



# 2008 Weekly Game Notes

## FERRIS STATE FOOTBALL

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### BULLDOG BITES

➤ **THIS WEEK:** The Ferris State University football team continues its two-game Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) road swing by visiting Indianapolis Saturday, Oct. 11, for a 6 p.m. (EDT) game at UI's Key Stadium in Indianapolis, Ind.

➤ **TICKET INFORMATION:** Tickets can be obtained by contacting the Indianapolis Athletics Office at (317) 788-3472.

➤ **MEDIA COVERAGE:** Saturday's game will be carried live locally by WYBR (102.3 FM) with Rob Bentley handling the play-by-play duties and Sandy Gholston handling the color commentary. A live video and audio pay-per-view webcast will be available through Indianapolis for a pay-per-view. Live internet statistics will also be available. Links for all coverage will be posted on the FSU website at and can be found by clicking the "internet event schedule" icon at [www.ferris.edu/sports](http://www.ferris.edu/sports).

➤ **TOUGH TRIP TO HOUGHTON:** Three time-consuming scoring drives and a strong running game lifted Michigan Tech to a 21-7 league triumph over the nationally 25th-ranked Bulldogs last Saturday (Oct. 4) afternoon at MTU's Sherman Field in Houghton, Mich. The Huskies ran for 259 yards on 52 carries and limited the Bulldog offense to only 240 total yards in recording their sixth-straight series' triumph before a MTU homecoming crowd of 2,989 fans. Ferris finally got on the board in the final minute as backup quarterback **Kyle Parrish (Garden Grove, Calif./Santiago)** found senior wideout **Rahseem Jones-Salaam (Baldwin)** on a 30-yard scoring strike with only 34 seconds left in the game.

➤ **MILESTONE CONTEST:** Saturday's contest at Indianapolis will represent the Bulldogs' 150th contest with **Jeff Pierce** as head coach. The all-time winningest coach in FSU history, Pierce owns a 89-60 (.597) career mark at the Bulldog helm to date.

➤ **RANKINGS NOTE:** The Bulldogs have been ranked nationally twice this campaign, but have lost a game the following week to drop from the listing. FSU previously was ranked 24th in the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) Division II poll prior to its loss at rival Grand Valley State (Sept. 20). Last week (Sept. 30), the Bulldogs were listed 25th in both the AFCA poll and the *D2football.com* National Rankings before losing at Michigan Tech and falling out of both polls.

➤ **LONG TIME NO SEE:** Saturday's game between the Bulldogs and Greyhounds will mark the first time the two teams have squared off against each other since 2005 (9/17) when Indianapolis recorded a 7-3 win at FSU's Top Taggart Field in Big Rapids. The two teams split the six series' meetings held from 2000 to 2005.

### 2008 FERRIS STATE SCHEDULE

Aug. 30	at Tiffin (Ohio)	W, 14-12
Sept. 6	at Ashland*	W, 25-24
Sept. 13	<b>Findlay*</b> (Community, Fireworks & Health Care Night)	<b>W, 14-0</b>
Sept. 20	at Grand Valley State* (Anchor-Bone Classic)	L, 13-31
Sept. 27	<b>Northern Michigan*</b> (Hall of Fame Inductees Day)	<b>W, 31-24</b>
Oct. 4	at Michigan Tech*	L, 7-21
Oct. 11	at Indianapolis*	6 p.m.
Oct. 18	<b>Wayne State*</b> (Homecoming)	<b>2 p.m.</b>
Oct. 25	<b>Northwood*</b> (Reunion Day for '68 Unbeaten Team)	<b>12 p.m.</b>
Nov. 1	at Hillsdale*	2:30 p.m.
Nov. 8	<b>Saginaw Valley State*</b> (Senior Day)	<b>12 p.m.</b>

All times are Eastern and subject to change

Home games in **Bold**

\*GLIAC Game

### GAME 7 ▲ 2008 SEASON

**SATURDAY, OCT. 11, 2008**



**FERRIS STATE BULLDOGS (4-2, 3-2 GLIAC)**  
 vs.

**INDIANAPOLIS GREYHOUNDS (3-3, 2-3 GLIAC)**  
**KICKOFF:** 6 p.m. (EDT)

**SITE:** Indianapolis, Ind.

**STADIUM/SURFACE:** Sherman Field (5,500)/Artificial Turf (Sprinturf)

**RADIO COVERAGE:** WYBR-FM (102.3)

**ANNOUNCERS:** Rob Bentley (Play-by-Play), Sandy Gholston (Color)

**INTERNET COVERAGE:** [www.ferris.edu/sports](http://www.ferris.edu/sports) (click on internet event icon)

### GAME FACTS

➤ **THE RECORDS:** *Ferris State* is currently 4-2 this season and 3-2 in the GLIAC after Saturday's 21-7 loss at Michigan Tech. FSU registered a 7-4-0 (including forfeit win) overall record in 2007 and placed tied for fourth in the league with a 6-4 mark. The Bulldogs were 4-2 at home and 3-2 on the road last year. Ferris is currently 2-2 in road games in 2008.

*Indianapolis* is presently 3-3 overall and 2-3 in the GLIAC after last Saturday's (Oct. 4) 27-23 home win over Northwood. Indy, which has won its last two outings to date, posted a 6-5 overall record in 2007 and finished tied for sixth in GLIAC play (5-5). The Greyhounds are currently 1-1 at home this campaign. Last year, Indianapolis recorded a 3-2 mark on its home surface at Key Stadium.

➤ **THE COACHES:** **FERRIS STATE** – **Jeff Pierce** (Ferris State, 1979), 14th season, 89-60-0 (.597) – (5-4-0 vs. Indy). Pierce has compiled a 44-34-0 (.564) coaching mark in road encounters and is 30-25-0 (.545) in October contests to date. Pierce, who played at Ferris (defensive back) from 1974-77, is the 12th head coach in Ferris State's history.

**INDIANAPOLIS** – **Joe Polizzi** (Hillsdale, 1976), 15th season, 78-79-1 (.497) – (4-6-0 vs. Ferris State). Polizzi served two seasons (1986-87) as defensive coordinator and defensive backs coach at Ferris State. He's the 13th head coach in UI football history.

➤ **COACHING COLLEAGUES:** Both **Jeff Pierce** and **Joe Polizzi** were members of Keith Otterbein's coaching staff in his first two seasons (1986-87) at Ferris. Pierce replaced Polizzi as the Bulldogs' defensive coordinator in 1988 after the latter went to Hillsdale and served as the Chargers' defensive backfield coach until 1991.

➤ **THE 100TH SEASON:** The 2008 campaign represents the Bulldogs' 100th season of varsity competition. The program actually began in 1900, but no football was played in 1908-09, 1917-18, 1932 and from 1942-45 for various reasons. Additionally, no scores are available from either the 1912 or 1916 seasons. Ferris has posted an all-time record of 364-405-40 (.475) to date following Saturday's loss at MTU.

➤ **UNDER THE LIGHTS:** Ferris is 33-46-4 (.422) in evening games going back to 1961. The Bulldogs are 12-23-2 (.351) on the road and 21-23-2 (.478) at home during that period. Indianapolis has won all four previous night games played between the two teams, but the four previous night contests were all played at Top Taggart Field in Big Rapids.

➤ **NEXT WEEK:** Ferris returns home to host the Wayne State Warriors in its annual homecoming contest Saturday, Oct. 18, with the league kickoff set for 2 p.m. (EDT) at Top Taggart Field in Big Rapids, Mich.

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## HEAD COACH JEFF PIERCE



Jeff Pierce starts his 14th year at Ferris State in 2008 and owns the distinction of being the Bulldogs' all-time winningest coach. He reached the milestone in 2004 (9/4) with Ferris' overtime win at Ashland. Under Pierce, FSU has won or shared three GLIAC titles (1995-96, 99) while earning consecutive (1995-96) NCAA-II Playoffs berths, including a semifinal-round appearance in 1995.

YEAR	SCHOOL	W	L	T	PCT.
1995	Ferris State	12	1	0	.923
1996	Ferris State	10	2	0	.833
1997	Ferris State	3	7	0	.300
1998	Ferris State	5	6	0	.454
1999	Ferris State	7	3	0	.700
2000	Ferris State	5	6	0	.454
2001	Ferris State	7	4	0	.636
2002	Ferris State	5	5	0	.500
2003	Ferris State	6	5	0	.545
2004	Ferris State	6	5	0	.545
2005	Ferris State	4	7	0	.364
2006	Ferris State	8	3	0	.727
2007	Ferris State	7	4	0	.636
2008	Ferris State	4	2	0	.600
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>89</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.597</b>

### PIERCE'S RECORD BREAKDOWN

YEAR	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	GLIAC	NON-CONF.	PLAYOFFS
1995	7-0	5-1	0-0	10-0	2-1	2-1
1996	5-1	5-1	0-0	9-1	1-1	1-1
1997	1-5	2-2	0-0	3-7	0-0	0-0
1998	3-2	2-4	0-0	5-5	0-1	0-0
1999	3-1	4-2	0-0	7-2	0-1	0-0
2000	2-3	3-3	0-0	5-5	0-1	0-0
2001	4-1	3-3	0-0	7-3	0-1	0-0
2002	4-1	1-4	0-0	4-5	1-0	0-0
2003	3-2	3-3	0-0	5-5	1-0	0-0
2004	2-3	4-2	0-0	6-4	0-1	0-0
2005	2-3	2-4	0-0	4-6	0-1	0-0
2006	3-2	5-1	0-0	7-3	1-0	0-0
2007	4-2	3-2	0-0	6-4	1-0	0-0
2008	2-0	2-2	0-0	3-2	1-0	0-0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>45-26</b>	<b>44-34</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>81-52</b>	<b>8-8</b>	<b>3-2</b>

## BULLDOG BITES

➤ **STANDINGS JAM:** Ferris is currently in a five-way tie for third place in the GLIAC standings behind leader Grand Valley State (5-0) and Ashland (4-1). The Bulldogs, Hillsdale, Michigan Tech, Saginaw Valley State and Wayne State all own 3-2 league marks with Indianapolis a game behind (2-3).

➤ **NATIONAL AWARD WINNER:** FSU junior strong safety **Chad Wilson (Howell)** was honored as last week's (Oct. 1) *D2football.com* National Defensive Player of the Week in addition to earning the GLIAC's weekly defensive honor after his performance vs. Northern Michigan (Sept. 27). In addition to his game-winning 75-yard interception return, Wilson added nine tackles with six solo stops and two pass breakups. He has both of Ferris' two interceptions on defense this season. His selection last week marked the second time a Bulldog player has earned the GLIAC's defensive weekly award this campaign as senior All-America defensive tackle **Jake Visser (Coopersville)** picked up the honor after FSU's win at Ashland (Sept. 6).

➤ **FIRST TD PASS:** Bulldog junior quarterback **Kyle Parrish** threw his first TD pass at FSU with a 30-yard scoring strike to senior wideout **Rahseem Jones-Salaam** in the final minute at Michigan Tech. Parrish, who transferred to Ferris this season from Compton Community College in California, completed both of his two passes for 40 total yards in a relief role at MTU and also carried the ball once for seven yards.

➤ **FIRST TD RECEPTION:** Senior wideout **Rahseem Jones-Salaam** recorded his first career touchdown on the 30-yard strike from **Kyle Parrish** for FSU's lone score against the Huskies. Jones-Salaam has a personal career-high nine pass receptions for 155 yards (17.2 ypc.) to date this campaign and now has 14 career receptions for 251 yards. His nine receptions this year ranks second among the team leaders.

➤ **STILL CLIMBING:** Ferris' **Jake Visser** tallied a team-high nine tackles, including seven solo stops and one tackle for loss (-2 yds.) at MTU. Visser continues to climb several lists in the FSU record book as he currently ranks tied for fourth place on the school's all-time sack leaders chart with 23.5 sacks in his career. Additionally, Visser presently has 336 career tackles and is in 11th place on the school list. He is also tied for first place with two former Bulldog greats in Monty Brown (1989-92) and Ed Phillion (1990-93), who both played in the NFL, with seven career fumble recoveries.

➤ **MTU NOTEBOOK:** Three Bulldog players recorded their first career tackles at Michigan Tech, including redshirt freshman center **Jake Hancock (Big Rapids)**, junior receiver **Kevin Ward (Commerce/Lakeland)** and red-shirt freshman defensive lineman **Muneer Bawayeh (Dearborn/Fordson)**. Both Hancock and Ward's stops came in special teams action ..... Saturday's crowd of 2,989 fans at Michigan Tech represented the seventh-largest crowd in Sherman Field history.

➤ **VETERAN TRIO:** FSU's starting trio of senior linebackers have compiled 37% (140 of 383) of the squad's total tackles to date this season. The group, which includes middle linebacker **Kevin Noe (Orleans/Belding)** along with outside linebackers **Jordan Moore (Ada/Lowell)** and **Jeff Hollandsworth (Livonia/Stevenson)**, have also teamed up to notch 79 of the team's 229 solo stops (34%) to date this year.

## THE LAST MEETING (FSU vs. INDIANAPOLIS)

SEPTEMBER 17, 2005 ● AT TOP TAGGART FIELD - BIG RAPIDS, MICH. (2,290)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Indianapolis	0	7	0	0	7
Ferris State	0	0	3	0	3

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### 2nd Quarter

12:24 UI: Elmore 4 run (Parker kick)

#### 3rd Quarter

9:15 FS: Eichler 29 FG

### TEAM STATS

	BULLDOGS	GREYHOUNDS
First Downs	11	14
Rushes-Yds	50-207	37-131
Passing Yards	23	89
Att/Comp/Int	10/2/2	30/13/2
Total Net Yards	230	220
Punts/Avg	7/44.3	6/39.8
Fumbles/Lost	1/1	2/2
Penalties-Yds	5-43	2-10
Possession Time	31:02	28:58

### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

#### Rushing

UI: Marcus Nalley - 21/135 yds

FS: C.J. Van Wieren - 25/67 yds

#### Passing

UI: Mitch Brown - 9/2/2, 23 yds

FS: C.J. Van Wieren - 30/13/2, 89 yds

#### Receiving

UI: Sam Elmore - 1/13 yds, David Link - 1/10 yds

FS: Lawrence Conner - 5/25 yds

#### Punting

UI: Nick Parker - 7/310, 44.3 avg., 2 Inside 20

FS: Levi Slager - 6/239, 39.8 avg., 0 Inside 20

#### Defensive

UI: Bruce Renner - 12 tackles (six solo), 1.0 TFL for 3 yds.; Leonard Bush - 12 tackles (five solo), 1.0 TFL for 1 yd., 1 interception for 11 yds.

FS: Mike Klobucher - 17 tackles (nine solo), 2.0 TFL for 3 yds.; Jeff Hollandsworth - 10 tackles (five solo), 1.0 TFL for 2 yds., 1.0 sack for 2 yds.

**NOTES:** Both teams combined for only 10 points in this defensive battle as Ferris was unable to register its initial victory of this season. UI fullback Sam Elmore tallied on a four-yard TD run early in the second quarter following a Greyhounds' interception by linebacker Leonard Bush at the FSU 22-yard line. Bush returned the pigskin 11 yards on the pass theft to set up the TD three plays later. Ferris' only points came in the third quarter on Josh Eichler's 29-yard field goal, which completed a nine-play, 29-yard drive. Each team had other scoring chances but Eichler missed a pair of field goal attempts (33 and 39 yds. in the second and third quarter, respectively) while Indianapolis kicker Nick Parker was unsuccessful on a 28-yarder in the third quarter. The Bulldogs made a last-ditch effort to overcome the deficit with less than two minutes to go in the game, but quarterback C.J. Van Wieren's pass was intercepted by cornerback Kenneth Akridge at the FSU 49-yard line and returned back to the Ferris 25-yard line with 1:17 remaining where the Hounds proceeded to run out the clock. Indy prevailed for the third time in the last four series meetings. C.J. Van Wieren, who was making his first collegiate start, paced the Bulldogs in rushing with 67 yards while tailback Devon Mitchell had 57 yards on the ground. Outside linebacker Nick Maeder had a 16-yard interception return while free safety Chris Beaudry also had a pass theft.

## MORE BULLDOG BITES

➤ **STRONG IN FIVE:** This year's 4-1 mark after five games (prior to Michigan Tech) represented the 17th time in 100 seasons the Bulldogs had emerged victorious in four of their initial five outings, including the second time in the last three years along with the 2006 season. Ferris has accomplished the feat six times under head coach **Jeff Pierce**. The Bulldogs have went on to win at least seven games in four of the five previous times under Pierce.

➤ **THE FINAL FIVE:** Ferris has registered a 59-30-1 (.661) record in its final five regular-season contests per season since 1990. The Bulldogs posted a 3-2 overall record in 2007 after previously compiling a 4-1 such record in the last five games of the 2006 campaign. FSU's two losses in its last five games last year (2007) came in back-to-back weeks against the GLIAC's top two teams in Ashland (10/20) and Grand Valley State (10/27).

➤ **GOOD MONTH:** The Bulldogs have compiled a 49-27-1 (.643) record in October contests since 1990. FSU is 26-16-0 (.619) on the road and 23-11-1 (.671) at home during that span in the month of October.

➤ **TIME DIFFERENCE:** The Bulldogs held a time of possession advantage in each of their first four outings this year, but the opponent has held the edge each of the last two weeks. Michigan Tech held the ball for 37:06 vs. FSU.

## ALL-TIME SERIES INFORMATION

- Ferris State holds a 15-11-1 lead in a series which commenced in 1953. Indianapolis went 7-3-1 in the initial 11 meetings while Ferris has posted a 12-4-0 mark in the last 16 outings.
- Twenty-two of the 27 meetings have been decided by 10 points or more and Ferris sports a 14-8-0 record (.636) in those encounters. Also, 18 of the last 21 contests have been determined by 10 points or more, including two of the last three.
- In the last six meetings, Ferris has averaged 19.2 points per game (115 total) while Indianapolis is averaging 19.0 points an outing (114 total) during that period.
- Ferris State is 3-3-1 in contests decided by 10 points or less (1-2-0 at home and 2-1-1 away) and is 12-8-0 in games decided between 11 or more points (7-3-0 at home and 5-5-0 on the road).
- Saturday's meeting will mark the first time the two teams have played since Indianapolis recorded a 7-3 triumph at Top Taggart Field during the 2005 season (9/17/05) in Big Rapids. The three points the Bulldogs were limited to in the game represents the fewest points FSU has scored in a contest since being shutout 45-0 at North Dakota in 2004 (10/9/04).

### FERRIS STATE LEADS SERIES 15-11-1

**FSU SCORING AVERAGE:** 22.7 (613 points)  
**UI SCORING AVERAGE:** 19.1 (516 points)  
**SCORING DIFFERENTIAL:** +3.6 (FSU)  
**LAST MEETING:** UI 7, FSU 3\* (9/17/05)  
**LAST MEETING AT FSU:** UI 7, FSU 3\* (9/17/05)  
**AT BIG RAPIDS:** FSU leads 8-5-0  
**AT INDIANAPOLIS:** FSU leads 7-6-1  
**CURRENT SERIES WIN STREAK:** 1 (UI 9/17/05)  
**LONGEST SERIES WIN STREAK:** 9 (FSU 9/10/88 – 9/7/96);  
 6 (UI 9/25/82 – 9/12/87)  
**MOST POINTS IN A FSU WIN:** 54 (FSU 54, @UI 13 – 10/31/92)  
**MOST POINTS IN A UI WIN:** 47 (UI 47, FSU 0\* – 9/22/84)  
**MOST DECISIVE SCORE:** FSU 50 (50-0 – 9/16/95); UI 47 (47-0\* – 9/22/84)  
**MOST POINTS SCORED BY FSU:** 54 (FSU 54, @UI 13 – 10/31/92)  
 \* – Denotes FSU home game

### FERRIS STATE-INDIANAPOLIS SERIES RESULTS

DATE	RESULT	SITE	10/31/92	FSU 54-13	A
10/31/53	UI 19-7	A	10/30/93	FSU 40-26	H
10/30/54	FSU 12-0	H	9/17/94	FSU 44-7	H
11/7/59	FSU 29-7	A	9/16/95	FSU 50-0	H
10/15/60	FSU 19-0	H	9/7/96	FSU 30-19	A
9/20/80	Tie 14-14	A	9/6/97	UI 32-21	A
9/25/82	UI 21-17♦	H	11/11/00	FSU 38-28	H
9/24/83	UI 30-0	A	11/10/01	FSU 16-13▲	A
9/22/84	UI 47-0♦	H	11/16/02	UI 17-14	A
9/21/85	UI 34-7	A	11/15/03	UI 35-20	H
9/6/86	UI 35-13♦	H	9/18/04	FSU 24-14	A
9/12/87	UI 35-19	A	9/17/05	UI 7-3 ♦	H
9/10/88	FSU 34-21	H	▲ – Two Overtimes		
9/9/89	FSU 38-21	A	FSU leads 15-11-1		
10/27/90	FSU 29-15	A	FSU wins in bold		
11/2/91	FSU 21-6	H	♦ – Denotes night game		

## BULLDOGS ON THE WEB

- **BULLDOG GAMEDAY:** Complete information on every Bulldog home and road contest this year can be found by visiting the Bulldog Gameday page on the FSU Athletics Website at [www.ferris.edu/sports](http://www.ferris.edu/sports) (click on *football and then Bulldog Gameday*). The Gameday information, which will be updated several days prior to each game, includes links to all pertinent notes and statistics for both teams as well as links for the respective broadcast and internet media coverage available for the contest.
- **YEARBOOK AVAILABLE ONLINE:** The 2008 Ferris State University Football Yearbook is available to view online in a PDF format. The 68-page publication contains information for all Bulldog football fans. The publication features such information as 2008 player rosters, season outlook, player biographies, coaching staff information, 2007 season statistics, career and season statistical records, series records, game records, etc. Visit the FSU athletics website at [www.ferris.edu/sports](http://www.ferris.edu/sports) to find the publication online.
- **FOLLOW THE BULLDOGS:** Bulldog fans now have the ability to catch Ferris State in action even when they can't be at the stadium. A live video and audio webcast is slated to be offered for all 2008 Bulldog home football games via an agreement with B2 Networks. In addition, selected road games at B2 partner schools will also be available. For more information, visit the FSU Athletics Website ([www.ferris.edu/sports](http://www.ferris.edu/sports)) and click on the B2 broadcast icon.

## BULLDOG BITES

- **REGIONAL RANKINGS:** The Bulldogs are listed 10th in the first NCAA-II Super Regional Three Rankings issued on Monday (Oct. 6). FSU is one of four GLIAC schools in the top 10 along with Grand Valley State (#1), Ashland (#3) and Michigan Tech (#4). New rankings will be announced each Monday until the end of the season.
- **DID YOU KNOW?:** The Bulldogs need only two more wins to post their 13th winning season in the last 20 campaigns. It would also give head coach **Jeff Pierce** his eighth winning season in his 14 years at FSU. The Bulldogs won five consecutive conference championship titles from 1992-96 and were league co-champions with Northwood in the 1999 season.
- **AMONG THE LEADERS:** The Bulldogs are listed 30th nationally in scoring defense (18.7 ppg.) along with 28th in rushing offense (192.0 ypg.), 38th in total defense (301.0 ypg.), 42nd in pass efficiency defense (111.21), 51st in pass defense (182.8 ypg.) and 51st in rushing defense (118.2 ypg.) according to the NCAA-II National Statistics released on Monday (Oct. 6). In the GLIAC, Ferris is second in total defense, third in rushing defense, third in pass efficiency defense, fourth in pass defense, fourth in scoring defense and fifth in rushing offense.
- **FERRIS SPORTS UPDATE:** Ferris head coach **Jeff Pierce** will make appearances throughout the season on Ferris Sports Update, a weekly half-hour TV show promoting Bulldog Athletics. The show airs each Wednesday at 11 p.m. (ET) on Fox 33 across most of Northern Michigan.
- **VOTE FOR PIERCE:** Bulldog fans once again have an opportunity to vote for FSU head coach **Jeff Pierce** as part of the 2008 Liberty Mutual Coach of the Year Award process. The award honors the college football coach who best exemplifies responsibility and excellence on and off the field. Pierce was among the top Division II vote-getters in 2006. Go to [www.coachoftheyear.com](http://www.coachoftheyear.com) to cast your ballot.
- **A GREAT START:** This year's 3-0 start prior to the loss at Grand Valley State (Sept. 20) was FSU's second such start in the last 12 years along with the 2006 campaign when they won their first three outings before losing at Hillsdale in week four (29-27). Prior to 2006, FSU hadn't won three in a row since the 1996 campaign when they made their last trip to the NCAA-II Playoffs. The 2008 season marked the 10th time in 100 seasons the Bulldogs had started the year with three consecutive victories.
- **NCAA REGION CHANGE:** The NCAA adjusted the way in which regions are named for selection purposes effective this season. Previously labeled geographically, regions have now been renamed "super regionals" and are categorized numerically so as to not create confusion with the geographical-based labels in Division II's regionalization model. Thus, effective with the 2008 championship, the four "super regionals" for football selection purposes are: Super Regional One (composed of the Atlantic and East regions), Super Regional Two (South and Southeast regions), Super Regional Three (Central and Midwest regions) and Super Regional Four (South Central and West regions). The GLIAC schools are in Super Regional Three.
- **TEAM CAPTAINS:** FSU's team captains for the 2008 campaign are senior receiver **Cole Meredith (Big Rapids)** and junior quarterback **Eric Grozenski (Rochester Hills/Notre Dame Prep)** on the offensive side along with senior defensive tackle **Jake Visser (Coopersville)** and senior linebacker **Jordan Moore (Ada/Lowell)** on the defensive side. Visser is the lone player of the four who also served as a team captain last season.
- **PRESEASON ALL-AMERICANS:** FSU senior defensive tackle **Jake Visser**, senior cornerback **Terrell Heggins (Lansing/Everett)** along with senior middle linebacker **Kevin Noe** were chosen as 2008 preseason All-Americans by various sources. A returning All-American, Visser earned consensus preseason acclaim by being named to the 2008 *Lindy's College Football Preview* All-Division II Preseason First Team along with the *D2football.com* Preseason All-America First Team, the Consensus Draft Services (CDS) Division II Preseason All-America Second Team and the *Sporting News* Division II Preseason All-America Team. *Lindy's* also selected Visser as its Division II Preseason Defensive Player of the Year. Heggins was chosen as a first-team pick by *Lindy's College Football Preview* while Noe attained CDS First Team honors. Noe also earned honors from CDS by being named to its 2009 All-Underappreciated Third Team from all levels.
- **GAME DAY PROMOTIONS:** Ferris will have a special game day promotion for each of its remaining home contests this season. Homecoming is set for Oct. 18 when the Bulldogs host Wayne State with a 40th Reunion Day for the school's 1968 undefeated team planned in conjunction with the Northwood game (Oct. 25). Senior Day activities will take place Nov. 8 during FSU's regular-season home finale against Saginaw Valley State.

## 2008 GLIAC STANDINGS

	GLIAC					OVERALL				
	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Grand Valley State	5	0	1.000	217	40	5	0	1.000	217	40
Ashland	4	1	.800	171	103	4	2	.667	213	152
<b>Ferris State</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.600</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.667</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>112</b>
Hillsdale	3	2	.600	128	100	4	2	.667	177	106
Michigan Tech	3	2	.600	154	164	4	2	.667	180	185
Wayne State	3	2	.600	99	89	4	2	.667	113	99
Saginaw Valley State	3	2	.600	118	133	3	2	.600	118	133
Indianapolis	2	3	.400	79	118	3	3	.500	119	132
Findlay	1	4	.200	80	120	2	4	.333	106	120
Northern Michigan	1	4	.200	124	157	1	4	.200	124	157
Northwood	1	4	.200	113	153	1	4	.200	113	153
Tiffin	1	4	.200	85	181	1	5	.167	97	195

### LAST WEEK'S GAMES

#### SATURDAY, OCT. 4

at Ashland 41, Wayne State 14\*  
**at Michigan Tech 21, Ferris State 7\***  
 Grand Valley State 49, at Tiffin 0\*  
 at Hillsdale 20, Findlay 13\*  
 Saginaw Valley State 38, at Northern Michigan 21\*  
 at Indianapolis 27, Northwood 23\*



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### UPCOMING GAMES

#### SATURDAY, OCT. 11

Ashland at Northwood\*, 12 p.m.  
 Michigan Tech at Findlay\*, 12 p.m.  
 Northern Michigan at Wayne State\*, 12 p.m.  
 Tiffin at Saginaw Valley State\*, 12 p.m.  
**Ferris State at Indianapolis\*, 6 p.m.**  
 Hillsdale at Grand Valley State\*, 7 p.m.

### 2008 GLIAC PRESEASON COACHES' POLL

PLACE	TEAM (first-place votes)	POINTS
1.	Grand Valley State (11)	121
2.	Ashland (1)	105
3.	Saginaw Valley State	83
4.	Northwood	78
5.	Hillsdale	73
	Michigan Tech	73
7.	<b>Ferris State</b>	<b>66</b>
8.	Indianapolis	64
9.	Wayne State	48
10.	Northern Michigan	40
11.	Findlay	25
12.	Tiffin	16

First place votes in parentheses. Voting was conducted among the GLIAC football coaches; coaches were not allowed to vote for their own team. Points were assigned as follows: First-11 points; Second-10 points; Third-9 points; Etc.

### FERRIS STATE'S RECORD IN 2008

Home	.2-0
Road	.2-2
Neutral	.0-0
Turf	.4-1
Grass	.0-1
Ahead at halftime	.2-0
Behind at halftime	.2-2
Ahead after the third quarter	.2-0
Behind after the third quarter	.2-2
Bulldogs score first	.2-0
Opponent scores first	.2-2
Rush for 150 yards or more	.4-1
Pass for 150 yards or more	.2-1
Total 300 yards or more on offense	.3-1
Score 25 points or more	.2-0
Opp. has less than 150 yards rushing	.4-0
Opp. has less than 150 yards passing	.1-1
Opp. has less than 300 total yards	.2-0
Hold opponent to 25 points or less	.4-1
Fewer turnovers than opponent	.1-0
More turnovers than opponent	.1-2
Turnovers are equal	.2-0
Less penalty yardage than opponent	.2-1
More penalty yardage than opponent	.2-1
Games decided between 1-10 points	.3-0
Games decided between 11-20 points	.1-2
Games decided by more than 20 points	.0-0
Largest halftime lead	.14 points
Largest halftime deficit	.14 points



# Ferris State

## 2008 SCORING DRIVE NOTABLES

**LONGEST DRIVE BY FSU:** 83 (13-83, 7:44 at GVSU)  
**SHORTEST DRIVE BY FSU:** 39 yards (9-39, 0:37 at Ashland)  
**MOST TIME CONSUMING DRIVE BY FSU:** 7:44 (13-83, 7:44 at GVSU)  
**FASTEST DRIVE BY FSU:** 0:29 (4-53, 0:29 vs. N. Michigan)  
**MOST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY FSU:** 15 plays (15-71, 6:38 vs. Findlay)  
**FEWEST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY FSU:** 4 plays, twice (last 4-53, 0:29 vs. N. Michigan)  
**LONGEST DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** 99 yards (12-99, 6:35 at Michigan Tech)  
**SHORTEST DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** 3 yards (1-3, 0:04 vs. N. Michigan)  
**MOST TIME CONSUMING DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** 9:49 (18-86, 9:49 at Michigan Tech)  
**FASTEST DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** 0:04 (1-3, 0:04 vs. N. Michigan)  
**MOST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** 18 plays (18-86, 9:49 at Michigan Tech)  
**FEWEST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** 1 play (1-3, 0:04 vs. N. Michigan)

## 2008 FERRIS STATE SCORING DRIVES

OPPONENT	PLAYS	Yds	TIME	SCORING PLAY
TIFFIN	10	65	4:59	Schneider 4 run
	9	64	4:16	Hubbard 14 pass
ASHLAND	8	65	2:57	Schneider 1 run
	8	69	3:22	Hogue 5 run
	11	51	4:05	Yates 42 FG
	14	82	5:55	Yates 24 FG
	9	39	3:32	Underhill 2 run
FINDLAY	12	76	5:06	Schneider 10 run
	15	71	6:38	Schneider 3 run
	13	83	7:44	Holloman 2 run
GRAND VALLEY STATE	7	58	4:08	Schneider 1 run
	9	76	4:18	Hogue 25 run
NORTHERN MICHIGAN	11	46	5:04	Yates 27 FG
	4	75	1:12	Ryan 38 pass
	4	53	0:29	Hogue 26 run
	9	64	2:49	Jones-Salaam 30 pass

INDIANAPOLIS  
 WAYNE STATE  
 NORTHWOOD  
 HILLSDALE  
 SAGINAW VALLEY STATE

## 2008 RED ZONE OFFENSE

(red zone indicates inside opponents' 20-yard line)

OPP.	No.	TD	FG	MFG	TO	Dn	TIME	PNT	SCORE%
TU	4	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	.500
AU	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	1.000
UF	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	.667
GV	4	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	.500
NM	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1.000
MT	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.000
UI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.000
WS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.000
NU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.000
HC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.000
SV	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.000
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.688</b>

MFG-missed field goals; #-denotes blocked; TO-turnovers; Dn-lost ball on downs; \*-end of game; ^-end of half; Pnt-punted

**Bulldogs-Of-The-Week:** Following each Ferris State contest, individual players will be recognized by the FSU coaching staff for their outstanding performance. Individual(s) will be selected on offense, defense, specialty teams, and for extraordinary effort (*every player, every play*).

DATE	OPPONENT	BULLDOGS-OF-THE-WEEK
Aug. 30	at Tiffin	Offense-Tom Schneider, Defense-Kevin Noe, Specialty-Charles Wasson, EPEP-Jake Visser
Sept. 6	at Ashland	Offense-Paris Holloman, Defense-Jordan Moore, Specialty-Jake Visser, EPEP-Kyle Walker
Sept. 13	Findlay	Offense-Tim Hogue, Defense-Jeff Hollandsworth, Specialty-Mike Ryan, EPEP-Joe Doman
Sept. 20	at Grand Valley State	Offense-Tim Hogue, Defense-Jake Visser, Specialty-Nick Butler, EPEP-Cole Meredith
Sept. 27	Northern Michigan	Offense-Matt Wellman, Defense-Chad Wilson, Specialty-Jim Yates, EPEP-Jake Visser
Oct. 4	at Michigan Tech	Offense-R.Jones-Salaam, Defense-Jordan Moore, Specialty-Damien Miller, EPEP-Rob Evenboer
Oct. 11	at Indianapolis	
Oct. 18	Wayne State	
Oct. 25	Northwood	
Nov. 1	at Hillsdale	
Nov. 8	Saginaw Valley State	

Home games listed in bold



# Ferris State Football

## 2008 GAME-BY-GAME RECAPS

### Game 1 ♦ at Tiffin

Aug. 30, 2008 ▲ Frost-Kalnow Stadium (1,500)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	7	7	0	0	14
Tiffin	6	0	0	6	12

#### SCORING SUMMARY

##### 1st Quarter

11:20 TU: Raspberry 27 pass from Root (kick blocked)  
4:48 FS: Schneider 4 run (Yates kick)

##### 2nd Quarter

13:52 FS: Hubbard 14 pass from Schneider (Yates kick)

##### 4th Quarter

12:08 TU: Raspberry 31 pass from Root (pass failed)

#### TEAM STATS

	Bulldogs	Dragons
First Downs	13	17
Rushes-Yds	50-164	21- (-3)
Passing Yards	82	260
Att/Comp/Int	14/7/1	51/28/1
Total Net Yards	246	257
Punts/Avg	6/41.3	5/46.8
Fumbles/Lost	1/1	5/2
Penalties-Yds	7-72	5-35
Possession Time	31:39	28:21

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

##### Rushing

FS: Tom Schneider - 29/91 yds, 1 TD  
TU: Jon Hemmelgarn - 7/34 yds

##### Passing

FS: Tom Schneider - 13/6/1, 73 yds, 1 TD  
TU: Matt Root - 51/28/1, 260 yds, 2 TD

##### Receiving

FS: David Freeman - 2/26 yds  
TU: Greg Raspberry - 8/108 yds, 2 TD

##### Punting

FS: Jim Yates - 6/248, 41.3 avg., 2 touchbacks

TU: Dereck Sitterly - 5/234 yds, 46.8 avg., 1 inside 20

##### Defensive

FS: Kevin Noe - 9 tackles (five solo), 1.0 TFL for -8 yds.; Jordan Moore - 7 tackles (four solo), 0.5 TFL for -1 yds.; Jeff Hollandsworth - 6 tackles (two solo), 0.5 TFL for -1 yds.

TU: Parris Burt - 17 tackles (four solo), 0.5 sacks for -4 yds., 0.5 TFL for -4 yds.; Joe Crawford - 11 tackles (six solo), 1.0 sacks for -5 yds., 1.5 TFL for -6 yds.;

**NOTES:** Ferris' offense scored two early touchdowns and the Bulldog defense came up with a big stop on a potential game-winning field goal attempt late in the fourth quarter as FSU escaped with a narrow 14-12 victory to open the 2008 campaign at Frost-Kalnow Stadium in Tiffin, Ohio. The contest represented the first-ever series' meeting between the two teams. The Dragons jumped out to an early six-point lead on a 27-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Matt Root to wideout Greg Raspberry with 11:20 to go in the opening frame. FSU responded with two consecutive touchdowns as redshirt freshman quarterback Tom Schneider scored on a four-yard run with 4:48 to play in the first quarter and then hooked up with redshirt freshman receiver Seth Hubbard for a 14-yard scoring toss to open the second frame with 13:52 to go in the quarter. From there, the Bulldog defense held Tiffin's offense mostly in check until the Dragons came alive in the fourth quarter and pulled within two points on a score. The Dragons then moved the ball down inside the FSU 20-yard line with just over two minutes to play. However, on fourth down, the Dragons mishandled the snap on a 31-yard field goal attempt and FSU senior linebacker Kevin Noe made the stop to preserve the victory.

### Game 2 ♦ at Ashland

Sept. 6, 2008 ▲ Community Stadium (3,007)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	6	10	0	9	25
Ashland	7	10	0	7	24

#### SCORING SUMMARY

##### 1st Quarter

10:49 FS: Schneider 1 run (Yates kick failed)  
7:32 AU: Cundiff 2 run (Jung kick)

##### 2nd Quarter

13:57 AU: Berkshire 45 field goal

10:30 FS: Hogue 5 run (Yates kick)

4:45 AU: Long 8 pass from Cundiff (Jung kick)

0:33 FS: Yates 42 field goal

##### 4th Quarter

12:32 FS: Yates 24 field goal

4:19 AU: Long 34 pass from Cundiff (Jung kick)

0:37 FS: Underhill 2 run (pass failed)

#### TEAM STATS

	Bulldogs	Eagles
First Downs	23	18
Rushes-Yds	47-179	36-86
Passing Yards	151	226
Att/Comp/Int	27/11/0	37/19/0
Total Net Yards	330	312
Punts/Avg	4/47.5	6/43.5
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	1/1
Penalties-Yds	6-45	6-76
Possession Time	30:11	29:49

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

##### Rushing

FS: Tim Hogue - 7/66 yds, 1 TD  
AU: Dawon Harvey - 21/47 yds

##### Passing

FS: Tom Schneider - 27/11/0, 151 yds  
AU: Billy Cundiff - 37/19/0, 226 yds, 2 TD

##### Receiving

FS: Cole Meredith - 3/44 yds  
AU: Nick Bellanco - 7/97 yds

##### Punting

FS: Jim Yates - 4/190, 47.5 avg., 1 touchback  
AU: Derek Riedel - 6/261 yds, 43.5 avg., 2 inside 20

##### Defensive

FS: Jordan Moore - 14 tackles (nine solo), 2.0 TFL for -7 yds.; Jake Visser - 12 tackles (nine solo), 1.0 TFL for -8 yds., 1.0 sacks for -8 yds., 1 FR.  
AU: Tom Brenner - 12 tackles (seven solo), 1.0 TFL for -5 yds., 1.0 sacks for -5 yds., 1 FF, 1 FR; Marcus Council - 11 tackles (six solo), 0.5 TFL for -1 yd.

**NOTES:** A potential game-winning 32-yard field goal try by the nationally 24-ranked Eagles was blocked as time expired as FSU pulled out a thrilling 25-24 GLIAC triumph. Following a Bulldog touchdown drive in the closing minute, AU took advantage of a long kickoff return into Ferris territory and moved the ball inside the FSU 20-yard line with 3.4 seconds remaining. However, Greg Berkshire's field goal try was blocked by Bulldog senior Kevin Noe as the horn sounded, giving the Bulldogs' special teams unit a big stop to preserve the victory in the league opener for both teams. The win was FSU's fourth-straight victory at Community Stadium. The Bulldog offense came up with the go-ahead score as junior back Dan Underhill found paydirt from two yards out with only 37 seconds to go in the game. FSU started the drive in Eagle territory on the heels of a long kickoff return from sophomore Tim Hogue and the Bulldogs benefited from a couple Ashland penalties to keep the 39-yard scoring drive alive. The game featured six lead changes.

### Game 3 ♦ vs. Findlay

Sept. 13, 2008 ▲ Top Taggart Field (2,773)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Findlay	0	0	0	0	0
Ferris State	7	7	0	0	14

#### SCORING SUMMARY

##### 1st Quarter

7:45 FS: Schneider 10 run (Yates kick)

##### 2nd Quarter

3:53 FS: Schneider 3 run (Yates kick)

#### TEAM STATS

	Oilers	Bulldogs
First Downs	12	19
Rushes-Yds	26-69	61-292
Passing Yards	126	36
Att/Comp/Int	32/17/0	11/5/0
Total Net Yards	195	328
Punts/Avg	8/33.0	6/43.0
Fumbles/Lost	0/0	3/1
Penalties-Yds	3-30	3-35
Possession Time	25:28	34:32

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

##### Rushing

FS: Tom Schneider - 26/119 yds, 2 TD  
UF: Melvin Jackson - 16/47 yds

##### Passing

FS: Tom Schneider - 11/5/0, 36 yds  
UF: Anthony Lanzara - 32/17/0, 126 yds

##### Receiving

FS: Tim Hogue - 3/18 yds  
UF: Mike Chambers - 7/57 yds

##### Punting

FS: Jim Yates - 5/184, 36.8 avg., 1 inside 20  
UF: Joe Knopick - 8/264, 33.0 avg., 5 inside 20

##### Defensive

FS: Kevin Noe - 12 tackles (seven solo), 1.5 TFL for -5 yds., 0.5 sacks for -3 yds.; Jeff Hollandsworth - 8 tackles (four solo), 0.5 TFL for -0 yds.; Jordan Moore - 6 tackles (five solo), 3.0 TFL for -13 yds., 1.0 sacks for -10 yds.  
UF: Joe Knopick - 20 tackles (10 solo); Jesse Kontras - 11 tackles (six solo), 3.0 TFL for -5 yds.; Justin Lyons - 10 tackles (seven solo), 1.0 TFL for -1 yd.

**NOTES:** Ferris State pitched a shutout and redshirt freshman quarterback Tom Schneider ran for two first-half scores as the Bulldogs topped Findlay in a battle of unbeaten teams by a 14-0 count Saturday (Sept. 13) evening at FSU's Top Taggart Field in Big Rapids, Mich. The victory came in the 2008 home opener for the Bulldogs before a Community Health Care Night crowd of 2,773 fans that braved rainy and drizzly conditions throughout the game. Ferris scored on its opening drive of the contest after limiting the Oilers to only 14 yards on the first possession of the contest. The Bulldogs moved 76 yards in 12 plays before Schneider capped the march with a 10-yard scoring run. The Bulldogs added a three-yard TD run from Schneider with 3:53 left in the first half following a 15-play drive covering 71 yards to take a 14-0 half-time advantage. That score held up the rest of the way as the Oilers did not manage to get inside Ferris' 35-yard line in the final half. Defensively, the Bulldogs allowed only 12 first downs and 195 offensive yards. Meanwhile, the Bulldogs racked up 19 first downs and 328 total yards with 292 coming on the ground off 61 rushing attempts. Schneider led the way with 119 yards on 26 carries while sophomore slot Tim Hogue netted 117 yards on 18 carries for the Bulldogs.



# Ferris State Football

## 2008 GAME-BY-GAME RECAPS

### Game 4 ♦ at Grand Valley State

#### ANCHOR-BONE CLASSIC

Sept. 20, 2008 ▲ Lubbers Stadium (14,612)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	0	7	6	0	13
Grand Valley State	14	7	0	10	31

#### SCORING SUMMARY

##### 1st Quarter

7:33 GV: Gay 3 pass from Iciek (Carter kick)

2:10 GV: Smolen 10 pass from Iciek (Carter kick)

##### 2nd Quarter

9:26 FS: Holloman 2 run (Yates kick)

1:22 GV: Smolen 39 pass from Iciek (Carter kick)

##### 3rd Quarter

3:41 FS: Schneider 1 run (Kick blocked)

##### 4th Quarter

14:51 GV: Smolen 15 run (Carter kick)

6:14 GV: Carter 37 field goal

TEAM STATS	Bulldogs	Lakers
First Downs	17	17
Rushes-Yds	35-167	26-174
Passing Yards	193	158
Att/Comp/Int	32/21/2	26/14/0
Total Net Yards	360	332
Punts/Avg	4/39.0	3/49.0
Fumbles/Lost	1/1	1/1
Penalties-Yds	4-40	4-35
Possession Time	35:00	25:00

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

##### Rushing

FS: Paris Holloman - 9/63 yds, 1 TD

GV: James Berezik - 13/108 yds

##### Passing

FS: Tom Schneider - 30/20/2, 193 yds

GV: Brad Iciek - 26/14/0, 158 yds, 3 TD

##### Receiving

FS: Tim Hogue - 10/77 yds

GV: Scott Blasko - 4/25 yds

##### Punting

FS: Jim Yates - 3/123, 41.0 avg., 1 inside 20

GV: Justin Trumble - 3/147, 49.0 avg., 1 inside 20

##### Defensive

FS: Kevin Noe - 11 tackles (six solo), 0.5 TFL for -0 yds., 1 blocked kick; Jordan Moore - 9 tackles (four solo), 1 QB hurry; Terrell Heggins - 6 tackles (four solo), 2 breakups.

GV: P.J. Beuke - 13 tackles (five solo), 0.5 TFL for -0 yds.; Brad Howard - 13 tackles (three solo), 1.0 TFL for -3 yds.; Justin Victor - 9 tackles (0 solo), 0.5 sacks for -1 yd., 1.0 TFL for -2 yds.

**NOTES:** The nationally 24th-ranked Bulldogs put up a valiant fight, but second-ranked Grand Valley State was too much to overcome as the Lakers recorded a 31-13 triumph over FSU last Saturday (Sept. 20) evening in the Anchor-Bone Classic before a record crowd of 14,612 fans at Lubbers Stadium in Allendale, Mich. GVSU took a 14-0 first quarter lead, but the Bulldogs twice pulled within a touchdown before the Lakers sealed the victory with 10 fourth-quarter points. Ferris outgained the Lakers for the game as FSU tallied 360 yards of total offense on 67 plays compared to 332 yards on 52 plays for the Lakers. The Bulldogs also held a 10-minute edge in time of possession, but turned the ball over three times in the contest. Tom Schneider and Paris Holloman both ran for a TD for FSU.

### Game 5 ♦ vs. Northern Michigan

Sept. 27, 2008 ▲ Top Taggart Field (2,331)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Northern Michigan	7	7	3	7	24
Ferris State	0	7	3	21	31

#### SCORING SUMMARY

##### 1st Quarter

6:15 NM: Nichols 5 pass from Kopach (Leandri kick)

##### 2nd Quarter

14:56 NM: Kopach 7 run (Leandri kick)

3:31 FS: Hogue 25 run (Yates kick)

##### 3rd Quarter

7:55 NM: Leandri 22 field goal

2:43 FS: Yates 27 field goal

##### 4th Quarter

9:28 NM: Smith 3 run (Leandri kick)

8:14 FS: Ryan 38 pass from Schneider (Yates kick)

5:50 FS: Hogue 26 run (Yates kick)

0:05 FS: Wilson 75 Interception return (Yates kick)

TEAM STATS	Wildcats	Bulldogs
First Downs	17	18
Rushes-Yds	35-124	43-210
Passing Yards	197	154
Att/Comp/Int	38/21/1	20/7/1
Total Net Yards	321	364
Punts/Avg	5/43.4	6/36.5
Fumbles/Lost	1/0	1/0
Penalties-Yds	10-80	3-43
Possession Time	32:15	27:45

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

##### Rushing

FS: Tim Hogue - 23/141 yds, 2 TD

NM: Brandon Smith - 17/58 yds, 1 TD

##### Passing

FS: Tom Schneider - 20/7/1, 154 yds, 1 TD

NM: Carter Kopach - 38/21/1, 197 yds, 1 TD

##### Receiving

FS: Rahseem Jones-Salaam - 2/55 yds

NM: Dan Elmore - 6/77 yds

##### Punting

FS: Jim Yates - 5/184, 36.8 avg.

NM: Garrett Peck - 5/217, 43.4 avg., 3 inside 20

##### Defensive

FS: Jake Visser - 11 tackles (five solo), 4.0 TFL for -11 yds.; Kevin Noe - 10 tackles (two solo), 0.5 TFL for -1 yd.; Chad Wilson - 9 tackles (six solo), 1 INT for 75 yds., 2 breakups.

NM: Zach Gauthier - 10 tackles (three solo), 1 INT for 4 yds.; Matt Forward - 8 tackles (three solo), 2.0 TFL for -3 yds.

**NOTES:** FSU's Chad Wilson picked off a NMU pass in the final seconds and ran it back 75 yards for a game-winning touchdown to lift the Bulldogs to a thrilling 31-24 come from behind triumph over the Wildcats at FSU's Top Taggart Field. With the score tied in the final minute, the Wildcats forced the Bulldogs to punt and took over at the 50-yard line with 22 seconds remaining in the contest. On first down, however, Wilson intercepted Carter Kopach's pass downfield at the FSU 25-yard line and cut back to the opposite side of the field before he eventually found paydirt with only four seconds left in the game. The interception came before a Hall of Fame Game crowd of 2,331 fans who saw the Bulldogs rally from a 24-10 deficit with nine and a half minutes left in the fourth quarter.

### Game 6 ♦ at Michigan Tech

Oct. 4, 2008 ▲ Sherman Field (2,989)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	0	0	0	7	7
Michigan Tech	0	7	0	14	21

#### SCORING SUMMARY

##### 2nd Quarter

12:44 MT: Milbrath 6 run (Cattellino kick)

##### 4th Quarter

13:50 MT: Short 1 run (Cattellino kick)

3:30 MT: Milbrath 52 run (Cattellino kick)

0:34 FS: Jones-Salaam 30 pass from Parrish (Yates kick)

TEAM STATS	Bulldogs	Huskies
First Downs	13	21
Rushes-Yds	33-140	52-259
Passing Yards	100	130
Att/Comp/Int	20/6/1	18/11/0
Total Net Yards	240	389
Punts/Avg	7/35.0	5/39.6
Fumbles/Lost	0/0	0/0
Penalties-Yds	1-5	2-10
Possession Time	22:54	37:06

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

##### Rushing

FS: Tom Schneider - 16/79 yds

MT: Phil Milbrath - 34/202 yds, 2 TD

##### Passing

FS: Tom Schneider - 18/4/1, 60 yds

MT: Steve Short - 18/11/0, 130 yds

##### Receiving

FS: Rahseem Jones-Salaam - 2/56 yds, 1 TD

MT: Keith White - 4/44 yds

##### Punting

FS: Jim Yates - 5/189, 37.8 avg., 2 inside 20

MT: Jon Mills - 5/198, 39.6 avg., 1 inside 20

##### Defensive

FS: Jake Visser - 9 tackles (seven solo), 1.0 TFL for -2 yds.; Jordan Moore - 9 tackles (six solo); C.J. Lee - 7 tackles (seven solo).

MT: David Carmody - 10 tackles (six solo), 1 breakup; Sean Spellman - 8 tackles (one solo); Jesse Vandenberg - 7 tackles (five solo), 2 breakups.

**NOTES:** Three time-consuming scoring drives and a strong running game lifted the Michigan Tech Huskies to a 21-7 GLIAC triumph over the nationally 25th-ranked Ferris State Bulldogs Saturday (Oct. 4) afternoon at MTU's Sherman Field in Houghton, Mich. The Huskies ran for 259 yards on 52 carries and limited the Bulldog offense to only 240 total yards in recording their sixth-straight series' triumph before a MTU homecoming crowd of 2,989 fans. All three Husky scoring drives took over six and a half minutes and were at least 86 yards long. Ferris finally got on the board in the final minute as backup quarterback Kyle Parrish found senior wideout Rahseem Jones-Salaam on a 30-yard scoring strike with only 34 seconds left in the game. Bulldog redshirt freshman quarterback Tom Schneider ran for a team-high 79 yards on 16 carries and was four-of-18 in the air for 60 yards with one interception. Jones-Salaam made two catches for 56 yards and sophomore slot Tim Hogue hauled in two passes for 30 yards.



# Ferris State Football

## 2008 GAME-BY-GAME RECAPS

### Game 7 ♦ at Indianapolis

Oct. 11, 2008 ▲ Key Stadium

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	0	0	0	0	0
Indianapolis	0	0	0	0	0

#### SCORING SUMMARY

#### TEAM STATS

	Bulldogs	Greyhounds
First Downs		
Rushes-Yds		
Passing Yards		
Att/Comp/Int		
Total Net Yards		
Punts/Avg		
Fumbles/Lost		
Penalties-Yds		
Possession Time		

First Downs  
Rushes-Yds  
Passing Yards  
Att/Comp/Int  
Total Net Yards  
Punts/Avg  
Fumbles/Lost  
Penalties-Yds  
Possession Time

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing  
Passing  
Receiving  
Punting  
Defensive

NOTES:

### Game 8 ♦ vs. Wayne State

Oct. 18, 2008 ▲ Top Taggart Field

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Wayne State	0	0	0	0	0
Ferris State	0	0	0	0	0

#### SCORING SUMMARY

#### TEAM STATS

	Warriors	Bulldogs
First Downs		
Rushes-Yds		
Passing Yards		
Att/Comp/Int		
Total Net Yards		
Punts/Avg		
Fumbles/Lost		
Penalties-Yds		
Possession Time		

First Downs  
Rushes-Yds  
Passing Yards  
Att/Comp/Int  
Total Net Yards  
Punts/Avg  
Fumbles/Lost  
Penalties-Yds  
Possession Time

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing  
Passing  
Receiving  
Punting  
Defensive

NOTES:

### Game 9 ♦ vs. Northwood

Oct. 25, 2008 ▲ Top Taggart Field

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Northwood	0	0	0	0	0
Ferris State	0	0	0	0	0

#### SCORING SUMMARY

#### TEAM STATS

	Timberwolves	Bulldogs
First Downs		
Rushes-Yds		
Passing Yards		
Att/Comp/Int		
Total Net Yards		
Punts/Avg		
Fumbles/Lost		
Penalties-Yds		
Possession Time		

First Downs  
Rushes-Yds  
Passing Yards  
Att/Comp/Int  
Total Net Yards  
Punts/Avg  
Fumbles/Lost  
Penalties-Yds  
Possession Time

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing  
Passing  
Receiving  
Punting  
Defensive

NOTES:



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## 2008 GAME-BY-GAME RECAPS

### Game 10 ♦ at Hillsdale

Nov. 1, 2008 ▲ Frank "Muddy" Waters Stadium

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	0	0	0	0	0
Hillsdale	0	0	0	0	0

#### SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM STATS	Bulldogs	Chargers
First Downs		
Rushes-Yds		
Passing Yards		
Att/Comp/Int		
Total Net Yards		
Punts/Avg		
Fumbles/Lost		
Penalties-Yds		
Possession Time		

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing  
Passing  
Receiving  
Punting  
Defensive

#### NOTES:

### Game 11 ♦ vs. Saginaw Valley State

Nov. 8, 2008 ▲ Top Taggart Field

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Saginaw Valley State	0	0	0	0	0
Ferris State	0	0	0	0	0

#### SCORING SUMMARY

TEAM STATS	Cardinals	Bulldogs
First Downs		
Rushes-Yds		
Passing Yards		
Att/Comp/Int		
Total Net Yards		
Punts/Avg		
Fumbles/Lost		
Penalties-Yds		
Possession Time		

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing  
Passing  
Receiving  
Punting  
Defensive

#### NOTES:

### League Leaders

- ☛ **TIM HOGUE:** The sophomore slot is listed second among the GLIAC leaders to date in kickoff returns (285.3 ypr.), fourth in all-purpose yardage (155.8 ypg.) and 11th in rushing (74.2 ypg.).
- ☛ **JIM YATES:** Yates is ranked third in the GLIAC in punting (39.9 avg.) along with tied for seventh in field goals (.50 pg.).
- ☛ **KEVIN NOE:** Ferris' senior middle linebacker ranks fifth in the league in total tackles (9.5 avg.) to date.
- ☛ **TOM SCHNEIDER:** Redshirt freshman QB ranks seventh in total offense (181.0 ypg.), 12th in rushing (69.8 ypg.) and tied for 16th in scoring (5.0 ppg.) to date.
- ☛ **JAKE VISSER:** Senior defensive tackle is tied for fourth in the league in tackles for loss (1.33 pg.) and tied for eighth in sacks (.58 pg.).
- ☛ **CHAD WILSON:** Junior safety is currently tied for 10th in interceptions (.33 pg.).
- ☛ **TEAM LEADERS:** The Bulldogs currently rank second in the league in total defense (301.0 ypg.), third in rushing defense (118.2 ypg.), third in pass efficiency defense (111.21), fourth in scoring defense (18.7 ppg.), fourth in pass defense (182.8 ypg.) along with fifth in rushing offense (192.0 ypg.) among the GLIAC leaders to date this season.

### Bulldog Fan Notebook

- ☛ **GRIDIRON CLUB PARKING:** As in the past, all FSU Gridiron Club members will be allowed to park in Lot 35 at Top Taggart Field on a first-come, first-serve basis. Those club members who have reached either the Gold or Champion membership levels (\$500-plus) will have reserved parking space in the North Endzone of Top Taggart Field.
- ☛ **POST-GAME RECEPTION:** The Ferris Gridiron Club will hold a post-game reception inside the 7-10 Bar and Grill at "The Gate" on Perry Street in Big Rapids after FSU's home games versus Northwood (Oct. 25) and Saginaw Valley State (Nov. 8). The club will hold its reception for the Wayne State game (Oct. 18) in conjunction with homecoming activities at the Holiday Inn.
- ☛ **SPECIAL REUNION PLANNED:** This year marks the 40th anniversary of Ferris' first-ever unbeaten team in 1968 (7-0-1) and a special reunion is being planned for players involved on that team. The reunion will take place in conjunction with FSU's home game against Northwood (Oct. 25).
- ☛ **RAFFLE WINNERS:** The daily winners of the Ferris State Gridiron Club Raffle Calendar can be found online throughout the season at this link:

<http://www.ferris.edu/htmls/sports/football/gridironclub/gridiron.htm>

### BULLDOG TIDBITS

☛ **PLAY THE PERCENTAGES:** FSU returned the following statistical yardage from last season, including the squad's individual leading scorer (Jim Yates) and top four tacklers from 2007.

- ✓ Returns 22.4% of its rushing yards (523 of 2,338)
- ✓ Returns 6.9% of its passing yards (138 of 1,973)
- ✓ Returns 22.1% of its receiving yards (436 of 1,973)
- ✓ Returns 45.3% of its scoring (145 of 320)
- ✓ Returns 76.9% of its tackles (669 of 870)
- ✓ Returns 70.0% of its tackles for loss (45.5 of 65)
- ✓ Returns 50.0% of its sacks (10 of 20)

☛ **FERRIS IN OVERTIME:** The Bulldogs are 6-1-0 in extra-session contests and have won their last six such encounters. FSU is 3-1 at home and 3-0 on the road.

Opponent	W/L	Score
Grand Valley State (11/14/98)	L	56-53
Indianapolis (11/10/01)	W	16-13▲
Michigan Tech (10/12/02)	W	21-14
at Mercyhurst (10/19/02)	W	19-13
at Ashland (9/4/04)	W	23-17
at Northern Michigan (10/16/04)	W	17-14
Northwood (11/3/08)	W	48-41

▲ – Double Overtime

☛ **DID YOU KNOW?:** The Bulldogs' 8-3-0 overall mark in 2006 represented the program's best mark since Ferris recorded a 10-2-0 overall record and reached the NCAA-II National Quarterfinals in 1996.

☛ **NEW RULES TO WATCH:** The biggest rules change this season has been seen on the clock. The play clock is now at 40 seconds instead of the previous 25-second clock. The 40-second clock will start as soon as the previous play has ended rather than when the ball was spotted ready for play in the past. Additionally, on out-of-bounds plays this season the clock will start once the ball is marked for play. In the last two minutes of each half, the clock won't run until the ball is snapped on out-of-bounds plays.

☛ **GLIAC COACHES POLL:** Ferris was selected to finish seventh in the 2008 GLIAC Football Coaches Preseason Poll, which was released during the GLIAC's annual football media day luncheon (Aug. 5) at Zehnder's Restaurant in Frankenmuth, Mich. The Bulldogs received 66 points in the balloting, which was conducted by the conference's 12 head coaches.

#### WHERE THEY PRESENTLY RANK AMONG FERRIS' STATE'S ALL-TIME LEADERS:

Career Field Goals			
6.	21	Mike Panasuk	1987-90
7.	15	Jim Yates	2005-
Career Punting			
7.	4,181	Levi Slager	2004-07
8.	4,178	Jim Yates	2005-
Career Sacks			
3.	29.0	Ed Philion	1990-93
T4.	23.5	Jake Visser	2004-
Career Tackles			
10.	355	Jeff Robeson	1984-87
11.	336	Jake Visser	2004-

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<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>		<b>Score</b>	<b>Overall</b>	<b>Conference</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Attend</b>
Aug 30, 2008	at Tiffin	W	14-12	1-0	0-0	2:47	1500
* Sep 06, 2008	at #24 Ashland	W	25-24	2-0	1-0	2:43	3007
* Sep 13, 2008	FINDLAY	W	14-0	3-0	2-0	2:21	2773
* Sep 20, 2008	at #2 Grand Valley State	L	13-31	3-1	2-1	2:40	14612
* Sep 27, 2008	NORTHERN MICHIGAN	W	31-24	4-1	3-1	2:43	2331
* Oct. 4, 2008	at Michigan Tech	L	7-21	4-2	3-2	2:12	2989

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**All games**



<b>Team Statistics</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>OPP</b>
SCORING	104	112
Points Per Game	17.3	18.7
FIRST DOWNS	103	102
Rushing	60	43
Passing	37	49
Penalty	6	10
RUSHING YARDAGE	1152	709
Yards gained rushing	1285	834
Yards lost rushing	133	125
Rushing Attempts	269	196
Average Per Rush	4.3	3.6
Average Per Game	192.0	118.2
TDs Rushing	10	7
PASSING YARDAGE	716	1097
Att-Comp-Int	124-57-5	202-110-2
Average Per Pass	5.8	5.4
Average Per Catch	12.6	10.0
Average Per Game	119.3	182.8
TDs Passing	3	8
TOTAL OFFENSE	1868	1806
Total Plays	393	398
Average Per Play	4.8	4.5
Average Per Game	311.3	301.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	20-380	19-440
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	12-57	11-147
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	2-75	5-61
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	19.0	23.2
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	4.8	13.4
INT RETURN AVERAGE	37.5	12.2
FUMBLES-LOST	8-4	8-4
PENALTIES-Yards	24-240	30-266
Average Per Game	40.0	44.3
PUNTS-Yards	33-1280	32-1321
Average Per Punt	38.8	41.3
Net punt average	32.5	37.0
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	30:20	29:40
3RD-DOWN Conversions	34/89	39/92
3rd-Down Pct	38%	42%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	4/9	6/14
4th-Down Pct	44%	43%
SACKS BY-Yards	9-56	12-54
MISC YARDS	28	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	14	15
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	3-6	3-7
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	11-16 69%	12-18 67%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	9-16 56%	10-18 56%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	11-13 85%	13-14 93%
ATTENDANCE	5104	22108
Games/Avg Per Game	2/2552	4/5527
Neutral Site Games		0/0

<b>Score by Quarters</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>3rd</b>	<b>4th</b>	<b>OT</b>	<b>Total</b>
Ferris State	20	38	9	37	0	104
Opponents	34	31	3	44	0	112

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<b>Rushing</b>	<b>gp-gs</b>	<b>att</b>	<b>gain</b>	<b>loss</b>	<b>net</b>	<b>avg</b>	<b>td</b>	<b>lg</b>	<b>avg/g</b>
Tim Hogue	6-6	73	466	21	445	6.1	3	33	74.2
Tom Schneider	6-6	118	501	82	419	3.6	5	30	69.8
Paris Holloman	5-5	49	240	1	239	4.9	1	25	47.8
Leonard Curry	3-1	8	35	0	35	4.4	0	9	11.7
Dan Underhill	6-0	7	19	2	17	2.4	1	11	2.8
David Freeman	6-1	9	14	3	11	1.2	0	6	1.8
Kyle Parrish	3-0	4	10	13	-3	-0.8	0	7	-1.0
Team	3-0	1	0	11	-11	-11.0	0	0	-3.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>1285</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>1152</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>192.0</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>834</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>709</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>118.2</b>

<b>Passing</b>	<b>gp-gs</b>	<b>effic</b>	<b>comp-att-int</b>	<b>pct</b>	<b>yds</b>	<b>td</b>	<b>lg</b>	<b>avg/g</b>
Tom Schneider	6-6	88.76	53-119-5	44.5	667	2	38	111.2
Kyle Parrish	3-0	228.32	4-5-0	80.0	49	1	30	16.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>94.39</b>	<b>57-124-5</b>	<b>46.0</b>	<b>716</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>119.3</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>111.16</b>	<b>110-202-2</b>	<b>54.5</b>	<b>1097</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>182.8</b>

<b>Receiving</b>	<b>gp-gs</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>yds</b>	<b>avg</b>	<b>td</b>	<b>lg</b>	<b>avg/g</b>
Tim Hogue	6-6	20	212	10.6	0	30	35.3
R. Jones-Salaam	6-5	9	155	17.2	1	30	25.8
Cole Meredith	6-6	8	106	13.2	0	24	17.7
Seth Hubbard	6-3	5	50	10.0	1	23	8.3
David Freeman	6-1	5	49	9.8	0	23	8.2
Mike Ryan	5-1	4	90	22.5	1	38	18.0
Paris Holloman	5-5	3	19	6.3	0	11	3.8
Dan Underhill	6-0	1	12	12.0	0	12	2.0
Damien Miller	6-2	1	12	12.0	0	12	2.0
Matt Schuelke	6-0	1	11	11.0	0	11	1.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>716</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>119.3</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>1097</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>182.8</b>

<b>Punt Returns</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>yds</b>	<b>avg</b>	<b>td</b>	<b>lg</b>
R. Weatherspoon	3	-1	-0.3	0	3
Mike Ryan	3	5	1.7	0	6
Damien Miller	2	21	10.5	0	15
Kyle Williams	2	8	4.0	0	8
Cole Meredith	1	10	10.0	0	10
Angelo Williams	1	14	14.0	0	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>51</b>

<b>Interceptions</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>yds</b>	<b>avg</b>	<b>td</b>	<b>lg</b>
Chad Wilson	2	75	37.5	1	75
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>37.5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>75</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>57</b>

<b>Kick Returns</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>yds</b>	<b>avg</b>	<b>td</b>	<b>lg</b>
Tim Hogue	11	278	25.3	0	52
R. Weatherspoon	5	81	16.2	0	35
Kyle Williams	2	23	11.5	0	16
Nick Butler	1	-2	-2.0	0	0
Dan Underhill	1	0	0.0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>19.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>52</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>23.2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>73</b>

<b>Fumble Returns</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>yds</b>	<b>avg</b>	<b>td</b>	<b>lg</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT			dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv pass			
Tom Schneider	5	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	30
Jim Yates	-	3-6	11-13	-	-	-	-	20
Tim Hogue	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
R. Jones-Salaam	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Mike Ryan	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Seth Hubbard	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Dan Underhill	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Paris Holloman	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Chad Wilson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	14	3-6	11-13	-	-	0-1	-	104
Opponents	15	3-7	13-14	-	-	0-1	-	112

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Tom Schneider	6	237	419	667	1086	181.0
Tim Hogue	6	73	445	0	445	74.2
Paris Holloman	5	49	239	0	239	47.8
Kyle Parrish	3	9	-3	49	46	15.3
Leonard Curry	3	8	35	0	35	11.7
Dan Underhill	6	7	17	0	17	2.8
David Freeman	6	9	11	0	11	1.8
Team	3	1	-11	0	-11	-3.7
Total	6	393	1152	716	1868	311.3
Opponents	6	398	709	1097	1806	301.0

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Jim Yates	3-6	50.0	0-0	2-3	0-2	1-1	0-0	42	0

FG Sequence	Ferris State	Opponents
Tiffin	30	-
Ashland	(42),(24)	34,(45),32
Findlay	36	-
Grand Valley State	24	(37),20
Northern Michigan	(27)	27,(22)
Michigan Tech	-	-

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Jim Yates	28	1118	39.9	51	3	4	4	3	0
Tom Schneider	5	162	32.4	39	0	0	4	0	0
Total	33	1280	38.8	51	3	4	8	3	0
Opponents	32	1321	41.3	62	4	2	13	5	0

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Jim Yates	23	1341	58.3	3	0			
Total	23	1341	58.3	3	0	23.2	36.6	33
Opponents	24	1382	57.6	3	0	19.0	39.2	30

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

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<u>All Purpose</u>	<u>g</u>	<u>rush</u>	<u>rcv</u>	<u>pr</u>	<u>kr</u>	<u>ir</u>	<u>total</u>	<u>avg/g</u>
Tim Hogue	6	445	212	0	278	0	935	155.8
Tom Schneider	6	419	0	0	0	0	419	69.8
Paris Holloman	5	239	19	0	0	0	258	51.6
R. Jones-Salaa	6	0	155	0	0	0	155	25.8
Cole Meredith	6	0	106	10	0	0	116	19.3
Mike Ryan	5	0	90	5	0	0	95	19.0
R. Weatherspoo	6	0	0	-1	81	0	80	13.3
Chad Wilson	6	0	0	0	0	75	75	12.5
David Freeman	6	11	49	0	0	0	60	10.0
Seth Hubbard	6	0	50	0	0	0	50	8.3
Leonard Curry	3	35	0	0	0	0	35	11.7
Damien Miller	6	0	12	21	0	0	33	5.5
Kyle Williams	6	0	0	8	23	0	31	5.2
Dan Underhill	6	17	12	0	0	0	29	4.8
Angelo Williams	6	0	0	14	0	0	14	2.3
Matt Schuelke	6	0	11	0	0	0	11	1.8
Nick Butler	6	0	0	0	-2	0	-2	-0.3
Kyle Parrish	3	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-1.0
Team	3	-11	0	0	0	0	-11	-3.7
Total	6	1152	716	57	380	75	2380	396.7
Opponents	6	709	1097	147	440	61	2454	409.0

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**Ferris State Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Oct 07, 2008)**  
**All games**



##	Defensive Leaders	gp-gs	Tackles			Sacks	Pass defense		Fumbles		blkd	ff
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	
4	Kevin Noe	6-6	32	25	57	5.5-18	0.5-3	.	2	.	.	.
6	Jordan Moore	6-6	29	19	48	5.5-21	1.0-10	.	4	2	1-0	.
78	Jake Visser	6-6	27	19	46	8.0-35	3.5-26	.	.	2	2-0	1
5	J.Hollandsworth	6-6	18	17	35	3.0-7	.	.	1	.	.	.
8	Chad Wilson	6-6	20	7	27	.	.	2-75	6	.	.	.
7	Angelo Williams	6-6	19	5	24	1.0-1	1.0-1	.	4	.	.	1
30	Terrell Heggins	6-6	16	5	21	1.5-6	.	.	8	.	1-0	.
90	Jacob Moreno	6-4	5	13	18	1.0-3	0.5-2	.	2	1	1-0	.
14	Kyle Williams	6-0	11	4	15	.	.	.	1	.	.	.
98	Kyle Walker	6-6	7	6	13	5.5-24	3.0-17	.	.	3	.	.
2	Santino Favot	5-4	7	5	12	0.5-0	.	.	1	.	.	.
27	C.J. Lee	5-2	9	1	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	Kory Deering	6-5	2	5	7	1.0-3	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.
40	Rob Evenboer	5-0	5	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
87	Darnell Wilson	4-3	1	5	6	0.5-1	.	.	3	.	.	.
50	Nick Butler	6-0	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38	Charles Wasson	6-0	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	Matt Ryan	6-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
21	Chad Schoen	6-0	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
11	Matt Schuelke	6-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46	Kyle Fitzpatrick	6-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	R. Weatherspoon	6-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45	Matt Mausolf	6-0	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
85	Cole Meredith	6-6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	Damien Miller	6-2	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	Wayne Pritchett	2-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	Joe Morrow	5-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1	Tim Hogue	6-6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
62	Jake Hancock	5-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	Kevin Ward	3-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Muneer Bawayeh	6-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
84	Seth Hubbard	6-3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
76	Matt Wellman	5-5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		6	229	154	383	33-119	9-56	2-75	32	9	5-0	2
Opponents		6	215	238	453	42-130	12-54	5-61	21	3	4-0	4