

2007 Nebraska Football Honors

National Awards

Wuerffel Award Finalist

Todd Peterson, WR (1 of 11)

Lombardi Award Watch List

Bo Ruud, LB

Rimington Award Watch List

Brett Byford, C

Lott Trophy Watch List

Bo Ruud, LB

Manning Award Watch List

Sam Keller, QB

Bednarik Award Watch List

Corey McKeon, LB

Bo Ruud, LB

Biletnikoff Award Watch List

Maurice Purify, WR

Maxwell Award Watch List

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Outland Trophy Watch List

Matt Slauson, OL

Ray Guy Award Watch List

Dan Titchener, P

Walter Camp National Offensive Player of the Week:

Marlon Lucky, RB, vs. Nevada

AT&T All-America Player of the Week Nominee:

Joe Ganz, QB, vs. Kansas State (1 of 4)

ESPN Helmet Sticker Awards:

Marlon Lucky, RB, vs. Nevada

Joe Ganz, QB, vs. Kansas State

National Football Foundation/Hall of Fame High School Scholar-Athlete Award:

Blake Lawrence, LB (1 of 5)

Big 12 Honors

Second Team:

Marlon Lucky, RB (Big 12 Coaches, Austin American-Statesman)

Carl Nicks, OL (Big 12 Coaches)

Matt Slauson, OL (Rivals.com)

Honorable Mention:

Larry Asante, S (Big 12 Coaches)

Brett Byford, C (Big 12 Coaches)

Cortney Grixby, PR/KR (Big 12 Coaches)

Jacob Hickman, OL (Big 12 Coaches)

Marlon Lucky, RB/All-Purpose (Associated Press)

Lydon Murtha, OL (Big 12 Coaches)

Carl Nicks, OL (Associated Press)

Steve Octavien, LB (Big 12 Coaches, Associated Press)

Zach Potter, DL (Big 12 Coaches)

Maurice Purify, WR (Big 12 Coaches)

Bo Ruud, LB (Big 12 Coaches)

Matt Slauson, OL (Associated Press)

Dan Titchener, P (Big 12 Coaches)

First-Team Freshman All-Big 12:

Anthony Blue, DB (Sporting News)

Jaivorio Burkes, OL (Sporting News)

Alex Henery, PK (Sporting News)

Big 12 Player-of-the-Week Honors

Big 12 Offensive Player of the Week:

Marlon Lucky, LB, vs. Nevada, Sept. 1

Joe Ganz, QB, vs. Kansas State, Nov. 10

CoSIDA Academic Honors

CoSIDA Academic All-District VII First Team

J.B. Phillips Gr. TE 3.89 Marketing

Academic All-Big 12

First-Team Football Academic All-Big 12 (12):

Name	Yr.	Major	Hometown
Lance Brandenburg***	Sr.	Business Administration	Overland Park, Kan.
Wes Cammack	So.	Agricultural Engineering	DeWitt, Neb.
Ben Eisenhart	Sr.	History	Culbertson, Neb.
Victory Haines	Sr.	Math	Logan, Utah
Josh Mueller**	Sr.	Business Administration	Columbus, Neb.
Lydon Murtha	Jr.	Economics	Hutchinson, Minn.
Todd Peterson***	Jr.	Nutritional Science and Diet.	Grand Island, Neb.
J.B. Phillips****	Sr.	Marketing (MBA)	Colleyville, Texas
Andy Sand	Sr.	Business Administration	Lincoln, Neb.
Matt Senske	Sr.	Business Administration	Bellevue, Neb.
Dan Titchener**	Jr.	Accounting	Cheyenne, Wyo.
Tyler Wortman	Jr.	Mechanical Engineering	Grand Island, Neb.

Second-Team Football Academic All-Big 12 (3):

Name	Yr.	Major	Hometown
Matt O'Hanlon**	Jr.	Pre-Social Science	Bellevue, Neb.
Zach Potter**	Jr.	Communication Studies	Omaha, Neb.
Bo Ruud**	Sr.	Business Administration	Lincoln, Neb.

two-time honoree; *three-time honoree

Team Season Awards

Offensive MVP: Maurice Purify, WR

Defensive MVP: Steve Octavien, LB

Special Teams MVP: Rickey Thenarse, CB (second straight year)

Offensive Scout Team MVP: Zac Lee, QB

Defensive Scout Team MVP: Thomas Rice, DE

Nebraska Senior Awards

Guy Chamberlin Trophy: Bo Ruud, LB

Tom Novak Award: Cortney Grixby, CB

Cletus Fischer Native Son Award: Ben Eisenhart, S

Nebraska Scholarships

Brook Berringer Memorial Scholarship: Todd Peterson, WR

Jake Young Memorial Scholarship: Andy Christensen, OG

Postseason Game Participants

Senior Bowl: Carl Nicks, OL

East-West Shrine Game: Sam Keller, QB; Zack Bowman, CB

Hula Bowl: Corey McKeon, LB; Maurice Purify, WR

Texas vs. Nation All-Star Game: Steve Octavien, LB