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#55 BRIAN ALLEN

Linebacker, 6-2, 225, Senior
Lake City, FL (Columbia)



At Florida State: One of the leaders of the Seminole defense who should contend for post-season honors in 2000... started every game in Florida State's 12-0 national championship season last year...ranked second on the team with 101 total tackles to earn second team All-Atlantic Coast Conference honors...excellent against the run and also has the speed to cover backs out of the backfield...versatile

athlete who can play any of the linebacker spots and split starting duties in the middle as a sophomore...team leader on and off the field...coaches compare his ability to that of former FSU star and current NFL All-Pro Derrick Brooks of the Tampa Bay Buccaneers...one of eight Seminoles who benched over 500 pounds last spring...named most dependable linebacker by the coaching staff after spring drills.

Junior Year (1999): Emerged as one of the top linebackers in the ACC and nationally with an excellent season...ranked second on the team to Tommy Polley with 101 total tackles...48 stops were unassisted...was named second team All-ACC...had at least 10 tackles in six games...also made eight tackles for loss and broke up two passes...second on the team with five quarterback sacks...had an interception that led to a score and three tackles for loss in the win over Duke...registered sacks against Georgia Tech, North Carolina, Wake Forest, Clemson and Virginia...had a season-high 14 tackles in Florida State's win over Florida...earned ACC Linebacker/Defensive Back of the Week honor after making 10 tackles and a sack in Bobby Bowden's 300th career win at Clemson...other double figure tackles games came against Georgia Tech (11), North Carolina (12), Miami (10) and Maryland (11).

Sophomore Year (1998): Finished sixth on the team with 57 tackles (31 solo)...totaled a career-high nine tackles at Georgia Tech...registered eight stops versus Miami...recorded sacks against Miami (2) and Florida...had six tackles for loss on the season...batted down passes against Miami, Clemson, Georgia Tech and Florida (2)...recovered fumbles against Southern California and Clemson...blocked a punt against Virginia...had six tackles for loss on the season...credited with six intimidations and two pressures...named the Tomahawk Player of the Game by the coaching staff following FSU's 23-12 victory over Florida...played a key role in that game as he was the lone linebacker on the field in many situations...earned Victor's Club honors against USC, Maryland,

Clemson, Georgia Tech, UNC, Wake Forest and Florida.

Freshman Year (1997): Finished fifth among FSU linebackers with 26 total tackles (10 solo) while playing in all 12 games...backed up Lamont Green and Deon Humphrey at strong-side linebacker...recorded five tackles, including one for loss, in victory over Maryland...tallied a season-high seven stops against Duke...set up a Sebastian Janikowski field goal with a blocked punt against then-No. 5 North Carolina.

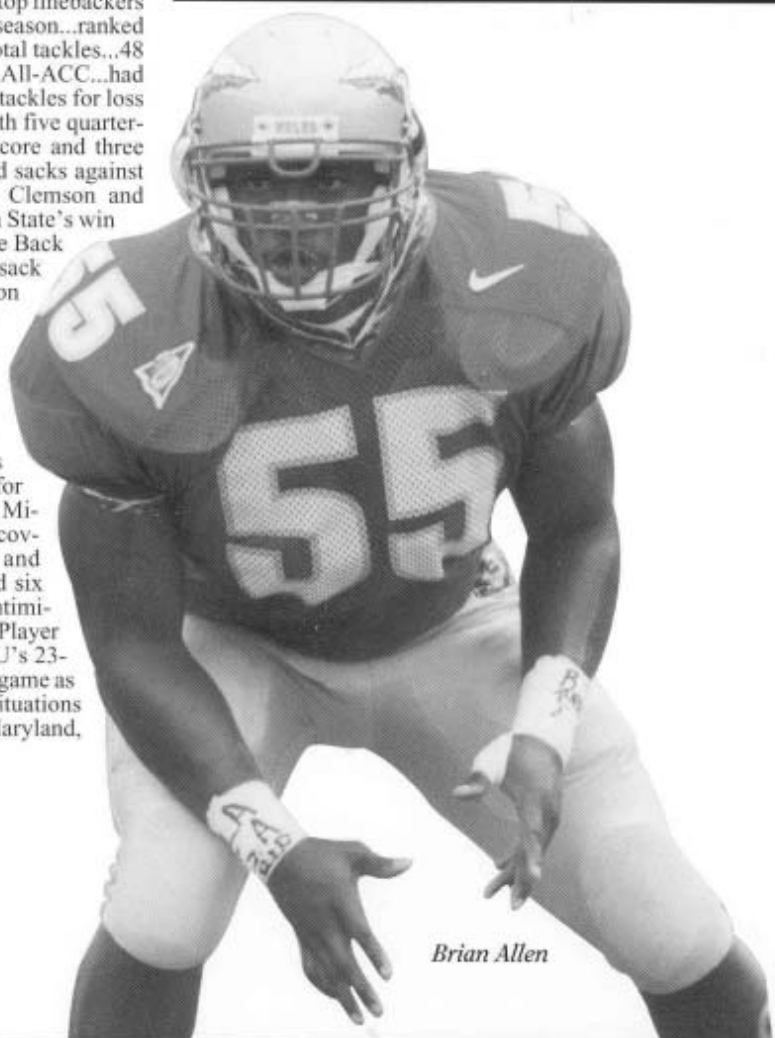
1996: Redshirted.

High School: Recorded 159 tackles and 5.5 sacks as a senior at Columbia...also picked off four passes and returned three for scores...named third-team all-state Class 6A...an honor student as a senior...selected FSU over South Carolina, Clemson, Florida and Virginia Tech.

Personal: First cousin of former All-American FSU defensive end Reinard Wilson, who currently plays for the Cincinnati Bengals...born April 1, 1978...a sociology major.

ALLEN'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1997	10	16	26	1	0	0	0	0	0
1998	31	26	57	6	3	5	0	2	2
1999	48	53	101	8	5	2	1	0	1
TOTAL	89	95	184	15	8	7	1	2	3



Brian Allen

#64 JUSTIN AMMAN

Offensive Guard, 6-4, 305, Senior
Eustis, FL (Eustis)



At Florida State: Enters his senior year as the returning starter at split guard after starting all 12 games in 1999...tied with Montrae Holland as the strongest players on the FSU team with a 515 lb. bench press...spent first two seasons at FSU as a reserve along the offensive front ...named the Most Dependable Offensive Lineman during the spring drills.

Junior Year (1999): Won starting honors at split guard in preseason drills and went on to start all 12 games at the position...improved every week and had a very solid first year as a starter...very strong with good football instincts ...played exceptionally well over last four games of the year, including the national championship game against Virginia Tech.

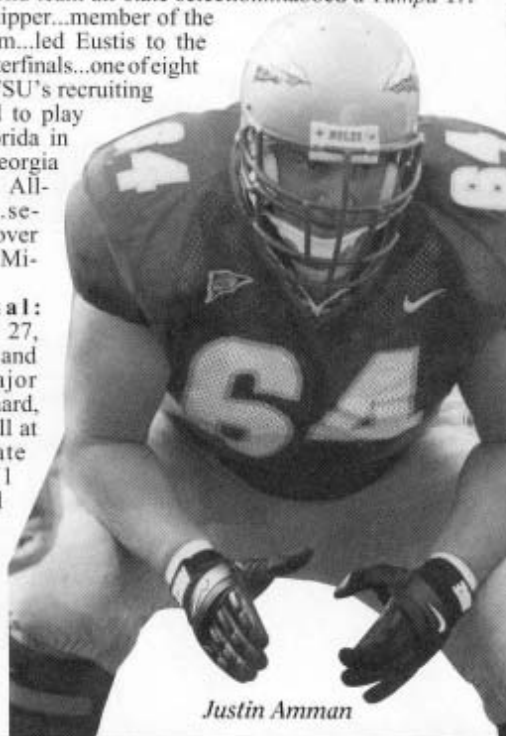
Sophomore Year (1998): Saw action in 11 games as a backup to Jason Whitaker at split guard...one of two offensive linemen who did not give up a sack all season...saw the majority of his action on special teams with the field goal units...saw significant playing time and improved steadily over the course of the year.

Freshman Year (1997): Served as a backup to Donald Heaven at tight guard...appeared in every game during the season...saw the majority of his action on special teams but also received scrimmage snaps in five contests...gained valuable game experience against Maryland, Miami, Duke, Georgia Tech and Wake Forest.

1996: Redshirted.

High School: Named to the Florida Super Seniors team...a Class 4A second team all-state selection...tabbed a *Tampa Tribune* Blue Chipper...member of the Super 24 team...led Eustis to the Class 4A quarterfinals...one of eight members of FSU's recruiting class selected to play for Team Florida in the Florida-Georgia High School All-Star game...selected FSU over Florida and Miami.

Personal: Born August 27, 1978...a food and nutrition major ...father, Richard, played football at Florida State from 1969-71 and played two seasons with the Baltimore Colts.



Justin Amman

#67 JOSH BAGGS

Center, 6-1, 305, Junior
Camilla, GA (Mitchell-Baker)



At Florida State: Begins his junior season as the third team center for the Seminoles...sat out the 1998 season after transferring from Division I-AA power Georgia Southern...originally played guard but moved to center during the spring of 1999...bench pressed 415 in the spring testing, highest among walk-ons...received the Top Non-Scholarship Player award during spring drills.

Sophomore Year (1999): Gained valuable experience as backup to Eric Thomas and Jarad Moon...saw limited action mostly on FSU special teams.

1998: Sat out the season as a redshirt after transferring from Georgia Southern.

High School: Three-year starter and four-year member of the varsity team while at Mitchell-Baker High School...was a three-time first team All-Southwest Georgia selection...earned first team all-region and all-state honors as a senior...helped his team to the state playoffs all four years and was a member of the state championship team as a freshman...started at center and guard on offense and tackle on defense...selected to play in the Florida-Georgia All-Star game but a sprained ankle kept him from participating...did play in the Georgia North-South All-Star game...signed with Georgia Southern as a senior, selecting the Eagles over Furman...also a member of the baseball, golf and track and field teams in high school.

Personal: Majoring in business administration...born November 29, 1978.

Seminole Sideline

Walk-Ons Rewarded



Two of Florida State's defensive stars in 1997 came to the program as walk-ons. Defensive end Andre Wadsworth left FSU as a consensus All-American and the third pick in the 1998 NFL Draft while rover Shevin Smith was a sixth round selection by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers that year. Both came to FSU in the fall of 1993 overlooked by other schools, but recruited to walk-on at Florida State. Six current scholarship Seminoles - Atrews Bell, Jean Jeune, Chad Maeder, Lemar Parrish, Ryan Sprague (left), and Randy Wilkins - came to FSU as walk-ons.

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#26 ATREWS BELL

Flanker, 5-11, 201, Junior
Jacksonville, FL (Lee)



At Florida State: In the hunt to move into one of the starting wide receiver spots vacated by Ron Dugans and Peter Warrick...listed first team at flanker with Marvin Minnis following spring drills... named the most improved wide receiver of the spring...recruited as a walk-on in 1997 and earned a scholarship one week into practice.

Sophomore Year (1999): Finished fifth on the team with 202 yards and sixth with 14 receptions...averaged 14.4 yards per catch...ranked second behind only Peter Warrick with four touchdown receptions...recorded his first career TD in 42-10 at North Carolina, a 35-yarder from Chris Weinke just before halftime...pulled down scoring catches of 12 and nine yards in FSU's 33-10 homecoming win over Wake Forest...career-long reception was a 30-yard touchdown from Weinke in the home finale versus Maryland.

Freshman Year (1998): Reserve at flanker who appeared in eight games...backed-up All-American Peter Warrick...caught two passes for 18 yards on the year...first catch of his career was a 10-yarder from Chris Weinke in the Seminoles' 26-14 win at Miami...also had an eight-yard reception in the win over North Carolina.

1997: Originally came to the program as a walk-on but was awarded a scholarship one week into fall practice...sat out the season as a redshirt.

High School: One of the state's top all-around players at Lee High School...played quarterback his final three seasons and passed for more than 3,100 yards...also rushed for over 2,000 yards during his career...led his team to the state semifinals as both a junior and senior...earned All-First Coast honors at quarterback...selected to play for the North team in the Florida Shrine Bowl...chose to walk-on at FSU despite receiving scholarship offers from Indiana and Marshall.

Personal: Criminology major...born January 10, 1978...attended the same high school as former Seminoles and current NFL stars LeRoy Butler and Edgar Bennett.

BELL'S CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1998	2	18	9.0	0	10
1999	14	202	14.4	4	30
TOTAL	16	220	13.8	4	30

Atrews Bell

#97 TONY BENFORD

Defensive Tackle, 6-4, 270, Sophomore
Denver, CO (Jefferson)



At Florida State: Sophomore entering his third season at Florida State...will compete with Kevin Emanuel, Jeff Womble, and Randy Wilkins at defensive tackle...improved play earned him considerable playing time towards the end of last season and should see valuable time this fall.

Freshman Year (1999): Played in eight games...recorded sacks against Duke, North Carolina and Wake Forest...finished season with 12 total tackles, five solo tackles and four tackles for loss...had his best game against Duke by recording a season-high four tackles, a sack and a third-down stop.

1998: Redshirted along with most of the members of his recruiting class.

High School: Was a first team All-Colorado defensive line selection after recording 20.5 sacks as a senior at Jefferson High...played just two years of football there...registered 95 tackles as a senior and had 21.5 sacks during his junior season...earned honorable mention All-America status from both *SuperPrep* and *PrepStars*...also a member of the Jefferson basketball team...selected the Seminoles over Nebraska, Oklahoma State, Texas and North Carolina.

Personal: Born on the first day of the decade, January 1, 1980...birthday was also the same day that the Seminoles lost to Oklahoma in the Orange Bowl 24-7, FSU's only loss of the season...sociology major...first Seminole player to hail from Colorado since Scott Bentley, who hit the field goal that won the 1993 National Championship game.

BENFORD'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	TACKLES	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	INT
1999	5	7	12	4	3	0	0

Tony Benford

#4 ANQUAN BOLDIN

Wide Receiver, 6-2, 205, Sophomore
Pahokee, FL (Pahokee)



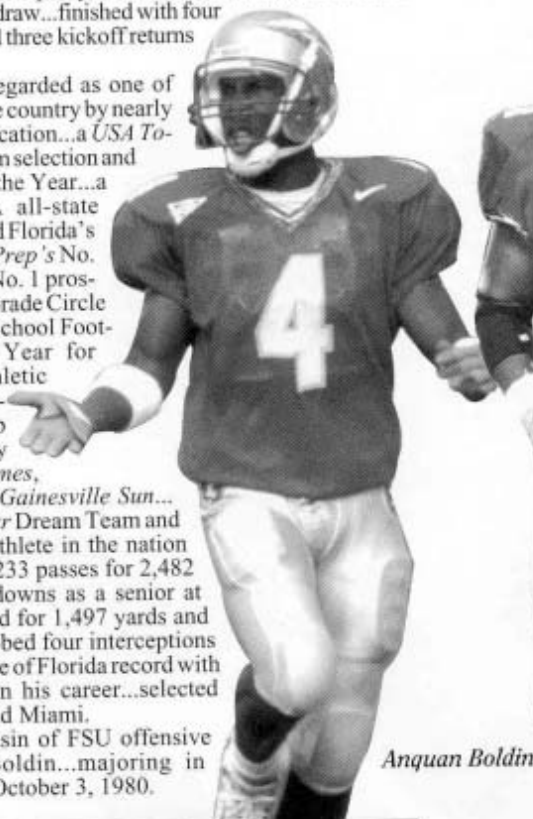
At Florida State: Outstanding athlete who originally signed with FSU as a quarterback, but asked to move to wide receiver a week into fall practice...has the potential to be among the best receivers to ever wear the garnet and gold...coaches named him the most dependable wide receiver following spring practice...enters fall drills as the co-starter at split end with Robert Morgan...clocked in at 4.45 in the

40-yard dash during spring testing.

Freshman Year (1999): One of three true freshman to see playing time along with Nick Maddox and Alonzo Jackson...played in 10 games and started against Wake Forest when FSU opened in a four-receiver set...made an immediate impact in his first college game, catching two touchdown passes...scored FSU's first touchdown of the season on a four-yard strike from Chris Weinke and later caught another for a 29-yard touchdown...finished the season with 12 catches for 115 yards and two touchdowns...also scored one rushing TD when he lined up at quarterback against Wake Forest and ran two yards on a QB draw...finished with four rushes for 33 yards and three kickoff returns for 55 yards.

High School: Regarded as one of the top prospects in the country by nearly every recruiting publication...a *USA Today* All-USA first-team selection and the Florida Player of the Year...a first-team Class 3A all-state player who was named Florida's Mr. Football...*SuperPrep's* No. 1 skilled athlete and No. 1 prospect nationally...Gatorade Circle of Champions High School Football Player of the Year for Florida (overall athletic and academic excellence)...rated the top player in the state by the *St. Petersburg Times*, *Tampa Tribune* and *Gainesville Sun*...named to the *PrepStar* Dream Team and listed as the No. 2 athlete in the nation...completed 133 of 233 passes for 2,482 yards and 36 touchdowns as a senior at Pahokee...also rushed for 1,497 yards and 20 touchdowns...nabbed four interceptions on defense...set a state of Florida record with 11,433 total yards in his career...selected FSU over Florida and Miami.

Personal: Cousin of FSU offensive lineman Ronald Boldin...majoring in criminology...born October 3, 1980.



Anquan Boldin

#51 RONALD BOLDIN

Offensive Guard, 6-5, 291, Junior
Pahokee, FL (Pahokee)



At Florida State: Will continue to push for playing time behind starter Justin Amman...athletic enough to play on several FSU special teams...has gradually worked his way in to more time on the field...provides needed depth for the Seminoles.

Sophomore Year (1999): Saw most of his playing time on Seminole special teams as a sophomore...was an option at both tackle positions...good athlete who lacks only experience to become a productive player.

Freshman Year (1998): Did not see any action during the season...slowed by his transition from the defensive line during preseason practice...did work with the Seminole scout units.

1997: Sat out the season in accordance with NCAA regulations.

High School: Rated among the top 20 offensive linemen in the Southeast by *PrepStar*...earned honorable mention *USA Today* All-USA status...led Pahokee to the state semifinals as a senior...a two-time Class 3A all-state second team selection...chose FSU over Ohio State, West Virginia, Auburn and Michigan State.

Personal: Cousin Anquan Boldin is a sophomore receiver with the Seminoles...majoring in criminology...born April 6, 1978.



Ronald Boldin

BOLDIN'S CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1999	12	115	9.6	2	29

1993 and 1999 National Champions

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#76 ROSS BRANNON

Offensive Tackle, 6-8, 310, Senior
Marietta, GA (Lassiter)



At Florida State: Could be one of the great stories in college football in 2000 if he continues his startling return from radical knee surgery...All-America potential and an outstanding NFL prospect until chronic knee injury sidelined him early last year...underwent meniscal replacement surgery and will be one of the first to try and comeback to a contact sport from this procedure...trainers are very encouraged

by his progress over the summer...started 25 straight games before injury took him out of the lineup following the season-opener last year...will be a huge boost to the offensive line if he returns to form...big, physical player who was a two-time All-ACC offensive tackle...started all 13 games at split tackle as a sophomore and 10 games at the position as a freshman...one of the team leaders for the Seminoles.

Junior Year (1999): Started the first two games of the season, but knee injury would not allow him to play further...underwent cartilage replacement surgery during the season...FSU lost a 25-game starter when he left the lineup...one of four offensive starters (FB William McCray, TE Nick Franklin, WR Laveranues Coles) who were first team players the week before the season began, but who ultimately would miss most of the season.

Sophomore Year (1998): Started every game at split tackle...earned first team All-ACC honors...very solid performer who played with limited mobility in his knee over the last month of the season...named Dominator of the Week after the Virginia game...had 22 intimidations during the regular season...named to the Victor's Club after his performances against Texas A&M, NC State, Miami, Virginia, Wake Forest and Florida.

Freshman Year (1997): Named second team Freshman All-America by *The Sporting News* following a season in which he started 10 games as a rookie...received Victor's Club honors four times during the season — after the Southern California, Maryland, Miami and Virginia games...had the tough job of replacing Walter Jones, the sixth pick in the 1997 NFL Draft by the Seattle Seahawks, at his position.

1996: Redshirted along with most of his recruiting class.

High School: Played tight end his first three years at Lassiter High School...*SuperPrep's* No. 19 offensive lineman in the nation...a 1995 Georgia All-Academic team member...ranked as the No. 2 offensive lineman in Georgia by the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*...also played basketball...Class 4A all-state selection...named all-county following senior season...selected FSU over Auburn, Florida and Tennessee.

Personal: Born December 11, 1977...majoring in finance...rooms with fellow offensive lineman Jarad Moon.

7 RUFUS BROWN

Cornerback, 5-10, 185, Freshman
El Paso, TX (Austin)

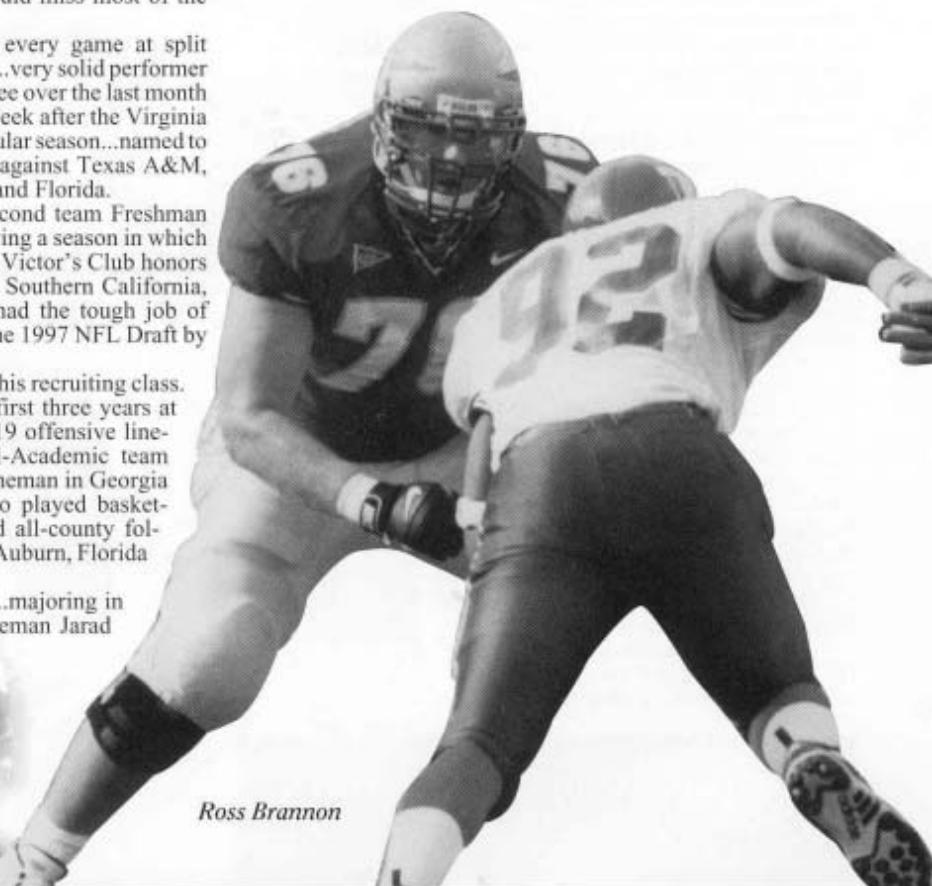


At Florida State: Capped off a strong spring with an interception in the Garnet and Gold game...earned the most improved defensive back award following spring drills...has made large strides in the transition from being a high school quarterback to a college defensive back...utilized off-season conditioning program to improve strength and endurance.

1999: Redshirted along with most of his recruiting class.

High School: An all-district selection as an option quarterback...also played safety and cornerback at Austin High in El Paso, Texas...emerged as one of the top athletes in not only the state of Texas, but the entire country by the end of the recruiting season...*PrepStar's* No. 6 athlete in the country and No. 2 in the Big 12 region...the No. 71 player in the nation according to the *National Recruiting Advisor*...Tom Lemming's No. 62 prospect in the Southwest...speed reported at 4.42 in the 40-yard dash...a regional qualifier in the long jump for the track team as a senior...chose FSU over Texas and Arizona.

Personal: Will not declare a major until after sophomore year...born July 18, 1980.



Ross Brannon

#71 JERRY CARMICHAEL

Offensive Guard, 6-4, 310, Senior
Plantation, FL (Plantation)



At Florida State: Excellent football player who would be a starter for the Seminoles, but knee injuries have sidelined him over the last two years...re-injured knee early in spring practice...played large role in national championship season last year after returning quickly from serious knee injury...has started in two consecutive national title games at offensive guard.

Junior Year (1999): Recovered faster than coaches could have hoped from a knee injury suffered early in 1999 national title game against Tennessee in the Fiesta Bowl...played sparingly early in the season as he eased into playing time, but saw considerable action over the second half of the season at both guard spots...a starter in terms of experience and ability who gives the offensive line a great deal of toughness.

Sophomore Year (1998): Started all 13 games at tight guard...suffered a torn ACL in his right knee in the Fiesta Bowl against Tennessee...named a Dominator of the Week by the FSU coaching staff for his performance against Virginia...also earned Victor's Club honors after the Texas A&M, NC State, Duke, Maryland, Georgia Tech and Virginia games.

Freshman Year (1997): Played in every game as a redshirt freshman and battled Ross Brannon for starting duties at split tackle for most of the season...made his first collegiate start in place of first round NFL choice Tra Thomas at tight tackle against Maryland...also started versus NC State and Ohio State for Brannon at split tackle...was Florida State's top reserve along the offensive front...earned Victor's Club honors from FSU coaches after the Maryland, NC State and Wake Forest games.

1996: Redshirted.

High School: Considered the state's top offensive lineman by many as a senior at Plantation High...a first team Class 6A all-

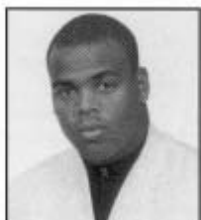
state selection...member of Florida's Super Seniors team...Offensive Player of the Year in Broward County...an honor student at Plantation...one of eight members of FSU's recruiting class selected to play for Team Florida in the Florida-Georgia High School All-Star game...selected FSU over Florida, Nebraska, NC State and Georgia Tech.

Personal: Born on July 8, 1978...a criminology major...roommate is offensive guard Justin Amman.

Jerry Carmichael

#95 RIAN CASON

Noseguard, 6-5, 285, Sophomore
College Park, GA (Woodward)



At Florida State: Expected to push sophomore Chris Woods for playing time at noseguard...enters the season third on the depth chart behind Woods and Jeff Womble...will be part of a group asked to replace Lombardi and Outland Award finalist Corey Simon...gained valuable experience in 1999 season and could have a breakout year in 2000.

Freshman Year (1999): Recorded 16 total tackles and seven solo stops while appearing in nine games for the Seminoles...recorded four tackles and his first career sack at North Carolina...had a season-high five tackles in a win over Wake Forest and another four-tackle performance versus North Carolina State.

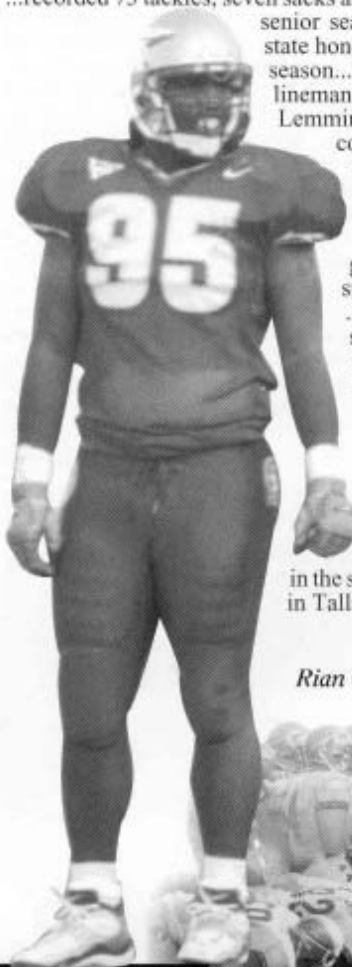
1998: Redshirted along with the majority of his recruiting class...worked on his conditioning and dropped 15 pounds from his 300-pound weight upon arrival at FSU.

High School: Highly acclaimed prospect out of Woodward Academy...was a second team All-USA choice by *USA Today*...recorded 73 tackles, seven sacks and blocked a kick during his

senior season to earn first team all-state honors...led his team to an 11-1 season...listed as the No. 5 defensive lineman by recruiting analyst Tom Lemming...also listed as one of the country's top five defensive linemen and an All-American by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...selected to play in the Florida-Georgia All-Star Game...won the state shot put title as a junior...also a high school honor student...chose FSU over Georgia, Tennessee, Notre Dame and North Carolina.

Personal: Born January 18, 1980...social science major...brother David was a wide receiver at East Tennessee State who interned in the Florida State sports information office in the summer of 1999 while living in Tallahassee.

Rian Cason



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#1 JEFF CHANEY

Tailback, 6-0, 200, Senior
Lake Wales, FL (Lake Wales)



At Florida State: Outstanding running back who blocks well and can get the tough yards...changed his jersey number from #24 over the past three years to #1...played extremely well down the stretch last year, including very productive games against Florida and Virginia Tech...actually led the Seminoles in rushing in the national championship game gaining 43 yards on just four carries...enters his final season

as the backup to Travis Minor, but gives coaches and experience and reliable ball carrier...tough player who has also seen playing time at fullback.

Junior Year (1999): Spent the majority of the season at tailback, but also saw some time at fullback...finished the year as the team's second leading rusher with 157 yards on 43 attempts...stepped up big for an injured Travis Minor in the second half against Florida and had his best game of the season with 41 yards on 10 carries...his TD run put the Seminoles up 23-16 at the end of the third quarter in that game...scooped up a Virginia Tech punt that Tommy Polley blocked and dove into the endzone for a touchdown in the Sugar Bowl...led FSU in rushing in the win over Virginia Tech in the Sugar Bowl with 43 yards on four carries...ran for 12 yards and one score against Miami...totaled 23 yards on the ground against Duke and ran for 25 yards against Wake Forest...also an outstanding receiver out of the backfield...caught six passes for 90 yards and a score...pulled down two passes for 37 yards at UNC...had a 29-yard TD reception against Georgia Tech to put FSU up for good at 28-21.

Sophomore Year (1998): Started the Maryland, Miami, Clemson and Georgia Tech games, while playing in all 13 contests...recorded his first career 100-yard rushing performance against Maryland...rushed for a career-high 133 yards on 30 carries against the Terrapins...second-leading rusher on the Seminole squad with 573 yards on 120 attempts and five touchdowns...added one reception for three yards...came into the Duke game in the second half and rushed the ball 10 times for 88 yards and two touchdowns after not getting a carry in the first two games...replaced Minor early in the first half against Southern California finishing with 89 yards on 19 carries and one

touchdown...named to the Victor's Club after five games...also participated in kickoff coverage...converted to tailback from defensive back in the spring...carried the ball 12 times for 47 yards and one touchdown while earning most improved honors after the '98 spring game.

Freshman Year (1997): Saw action in all 12 games during his freshman year...served as a reserve at rover behind Shevin Smith...also saw time on special teams...best game of the year was a four-tackle performance against Duke...had two tackles each against Maryland and North Carolina...finished the season with 10 total tackles (seven solos and three assists)...earned Victor's Club honors four times for his special teams play.

High School: One of the top all-around players in the state while at Lake Wales High School...originally signed with South Carolina after graduating from high school in 1996...state Class 4A Player of the Year in 1995 and finished third in the voting for Florida's Mr. Football...rushed for 1,874 yards and 27 TDs on 174 carries as a senior...also tallied 135 tackles (85 solo), four sacks and two interceptions that year...had seven interceptions as a junior...a two-time, first team all-state selection...rushed for nearly 3,000 yards and 48 touchdowns in his prep career, while recording 344 tackles, 15 sacks and 12 interceptions...rated as *SuperPrep's* No. 7 player in Florida in 1995...named to the *National Recruiting Advisor* and *Blue Chip Illustrated's* All-Southeast Region team...a Super 24 selection by the *Florida Times Union*...played in the Florida-Georgia All-Star game in June of 1996...played on two state title teams at Lake Wales.

Personal: Born on November 16, 1976...majoring in criminology...hails from the same high school as former Seminole tight end Melvin Pearsall.



Jeff Chaney

CHANEY'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	CARRIES	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1998	120	573	4.8	5	41
1999	43	172	3.7	2	23
TOTAL	163	745	4.6	7	41

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY



#27 TAY CODY

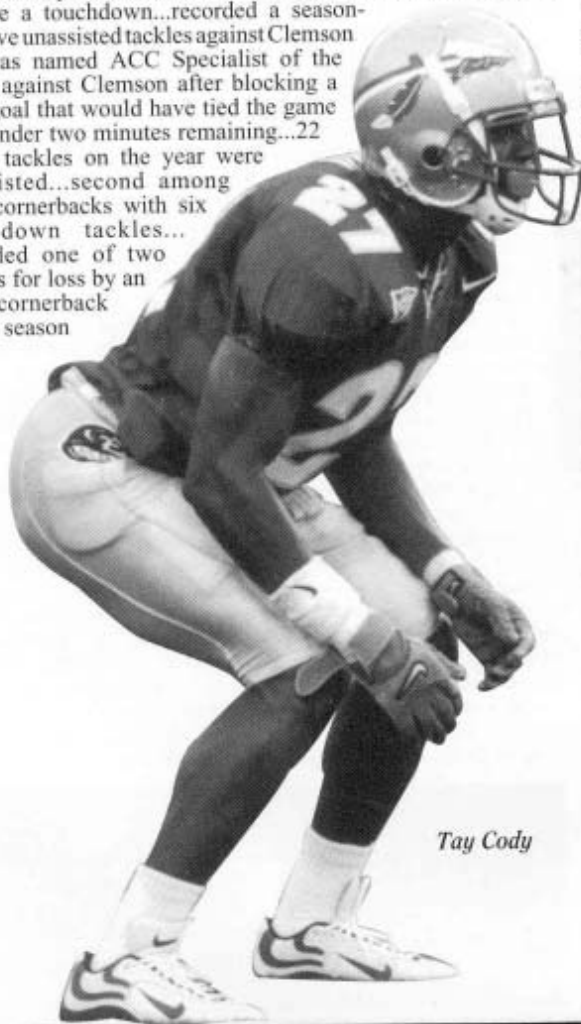
Cornerback, 5-11, 180, Senior
Blakely, GA (Early Co.)



At Florida State: Will enter senior season as a three-year starter at right cornerback...one of the top cover corners in the nation...has also earned the reputation of being a big hitter while ranking among the nation's best against the run...returns with the entire 2000 Sugar Bowl starting secondary which will likely be ranked among the best in the country...has earned an honorable mention and

two second team All-ACC selections during FSU career...only freshman starter on the 1997 team.

Junior Year (1999): Started seven of FSU's 11 games at right cornerback...earned honorable mention All-ACC...had two of FSU's nation-leading 22 interceptions on the season...contributed three tackles and a pass break-up while playing through the stomach flu in the National Championship game against Virginia Tech...had a pass deflection in fourth quarter of the Florida game to save a touchdown...recorded a season-high five unassisted tackles against Clemson and was named ACC Specialist of the Week against Clemson after blocking a field goal that would have tied the game with under two minutes remaining...22 of 29 tackles on the year were unassisted...second among FSU cornerbacks with six third-down tackles...recorded one of two tackles for loss by an FSU cornerback on the season



Tay Cody

(Clevan Thomas had the other).

Sophomore Year (1998): Started at right cornerback in all 13 games...named to the All-ACC second team along with fellow defensive backs Mario Edwards and Dexter Jackson...had 33 tackles, including 24 solo stops...11 of his 33 total tackles were on third-down...finished second on the Seminole squad with eight pass deflections...intercepted only pass of the season against Maryland...key reason why FSU held five opponents to less than 100 yards passing and ranked first in the nation in passing defense...pass break-ups came against Texas A&M, NC State, Clemson, Georgia Tech (2) and a team-high three against Florida...also contributed four intimidations on the season...earned Victor's Club honors eight times...was the Tomahawk Player of the Game against Georgia Tech.

Freshman Year (1997): Recorded 46 tackles, including 30 solo, as a redshirt freshman...finished third among defensive backs and eighth overall in tackles...added three tackles for loss and four pass break-ups...named ACC Rookie of the Week following a season-high 12 tackle performance against Georgia Tech...totaled three interceptions on the season which ranked second highest on the team...recorded five tackles and broke up a pass in the Sugar Bowl victory over Ohio State...notched his first career interception at Clemson...named Tomahawk Player of the Game (MVP) for Georgia Tech contest...earned Victor's Club honors nine times...recovered a fumble at Virginia...had three "big hits" and two "big plays" on the season.

1996: Redshirted.

High School: Listed among the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution's* Super Southern 100...regarded as one of Georgia's top 50 prospects...received one of the higher grades from Jeff Whitaker's *Deep South Football*...considered the 12th best defensive back in the country by *SuperPrep*...recorded 10 interceptions over his final two seasons...totaled 70 tackles as a senior at Early County...chose FSU over Auburn.

Personal: Born October 6, 1977...political science major...full name is Coronta Cody.

CODY'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1996	REDSHIRTED								
1997	30	16	46	3	0	4	0	0	3
1998	24	9	33	0	0	8	0	1	1
1999	22	7	29	1	0	5	0	0	2
TOTAL	76	32	108	4	0	17	0	1	6

1993 and 1999 National Champions



2000 Player Bios

#40 CORNELIUS COLLIER

Linebacker, 6-1, 220, Freshman
Miami, FL (Palmetto)



At Florida State: Enters the season listed third on the depth chart at weakside linebacker behind All-America candidate Tommy Polley and fellow freshman Kendyll Pope...sat out the 1999 campaign as a redshirt...suffered a sprained right ankle during the first practice of the spring and missed most of the drills...coaches like his play-making ability...tough, hard-nosed competitor...solid against the run...lacks

only experience to become a solid player.

Freshman Year (1999): Sat out the season as a redshirt...dressed out for the first 10 games of the season as coaches believed he could be used due to a lack of depth at linebacker.

High School: Among the nation's finest prep linebackers as a senior at Palmetto High School...earned first team Class 6A all-state honors after making 127 tackles and five sacks in his final season...generally regarded as one of the two best high school linebackers in Florida, along with Seminole teammate Kendyll Pope...rated the No. 10 prospect in the state by the *Gainesville Sun*...*SuperPrep's* No. 8 linebacker nationally...also considered one of the top 10 linebackers in the country by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...selected Florida State over Auburn and Florida.

Personal: Will declare his major following his sophomore year...born August 15, 1980.

#47 KEITH COTTRELL

Punter, 6-4, 205, Senior
Orlando, FL (Boone)



At Florida State: Three-year starter who should contend for All-America honors as a senior...ranked second in the Atlantic Coast Conference and 26th nationally last year after averaging a career-high 42.8 yards per kick...has a strong leg and good athletic ability...handles pressure situations well.

Junior Year (1999): Florida State's starting punter for the third consecutive year...had the best season of his career, averaging 42.8 yards per punt...ranked second in the ACC and 26th in the nation...earned honorable mention All-ACC honors...averaged 45 yards per kick over the final four games of the season...best statistical game came against Maryland, when he booted a season-long 59-yarder and finished with a 48.3 yard average...punted extremely well in the win at Florida with several efforts coming from deep in his own end zone...averaged at least 40 yards per punt in seven of 11 games...earned ACC Specialist of the Week honors after averaging 47.8 yards on six punts in the win at Virginia.

Sophomore Year (1998): The Seminoles' punter for the second consecutive year...showed great improvement from his freshman campaign...averaged 41.3 yards per punt on the season...banged a career-high 69-yarder at Miami...best game was at Wake Forest when he punted a season-high nine times and averaged a year-best 44.7 yards...also had a solid national championship game against Tennessee when he was called on nine times...had a stretch of four games — Georgia Tech through Wake Forest — where he averaged at least 42.0 yards...averaged at least 40 yards per kick in eight of 13 games...did have one kick blocked.

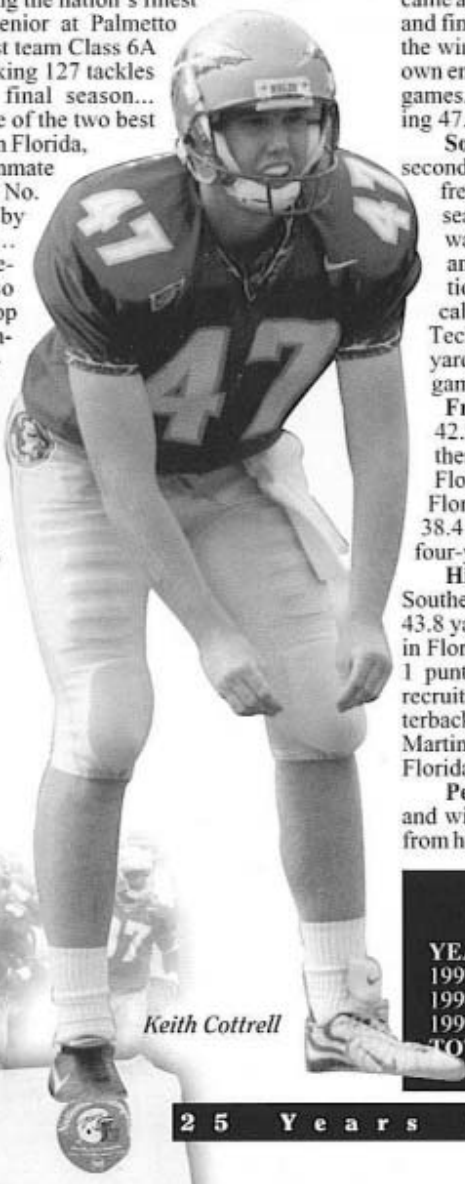
Freshman Year (1997): Began his collegiate career with a 42.7 yard punting average at Southern California...booted then-career-long punts of 54 yards against Clemson and Florida...punted six times and averaged 41.3 yards versus Florida, including one inside the 20...his season average of 38.4 was on par with the sophomore season average of previous four-year starter Sean Liss.

High School: Considered one of the top punters in the Southeast as a senior at Boone High School in Orlando...averaged 43.8 yards per punt as a senior...rated as the No. 3 kicker/punter in Florida by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...*Prep-Star's* No. 1 punter in the Southeast...ranked among the state's top 50 recruits by the *Tallahassee Democrat*...also recruited as a quarterback by several other Division I programs...received the Bob Martin Scholar-Athlete Award in the Orlando area...selected Florida State over Florida, Tennessee, Pittsburgh and Cincinnati.

Personal: Sports management major...born October 23, 1978 and will turn 21 the day FSU plays Clemson...graduated early from high school and enrolled at Florida State in January of 1997.

COTTRELL'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	PUNTS	YARDS	AVG	BLK	LONG
1997	58	2227	38.4	1	54
1998	62	2558	41.3	1	69
1999	44	1885	42.8	0	59
TOTAL	164	6670	40.7	2	69



Keith Cottrell

#45 DARNELL DOCKETT

Defensive End, 6-4, 260, Freshman
Burtonsville, MD (Paint Branch)

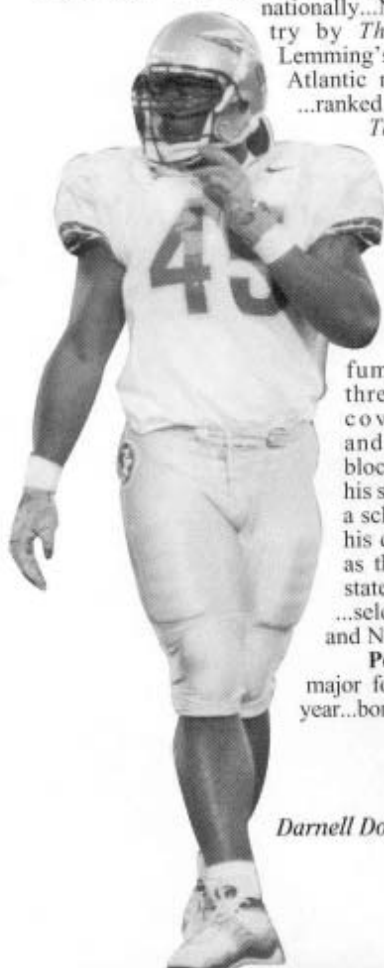


At Florida State: Heads into the fall listed behind Roland Seymour and David Warren at left defensive end...will be called on to make a major contribution if Roland Seymour isn't completely healed by the start of the season...exciting young player who provides the Seminoles with excellent depth at the end position...had three tackles and a sack in the spring Garnet and Gold game.

1999: Redshirted along with the majority of his recruiting class.

High School: Regarded by many as the top defensive end in the nation...a first-team *USA Today* All-American and Maryland Player of the Year...a *Parade* All-American...1998 Gatorade Circle of Champions High School Player of the Year for Maryland (overall athletic and academic performance)...ranked the No. 2 prospect in the nation by RivalNet...rated the No. 3 prospect nationally by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...*SuperPrep's* No. 2 defensive lineman and No. 25 prospect nationally...No. 17 prospect in the country by *The Sporting News*...Tom Lemming's No. 6 prospect in the Mid-Atlantic region (No. 42 nationally) ...ranked No. 13 in the country by the *Tampa Tribune*...named to *PrepStar's* Dream Team ...also named the Defensive MVP of the ACC region and co-MVP nationally by the same publication...tallied 171 tackles (109 solo), 15 sacks, two caused fumbles, three recovered and three blocked punts in his senior season...set a school record with 47 sacks in his career...joins Tommy Polley as the second player from the state of Maryland on the roster ...selected FSU over Ohio State and North Carolina.

Personal: Will declare his major following his sophomore year...born May 27, 1981.



Darnell Dockett

#88 CARVER DONALDSON

Tight End, 6-6, 245, Junior
Lakeland, FL (Kathleen)



At Florida State: Enters the fall as the co-third team tight end with Patrick Hughes...earned Most Improved honors among the tight ends following spring practice...caught two passes for 28 yards in the spring game and scored the tying touchdown for the Gold Team on a six-yard pass from Marcus Outzen...appeared in every game in 1999...sat out the 1998 campaign as a redshirt after playing in

seven games as a true freshman in 1997...provided the best offensive highlight of the spring game with a 44-yard reception of a Marcus Outzen pass...will play on a number of special teams.

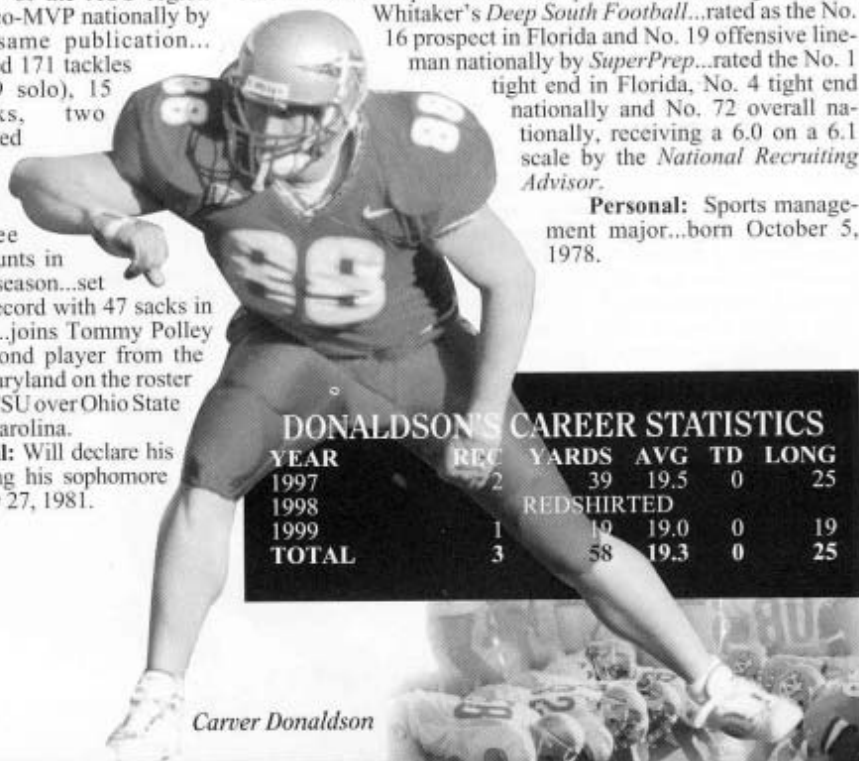
Sophomore Year (1999): Third team tight end who made one catch during the season...appeared in every game, mostly on special teams...reception came for 19 yards in the Seminoles' 33-10 win over Wake Forest...saw playing time on short yardage unit as well as on special teams.

1998: Suffered a chest injury during the preseason and was forced to sit out the season as a redshirt.

Freshman Year (1997): Saw action in seven games as a true freshman...one of 15 true freshman to letter...recorded two catches for 39 yards on the season...first career catch, a 14-yarder, came at Virginia...had a 25-yard reception from Chris Weinke in Florida State's home finale against Wake Forest.

High School: Pulled down 25 receptions and a pair of touchdowns during his career in a run-oriented offense...named to the Forrest Davis All-South first team...also listed among Davis' Florida Top 12...received a perfect 10.00 rating from Jeff Whitaker's *Deep South Football*...rated as the No. 16 prospect in Florida and No. 19 offensive lineman nationally by *SuperPrep*...rated the No. 1 tight end in Florida, No. 4 tight end nationally and No. 72 overall nationally, receiving a 6.0 on a 6.1 scale by the *National Recruiting Advisor*.

Personal: Sports management major...born October 5, 1978.



Carver Donaldson

DONALDSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	REC	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1997	2	39	19.5	0	25
1998	REDSHIRTED				
1999	1	19	19.0	0	19
TOTAL	3	58	19.3	0	25

2000 Player Bios

#75 CHAR-RON DORSEY

Offensive Tackle, 6-7, 325, Senior
Jacksonville, FL (Bolles)



At Florida State: Will begin the fall listed at second team on the depth chart behind Tarlos Thomas at tight tackle...will battle for starting honors during preseason drills...should continue to build on a solid junior year...has shown enormous potential since arriving at Florida State in 1997 but neck injuries slowed the transition to a starting spot...received the Most Improved Offensive Lineman award during spring

drills...a fine athlete with quick feet...may choose to redshirt if not needed early in the season.

Junior Year (1999): Backup to Tarlos Thomas at tight tackle throughout junior year...was able to get considerable playing time on veteran offensive line...excellent player who pushed Thomas all season...gave coaches ability to rest players during the game.

Sophomore Year (1998): Missed almost the entire season after suffering a neck injury in the preseason...tried to come back in mid-October in games against Miami and Clemson, but re-injured his neck and was out for the rest of the year...was running at first team tight tackle before preseason injury eliminated his chance to earn the position.

Freshman Year (1997): Played in six games as a true freshman at defensive tackle...recorded five solo tackles and six assists on the season...also registered two tackles for loss and one sack...had four tackles and one tackle for loss against Maryland...in addition to the Maryland game, he saw action against Miami, Duke, Georgia Tech, Virginia and NC State.

High School: Three-time first team Class 4A all-state selection while at The Bolles School in Jacksonville...frequently double-teamed, yet still recorded 70 tackles (40 solo) as a senior defensive tackle...Forrest Davis' first team All-South selection...listed on Jamie Newberg's "Border Wars Top 100"...rated as the No. 9 defensive lineman in the Southeast by *Prep Star*...the *National Recruiting Advisor's* No. 8 defensive tackle in the nation...*SuperPrep* All-American and their No. 5 prospect in Florida...also that publication's No. 10 defensive tackle nationally...named to the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* Super Southern 100, the *Tallahassee Democrat* Top 50, the *Gainesville Sun* Top 30 and the *Florida Times-Union* Super 24...earned honorable mention All-USA honors from *USA Today*...also a *St. Pete Times* and *Tampa Tribune* Blue Chipper...also recruited to play college basketball as one of the top power forwards in Florida...led Bolles to the state playoffs on the hardwood twice...selected the Seminoles over Alabama.

Personal: Social Science major...born November 5, 1977...FSU defeated Georgia Tech 41-10 on his 16th birthday in 1994...the Tribe beat South Carolina 45-30 on his fifth birthday in 1983...high school teammate of Florida State fullback William McCray.

#74 OTIS DUHART

Offensive Tackle, 6-4, 290, Junior
Belle Glades, FL (Central)



At Florida State: Makes the transition to offensive guard for the 2000 season where he will battle Montrae Holland for the starting position in the preseason...battled a knee injury in 1999 and redshirted as a junior...the quickest of the lineman, running a 4.99 40 during spring testing.

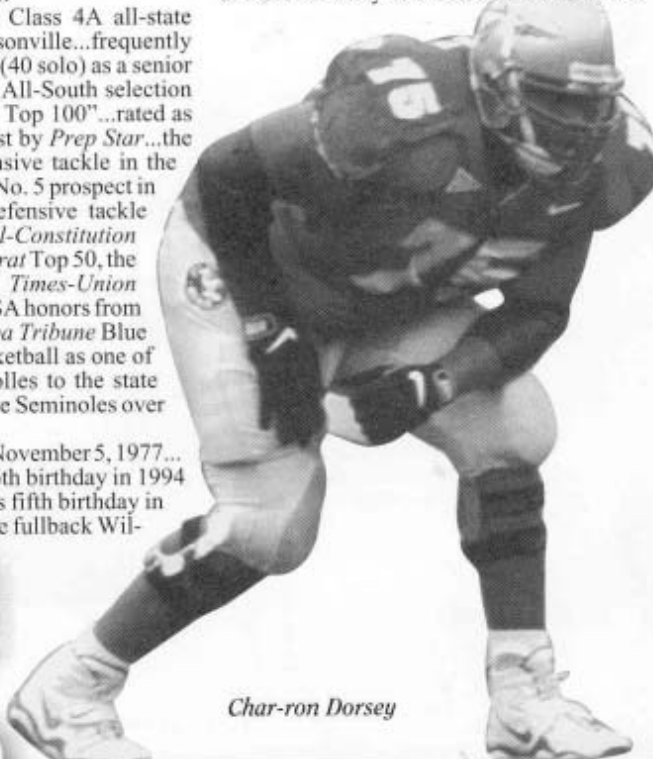
1999: Redshirted.

Sophomore Year (1998): Played at tight tackle, seeing action in six games...injured knee prevented him from playing in the Seminoles' last two regular season games against Wake Forest and Florida, but he was available for the Fiesta Bowl...earned Victor's Club honors for his play against Duke.

Freshman Year (1997): Played sparingly as a true freshman.

High School: First team all-state performer as a senior at tradition-rich Belle Glades' Central High School...considered the school's top line prospect in the last 15 years...*SuperPrep* All-Region selection and that publication's No. 53 prospect in Florida...earned honorable mention All-USA honors from *USA Today*...rated as the No. 16 offensive line prospect in the Southeast by *Prep Star*...named to the *Tallahassee Democrat* Top 50 and the *Florida Times-Union* Super 75...picked Florida State over Florida and Ole Miss.

Personal: Born February 22, 1979...a sports management major...played at the same high school as former Seminoles Wayne Messam and Jesse Hester...brother, Tony, was a lineman at the University of Florida in the mid '80s.



Char-ron Dorsey

#90 KEVIN EMANUEL

Defensive Tackle, 6-4, 250, Freshman
Waco, TX (Waco)



At Florida State: Comes off an excellent spring where he showed coaches he was ready to compete on the defensive front...will begin the fall as the likely starter at defensive tackle, a key position for the Tribe in 2000 as they lost the dominating interior combination of Corey Simon and Jerry Johnson...selected by the coaches as the most improved defensive lineman during the spring...makes up for lack of size

with good technique and great desire.

1999: Redshirted along with the majority of his recruiting class.

High School: Heralded signee from the state of Texas who was originally a member of the 1998 class...enrolled in January after meeting academic standards...tallied 71 tackles (29 solo), seven sacks, one interception (for a TD), two fumble recoveries and two fumbles caused in his senior season...had a 310-pound bench press and a 40-yard dash time of 4.83 out of high school...the Central Texas Defensive Player of the Year...David Garvin's No. 1 defensive end in the state of Texas and No. 5 player overall...rated among the top eight rush ends in the nation and tabbed an All-American by the *National Recruiting Advisor*... named as the No. 5 defensive line prospect in the Big 12 region by *PrepStar*...*SuperPrep's* No. 32 defensive lineman in the preseason...cousin of Miami Dolphin wide receiver Bert Emanuel...chose FSU over Texas, Colorado, Oklahoma State and Iowa.

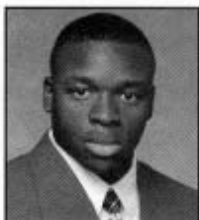
Personal: Majoring in business administration...born December 6, 1979.



Davy Ford

#22 DAVY FORD

Tailback, 5-11, 188, Junior
West Palm Beach, FL (Cardinal Newman)



At Florida State: The fastest Seminole timed this spring with a 4.25 clocking in the 40 despite having knee surgery twice in his career...very hard worker who enters the fall locked in a battle with Jeff Chaney and Nick Maddox for the backup tailback spot...excellent speed and great determination make him an ideal running back...may be used for kickoff returns...missed the entire 1998 season following reconstructive knee surgery to

repair a torn ACL in his right knee.

Sophomore Year (1999): Returned to action after missing 1998 with a torn ACL...injury occurred in the first day of practice at the Sugar Bowl two years ago when the Seminoles played Ohio State...carried 19 times for 75 yards in a reserve role at tailback...also caught two passes for 23 yards...saw his first game action of the year against NC State and rushed for 34 yards on three attempts...also played in the UNC, Duke and Maryland games.

1998: Missed the entire season after suffering a torn ACL in his right knee on the first day of practice in the Superdome prior to the win over Ohio State in the 1998 Sugar Bowl...was able to redshirt since he played as a true freshman.

Freshman Year (1997): Enjoyed a solid rookie season...one of 14 true freshmen on the Seminole roster to see game action...one of three freshmen to earn a start at tailback...finished second on the team in rushing with 258 yards on 61 carries...scored one touchdown and averaged 4.2 yards per attempt...also caught seven passes for 48 yards and returned one kickoff for 10 yards...started for the first time against Georgia Tech and ran for 29 yards on seven carries...best game came against Miami when he rushed for 69 yards on 14 carries...scored his only touchdown of the season on a nine-yard run at Duke...finished that game with 58 yards on 11 attempts...ran five times for 44 yards against Maryland...did not play at Clemson or in the Sugar Bowl versus Ohio State.

High School: Rushed for 743 yards and seven touchdowns in just four games as a senior at Cardinal Newman High School...also returned two kickoffs for scores and caught two TD passes...suffered a broken collarbone while returning the opening kickoff in his senior season's fifth game that ended his prep career...as a junior, ran for 1,587 yards to earn second team all-state honors...rated the No. 9 prospect in Florida and the No. 9 running back nationally by *SuperPrep*...earned prep All-America honors from the *National Recruiting Advisor*...named to the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* Super Southern 100, the *Tallahassee Democrat* Top 50 and the *Florida Times Union* Super 75...won the state Class 3A 100-meter title as a senior with a 10.3 clocking...selected FSU over Ohio State, Florida and Michigan State.

Personal: Born December 11, 1978...majoring in political science.

FORD'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	CARRIES	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1997	61	258	4.2	1	23
1998	REDSHIRTED				
1999	19	75	4.0	0	8
TOTAL	80	333	4.2	1	23

2000 Player Bios

#81 NICK FRANKLIN

Tight End, 6-3, 255, Senior
St. Petersburg, FL (Osceola HS/SW Mississippi JC)



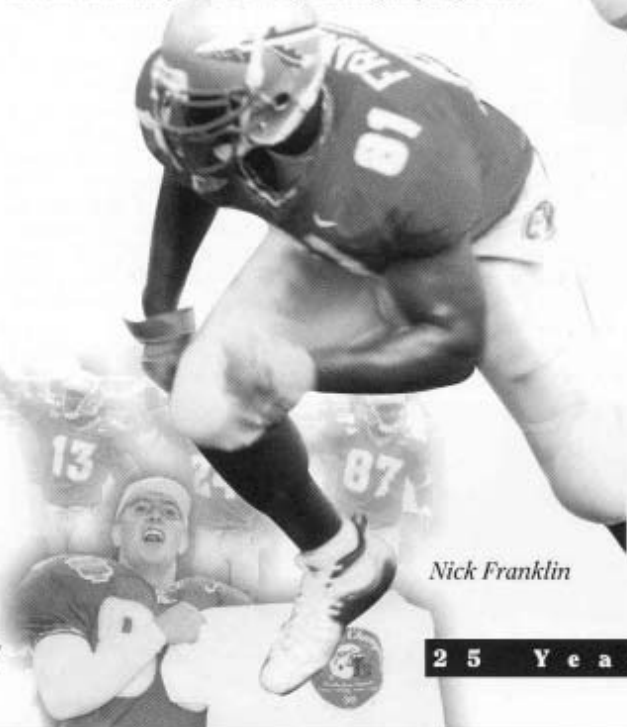
At Florida State: Returns for his senior campaign after receiving a medical redshirt in 1999...is listed second on the depth chart heading into the preseason...made solid contributions in 1998 after transferring into the Seminole program from junior college...considered an excellent run blocker who was used frequently in FSU's short yardage sets...led Seminole tight ends with three receptions in 1998.

1999: Entered fall practice as the starting tight end but suffered a torn ACL in practice the week prior to the Georgia Tech game and missed the rest of the season...played in season-opener against Louisiana Tech but did not have a reception.

Junior Year (1998): Played in every game after transferring from Southwest Mississippi Junior College...was the backup to second team All-ACC choice Myron Jackson...led all FSU tight ends with three catches for 48 yards on the year...averaged 16.0 yards per reception...first catch of his career was a nine-yarder at Miami...had two grabs for a total of 39 yards, including a season-long 31-yarder from Marcus Outzen, that set up a touchdown at Wake Forest...also saw action on special teams.

Junior College/High School (1996-97): Two-year starter at tight end at Southwest Mississippi Junior College...considered by most recruiting analysts as the top junior college tight end in the nation...considered one of the top 30 junior college players regardless of position by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...all-area and all-state selection after his senior year of high school at Osceola High in St. Petersburg...picked FSU over Alabama, Central Florida and Baylor following his junior college career.

Personal: Sport management major...born July 13, 1977...was an early enrollee at Florida State coming to the school in January of 1998 to go through spring drills.



Nick Franklin

#21 TALMAN GARDNER

Split End, 6-2, 195, Sophomore
New Orleans, LA (McDonough 35)



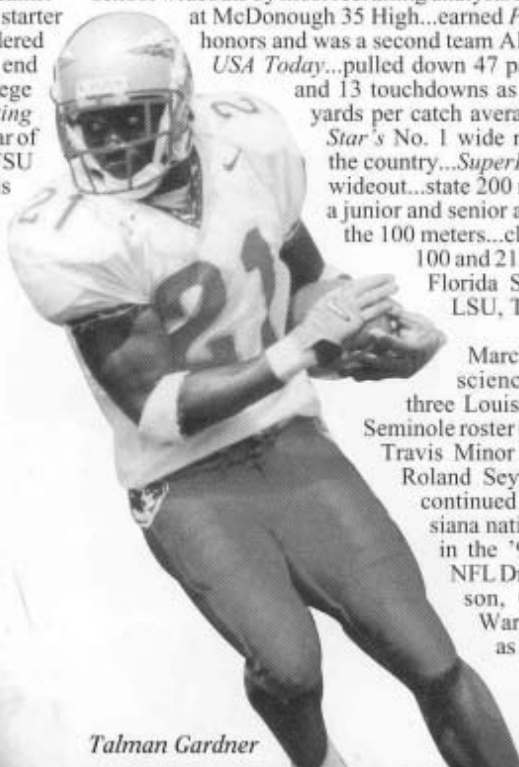
At Florida State: Sophomore battling for the starting split end job with Marvin Minnis and Atrews Bell...listed at third team behind those two on the pre-season depth chart...a former high school sprinter who ran a 4.34 40-yard dash during spring testing...led all receivers with 96 yards on three catches in the Garnet & Gold game this past spring.

Freshman Year (1999): Appeared in all 12 games as a redshirt freshman...finished the year with seven receptions for 123 yards...averaged 17.6 yards per catch...caught three passes for 51 yards in the season opener against Louisiana Tech, including a season-long reception of 33 yards...averaged 21.5 yards on eight kickoff returns...also had two carries on reverses for 23 yards.

1998: Redshirted along with the majority of his recruiting class although coaches were impressed enough with him in the preseason to plan on playing him before hernia surgery prevented it.

High School: Considered one of the nation's top three high school wideouts by most recruiting analysts after his final season at McDonough 35 High...earned *Parade* All-America honors and was a second team All-USA selection by *USA Today*...pulled down 47 passes for 944 yards and 13 touchdowns as a senior for a 20.1 yards per catch average...listed as *Prep-Star's* No. 1 wide receiver prospect in the country...*SuperPrep's* No. 3 ranked wideout...state 200 meters champion as a junior and senior and the runner-up in the 100 meters...clocked at 10.5 in the 100 and 21.2 in the 200...chose Florida State over Georgia, LSU, Tulane and Florida.

Personal: Born March 10, 1980...human sciences major...one of three Louisiana natives on the Seminole roster (along with tailback Travis Minor and defensive end Roland Seymour)...his signing continued a pipeline of Louisiana natives coming to FSU in the '90s...others include NFL Draft picks Sean Jackson, Chris Cowart and Warrick Dunn, as well as Minor and Seymour.



Talman Gardner

GARDNER'S CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	REC	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1999	7	123	17.6	0	33

6 DERRICK GIBSON

Rover, 6-2, 207, Senior
Miami, FL (Killian)



At Florida State: Returns for the third straight season as the starting rover... has started every game for FSU over the past two seasons...won the big hitter award after an outstanding spring...a preseason All-American by *Playboy*...strongest member of the FSU secondary with a bench press of 420 lbs....runs a 4.4 in the 40-yard dash...key member of FSU defense that ranked first in the ACC in scoring defense and 10th in the nation (15.8) last season.

Junior Year (1999): An outstanding performer who started every game at the rover position...second team All-ACC selection...fifth on the team in tackles with 73, including 45 solo stops...played an exceptional game in the national title match-up against Virginia Tech registering six tackles (five solo), one tackle for loss and a forced fumble on fourth-and-goal...tied for the team lead with four interceptions helping the Seminoles lead the nation with 22 interceptions...had three tackles for loss and two quarterback sacks...only Mario Edwards (nine) broke up more passes on the season.

Sophomore Year (1998): Started every game at rover...registered 46 tackles on the year, doubling his total from his freshman campaign...29 of his stops were unassisted...recorded tackles for loss against Maryland and Virginia...made a career-high 10 tackles in the NC State game...credited with nine stops against Virginia...intercepted a pass in the Duke game to set up an FSU score by Peter Warrick...deflected a pass against Clemson...also a member of special teams...garnered Victor's Club honors nine times.

Freshman Year (1997): Credited with 23 tackles, including 14 solo, as a backup at the rover position...had a season-high five tackles against both Duke and Virginia...all five tackles against the Blue Devils were solo...recovered a punt blocked by Tommy Polley and returned it one yard for a touchdown in Duke game...was also active on special teams...had one intimidation, one block on return and one knock 'em back...named to the Victor's Club six times for special teams...played in season opener at Southern California as a true freshman and recorded one tackle.

High School: *USA Today* first-team All-American selection following his senior year at Miami Killian High School...also named to *SuperPrep's* first team and named the No. 4 prospect nationally by the same publication...earned Class 6A All-State honors as a senior...rated the No. 1 prospect in state of Florida by several analysts...recorded 65 tackles, caused eight fumbles, had seven sacks and two interceptions during his senior year...missed three games in that season due to a shoulder injury...named to the *PrepStar* Dream Team...selected Southeast Defensive Player of the Year by Tom Lemming...Reebok All-American team selection...chose FSU over Auburn, Ohio State and Miami.

Personal: Born March 22, 1979...majoring in criminology...high school teammate of fellow defensive back Malcolm Tatum.

GIBSON'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1997	14	9	23	0	0	0	0	0	0
1998	29	17	46	2	0	1	0	0	1
1999	45	28	73	3	2	8	0	0	4
TOTAL	88	54	142	5	2	9	0	0	5

#43 RANDY GOLIGHTLY

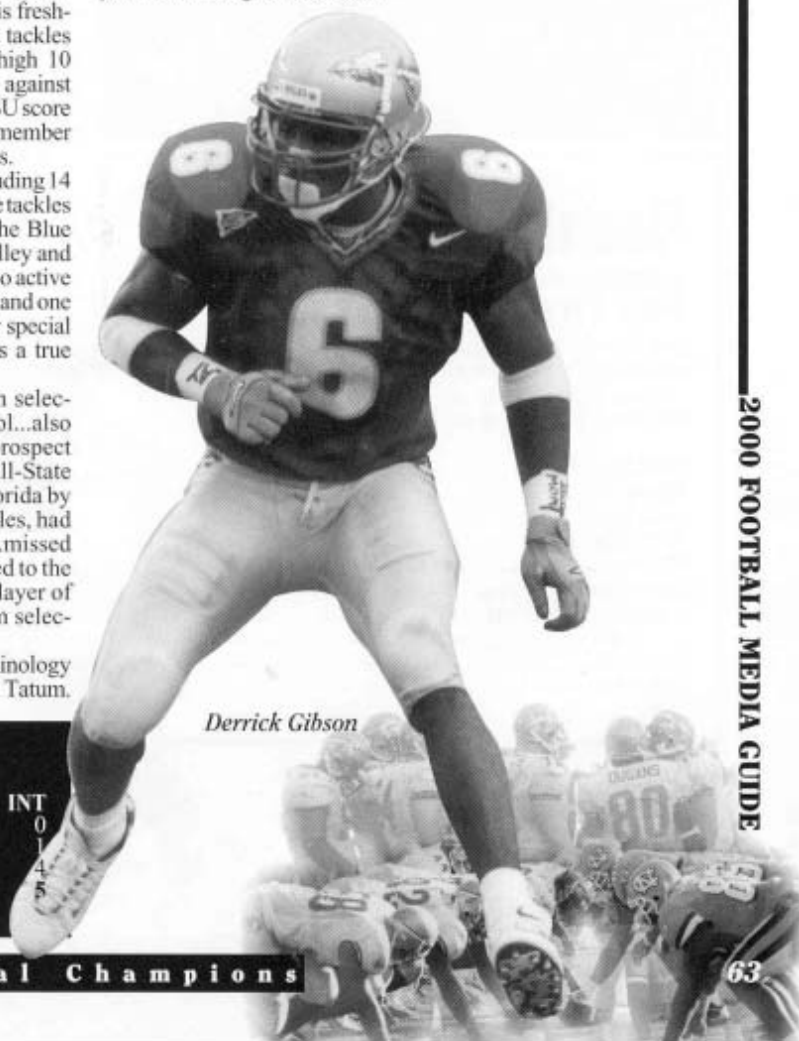
Fullback, 6-2, 237, Freshman
Tallahassee, FL (N. Fla Christian)



At Florida State: Redshirted last season and should see considerable playing time this fall...will see a lot of action on special teams and will battle Chad Maeder for backup honors at fullback behind William McCray...tough, physical fullback who made great strides during spring drills...will be even more effective once he gets more comfortable in the FSU system...excellent blocker particularly in the running game.

1999: Redshirted along with most of his recruiting class.
High School: Played linebacker in high school, earning first-team Class 2A all-state honors as a linebacker at North Florida Christian in Tallahassee...rated the No. 63 prospect in Florida by *SuperPrep*...ranked No. 116 in the Southeast by Tom Lemming...recorded 146 tackles (23 for a loss) as a senior...exceptional strength with a bench press of more than 420 lbs...selected FSU over Wake Forest and Southern Miss.

Personal: Will declare his major following his sophomore year...born August 13, 1980.



Derrick Gibson

2000 Player Bios

#43 CHANCE GWALTNEY

Kicker, 5-10, 165, Sophomore
Cairo, GA (Cairo)



At Florida State: Enters the fall as Florida State's No. 1 placekicker...will need to hold off incoming freshman Brett Cimmorelli...struggled during the spring on field goals but excelled on kickoffs...can also handle punting chores if necessary...originally walked on at Florida State from nearby Cairo, GA.

Freshman Year (1999): Gained valuable experience as a backup to Keith Cottrell and Sebastian Janikowski...punted twice on the season, once at North Carolina and once against Duke...both kicks traveled 39 yards...did not kickoff or attempt any field goals.

1998: Walked on to the team then sat out the season as a redshirt.

High School: Earned first team all-state honors as a senior at Cairo High...selected to play in the Florida-Georgia All-Star game...gave Georgia the victory with a game-winning 33-yard field goal in the closing seconds.

Personal: Sports management major...born April 1, 1980.

GWALTNEY'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	PUNTS	YARDS	AVG	BLK	LONG
1999	2	78	39	0	39

Seminole Sideline

Top First-Round Schools

Notre Dame has had the most players selected in the first round of the NFL draft since 1936. But, in the past decade, Florida State has been a hotbed. Colleges with the most first-round selections since 1989:

Florida State	15
Miami (Fla.)	13
Ohio State	12
Tennessee	12
Florida	11
Notre Dame	11
Southern California	11
Colorado	9
Michigan	9
Nebraska	9

#78 DONALD HEAVEN

Offensive Tackle, 6-5, 305, Senior
Miami, FL (Carol City)



At Florida State: Enters the fall season as backup to sophomore Brett Williams at offensive tackle...can play either guard or tackle spot...FSU's top reserve offensive lineman in 1999 when he backed up Jerry Carmichael at guard and Tarlos Thomas at tackle...one of seven Seminoles to bench press over 500 with 510 lb. lift at spring testing.

Junior Year (1999): Played at offensive tackle, but also saw action at offensive guard...excellent player who gives the Seminoles real quality depth...knows the offense extremely well.

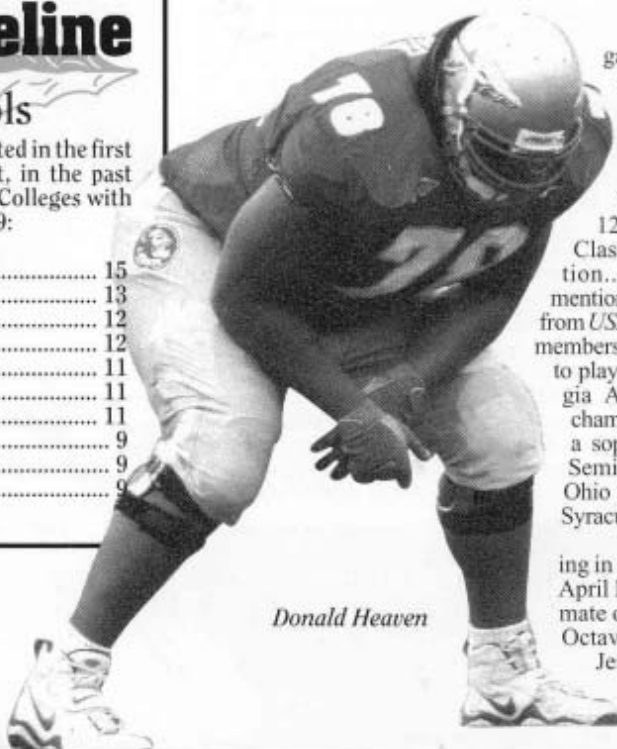
Sophomore Year (1998): Used an improved work ethic to gain more playing time as the season progressed...appeared in 10 games but did not start...was Florida State's top reserve offensive lineman...backed up at tight guard and tight tackle...also saw action on extra point and field goal units...named to the Victor's Club after the Southern California and Miami wins.

Freshman Year (1997): Became the first freshman in five years (Lewis Tyre, 1992) to start every game along the offensive line...enjoyed an excellent rookie season at tight guard that culminated in first team Freshman All-American recognition by *The Sporting News*...earned Victor's Club honors from Florida State's coaching staff nine times...his development over the course of the season was vital as Florida State's ground game improved...was dominant at times...played on the tight side along side NFL first round draft pick Tra Thomas...joined on the line by another NFL draftee, center Kevin Long.

1996: Redshirted.

High School: Regarded as one of the state's top prep linemen as a senior at Carol City High...played both ways as a senior in leading the Chiefs to a 12-2 mark...first team Class 6A all-state selection...earned honorable mention All-America honors from *USA Today*...one of eight members of his recruiting class to play in the Florida-Georgia All-Star Game...state champion in the shot put as a sophomore...picked the Seminoles over Florida, Ohio State, Tennessee and Syracuse.

Personal: Majoring in social science...born April 17, 1978...prep teammate of current Seminoles Octavis Jackson, Bradley Jennings and Stanford Samuels.



Donald Heaven

#61 MONTRAE HOLLAND

Offensive Guard, 6-3, 325, So.
Ore City, TX (Jefferson)



At Florida State: A promising lineman who will battle Otis Duhart for the starting position in the fall...has excellent footwork for a man his size...joins Justin Amman as the strongest Seminoles, bench pressing 515 in spring testing.

Freshman Year (1999): Backup to All-American Jason Whitaker at offensive guard...played brilliantly in Clemson game when Whitaker missed all but a couple of

plays with the flu...suffered severe ankle sprain against Clemson and missed the rest of season.

1998: Redshirted

High School: Considered one of the top three offensive linemen in Texas after his senior season at Jefferson High School...also played on the defensive front where he recorded 71 tackles, three sacks and two fumble recoveries as a senior...rated the No. 9 offensive line prospect in the Big 12 region by *Prep Star*...earned All-American honors from the *National Recruiting Advisor*...also an accomplished track and field performer in high school...selected Florida State over Texas, Texas A&M, Texas Tech and Oklahoma.

Person: Born May 21, 1980...majoring in psychology...one of seven Texans on the Seminole roster.

#28 CHRIS HOPE

Free Safety, 6-2, 195, Junior
Rock Hill, SC (Rock Hill)



At Florida State: Academic All-America candidate last year who is expected to have a breakout season in 2000...tied for the team-high with four interceptions last year...one of the top-conditioned FSU athletes as well as one of the best in the classroom...carries a gpa over 3.0 and bench presses 405 lbs...stepped into the starting free safety spot as a sophomore when starter Sean Key went down with an injury...was the

leading tackler in the spring Garnet and Gold game with 13...has a knack for making the big play...named the most dependable defensive back after spring drills by the coaching staff.

Sophomore Year (1999): Entered the Sugar Bowl as a co-starter with Sean Key at free safety...had four tackles in the national championship game against Virginia Tech...started against Florida as Key was out with an injury...had a clutch interception at the goaline late in the Florida game...came up with two big third-down stops against Florida...was 10th on the team in tackles with 41, including 28 solo...co-leader on the team with four interceptions...had two tackles for loss and caused a fumble...also contributed on several special teams.

Freshman Year (1998): Played in all 13 games of his true freshman season as a backup to Dexter Jackson at free safety...recorded 34 tackles, including 24 solo stops as a true freshman...also a key contributor on special teams...credited with pass deflections against Miami and Florida...recovered a fumble against USC and forced a fumble against Clemson...earned kicking game Victor's Club honors five times...also garnered defensive Victor's Club honors against Clemson, Wake Forest and Florida.

High School: *USA Today* First Team All-American...Parade All-American...named USA Today South Carolina Player of the Year...played both offense and defense his senior year...recorded 114 tackles and three interceptions on defense, while rushing for 1,319 yards and 20 touchdowns as a running back...selected to PrepStars' Dream Team and ranked the No. 1 defensive back prospect by the same publication...No. 6 prospect nationally by Bill Buchalter...received first-team All-America honors from G&W recruiting...first-team All-South from Forrest Davis...rated the No. 3 defensive back and No. 50 nationally by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...member of the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* Super Southern 100...selected to the *Orlando Sentinel* All-Southern team...*Tampa Tribune's* No. 8-rated recruit and No. 1 defensive back nationally...No. 6 recruit nationally by *St. Petersburg Times*...finished four-year career with 474 tackles, 10 interceptions and four fumble recoveries...set a school record starting 55 consecutive games...selected FSU over Michigan, Florida and South Carolina.

Personal: Born September 29, 1980...majoring in communication...should contend for Academic All-America honors this season.



Montrae Holland

Chris Hope

HOPE'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1998	24	10	34	0	0	2	1	1	0
1999	28	13	41	2	0	0	1	0	4
TOTAL	52	23	75	2	0	2	2	1	4

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#12 ABDUAL HOWARD

Rover, 6-1, 190, Junior
Quincy, FL (Shanks)



At Florida State: Talented defensive back who can play either safety position...will enter the 2000 season listed as the backup to Derrick Gibson at rover...should see considerable playing time as a junior...was the second-leading tackler in the spring Garnet and Gold game with seven...an excellent all-around athlete who runs a 4.43 40 and has a team-best vertical jump of 41.5 inches.

Sophomore Year (1999): Most of his playing time came on special teams...had two tackles in the Sugar Bowl...intercepted a pass and returned it for a touchdown against NC State to cap the Seminoles scoring...can play either safety position and saw time in the nickel package...had 24 tackles on the year.

1998: Missed the entire season after suffering a compound fracture of his finger in the preseason.

Freshman Year (1997): Recorded five tackles, three solo, in nine games as a true freshman...was a backup at cornerback to All-ACC selection, and current Tennessee Titan, Samari Rolle...also saw action on special teams...had three solo tackles in Miami game...recorded pass break-ups in the Duke and Wake Forest wins...had six intimidations and five blocks on return...registered his first career interception against Georgia Tech and returned it 31 yards.

High School: Played three positions, while being named to Class 4A all-state team as a senior at Shanks High School...recorded 12 total touchdowns and 1,190 all-purpose yards and added 116 tackles and five interceptions as a senior...was only thrown at nine times at cornerback with one being caught...named to the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* Super Southern 100, *Gainesville Sun* Top 30 and the *Tallahassee Democrat* Top 50...rated the No. 14 defensive back nationally by *SuperPrep*...ranked the No. 4 free safety in the country and No. 61 overall by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...listed at No. 65 nationally and No. 15 in the South by Tom Lemming...selected FSU over Georgia, Florida, Ohio State and Nebraska.

Personal: Born January 27, 1979...majoring in criminology...attended the same high school as former Seminole and current Tampa Bay Buccaneer Dexter Jackson.

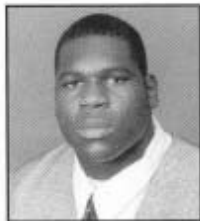
HOWARD'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1999	11	13	24	0	0	0	0	0	1

Abdual Howard

#42 JEREL HUDSON

Linebacker, 6-3, 258, Sophomore
Homestead, FL (South Dade)



At Florida State: Enters his sophomore season as the backup to Bradley Jennings at middle linebacker...saw action in 10 games last season, mostly on special teams...recorded 14 tackles...was moved to defensive tackle at the start of spring drills but injuries at linebacker forced his move back to the position...may eventually wind up back on the defensive line.

Freshman Year (1999): Appeared in 10 games and made 14 tackles...six of his stops were solos...backed up Bradley Jennings at middle linebacker but was also a key contributor on special teams...totaled a season-high four tackles against Duke...made three tackles in the win at Virginia...member of the Victor's Club on special teams after his performances against Miami, Duke, NC State and Wake Forest.

1998: Redshirted along with the majority of his signing class.

High School: A hard worker who emerged as one of the top linebacking prospects in the state as a senior...registered 97 tackles (10 for loss), six sacks, four interceptions and three fumble recoveries in final season...excellent coverage skills allowed him to see playing time at strong safety at South Dade...a Class 5A all-state first-team selection...*SuperPrep's* No. 24 prospect in Florida and No. 28 linebacker nationally...listed as the No. 2 inside linebacker in the state by the *Florida Times-Union*...a three-sport star for the Buccaneers with letters in basketball and track as well as football...named the school's athlete of the year following senior year...selected to play in the Florida-Georgia All-Star game...turned in personal bests of 4.6 in the 40-yard dash and a bench press of 365 pounds...chose FSU over Florida, Miami, West Virginia and Kansas State.

Personal: Football runs in the family as three of his brothers have college football experience with one brother who played at Iowa State and two who played for Bethune-Cookman...born November 12, 1980...physical education major.

Jerel Hudson

HUDSON'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1999	6	8	14	0	0	1	0	0	0

#82 PATRICK HUGHES

Tight End, 6-5, 245, Junior
Nacogdoches, TX (Nacogdoches)



At Florida State: Enters his junior season fighting for playing time at tight end...enters the fall listed third on the depth chart along with Carver Donaldson...fine athlete whose talent will take him a long way once he gains experience at collegiate level...caught one pass for 10 yards in this year's spring game...played in every game in 1999...was one of four true freshmen to see action in 1998...excellent hands make

him a receiving threat.

Sophomore Year (1999): Played in all 12 games...caught one pass for 13 yards during the regular season...reception came in the season-opening win over Louisiana Tech...solid blocker who also saw time in short yardage sets...also a member of several special teams units.

Freshman Year (1998): Played in five games as a backup to Myron Jackson and Nick Franklin at tight end as a true freshman...only catch of the year was a six-yarder against Duke...one of four true freshman to earn a letter on the year (Chris Hope, Jared Jones and Robert Morgan were the others).

High School: Rated as the nation's top prep tight end prospect by the *National Recruiting Advisor* and *SuperPrep* after his senior season at Nacogdoches High...caught 13 passes for 225 yards and four touchdowns in a run-oriented offense...a *USA Today* honorable mention All-America pick...recorded 81 "pancake" blocks...twice named All-District...selected FSU over Miami, LSU, Texas A&M and Texas.

Personal: Born March 24, 1980...majoring in business administration...one of 10 members of the FSU team from the state of Texas (Rufus Brown, Devard Darling, Devaughn Darling, Kevin Emanuel, Montrae Holland, Bobby Meeks, B.J. Ward, David Warren and Ray Willis are the others).



Patrick Hughes

HUGHES' CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	REC	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1998	1	6	6.0	0	6
1999	1	13	13.0	0	13
TOTAL	2	19	9.5	0	13

#48 ALONZO JACKSON

Defensive End, 6-4, 245, Sophomore
Americus, GA (Americus)

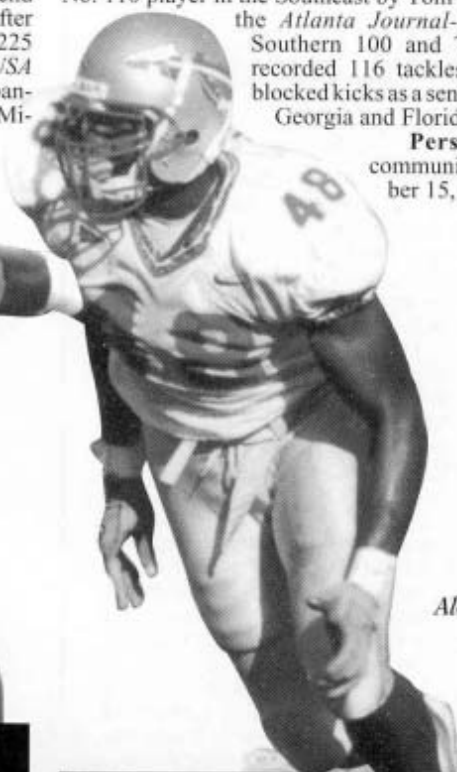


At Florida State: Impressive sophomore who played in all 12 regular season games as a true freshman in 1999...listed behind returning starter Jamal Reynolds at right defensive end...just one of three true freshman to play in the 1999 season...led all defensive linemen with five tackles during the spring game...should see even more playing time in the 2000 season.

Freshman Year (1999): Credited with 13 total tackles, three solo tackles and one pass break up...had nine total tackles in back-to-back games versus North Carolina (four tackles) and Duke (five tackles)...registered one solo tackle in the National Championship game versus Virginia Tech.

High School: A standout defensive line prospect from the state of Georgia...joins high school teammate Fabian Walker in FSU's signing class...a *USA Today* Honorable Mention All-American...selected as a *SuperPrep* All-American after playing both offense and defense in high school...a first-team Class 2A all-state selection...ranked the No. 24 defensive lineman in the nation by *SuperPrep* and the No. 25 prospect by Dixie...rated the No. 110 player in the Southeast by Tom Lemming...member of the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution's* Super Southern 100 and Top 50 in Georgia...recorded 116 tackles, 16 sacks and three blocked kicks as a senior...selected FSU over Georgia and Florida.

Personal: Majoring in communication...born September 15, 1980.



Alonzo Jackson

A. JACKSON'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	TACKLES	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	INT
1999	3	10	13	0	0	1	0

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#84 GENNARO JACKSON

Split End, 6-1, 182, Junior
Jacksonville, FL (Raines)



At Florida State: Expected to compete for playing time with a young but talented group of receivers...will be called upon to help replace departed senior, and Cincinnati Bengal's draft pick, Ron Dugans.

1997-1999: Walk-on member of the scout team.

High School: Leading wide receiver at Raines his senior year...caught 40 passes for more than 800 yards in an option offense...spent time at safety during his senior season and recorded 20 solo tackles and 2 interceptions...rated as one of the Top 30 players in Jacksonville his senior year...All Academic team his senior year...recruited by Florida, Miami, Clemson, Kansas State, Purdue, Louisville, South Florida, West Point, Kentucky and Pitt.

Personal: Accounting major with a cumulative 3.1 GPA... president of the Progressive Black Men service organization... member of the Rotary Club at William M. Raines High School...born October 26, 1978.

Seminole SIDeline

Hollywood 'Noles



In 1964 and '65, Robert Urich was a dashing offensive lineman for the Seminoles before leaving for the bright lights of Hollywood and TV starring roles that included "Vegas", "Spencer For Hire", and most recently "The Lazarus Man."



FSU football has produced a celebrated history of television and movie actors including Burt Reynolds, for whom the former athletic dorm was named. Buddy to his teammates at FSU, Reynolds was a highly regarded running back from West Palm Beach. He gained 134 yards as a freshman in

1954, including a 54-yard run against Auburn. Reynolds tried a comeback at FSU in 1957 after an auto accident left him with a bad knee, and was starting in the secondary until an NC State receiver ran behind their bench and back on the field for an incredible touchdown that sent Buddy packing for Hollywood.

Paul Gleason, a teammate of Reynolds, is also a very successful actor who has played a number of memorable roles including that of Clarence Beaks, the maligned courier of crop reports, in "Trading Places."

Danny Green played at FSU from 1971-73 and starred on the big screen in "Elvira — Princess of Darkness" and "King Pin" among other films.

#94 O.J. JACKSON

Defensive End, 6-2, 255, Sophomore
Miami, FL (Carol City)



At Florida State: Expected to compete for playing time at right defensive end...listed behind returning starter Jamal Reynolds and Alonzo Jackson entering the 2000 season...appeared in all 12 games during the 1999 season.

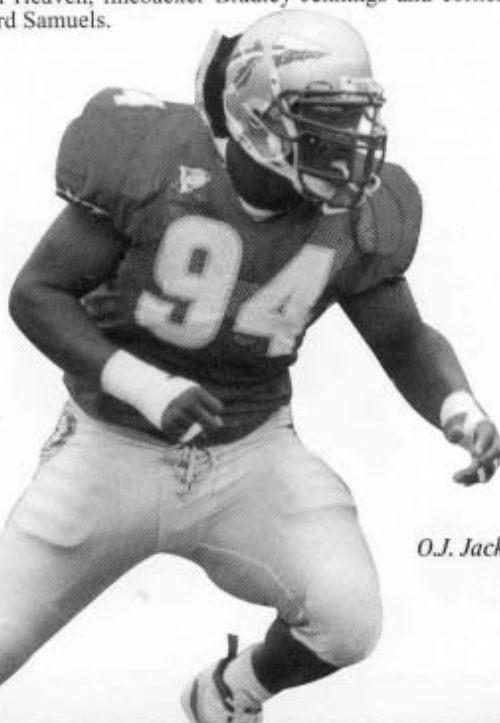
Freshman Year (1999): Posted 18 total tackles and two solo tackles in 11 games...garnered six tackles twice during the season versus Louisiana Tech and

Duke...key member of several FSU's special teams.

1998: Redshirted along with most of his class.

High School: Dominant defender at state powerhouse Carol City High...first team Class 6A all-state selection as a senior after recording 89 tackles and 22 sacks...helped the Chiefs win back-to-back state championships as a junior and senior...ranked as the second best defensive lineman in the state of Florida as a senior by the *Florida Times-Union*...chose Florida State over Kansas State, Miami and Alabama.

Personal: Born January 17, 1980...majoring in criminology...one of five players from Dade County in FSU's 1998 recruiting class...given name is Octavis, but prefers to go by his initials...attended the same high school as Seminole offensive guard Donald Heaven, linebacker Bradley Jennings and cornerback Stanford Samuels.



O.J. Jackson

O.J. JACKSON'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	TACKLES	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	INT
1999	2	16	18	0	0	0	0

#44 BRADLEY JENNINGS

Middle Linebacker, 6-3, 230, Junior
Miami, FL (Carol City)



At Florida State: Returning for his second season as Florida State's starting middle linebacker...had an outstanding sophomore campaign when he made 94 tackles to rank third on the team...one of the hardest hitters the program has seen in recent years...has earned the nickname "Monster" from his teammates for his bone-jarring tackles...excellent as a run stopper in short yardage situations...has worked

himself into the prototype middle linebacker with strength to stop the run and speed to chase down the sweep.

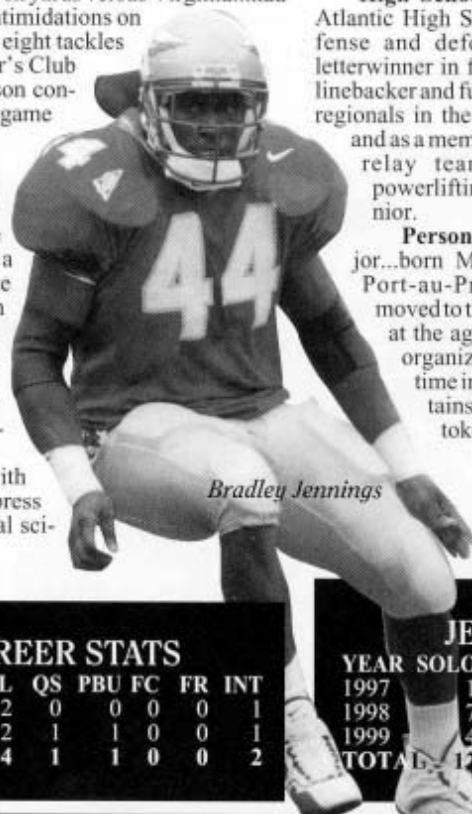
Sophomore Year (1999): Started every game at middle linebacker...finished third on the team with 94 total tackles...40 of his stops were unassisted...also made two tackles for loss and had a quarterback sack...earned Victor's Club honors from the coaching staff for nine games (Louisiana Tech, Georgia Tech, NC State, North Carolina, Miami, Wake Forest, Clemson, Virginia and Maryland)...had five double-figure tackle games...posted a career-high 14 tackles at North Carolina...had 11 against Miami, Wake Forest and at Clemson...made 10 tackles against Maryland...sack came at North Carolina...had an interception in the win over Florida.

Freshman Year (1998): Saw playing time backing up Brian Allen and Demetro Stephens at middle linebacker...recorded 26 total tackles, 14 of which were solo...registered tackles for loss against NC State and Clemson...pulled down the first interception of his career and returned it seven yards versus Virginia...had three knock 'em backs and three intimidations on the season...piled up a career-high eight tackles against Clemson...named to Victor's Club by coaches in Virginia and Clemson contests...earned Victor's Club kicking game honors against Florida.

1997: Redshirted.

High School: Emerged late in the recruiting season after leading Carol City to the Class 6A state title...led the Chiefs in tackles and had a dominating performance in state championship game...a first-team Class 6A pick as a senior...listed as the No. 60 prospect in Florida by *SuperPrep*...rated as the No. 3 linebacker in Florida by the *Florida Times-Union*...selected FSU over Auburn and West Virginia.

Personal: Combines size with 4.6 speed and a 430-pound bench press...born December 2, 1977...a social science major.



Bradley Jennings

#32 JEAN JEUNE

Linebacker, 5-9, 195, Senior
Boynton Beach, FL (Atlantic)



At Florida State: Former walk-on who earned a scholarship before last season with outstanding defensive and special teams play...a versatile athlete who has good speed (4.5) and power (400 lb. bench)...had five tackles in the spring game...enters the fall listed as Brian Allen's backup at linebacker but could see time at both rover and linebacker this fall...FSU representative at the NCAA Leadership

Conference in the summer of 1999.

Junior Year (1999): Saw action at safety in the nickel packages and on kickoffs, kickoff return and punt returns...was instrumental on special teams in the national championship game against Virginia Tech...had a tackle in the Louisiana Tech, NC State, Duke, Miami, Wake Forest, Clemson and Virginia games.

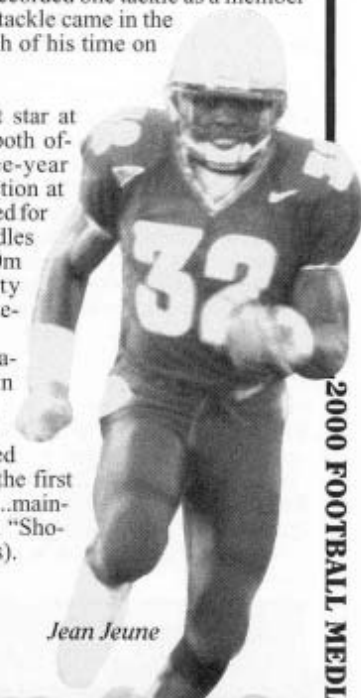
Sophomore Year (1998): Made significant contributions on kickoff returns and coverage teams as a walk-on...recorded 11 total tackles, including seven solo stops...made a season-high three tackles against both Maryland and Clemson...earned kicking game Victor's Club honors in six games.

Freshman Year (1997): Recorded one tackle as a member of the special teams units...lone tackle came in the Georgia Tech game...spent much of his time on the kickoff and punt teams.

1996: Redshirted.

High School: Three-sport star at Atlantic High School...played both offense and defense as a three-year letterwinner in football...saw action at linebacker and fullback...qualified for regionals in the 300-meter hurdles and as a member of the 4x100m relay team...won county powerlifting honors as a senior.

Personal: Sociology major...born March 6, 1978 in Port-au-Prince, Haiti...moved to the United States at the age of four...played organized football for the first time in the ninth grade...maintains a green belt in "Shotokan" (martial arts).



Jean Jeune

JENNINGS' CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1998	14	12	26	2	0	0	0	0	1
1999	40	52	94	2	1	1	0	0	1
TOTAL	54	64	120	4	1	1	0	0	2

JEUNE'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1997	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
1998	7	4	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
1999	4	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	12	7	19	0	0	0	0	0	0

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#11 JARED JONES

Quarterback, 6-5, 235, Junior
Walla Walla, WA (Walla Walla)



At Florida State: Has the size and arm strength to be an excellent passer...completed two passes for 21 yards playing behind Chris Weinke for the Garnet team in the spring game...enters his junior campaign listed third on the depth chart behind veteran seniors Chris Weinke and Marcus Outzen, but could redshirt this season...saw playing time in four games last year...was one of four true freshmen to

see action in 1998...was named the most improved quarterback at the conclusion of spring drills last year.

Sophomore Year (1999): FSU's third-team quarterback in just his second season with the Seminoles...completed five of 13 attempts for 25 yards with two interceptions while playing in four games...saw action against Louisiana Tech, UNC, Duke and Maryland.

Freshman Year (1998): Forced into action after starting quarterback Chris Weinke went down with a serious neck injury in the Virginia game...played in one game, completing 2-of-6 passes for eight yards against Wake Forest...was hoping to redshirt but coaches felt that he needed to see playing time if called on against Florida or in the national championship game...spent much of his first season learning the complicated FSU offensive system.

High School: Joined Weinke and former Seminole Dan Kendra as the third *Parade* All-American quarterback on the Seminole roster when he signed...rated the No. 5 quarterback and No. 26 overall prospect in the country by the *Tampa Tribune*...tabbed as the No. 7 QB in the country by Tom Lemming and 12th by *SuperPrep*...listed as the sixth-best QB in the country and No. 37 prospect nationally by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...completed 62 of 124 passes for 684 yards as a senior in a run-oriented attack...carried the ball 70 times for 317 yards and one touchdown...a first-team all-state selection as a free safety during senior campaign...highly-touted baseball prospect who was selected in the 27th round by the Baltimore Orioles...selected FSU over Washington and Tennessee.

Personal: Attended the same high school as New England Patriot quarterback Drew Bledsoe...born June 25, 1980...majoring in sports management.

JONES' CAREER STATS

YEAR	ATT-COM-INT	PCT	YARDS	TDS	LONG
1998	6-2-1	.333	8	0	8
1999	13-5-2	.385	25	0	9
TOTAL	19-7-3	.368	33	0	9

Jared Jones

#20 NICK MADDOX

Tailback, 6-0, 190, Sophomore
Kannapolis, NC (A.L. Brown)



At Florida State: Very talented tailback who saw significant playing time in his rookie season last year...one of the most highly recruited tailbacks in the country coming out of high school...picked up the Florida State system very quickly and had an excellent spring...very elusive in the open field with great speed...big-play threat every time he touches the ball...excellent student who is considering redshirting this season.

Freshman Year (1999): Finished his first year third on the team with 111 yards on 29 rushing attempts...also caught five passes for 34 yards...returned two kickoffs for 43 yards...had 46 yards on seven carries in the season opening win over Louisiana Tech...rushed eight times for 39 yards at North Carolina...one of just three freshmen to play in 1999.

High School: One of the most sought after running backs in the country...totaled 2,536 yards and 33 touchdowns on 267 carries as a senior (9.5 yards per carry) at Brown...had 20 catches for 268 yards and eight scores...added four punt returns for touchdowns of 50 yards or more...finished his career with 6,624 rushing yards and 114 total touchdowns (state record)...a *Parade* All-American and first-team *USA Today* All-USA selection...the *USA Today* Player of the Year for the state of North Carolina...Tom Lemming's No. 1 prospect in the Mid-Atlantic and No. 2 prospect nationally...*SuperPrep*'s No. 4 running back (No. 14 player overall) nationally...No. 1 running back in the country by *PrepStar* and offensive MVP of the ACC region...regarded as the No. 8 prospect in the country by *The Sporting News*...listed at No. 22 overall by the *NRA*...named the 1998 Gatorade Circle of Champions high school player

Nick Maddox

of the year for the Southern region and state of North Carolina (athletic/academic achievement)...the No. 1 player in the state according to Bill Buchalter...also ran track and played basketball...led football team to 13-1 season as a senior...carried 10 times for 102 yards and two scores (12 and 60-yard runs) in the North Carolina/South Carolina Shrine Bowl...reported 40-yard dash of 4.5...chose FSU over Georgia, Florida, North Carolina, Tennessee and Notre Dame.

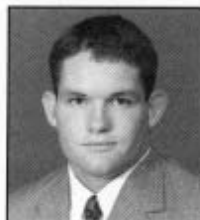
Personal: Business administration major.

MADDOX'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	CARRIES	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1999	29	111	3.8	0	9

#39 CHAD MAEDER

Fullback, 6-3, 240, Junior
Brooksville, FL (Central)



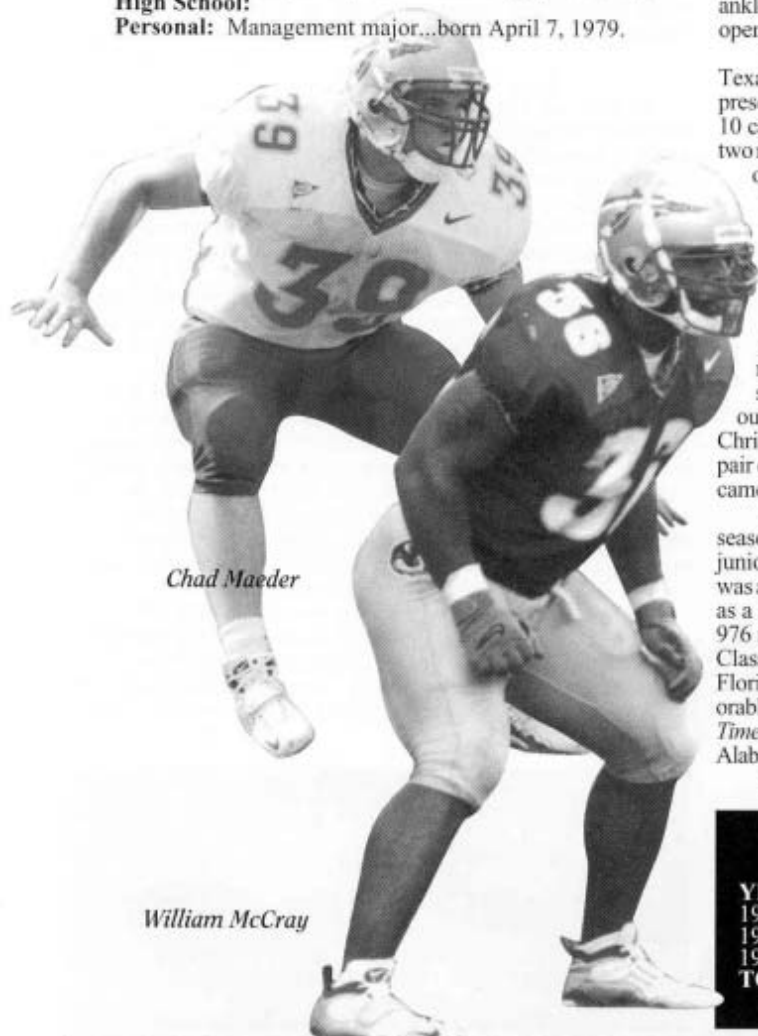
At Florida State: Former walk-on fullback who earned a scholarship last season...saw playing time behind Dan Kendra last season...his ability to add depth and play on several special teams was invaluable particularly with the loss of William McCray early in the season...a valuable performer on special teams...had one carry for two yards and one catch for eight yards on the year.

Sophomore Year (1999): Became very important player when starting fullback William McCray was lost for the season following the first game...backed up Dan Kendra at fullback and played on a number of special teams...played much of the season with a broken bone in his hand...solid blocker who picks up the blitz well.

Freshman Year (1998): Did not see any game action.

High School:

Personal: Management major...born April 7, 1979.



Chad Maeder

William McCray

#36 WILLIAM McCRAY

Fullback, 6-0, 225, Junior
Jacksonville, FL (Bolles)



At Florida State: Enters the fall anxious to resume his starting role at fullback...began last year as the starter at fullback but broke his leg in practice the week following the season-opener and was lost for the year...excellent fullback with tailback speed, but size to be effective blocker...coaches were excited with his ability during spring drills...fine receiver out of the backfield as well...gives coaches an experienced fullback in the

backfield in 2000...established himself as a freshman when he scored two touchdowns in the Sugar Bowl victory over Ohio State at the end of the 1997 season.

1999: Forced to take a medical redshirt after winning starting fullback duties for the season opener...suffered a fractured right lower leg during the off week following the Louisiana Tech game...had successful surgery with a plate and five screws inserted to support the ankle...rushed three times for eight yards and a touchdown in the opener...expected to retake his starting fullback position in 2000.

Sophomore Year (1998): Played in 10 games after missing the Texas A&M and NC State games...suffered a sprained knee in preseason drills which kept him out of the first two games...recorded 10 carries for 22 yards and two touchdowns on the season...added two receptions for eight yards...scored his first touchdown of the year on a one-yard plunge against Duke and recorded a season-high five attempts for seven yards against the Blue Devils...added a TD run in the victory over Miami...rushed the ball four times for nine yards and a touchdown in the national championship game versus Tennessee...named to the Victor's Club after four games...member of the kickoff special teams units.

Freshman Year (1997): One of 14 true freshmen to play...appeared in every game at fullback and on special teams...ran six times for 22 yards during the regular season but did not score on the ground...added eight catches for 77 yards and a TD out of the backfield...touchdown came on a nine-yard pass from Chris Weinke against Maryland...capped his rookie season with a pair of touchdowns in the Sugar Bowl win against Ohio State...TDs came on two, one-yard plunges.

High School: Rushed for over 3,000 yards during his final two seasons at the Bolles School...carried his team to the state title as a junior with a 274-yard, two-touchdown rushing performance and was a three-year starter...considered the state's top fullback prospect as a senior...combined for over 1,500 all-purpose yards, including 976 rushing, and scored 35 touchdowns as a senior...twice earned Class 4A first team all-state honors...rated as the No. 21 prospect in Florida and the country's No. 4 fullback by *SuperPrep*...was an honorable mention All-America selection by *USA Today*...earned *Florida Times Union* Player of the Year honors...chose the Seminoles over Alabama...prep teammate Char-ron Dorsey should start at tight tackle.

Personal: Born on January 31, 1979...majoring in criminology.

McCRAY'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	CARRIES	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1997	6	22	3.7	0	10
1998	22	73	3.3	2	30
1999	3	8	2.7	1	5
TOTAL	31	103	3.3	3	30

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#13 MARVIN MINNIS

Flanker, 6-1, 185, Senior
Miami, FL (Northwestern)



a 4.40 in the 40-yard dash during spring testing.

At Florida State: FSU's top returning receiver with 19 catches last year...the emotional leader of the receiving corps who has made a number of big plays over his career...a starter in the three and four wide receiver sets with Ron Dugans and Peter Warrick last season...begins pre-season practice listed at No. 1 at flanker with Atreus Bell...caught four passes for 82 yards in the Garnet & Gold game...ran



Marvin Minnis

Junior Year (1999): Played in 10 of 12 games, missing the first two games with a broken bone in his foot...started against Miami and caught four passes for 58 yards and a TD...ranked third on the team with 19 receptions...totaled 257 yards receiving and three touchdowns on the season...turned in his best performance of the year in FSU's 30-23 victory at Florida...matched a season-high with four receptions for 58 yards and a touchdown...TD was a 27-yarder from Chris Weinke with just over six minutes remaining that sealed the win...recorded three catches for 56 yards against Maryland...helped key FSU's comeback win at Virginia with two touchdown catches...scored on a six-yard throw from Weinke to tie the game at seven...caught a 20-yard scoring strike to give the Seminoles the lead for good at 14-10...had two catches for 25 yards in the national championship game versus Virginia Tech...finished the season with receptions in eight straight games.

Sophomore Year (1998): Stepped up in his sophomore season to round out FSU's outstanding receiving quartet...appeared in every game and was a part-time starter in multi-receiver sets...finished third on the team with 22 catches for 338 yards...averaged 15.4 yards per reception and had two TD grabs...had catches in nine games...best game of the season came in his hometown of Miami when the Seminoles downed the Hurricanes 26-14...caught four balls for 70 yards and a touchdown in the Orange Bowl...TD came on a 23-yard strike from Chris Weinke...had a highlight reel grab in that contest when he went airborne over two UM defenders for a key 25-yard gain on FSU's first play of the second half...also made four catches against Clemson, totaling 50 yards, including a 15-yard TD...showed signs of his breakout season in the first game of the year when he caught four passes for 35 yards versus Texas A&M.

Freshman Year (1997): Made an immediate impact in a deep receiving corps during his redshirt freshman season...played in every game and finished with 11 catches for 163 yards and a touchdown...scored his first collegiate TD on a 20-yard hookup with Thad Busby in FSU's 38-0 shutout of Georgia Tech...season-long catch was a 23-yarder against Miami...posted season-highs of three receptions and 53 receiving yards against Georgia Tech...also ran twice on reverses for six yards.

1996: Sat out the season as a redshirt...impressed coaches with his play early in preseason practice and may have seen some game time but suffered a broken arm in a preseason scrimmage that dictated his redshirt.

High School: A *USA Today* honorable mention All-American and a *Bluechip* Dream Teamer...the top-rated wide receiver in the Southeast according to *Bluechip Illustrated*...a second team Class 6A all-state selection...recorded 109 yards on four receptions in the Class 6A state title game as a senior...had 35 catches for 855 yards and 10 touchdowns in his final season at Miami Northwestern...one of eight members of the 1996 recruiting class selected to play in the Florida-Georgia All-Star Game...chose FSU over Miami, Notre Dame and Florida.

Personal: A criminology major...born February 6, 1977...fan favorite of the home Doak Campbell Stadium crowd, who chant his nickname "Snoop" after all his catches...earned the moniker after the Peanuts character Snoopy...prepped at the same high school as FSU Butkus Award winner and All-American linebacker Marvin Jones.

MINNIS' CAREER STATS

YEAR	RECEPTIONS	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1997	11	163	14.8	1	23
1998	22	338	15.4	2	43
1999	19	257	13.5	3	27
Career	52	758	14.6	6	43



#23 TRAVIS MINOR

Tailback, 6-1, 190, Senior
Baton Rouge, LA (Catholic)



At Florida State: One of the nation's top returning tailbacks who could finish among FSU's top three all-time rushers...battled injuries throughout last season, but still managed to lead the Seminoles in rushing for a third straight season...has 2,295 carrier rushing yards at FSU...had a tremendous spring where he concentrated on his speed and breaking the big play...has been a terrific tailback for the Seminoles through-

out his career particularly in the big games...coaches have the utmost confidence in his ability to make the plays...slowed by injuries in the Sugar Bowl, but still shook loose on a daring fourth down toss-sweep that may have been the turning point in the game...deceptively powerful tailback who runs well in traffic...gives the Seminoles three returning starters in the backfield and they will be asked to carry the team early as the receiving corps is young.

Junior Year (1999): FSU's top rusher for the third straight season...named second-team All ACC finished the year with 815 yards and seven touchdowns on 180 rushing attempts...moved up to fifth on the FSU all-time rushing list with 2,295 yards...has also moved to fifth on the school's career rushing touchdown chart with 23...caught 16 passes out of the backfield for 102 yards...suffered an ankle sprain at Florida and was forced to miss most of the second half...including that game, still averaged almost 100 yards per game against AP Top 10 teams in his career as a starter (686 yards in 7 games - 98.0)...carried the ball nine times for 35 yards against Virginia Tech in the Sugar Bowl...rushed for 122 yards and one touchdown on 22 carries in FSU's 41-35 win over Georgia Tech...had the second-best rushing day of his career against Miami with 146 yards and one TD on 25 attempts...scored twice at UNC as the Seminoles opened up a 28-0 lead in the first quarter...rushed 29 times for 100 yards and a score in a hard fought 17-14 win at Clemson...three 100-yard rushing games came in three of the four closest games of the season.

Sophomore Year (1998): Named first-team All-ACC after playing in 11 games...started nine games during the year, while limited in the Miami and Georgia Tech games with an ankle injury...hurt in the first half of the Southern California game, finishing the game with 19 yards on seven carries...rushed for over 100 yards five

times, including the final four games of the regular season...set an FSU record with 34 carries in the season opener versus Texas A&M...rushed for a season-high and his second highest career total with 146 yards and one touchdown against the Aggies...rushed the ball 15 times for 83 yards in the National Championship game versus Tennessee...recorded two touchdowns against Duke, North Carolina and Wake Forest...rushed 28 times for 130 yards and one touchdown against Virginia...carried the ball 30 times for 127 yards in the victory over Florida...named Dominator of the Game following the Texas A&M and Virginia games...also totaled 21 receptions for 189 yards and one touchdown...caught three passes for a season-high 56 yards at Wake Forest...named ACC Offensive Back of the Week against Texas A&M...named Offensive MVP and Most Dependable Back by the offensive coaches at the conclusion of the 1999 spring scrimmage.

Freshman Year (1997): Began the season as one of the most heralded recruits in Florida State history and ended it as the ACC Rookie of the Year...earned starting tailback honors midway through the year and finished with 623 yards rushing and nine touchdowns on 112 carries...added 27 receptions for 207 yards and two more scores...led the team in rushing and finished fourth in receptions...totals do not include an impressive Sugar Bowl performance in the win over Ohio State...ran for 53 yards on 12 carries and caught a game-high nine passes for 55 yards against the Buckeyes...tied E.G. Green for the team lead with 11 total touchdowns...made the first start of his career at Virginia and responded with 157 yards on 17 carries...scored on an 87-yard run on the first play of that game and added 68 yards receiving...added two more 100-yard rushing games...posted 128 yards on 30 carries at North Carolina...ran for 142 yards on 21 attempts and a score at Florida...started four times and compiled 493 yards rushing (five TDs) and 156 receiving yards (two TDs) in those games...his nine rushing scores tied for the 10th most in a season in school history and his 87-yard run at UVA was the fourth longest from scrimmage in program annals...earned ACC Rookie of the Week honors four times and was a second team all-league selection...also named FSU's top offensive newcomer by the coaching staff.

High School: One of the most highly-touted recruits ever to sign with Florida State after a distinguished prep career at Catholic High School in Baton Rouge, LA...*USA Today's* Offensive Player of the Year...attended the same high school as FSU's all-time leading rusher and current Tampa Bay Buccaneer Warrick Dunn...rushed for 2,649 yards and 33 touchdowns as a senior...three-year prep totals included 4,706 yards rushing and 52 TDs...averaged 12 yards per carry as a senior while carrying his team to the state semifinals...also caught 25 passes for 598 yards and 10 scores...amassed 763 return

yards and four TDs...caught 62 balls in his career for 1,344 yards and 20 scores...a two-time first team all-state performer and Louisiana's Player of the Year as a senior...first team *Parade* All-American...a *SuperPrep* All-American and their top-rated running back and No. 7 overall prospect...also named to the *PrepStar* Dream Team and Reebok All-America team...selected Florida State over LSU, Notre Dame and Florida.

Personal: Born June 30, 1979...a sports management major...wore Warrick Dunn's jersey number 28 in high school but switched to No. 23 at FSU to make a name for himself.

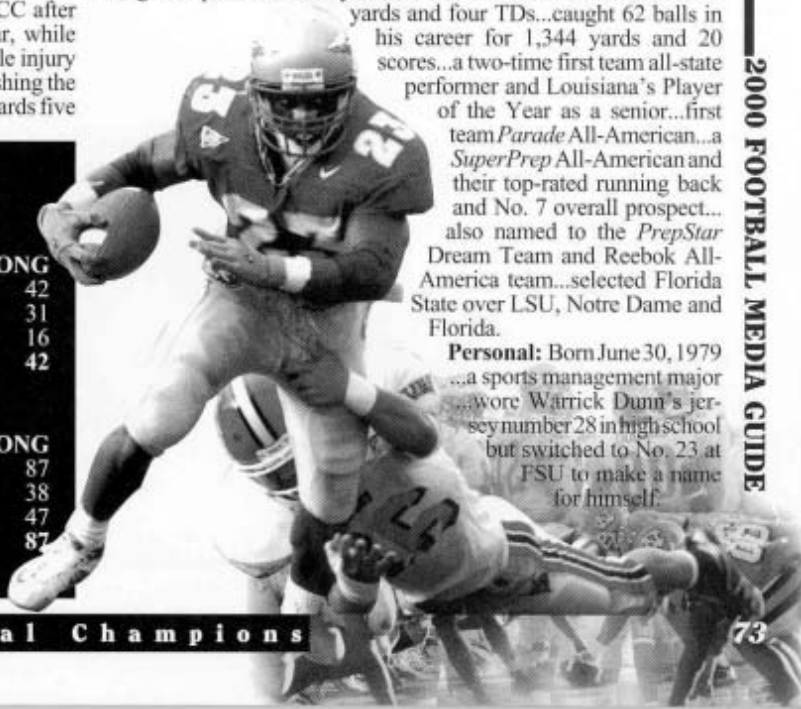
MINOR'S CAREER STATS

Receiving

YEAR	RECEPTIONS	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1997	27	207	7.7	2	42
1998	21	189	9.0	1	31
1999	16	102	6.4	0	16
TOTAL	64	498	7.8	3	42

Rushing

YEAR	CARRIES	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1997	112	623	5.6	9	87
1998	191	857	4.5	7	38
1999	180	815	4.5	7	47
TOTAL	483	2295	4.8	23	87



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#52 ANTOINE MIRAMBEAU

Center, 6-4, 280, Junior
Miami, FL (Miami Beach)



At Florida State: Very talented player who should be ready for playing time after spending his first two years learning the system at center...actually moved to the defensive line briefly, but has the strength to be a fine blocker.

Sophomore Year (1999): Outstanding athletic ability moved the coaches to try him along the defensive front during the first part of the season, but settled back

at center over second half of year...played behind Eric Thomas and Jarad Moon at center.

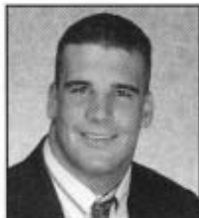
Freshman Year (1998): Was allowed to practice with the team but was limited from playing by NCAA regulations.

High School: Widely regarded as one of the nation's top center prospects despite missing his senior season at Miami Beach High School...sat out his final prep campaign after reconstructive knee surgery to repair a torn anterior cruciate ligament...finished third in the state heavyweight wrestling championships as a senior...picked Florida State over Miami and West Virginia.

Personal: Born July 11, 1979...majoring in sports management.

#54 JARAD MOON

Center, 6-4, 300, Senior
Panama City, FL (Bay)



At Florida State: Enters his senior season as the starting center for Florida State...veteran who will be looked upon for leadership...split time with Eric Thomas over the last two years, but has started five games over the last two years...knows the position and had a very solid spring...very physical player with ability to handle all the blocks...calls all the blocking schemes along the Seminole offensive front.

Junior Year (1999): Started the season-opener against Louisiana Tech and saw considerable playing time at center all year...backed up senior All-ACC center Eric Thomas...gave coaches the ability to have a fresh center in the game at all times.

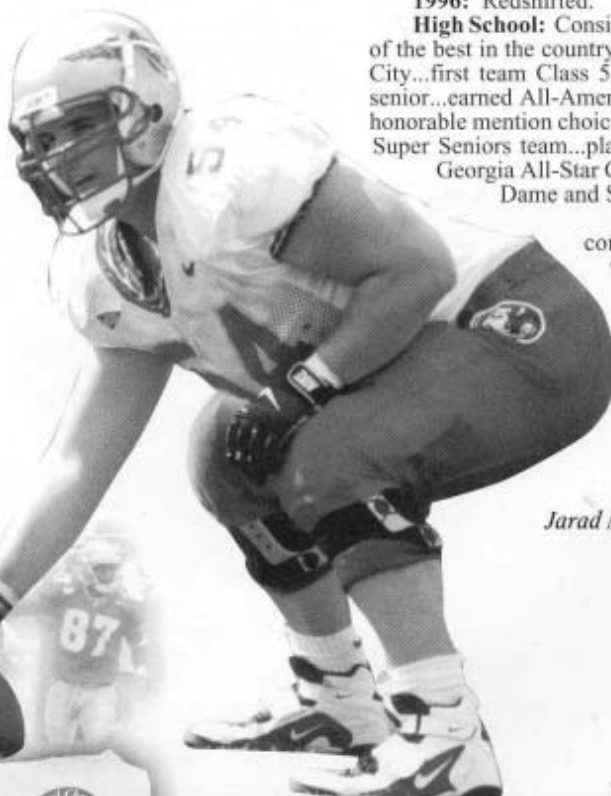
Sophomore Year (1998): Took over starting center duties for the final three games of the season, including the Fiesta Bowl against Tennessee...also opened against Wake Forest and Florida...backed up Eric Thomas during the first 10 games of the year...named a Dominator of the Week after the Virginia game...member of the Victor's Club after performances against Miami, Virginia and Wake Forest...allowed only one sack on the year.

Freshman Year (1997): Saw action with the offense in six games while playing in all games on special teams in his redshirt freshman season...proved to be a very consistent performer...continued to concentrate on learning the offensive blocking schemes and the intricate FSU system.

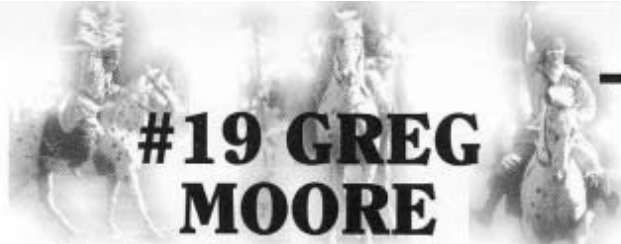
1996: Redshirted.

High School: Considered the top center in the state and one of the best in the country while at Bay High in nearby Panama City...first team Class 5A all-state performer as a junior and senior...earned All-America honors from *SuperPrep* and was a honorable mention choice by *USA Today*...named to the Florida Super Seniors team...played for Team Florida in the Florida-Georgia All-Star Game...chose FSU over Georgia, Notre Dame and South Carolina.

Personal: Born January 21, 1978...a communications major...talented artist whose sketches were featured in the Tallahassee Arts Festival.



Jarad Moon



#19 GREG MOORE

Flanker, 6-1, 185, Sophomore
Bartow, FL (Bartow)



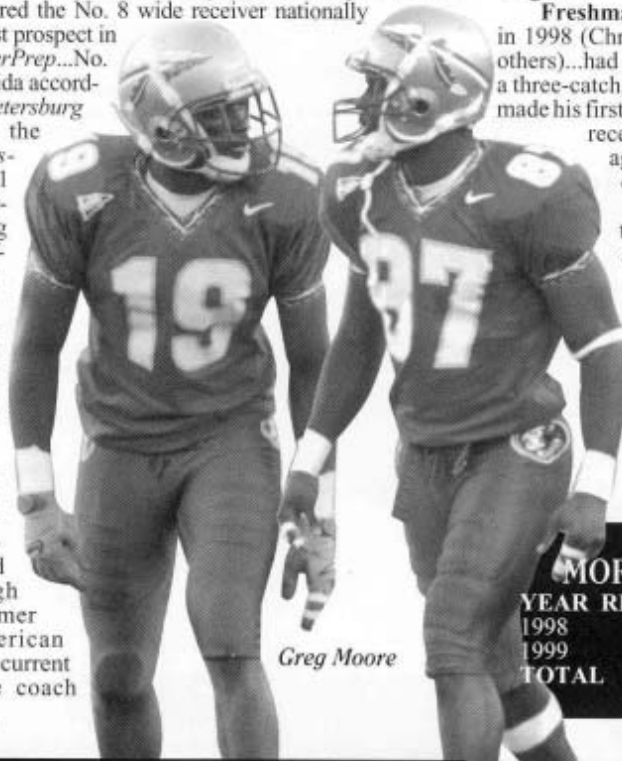
At Florida State: Spent the summer recovering from a torn ACL suffered during spring practice...impressed coaches with outstanding speed and play-making ability before the knee injury...expected to see significant playing time when he returns to action...coaches have compared his route running to that of former Seminole and current Indianapolis Colt E.G. Green.

Freshman Year (1999): Played in nine games as a redshirt freshman, including the Sugar Bowl against Virginia Tech...a reserve behind All-American Peter Warrick on what was likely the deepest receiving corps in the country...recorded three catches for 58 yards and a touchdown on the year...averaged 19.3 yards per catch...first career TD reception came on a 35-yard scoring strike from Marcus Outzen against Maryland.

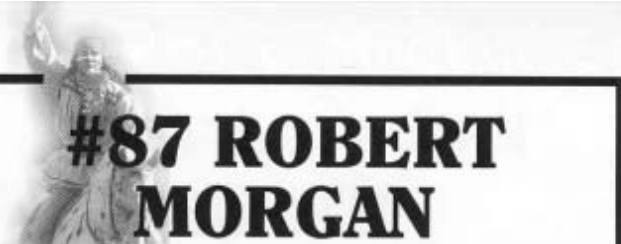
1998: Spent his redshirt season learning the Seminole offense and working with the scout team.

High School: Regarded as one of the nation's premier wide receiver recruits despite missing six games as a senior at Bartow High with a broken arm...had 13 receptions for 330 yards in four games...considered the No. 8 wide receiver nationally and the 10th best prospect in Florida by *SuperPrep*...No. 1 recruit in Florida according to the *St. Petersburg Times*...named the *Florida Times-Union* No. 1 wideout in Florida...recruiting stock soared after a 64-catch, 1,003-yard, 13-TD junior season...picked the Seminoles over Michigan, Ohio State and Tennessee.

Personal: Born February 13, 1980...social science major...attended the same high school as former FSU All-American noseguard and current defensive line coach Odell Haggins.



Greg Moore



#87 ROBERT MORGAN

Split End, 6-0, 180, Junior
East Point, GA (Tri-Cities)



At Florida State: Listed at first team split end with Anquan Boldin heading into preseason practice...second leading returning receiver in 2000 with 16 receptions...awarded the Iron Nole Award following spring practice for his ability to play through pain...hard worker who has all the tools to be another in a long line of great Seminole receivers...combines a 38-inch vertical leap with a 4.34 40-yard dash...a member of FSU's 1997 recruiting class who didn't enroll until January of 1998.

Sophomore Year (1999): Played in all 12 games on the national championship squad...started against Louisiana Tech and Wake Forest...caught 16 passes for 245 yards on the season...average of 15.3 yards per catch was the best among receivers with at least 10 receptions...had his best game at Florida where he caught three passes for 48 yards...posted a season-long catch of 28 yards in that game...recorded three catches for 28 yards in the opener vs. Louisiana Tech...pulled down two passes for 54 yards against Wake Forest...also had two receptions at Clemson and at Virginia.

Freshman Year (1998): One of four true freshmen to letter in 1998 (Chris Hope, Patrick Hughes, and Jared Jones are the others)...had six catches for 85 yards on the year...best game was a three-catch, 46-yard effort in his home state at Georgia Tech...made his first career catch against Clemson and finished with two receptions for 28 yards...also had an 11-yard catch against North Carolina...got an early jump on his classmates by enrolling in school in January.

High School: Emerged as one of the South's top receiving prospects during his senior campaign at Tri-Cities High...finished that year with 45 catches for 952 yards and seven TDs...a first team Class 4A All-Georgia selection...rated as the No. 5 wideout in the southeast by *PrepStar*...an All-Southeast pick by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...selected the Seminoles over Florida, Tennessee and Georgia.

Personal: Born October 2, 1978...a sports management major...coached in high school by former Florida State All-American offensive line-Michael Tanks.

MORGAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	RECEPTIONS	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1998	6	85	14.2	0	16
1999	16	245	15.3	0	38
TOTAL	22	330	15.0	0	38

MOORE'S CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	RECEPTIONS	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1999	3	58	19.3	1	35

Robert Morgan

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#30 BRANDON MYERS

Linebacker, 5-11, 215, Sophomore
Tallahassee, FL (Lincoln)



At Florida State: Made the move from strong safety to weakside linebacker during spring drills...gained 25 pounds during the off-season in order to play the new position...adds needed depth to a thin Seminole linebacking unit...will push for playing time as a back-up to senior starter Tommy Polley.

Freshman Year (1999): A reserve at strong safety who played in all 12

games, mainly on special teams...saw action on kickoff coverage, kickoff return and punt block teams...finished the season with two total tackles.

High School: Played for three years at Bishop Dwenger (Indiana) and one year at Lincoln...member of 4A state champion runner-up team as a junior at Bishop Dwenger...an all-state selection as a junior and was named all-conference following sophomore and junior seasons...an honorable mention All-Big Bend performer as a senior on state playoff team at Lincoln...played strong safety throughout high school career.

Personal: An exercise physiology major who plans on attending medical school...father, Bryan, was a strong safety/punter for five years in the NFL (Colts, Redskins, Rams) after playing collegiately at Ball State...born October 2, 1979.

#14 MARCUS OUTZEN

Quarterback, 6-2, 220, Senior
Ft. Walton Beach, FL (Ft. Walton)



At Florida State: Will backup Chris Weinke at quarterback...may see some action at wide receiver after working some with the unit in the spring...also serves as the holder on all extra points and field goals...completed 9-of-21 passes for 163 yards and two touchdowns in the spring game...saw action in all 12 games in 1999...stepped in for an injured Chris Weinke in 1998 and led the Seminoles to wins

over Virginia, Wake Forest and Florida and a berth in the National Championship game...tough competitor who earned Seminole folk-hero status after his gutsy performance in the win over UF...named the most dependable quarterback by the offensive coaches after the 1999 spring game.

Junior Year (1999): Backed up

Chris Weinke at quarterback while also holding on all extra points and field goals for Sebastian Janikowski...played in all 12

games...threw for 169 yards on 12-of-26 passing with one touchdown and one interception...also rushed 20 times for 41 yards and one touchdown...entered the Sugar Bowl on a crucial third-down possession in the fourth quarter and pitched out to Travis Minor for the first down...came in on select short yardage situations to pick up short downs on quarterback sneaks...helped Janikowski rank first nationally in field goals per game and third in the country in scoring.

Marcus Outzen

Seminole Sideline

Doak S. Campbell Stadium Has Grown



The football home for the Seminoles since 1950, Doak S. Campbell stadium was named after the popular Florida State president who was instrumental in the development of inter-collegiate athletics at the

new university. In order to help finance the stadium, a five-year season ticket was offered for \$50.00 and FSU players helped paint the stadium at \$1 per hour. FSU's "new" Doak Campbell Stadium seats 80,000 fans and is considered one of the finest facilities in the country. It has been a gradual addition to the 15,000 seats that the original stadium featured which has brought FSU to its proud "new" home.

OUTZEN'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	ATT-COM-INT	PCT	YARDS	TDS	LONG
1997	No attempts				
1998	60-36-2	.600	464	1	32
1999	26-12-1	.462	169	1	35
TOTAL	86-48-3	.558	633	2	35

Sophomore Year (1998): Played in all 13 games, while starting the final three games of the season at quarterback...pressed into action in the second half of the Virginia game, leading the Seminoles to 24 second-half points...completed 6-of-7 passes in that game for 67 yards...threw his first career touchdown pass of 32 yards to Peter Warrick in leading the Seminoles to a 23-12 victory against Florida...finished the game 13-of-22 for 167 yards and one touchdown...completed 9-of-22 passes for 145 in the National Championship game versus Tennessee...made his first career start against Wake Forest, connecting on 11-of-19 passes for 164 yards and one interception...finished the season 36-of-60 for 464 yards and one touchdown...rushed the ball 48 times for 66 yards and two touchdowns on the season...saw action in the fourth quarter of the NC State game, completing 4-of-8 passes for 42 yards.

Freshman Year (1997): Played in all 13 games in the overshadowed role of holder for extra points and field goals...had one rush for eight yards in limited action at quarterback and did not attempt a pass.

1996: Redshirted along with most of his class.

High School: Rushed for 18 TDs as he led Ft. Walton Beach High to the Class 5A state championship as a senior...threw for 1,187 yards with 10 touchdowns and just four interceptions...completed 69 of 118 passes (58.5%) as a senior...also ran track and played baseball...a Super 24 honorable mention selection...listed in the *Tallahassee Democrat's* Top 50...received Max Emfinger's rating of 9.5 (highest - 10.6)...attended same high school as former Florida State standout receiver E.G. Green and Heisman Trophy winner Danny Wuerffel...honor student at Ft. Walton Beach...selected FSU over Auburn and South Carolina.

Personal: Born February 24, 1978...played at Ft. Walton Beach High under former FSU graduate assistant Mike Owens...a communications major.

#33 LEMAR PARRISH

Running back, 6-1, 190, Sophomore
Miami, Florida (North Miami Beach)



At Florida State: Originally came to Florida State as a walk-on but earned a scholarship prior to last season...coming off a knee injury suffered during spring practice...talented running back with speed to break away and size to get the tough yards in the middle.

High School: Spent time at both receiver and running back his senior year...was a second-team all-state selection...Dade

County Offensive Player of the Year as a senior and was second in the county in rushing...first player to rush for a career 1,000 yards in school history...broke the all-school rushing record his senior year with 1,326 yards, 200 carries and 24 touchdowns...those numbers also broke the season high record for North Miami Beach...also broke the game high record in rushing (340) and touchdowns (4)...participated in the Florida North vs. South game his senior year...his senior year, recorded the most rushing yards (165) and touchdowns (2) in a single game in three years against rival Carol City...played in various positions as a junior, including defensive end, receiver and running back...scored the lone defensive touchdown for North Miami Beach his junior year.

Personal: Born October 31, 1979...majoring in graphic arts.



The Seminoles second visit to the White House.

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#29 TOMMY POLLEY

Linebacker, 6-5, 233, Senior
Baltimore, MD (Dunbar)



At Florida State: All-American candidate who returns for his third season of starting duties...will be making a come back from offseason reconstructive knee surgery...injury occurred in Florida State's national championship Sugar Bowl win over Virginia Tech...rehabilitation is ahead of schedule and he should be ready to play early in the 2000 season...led the Seminoles with 109 tackles a year ago and

earned first team All-Atlantic Coast Conference honors...has excellent vision and anticipation...has a knack for being around the ball...great speed gives him the ability to cover backs out of the backfield...blocked two punts last year including a pivotal one in the national title game that was recovered by Jeff Chaney for a touchdown against Virginia Tech.

Junior Year (1999): Had an outstanding junior season in which he led Florida State with 109 tackles...67 tackles were solos...also had six stops for loss...earned first team All-ACC accolades...had three tackles, including a stop for loss, in the first half of the Sugar Bowl against Virginia Tech before tearing the anterior cruciate ligament in his knee...named ACC Defensive Lineman/Linebacker of the Week after recording eight tackles and recovering a fumble against Wake Forest...had a career-high 16 tackles in the win over Maryland...made 11 stops, including two for loss, in the season-ending victory at Florida...had four other 10-plus tackle games — Georgia Tech (12), NC State (10), Miami (12) and Clemson (10)...broke up five passes, caused three fumbles and recovered two...also had three sacks...blocked punts against Florida and Virginia Tech.

Sophomore Year (1998): Started 12 of 13 games at both outside linebacking posts...missed the Wake Forest game with a shoulder injury...ranked fifth on the team with 59 total tackles (37 solo)...had two tackles for loss against UNC and five on the season...intercepted his first career pass at Miami...earned Tomahawk Player of the Game honors against Texas A&M and Miami...recovered a fumble against Texas A&M that set up a Sebastian Janikowski field goal...recorded a team-high 10 tackles vs. UNC...tallied five knock 'em backs on the year...broke up passes against Miami and Clemson...garnered Victor's Club honors against Texas A&M,

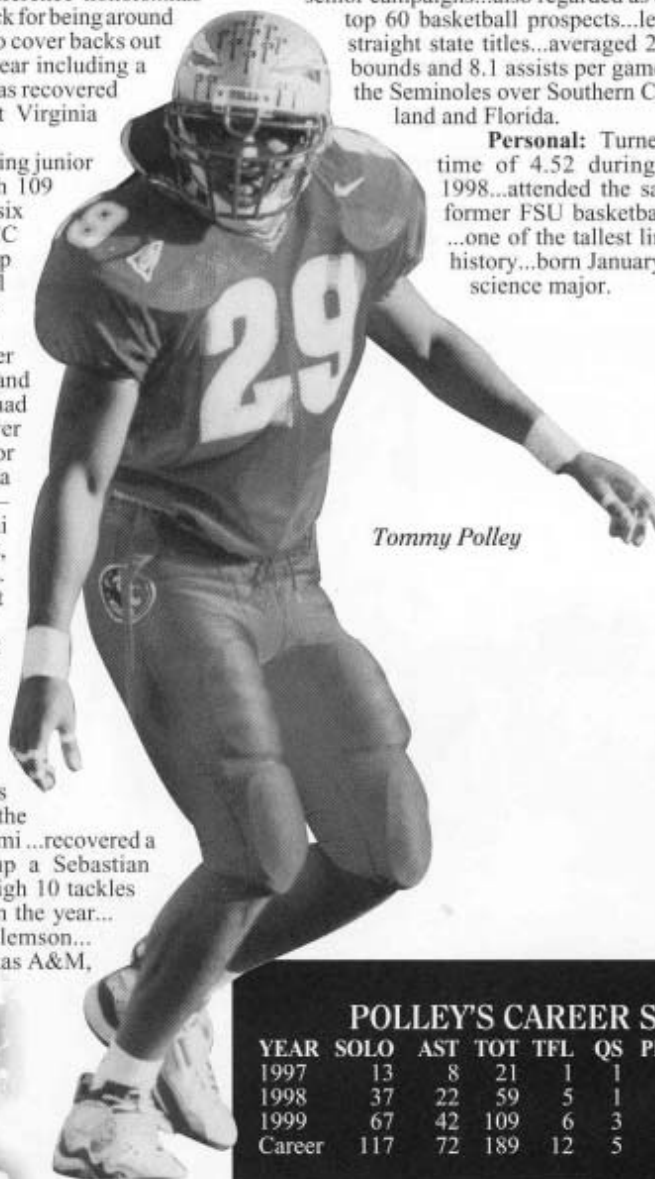
Duke, Maryland, Miami, Clemson and Florida.

Freshman Year (1997): Totaled 21 tackles with 13 solo stops in first year of action...played in all 12 games and had at least one tackle in eight games...named ACC Rookie of the Week against Duke as he recorded a season-high six tackles and had a sack along with a blocked punt that resulted in a Derrick Gibson touchdown...totaled five tackles in 47-0 win over Miami...named the defense's top newcomer following spring drills...spent some time at tight end before making the permanent move to linebacker.

1996: Redshirted along with most of his class.

High School: Hailed as one of the top prep athletes in the nation during his senior year at Dunbar High, which is regarded as one of the top producers of basketball talent in the country...*USA Today's* Player of the Year in Maryland after recording 208 tackles (136 solo), 16 sacks and eight interceptions as a senior...also caught 34 passes for 567 yards and three TDs...considered the state's top college football prospect...led his team to back-to-back state championships as a junior and senior...named Baltimore area Defensive Player of the Year after both his junior and senior campaigns...also regarded as one of the country's top 60 basketball prospects...led the Poets to four straight state titles...averaged 20.4 points, 10.7 rebounds and 8.1 assists per game as a senior...chose the Seminoles over Southern Cal, Syracuse, Maryland and Florida.

Personal: Turned in a 40-yard dash time of 4.52 during spring testing in 1998...attended the same high school as former FSU basketball star Sam Cassell...one of the tallest linebackers in school history...born January 11, 1978...a social science major.



Tommy Polley

POLLEY'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	AST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1997	13	8	21	1	1	0	0	0	0
1998	37	22	59	5	1	2	0	1	1
1999	67	42	109	6	3	5	3	2	0
Career	117	72	189	12	5	7	3	3	1

#58 JAMAL REYNOLDS

Defensive End, 6-4, 254, Senior
Aiken, SC (Aiken)



At Florida State: FSU's top returning pass rusher with seven sacks last year... started all 12 games at right defensive end during national championship run... second-team All-ACC in 1999... should have tremendous senior season after choosing to return to FSU rather than leave early for the NFL, despite predictions as a possible first round selection... will be asked to lead the way as younger interior linemen

mature... solid spring culminated with two sacks in the spring game and the spring's Most Dependable Defensive Lineman award.

Junior Year (1999): Finished 1999 with an impressive performance in the National Championship game... recorded three sacks, five solo tackles and one assist in the Sugar Bowl... second on the team with 11 tackles for loss... 57 total tackles ranked eighth on the team, 33 of which were solo stops... had eight solo tackles in two games versus Clemson and Maryland... sacked Georgia Tech's Joe Hamilton twice and added four tackles versus the Yellow Jackets... had a season-high three tackles for loss versus Miami... also had two fumble recoveries and two pass break-ups... earned Victor's Club honors six times... second-team All-ACC.

Sophomore Year (1998): Cracked the starting lineup twice as a sophomore at defensive end, against North Carolina and Florida, while appearing in every game... finished the year with 42 tackles (27 solo) with seven for loss... third on the team with 4.5 sacks... three of his sacks came in one game, at Wake Forest, when he stepped in for an injured Roland Seymour... had six tackles, a half a sack and a stop for loss in the win over Duke... named Tomahawk Defensive Player of the Game

against Clemson after a five-tackle, two-pressure, two-intimidation game... recorded a career-best seven tackles against North Carolina while also recovering a fumble... also a standout on special teams!

Freshman Year (1997): Played behind Greg Spires and Tony Bryant for the majority of the season at defensive end... credited with 12 tackles (five solo) in eight games... one of 15 true freshmen to see action... saw significant playing time on special teams... had a season-high four tackles in the Wake Forest victory... tallied three stops at Duke... registered his first career tackle versus Maryland in the second game of the season.

High School: Widely regarded as one of the country's top defensive ends along with fellow signee David Warren... recorded 174 tackles (six for loss), two sacks and two caused fumbles as a senior at Aiken High... rated as the nation's top defensive lineman by *SuperPrep* and No. 2 national prospect... selected to the *USA Today* All-USA second team... earned first team *Parade* All-American honors... named to the *PrepStar* Dream Team as well as that publication's No. 2 defensive lineman in the ACC region... a *National Recruiting Advisor* All-American and No. 3 rated defensive end nationally... selected FSU over Clemson, Alabama and Florida.

Personal: Comes from a football family as two older brothers, Rashad and Diron, played Division I football... Rashad played at Rice while Diron played at Wake Forest... social science major... born February 20, 1979.

Seminole Sideline

Fantastic Combos

Florida State has had its share of outstanding groups of players at the same position in Bobby Bowden's first 23 years at the school. The 2000 season promises more of the same. Through Bowden's tenure at FSU, Jimmy Jordan and Wally Woodham shared starring roles at quarterback in 1978 and 1979; the Fab Four (Terry Anthony, Lawrence Dawsey, Bruce LaSane and Ronald Lewis) took turns making great catches at wide receiver in 1988; Amp Lee and Edgar Bennett sliced through opposing defenses out of the same backfield in 1991; Andre Cooper and E.G. Green both posted 1,000-yard receiving seasons in 1995; and Peter Boulware and Reinard Wilson terrorized opposing quarterbacks from their defensive end spots in 1996. In 1999, the interior defensive line duo of Jerry Johnson and Corey Simon were regarded as the nation's best while the wide receivers, led by Peter Warrick and Ron Dugans, went down in FSU history as one of the best units to ever wear the garnet and gold. Several Seminole segments were ranked among the nation's best in the 2000 preseason publications. The offensive backfield (Chris Weinke, Travis Minor and Jeff Chaney), defensive backs (Derrick Gibson, Chris Hope, Tay Cody and Clevan Thomas) and linebackers (Brian Allen, Bradley Jennings and Tommy Polley) all received high marks.

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REYNOLDS' CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	AST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	INT
1997	5	7	12	0	0	0	0
1998	27	15	42	7	4.5	0	0
1999	33	24	57	1	7	2	0
Career	65	46	111	18	11.5	3	0

Jamal Reynolds

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#30 STANFORD SAMUELS

Cornerback, 5-10, 180, Sophomore
Miami, FL (Carol City)



At Florida State: Exceptional talent who has been slowed by injuries during first two years at Florida State...should be ready to go full-speed this fall after suffering a season-ending knee injury during fall practice a year ago...ran a 4.4 in the 40 this spring...will compete for playing time with Malcolm Tatum and Rufus Brown.

Freshman Year (1999):

1998: Sat out as a redshirt.

High School: First-team Class 6A all-state selection following senior season...recorded 31 tackles, five interceptions and three blocked punts while missing six games with a separated shoulder...three-year starter at one of Florida's top programs...led Carol City team to its second consecutive Class 6A state championship and 15-0 record as a senior...member of the *PrepStar* Dream Team and rated the No. 8 defensive back prospect in the country...No. 2 defensive back in the Southeast by the same publication...selected to the *Orlando Sentinel* Super Senior team...member of the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* Super Southern 100...rated the No. 8 recruit in Florida by *St. Petersburg Times*...member of *Florida Times-Union* Super 75...*National Recruiting Advisor* rated him the seventh best cornerback in the southeast...selected to play in the Florida-Georgia All-Star game...chose FSU over Georgia Tech, Miami and Northwestern.

Personal: Born July 27, 1980...graduated from same high school as teammates Donald Heaven, Octavis Jackson and Bradley Jennings...majoring in business.

#56 ROLAND SEYMOUR

Defensive End, 6-4, 264, Senior
New Orleans, LA (St. Augustine)



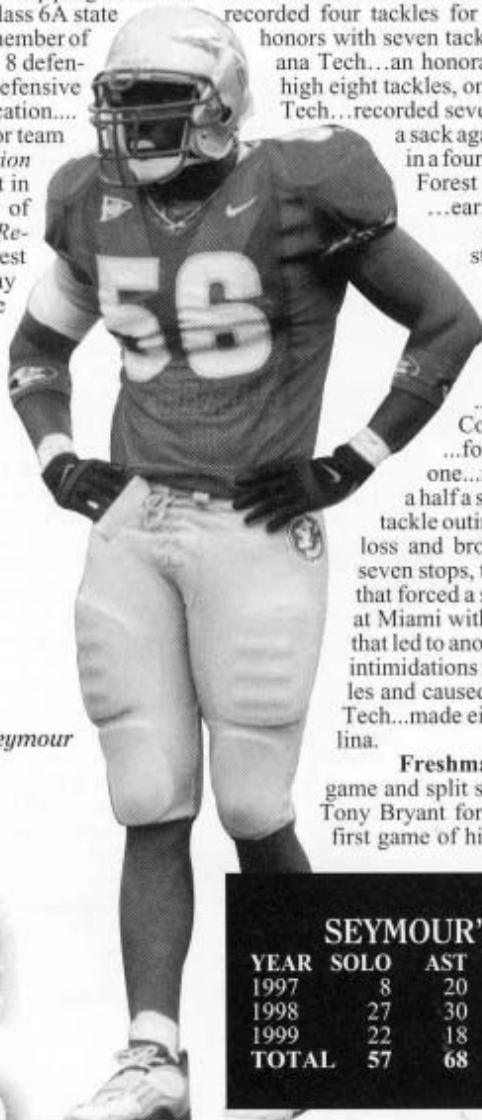
At Florida State: Starting left defensive end since his sophomore year but battled injuries throughout the 1999 season...barring any setbacks from off-season reconstructive knee surgery, he and Jamal Reynolds will form one of the nation's best defensive end tandems...knee injury forced him out of Sugar Bowl but he plans to be ready to play early in the 2000 season...honorable mention All-ACC in

1999 despite missing three games with a shoulder injury...11.5 career sacks and 23 tackles for loss in three seasons.

Junior Year (1999): Second among returning linemen in total tackles...contributed 40 tackles and 22 solo tackles...also recorded four tackles for loss and two sacks...tied for team honors with seven tackles in season-opener against Louisiana Tech...an honorable mention All-ACC...had season-high eight tackles, one for loss and a sack against Georgia Tech...recorded seven tackles, including two for loss and a sack against Wake Forest...posted 22 tackles in a four game stretch versus Miami (5), Wake Forest (7), Clemson (6) and Virginia (4) ...earned Victor's Club honors three times.

Sophomore Year (1998): Youngest starter on the defensive line...appeared in 12 of 13 games...missed only the season-ending win over Florida due to a sprained knee suffered against Wake Forest...tied for sixth on the team with 57 tackles (27 solo) ...second on the team to All-American Corey Simon with 12 tackles for loss ...forced three fumbles and recovered one...recorded six tackles (two for loss) and a half a sack at NC State...had a career-high 12 tackle outing against Duke...also had a tackle for loss and broke up a pass in that game...totaled seven stops, two for loss, and had a caused fumble that forced a safety at Maryland...had a banner day at Miami with a pair of sacks and a caused fumble that led to another safety...also had a team-high five intimidations in that contest ...registered seven tackles and caused and recovered, a fumble at Georgia Tech...made eight stops in the win over North Carolina.

Freshman Year (1997): Appeared in every game and split starting duties over the first four with Tony Bryant for an injured Greg Spires...started the first game of his redshirt freshman year at Southern



Roland Seymour

SEYMOUR'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	AST	TOT	TFL	SACKS	PBU	INT
1997	8	20	28	7	6	0	0
1998	27	30	57	12	3.5	2	0
1999	22	18	40	4	2	1	0
TOTAL	57	68	125	23	11.5	3	0

California...made three tackles and recovered a fumble in the win...platooned with Bryant over the next three games (Maryland, Clemson and Miami)...played behind All-American Andre Wadsworth the remainder of the season...credited with 28 tackles, six sacks and seven tackles for loss on the season...made a season-high eight tackles at Clemson, including a tackle for loss and a half a sack...closed the season strong with at least one sack in four of the final six regular-season games.

1996: Sat out the season as a redshirt...was able to learn from All-American defensive ends Peter Boulware and Reinard Wilson.

High School: Runner-up for Defensive Player of the Year in Louisiana following his senior year at St Augustine...member of the *National Recruiting Advisor's* All-American team...Max Emfinger's top rated defensive lineman in the nation...received Jeff Whitaker's highest rating of 10.0...named to the *Orlando Sentinel's* All-Southern Team...selected Florida State over Tennessee, Florida, LSU and Texas.

Personal: Born January 22, 1979...majoring in sociology...uncle, Al Jenkins, was drafted by the Cleveland Browns and played nine seasons in the NFL...Jenkins was a member of the undefeated 1972 Miami Dolphins...hails from the same high school that produced former FSU standouts and NFL Draft picks Sean Jackson and Chris Cowart.



Ryan Sprague

#85 RYAN SPRAGUE

Tight End, 6-5, 260, Senior
Augusta, GA (Lakeside)



At Florida State: Enters the fall as number one on the depth chart at tight end for the second straight year...one of the biggest surprises of the 1999 season...earned the starting tight end job in pre-season practice last year and never relinquished it...earned the Second Effort Award and Most Dependable for his position following spring drills...caught one pass for an 11-yard touchdown for the Garnet team

in the spring game... former walk-on who earned a scholarship during the 1997 season after playing sparingly in his first two seasons...has also played fullback and center during his FSU career.

Junior Year (1999): Named co-most improved player of the offense...opened every game at the tight end position...finished the season with five receptions for 76 yards and a touchdown...season-long catch of 26 yards came in the season-opener against Louisiana Tech...touchdown reception was an 18-yarder from Chris Weinke that tied the Miami game at 21...the touchdown was his first at any level of football...had one catch for 16 yards against NC State...also had a seven-yarder against Georgia Tech and a nine-yarder at Virginia...excellent blocker who won the starting job due to those skills...also sees time on FSU's field goal and PAT units.

Sophomore Year (1998): Appeared in every game during the Seminoles' 11-2 campaign...saw time on special teams, at tight end and at fullback...did not catch a pass...served as a blocking back and blocking tight end in short yardage formations.

Freshman Year (1997): Hard work landed him a scholarship in the preseason...played in every game as a member of special teams...began the year at center before moving to tight end.

1996: Redshirted after walking on to the squad...served as a member of the scout team.

High School: Played tight end, defensive end and line-backer at Lakeside High School...caught 14 passes for 140 yards during his senior season...earned honorable mention All-Central Savannah River Area in his final year...was honored with the Captain's Award by the football coaches as a senior...also lettered in wrestling for two seasons...also named MVP of the wrestling team in his senior season.

Personal: Sport management major...celebrates a November 3, 1977 birthday.

SPRAGUE'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	RECEPTIONS	YARDS	AVG	TD	LONG
1999	5	76	15.2	1	26

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#3 MALCOLM TATUM

Cornerback, 6-1, 170, Sophomore
Miami, FL (Killian)



At Florida State: Enters season as the backup at left cornerback...an exceptional special teams player who has already made several big plays in his FSU career...was one of three defensive backs to have an interception in the spring Gagnet and Gold game (Clevan Thomas and Rufus Brown)...times at 4.42 in the 40-yard dash.

Freshman Year (1999): Key player on several of FSU's special teams...had two tackles on punt coverage in the Sugar Bowl...blocked punt against Maryland was one of four blocked punts on the season for FSU...played in all 12 games as a backup at both cornerback positions...recorded seven tackles for the season including a season-high three stops against Maryland...was the outside cover man on the punt coverage team, rotating with Reggie Durden and Chris Hope.

1998: Sat out the season as a redshirt.

High School: Burst onto the Florida high school recruiting scene late during senior year...named the state's top cornerback prospect by the *Florida Times-Union*...also a great punt returner...an All-Dade selection as a senior...named to the third-team all-state Class 6A squad...the No. 27 rated player in Florida according to the *St. Pete Times*...an All-Southeast selection by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...selected to play in the Florida-Georgia All-Star game...chose FSU over Florida and Miami.

Personal: Born March 12, 1979...political science major...joins a long line of Dade County defensive backs to sign with the Seminoles (most recently - James Colzie, Samari Rolle, Shevin Smith, Stanford Samuels)...prep teammate of fellow Seminole defensive back Derrick Gibson.

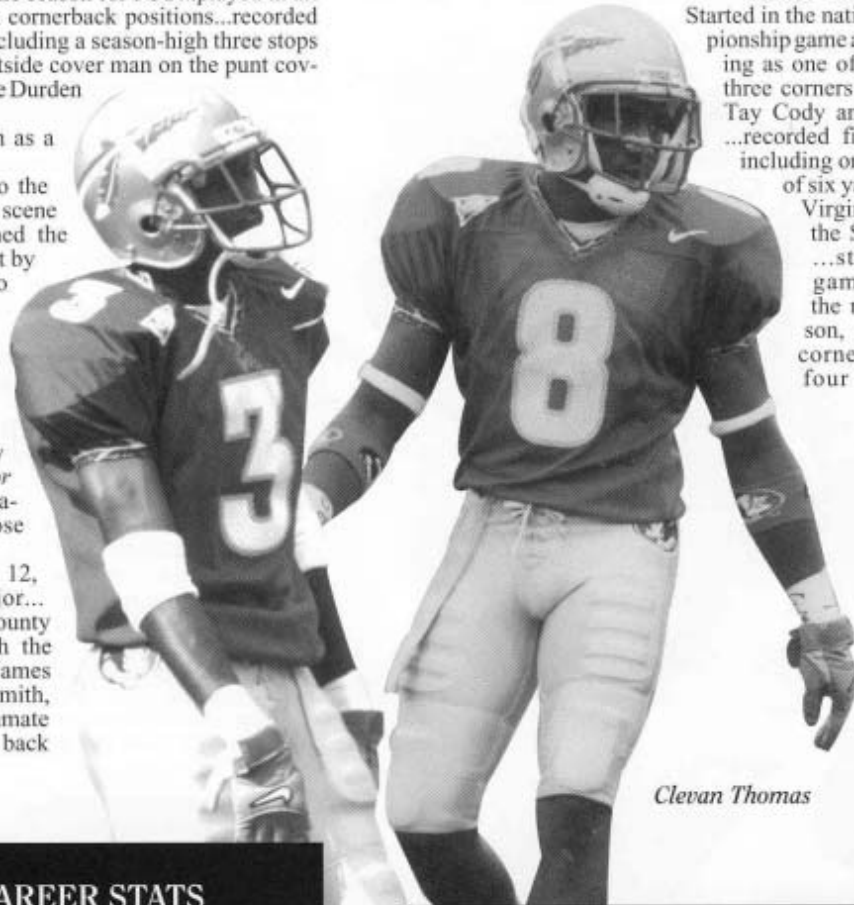
#8 CLEVAN THOMAS

Cornerback, 6-0, 175, Senior
Miami, FL (Miami Senior)



At Florida State: Comes off an excellent spring in which he was named the most outstanding defensive player...excellent cover corner who should be extremely productive in his senior season...moved ahead of veteran Mario Edwards last year and proved to be an outstanding player...played the entire Sugar Bowl game as Edwards was injured...good size and speed make him tough to get by...was voted the spring's most improved cornerback after his freshman and sophomore years.

Junior Year (1999): Started in the national championship game after emerging as one of FSU's top three corners along with Tay Cody and Edwards...recorded five tackles, including one for a loss of six yards against Virginia Tech in the Sugar Bowl...started six games during the regular season, two at left cornerback and four at right



Clevan Thomas

TATUM'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1999	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0

C. THOMAS' CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	FC	FR	INT
1997	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
1998	6	4	10	1	0	1	0	0	0
1999	13	5	16	1	0	7	1	1	3
TOTAL	21	9	28	2	0	8	1	1	3

Malcolm Tatum

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY



#60 TARLOS THOMAS

Offensive Tackle, 6-5, 320, Senior
Monticello, FL (Jefferson County)

cornerback...three interceptions on the season were the second most on the team...key member of the FSU secondary that led the nation with 22 interceptions...nine of his 20 tackles were on third down...his seven pass breakups were the third most on the team...had two tackles and two pass breakups in regular season finale against Florida...forced a fumble near the goal line in the season opener against Louisiana Tech...had one of two tackles for a loss by FSU cornerbacks on the season (Cody had the other).

Sophomore Year (1998): Played in all 13 games...backed up Tay Cody at the right cornerback position...contributed 10 tackles...six of his stops were unassisted...deflected a pass in the NC State game...also registered a tackle for loss against the Wolfpack...named to the Victor's Club list against Duke, Miami, Clemson and Florida...also garnered kicking game Victor's Club honors against USC.

Freshman Year (1997): Saw action in eight games as a backup as a true freshman...recorded two solo tackles on the season in Duke and Wake Forest games...had a third-down stop against Wake Forest.

High School: A *SuperPrep* All-American following his senior season at Miami Senior High School...played both offense and defense, throwing for more than 1,500 yards and 15 touchdowns and adding five interceptions as a senior...returned two punts for touchdowns...named All-Dade County as a return man...listed on the *Tallahassee Democrat* Top 50 and *Florida Times-Union* Super 75...listed as the 23rd best prospect in Florida by the *St. Pete Times*...rated as the No. 20 prospect in Florida by *SuperPrep*...chose FSU over Miami, Clemson and Florida.

Personal: Born April 6, 1979...criminology major.



At Florida State: Has started every game at tight tackle over the last two seasons and is listed on several pre-season All-America teams...first team All-ACC player for the national champions last year...despite his success he must fight off Char-ron Dorsey to keep his starting spot in 2000...very experience and savvy offensive lineman.

Junior Year (1999): First team All-ACC selection at offensive tackle...started every game at tight tackle over the last two seasons...often called on to block opponent's top pass rusher...very athletic and experienced with 23 straight starts under his belt...earned ACC Player of the Week for his blocking against Maryland.

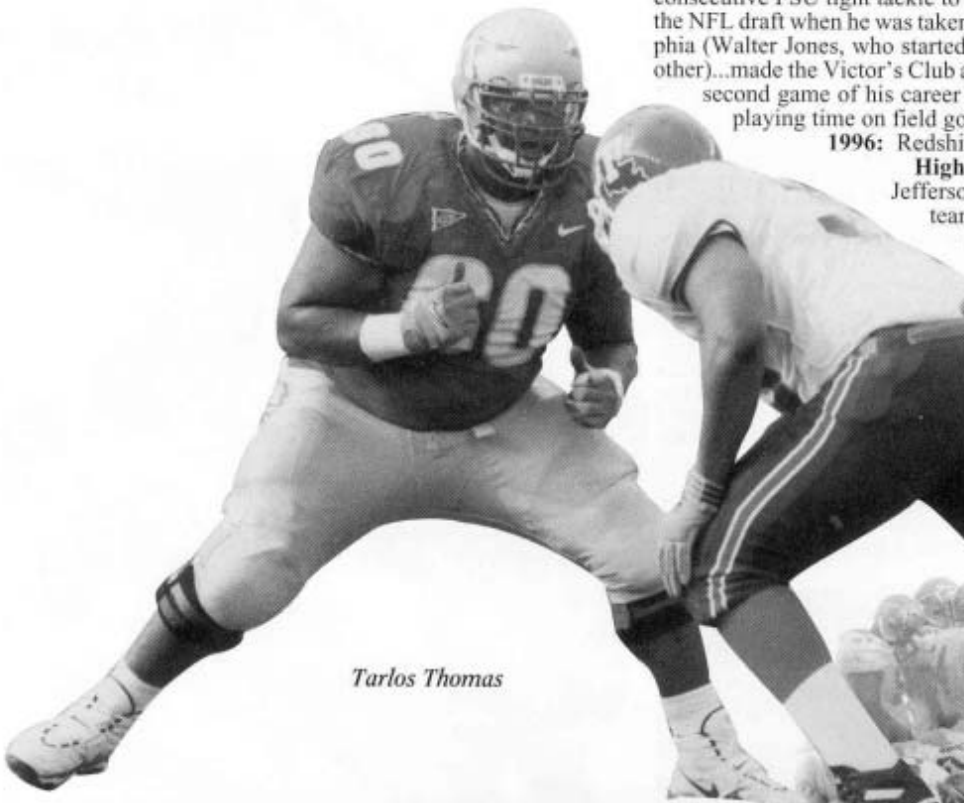
Sophomore Year (1998): Started every game at tight tackle helping the team advance to the national title game at the Fiesta Bowl against Tennessee...one of several young offensive linemen who had to learn on the job...improved steadily throughout the year...proved durable over the season...named Dominator of the Week after the Virginia game...had 16 intimidations...was named to the Victor's Club after his performances against Texas A&M, Southern California, Maryland, Miami, Clemson, Georgia Tech, Virginia and Wake Forest.

Freshman Year (1997): Found playing time hard to come by behind Tra Thomas (no relation) who became the second consecutive FSU tight tackle to be selected in the first round of the NFL draft when he was taken with the 11th pick by Philadelphia (Walter Jones, who started as a rookie in Seattle, was the other)...made the Victor's Club after an impressive outing in the second game of his career against Maryland...also earned playing time on field goal and extra point units.

1996: Redshirted.

High School: Played center at nearby Jefferson County High School...a first team Class 3A selection...received the highest possible rating in *Deep South Football* and the *National Recruiting Advisor*...tabbed a *Florida Times-Union* Super 75...named to Tom Lemming's All-America team...recorded 130 tackles and 16 sacks as a defensive lineman...chose FSU over UCLA, South Carolina, Kentucky and Florida.

Personal: A criminology major...born August 23, 1977.



Tarlos Thomas

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#99 DAVID WARREN

Defensive End, 6-5, 250, Senior
Tyler, TX (John Tyler)



At Florida State: Enters his senior season listed at first team left defensive end while Roland Seymour rehabs from off-season surgery...has contributed 30 or more total tackles two seasons in a row...has six career sacks and nine tackles for loss in three seasons...may have had the best spring of any Seminole according to Coach Bowden... Big Otis Award winner during the spring.

Junior Year (1999): Started five games including the National Championship game...appeared in every game during 1999 Championship season...one of the Seminoles most productive defenders...tied for the team lead with three fumbles caused and led all defensive linemen with four passes broken up...finished season with 32 total tackles, 17 solo stops, and two sacks...his 32 tackles ranks third among returning down linemen...registered a season-high four solo tackles and one sack at North Carolina and had three solo tackles and another sack versus Wake Forest...earned Victor's Club honors for three games... was selected the Tomahawk Defensive Player of the Game and shared Kicking Game Player of the Game honors with Malcolm Tatum following Maryland contest.

Sophomore Year (1998): One of eight sophomores on the Florida State defensive two-deep who saw extensive playing time... finished the year with 30 tackles, including five for loss...also added three sacks and a pass breakup...started the season with three tackles (one for loss) and two quarterback pressures in the Kickoff Classic versus Texas A&M...had a big day in the win over USC with four tackles, one sack, a caused fumble and two pressures...had a season-high five stops and a sack at Maryland...had three tackles and a sack at Wake Forest.

Freshman Year (1997): Played in 11 of 12 games as a true freshman...record 16 tackles (eight solo) on the year...notched his first collegiate sack in his first game against Maryland...used rush skills as a special teams contributor...had two or more tackles in seven games...tallied a season-high five tackles in the win at Duke... added two more stops in the Sugar Bowl win over Ohio State.

High School: *USA Today's* Defensive Player of the Year following his senior season at John Tyler High...a *Parade* and *SuperPrep* All-American...named to the *PrepStar* Dream Team...also that publication's No. 1 defensive lineman nationally and No. 1 player overall in the Big 12 region...rated as the top rush end nationally and No. 2 player overall by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...the top-rated defensive prospect according to Tom Lemming and ESPN SportsZone...a two-time Texas Defensive Player of the Year...accumulated 31 sacks and 19 blocked kicks during high school career...a standout performer as a sophomore on Tyler's state championship team with 124 tackles and six sacks...piled up 126 tackles as a junior with 18 sacks and four blocked punts...recorded 106 tackles and 8.5 sacks despite constant double and triple teaming during senior campaign...had option of attending virtually any college before eventually choosing FSU over Texas.

Personal: Celebrates an October 14, 1978 birthday...born the day the Seminoles lost 55-27 at Mississippi State...criminology major...relative of former NFL great Earl Campbell, who also attended Tyler High.

WARREN'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	AST	TOT	TFL	SACKS	PBU	INT
1997	8	8	16	1	1	0	0
1998	12	18	30	5	3	2	0
1999	17	14	31	3	2	4	0
TOTAL	37	40	77	9	6	6	0

#41 LEE WEAVER

Strongside Linebacker, 6-3, 220, Sophomore
Live Oak, FL (Suwanee)



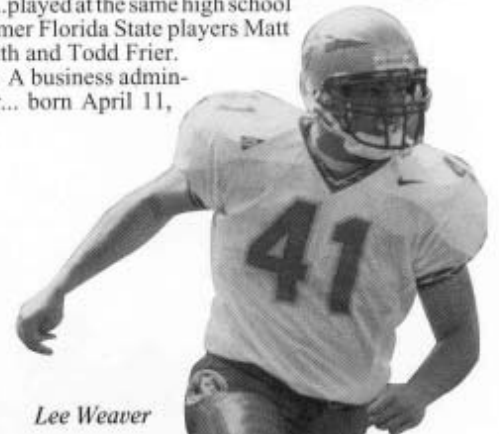
At Florida State: Walk-on linebacker who should see playing time on the strong side in 2000...enters the fall listed at third team at that position...saw the majority of his playing time on special teams in 1999 and finished with three tackles... coaches like his tenacity and toughness...should provide valuable depth at the position...comes from an outstanding high school program.

Freshman Year (1999): Appeared in seven games and finished the year with three tackles...majority of his playing time came on kickoff and punt coverage units...had two tackles in the season-opening win over Louisiana Tech and one at Virginia.

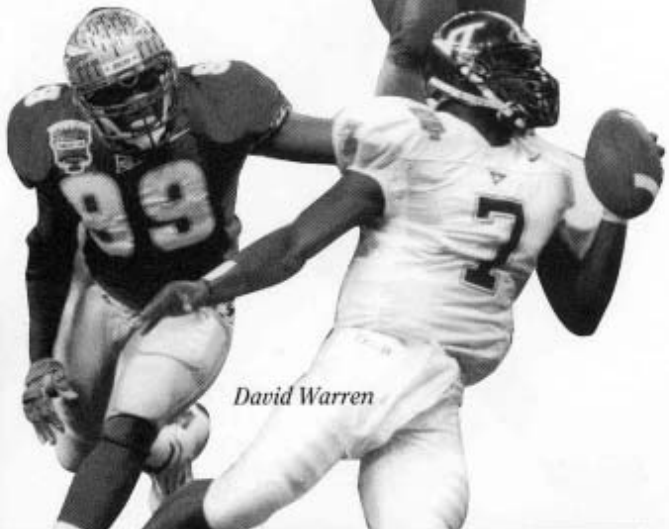
1998: Sat out the season as a redshirt.

High School: Earned first team all-area honors from the *Gainesville Sun* after his senior season at Suwanee High School in Live Oak...made 113 tackles that year as he led his team to the state play-offs...played at the same high school program as former Florida State players Matt Frier, Eric Smith and Todd Frier.

Personal: A business administration major... born April 11, 1980.



Lee Weaver



David Warren

#16 CHRIS WEINKE

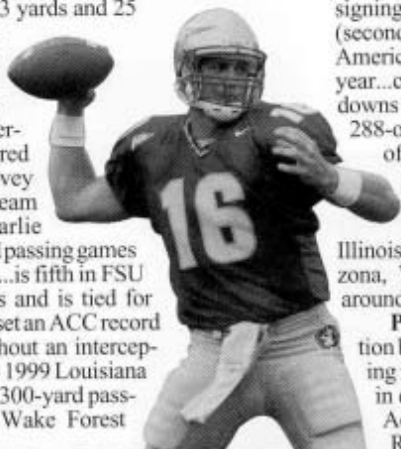
Quarterback, 6-5, 229, Senior
St. Paul, MN (Cretin-Derham)



At Florida State: One of the finest quarterbacks in Florida State history who has a chance to set virtually every record in the Seminole books...candidate for All-America and the Heisman Trophy with a 21-1 career record as the starter at FSU...led Florida State to its second National Championship and first undefeated season and emerged as one of the country's elite quarterbacks in his second season as a full-time

starter in 1999... led the ACC in passing yards per game (282.1) and ranked seventh nationally in passing efficiency (145.1)...joined the impressive ranks of FSU stars like Corey Simon, Andre Wadsworth, Warrick Dunn, Derrick Brooks, Edgar Bennett and Deion Sanders who chose to stay for their senior year rather than enter the NFL draft...earned the Hinesman Award, given to the most dominating player of spring drills...tied the FSU record with nine 200-yard passing games in 1998...set a new school record in his first season with an average of 17.2 yards per completed pass...played in 10 games over his sophomore season before suffering a severe neck injury in the first half of the Virginia game...underwent major surgery to repair ligament damage, ruptured disc and remove a bone chip that was lodged against a nerve in his neck...combines maturity with arm strength and great size to give the Seminoles a classic dropback passer...oldest member of the Seminole team who will be 28 years old by the time the season starts...an excellent student who is a two-time member of the ACC All-Academic team.

Junior Year (1999): Led Florida State to its second National Championship and first undefeated season...completed 20-of-34 passes for 329 yards and four touchdowns in Sugar Bowl victory over Virginia Tech...led the ACC in passing yards per game (282.1) and ranked seventh nationally in passing efficiency (145.1)...completed 232 of 377 passes for 3,103 yards and 25 touchdowns...leader of an FSU offense that averaged 37.5 points per game, which ranked fourth in the country...winner of the ACC's Brian Piccolo Award after recovering from a severe neck injury suffered in the 1998 Virginia game...a Davey O'Brien finalist and a second team All-ACC selection...broke Charlie Ward's school record for 200-yard passing games and now has 21 in his FSU career...is fifth in FSU history with 5,672 passing yards and is tied for fourth with 46 career TD passes...set an ACC record with 237 consecutive passes without an interception (from 1998 NC State game to 1999 Louisiana Tech contest)...had back-to-back 300-yard passing games against Miami and Wake Forest



when Peter Warrick and Laveranues Coles were out of the lineup... completed 23-of-34 passes for 332 yards and two scores vs. Miami and 19-of-26 for a career-high 354 yards against Wake Forest...threw for five scores against Duke, finishing 19-of-27 for 290 yards...just missed the 300-yard mark at Virginia as he threw for 297 yards and three touchdowns on 24-of-35 passing...tied the ACC and FSU record for TD passes in a game with six in the final home game of the season against Maryland...completed 23-of-33 passes for 304 yards in the record setting day against the Terps...bounced back from an interception that was returned for a score at Florida in the third quarter by leading FSU to back-to-back scoring drives...his 27-yard touchdown pass to Marvin Minnis put the Tribe up 30-16 with 6:03 left at UF...completed 24-of-36 passes for 263 yards in his first career win over the Gators.

Sophomore Year (1998): Started the first 10 games of the year before going down with a season-ending neck injury...had a streak of 218 pass attempts without an interception over the last eight games...completed 115 of those passes for 2,037 yards and 17 touchdowns...set a Florida State single-season record for most yards per completion at 17.2 yards per catch...single-season record was 15.6, set by Eric Thomas in 1984...tied an FSU record with nine 200-yard passing games...1998 season ranked 10th on the FSU season passing list with 2,487 yards...led the ACC with a quarterback efficiency rating of 141.5...had at least one touchdown pass in every game...recorded a career-high 338 yards on 15-of-27 passing and two touchdowns against North Carolina...had a season-high four TD passes and completed 18-of-35 passes for 302 yards versus Clemson...led FSU to its fourth straight victory over Miami, throwing two touchdown passes and completing 17-of-32 for 316 yards...Miami victory marked the first 300-yard performance of his career...made his first career start against Texas A&M in the Kickoff Classic, completing 21-of-36 passes for 207 yards and one touchdown...earned Dominator of the Week honors on the offensive side of the ball following the Duke, Miami and Clemson games.

Freshman Year (1997): Played in two games, completing 7-of-13 passes for 82 yards and two touchdowns...connected on 5-of-10 passes for 48 yards and touchdown in the win over Maryland...was 2-of-3 for 43 yards and a score in relief work against Wake Forest.

High School: The top prep quarterback in the country in 1989 as a senior at Cretin-Derham High School...recruited by more than 70 Division I schools...signed with FSU out of high school and spent four days in August of 1990 on the Florida State campus before signing a professional baseball contract with the Toronto Blue Jays (second round pick)...a *Parade* and *USA Today* first team All-America selection as a senior...named Minnesota's player of the year...completed 288 of 403 passes for 3,956 yards and 24 touchdowns over 21-game high school career...totaled 1,579 yards on 288-of-403 passing (12 TDs) as a senior and 2,377 yards on 127-of-187 passing (12 TDs) as a junior...led team to state title as a junior...also captained Cretin-Derham's hockey squad...attended same high school as former Miami quarterback Steve Walsh...originally chose FSU over Alabama, Arizona State, Illinois, Minnesota and Miami...selected the Seminoles over Arizona, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Washington the second time around.

Personal: Spent six years in the Toronto Blue Jays organization before returning to Florida State in the spring of 1997...majoring in sport management...born July 31, 1972...actively involved in charities and various youth groups...is a two-time ACC All-Academic Team selection...sister, Sarah, was a four-time All-Regional player for the University of Wisconsin at Eau Claire softball team...brother, Derek, is an assistant coach for the Cretin-Derham High School baseball team, annually one of the top 10 high school baseball programs in the country.

WEINKE'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	ATT-COM-INT	PCT	YARDS	TDs	LONG
1997	13-7-1	.538	82	2	25
1998	286-145-6	.507	2487	19	79
1999	377-232-14	.615	3103	25	84
TOTAL	676-384-21	.568	5672	46	84

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#96 RANDY WILKINS

Defensive Tackle, 6-3, 245, Senior
Jacksonville, FL (Nease)



At Florida State: Should provide leadership and experience to a young group of interior defensive linemen who are attempting to replace former first team All-ACC defensive tackle Jerry Johnson...a hard-working walk-on who was awarded a scholarship before his junior season... will be asked to set an example and lead a talented group of freshman and sophomore defensive tackles this fall... will provide depth along the defensive front...listed third on the depth chart at defensive tackle entering the 2000 season.

Junior Year (1999): Appeared in six games during the 1999 National Championship season...finished the season with two tackles recorded in the game against Duke...saw playing time against Louisiana Tech, Georgia Tech, NC State, North Carolina, Duke and Maryland.

Sophomore Year (1998): Appeared in seven games during his sophomore campaign...finished the year with seven tackles...provided depth along the interior defensive front and played on special teams...saw game time against Duke, Miami, Clemson, North Carolina, Virginia, Wake Forest and Florida...had two tackles against both Clemson and Virginia...recorded one against Duke, North Carolina and Wake Forest.

Freshman Year (1997): Saw limited action along the defensive line...did not record a tackle...key member of Florida State's scout teams.

1996: Redshirted.

High School: Selected to all-district, all-conference and all-county teams as a two-way player at Nease High...selected to play in River City Rumble Northeast Florida All-Star game...also an all-district and all-conference performer in the shot put and discus...lettered in football, track, weight-lifting and wrestling.

Personal: Born on November 10, 1977...a management major...turned down an appointment to the US Air Force Academy to attend Florida State...third generation member of his family to play for the Seminoles...father Terry played at FSU in 1972-73 while his grandfather Randy played in 1950.

WILKINS' CAREER STATS

YEAR	SOLO	AST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	INT
1997	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1998	2	5	7	0	0	0	0
1999	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Career	2	7	9	0	0	0	0

#72 BRETT WILLIAMS

Offensive Tackle, 6-6, 315, Sophomore
Kissimmee, FL (Osceola)



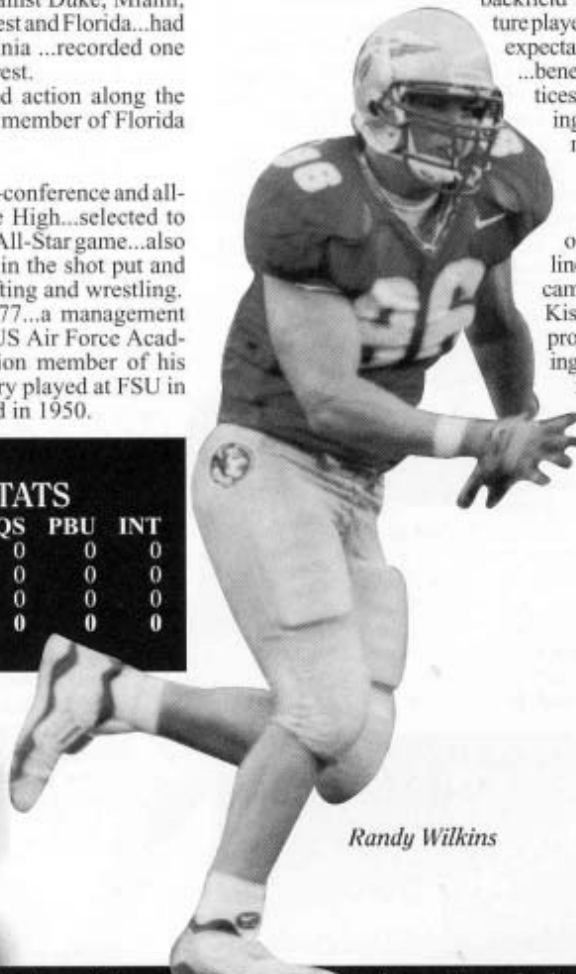
At Florida State: Proved as a freshman last year that he will be one of FSU's finest offensive linemen ever...had a tremendous freshman season filling in at split tackle when two-year starter Ross Brannon was lost early in the season with a knee injury...named first team Freshman All-American by *Football News* earned second team All-ACC honors after starting the last seven games of the season...very physical player with exceptional technique...completely shutdown Virginia Tech's heralded pass rusher Corey Moore, who had one tackle in the Sugar Bowl...probably as good as any sophomore FSU has ever had on the offensive front...had the highest vertical jump (34.0) among the linemen in spring testing.

Freshman Year (1999): Answered the bell when two-year starter Ross Brannon was lost for the year with a knee injury... started the last seven games of the season at split tackle and earned second team All-ACC honors...improved dramatically over the season and was credited with keeping Florida's Alex Brown out of the FSU

backfield virtually all day...very mature player who has exceeded coaches expectations of a first year starter...benefited from pre-bowl practices as his assention to the starting position was during the middle of the season.

1998: Redshirted along with most of his class.

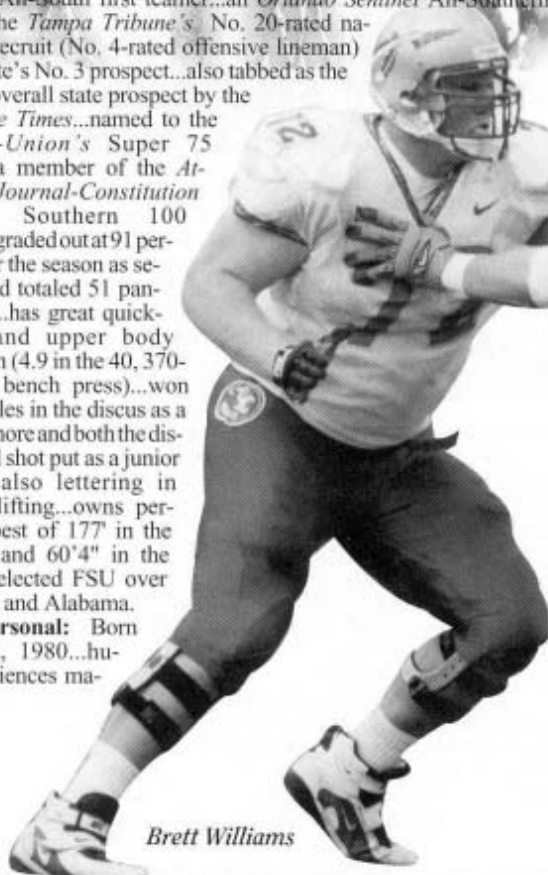
High School: One of the nation's top offensive line prospects after his senior campaign at Osceola High in Kissimmee...the No. 1 guard prospect in the country according to *SuperPrep*...named to the first-team *USA Today* All-USA squad...a *Parade* All-America selection...rated among the top two guards in the country by the *National Recruiting*



Randy Wilkins

Advisor...a *Prep Star* Dream Team preseason selection...regarded as the No. 3 offensive lineman nationally by Tom Lemming...an *Forrest* David All-South first teamer...an *Orlando Sentinel* All-Southern pick...the *Tampa Tribune's* No. 20-rated national recruit (No. 4-rated offensive lineman) and state's No. 3 prospect...also tabbed as the No. 3 overall state prospect by the *St. Pete Times*...named to the *Times-Union's* Super 75 team...a member of the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* Super Southern 100 team...graded out at 91 percent for the season as senior and totaled 51 pancakes...has great quickness and upper body strength (4.9 in the 40, 370-pound bench press)...won state titles in the discus as a sophomore and both the discus and shot put as a junior while also lettering in weightlifting...owns personal best of 177' in the discus and 60'4" in the shot...selected FSU over Florida and Alabama.

Personal: Born May 2, 1980...human sciences major.



Brett Williams

Seminole Sideline

Garnet & Gold



Florida State's school colors of garnet and gold date back to the Florida State College championship football teams of 1904 and 1905. In those championship seasons, FSC donned purple and gold uniforms. When Florida State College became Florida Female College in 1905, the football team was forced to attend the University of Florida. The following year the FFC student body selected crimson as the official school color of 1905. The administration in 1905 took crimson and combined it with the recognizable purple of the championship football teams to achieve the color garnet. The now-famous garnet and gold colors were first used on an FSU uniform in a 14-6 loss to Stetson on October 18, 1947.

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#79 TODD WILLIAMS

Offensive Guard, 6-6, 300, Sophomore
Bradenton, FL (Southeast)



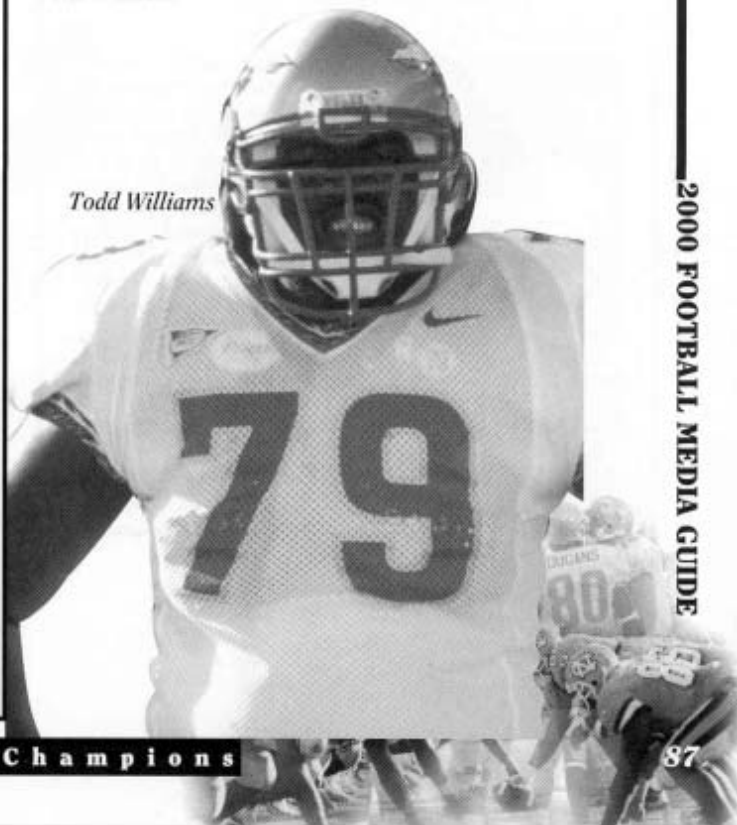
At Florida State: Begins his sophomore campaign as backup to senior Justin Amman at split guard...saw limited playing time and gained valuable experience behind Tarlos Thomas and Char-ron Dorsey while playing tackle last year...his strength and quickness add to his toughness as a player and will aid in learning the FSU system...one of the strongest Seminoles after bench pressing 505 in the spring testing...received the King of the Boards award during spring drills.

Freshman Year (1999): Saw sporadic playing time at offensive tackle all season...coaches worked him in when they had a chance and he showed he had the strength to hold his own...still learning proper technique, but has the desire to be a great player.

1998: Redshirted along with most of his class.

High School: One of the state's top offensive line prospects after his senior season at Southeast High in Bradenton...tabbed as the No. 5 offensive tackle in the state by the *Florida Times-Union*...rated as the No. 27 state prospect by the *Tampa Tribune*...named one of the top seven offensive tackles in the southeast by the *National Recruiting Advisor*...and *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* Super Southern 100 pick...graded out at 85 percent with 24 pancakes during senior season...named to the Class 6A all-state second team...chose FSU over South Carolina, Southern Mississippi and Michigan State.

Personal: Plans to major in criminology...born September 4, 1978...attended the same high school as former Seminole receiver Peter Warrick.



Todd Williams

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#91 JEFF WOMBLE

Defensive Tackle, 6-3, 295, Freshman
Dunwoody, GA (Dunwoody)



At Florida State: Enters the 2000 season competing for playing time at defensive tackle and noseguard...listed second on the depth chart at both positions...should contribute on a consistent basis this season...one of several players who are being looked at to fill the large shoes of departed consensus All-American Corey Simon and three-year starter Jerry Johnson.

1999: Redshirted along with most of

his class.

High School: Came to Florida State as one of the top defensive tackle prospects in the nation...a second-team *USA Today* All-American...earned first-team Class 4A all-state honors as a senior...the No. 4-ranked defensive lineman in the country and the No. 29 prospect overall by *SuperPrep*...rated the No. 44 prospect in the country by the *National Recruiting Advisor* and Tom Lemming...listed at No. 29 in the country by the *Tampa Tribune*...recorded 69 tackles (40 solo), 15 tackles for loss, five caused fumbles and tallied 18 quarterback hurries this season...selected FSU over Tennessee, Georgia and Florida.

Personal: Majoring in biological sciences...born February 13, 1981.

#98 CHRIS WOODS

Noseguard, 6-3, 250, Sophomore
Orlando, FL (Jones)



At Florida State: Listed at second team noseguard as the Seminoles enter the fall campaign...was FSU's top newcomer as a redshirt freshman and most improved player on defensive line last year...one of the players who will try and fill the shoes of consensus All-American Corey Simon...the defense's King of the Boards winner during the spring, which attest to his upper body strength and ability to play low...was impressive coming off the bench against Virginia Tech in the Sugar Bowl.

Freshman Year (1999): Played in all 11 games and recorded 27 tackles and one tackle for loss...his 27 tackles ranked fourth among returning down linemen...had his best game against Duke when he recorded four total tackles and one tackle for loss...also recorded four tackles against Georgia Tech, North Carolina and Florida...garnered three tackles versus Maryland and Louisiana Tech...recorded a third-down stop in Virginia game...also saw time on special teams and had a block on return versus North Carolina.

1998: Redshirted.

High School: Orange County Defensive Player of the Year after a dominating senior season at Jones High...recorded 128 tackles and six sacks during his final season...also forced six fumbles and recovered five despite nursing a fractured foot...broke his foot in the first game of the year but waited to have surgery until after the season...versatile performer in the prep ranks who

played inside and outside linebacker, nose-guard, tight end, fullback and deep snapper...led his team to the state playoffs all three of his years as a starter...All-Central Florida pick by the *Orlando Sentinel*...second team state Class 4A selection...finished as the state runner-up in the discus as a sophomore and junior...selected Florida State over Alabama, Tennessee, Florida and Georgia.

Personal: Born January 11, 1980...majoring in sociology.



Seminole Sideline

Coaching Cradle



Much is made of the continuity on Florida State head coach Bobby Bowden's coaching staff. In fact, defensive ends coach Jim Gladden is in his 26th season on the FSU staff in 2000. Tallahassee has also been fertile ground for young coaches, climbing their way up in the profession. The following is a list of coaches who have all served as Florida State assistants that went on to become a major college or National Football League head coach: Chuck Amato, Terry Bowden, Tommy Bowden, Mack Brown, Art Baker, Lee Corso, Jim Donnan, Joe Gibbs, Dan Henning, Skip Holtz, Don James, Gene McDowell, Bill Parcells, Brad Scorr and Steve Sloan.

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WOODS' CAREER STATS

YEAR	TACKLES	ASST	TOT	TFL	QS	PBU	INT
1999	8	19	27	1	0	0	0

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#70 ALEX BARRON

6-8, 297, Offensive Line
Orangeburg, SC (Wilkinson)

A standout offensive lineman with both size and quickness...*PrepStar* and *Football News* All-American...named to *PrepStar's* 1999 Top 100 (No. 3 offensive lineman) Dream Team...listed as the No. 5 prospect in the Atlantic Region by *PrepStar*...named to the *Orlando Sentinel's* All-South team...*SuperPrep's* No. 15 offensive lineman...rated as the No. 19 offensive lineman in the nation by *Rivals100.com*...G&W's No. 3 ACC-area prospect...Jeff Whitaker's *Deep South Football Recruiting Guide* South Carolina Player of the Year...1st team all-South by Fox Sports Net...*Orlando Sentinel's* Top 100 National Player...graded out at better than 92 percent and had 61 pancake blocks as a senior...also played basketball in high school...reported a 320-pound bench press and a time of 5.1 in the 40-yard dash...chose FSU over Notre Dame, South Carolina, Georgia Tech and Georgia.

#86 MICHAEL BOULWARE

6-3, 200, Wide Receiver
Columbia, SC (Spring Valley)

South Carolina's Gatorade Player of the Year...a versatile athlete who can play both offense and defense...expected to play wide receiver at Florida State...caught 56 passes for 1,028 yards and 11 touchdowns and rushed 31 times for 362 yards and three touchdowns on offense as a senior at Spring Valley...as a linebacker, cornerback and safety during senior year he recorded 91 tackles (71 solo), had 17 tackles for loss, six sacks, one interception, three caused fumbles, one fumble recovery for a touchdown and three blocked kicks...a *USA Today* All-USA honorable mention selection...member of the *Orlando Sentinel's* All-South team...an all-state selection in South Carolina as a senior...named *High School Sporting Report's* South Carolina Player of the Year...member of the South Carolina all-decade team...rated *SuperPrep's* No. 6 "skill athlete"...listed as the No. 12 prospect (No. 2 linebacker) in the Atlantic Region by *PrepStar*...*Rivals100.com's* No. 33 linebacker nationally...G&W's No. 5 ACC-area prospect...listed on *Orlando Sentinel's* National Top 100 Team...selected to play in the North Carolina-South Carolina Shrine Bowl...reported speed of 4.44 in the 40...younger brother of former Seminole All-American and current Baltimore Raven All-Pro Peter Boulware...chose FSU over Clemson and Georgia Tech.

#18 YOHANCE BUCHANAN

6-1, 210, Defensive Back
Atlanta, GA (Douglass)

One of the most highly regarded defensive backs in the country...rated the best safety prospect in the entire Southern Region by *PrepStar*...one of four (Johnson, McFadden and Moore) Seminole signings to be named *Parade* All-American...named a *PrepStar* and *Football News* All-American...named to the *PrepStar* and *Orlando Sentinel* 1999 Top 100 (No. 3 defensive back) Dream Team...a second-team *USA Today* All-USA selection...rated the No. 4 defensive back in the nation by *SuperPrep*...member of Fox Sports Net all-South Team...a *Sf. Pete Times* Blue Chip...*Rivals50.com's* No. 1 safety prospect in

the country...had 10 interceptions as a junior...still managed 65 tackles and four interceptions as a senior when teams stayed away from him after junior year performance...clocked a 4.440...speed and size has led some to compare him to former NFL greats Ronnie Lott and Steve Atwater...selected FSU over Clemson, Michigan and Alabama.

#62 DAVID CASTILLO

6-2, 285, Offensive Line
Palm Beach, FL (Palm Beach Gardens)

Named District Player of the Year as an offensive lineman...a dominant run-blocker in high school who projects to be a guard or center at Florida State...recorded 77 pancakes and helped Palm Beach Gardens rush for over 2,700 yards in 1999...bench press reported to be over 350 lbs...selected to play in the Florida-Georgia All-Star Game...competed in weightlifting and wrestling at Palm Beach Gardens...selected FSU over Kansas State, Colorado State, Indiana and Marshall.

#49 BRETT CIMORELLI

6-4, 220, Placekicker
Zephyrhills, FL (Zephyrhills)

A dual-sport star who may remind some of Sebastian Janikowski with his size...plans to play both baseball and football at FSU...all-state football, baseball...all-*St. Pete Times* Star Athlete...all-county *Tampa Tribune*...made field goals from 55 and 54 yards and 9-of-14 field goals on the year as a senior...three of his five missed attempts were from beyond 52 yards...sent 26 of 28 kickoffs into or out of the endzone (from 40-yard line)...63 of 67 on extra points throughout career...a first-team all-state selection at Zephyrhills High...selected to play in the Florida-Georgia All-Star Game...also punted for an average of 41 yards per punt...carried a 4.0 GPA...selected Florida State over Notre Dame, Clemson and Duke.

#83 DEVARD DARLING

6-3, 195, Wide Receiver
Houston, TX (Austin)

One of the top prospects in the state of Texas at wide receiver...possesses excellent size and speed...played in a run-oriented offense at Austin...clocked by high school coaches at 4.4 in the 40-yard dash...named to the all-district team...regarded as the nation's No. 24 wide receiver and the No. 28 prospect in Texas by *SuperPrep*...listed as the No. 51 wide receiver in the nation by *Rivals100.com*...missed three games during senior season with turf-toe...twin brother Devaughn is a linebacker in the FSU 2000 signing class...the two selected FSU over Texas A&M.

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#53 DEVAUGHN DARLING

6-2, 220, Linebacker
Houston, TX (Austin)

Among the nation's best at linebacker...twin brother, Devard, also signed with FSU as a wide receiver...earned District MVP honors as a senior...recorded 143 tackles and 10 sacks as a senior...exceptional athlete with great speed for a linebacker...ran a 4.5 in the 40 in high school...rated the No. 27 prospect in Texas and the No. 23 linebacking prospect in the country by *SuperPrep*...Rivals100.com's No. 26 linebacker nationally...ranked as the No. 6 linebacking prospect in the Midlands Region by *PrepStar*...chose FSU over Texas A&M.

#59 CHARLES HOWARD

6-3, 215, Defensive Line
Lake Butler, FL (Union County)

Played just five games as a senior after suffering a broken fibula...injury may have cost him a blue chip reputation, but was still one of the most highly recruited players in the state...had seven sacks and 30 tackles in those five games in 1999...had 17 sacks and 100 tackles as a junior...reported bench press of 355 pounds and a 40-yard dash time of 4.6...started all four years at Union County, a school that produced Bennie Alexander (Florida), Gerard Warren (Florida) and Andrew Zow (Alabama)...selected Florida State over Alabama, Florida, Maryland and Virginia Tech.

#92 TRAVIS JOHNSON

6-5, 240, Defensive Line
Sherman Oaks, CA (Notre Dame)

Regarded by many as the best player in the country...had 104 tackles, 32 tackles for loss and 17 sacks as a senior as well as eight blocked kicks (4 punts, 2 FG's and 2 PAT's)...one of four *Parade* All-Americans in this year's signing class (Buchanan, McFadden and Moore)...rushed for six touchdowns in short yardage situations in 1999...a *USA Today* All-USA first-team selection...named to *PrepStar's* 1999 Top 100 (No. 1 defensive linemen) Dream Team...listed as the No. 2 prospect in the West Region by *PrepStar*...selected a *PrepStar* and *Football News* All-American...listed 23rd on *Orlando Sentinel* Top 100 list...a *St. Pete Times* "Blue Chipper"...Rivals100.com's No. 2 defensive end...*SuperPrep's* No. 2 defensive lineman...ranked the No. 2 defensive lineman in the nation by G&W...set a school record for career sacks (40), tackles for loss (77), forced fumbles (14) and blocked punts (5)...reported bench press of 325 pounds...runs on school's 4 x 100 relay team, reported best time in the 100m is 11.2...chose FSU over Michigan, UCLA, Tennessee and USC.

#38 GREG JONES

6-1, 225, Tailback
Beaufort, SC (Battery Creek)

Outstanding two-way player in high school who will play running back at Florida State...rushed for over 1,600 yards and 18 touchdowns as a senior at Battery Creek...registered seven sacks in limited action on defense as a senior...named All-State as a senior...reported a 4.5 in the 40 and a 365-pound bench press...*SuperPrep's* No. 12 running back nationally and No. 3 prospect in South Carolina...listed as the No. 8 prospect (No. 1 linebacker) in the Atlantic Region by *PrepStar*...all-South selection by Fox Sports Net...listed 36th on *Orlando Sentinel's* Top 100...a *St. Pete Times* "Blue Chipper"...Rivals100.com's No. 6 running back...G&W's No. 6 ACC-area prospect...*Atlanta Journal Constitution* SuperSouthern 100 selection...competed in sprints for high school track team...cousin of former boxing champion Joe Frazier...selected FSU over Clemson, Michigan, South Carolina, Ohio State and Tennessee.

#31 BRYANT McFADDEN

6-1, 180, Defensive Back
Hollywood, FL (McArthur)

A highly sought after recruit who is regarded by many as the best cornerback in the nation...a *USA Today* All-USA first-team selection...*SuperPrep's* No. 1 defensive back in the country and its No. 1 prospect in the state of Florida...one of four Seminole 2000 signings to be named to the *Parade* All-American team (Buchanan, Johnson and Moore)...selected to the *Atlanta Journal Constitution* SuperSouthern 100 team...an *Orlando Sentinel* All-South selection...No. 1 prospect in Florida according to the *St. Petersburg Times*...Rivals100.com's No. 1 cornerback nationally...*PrepStar* and *Football News* All-American...*PrepStar's* No. 3 prospect in the Southeast and No. 1 defensive back prospect...G&W All-American...had 75 tackles each of the last two seasons...intercepted three passes and returned one for a touchdown as a senior and had two interceptions as a junior...picked Florida State over Miami, Georgia, Tennessee and Michigan.

#73 BOBBY MEEKS


6-3, 285, Offensive Line
Aldine, TX (Nimitz)

One of the top offensive line prospects in Texas...a three-year starter at Nimitz, a school that has sent 73 players to Division I or I-AA football programs over the past five years...reported to have benched 380 pounds, squat 550 pounds and run a 4.9, 40-yard dash...earned all-district honors as a senior...selected to the 1999 Top 100 Dream Team by *PrepStar*...regarded as the No. 18 offensive lineman in the nation by *PrepStar*...ranked No. 17 on the Super 30 All-Midlands Region team by *PrepStar*...ranks 47th on the Austin American-Statesman's list of Texas' top 100 prospects...member of Texas' "Super Team" as one of the states top five linemen according to Dave Campbell...No. 65 offensive lineman in the country according to Rivals100.com...chose FSU over Texas A&M, Texas Tech and Oklahoma.

#40 ERIC MOORE

6-4, 225, Linebacker
Pahokee, FL (Pahokee)

Considered by many to be one of the top linebackers in the nation and the best linebacker prospect in Florida this year...has the ability to play all three linebacking positions...*SuperPrep* Player of the Year...1999 Gridiron Player of the Year...one of four



Seminole 2000 signings to be honored as a *Parade* All-American (Buchanan, Johnson and McFadden)...a *PrepStar* and *Football News* All-American...named to *PrepStar*'s 1999 Top 100 (No. 2 linebacker) Dream Team...listed as the No. 6 prospect in the Southeast Region by *PrepStar*...a *USA Today* All-USA second-team selection...Jeff Whitaker's *Deep South Football Recruiting Guide* Florida Player of the Year...25th best player in the country according to the *Orlando Sentinel*...*St. Pete Times* "Blue Chipper"...all-South selection by Fox Sports Net...*SuperPrep*'s No. 7 linebacker...*Rivals100.com*'s No. 4 linebacker...G&W's No. 3 linebacker...helped lead team to state finals as a junior with current Seminole Anquan Boldin...had 123 tackles and 10 sacks as a junior...reported time in the 40 was 4.7...also played basketball in high school...chose Florida State over Tennessee, Miami, West Virginia and North Carolina.

#35 CLAUDIUS OSEI

6-1, 190, Defensive Back

Tallahassee, FL (North Florida Christian)

Highly recruited as a defensive back and a wide receiver at North Florida Christian...will play defensive back at Florida State...a German exchange student who arrived in the United States in 1999...played receiver for German club teams...had 100 tackles (77 solo), 22 tackles for loss, four sacks, one interception (returned 21 yards for a touchdown), three forced fumbles, one fumble recovery as a senior defensive back...made 10 catches for 267 yards and five touchdowns as a receiver in 1999...helped lead team to Class 2A state title as a senior...speed reported at 4.4 in the 40...chose FSU over Georgia Tech and Tennessee.

#9 KENDYLL POPE

6-2, 212, Linebacker

Lake City, FL (Columbia)

One of four spring enrollees along with B.J. Ward, Fabian Walker and Javon Walker...regarded by many as the best defensive player in the state of Florida and one of the top linebackers in the nation last year...original member of the 1999 signing class...a first-team *USA Today* All-American and *Parade* All-American...earned first-team Class 6A all-state honors...recognized as one of the top five players in Florida by Bill Buchalter in 1999...listed as the No. 14 prospect in Florida and No. 63 nationally by the *Tampa Tribune*...No. 32 prospect in the nation according to *The Sporting News*...the No. 5 linebacker in the country by *SuperPrep*...named to the Super 27 by the *Orlando Sentinel*...member of the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* Super Southern 100...ranked the No. 3 prospect in the state by the *Gainesville Sun*...rated as one of the Super 75 prospects in Florida by the *Florida Times-Union*...named to the *PrepStar* Dream Team and rated the No. 3 linebacker in the country...recorded 175 tackles, seven sacks and four caused fumbles as a senior...hails from the same high school as current FSU player Brian Allen and former FSU All-American Reinard Wilson...selected FSU over Florida, Alabama, Tennessee and Ohio State.

#93 ERIC POWELL

6-4, 275, Defensive Line

Orlando, FL (SW Mississippi JC)

One of the most sought after junior college players in America...a strong interior defensive lineman...a first-team junior college All-American by *Rivals100.com*...a *PrepStar* Super Juco Top 75 selection...*SuperPrep*'s No. 63 junior college prospect...went to high school with current Seminole Chris Woods at Orlando Jones High School...chose FSU over LSU, Tennessee, Auburn and Mississippi.



#16 CHRIS RIX

6-4, 210, Quarterback

Santa Margarita, CA (Santa Margarita)

One of the top quarterback prospects in the country...a mobile quarterback who threw for over 900 yards and rushed for over 550 yards and six touchdowns as a senior...was second on the team in receiving yards with 288 and led the team in touchdown receptions with three...caught just 10 passes as a senior but was recognized as a second team All-Serra League at wide receiver...named to *PrepStar*'s 1999 Top 100 (No. 7 quarterback) Dream Team and rated the No. 15 prospect in the Western Region by the same publication...earned honorable mention All-USA honors from *USA Today*...listed as the No. 5 quarterback prospect in the nation by *Rivals100.com*...named the MVP of the Nike Combine at USC in May of 1999...participated in the "Elite 11" QB clinic along with other national level QB prospects and was considered to have the strongest arm in the group...threw a football over 70 yards at one of Florida State's summer camps...clocked in at 4.5 in the 40...one of three pre-season All-Americans to ever come out of Rancho Santa Margarita (Carson Palmer, 1997, USC) and (Sean O'Brien, 1992, Arizona)...chose FSU over Southern California, Washington and Arizona State.

#30 LEROY SMITH

6-0, 180, Defensive Back

Quincy, FL (Shanks)

Shanks' career record-holder for interceptions with 16...a great open-field tackler who excels at bump-and-run coverage...had 71 tackles and five interceptions last year as a senior...an All-Big Bend selection in 1999...listed as *SuperPrep*'s No. 81 prospect in the state of Florida...ran a 4.4 40 in front of his high school coaches...played at same high school as former Seminole and current Tampa Bay Buccaneer Dexter Jackson and current Seminole safety Abdul Howard...also played wide receiver at Shanks...a three-time state qualifier in the 400m...selected FSU over Notre Dame, Georgia, North Carolina State and Clemson.

#15 FABIAN WALKER

6-2, 205, Quarterback

Americus, GA (Americus)

Joins Kendyll Pope, B.J. Ward and Javon Walker as a spring enrollee after meeting academic standards...talented quarterback who last year stacked up among the best in the country...set the Georgia state record for career passing yards (8,281 yards) and touchdowns (81)...a *USA Today* All-USA honorable mention selection...earned Georgia high school player of the year as well as Class 2A all-state honors following his senior year...member of the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*'s Super Southern 100 and Georgia Top 50 teams...selected to the *Orlando Sentinel*'s All-Southern team...rated the No. 16 player in the Southeast and No. 43 nationwide by Tom Lemming...listed as the state of Georgia's



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No. 3 prospect by Bill Buchalter...ranked the No. 66 recruit nationally by the *Tampa Tribune*...finished his senior season with 3,187 yards passing and 30 touchdowns...totaled over 8,100 yards and 80 TD over his career...speed reported at 4.6 in the 40...former teammate at Americus of current Seminole defensive end Alonzo Jackson...selected FSU over Georgia and Central Florida.

#80 JAVON WALKER

6-3, 190, Wide Receiver

Lafayette, LA (Jones MS J.C.)

Already enrolled at Florida State and participated in spring practice...considered by many to be the top junior college receiver in the country...caught 96 passes for 1,556 yards and 14 touchdowns in two years at Jones...listed as the No. 5 junior college prospect by *SuperPrep*...a *PrepStar* Super Juco Top 75 selection.

#24 B.J. WARD

6-4, 200, Defensive Back

Dallas, TX (Kimball)

Already enrolled at Florida State along with three others members of recruiting class...hard-hitting safety who emerged as one of the best players in the state of Texas...frame would allow for an additional 20-30 lbs...named to *PrepStar's* Big 12 region Super 30...rated the No. 3 defensive back prospect in that region by *PrepStar*...named to Bill Buchalter's All-Southern team...recorded 72 tackles and took all three of his interceptions back for touchdowns during senior season...picked off six passes as a junior...reported 40-yard dash times in the 4.4 range...also played basketball and ran track at Kimball...high school has produced college standouts Delon Washington (USC) and Allen Wilbon (Colorado)...brother of Miami Hurricane cornerback Nick Ward...had pick of almost any school in the country last year, choosing FSU over Nebraska, Ohio State, Notre Dame and Michigan.

#77 RAY WILLIS

6-6, 275, Offensive Line

Angleton, TX (Angleton)

Another highly recruited offensive lineman out of the state of Texas...will improve with time in the weight room as frame would allow for an additional 15-20 pounds...an intense player with quick feet for an offensive lineman...high school team ran a west coast style offense...an all-district selection as a senior...an honorable mention Class 5A all-state selection...*SuperPrep's* No. 28 offensive lineman and No. 36 prospect in Texas...listed as the No. 34 offensive lineman by *Rivals100.com*...a Midlands Region honorable mention selection by *PrepStar*...high school coaches clocked him at 4.95 in the 40 with a bench press of 350 lbs...has been compared in Texas to former NFL lineman Terry Tausch who played at UT...chose FSU over Texas A&M, Purdue, Tulane, Arkansas and Oklahoma.

Seminole SIDeline

Seminoles Get Scholarships In '51

It was not until 1951 that Florida State began to grant athletic scholarships. The move put added pressure on the program to win. FSU left the Dixie Conference and membership in the Southeastern Conference was denied. Interestingly, it was the University of Florida that sponsored FSU for admission to the SEC.

SIGNEES

70	Alex Barron	OL	6-6	290	FR	Orangeburg, SC (Wilkinson)
86	Michael Boulware	WR	6-3	200	FR	Columbia, SC (Spring Valley)
18	Yohance Buchanan	DB	6-1	210	FR	Atlanta, GA (Douglass)
62	David Castillo	OL	6-2	285	FR	Palm Beach, FL (Palm Bch. Gardens)
49	Brett Cimorelli	PK	6-4	220	FR	Zephyrhills, FL (Zephyrhills)
83	Devard Darling	WR	6-3	195	FR	Houston, TX (Austin)
53	Devaughn Darling	LB	6-2	220	FR	Houston, TX (Austin)
59	Charles Howard	DE	6-3	215	FR	Lake Butler, FL (Union Co.)
92	Travis Johnson	DL	6-5	240	FR	Sherman Oaks, CA (Notre Dame)
38	Greg Jones	TB	6-1	225	FR	Beaufort, SC (Battery Creek)
31	Bryant McFadden	DB	6-1	180	FR	Hollywood, FL (McArthur)
73	Bobby Meeks	OL	6-3	285	FR	Aldine, TX (Nimitz)
40	Eric Moore	LB	6-5	228	FR	Pahokee, FL (Pahokee)
35	Claudius Osei	DB	6-1	190	FR	Tallahassee, FL (N. Fla. Christian)
9	Kendyll Pope	LB	6-2	212	FR	Lake City, FL (Columbia)
93	Eric Powell	DL	6-4	275	JR	Orlando, FL (SW Miss JC)
16	Chris Rix	QB	6-4	200	FR	Santa Margarita, CA (Rancho)
30	Leroy Smith	DB	5-11	170	FR	Quincy, FL (Shanks)
15	Fabian Walker	QB	6-2	205	FR	Americus, GA (Americus)
80	Javon Walker	WR	6-3	190	JR	Lafayette, LA (Jones J.C.)
24	B.J. Ward	DB	6-4	200	FR	Dallas, TX (Kimball)
77	Ray Willis	OL	6-6	256	FR	Angleton, TX (Angleton)

