempts.....	11-12	6-10
Turnovers/Downs/Punts/Clock.....	0/1/0/0	3/4/0/0
Scores From Outside The RZ/TD,FG.....	5/2,3	21/13,8
Scoring Percentage (TD Pct.).....	93.9 (60.6)	74.4 (60.5)
Total Red Zone Plays/Yards (Avg.).....	95/307 (3.2)	98/392 (4.0)
Third Down Efficiency.....	5-18/27.8	13-25/52.0
Fourth Down Efficiency.....	3-4/75.0	2-5/40.0
*Ran Out Clock Not Trying To Score.....	0	0

(*—not included in total count above; the 20 IS NOT in the Red Zone)

FIRST DOWNS EARNED

Player	Rush	Pass	Rec.	— Total (3/4)
BRENDON LEWIS.....	17	60	0	— 77 (30)
JAREK BROUSSARD.....	33	0	2	— 35 (8)
ALEX FONTENOT.....	20	0	1	— 21 (11)
BRENDEN RICE.....	4	0	10	— 14 (5)
BRADY RUSSELL.....	0	0	11	— 11 (2)
DEION SMITH.....	10	0	1	— 11 (3)
DANIEL ARIAS.....	0	0	10	— 10 (2)
M. LEMONIOUS-CRAIG.....	0	0	7	— 7 (3)
DIMITRI STANLEY.....	0	0	6	— 6 (4)
CHASE PENRY.....	0	0	5	— 5 (2)
ASHAAD CLAYTON.....	4	0	0	— 4 (2)
LAVONTAE SHENAU.....	0	0	3	— 3 (2)
CHRIS CARPENTER.....	0	0	2	— 2 (1)
DREW CARTER.....	0	2	0	— 2 (0)
JOE DAVIS.....	2	0	0	— 2 (1)
MATT LYNCH.....	1	0	1	— 2 (1)
TY ROBINSON.....	0	0	2	— 2 (0)
ALEX PELL.....	0	0	1	— 1 (0)

MISCELLANEOUS

	Colorado	Opponent
Points Scored First 5 Minutes (Total/1st, 2nd)	13/6,7	21/14,7
Points Scored Last 5 Minutes (Total/1st, 2nd)	47/33,14	42/22,20
Points Scored Last 2 Minutes (Total/1st, 2nd)	9/9,0	22/12,10

FUMBLES

Player	No-Lost
RICE.....	1-0
RUSSELL.....	1-0
CARTER.....	1-1
STANLEY.....	2-1
B.LEWIS.....	3-2
TEAM.....	3-0
Totals.....	11-4



2021 HONORS & AWARDS



ALL-PAC-12 CONFERENCE

ST DANIEL ARIAS (honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
PK COLE BECKER (first-team: Pro Football Focus, Pro Football Network)
CB MEKHI BLACKMON (third-team: Pro Football Focus; honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches, *Phil Steele's College Football*)
TB JAREK BROUSSARD (honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
CB CHRISTIAN GONZALEZ (honorable mention: Pro Football Focus)
DL MUSTAFA JOHNSON (third-team: Pro Football Focus)
OG KARY KUTSCH (third-team: Pro Football Focus; honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
ILB NATE LANDMAN (second-team: *Associated Press*, Pac-12 Coaches, Pro Football Focus; third-team: *Phil Steele's College Football*)
S MARK PERRY (honorable mention: Pro Football Network; *Phil Steele's College Football*)
DT JALEN SAMI (honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
P JOSH WATTS (honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
OLB CARSON WELLS (second-team: Pac-12 Hotline, *Phil Steele's College Football*; honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches, Pro Football Focus)

PAC-12 PLAYER OF THE WEEK

(six selected weekly)

S TREVOR WOODS (Oct. 1, *Special Teams vs. Arizona*: 36-yard blocked punt and 36-yard return for a touchdown)

NFF/COLORADO CHAPTER STATE OF COLORADO PLAYER OF THE WEEK

OLB CARSON WELLS (Oct. 16 vs. Arizona: 5.0—5 TT; 4 TFL (1 QB sack), 1 TZ, 2 QBH, 1 INT (returned 50 yards for a touchdown))
PK COLE BECKER (Nov. 6 vs. Oregon State: 3-of-4 FG, 4-of-4 PAT, 13 points; 6 KO/6 TB; game winning 43 FG in second overtime)

ARROW CU ATHLETES-OF-THE-WEEK

DT JALEN SAMI (Aug. 30-Sept. 5 vs. Northern Colorado: 8-51.9 avg, 3 In20, 5 50-plus with a long of 62 punting)
P JOSH WATTS (Sept. 13-19 vs. Minnesota: 8-51.9 avg, 3 In20, 5 50-plus with a long of 62 punting)
OLB CARSON WELLS (Oct. 11-17 vs. Arizona: 5.0—5 TT; 4 TFL (1 QB sack), 1 TZ, 2 QBH, 1 INT (returned 50 yards for a touchdown))
P JOSH WATTS (Oct. 18-24 vs. California: 7-48.9 avg, 2 In20, 4 50-plus punting)
OLB CARSON WELLS (Nov. 1-7 vs. Oregon State: 6-3—9 TT; 1 QBS; 5 third down stops (includes one fourth))
OLB CARSON WELLS (Nov. 15-21 vs. Washington: 6-2—8 TT; 3 TFL (1 QBS); 4 third down stops (includes one fourth); 4 passes broken up, 1 pressure, 1 forced fumble)

BUFFALOES ON NATIONAL AWARD LISTS

Chuck Bednarik Award (top defensive player): **ILB Nate Landman** (one of 90 players on official watch list)
Bulsworth Trophy (most outstanding player who began career as a walk-on): **TE Brady Russell** (one of 88 players on official watch list)
Dick Butkus Award (top linebacker): **ILB Nate Landman** (one of 51 players on official watch list)
College Football Performance Award (national performer of the year): **TB Jarek Broussard** (one of 42 players on official watch list)
Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award (outstanding offensive player with ties to state of Texas): **TB Jarek Broussard & Alex Fontenot** (two of 53 on official watch list)
William C. Campbell Trophy (academic success, football performance and exemplary leadership): **TE Matt Lynch** (one of 176 semifinalists)
Lott IMPACT Trophy (for Integrity, Maturity, Performance, Academics, Community and Tenacity): **ILB Nate Landman** (one of 42 on official watch list)
Mayo Clinic Comeback Player of the Year: **TB Alex Fontenot** (CU's official nomination)
Bronko Nagurski Trophy (top defensive player): **ILB Nate Landman** (one of 90 players on official watch list)
Rimington Award (nation's top center): **C Colby Pursell** (CU's official nomination)
Senior Bowl (all-star game): **CB Mekhi Blackmon, ILB Nate Landman, TE Brady Russell, OLB Carson Wells** (on official watch list)
Doak Walker Award (nation's top running back): **TB Jarek Broussard & TB Alex Fontenot** (two of 83 players on official watch list)
Danny Wuerffel Award (community service): **ILB Nate Landman** (one of 93 on official watch list)

PAC-12 CONFERENCE FALL ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL (minimum 3.3 grade point average)

WR DANIEL ARIAS (3.36 GPA, *Strategic Communication*)
TE CALEB FAURIA (3.36 GPA, *Exploratory Studies*)
OLB JOSHKA GUSTAV (3.66 GPA, *Psychology*)
TE MATT LYNCH (3.74 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)
OLB GENO MACIAS (3.96 GPA, *Business Management*)
TE NICO MAGRI (3.75 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)
TB CHARLIE OFFERDAHL (3.77 GPA, *Molecular, Cellular & Dev. Biology*)
TE ERIK OLSEN (3.57 GPA, *Exploratory Studies*)
TE LOUIS PASSARELLO (3.31 GPA, *Exploratory Studies*)
PK EVAN PRICE (3.40 GPA, *Communication*)
C COLBY PURSELL (3.91 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)
ILB JONATHAN VAN DIEST (3.83 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)
P JOSHUA WATTS (3.66 GPA, *Economics*)
OLB CARSON WELLS (3.67 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)

COLORADO CHAPTER / NFF COLLEGE FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME ALL-COLORADO TEAM

OG KARY KUTSCH (first-team)
CB NATE LANDMAN (first-team)
CB MEKHI BLACKMON (second-team)
TB JAREK BROUSSARD (second-team)
CB CHRISTIAN GONZALEZ (second-team)
DT JALEN SAMI (second-team)
OLB CARSON WELLS (second-team)

POSTSEASON ALL-STAR GAMES

ILB NATE LANDMAN (East-West Shrine)
OLB CARSON WELLS (East-West Shrine)

COLORADO CHAPTER / NFF ACADEMIC ALL-COLORADO TEAM

WR DANIEL ARIAS (first-team: 3.36 GPA, *Strategic Communication*)
PK COLE BECKER (first-team: 3.54 GPA, *Pre-Business*)
TE CALEB FAURIA (first-team: 3.36 GPA, *Exploratory Studies*)
OLB JOSHKA GUSTAV (first-team: 3.66 GPA, *Psychology*)
ILB JACK LAMB (first-team: 3.43 GPA, *Supply Chain Management*)
TE MATT LYNCH (first-team: 3.74 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)
TE NICO MAGRI (first-team: 3.75 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)
CB KAYLIN MOORE (first-team: 3.52 GPA, *Exploratory Studies*)
WR CHASE PENRY (first-team: 3.58 GPA, *Pre-Business*)
PK EVAN PRICE (first-team: 3.40 GPA, *Communication*)
C COLBY PURSELL (first-team: 3.91 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)
CB NIKKO REED (first-team: 3.66 GPA, *Exploratory Studies*)
WR TY ROBINSON (first-team: 3.48 GPA, *Arts & Sciences Open Option*)
ILB JONATHAN VAN DIEST (first-team: 3.83 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)
P JOSHUA WATTS (first-team: 3.66 GPA, *Economics*)
OLB CARSON WELLS (first-team: 3.67 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)
ROBERT BARNES (honorable mention: 3.10 GPA, *Outdoor Recreation Economy*)
DEREK BEDELL (honorable mention: 3.05 GPA, *Philosophy*)
DEVIN GRANT (honorable mention: 3.13 GPA, *Philosophy*)
ILB MARVIN HAM (honorable mention: 3.00 GPA, *Mathematics*)
WR MICHAEL HARRISON (honorable mention: 3.05 GPA, *Marketing*)
OL CARSON LEE (honorable mention: 3.00 GPA, *Business Management*)
WR MONTANA LEMONIOUS-CRAIG (first-team: 3.29 GPA, *Sports Media*)
OG CHANCE LYTLE (honorable mention: 3.29 GPA, *Music & Voice Performance*)
S CHRIS MILLER (honorable mention: 3.20 GPA, *Cybersecurity*)
TE BRADY RUSSELL (honorable mention: 3.20 GPA, *Organizational Leadership*)
TE C.J. SCHMANSKI (honorable mention: 3.28 GPA, *Strategic Communication*)
TB DEION SMITH (honorable mention: 3.21 GPA, *Journalism*)
TB NOAH WAGNER (honorable mention: 3.28 GPA, *Exploratory Studies*)
S TREVOR WOODS (honorable mention: 3.24 GPA, *Business*)



NFF HAMPSHIRE HONOR SOCIETY

(Seniors from all divisions of play who each maintained a cumulative 3.2 GPA or better throughout their college career.)

TE MATT LYNCH (first-team: 3.74 GPA, Organizational Leadership)

TE NICO MAGRI (first-team: 3.75 GPA, Organizational Leadership)

ILB JONATHAN VAN DIEST (first-team: 3.83 GPA, Organizational Leadership)

OLB CARSON WELLS (3.67 GPA, Organizational Leadership)

2021 COLORADO FOOTBALL TEAM AWARDS

Zack Jordan Award (most valuable player): OLB Carson Wells

John Mack Award (outstanding offensive players): OG Kary Kutsch

Dave Jones Award (outstanding defensive players): CB Christian Gonzalez

Bill McCartney Award (special teams achievement): P Josh Watts

Lee Willard Award (outstanding freshman): CB Nikko Reed

Offensive Scout Player of the Year: QB James Mott

Defensive Scout Player of the Year: DL Mason Maddox

Special Teams Scout Player of the Year: TB Charlie Offerdahl

Dean Jacob Van Ek Award (academic excellence): OLB Geno Macias

Eddie Crowder Award (outstanding team leadership): ILB Nate Landman

Best Interview (selected by team beat media): TE Brady Russell

Buffalo Heart Award (selected by the fans): ILB Nate Landman



OLB Carson Wells

2020 GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Here were CU's starters for the 2021 season (**bold** indicated first career start):

OFFENSE	WR	WR	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	QB	TB
Northern Colorado	Arias	Rice	Stanley	Wiley	Kutsch	Pursell	Ray	Lytle	Russell	B. Lewis	Broussard
Texas A&M	Arias	Rice	Stanley	Wray	Kutsch	Pursell	Ray	Wiley	Russell	B. Lewis	Broussard
Minnesota	Arias	Rice	Stanley	Wray	Kutsch	Fenske	Roddick	Wiley	Russell	B. Lewis	Fontenot
Arizona State	Arias	Rice	Lynch (TE)	Wiley	Kutsch	Pursell	Roddick	Fillip	Russell	B. Lewis	Broussard
Southern California	Arias	Rice	Stanley	Wiley	Kutsch	Pursell	Roddick	Fillip	Russell	B. Lewis	Broussard
Arizona	Arias	Rice	Stanley	Wiley	Kutsch	Pursell	Roddick	Fillip	Russell	B. Lewis	Broussard
California	Arias	Rice	Penry	Wiley	Kutsch	Pursell	Roddick	Fillip	Russell	B. Lewis	Broussard
Oregon	Arias	Rice	Fontenot (RB)	Wiley	Kutsch	Pursell	Roddick	Fillip	Russell	B. Lewis	Broussard
Oregon State	Arias	Rice	Penry	Wiley	Kutsch	Pursell	Roddick	Fillip	Russell	B. Lewis	Broussard
UCLA	Shenault	Rice	Penry	Wiley	Kutsch	Pursell	Roddick	Fillip	Russell	B. Lewis	Broussard
Washington	Arias	Rice	Stanley	Wiley	Kutsch	Pursell	Roddick	Fillip	Russell	B. Lewis	Broussard
Utah	Arias	Lynch (TE)	Stanley	Wiley	Kutsch	Pursell	Roddick	Fillip	Russell	B. Lewis	Fontenot
DEFENSE	OLB	DE/DT	NT	DE	OLB	ILB	ILB	LCB	FS	SS	RCB
Northern Colorado	Lang	Rodman	Sami	Wells	Miller	Landman	Q. Perry	Blackmon	M. Perry	I. Lewis	Gonzalez
Texas A&M	Lang	Rodman	Sami	Wells	Thomas	Landman	Q. Perry	Blackmon	M. Perry	I. Lewis	Gonzalez
Minnesota	Lang	Rodman	Sami	Wells	Thomas	Landman	Q. Perry	Blackmon	M. Perry	I. Lewis	Gonzalez
Arizona State	Lang	Rodman	Sami	Wells	Thomas	Landman	Q. Perry	Blackmon	M. Perry	I. Lewis	Gonzalez
Southern California	Lang	Rodman	Johnson	Wells	Lamb	Landman	Bethel (N)	Blackmon	M. Perry	I. Lewis	Gonzalez
Arizona	Lang	Johnson	Sami	Wells	Thomas	Landman	Q. Perry	Blackmon	M. Perry	I. Lewis	Gonzalez
California	Lang	Johnson	Sami	Wells	Thomas	Landman	Q. Perry	Woods	M. Perry	I. Lewis	Gonzalez
Oregon	Lang	Johnson	Sami	Wells	Gustav	Q. Perry	Barnes	Blackmon	M. Perry	Taylor	Gonzalez
Oregon State	Lang	Johnson	Sami	Wells	Gustav	Q. Perry	Lamb	Moore	M. Perry	I. Lewis	Gonzalez
UCLA	Rodman	Johnson	Sami	Wells	Gustav	Q. Perry	Barnes	Moore	M. Perry	Taylor	Gonzalez
Washington	Lang	Johnson	Sami	Wells	Grant	Q. Perry	Lamb	Blackmon	M. Perry	I. Lewis	Gonzalez
Utah	Lang	Johnson	Sami	Wells	Grant	Q. Perry	Barnes	Reed	M. Perry	I. Lewis	Gonzalez

CONSECUTIVE STARTS—Wells 27, Gonzalez 18, Kutsch 13, four with 12. **CAREER STARTS**—Landman 36, M. Johnson 35, Wells 34, Pursell 31, Russell 28.

PLAYER PARTICIPATION (dressed/played): Northern Colorado 83/68; Texas A&M 87/61; Minnesota 86/70; Arizona State 74/63; Southern California 75/59; Arizona 74/62; California 73/59; Oregon 70/59; Oregon State 73/56; UCLA 71/59; Washington 72/56; Utah 69/51.

COLORADO PLAYERS OF THE GAME & SCOUT TEAM POW'S

Here are the coaches' selections for Colorado's player of the game and scout team players of the week:

Opponent	Offensive	Defensive	Special Teams	Offensive Scouts	Defensive Scout(s)	Special Team Scout(s)
N. Colorado	WR Montana L-Craig	ILB Nate Landman	S Anthony Lyle	QB James Mott	OLB Devin Grant	TB Noah Wagner
Arizona	QB Brendon Lewis	ILB Nate Landman	WR Dimitri Stanley	QB James Mott	DB Trey Ortega	WR Ben Finneseth
Oregon State	WR Brenden Rice	OLB Carson Wells	S Trevor Woods	OL Edgar Amaya	OLB Alvin Williams	TE Erik Olsen
Washington	TB Jarek Broussard	DL Mustafa Johnson	SN Derek Bedell	WR Jack Hestera	LB Katin Surprenant	TE Austin Smith
	OG Casey Roddick	OLB Carson Wells	TE Alec Pell			
	QB Brendon Lewis	ILB Robert Barnes	TE Matt Lynch			
		OLB Carson Wells	S Ray Robinson			



2021 STAT LEADERS



2021 PAC-12 & COLORADO/NFF POW NOMINATIONS

Here is the list of CU's weekly nominations for the Pac-12 players of the week along with those for the NFF/Colorado Chapter (*—denotes winner):

Pac-12 Player of the Week Nominations							Colorado Chapter/NFF
Opponent	Offensive	Offensive Line	Defensive	Defensive Line	Special Teams	Freshman	Player of the Week
N. Colorado	none	none	ILB Nate Landman	NT Jalen Sami	WR Dimitri Stanley	WR Montana L-Craig	LB Nate Landman
Texas A&M	none	none	ILB Nate Landman	none	none	none	ILB Nate Landman
Minnesota	none	none	ILB Nate Landman	none	P Josh Watts	none	ILB Nate Landman
Arizona State	none	none	none	none	none	none	none
Southern Cal	none	none	none	none	none	none	none
Arizona	QB Brendon Lewis	none	OLB Carson Wells	none	S *Trevor Woods	WR Brendon Rice	OLB *Carson Wells
California	none	none	none	none	P Josh Watts	none	P Josh Watts
Oregon	WR Brenden Rice	none	none	none	WR Brenden Rice	WR Brenden Rice	WR Brenden Rice
Oregon State	TB Jarek Broussard	OG Kary Kutsch	OLB Carson Wells	none	PK Cole Becker	PK Cole Becker	PK *Cole Becker
UCLA	none	none	none	none	none	none	none
Washington	none	OG Kary Kutsch	OLB Carson Wells	none	none	none	OLB Carson Wells
Utah	none	OG Kary Kutsch	OLB Carson Wells	none	CB Nikko Reed	PK Cole Becker	CB Nikko Reed



PK Cole Becker



QB Brendon Lewis



TE Brady Russell



S Isaiah Lewis