



# 2005 Weekly Game Notes

## FERRIS STATE FOOTBALL

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### BULLDOG BITES

➤ **OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS:** Sophomore quarterback **C.J. Van Wieren (Holland/West Ottawa)** made the most of his initial signal-calling appearance at Hillsdale by throwing for 232 yards and two TD's on 13-of-24 passing while rushing for 13 more yards in a relief performance. A two-sport athlete, Van Wieren is also a member of the Bulldog men's basketball team.

➤ **WORTH NOTING:** Redshirt freshman outside linebacker **Jeff Hollandsworth (Livonia/Stevenson)** made a career-high 15 tackles (seven solos) at Hillsdale last Saturday (Sept. 10). His previous best was nine stops (all assists) against Ashland the previous week (Sept. 3).

➤ **BREWSTER NEARING THIRD:** Senior flanker **Carlton Brewster (Grand Rapids/Creston)** is within 18 receiving yards of tying Neal Mozdzierz (1996-99; 2,563 yds. on 206 catches) for third place on Ferris' all-time receiving leaders list. Brewster has presently accumulated 2,545 career receiving yards on 192 receptions in 35 contests. Brewster is also 14 catches shy of tying Mozdzierz for second place among the school's all-time receptions leaders.

➤ **A MEMORABLE CATCH:** Sophomore flanker **Nate Fricke (Covert)** notched his first collegiate TD catch with a 52-yard reception at Hillsdale. Fricke, who had four grabs for 30 yards this campaign prior to Saturday's (Sept. 10) outing, was on the receiving end of four passes for 69 yards against the Chargers.

➤ **TOUGH START:** The last time Ferris was winless in its first three season outings was in 1998 when the Bulldogs dropped their initial four season encounters before posting a 29-19 home decision over Northern Michigan (Oct. 3) and went on to finish the campaign at 5-6-0 overall.

➤ **TACKLE LEADERS:** Ferris State's leaders in tackles so far this season are junior middle linebacker **Mike Klobucher (Grand Haven/North Muskegon)** and redshirt frosh defensive tackle **Jake Visser (Coopersville)**, who have combined for 24.5% (69-282) of the squad's total tackles output this season. Klobucher has a team-high 36 stops while Visser has compiled 33 tackles.

➤ **DID YOU KNOW?:** Ferris has registered a winning season in 11 of its last 16 campaigns and in six of **Jeff Pierce's** 10 years at the helm. The Bulldogs won five consecutive conference championships from 1992-96 and were co-champs with Northwood in the 1999 campaign.

### 2005 Ferris State Schedule

Aug. 27	at Grand Valley State*	L 10-30
Sept. 3	Ashland* ( <i>Turn Back The Clock Night</i> )	L 21-24
Sept. 10	at Hillsdale*	L 14-34
Sept. 17	Indianapolis* ( <i>Community Night</i> )	7 p.m.
Sept. 24	Mercyhurst* ( <i>Hall of Fame</i> )	2 p.m.
Oct. 1	at Findlay*	7 p.m.
Oct. 8	at North Dakota	2 p.m.
Oct. 15	Northern Michigan* ( <i>Homecoming &amp; Youth Day</i> )	2 p.m.
Oct. 22	at Michigan Tech*	1 p.m.
Oct. 29	Northwood* ( <i>Senior Day</i> )	1 p.m.
Nov. 5	at Saginaw Valley State*	12 p.m.

All times are Eastern and subject to change

Home games in **Bold**

\*GLIAC Game

### GAME 4 ▲ 2005 SEASON

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2005



INDIANAPOLIS GREYHOUNDS (1-2, 1-2 GLIAC)  
at

FERRIS STATE BULLDOGS (0-3, 0-3 GLIAC)

KICKOFF: 7 p.m. (EDT)

SITE/STADIUM/SURFACE: Big Rapids, Mich./Top Taggart Field (6,200)  
/Artificial Turf (AstroTurf 12)

RADIO COVERAGE: WYBR-FM (102.3) – Jason DaDay (Play-By-Play)

INTERNET COVERAGE: [www.ferris.edu/sports/bulldogwebcasts](http://www.ferris.edu/sports/bulldogwebcasts)

### GAME FACTS

➤ **LAST GAME:** Ferris State suffered a 34-14 conference setback to Hillsdale last Saturday (Sept. 10) afternoon before 2,500 spectators at HC's Frank "Muddy" Waters Stadium in Hillsdale, Mich. Ferris compiled a 6-5 overall record and placed fifth in the GLIAC with a 6-4 conference mark last season. The Bulldogs were 2-3 at home and 4-2 on the road last fall.

Indianapolis dropped its second straight contest with a 29-13 league loss to nationally-ranked Grand Valley State last Saturday (Sept. 10) night at UI's Key Stadium in Indianapolis, Ind. The Greyhounds were victorious in their season opener by notching a 29-21 home win over Hillsdale (8/27) before losing a 24-6 decision at nationally-ranked Michigan Tech (Sept. 3). Last season, UI went 4-7 overall with a 10th-place tying 3-7 GLIAC mark. The Greyhounds were 1-4 on the road and 3-3 in home encounters last fall.

➤ **THE COACHES: FERRIS STATE – Jeff Pierce** (Ferris State, 1979), 11th season, 66-47-0 (.584) – (5-3-0 vs. Indianapolis). Pierce has compiled a 34-20-0 (.552) coaching mark in home encounters and a 24-18-0 (.571) record in September encounters to date. Pierce, who played collegiately (defensive back) at Ferris from 1974-77, is the 12th head coach in Ferris State's history.

**INDIANAPOLIS – Joe Polizzi** (Hillsdale, 1976), 12th season, 58-63-1 (.479) – (3-6-0 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 later went to Hillsdale and served as the Chargers' defensive backfield coach until 1991.

➤ **HISTORIC MILESTONE:** Head coach **Jeff Pierce** became Ferris' all-time winningest coach last season (9/4) with the Bulldogs' 23-17 overtime win at Ashland. Pierce surpassed current Hillsdale head coach Keith Otterbein (1986-94; 60-39-3) for top honors.



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## HEAD COACH JEFF PIERCE



Jeff Pierce is in his 11th year at Ferris State and owns the distinction of being the Bulldogs' all-time winningest coach. He reached the milestone a season ago (9/4) in 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	0	3	0	.000
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>66</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.584</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	0-1	0-2	0-0	0-3	0-0	0-0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>34-20</b>	<b>32-27</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>61-40</b>	<b>5-7</b>	<b>3-2</b>

### ALL-TIME SERIES INFORMATION

- Ferris State holds a 15-10-1 lead in a series which commenced in 1953. Indianapolis went 7-3-1 in the initial 11 meetings while Ferris has posted a 12-3-0 mark in the last 15 outings.
- 22 of the 26 meetings have been decided by 10 points or more and Ferris sports a 14-8-0 record (.636) in those encounters. 18 of the last 20 contests have been determined by 10 points or more, including the last two.
- In the last five meetings, Ferris has averaged 22.4 points per game (112 total) while Indianapolis is averaging 21.4 points an outing (107 total) during that period.
- Ferris State is 3-2-1 in contests decided by 10 points or less (1-1-0 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).
- The Bulldogs are scoring at a 30.0 points per game clip (150 total) in their last five home appearances while the Greyhounds have averaged 20.0 points (100 total) for a +10.0 points margin.
- In the last three games, Ferris is averaging 347.0 yards in total offense with 148.7 yards on the ground and 198.3 yards through the air.

### FERRIS STATE LEADS SERIES 15-10-1

**FSU SCORING AVERAGE:** 23.5 (610 points)  
**UI SCORING AVERAGE:** 19.6 (509 points)  
**SCORING DIFFERENTIAL:** +3.9 (FSU)  
**LAST MEETING:** FSU 24, @UI 14 (9/18/04)  
**LAST MEETING AT FSU:** UI 35, FSU 20\* (11/15/03)  
**AT BIG RAPIDS:** FSU leads 8-4-0  
**AT INDIANAPOLIS:** FSU leads 7-6-1  
**CURRENT SERIES WIN STREAK:** 1 (FSU 9/18/04)  
**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	A
10/15/60	FSU 19-0	H	9/7/96	FSU 30-19	H
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	A
9/24/83	UI 30-0	A	11/10/01	FSU 16-13▲	H
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			
9/10/88	FSU 34-21	H			
9/9/89	FSU 38-21	A			
10/27/90	FSU 29-15	A			
11/2/91	FSU 21-6	H			

▲ - Two Overtimes  
 FSU leads 15-10-1  
 FSU wins in bold  
 \* - Denotes night game

LAST MEETING AT INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA  
 SEPTEMBER 18, 2004 ● AT KEY STADIUM (3,000)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	0	17	0	7	24
Indianapolis	14	0	0	0	14

### SCORING SUMMARY

#### 1ST QUARTER

8:49 UI: Donnie McCoy 1 run (Nick Parker kick)  
 1:38 UI: Sam Elmore 1 run (Nick Parker kick)

#### 2ND QUARTER

12:32 FS: Ben Keur 42 FG  
 7:30 FS: Andrew Terry 10 run (Ben Keur kick)  
 0:13 FS: Andy Thwaites 9 pass from Ryan Kaul (Ben Keur kick)

#### 4TH QUARTER

3:46 FS: Andrew Terry 2 run (Ben Keur kick)

### TEAM STATS

	BULLDOGS	GREYHOUNDS
First Downs	25	14
Rushes-Yds	53-261	30-67
Passing Yards	148	206
Att/Comp/Int	24/14/0	31/15/2
Total Net Yards	409	273
Punts/Avg	4/38.0	7/39.1
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	0/0
Penalties-Yds	7-70	10-90

### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

#### Rushing

FS: Andrew Terry - 31/127 yds  
 UI: Donnie McCoy - 17/54 yds

#### Passing

FS: Ryan Kaul - 23/14/0, 148 yds, 1 TD  
 UI: Matt Kohn - 31/15/2, 206 yds

#### Receiving

FS: Carlton Brewster - 8/99 yds  
 UI: Kevin Sanford - 5/52 yds

**NOTES:** Ferris won its third straight contest of the season and got off to its best start since 1999 at 3-1 as tailback Andrew Terry ran for a game-high 127 yards and scored twice. The Bulldogs overcame a 14-0 first-quarter deficit with 17 unanswered points in the second quarter to claim a 17-14 halftime advantage and also accounted for the second half's lone points on Terry's two-yard TD run. FSU quarterback Ryan Kaul enjoyed a productive day with 148 passing yards to go with 103 yards rushing on 17 carries, which set a Ferris single-game mark for most yards rushing by a quarterback. His counterpart, Indianapolis' Matt Kohn also etched his name in the record books by becoming the Greyhounds' all-time completions leader (549) in the contest. Middle linebacker Mike Klobucher spearheaded the Bulldogs' defense with a team-best 11 tackles (eight solo) while outside linebacker Kevin Myers totaled eight stops. Cornerback Jim Skodak, who had an interception in the game as did corner LaMar Williams, recorded five tackles and was joined by defensive end John Hazle.

### MORE BULLDOG BITES

• **BREWSTER PRESEASON ALL-AMERICAN:** Carlton Brewster has been named a 2005 preseason All-American by several gridiron publications and online services, which include *Lindy's* magazine, *Hansen's Football Gazette*, *www.CollegeSportsReport.com*, and *D2Football.com*. Brewster was recently named to *Detroit Free Press'* All-Small College Football Team, which is comprised exclusively of student-athletes from Michigan colleges only. The 2004 All-GLIAC First-Team pick was recognized as a honorable mention All-America honoree by *Don Hansen's Football Gazette* and *D2Football.com* a season ago. Brewster has accounted for 49.2% (282-573 yds.) of the squad's total receiving yards production this season and made up 62.4% (1,230 of 1,972 yds.) of the team's yardage a season ago.

• **A CAREER BEST:** Junior strong safety Chris Machalak (Clinton Township/Cintondale) compiled a career-best 10 tackles (five solo) at Hillsdale, bettering his previous high of six stops in this season's opener at Grand Valley State (Aug. 28).

• **UNIFORMS ON SALE:** The Ferris Athletics Department is selling the "Turn Back The Clock Night" throwback football uniforms which were worn by the Bulldog football team in their 2005 season home opener versus Ashland two weeks ago (Sept. 3). The cost is \$75 per jersey and please contact Brian Kegler at (231) 591-2970 or keglerb@ferris.edu. The number of jerseys available is limited and will be sold on a first come, first served basis.

• **NCAA DIVISION II LEADERS:** Among this week's (Sept. 12) NCAA-II leaders, Ferris is 71st in pass offense (191.0 ypg.), 84th in turnover margin (-0.7), 88th in total defense (368.0 ypg.), 89th in pass efficiency defense (129.7 ypg.), and 93rd in scoring defense (29.3 ypg.). Individually, Mike Klobucher is 10th in total tackles (12.0) while Jake Visser ranks 21st (11.0 avg.) in that category and is eighth in forced fumbles (0.67 avg.). Offensively, Carlton Brewster is 23rd in receiving yards (94.0 ypg.) and 27th in receptions (6.0 avg.).

**2005 GLIAC STANDINGS**

	GLIAC					OVERALL				
	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Grand Valley State	3	0	1.000	120	33	3	0	1.000	120	33
Michigan Tech	3	0	1.000	90	47	3	0	1.000	90	47
Findlay	2	0	1.000	57	51	3	0	1.000	88	61
Ashland	2	0	1.000	51	21	3	0	1.000	81	36
Saginaw Valley State	2	0	1.000	38	10	2	0	1.000	38	10
Northwood	1	1	.500	35	23	2	1	.667	91	44
Northern Michigan	1	2	.333	98	117	1	2	.333	98	117
Hillsdale	1	2	.333	69	60	1	2	.333	69	60
Indianapolis	1	2	.333	48	74	1	2	.333	48	74
Gannon	1	2	.333	45	114	1	2	.333	45	114
Mercyhurst	0	3	.000	81	99	0	3	.000	81	99
<b>Ferris State</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>88</b>
Wayne State	0	2	.000	17	57	0	2	.000	17	57

**LAST WEEK'S GAMES**

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 10**

at Northwood 56, St. Joseph's (Ind.) 21  
 at Saginaw Valley State 29, Wayne State 3\*  
 at Ashland 27, Gannon 0\*  
 Michigan Tech 24, at Mercyhurst 20\*  
**at Hillsdale 34, Ferris State 14\***  
 Grand Valley State 29, at Indianapolis 13\*  
 at Findlay 40, Northern Michigan 37 OT\*

**UPCOMING GAMES**

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 17**

Findlay at Saginaw Valley State\*, 12 p.m.  
 Northwood at Mercyhurst\*, 1:30 p.m.  
 Wayne State at Northern Michigan\*, 5 p.m.  
 Grand Valley State at Ashland\*, 7 p.m.  
 Hillsdale at Gannon\*, 7 p.m.  
**Indianapolis at Ferris State\*, 7 p.m.**



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**2005 GLIAC PRESEASON COACHES' POLL**

PLACE	TEAM (first-place votes)	POINTS
1.	Grand Valley State (11)	143
2.	Northwood (1)	129
3.	Saginaw Valley State (1)	127
4.	Michigan Tech.	99
5.	<b>Ferris State</b>	<b>95</b>
6.	Findlay	87
7.	Ashland	80
8.	Hillsdale	62
9.	Indianapolis	52
10.	Mercyhurst	48
11.	Gannon	34
12.	Northern Michigan	31
13.	Wayne State	24

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 2005**

Home	0-1
Road	0-2
Neutral	0-0
Turf	0-2
Grass	0-1
Ahead at halftime	0-0
Behind at halftime	0-3
Ahead after the third quarter	0-0
Behind after the third quarter	0-3
Bulldogs score first	0-0
Opponent scores first	0-3
Rush for 150 yards or more	0-0
Pass for 150 yards or more	0-2
Total 300 yards or more on offense	0-2
Score 25 points or more	0-0
Opp. has less than 150 yards rushing	0-0
Opp. has less than 150 yards passing	0-2
Opp. has less than 300 total yards	0-1
Hold opponent to 25 points or less	0-1
Fewer turnovers than opponent	0-1
More turnovers than opponent	0-2
Turnovers are equal	0-0
Less penalty yardage than opponent	0-2
More penalty yardage than opponent	0-1
Games decided between 1-10 points	0-1
Games decided between 11-20 points	0-2
Games decided by more than 20 points	0-0
Largest halftime lead	0 (0-0)
Largest halftime deficit	13 (20-7 at GVSU), (13-0 vs. AU)



**2005 SCORING DRIVE NOTABLES**

**LONGEST DRIVE BY FSU:** 70 yards (5-70, :59 at HC)  
**SHORTEST DRIVE BY FSU:** 38 yards (3-38, :49 vs. AU)  
**MOST TIME CONSUMING DRIVE BY FSU:** 1:55 (8-57, 1:55 at GVSU)  
**FASTEST DRIVE BY FSU:** :49 (3-38, :49 vs. AU)  
**MOST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY FSU:** 8 (8-57, 1:55 at GVSU)  
**FEWEST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY FSU:** 3 (3-38, :49 vs. AU); (3-66, 1:04 at HC)  
**LONGEST DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** 80 yards (7-80, 2:49 by GVSU); (16-80, 9:26 by HC)  
**SHORTEST DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** 7 yards 3-7, 1:17 by HC)  
**MOST TIME CONSUMING DRIVE BY AN OPP.:** 9:26 (16-80, 9:26 by HC)  
**FASTEST DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** :42 (3-19, :42 by GVSU)  
**MOST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** 16 (16-80, 9:26 by HC)  
**FEWEST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT:** 3 (3-19, :42 by GVSU); (3-7, 1:17 by HC); (3-18, 1:13 by HC)

**2005 FERRIS STATE SCORING DRIVES**

OPPONENT	PLAYS	Yds	TIME	SCORING PLAY
GRAND VALLEY	8	57	1:55	Eichler 23 FG
ASHLAND	6	65	1:15	Brewster 35 pass
	4	49	1:34	Brewster 16 pass
	3	38	:49	Grigg 2 run
HILLSDALE	5	70	:59	Brewster 25 pass
	3	66	1:04	Fricke 52 pass
INDIANAPOLIS				
MERCYHURST				
FINDLAY				
NORTH DAKOTA				
NORTHERN MICHIGAN				
MICHIGAN TECH				
NORTHWOOD				
SAGINAW VALLEY STATE				

**2005 RED ZONE OFFENSE**

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

OPP.	No.	TD	FG	MFG	TO	DN	TIME	PNT	SCORE%
GV	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1.000
AU	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.000
HC	1	-	-	-	-	-	^	-	.000
UI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	....
MC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	....
UF	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	....
ND	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	....
NM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	....
MT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	....
NU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	....
SV	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	....
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.500</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. 27	at Grand Valley State	Offense-Ryan Fritz, Defense-Mike Klobucher, Specialty-Levi Slager, EPEP-Jake Visser
Sept. 3	<b>Ashland</b>	Offense-Carlton Brewster, Defense-Nick Beaudry, Specialty-Jeff Hollandsworth, EPEP-Mike Klobucher
Sept. 10	at Hillsdale	Offense-Jeff Williams, Defense-Jim Skodak, Specialty-Dan Boulter, EPEP-C.J. Van Wieren
Sept. 17	<b>Indianapolis</b>	
Sept. 24	<b>Mercyhurst</b>	
Oct. 1	at Findlay	
Oct. 8	at North Dakota	
Oct. 15	<b>Northern Michigan</b>	
Oct. 22	at Michigan Tech	
Oct. 29	<b>Northwood</b>	
Nov. 5	at Saginaw Valley State	

Home games listed in **bold**



# Ferris State Football

## 2005 GAME-BY-GAME RECAPS

### Game 1 ♦ at Grand Valley State

Aug. 27, 2005 ▲ Lubbers Stadium (14,557)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	7	0	3	0	10
#3 Grand Valley State	3	17	10	0	30

#### SCORING SUMMARY

##### 1st Quarter

5:53 GV: Greene 37 FG  
3:05 FS: Mombo 6 fumble recovery (Eichler kick)

##### 2nd Quarter

12:09 GV: Fowler 33 pass from C. Finnerty (Greene kick)  
7:17 GV: Greene 28 FG

0:19 GV: C. Finnerty 2 run (Greene kick)

##### 3rd Quarter

12:11 GV: Langston 15 pass from C. Finnerty (Greene kick)  
10:11 FS: Eichler 23 FG  
6:29 GV: Greene 34 FG

#### TEAM STATS

	Bulldogs	Lakers
First Downs	13	21
Rushes-Yds	31-98	53-189
Passing Yards	104	211
Att/Comp/Int	31/10/2	24/14/1
Total Net Yards	202	400
Punts/Avg	8/37.8	5/38.0
Fumbles/Lost	1/0	2/2
Penalties-Yds	2-30	7-60
Possession Time	22:24	37:36

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

##### Rushing

FS: Ryan Kaul - 16/47 yds  
GV: Astin Martin - 19/116 yds

##### Passing

FS: Ryan Kaul - 31/10/2, 104 yds  
GV: Cullen Finnerty - 23/13/1, 203 yds, 2 TD

##### Receiving

FS: Carlton Brewster - 3/44 yds, Lawrence Conner - 3/21 yds

GV: Brandon Langston - 4/75 yds, 1 TD

##### Punting

FS: Levi Slager - 8/302, 37.8 avg., 1 Inside 20  
GV: Matt Regnery - 5/190, 38.0 avg., 5 Inside 20

##### Defensive

FS: Jake Visser - 14 tackles (eight solo), 0.5 TFL for 1 yd.; Nick Maeder - 11 tackles (four solo)  
GV: Brandon Carr - 9 tackles (six solo), 1.0 TFL for 1 yd., 1 interception for 18 yds.; Anthony Adams - 7 tackles (three solo), 0.5 TFL for 5 yds., 1 sack for five yds.

**NOTES:** A Lubbers Stadium record crowd of 14,557 fans watched Grand Valley State tally 24 straight points midway through the season-opening contest to notch the victory. GVSU kicker Scott Greene connected on all three of his field goal attempts while quarterback Cullen Finnerty passed for two TDs and ran for another as the hosts outgained Ferris by a 400 to 202-yards margin in total offense. The Bulldogs only lead of the contest came late in the opening quarter when a long snap on a GVSU punt attempt sailed over punter Matt Regnery's head and was picked up near the goal line where junior cornerback Lenald Mombo proceeded to block Regnery's attempt and recovered the ball before dashing six yards for the TD to give Ferris a 6-3. Junior kicker Josh Eichler split the uprights on the point after attempt as the Bulldogs held a 7-3 advantage. GVSU controlled the game from rest of the way with 17 straight second-quarter points. A 23-yard field goal by Eichler early in the third quarter capped off an eight-play, 57-yard Ferris scoring drive.

### Game 2 ♦ vs. Ashland

Sept. 3, 2005 ▲ Top Taggart Field (2,528)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ashland	0	13	9	2	24
Ferris State	0	0	15	6	21

#### SCORING SUMMARY

##### 2nd Quarter

6:37 AU: White 5 pass from Strance (Karrasch kick)  
4:11 AU: Lewis 8 fumble recovery (Karrasch kick failed)

##### 3rd Quarter

10:48 AU: Karrasch 23 FG  
7:03 AU: Mong 15 pass from Strance (Karrasch kick blocked)

5:42 FS: Brewster 35 pass from Kaul (Fritz pass from Kaul)

2:15 FS: Brewster 16 pass from Kaul (Eichler kick)

##### 4th Quarter

8:02 FS: Grigg 2 run (Eichler kick failed)  
3:58 AU: Team Safety

#### TEAM STATS

	Eagles	Bulldogs
First Downs	16	16
Rushes-Yds	44-161	32-81
Passing Yards	107	227
Att/Comp/Int	18/12/0	37/21/2
Total Net Yards	268	308
Punts/Avg	6/35.0	6/31.8
Fumbles/Lost	2/2	3/2
Penalties-Yds	3-20	9-70
Possession Time	30:42	29:18

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

##### Rushing

AU: Jason Schwalm - 30/132 yds  
FS: Shawn Grigg - 17/68 yds, 1 TD

##### Passing

AU: Nick Strance - 18/12/0, 107 yds, 2 TD  
FS: Ryan Kaul - 37/21/2, 227 yds, 2 TD

##### Receiving

AU: Dalorean White - 5/60 yds, 1 TD  
FS: Carlton Brewster - 8/119 yds, 2 TD

##### Punting

AU: Trevor Wood - 4/155, 38.8 avg., 2 Inside 20  
FS: Levi Slager - 5/177, 35.4 avg., 1 Inside 20

##### Defensive

AU: Devin Conwell - 12 tackles (six solo), 0.5 TFL for 0 yd.; Allen Lattimore - 8 tackles (four solo), 1.5 TFL for 4 yds., 1.0 sack for 3 yds.  
FS: Mike Klobucher - 15 tackles (15 assists), 0.5 TFL for 1 yd.; Kyle Walker - 11 tackles (10 assists), 0.5 TFL for 1 yd.

**NOTES:** Ferris State was forced to play catch up in its season home opener as the Bulldogs spotted Ashland a 22-point lead midway through the third quarter but fell short in overcoming the deficit. Ferris, which was celebrating its "Turn Back The Clock Night" scored 21 unanswered points late in the third quarter and early in the fourth to get within a point (22-12) with eight minutes left in the contest. Senior quarterback Ryan Kaul hooked up with senior flanker Carlton Brewster twice for scores in the third quarter and junior tailback Shawn Grigg's fourth-quarter TD drew Ferris to a point but junior kicker Josh Eichler missed the PAT. However, a FSU punt attempt miscue gave the Eagles a two-point safety with just under four minutes to go. The Bulldogs' final offensive drive began with 2:42 on the clock and the hosts made it to their 42-yard line before Kaul's pass in the middle of the field was intercepted by AU's Brady Miller at the FSU 47-yard line to thwart the comeback.

### Game 3 ♦ at Hillsdale

Sept. 10, 2005 ▲ Muddy Waters Stadium (2,500)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	0	7	7	0	14
Hillsdale	10	7	7	10	34

#### SCORING SUMMARY

##### 1st Quarter

8:53 HC: Menchinger 30 FG  
3:07 HC: Recker 5 pass from Scholl (Menchinger kick)

##### 2nd Quarter

1:08 HC: Martin 5 run (Menchinger kick)  
0:06 FS: Brewster 25 pass from Van Wieren (Eichler kick)

##### 3rd Quarter

5:34 HC: Scholl 1 run (Menchinger kick)  
4:21 FS: Fricke 52 pass from Van Wieren (Eichler kick)

##### 4th Quarter

8:00 HC: Menchinger 23 FG  
6:06 HC: Martin 2 run (Menchinger kick)

#### TEAM STATS

	Bulldogs	Chargers
First Downs	13	19
Rushes-Yds	21-63	54-295
Passing Yards	242	100
Att/Comp/Int	30/15/1	24/10/0
Total Net Yards	305	395
Punts/Avg	9/38.4	6/32.8
Fumbles/Lost	1/1	2/1
Penalties-Yds	6-54	14-115
Possession Time	21:28	38:32

#### INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

##### Rushing

FS: Shawn Grigg - 6/27 yds  
HC: Phil Martin - 22/117 yds, 2 TD

##### Passing

FS: C.J. Van Wieren - 24/13/1, 236 yds, 2 TD  
HC: Aaron Scholl - 23/10/0, 100 yds, 1 TD

##### Receiving

FS: Carlton Brewster - 7/119 yds, 1 TD  
HC: Phil Martin - 3/30 yds

##### Punting

FS: Levi Slager - 9/346, 38.4 avg., 2 Inside 20  
HC: Matt Vanover - 5/147, 29.4 avg., 2 Inside 20

##### Defensive

FS: Jeff Hollandsworth - 15 tackles (7 solo), 1.0 FR for 0 yd.; Mike Klobucher - 13 tackles (6 solo)  
HC: Steve Balone - 7 tackles (6 assists), 2.0 TFL for 12 yds.; Mark Scott - 6 tackles (3 solo), 1 INT for 15 yds.

**NOTES:** Hillsdale gave its Homecoming crowd plenty to cheer about as the Chargers erupted for the game's initial 17 points and led throughout their season home opener. The Bulldogs, despite 305 yards in total offense, trailed 17-0 with a minute left in the first half before backup quarterback C.J. Van Wieren lobbed a pass to the corner of the end zone which flanker Carlton Brewster swooped in front of to put Ferris on the board with six seconds left in the second quarter. Van Wieren, filling in for the injured starter Ryan Kaul, capped off the Bulldogs' lone scoring drive in the second half by connecting with flanker Nate Fricke in the middle of the field as Fricke outran his defenders to the end zone in completing a three-play, 66-yard drive as Ferris closed to within 24-14. The Chargers prevented FSU from getting any closer after that as Matt Menchinger booted his second field goal of the game and running back Phil Martin tallied his second TD in the fourth quarter to snap a four-game series losing skid.