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AGGIES

2003 TEXAS A&M FOOTBALL

NEBRASKA (5-1, 1-1 BIG 12)

TEXAS A&M (3-3, 1-1 BIG 12)

HUSKERS vs. AGGIES

ASSOCIATED PRESS — No. 18
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Date	Opponent	Result/Time	Date	Opponent	Result/Time
08/30	• Oklahoma State (ABC)	W, 17-7	08/30	ARKANSAS STATE (PPV)	W, 26-11
09/06	Utah State (FSN)	W, 31-7	09/06	UTAH (PPV)	W, 28-26
09/13	Penn State (ABC)	W, 18-10	09/18	at Virginia Tech (ESPN)	L, 19-35
09/25	at Southern Miss (ESPN)	W, 38-14	09/27	PITTSBURGH (ABC)	L, 26-37
10/04	Troy State	W, 30-0	10/04	• at Texas Tech (FSN)	L, 28-59
10/11	• at Missouri (TBS)	L, 24-41	10/11	• BAYLOR	W, 73-10
10/18	• Texas A&M (FSN)	11:40 a.m.	10/18	• at Nebraska (FSN)	11:40 a.m.
10/25	Iowa State	TBA	10/25	• OKLAHOMA STATE	TBA
11/01	• at Texas	TBA	11/01	• KANSAS	TBA
11/08	• at Kansas	TBA	11/08	• at Oklahoma	TBA
11/15	• Kansas State	TBA	11/15	• at Missouri	TBA
11/28	• at Colorado (ABC)	11 a.m.	11/28	• TEXAS (ABC)	2:30 p.m.

ALL TIMES ARE CENTRAL AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE

GAME DAY INFORMATION

Texas A&M AGGIES (3-3, 1-1 B12) at Nebraska CORNHUSKERS (5-1, 1-1 B12)

KICKOFF --- 11:40 a.m., Saturday, Oct. 18, 2003

SITE (CAPACITY) --- Memorial Stadium/Tom Osborne Field, Lincoln, Neb. (73,918)

RADIO INFORMATION --- The game will be broadcast by the 60-plus station Texas A&M Radio Network. For a complete list of stations, go to: AggieAthletics.com. Calling the game on the A&M Radio Network are Dave South (play-by-play), Tim Cassidy (commentary) and Chris Valletta (side-line reports).

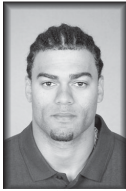
TV INFORMATION --- The game will be regionally televised by Fox Sports Net. Calling the game will be Bill Land (play-by-play), Dave Lapham (commentary) and Jim Knox (sideline reports).

SERIES INFORMATION --- The Cornhuskers lead the all-time series between the two schools, 8-2 ... Nebraska has won two straight since A&M's 1998 victory at Kyle Field, which is the Aggies' most recent victory in the series ... In 1998, the Aggies surprised the No. 2-ranked Cornhuskers with a 28-21 victory, which spurred A&M to its only Big 12 Championship ... A&M Director of Athletics Bill Byrne and Senior Assoc. A.D. for External Operations Jeff Schmahl both came to Aggieland from Nebraska within the last year.



TAYLOR SETS SIGHTS ON RECEIVING YARDS RECORD ---

With just 25 career games under his belt, senior Jamaar Taylor is poised to become Texas A&M's career leader in receiving yards. Taylor, who has caught at least one pass in every game he's played, goes into the Nebraska game needing 36 receiving yards to pass Bethel Johnson's (1999-2002) school record of 1,740 yards.



Taylor's career stats stand at 108 catches for 1,705 yards and 10 touchdowns. Johnson set the existing receiving yards mark in 35 games over a four-year span.

A&M's All-Time Receiving Yards List

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1.	Bethel Johnson, 1999-02	1,740
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4.	Rod Bernstine, 1983-86	105
5.	Albert Connell, 1995-96	98

Career Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD	LG
McNeese State	3	51	0	37
at Wyoming	4	74	0	33
Oklahoma State	4	36	1	19
Notre Dame	2	24	0	14
Baylor	5	72	0	34
at Colorado	9	146	2	64
at Kansas State	3	16	0	7
Iowa State	2	13	0	12
at Texas Tech	6	49	0	16
at Oklahoma	1	8	0	8
Texas	(DNP)			
*TCU (galleryfurniture.com)	1	15	0	15
2001 Total (10 games)	39	489	3	64
La.-Lafayette	4	80	0	33
at Pittsburgh	5	51	0	15
Virginia Tech	5	56	0	18
Louisiana Tech	5	118	1	38
Texas Tech	6	128	1	82
at Baylor	4	48	0	23
at Kansas	5	131	1	69
Nebraska	3	59	0	23
at Oklahoma State	5	35	0	18
Oklahoma	(DNP)			
Missouri	(DNP)			
at Texas	2	54	0	39
2002 Total (10 games)	44	760	3	82
Arkansas State	5	53	0	21
Utah	6	59	0	15
at Virginia Tech	(DNP)			
Pittsburgh	6	110	1	36
at Texas Tech	3	89	1	44
Baylor	5	145	2	91
2003 Total (5 games)	25	456	4	91
Career Total (25 games)	108	1,705	10	91

* — bowl statistics did not count toward season and career totals in 2001.

AGGIES HIT ROAD FOR GAME 7 AGAINST CORNHUSKERS ---

Game 7 for Texas A&M has the Aggies traveling to Lincoln, Neb., for an 11:40 a.m. tilt with the Top 25-ranked Nebraska Cornhuskers (No. 18 Associated Press / No. 14 USA Today/ESPN). The game will be regionally televised by Fox Sports Net. Fans should check their local television listings for broadcast information.

The Aggies (3-3 overall, 1-1 vs. Big 12) are coming off a record-setting 73-10 victory over Baylor at Kyle Field, while Nebraska (5-1, 1-1) fell to Missouri, 41-24, in Columbia, Mo.

TEAM EFFORT KEYS AGGIES' RUSHING GAME RENAISSANCE ---

Led by a two-headed tailback, its most mobile quarterback since Bucky Richardson, and an improved offensive front, the Aggies have experienced a renaissance in its running game in 2003.

The Aggies are averaging 217.3 rushing yards per game with an impressive 5.5 yards per carry average through six games this season. It is the Aggies' best per game rushing average since 1996 when they gained 230.3 yards per game on the ground and it's the best per carry average since 1990 when the Darren Lewis-led Aggies gained 5.8 per tote.

Redshirt freshman Courtney Lewis and junior Derek Farmer have combined to give the Aggies 779 rushing yards from its running back position, while sophomore quarterback Reggie McNeal has emerged as a rushing threat with 237 yards on the ground. Much credit also goes to a youthful offensive front that features just two returning starters.

Year by Year Rushing Average

Year	Rushes	Yards	Avg/G	Avg/P
2003	237	1,304	217.3	5.5
2002	421	1,771	118.2	3.4
2001	387	1,541	114.0	3.2
2000	421	1,830	146.4	3.8
1999	467	1,892	145.6	3.4
1998	594	1,985	152.7	3.3
1997	492	2,465	205.4	5.0
1996	565	2,764	230.3	4.9

HANGARTNER IS A CONSTANT ON YOUTHFUL OFFENSIVE FRONT ---

Led by junior center Geoff Hangartner, the youthful Aggie offensive line has gotten progressively better with each game.

Hangartner, an All-Big 12 candidate, produced 18 knockdown blocks against Baylor while leading the Aggies to the second-high offensive output in school history (719 yards).

HIGH OCTANE AGGIES ---

A balanced rush-pass offensive attack by the Aggies is in the midst of the most prolific three-game span in school history. In their last three games against Pittsburgh, Texas Tech and Baylor, the Aggies have rolled up 1,752 yards of total offense, which is the most in school history. The previous three-game span came in 1996 when the Aggies piled up 1,677 yards in consecutive games against North Texas, Colorado and Louisiana Tech.

A model of rush-pass balance, the Aggies are averaging 217.3 rushing yards and 224.3 passing yards in 2002. Of its 24 touchdowns, 14 have come via the rush and 10 have come through the air.

Best Three-Game Totals (Total Offense)

Year	Opponents	Total Offense
2003	Pittsburgh, Texas Tech, Baylor (544 / 489 / 719)	1,752
1996	North Texas, Colorado, Louisiana Tech (624 / 447 / 606)	1,677
1990	SMU, Arkansas, TCU (670 / 429 / 537)	1,636
1985	Northeast Louisiana, Tulsa, Texas Tech (539 / 702 / 381)	1,622
1991	TCU, Arkansas, SMU (594 / 367 / 567)	1,528

AGGIE DEFENSE SHUTS DOWN BIG 12 RUSHING LEADER ---

While the Aggie offense received most of the praise from last Saturday's 73-10 victory over Baylor, the A&M defense sought to "regain its swagger" by shutting down Baylor's Rashad Armstrong. Armstrong came into the game as the Big 12 rushing leader and left it bruised.

The Aggies limited Armstrong to just 22 yards on 18 carries, which was 95-plus yards below his season average of 117.8.

Armstrong came into the game with a history of getting stronger in the second half, averaging 83.8 yards and 6.0 per carry in the final two quarters this season. Last Saturday, Armstrong gained no yards on six second half carries.

AMAZING APPEL ---

Only a season and a half into his A&M career, sophomore safety Jaxson Appel is on the verge of putting his name on the Aggies' career interceptions list. In 16 career games, Appel has posted seven interceptions and needs just one more pickoff to enter the A&M top 20 in career INTs.

A&M's 2003 leader in interceptions with three, Appel tied for the team lead with four in 2002 while setting a freshman record.

OFFENSIVE LINE SHINES AGAINST BAYLOR ---

A&M's youthful offensive line produced its best game of the season against Baylor last week, both in terms of production and coaches grades.

The offensive front paved the way for 719 yards, the second-highest total offense output in school history. The Aggies gained a whopping 437 rushing yards, which is the most by A&M since 1990 when the Darren Lewis-led Aggies rolled to 505 rushing yards against SMU.

Fifteen offensive linemen saw action against the Bears and the group combined to grade out at 82 percent and produced an impressive 87 knockdown blocks. Among the starters, senior John Kirk led the way with a 89 percent grade, while sophomore Aldo De La Garza led in knockdowns with 20.

MCNEAL QUIETLY MOVES INTO PASS EFFICIENCY TOP 20 ---

Fresh off the most complete game of his career, sophomore signalcaller Reggie McNeal has put his name among the nation's leaders in pass efficiency rating.

McNeal ranks No. 19 in the NCAA rankings with a 146.5 efficiency rating. He has completed 62-of-112 passes (55.4 completion percentage) for 998 yards for 7 touchdowns against 2 interceptions.

Big 12 Pass Efficiency Leaders

Rk	Player, School	Rating
1.	Jason White, Oklahoma	180.2
2.	Bill Whitemore, Kansas	174.5
3.	B.J. Symons, Texas Tech	165.8
4.	Chance Mock, Texas	155.1
5.	Reggie McNeal, Texas A&M	146.5

PLACEKICKER PEGRAM IS SOLID IN SECOND SEASON ---

Sophomore placekicker Todd Pegram has been a consistent force for the Aggies in 2003 after a shaky first season in 2002.

Pegram has righted the ship after starting off his A&M career just 5-of-12 in field goal attempts through the first six games of 2002. Since then, Pegram has connected on 16-of-20 field goal attempts, including 9-of-11 in 2003.

Pegram ranks No. 3 in the Big 12 in field goals per game and No. 22 nationally.

Big 12 Field Goal Leaders

Rk	Player, School	FG-FGA	Pct.
1.	David Dyches, Nebraska	11-14	.786
2.	Trey DiCarlo, Oklahoma	12-13	.923
3.	Todd Pegram, Texas A&M	9-11	.818
4.	Joe Rheem, Kansas St.	8-9	.889
5.	Johnny Beck, Kansas	6-11	.545

JOLLY GOOD PLAYER ---

A bright spot on the Aggies' defensive front has been the play of first-time starter Johnny Jolly, who is the top tackler among the front seven and ranks No. 2 on the team in tackles with 48. The sophomore from Houston Forest Brook HS also leads the team in tackles for loss with 7 for -23 and has batted down 7 opponent aeriels.

Jolly's 2003 Game-by-Game Tackles

Opponent	Solo	Asst	Total	TFL/Yds
Arkansas State	1	5	6	1/-2
Utah	4	5	9	0/0
at Virginia Tech	7	2	9	0/0
Pittsburgh	7	4	11	3/-9
at Texas Tech	2	2	4	0/0
Baylor	6	3	9	3/-12
2003 Total	27	21	48	7/-23

C. LEWIS MOVES UP FRESHMAN RUSHING YARDS LIST ---

Redshirt freshman running back Courtney Lewis continues to move up the Aggies' freshman season rushing yards list and has positioned himself to be A&M's first 1,000-yard rusher since Danté Hall in 1998.

Lewis has produced a team-best 556 rushing yards and 9 touchdowns on 83 carries (6.7 per attempt) in six games. His 556 yards are already the seventh-most by an A&M freshman and his 9 touchdowns rank No. 3 in the freshman record book.

Against Baylor, Lewis produced a career-high 158 yards, which included a freshman record 86-yard touchdown run. His 158 yards ranked No. 7 on the freshman single game rushing list.

A&M Freshman Rushing Yards List

Rk	Player, Year	Yards	Avg./G
1.	Greg Hill, 1991	1,216	110.6
2.	Curtis Dickey, 1976	726	66.0
3.	Darren Lewis, 1987	668	60.6
4.	Danté Hall, 1996	642	53.5
5.	Leeland McElroy, 1993	613	55.7
6.	George Woodard, 1975	604	54.9
7.	Courtney Lewis, 2003	556	92.7

TAYLOR TALLIES ANOTHER 100, INCREASES SCHOOL RECORD ---

With 5 catches for 145 yards against Baylor, senior wide receiver Jamaar Taylor increased his school record for career 100-yard receiving games to six. It was his second century receiving game of the season.

Taylor leads the team in receptions and receiving yards with 25 for 456. His game averages of 5.0 catches and 91.2 receiving yards per game rank No. 10 and No. 6 in the Big 12 Conference.

Taylor's 100-Yard Receiving Games

Opponent, Year	Catches	Yds.
at Colorado, 2001	9	146
Baylor, 2003	5	145
Texas Tech, 2002	6	138
at Kansas, 2002	5	131
Louisiana Tech, 2002	5	118
Pittsburgh, 2003	6	110

MURPHY LEADS NATION IN YARDS PER TOUCH ---

Wide receiver/kickoff returner Terrence Murphy leads the nation in average gain per touch with an impressive 23.9 per touch average (among the nation's top 100 all-purpose yards producers).

Murphy has 11 kickoff returns for 370 yards, 16 catches for 250 yards and 4 carries for 120 yards.

NCAA Yards per Touch Leaders

Rk	Player, School	Avg./Play
1.	Terrence Murphy, Texas A&M	23.9
2.	Johnnie Morant, Syracuse	20.3
3.	Greg Jennings, Western Michigan	19.2
4.	Jovon Bouknight, Wyoming	18.89
5.	Jeremy Bloom, Colorado	18.85

ALL-PURPOSE MURPHY ---

Junior Terrence Murphy has emerged as one of the Big 12's top producers of all-purpose yardage. After six games, Murphy is averaging a team-best 135.6 all-purpose yards per game, which ranks No. 4 in the Big 12 and No. 27 nationally.

Big 12 All-Purpose Yards Leaders

Rk	Player, School	Gm.	Yds.	Avg/G
1.	Darren Sproles, Kansas State	7	1,053	150.4
2.	Jeremy Bloom, Colorado	6	867	144.5
3.	Josh Davis, Nebraska	6	855	142.5
4.	Clark Green, Kansas	6	818	136.3
5.	Terrence Murphy, Texas A&M	6	740	123.3

MURPHY MAKING HIS MARK IN RETURN GAME ---

A relative newcomer to kickoff returns, junior Terrence Murphy has started the 2003 on a record-setting pace. Through six games in 2003, Murphy, who had one previous kickoff return in his career, has gained 370 yards on 11 returns and ranks No. 2 nationally with a 33.6 average.

NCAA Kickoff Return Leaders

Rk	Player, School	KOR-Yds	Avg/P
1.	Michael Waddell, North Carolina	6-212	35.3
2.	Terrence Murphy, Texas A&M	11-370	33.6
3.	Kendrick Starling, San Jose St.	9-297	33.0
4.	Senterrio Landrum, Duke	11-353	32.1
	Johnny Mack, Texas Tech	11-353	32.1

A&M-BAYLOR POSTGAME NOTES

- The 10 touchdowns scored by the Aggies are the most by A&M in a game since 1944 when the Aggies scored 11 against Miami (Fla.) in a 70-14 win.
- The 73 points are the most by the Aggies against a conference opponent since the formation of the Big 12 Conference.
- The last time A&M scored more than 73 points was in 1986 when the Aggies tallied 74-10 over TCU at Kyle Field.
- The 73 points are the most by the Aggies since a 73-0 shellacking of Missouri in 1993. Ironically, that game came on the heels of a 44-14 road loss to Oklahoma. Saturday's win came on the heels of a record-setting 59-28 road loss to Texas Tech.
- The 719 yards gained by the Aggies rank as the second-most in school history. The school record is 774 yards against Louisiana-Lafayette in 1990.
- The Aggie defense limited Baylor to a loss or no gain on 31 of 71 plays.
- A&M scored on its initial drive of the game for the first time this season against the Bears.
- The Aggies scored more than 30 points for the first time since the upset of top-ranked Oklahoma, 30-26, last season.
- The 73 points were the most by either team in the Baylor-A&M series, which began in 1899. The previous high by the Aggies was 53 points in a 53-0 win in 1912. The 59 points also mark a high for the Aggies against a conference foe since joining the Big 12 Conference.
- The Aggies were already at 38 points after the first half (38-10 advantage), marking the first time A&M had scored 30 or more first half points since 1999 when the Aggies took a 31-7 advantage over Tulsa. The last time A&M scored more points in the first half of a game was 1997 when the Aggies rolled to a 45-0 halftime advantage over Louisiana-Lafayette.
- A pair of Aggies - Courtney Lewis and Derek Farmer — rushed for over 100 yards in the same game for the first time since the Aggies' 28-21 win over No. 2-ranked Nebraska in 1998 (Dante Hall, 113 yards/Ja'Mar Toombs, 110 yards). Lewis rushed for a game-high and career-best 158 yards on 12 carries, while Farmer added 117 yards on 11 totes. Lewis' total was the seventh-best rushing game by a freshman in school history, and his 86-yard touchdown run was a freshman record.
- Senior wide receiver Jamaar Taylor notched the six 100-yard receiving game of his career, which increased his own school record. Taylor grabbed 5 passes for 145 yards, including a 91-yard touchdown from Reggie McNeal.
- The 91-yard TD pass and catch from Reggie McNeal to Jamaar Taylor tied for the fourth-longest in school history (91-yard from Jim Kaufmann to Ken "Dude" McLean vs. Texas, 1965).
- The 86-yard touchdown run by Courtney Lewis ranks as the sixth-longest in A&M history.
- Senior Tommy Perry logged the first carry of his career ... Reggie McNeal's 2-yard touchdown plunge in the second quarter was the first rushing touchdown of his career ... Chad Schroeder logged the first touchdown catch of his career, a 42-yarder from Dustin Long ... Anthony Wright grabbed the first two catches of his career ... Ty Branyon logged the first two pass attempts of his career, completing one ... Ronald Jones' first quarter interception (returned 26 yards) was the first of his career ... Jaxson Appel posted the first interception return for a touchdown of his career with a 64-yard return.

TAYLOR & MURPHY CONTINUE ASSAULT ON RECORD BOOK --

Jamaar Taylor and Terrence Murphy rank as the most prolific receiving tandem in school history, in terms of career receiving yards and have their sights set on the receptions mark.

The duo has produced 3,072 receiving yards in their three years in the maroon and white, which passed the previous best of 2,785 yards by Bethel Johnson and Greg Porter (1999-2002) earlier this season.

Taylor and Murphy rank No. 3 in career receptions among duos with a combined 196 catches. They trail Rod Bernstine and Shea Walker, who grabbed 203 catches from 1983-86 for the Aggies.

Top Aggie Receiving Duos

(by Receiving Yards)

Rk	Receivers, Years	Rec.	Yds.
1.	J. Taylor/T. Murphy, 2001-03	196	3,072
2.	G. Porter/B. Johnson, 1999-2002	201	2,785
3.	R. Bernstine/S. Walker, 1983-86	203	2,486
4.	R. Mathews/B. Mitchell, 1991-94	144	2,406
5.	A. Connell/D. Hawkins, 1995-96	146	2,085
3.	R. Bernstine/K. Woodside, 1983-86	190	1,991

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6.	Shea Walker, 1983-86	98
7.	Jeff Nelson, 1982-85	92
8.	Barney Harris, 1967-69	91
9.	Tony Harrison, 1989-93	89
10.	Terrence Murphy, 2000-	88
11.	Rod Harris, 1985-88	87
12.	Richard Osborne, 1972-75	86
13.	Chris Cole, 1996-99	85
14.	Greg Porter, 1999-02	84
15.	Chris Taylor, 1997-00	83

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6.	Rod Harris, 1985-88	1,395
7.	Mike Whitwell, 1978-81	1,372
8.	Chris Cole, 1996-99	1,363
9.	Chris Taylor, 1997-00	1,316
10.	Barney Harris, 1967-69	1,298
	Bob Long, 1966-68	1,298
12.	Terrence Murphy, 2000-	1,276
13.	Jimmy Teal, 1982-84	1,258
14.	Brian Mitchell, 1991-94	1,232
15.	Richard Osborne, 1972-75	1,181

12TH MAN IS STANDING READY --

First-year Aggie head coach Dennis Franchione's first Texas A&M squad is receiving solid contributions from several members of the 12th Man squad, which is comprised of nearly 70 non-scholarship players.

The 12th Man tradition started in 1922 when a student was called out of the stands to fortify the injury-depleted Aggie squad in the Dixie Classic bowl game. Today, A&M students stand throughout games to show their readiness to enter a game if called upon.

In addition, Franchione awarded scholarships to three former walkons during the open week prior to the Virginia Tech contest.

Making an Impact

Player Cl.-Exp Hometown (High School)

Blake Kendrick Jr-2L Willis, Texas (Willis)

Veteran special teams performer has worked his way into the linebacker rotation ... has contributed 10 tackles.

*Don Muhlbach Sr-2L Lufkin, Texas (Lufkin)

Veteran who is in his first season as the Aggies' full-time deep snapper ... received a scholarship prior to the Virginia Tech contest ... has handled 61 snaps without an error in 2003 ... prepared for the hurricane conditions against VT by soaking footballs in a five-gallon bucket and then snapping.

Anthony Squillante Jr-1L Southlake, Texas (Carroll)

Veteran special teamer also sees action in the Aggies' secondary rotation ... contributed 9 tackles and forced a fumble.

*Scott Stickane Sr-3L Trophy Club, Texas (Northwest)

Veteran special teams contributor who received a scholarship prior to the Virginia Tech contest ... took over the starting role at MLB after senior Jared Morris' season-ending knee injury ... has contributed 33 tackles, fifth-best on the team ... participated in the "Night of Champions" weight lifting exhibition last spring.

Marques Thornton Fr-RS Houston, Texas (Madison)

Redshirt freshman walkon sees action on the Aggies' defensive front ... has contributed 9 tackles, including 1 for loss of yardage.

*Tim Van Zant Sr-2L Victoria, Texas (Victoria)

Received a scholarship prior to the Virginia Tech contest and responded with a huge game against the Hokies ... against the Hokies, Van Zant grabbed his first catch of 2003, made his first career start and scored the first TD of his career with a game-high 7 catches for 102 yards ... in one game, Van Zant bettered his previous career numbers of 6 for 67 yards ... for the season, Van Zant has 13 catches for 162 yards ... is battling for the punt returner job.

Frederick Woods So-SQ Houston, Texas (Washington)

Walkon linebacker sees action on kick coverage unit.

Jacob Young Jr-SQ Fairfield, Texas (Fairfield)

Walkon punter stepped in for injured All-American Cody Scates in Aggies' first two games ... has produced a 39.1 average on 12 boots ... averaged 59.5 per punt against Arkansas State.

* — recently awarded scholarship

12TH MAN RETURNS TO ROOTS ---

Harkening back to the all-walkon 12th Man Kickoff teams of the 1980s, first-year head coach Dennis Franchione used a kickoff coverage team three times against Baylor made solely of current or former non-scholarship players.

12th Man Kickoff Units vs. Baylor

Player

- #6 Peter Martin II, WR, Giddling, Texas
 - #9 Anthony Squillante, DB, Southlake, Texas
 - #12 Tommy Perry, FB, Tyler, Texas
 - #14 Kyle Charles, DB, Spring Branch, Texas
 - #22 Tim Philbeck, DB, Midland, Texas
 - #24 John Ray, DB, Giddings, Texas
 - #50 Michael Lamantia, LB, Mission, Texas
 - #51 Beau Adams, LB, Tomball, Texas
 - #52 Frederick Woods, LB, Houston, Texas
 - #83 *Tim Van Zant, WR, Victoria, Texas
 - #20 **Cody Scates, KOS, Tyler, Texas (first kickoff)
 - #33 David Brelsford, PK, Longview, Texas (kicked off twice)
- * — received scholarship earlier this season
 ** — scholarship player

ACTION JAXSON CONTINUES DEFENSIVE TEAR ---

Sophomore safety Jaxson Appel has been on a tackling tear this season, ranking among the national leaders in tackles with an impressive 11.8 average per game. Appel has posted a whopping 71 tackles in the Aggies' first six games. He has already passed his 2002 season total of 69 stops, which was a freshman record for a defensive back.

Appel has posted double-digit tackles three times this season, including a career-best 18 stops against Virginia Tech.

A do-it-all defender, Appel also leads the team in interceptions with 3, has broken up 3 other passes and forced and recovered a fumble.

Appel's 2003 Game-by-Game Tackles

Opponent	Solo	Assist	Total
Arkansas State	6	7	13
Utah	8	7	15
at Virginia Tech	9	9	18
Pittsburgh	4	4	8
at Texas Tech	5	3	8
Baylor	3	4	7
Average per game	11.8		

MLB MORRIS INJURES KNEE, LOST FOR THE SEASON ---

Senior middle linebacker Jared Morris had surgery to repair a torn patella tendon in left knee on Sept. 7 and will be lost for the season. His loss robs the Aggie defense of its most experienced defender in its front seven. A fifth-year senior, Morris had made 21 starts at linebacker and was the team's leading active tackler with 181 career stops.

SCATES NAMED TO RAY GUY WATCH LIST ---

Preseason All-American punter Cody Scates, who made his 2003 playing debut against Virginia Tech, was one of 32 punters named to the 2003 Ray Guy Award watch list by the Greater Augusta Sports Council.

Scates missed the first two games of the season due to hernia surgery, but returned to action against Virginia Tech

Scates is the Big 12's top returning punter after averaging 43.7 yards per boot in 2002. Last season Scates also dropped 17 boots inside the opponent 20-yard line and forced 11 fair catches.

Scates has a career average of 41.6 yards per punt with 57 coffin corner efforts and 35 fair catches.

An excellent all-around athlete, Scates also handles kickoff duties for the Aggies and has been the primary placekicker during his career. In punt and kickoff coverage Scates has compiled 20 career tackles.

A&M Career Punt Average List

Rk	Player, Years	Avg.
1.	Shane Lechler, 1996-99	44.7
2.	Todd Tschantz, 1984-86	42.4
3.	Phil Scoggin, 1964-65	41.9
4.	Steve O'Neal, 1966-68	41.8
5.	Cody Scates, 2000-	41.6

COACH FRAN RANKS AMONG THE WINNINGEST COACHES ---

The 26th head football coach in Texas A&M history, Dennis Franchione is in his first season in Aggieland and his 21st season as a collegiate head coach.

With a career record of 158-76-2 as a head coach, Coach Fran ranks as the seventh-winningest active Div. 1-A head coach in college football (by total wins). His 67.4 career winning percentage ranks No. 8 among active head coaches with a minimum of five years of service.

Texas A&M is the seventh stop for Franchione as a collegiate head coach, and has coached previously at Southwestern (Kan.) College (1981-82), Pittsburg State (1985-89), Southwest Texas State (1990-91), New Mexico (1992-97), TCU (1998-2000) and Alabama (2001-02). He also served as an assistant coach at Kansas State (1978-80) and Tennessee Tech (1983-84).

The dean of Big 12 head coaches, Franchione has won eight conference championships and a divisional crown in his 20 seasons. Last season, Franchione's Alabama squad had the best record in the SEC West but were ineligible for the crown.

Winningest Active Div. I-A Coaches (by Victories)

Rk	Coach, School	Yrs.	Record
1.	Joe Paterno, Penn St.	38th	338-105-3
2.	Bobby Bowden, Florida St.	38th	337- 97-4
3.	Lou Holtz, South Carolina	32nd	242-122-7
4.	Jackie Sherrill, Miss. St.	26th	180-114-4
5.	Frank Beamer, Va. Tech	23rd	165- 92-4
6.	Ken Hatfield, Rice	25th	160-119-4
7.	Dennis Franchione, A&M	21st	158- 76-2
8.	Fisher DeBerry, Air Force	20th	155- 84-1
9.	Mack Brown, Texas	20th	139- 91-1
10.	Paul Pasqualoni, Syracuse	18th	132- 66-1

Winningest Active Div. I-A Coaches (by Percentage, 5-Year Minimum)

Rk	Coach, School	Yrs.	Record	Pct.
1.	Bob Pruett, Marshall	8th	83- 16-0	.838
2.	Phillip Fulmer, Tenn.	12th	107- 27-0	.799
3.	Bobby Bowden, Fla. St.	38th	337- 97-4	.774
4.	Lloyd Carr, Michigan	9th	81- 25-0	.764
5.	Frank Solich, Nebraska	6th	54- 17-0	.761
	Joe Paterno, Penn St.	38th	338-105-3	.761
7.	Bill Snyder, Kansas St.	15th	120- 54-1	.689
8.	Dennis Franchione, A&M	21st	158- 76-2	.674
9.	Paul Pasqualoni, Syracuse	18th	132- 66-1	.666
10.	John Robinson, UNLV	17th	128- 64-4	.663

Career Conference Crowns by current Big 12 Coaches

Head Coach, School	Yrs.	Titles
Dennis Franchione, Texas A&M	20	8
Gary Barnett, Colorado	13	3
Bob Stoops, Oklahoma	4	2
Gary Pinkel, Missouri	12	1
Frank Solich, Nebraska	5	1
Mark Mangino, Kansas	1	none
Guy Morriss, Baylor	2	none
Les Miles, Oklahoma State	2	none
Mike Leach, Texas Tech	3	none
Dan McCarney, Iowa State	8	none
Bill Snyder, Kansas State	14	none
Mack Brown, Texas	19	none

INSIDE THE NUMBERS ---

- 2 National Coach of the Year Awards
- 2 Finalist for Paul "Bear" Bryant National Coach of the Year Award
- 4 Seasons with 11 wins
- 6 Consecutive winning seasons
- 6 Seasons with 10 wins
- 8 Seasons with 9 wins
- 9 Conference or division championships won
- 10 Conference or regional Coach of the Year Awards
- 13 Games won by shutout
- 14 Seasons scoring 300-plus points
- 17 Winning seasons in 20 years as head coach
- 25 Games scoring 50-plus points
- 45 Consecutive regular season games won at Pittsburg State (1985-89)
- 64 Games limiting opponents to single digit scoring
- 121 Consecutive games not been shutout
- 1992 Last time a Fran team was shutout (BYU, 35-0)

AGGIES' SCHEDULE RANKS AS NATION'S TOUGHEST ---

Texas A&M's 2003 schedule ranks among the nation's toughest, in terms of cumulative schedule and future schedule, according to the NCAA.

The Aggies' 2003 opponents have combined for an impressive 54-18 record and an .750 winning percentage.

Texas A&M's remaining opponents have compiled a 29-7 record for an .805 winning percentage.

A&M's first six games rank as the nation's eighth-toughest schedule, according to the NCAA. Those six teams have combined for a 25-11 record and a .694 winning percentage.

NCAA's Tough Schedules

Rk	Team	Future Opponents Record (Pct.)
1.	Texas A&M	29-7 (.805)
2.	Wisconsin	25-8 (.757)
3.	Baylor	28-9 (.756)
4.	Colorado	27-10 (.730)
5.	Texas Tech	26-10 (.722)

Rk	Team	All Opponents Record (Pct.)
1.	Texas A&M	54-18 (.750)
2.	Colorado	51-19 (.729)
3.	Iowa State	48-18 (.727)
4.	Notre Dame	50-21 (.704)
5.	Illinois	49-24 (.671)

AGGIES PLAYERS OF THE WEEK---

As selected by the coaching staff on Sundays.

Vs. Arkansas State

Offensive Back: Courtney Lewis
Offensive Lineman: Geoff Hangartner
Defensive Back: Jaxson Appel
Defensive Lineman: ... Jared Morris
Special Teams: Todd Pegram, Terrence Murphy, Jacob Young
Scout Team: Larry Leahy (offense), John Kelly (offense), Jason Jack (defense), Lamar Mitchell (defense), John Ray (defense)

Vs. Utah

Offensive Back: Terrence Murphy
Offensive Lineman: Alan Reuber
Defensive Back: Jonté Buhl
Defensive Lineman: Scott Stickane, David Ross
Special Teams: Jared Morris
Scout Team: John Roberson (offense), Derrick Brown (offense), Boone Stutz (offense), Michael Lamantia (defense), Tim Philbeck (defense), Adam Mattieson (defense)

Vs. Virginia Tech

Offensive Back: Reggie McNeal
Offensive Lineman: Geoff Hangartner
Defensive Back: Jaxson Appel
Defensive Lineman: ... none
Special Teams: Anthony Squillante
Scout Team: T.J. Sanders (offense), John Kelly (offense), Chris Warren (offense), Chris Harrington (defense), J.D. Nicholson (defense), Kyle Charles (defense), Beau Adams

Vs. Pittsburgh

Offensive Back: Courtney Lewis
Offensive Lineman: John Kirk
Defensive Back: Byron Jones
Defensive Lineman: ... Johnny Jolly
Special Teams: Blake Kendrick
Scout Team: T.J. Sanders (offense), John Roberson (offense), Entire O-line, Joseph Bryant (defense), Frederick Woods (defense), Robert Kiel (defense), Erik Mayes (defense)

Vs. Texas Tech

Offensive Back: Reggie McNeal
Offensive Lineman: Aldo De La Garza
Defensive Back: none
Defensive Lineman: ... none
Special Teams: Don Muhlback
Scout Team: John Roberson (offense), Frederick Woods (defense), Tim Philbeck (defense), Entire D-line: Joseph Bryant, John Farquhar, Chris Harrington, Jason Jack, Erik Korem, Keith Lee, Adam Mattieson, Mason Muegge, J.D. Nicholson, Ryan Skinner, and Colin Sproule.

Vs. Baylor

Offensive Back: Courtney Lewis, Reggie McNeal, Derek Farmer, Jamaar Taylor
Offensive Lineman: John Kirk
Defensive Back: Jaxson Appel, Byron Jones
Defensive Lineman: ... Johnny Jolly, Archie McDaniel
Special Teams: Everett Smith
Scout Team: Nick Engel (offense), Jorrie Adams (offense), Greg Boothe (offense), Chris Harrington (defense), Zeb Ferris (defense), Matt Larsen (defense)

ACADEMIC SCHOLARS ---

Thirty-four members of the Aggie football team received Texas A&M/Verizon Athletics Scholar Awards at the annual CHAMPS Awards Banquet last spring. To be considered for the award, the student-athlete must achieve a cumulative GPR of 3.00 or higher or a semester GPR of at least 3.00.

Jaxson Appel	Keith Joseph	John Ray
Andre Brooks	Blake Kendrick	David Ross
Thomas Carriger	John S. Kirk	Cody Scates
Kyle Charles	Lawrence Leahy	Chad Schroeder
Kasey Cheshier	Wade Lightsey	Taylor Schuster
Eric Crutchfield	Haven Massey	Anthony Squillante
Aldo De La Garza	Don Muhlback	Scott Stickane
Derek Farmer	Terrence Murphy	Ryan White
Patrick Fleming	Layne Neumann	Fredrick Woods
Dawon Gentry	John David Nicholson	Jesse Woods
Jami Hightower	Todd Pegram	
Robert Jones	Timothy Philbeck	

GRADUATES ---

A trio of Aggies enter their final season of eligibility with their degree already in hand.

Student-Athlete	Degree
*André Brooks	management (BBA)
John S. Kirk	construction science
Alan Reuber	management (BBA)
* — retired during fall camp	

LEADERSHIP COUNCIL ---

Sixteen Aggies representing each position group were elected to the Leadership Council last spring by vote of their teammates.

QUARTERBACKS

Dustin Long, Reggie McNeal

RUNNING BACKS

Derek Farmer, Oschlor Flemming

RECEIVERS

Terrence Murphy

OFFENSIVE LINE

Geoff Hangartner, Alan Reuber

DEFENSIVE LINE

Linnis Smith

LINEBACKERS

Archie McDaniel, Jared Morris

SAFETIES

Jaxson Appel

CORNERBACKS

Byron Jones, Ronald Jones, Sean Weston

SPECIALISTS

Cody Scates

NON-SCHOLARSHIP

Tim Van Zant

A&M PRODUCES NFL TALENT ---

With 31 former players on National Football League opening day rosters, Texas A&M ranks as the second-most prolific producer of NFL talent in the Big 12 Conference, according to the NFL.

Big 12's Top Producers of NFL Talent (as of 9/9/03)

1	Nebraska	32
2	Texas A&M	31
3	Kansas State	25
4	Colorado	21
5	Texas	18
6	Oklahoma	11
	Oklahoma State	11
8	Baylor	9
9	Kansas	8
10	Texas Tech	8
11	Iowa State	6
12	Missouri	4

Sam Adams, DL Buffalo Bills
Rocky Bernard, DL Seattle Seahawks
Dan Campbell, TE Dallas Cowboys
Rich Coady, DB St. Louis Rams
Chris Cole, WR Denver Broncos
Sammy Davis, DB San Diego Chargers
Ron Edwards, DL Buffalo Bills
Robert Ferguson, WR Green Bay Packers
Jerry Fontenot, OL New Orleans Saints
Aaron Glenn, DB Houston Texans
Jason Glenn, LB New York Jets
Hunter Goodwin, TE Minnesota Vikings
Danté Hall, WR Kansas City Chiefs
Warrick Holdman, LB Chicago Bears
Michael Jameson, DB Cleveland Browns
Ed Jasper, DL Atlanta Falcons
Bethel Johnson, WR New England Patriots
Terrence Kiel, DB San Diego Chargers
Shane Lechler, P Oakland Raiders
Jason Mathews, OL Tennessee Titans
Seth McKinney, OL Miami Dolphins
Steve McKinney, OL Houston Texans
Ray Mickens, DB New York Jets
Brandon Mitchell, DL Seattle Seahawks
Keith Mitchell, LB Jacksonville Jaguars
Dat Nguyen, LB Dallas Cowboys
Detron Smith, FB Indianapolis Colts
Cameron Spikes Arizona Cardinals
Rex Tucker, OL Chicago Bears
Ty Warren, DL New England Patriots
Pat Williams, DL Buffalo Bills

2003 AGGIE FOOTBALL EXPLOSIVES

10-yard or longer rushes (42)

86	(TD)	Lewis rush vs. Baylor	10/11
60	(TD)	Murphy rush vs. Utah	9/6
62		Farmer rush vs. Baylor	10/11
42		Lewis rush vs. ASU	8/30
40	(TD)	Carter rush vs. Baylor	10/11
36		Lewis rush vs. Pitt	9/27
33		McNeal rush vs. Baylor	10/11
28	(TD)	Lewis rush vs. Utah	9/6
28		Farmer rush vs. Utah	9/6
27		Lewis rush vs. Utah	9/6
26		Murphy rush vs. Pitt	9/27
20		Lewis rush vs. Baylor	10/11
20		McNeal rush vs. Baylor	10/11
20		Lewis rush vs. Pitt	9/27
20		McNeal rush vs. Pitt	9/27
19		Lewis rush vs. TTech	10/4
19		McNeal rush vs. TTech	10/4
19		McNeal rush vs. TTech	10/4
16	(TD)	Lewis rush vs. TTech	10/4
16		McNeal rush vs. Va. Tech	9/18
16		McNeal rush vs. Pitt	9/27
15		Farmer rush vs. Baylor	10/11
15		Flemming rush vs. TTech	10/4
15		Lewis rush vs. TTech	10/4
15		McNeal rush vs. Va. Tech	9/18
15		Scates rush vs. Va. Tech	9/18
14		Farmer rush vs. Pitt	9/27
13		Lewis rush vs. Baylor	10/11
13		McNeal rush vs. Pitt	9/27
13		McNeal rush vs. Va. Tech	9/18
12		Farmer rush vs. Baylor	10/11
12		McNeal rush vs. Baylor	10/11
12		McNeal rush vs. TTech	10/4
12		Lewis rush vs. Utah	9/6
11		Lewis rush vs. Baylor	10/11
11		Lewis rush vs. TTech	10/4
11		Lewis rush vs. Va. Tech	9/18
11		Taylor rush vs. Pitt	9/27
11		Lewis rush vs. ASU	8/30
10		Flemming rush vs. Baylor	10/11
10		Lewis rush vs. TTech	10/4
10		Murphy rush vs. Pitt	9/27

15-yard or longer receptions (34)

91	(TD)	Taylor catch (McNeal) vs. Baylor	10/11
50		Murphy catch (McNeal) vs. Utah	9/6
44		Taylor catch (McNeal) vs. TTech	10/4
42	(TD)	Schroeder catch (Long) vs. Baylor	10/11
41		Taylor catch (McNeal) vs. TTech	10/4
37	(TD)	Riley catch (Long) vs. TTech	10/4
36		Taylor catch (McNeal) vs. Pitt	9/27
34		Joseph catch (McNeal) vs. TTech	10/4
33		Lewis catch (McNeal) vs. Pitt	9/27
32		Murphy catch (McNeal) vs. TTech	10/4
28		Murphy catch (Long) vs. Pitt	9/27
26		Thomas catch (McNeal) vs. Pitt	9/27
26		Van Zant catch (Long) vs. Va. Tech	9/18
25		Lewis catch (McNeal) vs. Pitt	9/27
25		Joseph catch (McNeal) vs. ASU	8/30
23		Taylor catch (McNeal) vs. Baylor	10/11
23		Taylor catch (McNeal) vs. Pitt	9/27
22		Thomas (McNeal) vs. Baylor	10/11
22		Murphy catch (McNeal) vs. Va. Tech	9/18
21		Schroeder catch (Long) vs. TTech	10/4
21		Murphy catch (McNeal) vs. Utah	9/6
21		Taylor catch (Long) vs. ASU	8/30
19		Schroeder catch (Long) vs. TTech	10/4
19		Taylor catch (Long) vs. Pitt	9/27
19		Van Zant catch (McNeal) vs. Va. Tech	9/18
18	(TD)	Taylor catch (McNeal) vs. Pitt	9/27
16		Matakis catch (McNeal) vs. TTech	10/4
16		Van Zant catch (McNeal) vs. Pitt	9/27
16		Van Zant catch (McNeal) vs. Va. Tech	9/18
15	(TD)	Van Zant catch (McNeal) vs. Va. Tech	9/18
15		Lewis catch (McNeal) vs. Pitt	9/27
15		Murphy catch (Long) vs. Pitt	9/27
15		Murphy catch (McNeal) vs. Va. Tech	9/18
15		Taylor catch (McNeal) vs. Utah	9/6

2003 TEXAS A&M DRIVE CHART

GAME #1 ARKANSAS STATE

Plays/Yds.	Time	QB/Result
3/6	2:18	McNEAL/Young punt
3/-1	1:31	McNEAL/Young punt
9/32	4:27	McNEAL/Pegram FG
5/27	1:46	LONG/Pegram FG
6/27	2:21	LONG/Pegram FG
5/17	2:07	McNEAL/Lewis rush TD
1/0	0:10	McNEAL/INT
11/47	4:54	McNEAL/Pegram FG
1/0	0:11	LONG/INT
5/4	3:01	LONG/Murphy fumble
6/67	2:47	McNEAL/Lewis rush TD
3/16	1:49	McNEAL/end of game

Drives: 12 Results: 2 punts, 2 TDs (2 rush), 2 INTs, 4 FG.

GAME #2 Utah

Plays/Yds.	Time	QB/Result
3/8	2:07	McNEAL/Young punt
4/93	1:56	McNEAL/Murphy rush TD
7/84	2:36	McNEAL/Joseph rush TD
3/5	1:35	McNEAL/Young punt
8/48	3:05	McNEAL/Young punt
1/4	0:06	McNEAL/Germany rec. TD
3/-7	1:34	McNEAL/Young punt
4/31	1:03	McNEAL/Young punt
1/-2	0:07	McNEAL/end of half
0/0	0:07	McNEAL/Murphy fumble
2/-5	0:36	McNEAL/McNeal fumble
4/7	1:48	McNEAL/downs
4/24	1:17	McNEAL/Joseph fumble
4/47	1:38	McNEAL/Lewis rush TD
4/35	2:30	McNEAL/Young punt
3/3	0:31	McNEAL/Young punt
1/-2	0:08	McNEAL/end of game

Drives: 17 Results: 7 punts, 4 TDs (3 rush), 3 fumble, 1 downs, 1 end of half, 1 end of game.

GAME #3 at VIRGINIA TECH

Plays/Yds.	Time	QB/Result
3/-6	1:43	McNEAL/Scates punt
13/62	7:31	McNEAL/Pegram FG
12/51	5:08	McNEAL/Pegram FG
12/98	5:37	McNEAL/Lewis rush TD
7/15	3:18	McNEAL/Scates punt
3/7	1:50	McNEAL/Young punt
5/26	2:34	McNEAL/Scates punt
3/24	0:40	McNEAL/Van Zant rec. TD
2/-17	1:00	McNEAL/McNeal interception
7/16	1:22	LONG/end of game

Drives: 10 Results: 4 punts, 2 TDs (1 rush), 2 field goals, 1 interception, 1 end of game.

GAME #4 PITTSBURGH

Plays/Yds.	Time	QB/Result
3/8	1:56	McNEAL/Scates punt
7/42	1:09	McNEAL/McNeal fumble
4/28	0:56	McNEAL/Scates punt
10/80	4:58	McNEAL/Taylor rec. TD
7/70	3:05	McNEAL/Pegram FG
9/44	3:49	McNEAL/Pegram FG
3/-9	1:22	McNEAL/Scates punt
9/64	2:43	McNEAL/Pegram miss FG
3/-2	1:39	McNEAL/Scates punt
8/75	2:40	LONG/Lewis rush TD
5/39	1:03	LONG/Long INT
13/80	3:39	LONG/Matakis rec. TD

Drives: 12 Results: 4 punts, 3 TDs (2 receiving, 1 rush), 2 field goals, 1 interception, 1 fumble, 1 missed field goal.

GAME #5 at TEXAS TECH

Plays/Yds.	Time	QB/Result
3/-2	1:44	McNEAL/Scates punt
9/51	2:48	McNEAL/Pegram miss FG
7/27	3:43	McNEAL/Scates punt
5/67	1:33	McNEAL/Lewis rush TD
7/88	3:30	McNEAL/Taylor rec. TD
3/9	0:40	McNEAL/Scates punt
4-7	0:54	McNEAL/downs
3/-2	1:42	McNEAL/Scates punt
8/55	3:18	McNEAL/downs
9/81	4:18	McNEAL/Lewis rush TD
3/68	1:45	LONG/Riley rec. TD
10/45	3:20	LONG/downs

Drives: 12 Results: 4 TDs (2 rush, 2 pass), 4 punts, 3 downs, 1 missed FG

GAME #6 BAYLOR

Plays/Yds.	Time	QB/Result
3/9	1:40	McNEAL/Matakis rec TD
12/83	4:51	McNEAL/Pegram FG
3/5	0:53	McNEAL/Scates punt
9/74	3:18	McNEAL/McNeal rush TD
5/67	1:42	McNEAL/Lewis rush TD
4/64	0:55	McNEAL/Taylor rec TD
9/80	3:26	McNEAL/McNeal rush TD
1/91	0:11	McNEAL/Taylor rec TD
2/83	0:34	McNEAL/Lewis rush TD
5/32	1:37	LONG/Young punt
1/0	0:12	LONG/Long interception
12/71	4:56	LONG/Schroeder rec TD
3/1	1:36	BRANYON/Young punt
2/54	0:34	BRANYON/Carter rush TD
3/10	2:22	BRANYON/end of game

Drives: 15 Results: 9 TDs (5 rush, 4 pass), 3 punts, 1 FG, 1 INT, 1 end of game

GAME #7 at Nebraska

Plays/Yds. Time QB/Result

GAME #8 OKLAHOMA ST.

Plays/Yds. Time QB/Result

GAME #9 KANSAS

Plays/Yds. Time QB/Result

GAME #10 at OKLAHOMA

Plays/Yds. Time QB/Result

GAME #11 at MISSOURI

Plays/Yds. Time QB/Result

GAME #12 TEXAS

Plays/Yds. Time QB/Result

TEXAS TECH TRAVEL ROSTER BREAKDOWN ---

	DEFENSE	OFFENSE	SPECIALISTS
Senior	3 (2 WO)	5 (2 WO)	1 (1 WO)
Junior	4 (2 WO)	9	(1 WO)
Sophomore	10 (2 WO)	6 (1 WO)	1
RS Freshman	3 (2 WO)	6 (1 WO)	—
Freshman	5	3	—
Total	33 (8 WO)	33 (4 WO)	4 (2 WO)

WO — Walkon players

Defensive Notes

- 34 percent of the Travel Roster Defensive Squad were walkons or former walkons
- 70 percent of the Travel Roster Defensive Squad were sophomores or redshirt and true freshmen
- 30 percent of the Travel Roster Defensive Squad were juniors or seniors

Offensive Notes

- 12 percent of the Travel Roster Offensive Squad were walkons or former walkons
- 51 percent of the Travel Roster Offensive Squad were junior or seniors
- 49 percent of the Travel Roster Offensive Squad were sophomores or redshirt and true freshmen

The Last Time...

100-Yard Rusher:

by A&M 158, Courtney Lewis and 117, Derek Farmer vs. Baylor, 2003
by Opp. 188, Kevin Jones of Virginia Tech in Blacksburg 2003

Two 100-Yard Rushers:

by A&M 158, Courtney Lewis vs. Baylor 2003
117, Derek Farmer vs. Baylor 2003
by Opp. 159, Jammal Lord of Nebraska in College Station 2002
128, David Horne of Nebraska in College Station 2002

200-Yard Rusher:

by A&M 229, Leeland McElroy vs LSU 1995
by Opp. 259, Ricky Williams of Texas in Austin 1998

60-Yard Rush Play:

by A&M 86, Courtney Lewis vs. Baylor 2003
by Opp. 64, Tatum Bell of Oklahoma State in Stillwater 2002

Three or More Rushing TDs:

by A&M 3, Joe Weber at Wyoming 2001
by Opp. 3, Kevin Jones of Virginia Tech in Blacksburg 2003

Team Rushed For 300 yards:

by A&M 437, vs. Baylor 2003
by Opp. 381, vs Nebraska 2002

Team Rushed For Less Than 100 yards:

by A&M 36, vs Missouri 2002
by Opp. 32, Baylor in College Station 2003

300-Yard Passer:

by A&M 332, Dustin Long at Oklahoma State 2002
by Opp. 505, B.J. Symons of Texas Tech in Lubbock 2003

400-Yard Passer:

by A&M never (399 yards is school record)
by Opp. 505, B.J. Symons of Texas Tech in Lubbock 2003

Scored on Over a 50-Yard Pass Play:

by A&M 91, Jamaar Taylor from Reggie McNeal vs. Baylor 2003
by Opp. 75, Roy Williams from Chris Simms of Texas in Austin 2002

30 Pass Completions:

by A&M 30, Mark Farris at Colorado 2001
by Opp. 34, B.J. Symons of Texas Tech in Lubbock 2003

40 Pass Attempts:

by A&M 43, Dustin Long at Oklahoma State 2002
by Opp. 46, B.J. Symons of Texas Tech in Lubbock 2003

Three or More TD Passes:

by A&M 3, Reggie McNeal vs. Baylor 2003
by Opp. 8, B.J. Symons of Texas Tech in Lubbock 2003

Four or More TD Passes:

by A&M 4, Reggie McNeal vs Oklahoma 2002
by Opp. 8, B.J. Symons of Texas Tech in Lubbock 2003

100-Yard Receiver:

by A&M 145, Jamaar Taylor vs. Baylor 2003
by Opp. 114, Wes Welker of Texas Tech in Lubbock 2003
110, Carlos Francis of Texas Tech in Lubbock 2003

10 or More Receptions:

by A&M 10, Terrence Murphy at Colorado 2002
by Opp. 13, Taurean Henderson of Texas Tech in College Station 2002
10, Wes Welker of Texas Tech in College Station 2002

Four Field Goals:

by A&M 4, Todd Pegram vs Arkansas State 2003
by Opp. 4, Martin Gramatica of Kansas State in College Station 1998

50+ Yard Field Goal:

by A&M 50, Terence Kitchens at Iowa State 2000
by Opp. 51, Jeremy Flores of Colorado in Boulder 2001

Recorded a Blocked Punt:

by A&M Anthony Squillante vs Nebraska (1st Quarter) 2002
by Opp. Brandon Smith of Missouri (2nd Quarter) 2002

Recorded a Blocked Field Goal Attempt:

by A&M Johnny Jolly blocked Dusty Magnum of Texas' attempt (3rd Quarter) in Austin 2002
by Opp. Kyle Vanden Bosch of Nebraska blocked Terence Kitchens (1st Quarter) in Lincoln 1999

A Kickoff was Returned For a TD:

by A&M Sirr Parker, 78 yards, vs Iowa State 1997
by Opp. Rodney Blackshear of Texas Tech, 92 yards, in College Station 1990

Punt Return For a TD:

by A&M Jason Webster, 55 yards, vs Oklahoma 1998
by Opp. Wes Welker of Texas Tech, 88 yards, in College Station 2002

Interception Returned For a TD:

by A&M Jaxson Appel, 64 yards vs. Baylor 2003
by Opp. Michael Huff of Texas, 28 yards, in Austin 2002

A Team Scored a Safety:

by A&M LSU (Keith Mitchell sacked QB in the endzone) in College Station 1995
by Opp. TCU (Team loss of one) in Houston 2001

TEXAS A&M IN THE NCAA RANKINGS

SCHEDULE AND 3-3-0W-1 RESULTS					TEAM RANKINGS							
Big 12 Record: 1-1-0					117 teams ranked in Division IA 12 teams ranked in Big 12							
					Category	National Rank	Actual National Leader	Actual National Rank	Conf Big 12 Rank	Big 12 Leader	Actual	Actual
08/30/03	+	Arkansas St.	26	11	Rushing Offense	10	217.33	Navy	313.83	2	Nebraska	243.00
09/06/03	+	Utah	28	26	Passing Offense	52	224.17	Texas Tech	519.83	5	Texas Tech	519.83
09/18/03	*	Virginia Tech	19	35	Total Offense	18	441.50	Texas Tech	621.83	4	Texas Tech	621.83
09/27/03	+	Pittsburgh	26	37	Scoring Offense	24	33.33	Oklahoma	47.67	7	Oklahoma	47.67
10/04/03	*	Texas Tech	28	59	Rushing Defense	58	147.17	Ohio St.	59.67	5	Nebraska	95.83
10/11/03	+	Baylor	73	10	Pass Efficiency Defense	99	143.63	Oklahoma	82.08	10	Oklahoma	82.08
10/18/03		Nebraska			Total Defense	75	381.67	Georgia	255.17	7	Nebraska	257.50
10/25/03	+	Oklahoma St.			Scoring Defense	84	29.67	Florida St.	9.83	8	Nebraska	13.17
11/01/03	+	Kansas			Net Punting	47	36.83	Air Force	45.08	5	Baylor	41.19
11/08/03		Oklahoma			Punt Returns	109	5.30	Toledo	21.58	12	Oklahoma St.	16.56
11/15/03		Missouri			Kickoff Returns	9	25.76	Southern Methodist	28.59	2	Texas Tech	25.89
11/28/03	+	Texas			Turnover Margin	85	-.50	Washington St.	2.17	10	Oklahoma	2.00
+ Home Game	\$ Neutral Site	* Night Game	O T Overtime Game		Pass Defense	80	234.50	Penn St.	121.00	9	Oklahoma	143.67
					Passing Efficiency	21	142.12	Oklahoma	180.10	5	Oklahoma	180.10

PLAYER RANKINGS (Player must have played in 75% of Teams games Summary of Top 100 National Leaders and top 25 in conference)

12 Categories Ranked									
Category	Player	National Rank	Actual National Leader	Actual National Rank	Conf Big 12 Rank	Big 12 Leader	Actual	Actual	Actual
Rushing	Courtney Lewis	29	92.67	Knight, BC	147.67	5	Sproles, KanSt	108	
	Reggie McNeal		39.50			22			
	Derek Farmer		37.17			24			
Passing Efficiency (Min. 15 Att./Game)	Reggie McNeal	19	146.51	White, Okla	180.22	5	White, Okla	180.22	
Total Offense	Reggie McNeal	50	204.17	Symons, TxTech	511.00	6	Symons, TxTech	511	
	Courtney Lewis		92.67			17			
	Dustin Long		54.17			25			
Receptions Per Game	Jamaar Taylor	59	5.00	Warren, Utah	8.20	10	Hackett, Colo	6.83	
Receiving Yards Per Game	Jamaar Taylor	20	91.20	Fitzgerald, Pitt	132.40	6	Woods, OklaSt	109.5	
	Terrence Murphy		41.67			24			
Interceptions	Jaxson Appel	20	.50	3 players tied at	1.00	5	J.Bullock, Neb	1	
	Byron Jones		.17			12			
	Ronald Jones		.17			12			
Punting (Min. 3.6 Punts/Game)				Malone, SoCal	48.89		Sepulveda, Baylor	46.39	
Punt Returns (Min. 1.2 Ret./Game)	Jason Carter	90	7.08	D.Williams, OklaSt	23.30	13	D.Williams, OklaSt	23.3	
Kickoff Returns (Min. 1.2 Ret./Game)	Terrence Murphy	2	33.64	Waddell, NC	35.33	1	Murphy, TexA&M	33.64	
Field Goals	Todd Pegram	22	1.50	Dunning, WashSt	3.00	3	Dyches, Neb	2.2	
Scoring	Courtney Lewis	17	9.00	Reyes, Syr	13.60	2	DiCarlo, Okla	11.33	
	Todd Pegram	32	8.33			6			
All-Purpose Runners	Terrence Murphy	39	123.33	Williams, Memphis	186.67	5	Sproles, KanSt	150.43	
	Jamaar Taylor	77	107.80			14			
	Courtney Lewis	86	105.33			16			

2003 TEXAS A&M DEPTH CHART

OFFENSE

WR	5	Terrence Murphy, 6-1, 192, Jr-2L, Tyler, Texas (Chapel Hill)
	9	Earvin Taylor, 6-3, 217, Fr-HS, Mission, Texas (Mission)
	15	Anthony Wright, 6-2, 210, So-1L, Houston, Texas (Klein Forest)
ST	73	ALAN REUBER , 6-6, 310, Sr-3L, Plano, Texas (Plano)
	70	Cody Wallace, 6-5, 282, Fr-HS, Cuero, Texas (Cuero)
	55	Jamal Barrett, 6-4, 309, Jr-TR, Alabaster, Ala. (Jefferson/Blinn JC)
SG	76	Aldo De La Garza, 6-4, 309, So-1L, New Braunfels, Texas (New Braunfels)
	71	Quentin Holman, 6-2, 349, So-SQ, Jacksonville, Texas (Jacksonville)
	68	John R. Kirk, 6-3, 327, Fr-RS, Fort Worth, Texas (FW Christian)
C	66	GEOFF HANGARTNER , 6-5, 310, Jr-1L, New Braunfels, Texas (New Braunfels)
	54	James Milkavich, 6-2, 285, Sr-SQ, Alief, Texas (Elsik)
	51	Chris Yoder, 6-3, 285, Fr-HS, Houston, Texas (Kingwood)
QG	50	John Kirk, 6-4, 299, Sr-3L, Athens, Texas (Athens)
	64	Kirk Elder, 6-4, 307, Fr-HS, Klein, Texas (Klein Oak)
	79	Cole Smith, 6-3, 295, So-SQ, Arlington, Texas (FW Christian)
QT	72	Alex Kotzur, 6-5, 289, Fr-RS, Houston, Texas (St. Thomas)
	74	Dominique Steamer, 6-5, 310, So-SQ, Temple, Texas (Temple)
	78	Kasey Cheshier, 6-5, 280, Jr-SQ, Duncanville, Texas (Duncanville)
TE	85	Taylor Schuster, 6-5, 261, Fr-RS, Mission, Texas (Sharyland)
	98	THOMAS CARRIGER , 6-4, 271, Jr-2L, Skidmore, Texas (Skidmore-Tynan)
	38	Andy Matakis, 6-2, 250, Fr-RS, Corpus Christi, Texas (Flour Bluff)
WTE	4	Keith Joseph, 6-2, 256, Jr-2L, Houston, Texas (Lamar)
	87	Quinlin Germany, 6-2, 269, Fr-RS, Fort Worth, Texas (All Saints Episcopal)
	96	Ryan White, 6-4, 244, So-SQ, Austin, Texas (Lake Travis)
SLOT	3	Terrence Thomas, 5-9, 180, Jr-2L, Houston, Texas (Washington)
	80	L'Tydrick Riley, 6-2, 223, So-1L, Crockett, Texas (Crockett)
	28	Jacob Born, 6-2, 206, Fr-HS, Grapevine, Texas (Grapevine)
FLK	2	JAMAAR TAYLOR , 6-2, 197, Sr-2L, Mission, Texas (Mission/Notre Dame)
	83	Tim Van Zant, 6-1, 201, Sr-2L, Victoria, Texas (Victoria)
	14	Chad Schroeder, 6-1, 178, Fr-RS, Austin, Texas (Westlake)
A	7	Jason Carter, 6-0, 193, Jr-1L, Caldwell, Texas (Caldwell)
	30	Nick Rhodes, 6-0, 202, Fr-HS, Brownwood, Texas (Brownwood)
	26	Clint Dacus, 6-2, 212, Jr-SQ, Red Oak, Texas (Red Oak)
QB	16	Reggie McNeal, 6-2, 199, So-1L, Lufkin, Texas (Lufkin)
	17	DUSTIN LONG , 6-3, 210, Jr-1L, Port Neches, Texas (PN-Groves)
	13	Ty Branyon, 6-3, 201, Fr-RS, Austin, Texas (Bowie)
FB	4	Keith Joseph, 6-2, 256, Jr-2L, Houston, Texas (Lamar)
	24	Chris Alexander, 5-11, 242, Fr-HS, Humble, Texas (Humble)
	44	Thomas Perry, 6-1, 244, Sr-SQ, Tyler, Texas (Lee/Tyler JC)
TB	1	DEREK FARMER , 5-11, 202, Jr-2L, Tyler, Texas (Lee)
	25	Courtney Lewis, 5-11, 191, Fr-RS, Houston, Texas (Madison)
	32	Oschlor Flemming, 5-10, 204, Sr-3L, Denton, Texas (Ryan)
or	7	Jason Carter, 6-0, 193, Jr-1L, Caldwell, Texas (Caldwell)

DEFENSE

DE	99	David Ross, 6-3, 283, So-1L, Forney, Texas (Forney)
	98	Marques Thornton, 6-2, 275, Fr-RS, Houston, Texas (Madison)
	95	Mike Montgomery, 6-5, 275, Jr-TR, Tenaha, Texas (Center/Navarro JC)
DT	97	Johnny Jolly, 6-3, 289, So-1L, Houston, Texas (Forest Brook)
	91	MARCUS JASMIN , 6-5, 318, Jr-2L, New Orleans, La. (De La Salle)
	93	Julian "Ju" Parks, 6-1, 350, Fr-RS, Lufkin, Texas (Lufkin)
DT	59	Brian Patrick, 6-5, 297, So-1L, Pasadena, Texas (Rayburn)
	35	Bryce Reed, 6-1, 276, Fr-RS, Dallas, Texas (Samuel)
	85	Joseph Bryant, 6-5, 332, Fr-HS, Jasper, Texas (Jasper)
DE	88	LINNIS SMITH , 6-4, 288, Sr-3L, Tyler, Texas (John Tyler)
	90	Lawrence Hooper, 6-4, 287, So-SQ, Aldine, Texas (Aldine)
	89	Jason Jack, 6-5, 281, Fr-HS, Humble, Texas (Humble)
SLB	42	Everett Smith, 6-2, 229, Sr-3L, Compton, Calif. (Dominguez)
	58	Blake Kendrick, 6-1, 225, Jr-2L, Willis, Texas (Willis)
	51	Beau Adams, 6-0, 228, Fr-RS, Tomball, Texas (Tomball)
MLB	57	Scott Stickane, 6-1, 238, Sr-3L, Trophy Club, Texas (Northwest)
	41	Archie McDaniel, 6-2, 228, So-1L, Bay City, Texas (Bay City)
	44	TaTa Thompson, 6-4, 236, Fr-HS, Garland, Texas (Garland)
ROV	10	Justin Warren, 6-3, 220, Fr-HS, Tyler, Texas (Lee)
	49	Nurahda Manning, 6-2, 231, So-SQ, Bay City, Texas (Bay City)
	52	Frederick Woods, 6-1, 233, So-SQ, Houston, Texas (Washington)
LCB	31	Sean Weston, 5-10, 180, Sr-3L, Inglewood, Calif. (Gardena Serra)
	26	Jonte' Buhl, 5-10, 171, Jr-2L, Pflugerville, Texas (Connally)
	36	Broderick Newton, 5-11, 175, Fr-HS, Fort Worth, Texas (Aledo)
RCB	11	BYRON JONES , 5-10, 184, Jr-2L, Bay City, Texas (Bay City)
	6	Bryant Singleton, 5-11, 187, So-1L, Galveston, Texas (Ball)
	18	Melvin Bullitt, 6-1, 186, Fr-HS, Garland, Texas (Naaman Forest)
SS	23	Ronald Jones, 5-10, 186, So-1L, Dallas, Texas (Skyline)
	9	Anthony Squillante, 6-0, 207, Jr-1L, Southlake, Texas (Carroll)
	33	Keelan Jackson, 6-1, 220, Jr-2L, Garland, Texas (Garland)
FS	19	JAXSON APPEL , 5-10, 201, So-1L, Friendswood, Texas (Friendswood)
	21	Brandon Leone, 6-0, 204, Fr-RS, Conroe, Texas (Oak Ridge)
	40	Kevin Mangum, 5-11, 191, Jr-2L, LaMarque, Texas (LaMarque)

SPECIALISTS

PLK	13	TODD PEGRAM , 5-11, 201, So-1L, Plano, Texas (West)
	30	Jacob Young, 6-0, 196, Jr-SQ, Fairfield, Texas (Fairfield)
P	20	CODY SCATES , 6-1, 205, Sr-3L, Tyler, Texas (Lee)
or	30	Jacob Young, 6-0, 196, Jr-SQ, Fairfield, Texas (Fairfield)
	37	Joshua Gregory, 6-6, 199, Fr-HS, Spring Branch, Texas (Smithson Valley)
SNP	69	Don Muhlbach, 6-5, 262, Sr-2L, Lufkin, Texas (Lufkin)
	86	Erik Korem, 6-3, 249, Sr-SQ, Richardson, Texas (Berkner)
HOLD	17	DUSTIN LONG , 6-3, 210, Jr-1L, Port Neches, Texas (PN-Groves)
KOR	5	Terrence Murphy, 6-1, 192, Jr-2L, Tyler, Texas (Chapel Hill)
	2	Jamaar Taylor, 6-2, 197, Sr-2L, Mission, Texas (Mission/Notre Dame)
PR	7	Jason Carter, 6-0, 193, Jr-1L, Caldwell, Texas (Caldwell)
	3	Terrence Thomas, 5-9, 180, Jr-2L, Houston, Texas (Washington)

Projected Offensive Lineup

POS	#	Player	Ht • Wt • Cl-Exp • Hometown (High School)	Breakdown
WR	5	TERRENCE MURPHY	6-1 • 192 • Jr-2L • Tyler, Texas (Chapel Hill)	3-year starter; #1 in NCAA all-purpose running per touch (23.87)
	9	Earvin Taylor	6-3 • 217 • Fr-HS • Mission, Texas (Mission)	True frosh; younger brother of Jamaar; 1st catch vs. Utah
	15	Anthony Wright	6-2 • 210 • So-1L • Houston, Texas (Klein Forest)	Moved back to offense after contributing on defense in '02
ST	73	ALAN REUBER	6-6 • 310 • Sr-3L • Plano, Texas (Plano)	Returning starter at right tackle
	70	Cody Wallace	6-5 • 282 • Fr-HS • Cuero, Texas (Cuero)	True frosh; impressed during fall camp
	55	Jamal Barrett	6-4 • 309 • Jr-TR • Alabaster, Ala. (Jefferson/Blinn JC)	Non-scholarship player
SG	76	Aldo De La Garza	6-3 • 309 • So-1L • New Braunfels, Texas (New Braunfels)	Won start job during spring; extremely powerful; 460 bench (#1)
	71	Quentin Holman	6-2 • 349 • So-SQ • Jacksonville, Texas (Jacksonville)	Redshirt sophomore adds quality depth
	68	John R. Kirk	6-3 • 327 • Fr-RS • Fort Worth, Texas (FW Christian)	Non-scholarship player; Night of Champions partic.; 435 bench
C	66	GEOFF HANGARTNER	6-5 • 310 • Jr-1L • New Braunfels, Texas (New Braunfels)	Among Big 12's best at center; 379.5 power clean A&M record
	54	James Milkavich	6-2 • 285 • Sr-SQ • Alief, Texas (Elsik)	Veteran backup ; started vs. Arkansas State; 440 bench (#2)
	51	Chris Yoder	6-3 • 285 • Fr-HS • Houston, Texas (Kingwood)	True frosh
QG	50	John Kirk	6-4 • 299 • Sr-3L • Athens, Texas (Athens)	Veteran backup; won starting OG job during spring; A&M grad
	64	Kirk Elder	6-4 • 307 • Fr-HS • Klein, Texas (Klein Oak)	True frosh
	79	Cole Smith	6-3 • 295 • So-SQ • Arlington, Texas (FW Christian)	Missed 2002 with injury; brother Vance was an A&M QB
QT	72	Alex Kotzur	6-5 • 289 • Fr-RS • Houston, Texas (St. Thomas)	Redshirt freshman seeing first action
	74	Dominique Steamer	6-5 • 310 • So-SQ • Temple, Texas (Temple)	Redshirt sophomore adds quality depth
	78	Kasey Cheshier	6-5 • 280 • Jr-SQ • Duncanville, Texas (Duncanville)	Veteran backup
TE	85	Taylor Schuster	6-5 • 261 • Fr-RS • Mission, Texas (Sharyland)	Redshirt freshman won starting job with strong fall camp
	98	THOMAS CARRIGER	6-4 • 271 • Jr-2L • Skidmore, Texas (Skidmore-Tynan)	Returning starter missed spring with injury; start vs. Baylor
	38	Andy Matakis	6-2 • 250 • Fr-RS • Corpus Christi, Texas (Flour Bluff)	TD vs. Pitt/Baylor; 580 lbs squat (LB rec.) at NOC; Was LB in 02
WTE	4	Keith Joseph	6-2 • 256 • Jr-2L • Houston, Texas (Lamar)	Rushing/receiving threat; powerful runner with good hands
	87	Quinlin Germany	6-2 • 269 • Fr-RS • Fort Worth, Texas (All Saints Episcopal)	RS fish seeing first action; TD vs. Utah; excellent receiver
	96	Ryan White	6-4 • 244 • So-SQ • Austin, Texas (Lake Travis)	Non-scholarship; spring standout; sees action; 330 incline (TE record)
SLT	3	Terrence Thomas	5-9 • 180 • Jr-2L • Houston, Texas (Washington)	Had 17 catches for 166 yards as backup WR in 2002
	80	L'Tydrick Riley	6-2 • 223 • So-1L • Crockett, Texas (Crockett)	Former HS QB made impact at WR and spec. teams in '02
	28	Jacob Born	6-2 • 206 • Fr-HS • Grapevine, Texas (Grapevine)	Non-scholarship player
FLK	2	JAMAAR TAYLOR	6-2 • 197 • Sr-2L • Mission, Texas (Mission/Notre Dame)	25 for 456 in 2002; #3 all-time receipts w/108; #2 yds w/1,705
	83	Tim Van Zant	6-1 • 201 • Sr-2L • Victoria, Texas (Victoria)	Physical player; makes plays at WR; 7-for-102/1TD vs. VT
	14	Schroeder, Chad	6-1 • 178 • Fr-RS • Austin, Texas (Westlake)	Versatile coach's son; fastest on team (4.34); 2 TDs
QB	16	Reggie McNeal	6-2 • 199 • So-1L • Lufkin, Texas (Lufkin)	Off bench to upset of No. 1 OU; started 6 of last 7; 4.43 40 (QB record)
	17	DUSTIN LONG	6-3 • 210 • Jr-1L • Port Neches, Texas (PN-Groves)	Prolific passer set multiple A&M records in 2002
	13	Ty Branyon	6-3 • 201 • Fr-RS • Austin, Texas (Bowie)	Non-scholarship player; vs. Baylor led TD drive in 4th
A	7	Jason Carter	6-0 • 197 • Jr-1L • Caldwell, Texas (Caldwell)	Former QB makes debut at RB/WR hybrid position
	30	Nick Rhodes	6-1 • 202 • Fr-HS • Brownwood, Texas (Brownwood)	2002 signee joined team in January 2003; versatile athlete
	26	Clint Dacus	6-2 • 212 • Jr-SQ • Red Oak, Texas (Red Oak)	Non-scholarship player
FB	4	Keith Joseph	6-2 • 256 • Jr-2L • Houston, Texas (Lamar)	Rush/rec. threat at FB; powerful runner; 319 H-clean (RB record)
	24	Chris Alexander	5-11 • 242 • Fr-HS • Humble, Texas (Humble)	True frosh
	44	Thomas Perry	6-1 • 244 • Sr-SQ • Tyler, Texas (Lee/Tyler JC)	Non-scholarship player ... John David Crow's grandson
TB	1	DEREK FARMER	5-11 • 202 • Jr-2L • Tyler, Texas (Lee)	Team's rushing leader in '01 and '02 ... squat 600 lbs (3x body wt.)
	25	Courtney Lewis	5-10 • 191 • Fr-RS • Houston, Texas (Madison)	Team's rush leader at 6.7 per carry; eye on several fish rush records
	32	Osclor Flemming	5-10 • 209 • Sr-3L • Denton, Texas (Ryan)	Veteran backup with starting experience
or	7	Jason Carter	6-0 • 197 • Jr-1L • Caldwell, Texas (Caldwell)	Former QB is a dangerous runner

Projected Defensive Lineup

POS	#	Player	Ht • Wt • Cl-Exp • Hometown (High School)	Breakdown
DE	99	David Ross	6-3 • 283 • So-1L • Forney, Texas (Forney)	26 tackles in '03; 4 TFLs; 4 QB hurries; 380 lbs incline
	98	Marques Thornton	6-2 • 280 • Fr-RS • Houston, Texas (Madison)	Non-scholarship player; sees extensive action
	95	Mike Montgomery	6-5 • 275 • Jr-TR • Tenaha, Texas (Center/Navarro JC)	13 tackles; 2TFLs
DT	97	Johnny Jolly	6-3 • 289 • So-1L • Houston, Texas (Forest Brook)	Leader in DL tackles; Leader in team TFLs w/7; 7 PBU's
	91	MARCUS JASMIN	6-5 • 318 • Jr-2L New Orleans, La. (De La Salle)	DL's top tackler in '02; '03=23 tackles
	93	Julian "Ju" Parks	6-1 • 350 • Fr-RS • Lufkin, Texas (Lufkin)	Redshirt freshman who has seen action this season
DT	59	Brian Patrick	6-5 • 297 • So-1L • Pasadena, Texas (Rayburn)	One of team's strongest (385 incline); returned to DL during spring
	35	Bryce Reed	6-11 • 276 • Fr-RS • Dallas, Texas (Samuel)	Shifted FB to DL during fall camp; played DL in HS; 405 incline
	85	Joseph Bryant	6-5 • 332 • Fr-HS • Jasper, Texas (Jasper)	True frosh
DE	88	LINNIS SMITH	6-4 • 288 • Sr-3L • Tyler, Texas (John Tyler)	28 tackles/3 TFLs; 6 tac vs. Baylor
	90	Lawrence Hooper	6-4 • 287 • So-SQ • Aldine, Texas (Aldine)	Redshirt sophomore adds quality depth ... sees action
	89	Jason Jack	6-5 • 281 • Fr-HS • Humble, Texas (Humble)	True frosh
SLB	42	Everett Smith	6-2 • 229 • Sr-3L • Compton, Calif. (Dominguez)	Veteran LB; 24 tackles/3 TFLs; 368.5 power clean
	58	Blake Kendrick	6-1 • 225 • Jr-2L • Willis, Texas (Willis)	Non-scholarship player; 12th Man Captain in '02; 10 tacs in '03
	51	Beau Adams	5-11 • 211 • Fr-RS • Tomball, Texas (Tomball)	Non-scholarship player
MLB	57	Scott Stickane	6-0 • 238 • Sr-3L • Trophy Club, Texas (Northwest)	Game save tac against Utah; Starter after Morris injury; bench 410
	41	Archie McDaniel	6-2 • 228 • So-1L • Bay City, Texas (Bay City)	31 tacs this season (#2 LB); 6 TFLs; 3 Sacks
	44	TaTa Thompson	6-4 • 236 • Fr-HS • Garland, Texas (Garland)	True frosh; pronounced TAY-TAY; played each since Pitt
ROV	10	Justin Warren	6-3 • 220 • Fr-HS • Tyler, Texas (Lee)	True frosh; start vs. VT/Pitt; Parade All-American; 5A Def. Play. of Year
	49	Nurahda Manning	6-2 • 231 • So-SQ • Bay City, Texas (Bay City)	Sat out '02 as team's partial qualifier; had impressive spring
	52	Frederick Woods	6-2 • 220 • So-SQ • Houston, Texas (Washington)	Non-scholarship player
LCB	31	SEAN WESTON	5-10 • 180 • Sr-3L • Inglewood, Calif. (Gardena Serra)	Entering fourth year as CB starter; career 31 PBU's
	26	Jonté Buhl	5-10 • 177 • Jr-2L • Pflugerville, Texas (Connally)	Game save asst. tac vs. Utah; Missed '02 after knee surgery
	36	Broderick Newton	5-11 • 175 • Fr-HS • Fort Worth, Texas (Aledo)	True frosh
RCB	11	BYRON JONES	5-10 • 184 • Jr-2L • Bay City, Texas (Bay City)	All-Big 12 candidate; 22 career PBU's/ 11 in '03
	6	Bryant Singleton	5-11 • 187 • So-1L • Galveston, Texas (Ball)	Shined after shifting from WR to DB in '02; Nickle back; 3 sacks
	18	Melvin Bullitt	6-1 • 186 • Fr-HS • Garland, Texas (Naaman Forest)	True frosh; played each since Pitt
SS	23	Ronald Jones	5-10 • 186 • So-1L • Dallas, Texas (Skyline)	Start all in '03; #3 in tackles; 515 lbs squat nearly 3x body wt.
	9	Anthony Squillante	6-0 • 207 • Jr-1L • Southlake, Texas (Carroll)	Non-scholarship player; 12th Man MVP in '02; power clean 297
	33	Keelan Jackson	6-1 • 220 • Jr-2L • Garland, Texas (Garland)	Started 3 games in '02; played each since Pitt
FS BU	19	JAXSON APPEL	5-10 • 201 • So-1L • Friendswood, Texas (Friendswood)	Team lead in tacs & INTs; All-Big 12 candidate; 64-yd INT TD vs.
	21	Brandon Leone	6-0 • 204 • Fr-RS • Conroe, Texas (Oak Ridge)	Redshirt freshman seeing first action
	40	Kevin Mangum	5-11 • 191 • Jr-2L • LaMarque, Texas (LaMarque)	Veteran DB adds quality depth

SPECIALISTS

PLK	13	TODD PEGRAM	5-11 • 201 • So-1L • Plano, Texas (West)	4-of-4 vs ASU; 9-of-11 FGs; long 42;
	30	Jacob Young	6-0 • 196 • Jr-SQ • Fairfield, Texas (Fairfield)	Non-scholarship player
HLD	17	Dustin Long	6-3 • 210 • Jr-1L • Port Neches, Texas (PN-Groves)	First year as holder on placekicks
P or	20	CODY SCATES	6-1 • 205 • Sr-3L • Tyler, Texas (Lee)	Preseason All-American ... avg. 40.3... missed ASU, Utah
	30	Jacob Young	6-0 • 196 • Jr-SQ • Fairfield, Texas (Fairfield)	Non-scholarship player ... start vs. ASU, Utah; 12/39.1 avg.
	37	Joshua Gregory	6-6 • 199 • Fr-HS • Spring Branch, Texas (Smithson Valley)	Non-scholarship player
SNP	69	Don Muhlbach	6-4 • 262 • Sr-2L • Lufkin, Texas (Lufkin)	Veteran backup deep snapper inherits starting role
	86	Erik Korem	6-2 • 249 • Sr-SQ • Richardson, Texas (Berkner)	Non-scholarship player
KOR	5	Terrence Murphy	6-1 • 192 • Jr-2L • Tyler, Texas (Chapel Hill)	First-time KOR; #2 in NCAA (11-370, 33.6 avg.); Long 77
	2	Jamaar Taylor	6-2 • 197 • Sr-2L • Mission, Texas (Mission/Notre Dame)	First-time KOR; 4-for-70 in '03; long 22
PR	7	Jason Carter	6-0 • 197 • Jr-1L • Caldwell, Texas (Caldwell)	Showed signs of being a dangerous returner in 2002; 11-for-81 in '03
	3	Terrence Thomas	5-9 • 180 • Jr-2L • Houston, Texas (Washington)	Tied for the team lead in punt returns in 2002; 5-for-31 in '03

Did You Know?

up close with the Aggies

Archie McDaniel, LB

Love Song Writer

Linebacker Archie McDaniel casts aside the idea that a strapping, powerful linebacker can't also be a sensitive guy. McDaniel loves to listen to a lot of slow music and he likes to write a lot of love songs. He does have a mean side and that anger shows not only on the field but also when the coaching staff told the defense that their famed Wrecking Crew nickname would have to be earned. McDaniel agrees that the defense has not played up to the Wrecking Crew tradition. That's sweet music to the coaching staff's ears.

Terrence Murphy, WR/KOR

Midnight Runner

During the summer, Texas A&M wide receiver and kickoff return specialist Terrence Murphy found a way to supplement his personal two-a-day workouts by adding a third. After midnight, Terrence would get up in the middle of the night and go to A&M's turf practice field at 2 or 3 a.m. where he would focus on short sprints and agility drills. He's been doing this since his freshman year. Usually by himself, until he convinced teammate Derek Farmer to join him. After one outing, Farmer said "I'm never coming out here again."

Alan Reuber, OL

Big Kid on the Block

Before Texas A&M offensive lineman Alan Reuber was the big man on campus, he was the big kid on the block ruling the fifth grade playground at a stout 150 pounds. Perhaps his early adult appetite as a toddler should have signaled his predestined life in football. At age 2, Reuber and his mother Michele were at a grand opening of a McDonald's all-you-can-eat breakfast buffet. Legend has it that Reuber downed 13 pancakes. Now days, he is found of rare beef. He's been known to eat a raw roast. Steak is Reuber's favorite and when he's at Ruth Chris Steakhouse he'll order a porterhouse for two and finish it. Rare as they will allow it.

Jaxson Appel, FS

Displaying His Mettle

Before taking to the field on gameday, Texas A&M free safety Jaxson Appel scribbles an "S" on his wrist in the shape of the Superman logo. Then he dons a jersey and becomes the Aggies' man of steel -- and steal. Appel's left hand is held together by a four-inch metal plate, with eight screws securing the bones in their proper alignment. A grisly scar runs down the back of the hand with remnants of 10 stitches still evident. It's been that way since Sept. 7 when Appel underwent surgery to repair a fractured metacarpal bone that he played with in the final three quarters of the Utah game. From toughness to takeaways Appel has it all. He leads the team in tackles and has collected seven turnovers this season. Entering the Pittsburgh game, Appel ranked No. 2 nationally in tackles per game. Appel is a team leader and was attending a team meeting less than two hours after having the surgery on his hand.

Todd Pegram, K

Mental Technique

After becoming the first true freshman placekicker at A&M in at least 14 years in 2002, Todd Pegram connected on 12-of-21 field goals and 32-of-33 extra points to become just the second freshman to lead the Aggies in scoring. In the offseason, Pegram changed his approach to kicking. He altered his mindset from "thinking and hoping it would go in instead of knowing it would go in." Over the summer, Pegram started working with Dallas-based kicking instructor Rocky Willingham, a former New Mexico State punter and high school special teams coach whose pupils have included Texas' Dusty Mangum and Texas Tech's Keith Toogood. Willingham noticed that Pegram was planting his non-kicking foot too close to the ball and lacked a set routine to follow before each kick. The work has paid off for Pegram as he is ranked No. 6 in the nation in field goal kicking. Pegram is 8-of-9 in field goals and is 9-of-10 in extra points.

Tidbits

Singing the Aggie War Hymn and Spirit of Aggieland

Practice makes perfect and that also applies to learning or brushing up on the many traditions at Texas A&M. Coach Dennis Franchione insisted his players and staff know the school's traditions inside and out. Each night during two-a-days, a member of the coaching staff would relate the history of a couple of traditions to the team during the nightly meeting. The team was visited by mascot Reveille VII, the Yell Leaders, and even former Miss USA Kandace Krueger. Also an Aggie, Krueger was brought in by the offensive linemen to help them sing the school song (Spirit of Aggieland), and the famed Aggie War Hymn in front of the team. Franchione had his team rehearse by position singing the two songs each night during August.

Franchione Builds Excitement with Fans

Since coach Dennis Franchione's arrival in Aggieland last December, excitement has been building among students, former students and fans. During Coach Fran's summer coach's night tour stops, new attendance records were set across the state. Estimates had attendance jumps of up to 100 percent at all six stops: Austin (2,200), Dallas (2,000), Houston (1,700), San Antonio, Fort Worth and College Station with 1,000 each. Fran has challenged the Aggie faithful and they continue to respond. A record 41,072 attended the annual Maroon and White Spring Game, and 2,000 were on hand in the spring for a team weight lifting exhibition called the Night of Champions. Season ticket sales and donations to the school's athletic fund raising organization the 12th Man Foundation are also up significantly since Fran's arrival. Fran capped his summer by appearing on nine College Station radio station morning shows in one morning a day before fall workouts were slated to begin.

Aggie Band Plays at Fran's House

The excitement of coach Dennis Franchione being in Aggieland has also spread to the famed Fightin' Texas Aggie Band which has responded in its own unique way. On Thursday prior to the Pittsburgh game, 50 junior and senior members of the 400-plus member band gathered on the street in front of Franchione's residence and surprised the coach, his family and neighbors with the playing of the school's fight song "The Aggie War Hymn" as way to officially welcome Fran to the community and to build excitement for the upcoming game. The Franchione's and their neighbors filed out onto the lawns to hear the band and to sing the Aggie War Hymn. Following the performance, Coach Fran personally thanked each member of the band that participated in the welcoming.

2003 Texas A&M Alphabetical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl-	Exp	Hometown (High School/JC)	No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl-	Exp	Hometown (High School/JC)
51	Adams, Beau	LB	6'-0"	228	Fr-RS		Tomball, TX (Tomball)	40	Mangum, Kevin	DB	5'-11"	191	Jr-2L		LaMarque, TX (LaMarque)
93	Adams, Jorrie	OL/TE	6'-7"	275	Fr-HS		Jasper, TX (Jasper)	49	Manning, Nurahda	LB	6'-2"	231	So-SQ		Bay City, TX (Bay City)
31	Adams, Will	RB	6'-1"	208	So-SQ		Corpus Christi, TX (Flour Bluff)	6	Martin II, Peter	WR	5'-11"	200	So-SQ		Giddings, TX (Giddings)
24	Alexander, Chris	RB	5'-11"	242	Fr-HS		Humble, TX (Humble)	89	Massey, Haven	TE	6'-3"	220	Jr-2L		Denton, TX (Denton)
1	Anderson, David	DB	5'-7"	182	Fr-RS		Plano, TX (Plano)	38	Matakis, Andy	TE	6'-2"	250	Fr-RS		Corpus Christi, TX (Flour Bluff)
19	Appel, Jaxson	DB	5'-10"	201	So-1L		Friendswood, TX (Friendswood)	34	Mayes, Erik	DB	5'-10"	175	Fr-HS		Humble, TX (Humble)
55	Barrett, Jamal	OL	6'-4"	309	Jr-TR		Alabaster, AL (Jefferson/Blinn JC)	41	McDaniel, Archie	LB	6'-2"	228	So-1L		Bay City, TX (Bay City)
28	Born, Jacob	WR	6'-2"	206	Fr-RS		Grapevine, TX (Grapevine)	16	McNeal, Reggie	QB	6'-2"	198	So-1L		Lufkin, TX (Lufkin)
13	Branyon, Ty	QB	6'-3"	201	Fr-RS		Austin, TX (Bowie)	54	Milkavich, James	OL	6'-2"	285	Fr-SQ		Alief, TX (Elisik)
33	Brelsford, David	PLK	5'-11"	192	So-SQ		Longview, TX (Spring Hill)	43	Mitchell, Lamar	LB	6'-0"	220	Fr-HS		Dayton, TX (Dayton)
3	Brooks, Trey	DB	5'-8"	168	So-SQ		Georgetown, TX (Georgetown)	95	Montgomery, Mike	DL	6'-5"	275	Jr-TR		Tenaha, TX (Center/Navarro JC)
22	Brown, Derrick	RB	5'-11"	197	Fr-HS		Spring, TX (Klein Oak)	45	Morris, Jared	LB	6'-3"	262	Sr-3L		Brownwood, TX (Brownwood)
28	Brown, Japhus	DB	5'-10"	183	Fr-HS		Edna, TX (Edna)	56	Muegge, Mason	DL	6'-3"	247	Sr-SQ		Wharton, TX (Wharton)
85	Bryant, Joseph	DL	6'-5"	332	Fr-HS		Jasper, TX (Jasper)	9	Muhlbach, Don	DS	6'-5"	262	Sr-2L		Lufkin, TX (Lufkin)
26	Buhl, Jonté	DB	5'-10"	171	Jr-2L		Pflugerville, TX (Connally)	5	Murphy, Terrence	WR	6'-1"	192	Jr-2L		Tyler, TX (Chapel Hill)
18	Bullitt, Melvin	DB	6'-1"	186	Fr-HS		Garland, TX (Naaman Forest)	8	Neumann, Layne	PLK	5'-11"	171	Fr-RS		Hondo, TX (Hondo)
98	Carriger, Thomas	TE	6'-4"	271	Jr-2L		Skidmore, TX (Skidmore-Tynan)	36	Newton, Broderick	DB	5'-11"	175	Fr-HS		Fort Worth, TX (Aledo)
7	Carter, Jason	A	6'-0"	193	Jr-1L		Caldwell, TX (Caldwell)	60	Nicholson, John David	DL	6'-6"	297	So-SQ		Montgomery, TX (Montgomery)
5	Carthey, Evan	DB	5'-10"	193	Jr-SQ		Houston, TX (Westfield)	93	Parks, Julian "Ju"	DL	6'-1"	350	Fr-RS		Lufkin, TX (Lufkin)
14	Charles, Kyle	DB	5'-11"	191	Jr-SQ		Spring Branch, TX (Smithson Valley)	59	Patrick, Brian	DL	6'-5"	297	So-1L		Pasadena, TX (Rayburn)
78	Cheshire, Kasey	OL	6'-5"	280	Jr-SQ		Duncanville, TX (Duncanville)	13	Pegram, Todd	PLK	5'-11"	201	So-1L		Plano, TX (West)
63	Clark, Corey	OL	6'-6"	310	Fr-HS		Spring Branch, TX (Smithson Valley)	44	Perry, Thomas	RB	6'-1"	244	Sr-SQ		Tyler, TX (Lee/Tyler JC)
23	Colter, Dustin	RB	5'-11"	225	Fr-RS		Crockett, TX (Crockett)	22	Philbeck, Tim	DB	6'-0"	195	Jr-SQ		Midland, TX (Christian)
26	Dacus, Clint	WR	6'-2"	212	Jr-SQ		Red Oak, TX (Red Oak)	36	Pietsch, Ryan	PLK	5'-9"	208	So-SQ		Giddings, TX (Giddings)
76	De La Garza, Aldo	OL	6'-4"	309	So-1L		New Braunfels, TX (New Braunfels)	94	Pittman, Tate	DL	6'-5"	278	Fr-HS		Odessa, TX (Permian)
37	De La Vina, John	DB	6'-0"	181	Fr-RS		Edinburg, TX (North)	53	Pond, J	OL	6'-5"	322	Fr-RS		Abilene, TX (Cooper)
21	Derrick, Terry	PLK	5'-7"	153	Jr-SQ		Victoria, TX (Victoria)	46	Ramsay, Luke	RB	5'-10"	200	Fr-RS		Harlingen, TX (South)
4	Douglas, Justin	WR	6'-1"	172	Fr-RS		Santa Fe, TX (Santa Fe)	24	Ray, John	DB	6'-1"	202	Fr-RS		Giddings, TX (Giddings)
61	Eardley, Ryan	DL	6'-3"	258	So-SQ		Harwood, TX (Gonzales)	35	Reed, Bryce	DL	6'-1"	276	Fr-RS		Dallas, TX (Samuell)
64	Elder, Kirk	OL	6'-4"	307	Fr-HS		Klein, TX (Klein Oak)	73	Reuber, Alan	OL	6'-6"	310	Sr-3L		Plano, TX (Plano)
1	Farmer, Derek	RB	5'-11"	202	Jr-2L		Tyler, TX (Lee)	30	Rhodes, Nick	WR	6'-0"	202	Fr-HS		Brownwood, TX (Brownwood)
46	Ferris, Zeb	LB	5'-10"	196	Sr-SQ		Brady, TX (Brady)	80	Riley, L'Tydrick	WR	6'-2"	223	So-1L		Crockett, TX (Crockett)
77	Flanagan, Brandon	OL	6'-5"	314	Fr-RS		Haughton, LA (Haughton)	8	Roberson, John	WR	5'-8"	174	So-SQ		Bay City, TX (Bay City)
82	Fleming, Patrick	TE	6'-5"	271	So-1L		Coleville, TX (Heritage)	99	Ross, David	DL	6'-3"	283	So-1L		Forney, TX (Forney)
32	Flemming, Oscholor	RB	5'-10"	204	Sr-3L		Denton, TX (Ryan)	18	Sanders, T.J.	QB	6'-3"	200	Fr-HS		Goddard, KS (Goddard)
47	Flood, Kelvin	LB	6'-1"	220	Fr-RS		Dallas, TX (Kimball)	20	Scates, Cody	P	6'-1"	205	Sr-3L		Tyler, TX (Lee)
87	Germany, Quinlin	TE	6'-2"	269	Fr-RS		Ft. Worth, TX (All Saints Episcopal)	48	Schneider, Blake	LB	5'-11"	207	So-SQ		Thorndale, TX (Thorndale)
37	Gregory, Joshua	P	6'-6"	199	Fr-HS		Spring Branch, TX (Smithson Valley)	14	Schroeder, Chad	QB/WR	6'-1"	178	Fr-RS		Austin, TX (Westlake)
66	Hangartner, Geoff	OL	6'-5"	310	Jr-1L		New Braunfels, TX (New Braunfels)	85	Schuster, Taylor	TE	6'-5"	261	Fr-RS		Mission, TX (Sharyland)
92	Harrington, Chris	DL	6'-5"	248	Fr-HS		Houston, TX (St. Pius)	6	Singleton, Bryant	DB	5'-11"	187	So-1L		Galveston, TX (Ball)
75	Hightower, Jami	OL	6'-4"	336	Jr-2L		Jacksonville, TX (Jacksonville)	79	Smith, Cole	OL	6'-3"	295	So-SQ		Grand Prairie, TX (FW Christian)
29	Hodge, Stephen	DB	6'-1"	196	Fr-HS		Richardson, TX (Lake Highlands)	42	Smith, Everett	LB	6'-2"	229	Sr-3L		Compton, CA (Dominguez)
71	Holman, Quentin	OL	6'-2"	349	So-SQ		Jacksonville, TX (Jacksonville)	88	Smith, Linnis	DL	6'-4"	288	Sr-3L		Tyler, TX (John Tyler)
90	Hooper, Lawrence	DL	6'-4"	287	So-SQ		Aldine, TX (Aldine)	62	Sproule, Colin	DL	6'-3"	257	Jr-SQ		Houston, TX (Spring Woods)
89	Jack, Jason	DL	6'-5"	281	Fr-HS		Humble, TX (Humble)	9	Squillante, Anthony	DB	6'-0"	207	Jr-1L		Southlake, TX (Carroll)
33	Jackson, Keelan	DB	6'-1"	220	Jr-2L		Garland, TX (Garland)	74	Steamer, Dominique	OL	6'-5"	310	So-SQ		Temple, TX (Temple)
91	Jasmin, Marcus	DL	6'-5"	318	Jr-2L		New Orleans, LA (De La Salle)	57	Stickane, Scott	LB	6'-1"	238	Sr-3L		Trophy Club, TX (Northwest)
97	Jolly, Johnny	DL	6'-3"	289	So-1L		Houston, TX (Forest Brook)	9	Taylor, Earvin	WR	6'-3"	217	Fr-HS		Mission, TX (Mission)
11	Jones, Byron	DB	5'-10"	184	Jr-2L		Bay City, TX (Bay City)	2	Taylor, Jamaar	WR	6'-2"	197	Sr-2L		Mission, TX (Mission/Notre Dame)
47	Jones, Robert	RB	5'-9"	232	Jr-SQ		Cleburne, TX (Cleburne)	81	Thomas, Joey	TE	6'-5"	228	Fr-HS		Austin, TX (Westlake)
23	Jones, Ronald	DB	5'-10"	186	So-1L		Dallas, TX (Skyline)	3	Thomas, Terrence	WR	5'-9"	180	Jr-2L		Houston, TX (Washington)
4	Joseph, Keith	RB	6'-2"	256	Jr-2L		Houston, TX (Lamar)	44	Thompson, Ta Ta	LB	6'-4"	236	Fr-HS		Garland, TX (Garland)
27	Kelly, John	RB	5'-9"	181	Fr-HS		Garland, TX (Naaman Forest)	98	Thornton, Marques	DL	6'-2"	275	Fr-RS		Houston, TX (Madison)
58	Kendrick, Blake	LB	6'-1"	225	Jr-2L		Willis, TX (Willis)	83	Van Zant, Tim	WR	6'-1"	201	Sr-2L		Victoria, TX (Victoria)
50	Kirk, John	OL	6'-4"	299	Sr-3L		Athens, TX (Athens)	70	Wallace, Cody	OL	6'-5"	282	Fr-HS		Cuero, TX (Cuero)
68	Kirk, John R.	OL	6'-3"	327	Fr-RS		Fort Worth, TX (FW Christian)	95	Warren, Chris	TE	6'-4"	231	Jr-SQ		Magnolia, TX (Magnolia)
86	Korem, Erik	TE	6'-3"	249	Sr-SQ		Richardson, TX (Berkner)	10	Warren, Justin	LB	6'-3"	220	Fr-HS		Tyler, TX (Lee)
72	Kotzur, Alex	OL	6'-5"	289	Fr-RS		Houston, TX (St. Thomas)	31	Weston, Sean	DB	5'-10"	180	Sr-3L		Inglewood, CA (Serra)
50	Lamantia, Michael	LB	6'-0"	214	Jr-SQ		Mission, TX (Sharyland)	96	White, Ryan	TE	6'-4"	244	So-SQ		Austin, TX (Lake Travis)
25	Larsen, Matt	DB	6'-0"	203	So-SQ		Addison, TX (Trinity Christian)	52	Woods, Frederick	LB	6'-1"	233	So-SQ		Houston, TX (Washington)
60	Leahy, Larry	OL	6'-4"	287	Fr-RS		Yoakum, TX (Yoakum)	84	Woods, Jesse	WR	6'-3"	205	So-1L		Katy, TX (Taylor)
21	Leone, Brandon	DB	6'-0"	204	Fr-RS		Conroe, TX (Oak Ridge)	15	Wright, Anthony	WR	6'-2"	210	So-1L		Houston, TX (Klein Forest)
25	Lewis, Courtney	RB	5'-11"	191	Fr-RS		Houston, TX (Madison)	51	Yoder, Chris	OL	6'-3"	285	Fr-HS		Houston, TX (Kingwood)
54	Lightsey, Wade	LB	6'-1"	231	Jr-TR		San Antonio, TX (Converse Judson/Blinn JC)	30	Young, Jacob	P/PLK	6'-0"	196	Jr-SQ		Fairfield, TX (Fairfield)
17	Long, Dustin	QB	6'-3"	210	Jr-1L		Port Neches, TX (Port Neches-Groves)								
61	Lubojasky, Heath	DS	6'-0"	219	Fr-RS		San Diego, CA (Torrey Pines)								

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1	Anderson, David	DB	16	McNeal, Reggie	QB	30	Young, Jacob	P/PLK	47	Jones, Robert	RB	66	Hangartner, Geoff	OL	89	Jack, Jason	DL
1	Farmer, Derek	RB	17	Long, Dustin	QB	31	Adams, Will	RB	48	Schneider, Blake	LB	68	Kirk, John R.	OL	89	Massey, Haven	TE
2	Taylor, Jamaar	WR	18	Bullitt, Melvin	DB	31	Weston, Sean	DB	49	Manning, Nurahda	LB	69	Muhlbach, Don	DS	90	Hooper, Lawrence	DL
3	Brooks, Trey	DB	19	Sanders, T.J.	QB	32	Flemming, Oscholor	RB	50	Kirk, John	OL	70	Wallace, Cody	OL	91	Jasmin, Marcus	DL
3	Thomas, Terrence	WR	19	Appel, Jaxson	DB	33	Brelsford, David	PLK	50	Lamantia, Michael	LB	71	Holman, Quentin	OL	92	Harrington, Chris	DL
4	Douglas, Justin	WR	20	Scates, Cody	P	33	Jackson, Keelan	DB	51	Adams, Beau	LB	72	Kotzur, Alex	OL	93	Adams, Jorrie	OL/TE
4	Joseph, Keith	RB	21	Derrick, Terry	PLK	34	Mayes, Erik	DB	51	Yoder, Chris	OL	73	Reuber, Alan	OL	93	Parks, Julian "Ju"	DL
5	Carthey, Evan	DB	21	Leone, Brandon	DB	35	Reed, Bryce	DL	52	Woods, Frederick	LB	74	Steamer, Dominique	OL	94	Pittman, Tate	DL
5	Murphy, Terrence	WR	22	Brown, Derrick	RB	36	Newton, Broderick	DB	53	Pond, J	OL	75	Hightower, Jami	OL	95	Montgomery, Mike	DL
6	Martin II, Peter	WR	22	Philbeck, Tim	DB	36	Pietsch, Ryan	PLK	54	Lightsey, Wade	LB	76	De La Garza, Aldo	OL	95	Warren, Chris	TE
6	Singleton, Bryant	DB	23	Colter, Dustin	RB	37	De La Vina, John	DB	54	Milkavich, James	OL	77	Flanagan, Brandon	OL	96	White, Ryan	TE
7	Carter, Jason	A	23	Jones, Ronald	DB	37	Gregory, Joshua	P	55	Barrett, Jamal	OL	78	Cheshire, Kasey	OL	97	Jolly, Johnny	DL
8	Neumann, Layne	PLK	24	Alexander, Chris	RB	38	Matakis, Andy	TE	56	Muegge, Mason	DL	79	Smith, Cole	OL	98	Carriger, Thomas	TE
8	Roberson, John	WR	24	Ray, John	DB	40	Mangum, Kevin	DB	57	Stickane, Scott	LB	80	Riley, L'Tydrick	WR	98	Thornton, Marques	DL
9	Squillante, Anthony	DB	25	Larsen, Matt	DB	41	McDaniel, Archie	LB	58	Kendrick, Blake	LB	81	Thomas, Joey	TE	99	Ross, David	DL
9	Taylor, Earvin	WR	25	Lewis, Courtney	RB	42	Smith, Everett	LB	59	Patrick, Brian	DL	82	Fleming, Patrick	TE			
10	Warren, Justin	LB	26	Buhl, Jonté	DB	43	Mitchell, Lamar	LB	60	Leahy, Larry	OL	83	Van Zant, Tim	WR			
11	Jones, Byron	DB	26	Dacus, Clint	WR	44	Perry, Thomas	RB	60	Nicholson, John David	DL	84	Woods, Jesse	WR			
13	Branyon, Ty	QB	27	Kelly, John	RB	44	Thompson, Ta Ta	LB	61	Eardley, Ryan	DL	85	Bryant, Joseph	DL			
13	Pegram, Todd	PLK	28	Born, Jacob	WR	45	Morris, Jared	LB	61	Lubojasky, Heath	DS	85	Schuster, Taylor	TE			
14	Charles, Kyle	DB	28	Brown, Japhus	DB	46	Ferris, Zeb	LB	62	Sproule, Colin	DL	86	Korem, Erik	TE			
14	Schroeder, Chad	QB/WR	29	Hodge, Stephen	DB	46	Ramsay, Luke	RB	63	Clark, Corey	OL	87	Germany, Quinlin	TE			
15	Wright, Anthony	WR	30	Rhodes, Nick	WR	47	Flood, Kelvin	LB	64	Elder, Kirk	OL	88	Smith, Linnis	DL			