

**FLORIDA  
STATE  
FOOTBALL**



1988 FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL MEDIA GUIDE

# 1988 SEMINOLE SCHEDULE

## September

3 @ Miami 9:00 pm (EDT)  
 10 SOUTHERN MISS 7:00 pm (EDT)  
 17 @ Clemson 1:00 pm (EDT)  
 24 MICHIGAN STATE 7:00 pm (EDT)

## October

1 @ Tulane 7:00 pm (CDT)  
 8 GEORGIA  
 SOUTHERN\* 2:00 pm (EDT)  
 15 EAST CAROLINA 2:00 pm (EDT)  
 22 LOUISIANA TECH 2:00 pm (EDT)

## November

5 @ South Carolina 1:30 pm (EST)  
 12 VIRGINIA TECH 2:00 pm (EST)  
 26 FLORIDA 2:00 pm (EST)

\*Homecoming



### BOBBY BOWDEN

College Football's Fourth Winningest Coach  
 At Florida State: 101-37-3  
 In His Career: 174-69-3

# 1987 National Champion Runnerup



### Final Rankings: AP, UPI - 2nd

Record: 11-1-0 (.917); Home: 5-1-0 (.833); Away: 5-0-0 (1.000);  
 Neutral: 1-0-0 (1.000); Day: 5-1-0 (.833); Night: 6-0-0 (1.000)

1987 Results	FSU	OPP	Attendance
TEXAS TECH (H)	40	16	52,893
Eastern Carolina (A)	44	3	33,937
MEMPHIS STATE (H)	41	24	50,191
Michigan State (A)	31	3	76,887
MIAMI (H)	25	26	62,561
Southern Mississippi (A)	61	10	25,853
LOUISVILLE (H)	32	9	53,114
TULANE (H)	73	14	53,210
Auburn (A)	34	6	85,170
FURMAN (H)	41	10	50,067
Florida (A)	28	14	74,613
Nebraska (A) *	31	28	72,112

\*Fiesta Bowl

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## MEDIA INFORMATION

**CREDENTIAL REQUESTS:** All requests for working press, radio, television, photographer or scouting credentials should be directed to Sports Information Director Wayne Hogan no later than one week prior to the game. Requests for season credentials should be made two weeks prior to the first game.

Space for the working press, radio, television and scouts is allocated by the Sports Information Office.

Florida State's press box is located on the west side of Doak Campbell Stadium with elevator service to all levels. Media representatives and scouts should enter through the press gate, located north of the elevator. The Will Call booth, where media can pick up credentials three hours prior to kickoff on game days, is located outside the gate at the base of the elevator. Will Call credentials will also be available in the Sports Information Office on Fridays prior to games or at the Ramada Inn-North hospitality room until three hours prior to kickoff.

**PRESS POLICIES:** Working press will be admitted to Level 5, where approximately 90 seats are available. Credentials are issued by FSU according to the following criteria:

- (a) Local Newspapers, wire services, national publications, newspapers from opponents' area and student newspapers from FSU and opponents' schools.
- (b) Other daily newspapers with preference to those which regularly cover FSU.
- (c) Scouts.
- (d) Non-daily newspapers, with preference to those which have regularly covered FSU.
- (e) Radio and television personnel not actually broadcasting, but considered reporting (seats will be provided in the stands).

**RADIO-TV:** The sixth level of the press box is designated for use by radio and television broadcasting crews and home and visiting coaches. Each booth is fully enclosed and sound proof.

**PHOTOGRAPHERS:** Only accredited photographers or freelance photographers shooting for the FSU Sports Information Office will be issued working credentials.

The press box catwalk, or photo deck, offers an unobstructed view for TV and movie cameras. Holders of a photo deck pass will be assigned space in that area. Still photographers will not be admitted to the press box and may have access to the sidelines only. Those holding a still photography credential should report to the gate specified on the pass where they will be issued an armband, a set of rosters and a box lunch. A photographers' lounge area with tables and chairs will be made available.

Special requests for photographers whose assignments warrant shooting from the photo deck may be

made to Sports Information Director Wayne Hogan.

**PRESS PARKING:** Parking is limited and passes will be issued on a priority basis within the same guidelines as working credentials. The press lot is located on the southwest corner of Doak Campbell Stadium. Access to the lot should be made from Stadium Drive.

**STATISTICAL SERVICES:** Play-by-play, half-time and complete statistics will be provided. Post-game quotes from FSU head coach Bobby Bowden and the visiting coach will also be available.

**REFRESHMENTS:** A light pre-game meal will be served on Level 6 of the press box approximately one hour before kickoff. Refreshments will also be made available throughout the game.

**TELEPHONES:** Telephone service for the FSU press box should be secured directly through Centel Telephone Company of Florida in Tallahassee (904/681-6600). Have them contact the Sports Information Office for location. Due to deregulation, media members must bring their own phones. Centel will provide lines only. When contacting Centel, please be specific

### TO THE MEDIA AND FANS -


We are fortunate at Florida State University to have the resources to develop this multi-purpose 1988 Football Guide. No school in this decade has consistently produced publications that rank as high as Florida State's.

I hope that you enjoy this guide and that it will provide interesting insight into the 1988 Seminoles. If you are a member of the media covering FSU, I think that you will find the pertinent information well-organized and easily accessible.

Additional requests by accredited media representatives for items such as feature materials, photographs, slides and video tapes should be directed to the sports information office. We are always standing by ready to serve you.

My office also stands ready to handle any inquiries directed by our fans and supporters. I think you will find our entire staff among the most media conscious and public-oriented anywhere.

I would urge all media personnel to take a moment to read the guidelines which will aid you in your coverage of FSU football. Most of your questions should be answered here. Again, we are available to assist you in any way in your coverage of the Seminoles.



Wayne Hogan  
Sports Information Director

as to the type of line you need (i.e. touchtone, etc.)

**TELECOPIERS:** An independent telecopier service will be available for each game with a nominal fee being charged. Please contact the Sports Information Office in advance.

**MID-WEEK INTERVIEWS:** Media interviews with all FSU players should be arranged through the Sports Information Office. For phone interviews, the SID office will fill out a card informing the player to return the call. All player calls to the media will be made collect.

Anyone wishing to schedule an interview with head coach Bobby Bowden should contact his secretary, Sue Hall, at (904) 644-1465.

**BREAKFAST WITH BOBBY:** Following each and every Seminole home game, head coach Bobby Bowden will join the media Sunday morning for breakfast at the Ramada Inn-North (press headquarters). Breakfast will be served at 8:30 a.m. with a question and answer session beginning at 8:45 a.m.

**CONFERENCE CALL:** Media members may contact Bowden for follow-up material via a Sunday conference call on road game weekends. Contact a member of the Sports Information Office for further information.

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ida State may make requests for road credentials with the opponent school or with the FSU Sports Information Office by Monday of game week.

**POST-GAME INTERVIEW POLICY**

Florida State University's athletic staff is well aware of the importance of media coverage and is briefed continually on the role of the media insofar as it interacts with their respective duties. At no time is this cooperation more important than in our post-game interview and locker room procedures. To insure the most workable situation for members of the media and for the FSU staff the following procedures *must* be observed:

**1** Entrance to the Florida State locker room can be made *only* through the second floor interview room. All members of the media will be directed to this room by the FSU Sports Information staff immediately at the conclusion of the game. It is most helpful if all media personnel assemble at the tunnel entrance in the north end zone immediately at game's end. You will *not* be allowed access to the locker room through the players' entrance so follow closely.

**2** Florida State coach Bobby Bowden will be brought directly to the interview room as soon as he dismisses the team and declares the locker room open.

**3** When Coach Bowden makes his appearance in the interview room, those media members wishing to go to the locker room will be instructed as to the proper route. Down one flight of stairs leads directly into the player dressing area.

**4** FLORIDA STATE'S LOCKER ROOM IS OPEN TO ALL MEDIA MEMBERS, MALE AND FEMALE, HOWEVER; IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT FEMALE REPORTERS INFORM FSU SPORTS INFORMATION PERSONNEL DURING THE GAME THAT THEY WILL NEED LOCKER ROOM ACCESS. (FSU players have been assured that they will be told on a game-by-game basis when there will be female reporters in the locker room — a courtesy we feel must be extended.)

**5** Exit from the locker room and access back to the press box can be made through the players' entrance to the stadium. It is our desire at Florida State to make the post-game procedures as painless as possible for both the media and our staff. Remember, both groups have important tasks and are under extreme pressure.

The Florida State Athletic Department cannot and will not be responsible for problems incurred by any media member not following the above procedure. Security personnel will facilitate only those following the proper guidelines. If, however, you encounter a problem while following this procedure from any member of our staff or security, please inform a sports information staff member immediately.

## FLORIDA STATE FINGERTIP FACTS

**President:** Dr. Bernard F. Sliger  
**Location:** Tallahassee, Fla. 32306  
**Enrollment:** 24,000  
**Athletic Director:** C.W. "Hootie" Ingram  
**Athletic Board Chairman:** Charles Ehrhardt  
**Sports Information Director:** Wayne C. Hogan  
**Nickname:** Seminoles  
**Founded:** 1857  
**Colors:** Garnet and Gold  
**Conference:** Independent  
**Stadium:** Doak S. Campbell (60,519)  
**Head Football Coach:** Bobby Bowden (Samford '53)  
**Head Coach's Record:** 174-69-3 (22 yrs)  
**1987 Record:** 11-1-0  
**1987 Final Ranking:** (AP) 2, (UPI) 2  
**1987 Bowl Appearance:** Fiesta  
**FSU All-Time Record:** 250-167-14

## FUTURE SCHEDULES

### 1989

**September**  
 9 CLEMSON  
 16 @ LSU  
 23 TULANE  
**October**  
 7 @ Syracuse  
 14 @ Virginia Tech  
 21 AUBURN  
 28 MIAMI  
**November**  
 4 SOUTH CAROLINA  
 11 @ Southern Miss  
 18 MEMPHIS STATE  
**December**  
 2 @ Florida

### 1990

**September**  
 1 EAST CAROLINA  
 15 GEORGIA SOUTHERN  
 22 @ Tulane  
 29 VIRGINIA TECH  
**October**  
 6 @ Miami  
 20 @ Auburn  
 27 LSU  
**November**  
 3 @ South Carolina  
 10 CINCINNATI  
 17 @ Memphis State  
**December**  
 1 FLORIDA

### 1991

**September**  
 7 TULANE  
 14 WESTERN MICHIGAN  
 28 @ Michigan  
**October**  
 5 SYRACUSE  
 12 @ Virginia Tech  
 19 AUBURN  
 26 @ LSU  
**November**  
 2 @ Louisville  
 9 SOUTH CAROLINA  
 16 MIAMI  
 30 @ Florida

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- Bobby Bowden

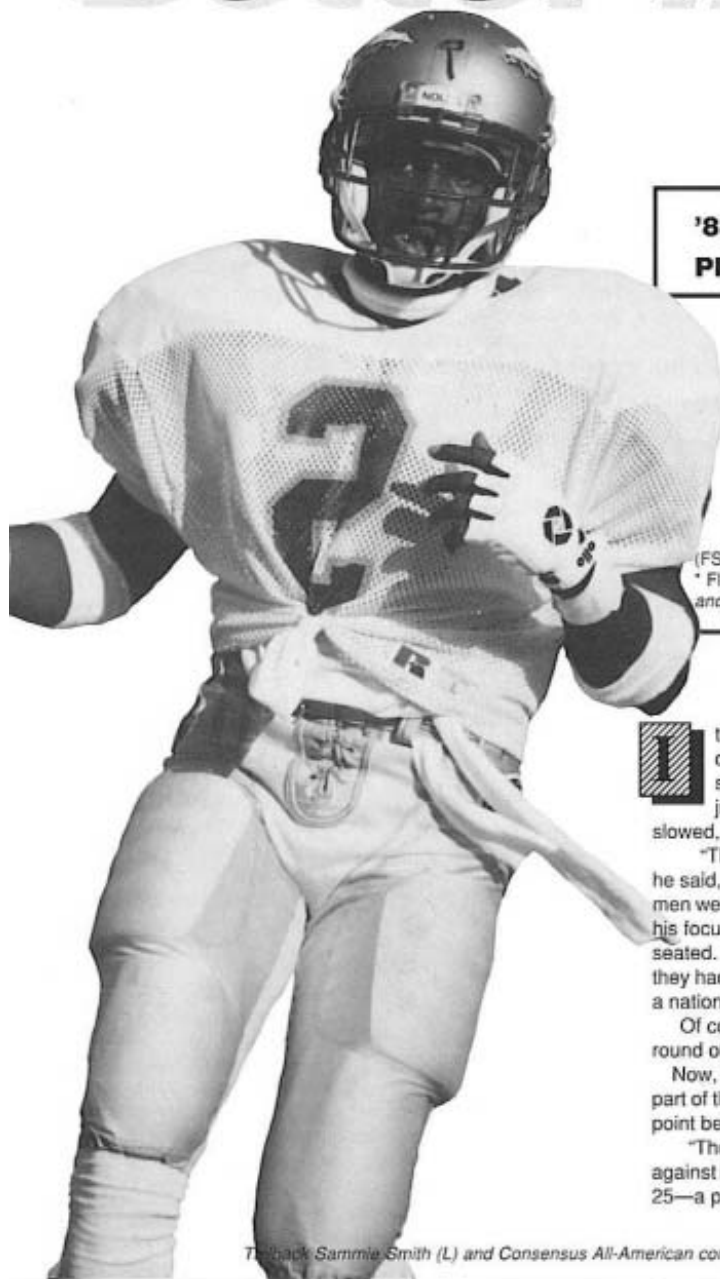








# One Point Better in '88?



## '88 FOOTBALL WRITERS PRE-SEASON RANKINGS

1.	Florida State	95
2.	Oklahoma	75
3.	Miami	66
4.	UCLA	52
5.	Nebraska	50
6.	Auburn	45
7.	Texas A & M	35
8.	LSU	21
9.	Clemson	20
10.	Southern Cal	20

(FSU received seven of the first 10 first place votes)

\* Florida State has also been pre-season ranked #1 by *Athlon* and *College Football Weekly*

**I**t was February and head coach Bobby Bowden was addressing a banquet crowd that had gathered to celebrate his squad's 11-1 season and Fiesta Bowl victory over Nebraska just a month earlier. Bowden waited until the applause had slowed, and he began to speak.

"The 1987 group didn't leave a lot of room for improvement," he said, looking toward the cluster of tables where his underclassmen were seated. "But they did leave a little." Bowden now shifted his focus to the back of the room where his alumni and fans were seated. "Maybe if these boys can come back with the same attitude they had last year, maybe next year we'll be back here celebrating a national championship."

Of course, the idea was seconded by the crowd with a rousing round of applause.

Now, Bowden and his coaches have spent the spring and a good part of the summer putting together their 1988 team that must be a point better than its predecessor.

"The point" in question was a failed two-point conversion try against Miami in the 1987 College Game of the Year as FSU fell 26-25—a point that stood in the way of a perfect season.

Terback Sammie Smith (L) and Consensus All-American cornerback Deion Sanders (R) will keep FSU "Prime Time" in 1988

The positives far outweigh the negatives in Seminole country, and the return of 43 lettermen and 13 starters (7 on offense, 6 on defense) are the reason for the splendid outlook. Florida State also has a foursome of talented players who are all arguably the best at their positions in the country. On offense, Heisman Trophy candidate Sammie Smith's running will depend on a line led by All-American tackle Pat Tomberlin; on defense noseguard Odell Haggins is a terror up front while Jim Thorpe Award finalist Deion Sanders leads the defense in the open field.

The major areas of concern were addressed and worked on in spring practice, yet there still remains a few questions that Bowden and his staff cannot answer until the first snap in Miami on September 3. That's the day that the Seminoles have been looking forward to for a long year.

Bowden's team must answer questions at quarterback, at both inside linebacker positions, in the overall depth of the defense and the offensive line. The kicking game will also be scrutinized.

Will senior quarterback Chip Ferguson become the solid replacement for 1987 field general Danny McManus? That seems to

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Pat Tomberlin's job is to move out anything that gets in the way of the Florida State offense

be the major question on offense as Florida State looks to the fall campaign. Ferguson won the job in spring practice after losing it briefly to junior Peter Tom Willis, and his performance against Miami will be a key one.

Another goal for the offense is to stabilize the offensive line and develop some depth along the way. Spring practice yielded the squad's major position change—All-South Independent guard Jason Kuipers was moved to center—but tackles Tomberlin (6-4, 303) and Joey Ionata and guards Tony Yeomans and John Brown are all experienced. Offensive coordinator Wayne McDuffie feels that he has a line he can work but backup help is crucial. He will be looking to a line-dominated freshman class for immediate help in the trenches.



The running game will start with Heisman hopeful Sammie Smith

Florida State must also replace NFL second round draft pick Pat Carter at tight end, but three returning letterwinners—senior Tom O'Malley and sophomores Reggie Johnson and David Roberts—will make the position solid.

The Seminole running game is a potent weapon with Smith, the 6-2, 220 pound speedster in the backfield. He'll rotate with fellow junior Dexter Carter and senior Victor Floyd. There's more talent behind those three at tailback, too. At fullback, it's more of the same news. The biggest question is who to start—sophomore Edgar Bennett, senior Dayne Williams or junior Marion Butts?

Ferguson has a good group of receivers to throw to, led by junior all-star candidate Ronald Lewis, who had 23 catches a year ago and nabbed the winning touchdown in the Fiesta Bowl. Terry Anthony, Lawrence Dawsey and Bruce LaSane are others who will be heard from most often.

First on the defensive checklist is replacing both inside linebackers, including Butkus Award winner Paul

McGowan. "Our biggest losses were at linebacker," says Bowden. "That's the biggest gap we've got to close."

Junior Keith Carter and sophomore Kelvin Smith came out of the spring with the starting positions. In the fall, however, Carter will be challenged by senior Felton Hayes for that job. Beyond the three, there is no experience and the freshman class is going to have to help out here.

Across the front FSU is stable with a healthy battle going on at one of the outside linebacker positions. Junior Shelton Thompson has one outside linebacker position nailed down but junior Kevin Grant and senior John Hadley are even at the other. The tackles will be big Eric Hayes (6-3, 279) on the left side, a player who was a key in 1987 and should be even better in '88, and senior Steve Gabbard. Hag-



gins is a dominating player at noseguard, though he is slightly undersized at 6-2, 252.

A concern here is backup help at the defensive tackle positions—no other player has any game experience. FSU will need some youngsters to step forward, maybe from the incoming freshman class.

The secondary is long on talent but short

in experience in several positions. "The lack of experience concerns you when you've got to start with Miami who has one of the top three or four sophisticated passing games in the country," says Bowden.

Start with Deion Sanders, the 6-0, 195 pound senior who makes it as tough on opponent receivers as he does on SID types trying to find new adjectives to describe his immense talent. Sanders and three-year starting strong safety Stan Shiver will be the leaders in the backfield. Juniors Dedrick Dodge and LeRoy Butler will lessen the impact of a graduated Greg Newell's absence at free safety but filling the second cornerback slot will be a key issue come fall. The loss of Eric Williams and Martin Mayhew, co-starters for the last four years, is a big one. That position is up for grabs with sophomore Corian Freeman and senior Tracy Sanders the leading candidates.

Sophomore Richie Andrews is expected to take over the kicking duties, but he has big shoes to fill with the departure of Derek Schmidt, the NCAA's all-time leading scorer. Local walk-on Bill Mason is still challenging Andrews. The punting chores are expected to fall to incoming freshman John Wimberly, provided he recovers from knee surgery.

## OFFENSE

### QUARTERBACK

There are some pluses here, but then again so many of the offense's questions surround the Seminole field general. The most obvious question is "who will be the quarterback?" Senior Chip Ferguson, MVP of the Gator Bowl in 1985 as a freshman and an early-season



Two of Florida State's crunchers on defense are tackle Eric Hayes (78) and safety Stan Shiver (37); noseguard Odell Haggins (53) creates havoc in the middle

## OUTLOOK

starter in 1986, goes into the fall with his name first on the depth chart. Junior Peter Tom Willis is right on his heels. Both players have plenty of game experience in their careers—but neither has jumped very far ahead of the other. Then again, that could be a positive situation. If the two veterans can't do the job, then Bowden will turn to a pair of freshman redshirts. Local product Casey Weldon has had more practice time than two-sport athlete Brad Johnson, but both have plenty of potential.

	Attn-Comp-Int	Pct	Yds	TD
Chip Ferguson	44-26-2	59.1	335	3
Peter Tom Willis	10-9-0	90.0	67	1



Coaches hope that Chip Ferguson will be their answer at quarterback

## TAILBACK

Bobby Bowden has always seemed to have a problem at this position but the problem has always been a good one. Bowden can never find enough playing time for the talented runners he's had on his rosters in this decade. Heading the 1988 group is Heisman Trophy candidate Sammie Smith. Not much needs to be said about him—at 6-2, 220 and with speed to boot, there aren't many tailbacks who have his talents. Smith also produced to the tune of 1,230 yards in 10 games in 1988. Multi-talented junior Dexter Carter would be the star at most schools but he has to take a back seat to Smith—yet because of his pass catching abilities, he's too valuable to sit. He'll rotate series with Smith. Ah, there's more. Third teamer Victor Floyd is the 10th leading rusher in FSU history (Smith is eighth) and he's caught a ton of passes in his career out of the backfield. Somewhere, somehow, this fellow has got to play. He was tried at wide receiver in the spring and can also contribute there. Two others also figure: senior Keith Ross and redshirt freshman Chris Parker. Ross has simply gotten caught up in the numbers game, yet he is talented in his own right. Parker has big play capabilities but his real time is in the future. Injuries? The Seminoles can deal with those.

Awesome talent, incredible depth.

	Att	Net	Avg	TD
Sammie Smith	172	1,230	7.1	7
Dexter Carter	116	679	5.8	6
Victor Floyd	29	204	7.0	2

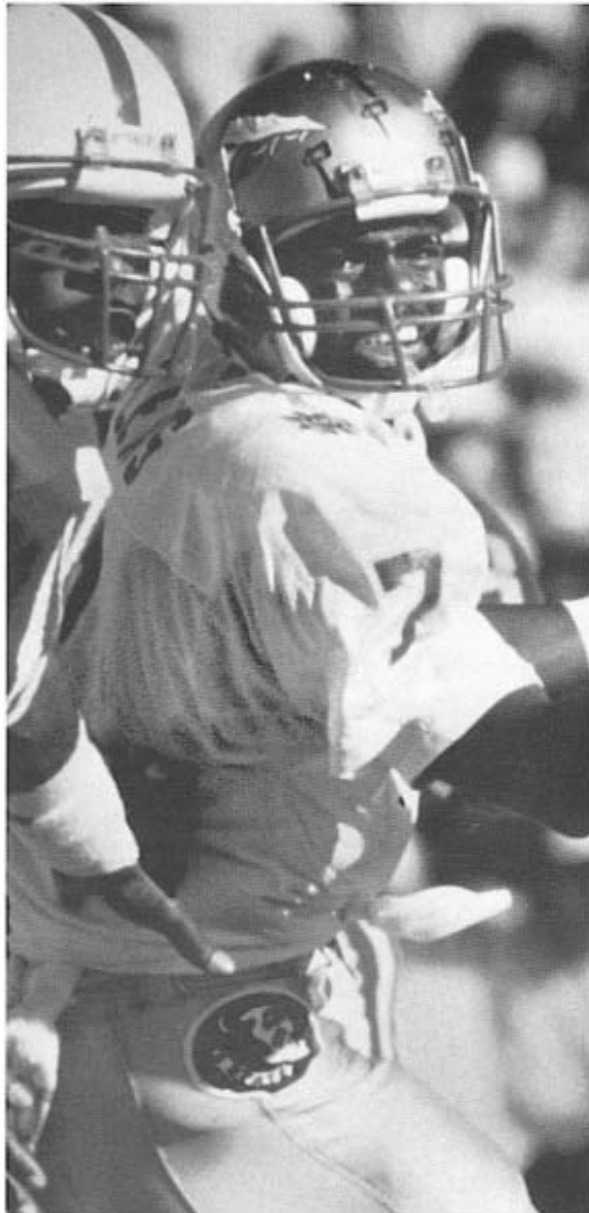
## FULLBACK

Throw three names in the bag, toss it up and choose one. FSU's starting fullback will come from a group that includes sophomore Edgar Bennett, who is listed at first team going into fall drills, senior Dayne Williams and junior Marion Butts. Williams is the incumbent starter and scored 15 touchdowns a year ago. He's the workhorse; the kind of player who is consistent, won't get you beat and can pick up the tough yard. Bennett is the flashiest and has some tailback in him. Both players have the ability to catch passes out of the backfield. Butts is the masher of the group; big and strong, he's the most devastating blocker and he, too, catches well. Fourth teamer Paul Moore, a redshirt freshman, is the prototype fullback for FSU. He's young, and while he'll contribute, he'll have to wait his turn. The fullback position is well stocked and heavily experienced.

	Att	Net	Avg	TD
Edgar Bennett	58	276	4.8	0
Dayne Williams	71	272	3.8	15
Marion Butts	35	199	5.7	1



Fifteen times in '87 Dayne Williams reached paydirt



Ronald Lewis will be the primary target in the passing game

**WIDE RECEIVER**

Florida State returns all but two of its receivers from a year ago. Herb Gainer, who has gone the free agent route with the Pittsburgh Steelers, will be missed for his consistency and experience, but talent remains on this 1988 club. The star of the group is junior Ronald Lewis, a big-play receiver who was third on the team with 23 catches in 1987. He's the flanker and the player opponents will have to stop. At split end, junior and two-year letterman Terry Anthony will step in for Gainer. Lewis' backups at flanker are sophomore Lawrence Dawsey, a player with some experience, and redshirt sophomore Felton Cook, who must overcome academic battles over

the summer. Backing up Anthony is junior Bruce LaSane, a player who has big-time potential written all over him, and consistent Scott DiMare. There's not a senior in this group. Lewis is the star, and there's plenty of experience and talent at this position.

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Ronald Lewis	23	418	18.2	4
Terry Anthony	7	137	19.6	1
Lawrence Dawsey	7	82	11.7	0
Bruce LaSane	2	26	13.0	0

**TIGHT END**

You're tight end coach Brad Scott and you've just lost four-year starter and All-American Pat Carter to the NFL. What do you do? "Now everyone is going to see what kind of a coach I am," Scott jokes. Actually, Scott is not worried although he knows that a player like Carter comes around once in a career. Scott has three letterman returning and a very competitive situation going on at the position. Senior Tom O'Malley has played in Carter's shadow for four years, and the job is his if he can withstand a challenge from sophomore Reggie Johnson in the fall. Johnson's play caused excitement last spring—he has the most talent and speed of all the tight ends. Third teamer David Roberts lettered a year ago and will also see action. Because the Seminoles travel with four tight ends, Scott will be looking for one of three players to step forward. They include Johnny Clower, a 6-5 Pat Carter-type prospect who sat out '87 because of Proposition 48, and incoming freshmen Eric McGill and Carl Simpson.

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Tom O'Malley	7	73	10.4	0
Reggie Johnson	4	35	8.7	0
David Roberts	2	14	7.0	0

**OFFENSIVE TACKLE**

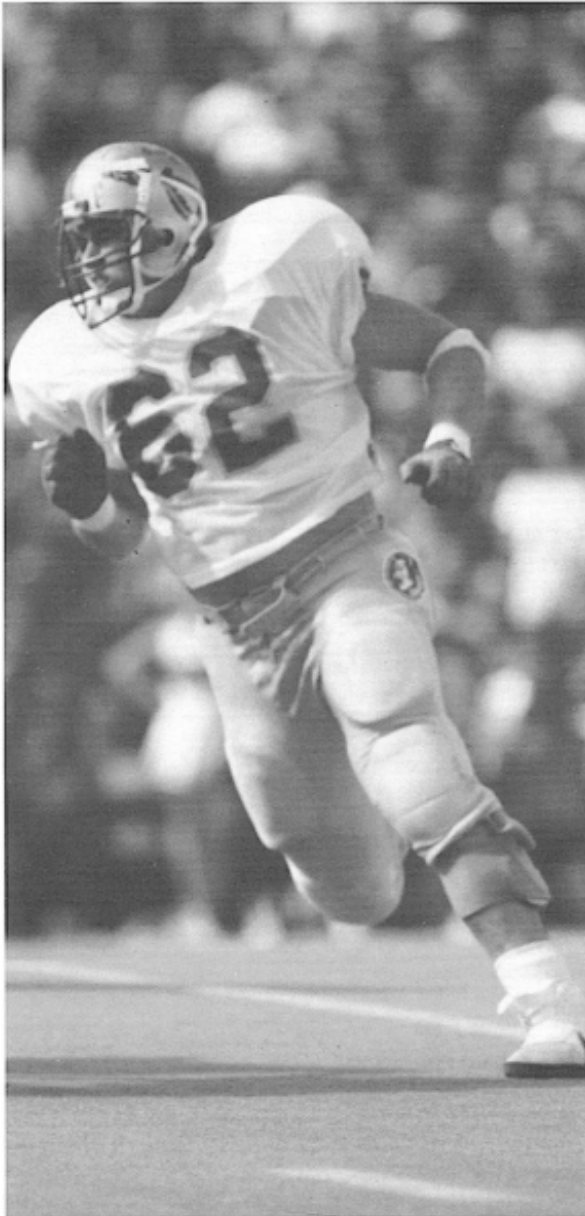
Both starters return, but once again, it's the backup situation that offensive coordinator Wayne McDuffie will be looking to improve. Huge 6-4, 303 pound senior All-American Pat Tomberlin handles the chores at tight tackle; Tomberlin doesn't usually need a backup anyway. On the split side is senior Joe Ionata, a steady two-year starter. Backups include sophomores Eric Luallen and Scott Schilbrack on the tight side and redshirt freshman Reggie Dixon on the split side. McDuffie makes no bones about the fact that he's looking for backup help from the incoming freshman class.

**OFFENSIVE GUARD**

The top three players from a year ago return, but offensive coordinator Wayne McDuffie has had to do some scrambling here. Jason Kuipers, a two-year starter, has vacated his tight guard position to move to center. If a freshman comes through at center, Kuipers could rotate back here. Also returning are juniors Tony Yeomans and John Brown, a pair who shared the split guard duties a year ago. McDuffie has Brown penciled in as the starter at that position for '88 and has moved Yeomans over to Kuiper's slot. Promising sophomore Hayward Haynes is behind Yeomans and another player with super potential, redshirt freshman Mike Morris, is behind Brown. Throw in Ron Byrom as a backup at either side. Again, a few question marks and the lack of stability is the trademark of this position.

**CENTER**

This position, along with quarterback, will be the biggest question mark in the fall. Kuipers has moved over here to replace the graduated Mark Salva and there is really no experience whatsoever. Offensive coordinator Wayne McDuffie tried several players at the position last spring, including converted linebacker Chris Nicolas, guard Tony Yeomans and redshirt freshman Jim Bekas. McDuffie will be looking for an incoming freshman to step in here; otherwise he'll go with Kuipers until a young player has time to develop. Coaches will be looking to get right to the heart of this matter once fall practice begins.



*Jason Kuipers' move to center may or may not be temporary*

**THE DEFENSE**

**OUTSIDE LINEBACKER**

There's as much talent at outside linebacker in 1988 as there's been in all of Bobby Bowden's years at Florida State. Position coach Jim Gladden has five players who can contribute. Part-time '87 starters Shelton Thompson and Kevin Grant appear to be the frontrunners again in 1988, but the emergence of former defensive back John Hadley is a definite plus. Hadley is giving Grant quite a challenge at the one slot for starting rights, while Anthony Moss is an able and experienced backup on the other side. A fifth player, former walkon Phil Carollo, could also see some plays. Perhaps the biggest surprise of the spring was redshirt freshman Howard Dinkins, a player who Gladden calls "the quickest outside linebacker I've ever coached." Dinkins is still undisciplined, but he could make headway into some playing time. Talent and experience at this position spell an improved defense.

	Tackles	Assists	Total	QS	TFL
Kevin Grant	22	21	43	3	0
Shelton Thompson	11	13	25	1	1
John Hadley	11	6	17	0	0
Anthony Moss	3	3	6	1	0



*Shelton Thompson is capable of making the big play*

**DEFENSIVE TACKLE**

The starters are set: at the left tackle slot is all-star candidate Eric Hayes, a big strong junior who began to reach his vast potential a year ago. Hayes is a big-play guy and coaches are expecting to see more of the same statistics in 1988 as he showed in '87: six tackles for loss, four sacks, six passes broken up, three fumbles caused and three recoveries. At the right side is senior Steve Gabbard, a consistent type who was sidelined with some injuries a year ago. Behind those two stalwarts is youth, inexperience, and concern for position coach Chuck Amato. Someone in a group of four redshirt freshmen—Henry and Joe Ostaszewski, Gene Houpe or Corey Senior—will have to step to the forefront. Amato is also looking forward to seeing the incoming freshman class—could big Oliver

Strickland be an immediate impact player?

	Tackles	Assists	Total	QS	TFL
Eric Hayes	35	44	79	4	6
Steve Gabbard	9	17	26	0	0

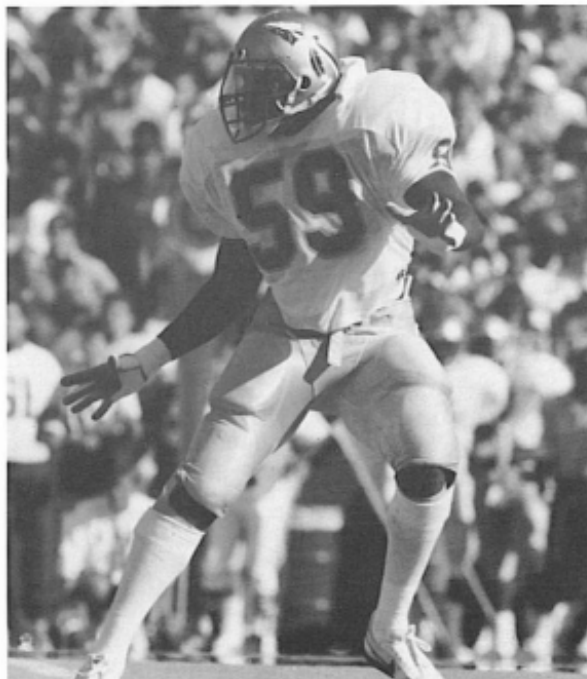
### NOSEGUARD

A year ago this position had question marks attached; now it is a definite bonus position. The ability of junior Odell Haggins to convert to the position last year and turn in the best statistics since All-American Ron Simmons' seasons in the late 70s was a key to the successes in 1987. Now, Haggins is an All-American candidate who will have to prove that he's one of the nation's best. His 1987 statistics surely bear out his talent—73 tackles, eight sacks, four tackles for loss, etc., etc. Behind Haggins there's a two-man race for the backup slot between 1987 backup Magdi El Shahawy and redshirt frosh Frank Romeo. El Shahawy has a slight edge based on experience.

	Tackles	Assists	Total	QS	TFL
Odell Haggins	38	35	73	8	4
Magdi El Shahawy	3	11	14	0	0

### INSIDE LINEBACKER

Last year he coached the Butkus Award winner, but this year he is flat out worried. Linebacker coach Wally Burnham must not only replace Paul McGowan, but twin starter David Palmer as well. Burnham has also lost young players he had been grooming—Odell Haggins to noseguard and John Eaford to an automobile accident a year ago.



Keith Carter's play at linebacker will be an important key in 1988

So let's start over. Junior Keith Carter and sophomore Kelvin Smith have the inside track on the two starting positions after last spring's workouts. Carter has potential, now he must prove himself; Smith contributed as a freshman a year ago but is coming off knee surgery. Giving Carter all the competition he needs is converted outside linebacker Felton Hayes, whose chronic aching knees led to an off-year in 1987. Phillip Ferrell, a true freshman who enrolled in January, lines up behind Carter and Hayes but he's not ready to play. Walkon John Merna is also available. Burnham will be asking for help from the freshman class, and the return of Eaford, provided he gets medical clearance, could be a bonus. Mark this position among the question marks on the Seminole squad.

	Tackles	Assists	Total	QS	TFL
Kelvin Smith	14	10	24	0	0
Felton Hayes	8	16	24	1	1
Keith Carter	9	7	16	0	0

### SAFETY

These two positions are as stable as any on the defense. At strong safety, coaches have three-year starter Stan Shiver back. They know what he can do. Backing up Shiver is fellow senior Alphonso Williams, a first teamer at most schools. Both are dependable and two of the toughest hitters in the South. Says defensive coordinator Mickey Andrews: "If you're going to war, you want those two with you." At free safety, FSU lost three years of irreplaceable game experience in Greg Newell, but understudy Dedrick Dodge has been groomed to take over the position. Behind Dodge is the gifted LeRoy Butler, who should challenge in the fall. Sophomore Bill Ragans will be a backup at strong safety, unless John Wyche (broken leg) can return this year. If that is the case, Ragans will switch back to free safety.

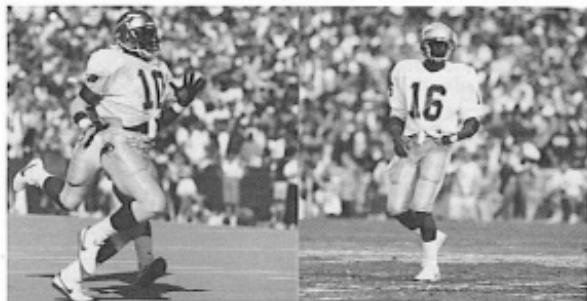
	Tackles	Assists	Total	INT	PBU
LeRoy Butler	22	19	41	0	0
Stan Shiver	23	17	40	4	2
Alphonso Williams	12	12	24	0	0
Dedrick Dodge	16	9	25	2	4
John Wyche	10	8	18	0	0

### CORNERBACK

On one side, Florida State returns the best athlete who has ever graced the FSU campus—Deion Sanders—but on the other side the Seminoles lost seven to eight years of starting experience with the departure of co-starters Eric Williams and Martin Mayhew. Sanders, of course, is everybody's All-American, and will become FSU's highest draft pick ever when the '88 season is over. Enemy quarterbacks avoid him like the plague. On the right side, there's not much game experience to speak of. Senior Tracy Sanders has been at the position for a little over a year, but he doesn't have a lot of repetitions under his belt. And, he's not even the projected starter going into the fall. Corian Freeman, a redshirt freshman with no game experience is the starter, but Sanders (Tracy, that is) will have a chance to win the position. The backups are converted quarterback Alan Stewart and sophomore redshirt Ray Gibson, provided his studies have rebounded by the fall campaign.

## OUTLOOK

	Tackles	Assists	Total	INT	PBU
Deion Sanders	29	17	46	4	10
Corian Freeman	10	9	19	0	0
Tracy Sanders	9	7	16	1	1



Will Corian Freeman (10) or Tracy Sanders (16) join Deion Sanders at cornerback? That question is first on the agenda in the backfield

## THE KICKING GAME

### THE KICKERS

Gone from Seminole Land is Derek Schmidt, the NCAA's all-time leading scorer in Division I college football history and one of the top field goal kickers in the nation in 1987. Also departed is punter Rick Tuten, who had a poor senior year after a pre-season sickness that sapped his strength. Schmidt's understudy, sophomore Richie Andrews, used a year of eligibility in 1987 while he handled kickoffs. Andrews certainly has the credentials from high school but has yet to be tested on this level. His leg is strong and he can kick the long ones. Should his consistency in close be a problem, coaches can turn to sophomore Bill Mason, a recruited walkon from Tallahassee. Incoming freshman John Wimberly was to take over the punting

responsibilities but his availability is in question; unfortunately he tore up a knee in the off-season but doctors think his rehab is on schedule. Should Wimberly not be able to punt, FSU will look to walkons to fulfill this need—Tim Corlew heads that list of prospects. Florida State has a lot of uncertainty in the kicking area, but if potential produces the outlook will be very bright.

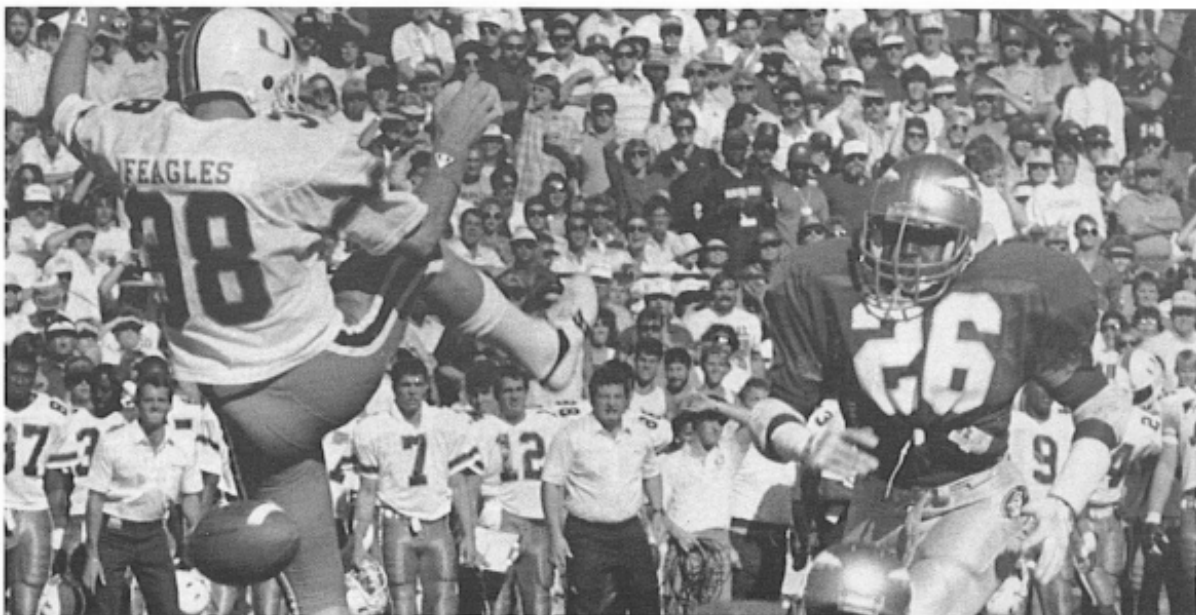
### THE KICK RETURNERS

Plenty of excitement once again! FSU returns both its punt returner and a pair of successful kickoff returners. Start with Deion Sanders on punt returns—he owns the FSU season and career yardage records and is one of the most dazzling performers at any level of football in America. He has returned two punts for TDs in his career and last year's average of 11.90 was the 14th best in college football. While those statistics aren't THAT amazing, consider that Sanders usually returns punts without any blockers since FSU emphasizes the punt block play. The combination of Keith Ross and Dexter Carter returns on the kickoff team for their third year together—Ross was listed in NCAA return stats as a freshman and sophomore before injuries limited his playing time a year ago. The two teamed up to return one 100 yards vs. Miami in 1986.

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Deion Sanders	32	381	11.9	1
Keith Ross	14	277	19.8	0
Dexter Carter	11	267	24.3	0

### THE PUNT BLOCKERS

Only Florida State has a category for this one! Because FSU blocked four punts a year ago and 33 since 1980, the team has grown in popularity in Seminole territory. The kings of this team are Alphonso Williams, Alan Stewart, Kelvin Smith and John Hadley. FSU fans don't sit and watch while this special team is on the field—it's one of the most important weapons in the FSU arsenal.



Going after the punter is second nature at Florida State: Alphonso Williams (26) is one of the stars of that special team



# 1988 DEPTH CHART

## OFFENSE

SE	# 8 Terry Anthony (6-0, 198, Jr)	#88 Bruce LaSane (6-4, 210, Jr)	# 1 Scott DiMare (6-0, 180, Jr)
ST	#69 Joey Ionata (6-3, 262, Sr)	#73 Reggie Dixon (6-2, 263, Fr)	
SG	#50 John Brown (6-4, 279, Jr)	#60 Mike Morris (6-2, 261, Fr)	#56 Ron Byrom (6-4, 243, So)
C	#62 Jason Kuipers (6-3, 260, Sr)	#55 Scott Nicolas (6-3, 229, So)	#61 Jim Bekas (6-4, 279, Fr)
TG	#70 Tony Yeomans (6-2, 245, Jr)	#65 Hayward Haynes (6-3, 278, So)	
TT	#72 Pat Tomberlin (6-4, 303, Sr)	#77 Eric Luallen (6-4, 271, So)	#66 Scott Schilbrack (6-8, 285, So)
TE	#92 Tom O'Malley (6-3, 245, Sr)	#45 Reggie Johnson (6-2, 247, So)	#83 David Roberts (6-4, 240, So)
QB	# 5 Chip Ferguson (6-1, 194, Sr)	# 4 Peter Tom Willis (6-3, 207, Jr)	#11 Casey Weldon (6-1, 192, Fr)
			#14 Brad Johnson (6-5, 205, Fr)
TB	#33 Sammie Smith (6-2, 220, Jr)	#13 Dexter Carter (5-9, 174, Jr)	#27 Victor Floyd (6-1, 205, Jr)
FB	#22 Edgar Bennett (6-1, 210, So)	#49 Dayne Williams (6-1, 222, Sr)	#31 Marion Butts (6-1, 248, Jr)
FL	# 7 Ronald Lewis (6-0, 179, Jr)	#29 Lawrence Dawsey (6-0, 195, So)	#87 Felton Cook (6-1, 180, So)

## DEFENSE

OLB	#93 Shelton Thompson (6-3, 248, Jr)	#99 Anthony Moss (6-4, 238, So)	#81 Phil Carollo (6-2, 232, Sr)
LT	#78 Eric Hayes (6-3, 279, Jr)	#57 Corey Senior (6-3, 265, Fr)	#75 Joe Ostaszewski (6-3, 262, Fr)
NG	#53 Odell Haggins (6-2, 252, Jr)	#64 Magdi El Shahawy (6-1, 249, So)	#48 Frank Romeo (6-2, 250, Fr)
RT	#76 Steve Gabbard (6-4, 269, Sr)	#74 Henry Ostaszewski (6-3, 255, Fr)	#79 Gene Houpe (6-3, 260, Fr)
OLB	#47 Kevin Grant OR (6-3, 217, Jr)	#21 John Hadley (6-4, 230, Sr)	#89 Howard Dinkins (6-1, 208, Fr)
SLB	#59 Keith Carter (6-3, 236, Jr)	#46 Felton Hayes (6-0, 240, Sr)	#54 Phillip Ferrell (6-3, 227, Fr)
WLB	#36 Kelvin Smith (6-0, 230, So)	#42 John Merna (5-9, 211, Sr)	
LCB	# 2 Deion Sanders (6-0, 195, Sr)	#12 Ray Gibson (6-2, 190, So)	#43 Alan Stewart (5-11, 184, Jr)
SS	#37 Stan Shiver (6-2, 209, Sr)	#26 Alphonso Williams (6-0, 205, Sr)	#44 John Wyche (6-2, 207, So)
FS	#28 Dedrick Dodge (6-2, 179, Jr)	# 6 LeRoy Butler (6-0, 193, Jr)	#15 Bill Ragans (6-2, 200, So)
RCB	#10 Corian Freeman (6-4, 221, So)	#16 Tracy Sanders (6-0, 176, Sr)	

## LETTERMEN RETURNING (43)

**OFFENSE (20):** Terry Anthony (WR/Jr), Edgar Bennett (FB/So), John Brown (OG/Jr), Marion Butts (FB/Jr), Dexter Carter (TB/Jr), Lawrence Dawsey (WR/So), Chip Ferguson (QB/Sr), Victor Floyd (TB/Sr), Joey Ionata (OT/Sr), Reggie Johnson (TE/So), Jason Kuipers (C/Sr), Bruce LaSane (WR/Jr), Ronald Lewis (WR/Jr), Tom O'Malley (TE/Sr), Dave Roberts (TE/So), Keith Ross (TB/Sr), Sammie Smith (TB/Jr), Pat Tomberlin (OT/Sr), Dayne Williams (FB/Sr), Tony Yeomans (OG/Jr)

**DEFENSE (22):** LeRoy Butler (FS/Jr), Phil Carollo (OLB/Sr), Keith Carter (ILB/Jr), Dedrick Dodge (FS/Jr), Magdi El Shahawy (NG/So), Corian Freeman (CB/So), Steve Gabbard (DT/Sr), Kevin Grant (OLB/Jr), John Hadley (OLB/Sr), Odell Haggins (NG/Jr), Eric Hayes (DT/Jr), Felton Hayes (ILB/Sr), Anthony Moss (OLB/So), Bill Ragans (SS/So), Deion Sanders (CB/Sr), Tracy Sanders (CB/Sr), Stan Shiver (SS/Sr), Kelvin Smith (ILB/So), Alan Stewart (CB/Jr), Shelton Thompson (OLB/Jr), Alphonso Williams (SS/Sr), John Wyche (SS/So)

**KICKING GAME (1):** Richie Andrews (KS/So)

## LETTERMEN LOST (16)

**OFFENSE (5):** Pat Carter (TE), Herb Gainer (WR), Danny McManus (QB), Mark Salva (C), Randy White (WR)

**DEFENSE (8):** Thomas Harp (DT), Martin Mayhew (CB), Paul McGowan (ILB), Greg Newell (FS), David Palmer (ILB), Bart Schuchts (DT), Terry Warren (OLB), Eric Williams (CB)

**SPECIALISTS (3):** Marty Riggs (SN), Derek Schmidt (KS), Rick Tuten (P)

## STARTERS RETURNING (13)

**OFFENSE (7):** Joey Ionata (ST), John Brown/Tony Yeomans (SG), Jason Kuipers (TG), Pat Tomberlin (TT), Sammie Smith (TB), Dayne Williams (FB), Ronald Lewis (FL)

**DEFENSE (6):** Shelton Thompson (OLB), Eric Hayes (LT), Odell Haggins (NG), Steve Gabbard (RT), Deion Sanders (LCB), Stan Shiver (SS)


## STARTERS LOST (9)

**OFFENSE (4):** Herb Gainer (SE), Mark Salva (C), Danny McManus (QB), Pat Carter (TE)


**DEFENSE (5):** Terry Warren (OLB), David Palmer (ILB), Paul McGowan (ILB), Greg Newell (FS), Martin Mayhew/Eric Williams (RCB)

# OFFENSE DEPTH CHART


## SPLIT GUARD

	#50 John Brown (6-4, 279, Jr)
#60 Mike Morris (6-2, 261, Fr)	#56 Ron Byrom (6-4, 243, So)

## CENTER

	#62 Jason Kuipers (6-3, 260, Sr)
#55 Scott Nicolas (6-3, 229, So)	#61 Jim Bekas (6-4, 279, Fr)


## TIGHT GUARD

	#70 Tony Yeomans (6-2, 245, Jr)
#65 Hayward Haynes (6-3, 278, So)	


## SPLIT TACKLE

	#69 Joey Ionata (6-3, 262, Sr)
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## TIGHT END

	#92 Tom O'Malley (6-3, 245, Sr)
#45 Reggie Johnson (6-2, 247, So)	#83 David Roberts (6-4, 240, So)


## TIGHT TACKLE

	#72 Pat Tomberlin (6-4, 303, Sr)
#77 Eric Luallen (6-4, 271, So)	#66 Scott Schilbrack (6-8, 285, So)


## TAILBACK

	#33 Sammie Smith (6-2, 220, Jr)
#13 Dexter Carter (5-9, 174, Jr)	#27 Victor Floyd (6-1, 205, Sr)

## QUARTERBACK

	#5 Chip Ferguson (6-1, 194, Sr)
#4 Peter Tom Willis (6-3, 207, Jr)	#11 Casey Weldon (6-1, 192, Fr) #14 Brad Johnson (6-5, 205, Fr)


## FULLBACK

	#22 Edgar Bennett (6-1, 210, So)
#49 Dayne Williams (6-1, 222, Sr)	#31 Marion Butts (6-1, 248, Jr)

## SPLIT END


	#8 Terry Anthony (6-0, 198, Jr)
#88 Bruce LaSane (6-4, 210, Jr)	#1 Scott DiMare (6-0, 180, Jr)

## FLANKER

	#7 Ronald Lewis (6-0, 179, Jr)
#29 Lawrence Dawsey (6-0, 195, So)	#87 Felton Cook (6-1, 180, So)

# DEFENSE DEPTH CHART


## LEFT TACKLE

	#78 Eric Hayes (6-3, 279, Jr)
#57 Corey Senior (6-3, 265, Fr)	#75 Joe Ostaszewski (6-3, 262, Fr)

## NOSEGUARD

	#53 Odell Haggins (6-2, 252, Jr)
#64 Magdi El Shahawy (6-1, 249, So)	#48 Frank Romeo (6-2, 250, Fr)


## RIGHT TACKLE

	#76 Steve Gabbard (6-4, 269, Sr)
#74 Henry Ostaszewski (6-3, 255, Fr)	#79 Gene Houpe (6-3, 260, Fr)

## OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

	#93 Shelton Thompson (6-3, 248, Jr)
#99 Anthony Moss (6-4, 238, So)	#81 Phil Carollo (6-2, 232, Sr)


## INSIDE LINEBACKER

	#59 Keith Carter (6-3, 236, Jr)
#46 Fellton Hayes (6-0, 240, Sr)	#54 Phillip Ferrell (6-3, 227, Fr)


## OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

	#47 Kevin Grant (6-3, 217, Jr)
#21 John Hadley (6-4, 230, Sr)	#89 Howard Dinkins (6-1, 208, Fr)


## LEFT CORNERBACK

	#2 Deion Sanders (6-0, 195, Sr)
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## INSIDE LINEBACKER

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#42 John Merna (5-9, 211, Sr)	


## RIGHT CORNERBACK

	#10 Corian Freeman (6-4, 221, So)
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## FREE SAFETY

	#28 Dedrick Dodge (6-2, 179, Jr)
#6 LeRoy Butler (6-0, 193, Jr)	#15 Bill Ragans (6-2, 200, So)

## STRONG SAFETY

	#37 Stan Shiver (6-2, 209, Sr)
#26 Alphonso Williams (6-0, 205, Sr)	#44 John Wyche (6-2, 207, So)

## WHERE THE SEMINOLES CALL HOME

### ALABAMA

Dothan — Lawrence Dawsey  
Ray Gibson  
Elba — Troy Sanders  
Morris — Peter Tom Willis  
Pell City — Phillip Ferrell  
Summerdale — David Stallworth

### CONNECTICUT

Darien — Tom O' Malley

### FLORIDA

Bartow — Odell Haggins  
Hayward Haynes  
Boynton Beach — Henry Ostaszewski  
Joe Ostaszewski  
Bradenton — Tracy Sanders  
Brandon — Felton Hayes  
Kevin Mancini  
Brooksville — Alan Stewart  
Casselberry — John Fiath  
Clearwater — Chris Nicolas  
Clewiston — Reggie Freeman  
Dade City — Johnny Clower  
Daytona Beach — Terry Anthony  
DeLand — John Brown  
DeSoto — Tommy Henry  
Dunedin — Joe Ionata  
Ft. Lauderdale — Richie Andrews  
Ft. Myers — Robbie Baker  
James Chaney  
Leon Fowler  
Deion Sanders  
Iverson — Tim Corlew  
Jacksonville — Edgar Bennett  
LeRoy Butler  
Howard Dinkins  
Reggie Dixon  
Corian Freeman  
Ronald Lewis  
Chris Parker  
Corey Senior  
Kelvin Smith  
Lakeland — Shelton Thompson  
Lake Placid — Felix Harris  
Lauderhill — Scott Schilbrack  
Leesburg — Dayne Williams  
Live Oak — Bill Ragans  
Lloyd — Alphonso Williams  
Melbourne — Ed Clark, Jr.  
Nick Economu  
Moore Haven — Lavon Brown  
Miami — Keith Carter  
Scott DiMare  
John Eaford  
Paul Moore  
Mike Morris  
Anthony Moss  
Middleburg — Pat Tomberlin  
Mulberry — Dedrick Dodge  
Naples — Brad Lundstrom  
Newberry — Keith Ross  
Ocala — Kevin Grant

Orange Park — Jason Dillaberry  
Orlando — John Hadley  
Pensacola — Victor Floyd  
Reggie Johnson  
Robert Stevenson  
Pierson — Ron Byrom  
Port Charlotte — Jason Crain  
Sarasota — Magdi El Shahawy  
Seminole — Jim Bekas  
Tallahassee — Bill Mason  
Casey Weldon  
Tampa — Eric Hayes  
Eric Lullien  
Pete Prinzi  
John Wimberly  
Wachula — Frank Romeo  
Wildwood — Bruce LaSane  
Winter Garden — Deondri Clark  
Winter Haven — Jason Kuipers  
Zellwood — Sammie Smith

### GEORGIA

Atlanta — Felton Cook  
Eric Gibbs  
Baxley — Dexter Carter  
Carl Simpson  
Griffin — Dave Roberts  
Jessup — Tony Yeomans  
Sylvester — Marion Butts  
Thomasville — Tyrone Barber  
Charlie Ward  
John Wyche  
Titon — Bryce Abbott  
Stan Shiver

### MARYLAND

Lanham — John Merna  
Millersville — Brady Jones

### MICHIGAN

East Lansing — Kirk Carruthers

### NEW YORK

Melville — Phil Carollo

### NORTH CAROLINA

Black Mountain — Brad Johnson  
Charlotte — Chip Ferguson  
Concord — Steve Gabbard  
Statesville — Gene Houpe

### PENNSYLVANIA

Norristown — Greg Rinehart  
Philadelphia — Oliver Strickland

### SOUTH CAROLINA

Waterboro — Eric McGill

## PRONUNCIATION KEY

Jim Bekas ..... beak-us  
Phil Carollo ..... ka-raw-low  
Lawrence Dawsey ..... daw-see  
Scott DiMare ..... da-marr-ee  
John Eaford ..... E-ford  
Nick Economu ..... econo-moo  
Magdi El Shahawy ..... mag-dee L sha-hawee  
Joey Ionata ..... eye-a-not-a  
Jason Kuipers ..... Kye-purrs  
Gene Houpe ..... howp  
Joe/ Henry Ostaszewski ..... os-ta-zoo-ski  
Bill Ragans ..... ray-guns  
Deion Sanders ..... dee-on  
Scott Schilbrack ..... shill-brock  
John Wyche ..... Y-ch



## SEMINOLES TO RETIRE RON SIMMONS' NUMBER

Florida State has retired two numbers in its 41-year history of football and will retire a third this fall. RON SIMMONS' #50 will join FRED BILETNIKOFF's #25 and RON SELLERS' #34 as numbers that will never be worn again. Current Seminole offensive guard John Brown, a junior, will be the last player to wear Simmons' jersey number.

Simmons was the first big-name player recruited to Florida State by Bobby Bowden when he arrived in 1977. He made the biggest impact that any freshman at Florida State has ever made -- 12 sacks and 13 tackles for loss were among his tackle stats in his initial year. Against North Texas State, Simmons had 19 tackles, including five sacks. *Football News* tabbed him its Freshman Defensive Lineman of the Year. By his junior and senior years in 1979 and 1980, he was a consensus All-American and it is not a coincidental fact that the Seminoles played in their first two New Year's Day games -- both Orange Bowls -- in those seasons. In 1979, playing with a wrist injury, he had 81 total hits; six were quarterback sacks and 17 were tackles for loss. As a senior playing with an ankle injury, he led the FSU defense to its highest ranking ever. A look at Simmons' career marks will bear out his greatness -- he still holds the FSU record for tackles for loss (44) and quarterback sacks (25) in a career. His 483 tackles are second on the all-time Seminole list. Simmons never lost to the University of Florida and he is a member of FSU's Hall of Fame.

# 1988 FLORIDA STATE SEMINOLES

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Class- Wgt.	Letters	DOB	Hometown	High School	High School Coach
1	Scott DMare	WR	6-0	180	Jr./R**	1-14-67	Miami, Fla.	Columbus	Davis LaVelle
2	Deion Sanders	CB	6-0	195	Sr.***	8-9-67	Ft. Myers, Fla.	North Ft. Myers	Ron Hoover
3	Leon Fowler	DB	6-2	190	Fr.	5-16-70	Ft. Myers, Fla.	Ft. Myers	Sam Sirianni
4	Peter Tom Willis	QB	6-3	207	Jr./R*	1-4-67	Morris, Ala.	Morlimer Jordan	Steve Mosley
5	Chip Ferguson	QB	6-1	194	Sr.***	3-16-67	Charlotte, N.C.	Spartanburg (S.C.)	Allen Sitterle
5	Pete Prinzi	DB	6-0	185	Fr.	1-15-70	Tampa, Fla.	Plant	Roland Acosta
6	Carl Simpson	TE	6-3	230	Fr.	4-18-70	Baxley, Ga.	Appling County	John Stephens
6	LeRoy Butler	FS	6-0	193	Jr.**	7-19-68	Jacksonville, Fla.	Lee	Corky Rodgers
7	Ronald Lewis	WR	6-0	179	Jr.**	3-25-68	Jacksonville, Fla.	Raines	Freddie Stephens
8	Terry Anthony	WR	6-0	198	Jr.**	3-09-68	Daytona Beach, Fla.	Mainland	Ted Laasor
9	Richie Andrews	KS	5-11	163	So.*	3-11-69	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.	St. Aguias	George Smith
10	Corian Freeman	QB	6-4	221	So./R*	8-16-68	Jacksonville, Fla.	Terry Parker	Jim Scroggins
11	Casey Weldon	QB	6-1	192	Fr./R	2-3-69	Tallahassee, Fla.	No. Ft. Christian	Howard Cone
12	Bill Mason	KS	5-11	155	So.	7-3-67	Tallahassee, Fla.	Lincoln	Steve Hardin
12	Ray Gibson	CB	6-2	190	So./R	12-02-67	Dothan, Ala.	Dothan	Jim Golden
13	Dexter Carter	TB	5-9	174	Jr.*	9-15-67	Baxley, Ga.	Appling County	John Stephens
14	Brad Johnson	QB	6-6	205	Fr./R	9-13-68	Black Mountain, N.C.	Owen	Ken Ford
15	Bill Ragans	SS/FS	6-2	200	So./R*	12-31-68	Live Oak, Fla.	Suwannee County	Mike Pittman
16	Tracy Sanders	CB	6-0	176	Sr./R***	5-16-66	Bradenton, Fla.	Manatee	Joe Kinnan
17	Charlie Ward	QB	6-1	175	Fr.	10-12-70	Thomasville, Ga.	Central	Charlie Greene
18	Lavon Brown	CB	5-11	190	Fr.	9-19-69	Moore Haven, Fla.	Moore Haven	Gordon Roberts
18	Tim Corlew	P	5-10	178	So.	3-23-66	Iverness, Fla.	Citrus	Ron Cline
19	John Wimberly	P	6-3	195	Fr.	12-20-69	Tampa, Fla.	King	Steve Vickers
20	Keith Ross	TB	5-10	188	Sr.***	1-7-64	Newberry, Fla.	Newberry	Terrell Bass
21	John Hadley	OLB	6-4	230	Sr./R***	10-27-66	Oriando, Fla.	Evans	Bill Gierke
22	Edgar Bennett	FB	6-1	210	So.*	2-15-69	Jacksonville, Fla.	Lee	Corky Rodgers
23	Brady Jones	TB	5-9	190	Jr.	8-27-68	Millersville, Md.	Old Mill	Pete Regala
23	Bryce Abbott	SS	6-1	195	Fr.	11-4-69	Tifton, Ga.	Tift County	Gene Brodie
24	Felix Harris	CB	6-1	175	Fr.	3-21-70	Lake Placid, Fla.	Lake Placid	Steve Haslings
26	Alphonso Williams	SS	6-0	205	Sr.***	4-29-67	Lloyd, Fla.	Jefferson County	May Bilinski
27	Victor Floyd	TB	6-1	205	Sr./R***	1-24-66	Pensacola, Fla.	Pensacola	Leo Canvalis
28	Dedrick Dodge	FS	6-2	179	Jr./R**	6-14-67	Mulberry Fla.	Mulberry	Stewart Guthrie
29	Lawrence Dawsey	WR	6-0	195	So./R*	11-16-67	Dothan, Ala.	Northview	Harry Parrish
30	Tommy Henry	CB	6-1	175	Fr.	11-4-69	DeSoto, Fla.	DeSoto County	Jim Scroggins
31	Manion Butts	FB	6-1	248	Jr.*	8-01-66	Sylvestor, Ga.	Worth County	Milt Miller
32	Paul Moore	FB	6-1	238	Fr./R**	7-9-68	Miami, Fla.	Killian	Clint Albury
33	Sammie Smith	TB	6-2	220	Jr./R**	5-16-67	Zellwood, Fla.	Apopka	Chip Gierke
35	Chris Parker	TB	6-2	205	Fr./R	5-21-69	Jacksonville, Fla.	Sandalwood	Bob Whitrow
36	Kelvin Smith	ILB	6-0	230	So.*	3-23-69	Jacksonville, Fla.	Ribault	Bernard Groggs
37	Stan Shiver	SS	6-2	209	Sr./R***	5-18-66	Tifton, Ga.	Tift County	Gene Brodie
38	Jason Crain	ILB	6-2	215	Fr.	8-31-70	Pi. Charlotte, Fla.	Charlotte	Jim Retosco
39	Ed Clark, Jr.	OLB	6-3	210	Fr.	1-29-70	Melbourne, Fla.	Melbourne	Joey Miles
40	David Stallworth	ILB	6-2	230	Fr.	11-20-69	Summerdale, Ala.	Robertsdale	Don Jennings
42	John Merna	ILB	5-9	211	Sr./R	5-30-66	Lanham, Md.	Eleanor Roosevelt	Ben Wright
43	Alan Stewart	CB	5-11	184	Jr./R*	4-25-67	Brooksville, Fla.	Hernando	George Hemond
44	John Wyche	SS	6-2	207	So./R*	4-10-68	Thomasville, Ga.	Central	Ken Manwaring
45	Kirk Caruthers	ILB	6-2	205	Fr.	7-15-70	E. Lansing, Mi.	E. Lansing	Jeff Smith
46	Felton Hayes	OLB	6-0	240	Sr./R***	5-7-66	Brandon, Fla.	Brandon	Larry Bass
47	Kevin Grant	OLB	6-3	217	Jr./R**	7-26-67	Ocala, Fla.	Forrest	Jim Simmons

Rank	Name	Position	Height	Weight	Year	Team	Coach	Notes
44	John Wycio	ILB	6-2	207	So./R*	Thomasville, Ga.	E. Lansing	
45	Kirk Carruthers	ILB	6-2	205	Fr.	Lansing, Mi.	Brandon	
46	Felton Hayes	OLB	6-3	240	Sr./R***	Ocala, Fla.	Forrest	
47	Kevin Grant	OLB	6-3	217	Jr./R**	Wachula, Fla.	Hardee County	
48	Frank Romeo	NG	6-2	250	Fr./R	Leesburg, Fla.	Leesburg	
49	Dayne Williams	FB	6-1	222	Sr./R**	DeLand, Fla.	DeLand	
50	John Brown	OG	6-4	279	Jr./R**	Fl. Myers, Fla.	Fl. Myers	
51	Robbie Baker	OL	6-5	235	Fr.	Miami, Fla.	Norland	
52	John Eaford	ILB	6-0	232	Sr./R**	Pensacola, Fla.	Escambia	
53	Robert Stevenson	OL	6-3	250	Fr.	Barrow, Fla.	Barrow	
54	Odell Haggins	NG	6-2	252	Jr./R**	Pell City, Ala.	Pell City	
55	Phillip Ferrell	ILB	6-3	227	Fr.	Clearwater, Fla.	Clearwater	
56	Chris Nicolas	C/SN	6-3	229	So./R	Pierson, Fla.	Taylor	
57	Ron Byrom	OG	6-4	243	So./R	Jacksonville, Fla.	Ribault	
58	Corey Senior	DT	6-3	265	Fr./R	Melbourne, Fla.	Melbourne	
59	Nick Ekonomu	C/OG	6-2	262	Jr.	Miami, Fla.	South Miami	
60	Keith Carter	ILB	6-3	236	Jr./R**	Miami, Fla.	Miami Beach	
61	Mike Morris	OG	6-2	261	Fr./R	Miami, Fla.	Northeast	
62	Jim Bekas	C	6-4	279	Fr./R	Seminole, Fla.	Winter Haven	
63	Jason Kuipers	C	6-3	260	Sr./R**	Orange Park, Fla.	Orange Park	
64	Jason Dillsberry	OL	6-5	275	Fr.	Sarasota, Fla.	Sarasota	
65	Magdi El Shahawy	NG	6-1	249	So./R*	Barrow, Fla.	Barrow	
66	Hayward Haynes	OG	6-3	278	So./R*	Lauderhill, Fla.	Boyd Anderson	
67	Scott Schilbrack	OT	6-8	285	So./R	Brandon, Fla.	Brandon	
68	Kevin Mancini	OL	6-4	255	Fr.	Elba, Ala.	Elba	
69	Troy Sanders	OL	6-2	270	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga.	The Lovett School	
70	Eric Gibbs	OL	6-6	310	Fr.	Dunedin, Fla.	Dunedin	
71	Joey Ionata	OT	6-3	262	Sr./R**	Jessup, Ga.	Wayne County	
72	Tony Yeomans	OG	6-2	245	Jr./R**	Thomasville, Ga.	Thomasville	
73	Tyrone Barber	OL	6-4	260	Fr.	Middleburg, Fla.	Middleburg	
74	Pat Tomberlin	OT	6-4	303	Sr.***	Jacksonville, Fla.	Ribault	
75	Reggie Dixon	OG	6-2	263	Fr./R	Boynton Beach, Fla.	Santaluces	
76	Henry Ostaszewski	DT	6-3	255	Fr./R	Boynton Beach, Fla.	Santaluces	
77	Joe Ostaszewski	DT	6-3	262	Fr./R	Concord, N.C.	Independence	
78	Steve Gabbard	DT	6-4	269	Sr./R***	Tampa, Fla.	Jesuit	
79	Eric Luallen	OT	6-4	271	So./R	Tampa, Fla.	King	
80	Eric Hayes	DT	6-3	279	Jr./R**	Statesville, N.C.	Statesville	
81	Gene Houpe	TE	6-3	260	Fr./R	Pensacola, Fla.	Escambia	
82	Reggie Johnson	TE	6-2	247	So./R*	Melville, N.Y.	Newfield	
83	Phil Carollo	OLB	6-2	232	Sr./R**	Griffin, Ga.	Griffin	
84	Dave Roberts	TE	6-4	240	So./R*	Naples, Fla.	Lely	
85	Brad Lundstrom	OLB	6-5	225	Fr.	Dade City, Fla.	Pasco Comprehensive	
86	Johnny Clower	TE	6-4	243	So.	Palmetto, Fla.	Palmetto	
87	Felton Cook	WR	6-1	180	So./R	Jacksonville, Fla.	Wildwood	
88	Bruce LaSane	WR	6-4	210	Jr.*	Walterboro, S.C.	John C. Calhoun Acad.	
89	Howard Dinkins	OLB	6-1	208	Fr./R	Winter Garden, Fla.	Darien	
90	Eric McGill	TE	6-6	235	Fr.	Darien, Ct.	Lake Gibson	
91	Deondri Clark	OLB	6-4	250	Fr.	Lakeland, Fla.	Lake Highland Prep	
92	Tom O'Malley	TE	6-3	245	Sr./R***	Casselberry, Fla.	Norrisdown	
93	Shelton Thompson	OLB	6-3	248	Jr./R**	Norrisdown, Pa.	N. F. Myers	
94	John Flath	DL	6-4	250	Fr.	Clewiston, Fla.	Clewiston	
95	Greg Finehart	DL	6-4	250	Fr.	Philadelphia, Pa.	West Philadelphia	
96	James Chaney	DL	6-0	250	Fr.	Miami, Fla.	Southridge	
97	Reggie Freeman	OLB	6-3	220	Fr.			
98	Oliver Strickland	DT	6-3	285	Fr.			
99	Anthony Moss	OLB	6-4	238	So./R*			

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## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Class-Letters	DOB	Hometown	High School	High School Coach
23	Bryce Abbott	SS	6-1	195	Fr.	11-4-69	Tifton, Ga.	Tift County	Gene Brodie
9	Richie Andrews	KS	5-11	163	So.*	3-11-69	Fl. Lauderdale, Fla.	St. Aguias	George Smith
8	Terry Anthony	WR	6-0	198	Jr.**	3-09-68	Daytona Beach, Fla.	Mainland	Ted Leasor
51	Robbie Baker	OL	6-5	235	Fr.	6-26-69	Fl. Myers, Fla.	Thomasville	Sam Sirianni
71	Tyrone Barber	OL	6-4	260	Fr.	5-9-70	Thomasville, Ga.	Northeast	Mike Hodges
61	Jim Bekas	C	6-4	279	Fr./R	6-20-69	Seminole, Fla.	Lee	Jerry Austin
22	Edgar Bennett	FB	6-1	210	So.*	2-15-69	Jacksonville, Fla.	Deland	Corky Rodgers
50	John Brown	OG	6-4	279	Jr/R**	11-12-66	Deland, Fla.	Moore Haven	David Hiss
18	Lavon Brown	CB	5-11	190	Fr.	9-19-69	Moore Haven, Fla.	Lee	Gordon Roberts
6	LeRoy Butler	FS	6-0	193	Jr.*	7-19-68	Jacksonville, Fla.	Worth County	Corky Rodgers
31	Marron Butts	FB	6-1	248	Jr.*	8-01-66	Sylvester, Ga.	Taylor	Milt Miller
56	Ron Byrom	OG	6-4	243	So./R	5-02-68	Pierson, Fla.	Newfield	Tom Morris
81	Phil Carollo	OLB	6-2	232	Sr./R**	5-17-66	Melville, N.Y.	Newfield	Dan Angello
45	Kirk Carnuthers	ILB	6-2	205	Fr.	7-15-70	E. Lansing, Mi.	Appling County	John Stephens
13	Dexter Carter	TB	5-9	174	Jr.*	9-15-67	Baxley, Ga.	South Meami	Sam Miller
59	Keith Carter	ILB	6-3	236	Jr/R**	4-10-66	Miami, Fla.	West Orange	Mark Hodge
96	James Chaney	DL	6-0	250	Fr.	11-6-70	N. Fl. Myers, Fla.	Melbourne	Joey Miles
91	Deondri Clark	OLB	6-4	250	Fr.	2-25-70	Winter Garden, Fla.	Pasco Comprehensive	Don Herndon
39	Ed Clark, Jr.	OLB	6-3	210	Fr.	1-29-70	Melbourne, Fla.	Citrus	Ron Cline
85	Johnny Clower	TE	6-4	243	So.	4-22-68	Dade City, Fla.	Palmetto	Thurston Taylor
18	Tim Corlew	P	5-10	178	So.	3-23-66	Iverness, Fla.	Charlotte	Jim Refresco
87	Felton Cook	WR	6-1	180	So./R	7-14-66	Palmetto, Ga.	Northview	Harry Parrish
38	Jason Crain	ILB	6-2	215	Fr.	8-31-70	Fl. Charlotte, Fla.	Orange Park	Sam Ward
29	Lawrence Dawsey	WR	6-0	195	So./R*	11-16-67	Orange Park, Fla.	Columbus	Davis LaVelle
63	Jason Dillaberry	OL	6-5	275	Fr.	8-8-70	Miami, Fla.	Ribault	Bernard Gregg
1	Scott DiMare	WR	6-0	180	Jr./R**	1-14-67	Jacksonville, Fla.	Ribault	Bernard Gregg
89	Howard Dinkins	OLB	6-1	208	Fr./R	4-26-69	Jacksonville, Fla.	Mulberry	Stewart Guthrie
73	Reggie Dixon	OG	6-2	263	Fr./R	9-6-69	Jacksonville, Fla.	Norland	William Humphrey
28	Dedrick Dodge	FS	6-2	179	Jr./R**	6-14-67	Mulberry, Fla.	Melbourne	Tom McIntyre
52	John Eaford	ILB	6-0	232	Sr./R**	2-4-66	Miami, Fla.	Sarasota	Tim Whitehurst
58	Nick Ekonomu	C/OG	6-2	262	Jr.	11-3-67	Melbourne, Fla.	Pell City	Lyle Darnell
64	Magdi El Shahawy	NG	6-1	249	So./R*	2-14-68	Sarasota, Fla.	Spartanburg (S.C.)	Allen Siterle
54	Phillip Ferrell	ILB	6-3	227	Fr.	12-29-68	Pell City, Ala.	Lake Highland Prep	Wade Rollinson
94	John Flath	QB	6-1	194	Sr.**	3-16-67	Charlotte, N.C.	Pensacola	Leo Carvalis
27	Victor Floyd	TB	6-4	205	Sr./R***	1-24-66	Casselberry, Fla.	Terry Parker	Sam Sirianni
3	Leon Fowler	DB	6-2	190	Fr.	5-16-70	Fl. Myers, Fla.	Clewiston	Jim Scroggins
10	Corian Freeman	CB	6-4	221	So./R*	8-16-68	Jacksonville, Fla.	The Lovett School	William Bailey
97	Reggie Freeman	OLB	6-3	220	Fr.	5-8-70	Clewiston, Fla.	Dothan	Jim Golden
76	Steve Gabbard	DT	6-4	269	Sr./R***	7-19-66	Concord, N.C.	Forrest	Jim Simmons
69	Eric Gibbs	OL	6-6	310	Fr.	1-6-70	Atlanta, Ga.	Evans	Bill Gierice
12	Ray Gibson	CB	6-2	190	So./R	12-02-67	Dothan, Ala.	Bartow	Paul Quinn
47	Kevin Grant	OLB	6-3	217	Jr./R**	7-26-67	Ocala, Fla.	Lake Placid	Steve Hastings
21	John Hadley	OLB	6-4	230	Sr./R***	10-27-66	Orlando, Fla.	King	Gerald Durnin
53	Odell Haggins	NG	6-2	252	Jr./R**	2-27-66	Bartow, Fla.		
24	Felix Harris	CB	6-1	175	Fr.	3-21-70	Lake Placid, Fla.		
78	Eric Hayes	DT	6-3	279	Jr./R**	11-12-67	Tampa, Fla.		

24	Felix Harris	CB	6-1	175	Fr.	3-21-70	Lake Placid, Fla.	Lake Placid	Steve Hastings
78	Eric Hayes	DT	6-3	279	Jr./R **	11-12-67	Tampa, Fla.	King	Gerald Durmin
46	Felton Hayes	ILB	6-0	240	Sr./R ***	5-7-66	Brandon, Fla.	Brandon	Larry Bass
65	Hayward Haynes	OG	6-3	278	So./R *	6-29-67	Bartow, Fla.	Bartow	Paul Quinn
30	Tommy Henry	CB	6-1	175	Fr.	11-4-69	DeSoto, Fla.	DeSoto County	Jim Scroggins
79	Gene Houpe	DT	6-3	260	Fr./R	1-30-68	Statesville, N.C.	Statesville	C.A. Frye
69	Joey Ionnata	OT	6-3	262	Sr./R **	12-4-65	Dunedin, Fla.	Dunedin	Greg Nichols
80	Brad Johnson	OT	6-6	205	Fr./R	9-13-68	Black Mountain, N.C.	Owen	Ken Ford
14	Reggie Johnson	TE	6-2	247	So./R *	1-27-68	Pensacola, Fla.	Escambia	Dwight Thomas
23	Brady Jones	TB	5-9	190	Jr.	8-27-68	Millersville, Md.	Old Mill	Pete Regala
62	Jason Kulpers	C	6-3	260	Sr./R **	2-26-66	Winter Haven, Fla.	Winter Haven	Wayne Chapman
88	Bruce LaSane	WR	6-4	210	Jr. *	3-24-67	Widwood, Fla.	Widwood	Denny Tomahni
7	Ronald Lewis	WR	6-0	179	Jr. **	3-25-68	Jacksonville, Fla.	Raines	Freddie Stephens
77	Eric Luallen	OT	6-4	271	So./R	7-23-68	Tampa, Fla.	Jesuit	Bill Minahan
84	Brad Lundstrom	OLB	6-5	225	Fr.	5-21-70	Naples, Fla.	Lely	Merv Ward
90	Eric McGill	TE	6-6	235	Fr.	10-6-70	Walterboro, S.C.	John C. Calhoun Acad.	Tony Orsini
67	Kevin Mancini	OL	6-4	255	Fr.	4-16-70	Brandon, Fla.	Brandon	Larry Bass
42	John Mierna	ILB	5-9	211	Sr./R	7-3-67	Tallahassee, Fla.	Lincoln	Steve Hardin
32	Paul Moore	FB	6-1	238	Fr./R	5-30-66	Lanham, Md.	Eleanor Roosevelt	Ben Wright
60	Mike Morris	OG	6-2	261	Fr./R	7-9-68	Miami, Fla.	Killian	Clint Albury
99	Anthony Moss	OLB	6-4	238	So./R *	10-12-67	Miami, Fla.	Miami Beach	Jim Kroll
55	Chris Nicolas	C/SN	6-3	229	So./R	5-12-68	Miami, Fla.	Southridge	Jerry Hugues
92	Tom O'Malley	TE	6-3	245	Sr./R ***	6-26-65	Darien, Ct.	Clearwater	Tom Bostic
74	Henry Ostaszewski	DT	6-3	255	Fr./R	5-17-69	Boynton Beach, Fla.	Santaluces	Joe Peccia
75	Joe Ostaszewski	DT	6-3	262	Fr./R	5-17-69	Boynton Beach, Fla.	Santaluces	Joe Peccia
35	Chris Parker	TB	6-2	205	Fr./R	5-21-69	Jacksonville, Fla.	Sandalwood	Bob Withrow
5	Pete Prinzl	DB	6-0	185	Fr.	1-15-70	Tampa, Fla.	Plant	Roland Acosta
15	Bill Ragans	SS/FS	6-2	200	So./R *	12-31-68	Live Oak, Fla.	Suwannee County	Mike Pittman
95	Greg Rinehart	DT/NG	6-4	290	So./R	5-19-68	Norristown, Pa.	Norristown	Roger Grove
83	Dave Roberts	TE	6-4	240	So./R *	1-26-68	Griffin, Ga.	Griffin	Lloyd Bohannon
48	Frank Romeo	NG	6-2	250	Fr./R	11-8-86	Wachula, Fla.	Hardee County	Bob Marlin
20	Keith Ross	TB	5-10	188	Sr. ***	1-7-64	Newberry, Fla.	Newberry	Terrell Bass
2	Deion Sanders	CB	6-0	195	Sr. ***	8-9-67	Newberry, Fla.	Fl. Myers	Ron Hoover
16	Tracy Sanders	CB	6-0	176	Sr./R ***	5-16-66	Bradenton, Fla.	Manatee	Joe Kinnan
68	Troy Sanders	OL	6-2	270	Fr.	1-25-70	Etba, Ala.	Etba	Mack Wood
66	Scott Schilbrack	OT	6-8	285	So./R	3-27-68	Lauderhill, Fla.	Boyd Anderson	Robert Walker
57	Corey Senior	DT	6-3	265	Fr./R	8-15-69	Jacksonville, Fla.	Ribault	Bernard Greggs
37	Stan Shiver	SS	6-2	209	Sr./R ***	5-18-66	Tifton, Ga.	Tift County	Gene Brodie
52	Robert Stevenson	OL	6-3	250	Fr.	12-20-69	Pensacola, Fla.	Escambia	Dwight Thomas
6	Carl Simpson	TE	6-3	230	Fr.	4-18-70	Baxley, Ga.	Appling County	John Stephens
36	Kevin Smith	ILB	6-0	230	So. *	3-23-69	Jacksonville, Fla.	Ribault	Bernard Greggs
33	Sammie Smith	TB	6-2	220	Jr./R **	5-16-67	Zellwood, Fla.	Apopka	Chip Gierke
40	David Stallworth	ILB	6-2	230	Fr.	11-20-69	Summerville, Ala.	Robertdale	Don Jennings
43	Alan Stewart	CB	5-11	184	Jr./R *	4-25-67	Brooksville, Fla.	Herrando	George Hemond
98	Oliver Strickland	DT	6-3	285	Fr.	8-4-70	Philadelphia, Pa.	West Philadelphia	Bill Clausen
93	Sheldon Thompson	OLB	6-3	248	Jr./R **	1-9-67	Lakeland, Fla.	Lake Gibson	Tom Atwell
72	Pat Tomberlin	OT	6-4	303	Sr. ***	1-29-66	Middleburg, Fla.	Middleburg	David Wilson
17	Charlie Ward	QB	6-1	175	Fr.	10-12-70	Thomasville, Ga.	Central	Charlie Greene
11	Casey Waldon	QB	6-1	192	Fr./R	2-3-69	Tallahassee, Fla.	No. Fl. Christian	Howard Cone
25	Alphonso Williams	SS	6-0	205	Sr. ***	4-29-67	Lloyd, Fla.	Jefferson County	May Blirnski
49	Dayne Williams	FB	6-1	222	Sr./R **	5-10-66	Leesburg, Fla.	Leesburg	Gene Foster
4	Peter Tom Willis	QB	6-3	207	Jr./R *	1-4-67	Morris, Ala.	Mortimer Jordan	Steve Mosley
19	John Wimberly	P	6-3	195	Fr.	12-20-69	Tampa, Fla.	King	Steve Vickers
44	John Wyche	SS	6-2	207	So./R *	4-10-68	Thomasville, Ga.	Central	Ken Manwaring
70	Tony Yeomans	OG	6-2	245	Jr./R **	3-26-67	Jessup, Ga.	Wayne County	Buddy Bennett

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