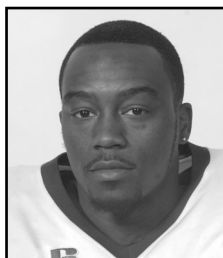


THE 2003 BULLDOGS



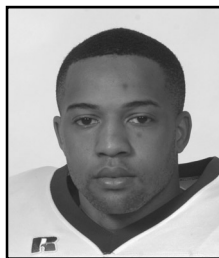
FRITZ



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RYAN FRITZ
Fullback
6-3 ♦ 245 ♦ Sophomore
Elkton (Pigeon Laker)

Reserve fullback . . . Will compete for playing time . . . Tenacious . . . Aggressive . . . Blocks with authority . . . Showed improvement in spring drills and has a promising future . . . Came back from injury to compete in final three games of 2002 season . . . Achieved All-Greater Thumb Conference laurels as a punter and linebacker during senior season at Pigeon Laker High . . . Prepped by William McLellen . . . 2001 graduate . . . Posted second-team all-conference accolades in junior year . . . Participated four years each in baseball and basketball . . . Attained first-team all-league honors in basketball and garnered all-conference second-team kudos in baseball . . . Father is a billing manger and mother teaches . . . FSU Letters: One . . . Birthdate: 7/4/82 . . . Major: Social Studies.



DEREK FUDGE
Tailback
5-9 ♦ 191 ♦ Senior
Gibonston, Fla. (East Bay)

Outstanding runner . . . Team's most explosive offensive player . . . Ranks fourth on school's all-time rush leaders chart . . . Earned second-team All-GLIAC honors and FSU Most Valuable Offensive Skill Player Award last season . . . Rushed for 1,016 yards and 10 TD's in 10 outings . . . Had six 100-yard plus rushing games last fall, including season-best 190 vs. Ashland (11/9) and 148 along with three TD's vs. Hillsdale (9/7) . . . Finished season with four straight 100-plus yard rushing efforts . . . Ranked 28th nationally in rushing (101.6 ypg.) and 29th in all-purpose yards (142.0 ypg.) in '02 . . . Led team with 44 catches for 386 yards . . . Caught 10 passes for 96 yards at Northwood (10/5) . . . Had 549 yards rushing and three TD's in 2001 . . . Ran for a season-best 138 yards and two TD's vs. Findlay (9/8) . . . 2000 GLIAC Freshman of the Year after breaking the conference frosh rushing mark with 1,161 yds. (116.2 ypg.) and had 1,227 yds. overall (sixth highest on FSU rush list) . . . All-GLIAC Second Team, GLIAC All-Academic and FSU's Outstanding Offensive Rookie in '00 . . . Ranked second among '00 GLIAC rushers (111.5 ypg.) and 25th nationally . . . Rushed for 100 plus yards six times, including a season-high 213 at Indianapolis (11/11) and 194 at Findlay (9/9) . . . Two-time all-league pick at East Bay High . . . FSU Letters: Three . . . Birthdate: 10/5/80 . . . Major: Rubber Engineering Technology.

CAREER STATISTICAL TOTALS												
YEAR	G-GS	ATT	YDS	TD	LG	AVG/N	REC	YDS	TD	LG	89	
2000-02	30-27	625	2,792	20	66	4.5	78	636	2	89		
Kick Returns: 14/223, 0 TD, 35 Long, 15.9 Avg.												



STEVE FUSEE
Quarterback
6-2 ♦ 208 ♦ Freshman
Belmont (Rockford)

Talented redshirt frosh . . . Starts fall camp as No. 2 signal-caller . . . Excelled in spring practice . . . Great arm . . . Quick in his release . . . Accurate passer with good touch . . . Makes good decisions . . . Displays leadership ability . . . Elusive . . . All-state honorable mention and *Detroit Free Press* Division I All-State as a senior at Rockford High . . . Coached by Ralph Munger . . . 2002 graduate . . . Threw for 1,303 yards and 11 TD's during senior year en route to first-team all-conference honors . . . Attained *Grand Rapids Press* All-Area Dream Team Second-Team accolades and was a first-team North All-Area pick by *The Advance* . . . Named team's Most Valuable Offensive Player in final prep campaign . . . RHS' 2001-02 Senior Athlete of the Year . . . Competed four years in skiing and baseball . . . Father is a construction company vice president and mother is a secretary . . . Birthdate: 6/23/83 . . . Major: Career Exploration.



ROB GILES
Split End
5-9 ♦ 195 ♦ Senior
Mt. Clemens (L'Anse Creuse North)

Returns after a season's absence . . . All-around player . . . Exceptional special teams player . . . Good blocker . . . Fast and explosive . . . A deep threat . . . Compiled 325 yards and four TD's on 19 catches in 2001 . . . Posted 107 yards and two TD's on three receptions vs. Michigan Tech (10/20) . . . Had three catches for 68 yards and a TD at Mercyhurst (10/13) . . . Posted 10 stops on special teams . . . Had 237 receiving yards on 17 catches in 2000 . . . Caught season-best five passes for 83 yards vs. Northern Michigan (10/28) . . . Had two receptions for 68 yards at Findlay (9/9) . . . Moved to flanker from cornerback in 1999 . . . Made 11 tackles apiece in '99 and '00 . . . Three-time all-league and two-time all-region honoree at Mt. Clemens (Mich.) L'Anse Creuse North High . . . School single-game record holder for rushing yards, TD's, all-purpose yards, and tackles . . . FSU Letters: Three . . . Birthdate: 1/4/80 . . . Major: Business Administration.

CAREER STATISTICAL TOTALS						
YEAR	G-GS	REC	YDS	TD	LG	AVG/N
1999-01	28-1	38	576	5	82	15.2



TIM GILL
Punter
5-9 ♦ 159 ♦ Senior
Mt. Clemens (Lutheran North)

Returns for third year as team's top punter . . . Shows good leg strength . . . Left-footed kicker . . . Came to FSU as a walk-on . . . Averaged 34.6 yards on 60 attempts for 2,076 yards last season . . . Had a 38.2 average (306 yds.) on eight punts vs. Saginaw Valley State (10/26) with a season-high 54-yarder . . . Notched a 32.7 average (1,471 yds.) on 45 attempts in 2001 . . . Averaged 39.1 yards (7-274 yds.) at Hillsdale (11/3) and 37.2 yards (8-298 yds.) at Northern Michigan (10/27), which included a career-best 60-yarder . . . Recorded a career-best 35.4 average (601 yds. on 17 kicks) as a frosh in 2000 . . . Tallied a season-best 41.8 average at Findlay (9/9) with 167 yards on four attempts . . . Booted a 57-yarder vs. Saginaw Valley State (9/16) . . . Earned all-county accolades at Lutheran North High . . . Coached by Paul Keiper . . . FSU Letters: Three . . . Birthdate: 10/14/81 . . . Major: Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

CAREER STATISTICAL TOTALS									
YEAR	G	PUNTS	YDS	AVG	LG	TB	FC	I20	BLK
2000-02	26	122	4,148	34.0	65	3	20	35	1



SHAWN GRIGG
Tailback
5-9 ♦ 190 ♦ Sophomore
Allegan

Talented, elusive runner . . . Should receive action this fall at a deep position . . . Has a good combination of power and speed . . . Quick footed . . . Catches the ball well . . . Breakaway threat . . . Muscular, high-energy back . . . Rushed for four yards on as many attempts vs. Wayne State (9/28) . . . Had one carry for zero yards at Northern Michigan (9/21) . . . Two-time all-state selection at Allegan High . . . Prepped by Ron Orr . . . Three-time all-conference performer at running back and twice as a defensive back . . . Team MVP as a senior and set conference record for yards per carry (13.6 yds.) . . . Rushed for 1,201 yards and 15 TD's during senior year . . . All-county in basketball . . . His sister Samantha competed in athletics at Western Michigan . . . Both parents are employed as general assembly workers . . . Birthdate: 10/24/82 . . . Major: Business Administration.

CAREER STATISTICAL TOTALS										
YEAR	G-GS	ATT	YDS	TD	LG	AVG/N	REC	YDS	TD	LG
2002	2-1	5	4	0	7	0.8	0	0	0	0

